## The 42 reducts of the random ordered graph

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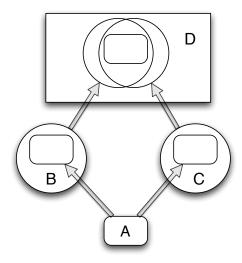
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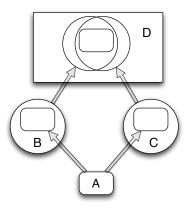
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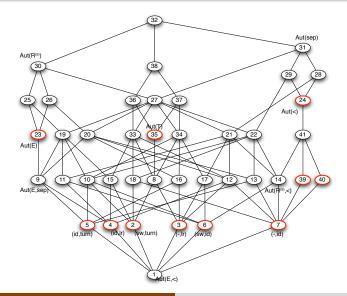
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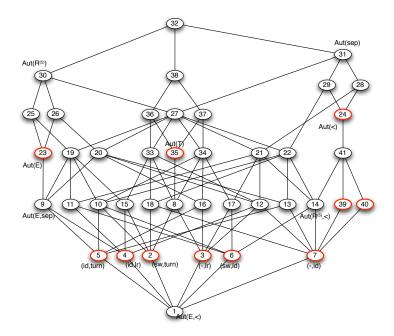
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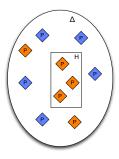
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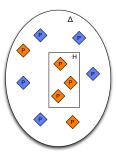
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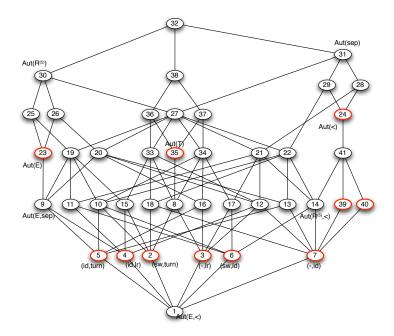
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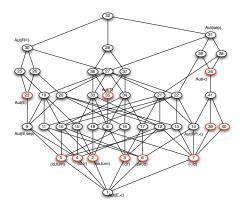
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# Thank you!



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