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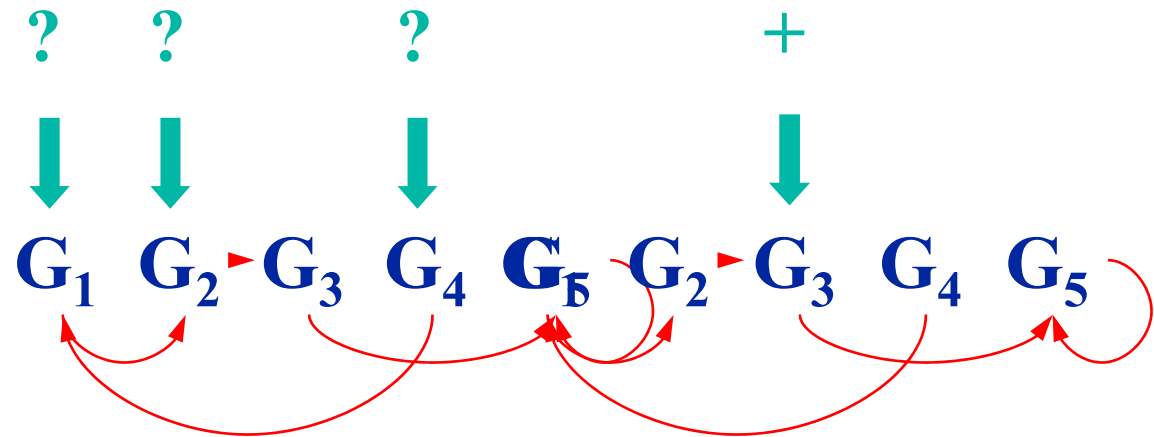
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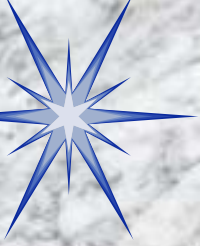
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# Culture Conditions $\Leftrightarrow$ Expression Patterns



Different Culture Conditions RNAi Experiment

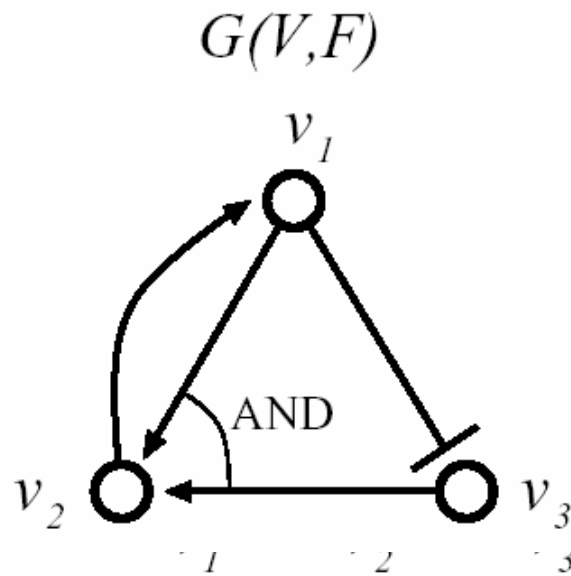


# Approaches

- Boolean Nets
- Genetic Programming
  - Popular approach
  - Rarely used
  - Mathematically accessible
  - Kind of black box
  - Produced several proofs
  - Can deal with realistic scenarios.
  - Lacking biological realism



# Boolean Nets

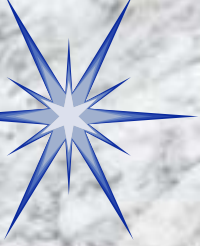


INPUT			OUTPUT		
$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_1'$	$v_2'$	$v_3'$
0	0	0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	0

$$v_1' = v_2$$

$$v_2' = v_1 \text{ AND } v_3$$

$$v_3' = \text{NOT } v_1$$



# Solutions

Examples

	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v'_1$	$v'_2$	$v'_3$	
$I_1$	1	0	0	0	0	1	$O_1$
$I_2$	0	1	0	0	1	1	$O_2$
$I_3$	0	1	1	1	0	0	$O_3$

$G_1$

$$v'_1 = v_3$$

$$v'_2 = v_2 \text{ AND } (\text{NOT } v_3)$$

$$v'_3 = \text{NOT } v_3$$

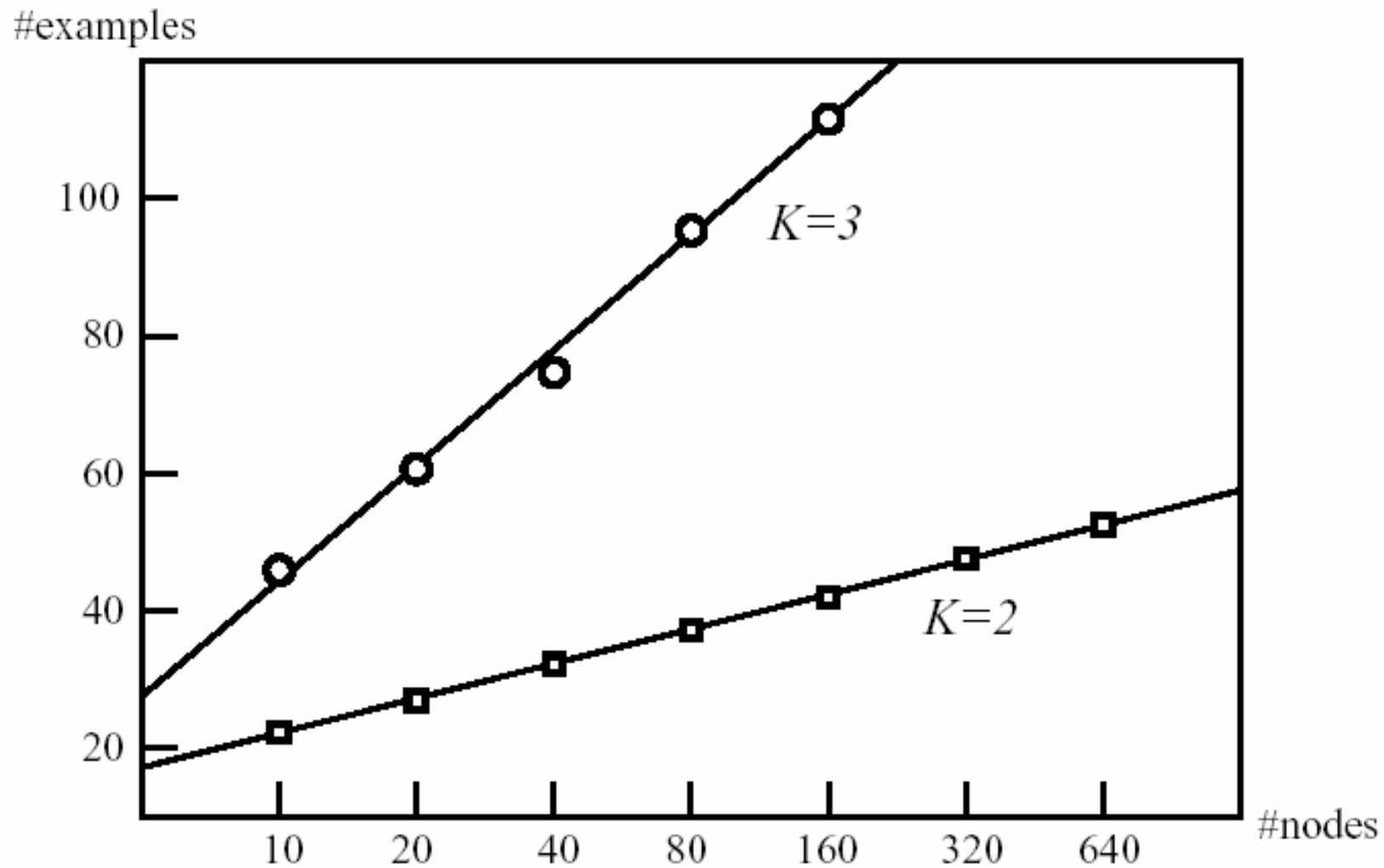
$G_2$

$$v'_1 = v_3$$

$$v'_2 = v_2 \text{ XOR } v_3$$

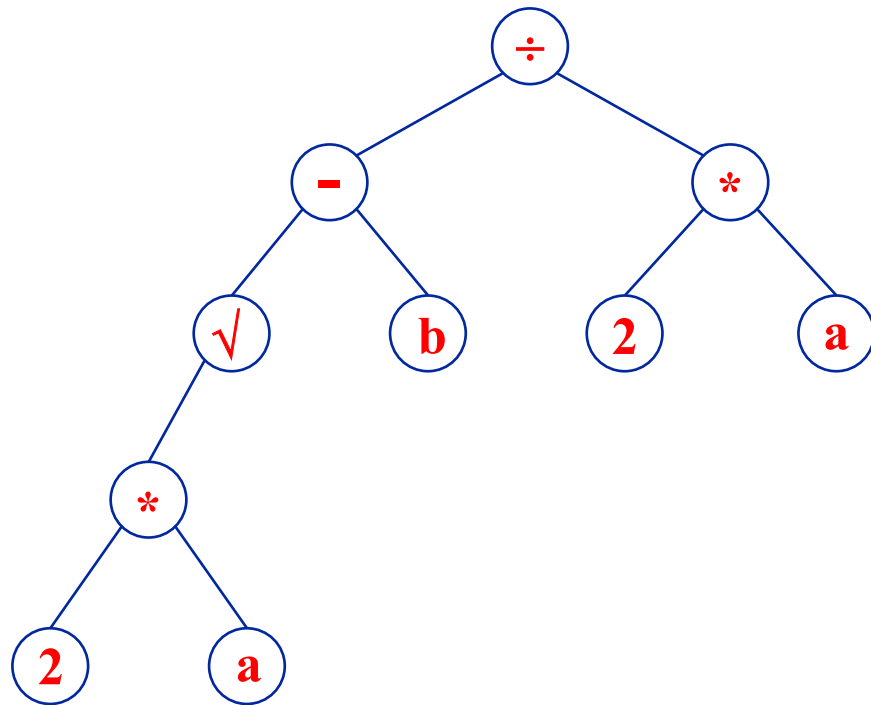
$$v'_3 = \text{NOT } v_3$$

# Necessary Examples





# What is Genetic Programming ?



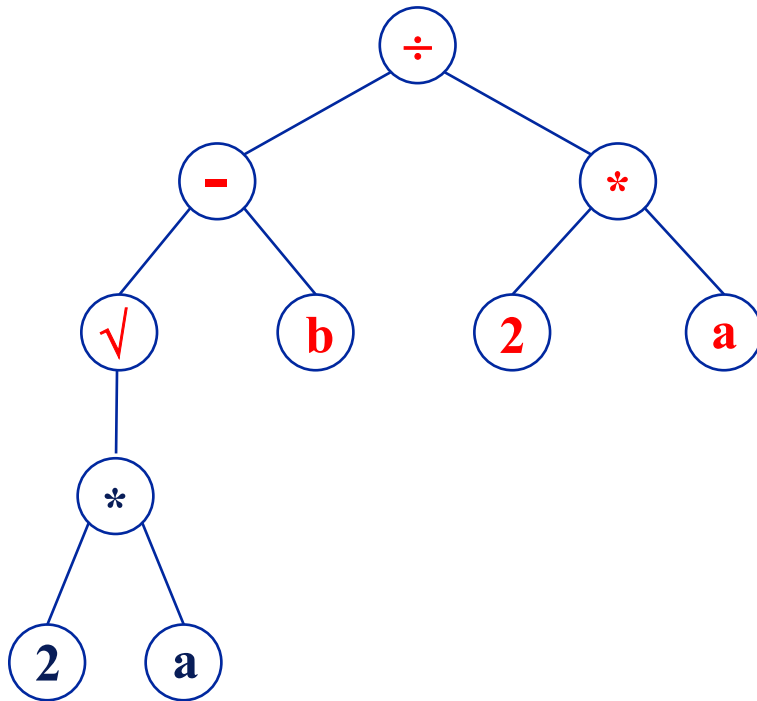
$$\frac{\sqrt{2 \cdot a} - b}{2 \cdot a}$$



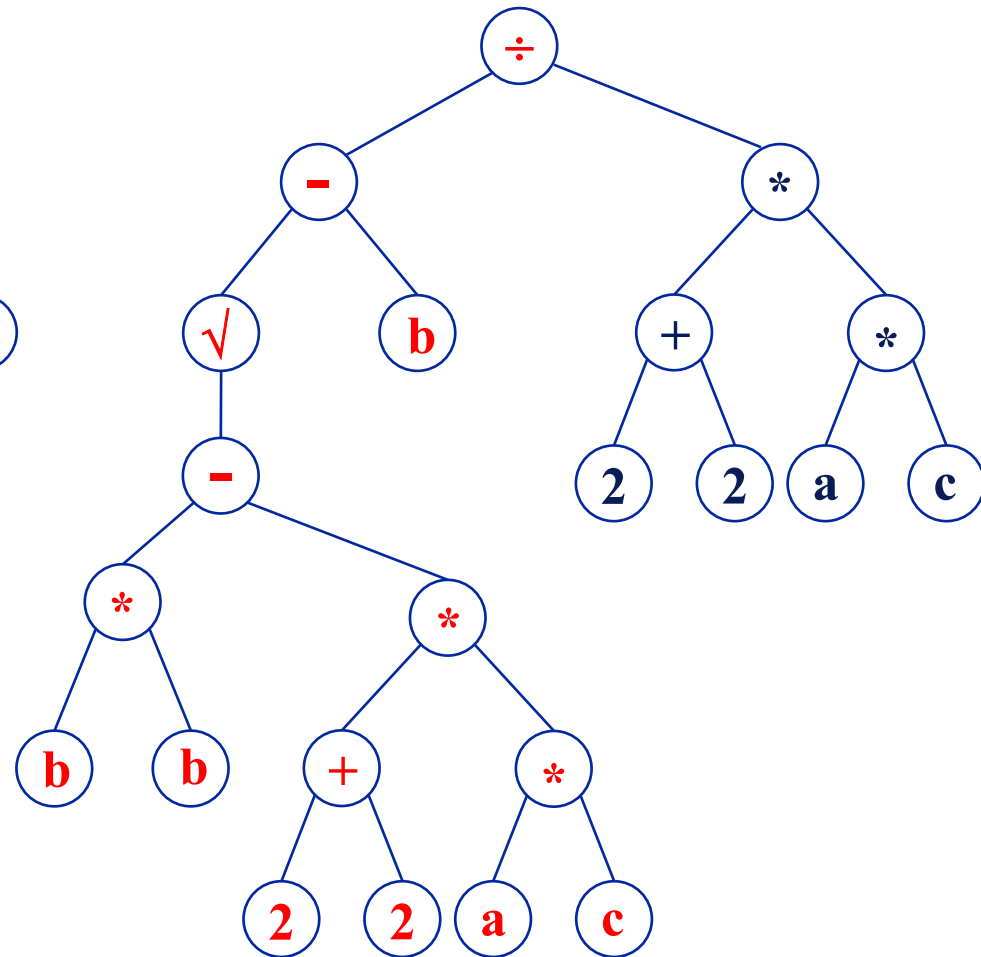


# Crossing Over

$$\frac{\sqrt{(2+2)a \cdot a} \cdot bc - b}{2^2 a^a}$$



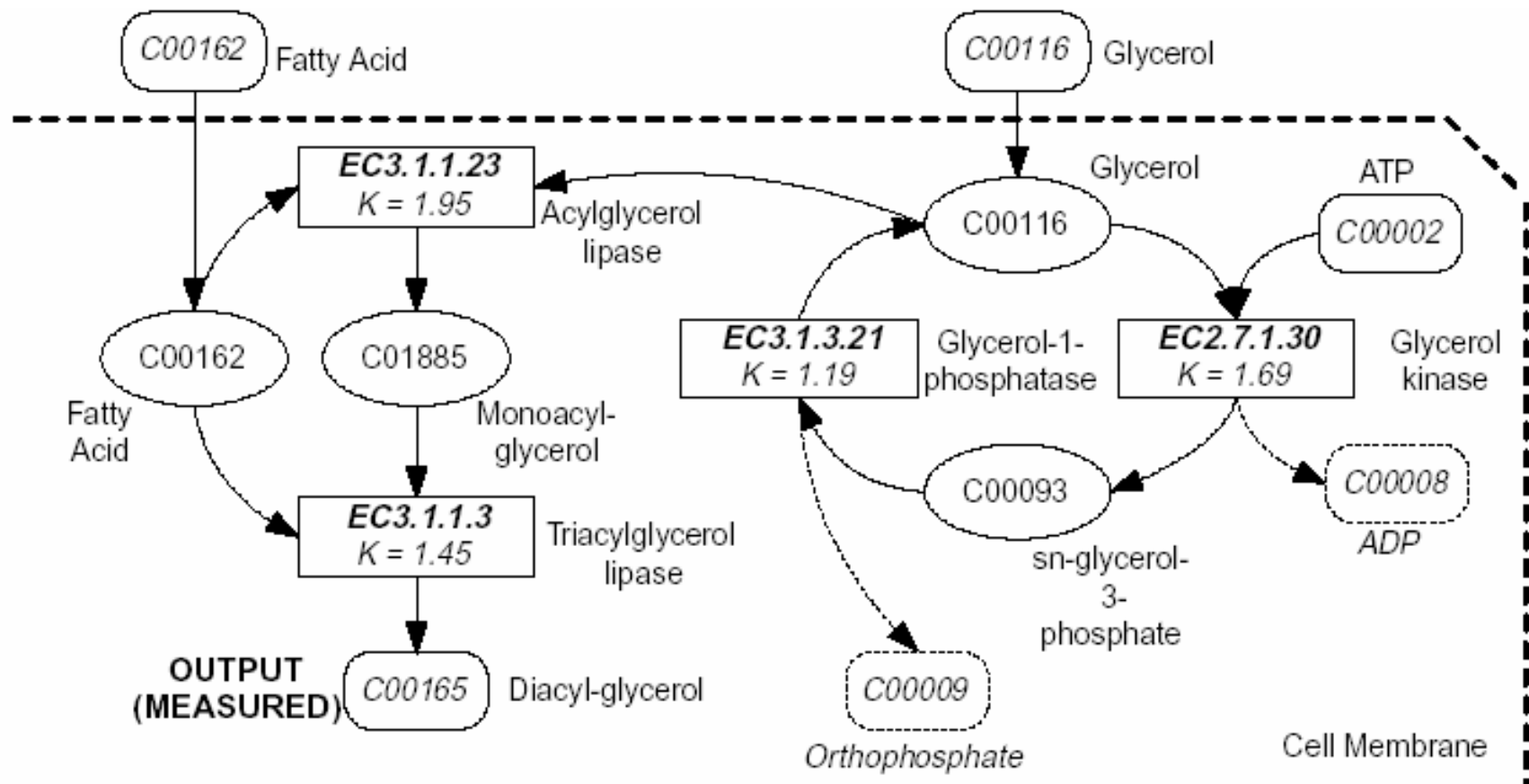
$$\frac{\sqrt{b \cdot b = (2+2) \cdot a \cdot c} = b}{(2+2)a a \cdot c}$$





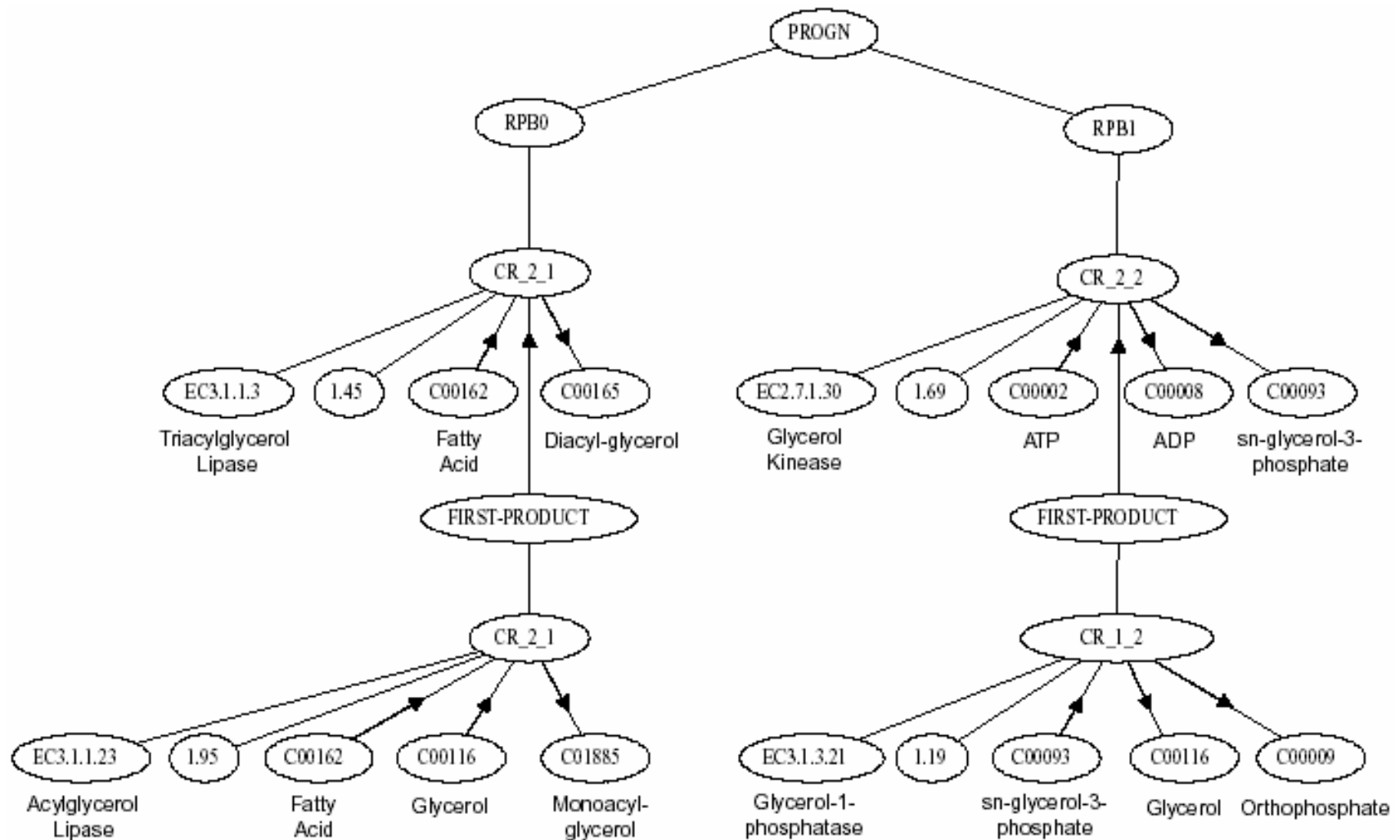


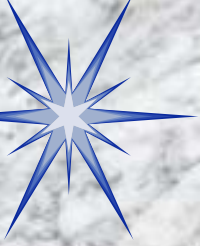
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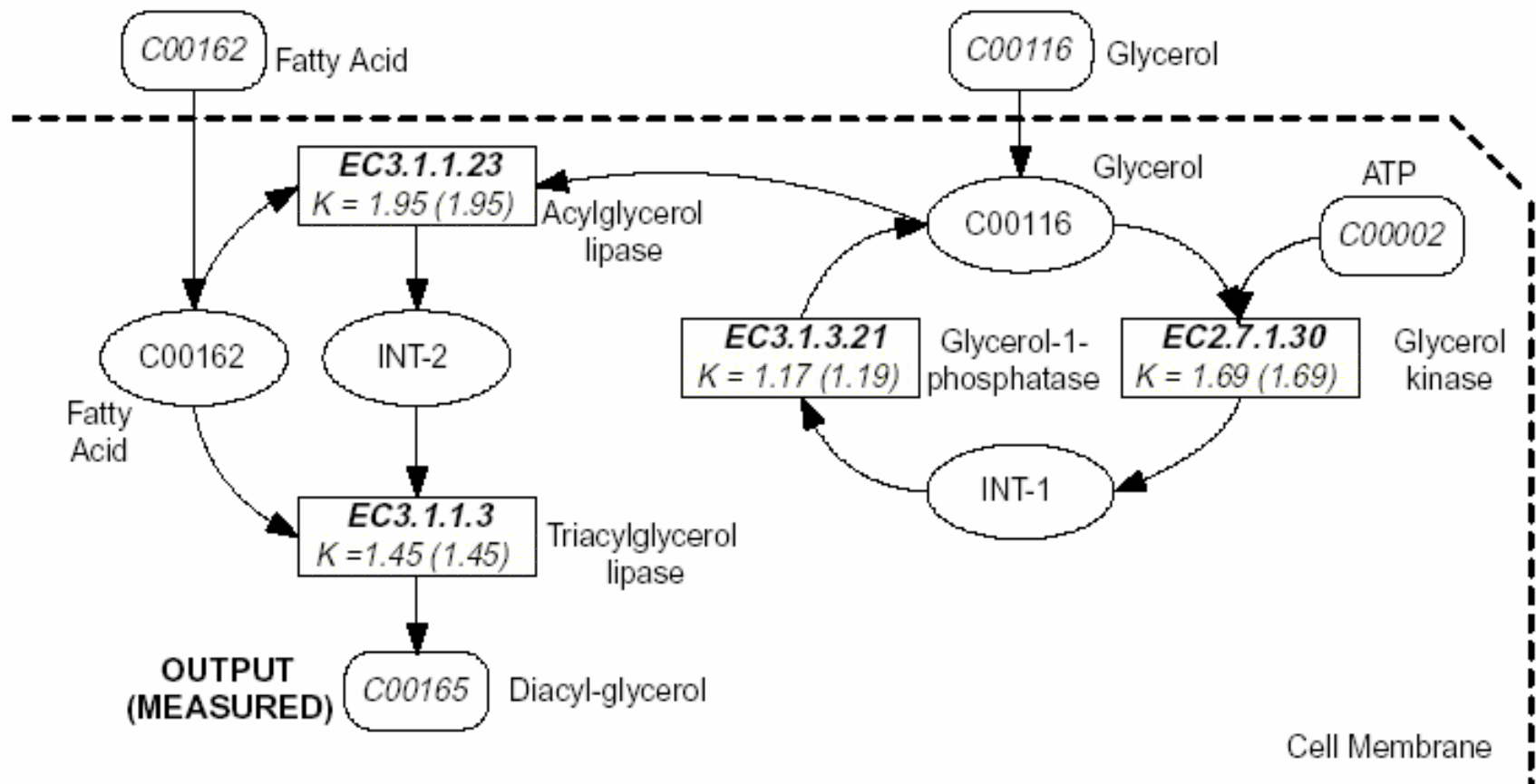


# GP Representation of Biochemical Reaction Nets - II



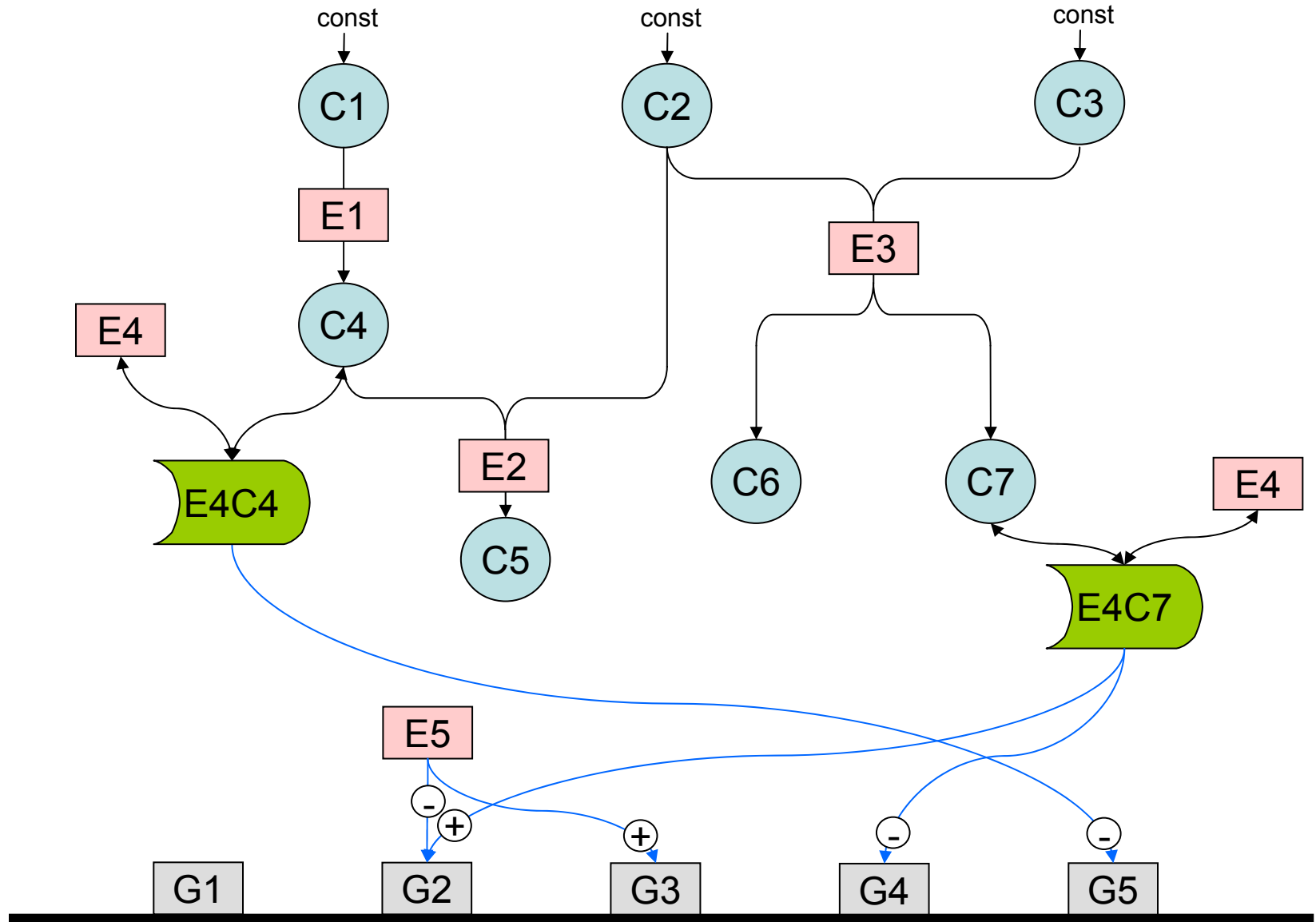


# Result after 225 Generations





# Test Network





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# Best of Generation 10

