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# FACTORIZATION OF DISCRETE DYNAMICAL SYSTEMS

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DDS and Complex behaviours

Equations over DDS

Abstractions over DDS

- Over the cardinality of the set of states
- Over the asymptotic behaviour
- Over the transient behaviour

The Cyclic Abstraction

- The basic case (EnumSOBFID Problem)
- Contractions Steps
- $W$ -th roots

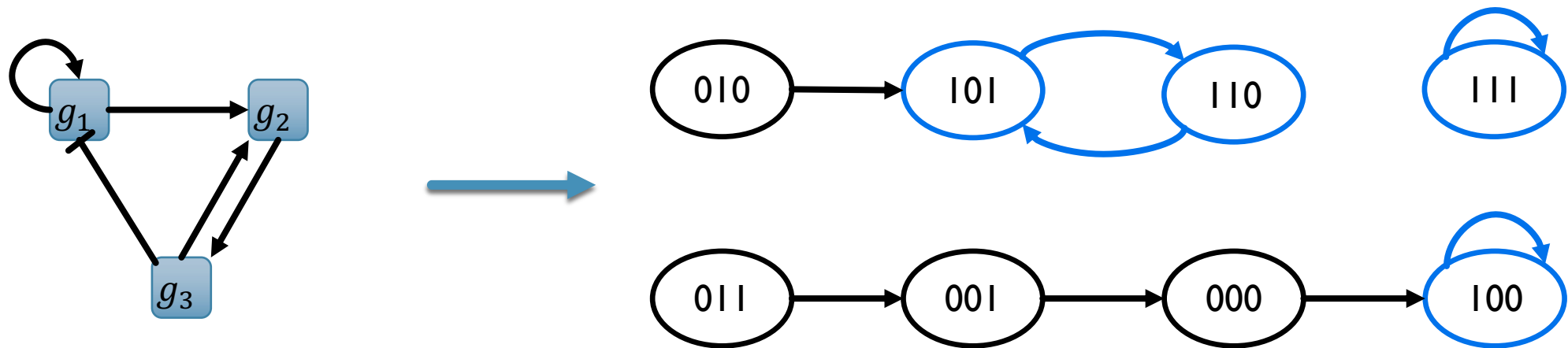
Conclusions and Perspectives

# DISCRETE DYNAMICAL SYSTEMS

- A DDS is a pair  $\langle X, f \rangle$ , where  $X$  is the **set of states** and  $f$  is the **next state map**.

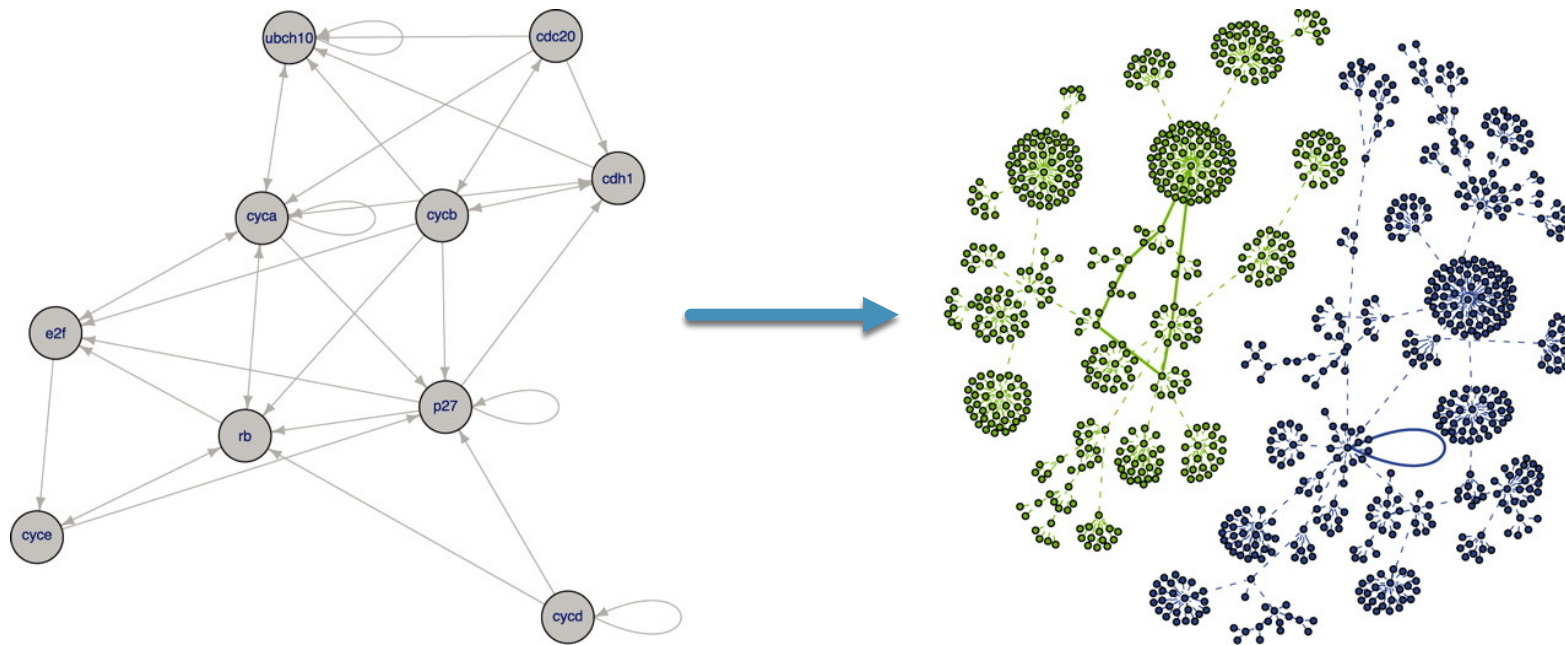
$$f: X \rightarrow X$$
$$x \mapsto f(x)$$

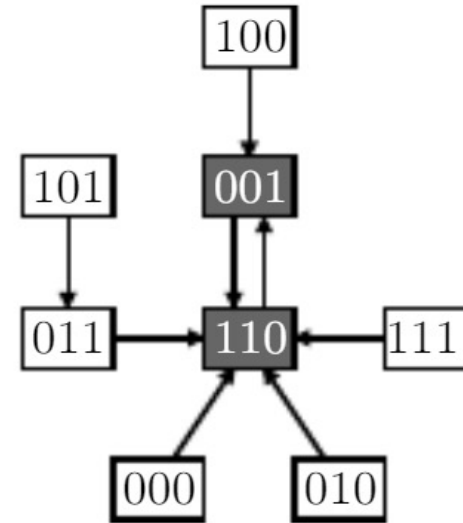
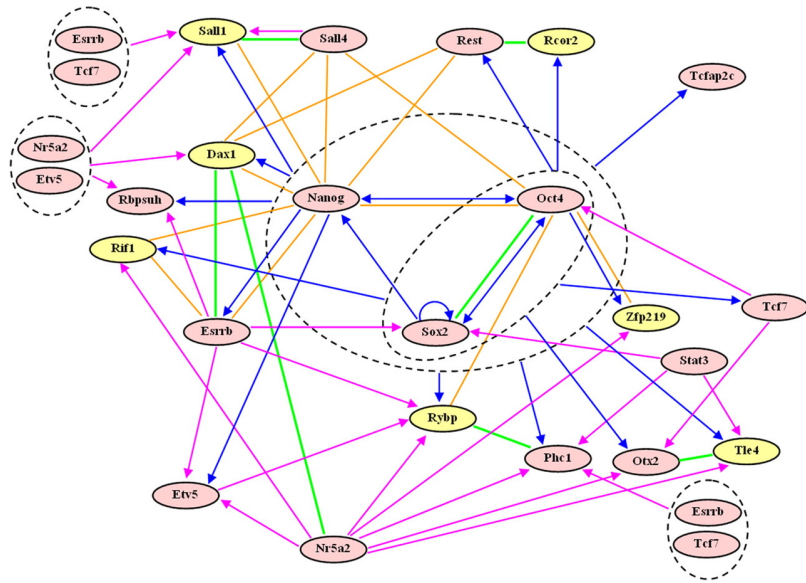
- Any DDS can be identified with its **dynamics graph**  $G \equiv (V, E)$  where  $V = X$  and  $E = \{(\alpha, \beta) \in V \times V, f(\alpha) = \beta\}$ .



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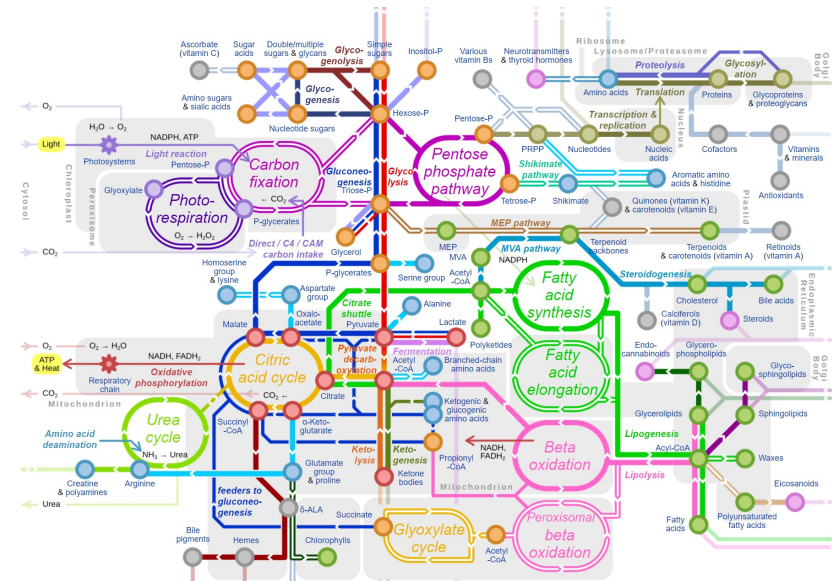
- **Complex dynamics** in Discrete Dynamical Systems
- Simulations or Verification are in general unfeasible





# EQUATIONS OVER DDS

- Polynomial equations to translate hypothesis on complex dynamics
- Solutions provide the validation of the hypothesis



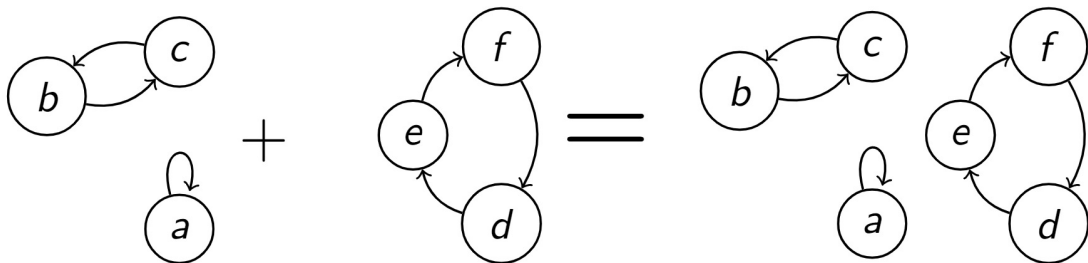
# A COMMUTATIVE SEMIRING

## SUM

$$\langle X, f \rangle + \langle Y, g \rangle = \langle X \sqcup Y, f \sqcup g \rangle$$

$$f \sqcup g: X \sqcup Y \rightarrow X \sqcup Y$$

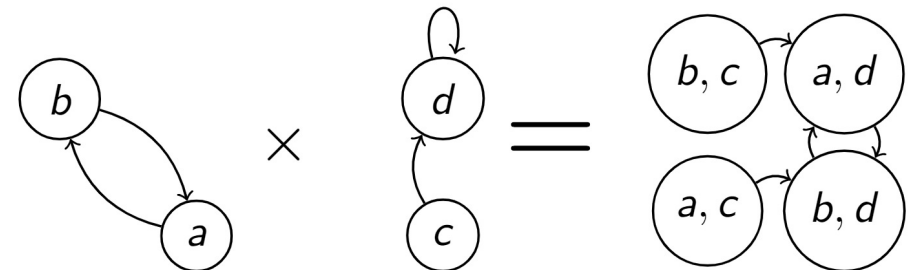
$$\forall (\alpha, i) \in X \sqcup Y \quad (f \sqcup g)(\alpha, i) = \begin{cases} (f(\alpha), i) & \text{if } \alpha \in X \wedge i = 0 \\ (g(\alpha), i) & \text{if } \alpha \in Y \wedge i = 1 \end{cases}$$



## PRODUCT

$$\langle X, f \rangle \times \langle Y, g \rangle = \langle X \times Y, f \times g \rangle$$

$$(f \times g)(\alpha, \beta) = (f(\alpha), g(\beta))$$



# HYPOTHESIS VALIDATION

$$a_1 \cdot x_1^{w_1} + a_2 \cdot x_2^{w_2} + \dots + a_s \cdot x_s^{w_s} = C$$

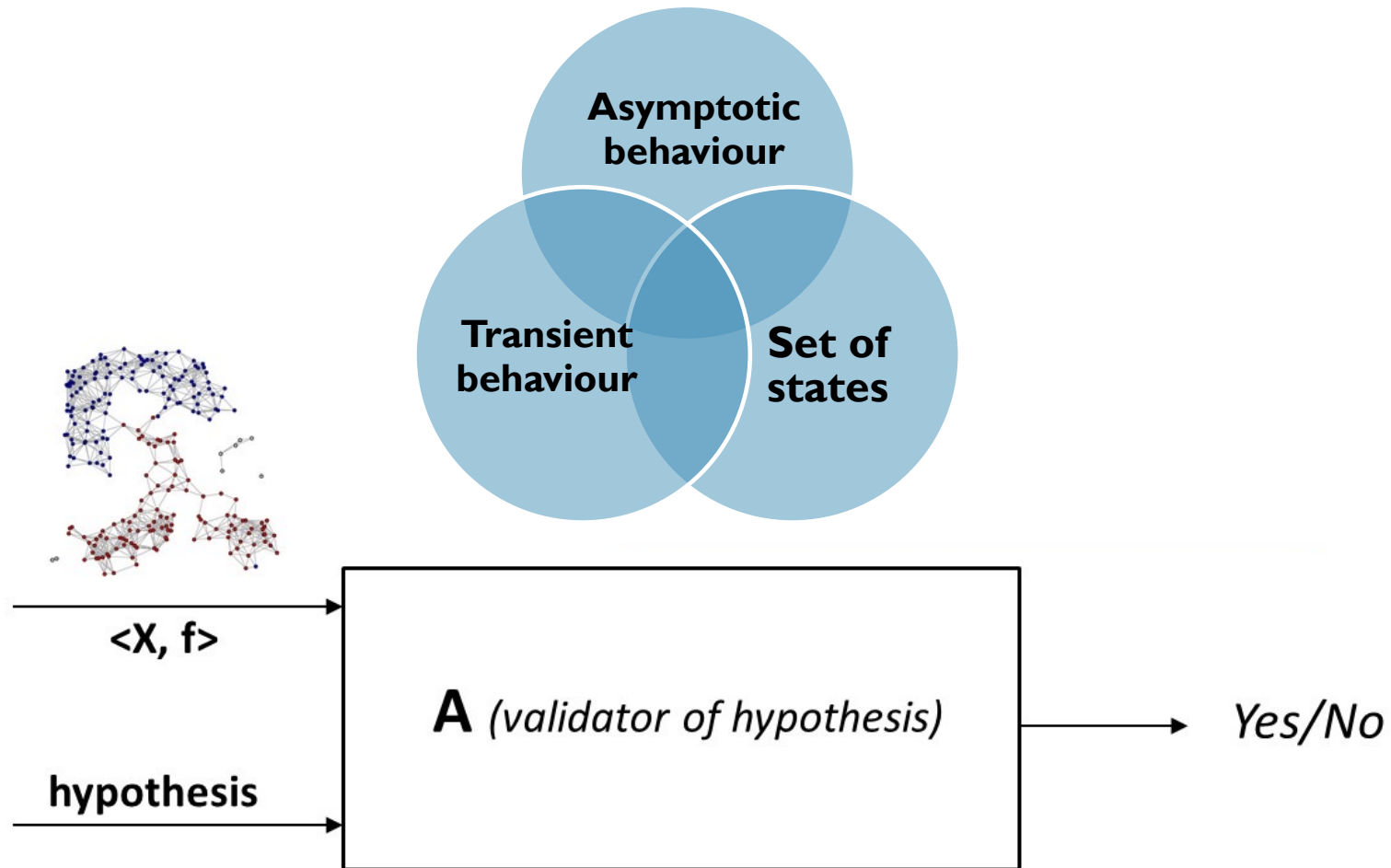
The equation admits a solution → the hypothesis is verified

(Dennunzio, Dorigatti, Formenti, Manzoni and Porreca, 2018)

It is proved that:

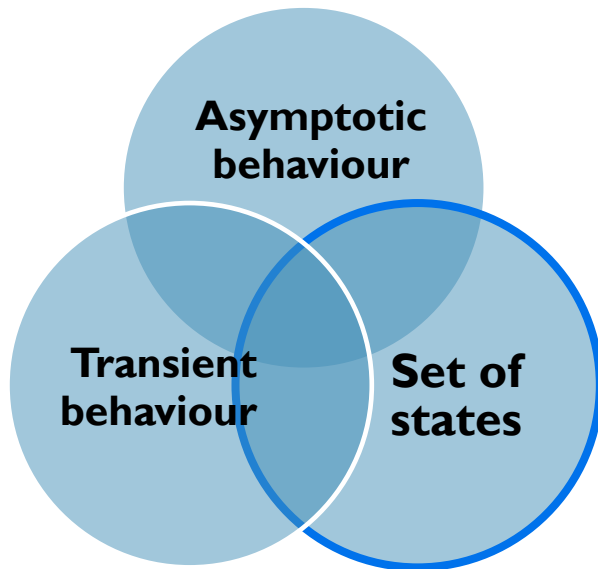
- the set of DDS equipped with these operations of sum and product is a **commutative semiring**
- the problem of finding a solution for  $P(x_1, \dots, x_s) = Q(x_1, \dots, x_s)$  is **undecidable**
- With a constant term, the complexity is beyond NP

# THE MAIN IDEA





# ABSTRACTION OVER THE CARDINALITY OF STATES



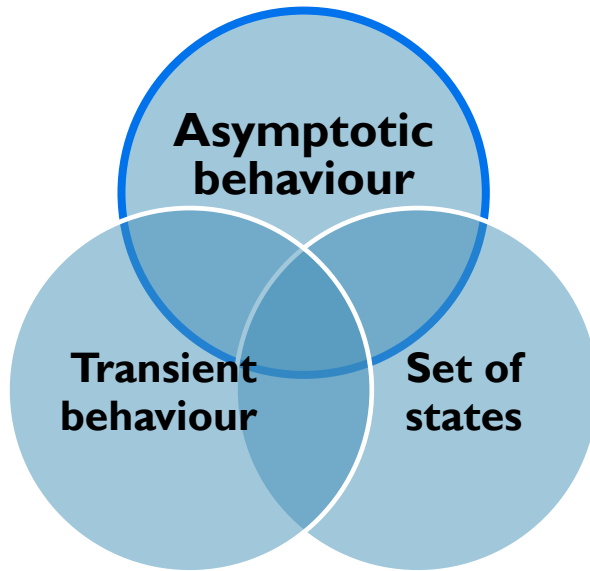
$$\langle X_1, f_1 \rangle x_1^{w_1} + \langle X_2, f_2 \rangle x_2^{w_2} + \dots + \langle X_s, f_s \rangle x_s^{w_s} = \langle Y, g \rangle$$



$$|X_1| \bar{x}_1^{w_1} + |X_2| \bar{x}_2^{w_2} + \dots + |X_s| \bar{x}_s^{w_s} = |Y|$$

- In the [this abstraction](#), coefficients, variables and known term are [natural numbers](#).
- $\bar{x}_i$  is the cardinality of the set of states in the variable.

# ABSTRACTION OVER THE ASYMPTOTIC BEHAVIOUR



$$\langle X_1, f_1 \rangle x_1^{w_1} + \langle X_2, f_2 \rangle x_2^{w_2} + \dots + \langle X_s, f_s \rangle x_s^{w_s} = \langle Y, g \rangle$$



$$\left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_1} C_{p_{1i}}^{n_{1i}} \odot \dot{x}_1^{w_1} \right) \oplus \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_2} C_{p_{2i}}^{n_{2i}} \odot \dot{x}_2^{w_2} \right) \oplus \dots \oplus \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_s} C_{p_{si}}^{n_{si}} \odot \dot{x}_s^{w_s} \right) = \bigoplus_{j=1}^m C_{p_j}^{n_j}$$

In the **decidable abstraction**, coefficients, variables and known term are **cycles**.

# THE NOTATION

Given  $A \equiv \langle X, f \rangle$  and  $\Pi$  its set of periodic points, we denote  $\dot{A}$  the DDS induced by  $\Pi$ .

$$\dot{A} = \bigoplus_{i=1}^k C_{p_i}^{n_i}$$

An example...

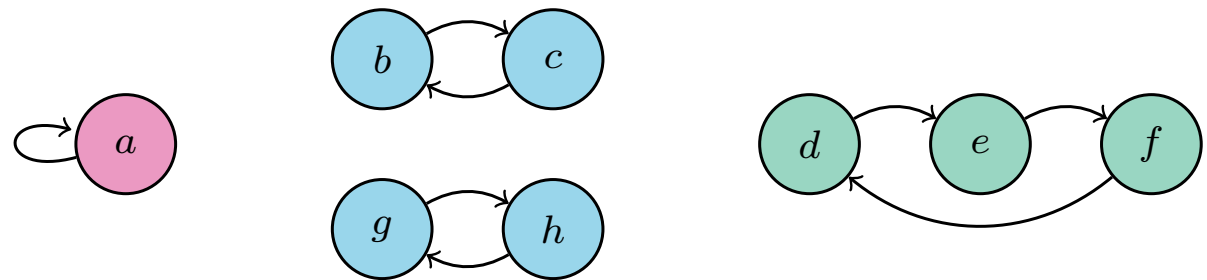


Figure:  $(C_1^1 \oplus C_2^2 \oplus C_3^1)$ .

# OPERATIONS OVER CYCLES

$$\dot{A} \oplus \dot{B}$$

$$\bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_A} C_{p_{Ai}}^{n_{Ai}} \oplus \bigoplus_{j=1}^{K_B} C_{p_{Bj}}^{n_{Bj}} = C_{p_{A1}}^{n_{A1}} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{p_{AK_A}}^{n_{AK_A}} \oplus C_{p_{B1}}^{n_{B1}} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{p_{BK_B}}^{n_{BK_B}}$$

$$\dot{A} \odot \dot{B}$$

$$\bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_A} C_{p_{Ai}}^{n_{Ai}} \odot \bigoplus_{j=1}^{K_B} C_{p_{Bj}}^{n_{Bj}} = \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_A} \bigoplus_{j=1}^{K_B} C_{p_{Ai}}^{n_{Ai}} \odot C_{p_{Bj}}^{n_{Bj}} = \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_A} \bigoplus_{j=1}^{K_B} C_{\text{lcm}(p_{Ai}, p_{Bj})}^{n_{Ai} \cdot n_{Bj} \cdot \text{gcd}(p_{Ai}, p_{Bj})}$$

# FROM THE ABSTRACTION TO A BASIC CASE...

$$\left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_1} C_{p_{1i}}^{n_{1i}} \odot \dot{X}_1 \right) \oplus \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_2} C_{p_{2i}}^{n_{2i}} \odot \dot{X}_2 \right) \oplus \dots \oplus \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^{K_s} C_{p_{si}}^{n_{si}} \odot \dot{X}_s \right) = \bigoplus_{j=1}^m C_{p_j}^{n_j}$$

**Contraction steps**

**Intersections and  
Cartesian products**

$$C_p^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_q^n$$

**ENUMERATION PROBLEM**

# THE MDD-BASED PIPELINE

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# THE BASIC EQUATION $C_p^1 \odot X = C_q^n$



According to the product rule:  $C_p^1 \odot C_z^y = C_{\text{lcm}(p,z)}^{y \cdot \text{gcd}(p,z)}$

A divisor  $r$  of  $q$  is in the coins system iff:

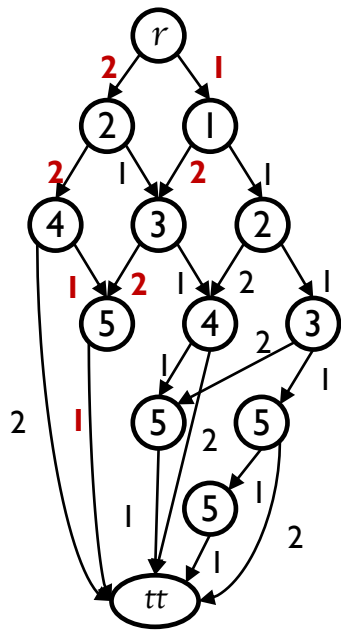
$$r \leq n \quad \text{and} \quad \text{gcd}\left(p, \frac{q}{p} \cdot r\right) = r \quad \text{and} \quad \text{lcm}\left(p, \frac{q}{p} \cdot r\right) = q$$

# SB-MDDS (SYMMETRY BREAKING)



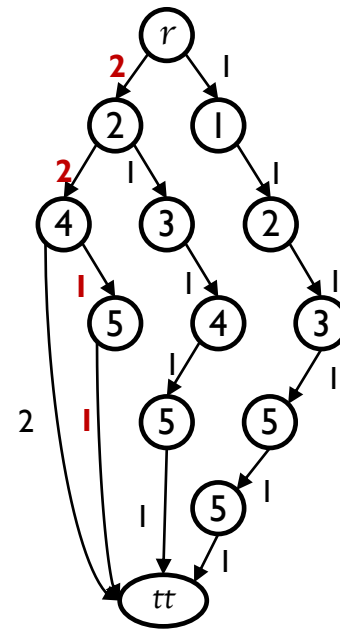
!  $r \rightarrow \frac{q}{p} \cdot r$

Reduced MDD



VS

Reduced SB-MDD



$C_6^2 \oplus C_3^2$



# THE MDD-BASED PIPELINE

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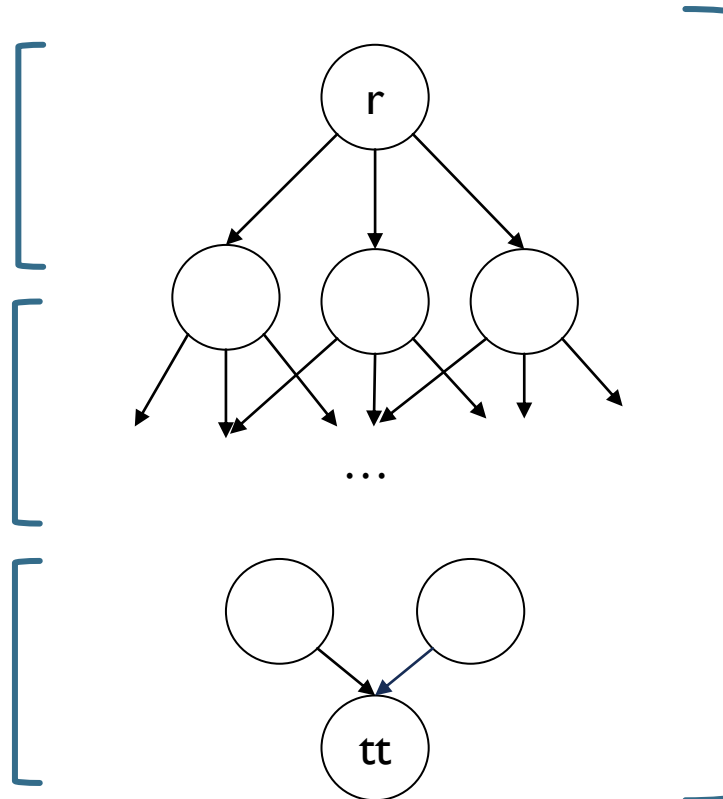
# MDDS & CONTRACTIONS STEPS

$$CS = \times_{j=1}^m CS_j$$

For each node of a level  $z$ , the value  $k$  is a possible label of an outgoing arc if

$$M_{p_z, p_j, \frac{k}{n_z}}$$

has solution.



For each monomial there is one level into the structure + one level for the final node.

The structure represents the generation of the  $C_{p_j}^{n_j}$  cycles.

# EXAMPLE

$$C_4^1 \odot \dot{X} \oplus C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_2^4 \oplus C_4^4 \oplus C_6^7 \oplus C_{12}^7$$

- 33 Basic equations
- 27 Necessary equations

$$C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_4^1$$

$$C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_{12}^1$$

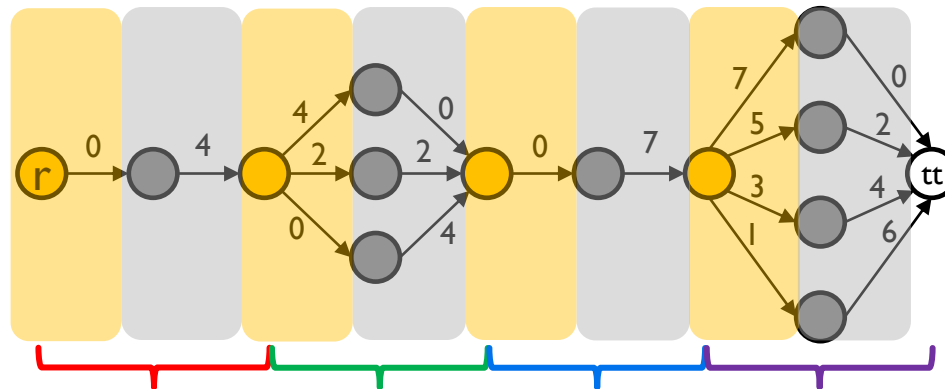
$$C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_{12}^5$$

$$C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_4^3$$

$$C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_{12}^3$$

$$C_2^1 \odot \dot{X} = C_{12}^7$$

- Contractions steps CS



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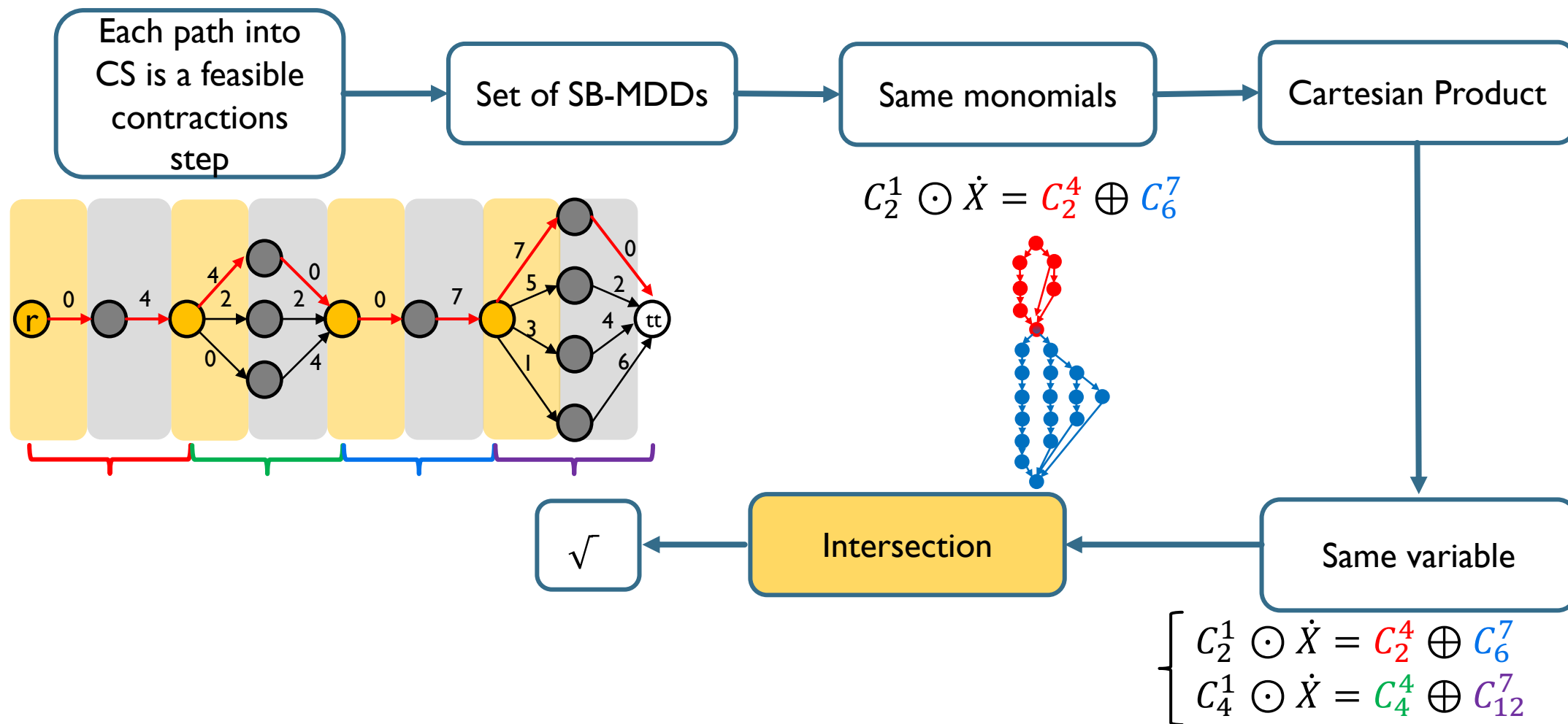
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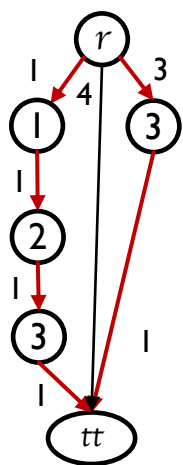
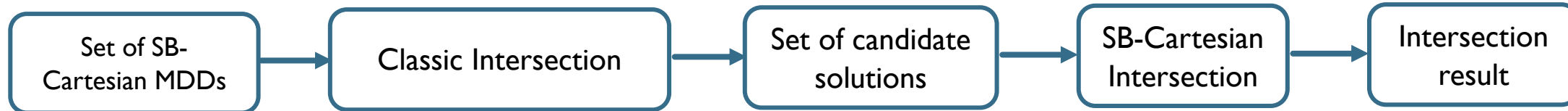
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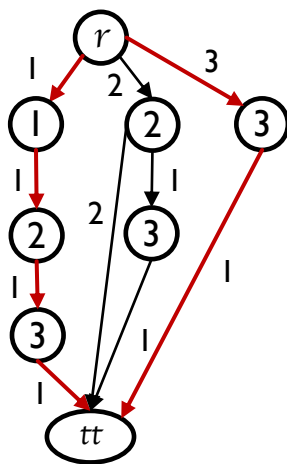
# SOLVE A CONTRACTIONS STEP



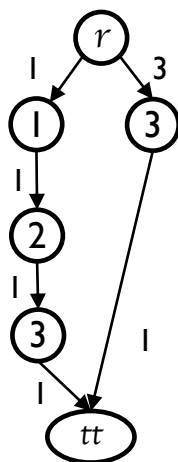
# INTERSECTION OF SB-MDDs



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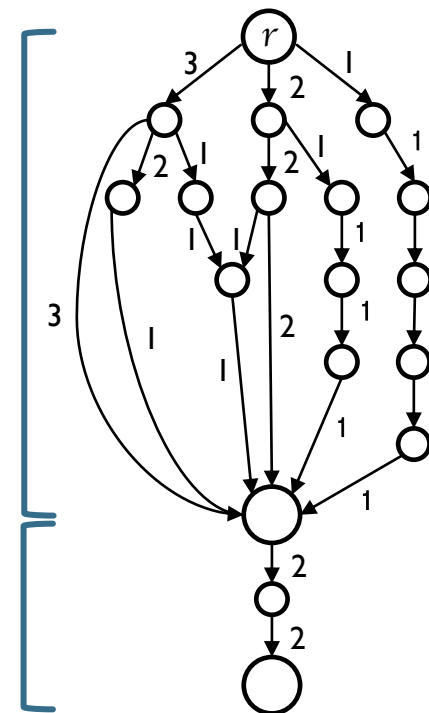
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3  $\rightarrow C_3^1$   
 2  $\rightarrow C_2^1$   
 1  $\rightarrow C_1^1$

2  $\rightarrow C_4^1$



Example: [2,2,2,1,1,1,1]

!! The coins  $c_1, c_2$  are considered equals only if

$c_1 \rightarrow C_r^1, c_2 \rightarrow C_s^1$  and  $r = s$

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# W-ROOTS OVER CYCLES

$$\dot{x}^w = C_{p_1}^{m_1} \oplus C_{p_2}^{m_2} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{p_h}^{m_h} \quad \xrightarrow{\sqrt[w]{\phantom{x}}} \quad \dot{x} = C_{q_1}^{s_1} \oplus C_{q_2}^{s_2} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{q_l}^{s_l}$$

$(0 < p_1 < p_2 < \dots < p_h)$

Consider that some components  $C_{q_1}^{s_1} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{q_i}^{s_i}$  of  $\dot{x}$  have been already computed (with  $2 < i < l$ ).

$(C_{q_1}^{s_1} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{q_i}^{s_i})^w = C_{p'_1}^{m'_1} \oplus C_{p'_2}^{m'_2} \oplus \dots \oplus C_{p'_t}^{m'_t}$  with  $i \leq t \leq h$ . It holds that  $q_{i+1}$  is  $\min\{p_j \in \{p_1, \dots, p_h\} | p_j > q_i \wedge ((p_j = p'_z \wedge m'_z < m_j) \text{ with } z \in \{1, \dots, t\} \vee p_j \notin \{p'_1, \dots, p'_t\})\}$

$s_{i+1}$  integer solution of

$$\sum_{\substack{k_1+k_2+\dots+k_{i+1}=w \\ 0 \leq k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{i+1} \leq w \\ l(q_1, \dots, q_{i+1}, k_1, \dots, k_{i+1})=q_{i+1}}} \binom{w}{k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{i+1}} \prod_{\substack{t=1 \\ k_t \neq 0}}^{i+1} q_t^{k_t-1} s_t^{k_t} \prod_{\substack{t=2 \\ k_t \neq 0}}^{i+1} \gcd(l(q_1, \dots, q_{t-1}, k_1, \dots, k_{t-1}), q_t) = m_j$$



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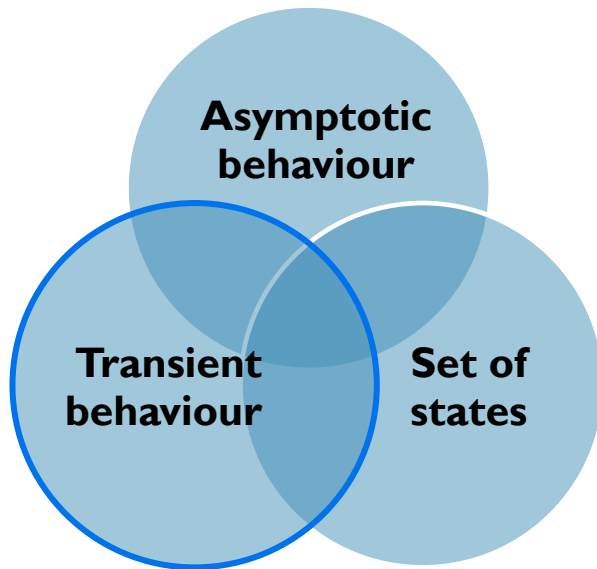
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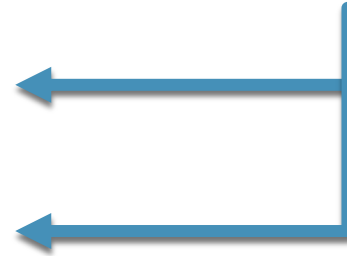
# ABSTRACTION OVER THE TRANSIENT BEHAVIOUR



- Considering the abstraction over cycles, we showed that to solve the abstraction it is necessary to solve **two basic cases**:

$$\alpha \cdot X = c$$

$$X^w = c$$

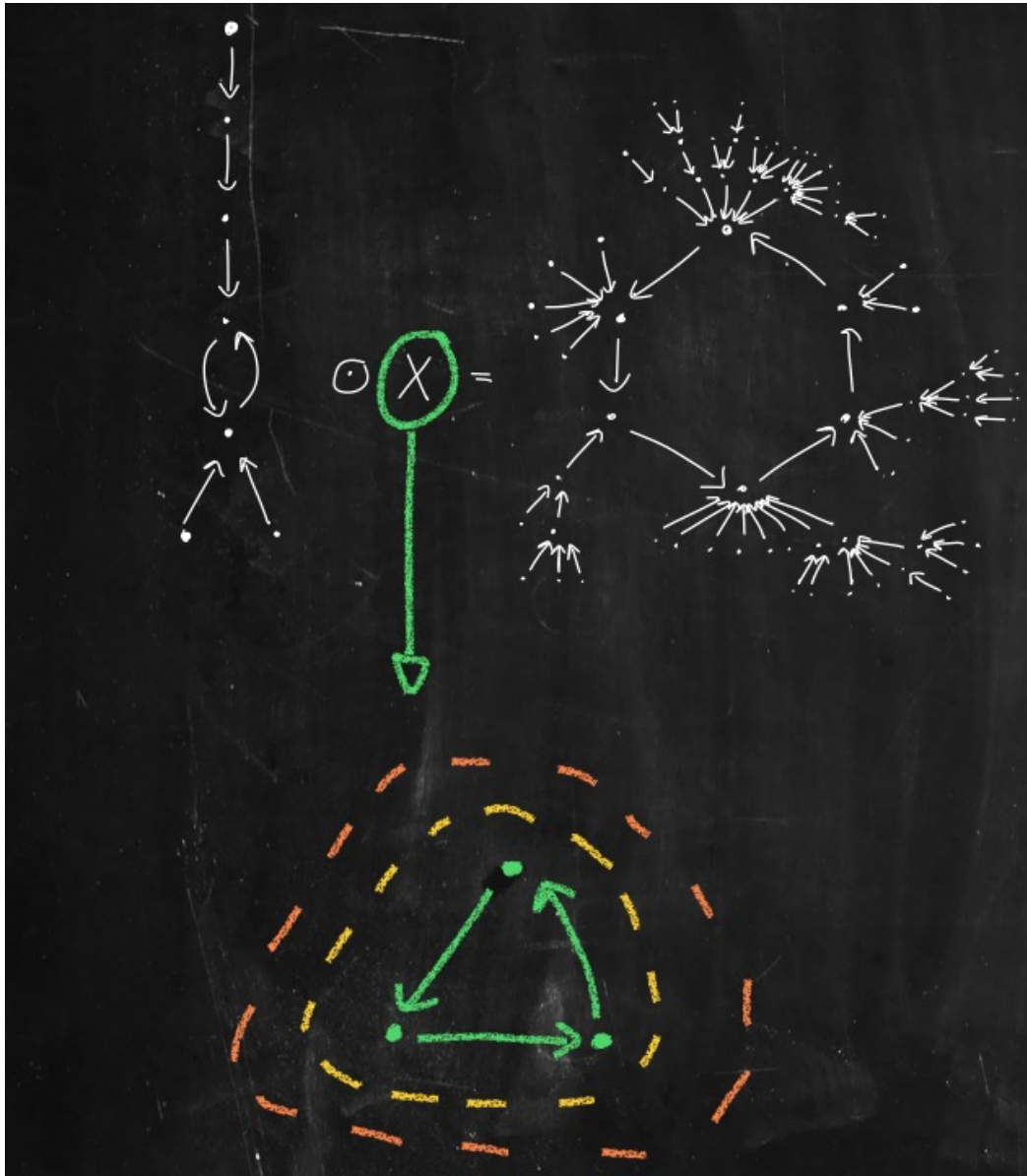


- **Also if we consider the transient parts** involved in the initial equation we are interested in these simple cases.

$$\alpha \cdot X = c$$

with  $\alpha, c$  that are DDS and  $X$  with a possible cyclic behaviour.





# OUR IDEA

Joint work with F. Doré and E. Formenti



# CONCLUSIONS



TWO DIFFERENT  
ABSTRACTIONS SOLVED  
+ ONE WORKING IN  
PROGRESS



A NEW **MDD**  
**APPROACH** COMPACT  
AND FASTER

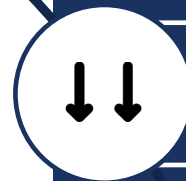


A COMPLETE **PIPELINE**  
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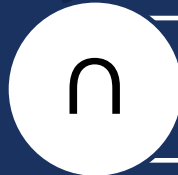


A NEW ALGORITHM TO  
COMPUTE **W-ROOTS**  
OVER THE LONG-TERM  
BEHAVIOUR

# FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS



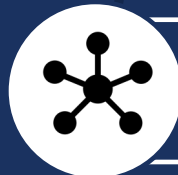
Parallel solutions computation



Improve the SB-Cartesian intersection



Test the approach over real biological networks



The abstraction over the transient parts of DDS



Interaction with different abstractions

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