

7.2) Knowledge based ~~implementation~~ resolution:

Algorithm:-

Initialization:-

- 1) Create an instance of KnowledgeBase class with an empty list of clauses:-

self.clauses = []

- 2) Adding a clause:-

append a new clause to the list of clauses in the knowledge Base.

- 3) Resolving clause:-

combine 2 clauses by ^{common literals} ~~Resolving Literals~~
(Eliminating complementary literals)

negate the query & add it to the knowledge base

- 4) → Repeatedly resolve the pairs of clauses in the knowledge base until a contradiction found or no new resolution are possible.

query)

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def resolve (Self, clause-a, clause-b)
    return [literal for literal in clause-a + clause-b
            if ('not' + literal) not in clause-a or
               literal not in clause-b]
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code 2) def negate-literal (literal)
        if literal[0] == '~':
            return literal[1:]
        else:
            return '~' + literal

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def resolve (c1, c2):
    resolved-clause = set(c1) | set(c2)

    for literal in c1:
        if negate-literal (literal) in c2:
            resolved-clause.remove (literal)
            resolved-clause.remove (negate-
                                     literal (literal))

    return tuple (resolved-clause)

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def resolution (knowledge-base):

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    while True:

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        new-clauses = set()

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        for i, c1 in enumerate (knowledge-base)

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            for j, c2 in enumerate (knowledge-
                                     base)

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                if i != j:

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                    new-clause = resolve (c1, c2)

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                    if len (new-clause) > 0 & new-
                       clause not in
                       knowledge-base:

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                        new-clause.add (new-clause)

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        if not new-clause:
            break

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knowledge-base != 'new-clause'  
return knowledge-base
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if __name__ == "__main__":  
    kb = [ ('p', 'a'), (~p, 'x'), (q, 'a') ]  
    result = resolution(kb)  
    print("original kb", kb)  
    print("resolved kb", result)
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Output:-

Enter statement = a negation.

The statement is not entailed by knowledge-based

Salt

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rules = 'PvQ ~PvR ~QvR' #P=vQ, P=>Q : ~PvQ, Q=>R, ~QvR
goal = 'R'
main(rules, goal)

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Step	Clause	Derivation
1.	PvQ	Given.
2.	~PvR	Given.
3.	~QvR	Given.
4.	~R	Negated conclusion.
5.	QvR	Resolved from PvQ and ~PvR.
6.	PvR	Resolved from PvQ and ~QvR.
7.	~P	Resolved from ~PvR and ~R.
8.	~Q	Resolved from ~QvR and ~R.
9.	Q	Resolved from ~R and QvR.
10.	P	Resolved from ~R and PvR.
11.	R	Resolved from QvR and ~Q.
12.		Resolved R and ~R to Rv~R, which is in turn null.

A contradiction is found when ~R is assumed as true. Hence, R is true.