KRR: Language Quick Reference.

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Introduction

The grammar (EBNF rules), operator precedence and operator associativity are specified for five languages. In ENBF, the *non-terminals are in italics font*, the terminals are in blue monospace font, and the meta characters are:

1 First Order Logic

1.1 Grammar

```
1: program \rightarrow \langle sentence \rangle *
 2: sentence \rightarrow formula.
 3: formula \rightarrow \texttt{true} \mid \texttt{false}
                | term cOP term
                                                 ▷ comparison
 4:
                  NAME ( terms )
                                                    ▷ predicate
 5:
                  forall vars formula
 6:
 7:
                   exists vars formula
                  { formula }
                   (formula)
 9:
                  \langle \sim | \text{not} \rangle \text{ formula}
10:
                  formula bOP formula
11:
12: vars \rightarrow VARIABLE \langle , VARIABLE \rangle *
13: terms \rightarrow term \langle , term \rangle *
14: term \rightarrow expr \mid list
                                                          ⊳ term
15: expr \rightarrow INTEGER \mid FLOAT
                                               ▷ numeric term
              STRING
                                              ▷ constant term
16:
17:
              CONSTANT
                                              ▷ constant term
              NAME ( \langle terms \rangle?)
18:
                                              ▶ function term
              VARIABLE
                                               ▷ variable term
19:
              ( expr)
20:
                                                          ⊳ term
              - expr
                                              ▷ negative term
21:
              expr aOP expr
                                           ▷ arithmetic term
23: list \rightarrow []
                                                       ⊳ nil list
         | [term | \langle VARIABLE | list \rangle]
                                                            ⊳ list
24:
25: cOP \rightarrow lt \mid eq \mid ge \mid gt \mid ne
                                                 ▷ comparison
26:
              < | = | >= | > | !=
27:
              le
28: bOP \rightarrow iff \mid \langle = \rangle
                                      ▶ boolean connectives
            | implies | => | impliedby | <=
29:
            | and | && | & | or | | | |
31: aOP \rightarrow * | / | % | + | -
```

1.2 Symbols

Keywords: forall, exists, iff, implies, impliedby, lt, le, eq, ge, gt, ne, true, false, not.

User defined symbols:

Symbol	Syntax	Example
NAME	[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	likes, age
CONSTANT	$[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*$	anna, elsa
STRING	· · ·	'WALL-E'
VARIABLE	[A-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	X, Y, Z

1.3 Operators

Listed from highest to lowest precedence and ones with equal precedence are grouped together.

Arity	Operators	Assoc.
unary	-	right
binary	*, /, %	left
binary	+, -	left
binary	<, =, >=, >, !=, <>, lt, le, eq, ge, gt, ne	N/A
unary	\sim , not, forall, exists	right
binary	and, &&, &	left
binary	or, ,	left
binary	<pre>implies, =>, impliedby, <=</pre>	right
binary	iff, <=>	right

1.4 Example

```
# This is a line comment

forall X ( man(X) implies mortal(X) ).

forall X ( man(X) => mortal(X) ).

forall X ( mortal(X) impliedby man(X) ).

forall X ( mortal(X) <= man(X) ).

exists X ( p(X) and q(x) && r(X) & t(X) ) .

exists X ( p(X) or q(x) || r(X) || t(X) ) .

forall X,Y,Z ( p(X,Y) & p(Y,Z) => p(X,Z) ).

forall X,Y,Z ( p(X,Y) & p(Y,X) => X = Y ).

forall X,Y ( p(A,Y) => p(X,b) ).

forall A,B,C { append(A,B,C) & C=B <= A=[] }.

forall X,A,B,C {
    append([X|A],B,[X|C]) <= append(A,B,C)</pre>
```

}.

2 Horn Clauses

Horn clause syntax is borrowed from SWI Prolog, but with some differences. We added some operators for convenience, and the queries are expressed using "?".

The syntax is so similar that it is easy to convert horn clause programs into SWI Prolog programs.

2.1 Grammar

```
1: program \rightarrow \langle hornClause \rangle *
 2: hornClause \rightarrow predicate := body.
                                                            ⊳ rule
                       predicate.
                                                            ⊳ fact
 3:
                        predicate?
                                                          ▶ query
 4:
 5: predicate \rightarrow NAME (terms)
 6: body \rightarrow subgoal \langle , subgoal \rangle *
 7: subgoal \rightarrow !
                                                 ▷ cut operator
                literal
 8:
                | \langle \sim | \text{not} | \rangle literal
 9:
10: literal \rightarrow \texttt{true} \mid \texttt{false}
              | term cOP term
                                                  ▷ comparison
11:
                predicate
12:
              | (literal)
13.
14: terms \rightarrow term \langle , term \rangle *
15: term \rightarrow expr \mid list
16: expr \rightarrow INTEGER \mid FLOAT
                                               ▶ numeric term
17:
              STRING
                                               ▷ constant term
               CONSTANT
                                               ▷ constant term
18:
              NAME ( \langle terms \rangle?)
                                               ▷ function term
19:
              VARIABLE
                                                ▷ variable term
20:
                                                           ⊳ term
               (expr)
21:
22:
               - expr
                                               ▷ negative term
               expr aOP expr
                                             ▷ arithmetic term
23:
24: list \rightarrow []
                                                         ⊳ nil list
         | [ term | \langle VARIABLE | list \rangle ]
                                                             ⊳ list
25:
26: cOP \rightarrow lt \mid le \mid eq \mid ge \mid gt \mid ne
           | < | <= | = | >= | > | !=
28: aOP \to * | / | % | + | -
```

2.2 Symbols

Keywords: lt, le, eq, ge, gt, ne, true, false, not.

User defined symbols:

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NAME	[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	likes, age
CONSTANT	[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	anna, elsa
STRING	, ,	'WALL-E'
VARIABLE	[A-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	A, B, X, Y

2.3 Operators

Listed from highest to lowest precedence and ones with equal precedence are grouped together.

Arity	Operators	Assoc.
unary	-	right
binary	*, /, %	left
binary	+, -	left
binary	<, <=, =, >=, >, !=, <>, lt, le, eq, ge, gt, ne	N/A
unary	\sim , not, \+	right

2.4 Example

```
# This is a line comment
### append(A,B,C) computes C = A + B.
append([], B, B).
append([X|A], B, [X|C]) :- append(A, B, C).
append([1|[2|[]]],[3|[4|[]]],C)?
parent(P,X)
                     :- mother(P,X).
parent(P,X)
                     :- father(P,X).
grandparent(G,X)
                     :- parent(G,P), parent(P,X).
                     : - X ! = Y,
cousin(X,Y)
                       not sibling(X,Y),
                        grandparent(Z,X),
                        grandparent(Z,Y).
americanCousin(X,Y) :- cousin(X,Y), !,
                       american(X).
composite(N) := N > 1, ~ prime(N).
composite(N) :- N > 1, \ + prime(N).
composite(N) :- N > 1, not (prime(N)).
```

3 Production Systems

The working-memory-elements (WMEs) and rules follow the syntax given in "Knowledge Representation and Reasoning" by Brachman and Levesque. In addition, it allows insert as an alias for add action.

3.1 Grammar

```
1: program \rightarrow \langle rule \mid wme \rangle *
 2: rule \rightarrow if \langle condition \rangle + then \langle action \rangle +
 3: condition \rightarrow wme \mid -wme
 4: action \rightarrow \langle add \mid insert \rangle wme
               remove INTEGER
 5:
               modify INTEGER (ATTRIBUTE spec)
 7: wme \rightarrow (TYPE \langle attrSpec \rangle *)
 8: attrSpec \rightarrow ATTRIBUTE : spec
 9: spec \rightarrow atom
            | \{ testExpr \}
10:
            [ evalExpr]
11:
12: testExpr \rightarrow \texttt{true} \mid \texttt{false}
13:
                  \mid atom \ cOP
                                                     ▷ comparison
                     cOP atom
                                                     ▷ comparison
14:
                     [ evalExpr ] cOP
                                                     ▷ comparison
15:
                     cOP [ evalExpr ]
                                                     ▷ comparison
16:
                  | ( testExpr )
17:
                     \langle \sim | \text{not} \rangle \text{ } testExpr
18:
                     testExpr bOP testExpr
19:
    evalExpr \rightarrow atom
20:
                   ( evalExpr)
21:
22:
                     - evalExpr
                     evalExpr aOP evalExpr
23:
24: atom \rightarrow \texttt{true} \mid \texttt{false}
25:
              | INTEGER | FLOAT
                STRING
                                              ⊳ constant: 'John'
26:
                                                 ⊳ constant: john
                CONSTANT
27.
                VARIABLE
                                                 ▷ variable: X, Y
28:
29: cOP \rightarrow \langle | \langle = | = | \rangle = | \rangle | != | \langle \rangle
30: bOP \rightarrow \text{or} \mid \mid \mid \mid \mid \mid \text{and} \mid \&\& \mid \&
31: aOP \to * | / | % | + | -
```

3.2 Symbols

Keywords: if, then, add, insert, remove, modify, true, false, not, or, and.

User defined symbols:

Symbol	Syntax	Example
TYPE	[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	car, bus
ATTRIBUTE	$[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_{-}]*$	hue, size
CONSTANT	[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	red, big
STRING	· ·	'WALL-E'
VARIABLE	$[A-Z][A-Za-z0-9_{-}]*$	A, X, Y

3.3 Operators

Listed from highest to lowest precedence and ones with equal precedence are grouped together.

Arity	Operators	Assoc.
unary	-	right
binary	*, /, %	left
binary	+, -	left
binary	<, <=, =, >=, >, !=, <>	N/A
unary	\sim , not	right
binary	and, &&, &	left
binary	or, ,	left

```
Example
3.4
# This is a line comment
### WORKING MEMORY ELEMENTS (WMEs)
(counter value: 1)
(brick name: 'A'
                   size: 10
                             position: heap)
(brick name: 'B'
                   size: 30
                             position: heap)
(brick name: 'C'
                   size: 20
                             position: heap)
### RULES
IF (brick position: heap name: N size: S)
  -(brick position: heap size: {> S})
  -(brick position: hand)
THEN
  MODIFY 1 (position hand)
IF (brick position: hand)
   (counter value: I)
THEN
  MODIFY 1 (position I)
  MODIFY 2 (value [I + 1])
```

4 Description Logic: \mathcal{DL}

This is an implementation of the description logic language \mathcal{DL} from "Knowledge Representation and Reasoning" by Brachman and Levesque.

4.1 Grammar

```
1: program \rightarrow \langle sentence \rangle *
 2: sentence \rightarrow (concept bOP concept)
                 ( constantList -> concept )
 3:
 4:\ concept \to {\tt NAME}
                                             ▶ atomic concept
                [ fills role constant ]
 5:
                [ all role concept ]
 6:
                  [ exists INTEGER role ]
 7:
                [ and concept concept+ ]
 9: role \rightarrow : NAME
10: constantList \rightarrow constant \langle , constant \rangle *
11: constant \rightarrow INTEGER \mid FLOAT
                 STRING
12:
                    CONSTANT
13:
                    ( constant )
14:
                    - constant
15:
                    constant aOP constant
16:
17: bOP \rightarrow \texttt{isa} \mid \texttt{<<}
                                                        \triangleright A \sqsubseteq B
            subsumes >>
                                                        \triangleright A \sqsupseteq B
18:
            | equivalentto | ==
                                                        \triangleright A \doteq B
19:
20: aOP \to * | / | % | + | -
```

4.2 Symbols

Keywords: fills, all, exists, and, isa, subsumes, equivalentto.

User defined symbols:

Symbol	Syntax	Example
NAME	[A-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	Man, Mortal
CONSTANT	[a-z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	anna, elsa
STRING	· ·	'WALL-E'

4.3 Operators

Listed from highest to lowest precedence and ones with equal precedence are grouped together.

Arity	Operators	Assoc.
unary	-	right
binary	*, /, %	left
binary	+, -	left
binary	is, isa, <<, subsumes,	N/A
	>>, equivalentto, ==	

4.4 Example

5 Subset of OWL 2

This is a subset of OWL 2, it follows OWL Manchester Syntax¹ from "OWL 2 Web Ontology Language Manchester Syntax (Second Edition) 11 Dec. 2012"².

In this grammar³, the meta rule xyzLIST denotes a comma separated sequence of one or more xyz values, and similarly, xyz2LIST denotes two or more values.

5.1 Grammar

```
1: kb \rightarrow \langle frame \rangle *
 2: frame \rightarrow classFrame
          roleFrame
 3:
          individual Frame \\
 4:
          EquivalentClasses: description2LIST
 5:
          DisjointClasses: description2LIST
 6:
          EquivalentProperties: role2LIST
 7:
          DisjointProperties: role2LIST
 8:
 9:
          SameIndividual: individual2LIST
          {\tt DifferentIndividuals:}\ individual 2LIST
10:
11: classFrame \rightarrow Class: NAME
          SubClassOf: descriptionLIST
12:
13:
          EquivalentTo: descriptionLIST
          DisjointWith: descriptionLIST
14:
          DisjointUnionOf: description2LIST
15:
      \*
16:
17: roleFrame \rightarrow \texttt{ObjectProperty: NAME}
          Domain: descriptionLIST
18:
          Range: descriptionLIST
19:
          {\tt CharacteristicLIST}
20:
          {\tt SubPropertyOf:}\ roleExprLIST
21 \cdot
          EquivalentTo: roleExprLIST
22:
          DisjointWith: roleExprLIST
23:
          InverseOf: roleExprLIST
24:
          SubPropertyChain: roleChain
25:
26:
27: roleExpr \rightarrow ROLE \mid inverse ROLE
   roleChain \rightarrow roleExpr \langle o roleExpr \rangle +
   characteristic \rightarrow \texttt{Functional}
29:
30:
                      InverseFunctional
31:
                      Reflexive
                      Irreflexive
32:
33:
                      Symmetric
                      Asymmetric
34:
35.
                      Transitive
```

```
36: individualFrame \rightarrow Individual: NAME
37:
            Types: descriptionLIST
            Facts: factLIST
38:
39:
            SameAs: individualLIST
            {\tt DifferentFrom:}\ individual LIST
40:
41:
42: fact \rightarrow ROLE INDIVIDUAL
         not ROLE INDIVIDUAL
44: description \rightarrow \texttt{CONCEPT}
            roleExpr only description
45:
            roleExpr some description
46:
            roleExpr value description
47:
            roleExpr min INTEGER description
48:
            roleExpr max INTEGER description
49:
50:
            roleExpr exactly INTEGER description
51:
            not description
            ( description )
52:
53:
            description and description
            description or description
54:
```

5.2 Symbols

OWL Manchester Syntax uses case sensitive
keywords: not, and, or, inverse, only, some, min,
max, exactly, value, o, Functional,
InverseFunctional, Reflexive, Irreflexive,
Symmetric, Asymmetric, Transitive, Prefix:,
Ontology:, Class:, SubClassOf:, EquivalentTo:,
DisjointWith:, DisjointUnionOf:,
ObjectProperty:, Characteristics:, Domain:,
Range:, SubPropertyOf:, InverseOf:,
SubPropertyChain:, Individual:, Types:,
Facts:, SameAs:, DifferentFrom:,
EquivalentClasses:, DisjointClasses:,
EquivalentProperties:, DisjointProperties:,
SameIndividual:, DifferentIndividuals:

User defined symbols:

Symbol	Syntax	Example
NAME	[a-zA-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	owns, Car
CONCEPT	[a-zA-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	Car, Bus
ROLE	[a-zA-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	owns, eats
INDIVIDUAL	[a-zA-Z][A-Za-z0-9_]*	lucy, jack

5.3 Operators

Operators from highest to lowest precedence.

Arity	Operators	Assoc.
unary	not	N/A
binary	and	left
binary	or	left

¹With suitable Prefix: and Ontology: entries, these files can be opened in Protege ontology management tool.

²https://www.w3.org/TR/owl2-manchester-syntax/

³A frame is a block of statements, it differs from Frames discussed in Brachman and Levesque, but has similar syntax.

5.4 Example

This is a line comment

Class: Person

SubClassOf: eats some Fruit

EquivalentTo: Human
DisjointWith: Fruit, Meat
DisjointUnionOf: Man, Woman

Class: TOAD

EquivalentTo: Teen and owns some Apple

SubClassOf: Happy

ObjectProperty: hasChild

Domain: Person Range: Person

InverseOf: hasParent

ObjectProperty: hasSibling Characteristics: Symmetric

Domain: Person Range: Person

ObjectProperty: hasBrother

Domain: Person Range: Man

SubPropertyOf: hasSibling

ObjectProperty: hasSister

Domain: Person Range: Woman

SubPropertyOf: hasSibling

Individual: Lucy

Types: Woman, hasChild only Woman

Facts: hasHusband Manny, not owns Car157

SameAs: SmartLucy

DifferentFrom: Manny, Car157

EquivalentClasses: Dead, not Alive DisjointClasses: Fruit, Meat

EquivalentProperties: owns, hasOwnershipOf DisjointProperties: hasBrother, hasSister

SameIndividual: Manny, LazyManny

DifferentIndividuals: Manny, Diego, Sid, Lucy

5.5 Note

We have implemented a subset of OWL 2, this subset is a superset of \mathcal{ALC} , for example, this subset supports min and max cardinality restrictions, inverse roles, etc., that are not supported in \mathcal{ALC} . Therefore, while testing \mathcal{ALC} Tableau use only \mathcal{ALC} constructors and statements discussed in the lecture.

5.6 \mathcal{ALC} Examples

Persons who do not own a car.

Person $\sqcap \neg \exists owns.Car$

Person and not (owns some Car)

Those who do not travel by bus or train.

 $\neg \exists travelsBy.(Bus \sqcup Car)$

not (travelsBy some (Bus or Train))

 $\forall travelsBy. \neg (Bus \sqcup Car)$

travelsBy only not (Bus or Train)

Owns a thing that has battery.

∃owns.(∃hasPart.Battery)

owns some (hasPart some Battery)

Those with friends who own only electric cars.

 \exists hasFriend.(\forall owns.(Electric \sqcap Car))

hasFriend some (owns only (Electric and Car))

Lucy is a mother and an engineer, she works for Acme Co. Her brother Jack is a doctor and he owns a car.

Mother(Lucy), Engineer(Lucy),

worksFor(Lucy, AcmeCo), hasBrother(Lucy, Jack),

Doctor(Jack), (∃owns.Car)(Jack)

Individual: Lucy

Types: Mother, Engineer

Facts: worksFor AcmeCo, hasBrother Jack

Individual: Jack

Types: Doctor, owns some Car

Domain of hasBrother is Person and range is Man.

 $\exists hasBrother. \top \sqsubseteq Person$ (domain axiom)

 $\top \sqsubseteq \forall \text{hasBrother.Man}$ (range axiom)

ObjectProperty: hasBrother

Domain: Person Range: Man