

A Tensor-Based Probabilistic Event Calculus

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Motivation for Tensor-Based Probabilistic Reasoning

- ▶ Robust and scalable logical inference in the presence of uncertainty.
- ▶ High rate and volume of input data.
- ▶ Exploit linear algebraic computation.
- ▶ Event Calculus allows expressive temporal reasoning.
- ▶ Perform CER by employing temporal windows and caching.

Event Calculus (Example)

initiatedAt($moving(P_1, P_2)=true, T$) $\leftarrow$
 happensAt($walking(P_1), T$),
 happensAt($walking(P_2), T$),
 holdsAt($close(P_1, P_2)=true, T$),
 holdsAt($similarOrientation(P_1, P_2)=true, T$).
terminatedAt($moving(P_1, P_2)=true, T$) $\leftarrow$
 happensAt($walking(P_1), T$),
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Event Calculus (*Law of inertia*)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{holdsAt}(fl(X, Y)=v, T) \leftarrow \\ \text{next}(T_{prev}, T), \\ \text{initiatedAt}(fl(X, Y)=v, T_{prev}). \end{aligned}$$
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Probabilistic Event Calculus

- ▶ *Possible world* semantics.
- ▶ A probabilistic fact is denoted by $p :: f$, $p \in [0, 1]$.
- ▶ If f is not included in a world, then $\neg f$ is included with probability $1 - p$.
- ▶ The product of the probabilities of the facts (positive or negative) is the probability of the world.

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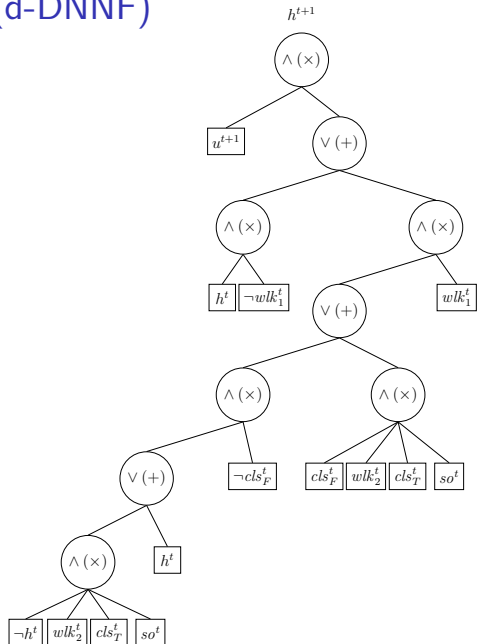
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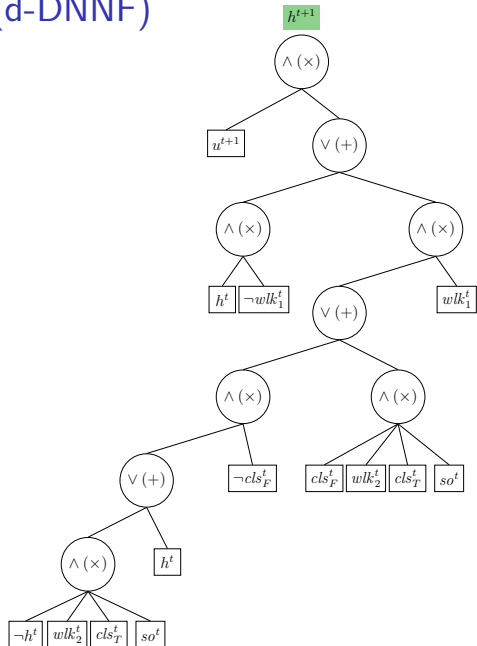
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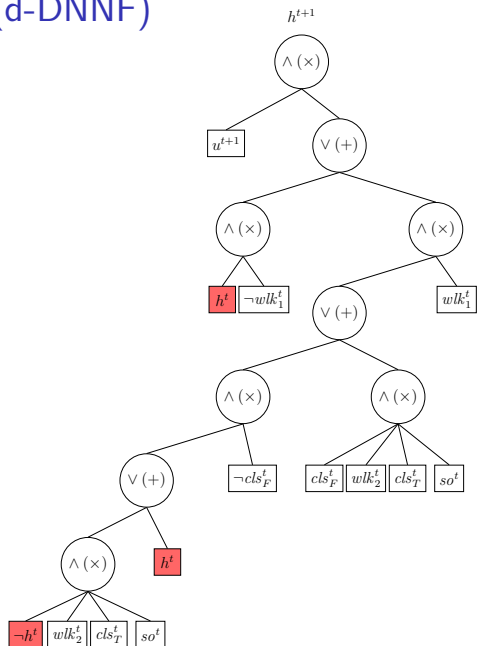
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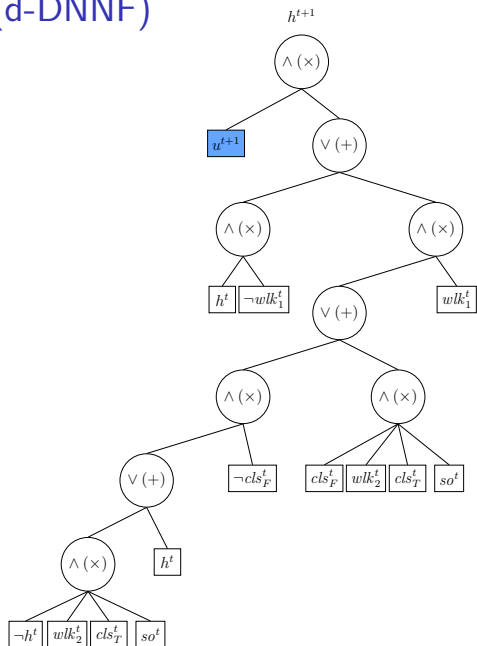
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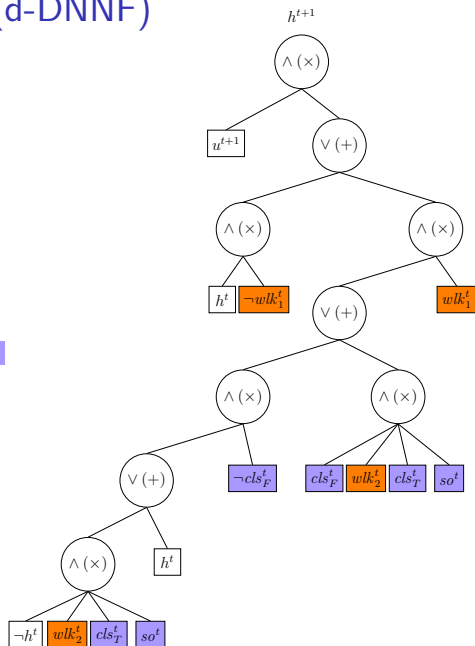
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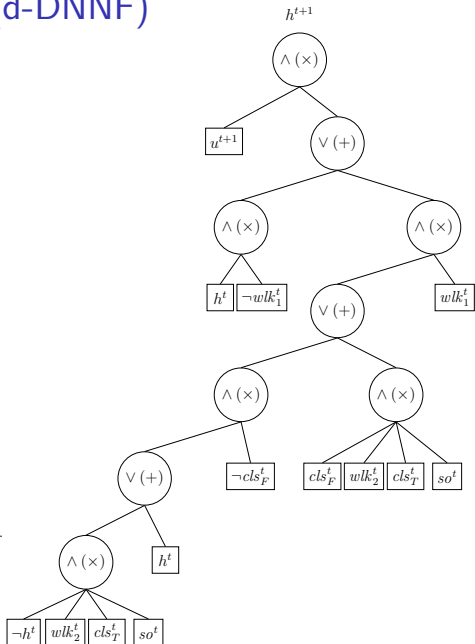
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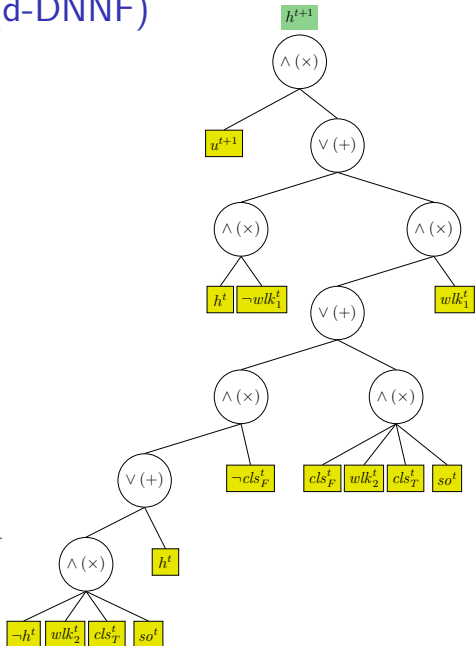
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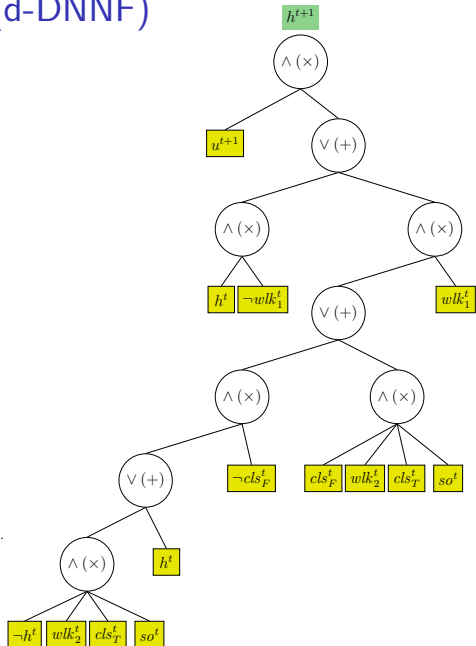
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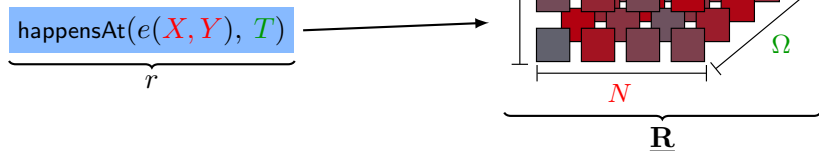
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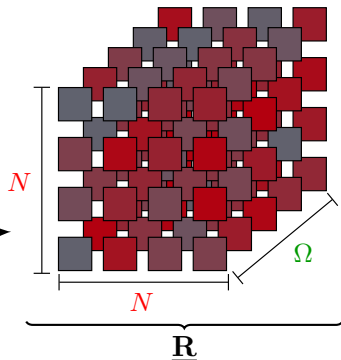
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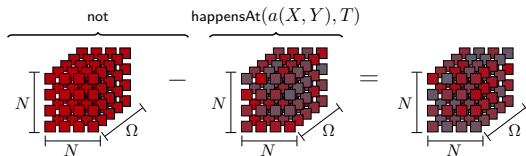
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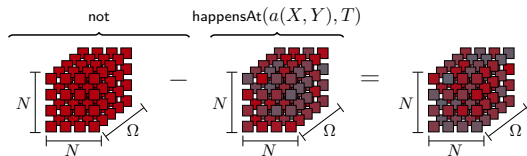
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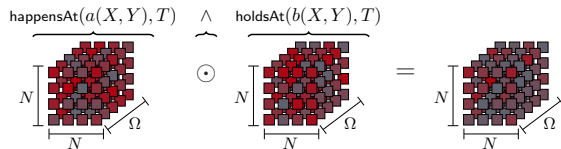


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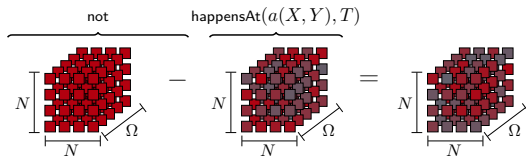


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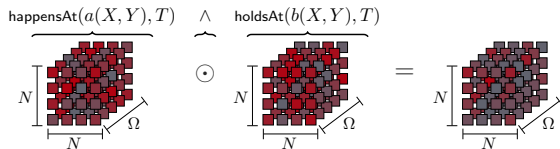


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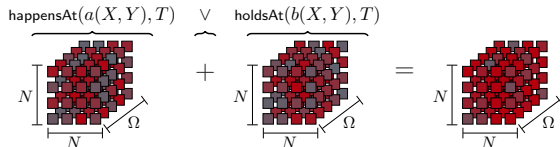
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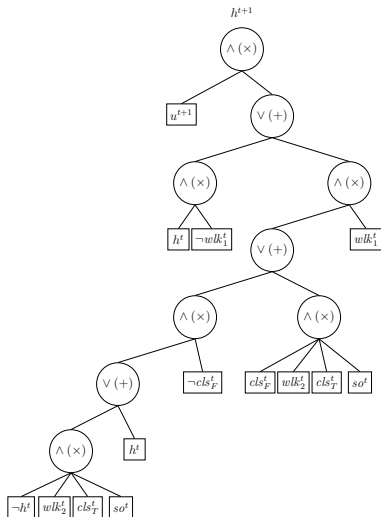
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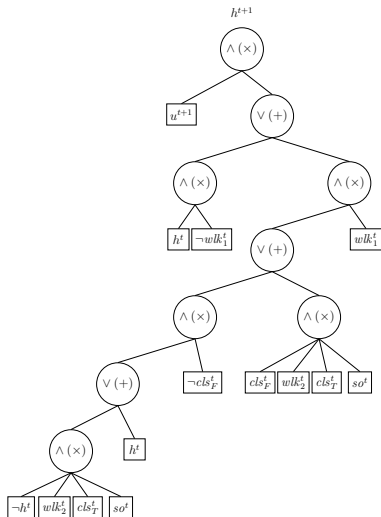
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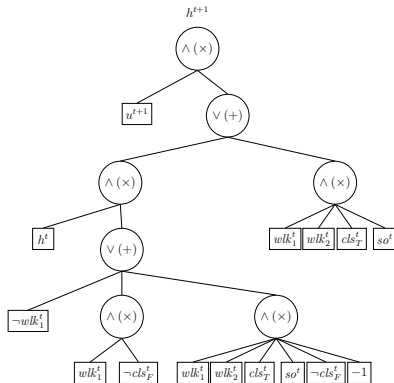
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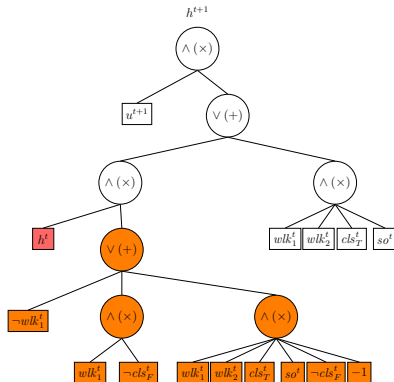
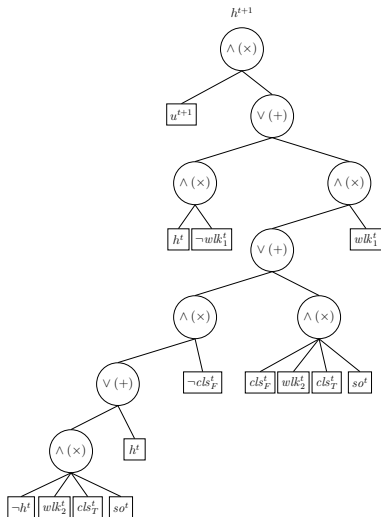
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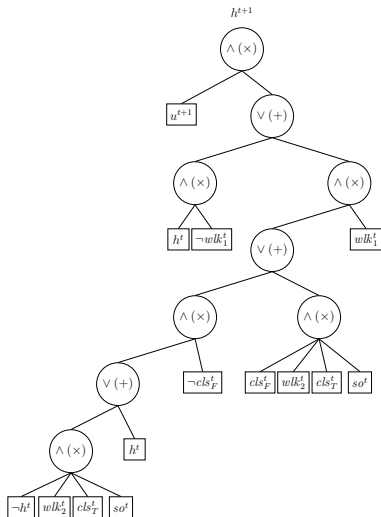
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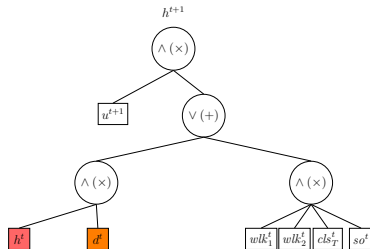
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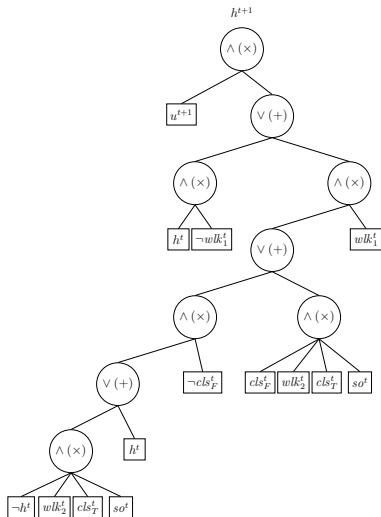
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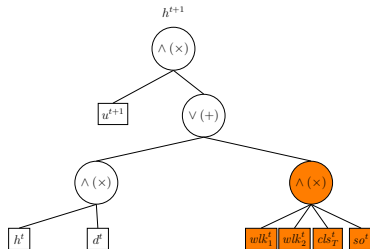
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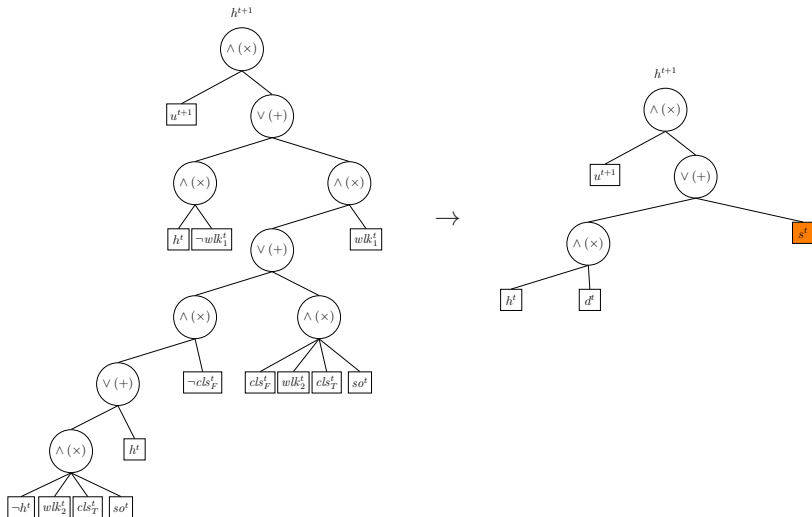
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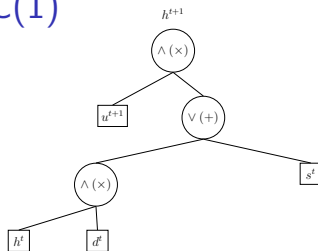
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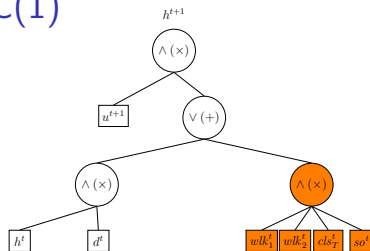
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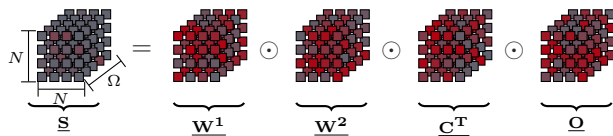
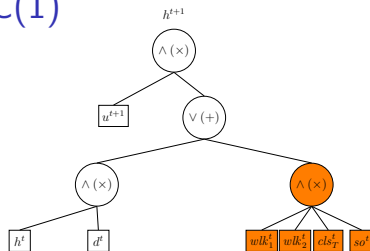
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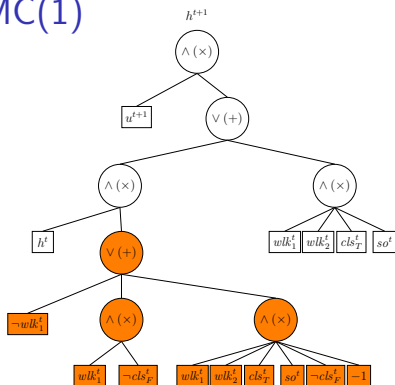
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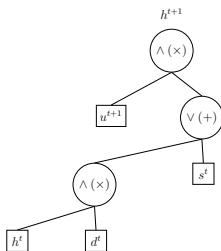
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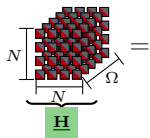
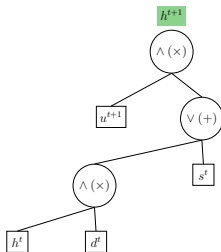
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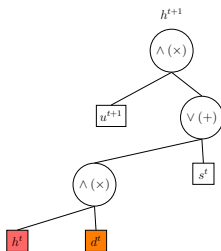
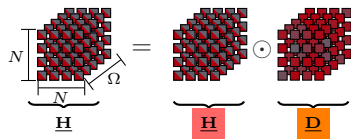
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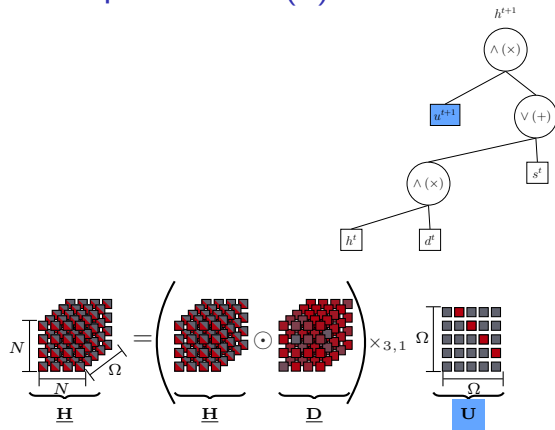
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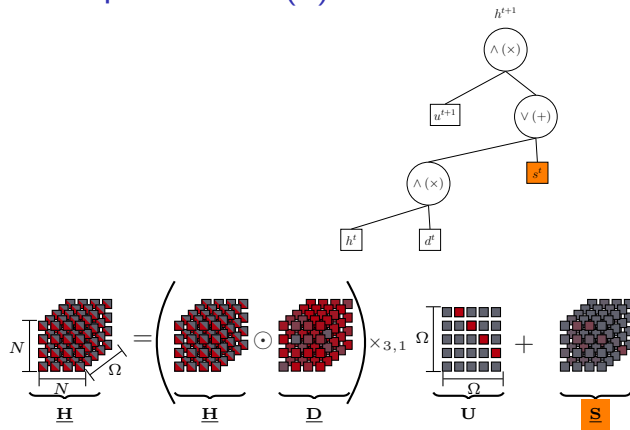
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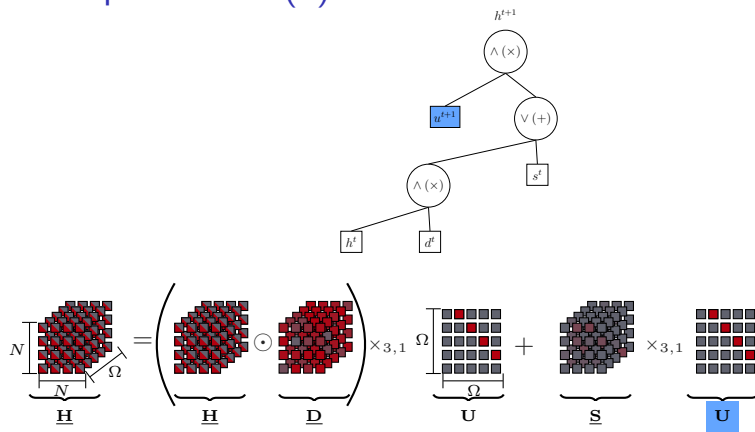
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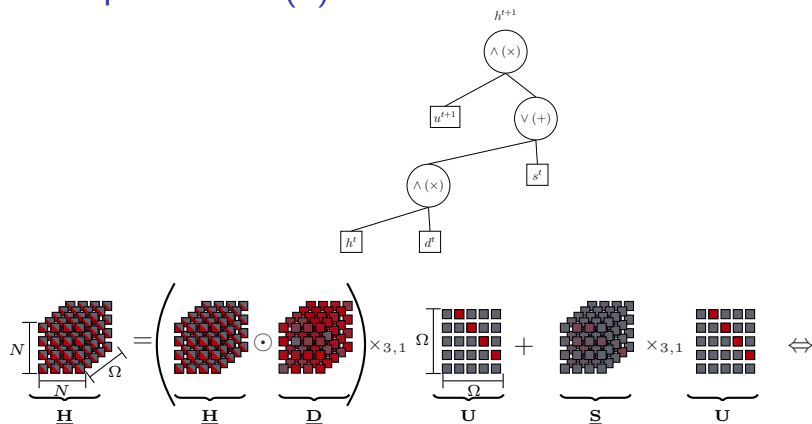
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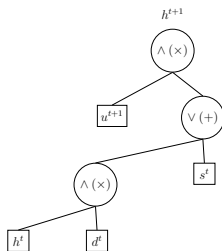
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The diagram illustrates the WMC(3) equation in tensor-pEC. It shows the relationship between tensors $\underline{\mathbf{H}}$, $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$, $\underline{\mathbf{U}}$, $\underline{\mathbf{S}}$, and their dimensions N and Ω .

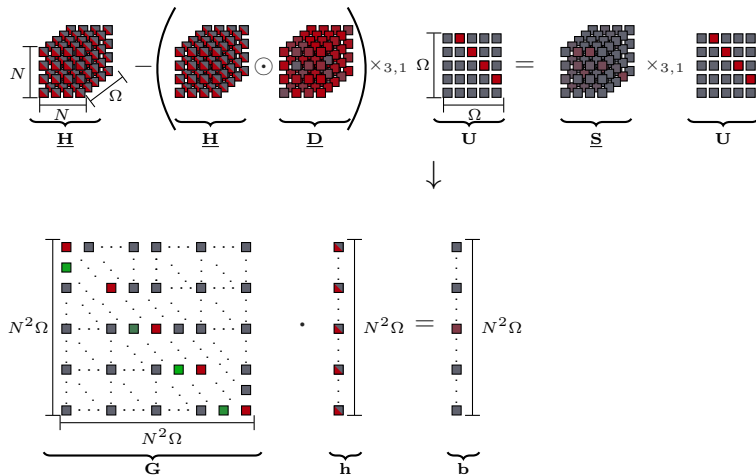
On the left side of the equation, a large 3D tensor $\underline{\mathbf{H}}$ of size $N \times N \times \Omega$ is shown. It is followed by a minus sign and a large parenthesis containing two 3D tensors: $\underline{\mathbf{H}}$ and $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$. The tensor $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$ is of size $\Omega \times \Omega \times \Omega$. The parenthesis is followed by a multiplication symbol $\times_{3,1}$ and a 2D tensor $\underline{\mathbf{U}}$ of size $\Omega \times \Omega$.

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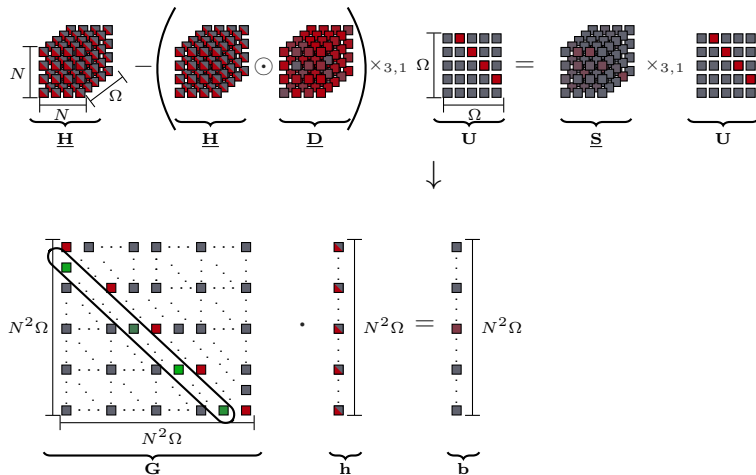
The equation is:

$$\underline{\mathbf{H}} - \left(\underline{\mathbf{H}} \odot \underline{\mathbf{D}} \right) \times_{3,1} \underline{\mathbf{U}} = \underline{\mathbf{S}} \times_{3,1} \underline{\mathbf{U}}$$

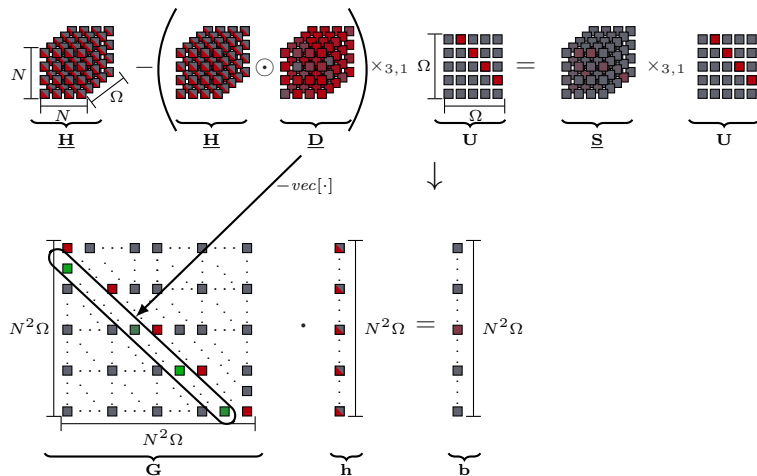
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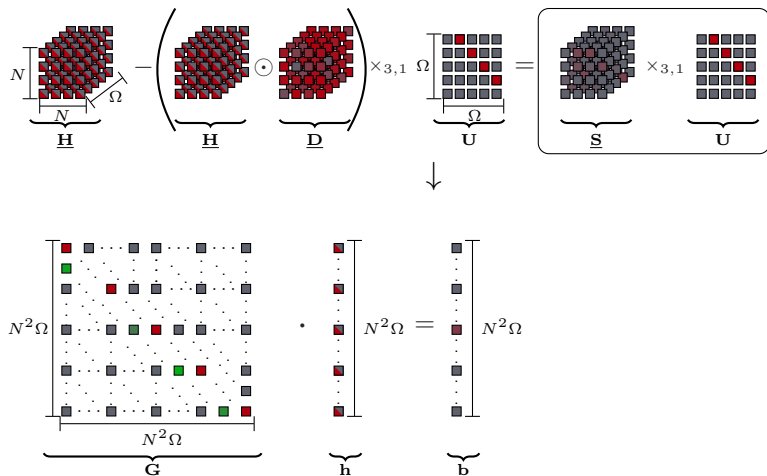
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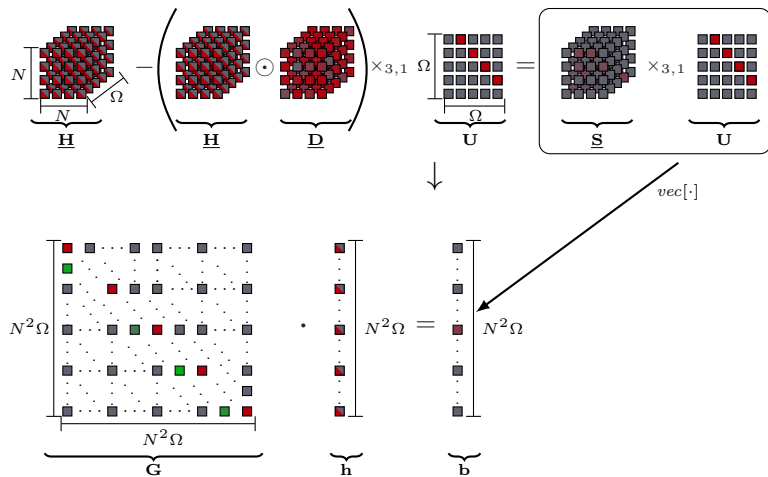
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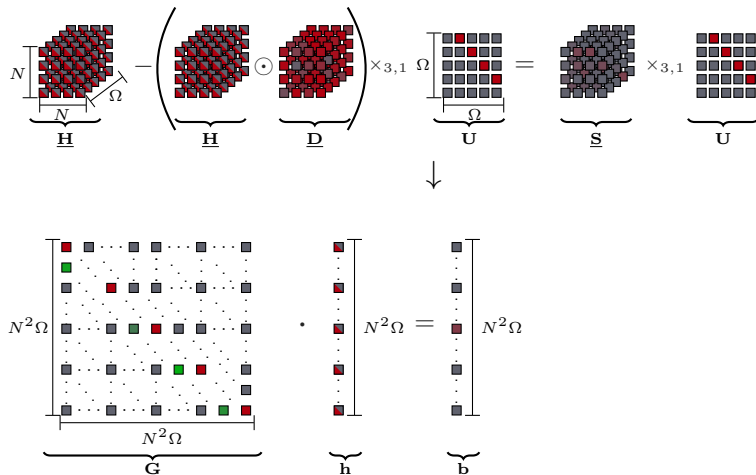
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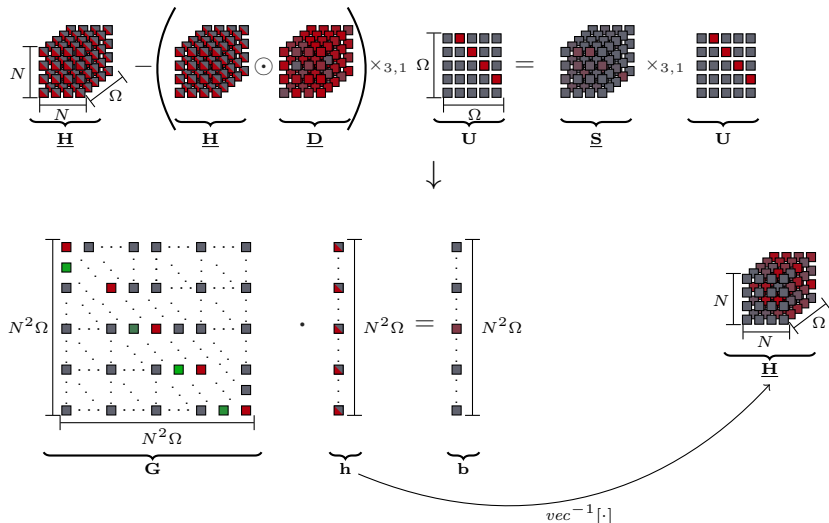
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Tensor-pEC: Formal Properties

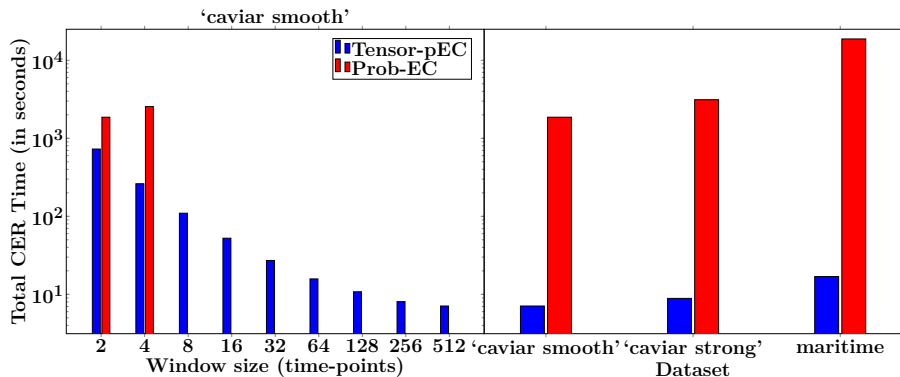
Correctness

The **unique solution** of the equation coincides with the *success probabilities* (*WMC*) of a fluent-value pair to hold, as computed symbolically.

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 - ▶ 'caviar smooth': noise to input SDEs.
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 - ▶ Maritime: noise to AIS messages.
- ▶ Tensor-pEC: use of sparse representations.
- ▶ Code: <https://github.com/eftsilio/Tensor-pEC-code>

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