



Weighted Model Counting in First Order Logic

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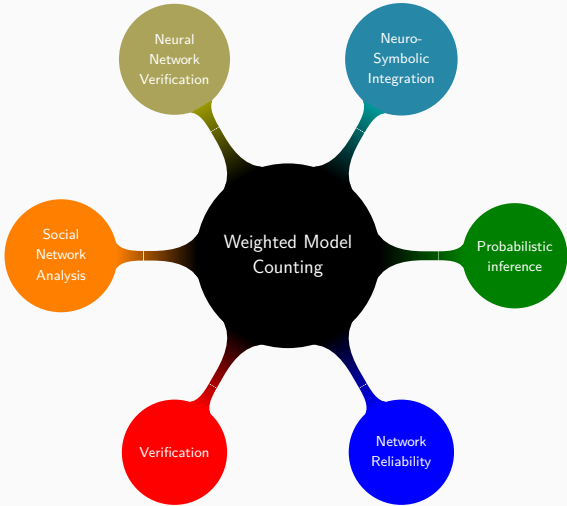
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0	1	$5 \times 0.5 = 1.5$
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FOMC in the two variable fragment

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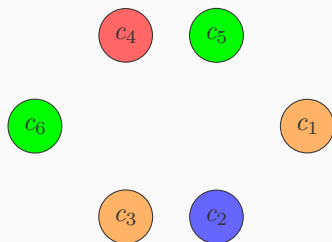
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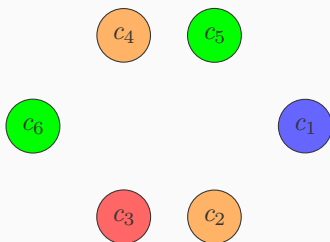
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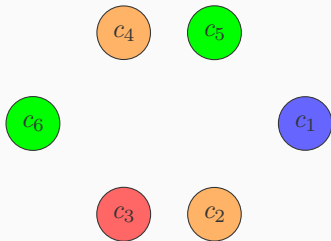
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Counting for fixed 1-Type cardinalities



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$$\# \text{Similar Arrangements} = \binom{n}{k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4} = \frac{6!}{1!2!1!2!} = 180$$

FO² Language: 2-tables

We have an FO² language, with the following predicates:

- A unary predicate $\text{FBK}(x)$
- A binary predicate $\text{Shaves}(x, y)$

We have the following set binary properties also called **2-tables**:

$$\text{Shaves}(c, d) \wedge \text{Shaves}(d, c)$$

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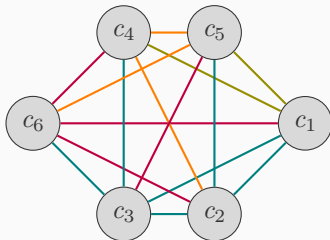
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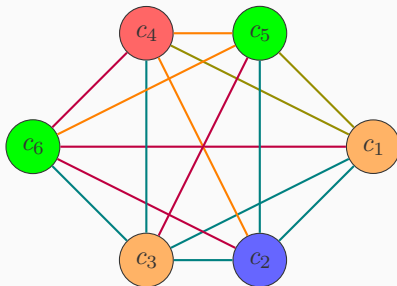


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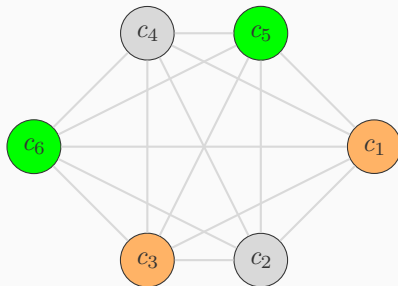
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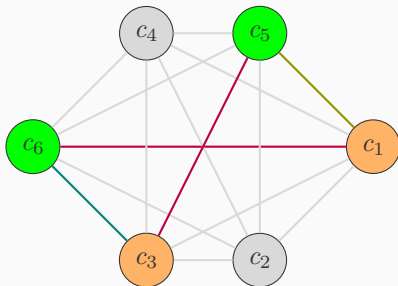
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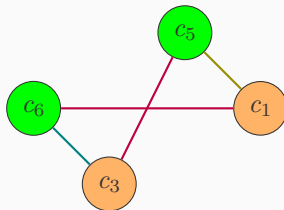
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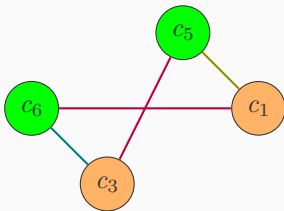


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$$\binom{k_2 \times k_4}{h_1 \quad h_2 \quad h_3 \quad h_4} = \frac{(2 \times 2)!}{2!2!1!0!} = 6$$

Enumerating all models over 1-types and 2-tables

$$\sum_{\vec{k}, \vec{h}} \binom{n}{k_1 \dots k_u} \prod_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq u} \binom{k(i, j)}{h_1^{ij} \dots h_b^{ij}}$$

$$k(i, j) = \begin{cases} k_i k_j & \text{if } i \neq j \\ \frac{k_i(k_i-1)}{2} & \text{if } i = j \end{cases}$$

Adding Formulas : $\forall xy.\Phi(x, y)$

A formula $\forall xy.\Phi(x, y)$, allows some and disallows other 1-Type and 2-Table configuration. For Example:

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FOMC in FO²: $\forall x \forall y. \Phi(x, y)$

$$\text{FOMC}(\Phi, n) =$$

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Unary Properties

Constraints: Φ

Binary Properties

Extensions

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Then the following relation holds:

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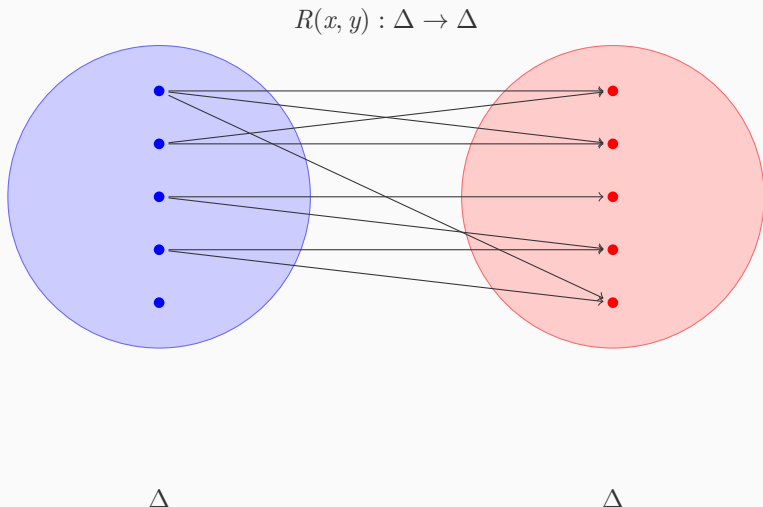
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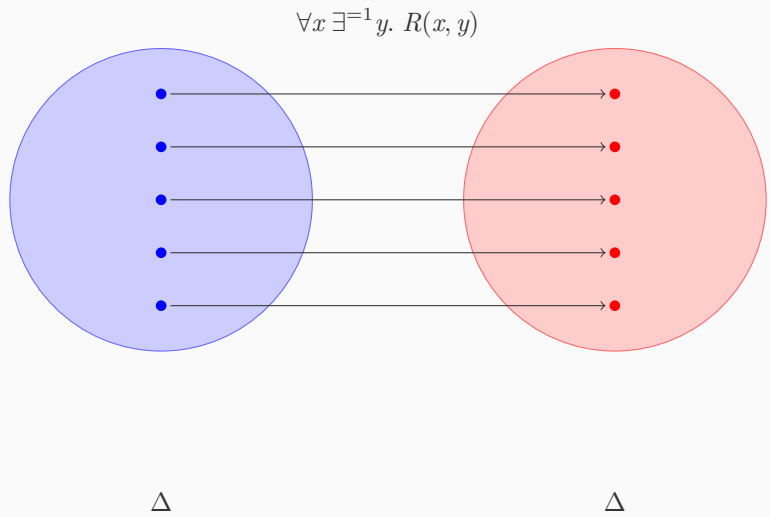
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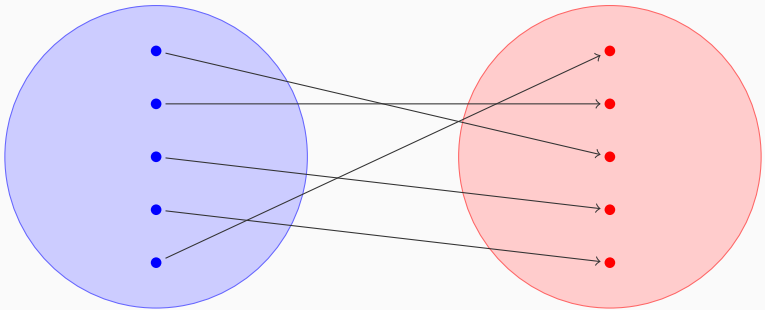


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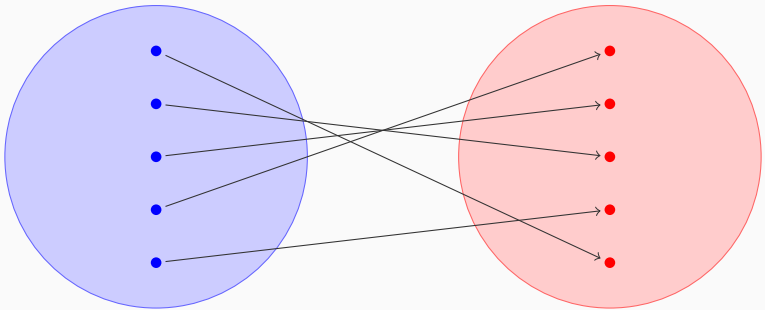
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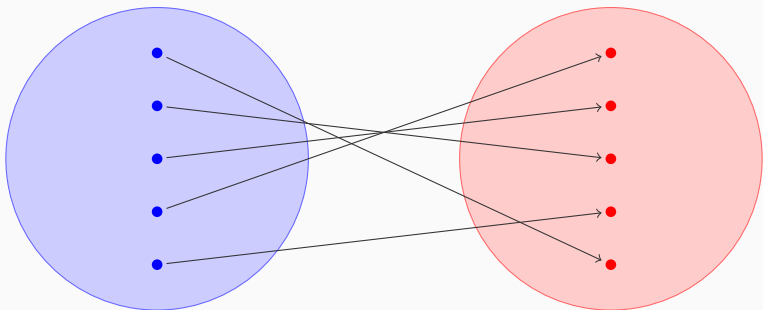
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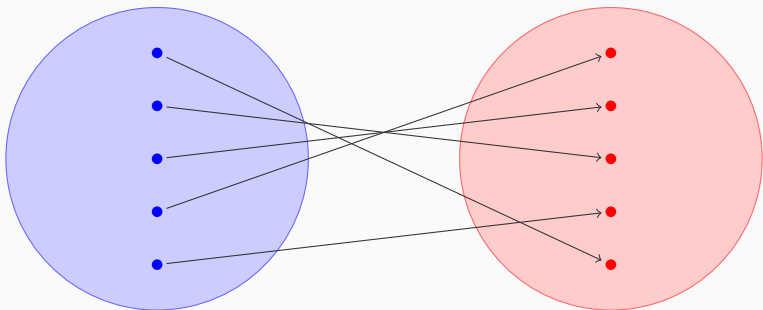
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Given any formula Φ , $\Phi \wedge \forall x \exists y. R(x, y) \wedge (|R| = |n|)$ allows only the models where R is functional.

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In this work, we expand the fragments admitting tractable counting and provide a combinatorial framework that admits closed form formulae.

Future Works

- Consistency of probabilistic inference [[Preprint Online](#)]
- Expressing Scalable Consistent Models [[Work in Progress](#)]
- Approximate counting with guarantees [[Work in Progress](#)]

Thank You !