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Working on Oscar for three months

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Abstract
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The source code of Oscar4 is available from this BitBucket project, and you can monitor the code state on this Hudson page. The project I will be working on, is in collaboration with the ChEBI project, and today we met up with various people in the group, and set out some really interesting use cases.