
Value-Aware RoXSum: Effective Message Aggregation for XML-Aware Information Dissemination

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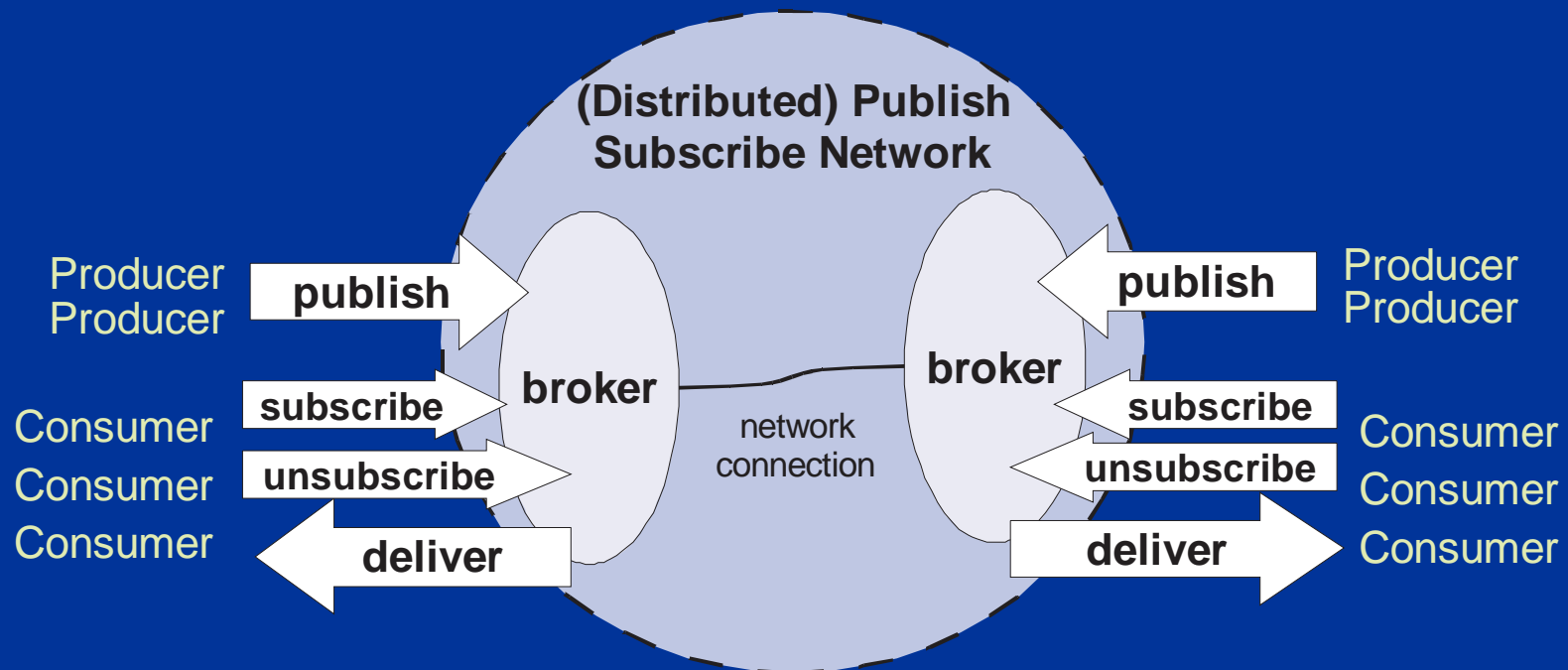
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INTRODUCTION

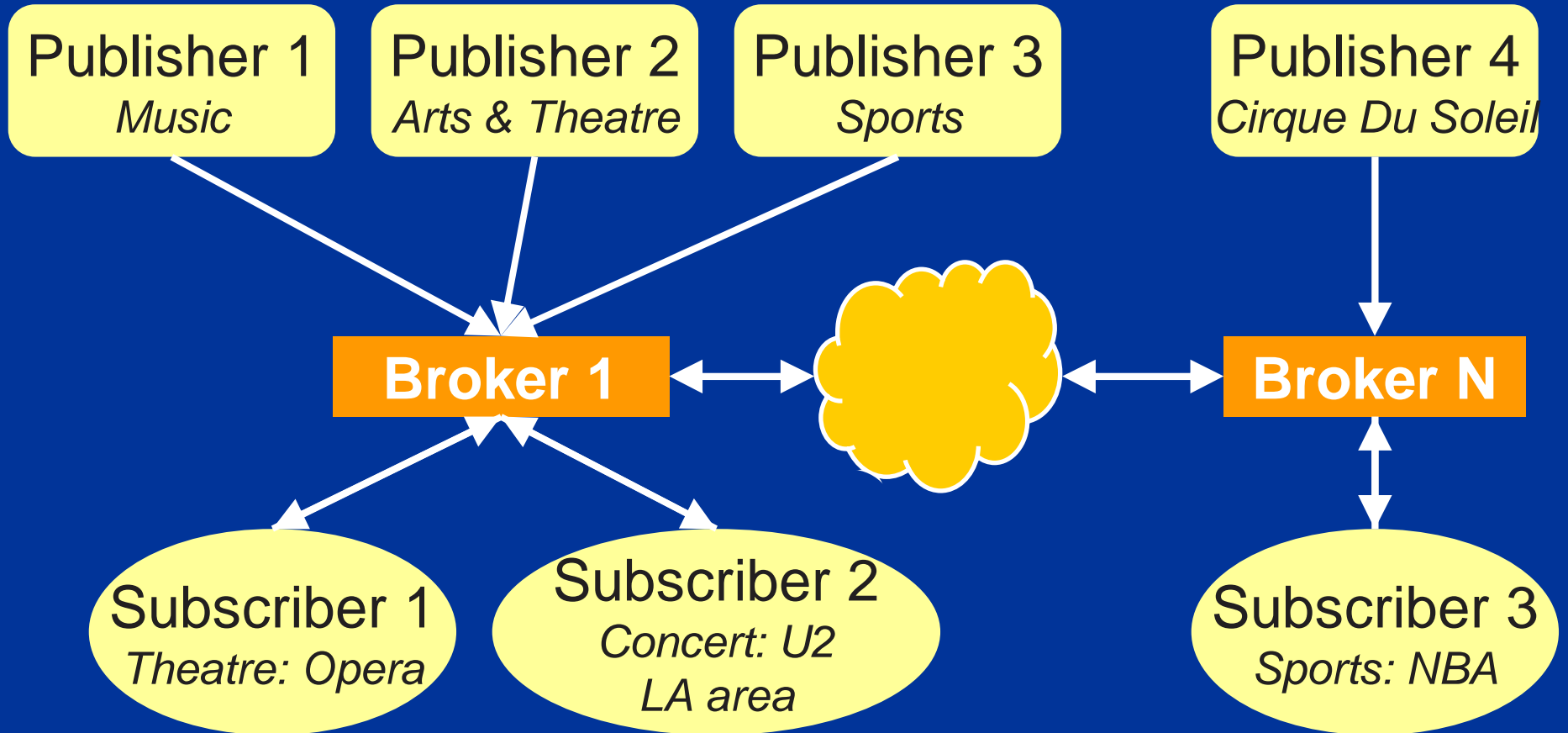
Content Based Routing

- Traditional delivery: destination IP address
- ➔ Data delivery defined by message **content**
- Publish/Subscribe applications (pub/sub)



- Examples: hotwire, ticketmaster

Publish/Subscribe System



XML Aware Pub/Sub System

- Incoming Messages are encoded in XML
 - Many small documents
- User profiles are expressed using an (subset of) XML query language
 - Path expressions

`/bibliography//book[./author="A_1"]`

- Two types of constraints
 - `/bibliography//book` and `book/author`
 - `author = "A_1"`

Related Work/Our Contribution

- Current work
 - Construction of overlay network
 - Dissemination/indexing of profiles (queries)
 - Processing of stream of messages
- Our proposal
 - RoXSum (Routing XML Summary) structure to aggregate messages [ICDE'07]
 - Batch processing of profiles over aggregated content
 - Structural constraints
 - Value-Aware RoXSum (VA-RoXSum)
 - Batch processing + Value aggregation

Outline

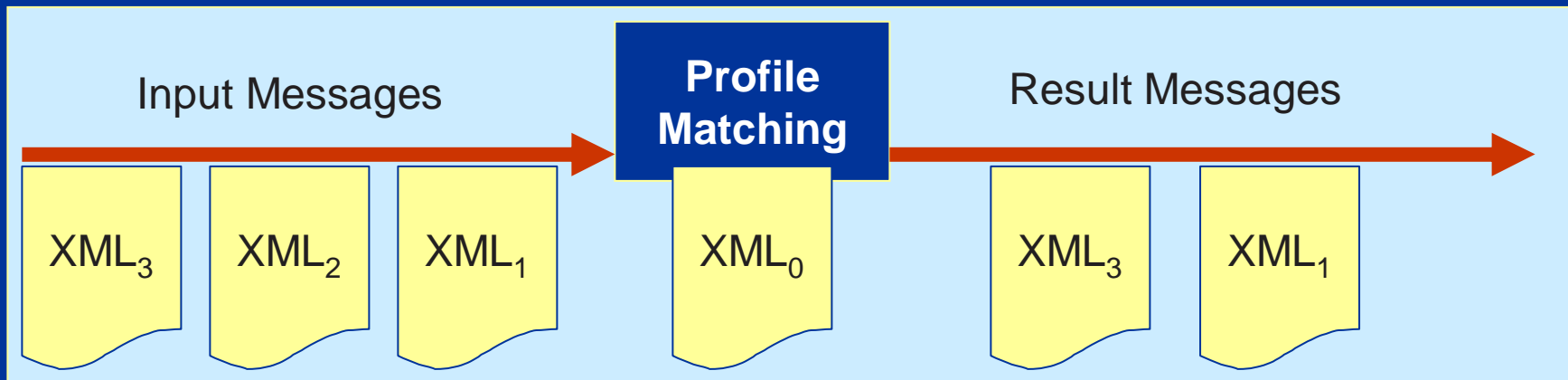
- RoXSum Data Structure
- VA-RoXSum
- Experimental Evaluation
- Final Remarks

RoXSum Data Structure

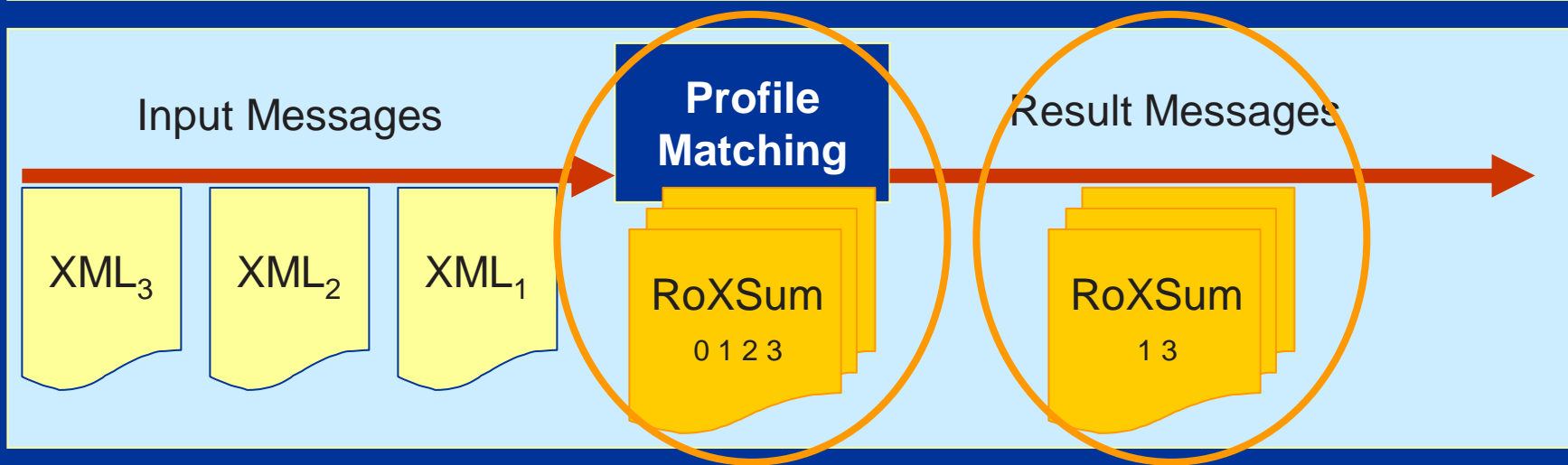
RoXSum Processing

- XML content-based routing : profile matching on messages

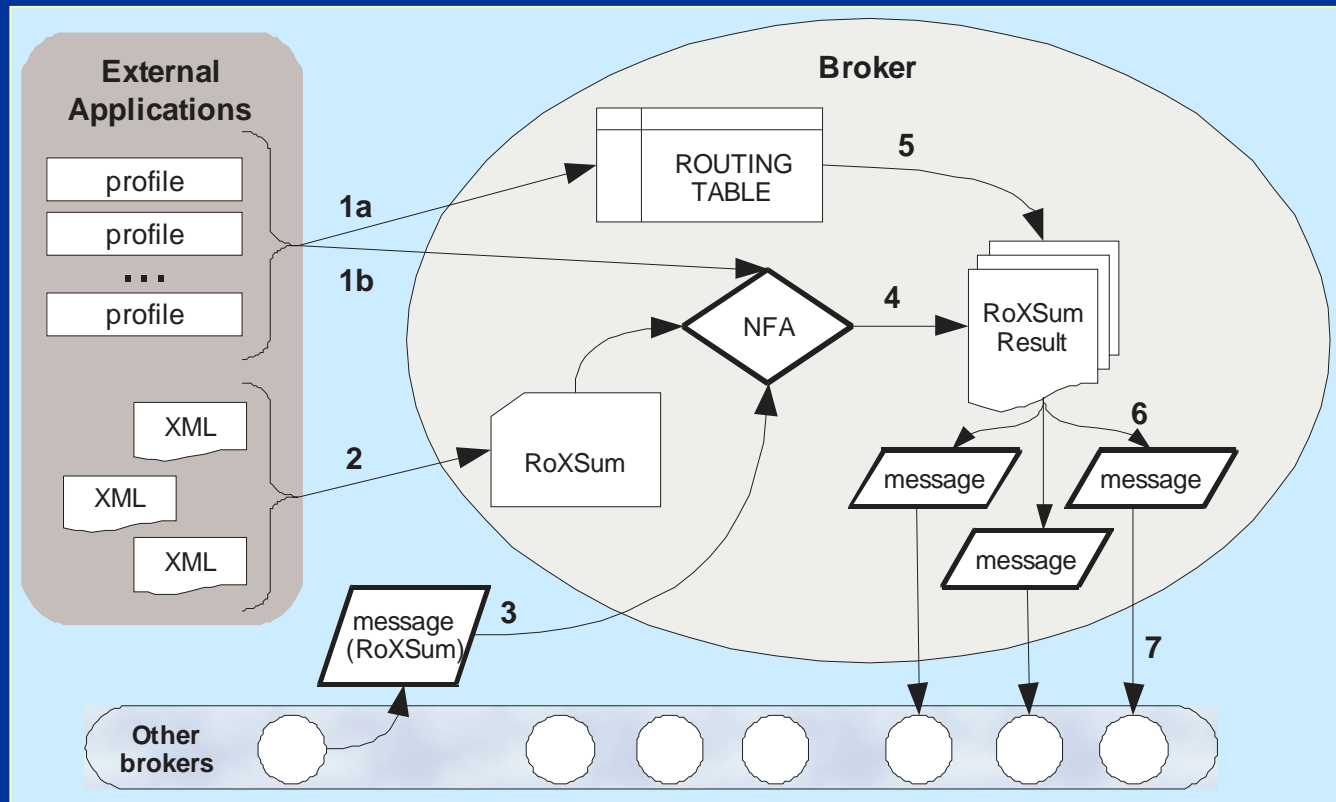
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OUR APPROACH



Process Overview



Receiving Module

1. Brokers receive profiles:
 - a. Create routing table
 - b. Create an NFA
2. Create RoXSum
3. External RoXSum processing → NFA

Filtering Module

4. Match profiles:
RoXSum → NFA

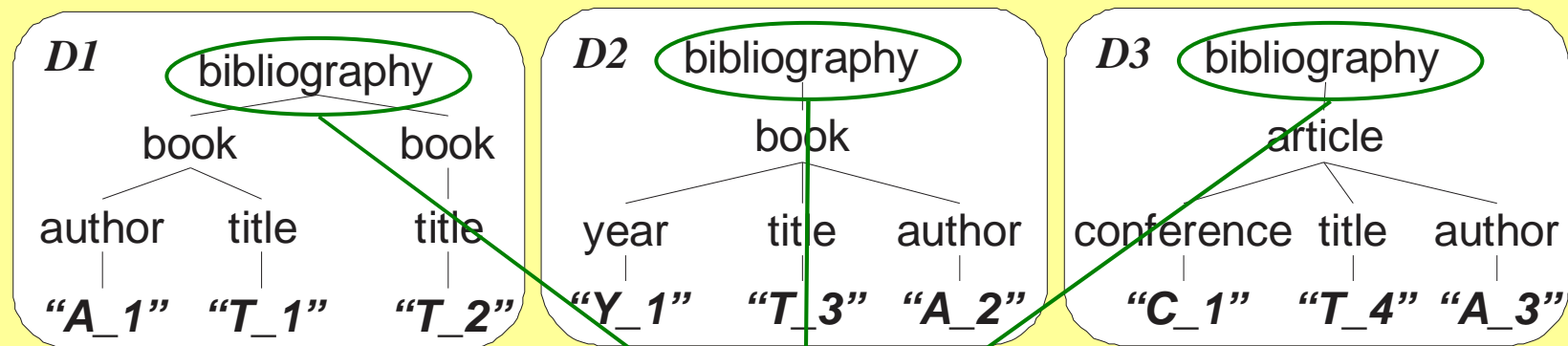
Forwarding Module

5. Decompose RoXSum
6. Create messages
7. Route

Value-Aware RoXSum

Documents and values

XML Documents

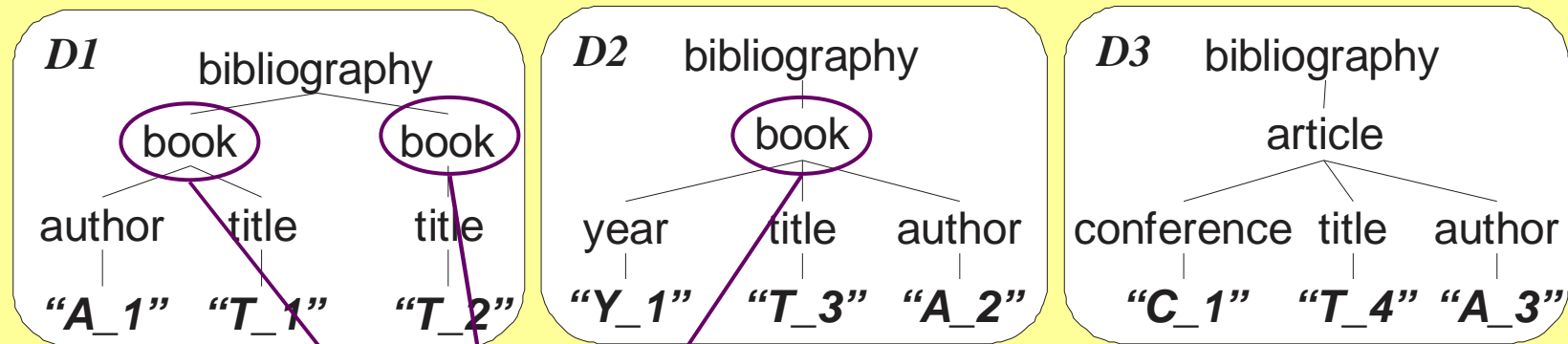


RoXSum Structure

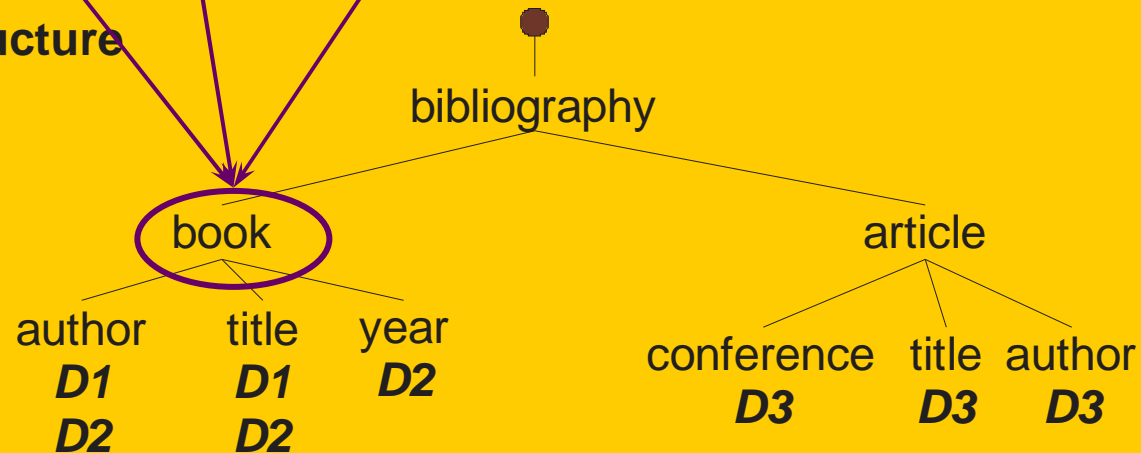


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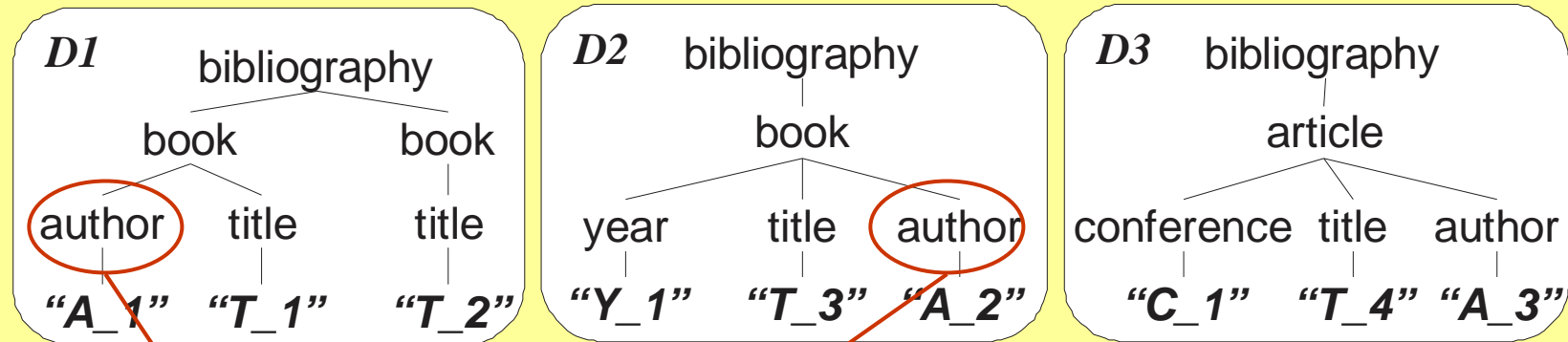


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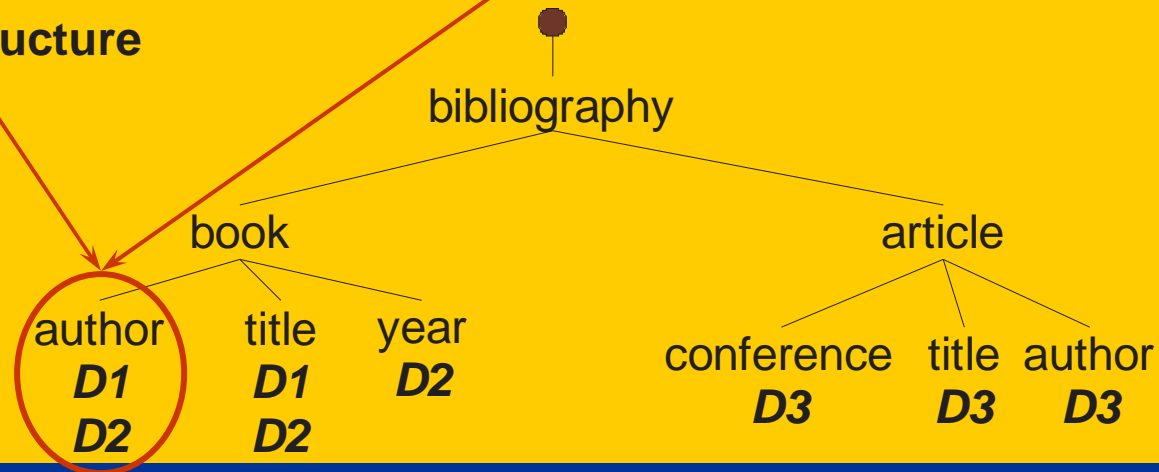


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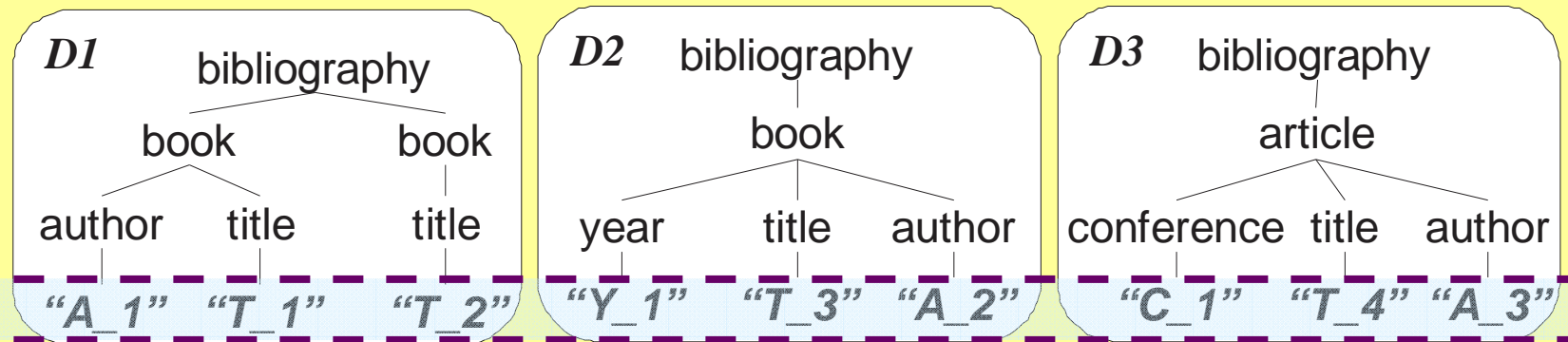


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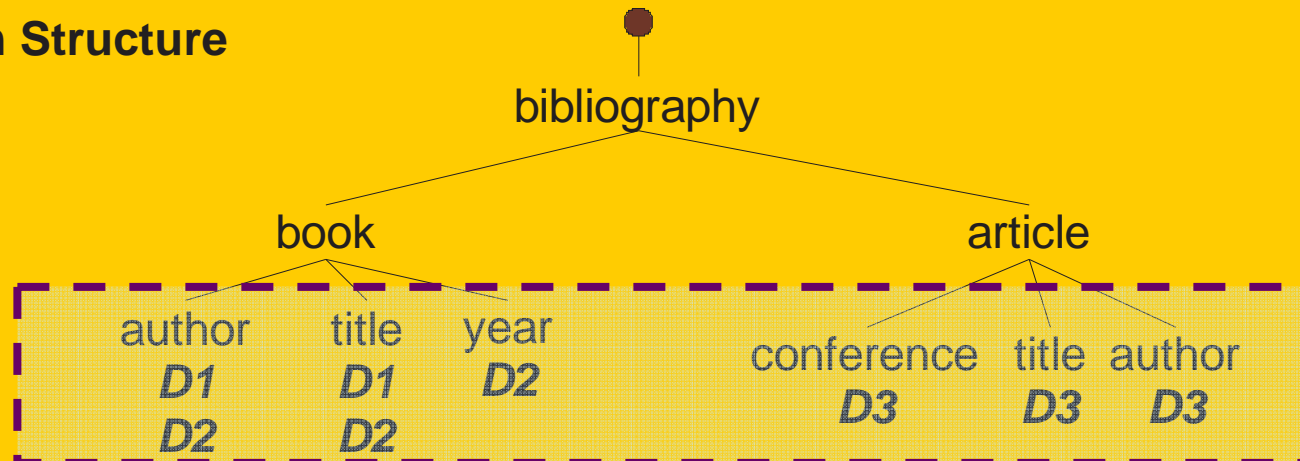


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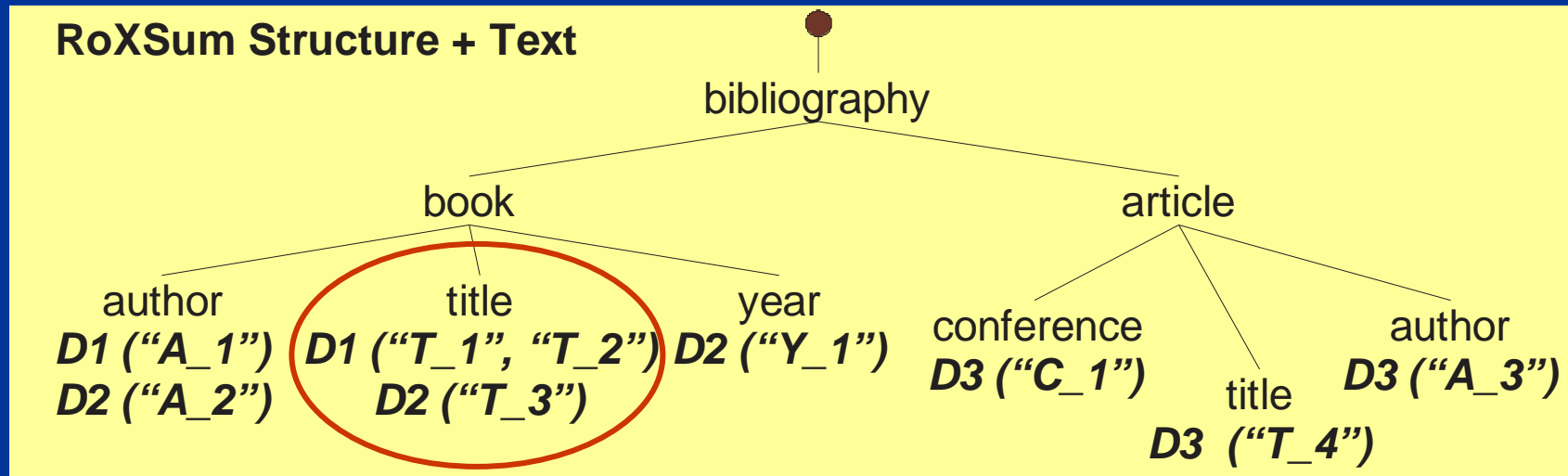
XML Documents



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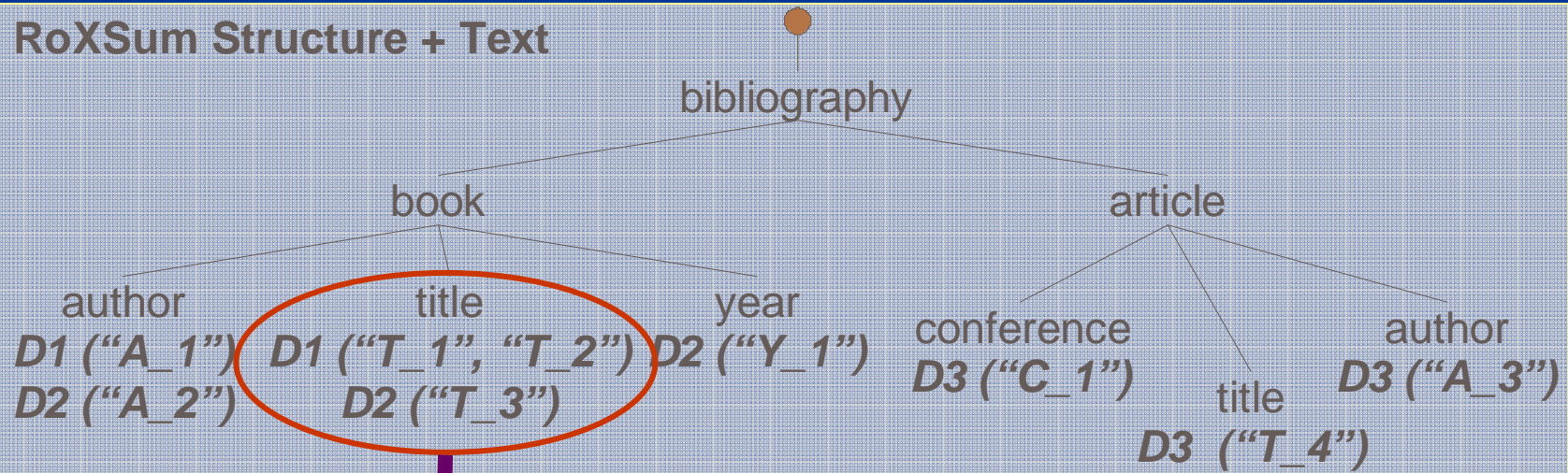
RoXSum + values



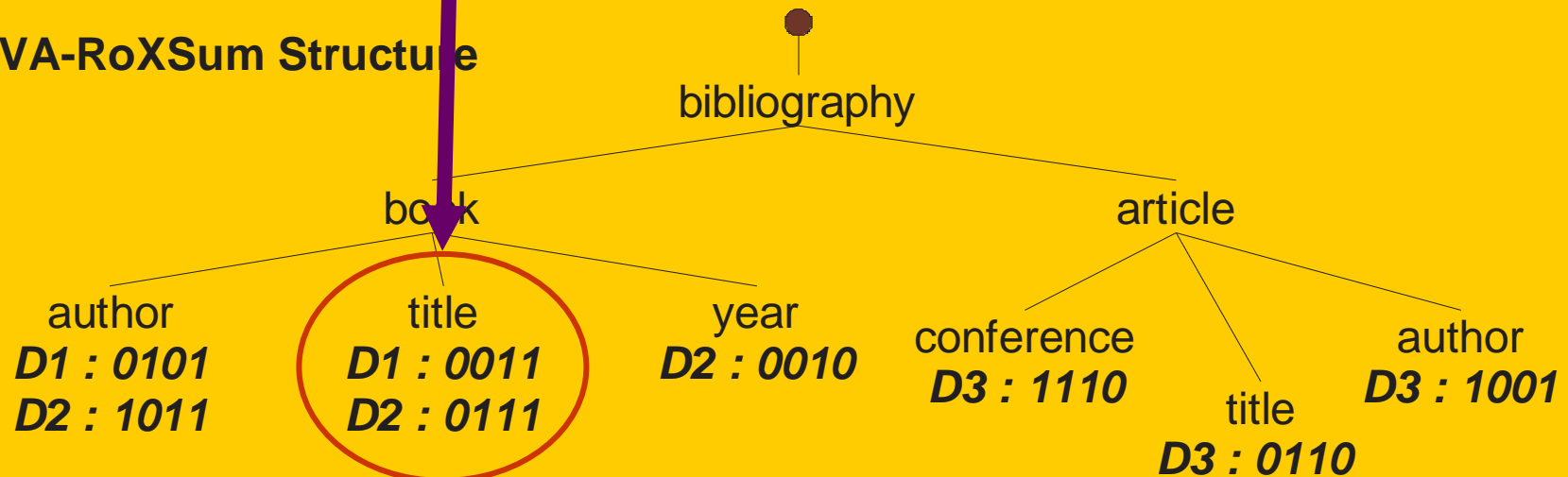
- All necessary information
- 👉 Space requirement
- 👉 No auxiliary structure → sequential scan

VA-RoXSum Structure

RoXSum Structure + Text



VA-RoXSum Structure

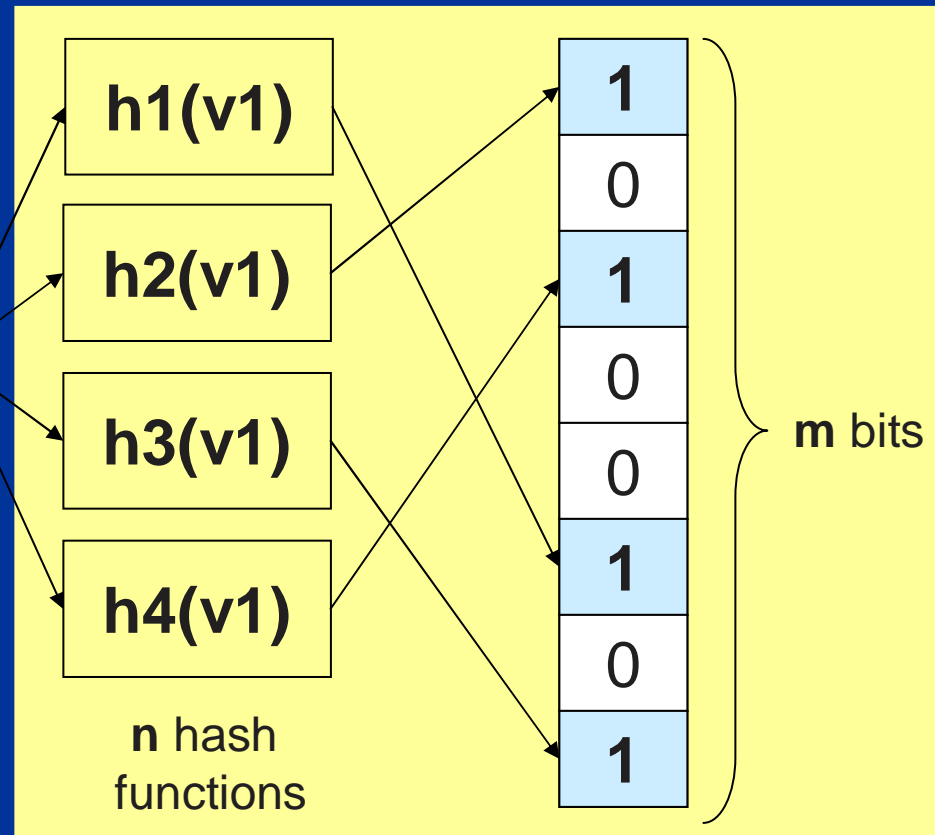


Bloom-Filters

$D1 = \{ v1, v2, v3, v4 \}$



$v1$



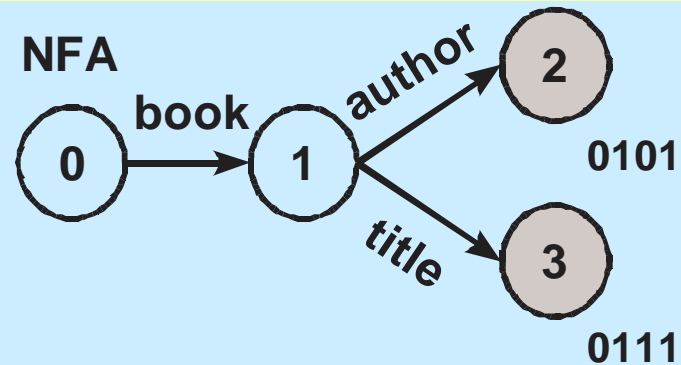
- Compact → Encode a set of values
- Efficient → Check whether a value belongs to set

Profile Matching

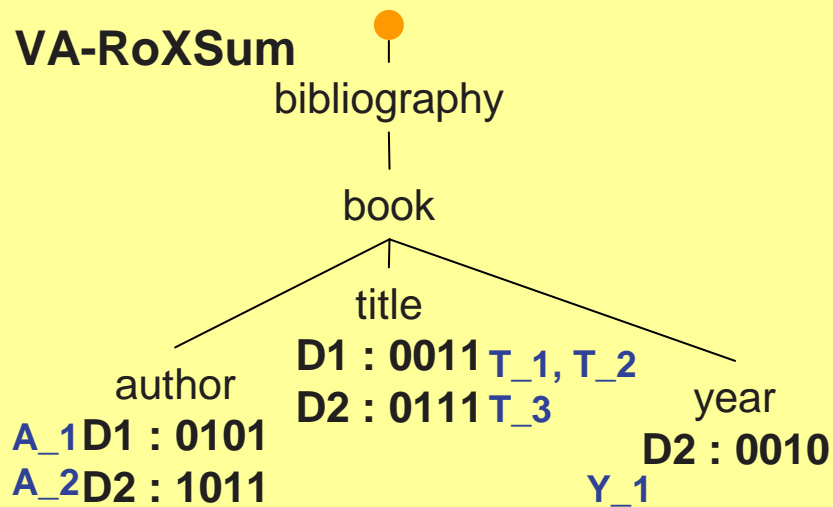
- VA-RoXSum construction and partition
- Profile matching
 - NFA states + value constraints
(bloom filter signatures)
 - Traverse VA-RoXSum structure
 - Value constraint → signature containment

Routing Table

Profile	Target
//book[//author="A_1"]	B2
//book[//title="T_3"]	B2,B3

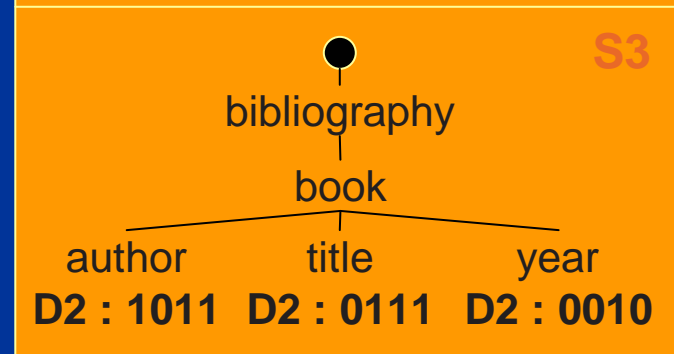
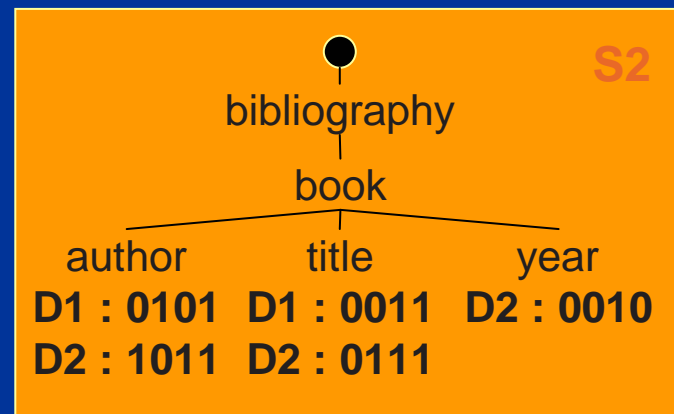


VA-RoXSum



Results

Broker	Document
B2	D1, D2
B3	D2



Experimental Evaluation

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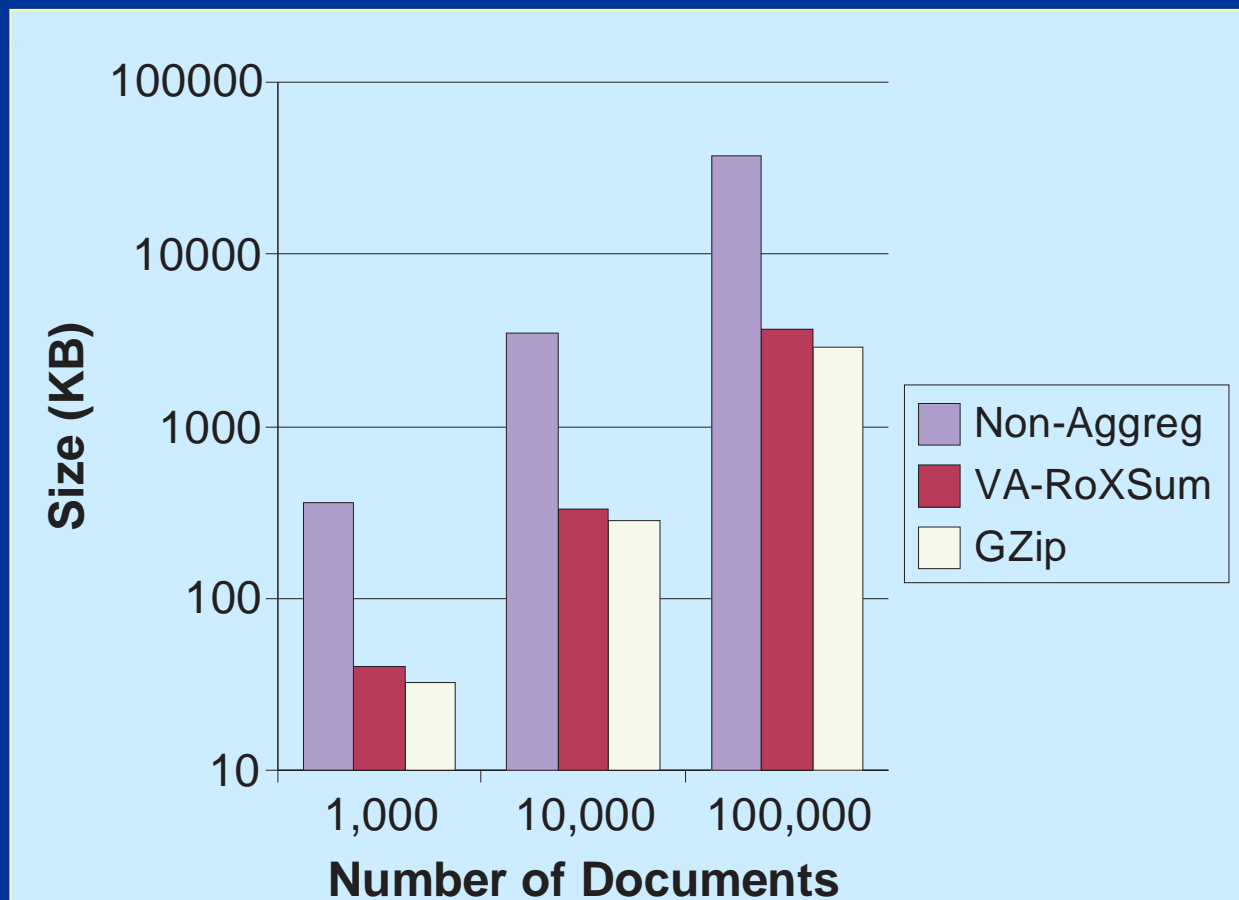
- Pub/Sub system + VA-RoXSum
- 100,000 path queries
- 100,000 small documents (25 DTDs)
- Evaluate
 - Number of false positives (bloom filter parameters)
 - Message size
 - Query evaluation processing time
- Against state-of-the-art stream processor: non-aggregated solution

Number of False Positives

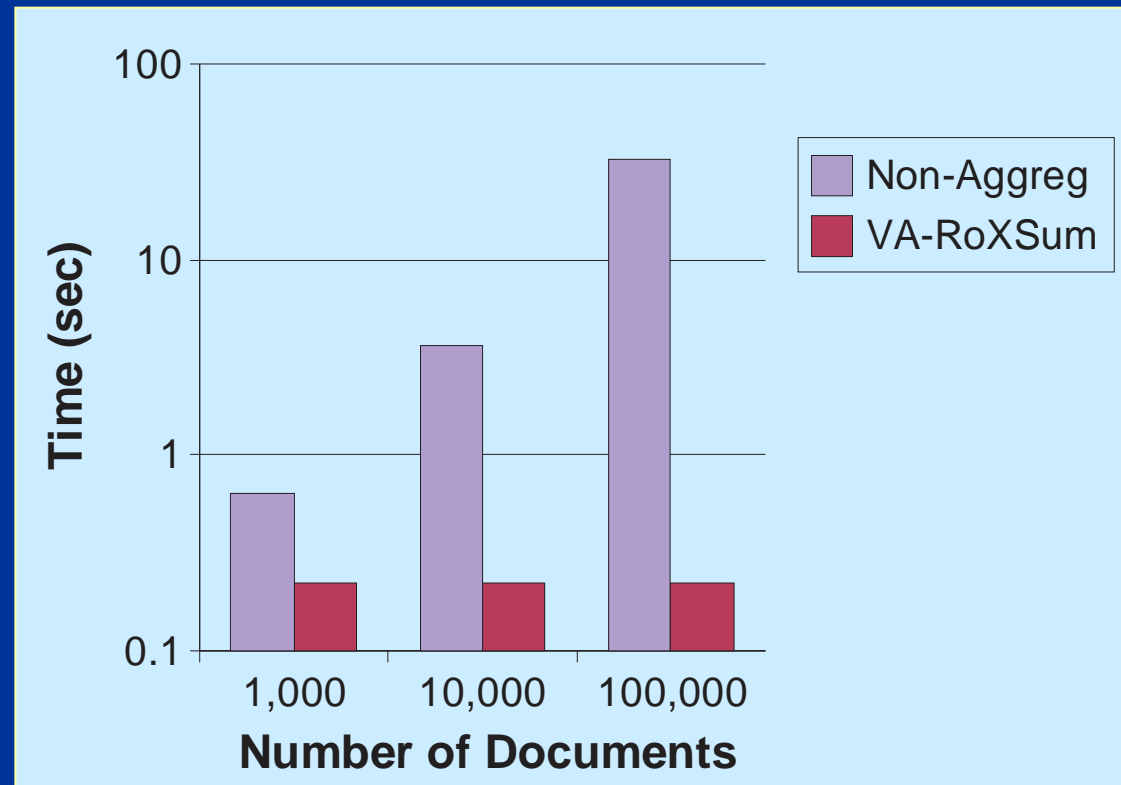
Bytes \ Hash Functions	2	3	4	5	6
2	8	6	4	3	0
3	4	1	0	0	0
4	15	1	6	0	0
5	7	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0	0

100,000 messages (XML documents) + 100,000 profiles (XML path queries)
3 bytes + 3 hash functions → insignificant number of false positives

Message Size



Processing Time



100,000 queries

VA-RoXSum: much smaller size

use of bitwise operators to match value predicates

FINAL REMARKS

Summary

- Matching of messages and profiles within XML-aware pub/sub systems
- VA-RoXSum
 - Aggregate structure + values
 - Profile matching on aggregated content
 - NFA + bloom filters
- Performance
 - Improvement: two orders of magnitude

Value-Aware RoXSum:
Effective Message Aggregation for
XML-Aware Information Dissemination

?? Questions ??

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