

## 1 Definitions

### Definition 1 (Formula).

- $\emptyset$  is a *formula*
- $T \in D$ , where  $T$  is a variable, a ground term or an arithmetic term, and  $D$  is a set of ground terms, is a *formula*,
- $t_1 \diamond t_2$ , where  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are terms and  $\diamond \in \{=, \neq, <, \leq\}$ , is a *formula*, and
- if  $A$  and  $B$  are formulas then  $(A \wedge B)$ ,  $(A \vee B)$ , and  $\neg A$  are *formulas*.

### Definition 2 (Empty Formula).

- $\emptyset$  is an empty formula
- if  $A$  and  $B$  are empty formulas then  $(A \wedge B)$ ,  $(A \vee B)$ , and  $\neg A$  are empty formulas.

In what follows any empty formula is interpreted as **false**.

### Definition 3 (Primitive Formula).

- $T \in D$ , where  $T$  is a variable, a ground term or an arithmetic term, and  $D$  is a set of ground terms, is a *primitive formula*,
- $t_1 \diamond t_2$ , where  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are terms and  $\diamond \in \{=, \neq, <, \leq\}$ , is a *primitive formula*, and
- if  $A$  and  $B$  are formulas then  $\neg A$  is a *primitive formula*.

### Definition 4 (Primitive Conjunction).

A formula  $\mathcal{F}$  is a *primitive conjunction* if it is of the form  $G_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge G_n$ , where  $G_1, \dots, G_n$  are primitive formulas.

### Definition 5 (Arithmetic Variable).

A variable  $X$  occurring in a primitive conjunction  $\mathcal{C} = G_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge G_n$  is called arithmetic with respect to  $\mathcal{C}$  if one of the following conditions holds:

- $X$  occurs in an arithmetic term containing at least one arithmetic operation.
- one of  $G_i$  is of the form  $X \in D$ , where  $D$  is a range of natural numbers.
- one of  $G_i$  is of the form  $X \diamond Y$  or  $Y \diamond X$ , where  $Y$  is an arithmetic variable and  $\diamond \in \{<, <, \leq, =\}$ .

**Definition 6 (Arithmetic Term).** A term  $t$  occurring in a primitive conjunction  $\mathcal{C} = G_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge G_n$  is called *arithmetic* with respect to  $\mathcal{C}$  if one of the following conditions holds:

1.  $t$  is a number
2.  $t$  contains an arithmetic operation ('+', '-', or '\*').
3.  $t$  is not a record and all variables in  $t$  are arithmetic with respect to  $\mathcal{C}$

**Definition 7 (Primitive Arithmetic Constraint).** A primitive constraint  $G$  occurring in a primitive conjunction  $\mathcal{C} = G_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge G_n$  is called *arithmetic* with respect to  $\mathcal{C}$  if one of the following conditions holds:

- $G$  is of the form  $T \in D$ , where  $T$  is an arithmetic term with respect to  $\mathcal{C}$  and  $D$  is of the form  $n1..n2$ .
- $G$  is of the form  $t_1 \diamond t_2$ , where both  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are arithmetic terms with respect to  $\mathcal{C}$ .

## 2 Algorithms

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**Algorithm 1:** ExpandSolve
 

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**Input:** Formulas  $\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{C}$ , such that  $\mathcal{F} \wedge \mathcal{TODO} \wedge \mathcal{C}$  is non-empty

**Output:** **True** if  $\mathcal{F} \wedge \mathcal{TODO} \wedge \mathcal{C}$  is satisfiable and **false** otherwise

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1 if  $\mathcal{F} = \emptyset$  then
2   if  $\mathcal{TODO} = \emptyset$  then
3     return Solve(Simplify( $\mathcal{C}$ ), maxint)
4   else
5     Let  $\mathcal{TODO}$  be  $G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n$ 
6     return ExpandSolve( $G_1, G_2 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n, \mathcal{C}$ )
7 else if  $\mathcal{F} = \neg(A \wedge B)$  then
8   return ExpandSolve( $\neg A \vee \neg B, \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{C}$ )
9 else if  $\mathcal{F} = \neg(A \vee B)$  then
10  return ExpandSolve( $\neg A \wedge \neg B, \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{C}$ )
11 else if  $\mathcal{F} = A \vee B$  then
12   if ExpandSolve( $A, \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{C}$ ) =false then
13     return ExpandSolve( $B, \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{C}$ )
14   else
15     return true
16 else if  $\mathcal{F} = A \wedge B$  then
17   return ExpandSolve( $A, B \wedge \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{C}$ )
18 else
19   return ExpandSolve( $\emptyset, \mathcal{TODO}, \mathcal{F} \wedge \mathcal{C}$ )
20 return true

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**Algorithm 2:** Simplify
 

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**Input:** Primitive conjunction  $G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n$ , the upper limit for natural numbers

**Output:** Primitive conjunction  $G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_m$  after simplification

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1  $\mathcal{C} := G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n$ 
2 foreach  $G_i$  in  $G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n$  do
3   if  $G_i$  is of the form  $T \in D$ , and  $T$  is a ground term then
4     if  $T$  is in  $D$  then
5        $\lfloor$  Remove  $G_i$  from  $\mathcal{C}$ 
6     else
7        $\lfloor$  return false
8   if  $G_i$  is of the form  $X \in D$ ,  $X$  is an arithmetic variable in  $\mathcal{C}$ , and  $D$  does not
   contain a number then
9      $\lfloor$  return false
10  if  $G_i$  is of the form  $T \in D$ ,  $T$  is an arithmetic term with at least one operation,
   and  $D$  does not contain a number then
11     $\lfloor$  return false
12  if  $G_i$  is of the form  $t_1 \diamond t_2$  and both  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are ground terms then
13    Let  $G'_i$  be obtained from  $G_i$  where  $<, \leq$  replaced with  $\prec, \preceq$  respectively.
    if  $G'_i$  is true then
14       $\lfloor$  Remove  $G_i$  from  $\mathcal{C}$ 
15    else
16       $\lfloor$  return false
17  if  $G_i$  is of the form  $t_1 \diamond t_2$ , where one of  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  is an arithmetic term with at
   least one operation, number, arithmetic variable; and another one is a
   symbolic term (a string constant or a term built from a functional symbol), and
   diamond is either  $=, <, \leq, \prec, \preceq$  then
18     $\lfloor$  return false
19  return  $\mathcal{C}$ 

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**Algorithm 3:** Split
 

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**Input:** A clingcon rule of the form  $r(X_1, \dots, X_n) : -BODY$

**Output:** A collection of clingcon rules  $R$

- 1 Let  $BODY$  be  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m$ . Let  $\mathcal{G}$  be undirected graph with  $m$  nodes  $N_1, \dots, N_m$ , such that there is an edge between  $N_i$  and  $N_j$  iff atoms  $A_i$  and  $A_j$  share a common variable. Let  $C_1, \dots, C_k$  be connected components of  $\mathcal{G}$ .
  - 2  $R := \emptyset$
  - 3 **foreach** *connected component*  $C_i$  **in**  $C_1, \dots, C_k$  **do**
  - 4     Let  $C_i$  consists of nodes  $N_{i_1}, \dots, N_{i_t}$ . Let  $X_1, \dots, X_p$  be all variables in  $A_{i_1}, \dots, A_{i_t}$ .
  - 5      $R := R \cup r_i : -A_{i_1}, \dots, A_{i_t}$
  - 6  $R := R \cup r : -r_1, \dots, r_k$ .
  - 7  $R := R \cup -not\ r$ .
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**Algorithm 4:** Solve
 

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**Input:** Primitive conjunction  $G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n$ , the upper limit for natural numbers  $maxint$ .

**Output:** **true** if  $G_1 \wedge \dots \wedge G_n$  is satisfiable and **false** otherwise.

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/* Build rules for arithmetic constraints */
1  $\Pi_{prolog} := -use\_module(library(clpfd)).$ 
2  $BODY := \mathbf{true}$ 
3 foreach primitive arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $t_1 \diamond t_2$  do
4   Replace  $<, =, ! =, < =$  with  $\# <, \# =, \# =, \# = <$  respectively
5    $BODY := BODY \wedge G_i$ 
6 foreach primitive arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $(t \in D)$ , where  $D$  is of the form  $[n1..n2]$  do
7    $BODY := BODY \wedge t \text{ in } n1..n2$ 
8 foreach primitive arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $\neg(t \in D)$ , where  $D$  is of the form  $[n1..n2]$ , and  $g_i$  is an unique label for  $G_i$  do
9    $\Pi_{prolog} := \Pi_{prolog} \cup g_i(t) : -n\# > n2. \cup g_i(t) : -n\# < n2.$ 
10   $BODY := BODY \wedge g_i(t)$ 
11 foreach primitive arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $(t \in D)$  and  $\neg(t \in D)$ , where  $D$  is not of the form  $[n1..n2]$  do
12   Remove all symbolic terms from  $D$ 
13   Add the following rule to  $\Pi_{prolog}$ : ( $d$  is an unique label for  $D$ )
14    $set\_d(X) :- member(X, [t1, \dots, tn]).$ 
15 foreach primitive non-arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $\neg(t \in D)$ : do
16    $BODY := BODY \wedge not\ set\_d(t)$ 
17 foreach primitive non-arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $t \in D$ : do
18    $BODY := BODY \wedge set\_d(t)$ 
19 foreach primitive non-arithmetic  $G_i$  of the form  $t_1 \diamond t_2$ : do
20    $BODY := BODY \wedge G_i$ 
21 foreach arithmetic variable  $X$  in  $BODY$  do
22    $BODY := integer(X) \wedge BODY$ 
23 Let  $Y_1, \dots, Y_n$  be the set of all variables in  $BODY$ 
24  $\mathcal{R} := p : -BODY$ 
25  $\Pi_{prolog} := \Pi_{prolog} \cup \mathcal{R}$ 
26 if  $\Pi_{prolog}$  outputs 'yes' for query  $?-p$  then
27   return true
28 else
29   return false

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