

# Weakest Non-trivial Finite Structures

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Theorem (Barto, Opršal, Pinsker 2015) Let  $\mathbb{A}$  and  $\mathbb{B}$  be a finite structures. TFAE

- 1. A can pp-construct  $\mathbb{B}$  ( $\mathbb{A} \leq_{pp} \mathbb{B}$ )
- 2.  $\mathbb{B}$  is homomorphically equivalent to a pp-power of  $\mathbb{A}$
- 3.  $Pol(\mathbb{A})$  has a minion homomorphism to  $Pol(\mathbb{B})$



PP-Constructability Poset (for Digraphs)





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#### Theorem

Let  $\mathbb{A}$  be a finite structure. TFAE

- 1.  $\vartheta \leq_{pp} \mathbb{A}$
- 2. A has a constant polymorphism
- 3. A is homomorphically equivalent to a one-element structure

# Duality Pairs (Nešetřil, Tardif 1998)

### **Duality Pairs**

# $\stackrel{\uparrow}{\uparrow} \longrightarrow \mathbb{G} \xrightarrow{} \stackrel{\uparrow}{\uparrow}$





(1) is a heality pair













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TS(n): totally symmetric,  $f(x_1, \ldots, x_n)$  only depends on  $\{x_1, \ldots, x_n\}$ . Theorem (Feder, Vardi 93) Let A be a finite structure. TFAE 1. HornSat  $\leq_{pp} \mathbb{A}$ 2. A has TS(n) polymorphisms of all n 3. A has tree duality





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*k*-ABS: *k*-absorbing block symmetric  $f(x_{1,1}, \ldots, x_{1,k}, \ldots, x_{k,1}, \ldots, x_{k,k})$  only depends on the set of w.r.t.  $\subseteq$  **minimal** sets in

$$\{\{x_{1,1},\ldots,x_{1,k}\},\ldots,\{x_{k,1},\ldots,x_{k,k}\}\}$$

Theorem (Carvalho, Dalmau, Krokhin 2010) Let  $\mathbb{A}$  be a finite structure. TFAE

- 1. st-Con  $≤_{pp}$  A
- 2. A has k-ABS polymorphisms for all k
- 3. A has caterpillar duality
- 4. A is homomorphically equivalent to a structure  $\mathbb{A}'$  with lattice polymorphisms  $\wedge, \vee$





















# Unfolded Caterpillar Duality Unfolding. Prt C does not have Unfolded CP duchity

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  - 1. →  $\leq_{pp} A$
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  - 3. A has unfolded caterpillar duality
  - A is homomorphically equivalent to a structure A' with lattice polymorphisms ∧, ∨ and a Malt polymorphism

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- 2. A has Malt and k-ABS polymorphism for all k
- 2' A has generalised minority polymorphisms of all odd arities and TS(n) polymorphisms for all n (Vucaj, Zhuk 2024)
- 3. A has unfolded caterpillar duality
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