

# Expressive Power of Property Graph Constraint Languages

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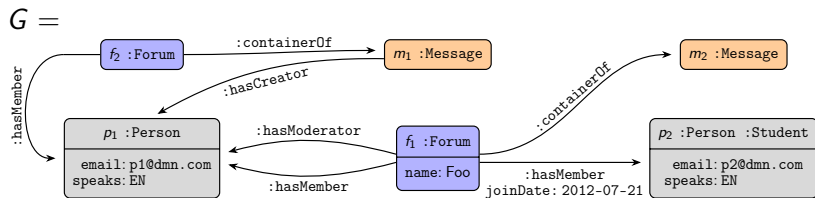
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A *property graph* is a **multilabeled multigraph with key-value pairs on vertices and edges.**

# Property graph

## An example



Property graph instance based on the LDBC SNB Schema [Ang+20].

- ▶  $\lambda(p_2) = \{\text{Person}, \text{Student}\}$
- ▶  $f_1.\text{name} = \text{Foo}$
- ▶ for all  $k \in \mathcal{K}$ ,  $m_1.k$  is undefined

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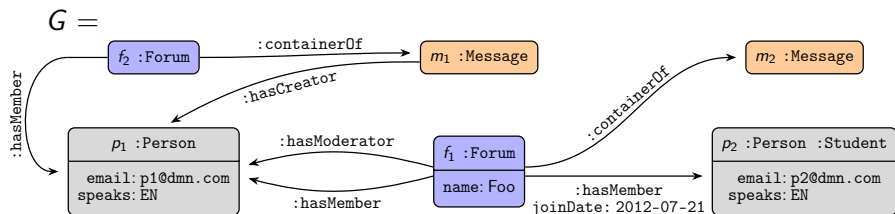
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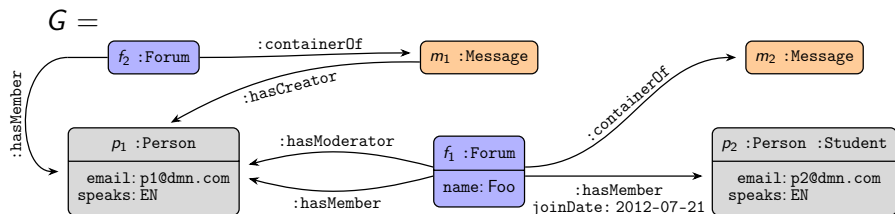


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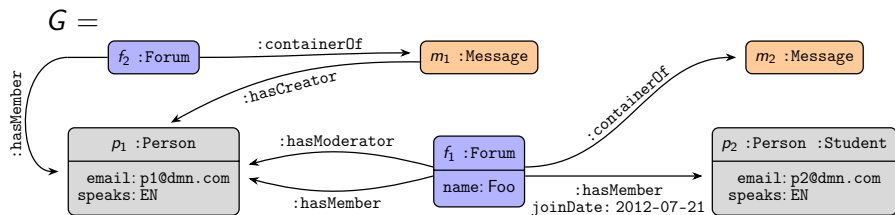


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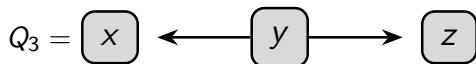
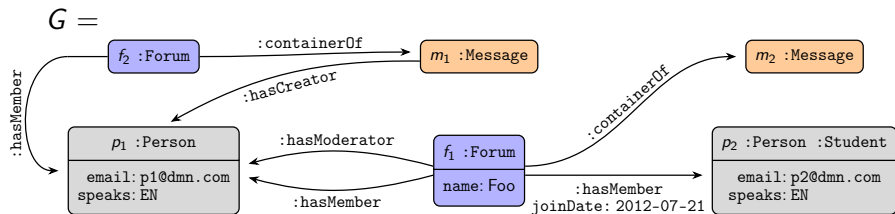


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## Model

### Constraint languages

- Data predicates

- GGDs & GFDS

- PG-KEYS

## Comparison of the expressive power

# Data predicates

## Definition

Let  $x, y \in \text{Vars}$ ,  $a, b \in \mathcal{K}$ , and  $c \in \mathcal{V}$ . *Data predicates* are:

- ▶ (in)equalities of identifiers:  $x \doteq y$ ,  $x \not\doteq y$ ;
- ▶ (in)equalities of data values:  $x.a \doteq y.b$ ,  $x.a \not\doteq y.b$ ;
- ▶ (in)equalities between a data value and a constant:  $x.a \doteq c$ ,  $x.a \not\doteq c$ ;

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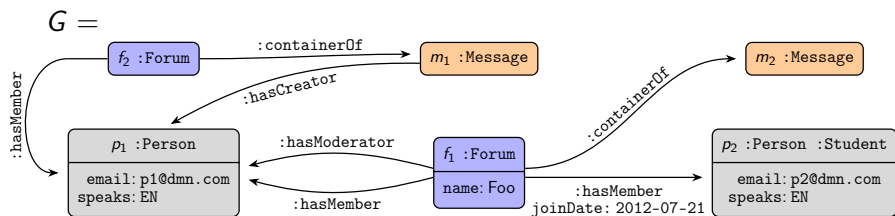
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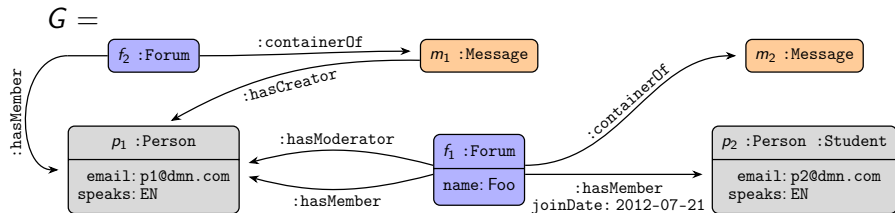
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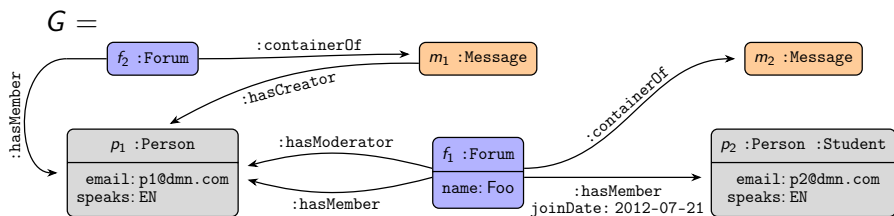
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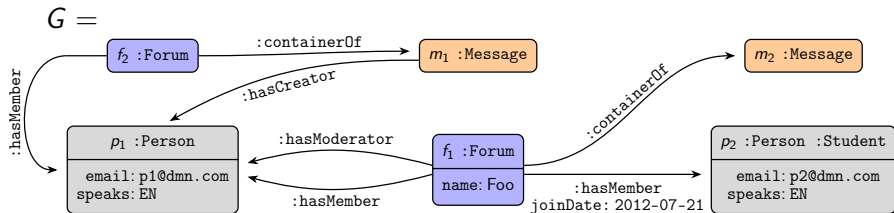
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# Our cases of interest

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- ▶  $\text{CQ}[\dot{=}]$ : CQ with predicates of equality;
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aka GGD [SFY20]

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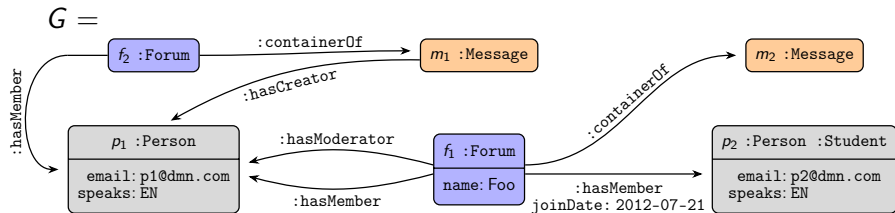
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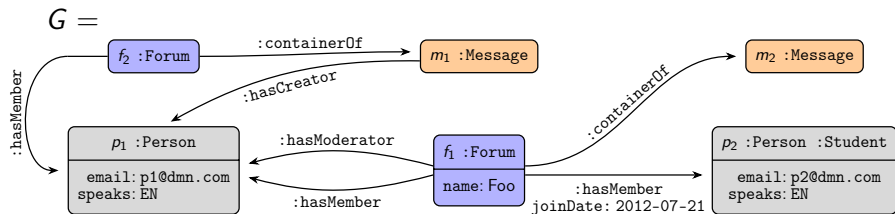
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Two members of a same forum must speak the same language.

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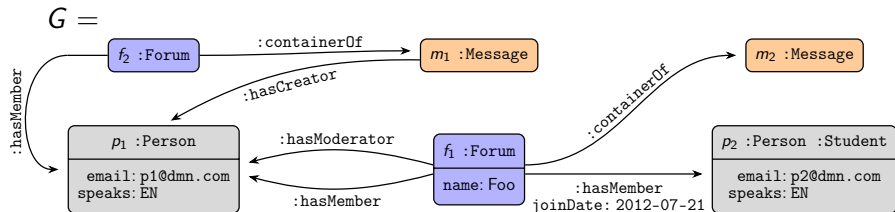
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The creator of a message is a member of the forum where the message is posted.

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GFD  $\varphi_3 = ((x:\text{Forum}), \emptyset \Rightarrow \{x.\text{name} \doteq x.\text{name}\})$

A forum must have a name.

$G \not\models \varphi_3$

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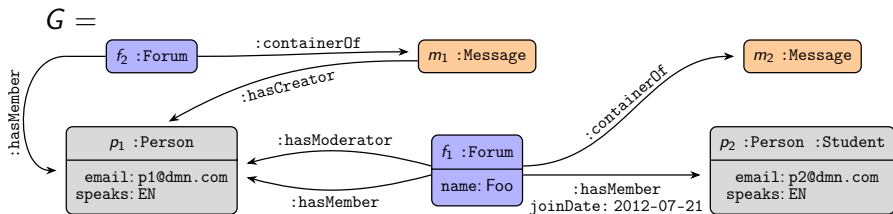
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# PG-KEYS

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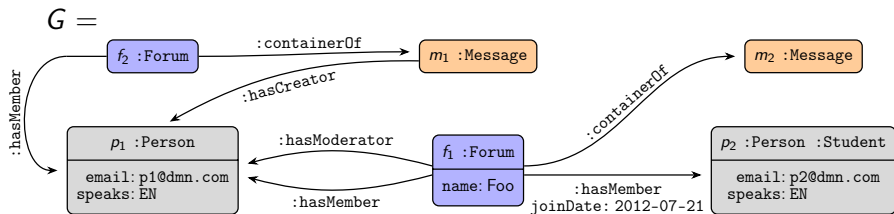
$\text{SINGLETON } x \text{ WITHIN } (z) \xrightarrow{\text{:hasCreator}} (x)$

A message has at most one creator.

$G \models \varphi_4$

# PG-KEYS

## Examples



PG-KEY  $\varphi_5 = \text{FOR } x \text{ WITHIN } (:Forum) \xrightarrow{x:\text{hasMember}} (:Person)$   
 $\text{MANDATORY } x.\text{joinDate WITHIN } () \xrightarrow{x} ()$

We must know the date a person registered on a forum.

$G \not\equiv \varphi_5$

# Outline

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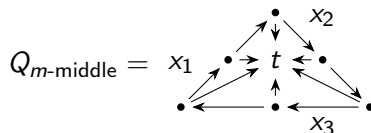
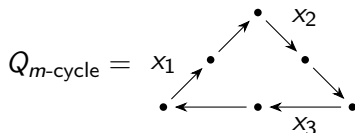
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## $n$ GGDs' hierarchy

### Proposition

Let  $n < m$ . Then  $n$ GGDs  $\subsetneq m$ GGDs for both  $CQ[\dot{=}]$  and  $CQ[\dot{=}, \dot{\neq}]$ .

Proof Sketch - with  $n = 2, m = 3$ .



No set of 2GGDs  $\Psi$  can express the 3GGD

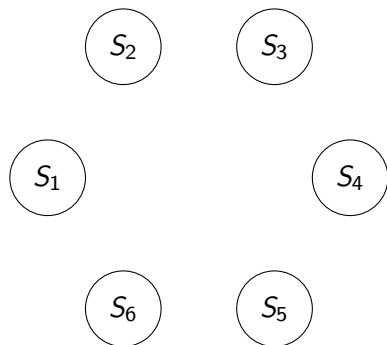
$$\varphi = (Q_{m\text{-cycle}}, \emptyset \Rightarrow Q_{m\text{-middle}}, \emptyset)$$

# General results

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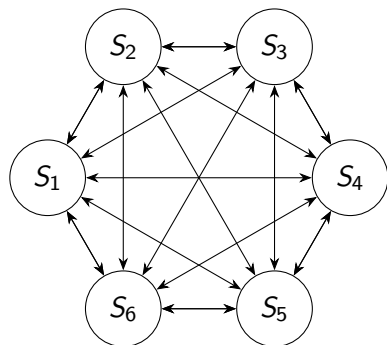


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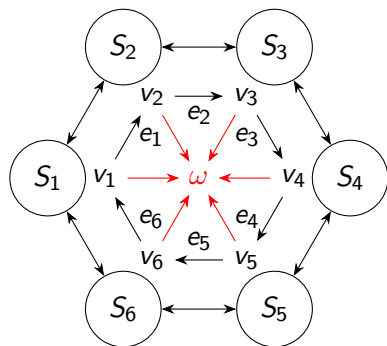


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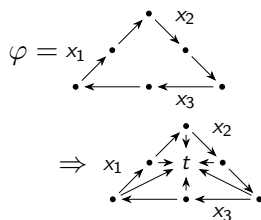
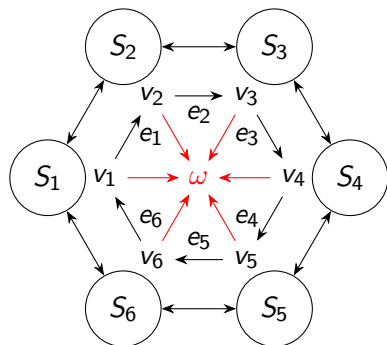
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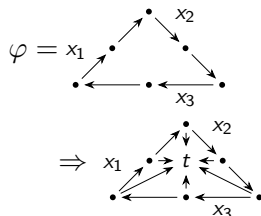
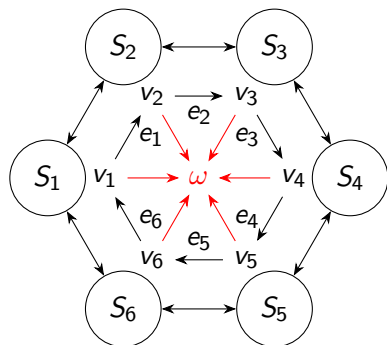


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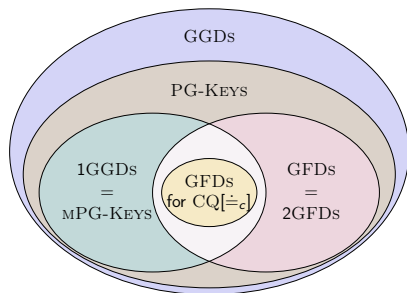
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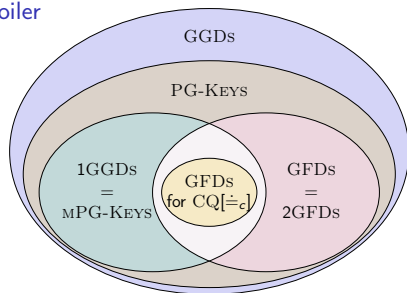


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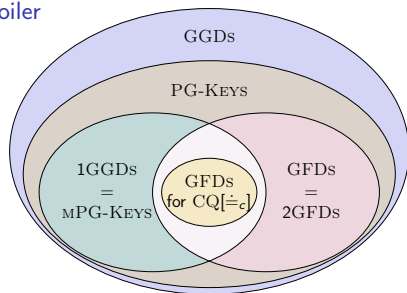
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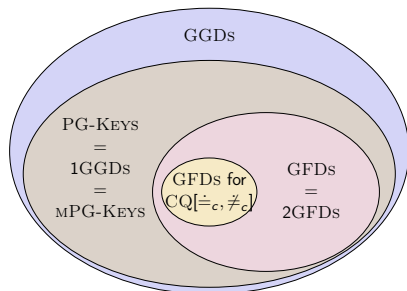
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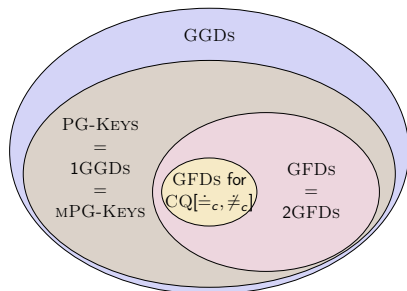
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Similar trick if the keyword is **EXCLUSIVE**.

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