flea bit(e)s and pieces

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Hofstadter's Law: It always takes longer than you expect, even when you take into account Hofstadter's Law.

— Douglas Hofstadter, Gödel, Escher, Bach: An Eternal Golden Braid

Previously

2 Implementation

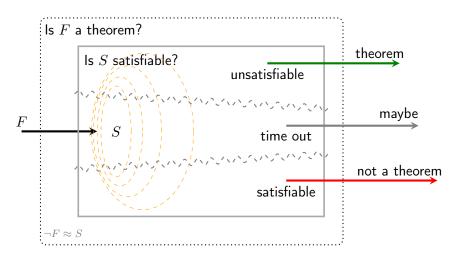
3 Equality

4 work to do

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Goal



Definition (Ordered Resolution)

$$\frac{L \vee C \quad \neg L' \vee D}{(C \vee D)\sigma}$$

where

 $L\sigma$ strictly maximal in $C\sigma$, $\neg L'\sigma$ maximal in $D\sigma$, $\sigma = \text{mgu}(L, L')$.

Definition (Inst-Gen)

$$\frac{L \vee C \quad \neg L' \vee D}{(L \vee C)\sigma \quad (\neg L' \vee D)\sigma}$$

where

$$\operatorname{sel}(L \vee C) = L$$
 $\operatorname{sel}(\neg L' \vee D) = \neg L'$ $\sigma = \operatorname{mgu}(L, L')$

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$$\frac{\mathsf{P}(x) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(y) \quad \neg \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a})}{\frac{\neg \mathsf{P}(y) \quad \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b})}{\Box} \ y \mapsto \mathsf{b}} \ x \mapsto \mathsf{a}$$

Example (Inst-Gen)

$$\frac{\mathsf{P}(x) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(y)) \quad \neg \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a})}{\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(y)} \ x \mapsto \mathsf{a}$$

$$S_1 \bot \supseteq \{\neg \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}), \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b}), \frac{\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(\bot)\}}{\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(y)} \ y \mapsto \mathsf{b}$$

$$\frac{\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b}) \quad \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}) \vee \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b})}{\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}) \vee \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b})} \ y \mapsto \mathsf{b}$$

$$S_2 \bot \supseteq \{\neg \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}), \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b}), \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b})\}$$

 $S_0 \perp = \{ \mathsf{P}(\perp) \vee \neg \mathsf{P}(\perp), \neg \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a}), \mathsf{P}(\mathsf{b}) \}$

satisfiable

satisfiable

unsatisfiable

Subsumption

$$S = \{C, D, \ldots\} \qquad \exists \theta \ C\theta \subseteq D \qquad \qquad \mathsf{C} \ \mathsf{subsumes} \ \mathsf{D}$$

$$S \ \mathsf{satisfiable} \iff (S \setminus D) \ \mathsf{satisfiable}$$

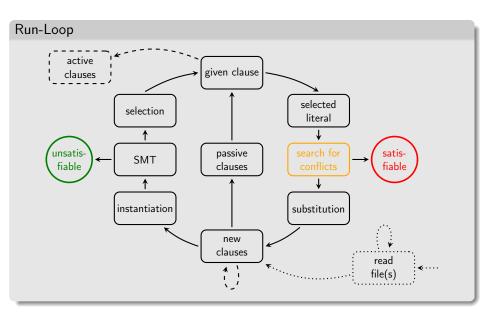
$$\theta \ \mathsf{is} \ \mathsf{proper}, \ S \bot \ \mathsf{satisfiable} \iff (S \setminus D) \bot \ \mathsf{satisfiable}$$

$$\theta \ \mathsf{is} \ \mathsf{renaming}, \ S \bot \ \mathsf{satisfiable} \iff (S \setminus D) \bot \ \mathsf{satisfiable}$$

Example

$$\begin{aligned} \{\mathsf{P}(x,y),\neg\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a},z)\} & \quad \{\mathsf{P}(x,y),\neg\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a},z),\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a},z)\} \\ \{\mathsf{P}(\bot,\bot),\neg\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a},\bot)\} & \quad \{\mathsf{P}(\bot,\bot),\neg\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a},\bot), \textcolor{red}{\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{a},\bot)}\} \end{aligned}$$

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func application(symbol:String, args:[term_t], tau:type_t) -> term_t {
  guard args.count > 0 else { return constant(symbol, tau) }
  let domain = [type_t](count:count, repeatedValue: free_tau)
  let f = function(symbol, domain:domain(args.count, tau:Yices.free_tau),
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range: term_tau)

- Path indices of selected literals for clauses to find clashing literals
- Discrimination trees of literals for clauses to find variants of clauses

- migrate to Linux / Swift 3
- integrate unit superposition
- integrate ordered maximal completion
- experiments
- optimizations

