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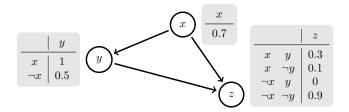
# THE BAYESIAN ONTOLOGY REASONER IS BORN!

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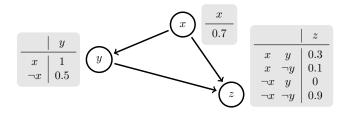
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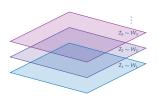
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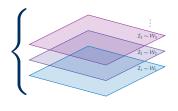
 $P_{\mathcal{K}}(C \sqsubseteq D)$  can be computed by

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(IJCAR 2014)

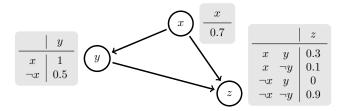
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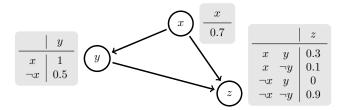


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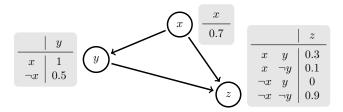
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This is the syntax of ProbLog, a probabilistic logic programming tool based on efficient techniques such as weighted model counting, etc...

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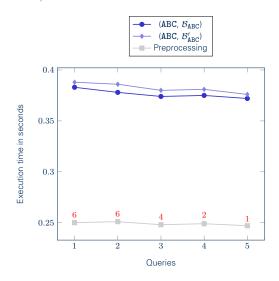
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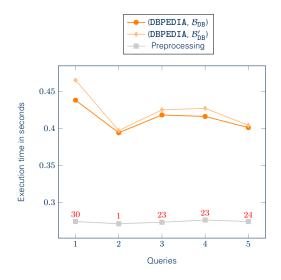
# Initial Experiments on Ontologies

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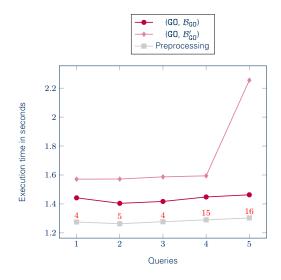
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