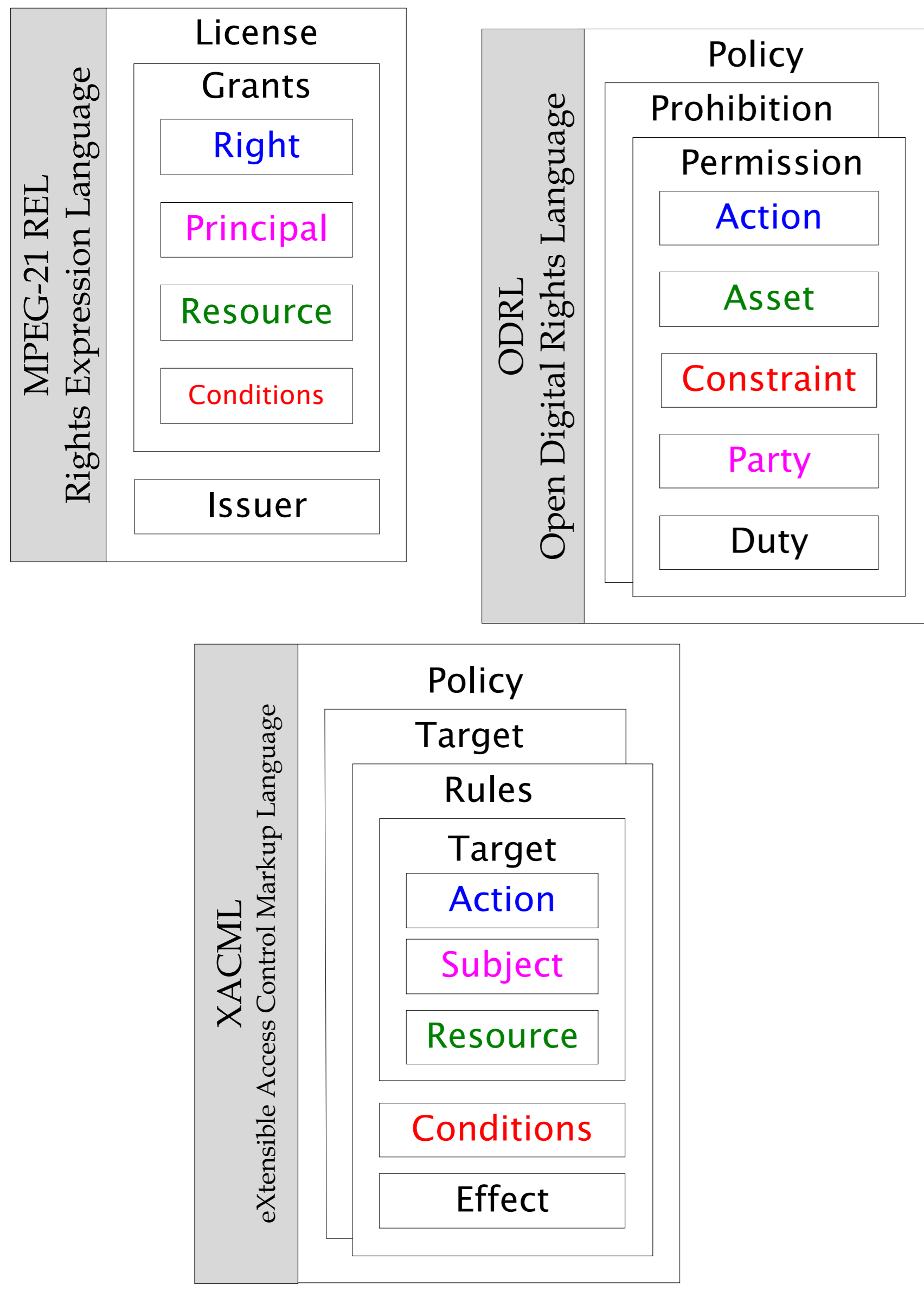


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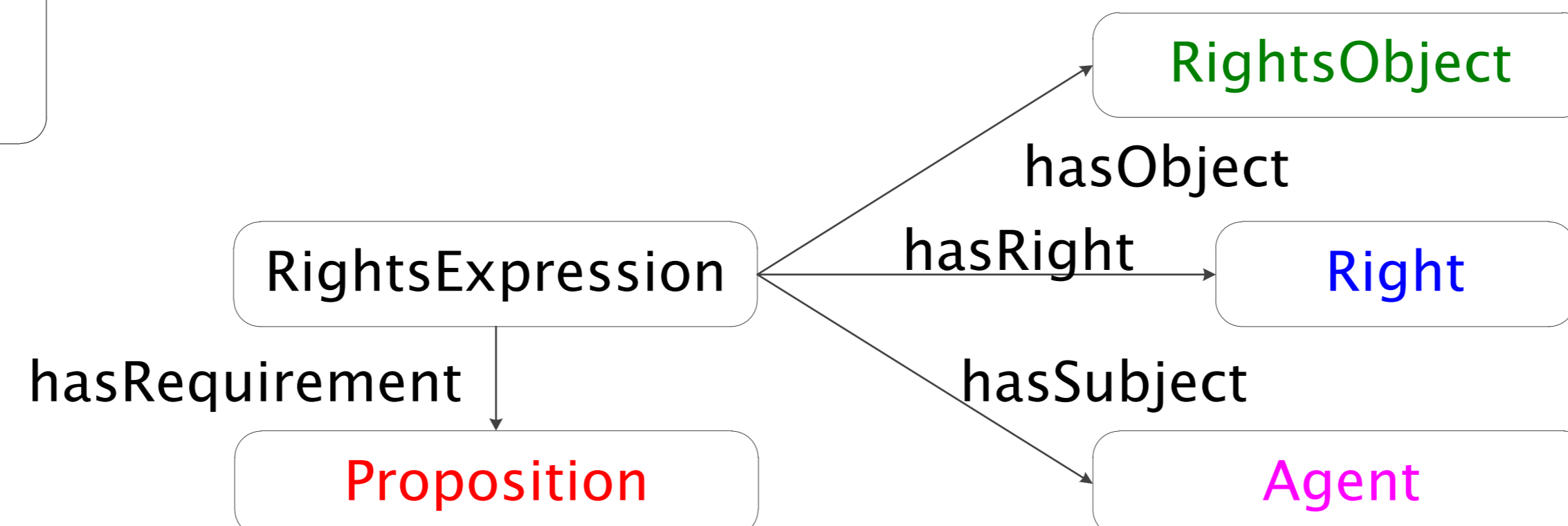
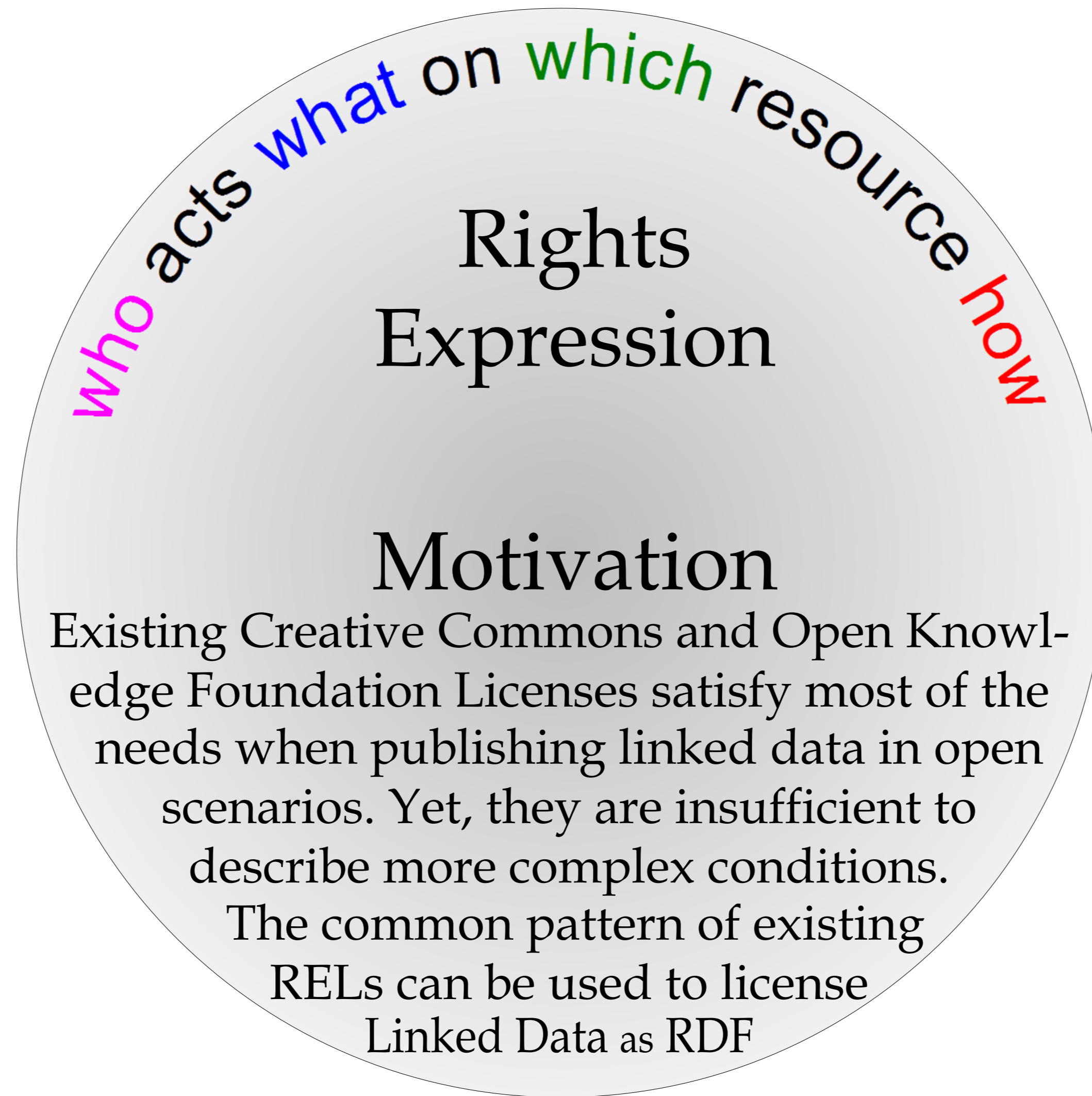
**Abstract.** Rights expression languages and policy languages declare the permitted and prohibited actions to be performed on a resource. Several rights expression languages are compared, abstracting their commonalities and outlining their underlying pattern. Linked Data, which can be object of protection by the intellectual property laws or its access be restricted by an access control system, can be the asset in rights expressions.

A common pattern in rights expression languages

## XML languages



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## RDF languages

