

CSC242: Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Lecture 2.3

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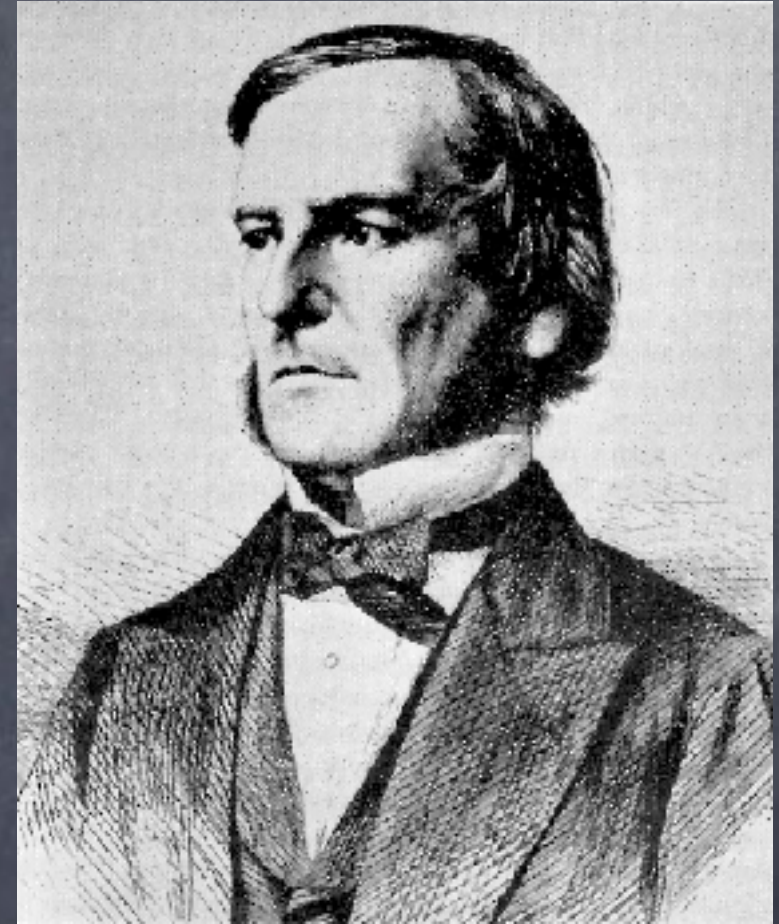
Boolean CSP

- Variables describing attributes or features of the world
 - Factored representation
- Domains: $\text{Boolean} \rightarrow \{ \text{true}, \text{false} \}$
- Constraints: Identify possible combinations of the boolean variables

Propositional Logic



Aristotle
(384BC – 332BC)



George Boole
(1815–1864)

Propositions

Hungry

Cranky



Assignment



<i>Hungry</i>	<i>Cranky</i>
true	false
false	true
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Possible Worlds



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Knowledge

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Propositional Logic

- Syntax:
 - What counts as a well-formed statement, formula, sentence, or program
- Semantics:
 - What these statements, formulas, sentences, or programs mean

Truth Table

$B_{1,1}$	$P_{1,2}$	$P_{2,1}$	$P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1}$	$B_{1,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$
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Model (Possible World)

- Assignment of true or false to all the propositional variables
- A model satisfies a sentence if it makes the sentence true
- "A model of the sentence"

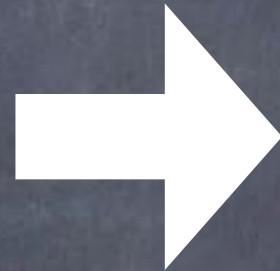
Unsatisfiable

- No complete, consistent assignment of truth values to the propositions that makes the sentence or set of sentences true
- Rules out all possible worlds
- Cannot describe the actual world

Inference

- Given a set of statements in propositional logic (facts and background knowledge)
- Test whether some other statement is true
- “If I know α is true, is β also true?”
- “Does β follow from my knowledge α ?”

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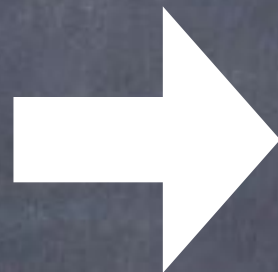
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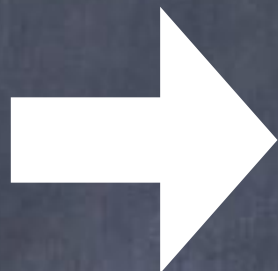
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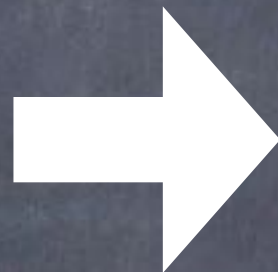
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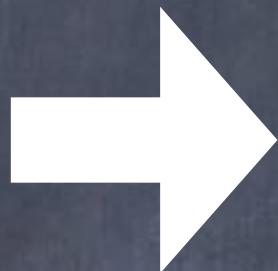
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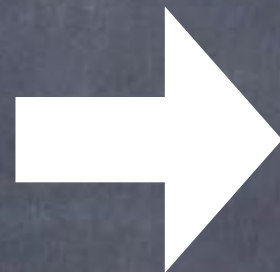
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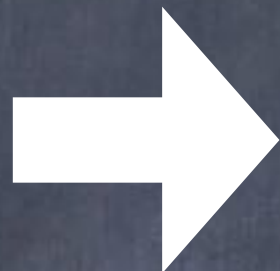
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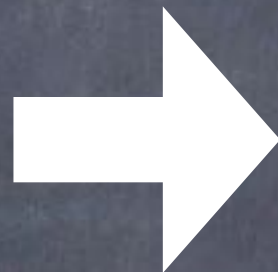
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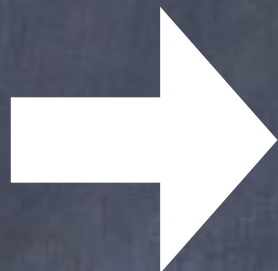
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- If α entails β : $\alpha \models \beta$
 - Whenever α is true, so is β
 - Every model of α is a model of β
 - $\text{Models}(\alpha) \subseteq \text{Models}(\beta)$
 - α is at least as strong an assertion as β
 - Rules out no fewer possible worlds

Entailment is conservative

- Only accept a conclusion that is guaranteed to be true whenever the premises are true

Propositional Logic

- Language for expressing knowledge
- Definition of entailment (“follows from”)
- Need to be able to compute whether β logically follows from α
 - That is, whether α entails β

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Model Checking

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Propositional Logic

- Programming language for knowledge
- Factored representation of state
 - Propositions, connectives, sentences
- Model (possible world)
- Entailment ("follows from"): $\alpha \models \beta$
 - Every model of α is a model of β

Computing Entailment

```
boolean tt_entails(Set<Sentence> kb, Sentence alpha) {
    List<Symbol> symbols = new List(kb.getSymbols());
    symbols.append(alpha.getSymbols());
    return tt_check_all(kb, alpha, symbols, new Model());
}

boolean tt_check_all(Set<Sentence> kb, Sentence alpha,
                    List<Symbol> symbols, Model model) {
    if (symbols.isEmpty()) {
        if (model.satisfies(kb)) {
            return model.satisfies(alpha);
        } else {
            return true;
        }
    } else {
        Symbol p = symbols.removeFirst();
        return (tt_check_all(kb, alpha, symbols,
                            model.clone().assign(p, Boolean.TRUE)) &&
                tt_check_all(kb, alpha, symbols,
                            model.clone().assign(p, Boolean.FALSE)));
    }
}
```


$$O(2^n)$$

P	Q	...	α	...	β
F	F	...	F	...	T
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F	T	...	T	...	T
T	F	...	T	...	T
T	T	...	T	...	T
T	F	...	F	...	F
T	T	...	F	...	T

2^n

Model Checking

P	Q	...	α	...	β
F	F	...	F	...	T
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T	T	...	F	...	T

Intuition: Math



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$$\begin{array}{r} 123 \\ +456 \\ \hline 579 \end{array}$$

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$$x + 3 = 7$$

$$x + 3 - 3 = 7 - 3$$

$$x = 7 - 3$$

$$x = 4$$

Mathematical Identities

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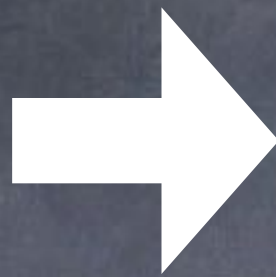
- Allow us to rewrite equations
- Truth-preserving:
 - If the original equation holds, then so does the rewritten one

Inference Rules

- Look for rules that allow us to rewrite sentences in a truth-preserving way
- We'll call these inference rules, since they will allow us to do inference (draw conclusions, make implicit knowledge explicit)

Hungry \Rightarrow *Cranky*

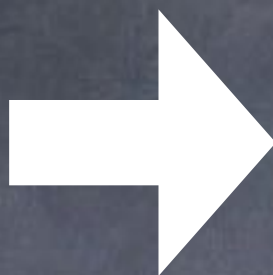
Hungry



Cranky

$$\alpha \Rightarrow \beta$$

α



β

Modus Ponens

$$\frac{\alpha \Rightarrow \beta, \alpha}{\beta}$$

Derivation

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$$\{ \textit{Hungry} \Rightarrow \textit{Cranky}, \textit{Hungry} \} \vdash \textit{Cranky}$$

Properties of Inference Rules


Soundness

- Derives only logically entailed sentences
- Truth-preserving

if $\alpha \vdash \beta$ then $\alpha \models \beta$

α	β	$\alpha \Rightarrow \beta$
F	F	T
F	T	T
T	F	F
T	T	T

Entailment

- α entails β when:
 - β is true in **every** world considered possible by α
 - Every model of α is also a model of β 
 - $\text{Models}(\alpha) \subseteq \text{Models}(\beta)$

$$\{ \alpha, \alpha \Rightarrow \beta \} \models \beta$$

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If $\alpha \vdash \beta$ using modus ponens,
then $\alpha \models \beta$.

Modus ponens is sound

Soundness

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- Truth-preserving

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Completeness

- Derives all logically entailed sentences

$$\text{if } \alpha \models \beta \text{ then } \alpha \vdash \beta$$

Modus ponens is NOT complete

Properties of Inference Rules

Soundness: if $\alpha \vdash \beta$ then $\alpha \models \beta$

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Inference Rules

$$\frac{\alpha \wedge \beta}{\alpha}$$

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$$\frac{\neg\neg\alpha}{\alpha}$$

Double
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DeMorgan's
Laws

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Modus
Ponens

$$\frac{\alpha \Leftrightarrow \beta}{(\alpha \Rightarrow \beta) \wedge (\beta \Rightarrow \alpha)}$$

Definition of biconditional

$$\frac{(\alpha \Rightarrow \beta) \wedge (\beta \Rightarrow \alpha)}{\alpha \Leftrightarrow \beta}$$

Want to compute whether $\alpha \models \beta$

For a sound inference rule:

if $\alpha \vdash \beta$ then $\alpha \models \beta$

if $\alpha \vdash \gamma$ and $\gamma \vdash \beta$ then $\alpha \models \beta$

Proof (Derivation)

- Sequence of inference rule applications that lead from the premises to the conclusion

Background knowledge:

$$R_1 : \neg P_{1,1}$$

$$R_2 : B_{1,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$$

$$R_3 : B_{2,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,1} \vee P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1})$$

Perceptions:

$$R_4 : \neg B_{1,1}$$

$$R_5 : B_{2,1}$$

Biconditional elimination on R_2 :

$$R_6 : ((B_{1,1} \Rightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})) \wedge ((P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1}) \Rightarrow B_{1,1}))$$

And-elimination on R_6 :

$$R_7 : (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1}) \Rightarrow B_{1,1}$$

Logical equivalence for contrapositives on R_7 :

$$R_8 : \neg B_{1,1} \Rightarrow \neg(P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$$

Modus Ponens on R_8 and R_4 :

$$R_9 : \neg(P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$$

DeMorgan's Rule R_9 :

$$R_{10} : \neg P_{1,2} \wedge \neg P_{2,1}$$

And-elimination R_{10} :

$$R_{11} : \neg P_{1,2}$$

Propositional Inference As Search

- Initial state: Background knowledge and current observations
- Actions: Apply an inference rule to the sentences that match their premises
- Result: Add conclusions of inference rule to knowledge base
- Goal: The knowledge base contains the sentence we want to prove

Theorem Proving

- Searching for proofs is an alternative to enumerating models
- “In many practical cases, finding a proof can be more efficient because the proof can ignore irrelevant propositions, no matter how many of them there are.”

Propositional Inference

- Entailment: “follows from our knowledge”
- Model checking
- Inference rules: soundness, completeness
- Proof: search for sequence of applications of inference rules from premises to conclusion

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Hungry \vee Cranky

\neg Hungry

Cranky

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2 OK	2,2 p?	3,2	4,2
1,1 V OK	2,1 B A OK	3,1 p?	4,1

$$P_{1,1} \vee P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1}$$

$$\neg P_{1,1}$$

$$P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1}$$

$$\neg P_{2,2}$$

$$P_{3,1}$$

If A or B is true and you know it's not A ,
then it must be B

$$\begin{array}{c}
 l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_i \vee \dots \vee l_k \qquad \neg l_i \\
 \hline
 l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_{i-1} \vee l_{i+1} \vee \dots \vee l_k
 \end{array}$$

Literal



$$l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_i \vee \dots \vee l_k \quad \neg l_i$$

$$l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_{i-1} \vee l_{i+1} \vee \dots \vee l_k$$

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$l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_i \vee \dots \vee l_k$

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Clause

Unit Resolution

Clause



Unit Clause



$$\frac{l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_i \vee \dots \vee l_k, \quad m}{l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_{i-1} \vee l_{i+1} \dots \vee l_k}$$

l_1, \dots, l_k and m are literals

l_i and m are complementary




Hungry \vee Cranky

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 $\neg P_{1,1}$

$P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1}$


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$P_{3,1}$

Unit Resolution

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Unit Resolution

- Sound: if $\alpha \vdash \beta$ then $\alpha \models \beta$

- Not complete:

if $\alpha \models \beta$ then $\alpha \vdash \beta$ 

Resolution

$$\frac{l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_i \vee \dots \vee l_k, \quad m_1 \vee \dots \vee m_j \vee \dots \vee m_n}{l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_{i-1} \vee l_{i+1} \dots \vee l_k \vee m_1 \vee \dots \vee m_{j-1} \vee m_{j+1} \dots \vee m_n}$$

$l_1, \dots, l_k, m_1, \dots, m_n$ are literals

l_i and m_j are complementary

Technical note: Resulting clause must be factored
to contain only one copy of each literal.

$$\frac{P_{1,1} \vee P_{3,1}, \quad \neg P_{1,1} \vee \neg P_{2,2}}{P_{3,1} \vee \neg P_{2,2}}$$



1. $Hungry \vee Cranky$

2. $\neg Sleepy \vee \neg Hungry$

3. $Cranky \vee Sleepy$

4. $\neg Sleepy \vee Cranky$ (1,2)

5. $Cranky \vee Cranky$ (3,4)

6. $Cranky$ (factoring)

Resolution

- Sound: if $\alpha \vdash \beta$ then $\alpha \models \beta$
 - Easy to show
- Complete: if $\alpha \models \beta$ then $\alpha \vdash \beta$
 - Proof by contradiction (see book)

Resolution

$$\frac{l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_i \vee \dots \vee l_k, \quad m_1 \vee \dots \vee m_j \vee \dots \vee m_n}{l_1 \vee \dots \vee l_{i-1} \vee l_{i+1} \dots \vee l_k \vee m_1 \vee \dots \vee m_{j-1} \vee m_{j+1} \dots \vee m_n}$$

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$$A \wedge B$$

$$P \Rightarrow Q$$

$$(A \vee B) \Rightarrow \neg(B \vee C)$$

Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF)

- Eliminate \Leftrightarrow : $\alpha \Leftrightarrow \beta \rightarrow \alpha \Rightarrow \beta \wedge \beta \Rightarrow \alpha$
- Eliminate \Rightarrow : $\alpha \Rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \neg \alpha \vee \beta$
- Move negation in:
 - $\neg \neg \alpha \rightarrow \alpha$
 - $\neg(\alpha \vee \beta) \rightarrow (\neg \alpha \wedge \neg \beta)$
 - $\neg(\alpha \wedge \beta) \rightarrow (\neg \alpha \vee \neg \beta)$
- Distribute \vee over \wedge :
 - $(\alpha \vee (\beta \wedge \gamma)) \rightarrow ((\alpha \vee \beta) \wedge (\alpha \vee \gamma))$

$$A \wedge B$$

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$$A, B$$

$$P \Rightarrow Q$$

$$\neg P \vee Q$$

$$(A \vee B) \Rightarrow \neg(B \vee C)$$

$$\neg(A \vee B) \vee \neg(B \vee C)$$

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

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

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

$$(\neg A \vee \neg B), (\neg A \vee \neg C), \neg B, (\neg B \vee \neg C)$$

Inference Using Resolution

- Convert sentences (KB) to CNF (set of clauses)
- Apply resolution inference rule to pairs of clauses with complementary literals
- Add resulting clause to set of clauses
- Until...

Proof by Contradiction

- $\alpha \models \beta$ if and only if $(\alpha \wedge \neg\beta)$ is unsatisfiable
- If negation of goal is inconsistent with our knowledge
- Then the goal itself is entailed by our knowledge

Resolution Refutation

- Convert $(KB \wedge \neg\beta)$ to CNF
- Apply resolution rule until:
 - No new clauses can be added
 - $KB \not\models \beta$
 - Two clauses resolve to yield the empty clause (contradiction)

$$KB \models \beta$$

1. *Flu* \Rightarrow *Sneezing*
2. *Cold* \Rightarrow *Congested*
3. *Congested* \Rightarrow *Coughing*

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2. $Cold \Rightarrow Congested$
3. $Congested \Rightarrow Coughing$
4. $Flu \vee Cold$
5. $\neg Sneezing$

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To prove: $Coughing$

1. $Flu \Rightarrow Sneezing$ $\neg Flu \vee Sneezing$
2. $Cold \Rightarrow Congested$ $\neg Cold \vee Congested$
3. $Congested \Rightarrow Coughing$ $\neg Congested \vee Coughing$
4. $Flu \vee Cold$ $Flu \vee Cold$
5. $\neg Sneezing$ $\neg Sneezing$

To prove: $Coughing$

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2. $\neg Cold \vee Congested$
3. $\neg Congested \vee Coughing$
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1 & 4: 7. $Cold \vee Sneezing$

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1 & 4: 7. $Cold \vee Sneezing$

7 & 5: 8. $Cold$

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7 & 5: 8. $Cold$

2 & 3: 9. $\neg Cold \vee Coughing$

9 & 6: 10. $\neg Cold$

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Unsatisfiable

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Proven: *Coughing*

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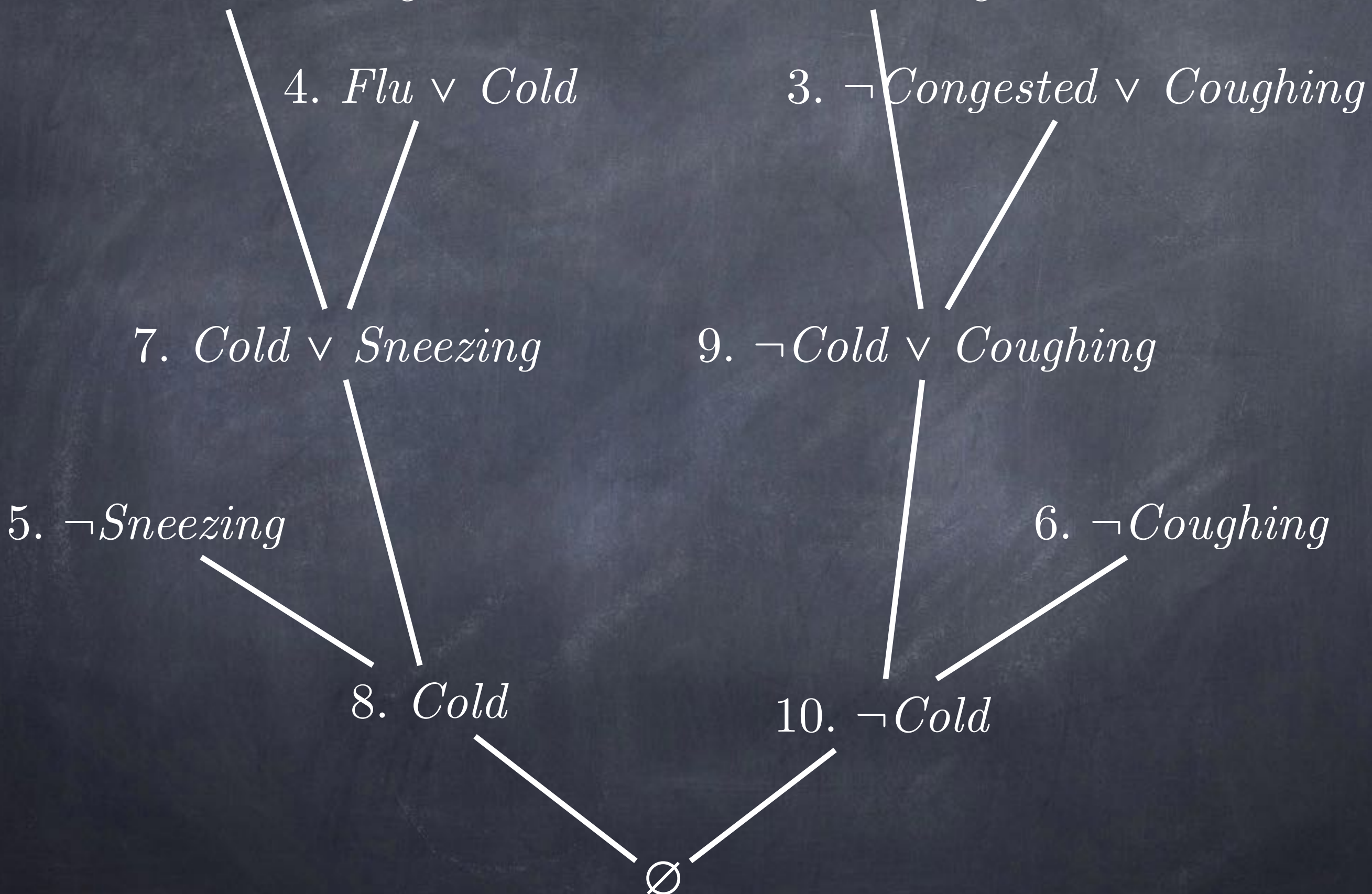
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Propositional Inference

- Entailment: $\alpha \models \beta$
- Model Checking
 - Intractable (but see AIMA 7.6)
- Inference rules: Soundness, Completeness
- Proof: $\alpha \vdash \beta$
 - Searching for proofs is an alternative to enumerating models
 - May be faster in practice
- Resolution is a sound and complete inference rule
 - Works on clauses (CNF); requires refutation

For next time:

AIMA 8.0–8.3;
8.1.1–8.1.2 fyi