

# Unit-2

Knowledge Representation and Reasoning

# Outline

- What is knowledge representation
- Different types of knowledge
- Cycle of knowledge representation
- Relation between knowledge and intelligence
- Techniques of knowledge representation
- Representation Requirements
- Approaches with example

# Knowledge Representation

- Knowledge Representation in Artificial Intelligence refers to that concept where ways are identified to provide machines with the knowledge that humans possess so that AI systems can become better. As it is a universal fact that more a person knows a subject matter, the chances of taking a correct action or decision will be higher.
- AI developers represent the knowledge of the human world in a way that machines can understand and can make the AI systems smarter to solve complex real-world problems. The problem is that we humans process information in a highly complex manner.
- One of the primary purposes of Knowledge Representation includes modelling intelligent behaviour for an agent.

# Knowledge Representation

- Knowledge Representation in AI describes the representation of knowledge. Basically, it is a study of how the beliefs, intentions, and judgments of an intelligent agent can be expressed suitably for automated reasoning.
- Knowledge Representation and Reasoning (KR, KRR) represents information from the real world for a computer to understand and then utilize this knowledge to solve complex real-life problems like communicating with human beings in natural language.
- Knowledge representation in AI is not just about storing data in a database, it allows a machine to learn from that knowledge and behave intelligently like a human being.

# What to Represent

- Following are the kind of knowledge which needs to be represented in AI systems
  - **Object:** All the facts about objects in our world domain. For example, cars have wheels, the piano has keys, Guitars contains strings, etc.
  - **Events:** Events are the actions which occur in our world. Our perception of the world is based on what we know regarding the various events that have taken place in our world. This knowledge is regarding all those events. The wars, achievements, advancement of societies, etc., are an example of this knowledge.
  - **Performance:** It describe behavior which involves knowledge about how to do things. It deals with how humans and other beings and things perform certain actions in different situations. Thus, it helps in understanding the behavior side of the knowledge.

# What to Represent

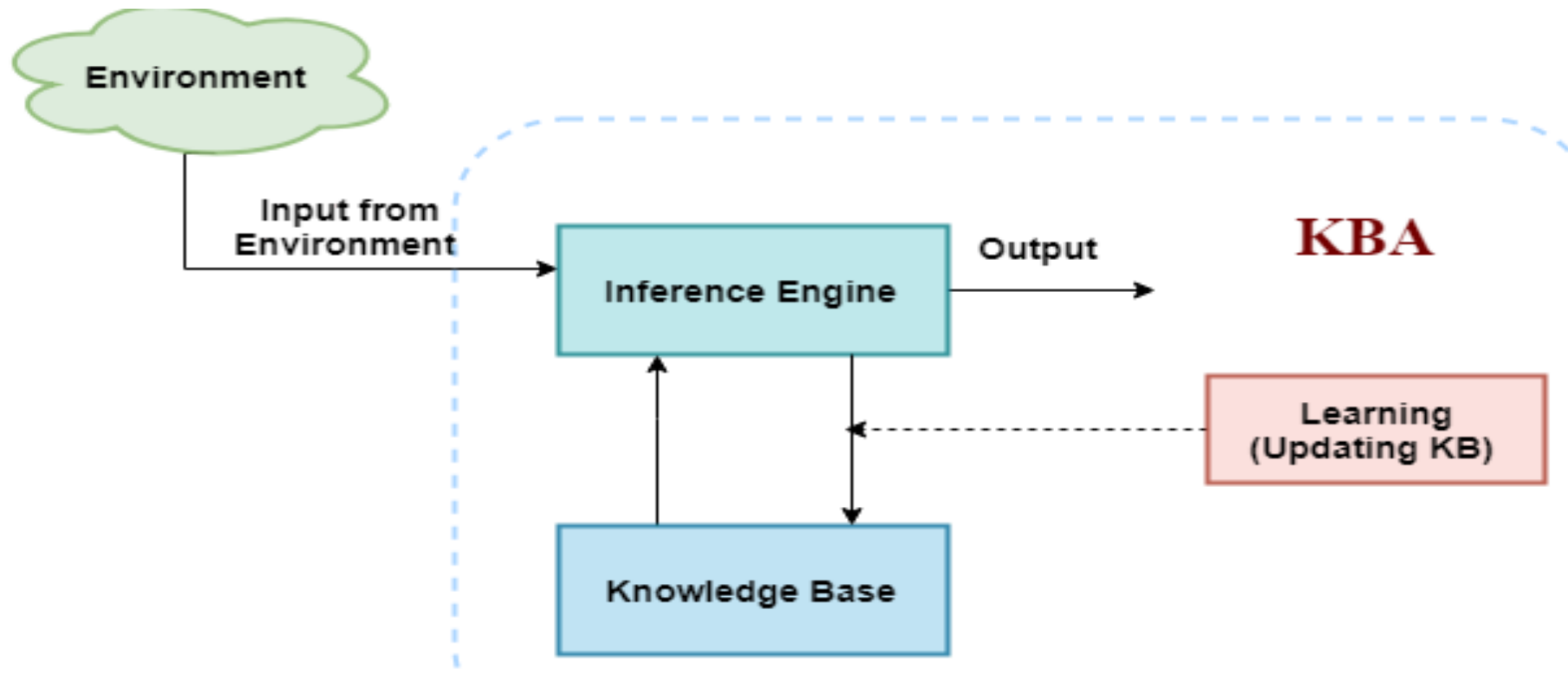
- **Meta-knowledge:** It is knowledge about what we know. knowledge can be divided into 3 categories: What we know, What we know that we don't know, and knowledge that we even are unaware of and Meta knowledge deals with the first concept. Thus, meta-knowledge is the knowledge of what we know.
- **Facts:** Facts are the truths about the real world and what we represent.

# Knowledge-Based Agent in AI

- An intelligent agent needs **knowledge** about the real world for taking decisions and **reasoning** to act efficiently.
- Knowledge-based agents are those agents who have the capability of **maintaining an internal state of knowledge, reason over that knowledge, update their knowledge after observations and take actions**. These agents can represent the world with some formal representation and act intelligently.
- Knowledge-based agents are composed of two main parts:
  - Knowledge-base
  - Inference system.

# The architecture of knowledge-based agent

- Knowledge-base is a central component of a knowledge-based agent, it is also known as KB. It is a collection of sentences. These sentences are expressed in a language which is called a knowledge representation language. The Knowledge-base of KBA stores fact about the world.





# The architecture of knowledge-based agent

- **Inference system**

- Inference means deriving new sentences from old. Inference system allows us to add a new sentence to the knowledge base. A sentence is a proposition about the world. Inference system applies logical rules to the KB to deduce new information.
- Inference system generates new facts so that an agent can update the KB. An inference system works mainly in two rules which are given as:
  - Forward chaining
  - Backward chaining

# Knowledge-based agent

- Approaches to designing a knowledge-based agent:
  - **Declarative approach:** Declarative knowledge refers to facts or information stored in the memory, that is considered static in nature. Declarative knowledge, also referred to as conceptual, propositional or descriptive knowledge, describes things, events, or processes; their attributes; and their relation to each other.
  - **Procedural approach:** Procedural Knowledge refers to the knowledge of how to perform a specific skill or task, and is considered knowledge related to methods, procedures, or operation of equipment.

# Declarative and Procedural Knowledge

- Declarative knowledge involves knowing THAT something is the case - that J is the tenth letter of the alphabet, that Paris is the capital of France. Declarative knowledge is conscious; it can often be verbalized.
- Procedural knowledge involves knowing HOW to do something - ride a bike, for example. We may not be able to explain how we do it. Procedural knowledge involves implicit learning, which a learner may not be aware of, and may involve being able to use a particular form to understand or produce language without necessarily being able to explain it.

# Declarative and Procedural Knowledge

- Real world Example: I need a cup of tea.

## ➤ Declarative:

1. Get me a cup of tea.

## ➤ Procedural:

1. Go to kitchen
  2. Get sugar, milk and tea.
  3. Mix them and heat over the fire till it boils
  4. Put that in a cup and bring it to me
- In a declarative language, we just set the command or order and let it be on system how to complete that order. We just need our result without digging into how it should be done.

# Declarative and Procedural Knowledge

- In a procedural language, we define the whole process and provide the steps how to do it. We just provide orders and define how the process will be served.
- The main difference between two approaches are, in declarative approach, we tell the computer what problem we want solved and in procedural approach, we tell the computer how to solve the problem.

# Declarative and Procedural Knowledge

- Different types of knowledge can be more or less effective, given the scenario in which they're used. For example, you can score 100% in your driving theory test, yet still not be able to actually drive a car. In that case, your declarative knowledge of driving is almost useless, as you can't actually put it into practice until you have an understanding of the procedural knowledge involved in driving the car itself.
- You might know what every road sign in the US means, what every button on your dashboard does, and what lies underneath the hood, but you don't know how to parallel park or shift from 1st to 2nd gear.

# Different Types of Knowledge



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- **Declarative Knowledge** – It includes concepts, facts, and objects and expressed in a declarative sentence.
- **Procedural Knowledge** – This is responsible for knowing how to do something and includes rules, strategies, procedures, etc.
- **Meta Knowledge** – Meta Knowledge defines knowledge about other types of Knowledge.
- **Heuristic Knowledge** – This represents some expert knowledge in the field or subject.
- **Structural Knowledge** – It is a basic problem-solving knowledge that describes the relationship between concepts and objects



# Different Types of Knowledge

- **Declarative Knowledge**

- It is the knowledge that represents the facts, objects, concepts that help us describe the world around us. Thus it deals with the description of something.

- **Procedural Knowledge**

- This type of knowledge is more complex than declarative knowledge as it refers to a more complex idea, i.e., how things behave and work. Thus this knowledge is used to accomplish any task using certain procedures, rules, and strategies, making the system using this knowledge work efficiently. Also, this type of knowledge highly depends on the task we are trying to accomplish.

# Different Types of Knowledge

- **Meta Knowledge**

- The knowledge of pre-defined knowledge is known as meta knowledge. A study of planning, tagging and learning are some of the examples of meta knowledge. This model tends to change with time and utilize a different specification
- For example, bibliographic data are considered as a meta-knowledge.
- The main usage of meta-knowledge is to understand and improve the nature of user interface components and to maintain the knowledge bases that are used alongside inference engines as well.

# Different Types of Knowledge

- **Heuristic Knowledge**

- The knowledge provided by experts of certain domains, subjects, disciplines, and fields is known as the Heuristic knowledge, which they have been obtained after years of experience. This type of knowledge helps in taking the best approach to particular problems and making decisions.
- Heuristic knowledge is seen as a helpmate to what you know. Some examples of heuristic knowledge are a hypothesis, common sense, rule of thumb, etc.
- A heuristic, is any approach to problem-solving that uses a practical method or various shortcuts in order to produce solutions that may not be optimal but are sufficient given a limited timeframe or deadline.

# Different Types of Knowledge

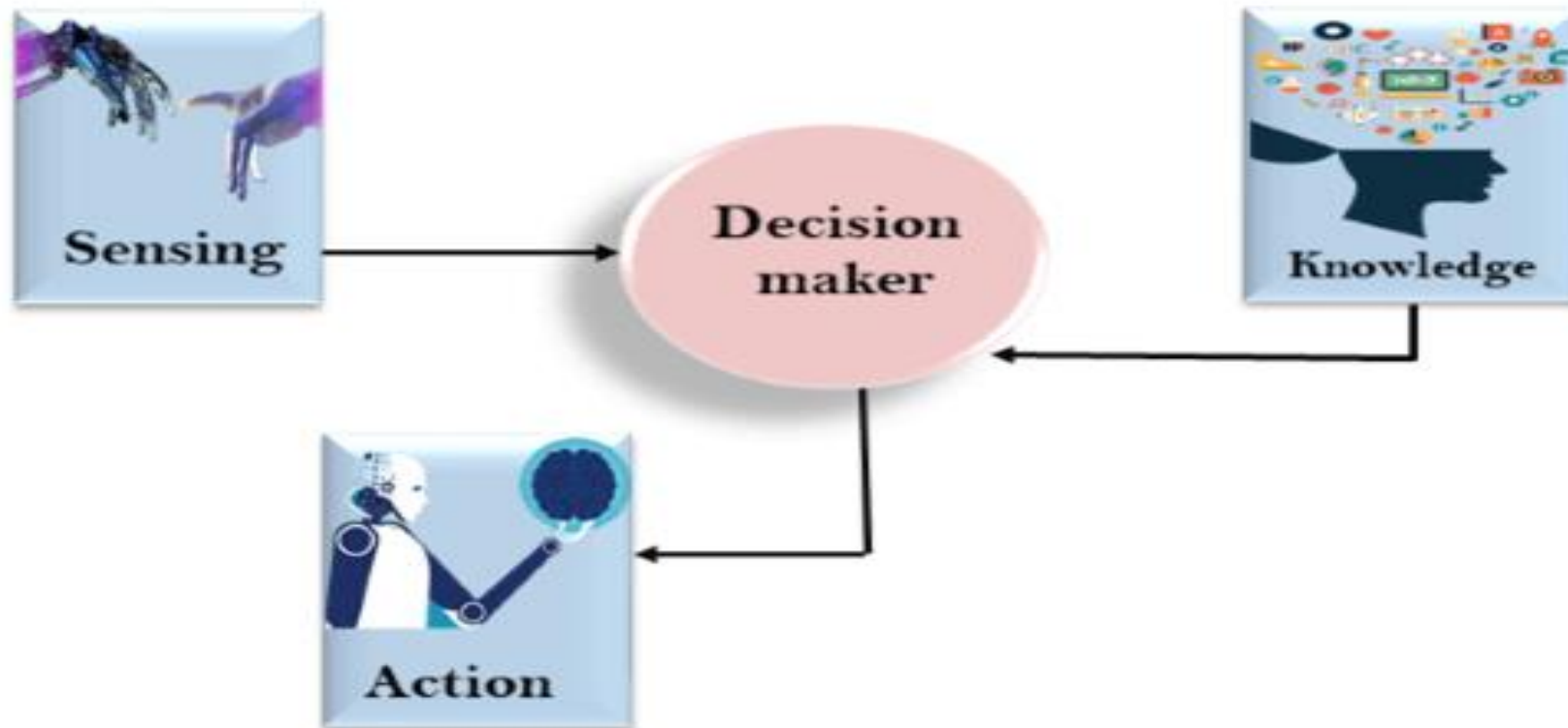
- **Structural Knowledge** – Structural knowledge is basic knowledge to problem-solving. It describes relationships between various concepts such as kind of, part of, and grouping of something. It describes the relationship that exists between concepts or objects.
- **Summary**
  - Declarative- explains facts
  - Procedural- explain the behaviour
  - Meta knowledge of other topics of knowledge
  - Heuristic-knowledge of specific fields and domains
  - Structural- knowledge for seeing the relations between different objects

# Relation between Knowledge and Intelligence

- Knowledge of real-worlds plays a vital role in intelligence and same for creating artificial intelligence. Knowledge plays an important role in demonstrating intelligent behaviour in AI agents. An agent is only able to accurately act on some input when he has some knowledge or experience about that input.
- Let's suppose if you met some person who is speaking in a language which you don't know, then how you will be able to act on that. The same thing applies to the intelligent behaviour of the agents.

# Relation between Knowledge and Intelligence

- As we can see in diagram, there is one decision maker which act by sensing the environment and using knowledge. But if the knowledge part will not present then, it cannot display intelligent behaviour.

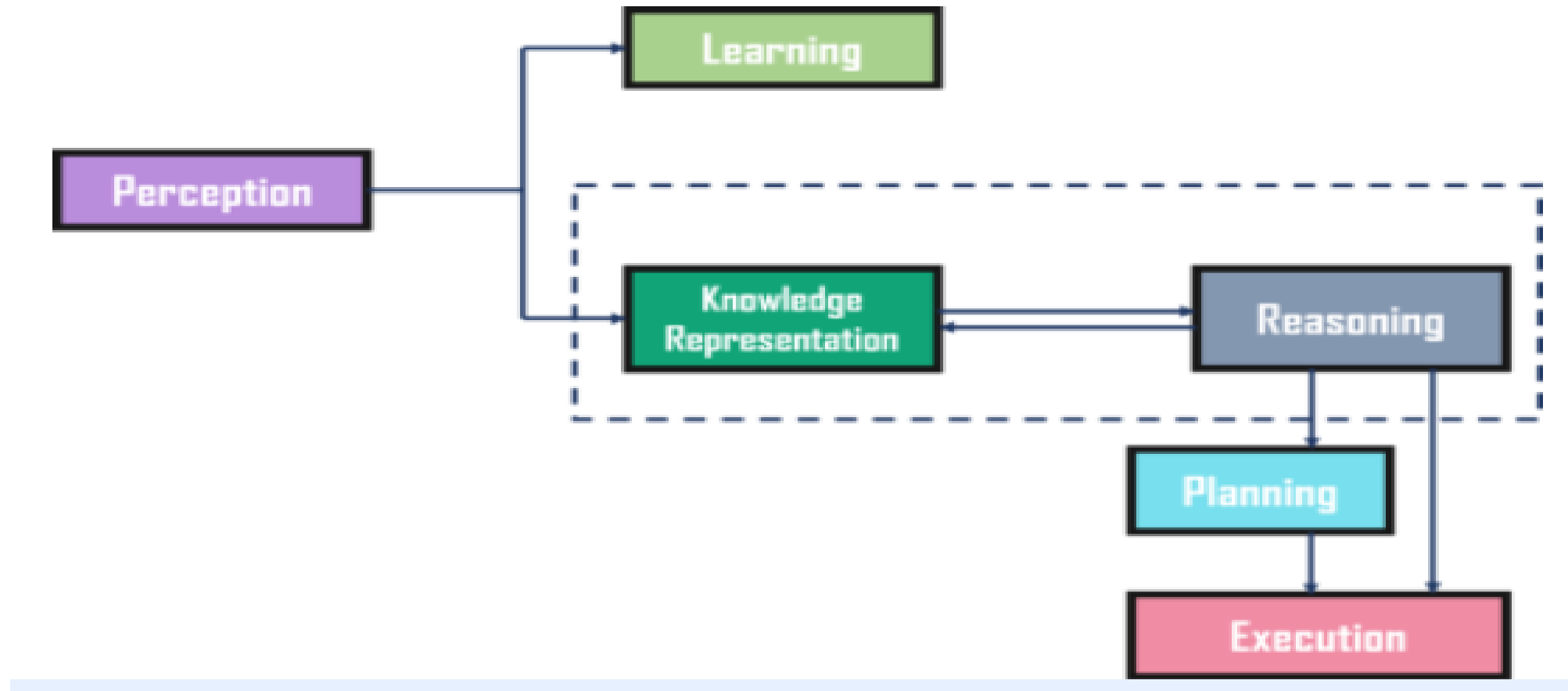


# Cycle of Knowledge Representation

- Artificial Intelligent Systems usually consist of various components to display their intelligent behaviour. Some of these components include:
  - **Perception**
  - **Learning**
  - **Knowledge Representation & Reasoning**
  - **Planning**

# Cycle of Knowledge Representation

- Cycle of Knowledge Representation in AI





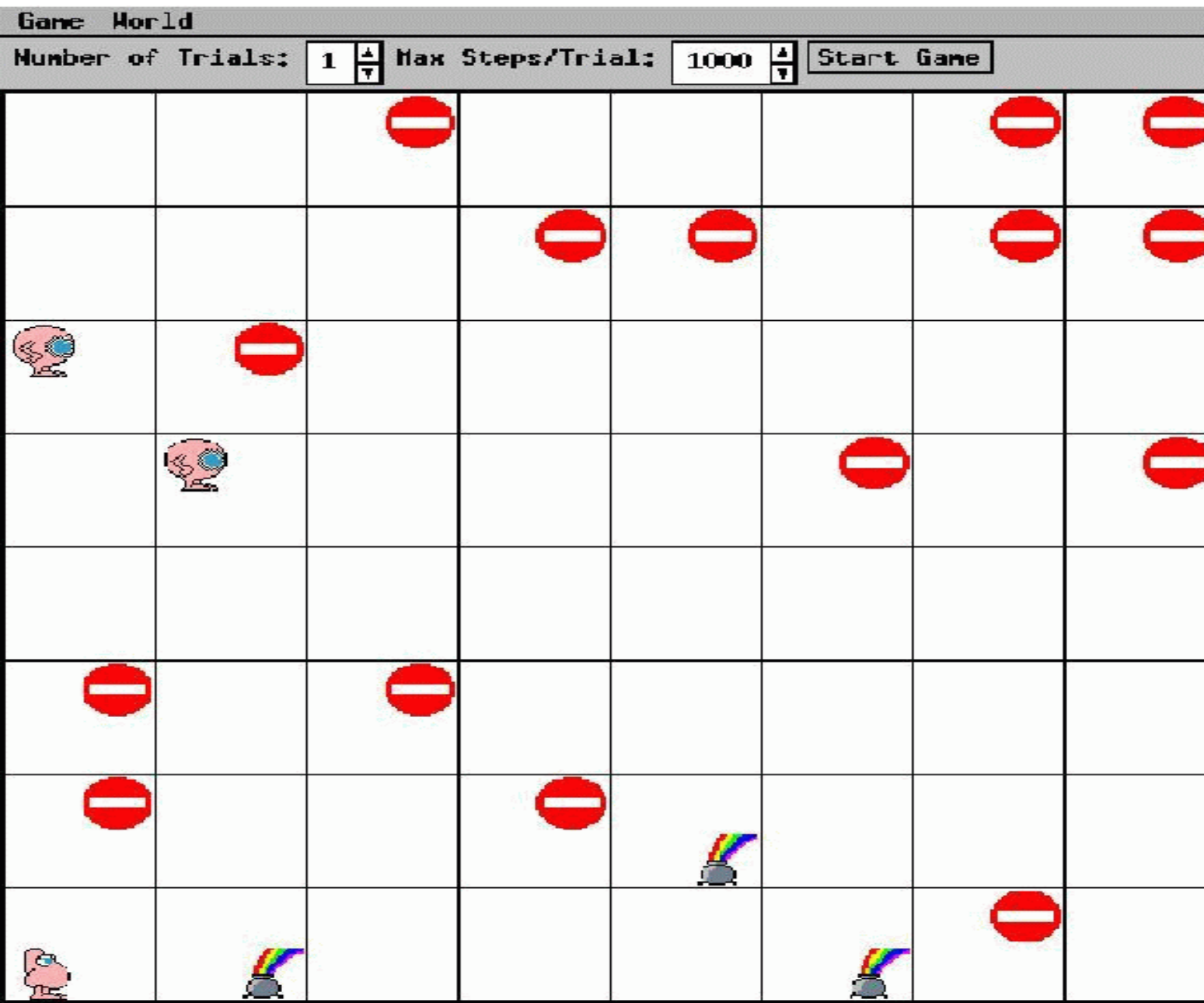
# Cycle of Knowledge Representation

- The diagram shows the interaction of an AI system with the **real world** and the **components** involved in showing intelligence.
- The **Perception component** retrieves data or information from the environment. with the help of this component, we can retrieve data from the environment
- Then, there is the **Learning Component** that learns from the captured data by the perception component. The goal is to build computers that can be taught instead of programming them. Learning focuses on the process of self-improvement. In order to learn new things, the system requires knowledge acquisition, inference, acquisition of heuristics, faster searches, etc.

# Cycle of Knowledge Representation

- The main component in the cycle is **Knowledge Representation and Reasoning** which shows the human-like intelligence in the machines. Knowledge representation is all about understanding intelligence and focus on what an agent needs to know in order to behave intelligently. Also, it defines how automated reasoning procedures can make this knowledge available as needed.
- The **Planning and Execution** components depend on the analysis of knowledge representation and reasoning. Here, planning includes giving an initial state, finding their preconditions and effects, and a sequence of actions to achieve a state in which a particular goal holds. Now once the planning is completed, the final stage is the execution of the entire process.





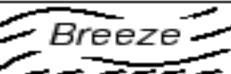
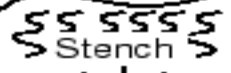
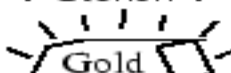

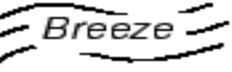
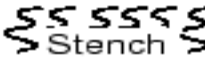




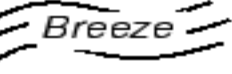
# The Wumpus World Environment



Player (Facing Down) 	Player (Facing Up) 
Wumpus (Facing Down) 	Wumpus (Facing Up) 
Player (Facing Left) 	Player (Facing Right) 
Wumpus (Facing Left) 	Wumpus (Facing Right) 
Player (Dead) 	Pot of Gold 
Wumpus (Dead) 	Bottomless Pit 

# WW Agent Description

- Performance measure
  - gold +1000, death -1000
  - -1 per step, -10 for using arrow
- Environment
  - Squares adjacent to wumpus are smelly
  - Squares adjacent to pit are breezy
  - Glitter iff gold is in same square
  - Shooting kills wumpus if agent facing it
  - Shooting uses up only arrow
  - Grabbing picks up gold if in same square
  - Releasing drops gold in same square
- Actuators
  - Left turn, right turn, forward, grab, release, shoot
- Sensors
  - Breeze, glitter, smell, bump, scream

4	 Stench		 Breeze	 PIT
3		 Breeze  Stench  Gold	 PIT	 Breeze
2	 Stench		 Breeze	
1	 START	 Breeze	 PIT	 Breeze
	1	2	3	4

# WW Environment Properties

- Observable?
  - Partial
- Deterministic?
  - Yes
- Episodic?
  - Sequential
- Static?
  - Yes (for now), wumpus and pits do not move
- Discrete?
  - Yes
- Single agent?
  - Multi (wumpus, eventually other agents)

# Sample Run

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	2,4	2,5
1,2 OK	2,2	3,2	4,2
1,1 (A) OK	2,1 OK	3,1	4,1

Percept: [None, None, None, None, None]

Deduce: Agent alive, so (1,1) OK  
No breeze, so (1,2) and (2,1) OK

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Percept: [None, None, None, None, None]

Deduce: Agent alive, so (1,1) OK  
No breeze, so (1,2) and (2,1) OK

Action: Move East (turnright, goforward)

# Sample Run


1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	2,4	2,5
1,2 OK	2,2 P?	3,2	4,2
1,1 OK	2,1 OK 	3,1 P?	4,1

Percept: [None, Breeze, None, None, None]

Deduce: Pit in (2,2) or (3,1)



# Sample Run

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	2,4	2,5
1,2 OK	2,2 P?	3,2	4,2
1,1 OK	2,1 OK 	3,1 P?	4,1

Percept: [None, Breeze, None, None, None]

Deduce: Pit in (2,2) or (3,1)

Action: Back to (1,1) then to (1,2)  
(turnleft, turnleft, goforward,  
turnright, goforward)

# Sample Run

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3 W	2,3	2,4	2,5
1,2 (A) OK	2,2 OK	3,2	4,2
1,1 OK	2,1 OK	3,1 P	4,1

Percept: [Stench, None, None, None, None]

Deduce: Wumpus in (1,3)  
No pit in (2,2), pit in (3,1)

# Sample Run

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3 W	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2 OK	2,2 OK	3,2	4,2
1,1 OK	2,1 OK	3,1 P	4,1

Percept: [Stench, None, None, None, None]

Deduce: Wumpus in (1,3)  
No pit in (2,2), pit in (3,1)

Action: Move to (2,2) (turnright, goforward)  
Ignore percept for now  
Move to (2,3) (turnleft, goforward)

# Sample Run

1,4	2,4 P?	3,4	4,4
1,3 W	2,3 OK G	3,3 P?	4,3
1,2 OK	2,2 OK	3,2	4,2
1,1 OK	2,1 OK	3,1 P	4,1

Percept: [Stench, Breeze, Glitter, None, None]

Deduce: Pit in (2,4) or (3,3)  
Gold in (2,3)

Action: Move to (2,2) (turnright, goforward)  
Ignore percept for now  
Move to (2,3) (turnleft, goforward)

# Sample Run

1,4	2,4 P?	3,4	4,4
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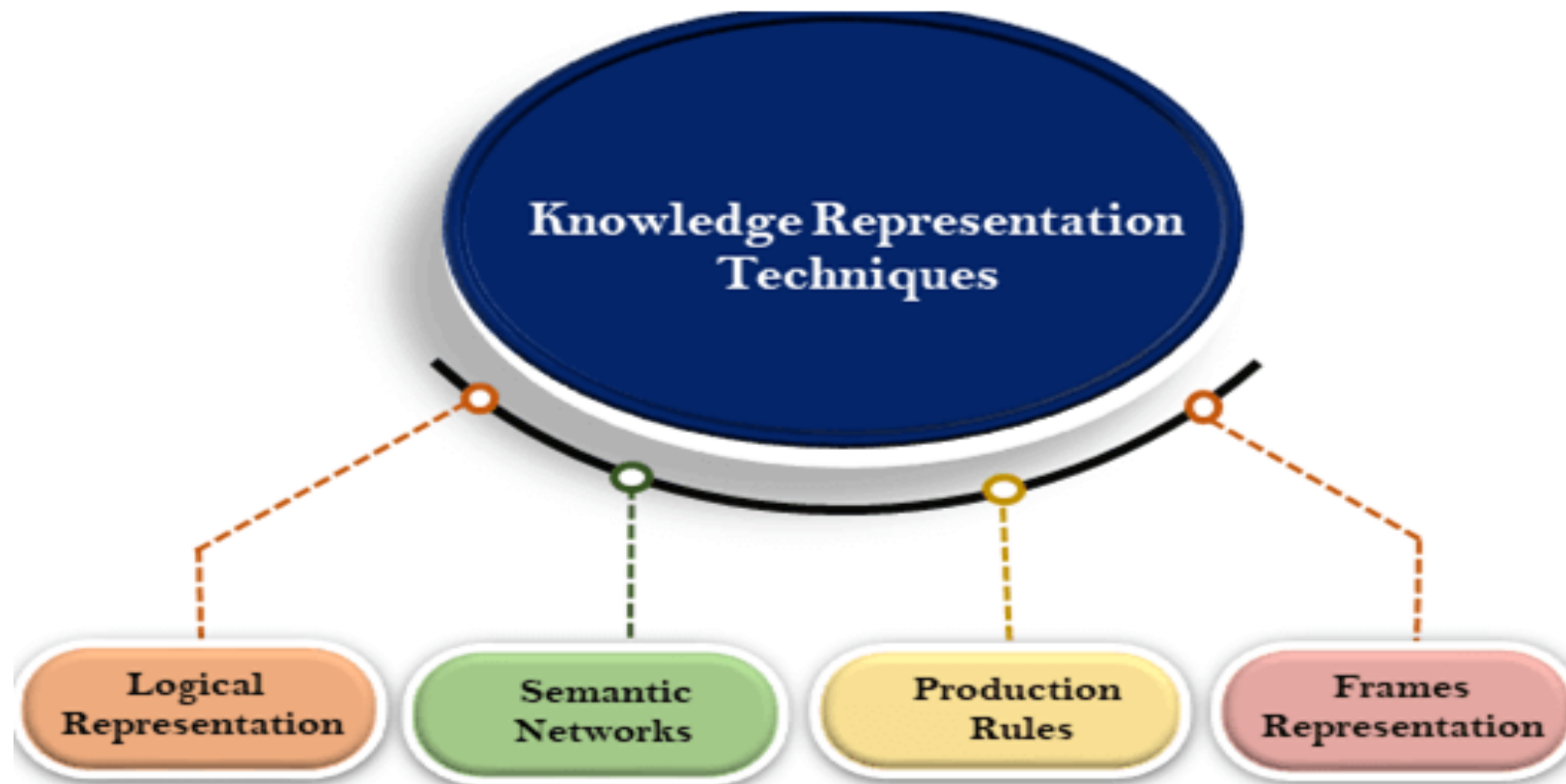
Percept: [Stench, Breeze, Glitter, None, None]

Deduce: Pit in (2,4) or (3,3)  
Gold in (2,3)

Action: Move to (1,1) through OK locations

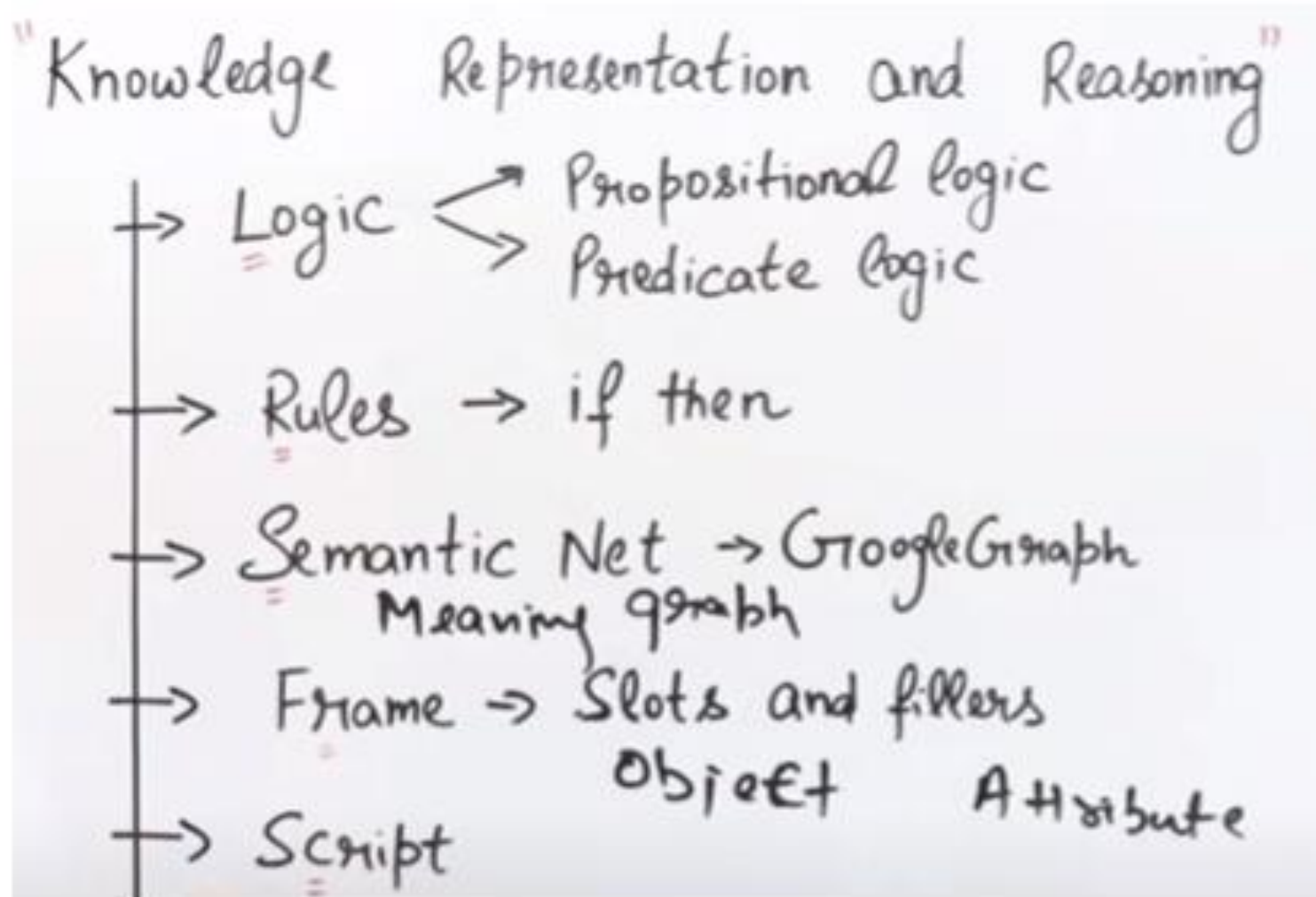
# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- How this knowledge can be represented so that a machine can make sense of it. One has to keep in mind that there are numerous ways to achieve this, and no method is perfect and has its own disadvantages.



# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- How to represent knowledge



# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- **Logical Representation**
- It is the most basic form of representing knowledge to machines where a well-defined syntax with proper rules is used.
- This syntax needs to have no ambiguity in its meaning and must deal with prepositions.
- Thus, this logical form of presentation acts as communication rules and is why it can be best used when representing facts to a machine.
- Logical representation can be categorised into mainly two logics:
  - Propositional Logics
  - Predicate logics



# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- Logical Representation can be of two types-
  - **Propositional Logic:** This type of logical representation is also known as propositional calculus or statement logic. This works in a Boolean, i.e., True or False method.
  - **First-order Logic:** This type of logical representation is also known as the First Order Predicate Calculus Logic (FOPL). This logical representation represents the objects in quantifiers and predicates and is an advanced version of propositional logic.

# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- Logical Representation
- Advantages:
  - Logical representation helps to perform logical reasoning
  - This representation is the basis for the programming languages.
- Disadvantages:
  - Logical representations have some restrictions and are challenging to work with
  - This technique may not be very natural and inference may not be very efficient.

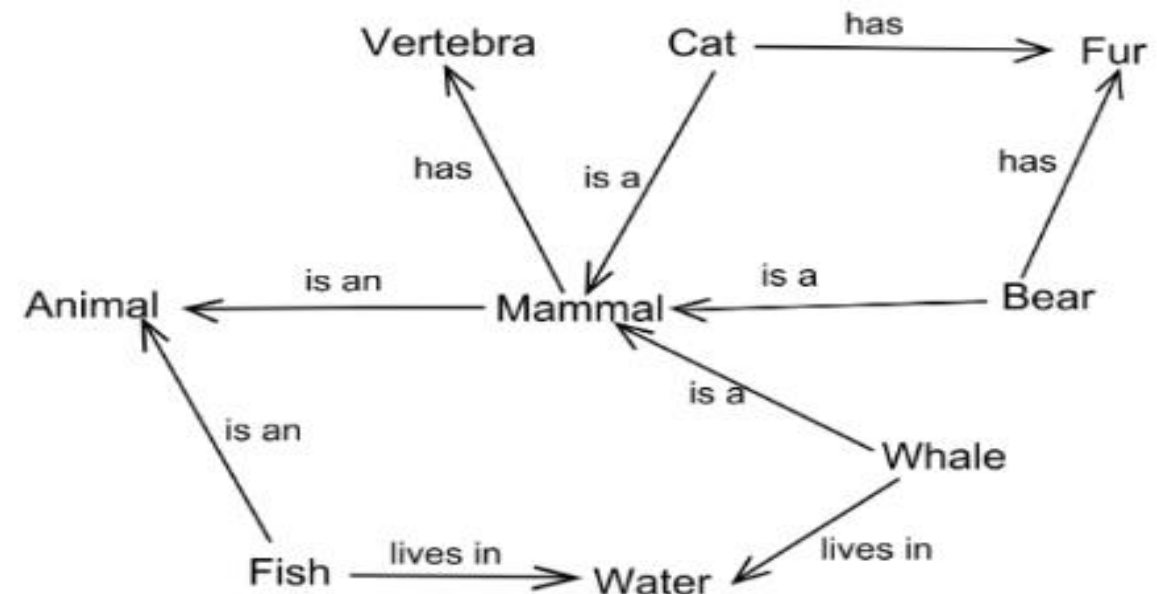
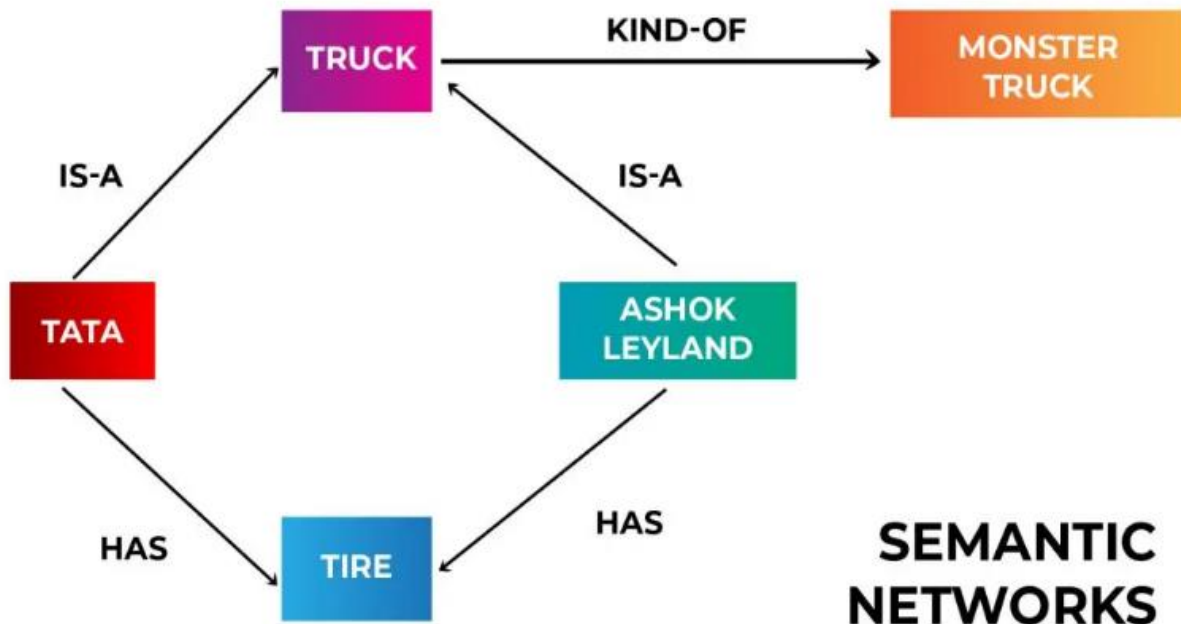
# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- **Semantic Networks**

- In this form, a graphical representation conveys how the objects are connected and are often used with a data network.
- The Semantic networks consist of node/block (the objects) and arcs/edges (the connections) that explain how the objects are connected. This form of representation is also known as an alternative to the FPOL form of representation.
- The relationships found in the Semantic Networks can be of two types – IS-A and instance (KIND-OF). This form of representation is more natural than logical. It is simple to understand however suffers from being computationally expensive and do not have the equivalent of quantifiers found in the logical representation.

# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- **Semantic Networks:** a knowledge representation that represents relationships between concepts and ideas in the form of a network. It is generally shown as a graph where concepts/ideas are “nodes” and relationships are “edges” or arrows

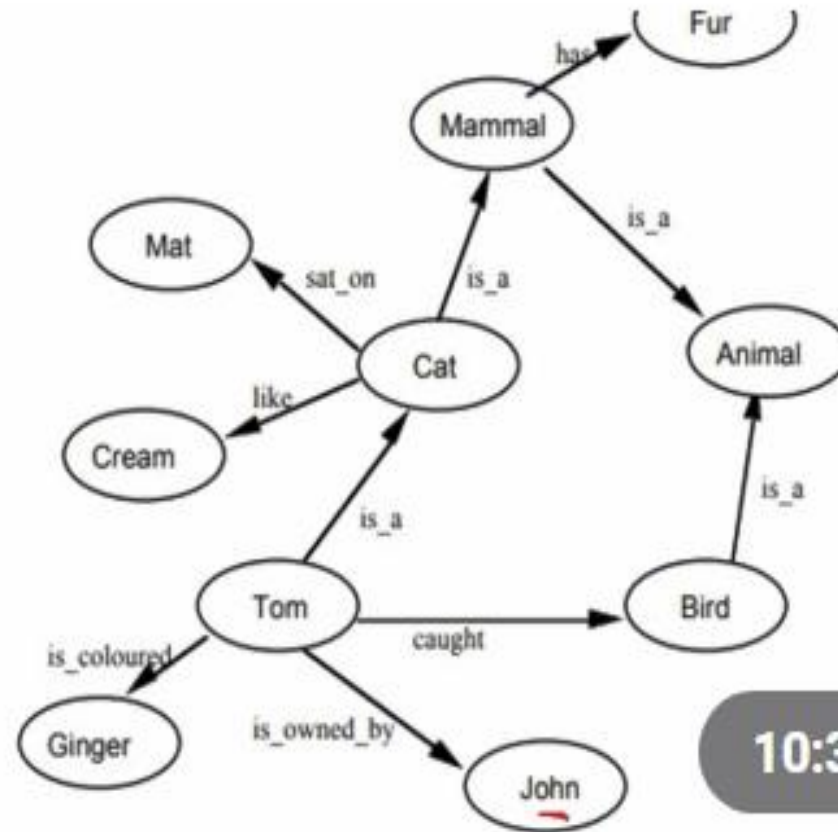


# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- Semantic Networks

## Example :

- ✓ Tom is a cat.
- ✓ Tom caught a bird.
- ✓ Tom is owned by John.
- ✓ Tom is ginger in colour.
- Cats like cream.
- The cat sat on the mat.
- A cat is a mammal.
- A bird is an animal.
- All mammals are animals.
- Mammals have fur.



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# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- Advantages:
  - Semantic networks are a natural representation of knowledge
  - It conveys meaning in a transparent manner
  - These networks are simple and easy to understand
- Disadvantages:
  - Semantic networks takes more computational time at runtime
  - These are inadequate as they do not have any equivalent quantifiers.
  - These networks are not intelligent and depends on the creator of the system.

# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- **Frame Representation**
- it is a collection of attributes and values linked to it. This AI-specific data structure uses slots and fillers (i.e., slot values, which can be of any data type and shape).
- it has a similar concept to how information is stored in a typical DBMS. These slots and fillers form a structure – a frame. The slots here have the name (attributes), and knowledge related to it is stored in the fillers.
- The biggest advantage of this form of representation is that due to its structure, similar data can be combined in groups as frame representation can divide the knowledge in structures and then further into sub-structures. Also, being like any typical data structure can be understood, visualized, manipulated easily, and typical concepts such as adding, removing, deleting slots can be done effortlessly.

# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- Advantages:

- It makes the programming easier by grouping the related data.
- Frame representation is easy to understand and visualize.
- It is very easy to add slots for new attributes and relations also it is easy to include default data and search for missing values.

- Disadvantages:

- In frame system inference, the mechanism can not be easily processed.
- The inference mechanism can not be smoothly processed by frame representation.
- It is very generalized approach.



# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- **Production Rules**
- It is among the most common ways in which knowledge is represented in AI systems. In the simplest form, it can be understood as a simple if-else rule-based system and, in a way, is the combination of Propositional and FOPL logics.
- This system comprises a set of production rules, rule applier, working memory, and a recognize act cycle. For every input, conditions are checked from the set of a production rule, and upon finding a suitable rule, an action is committed. This cycle of selecting the rule based on some conditions and consequently acting to solve the problem is known as a recognition and act cycle, which takes place for every input.

# Knowledge Representation Techniques

- Advantages:
  - Expressed in natural language
  - Production rules are highly modular and can be easily removed or modified.
- Disadvantages:
  - It does not exhibit any learning capabilities and does not store the result of the problem for future uses.
  - During the execution of program many rules may be active. Thus rule based production systems are inefficient.

# Approaches to Knowledge Representation

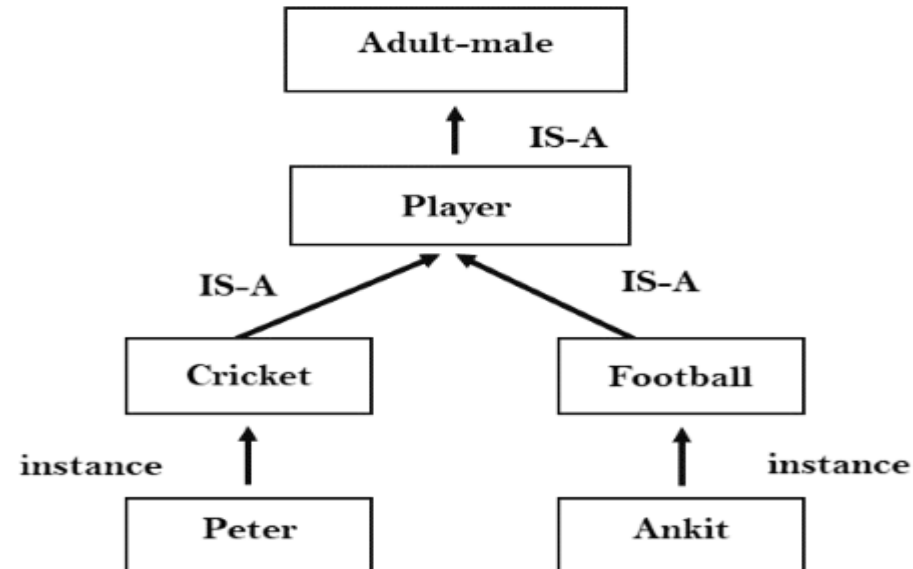
- There are different approaches to knowledge representation such as:
- **Simple Relational Knowledge**
  - It is the simplest way of storing facts which uses the relational method. Here, all the facts about a set of the object are set out systematically in columns. Also, this approach of knowledge representation is famous in database systems where the relationship between different entities is represented. Thus, there is little opportunity for inference.

Name	Age	Emp ID
John	25	100071
Amanda	23	100056
Sam	27	100042

# Approaches to Knowledge Representation

- **Inheritable Knowledge**

- In the inheritable knowledge approach, all data must be stored into a **hierarchy of classes** and should be arranged in a generalized form or a hierarchal manner. Also, this approach contains inheritable knowledge which shows a relation between instance and class, and it is called instance relation. In this approach, objects and values are represented in Boxed nodes.



# Approaches to Knowledge Representation

- **Inferential Knowledge**
- The inferential knowledge approach represents **knowledge** in the form of **formal logic**. Thus, it can be used to derive more facts. Also, it guarantees correctness.
- **Example: Statement 1:** John is a cricketer.  
**Statement 2:** All cricketers are athletes.
- Then it can be represented as; **Cricketer(John)**  
$$\forall x = \text{Cricketer}(x) \longrightarrow \text{Athelete}(x)s$$

# Logical Representation-Propositional Logic

- Propositional Logic - One of the simplest method for representing knowledge

Propositional Logic (Either True or False, not Both)

Syntax

Atomic

$1+1=2$  T

$-$  F

$P \rightarrow Q$

$P \rightarrow (Q \vee \neg R)^*$

Semantic

Complex

$\neg$  Negation (Today is Not Friday)  $\neg P$

$\vee$  Disjunction (You should Eat or Watch TV at a time)  $P \vee Q$

$\wedge$  Conjunction (Please like my video And Subscribe my channel)  $P \wedge Q$

$\rightarrow$  if then (if there is rain then the roads are wet)

$\leftrightarrow$  iff (I will go to Mall iff I have to do shopping)

$1+1=2$  T

$2+1=4$  F

MD is C. T

Some st. are Int. T/F

Today is Friday.

You can access the internet from campus only if you are CSE student or you are not freshman.

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# Logical Representation-Propositional Logic

- A statement can be defined as a declarative sentence, or part of a sentence, that is capable of having a truth-value, such as being true or false. So Propositions can be either true or false, but it cannot be both.
- **Example**, the following are statements:
  - George W. Bush is the 43rd President of the United States.
  - Paris is the capital of France.
  - Everyone born on Monday has purple hair.
- Sometimes, a statement can contain one or more other statements as parts. Consider for example, the following statement:
  - Either Ganymede is a moon of Jupiter or Ganymede is a moon of Saturn.

# Logical Representation-Propositional Logic

- **Atomic Proposition:** Atomic propositions are the simple propositions. It consists of a single proposition symbol. These are the sentences which must be either true or false.

- Example:  $2+2$  is 4, it is an atomic proposition as it is a **true** fact.

"The Sun is cold" is also a proposition as it is a **false** fact.

- **Compound proposition:** Compound propositions are constructed by combining simpler or atomic propositions, using parenthesis and logical connectives.

- Example: "It is raining today, and street is wet."

"Ankit is a doctor, and his clinic is in Mumbai."

Paris is the capital of France and Paris has a population of over two million.



# Logical Representation-Propositional Logic

- Propositional logic is also called Boolean logic as it works on 0 and 1.
- In propositional logic, we use symbolic variables to represent the logic, and we can use any symbol for a representing a proposition, such A, B, C, P, Q, R, etc.
- Propositional logic consists of an object and **logical connectives**. These connectives are also called logical operators.
- The propositions and connectives are the basic elements of the propositional logic.
- Connectives can be said as a logical operator which connects two sentences.

# Logical Connectives

- Logical connectives are used to connect two simpler propositions or representing a sentence logically. We can create compound propositions with the help of logical connectives. There are mainly five connectives, which are given as follows:
- **Negation:** A sentence such as  $\neg P$  is called negation of P. A literal can be either Positive literal or negative literal.
- **Conjunction:** A sentence which has  $\wedge$  connective such as,  $P \wedge Q$  is called a conjunction.

**Example:** Rohan is intelligent and hardworking. It can be written as,

**P= Rohan is intelligent,**

**Q= Rohan is hardworking.  $\rightarrow P \wedge Q$ .**

# Logical Connectives

- **Disjunction:** A sentence which has  $\vee$  connective, such as  $P \vee Q$ . is called disjunction, where P and Q are the propositions.

**Example: "Ritika is a doctor or Engineer",**

Here P= Ritika is Doctor. Q= Ritika is Doctor, so we can write it as  $P \vee Q$ .

- **Implication:** A sentence such as  $P \rightarrow Q$ , is called an implication.

Implications are also known as if-then rules. It can be represented as

**If** it is raining, **then** the street is wet.

Let P= It is raining, and Q= Street is wet, so it is represented as  $P \rightarrow Q$

- **Biconditional:** A sentence such as  $P \Leftrightarrow Q$  is a **Biconditional sentence**,  
**example If I am breathing, then I am alive**

P= I am breathing, Q= I am alive, it can be represented as  $P \Leftrightarrow Q$ .

# Logical Connectives

Connective symbols	Word	Technical term	Example
$\wedge$	AND	Conjunction	$A \wedge B$
$\vee$	OR	Disjunction	$A \vee B$
$\rightarrow$	Implies	Implication	$A \rightarrow B$
$\Leftrightarrow$	If and only if	Biconditional	$A \Leftrightarrow B$
$\neg$ or $\sim$	Not	Negation	$\neg A$ or $\neg B$

- Truth Table

**For Implication:**

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$
True	True	True
True	False	False
False	True	True
False	False	True

**For Biconditional:**

P	Q	$P \Leftrightarrow Q$
True	True	True
True	False	False
False	True	False
False	False	True

# Logical Connectives

- Truth Table

**For Negation:**

P	$\neg P$
True	False
False	True

**For Conjunction:**

P	Q	$P \wedge Q$
True	True	True
True	False	False
False	True	False
False	False	False

**For disjunction:**

P	Q	$P \vee Q$
True	True	True
False	True	True
True	False	True
False	False	False

# Propositional Logic

- For propositional logic, a row in the truth table is one interpretation

$P$	$Q$	$\neg P$	$P \wedge Q$	$P \vee Q$	$P \Rightarrow Q$	$P \Leftrightarrow Q$
<i>False</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>
<i>False</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>True</i>

# Logical Connectives

- Truth table with three propositions:

P	Q	R	$\neg R$	$P \vee Q$	$P \vee Q \rightarrow \neg R$
True	True	True	False	True	False
True	True	False	True	True	True
True	False	True	False	True	False
True	False	False	True	True	True
False	True	True	False	True	False
False	True	False	True	True	True
False	False	True	False	False	True
False	False	False	True	False	True

- Logical equivalence:

A	B	$\neg A$	$\neg A \vee B$	$A \rightarrow B$
T	T	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	F
F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	T

# Example

- Translation

## **Translation of English sentences to propositional logic:**

- (1) identify atomic sentences that are propositions
- (2) Use logical connectives to translate more complex composite sentences that consist of many atomic sentences

## **Assume the following sentence:**

- It is not sunny this afternoon and it is colder than yesterday.

## **Atomic sentences:**

- $p$  = It is sunny this afternoon
- $q$  = it is colder than yesterday

**Translation:**  $\neg p \wedge q$



# Example

- Translation

**Assume the following sentences:**

- It is not sunny this afternoon and it is colder than yesterday.  $\neg p \wedge q$
- We will go swimming only if it is sunny.  $r \rightarrow p$
- If we do not go swimming then we will take a canoe trip.  $\neg r \rightarrow s$
- If we take a canoe trip, then we will be home by sunset.  $s \rightarrow t$

**Denote:**

- $p$  = It is sunny this afternoon
- $q$  = it is colder than yesterday
- $r$  = We will go swimming
- $s$  = we will take a canoe trip
- $t$  = We will be home by sunset

# Formalizing English Sentences

- Let's consider a propositional language where  $p$  means "Paola is happy",  $q$  means "Paola paints a picture", and  $r$  means "Renzo is happy".
- Formalize the following sentences:
  - "if Paola is happy and paints a picture then Renzo isn't happy"
  - $p \wedge q \rightarrow \neg r$
  - "if Paola is happy, then she paints a picture"
  - $p \rightarrow q$
  - "Paola is happy only if she paints a picture"
  - $\neg(p \wedge \neg q)$  which is equivalent to  $p \rightarrow q$  !!!

# Formalizing English Sentences

- Let A ="Angelo comes to the party", B ="Bruno comes to the party", C ="Carlo comes to the party", and D ="Davide comes to the party".

1 "If Davide comes to the party then Bruno and Carlo come too"

2 "Carlo comes to the party only if Angelo and Bruno do not come"

3 "If Davide comes to the party, then, if Carlo doesn't come then Angelo comes"

4 "Carlo comes to the party provided that Davide doesn't come, but, if Davide comes, then Bruno doesn't come"

5 "A necessary condition for Angelo coming to the party, is that, if Bruno and Carlo aren't coming, Davide comes"

6 "Angelo, Bruno and Carlo come to the party if and only if Davide doesn't come, but, if neither Angelo nor Bruno come, then Davide comes only if Carlo comes"

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1 "If Davide comes to the party then Bruno and Carlo come too"

- $D \rightarrow B \wedge C$

2 "Carlo comes to the party only if Angelo and Bruno do not come"

- $C \rightarrow \neg A \wedge \neg B$

3 "If Davide comes to the party, then, if Carlo doesn't come then Angelo comes"

- $D \rightarrow (\neg C \rightarrow A)$

# Formalizing English Sentences

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- "Carlo comes to the party provided that Davide doesn't come, but, if Davide comes, then Bruno doesn't come"
  - $(C \rightarrow \neg D) \wedge (D \rightarrow \neg B)$
- "A necessary condition for Angelo coming to the party, is that, if Bruno and Carlo aren't coming, Davide comes"
  - $A \rightarrow (\neg B \wedge \neg C \rightarrow D)$
- "Angelo, Bruno and Carlo come to the party if and only if Davide doesn't come, but, if neither Angelo nor Bruno come, then Davide comes only if Carlo comes"
  - $(A \wedge B \wedge C \leftrightarrow \neg D) \wedge (\neg A \wedge \neg B \rightarrow (D \rightarrow C))$

# Contradiction and Tautology

- Some composite sentences may always (under any interpretation) evaluate to a single truth value:
- **Contradiction** (always *False*)

$$P \wedge \neg P$$

- **Tautology** (always *True*)

$$P \vee \neg P$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \\ \neg(P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \vee \neg Q) \end{array} \right\} \text{DeMorgan's Laws}$$

# Rules of Inference

- Inference: In artificial intelligence, we need intelligent computers which can create new logic from old logic or by evidence, **so generating the conclusions from evidence and facts is termed as Inference.**
- Inference rules are the templates for generating valid arguments. Inference rules are applied to derive proofs in AI, and the proof is a sequence of the conclusion that leads to the desired goal.
- Following are some terminologies related to inference rules:
- **Implication:** It is one of the logical connectives which can be represented as  $P \rightarrow Q$ . It is a Boolean expression.
- **Converse:** The converse of implication, which means the right-hand side proposition goes to the left-hand side and vice-versa. It can be written as  $Q \rightarrow P$ .

# Rules of Inference

- **Contrapositive:** The negation of converse is termed as contrapositive, and it can be represented as  $\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$ .
- **Inverse:** The negation of implication is called inverse. It can be represented as  $\neg P \rightarrow \neg Q$ .
- From the above term some of the compound statements are equivalent to each other, which we can prove using truth table:

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$	$Q \rightarrow P$	$\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$	$\neg P \rightarrow \neg Q$
T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	T
F	T	T	F	T	F
F	F	T	T	T	T



# Types of Inference Rules

- **Modus Ponens:** if  $P$  and  $P \rightarrow Q$  is true, then we can infer that  $Q$  will be true.

Notation for Modus ponens: 
$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q, P}{\therefore Q}$$

- Example
- Statement-1: "If I am sleepy then I go to bed"  $\Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$   
Statement-2: "I am sleepy"  $\Rightarrow P$   
Conclusion: "I go to bed."  $\Rightarrow Q$ .  
Hence, we can say that, if  $P \rightarrow Q$  is true and  $P$  is true then  $Q$  will be true.

- **Proof by Truth table:**

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	1	1

# Types of Inference Rules

- **Modus Tollens:** The Modus Tollens rule state that if  $P \rightarrow Q$  is true and  $\neg Q$  is true, then  $\neg P$  will also true.

Notation for Modus Tollens: 
$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q, \neg Q}{\neg P}$$

- **Statement-1:** "If I am sleepy then I go to bed"  $\Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$   
**Statement-2:** "I do not go to the bed."  $\Rightarrow \neg Q$   
**Statement-3:** Which infers that "I am not sleepy"  $\Rightarrow \neg P$

P	Q	$\neg P$	$\neg Q$	$P \rightarrow Q$
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	1	0	0	1

# Types of Inference Rules

- **Hypothetical Syllogism:** The Hypothetical Syllogism rule state that if  $P \rightarrow R$  is true whenever  $P \rightarrow Q$  is true, and  $Q \rightarrow R$  is true.
- **Statement-1:** If you have my home key then you can unlock my home.  $P \rightarrow Q$   
**Statement-2:** If you can unlock my home then you can take my money.  $Q \rightarrow R$   
**Conclusion:** If you have my home key then you can take my money.  $P \rightarrow R$

- **Proof by Truth table:**

P	Q	R	$P \rightarrow Q$	$Q \rightarrow R$	$P \rightarrow R$
0	0	0	1	1	1 ←
0	0	1	1	1	1 ←
0	1	0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	1	1 ←
1	0	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1 ←

# Types of Inference Rules

- **Disjunctive Syllogism:** The Disjunctive syllogism rule state that if  $P \vee Q$  is true, and  $\neg P$  is true, then  $Q$  will be true.

$$\text{Notation of Disjunctive syllogism: } \frac{P \vee Q, \neg P}{Q}$$

- Example
- **Statement-1:** Today is Sunday or Monday.  $\implies P \vee Q$   
**Statement-2:** Today is not Sunday.  $\implies \neg P$   
**Conclusion:** Today is Monday.  $\implies Q$
- **Proof by Truth table:**

P	Q	$\neg P$	$P \vee Q$
0	0	1	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1

# Types of Inference Rules

- **Addition:** The Addition rule is one the common inference rule, and it states that If P is true, then  $P \vee Q$  will be true.

Notation of Addition:  $\frac{P}{P \vee Q}$

- **Example:**
- **Statement:** I have a vanilla ice-cream.  $\implies P$   
**Statement-2:** I have Chocolate ice-cream.  
**Conclusion:** I have vanilla or chocolate ice-cream.  $\implies (P \vee Q)$
- **Proof by Truth table:**

P	Q	$P \vee Q$
0	0	0
1	0	1 ←
0	1	1
1	1	1 ←

# Types of Inference Rules

- **Simplification:** The simplification rule state that if  $P \wedge Q$  is true, then  $Q$  or  $P$  will also be true. It can be represented as:

Notation of Simplification rule:  $\frac{P \wedge Q}{Q}$  Or  $\frac{P \wedge Q}{P}$

- **Resolution:** The Resolution rule state that if  $P \vee Q$  and  $\neg P \wedge R$  is true, then  $Q \vee R$  will also be true. It can be represented as

Notation of Resolution  $\frac{P \vee Q, \neg P \wedge R}{Q \vee R}$

P	$\neg P$	Q	R	$P \vee Q$	$\neg P \wedge R$	$Q \vee R$
0	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	0	1	1	1 ←
0	1	1	1	1	1	1 ←
1	0	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	0	1	1	0	1
1	0	1	0	1	0	1
1	0	1	1	1	0	1 ←

# Logical Representation-Propositional Logic

- In order to draw conclusions, facts are represented in a more convenient way as,
  1. Marcus is a man.
    - `man(Marcus)`
  2. Plato is a man.
    - `man(Plato)`
  3. All men are mortal.
    - `mortal(men)`
- Caesar was a ruler
  - `ruler(Caesar )`

# Limitations of Propositional logic

- We cannot represent relations like ALL, some, or none with propositional logic.
- Example:
  - All the girls are intelligent.
  - Some apples are sweet.
- Propositional logic has limited expressive power.
- In propositional logic, we cannot describe statements in terms of their properties or logical relationships.



# Limitations of Propositional Logic

- Propositional logic cannot express general-purpose knowledge briefly
- We need 32 sentences to describe the relationship between wumpus and stench
- We would need another 32 sentences for pits and breezes
- We would need at least 64 sentences to describe the effects of actions
- Difficult to identify specific individuals (Mary, among 3)
- Generalizations, patterns, regularities difficult to represent (all triangles have 3 sides)
- Can't directly talk about properties of individuals or relations between individuals (e.g., "Bill is tall")

# Limitations of Propositional logic

- Wumpus World and propositional logic
- Find Pits in Wumpus world
  - $B_{x,y} \Leftrightarrow (P_{x,y+1} \vee P_{x,y-1} \vee P_{x+1,y} \vee P_{x-1,y})$  (Breeze next to Pit) 16 rules
- Find Wumpus
  - $S_{x,y} \Leftrightarrow (W_{x,y+1} \vee W_{x,y-1} \vee W_{x+1,y} \vee W_{x-1,y})$  (stench next to Wumpus) 16 rules
- At least one Wumpus in world
  - $W_{1,1} \vee W_{1,2} \vee \dots \vee W_{4,4}$  (at least 1 Wumpus) 1 rule
- At most one Wumpus
  - $\neg W_{1,1} \vee \neg W_{1,2}$  (155 RULES)

# Propositional Logic VS Predicate Logic

Propositional Logic	Predicate Logic
Propositional logic is the logic that deals with a collection of declarative statements which have a truth value, true or false.	Predicate logic is an expression consisting of variables with a specified domain. It consists of objects, relations and functions between the objects.
It is the basic and most widely used logic. Also known as Boolean logic.	It is an extension of propositional logic covering predicates and quantification.
A proposition has a specific truth value, either true or false.	A predicate's truth value depends on the variables' value.
Scope analysis is not done in propositional logic.	Predicate logic helps analyze the scope of the subject over the predicate. There are two quantifiers : Universal Quantifier ( $\forall$ ) depicts for all, Existential Quantifier ( $\exists$ ) depicting there exists some
Propositions are combined with Logical Operators or Logical Connectives like Negation( $\neg$ ), Disjunction( $\vee$ ), Conjunction( $\wedge$ ), Exclusive OR( $\oplus$ ), Implication( $\Rightarrow$ ), Bi-Conditional or Double Implication( $\Leftrightarrow$ ).	Predicate Logic adds by introducing quantifiers to the existing proposition.

Thank you.