

# Simple Knowledge based Agent

# An Example: The Wumpus World!

## Performance measure:

gold +1000, death -1000,

-1 per step, -10 for using the arrow

## Environment:

Squares adjacent to wumpus are smelly

Squares adjacent to pit are breezy

Glitter iff gold is in the same square

Shooting kills wumpus if you are facing it

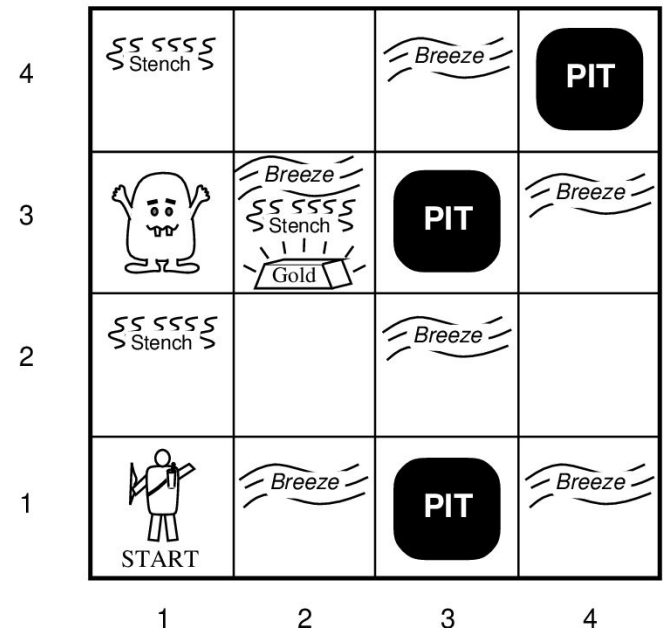
Shooting uses up the only arrow

Grabbing picks up gold if in same square

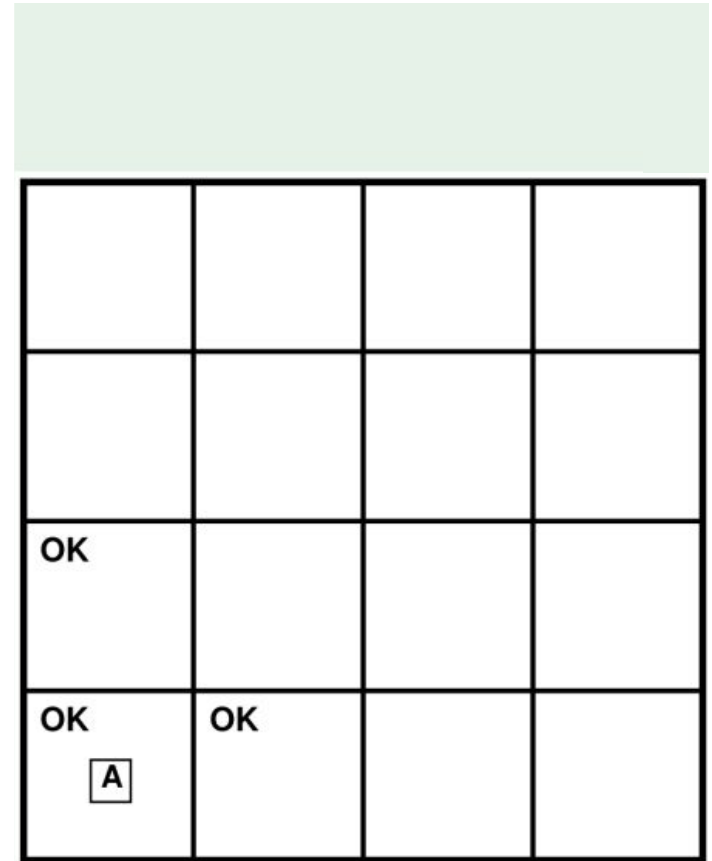
Releasing drops the gold in same square

**Actuators:** Left turn, Right turn, Forward, Grab, Release, Shoot

**Sensors:** Breeze, Glitter, Smell



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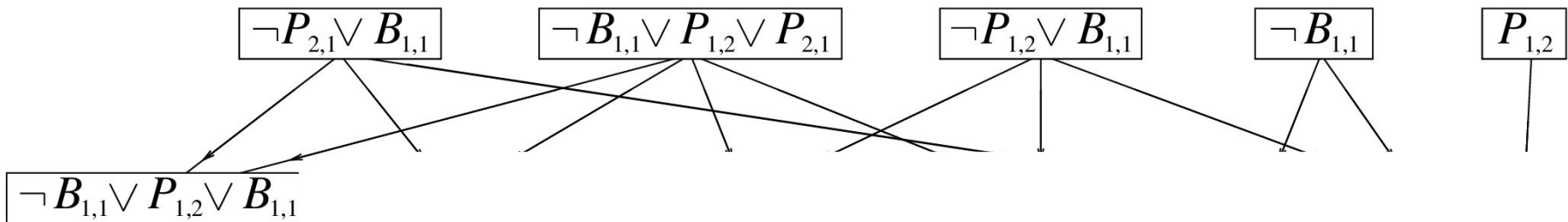
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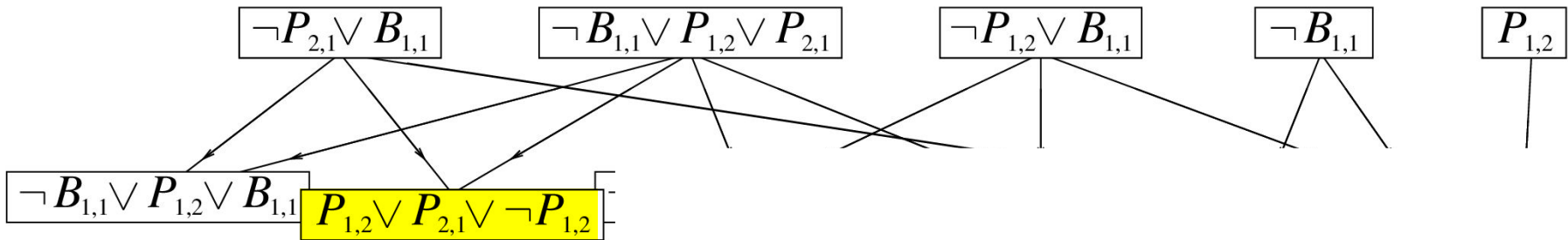


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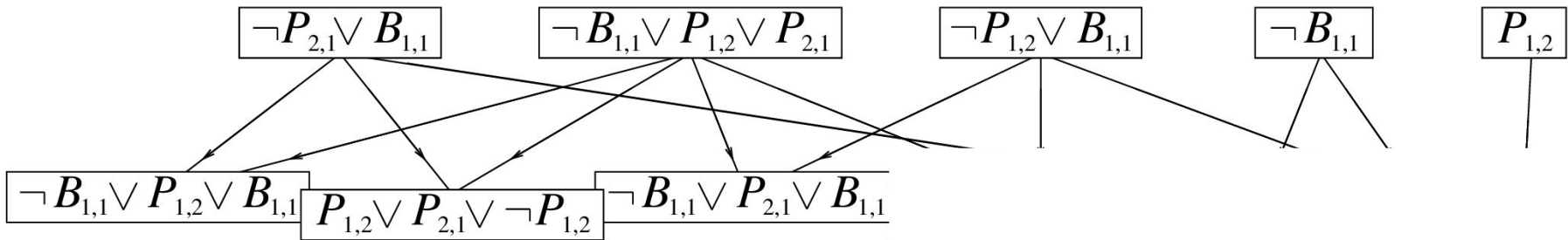


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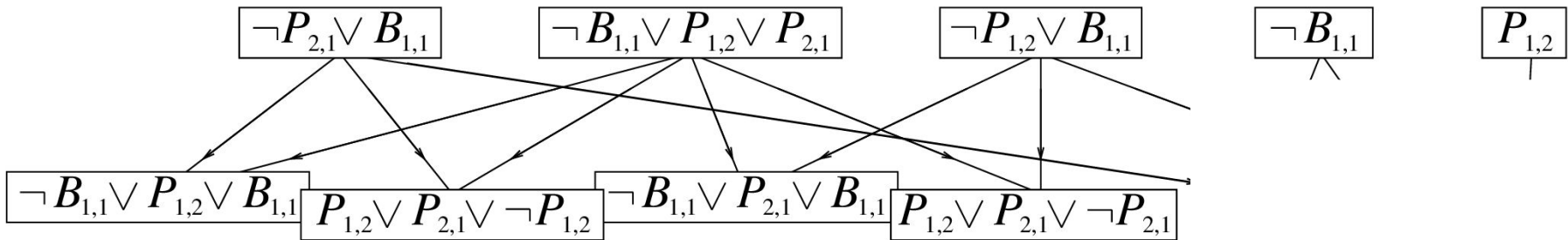


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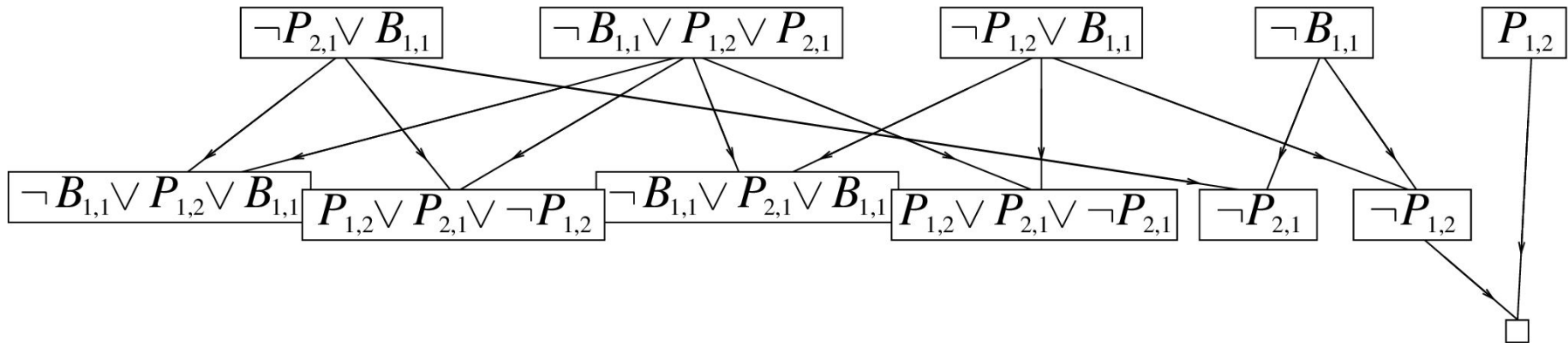


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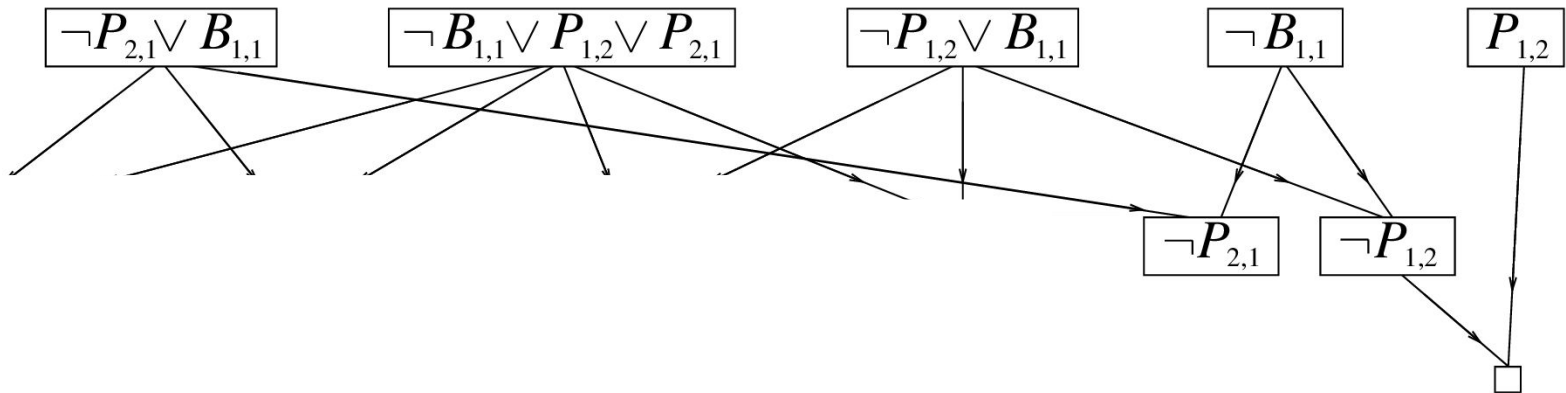


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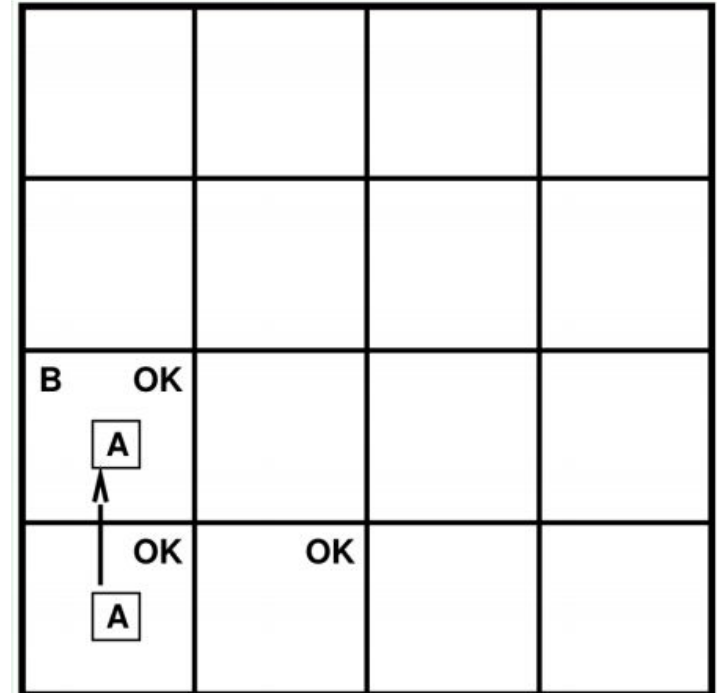
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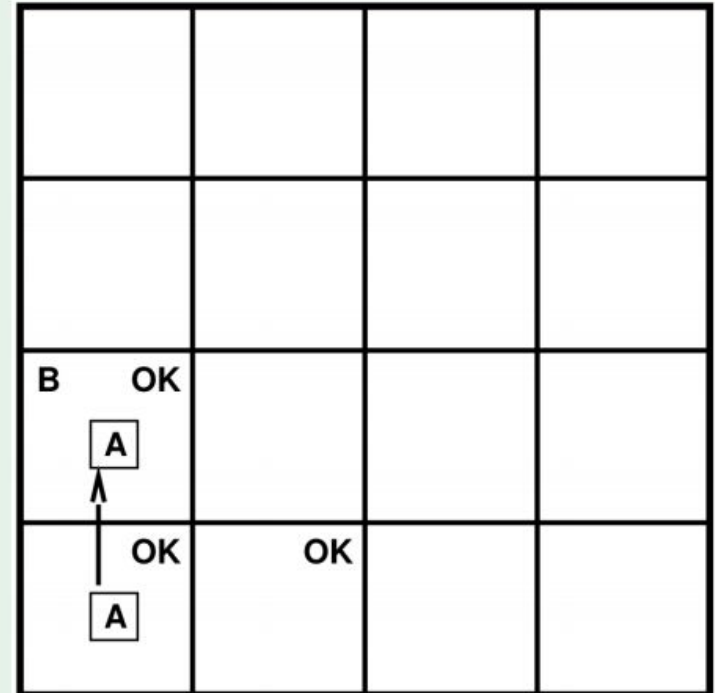
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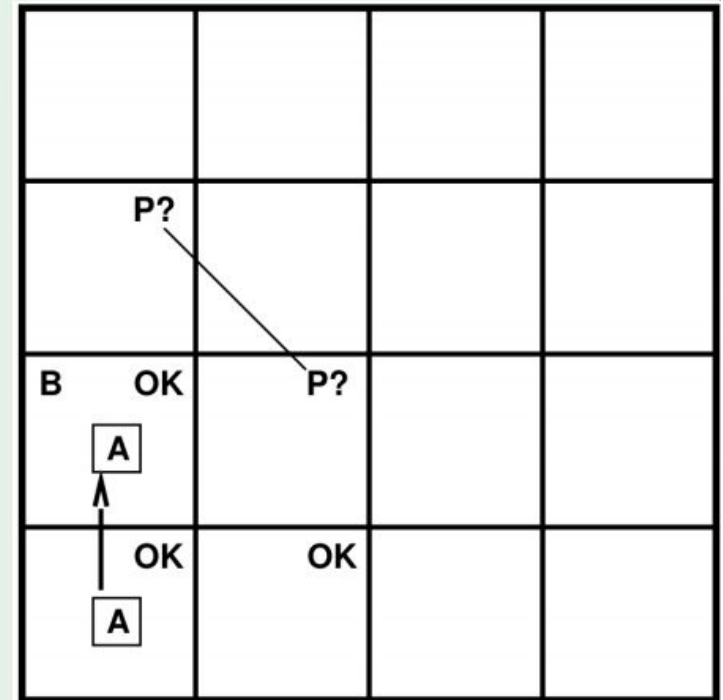
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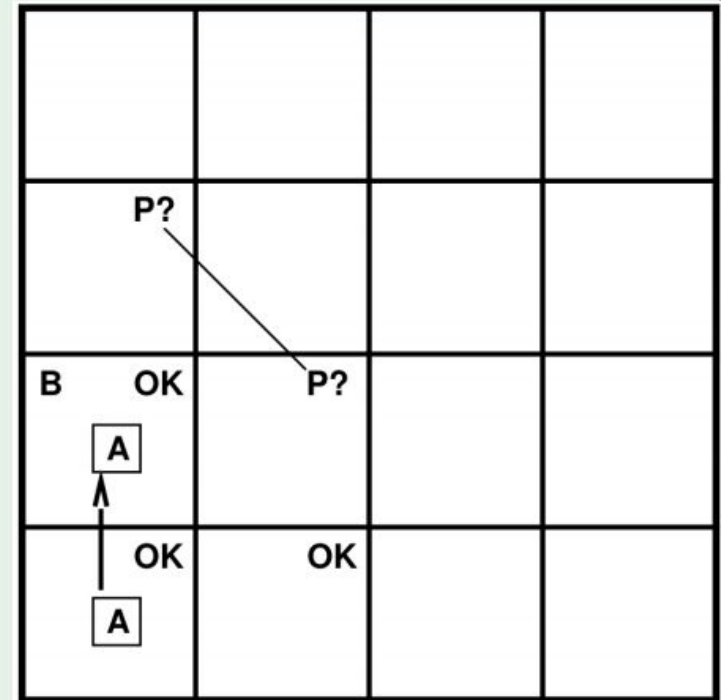
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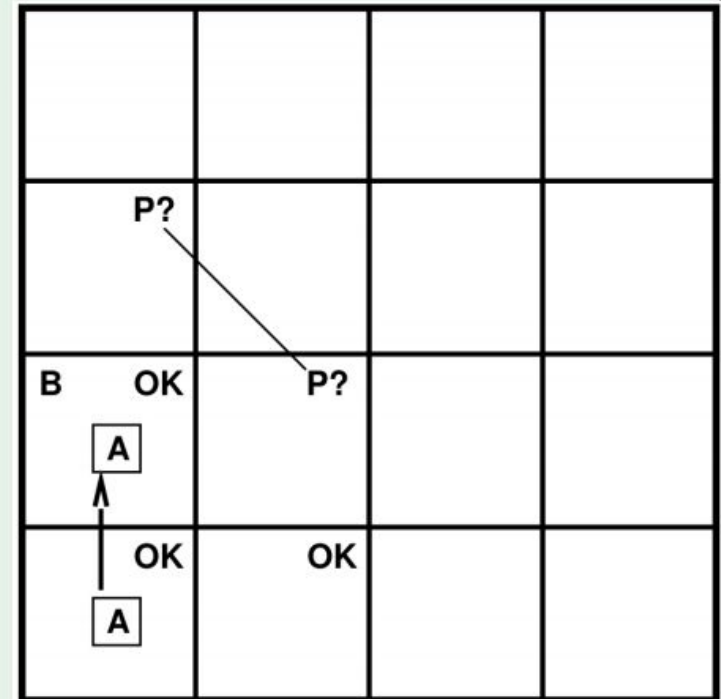
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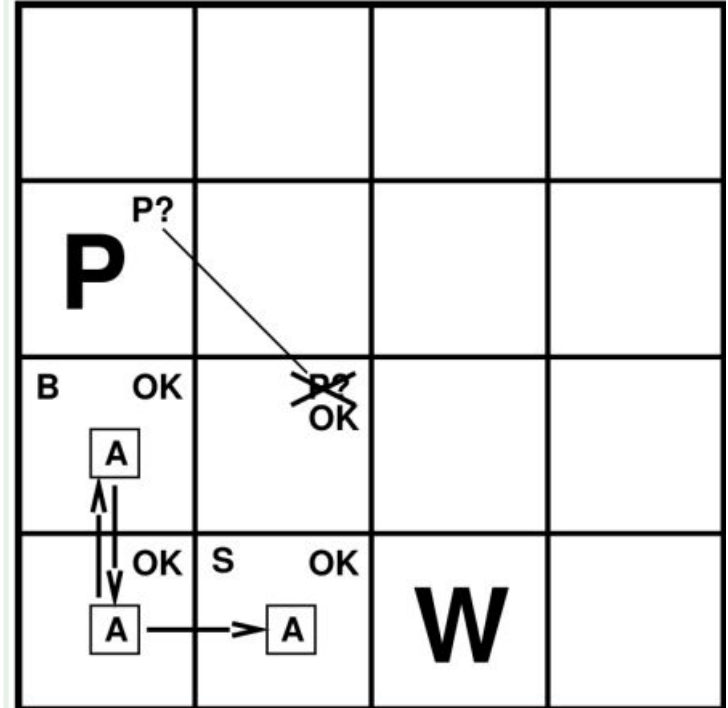
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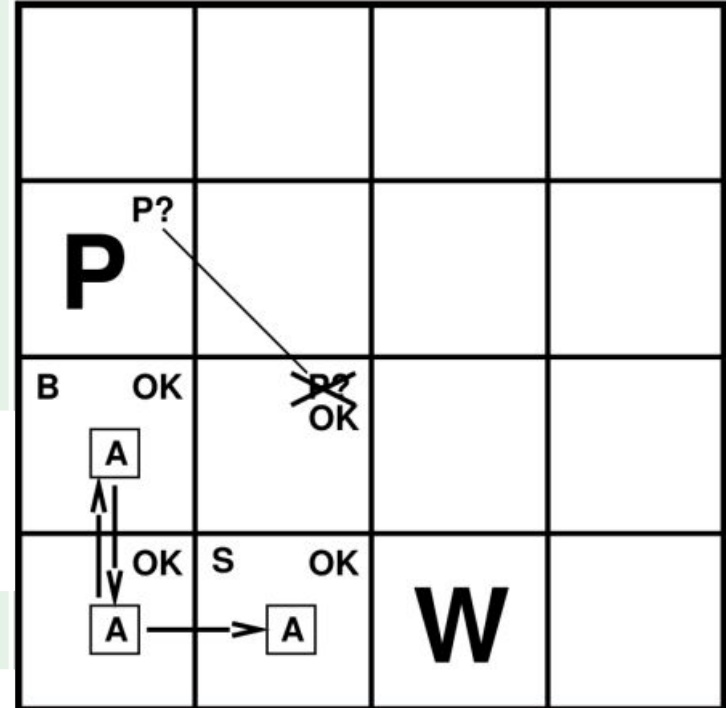
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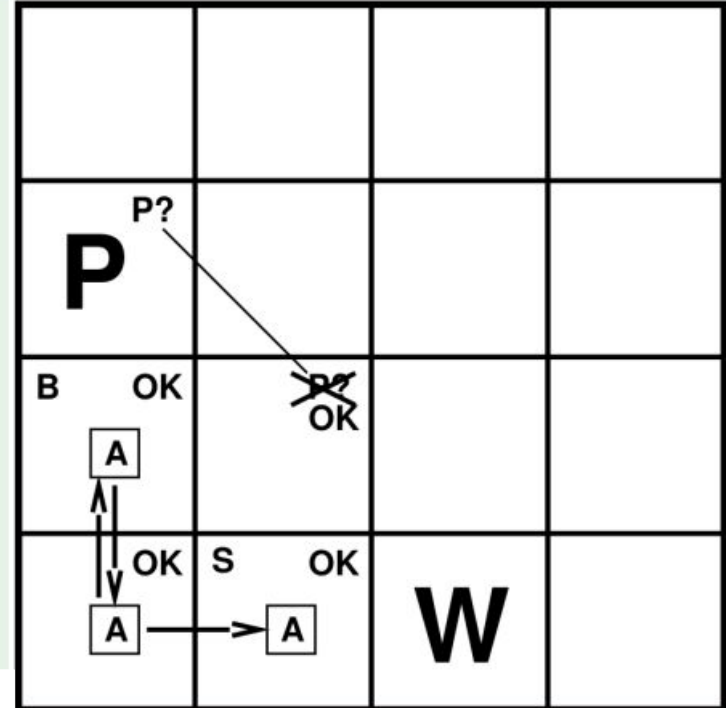
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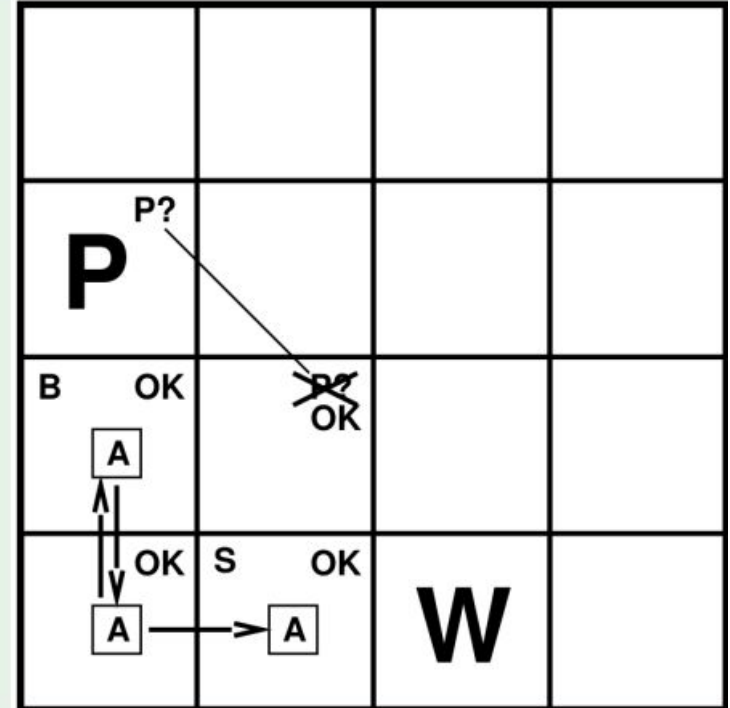
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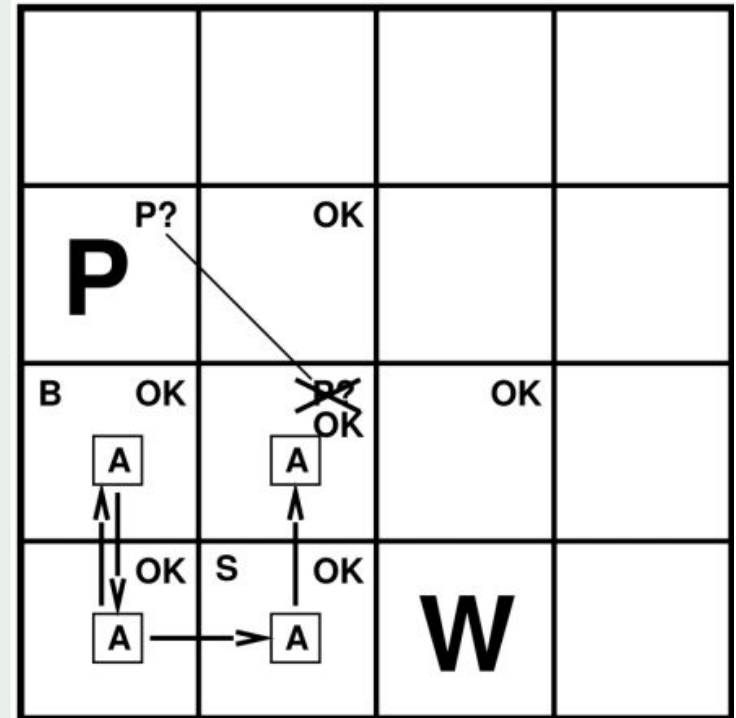
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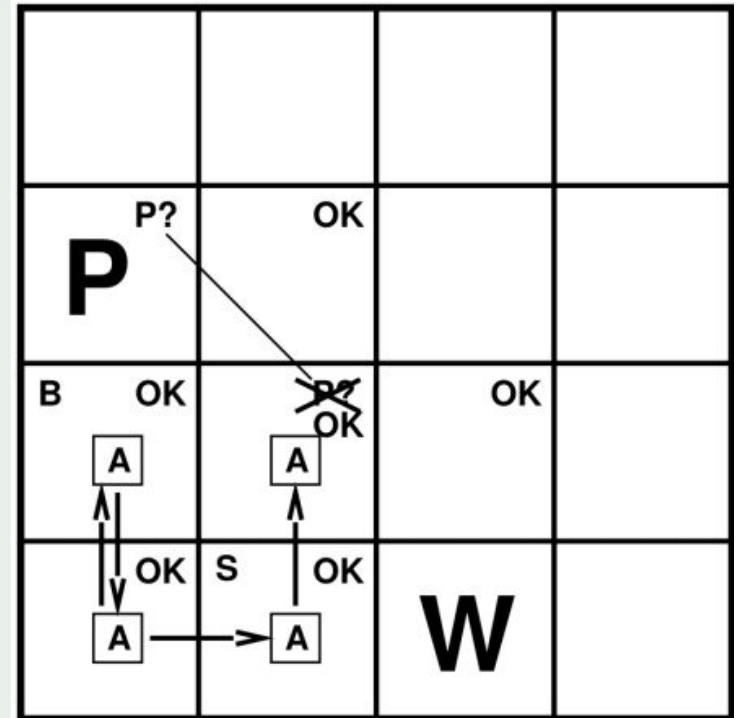
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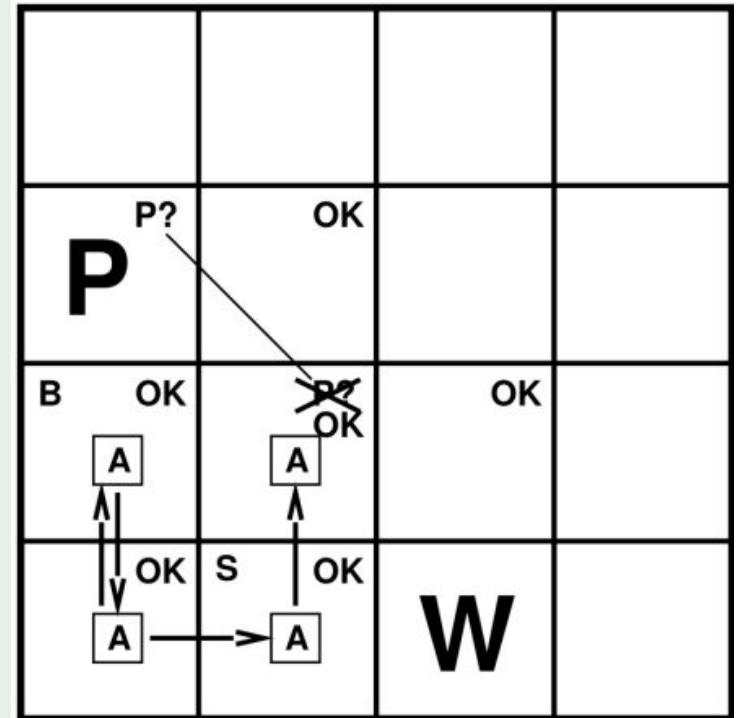
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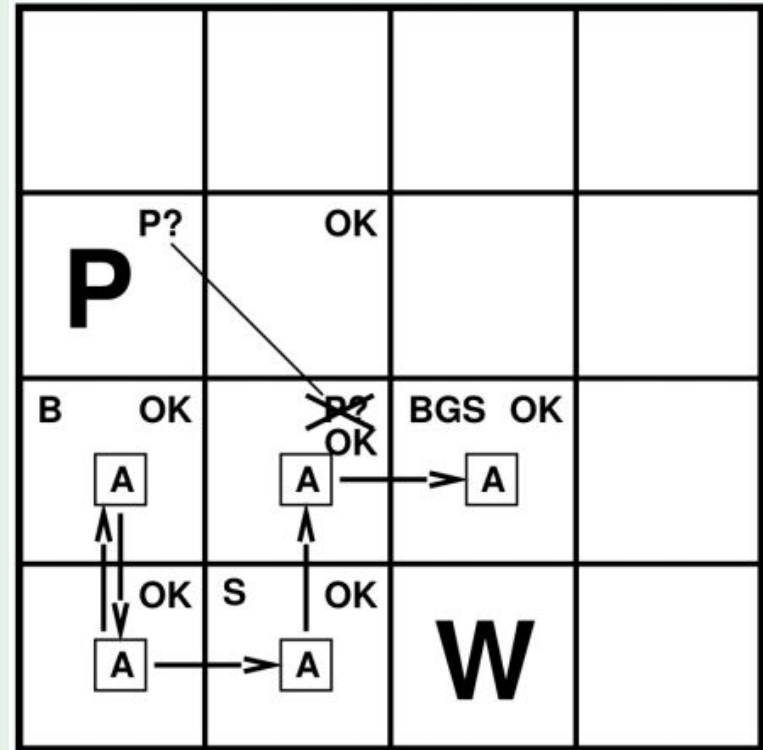
$$G_{[2,3]} \leftrightarrow BGS_{[2,3]}$$

- Agent moves to [2,3]

- perceives a glitter:  $G_{[2,3]}$

⇒  $BGS_{[2,3]}$  (bag of gold!)

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- provides more "primitives" to express knowledge:
  - objects (identity & properties)
  - relations among objects (including functions)

**Objects:** people, houses, numbers, Einstein, Huskers, event, ..

**Properties:** smart, nice, large, intelligent, loved, occurred, ..

**Relations:** brother-of, bigger-than, part-of, occurred-after, ..

**functions:** father-of, best-friend, double-of, ..



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In FOL,

- Terms
- Sentences:
- Quantifiers:

# Term

logical expression that refers to an object

- built with: constant symbols, variables, function symbols

$$\text{Term} = \textit{function}(\textit{term}_1, \dots, \textit{term}_n)$$

or constant or variable

- **ground term**: term with no variable

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- Sentences:
  - atomic sentences
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# Atomic sentences

state facts

built with terms and predicate symbols

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Atomic sentence} &= \textit{predicate}(\textit{term}_1, \dots, \textit{term}_n) \\ &\text{or } \textit{term}_1 = \textit{term}_2\end{aligned}$$

## Examples:

Brother (Richard, John)

Married (FatherOf(Richard), MotherOf(John))

# Complex Sentences

built with atomic sentences and logical connectives

$$\neg S$$

$$S_1 \wedge S_2$$

$$S_1 \vee S_2$$

$$S_1 \Rightarrow S_2$$

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# Basic elements

In propositional logic, every expression is a sentence

In FOL,

- Terms
- Sentences:
  - atomic sentences
  - complex sentences
- Quantifiers:
  - Universal quantifier
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**Example:** Family relations (kinship):

- Objects: people
- Properties: gender, married, divorced, single, widowed
- Relations: parenthood, brotherhood, marriage..

**Unary predicates:** Male, Female

**Binary relations:** Parent, Sibling, Brother, Child, etc.

**Functions:** Mother, Father

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predicate, terms, and equality to form atomic sentences

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# Inference rule for FOL

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