

Non-linear Associative-Commutative Many-to-One Pattern Matching with Sequence Variables

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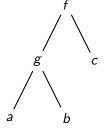


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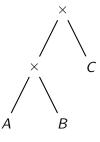


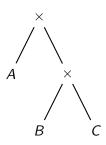
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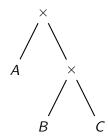


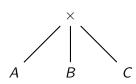
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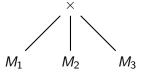
Canonical Variadic Form







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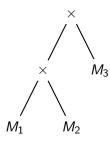




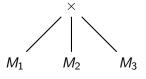




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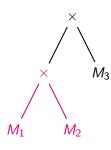




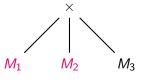




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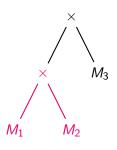






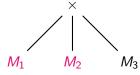






$$\sigma = \{ \boldsymbol{X} \mapsto (M_1 \times M_2) \}$$







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 n! with n = |subject|





Complexity

	Synt	Assoc	SeqVar	Comm	All
Max. # matches	1	$\binom{n-1}{m-1}$	$\binom{n+m-1}{m-1}$	n!	n ^m
NP complete	no	yes	yes	yes	yes

$$n = |subject|, m = |pattern|$$





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Backtracking





Pattern: $f_c(a, g(c, d), g(x), x, y^*, z)$

Subject: $f_c(a, b, g(b), c, g(c, d), e)$

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Permutations: 2! = 6

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Solutions:

$$\{x \mapsto \{a, b\}, \qquad y \mapsto \{a, c\}\}$$

$$\{x \mapsto \{a\}, \qquad y \mapsto \{a, b, b, c\}\}$$

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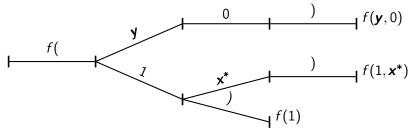








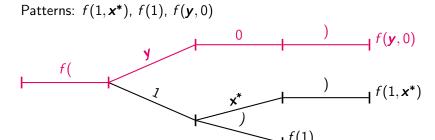
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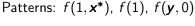


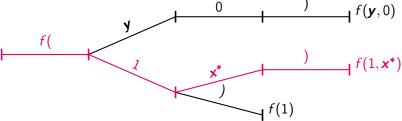
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Match: $f(\mathbf{y}, 0)$ with $\{\mathbf{y} \mapsto 1\}$







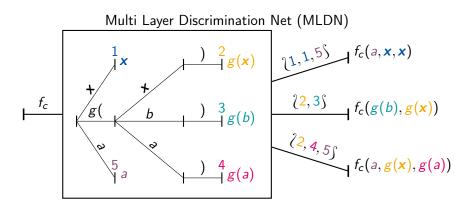


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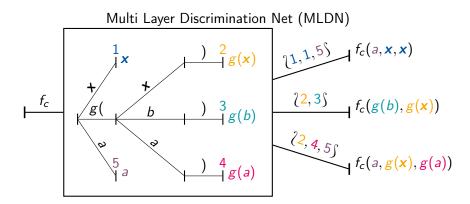
Match: $f(1, \mathbf{x}^*)$ with $\{\mathbf{x}^* \mapsto (0)\}$











$$f_c(a,g(a),g(a)) \Rightarrow (1,1,1,2,2,4,4,5)$$





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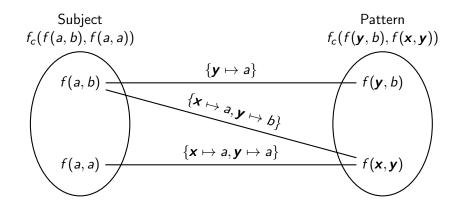




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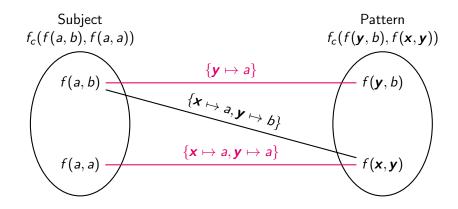






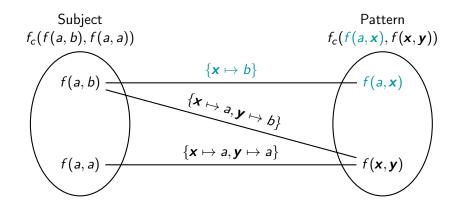
















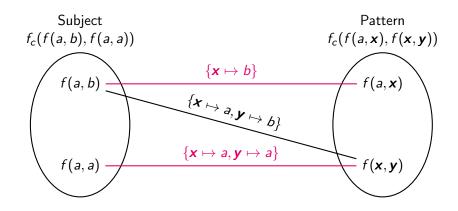






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- Open source on Github:

https://github.com/hpac/matchpy





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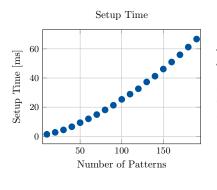
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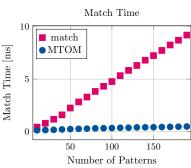
Operation	Symbol	Arity	Properties
Multiplication	×	variadic	associative
Addition	+	variadic	associative, commutative
Transposition	T	unary	
Inversion	-1	unary	
Inverse Transposition	− <i>T</i>	unary	





Match Times

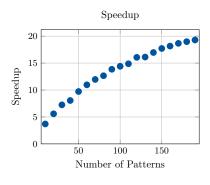








Speedup



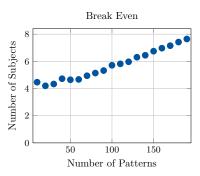






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Repository

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