5CCS2FC2: Foundations of Computing II

Tutorial Sheet 7

7.1 Use the greedy SAT algorithm to find a variable assignment that maximises the number of clauses satisfied from the following set:

$$(P \lor Q), \quad (P \lor \neg Q), \quad (\neg P \lor Q \lor R),$$

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7.2 Use the DPLL Algorithm to decide whether the following set of clauses is satisfiable? If so, what is a satisfying assignment?

$$(P \lor Q),$$
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$$(\neg Q \lor \neg R \lor S),$$
 (3) $(\neg P \lor \neg Q \lor \neg S),$ (7)

$$(\neg Q \lor \neg R \lor \neg S), \qquad (4) \qquad (P \lor \neg Q \lor R \lor \neg S). \qquad (8)$$

7.3 Consider the following instance of 2SAT:

$$F = (P \vee Q) \wedge (\neg R \vee S) \wedge (\neg Q \vee S) \wedge (\neg P \vee \neg S) \wedge (\neg S \vee \neg Q).$$

- (i) Construct the *implication graph* for F,
- (ii) Decide whether the F is satisfiable or not?
- (iii) [Bonus] If F is satisfiable, can you identify a satisfing assignment? Does the structure of the implication graph help you?
- 7.4 Using just the Unit Propogation and Pure Literal Elimination rules, decide whether the following set of Horn clauses is satisfiable

$$(P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg S), \quad (\neg P \vee \neg S \vee T), \quad (\neg Q \vee \neg R \vee \neg S \vee \neg W),$$
$$(P \vee \neg R), \quad (Q), \quad (T \vee \neg W), \quad (\neg Q \vee S), \quad (\neg P \vee \neg R \vee \neg T \vee \neg W).$$