

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, Winter Term 2018

Project 2:  $\exists a \exists s [\text{Saved}(\text{Westeros}, \text{Result}(a, s))]$

*Due: November 22<sup>nd</sup> at 23:59*

## 1. Project Description

In this project, you will design and implement a logic-based version of the agent you implemented in Project 1. A logic-based agent operates by storing sentences about the world in its knowledge base, using an inference mechanism to infer new sentences, and using these sentences to decide which action to take. You may use any **logic** programming language (choices include but are not limited to Prolog, SNePSLOG, GOLOG, and CHR).

To implement this agent correctly, you should follow the following steps.

- a) Modify the **GenGrid** function you implemented in Project 1 to construct logical sentences of the situation calculus representing (i) the starting point of Jon Snow, (ii) the locations of the obstacles and the dragon stone, (iii) the locations of the white walkers, and (iv) the maximum number of pieces of dragon glass Jon can carry. All of the constructed logical sentences should be written to an external file. This file represents part of the agent's knowledge base and should be loaded in the agent's program. You can make **GenGrid** output grids of minimum size  $3 \times 3$ .
- b) For each fluent, write a successor-state axiom and add the axioms to the agent's KB.
- c) Query the agent's KB to generate a plan that Jon Snow can follow to kill all the white walkers and save Westeros <sup>1</sup>. The result of the query should be a situation described as the result of doing some sequence of actions from the initial situation  $S_0$ .

**2. Groups:** You may work in groups of *at most* three.

## 3. Deliverables

- a) Source Code
  - The modified implementation of **GenGrid**, together with *at least two* output files containing logical sentences describing two different grid configurations.
  - The agent's program loading the output file from **GenGrid**, and containing the implementation of the successor-state axioms. You should include in this file, as a comment, the query that you wrote to generate the plan.
  - Part of the grade will be on how readable your code is. Use explanatory comments whenever possible

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<sup>1</sup>Similar to Practice Assignment 5: Exercise 5-1 (d).

b) Project Report, including the following.

- A brief description of your understanding of the problem.
- A description of the modified implementation of **GenGrid**.
- A discussion of the syntax and semantics of the action terms and predicate symbols you employ.
- A discussion of your implementation of the successor-state axioms.
- A description of the query used to generate the plan.
- At least two running examples from your implementation.
- If your program does not run, your report should include a discussion of what you think the problem is and any suggestions you might have for solving it.
- Proper citation of any sources you might have consulted in the course of completing the project. *Under no condition*, you may use on-line code as part of your implementation.

#### 4. Important Dates

**Teams.** Make sure you submit your team members' details by November 8th at 23:59 using the following link <https://goo.gl/forms/v62y0vsd9HoSCnZp2>. Only one team member should submit this for the whole team. Your team members need not be the same team members of Project 1.

**Source code and Report.** On-line submission by November 22 at 23:59 using the following link <https://goo.gl/forms/pPDMLZzTLXBDjYY73>.

**Brainstorming Session.** In tutorials.