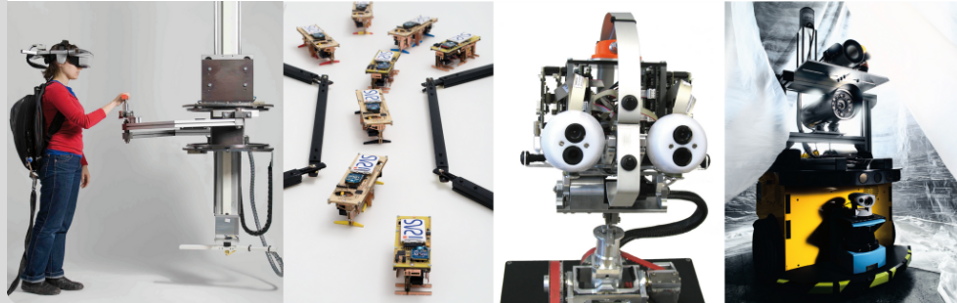


# Scalable Inductive Process Mining

Mining process trees from large event logs with guarantees

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# Logs

## Definition (Log)

- A log  $L$  is a multi-set of traces  $\sigma_i$
- A trace  $\sigma_i$  is a finite sequence of activities in  $\mathcal{A}$ :  $\sigma_i \in \mathcal{A}^*$
- For simplicity let  $\mathcal{A} := \{a, b, c, \dots\}$

## Operators

- We consider a set of operators  $\oplus = \{\times, \rightarrow, \wedge, \circlearrowleft\}$
- They define relation between logs (like regular expression on languages)
  - $\times$ : Exclusive choice
  - $\rightarrow$ : Sequence
  - $\wedge$ : Parallel
  - $\circlearrowleft$ : Loop

# Process Trees

- Abstract Representation of a process model
- Represent Regular Expression

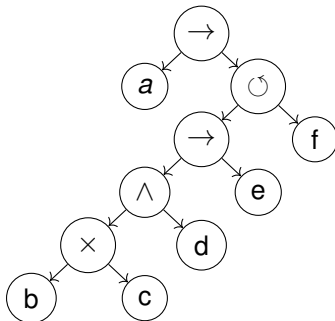


Abbildung: Process tree to  $\log L = \{ \langle a, c, d, e, f \rangle, \langle a, c, d, e, f, d, b, e, f \rangle, \dots \}$



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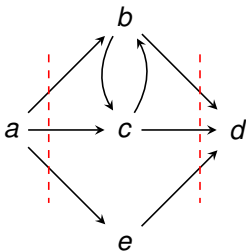


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- Found: Sequence Cut:  $\rightarrow (a, (bce), d)$

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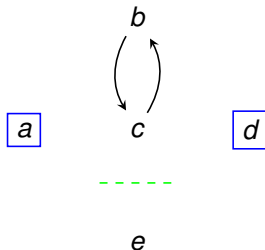


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# Inductive Mining - Result

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- Resulting Tree

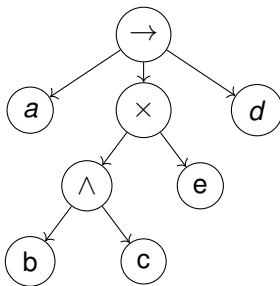


Abbildung: Process tree  $Q_L$  mined from  $L_2$  with inductive mining after [?]

# DEMO

Thank you for your attention