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What we'd like to do...

Has anyone published a paper with both Erdos and Einstein



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Ernst Straus



Kristian Kersting, ...



Justin Bieber, ...

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Problem: Broken Learning Loop

Bayesian view on learning:

– Prior belief:

$$\Pr(\text{HasStudent}(\text{Luc}, \text{Pao1})) = 0.01$$

– Observe page

$$\Pr(\text{HasStudent}(\text{Luc}, \text{Pao1}) \mid \text{Screenshot 1}) = 0.2$$



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$$\Pr(\text{HasStudent}(\text{Luc}, \text{Pao1}) \mid \text{Screenshot 2}, \text{Screenshot 1}) = 0.3$$



Principled and sound reasoning!

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Current view on Knowledge Base Completion:

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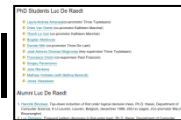
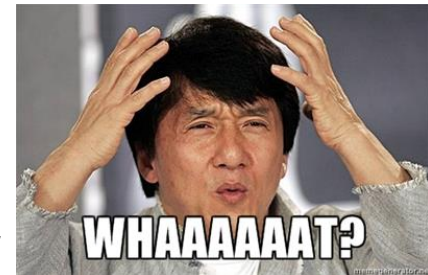
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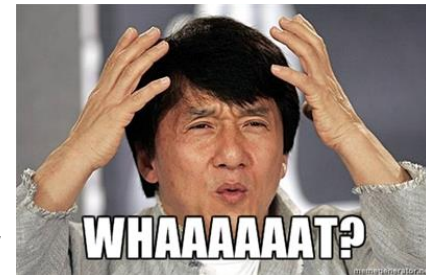
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This is mathematical nonsense!

Knowledge Base Completion

Given:

LivesIn

X	Y
Luc	Belgium
Guy	USA
Kristian	Germany

LocatedIn

X	Y
Siemens	Germany
Siemens	Belgium
UCLA	USA
TUDortmund	Germany
KU Leuven	Belgium

WorksFor

X	Y
Luc	KU Leuven
Guy	UCLA
Kristian	TUDortmund
Ingo	Siemens

Learn:

0.8::LivesIn(x,y) :- WorksFor(x,z) \wedge LocatedIn(z,x).

How to measure success?

WorksFor

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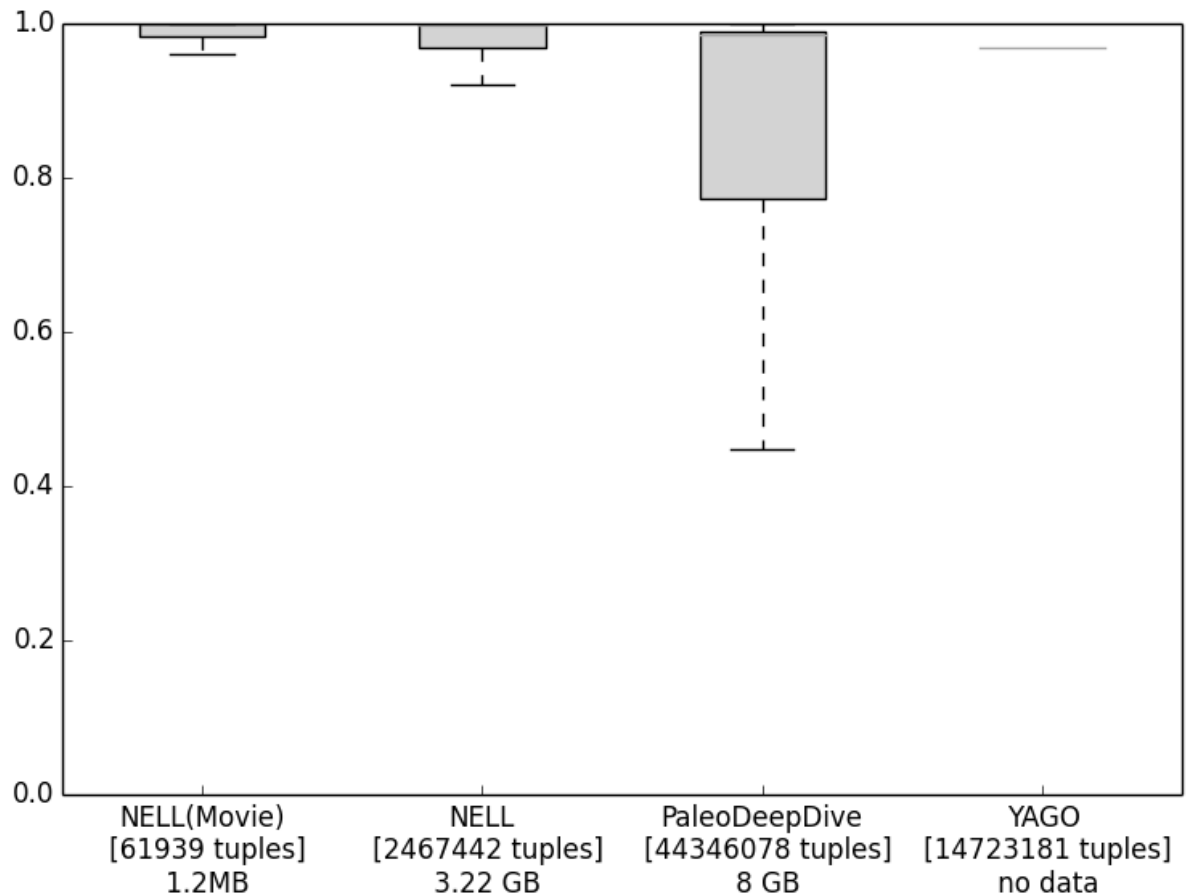
or

0.5::LivesIn(x,y) :- BornIn(x,y).

What is the likelihood, precision, accuracy, ...?

Problem: Curse of Superlinearity

- Reality is worse!
- Tuples are intentionally missing!
- Every tuple has 99% pr.



Problem: Curse of Superlinearity

*“This is all true, Guy,
but it’s just a temporary issue”*



“No it’s not!”

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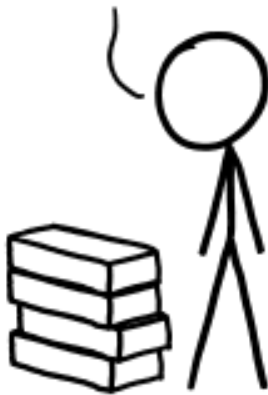
Sibling

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- A single table
 - At the scale of facebook (billions of people)
 - Real Bayesian belief about everyone
I.e., all non-zero probabilities
- ⇒ 200 Exabytes of data

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FOUR BOXES OF PUNCH
CARDS OUGHT TO BE
ENOUGH FOR ANYONE.



All Google storage is
a couple exabytes...



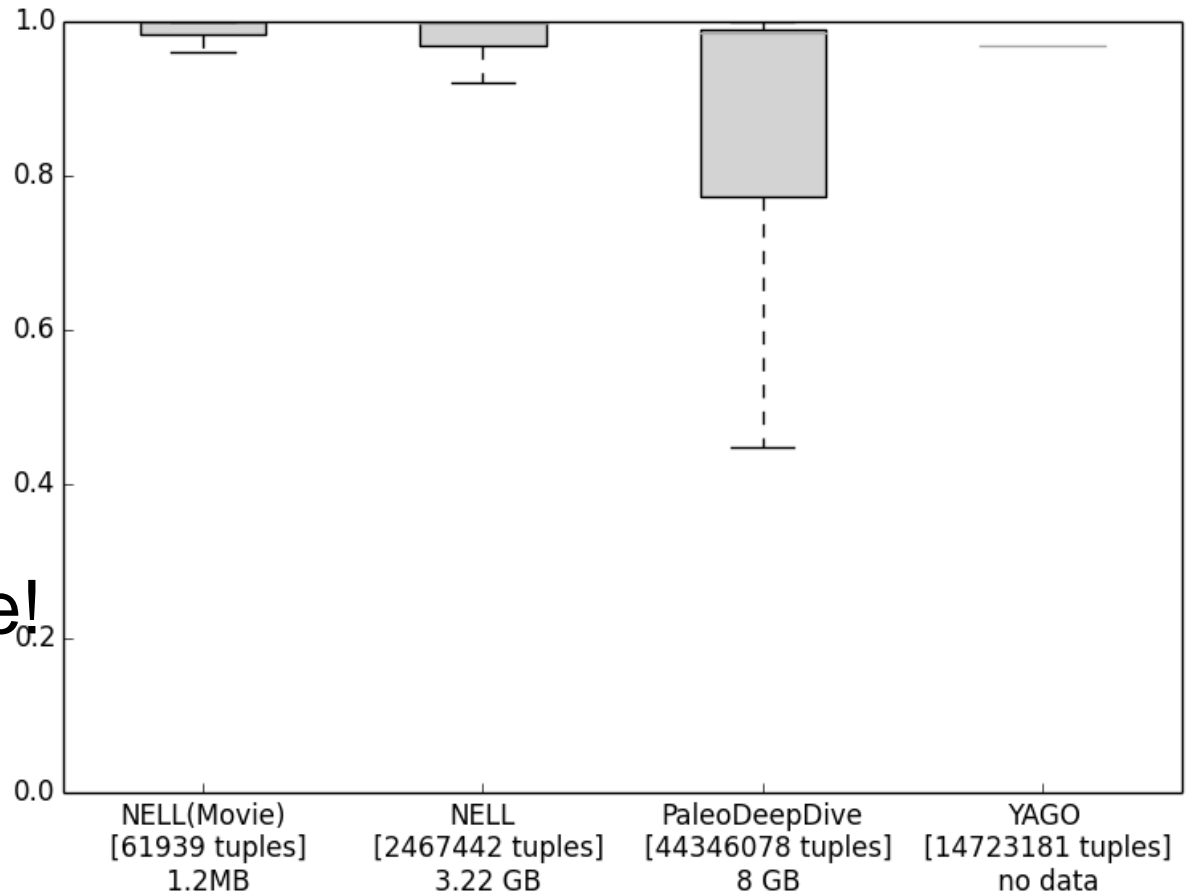
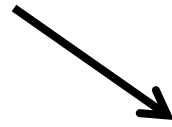
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We should be here!



Closed-World Prob. Databases

A PDB \mathcal{P} induces a *unique probability distribution* over worlds ω :

$$P_{\mathcal{P}}(\omega) = \prod_{t \in \omega} P_{\mathcal{P}}(t) \prod_{t \notin \omega} (1 - P_{\mathcal{P}}(t)),$$

where for every tuple t , it holds that

$$P_{\mathcal{P}}(t) = \begin{cases} p & \text{if } \langle t : p \rangle \in \mathcal{P} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise. [Probabilistic CWA]} \end{cases}$$

Open-World Prob. Databases

An *OpenPDB* is a pair $\mathcal{G} = (\mathcal{P}, \lambda)$, where \mathcal{P} is a PDB

$$P_{\mathcal{G}}(t) = \begin{cases} p & \text{if } \langle t : p \rangle \in \mathcal{P} \\ [0, \lambda] & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

A λ -*completion* of \mathcal{G} contains a tuple $\langle t : p \rangle$ for some $p \in [0, \lambda]$ for every $t \notin \mathcal{P}$. \mathcal{G} induces a *set of probability distributions* $K_{\mathcal{G}}$:

$$\underline{P}_{\mathcal{G}}(Q) = \min_{P \in K_{\mathcal{G}}} P(Q) \quad \text{and} \quad \overline{P}_{\mathcal{G}}(Q) = \max_{P \in K_{\mathcal{G}}} P(Q).$$

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Monotone Queries

- E.g., Unions of Conjunctive Queries (UCQ)
- Lower bound = closed world probability
- Upper bound = probability after adding all tuples with probability λ
- Quadratic blow-up ☹️
- Lifted inference to the rescue!

Independent Project

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\forall -Rule

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Complexity PTIME?

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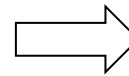
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No supporting facts
in database!

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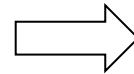
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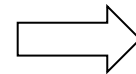
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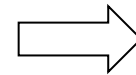
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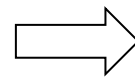
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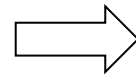
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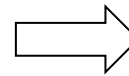
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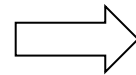
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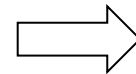
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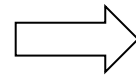
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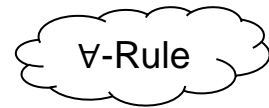
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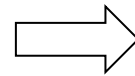
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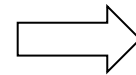
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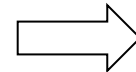
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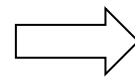
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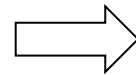
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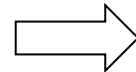
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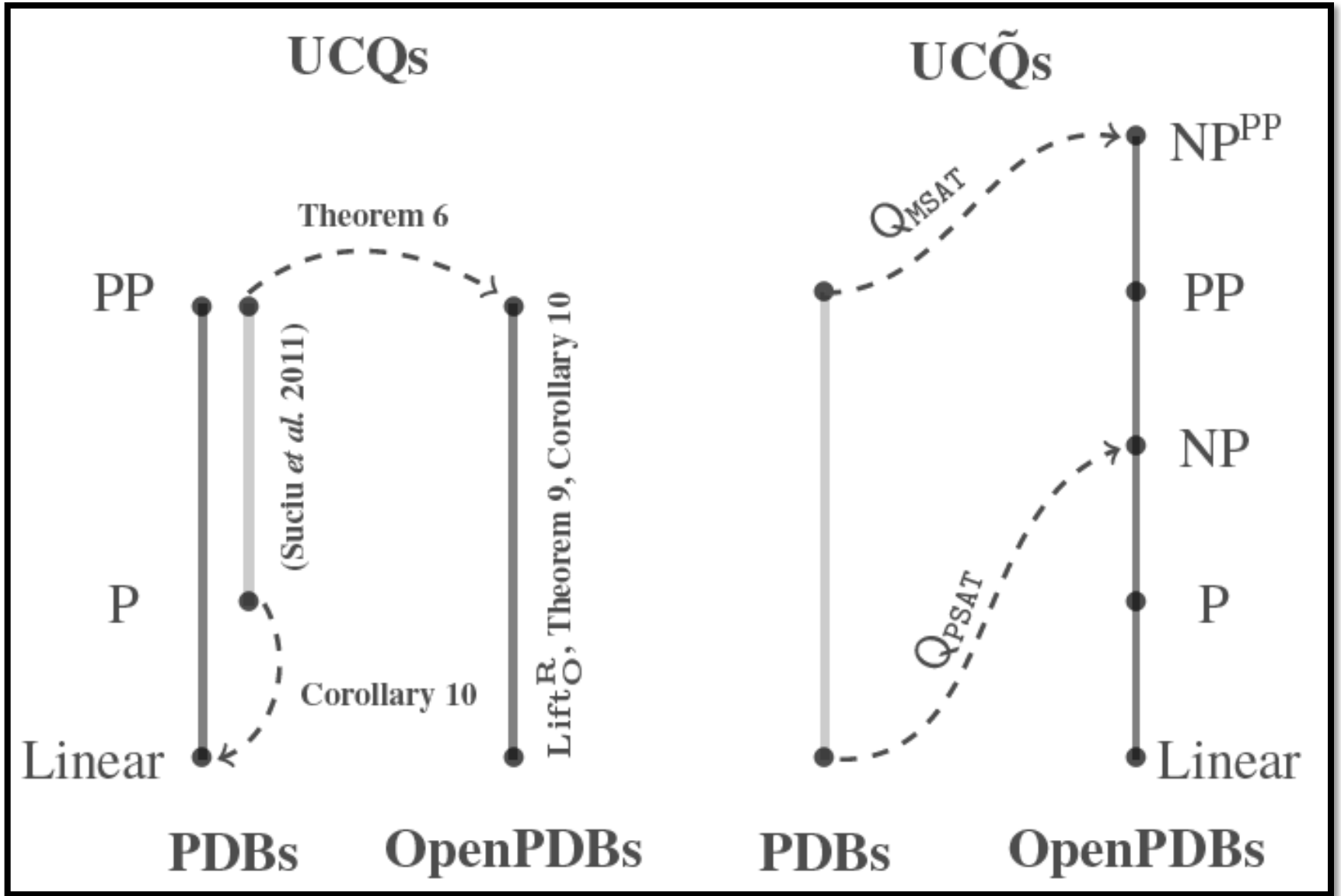
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Summary

- Open-world semantics make sense
- Matches how systems are employed
- Open-world reasoning is FREE for UCQs
- Beyond UCQs, can pay a hefty price
- Future work:
More refined models of the open world
E.g., (types, MLNs, additional statistics)