

CSC520 - Artificial Intelligence

Lecture 11

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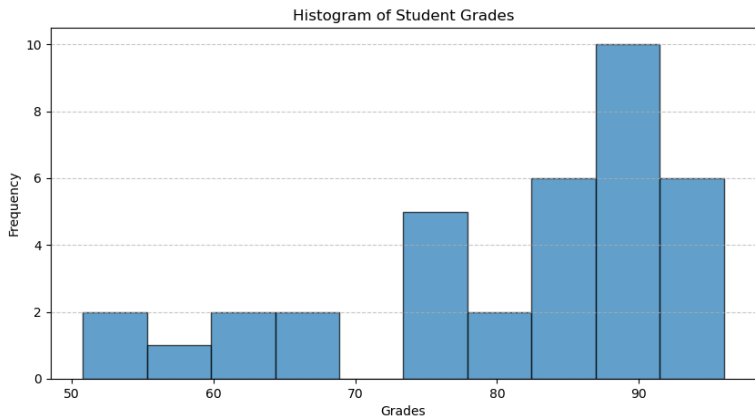
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Agenda

- Knowledge-based agents
- Propositional logic

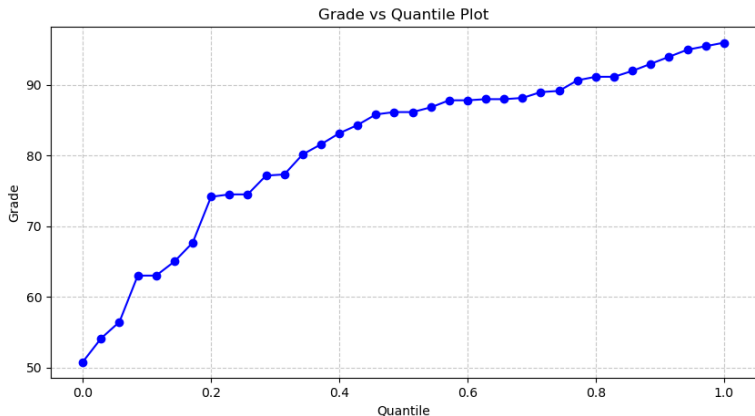
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Knowledge-based Agent

- Knowledge-base is a set of sentences in a formal language
- Sentences represent some assertions about the world
- Agent can add sentences (using TELL) to its knowledge-base and query its knowledge-base (using ASK)
 - ▶ TELL: If there is a high chance of rain, carry an umbrella
 - ▶ TELL: If it is cloudy, there is a high chance of rain
 - ▶ TELL: It is cloudy
 - ▶ ASK: Should I carry an umbrella?
- Declarative approach for building an agent
 - ▶ TELL it what it needs to know
- In contrast, procedural approach encodes behaviors in code

Knowledge-based Agent

function KB-AGENT(*percept*) **return** an action

persistent: *KB*, a knowledge base, *t*, a time counter, initially 0

TELL(*KB*, MAKE-PERCEPT-SENTENCE(*percept*, *t*))

action \leftarrow ASK(*KB*, MAKE-ACTION-QUERY(*t*))

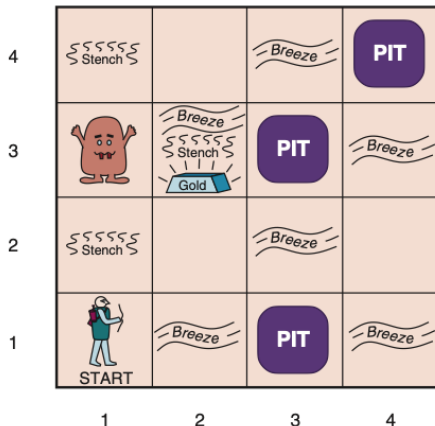
TELL(*KB*, MAKE-ACTION-SENTENCE(*action*, *t*))

t $\leftarrow t + 1$

return *action*

Wumpus World

- Performance measure
 - ▶ Gold +1000, death -1000
 - ▶ -1 per step, -10 for arrow
- Environment
 - ▶ 4x4 grid of rooms
 - ▶ Squares adjacent to wumpus are smelly and adjacent to pit are breezy
 - ▶ Glitter if gold in the square
 - ▶ Agent dies if pit or wumpus
 - ▶ Shooting kills wumpus
- Actuators
 - ▶ Forward, turn left, turn right, grab, shoot, climb
- Sensors
 - ▶ Stench, breeze, glitter, bump, scream



Wumpus Environment

- Fully observable? No, partially observable due to local perception
- Deterministic? Yes, since outcomes are specified
- Episodic? No, sequential at the level of actions
- Static? Yes, wumpus and pits don't move
- Discrete? Yes
- Single-agent? Yes, wumpus is part of the env

Exploring the Wumpus World

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2	2,2	3,2	4,2
OK			
1,1	2,1	3,1	4,1
A OK	OK		

A = Agent
B = Breeze
G = Glitter, Gold
OK = Safe square
P = Pit
S = Stench
V = Visited
W = Wumpus

1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2	2,2 P?	3,2	4,2
OK			
1,1	2,1	3,1 P?	4,1
V OK	A B OK		

- KB initially contains the rules of the environment
- [1, 1]: Percept [*none, none, none, none, none*], [1, 2] and [2, 1] are safe
- [2, 1]: Percept [*none, breeze, none, none, none*], pit in [2, 2] or [3, 1]

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1,4	2,4	3,4	4,4
1,3 W!	2,3	3,3	4,3
1,2 A S OK	2,2 OK	3,2	4,2
1,1 V OK	2,1 B V OK	3,1 P!	4,1

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1,2 S V OK	2,2 V OK	3,2	4,2
1,1 V OK	2,1 B V OK	3,1 P!	4,1

- [1,2]: Percept [stench, none, none, none, none], wumpus can be in [1,1], [1,3] or [2,2]
- Wumpus not in [1,1]
- Wumpus not in [2,2] since no stench in [2,1]
- Wumpus is in [1,3]
- [2,2] is safe since no breeze in [1,2]
- pit in [3,1]; move to safe cell [2,2]

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- [2, 2]: Percept [*none, none, none, none, none*], [2, 3] and [3, 2] are safe; agent moves to [2, 3]
- [2, 3]: Percept [*stench, breeze, glitter, none, none*]
- Pick up gold!
- Pit in [3, 3] or [2, 4]

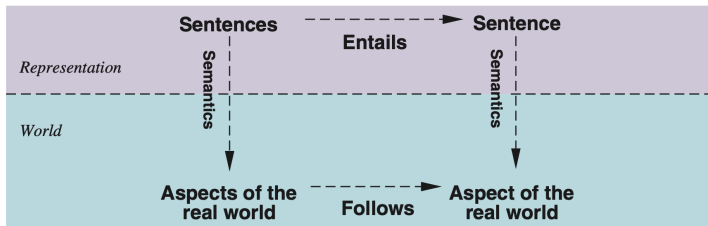
Logic in General

- Logics are formal languages for representing information such that conclusions can be drawn
- Syntax defines the sentences in the language
- Semantics define the meaning of sentences
 - ▶ Define truth of a sentence in a “possible world” (model)
- E.g., consider the language of arithmetic
- Syntax
 - ▶ $x + 2 \geq y$ is a sentence
 - ▶ $x + y >$ is not a sentence
- Semantics
 - ▶ $x + 2 \geq y$ is *true* iff $x + 2$ is no less than y
 - ▶ $x + 2 \geq y$ is *true* in a *world* where $x = 7, y = 1$
 - ▶ $x + 2 \geq y$ is *false* in a *world* where $x = 0, y = 6$

Entailment

- Entailment means that one thing follows from another
- $KB \models \alpha$
- Knowledge base KB entails a sentence α if and only if α is true in *all worlds* where KB is true
- E.g., $x + y = 4$ entails $x = 4 - y$

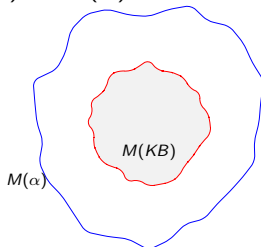
Entailment



If KB is true in the real world, then any sentence α derived from KB by a *sound inference procedure* is also true in the real world

Models

- Model is a formally structured world with respect to which truth can be evaluated
- m is a model of a sentence α if α is *true* in m
 - ▶ Suppose α is the sentence $x + 2 \geq y$
 - ▶ Then, one model m_1 of α is a world where $x = 7, y = 1$
 - ▶ Another model m_2 of α is a world where $x = 4, y = 2$
- $M(\alpha)$ is a set of all models of α
 - ▶ For the sentence $x + 2 \geq y$: $M(\alpha) = \{m_1, m_2, \dots\}$
- Then $KB \models \alpha$ iff $M(KB) \subseteq M(\alpha)$

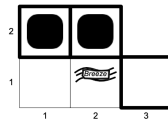
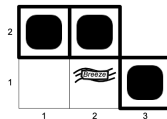
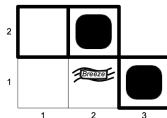
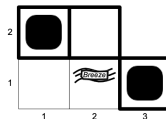
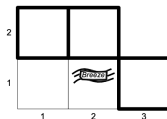
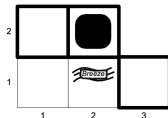
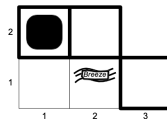
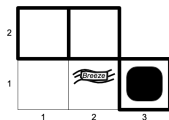


Entailment in Wumpus World

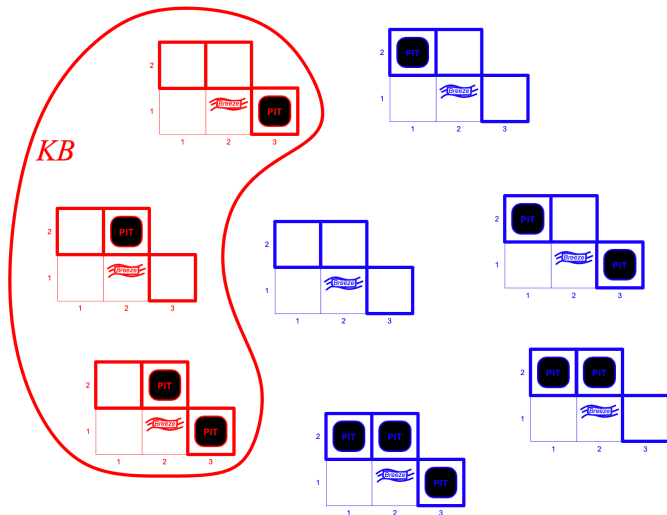
- Consider the situation after detecting nothing in $[1, 1]$ followed by detecting breeze in $[2, 1]$
- Possible models for ?s assuming only pits
- 3 Boolean variables, $2^3=8$ possible models

?	?		
<div><div>A</div><div>→</div><div>A</div></div>	<div>B</div>	?	

Wumpus Models

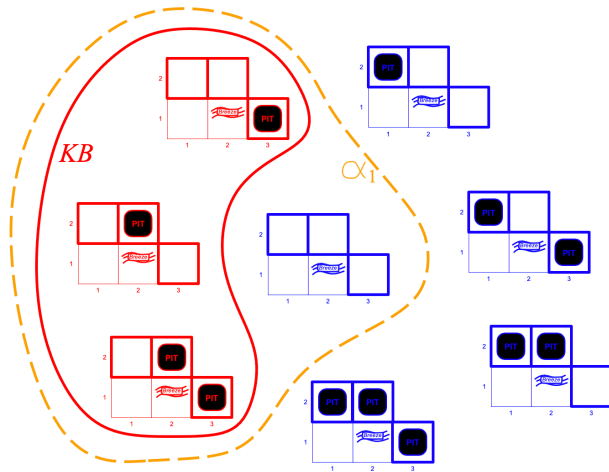


Wumpus Models



$KB = \text{wumpus world rules} + \text{observations}$

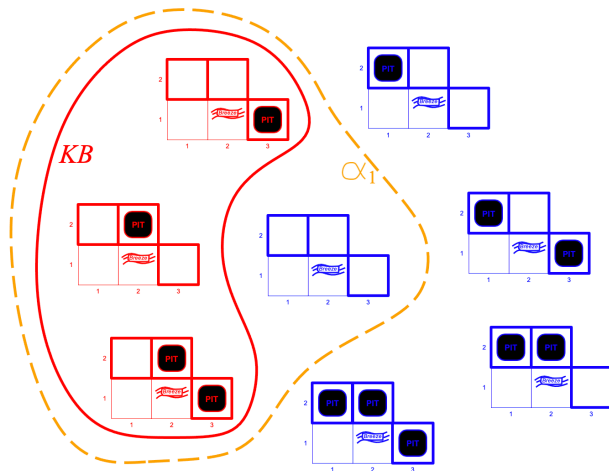
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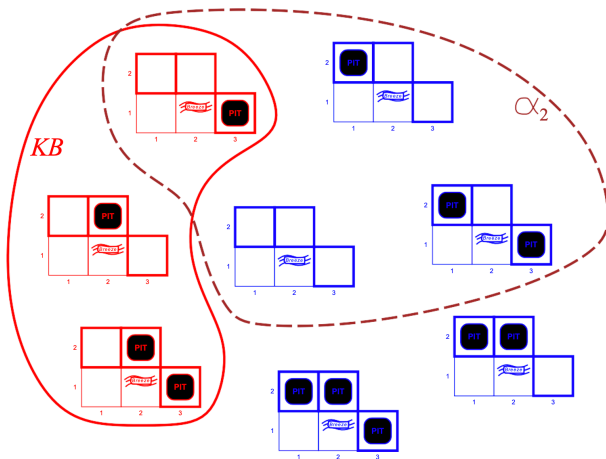
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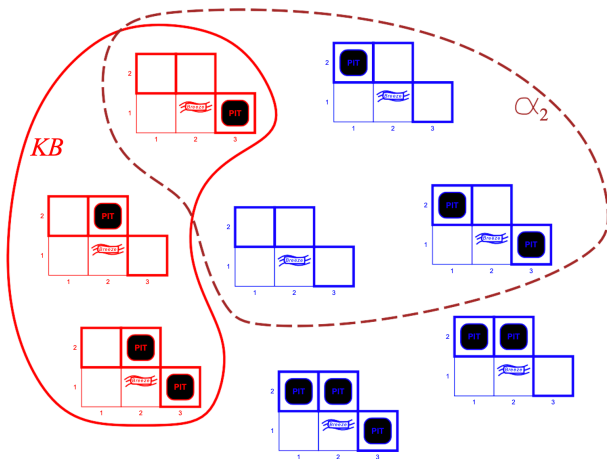
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Wumpus Models



$KB = \text{wumpus world rules} + \text{observations}$
 $\alpha_2 = [2, 2]$ is safe; Does KB entail α_2 ?

Wumpus Models



$KB = \text{wumpus world rules} + \text{observations}$
 $\alpha_2 = [2, 2]$ is safe; Does KB entail α_2 ? $M(KB) \not\subseteq M(\alpha_2)$

Inference Procedures

- $KB \vdash_i \alpha$: Sentence α can be derived from KB by procedure i
- Soundness: Procedure i is sound if it derives only entailed sentences
 - ▶ When $KB \vdash_i \alpha$ it is also true that $KB \models \alpha$
- Completeness: Procedure i is complete if it can derive any sentence that is entailed
 - ▶ Whenever $KB \models \alpha$ it is also true that $KB \vdash_i \alpha$

Propositional Logic

- Propositional logic is the simplest logic
- Proposition symbols e.g. P , Q , etc. are sentences
- Negation: If S is a sentence, $\neg S$ is a sentence
- Conjunction: If S_1 and S_2 are sentences, $S_1 \wedge S_2$ is a sentence
- Disjunction: If S_1 and S_2 are sentences, $S_1 \vee S_2$ is a sentence
- Implication: If S_1 and S_2 are sentences, $S_1 \Rightarrow S_2$ is a sentence
- Biconditional: If S_1 and S_2 are sentences, $S_1 \Leftrightarrow S_2$ is a sentence

Propositional Logic Semantics

- Model specifies true or false value for each proposition
 - ▶ Consider three propositions: $P_{1,2}, P_{2,2}, P_{3,1}$
 - ▶ A possible model is: $m_1 = \{P_{1,2} = \text{false}, P_{2,2} = \text{false}, P_{3,1} = \text{true}\}$
- Rules for evaluating truth with respect to a model m
 - ▶ $\neg S$ is true iff S is false
 - ▶ $S_1 \wedge S_2$ is true iff S_1 is true and S_2 is true
 - ▶ $S_1 \vee S_2$ is true iff S_1 is true or S_2 is true
 - ▶ $S_1 \Rightarrow S_2$ is true iff S_1 is false or S_2 is true
 - ▶ $S_1 \Leftrightarrow S_2$ is true iff $S_1 \Rightarrow S_2$ is true and $S_2 \Rightarrow S_1$ is true
- Simple recursive process evaluates an arbitrary sentence
 - ▶ $\neg P_{1,2} \wedge (P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1})$

Truth Tables for Connectives

P	Q	$\neg P$	$P \wedge Q$	$P \vee Q$	$P \Rightarrow Q$	$P \Leftrightarrow Q$
false	false	true	false	false	true	true
false	true	true	false	true	true	false
true	false	false	false	true	false	false
true	true	false	true	true	true	true

Wumpus World Sentences

- Let $P_{i,j}$ be *true* if there is a pit in $[i,j]$
- Let $B_{i,j}$ be *true* if there is breeze in $[i,j]$
- There is no pit in $[1,1]$

$$R_1 : \neg P_{1,1}$$

- Pits cause breeze in adjacent squares

$$R_2 : B_{1,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$$

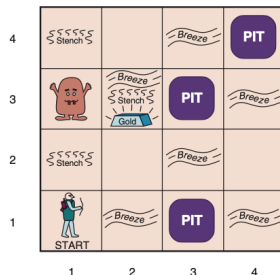
$$R_3 : B_{2,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,1} \vee P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1})$$

- There is no breeze in $[1,1]$

$$R_4 : \neg B_{1,1}$$

- There is breeze in $[2,1]$

$$R_5 : B_{2,1}$$



Model Checking Wumpus World Sentences

$B_{1,1}$	$B_{2,1}$	$P_{1,1}$	$P_{1,2}$	$P_{2,1}$	$P_{2,2}$	$P_{3,1}$	R_1	R_2	R_3	R_4	R_5	KB
false	false	false	false	false	false	false	true	true	true	true	false	false
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KB

- $R_1 : \neg P_{1,1}$
- $R_2 : B_{1,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$
- $R_3 : B_{2,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,1} \vee P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1})$
- $R_4 : \neg B_{1,1}$
- $R_5 : B_{2,1}$
- Does $KB \models \alpha$ where $\alpha = \neg P_{1,2}$?
- Does $KB \models \alpha$ where $\alpha = \neg P_{2,2}$?

Inference by Enumeration

function TT-ENTAILS(KB, α) true or false

inputs: KB , a knowledge base, α , a sentence

$symbols \leftarrow$ a list of proposition symbols in KB and α

return TT-CHECK-ALL($KB, \alpha, symbols, \{\}$)

function TT-CHECK-ALL($KB, \alpha, symbols, model$) true or false

if EMPTY($symbols$) **then**

if PL-TRUE($KB, model$) **then return** PL-TRUE($\alpha, model$)

else return true

else

$P \leftarrow$ FIRST($symbols$)

$rest \leftarrow$ REST($symbols$)

return TT-CHECK-ALL($KB, \alpha, rest, model \cup \{P = true\}$)

and TT-CHECK-ALL($KB, \alpha, rest, model \cup \{P = false\}$)

Class Exercise

$B_{1,1}$	$B_{2,1}$	$P_{1,1}$	$P_{1,2}$	$P_{2,1}$	$P_{2,2}$	$P_{3,1}$	R_1	R_2	R_3	R_4	R_5	KB
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KB

- $R_1 : \neg P_{1,1}$
- $R_2 : B_{1,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$
- $R_3 : B_{2,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,1} \vee P_{2,2} \vee P_{3,1})$
- $R_4 : \neg B_{1,1}$
- $R_5 : B_{2,1}$
- Does $KB \models \alpha$ where $\alpha = \neg P_{3,1}$? Explain your answer.