FluiDB: Adaptive storage layout using reversible relational operators

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FluiDB at a glance

- FluiDB is an intermediate result (IR) recycling, in-memory RDBMS
- FluiDB materializes all intermediate results and garbage collects when she runs out of space, unifying query planning and IR recycling
- Radical approach to IR recycling: **adapt** data layout to the workload:
 - enable efficient plans
 - constrained (quality) budget
- The main novelty relates to the introduction of reversible relational operations which affords a new perspective on query planning and view selection.

Example 1: Workload based on template query

\${min_date}is instantiated for each query in the workload.

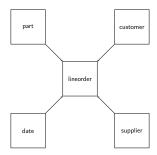
select n_name, avg(l_discount)

from lineitem, customer, nation, order

where l_orderkey = o_orderkey

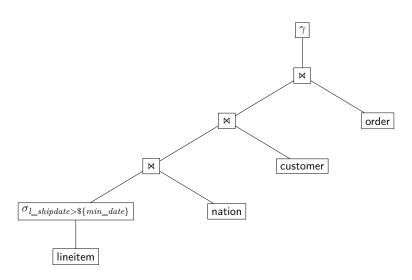
and l_shipdate > \${min_date}

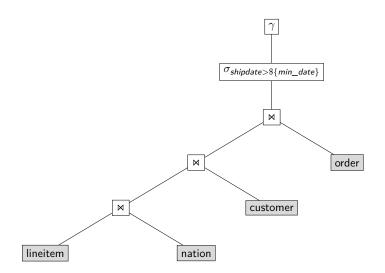
group by n_name

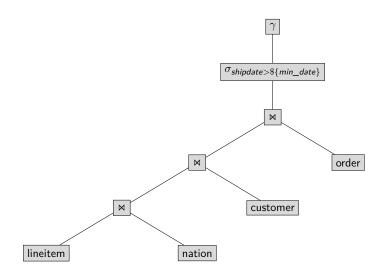


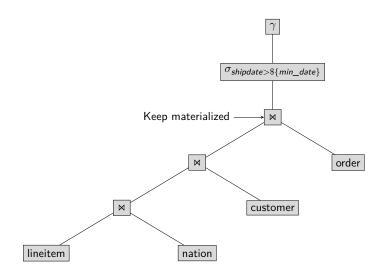
Example 1: Traditional single-query plan

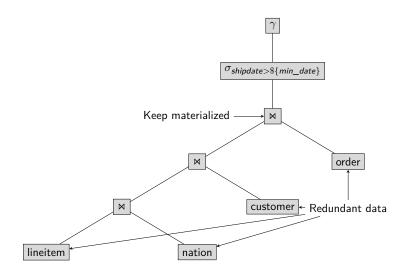
Selection push down

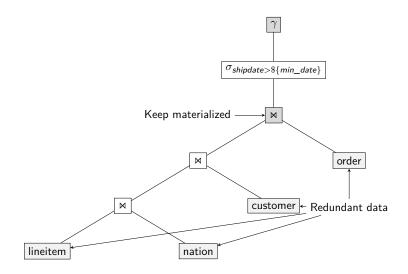


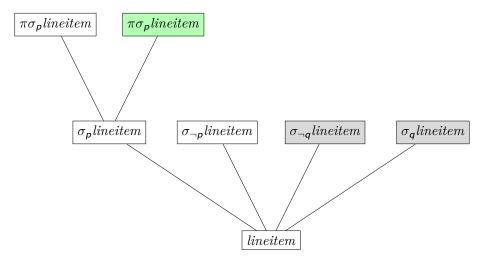


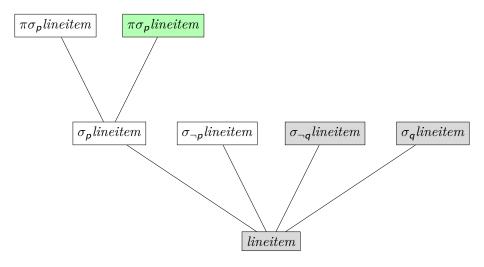


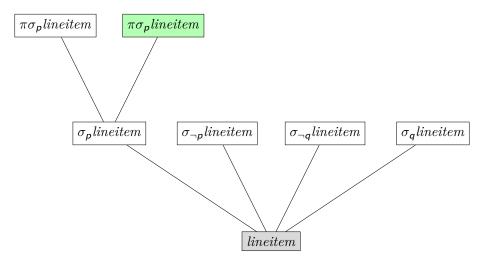


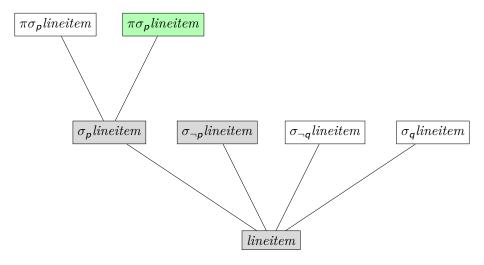


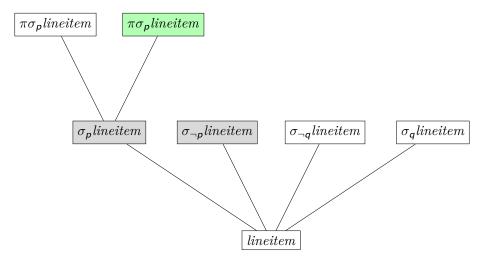


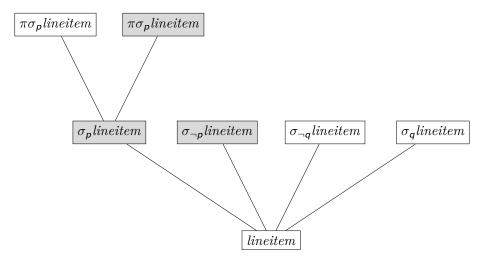








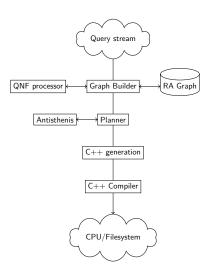




The interesting components

- Graph management and query normal form representation
- Logical planning infrastructure
- Antisthenis: An incremental numeric evaluation system for cost estimation.
- Logical planning algorithm and garbage collector

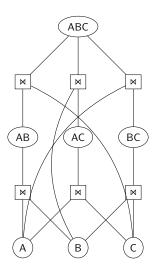
Architecture



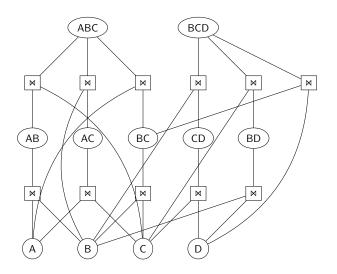
Logical planning

- Bipartite query graph RA operations/relations unified for all queries
- Join ordering enumeration
- QNF $\pi\sigma(Q_1 \times Q_2 \times ...)$ or $\gamma\sigma(Q_1 \times Q_2 \times ...)$

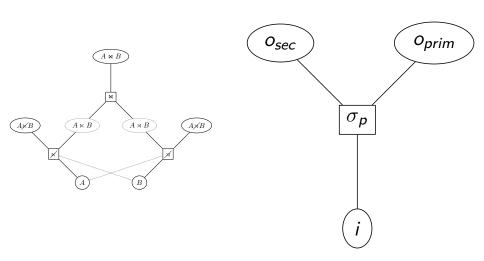
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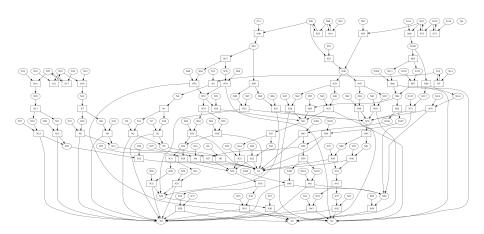
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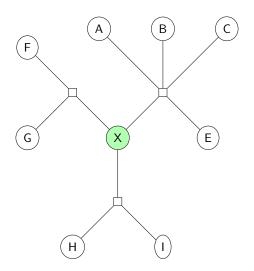
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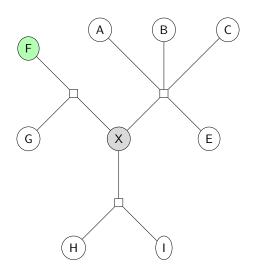
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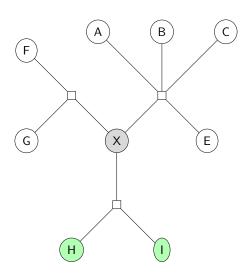
Materialize node X (if it is not already materialized)



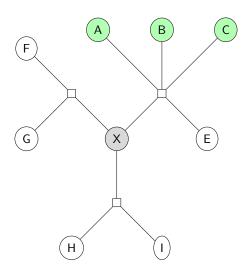
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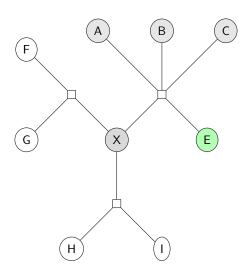
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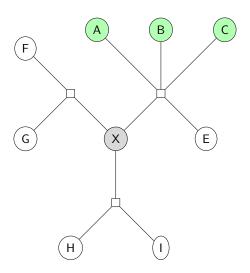
For each output set containing the node



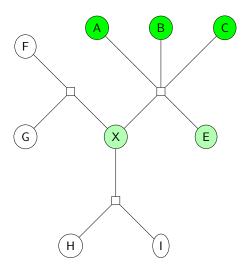
Schedule the current branch

$$\textit{priority} = \sum_{op \in \mathsf{planned\ ops}} \mathit{cost}(op) + \sum_{h \in \mathit{hist.}} \mathit{cost}_{\mathit{stoch.}}(h) + \sum_{d \in \mathit{deps}} \mathit{cost}_{\mathit{exp.}}(d)$$

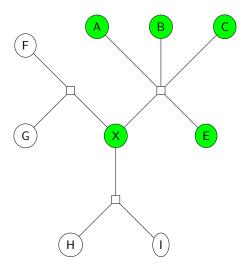
Recursively materialize the inputs



Once the inputs are materialized, garbage collect to make room for the outputs



Mark the outputs as materialized and register the operator for the plan



Profit!



Planning algorithm (recap)

- A network with reverse nodes
- Check depsets for materializable
- Chose an output set
- Halt by combining
 - Cost of operations so far.
 - Cost of historical costs given the materialized nodes.
 - Expected cost of input.
- Recurse on chosen inputs.
- Garbage collect to make space forthe output set
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Antisthenis

Dynamically scheduled incremental computation

Materializablility and cost inference are numerical operations:

- Input is mostly the same between runs: incremental.
- Order of computation highly affects the performance (eg absorbig elements, min).
- Self referrential computations may appear earlier than the absorbing element.

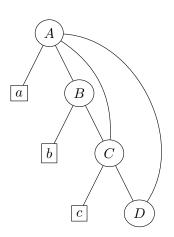
Antisthenis: Expression graphs

$$A = a + B + C + D$$

$$B = C \times b$$

$$C = D + c$$

$$D = 0$$



Antisthenis: Absorbing element

$$A = B \times C \times D$$

$$B = \sum_{i} i$$

$$C = 10 - 10$$

$$D = \sum_{i} i$$

Antisthenis: Early stopping – recursive expressions

While expressions may be self-referential, we can sometimes still evaluate them.

$$A = min(B, C, D)$$

$$B = b_1 + b_2 \cdot D$$

$$C = c_1 + c_2 \cdot A$$

$$D = d_1 + d_2 \cdot B$$

$$b_1 = b_2 = d_1 = d_2 = 1$$

 $c_1 = 3$
 $c_2 = 0$

Kinds of operations: Materializability

$$\mathit{matable}(\mathit{n}) := \bigvee_{\mathit{depset} \in \mathit{depsets}(\mathit{n})} \bigwedge_{\mathit{dep} \in \mathit{depset}} \mathit{mat}(\mathit{dep}) \lor \mathit{matable}(\mathit{dep})$$

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- Recursive normally we would maintain a visited set.
- Incremental evaluation is inhibited.
- Bot \wedge and \vee have absorbing elements.

Kinds of operations: Estimated cost

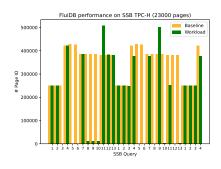
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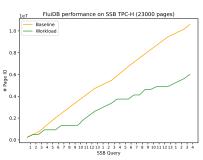
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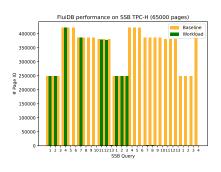
- Recursive Incremental evaluation is inhibited.
- min can be exploited for early stopping

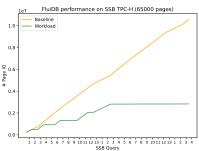
Evaluation: 23K pages budget





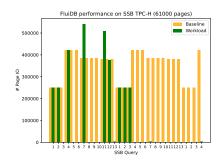
Evaluation: 65K pages budget

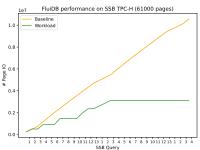




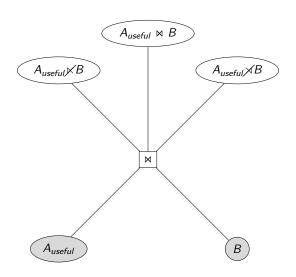
Evaluation: But ... 61K pages budget

lineorder is deleted at 6 because all join outputs were materialized

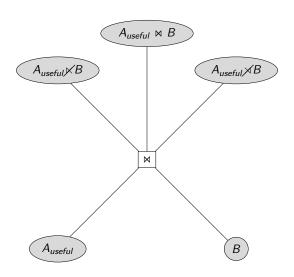




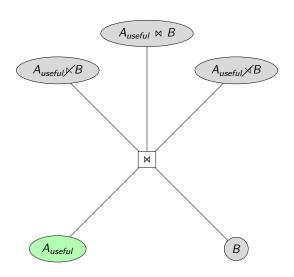
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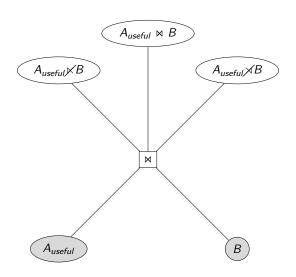
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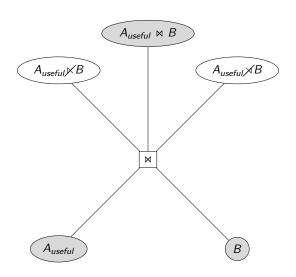
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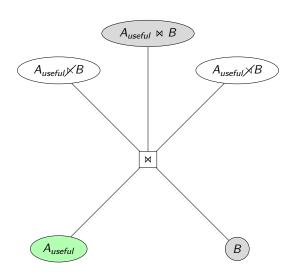
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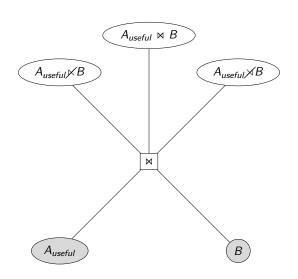


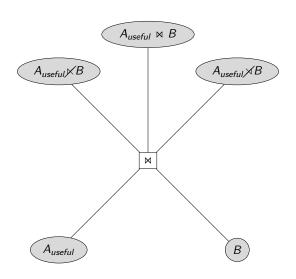
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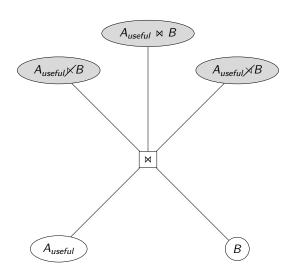


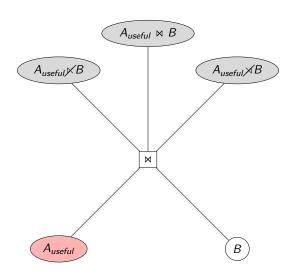
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Conclusions

- FluiDB can efficiently use memory budget to store useful intermediate results.
- FluiDB is virtually always better than the naive case.
- FluiDB can incrementally adapt to the workload.