

Unification

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class UnificationError(Exception):
    pass

def occurs_check(var, term, subst):
    if var == term:
        return True
    elif isinstance(term, (list, tuple)):
        return any(occurs_check(var, t, subst) for t in
term)
    elif isinstance(term, str) and term in subst:
        return occurs_check(var, subst[term], subst)
    return False

def is_variable(term):
    return isinstance(term, str) and term.startswith('?')

def unify(psi1, psi2, subst=None):
    if subst is None:
        subst = {}
    if psi1 == psi2:
        return subst
    elif is_variable(psi1):
        if psi1 in subst:
            return unify(subst[psi1], psi2, subst)
        elif occurs_check(psi1, psi2, subst):
            raise UnificationError(f"Occurs check failed:
{psi1} in {psi2}")
        else:
            subst[psi1] = psi2
            return subst
    elif is_variable(psi2):
        if psi2 in subst:
            return unify(psi1, subst[psi2], subst)
        elif occurs_check(psi2, psi1, subst):
            raise UnificationError(f"Occurs check failed:
{psi2} in {psi1}")
        else:
            subst[psi2] = psi1
            return subst

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    elif isinstance(psi1, list) and isinstance(psi2,
list):
        if psi1[0] != psi2[0]:
            raise UnificationError(f"Predicate symbols
don't match: {psi1[0]} != {psi2[0]}")
        if len(psi1) != len(psi2):
            raise UnificationError(f"Argument lengths
don't match: {len(psi1)} != {len(psi2)}")
        for arg1, arg2 in zip(psi1[1:], psi2[1:]): #
Skip the predicate symbol (first element)
            subst = unify(arg1, arg2, subst)
        return subst
    else:
        raise UnificationError(f"Cannot unify {psi1} with
{psi2}")

def get_input():
    try:
        term1 = eval(input("Enter the first term (e.g.,
['P', 'b', 'x', ['f', ['g', 'z']]]): "))
        term2 = eval(input("Enter the second term (e.g.,
['P', 'z', ['f', 'y'], ['f', 'y']]]): "))
        substitution = unify(term1, term2)
        print("Unification successful!")
        print("Substitution:", substitution)
    except UnificationError as e:
        print("Unification failed:", e)
    except Exception as e:
        print("Invalid input or error:", e)

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get_input()

Output:

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Enter the first term (e.g., ['P', 'b', 'x', ['f', ['g', 'z']]]): ['P', ['f', ['a']], ['g', ['?y']]]
Enter the second term (e.g., ['P', 'z', ['f', 'y'], ['f', 'y']]]): ['P', '?x', '?x']
Unification failed: Predicate symbols don't match: g != f

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Enter the first term (e.g., ['P', 'b', 'x', ['f', ['g', 'z']]]): ['P', 'b', '?x', ['f', ['g', '?z']]]
Enter the second term (e.g., ['P', 'z', ['f', 'y'], ['f', 'y']]]): ['P', '?z', ['f', '?y'], ['f', '?y']]
Unification successful!
Substitution: {'?z': 'b', '?x': ['f', '?y'], '?y': ['g', '?z']}

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