

Dynamic Networks: Representations, Abstractions, and Well-Posedness

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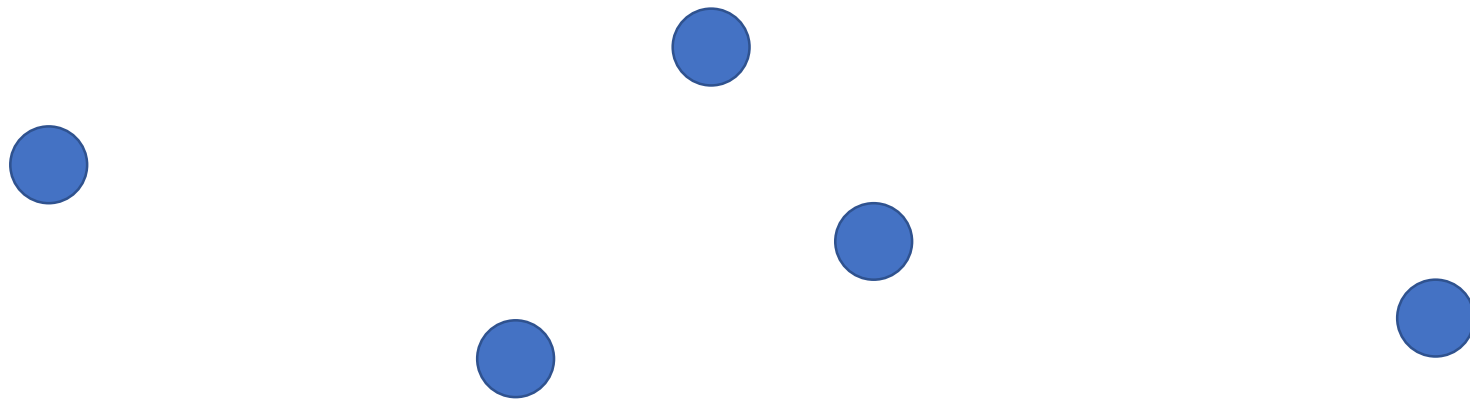
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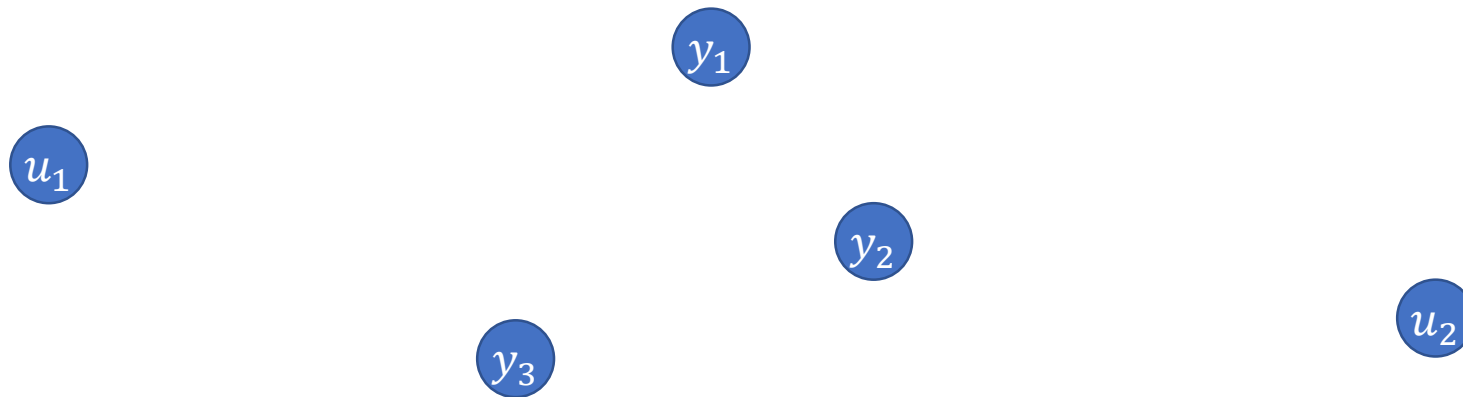
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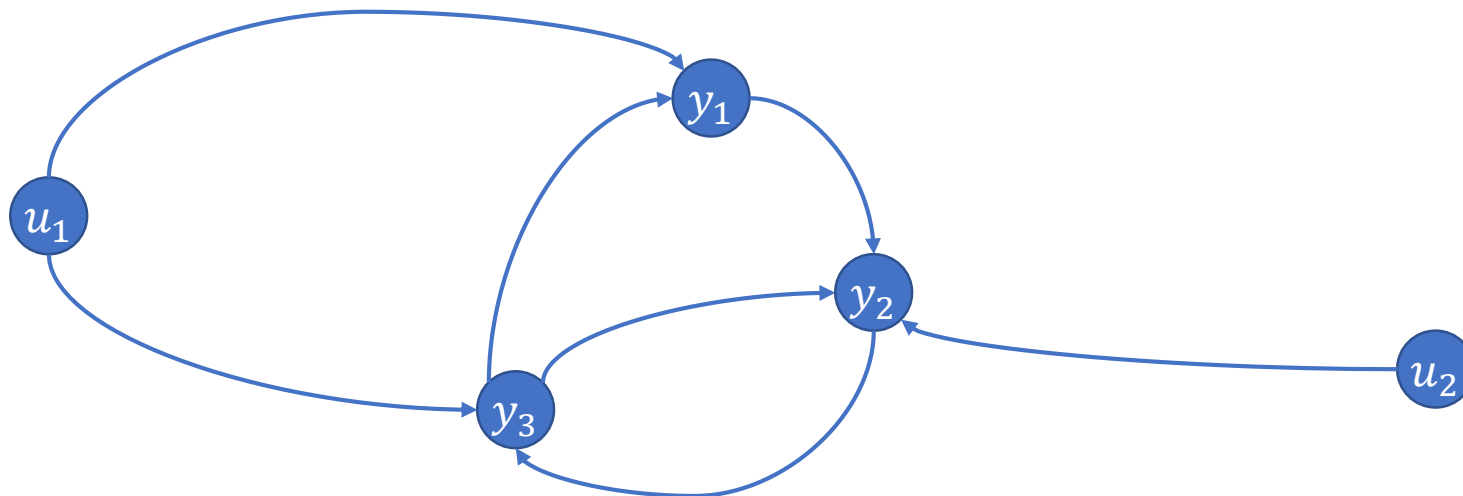
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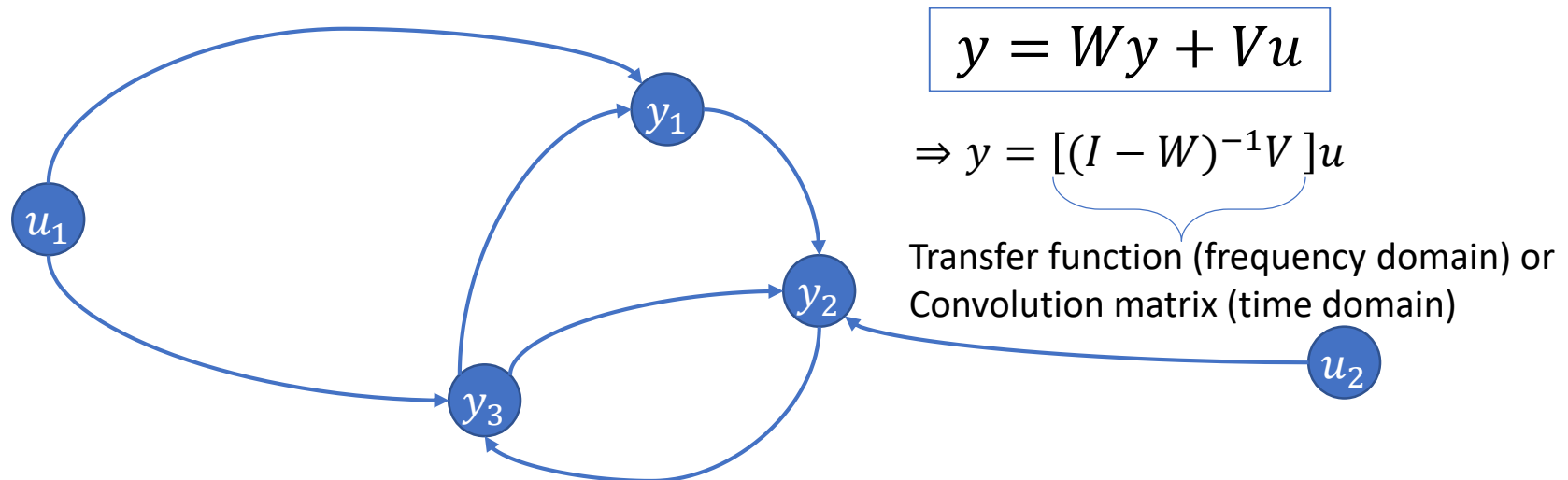
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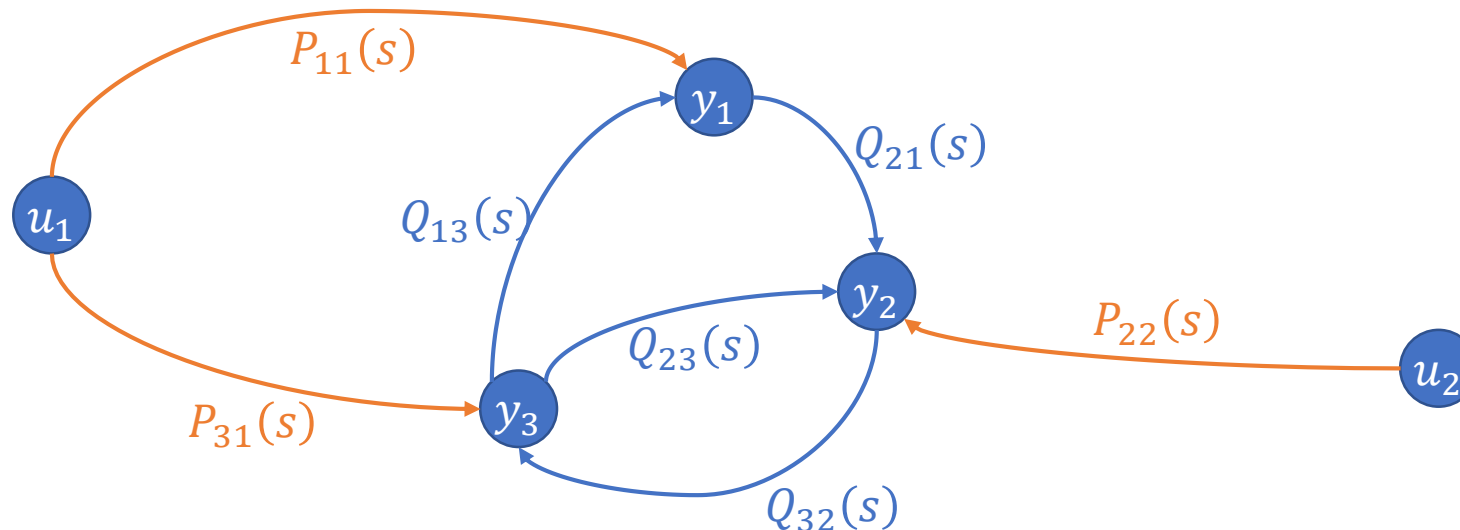
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- Let S be the nodes we keep measuring, \bar{S} the nodes we abstract away
- An abstraction of (Q, P) is another DSF (Q_S, P_S) such that
 - The input-output behavior is preserved
 - The causal dependencies between the remaining manifest variables is preserved

Computing the Abstraction

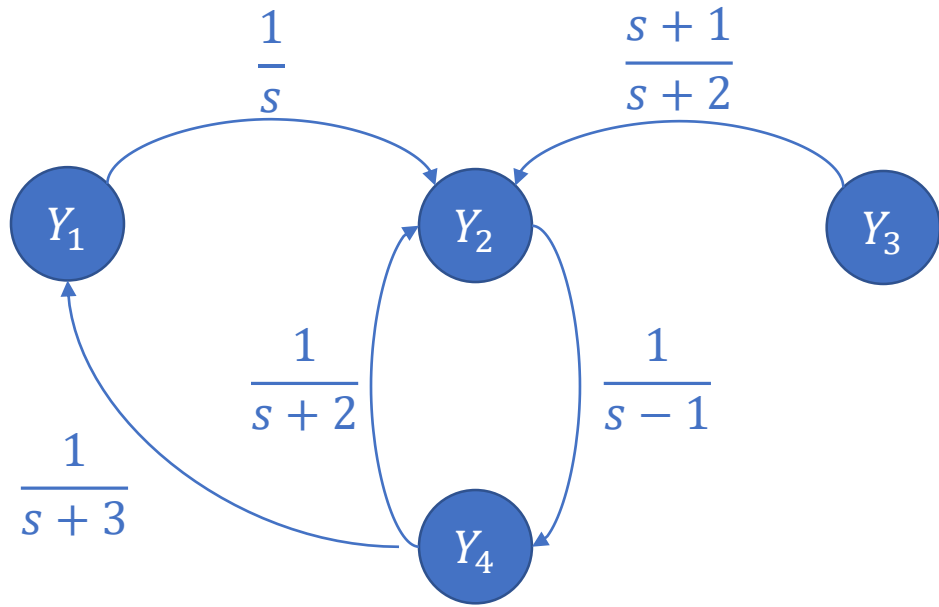
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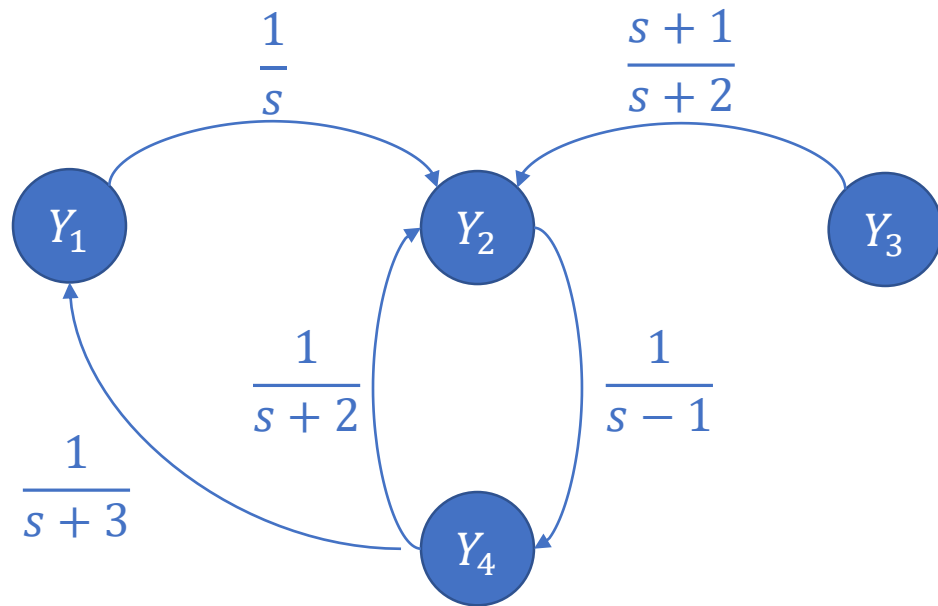
- $W = Q_{SS} + Q_{S\bar{S}}(I - Q_{\bar{S}\bar{S}})^{-1}Q_{\bar{S}S}$
- $V = P_{SS} + Q_{S\bar{S}}(I - Q_{\bar{S}\bar{S}})^{-1}P_{\bar{S}\bar{S}}$
- $D_W = \text{diag}(W)$
- $Q_S = (I - D_W)^{-1}(W - D_W)$
- $P_S = (I - D_W)^{-1}V$
- $Y_S = Q_S Y_S + P_S U$

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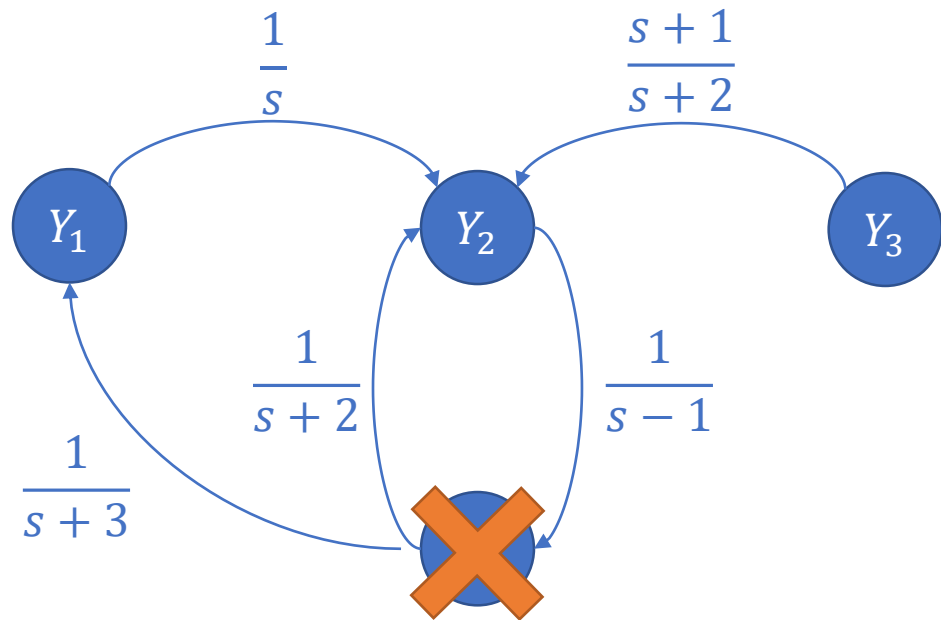
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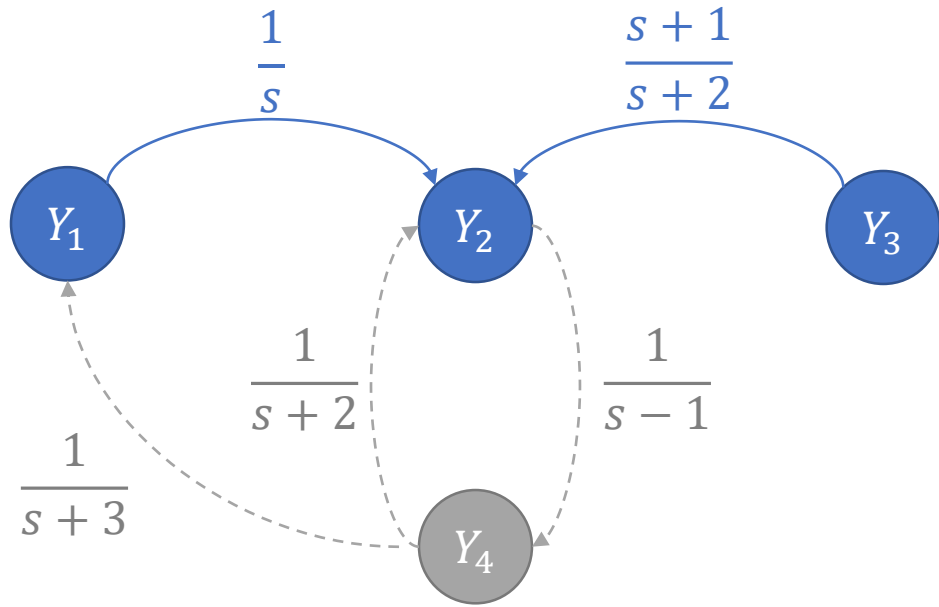
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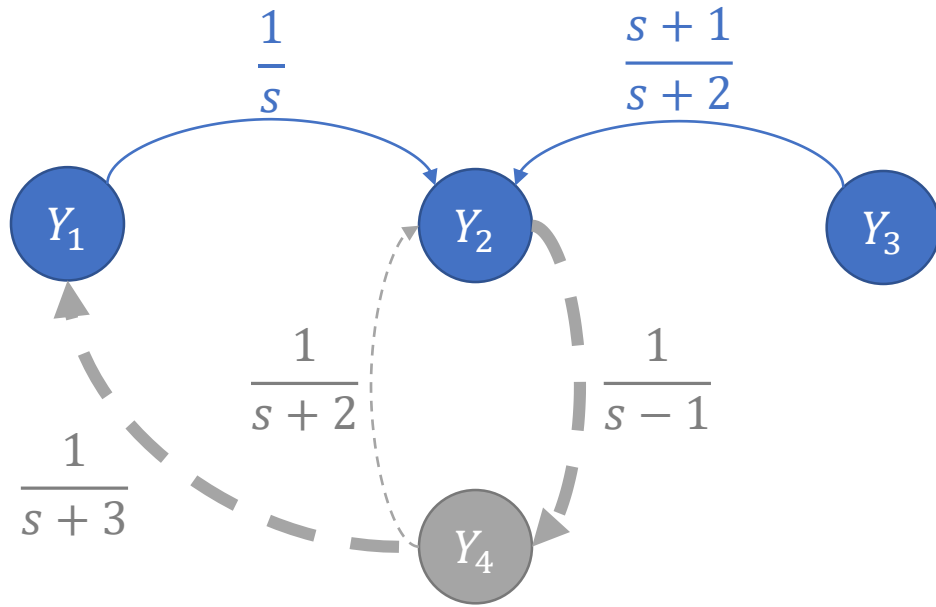
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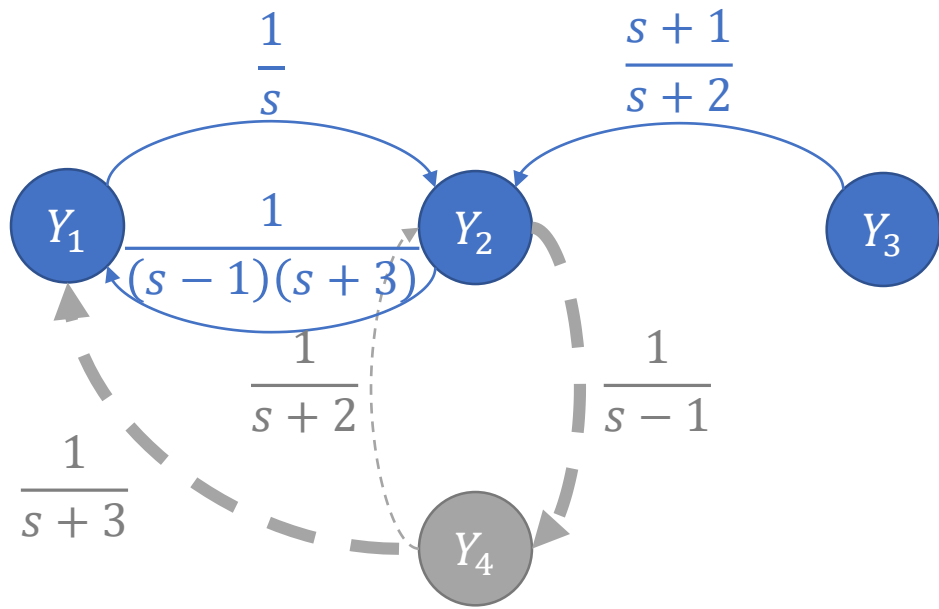
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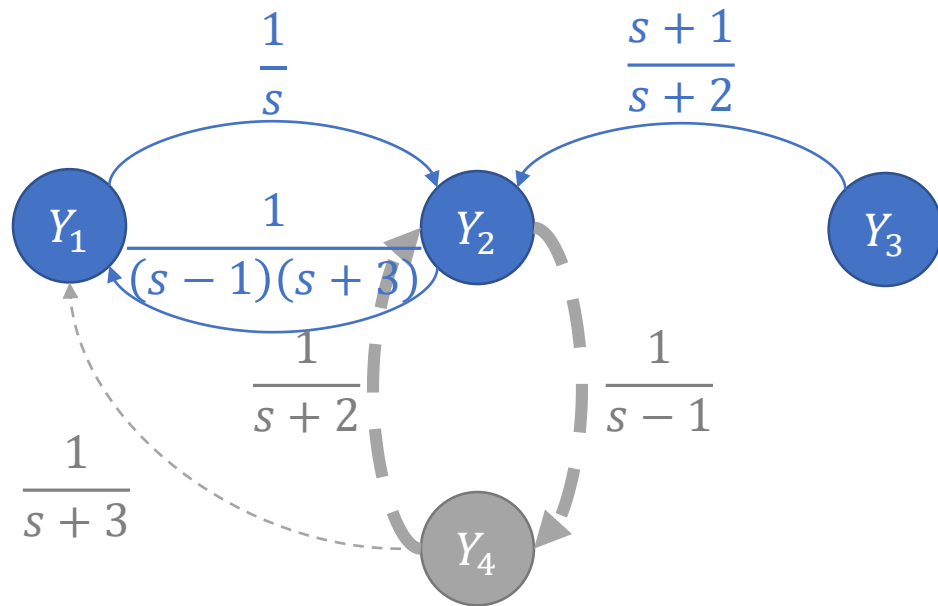
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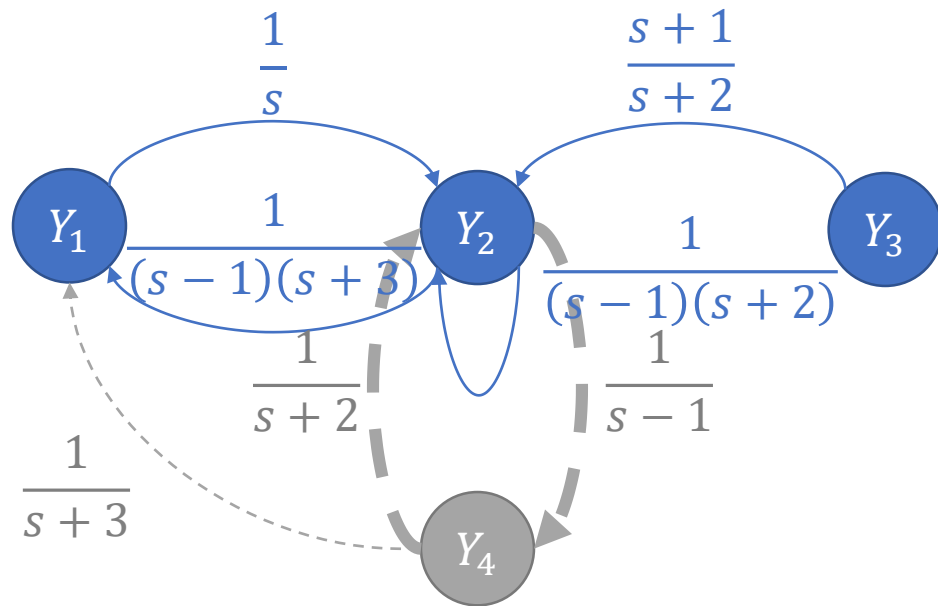
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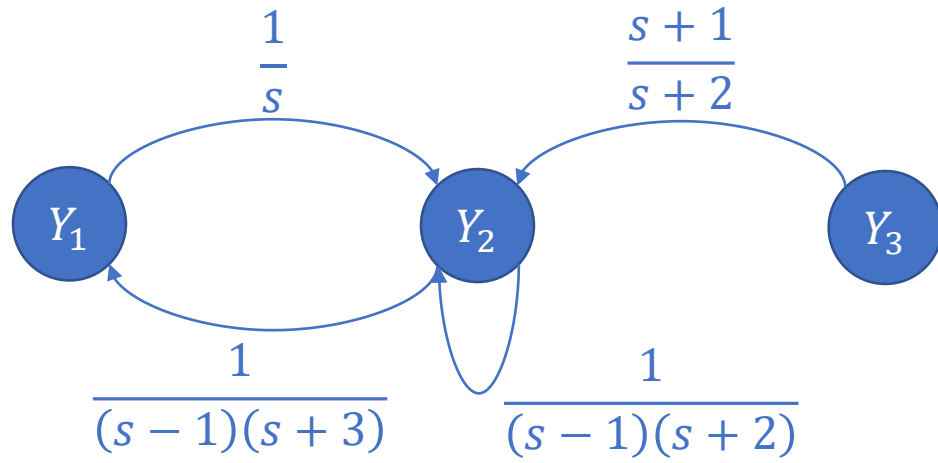
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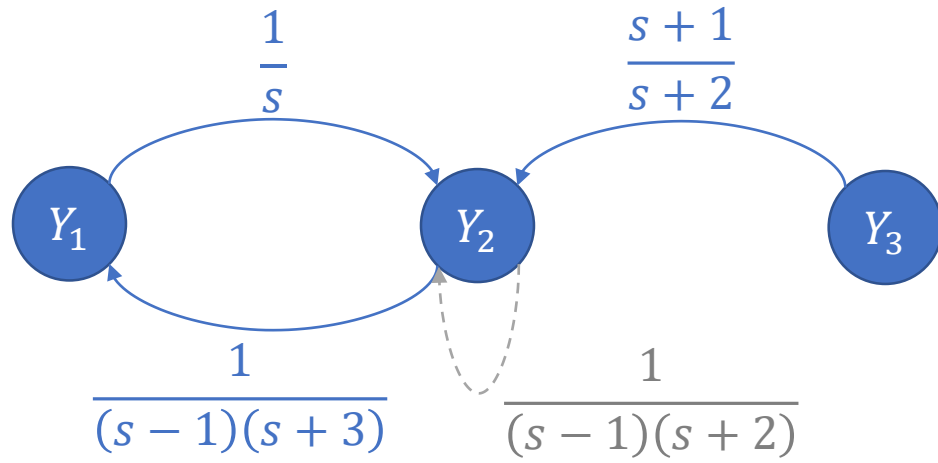
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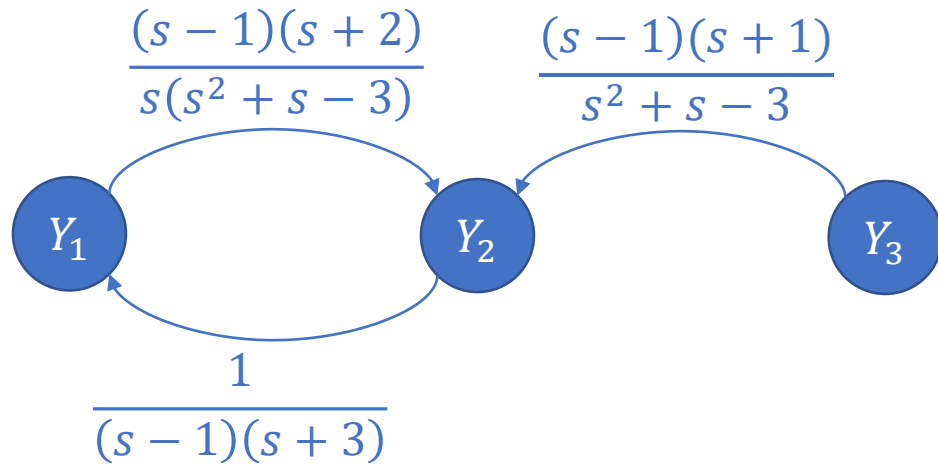
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Well-Posedness

Of DSFs and Abstractions

Understanding Well-Posedness

Jan Willems (1971)

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- We wish to find the necessary *and* sufficient conditions for when (Q_S, P_S) is well-posed

Well-Posedness of Abstractions

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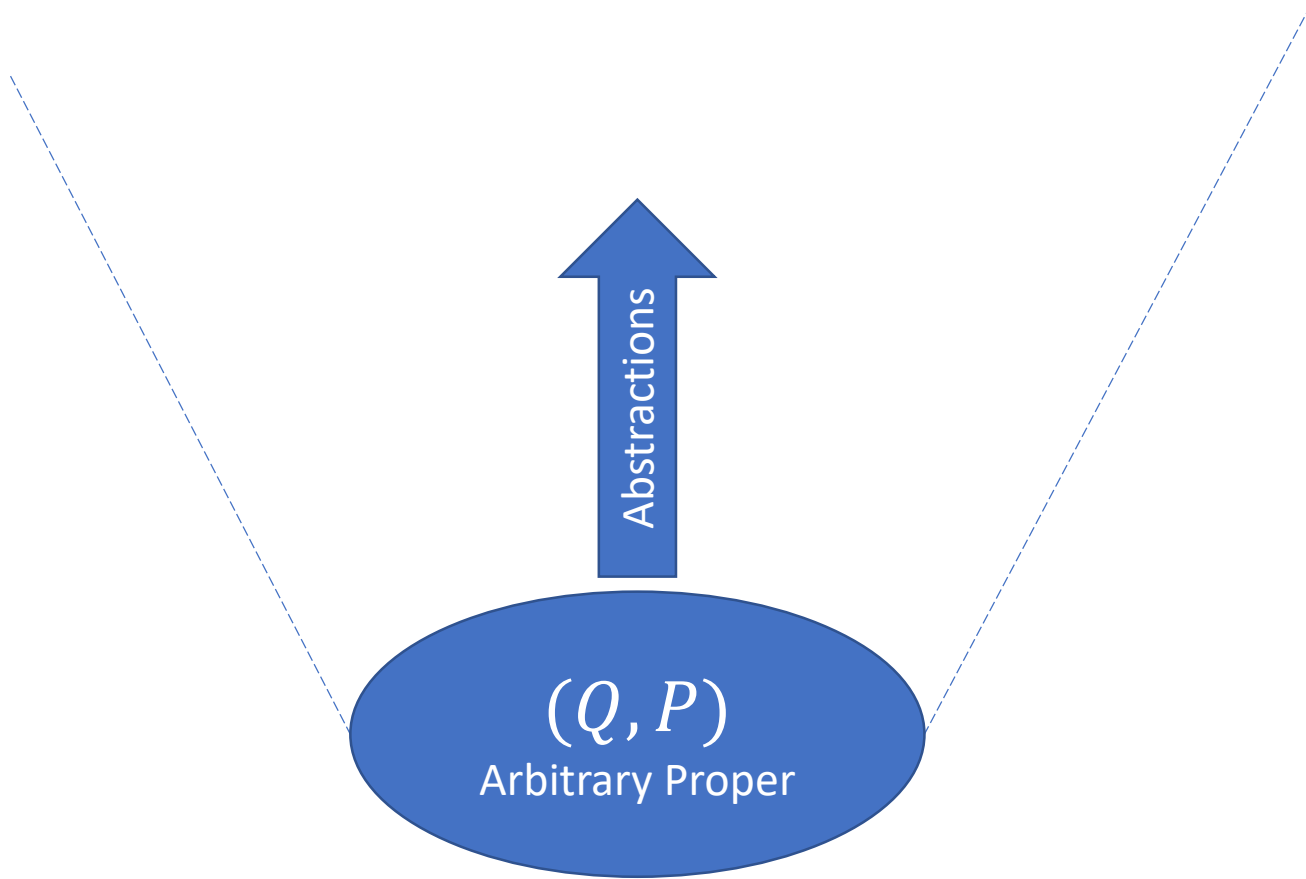
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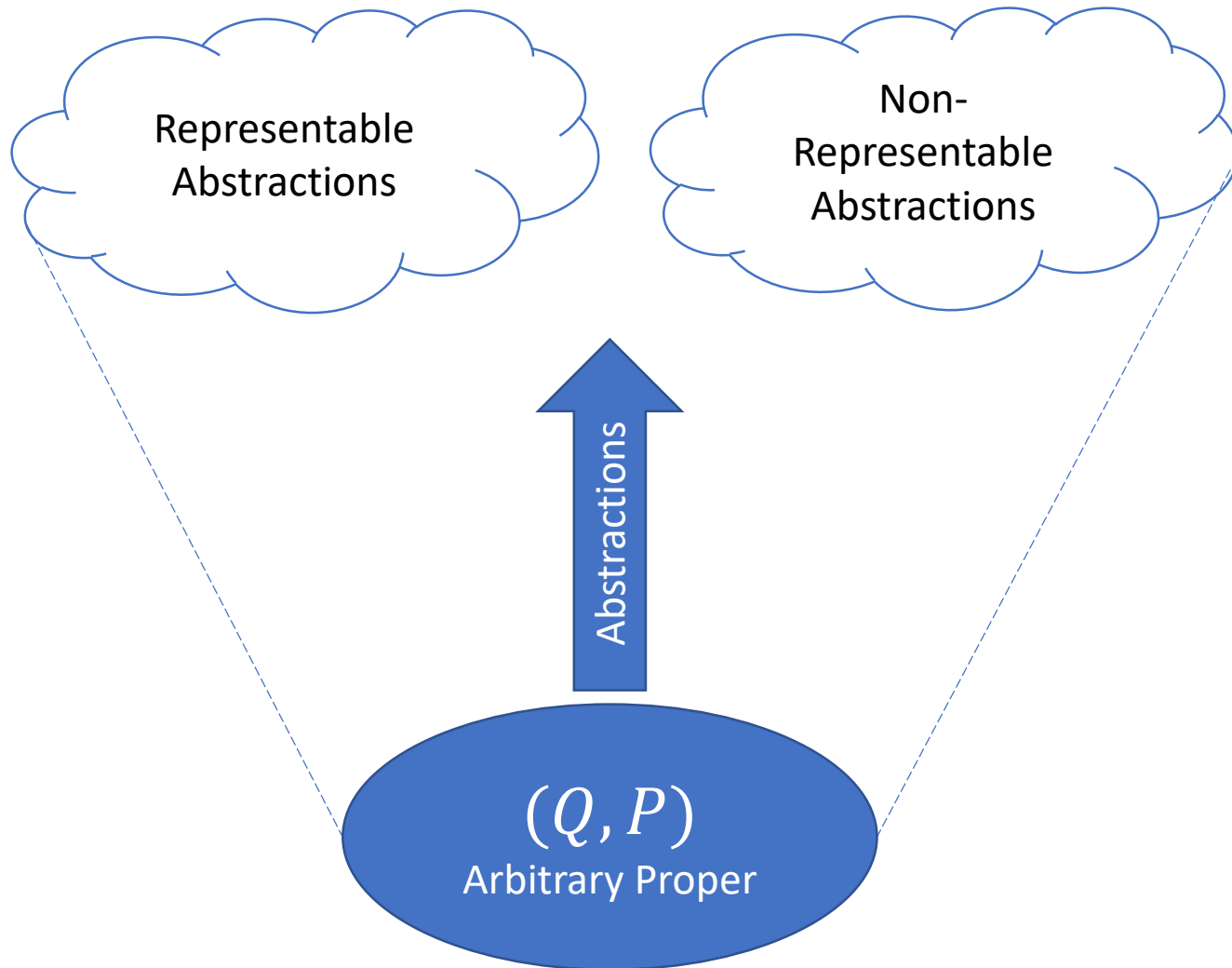
Theorem: Well-Posedness (Main Result)

- Let (Q_S, P_S) be a **representable** abstraction of (Q, P) with respect to S
- Then (Q_S, P_S) is well-posed if and only if (Q, P) is well-posed



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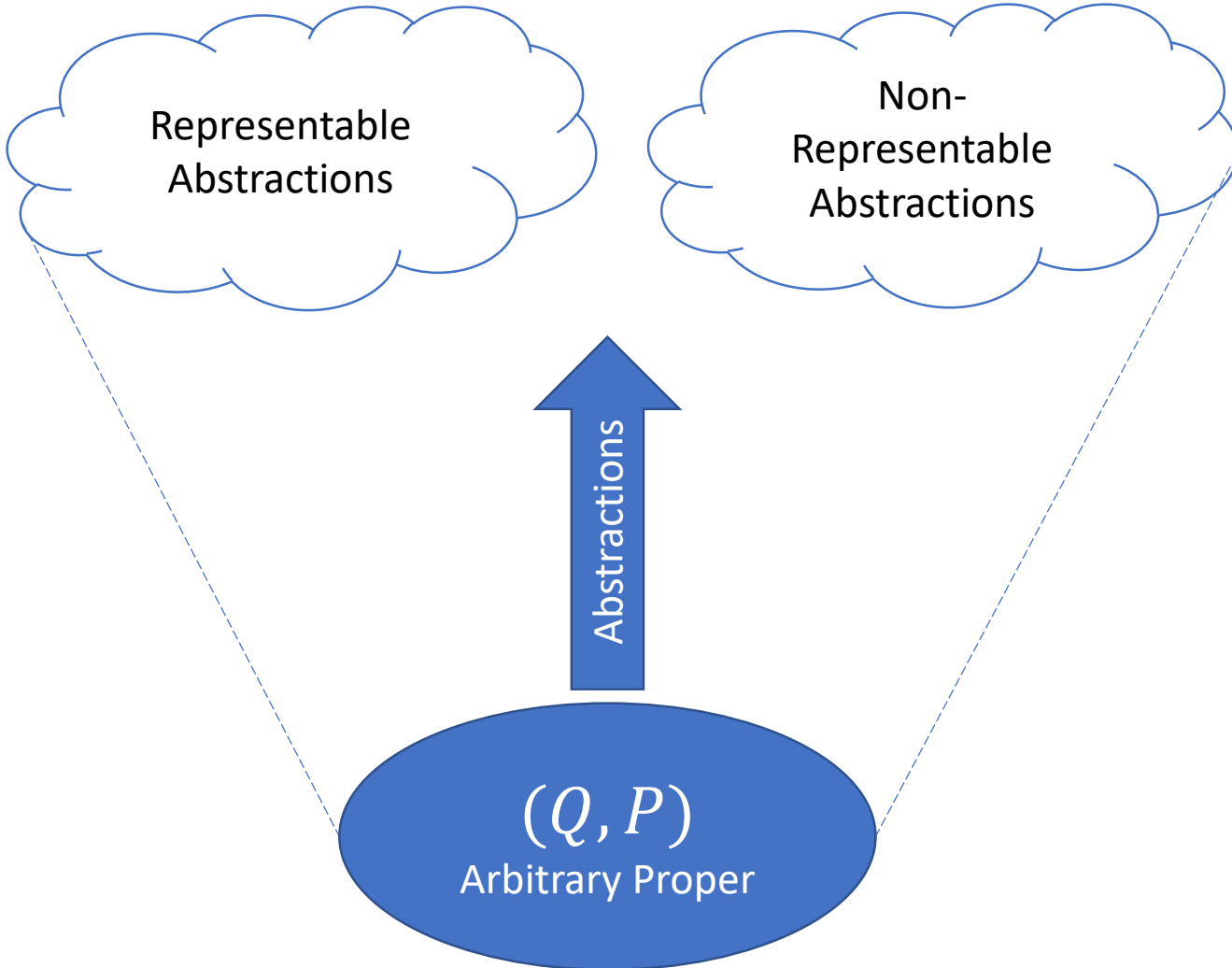
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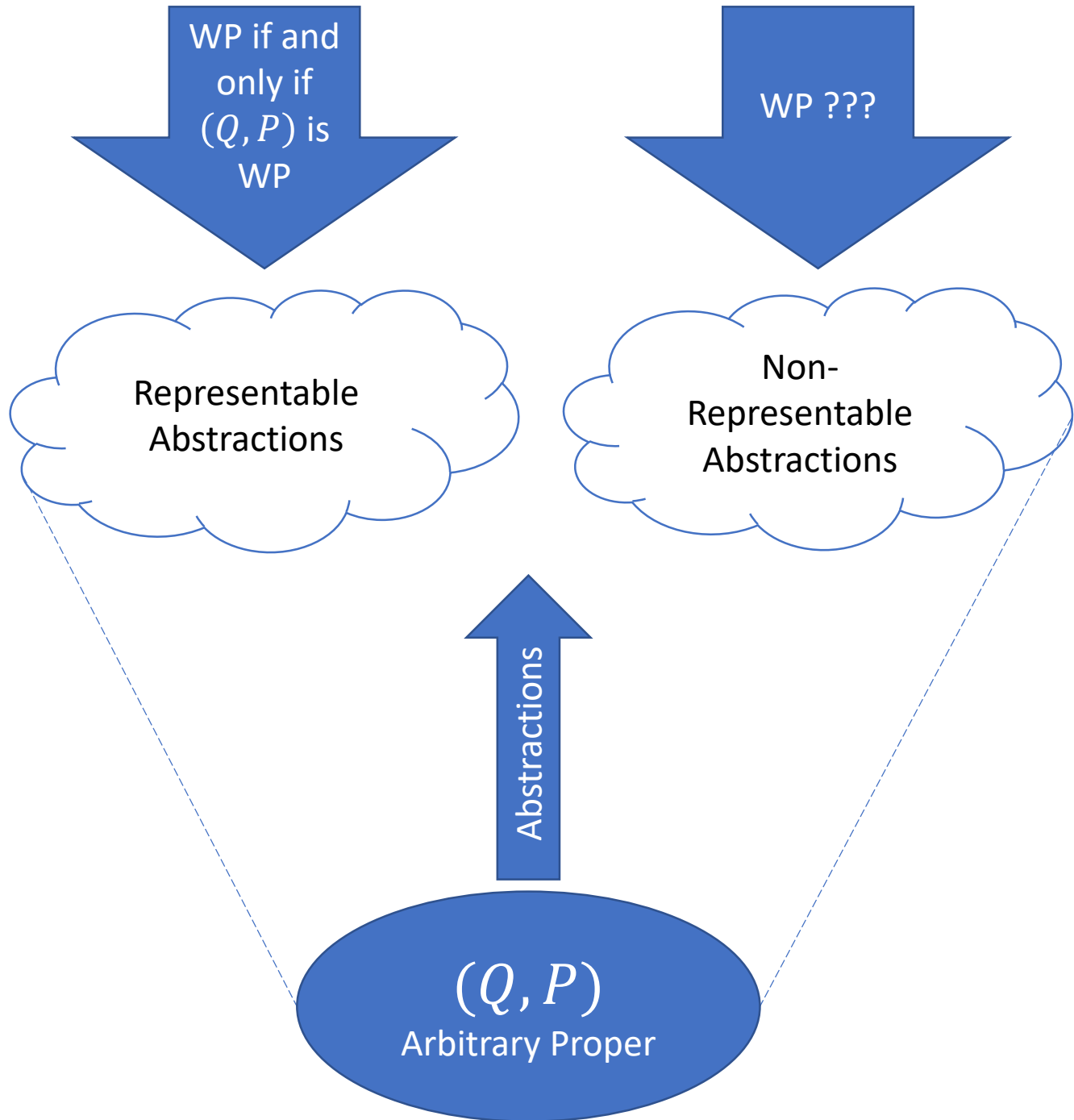
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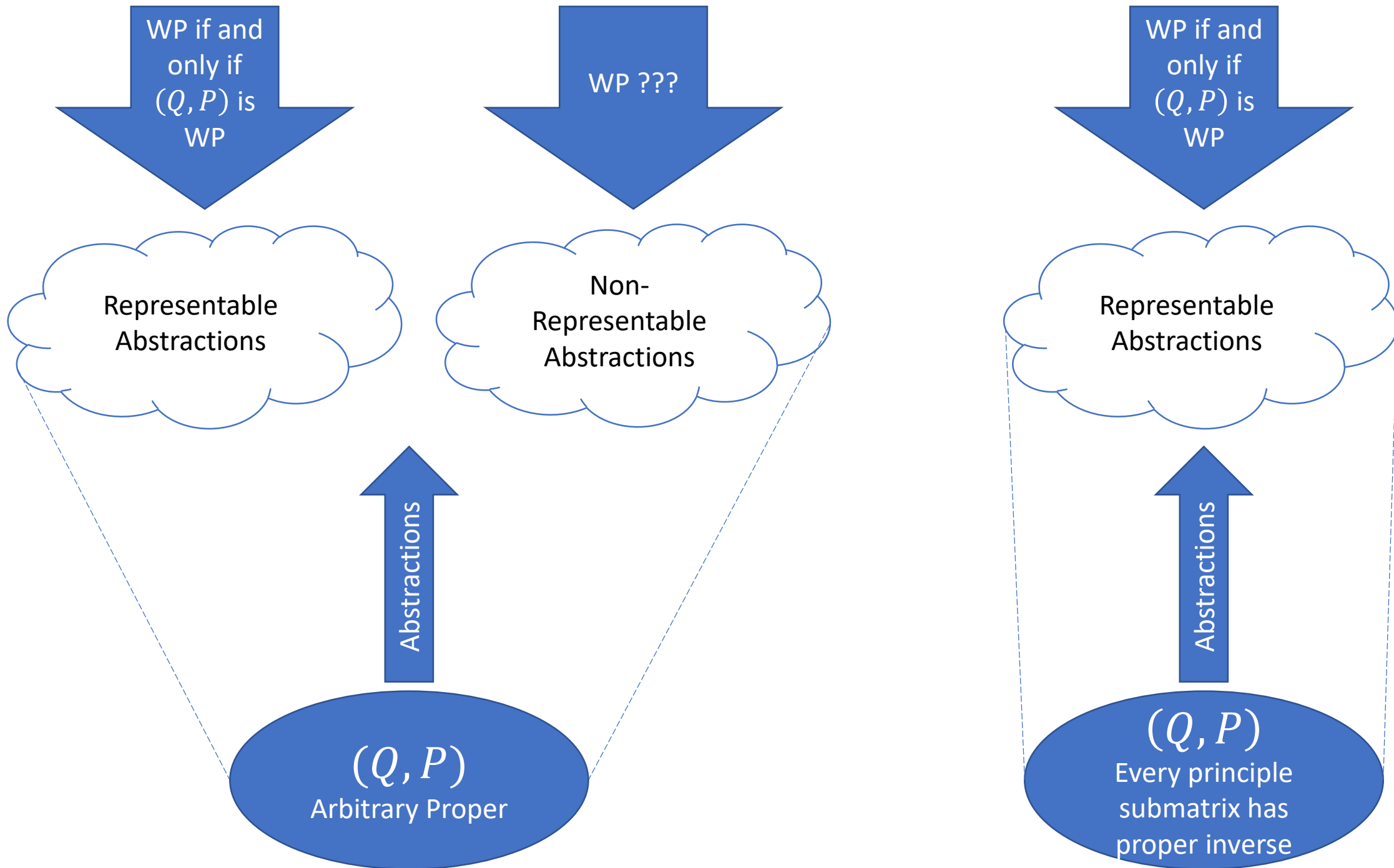
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2. Representable abstractions of ill-posed networks are ill-posed

The Network Reconstruction Problem

- Suppose $Y = Q^*Y + P^*U$, for some fixed Q^* and P^*
- Given G , where $Y = GU$, with $G = [(I - Q^*)^{-1}P^*]$
- Find (Q^*, P^*)
- Need extra “a priori” information to solve
 - Full Conditions: J. Adebayo et. al. "Dynamical Structure Function Identifiability Conditions Enabling Signal Structure Reconstruction," Conference on Decision and Control, Maui, 2012.
 - Knowing P^* is diagonal is sufficient to find (Q^*, P^*) from G

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- Network reconstruction procedure from:

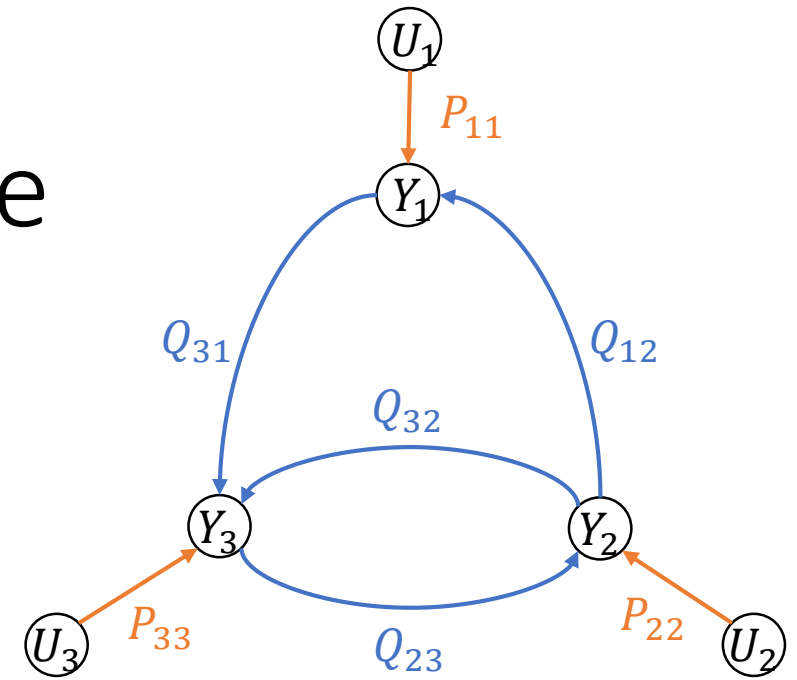
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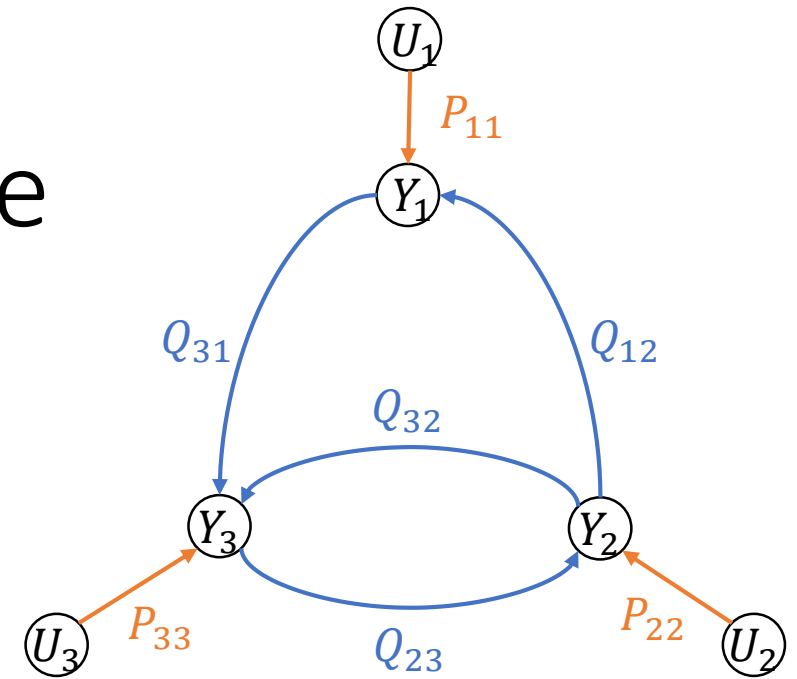
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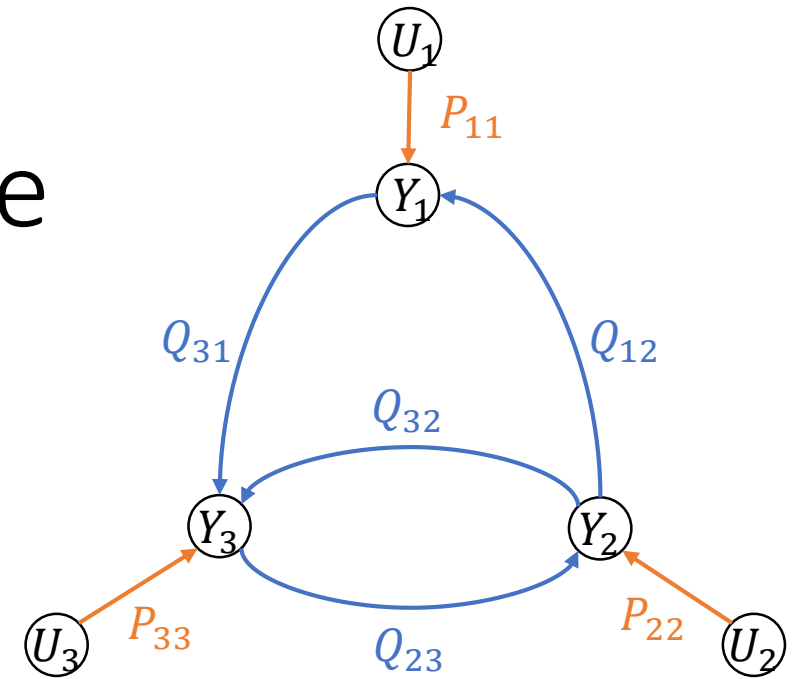
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- Unknown

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Network Reconstruction General Solution

- Solution (where Q is $p \times p$ and P, G are $p \times m$):

$$\begin{aligned} G &= (I_p - Q)^{-1} P \quad \Rightarrow \\ G &= QG + P \\ &= [Q \quad P] \begin{bmatrix} G \\ I_p \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \\ G' &= [G' \quad I_p] \begin{bmatrix} Q' \\ P' \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \\ \vec{g} &= L\vec{\theta} \end{aligned}$$

Network Reconstruction Example

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} G_{11} \\ G_{21} \\ G_{31} \\ G_{12} \\ G_{22} \\ G_{32} \\ G_{13} \\ G_{23} \\ G_{33} \end{bmatrix} \\
 \vec{g}
 \end{array}
 =
 \begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} G_{11} & G_{21} & G_{31} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ G_{11} & G_{21} & G_{31} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ G_{12} & G_{22} & G_{32} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ G_{12} & G_{22} & G_{32} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 L
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ Q_{21} \\ Q_{31} \\ P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ Q_{12} \\ 0 \\ Q_{32} \\ P_{21} \\ P_{22} \\ P_{33} \\ Q_{13} \\ Q_{23} \\ 0 \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \end{bmatrix} \\
 \vec{\theta}
 \end{array}$$

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{(s+4)(s^3+4s^2+s+5)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+2)(s+4)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+2)(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} \\ -\frac{(s+4)(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)}{(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s^2+s+5)} \\ -\frac{(s+4)^2(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s+3)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)(s^3+5s^2+3s+13)}{(s+3)(s^2+2)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s+3)(s^2+s+5)} \end{bmatrix}$$

Network Reconstruction Example

$pm = 9$
Equations

$$\begin{matrix}
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 L
 \end{matrix}
 \begin{matrix}
 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ Q_{21} \\ Q_{31} \\ P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ Q_{12} \\ 0 \\ Q_{32} \\ P_{21} \\ P_{22} \\ P_{33} \\ Q_{13} \\ Q_{23} \\ 0 \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \end{bmatrix} \\
 \vec{\theta}
 \end{matrix}$$

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\vec{g}

$$= \begin{bmatrix} G_{11} & G_{21} & G_{31} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ G_{11} & G_{21} & G_{31} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ G_{12} & G_{22} & G_{32} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ G_{12} & G_{22} & G_{32} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ G_{13} & G_{23} & G_{33} & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

L

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ Q_{21} \\ Q_{31} \\ P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ Q_{12} \\ 0 \\ Q_{32} \\ P_{21} \\ P_{22} \\ P_{33} \\ Q_{13} \\ Q_{23} \\ 0 \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\vec{\theta}$

$p^2 + pm = 18$
Unknowns

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{(s+4)(s^3+4s^2+s+5)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+2)(s+4)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+2)(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} \\ -\frac{(s+4)(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)}{(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s^2+s+5)} \\ -\frac{(s+4)^2(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s+3)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)(s^3+5s^2+3s+13)}{(s+3)(s^2+2)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s+3)(s^2+s+5)} \end{bmatrix}$$

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 \vec{g} \qquad \qquad \qquad L \qquad \qquad \qquad \vec{\theta}
 \end{array}$$

$p^2 - p + pm = 15$
Unknowns

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{(s+4)(s^3+4s^2+s+5)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+2)(s+4)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+2)(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s+1)(s^2+s+5)} \\ -\frac{(s+4)(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)}{(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s^2+s+5)} \\ -\frac{(s+4)^2(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s+3)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)(s^3+5s^2+3s+13)}{(s+3)(s^2+2)(s^2+s+5)} & -\frac{(s+4)(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s+3)(s^2+s+5)} \end{bmatrix}$$

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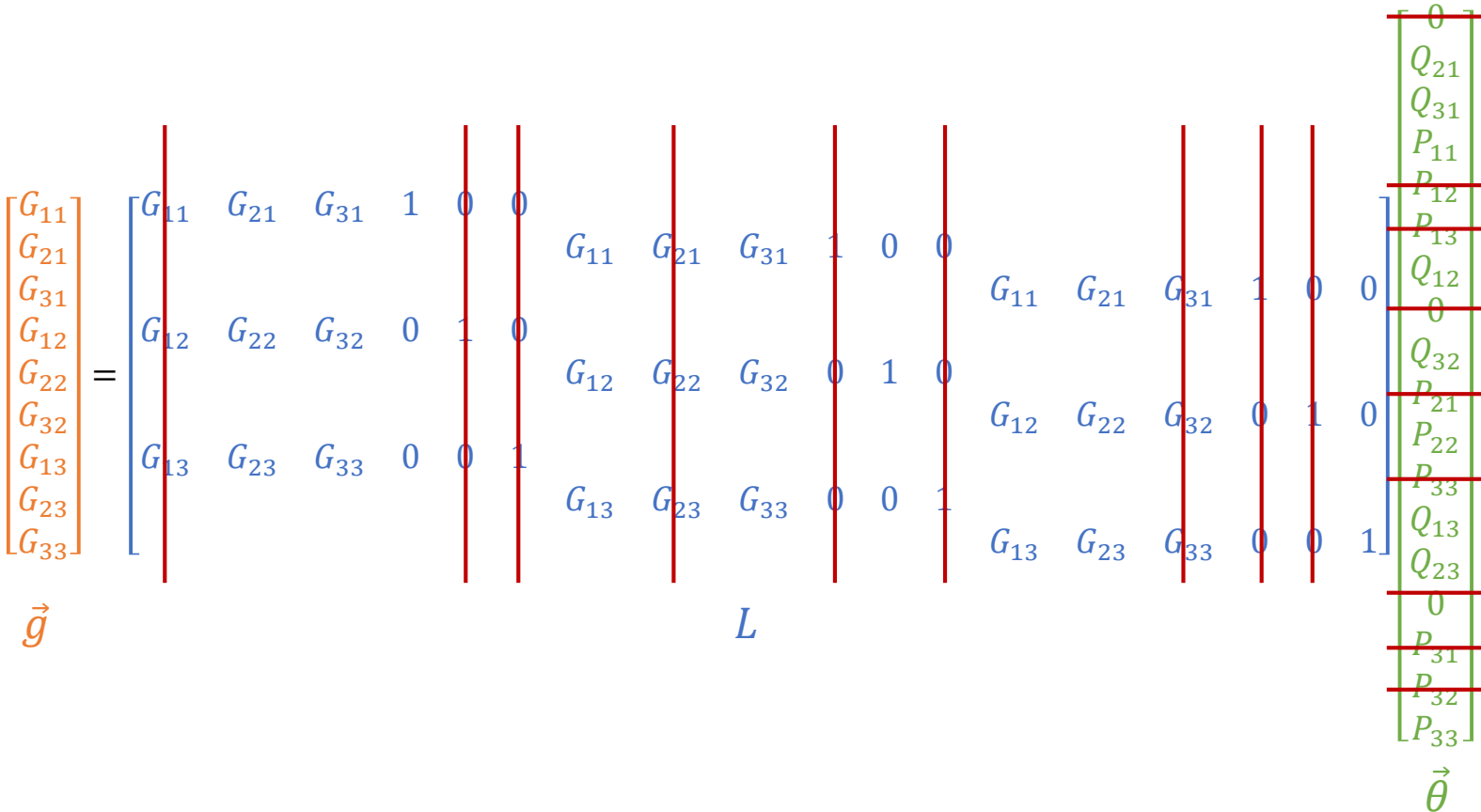
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$p^2 - p + pm - (p^2 - p)$
 $= pm = 9$ Unknowns

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Suppose we knew that P is diagonal ($P_{ij} = 0$ for $i \neq j$)
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Abstractions and Network Reconstruction

- Recall that an abstraction is a new network with $|S| < p$ outputs
 - Cost to identify base network: $p^2 - p$
 - Cost to identify abstraction: $|S|^2 - |S| < p^2 - p$

Abstraction and Reconstruction Example

- Base Network

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{s+2}{s+1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{s+3}{s+4} \\ \frac{(s+1)(s+5)}{(s+2)(s+3)} & \frac{1}{s^2+2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s+4}{s+1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{s^2+2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{s+6}{s+3} \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Abstraction with $S = \{1,2\}$

$$Q_S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{(s+2)}{(s+1)} \\ \frac{(s+1)(s+5)(s^2+2)}{(s+2)(s^3+4s^2+s+5)} & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$P_S = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{(s+4)}{(s+1)} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{(s+4)}{(s^3+4s^2+s+5)} & \frac{(s+6)(s^2+2)}{(s^3+4s^2+s+5)} \end{bmatrix}$$

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Need to know $p^2 - p = 6$ to identify

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Need to know $|S|^2 - |S| = 2$ to identify

Abstraction and Reconstruction Example

- Base Network

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{s+2}{s+1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{s+3}{s+4} \\ \frac{(s+1)(s+5)}{(s+2)(s+3)} & \frac{1}{s^2+2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s+4}{s+1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{s^2+2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{s+6}{s+3} \end{bmatrix}$$

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Ill-Posed

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Representable and Ill-Posed

Network Reconstruction Example – Insights

1. DSF network reconstruction procedure works whether the network is well-posed, ill-posed, proper, improper, etc.
 - Well-posedness results ensure reconstructed network is sensible
2. Representable abstractions of ill-posed networks are ill-posed

Conclusions

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- DSFs (Q, P) and DNFS model causal networks
- Abstractions are DSFs (DNFs) that preserve dynamics and causal dependencies
- Abstractions reduce the knowledge required to identify (reconstruct) a DSF (DNF)
- A DSF (DNF) is well-posed if and only if $(I - Q)$ has a proper inverse
- Given that an abstraction is representable (proper), it is well-posed if and only if the DSF (DNF) is well-posed

Questions?