

Knowledge graph augmentations: consistency, immutability, reliability, and context

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23 INTRODUCTION

24 Since time immemorial, acquiring, storing, and managing knowledge has been one of the main goals of
25 humanity. Today, thanks to developing technologies, information is multiplying very rapidly. Therefore,
26 it becomes difficult to process, infer and use information. Most of these problems are related to how
27 knowledge is represented. One of the most widely used knowledge representation methods is the
28 knowledge graph (KG).

29 KGs have emerged as an essential area in artificial intelligence in the last decade (Rajabi and Etminani,
30 2022). A KG can be a directed, labeled, multi-relational graph with some form of semantics (Kejriwal,
31 2022). A KG, or a semantic network, is a graphical representation of real-world entities and relationships,
32 objects, events, situations, or concepts and their relationships. A KG is essential for storing and making
33 inferences from it.

34 In recent years, KGs have been widely applied in various domains. In parallel, there have been
35 studies on their integration with various domains. These include the creation of semantic KGs for
36 news production, distribution, and consumption in digital news platforms (Opdahl et al., 2022), the
37 integration of heterogeneous knowledge sources in the creation of large KGs and Artificial Intelligence
38 (AI) systems to be more explainable and interpretable (Rajabi and Etminani, 2022), the application of
39 KGs in manufacturing and production, reasoning technologies in KGs (Chen et al., 2020b), the Semantic
40 Web (Ryen et al., 2022), applying machine learning, rule-based learning and natural language processing
41 tools and approaches (Verma et al., 2022), and how statistical models can be trained on large KGs and
42 used to predict new facts about the world (Nickel et al., 2016).

43 Although the KG is a very convenient tool for storing knowledge in artificial intelligence, it has some
44 essential requirements and shortcomings, no matter which field it is used in. These shortcomings can be
45 summarized as the problem of automatically updating all the information that affects a piece of knowledge

46 when it changes, the inability to sort information, the inability to keep some information immutable, and
47 the inability to make a quick comparison between information (Kejriwal, 2022; Troussas and Krouska,
48 2022; Noy et al., 2019). In our work, reliability, consistency, immutability, and context mechanisms are
49 integrated into the KG to contribute to solving these problems. However, it should be emphasized that
50 these mechanisms are not extensions (Choi and Ko, 2023; Simov et al., 2016) because the purpose of
51 integrating these mechanisms into the KG is to improve the performance (Macdonald and Barbosa, 2020;
52 Yang et al., 2022b; Cannaviccio et al., 2018) of existing KGs by contributing to the solution of their basic
53 problems. In this respect, referring to this integration as KG augmentation is considered more appropriate.

54 The KG must be always consistent (Mu, 2015). This consistency may be lost if any information
55 changes. To restore coherence, all the information connected to the changed information must change.
56 This is because a change in the elements that support a piece of knowledge, with a chain effect, calls into
57 question the reality of all the elements supported by that knowledge. Time is vital to ensure consistency
58 in the knowledge change (Terenziani, 2000). In addition, consistently keeping knowledge helps to
59 reduce complexity (Liberatore and Schaerf, 2001). The classical knowledge structure can find changing
60 knowledge by cause-effect and inference. However, since such methods do not have stamping and
61 tracking, they are complex and can lead to overlooking information that needs to change. Moreover, if
62 this inference is global, it will have performance problems, and if it is local, it will return conflicting
63 information because it cannot capture change. At the same time, there are severe performance penalties
64 when erroneous information is removed, new information is added, or existing information is modified.

65 Another requirement for the KG is to ensure the ordering of knowledge (Porebski, 2022). We have
66 integrated a reliability mechanism into the KG to fulfill this requirement. Accordingly, the more reliable
67 elements supporting a piece of knowledge, the more reliable that knowledge is considered to be. In the
68 opposite case, the knowledge in question is interpreted as doubtful. Thus, ranking between knowledge
69 becomes possible.

70 Another requirement in the KG is the comparison of two pieces of knowledge (Wu et al., 2021; Jabla
71 et al., 2022). It is very important that this comparison can be made very quickly. In our work, we integrate
72 a hashing mechanism called context into the KG, which allows us to determine the identity of two pieces
73 of knowledge in $O(1)$ time. Context allows the disambiguation of a piece of knowledge by looking at
74 its contexts. For example, Jaguar refers to both an animal and a programming language. The ambiguity
75 about which of these is expressed in a KG can be resolved by comparing its constituent knowledge, thanks
76 to the context augmentation we have developed.

77 Another vital element of the KG is that knowledge can be immutable (Cano-Benito et al., 2021;
78 Besançon et al., 2022). For example, while the people who buy or read a book can change, the book's
79 title and the author must be immutable. In other words, some elements can change knowledge, and others
80 cannot.

81 The proposed plugin ensures consistency by marking the knowledge as soon as it changes and
82 updating the associated knowledge to run in the background at any time. To ensure that the knowledge is
83 immutable, a structure has been created to store immutable and mutable data. Regarding the reliability
84 of the knowledge, an information hierarchy has been developed in the system. Regarding context, the
85 summarization function provides unique hash values for existing contexts. Thus, when there is a match
86 between different contexts of two pieces of knowledge, it can be quickly recognized that they have the
87 same context.

88 In the study, the research on the subject is given respect, and then the methodology of the proposed
89 plugins is explained. Then, the plugins are explained in detail, and their advantages and disadvantages are
90 presented.

91 1 RELATED WORK

92 There is a vast literature on the KG. There are primarily many review papers on the topic (Chen et al.,
93 2021; Cambria et al., 2021; Chen et al., 2020a; Issa et al., 2021; Dai et al., 2020).

94 Knowledge Graph Augmentation adds missing facts to an incomplete knowledge graph to improve
95 its effectiveness in web search and question-answering applications. State-of-the-art methods rely on
96 information extraction from running text, leaving rich sources of facts such as tables behind. Focusing
97 on closing this gap in their work (Macdonald and Barbosa, 2020) work, the researchers developed a
98 neural method that uses contextual information surrounding the table in a Wikipedia article. In a different
99 work (Yang et al., 2022b), a general Knowledge Graph Contrastive Learning framework (KGCL) and a

100 knowledge graph augmentation scheme that mitigates knowledge noise for knowledge graph-enhanced
101 recommender systems are proposed.

102 General solutions to augment KGs with facts extracted from Web tables aim to associate pairs of
103 column columns with a KG relation based on the matches between pairs of entities in the table and facts in
104 the KG. Motivated by the shortcomings of these approaches, researchers in one study (Cannaviccio et al.,
105 2018) proposed an alternative solution that exploits patterns emerging in the schemas of a large corpus
106 of Wikipedia tables. In another study (Nguyen et al., 2023) introducing SocioPedia+, a real-time visual
107 analysis system for social event discovery in time and space domains, a social knowledge graph dimension
108 was added to the multivariate analysis of the system, making the process significantly improvable.

109 On the other hand, many studies focus on consistency in KG. In one of the most influential early
110 studies, two new complementary features on constraints in a network were developed (van Beek and
111 Dechter, 1997). The authors suggest that these features can be used to decide whether it would be helpful
112 to pre-process the network before a callback search. In a different study, tools for consistency checking
113 were found to provide an opportunity to reduce minor inconsistencies in the Gene Ontology (GO), and
114 redundancies in its representation (Yeh et al., 2003). Another study presented a general, consistency-
115 based framework for expressing belief change (Delgrande and Schaub, 2003). With this framework,
116 other belief change operations, such as updating and deleting, can also be expressed. In another study, a
117 measurement parameter was developed to quantify the amount of inconsistency in probabilistic knowledge
118 bases (Muiño, 2011). The study measured inconsistency by considering the minimum adjustments in the
119 degrees of certainty of statements (i.e., probabilities in this paper) necessary to make the knowledge base
120 consistent. In a different study, Mu proposed a measure for the degree of responsibility of each formula in
121 a knowledge base for the inconsistency of that base (Mu, 2015). This measure is given in terms of the
122 minimum, inconsistent subsets of a knowledge base.

123 A different study on the topic includes studies that address the central problem of the computational
124 complexity of consistency checking (Grant et al., 2018), as well as a graph-based approach to measuring
125 inconsistency for a knowledge base (Mu, 2018) better to understand the nature of inconsistency in a
126 knowledge base. Another recent study starts from the challenges of the belief revision process (Bello López
127 and De Ita Luna, 2021). Accordingly, one of the most critical problems is how to represent the knowledge
128 base K to be considered and how to add new information. In this paper, an algorithmic proposal is
129 developed to determine when $(K \cup E)$ is inconsistent.

130 Besides consistency, context is central to many modern safety and security-critical applications. In a
131 different study, the phrase similarity of human comments was determined using four different methods,
132 including item matching, linguistic collocation approaches, and wordnet semantic network distance (Stock
133 and Yousaf, 2018). The method that incorporates context is said to be the most successful of the four
134 methods tested, selecting the same geometric configuration as human respondents in 69% of cases. In
135 another study on the context in KGs, a formal approach to achieve contextual reasoning was developed
136 based on the lack of formal integration of knowledge and context in existing context-aware systems
137 (Alsaig et al., 2020).

138 In the literature, there are many studies on the ordering of nodes in graph theory (Sciriha and
139 da Fonseca, 2012; Nirmala and Nadarajan, 2022; Huang et al., 2021; Christoforou et al., 2021). However,
140 as far as we know, there needs to be research on ordering in the KG. At the same time, although the issue
141 of immutability in data structures has been frequently studied (Chowdhury et al., 2018; Ozdayi et al.,
142 2020; Stančić and Bralić, 2021; Balakrishnan et al., 2019), there is no research on immutability in KGs.
143 In addition, although several studies focused on reliability and ranking in the KG (Seo et al., 2020; Yang
144 et al., 2022a; Jiang et al., 2022), these studies are not directly related to the topic of our article. Similarly,
145 only some studies focused on hashing in the KG (Khan et al., 2023; Wang et al., 2020). Still, the existing
146 studies in the literature are separate from the plugins we developed in our article.

147 As can be seen, studies on KG in the literature have covered a wide range of topics. Studies have
148 generally focused on integrating the KG into other domains. Studies focusing on consistency in the KG
149 have generally developed complex solutions in the literature. In the limited number of context-oriented
150 studies in the literature, application-based solutions have been developed without any change in the
151 structure of the KG. Our study differs from the existing studies in the literature that focus on consistency
152 and context in the KG by providing these extensions with hashing technology. This is because no studies
153 in the existing literature integrate invariance, consistency, reliability, and context into the KG using
154 hashing technology. The main contribution of our work to the literature is to show that four different

155 properties can be integrated into the KG with a simple mechanism (Hashing). In this respect, our work is
156 expected to contribute to the literature on better representation of knowledge, the solutions created, and
157 the development of artificial intelligence software using KGs.

158 2 MATERIAL AND METHODS

159 In our work, consistency, context, reliability, and immutability mechanisms are integrated into the KG to
160 perform the operations of where existing knowledge comes from, by whom it is supported, the rate of
161 support, ranking, and whether it is a modifiable or immutable and automatic update. Unlike the literature,
162 these augmentations were developed using the hashing mechanism. This is because Hashing technology,
163 a straightforward mechanism, offers the possibility to provide four different properties quickly. In our
164 work, a " Knowledge " model provides consistency, immutability, reliability, and context augmentations
165 to the KG.

166 Thanks to the hashing mechanism, it is possible to check whether the relationships and data in the
167 information have changed. Relationships that are checked whether they change are called constant
168 relationships, and relationships that are not checked are called variable relationships. On the other hand,
169 data is constantly checked and therefore considered constant in the KG. Figure 1 shows the general
170 features of the KG we developed.

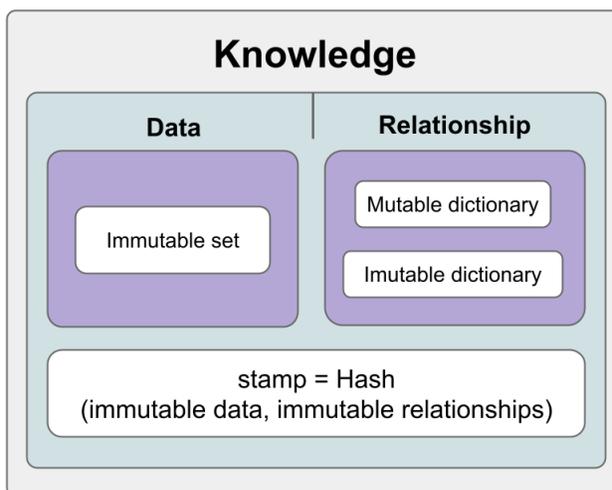


Figure 1. The general scope of knowledge

171 The hash mechanism provides immutability control in the KG. Here, a hash is a hash of immutable
172 relations and data. The hash is calculated and added to the hash set at any time. In the information
173 structure we have developed, this is done with the lock() function. Then, a new hash value is calculated
174 and compared with the old hash values in the hash set to check for any changes in the information. After
175 that, if there is a change in the relations or data of the information, a different hash value will be output,
176 so it can be automatically determined whether the information has changed and, if so, its position. If the
177 results are equal, the structure has not been changed; if the results are not equal, it means the structure has
178 been changed. This is done with the isLock() function. The general structure of the lock and islock state
179 of the information is shown in Figure 2.

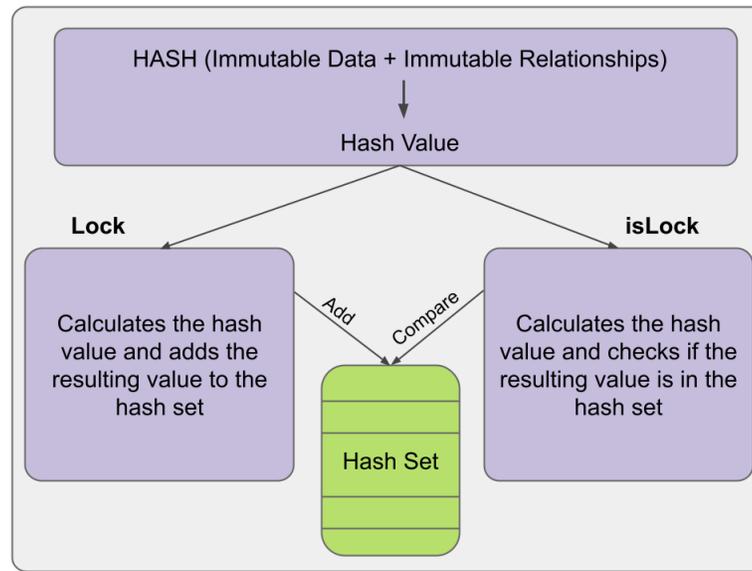


Figure 2. Lock and Unlock states

180 An example hash-finding formula is as follows. Here, the value i indicates how many of the n fixed
 181 data are expressed. The value j indicates how many of the m fixed relations are expressed.
 182 Calculating the information hash value:

$$\text{hash}\left(\sum_{i=0}^n \text{Immutable data}_i + \sum_{j=0}^m \text{Immutable relationship}_j\right) \quad (1)$$

183 When a piece of information is deleted, modified, created, or added, the information that depends on
 184 it is recalculated and updated by Algorithm 1 to maintain consistency. In parallel, Algorithm 1 can detect
 185 if there has been a change in the KG. Algorithm 1 ensures changes are propagated to all low-complexity
 186 points in the KG. In addition, the same algorithm can also be used to find where the changes in the KG
 187 have occurred. In the algorithm, updates are performed on the invariant relations in the KG. In other
 188 words, variable relations are not taken into account. This algorithm was developed using depth-first search,
 189 dynamic programming, and topological ranking.

Algorithm 1 The algorithm below updates all affected nodes, and edges, whenever there is a change in any node.

```

stack ← [startEdge]
visited ← []
while stack do
  for all neighbor_edge ∈ graph.edges(edge[1]) do
    if neighbor_edge ∉ visited then
      visited.append(neighbor_edge)
      if edge ∉ parent[neighbor_edge] then
        parent[neighbor_edge].append(edge)
        cost ← weight_cost[edge] + graph[neighbor_edge]['weight']
        weight_cost[neighbor_edge] += cost
      end if
    end if
  end for
end while

```

190 Since the KG is a cyclic graph with multiple transitions, nodes, and edges are swapped to traverse
 191 all transitions. Thus, all edges can be traversed. In this way, the whole system is traversed with $O(E)$

192 complexity. As a result, the whole system can be updated with linear complexity. In the KG, the update
 193 can be determined according to the depth parameter given by the user. Thus, the user can determine how
 194 many depth units can be updated.

195 3 LIMITATIONS

196 To physically test the model we developed, four STM32 and Lora Modules were used, and tests for
 197 readability, storage, and data manipulation were performed. As a result, it was determined that the system
 198 could physically operate without problems. However, for financial reasons, more comprehensive and
 199 holistic tests could not be carried out at this stage, and it was impossible to test the model we developed
 200 on large systems. However, such a test in our work is considered necessary and valuable. For this reason,
 201 more comprehensive applications will be realized by providing the necessary resources.

202 Immutability, reliability, consistency, and contextualization are not elements that can be easily tested.
 203 For this reason, in our study, we have tried to prove the applicability of these elements through example
 204 scenarios. In future studies, running it on real scenarios would be helpful.

205 4 KNOWLEDGE GRAPH AUGMENTATIONS

206 This section describes each plugin we developed for the KG and proves their functionality by testing them
 207 with example scenarios. Thus, it is shown that our KG augmentations can be used in various software
 208 processes.

209 4.1 Immutability

210 To illustrate the uncontrolled relationship, five different pieces of information are constructed below. A
 211 has an outward relationship with C and B through k and j. B, C, j, k have no relationship at this stage.
 212 These five pieces of knowledge are generated in Figure 3:

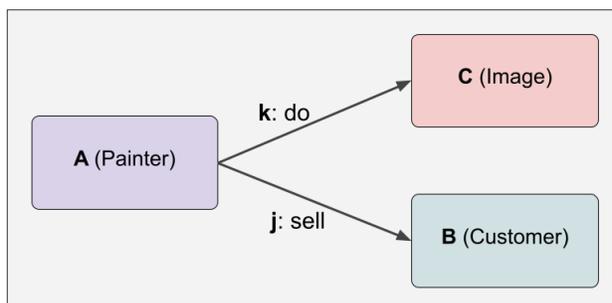


Figure 3. Immutability

213 The lock function has yet to be executed in the phase shown above. Therefore, no immutability
 214 mechanism has been activated, meaning the hash values will be shown as Null. In the JSON representation
 215 above, there are four values. The first is the checked data. The second is the checked relations, the third
 216 is the unchecked relations, and the fourth is the hash value. By calling the lock function of A with the
 217 following command, the system is locked and thus made unalterable. The command to call the lock
 218 function of A is as follows:

219 A.lock()

220 After the Lock function is applied, the JSON format view of the structure follows. The point to note
 221 here is that hash values are entered. Since C and k information is dependent on A, when A information
 222 is made immutable, this information also becomes immutable. On the other hand, since j and B are not
 223 checked (they have a variable relationship), they are not fixed, and the hash value remains Null. This
 224 can be easily seen in Formula 1. Furthermore, with the calculation in Formula 1 and Algorithm 1, A can
 225 determine whether the information in k and C has changed, and if so, which information has changed in
 226 Figure 4.

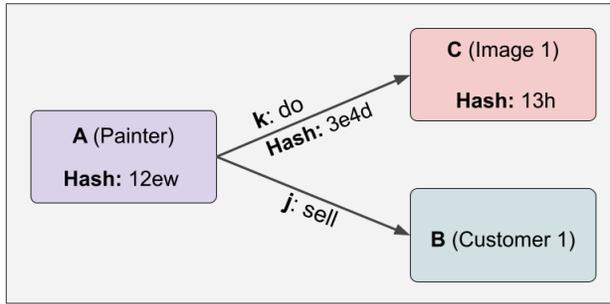


Figure 4. the calculation in Formula 1 and Algorithm 1

227 At any time, a new piece of information can be added linked to the variable relation, and the hash
 228 value will not change even if the lock function is executed. This provides design flexibility. Because some
 229 relations are fixed while others are variable. For example, the painter of a work of art is fixed, while the
 230 customers who buy this work of art are variable. It is challenging to create this structure in the KG. Below,
 231 it is shown in Figure 5 that hash values do not change even if the relations we do not control (variable)
 232 change:

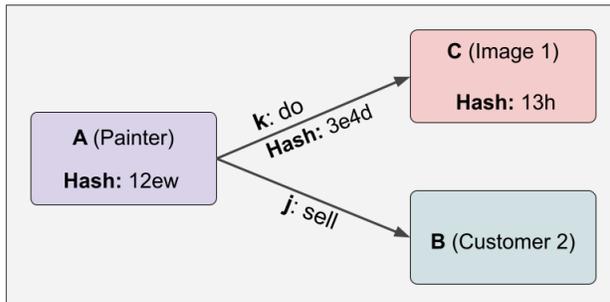


Figure 5. Hash values do not change even if the relations we do not control (variable) change

233 Suppose new information is added to the immutable relation on demand. In that case, the hash values
 234 are reconstructed, and when these new values are compared with the old ones, it will be seen that the
 235 newly created hash values are different from the old ones. The point we want to draw attention to here is
 236 that the hash value of the A information will change when a new D information is added to the above
 237 example. This is shown below in Figure 6:

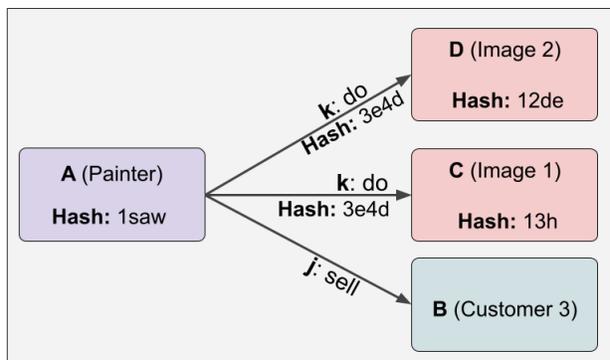


Figure 6. the hash value of the A information will change when a new D information is added

238 Diversity for uncontrolled relations needs to be present in the KG. This significantly affects the design
 239 manipulations. For example, if j and B did not have varying relationships, customer 1 information would

240 remain in the system. Also, the hash values of the entire system would have to be recalculated in case of
 241 any changes. Furthermore, since there are no lock and isLock functions in the KG, the system can only be
 242 fixed manually or created from scratch. This can lead to serious time and space losses.

243 4.2 Reliability

244 The reliability augmentation consists of the sum of invariant relations in the KG. In this way, the reliability
 245 mechanism allows information to be ranked. Information with a high trust value is more secure and ranks
 246 higher.

247 In reliability augmentation, the reliability of a piece of information is related to the number of
 248 immutable relations it has. That is, the more immutable relations a piece of information has with other
 249 information, the more reliable it is. It is called suspect information if a piece of information has no fixed
 250 relationships. The following example shows a JSON representation of C, which has no fixed relationships.
 251 Here the reliability value of C is 0.

252 **C:** `{{'Image 1'}, Null, Null, {13h}}`

253 The representation of Z information with more than one constant relationship is shown in Figure 7.
 254 Here, the reliability value of Z is 2. Regarding reliability, if the user enters a depth parameter, the
 255 calculations are made up to that depth. For example, if the depth parameter of Z is 1, the reliability value
 256 will also be 1. This feature has been developed to reduce time and space complexity significantly.

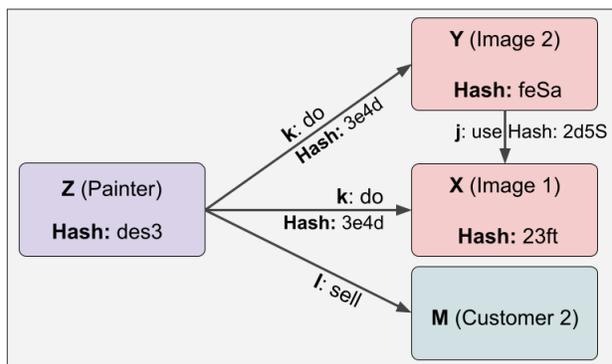


Figure 7. The representation of Z information with more than one constant relationship

257 The KG has no practical and simple reliability mechanism in the sense we have developed. It is,
 258 therefore, not possible to rank trustworthiness. This prevents a trust-based ranking mechanism. On the
 259 other hand, the trustworthiness mechanism we have developed can be applied practically and simply to
 260 the KG, thus efficiently addressing the need for trust-based ranking when necessary.

261 4.3 Consistency

262 This section explains the consistency augmentation in the KG through an example scenario. First, five
 263 pieces of information are created. At the time of creation, they have no fixed or variable relationships.
 264 Below, the creation of the information is shown in JSON format.

265 **K1:** `{'A 36-year-old man stabbed his ex-fiancée to death.', Null, Null, Null, Null}`

266 **K2:** `{'23 years in prison sentence requested for a man who stabbed his ex-fiancée to death.', Null, Null,
 267 Null}`

268 **K3:** `{'Man who stabbed his ex-fiancée to death is released in good condition after the first hearing.',
 269 Null, Null, Null}`

270 **K4:** `{'Women's rights activists protested this decision in front of the court.', Null, Null, Null}`

271 **K5:** `{'Feminism is spreading.', Null, Null, Null, Null}`

272 Once information is created, a cause-and-effect relationship is established between them. If a piece of
 273 information has no relationship, it is not reliable. For example, in the commands below, the cause of the
 274 fifth information is the relationship between the fourth, the cause of the fourth is the relationship between
 275 the third, the cause of the third is the relationship between the second, and the cause of the second is
 276 the relationship between the first. The disappearance of the fourth piece of information would remove
 277 the reliability of the fifth piece of information and make it suspect. Below, after the cause and effect
 278 relationships of the information have been entered, the relationships between the information are shown
 279 in JSON format, locked with the lock function.

280 **A1:** {'why', Null, Null, {12fK}}

281 **K1:** {'A 36-year-old man stabbed his ex-fiancée to death.', Null, Null, {76Tf}}

282 **K2:** {'A man who stabbed his ex-fiancée to death has been sentenced to 23 years in prison.', {A1: K1},
 283 Null {23wS}}

284 **K3:** {'The man who stabbed his ex-fiancée to death was released in good condition at the first hearing.',
 285 {A1: K2, A1: K1}, Null, {23dS}}

286 **K4:** {'Women's rights activists protested this decision in front of the court.', {A1: K3}, Null, {P3se}}

287 **K5:** {'Feminism is spreading.', {A1: K4}, Null, {wqq2}}

288 When an error or change occurs in the information itself or in any of the fixed information that
 289 supports it, the model finds the source of the change, removes that source from the context, and updates all
 290 the information associated with that source depending on the depth parameter. This ensures consistency
 291 in the system.

292 The consistency concept in the plugin we developed focuses on changes in the KG copy and in the
 293 KG itself. A change in any information in the KG will cause every piece of information in the KG to be
 294 updated and make it possible to update changes in its copies on demand.

295 4.4 Context

296 Below, four relationships are created to explain the context of a piece of information.

297 **A1:** {'why', Null, Null, Null, Null}

298 **K1:** {'data1', Null, Null, Null, Null}

299 **K2:** {'data2', A1:K1, Null, Null}

300 **K3:** {'data3', {A1:K1, A1:K2}, Null, Null}

301 **K4:** {'data4', {A1:K3}, Null, Null}

302 I've shared the context of the above knowledge below for you to review. Here, Knowledge1 has no
 303 context but persists in the model. This means that there is no invariant relationship to verify Knowledge1.
 304 Whether or not any knowledge that has no invariant relationship and is therefore not ordinarily reliable is
 305 considered reliable is at the discretion of the creator of the KG.

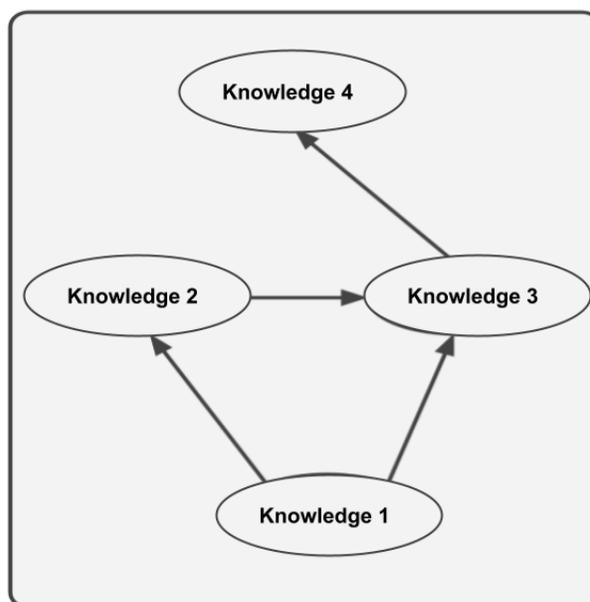


Figure 8. Knowledge's context structure

306 As seen in Figure 8, the context of Knowledge4 includes Knowledge1, Knowledge2, and Knowledge3.
307 Since the hash value will be specific to the graph when calculating the context, the context of Knowledge4
308 in the figure above will be specific to Knowledge1, Knowledge2, and Knowledge3 and the relationship
309 between them. As can be seen in Figure 3, the values held in the hash set also determine the context. In
310 other words, since a piece of knowledge can have multiple contexts, it is possible to create the contexts of
311 that knowledge by assigning the desired summaries to the hash set. By looking at these hash values, it can
312 then determine whether one piece of information is compatible with the context of another. This removes
313 many ambiguities about information.

314 The plugin we developed supports the context mechanism for comparing information in the KG.
315 This makes it possible to compare information in the KG easily. As in real life, the value of a piece of
316 information can vary according to many different contexts. This can be easily realized in the plugin we
317 have developed.

318 5 EXPERIMENT

319 To test the augmentations we developed, we created the experimental setup in Figure 9. In this experiment,
320 persons A, B, C, D, and E are created, and the relationships between these persons are shown. In the
321 relationships between people, the red arrows cannot be changed, and the blue arrows can be changed. For
322 example, being an artist or a father is a fixed relationship. In contrast, being a moviegoer, the city one lives
323 in, one's friends, or hobbies are relationships that can change depending on one's choice. The more fixed
324 relationships person A has, the more trustworthy he/she is considered to be. For example, in Figure 9, A's
325 credibility is 3, and B's is 4. In this case, B is considered more trustworthy than A. Whenever an update is
326 made to B, the constant relations between the labels "female, E and Ankara University" that support B are
327 also updated. This mechanism is not present in the graph data structure.

328 For example, if we want to change the cycling hobby, we need to update people D and A who are
329 affected by that hobby. Normally we have to do this manually, which poses a problem for the consistency
330 of the KG. For example, we need to remember to add the information to the KG or more time to add the
331 information, which can lead to various problems. This can lead to various inference problems in the KG.
332 Therefore, an algorithm has been developed that automatically updates any change on the fly. Thus, in the
333 experimental example, A and D were updated automatically.

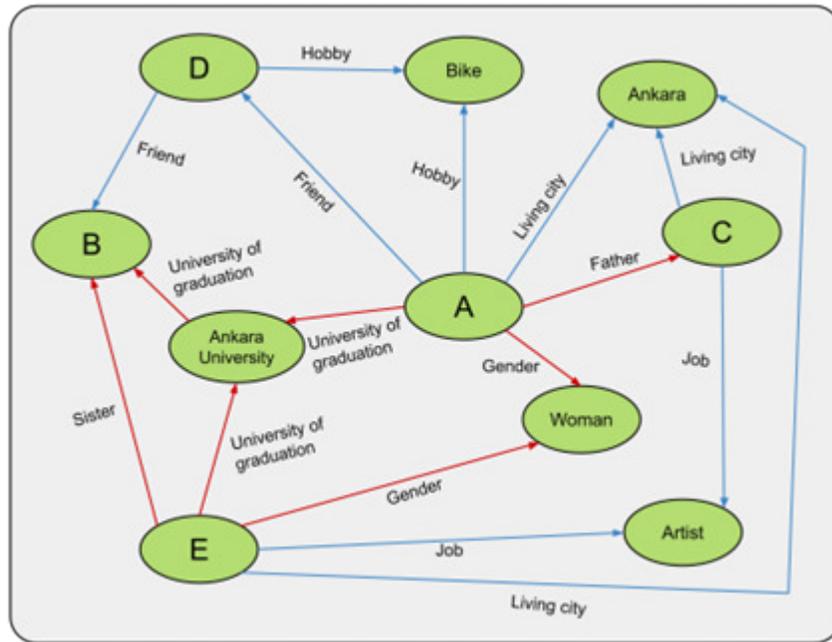


Figure 9. General representation of the experiment

334 Finally, when we want to compare any two people, for example, C and E are people with the same
 335 occupation and living in the same city. C and E are considered the same if this information is recorded as
 336 context. But C is A's father, and E is B's sister. From this point of view, C and E are treated as different
 337 people because they have different contexts. Thanks to the hashing mechanism used in our experiments, it
 338 is possible to determine in a very short time which contexts they are in and which they have in common.

339 Apart from the above scenario, on a computer with Intel i7 16 GB ram, random KGs from 1 to
 340 3000 knowledge were generated using Python in the Networkx library. On top of that, the method we
 341 developed in this study was tested by comparing it with the traditional method in terms of update and
 342 search mechanisms.

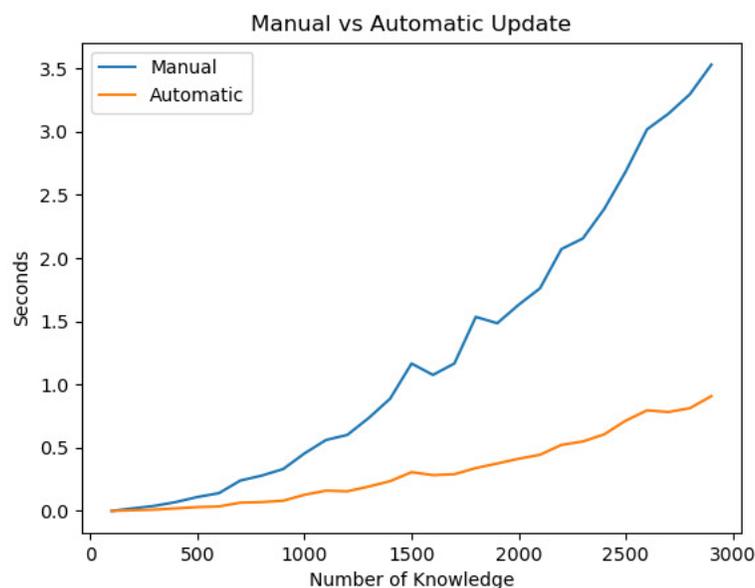


Figure 10. Updating speed of the knowledge graph with improved augmentations

343 Looking at the experiment results, linear time is required to access information. After accessing the
 344 information in question, Deep First Search or Breath First Search must be used to update the values. Since
 345 this also takes linear time, a total of $O(n^2)$ time is needed. On the other hand, the algorithm we developed
 346 uses only Deep First Search because it is updated instantly, and therefore its complexity is in linear time.
 347 The experiment results are shown in Figure 10. As a result of our experiments, the P value of the t-test
 348 was $1.30e-06$. Therefore, there is a significant difference between the two values.

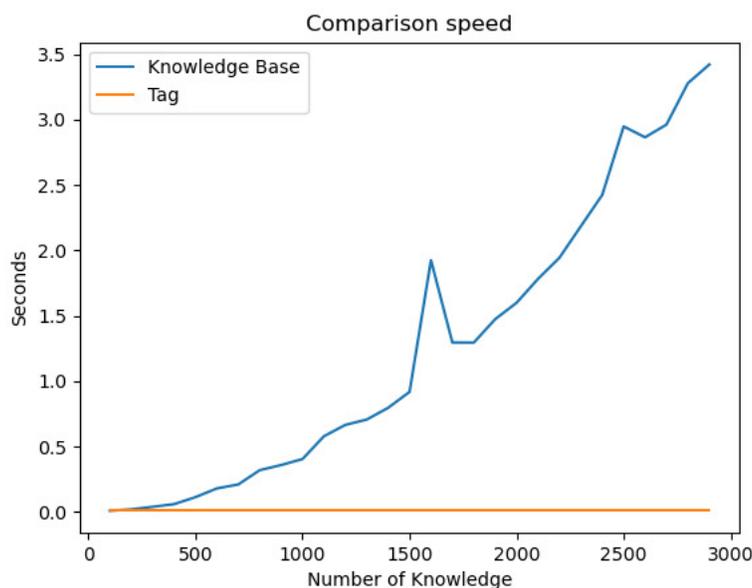


Figure 11. Comparison speed of the knowledge graph with the plugins developed

349 Finding two pieces of information first and then looking at the properties of the found information
 350 leads to exponential complexity. On the other hand, since our algorithm uses the hashing mechanism,
 351 comparing two pieces of information takes place in constant time in Figure 11. This fixed time is the
 352 length of the context set. As a result of our experiments, the P value of the t-test was $6.39e-05$. Therefore,
 353 there is a significant difference between the two values.

Table 1. Comparison of Knowledge Graph and Tag mechanism

Type	Update	Immutability	Sorting	Comparison
Knowledge graph	Manual	No	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$
Tag	Automatic	Yes	$O(1)$	$O(1)$

354 Table 1 compares with the knowledge graph to illustrate the advantages of the developed augmenta-
 355 tions. Based on our experiment, we can say that our augmentations provide time benefits by eliminating
 356 some important shortcomings in artificial intelligence.

357 6 EVALUATION

358 This section presents the advantages and disadvantages of the augmentations we developed for the KG.

359 The advantage of the immutability augmentation is that the information in the KG is stamped as
 360 changed/unchanged, making it easy to identify which information has changed. While there is a wide
 361 range of work on immutability in the data structure, there must be work on immutability in KGs.

362 The immutability plugin contributes to keeping the KG consistent by allowing information to be easily
 363 updated. This contribution is referred to as consistency augmentation in this paper. Thanks to Algorithm
 364 1, the consistency augmentation hovers over all changed information and ensures that this information
 365 is updated quickly. This function is executed automatically when a piece of information changes and

366 updates all the information it affects based on that change. There is a wide variety of work on consistency
367 in the KG. However, these studies have yet to use a hashing mechanism. At the same time, almost all of
368 the studies in the literature involve very complex procedures.

369 Credibility augmentation allows for the ranking of information. Information ranking reveals the
370 importance of two or more pieces of information. Ranking information in the KG according to its
371 importance provides the advantage and flexibility to compare it. Few studies on trustworthiness in KGs
372 have used hashing mechanisms in the literature. At the same time, almost all existing studies involve
373 rather complex procedures.

374 Context augmentation allows a comparison between two pieces of information. Context augmentation
375 allows us to determine whether the information is the same by looking at the hash values. Thanks to
376 the hash set, the information has more than one context, and again thanks to the hash value, the context
377 in which the information is located can be determined. This gives the KG the advantage of flexibility
378 and abstraction. Moreover, the time complexity is $O(1)$ due to the comparison with the hash algorithm.
379 Although there are several studies on the context of KGs, they have yet to use the hashing mechanism. At
380 the same time, almost all existing works involve very complex procedures.

381 In our work, the disadvantage of the four augmentations developed for the KG is that the hash values
382 of all the information the KG is linked to are stored due to the hashing mechanism. Here, a hash value
383 of length $N \times (256 \text{ Bytes})$ is stored if the information has N links. This slightly increases the space
384 complexity. Another aspect is the runtime of the update function, which is $O(E)$ complexity. The update
385 can be increased or decreased with the diameter parameter. This has a significant impact on the complexity.
386 Considering the contributions of the augmentations we have developed to the KG, these two issues, which
387 can be expressed as disadvantages, can be ignored.

388 7 CONCLUSION

389 In our work, consistency, context, reliability, and immutability mechanisms are integrated into the KG
390 modularly to perform the operations of where existing knowledge comes from, by whom it is supported,
391 the rate of support, ranking, modifiability or immutability, and automatic update. The hashing mechanism
392 was used in the development of these plugins. This is because hashing technology, a straightforward
393 mechanism, can provide four different properties quickly. In our work, a " Knowledge " model provides
394 consistency, immutability, reliability, and context to the KG.

395 The first of our proposed extensions, immutability, ensures that all associated information is im-
396 mutable when one piece of information is immutable. This guarantees information reliability. The hash
397 information changes whenever there is a change, so it is immediately possible to identify where the change
398 occurred. The level of trustworthiness is related to the amount of trustworthy information that supports
399 the information. This allows information to be ranked according to its trustworthiness. Consistency refers
400 to the fact that whenever there is a change in the KG, all affected information is immediately updated.
401 The context consists of all the information about a piece of knowledge and its relationships. The different
402 contexts are calculated and stored in a context array, and the information can be checked for relevance to
403 other contexts by looking at the context array.

404 With the augmentations we have developed, additional features have been added to the KG, enabling it
405 to reflect knowledge more comprehensively. The augmentations are expected to contribute to developing
406 artificial intelligence software that utilizes the KG. In a broader sense, our work is expected to contribute
407 to developing the software needed in knowledge representation and a wide range of fields related to
408 knowledge since knowledge is a structure used in every field. In future work, it is planned to realize
409 comprehensive plot implementations of the plugins developed as a proposal.

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