



Informatics 1A

Computation and Logic 9

DPLL (an idea)

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searching
for satisfaction



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-- Predicates: isGreen isBig isMortal isSocrates ...
Pred u :: u -> Bool

-- a universe of things
things :: [Thing]

-- a ⊨ b every a satisfies b
(|=) :: Pred Thing -> Pred Thing -> Bool
a |= b = and[ b x | x <- things, a x ]

-- logical operations on predicates
neg    :: Pred u -> Pred u
(&:&)  :: Pred u -> Pred u -> Pred u
(|:|)  :: Pred u -> Pred u -> Pred u
neg p  = (\x -> not(p x))
p &:& q = (\x -> p x && q x)
p |:| q = (\x -> p x || q x)

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$$a \models b \quad a \models \neg b \quad a \not\models \neg b \quad a \not\models b$$

If a, b are predicates in some universe, $a \models b$ iff every a satisfies b ;
in this case we say the statement $a \models b$ is **valid**;
otherwise, the statement $a \models b$ is **invalid**, and the statement $a \not\models b$ is valid.
We interpret $a \not\models b$ as *some a is not b* .

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| $\frac{m \models p \quad s \models m}{s \models p}$ <i>barbara</i> | $\frac{p \models m \quad s \not\models m}{s \not\models p}$ <i>baroco</i> | $\frac{m \not\models p \quad m \models s}{s \not\models p}$ <i>bocardo</i> |
| $\frac{m \models \neg p \quad s \models m}{s \models \neg p}$ <i>celarent</i> | $\frac{p \models \neg m \quad s \not\models \neg m}{s \not\models p}$ <i>festino</i> | $\frac{m \not\models \neg p \quad m \models s}{s \not\models \neg p}$ <i>disamis</i> |
| $\frac{p \models m \quad m \models \neg s}{s \models \neg p}$ <i>calenes</i> | $\frac{p \models \neg m \quad m \not\models \neg s}{s \not\models p}$ <i>fresison</i> | $\frac{p \not\models \neg m \quad m \models s}{s \not\models \neg p}$ <i>dimatis</i> |
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| $\frac{p \models m \quad s \models \neg m}{s \models \neg p}$ <i>camestres</i> | $\frac{m \models \neg p \quad m \not\models \neg s}{s \not\models p}$ <i>ferison</i> | $\frac{m \models p \quad s \not\models \neg m}{s \not\models \neg p}$ <i>darii</i> |

We extend the definition of \models to allow a finite set of predicates on either side of the turnstile

$$\Gamma \models \Delta$$

. We define validity for these *sequents* in terms of the relation given earlier for individual predicates.

$$\Gamma \models \Delta \quad \text{iff} \quad \bigwedge \Gamma \models \bigvee \Delta$$

Here, \bigwedge, \bigvee are the functions, **bigAnd** and **bigOr**, that give the conjunction and disjunction of a finite set of predicates. In Haskell,

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bigAnd gamma = (\x -> and[ g x | g <- gamma ])
bigOr  delta = (\x -> or [ d x | d <- delta ])
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If **things** is a list of every thing in the universe, we can define

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gamma |= delta = and[ or [ d x | d <- delta ]
                      | x <- things, and[ g x | g <- gamma ] ]
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every thing that satisfies all predicates $g \in \Gamma$ satisfies some predicate $d \in \Delta$.

- a, b are predicates in some universe;
 Γ, Δ are finite sets of predicates,
- Γ, a refers to $\Gamma \cup \{a\}$;
 b, Δ refers to $\{b\} \cup \Delta$.
- Each of these rules is sound in both directions: all of the statements above the inference lines are valid iff all of the statements below the lines are valid.

$$\overline{\Gamma, a \models \Delta, a} \quad (I)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, a, b \models \Delta}{\Gamma, a \wedge b \models \Delta} \quad (\wedge L) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \models a, b, \Delta}{\Gamma \models a \vee b, \Delta} \quad (\vee R)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \models \Delta}{\Gamma, a \vee b \models \Delta} \quad (\vee L) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta \quad \Gamma \models b, \Delta}{\Gamma \models a \wedge b, \Delta} \quad (\wedge R)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta}{\Gamma, \neg a \models \Delta} \quad (\neg L) \qquad \frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta}{\Gamma \models \neg a, \Delta} \quad (\neg R)$$

$$\frac{}{\Gamma, \perp \models \Delta} \quad (\perp L) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \models \Delta}{\Gamma \models \perp, \Delta} \quad (\perp R)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \models \Delta}{\Gamma, \top \models \Delta} \quad (\top L) \qquad \frac{}{\Gamma \models \top, \Delta} \quad (\top R)$$

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta}{\Gamma, a \wedge b \models \Delta} (\wedge L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \models \Delta}{\Gamma, a \vee b \models \Delta} (\vee L) \quad \frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta}{\Gamma, \neg a \models \Delta} (\neg L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \models \Delta}{\Gamma \models a \wedge b, \Delta} (\wedge R) \quad \frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta}{\Gamma \models \neg a, \Delta} (\neg R)}{\neg a, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c} \quad \frac{\frac{\frac{a, b \models c}{b, \models \neg a, c} \quad \frac{a, b \models c}{b, b \models \neg a, c}}{b, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c} \quad \frac{\neg a \vee b, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c}{(\neg a \vee b) \wedge (\neg c \vee b) \models \neg a \vee c} \quad \frac{\models \neg((\neg a \vee b) \wedge (\neg c \vee b)), (\neg a \vee c)}{\models \neg((\neg a \vee b) \wedge (\neg c \vee b)) \vee (\neg a \vee c)}$$

Our two inference trees
tell two different stories ...

$$\frac{\frac{p \models q, p}{\models \neg p, q, p} \quad \frac{p \models p}{\models \neg p \vee q, p}}{\models (\neg p \vee q) \wedge \neg p, p} \quad \frac{}{\models (\neg p \vee q) \wedge \neg p, p} \quad \frac{}{\models ((\neg p \vee q) \wedge \neg p) \vee p}$$

Every branch is
terminated by an
immediate rule.

The sequent we
started from is
valid in every
universe!

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{a, b \models c}{b, \models \neg a, c} \quad \frac{a, b \models c}{b, \models \neg a, c}}{\frac{b, \neg c \models \neg a, c}{\neg a, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c}} \quad \frac{\frac{\frac{a, b \models c}{b, \models \neg a, c}}{b, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c}}{\neg a \vee b, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c} \quad \frac{}{\neg a \vee b, \neg c \vee b \models \neg a, c} \quad \frac{}{(\neg a \vee b) \wedge (\neg c \vee b) \models \neg a \vee c} \quad \frac{}{\models \neg((\neg a \vee b) \wedge (\neg c \vee b)), (\neg a \vee c)}$$

$$\models \neg((\neg a \vee b) \wedge (\neg c \vee b)) \vee (\neg a \vee c)$$

Some branches lead to *leaves*,
sequences with only atoms,
in which no atom occurs on both
sides of the turnstile.

Our starting sequent is valid in
some universe U iff each of these
leaves is valid.

It is easy to construct a
counterexample to any one
of these leaves.

Reduction using Gentzen Rules

show universal validity, or
provide counterexamples

compute L/R rules for other connectives

derive boolean equations

convert to CNF

Magic!



Boolean Algebra

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| $x \vee (y \vee z) = (x \vee y) \vee z$ | $x \wedge (y \wedge z) = (x \wedge y) \wedge z$ | associative |
| $x \vee (y \wedge z) = (x \vee y) \wedge (x \vee z)$ | $x \wedge (y \vee z) = (x \wedge y) \vee (x \wedge z)$ | distributive |
| $x \vee y = y \vee x$ | $x \wedge y = y \wedge x$ | commutative |
| $x \vee 0 = x$ | $x \wedge 1 = x$ | identity |
| $x \vee 1 = 1$ | $x \wedge 0 = 0$ | annihilation |
| $x \vee x = x$ | $x \wedge x = x$ | idempotent |
| $x \vee \neg x = 1$ | $\neg x \wedge x = 0$ | complements |
| $x \vee (x \wedge y) = x$ | $x \wedge (x \vee y) = x$ | absorption |
| $\neg(x \vee y) = \neg x \wedge \neg y$ | $\neg(x \wedge y) = \neg x \vee \neg y$ | de Morgan |
| $\neg \neg x = x$ | $x \rightarrow y = \neg x \vee y$ | |

The equations above the gap define a Boolean algebra.

Those below the line follow from these.

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derive Boolean equations

$$\frac{?}{\vdash a \wedge \neg a}$$

It is easy to find a counterexample

$$\frac{\vdash a \quad \vdash \neg a}{\vdash a \wedge \neg a}$$

— but can we find an example?

Here we can easily see there is
no valuation
that makes both premises valid.

Other cases may not be so simple.

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| 5 | | | | | | | | |
| | 4 | | | | | | 2 | 6 |
| 3 | | | | 8 | | | | |
| | | | 1 | | | | 9 | |
| | 9 | 6 | | | | | | 4 |
| | | | | 7 | | 5 | | |
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a clause is a disjunction of literals
Or lits

a Form is a conjunction of clauses
And cs

a literal is N a or P a
where a is an atom

Does this sudoku problem
have a solution?

Can we find a solution?

We will produce a CNF
sudoku = And rs
that expresses the rules
and a CNF
problem = And ps
that represents the problem

such that an example of
And (rs ++ ps)
is a solution to the problem

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the general problem is
Boolean satisfiability SAT

Is there a state that satisfies a given CNF ?

practical applications include

we will give an algorithm,
a version of DPLL (1962)

on modern hardware this
can solve sudoku problems
with 10 Ki clauses

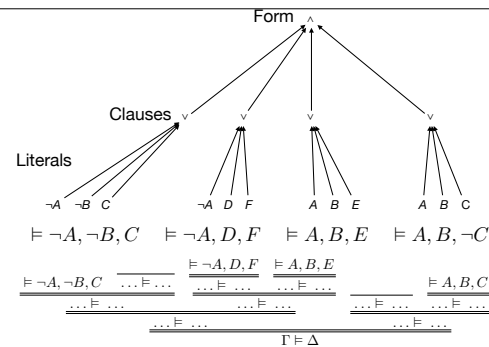
modern SAT solvers can
handle problems with
10 Mi clauses

verification of
hardware, software,
finite state machines,
communication protocols

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AI planning

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genomics
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data Literal a = P a | N a
newtype Clause a = Or [ Literal a ]
newtype Form a = And [ Clause a ]

neg :: Literal a -> Literal a
neg (P a) = N a
neg (N a) = P a

data Atom = A|B|C|D|W|X|Y|Z deriving Eq

eg = And [ Or [N A, N C, P D], Or [P A, P C], Or [N D] ]
--       $(\neg A \vee \neg C \vee D) \wedge (A \vee C) \wedge \neg D$ 

type Val a = [ Literal a ]
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Searching for a consistent set of literals, Γ
such that
 $\Gamma \models \neg A, \neg B, C \quad \Gamma \models \neg A, D, F \quad \Gamma \models A, B, E \quad \Gamma \models A, B, \neg C$
 we say such a Γ is a **model** of the CNF

Divide and conquer

a problem shared is a problem (almost)
 solved

What if A is one of our literals?

$\models \neg A, \neg B, C \quad \models \neg A, D, F \quad \models A, B, E \quad \models A, B, \neg C$

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Divide and conquer

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What if $\neg A$ is one of our literals?

$$\frac{?}{A \models \neg A, \neg B, C} \quad \frac{?}{A \models \neg A, D, F} \quad \frac{?}{\neg A \models A, B, E} \quad \frac{?}{\neg A \models A, B, \neg C}$$

Searching for a consistent set of literals, Γ
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Divide and conquer

a problem shared is a problem (almost) solved

What if $\neg A$ is one of our literals?

$$\frac{}{\neg A, \Gamma \models \neg A, \neg B, C} \quad \frac{}{\neg A, \Gamma \models \neg A, D, F} \quad \frac{\frac{\Gamma \models B, E}{\neg A, \Gamma \models B, E}}{\neg A, \Gamma \models A, B, E} \quad \frac{\frac{\Gamma \models B, \neg C}{\neg A, \Gamma \models B, \neg C}}{\neg A, \Gamma \models A, B, \neg C}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\Gamma \models \neg B, C}{A, \Gamma \models \neg B, C} \text{ if } A \quad \frac{\Gamma \models D, F}{A, \Gamma \models D, F}}{A, \Gamma \models \neg A, \neg B, C} \quad \frac{\Gamma \models D, F}{A, \Gamma \models D, F} \quad \frac{}{A, \Gamma \models A, B, E} \quad \frac{}{A, \Gamma \models A, B, \neg C}$$

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models [Clause Atom] -> [Val Atom]
models ([ Or[ N A, N B, P C ], Or[ N A, P D, P F ]
, Or[ P A, P B, P E ], Or[ P A, P B, N C ] ] )
= [ P A : m | m <- models [ Or[ N B, P C ], Or[ P D, P F ] ]
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[ N A : m | m <- models [ Or[ P B, P E ], Or[ P B, N C ] ]
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Tomorrow we will turn this
idea into an algorithm

$$\frac{\frac{\Gamma \models B, E}{\neg A, \Gamma \models B, E} \text{ if } \neg A \quad \frac{\Gamma \models B, \neg C}{\neg A, \Gamma \models B, \neg C}}{\neg A, \Gamma \models \neg A, \neg B, C} \quad \frac{}{\neg A, \Gamma \models \neg A, D, F} \quad \frac{}{\neg A, \Gamma \models A, B, E} \quad \frac{}{\neg A, \Gamma \models A, B, \neg C}$$