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# WP 2 : Automatic data integration in multidimensional data warehouses

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# Introduction

## Research Context

Large Companies



Small Entities

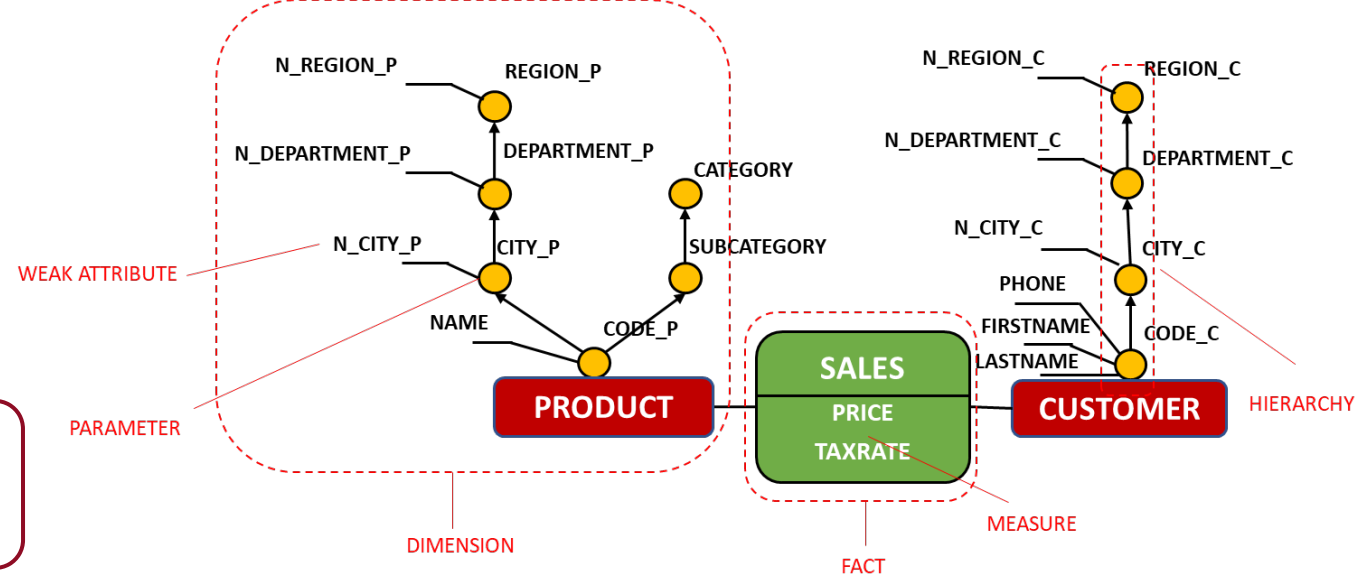
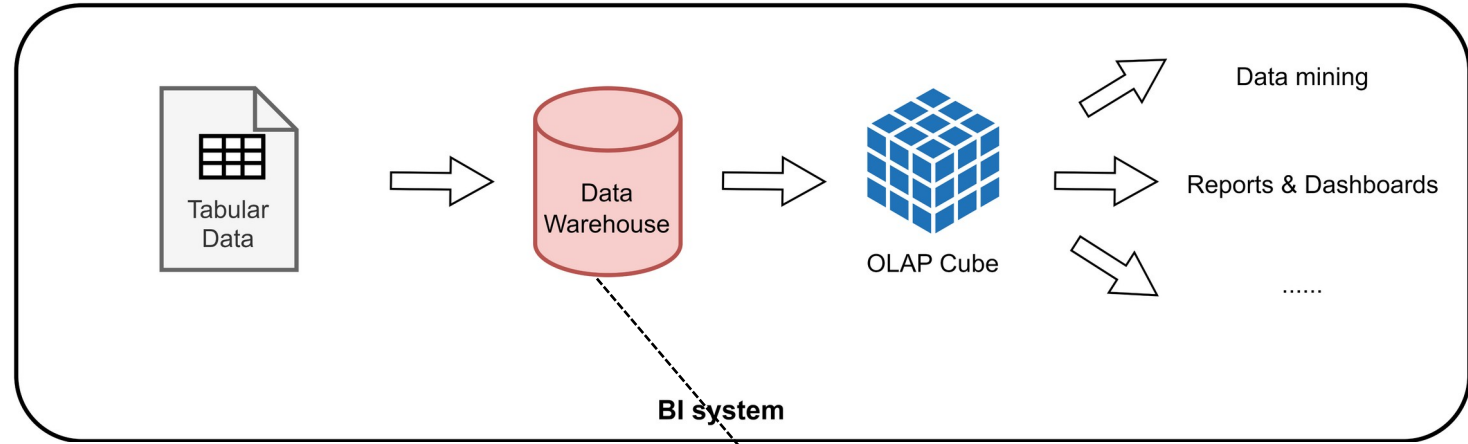


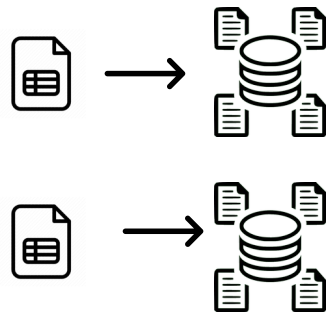
Lack of budget and experts



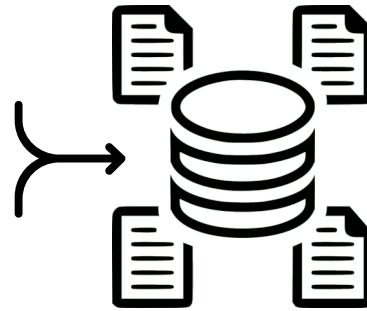
BI4people (Business intelligence for the people)

How can we automatically integrate tabular data integration in multidimensional data warehouses?

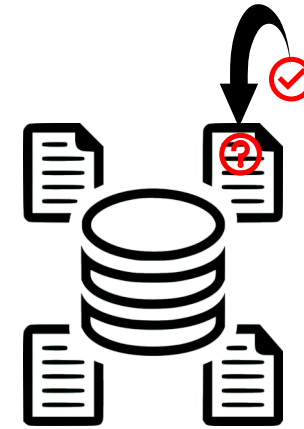




Automatic DW design and implementation



DW merging



Data imputation

Semi-automatic process

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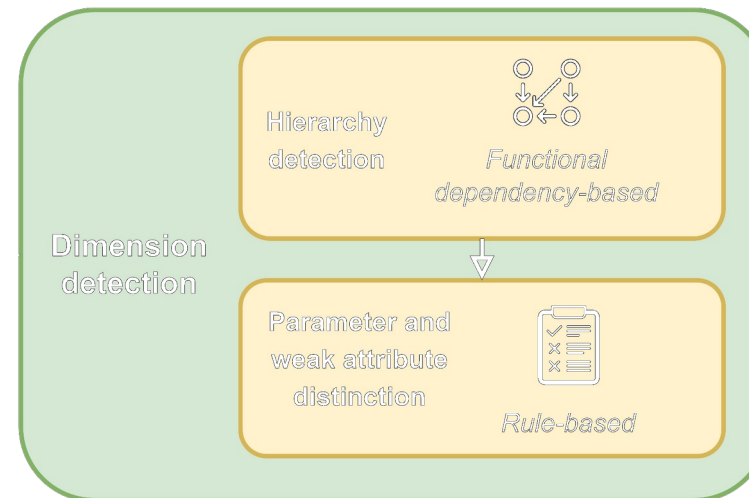
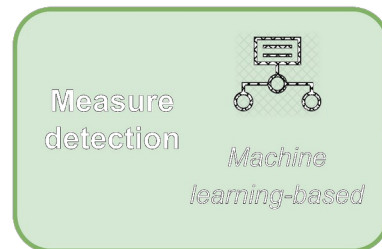
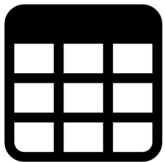
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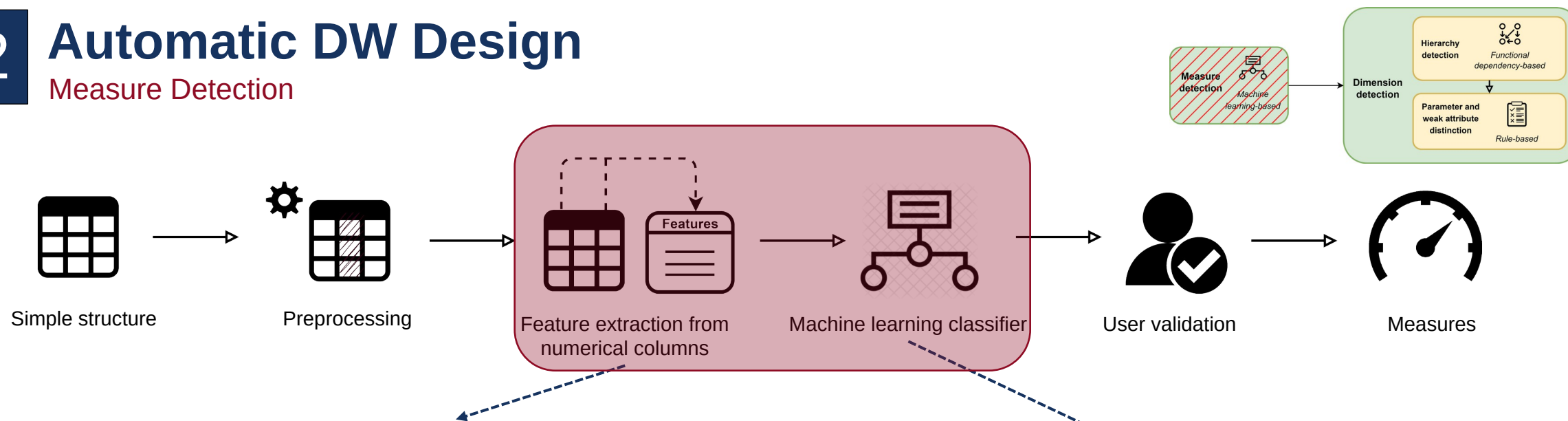
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How to automatically generate a DW from tabular data?

- Lack of schema
- Complex DW structure



Data warehouse



Feature Category	Feature
General feature	Data Type
	Positive/Negative/Zero value ratio
	Unique value ratio
Statistical feature	Same digital number
	Average/Minimum/Maximum/Median/Upper quartile/Lower quartile values
	Coefficient of variation
Inter-column feature	Range ratio
	Location ratio
	Numerical column ratio
	Multiple functional dependencies
	Numerical neighbor

- Support vector machine (SVM)
- Decision tree (DT)
- Random forest (RF)
- K-nearest neighbors (KNN)

### Random forest

- Best F-score
- Stable distribution

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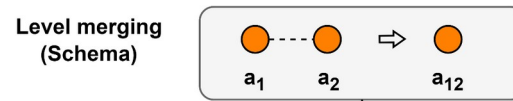
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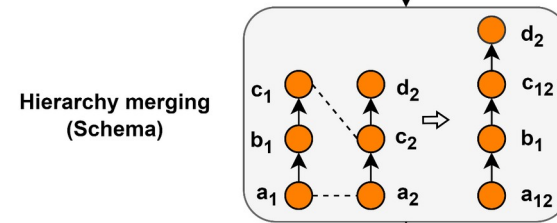


How to merge two DWs having common elements?

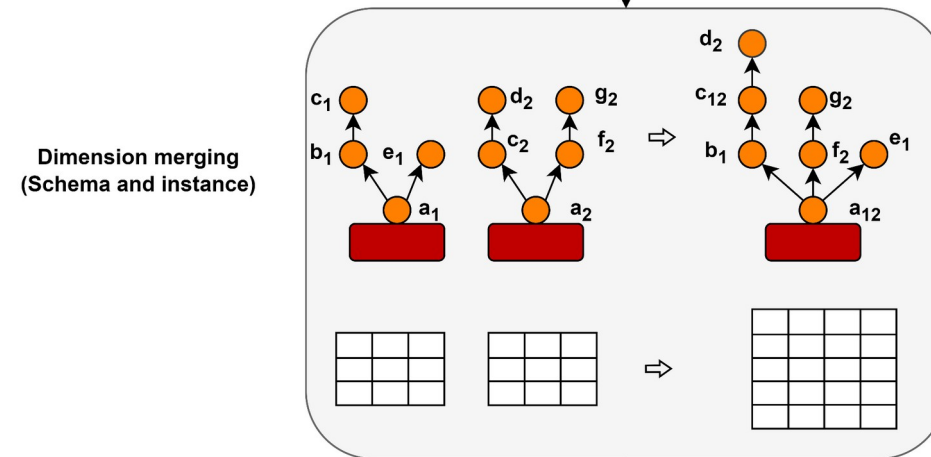
- Merging at both schema and instance levels
  - Generation of different types of schema (star, constellation)
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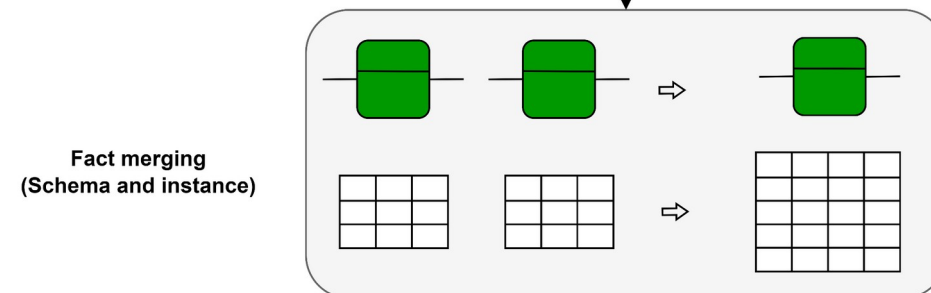
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Algo. 6 mergeDimensions, p73



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# 04 Data Imputation

Problems

How to carry out data imputation to ensure consistent analysis?

• Dimension

• Categorical

• Deducted values

• Predicted values

Hie - OLAPKNN

Hierarchical imputation



OLAPKNN imputation

Functional dependencies in hierarchies

Non-parametric and instance-based

Suitable for different types of data

Relatively high accuracy

✓ Deducted values

✗ Limited

✓ Specific distance metric

✓ Consideration of dependencies

## Contributions on Automatic DW Design from Tabular Data

- **Mesure Detection**
  - *Machine learning classification*
  - *Random forest : +17%*
  - *Relevant features*
  - *Generic model*
- **Dimension Detection**
  - *Hierarchy: functional dependency*
  - *Parameter and weak attribute: rules*
  - *Dimension: 100%*
  - *Hierarchy: 67% - 100%*

## Contributions on Automatic DW Merging

- **DW merging**
  - *Schema and instance*
  - *Generation of star or constellation schema*

## Contributions on Data Imputation

- **Hie-OLAPKNN**
  - *Hierarchical imputation*
  - *OLAPKNN: specific distance*
  - *Effective : + 45%*
  - *Efficient : -+19 times*

## Contributions on Tabular Data Integration Application

- **Application**
  - *3 fonctionnalités*
  - *User-friendly interface*
  - *Non-expert and expert version*

## Publications

- **Automatic DW Design from Tabular Data**
  - Yuzhao Yang, Fatma Abdelhédi, Jérôme Darmont, Franck Ravat, Olivier Teste: Automatic Machine Learning-Based OLAP Measure Detection for Tabular Data. **DaWaK** 2022: 173-188
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  - *Yuzhao Yang, Fatma Abdelhédi, Jérôme Darmont, Franck Ravat, Olivier Teste: Internal Data Imputation in Data Warehouse Dimensions. **DEXA** (1) 2021: 237-244*

## PhD Thesis

- **Tabular data integration for multidimensional data warehouse**  
(<https://theses.fr/2022TOU10052>)

### Short-term plan

- Imputation by External Sources

### Mid-term plan

- Schema Evolution of Sources

### Long-term plan

- Imputation Algorithm Generalization for ML algorithms
- Data Science with Data Lake
  - Merging / Matching Datasets
  - Imputing Data
  - User-friendly DL



**Thank you!**