

DEPARTMENT OF KNOWLEDGE TECHNOLOGIES

Our goal is to advance cutting-edge research and applications of knowledge technologies, including data mining, machine learning, decision support, human language technologies, knowledge management and other information technologies that support the acquisition, management, modeling and use of knowledge and data.

We have authored and edited numerous scientific books and successfully coordinated European projects and networks. In the 6th Framework programme we became partners of 16 European research projects.

Our technologies have been successfully applied to many practical problems, including selection of applicants for loans of the National Housing Fund, analysis of UK traffic accidents, medical diagnosis, analysis of the Slovenian public healthcare system, improving the functionality of Microsoft Internet Explorer and analysis and visualization of European IST research projects.

The department consists of 24 researchers, 10 students and technical support staff.

MAIN RESEARCH AREAS

DECISION SUPPORT

KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT

DATA MINING AND MACHINE LEARNING

SEMANTIC WEB

TEXT, WEB AND MULTIMEDIA MINING

HUMAN LANGUAGE TECHNOLOGIES

MAIN APPLICATION AREAS

INCLUSION

ECOLOGY

MEDICINE

HEALTHCARE

ECONOMY

MARKETING

AUDIO

AGRICULTURE

EU 6TH FRAMEWORK PROJECTS

NeOn - Lifecycle Support for Networked Ontologies

ECOLEAD - European Collaborative Networked Organizations Leadership Initiative

TAO - Transitioning Applications to Ontologies

SWING - Semantic Web Services Interoperability for Geospatial Decision Making

Tool-East - Open Source Enterprise Resource Planning and Order Management System for Eastern European

Tool and Die Making Workshops

E4 - Extended Enterprise management in Enlarged Europe

SIGMEA - Sustainable Introduction of Genetically Modified crops into European Agriculture

SEKT - Semantically-Enabled Knowledge Technologies

IST-World - Knowledge base for RTD Competencies in Information Society Technologies

PASCAL - Pattern Analysis, Statistical Modeling and Computational Learning

Q - Inductive Queries for Mining Patterns and Models

KD-ubiq - A blue print for ubiquitous knowledge discovery systems

IMAGINATION - Image-based Navigation in Multimedia Archives

ALVIS - Superpeer Semantic Search Engine

SMART - Statistical Multilingual Analysis for Retrieval and Translation

CEC-WYS - Central European Centre for Women and Youth in Science

SOFTWARE AND SERVICES

SD, CN2-SD, APRIORI-SD - Subgroup discovery algorithms, part of the Orange data mining suite [Python, open-source]

RSD - Relational Subgroup Discovery through first-order feature construction [Yap Prolog, open-source]

Text Garden - Text Mining suite of software tools [C++, open source]

DEXi - Multi-attribute modeling for Decision Support [Delphi, freeware]

CIPER - Constrained Induction of Polynomial Equations for Regression [C++, freeware]

MLC4.5, MLJ4.8 - Learning to combine classifiers with meta decision trees [C and Java, open source]

Lagrange/Lagramge - Learning algebraic and ordinary differential equations [C, open source]

Analysis and visualization of EU RESEARCH projects (IST-World) [on-line service] Multi-lingual lemmatizers, concordances, dictionaries [on-line service]

SOLOMON SEMINAR LECTURE VIDEOS

http://solomon.ijs.si

The Department collaborates with the Institute's CENTER FOR KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES http://ct3.ijs.si

Depatment members also teach at the JOŽEF STEFAN INTERNATIONAL POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL

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