

# Reasoning in Knowledge Graphs

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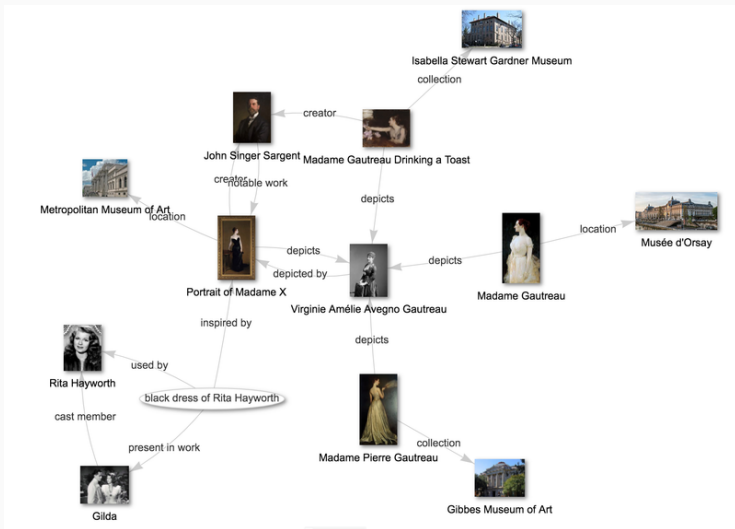
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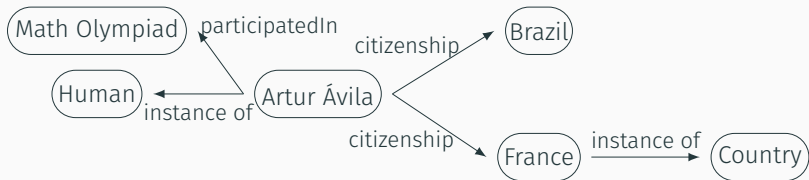
# Knowledge Graphs



Example Wikidata Query knowledge graph showing Portrait of Madame X  
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## KG Components

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## The Same KG in RDF

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```
@prefix rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#> .
```

```
@prefix rdfs: <http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#> .
```

```
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```

```
# 'Artur Avila' 'is a' 'Human'
```

```
:ArturAvila rdf:type :Human .
```

```
# 'Artur Avila' 'has country of citizenship' 'France'
```

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```

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# 'Artur Avila' 'has country of citizenship' 'Brazil'
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```
# 'France' 'is a' 'Country'
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:France rdf:type :Country .
```

```
# 'Artur Avila' 'participated in' 'Math Olympiad'
```

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## Question!

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What do you think when you you hear/read “Reasoning in KGs”?

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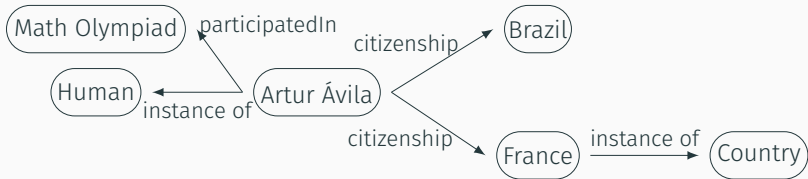
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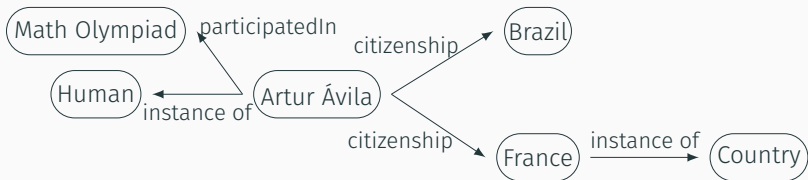
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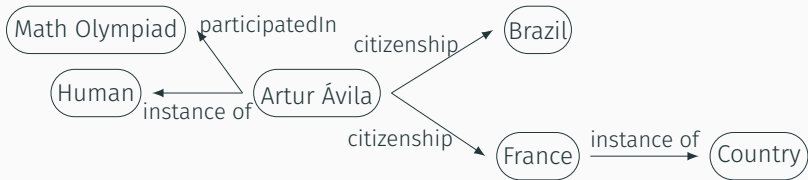
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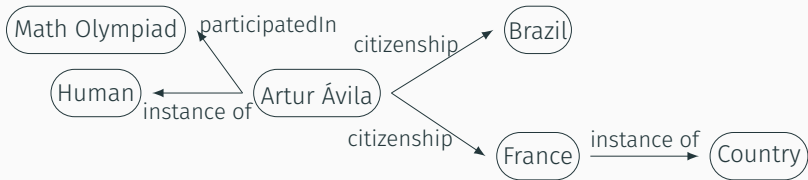
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- Uses: explanations, repairs

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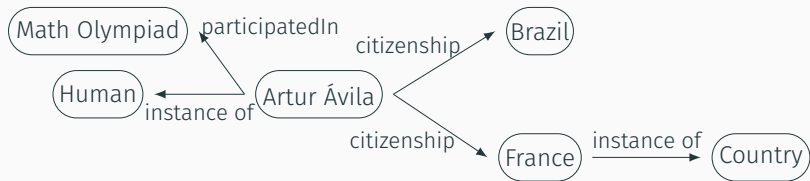
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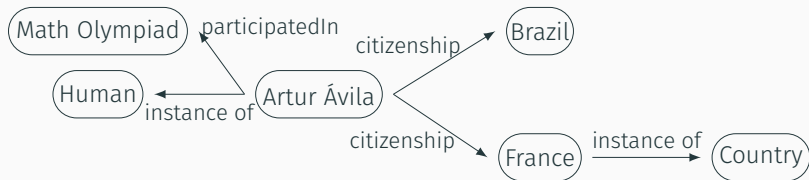
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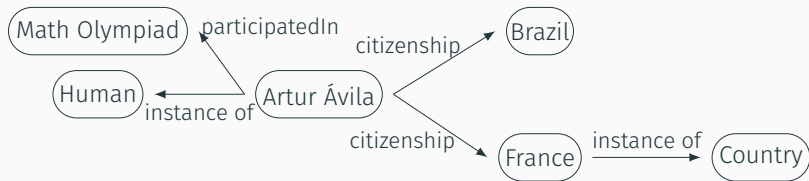
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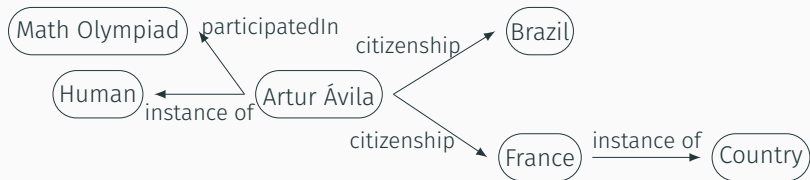
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## Some Reasoning Approaches in KG

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### Deductive

- RDFS
- Description Logics
- Datalog

### Inductive

- KG Embeddings
- Rule Mining
- Graph Neural Networks

# RDFS

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- Use this semantics to derive new triples

## Rule: rdfs11

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Class hierarchy

```
:Mathematician rdfs:subClassOf :Human .  
:Human rdfs:subClassOf :Mammal .
```

⇒

```
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## Rule: rdfs9

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Property hierarchy

```
:teachesAt rdfs:subPropertyOf :worksAt .  
:worksAt rdfs:subPropertyOf :affiliatedWith .
```

## Rule: rdfs5

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## Rule: rdfs7

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Subproperty in the predicate, implies triple with superproperty

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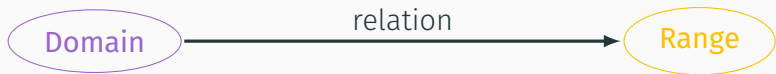
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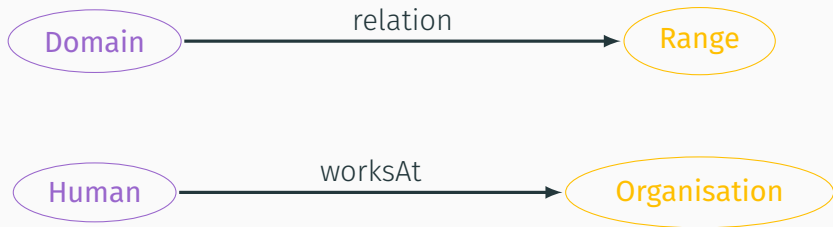
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## Rule: rdfs2

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From the domain, we get the type

```
:worksAt rdfs:domain :Human .  
:artur :worksAt :universitat_zurich .
```

⇒

```
:artur rdf:type :Human .
```

## Rule: rdfs3

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From the range, we get the type

```
:teachesAt rdfs:range :Organisation .  
:artur :worksAt :universitat_zurich .
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```

⇒

```
:universitat_zurich rdf:type :Organisation .
```

## RDFS Entailment Example

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```
1 :requires rdfs:domain :Food .
2 :hasIngredient rdfs:subPropertyOf :requires .
3 :Pasta rdfs:subClassOf :Food .
4 :lasagna rdf:type :Pasta .
5 :lasagna :hasIngredient :wheat .
6 :lasagna :hasIngredient :water .
7 :wheat rdf:type :Plant .
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# Yes!

```
:Pasta rdfs:subClassOf :Food # (3)
:lasagne rdf:type :Pasta # (4)
:lasagne rdf:type :Food # (rdfs9) on (3, 4)
```

## RDFS Question

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Which of these triples the KG entails?

```
:hamburguer rdf:type :Food .
:wheat rdf:type :Food .
```



## Answer Part 1

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```
# Yes!  
:hasIngredient rdfs:subPropertyOf :requires # line 2  
:hamburguer :hasIngredient :ground_meat . # line 8  
:hamburguer :requires :ground_meat . # [T1] (rdfs7) on (2, 8)  
:requires rdfs:domain :Food . # line 1  
:hamburguer rdf:type :Food . # (rdfs2) on (1, [T1])
```

## Answer Part 2

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It is not possible to derive that. The information is not asserted and the only triple with **wheat** uses the property **hasIngredient** which has no domain.

## RDFS Take away

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- Simple but effective
- There are other important details (check the specification)
- OWL and SHACL: more power

## Question Time: RDFS Question

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- Query language
- Deductive Databases
- Modern applications: Ontology-Based Data Access, KGs (Rule Engines)
- Very efficient

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## Datalog: Signature

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**Constants:** *ArturAvila, PaulErdos*

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**Predicates:** *Lecturer/1, WorksAt/2*

## Datalog: Atoms and Facts

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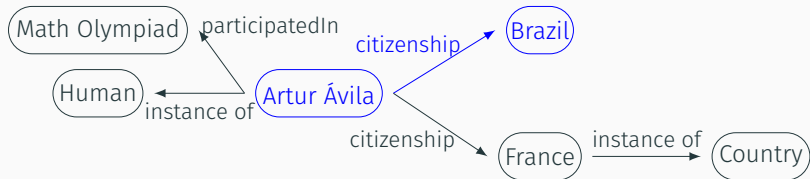
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*Facts* are atoms without variables

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- *CapitalOf*(Oslo, Norway)

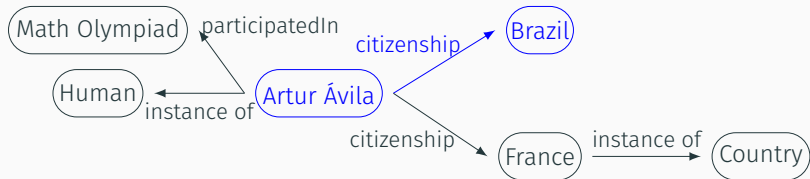
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*Citizenship*(ArturAvila, Brazil)



## Datalog: Rules

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- $\underbrace{\text{Worker}(x) \leftarrow \text{Lecturer}(x)}_{\text{Every lecturer is a worker}}$

- $\underbrace{\text{CoAuthor}(x, y) \leftarrow \text{CoAuthor}(y, x)}_{\text{coauthorship is symmetrical}}$

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## Datalog: Inference

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- 1 Start from the facts
- 2 Apply rules to the facts
- 3 Repeat until no new facts are produced



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$HasErdosNumber(x) \leftarrow HasErdosNumber(y), CoAuthor(x, y). \quad (R1)$

$CoAuthor(x, y) \leftarrow CoAuthor(y, x). \quad (R2)$

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**Negation:**  $\neg Duck(x) \leftarrow Human(x)$

**Existential Quantification:**  $\exists WorksAt(x, y) \leftarrow Worker(x)$

**Time:**  $Arrived(x, t + 1) \leftarrow InTransit(x, t)$

$Human(x) \leftarrow Scientist(x)$

$\perp \leftarrow Scientist(x), Company(x)$

$\exists teachesAt(x, y), University(y) \leftarrow Lecturer(x)$



# Description Logics

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## Description Logics (DLs)

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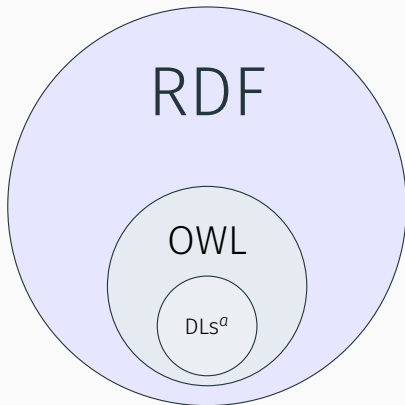
- Family of logic-based formalisms
- Goal: Knowledge Representation
- Usually fragments of FOL
- Usually tailored to control the computational complexity of different reasoning problems

## RDF, OWL, and DLs

**RDF:** Describe data using graphs

**OWL:** Describe classes and properties using ontologies

**DLs:** Logical underpinning of OWL



<sup>a</sup>in general

## Signature

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In OWL, we have:

- Classes as concepts
- Properties as roles
- (Named) Individuals as individual names

## $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ : A very simple DL

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- Each DL offers different ways to combine concepts
- With concepts one can write **axioms** that work similar to rules or constraints
- $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$  is a very simple, efficient and important DL

## $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ : Everything and Nothing

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We can represent:

Everything:

`owl:Thing`

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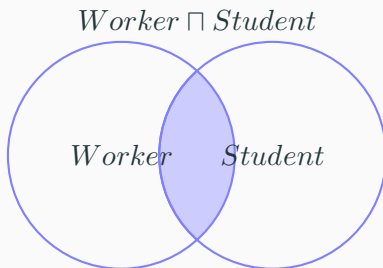
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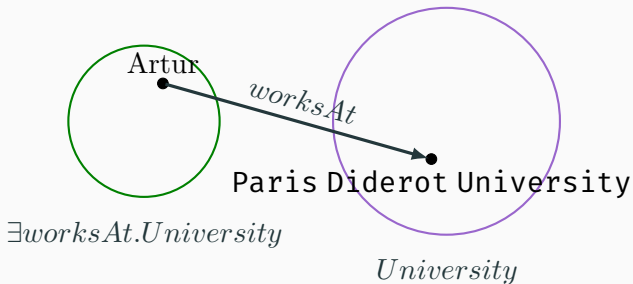
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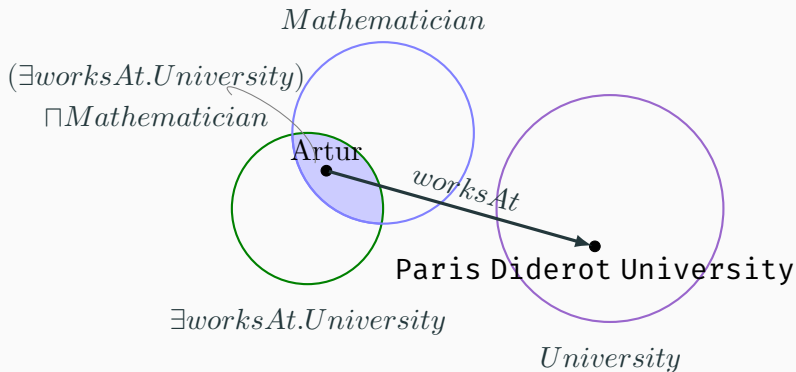


worksAt **some** University



## $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ : Combining Constructors

(worksAt some University) and Mathematician

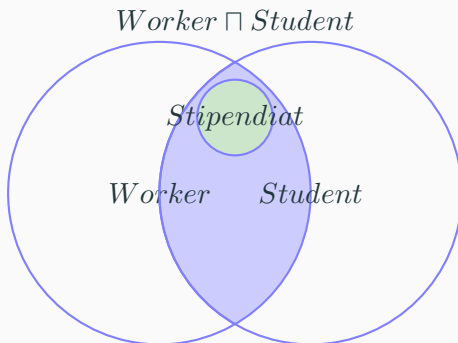


## $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ : Concept Inclusions

**Class:** Stipendiat

**SubClassOf:** Worker **and** Student

$Stipendiat \sqsubseteq Worker \sqcap Student$

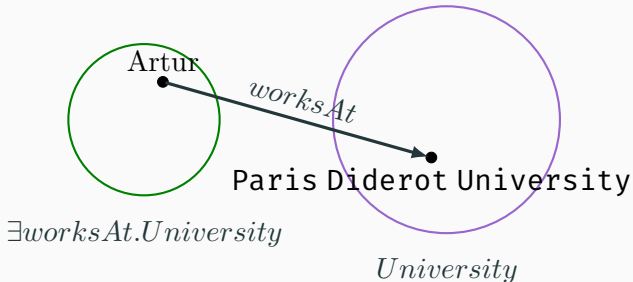


## $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ : Concept Assertions

**Individual:** ParisDiderotUniversity

**Types:** University

*University*(ParisDiderotUniv)

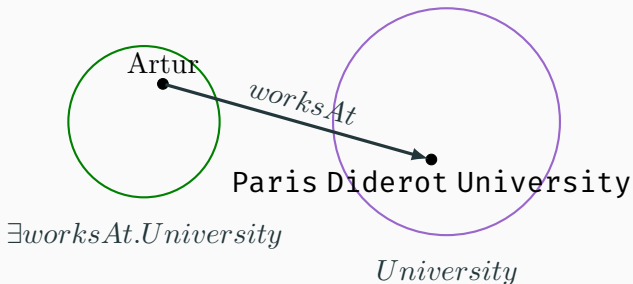


## $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ : Role Assertions

**Individual:** Artur

**Facts:** worksAt ParisDiderotUniv

*University*(ParisDiderotUniv)



### Question

Which properly describes “human parents must have a human child”?

1  $Parent \sqsubseteq Human \sqcap \exists hasChild.Human$

2  $Human \sqcap Parent \sqsubseteq Human \sqcap \exists hasChild.\top$

3  $Human \sqcap Parent \sqsubseteq \exists hasChild.Human$

## Question Time: $\mathcal{E}\mathcal{L}^\perp$

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## Reasoning Problems in DLs

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**Classification:** Which concept names imply which?

**Concept Satisfiability:** Is a concept name equivalent to  $\perp$ ?

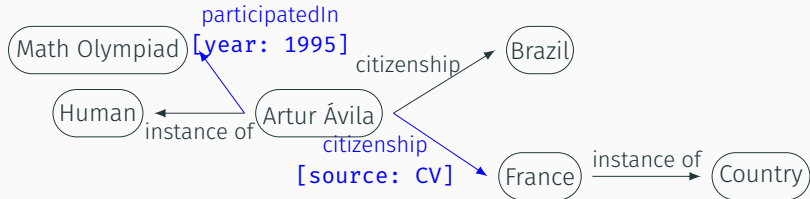
**Instance Checking:** Does an individual belong to a concept?

**Inconsistency Checking:** Does my ontology have an interpretation?

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## What About Annotations?



## Attributed DLs

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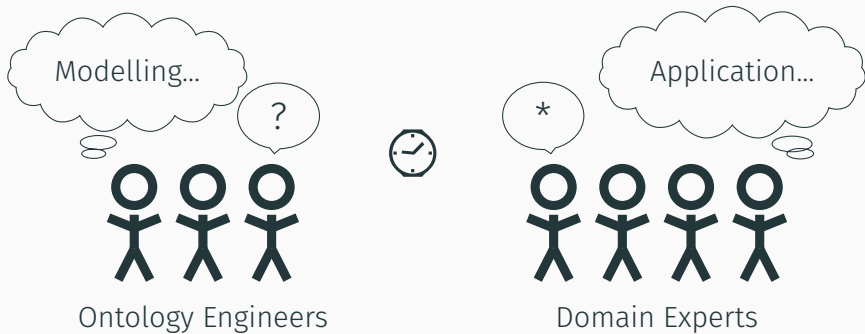
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 $\exists \textit{educatedAt}@[\textit{reference} : X.\textit{reference}].\textit{University}$   
(Those with a PhD with a “source”, must have been educated at some university according to the same “source”)

# Rule Extraction

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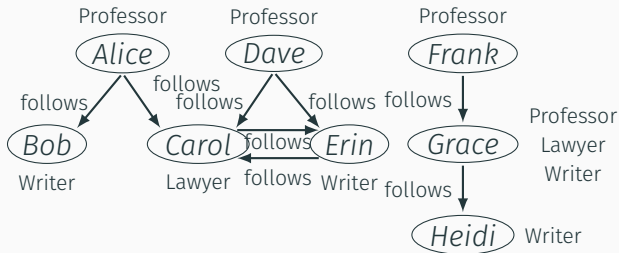
## Building Ontologies: a Challenge



Formal Concept Analysis (FCA) : theoretical guarantees

Association Rule Mining (ARM) : performance

# Mining $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$ Ontologies from Knowledge Graphs





**Attributes:** A set of concept expressions (e.g.  $\exists follows.Lawyer$ )

**CIs:** An  $\mathcal{EL}^\perp$  formula (e.g.  $Professor \sqsubseteq \exists follows.Lawyer$ )

**Base:** A set of CIs (e.g.

$\{Professor \sqsubseteq \exists follows.Lawyer, Lawyer \sqcap \exists follows.\top, \dots\}$ ).

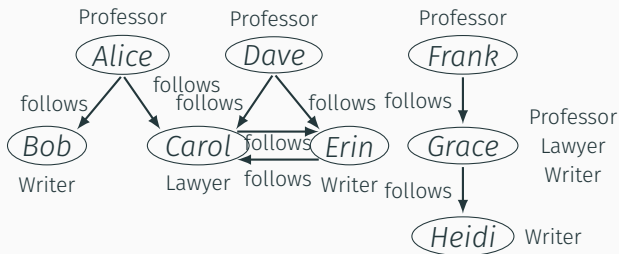
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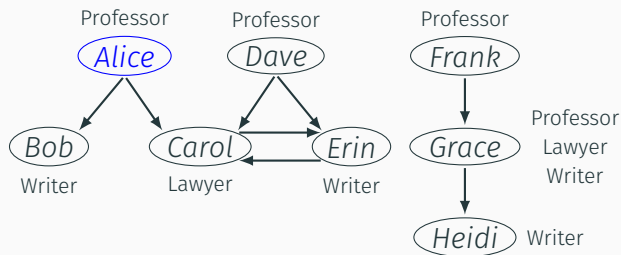
Maximum nesting of  $\exists$ :

Concept	Role Depth
<i>Person</i>	0
<i>Doctor</i> $\sqcap$ <i>Professor</i>	0
$\exists worksAt.Hospital$	1
$(\exists worksAt.Hospital) \sqcap (\exists hasChild.\top)$	1
$\exists knows(Doctor \sqcap \exists hasChild.\top)$	2

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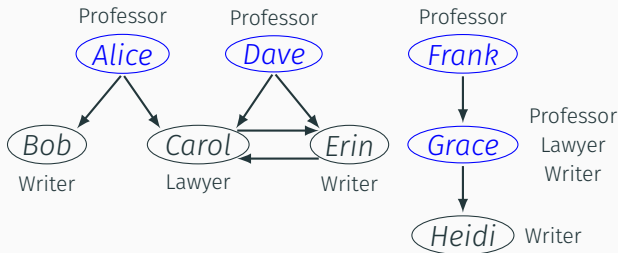
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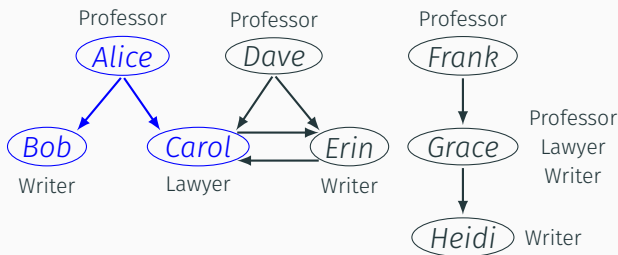
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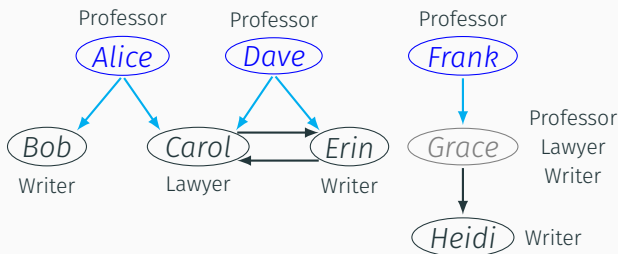
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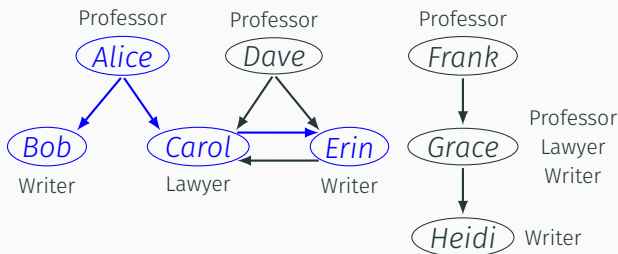
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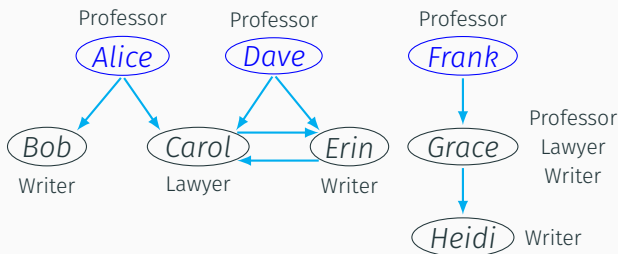
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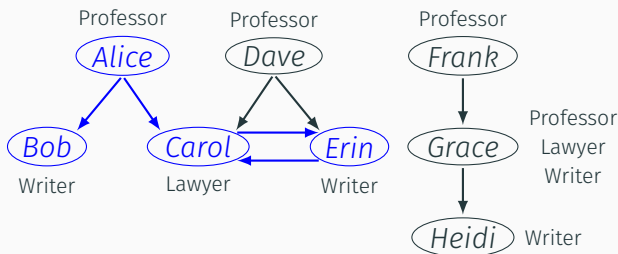


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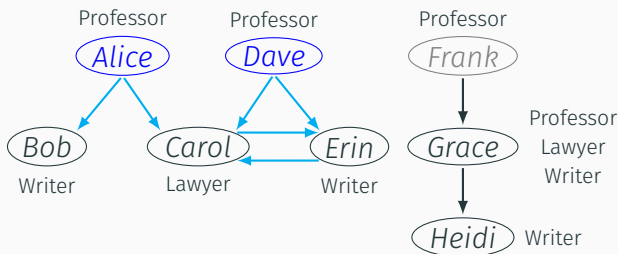
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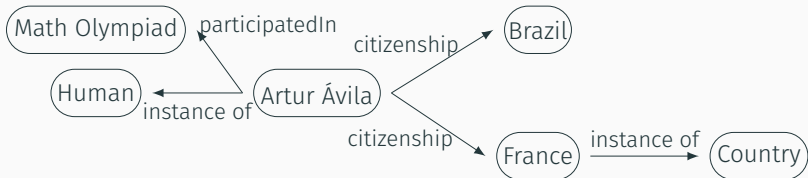
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## Exercise: MMSC



What is the MMSC for “Artur Avila” with depth 2?

- (A)  $Human \sqcap \exists participatedIn. \top \sqcap \exists citizenship. Country$
- (B)  $\exists instanceOf. Human \sqcap \exists participatedIn. MathOlympiad \sqcap \exists citizenship. Brazil \exists citizenship. (France \sqcap \exists instanceOf. Country)$

## Question Time: MMSC

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Special concepts:

$$\Lambda_{\mathcal{J}} = \left\{ \prod U \mid U \subseteq M_{\mathcal{J}} \right\}$$

For instance,  $Person \sqcap \exists \text{knows.mmisc}(\{Alice, Bob\}, \mathcal{J}, d) \in \Lambda_{\mathcal{J}}$

## Assembling the Ontology

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- Naïve idea: check for each pair of attributes  $C, D$  if  $\mathcal{J} \models C \sqsubseteq D$
- Ideally obtain a non-redundant one
- Drawbacks of FCA strategy: many attributes and sensitivity to noise



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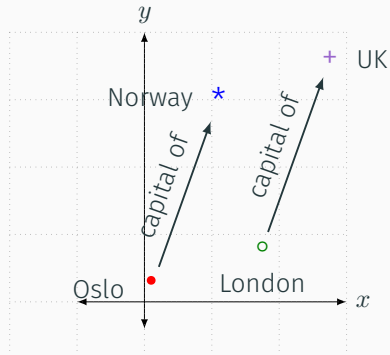
# Representation Learning

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- Subarea of Machine Learning
- Automatically build representations for data
- Reason with the representation
- Preserve and reveal patterns

# Vector Space Models

- Represent things as “vectors”
- Space:  $\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{C}^n$
- Word embeddings, graph embeddings, ...



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## KGE Design Goals

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- Computational performance
- Full expressivity: can always find a way to separate true from false triples (given suitable data)
- Represent relation patterns (inverse, symmetry/anti-symmetry, composition)
- Sometimes we also want to express ontological constraints (e.g. concept and role hierarchies)

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- Set of all (possible) entities with a legal embedding:  $\mathcal{E}^*$

## Basic Components of a KG Embedding Model

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- Embedding space(s) ( $\mathbb{S}_{\mathcal{E}}, \mathbb{S}_{\mathcal{R}}$ )
- Energy/score function (emb)
- Loss function (loss)
- Optimisation algorithm
- False triple generation

## Energy Functions

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- Measure how much a triple “looks” correct
- Higher energy  $\leadsto$  less likely to be true
- Many different types of energy function
- Ideally:

$$f(h, r, t) \begin{cases} \text{low} & \text{if } (h, r, t) \in \mathcal{W} \\ \text{high} & \text{if } (h, r, t) \notin \mathcal{W} \end{cases}$$

Which KGE models do you know?

## Types of KGE Models

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**Fact-Based:** KGs as pure triples

**Translation-based:** TransE, TransD, RotatE

**Tensor Factorisation:** RESCAL, DistMult, ComplEx

**Neural Networks:** R-GCNs, ConvE, ConvKB

**Description-Based:** Triples with extra information

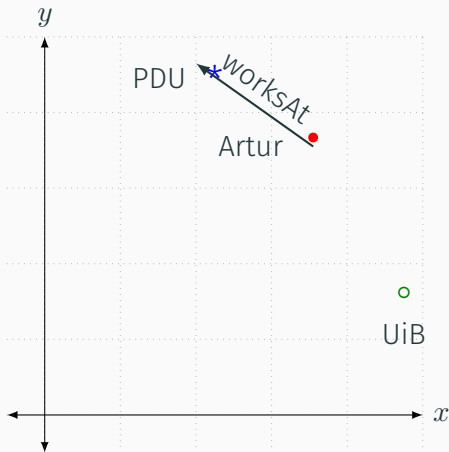
**Text-based:** TKRL

**Path-based:** PTransE

**Others:** temporal, provenance, types

## Example of Energy Function: TransE [Bor+13]

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## Loss Function

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- The actual function that will be optimised
- Idea: penalise low scores for true triples and high scores for false triples
- Many possible types: margin-based, cross-entropy and variants

## Negative Examples with Incomplete Data

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- Most KGs are incomplete
- Open World Assumption
- How do we sample  $\mathcal{W}^c$ ?

## Corrupting Triples

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$$\text{corrupt}(h, r, t) = \{(h, r, t') \mid t' \in \mathcal{E} \text{ and } (h, r, t') \notin \mathcal{K}\} \cup \\ \{(h', r, t) \mid h' \in \mathcal{E} \text{ and } (h', r, t) \notin \mathcal{K}\}$$

$$\mathcal{K}^c = \bigcup_{(h,r,t) \in \mathcal{K}} \text{corrupt}(h, r, t)$$

## Corrupted Triples: Example

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$$\mathcal{E} = \{Alice, Bob, Bergen, UiB, Google\}$$

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## Example of Loss Function: TransE [Bor+13]

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$$\text{loss} = \sum_{(h,r,t) \in \mathcal{K}} \sum_{(h',r',t') \in \mathcal{K}^c} \max(\gamma + f(h', r', t') - f(h, r, t), 0)$$



## Full Expressivity [FRP19]

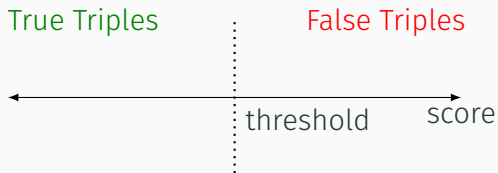
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A model is fully expressive if given any assignment of truth values to all triples, there exists an assignment of values to the embeddings of the entities and relations that accurately separates  $\mathcal{W}$  from  $\mathcal{W}^c$  using model's score function.

## Full Expressivity: Illustration

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You can always find a threshold such that:



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$$T^+ = \{(Alice, friends, Bob), (Bob, friends, Alice)\}$$

$$T^- = \{(Alice, friends, Alice), (Bob, friends, Bob)\}$$

$$\mathbf{friends} \rightsquigarrow \vec{0}$$

## TransE: Weaknesses

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- Symmetric relations
- 1-N, N-1 and N-N relations

## KG Embedding: Research Directions

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- Temporal KGEs
- Handle type hierarchy
- Incorporate constraints (e.g. subproperty)

# KGE and Rule Mining

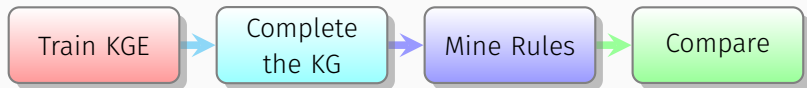
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## What rules can we learn (mine) with KGEs?

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- Can we mine new rules by completion KGs?
- Is the choice of KGE model important?
- Does the performance on KG completion matter?



### TransE

- Translational
- Simple
- Issues with symmetric and non 1 to 1 relations

### DistMult

- Tensor Factorisation
- Simple
- Issues with asymmetric relations

### Complex

- Tensor Factorisation
- Needs more parameters than DistMult
- Can handle more “patterns”

- Extract rules similar to Datalog rules
- Many heuristics and optimisations to navigate all possible rules
- Search guided by metrics:

**Head Coverage:** proportion of instantions of the read correctly predicted

**PCA Confidence:** proportion of correct and incorrect predictions, adjusted due to KG incompleteness

### WN18RR

- Classical dataset (WordNet)
- Restricted version (6 relations)
- $\geq 88k$  triples

### Family KG

- Based on Wikidata5M
- Restricted version (6 relations)
- $\approx 250k$  triples

## Question Time: KG Completion

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Which model you think was the best on the completion task?

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## KG Completion Evaluation: WN18RR

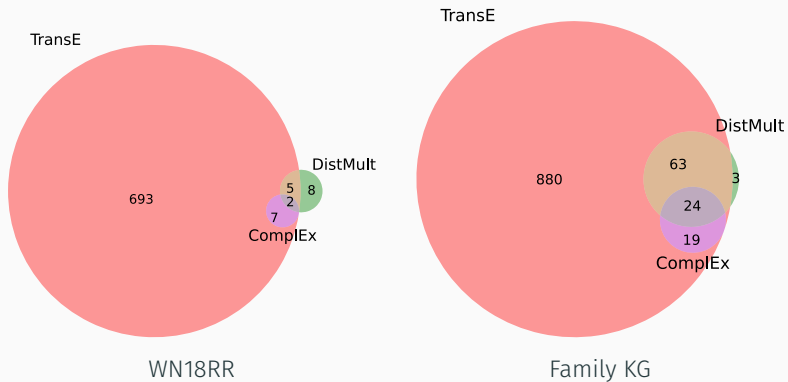
Dataset	WN18RR KG				
Model	MR	MRR	Hits@K		
			1	3	10
Random	495.32	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01
TransE	<b>34.29</b>	0.60	0.51	<b>0.66</b>	<b>0.76</b>
DistMult	152.37	<b>0.62</b>	<b>0.59</b>	0.63	0.66
ComplEx	139.36	0.59	0.57	0.60	0.63

## KG Completion Evaluation: Family KG

Dataset		Family KG			
Model	MR	MRR	Hits@K		
			1	3	10
Random	498.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10
TransE	<b>2.59</b>	0.93	0.88	0.97	<b>0.99</b>
DistMult	7.45	0.98	<b>0.99</b>	<b>0.99</b>	<b>0.99</b>
ComplEx	4.64	<b>0.99</b>	0.98	<b>0.99</b>	<b>0.99</b>



# Number of Rules



## Question Time: Best Rules

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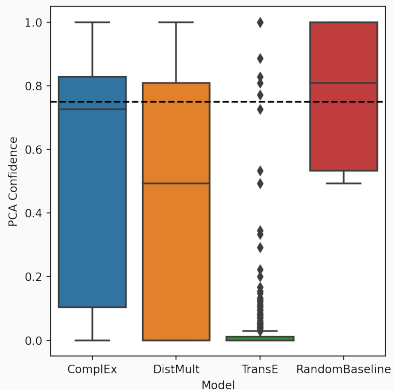
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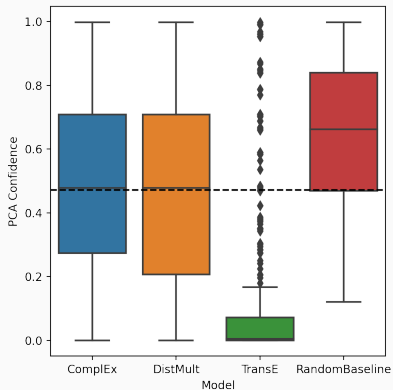
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# PCA Confidence Results



(a) Original WN18RR KG



(b) Original family KG

## Some (Bad) TransE-only Rules

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- $spouse(x, y) \Rightarrow father(x, y)$
- $child(z, x) \wedge mother(z, y) \Rightarrow spouse(x, y)$
- $spouse(x, y) \Rightarrow child(x, y)$

TransE: many bad rules (very low PCA Confidence on the original data)

Random Baseline: Did not learn new rules

## Examples of Plausible New Rules

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- $father(x, y) \wedge mother(x, y) \Rightarrow child(x, y)$
- $relative(z, y) \wedge spouse(x, z) \Rightarrow relative(x, y)$

## What happened with TransE?

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- Many symmetric relations in both datasets
- As expected, they collapsed to the null vector

## Take-home Messages

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- KG Completion may increase the number of rules learned
- The KGE model affects the rules mined significantly
- What about the other way around?

## Concluding Remarks

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# Recap

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- Reasoning
- Deductive: RDFS, Datalog and DLs
- Inductive: FCA, Rule Mining and KGEs

## Concluding Remarks

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- Many different forms and approaches to reasoning
- A tool for each job
- Still in search of the “Holy Grail”
- There is much more to it still (some you will see in the research school!)
- Active area: combining deductive and inductive approaches

Thank you!

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Questions?

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