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## Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation of Logic Programs

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- We focus on **linear algebraic characteristics of logic programs** [1].
- A **logic program** is a *set of logical rules* that can be represented in *matrices* and *vectors*.

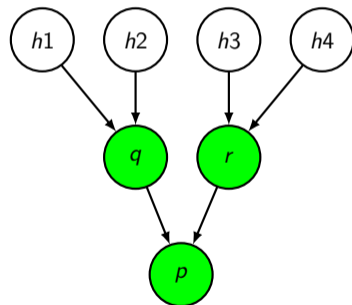
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## Why do we need matrix representation of logic program?

- Linear algebra is at the core of many applications of scientific computation.
- Taking advantages of a long history of development in hardware/software(s) for linear algebraic computation to further *simplify the core method* and *reach higher scalability*.

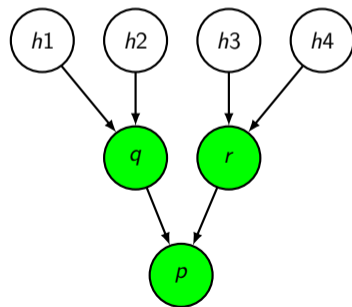
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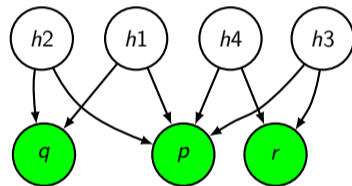
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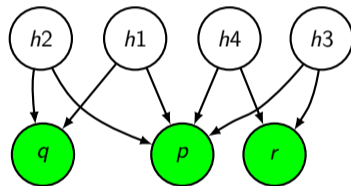
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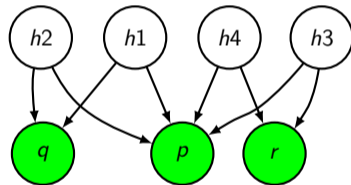
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**How do we transform the program matrix of  $P_0$  into the program matrix of  $P'_0$ ?**

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- **Linear algebraic partial evaluation** has been introduced for fixpoint computation [3] and extended to abduction [4]. The main idea is to *compute the power of a program matrix until it reaches a fixpoint*.
- **Limitations:**
  - only works with *And-rules* (conjunctions), and *Or-rules* (disjunctions) are **not** supported.
  - handling cycles in the program is **not** considered.
  - matrix decomposition is **not** considered in computing the power of a program matrix.

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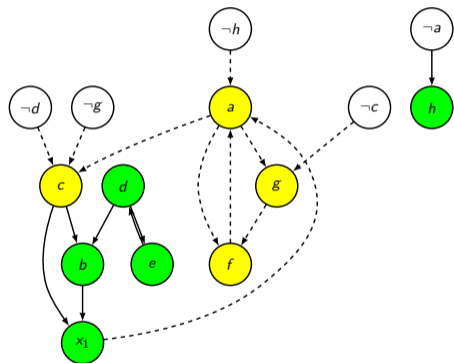
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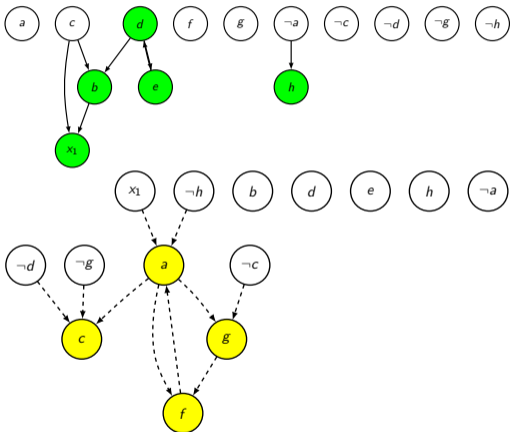
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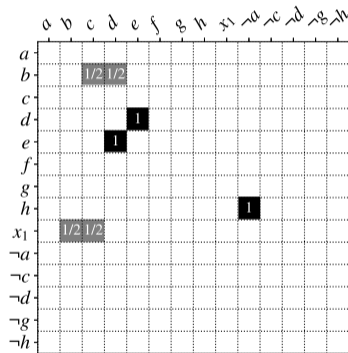
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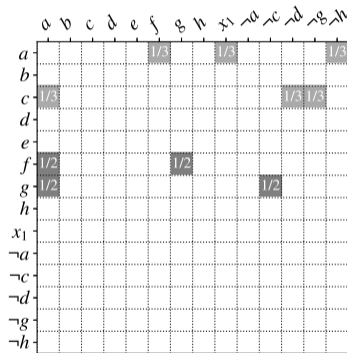
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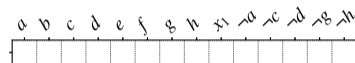
Represent  $\Pi_1$  in vector spaces:



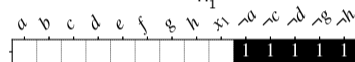
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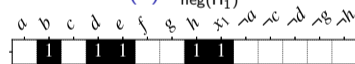
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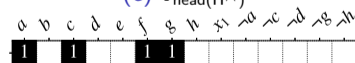
(c)  $v_{\Pi_1^F}^T$



(d)  $v_{\text{neg}(\Pi_1)}^T$



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Figure: Visualization of matrix/vector representations of  $\Pi_1$ .

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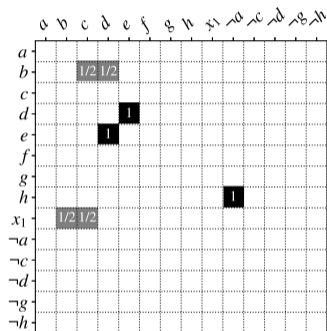
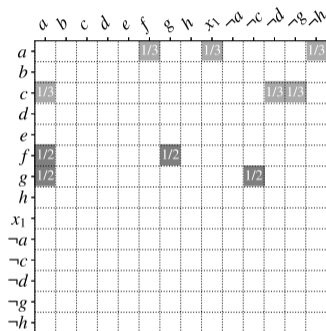
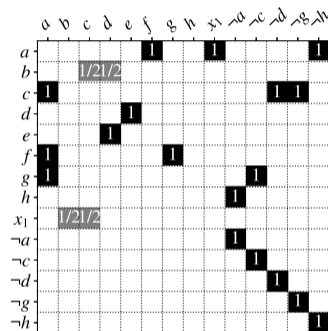
(a)  $M_{\Pi_1^\wedge}$ (b)  $M_{\Pi_1^\vee}$ (c) Program matrix  $M_{\Pi_1}$ .

Figure: The program matrix can be constructed as:  $M_{\Pi_1} = M_{\Pi_1^\wedge} + \theta^\uparrow (M_{\Pi_1^\vee}) + \text{diag}(\mathbf{v}_{\Pi_1^f}^\top \oplus_{\theta^\downarrow} \mathbf{v}_{\text{neg}(\Pi_1)})$ .

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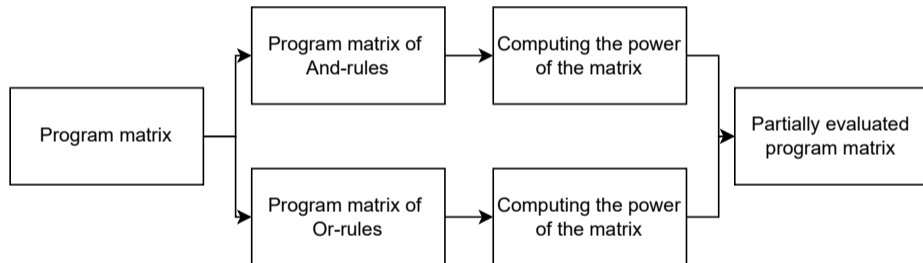
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## Our proposal: Separating matrix representations of *And*-rules and *Or*-rules

- Summary of the process:



Constructing the matrix of *And/Or* - 2 steps:

- 1 Resolve local cycles
- 2 Append the diagonal (to preserve information)

Computing the power of the matrix - 2 ways:

- Iteration method
- Decomposition method

# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation

## Definition (Partial evaluation of *And*-rules)

Given a normal logic program  $P$ , its standardized program is  $\Pi$ . The partial evaluated matrix of  $\Pi$  w.r.t. *And*-rules, denoted as  $\text{peval}(\Pi^\wedge)$ , is defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\widehat{\mathbf{M}}_{\Pi^\wedge} &= \mathbf{M}_{\Pi^\wedge} + \text{diag}(\mathbf{v}_{\Pi^F} \oplus_{\theta\downarrow} \mathbf{v}_{\text{neg}(\Pi)} \oplus_{\theta\downarrow} \mathbf{v}_{\text{head}(\Pi^\vee)}) \\ \mathbf{M}_0 &= \widehat{\mathbf{M}}_{\Pi^\wedge} \\ \mathbf{M}_i &= \mathbf{M}_{i-1} \cdot \mathbf{M}_{i-1} \quad (i \geq 1)\end{aligned}\tag{2}$$

where  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{head}(\Pi^\vee)}$  is a column vector such that  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{head}(\Pi^\vee)}[i] = 1$  if the corresponding atom at index  $i$  is a head of an *Or*-rule.

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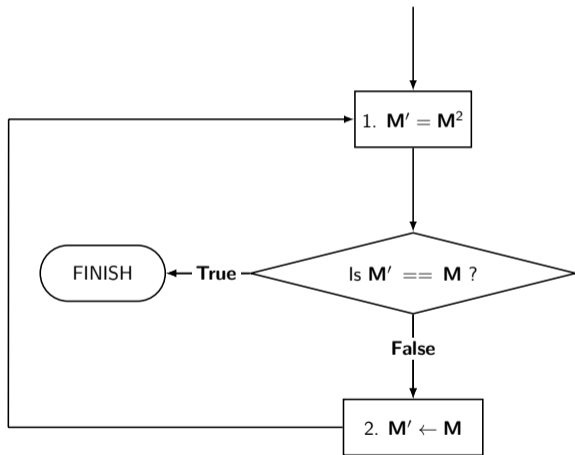
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Given a normal logic program  $P$ , its standardized program is  $\Pi$ . The partial evaluated matrix of  $\Pi$  w.r.t. *Or*-rules, denoted as  $\text{peval}(\Pi^\vee)$ , is defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\widehat{\mathbf{M}}_{\Pi^\vee} &= \mathbf{M}_{\Pi^\vee} + \text{diag}(\mathbf{v}_{\Pi^F} \oplus_{\theta\downarrow} \mathbf{v}_{\text{neg}(\Pi)} \oplus_{\theta\downarrow} \mathbf{v}_{\text{head}(\Pi^\wedge)}) \\ \mathbf{M}_0 &= \widehat{\mathbf{M}}_{\Pi^\vee} \\ \mathbf{M}_i &= \mathbf{M}_{i-1} \cdot \mathbf{M}_{i-1} \quad (i \geq 1)\end{aligned}\tag{3}$$

where  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{head}(\Pi^\wedge)}$  is a column vector such that  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{head}(\Pi^\wedge)}[i] = 1$  if the corresponding atom at index  $i$  is a head of an *And*-rule.

# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation



- Repeating to compute the power (2) and (3) until a fixed point is reached.

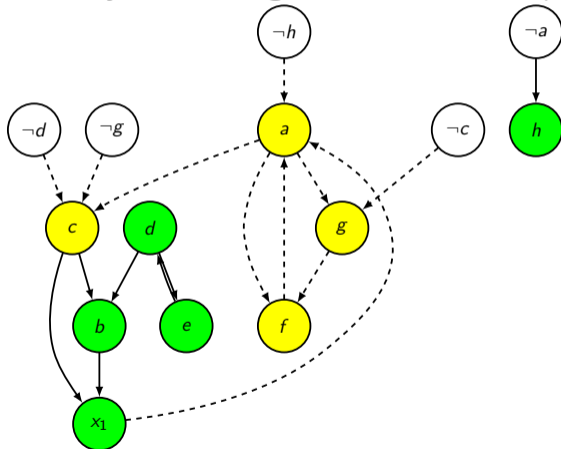
$$\mathbf{M}, \mathbf{M}^2, \mathbf{M}^4, \dots, \mathbf{M}^{2^k},$$

## Proposition

For any program  $P$  with  $\mathbf{M}_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$  (and  $\mathbf{M}_{\Pi^{\vee}}$ ) of the size  $n \times n$  such that the corresponding dependency graph  $\mathbf{G}_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$  (and  $\mathbf{G}_{\Pi^{\vee}}$ ) is acyclic, the sufficient number of PE steps to reach a fixed point is  $k = \lceil \log_2(n) \rceil$ .

# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation - Cycle resolving

**Cycle resolving:** to avoid infinite loops (when a fixed point cannot be reached)



Types of cycles:

- **Local cycles:** cycles within a group of rules (only solid or only dash edges).  
Example:  $\{d, e\}$ ,  $\{a, f\}$ ,  $\{a, f, g\}$ .
- **Global cycles:** cycles between groups of rules (mixing both solid and dash edges).  
Example:  $\{a, c, x_1\}$ ,  $\{a, c, b, x_1\}$ .

We focus on resolving *local cycles*.

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- 1: Identify all Strongly Connected Component (SCC)s in  $\mathbf{G}_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$ .
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  - 3:     **for each** rule  $r \in \Pi^{\wedge}$  such that  $head(r) \in L$  **do**
  - 4:         Remove  $r$  (by setting the corresponding entries of  $r$  in  $\mathbf{M}_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$  to 0).
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  - 5:          $E = E \cup (body(r) \setminus L)$
  - 6:     **for each** rule  $r \in \Pi^{\vee}$  such that  $head(r) \in L$  **do**
  - 7:         Replace  $r$  by  $head(r) \leftarrow \bigvee_{q \in E} q$ .
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# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation - with Iteration Method

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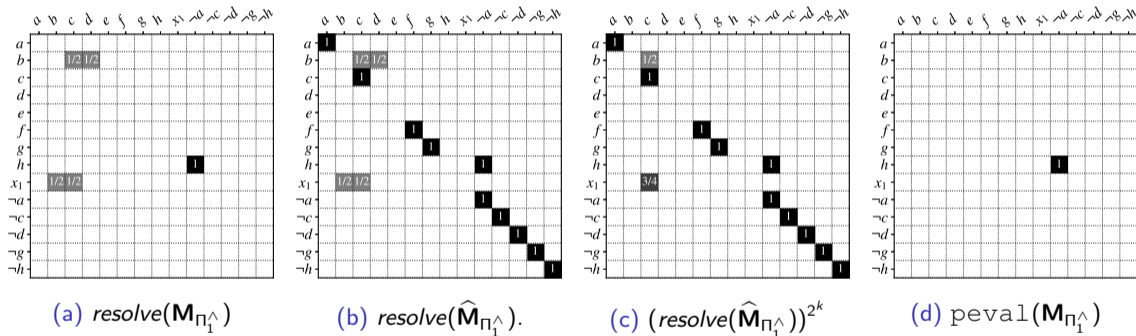


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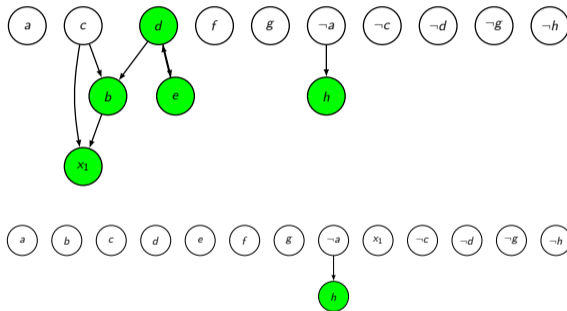


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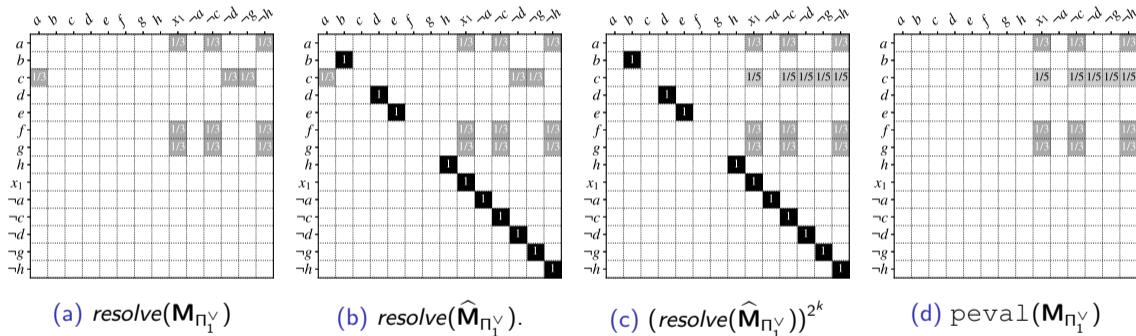


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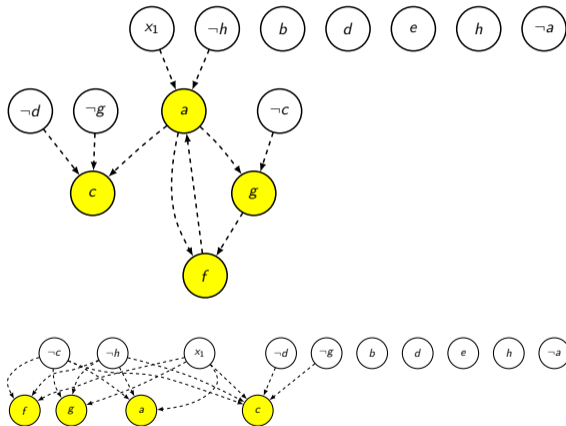
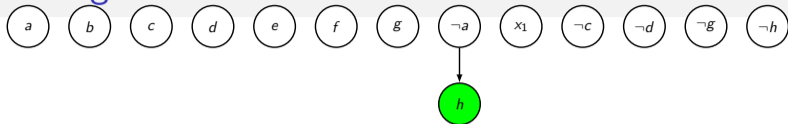
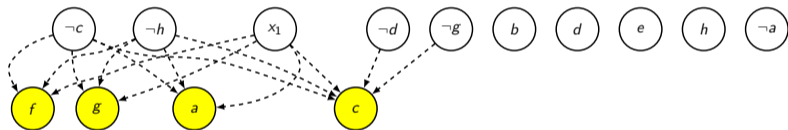


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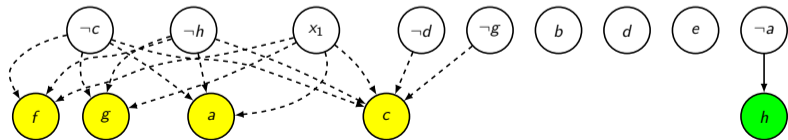
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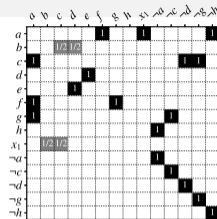
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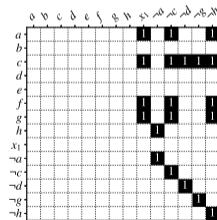
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(c) And-Or-dependency graph of  $\text{peval}(\Pi_1)$ .



(d)  $M_{\Pi_1}$



(e)  $\text{peval}(M_{\Pi_1})$

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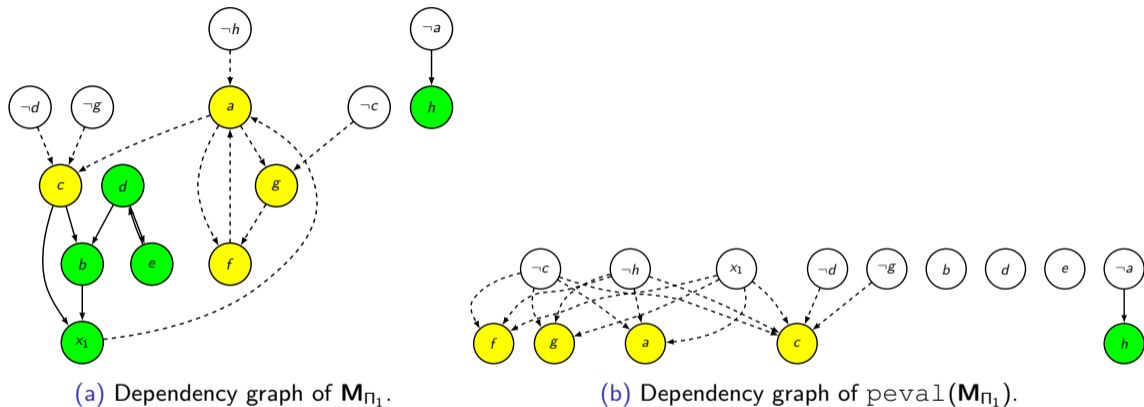


Figure: Visualization of partial evaluated dependency graphs of  $\Pi_1$  and  $\text{peval}(\mathbf{M}_{\Pi_1})$ .

# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation - using Matrix Decomposition

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- **Condition: the program matrix must be diagonalizable.**

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# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation - using Matrix Decomposition

## Jordan normal form:

### Definition (Jordan normal form)

Let  $J_i$  be a square  $k \times k$  matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} \lambda_i & 1 & & \\ & \lambda_i & 1 & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots \\ & & & \lambda_i & 1 \\ & & & & \lambda_i \end{pmatrix}$  such that  $\lambda_i$  is identical on the diagonal and there are 1s just above the diagonal. We call each such matrix a Jordan  $\lambda_i$ -block. A matrix  $\mathbf{M}$  is in Jordan Normal Form (JNF) if  $\mathbf{J} = \begin{pmatrix} J_1 & & & \\ & J_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & J_p \end{pmatrix}$ .

- It is proved that every square matrix in  $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  can be decomposed into a matrix in JNF according to Jordan's theorem [9].
- $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{P}^{-1}$

[9] Weintraub, *Jordan canonical form: theory and practice*, 2009.





# Linear Algebraic Partial Evaluation - using Matrix Decomposition

## Jordan normal form:

- Computing powers of a Jordan matrix  $\mathbf{J}$  is straightforward:

$$\mathbf{J}^n = \begin{pmatrix} J_1 & & & \\ & J_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & J_p \end{pmatrix}^n = \begin{pmatrix} (J_1)^n & & & \\ & (J_2)^n & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & (J_p)^n \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{that can be simplified to computing powers of each}$$

Jordan block. The power of a Jordan block  $J_i$  ( $k \times k$ ) can be computed by:

$$(J_i)^n = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_i^n & \binom{n}{1}\lambda_i^{n-1} & \binom{n}{2}\lambda_i^{n-2} & \cdots & \cdots & \binom{n}{k-1}\lambda_i^{n-k+1} \\ & \lambda_i^n & \binom{n}{1}\lambda_i^{n-1} & \cdots & \cdots & \binom{n}{k-2}\lambda_i^{n-k+2} \\ & & \ddots & \cdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ & & & \ddots & \cdots & \vdots \\ & & & & \lambda_i^n & \binom{n}{1}\lambda_i^{n-1} \\ & & & & & \lambda_i^n \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where } \binom{n}{b} \text{ is the binomial}$$

coefficient describing the algebraic expansion of powers of a binomial.

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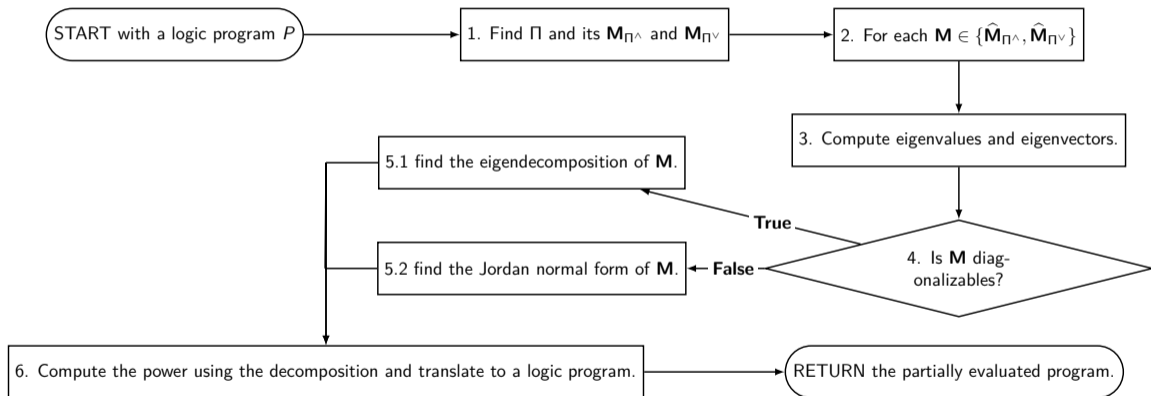
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## Algorithm Partial evaluation using matrix decomposition

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- 1: Find the standardized program and its matrix representation  $\mathbf{M}_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$  and  $\mathbf{M}_{\Pi^{\vee}}$ .
  - 2: Resolve cycles in these matrices.
  - 3: For each matrix  $\widehat{\mathbf{M}}_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$  and  $\widehat{\mathbf{M}}_{\Pi^{\vee}}$ , compute the eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
  - 4: **if** the matrix is diagonalizable **then**
  - 5:     find the eigendecomposition of the matrix.
  - 6: **else**
  - 7:     find the Jordan normal form of the matrix.
  - 8: Compute the power using the decomposition.
  - 9: Translate resulting matrices back to a logic program.
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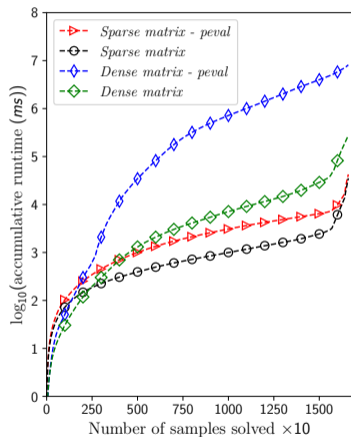


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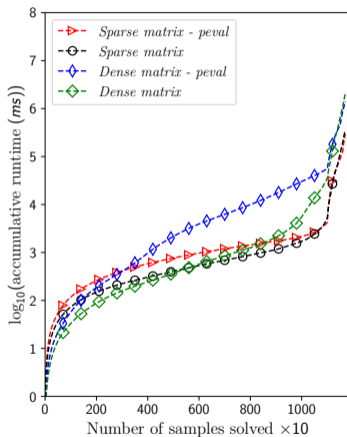
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## Experiments - (previous work) Propositional Horn clause abduction

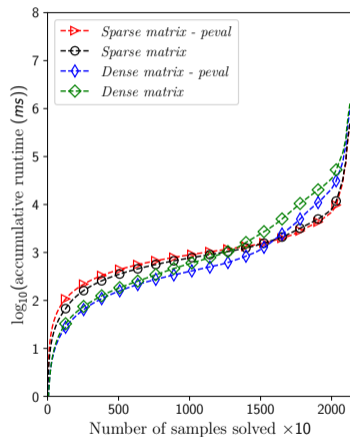
Artificial samples I



Artificial samples II



FMEA samples



*PE significantly improves the performance* [10]

[10] T. Q. Nguyen, Inoue, and Sakama, "Linear Algebraic Abduction with Partial Evaluation", 2023

# Experiments

- Goal:
  - evaluate linear algebraic PE with **iteration method (I)** and the **matrix decomposition method (II)** using logic programs in **Failure Modes and Effects Analysis (FMEA) benchmarks** [11].
  - evaluate performance of the methods in the *presence of cycles* in the program matrix.
- The dataset consists of three problem sets: **Artificial samples I** (166 instances), **Artificial samples II** (118 instances), and **FMEA samples** (213 instances). All programs in the dataset are *acyclic*. We *augment* the FMEA benchmarks by *adding randomly 1-5 cycles of the length 2-5 to each  $G_{\Pi^{\wedge}}$  and  $G_{\Pi^{\vee}}$*  of a program  $P$ .

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[11] Koitz-Hristov and Wotawa, “Faster horn diagnosis—a performance comparison of abductive reasoning algorithms”, 2020.

# Experiments

- Our code is implemented in Python 3.7 using `numpy`, `scipy`, and `sympy`. We set a timeout of 20s for PE computation, the timeout penalty is set to 60s for comparison.
- System environment: Intel(R) Xeon(R) Bronze 3106 @1.70GHz; 64GB DDR3 @1333MHz; Ubuntu 22.04 LTS 64bit.

- All the source code and benchmark datasets in our paper will be available on GitHub:



`https://github.com/nqtuan0192/LinearAlgebraicComputationofAbduction.`



# Experiments

**Table:** Statistical data of the datasets and detailed comparison of execution time (in *ms*) of the linear algebraic PE methods on the datasets. ( green - best, red - worst)

	Artificial samples I (166 instances)		Artificial samples II (118 instances)		FMEA samples (213 instances)	
Parameters	mean / std	[ min, max ]	mean / std	[ min, max ]	mean / std	[ min, max ]
Matrix size	2,088.32 / 1,584.48	[ 11, 6,601 ]	321.86 / 252.64	[ 18, 1,110 ]	27.58 / 19.32	[ 6, 84 ]
No. <i>And</i> -rules	1,188.63 / 1,349.59	[ 8, 6,375 ]	201.86 / 186.64	[ 9, 1,007 ]	16.10 / 9.23	[ 1, 43 ]
No. <i>Or</i> -rules	899.69 / 839.58	[ 3, 3,345 ]	119.99 / 107.40	[ 4, 437 ]	11.48 / 11.01	[ 1, 41 ]
Sparsity (of $M_{\Pi}$ )	0.99 / 0.02	[ 0.90, 1.00 ]	0.99 / 0.01	[ 0.90, 1.00 ]	0.95 / 0.04	[ 0.73, 0.99 ]
Longest path	4.63 / 5.36	[ 2, 65 ]	6.56 / 8.56	[ 2, 58 ]	1.94 / 0.24	[ 1, 2 ]
peval steps	3.78 / 0.95	[ 2, 5 ]	3.71 / 0.81	[ 2, 6 ]	2.00 / 0.00	[ 2, 2 ]
Algorithms	mean / std	Timeout?	mean / std	Timeout?	mean / std	Timeout?
(I) Iteration + dense	799,965 / 58,500	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">0</span> / 166	4,483 / 688	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">0</span> / 118	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">103 / 10</span>	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">0</span> / 213
(II) Decomposition + dense	<span style="background-color: #f2dede;">9,292,159 / 34,274</span>	<span style="background-color: #f2dede;">152</span> / 166	<span style="background-color: #f2dede;">6,041,323 / 28,710</span>	<span style="background-color: #f2dede;">96</span> / 118	<span style="background-color: #f2dede;">1,607,397 / 19,170</span>	<span style="background-color: #f2dede;">18</span> / 213
(I) Iteration + sparse	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">545 / 15</span>	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">0</span> / 166	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">138 / 4</span>	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">0</span> / 118	157 / 5	<span style="background-color: #d9ead3;">0</span> / 213

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Parameters	mean / std	[ min, max ]	mean / std	[ min, max ]	mean / std	[ min, max ]
No. cycles <i>And</i> -rules	3.72 / 0.25	[ 1, 5 ]	3.68 / 0.30	[ 1, 5 ]	1.00 / 0.00	[ 1, 1 ]
No. cycles <i>Or</i> -rules	3.89 / 0.37	[ 1, 5 ]	3.75 / 0.42	[ 1, 5 ]	1.00 / 0.00	[ 1, 1 ]
Algorithms	peval (mean / std)	resolve (mean / std)	peval (mean / std)	resolve (mean / std)	peval (mean / std)	resolve (mean / std)
(I) Iteration + dense	821,780 / 62,340	573 / 27	4,501 / 793	407 / 19	90 / 7	52 / 6
(II) Decomposition + dense	9,251,534 / 33,491	554 / 24	5,970,126 / 27,104	398 / 18	1,271,842 / 18,510	56 / 6
(I) Iteration + sparse	579 / 17	76 / 14	151 / 4	68 / 12	112 / 4	17 / 3

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  - explore the possibility of using *other decomposition methods*.

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