# Where did my RAM go? Using algebraic cryptanalysis in practice

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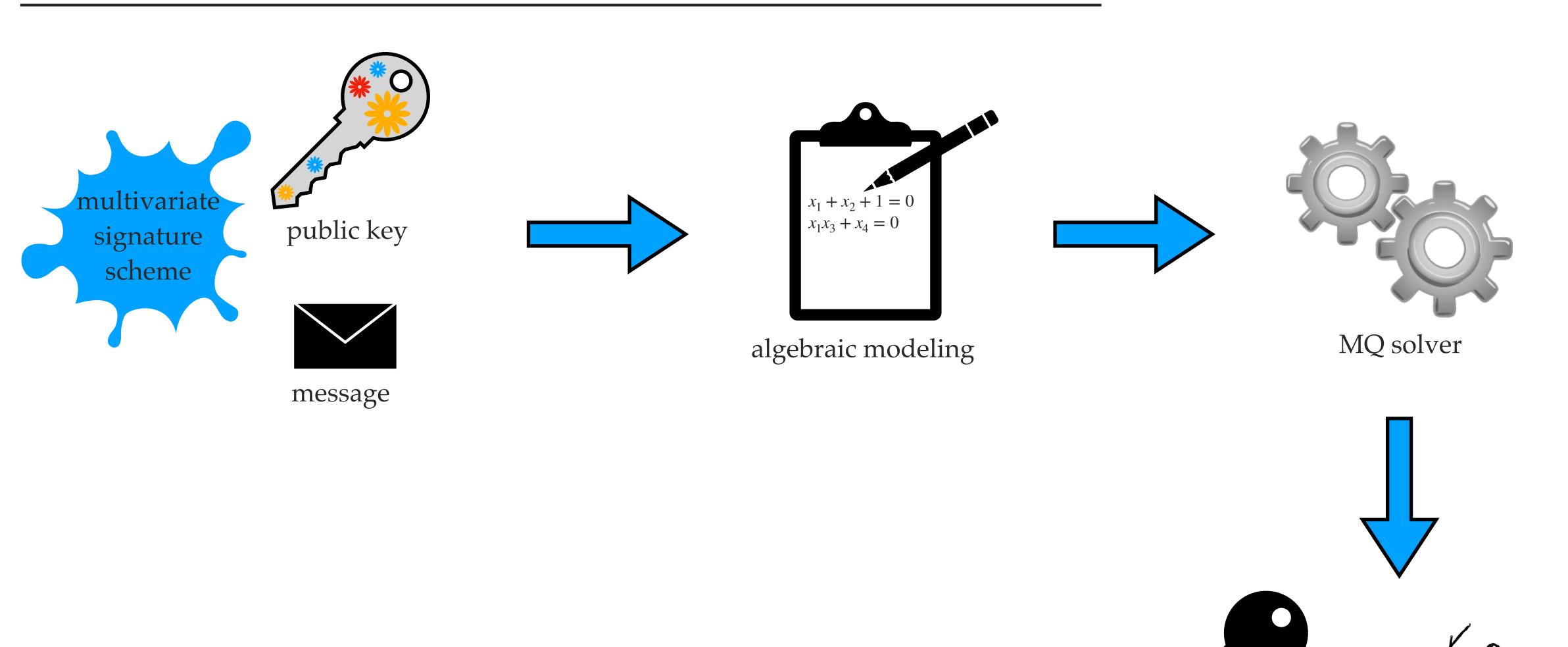
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A type of cryptanalytic methods where the problem of finding the secret key (or any attack goal) is reduced to the problem of finding a solution to a nonlinear multivariate polynomial system of equations.

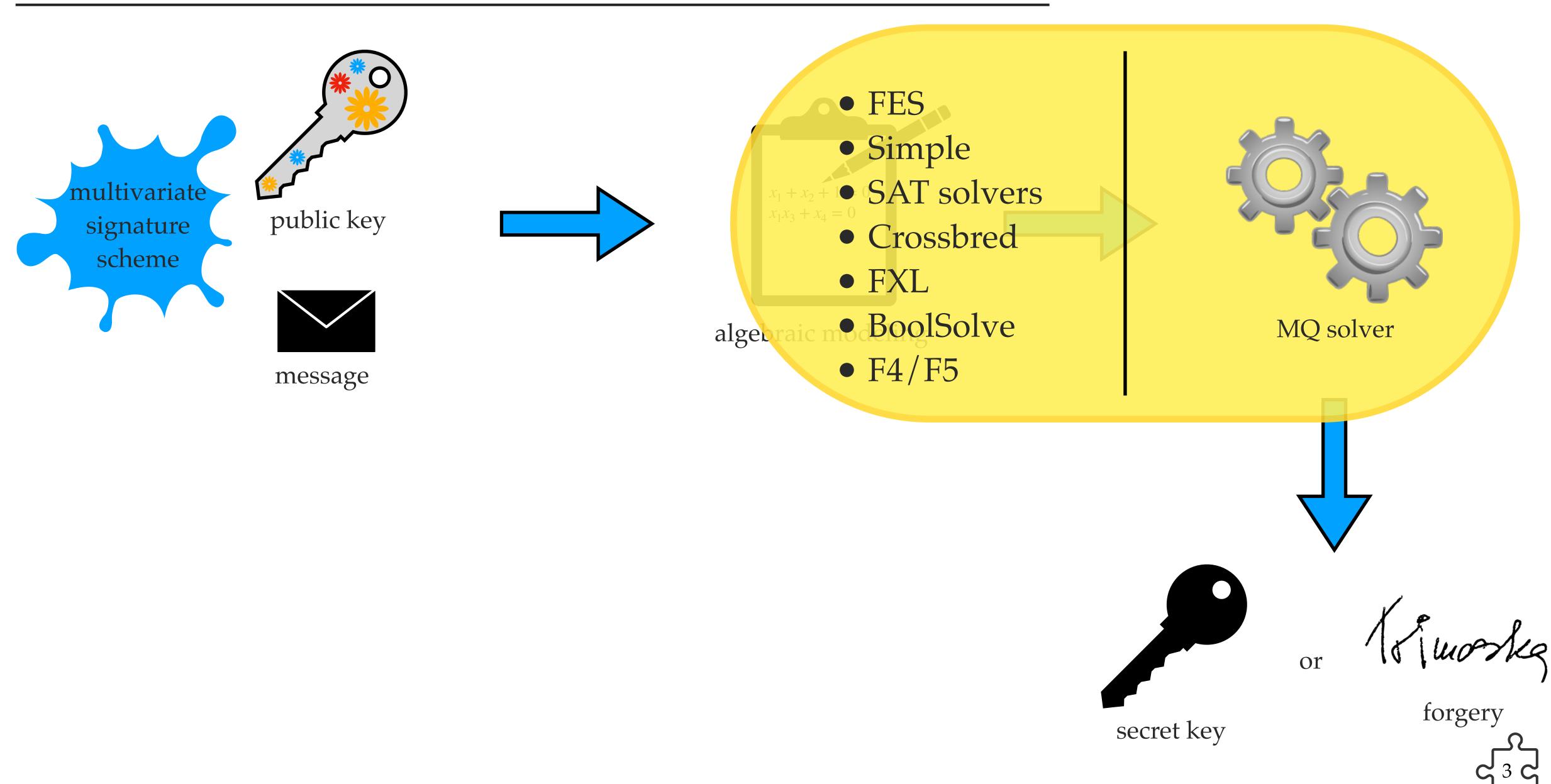


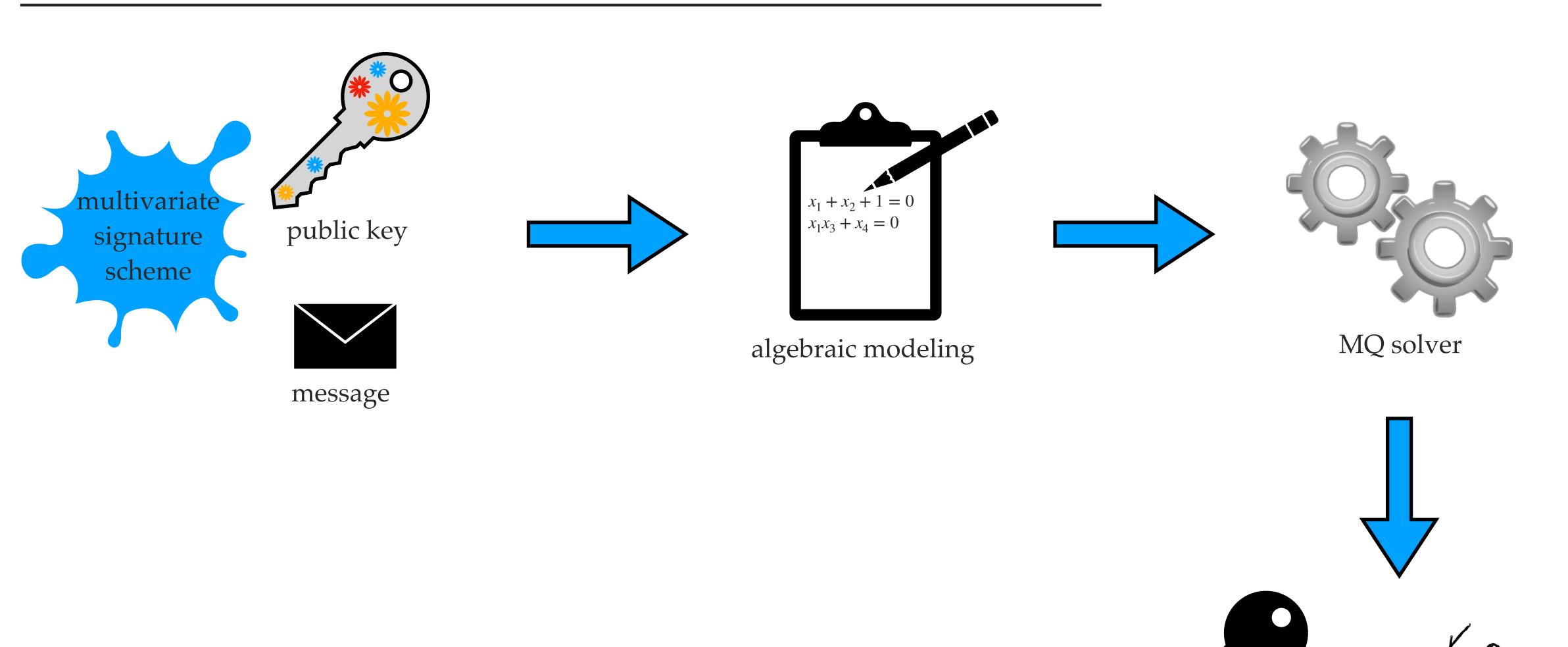
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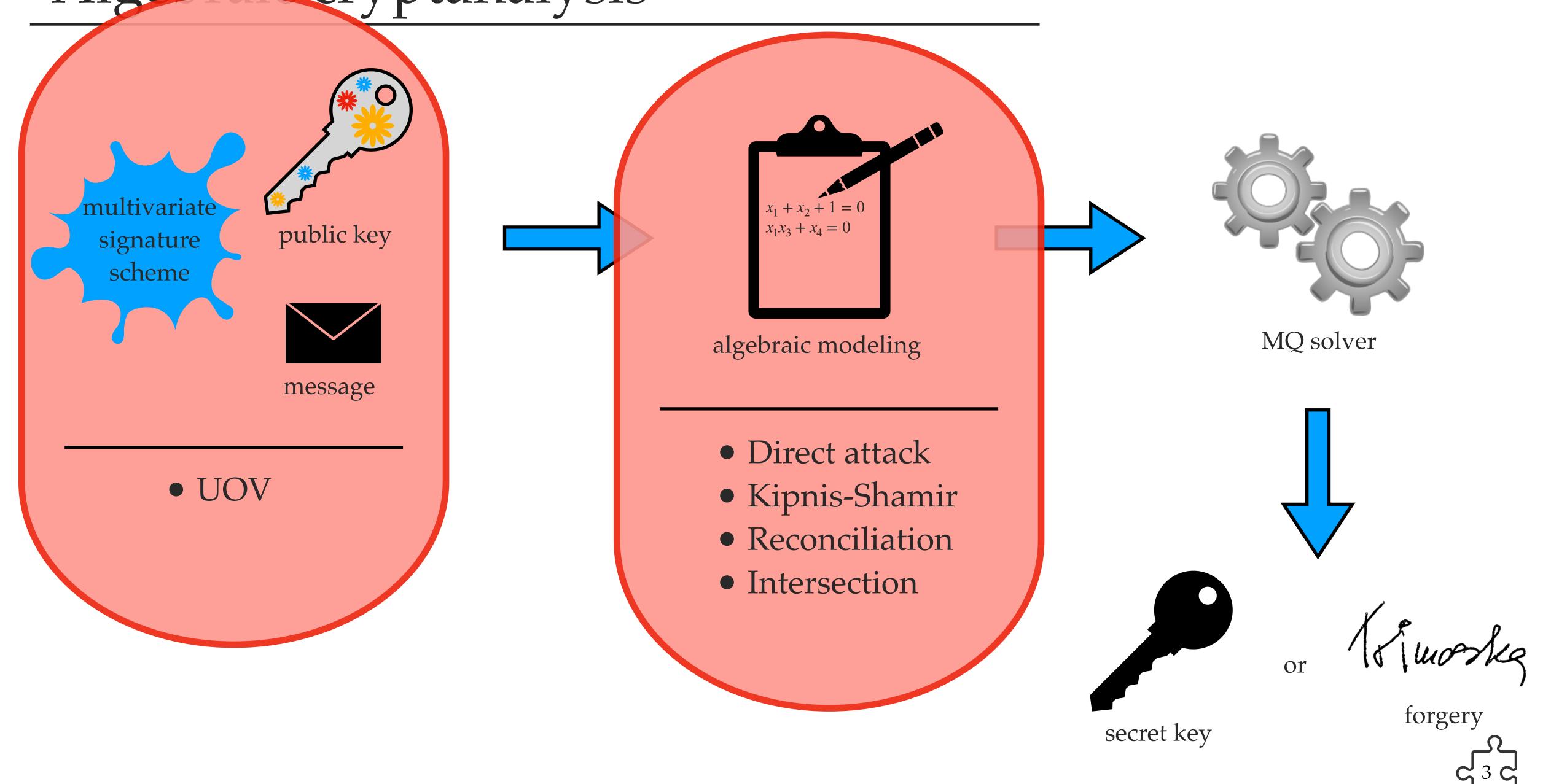


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### The MQ problem (recall)

#### The MQ problem

Given m multivariate quadratic polynomials  $f_1, ..., f_m$  of n variables over a finite field  $\mathbb{F}_q$ , find a tuple  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, ..., x_n)$  in  $\mathbb{F}_q^n$ , such that  $f_1(\mathbf{x}) = ... = f_m(\mathbf{x}) = 0$ .

### Example.

$$f_1: x_1x_3 + x_2x_4 + x_1 + x_3 + x_4 = 0$$

$$f_2: x_2x_3 + x_1x_4 + x_3x_4 + x_1 + x_2 + x_4 = 0$$

$$f_3: x_2x_4 + x_3x_4 + x_1 + x_3 + 1 = 0$$

$$f_4: x_1x_2 + x_1x_3 + x_2x_3 + x_3 + x_4 + 1 = 0$$

$$f_5: x_1x_2 + x_2x_3 + x_1x_4 + x_3 = 0$$

 $f_6: x_1x_3 + x_1x_4 + x_3x_4 + x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0$ 

### Example.

Given matrices  $\mathbf{C}_1, \mathbf{C}_2, \mathbf{D}_1, \mathbf{D}_2 \in \mathcal{M}_{n,n}(\mathbb{F}_q)$  (the space of matrices over  $\mathbb{F}_q$  of size  $n \times n$ ), find  $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B} \in \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$  (the space of invertible matrices over  $\mathbb{F}_q$  of size  $n \times n$ ), such that

$$\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$$



Example. 
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{D}_1 &= \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B} \\ \mathbf{D}_2 &= \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B} \end{aligned}$$

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$d_{1,1}$	$d_{1,2}$	$d_{1,3}$	$d_{1,4}$	$d_{1,5}$
$d_{2,1}$	$d_{2,2}$	$d_{2,3}$	$d_{2,4}$	$d_{2,5}$
$d_{3,1}$	$d_{3,2}$	$d_{3,3}$	$d_{3,4}$	$d_{3,5}$
$d_{4,1}$	$d_{4,2}$	$d_{4,3}$	$d_{4,4}$	$d_{4,5}$
$d_{5,1}$	$d_{5,2}$	$d_{5,3}$	$d_{5,4}$	$d_{5,5}$

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$a_{1,1}$	$a_{1,2}$	$a_{1,3}$	$a_{1,4}$	$a_{1,5}$
$a_{2,1}$	$a_{2,2}$	$a_{2,3}$	$a_{2,4}$	$a_{2,5}$
$a_{3,1}$	$a_{3,2}$	$a_{3,3}$	$a_{3,4}$	$a_{3,5}$
$a_{4,1}$	$a_{4,2}$	$a_{4,3}$	$a_{4,4}$	$a_{4,5}$
$a_{5,1}$	$a_{5,2}$	<i>a</i> <sub>5,3</sub>	$a_{5,4}$	$a_{5,5}$

 $\mathbf{C}_1$ 

$c_{1,1}$	$c_{1,2}$	$c_{1,3}$	$c_{1,4}$	$c_{1,5}$
$c_{2,1}$	$c_{2,2}$	$c_{2,3}$	$c_{2,4}$	$c_{2,5}$
$c_{3,1}$	$c_{3,2}$	$c_{3,3}$	$c_{3,4}$	$c_{3,5}$
$c_{4,1}$	$c_{4,2}$	$c_{4,3}$	$c_{4,4}$	$c_{4,5}$
$c_{5,1}$	$c_{5,2}$	$c_{5,3}$	c <sub>5,4</sub>	$c_{5,5}$

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$b_{1,1}$	$b_{1,2}$	$b_{1,3}$	$b_{1,4}$	$b_{1,5}$
$b_{2,1}$	$b_{2,2}$	$b_{2,3}$	$b_{2,4}$	$b_{2,5}$
$b_{3,1}$	$b_{3,2}$	$b_{3,3}$	$b_{3,4}$	$b_{3,5}$
$b_{4,1}$	$b_{4,2}$	$b_{4,3}$	$b_{4,4}$	$b_{4,5}$
$b_{5,1}$	$b_{5,2}$	$b_{5,3}$	$b_{5,4}$	$b_{5,5}$



Example. 
$$\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$$

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#### $\mathbf{AC}_1\mathbf{B}$

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$

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Example. 
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{D}_1 &= \mathbf{A} \mathbf{C}_1 \mathbf{B} \\ \mathbf{D}_2 &= \mathbf{A} \mathbf{C}_2 \mathbf{B} \end{aligned} \qquad \begin{aligned} d_{1,1} - \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$d_{1,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$d_{1,1}$	$d_{1,2}$	$d_{1,3}$	$d_{1,4}$	$d_{1,5}$
$d_{2,1}$	$d_{2,2}$	$d_{2,3}$	$d_{2,4}$	$d_{2,5}$
$d_{3,1}$	$d_{3,2}$	$d_{3,3}$	$d_{3,4}$	$d_{3,5}$
$d_{4,1}$	$d_{4,2}$	$d_{4,3}$	$d_{4,4}$	$d_{4,5}$
$d_{5,1}$	$d_{5,2}$	$d_{5,3}$	$d_{5,4}$	$d_{5,5}$

#### $\mathbf{AC}_1\mathbf{B}$

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$

Example. 
$$\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$

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$$d_{1,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$d_{2,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$

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Example. 
$$\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$$

$$d_{1,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$d_{2,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$d_{1,2} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2} = 0, \dots$$

		$\mathbf{D}_1$		
$d_{1,1}$	$d_{1,2}$	$d_{1,3}$	$d_{1,4}$	$d_{1,5}$
$d_{2,1}$	$d_{2,2}$	$d_{2,3}$	$d_{2,4}$	$d_{2,5}$
$d_{3,1}$	$d_{3,2}$	$d_{3,3}$	$d_{3,4}$	$d_{3,5}$
$d_{4,1}$	$d_{4,2}$	$d_{4,3}$	$d_{4,4}$	$d_{4,5}$
$d_{5,1}$	$d_{5,2}$	$d_{5,3}$	$d_{5,4}$	$d_{5,5}$

$$\mathbf{AC}_{1}\mathbf{B}$$

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{4,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{5,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$

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Example. 
$$\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$$

$$d_{1,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$d_{1,2} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2} = 0, \dots$$

$$d_{2,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$d_{l,p} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{l,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,p} = 0$$

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$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{1,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{2,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{3,j} c_{j,i} b_{i,5}$
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A motivating example: a better idea for modelisation.

Given matrices  $\mathbf{C}_1, \mathbf{C}_2, \mathbf{D}_1, \mathbf{D}_2 \in \mathcal{M}_{n,n}(\mathbb{F}_q)$  (the space of matrices over  $\mathbb{F}_q$  of size  $n \times n$ ), find  $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B} \in \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{F}_q)$  (the space of invertible matrices over  $\mathbb{F}_q$  of size  $n \times n$ ), such that

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$
$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$$



Example, 
$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$
  
 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$ 

 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}$ 

$a_{1,1}$	$a_{1,2}$	$a_{1,3}$	$a_{1,4}$	$a_{1,5}$
$a_{2,1}$	$a_{2,2}$	$a_{2,3}$	$a_{2,4}$	$a_{2,5}$
$a_{3,1}$	$a_{3,2}$	$a_{3,3}$	$a_{3,4}$	$a_{3,5}$
$a_{4,1}$	$a_{4,2}$	$a_{4,3}$	$a_{4,4}$	$a_{4,5}$
$a_{5,1}$	$a_{5,2}$	$a_{5,3}$	$a_{5,4}$	$a_{5,5}$

 $\mathbf{D}_1$ 

$d_{1,1}$	$d_{1,2}$	$d_{1,3}$	$d_{1,4}$	$d_{1,5}$
$d_{2,1}$	$d_{2,2}$	$d_{2,3}$	$d_{2,4}$	$d_{2,5}$
$d_{3,1}$	$d_{3,2}$	$d_{3,3}$	$d_{3,4}$	$d_{3,5}$
$d_{4,1}$	$d_{4,2}$	$d_{4,3}$	$d_{4,4}$	$d_{4,5}$
$d_{5,1}$	$d_{5,2}$	$d_{5,3}$	$d_{5,4}$	$d_{5,5}$

 $\mathbf{C}_1$ 

$c_{1,1}$	$c_{1,2}$	$c_{1,3}$	$c_{1,4}$	$c_{1,5}$
$c_{2,1}$	$c_{2,2}$	$c_{2,3}$	$c_{2,4}$	$c_{2,5}$
$c_{3,1}$	$c_{3,2}$	$c_{3,3}$	$c_{3,4}$	$c_{3,5}$
$c_{4,1}$	$C_{4,2}$	$c_{4,3}$	$c_{4,4}$	$c_{4,5}$
$c_{5,1}$	$c_{5,2}$	$c_{5,3}$	$c_{5,4}$	$c_{5,5}$

B

$b_{1,1}$	$b_{1,2}$	$b_{1,3}$	$b_{1,4}$	$b_{1,5}$
$b_{2,1}$	$b_{2,2}$	$b_{2,3}$	$b_{2,4}$	$b_{2,5}$
$b_{3,1}$	$b_{3,2}$	$b_{3,3}$	$b_{3,4}$	$b_{3,5}$
$b_{4,1}$	$b_{4,2}$	$b_{4,3}$	$b_{4,4}$	$b_{4,5}$
$b_{5,1}$	$b_{5,2}$	$b_{5,3}$	$b_{5,4}$	$b_{5,5}$



Example, 
$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$
  
 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$ 

 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1$ 

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,5}$$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i}d_{i,5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,5}$$

 $\mathbf{C}_1 \mathbf{B}$ 

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{3,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{3,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{3,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{3,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{3,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,5}$



Example 
$$A^{-1}D_1 = C_1B$$
  
 $A^{-1}D_2 = C_2B$ 

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

#### $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1$

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,5}$
				$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{3,i} d_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i} d_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i} d_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i} d_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i} d_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{4,i} d_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i} d_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i} d_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i} d_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i} d_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i} d_{i,5}$

#### $\mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$

$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,5}$
				$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{3,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i} b_{i,5}$
$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,1}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,2}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,3}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,4}$	$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i} b_{i,5}$



Example. 
$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$
  
 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$ 

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,5}$$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{5,i}d_{i,5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,1} = 0,$$

#### $\mathbf{C}_1 \mathbf{B}$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i}b_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i}b_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i}b_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i}b_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i}b_{i,5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,5}$$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i}b_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i}b_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i}b_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i}b_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{4,i}b_{i,5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i}b_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i}b_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i}b_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i}b_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{5,i}b_{i,5}$$



Example 
$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1 = \mathbf{C}_1\mathbf{B}$$
  
 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_2 = \mathbf{C}_2\mathbf{B}$ 

#### $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{D}_1$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i}d_{i,5}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i}d_{i,5}$$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,1} = 0, \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{1,i} d_{i,2} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{1,i} b_{i,2} = 0, \dots$$

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#### $\mathbf{C}_1 \mathbf{B}$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,3} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,4} \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i}b_{i,5}$$

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Example 
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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{2,i} d_{i,1} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{2,i} b_{i,1} = 0, \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{l,i} d_{i,p} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{l,i} b_{i,p} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{C}_{1} \mathbf{B}$$

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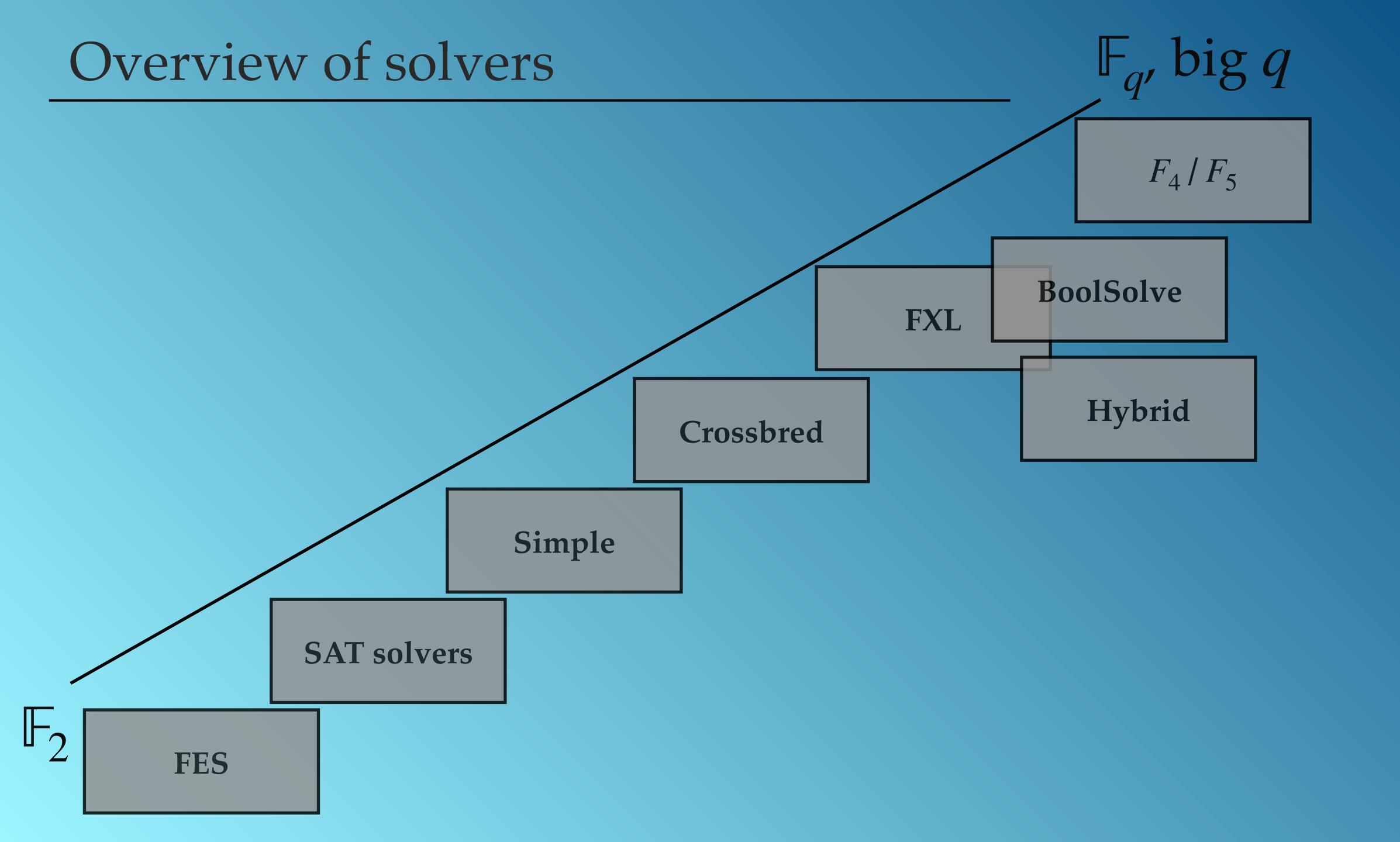


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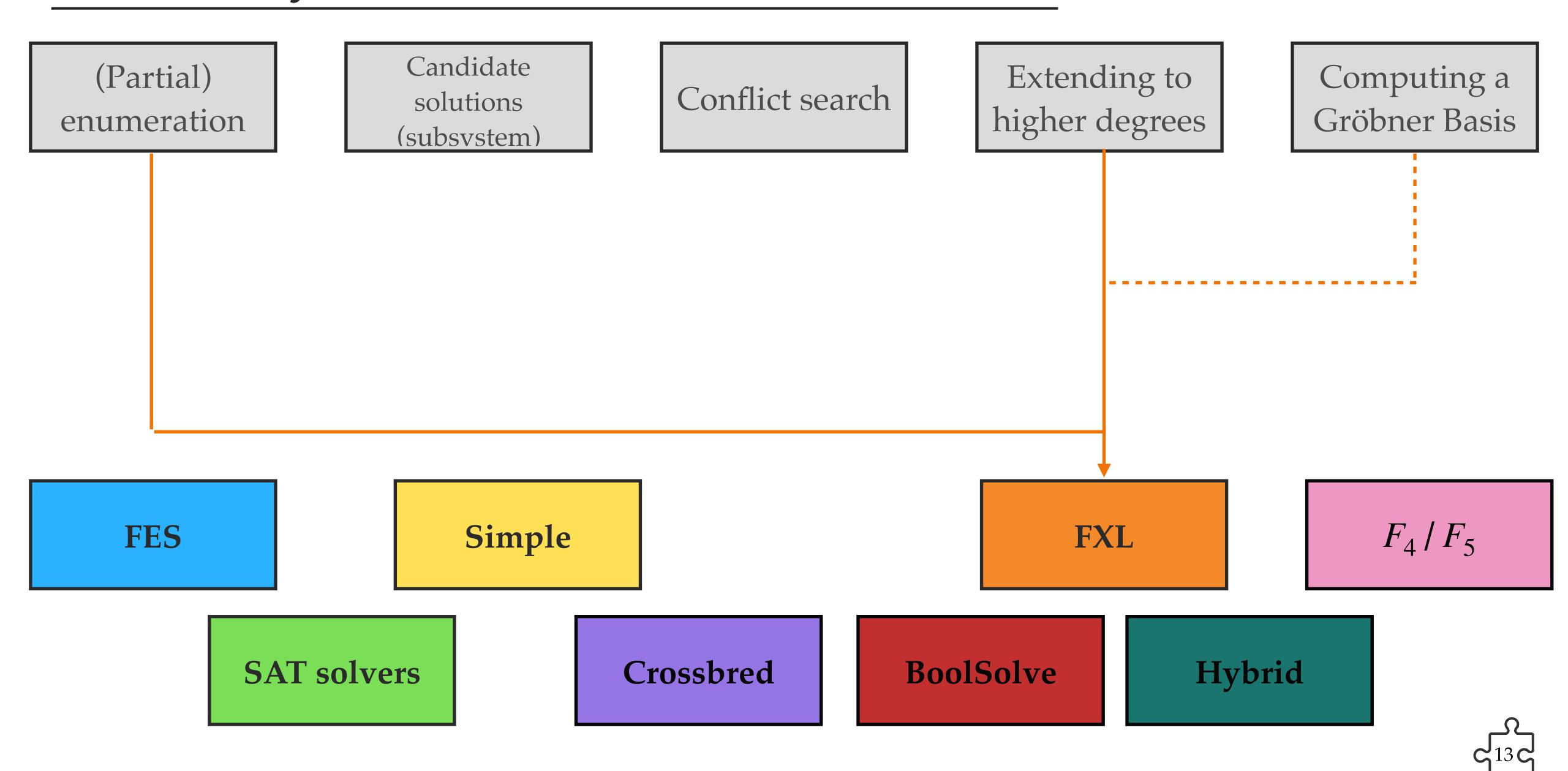
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  - $\longrightarrow$  We can easily recover **A** from  $\mathbf{A}^{-1}$ .





### Summary

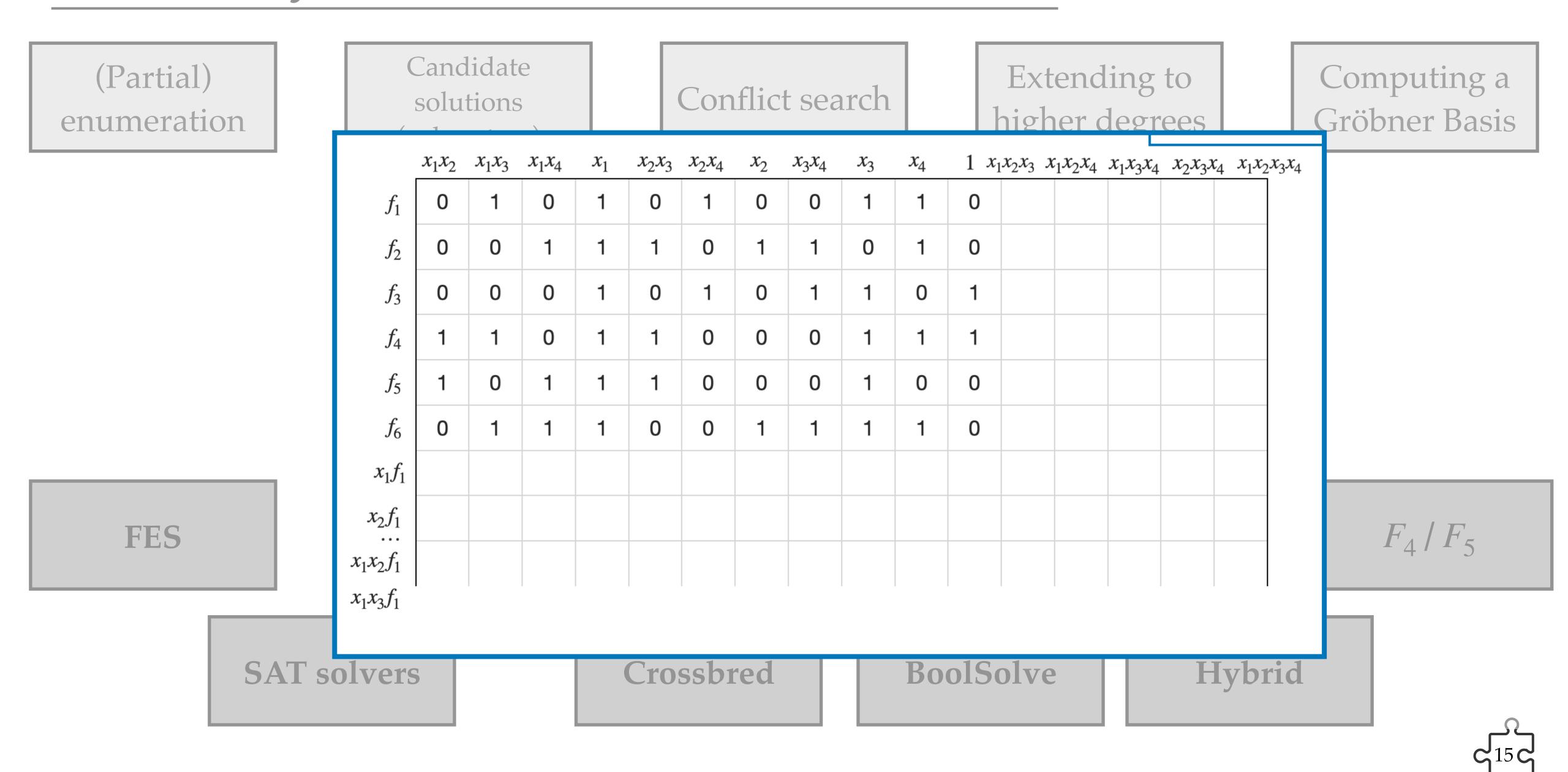


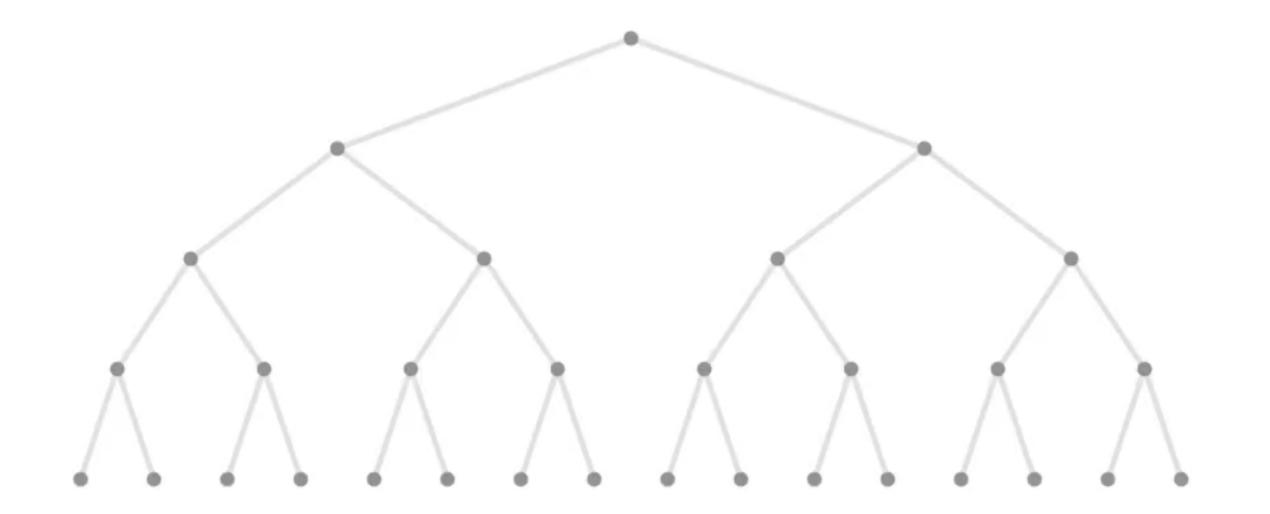
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Candidate (Partial) Extending to Computing a Conflict search solutions higher degrees Gröbner Basis enumeration (subsystem) **FES SAT** solvers BoolSolve Crossbred Hybrid



### Summary





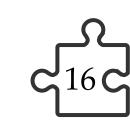
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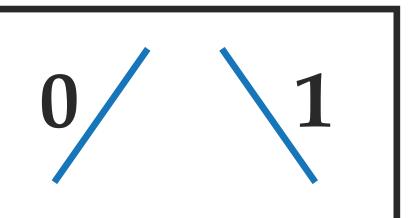
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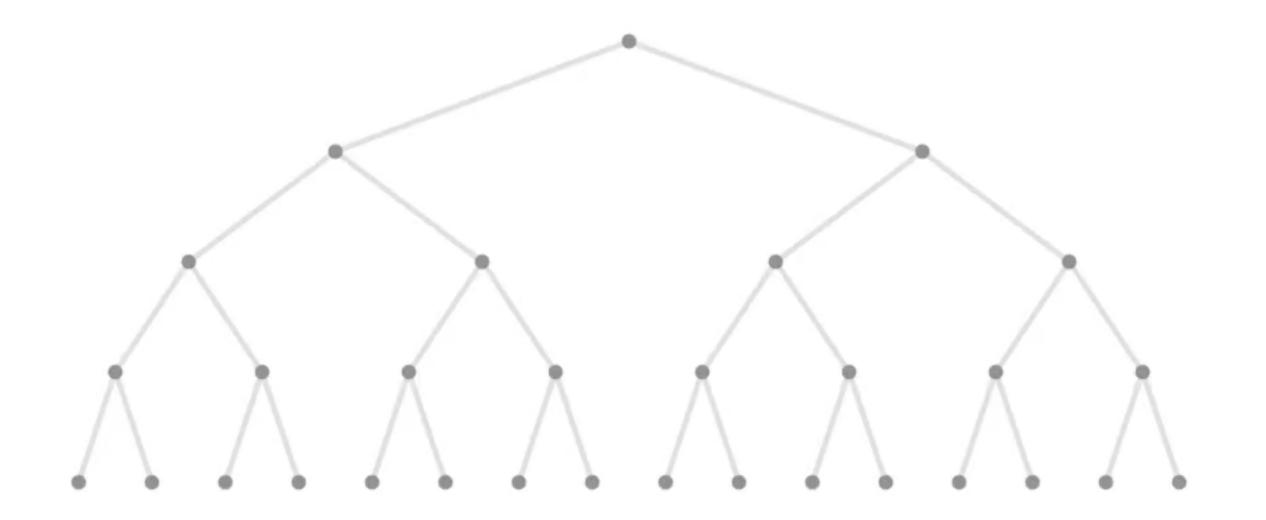
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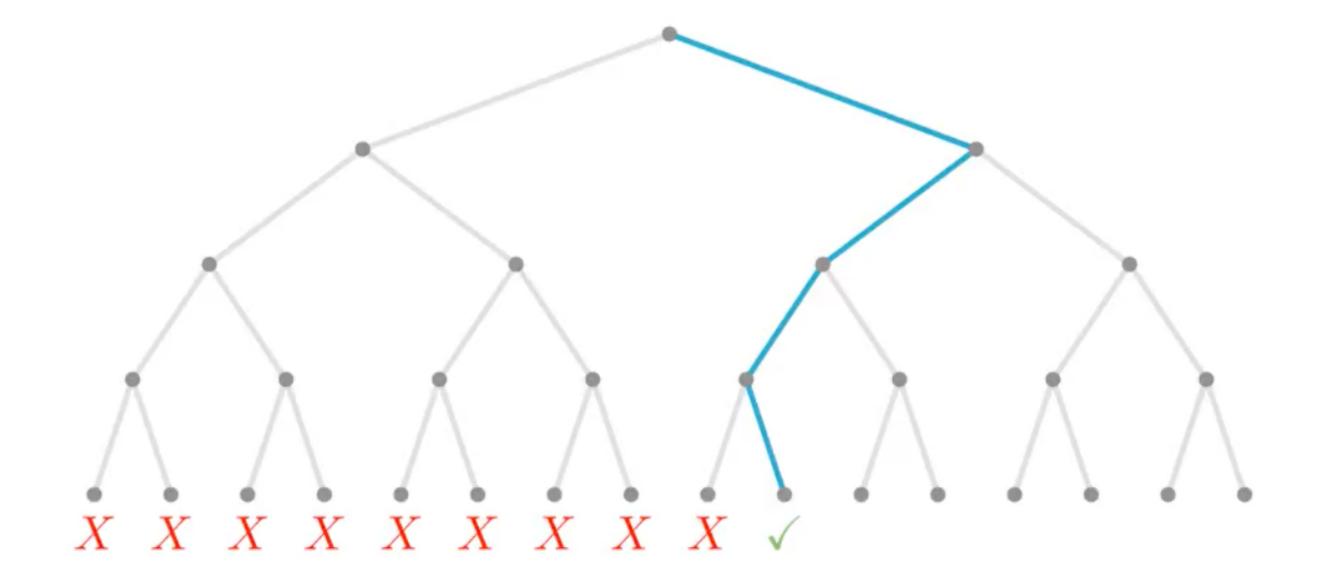
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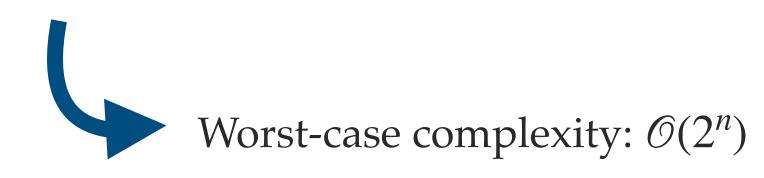
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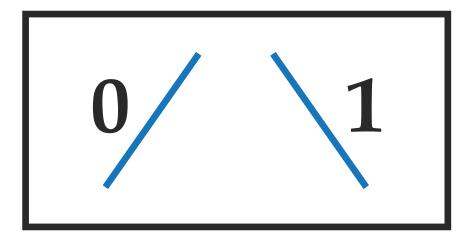
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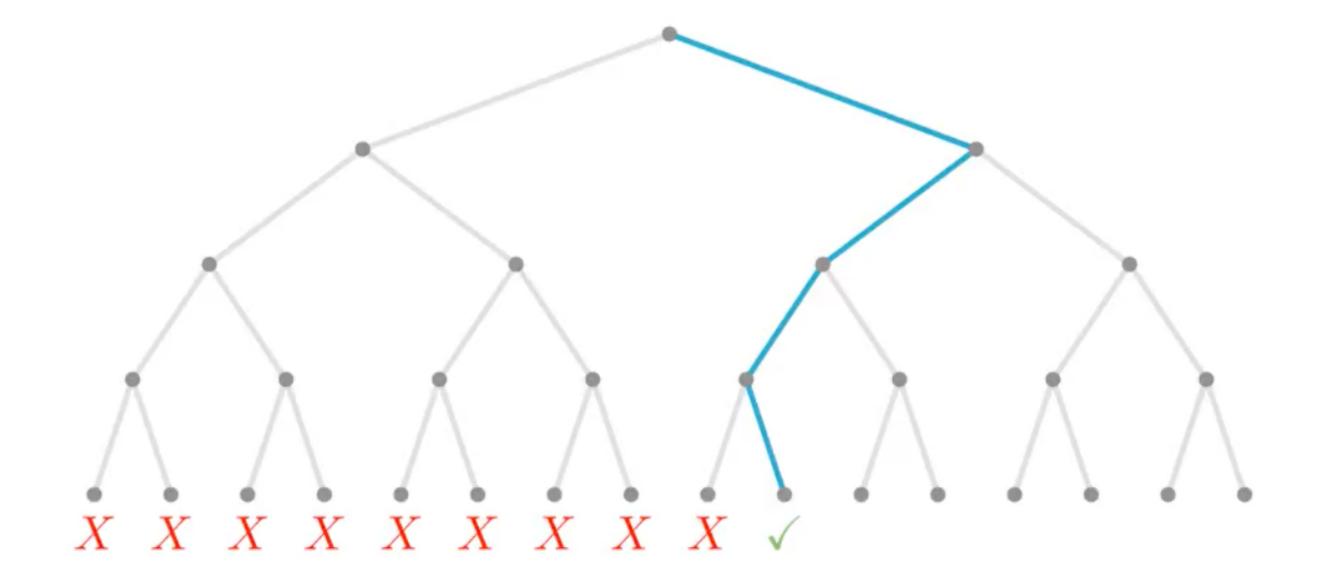
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# Gröbner basis algorithms

[Buchberger, 1965]

[Lazard, 1983]  $F_4/F_5$  [Faugère, 1999/2002]

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m=8
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print(hs)

1 + 7*t + 20*t^2 + 28*t^3 + 14*t^4 - 14*t^5 - 28*t^6 - 20*t^7 - 7*t^8 - t^9 + 0(t^20)

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