



EE1007 Introduction to Computer Science Laboratory



Final project: SAT

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SAT



◆ Boolean satisfiability problem(SAT)

➤ $(A \vee B) \wedge (\neg B \vee C \vee \neg D)$

- \vee, \wedge, \neg : logic OR, AND, and NOT
- Literal: A, B, $\neg B$
- Clause: $(A \vee B)$

◆ Goal

➤ Finding an assignment of truth values to the variables in the Boolean formula

- Ex: A = 1 (TRUE), B = 1 (TRUE), C = 1 (TRUE), D = 1(TRUE).



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Problem description:



◆ Using the DPLL algorithm to solve the SAT problem

```

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  Output: A truth value indicating whether  $\Phi$  is satisfiable.

function DPLL( $\Phi$ )
  // unit propagation:
  while there is a unit clause  $\{L\}$  in  $\Phi$  do
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  // stopping conditions:
  if  $\Phi$  is empty then
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◆ DPLL algorithm

- Unit propagation: When a clause contains only one unassigned literal L , that L must be set to TRUE to satisfy the clause

- Example: $(A) \wedge (A \vee B \vee D) \wedge (\neg A \vee B) \rightarrow (B)$

- Pure Literal Assign: When a variable appears in all clauses in only one form, either as ' x ' or ' $\neg x$ ', then this variable can be set to either True or False.

- Example: $(A) \wedge (A \vee B) \wedge (\neg A \vee B \vee C) \rightarrow (A) \wedge (A \vee B)$



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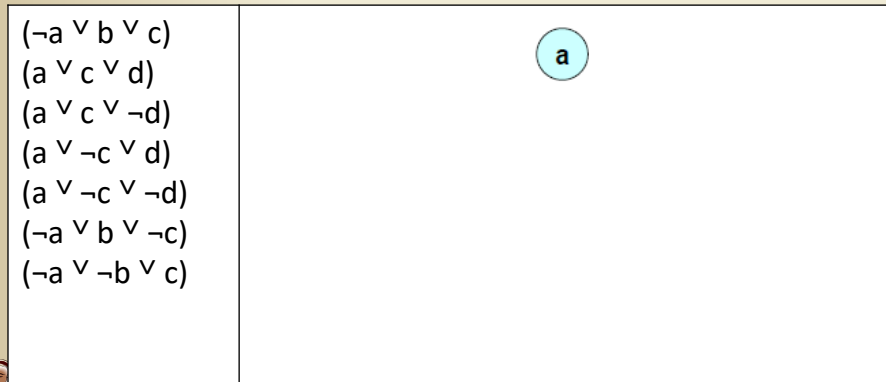
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Problem description:



◆ Flowchart of DPLL algorithm



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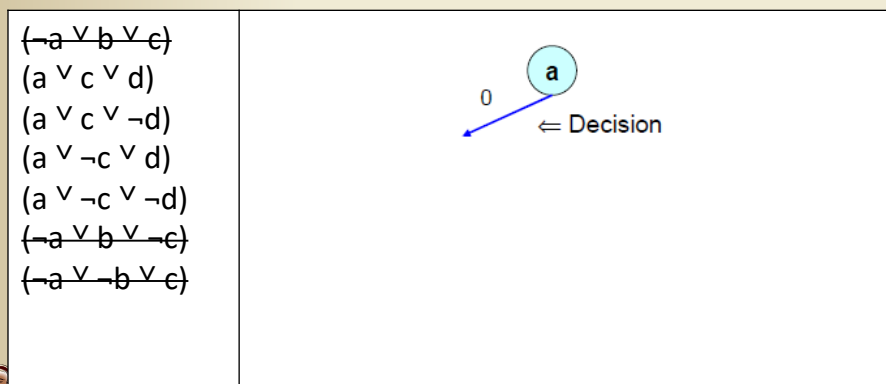
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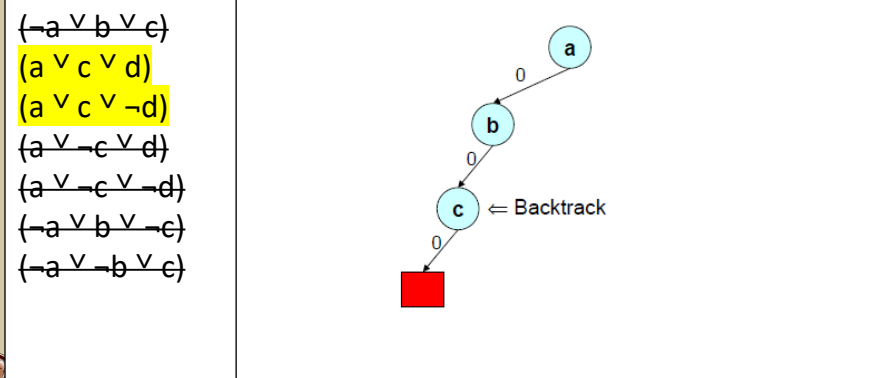
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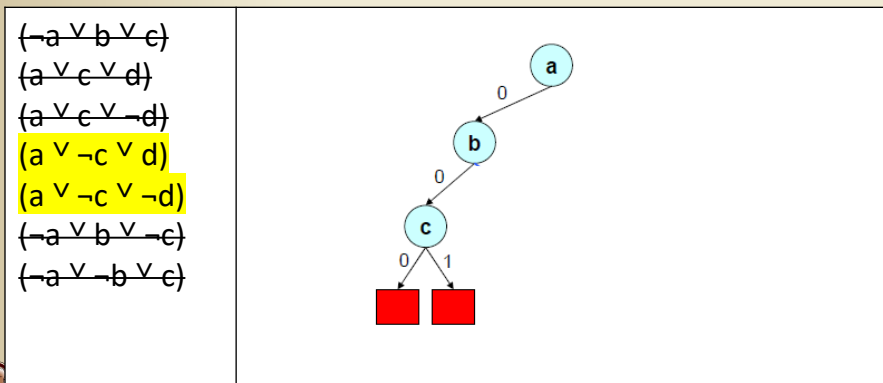
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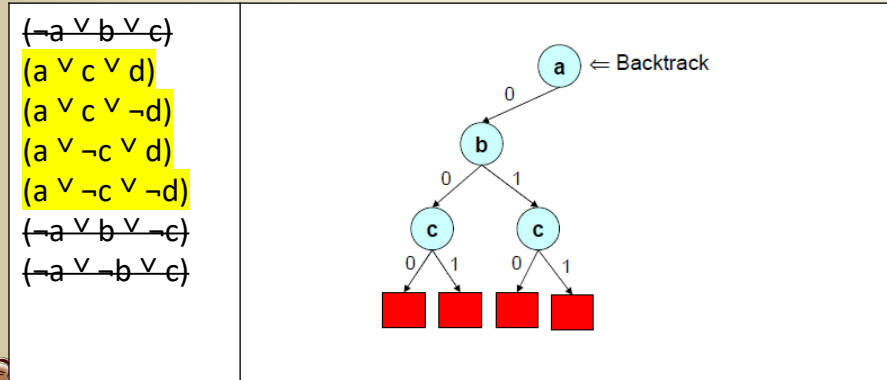
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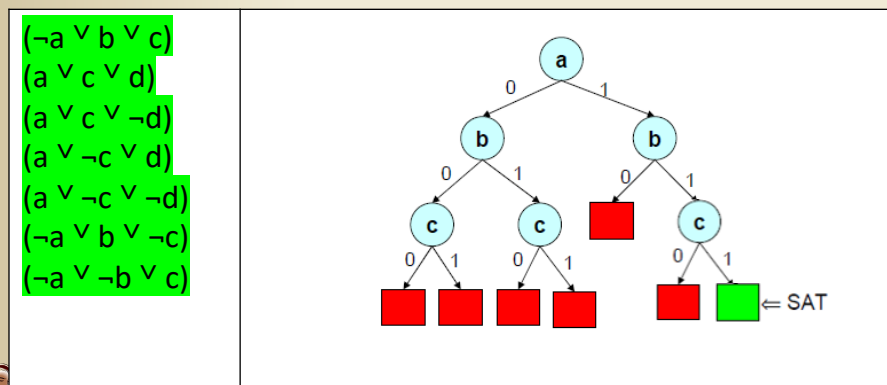
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◆ Flowchart of DPLL algorithm

➤ a=True, b=True, c=True, d=True or False



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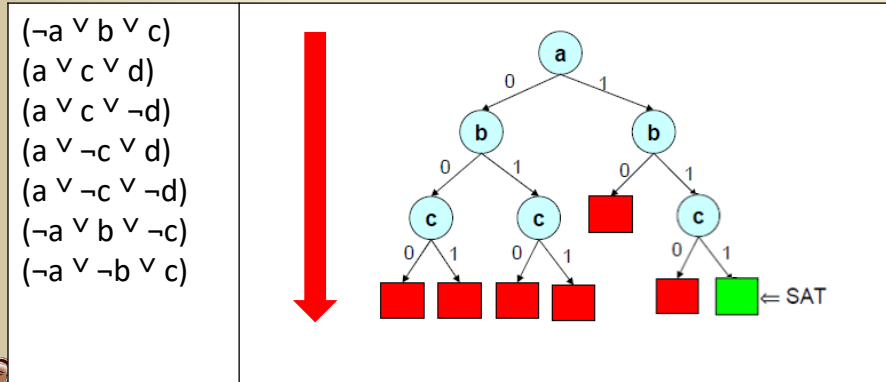
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Problem description:



- ◆ The rule for choosing literals is also referred to as the branch rule.



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Problem Requirements



- ◆ You need to implement the DPLL algorithm in code and use the **Dynamic Largest Individual Sum (DLIS)** as your branch rule
- ◆ You must write a function to implement DLIS
- ◆ Otherwise, the Correctness in your score will be 50% off.

$$w(F, u) = \sum_k d_k(F, u)$$

$$\Phi(x, y) = \max\{x, y\}$$



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Input file format



◆ Example: testcase.cnf

➤ $(1 \vee -3) \wedge (2 \vee 3 \vee -1)$

```
p cnf 3 2
1 -3 0
2 3 -1 0
%
0
```



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Output file format



◆ Example: testcase.txt

➤ The problem has a solution

```
s SATISFIABLE
v " 1 " -> True
v " 2 " -> False
v " 3 " -> True
Done
```

➤ There is no solution exists

```
s UNSATISFIABLE
```



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Execution program

- ◆ Execute the program with the following command on the workstation

```
[ta112521034@cad ~]$ g++ -std=c++11 986253465_Final.cpp -o Final.out
[ta112521034@cad ~]$ ./Final.out testcase1.cnf testcase1.txt
```



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Execution program

- ◆ You can write like this in your program

- ◆ The explanation of argc and argv
 - <https://www.ibm.com/docs/en/i/7.1?topic=c-functions-main-function>

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
using namespace std;
void input_file(char *, ...);
void output_file(char *, ...);

int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    //In Final Project you don't need to cin filename;
    //store your filename by argc, argv when you execute your program
    //compile your .cpp by g++ -std=c++11 986253465_Final.cpp -o Final.out
    //when you execute your .out by: ./Final.out testcase1.cnf testcase1.txt
    //argv[0] represent ./Final.out
    //argv[1] represent testcase1.cnf (you need it!!!)
    //argv[2] represent testcase1.txt (you need it!!!)
    input_file(argv[1], ...);
    //...your algorithm
    //...
    output_file(argv[2], ...);
    return 0;
}

void input_file(char *argv, ...)
{
    ifstream infile(argv, ios::in);
    ...
}

void output_file(char *argv, ...)
{
    ofstream outfile(argv, ios::out);
    ...
}
```



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Report

- ◆ How to compile and execute your program
- ◆ The completion of the assignment
- ◆ The hardness of this assignment and how you overcome it
- ◆ Any suggestions about Final Project

➤ You can also put anything related to the Final project in your report, such as pseudocode, control flow diagram, programming developing thought, etc.



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Correctness

- ◆ We will judge the correctness from the checker on the workstation
- ◆ The output file format has to be the same as Sample. Especially, the newlines, the white space and order of variables



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Correctness

- ◆ There are 3 public test cases for you to test your program
- ◆ We will run all 5 cases within 30 minutes
- ◆ (50%) Correctness
 - 5 testcases, 10 points each case



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Q&A

- ◆ If you have any questions about Final project, please send me an email or attend the TA office hours on Tuesday at 19:00 in room E1-359
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- ◆ Email: ejj.nick302@gmail.com



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