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• APPLY Resolution for Inference :

Problem Scenario

1 - Either Alice^A, Bob^B, or Charlie^C was in the mansion at the time of the crime^{t1}

2 - If Alice was in the mansion, then she saw^{saw(Y)} the crime.

3 - If Bob was in the mansion, then the window was open.

4 - If Charlie was in the mansion and the window was not open, then he committed^{committed(X)} the crime^y.

5 - Alice didn't see the crime.

6 - The window was not open.

7 - Assumption :-

committed (c, y)

① Translate into First-Order Logic (FOL) :-

① Disjunction statement \rightarrow It says at least one of them was there so;

$$\text{In}(a, t_1) \vee \text{In}(b, t_1) \vee \text{In}(c, t_1)$$

② Implication (if-then)

$$\text{In}(a) \rightarrow \text{saw}(a, y)$$

$$\text{or } \text{In}(a, x) \rightarrow \text{saw}(a, y)$$

③ $\text{In}(b) \rightarrow \text{open}$

$$\text{or } \text{In}(b, x) \rightarrow \text{open}$$

④ $\text{In}(c) \wedge \neg \text{open} \rightarrow \text{committed}(c, y)$

$$\text{or } \text{In}(c, x) \rightarrow \neg \text{open}$$

⑤ $\neg \text{saw}(A, y)$

⑥ $\neg \text{open}$

② Convert FOL into CNF (clausal form)

. Remove Implications ($P \rightarrow Q \equiv \neg P \vee Q$)

① $\text{In}(a, t_1) \vee \text{In}(b, t_1) \vee \text{In}(c, t_1)$

is already in the CNF form.

② $\neg \text{In}(a, x) \vee \text{saw}(a, y)$

③ $\neg \text{In}(b, x) \vee \text{open}$

④ $\neg(\text{In}(c) \wedge \neg\text{open}) \vee \text{committed}(c,y)$

De-morgan's Law

$\neg\text{In}(c) \vee \text{open} \vee \text{committed}(c,y)$

⑤ $\neg\text{saw}(a,y)$; is already in CNF

⑥ $\neg\text{open}$ (already in CNF).

③ Apply Resolution (Refutation) $\neg\text{committed}(c,y)$

→ Add the negation of the query for refutation.

Available clauses :-

$[\text{In}(a,y) \vee \text{In}(b,y) \vee \neg\text{In}(c,y)] \vee [\neg\text{In}(a,y) \vee$
 $\text{saw}(a,y)] \vee [\text{In}(b,y) \vee \text{open}] \vee [\neg\text{In}(c,y) \vee \text{open}]$
 $\vee \text{committed}(c,y)] \vee [\neg\text{saw}(a,y)] \vee [\neg\text{open}]$

→ Applying Resolution

$\neg\text{In}(a,y) \vee \text{saw}(a,y)$

$\neg\text{saw}(a,y)$

$\neg\text{In}(a,y)$ → ①

$\neg\text{In}(c) \vee \text{open} \vee \text{committed}(c,y)$

$\neg\text{open}$

$\neg\text{In}(c,y)$ → ②
 $\vee \text{committed}(c,y)$

From eq. ① and ②

$\text{In}(a,y) \vee \text{In}(b,y) \vee \text{In}(c,y)$

$\text{committed}(c,y) \vee \neg\text{In}(a,y) \vee \neg\text{In}(c,y)$

$\text{committed}(\text{c}_1\text{y}) \vee \text{In}(\text{b}_1\text{y}) \quad \dots \quad (3)$

$\neg \text{In}(\text{b}_1\text{y}) \vee \text{open}$

$\text{open} \vee \text{committed}(\text{c}_1\text{y})$

$\text{committed}(\text{c}_1\text{y}) \vee \text{open}$

$\neg \text{open}$

(can be used again)

$\boxed{\text{committed}(\text{c}_1\text{y})}$

So,

$\text{committed}(\text{c}_1\text{y})$ and $\neg \text{committed}(\text{c}_1\text{y})$

Contradicts.

Hence query is proved that,

Charlie committed the crime!!