

# Teaching Modeling and Variability in Software Design and its Importance to Science

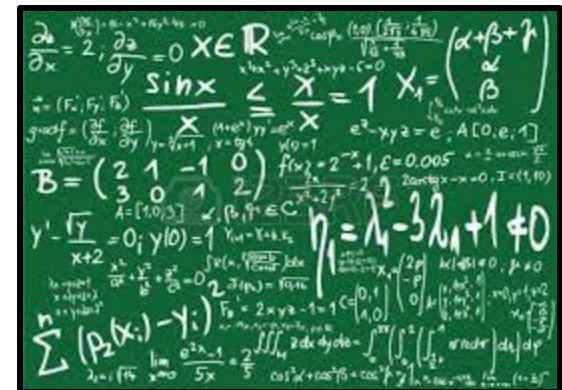
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# Overture

- My work is in **automated software design (ASD)**
  - my interests: **software product lines (SPLs)**, **model driven engineering (MDE)**, refactoring
  - background in systems, **not** formal methods
  - flavor of my work is to use mathematics to explain what I have observed and done in practice



from practice  
→  
to theory



# Heard Lectures by



Jay Misra



Tony Hoare



Ric Hehner

- Their work is to find algebraic laws of programming (esp. concurrency)
- My approach to software automation has this flavor (physics), but is not as formal
  - geared more toward practicing engineers
  - does not preclude others with stronger formal backgrounds to follow up

# Recent Lectures by



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# Introduction

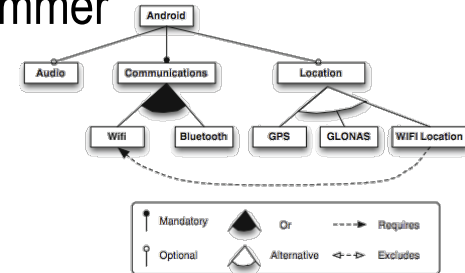
- I teach undergraduate and graduate software design courses
- Goal is not JUST to present software design as:
  - a collection of best practice techniques and tools to create understandable and cost-effective designs, but also
  - a foundation to explain classical and revolutionary concepts in last 25 years



**Model Driven Engineering**  
**Refactorings**  
**Design Patterns**  
**Parallel Architectures**  
**Product Lines**

# Motivation #1 For This Talk

- I attended Software Product Line Conference in Nashville last summer
- Listened to a keynote of a founder of that Conference Series
- History and motivation behind the creation of SPLC



- Software Reuse Conference lacked a focus on practical, cost-effective technology

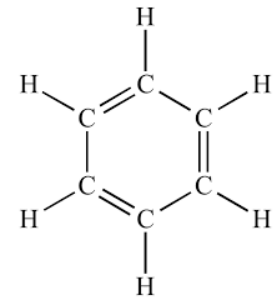


- and “we didn’t have to worry about math”



# Not Surprising

- Historically w.r.t. science, I think Software Design is ~1880s



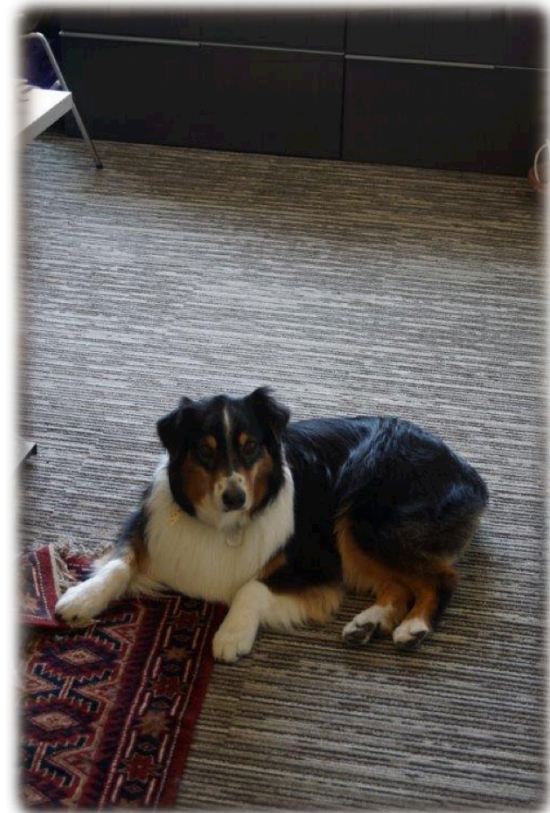
- Practice as an art dominated in chemistry
- Against the tide of the history of science

**In practice, there is no difference  
between theory and practice.**

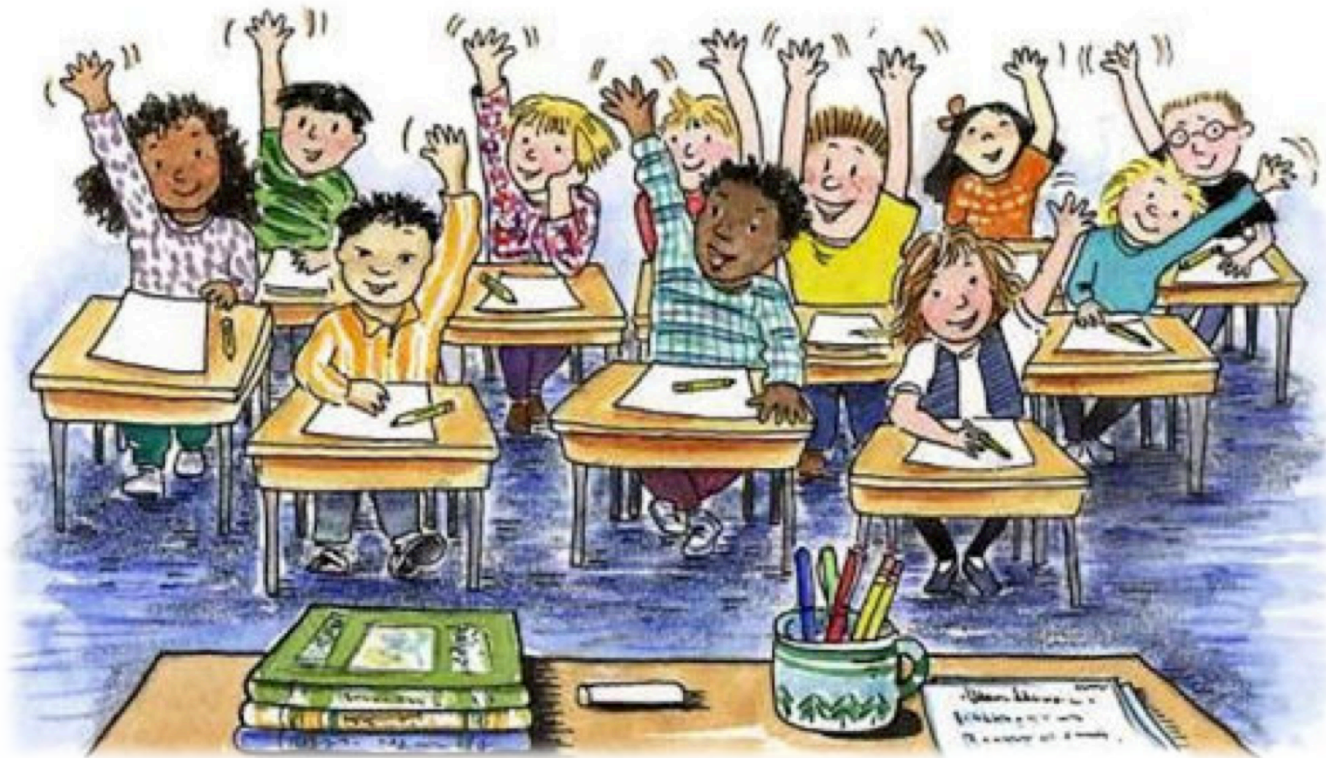
**In theory, there is.**

# The Difference is Obvious

- View Software Design from reductionist and mathematical perspective
- Only if you're in the right place
- At the right time
- Looking in the right direction
- You'll discover something beautiful







# A Starting Point to Teach Modern Software Design

# Basic Mathematics

- Addition and subtraction of **numbers**

identity	$A+0=A$
commutativity	$A+B=B+A$
associativity	$A+(B+C)=(A+B)+C$

- Some operations (multiplication) distribute over addition

$$R \cdot (G+H) = R \cdot G + R \cdot H$$

- Functions

$$F: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

not in this  
talk...

# Dreaded Homework Assignments

- Are these expressions equal?

$$x^2 + 5 \cdot x + 6 = (x+3) \cdot (x+2)$$

- Obviously no! They are different

- We were taught to apply a series of identities replace equals with equals to prove their semantic equality or not

$$(x+3) \cdot (x+2)$$

$$= (x+3) \cdot x + (x+3) \cdot 2$$

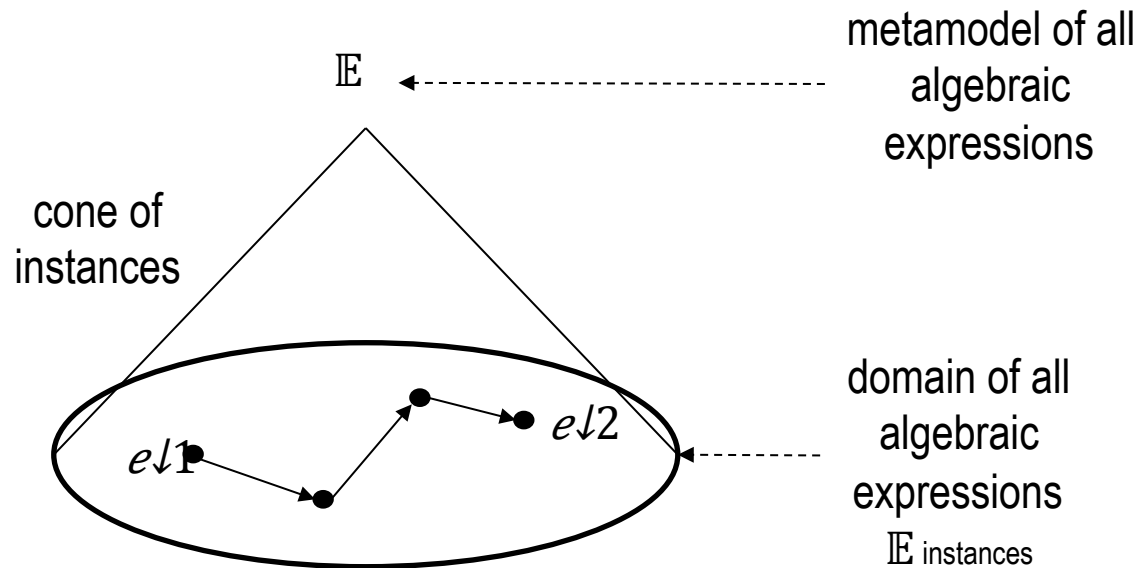
$$= x^2 + 3 \cdot x + 2 \cdot x + 6$$

$$= x^2 + 5 \cdot x + 6$$



# MDE Cosmic View

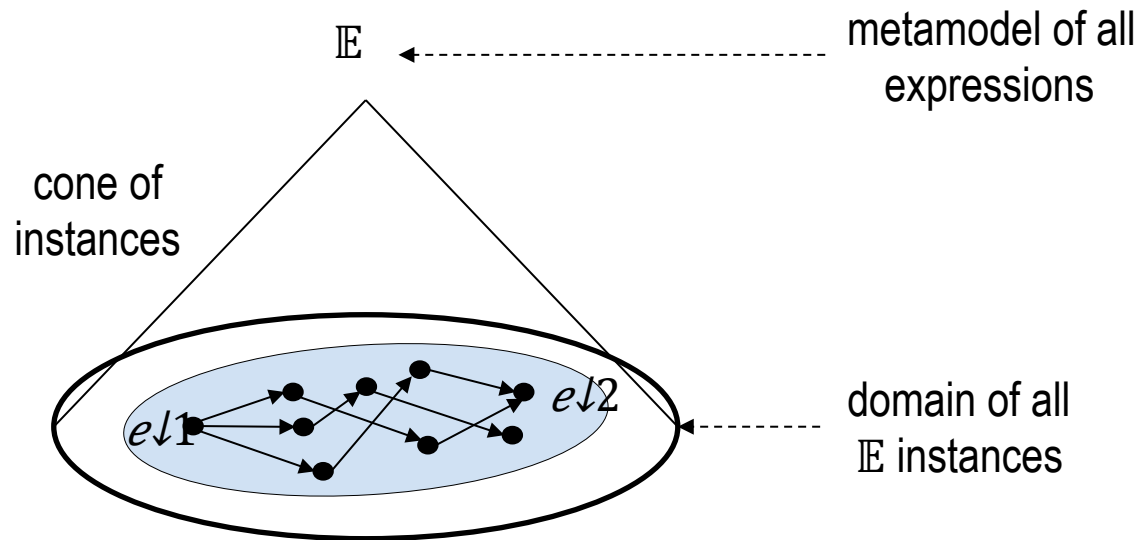
- We have a domain of algebraic expressions defined by metamodel  $\mathbb{E}$



- We have 2 elements: expressions  $e\downarrow 1$  and  $e\downarrow 2$
- Is there a path **proof** between  $e\downarrow 1$  and  $e\downarrow 2$  using arrows **identities** that transforms  $e\downarrow 1$  into  $e\downarrow 2$  ?

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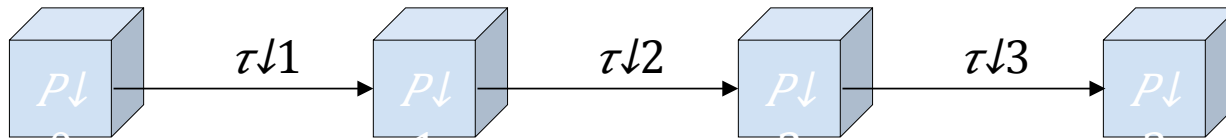
- Of course, there can be many paths derivations
- Can derive a large number of semantically equivalent expressions



- Yields a subdomain of “equivalent expressions”
- **A common source of variability in mathematics** that we don't think about
- You might say some expressions are better than others. More later...

# Incremental Software Design

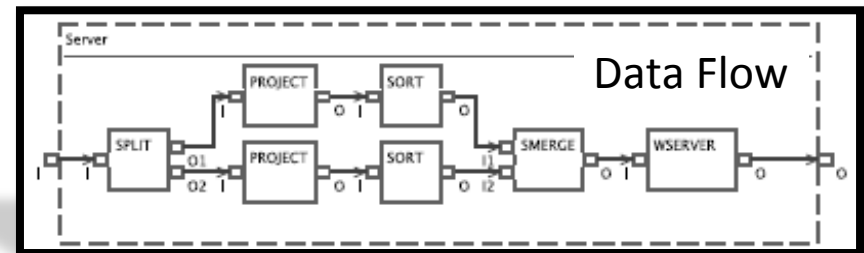
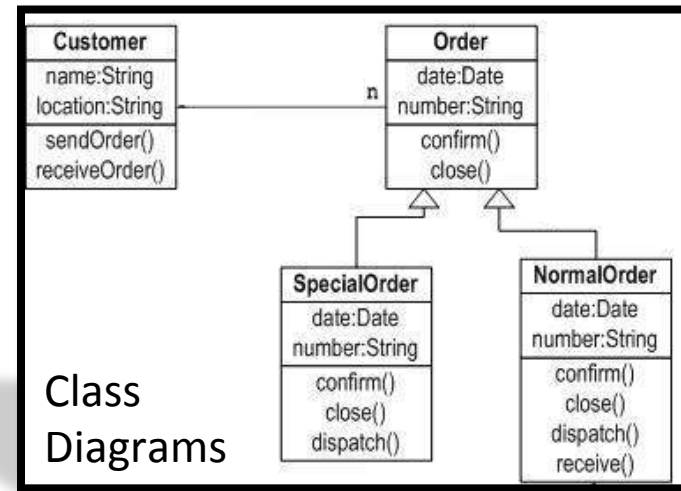
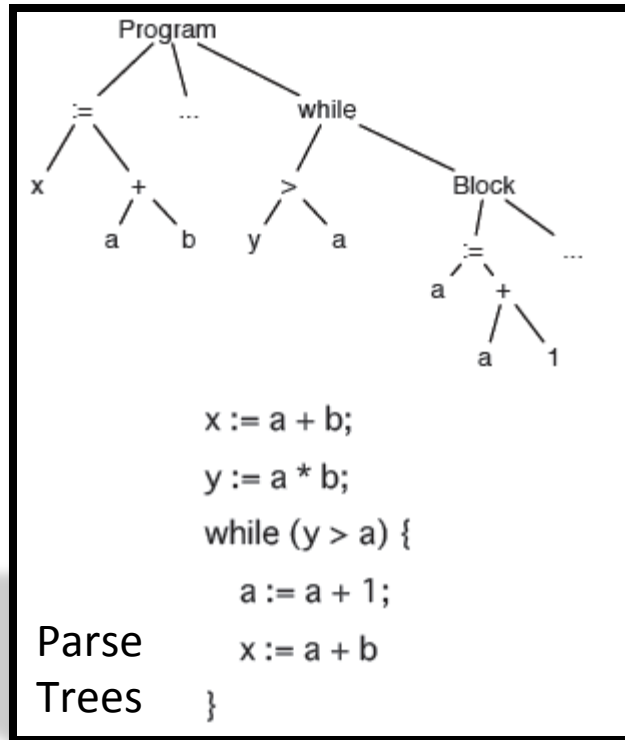
- Is a classical way to control software complexity



- Hallmark of Agile approaches, like XP
- Goal of **Automated Software Design** is to automate all or some the common arrows/transformations of software design
  - “all” is more likely in domain-specific applications
  - “some” expected in generic applications, like refactorings

# Automated Software Design

- Programs are graphs



## Foundations of Today's MDE

# Automated Software Design

- Deals with the addition and subtraction of **graphs**, not numbers, w. similar properties

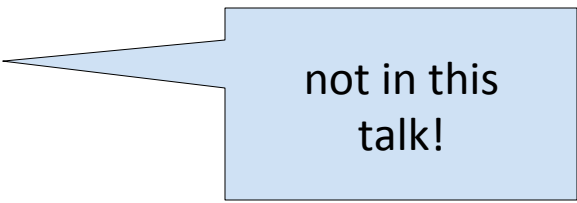
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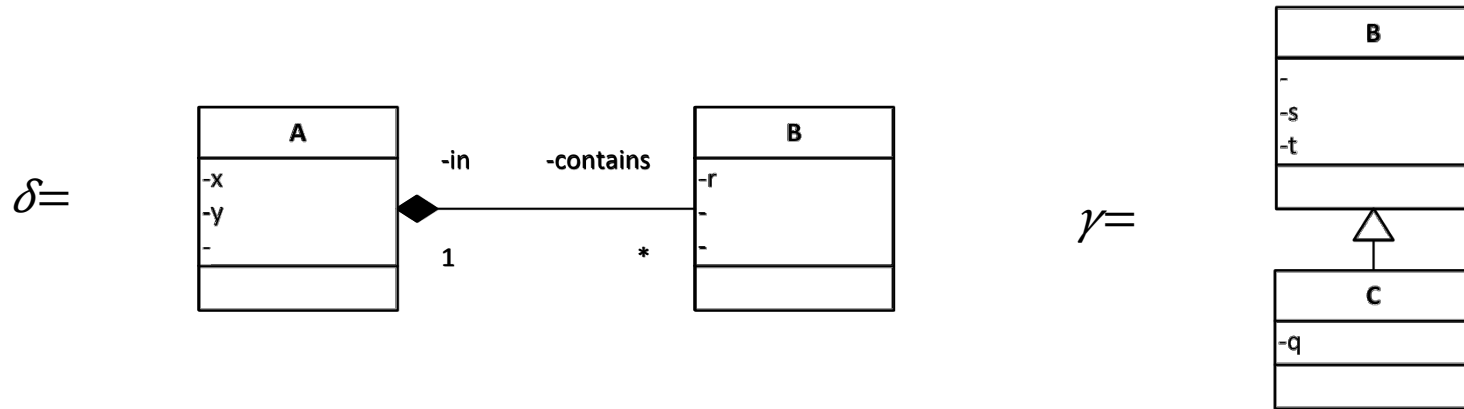


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# Make This Concrete!

- Start with UML class diagrams  $\delta + \gamma = \phi$



$\phi =$   
 + is a union-like op  
 that has an identity 0,  
 is commutative and  
 associative

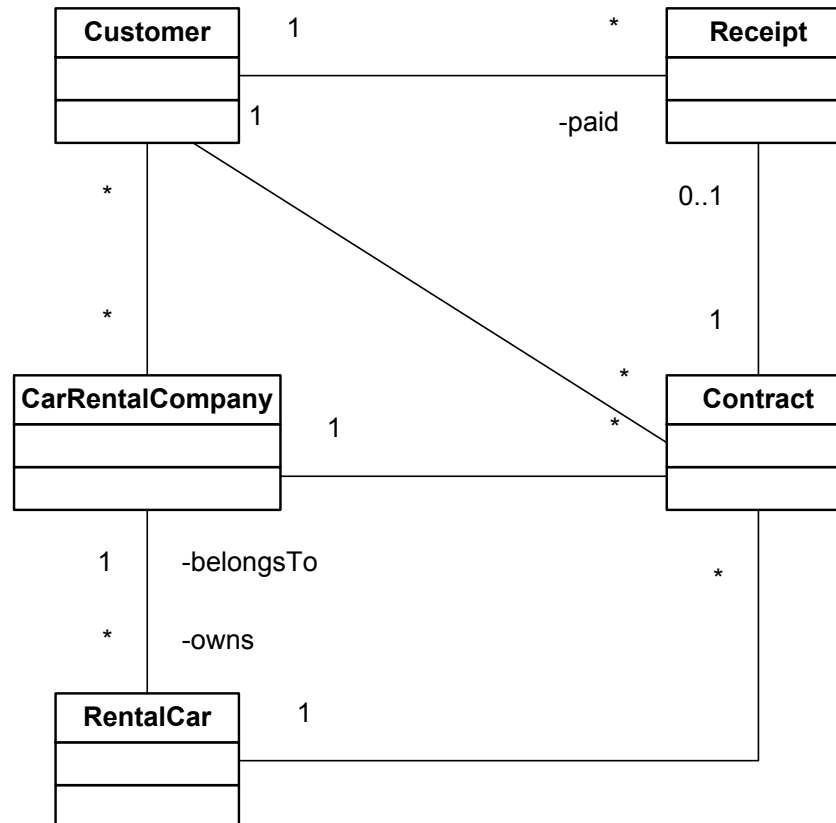
- is a set subtraction  
 operation



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BUT SO WHAT?**

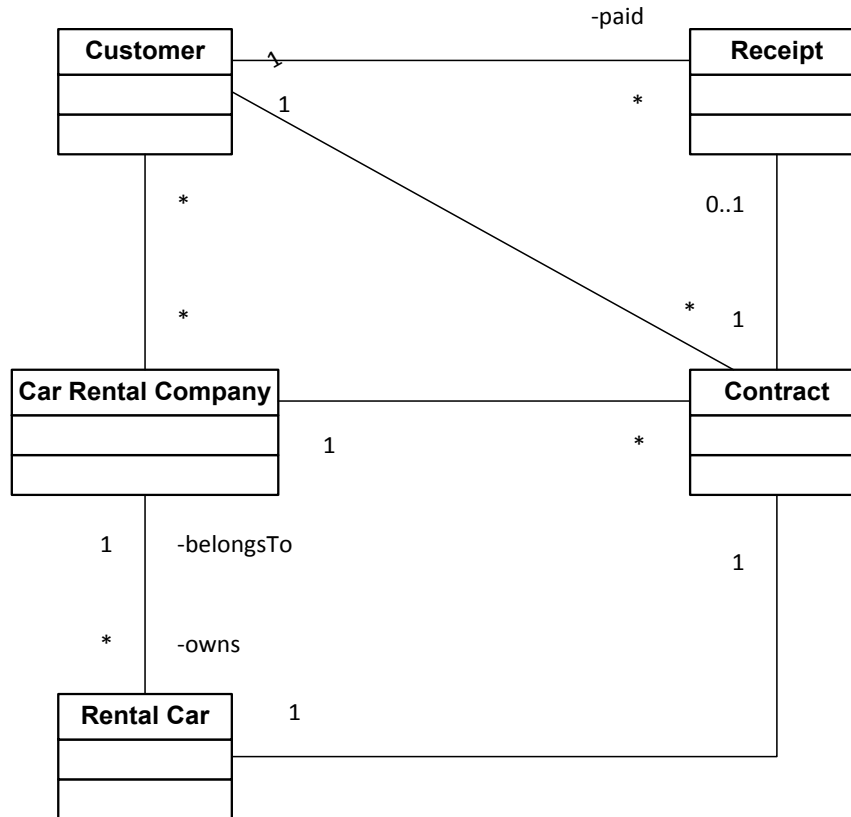
# How Would You Explain

- A typical spaghetti class diagram to someone?



# Using Graph Addition

- Build graph incrementally by adding subgraphs to a simple base graph



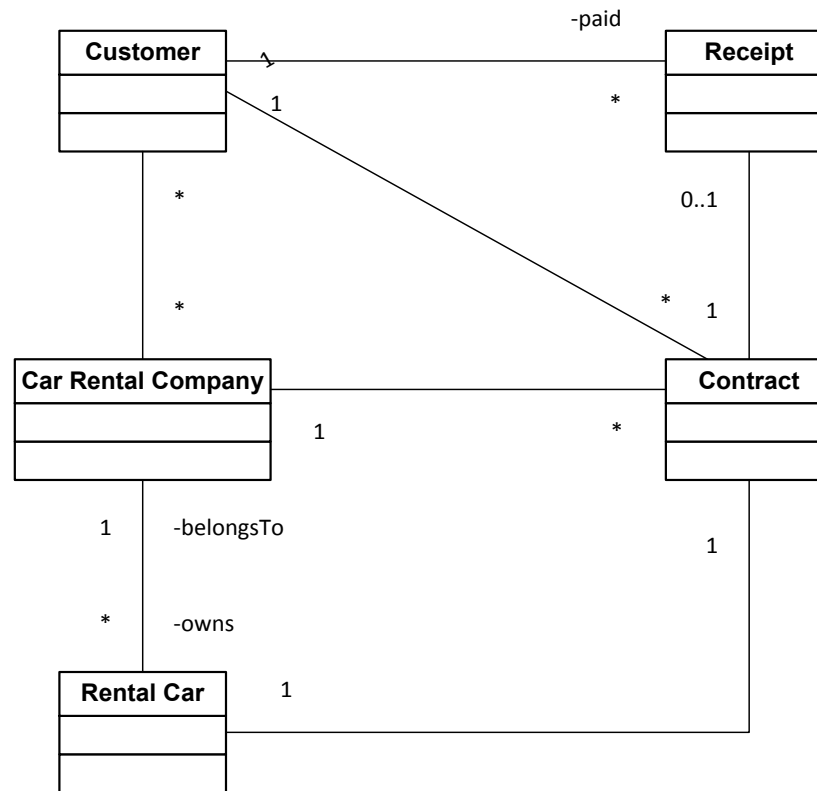
Explain  
Complexity  
in a Simple  
Way



- Each step is understandable, implementable, and testable!**

# No Unique Way to Construct Diagram

- Consequence of commutativity and associativity of graph addition



- **Math confirms the intuitive: one can create a design in any number of equivalent ways – more later...**

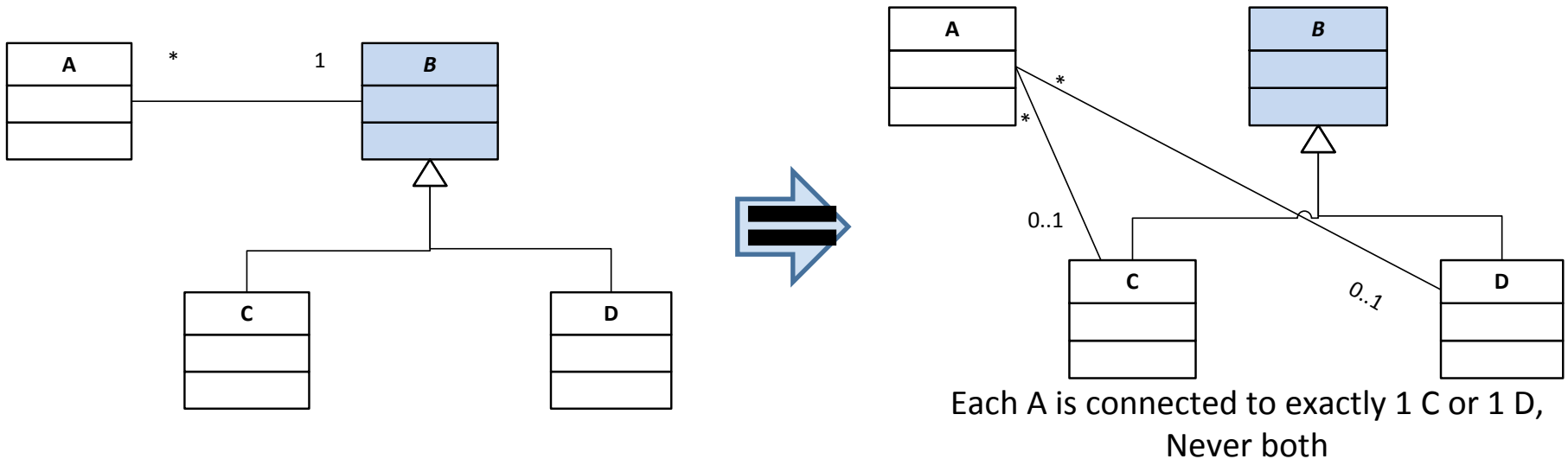


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# Graph Identities

often presented as Refactorings

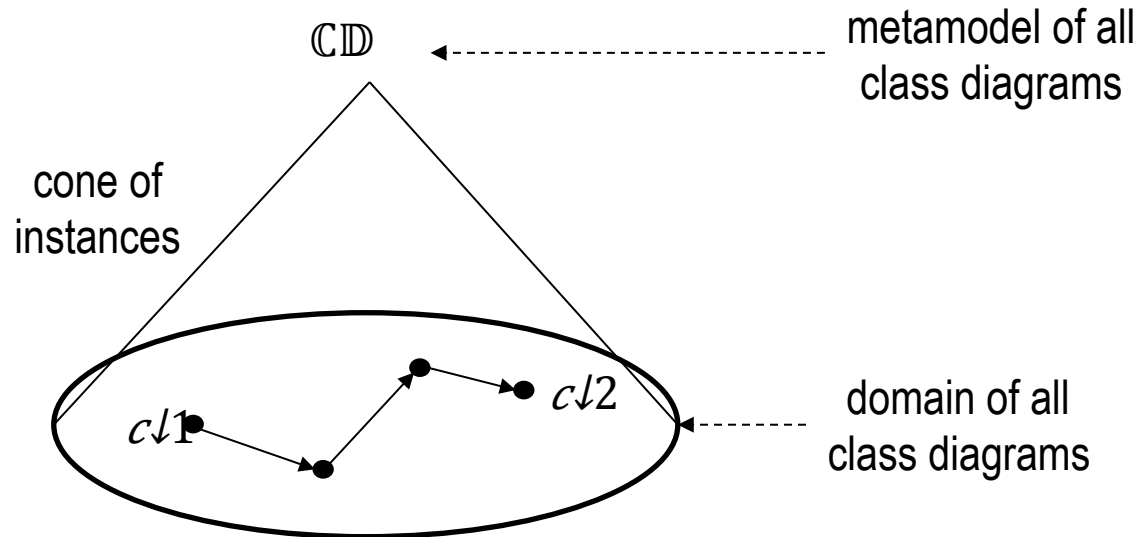
- Push down association



- Refactorings are reversible (equalities)
- Lots of these identities – see more later...

# MDE Universe

- Metamodel  $\mathbb{CD}$  whose domain is class diagrams



- Given two class diagrams,  $cd1$  and  $cd2$ , does  $cd1 = cd2$ ?
- Can we apply a set of graph identities to prove their equivalence?
- Let's a look at an example



# Motivation #2 for this Talk

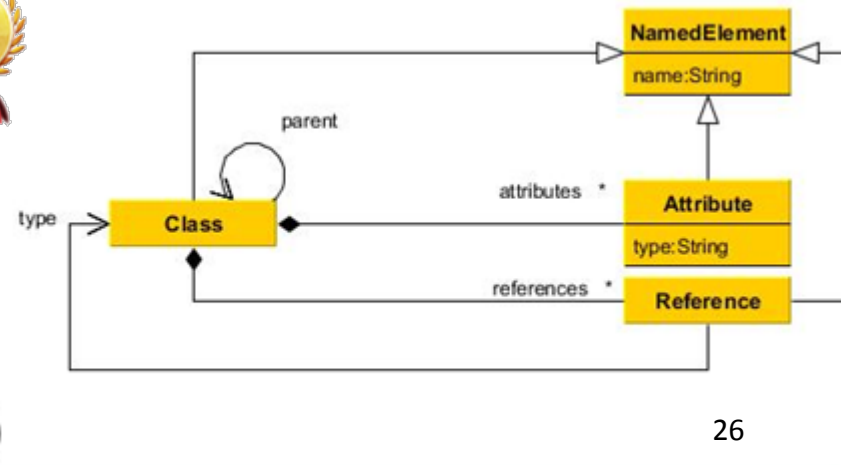
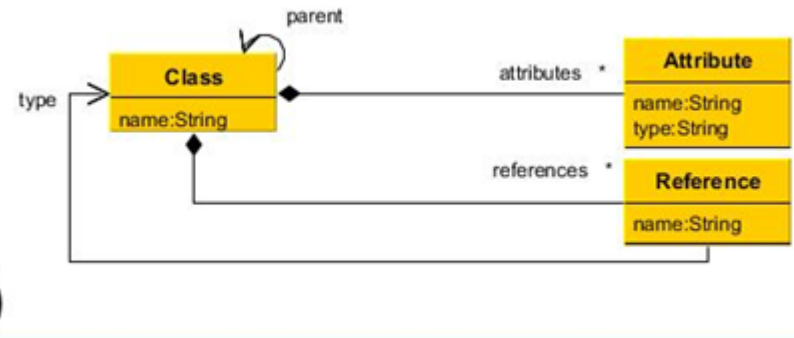
- “Abstraction Challenges” Panel at MODELS 2013
    - I posed a question: if I give a modeling assignment\*\* to my class...
- \*\* create a class diagram to express ...
- Response caught me off-guard
    - if panelists said anything it was “but there is only one right answer”

Really??

# Guess: Common Interpretation

thank you Davide!

- Example from Davide Di Ruscio clarified a common interpretation
    - What is a class diagram of a class diagram?
- allows classes to have attributes and directed associations
  - answer (a) + class hierarchies
  - answer (b) + pull-up common attributes name

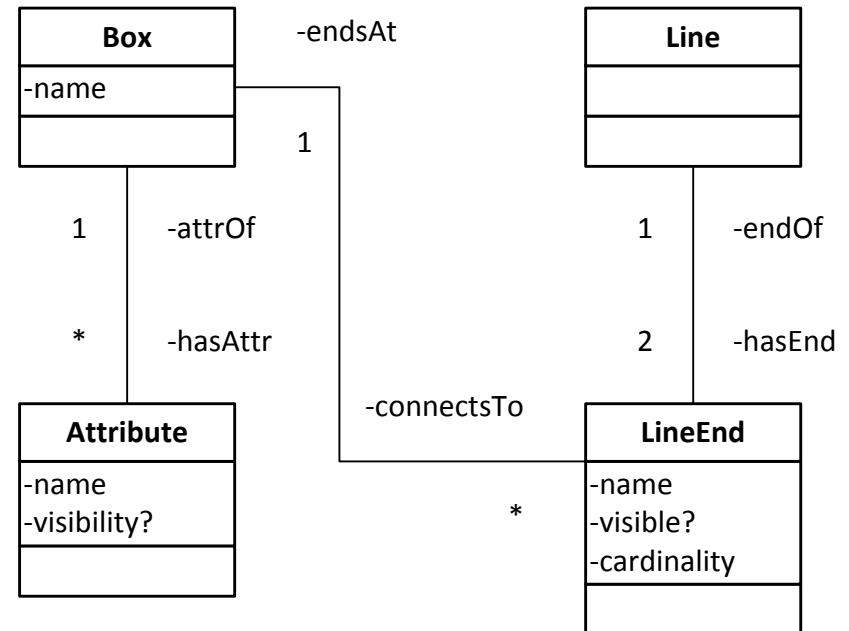


# Teaching Databases Mid-1980s

- I noticed the same problems
  - unless you are very specific about what you want students to model, you will get a zoo answers
  - I graded the same way as Davide...
- Decades later, in teaching Software Design, I took a broader perspective, I realized I needed to tighten the problem spec to reduce the zoo of answers

# Where I Start Now

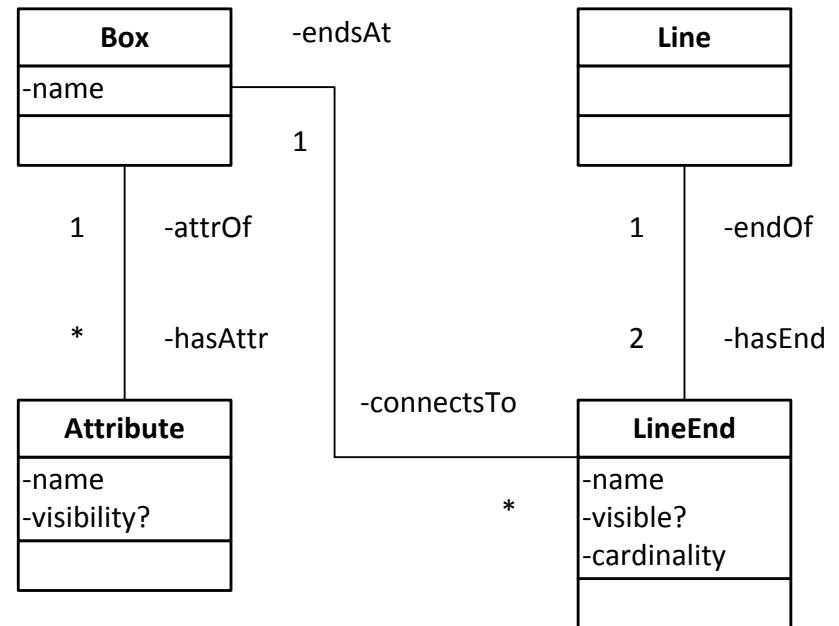
- What is a class diagram of a class diagram?
- Here is my in-class answer:



- For MDE purists,  
this CD is an instance of itself

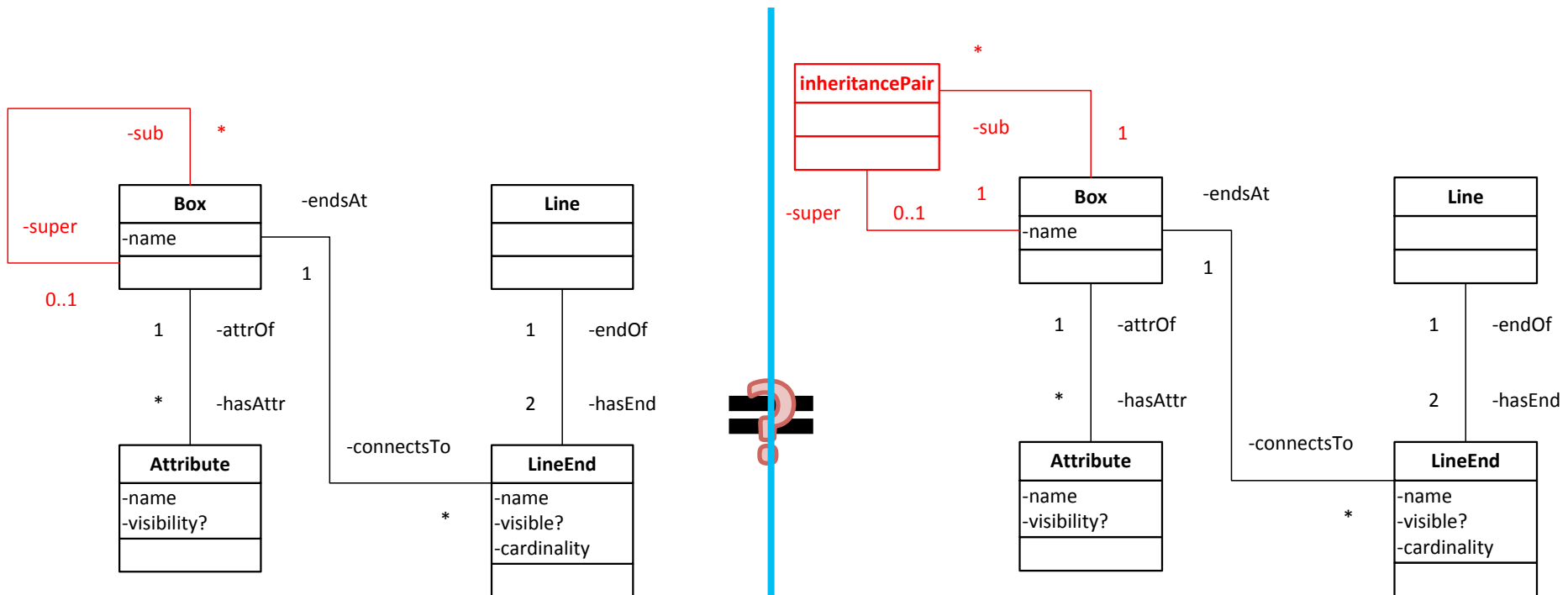
# The Assignment

- Given this metamodel, what minimal change do you need to make to generalize it to express inheritance relationships among classes?
- And I get all sorts of answers...



# Answers #1 and #2

- The left answer is my answer + constraint that there are no inheritance cycles not shown

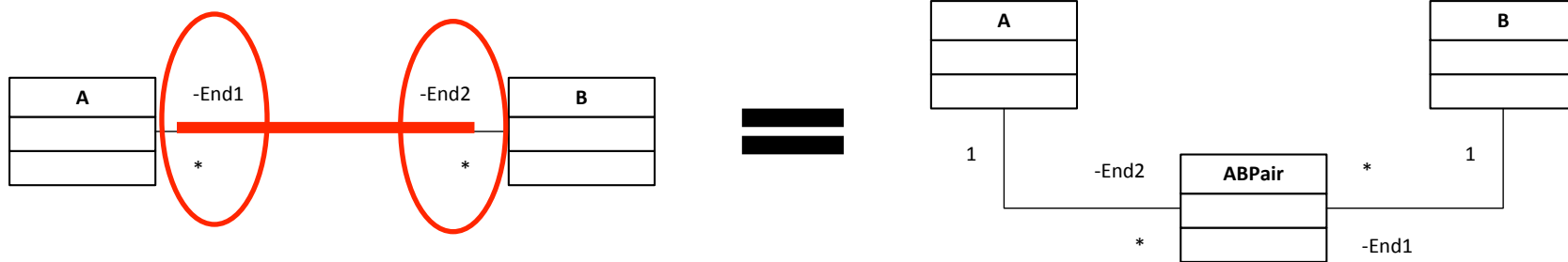


let's hope we agree on cardinality labeling, as it is non-standard. I use Booch et al. UML convention

# Graph Identities Known Beforehand

a.k.a. Refactorings

- A standard rewrite of database design circa mid-1980s called “normalize” association



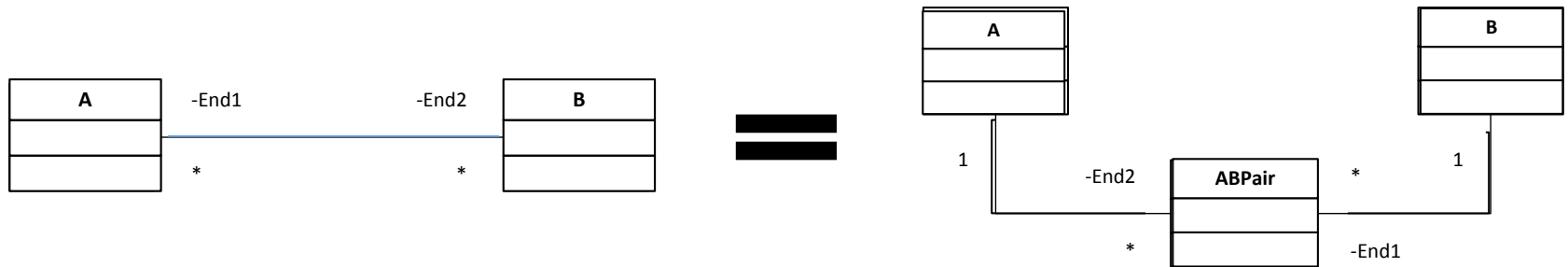
- And, of course, the rename refactoring which asserts “X” equals “Y”



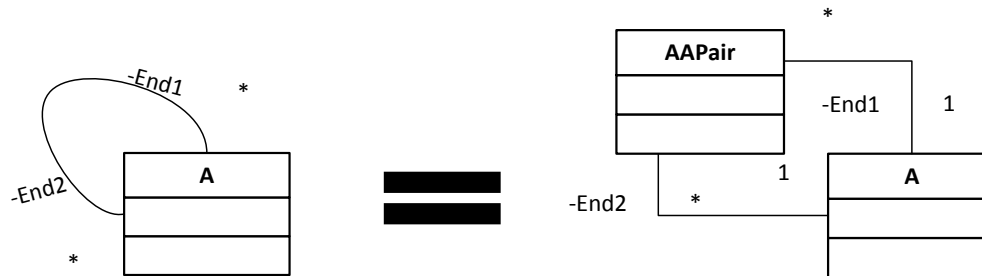
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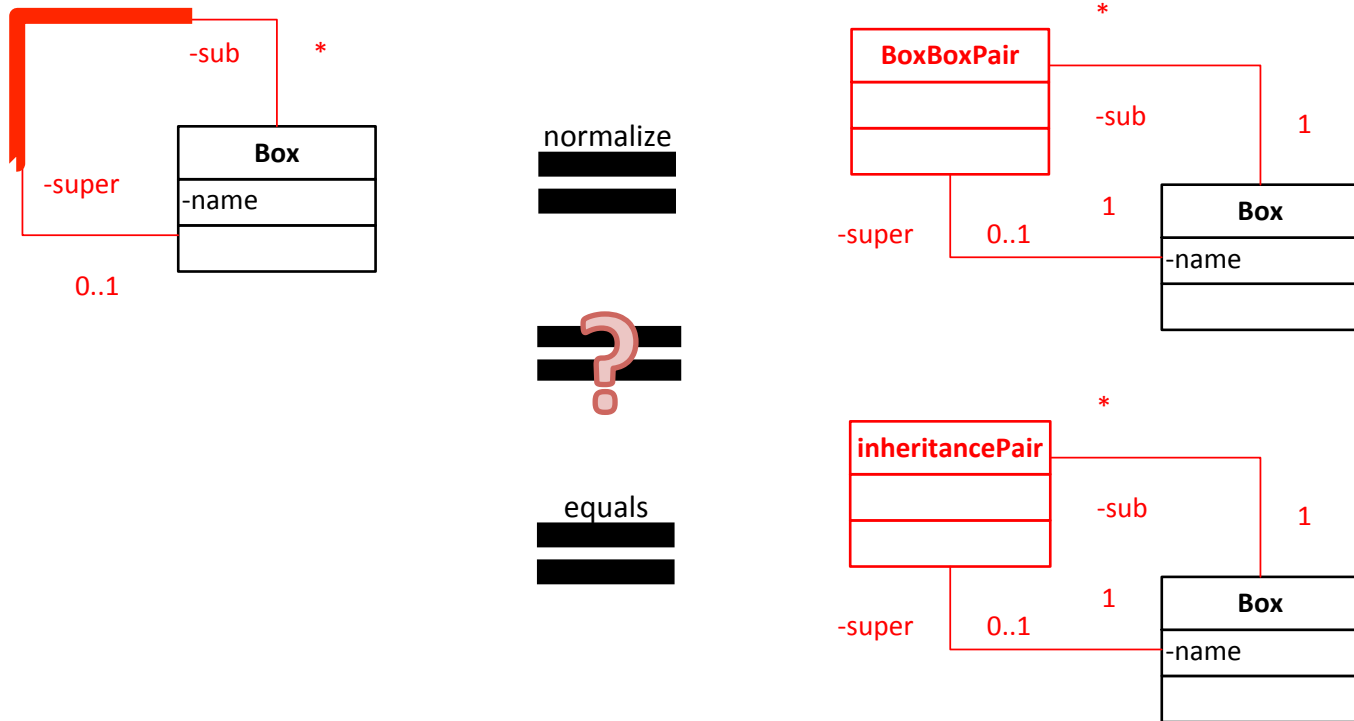


- Special case where A = B



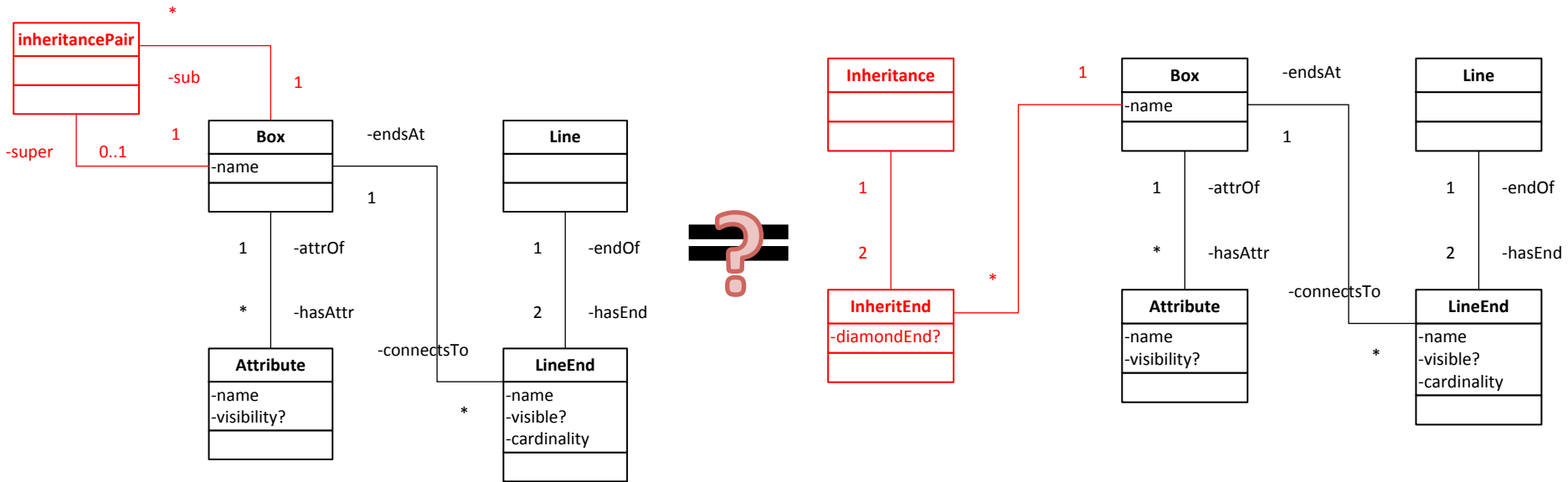


# So Let's Derive their Equivalence



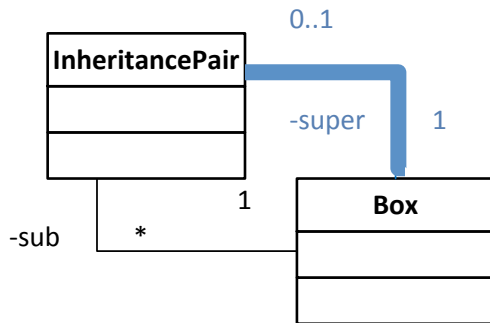
- Of course, the right diagram is more verbose than the left, but they are equivalent
- They don't get equivalent grades because the right CD is not minimal

# Here's Another Student Answer

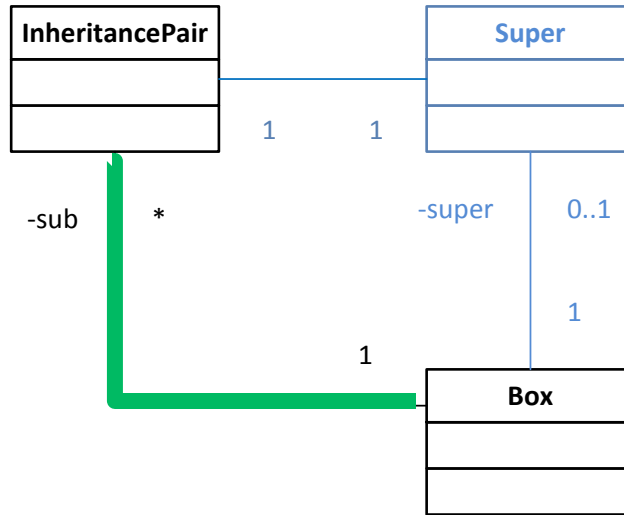


- Constraint on both diagrams: no box can have multiple super classes, no inheritance cycles, ...

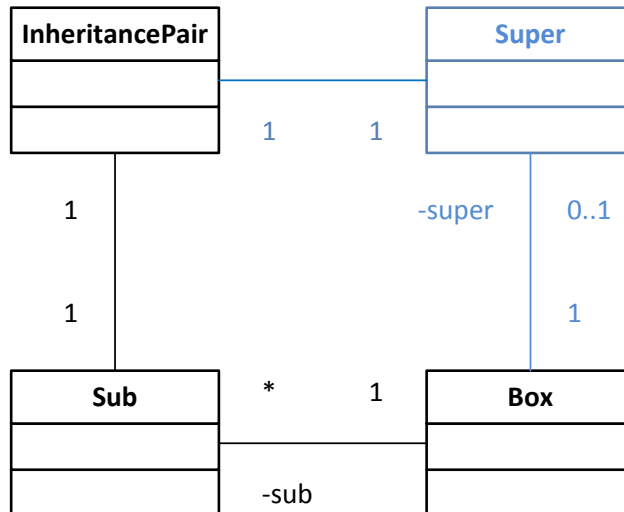
# Again Use Normalization



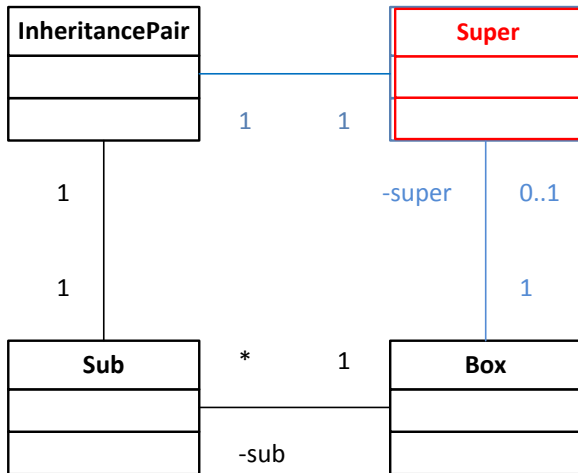
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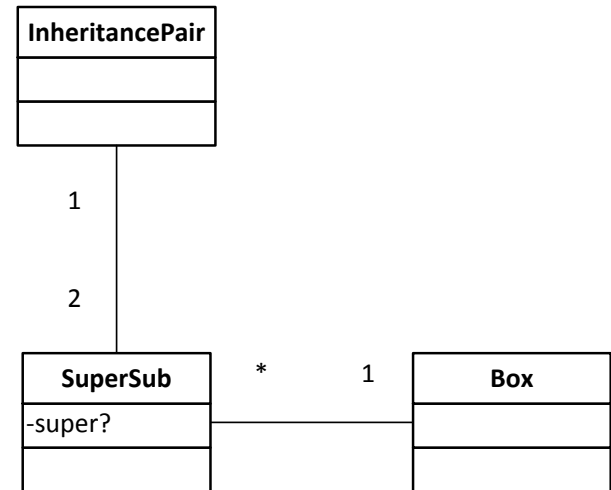
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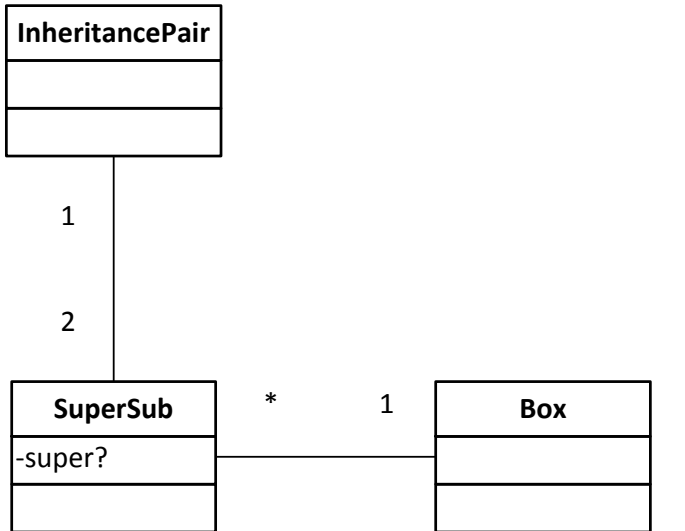


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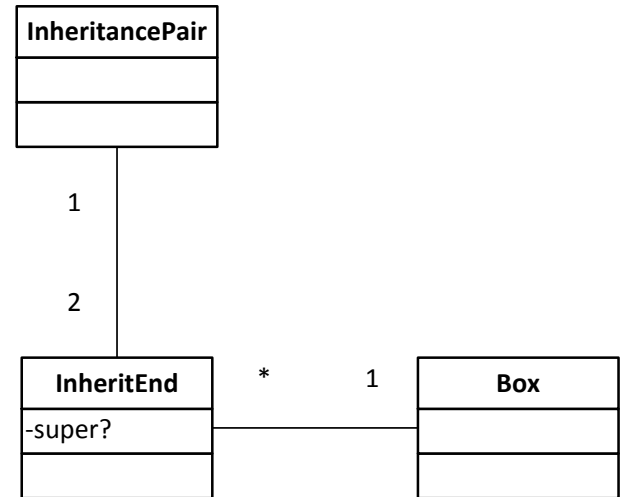
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# Last Step

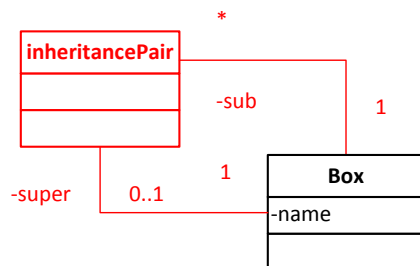


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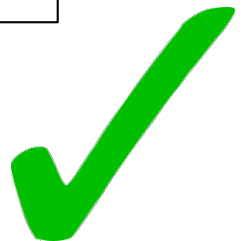
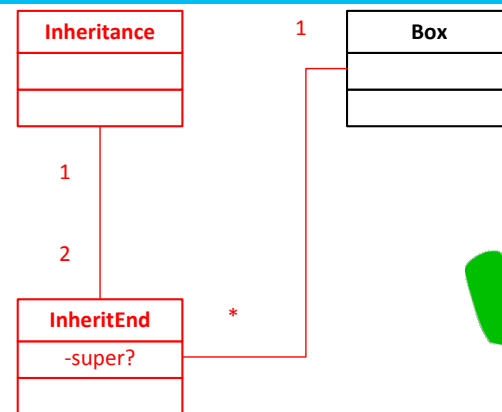
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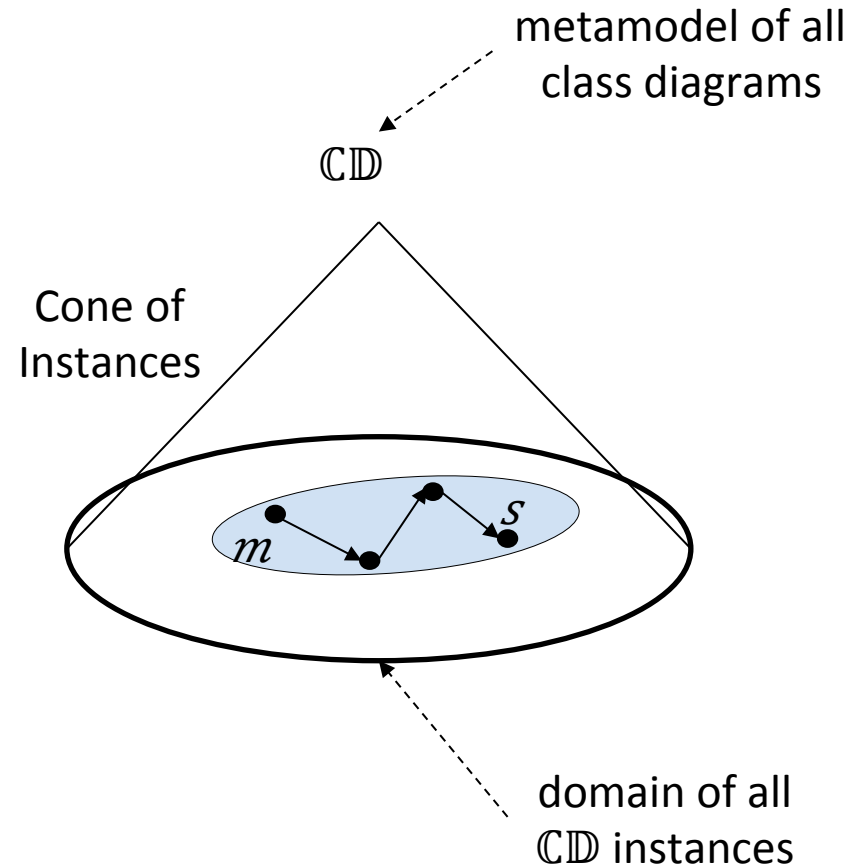
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# Big Picture

- Graph refactorings are Graph identities
- We should be teaching is the mathematics of software design – **this is the Science of Design**
- Variations in designs are explained by the application of graph identities
- Interesting assignments for students to think about what identities they need to grade each other's answers





**CUTE  
BUT ENGINEERS DON'T  
NEED THIS...**

# Really???

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## engineering

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### noun

1. the art or science of making practical application of the knowledge of pure sciences, as physics or chemistry, as in the construction of *engines*, bridges, buildings, mines, ships, and chemical plants.
2. the action, work, or profession of an *engineer*.
3. *Digital Technology*. the art or process of designing and programming computer systems: *computer engineering*; *software engineering*.



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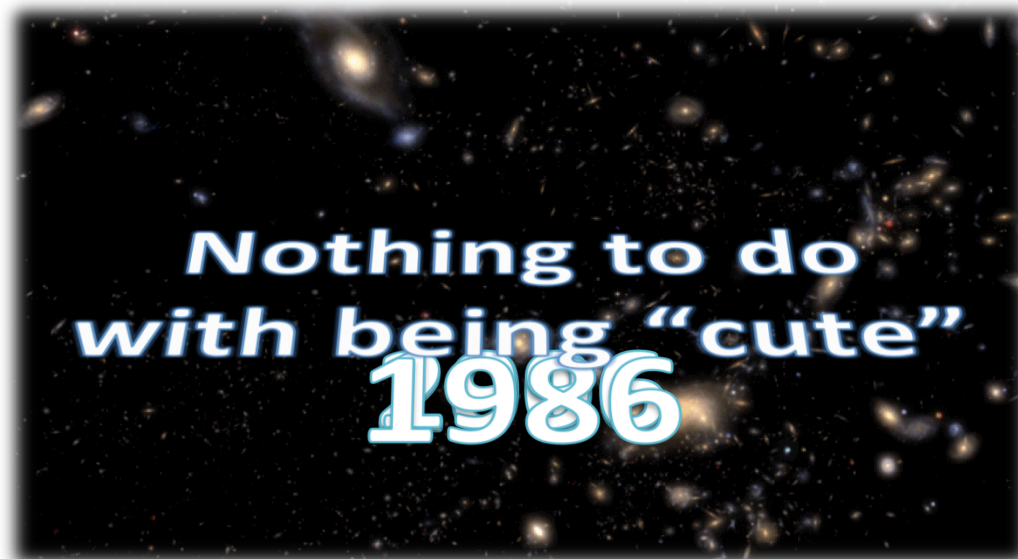
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Engineering is  
Applied Science  
whose language is  
mathematics

computer systems: *computer engineering*;  
*software engineering*.

# Science is Everything in ASD

- It is the cooperation of theory and experiments
  - experiments give observational data
  - theory distills seemingly unrelated observations into a system of laws
- Go back in time to see the origins of **Automated Software Design (ASD)**



# In ~1986, Keys to the Future of Software Development

- Paradigms of the future must embrace *at least*:
  - **Compositional Programming**
    - develop software by composing “modules” (*not writing code*)
  - **Generative Programming**
    - want software development to be automated
  - **Domain-Specific Languages (DSLs)**
    - not C or C++, use domain-specific notations
  - **Automatic Programming**
    - declarative specs → efficient programs
  - **Verification**
    - want our programs to be correct
- Need simultaneous advance in all fronts to make a significant impact

# Yeh, Right

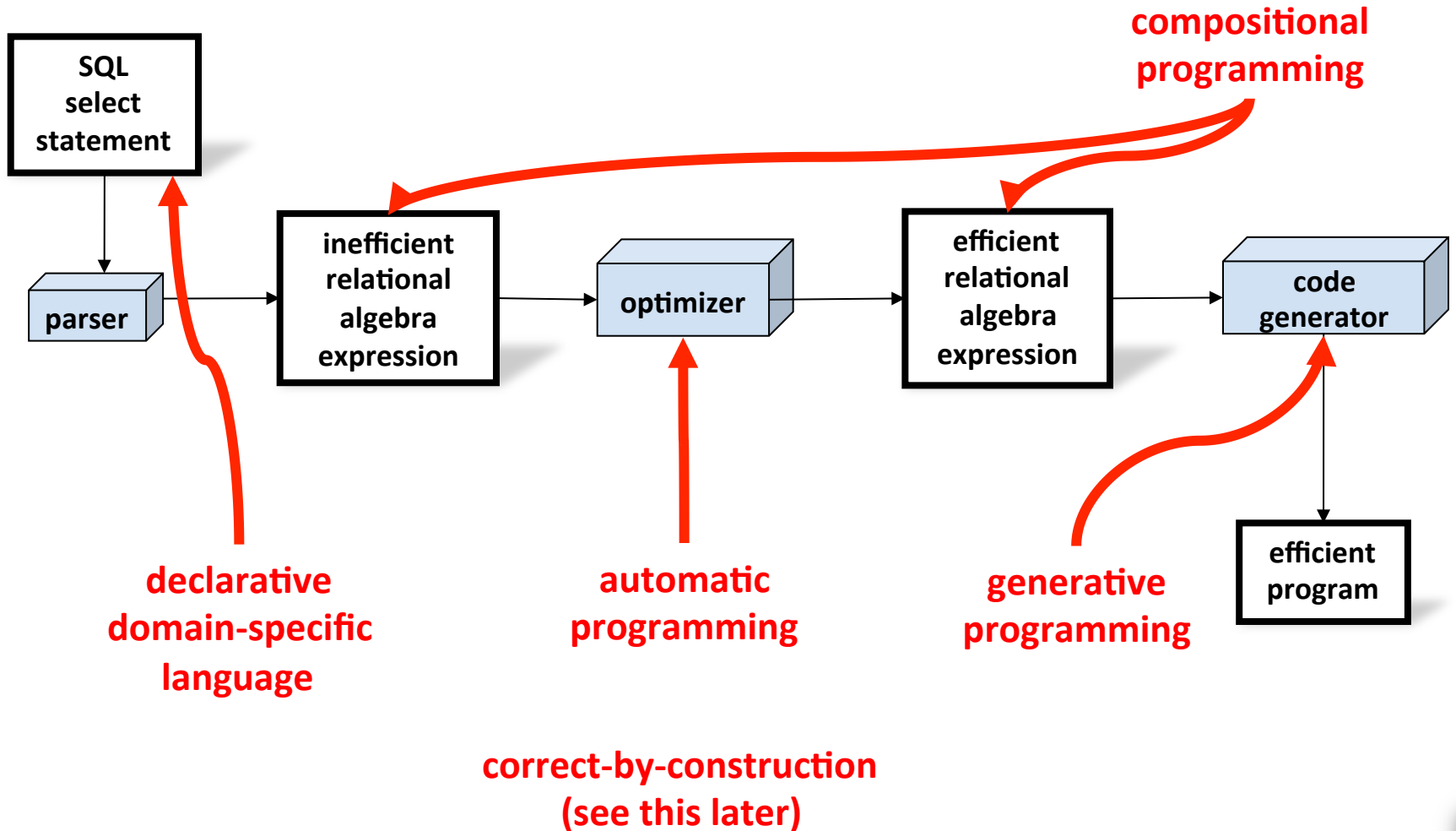
- But ... an example of this futuristic paradigm realized 7 years earlier (1979) around time when many AI researchers gave up on automatic programming

## Relational Query Optimization

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SIGMOD 79

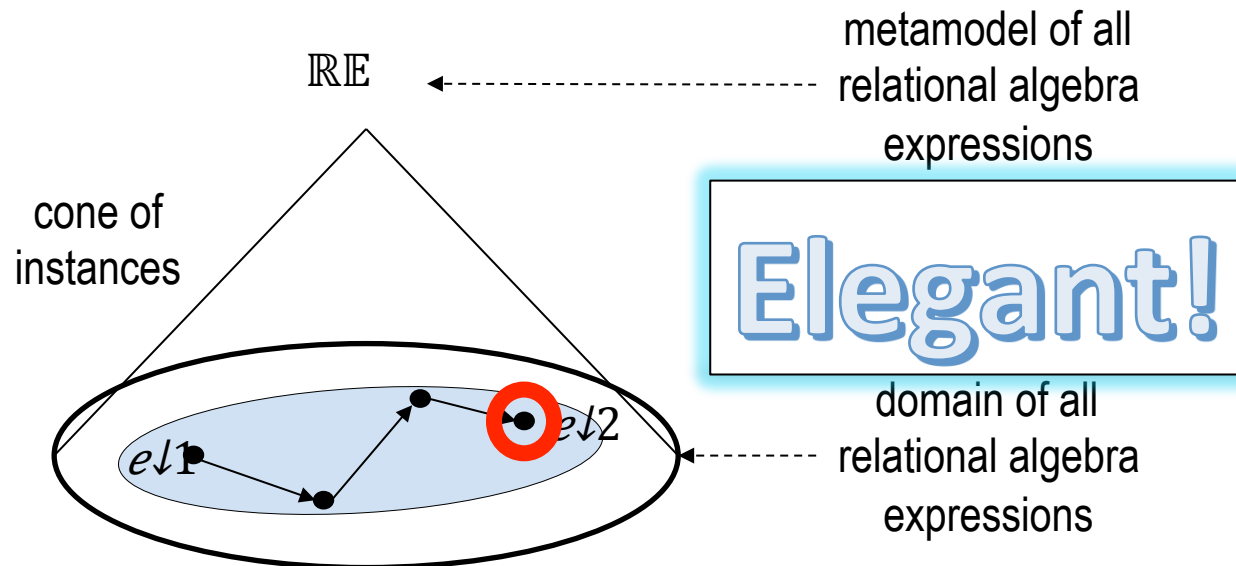
- IMO – most significant result in ASD and automated construction. Period.
- Rarely mentioned in typical texts and research papers in SE, software design, modularity, product lines, DSLs, MDE, software architectures...

# Relational Query Optimization (RQO)



# What RQO Did

- Started with a simple relational algebra expression  $e_1$  derived from SQL SELECT
- Applying algebraic identities, created a subdomain of equivalent expressions, incl  $e_2$
- Ranked expressions by efficiency and chose the cheapest, ex:  $e_2$
- That's the implementation of the SQL SELECT to use



# Keys to RQO Success

- Automated development of query evaluation programs
  - hard-to-write, hard-to-optimize, hard-to-maintain
  - revolutionized and simplified database usage
- Based on algebra of tables (not numbers)
  - different table expressions represented different programs
- Program designs / expressions can be optimized automatically
  - key is finding relational algebra identities
- Gave me a framework about how to think about ASD



**NICE**

**SHOW ME SOMETHING USEFUL**



# Really??

- Revolutionizing database management was not useful?
- While you think about an answer,  
let me show others this example about dataflow applications...

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REGULAR PAPER

## ReFIO: an interactive tool for pipe-and-filter domain specification and program generation

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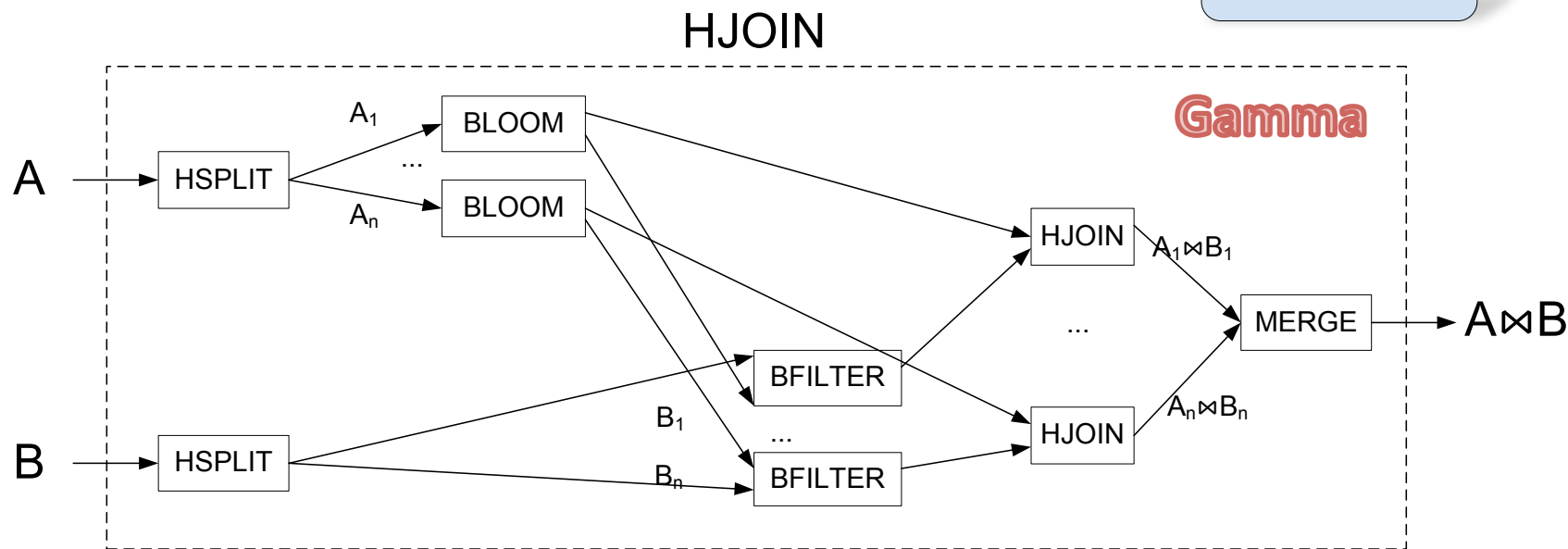
**Abstract** ReFIO is a framework and interactive tool to record and systematize domain knowledge used by experts to derive complex *pipe-and-filter (PnF)* applications. Domain knowledge is encoded as transformations that alter PnF graphs by *refinement* (adding more details), *flattening* (removing modular boundaries), and *optimization* (substituting inefficient PnF graphs with more efficient ones). All three

software development and, like actual circuit design tools, can express hierarchical systems by levels of abstraction: a component at level  $i$  is defined in terms of a circuit of more primitive components at level  $i + 1$ , recursively. CBSE is an early example of *Model Driven Engineering (MDE)* where models (i.e. hierarchical circuit diagrams) are transformed into executables.

# How Do You Explain...

- This spaghetti diagram: it is a dataflow graph of a fundamental parallel hash join algorithm, similar to what is used in database machines today

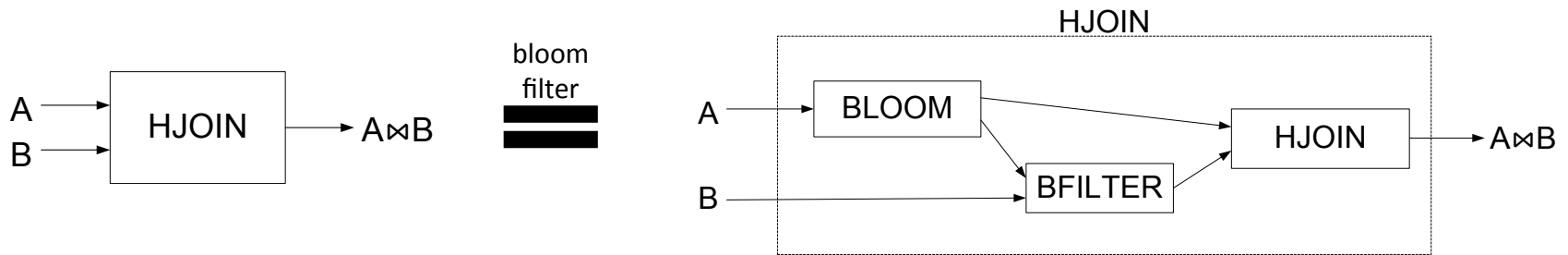
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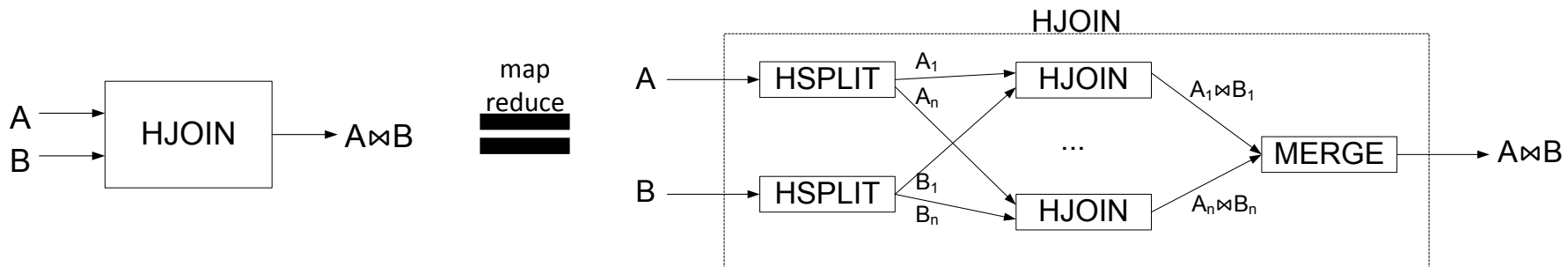
- To explain & derive it, you need data flow graph identities

# Simple Way To Derive Gamma

- Need 2 identities that are well-known to database researchers but few others
- Bloom filters remove tuples from stream B that provably cannot join with stream A



- Parallelize HJOIN operation via map-reduce:

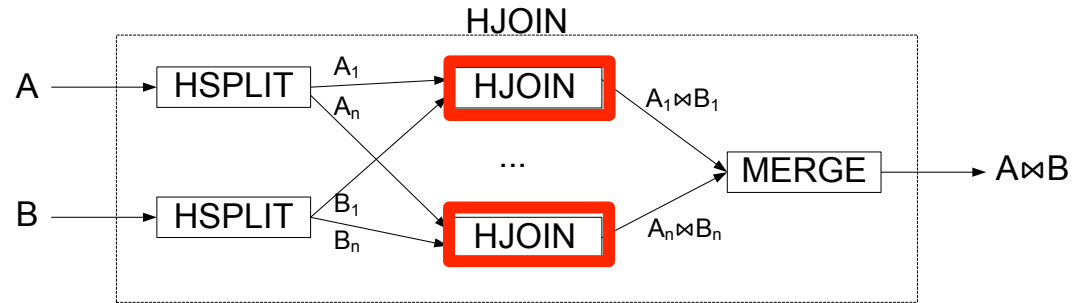


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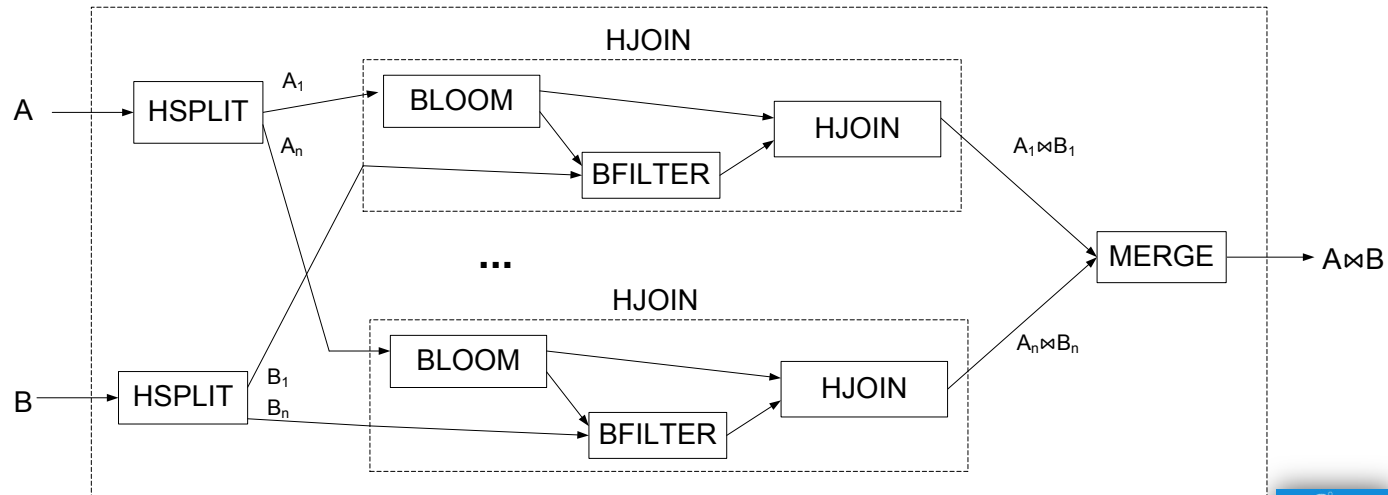
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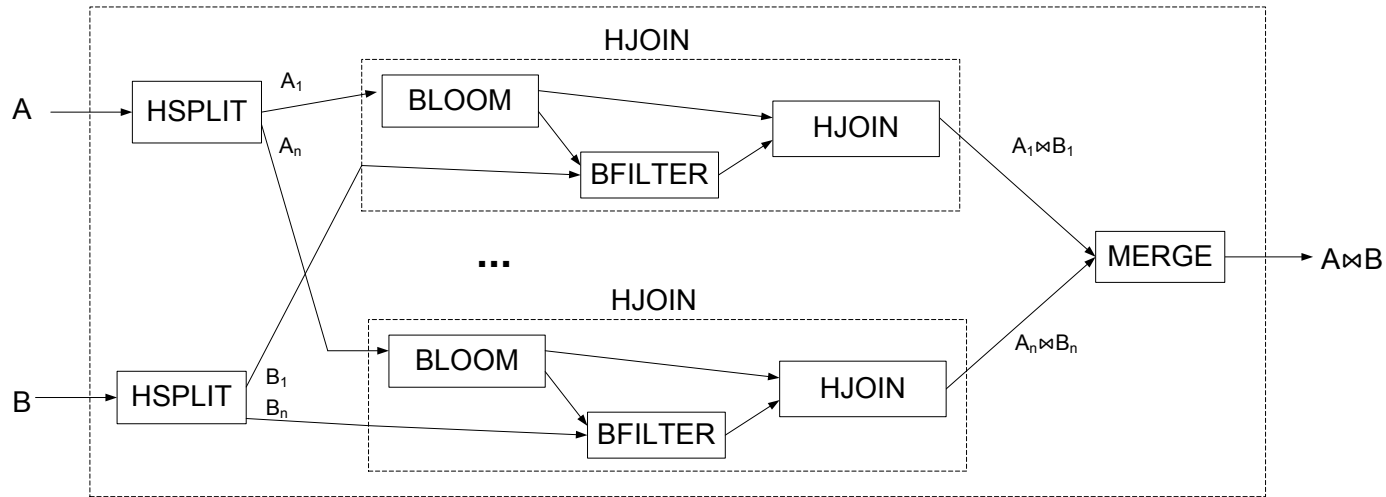



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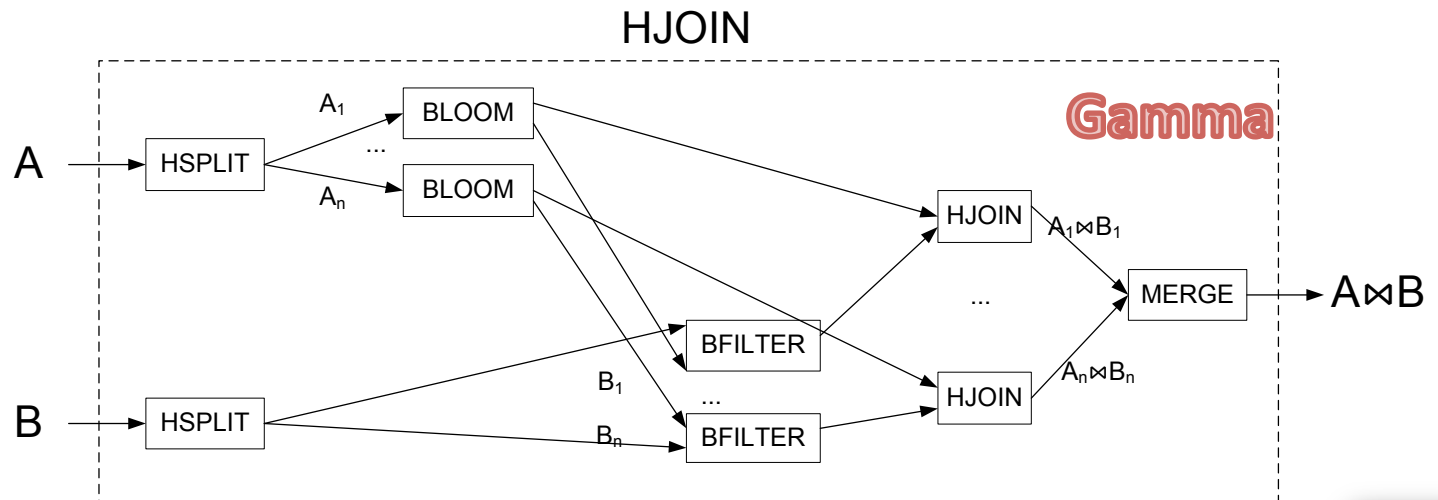
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# Derivation of Gamma



graph rearrangement  


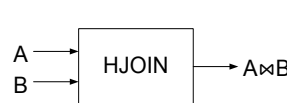


# Design is Correct By Construction

- Initial graph is correct

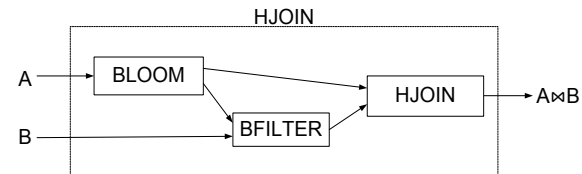


- Rewrites are correct



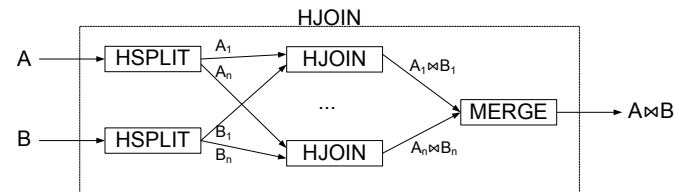
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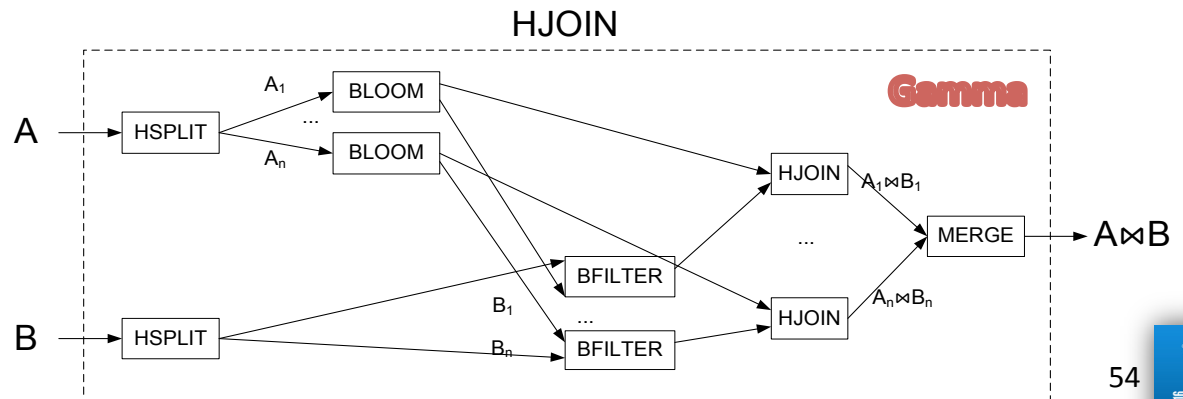


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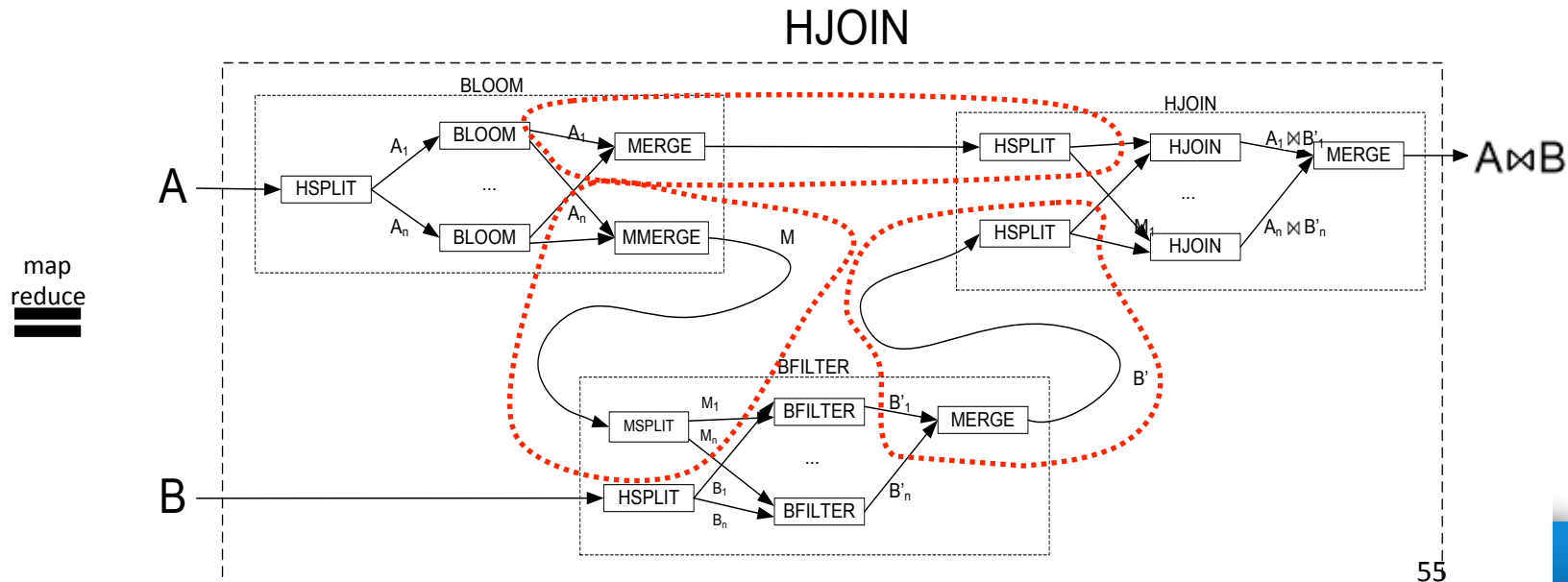
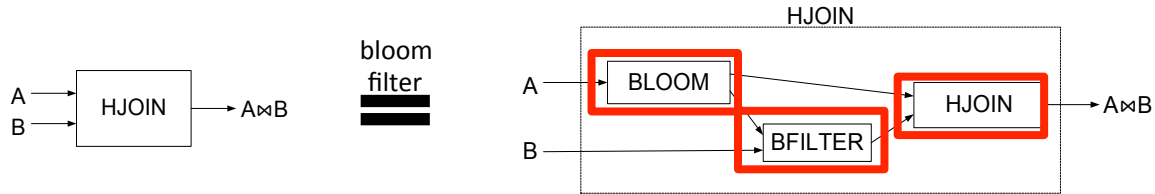


- End result is correct



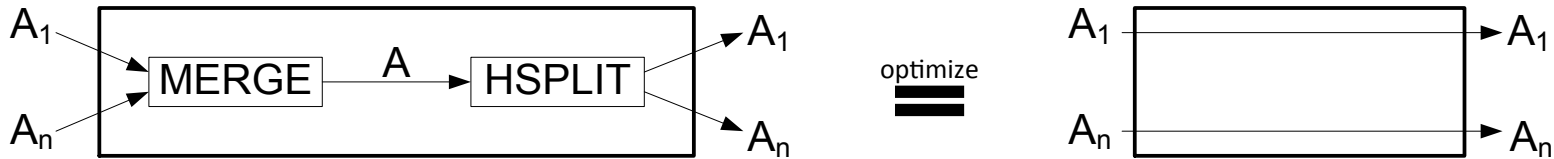
# Remember!

- There are many ways to derive the same graph
  - simple exploration of this space reveals other fundamental identities

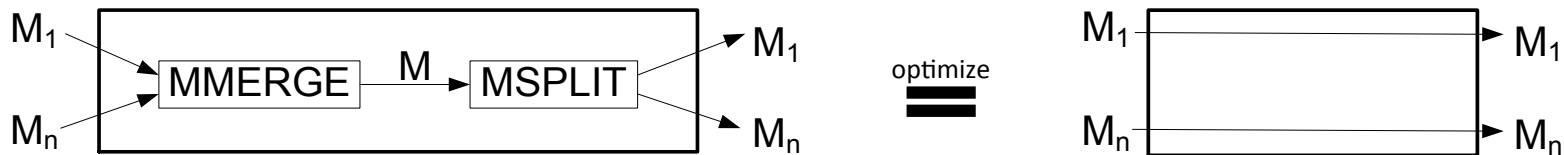


# Identity Optimizations

- Merge tuple streams  $A_1 \downarrow \dots \downarrow A_n$  into  $A$  and then reconstitute them



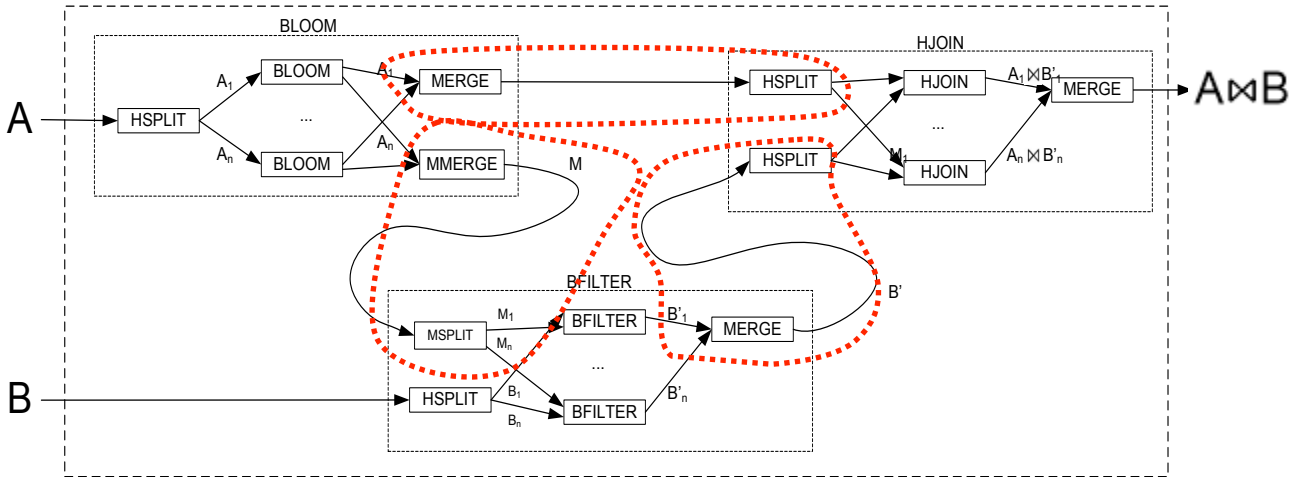
- Merge bitmaps  $M_1 \downarrow \dots \downarrow M_n$  into a single bitmap  $M$  and recreate bitmaps  $M_1 \downarrow \dots \downarrow M_n$





# Derivation

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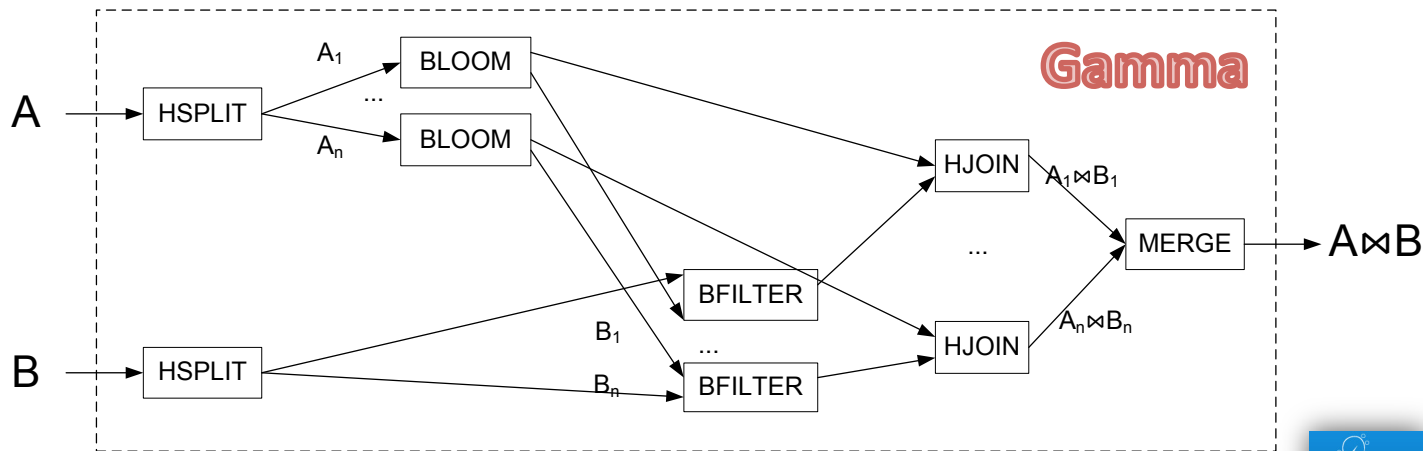


This is another way to discover graph identities.



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optimize  
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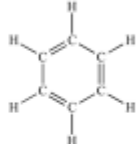


**DON  
TOO FANCY FOR ME;  
I PREFER MY WAY**

# I Understand...

- That's exactly what Chemists said in the 1880s...
  - but this will change and will take time...
  - if it were easy, would have been done years ago

**Not Surprising**


- Historically w.r.t. science, I think Software Design is ~1880s



- Practice as an art dominated in chemistry
- Against the tide of the history of science

**In practice, there is no difference  
between theory and practice.**

**In theory, there is.**

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Let me show  
you a difference  
between manual  
software development  
and automated  
design in another  
fundamental  
area of CS

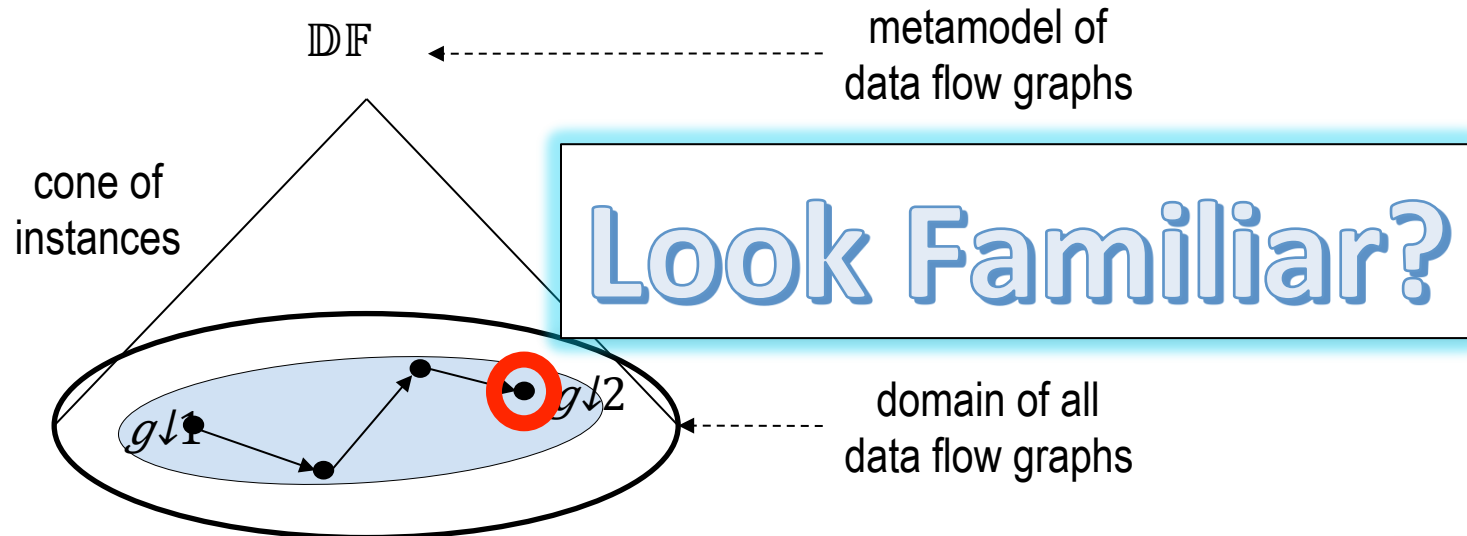
# Dense Linear Algebra (DLA)

- Robert van de Geijn
  - last 30 years creating elegant mathematically layered designs of DLA computations
- Jack Paulson created Elemental Distributed DLA package
  - standard BLAS3 matrix-matrix operations
  - solvers
  - decomposition functions (Cholesky factorization)
  - eigenvalue problems
- Bryan Marker mechanized the above work as application of dataflow identities
  - DxTer name of his tool



# What DxTer Does

- Starts with a simple DLA dataflow graph  $g\downarrow 1$  specified by library designer or DLA user
- Applies algebraic identities & creates a subdomain of equivalent graphs, incl  $g\downarrow 2$
- Ranks graphs by their estimated efficiency and chooses the cheapest, ex:  $g\downarrow 2$
- That's the implementation that is translated to code

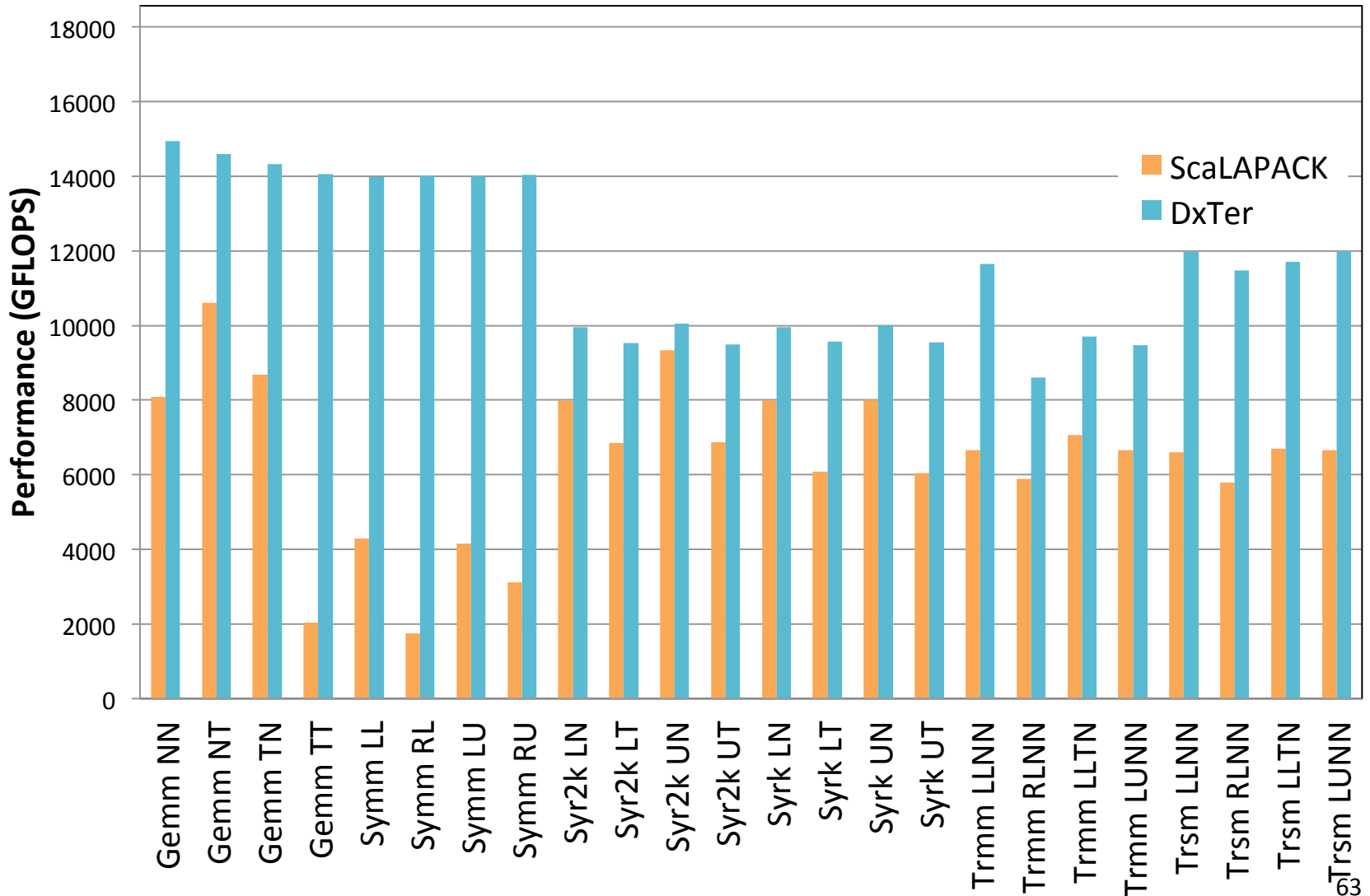


# Performance Results

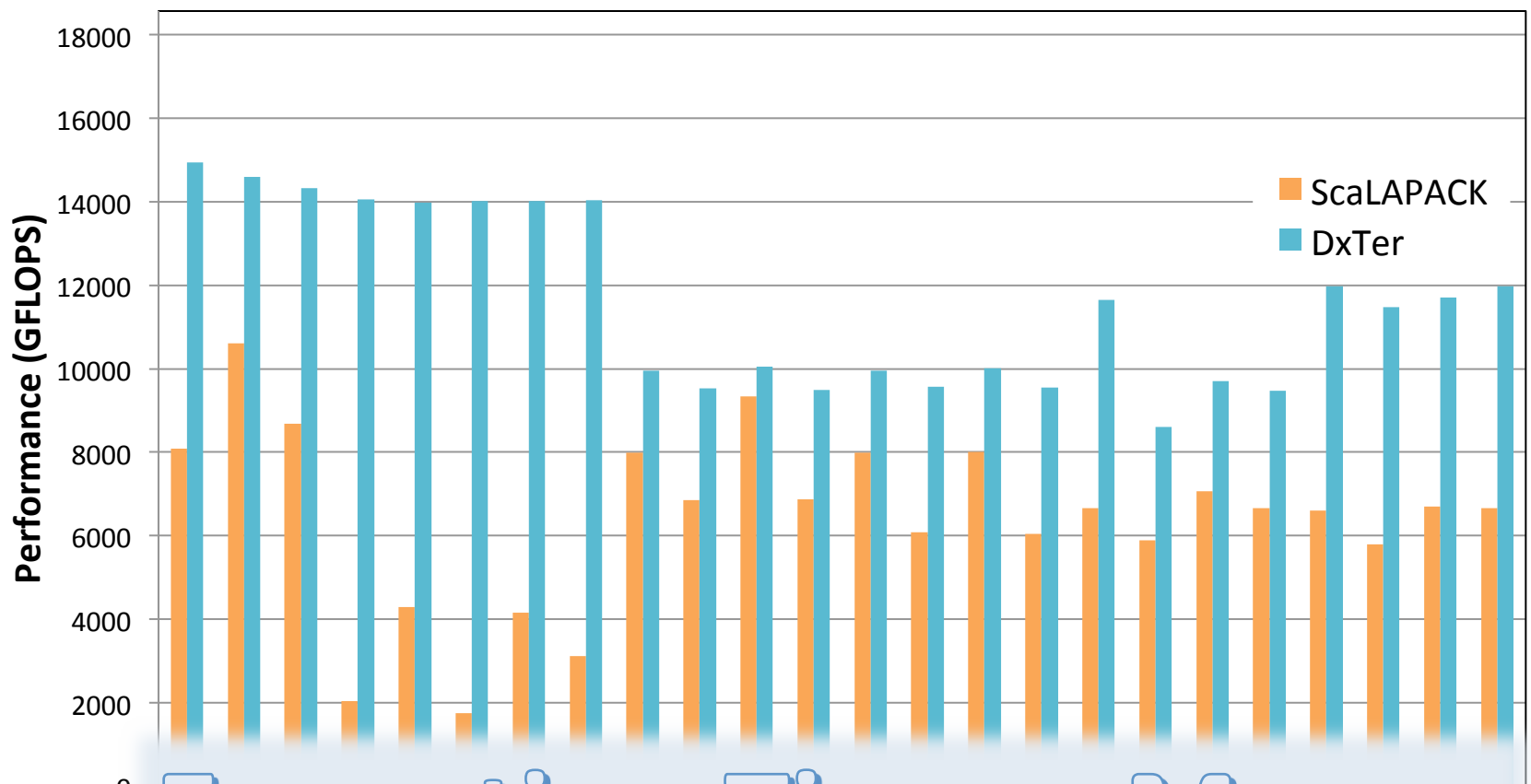
Machine	# of Cores	Peak Performance
Argonne's BlueGene/P (Intrepid)	8,192	27+ TFLOPS
Texas Advanced Computing Center (Lonestar)	240	3.2 TFLOPS

- DxTer automatically generated & optimized Elemental code for BLAS3 and Cholesky operations
- Benchmarked with manually-written ScaLAPACK
  - vendors standard option for distributed memory machines; auto-tuned or manually-tuned
  - only alternative available for target machines

# BLAS3 Performance on Intrepid



# BLAS3 Performance on Intrepid



Execution Time = Money  
this is Huge





# Bryan Found

- Error(s) in Elemental Library
- Instances where the Domain Expert Jack forgot to apply an optimization
- Or used the wrong algorithm (performance error)

**DxTer-Generated code  
is being shipped with  
Elemental**

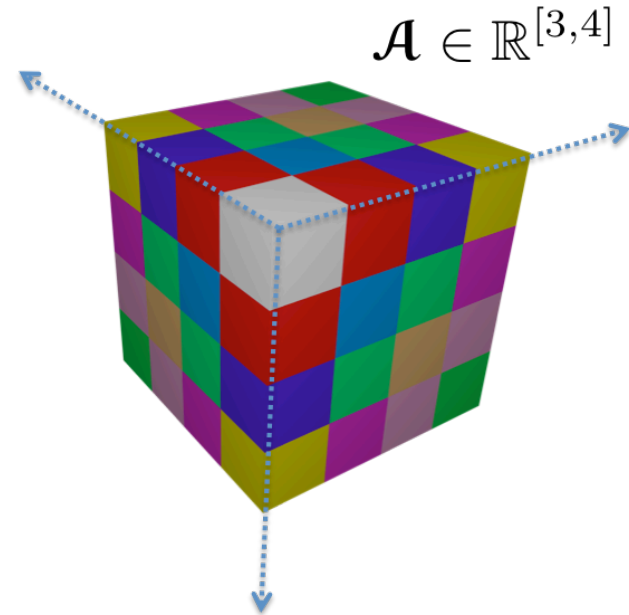
# What is Really Important...

- New hardware architectures are invented every year
- DLA algorithms that are optimized for 1 architecture are not optimized for another...
- Porting DLA libraries either
  - runs slower than optimal – which is costly
  - rewrite much from scratch – which is costly

**DxTer is a long-term,  
cost-effective, & scalable  
way to customize DLA libraries**

# Next Stop - Tensors!

- Tensor
  - n – dimensional array
- Tensor Contraction
  - generalization of matrix multiplication
- Tensors = matrices on steroids
- Based on ROTE Library of Martin Schatz



# Next Stop

- Generalized computations to tensor equations in Computational Chemistry
- Here are the CCSD coupled cluster single double equations for accurate reproduction of experimental results on electron correlation for molecules
- Bryan & Martin created a dataflow graph of these equations and DxTer to optimize their implementation

$$W_{je}^{bm} = (2w_{je}^{bm} - x_{ej}^{bm}) + \sum_f (2r_{fe}^{bm} - r_{ef}^{bm})t_j^f - \sum_n (2u_{je}^{nm} - u_{je}^{mn})t_n^b + \sum_{fn} (2v_{nm}^{fe} - v_{mn}^{fe})(T_{jn}^{bf} + \frac{1}{2}T_{nj}^{bf} - \tau_{nj}^{bf})$$

$$X_{ej}^{bm} = x_{ej}^{bm} + \sum_f r_{ef}^{bm}t_j^f - \sum_n u_{je}^{mn}t_n^b - \sum_{fn} v_{mn}^{fe}(\tau_{nj}^{bf} - \frac{1}{2}T_{nj}^{bf})$$

$$U_{ie}^{mn} = u_{ie}^{mn} + \sum_f v_{mn}^{fe}t_i^f$$

$$Q_{ij}^{mn} = q_{ij}^{mn} + (1 + P_{nj}^{mi}) \sum_e u_{ie}^{mn}t_j^e + \sum_{ef} v_{mn}^{ef}\tau_{ij}^{ef}$$

$$P_{mb}^{ji} = u_{mb}^{ji} + \sum_{ef} r_{ef}^{bm}\tau_{ij}^{ef} + \sum_e w_{ie}^{bm}t_j^e + \sum_e x_{ej}^{bm}t_i^e$$

$$H_e^m = \sum_{fn} (2v_{mn}^{ef} - v_{nm}^{ef})t_n^f$$

$$F_e^a = -\sum_m H_e^m t_m^a + \sum_{fm} (2r_{ef}^{am} - r_{fe}^{am})t_m^f - \sum_{fmn} (2v_{mn}^{ef} - v_{nm}^{ef})T_{mn}^{af}$$

$$G_i^m = \sum_e H_e^m t_i^e + \sum_{en} (2u_{ie}^{mn} - u_{ie}^{nm})t_n^e + \sum_{efn} (2v_{mn}^{ef} - v_{nm}^{ef})T_{in}^{ef}$$

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$$+ \sum_{em} (2T_{im}^{ae} - T_{mi}^{ae})H_e^m + \sum_{efm} (2r_{ef}^{am} - r_{fe}^{am})\tau_{im}^{ef}$$

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## Nontrivial Space

- Here are coupled equations reproduced results of for molecules

$O(10^{122})$

Searched in ~11sec

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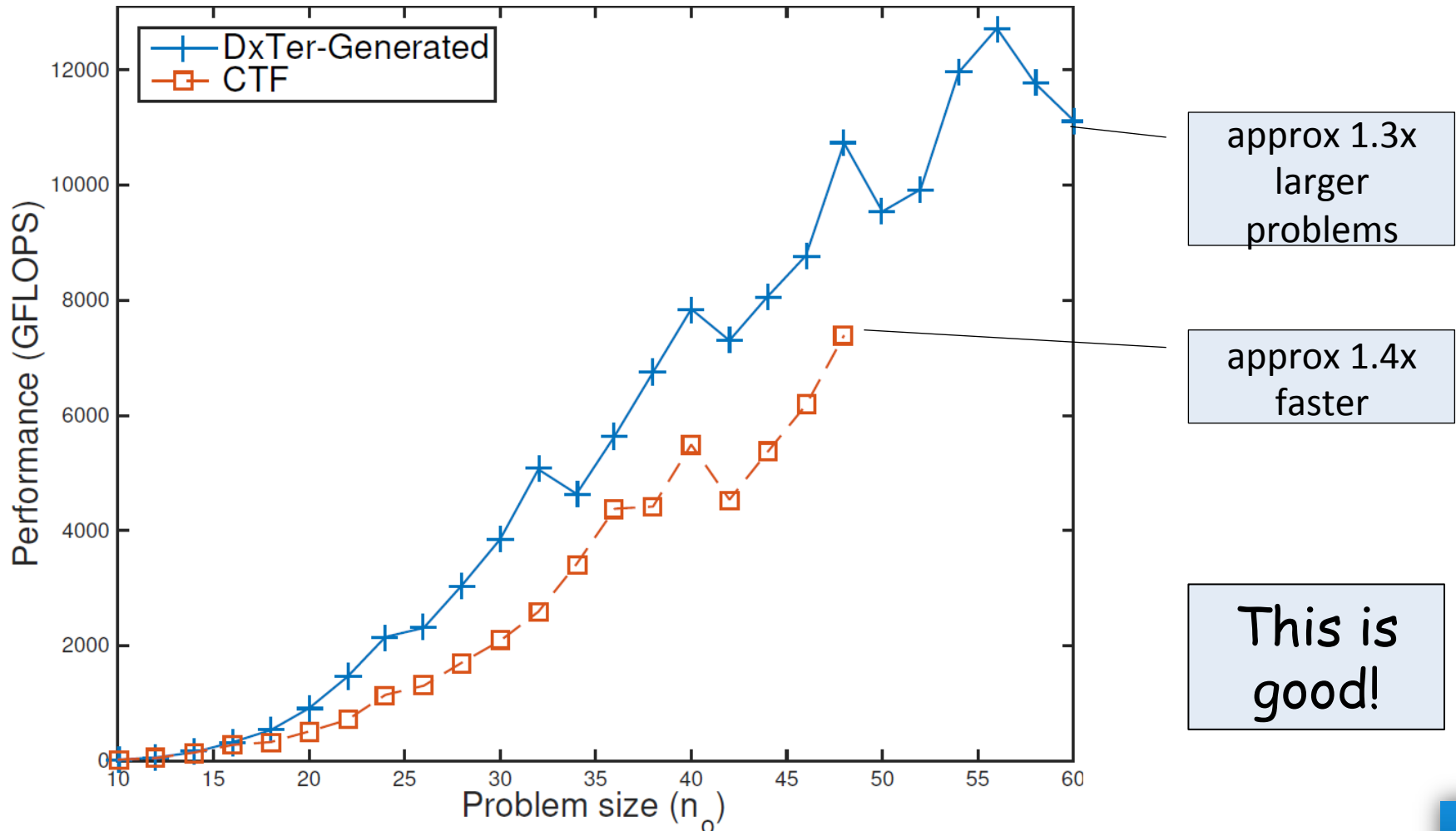
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# State of the Art

- Contestant: **CTF** – Cyclops Tensor Framework
  - state-of-the art distributed library for tensor computations
  - performs one contraction (tensor multiply) at a time
  - chooses among different algorithms
- Machine: Benchmark on BlueGene/Q
  - 16 shared-memory cores of IBM's 64-bit Power A2 architecture @ 1600MHz
  - each node has 16 GB of memory
  - ran CCSD on 256 of these nodes, for a total of 4096 cores

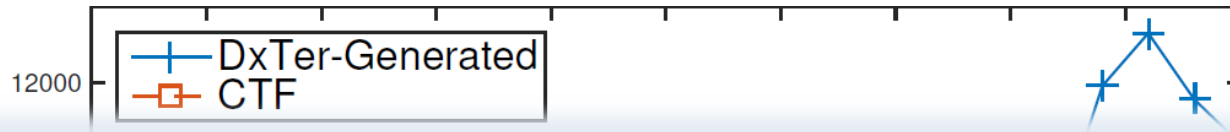
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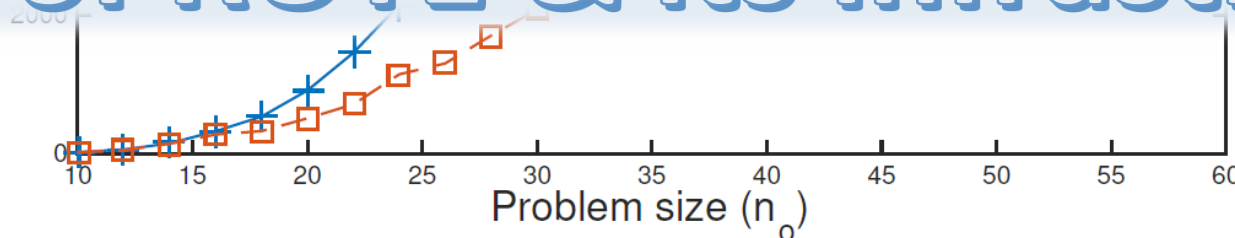


Take-away:

Performance (GFLOPS)

DxTer was essential in  
guiding the development  
of ROTE & its Infrastructure

is good!





There is much, much  
more to say...  
but enough for today



**DON,  
I DON'T WANT TO WORRY  
ABOUT MATH 😊**

# 30 Years Ago

- This leap forward could not have been done or would not be believable
  - simply didn't have the "observational" data to propel us forward
  - each "experiment" to derive programs from graph identities took ~4 years
  - had to look at several domains to see the commonalities → more years
  - took years to bring the pieces together → doesn't happen over night
- And this is Hard: If there is anything I've learned from programming and my career:

We are geniuses at making the simplest things complicated; Finding the simplicity and elegance behind what we do is hard

# And If You Do It Right...

- You will know you are successful when people ask...

So what was the problem?  
What is so hard about this?

- Here, in summary, are my take-away ideas...

# Finding Domain-Specific Identities

- Is a fundamental activity in Science, like Physics

$$L = \gamma m_0 \sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} = \rho$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{J} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}$$

$$G_{\mu\nu} = 8\pi T_{\mu\nu}$$

$$E = mc^2$$

$$F = ma = dp/dt$$

$$\sigma_x \sigma_y \geq \hbar/2$$

$$F = Gm_1 m_2 / d^2$$

$$i\hbar \nabla^2 \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t) = -\hbar^2 / 2m \nabla^2 \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t) + V(\mathbf{r}, t) \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

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↳ Physics is discovering  
the structural identities  
of the Universe

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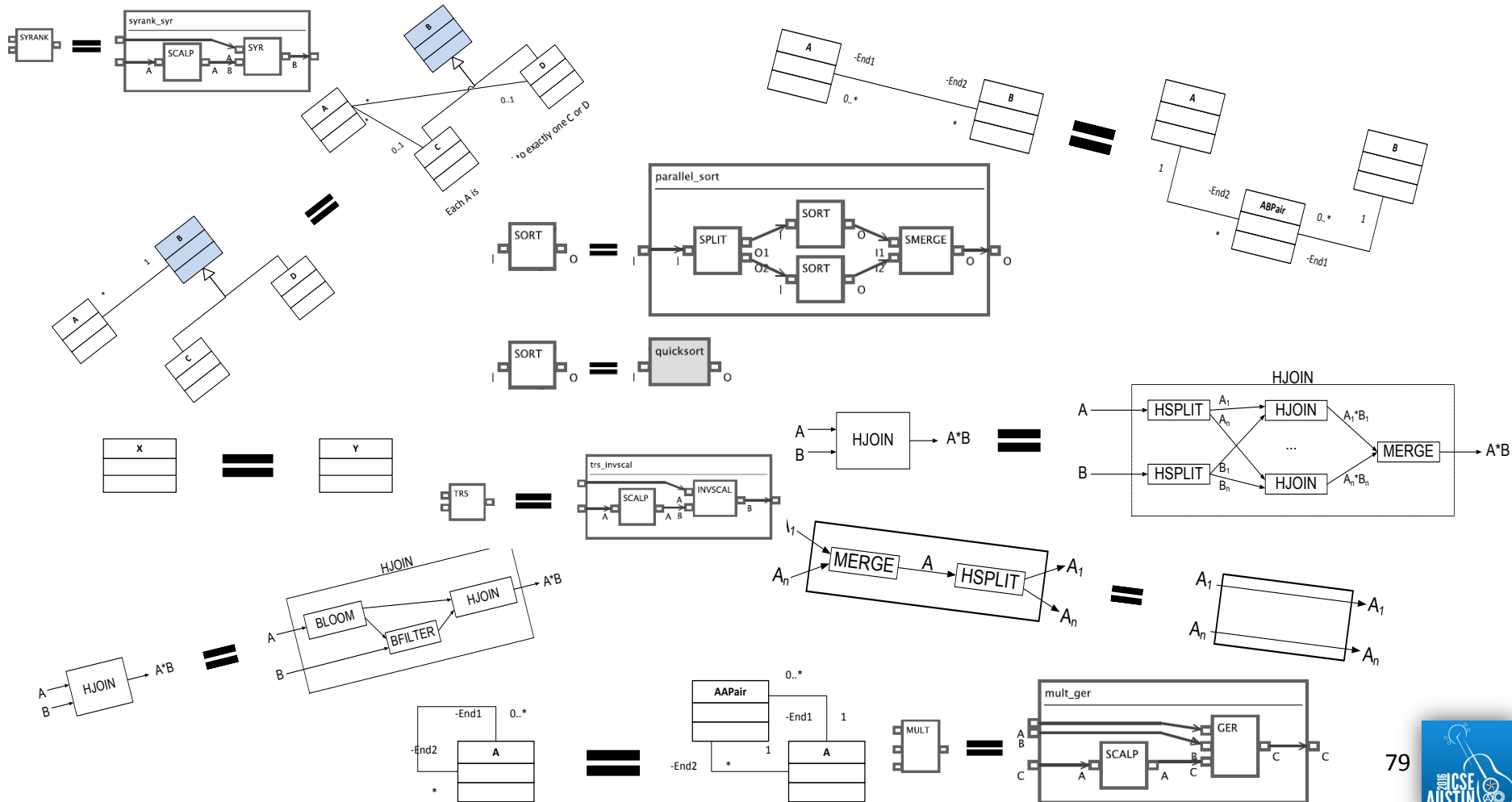
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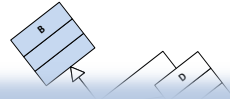
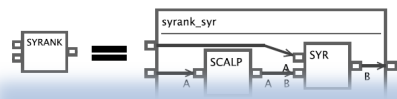
# Finding Domain-Specific Identities

- Is also a fundamental activity in Automated Software Design

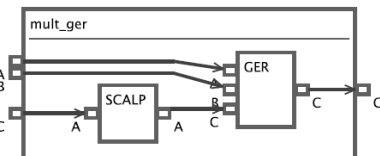
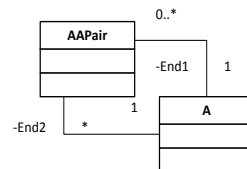
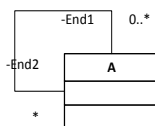
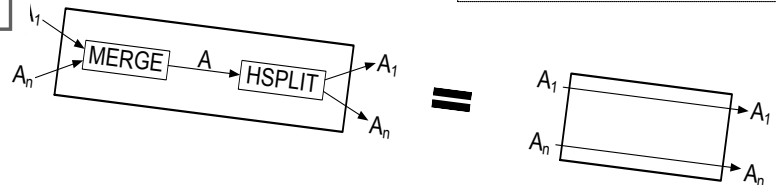
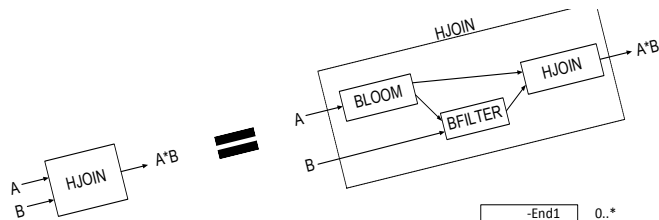
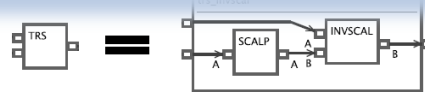


# Finding Domain-Specific Identities

- Is also a fundamental activity in Automated Software Design



Automated Software Design is discovering the structural identities of Software Domains





# Teaching Math in Software Design is Important

- Foundation of Science
- Shows algebraic foundations of advances in last 25 years in Software Design:



# Remember History of Science

- Greatest technical advances in last century were via science
- It will be no difference for software design
- It is now time to prepare our students for the future, not to continue the past

**Even if you  
are a dog...**



**Thank You!**