

variable  
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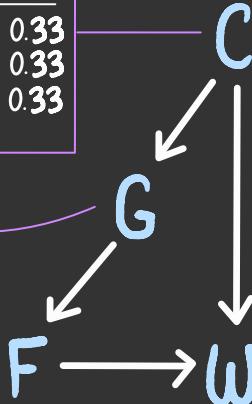
task: compute  $P(w)$

c	g	
1	2	0.5
1	3	0.5
2	2	0
2	3	1
3	2	1
3	3	0

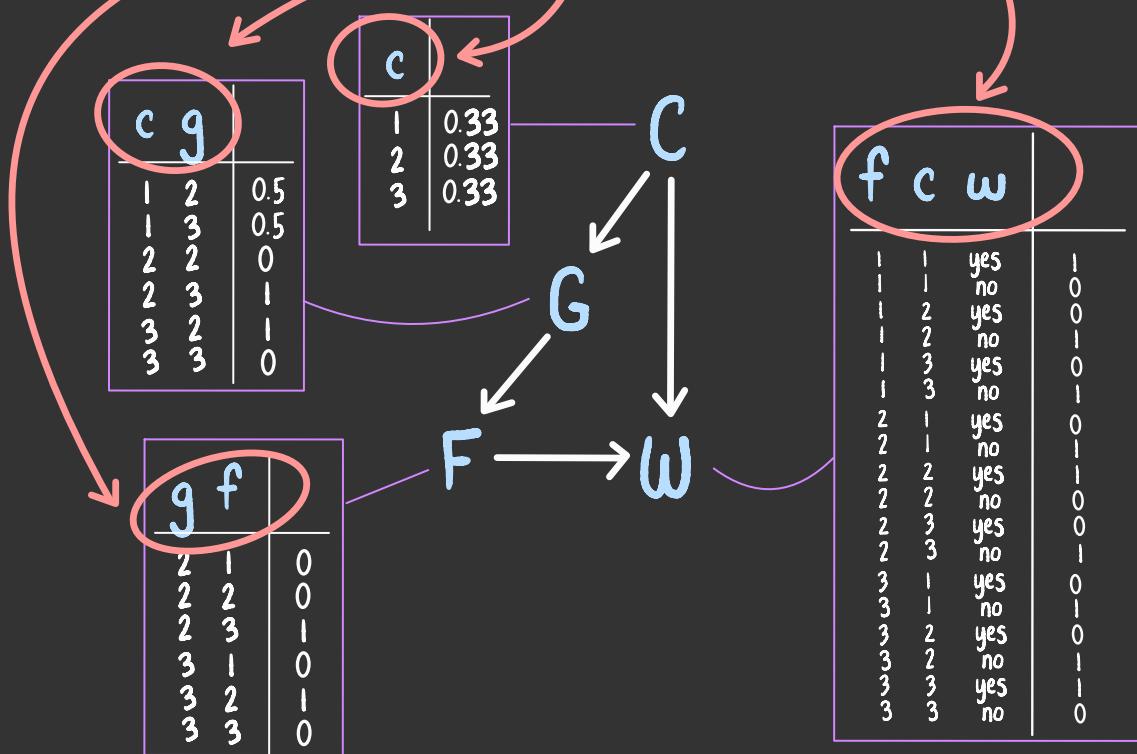
c	
1	0.33
2	0.33
3	0.33

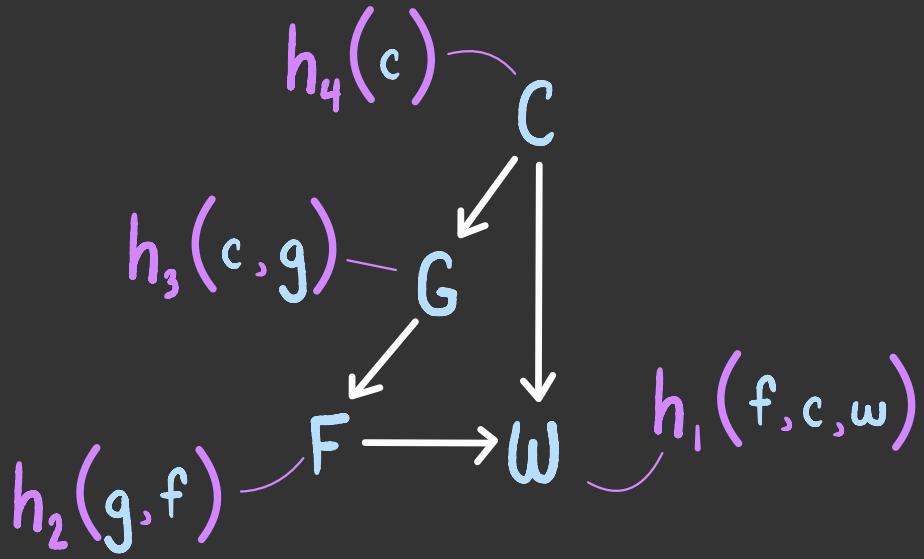
g	f	
2	1	0
2	2	0
2	3	1
3	1	0
3	2	1
3	3	0

f	c	w	
1	1	yes	1
1	1	no	0
1	2	yes	0
1	2	no	1
1	3	yes	0
1	3	no	1
2	1	yes	0
2	1	no	1
2	2	yes	1
2	2	no	0
2	3	yes	0
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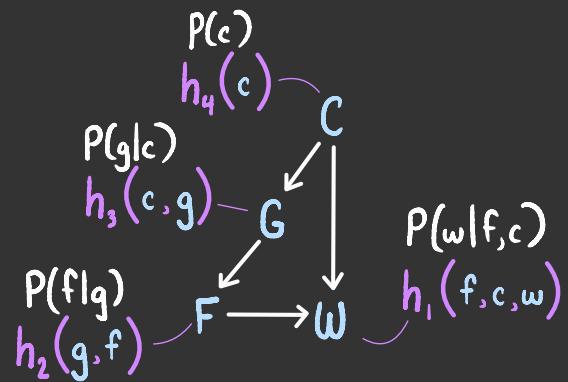
these are multivariable functions





joint  $P(w, f, g, c) = h_1(f, c, w) h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g) h_4(c)$

marginal  $P(w) = \sum_c \sum_f \sum_g h_1(f, c, w) h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g) h_4(c)$



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marginal

$$P(w)^{\textcolor{red}{total}} = \sum_c \sum_f \sum_g h_1(f, c, w) h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g) h_4(c)$$

$$P(\omega) = \frac{\sum_{c} \sum_{f} \sum_{g} h_1(f, c, \omega) h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g) h_4(c)}{h_1(f, c, \omega)}$$

these are often referred  
to as **factors**

$$P(\omega) = \sum_c \sum_f \sum_g h_1(f, c, \omega) h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g) h_4(c)$$

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graph TD
    h4[h4(c)] --> c[c]
    h3[h3(c, g)] --> G[G]
    h2[h2(g, f)] --> F[F]
    F --> omega[omega]
    c --> omega
  
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the algorithm we used  
to compute this sum of  
products is called  
variable elimination

$$P(\omega) = \sum_{c} \sum_{f} \sum_{g} h_1(f, c, \omega) h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g) h_4(c)$$

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first, we choose an elimination order

elimination order: GFC

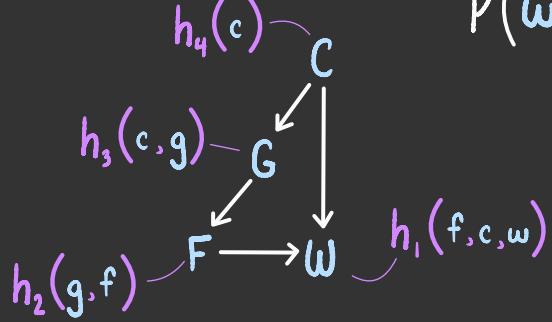
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graph TD
    C[h4(c)] -- C --> h3[h3(c,g)]
    G[h3(c,g)] -- G --> h2[h2(g,f)]
    F[h2(g,f)] -- F --> omega[h1(f,c,omega)]
    omega -- "ω" --> h1
  
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then, we iteratively push the summations as far to the right as we can, then compute and store all values of the newly created factor

elimination order : GFC



$$P(\omega) = \sum_c \sum_f h_1(f, c, \omega) h_4(c) \frac{\sum_g h_2(g, f) h_3(c, g)}{h_5(f, c)}$$

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graph TD
    P[P(\omega)] --> h4[h4(c)]
    P --> h5[h5(f, c)]
    h4 --> c[c]
    h5 --> h3[h3(c, g)]
    h5 --> h1[h1(f, c, \omega)]
    c --> h3
    f --> h1
  
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$h_6(c, \omega)$

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graph TD
    h4[h4(c)] -- G --> h3[h3(c, g)]
    h3 -- F --> h2[h2(g, f)]
    h4 -- C --> h1[h1(f, c, omega)]
    
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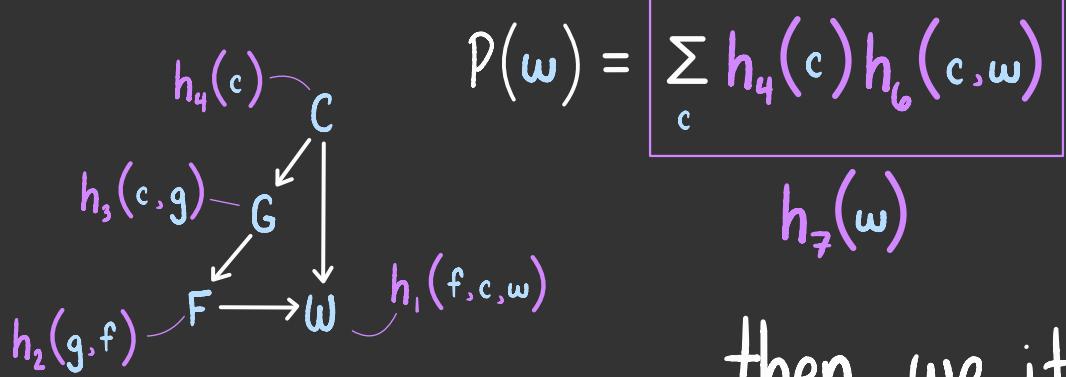
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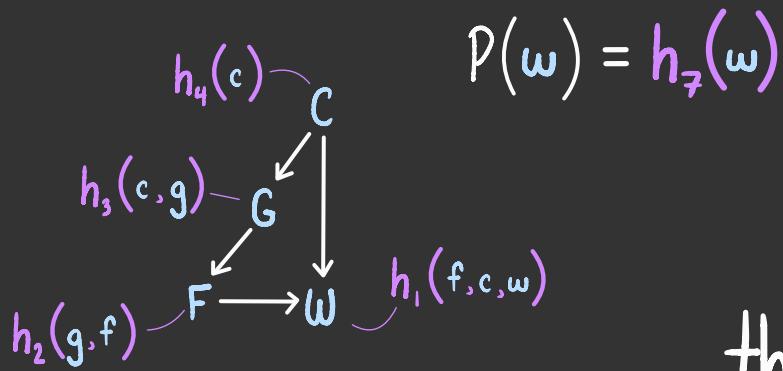
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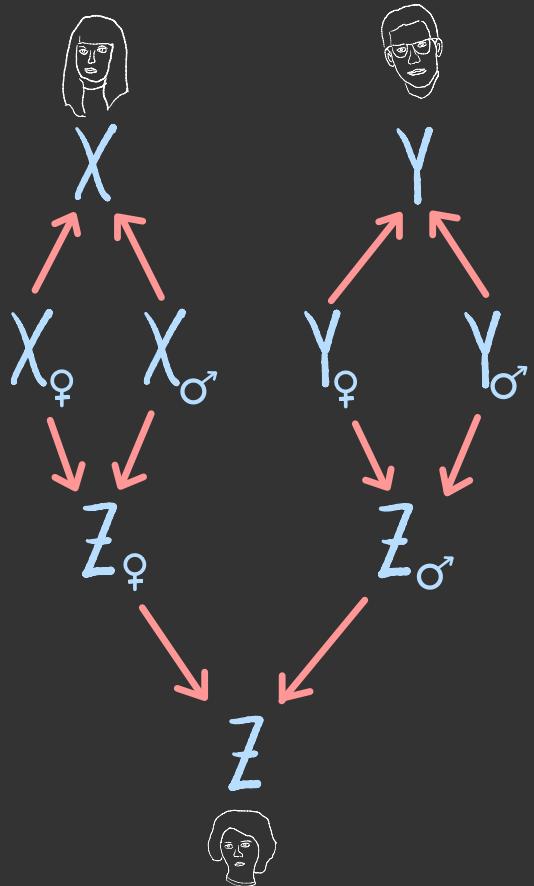
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let's try variable elimination  
on our **blood types** network

what is  
 $P(X=A, Y=AB, Z=B)?$

$$P(X=A, Y=AB, Z=B)$$



$$= \sum_{x_q} \sum_{x_o} \sum_{y_q} \sum_{y_o} \sum_{z_q} \sum_{z_o} P(X=A, Y=AB, Z=B, x_q, x_o, y_q, y_o, z_q, z_o)$$

elimination order

$Z_o \ Z_q \ Y_o \ Y_q \ X_o \ X_q$

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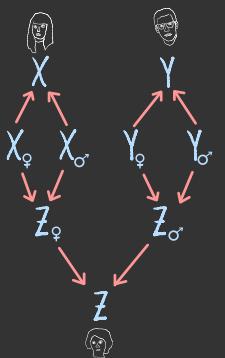
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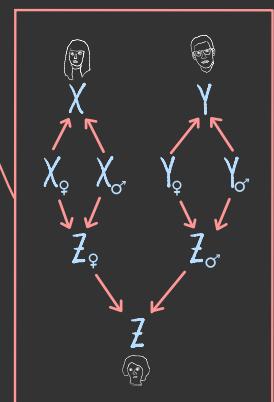
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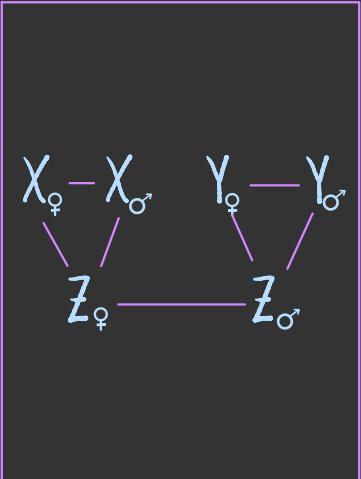
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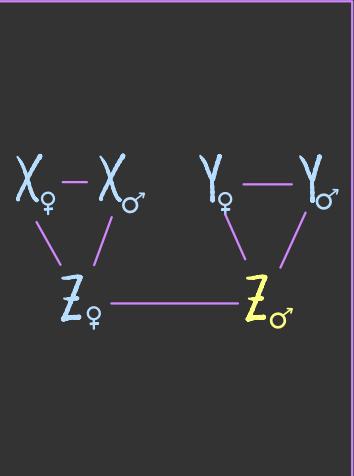


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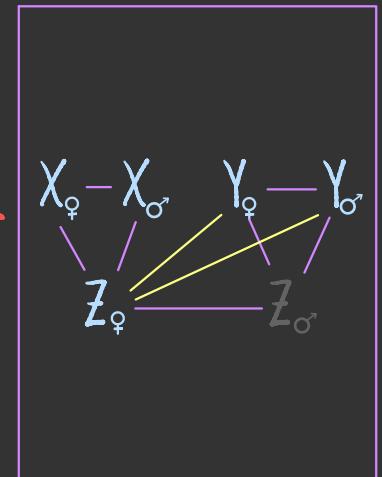
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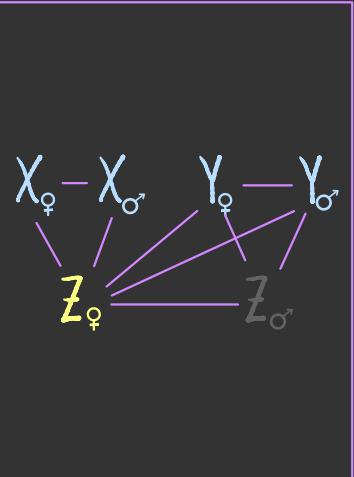


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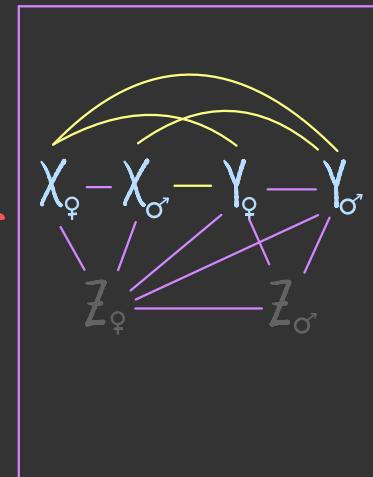
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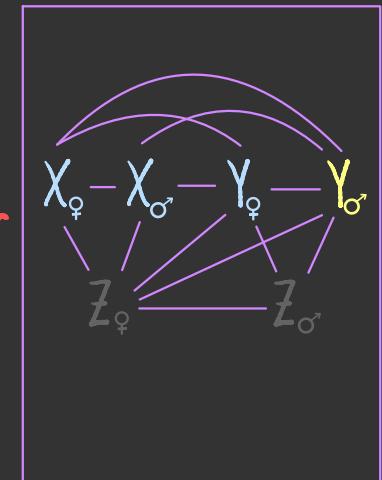
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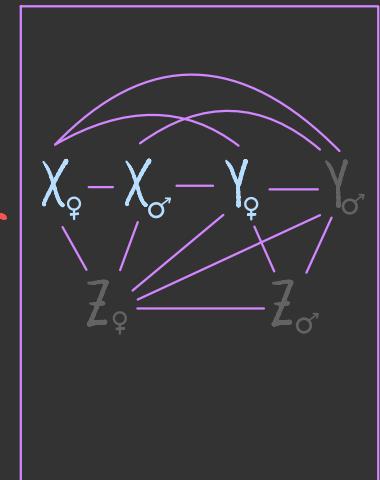
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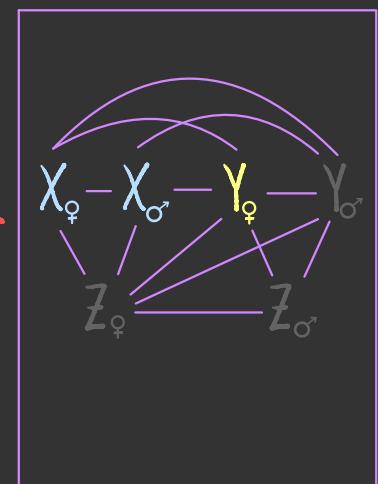
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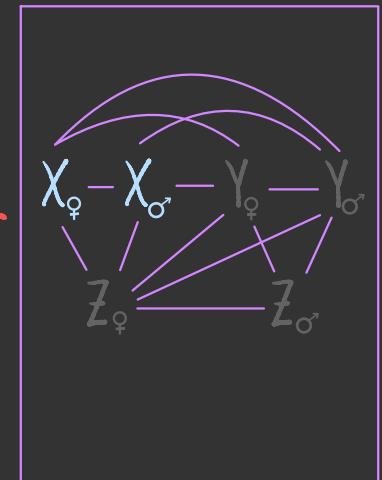
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$$= \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_{12}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, z)$$

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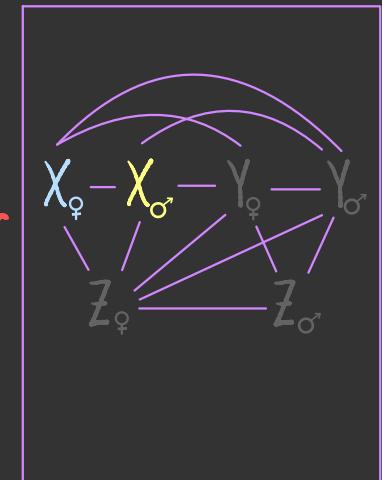
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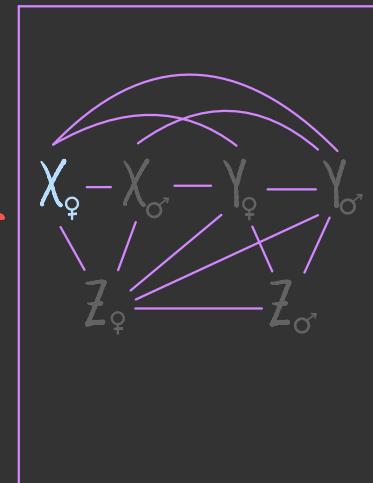


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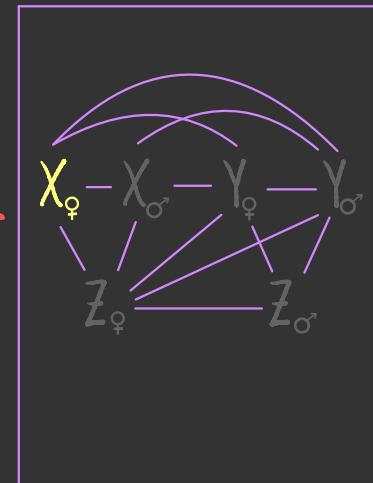


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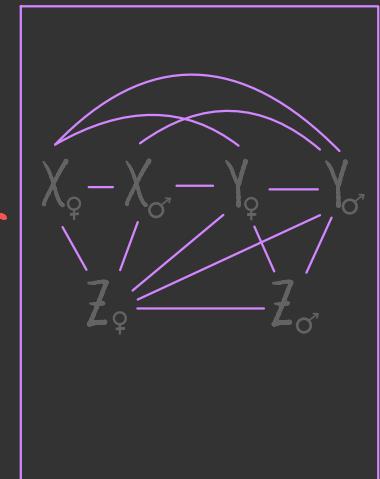


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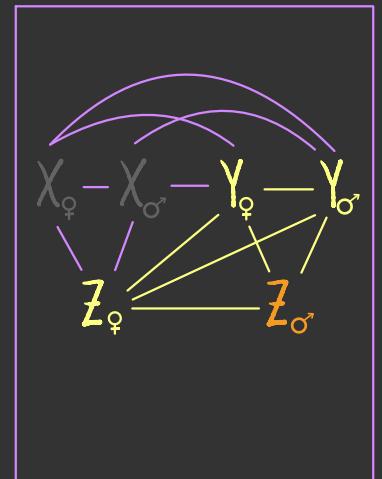
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 = & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{13}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y, z) \\
 = & \sum_{x_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_{14}(x_\varphi, x, y, z) \\
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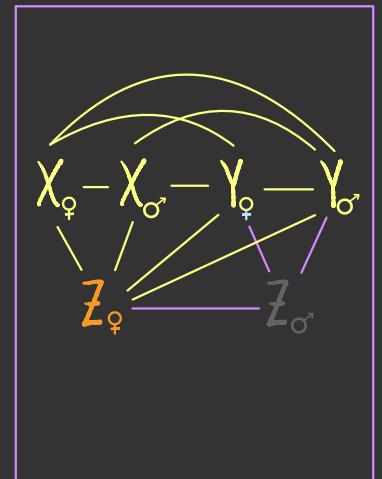
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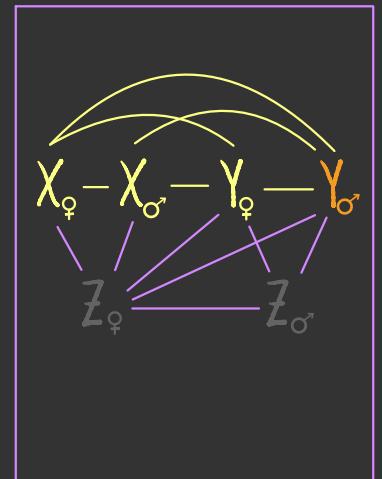
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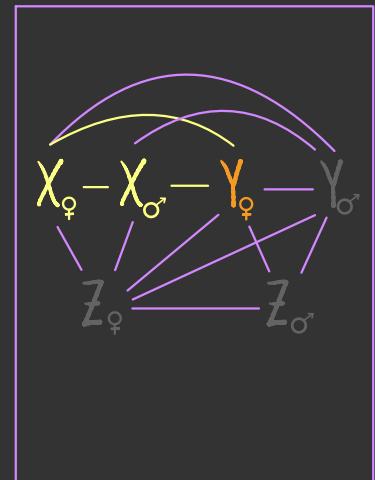
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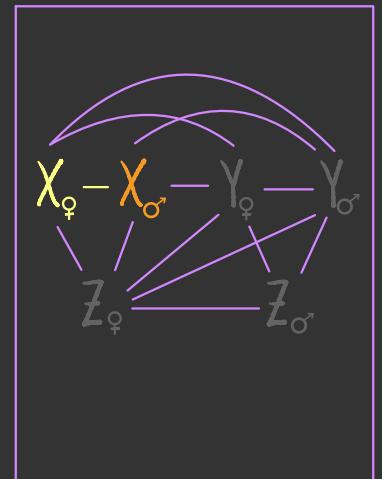
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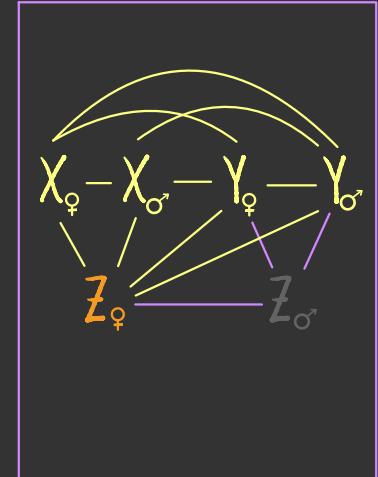
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 \end{aligned}$$

$$h_{11}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z) = \sum_{z_\varphi} h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{10}(y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z, z_\varphi)$$



this was the "hardest" factor to compute

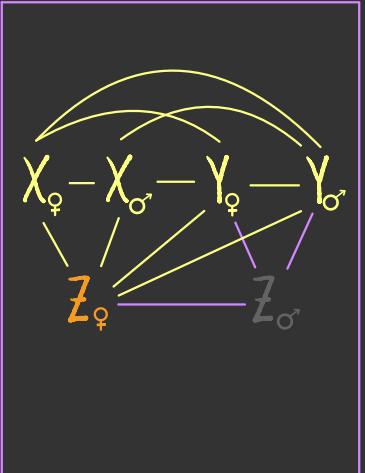
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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) \\
 = & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{z_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{10}(y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z, z_\varphi) \\
 = & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) \underbrace{h_{11}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z)}_{}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$h_{11}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z) = \sum_{z_\varphi} h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{10}(y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z, z_\varphi)$$

3 possible values

how many terms did we need to compute?



elimination order  
 $Z_\sigma Z_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi X_\sigma X_\varphi$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) \\
 = & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{z_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{10}(y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z, z_\varphi) \\
 = & \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) \underbrace{h_{11}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z)}_{\text{a sum of 3 terms}}
 \end{aligned}$$

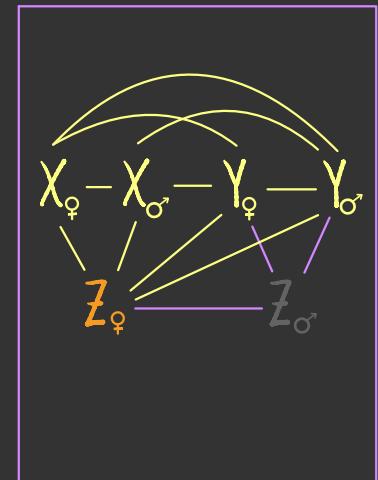
$3^4$  sums

a sum of 3 terms

$$h_{11}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z) = \sum_{z_\varphi} h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{10}(y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z, z_\varphi)$$

3 possible values

we needed to compute  
 $3^5$  terms

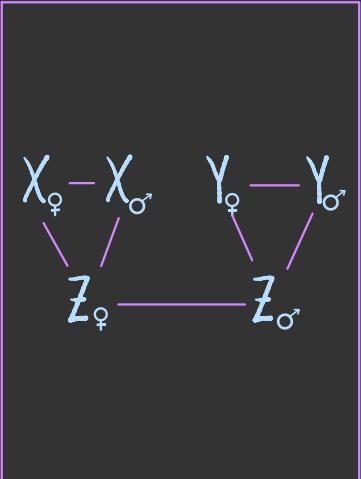


what if we use a  
different  
elimination order?

elimination order  
 $X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

$$\sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma)$$

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if they appear  
in a common  
factor  
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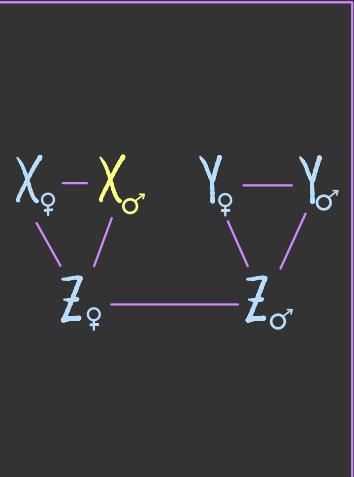


elimination order  
 $X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

$$\sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma)$$

$$= \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) \sum_{x_\sigma} h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma)$$

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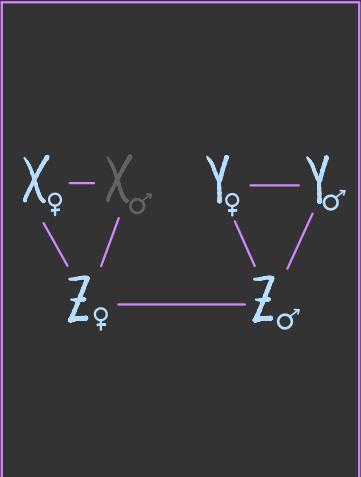
elimination order

$X_{\sigma} X_{\varphi} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\varphi} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\varphi}$

$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

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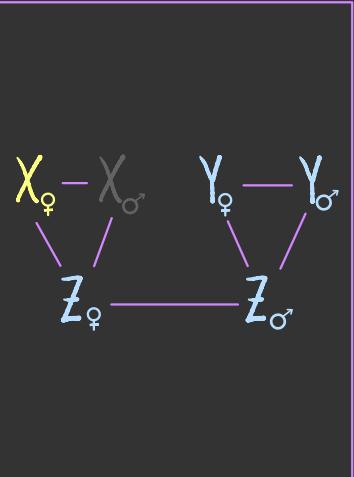
$X_{\sigma} X_{\varphi} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\varphi} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\varphi}$

$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

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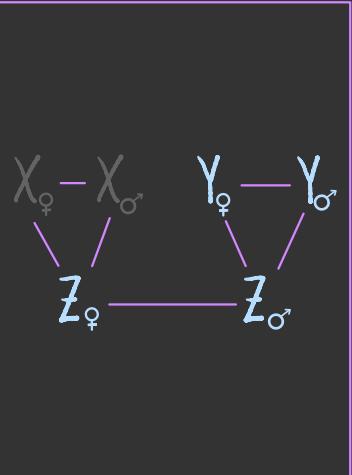
$X_{\sigma} X_{\varphi} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\varphi} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\varphi}$

$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

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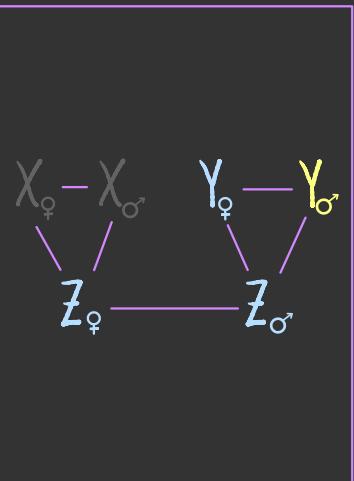
$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

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$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma})$$

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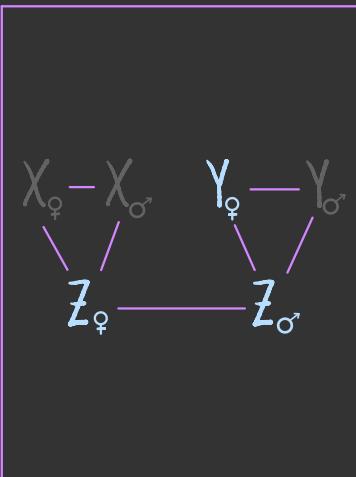
$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

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$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

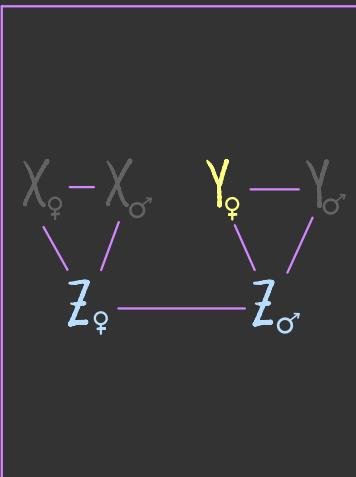
$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

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$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

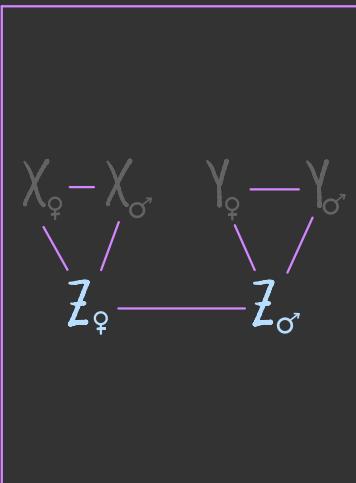
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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma})
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

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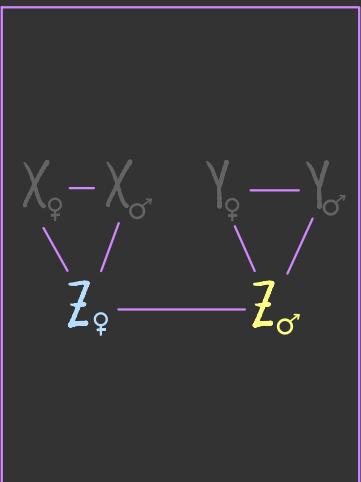
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$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

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$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

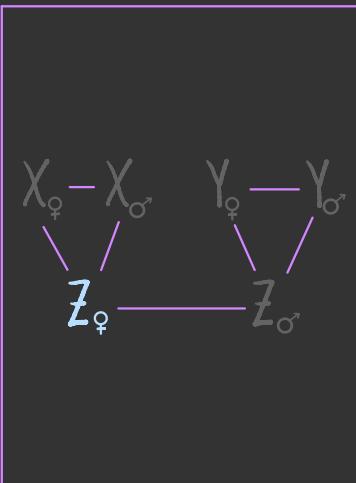
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$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{14}(y, z, z_{\varphi})$$

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$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

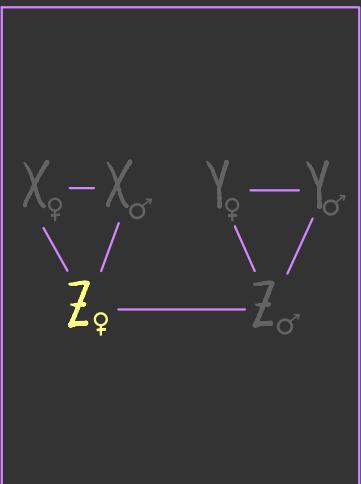
$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{14}(y, z, z_{\varphi})$$

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$X_{\sigma} X_{\varphi} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\varphi} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\varphi}$

$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

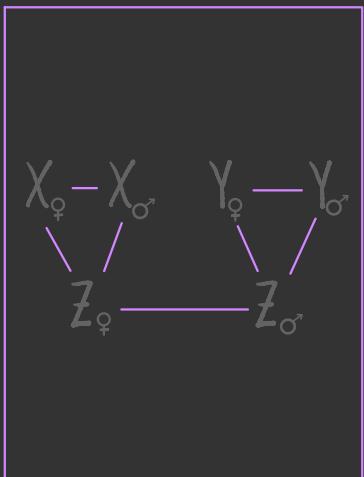
$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{14}(y, z, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= h_{15}(x, y, z)$$

$$= P(x, y, z)$$

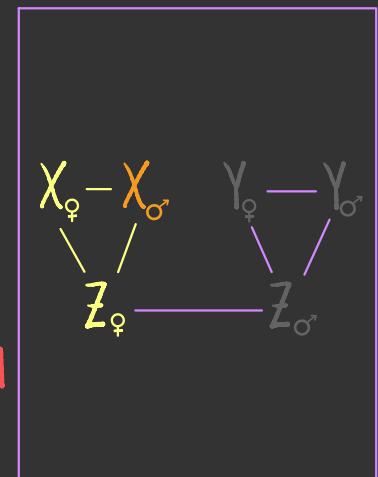
two variables  
are adjacent  
if they appear  
in a common  
factor



elimination order  
 $X_{\sigma} X_{\sigma'} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\sigma'} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\sigma'}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma'}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\sigma'}} h_1(x_{\sigma}) h_2(x_{\sigma'}) h_3(x, x_{\sigma}, x_{\sigma'}) h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_5(y_{\sigma'}) h_6(y, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_7(z_{\sigma}, x_{\sigma}, x_{\sigma'}) h_8(z_{\sigma'}, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma'}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_5(y_{\sigma'}) h_6(y, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{10}(x, x_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma'}} h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_5(y_{\sigma'}) h_6(y, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) h_{12}(y, y_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma'}) \\
 = & \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) h_{14}(y, z, z_{\sigma}) \\
 = & h_{15}(x, y, z) \\
 = & P(x, y, z)
 \end{aligned}$$

the cliques in this graph correspond to the factors we created



elimination order

$X_{\sigma} X_{\varphi} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\varphi} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\varphi}$

$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

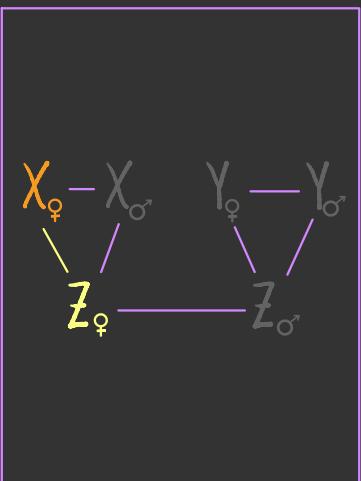
$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{14}(y, z, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= h_{15}(x, y, z)$$

$$= P(x, y, z)$$

the cliques in this graph correspond to the factors we created



elimination order

$X_{\sigma} X_{\sigma'} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\sigma'} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\sigma'}$

$$\sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma'}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\sigma'}} h_1(x_{\sigma}) h_2(x_{\sigma'}) h_3(x, x_{\sigma}, x_{\sigma'}) h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_5(y_{\sigma'}) h_6(y, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_7(z_{\sigma}, x_{\sigma}, x_{\sigma'}) h_8(z_{\sigma'}, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma'}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_5(y_{\sigma'}) h_6(y, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{10}(x, x_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma'}} h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_5(y_{\sigma'}) h_6(y, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma}, y_{\sigma'}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) h_{12}(y, y_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'})$$

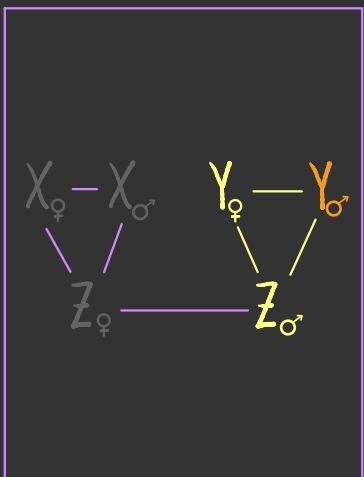
$$= \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{z_{\sigma'}} h_9(z, z_{\sigma}, z_{\sigma'}) h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) h_{13}(y, z_{\sigma'})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\sigma}} h_{11}(x, z_{\sigma}) h_{14}(y, z, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= h_{15}(x, y, z)$$

$$= P(x, y, z)$$

the cliques in this graph correspond to the factors we created



elimination order

$X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

$$\sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma)$$

$$= \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi)$$

$$= \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) h_{11}(x, z_\varphi)$$

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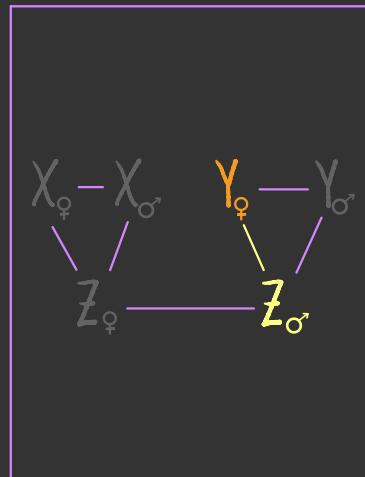
$$= \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) h_{11}(x, z_\varphi) h_{13}(y, z_\sigma)$$

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the cliques in this graph correspond to the factors we created



elimination order

$X_{\sigma} X_{\varphi} Y_{\sigma} Y_{\varphi} Z_{\sigma} Z_{\varphi}$

$$\sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} \sum_{x_{\sigma}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_2(x_{\sigma}) h_3(x, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_7(z_{\varphi}, x_{\varphi}, x_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} \sum_{x_{\varphi}} h_1(x_{\varphi}) h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{10}(x, x_{\varphi}, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} \sum_{y_{\sigma}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_5(y_{\sigma}) h_6(y, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_8(z_{\sigma}, y_{\varphi}, y_{\sigma}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi})$$

$$= \sum_{z_{\varphi}} \sum_{z_{\sigma}} \sum_{y_{\varphi}} h_4(y_{\varphi}) h_9(z, z_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma}) h_{11}(x, z_{\varphi}) h_{12}(y, y_{\varphi}, z_{\sigma})$$

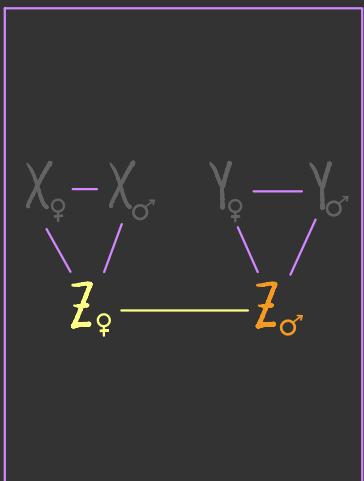
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$$= h_{15}(x, y, z)$$

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the cliques in this graph correspond to the factors we created



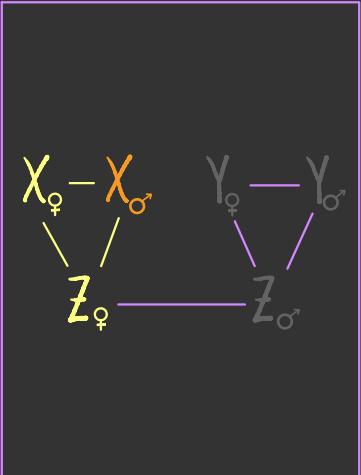
elimination order  
 $X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

$$\sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma)$$

$$= \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi)$$

$$h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi) = \sum_{x_\sigma} h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma)$$

this was the "hardest" factor to compute



elimination order  
 $X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

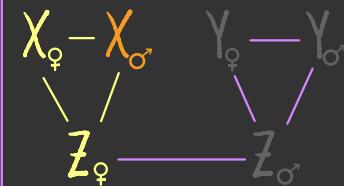
$$\sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma)$$

$$= \sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} h_1(x_\varphi) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma) h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi)$$

$$h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi) = \sum_{x_\sigma} h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma)$$

3 possible values

how many terms did we need to compute?



elimination order  
 $X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

$$\sum_{z_\varphi} \sum_{z_\sigma} \sum_{y_\varphi} \sum_{y_\sigma} \sum_{x_\varphi} \sum_{x_\sigma} h_1(x_\varphi) h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_4(y_\varphi) h_5(y_\sigma) h_6(y, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_8(z_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma) h_9(z, z_\varphi, z_\sigma)$$

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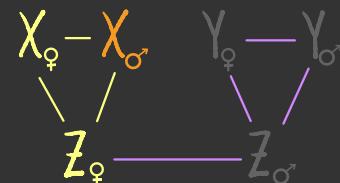
$3^2$  sums

a sum of 3 terms

$$h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi) = \sum_{x_\sigma} h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma)$$

3 possible values

we needed to compute  
 $3^3$  terms



elimination order

$Z_\sigma Z_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi X_\sigma X_\varphi$

elimination order

$X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

to compute the most difficult factor, we needed to compute

$3^5$  terms

$3^4$  sums

a sum of 3 terms

$$h_{11}(x_\varphi, x_\sigma, y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z) = \sum_{z_\varphi} h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_{10}(y_\varphi, y_\sigma, z, z_\varphi)$$

$3^2$  sums

a sum of 3 terms

$$h_{10}(x, x_\varphi, z_\varphi) = \sum_{x_\sigma} h_2(x_\sigma) h_3(x, x_\varphi, x_\sigma) h_7(z_\varphi, x_\varphi, x_\sigma)$$

elimination order

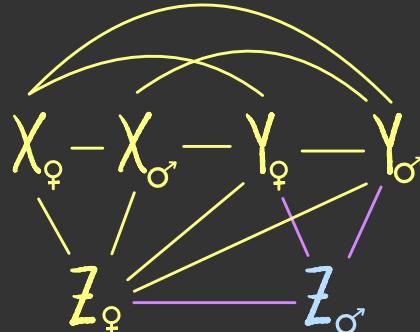
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elimination order

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to compute the most difficult factor, we needed to compute

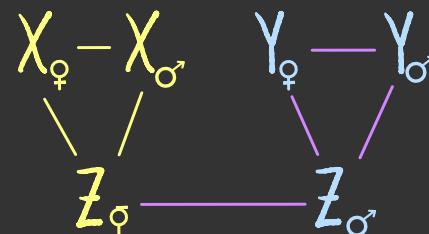
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to compute the most difficult factor, we needed to compute

$3^3$  terms

size of largest clique



elimination order

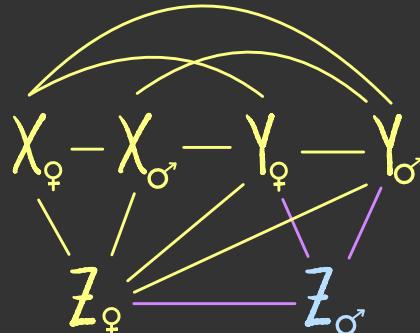
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elimination order

$X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$

to compute the most difficult factor, we needed to compute

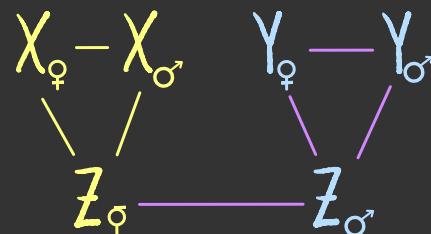
$3^5$  terms



to compute the most difficult factor, we needed to compute

$3^3$  terms

size of variable domains

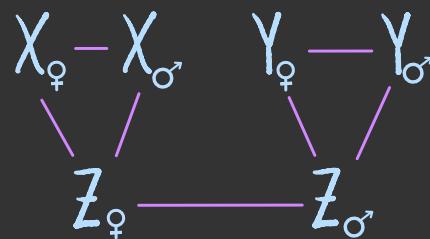
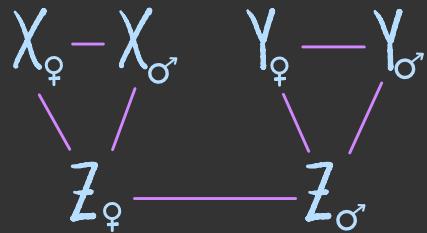


elimination order

$Z_\sigma Z_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi X_\sigma X_\varphi$

elimination order

$X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$



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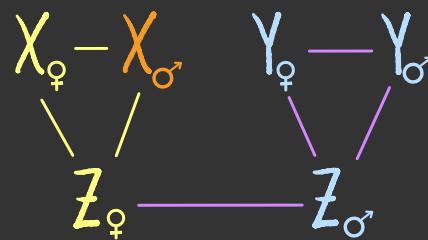
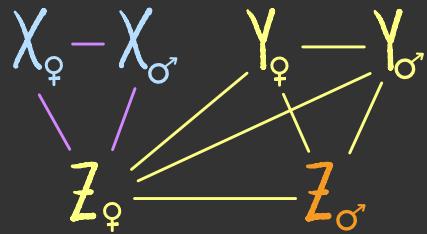
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elimination order

$Z_\sigma$   $Z_\varphi$   $Y_\sigma$   $Y_\varphi$   $X_\sigma$   $X_\varphi$

elimination order

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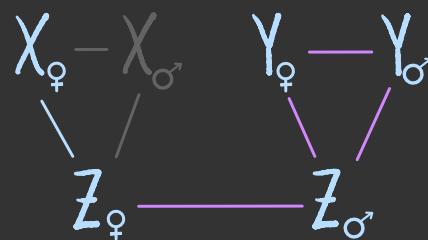
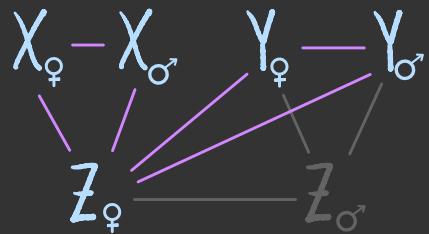
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elimination order

$Z_\sigma$   $Z_\varphi$   $Y_\sigma$   $Y_\varphi$   $X_\sigma$   $X_\varphi$

elimination order

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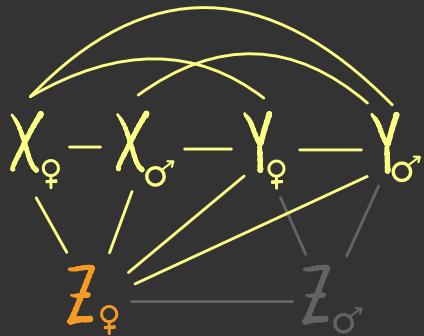


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elimination order

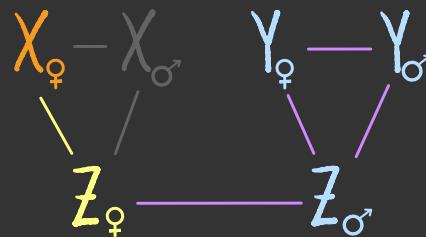
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elimination order

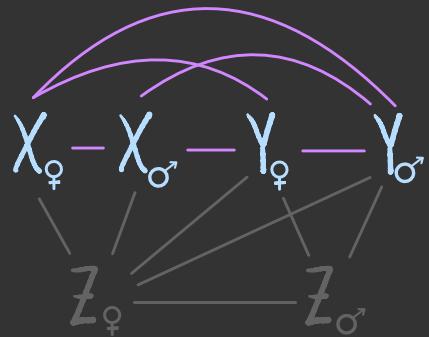
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elimination order

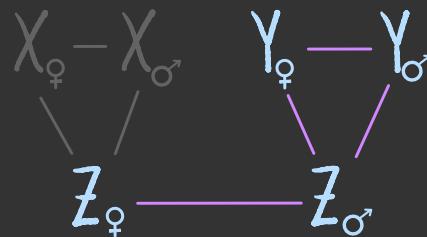
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elimination order

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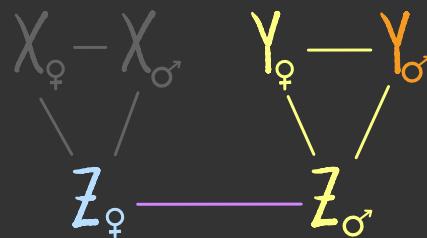
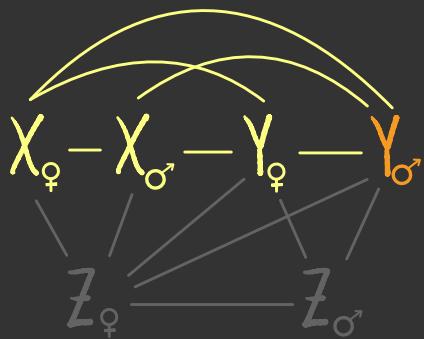
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elimination order

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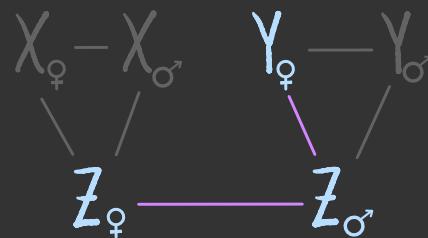
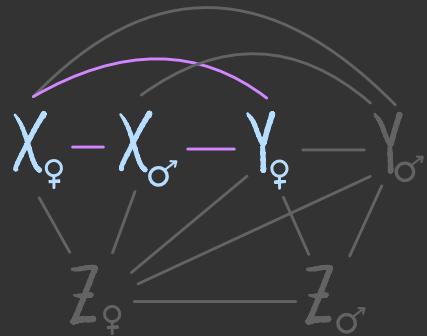
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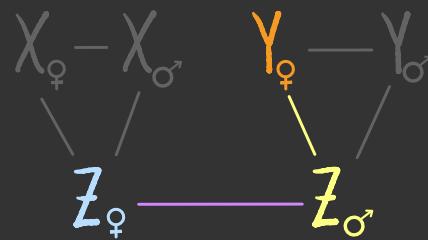
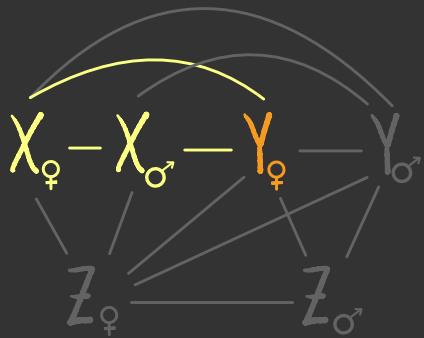
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elimination order

$Z_\sigma Z_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi X_\sigma X_\varphi$

elimination order

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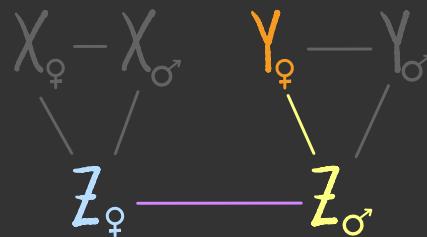
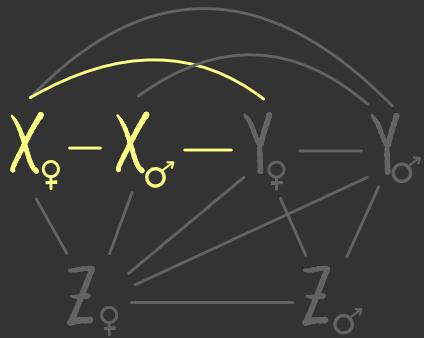
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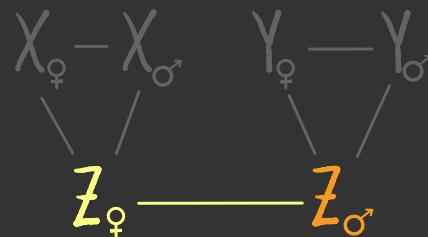
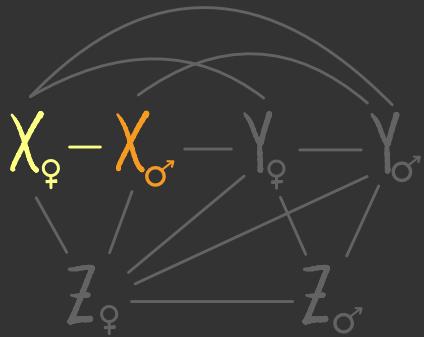
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elimination order

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elimination order

$X_\sigma$   $X_\varphi$   $Y_\sigma$   $Y_\varphi$   $Z_\sigma$   $Z_\varphi$

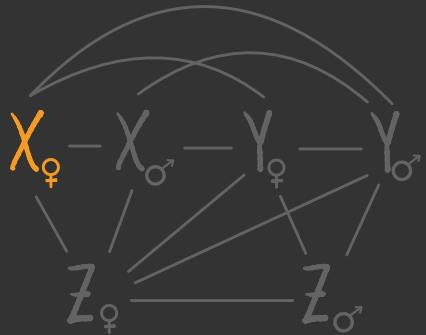


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elimination order

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elimination order

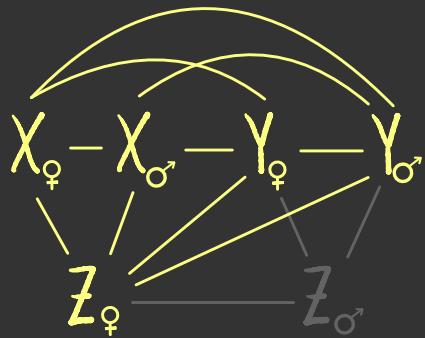
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elimination order

$Z_\sigma Z_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi X_\sigma X_\varphi$

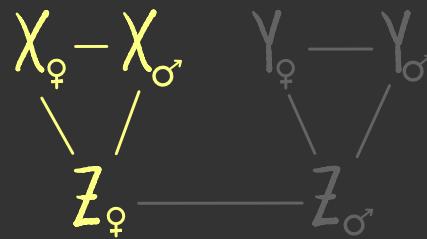


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this called the width of the elimination order

elimination order

$X_\sigma X_\varphi Y_\sigma Y_\varphi Z_\sigma Z_\varphi$



width : 3

let  $w$  be the width of the elimination order

let  $d$  be the size of the largest variable domain

the most difficult factor requires us to sum  $O(d^w)$  terms

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{x_q} \sum_{x_o} \sum_{y_q} \sum_{y_o} \sum_{z_q} h_1(x_q) h_2(x_o) h_3(x, x_q, x_o) h_4(y_q) h_5(y_o) h_6(y, y_q, y_o) h_7(z_q, x_q, x_o) h_{10}(y_q, y_o, z, z_q) \\ = & \sum_{x_q} \sum_{x_o} \sum_{y_q} \sum_{y_o} h_1(x_q) h_2(x_o) h_3(x, x_q, x_o) h_4(y_q) h_5(y_o) h_6(y, y_q, y_o) h_{11}(x_q, x_o, y_q, y_o, z) \\ = & \sum_{x_q} \sum_{x_o} \sum_{y_q} h_1(x_q) h_2(x_o) h_3(x, x_q, x_o) h_4(y_q) h_{12}(x_q, x_o, y_q, z) \\ = & \sum_{x_q} \sum_{x_o} h_1(x_q) h_2(x_o) h_3(x, x_q, x_o) h_{13}(x_q, x_o, y, z) \\ = & \sum_{x_q} h_1(x_q) h_{14}(x_q, x, y, z) \\ = & h_{15}(x, y, z) \\ = & P(x, y, z) \end{aligned}$$

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we compute a new factor  
for each variable we  
eliminate

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let  $n$  be the number of variables  
in the bayesian network  
we compute up to  $n$  new factors

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so the worst-case runtime is  $O(nd^w)$

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