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Machine translation is a computational procedure that seeks to provide the translation of utterances from one language into another language.

Research and development around this grand challenge is bringing this technology to a level of maturity that already supports useful practical solutions. It permits to get at least the gist of the utterances being translated, and even to get pretty good results for some language pairs in some focused discourse domains, helping to reduce costs and to improve productivity in international businesses.

There is nevertheless still a way to go for this technology to attain a level of maturity that permits the delivery of quality translation across the board.

The goal of the QTLeap project is to research on and deliver an articulated methodology for machine translation that explores deep language engineering approaches in view of breaking the way to translations of higher quality.

The deeper the processing of utterances the less language-specific differences remain between the representation of the meaning of a given utterance and the meaning representation of its translation. Further chances of success can thus be explored by machine translation systems that are based on deeper semantic engineering approaches.

Deep language processing has its stepping-stone in linguistically principled methods and generalizations. It has been evolving towards supporting realistic applications, namely by embedding more data based solutions, and by exploring new types of datasets recently developed, such as parallel DeepBanks.

This progress is further supported by recent advances in terms of lexical processing. These advances have been made possible by enhanced techniques for referential and conceptual ambiguity resolution, and supported also by new types of datasets recently developed as linked open data.

The project QTLeap explores novel ways for attaining machine translation of higher quality that are opened by a new generation of increasingly sophisticated semantic datasets and by recent advances in deep language processing.

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List of Abbreviations

CoNLL	Conference on Natural Language Learning
DPC	Dutch Parallel Corpus
ERG	English Resource Grammar
HPSG	Head-driven Phrase Structure Grammar
LRTs	Language Resources and Tools
MT	Machine Translation
MWE	Multiword Expressions
NLP	Natural Language Processing
POS	Part-Of-Speech
PDT	Prague Dependency Treebank
SRL	Semantic Role Labeling

1 Introduction

This deliverable describes the final report on the curation of language resources and tools associated do workpackage WP4, as planned in the DoW.

This report is a follow-up of the deliverable D4.6 “First pilot version of language resources and tools (LRTs) enhanced to support robust deep processing” and D4.7 “Report on first pilot version of LRTs enhanced to support deep processing”; D4.9 “Second pilot version of language resources and tools (LRTs) enhanced to support robust deep processing” and D4.10 “Report on second pilot version of LRTs enhanced to support deep processing”.

The LRTs being reported here are the deliverable D4.11.

Thus, this deliverable builds on the results of D4.6, D4.7, D4.9 and D4.10, specifying the additions since then. Here the final size and content of the LRTs is presented, which are of two types:

- **Treebanks.** Syntactically annotated corpora to be used for deep machine translation models.
- **Lexicons.** Dictionaries that provide lexical information to support MT.

They have been incrementally created and improved during the project. Both types of resources are either monolingual or multilingual. The final status about supporting tools are introduced in the corresponding language and resource sections in this deliverable.

The types, size, and number of resources per language were influenced by the different pre-project availability of appropriate data and the degree to which specific languages have been the object of prior research and compilation of linguistic resources. These parameters also take into account the need of creating more resources for languages with few resources (such as Bulgarian). Table 1 summarizes the content of deliverable D1.3 and D1.10, with the specification of what had been planned in the DoW. That planning indicates the resources and tools to be provided within deliverable D4.6 (already reported in the companion report D4.7), within deliverable D4.10 (already reported in D4.9), and within D4.12, to be reported here.

All the data is equipped with metadata records, which are also uploaded on the project repository. In the repository, there is a separate directory for each language in WP4 — BG (for Bulgarian), DE (for German), EU (for Basque), NL (for Dutch), and PT (for Portuguese). The resources are available in the project internal repository: <http://194.117.45.196:7777/index.php/apps/files?dir=/Shared/Project/LRT-M31/WP4>. The availability status of the resources is outlined in Appendix B.

The language resources are QTLearn branded and are distributed under this brand.

Spanish and Czech are not taken into account in the present series of WP4 deliverables, which are devoted to curation of language resources and tools, because at planning time, in the DoW, Czech was considered to have all the necessary instrumentarium prior to the project, and Spanish was added later during the negotiation phase and is not to be covered by this series of deliverables.

The rest of the present deliverable is organized as follows: first the final extensions of the treebanks due and delivered in D4.11 are presented in Chapter 2; then the final extensions of the lexicons due and delivered in D4.11 are described in Chapter 3.

Language/Resources	M7	M13	M17	M21	M28
<i>Basque</i> Basque-Eng ParDeepBank (tokens)	2.5K	5.0K	6.0K	7.0K	10.0K
<i>Bulgarian</i> BOL (entries)	600	1200	1600	2400	4000
BVFL (entries)	900	1800	2400	3600	6000
BulTreeBank-DP (tokens)	15000	30000	40000	60000	108000
BulEngTreebank (tokens)	12000	24000	32000	48000	81000
ParDeepBank (tokens)	5000	10000	15000	25000	44000
<i>Dutch</i> Lassy: manually (sentences/ tokens)	500/10K	1000/20K	1300/26K	3400/42K	5000/62K
Lassy: automatic (sentences/ tokens)	15K/300K	30K/600K	40K/800K	60K/1200K	100K/2M
<i>German</i> DeepBankDE (sentences)	2.5K	5.0K	6.0K	8.0k	15K
<i>Portuguese</i> Lexicon (types/ entries)	15/300	30/600	40/750	60/1200	100/2000
Corpora (sentences/ tokens)	1.5K/20K	3K/40K	4K/50K	6K/70K	10K/150K

Table 1: Language Resources for Supporting deep processing, due at M28 (figures are cumulative).

2 Treebanks

Treebanks and deepbanks are presented below. The translation models are enhanced in both treebank types: monolingual (Bulgarian, German, Portuguese) and parallel (Basque, Bulgarian, Dutch).

2.1 Basque

The Basque-Eng ParDeepBank consists of 805 sentences and 16,002 tokens (8,388 English tokens and 7,614 Basque tokens). The sentences are excerpts from news text from the Wall Street Journal that have been manually translated into Basque to generate a parallel

corpus.

The English sentences are part of the Penn Treebank corpus, and have been selected as they are already part of a English-Spanish parallel corpus.¹ In this way, we will additionally contribute to the development of a trilingual parallel treebank (English-Spanish-Basque).

The selected English sentences were manually translated, and their Basque counterparts analyzed using automatic tools. This analysis includes several levels of linguistic information for each sentence, including lemmatization and morphological analysis as well as dependency parsing trees. After the automatic analysis, the results were corrected manually.

For English, Stanford dependency tags are used,² whereas the Basque syntactic annotation follows the BDT guidelines [Aldezabal et al., 2009]. It is important to note that both tagging styles are already included in HamleDT [Rosa et al., 2014]. Therefore, harmonization rules have already been developed and can be used to convert the current resource’s analyses into harmonized parses if needed.

The main motivation behind the creation of this resource was to build a high quality data set with rich grammatical information that could support the development of linguistically-informed translation tools. This treebank can be used both to guide the development of the linguistic analyzers that will be used in translation or to train, in combination with automatically annotated texts, statistical transfer modules that will transform source language parses into target language ones.

2.2 Bulgarian

2.2.1 BulTreeBank-DP

The part of BulTreeBank-DP in D4.11 is an extension of D4.9 with newly processed sentences. It comprises 16,247 sentences (274,356 tokens). The sentences were manually annotated on the morphological level. Then they were automatically annotated syntactically. Part of the syntactic annotation was checked manually. Similarly to the previous data portion, the new part of the treebank includes the following levels of linguistic information: tokenization, POS, morphosyntactic features, dependency relations, and coreferences.

The data is represented in the CoNLL format. The metadata is given as an XML document and as a PDF document in the archive. The resource in its final version is available for external use.

2.2.2 BulEngTreebank

The part of Bulgarian English Parallel Treebank in D4.11 is an extension of D4.9. It contains 4,285 sentences (137,807 tokens). It includes English sentences from Wikipedia and their translation into Bulgarian. The English sentences were translated into Bulgarian by professional translators. The Bulgarian sentences are processed by the Bulgarian QTLeap pipeline and the English sentences are processed by the IXA pipeline. The alignments on the word level were done automatically.

The data is represented in the CoNLL format. The metadata is given as an XML document and as a PDF document in the archive.

¹<http://repositori.upf.edu/handle/10230/20049>

²For a detailed description see http://nlp.stanford.edu/software/dependencies_manual.pdf

2.2.3 ParDeepBankBG

The part of the Bulgarian English Parallel Deepbank in D4.11 is an extension of D4.9. It consists of 73,679 tokens. It includes English sentences from the English Deepbank, whose domain is news and finance (Wall Street Journal). These sentences had already been analyzed using the ERG grammar (Copestake and Flickinger [2000]), and manually disambiguated. The sentences were translated into Bulgarian by professional translators. Bulgarian and English sentences were aligned on the word level. Then they were annotated morphologically and parsed by a dependency parser. Part of the result was corrected manually. The dependency analyses are in the CoNLL 2006 format.

The metadata is given as an XML document and as a PDF document in the archive.

2.3 Dutch

In addition to the data provided in D4.6 and D4.9, we have provided the Alpino abstract dependency structures for the first **75 thousand sentences** (this corresponds to about 1.2 million words) from DPC,³ and about **50 thousand sentences** (which is 750 thousand words) from the manually annotated Lassy Small corpus.

In the latter case, we have used the gold standard annotations to guide the parser in finding the abstract dependency structure that is maximally close to the gold standard.

The Alpino abstract dependency structures – together with the original sentences from the respective corpora – provide good examples for the mapping of an abstract meaning representation to an actual sentence. As such, this data provides learning and evaluation data for experiments in generation. The DPC data has been gradually removed from the actual gold data because a parser was used to find the abstract dependency structure. For that reason the results might be erroneous. On the other hand, the Lassy Small data is more reliable since we exploit the manual syntactic annotations to ensure that the abstract dependency structures are as close as possible to the correct analysis.

We chose DPC, rather than Europarl, because the data is much less noisy than KDE, and (to a lesser extent) Europarl. Please note, in the QTLeap archive, the files `train.token.en` and `train.token.nl` as used in Pilot 0 and Pilot 1 contain *both* KDE and DPC. The DPC data starts at line 104916 in the `train.token.en` and `train.token.nl` files.

2.4 German

2.4.1 German DeepBank

The syntactic corpus contains 15 000 sentences taken from the German TIGER treebank⁴ that have been parsed using the Cheetah grammar for German Cramer [2011] and the PET parser. The corpus consists of files containing Trees and MRSs. STTS tags from the original TIGER corpus are preserved in the Derivation Tree. The corpus contains 130 000 tokens (file size 64 MB).

Experiments with an alternative German HPSG grammar (GG⁵) have shown that the grammar that has been used so far has the far better coverage. Manual editing and selection will only be performed if relevant for the MT development within the project.

³Dutch Parallel Corpus — <http://www.kuleuven-kulak.be/DPC>

⁴<http://www.ims.uni-stuttgart.de/forschung/ressourcen/korpora/tiger.html>

⁵<http://gg.dfki.de>

The data is represented in ERG text format. The metadata is given as XML document in the archive as well. The resource can be used if the requesting institution has a license for the original Tiger treebank.

The German Deep Bank is available on META-SHARE under a CC - BY - NC - SA license.⁶

Additional TreeBank resources for German are being used in several parts of the project, through the usage of specific parsing tools. A description of our efforts to adapt, evaluate and enhance LRPs and processing tools for each use case is provided in the following sections.

2.4.2 The Berkeley Parser

The Berkeley Parser is a state-of-the-art Probabilistic Context-Free Grammar (PCFG) parser that supports unlexicalized parsing with hierarchically state-split PCFGs, supporting optimal pruning via a coarse-to-fine method [Petrov and Klein, 2007]. It has the advantage that it is accurate and fast, by using multi-threading technology. Apart from the best tree for each parse, it also provides the parsing log-likelihood and a number of k-best trees along with their parse probabilities. The English grammar has been trained on the Wall Street Journal. The German grammar, using Latent Variable Grammar [Petrov and Klein, 2008], has been trained on the TIGER [Brants et al., 2004] and TueBaD/Z [Telljohann et al., 2004] treebanks, as released by the ACL 2008 workshop on Parsing German [Kübler, 2008].

The use of the Berkeley parser has shown good results as a quality indicator for Quality Estimation. In this frame, our engineering efforts have focused on connecting the parser in the broader pipeline of sentence selection in Pilot 1, by providing a socket interface that exports the Java library of the parser as a python object (see Py4J⁷). Additionally, in our effort to acquire features for qualitative translation, we use word and phrase alignment methods in order to map node labels between source and produced translations.

2.4.3 BitPar

BitPar is a parser for highly ambiguous probabilistic context-free grammars. It makes use of bit-vector operations that allow parallelizing and speeding up the the basic parsing operations [Schmid, 2006]. The English grammar is based on the PENN treebank [Marcus et al., 1993], whereas the German grammar is also based on the TIGER treebank. BitPar was also included on our annotation pipeline in order to provide additional evidence and allow comparisons to the observations on the Berkeley parses. It also provides sentence-level tree likelihood and k-best lists. Unfortunately, contrary to the Berkeley Parser, the k-best lists of BitPar were of limited usability due to small differences in their relative likelihood.

2.4.4 ParZu

The Zurich Dependency Parser for German (ParZu) follows a hybrid architecture including both a hand-written grammar and a statistics module that chooses the most-likely parse of each sentence [Sennrich et al., 2009]. As compared to many other German parsers, it integrates morphological information [Sennrich et al., 2013] and does not use a chunker.

⁶<http://metashare.dfki.de/repository/browse/deepbankde/3dff1c96556511e5b94c003048d082a4bff589ce425>

⁷<http://py4j.sourceforge.net/>

This parser has been employed for the parsing needs of the German version of TectoMT. It has been chosen after an analysis of the capabilities of several parsers and their compiled grammars, including MDparser, Stanford Dependency Parser, and MaltParser. ParZu was found optimal, as it provides the necessary morphological disambiguation upon parsing and connects well with relevant morphological analyzers and generators. Additionally, ParZu has shown to perform well in comparison to the other parsers in previous work [Williams et al., 2014].

In order to acquire morphological analysis for ParZu, we have been using the Zurich Morphological Analyzer for German (ZMORGE), based on finite-state-transducers automatically extracted from Wiktionary [Sennrich and Kunz, 2014]. The tool can also function as a morphological generator and outputs the analysis in a modified SMOR format.

As part of our QTLeap efforts on TectoMT, an “driver” between the SMOR format and the universal Lingua Interset [Zeman, 2008] was built and uploaded to the open repository. This was required as the Lingua Interset is needed by TectoMT. In a later stage, this conversion can allow interaction with the Universal Dependencies standard [de Marneffe et al., 2014].

2.5 Portuguese

Following the planning in D1.3, the previous D4.9 Portuguese treebank was to be extended to reach the final scores of 10,000 sentences and 150,000 tokens. This extension was accomplished and is documented in the present section. It consists of an additional 8,700 sentences (86,517 tokens), leading to a final treebank with 15,056 sentences and 151,141 tokens.

The sentences are taken from CETEMPúblico, a corpus of news texts. These sentences have been annotated by LXGram, an HPSG computational grammar for deep linguistic processing of Portuguese, and then manually disambiguated under a method of double-blind annotation followed by adjudication by a separate annotator (see Branco and Costa [2008] for more details on this process). This method ensures a highly reliable data set, while the use of a deep computational grammar provides each sentence with a consistent and extremely rich linguistic annotation, which includes syntactic constituency, grammatical dependencies, and different renderings of MRS-based representations of the meaning of the sentence [Copestake et al., 2005].

The QTLeap repository contains the associated XML metadata record, in META-SHARE format, and the narrative description (D4.11-Deepbank.pdf) of the resource.

Within the compressed D4.11_deepbank.zip file there is one file per sentence. Each file results from exporting the disambiguated LXGram analysis, and includes the full attribute-value matrix representation produced by the grammar. Due to the size of these representations, each file is compressed with GZip. If all individual sentence files are uncompressed, the corpus size reaches 3,402 MB.

Like its previous, shorter version, the full CINTIL-Deepbank v1.4 that integrates this 8,700 sentence extension keeps being distributed through the META-SHARE repository.

3 Lexicons

This section presents the final versions of the Bulgarian and Portuguese lexicons. These lexicons include morphosyntactic information, valence frames, WordNet synsets, ontolog-

ical classes, etc.

3.1 Bulgarian

3.1.1 Bulgarian Ontology-Based Lexicon

In the Bulgarian Ontology-based Lexicon (BOL) we provided 6,723 synsets/ 10,980 words. As described in D4.7 and D4.10, BOL is organized in synsets like WordNet, but the relations between the synsets are represented via a mapping to different semantic resources. The goal is for them to be mapped to an appropriate ontology. In the version provided here the mapping is to the English Princeton WordNet 3.0 (WN3.0).

The data is represented in a table format. The metadata is given as an XML document and as a PDF document in the archive.

3.1.2 Bulgarian Valency Frame Lexicon

The Valency Lexicon is a treebank-driven resource of extracted valency frames from Bul-TreeBank. The frames were manually curated. The new part of the lexicon comprises 9574 lexical entries altogether. For the format of the entries, please, consult D4.7 and D4.10. The metadata is given as an XML document and as a PDF document in the archive.

3.2 Portuguese

Following the planning in D1.3, the previous D4.9 Portuguese lexicon was to be extended to reach 2,000 lexical entries. This extension was accomplished and is documented in the present section. It consists of additional 800 entries, leading to a final lexicon with 2,091 entries, together with the definition of their corresponding deep lexical types.

These entries are used in the lexicon of LXGram, an HPSG computational grammar for deep linguistic processing of Portuguese [Costa and Branco, 2010].

The entries in the lexicon originate from two sources: (i) those manually built by the grammar engineer during grammar development and (ii) those obtained from a lexicon external to the grammar that is developed and maintained by the annotators. Each entry is associated with a deep lexical type from the type hierarchy defined in the grammar. HPSG is a highly lexicalized grammar framework, which means that most linguistic information is encoded into the lexicon, namely in the deep lexical type of an entry. This information includes part-of-speech, subcategorization (valence) frame, patterns for anti-causative alternations, behavior of clitic pronouns, etc.

The QTLeap repository also contains the associated XML metadata record (D4.11-Lexicon.xml), in META-SHARE format, and the narrative description (D4.11-Lexicon.pdf) of the resource. Within the compressed D4.11_lexicon.zip file there are two files: D4.11-lexicon.tdl (364 KB), with the lexical entries; and D4.11-types.tdl (159 KB), with the definitions of the corresponding deep lexical types. The lexicon and types are represented in the Type Definition Language (TDL) format used by LXGram.

The full lexicon and corresponding types, which includes this extension, are distributed together with the grammar (META-SHARE NC-NoReD-ND license).

4 Conclusions

In this deliverable we describe the final extensions of the language resources for supporting deep processing. These extensions amount to at least 100% in the plan of WP4. The resources covered two types: treebanks (and deepbanks) and lexicons. The incremental creation and delivery of data during the project allowed us to successfully reach (in some cases even surpass) the final data amounts planned for all the respective languages and resources. The resources are QTLep branded and they are available through the META-SHARE portal.

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A Narrative Descriptions of D4.11 Language Resources ^{P18}

In this appendix we present the narrative descriptions for each language resource uploaded in the repository for D4.11.

A.1 Basque-English ParDeepBank

ENGLISH-BASQUE PARALLEL DEEPBANK

1 BASIC INFORMATION

1.1 Corpus composition

This resource is part of Deliverable 4.11 of the QTLeap FP7 project (Contract number 610516). In its current development, it is composed of 805 sentences and 16,002 tokens (8,388 English tokens and 7,614 Basque tokens). The sentences are excerpts from journalistic text from the Wall Street Journal that have been manually translated into Basque to generate a parallel corpus.

It includes several levels of linguistic information for each sentence, including lemmatization and morphological analysis as well as dependency parsing trees. This is the result of a semi-automatic annotation process by means of automatic analysis followed by a human correction phase.

The main motivation behind the creation of this resource was to build a high quality data set with rich grammatical information that could support the development of linguistically-informed translation tools.

1.2 Representation of the corpora (flat files, database, markup)

The corpus is stored in 4 separate files, two per language. All of these are plain text files.

1.3 Character encoding

The characters are UTF8 encoded.

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2.2 Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)

The resource will be stored in the QTLeap repository. Available for external use on demand.

2.3 Copyright statement and information on IPR

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3 TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Directories and files

Two files for each language (English and Basque): one file contains the original text (.text extension) and the second file contains the linguistic analyses (.conll extension).

3.2 Data structure of an entry

Dependency parsing annotated on CoNLL format.

1	He	he	PRP	PRP	_	2	nsubj		
2	earned	earn	VBD	VBD	_	0	root		
3	his	his	PRP\$	PRP\$	_	4	poss		
4	doctorate	doctorate			NN	NN		2	dobj
5	in	in	IN	IN	_	4	prep		
6	nuclear	nuclear	JJ	JJ	_	7	amod		
7	physics	physics	NN	NN	_	5	pobj		
8	from	from	IN	IN	syn=CLR	2	prep		
9	the	the	DT	DT	_	11	det		
10	Massachusetts	massachusetts			NNP	NNP		11	nn
11	Institute	institute	NNP	NNP	_	8	pobj		
12	of	of	IN	IN	_	11	prep		
13	Technology	technology			NNP	NNP		12	pobj
14	_	2	punct		

3.3 Corpora size (nmb. of tokens, MB occupied on disk)

The corpus contains 805 parallel sentences, making up a total of 16,002 tokens (8,388 English tokens and 7,614 Basque tokens) and needs about 700 KB of disk storage.

4 CONTENT INFORMATION

4.1 Type of the corpus (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated)

This corpus is multilingual and parallel. Annotated at dependency parsing level.

4.2 The natural language(s) of the corpus

English and Basque.

4.3 Domain(s)/register(s) of the corpus

English sentences extracted from Wall Street Journal (WSJ) corpus and translated into Basque.

4.4 Annotations in the corpus (if an annotated corpus)

4.4.1 *Types of annotations (paragraph mark-up, sentence mark-up, lexical mark-up, syntactic mark-up, semantic mark-up, discourse mark-up)*
Text annotated up to dependency parsing, including sentence splitting, tokenization, morphological analysis and dependency parsing.

4.4.2 *Tags (if POS/WSD/TIME/discourse/etc –tagged or parsed),*
Stanford dependency tags used for English. For a detailed description see http://nlp.stanford.edu/software/dependencies_manual.pdf

4.4.3 *Alignment information (if the corpus contains aligned documents: level of alignment, how it was achieved)*
Sentence level alignment ensured at translation. Basque corpus was created by means of human translation of English sentences.

4.4.4 *Attributes and their values (if annotated)*
Not applicable

4.5 *Intended application of the corpus*
Training data for Machine Translation applications

4.6 *Reliability of the annotations (automatically/manually assigned) – if any*
Automatically assigned and manually revised annotations.

5 RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

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A.2 Bulgarian Ontology-based Lexicon: BOL

D4.11: BULGARIAN ONTOLOGY-BASED LEXICON (BOL)

LEXICA DOCUMENTATION

1. BASIC INFORMATION

1.1 Lexicon type: The BulTreeBank WordNet (BTB-WN)

1.2 Representation of the lexicon: *markup*

1.3 Character encoding: *UTF-8*

2. ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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2.2 Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)

2.3 Copyright statement and information on IPR:

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3. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Directories and files: *in Table Text Style*

3.2 Data structure of an entry:

3.3 Lexicon size (nmb. of lexical items, KB occupied on disk): *2.6 MB in table format*

4. CONTENT INFORMATION

The Bulgarian Ontology-based Lexicon is organized in synsets as WordNets, but the relations between the synsets are represented via mapping to different resources. In the version provided here the mapping is to English Princeton WordNet 3.0 (WN3.0). Other mappings exist to DOLCE ontology done via OntoWordNet and via WN3.0 to SUMO ontology and other semantic resources presented in D5.4.

This version is made freely available via Open Multilingual Wordnet <http://compling.hss.ntu.edu.sg>.

4.1 The natural language(s) of the lexicon: **Bulgarian**

4.2 Entry Type:

In text table view the first column contains the WN3.0 id, the next column represents the type of information: lemma, definition, and example and the last column represents the actual value. For definitions and examples there are numbers because there could be more than one of them.

00007846-n	bul:lemma	индивид
00007846-n	bul:lemma	лице
00007846-n	bul:lemma	личност
00007846-n	bul:lemma	особа
00007846-n	bul:def 0	Отделен човек, който със своите неповторими качества се отличава, различава от другите хора.
00007846-n	bul:exe 0	високопоставена особа
00007846-n	bul:exe 1	ерудирана личност
00007846-n	bul:exe 2	запомняща се личност
00007846-n	bul:exe 3	известна личност
00007846-n	bul:exe 4	индивиди от различни поколения.

4.3 Attributes and their values: **definition, lemma, example**

4.4 Coverage of the lexicon:

- 6,723 synsets
- 10,980 words
- Covers the Core WordNet in 100 %
- Covers the most frequent word in BulTreeBank treebank

4.5 Intended application of the lexicon: **Sense Annotation and Machine Translation applications**

4.6 POS assignment: **yes**

4.7 Reliability (automatically/manually constructed): **automatically mapped and manually curated**

5. RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

Simov, Kiril and Petya Osenova, 2010, *Constructing of an Ontology-based Lexicon for Bulgarian*. In: Nicoletta Calzolari (Conference Chair), Khalid Choukri, Bente Maegaard, Joseph Mariani, Jan Odijk, Stelios Piperidis, Mike Rosner and Daniel Tapias (eds.) Proceedings of LREC'10, Valletta, Malta. ELRA. 2-9517408-6-7, pp. 3941-3844.

A.3 Bulgarian Valency Frame Lexicon: BVFL

D411: BULGARIAN VALENCY FRAME LEXICON (BVFL)

LEXICA DOCUMENTATION

1. BASIC INFORMATION

- 1.1 *Lexicon type:* **Bulgarian Valency Frame Lexicon (BVFL) final**
- 1.2 *Representation of the lexicon:* **markup**
- 1.3 *Character encoding:* **UTF-8**

2. ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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2.2 *Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)*

2.3 *Copyright statement and information on IPR:*

Bulgarian Valency Frame Lexicon (BVFL)

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3. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 *Directories and files:* **in XML**

3.2 *Data structure of an entry:*

3.3 *Lexicon size (nmb. of lexical items, KB occupied on disk):*

4. CONTENT INFORMATION

The Valency Lexicon is a treebank-driven resource of extracted valency frames from BulTreeBank. The frames were manually curated. The frames followed the surface representation in the sentences. The frame participants were assigned ontological constraints from SIMPLE ontology (translated into Bulgarian), such as ARTEFACT, COGNITIVE FACT, etc.

4.1 *The natural language(s) of the lexicon:* **Bulgarian**

4.2 Entry Type:

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<FD>
<lemma></lemma>
<def></def>
<F><F>

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</FD>

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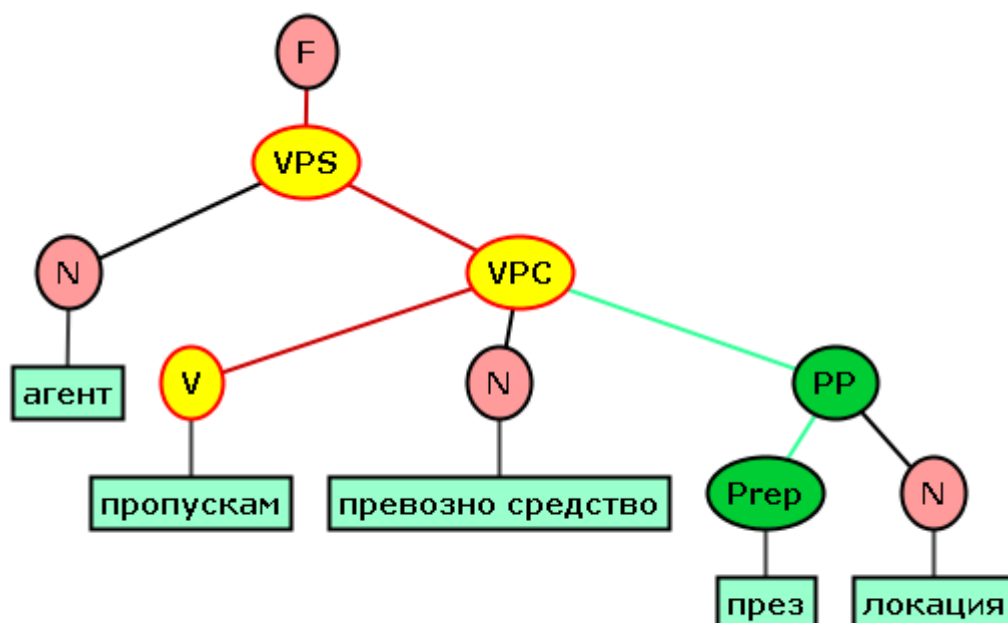
FD = Frame Description

lemma = lemma

def = definition

F = Frame

Example: AGENT let pass VEHICLE through LOCATION



The structure of the frame follows the BulTreeBank syntactic structure (more in the BulTreeBank Stylebook - <http://www.bultreebank.org/TechRep/BTB-TR04.pdf>). Please note that the leaves here do not encode words but concepts from SIMPLE Core Ontology. In the phase of the project these concepts will be aligned to the concepts in other ontologies, such as DOLCE.

4.3 Attributes and their values:

4.4 Coverage of the lexicon: **9574 lexical entries**4.5 Intended application of the lexicon: **Sense Annotation and Machine Translation applications**4.6 POS assignment: **yes**

4.7 Reliability (automatically/manually constructed): *automatically extracted verb frames and manually curated*

5. RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

Osenova et. al 2012: Petya Osenova, Kiril Simov, Laska Laskova and Stanislava Kancheva. A *Treebank-driven Creation of an OntoValence Verb lexicon for Bulgarian*. In: Nicoletta Calzolari (Conference Chair), Khalid Choukri, Thierry Declerck, Mehmet Uğur Doğan, Bente Maegaard, Joseph Mariani, Jan Odijk and Stelios Piperidis (eds.) Proceedings of LREC'12, Istanbul, Turkey. ELRA. 978-2-9517408-7-7, pp. 2636-2640.

A.4 Dependency part of BulTreeBank: BulTreeBank-DP

D4.11: BulTreeBank-DP

1 BASIC INFORMATION

1.1 Corpus composition: *BulTreeBank-DP is a dependency CoNLL-based conversion of the original HPSG-based treebank and a set of morphologically and syntactically annotated sentences.*

1.2 Representation of the corpora (flat files, database, markup): *CoNLL 2006 table text format*

1.3 Character encoding: *UTF-8*

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2.2 Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)

2.3 Copyright statement and information on IPR

BulTreeBank-DP

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3 TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Directories and files: *44 files corresponding to their text sources*

3.2 Data structure of an entry:

- *CoNLL 2006 data format*

Here is the information:

Column 1: wordform number in sentences

Column 2: wordform

Column 3: lemma

Column 4: only POS

Column 5: coarse POS tag

Column 6: morphosyntactic characteristics

Columns 7, 9: information about the head

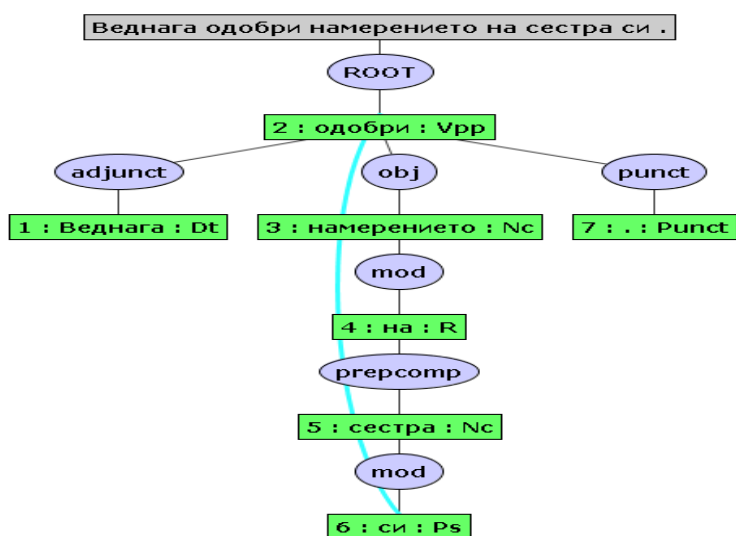
Columns 8, 10: grammatical relations

Column 11: complete POS tag

Column 12: information about coreferences

1	Като	като	R	R		7	adjunct	7	adjunct	R	-
2	всички	всехи	P	Pc	ref=e case=n num=p	4	mod	4	mod	Pce-op	-
3	умни	умен	A	A	num=p def=i	4	mod	4	mod	A-pi	-
4	хора	хора	N	Nc	num=pl_tantum def=i	1	prepcomp	1	prepcomp	Nc-li	-
5	аз	аз	P	Pp	ref=e case=n num=s pers=1	7	subj	7	subj	Ppe-os1	5
6	не	не	T	Tn	type=neg	7	mod	7	mod	Tn	-
7	пита	пита	V	Vp	trans=t mood=i tense=r pers=1 num=s	0	ROOT	0	ROOT	Vpitf-r1s	-
8	тръна	трън	N	Nc	gen=m num=s def=h	7	obj	7	obj	Ncmsh	-
9	бос	бос	A	Am	gen=m num=s def=i	7	adjunct	7	adjunct	Amsi	5
10	.	.	Punct	Punct	-	7	punct	7	punct	punct	-

- Graphical view, generated from the CoNLL presentation



3.3 Corpora size (nmb. of tokens, MB occupied on disk): 16,247 sentences, 274,356 tokens; 17,6 Mb

4 CONTENT INFORMATION

4.1 Type of the corpus (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated):

monolingual and syntactically annotated with dependency structures

4.2 The natural language(s) of the corpus: **Bulgarian**

4.3 Domain(s)/register(s) of the corpus: **news media(70%), literature(25%), administrative documents(5%).**

4.4 Annotations in the corpus (if an annotated corpus)

4.4.1 Types of annotations (paragraph mark-up, sentence mark-up, lexical mark-up, syntactic mark-up, semantic mark-up, discourse mark-up): **morphological-mark-up; syntactic mark-up; sentence-internal coreferences mark-up**

4.4.2 Tags (if POS/WSD/TIME/discourse/etc –tagged or parsed): **POS, grammatical features, grammatical roles; tagged and parsed.**

4.4.3 Alignment information (if the corpus contains aligned documents: level of alignment, how it was achieved)

4.4.4 Attributes and their values (if annotated):

The morphological mark-up follows the BulTreeBank positional Tagset (see the reference below). Here is an example: Npmsi- N-noun, p-proper, m-masculine, s-singular, i-indefinite.

The syntactic mark-up follows the CoNLL dependency relations tagset.

4.5 Intended application of the corpus: as gold standard for training parsers for Bulgarian; for typological comparison of syntactic structures with other languages

4.6 Reliability of the annotations (automatically/manually assigned) – the conversion to dependency format was done automatically, but then the sentences were manually curated

5 RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

1. BulTreeBank Morphosyntactic Tagset: <http://www.bulreebank.org/TechRep/BTB-TR03.pdf>
2. A short description of the Dependency Part of BulTreeBank (BulTreeBank-DP): <http://www.bulreebank.org/dpbtd/>

A.5 Bulgarian English Parallel Treebank: BulEngTreebank

D4.11-BulEngTreebank

1 BASIC INFORMATION

1.1 Corpus composition:

This resource is part of Deliverable 4.11. It is composed of 4,285 sentences (137,807 tokens) which are part of Bulgarian English Parallel Treebank. It includes English sentences from Wikipedia and datasets distributed with English Resource Grammar (ERG) and their translations in Bulgarian.

Bulgarian sentences are aligned automatically to English on word level. Then they are morphologically annotated and parsed by a dependency parser. Then the result is manually corrected. English sentences are analysed by IXA pipeline.

Character encoding: UTF-8

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2.3 Copyright statement and information on IPR

D4.11-BulEngTreebank

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3 TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Directories and files: 9 files

3.2 Data structure of an entry:

- **CoNLL 2006 data format**

Here is the information:

Column 1: wordform number in sentence

Column 2: wordform

Column 3: lemma

Column 4: only POS

Column 5: coarse POS tag

Column 6: morphosyntactic characteristics

Columns 7: information about the head
Columns 8: grammatical relations

3.3 Corpora size (nmb. of tokens, MB occupied on disk): 4,285 sentences; 137,807 tokens.

4 CONTENT INFORMATION

4.1 Type of the corpus (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated): **bilingual BG-EN syntactically annotated corpus**

4.2 The natural language(s) of the corpus: **English**

4.3 Domain(s)/register(s) of the corpus: **Wikipedia, Tourism and Linguistic examples in the CSLI dataset**

4.4 Annotations in the corpus (if an annotated corpus)

4.4.1 Types of annotations (paragraph mark-up, sentence mark-up, lexical mark-up, syntactic mark-up, semantic mark-up, discourse mark-up): **morphological-mark-up; syntactic mark-up**

4.4.2 Tags (if POS/WSD/TIME/discourse/etc –tagged or parsed): **POS, grammatical features, grammatical roles; tagged and parsed.**

4.4.3 Alignment information (if the corpus contains aligned documents: level of alignment, how it was achieved): **The alignment was done manually on word level.**

4.4.4 Attributes and their values (if annotated):
For the Bulgarian part:

The morphological mark-up follows the BulTreeBank positional Tagset (see the reference below). Here is an example: Npmsi- N-noun, p-proper, m-masculine, s-singular, i-indefinite.

The syntactic mark-up follows the CoNLL dependency relations tagset.

For the English part: The ERG resource grammar was used for tagging, parsing and semantics. The Wikipedia part was analysed with the IXA pipeline.

4.5 Intended application of the corpus: **as gold standard for the purposes of Machine Translation from Bulgarian to English and backwards;**

4.6 Reliability of the annotations (automatically/manually assigned) – **The alignments were done automatically on word level. The processing of both corpora was done automatically.**

5 RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

1. BulTreeBank Morphosyntactic Tagset: <http://www.bulreebank.org/TechRep/BTB-TR03.pdf>
2. A short description of the Dependency Part of BulTreeBank (BulTreeBank-DP): <http://www.bulreebank.org/dpbtb/>
3. <http://ixa2.si.ehu.es/ixa-pipes/>

A.6 Bulgarian English Deep Bank: ParDeepBank

D4.11-ParDeepBankBG

1 BASIC INFORMATION

1.1 Corpus composition:

This resource is part of Deliverable 4.11. It is composed of 2,971 sentences (73,679 tokens) which are part of Bulgarian English Parallel Deepbank. It includes English sentences from English Deepbank. These sentences are already analysed using ERG and manually disambiguated. The sentences are translated into Bulgarian by professional translators. Bulgarian sentences are aligned manually to English on word level. Then they are morphologically annotated and parsed by a dependency parser. Then the result is partially manually corrected. The dependency analyses are represented in CoNLL 2006 format. Within the project this treebank will be extended with more pairs of sentences. Also the Bulgarian part will be represented in other formats: Universal Dependency Tagset, Minimal Recursion Semantics.

Character encoding: UTF-8

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2.2 Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)

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3 TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Directories and files: 2,971 sentences

3.2 Data structure of an entry:

- CoNLL 2006 data format

Here is the information:

Column 1: wordform number in sentence

Column 2: wordform

Column 3: lemma

Column 4: only POS
Column 5: coarse POS tag
Column 6: morphosyntactic characteristics
Columns 7: information about the head
Columns 8: grammatical relations

3.3 Corpora size (nmb. of tokens, MB occupied on disk): 73,679 tokens

4 CONTENT INFORMATION

4.1 Type of the corpus (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated): **bilingual BG-EN syntactically annotated corpus**

4.2 The natural language(s) of the corpus: **English**

4.3 Domain(s)/register(s) of the corpus: **Wall Street Journal**

4.4 Annotations in the corpus (if an annotated corpus)

4.4.1 Types of annotations (paragraph mark-up, sentence mark-up, lexical mark-up, syntactic mark-up, semantic mark-up, discourse mark-up): **morphological-mark-up; syntactic mark-up**

4.4.2 Tags (if POS/WSD/TIME/discourse/etc –tagged or parsed): **POS, grammatical features, grammatical roles; tagged and parsed.**

4.4.3 Alignment information (if the corpus contains aligned documents: level of alignment, how it was achieved): **The alignment was done manually on word level.**

4.4.4 Attributes and their values (if annotated):

For the Bulgarian part:

The morphological mark-up follows the BulTreeBank positional Tagset (see the reference below). Here is an example: Npmsi- N-noun, p-proper, m-masculine, s-singular, i-indefinite.

The syntactic mark-up follows the CoNLL dependency relations tagset.

For the English part: the ERG resource grammar was used for tagging, parsing and semantics.

4.5 Intended application of the corpus: **as gold standard for the purposes of Machine Translation from Bulgarian to English and backwards;**

4.6 Reliability of the annotations (automatically/manually assigned) – **The alignments were done manually on word level. The processing of both corpora was done automatically.**

5 RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

1. BulTreeBank Morphosyntactic Tagset: <http://www.bultreebank.org/TechRep/BTB-TR03.pdf>
2. A short description of the Dependency Part of BulTreeBank (BulTreeBank-DP): <http://www.bultreebank.org/dpbtb/>
3. English Resource Grammar: <http://www.delph-in.net/erg/>

A.7 German Deep Bank

DeepBankDE for QTLearnProject

1 BASIC INFORMATION

1.1 Corpus composition

The corpus contains 15.000 sentences taken from the German TIGER treebank¹ that have been parsed using the Cheetah grammar for German (Cramer 2011) using the PET parser. As requested by the EC, existing resources have been re-used this to produce the first pilot data. Manual editing and selection will only be performed if it will become relevant for MT development within the project.

1.2 Representation of the corpora (flat files, database, markup)

The corpus consist of files containing Trees and MRS.

1.3 Character encoding

The characters are UTF8 encoded.

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2.2 Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)

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2.3 Copyright statement and information on IPR

The corpus is available under a CC - BY - NC - SA license. The resource may only be used if the requester has a license for the original TIGER treebank.

¹ <http://www.ims.uni-stuttgart.de/forschung/ressourcen/korpora/tiger.html>

3 TECHNICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Directories and files

The directory contains one file with all information.

3.2 Data structure of an entry

TAB-delimited fields: ID, Derivation Tree, Tree, MRS.

3.3 Corpora size (nmb. of tokens, MB occupied on disk)

The corpus contains ca. 130.000 tokens, size 60 MB.

4 CONTENT INFORMATION

4.1 Type of the corpus (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated)

Monolingual/annotated

4.2 The natural language(s) of the corpus

German

4.3 Domain(s)/register(s) of the corpus

News

4.4 Annotations in the corpus (if an annotated corpus)²

4.4.1 Types of annotations (paragraph mark-up, sentence mark-up, lexical mark-up, syntactic mark-up, semantic mark-up, discourse mark-up)

Syntactic and semantic representations of sentences and phrases.

4.4.2 Tags (if POS/WSD/TIME/discourse/etc –tagged or parsed)

STTS tags from the original TIGER corpus are preserved in the Derivation Tree.

4.4.3 Alignment information (if the corpus contains aligned documents: level of alignment, how it was achieved)

Not relevant

² More information will be provided together with batch 2.

4.4.4 Attributes and their values (if annotated)

4.5 Intended application of the corpus

Research and Development

4.6 Reliability of the annotations (automatically/manually assigned) – if any

The annotations are highly reliable.

5 RELEVANT REFERENCES AND OTHER INFORMATION

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A.8 Dutch Tree Bank

Description of Language Resources

1 Language Resources for Dutch

1.1 Basic Information:

We provide the Alpino abstract dependency structures for the first 75 thousand sentences (this corresponds to about 1.2 million words) from DPC (Dutch Parallel Corpus — <http://www.kuleuven-kulak.be/DPC>), and about 50 thousand sentences (about 750 thousand words) from the manually annotated Lassy Small corpus. In the latter case, we have used the gold standard annotations to guide the parser to find the abstract dependency structure that is as close as possible to that gold standard.

The Alpino abstract dependency structures - together with the original sentences from the respective corpora - provide good examples of the mapping of an abstract meaning representation to an actual sentence. As such, this data provides learning and evaluation data for experiments in generation. The DPC data is somewhat further removed from actual gold data because we use the parser, which may make mistakes, to find the abstract dependency structure. The Lassy Small data is more reliable since we exploit the manual syntactic annotations to ensure that the abstract dependency structures are as close as possible to the correct analysis.

We chose DPC, rather than Europarl, because the data is much less noisy than KDE, and (to a lesser extent) Europarl.

Representation of the resource:

Database

Character encoding:

UTF-8

1.2 Administrative Information:

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1.3 Technical Information

In the qtleap archive, the file train.tok.en and train.tok.nl as used in Pilot 0 and Pilot 1 contain *both* KDE and DPC. The DPC data starts at line 104916 in the train.tok.en and train.tok.nl files.

Resource size:

125 thousand sentences (ca. 1.95 million words)

1.4 Content Information

Type of the corpus:

Alpino abstract dependency structures

The natural language(s) of the corpus:

Dutch

Domain of the corpus:

General

Intended application of the resource in the project:

This data provides learning and evaluation data for experiments in generation.

Reliability of the annotations:

Automatically (DPC)/ Manually (Lassy Small)

A.9 Portuguese Deep Bank

Deliverable 4.11 - DeepBank 1.4

I. Basic Information

1.1. Corpus information

This resource is part of Deliverable 4.11 of the QTLeap FP7 project (Contract number 610516). It is composed of 15,056 sentences (151,141 tokens) which are part of CINTIL-DeepBank (available in the META-SHARE repository). The sentences are excerpts from journalistic text from CETEMPúblico.

It includes several levels of information for each sentence, including its derivation tree originated during parsing, its syntactic constituency tree, different renderings of MRS based representations of its meaning (Copestake, 2006), and its fully-fledged grammatical representation in AVM format. This is the result of a semi-automatic annotation process by means of automatic analysis by the grammar followed by a double-blind annotation followed by adjudication (see (Branco and Costa, 2008), for a full description of the process).

The main motivation behind the creation of this resource was to build a high quality data set with rich grammatical information that could support the development of a large set of high level language resources and processing tools for Portuguese.

1.2. Representation of the corpora (flat files, database, markup)

The corpus is stored in an archive composed by 3,430 folders. Each folder contains several files, one per sentence. These are plain text files, compressed with gzip.

1.3. Character encoding

The files are encoded in UTF-8.

II. Administrative Information

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2.2. Delivery medium (if relevant; description of the content of each piece of medium)

This resource is available through META-SHARE.

2.3. Copyright statement and information on IPR

This resource is available for both research and commercial purposes, with attribution required, and no redistribution nor derivatives allowed. It is available through META-SHARE.

3.1. Directories and files

The archive that can be downloaded on the META-SHARE site is a gzip file with 3,430 folders. Each file contains one gzip file per sentence.

3.2. Data structure of an entry

There is a file for each sentence. The file starts with a line at the top with the sentence id (between square brackets), followed by the sentence between quote marks in raw text. Under this there are a variety of analysis of the sentence, separated by a blank line, as illustrated by the example below:

```
[11] (1 of 1) {1} `a criança obedece apenas a a mãe.' []
```

Derivation:

```
(469 ROOT 4.95827e+17 0 7
(468 SUBJECT-HEAD 3.84742e+17 0 7
(461 FUNCTOR-HEAD-HCOMPS-SCOPAL -2.2851e+16 0 2
(65 SG-NOMINAL 4.1552e+15 0 1
(63 FEM-NOMINAL 4.1552e+15 0 1
(8 O_DEFINITE-ARTICLE 2.0776e+15 0 1 ("a" 0 1))))
(145 SG-NOMINAL 0 1 2
(140 FEM-NOMINAL 0 1 2 (15 CRIANÇA 0 1 2 ("criança" 1 2))))
(358 HEAD-COMP_NOTCLITIC 2.34842e+17 2 7
(98 3SG-VERB 0 2 3
(97 PRES-IND-VERB 0 2 3 (16 OBEDECER 0 2 3 ("obedece" 2 3))))
(357 FUNCTOR-HEAD-HCOMPS-SCOPAL 4.5623e+16 3 7
(17 APENAS_NP-ADJUNCT 3.9016e+15 3 4 ("apenas" 3 4))
(356 HEAD-COMP_NOTCLITIC 3.76979e+16 4 7
(29 A_NONPREDICATIONAL-NP_OR_VP-PREPOSITION 1.03477e+16 4 5 ("a" 4 5))
(355 FUNCTOR-HEAD-HCOMPS-SCOPAL 6.65476e+15 5 7
(66 SG-NOMINAL 4.1552e+15 5 6
(64 FEM-NOMINAL 4.1552e+15 5 6
(38 O_DEFINITE-ARTICLE 2.0776e+15 5 6 ("a" 5 6))))
(47 SG-NOMINAL 2.95058e+16 6 7
(46 FEM-NOMINAL 2.95058e+16 6 7
(45 MÃE_1_NOUN 0 6 7 ("mãe." 6 7)))))))))
```

Syntactic constituency tree:

```
(CP
(S (NP-SJ-ARG1 (ART-SP (ART-SP (ART-SP (a)))) (N (N (N (criança)))))
(VP (V (V (V (obedece))))
(PP-IO-ARG2 (ADV-M-M (apenas))
(PP (P (a)) (NP-C (ART-SP (ART-SP (ART-SP (a)))) (N (N (N (mãe.)))))))))
```

AVM: Due to its large size, this representation is left out of this document. You may find it in the sample document that is provided in the META-SHARE site.

MRS:

```
[ LTOP: h1
INDEX: e2 [ e ELLIPTICAL-PUNCT: BOOL SF: PROPOSITION-OR-QUESTION E.TENSE:
PRESENTE E.ASPECT.PERF: - E.MOOD: INDICATIVO ]
RELS: <
[ _o_q_rel
LBL: h3
ARG0: x6 [ x GENDER: FEMININE NUMBER: SINGULAR PERSON: 3RD ]
RSTR: h4 [ h SCOPE: NARROW ]
```


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```

BODY: h5 [ h SCOPE: NARROW ] ]
[ "_criança_n_rel"
  LBL: h7
  ARG0: x6 ]
[ "_obedecer_v_-a-_rel"
  LBL: h8
  ARG0: e2
  ARG1: x6
  ARG2: x9 [ x PERSON: 3RD NUMBER: SINGULAR GENDER: FEMININE ] ]
[ "_apenas_q_rel"
  LBL: h10 [ h SCOPE: SCOPE ]
  ARG0: e12
  ARG1: h11 [ h SCOPE: SCOPE ] ]
[ _o_q_rel
  LBL: h11
  ARG0: x9
  RSTR: h13 [ h SCOPE: NARROW ]
  BODY: h14 [ h SCOPE: NARROW ] ]
[ "_mãe_n_1-de-_rel"
  LBL: h15
  ARG0: x9
  ARG1: y16 ] >
HCONS: < h1 qeq h8 h4 qeq h7 h13 qeq h15 > ]

```

Indexed MRS:

```

<h1,e2:BOOL:PROPOSITION-OR-QUESTION:PRESENTE:-:INDICATIVO,
{h3:_o_q(x6:FEMININE:SINGULAR:3RD, h4:NARROW, h5:NARROW),
h7:_criança_n(x6),
h8:_obedecer_v_-a-(e2, x6, x9:3RD:SINGULAR:FEMININE),
h10:_apenas_q(:SCOPEe12, h11:SCOPE),
h11:_o_q(x9, h13:NARROW, h14:NARROW),
h15:_mãe_n_1-de-(x9, y16)},
{h1 qeq h8,
h4 qeq h7,
h13 qeq h15}>

```

Prolog MRS:

```

psoa(h1,e2,[rel('_o_q',h3,
[attrval('ARG0',x6),attrval('RSTR',h4),attrval('BODY',h5)]),rel('_criança_n',h7,
[attrval('ARG0',x6)]),rel('_obedecer_v_-a-',h8,
[attrval('ARG0',e2),attrval('ARG1',x6),attrval('ARG2',x9)]),rel('_apenas_q',h10,
[attrval('ARG0',e12),attrval('ARG1',h11)]),rel('_o_q',h11,
[attrval('ARG0',x9),attrval('RSTR',h13),attrval('BODY',h14)]),rel('_mãe_n_1-
de-',h15,
[attrval('ARG0',x9),attrval('ARG1',y16)])),hcons([qeq(h1,h8),qeq(h4,h7),qeq(h13,
h15)]))

```

RMRS (Robust MRS):

```

h1
_o_q(h3,x6:)
_criança_n(h7,x6:)
_obedecer_v_-a-(h8,e2:)
_apenas_q(h10,e12:)
_o_q(h11,x9:)
_mãe_n_1-de-(h15,x9:)
RSTR(h3,h4:)
BODY(h3,h5:)
ARG1(h8,x6:)
ARG2(h8,x9:)

```

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```
ARG1(h10,h11:)  
RSTR(h11,h13:)  
BODY(h11,h14:)  
ARG1(h15,u16:)  
qeq(h1:,h8)  
qeq(h4:NARROW:,h7)  
qeq(h13:NARROW:,h15)
```

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XML MRS:

```
<rmrs cfrom='-1' cto='-1'a criança obedece apenas a a mãe.'11 @ 0 @ '>  
<label vid='1'/>  
<ep cfrom='-1' cto='-1'><realpred lemma='o' pos='q'/><label vid='3'/><var  
sort='x' vid='6'/></ep>  
<ep cfrom='-1' cto='-1'><realpred lemma='criança' pos='n'/><label vid='7'/><var  
sort='x' vid='6'/></ep>  
<ep cfrom='-1' cto='-1'><realpred lemma='obedecer' pos='v' sense='-a-'/><label  
vid='8'/><var sort='e' vid='2'/></ep>  
<ep cfrom='-1' cto='-1'><realpred lemma='apenas' pos='q'/><label vid='10'/><var  
sort='e' vid='12'/></ep>  
<ep cfrom='-1' cto='-1'><realpred lemma='o' pos='q'/><label vid='11'/><var  
sort='x' vid='9'/></ep>  
<ep cfrom='-1' cto='-1'><realpred lemma='mãe' pos='n' sense='1-de-'/><label  
vid='15'/><var sort='x' vid='9'/></ep>  
<rarg><rargname>RSTR</rargname><label vid='3'/><var sort='h' vid='4'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>BODY</rargname><label vid='3'/><var sort='h' vid='5'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>ARG1</rargname><label vid='8'/><var sort='x' vid='6'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>ARG2</rargname><label vid='8'/><var sort='x' vid='9'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>ARG1</rargname><label vid='10'/><var sort='h' vid='11'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>RSTR</rargname><label vid='11'/><var sort='h' vid='13'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>BODY</rargname><label vid='11'/><var sort='h' vid='14'/></rarg>  
<rarg><rargname>ARG1</rargname><label vid='15'/><var sort='u' vid='16'/></rarg>  
<hcons hreln='qeq'><hi><var sort='h' vid='1'/></hi><lo><label  
vid='8'/></lo></hcons>  
<hcons hreln='qeq'><hi><var sort='h' vid='4' SCOPE='NARROW'/></hi><lo><label  
vid='7'/></lo></hcons>  
<hcons hreln='qeq'><hi><var sort='h' vid='13' SCOPE='NARROW'/></hi><lo><label  
vid='15'/></lo></hcons>  
</rmrs>
```

Elementary dependencies:

```
{e2:  
  x6:_o_q[]  
  e2:_obedecer_v_-a-[ARG1 x6:_criança_n, ARG2 x9:_mãe_n_1-de-]  
  e12:_apenas_q[ARG1 x9:_o_q]  
  x9:_o_q[]  
}
```

Discriminants:

```
{  
  _o_q ARG0 _criança_n  
  _obedecer_v_-a- ARG1 _criança_n  
  _obedecer_v_-a- ARG2 _mãe_n_1-de-  
  _apenas_q ARG1 _o_q  
  _o_q ARG0 _mãe_n_1-de-  
  _criança_n GENDER feminine  
  _criança_n NUMBER singular  
  _criança_n PERSON 3rd  
  _obedecer_v_-a- ELLIPTICAL-PUNCT bool  
  _obedecer_v_-a- SF proposition-or-question  
}
```

```

_obedecer_v_-a- E.TENSE presente
_obedecer_v_-a- E.ASPECT.PERF -
_obedecer_v_-a- E.MOOD indicativo
_mãe_n_1-de- PERSON 3rd
_mãe_n_1-de- NUMBER singular
_mãe_n_1-de- GENDER feminine
_apenas_q _criança_n
_apenas_q _mãe_n_1-de-
_apenas_q _o_q
_apenas_q _obedecer_v_-a-
_criança_n _mãe_n_1-de-
_criança_n _o_q
_criança_n _obedecer_v_-a-
_mãe_n_1-de- _o_q
_mãe_n_1-de- _obedecer_v_-a-
_o_q _obedecer_v_-a-
}

```

3.3. *Corpus size (nmb. of tokens, NB occupied in disk)*

The corpus is composed by 15,056 sentences (151,141 tokens), and it occupies 310 MB compressed (3,402 MB uncompressed).

IV. Content Information

4.1. *Type of the corpus (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated)*

This is a monolingual annotated corpus.

4.2. *The natural language(s) of the corpus*

The language of the corpus is Portuguese in the orthographic norm pre-dating the orthographic norm of 1990¹.

4.3. *Domain(s)/register(s) of the corpus*

Excerpts from newspapers articles.

4.4. *Annotation in the corpus (if an annotated corpus)*

4.4.1. *Types of annotation (paragraph mark-up, sentence mark-up, lexical mark-up, syntactic mark-up, semantic mark-up, discourse mark-up)*

Deep grammatical representations.

4.4.2. *Tags (if POS/WSD/TIME/discourse/etc – tagged or parsed)*

Not applicable.

4.4.3. *Alignment information (if the corpus contains aligned documents: level of alignment, how it was achieved)*

Not applicable.

4.4.4. *Attributes and their values (if annotated)*

Not applicable.

4.5. *Intended application of the corpus*

The corpus can be used in linguistic research and in the development and testing of language processing tools.

¹ This means that the orthography rules used are those that are described by the Orthography Reform of 1945. The orthographic agreement of 1990 was adopted in May of 2009.

4.6. Reliability of the annotations (automatically/manually assigned) – if any

CINTIL-DeepBank is developed along a semi-automatic process, where an automatic annotation output by the grammar is manually revised by language experts with post-graduate degrees in Linguistics. In the first stage, a deep computational grammar (Branco and Costa, 2008) is used to generate all the possible parses for a given sentence (the parse forest). This is followed by a manual disambiguation stage where the correct parse is chosen from among those in the parse forest. This second stage is performed along the double-blind annotation method followed by adjudication: two annotators work independently and, for those cases where their decisions differ, a third annotator (the adjudicator) makes the final decision. For this corpus, the level of inter-annotator agreement (ITA) is 0.83 in terms of the specific inter-annotator metric developed for this kind of corpora and annotation (Castro, 2011).

V. Relevant References and Other Information

Branco, António, Francisco Costa, João Silva, Sara Silveira, Sérgio Castro, Mariana Avelãs, Clara Pinto, and João Graça, 2010. “Developing a Deep Linguistic Databank Supporting a Collection of Treebanks: The CINTIL DeepGramBank”. In Proceedings of the Seventh International Conference on Language Resources and evaluation (LREC'10) May 19-21, Valetta, Malta pp. 1810-1815.

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Copestake, Ann, 2006, “Minimal Recursion Semantics: An Introduction”. In Research on Language and Computation, 3.4, pp. 281-332.

A.10 Portuguese Lexicon

Deliverable 4.11 - Lexicon

I. Basic Information

1.1. Lexicon information

This resource is part of Deliverable 4.11 of the QTLeap FP7 project (Contract number 610516). It comprises 2,091 lexicon entries used in LXGram, an HPSG computational grammar for deep linguistic processing of Portuguese.

1.2. Representation of the lexicon

The lexicon has two files, one with the lexicon and the other with the types.

1.3. Character encoding

The files are encoded in UTF-8.

II. Administrative Information

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III. Technical Information

3.1. Directories and files

The archive is a .zip file containing two plain text files, one with the lexicon and the other with the lexical types.

3.2. Data structure of an entry

Each entry, be it a lexical entry or a lexical type, is defined through an AVM in TDL format.

Lexical entry:

```
afirmar :=
verb-comp_np_inf_cp+ind_declarative-lex &
[ STEM < "afirmar" >,
  SYNSEM.LOCAL.CONT.KEYS.KEY.PRED "_afirmar_v_rel" ].
```

Lexical type:

```
noun-or-pronoun-item :=
nominal-elem & synsat-no_subj-plus-elem &
no_ctxt-lex-item &
non-negative-polarity-non-clause-introducing-non-verb-premodifier-item &
[ SYNSEM.LOCAL [ CAT [ HEAD noun,
  VAL.HCOMPS.COMPS-POSITION adjacent ],
```

3.3. Lexicon size

The file with the lexicon has 2,091 entries.

IV. Content Information

4.1. Type of the lexicon (monolingual/multilingual, parallel/comparable, raw/annotated)

This is a monolingual lexicon.

4.2. The natural language(s) of the lexicon

The language of the lexicon is Portuguese with pre-spelling reform of 1990¹.

4.3. Domain(s)/register(s) of the lexicon

Not applicable.

V. Relevant References and Other Information

Branco, António and Francisco Costa, 2008, “A computational grammar for deep linguistic processing of portuguese: LXGram”. In Technical Reports Series. University of Lisbon, Department of Informatics, 2008.

¹ This means that the orthography rules used are those that are described by the Orthography Reform of 1945. The orthographic agreement of 1990 was adopted just in may of 2009 and is being implemented until 2012.

B Summary of availability

Name of LRT	language	License	URL
BulTreeBank-DP	BG	CC-BY-NC-SA	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
ParDeepBankBG	BG, EN	CC-BY-NC-SA	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
BulEngTreebank	BG, EN	CC-BY-NC-SA	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
Bulgarian Ontology-based Lexicon	BG	CC BY 3.0	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
Bulgarian Valency Frame Lexicon	BG	CC BY 3.0	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
English-Basque Parallel Deepbank	EU, EN	CC BY	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
DeepBankDE for QTLearnProject	DE	CC-BY-NC-SA	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
ADT for Lassy and DPC	NL	For the underlying material from Lassy and DPC, licenses are required from TST Centrale. There is a free license for academic usage and licenses for commercial use. http://tst-centrale.org/	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
Portuguese Lexicon	PT	MS-NC-NoReD-ND	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/
DeepBank	PT	MS-NC-NoReD-ND	http://metashare.metanet4u.eu/repository/browse/qt leap-lrt-m31-wp4/14c21c7827f811e6a2aa782bcb0741350dcd9beb0baa4857839bd854d616ea8d/