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Abstract.

1 Algorithms

1.1 StatePreference

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1: function ISACCEPTABLE(value, relation)
2:   if (relation = dominant) then
3:     return (score(value) > bestScoreOfPreference × 0.7)
4:   if (relation = peer) then
5:     return (score(value) > 0)
6:   if (relation = sub) then
7:     return (score(value) > 0 or isInOAS(value))
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Fig. 1: Function to compute the acceptability of a value of preference

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1: function COMPUTEACCEPTABLEPROPOSALS(Value, relation)      ▷ Value is a
   criterion type (eg:cuisine,cost) or option(eg: restaurant)
2:   SelfAcceptable(Value)      ▷ List of acceptable values. see Fig. 7
3:   OtherAcceptable(Value)      ▷ List of values which are acceptable for the user.
4:   proposals                  ▷ ListofProposals
5:   if (relation = dominant) then
6:     for all (V : SelfAcceptable) do
7:       if V was not proposed in the negotiation then add(V) to proposals.
8:   if relation = peer or submissive then
9:     for all (V : OtherAcceptable) do
10:      if V was not rejected or accepted in the negotiation and isAcceptable(V)
11:      then add(V) to proposals.
12:   return proposals.
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Fig. 2: Function to compute proposals values

1.2 Propose

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1: function COMPUTEPROPOSALS(relation)
2:   Proposals = ComputeAcceptableProposals(currentDiscussedCriterion, relation)
3:   if (Proposals is empty) then
4:     Proposals = ComputeAcceptableProposals(OpenNewCriterion, relation)
    ▷ Open new criterion which has not been negotiated yet
5:   if (Proposals is empty) then Proposal =
     ComputeAcceptableProposals(Options, relation)    ▷ compute acceptables
     options if all criteria have been already discussed
6:   return proposals.

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Fig. 3: Function to compute proposals in a negotiation.

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1: function REACTTOUSER(less, more)
2:   if (more = MostPrefferedValue() and (*, more)  $\notin$  OAS) then
3:     return (*, more)
4:   if (more = LeastPrefferedValue() and (more, *)  $\notin$  OAS) then
5:     return (more, *)
6:   The conditions (2, 4) are also applied for less
7:   (less', more') = computePreference(less, more)    ▷ calculates a preference
   from a criterion
8:   if (less', more')  $\in$  OAS then
9:     (less1, more1) = reactToCriterion(more)
10:    if (less1, more1) = null then
11:      (less2, more2) = reactToCriterion(less)
12:      if (less2, more2) = null then
13:        return (less', more')
14:      elsereturn (less2, more2)
15:   return (less', more')

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Fig. 4: Function to react to a preference (less,more)

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1: function REACTTOREJECTABLEPROPOSAL((Proposal))
2:   if (Proposal isCriterionProposal) then
3:     return reactToCriterion(Proposal)
4:   if (Proposal isOptionProposal) then
5:     return reactToCriterion(getLeastScoredValue(Proposal))
6:     ▷ getLeastScoredValue(Proposal) returns the criterion value of the
   proposal with the least score

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Fig. 5: Function to compute a preference if the proposal is not acceptable.

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1: function COUNTERPROPOSE((Proposal))
2:   if (Proposal isCriterionProposal and isAcceptable(Proposal)) then
3:     return ComputeAcceptableProposal()    ▷ compute an acceptable option
   that contains the acceptable criterion
4:   if isNotAccepted(Proposal) then
5:     return computeProposal()    ▷ Compute a counter proposal

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Fig. 6: Function to compute a counter proposal.

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1: function CANPROPOSE()  
2:   if isNotSub() and isCriterionProposal(LastAcceptedProposal) then  
3:     return true  
4:   if isSub() and openNewCriterion = null then  
5:     return true
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Fig. 7: Function to compute a preference if the proposal is not acceptable.