

KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION AND REASONING

PROJECT 2

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Chapter 1

Backward-Forward-Chaining

1.1 Knowledge base

Rules:

- If a car has a sunroof and also has a premium sound system is considered a luxury car.
- If a car cost more that 30000 the car is expensive.
- If a car is expensive it has an interface.
- If a luxury car has an interface is a high end car.

Questions:

1. What is the car's price?
2. Does the car have a sunroof?
3. Does the car have a premium sound system?
4. Does the car have an interface?

Goal: Determine whether a car is high-end or not.

Horn clauses in CNF:

1. [n(sunroof), n(premiumSoundSystem), luxuryCar]
2. [n(cost),expensive]
3. [n(expensive), interface]
4. [n(luxuryCar), n(interface),highEndCar]

Where x represents a car, Sunroof(x) is a predicate indicating whether the car has a sun-roof, PremiumSoundSystem(x) is a predicate indicating whether the car has a premium sound system, Cost(x) represents the price of the car, and Interface(x) is a predicate indicating whether the car has an interface.

1.2 Implemented Predicates

The following Predicates we're implemented in order to apply forward chaining and backward chaining on a knowledge-based written as Horn clauses based on some rules and answers of some questions related to the kb.

- negate: returns the negated value of an element.
- read_knowledge_base: reads the kb from a file as a list.
- ask_q: asks the questions to the user.
- to_pred: converts the user answer to the necessary predicate
- append_kb: used to concatenate the kb based on the rules with the kb based on user answers.
- contained: verify if all elements of a list are contained in another list.

- `get_negated_elements`: return the non-negated values of all the negated predicates from a list.
- `backward`: algorithm for backward inference on a kb with a goal.
- `forward`: algorithm for forward inference on a kb with a goal.
- `back_forw_chaining`: calls the program.

1.3 Code

```
negate(n(A),A).
```

```
negate(A,n(A)).
```

```
read_knowledge_base(S,[]) :-
```

```
    at_end_of_stream(S).
```

```
read_knowledge_base(S,[L|R]) :-
```

```
    not(at_end_of_stream(S)),
```

```
    read(S,L),
```

```
    read_knowledge_base(S,R).
```

```
ask_q([[P1],[P2],[P3],[P4]]) :-
```

```
    has_premium_sound_system(P3),
```

```
    car_price(P1),
```

```
    has_sunroof(P2),
```

```
    has_interface(P4).
```

```
to_pred(yes,SPredicate,SPredicate):-!.
```

```

to_pred(y,SPredicate,SPredicate):-!.
to_pred(no,SPredicate,n(SPredicate)):-!.
to_pred(n,SPredicate,n(SPredicate)):-!.
to_pred(Price,SPredicate,SPredicate):-
    Price >= 15000,
    !.
to_pred(_,SPredicate,n(SPredicate)):-!.

car_price(Predicate):-
    repeat,
    writeln('What is the car price?'),
    read(Price),
    nl,
    (
    number(Price),
    Price >= 1
    ->
        to_pred(Price, cost, Predicate),
        !;
        writeln('The input should be a non null number.'), fail
    ).

has_sunroof(Predicate):-
    repeat,
    writeln('Does the car have a sunroof?'),
    read(USER_ANS),

```

```
nl,
    (
member(USER_ANS, [yes, no, y, n])
->
    to_pred(USER_ANS, sunroof, Predicate),!
;
    writeln('The input should be yes,y,no or n.'), fail
).

has_premium_sound_sistem(Predicate):-
    repeat,
    writeln('Does the car have a premium sound system?'),
    read(USER_ANS),
nl,
    (
member(USER_ANS, [yes, no, y, n])
->
    to_pred(USER_ANS, premiumSoundSystem, Predicate),!
;
    writeln('The input should be yes,y,no or n.'), fail
).

has_interface(Predicate):-
    repeat,
    writeln('Does the car have an interface?'),
    read(USER_ANS),
```

```

    nl,
    (
member(USER_ANS, [yes, no, y, n])
->
to_pred(USER_ANS, interface, Predicate),!
;
    writeln('The input should be yes,y,no or n.'), fail
).

append_KB([HEAD|_], KB_ANS, R):-
    append(HEAD,KB_ANS,R).

continue_or_end :-
    writeln('Write end if you want to stop the program else continue.'),
    read(USER_ANS), nl,
    (
USER_ANS = end
->
writef('%w typed. Program stoped.', [USER_ANS]), !
;
USER_ANS = continue
->
writef('%w typed. Program will continue.', [USER_ANS]), nl, fail
;
writef('%w typed. Something else than "end" or "continue" was typed. Anyway the p
).

```


back_forw_chaining:-

```

    open('kb.txt', read, S),
    read_knowledge_base(S, KB_RULES), close(S),
    writeln('Knowledge based on rules.'),
    writeln(KB_RULES),nl,
    repeat,
    ask_q(KB_ANS),
    writeln('Knowledge based on user answers.'),
    writeln(KB_ANS),nl,
    writeln('ALL knowledge.'),
    append_KB(KB_RULES,KB_ANS, KB),
    writeln(KB),
    backward([n(highEndCar)], KB, R_back),nl,
    writef('Backward Chaining --> Determine whether a car is high-end or not : %w ' ,
    forward([highEndCar], KB, [], R_forw),
    writef('Forward Chaining --> Determine whether a car is high-end or not : %w ' , [
    continue_or_end.

```

backward([], _, 'yes'):-!.

backward([H|Goals], KB, R):-

```

    member(Clause, KB),
    negate(H,H_negated),
    member(H_negated, Clause),

    delete(Clause, H_negated, Clause_withouth_H_negated),
    append(Clause_withouth_H_negated, Goals, Concatenate),

```

```

        backward(Concatenate, KB, R), !.
backward(_, _, 'no'):- !.

contained(List1, List2):-
    forall(member(X, List1), member(X, List2)).

get_negated_elements([], []).
get_negated_elements([n(H)|T], [H|NegT]):-
    get_negated_elements(T, NegT),!.
get_negated_elements([H|T], NegT):-
    H \= n(_),
    get_negated_elements(T, NegT),!.

forward(Goals, _, Solved, 'yes'):-
    contained(Goals, Solved), !.
forward(Goals, KB, Solved, R):-
    member(Clause, KB),
        member(Positive_atom, Clause),
    not(Positive_atom=n(_)),
        get_negated_elements(Clause, Clause_negated_atoms),
    contained(Clause_negated_atoms,Solved),
    not(contained([Positive_atom],Solved)),
        forward(Goals,KB,[Positive_atom|Solved],R), !.
forward(_, _, _, 'no'):- !.

```


1.4 Output

```

2 ?- back_forw_chaining.
Knowledge based on rules.
[[[n(sunroof),n(premiumSoundSystem),luxuryCar],[n(cost),expensive],[
,interface],[n(luxuryCar),n(interface),highEndCar]]]

Does the car have a premium sound system?
|: y.

What is the car price?
|: 17000.

Does the car have a sunroof?
|: y.

Does the car have an interface?
|: y.

Knowledge based on user answers.
[[cost],[sunroof],[premiumSoundSystem],[interface]]

Backward Chaining --> Determine whether a car is high-end or not : y
es
Forward Chaining --> Determine whether a car is high-end or not : ye
s
Write end if you want to stop the program else continue.
|: continue.

continue typed. Program will continue.
Does the car have a premium sound system?
|: n.

What is the car price?
|: 8000.

Does the car have a sunroof?
|: y.

Does the car have an interface?
|: y.

Knowledge based on user answers.
[[n(cost)],[sunroof],[n(premiumSoundSystem)],[interface]]

ALL knowledge.
[[[n(sunroof),n(premiumSoundSystem),luxuryCar],[n(cost),expensive],[n
(expensive),interface],[n(luxuryCar),n(interface),highEndCar],[n(cos
t)],[sunroof],[n(premiumSoundSystem)],[interface]]

Backward Chaining --> Determine whether a car is high-end or not : n
o
Forward Chaining --> Determine whether a car is high-end or not : no
Write end if you want to stop the program else continue.
|: end.

```

Figure 1.1: FINAL RESULTS

Chapter 2

Vaguness

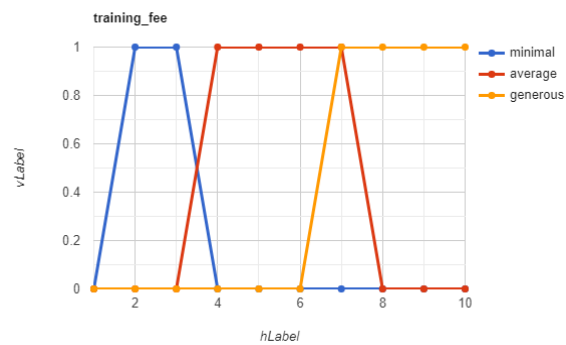
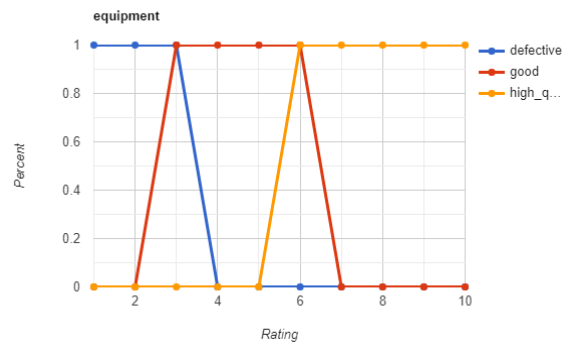
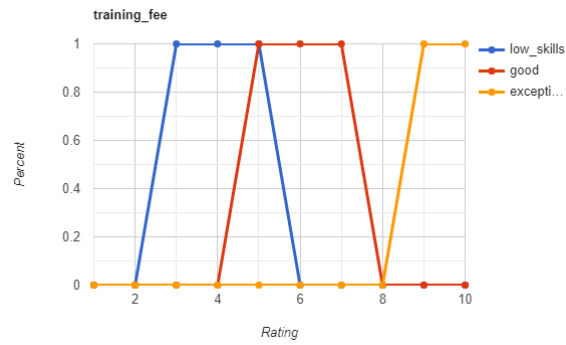
2.1 Rules

- If the tennis instructor has low skills or the tennis equipment is defective, then the training fee is minimal.
- If the tennis instructor is good or the tennis equipment is good, then the training fee is average.
- If the tennis instructor is exceptional or the tennis equipment is of high quality, then the training fee is generous.

Rules represented in the proposed representation format from lab6:

- [or, [tennis_instructor/low_skills, equipment/defective], [training_fee/minimal]]
- [or, [tennis_instructor/good, equipment/good], [training_fee/average]]
- [or, [tennis_instructor/exceptional, equipment/high_quality], [training_fee/generous]]

2.2 Degree curves



2.3 Code

```
read_rules(S, []) :-
    at_end_of_stream(S).
```

```
read_rules(S,[L|R]) :-
    not(at_end_of_stream(S)),
    read(S,L),
    read_rules(S,R).

map_rating(SERVICE,RATING,[SERVICE,RATING]).

rating_tennis_instructor(RATING_MAPPED):-
    repeat,
    writeln('What is the rating of the tennis instructor?'),
    read(RATING),
    (
    number(RATING),
    RATING >= 1,
    10 >= RATING
    ->
    map_rating(tennis_instructor,RATING,RATING_MAPPED),
    writef('Rating of the tennis instructor is %w', [RATING]),nl,nl, !
    ;
    writeln('The input should be a number between 1 and 10.'), fail
    ).

rating_equipment(RATING_MAPPED):-
    repeat,
    writeln('What is the rating of the equipment?'),
    read(RATING),
```

```

        (
        number(RATING),
        RATING >= 1,
        10 >= RATING
        ->
        map_rating(equipment,RATING,RATING_MAPPED),
        writef('Rating of the equipment is %w', [RATING]),nl,nl, !
        ;
        writeln('The input should be a number between 1 and 10.'), fail
        ).

ratings([R1,R2]):-
    rating_tennis_instructor(R1),
    rating_equipment(R2).

continue_or_end :-
    writeln('Write end if you want to stop the program else continue.'),
    read(USER_ANS), nl,
    (
    USER_ANS = end
    ->
    writef('%w typed. Program stoped.', [USER_ANS]), !
    ;
    USER_ANS = continue
    ->
    writef('%w typed. Program will continue.', [USER_ANS]), nl, fail

```



```
;  
writef('%w typed. Something else than "end" or "continue" was typed. Anyway the p  
).  
  
vaguness:-  
    open('rules.txt', read, R),  
    read_rules(R, RULES),  
    close(R),  
    writeln('The created rules are:'),  
    write(RULES),nl,  
    open('curves.txt', read, C),  
    read_rules(C, CURVES),  
    close(C),  
    writeln('The degree curves are:'),  
    writeln(CURVES),nl,  
    repeat,  
    ratings(RATINGS),  
    writef('Mapped ratings --> %w.', [RATINGS]),nl,nl,  
    continue_or_end.
```