

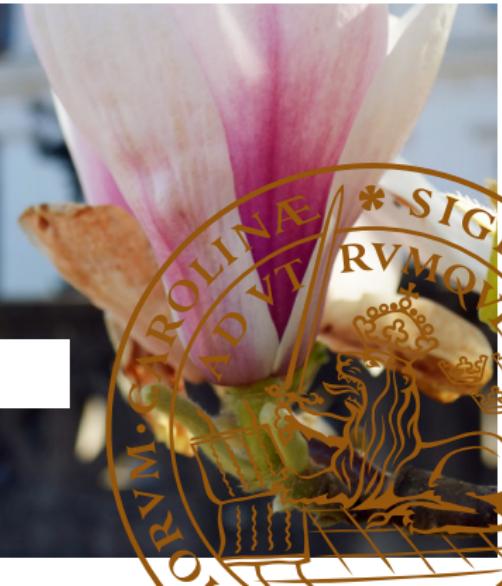


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EDA045F: Program Analysis

LECTURE 6: DATALOG

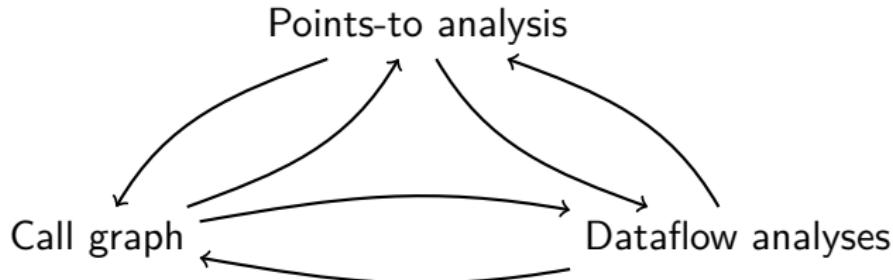
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In the last lecture...

- ▶ Pointer Analysis
 - ▶ Points-To Analysis
 - ▶ Alias Analysis
- ▶ Concrete Heap Graphs
- ▶ Abstract Heap Graphs
- ▶ Access Paths
- ▶ Heap Summarisation
 - ▶ Call-site
 - ▶ Variable-based
 - ▶ k -Limiting
- ▶ Steensgard's Analysis
- ▶ Andersen's Analysis
- ▶ Call graphs

Dependencies



- ▶ Mutual dependencies across program analyses
 - ▶ Either: loss of **precision**/**soundness**
 - ▶ Ignore dependence, run sequentially
 - ▶ **Conservative**/**optimistic** assumptions
 - ▶ Or: complex engineering
 - ▶ Each analysis may have to feed worklists of other analyses

Solving Complex Interdependency

- ▶ Engineering OO/imperative code for re-use of mutually dependent worklist analyses is complex
- ▶ Alternative: *Declarative specification* of analyses
 - ▶ Specify algorithms declaratively
 - ▶ Declarative language compiler automates handling of mutual dependencies
- ▶ Approaches:
 - ▶ Attribute Grammars
 - ▶ SAT / SMT solving
 - ▶ Prolog
 - ▶ **Datalog**

Facts

- ▶ **Object:** *any entity that we care about*
 - ▶ Analogous to primitive value, unique object
- ▶ **Relation:** *set of tuples that encode relationships between objects*

Example:

- ▶ Elements = {H, He, Li, Be, ...}
- ▶ **Objects** = Elements $\cup \mathbb{N}$
- ▶ MASSNUMBER \subseteq Element $\times \mathbb{N}$

H	1
H	2
H	3
He	2
...	...

- ▶ ELEMENTS is also a (unary) relation

Relations and Predicate Symbols

MASSNUMBER \subseteq Element $\times \mathbb{N} =$

H	1
H	2
H	3
He	2
...	...

- We use the terms **Relation**, **Predicate**, and **Table** interchangeably
- A **Predicate Symbol** is the name that we assign to a relation:
 - MASSNUMBER is a predicate symbol
 - The following *tuples* make up the relation bound to MASSNUMBER:

$$\{\langle H, 1 \rangle, \langle H, 2 \rangle, \langle H, 3 \rangle, \langle He, 2 \rangle, \dots\}$$

- An **atom** is a predicate symbol plus parameters:
 - MASSNUMBER(H, 1)

Datalog Programs

- ▶ A Datalog program is a collection of *Horn Clauses*:

$$H \leftarrow B_1 \wedge \dots \wedge B_k.$$

written as

$$H :- B_1, \dots, B_k.$$

- ▶ H, B_1, \dots, B_k are called *literals*
- ▶ H : Head
- ▶ B_1, \dots, B_k : Body
- ▶ Semantics: if B_1, \dots, B_k are true:
 - ⇒ H is also true
- ▶ Order of the rules is irrelevant
- ▶ Order of the conjuncts in the body (literals) is irrelevant

Rules in Detail

Literals may take parameters:

$$\text{HEAD}(v_1, \dots, v_j) :- \text{Body}.$$

- ▶ where $\text{Body} = \text{B}_1(v_1^1, \dots, v_{j_1}^1), \dots, \text{B}_k(v_1^k, \dots, v_{j_k}^k)$
- ▶ v_1, \dots, v_j (etc.) are variables
- ▶ v_1, \dots, v_j *must* also appear in Body
- ▶ Semantics:
 - ▶ For all tuples $\langle o_1, \dots, o_k \rangle$ for which we can show that

$$\text{Body}[v_1 \mapsto o_1, \dots, v_k \mapsto o_k]$$

- ▶ we add $\langle o_1, \dots, o_k \rangle \in \text{HEAD}$
- ▶ Requires a mechanism to solve *unification*
- ▶ **Set semantics:** Each tuple added at most once

Extracting Information

CONNECTION =

from	to	km	shortest train ride
Lund	Malmö	18.8	11
Lund	Eslöv	21.7	10
Lund	Landskrona	33.0	16
Lund	Helsingborg	54.5	27
Lund	Staffanstorp	10.7	-1
Staffanstorp	Malmö	15.6	-1

Set of all places:

```
PLACE(x) :- CONNECTION(x, y, distance, traintime).  
PLACE(y) :- CONNECTION(x, y, distance, traintime).  
PLACE(x) :- CONNECTION(x, __, __, __).  
PLACE(y) :- CONNECTION(__, y, __, __).
```

PLACE = {Lund, Staffanstorp, Malmö, Eslöv, Landskrona, Helsingborg}

Filtering

CONNECTION =

Lund	Malmö	18.8	11
Lund	Eslöv	21.7	10
Lund	Landskrona	33.0	16
Lund	Helsingborg	54.5	27
Lund	Staffanstorp	10.7	-1
Staffanstorp	Malmö	15.6	-1

All train connections:

TRAINCONNECTION(x, y, t) :- CONNECTION($x, y, _, t$), $t \geq 0$.

- A, B means that both A and B must be true
- Variables (x, y, t) are shared across each rule

TRAINCONNECTION = { ⟨Lund, Malmö, 11⟩, ⟨Lund, Eslöv, 10⟩,
⟨Lund, Landskrona, 16⟩,
⟨Lund, Helsingborg, 27⟩ }

Primitive Relations

`TRAIN``CONNECTION`(x, y, t) :- `CONNECTION`($x, y, _, t$), $t \geq 0$.

- ▶ \geq denotes a relation, too:

$$(\geq)(t, 0)$$

- ▶ The ‘table’ underlying \geq is infinite
- ▶ Challenge: computing table for

`POSITIVE`(x) :- $x \geq 0$.

Parents and Ancestors

CONNECTION =	Lund	Malmö	18.8	11
	Lund	Eslöv	21.7	10
	Lund	Landskrona	33.0	16
	Lund	Helsingborg	54.5	27
	Lund	Staffanstorp	10.7	-1
	Staffanstorp	Malmö	15.6	-1
	Sylt	Malmö	-1	334

All places reachable by car:

`REACHABLE(x, y) :- CONNECTION(x, y, d, _), d ≥ 0.`

`REACHABLE(y, x) :- REACHABLE(x, y).`

`REACHABLE(x, z) :- REACHABLE(x, y), REACHABLE(y, z).`

`REACHABLE(x, x) :- PLACE(x).`

- ▶ Can each place reach itself?

Datalog Literals and Terms

- ▶ **Literals** in Datalog communicate about tuples in a relation:

CONNECTION(Lund, Malmö, 18.8, 11)

- ▶ The parameters of the literal are called *Terms*, must be:
 - ▶ Variable, or
 - ▶ Constant
- ▶ **Ground literals** (like the above) have only constants as terms
- ▶ The below is a literal, but not a *ground* literal:

CONNECTION(Lund, x , 18.8, y)

Datalog Programs: Syntax

<i>Program</i>	::=	$\langle Rule \rangle^*$
<i>Rule</i>	::=	$\langle Atom \rangle \text{ :- } \langle Literal \rangle^* .$
<i>Atom</i>	::=	$\langle PredicateSymbol \rangle (\langle Terms \rangle ?)$
		$\langle Term \rangle = \langle Term \rangle$
		$\langle Term \rangle \leq \langle Term \rangle$
<i>Terms</i>	::=	$\langle Term \rangle$
		$\langle Terms \rangle , \langle Term \rangle$
<i>Term</i>	::=	$\langle Variable \rangle \langle Constant \rangle$
<i>Literal</i>	::=	$\langle Atom \rangle$
		$\neg \langle Atom \rangle$
<i>PredicateSymbol</i>	::=	<i>id</i>
<i>Variable</i>	::=	<i>id</i>
<i>Constant</i>	::=	<i>number string ...</i>

Negation

- ▶ Negation is a popular extension to pure Datalog:

$\text{ACCESSIBLE}(room) :- \text{DOORS}(room, door), \neg \text{LOCKED}(door).$

- ▶ Paradoxical rules may be **disallowed**:

$\text{ACCESSIBLE}(room) :- \neg \text{ACCESSIBLE}(room).$

- ▶ Variables that only occur negatively and in the head may be **disallowed**:

$\text{AVAILABLE}(room) :- \neg \text{RESERVED}(room).$

IDB and EDB

- ▶ Two types of database tables:
- ▶ **EDB** = Extensional Database
 - ▶ Elements explicitly enumerated
 - ▶ In Datalog: Input relations
- ▶ **IDB** = Intensional Database
 - ▶ Elements described by their properties
 - ▶ In datalog: Derived from rules
- ▶ Output marked explicitly in typical Datalog implementations

Interesting Properties

- ▶ *Monotonicity:*
 - ▶ Datalog *without negation* is *monotonic*
 - ▶ Adding EDB tuples can only ever add IDB tuples
- ▶ *Complexity:*
 - ▶ Consider Datalog with the following properties:
 - ▶ Negation of EDB relations only
 - ▶ Numeric constants in bodies
 - ▶ $(=)$ and (\leq) (can be simulated through EDBs)
 - ▶ This extension of Datalog can express *exactly* all problems in the complexity class **P**.

Summary

- ▶ **Datalog** programs are sets of **Horn clauses**:

$$\text{HEAD}(v) :- \text{BODY}_1(\dots), \dots, \text{BODY}_k(\dots)$$

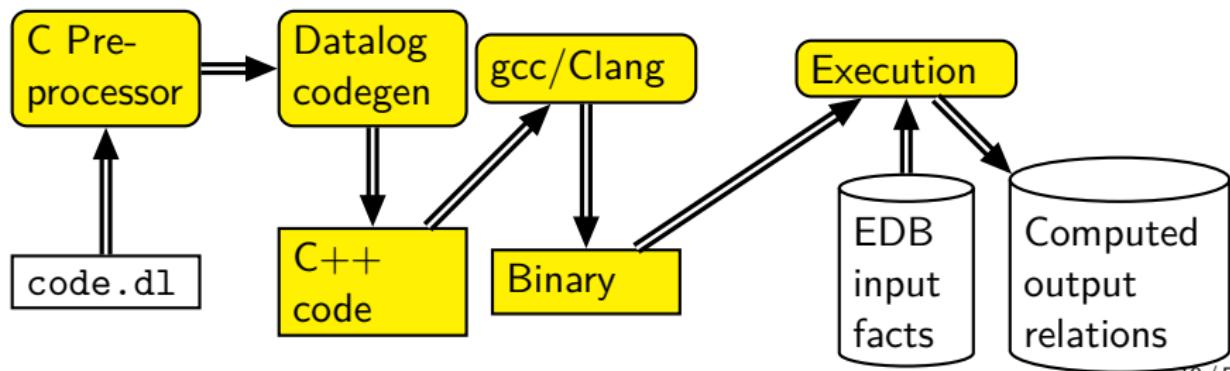
- ▶ The rule **Head** and the conjuncts of the **Body** are **Literals**
- ▶ Literals consist of a **Predicate Symbol** and **Terms**
- ▶ **Terms** can be variables or constants
- ▶ **Negation** is permitted in some extensions
- ▶ Datalog reasons over relations that are bound to the predicate symbols
- ▶ Relations can be **IDB** (derived) or **EDB** (enumerated, typically input)

The Soufflé System



- ▶ Datalog implementation
- ▶ UPL licence (Open Source)
- ▶ Extends Datalog both syntactically and semantically
- ▶ Reads/emits various file formats (sqlite, csv, ...)

Running souffle code.dl:



Soufflé Example

```
.decl Place(placename: symbol)
.decl Distance(from: symbol, to: symbol, dist: number)
.decl Reachable(source: symbol, destination: symbol)

Reachable(s, d) :- Distance(s, d, _).
Reachable(s, d) :- Reachable(s, i, _), Reachable(i, d, _).

// Rome is reachable from anywhere:
Reachable(s, "Rome") :- Place(s).

.decl Unreachable(place: symbol)
Unreachable(place) :- Place(place), !Reachable(_, place).
```

- ▶ Predicates must be declared with **.decl**
- ▶ Comments can be written in C/C++ style
- ▶ Parameters are *typed*. Two primitive types:
 - ▶ **symbol**: A string
 - ▶ **number**: A 32 bit signed integer

Input Relations

```
.decl Distance(from: symbol, to: symbol, dist: number)
.input Distance(IO=file, filename="distance.csv", delimiter=",")
```

- ▶ **.input** directive marks relation as EDB
 - ▶ Read from external file
- ▶ Here, the input file is a text file of comma-separated inputs

distance.csv:

Lund , Malmö , 19
Lund , Eslöv , 22
Lund , Landskrona , 33
Lund , Helsingborg , 55
Lund , Staffanstorp , 11

Equivalent Soufflé code:

Distance("Lund", "Malmö", 19).
Distance("Lund", "Eslöv", 22).
Distance("Lund", "Landskrona", 33).
Distance("Lund", "Helsingborg", 55).
Distance("Lund", "Staffanstorp", 11).

Output Relations

```
.decl Distance(from: symbol, to: symbol, dist: number)
.output Distance(IO=file, filename="distance.csv", delimiter=",")
```

- ▶ Analogous to **.input**
- ▶ Default settings write to Distance.csv as tab-separated values:

```
.decl Distance(from: symbol, to: symbol, dist: number)
.output Distance
```

Built-In Predicates

- ▶ Soufflé provides built-in infix predicates on `number × number`:

`>, >, <=, >=`

- ▶ The following predicates are defined for all types:

`=, !=`

```
ShoppingList(name, price) :-  
    AvailableItem(name, price),  
    price < 20,  
    name = "Chocolate".
```

Conjunctive Heads

- ▶ Soufflé allows joining clauses that share a body:

$$H_1, \dots, H_k :- B.$$

- ▶ Semantically equivalent to:

$$H_1 \quad :- \quad B.$$
$$\vdots$$
$$H_k \quad :- \quad B.$$

```
Place(from),  
Place(to),  
Reachable(from, to) :- Distance(from, to, _).
```

Disjunction

- ▶ Soufflé allows disjunctions ('A or B') in a body:

$$H :- B_p, (B_1; \dots; B_k), B_s.$$

- ▶ Semantically equivalent to:

$$H :- B_p, B_1, B_s.$$

⋮

$$H :- B_p, B_k, B_s.$$

```
Poisonous(a) :-  
    InKitchen(a),  
    (Expired(a) ;  
     Contains(a, b), Poisonous(b)).
```

Terms and Functions

- ▶ Soufflé extends Datalog's *Terms* to *Expressions*:

```
Area(obj, height*width) :- Rectangle(obj, height, width).  
Volume(obj, edge^3) :- Cube(obj, edge).
```

- ▶ Expressions do not participate in unification

Not allowed (x cannot be bound in body):

```
C(a, x) :- B(a, x + 1).
```

- ▶ Expressions break the termination guarantee:

```
Number(x + 1) :- Number(x).
```

Functions

- ▶ `ord(s:symbol):number`
Globally unique ID for string *s*
- ▶ `strlen(s:symbol):number`
String length
- ▶ `to_number(s:symbol):number`
- ▶ `to_string(n:number):string`
- ▶ `lnot(n:number):number`
Logical negation
- ▶ `bnot(n:number):number`
Bitwise negation
- ▶ `(x:number + y:number):number`
- ▶ `(x:number - y:number):number`
- ▶ `(x:number * y:number):number`
- ▶ `(x:number / y:number):number`
- ▶ `substr(s:symbol, from:number, to:number):symbol`
Substring extraction
- ▶ `(x:number % y:number):number`
Remainder of the division $\frac{x}{y}$
- ▶ `band(x:number, y:number):number`
Bitwise *and*
- ▶ `bor(x:number, y:number):number`
Bitwise *or*
- ▶ `bxor(x:number, y:number):number`
Bitwise *exclusive or*
- ▶ `land(x:number, y:number):number`
Logical *and*
- ▶ `lor(x:number, y:number):number`
Logical *or*
- ▶ `max(x:number, y:number):number`
- ▶ `min(x:number, y:number):number`
- ▶ `cat(x:symbol, y:symbol):symbol`
String concatenation

Aggregation

```
TrafficHub(place) :-  
    Place(place),  
    connections = count:  
        Reachable(place, _),  
    connections >= 100.
```

- ▶ Aggregation merges a set of values into a single value.
- ▶ Soufflé supports four *aggregation operators*:
 - ▶ count: E
 - ▶ min x : E
 - ▶ max x : E
 - ▶ sum x : E
- ▶ x can be an expression with (possibly) multiple variables.
- ▶ For min, max, sum, if E is empty, the program aborts.

```
CheapestProducts(product, cost) :-  
    Product(product),  
    cost = min price:  
        Price(product, _, price).
```

Types

- ▶ Soufflé allows custom types:
 - ▶ **.symbol_type st:** st inherits all **symbol** built-ins
 - ▶ **.number_type nt:** nt inherits all **number** built-ins
- ▶ Tagged union type construction:

.type t = t₁ | ... | t_k

- ▶ Values of different types are never equal:

("x" : tomato) != ("x" : cabbage)

```
.symbol_type apple
.decl Apple(a:apple).
.decl Tomato(p:tomato).
.decl Cabbage(c:cabbage).
.type fruit = apple | tomato
.type vegetable = cabbage | tomato
Vegetable(x) :- Cabbage(x).
Vegetable(x) :- Tomato(x).
```

Summary

- ▶ Soufflé is an extension of Datalog
- ▶ Two built-in types: `symbol`, `number`
- ▶ **Built-in predicates** on numbers, strings
- ▶ Terms are extended to support built-in operations (addition, etc.)
- ▶ **Aggregation** operations for summing up or computing the minimum etc.
- ▶ **Conjunctive heads** and **Disjunctions** add syntactic sugar
 - ▶ Are also exploited for optimisation
- ▶ Explicit declaration for input and output behaviour

Evaluating Datalog

- ▶ Several evaluation strategies
- ▶ *Incremental on input:*
 - ▶ Exploit monotonicity: grow IDB facts as EDB grows
 - ▶ For negative literals:
 - ▶ Delete and re-derive
 - ▶ Optimisations available (counting, provenance tracking)
- ▶ *On-demand:*
 - ▶ *Forward-chaining:*
 - ▶ Find rule heads that match fact that we're checking
 - ▶ Recursively try to prove atoms in body
 - ▶ Memoise results

Evaluating Datalog Efficiently

- ▶ Populate all IDB tables according to rules
- ▶ State of the art for full evaluation: *Semi-Naive Evaluation*
 - ▶ Needs *dependency graph* between relations
 - ▶ X depends on Z iff:
 - ▶ there is a rule $X(\dots) :- \dots Z(\dots) \dots$, or
 - ▶ there is a rule $X(\dots) :- \dots Y(\dots) \dots$, and Y depends on Z

Nonrecursive Case

Example:

$$H(x, y) :- A(x, _, z), B(x, y, z).$$

- Requirement: A , B do not depend on H
- Implementation idea: *nested loops*:

```
for ⟨x1,  , y1⟩ ∈ A do
    for ⟨x2, y2, z2⟩ ∈ B do
        if x1 = x2 and y1 = y2 then
            H := H ∪ {⟨x1, y1⟩}
        done
    done
```

- Faster looping possible by exploiting representation (e.g., sorted B-trees)

Nonrecursive Case with Test

Example:

$$H(x, y) :- A(x, y), B(x, y).$$

- ▶ Requirements:
 - ▶ A , B do not depend on H
 - ▶ All variables occurring in $B(\dots)$ are bound by literals to the left of $B(\dots)$
- ▶ Implementation idea: *contains-check instead of loop*:

```
for ⟨x1, y1⟩ ∈ A do
    if ⟨x1, y1⟩ ∈ B then
        H := H ∪ {⟨x1, y1⟩}
    done
done
```

Simple Recursion

Example:

$$H(x, z) :- A(x, y), H(y, z).$$

- ▶ Implementation idea: *fixpoint*:

```
RH := H
do
  ΔH = ∅
  for ⟨x1, y1⟩ ∈ A do
    for ⟨y2, z2⟩ ∈ RH do
      if y1 = y2 and ⟨x1, z2⟩ ∉ H then begin
        H := H ∪ {⟨x1, z2⟩}
        ΔH := ΔH ∪ {⟨x1, z2⟩}
      end
    done
  RH := ΔH
done
while ΔH ≠ ∅
```

- ▶ ΔH acts as *worklist*

Mutual Recursion

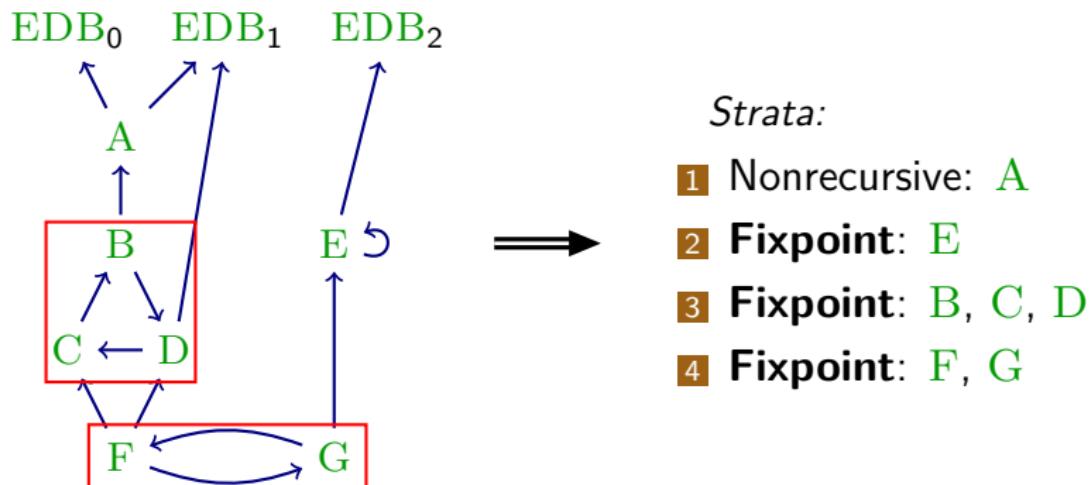
Example:

```
H(x, z) :- A(x, y), K(y, z).  
K(x, z) :- B(x, y), H(y, z).
```

- ▶ Implementation idea: *fixpoint with multiple worklists*
- ▶ Analogous to simple recursion:
 - ▶ ΔH for updates to H
 - ▶ ΔK for updates to K
- ▶ Iterate rules until both ΔH and ΔK are empty

Evaluation Strata

- ▶ Strategy:
 - ▶ Evaluate dependencies first
 - ▶ Evaluate mutual dependencies **together**
 - ▶ Evaluate recursive dependencies with fixpoint
- ▶ *Stratify* predicates based on dependencies:



Negation and Aggregation

- ▶ Evaluating negative literals $\neg P(v_1, \dots, v_k)$:
 - ▶ Static check: all v_1, \dots, v_k must be bound before testing literal
 - ▶ Static check: P must be evaluated in earlier stratum
 - ▶ Use negated ‘contains’ check
- ▶ Evaluating aggregation:
 - ▶ Same stratification requirements as for negation

Optimisations

- ▶ Eliminate dead tables / rules
- ▶ Predicate reordering
- ▶ Optimised table representations
 - ▶ Sorted:
 - ▶ RB-Trees (ordered iteration)
 - ▶ B-Trees (ordered iteration, $O(n)$ joins with matching indices)
 - ▶ Tries (compression for common prefixes, *Leapfrog Triejoin*)
 - ▶ Hashsets ($O(1)$ contains checks)
 - ▶ Binary Decision Diagrams (BDDs, challenging to tune but can be very compact)
 - ...
- ▶ Inlining
- ▶ *Magic Sets*
- ▶ *Leapfrog*

Predicate Positioning (Unsorted)

Iterate over
small tables first

$H(x, y, z) :- \text{SMALL}(x, y, z), y > 0, \text{BIG}(z, t, y), \neg Q(t).$

Negated atoms
must be *ground*

Primitive
tests early

- ▶ Negation, aggregation, built-in tests:
 - ▶ Position after free variables bound
- ▶ Fail fast
- ▶ Exploit representations where possible
 - ▶ Testing usually faster than iteration
- ▶ Faster / more selective tests earlier
- ▶ Optimal positioning NP-hard, but:
 - ▶ many rules are short
 - ▶ heuristics help

Summary

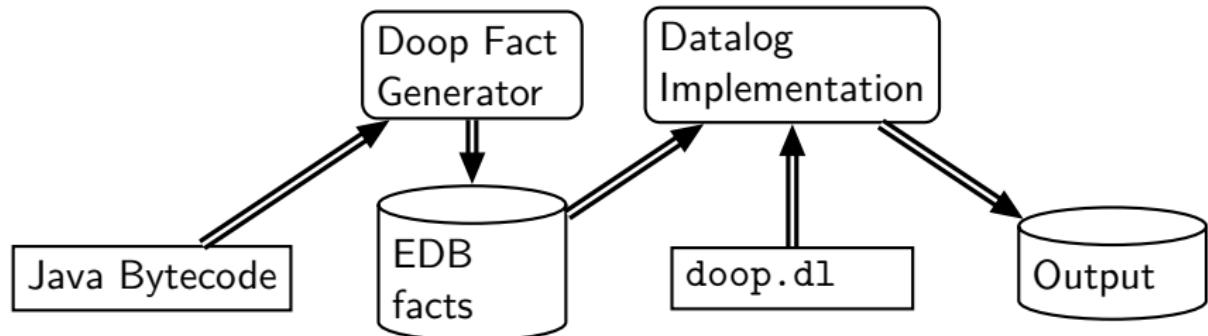
- ▶ Different evaluation strategies for Datalog
- ▶ **Semi-Naive Evaluation** is state-of-the art for full evaluation
 - ▶ Find dependencies
 - ▶ Cluster rules by dependencies
 - ▶ **Stratify** evaluation
 - ▶ Iterate with **Deltas** (equivalent to worklists)
- ▶ Practical implementations use further optimisation strategies

Doop



- ▶ Points-to analysis framework
- ▶ Core analysis implemented in Datalog
 - ▶ Based on Andersen's Analysis (last lecture)
- ▶ Supports different forms of *x-sensitivity*

Doop Overview

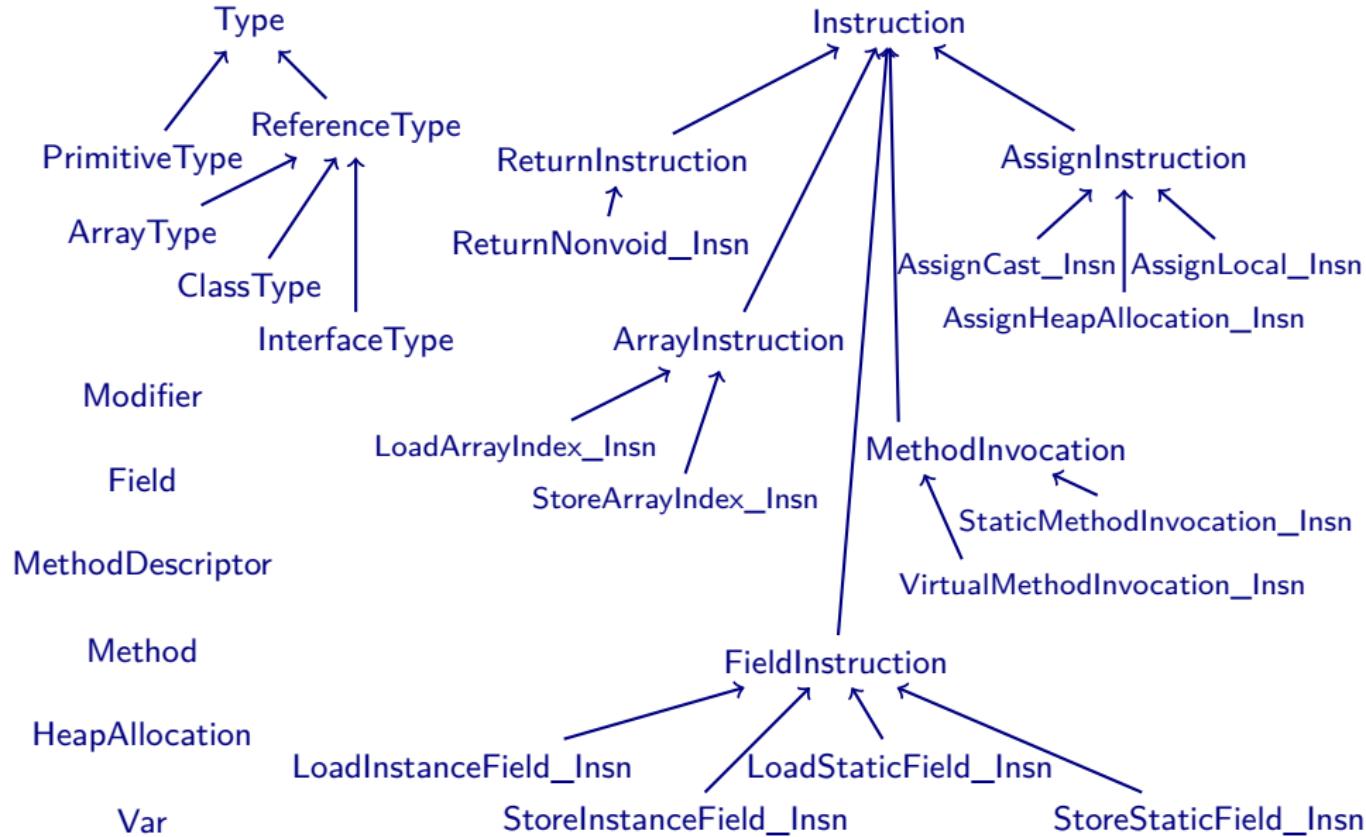


- ▶ Doop first generates EDB facts by scanning programs
 - ▶ Uses Soot (can also use Wala, other tools)
- ▶ Then analyses the facts using Datalog code
- ▶ Different (Datalog-based) analyses available
- ▶ Output:
 - ▶ Call graph
 - ▶ Points-to graph

Doop Key Types

- ▶ **Type:** Java type
- ▶ **Var:** Java variable (local or parameter)
`VAR_TYPE(?var:Var, ?type>Type)`
- ▶ **Method:** Defined method
`FORMALPARAM(?index:number, ?method:Method, ?var:Var)`
(lists all parameter **Vars** for the given method, in order)
- ▶ **MethodDescriptor:** Method signature (parameter & return types)
`BASIC.METHODLOOKUP(?simplename:symbol,
 ?descriptor:MethodDescriptor,
 ?type>Type,
 ?method:Method)`
(Resolve method name + signature + type to the invoked **Method**)
- ▶ **Instruction:** Soot instruction
`INSTRUCTION_METHOD(?insn:Instruction, ?inMethod:Method)`
(Connect instructions to the method that they occur in)
- ▶ **HeapAllocation:** Allocation site
- ▶ **Field:** Static or dynamic field

Doop Types (all)



Doop Outputs

- ▶ **ASSIGN**(?to:**Var**, ?from:**Var**)
Variable assignment may take place
- ▶ **VARPOINTSTo**(?heap:**HeapAllocation**, ?var:**Var**)
Variable may point to object from given heap allocation site
- ▶ **INSTANCEFIELDPOINTSTo**(?heap:**HeapAllocation**,
 ?fld:**Field**,
 ?baseheap:**HeapAllocation**)
The field ?baseheap.?fld may point to the object allocated at ?heap
- ▶ **STATICFIELDPOINTSTo**(?heap:**HeapAllocation**, ?fld:**Field**)
- ▶ **CALLGRAPHEDGE**(?invocation:**MethodInvocation**, ?meth:**Method**)
Instruction ?invocation may call method ?meth
- ▶ **ARRAYINDEXPOINTSTo**(?baseheap:**HeapAllocation**,
 ?heap:**HeapAllocation**)
- ▶ **REACHABLE**(?method:**Method**)
The given method may be reached when executing the program

Doop Call Graph (1/2)

- ▶ As example, consider the computation of:

`CALLGRAPHEDGE(?invocation, ?tomehtod)`

- ▶ ‘May the instruction ?invocation invoke method ?method’?

`CALLGRAPHEDGE(?invocation, ?tomehtod) :-
 REACHABLE(?inmethod),
 STATICMETHODINVOCATION(?invocation, ?tomehtod, ?inmethod).`

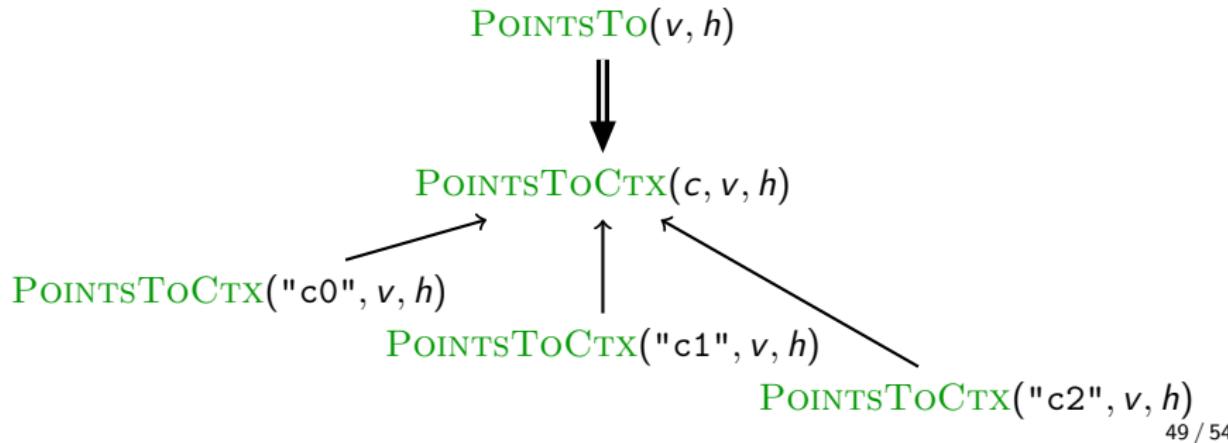
`CALLGRAPHEDGE(?invocation, ?tomehtod) :-
 REACHABLE(?inmethod),
 INSTRUCTION_METHOD(?invocation, ?inmethod),
 METHODINVOCATION_METHOD(?invocation, ?tomehtod).`

Doop Call Graph (2/2)

```
CALLGRAPHEDGE(?invocation, ?toMethod) :-  
    REACHABLE(?inMethod),  
    INSTRUCTION_METHOD(?invocation, ?inMethod),  
    VIRTUALMETHODINVOCATION_BASE(?invocation, ?base),  
    VARPOINTS_TO(?heap, ?base),  
    HEAPALLOCATION_TYPE(?heap, ?heaptypes),  
    VIRTUALMETHODINVOCATION_SIMPLENAME(?invocation, ?simplename),  
    VIRTUALMETHODINVOCATION_DESCRIPTOR(?invocation, ?descriptor),  
    BASICMETHODLOOKUP( ?simplename, ?descriptor,  
                      ?heaptypes, ?toMethod).
```

x-Sensitivity in Doop

- ▶ Program analyses can be made more precise by adding different forms of *sensitivity*:
 - ▶ Flow-sensitivity
 - ▶ Context-sensitivity (which Doop calls *Call-site sensitivity*)
 - ▶ Object-sensitivity
- ...
- ▶ Doop calls them all *context sensitivity*
- ▶ Doop is designed to be easy to extend for such sensitivities



Summary

- ▶ **Doop** is a points-to analysis framework based on Datalog
 - 1 First extracts program facts (via Soot) into tables
 - 2 Then analyses tables with Datalog code
- ▶ Flow-insensitive
- ▶ Datalog code computes many facts of interest
- ▶ Extensible to support different forms of x -Sensitivity

Review

- ▶ Datalog
- ▶ Soufflé
- ▶ Doop

Homework

- 1 Basic Datalog
- 2 Implement call graph analyses
- 3 Add object-sensitivity to Doop
- 4 Build fact database

To be continued...

- ▶ Break for two weeks, then return on WEDNESDAYS
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