



Artificial & Computational Intelligence

DSE CLZG557

M3 : Game Playing & Constraint Satisfaction

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Course Plan



- M1 Introduction to AI
- M2 Problem Solving Agent using Search
- M3 Game Playing, Constraint Satisfaction Problem
- M4 Knowledge Representation using Logics
- M5 Probabilistic Representation and Reasoning
- M6 Reasoning over time, Reinforcement Learning

Module 3 : Part -2



Constraint Satisfaction Problem

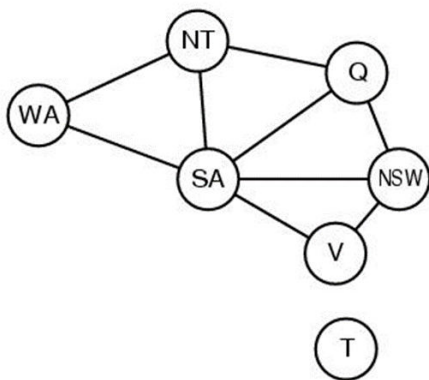
A. Formulating a CSP problem

B. Constraint propagation

C. Local search for CSP

Problem Formulation

Map Coloring Problem



Variables

WA, NT, Q, NSW, V, SA, T

Domain

$D_i = \{\text{red, green, blue}\}$

$D_i = \{R, G, B\}$

Constraints

$WA \neq NT$

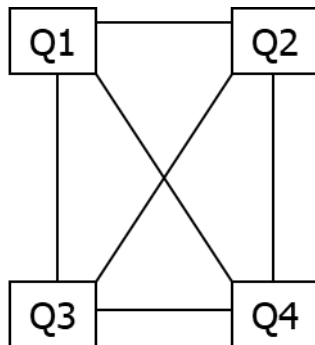
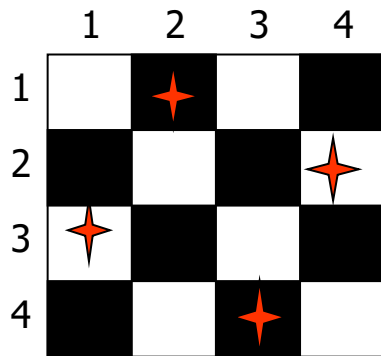
$(WA, NT) = \{(R, G), (R, B), (G, R), \dots\}$

Solution

$\{WA = R, NT = G, Q = R, NSW = G, V = R, SA = B, T = G\}$

Problem Formulation

N-Queen



Variables

$Q_1, Q_2, Q_3, Q_4 \dots Q_N$

Domain

$\{1, 2, \dots, N\}$

Constraints

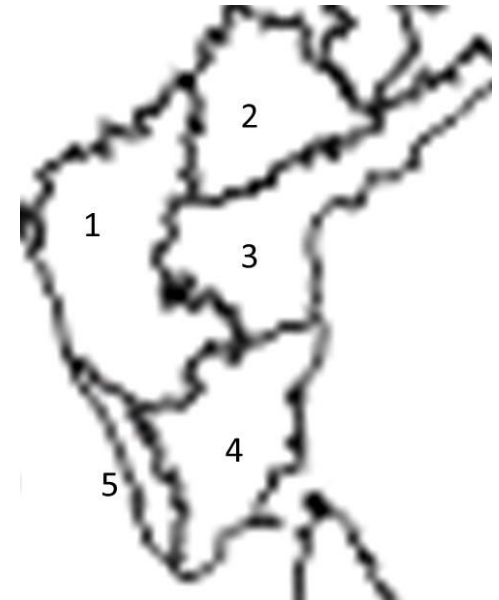
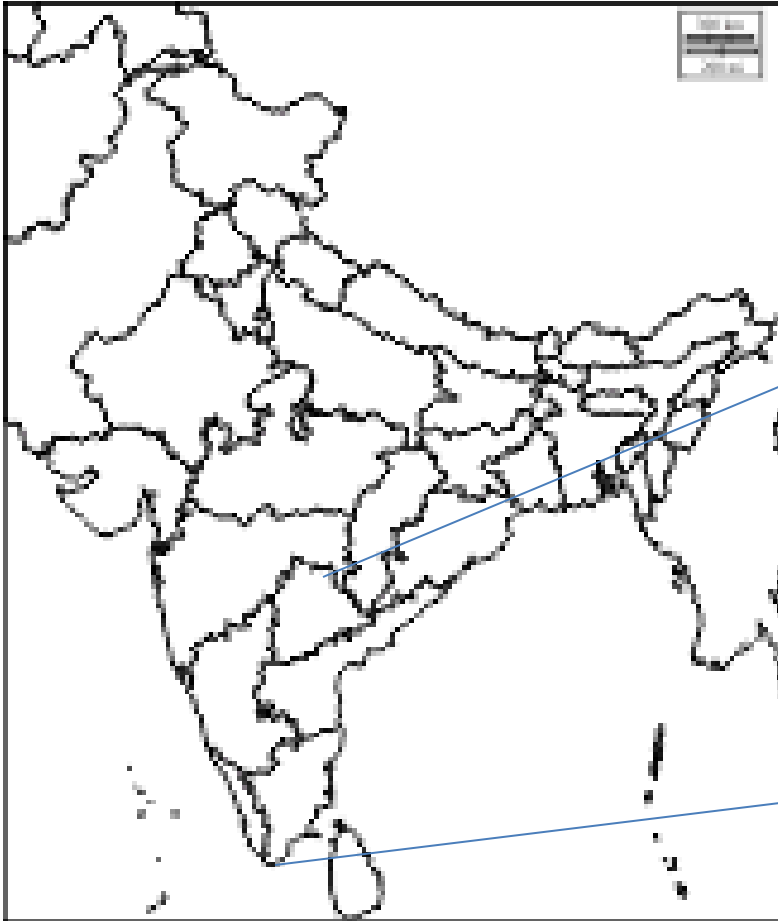
$(Q_1, Q_2) = \{(1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 4) \dots\}$

Solution

$Q_1=3, Q_2=1, Q_3=4, Q_4=2$

Introduction to Constraint Propagation

Constraint Satisfaction Problem



Constraint Satisfaction Problem

Variables = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}

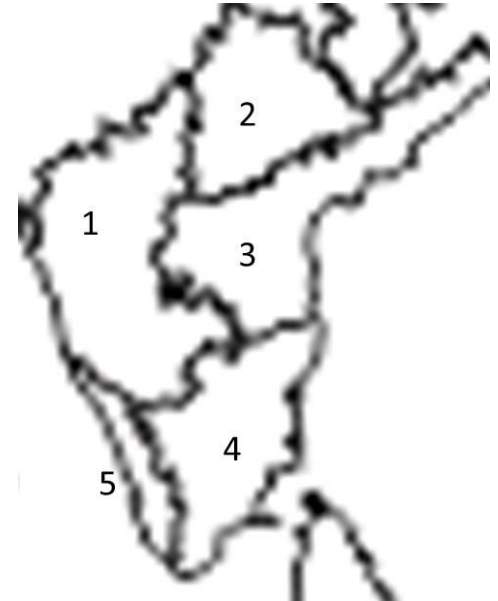
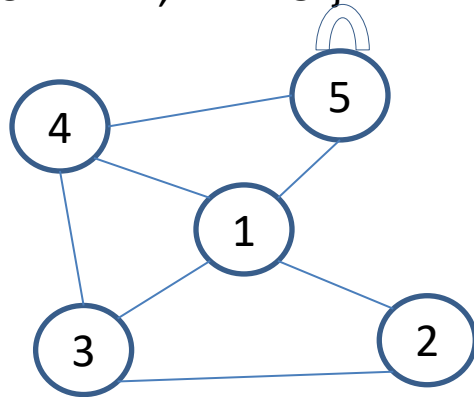
Domain = { R , G, B, Y }

Constraints =

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$1 \neq 2$, $1 \neq 3$, $1 \neq 4$, $1 \neq 5$,

$2 \neq 3$, $3 \neq 4$, $4 \neq 5$ }



Objective: Color the marked states with available colors (from the domain set) such that no neighboring states share the same color.

Another restriction(constraint) is that state coded as 5 should not have Red(R) color

Constraint Satisfaction Problem

Variables = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}

Domain = { R , G, B, Y }

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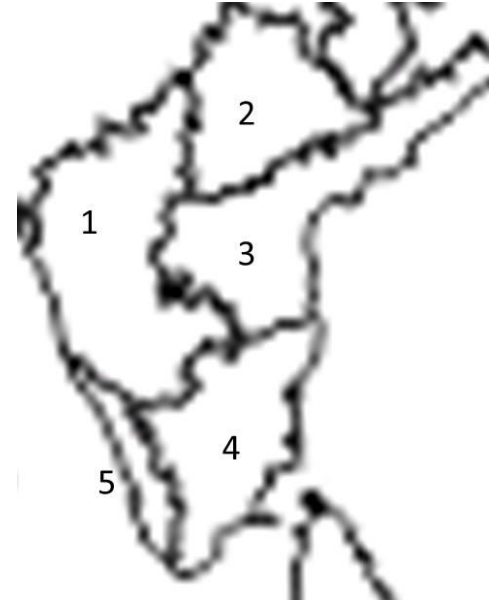
Problem Formulation

Initial State : Empty Assignment .

Successor Function : Consistent current assignment

Goal Test : Complete Consistent Assignment as of this state

Path Cost : Every backtracking = 10 penalty or Every Dead End
= 5



Avenues to Improve - Heuristics

Depth-first search for CSPs with single-variable assignments is called **backtracking search**

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function BACKTRACKING-SEARCH(csp) return a solution or failure
    return RECURSIVE-BACKTRACKING({}, csp)

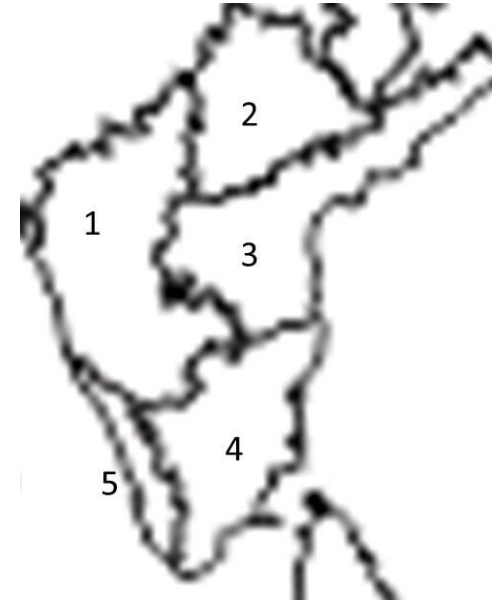
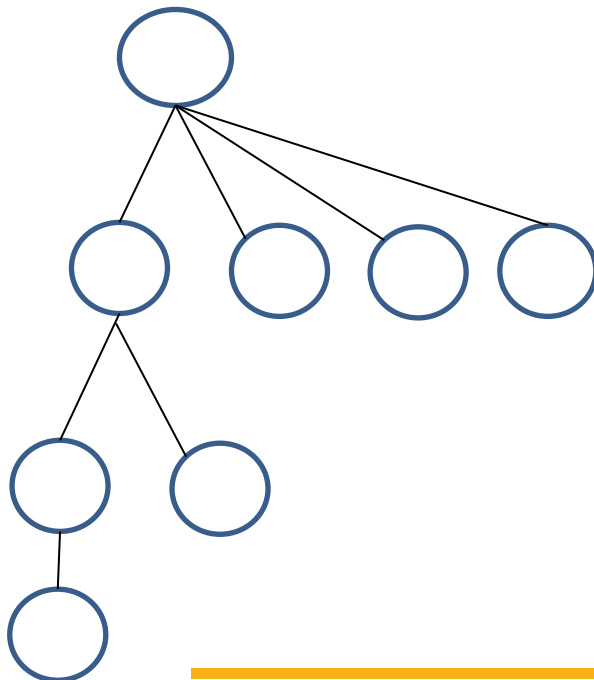
function RECURSIVE-BACKTRACKING(assignment, csp) return a solution or failure
    if assignment is complete then return assignment
    var ← SELECT-UNASSIGNED-VARIABLE(VARIABLES[csp], assignment, csp)
    for each value in ORDER-DOMAIN-VALUES(var, assignment, csp) do
        if value is consistent with assignment according to CONSTRAINTS[csp] then
            add {var=value} to assignment
            result ← RECURSIVE-BACKTRACKING(assignment, csp)
            if result ≠ failure then return result
            remove {var=value} from assignment
    return failure
```

- MRV / Most constrained variable
 - choose the variable with the fewest legal values
- MCV / Most constraining variable
 - choose the variable with the most constraints on remaining variables
- LCV/ Least constraining value
 - Choose value that rules out the fewest values in the remaining variables
- Forward checking
 - Keep track of remaining legal values for unassigned variables
 - Terminate search when any variable has no legal values



Constraint Satisfaction Problem

	1	2	3	4	5
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MCV					
MRV					
LCV					

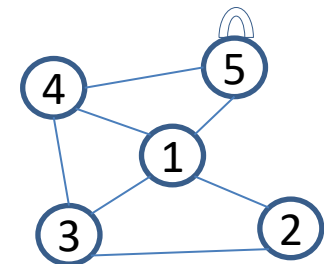


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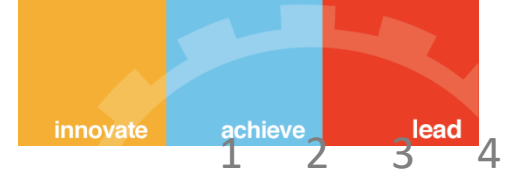
$2' \neq 3', 3' \neq 4', 4' \neq 5' \}$



- Frequent Techniques
 - Most constrained variable
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 - Least constraining value
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Local Search for CSP

Sudoku Problem



Constraint Satisfaction Graph - Subgraph

	1	2	3	4
A	3	2	1	3
B	4	2	3	4
C	2	4	4	2
D	1	3	2	3

Sudoku

A		2	1	
B	4			
C				2
D		3		

	1	2	3	4
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2+2

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1+2

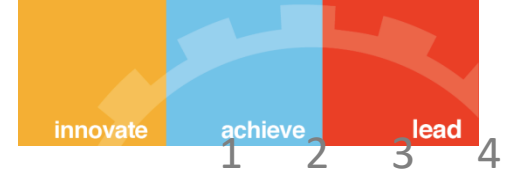
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3+2

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2

Local optima achieved



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1+2

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3+2

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Constraint Propagation

Arc Consistency Algorithm

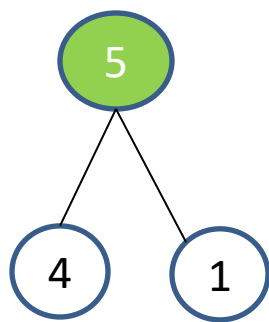
AC-3 (Arc Consistency Algorithm)

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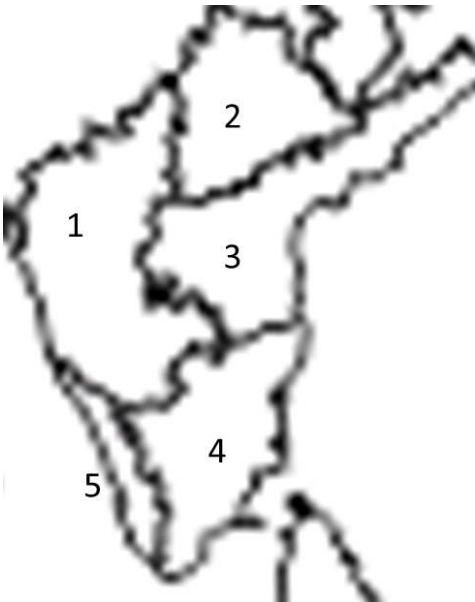
function AC-3(csp) return the CSP, possibly with reduced domains
  inputs: csp, a binary csp with variables  $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$ 
  local variables: queue, a queue of arcs initially the arcs in csp
  while queue is not empty do
     $(X_i, X_j) \leftarrow \text{REMOVE-FIRST}(\text{queue})$ 
    if REMOVE-INCONSISTENT-VALUES( $X_i, X_j$ ) then
      for each  $X_k$  in NEIGHBORS[ $X_i$ ] do
        add  $(X_k, X_j)$  to queue
function REMOVE-INCONSISTENT-VALUES( $X_i, X_j$ ) return true iff we remove a value
  removed  $\leftarrow$  false
  for each  $x$  in DOMAIN[ $X_i$ ] do
    if no value  $y$  in DOMAIN[ $X_j$ ] allows  $(x, y)$  to satisfy the constraints between  $X_i$  and  $X_j$ 
      then delete  $x$  from DOMAIN[ $X_i$ ]; removed  $\leftarrow$  true
  return removed
  
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AC-3 (Arc Consistency Algorithm)

1	2	3	4	5
R, G , B, Y	R, G, B, Y	R, G, B, Y	R, G , B, Y	R, G, B, Y
				G

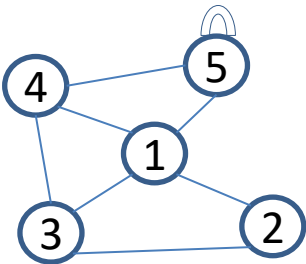


Xj	Xi	Domain(Xi)	Domain(Xi)
5	1	{R,G,B,Y}	{R,B,Y}
	4	{R,G,B,Y}	{R,B,Y}
1	2	{R,G,B,Y}	
	3	{R,G,B,Y}	
	4	{R,G,B,Y}	
	5	{G}	
4	1	{R,B,Y}	
	3	{R,G,B,Y}	
	5	{G}	



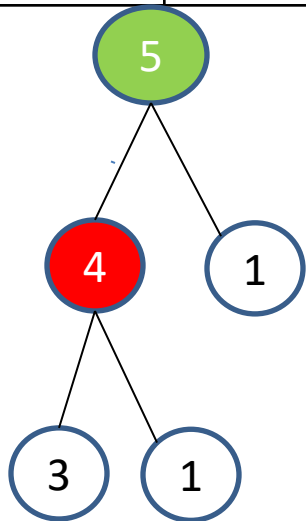
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			R	G



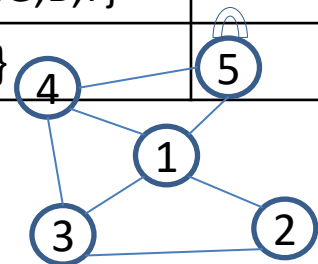
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4	1	{R,B,Y}	{B,Y}
	3	{R,G,B,Y}	{G,B,Y}
	5	{G}	
1	2	{R,G,B,Y}	
	3	{R,G,B,Y}	
	4	{R}	
	5	{G}	
3	1	{B,Y}	
	2	{R,G,B,Y}	
	4	{R}	

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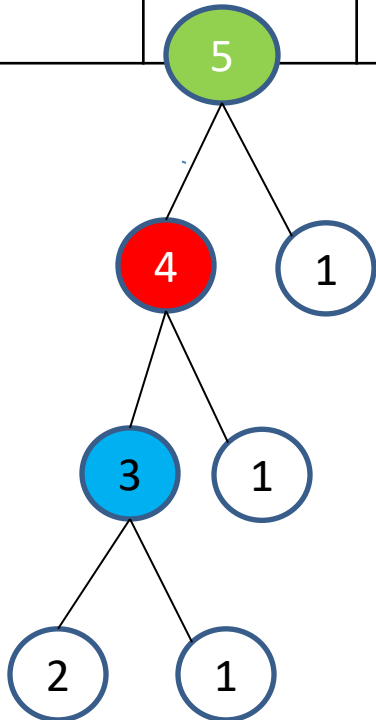
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			R	G
		B	R	G



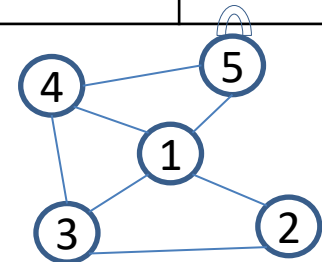
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3	1	{B,Y}	{Y}
	2	{R,G,B,Y}	
	4	{R}	
1	2	{R,G,B,Y}	{R,G,B}
	3	{B}	
	4	{R}	
	5	{G}	
2	1	{Y}	
	3	{B}	

Constraints =

{ 5 ≠ R ,

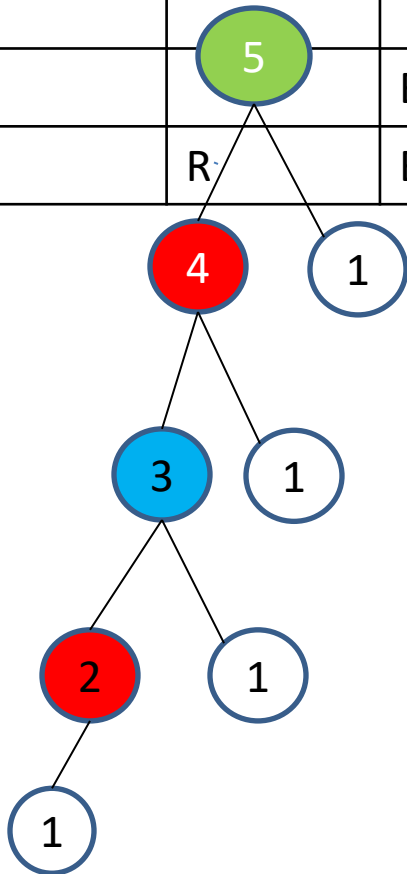
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Constraint Satisfaction Problem-Earlier attempt

1	2	3	4	5
R, G, B, Y	R, G, B, Y	R, G, B, Y	R, G, B, Y	R, G, B, Y
				G
			R	G
	5	B	R	G
	R	B	R	G



Xj	Xi	Domain(Xi)	Domain(Xi)
3	1	{B,Y}	{Y}
	2	{R,G,B}	{R,G}
	4	{R}	
1	2	{R,G,B,Y}	{R,G,B}
	3	{B}	
	4	{R}	
	5	{G}	
2	1	{Y}	
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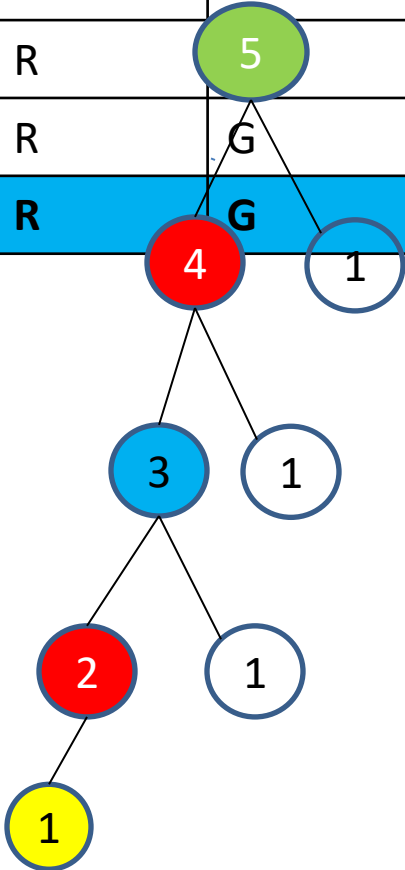
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				G
			R	G
		B	R	5
	R	B	R	G
Y	R	B	R	G

Xj	Xi	Domain(Xi)	Domain(Xi)
2	1	{Y}	
	3	{B}	



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PC-2 (Path Consistency Algorithm)

- Path consistency extends it to look at triples of variables.
- A two-variable set X, Y is path-consistent with a third variable Z iff for every value a of X and b of Y which satisfies the constraints on $\{X, Y\}$, there is a value c of Z which satisfies the constraints on $\{X, Z\}$ and $\{Z, Y\}$.
- Path consistency algorithm PC-2 is extension of AC-3.

K-Consistency:

- A CSP is k -consistent if for any set of $k - 1$ variables and a consistent assignment to those variables, a consistent value can be assigned to the k th variable.
- In practice, don't usually go beyond AC-3 (2-consistency) and PC-2 (3-consistency)

Constraint Satisfaction Problem



Application of Learning in the Heuristic Ordering

Heuristics for variable priority:

1. Smallest ratio of current domain size to dynamic degree
2. Cutoff limit : No.of.allowable backtracking – Restart : Parallel strategy

K-Armed Bandit Framework

Reward function : Pruned Tree Size

Optimization Objective : Minimize the expected regret over T trials, which is defined as the expectation of the difference between the total reward obtained by the best arm and the total reward obtained by the bandit algorithm.

Source Credit: [24th European Conference on Artificial Intelligence - ECAI 2020](#)

Application of Learning in the Heuristic Ordering

Algorithm 1: MAB Framework

Input: constraint network P , heuristics H_1, \dots, H_K , bandit policy B

Initialize the bandit policy

1 $\text{INITARMS}_B(K)$

Trials

2 **for** each run $t = 1, \dots, T$ **do**

Select an arm according to the bandit policy

3 $i_t \leftarrow \text{SELECTARM}_B(K)$

Run the solver and observe a reward

4 $r_t(i_t) \leftarrow \text{MAC}(H_{i_t})$

Update the bandit policy

5 $\text{UPDATEARMS}_B(r_t)$

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Required Reading: AIMA - Chapter #5.1, #5.2, #5.3, #5.4

Thank You for all your Attention

Note : Some of the slides are adopted from AIMA TB materials



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M4 : Knowledge Representation using Logics

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Module 4 :

Knowledge Representation using Logics



A. Logical Representation

B. Propositional Theorem Proving

C. DPLL Algorithm

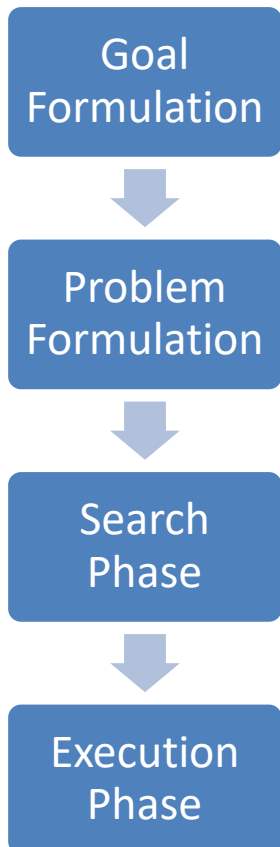
D. First Order Logic

E. FOL Inference

Problem Solving Agents

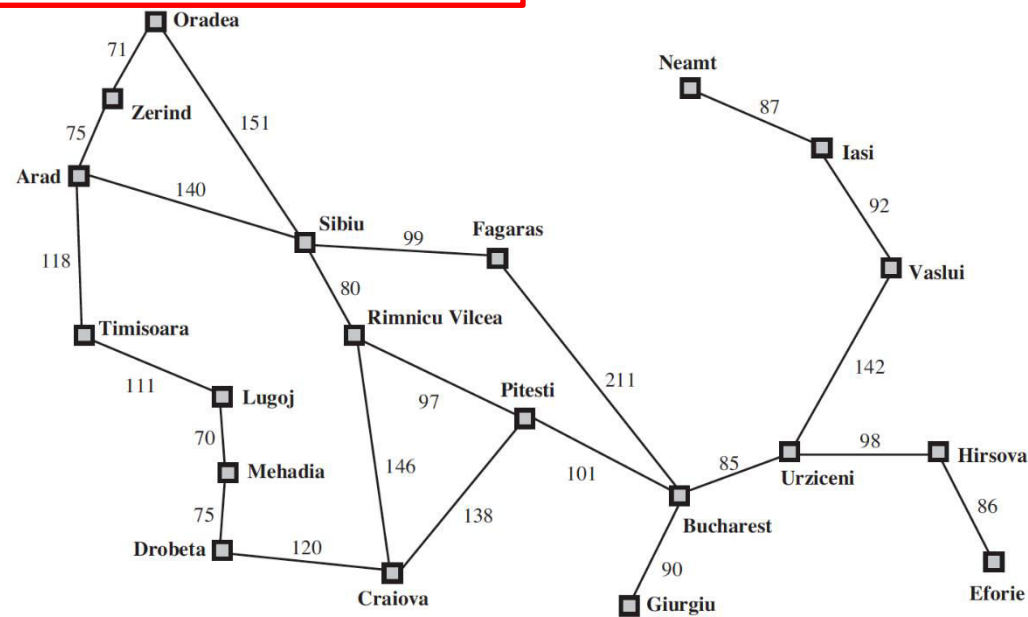
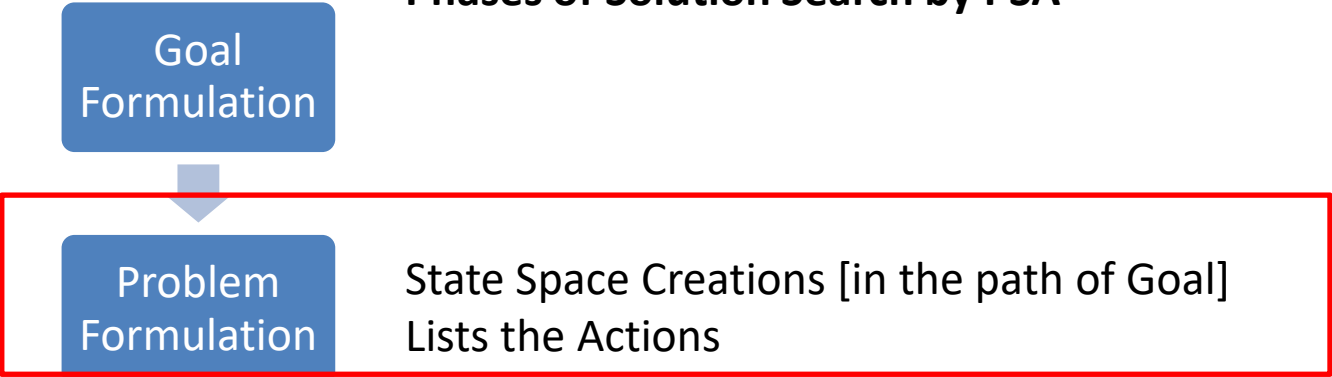
Goal based decision making agents which finds sequence of actions that leads to the desirable states.

Phases of Solution Search by PSA

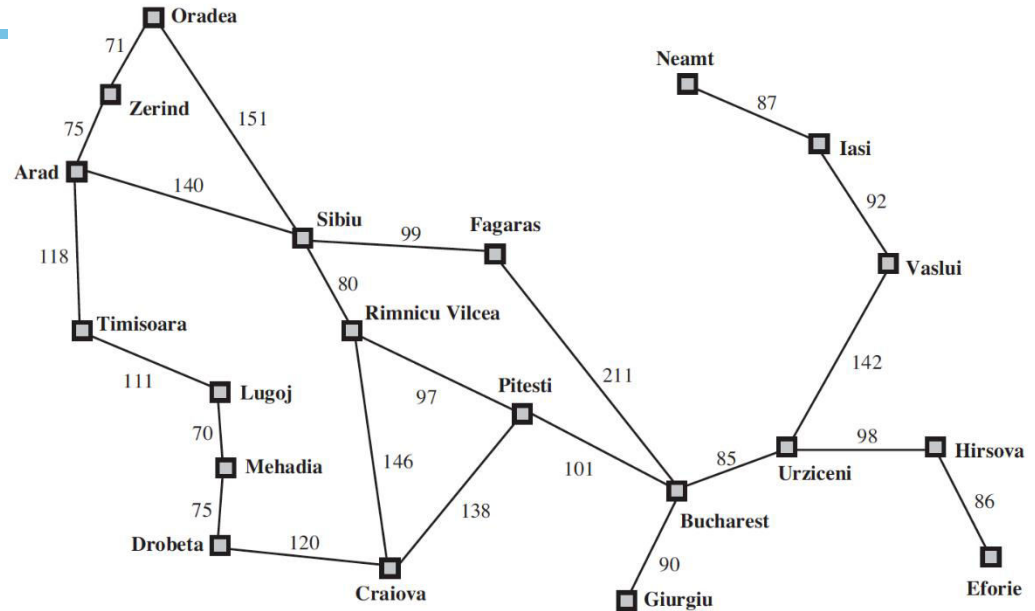


Problem Solving Agents

Phases of Solution Search by PSA



Problem Solving Agents – Problem Formulation



Initial State – E.g., $In(Arad)$

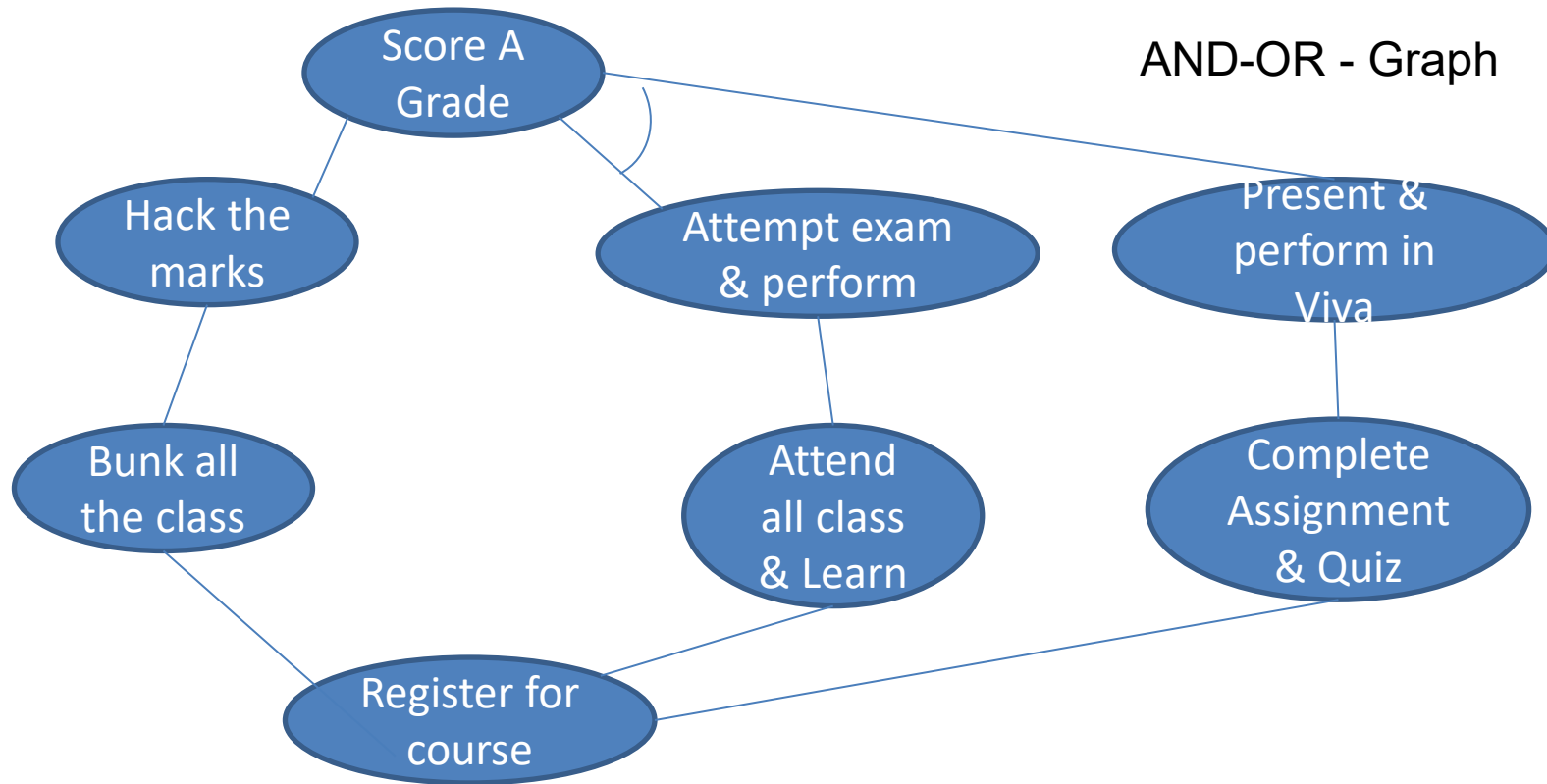
Possible Actions – $ACTIONS(s) \rightarrow \{Go(Sibiu), Go(Timisoara), Go(Zerind)\}$

Transition Model – $RESULT(In(Arad), Go(Sibiu)) = In(Sibiu)$

Goal Test – $IsGoal(In(Bucharest)) = Yes$

Path Cost – $cost(In(Arad), go(Sibiu)) = 140 \text{ kms}$

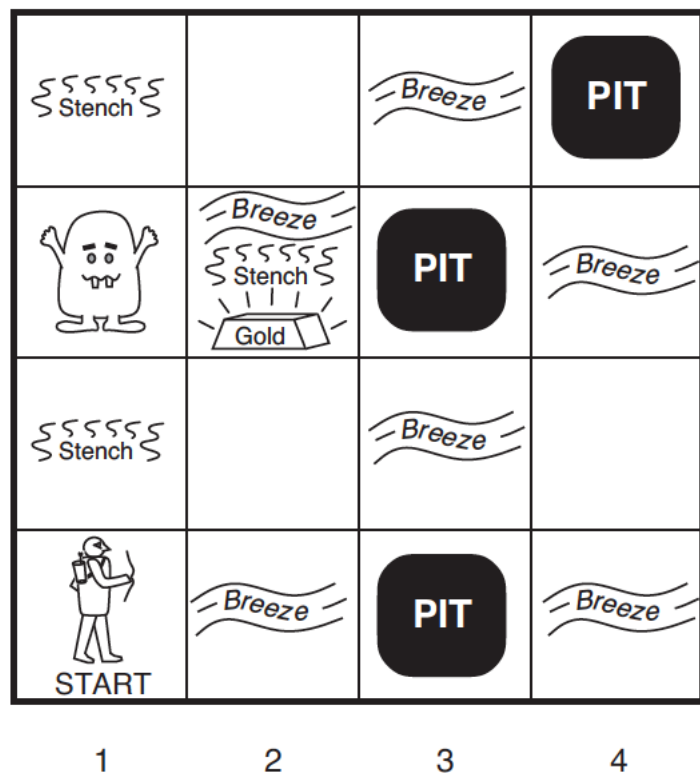
Search Graph Types



Knowledge based Agent : Model & Represent



Concepts, logic Representation of a sample agent



Wumpus World Problem:

PEAS:

Performance Measure:

- +1000 for climbing out with gold,
- 1000 for falling into a pit or being eaten by Wumpus,
- 1 for each action taken and
- 10 for using an arrow

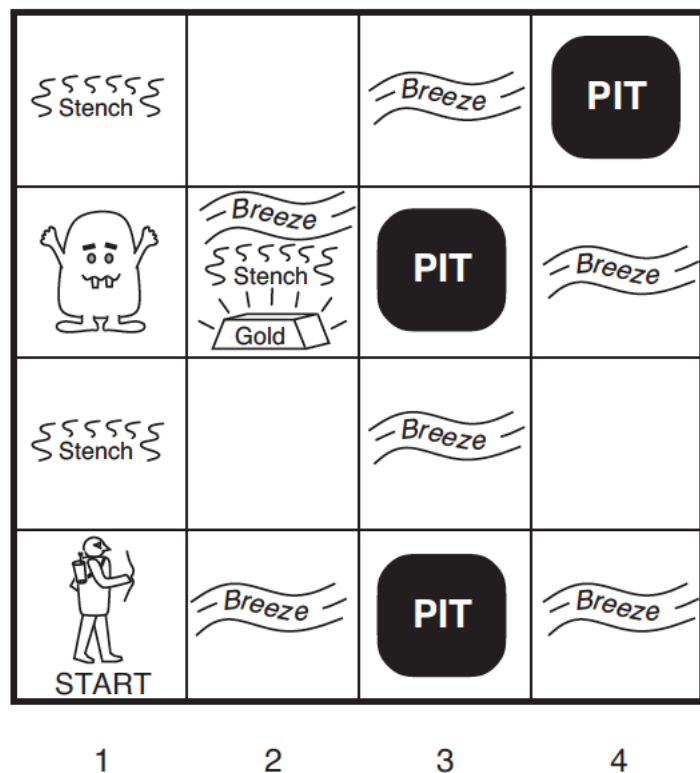
Environment: 4x4 grid of rooms. Always starts at [1, 1] facing right.

The location of Wumpus and Gold are random.
Agent dies if entered a pit or live Wumpus.

Knowledge based Agent : Model & Represent



Concepts, logic Representation of a sample agent



Wumpus World Problem:

PEAS:

Actuators –

Forward,

TurnLeft by 90,

TurnRight by 90,

Grab – pick gold if present,

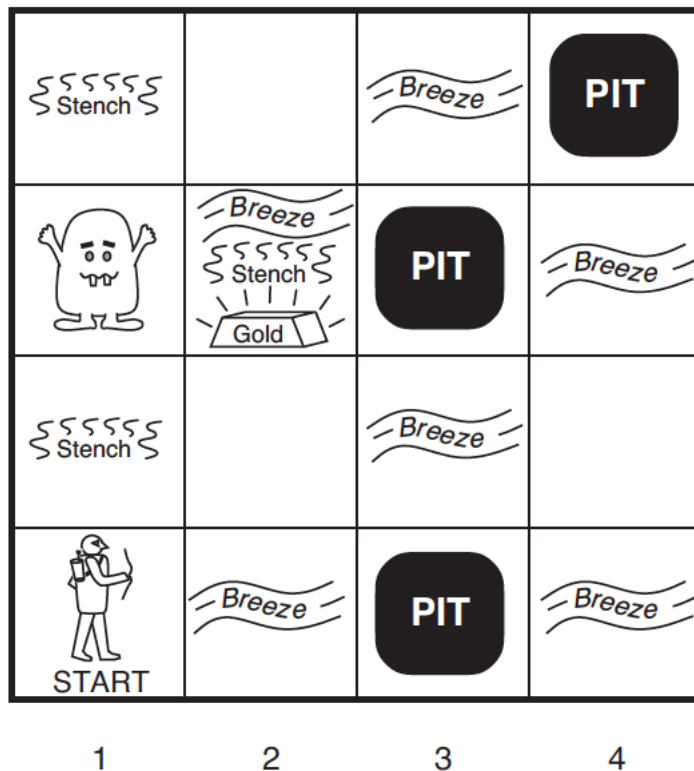
Shoot – fire an arrow, it either hits a wall or kills wumpus. Agent has only one arrow.

Climb – Used to climb out of cave, only from [1, 1]

Knowledge based Agent : Model & Represent



Concepts, logic Representation of a sample agent



Wumpus World Problem:

PEAS:

Sensors. The agent has five sensors

Stench: In all adjacent (but not diagonal) squares of Wumpus

Breeze: In all adjacent (but not diagonal) squares of a pit

Glitter: In the square where gold is

Bump: If agent walks into a wall

Scream: When Wumpus is killed, it can be perceived everywhere

Percept Format:

[Stench?, Breeze?, Glitter?, Bump?, Scream?]

E.g., [Stench, Breeze, None, None, None]

Percept 3: [Stench, None, None, None]

Action: Move to [2, 2]

Remembers (2,2) as possible PIT and no Stench.



1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2	2,2	3,2	4,2
OK			
1,1	2,1	3,1	4,1
A			
OK	OK		



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V	A	P?	
OK	B		
	OK		



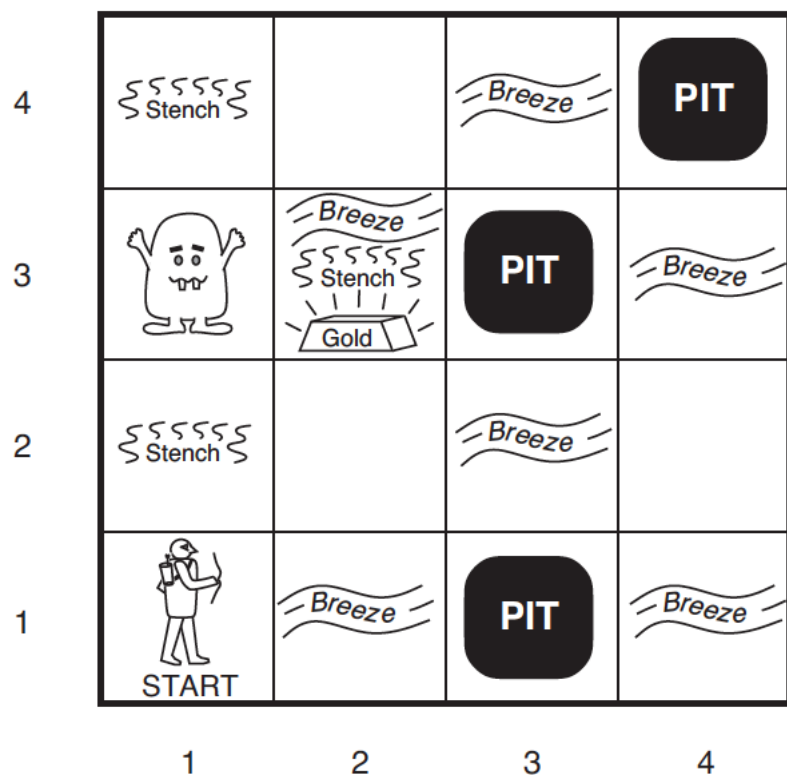
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1,3	W!	3,3	4,3
1,2	A	3,2	4,2
S		OK	
OK	OK		
1,1	2,1	3,1	4,1
V	B	P!	
OK	V		
	OK		

4	Stench	Breeze	PIT
3	Ghost	Breeze Stench Gold	PIT
2	Stench	Breeze	
1	START	Breeze	PIT
	1	2	3

Knowledge based Agent : Model & Represent



Concepts, logic Representation of a sample agent



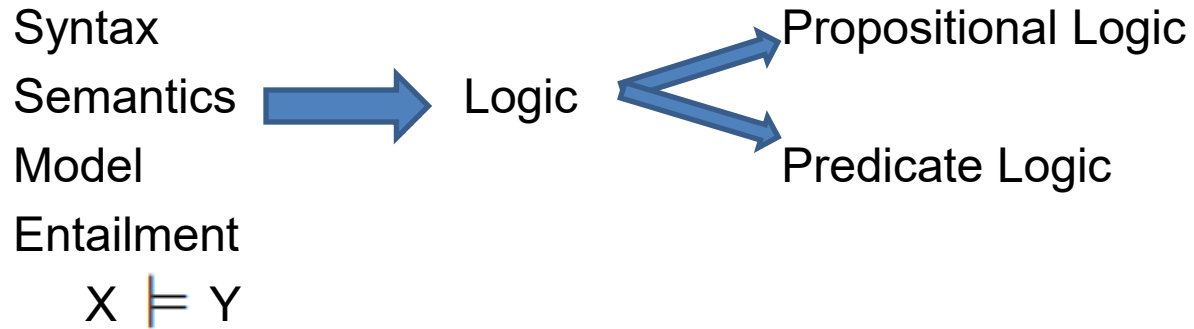
Why do we need Factored representation

- To reason about steps
- To learn new knowledge about the environment
- To adapt to changes to the existing knowledge
- Accept new tasks in the form of explicit goals
- To overcome partial observability of environment

Representation



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Propositional Logic



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A simple representation language for building knowledge-based agents

Proposition Symbol – A symbol that stands for a proposition.

E.g., $W_{1,3}$ – “Wumpus in $[1,3]$ ” is a proposition and $W_{1,3}$ is the symbol

Proposition can be true or false

Atomic : $W_{1,3}$

Conjuncts : $W_{1,3} \wedge P_{3,1}$

Disjuncts : $W_{1,3} \vee P_{3,1}$

Implications :

$(W_{1,3} \wedge P_{3,1}) \Rightarrow \neg W_{2,2}$

Biconditional : $W_{1,3} \Leftrightarrow \neg W_{2,2}$

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2	2,2	3,2	4,2
OK			
1,1	2,1	3,1	4,1
A OK	OK		

4	Stench		Breeze	PIT
3	Wumpus	Breeze Stench Gold	PIT	Breeze
2	Stench		Breeze	
1	START	Breeze	PIT	Breeze
	1	2	3	4

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Tie break in search:

$\neg, \wedge, \vee, \Rightarrow, \Leftrightarrow$

$(\neg A) \wedge B$ has precedence over $\neg (A \wedge B)$

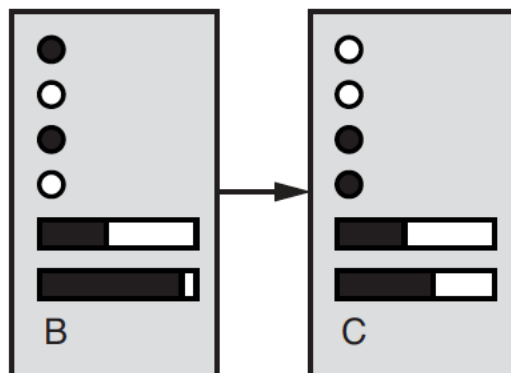
P	Q	$\neg P$	$P \wedge Q$	$P \vee Q$	$P \Rightarrow Q$	$P \Leftrightarrow Q$
false	false	true	false	false	true	true
false	true	true	false	true	true	false
true	false	false	false	true	false	false
true	true	false	true	true	true	true

Predicate Logic



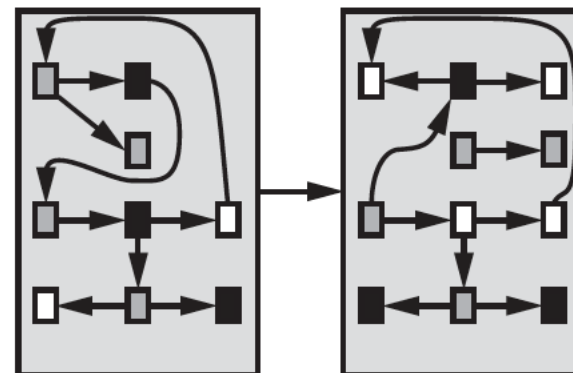
(a) Atomic

Search Strategies



(b) Factored

Propositional Logic



(b) Structured

First Order Logic



Predicate Logic

Squares neighboring the wumpus are smelly

Objects: squares, wumpus

Unary Relation (properties of an object): smelly

N-ary Relation (between objects): neighboring

Function: -

Primary difference between propositional and first-order logic lies in “ontological commitment” – the assumption about the nature of reality.

1. “Squares neighboring the wumpus are smelly”

$\forall x, y \text{ Neighbour}(x, y) \wedge \text{Wumpus}(y) \Rightarrow \text{Smelly}(x)$

2. “Everybody loves somebody”

$\forall x \exists y \text{ Loves}(x, y)$

3. “There is someone who is loved by everyone”

$\exists y \forall x \text{ Loves}(x, y)$

Order of quantifiers is important

Example: Propositional Logic

Student likes maths course and likes interesting courses

Student like datamining course

If student likes math course then they like statistics course

If student likes statistics and datamining then student is good in data analysis

Next Session Plan

- Theorem proving using Propositional Logic (Refresh the pre-reading material that was shared last week)
- DPLL algorithm
- Chaining (Forward & backward in predicate logic)
- Introduction to the Bayesian Network (Refresh the basics of probability theory)