



Modelling I

Exercise:

Last lecture

(Make sure Java is on your system)

(Make sure Eclipse is on your system)

Download and install Choco as an Eclipse project

Model and solve the following problem:

$V = \{V1, V2, V3, V4\}$

$D = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ for each var

$C = \{V1 \leq V4 - 1,$
 $V1 < V2,$
 $V2 + V3 > 6,$
 $V2 + V4 = 5,$
 $V4 < V3\}$

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import org.chocosolver.solver.Solver;
import org.chocosolver.solver.constraints.IntConstraintFactory;
import org.chocosolver.solver.trace.Chatterbox;
import org.chocosolver.solver.variables.IntVar;
import org.chocosolver.solver.variables.VariableFactory;

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Note: represent
 $V1 \leq V4 - 1$
as
 $V1 - V4 \leq -1$

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public class FirstExercise {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        //create a solver object that will solve the problem for us
        Solver solver = new Solver();

        //create the variables and domains for the problem, and add to the solver
        IntVar V1 = VariableFactory.enumerated("V1", 1, 5, solver);
        IntVar V2 = VariableFactory.enumerated("V2", 1, 5, solver);
        IntVar V3 = VariableFactory.enumerated("V3", 1, 5, solver);
        IntVar V4 = VariableFactory.enumerated("V4", 1, 5, solver);

        //create the constraints
        solver.post(IntConstraintFactory.arithm(V1, "-", V4, "<=", -1));
        solver.post(IntConstraintFactory.arithm(V1, "<", V2));
        solver.post(IntConstraintFactory.arithm(V2, "+", V3, ">", 6));
        solver.post(IntConstraintFactory.arithm(V2, "+", V4, "=", 5));
        solver.post(IntConstraintFactory.arithm(V4, "<", V3));

        Chatterbox.showSolutions(solver); //just show the final result

        //ask the solver to find a solution
        solver.findSolution();

        Chatterbox.printStatistics(solver);
    }
}

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Solutions: $\{(1,2,5,3), (1,3,4,2), (1,3,5,2)\}$

Remembering my PIN

I find it difficult to remember my PIN, but we are not supposed to write it down, so I have created a constraint problem whose solution is the PIN.

- my PIN has 4 digits ($a-b-c-d$) and all of them are different
- the two-digit number cd is 3 times the two-digit number ab
- the two digit number bc is 2 times the two-digit number da

What is my PIN?

Model this problem as a CSP, and then implement it in Choco

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