

# Dissertation Notes

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## 1 XOR parser recipe shown using an example

1. Given input file that looks as follows:  
 $\phi = \text{father}(x) \neq \text{Adam} \Rightarrow \text{mother}(x) \neq \text{Beth}$
2. Convert functions into relations:  
 $\neg \text{father}(x, \text{Adam}) \Rightarrow \neg \text{mother}(x, \text{Beth})$
3. Retrieve domain  $D = \{\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}\}$
4. Ground with rank  $k=0$  w.r.t. domain  $D$ :  
Ground model:  
 $\text{domain } D \supseteq \{\text{Beth}, \text{Adam}\}$   
 $\neg \text{mother}(\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Adam}, \text{Adam})$   
 $\neg \text{mother}(\text{Beth}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Beth}, \text{Adam})$
5. Perform  $\text{RGND}(\phi) = \text{GND}(\phi, 0) \cup \{\neg \text{mother}(\text{Bob}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Bob}, \text{Adam})\}$ .  
Here, rank  $k=1$ , Bob is an arbitrary constant chosen from  $N - \{\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}\}$ , thus, now  $D = \{\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}, \text{Bob}\}$ :

$\neg \text{mother}(\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Adam}, \text{Adam})$   
 $\neg \text{mother}(\text{Beth}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Beth}, \text{Adam})$   
 $\neg \text{mother}(\text{Bob}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Bob}, \text{Adam})$

6. Perform  $\text{XOR}(\phi) = \text{RGND}(\phi) \cup \{\text{XOR}(t, D) : t \in T\}$   $T = \{\text{father}(\text{Adam}), \text{father}(\text{Beth}), \text{father}(\text{Bob}), \text{mother}(\text{Adam}), \text{mother}(\text{Beth}), \text{mother}(\text{Bob})\}$ :  
 $\text{XOR}(\phi) = (\neg \text{mother}(\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Adam}, \text{Adam}))$   
 $\wedge (\neg \text{mother}(\text{Beth}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Beth}, \text{Adam}))$   
 $\wedge (\neg \text{mother}(\text{Bob}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Bob}, \text{Adam}))$   
 $\wedge \{(\text{father}(\text{Adam}, \text{Adam}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Adam}, \text{Bob}))$   
 $\wedge (\text{father}(\text{Beth}, \text{Adam}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Beth}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Beth}, \text{Bob}))$   
 $\wedge (\text{father}(\text{Bob}, \text{Adam}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Bob}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{father}(\text{Bob}, \text{Bob}))$   
 $\wedge (\text{mother}(\text{Adam}, \text{Adam}) \vee \text{mother}(\text{Adam}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{mother}(\text{Adam}, \text{Bob}))$   
 $\wedge (\text{mother}(\text{Beth}, \text{Adam}) \vee \text{mother}(\text{Beth}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{mother}(\text{Beth}, \text{Bob}))$   
 $\wedge (\text{mother}(\text{Bob}, \text{Adam}) \vee \text{mother}(\text{Bob}, \text{Beth}) \vee \text{mother}(\text{Bob}, \text{Bob}))\}$

The above is an expected output.