DATA MODELLING DAYS

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WIKIDATA

Modelling heritage:
Monuments

Scope

- What does « monument » mean?
  - Memorial ? Often
  - Building ? Not always
  - Importance ? Subjective…
  - Level : international, national, infranational...
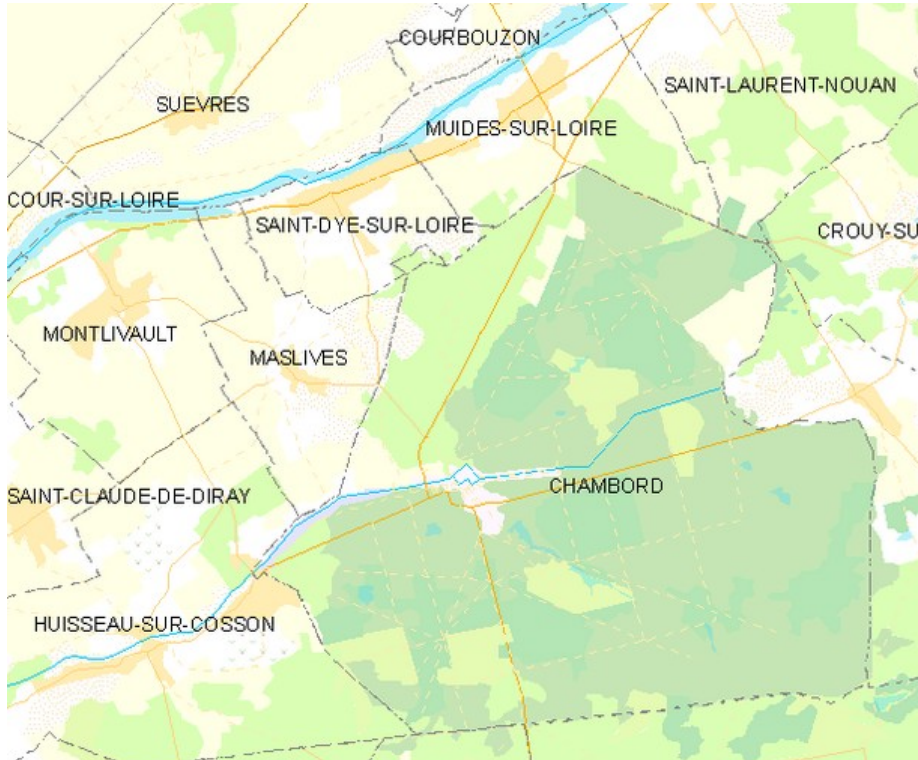
France

- « monuments historiques »
  - Buildings or objects

- « site classé ou inscrit »
  - Mostly natural but « historical, artistic, scientific, legendary or picturesque character »

- Many other protections

Examples

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Bottomline

- « Monuments » have very few in commons
  - Even inside a same class or type of protection
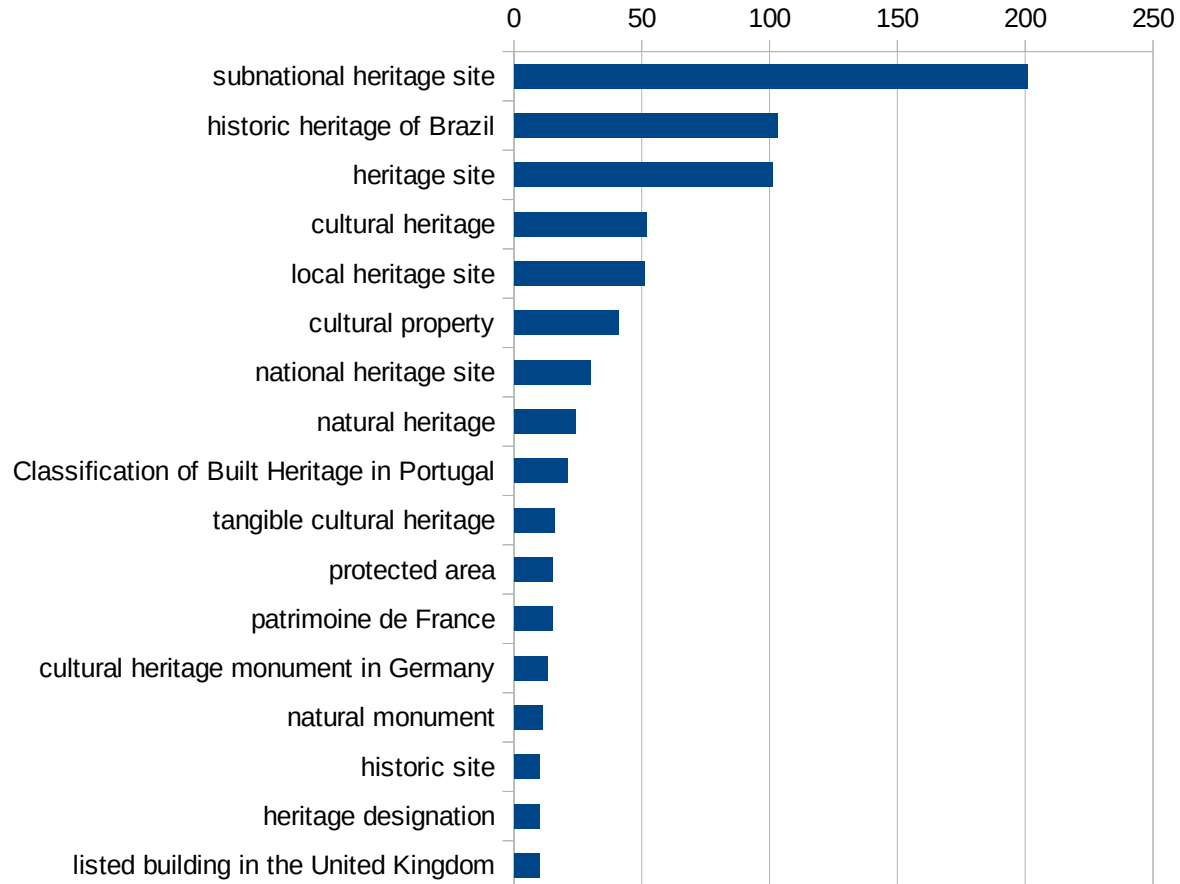
Wikidata

- Mass and early import
  - 2,4 million items

- Useful for WLM

Wikidata

- Very various P31 (obviously)
- Various P1435
- Various other properties

P1435

Other problems

- Whole vs. Parts
  - Qualifier in P1435
  - Split items is - often - not a good idea
- Conflation (building and organisation)
  - Here, split items !

Other problems

- Adresses: string or item
  - Strings are bad
  - But sometimes necessary
  - Redundancy...

Tools

- Not easy available tools
  - SPARQL (flexible)
  - Schemas (eg. E269)
- Heterogeneous documentation
- Multiple talk spaces

Thanks