



Assignment - 02

Q.

What is the difference between predicate logic and propositional logic?

P.

Feature Focus

Propositional
One truth value
of entire
statement (pro-
positions) and
how they are
connected by
logical operators

Predicate
One internal
structure
of statement
including
subjects,
predicates
and variables

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statements

Treated as indis-
tinguishable units,
represented by
variables
(e.g., P, Q)

Broke down
into predi-
(e.g., P(x))
and
variables

variables

Do not exist
in propositional
logic. Statements
are either true
or false

Used to
represent
object
entities
with
a state-

key
components

Representation and
logical
(e.g., $\neg, \wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \leftrightarrow$)

Predic-
variables
present
in a state-

Complexity

Simplest, deals with the logic of connectives
more powerful and complex can analyze scope and relationships between objects.

Ex:

$P \wedge Q$

 $\forall x (\text{cat}(x) \rightarrow \text{plusMic(x)})$

Q3 Define semantic network with example

A semantic network consists of:

Nodes: represent concepts, objects or entities (e.g., "Dog", "Animal", "Bark").

Edges (links), represent relationship between those concepts (e.g., "is a", "has", "can").

These networks help machines and humans understand and how different ideas are connected, enabling reasoning, inference and knowledge reuse.



[Dog] -> is an [Animal]
[Dog] -> has → [Tail]
[Dog] -> can → [Bark]
[Animal] -> needs → [Food]

Advantages

Natural Language Processing (NLP) :
Understand sentence meaning

Expert systems: represent domain knowledge.

Search engines: indexing quickly
understanding

Cognitive modeling : simulating human memory and learning

Q.3 Explain different knowledge representation techniques in detail

Logical representation :-

• Formal logic (propositional logic, predicate logic) to represent facts and rules.

• Propositional logic : Deals with simple declarative (e.g., "It is raining")

• Predicate logic : more expressive includes objects, properties and relations (e.g., "Raining(city)").

SEMANTIC NETWORKS

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Advantages:

Perceptual and ambiguous.

Supports inference through rules
(e.g. modus ponens)

Limitations:

Difficult to scale for large, real world problems.

No intuitive feel experiencing uncertainty or incomplete knowledge

Semantic Network Representation

Represents knowledge as a graph of nodes (concepts) and edges (relations).

Structure:

Nodes: Entities or concept (e.g., "Dog", "Animal").

Edges: Relationships (e.g., "is-a", "has-paw").

Example:

Dog → is-a → Animal

Dog → has → Tail

Pros:

Primitive formal semantics.

Cool for hierarchical knowledge.

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3. Frame-Based Representation

Uses data structures called frames to represent stereotypical situations or objects.

- Structure:

- Each frame has slots (attributes) and filler values.

- Example:

Frame : Dog

- Type : Animal

- Sound : Bark

- Legs : 4

- Pros :

- modular and structured

- Easy to update and extend

Cons:

- Less flexible for abstract reasoning.
- can become complex with deep hierarchy.

Production Rules (Rule-Based systems)

What it is: Represent knowledge as a set of if-then rules.

Structure:

IF condition(s) THEN action/conclusion

- Example:

- IF "temperature > 100°C." THEN "water is boiling"

• PROS :

- Simple and intuitive

- Easy to implement and modify.

• CONS :

- Real conflicts can arise

- Hard to scale

Q Write characteristics of good knowledge representation system.

1. Representational Adequacy

- It should be capable of representing all kinds of knowledge - facts, concepts, procedures and relationships - relevant to the domain.

• Example : A medical K.R. system should represent symptoms, diseases, mat and causal relationships.

2. Inferential Adequacy

The system should support reasoning mechanisms to derive new knowledge from existing facts using logical inference.

3. Inferential Efficiency

It must allow fast and accurate retrieval and manipulation of knowledge, enable quick decision making.



posterior probability $P(D|T)$ using Bayes' theorem. With the given values for $P(D)$, $P(\neg D)$, $P(T|D)$, total probability of testing positive $P(T)$ is calculated as $(0.95 \cdot 0.05) + (0.05 \cdot 0.99) = 0.059$. Applying Bayes' theorem,

$$P(D|T) = \frac{P(T|D) \cdot P(D)}{P(T)} = \frac{0.0095}{0.059} \approx 0.161 \text{ or } 16.1\%$$

Q) Distinction bw script scheme and frames in detail.

A) Features - Frames

Focus - Represents static representation of objects, concepts or dynamic situations

Scripted

Represents dynamic sequences of events

Includes component like entity conditions, roles, props scenes and result

Captures procedural knowledge actions and intentions

Sometimes uses slots and prefers to describe attributes of an object - support in inheritance.

Knowledge type Captures declarative knowledge (facts)

Purpose

Used for object recognition and measuring about properties

Used for language understanding and predicting event sequences

Q) What is fuzzy logic and how it is used to solve complex problems.

Ans. Fuzzy logic is a method of reasoning used in computers that allows values to be partially true instead of only true or false like tradition logic. It deals with uncertainty and approximate decisions similar to human thinking.

How it solves complex problems

It uses IF - THEN rules to make decisions based on imprecise data. It useful because exact solution are difficult.

Ex: Automate AC adjust temperature by understanding degree like cool water not instead of only on/off.

Used in:

- smart appliances (ex, washing machine)
- self-deceiving cars
- medical diagnosis