## **Interface Compatibility**

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# Revision of compatibility of 4 APIs (1)

- No base -> many incompatibilities for C3
- HQ\_is\_disjoint\_from\_HQ: only in PPL
- HQSet includes HQSysGen: PPL, Polka
- HQ\_is\_OK, debugging purpose: PPL, C3 (\*)
- HQSet->getHQSysCon, getHQSysGen: PPL and Polka have 2 versions (minimized/lazy), C3 not minimized
- add\_new\_dimension (project and embed): C3 has only one version (project)

# Revision of compatibility of 4 APIs (2)

- remove\_dimension: Polka has 2 versions (at the end and anywhere)
- map dimension: C3, PPL, Polka (permutation)
- HQ\_intersect\_with\_HQ: only Polka has array versions; only PPL has 2 versions (minimized)
- HQ\_intersect\_HQSysCon: only PPL has 2 versions (minimized)
- union : only Polka has array versions
- HQ\_difference\_with\_HQ: PPL, C3 (Oct and Polka not available)

# Revision of compatibility of 4 APIs (3)

- affine\_image and affine\_preimage: C3 not available
- widening: C3 not available, Oct and Polka have 2 versions, PPL has more than 2 versions
- narrowing: C3, Polka not available
- getNbConstraints vs getNbInequalities and getNbEqualities
- getBox (intervals): C3, Polka not available
- Full support for access to constraints in C3 and PPL,
  while Oct low level function, Polka matrix
- PPL's expand\_dimension, fold\_dimensions not available in Oct, C3, Polka

### Other operators

- getAbstractSize or getAbstractWeight
- widenings, generalized image, preimage in PPL
- format conversion inter domains, same domain
- weak\_update
- elapsed\_time operator (Oct, PPL)
- Implementation partial and fully supported common operators

#### **Notes**

- NNC of PPL: other domain
- exception handler in 4 libraries (manager)
- number of constraints (Polka,Oct) vs number of inequalites, equations vs abstract size
- HQSet->HQConSys->nbineq vs HQSet.getNbIneq (minimized, exact, calculated)
- same for map in HQBase: affect HQSet associated or not?
- versus notation in Polka: test relation between 2 objects

## Debugging purposes

- fix index/dimension  $(0 \rightarrow (n-1) \text{ or } 1 \rightarrow n)$  -> need a wrapping with name
- backup versions for debugging (memory space or overflow -> free memory -> lost current object)
- trace difficult at level 0: no variable name
- one parameter for time out, a fields of heuristic coefficients (e.g. feasible 2p, union 5p, projection 3p)

## **Unchecked points**

- Sub-libraries used (linking problem)
- Control of memory use (maxObjectSize)
- under-approximation: BC's example (over-appro read region ⊖ over-appro write region) not make sens

### **Decisions/Discussions (1)**

- transfert functions (permutation)
- Accessibility of objects (vectors, constraints, sc, sg, matrices)
- undefined objects
- several args (union; projection)
- Object vs list of objects (constraint, generator, set and expression)
- mode imperative with several effect: return what (PPL int)
- typage, abstract value, 32-bit, 64-bit, gmp, etc.

### **Decisions/Discussions (2)**

- optimisation (Selection of algorithmes, parameter for heuristics)
- choice of algorithm by user
- integer/rational
- memory management (version recycle, ref counter, memory used, minimized/lazy version)
- Product of domains
- Factorisation?