

KNOWLEDGE GRAPH CONSTRUCTION

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Computers + Knowledge =


New York Giants

4-6, 3rd in NFC Eastern Division

Yesterday, 4:25 PM (ET)
MetLife Stadium, East Rutherford, New Jersey

 Green Bay Packers (5-5) **13 - 27** Final New York Giants (4-6) 

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Sun, Nov 24 vs.  Cowboys 4:25 PM (ET)



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New York Giants

Football team

The New York Giants are a professional American football team based in East Rutherford, New Jersey. [Wikipedia](#)

Arena/Stadium: MetLife Stadium
Head coach: Tom Coughlin
Location: East Rutherford, New Jersey
Division: NFC East
NFL championships: 19

13:23 31%

“What sort of Pokémon is Pikachu?”
tap to edit

The answer is electric.

Input interpretation
Pikachu type

Result
electric

Basic properties

| | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| English name | Pikachu |
| Japanese name | ピカチュウ (Pikachu) |
| Pokédex number | 25 |
| type | electric |

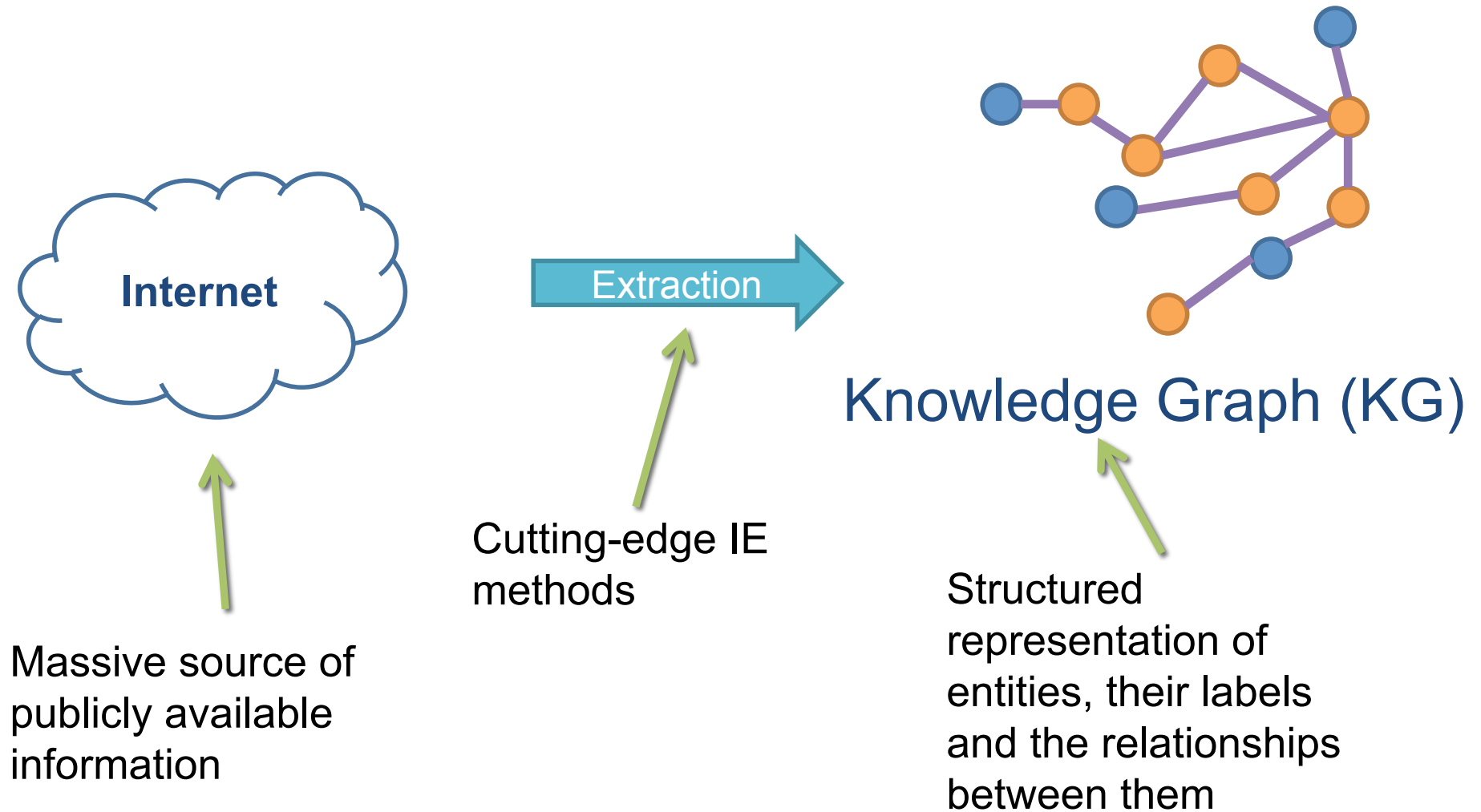
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News for Giants

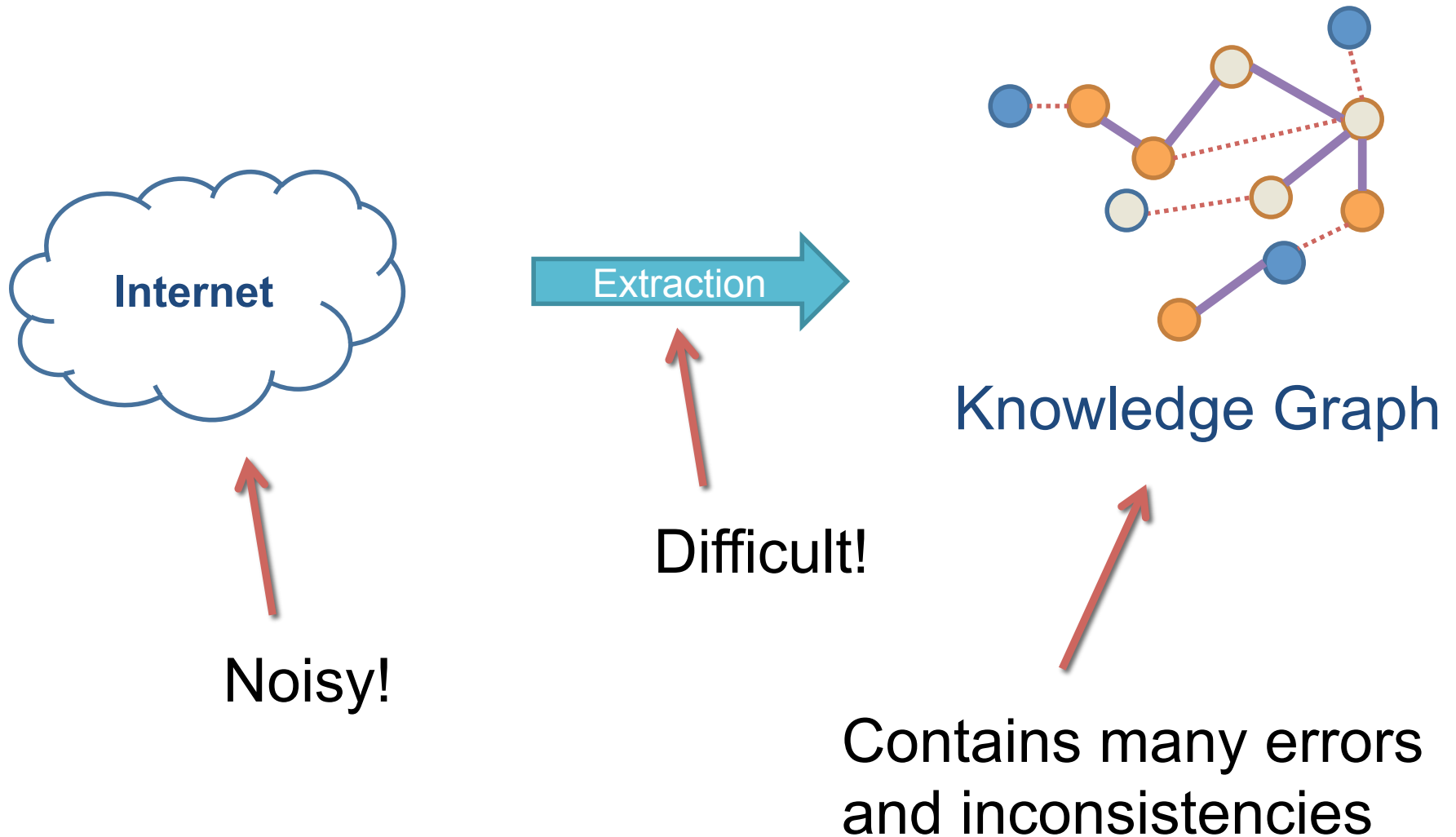
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Motivating Problem: New Opportunities



Motivating Problem: Real Challenges



Knowledge Graphs in the wild

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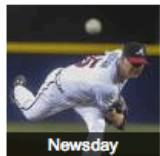
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Tim Hudson [San Francisco Giants close in on deal](#)
USA TODAY - by Jorge Ortiz - 17 minutes ago
The San Francisco **Giants**, determined to bolster a once-proud rotation that faltered in 2013, a previous ...

[Giants close to deal with Tim Hudson](#)
ESPN - 1 hour ago

[Giants close to signing veteran hurler Hudson](#)
MLB.com - 2 hours ago

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Nicknames: G-Men, Big Blue Wrecking Crew

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Input interpretation 80%

“Mount Everest”
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I don't see any places matching 'Mount Everest'.
Sorry about that.

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ピカチュウ (Pikachu)

25

electric

Overview

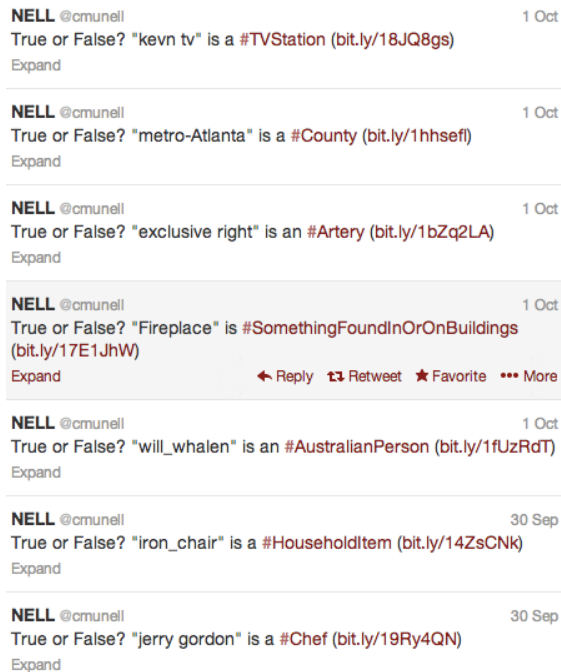
Problem:
Build a Knowledge Graph from millions of noisy extractions

Approach:
Knowledge Graph Identification reasons jointly over all facts in the knowledge graph

Method:
Use probabilistic soft logic to easily specify models and efficiently optimize them

Results:
State-of-the-art performance on real-world datasets producing knowledge graphs with millions of facts

NELL: The Never-Ending Language Learner



- Large-scale IE project (Carlson et al., 2010)
- Lifelong learning: aims to “read the web”
- Ontology of known labels and relations
- Knowledge base contains millions of facts

- [person](#)
 - monarch
 - astronaut
 - personbylocation
 - personnorthamerica
 - personcanada
 - personus
 - politicianus
 - personmexico
 - personeurope
 - personaustralia
 - personafrica
 - personsouthamerica
 - personasia
 - personantarctica
 - visualartist
 - model
 - scientist
 - journalist
 - female
 - actor
 - professor
 - director
 - architect
 - politician
 - politicianus
 - musician
 - athlete
 - chef
 - male
 - writer
 - ceo
 - judge
 - mlauthor
 - coach
 - celebrity
 - comedian
 - criminal



Examples of NELL errors

Entity co-reference errors

Kyrgyzstan has many variants:

- Kyrgystan
- Kyrgistan
- Kyrghyzstan
- Kyrgyzstan
- Kyrgyz Republic

Saudi Cultural Days in the **Kyrgyz Republic** has concluded its activities in the capital Bishkek in the weekend in a special ceremony held on this occasion. The event was attended by Deputy Minister of Culture and Tourism of the **Kyrgyz Republic** Koulev Mirza; Kyrgyzstan's Ambassador to Saudi Arabia Jusupbek Sharipov; the Saudi Embassy Acting Chargé d'affaires to Kyrgyzstan, Mari bin Barakah Al-Derbas and members of the embassy staff, in the presence of a heavy turnout of Kyrgyz citizens.

The Days of Culture of Saudi Arabia in **Kyrgyzstan** will be held from 6 to 9 May.

[Home](#) > [Holiday Destinations](#) > **Kyrghyzstan** > [Bishkek](#) > [Climate Profile](#)



Fast Forecast

Holiday Weather

Refugees are often from areas where conflict is historically embedded and marked in ideology and injustice. The Tsarnaev family emigrated from the Chechen diaspora in **Kyrgyzstan**, a region Stalin deported the Chechens to in 1943. After the fall of the Berlin Wall in 1991, Chechens engaged in a battle for independence from Russia that led to the Tsarnaevs' petition for refugee status in the early

Missing and spurious labels

[Anssi Kullberg](#) has sent along some great trip reports to unusual places, including [Kyrgyzstan](#), [Pakistan](#), [Egypt/Jordan](#), and [Afghanistan](#). I had to create a whole new country page for [Afghanistan](#) to hold that last one! Thanks so much, Anssi!

[Erik Kleyheeg](#) has just returned from Lesvos with some new bird images. Included here are: [Common Scops-Owl](#), [Wood Warbler](#), [Spanish Sparrow](#), [Red-throated Pipit](#), [Eurasian Chiff-chaff](#), and [Cretzschmar's Bunting](#).

Kyrgyzstan ([/kɜrɡɪˈstɑːn/](#) *kur-gi-STAN*;^[5] [Kyrgyz](#): Кыргызстан (IPA: [qɯrʁwɯsˈstan]); [Russian](#): Киргизия), officially the **Kyrgyz Republic** ([Kyrgyz](#): Кыргыз Республикасы; [Russian](#): Кыргызская Республика), is a [country](#) located in [Central Asia](#).^[6] Landlocked and mountainous, Kyrgyzstan is bordered by [Kazakhstan](#) to the north, [Uzbekistan](#) to the west, [Tajikistan](#) to the southwest and [China](#) to the east. Its [capital](#) and [largest city](#) is [Bishkek](#).

Kyrgyzstan is
labeled a bird and
a country

Missing and spurious relations

Guidance

Kazakhstan / Kyrgyzstan – Consular Fees

Organisation: [Foreign & Commonwealth Office](#)
Page history: [Published 4 April 2013](#)

Kyrgyzstan's location is ambiguous – Kazakhstan, Russia and US are included in possible locations

Kyrgyzstan U.S. Air Base Future Unclear

A Central Asian country of incredible natural beauty and proud nomadic traditions, most of Kyrgyzstan was formally annexed to Russia in 1876. The Kyrgyz staged a major revolt against the Tsarist Empire in 1916 in which almost one-sixth of the Kyrgyz population was killed. Kyrgyzstan became a Soviet republic in 1936 and

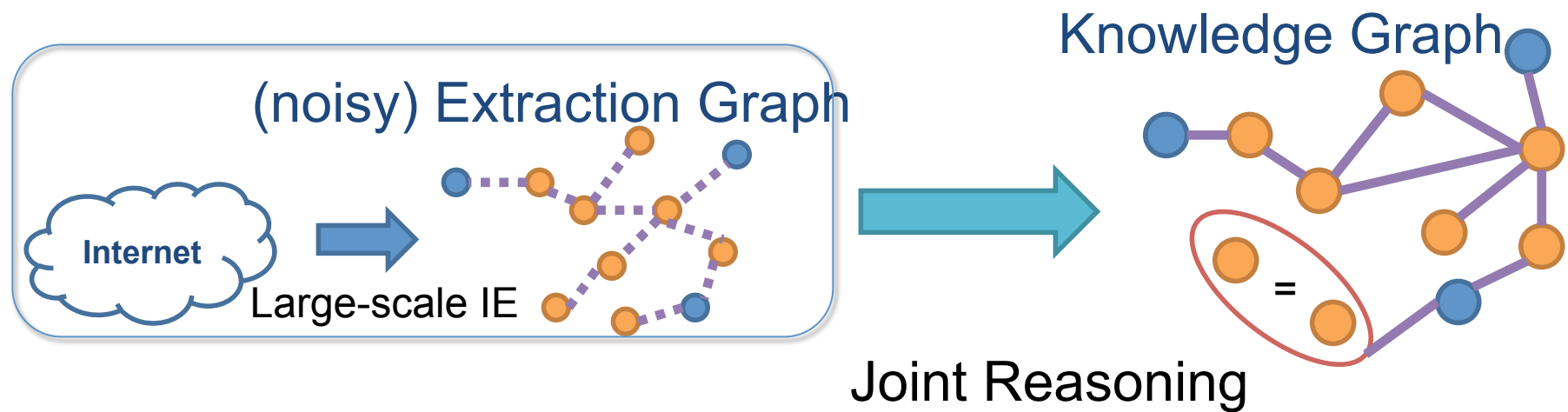
Violations of ontological knowledge

- Equivalence of co-referent entities (sameAs)
 - SameAs(Kyrgyzstan, Kyrgyz Republic)
- Mutual exclusion (disjointWith) of labels
 - MUT(bird, country)
- Selectional preferences (domain/range) of relations
 - RNG(countryLocation, continent)

Enforcing these constraints require **jointly** considering multiple extractions

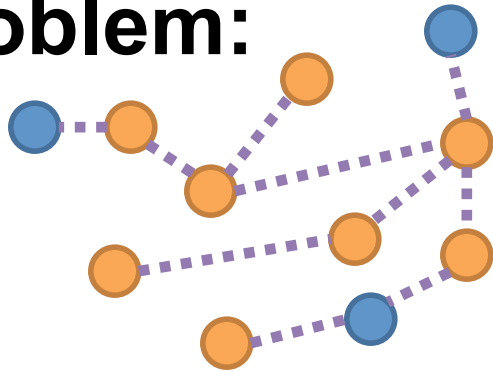
KNOWLEDGE GRAPH IDENTIFICATION

Motivating Problem (revised)



Knowledge Graph Identification

Problem:

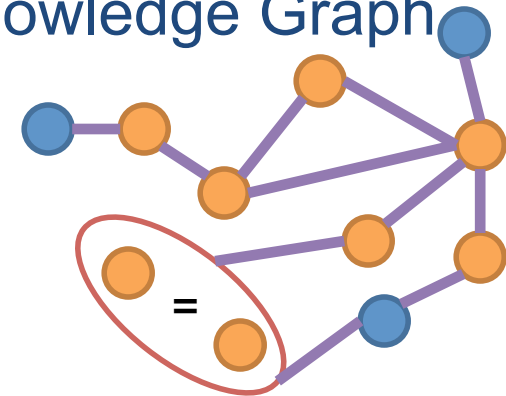


Extraction Graph



Knowledge
Graph
Identification

Knowledge Graph



Solution: *Knowledge Graph Identification (KGI)*

- Performs *graph identification*:
 - entity resolution
 - collective classification
 - link prediction
- Enforces *ontological constraints*
- Incorporates *multiple uncertain sources*

Illustration of KGI: Extractions

Uncertain Extractions:

- .5: Lbl(Kyrgyzstan, bird)
- .7: Lbl(Kyrgyzstan, country)
- .9: Lbl(Kyrgyz Republic, country)
- .8: Rel(Kyrgyz Republic, Bishkek, hasCapital)

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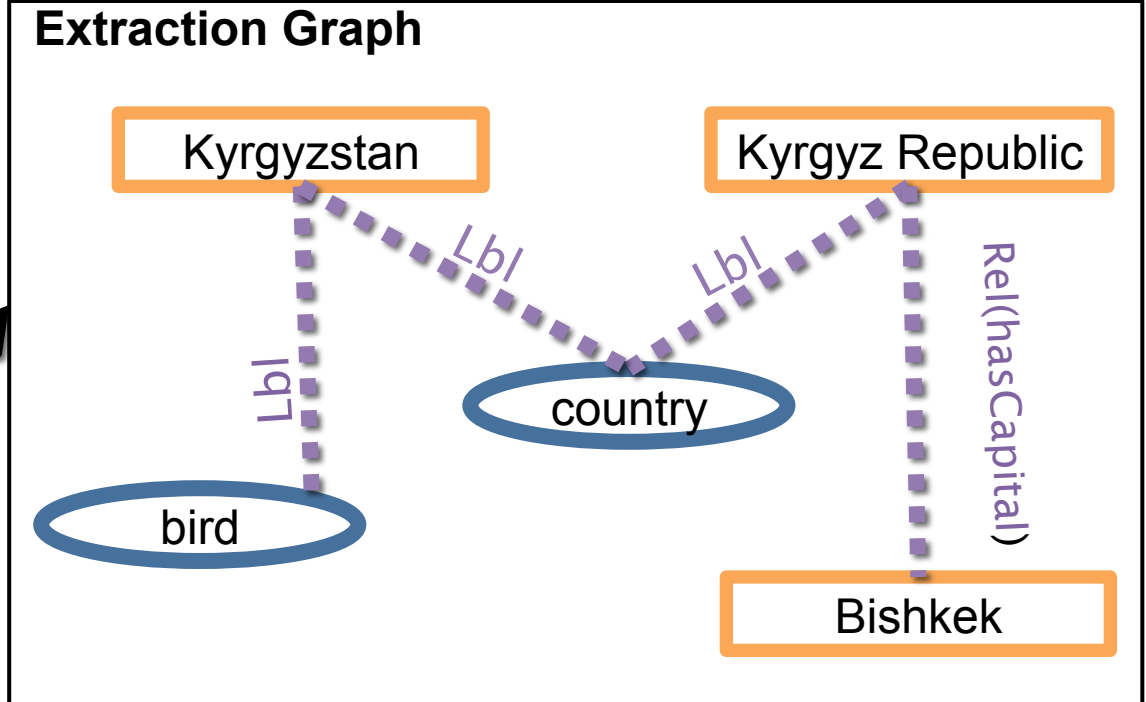


Illustration of KGI: Ontology + ER

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Ontology:

- Dom(hasCapital, country)
- Mut(country, bird)

Entity Resolution:

- SameEnt(Kyrgyz Republic, Kyrgyzstan)

(Annotated) Extraction Graph

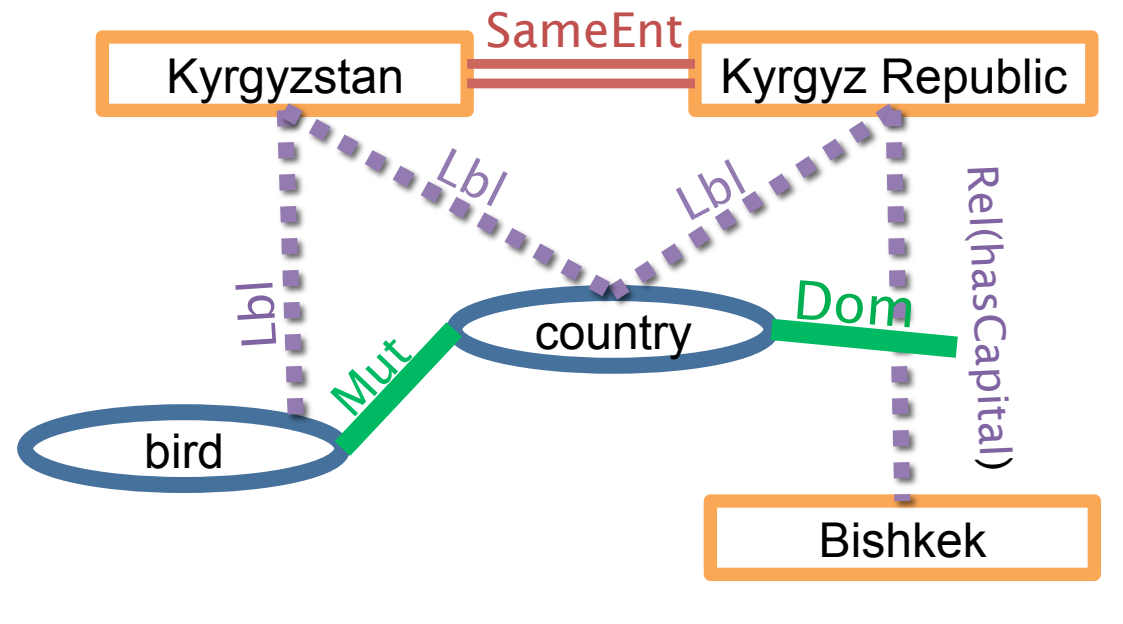


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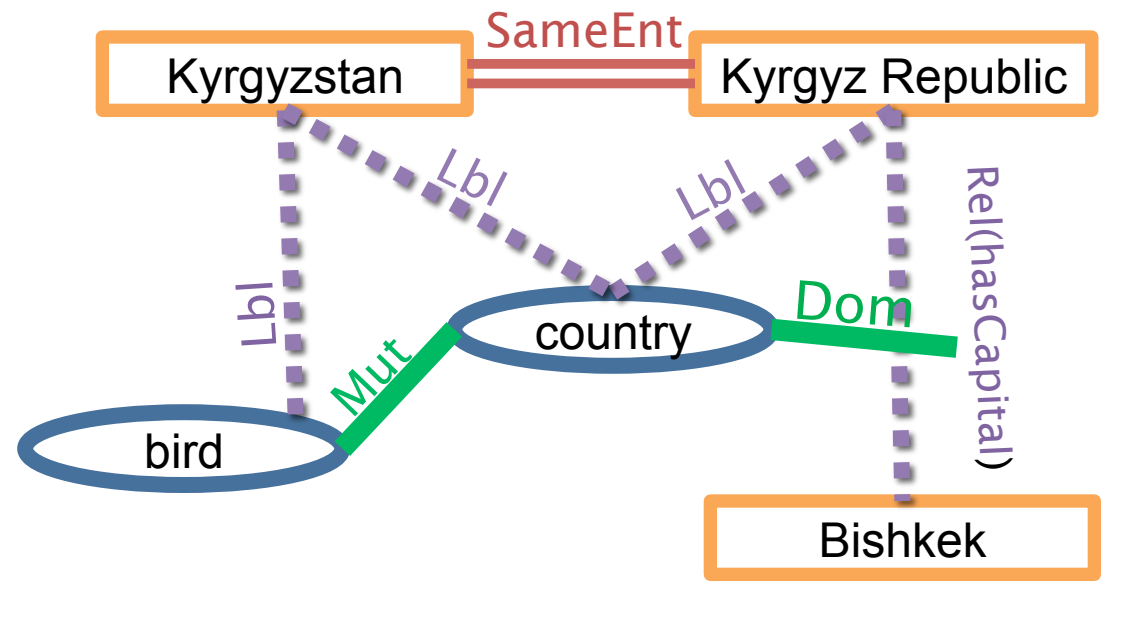
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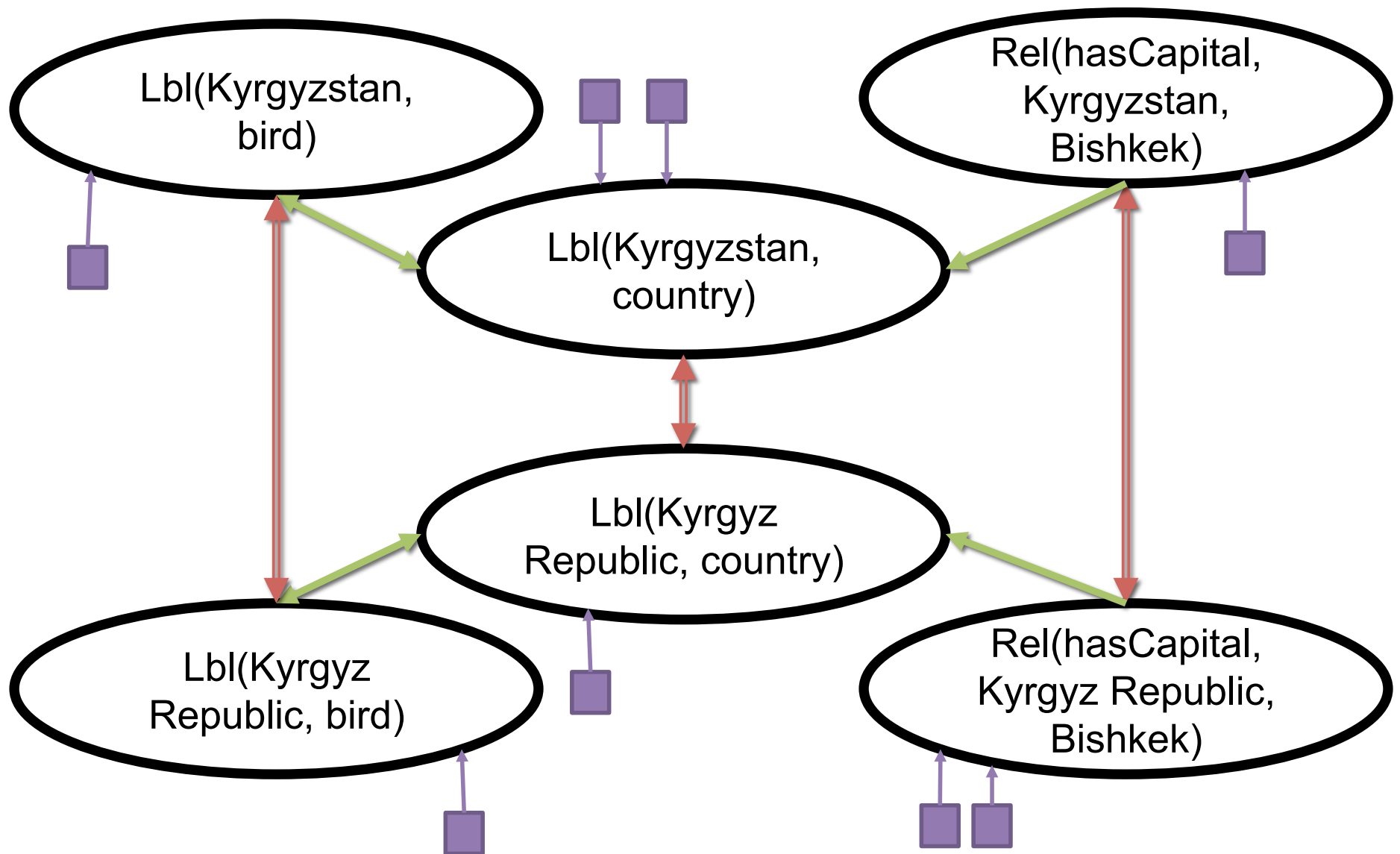
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After Knowledge Graph Identification



Viewing KGI as a probabilistic graphical model



Background: Probabilistic Soft Logic (PSL)

(Broecheler et al., UAI10; Kimming et al., NIPS-ProbProg12)

- Templating language for hinge-loss MRFs, very scalable!
- Model specified as a collection of logical formulas

$$\text{SAMEENT}(E_1, E_2) \tilde{\wedge} \text{LBL}(E_1, L) \Rightarrow \text{LBL}(E_2, L)$$


- Uses soft-logic formulation
 - Truth values of atoms relaxed to $[0, 1]$ interval
 - Truth values of formulas derived from Lukasiewicz t-norm

Background: PSL Rules to Distributions

- Rules are *grounded* by substituting literals into formulas

$w_{\text{EL}} : \text{SAMEENT}(\text{Kyrgyzstan}, \text{Kyrgyz Republic}) \tilde{\wedge}$
 $\text{LBL}(\text{Kyrgyzstan}, \text{country}) \Rightarrow \text{LBL}(\text{Kyrgyz Republic}, \text{country})$

- Each ground rule has a weighted distance to satisfaction derived from the formula's truth value

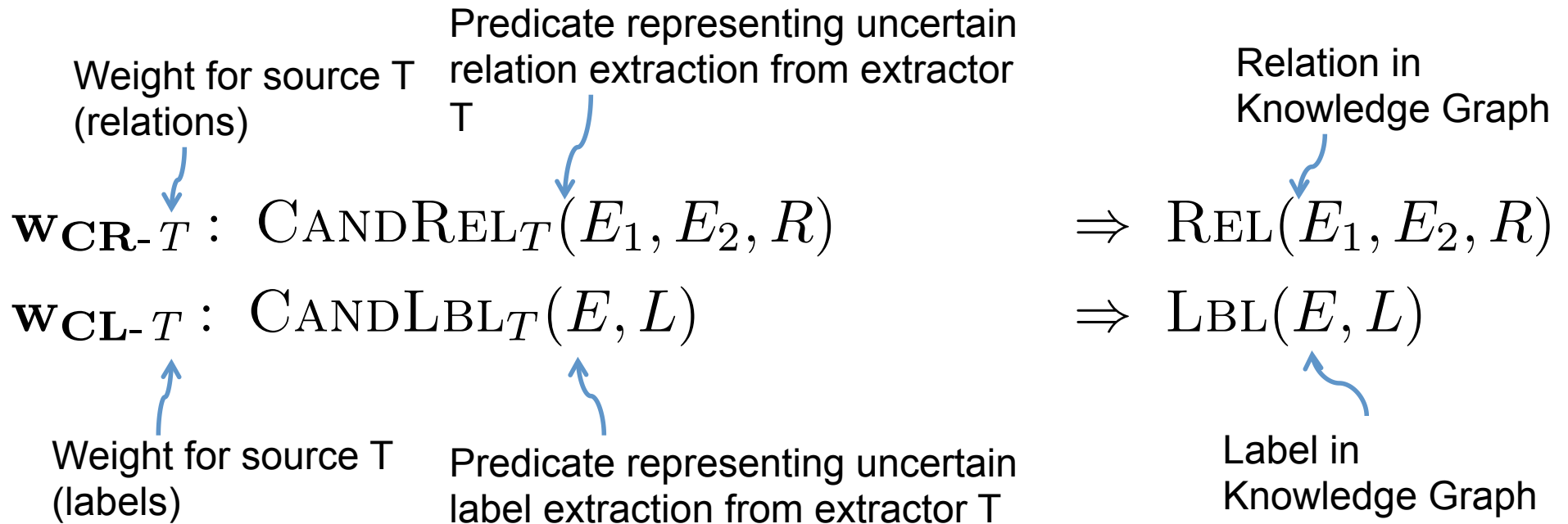
$$P(G | E) = \frac{1}{Z} \exp \left[- \sum_{r \in R} w_r \varphi_r(G) \right]$$

- The PSL program can be interpreted as a joint probability distribution over all variables in knowledge graph, conditioned on the extractions

Background: Finding the best knowledge graph

- MPE inference solves $\max_G P(G)$ to find the best KG
- In PSL, inference solved by convex optimization
- Efficient: running time empirically scales with $O(|R|)$
(Bach et al., NIPS12)

PSL Rules: Uncertain Extractions




PSL Rules: Entity Resolution

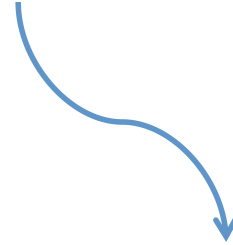
$$\mathbf{w}_{\text{EL}} : \text{SAMEENT}(E_1, E_2) \tilde{\wedge} \text{LBL}(E_1, L) \Rightarrow \text{LBL}(E_2, L)$$

$$\mathbf{w}_{\text{ER}} : \text{SAMEENT}(E_1, E_2) \tilde{\wedge} \text{REL}(E_1, E, R) \Rightarrow \text{REL}(E_2, E, R)$$

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SameEnt predicate captures confidence that entities are co-referent

- 
- Rules require co-referent entities to have the same labels and relations
 - Creates an *equivalence class* of co-referent entities

PSL Rules: Ontology

Inverse:

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{INV}(R, S) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, R) \Rightarrow \text{REL}(E_2, E_1, S)$$

Selectional Preference:

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{DOM}(R, L) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, R) \Rightarrow \text{LBL}(E_1, L)$$

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{RNG}(R, L) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, R) \Rightarrow \text{LBL}(E_2, L)$$

Subsumption:

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{SUB}(L, P) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{LBL}(E, L) \Rightarrow \text{LBL}(E, P)$$

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{RSUB}(R, S) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, R) \Rightarrow \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, S)$$

Mutual Exclusion:

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{MUT}(L_1, L_2) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{LBL}(E, L_1) \Rightarrow \sim \text{LBL}(E, L_2)$$

$$\mathbf{w}_O : \text{RMUT}(R, S) \quad \tilde{\wedge} \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, R) \Rightarrow \sim \text{REL}(E_1, E_2, S)$$

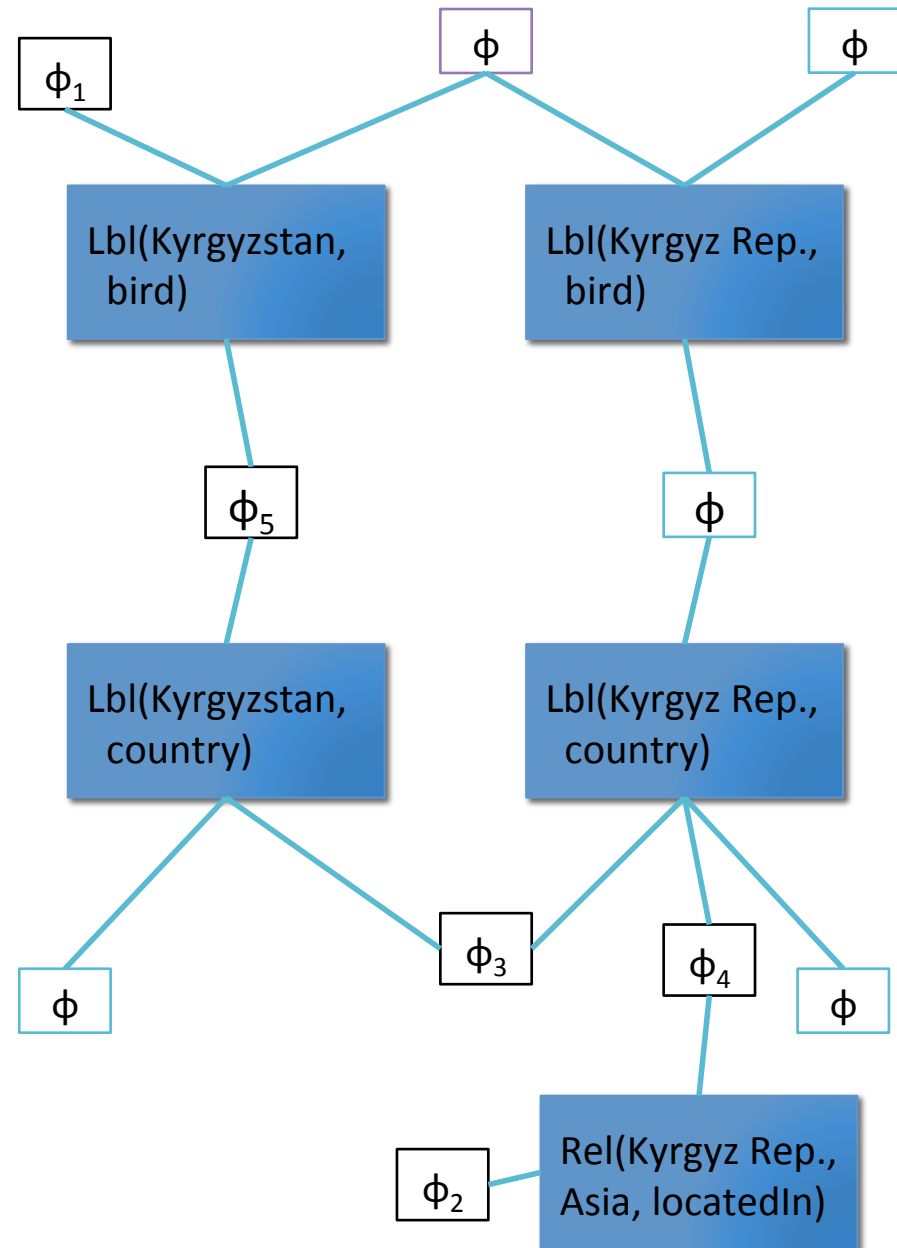
$[\phi_1]$ CANDLBL_{struct}(Kyrgyzstan, bird)
 \Rightarrow LBL(Kyrgyzstan, bird)

$[\phi_2]$ CANDREL_{pat}(Kyrgyz Rep., Asia, locatedIn)
 \Rightarrow REL(Kyrgyz Rep., Asia, locatedIn)

$[\phi_3]$ SAMEENT(Kyrgyz Rep., Kyrgyzstan)
 \wedge LBL(Kyrgyz Rep., country)
 \Rightarrow LBL(Kyrgyzstan, country)

$[\phi_4]$ DOM(locatedIn, country)
 \wedge REL(Kyrgyz Rep., Asia, locatedIn)
 \Rightarrow LBL(Kyrgyz Rep., country)

$[\phi_5]$ MUT(country, bird)
 \wedge LBL(Kyrgyzstan, country)
 \Rightarrow \neg LBL(Kyrgyzstan, bird)



Probability Distribution over KGs

$$P(G | E) = \frac{1}{Z} \exp \left[- \sum_{r \in R} w_r \varphi_r(G) \right]$$

CANDLBL_T(kyrgyzstan, bird)

⇒ LBL(kyrgyzstan, bird)

MUT(bird, country)

$\tilde{\wedge}$ LBL(kyrgyzstan, bird)

⇒ $\tilde{\wedge}$ LBL(kyrgyzstan, country)

SAMEENT(kyrgyz republic, kyrgyzstan)

$\tilde{\wedge}$ LBL(kyrgyz republic, country)

⇒ LBL(kyrgyzstan, country)

EVALUATION

Two Evaluation Datasets

| | LinkedBrainz | NELL |
|-----------------------------|---|--|
| Description | Community-supplied data about musical artists, labels, and creative works | Real-world IE system extracting general facts from the WWW |
| Noise | Realistic synthetic noise | Imperfect extractors and ambiguous web pages |
| Candidate Facts | 810K | 1.3M |
| Unique Labels and Relations | 27 | 456 |
| Ontological Constraints | 49 | 67.9K |

LinkedBrainz

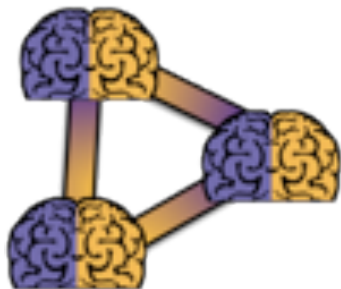


MusicBrainz

- Open source community-driven structured database of music metadata
- Uses proprietary schema to represent data

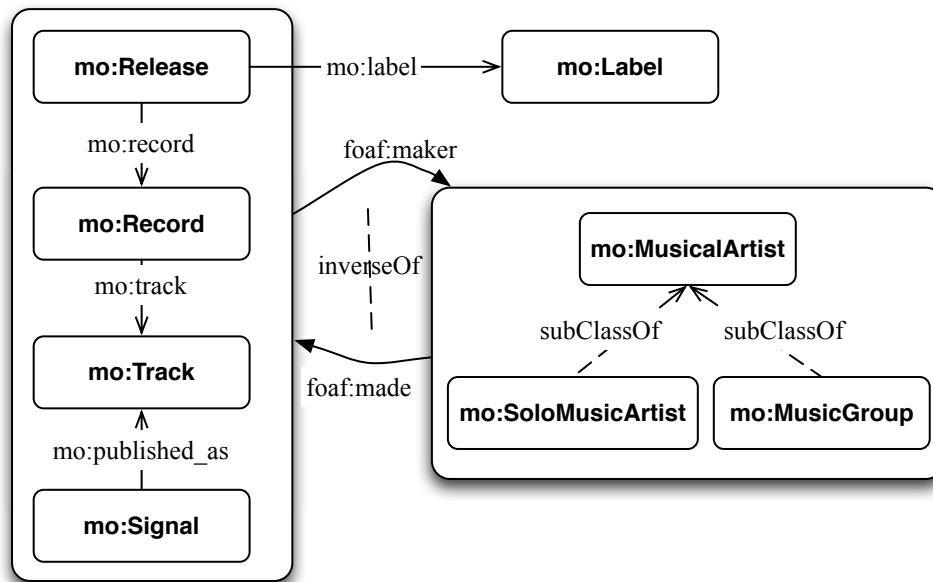


- Built on popular ontologies such as FOAF and FRBR
- Widely used for music data (e.g. BBC Music Site)



LinkedBrainz project provides an RDF mapping from MusicBrainz data to Music Ontology using the D2RQ tool

LinkedBrainz dataset for KGI



Mapping to FRBR/FOAF ontology

| | |
|------|--------------------|
| DOM | rdfs:domain |
| RNG | rdfs:range |
| INV | owl:inverseOf |
| SUB | rdfs:subClassOf |
| RSUB | rdfs:subPropertyOf |
| MUT | owl:disjointWith |

LinkedBrainz experiments

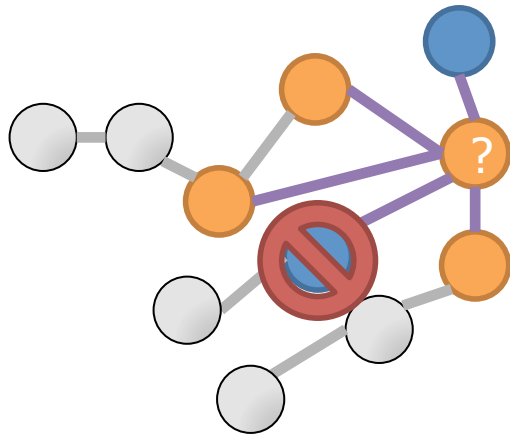
Comparisons:

- Baseline** Use noisy truth values as fact scores
- PSL-EROnly** Only apply rules for **E**ntity **R**esolution
- PSL-OntOnly** Only apply rules for **O**ntological reasoning
- PSL-KGI model** Apply **K**nowledge **G**raph **I**dentification

| | AUC | Precision | Recall | F1 at .5 | Max F1 |
|----------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Baseline | 0.672 | 0.946 | 0.477 | 0.634 | 0.788 |
| PSL-EROnly | 0.797 | 0.953 | 0.558 | 0.703 | 0.831 |
| PSL-OntOnly | 0.753 | 0.964 | 0.605 | 0.743 | 0.832 |
| PSL-KGI | 0.901 | 0.970 | 0.714 | 0.823 | 0.919 |

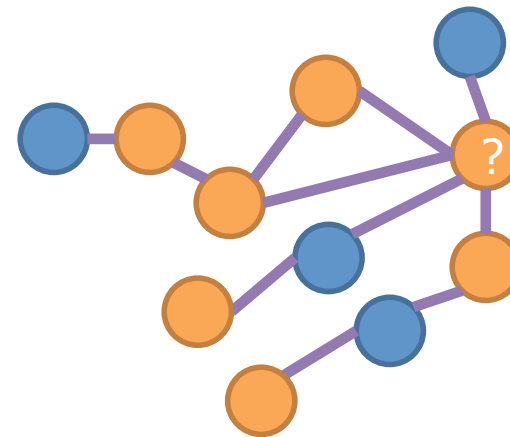
NELL Evaluation: two settings

Target Set: restrict to a subset of KG
(Jiang, ICDM12)



- Closed-world model
- Uses a target set: subset of KG
- Derived from 2-hop neighborhood
- Excludes trivially satisfied variables

Complete: Infer full knowledge graph



- Open-world model
- All possible entities, relations, labels
- Inference assigns truth value to each variable

NELL experiments:

Target Set

Task: Compute truth values of a target set derived from the evaluation data

Comparisons:

Baseline Average confidences of extractors for each fact in the NELL candidates

NELL Evaluate NELL's promotions (on the full knowledge graph)

MLN Method of (Jiang, ICDM12) – estimates marginal probabilities with MC-SAT

PSL-KGI Apply full Knowledge Graph Identification model

Running Time: Inference completes in 10 seconds, values for 25K facts

| | AUC | F1 |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|
| Baseline | .873 | .828 |
| NELL | .765 | .673 |
| MLN (Jiang, 12) | .899 | .836 |
| PSL-KGI | .904 | .853 |

NELL experiments:

Complete knowledge graph

Task: Compute a full knowledge graph from uncertain extractions

Comparisons:

NELL NELL's strategy: ensure ontological consistency with existing KB

PSL-KGI Apply full Knowledge Graph Identification model

Running Time: Inference completes in 130 minutes, producing 4.3M facts

| | AUC | Precision | Recall | F1 |
|---------|------------|------------------|---------------|-----------|
| NELL | 0.765 | 0.801 | 0.477 | 0.634 |
| PSL-KGI | 0.892 | 0.826 | 0.871 | 0.848 |

Conclusion

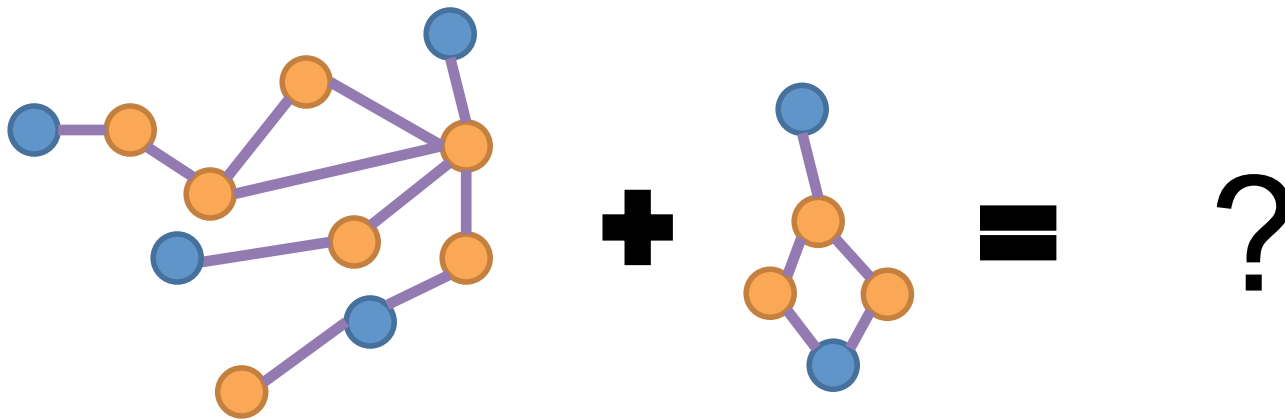
- Knowledge Graph Identification is a powerful technique for producing knowledge graphs from noisy IE system output
- Using PSL we are able to enforce global ontological constraints and capture uncertainty in our model
- Unlike previous work, our approach infers complete knowledge graphs for datasets with millions of extractions

Code available on GitHub:

<https://github.com/linqs/KnowledgeGraphIdentification>

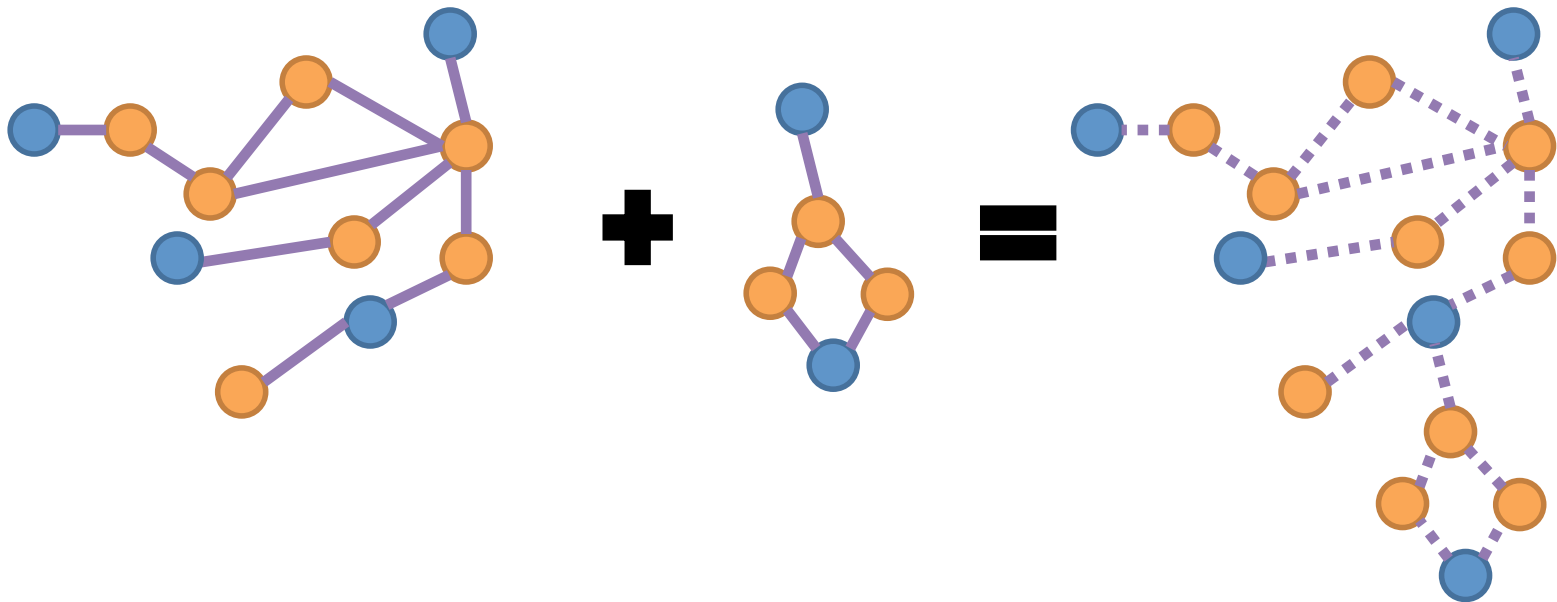
Questions?

Problem: Incremental Updates to KG



How do we add new extractions to the Knowledge Graph?

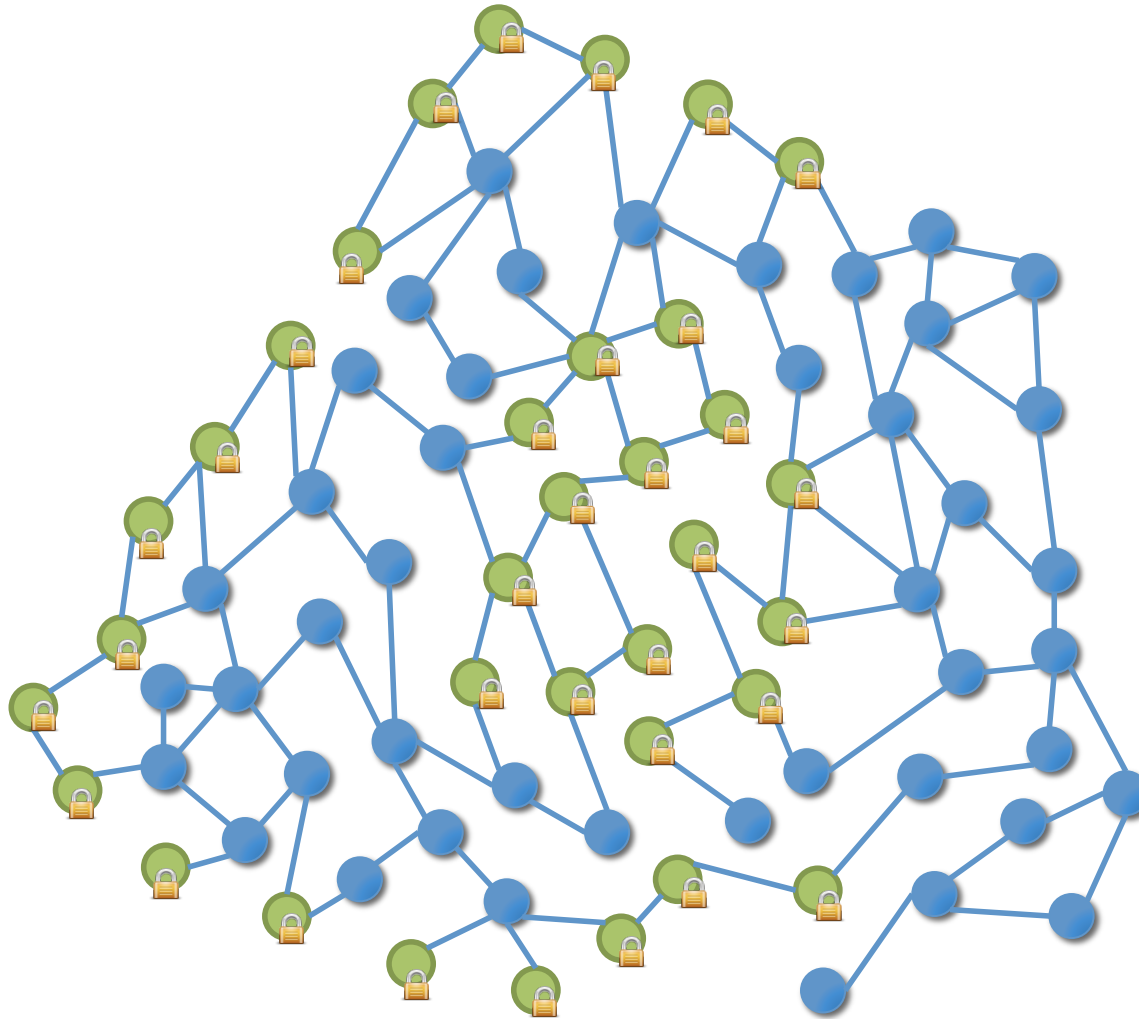
Naïve Approach: Full KGI over extractions



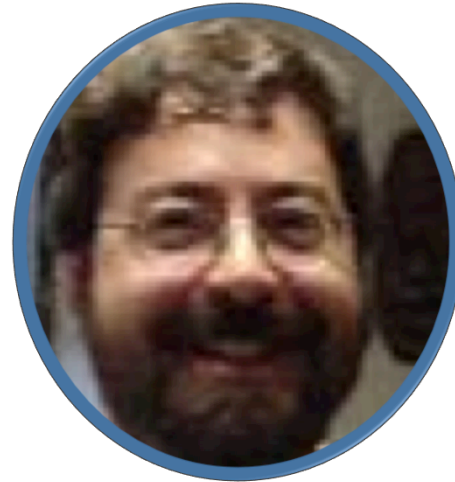
Improving the naïve approach

- **Intuition:** Much of previous KG does not change
- **Online collective inference:**
 - Selectively update the MAP state
 - Bound the *regret* of partial updates
 - Efficiently determine which variables to infer

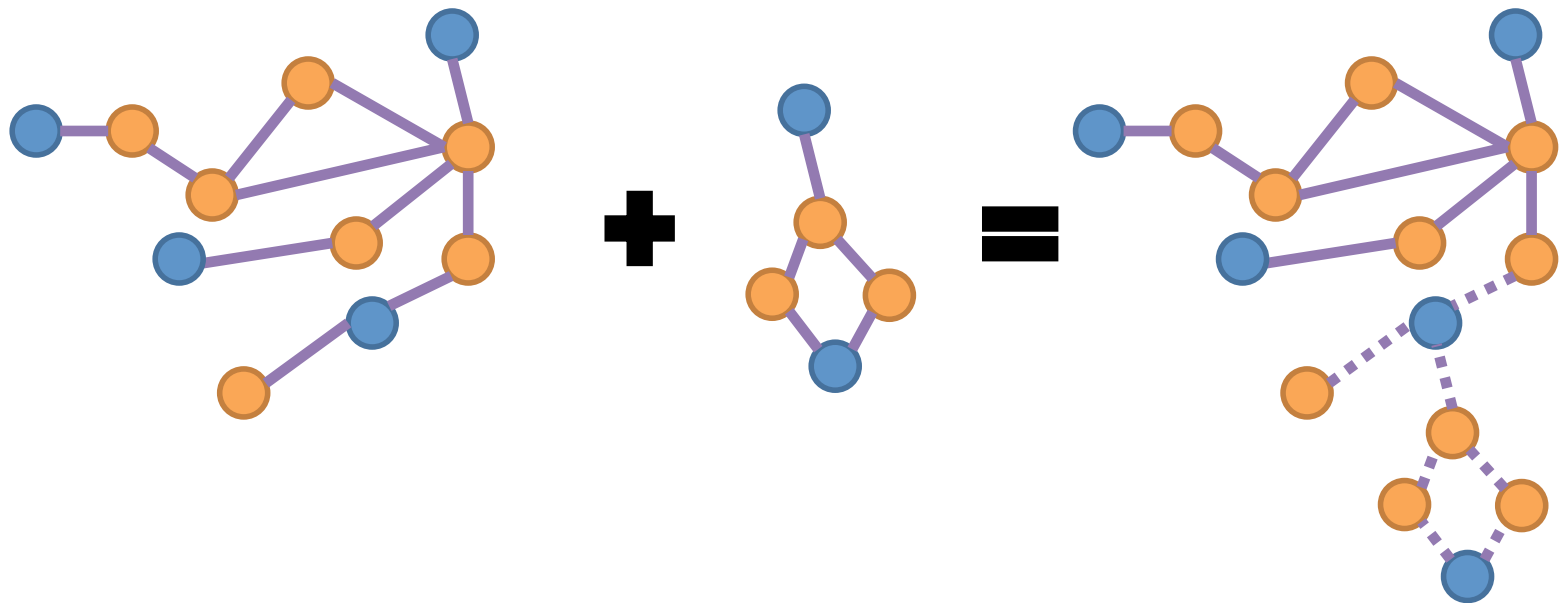
Key Idea: fix some variables, infer others



Key Collaborators



Approximation: KGI over subset of graph



Theory: Bounding Inference Regret

$$\text{Regret} = \|\text{full inference} - \text{partial update}\|$$

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Regret = ||full inference – partial update||

$$\mathcal{R}_n(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}_S; \dot{\mathbf{w}}) \triangleq \frac{1}{n} \|h(\mathbf{x}; \dot{\mathbf{w}}) - h(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}_S; \dot{\mathbf{w}})\|_1$$

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$$\mathfrak{R}_n(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}_S; \dot{\mathbf{w}}) \leq O \left(\sqrt{\frac{B \|\mathbf{w}\|_2}{n \cdot w_p} \|\mathbf{y}_S - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_S\|_1} \right)$$