engaging in maps

WMDE contribution



what is it all about?

linking information through a database to visualize it in a new application





what information?















what is collected?

harvesting information contained in Wikipedia articles like:

- geo data of a specific collection of sites
- different categories for these sites
- time data referring these sites

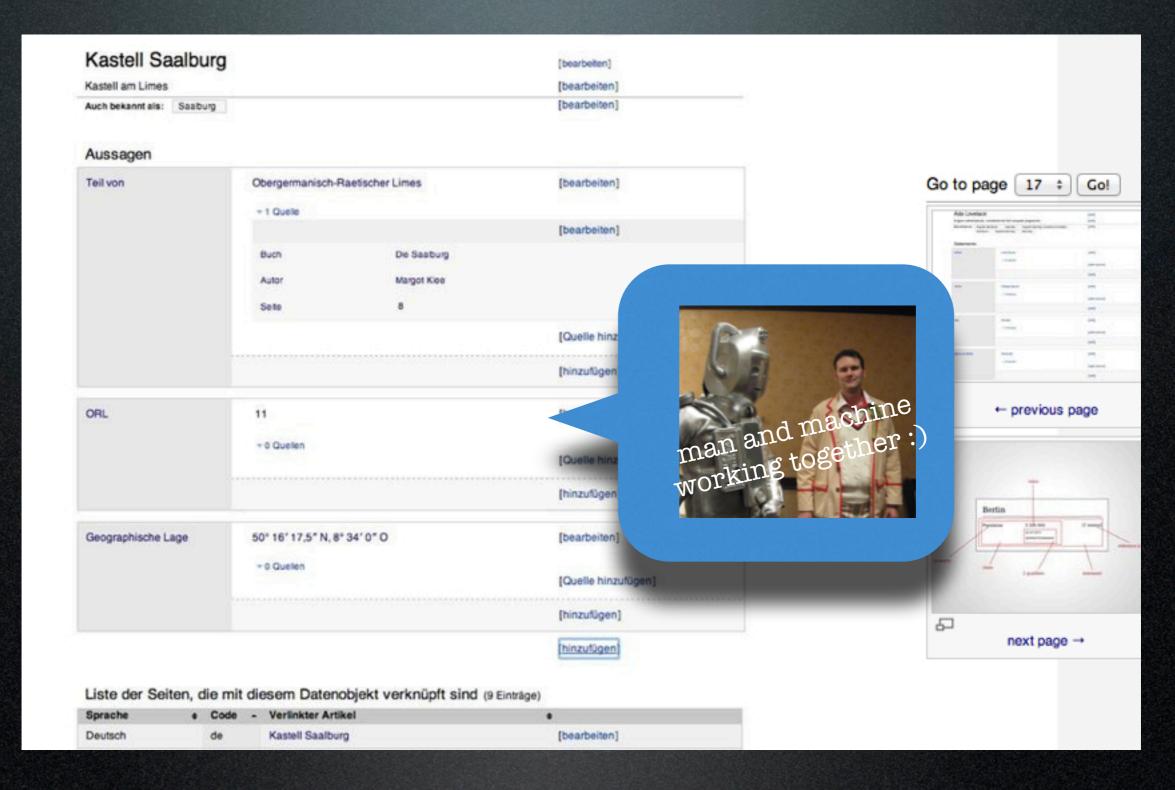


how is it processed?



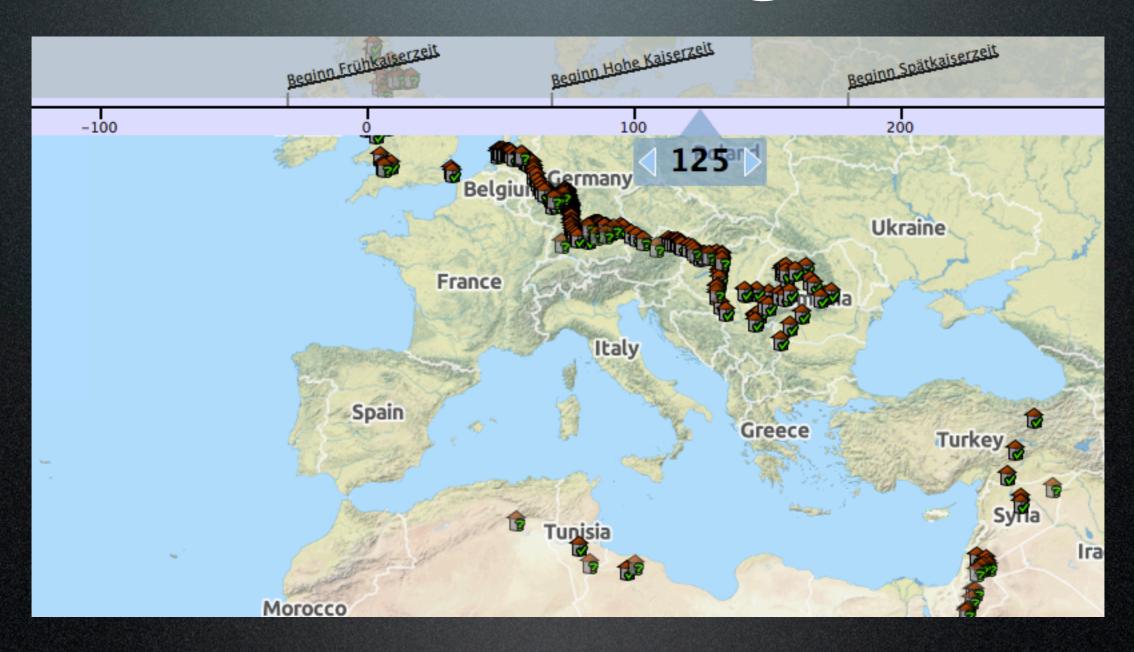


how is it done?





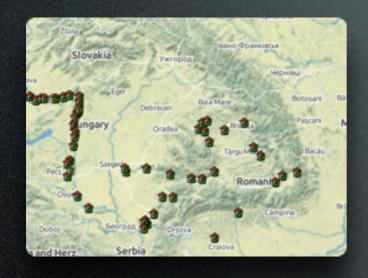
What do we get?

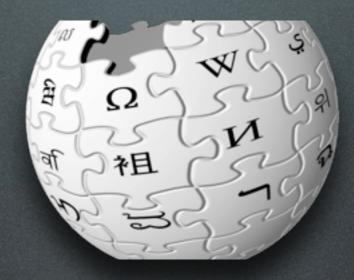


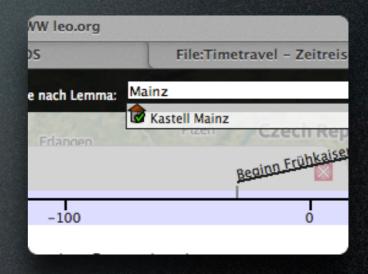


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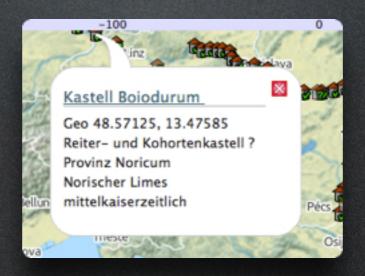
what does it show?















what does it feature?

the interactive map offers different features

- a travel through time as video and by years
- search for historical forts
- deepening the information by linked WP:Articles
- in different languages
- zooming in and out on the Roman Empire



why this effort?



creating opportunities for Wikipedians and scientists to collaborate in order to foster the dissemination of knowledge:

- new applications
- plus free images
- plus free (meta)data
- plus new edits





