



Inductive Logic Programming

Probabilistic Induction of Probabilistic Logic Programs



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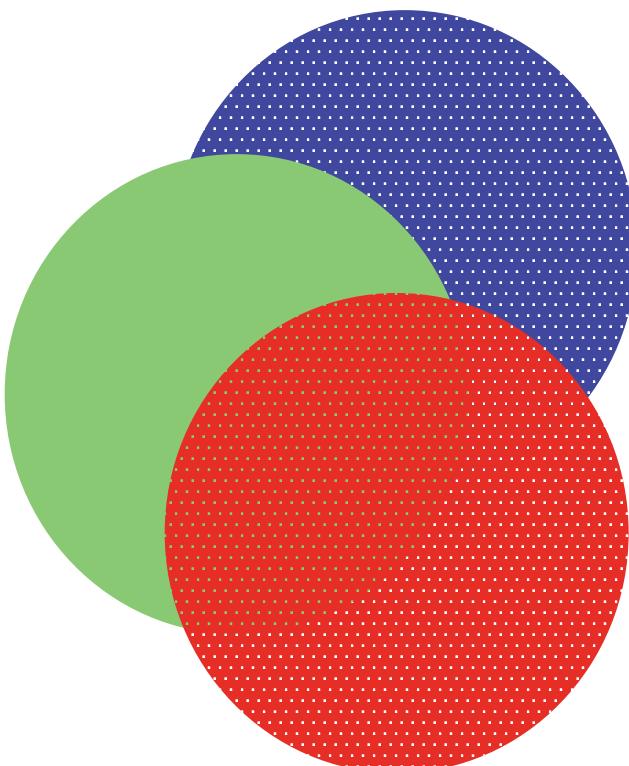
Probabilistic Logic Learning*

One of the key open questions of artificial intelligence concerns

"probabilistic logic learning",

i.e. the integration of
probabilistic reasoning
with

first order logic
representations and
machine learning.



*In the US, sometimes called Statistical Relational Learning



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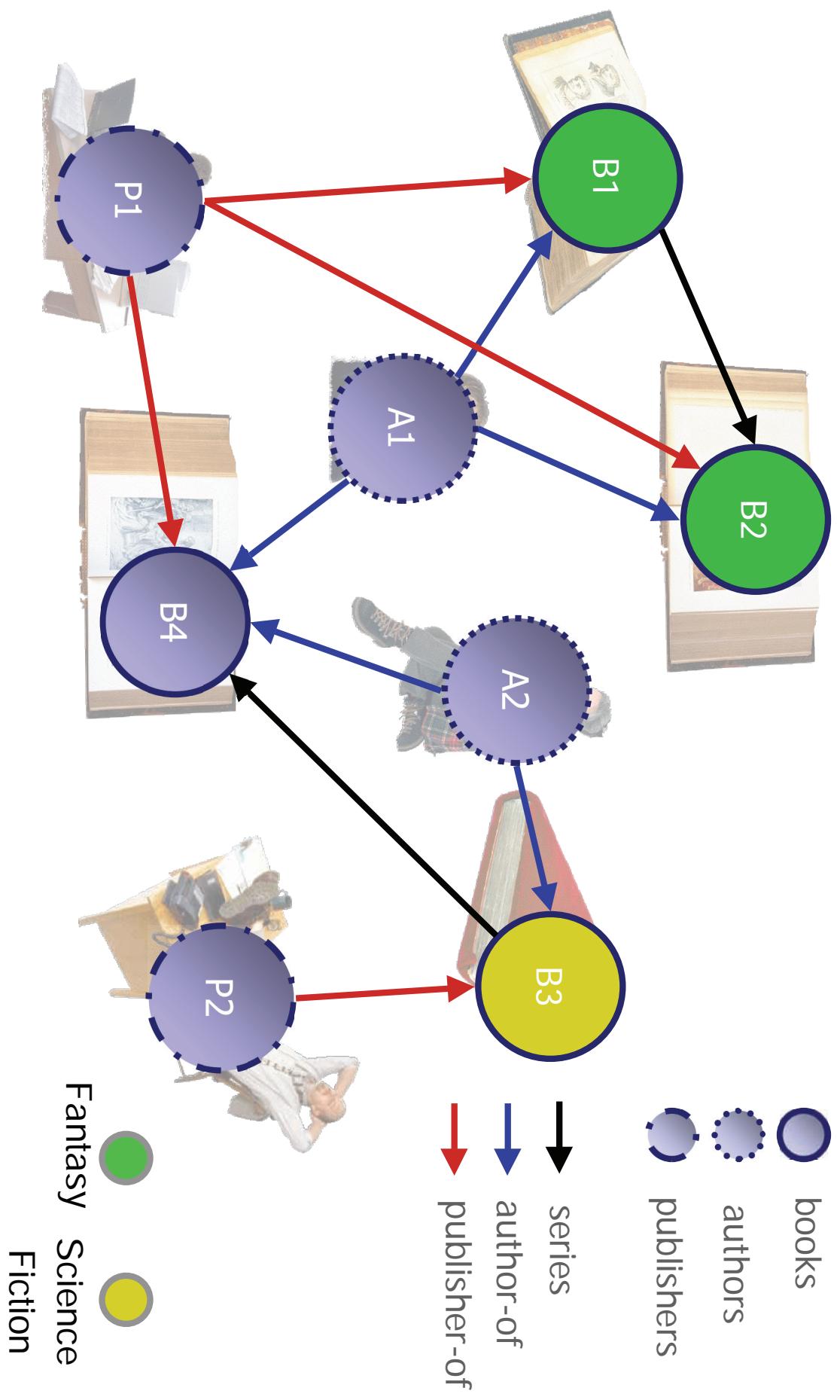
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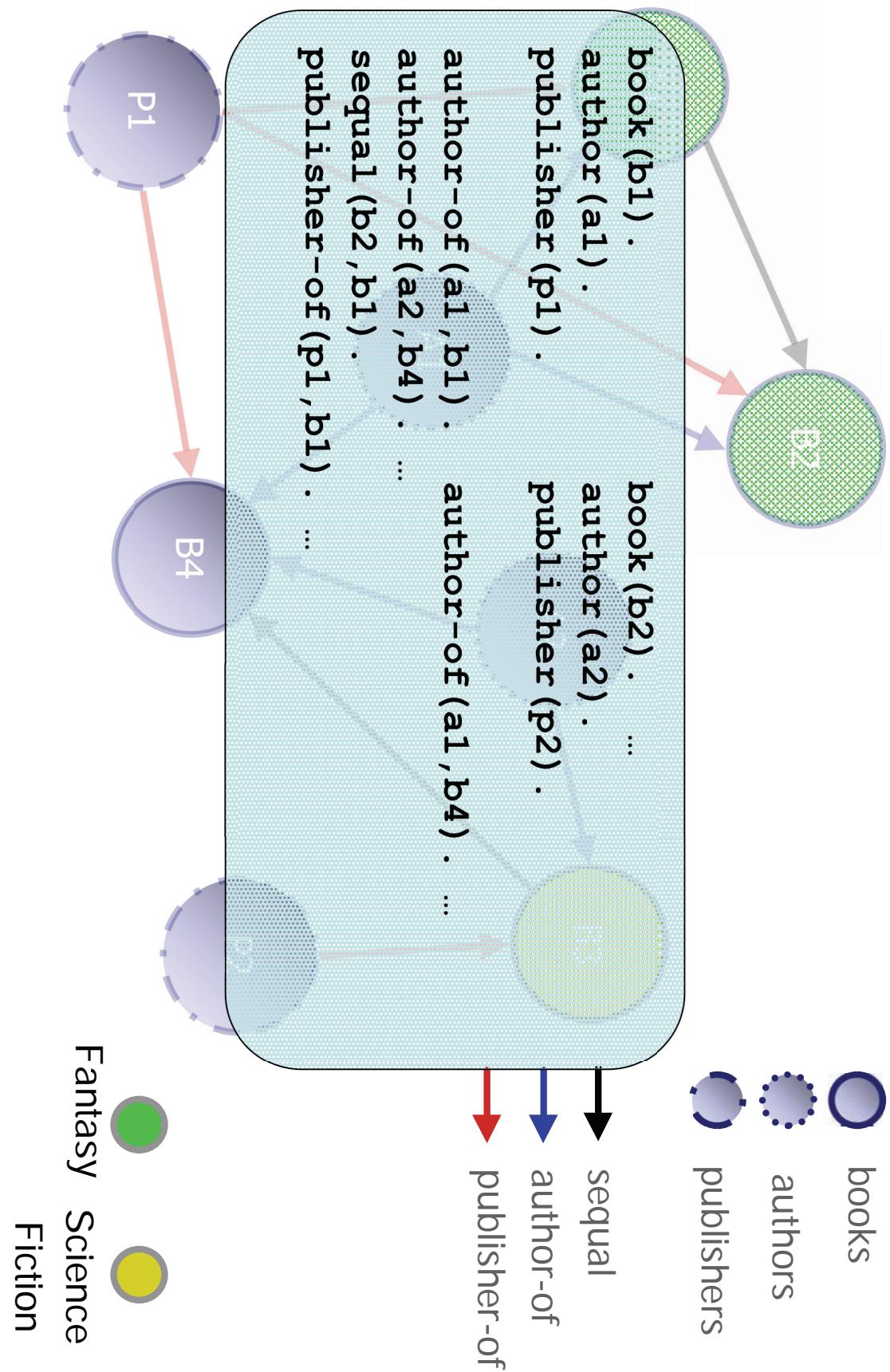
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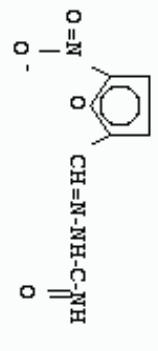


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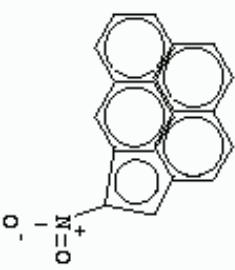


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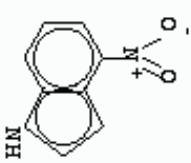


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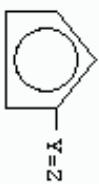
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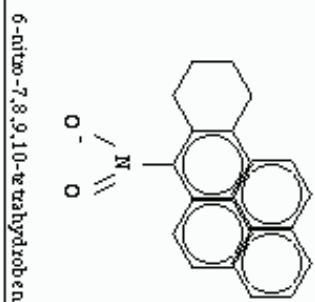


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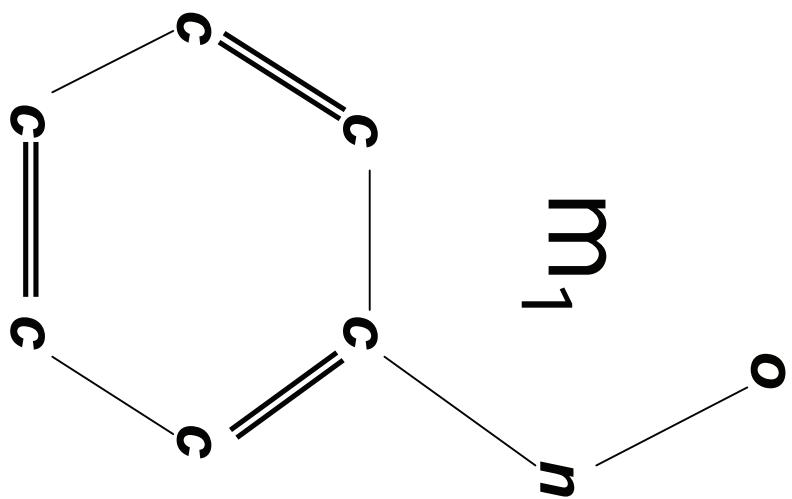
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Scientific Applications

- Discovering
 - New knowledge (readily interpretable)
 - With general purpose relational learning or inductive logic programming systems
 - Published in journals of the scientific application domain
 - Use of domain knowledge



Molecules



```
molecule(m1)
atom(m1, a11, c)
atom(m1, a12, n)
bond(m1, a11, a12)
charge(m1, a11, 0.82)
...
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... other Real World Applications

Protein Secondary Structure



Data Cleaning



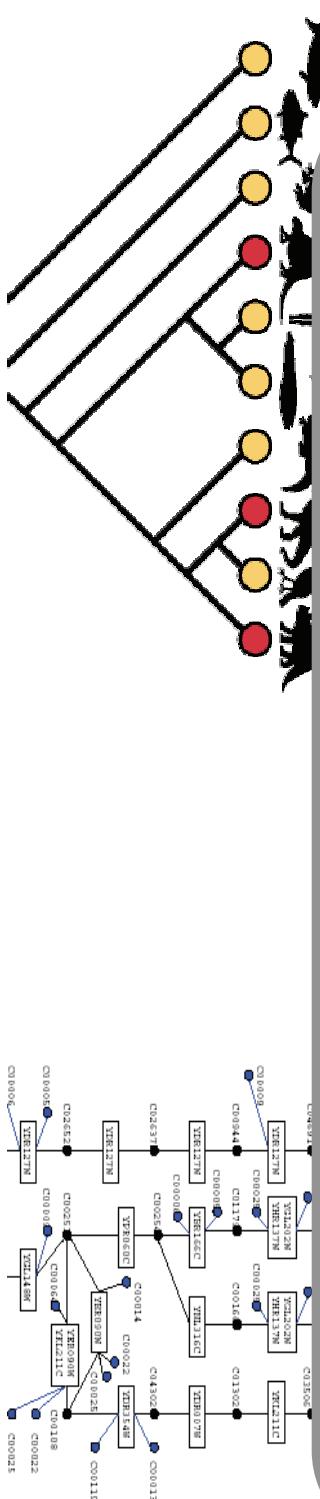
Social Networks



**Knowledge Acquisition Bottleneck,
Data cheap**



Not flat but structured domains
Variable #objects and relations
Dealing with noisy data, missing
data and hidden variables



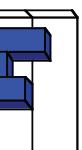


Why do we need Probabilistic ILP*?

*sometimes called statistical relational learning (SRL)

Probabilistic Logics

- no learning: too expensive to handcraft models
- + soft reasoning, expressivity



Statistical Learning (SL)

- attribute-value representations: some learning problems cannot (elegantly) be described using attribute value representations
- + soft reasoning, learning

PILP

Structured Domains



Inductive Logic Programming (ILP)

Multi-Relational Data Mining (MRDM)

- crisp reasoning: some learning problems cannot (elegantly) be described without explicit handling of uncertainty
- + expressivity, learning



The Tutorial's Approach is ...

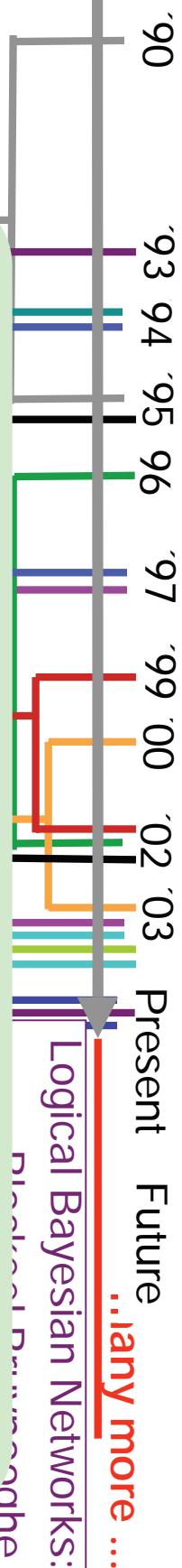
- Start from ILP settings + extend them with **probabilistic methods**
 - Learning from entailment
 - Learning from interpretations
 - Learning from traces or proofs
- Hence, **probabilistic ILP**
- Provide insight in some **logical** issues
- Focus on learning ... but also relevant to KR
 - Probabilities on facts, interpretations, proofs





... but NOT ...

[names in alphabetical order]



- a "lingua franca" for PLL/SRL

First KBV
Bresse,
Bacchus,
Charniak,
Glesner,

De Raedt and Kersting, SIGKDD

Explorations 03 , ALT 04

Goldman,
Koller,
Poole, Wellman

SLPs: Cussens,Muggleton

Markov Logic: Domingos,
Richardson

Prob. CLP: Eisele, Riezler

CLP(BN): Cussens,Page,
Oazi,Santos Costa

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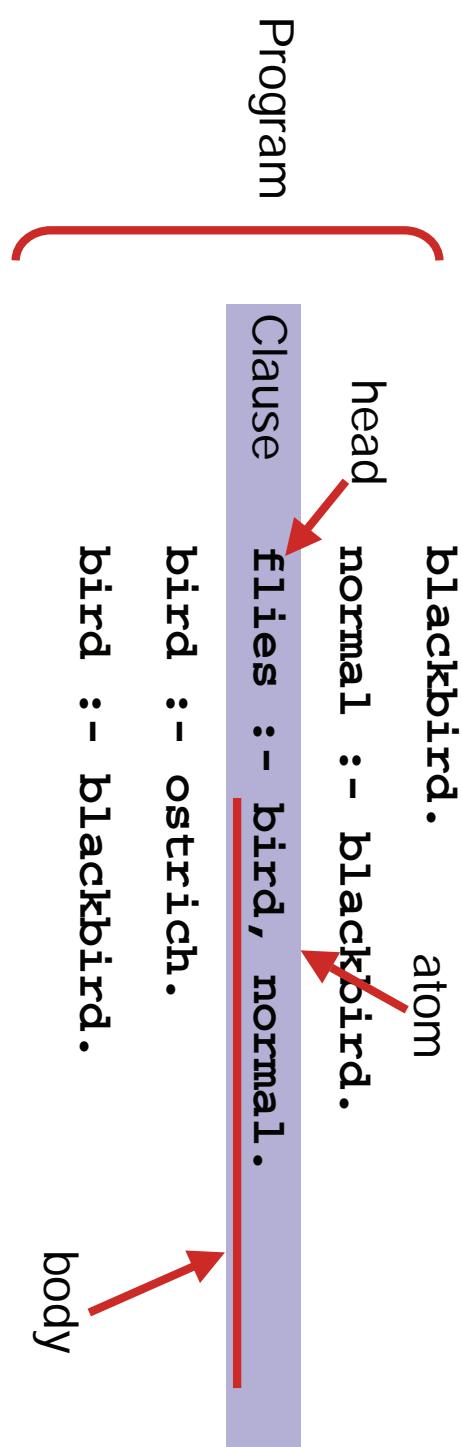
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Propositional Logic



Clauses: IF **bird** and **normal** are true THEN **flies** is true

Herbrand Base (HB) = all atoms in the program

blackbird, **normal**, **flies**, **ostrich**, **bird**



Model Theoretic Semantics

- Restrictions on Possible Worlds -

- Herbrand Interpretation
 - Truth assignments to all elements of HB

- An interpretation is a **model** of a clause C

↔ If the body of C holds then the head holds, too.

blackbird.

normal :- blackbird.

flies :- bird, normal.

bird :- ostrich.

bird :- blackbird.

{blackbird,normal,bird,flies}

Proof Theoretic Semantics



blackbird.

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flies

bird

normal

blackbird

blackbird

blackbird

blackbird



Upgrading - continued

Substitution: Maps variables to terms: {M / ann}:

Functors aggregate objects

mc (P, a) :- mother (ann, P) , pc (ann, a) , mc (ann, a).

Relational Clausal Logic

Constants and variables refer to objects

Herbrand base: set of ground atoms (no variables):

{mc (fred, fred), mc (rex, fred), ...}

Propositional Clausal Logic

Expressions can be true or false

Constant

head

nat (0).

body

clause
nat (succ (x)) :- nat (x).

functor variable

term

atom
nat (succ (succ (0))), ...

Interpretations can be infinite!



Motivation

- We shall start from **logic + learning**
 - Inductive logic programming and relational learning
- **Methodological** practice in ILP
 - Many ILP systems obtained by **upgrading** propositional or **attribute-value learning systems**
 - Is the methodology also applicable to Probabilistic ILP ?
- Inductive logic programming has studied **several settings for learning**
 - Do they also apply to Probabilistic ILP ?

Traditional ILP Problem



- Given

- a set of positive and negative examples (**Pos**, **Neg**)
- a background theory **B**
- \vdash

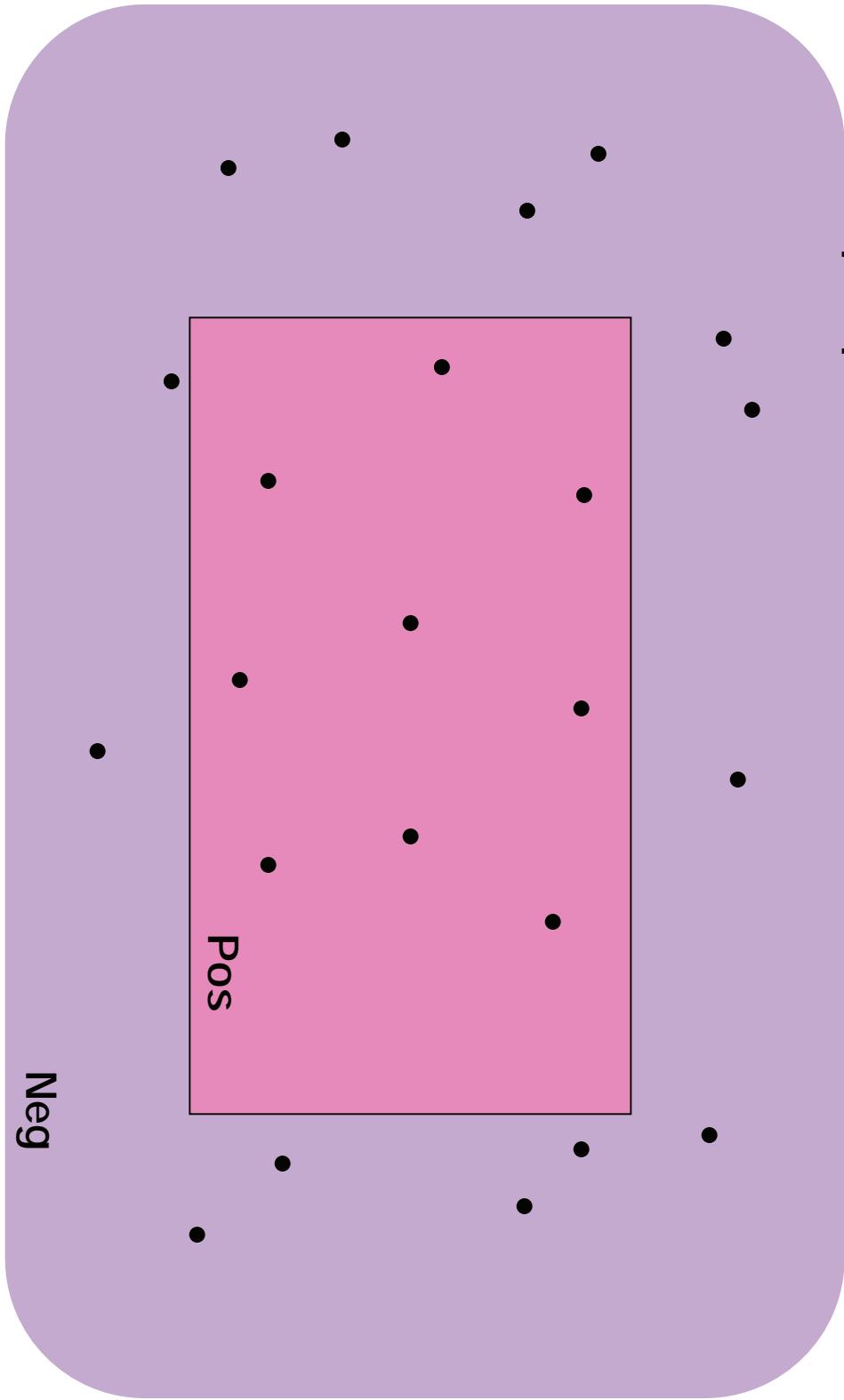
Concept-learning in a
logical/relational representation

- Find

- A hypothesis **h** over **Lh** that covers all positive **Pos** and no negative **Neg** examples taking **B** into account

Traditional ILP Problem

Example space





Three possible choices

- **Entailment**

- $\text{Covers}(\mathcal{H}, e)$ iff $\mathcal{H} \models e$

- **Interpretations**

- $\text{Covers}(\mathcal{H}, e)$ iff e is a model for \mathcal{H}

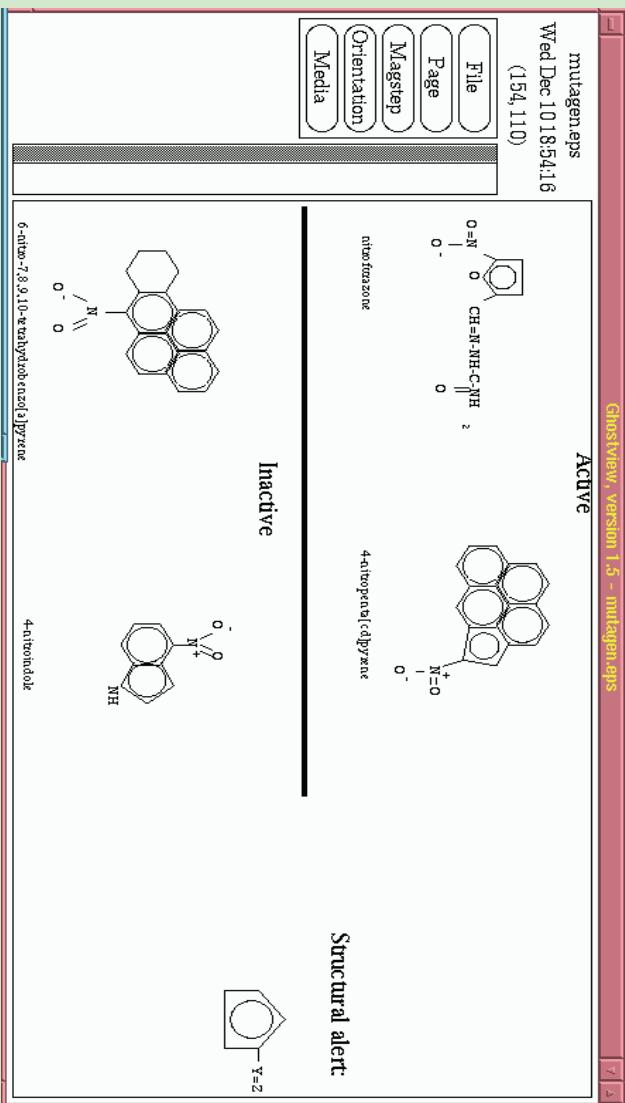
- **Proofs**

- $\text{Covers}(\mathcal{H}, e)$ iff e is a proof for \mathcal{H}

Learning from entailment

- Examples are facts (or clauses)
- An example e is **covered** by a hypothesis h if and only if $B \cup h \models e$

Applications



vasan),



The Mutagenicity dataset



Background theory

```
molecule(225).
logmutag(225,0.64).
lumo(225,-1.785).
logp(225,1.01).
nitro(225,[f1_4,f1_8,f1_10,f1_9]).
```

bond(225,f1_1,f1_2,7) .
bond(225,f1_2,f1_3,7) .
bond(225,f1_3,f1_4,7) .
bond(225,f1_4,f1_5,7) .
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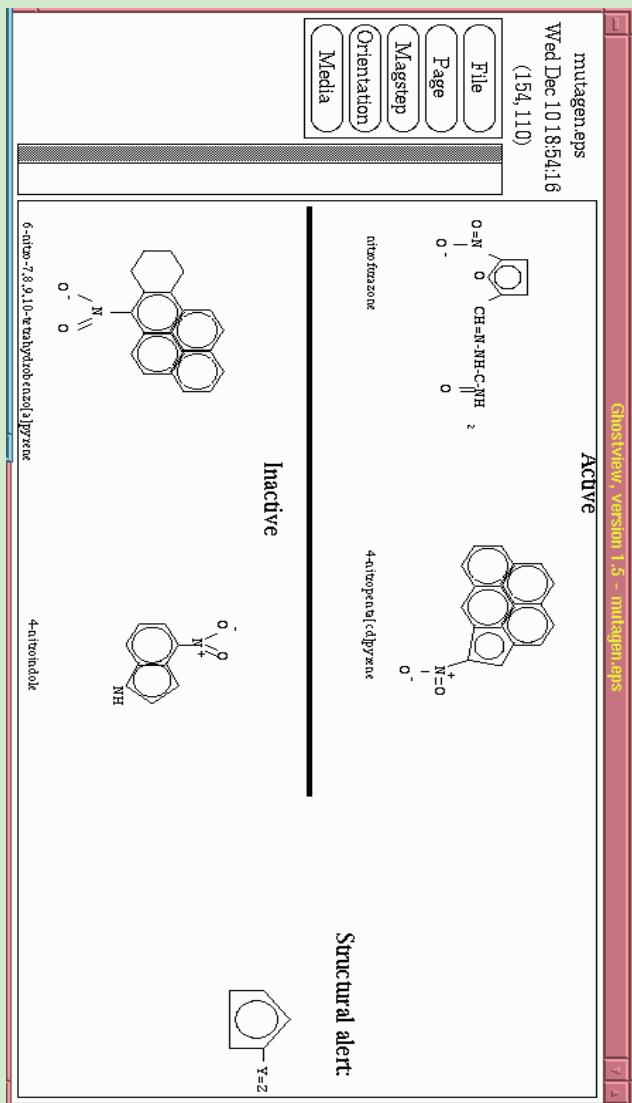
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Applications



Example

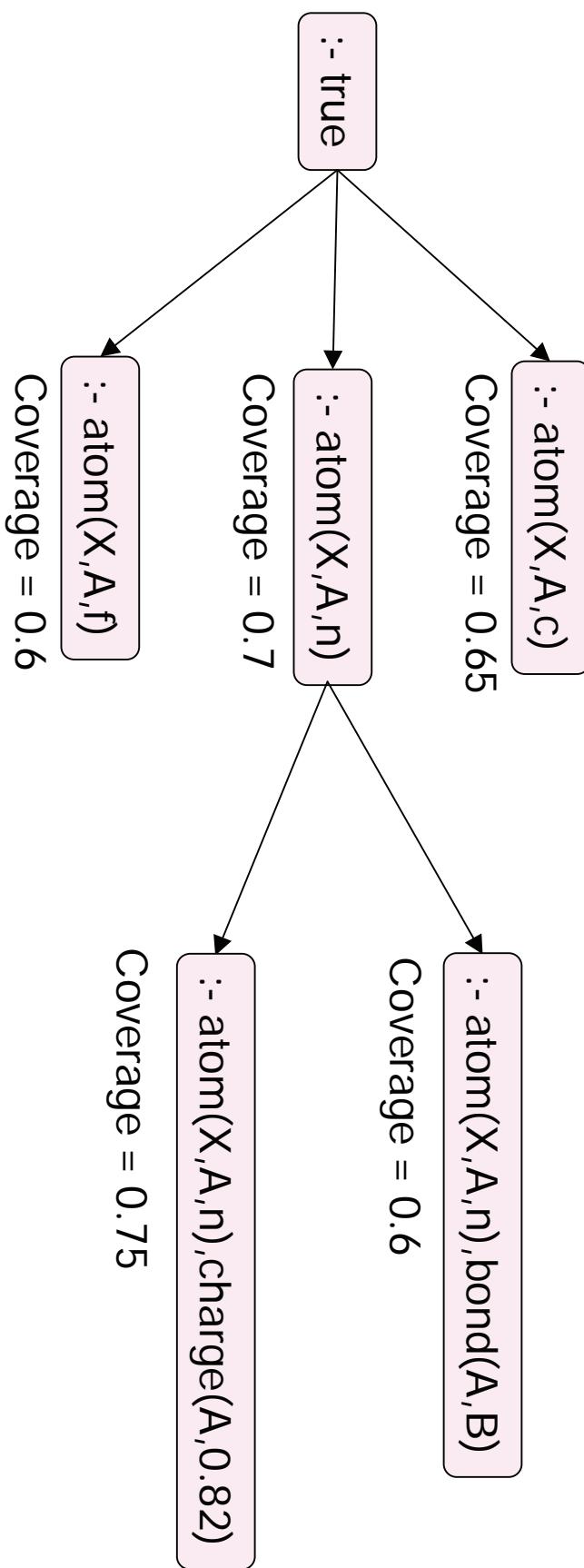
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Example ILP Algorithm: FOIL (Quinlan 1990)

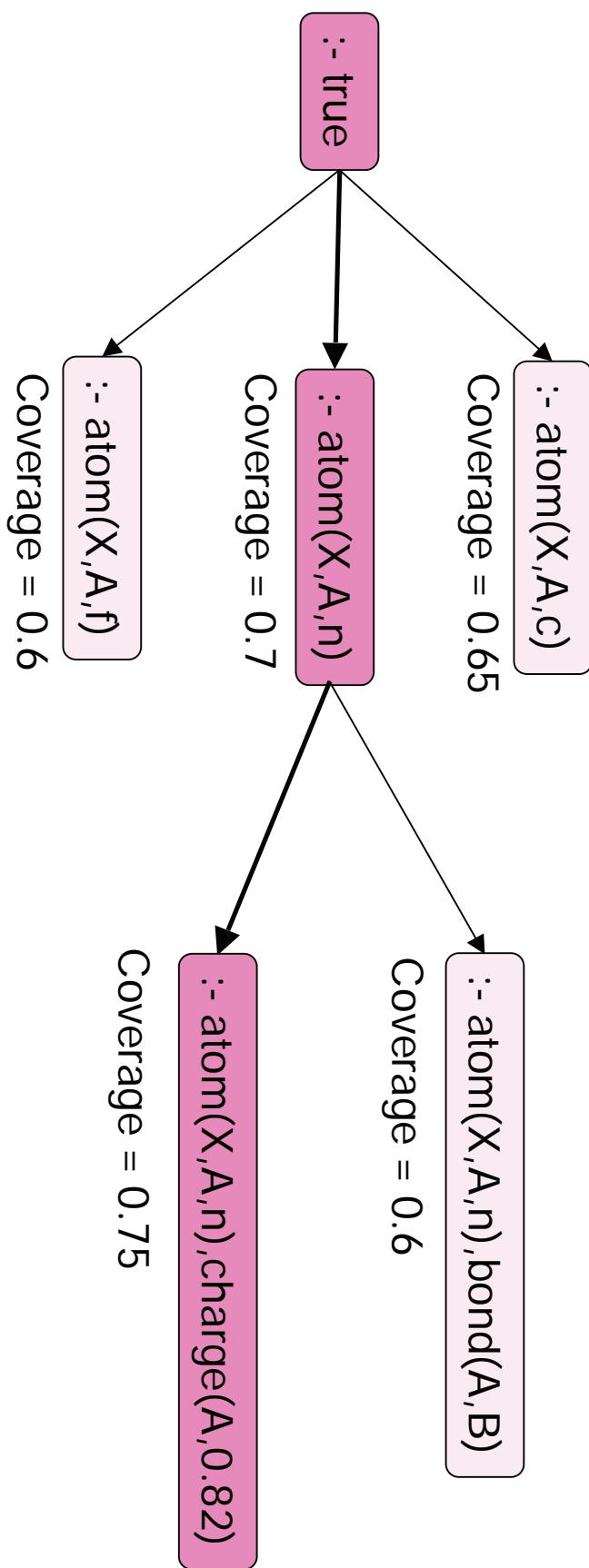
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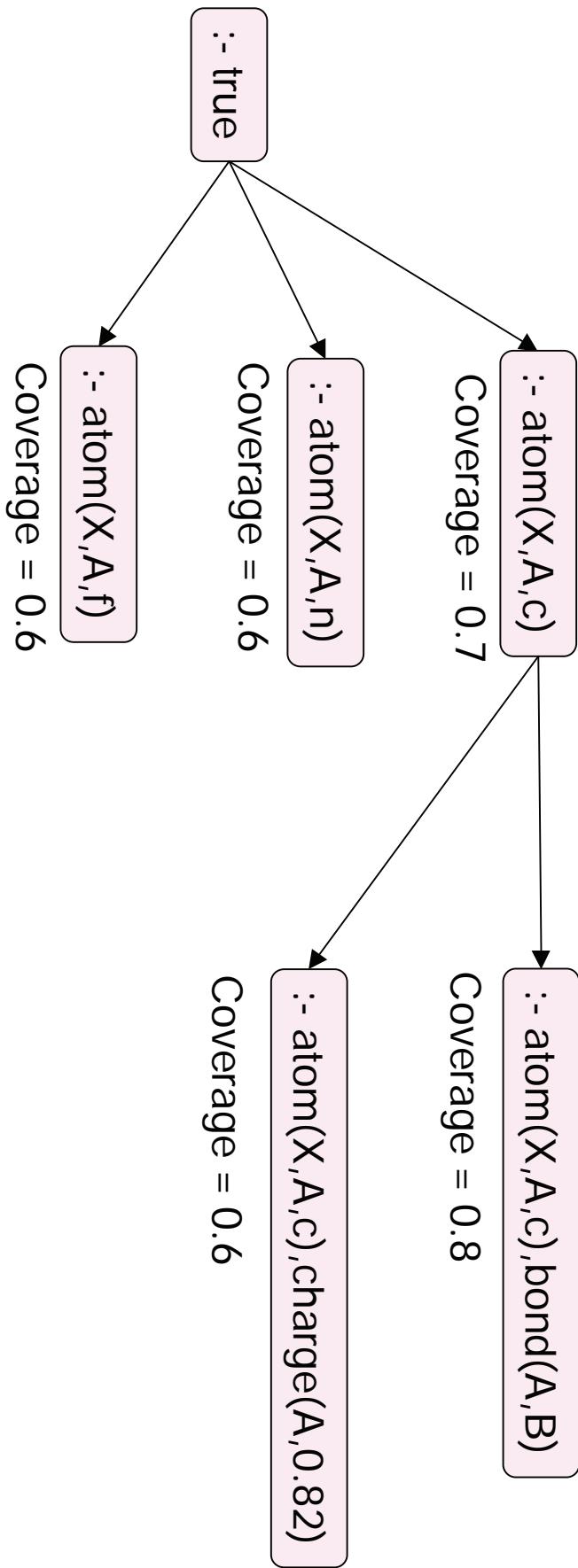


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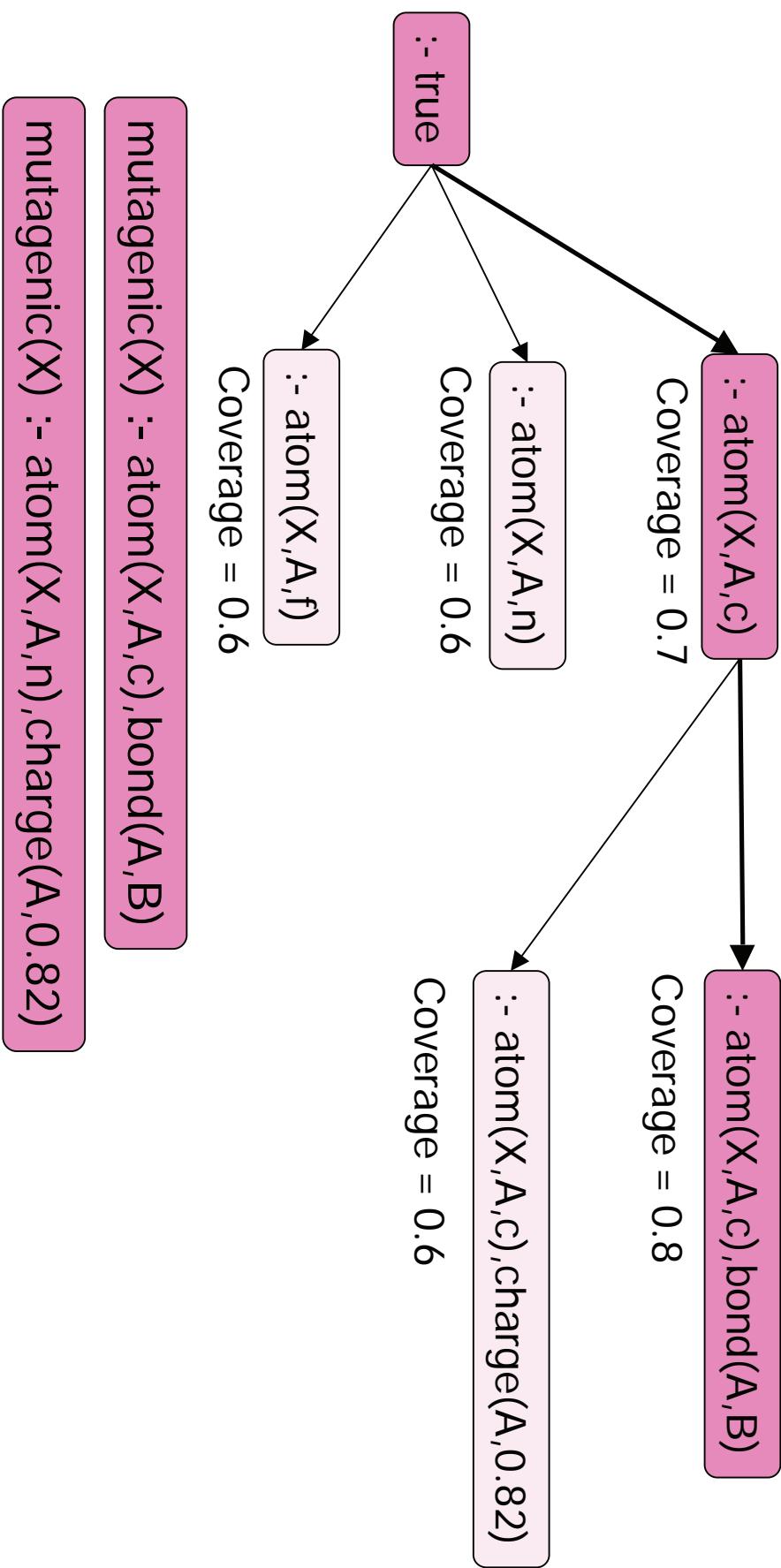


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mutagenic(X) :- atom(X,A,c),charge(A,0.45)
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mutagenic(X) :- atom(X,A,c),bond(A,B)
```

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ILP Principles



- Searching the space of hypotheses
 - Using ordering such as theta-subsumption
 - Using refinement operators
- Limitations of traditional machine learning
 - Dealing with structured data instead of feature vector, attribute value, boolean, propositional etc. representations
 - Employing background knowledge
 - Interpretability of results
- Application areas
 - Chemo- and bio-informatics, e.g. predictive toxicology
 - Language learning and information retrieval
 - Ecological applications
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Learning from Interpretations



- Examples are (Herbrand) interpretations,
i.e., sets of ground facts
- An example e is **covered** by a hypothesis h
if and only if the example is a **model** for the
hypothesis h
- Well known examples
 - Logan-H (Kharden), Claudien (De Raedt and Dehaspe),
Warmr (Dehaspe), ...

An example

- **Examples**

- Positive: { human(luc), human(lieve), male(luc), female(lieve)}
- Negative: { bat(dracula), male(dracula), vampire(dracula)}
- ...

- **Discriminative Hypothesis**

- Learning from positives and negatives (possibles / impossibles)
- $\text{human}(X) :- \text{male}(X)$
- Interpretation I is a **model** for clause $h :- b_1, \dots, b_n$ iff for all θ such that $\{b_1\theta, \dots, b_n\theta\} \subseteq I$, we have that $h\theta$ in I
- Consider $\{\text{X}=dracula\}$ for negative



An example

- Examples
 - Positive: { human(luc), human(lieve), male(luc), female(lieve) }

Characteristic Hypothesis

- Learning from positives (possibles) only
- human(X) :- female(X)
- human(X) :- male(X)

Applications

- Finding integrity constraints / frequent patterns in relational databases

Learning from Traces/Proofs



- Examples are **proof trees**
- An example e is **covered** by a hypothesis h if and only if e is a legal **proof tree** in h

Applications

- W
 - Tree bank grammar learning
 - Program synthesis
- Shapiro's MIS poses queries in order to reconstruct trace or proof



An example

```
sentence(A, B) :- noun_phrase(C, A, D), verb_phrase(C, D, B).  
noun_phrase(A, B, C) :- article(A, B, D), noun(A, D, C).  
verb_phrase(A, B, C) :- intransitive_verb(A, B, C).  
article(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, a, B).  
article(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, the, B).  
article(plural, A, B) :- terminal(A, the, B).  
noun(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, turtle, B).  
noun(plural, A, B) :- terminal(A, turtles, B).
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Use of different Settings

Learning from entailment - The state-of-the-art

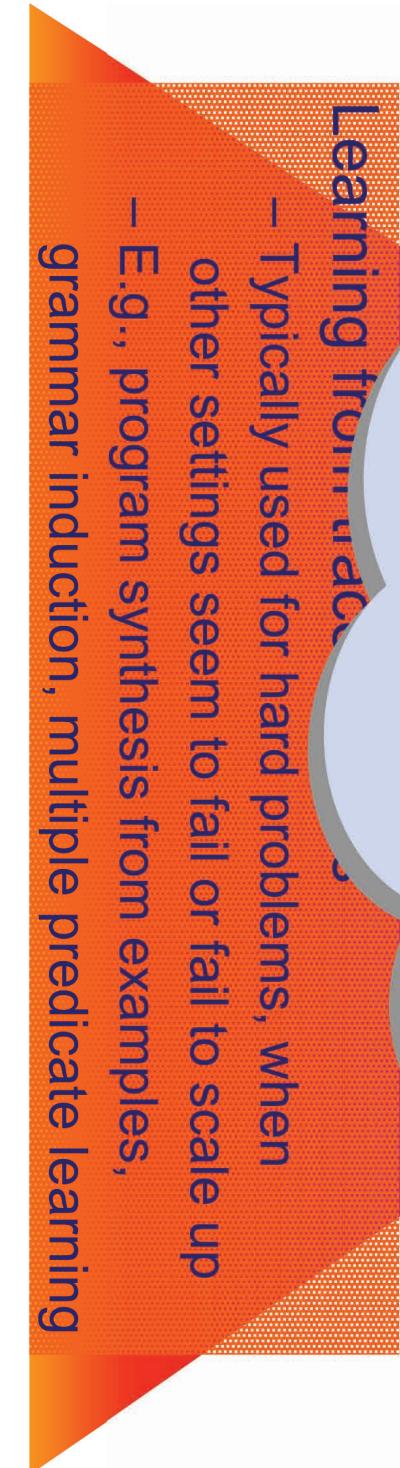
Different settings provide different levels of information about target program
(cf. De Raedt, AIJ 97)

Learning from oracle

- Typically used for hard problems, when other settings seem to fail or fail to scale up
- E.g., program synthesis from examples, grammar induction, multiple predicate learning

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Information





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Probabilistic ILP: What Changes?



- Clauses annotated with **probability labels**
 - E.g. in Sato's Prism, Eisele and Muggleton's SLPs, Kersting and De Raedt's BLPs, ...
- Prob. covers relation **covers(e,H U B) = $P(e | H, B)$**
 - Probability of example given background and hypothesis
 - Probability distribution **P** over the different values e can take; so far only (true, false)
 - impossible examples have probability 0
- Knowledge representation issue
 - Define probability distribution on examples / individuals
 - What are these examples / individuals?

Probabilistic ILP Problem

Given

- a set of examples E
- a background theory B
- a language L_e to represent examples
- a language L_h to represent hypotheses
- a **probabilistic covers** P relation on $L_e \times L_h$

Find

- hypothesis h^* maximizing some score based on the probabilistic covers relation



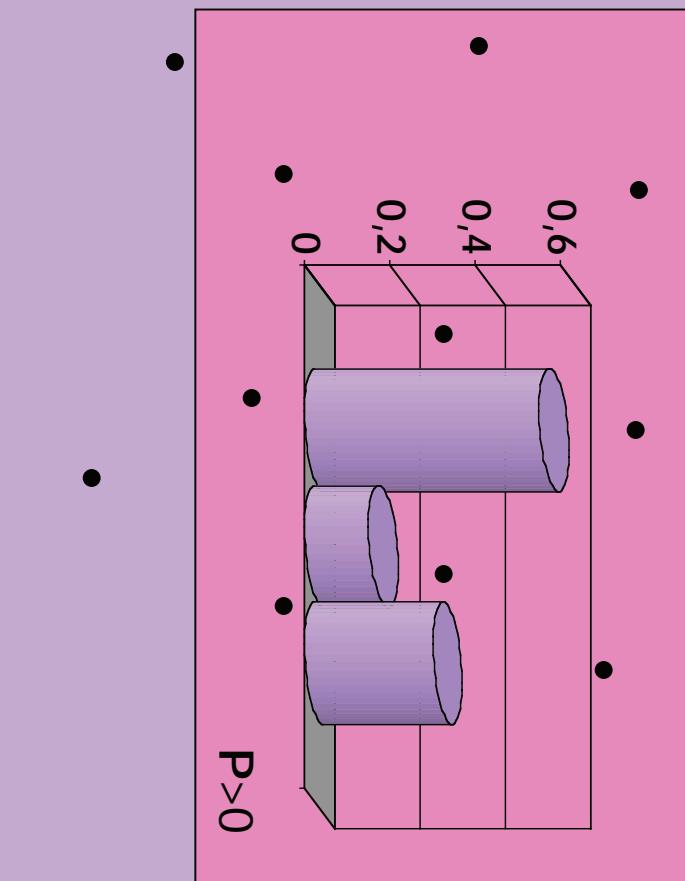
Probabilistic LP: Three Issues

- Defining L_h and P
- Clauses + Probability Labels
- Learning Methods
 - Parameter Estimation
 - Learning probability labels for fixed clauses
 - Structure learning
 - Learning both components





Example space



P>0

Probabilistic ILP Problem

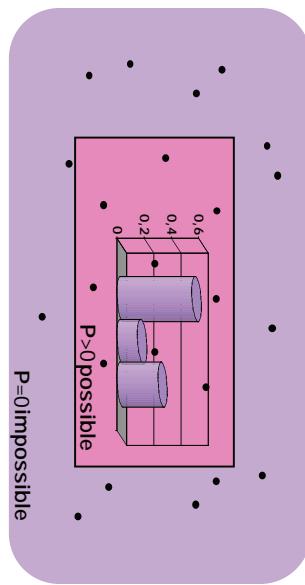
Probabilistic ILP: Two Objectives

- **Generative Learning**

- Estimate joint probability distribution

- E.g., likelihood + iid

$$h^* = \arg \max_h P(e|h, B)$$
$$= \arg \max_h \prod_i P(e_i|h, B)$$



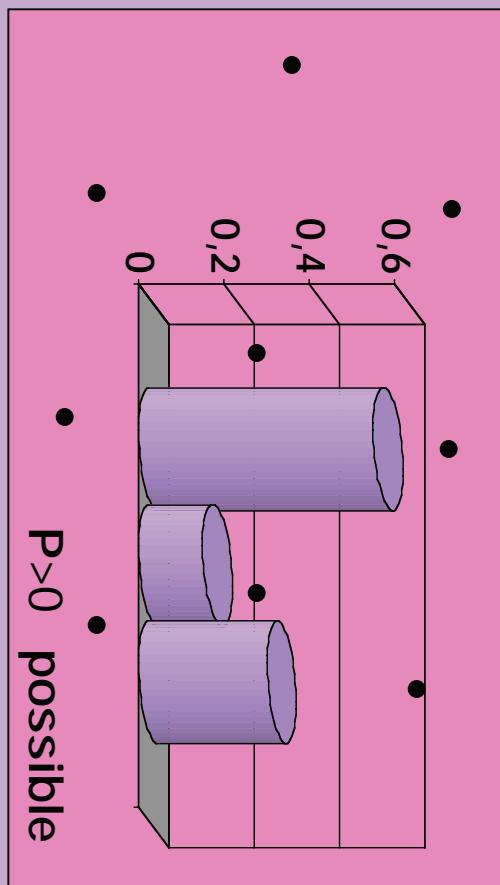
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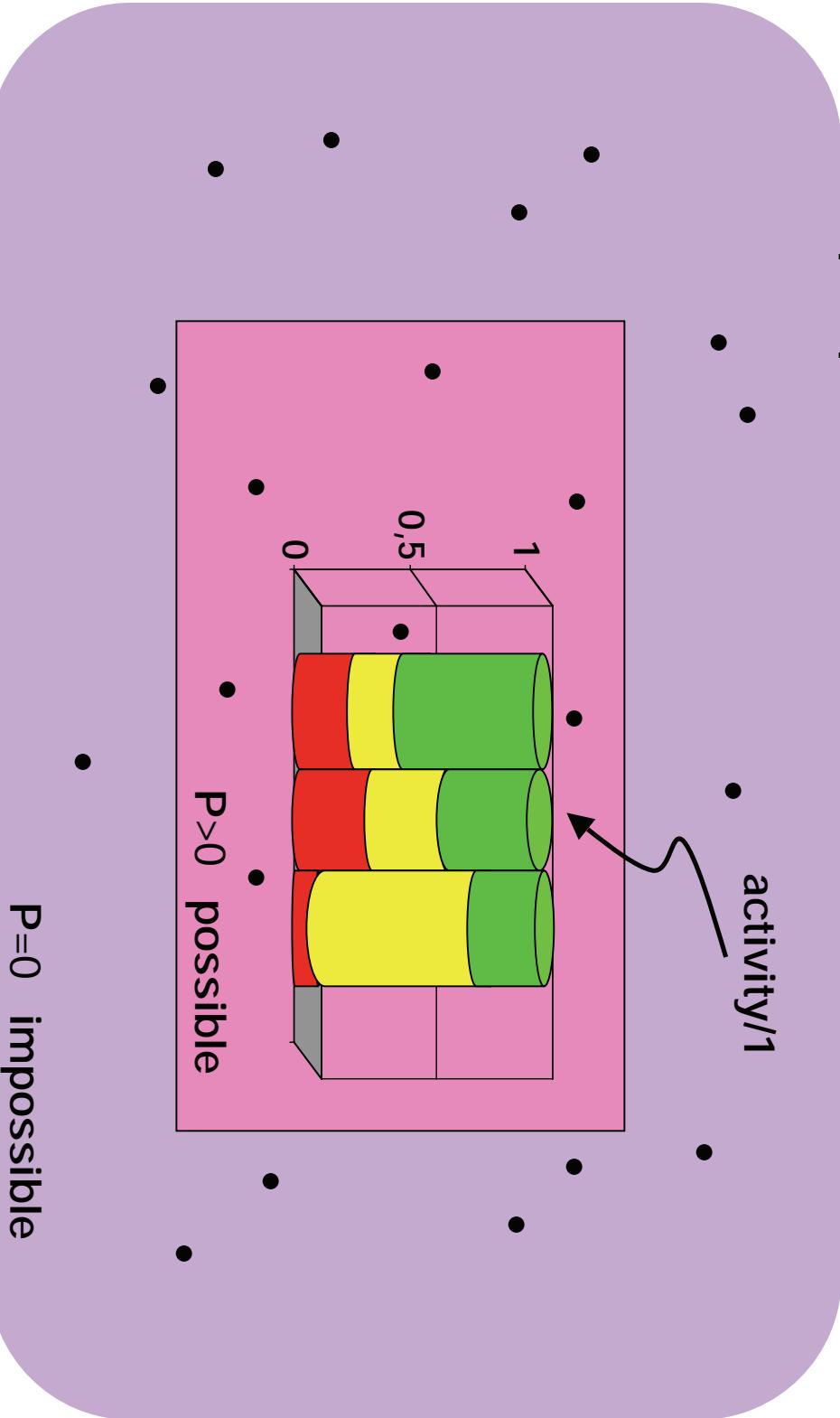
Example space



$P=0$ impossible

Probabilistic ILP Problem

Example space



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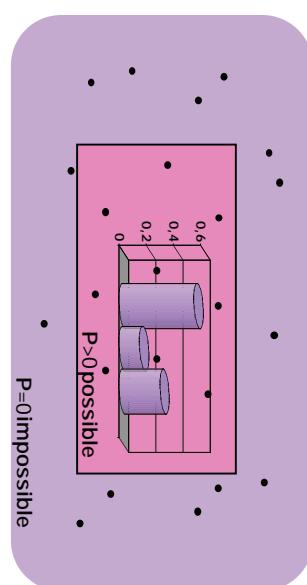


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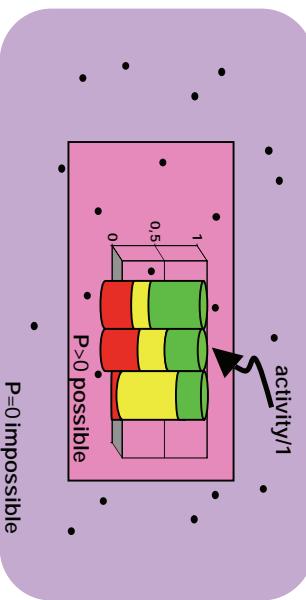
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Example Space

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$$\begin{aligned} C^* &= \arg \max_C P(e|c, h \setminus c, B) \\ &= \arg \max_C \prod_i P(e_i|c, h \setminus c, B) \end{aligned}$$





Probabilistic LP: Three Settings

- **Probabilistic learning from entailment**

- Eichele and Muggleton's Stochastic Logic Programs, Sato's Prism, Poole's ICL

- **Probabilistic learning from proofs**

- Learning the structure of SLPs; a tree-bank grammar based approach, Logical HMMs, Anderson's RMNs

- **Probabilistic learning from interpretations**

- Bayesian logic programs, Koller's PRMs, Domingos' MLNs, Vennekens' LPADs, Taskar's RMNs

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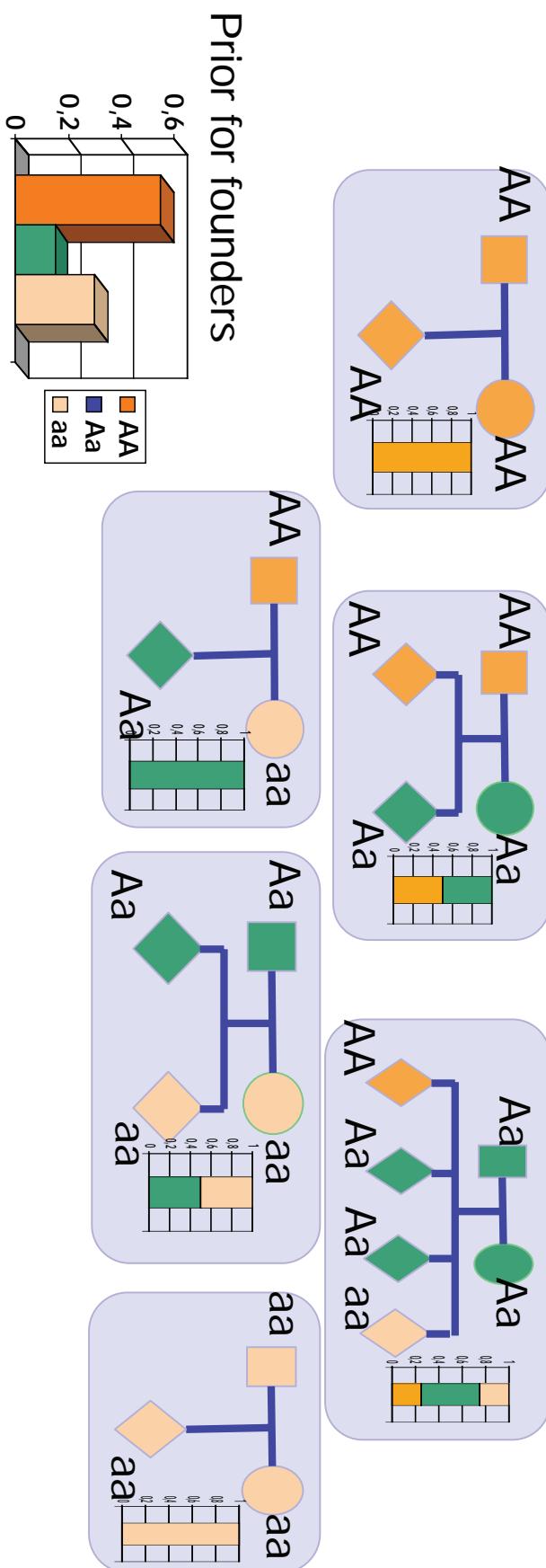
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Blood Type / Genetics/ Breeding

- 2 Alleles: A and a
- Probability of Genotypes AA, Aa, aa ?





[Illustration inspired by Kevin Murphy]

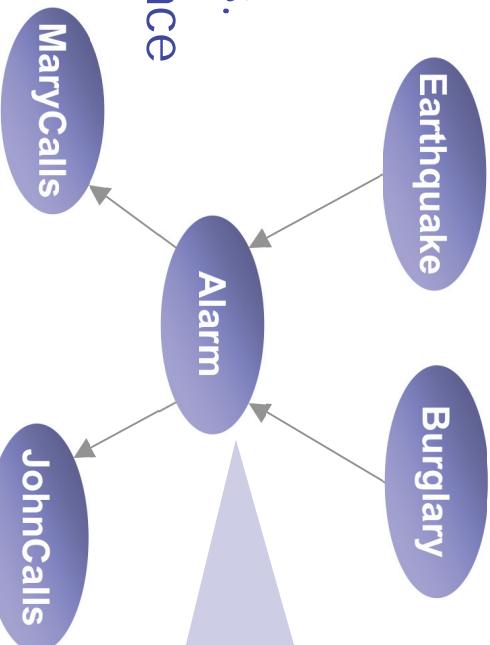
Compact representation of joint probability distributions

$$P(E, B, A, M, J)$$

Qualitative part:

Directed acyclic graph

- Nodes - random vars.
- Edges - direct influence



		$P(A B, E)$	
E	B		
e	b	0.9	0.1
	\bar{b}	0.2	0.8
\bar{e}	b	0.9	0.1
	\bar{b}	0.01	0.99

Quantitative part:

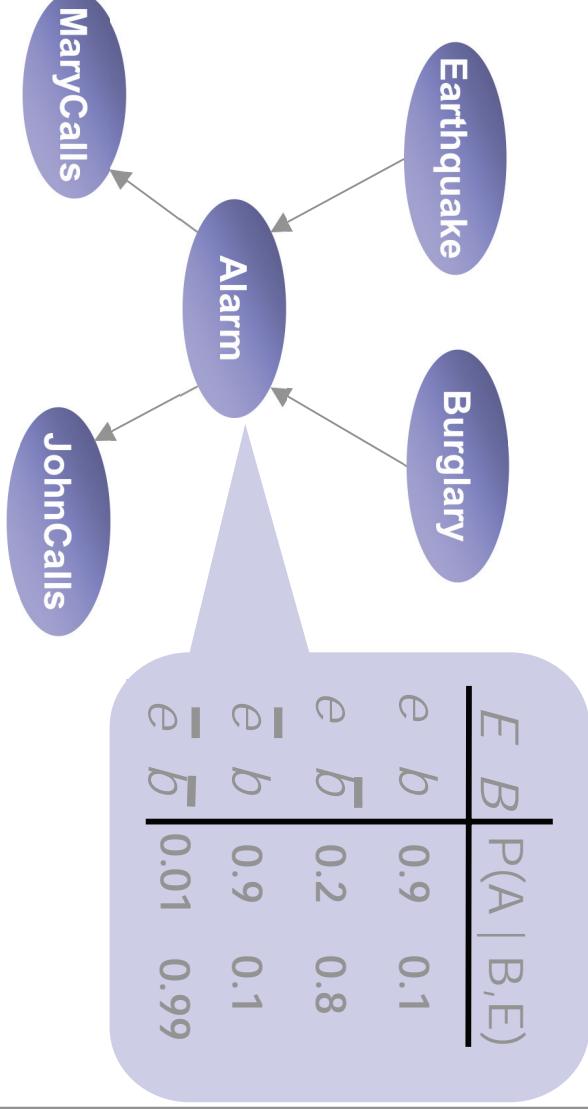
Set of conditional probability distributions

Together:

Define a unique distribution
in a compact, factored form

$$P(E, B, A, M, J) = P(E) * P(B) * P(A|E, B) * P(M|A) * P(J|A)$$

Bayesian Networks [Pearl]



$$\begin{aligned}
 P(j) = & P(j|a) * P(m|a) * P(a|e,b) * P(e) * P(b) \\
 + & P(j|\bar{a}) * P(\bar{m}|\bar{a}) * P(\bar{a}|e,\bar{b}) * P(\bar{e}) * P(\bar{b}) \\
 \dots \\
 + & P(j|\bar{a}) * P(\bar{m}|\bar{a}) * P(\bar{a}|e,\bar{b}) * P(\bar{e}) * P(\bar{b})
 \end{aligned}$$

Bayesian nets: Parameter Estimation

complete data set
simply counting

A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6	
true	true	false	true	false	false	X1
false	true	true	true	false	false	X2
...	:
true	false	false	true	true	true	X \bar{M}



Bayesian nets: Parameter Estimation

incomplete data set

hidden/
latent

Real-world data: states of some
random variables are missing

- E.g. medical
diagnose: not all
patient are subjects
to all test
- Parameter reduction,
e.g. clustering, ...

A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6
true	true	?	true	false	false
?	true	?	?	false	false
...
true	false	?	true	?	missing value

Expectation-Maximization (EM): Idea

- In the case of complete data, ML parameter estimation is easy:
 - simply counting (1 iteration)

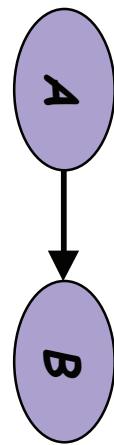
Incomplete data?

1. Complete data (imputation)
 - most probable?, average?, ... value
2. Count
3. Iterate



EM Idea: Complete the data

incomplete data



		A	B
		true	true
true	true	?	
	false	true	
false	true	false	
	false	?	

$P(B = \text{true} | A = \text{true}) = 0.6$

$P(B = \text{true} | A = \text{false}) = 0.2$

complete data

expected counts

count + iterate

A	B	N
true	true	1.6
true	false	1.4
false	true	1.2
false	false	0.8

$$\theta_{B=\text{true} | A=\text{true}} = \frac{1.6}{1.6 + 1.4} = 0.54$$

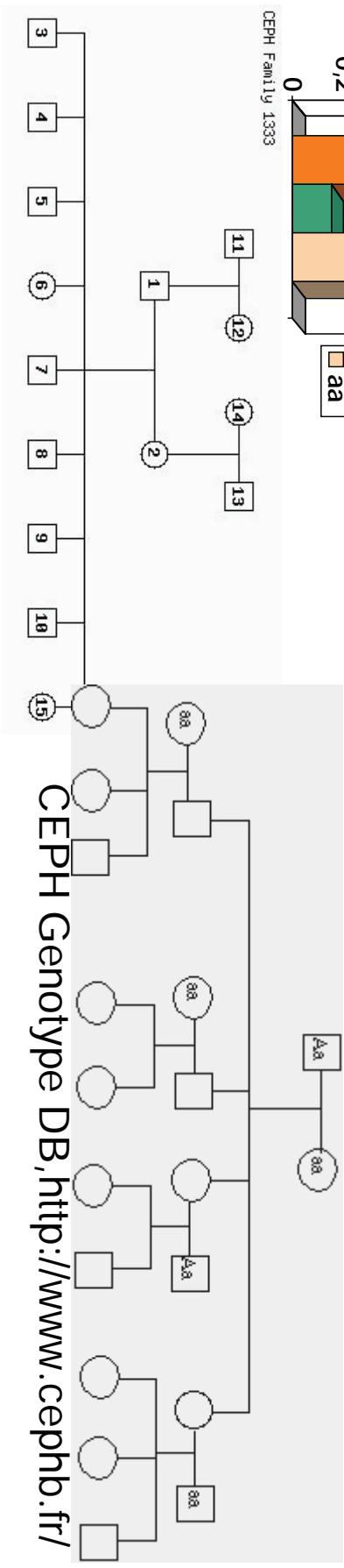
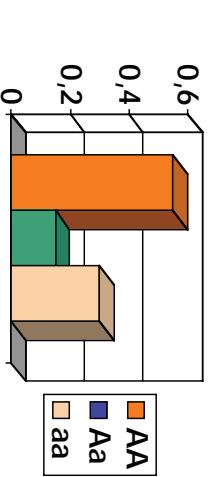
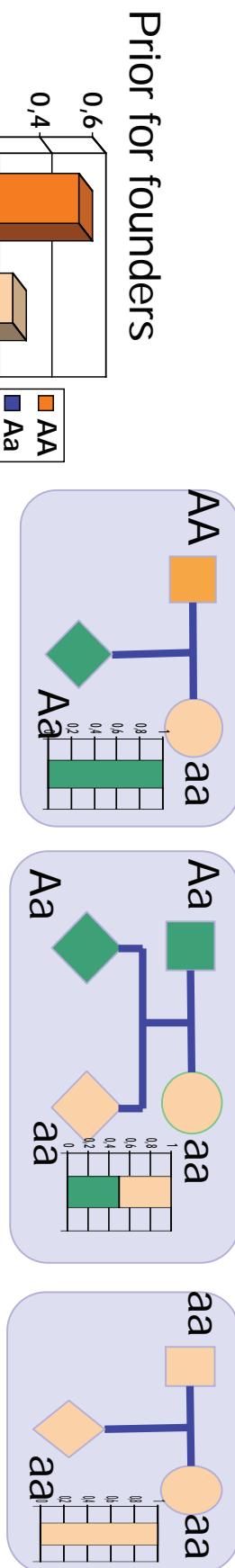
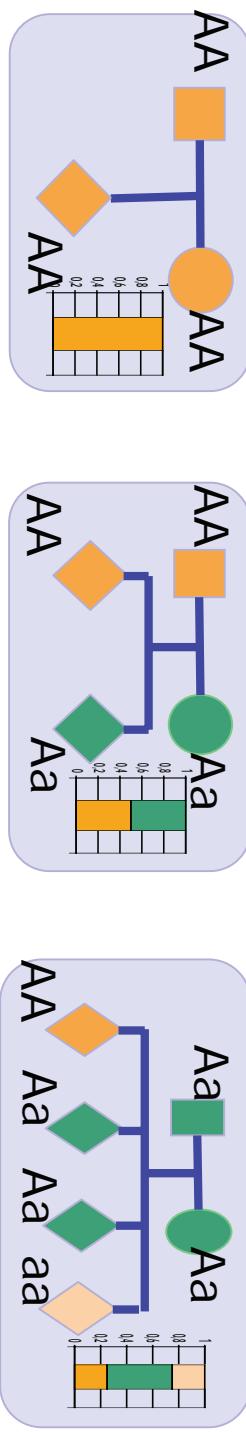
$$\theta_{B=\text{true} | A=\text{false}} = \frac{1.2}{1.2 + 0.8} = 0.6$$



Application of Probabilistic
Inductive Logic Programming

Blood Type / Genetics/ Breeding

- 2 Alleles: A and a
- Probability of Genotypes AA, Aa, aa ?



Probabilistic Relational Models (PRMs)

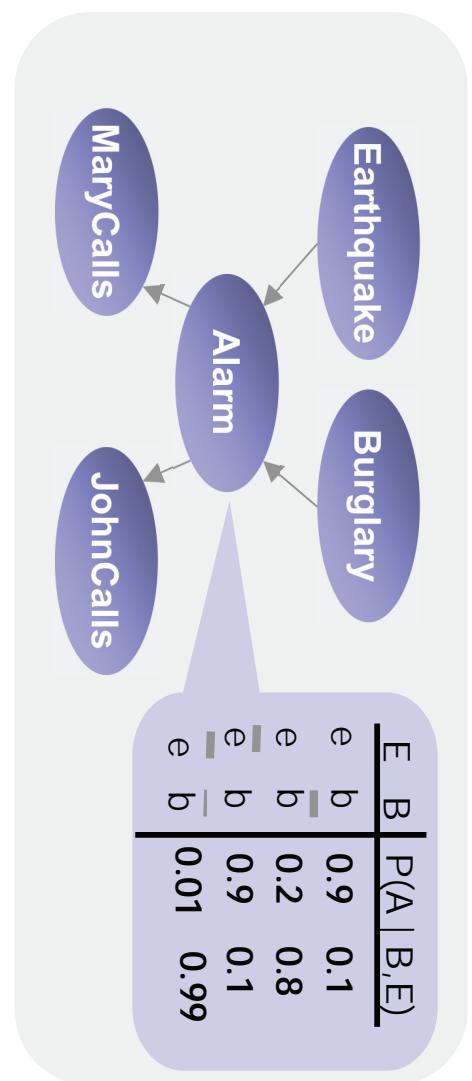
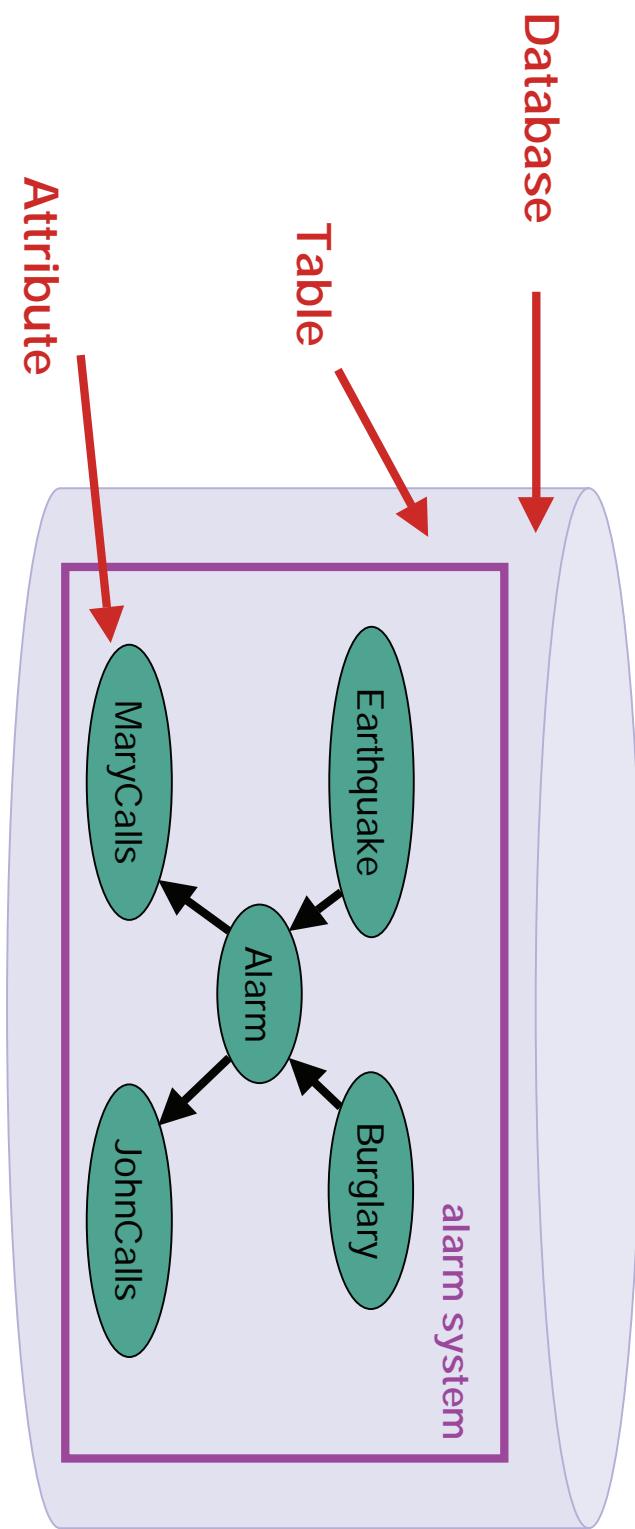
[Getoor, Koller, Pfeffer]



Probabilistic
Relational
Models

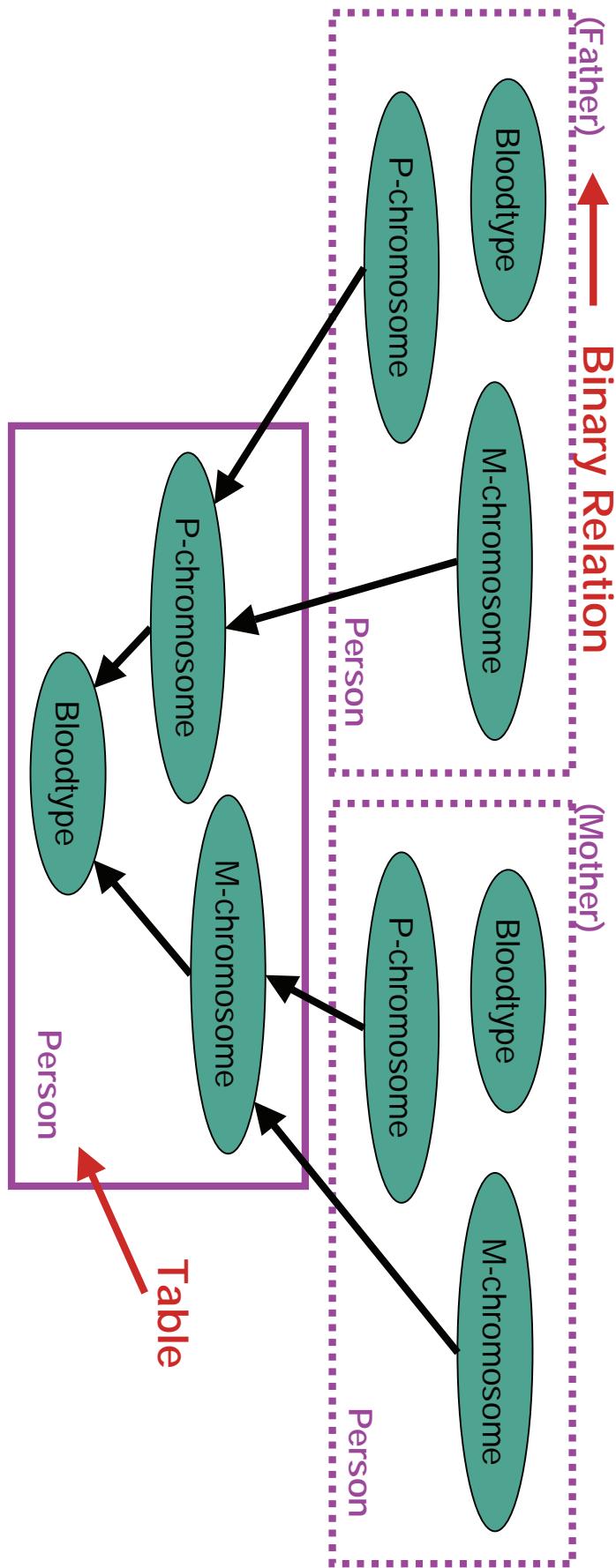
- Database theory
- Entity-Relationship Models

– Attributes = RVs



Probabilistic Relational Models (PRMs)

[Getoor, Koller, Pfeffer]



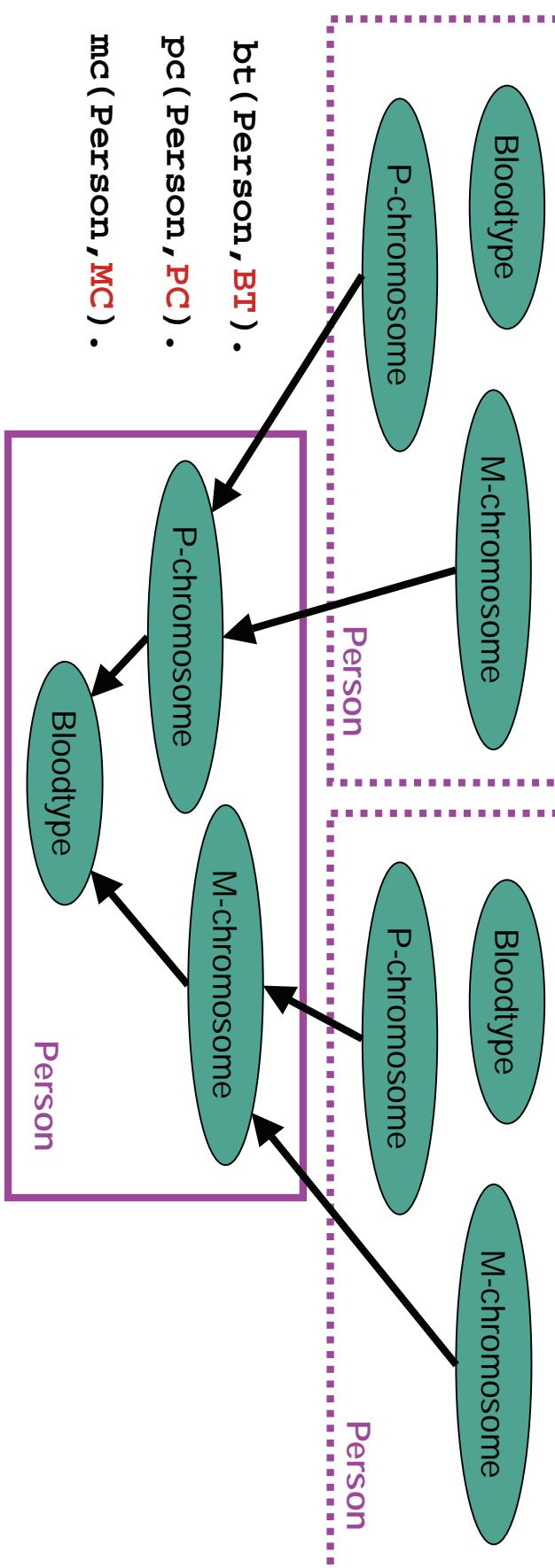


Probabilistic Relational Models (PRMs)

[Getoor, Koller, Pfeffer]

(Father) $\text{father}(\text{Father}, \text{Person})$.

(Mother) $\text{mother}(\text{Mother}, \text{Person})$.



Dependencies (CPDs associated with):

$\text{bt}(\text{Person}, \text{BT}) :- \text{pc}(\text{Person}, \text{PC}), \text{mc}(\text{Person}, \text{MC})$.

$\text{pc}(\text{Person}, \text{PC}) :- \text{pc_father}(\text{Father}, \text{PCF}), \text{mc_father}(\text{Father}, \text{MCF})$.

View :

$\text{pc_father}(\text{Person}, \text{PCF}) \mid \text{father}(\text{Father}, \text{Person}), \text{pc}(\text{Father}, \text{PC})$.

...



Probabilistic Relational Models (PRMs)

[Getoor, Koller, Pfeffer]

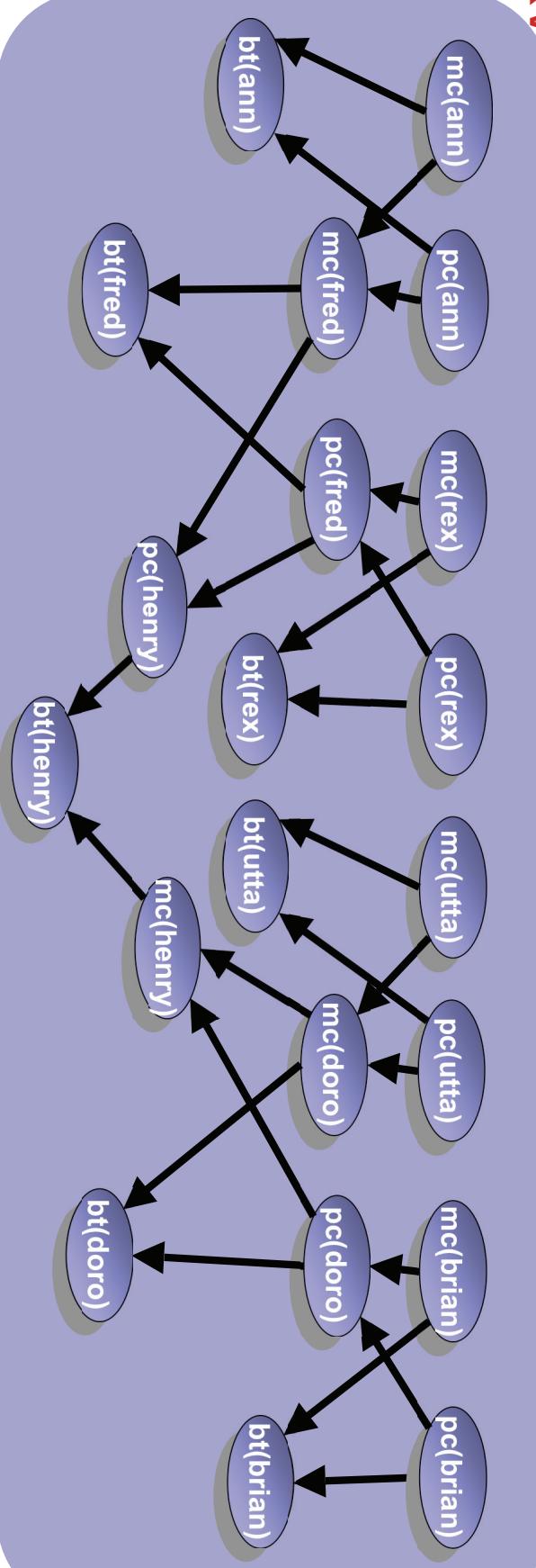
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 $\text{father}(\text{fred}, \text{henry})$.
 $\text{mother}(\text{ann}, \text{fred})$.
 $\text{mother}(\text{utta}, \text{doro})$.
 $\text{mother}(\text{doro}, \text{henry})$.

$\text{pc_father}(\text{Person}, \text{PCF}) \mid \text{father}(\text{Father}, \text{Person}), \text{pc}(\text{Father}, \text{PC})$.

...

$\text{mc}(\text{Person}, \text{MC}) \mid \text{pc_mother}(\text{Person}, \text{PCM}), \text{pc_mother}(\text{Person}, \text{MCM})$.
 $\text{pc}(\text{Person}, \text{PC}) \mid \text{pc_father}(\text{Person}, \text{PCF}), \text{mc_father}(\text{Person}, \text{MCF})$.
 $\text{bt}(\text{Person}, \text{BT}) \mid \text{pc}(\text{Person}, \text{PC}), \text{mc}(\text{Person}, \text{MC})$.

RV
State



[Segal et al.]



Gene Regulation

- System Biology
- Gene expression: two-phase process
 - 1. Gene is transcribed into mRNA Measured by gene expression microarrays
 - 2. mRNA is translated Protein
- Genes that are similar expressed are often coregulated and involved in the same cellular processes
- Clustering: identification of clusters of genes and/or experiments that share similar expression patterns

PRM Application: Gene Regulation

[Segal et al.]

- System Biology: heterogeneous data
- Limitations of Clustering:
 - Similarities over all measurements
 - Difficult to incorporate readily background knowledge such as clinical data or experimental details



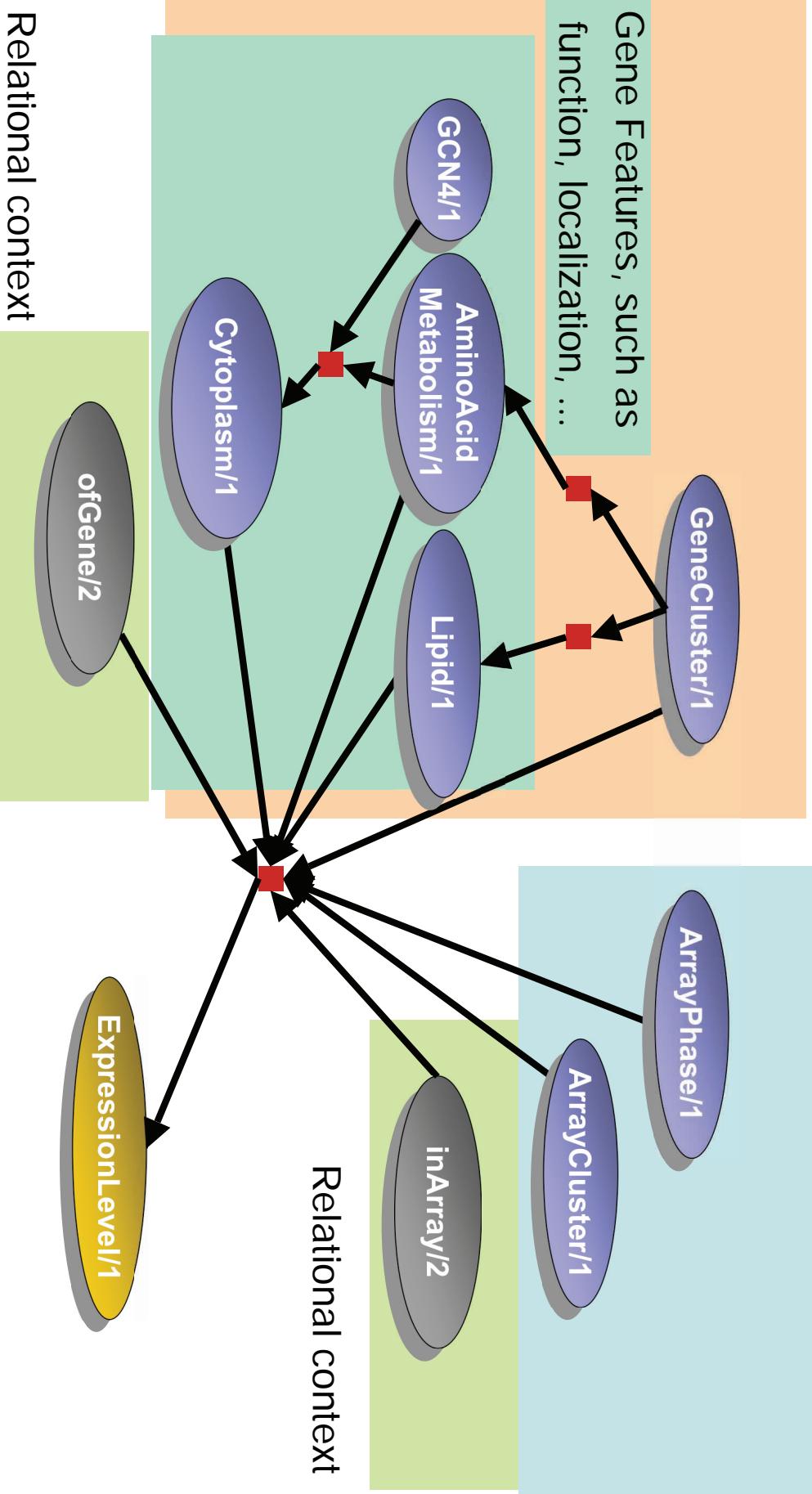
PRM Application: Gene Regulation

[Segal et al., simplified representation]

Gene Cluster

Array Cluster

Gene Features, such as
function, localization, ...



PRM Application: Gene Regulation

[Segal et al.]

- Synthetic data: 1000 genes, 90 arrays (= 90.000 measurements), each gene 15 functions and 30 transcription factors.

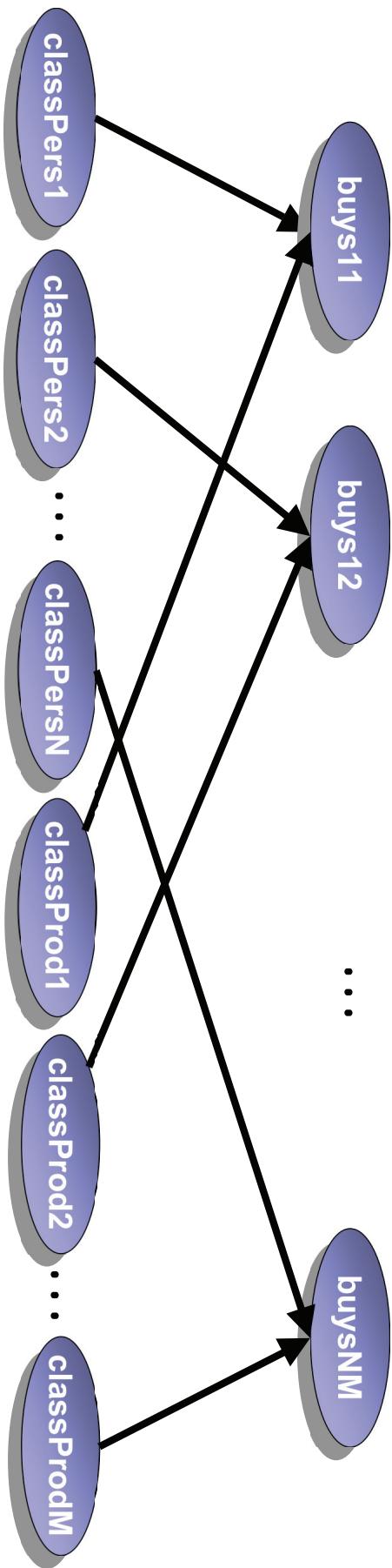
Cluster recovery

	Naive Bayes	PRMs
Simulated data	90.8 ± 0.42	98.4 ± 1.07
Noisy simulated data	76.7 ± 1.42	88.1 ± 1.52

[Getoor, Sahami]

PRM Application: Collaborative Filtering

- User preference relationships for products / information.
- Traditionally: single dyadic relationship between the objects.

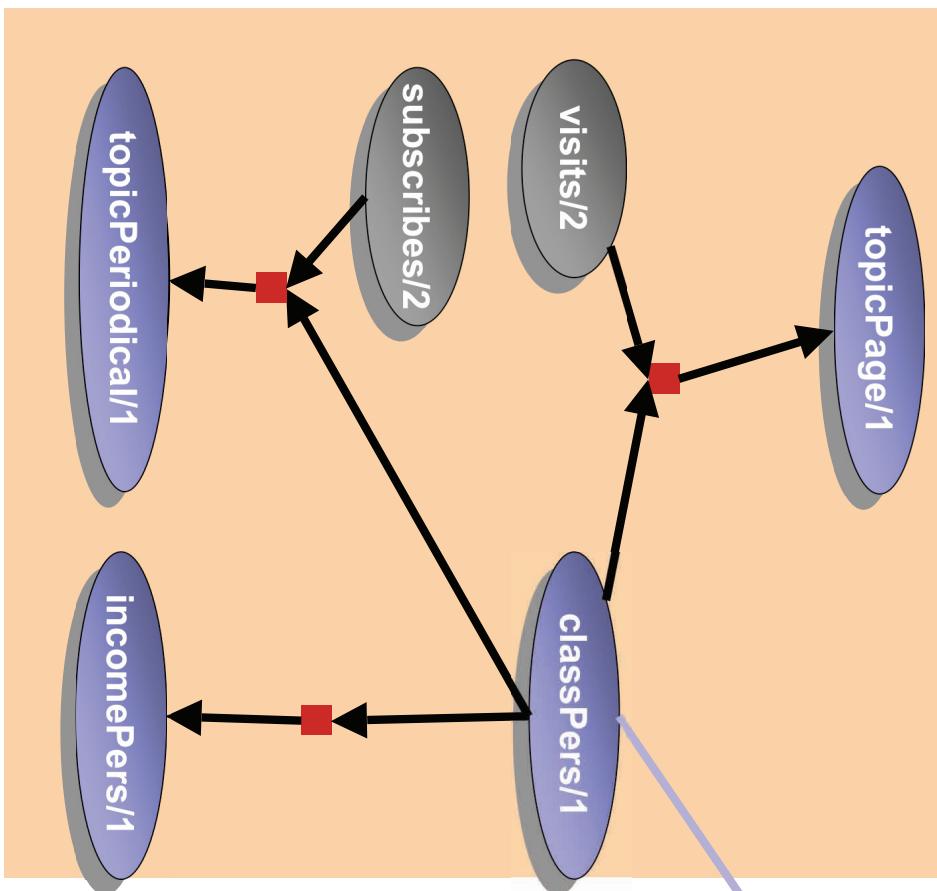




[Getoor, Sahami; simplified representation]

PRM Application: Collaborative Filtering

Relational Naive Bayes



Probabilistic Relational Models (PRMs)

[Koller, Pfeffer, Getoor]

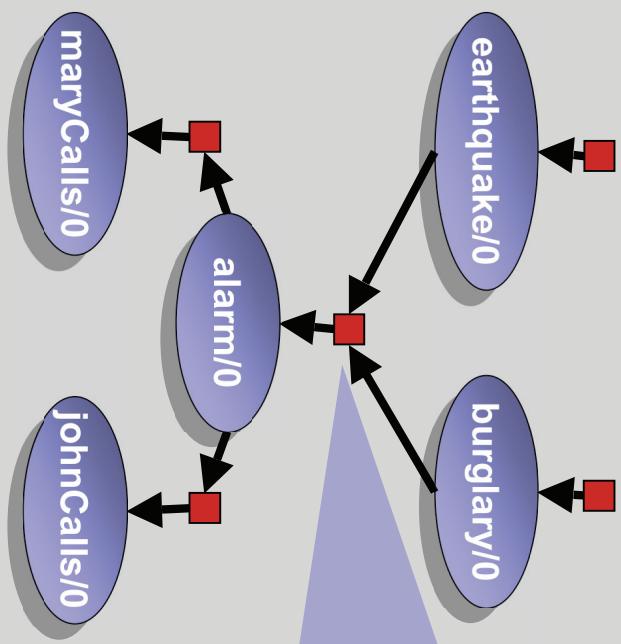


- Database View
- Unique Probability Distribution over finite Herbrand interpretations
 - No self-dependency
- Discrete and continuous RV
- BN used to do inference
- **Graphical Representation**
- BNs + extensions: hierarchical PRMs, dynamic PRMs, relational uncertainty types
- Learning

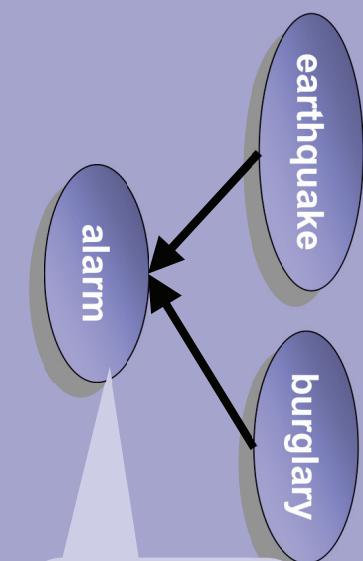
Bayesian Logic Programs (BLPs)



Rule Graph



local BN fragment



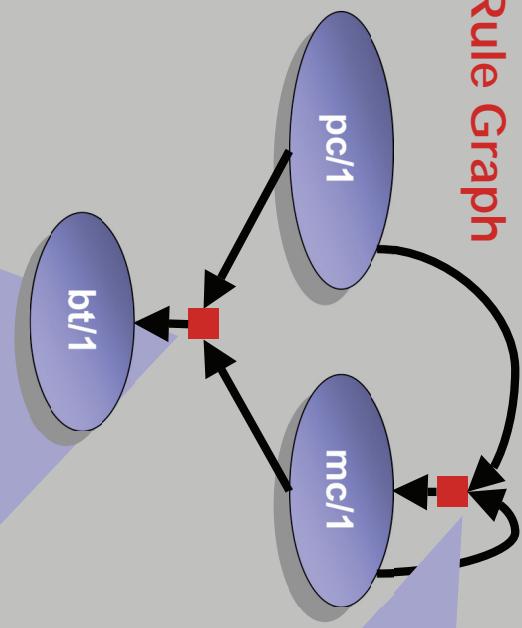
		$P(A B, E)$	
		E	B
E	b	0.9	0.1
	e	0.2	0.8
B	b	0.9	0.1
	e	0.01	0.99

alarm :- earthquake, burglary.



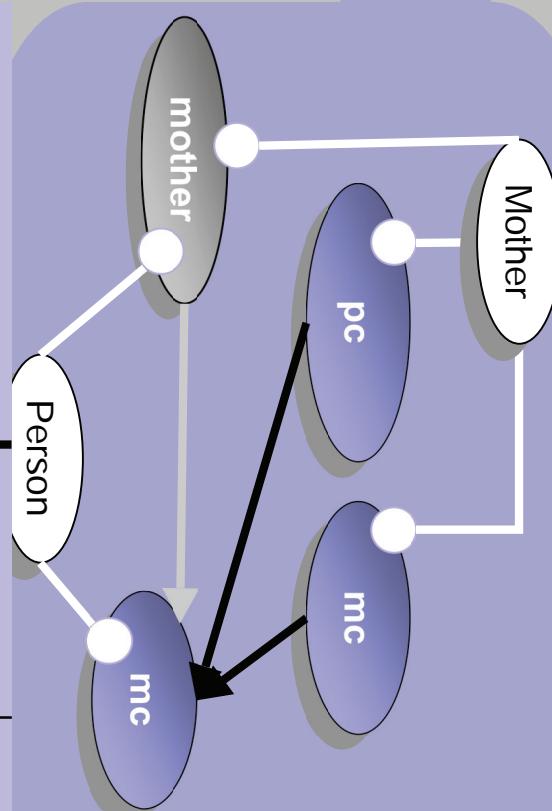
Bayesian Logic Programs (BLPs)

Rule Graph



variable
argument

atom



mc(Person)

Person

mc(Mother)

mc(Mother)

mother

pc(Mother)

(.9,.05,.05)

...

a

(.495,.495,.01)

...

a

...

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pc(Person)

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(.9,.03,.03)

...

a

(.03,.03,.9,.03)

...

a

...

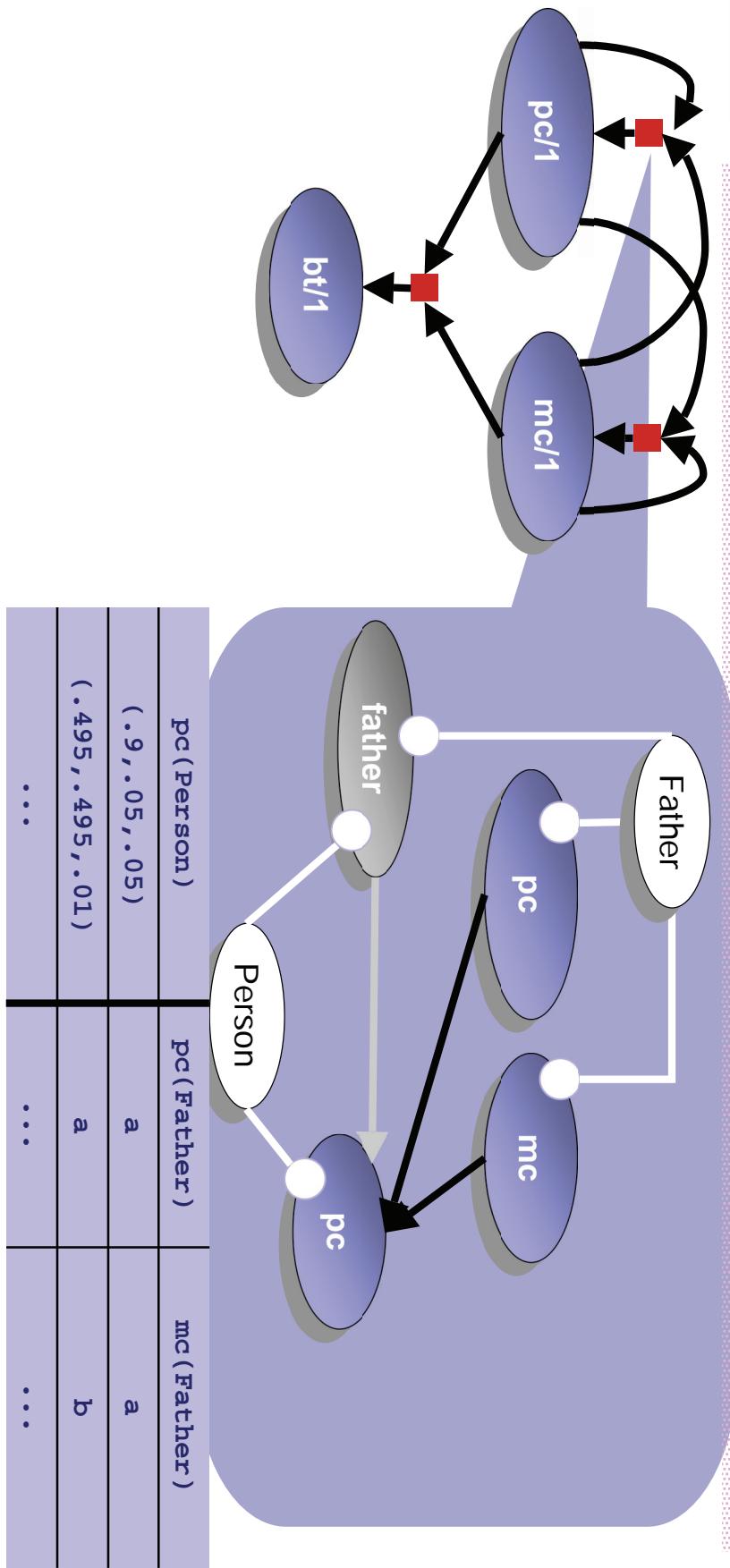
...

b

predicate

bt(Person) :- pc(Person), mc(Person).

Bayesian Logic Programs (BLPs)



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mc(Person) | mother(Mother,Person), pc(Mother), mc(Mother).
pc(Person) | father(Father,Person), pc(Father), mc(Father).
bt(Person) | pc(Person), mc(Person).
  
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Bayesian Logic Programs (BLPs)

father(rex,fred).
father(brian,doro).
father(fred,henry).

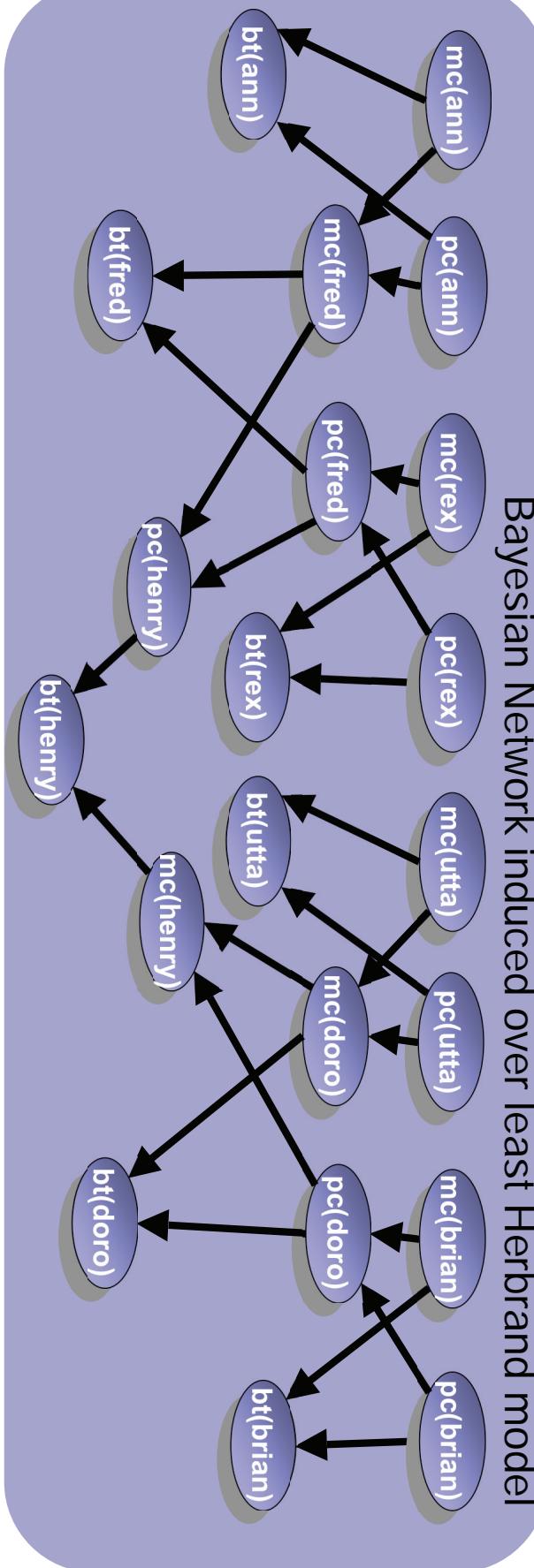
mother(ann,fred).
mother(utta, doro).
mother(doro,henry).

mc(Person) | mother(Mother, Person), pc(Mother), mc(Mother).

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Bayesian Network induced over least Herbrand model

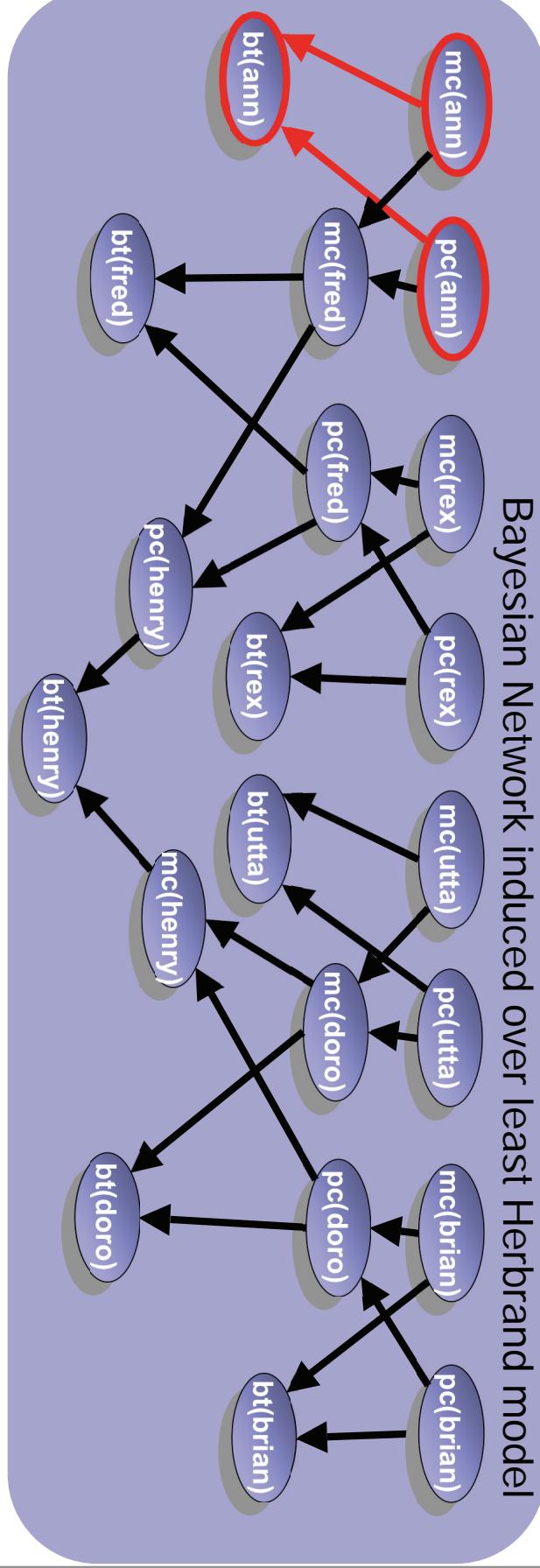




Answering Queries

$P(bt(ann)) ?$

Bayesian Network induced over least Herbrand model



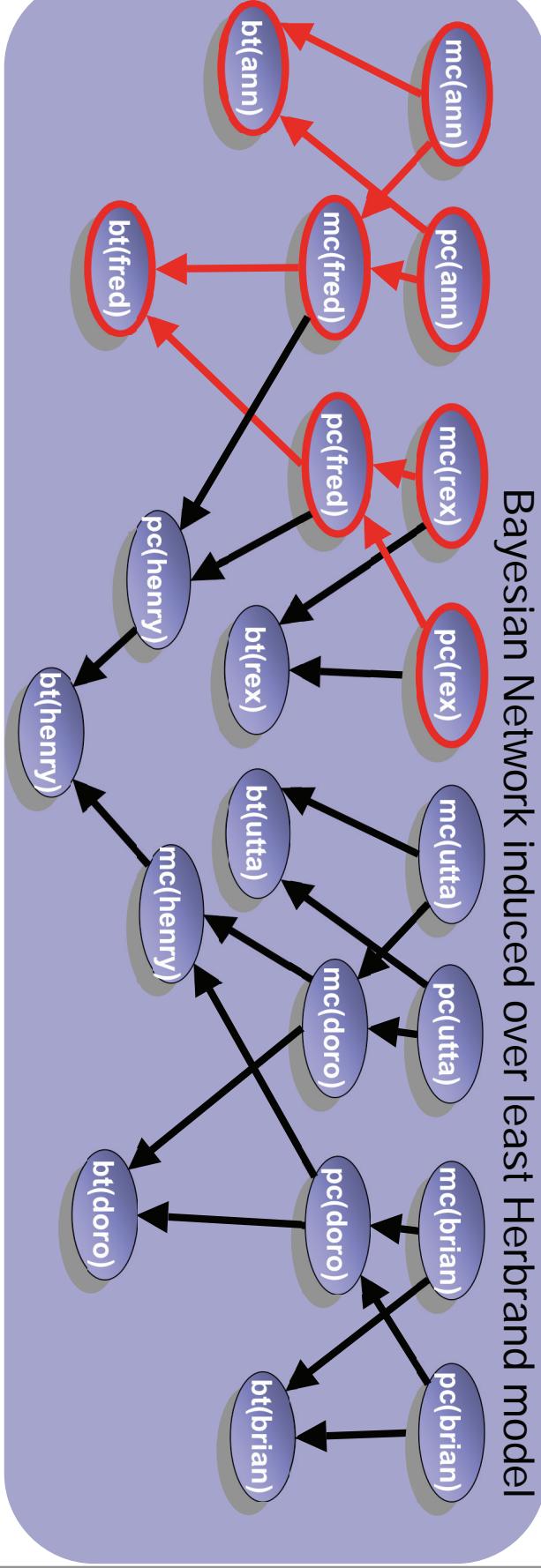


Answering Queries

Bayes' rule

$$P(bt(ann) | bt(fred)) = \frac{P(bt(ann), bt(fred))}{P(bt(fred))}$$

Bayesian Network induced over least Herbrand model

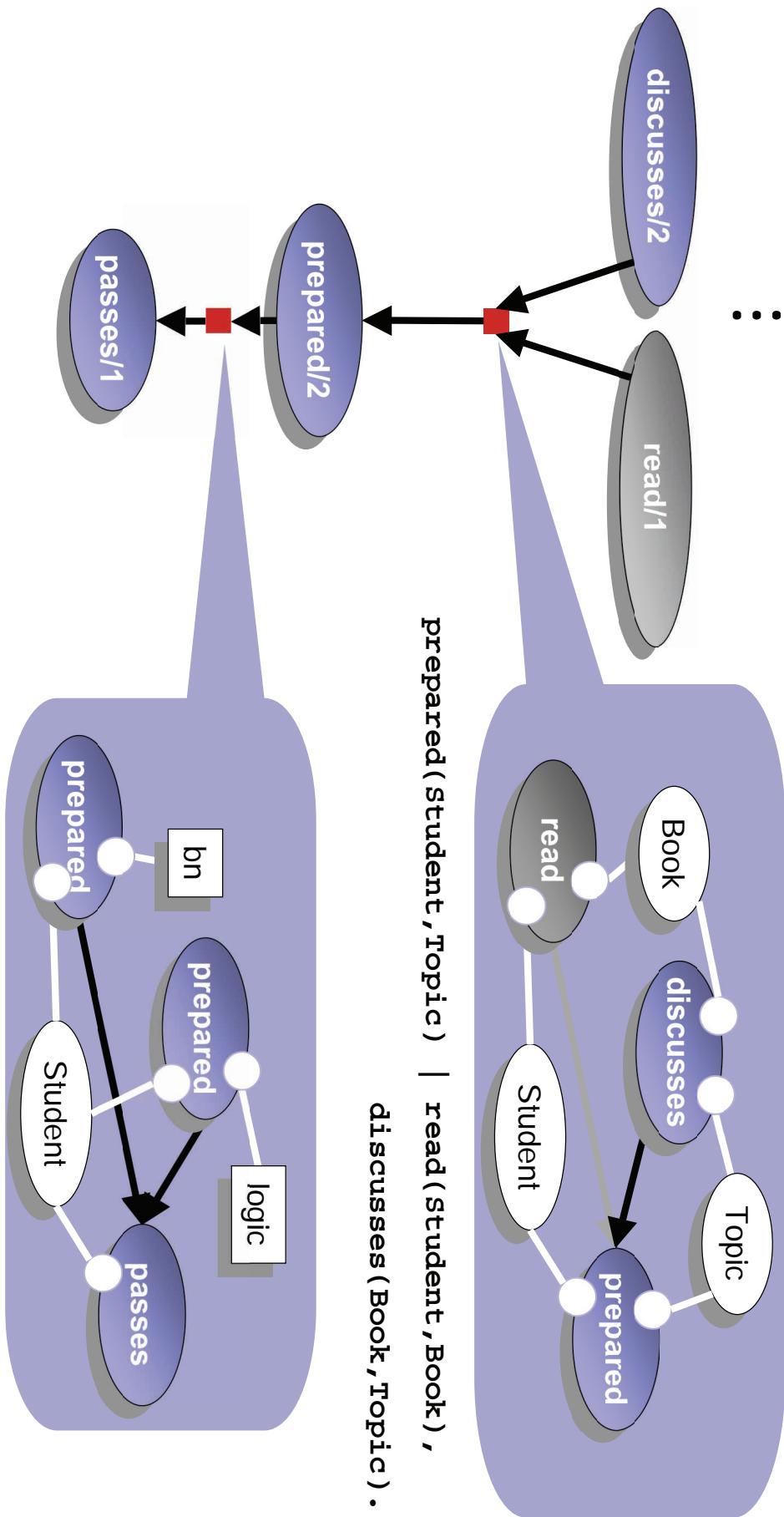


Combining Partial Knowledge

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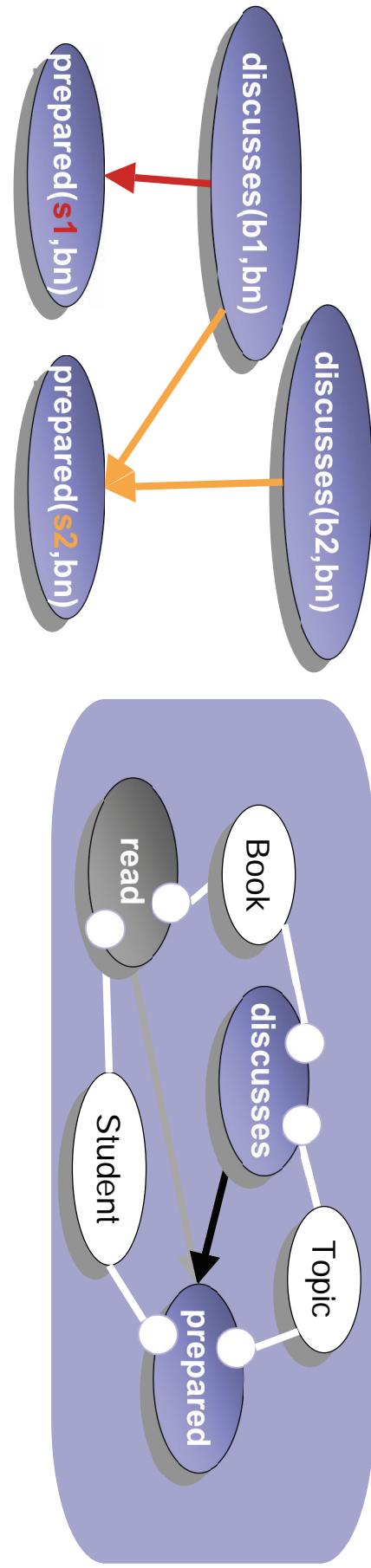
`prepared(student, Topic) | read(student, Book),
discusses(Book, Topic).`



`passes(student) | prepared(student, bn),
prepared(student, logic).`

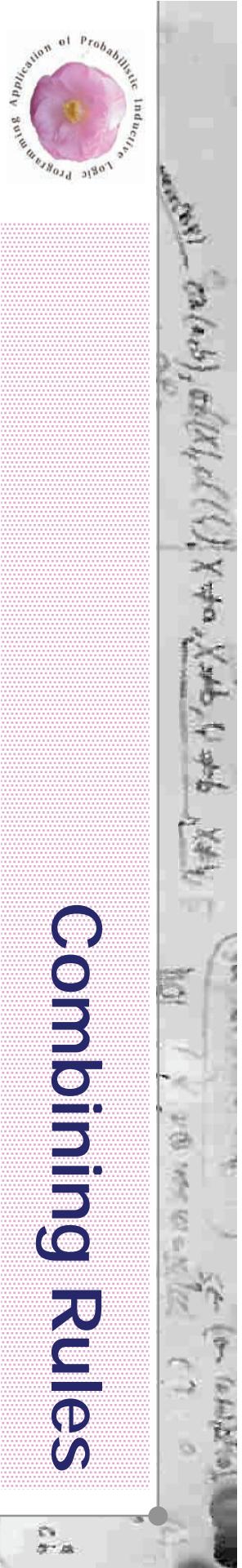
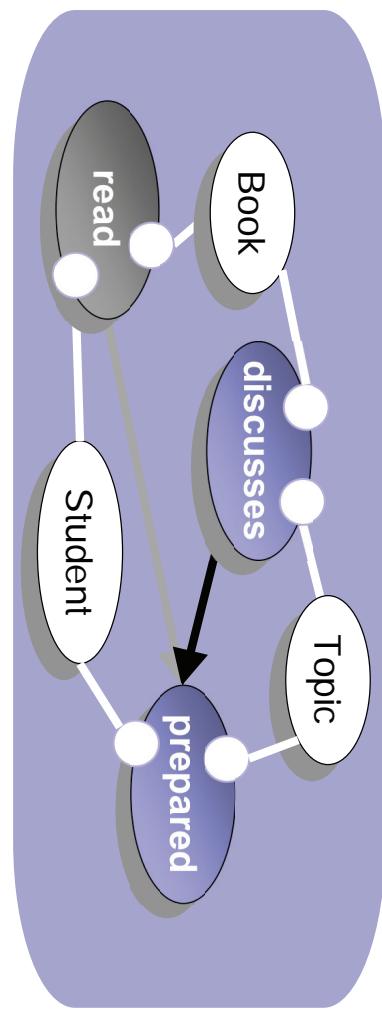
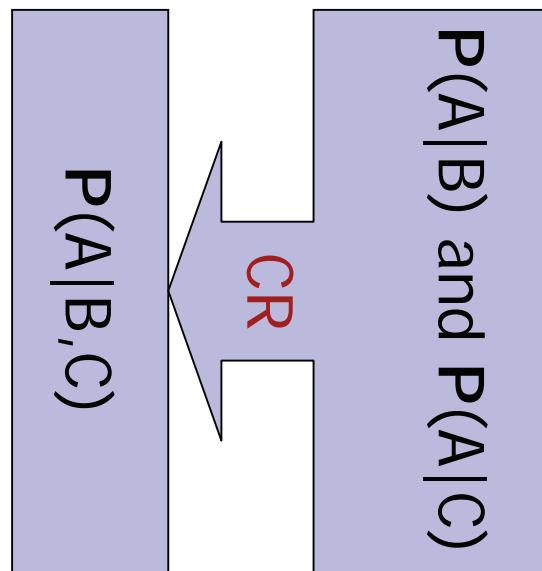
Combining Partial Knowledge

- variable # of parents for prepared/2 due to read / 2
 - whether a student prepared a topic depends on the books she read
- CPD only for one book-topic pair



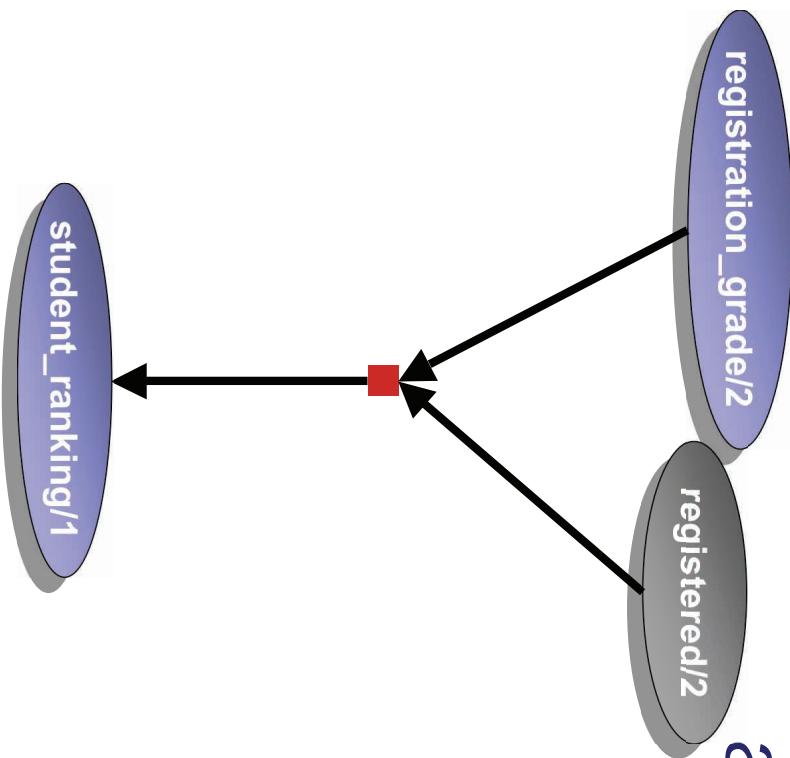
Combining Rules

- Any algorithm which
 - has an empty output if and only if the input is empty
 - combines a set of CPDs into a single (combined) CPD
- E.g. noisy-or, regression, ...



Aggregates

Map multisets of values to
summary values (e.g., sum,
average, max, cardinality)





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registration_grade/2

registered/2

**Functional
Dependency
(average)**

grade_avg/1

Deterministic

**Probabilistic
Dependency
(CPD)**

grade_avg

Student

student_ranking

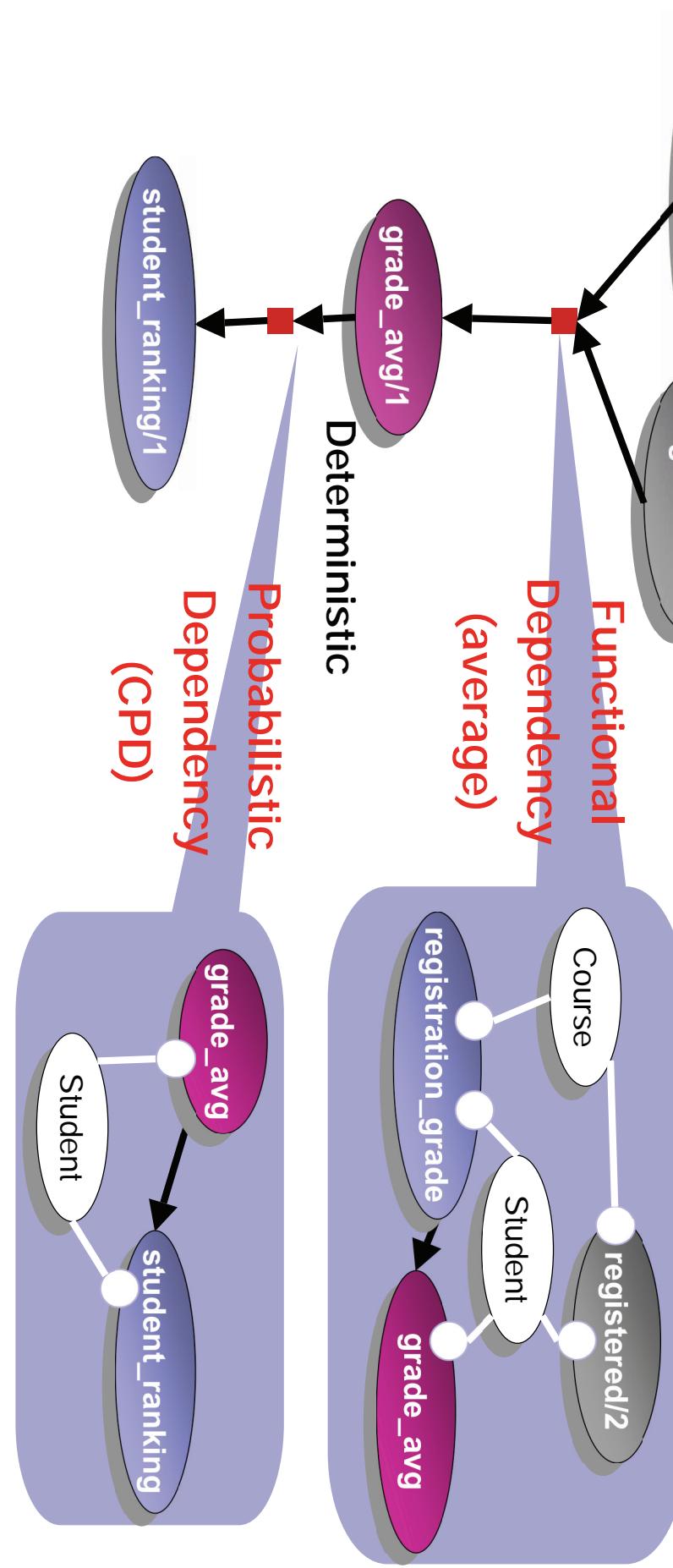
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Student

grade_avg

Course

registered/2



Bayesian Logic Programs (BLPs)



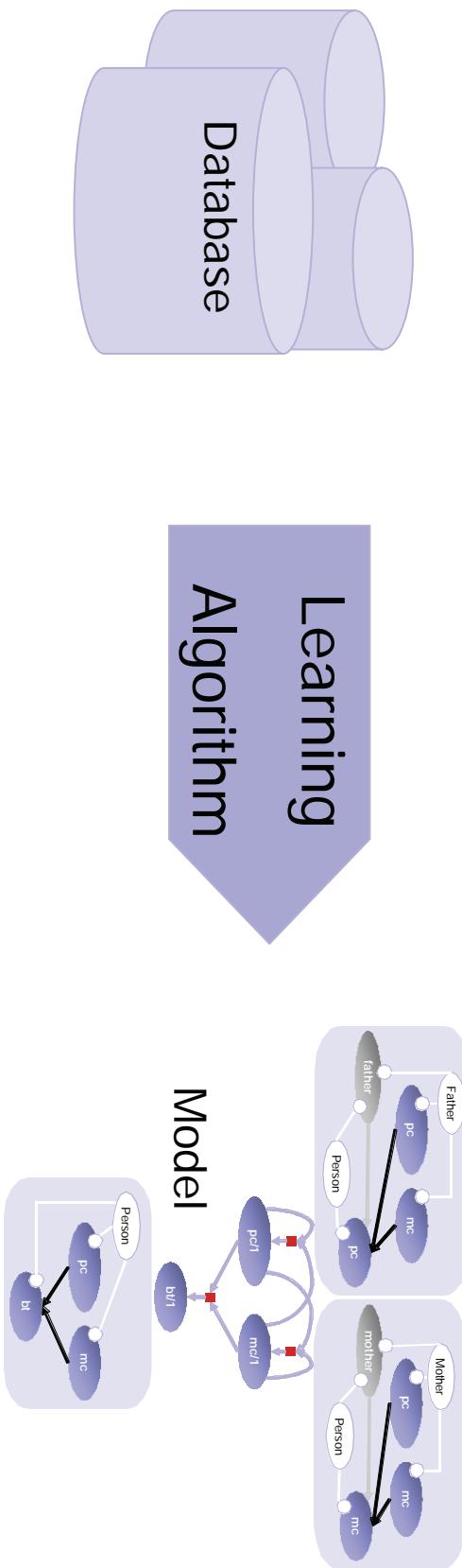
- Unique probability distribution over Herbrand interpretations
 - Finite branching factor, finite proofs, no self-dependency
- Highlight
 - Separation of qualitative and quantitative parts
 - Functors
- Graphical Representation
- Discrete and continuous RV
 - BNs, DBNs, HMMs, SCFGs, Prolog ...
 - Subsume PRMs
 - Learning



Learning Tasks

Learning Algorithm

Model



- Parameter Estimation
 - Numerical Optimization Problem
- Model Selection
 - Combinatorial Search



What is the data about?

RVs + States = (partial) Herbrand interpretation
Probabilistic learning from interpretations

Background

m(ann,dorothy),
f(brian,dorothy),
m(cecily,fred),
f(henry,fred),

Family(2)

bt(cecily)=ab,
pc(henry)=a,
mc(fred)=?,

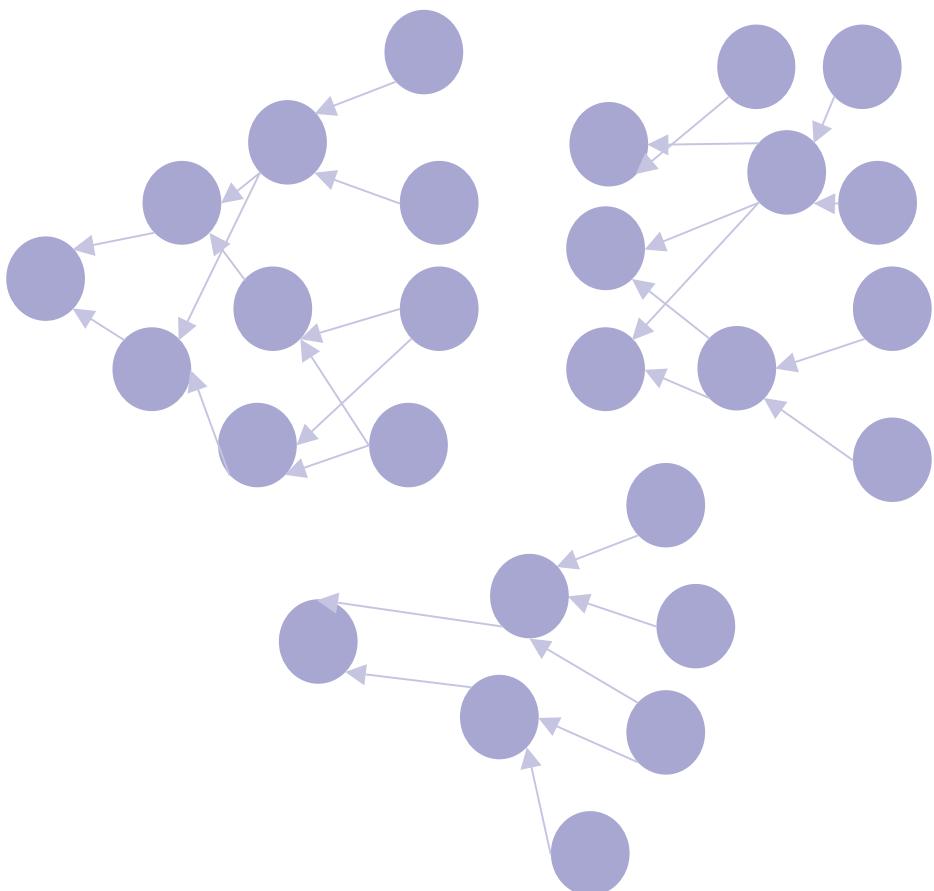
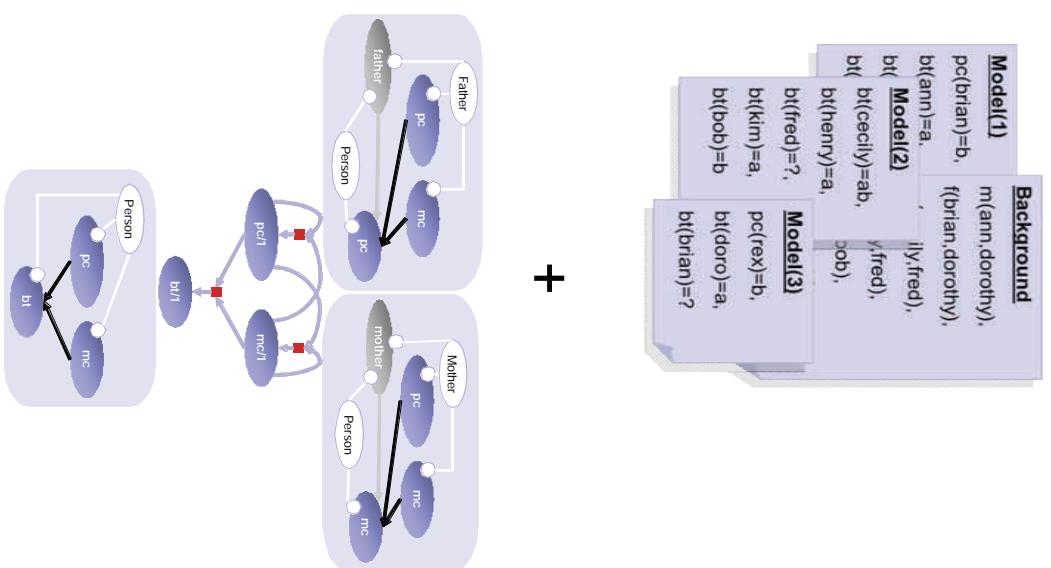
Family(1)

pc(brian)=b,
bt(ann)=a,
bt(brian)=?,
bt(dorothy)=a

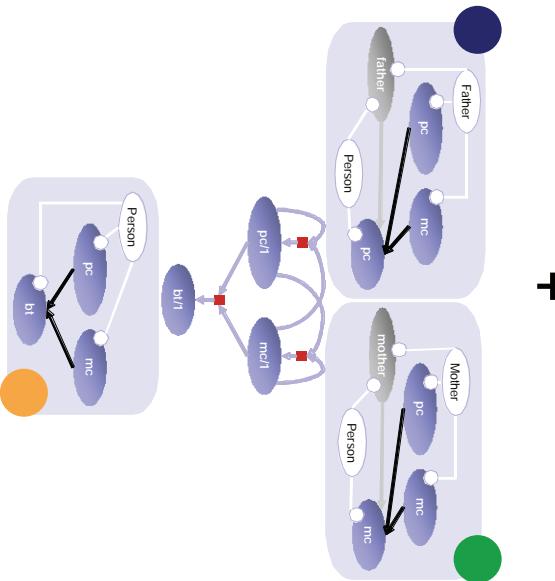
Family(3)

m(kim,bob),
pc(rex)=b,
pc(bob)=b
...
bt(doro)=a,
bt(brian)=?

Parameter Estimation



Parameter Estimation



Expectation Maximization

EM-algorithm:

iterate until convergence



Initial Parameters θ_0

Current Model
(M, θ_k)

Expectation

Inference

Expected counts of a clause

$$\frac{\sum_{\text{Ground Instance } GI} \sum_{\text{DataCase } DC} P(\text{head}(GI), \text{body}(GI) | DC)}{\sum_{\text{Ground Instance } GI} \sum_{\text{DataCase } DC} P(\text{body}(GI) | DC)}$$

Maximization
Update parameters
(ML, MAP)

$$\sum_{\text{Ground Instance } GI} \sum_{\text{DataCase } DC} P(\text{head}(GI), \text{body}(GI) | DC)$$

Ground Instance DataCase

GI

DC

Model Selection

- Combination of ILP and BN learning
- Combinatorial search for hypo M^* s.t.
 - M^* logically covers the data D
 - M^* is optimal w.r.t. some scoring function score, i.e., $M^* = \operatorname{argmax}_M \text{score}(M, D)$.
- Again, the prob. ILP approach *highlights*
 - Refinement operators
 - Background knowledge
 - Language bias
 - Search bias



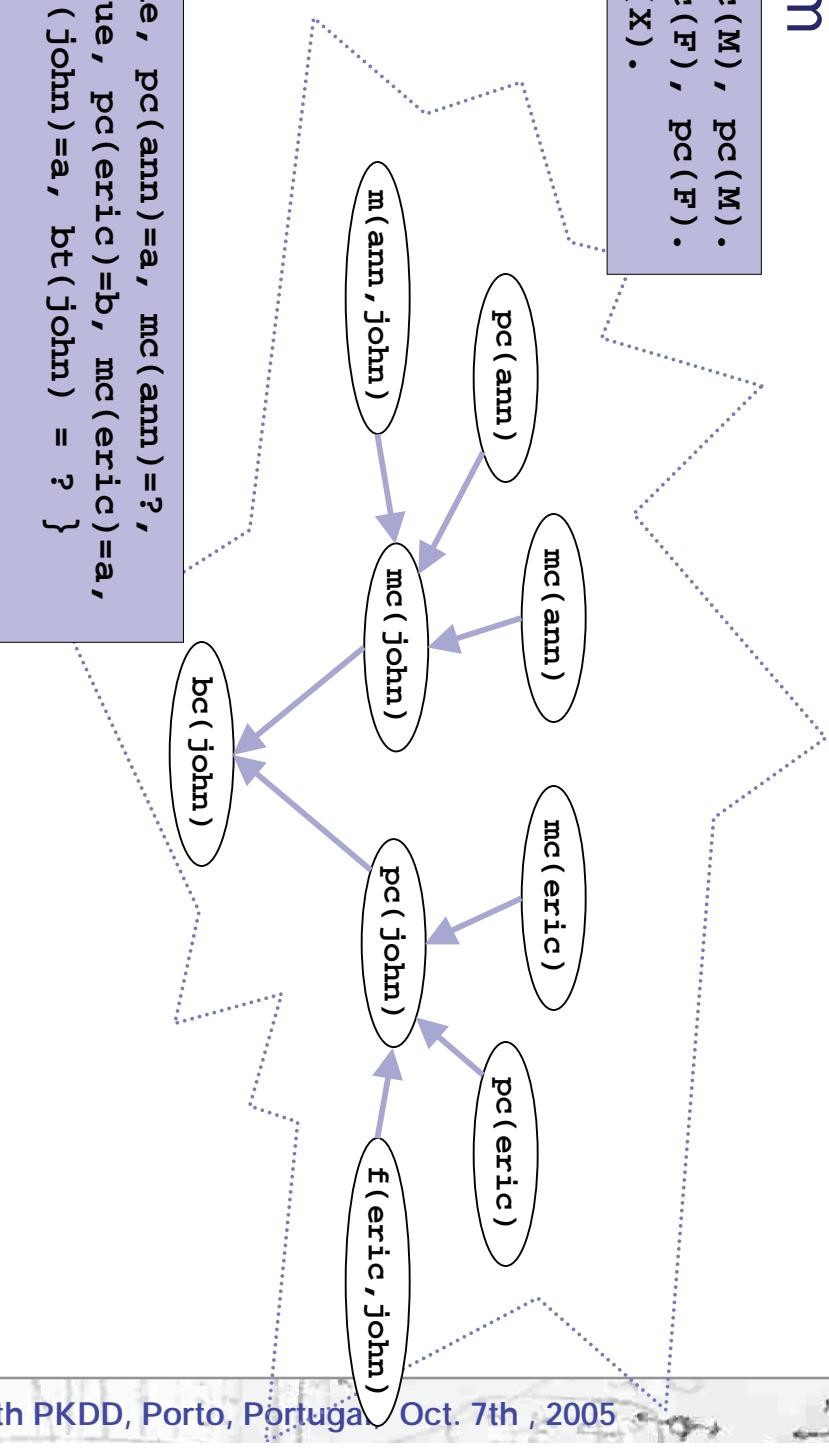
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Original program

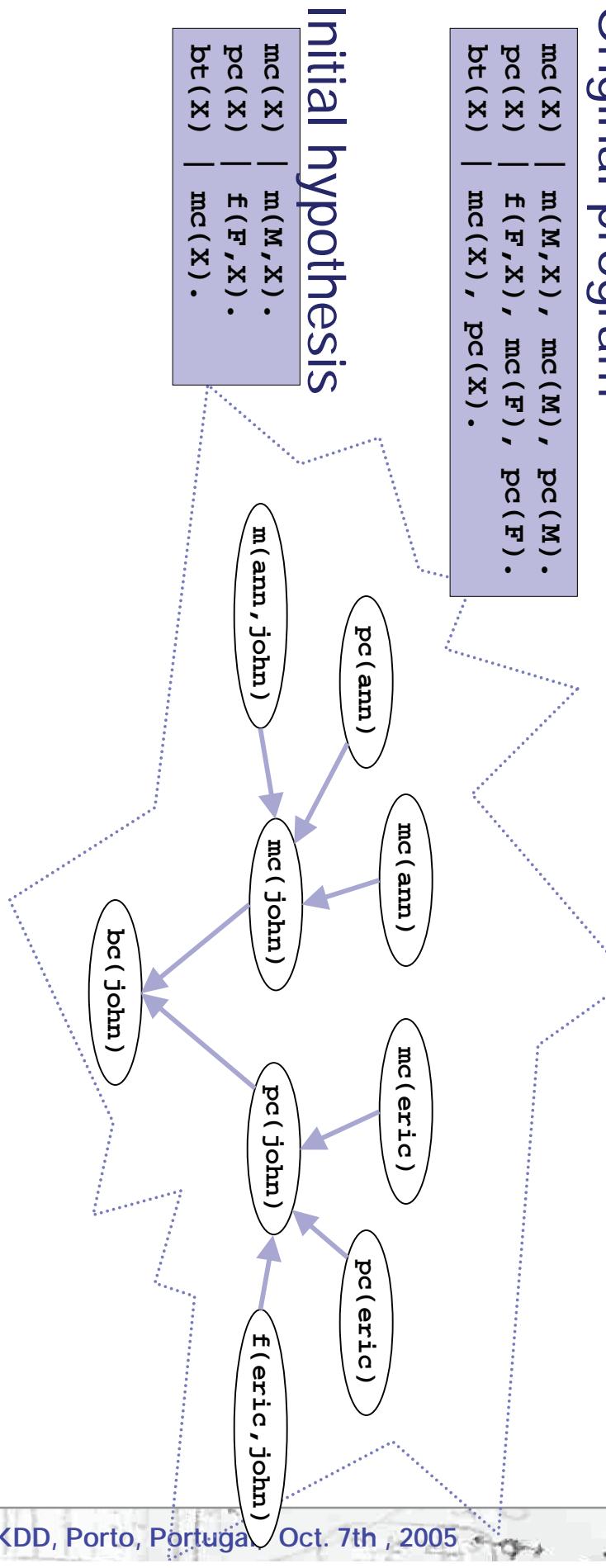
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$pc(x)$	$f(F, x), mc(F), pc(F) \cdot$
$bt(x)$	$mc(x), pc(x).$

Data cases

```
{m(ann, john)=true, pc(ann)=a, mc(ann)=?,  
f(eric, john)=true, pc(eric)=b, mc(eric)=a,  
mc(john)=ab, pc(john)=a, bt(john) = ? }  
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Original program



Example





ProbLog: Probabilistic Logic Programming with BAYESIAN NETWORKS

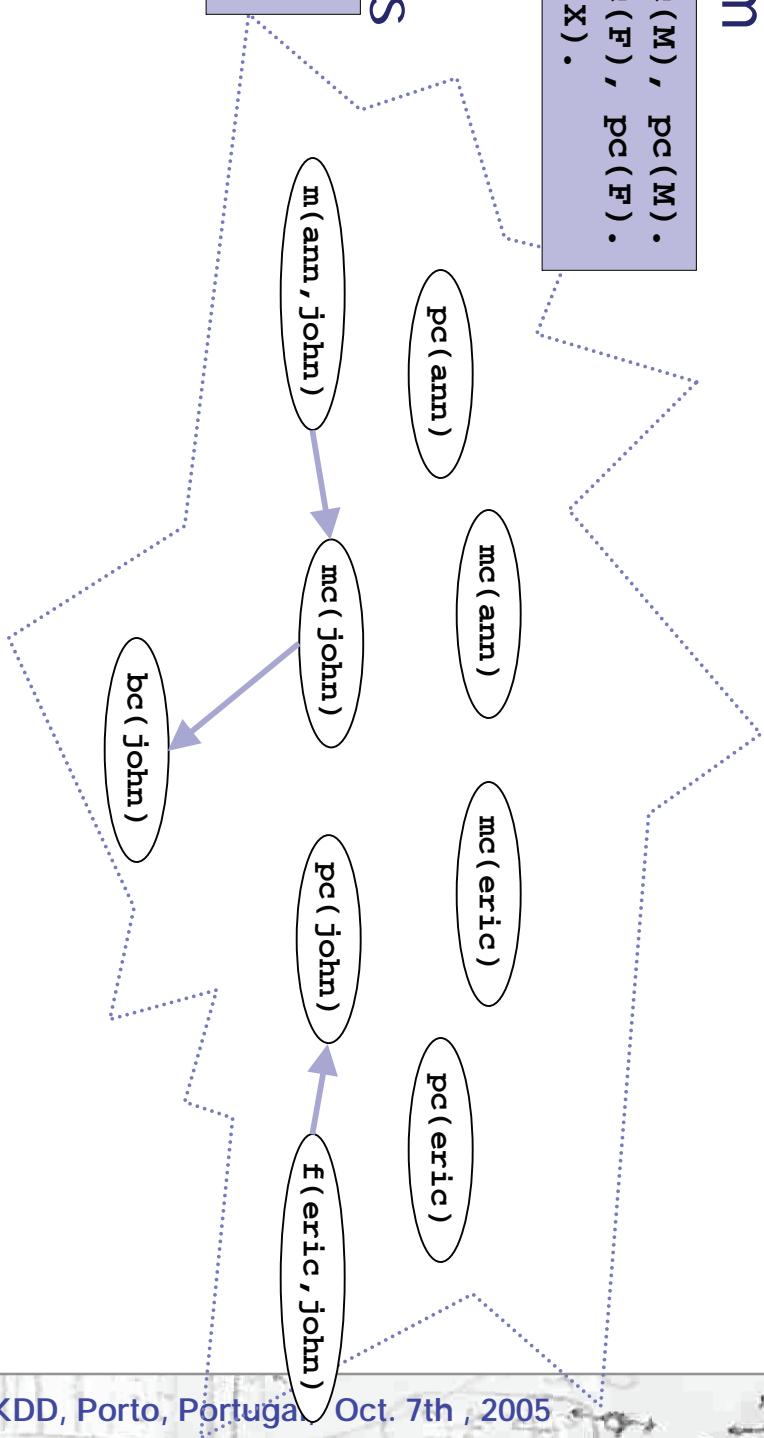
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Initial hypothesis

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Example

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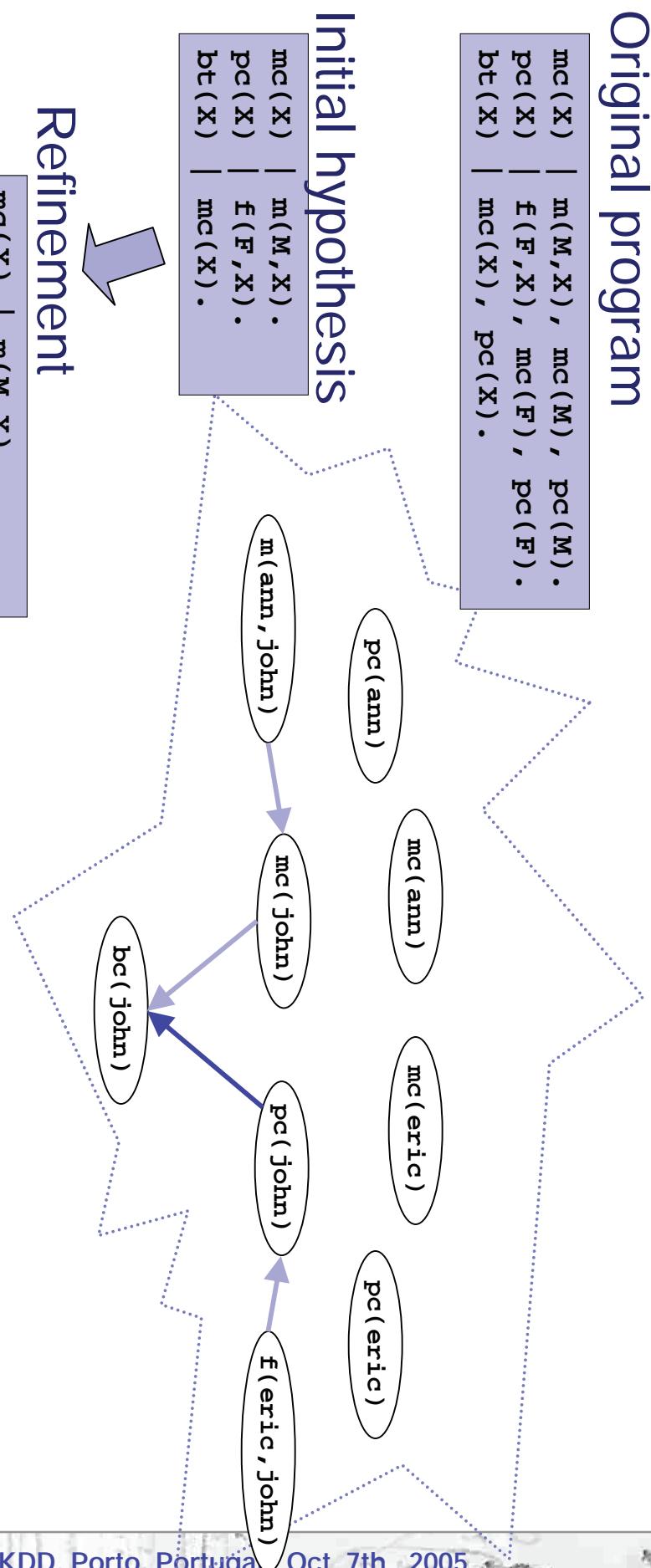
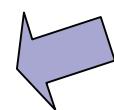
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Refinement

$mc(x)$	$m(M, x) \cdot$
$pc(x)$	$f(F, x) \cdot$
$bt(x)$	$mc(x) \cdot pc(x) \cdot$





Example

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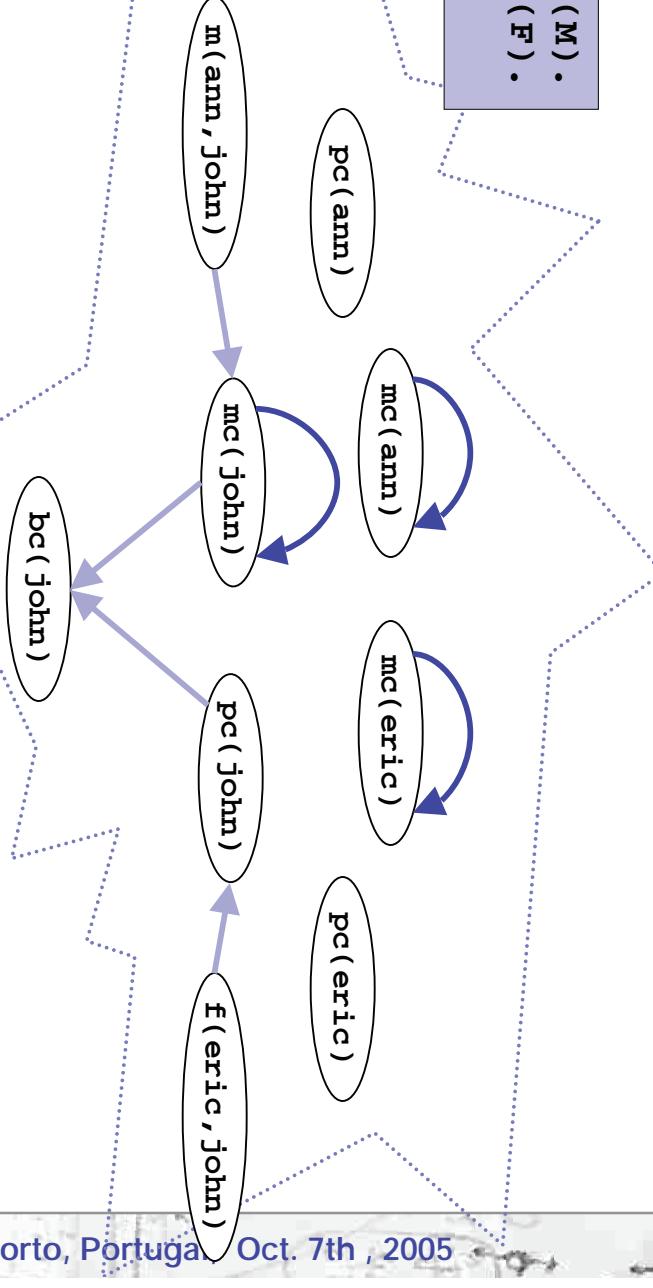
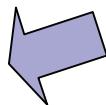
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Undirected Probabilistic Relational Models

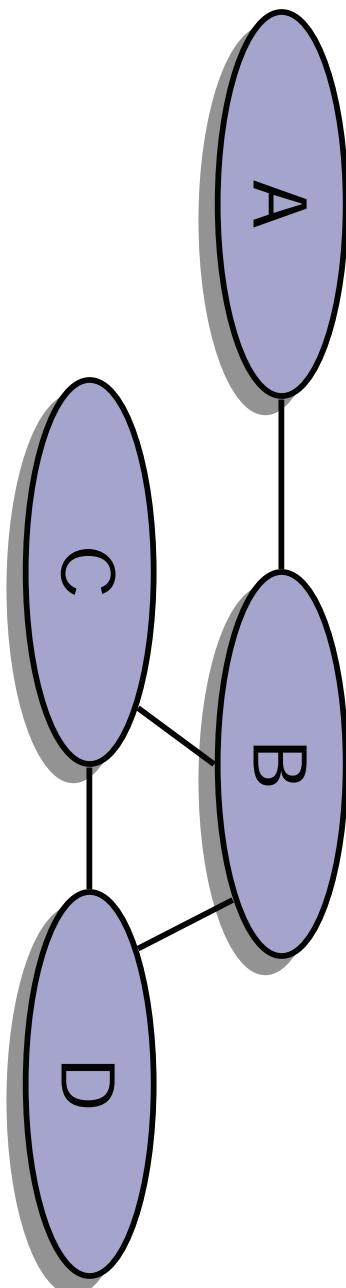
- So far, directed graphical models only
- Impose **acyclicity constraint**
- Undirected graphical models do not impose the acyclicity constraint



Undirected Probabilistic Relational Models

- Two approaches
 - Relational Markov Networks (**RMNs**)
 - (Taskar et al.)
 - Markov Logic Networks (**MLNs**)
 - (Anderson et al.)
- Idea
 - Semantics defined in terms of Markov Networks (undirected graphical models)
 - More natural for certain applications
- RMNs ~ undirected PRM
- MLNs ~ undirected BLP

Undirected Graphical Models/ Markov Networks



- To each clique c , a potential ϕ_c is associated
 - Given the values \mathbf{v} of all nodes in the
- Markov Network

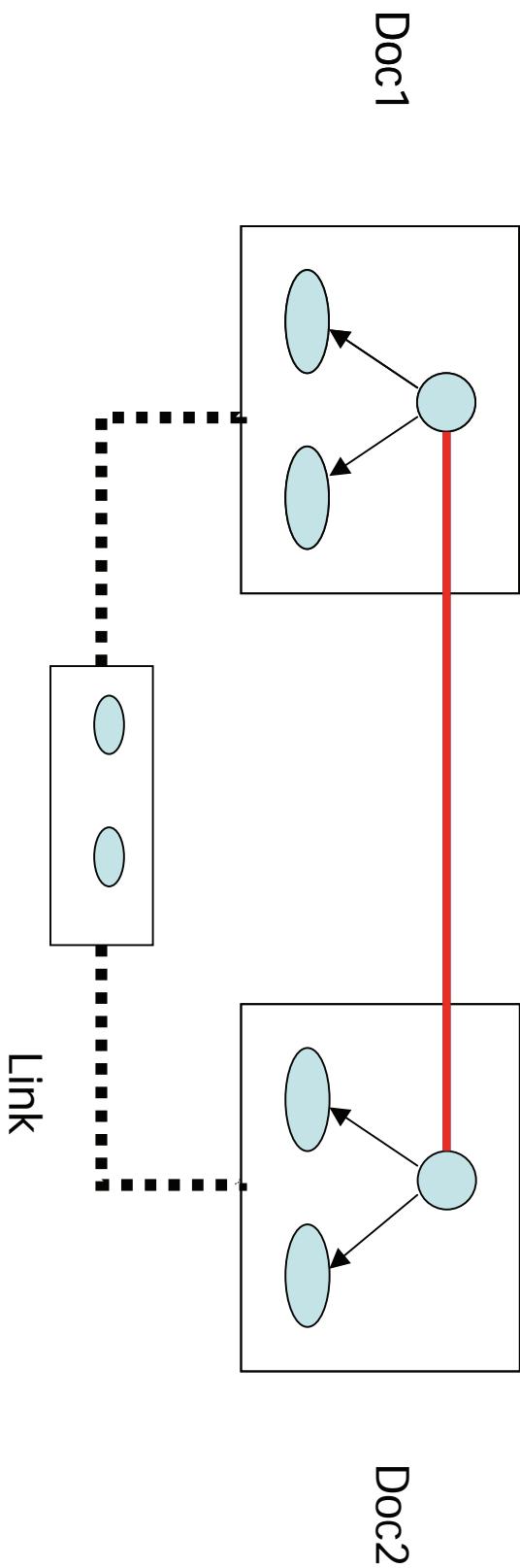
$$P(\mathbf{v}) = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{c \in C(G)} \phi_c(\mathbf{v}_c) \quad Z = \sum_{\mathbf{v}'} \prod_{c \in C(G)} \phi_c(\mathbf{v}'_c)$$

$$\log P(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_c \mathbf{w}_c \cdot \mathbf{f}_c(v_c) - \log Z = \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{f}(v) - \log Z$$

Relational Markov Networks



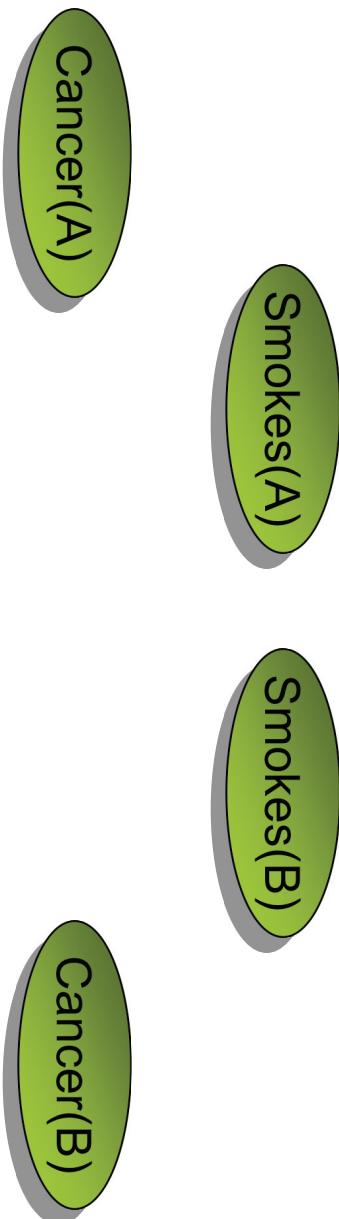
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SELECT doc1.Category,doc2.Category  
FROM doc1,doc2,Link link  
WHERE link.From=doc1.key and link.To=doc2.key
```



Markov Logic Networks

1.5	$\forall x \text{ Smokes}(x) \Rightarrow \text{Cancer}(x)$
1.1	$\forall x, y \text{ Friends}(x, y) \Rightarrow (\text{Smokes}(x) \Leftrightarrow \text{Smokes}(y))$

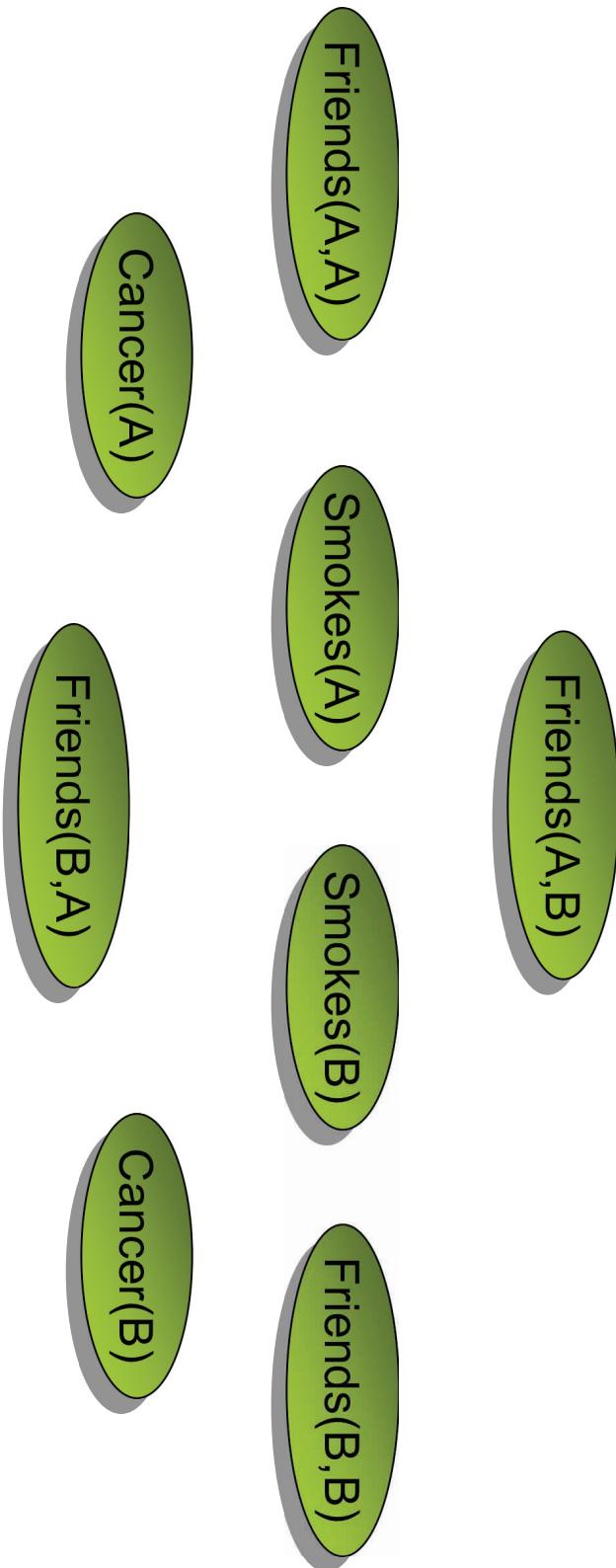
Suppose we have two constants: Anna (A) and Bob (B)



Markov Logic Networks

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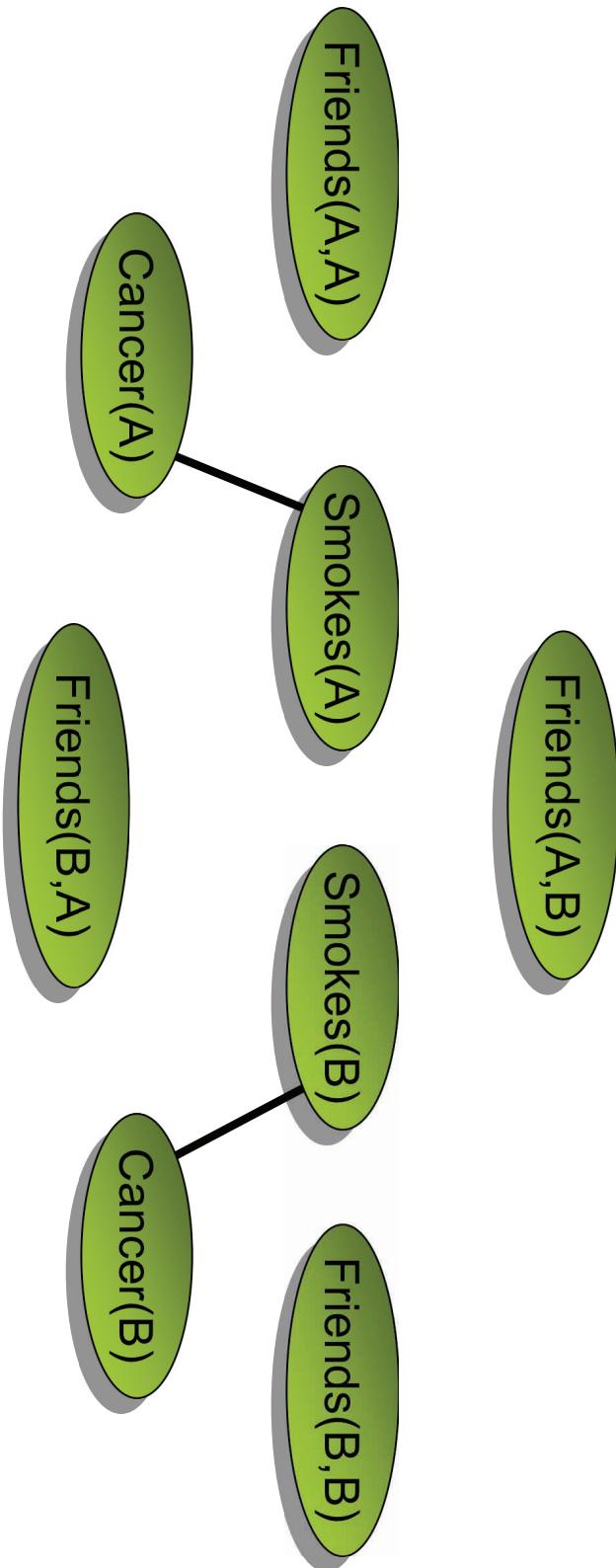
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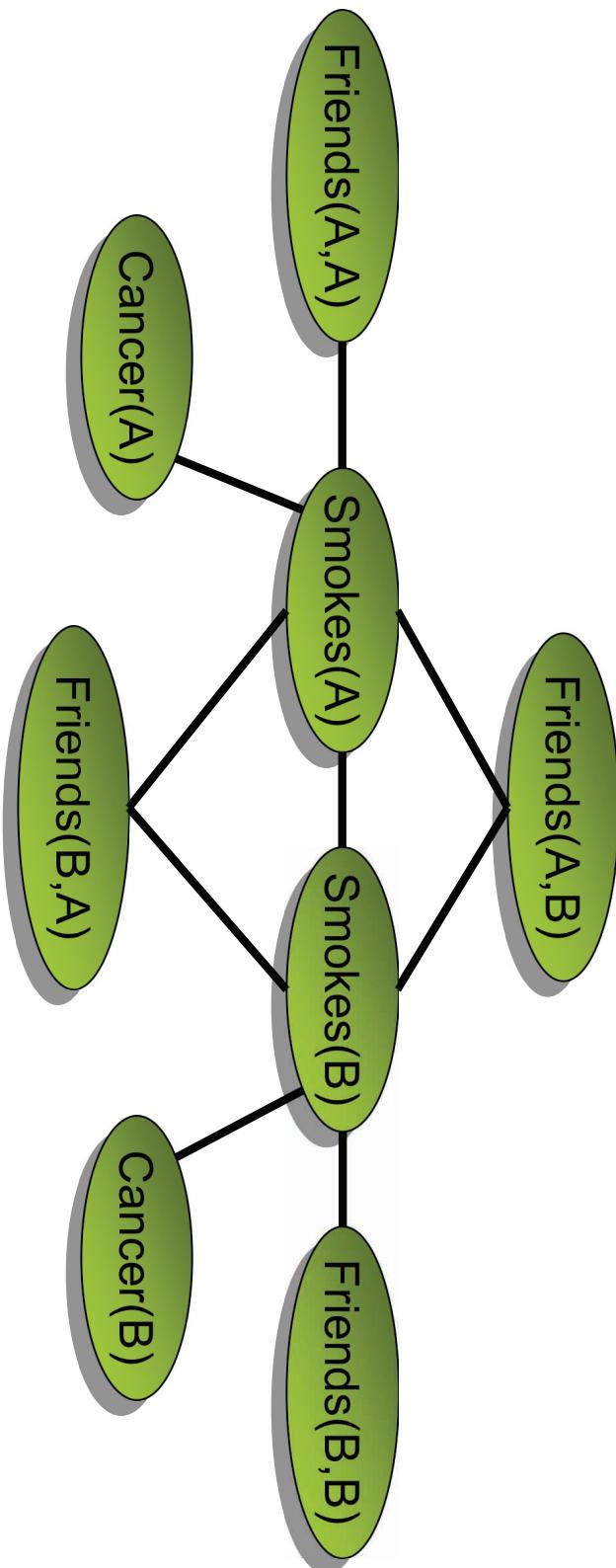
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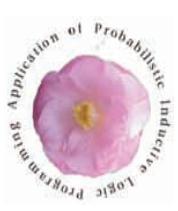


Learning Undirected Probabilistic Relational Models

- Parameter estimation
 - discriminative (gradient, max-margin)
 - generative setting using pseudo-likelihood
- Structure learning
 - Similar to (Probabilistic) Inductive Logic Programming

Applications

- Computer Vision (Taskar et al.)
 - Collective classification of 3D scan data
- Citation Analysis (Taskar et al., Singla& Domingos)
- Activity Recognition (Liao et al.)





Conclusions Learning from Interpretations

- Data cases are herbrand interpretations

- Most prob. ILP approaches incorporates objects and relations among the objects into Bayesian and Markov networks
- Learning includes principles from
 - **Inductive logic programming** / multi-relational data mining
 - Refinement operators, Background knowledge, Bias
- **Statistical learning**
 - Likelihood, Independencies, Priors



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Learning from entailment and from proofs

- Stochastic Logic Programs
 - Derived from Probabilistic Context Free Grammars by Eisele and Muggleton
 - Closely related to Sato's PRISM and Poole's ICL
- Learning from entailment
 - Parameter estimation (Cussens' FAM)
- Learning from proofs
 - Structure learning



Probabilistic Context Free Grammars

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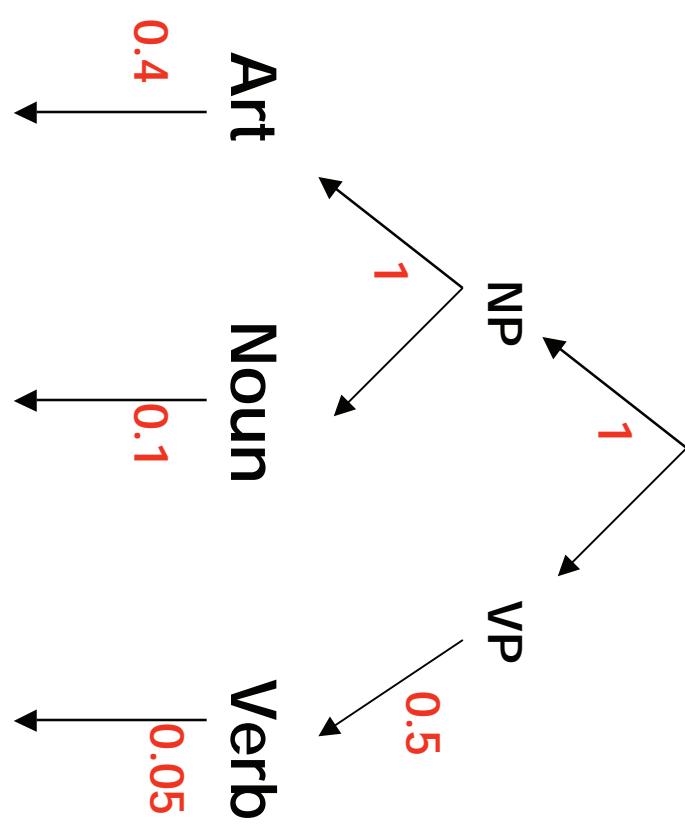
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 0.5 : VP -> Verb
 0.5 : VP -> Verb, NP
 0.05 : Verb -> sleep
 0.05 : Verb -> sleeps
 ...

PCFGs

$$P(\text{parse tree}) = \prod_i p_i^{c_i}$$

where p_i is the label of rule i

and c_i the number of times it was applied

$$P(\text{sentence}) = \sum_{i \text{ is a parse tree for sentence}} P(tree_i)$$

Observe: all derivation/rewriting steps succeed

i.e. $S \rightarrow T, Q$

$T \rightarrow R, U$

always gives

$S \rightarrow R, U, Q$



Probabilistic Definite Clause Grammar

s

1.0 : $S \rightarrow NP(Num), VP(Num)$

1.0 $NP(Num) \rightarrow Art(Num),$

Noun(Num)

0.6 $Art(sing) \rightarrow a$

0.2 $Art(sing) \rightarrow the$

0.2 $Art(plur) \rightarrow the$

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0.1 $Noun(plur) \rightarrow turtles$

...

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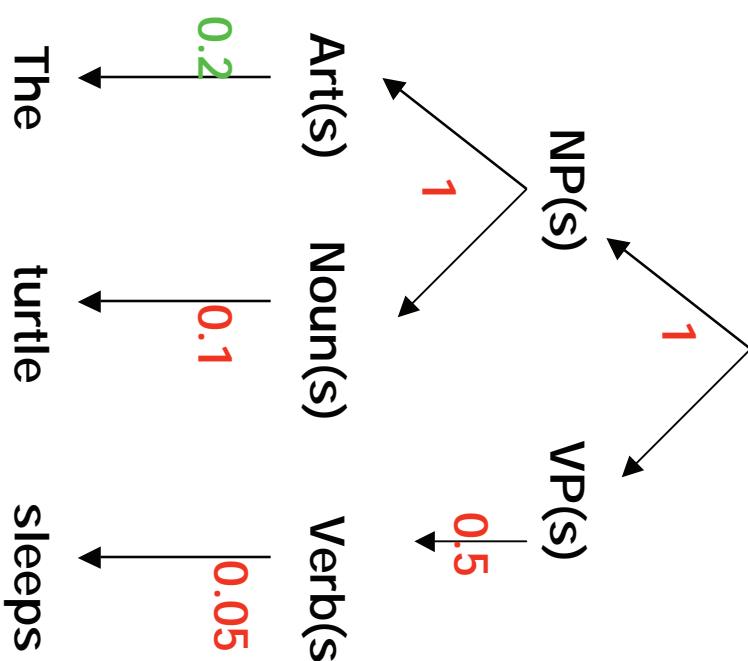
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NP(Num)

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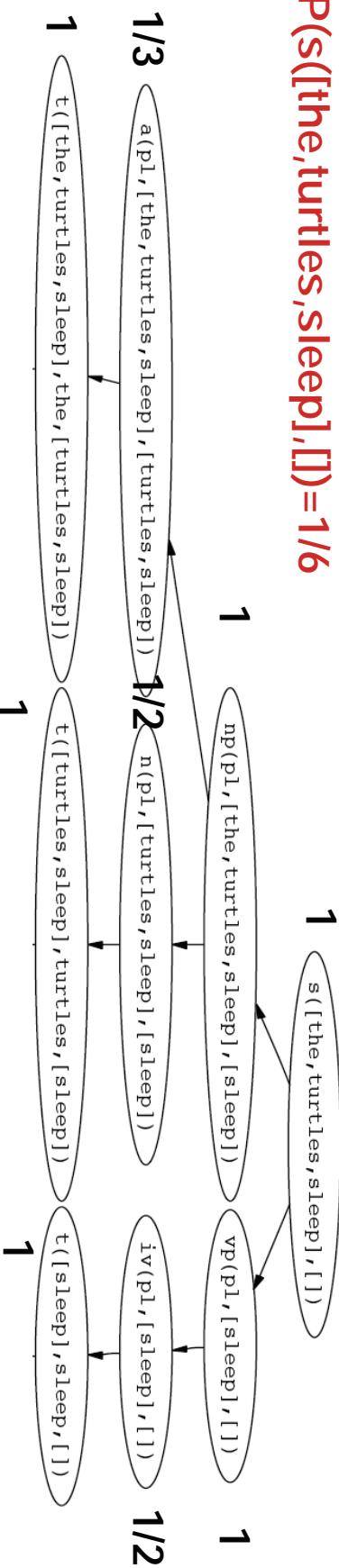
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In SLP notation

$\frac{1}{3}$ sentence(A, B) :- noun_phrase(C, A, D), verb_phrase(C, D, B).
 noun_phrase(A, B, C) :- article(A, B, D), noun(A, D, C).
 verb_phrase(A, B, C) :- intransitive_verb(A, B, C).
 article(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, a, B).
 article(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, the, B).
 article(plural, A, B) :- terminal(A, the, B).
 noun(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, turtle, B).
 noun(plural, A, B) :- terminal(A, turtles, B).
 intransitive_verb(singular, A, B) :- terminal(A, sleeps, B).
 intransitive_verb(plural, A, B) :- terminal(A, sleep, B).
 1 terminal([A|B], A, B).

$P(s([\text{the}, \text{turtles}, \text{sleep}], [])) = 1/6$





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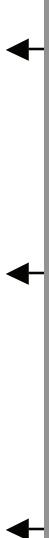
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0.1 Noun(sing) -> turtle

0.1 N

...

What about "A turtles sleeps" ?



1

NP(S)

VP(S)

0.5

Art(s) Noun(s) Verb(s)

The turtle sleeps

0.5 VP(Num) -> verb(Num)
0.5 VP(Num) -> Verb(Num), NP(Num) The
0.05 Verb(sing) -> sleep
0.05 Verb(plur) -> sleeps

....

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SLPs

$$P_D(\text{ derivation for goal } g(X_1, \dots, X_n)) = \prod_i p_i^{c_i}$$

Observe: some derivations/resolution steps fail

e.g. $\text{NP}(Num) \rightarrow \text{Art}(Num), \text{Noun}(Num)$

and $\text{Art}(\text{sing}) \rightarrow \text{a}$ and $\text{Noun}(\text{plur}) \rightarrow \text{turtles}$

$\text{np}(\text{Num}, S1, S2) :- \text{art}(\text{Num}, S1, S3), \text{noun}(\text{Num}, S3, S2)$
and $\text{art}(\text{sing}, [\text{a}|S], S)$ and $\text{noun}(\text{plur}, [\text{turtles}|S], S)$

Interest in successful derivations/proofs/refutations

\rightarrow normalization necessary

$$P_S(\text{ proof }) = \frac{P_D(\text{ proof })}{\sum_i P_D(\text{ proof}_i)}$$

$$P_A(\text{ ground atom } g(X_1, \dots, X_n) \theta) = \sum_{i \text{ is a proof tree for } g(X_1, \dots, X_n) \theta} P_s(tree_i)$$



Example Application

- Consider traversing a university website
 - Pages are characterized by predicates
department(cs,nebel) denotes the page of cs
 - Rules applied would be of the form
- ```
department(cs,nebel) :-
 prof(nebel), in(cs), co(ai), lecturer(nebel,ai).

pagetype1(t1,t2) :-
 type1(t1), type2(t2), type3(t3), pagetype2(t2,t3)

• SLP models probabilities over traces / proofs / web logs
```
- department(cs,nebel)**, **lecturer(nebel,ai007)**,  
**course(ai007,burgard)**, ...
- This is actually a Logical Markov Model
    - Logical Hidden Markov Model (cf. Kersting et al. JAIR)
    - Includes also structured observations and abstraction

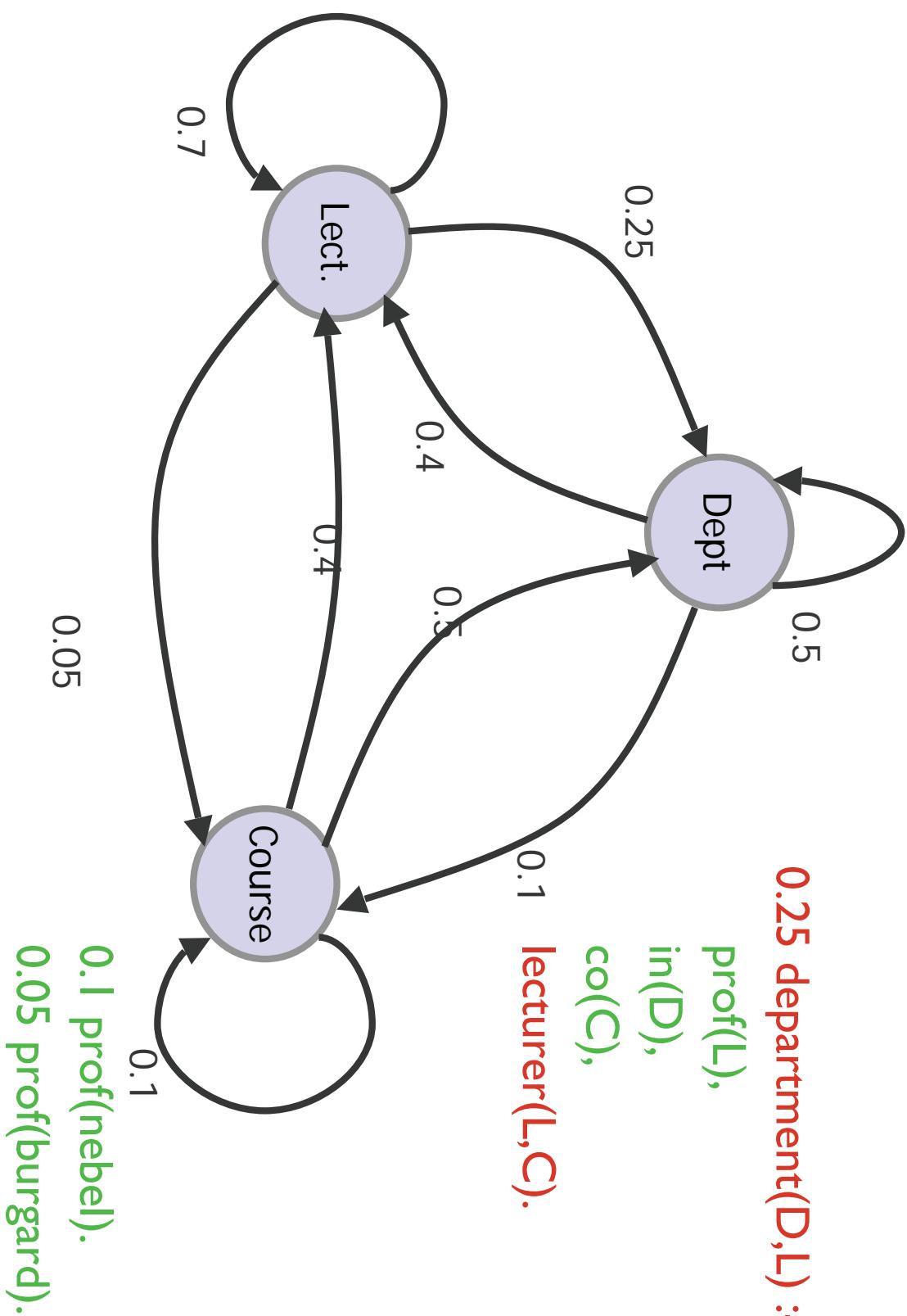
# Logical Markov Model

**0.25 department(D,L) :-**

$\text{prof}(L)$ ,  
 $\text{in}(D)$ ,

$\text{co}(C)$ ,

$\text{lecturer}(L,C)$ .



# PRISM (Sato) / ICL (Poole)

- A logic program in which probability labels are attached to facts;
- Clauses carry no probability label (or equiv.  $P = 1$ )  
$$disjoint(h_1 : p_1; \dots, h_n : p_n)$$
 statements, facts  $h_i; \sum_i p_i = 1$
- Disjoint(head(C) : 0.5; tail(C) : 0.5)
- Probability distributions can be defined in a related/similar fashion on proofs
  - on explanations
  - on atoms
  - though some differences with SLP



# PRISM (Sato) / ICL (Poole)

## Logical Abduction

$\text{mortal}(X) :- \text{human}(X)$  and  $\text{mortal}(X) :- \text{animal}(X)$

From  $\text{mortal}(\text{socrates})$  infer  $\text{human}(\text{socrates})$

OR

infer  $\text{animal}(\text{socrates})$

## Probabilistic Abduction (ICL Poole)

From  $\text{moral}(\text{socrates})$  infer  
probabilities for  $\text{human}(\text{socrates})$   
and  $\text{animal}(\text{socrates})$

## Backward reasoning



# ICL / PRISM example

```
btype('A') :- (gtype(a,a); gtype(a,o); gtype(o,a)).
btype('B') :- (gtype(b,b); gtype(b,o); gtype(o,b)).
btype('O') :- gtype(o,o).
```

```
btype('AB') :- (gtype(a,b); gtype(b,a)).
```

```
gtype(X,Y) :- gene(father,X), gene(mother,Y).
```

```
gene(P,G) :- msw(gene,P,G). probabilistic switch
```

```
disjoint(p1: msw(gene,P,o),
 p2: msw(gene,P,a),
 p3: msw(gene,P,b)) outcomes + prob switch
```

Infer e.g.  $P(\text{btype}('A'))$  from probabilities of proofs - facts

Infer e.g. explanations and prob.

$$P(\text{gene}(\text{father},a), \text{gene}(\text{mother},a)) = p2 * p2$$

...

$$P(\text{gene}(\text{father},a), \text{gene}(\text{mother},a) \mid \text{btype}('A')) : \text{normalize}$$

# Parameter Estimation for CFGs

- Given
  - A set of **sentences** for the startsymbol
    - E.g. **the, turtles, sleep**
  - The structure of the CFG
    - (i.e. the rules - not the probability labels)
- Find
  - The maximum likelihood parameters of the CFG
- Approach
  - Inside - Outside Algorithm
    - Parse trees are unobserved
    - Instance of EM
    - dynamic programming (using CYK)

# Parameter Estimation for SLPs

- Given
  - A set of **ground facts** for a predicate  $g$ 
    - E.g.  $s([the, turtles, sleep], [] )$
  - The structure of the stochastic logic program
    - (i.e. the logic part - not the probability labels)
- Find
  - The maximum likelihood parameters of the SLP
- Approach
  - Failure Adjusted Maximisation Algorithm (Cussens)
    - Parse trees and **failures** are unobserved
    - Instance of EM
    - Aka dynamic programming using tabling (Sato)
    - Very efficient



# Structure Learning

- From entailment : Muggleton ILP 02
  - Learns a single clause at a time from facts only
  - Hard problem, requires one to solve the full inductive logic programming problem
- From proof trees : De Raedt et al AAAI 05
  - Learn from **proof-trees** instead of from ground facts
  - Proof-trees carry **much more** information
  - Upgrade idea of tree bank grammars
- Given
  - A set of proof trees
- Find
  - An SLP that maximizes the likelihood

# Initial Rule Set DCG

$S$

$S \rightarrow NP(S), VP(S)$

$NP(S) \rightarrow Art(S), Noun(S)$

$VP(S)$  **How to get the variables back?**

$Art(S) \rightarrow \text{the}$

$Noun(S) \rightarrow \text{turtle}$

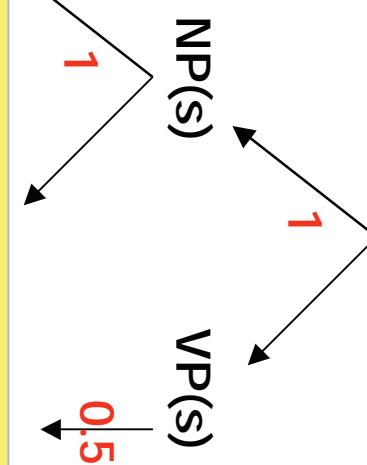
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The

turtle

sleeps



# Learning SLPS from Proof Trees

- Based on Tree-Bank Grammar idea, e.g. Penn Tree Bank
- **Key algorithm**
  - Let  $S$  be the set of all (instantiated) rules that occur in an example proof tree
  - Initialize parameters
    - repeat as long as the score of  $S$  improves
  - **Generalize  $S$** 
    - Estimate the parameters of  $S$  using Cussens' FAM
      - (which can be simplified - proofs are now observed)
  - Output  $S$



# Generalizing Rules in SLPs

- Generalization in ILP

- Take two clauses for same predicate and replace them by the Igg under  $\theta$  -  
subsumption (Plotkin)

- Example

```
department(cs,nebel) :-
prof(nebel), in(cs), course(ai), lect(nebel,ai).
department(cs,burgard) :-
prof(burgard), in(cs), course(ai), lect(burgard,ai)
```

- Induce

```
department(cs,P) :-
prof(P), in(cs), course(ai), lect(P,ai)
```



## Strong logical constraints

- Replacing the rules  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  by the  $\text{Igg}$  should **preserve the proofs** !

- So, two rules  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  should only be generalized when

- There is a one to one mapping (with corresponding substitutions) between literals in  $r_1$ ,  $r_2$  and

$\text{Igg}(r_1, r_2)$

- Exclude

$\text{father}(j, a) :- m(j), f(a), \text{parent}(j, a)$

$\text{father}(j, t) :- m(j), m(t), \text{parent}(j, t)$

- Gives

$\text{father}(j, P) :- m(j), m(X), \text{parent}(j, P)$



[Anderson et al.]

# Web Log Data

- Log data of web sides

- KDDCup 2000 ([www.gazelle.com](http://www.gazelle.com))

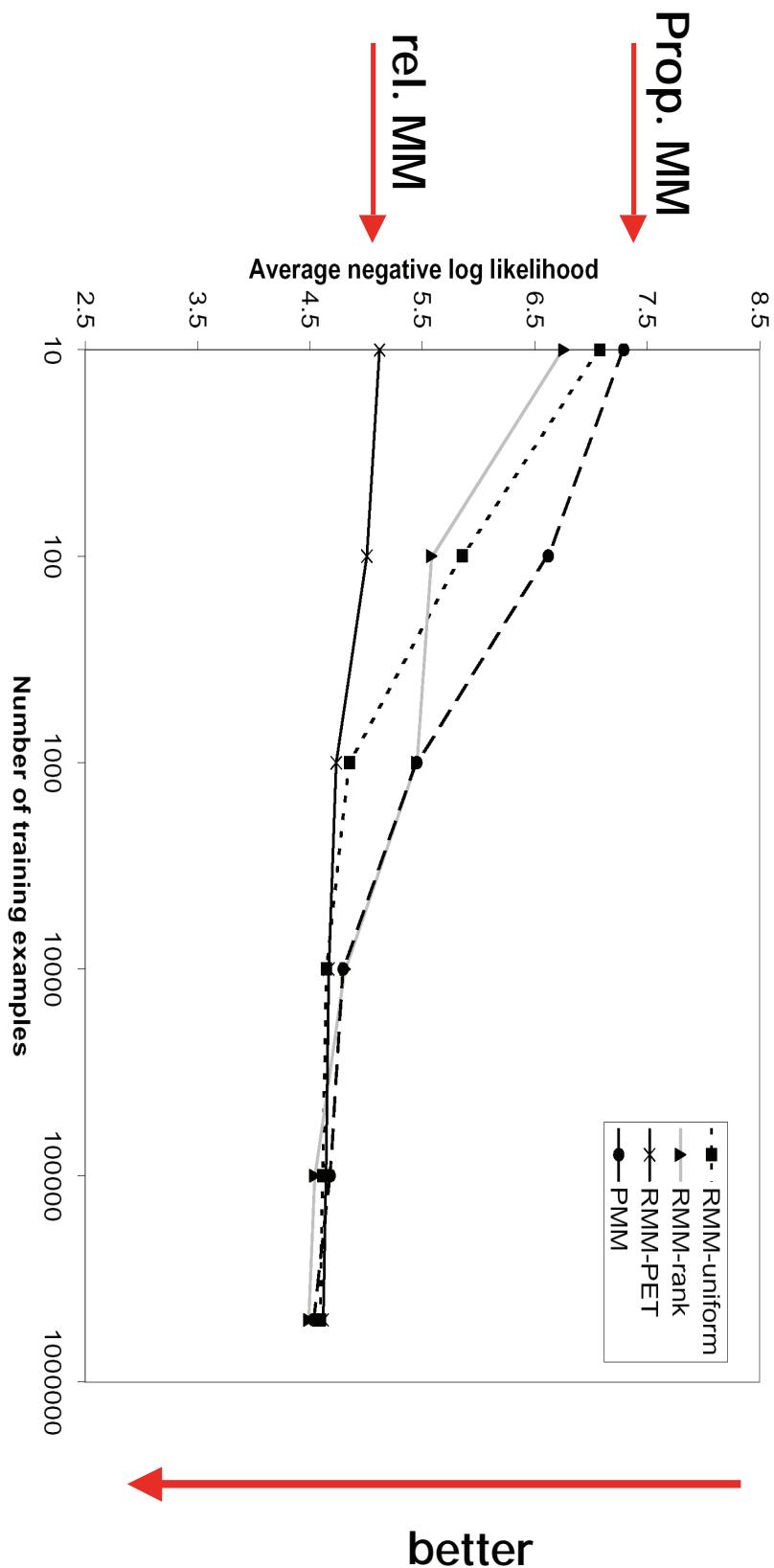
- RMM over

- Home()
- Boutique()
- Departments()
- Legcare\_vendor()
- Lifestyles()
- Vendor()
- AssortmentDefault()
- Assortment(Assortment)
- ProductDetailLegcareDefault()
- ProductDetailLegcare(Product)
- ProductDetailLegwearDefault()
- ProductDetailLegwearProduct(Product)
- ProductDetailLegwearAssortment(Assortment)
- ProductDetailLegwearProdCollect(Product, Collection)
- ProductDetailLegwearProdAssort(Product, Assortment)
- ProductDetailLegwear(Product, Collection, Assortment)

[Anderson et al.]

# User Log Data

Relational representation pays off



# Protein Fold Recognition

[Kersting et al.: Kersting, Gaertner]



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# Protein Secondary Structure

[Kersting et al.; Kersting, Gaertner]

helix

type of helix

quantized number of acids

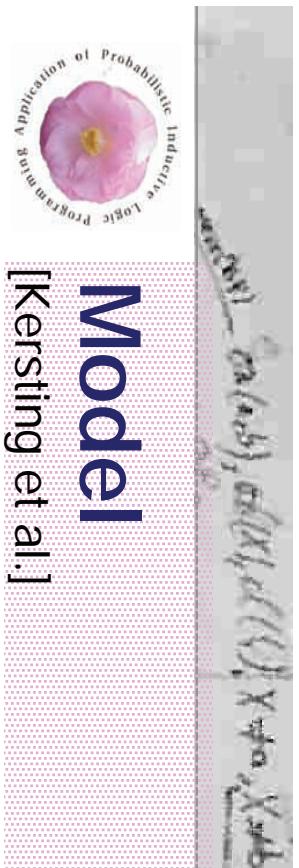
```
[helix(h(right,3to10),5),
helix(h(right,alpha),13),
strand(null,7),
strand(minus,7),
strand(minus,5),
helix(h(right,3to10),5),...]
```

length

orientation

strand



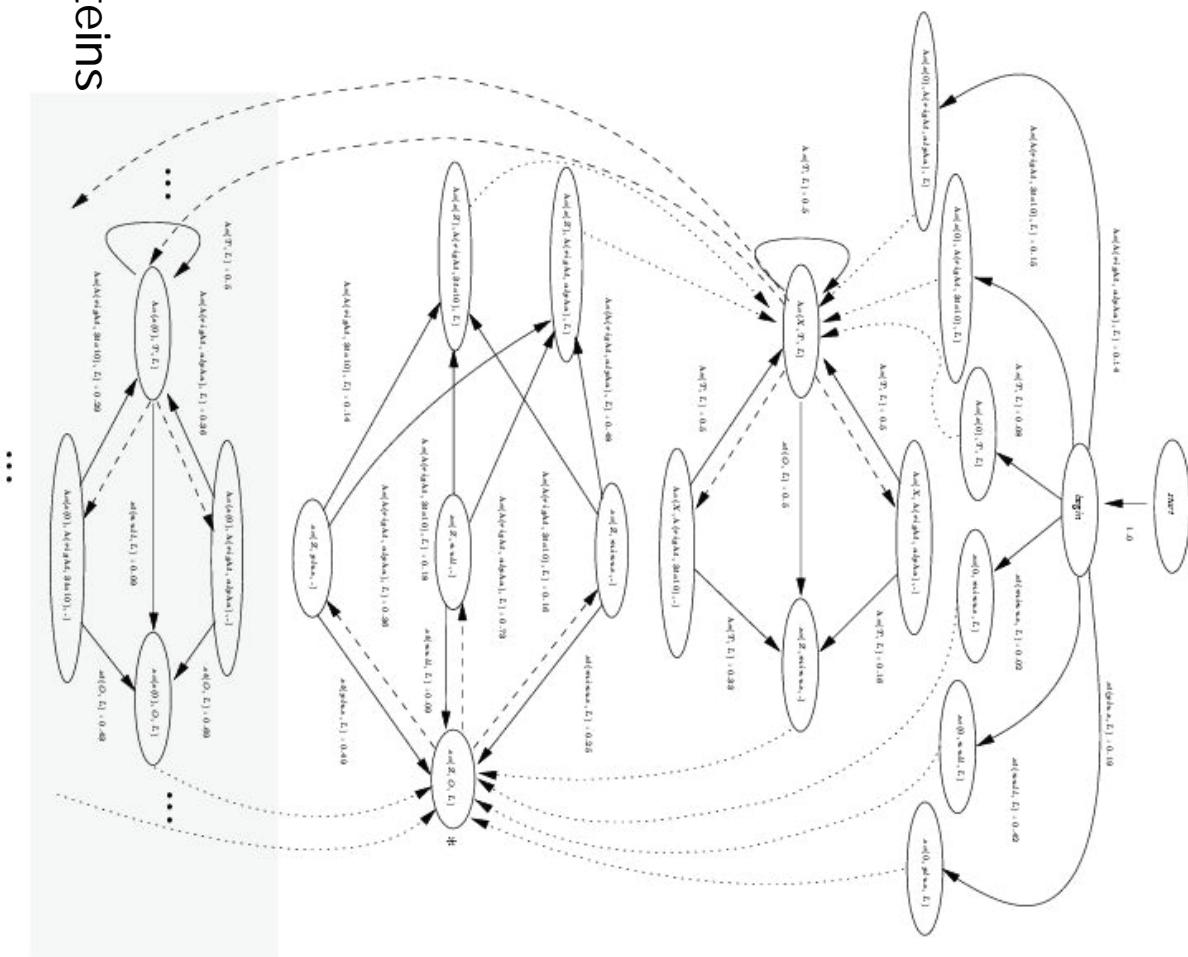


Model  
[Kersting et al.]

~120 parameters

58

over 62000 parameters



## Secondary structure of domains of proteins

(from PDB and SCOP)

fold1: TIM beta/alpha barrel fold, fold2: NAD(P)-binding Rossmann-fold fold23: Ribosomal protein L4, fold37: glucosamine 6-phosphate deaminase/isomerase old fold55: leucine aminopeptidase fold. 3187 logical sequences (> 30000 ground atoms)



# Conclusions Learning from Entailment and Proofs

- SLPs extend PCFGs as a representation
- Proof-trees for SLPs correspond to parse-trees in PCFGs
- Upgrading the learning from tree-banks setting for use in SLPs
- Learning from proof trees is a new setting for inductive logic programming/statistical relational learning
  - Generalizes learning from traces
- Strong logical constraints at structure level
- Allows one also to elegantly model and study RMMs and LOHMMs
  - Sequential relational / logical traces.
- A lot of further research questions
  - Most of all : experiments on real data

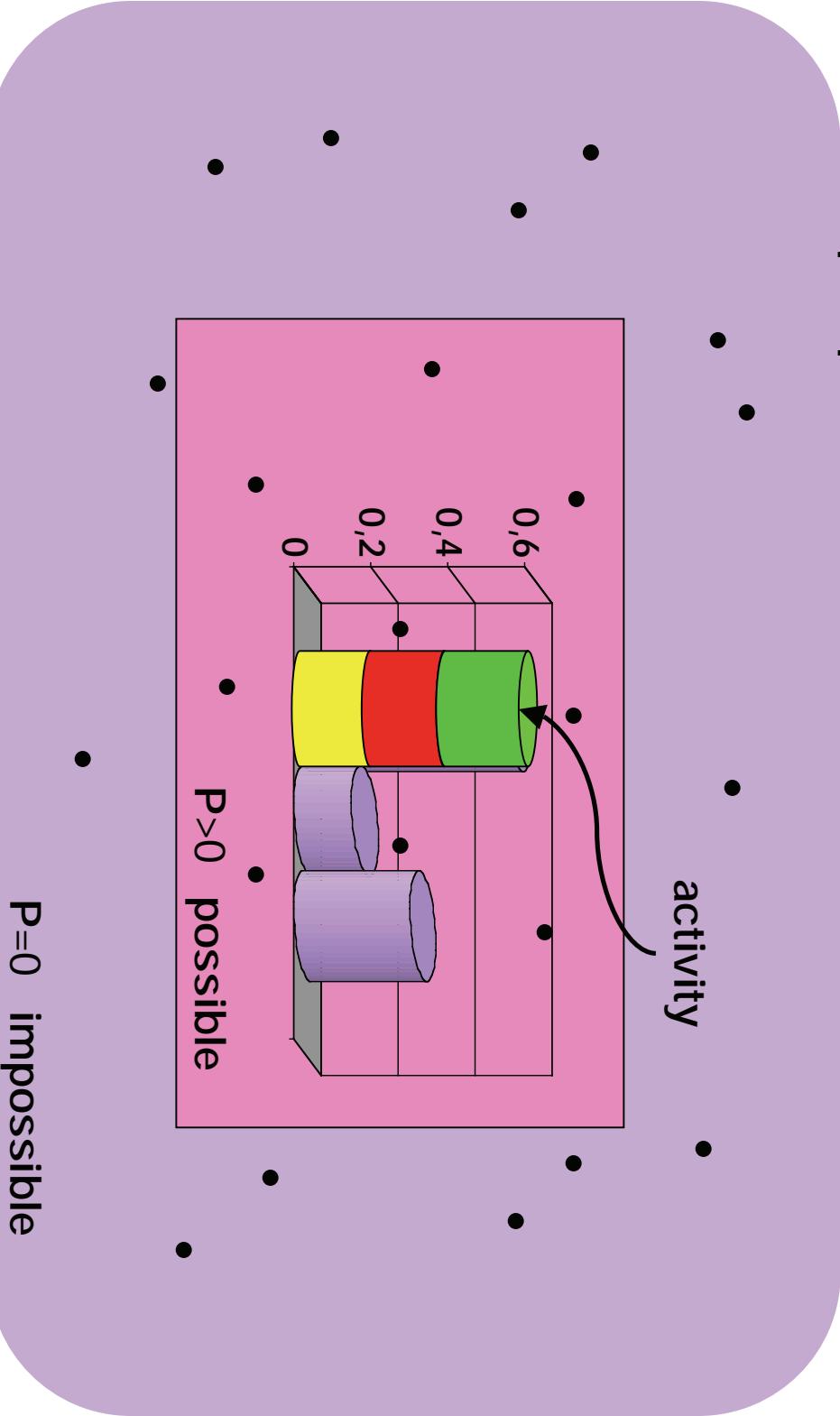


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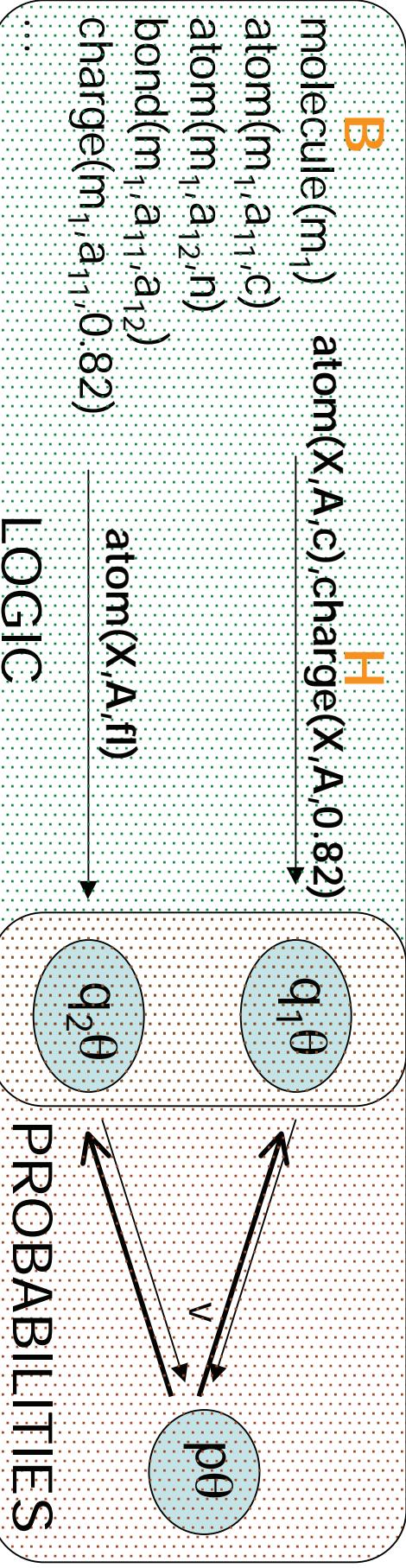
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# Probabilistic ILP Problem

Example space



# nFOIL = naïve Bayes + FOIL



- Clause set + simple probabilistic model
- Idea: Clauses are independent
- Success/failure of a query is random variable in a Naive Bayes model

# The nFOL model

- Naive Bayes assumption translates into

$$\begin{aligned} P(p\theta | H, B) &= P(p\theta | q_1\theta, \dots, q_k\theta) \\ &= \frac{P(q_1\theta, \dots, q_k\theta | p\theta) * P(p\theta)}{P(q_1\theta, \dots, q_k\theta)} \\ &= \frac{\prod_i P(q_i\theta | p\theta) * P(p\theta)}{P(q_1\theta, \dots, q_k\theta)} \end{aligned}$$

- Model consists of clauses  $q_1, \dots, q_k$  and parameters  $P(q_i\theta | p\theta), P(p\theta)$
- Classify positive if  $P(p\theta | H, B) > 0.5$



# Learning: nFOIL



- Modified FOIL: search guided by cond. likelihood

- FOIL

- a clause is scored by its coverage

- Covered positive examples are removed

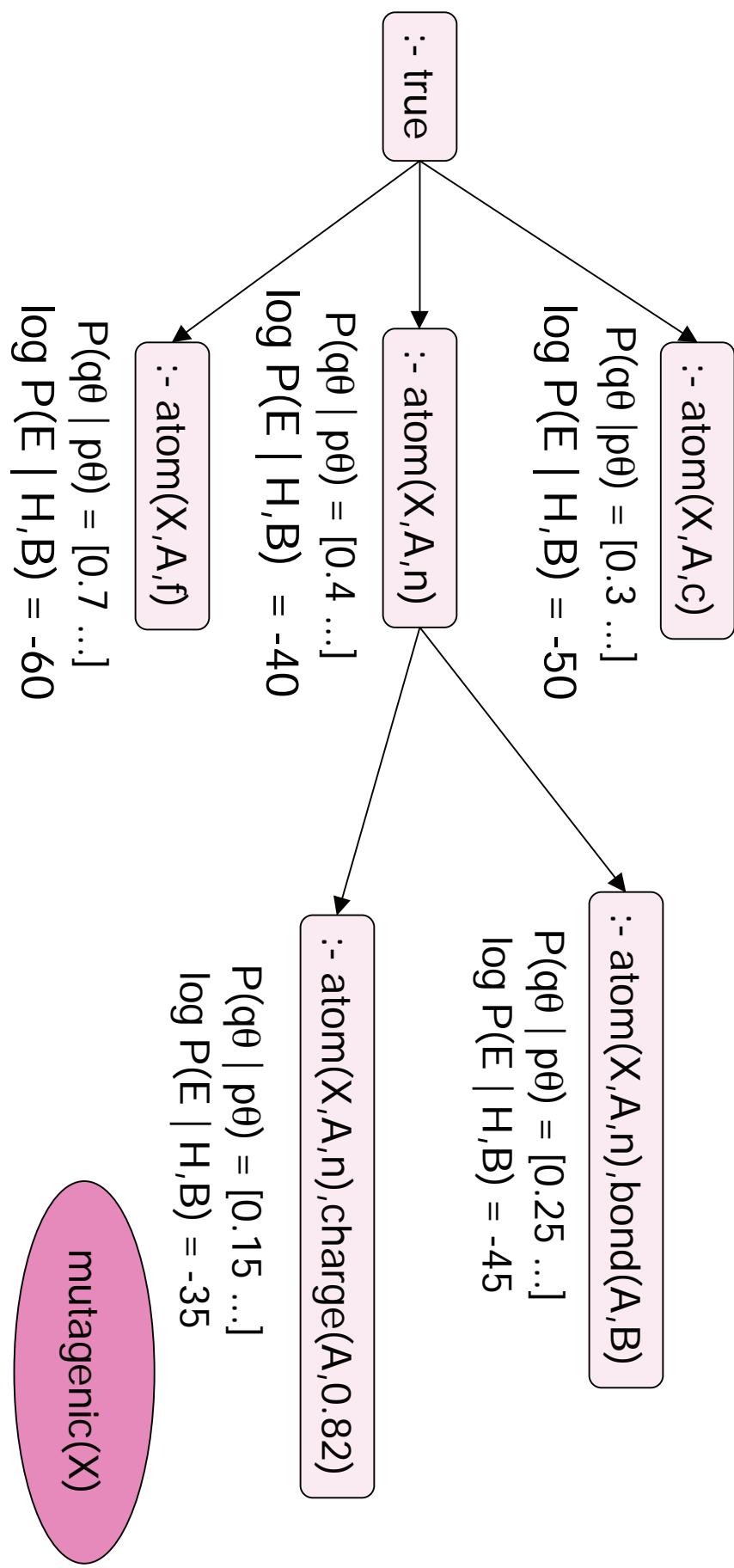
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- Score a set of clauses  $\{q_1, \dots, q_k\}$  by conditional likelihood:

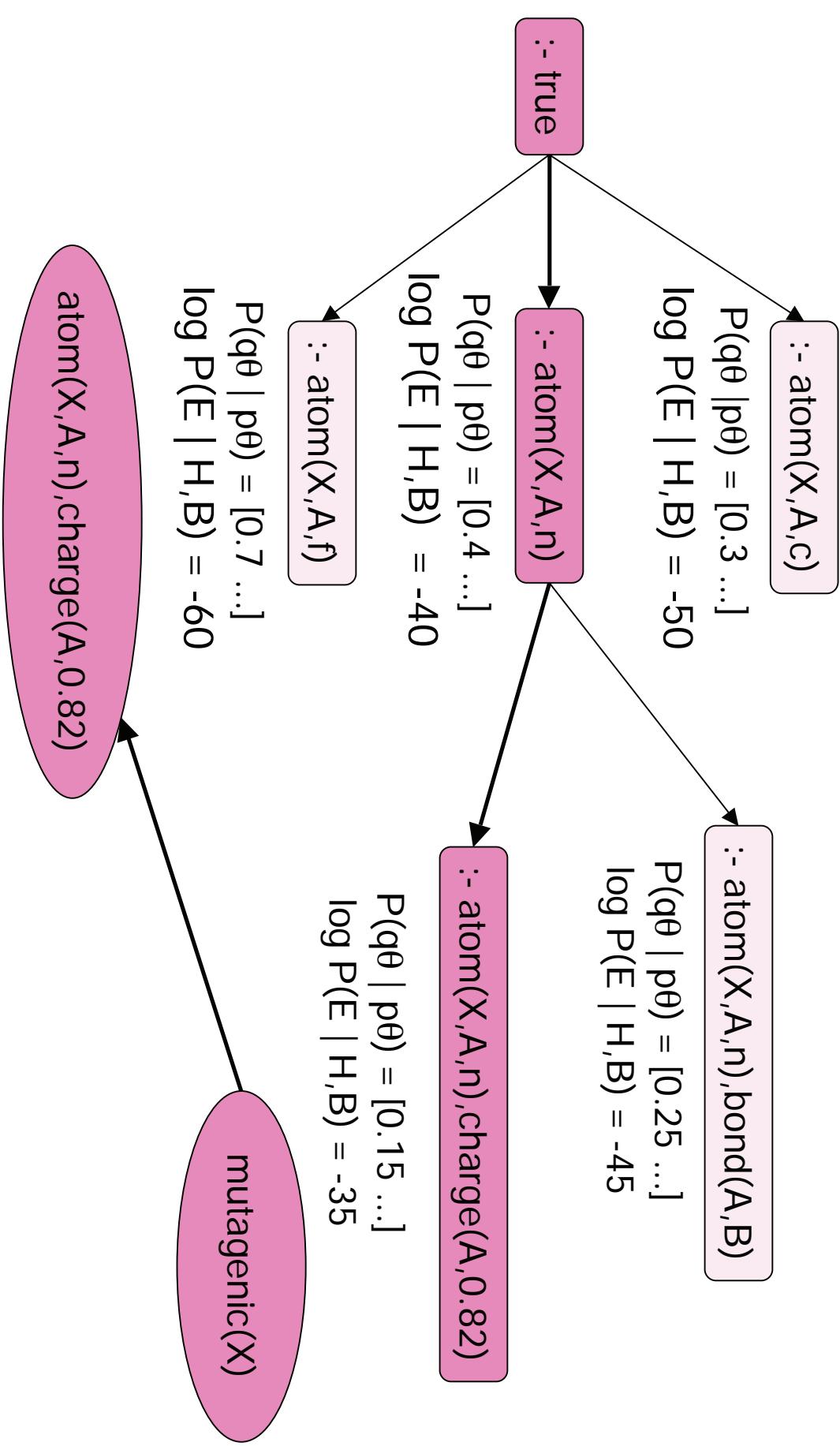
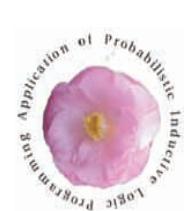
$$P(E | H, B) = \prod_{e \in E} \frac{\prod_i P(q_i | p_e)}{P(q_1, \dots, q_k | \theta)}$$

where  $P(q_i | p_e) = \frac{\text{count}(q_i, p_e)}{\text{count}(p_e)}$

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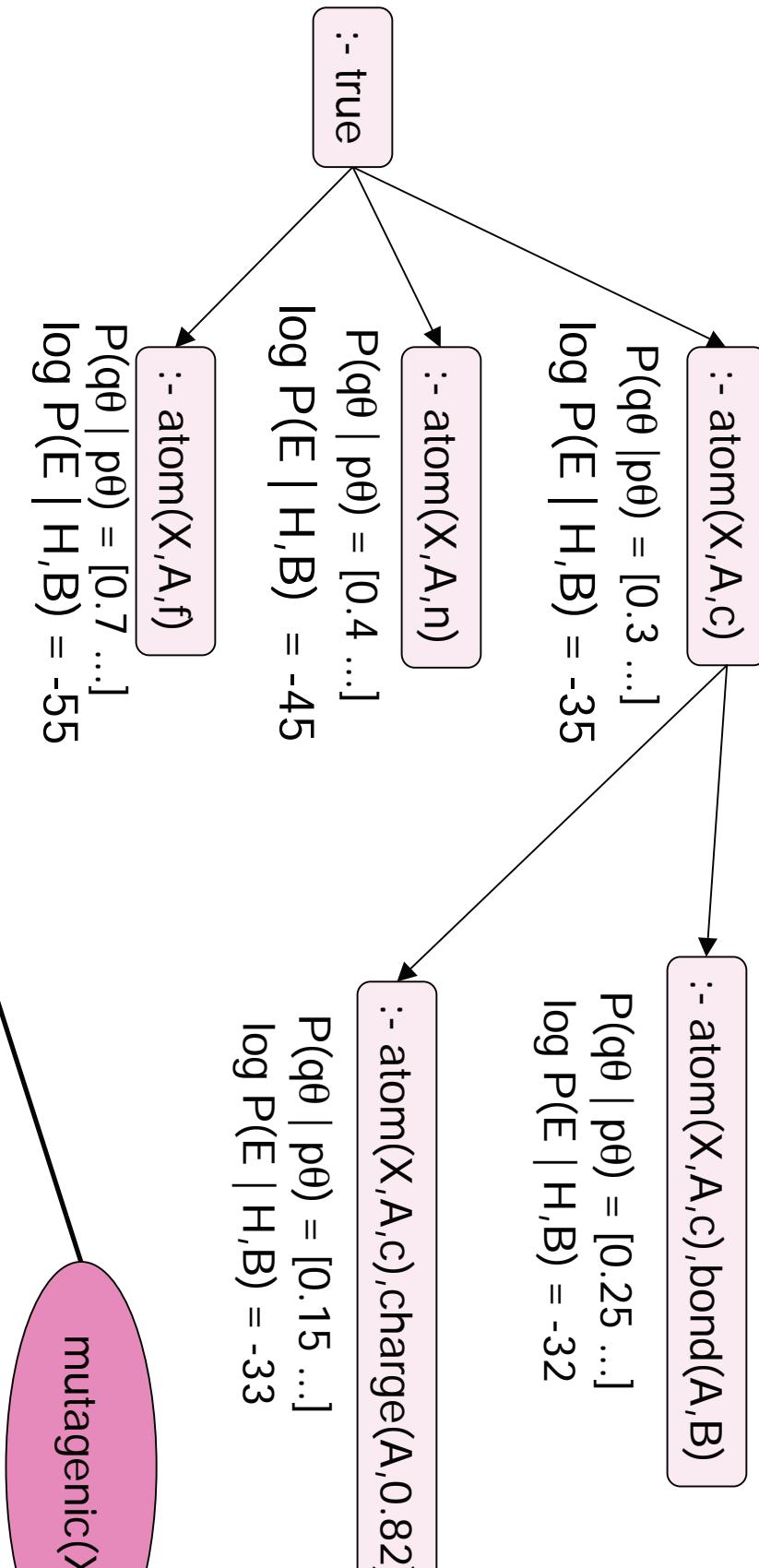
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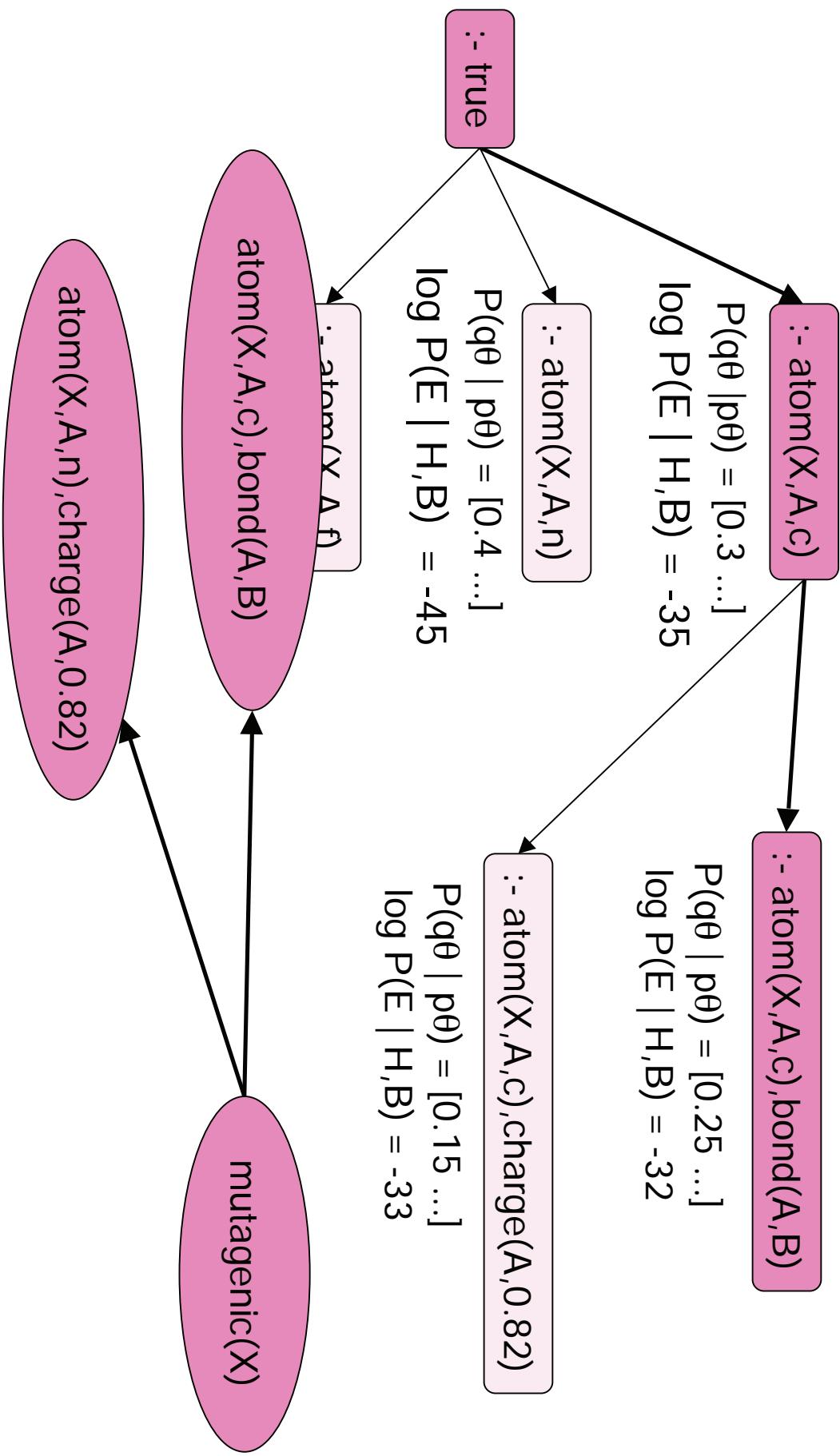


atom(X,A,n),charge(A,0.82)

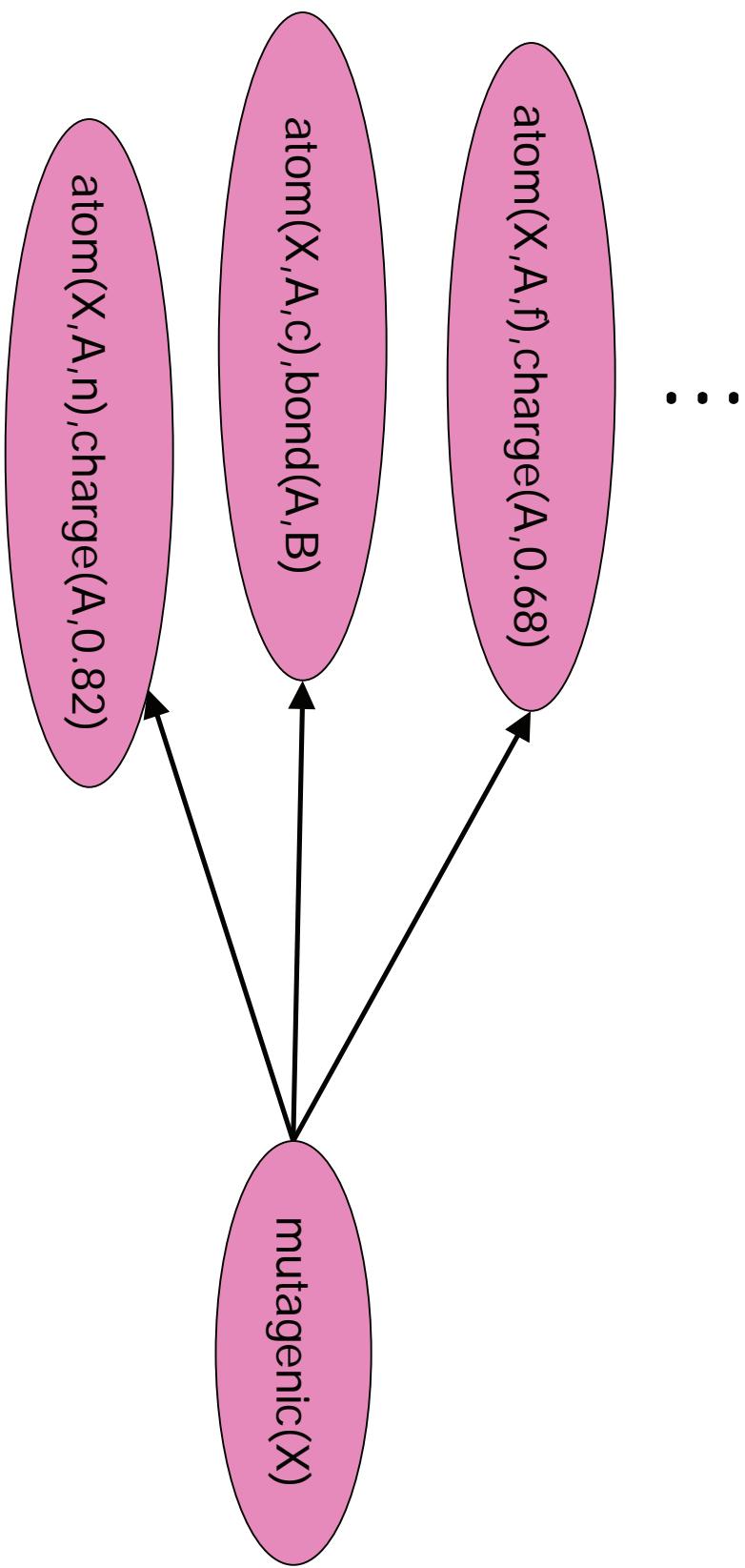


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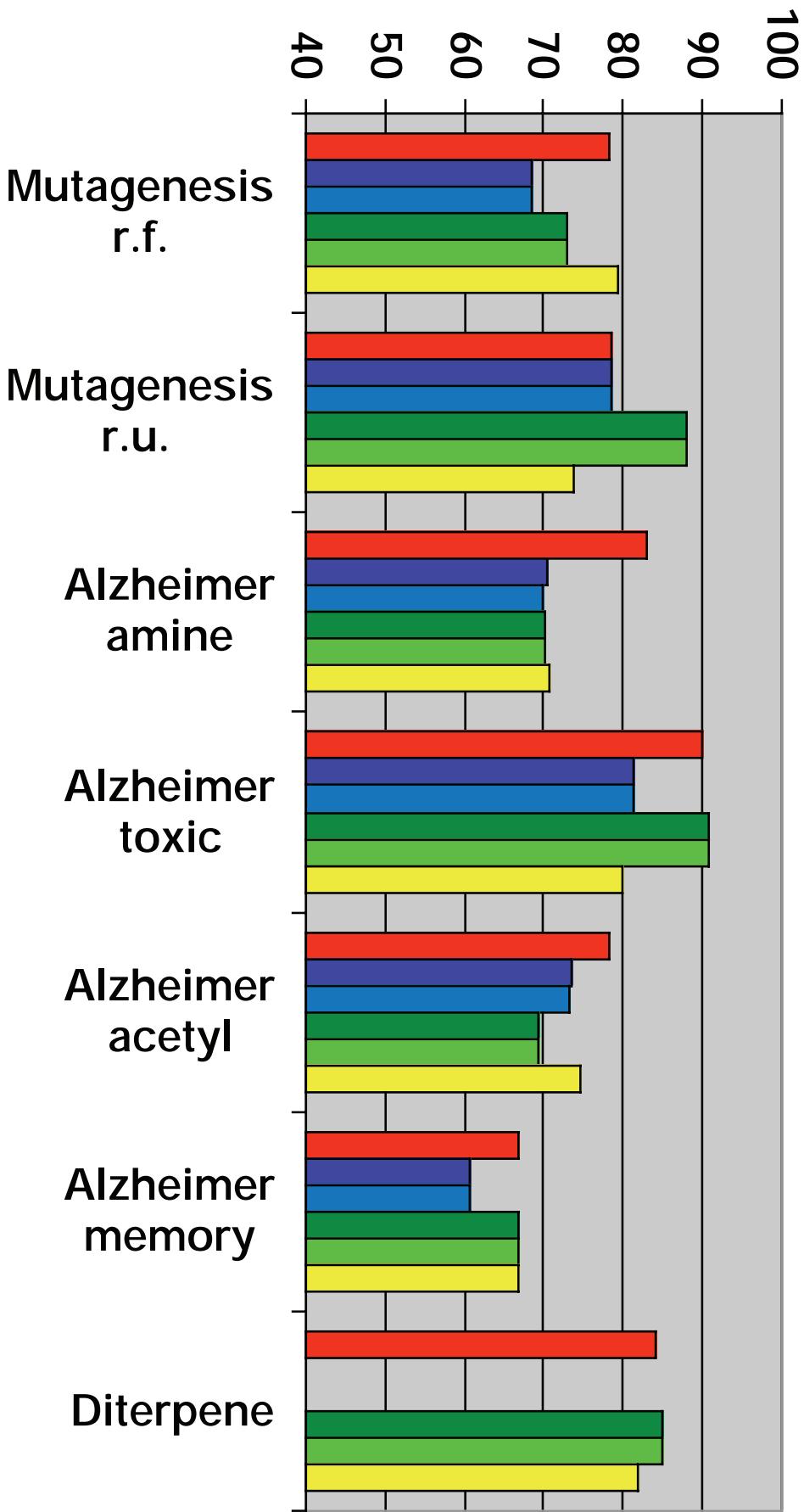


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# Experimental Results

■ nFOIL   ■ mFOIL   ■ mFOIL + NB   ■ Aleph   ■ Aleph+NB   ■ 1BC2





## Fisher Kernels [Jaakkola, Haussler NIPS'99]

- Kernels based on probability models
- Idea: capture the change in parameters to accommodate new data point

Fisher score of observed data  $x$

$$U_x = \nabla_{\theta} \log P(x \mid \theta^*, M) = \left( \frac{\partial \log P(x \mid \theta^*, M)}{\partial \theta_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial \log P(x \mid \theta^*, M)}{\partial \theta_n} \right)^{\top}$$

Fisher information matrix  $J_{\theta} = E_x[U_x U_x^T]$

Fisher kernel

$$k(x, x') = U_x^T J_{\theta^*}^{-1} U_{x'}$$

In practice:

$$k(x, x') = U_x^T U_{x'}$$



# SVMs in a Nutshell

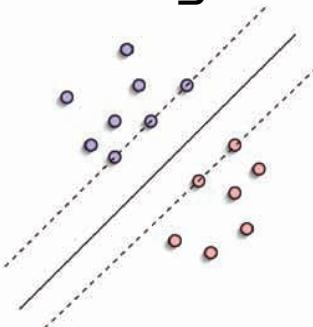
[Boser, Guyon, Vapnik COLT'92]

$$x \rightarrow \phi(x)$$

- With an appropriate mapping  $\phi$  to a sufficiently high dimension, data from 2 classes can always be separated by a hyperplane

- Find optimal separating hyperplane by maximizing the margin of separation

Larger Margin



Smaller Margin

- Computationally effective algorithm exist to solve this optimization problem (in higher dimensional feature space).

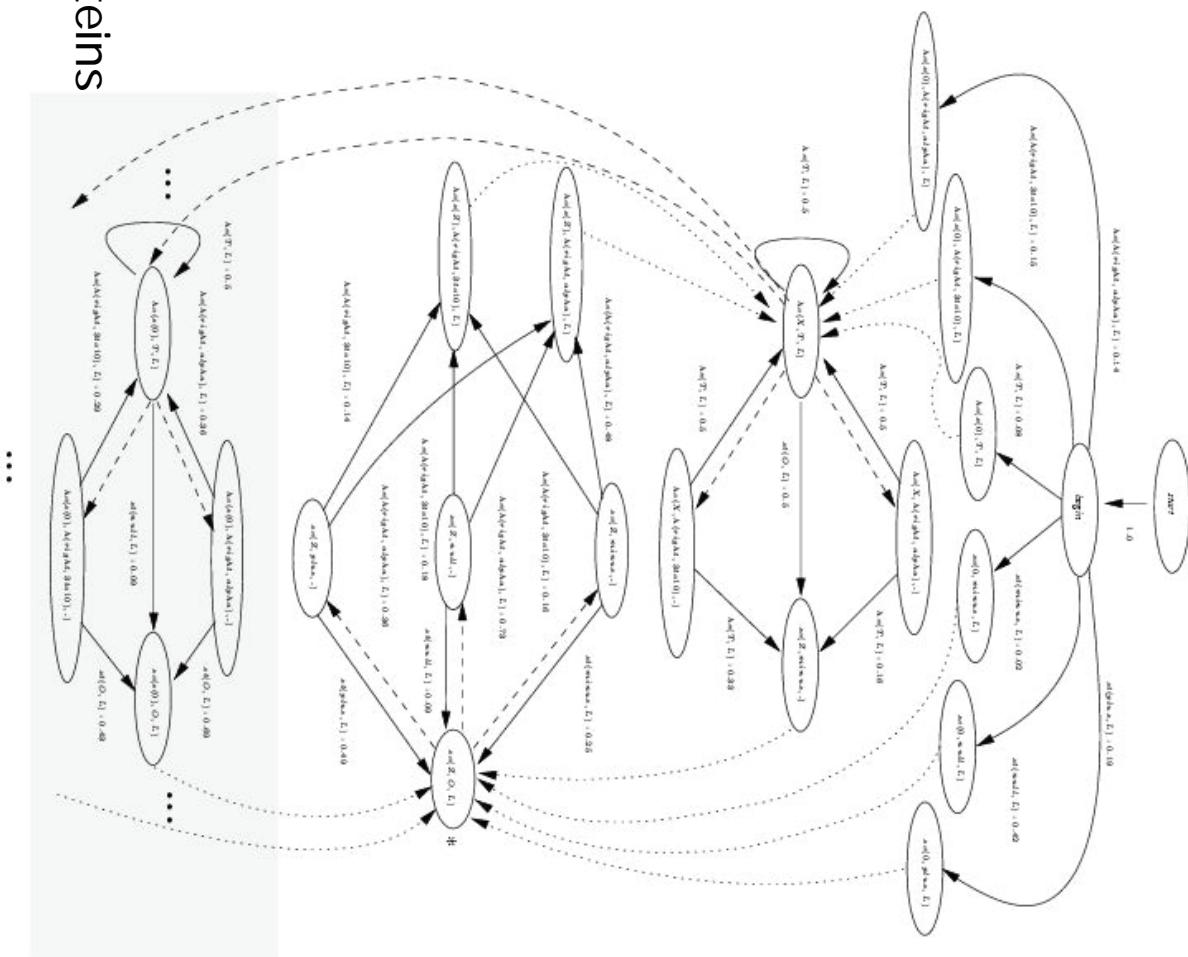
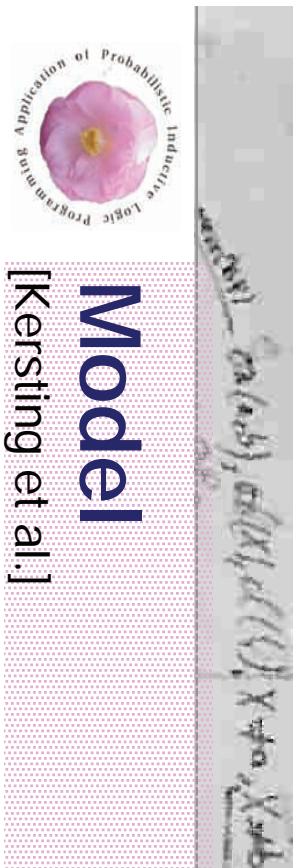
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# Results

[Kersting et al.; Kersting, Gaertner]

- Accuracy: 74% vs. 82.7% (1622 vs. 1809 / 2187)
- Majority vote: 43%

|           | fold1       | fold2       | fold23      | fold37      | fold55      |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| precision | 0.86 / 0.89 | 0.69 / 0.86 | 0.56 / 0.82 | 0.72 / 0.70 | 0.66 / 0.74 |
| recall    | 0.78 / 0.87 | 0.67 / 0.81 | 0.71 / 0.85 | 0.66 / 0.72 | 0.96 / 0.86 |

# New class of probabilistic relational Kernels

# mRNA

[Kersting et al.; Kersting, Gaerther]  
Probabilistic Induction  
Logit Profiling

- Identifying subsequences in mRNA that are responsible for biological functions.

- Secondary structures of mRNAs form tree structures: not easily for HMMs

[Kersting et al.; Kersting, Gaertner]

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nucleotide-pair((c, g)).

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single(s(s(s(s(s(0))))), s(s(s(s(s(0))))),

 [], hairpin, n(n(n(0))).

]

```

nucleotide-pair((c, g)).

**a      u**

**c — g**

**c — g**

nucleotide(a).

nucleotide(g).

nucleotide(u).

nucleotide(g).

```

single(s(s(s(s(0)))), s(s(s(0))), [], bulge5,
n(n(n(0))))).

```

```

nucleotide-pair((c, g)).
nucleotide-pair((c, g)).
```

single(s(s(0)), s(0), [], bulge5, n(0))).

```

graph TD
 Root[nucleotide-pair((a, a))] --> AA[a - a]
 Root --> Ua[nucleotide-pair((u, a))]
 Ua --> UA[u - a]
 Ua --> Ug[nucleotide-pair((u, g))]
 UA --> UG[u - g]
 UG --> CA[c - a]
 CA --> UA2[u - a]
 CA --> AU[a - u]
 UA2 --> S1[s(s(s(s(0))))]
 AU --> S2[s(s(s(s(s(s(0)))))))]

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root(0, root, [c]).
```

[Kersting et al.; Kersting, Gaerther]

mRNA



93 logical sequences (in total 3122 ground atoms)

- 15 and 5 SECIS (Selenocysteine Insertion Sequence),
- 27 IRE (Iron Responsive Element),
- 36 TAR (Trans Activating Region) and
- 10 histone stemloops.

Leave-one-out crossvalidation:

Plug-In Estimates: 4.3 % error

Fisher kernels SVM: 2.2 % error



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# Conclusions

- A flavor of Probabilistic ILP or Statistical Relational Learning from a logical perspective
- A definition of Probabilistic ILP
  - based on a probabilistic coverage notion and annotated logic programs
- Different Probabilistic ILP settings (as for ILP)
  - Learning from entailment: Parameter Est. SLPs/Prism
  - Learning from interpretations: BLPS, PRMs, RMNs, MLNs
  - Learning from traces or proofs: SLPs, RMMs, LOHMMs
  - Discriminative ILP: nFOIL
- Different settings have different complexities



# Use of different Prob. ILP Settings

Probabilistic Learning from ...

... Entailment

SLPs, PRISM

... Interpretations

PRMs, BLPs, RMNs,  
MLNs

Difficulty

-

... Proofs/Traces

RMMs,  
LOHMMs,  
SLPs

Information

+





## Conclusions

Many interesting problems left !

**Thank you for your attention!**

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