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AI

lab- assignment - 4

SJ 811 sheet 4

- Aim

Established for AI subject.

To implement Unification Algorithm

- Objective

To study and implement Unification algorithm.

- Theory

Unification is making both

→ Unification Algorithm can be based on

method of substitution or unification by backtracking

Unification is a process of making two different logical atomic expression identical by finding a substitution. The UNIFY algorithm is used for unification which takes two atomic sentences and returns a unifier for those sentences. It returns fail if the expressions do not match with each other. The substitution variables are called most general unifier or MGU resolution as proof procedure.

This technique uses proof by contradiction and is based on the fact that any sentence in propositional logic can be transformed into an equivalent sentence in conjunctive normal form.

- Input: Two Literals L<sub>1</sub> & L<sub>2</sub>
- Output: A set of substitutions
- Algorithm: Unification Algorithm
- Platform: Windows
- FAQ's

### Q.1 Why resolution is required?

A It is used if there are various statements given and we need to prove a conclusion of these statements.

### Q.2 What are the prerequisites for applying unification algorithm?

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- i) Predicate symbol must be same, atoms or expression with diff. predicate symbol can never be unified
  - ii) Number of arguments in both expressions must be identical.
  - iii) Unification will fail if there are two similar variables present in same expression.

CODE :

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import random

class Variable:
    def __init__(self,value):
        self.value = value
    def __eq__(self, other):
        return self.value == other.value

class Constant:
    def __init__(self,value):
        self.value = value
    def __eq__(self, other):
        return self.value == other.value

class Rel:
    def __init__(self,name,args):
        #This is a list
        self.name = name
        self.value = str(self.name)+str([i.value for i in args])
        self.args = args

def Unify(L1,L2,testset):
    """
    L1 and L2 are Rel types, variables or constants
    """
    #If both are variable or constants
    if(isinstance(L1,Variable) or isinstance(L2,Variable) or
isinstance(L1,Constant) or isinstance(L2,Constant)):
        if L1 == L2:
            return None
        elif isinstance(L1,Variable):
            if isinstance(L2,Variable):
                print("Both missmatching variables")
                return False
            else:
                if L1.value not in testset.values():
                    return [L2,L1]
                else:
                    print("Ambigious Variable")

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                return False
elif isinstance(L2,Variable):
    if isinstance(L1,Variable):
        print("Both missmatching variables")
        return False
    else:
        if L2.value not in testset.values():
            return [L1,L2]
        else:
            print("Ambigious Variable")
            return False
    else:
        print("Mismatch")
        return False

#Ensuring the functions are the same
elif L1.name != L2.name:
    print("Relation Missmatch")
    return False
#Ensuring the functions have the same number of arguments
elif len(L1.args) != len(L2.args):
    print("length does not match")
    return False

SUBSET = {}

for i in range(len(L1.args)):
    S = Unify(L1.args[i],L2.args[i],SUBSET)
    if S==False:
        return False
    if S != None:
        SUBSET[S[0].value] = S[1].value

return SUBSET

if __name__ == "__main__":

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print(Unify(Rel("Knows", [Constant("Raj"), Variable("X")]), Rel("Knows", [Variable("Y"), Rel("Sister", [Variable("Y")])])), {}))

print()

print(Unify(Rel("Knows", [Constant("Raj"), Variable("X")]), Rel("Knows", [Variable("Y"), Constant("Seeta")])), {}))

print(Unify(Rel("Knows", [Constant("Raj"), Variable("X")]), Rel("Knows", [Variable("X"), Constant("Seeta")])), {}))
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OUTPUT:

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{'Raj': 'Y', 'Sister[Y]': 'X'}
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{'Raj': 'Y', 'Seeta': 'X'}
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Ambigious Variable

False