CSEP 544

Lecture 8: Datalog
Announcements

• Homework 4 was due last night
  – We need to delete your database after you submit

• Homework 5 is posted
  – Due on Monday, March 10
  – Last homework!

• Reading assignment due today:
  – Datalog

• Reading assignment due on March 11:
  – Column-oriented databases (long!)
Outline for Today

• Datalog

• Provenance (will continue next time)
Paper Discussion

• Why the *urgency of parallelism*?
Paper Discussion

• Why the *urgency of parallelism*?

• Moore’s Law: transistor density continues to grow exponentially, but no longer improving processor speeds. Instead: multicores

• Cloud Computing: commoditize access to large compute clusters:
Datalog

Review (from Lecture 2)

• Fact
• Rule
• Head and body of a rule
• Existential variable
• Head variable
Review

Facts

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Casts(344759, 29851).
Casts(355713, 29000).
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Rules = queries
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Rules

Q1(y) :- Movie(x,y,z), z=’1940’.
Q2(f, l) :- Actor(z,f,l), Casts(z,x),
         Movie(x,y,’1940’).
Q3(f,l) :- Actor(z,f,l), Casts(z,x1), Movie(x1,y1,1910),
         Casts(z,x2), Movie(x2,y2,1940).

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Facts = tuples in the database
Rules = queries

Extensional Database Predicates = EDB
Intensional Database Predicates = IDB
Q2(f, l) :- Actor(z,f,l), Casts(z,x), Movie(x,y,’1940’).

f, l = head variables
x, y, z = existential variables
Paper Discussion

• How does the Dedalus data model extend the basic datalog model?

• How does Dedalus extend the datalog rules?
Paper Discussion

• How does the Dedalus data model extend the basic datalog model?
  – Each predicate has a timestamp and a location

• How does Dedalus extend the datalog rules?
  – Deductive, inductive, asynchronous rules
Paper Discussion

Which are the deductive, inductive, asynchronous rules?

Figure 1: A simple Dedalus program, written with syntactic sugar (left), and with standard Datalog notation (right).
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

T(x,y) :- R(x,y)
T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y)

What does it compute?

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First iteration: T =

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What does it compute?
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

\[
\begin{align*}
R &= \{ (1, 2), (2, 1), (2, 3), (1, 4), (3, 4), (4, 5) \} \\
T(x, y) &\leftarrow R(x, y) \\
T(x, y) &\leftarrow R(x, z), T(z, y)
\end{align*}
\]

What does it compute?

Initially: T is empty.

First iteration:

\[
T = \begin{array}{cc}
1 & 2 \\
2 & 1 \\
2 & 3 \\
1 & 4 \\
3 & 4 \\
4 & 5 \\
\end{array}
\]

Second iteration:

\[
T = \begin{array}{cc}
1 & 2 \\
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2 & 3 \\
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\end{array}
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What does it compute?
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

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What does it compute?

R encodes a graph

Initially: T is empty.

First iteration: T =

Second iteration: T =

Third iteration: T =

Done
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

\[ T(x,y) :- R(x,y) \]
\[ T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y) \]

What does it compute?

Initially:
\[ T \text{ is empty.} \]

First iteration:
\[ T = \]

Second iteration:
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Third iteration:
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Done

Discovered twice

Discovered 3 times!
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

Alternative ways to compute TC:

Right linear

T(x,y) :- R(x,y)
T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y)

Left linear

T(x,y) :- R(x,y)
T(x,y) :- T(x,z), R(z,y)

Non-linear

T(x,y) :- R(x,y)
T(x,y) :- T(x,z), T(z,y)

Discuss pros/cons in class

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Compute TC (ignoring color):
Compute pairs of nodes connected by the same color (e.g. (2,4))
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\[ T(x,y) :\neg R(x,c,z), T(z,y) \]

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T(x,c,y) :- R(x,c,z), T(z,c,y)
Answer(x,y) :- T(x,c,y)
Simple datalog programs

R, G, B encodes a 3-colored graph

What does this program compute in general?

S(x,y) :- B(x,y)
S(x,y) :- T(x,z), B(z,y)
T(x,y) :- S(x,z), R(z,y)
T(x,y) :- S(x,z), G(z,y)
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T(x,y) :- S(x,z), R(z,y)
T(x,y) :- S(x,z), G(z,y)
Answer(x,y) :- T(x,y)
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Answer: it computes pairs of nodes connected by a path spelling out these regular expressions:

- \( S = (B.(R \text{ or } G))^*.B \)
- \( T = (B.(R \text{ or } G))^+ \)
Syntax of Datalog Programs

The schema consists of two sets of relations:

• Extensional Database (EDB): \( R_1, R_2, \ldots \)
• Intentional Database (IDB): \( P_1, P_2, \ldots \)

A datalog program \( P \) has the form:

\[
P: \\
P_i(x_1, x_2, \ldots) : \neg \text{body}_1 \\
P_j(x_{11}, x_{12}, \ldots) : \neg \text{body}_2 \\
\ldots
\]

- Each head predicate \( P_i \) is an IDB
- Each body is a conjunction of IDB and/or EDB predicates
- See lecture 2

Note: no negation (yet)! Recursion OK.
Naïve Datalog Evaluation Algorithm

Datalog program:

\[ P_{i1} :\text{-} body_1 \]
\[ P_{i2} :\text{-} body_2 \]
\[ .... \]
Naïve Datalog Evaluation Algorithm

Datalog program:

\[ P_{i1} : - \text{body}_1 \]
\[ P_{i2} : - \text{body}_2 \]
\[ \ldots \]

\[ P_i : - \text{body}_{1i} \cup \text{body}_{12} \cup \ldots \]
\[ P_j : - \text{body}_{21} \cup \text{body}_{22} \cup \ldots \]
\[ \ldots \]

Group by IDB predicate
Naïve Datalog Evaluation Algorithm

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\[ \ldots \]

Group by IDB predicate

\[ P_1 :\leftarrow \text{body}_{11} \cup \text{body}_{12} \cup \ldots \]
\[ P_2 :\leftarrow \text{body}_{21} \cup \text{body}_{22} \cup \ldots \]

\[ \ldots \]

Each rule is a Select-Project-Join-Union query

\[ P_1 :\leftarrow \text{SPJU}_1 \]
\[ P_2 :\leftarrow \text{SPJU}_2 \]

\[ \ldots \]
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Example:

\[ T(x,y) : \text{R}(x,y) \]

\[ T(x,y) : \text{R}(x,z), T(z,y) \]

\[ \ldots \]
Naïve Datalog Evaluation Algorithm

Datalog program:

\[
P_i :\text{ body}_i
\]

\[
P_1 :\text{ body}_{11} \cup \text{ body}_{12} \cup \ldots
\]

\[
P_2 :\text{ body}_{21} \cup \text{ body}_{22} \cup \ldots
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\vdots
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Group by IDB predicate

Each rule is a Select-Project-Join-Union query

Example:

\[
T(x,y) := R(x,y)
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\[
T(x,y) := R(x,z), T(z,y)
\]

\[
\Rightarrow T(x,y) := R(x,y) \cup \Pi_{xy}(R(x,z) \bowtie T(z,y))
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Group by IDB predicate

Each rule is a Select-Project-Join-Union query

Naïve datalog evaluation algorithm:

\[ P_1 = P_2 = \ldots = \emptyset \]

Loop

NewP_1 = SPJU_1; NewP_2 = SPJU_2; \ldots

if (NewP_1 = P_1 and NewP_2 = P_2 and \ldots)

then exit

P_1 = NewP_1; P_2 = NewP_2; \ldots

Endloop

Example:

\[ T(x,y) : \text{R}(x,y) \]
\[ T(x,y) : \text{R}(x,z), T(z,y) \]

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Naïve Datalog Evaluation Algorithm

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New\( P_{1} = \text{SPJU}_{1} \); New\( P_{2} = \text{SPJU}_{2} \); \ldots

if (New\( P_{1} = P_{1} \) and New\( P_{2} = P_{2} \) and \ldots)

then exit

P\( _{1} = \text{NewP}_{1} ; P_{2} = \text{NewP}_{2} ; \ldots \]

Endloop

Example:

\[ T(x,y) :\text{-} R(x,y) \]
\[ T(x,y) :\text{-} R(x,z), T(z,y) \]

\[ T(x,y) :\text{-} R(x,y) \cup \Pi_{xy}(R(x,z) \bowtie T(z,y)) \]

T\( = \emptyset \)

Loop

NewT\( (x,y) = R(x,y) \cup \Pi_{xy}(R(x,z) \bowtie T(z,y)) \)

if (NewT = T)

then exit

T\( = \text{NewT} \)

Endloop
Discussion

• A datalog program *always* terminates (why?)

• What is the running time of a datalog program as a function of the input database?
Discussion

• A datalog program *always* terminates (why?)
  – Number of possible tuples in IDB is $|\text{Dom}|^{\text{arity}(R)}$

• What is the running time of a datalog program as a function of the input database?
  – Number of iteration is $\leq |\text{Dom}|^{\text{arity}(R)}$
  – Each iteration is a relational query
Problem with the Naïve Algorithm

• The same facts are discovered over and over again

• The *semi-naïve* algorithm tries to reduce the number of facts discovered multiple times
Incremental View Maintenance

Let V be a view computed by one datalog rule (no recursion)

\[ V :\text{- body} \]

If (some of) the relations are updated: \( R_1 \leftarrow R_1 \cup \Delta R_1, R_1 \leftarrow R_2 \cup \Delta R_2, \ldots \)

Then the view is also modified as follows: \( V \leftarrow V \cup \Delta V \)

**Incremental view maintenance:**
Compute \( \Delta V \) without having to recompute V
Incremental View Maintenance

Example 1:

\[
V(x,y) :\text{-} R(x,z), S(z,y)
\]

If \( R \leftarrow R \cup \Delta R \) then what is \( \Delta V(x,y) \)?
Incremental View Maintenance

Example 1:

\[ V(x, y) :\overset{\text{def}}{=} R(x, z), S(z, y) \]

If \( R \leftarrow R \cup \Delta R \) then what is \( \Delta V(x, y) \)?

\[ \Delta V(x, y) :\overset{\text{def}}{=} \Delta R(x, z), S(z, y) \]
Incremental View Maintenance

Example 2:

\[ V(x,y) : \neg R(x,z), S(z,y) \]

If \( R \leftarrow R \cup \Delta R \) and \( S \leftarrow S \cup \Delta S \)
then what is \( \Delta V(x,y) \) ?
Incremental View Maintenance

Example 2:

\[ V(x,y) :- R(x,z), S(z,y) \]

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Incremental View Maintenance

Example 3:

\[ V(x,y) :- T(x,z), T(z,y) \]

If \( T \leftarrow T \cup \Delta T \)
then what is \( \Delta V(x,y) \) ?
Incremental View Maintenance

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Semi-naïve Evaluation Algorithm

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P_0 = \text{Initial Value} \\
\text{Repeat} \\
P_k = f(P_{k-1}) \\
\text{Until } no-more-change
\]

- Semi-naïve algorithm
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• Semi-naïve algorithm

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\[ \text{Repeat} \]
\[ \Delta_k = \Delta f(P_{k-1}, \Delta_{k-1}) - P_{k-1} \]
\[ P_k = P_{k-1} \cup \Delta_k \]
\[ \text{Until no-more-change} \]
Semi-naïve Evaluation Algorithm

Separate the Datalog program into the non-recursive, and the recursive part. Each $P_i$ defined by non-recursive-$\text{SPJU}_i$ and (recursive-)$\text{SPJU}_i$.

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Loop

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$\Delta P_2 = \Delta \text{SPJU}_2(P_1, P_2, ..., \Delta P_1, \Delta P_2, ...) - P_2$;

...

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Endloop
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Loop

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\]

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Endloop

Example:

\[
T(x,y) ::= R(x,y)
\]

\[
T(x,y) ::= R(x,z), T(z,y)
\]

$T = \Delta T = ? (\text{non-recursive rule})$

Loop

\[
\Delta T(x,y) = ? (\text{recursive } \Delta \text{-rule})
\]

if $(\Delta T = \emptyset)$ then break

$T = T \cup \Delta T$

Endloop
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Loop

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...$

if $(\Delta P_1 = \emptyset$ and $\Delta P_2 = \emptyset$ and ...) then break

$P_1 = P_1 \cup \Delta P_1$; $P_2 = P_2 \cup \Delta P_2$; ...

Endloop

Example:

$$T(x,y) : - R(x,y)$$
$$T(x,y) : - R(x,z), T(z,y)$$

Note: for any linear datalog programs, the semi-naïve algorithm has only one $\Delta$-rule for each rule!
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

\[ R = \begin{array}{cccc}
1 & 2 \\
1 & 4 \\
2 & 1 \\
2 & 3 \\
3 & 4 \\
4 & 5 \\
\end{array} \]

Initially:

\[ T = \begin{array}{cccc}
1 & 2 \\
1 & 4 \\
2 & 1 \\
2 & 3 \\
3 & 4 \\
4 & 5 \\
\end{array} \]

\[ \Delta T = \begin{array}{cccc}
1 & 2 \\
1 & 4 \\
2 & 1 \\
2 & 3 \\
3 & 4 \\
4 & 5 \\
\end{array} \]

\[ T = \Delta T = R \]

Loop

\[ \Delta T(x,y) = R(x,z), \Delta T(z,y), \text{not } T(x,y) \]

if (\( \Delta T = \emptyset \))

then break

\[ T = T \cup \Delta T \]

Endloop

\[ T(x,y) :- R(x,y) \]

\[ T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y) \]
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

$R = \begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 3 & 5 & 4 \end{array}$

Initially:

$T = \Delta T = R$

Loop

$\Delta T(x,y) = R(x,z), \Delta T(z,y), \text{not } T(x,y)$

if $\Delta T = \emptyset$

then break

$T = T \cup \Delta T$

Endloop

First iteration:

$T(x,y) :- R(x,y)$

$T(x,y) :- R(x,z),\ T(z,y)$

$\Delta T = \begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 & 3 & 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 & 5 & 5 \end{array}$

$T = \begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 & 3 & 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 & 5 & 5 \end{array}$

$\Delta T = \text{paths of length 2}$
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

\[ \begin{align*}
T(x,y) & : \neg \ R(x,y) \\
T(x,y) & : \ R(x,z), \ T(z,y)
\end{align*} \]

First iteration:
\[ T = \Delta T = R \]
Loop
\[ \Delta T(x,y) = R(x,z), \Delta T(z,y), \neg T(x,y) \]
if \( \Delta T = \emptyset \)
then break
\[ T = T \cup \Delta T \]
Endloop

Initially:
\[ T = \Delta T = R \]

\[ \begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c}
1 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\
1 & 4 & 1 & 4 & 1 \\
2 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\
2 & 3 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\
3 & 4 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\
4 & 5 & 4 & 5 & 4 \\
\end{array} \]

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1 & 5 & 1 & 5 & 1 \\
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2 & 3 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\
3 & 5 & 3 & 5 & 3 \\
\end{array} \]
Simple datalog programs

R encodes a graph

First iteration:
T(x,y) :- R(x,y)

Second iteration:
T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y)

Third iteration:
T= ΔT = R
Loop
ΔT(x,y)= R(x,z), ΔT(z,y), not T(x,y)
if (ΔT = ∅)
    then break
T = T U ΔT
Endloop
Discussion of Semi-Naïve Algorithm

• Avoids re-computing some tuples, but not all tuples
• Easy to implement, no disadvantage over naïve
• A rule is called *linear* if its body contains only one recursive IDB predicate:
  – A linear rule always results in a single incremental rule
  – A non-linear rule may result in multiple incremental rules
Summary So Far

• Simple syntax for expressing queries with recursion
• Bottom-up evaluation – always terminates
  – Naïve evaluation
  – Semi-naïve evaluation
• Next:
  – Datalog semantics
  – Datalog with negation
Semantics of a Datalog Program

Three different, equivalent semantics:

- Minimal model semantics
- Least fixpoint semantics
- Proof-theoretic semantics
Minimal Model Semantics

To each rule $r$: $P(x_1...x_k) :- R_1(...), R_2(...), ...$
Minimal Model Semantics

To each rule \( r: \) \[ P(x_1...x_k) :- R_1(...), R_2(...), ... \]

Associate the logical sentence \( \Sigma_r: \) \[ \forall z_1...\forall z_n. [(R_1(...)) \land (R_2(...)) \land ...] \Rightarrow P(...)]
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Same as: \[ \forall x_1...\forall x_k. [ \exists y_1...\exists y_m. (R_1(...) \land R_2(...) \land ...) \Rightarrow P(...)] \]

All variables in the rule

Head variables

Existential variables
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Associate the logical sentence $\Sigma_r$: $\forall z_1...\forall z_n. [(R_1(...) \land R_2(...) \land ...) \implies P(...)]$

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Definition. If $P$ is a datalog program, $\Sigma_P$ is the set of all logical sentences associated to its rules.
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\]

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Example. Rule:

\[
T(x,y) \iff R(x,z), T(z,y)
\]

Sentence:

\[
\forall x. \forall y. \forall z. (R(x,z) \land T(z,y) \implies T(x,y))
\]

\[
\equiv \forall x. \forall y. (\exists z. R(x,z) \land T(z,y) \implies T(x,y))
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\[
\begin{array}{ccccccc}
1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\
\end{array}
\]

Which of these IDBs are *models*? Which are *minimal models*?

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\end{array}
\]

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Example:

\[ R = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 \\
\hline \end{array} \]

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\hline \end{array} \]

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\[ T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y) \]

\[ T= \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 \\
\hline \end{array} \]

All 25 pairs of nodes
Minimal Fixpoint Semantics

**Definition.** Fix an EDB $I$, and a datalog program $P$. The *immediate consequence* operator $T_P$ is defined as follows. For any IDB $J$:

$T_P(J) = \text{all IDB facts that are immediate consequences from } I \text{ and } J.$

**Fact.** For any datalog program $P$, the immediate consequence operator is monotone. In other words, if $J_1 \subseteq J_2$ then $T_P(J_1) \subseteq T_P(J_2)$. 
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**Theorem.** The immediate consequence operator has a unique, minimal fixpoint $J$: $\text{fix}(T_P) = J$, where $J$ is the minimal instance with the property $T_P(J) = J$.

Proof: using Knaster-Tarski’s theorem for monotone functions. The fixpoint is given by:

$$\text{fix} (T_P) = J_0 \cup J_1 \cup J_2 \cup \ldots \quad \text{where} \quad J_0 = \emptyset, \quad J_{k+1} = T_P(J_k)$$
Minimal Fixpoint Semantics

\[ R = \]

\[ T = \]

\[ J_0 = \emptyset \]

\[ J_1 = T(P(J_0)) \]

\[ J_2 = T(P(J_1)) \]

\[ J_3 = T(P(J_2)) \]

\[ J_4 = T(P(J_3)) \]

\[ T(x, y) : - R(x, y) \]

\[ T(x, y) : - R(x, z), T(z, y) \]
Proof Theoretic Semantics

Every fact in the IDB has a *derivation tree*, or *proof tree* justifying its existence.

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T(x,y) :- R(x,y)
T(x,y) :- R(x,z), T(z,y)

Derivation tree of T(1,4)
Adding Negation: Datalog

Example: compute the complement of the transitive closure

T(x,y) :- R(x,y)
T(x,y) :- T(x,z), R(z,y)
CT(x,y) :- Node(x), Node(y), not T(x,y)

What does this mean??
Recursion and Negation
Don’t Like Each Other

EDB: \( I = \{ \text{R(a)} \} \)

S(x) :- R(x), not T(x)

T(x) :- R(x), not S(x)

Which IDBs are models of \( P \)?

\[ J_1 = \{ \} \quad J_2 = \{ \text{S(a)} \} \quad J_3 = \{ \text{T(a)} \} \quad J_4 = \{ \text{S(a), T(a)} \} \]
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No: both rules fail
Recursion and Negation

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Yes: the facts in \( J_2 \) are \( R(a), S(a), \neg T(a) \) and both rules are true.

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Recursion and Negation

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Recursion and Negation
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EDB: \( I = \{ R(a) \} \)

\[
\begin{align*}
S(x) & \iff R(x), \neg T(x) \\
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\end{align*}
\]

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- J_1 = \{ \} \quad \text{No: both rules fail}
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- J_4 = \{ S(a), T(a) \} \quad \text{Yes}
Recursion and Negation
Don’t Like Each Other

EDB: \( I = \{ R(a) \} \)

\[
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S(x) :& \rightarrow R(x), \text{not } T(x) \\
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\end{align*}
\]

Which IDBs are models of \( \mathcal{P} \)?

\[
\begin{align*}
J_1 &= \{ \} \\
J_2 &= \{ S(a) \} \\
J_3 &= \{ T(a) \} \\
J_4 &= \{ S(a), T(a) \}
\end{align*}
\]

No: both rules fail

Yes: the facts in \( J_2 \) are \( R(a), S(a), \neg T(a) \) and both rules are true.

Yes

Yes

There is no \textit{minimal} model!
Recursion and Negation
Don’t Like Each Other

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\( J_2 = \{ S(a) \} \)
\( J_3 = \{ T(a) \} \)
\( J_4 = \{ S(a), T(a) \} \)

No: both rules fail

Yes: the facts in \( J_2 \) are \( R(a), S(a), \neg T(a) \) and both rules are true.

Yes

Yes

There is no minimal model!

There is no minimal fixpoint! (Why does Knaster-Tarski’s theorem fail?)
Adding Negation: \( \text{datalog}^\neg \)

- **Solution 1: Stratified Datalog\(^\neg\)**
  - Insist that the program be *stratified*: rules are partitioned into strata, and an IDB predicate that occurs only in strata \( \leq k \) may be negated in strata \( \geq k+1 \)

- **Solution 2: Inflationary-fixpoint Datalog\(^\neg\)**
  - Compute the fixpoint of \( J \cup T_P(J) \)
  - Always terminates (why?)

- **Solution 3: Partial-fixpoint Datalog\(^\neg,^*\)**
  - Compute the fixpoint of \( T_P(J) \)
  - May not terminate
A datalog$^-$ program is \textit{stratified} if its rules can be partitioned into $k$ strata, such that:

- If an IDB predicate $P$ appears negated in a rule in stratum $i$, then it can only appear in the head of a rule in strata 1, 2, $\ldots$, $i-1$

Note: a datalog$^-$ program either is stratified or it ain’t!

Which programs are stratified?

\begin{align*}
S(x) & :- R(x), \text{not } T(x) \\
T(x) & :- R(x), \text{not } S(x) \\
T(x,y) & :- R(x,y) \\
T(x,y) & :- T(x,z), R(z,y) \\
CT(x,y) & :- \text{Node}(x), \text{Node}(y), \text{not } T(x,y)
\end{align*}
Stratified datalog

• Evaluation algorithm for stratified datalog:\n
  - For each stratum $i = 1, 2, \ldots$, do:
    - Treat all IDB’s defined in prior strata as EBS
    - Evaluate the IDB’s defined in stratum $i$, using either the naïve or the semi-naïve algorithm

Does this compute a minimal model?

\[
\begin{align*}
T(x,y) & : - R(x,y) \\
T(x,y) & : - T(x,z), R(z,y) \\
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Stratified datalog

• Evaluation algorithm for stratified datalog:  

For each stratum $i = 1, 2, \ldots$, do:  

– Treat all IDB’s defined in prior strata as EBS  
– Evaluate the IDB’s defined in stratum $i$, using either the naïve or the semi-naïve algorithm

Does this compute a minimal model?  

NO:  
$J_1 = \{ T = \text{transitive closure}, \ CT = \text{its complement}\}$  
$J_2 = \{ T = \text{all pairs of nodes}, \ CT = \text{empty}\}$
Inflationary-fixpoint datalog $^-$

Let $P$ be any datalog $^-$ program, and $I$ an EDB.
Let $T_P(J)$ be the *immediate consequence* operator.
Let $F(J) = J \cup T_P(J)$ be the *inflationary immediate consequence* operator.

Define the sequence: $J_0 = \emptyset$, $J_{n+1} = F(J_n)$, for $n \geq 0$.

**Definition.** The inflationary fixpoint semantics of $P$ is $J = J_n$ where $n$ is such that $J_{n+1} = J_n$.

Why does there always exist an $n$ such that $J_n = F(J_n)$?

Find the inflationary semantics for:

- $T(x,y) :- R(x,y)$
- $T(x,y) :- T(x,z), R(z,y)$
- $CT(x,y) :- \text{Node}(x), \text{Node}(y), \text{not } T(x,y)$
- $S(x) :- R(x), \text{not } T(x)$
- $T(x) :- R(x), \text{not } S(x)$
Inflationary-fixpoint datalog⁻

- Evaluation for Inflationary-fixpoint datalog⁻
- Use the naïve, of the semi-naïve algorithm
- Inhibit any optimization that rely on monotonicity (e.g. out of order execution)
Partial-fixpoint datalog⁻,*

Let $P$ be any datalog⁻ program, and $I$ an EDB.
Let $T_P(J)$ be the *immediate consequence* operator.

Define the sequence: $J_0 = \emptyset$, $J_{n+1} = T_P(J_n)$, for $n \geq 0$.

**Definition.** The partial fixpoint semantics of $P$ is $J = J_n$ where $n$ is such that $J_{n+1} = J_n$, if such an $n$ exists, undefined otherwise.

Find the partial fixpoint semantics for:

- $T(x,y) :- R(x,y)$
- $T(x,y) :- T(x,z), R(z,y)$
- $CT(x,y) :- \text{Node}(x), \text{Node}(y), \text{not} \ T(x,y)$

**Note:** there may not exists an $n$ such that $J_n = F(J_n)$
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• E.g. negation of transitive closure:

\[
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T(x,y) & :- R(x,y) \\
T(x,y) & :- T(x,z), R(z,y) \\
CT(x,y)_{@next} & :- Node(x), Node(y), \text{not } T(x,y)
\end{align*}
\]
Discussion

Comparing datalog

• Compute the complement of the transitive closure in inflationary datalog

• Compare the expressive power of:
  – Stratified datalog
  – Inflationary fixpoint datalog
  – Partial fixpoint datalog
Data Provenance
Data Provenance

• Provenance inside the DBMS
  – Will discuss today

• Provenance outside of the DBMS
  – Much more messy; there is a standard, OPM (Open Provenance Model)
Provenance Annotations

- Some query produces an output table $T(A,B,C)$
- We store it over some period of time
- Later we ask: “where did this tuple come from?”
- The “provenance annotation” answers this.

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Provenance Annotations

- Start by annotating each tuple in the original database with a unique identifier; can be the Tuple Id (TID)

- Next, compute the provenance expression inductively, based on the query plan
Join Operator

\[ \begin{align*}
A & \bowtie B \\
\begin{array}{c|c|c}
A & B & C \\
a1 & b1 & c1 \\
a2 & b1 & c1 \\
a2 & b2 & c2 \\
a2 & b2 & c3 \\
\end{array} & \begin{array}{c|c|c}
X1 & Y1 & X1 \cdot Y1 \\
X2 & Y1 & X2 \cdot Y1 \\
X3 & Y2 & X3 \cdot Y2 \\
X3 & Y3 & X3 \cdot Y3 \\
\end{array}
\end{align*} \]
Projection Operator

\[ \Pi \]

\[
\begin{array}{c|c|c}
A & B & \text{X} \\
\hline
a1 & b1 & X1 \\
a1 & b2 & X2 \\
a2 & b1 & X3 \\
a2 & b2 & X4 \\
a2 & b3 & X5 \\
\end{array}
\]

\[=\]

\[
\begin{array}{c|c}
A & \text{X} \\
\hline
a1 & X1 + X2 \\
a2 & X3 + X4 + X5 \\
\end{array}
\]
Union Operator

\[ \begin{align*}
\begin{array}{c|c}
A & B \\
\hline
a1 & b1 \\
a2 & b2 \\
\end{array}
& \quad
\begin{array}{c|c}
A & B \\
\hline
a2 & b2 \\
a3 & b3 \\
\end{array}
\end{align*}
\]

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\[ \begin{align*}
\begin{array}{c|c}
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\end{align*}\]
Selection Operator

\[ \sigma_{A=a1} \]

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\begin{align*}
A & \quad C \\
\text{a} & \quad \text{c} & (X \cdot X + X \cdot X) \cdot 0 = 2 \cdot X^2 \\
\text{a} & \quad \text{e} & X \cdot Y \cdot 1 = X \cdot Y \\
\text{d} & \quad \text{c} & Y \cdot X \cdot 0 = 0 \\
\text{d} & \quad \text{e} & (Y \cdot Y + Y \cdot Z + Y \cdot Y) \cdot 1 = 2 \cdot Y^2 + Y \cdot Z \\
\text{f} & \quad \text{e} & (Z \cdot Z + Z \cdot Y + Z \cdot Z) \cdot 1 = 2 \cdot Z^2 + Y \cdot Z
\end{align*}

Discuss in class what these annotations mean
K-Relations

**Definition.** A K-relation is a relation where each tuple is annotated with an element from the set K.

What we have described so far is an extension of the positive operations of the relational algebra to K-relations.

We assumed that K has the operators +, ·.
Identities on Provenance Expressions

The problem:
- We have defined provenance for a query plan $P$
- Given a query $Q$, we want the provenance to be independent of the plan
- Needed: if $P_1 = P_2$, then $\text{provenance}(P_1) = \text{Provenance}(P_2)$
Definition. A structure \((K, +, \cdot, 0, 1)\) is called a commutative semiring if:

1. \((K, +, 0)\) is a commutative monoid:
   a. + is associative: \((x+y)+z=x+(y+z)\)
   b. + is commutative: \(x+y=y+x\)
   c. 0 is the identity for +: \(x+0=0+x=x\)

2. \((K, \cdot, 1)\) is a commutative monoid:
   a. … (similar identities)

3. \(\cdot\) distributes over +: \(x \cdot (y+z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z\)

4. For all x: \(x \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot x = 0\)
Theorem. The standard identities of the Bag algebra hold for K-relations iff \((K, +, \cdot, 0, 1)\) is a commutative semiring.

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Discuss in class:

$$q(x,u) := R(x,y), S(y,z), T(z,u)$$

Given two plans, why are the annotations equal?
Applications

$$\sigma_{C=e} \prod_{AC} ( \prod_{AC}(R) \bowtie \prod_{BC}(R) \cup \prod_{AB}(R) \bowtie \prod_{BC}(R)) =$$

$$R =$$

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Q: Suppose we delete the tuple (d, b, e) from R. Which tuple(s) disappear from the result?
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d & e \\
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f & e \\
\end{array} \]

\[ 2 \cdot X^2 \]
\[ X \cdot Y \]
\[ 2 \cdot Y^2 + Y \cdot Z \]
\[ 2 \cdot Z^2 + Y \cdot Z \]

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d & e \\
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f & e \\
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a & c \quad 2 \cdot X^2 \\
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**A:** Set \( Y = 0 \)
Applications

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\[ X = 2 \cdot X^2 \]
\[ Y = X \cdot Y \]
\[ Z = 2 \cdot Y^2 + Y \cdot Z \]
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Q: Suppose each tuple in R occurs 3 times (bag semantics). How many times occurs each tuple in the answer?
Applications

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A. Set X=Y=Z=3
Sets of Contributing Tuples

$$\sigma_{C=e} \prod_{AC}( \prod_{AC}(R) \bowtie \prod_{BC}(R) \cup \prod_{AB}(R) \bowtie \prod_{BC}(R)) = $$

$$R = \begin{array}{ccc}
A & B & C \\
\hline
a & b & c \\
d & b & e \\
f & g & e \\
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c}
A & C & \text{Expression} \\
\hline
a & c & 2 \cdot X^2 \\
a & e & X \cdot Y \\
d & e & 2 \cdot Y^2 + Y \cdot Z \\
f & e & 2 \cdot Z^2 + Y \cdot Z \\
\end{array}$$

Trace only the set of input tuples that contributed to an output tuple

This is also a semi-ring! Which one?
Semirings for various models of provenance (1)

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**Lineage**  [CuiWidomWiener 00 etc.]

Sets of contributing tuples

**Semiring:**  \((\text{Lin}(X), +, \cup, \perp, \emptyset)\)
Semirings for various models of provenance (2)

Sets of witnesses (w. = set of contributing tuples)

Semiring: \((\text{Why}(X), \cup, \uplus, \emptyset, \{\emptyset\})\)

Source: Tannen, EDBT 2010
Semirings for various models of provenance (3)

\[ R = \]
\[
\begin{array}{ccc}
A & B & C \\
\hline
a & b & c \\
d & b & e \\
f & g & e \\
\end{array}
\]

\[ X \]

\[ Q = \]
\[
\begin{array}{cc}
A & C \\
\hline
d & e \\
\end{array}
\]

\{Y\}

Minimal witness \textit{why-provenance}
[BunemanKhannaTan 01]

Sets of minimal witnesses

Semiring: \((\text{PosBool}(X), \land, \lor, \top, \bot)\)
Semirings for various models of provenance (4)

\[
R = \begin{array}{ccc}
A & B & C \\
ap & b & c \\
d & b & e \\
f & g & e \\
\end{array}
\]

\[
Q = \begin{array}{cc}
A & C \\
\{Y\}, \{Y\}, \{Y, Z\} \\
d & e \\
\end{array}
\]

**Trio lineage** [Das Sarma+ 08]

Bags of sets of contributing tuples (of witnesses)

**Semiring:** \((\text{Trio}(X), +, \cdot, 0, 1)\) (defined in [Green, ICDT 09])

Source: Tannen, EDBT 2010
Semirings for various models of provenance (5)

Polynomials with boolean coefficients [Green, ICDT 09]

Sets of bags of contributing tuples

Semiring: $(B[X], +, \cdot, 0, 1)$
Semirings for various models of provenance (6)

\[ \begin{array}{ccc}
A & B & C \\
a & b & c \\
d & b & e \\
f & g & e \\
\end{array} \]

\[ \begin{array}{ccc}
A & C \\
\text{X} & \text{Y} & \text{Z} \\
\end{array} \]

\[ \begin{array}{ccc}
\text{A} & \text{C} \\
\text{[Y,Y], [Y,Y], [Y,Z]} \\
\text{d} & \text{e} \\
\end{array} \]

Provenance polynomials \[ \text{[GKT, PODS 07]} \]
( N[X]-provenance )

Bags of bags of contributing tuples

Semiring: (N[X], +, \cdot, 0, 1)

Source: Tannen, EDBT 2010
Discretionary Access Control [LaPadula]
• Public = P
• Confidential = C
• Secret = S
• Top Secret = T
• No Such Thing… = 0

\[ R = \]

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\begin{array}{cc}
A & C \\
2 \cdot X^2 = ? \\
X \cdot Y = ? \\
2 \cdot Y^2 + Y \cdot Z = ? \\
2 \cdot Z^2 + Y \cdot Z = ? \\
\end{array}
\]
Application

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A & C \\
2 \cdot X^2 = C \\
X \cdot Y = C \\
2 \cdot Y^2 + Y \cdot Z = C \\
2 \cdot Z^2 + Y \cdot Z = T \\
\end{array}
\]

(A, min, max, 0, P), where A = P < C < S < T < 0
But are there useful commutative semirings?

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A provenance hierarchy

most informative

least informative

N[X]

B[X] Trio(X)

Why(X)

Lin(X) PosBool(X)
One semiring to rule them all… (apologies!)

Example: \(2x^2y + xy + 5y^2 + \)

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{N}[X] & \quad \text{drop exponents} \\
\text{B}[X] & \quad \text{drop coefficients} \\
\text{Why}(X) & \quad \text{drop both exp. and coeff.} \\
\text{Lin}(X) & \quad \text{collapse terms} \\
\text{PosBool}(X) & \quad \text{apply absorption (}ab + b = b\text{)}
\end{align*}
\]

\(x^2y + xy + y^2 + z\)

A path downward from \(K_1\) to \(K_2\) indicates that there exists an onto (surjective) semiring homomorphism \(h : K_1 \to K_2\)
Using homomorphisms to relate models

Example: \(2x^2y + xy + 5y^2 + \)

\[\begin{align*}
N[X] & \quad \text{drop coefficients} \\
B[X] & \quad \text{drop exponents} \\
\text{Why}(X) & \quad \text{drop both exp. and coeff.} \\
\text{Lin}(X) & \quad \text{collapse terms} \\
\text{PosBool}(X) & \quad \text{apply absorption (}ab + b = b\text{)}
\end{align*}\]

\[\begin{align*}
3xy + 5y + z & \\
x^2y + xy + y^2 + z & \\
xy + y + z & \\
xyz & \\
y + z & \\
\end{align*}\]

Homomorphism?
\[h(x+y) = h(x)+h(y) \quad h(xy)=h(x)h(y) \quad h(0)=0 \quad h(1)=1\]

Moreover, for these homomorphisms \(h(x) = x\)