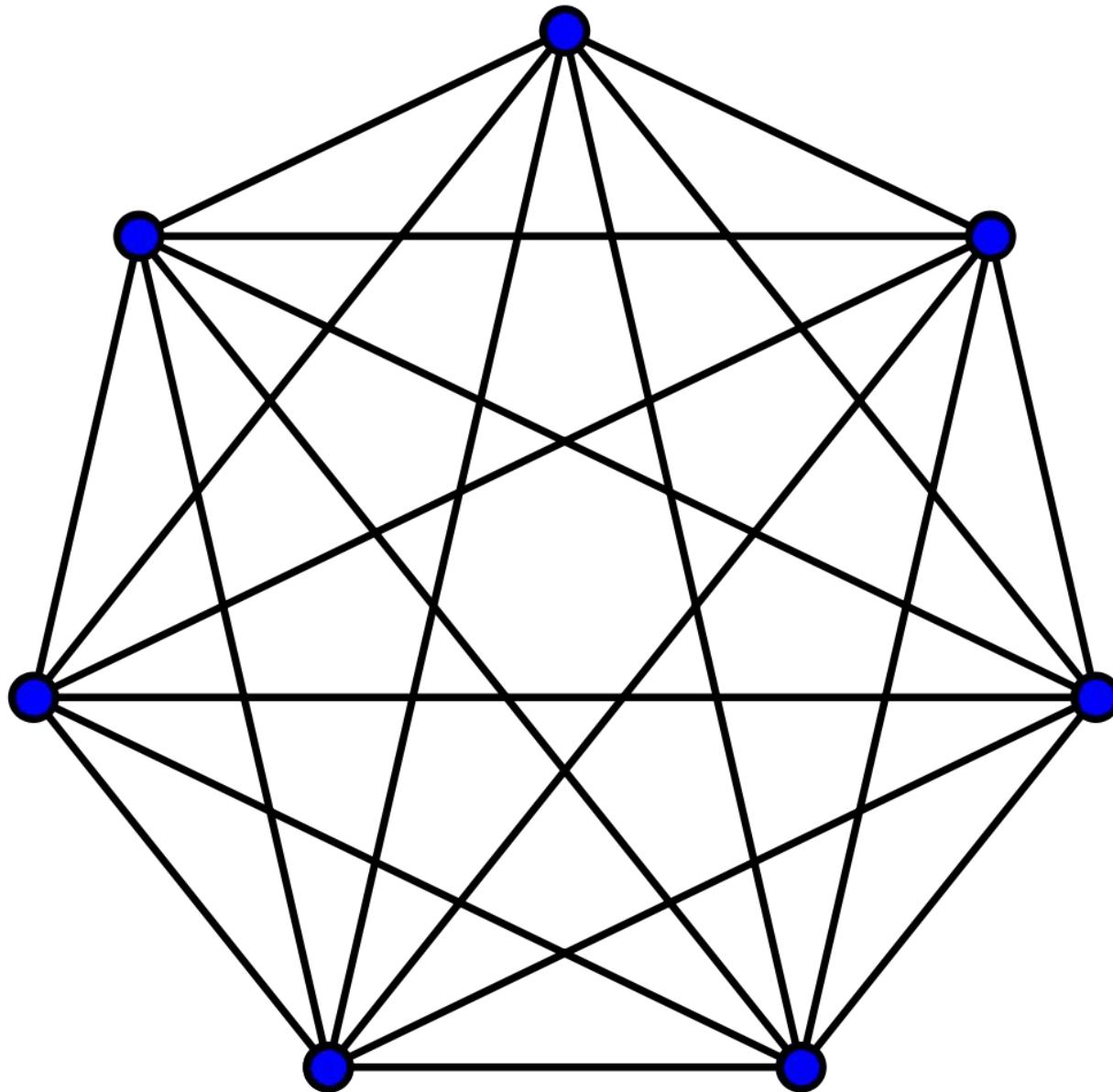
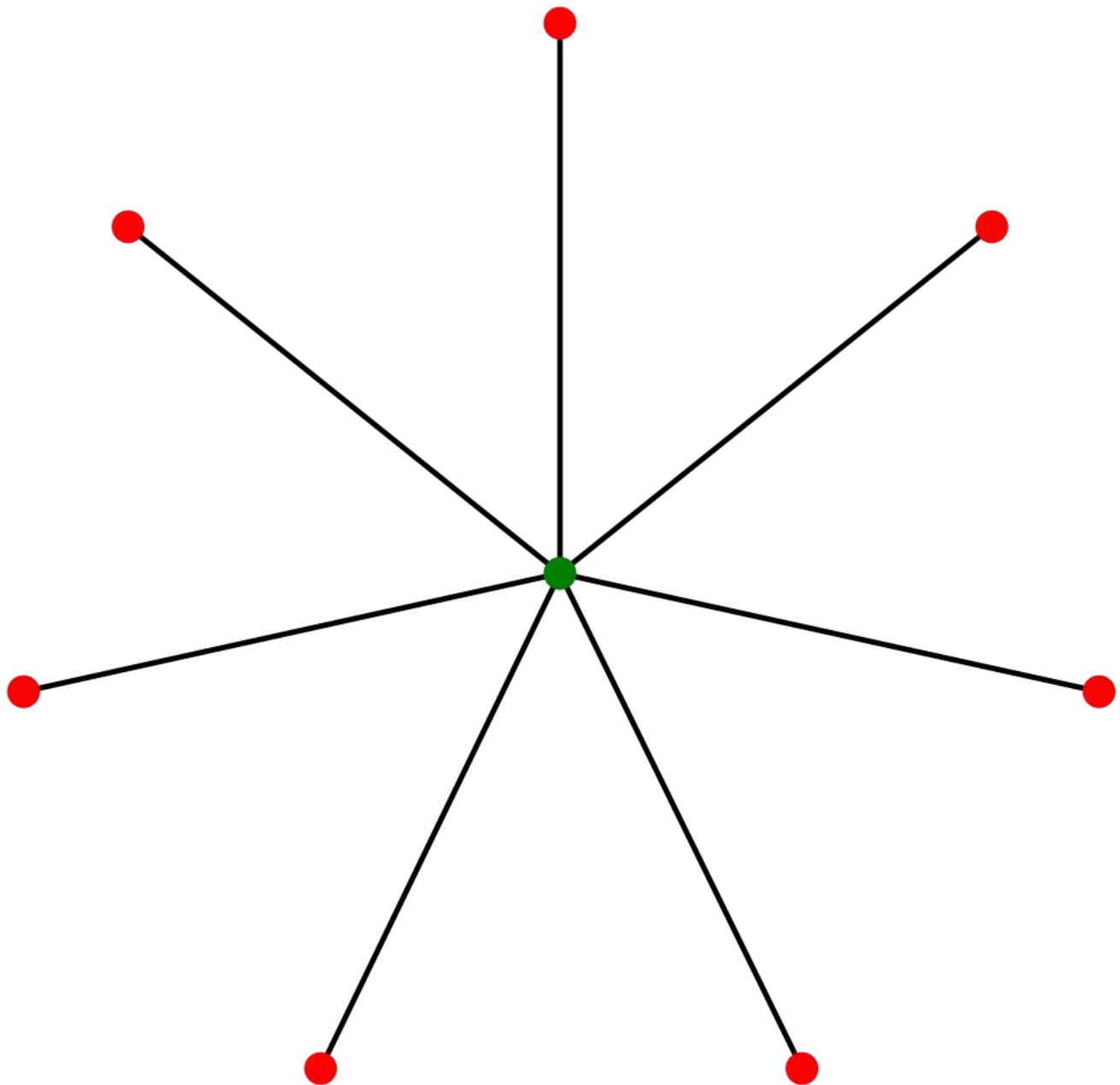


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universe (Q1)

totality of planets, stars, galaxies, intergalactic space, and all matter and energy

cosmos | The Universe

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English	universe	totality of planets, stars, galaxies, interg...	cosmos The Universe
German	Universum	Gesamtheit der Energie, des Raumes u...	Weltall All Kosmos Weltraum
Spanish	universo	totalidad del espacio-tiempo, la materia ...	cosmos
French	Univers	ensemble des planètes, des étoiles, de...	Cosmos
Dutch	heelal	alle materie en energie binnen het geh...	universum kosmos cosmos
Portuguese	universo	tudo o que existe fisicamente, a totalida...	Universo cosmos

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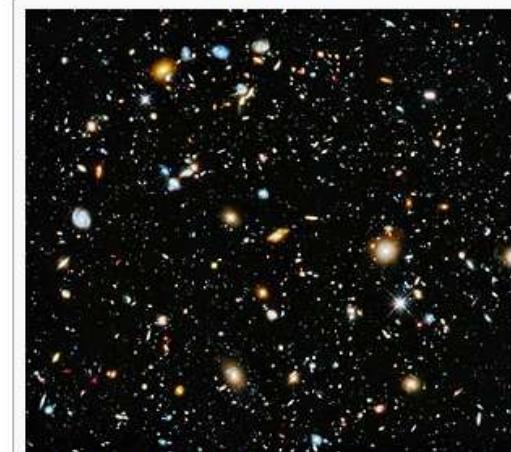
The **Universe** is all of [space](#) and [time](#)^[a] and their contents, including [planets](#), [stars](#), [galaxies](#), and all other forms of [matter](#) and [energy](#). While the spatial size of the entire Universe is still unknown,^[6] it is possible to measure the [observable universe](#).

The earliest scientific models of the Universe were developed by [ancient Greek](#) and [Indian philosophers](#) and were [geocentric](#), placing [Earth](#) at the centre of the Universe.^{[12][13]} Over the centuries, more precise astronomical observations led [Nicolaus Copernicus](#) to develop the [heliocentric model](#) with the Sun at the centre of the [Solar System](#). In developing the [law of universal gravitation](#), [Sir Isaac Newton](#) built upon Copernicus's work as well as observations by [Tycho Brahe](#) and [Johannes Kepler's laws of planetary motion](#).

Further observational improvements led to the realization that our Solar System is located in the [Milky Way](#) galaxy, which is one of many galaxies in the Universe. It is assumed that galaxies are distributed uniformly and the same in all directions, meaning that the Universe has neither an edge nor a center. Discoveries in the early 20th century have suggested that the Universe had a beginning and that it is expanding^[14] at an increasing rate.^[15] Roughly eighty percent of mass in the Universe appears to exist in an unknown form called [dark matter](#) which cannot be directly observed.^[16]

The [Big Bang](#) theory is the prevailing [cosmological](#) description of the development of the Universe. Under this theory, space and time emerged together 13.799 ± 0.021 billion years ago^[2] with a fixed amount of energy and matter that has become less dense as the Universe has expanded. After the initial expansion, the Universe cooled, allowing the first [subatomic particles](#) to form and then simple [atoms](#). Giant clouds later merged through gravity to form galaxies, stars, and everything else seen today. It is possible to see objects that are now further away than 13.799 billion [light-years](#) because

Universe



The [Hubble Ultra-Deep Field](#) image shows some of the most remote [galaxies](#) visible with present technology, each consisting of billions of stars.

(Apparent image area about 1/79 that of a full moon)^[1]

Age (within) 13.799 ± 0.021 billion years^[2]

[Lambda-CDM model](#)

Diameter At least 156–554 billion light-years
(47.8–170 billion parsecs)^{[3][4][5]}
(maybe infinite)^[3]



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Johannes Vermeer (Q41264)

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Dutch 17th century painter

Jan Vermeer | Johannes Vermeer van Delft

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Spanish	Johannes Vermeer	No description defined	Johannes van der Meer Jan Vermeer Vermeer de Delft Vermer Jan Vermeer van Delft Johannes Vermeer van Delft Vermeer
French	Johannes Vermeer	peintre hollandais	Vermer Jan Vermeer van Delft Jan Vermeer Vermeer de Delft Vermeer
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- bn জোহানস্ ভারমির
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the most specific known (e.g. city instead of country, or hospital instead of city)

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English	place of birth	the most specific known (e.g. city instead of c...)	birthplace born in POB birth place location born born at birth location location of birth
German	Geburtsort	Ort, in dem ein Mensch geboren wurde	geboren in
Spanish	lugar de nacimiento	Sitio donde nació una persona. Usar el sitio m...	
French	lieu de naissance	lieu où la personne est née, le plus spécifique...	né à naissance née à
Dutch	geboorteplaats	de meest specifieke bekende geboorteplaats ...	
Portuguese	local de nascimento	local de nascimento da pessoa (o mais espec...)	lugar de nascimento nasceu em nascido em

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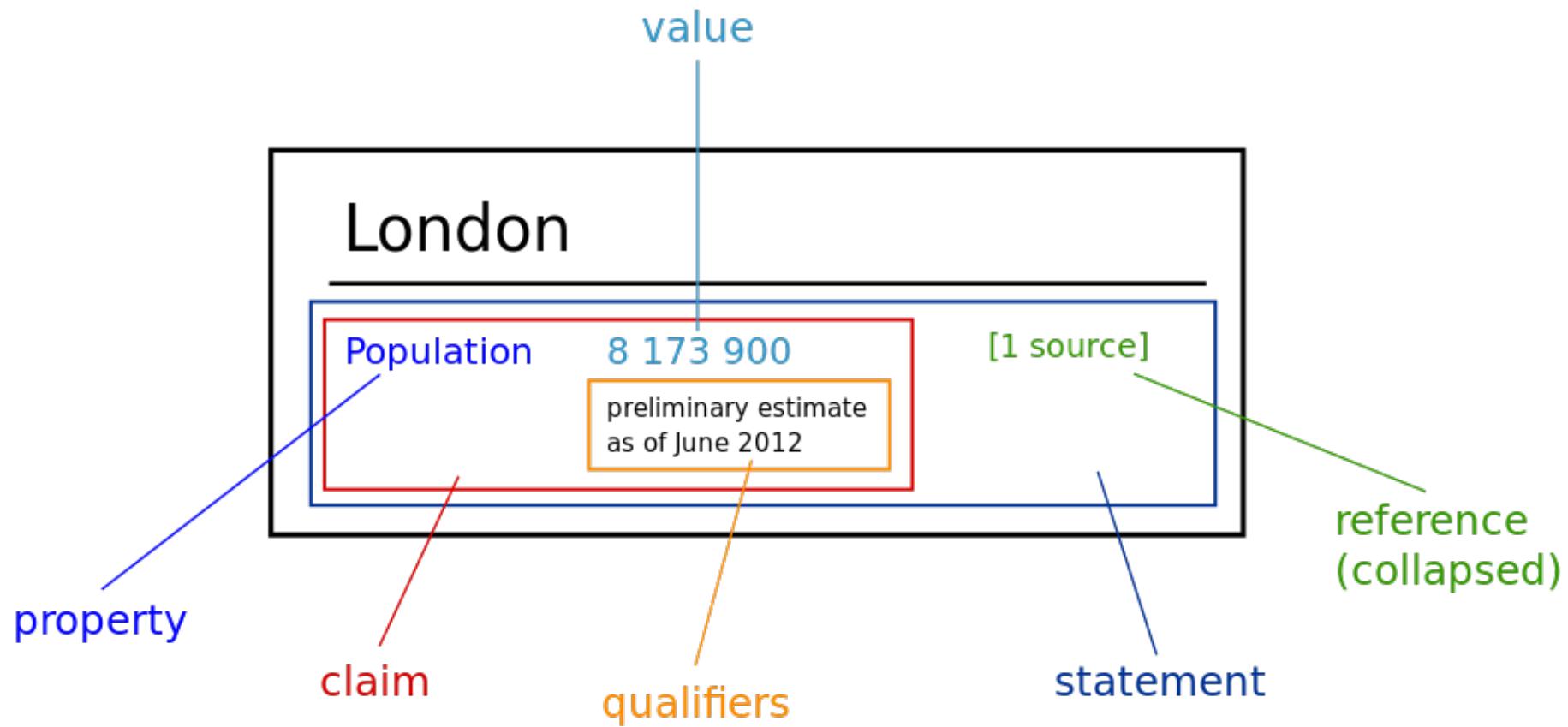
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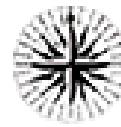
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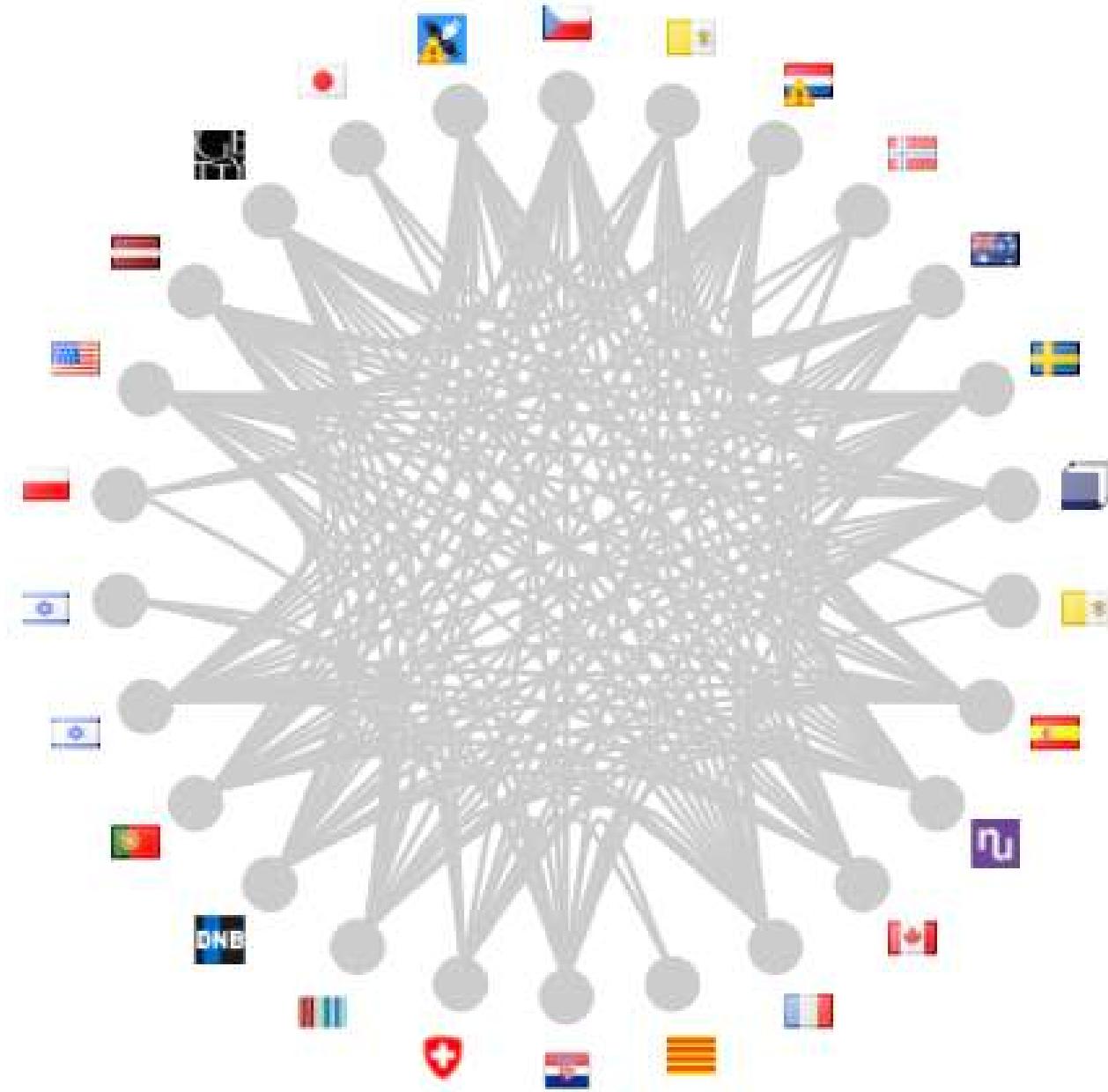
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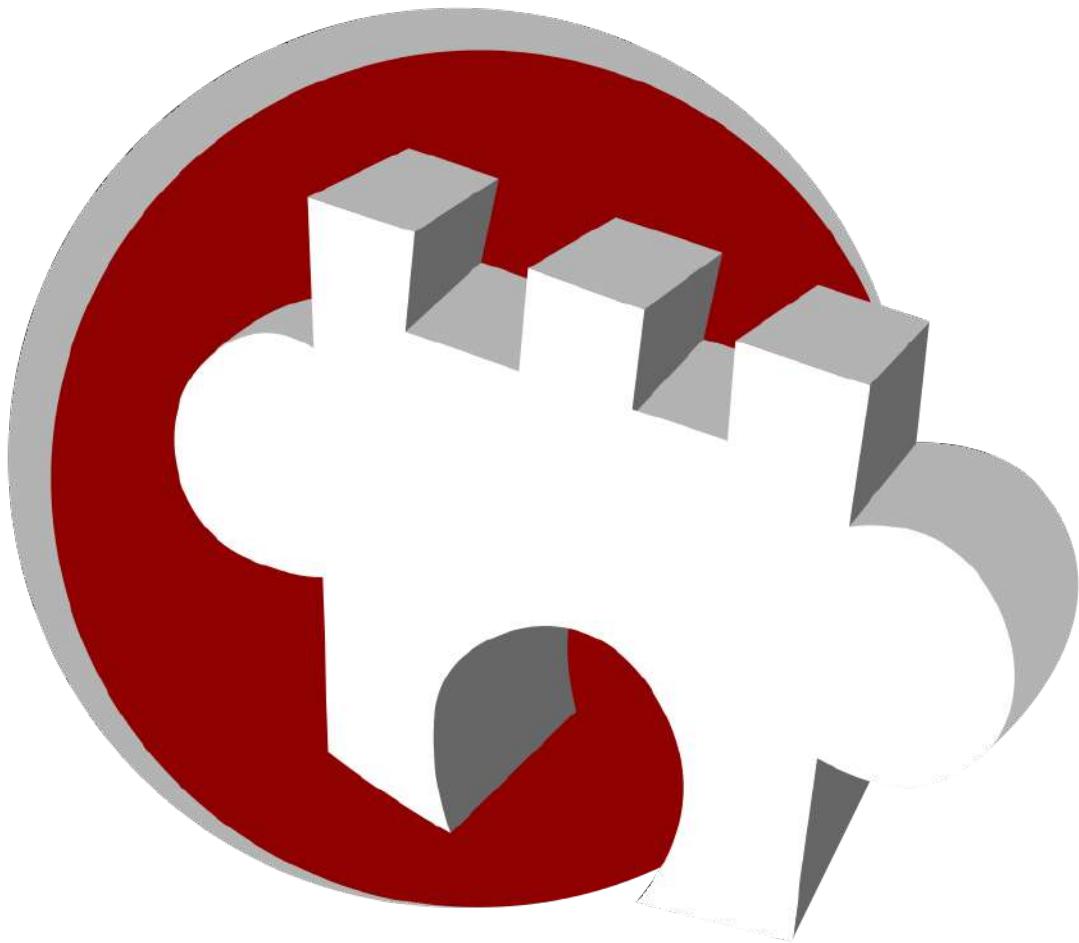








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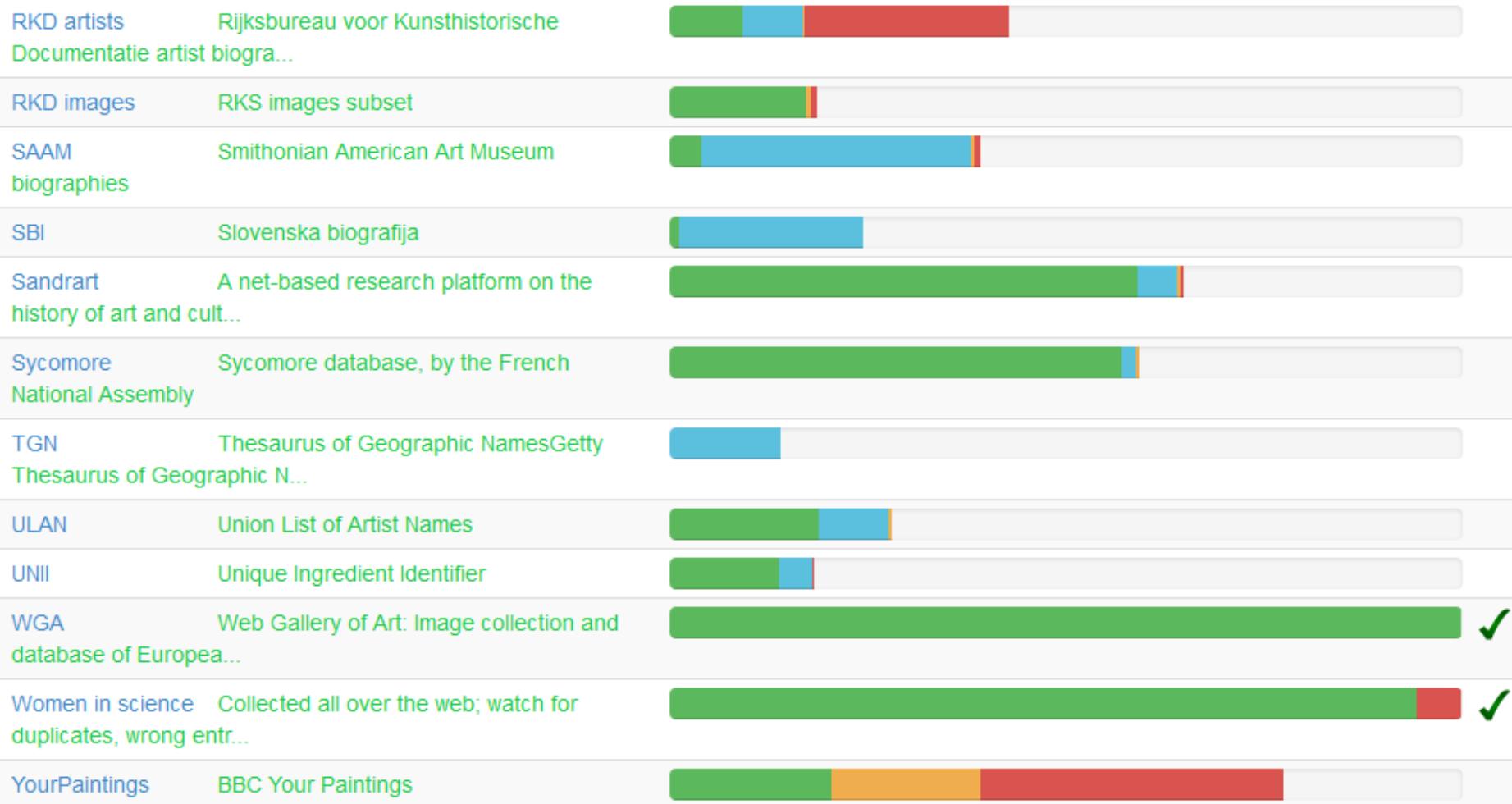


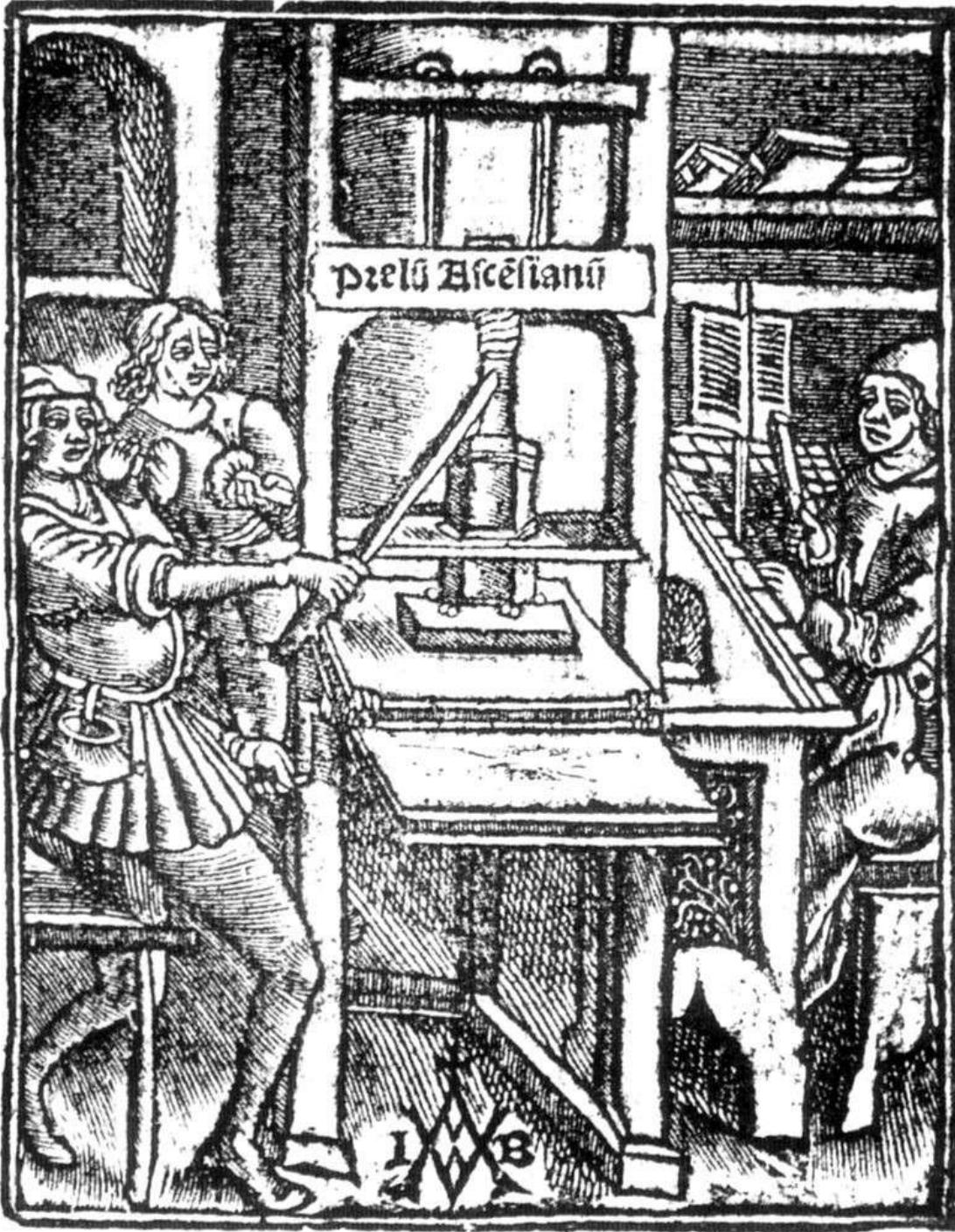
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