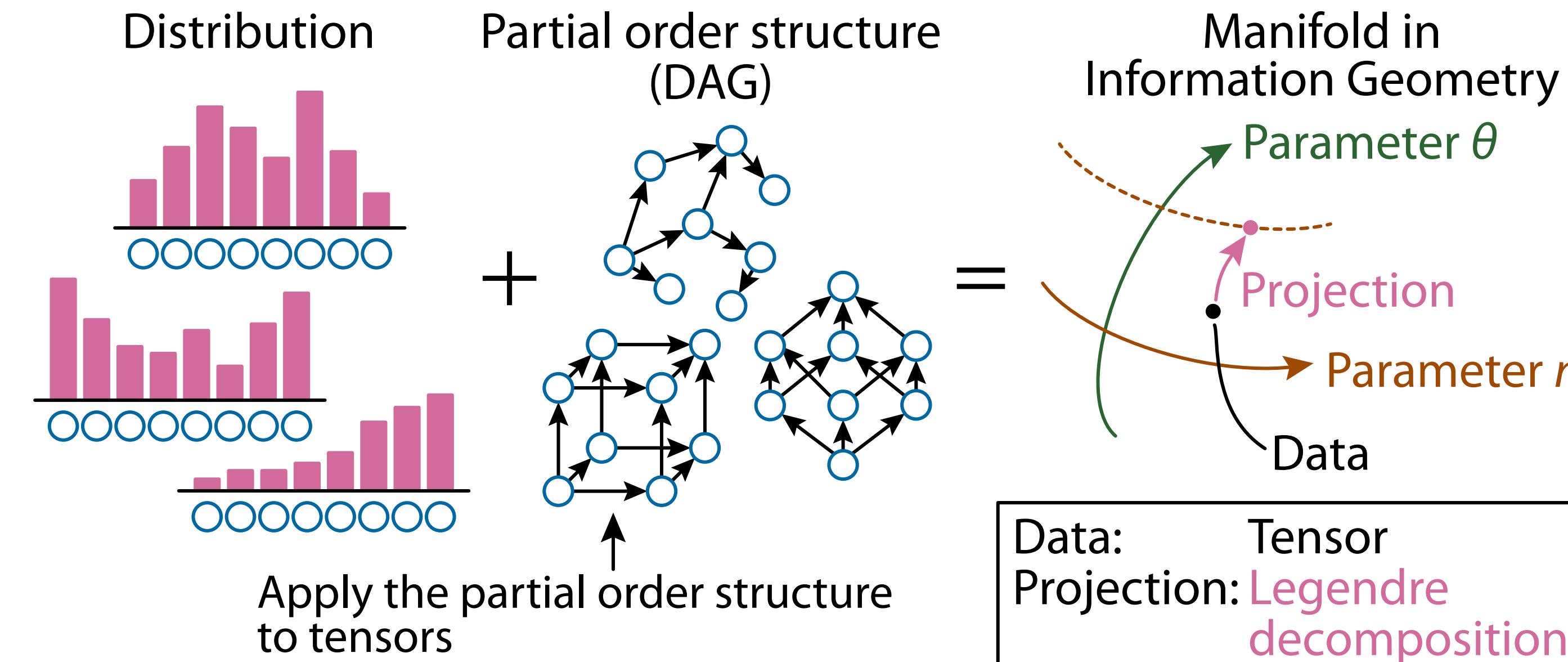


Legendre Decomposition for Tensors

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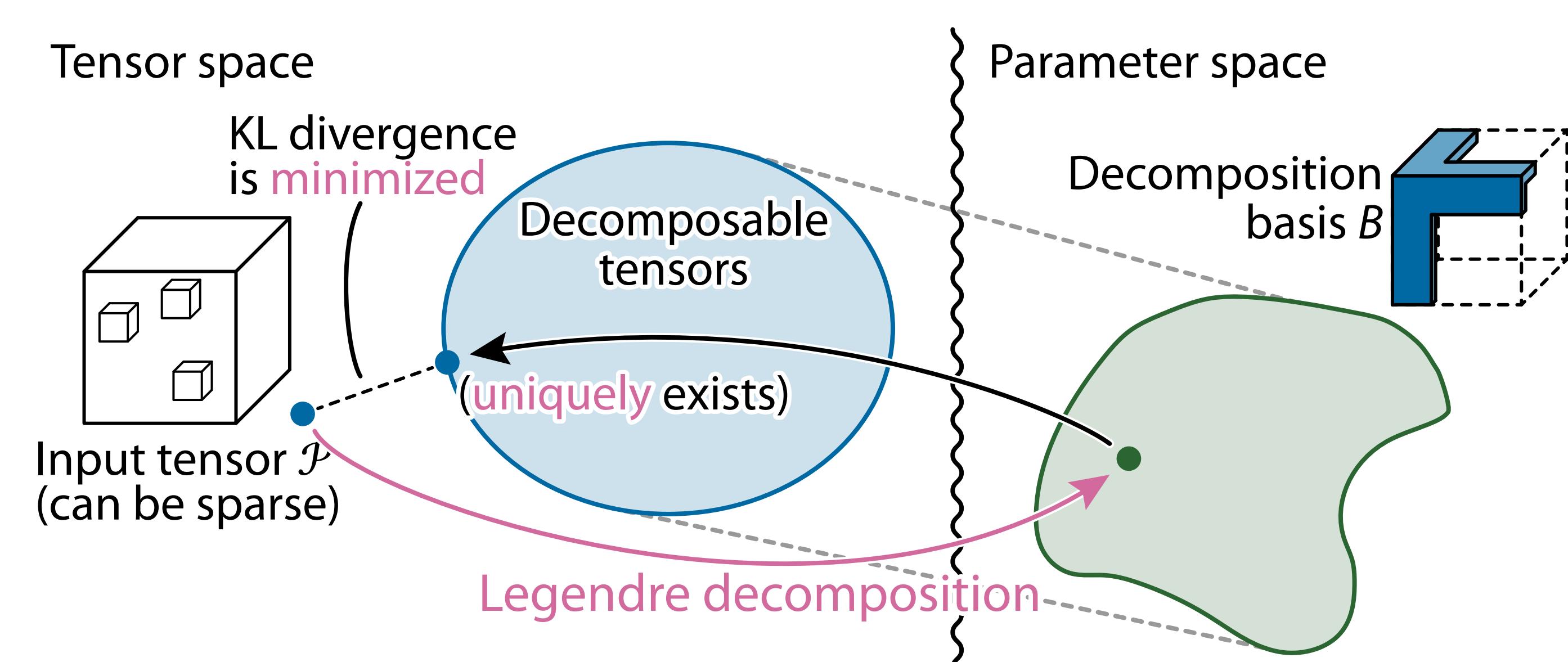
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Our Approach



Summary

- We present **Legendre decomposition** for tensors
 - A new nonnegative decomposition method
 - A tensor is factorized into a multiplicative combination of parameters
- Our proposal is theoretically supported by **information geometry**
 - The reconstructed tensor is **unique** and always minimizes the **KL divergence** from an input tensor



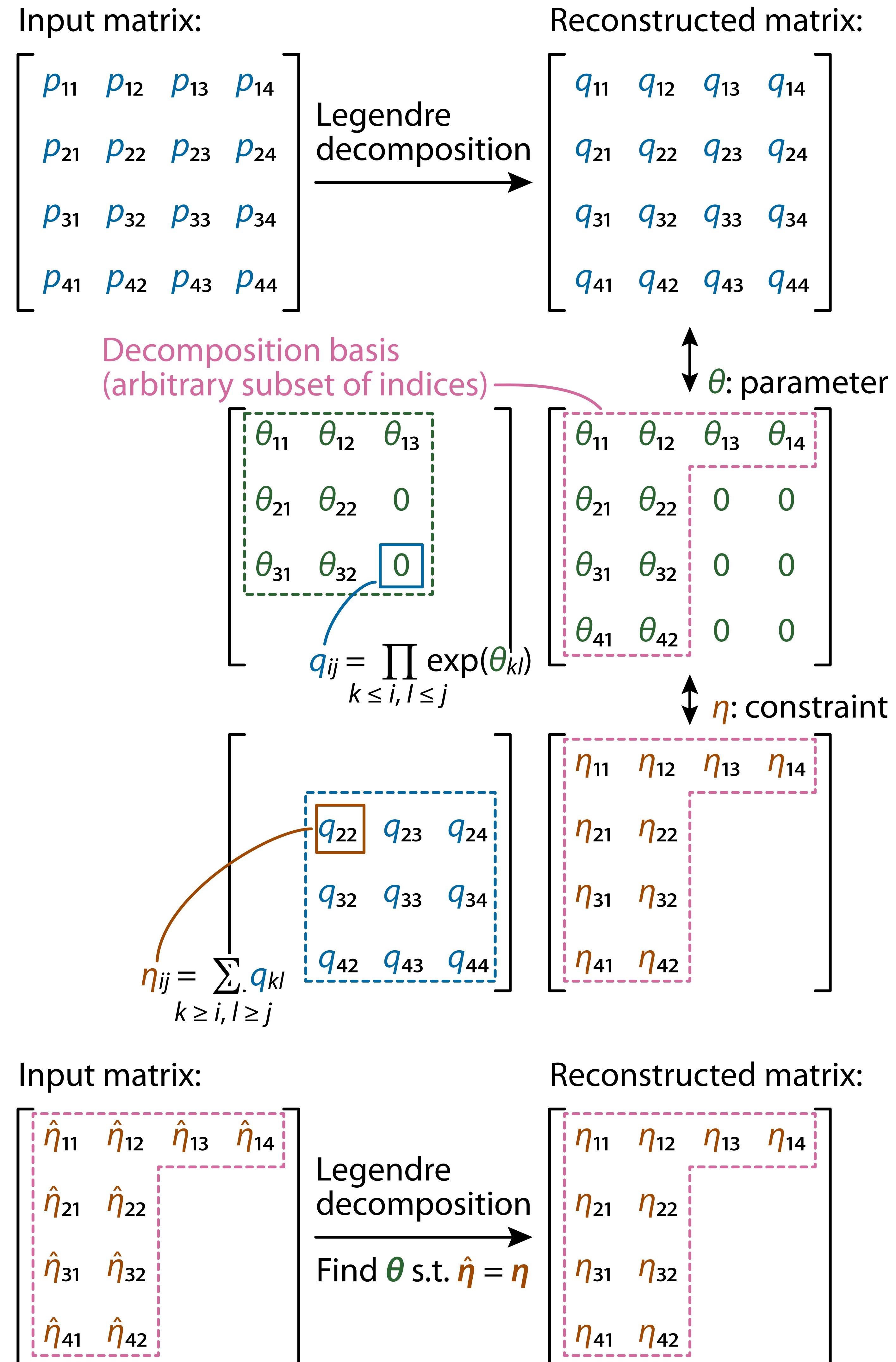
Properties of Legendre Decomposition

- Given $\mathcal{P} \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}^{I_1 \times I_2 \times \dots \times I_N}$, Legendre decomposition finds \mathcal{Q} , where
 - (i) \mathcal{Q} always exists, (ii) \mathcal{Q} is **unique**, and
 - (iii) \mathcal{Q} is the **best approximation** in the sense of the KL divergence:

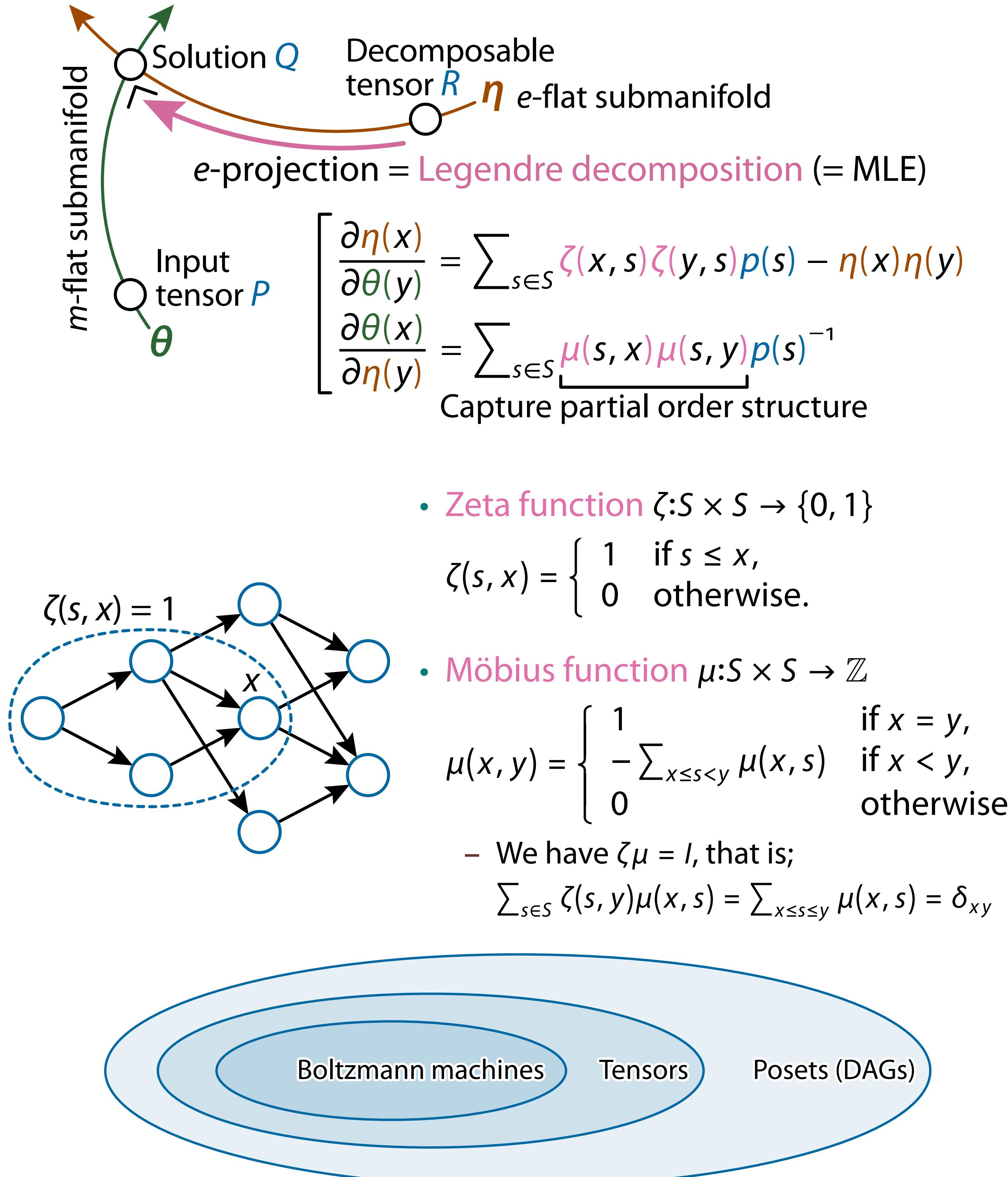
$$\mathcal{Q} = \operatorname{argmin}_{\mathcal{R} \in \mathcal{S}_B} D_{\text{KL}}(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{R}),$$

$$\mathcal{S}_B = \left\{ \mathcal{R} \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}^{I_1 \times I_2 \times \dots \times I_N} \mid \mathcal{R} \text{ is fully decomposable with } B \right\}$$

Legendre Decomposition



Information Geometry



Experiments on MNIST

