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Chapter 1

A1: Search

1.1 Introduction

Our aim is to implement multiple search algorithms, and compare them with themselves and with the ones that were already discussed: A*, DFS, BFS, UCS.

We chose the following searching strategies:

Uninformed

- Bidirectional Search
- Depth Limited Search
- Iterative Deepening Depth-First Search

Informed

- Iterative Deepening A*
- Recursive Best-First Search

1.2 Bidirectional Search

Bidirectional search simultaneously searches from the start state to the goal state (**forward searching**) and from the goal state to the start state (**backward searching**) hoping that these two searches will meet. The time and space complexity was reduced from $O(b^d)$ to $O(2 * b^{d/2}) = O(b^{d/2}) << O(b^d)$, where b is the branching factor and d is the depth of the shallowest solution.

1.2.1 Implementation

The algorithm uses the **Breadth-First Search policy**, meaning that it takes the shallowest node first. It stops when the forward and backward search intersect. If no solutions is found, than it returns *None*.

We used two sets one representing the explored nodes that are still in the queue and another one, that contains the visited nodes that were popped out of the queue. Entering the while loop, we firstly analyze the forward search. Take the next node from the corresponding queue and if it is not yet visited we put it in the visited set. After we have iterated through the nodes

of the backward search, if there is a meeting point then we return the current path and the path accumulated by the backward search in reverse order.

Next we analyze the backward search the same way as we did for the forward search, the only difference being that we replace each action with its opposite action, we reverse the list containing them and add it to the accumulated path.

The motivation behind using sets is that they are more efficient than lists in verifying whether they contain an arbitrary element.

Source code: Appendix A.2.

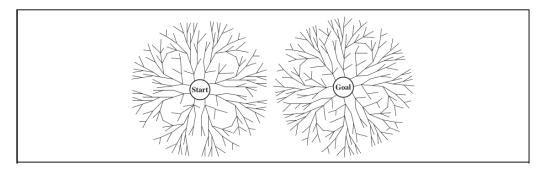


Figure 1.1: Visualization of the bidirectional search algorithm. [4]

1.3 Iterative Deepening Depth-First Search

1.3.1 Depth-Limited Search

The depth-limited search is similar to the depth-first search, with the only difference, that a **depth bound** is added. Thus the algorithm searches for the goal state until the search tree's depth reaches the bound. If the bound is reached, the search backtracks to the parent node and continues searching in the next successor of the parent node. Therefore if there is a path to the goal, whose length is smaller than or equal to the bound, it will be found.

Implementation

To represent the nodes we used the Node class, which is a simple data class whose state, action and cost fields are used. More information about the class can be found in Appendix A.1.

The algorithm is a modified version of the recursive **depth-first search**. At each level of recursion, the function calls itself for all of the successors. The function returns not only the found goal node on success and None on error, but also an additional boolean parameter which specifies whether the search terminated because of a cutoff, or not. In each level of recursion, the limit is decremented. When it reaches 0, the returned cutoff value is true.

Source code: Appendix A.3.

1.3.2 Iterative Deepening Search

The iterative deepening search strategies apply a search algorithm multiple times, with increasing bounds until the goal is reached. The calculation of the bound depends on the applied algorithm. We used the strategy of iterative deepening for the following search algorithms: depth-first search (1.3.3) and A^* (1.4).

1.3.3 Iterative Deepening Depth-First Search

Starting from an initial bound of 0, we call the depth-limited search and verify the returned result. In case a cutoff occurred, we increase the bound by one, and start again the search. If the goal node was found, the path from the start node which ends in the goal node is reconstructed and returned.

The algorithm is complete, because depth-first search, and in particular depth-limited search is guaranteed to find a solution, if the distance to the goal node is inside the bound. The bound is incremented from 0 indefinitely, thus if the solution exists, it will be found.

The algorithm is optimal for unit action costs, because if no solution was found for bound b, the length of the shortest path from the start node to the goal node is at least b+1, and if there is any solution with length b+1, all of them are optimal solutions, and one of them will be found by the depth-limited search.

Source code: Appendix A.4.

1.4 Iterative Deepening A* Search

Iterative deepening is a preferred algorithm when we have a larger search state space than the one that can fit in memory and the depth of our solution is not known.

Iterative Deepening A* is similar to A* the difference being that we do not keep all reached states in memory, at a cost of visiting some states multiple times. It is a very frequently used algorithm for problems that do not fit in memory, as stated above.

1.4.1 Implementation

The idea behind the algorithm was that we search the node with the lowest combined cost and heuristic first (f = g + h). The algorithm is limiting the size of the frontier by using this calculated f value as a bound.

We used a set in which we stored the visited nodes. Searching in sets is faster than searching in lists, that is why we chose set. Besides this set, we used a list called path, that stored for each node its state, the action that needs to be performed to get there from the previous node and the cost.

We have a utility function that we call repeatedly until the returned value is either a very large number (∞) or the *None* state and we change the value of the bound to the returned value if none of these conditions is satisfied.

The utility function begins with taking the last element from the path, computing the f value of this element and comparing it to the bound. If it is larger than the bound, we return the f value. If the state of the node is the goal state, it means we reached our goal, so we return the *None* state. If none of these conditions are fulfilled, then we iterate through each child of the current node, add it to the visited set and to the path list, then we call the utility function on it. We make the adjustments according to the returned value of this call, remove the node from the visited list and the path. Lastly we return the minimum value which represents the minimum cost of all values that exceeded the current bound.

1.4.2 Remarks

This algorithm was actually easy to implement after we understood the idea behind it.

Comparing the number of expanded nodes we can see that it is much larger than for the A* algorithm, because of the fact that we do not keep all reached states in memory risking the fact that we might visit some nodes more than once.

1.5 Recursive Best-First Search

The recursive best-first search, similarly to the depth-limited search (1.3.1), searches for the deepest node first, but stops after surpassing a bound. But in this case the bound is placed on the f-value of a node, instead of its depth.

The f-value of a node is the maximum between the f-value of its parent and the cost of reaching the node + the heuristic, i.e. $f(n) = max\{g(n) + h(n), f(n.parent)\}$. When a branch of the search is cut off because the limit on the f-value, while backtracking, the f-value of a parent node will be updated with the f-value of its child. This way, the f-value of a node will become a more and more accurate estimation of the true cost of reaching the goal node from it.

This algorithm uses the principle of best-first searching. It only expands the node with the smallest f-value. If the node is on the current searching branch, than it will be expanded, otherwise the search tree backtracks to the level of the node with the smallest f-value. Therefore at each level of recursion we take the first two successors with the lowest f-value, call the search for the best option, and supply the bound as the f-limit of the alternative successor. This is repeated until the solution is found, or until the f-value of the best node will become greater than the f-limit. Thus it always considers a best and an alternative path, and switches between them, if the alternative path becomes the best one, in terms of lowest f-value.

The advantage of this algorithm is that it uses linear space: used for storing the nodes along the search path, and also the sibling of each node. The disadvantage is that it regenerates already visited nodes, which could happen very frequently. Thus it trades speed for storage.

For the implementation the Node class (A.1) was used for storing the nodes, and a priority queue was used for obtaining the best successor of a node. The recursive function returns the result and None, if the goal node was found. If the goal was not found, it returns None and the f-value of the deepest node reached before surpassing the limit.

Source code: Appendix A.6.

1.6 Comparison

Consider b the branching factor and d the depth of the shallowest solution.

1.6.1 Bidirectional Search vs Breadth-First Search

As stated in chapter 1.2, the bidirectional search reduces the size of the frontier and the running time from $O(b^d)$ to $O(b^{d/2})$. To find a solution with length d, the two frontiers contain in the worst case only the nodes with the depth d/2 from either nodes. Thus both the space and the running time is reduced.

However the implementation of the bidirectional search is difficult if the actions cannot be reversed fast. E.g. North \leftrightarrow South.

1.6.2 Iterative Deepening Depth-First Search

vs Depth-First Search: The depth-first search does not find always the optimal solution, and may not find any solution even if it exists in the graph. However the iterative deepening version is optimal and complete, because each path is considered in increasing order of depth.

vs Breadth-First Search: The running time has the same $O(b^d)$ complexity. For the iterative deepening depth-first search the space complexity is reduced from $O(b^d)$ to O(bd), because

the deepest node is taken first. However because of the iterative deepening, the number of expanded nodes is higher.

1.6.3 Iterative Deepening A* vs A*

Iterative Deepening A* is similar to A* the difference being that we do not keep all reached states in memory, at a cost of visiting some states multiple times. It is a very frequently used algorithm for problems that do not fit in memory.

1.6.4 Recursive Best-First Search

vs A*: RBFS uses only linear space, but suffers from frequently regenerating the nodes. Given enough time it could solve those problems that could not be solved by A* because of running out of memory.

vs Iterative Deepening A* The two algorithms are solutions for the same problem of reducing the size of the frontier of A*. Both suffer from revisiting and regenerating nodes. However the RBFS is slightly more efficient, because of storing more information that the other one, thus increasing the speed.

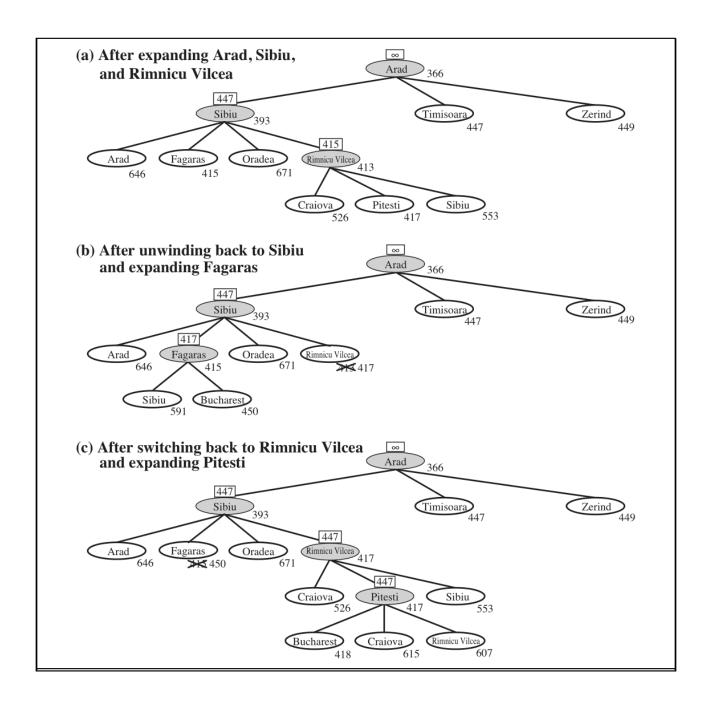


Figure 1.2: Finding a path from Arad to Bucharest by using recursive best-first search. The number above a node is its f-limit, and the number on the right of it is its f-value. The searching branch was switched two times. [4]

Chapter 2

A2: Logics

2.1 Introduction

The purpose of this chapter is to discuss the usage of modular arithmetics (Boolean rings) for solving logic puzzles, as represented in [3].

The theory is applied in solving the "The Lady or the Tiger" puzzles [5].

Also a program was written in python for translating a Mace4 input file from propositional logic to modular arithmetics, producing algebraic expressions on the Boolean ring. The output can be supplied as input for Mace4 [1].

2.2 Logic via algebra

The article [3] presents the theory about using algebra for solving logic puzzles. Below are summarized the parts that are used in this chapter.

0 and 1 represent the truth values "false" and respectively "true". $[\![P]\!]$ represents the truth value of the proposition P.

- $\llbracket P \rrbracket = 1 \iff P \text{ is true}$
- $\llbracket P \rrbracket = 0 \iff P \text{ is false}$

The set $\{0,1\}$ is:

- the smallest possible Boolean algebra
- a distributive bounded lattice in which every element has a complement
- a Boolean ring: $x^2 = x \ \forall x$
- a field of characteristic 2: $x + x = 0 \ \forall x$

Therefore any Boolean connective can be expressed as a polynomial. Table 2.1 presents the connectives both in lattice and ring form. This table is used for translating the statements of the logic puzzles into equations. It is also used for the program which converts a Mace4 input file from propositional logic to modular arithmetic.

A logical puzzle is composed of statements in which an information about A is equivalent with a predicate P. Can be written as:

$$a = p$$

| CONNECTIVE | LATTICE form | RING form |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Conjunction (AND) | $p \wedge q$ | pq |
| Exclusive disjunction (XOR) | $(p \lor q) \land \neg (p \land q)$ | p+q |
| Inclusive disjunction (OR) | $p \lor q$ | pq + p + q |
| Negation | $\neg p$ | p+1 |
| Implication (\rightarrow) | $q \vee \neg p$ | pq + p + 1 |
| Biconditional (\leftrightarrow) | $(p \land q) \lor (\neg p \land \neg q)$ | p + q + 1 |
| Sheffer stroke (NAND) | $\neg (p \land q)$ | pq + 1 |
| Pierce's arrow (NOR) | $\neg(p \lor q)$ | pq + p + q + 1 |

Table 2.1: Boolean connectives in the language of Boolean rings [3]

Where $p = [\![P]\!]$ and a has the truth value of that information about A, e.g. $a = [\!["A]\!]$ is a knight"] Thus the puzzle can be written as a system of equations:

$$\begin{cases} a_1 = p_1 \\ \dots \\ a_n = p_n \end{cases}$$

And can be reduced to the equation:

$$\prod_{i=1}^{n} (p_i + a_i + 1) = 1 \tag{2.1}$$

2.3 Solving lady and tigers with algebra

In this section "The Lady or Tiger" puzzles are solved using both propositional logic and modular arithmetics in order to compare the two methods.

Mace4

For verifying the correctness of the formulas written to solve the puzzle, we used mace4. Mace4 can solve the puzzles for both types of notations.

For the modular arithmetic input files we specified the following commands at the beginning, in order to configure arithmetic operations on the Boolean ring:

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
```

However, mace4 has a flaw when using it for expressions on the Boolean ring. There are some cases in which mace4 does not give any result. To solve this, one must wrap those expressions with "mod 2". An example can be seen below:

Input file that can be solved by Mace4

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).
    m1 + m2 = 1.
end_of_list.
```

Mace4 output

```
interpretation( 2, [number = 1,
    seconds = 0], [
    function(m1, [0]),
    function(m2, [1])]).
interpretation( 2, [number = 2,
    seconds = 0], [
    function(m1, [1]),
```

```
function(m2, [0])]).
```

Input file that cannot be solved by Mace4

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).
    m1 + m2 + 1 = 0.
end_of_list.
```

Input file made to be solvable by Mace4

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).
    (m1 + m2 + 1) mod 2 = 0.
end_of_list.
```

Mace4 output

```
=== Mace4 starting on domain size 2.
===
----- process 62347 exit (exhausted
) -----
```

Mace4 output

```
=== Mace4 starting on domain size 2.
===

----- process 62531 exit (
    all_models) -----
interpretation( 2, [number = 1,
    seconds = 0], [
    function(m1, [0]),
    function(m2, [1])]).

interpretation( 2, [number = 2,
    seconds = 0], [
    function(m1, [1]),
    function(m2, [0])]).
```

For simplicity, we will omit the wrapping by "mod 2" in this chapter. The source files in the Mace4 input format can be found in annex B.

Representation

In **propositional logic** we can represent the state of the *i*-th room by the following predicates:

- li: There is a lady in room i.
- ti: There is a tiger in room i.
- mi: Message on the door of room i

Then one must specify, that if the room contains a lady, it does not contain a tiger, and viceversa.

```
11 -> -t1.
12 -> -t2.
```

For representing the rooms in **modular arithmetics** we can define:

- ri = [["There is a lady in room i"]] = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room i"]]
- mi = [["Message on the door of room i"]]

In this representation the appearance of a lady and a tiger in the same room is implicitly exclusive.

These representations will be used in the following puzzles, unless it is specified otherwise.

2.3.1 The first trial

Knowledge base

The following statements are given:

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. Message on door 1: In this room there is a lady, and in the other room there is a tiger
- 3. **Message on door 2:** In one of these rooms there is a lady, and in one of these rooms there is a tiger
- 4. One of the messages is true, but the other one is false

The first statement enumerates all four possibilities. It does not give more information than the one included in the representation.

The second statement represents the truth value of the first message. It can be written the following forms:

Propositional logic Modular arithmetics $m1 \leftarrow 11 \& t2.$ m1 = r1 * (r2 + 1).

One can observe that logical equivalence was replaced with equality, conjunction with multiplication, and negation with an addition by one.

The second message states that at least one tiger and at least one lady exists. Because there are only two rooms, this means that one room contains a lady, and the other one contains the tiger. Thus we can use the XOR operator between r1 and r2 to force exclusivity, which in the case of the modulo 2 algebra it is represented by the "+" symbol.

As for the fourth statement, we simply need to specify that the two messages are not equal, i.e. the first is equal with the negation of the second. Or we can say that the two does not take the same value simultaneously (XOR).

Resolution

The advantage of the modular arithmetics is that it can be resolved by algebraic methods, taking into consideration the rules of the boolean ring.

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases}
 m1 = r1 * (r2 + 1) \\
 m2 = r1 + r2 \\
 m1 + m2 = 1
\end{cases}$$
(2.2a)
(2.2b)

By replacing m1 and m2 in 2.2c we obtain:

$$r1 * (r2 + 1) + r1 + r2 = 1$$

Which can be rewritten as

$$r2 * (r1 + 1) + r1 + r1 = 1$$

Knowing that x + x = 0 and x + 0 = x, we can omit the r1 + r1 term form the equation and obtain:

$$r2 * (r1 + 1) = 1$$

In order to satisfy the equation, both operands of the multiplication must be 1. Otherwise the product would be 0. Therefore the result will be:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 0 \\ r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

2.3.2 The Second Trial

Knowledge base

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. **Message on door 1:** At least one of these rooms contains a lady.
- 3. Message on door 2: A tiger is in the other room.
- 4. The messages are either both true or both false.

The first message tells us, that either one of the rooms contains a lady, or both of the rooms contain a lady.

Propositional logic Modular arithmetics
$$m1 \leftarrow (11 \mid 12).$$

$$m1 = r1 * r2 + r1 + r2.$$

One can observe that the logical OR operator is replaced by multiplying the two terms, then adding each one of them.

The second message tells us, that in the other room (i.e.: the first room) there is a tiger. Here the negation will be replaced with an addition by one.

| Propositional logic | Modular arithmetics | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
| m2 <-> t2. | m2 = r1 + 1. | | | | |

For the last statement we simply have to specify that the truth value of the two messages is the same.

| Propositional logic | Modular arithmetics | | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| m1 <-> m2. | m1 = m2. | | | | | |

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases}
 m1 = r1 * r2 + r1 + r2 \\
 m2 = r1 + 1 \\
 m1 = m2
\end{cases}$$
(2.3a)
(2.3b)

$$\langle m2 = r1 + 1 \tag{2.3b}$$

$$\chi m1 = m2 \tag{2.3c}$$

By replacing m1 and m2 in 2.3c we obtain:

$$r1 * r2 + r1 + r2 = r1 + 1$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$r2*(r1+1) = 1$$

In order to satisfy the equation, both operands of the multiplication must be 1. Otherwise the product would be 0. Therefore the result will be:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 0 \\ r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

2.3.3 The Third Trial

Knowledge base

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. **Message on door 1:** Either a tiger is in this room or a lady is in the other room.
- 3. **Message on door 2:** A lady is in the other room.
- 4. The messages are either both true or both false.

The first message tells us, that either a tiger is in the first room, or a lady is in the second room. By double negation and De Morgan's Law we obtain: "It's not true that a lady is in the first room and a tiger in the second".

Propositional logic Modular arithmetics
$$m1 \leftarrow t1 \mid 12.$$

$$m1 = r1 * (r2 + 1) + 1.$$

The second message tells us, that in the other room (i.e.: the first room) there is a lady.

| Propositional logic | Modular arithmetics | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
| m2 <-> 11. | m2 = r1. | | | | |

For the last statement we simply have to specify that the truth value of the two messages is the same.

Modular arithmetics

m1 <-> m2.

m1 = m2.

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases}
m1 = r1 * (r2 + 1) + 1 & (2.4a) \\
m2 = r1 & (2.4b) \\
m1 = m2 & (2.4c)
\end{cases}$$

$$\langle m2 = r1 \tag{2.4b}$$

$$m1 = m2 \tag{2.4c}$$

By replacing m1 and m2 in 2.4c we obtain:

$$r1 * (r2 + 1) + 1 = r1$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$r2 * r1 = 1$$

In order to satisfy the equation, both operands of the multiplication must be 1. Otherwise the product would be 0. Therefore the result will be:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 1 \\ r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

2.3.4 The Fourth Trial

Knowledge base

m2 <-> m1.

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. Message on door 1: Both rooms contain ladies.
- 3. Message on door 2: Both rooms contain ladies.
- 4. If a lady is in the first room, then the message is true, but if a tiger is in it, then the message is false. For the second room, the rules are reversed, i.e. if a lady is in the second room, then the message is false otherwise the message is true.

The first and the second messages both tell us, that both rooms contain a lady.

| Propositional logic | Modular arithmetics | | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| m1 <-> 11 & 12. | m1 = r1 * r2. | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Propositional logic | Modular arithmetics | | | | | |

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, if a lady is in the first room, the first

message is true, if a lady is in the second room, the second message is false.

m2 = m1.

Modular arithmetics

$$r1 = m1.$$

 $r2 = m2 + 1.$

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases}
m1 = r1 * r2 & (2.5a) \\
m2 = m1 & (2.5b) \\
r1 + m1 = 0 & (2.5c) \\
r2 + m2 = 1 & (2.5d)
\end{cases}$$

By replacing m1 in 2.5c and m2 in 2.5d we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} r1 + r1 * r2 = 0 \\ r2 + r1 * r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} r1 * (r2 + 1) = 0 \\ r2 * (r1 + 1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

In the second equation, in order to satisfy the it, both operands of the multiplication must be 1. Otherwise the product would be 0. Therefore the result will be:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 0 \\ r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which satisfies the first equation as well.

2.3.5 The Fifth Trial

Knowledge base

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. **Message on door 1:** At least one of the rooms contains a lady.
- 3. Message on door 2: The other room contains a lady.
- 4. If a lady is in the first, then the message is true, but if a tiger is in it, then the message is false. For the second room, the rules are reversed, i.e. if a lady is in the room, then the message is false otherwise the message is true.

The first message tells us, that either only one room contains a lady, or both rooms contain ladies.

Modular arithmetics

$$m1 = r1 * r2 + r1 + r2.$$

The second message tells us, that in the other room (i.e.: the first room) there is a lady.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetics

$$m2 = r1.$$

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, if a lady is in the first room, the first message is true, if a lady is in the second room, the second message is false.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetics

$$11 \rightarrow m1. t1 \rightarrow -m1.$$

 $12 \rightarrow -m2. t2 \rightarrow m2.$

$$r1 = m1.$$

 $r2 = m2 + 1.$

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases}
 m1 = r1 * r2 + r1 + r2 \\
 m2 = r1 \\
 r1 + m1 = 0 \\
 r2 + m2 = 1
\end{cases}$$
(2.6a)
(2.6b)
(2.6c)

$$m2 = r1 (2.6b)$$

$$r1 + m1 = 0$$
 (2.6c)

$$r^2 + m^2 = 1$$
 (2.6d)

By replacing m1 in 2.6c and m2 in 2.6d we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} r1 + r1 * r2 + r1 + r2 = 0 \\ r2 + r1 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} r2 * (r1+1) = 0 \\ r2 = r1+1 \end{cases}$$

Starting from the second equation, the two option would be r1 = 0 and r2 = 1 or r1 = 1 and $r^2 = 0$. The first option does not satisfy the first equation, which means the result will be:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 1 \\ r2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

The Sixth Trial 2.3.6

Knowledge base

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. Message on door 1: It makes no difference which room you pick.

- 3. Message on door 2: There is a lady in the other room.
- 4. If a lady is in the first, then the message is true, but if a tiger is in it, then the message is false. For the second room, the rules are reversed, i.e. if a lady is in the room, then the message is false otherwise the message is true.

The first message tells us, that either both rooms contain tigers or both rooms contain ladies.

The second message tells us, that in the other room (i.e.: the first room) there is a lady.

Propositional logic Modular arithmetics
$$m2 \leftarrow 11$$
. $m2 = r1$.

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, if a lady is in the first room, the first message is true, if a lady is in the second room, the second message is false.

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases}
 m1 = r1 + r2 + 1 & (2.7a) \\
 m2 = r1 & (2.7b) \\
 r1 = m1 & (2.7c) \\
 r2 = m2 + 1 & (2.7d)
\end{cases}$$

By replacing m1 in 2.7c and m2 in 2.7d we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = r1 + r2 + 1 \\ r2 = r1 + 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} r2 = 1\\ r1 = r2 + 1 \end{cases}$$

Which gives us the following result:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 0 \\ r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

2.3.7 The Seventh Trial

Knowledge base

- 1. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 2. Message on door 1: It makes a difference which room you pick.
- 3. Message on door 2: There is a lady in the other room.
- 4. If a lady is in the first, then the message is true, but if a tiger is in it, then the message is false. For the second room, the rules are reversed, i.e. if a lady is in the room, then the message is false otherwise the message is true.

The first message tells us, that one room contains a lady and the other a tiger.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetics

$$m1 = r1 + r2$$
.

The second message tells us, that in the other room (i.e.: the first room) there is a lady.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetics

$$m2 = r1.$$

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, if a lady is in the first room, the first message is true, if a lady is in the second room, the second message is false.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetics

$$r1 = m1.$$

 $r2 = m2 + 1.$

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\int m1 = r1 + r2 \tag{2.8a}$$

$$\begin{cases}
 m1 - 71 + 72 \\
 m2 = r1 \\
 r1 = m1 \\
 column{2}{c} (2.8b)
 \end{cases}$$
(2.8c)

$$r1 = m1 (2.8c)$$

$$r^2 = m^2 + 1$$
 (2.8d)

By replacing m1 in 2.8c and m2 in 2.8d we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = r1 + r2 \\ r2 = r1 + 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} r2 = 0 \\ r2 = r1 + 1 \end{cases}$$

Which gives us the following result:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 1 \\ r2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

2.3.8 The Eighth Trial

Representation

For this puzzle, for simplicity we took four messages, which represent the following:

mij: Message i is on the door of room j and it is true

Knowledge base

- 1. In this puzzle we do not know which message corresponds to which door.
- 2. Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger, but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in both rooms.
- 3. Message 1: This room contains a tiger.
- 4. Message on door 2: Both rooms contain tigers.
- 5. If a lady is in the first, then the message is true, but if a tiger is in it, then the message is false. For the second room, the rules are reversed, i.e. if a lady is in the room, then the message is false otherwise the message is true.

The first message tells us, that the room contains a tiger. If the message is on the first door:

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Propositional logic Modular arithmetics

m11 \leftarrow> t1.

m11 = r1 + 1
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If the message is on the second door:

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Propositional logic Modular arithmetics

m12 \leftarrow t2.

m12 = r2 + 1
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The second message tells us, that both rooms contain tigers. In this case, for the representation, it does not matter on which door the message is.

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, if a lady is in the first room, the message on the first door is true, if a lady is in the second room, the message on the second door is false. For the tigers it is the other way around, if the tiger is in the first room, the message on that door is false. If the tiger is in the second room, the message on that door is

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message on that door is false. If the tiger is in the second room, the message on that door is true.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetics
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Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\begin{cases} m11 = r1 + 1 & (2.9a) \\ m12 = r2 + 1 & (2.9b) \\ m21 = (r1 + 1) * (r2 + 1) & (2.9c) \\ m22 = m21 & (2.9d) \\ r1 * (m11 * m21 + m11 + m21) + r1 + 1 = 1 & (2.9e) \\ (r1 + 1) * ((m11 + 1) * (m21 + 1) + m11 + m21) + r1 = 1 & (2.9f) \\ (r2 + 1) * (m12 * m22 + m12 + m22) + r2 = 1 & (2.9g) \\ r2 * ((m12 + 1) * (m22 + 1) + m12 + m22) + r2 + 1 = 1 & (2.9h) \\ m11, m12, m21 \text{ and } m22 \text{ in } 2.9e, 2.9f, 2.9g, 2.9h \text{ we obtain:} \end{cases}$$

By replacing m11, m12, m21 and m22 in 2.9e, 2.9f, 2.9g, 2.9h we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} r1*((r1+1)*((r1+1)*(r2+1)) + r1 + 1 + (r1+1)*(r2+1)) + r1 + 1 = 1\\ (r1+1)*(r1*((r1+1)*(r2+1)+1) + r1 + (r1+1)*(r2+1)) + r1 = 1\\ (r2+1)*((r2+1)*((r1+1)*(r2+1)) + r2 + 1 + (r1+1)*(r2+1)) + r2 = 1\\ r2*(r2*((r1+1)*(r2+1)+1) + r2 + 1 + (r1+1)*(r2+1)) + r2 + 1 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

Knowing that x + x = 0 and x * x = x, we get the following equations:

$$\begin{cases} r1+1=1\\ r1*r2+r1+r2=1 \end{cases}$$

We get the following result:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 0 \\ r2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

2.3.9The Ninth Trial

Knowledge base

- 1. Now we have three rooms: one contains a lady, and the other two contain a tiger
- 2. **Message on door 1:** A tiger is in this room.
- 3. Message on door 2: A lady is in this room.
- 4. Message on door 3: A tiger is in room 2.
- 5. At most one of the three signs is true.

The first statement tells us, that one room contains a lady and the other two contain tigers.

$$r1 * r2 * r3 = 0.$$

 $r1 + r2 + r3 = 1.$

The second statement (first message) tells us, that the room contains a tiger.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetic

$$m1 \leftarrow > t1.$$

$$m1 = r1 + 1.$$

The third statement (second message) tells us, that the room contains a lady.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetic

$$m2 = r2.$$

The fourth statement (third message) tells us, that the second room contains a tiger.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetic

$$m3 = r2 + 1$$

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, at most one message is true.

Propositional logic

Modular arithmetical

$$m1 \rightarrow -m2 & -m3.$$

 $m2 \rightarrow -m3.$

$$m1 * m2 + m1 * m3 + m2 * m3 + 1 = 1.$$

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$\int m1 = r1 + 1 \tag{2.10a}$$

$$m2 = r2 \tag{2.10b}$$

$$\begin{cases}
 m1 = r1 + 1 & (2.10a) \\
 m2 = r2 & (2.10b) \\
 m3 = r2 + 1 & (2.10c) \\
 m1 * m2 + m1 * m3 + m2 * m3 + 1 = 1 & (2.10d) \\
 r1 * r2 * r3 = 0 & (2.10e) \\
 r1 + r2 + r3 - 1 & (2.10f)
 \end{cases}$$

$$m1 * m2 + m1 * m3 + m2 * m3 + 1 = 1$$
 (2.10d)

$$r1 * r2 * r3 = 0 (2.10e)$$

$$(r1 + r2 + r3 = 1) (2.10f)$$

By replacing m1, m2 and m3 in 2.10d we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} (r1+1)*r2 + (r1+1)*(r2+1) + r2*(r2+1) = 1 \\ r1*r2*r3 = 0 \\ r1 + r2 + r3 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} r1 * r2 + r2 + r1 * r2 + r1 + r2 + 1 + r2 * r2 + r2 + 1 = 1 \\ r1 * r2 * r3 = 0 \\ r1 + r2 + r3 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Knowing that x + x = 0 and x * x = x, we get:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 1 \\ r2 * r3 = 0 \\ r2 + r3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Which gives us the following result:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 1 \\ r2 = 0 \\ r3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

2.3.10 The Tenth Trial

Knowledge base

- 1. Now we have three rooms: one contains a lady, and the other two contain a tiger
- 2. Message on door 1: A tiger is in this room.
- 3. Message on door 2: A lady is in this room.
- 4. Message on door 3: A tiger is in room 2.
- 5. The message on the room containing the lady is true, and from the other two, at least one is false.

The first statement tells us, that one room contains a lady and the other two contain tigers.

The second statement (first message) tells us, that a tiger is in room 2.

Propositional logic Modular arithmetic $m1 \leftarrow t2$. m1 = r2 + 1.

The third statement (second message) tells us, that the room contains a tiger.

Propositional logic Modular arithmetic $m2 \leftarrow t2$. m2 = r2 + 1.

The fourth statement (third message) tells us, that the first room contains a tiger.

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, the message on the room containing the lady is always true, and from the other two messages at least one is false.

```
11 -> m1.

12 -> m2.

13 -> m3.

m1 -> -m2 | -m3.

m2 -> -m1 | -m3.

m3 -> -m1 | -m2.
```

Modular arithmetical

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

$$m1 = r2 + 1$$
 (2.11a)

$$m2 = r2 + 1$$
 (2.11b)

$$m3 = r1 + 1$$
 (2.11c)

$$r1 * (m1 + 1) = 0$$
 (2.11d)

$$r2 * (m2 + 1) = 0$$
 (2.11e)

$$r3 * (m3 + 1) = 0$$
 (2.11f)

$$m1 * m2 * m3 = 0$$
 (2.11g)

$$(m1 + 1) * (m2 + 1) * (m3 + 1) = 0$$
 (2.11h)

$$r1 * r2 * r3 = 0$$
 (2.11i)

$$r1 + r2 + r3 = 1$$
 (2.11j)

By replacing m1 and m2 in 2.11d, 2.11e, 2.11f, 2.11g and 2.11h we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} r1 * r2 = 0 \\ r2 = 0 \\ r3 * r1 = 0 \\ r1 * r2 + r1 + r2 + 1 = 0 \\ r1 * r2 = 0 \\ r1 * r2 * r3 = 0 \\ r1 + r2 + r3 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} r3 * r1 = 0 \\ r1 + 1 = 0 \\ r1 + r3 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Which gives us the following result:

$$\begin{cases} r1 = 1\\ r2 = 0\\ r3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

2.3.11 Representation for empty rooms

From now on, besides lady and tiger we will also have empty rooms. The notations will be similar:

in **propositional logic** we will represent the state of the i-th room in the following way:

- li: There is a lady in room i.
- ti: There is a tiger in room i.
- ei: Room i is empty.
- mi: Message on the door of room i

Then we must specify that if a lady is in a room, then there can not be a tiger and neither can it be empty. Same rules apply if a tiger is in the room, there can not be a lady in that room and that room can not be empty:

```
11 -> -t1 & -e1.

12 -> -t2 & -e2.

13 -> -t3 & -e3.

t1 -> -e1.

t2 -> -e2.

t3 -> -e3.
```

For **modular arithmetic** we define:

- li = [["There is a lady in room i"]]
- ti = [["There is a tiger in room i"]]
- ei = [[Room i is empty"]]
- mi = [["Message on the door of room i]]

This representation will no longer exclude the possibility of a tiger and lady in the same room, so we have to specify it explicitly.

2.3.12 First, Second, and Third Choice

Knowledge base

- 1. Now we have three rooms: one contains a lady, another one contains a tiger, and the third is empty
- 2. Message on door 1: Room three is empty.
- 3. **Message on door 2:** The tiger is in room one.
- 4. Message on door 3: This room is empty.
- 5. The message on door of the room where the lady is is true, the message where the tiger is is false, and the message on the room that is empty can be either true or false.

The first statement tells us, that only one room contains a lady, one room contains a tiger and one room is empty.

```
11 | 12 | 13.

11 -> -12 & -13.

12 -> -11 & -13.

13 -> -11 & -12.

t1 | t2 | t1.

t1 -> -t2 & -t3.

t2 -> -t1 & -t3.

t3 -> -t2 & -t1.
```

Modular arithmetics

```
11 * 12 * 13 = 0.

11 + 12 + 13 = 1.

t1 * t2 * t3 = 0.

t1 + t2 + t3 = 1.

e1 * e2 * e3 = 0.

e1 + e2 + e3 = 1.

11 * ((t1 + 1) * (e1 + 1)) + 11 + 1 = 1.

12 * ((t2 + 1) * (e2 + 1)) + 12 + 1 = 1.

13 * ((t3 + 1) * (e3 + 1)) + 13 + 1 = 1.

t1 * ((e1 + 1) * (11 + 1)) + t1 + 1 = 1.

t2 * ((e2 + 1) * (12 + 1)) + t2 + 1 = 1.

t3 * ((e3 + 1) * (13 + 1)) + t3 + 1 = 1.
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The second statement tells us, that room three is empty.

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Propositional logic
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```
m1 <-> e3.
```

Modular arithmetics

```
m1 = e3.
```

The third statement tells us, that room one contains a tiger.

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Propositional logic
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```
m2 <-> t1.
```

Modular arithmetics

The fourth statement tells us, that the room is empty.

Propositional logic

```
m3 <-> e3.
```

Modular arithmetics

For the last statement we simply have to specify that, if a lady is the room, the message is true, if a tiger is in the room, the message is false For empty rooms, we do not have to write any conditions, because they can be either true or false.

m2 = t1.

Propositional logic

```
11 -> m1.

12 -> m2.

13 -> m3.

t1 -> -m1.

t2 -> -m2.

t3 -> -m3.
```

Modular arithmetic

```
11 * m1 + 11 + 1 = 1.

12 * m2 + 12 + 1 = 1.

13 * m3 + 13 + 1 = 1.

t1 * (m1 + 1) + t1 + 1 = 1.

t2 * (m2 + 1) + t2 + 1 = 1.

t3 * (m3 + 1) + t3 + 1 = 1.
```

Resolution

The system of equations representing the knowledge base:

| $\int l1 * l2 * l3 = 0$ | (2.12a) |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| l1 + l2 + l3 = 1 | (2.12b) |
| t1 * t2 * t3 = 0 | (2.12c) |
| t1 + t2 + t3 = 1 | (2.12d) |
| e1 * e2 * e3 = 0 | (2.12e) |
| e1 + e2 + e3 = 1 | (2.12f) |
| l1*((t1+1)*(e1+1)) + | -l1 + 1 = 1 		(2.12g) |
| l2*((t2+1)*(e2+1)) + | -l2 + 1 = 1 		(2.12h) |
| l3*((t3+1)*(e3+1)) + | -l3 + 1 = 1 		(2.12i) |
| t1*((e1+1)*(l1+1)) + | -t1 + 1 = 1 		(2.12j) |
| t2*((e2+1)*(l2+1)) + | -t2 + 1 = 1 		(2.12k) |
| t3*((e3+1)*(l3+1)) + | -t3 + 1 = 1 		(2.12l) |
| m1 = e3 | (2.12m) |
| m2 = t1 | (2.12n) |
| m3 = e3 | (2.12o) |
| l1 * m1 + l1 + 1 = 1 | (2.12p) |
| l2 * m2 + l2 + 1 = 1 | (2.12q) |
| l3 * m3 + l3 + 1 = 1 | (2.12r) |
| t1*(m1+1)+t1+1=1 | (2.12s) |
| t2*(m2+1)+t2+1=1 | (2.12t) |
| $\int t3*(m3+1)+t3+1=1$ | (2.12u) |
| | |

By replacing m1, m2 and m3 in 2.12p, 2.12q, 2.12r, 2.12s, 2.12t, 2.12u, we obtain:

```
\begin{cases} l1*l2*l3 = 0. \\ l1+l2+l3 = 1. \\ t1*t2*t3 = 0. \\ t1+t2+t3 = 1. \\ e1*e2*e3 = 0. \\ e1+e2+e3 = 1. \\ l1*((t1+1)*(e1+1))+l1+1 = 1. \\ l2*((t2+1)*(e2+1))+l2+1 = 1. \\ l3*((t3+1)*(e3+1))+l3+1 = 1. \\ t1*((e1+1)*(l1+1))+t1+1 = 1. \\ t2*((e2+1)*(l2+1))+t2+1 = 1. \\ t3*((e3+1)*(l3+1))+t3+1 = 1. \\ l1*e3+l1+1 = 1. \\ l2*t1+l2+1 = 1. \\ l3*e3+l3+1 = 1. \\ t1*(e3+1)+t1+1 = 1. \\ t2*(t1+1)+t2+1 = 1. \\ t3*(e3+1)+t3+1 = 1. \end{cases}
```

Which, after the right calculations, gives us the following result:

$$\begin{cases}
l1 = 1 \\
l2 = 0 \\
l3 = 0 \\
t1 = 0 \\
t2 = 1 \\
t3 = 0 \\
e1 = 0 \\
e2 = 0 \\
e1 = 1
\end{cases}$$

2.4 Solving logic puzzles programatically

The advantage of translating propositions into a system of equations in the ring form is that it can be solved by using only algebra. Thus a range of mathematical tools can be used for finding a solution, having the following characteristics:

- Can do symbolic computation
- Can solve multi-variable equations
- Can work with values from the Boolean ring
 - Can simplify x^2 to x and x + x to 0
 - Can solve equations with variables from this domain

Such tool could be Mathematica. Mace 4 is also a good tool for solving this kind of equations, however it has a flaw, presented in 2.3, which requires in some cases to wrap the expressions in "mod 2". We used Mace 4 for verifying the correctness of our solutions.

Practically if we multiply all the expressions together, according to the equation 2.1, we could have a single multi-variable equation, which can be solved by these tools, thus solving the logic puzzle via algebra.

2.5 Translating propositional logic to modular arithmetic programatically

Our purpose was not to write a solver for the equations in the ring form. Instead, a translator program was written in Python which converts Mace4 input files in the propositional logic form to the modular arithmetic equivalent.

For this purpose, the **SymPy** library was used which provides symbolic computation capabilities in Python. However it has some limitations:

- Does not simplify x^2 to x automatically. Solved by modifying the expression tree.
- We could not find any possibility for achieving all the capabilities from 2.4 at the same time, i.e. solving multi-variable equation on the Boolean ring.

The source code of the program can be found in annex C.

2.5.1 Data representation

Input data representation

A Mace4 input file contains a set of commands, formulas, clauses and lists. Currently the program supports only those input files that have only commands and formulas.

In commands.py two classes were defined to represent the commands and formula lists of the input file. These classes were created only for holding data. The correspondence between the input files and the classes can be seen below:

Mace4 command

```
assign(domain_size, 2).
```

Command object creation

```
1 Command(
2    name = "assign",
3    args = ["domain_size", "2"])
```

Mace4 formulas

```
formulas(assumptions).

11 -> -t1.

12 -> -t2.

4 end_of_list.
```

Formulas object creation

```
Formulas(

name = "assumptions",

formula_list = [

"l1 -> -t1",

"l2 -> -t2"

])
```

Additionally, the Formulas class hold two class variables which represent its starting and ending keywords.

Formulas class variables

```
class Formulas:
    ...
    commandName = "formulas"
    endCommand = "end_of_list"
    ...
```

Expression tree representation

In order to represent expressions, which are expression trees, we used the already implemented classes of **SymPy**. The **Expr** class is the base class for algebraic expressions. The Mul and Add classes inherit from this class and represent the multiplication and addition respectively. The operands of these operators can be a number a symbol or another expression.

The Symbol class represents a symbol, which is considered as an atomic expression, thus its also a descendant of Expr and can be used as an operand for other expressions.

Each expression tree can be considered as a standalone expression. Thus the composite pattern was applied in order to create expression trees.

2.5.2 Parsing the input file

input.py contains the functions used for parsing the input file.

The processLines(lines) function takes a list of lines (strings), processes them, and returns another list of lines as a result. The comments, whitespaces and empty lines are removed. Also, the lines of a Mace4 input file are logically separated by a "." (dot). Therefore the lines are merged and split again, in order to change the separator to the dot.

The linesToCommandsAndFormulas(lines) function takes a list of lines (processed by the previous function) and transforms the data into a list of Command and Formulas objects. The correspondence between the lines and the classes was presented in 2.5.1. A command takes a single line, and its data can be obtained by splitting the line by "(", ")" and ",". A formulas section takes multiple lines. Thus the lines between the starting and ending keywords are read before creating the Formulas object.

The parsing method presented above is not the most efficient solution, however it was implemented easier, thanks to the string and list manipulation functions in Python.

2.5.3 Defining the rules

The first part of expression.py contains the definitions regarding the rules of the propositional logic in Mace4, and the rules of conversion to the ring form.

Operator precedence

Based on [2], the precedence of propositional logic operators was constructed. It can be observed in table 2.2. Additionally, the operators of the same type or the same priority are right associative. Therefore by constructing the expression tree from left to right, the associativity rules are satisfied.

Symbols

In order to make difference between operators and operands while verifying the lines characterby-character, the function <code>is_symbol_char(char)</code> was created which determines whether that character can be part of a symbol (operand) or not.

| Operator | String form | Priority |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Left parenthesis | (| 0 |
| Right parenthesis |) | 0 |
| Implication (\rightarrow) | -> | 1 |
| Biconditional (\leftrightarrow) | <-> | 1 |
| Inclusive disjunction (\vee) | | 2 |
| Conjunction (\land) | & | 3 |
| Negation (\neg) | _ | 4 |

Table 2.2: The precedence of operators in propositional logic. The higher the priority number, the earlier is the operator evaluated.

It was assumed that a symbol is composed by english letters and digits. It was further assumed, that no operator contain characters that can be part of a symbol.

Conversion to ring form

The conversion of propositions to expression trees of the ring form was based on table 2.1. This table was implemented in the operatorStringToExpression(operator, *operands) function, which takes as parameter a string, representing an operator, and a list of operands. Using the Mul and Add classes of SymPy it returns an expression in which the operands are applied to the corresponding operators, according to the table.

2.5.4 Creating expression trees from propositions

The next part of expression.py contains the functionalities for transforming propositions into SymPy expression trees.

The splitProposition(proposition) function takes as argument a proposition as a string. It separates all the terms (operators + operands) of the string and returns them as a list of strings. The separation is done by verifying each character if it could be part of a symbol or not. If between two consecutive characters this verification returns a different result, they belong to different terms. Moreover if space or parenthesis is occurred, it is sure that the previous term terminated.

The buildExpressionTree(proposition, substitutions=None) function handles the main logic for the expression tree building. It obtains as argument a string proposition and extracts its terms using the previous function. Then each term is verified from left to right.

- In case a left parenthesis occurred, it is pushed to the term stack.
- In case the term is an operand, a Symbol is created from it, and pushed to the node stack.
- In case an operator is occurred, the term stack is popped until the TOS has a lower priority than the current operator. A new node is formed form the popped operator and the corresponding one (unary) or two (binary) operands from the node stack. The operatorStringToExpression is used for the creation of the nodes. Finally the current term is pushed to the term stack.
- In case of a right parenthesis, the node creation occurs until a left parenthesis is reached in the term stack.
- After each term is considered, additional node creations are done until the term stack becomes empty.

• Finally the node stack should contain only one element, the resulting expression tree.

The substitutions parameter is a dictionary which defines which symbols should be substituted with which expression. If the parameter is given, whenever a term appears in the dictionary, teh corresponding expression will be pushed to the node stack.

The expression tree was created directly in the algebraic form. Another possibility would be to create a propositional logic expression tree, then convert the tree to the algebraic form, using the operatorStringToExpression function.

The resulting expression tree is in the algebraic form, the operators were translated just as they were defined in the table. However the result is unreadable and can be further simplified. Also, the automated simplification that occurred during the node creations followed only the rules of general algebra, therefore coefficients could appear with values greater than one, and also powers could appear.

The simplifyExpression(expr, symbols) function takes as argument an expression and the list of symbols appearing in it, and simplifies it according to the rules of the Boolean ring. A SymPy polynomial is created from the expression with the modulus parameter set to 2. This will result in the automated simplification of the expression, based on the parity of the coefficients.

However the powers still remain. We know that $x^2 = x$. Therefore x on any power will result in x. Thus, to further simplify the equation, it was needed to manually replace a power operator (Pow class) with its first argument, the base. The recurse_replace(expr, func) and the rewrite(expr, new_args) functions do the DFS traversal and the replacing. Finally the modulus is set again to 2, in order to trigger further simplifications. The resulting expression is extracted from the polynomial.

Listing 2.1: Simplification on the Boolean ring using SymPy

```
def simplifyExpression(expr, symbols):
    ...
    p = Poly(expr, symbols, modulus=2)
    p = recurse_replace(p, rewrite).set_modulus(2)
    return p.as_expr()
```

2.5.5 Creating and transformation of expressions

The last part of expression.py contains functions for further transforming the expressions, and also a wrapper function which puts together all the functionalities of this file.

The formulasToExpressionTree(formulas, merge, simplify, collect, substitutions) function takes as parameter an object of type Formulas and changes its formula_list field from a list of strings to a SymPy expression (tree). Returns the resulted object.

The simplify flag indicates whether or not to simplify the resulted expressions using the simplifyExpression function described above

If collect flag is set, the terms of the expressions are grouped together, based on the frequency of the symbols. An expression is first grouped by the most frequent term, then by the second most frequent, and so on. This heuristic was used in order to minimize the length of the resulting expression. The getSymbolsByDecreasingFrequency(expression) returns the symbols of an expression in decreasing order of frequency, and the collectExpression(expression) function does the collecting using the previous function and the sympy.collect function.

If the merge flag is set, all the expressions of a Formulas, is multiplied together to form a single expression according to the equation 2.1.

The substitutions argument is the same as discussed before, and is forwarded directly to the buildExpressionTree function.

In order to create the substitutions dictionary, the createSubstitutions(predicates) function can be used which takes a list of strings, each string having the form $a \leftrightarrow f(b)$, where a is a symbol, and f(b) is a predicate. The resulting dictionary is created by associating to each a symbol (string) an expression, obtained by building an algebraic expression tree from f(b) using the buildExpressionTree function.

2.5.6 Printing the result

The output.py file contains the functions which prints the Command and Formulas classes in a format that can be given as input for Mace4.

The commands that have as first argument "arithmetic" or "domain_size" are ignored, because the program sets these values automatically in order to ensure a correct input for Mace4.

Listing 2.2: The commands that are automatically inserted by the program

```
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).
```

2.5.7 The main program

The translator.py file contains the main function, which reads the command line arguments and executes the operations using the previously defined functions, finally printing the result.

For the list of substitutions the program consider only those predicates that are placed inside a formulas(substitutions). list. These predicates are removed from the output.

2.6 Usage of the translator program

By calling the program with the -h or --help parameters the following list of help message is shown. It describes all the command line arguments used by the program.

Listing 2.3: Help message of the program

```
$ python translator.py -h
Usage: translator.py [options] [-f <inputfile>]
A converter from propositional logic to modular arithmetic in the mace4
   format
Options:
    -c, --collect
                        Collects the terms of each expression by the
   decreasing frequency of their symbols.
    -h, --help
                        Prints help message
    -f, --file string Path to the input file. If the option is missing,
   the program reads from STDIN
                        Merges all the expressions of a "formulas" section
    -m, --merge
   into a single expression.
                        Wraps all expressions in "mod 2"
                        Substitutes symbols with their corresponding
   expression. The substitutions must be given in the "a <-> f(b)." format
   in "formulas(substitutions)."
```

2.6.1 Input and output

If the -f or --file parameter is not given, the program reads the input file from the STDIN. This can be used for supplying a piped input. If the flag is given, the program opens the file and reads the lines from it.

Listing 2.4: The possible ways of supplying the input to the program

```
$ python translator.py -f input.txt
$ python translator.py --file=input.txt
$ cat input.txt | python translator.py
$ python translator.py < input.txt</pre>
```

The output of the program is written to the STDOUT. Therefore it can be used both for writing into a file and for piping into another program.

Listing 2.5: The possible ways of using the output of the program

```
$ cat input.txt | python translator.py --mod | mace4 | interpformat
$ python translator.py < input.txt > output.txt
```

2.6.2 Refining the output

There are various options to transform the output of the program.

No refining

Consider the following input file:

Listing 2.6: Sample input file

```
assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
  % 11: There is a lady in room 1
  % 12: There is a lady in room 2
  \% t1: There is a tiger in room 1
  % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  % m1: Message on the door of room 1
  % m2: Message on the door of room 2
  formulas (assumptions).
11
12
      % Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger,
13
      \% but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in
14
     both rooms.
      % 11 & 12 | 11 & t2 | t1 & 12 | t1 & t2. % redundant
15
16
      % No tiger in the room where the lady stays
17
      11 -> -t1.
18
      12 -> -t2.
20
      \% Message on door #1: In this room there is a lady, and in the other
21
     room there is a tiger.
      m1 <-> 11 & t2.
22
23
      % Message on door #2: In one of these rooms there is a lady, and in one
24
     of these rooms there is a tiger.
      m2 <-> (11 | 12) & (t1 | t2).
25
26
```

```
% One of the messages is true, but the other one is false.
m1 <-> -m2.
end_of_list.
```

The input file consists of a list of five formulas, two command, a several comments. If the program is called without setting any flags, the following output would be observed:

Listing 2.7: Program output for the sample file

One can observe, that the all the commands that not contain "arithmetic" or "domain_size" as first arguments, are directly copied to the output. Then these two values is automatically set by the program: to use arithmetic resolution on a domain size of 2. This is done in order to ensure that the output is a valid mace4 input.

Substitution

One can also observe that in the previous output the formulas are at the same place, but they are converted to the ring form and simplified. However, each predicate is translated and simplified separately. Therefore, in this case, the program does not know that it could substitute t1 with (11 + 1), thus further simplifying the equations.

To specify substitutions, one must write formulas of form $a \leftrightarrow f(b)$, where a is the symbol to be substituted and f(b) will be the expression that substitutes it. These substitution rules must be written in the body of formulas(substitutions). Below can be seen the same input file with added substitutions.

Listing 2.8: Sample input file with substitutions

```
%set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
  % 11: There is a lady in room 1
  % 12: There is a lady in room 2
  % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
  \% t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  \% m1: Message on the door of room 1
  % m2: Message on the door of room 2
11
  formulas(substitutions).
13
      t1 <-> -11.
      t2 <-> -12.
14
  end_of_list.
15
  formulas (assumptions).
17
```

```
% Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger,
      % but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in
20
     both rooms.
      % 11 & 12 | 11 & t2 | t1 & 12 | t1 & t2. % redundant
21
22
      % No tiger in the room where the lady stays
23
      11 -> -t1.
24
      12 -> -t2.
25
26
      % Message on door #1: In this room there is a lady, and in the other
27
     room there is a tiger.
      m1 <-> 11 & t2.
2.8
29
      % Message on door #2: In one of these rooms there is a lady, and in one
30
     of these rooms there is a tiger.
      m2 <-> (11 | 12) & (t1 | t2).
31
32
33
      % One of the messages is true, but the other one is false.
      m1 < -> -m2.
34
  end_of_list.
```

Calling the program with the -s or --subs flags, it will give the following output:

Listing 2.9: Program output for the sample file with substitutions

One can observe the following:

- The substitution formulas were removed from the output.
- Because of the substitutions, the first two formulas became tautologies. However they were not removed from the output, in order to preserve the number and the order of the formulas.
- The result became easily readable, close to the one that we wrote by hand in B.1.2.

Collecting (grouping) terms

The lengths of the expressions can further be reduced by grouping the terms according to the distributivity rule of the Boolean ring. The terms are grouped by the decreasing order of the apparitions of the symbols.

Calling the program with the -c or --collect flags for the same input, it will give the following output:

Listing 2.10: Program output for the sample file with substitutions and collecting

```
$ python translator.py -s -c -f input.txt assign(max_models, -1).
```

Besides the third formula, no expression contains a symbol more than once. In the third formula m1 appears once, 12 appears once, and 11 appears twice. The list containing the symbols in the decreasing order of frequency will be [r1, r2, m1]. Therefore the terms of the expression are grouped by this order which results in the same output that was printed to the console.

Merging expressions

According to the equation 2.1, by multiplying each expression, we obtain a single multi-variable equation whose solutions will be the solutions of the logic puzzle.

Calling the program with the -m or --merge flags for the same input, it will multiply all equations of a "formulas" list into a single one, and will give the following output:

Listing 2.11: Program output for the sample file with substitutions, collecting and merging

Providing that single equation to any mathematical tool that satisfies the capabilities mentioned in 2.4 will give the solutions for each symbol, therefore solving the logic puzzle. Thus this program exemplifies the idea mentioned in [3]: "Solving Knights-and-Knaves with One Equation"

Wrapping equations in "mod 2"

Because of the flaw of Mace4 mentioned in 2.3, some expressions must be wrapped in "mod 2" in order to ensure that mace4 can solve it.

Therefore the program provides the --mod flag. When it is set, all the expressions are wrapped in "mod2". Calling the sample program with this flag for the same input will result in the following output:

Listing 2.12: Program output for the sample input with substitutions, collecting, merging and wrapping in mod 2

```
8 end_of_list.
```

Listing 2.13: The output of mace4 for the previous program output given as input

```
$python translator.py -s -c -m --mod -f input.txt | mace4 | interpformat

=== Mace4 starting on domain size 2. ===

----- process 55484 exit (all_models) -----
interpretation( 2, [number = 1, seconds = 0], [
   function(11, [0]),
   function(12, [1]),
   function(m1, [0]),
   function(m1, [0]),
```

Chapter 3

A3: Planning

3.1 Introduction

The purpose of this chapter is to present the problem of cats and mice which can be solved using planning. Furthermore, descriptions of the domains and problems are presented, with gradually increasing complexity.

The "Fast Downward" planner was used for verifying the correct behavior of the description. It is assumed that the executable file is pointed by the PATH variable, and that it is called fd.

3.2 Problem specification

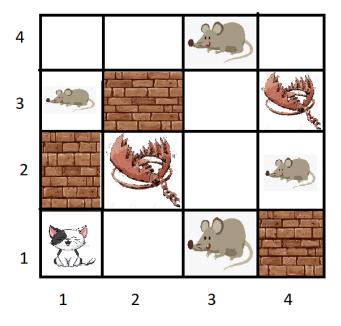
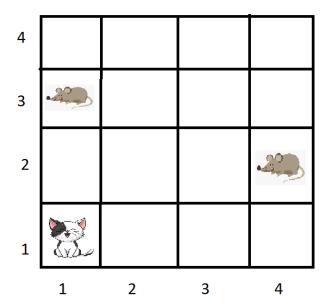


Figure 3.1: Example instance of the cat-mouse world

The world is represented by 16 rooms (4×4) or extended to 36 rooms (6x6). Each room is connected to others through walkways (no rooms are connected diagonally). The knowledge-based agent is a cat which starts from room (1, 1). The goal of the cat is to get rid of the mice: by eating them or by dropping them on traps. After each mouse the cat receives a reward. The walls block the path of the cat, forcing it to go around. The trap kills the animal that lands on it, however it can be used only once. Figure 3.1 shows an example instance of the problem.

3.3 PDDL definition

3.3.1 Catching mice



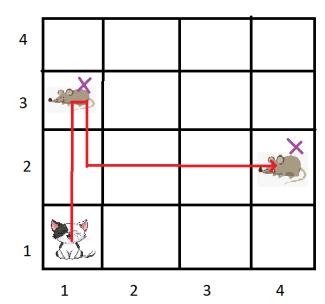


Figure 3.2: **Problem 1:** Catching two mice

Figure 3.3: **Plan for problem 1:** The red line shows the trajectory of the cat. The purple 'x' marks that the cat ate the mouse

The first step to solve the problem is to define the two fundamental actions the cat can take: moving to neighboring rooms and eating a mouse.

Domain

The first types of the domain represent the type of elements that can be inside a room: cat and mouse. The square type represents a room, identified by the row and column indices.

The at predicate shows whether an object is inside a given room or not. The adj predicate indicates whether two squares are adjacent or not. Finally the dead predicate shows whether the given mouse is dead or not.

Listing 3.1: Domain: types and predicates

To move from one square to another, the two squares must be adjacents to each other, and the cat should be inside the first one. Moving means to leave the current square and to enter the next one.

Listing 3.2: Domain: the move action

```
(:action move
:parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
:precondition (and
```

```
(adj ?s1 ?s2)
(at ?c ?s1)
)
:effect (and
(not (at ?c ?s1))
(at ?c ?s2)
)
)
```

The cat can eat a mouse when they are both in the same square. Eating a mouse means to remove it from the world and mark it dead.

Listing 3.3: Domain: the eat action

```
(:action eat
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
23
           :precondition (and
24
                (at ?m ?s)
25
                (at ?c ?s)
26
27
28
           :effect (and
                (not (at ?m ?s))
29
                (dead ?m)
30
           )
31
       )
```

Problem 1

The first problem is to catch two mice. There are no constraints besides the rule of moving only to adjacent cells. The initial state can be seen on figure 3.2.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, two mice and 16 squares.

Listing 3.4: Problem 1: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p01)
(:domain cat)
(:objects
c - cat
m1 m2 - mouse
s11 s12 s13 s14
s21 s22 s23 s24
s31 s32 s33 s34
s41 s42 s43 s44
- square
)
```

To describe the initial state, first we must define the adjacency relationship between the squares.

Listing 3.5: Problem 1: adjacency relationships

```
(:init
           ; square adjacency
14
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
15
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
16
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
17
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
18
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
19
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
20
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
21
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
```

```
(adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23
24
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32
25
                                   s22)
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24
                                    s23)
26
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
27
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
28
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
29
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
30
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
31
           (adj s32 s42)
                          (adj s42 s32)
32
           (adj s33 s34)
                         (adj s34 s33)
33
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
34
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
35
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
36
37
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
38
```

Then the initial locations of the cat and the mice are specified:

Listing 3.6: Problem 1: initial locations

Finally the goal is defined: to get rid of all the mice.

```
Listing 3.7: Problem 1: goal
```

```
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-eat.pddl cat-p01.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.8: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s21)
(move c s21 s31)
(eat c s31 m1)
(move c s31 s21)
(move c s21 s22)
(move c s22 s23)
(move c s23 s24)
(eat c s24 m2)
(s); cost = 8 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.3 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat goes straight to the closest mouse, eats it, than moves on the shortest path to the second one and eats that too.

3.3.2 Adding walls

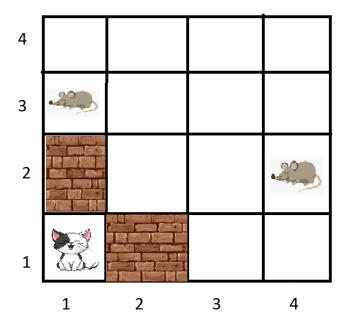


Figure 3.4: **Problem 2:** Two walls completely blocking the cat

The next step of solving the problem is to define walls which block the movement of the cat, forcing it to go around.

Domain

A new type must be added for the walls.

```
Listing 3.9: Domain: types
```

```
(:types cat mouse wall square)
```

The precondition of the move action must be updated in order to prohibit moving to squares containing walls.

Listing 3.10: Domain: the move action

```
(:action move
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
11
           :precondition (and
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
13
                (at ?c ?s1)
14
                (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
16
           :effect (and
17
                (not (at ?c ?s1))
18
                (at ?c ?s2)
19
           )
20
      )
```

Problem 2

The second problem is to catch two mice while the cat being blocked by two walls. The cat can only move to adjacent cells which don't contain walls. The initial state can be seen on figure 3.4.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, two mice, two walls and 16 squares.

Listing 3.11: Problem 2: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p02)
       (:domain cat)
       (:objects
3
           c - cat
4
5
           m1 m2 - mouse
           w1 w2 - wall
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
           s31 s32 s33 s34
           s41 s42 s43 s44
10
11
           - square
12
      )
```

The initial states of the cat and the mice and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The goal is also preserved: to get rid of the two mice. The initial positions of the wall are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.12: Problem 2: initial location of the walls

```
48 ; walls
49 (at w1 s12)
50 (at w2 s21)
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-wall.pddl cat-p02.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following to the console:

```
Search stopped without finding a solution.
```

One can see on figure 3.4 that the cat has no possibility to reach the mice, because of being completely blocked by the two walls. The planner program by not providing a solution it verifies that the blocking mechanism is indeed working.

Problem 3

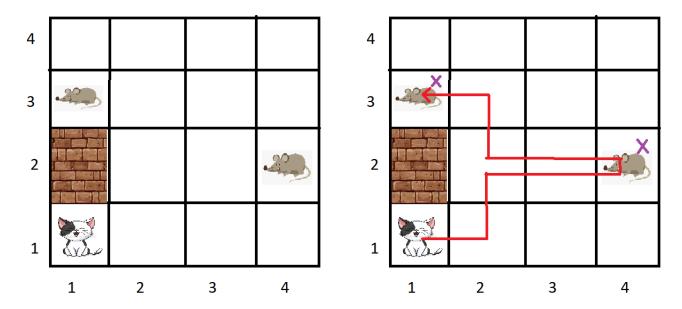


Figure 3.5: **Problem 3:** Adding walls

In this problem we removed the wall from position (1,2) to allow the cat to complete its goal. The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.5.

Listing 3.13: Problem 3: initial location of the wall

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-wall.pddl cat-p03.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.14: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
(move c s12 s22)
(move c s22 s23)
(move c s23 s24)
(move c s24 m2)
(move c s24 s23)
(move c s24 s23)
(move c s23 s22)
(move c s23 s22)
(move c s22 s32)
(move c s32 s31)
(eat c s31 m1)
(cat c s31 m1)
(cat c s31 m1)
```

Figure 3.6 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat goes on the shortest path to position (2,2). At this location it is from the same distance from the two mice. Therefore it can choose both of them as the first victim. The cat chooses the mouse on (2, 4) than goes to (3,1) on the shortest path.

By comparing the result with the plan at figure 3.3 one can observe that the shortest path would have been to move straight to the mouse on (3, 1). However now, because of the wall, the cat must go around it. Therefore resulting in a change both in the path and in the plan.

3.3.3 Adding traps

The next step of solving the problem is to define traps which can kill both the cat or the mouse, depending on what lands on them. However these traps are for single use. After a mouse is landed on a trap, the trap becomes disabled and the cat can move freely to that square.

Domain

A new type must be added for the traps.

Listing 3.15: Domain: types

```
(:types cat mouse wall trap square)
```

The precondition of the move action must be updated in order to allow moving only when the cat is alive. Moreover after each move it must be verified if there are any traps on that square or note. If there are no traps, the position of the cat is updated as before. However if the cat lands on a trap, it is removed from the world and marked as dead.

Listing 3.16: Domain: the move action

```
(:action move
10
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
11
           :precondition (and
12
               (not (dead ?c))
13
               (adj ?s1 ?s2)
14
               (at ?c ?s1)
               (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
16
           )
17
           :effect (and
18
               (not (at ?c ?s1))
19
               (when (exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2)) (dead ?c))
20
               (when (not(exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2))) (at ?c ?s2))
21
           )
22
      )
```

The precondition of the eat action must be updated in order to allow eating only when the cat is alive.

Listing 3.17: Domain: the eat action

```
(:action eat
25
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
26
           :precondition (and
                (not (dead ?c))
                (at ?m ?s)
29
                (at ?c ?s)
30
           )
31
           :effect (and
32
                (not (at ?m ?s))
33
                (dead ?m)
34
35
           )
      )
```

Because of inserting in all the preconditions that the cat must not be dead, after the cat dies it can no longer reach the goal, i.e. no more actions can be taken.

Problem 4

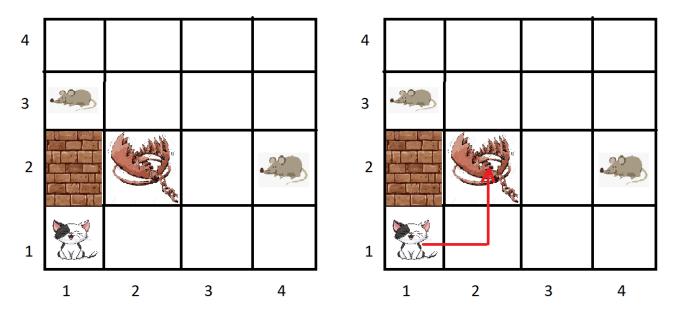


Figure 3.7: **Problem 4:** Adding traps. The goal of the cat is to die.

Figure 3.8: Plan for problem 4

In this problem a trap was added to position (2,2). The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.7. To test the effect of the trap, the goal of this problem is for the cat to die. This can be achieved only by going into the trap.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, two mice, two walls, a trap and 16 squares.

Listing 3.18: Problem 4: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p04)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
           c - cat
           m1 m2 - mouse
5
           w1 w2 - wall
              - trap
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
9
           s31 s32 s33 s34
           s41 s42 s43 s44
11
           - square
12
      )
```

The initial states of the cat, the mice and the walls and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The initial positions of the wall are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.19: Problem 4: initial location of the trap

```
; trap
(at t1 s22)
```

The goal of the problem is for the cat to die:

```
Listing 3.20: Problem 4: goal
```

```
56 (:goal (dead c))
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-trap.pddl cat-p04.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.21: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
(move c s12 s22)
3; cost = 2 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.8 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat goes on the shortest path to the trap. Then by dying the goal is reached.

Problem 5

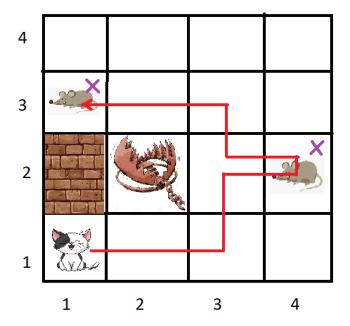


Figure 3.9: Plan for problem 5: Eat two mice and be alive

The problem instance is the same as before, can be seen on figure 3.7. However the goal is changed back to the previous one: to get rid of all the mice.

```
Listing 3.22: Problem 5: goal

(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-trap.pddl cat-p05.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.23: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
(move c s12 s13)
(move c s13 s23)
(move c s23 s24)
(eat c s24 m2)
(move c s24 s23)
(move c s23 s33)
(move c s23 s33)
(move c s33 s32)
(move c s32 s31)
(eat c s31 m1)
(cat c s31 m1)
(cost = 10 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.9 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat must go around the wall and the trap to reach the mouse on (3,1). It goes on a path which reduces the distance toward the two mice. After reaching position (2,3) the cat does a detour to eat the closest mouse. Than it goes on the shortest path to eat the mouse on (3,1).

Problem 6

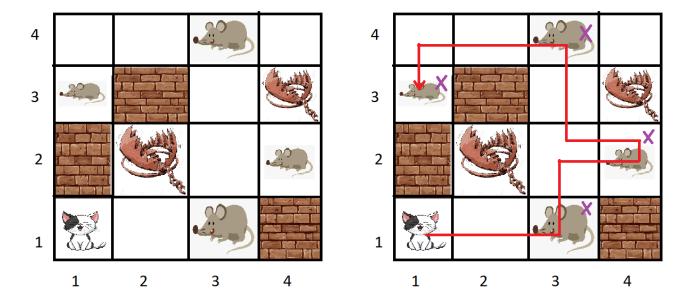


Figure 3.10: **Problem 6:** Adding more objects to the world

Figure 3.11: Plan for problem 6

In this problem additional were added to the world. The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.10.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, four mice, three walls, two traps and 16 squares.

Listing 3.24: Problem 6: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p06)
(:domain cat)
(:objects
c - cat
m1 m2 m3 m4 - mouse
w1 w2 w3 - wall
t1 t2 - trap
s11 s12 s13 s14
s21 s22 s23 s24
s31 s32 s33 s34
s41 s42 s43 s44
- square

)
```

The goal, the initial state of the cat, and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The initial positions of the mice, walls and traps are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.25: Problem 6: initial location of the mice, walls and traps

```
; mice
45
            (at m1 s31)
46
       (at m2 s13)
            (at m3 s24)
48
       (at m4 s43)
49
50
51
            ; walls
            (at w1 s21)
52
53
       (at w2 s14)
       (at w3 s32)
54
```

```
56 ; trap
57 (at t1 s22)
58 (at t2 s34)
```

The goal of the problem is updated to include all four mice:

```
Listing 3.26: Problem 6: goal
```

```
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4)))
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-trap.pddl cat-p06.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.27: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
(move c s12 s13)
(eat c s13 m2)
(move c s13 s23)
(move c s23 s24)
(eat c s24 m3)
(move c s24 s23)
(move c s23 s33)
(move c s23 s33)
(move c s33 s43)
(eat c s43 m4)
(move c s43 s42)
(move c s42 s41)
(move c s41 s31)
(eat c s31 m1)
; cost = 14 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.11 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat takes a counterclockwise turn around the two walls and the neighboring trap. While taking this path, the cat eats the closest mice along the way.

3.3.4 Disabling traps

Until now the traps were equivalent to walls. Now a new ability is introduced for the cat: to disable the traps. To achieve this, the cat must grab a mouse, bring it next to the trap, then it must drop it onto the trap. This way the mouse is killed and the trap is disabled. Thus the cat can move freely to the square of the trap. While the cat is holding a mouse in its mouth, it cannot eat another mouse.

Domain

To define the new ability of the cat, additional actions are introduced: grabbing a mouse and disabling the trap with it.

A new predicate is introduced, has, which specifies that an object has another object. A cat having a mouse means that the mouse is grabbed by the cat.

Listing 3.28: Domain: predicates

```
(:predicates (at ?who ?where)
```

```
(adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
(dead ?m)
(has ?who ?what)
)
```

The move and eat actions remain unchanged.

The grab action is introduced. Before grabbing a mouse, the cat must be alive, the cat and the mouse must be in the same square, and the cat should not hold another mouse in its mouth (because there is no place for 2 mice in his mouth). Grabbing a mouse means to remove it from the square and to attach it to the cat.

Listing 3.29: Domain: the grab action

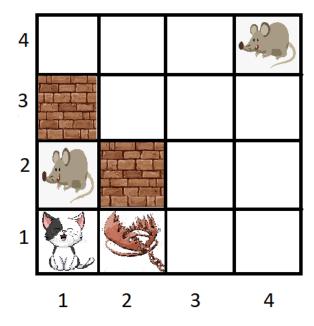
```
(:action grab
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
41
42
           :precondition (and
                (not (dead ?c))
43
                (at ?m ?s)
44
                (at ?c ?s)
                (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
46
           )
47
           :effect (and
48
                (not (at ?m ?s))
49
                (has ?c ?m)
50
           )
51
      )
```

The disable-trap action is also introduced. Its precondition requires an alive cat which stands on a square adjacent with the square of the trap, moreover the cat must have grabbed a mouse. Disabling a trap with a mouse means to detach the mouse from the cat, to remove the trap from the square and to mark the mouse dead.

Listing 3.30: Domain: the disable-trap action

```
(:action disable-trap
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square ?m - mouse ?t - trap
55
      )
           :precondition (and
56
                (not (dead ?c))
57
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
58
                (at ?c ?s1)
59
                (at ?t ?s2)
60
                (has ?c ?m)
61
           )
62
           :effect (and
63
                (not (at ?t ?s2))
64
                (dead ?m)
65
                (not (has ?c ?m))
66
           )
67
      )
```

Problem 7



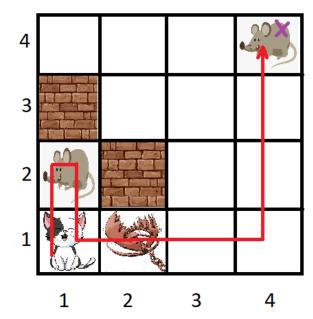


Figure 3.12: **Problem 7:** Disabling a trap

Figure 3.13: **Plan for problem 7:** The mouse at (2,1) does not have a purple 'x', which means that it was not eaten by the cat, instead it was grabbed by the cat and dropped at the next trap.

In this problem the cat cannot reach the second mouse using only the move and grab actions because it is surrounded by a wall and a trap. Thus its only possibility is to grab the closest mouse and disable the trap with it. The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.12.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, two mice, two walls, a trap and 16 squares.

Listing 3.31: Problem 7: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p07)
       (:domain cat)
       (:objects
           c - cat
           m1 m2 - mouse
5
           w1 w2 - wall
           t1 - trap
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
9
           s31 s32 s33 s34
10
           s41 s42 s43 s44
11
             square
12
      )
```

The initial state of the cat, and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The initial positions of the mice, walls and traps are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.32: Problem 7: initial location of the mice, walls and traps

```
; mice
(at m1 s21)
(at m2 s44)
```

```
48
49 ; walls
50 (at w1 s31)
51 (at w2 s22)
52
53 ; trap
54 (at t1 s12)
```

The goal of the problem is updated to include all two mice:

```
Listing 3.33: Problem 7: goal
```

```
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-grab.pddl cat-p07.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.34: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s21)
(grab c s21 m1)
(move c s21 s11)
(disable-trap c s11 s12 m1 t1)
(move c s11 s12)
(move c s12 s13)
(move c s13 s14)
(move c s14 s24)
(move c s24 s34)
(move c s34 s44)
(eat c s44 m2)
; cost = 11 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.13 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat grabs the closest mouse and disables the trap with it. Then it goes to the next mouse on the shortest path and eats it.

3.3.5 Extending the world

For making the problems harder, we created a bigger world, containing 36 squares. The adjacency relationships between the squares are defined in the following way:

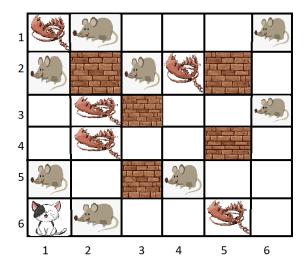
Listing 3.35: Adjacency relationships for the 6x6 world

```
(:init
           ; square adjacency
18
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
19
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
20
21
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
22
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
23
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
24
           (adj s14 s15) (adj s15 s14)
25
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
26
           (adj s15 s16) (adj s16 s15)
27
           (adj
               s15 s25) (adj
                               s25
28
           (adj s16 s26) (adj s26 s16)
29
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
```

```
(adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
32
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
33
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
34
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
35
           (adj s24 s25) (adj s25 s24)
36
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
37
           (adj s25 s26) (adj s26 s25)
38
           (adj s25 s35) (adj s35 s25)
39
           (adj s26 s36) (adj s36 s26)
40
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
41
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
42
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
43
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
44
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
45
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
46
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
47
48
           (adj s34 s35) (adj s35 s34)
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s34 s44)
49
           (adj s35 s36) (adj s36 s35)
50
           (adj s35 s45) (adj s45 s35)
           (adj s36 s46) (adj s46 s36)
52
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
53
           (adj s41 s51) (adj s41 s51)
54
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
55
56
           (adj s42 s52) (adj s52 s42)
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
57
           (adj s43 s53) (adj s53 s43)
58
           (adj s44 s45) (adj s45 s44)
           (adj s44 s54) (adj s54 s44)
60
           (adj s45 s46) (adj s46 s45)
61
           (adj s45 s55) (adj s55 s45)
62
           (adj s46 s56) (adj s56 s46)
63
           (adj s51 s52) (adj s52 s51)
64
           (adj s51 s61) (adj s51 s61)
65
           (adj s52 s53) (adj s53 s52)
66
           (adj s52 s62) (adj s62 s52)
67
           (adj s53 s54) (adj s54 s53)
68
           (adj s53 s63) (adj s63 s53)
69
           (adj s54 s55) (adj s55 s54)
70
           (adj s54 s64) (adj s64 s54)
71
           (adj s55 s56) (adj s56 s55)
72
           (adj s55 s65) (adj s65 s55)
73
74
           (adj s56 s66) (adj s66 s56)
           (adj s61 s62) (adj s62 s61)
75
           (adj s62 s63) (adj s63 s62)
76
           (adj s63 s64) (adj s64 s63)
77
           (adj s64 s65) (adj s65 s64)
78
           (adj s65 s66) (adj s66 s65)
```

For the upcoming problems the cat-grab.pddl domain is used.

Problem 8



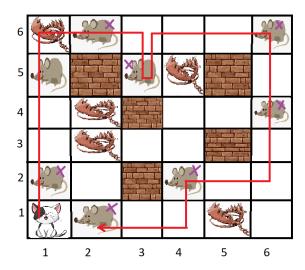


Figure 3.14: **Problem 8:** Catch mice, avoid/disable traps, and avoid walls in a 6x6 world

Figure 3.15: Plan for problem 8

This problem is an example of a 6x6 world where the agent must use all of its actions to achieve the goal efficiently. The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.14.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, eight mice, five walls, five traps and 36 squares.

Listing 3.36: Problem 8: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p08)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
          c - cat
          m1 m2 m3 m4 m5 m6 m7 m8 - mouse
          w1 w2 w3 w4 w5 - wall
          t1 t2 t3 t4 t5 - trap
          s11 s12 s13 s14 s15 s16
          s21 s22 s23 s24 s25 s26
          s31 s32 s33 s34 s35
10
          s41 s42 s43 s44 s45
11
          s51 s52 s53 s54 s55 s56
12
          s61 s62 s63 s64 s65 s66
13
          - square
14
      )
```

The initial state of the cat, and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The initial positions of the mice, walls and traps are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.37: Problem 8: initial location of the mice, walls and traps

```
(at m8 s66)
             ; walls
95
             (at w1 s23)
96
             (at w2 s35)
97
             (at w3 s43)
             (at w4 s52)
99
             (at w5 s55)
100
101
             ; trap
102
             (at t1 s15)
103
             (at t2 s32)
104
             (at t3 s42)
             (at t4 s54)
106
             (at t5 s61)
107
```

The goal of the problem is updated to include all mice:

Listing 3.38: Problem 8: goal

```
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6) (dead m7) (dead m8)))
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-grab.pddl cat-p08.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

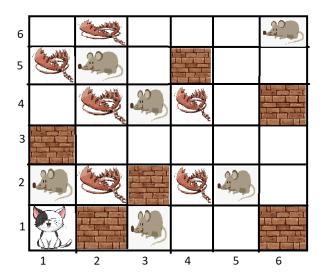
Listing 3.39: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s21)
  (eat c s21 m2)
  (move c s21 s31)
  (move c s31 s41)
  (move c s41 s51)
  (grab c s51 m5)
  (disable-trap c s51 s61 m5 t5)
  (move c s51 s61)
  (move c s61 s62)
  (eat c s62 m7)
  (move c s62 s63)
  (move c s63 s53)
  (eat c s53 m6)
  (move c s53 s63)
  (move c s63 s64)
  (move c s64 s65)
  (move c s65 s66)
  (eat c s66 m8)
18
  (move c s66 s56)
19
  (move c s56 s46)
 (eat c s46 m4)
 (move c s46 s36)
23 (move c s36 s26)
24 (move c s26 s25)
  (move c s25 s24)
  (eat c s24 m3)
  (move c s24 s14)
28 (move c s14 s13)
```

```
29 (move c s13 s12)
30 (eat c s12 m1)
31 ; cost = 30 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.15 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat does a big clockwise turn. It eats the first mouse. When it reaches the second, instead of eating it and turning around, the cat grabs the mouse and disables the trap. Then by passing through the trap, the cat can move forward to eat all the other mice, by moving each time on the shortest path towards the closest mouse.

Problem 9



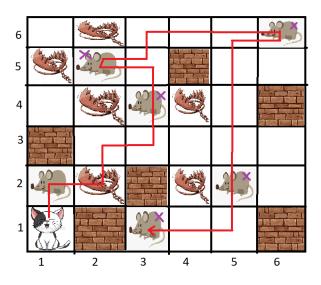


Figure 3.16: **Problem 9:** Catch mice, avoid/disable traps, and avoid walls in a 6x6 world

Figure 3.17: Plan for problem 9

The scenario described by the problem instance is another example for the case when the cat is obliged to disable a trap using a mouse. The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.16.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, six mice, six walls, six traps and 36 squares.

Listing 3.40: Problem 9: objects

```
(define (problem cat-p09)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
          c - cat
          m1 m2 m3 m4 m5 m6 - mouse
          w1 w2 w3 w4 w5 w6 - wall
          t1 t2 t3 t4 t5 t6 - trap
          s11 s12 s13 s14 s15 s16
          s21 s22 s23 s24 s25 s26
          s31 s32 s33
                       s34 s35
                                s36
                   s43 s44 s45
11
          s41 s42
          s51 s52 s53 s54 s55
                                s56
12
          s61 s62 s63 s64 s65
                                s66
          - square
14
      )
```

The initial state of the cat, and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The initial positions of the mice, walls and traps are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.41: Problem 9: initial location of the mice, walls and traps

```
85
             ; mice
             (at m1 s13)
86
             (at m2 s21)
87
             (at m3 s25)
88
             (at m4 s43)
89
             (at m5 s52)
90
             (at m6 s66)
91
92
             ; walls
93
             (at w1 s12)
94
             (at w2 s16)
96
             (at w3 s23)
             (at w4 s31)
97
             (at w5 s46)
98
             (at w6 s54)
100
             ; trap
             (at t1 s22)
102
             (at t2 s24)
103
             (at t3 s42)
104
             (at t4 s44)
             (at t5 s51)
106
             (at t6 s62)
107
```

The goal of the problem is updated to include all mice:

Listing 3.42: Problem 9: goal

```
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6)
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-grab.pddl cat-p09.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.43: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s21)
(grab c s21 m2)
(disable-trap c s21 s22 m2 t1)
(move c s21 s22)
(move c s22 s32)
(move c s32 s33)
(move c s33 s43)
(eat c s43 m4)
(move c s43 s53)
(move c s53 s52)
(eat c s52 m5)
(move c s52 s53)
(move c s53 s63)
(move c s63 s64)
(move c s64 s65)
(move c s65 s66)
(eat c s66 m6)
(move c s66 s56)
(move c s56 s55)
```

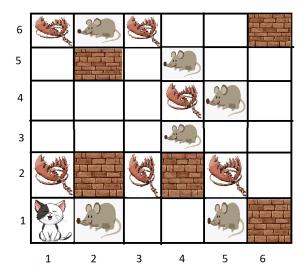
```
20 (move c s55 s45)
21 (move c s45 s35)
22 (move c s35 s25)
23 (eat c s25 m3)
24 (move c s25 s15)
25 (move c s15 s14)
26 (move c s14 s13)
27 (eat c s13 m1)
28 ; cost = 27 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.17 visualizes the resulted plan.

The mice marked with a purple X were eaten by the cat, the other one was 'thrown' into the trap, so the cat could pass through it.

As we can see, in the first step, the cat having no other option, it had to grab the mouse at (2,1) and throw it into the trap at (2,2) so that it could go forward to eat the other mice.

Problem 10



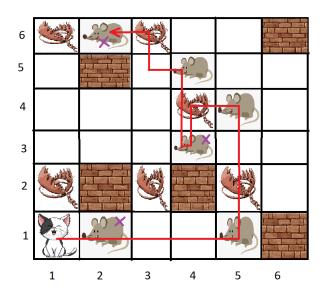


Figure 3.18: **Problem 10:** Catch mice, avoid/disable traps, and avoid walls in a 6x6 world

Figure 3.19: Plan for problem 10

This problem is an example for the case when the cat is obliged to disable a trap using a mouse. However now the cat must choose between multiple traps, to disable one or more of them. The problem instance can be seen on figure 3.18.

The objects that appear in the problem are: a cat, six mice, five walls, six traps and 36 squares.

Listing 3.44: Problem 10: objects

```
s31 s32 s33 s34 s35 s36
s41 s42 s43 s44 s45 s46
s51 s52 s53 s54 s55 s56
s61 s62 s63 s64 s65 s66
- square
)
```

The initial state of the cat, and the adjacency relationships between the squares are unchanged. The initial positions of the mice, walls and traps are expressed in the following way:

Listing 3.45: Problem 10: initial location of the mice, walls and traps

```
; mice
             (at m1 s12)
             (at m2 s15)
87
             (at m3 s34)
88
             (at m4 s45)
89
             (at m5 s54)
             (at m6 s62)
91
92
93
             ; walls
             (at w1 s16)
94
             (at w2 s22)
95
             (at w3 s24)
96
             (at w4 s52)
97
             (at w5 s66)
98
99
             ; trap
100
             (at t1 s21)
             (at t2 s23)
102
             (at t3 s25)
103
             (at t4 s44)
104
             (at t5 s61)
             (at t6 s63)
106
```

The goal of the problem is updated to include all mice:

Listing 3.46: Problem 10: goal

```
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6)
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-grab.pddl cat-p10.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h)"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.47: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
(eat c s12 m1)
(move c s12 s13)
(move c s13 s14)
(move c s14 s15)
(grab c s15 m2)
(disable-trap c s15 s25 m2 t3)
(move c s15 s25)
(move c s25 s35)
(move c s35 s45)
```

```
11 (grab c s45 m4)
12 (disable-trap c s45 s44 m4 t4)
13 (move c s45 s44)
14 (move c s44 s34)
15 (eat c s34 m3)
16 (move c s34 s44)
17 (move c s44 s54)
18 (grab c s54 m5)
19 (move c s54 s53)
20 (disable-trap c s53 s63 m5 t6)
21 (move c s63 s62)
22 (eat c s62 m6)
24 ; cost = 23 (unit cost)
```

Figure 3.19 visualizes the resulted plan. The cat is trapped in the first row, so it is forced to throw a mouse in one of the traps from the second row. It chooses the last one, and it eats the closest mouse. Similarly in the sixth row, the mouse is place between two traps and a wall, so the cat is forced to disable one of the traps, using a mouse.

3.3.6 Adding costs to actions

To influence the behavior of the agent one should assign priorities to actions. The agent would choose from two potential actions the one which has a higher priority i.e. has a lower cost.

We will use the world described in problem 10 and modify the action costs in the domain.

Problem 11

This problem is the copy of problem 10. The instance can be seen on figure 3.18. The only difference is that we introduce the total-cost function.

Initializing the total cost to 0:

```
Listing 3.48: Problem 11: total cost
```

```
(= (total-cost) 0)
```

Specifying to minimize the total cost:

```
Listing 3.49: Problem 11: metric
```

```
(:metric minimize (total-cost))
```

Domain - Uniform

The cat-weight-uniform.pddl file defines a domain which works the same as cat-grab.pddl because the weight of each action is equal to 1, i.e. each action has uniform cost. Therefore the priority is to eat all the mice with the least number of actions.

The requirements are updated to enable costs to actions:

```
Listing 3.50: Domain - Uniform: requirements
```

```
(:requirements :strips :action-costs)
```

The total-cost function is added:

Listing 3.51: Domain - Uniform: functions

```
(:functions
(total-cost)
)
```

In the :effect part of each action a uniform cost is added. An example is:

Listing 3.52: Domain - Uniform: adding uniform cost

```
:effect (and (not (at ?m ?s)) (has ?c ?m) (increase (total-cost) 1)
```

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-weight-uniform.pddl cat-p11.pddl --heuristic "h=ff()" --search "
    astar(h)"
```

The program prints the exact same output as for problem 10 described in section 3.3.5. The cat chose to eat some mice, and chose to throw some mice into the traps even if it wasn't forced to do it (e.g at (4,4)). The resulted plan can be seen on figure 3.20.

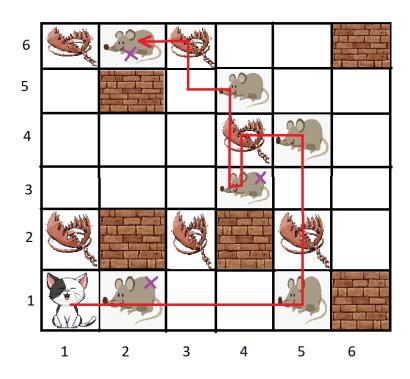


Figure 3.20: Uniform: Eat all the mice with the least number of actions

Domain - Eat Priority

In this domain the cost of eating a mouse is 1, the cost of disabling a trap is 10000 and the cost of all other actions is 1000. This way we tell the planner that it should eat mice and it should disable traps only if it is forced to do it.

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.53: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
(grab c s12 m1)
     c s12 s13)
(move c s13 s14)
(move c s14 s15)
(disable-trap c s15 s25 m1 t3)
(eat c s15 m2)
(move c s15 s25)
(move c s25 s35)
(move c s35 s34)
(eat c s34 m3)
(move c s34 s35)
(move c s35 s45)
(eat c s45 m4)
(move c s45 s55)
(move c s55 s54)
(grab c s54 m5)
(move c s54 s53)
(disable-trap c s53 s63 m5 t6)
(move c s53 s63)
(move c s63 s62)
(eat c s62 m6)
  cost = 36004 (general cost)
```

One can observe that the agent prioritized the eating of mice over the disabling of the traps. The number of actions does not matter in this case. The cat disabled only those two traps which blocks it from reaching the next mouse. When using the uniform domain, an additional third trap (at (4,4)) was also disabled to reduce the number of actions. Now this trap is remained enable because the low priority of the corresponding action.

The resulted plan can be seen on figure 3.21

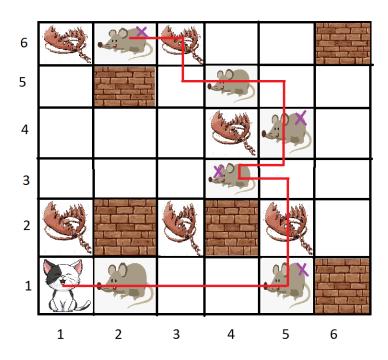


Figure 3.21: Eat priority: Eat all the mice. Disable traps only if forced to do it

Domain - Trap Priority

In this domain the cost for disabling a trap is 1, the cost of eating a mouse is 10000 and the cost of all other actions is 1000. This way we tell the planner that it should disable traps and it should not eat mice, unless there are no more traps.

Result

One should type the following line to run the example:

```
fd cat-weight-trap.pddl cat-p11.pddl --heuristic "h=ff( )" --search "astar(h
 )"
```

The program prints the following solution:

Listing 3.54: Output plan

```
(move c s11 s12)
  (grab c s12 m1)
  (move c s12 s13)
  (disable-trap c s13 s23 m1 t2)
  (move c s13 s14)
  (move c s14 s15)
  (grab c s15 m2)
  (disable-trap c s15 s25 m2 t3)
  (move c s15 s25)
  (move c s25 s35)
  (move c s35 s45)
  (grab c s45 m4)
13
  (move c s45 s55)
  (move c s55 s54)
  (move c s54 s53)
15
  (disable-trap c s53 s63 m4 t6)
16
  (move c s53 s63)
  (move c s63 s62)
  (grab c s62 m6)
  (disable-trap c s62 s61 m6 t5)
  (move c s62 s63)
  (move c s63 s53)
  (move c s53 s54)
  (grab c s54 m5)
  (disable-trap c s54 s44 m5 t4)
  (move c s54 s44)
  (move c s44 s34)
  (grab c s34 m3)
  (move c s34 s33)
  (move c s33 s32)
  (move c s32 s31)
  (disable-trap c s31 s21 m3 t1)
  ; cost = 26006 (general cost)
```

One can observe that the agent prioritized the disabling of the traps instead of eating all the mice as fast as possible. It disabled all the traps and did not eat any mice.

The resulted plan can be seen on figure 3.22

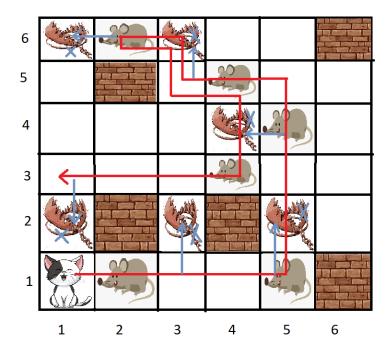


Figure 3.22: **Trap priority:** *Disable traps. Eat mice only if there are no more traps.* The blue "x" shows that the trap is disabled. The blue arrow show the position where the cat was when it disabled the trap.

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Appendix A

Source Code: Search

The code snippets below are from search.py.

A.1 Nodes

To represent the search nodes, we used different strategies across the various search algorithms. In some cases we used tuples containing the state, the action and the cumulative cost of a node, while in other cases we used the Node class defined below.

In the latter case, we stored in a node a reference to its parent. This information is used for reconstructing the path from the start node to the goal node, in the reconstructPath(node) method.

Listing A.1: The Node class

```
class Node:
68
      Node used for search algorithms.
70
71
      def __init__(self, state, action, cost, parent, f=0):
72
73
          state: (x,y) coordinates
74
          action: direction from Directions of game.py
75
          cost: cost of reaching the node
          parent: parent node
          f: the backed-up f-value
78
79
           self.state = state
           self.action = action
81
           self.cost = cost
82
           self.parent = parent
83
           self.f = f
```

Listing A.2: Method for reconstructing the path from the start to the goal node.

```
def reconstructPath(node):
    """

Reconstructs a path, whose end node is given as a parameter, by iterating through the parent references.

node: search node, instance of Node
    """

not node:
```

```
path = []

while node.parent is not None:

path = path + [node.action]

node = node.parent

path.reverse()

return path
```

A.2 Bidirectional Search

```
def bidirectionalSearch(problem):
229
       Simultaneously searches from both the start and the goal positions.
230
       Stops when the two frontiers intersect.
231
       The shallowest node is taken first (BFS).
232
233
234
       forward = util.Queue()
235
       start = problem.getStartState()
236
       exploredForward = {start}
       forward.push((start, []))
238
       backward = util.Queue()
240
       goal = problem.goal
241
       exploredBackward = {goal}
242
       backward.push((goal, []))
244
       visitedForward = set()
245
       visitedBackwards = set()
246
       while not forward.isEmpty() and not backward.isEmpty():
248
249
           # Forward searching
           currentNode, currentActions = forward.pop()
251
252
           if currentNode not in visitedForward:
253
                visitedForward.add(currentNode)
254
                if currentNode in exploredBackward:
255
                    while not backward.isEmpty():
256
                        node, actions = backward.pop()
257
                        if node == currentNode:
                             solution = currentActions + actions.reverse()
259
                             return solution
260
261
                for (childState, childAction, childCost) in problem.
      getSuccessors(currentNode):
                    forward.push((childState, currentActions + [childAction]))
263
                    exploredForward.add(childState)
264
           # Backward searching
266
           currentNode, currentActions = backward.pop()
267
268
           if currentNode not in visitedBackwards:
270
                visitedBackwards.add(currentNode)
271
                if currentNode in exploredForward:
```

```
274
                    while not forward.isEmpty():
                        node, actions = forward.pop()
                        if node == currentNode:
276
                             backwardActions = [reverseAction(action) for action
27
      in currentActions]
                             backwardActions.reverse()
278
                             solution = actions + backwardActions
279
                             return solution
280
                for (childState, childAction, childCost) in problem.
      getSuccessors(currentNode):
                    backward.push((childState, currentActions + [childAction]))
283
                    exploredBackward.add(childState)
284
285
286
   def reverseAction(action):
       """Changes the action to its inverse."""
289
290
       if action == 'North':
291
           return 'South'
       elif action == 'South':
293
           return 'North'
       elif action == 'West':
295
           return 'East'
296
297
           return 'West'
298
```

A.3 Depth Limited Search

```
depthLimitedSearch(problem, limit):
367
       Search the deepest nodes in the search tree first. The search depth is
368
      limited by the given parameter.
369
       returns a (node, cutoff) tuple:
370
       - node is the goal node containing reference to its parent.
371
       - cutoff is True if no solution was found in the given limit, False
      otherwise.
373
374
       start_node = Node(problem.getStartState(), None, 0, None)
       visited = {start_node.state}
376
       return recursiveDLS(problem, visited, start_node, limit)
377
378
379
   def recursiveDLS(problem, visited, node, limit):
380
381
       Helper function for depthLimitedSearch(problem, limit).
382
       returns a (node, cutoff) tuple:
384
       - node: the goal node containing reference to its parent, or False if no
385
       solution was found.
       - cutoff: True if no solution was found in the given limit, False
      otherwise.
387
       if problem.isGoalState(node.state):
```

```
return node, False
       if limit == 0:
           return None, True
392
393
       cutoff_occurred = False
       for child_state, child_action, child_cost in problem.getSuccessors(node.
395
      state):
           if child_state not in visited:
396
397
                child = Node(child_state, child_action, child_cost, node)
398
399
                visited.add(child_state)
400
                (result, cutoff) = recursiveDLS(problem, visited, child, limit -
401
       1)
                visited.remove(child_state)
402
403
                if cutoff:
405
                    cutoff_occurred = True
                elif result:
406
                    return result, False
407
       if cutoff_occurred:
409
           return None, True
410
411
       else:
           return None, False
```

A.4 Iterative Deepening Depth-First Search

```
def iterativeDeepeningSearch(problem):
416
417
       Search the deepest nodes in the search tree first. The search depth is
418
      limited, but the limit is increased in each
       iteration.
419
421
       - node: the goal node containing reference to its parent, or False if no
422
       solution was found.
424
       depth = 0
425
       while True:
426
           (result, cutoff) = depthLimitedSearch(problem, depth)
427
           if not cutoff:
428
                return reconstructPath(result)
429
           depth += 1
```

A.5 Iterative Deepening A*

```
def iterativeDeepeningAStarSearch(problem, heuristic=nullHeuristic):

"""

Search the node that has the lowest combined cost and heuristic first.

It differs from A* by limiting the size of
the frontier, using a bound on the f value.

"""
```

```
438
       start = problem.getStartState()
       bound = heuristic(start, problem)
440
       path = [(start, None, 0)]
441
       visited = {start}
442
443
       while True:
444
           t = iterativeDeepeningAStarSearchUtil(problem, heuristic, path,
445
      visited, bound)
           if t is None:
447
                return [action for (state, action, cost) in path if action is
448
      not None]
449
           if t == sys.maxint:
                return None
450
451
           bound = t
452
453
454
   def iterativeDeepeningAStarSearchUtil(problem, heuristic, path, visited,
455
      bound):
456
       Utility function for iterativeDeepeningAStarSearch.
457
       Returns the minimum cost of all values that exceeded the current bound.
459
       state, action, cost = path[-1]
460
       f = cost + heuristic(state, problem)
461
462
       if f > bound:
           return f
464
       if problem.isGoalState(state):
465
           return None
46
       min = sys.maxint
468
469
       for child_state, child_action, child_cost in problem.getSuccessors(state
470
      ):
           if child_state not in visited:
471
                visited.add(child_state)
472
                path.append((child_state, child_action, child_cost + cost))
474
                t = iterativeDeepeningAStarSearchUtil(problem, heuristic, path,
475
      visited, bound)
476
                if t is None:
477
                    return None
478
                if t < min:
479
                    min = t
481
                path.pop()
482
                visited.remove(child_state)
483
       return min
485
```

A.6 Recursive Best-First Search

```
def recursiveBestFirstSearch(problem, heuristic=nullHeuristic):
"""
```

```
Similarly to the DFS, search the deepest nodes in the search tree first,
303
       but uses the f_limit variable to keep
       track of the f values. The f value is the largest reached g(n) + h(n)
304
      value upon one path after the search is
       stopped because of the f_limit. This f values is backed up to the parent
305
       of a node upon backtracking. The f_limit of
       the best child path is the f value of the best alternative path.
306
307
       returns:
308
       - node: the goal node containing reference to its parent, or False if no
309
       solution was found.
310
       start_node = Node(problem.getStartState(), None, 0, None)
311
       start_node.f = 0
312
       visited = {start_node.state}
313
       result, _ = RBFS(problem, heuristic, visited, start_node, float('inf'))
314
315
316
       return reconstructPath(result)
317
318
  def RBFS(problem, heuristic, visited, node, f_limit):
319
320
       Helper function of recursiveBestFirstSearch(problem, heuristic).
321
322
323
       - node: the goal node containing reference to its parent, or None if no
324
      solution was found.
       - f-cost: the f value obtained on the path.
325
327
       if problem.isGoalState(node.state):
328
           return node, None
329
330
       successors = util.PriorityQueueWithFunction(lambda n: n.f)
331
332
       for child_state, child_action, child_cost in problem.getSuccessors(node.
333
      state):
           if child_state not in visited:
334
                path_cost = child_cost + node.cost
335
                child_f = max(path_cost + heuristic(child_state, problem), node.
336
      f)
                child = Node(child_state, child_action, path_cost, node, child_f
337
      )
               successors.push(child)
339
       if successors.isEmpty():
340
           return None, float('inf')
341
       while True:
343
           best = successors.pop()
344
345
           if best.f > f_limit:
               return None, best.f
347
348
           if successors.isEmpty():
349
                alternative_f = float('inf')
350
351
               alternative = successors.pop()
352
353
                alternative_f = alternative.f
354
                successors.push(alternative)
```

```
visited.add(best.state)
result, best.f = RBFS(problem, heuristic, visited, best, min(f_limit, alternative_f))
visited.remove(best.state)

if result:
return result, best.f

successors.push(best)
```

Appendix B

Source Code: Logic Puzzles

The following sections contain the Mace4 input files for solving the corresponding logic puzzles. They can be found in the logic directory. The solutions are discussed in details in section 2.3.

B.1 The First Trial

B.1.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.1: propositional/1.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
 assign(max_models, -1).
 % 11: There is a lady in room 1
  % 12: There is a lady in room 2
  \% t1: There is a tiger in room 1
  % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  \% m1: Message on the door of room 1
 % m2: Message on the door of room 2
  formulas(assumptions).
13
      \% Each of the two rooms contained either a lady or a tiger,
14
      % but it could be that there were tigers in both rooms, or ladies in
15
      % 11 & 12 | 11 & t2 | t1 & 12 | t1 & t2. % redundant
16
      % No tiger in the room where the lady stays
18
      11 -> -t1.
19
      12 -> -t2.
20
      % Message on door #1: In this room there is a lady, and in the other
     room there is a tiger.
      m1 <-> 11 & t2.
23
      % Message on door #2: In one of these rooms there is a lady, and in one
     of these rooms there is a tiger.
      m2 <-> (11 | 12) & (t1 | t2).
27
      % One of the messages is true, but the other one is false.
28
      m1 < -> -m2.
  end_of_list.
```

B.1.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.2: arithmetic/1.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
 assign(max_models, -1).
5 % m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 % m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
  % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
       = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
  % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
  formulas (assumptions).
12
13
      % Message on door #1: In this room there is a lady, and in the other
14
     room there is a tiger.
      m1 = r1 * (r2 + 1).
1.5
16
      % Message on door #2: In one of these rooms there is a lady, and in one
17
     of these rooms there is a tiger.
      m2 = r1 + r2.
18
19
      \mbox{\ensuremath{\%}} One of the messages is true, but the other one is false.
      m1 + m2 = 1.
21
22
  end_of_list.
```

B.2 The Second Trial

B.2.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.3: propositional/2.in

```
assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas(assumptions).
 % 11: There is a lady in room 1
 % 12: There is a lady in room 2
 % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
 \% t2: There is a tiger in room 2
 % m1: Message on the door of room 1
 % m2: Message on the door of room 2
14 KEither one lady and one tiger or two tigers or two ladies
 11 & 12 | t1&t2 | t1 & 12 | t2 & 11.
17 % If lady in room, there is no tiger
 11 -> -t1.
 12 -> -t2.
21 %At least one of these room contains a lady
22 m1 <-> 11 | 12.
```

```
%A tiger is in the other room
m2 <-> t1.

%The messages are either both true or both false
m1 <-> m2.

end_of_list.
```

B.2.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.4: arithmetic/2.in

```
set(arithmetic).
 assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
 \% m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 \% m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
       = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
  % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
       = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
  formulas(assumptions).
13
      % Message on door #1: At least one of these rooms contains a lady
14
      m1 = r1 * r2 + r1 + r2.
15
16
      \% Message on door #2: A tiger is in the other room
17
      m2 = r1 + 1.
19
      % Either both are true or both are false
20
      % (m1 + m2) \mod 2 = 0.
21
      m1 = m2.
23
  end_of_list.
```

B.3 The Third Trial

B.3.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.5: propositional/3.in

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).

// ** 11: There is a lady in room 1
// ** 12: There is a lady in room 2
// ** t1: There is a tiger in room 1
// ** t2: There is a tiger in room 1
// ** t2: There is a tiger in room 2
// ** m1: Message on the door of room 1
// ** m2: Message on the door of room 2
```

```
%Either one lady and one tiger or two tigers or two ladies
11 & 12 | t1&t2 | t1 & 12 | t2 & 11.

%If lady in room, there is no tiger
11 -> -t1.
12 -> -t2.

%Either a tiger is in this room, or a lady is in the other room
m1 <-> t1 | 12.

%A lady is in the other room
m2 <-> 11.

%The messages are either both true or both false
(-m1 & -m2) | (m1&m2).
end_of_list.
```

B.3.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.6: arithmetic/3.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
 \% m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 % m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
  % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
11
 formulas (assumptions).
      \% Either a tiger is in this room or a lady is in the other room
14
      % m1 = ((r1 + 1) * r2 + (r1 + 1) + r2) mod 2.
1.5
      % By double negation and De Morgan's Law we obtain:
16
         "It's not true that a lady is in the first room and a tiger in the
17
     second"
      m1 = (r1 * (r2 + 1) + 1) mod 2.
18
19
      % A lady is in the other room
20
21
22
      % Either both are true or both are false
23
      m1 = m2.
24
25
  end_of_list.
```

B.4 The Fourth Trial

B.4.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.7: propositional/4.in

```
set(arithmetic).
```

```
2 assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
  formulas (assumptions).
 % 11: There is a lady in room 1
 % 12: There is a lady in room 2
 % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
 % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  \% m1: Message on the door of room 1
  \% m2: Message on the door of room 2
14 KEither one lady and one tiger or two tigers or two ladies
 l1 & l2 | t1&t2 | t1 & l2 | t2 & l1.
 %If lady in room, there is no tiger
 11 -> -t1.
  12 -> -t2.
 %Both rooms contains ladies
 m1 <-> 11 & 12.
 %Both rooms contains ladies
 m2 <-> m1.
  %If lady in first room, message is true. If tiger in first room, message is
     false
 11 -> m1.
  t1 \rightarrow -m1.
 %If tiger in second room, message is true, if lady in second room, message
     is false
 12 -> -m2.
  t2 \rightarrow m2.
33
  end_of_list.
```

B.4.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.8: arithmetic/4.in

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).

% m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
% m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
% r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
% r2 = [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
% r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
% r3 = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
% Both rooms contain ladies
m1 = r1 * r2.

%Both rooms contain ladies
m2 = m1.
```

B.5 The Fifth Trial

B.5.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.9: propositional/5.in

```
assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
  formulas (assumptions).
  % 11: There is a lady in room 1
  % 12: There is a lady in room 2
  % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
  \% t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  \% m1: Message on the door of room 1
  % m2: Message on the door of room 2
13
14 Keither one lady and one tiger or two tigers or two ladies
15 11 & 12 | t1&t2 | t1 & 12 | t2 & 11.
  %If lady in room, there is no tiger
  11 -> -t1.
  12 -> -t2.
  %At least one room contains a lady
  m1 <-> 11 | 12.
24 %The other room contains a lady
25 m2 <-> 11.
  %If lady in first room, message is true. If tiger in first room, message is
     false
  11 -> m1.
  t1 \rightarrow -m1.
  "If tiger in second room, message is true, if lady in second room, message
     is false
  12 -> -m2.
  t2 \rightarrow m2.
  end_of_list.
```

B.5.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.10: arithmetic/5.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
 % m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 % m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
     = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
 % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
 %At least one room contains a lady
 m1 = r1 * r2 + r1 + r2.
 %The other room contains a lady
 m2 = r1.
20
 %If lady in first room, message is true
 r1 = m1.
24
 %If lady in second room, message is false
 r2 = (m2 + 1) \mod 2.
28
  end_of_list.
```

B.6 The Sixth Trial

B.6.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.11: propositional/6.in

```
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).

% l1: There is a lady in room 1
% l2: There is a lady in room 2
% t1: There is a tiger in room 1
% t2: There is a tiger in room 2
% m1: Message on the door of room 1
% m2: Message on the door of room 2

% m2: Message on the door of room 2

% in the contact of the
```

```
19 12 -> -t2.

20 %It makes no difference which room you pick
22 m1 <-> (11 & 12) | (t1 & t2).

23  %There is a lady in the other room
25  m2 <-> 11.

26  %If lady in first room, message is true. If tiger in first room, message is false
28  l1 -> m1.
29  t1 -> -m1.

30  %If tiger in second room, message is true, if lady in second room, message is false
29  l2 -> -m2.
20  t2 -> m2.

30  end_of_list.
```

B.6.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.12: arithmetic/6.in

```
set(arithmetic).
 assign(domain_size, 2).
 assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
 % m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 \% m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
 % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
11
 %It makes no difference which room you pick
 m1 = (r1 + r2 + 1) \mod 2.
 %The other room contains a lady
 m2 = r1.
 %If lady in first room, message is true
 r1 = m1.
22
 %If lady in second room, message is false
 r2 = (m2 + 1) \mod 2.
  end_of_list.
```

B.7 The Seventh Trial

B.7.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.13: propositional/7.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
  formulas (assumptions).
 % 11: There is a lady in room 1
 % 12: There is a lady in room 2
 % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
 % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  \% m1: Message on the door of room 1
  \% m2: Message on the door of room 2
 %Either one lady and one tiger or two tigers or two ladies
 l1 & l2 | t1&t2 | t1 & l2 | t2 & l1.
17 %If lady in room, there is no tiger
 11 -> -t1.
18
  12 -> -t2.
 %It does make a difference which room you pick
 m1 <-> (11 & t2) | (12 & t1).
24 % You are better off choosing the other room
 m2 < -> 11.
  "If lady in first room, message is true. If tiger in first room, message is
     false
  11 -> m1.
  t1 \rightarrow -m1.
  "If tiger in second room, message is true, if lady in second room, message
     is false
 12 -> -m2.
  t2 \rightarrow m2.
33
34
  end_of_list.
```

B.7.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.14: arithmetic/7.in

```
set(arithmetic).
 assign(domain_size, 2).
 assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
 \% m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 % m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
 % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
11
12
13
14
15 %It does make a difference which room you pick
m1 = (r1 + r2) \mod 2.
```

```
%You are better off choosing the other room
m2 = r1.

%If lady in first room, message is true
r1 = m1.

%If lady in second room, message is false
r2 = (m2 + 1) mod 2.
end_of_list.
```

B.8 The Eighth Trial

B.8.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.15: propositional/8.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
 % 11: There is a lady in room 1
 % 12: There is a lady in room 2
  \% t1: There is a tiger in room 1
  \% t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  % mij: Message i on the door of room j
13 KEither one lady and one tiger or two tigers or two ladies
  l1 & l2 | t1&t2 | t1 & l2 | t2 & l1.
 %If lady in room, there is no tiger
  11 -> -t1.
17
  12 -> -t2.
20 %This rooms contains a tiger
21 m11 <-> t1.
 m12 <-> t2.
24 %Both rooms contain tigers
 m21 <-> t1 & t2.
 m22 <->t1 & t2.
 "If lady in first room, message is true. If tiger in first room, message is
 11 -> m11 | m21.
  t1 -> -m11 | -m21.
 %If tiger in second room, message is true, if lady in second room, message
     is false
 12 -> -m12 \mid -m22.
 t2 -> m12 | m22.
36
```

```
end_of_list.
```

B.8.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.16: arithmetic/8.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
 % mij = [["Message i is on the door of room j and it is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
 % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
       = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
11
 %This room contains a tiger
 m11 = (r1 + 1) \mod 2.
 m12 = (r2 + 1) \mod 2.
15
 %Both rooms contain a tiger
 m21 = ((r1 + 1) * (r2 + 1)) mod 2.
 m22 = m21.
 %If lady in first room, message is true
  (r1 * (m11 * m21 + m11 + m21) + r1 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
  ((r1 + 1) * ((m11 + 1) * (m21 + 1) + m11 + m21) + r1) mod 2 = 1.
 %If lady in second room, message is false
  ((r2 + 1)*(m12 * m22 + m12 + m22) + r2) mod 2 = 1.
  (r2 * ((m12 + 1) * (m22 + 1) + m12 + m22) + r2 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
30
  end_of_list.
```

B.9 The Ninth Trial

B.9.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.17: propositional/9.in

```
set(arithmetic).
assign(domain_size, 2).
assign(max_models, -1).

formulas(assumptions).

11 There is a lady in room 1
8 % 12: There is a lady in room 2
9 % 13: There is a lady in room 3
10 % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
11 % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
12 % t3: There is a tiger in room 3
13 % m1: Message on the door of room 1
```

```
14 % m2: Message on the door of room 2
  \% m3: Message on the door of room 3
16
   %One\ lady\ and\ two\ tigers
17
   11 & t2 & t3 | 12 & t1 & t3 | 13 & t1 & t2.
19
   %no lady in more than 1 room; the princess is unique
20
   11 -> -12.
21
   11 -> -13.
22
   12 -> -11.
   12 -> -13.
24
   13 -> -11.
25
   13 -> -12.
27
28
   %no tiger in the room where the lady stays
29
   11 -> -t1.
   12 -> -t2.
31
   13 -> -t3.
32
  %A tiger is in this room
   m1 <-> t1.
  %A lady is in this room
37
   m2 < -> 12.
38
39
  %A tiger is in room two
40
  m3 <-> t2.
41
  %At most one sign is true
43
  m1 -> -m2 \& -m3.
  m2 \rightarrow -m3.
  end_of_list.
```

B.9.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.18: arithmetic/9.in

```
set(arithmetic).
 assign(domain_size, 2).
3 assign(max_models, -1).
5 formulas (assumptions).
 % m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
 \% m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
 \% m3 = [["The message on the door of room 3 is true"]]
 % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
 % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
 % r3 = [["There is a lady in room 3"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 3"]]
16 %Lady in one room and tigers in the other two rooms
18 % One lady and two tigers
19 | r1 * r2 * r3 = 0.
| 1 + r2 + r3 = 1.
```

```
%Tiger in this room
m1 = (r1 + 1) mod 2.

%Lady in this room
m2 = r2.

%Tiger in room 2
m3 = (r2 + 1) mod 2.

%At most one of the three signs is true
m1 * m2 + m1 * m3 + m2 * m3 + 1 = 1.

send_of_list.
```

B.10 The Tenth Trial

B.10.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.19: propositional/10.in

```
set(arithmetic).
 assign(domain_size, 2).
 assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
  % 11: There is a lady in room 1
  \% 12: There is a lady in room 2
 % 13: There is a lady in room 3
 % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
 % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
 \% t3: There is a tiger in room 3
 \% m1: Message on the door of room 1
  \% m2: Message on the door of room 2
  \% m3: Message on the door of room 3
   %One lady and two tigers
17
   11 & t2 & t3 | 12 & t1 & t3 | 13 & t1 & t2.
19
   %no lady in more than 1 room; the princess is unique
   11 -> -12.
21
   11 -> -13.
   12 -> -11.
23
   12 -> -13.
   13 -> -11.
   13 -> -12.
27
   %no tiger in the room where the lady stays
   11 -> -t1.
   12 -> -t2.
31
   13 -> -t3.
34 %A tiger is in room two
  m1 \leftarrow t2.
```

```
%A tiger is in this room
   m2 <-> t2.
38
39
  %A tiger is in room one
   m3 <-> t1.
41
42
  %The sign on the door, where the lady is, is true
43
   11 -> m1.
   12 -> m2.
   13 -> m3.
46
47
48 %From the other two signs at least one is false
  m1 -> -m2 \mid -m3.
  m2 -> -m1 \mid -m3.
  m3 \rightarrow -m1 \mid -m2.
  end_of_list.
```

B.10.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.20: arithmetic/10.in

```
set(arithmetic).
 assign(domain_size, 2).
3 assign(max_models, -1).
_{5} \% m1 = [["The message on the door of room 1 is true"]]
  \% m2 = [["The message on the door of room 2 is true"]]
  % r1 = [["There is a lady in room 1"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 1"]]
  % r2 = [["There is a lady in room 2"]]
      = 1 + [["There is a tiger in room 2"]]
11
  formulas(assumptions).
12
      % One lady and two tigers
13
      r1 * r2 * r3 = 0.
14
      r1 + r2 + r3 = 1.
16
      \% The message on the door containing the lady is true
17
      (r1 * (m1 + 1)) mod 2 = 0.
18
      (r2 * (m2 + 1)) mod 2 = 0.
19
      (r3 * (m3 + 1)) mod 2 = 0.
20
21
      \% At least one of the other two messages is false
22
      m1 * m2 * m3 = 0.
23
      ((m1 + 1) * (m2 + 1) * (m3 + 1)) mod 2 = 0.
2.4
      % Message on door #1: There is a tiger in room #2
26
      m1 = r2 + 1.
27
28
      % Message on door #2: There is a tiger here
30
31
      \% Message on door #3: There is a tiger in room #1
32
      m3 = (r1 + 1) \mod 2.
  end_of_list.
```

B.11 First, Second, and Third Choice

B.11.1 Propositional logic

Listing B.21: propositional/11.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
  assign(max_models, -1).
  formulas(assumptions).
  % 11: There is a lady in room 1
  % 12: There is a lady in room 2
  % 13: There is a lady in room 3
  % t1: There is a tiger in room 1
  % t2: There is a tiger in room 2
  % t3: There is a tiger in room 3
  % e1: Room 1 is empty
  % e2: Room 2 is empty
  % e3: Room 3 is empty
  % m1: Message on the door of room 1
16 % m2: Message on the door of room 2
  \% m3: Message on the door of room 3
19
21
   %there is a lady in room 1, 2 or 3
   11 | 12 | 13.
22
   %no lady in more than 1 room; the princess is unique
   11 -> -12 & -13.
25
   12 -> -11 & -13.
   13 -> -11 & -12.
27
   %no tiger in the room where the lady stays, room not empty if lady is in it
29
   11 -> -t1 & -e1.
   12 -> -t2 & -e2.
   13 -> -t3 & -e3.
33
   t1 | t2 | t1.
36
37
   %no tiger in more than 1 room
   t1 -> -t2 & -t3.
   t2 -> -t1 & -t3.
   t3 -> -t2 & -t1.
41
  %if there is a tiger in the room it can not be empty
43
   t1 -> -e1.
44
   t2 \rightarrow -e2.
45
   t3 -> -e3.
   e1|e2|e3.
48
49
   %no more than one empty room
   e1 -> -e2 \& -e3.
   e2 -> -e1 & -e3.
   e3 -> -e2 & -e1.
```

```
%Room three is empty
   m1 \leftarrow > e3.
57
   %There is a tiger in room one.
   m2 \leftarrow t1.
61
62
   %This room is empty
   m3 <-> e3.
63
   %If lady in room, the message is true
65
   11 -> m1.
   12 -> m2.
   13 -> m3.
69
   %If tiger in room, the message is false
   t1 \rightarrow -m1.
71
   t2 \rightarrow -m2.
72
   t3 \rightarrow -m3.
73
74
  end_of_list.
```

B.11.2 Modular arithmetic

Listing B.22: arithmetic/11.in

```
set(arithmetic).
  assign(domain_size, 2).
 assign(max_models, -1).
 formulas (assumptions).
 %mi = [["The message on the door of room i is true"]]
 %li = [["There is a lady in room i"]]
  %ei = [["Room i is empty"]]
  %ti = [["There is a tiger in room i"]]
11
13 %One empty, one lady, one tiger
 11 * 12 * 13 = 0.
 11 + 12 + 13 = 1.
16
17
  t1 * t2 * t3
18
  t1 + t2 + t3
21
  e1 * e2 * e3
  e1 + e2 + e3
               = 1.
  %One room can only contain a lady/tiger or it is empty
  (11 * ((t1 + 1) * (e1 + 1)) + 11 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
  (12 * ((t2 + 1) * (e2 + 1)) + 12 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
  (13 * ((t3 + 1) * (e3 + 1)) + 13 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
29
31 (t1 * ((e1 + 1) * (11 + 1)) + t1 + 1) \mod 2 = 1.
```

```
32 | (t2 * ((e2 + 1) * (12 + 1)) + t2 + 1) \mod 2 = 1.
  (t3 * ((e3 + 1) * (13 + 1)) + t3 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
35 %Room three is empty
_{36} | m1 = e3.
38 %There is a tiger in room one.
_{39} m2 = t1.
  %This room is empty
  m3 = e3.
42
43
44 %If lady in room, the message is true
  (11 * m1 + 11 + 1) \mod 2 = 1.
|(12 * m2 + 12 + 1) \mod 2 = 1.
  (13 * m3 + 13 + 1) \mod 2 = 1.
49 %If tiger in room, the message is false
50 (t1 * (m1 + 1) + t1 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
(t2 * (m2 + 1) + t2 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
52 (t3 * (m3 + 1) + t3 + 1) mod 2 = 1.
54
55
56
  end_of_list.
```

Appendix C

Source Code: Translator

The following sections contain the source code of the Python program which translates Mace4 input files in the propositional logic form to the modular arithmetic equivalent. They can be found in the logic/translator directory. The program is discussed in more details in section 2.5.

C.1 Input data representation

Listing C.1: commands.py

```
class Command:
      Class for representing mace4 commands.
      Commands are given as: command_name(argument1[,argument2,...]).
      def __init__(self, name, args):
           self.name = name
           self.args = args
      def __str__(self):
           return "Command(%s, %s)" % (self.name, self.args)
11
12
13
      def __repr__(self):
           return self.__str__()
14
15
  class Formulas:
17
18
      Class for representing mace4 formulas.
19
      Formulas are given as:
20
           formulas (name).
21
               predicate1.
22
               [predicate2.
23
               . . . ]
24
           end_of_list.
25
26
27
      commandName = "formulas"
28
      endCommand = "end_of_list"
29
30
      def __init__(self, name, formula_list):
          self.name = name
32
           self.formulaList = formula_list
33
```

```
def __str__(self):
    return "Formulas(%s, %s)" % (self.name, self.formulaList)

def __repr__(self):
    return self.__str__()
```

C.2 Parsing the Mace4 input file

Listing C.2: input.py

```
Functions for processing the input data.
  from commands import Command, Formulas
  commentSymbol = "%"
  lineSeparator = "."
10
  def processLine(line):
11
      0.00
12
      Processes a single line of the input. It removes the comments and the
13
     leading and trailing whitespaces.
14
      :param line: a line of the input data
      :return: the result after processing, or None if the result is empty.
16
17
18
      # Remove comments
19
      line = line.split(commentSymbol, 1)[0]
20
21
      # Remove leading and trailing whitespace
22
      line = line.strip()
23
24
      # Remove empty lines
      if not line:
26
          return None
27
      return line
29
30
31
  def changeLineSeparator(lines, separator):
33
      Given a list of lines, changes the line separator to the given one.
34
      Thus merges all the lines and separates them by the given separator.
35
      :param lines: list containing the lines of the input data
37
      :param separator: the desired line separator
38
39
      :return: list of strings representing the lines of the input data
     separated by the given parameter
40
41
      lines = " ".join(lines).split(separator)
42
      if lines[-1]:
44
          raise ValueError("Terminating \"%s\" not found" % lineSeparator)
45
```

```
return map(lambda x: x.strip(), lines[:-1])
48
49
  def processLines(lines):
50
51
       Processes each line of the input data.
       :param lines: list of lines of the input data
54
       :return: list of non-empty lines of the input data, separated by '
55
      lineSeparator '
       0.00
56
       # Process each line. Remove the empty lines.
58
       lines = filter(lambda x: x, map(processLine, lines))
59
60
       if not lines:
61
           raise ValueError("Input file is empty")
62
63
       # Change the line separator from the endline character to a different
64
      one.
       # Thus merging the lines not terminating in the new character.
       lines = changeLineSeparator(lines, lineSeparator)
66
67
       return lines
68
69
70
  def linesToCommandsAndFormulas(lines):
71
72
       Transforms the lines of data into lists of Command and Formulas objects.
73
74
       :param lines: lines of the input data
75
       :return: (commands, formulas) tuples obtained by parsing the lines
76
77
       commands = []
78
       formulas = []
79
80
       formulaName = None
       propositions = []
81
82
       for line in lines:
83
           if formulaName:
85
                if line == Formulas.endCommand:
86
                    formulas.append(Formulas(formulaName, propositions))
87
                    formulaName = None
                else:
89
                    propositions.append(line)
90
           else:
91
                try:
92
                    name, rest = line.split("(", 1)
93
                    args = rest.split(")")[0].split(",")
94
                    args = map(lambda x: x.strip(), args)
95
                except ValueError:
                    raise ValueError("Invalid command format: \"%s\"" % line)
97
98
                if name == Formulas.commandName:
99
                    formulaName = args[0]
100
                    propositions = []
                else:
                    command = Command(name, args)
103
104
                    commands.append(command)
```

```
return commands, formulas
```

C.3 Creating/transforming Boolean ring expression trees

Listing C.3: expression.py

```
Functions for
  - creating sympy expression trees in mod 2 arithmetics from proposition
  - transforming sympy expression trees
  import re
  import sympy
  from sympy import Mul, Add, Symbol, Poly
10
  from commands import Formulas
12
  # Priorities of the propositional logic operators
13
  priority = {
      "(": 0,
      ")": 0,
      "->": 1,
17
      "<->": 1,
18
      "|": 2,
19
      "&": 3,
      "-": 4
21
22
23
24
  def is_symbol_char(char):
25
26
      Verifies whether a character can be part of a symbol or not.
27
      :param char: character to be verified
29
      :return: True or False
30
      return re.search("^[a-zA-z0-9]+$", char) is not None
32
33
34
  def operatorStringToExpression(operator, *operands):
36
      Given a string representing a propositional logic operator, returns a
37
     simpy expression which is the modular
      arithmetic translation of the operator.
39
      This function simplifies the expression according to the rules of
40
     general algebra and does not consider the rules of
41
      the mod 2 arithmetics.
42
      :param operator: string representing a propositional logic operator
43
      :param operands: list of simpy expressions or integers
44
      :return: simpy expression which results from applying the operands to
     the translated operator
      0.00
46
      if operator == "&":
```

```
return Mul(*operands)
       elif operator == "-":
49
           return Add(operands[0], 1)
50
       elif operator == "|":
51
           return Add(Add(*operands), Mul(*operands))
52
       elif operator == "<->":
53
54
           return Add(Add(*operands), 1)
       elif operator == "->":
55
           return Add(Mul(*operands), Add(operands[0], 1))
56
57
           raise ValueError("Unknown operator \"%s\"" % operator)
58
59
60
  def splitProposition(proposition):
61
       11 11 11
62
       Splits a proposition into terms of operands and operators.
63
64
65
       :param proposition: proposition to be split
       :return: list of strings representing the operands and operators of the
66
      proposition in order
67
       terms = []
68
       is_symbol = is_symbol_char(proposition[0])
69
       term = ""
70
71
72
       def addTerm(t):
           t = t.strip()
73
           if t:
74
75
                terms.append(t)
76
       for char in proposition:
77
            is_symbol2 = is_symbol_char(char)
78
79
            if char in " ":
80
                addTerm(term)
81
                term = ""
82
                is\_symbol = False
83
                continue
84
85
           if char in "()":
86
                addTerm(term)
87
                term = ""
88
                is_symbol = False
89
                terms.append(char)
                continue
91
92
           if is_symbol == is_symbol2:
93
                term = term + char
            else:
95
                addTerm(term)
96
                term = char
97
            is_symbol = is_symbol2
99
100
       if term:
101
           addTerm(term)
102
       return terms
104
105
106
```

```
def buildExpressionTree(proposition, substitutions=None):
       Builds a sympy expression tree from the given proposition in
      propositional logic.
       The result is an expression (tree) in modulo 2 arithmetics. However it
      is simplified based only on the general rules
       of algebra. E.g. x * x will be x**2 instead of x.
112
113
       Substitutes the symbols to the simpy expressions associated with them in
114
       the substitutions dictionary.
115
       :param proposition: string, in propositional logic
116
117
       :param substitutions: a dictionary whose elements are (string_symbol, (
      expression, symbols)).
                              No substitution if None is given.
118
           string_symbol: the string which will be substituted
           expression: a sympy expression which substitutes the string
120
           symbols: the list of sympy symbols that are present in the
      expression
       :return: a simpy expression (tree)
       operators = set(priority.keys())
124
126
       node_stack = []
       term_stack = []
127
       symbols = set()
128
       terms = splitProposition(proposition)
130
131
       def createAndPush():
132
133
           Creates a new node and pushes to the node stack
134
           :return: None
136
137
           op = term_stack.pop()
138
139
           if op == '-':
140
               # Unary operator
141
               node = operatorStringToExpression(op, node_stack.pop())
           else:
143
144
                # Binary operator
               right = node_stack.pop()
145
                left = node_stack.pop()
146
               node = operatorStringToExpression(op, left, right)
147
148
           node_stack.append(node)
150
       for term in terms:
151
           if term == '(':
152
                term_stack.append(term)
153
           elif term not in operators:
154
               if not substitutions or term not in substitutions:
                    node = Symbol(term)
156
                    symbols.add(node)
157
158
                    node, node_symbols = substitutions[term]
                    symbols.update(node_symbols)
160
161
                node_stack.append(node)
```

```
elif priority[term] > 0:
162
                while term_stack \
163
                        and term_stack[-1] != '(' \
164
                        and priority[term_stack[-1]] >= priority[term]:
165
                    createAndPush()
166
167
                term_stack.append(term)
168
           elif term == ')':
170
                while term_stack and term_stack[-1] != '(':
171
                    createAndPush()
172
                term_stack.pop()
173
174
       while term_stack:
175
           createAndPush()
176
       return node_stack[-1], symbols
178
179
180
   def simplifyExpression(expr, symbols):
181
182
       Simplifies a sympy expression by applying also the rules of the boolean
183
      ring.
184
185
       1. Uses the sympy.simplify function for modulus 2 (implicitly, by
      creating a polynomial).
       2. Replaces all the powers with their bases. Because x * x = x for all x
186
       in {0, 1}.
       :param expr: sympy expression to be simplified
188
       :param symbols: symbols that are used in the expression
189
       :return: the simplified sympy expression
190
191
       def recurse_replace(expr, func):
193
194
           Traverses the expression tree in a DFS order and replaces all nodes
195
      with the result of applying them to the
           given function.
196
197
           :param expr: the expression tree
198
           :param func: the transformation function
199
           :return: the transformed expression tree
200
201
           if len(expr.args) == 0:
202
               return expr
203
           else:
204
                new_args = tuple(recurse_replace(a, func) for a in expr.args)
               return func(expr, new_args)
206
207
       def rewrite(expr, new_args):
208
           Traverses the arguments of a sympy expression node. If an argument
210
      is a power, it is replaced by the base of the
           power.
211
212
           :param expr: expression node or polynomial whose arguments are
213
      verified
           :param new_args: a list of nodes (simpy expression or integer) that
214
      would be the new arguments of the expr node.
```

```
:return: an object having the same type as expr, and having as
215
      arguments the transformed new_args list.
216
           args = []
217
218
            for arg in new_args:
219
                if hasattr(arg, 'is_Pow') and arg.is_Pow:
220
                    args.append(arg.args[0])
221
                else:
222
                    args.append(arg)
223
224
           if hasattr(expr, 'is_Poly') and expr.is_Poly:
225
                return Poly(args[0], expr.gens)
226
227
                new_node = type(expr)(*args)
228
                return new_node
229
230
231
       p = Poly(expr, symbols, modulus=2)
       p = recurse_replace(p, rewrite).set_modulus(2)
232
233
       return p.as_expr()
235
236
   def getSymbolsByDecreasingFrequency(expression):
237
238
       Returns all the symbols of the given sympy expression in decreasing
239
      order of their frequency of appearance.
240
       Example:
241
       expression: m1 + r1*r2 + r1 + 1
242
       frequency: {m1: 1, r2: 1, r1: 2}
243
       result: [r1, m1, r2]
244
       :param expression: sympy expression
246
       :return: list of sympy symbols
247
248
       freq = {}
249
       for node in sympy.preorder_traversal(expression):
250
            if hasattr(node, 'is_Symbol') and node.is_Symbol:
251
                freq[node] = freq.get(node, 0) + 1
252
       symbols = sorted(freq.keys(), key=lambda k: freq[k], reverse=True)
253
       return symbols
254
255
256
   def collectExpression(expression):
257
258
       Groups the terms of the expressions, based on the frequency of its
259
      symbols.
260
       Example:
261
       expression: m1 + r1*r2 + r1 + 1
262
       frequency: {m1: 1, r2: 1, r1: 2}
       result: m1 + r1*(r2 + 1) + 1
264
265
266
       :param expression:
       :return:
267
       0.00
268
       symbols = getSymbolsByDecreasingFrequency(expression)
269
       return sympy.collect(expression, symbols)
270
271
```

```
def formulasToExpressionTree(formulas, merge=False, simplify=False, collect=
      False, substitutions=None):
274
      Transforms a Formulas object, by replacing the propositional logic
275
      propositions with sympy algebraic expressions.
      :param formulas: the Formulas object whose propositions are to be
27
      transformed
       :param merge: specifies whether to create a single expression from all
      the expressions of the Formulas object by
                     multiplying them (logical AND)
279
       :param simplify: specifies whether to simplify the expressions using the
       rules of the boolean ring.
                         If False is given, the result can have coefficients and
281
       powers that are not part of the ring.
       :param collect: specifies whether to collect the terms of each
      expression by the decreasing frequency of their
                        symbols.
283
      :param substitutions: a dictionary whose elements are (string_symbol, (
284
      expression, symbols)).
                              No substitution if None is given.
285
           string_symbol: the string which will be substituted
286
           expression: a sympy expression which substitutes the string
287
           symbols: the list of sympy symbols that are present in the
288
      expression
       :return: Formula object with the same name, but the propositions
289
      replaced with simpy expression(s)
       symbols = set()
291
292
      def transform(prop):
293
           expr, sym = buildExpressionTree(prop, substitutions)
294
           symbols.update(sym)
295
           return expr
296
297
       expressions = map(transform, formulas.formulaList)
298
299
       if merge:
300
           expressions = [reduce(lambda a, b: Mul(a, b), expressions, 1)]
302
       if simplify:
303
           expressions = map(lambda e: simplifyExpression(e, symbols),
304
      expressions)
305
       if collect:
306
           expressions = map(collectExpression, expressions)
307
       return Formulas (formulas . name, expressions)
309
310
311
  def createSubstitutions(predicates):
312
313
      Given a list of predicates in the form of 'a <-> f(b)', returns a
314
      dictionary which associates
      to each symbol 'a' the sympy expression representing 'f(b)' and the used
315
       symbols.
316
       :param predicates: list of strings, each having the form 'a <-> f(b)',
317
      where 'a' is a string propositional logic
```

```
symbol, and 'f(b)' is the proposition which replaces
318
      'a'.
       :return: a dictionary whose elements are (string_symbol, (expression,
319
      symbols)).
           string_symbol: the string which will be substituted
320
           expression: a sympy expression which substitutes the string
32
           symbols: the list of sympy symbols that are present in the
322
      expression
323
       substitutions = {}
324
325
       for predicate in predicates:
326
           terms = splitProposition(predicate)
327
           if len(terms) < 2 or terms[1] != '<->':
328
               raise ValueError('Substitutions of type 'a <-> f(b)' are
329
      supported only')
           substitutions[terms[0]] = buildExpressionTree(" ".join(terms[2:]))
330
331
       return substitutions
332
```

C.4 Printing the result

Listing C.4: output.py

```
Functions for printing the program output to STDOUT.
  def printCommand(command):
6
      0.00
      Prints an instance of the Command class.
8
9
      :param command: command to be printed
      :return: None
11
12
      print command.name + '(' + ', '.join(command.args) + ').'
14
16
  def printCommands(commands):
17
      Prints a list of Command objects.
18
19
      :param commands: list of commands to be printed
20
      :return: None
21
      0.00
22
      for command in commands:
23
           if command.args and command.args[0] not in ['arithmetic', '
24
     domain_size']:
               printCommand(command)
25
      print "set(arithmetic)."
26
27
      print "assign(domain_size, 2)."
28
29
  def printFormulas(formulas, mod2Output=False):
30
31
      Prints an instance of the Formulas class.
32
```

```
:param formulas: object to be printed
      :param mod2Output: if True: wraps each expression with "mod 2"
      :return: None
36
      0.00
37
      print formulas.commandName + '(' + formulas.name + ').'
38
      for expression in formulas.formulaList:
40
          if mod2Output:
41
               print '\t(' + str(expression) + ') \mod 2 = 1.'
42
43
               print '\t' + str(expression) + ' = 1.'
44
45
      print formulas.endCommand + '.'
46
47
48
  def printFormulasList(formulasList, mod2Output=False):
49
50
51
      Prints a list of Formulas objects.
      :param formulasList: list of objects to be printed
53
      :param mod2Output: if True: wraps each expression with "mod 2"
      :return: None
55
56
      for formulas in formulasList:
57
58
          printFormulas(formulas, mod2Output)
59
          print
60
61
  def printCommandsAndFormulas(commands, formulas, mod2Output=False):
63
      Prints a list of Command and a list of Formulas objects.
64
      :param commands: list of Command objects to be printed
      :param formulas: list of Formulas objects to be printed
67
      :param mod2Output: if True: wraps each formula expression with "mod 2"
68
69
      :return: None
      printCommands (commands)
71
      print
72
      printFormulasList(formulas, mod2Output)
```

C.5 Main program

Listing C.5: translator.py

```
Main program
"""

import getopt
import os
import sys

from expression import formulasToExpressionTree, createSubstitutions
from input import processLines, linesToCommandsAndFormulas
from output import printCommandsAndFormulas

H Name of the program
```

```
programName = os.path.basename(__file__)
  # Program configuration
16
 inputFile = sys.stdin
mod2Output = False
19 collect = False
  substitute = False
21 merge = False
  # Help message
  usage = "%s [options] [-f <inputfile>]" % programName
 description = "A converter from propositional logic to modular arithmetic in
      the mace4 format"
  help_message = """
  Usage: %s
27
28
  %s
29
30
  Options:
31
      -c,\t--collect\tCollects the terms of each expression by the decreasing
39
     frequency of their symbols.
      -h,\t--help\t\tPrints help message
33
      -f,\t--file string\tPath to the input file. If the option is missing,
34
     the program reads from STDIN
      -m,\t--merge\t\tMerges all the expressions of a "formulas" section into
     a single expression.
      \t--mod\t\tWraps all expressions in "mod 2"
36
      -s,\t--subs\t\tSubstitutes symbols with their corresponding expression.
37
     The substitutions must be given in the "a <-> f(b)." format in "formulas(
     substitutions)."
  """ % (usage, description)
38
39
40
  def processArguments(argv):
41
42
43
      Reads the command line arguments of the program and updates respectively
      the global variables
44
      :param argv: the command line arguments, list of strings
45
46
      :return: None
      0.00
47
      global inputFile, mod2Output, collect, substitute, merge
48
49
50
          opts, args = getopt.getopt(argv, "hcsmf:", ["mod", "help", "collect"
51
      , "subs", "merge","file="])
      except getopt.GetoptError:
52
          print help_message
53
          sys.exit(2)
54
      for opt, arg in opts:
          if opt in ['-h', '--help']:
56
              print help_message
57
              sys.exit()
58
          elif opt in ['-f', '--file']:
               inputFile = open(arg, 'r')
60
          elif opt == '--mod':
61
               mod2Output = True
62
          elif opt in ['-c', '--collect']:
63
               collect = True
64
          elif opt in ['-s', '--subs']:
```

```
substitute = True
66
67
           elif opt in ['-m', '--merge']:
               merge = True
68
69
70
  def main(argv):
71
       0.00
72
       Main program.
73
74
       Reads the command line arguments.
75
       Reads and processes the input data.
76
       Prints the result to STDOUT.
77
78
       :param argv: the command line arguments, list of strings
79
       :return: None
80
81
       processArguments(argv)
82
83
       lines = processLines(inputFile.readlines())
84
       commands, formulas = linesToCommandsAndFormulas(lines)
85
86
       substitutions = None
87
       if substitute:
88
89
           try:
                substitutionFormulas = next(f for f in formulas if f.name == "
      substitutions")
           except StopIteration:
91
               raise ValueError('Cannot substitute. \"formulas(substitutions)
92
      .\" does not exists')
           substitutions = createSubstitutions(substitutionFormulas.formulaList
93
           formulas.remove(substitutionFormulas)
94
95
       formulas = map(lambda f: formulasToExpressionTree(f, simplify=True,
96
      collect=collect, substitutions=substitutions, merge=merge),
                       formulas)
97
       printCommandsAndFormulas(commands, formulas, mod2Output=mod2Output)
99
100
101
  if __name__ == '__main__':
102
       try:
           main(sys.argv[1:])
104
       except ValueError as e:
           sys.stderr.write('Error: ' + str(e))
106
           sys.exit(1)
```

Appendix D

Source Code: Planning

The following sections contain the PDDL files for defining domains and problems for the problem of the cat and the mice. They can be found in the planning directory. The solutions are discussed in details in section 3.3.

D.1 Domains

Listing D.1: cat-eat.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
       (:requirements :strips)
       (:types cat mouse square)
       (:predicates
           (at ?who ?where)
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
           (dead ?m)
      )
       (:action move
10
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
11
           :precondition (and
12
13
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
                (at ?c ?s1)
14
           )
           :effect (and
                (not (at ?c ?s1))
17
                (at ?c ?s2)
18
           )
19
      )
20
21
22
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
23
           :precondition (and
                (at ?m ?s)
25
                (at ?c ?s)
26
27
           :effect (and
28
29
                (not (at ?m ?s))
                (dead ?m)
30
           )
31
      )
32
33
```

Listing D.2: cat-wall.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
       (:requirements :strips)
       (:types cat mouse wall square)
       (:predicates
           (at ?who ?where)
5
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
6
           (dead ?m)
      )
       (:action move
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
11
           :precondition (and
12
13
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
                (at ?c ?s1)
14
                (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
15
           )
16
           :effect (and
17
                (not (at ?c ?s1))
18
                (at ?c ?s2)
19
           )
20
      )
21
22
       (:action eat
23
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
24
           :precondition (and
25
                (at ?m ?s)
26
                (at ?c ?s)
27
           )
           :effect (and
29
                (not (at ?m ?s))
30
                (dead ?m)
31
32
           )
      )
33
  )
34
```

Listing D.3: cat-trap.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
       (:requirements :strips)
       (:types cat mouse wall trap square)
3
       (:predicates
4
           (at ?who ?where)
5
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
6
           (dead ?m)
7
      )
9
      (:action move
10
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
11
           :precondition (and
12
               (not (dead ?c))
13
               (adj ?s1 ?s2)
14
               (at ?c ?s1)
               (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
16
17
           )
           :effect (and
18
               (not (at ?c ?s1))
19
               (when (exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2)) (dead ?c))
20
21
               (when (not(exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2))) (at ?c ?s2))
           )
22
```

```
25
       (:action eat
            :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
26
            :precondition (and
27
                (not (dead ?c))
28
                (at ?m ?s)
                (at ?c ?s)
30
31
            :effect (and
32
                (not (at ?m ?s))
33
                (dead ?m)
34
           )
35
       )
36
  )
37
```

Listing D.4: cat-grab.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
       (:requirements :strips)
       (:types cat mouse wall trap square)
3
       (:predicates
           (at ?who ?where)
5
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
6
           (dead ?m)
           (has ?who ?what)
      )
9
10
       (:action move
11
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
12
13
           :precondition (and
               (not (dead ?c))
14
               (adj ?s1 ?s2)
               (at ?c ?s1)
16
               (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
17
18
           :effect (and
19
               (not (at ?c ?s1))
20
               (when (exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2)) (dead ?c))
21
               (when (not(exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2))) (at ?c ?s2))
22
           )
23
      )
24
25
       (:action eat
26
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
27
28
           :precondition (and
               (not (dead ?c))
               (at ?m ?s)
30
               (at ?c ?s)
31
               (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
32
           )
33
           :effect (and
34
               (not (at ?m ?s))
35
               (dead ?m)
           )
37
      )
38
39
40
       (:action grab
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
41
           :precondition (and
42
               (not (dead ?c))
43
44
               (at ?m ?s)
```

```
(at ?c ?s)
                (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
46
47
           :effect (and
48
                (not (at ?m ?s))
49
                (has ?c ?m)
50
           )
51
      )
52
53
       (:action disable-trap
54
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square ?m - mouse ?t - trap
55
           :precondition (and
56
                (not (dead ?c))
57
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
58
                (at ?c ?s1)
59
                (at ?t ?s2)
60
                (has ?c ?m)
61
           )
62
           :effect (and
63
                (not (at ?t ?s2))
                (dead ?m)
65
                (not (has ?c ?m))
66
           )
67
      )
68
69
```

Listing D.5: cat-weight-uniform.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
      (:requirements :strips :action-costs)
       (:types cat mouse wall trap square)
3
       (:predicates
           (at ?who ?where)
5
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
6
           (dead ?m)
7
           (has ?who ?what)
      )
10
      (:functions
11
           (total-cost)
12
13
14
      (:action move
15
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
16
           :precondition (and
17
               (not (dead ?c))
18
               (adj ?s1 ?s2)
19
               (at ?c ?s1)
20
               (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
21
22
           :effect (and
23
               (not (at ?c ?s1))
               (when (exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2)) (dead ?c))
25
               (when (not(exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2))) (at ?c ?s2))
26
               (increase (total-cost) 1)
27
           )
28
      )
29
30
      (:action eat
31
          :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
```

```
:precondition (and
                (not (dead ?c))
34
                (at ?m ?s)
35
                (at ?c ?s)
36
                (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
37
           )
           :effect (and
39
                (not (at ?m ?s))
40
                (dead ?m)
41
                (increase (total-cost) 1)
42
           )
43
      )
44
45
       (:action grab
46
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
47
           :precondition (and
48
                (not (dead ?c))
49
                (at ?m ?s)
50
51
                (at ?c ?s)
                (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
52
           )
53
           :effect (and
54
                (not (at ?m ?s))
55
                (has ?c ?m)
56
                (increase (total-cost) 1)
57
           )
58
      )
59
60
       (:action disable-trap
61
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square ?m - mouse ?t - trap
62
           :precondition (and
63
                (not (dead ?c))
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
65
                (at ?c ?s1)
66
                (at ?t ?s2)
67
                (has ?c ?m)
           )
69
           :effect (and
70
                (not (at ?t ?s2))
71
                (dead ?m)
72
                (not (has ?c ?m))
73
                (increase (total-cost) 1)
74
75
           )
76
      )
```

Listing D.6: cat-weight-eat.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
      (:requirements :strips :action-costs)
      (:types cat mouse wall trap square)
3
      (:predicates
5
           (at ?who ?where)
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
6
           (dead ?m)
           (has ?who ?what)
      )
9
10
      (:functions
11
          (total-cost)
```

```
14
       (:action move
15
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
16
           :precondition (and
17
                (not (dead ?c))
18
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
19
                (at ?c ?s1)
20
                (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
21
22
           :effect (and
23
                (not (at ?c ?s1))
24
                (when (exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2)) (dead ?c))
25
                (when (not(exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2))) (at ?c ?s2))
26
                (increase (total-cost) 1000)
27
           )
28
      )
29
30
       (:action eat
31
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
32
           :precondition (and
                (not (dead ?c))
34
                (at ?m ?s)
35
                (at ?c ?s)
36
                (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
37
38
           :effect (and
39
                (not (at ?m ?s))
40
41
                (dead ?m)
                (increase (total-cost) 1)
42
           )
43
      )
44
45
       (:action grab
46
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
47
48
           :precondition (and
                (not (dead ?c))
                (at ?m ?s)
50
                (at ?c ?s)
51
                (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
52
53
           :effect (and
54
                (not (at ?m ?s))
                (has ?c ?m)
                (increase (total-cost) 1000)
57
           )
58
      )
59
       (:action disable-trap
61
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square ?m - mouse ?t - trap
62
           :precondition (and
                (not (dead ?c))
64
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
65
                (at ?c ?s1)
66
                (at ?t ?s2)
67
                (has ?c ?m)
68
           )
69
           :effect (and
                (not (at ?t ?s2))
```

```
(dead ?m)
(not (has ?c ?m))
(increase (total-cost) 10000)
)
()
)
```

Listing D.7: cat-weight-trap.pddl

```
(define (domain cat)
       (:requirements :strips :action-costs)
       (:types cat mouse wall trap square)
3
       (:predicates
           (at ?who ?where)
           (adj ?s1 ?s2 - square)
           (dead ?m)
           (has ?who ?what)
      )
10
      (:functions
11
           (total-cost)
12
      )
13
14
15
       (:action move
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square)
16
           :precondition (and
17
               (not (dead ?c))
18
               (adj ?s1 ?s2)
19
               (at ?c ?s1)
20
21
               (not (exists (?w - wall) (at ?w ?s2)))
           )
22
           :effect (and
23
               (not (at ?c ?s1))
24
               (when (exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2)) (dead ?c))
25
               (when (not(exists (?t - trap) (at ?t ?s2))) (at ?c ?s2))
26
               (increase (total-cost) 1000)
27
           )
28
      )
29
30
       (:action eat
31
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
32
           :precondition (and
33
               (not (dead ?c))
34
               (at ?m ?s)
35
36
               (at ?c ?s)
               (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
37
           )
38
           :effect (and
39
               (not (at ?m ?s))
40
               (dead ?m)
41
               (increase (total-cost) 10000)
42
           )
43
      )
45
       (:action grab
46
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s - square ?m - mouse)
47
           :precondition (and
48
               (not (dead ?c))
49
               (at ?m ?s)
50
               (at ?c ?s)
51
               (not (exists (?m1 - mouse) (has ?c ?m1)))
```

```
:effect (and
54
                (not (at ?m ?s))
55
                (has ?c ?m)
56
                (increase (total-cost) 1000)
57
           )
58
      )
59
60
       (:action disable-trap
61
           :parameters (?c - cat ?s1 - square ?s2 - square ?m - mouse ?t - trap
62
           :precondition (and
63
                (not (dead ?c))
64
                (adj ?s1 ?s2)
65
                (at ?c ?s1)
66
                (at ?t ?s2)
67
                (has ?c ?m)
68
           )
69
           :effect (and
70
                (not (at ?t ?s2))
71
                (dead ?m)
                (not (has ?c ?m))
73
                (increase (total-cost) 1)
74
           )
75
      )
76
77
```

D.2 Problems

Listing D.8: cat-p01.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p01)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
          c - cat
          m1 m2 - mouse
          s11 s12 s13 s14
          s21 s22 s23 s24
          s31 s32 s33 s34
          s41 s42 s43 s44
9
           - square
      )
11
12
      (:init
13
           ; square adjacency
14
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
15
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
16
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
17
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
18
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
19
20
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
21
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
22
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
23
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
25
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
26
          (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
```

```
(adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
29
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
30
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
31
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
32
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
33
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
34
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
35
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
36
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
37
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
38
39
40
           ; cat
           (at c s11)
41
42
           ; mice
43
           (at m1 s31)
44
           (at m2 s24)
45
46
47
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
  )
49
```

Listing D.9: cat-p02.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p02)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
           c - cat
          m1 m2 - mouse
          w1 w2 - wall
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
           s31 s32 s33 s34
9
           s41 s42 s43 s44
           - square
11
      )
12
13
      (:init
14
15
           ; square adjacency
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
16
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
17
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
18
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
19
20
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
21
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
22
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
23
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
24
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
25
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
26
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
27
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
29
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
30
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
31
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
32
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
33
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
34
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
35
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
```

```
(adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
            (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
38
            (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
39
40
            ; cat
41
           (at c s11)
42
43
            ; mice
44
            (at m1 s31)
45
            (at m2 s24)
46
47
            ; walls
48
            (at w1 s12)
49
            (at w2 s21)
50
       )
51
52
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
53
54
```

Listing D.10: cat-p03.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p03)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
           c - cat
          m1 m2 - mouse
           w1 w2 - wall
6
           s11 s12 s13 s14
          s21 s22 s23 s24
          s31 s32 s33 s34
          s41 s42 s43 s44
           - square
11
      )
12
13
      (:init
14
           ; square adjacency
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
16
17
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
18
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
19
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
20
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
21
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
22
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
23
24
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
25
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
26
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
27
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
28
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
29
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
30
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
31
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
33
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
34
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
35
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
36
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
37
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
38
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
39
40
```

```
; cat
42
            (at c s11)
43
            ; mice
44
            (at m1 s31)
            (at m2 s24)
46
47
            ; walls
48
            (at w1 s21)
49
       )
50
51
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
52
53 )
```

Listing D.11: cat-p04.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p04)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
           c - cat
          m1 m2 - mouse
5
          w1 w2 - wall
           t1 - trap
          s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
           s31 s32 s33 s34
           s41 s42 s43 s44
11
           - square
12
      )
13
14
      (:init
15
           ; square adjacency
16
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
17
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
18
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
19
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
20
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
21
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
22
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
23
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
24
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
25
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
26
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
27
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
28
29
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
30
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
31
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
32
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
33
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
34
35
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
36
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
38
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
39
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
40
41
42
           ; cat
           (at c s11)
43
44
          ; mice
```

```
(at m1 s31)
            (at m2 s24)
47
48
            ; walls
49
            (at w1 s21)
50
51
            ; trap
            (at t1 s22)
53
       )
54
55
        (:goal (dead c))
56
57
```

Listing D.12: cat-p05.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p05)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
           c - cat
5
          m1 m2 - mouse
           w1 w2 - wall
           t1 - trap
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
           s31 s32 s33 s34
10
           s41 s42 s43 s44
11
           - square
12
      )
13
14
      (:init
           ; square adjacency
16
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
17
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
18
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
19
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
20
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
21
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
22
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
23
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
24
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
25
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
26
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
27
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
28
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
29
30
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
31
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
32
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
33
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
35
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
36
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
37
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
39
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
40
41
42
           ; cat
           (at c s11)
43
44
           ; mice
45
           (at m1 s31)
```

```
47 (at m2 s24)
48
49 ; walls
50 (at w1 s21)
51
52 ; trap
53 (at t1 s22)
54 )
55 (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
57 )
```

Listing D.13: cat-p06.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p06)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
           c - cat
           m1 m2 m3 m4 - mouse
           w1 w2 w3 - wall
           t1 t2 - trap
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
          s31 s32 s33 s34
           s41 s42 s43 s44
11
           - square
12
      )
13
14
      (:init
15
           ; square adjacency
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
17
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
18
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
19
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
20
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
21
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
22
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
23
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
25
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
26
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
27
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
28
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
29
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
30
31
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
32
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
33
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
34
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
36
37
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
40
41
           ; cat
42
           (at c s11)
43
44
           ; mice
45
           (at m1 s31)
      (at m2 s13)
```

```
(at m3 s24)
49
       (at m4 s43)
50
            ; walls
51
            (at w1 s21)
52
       (at w2 s14)
53
       (at w3 s32)
54
55
            ; trap
56
            (at t1 s22)
57
       (at t2 s34)
58
59
60
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4)))
61
62 )
```

Listing D.14: cat-p07.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p07)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
           c - cat
          m1 m2 - mouse
5
          w1 w2 - wall
6
           t1 - trap
           s11 s12 s13 s14
           s21 s22 s23 s24
9
           s31 s32 s33 s34
           s41 s42 s43 s44
11
12
           - square
      )
13
14
      (:init
15
16
           ; square adjacency
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
17
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
18
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
19
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
20
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
21
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
22
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
23
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
24
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
25
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
26
27
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
28
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
29
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
30
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
31
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
32
33
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
34
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
36
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
37
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
38
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
39
           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
40
41
42
           ; cat
43
           (at c s11)
```

```
; mice
45
            (at m1 s21)
46
            (at m2 s44)
47
            ; walls
49
            (at w1 s31)
50
            (at w2 s22)
51
52
            ; trap
53
            (at t1 s12)
54
55
       )
56
57
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2)))
58
  )
59
```

Listing D.15: cat-p08.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p08)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
          c - cat
5
          m1 m2 m3 m4 m5 m6 m7 m8 - mouse
          w1 w2 w3 w4 w5 - wall
          t1 t2 t3 t4 t5 - trap
          s11 s12 s13 s14 s15 s16
          s21 s22 s23 s24 s25 s26
9
          s31 s32 s33 s34 s35 s36
10
11
          s41 s42 s43 s44 s45 s46
          s51 s52 s53 s54 s55 s56
12
          s61 s62 s63 s64 s65 s66
13
           - square
14
      )
15
16
      (:init
17
           ; square adjacency
18
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
19
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
20
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
21
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
22
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
23
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
24
           (adj s14 s15) (adj s15 s14)
25
26
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
           (adj s15 s16) (adj s16 s15)
27
           (adj s15 s25) (adj s25 s15)
28
           (adj s16 s26) (adj s26 s16)
29
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
30
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
31
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
32
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
33
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
35
           (adj s24 s25) (adj s25 s24)
36
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
37
           (adj s25 s26) (adj s26 s25)
38
           (adj s25 s35) (adj s35 s25)
39
           (adj s26 s36) (adj s36 s26)
40
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
41
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
```

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(adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
            (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
44
            (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
45
            (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
46
            (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
47
            (adj s34 s35) (adj s35 s34)
48
            (adj s34 s44) (adj s34 s44)
49
            (adj s35 s36) (adj s36 s35)
50
            (adj s35 s45) (adj s45 s35)
51
            (adj s36 s46) (adj s46 s36)
52
            (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
53
            (adj s41 s51) (adj s41 s51)
54
            (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
55
            (adj s42 s52) (adj s52 s42)
56
            (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
57
            (adj s43 s53) (adj s53 s43)
58
            (adj s44 s45) (adj s45 s44)
59
            (adj s44 s54) (adj s54 s44)
60
            (adj s45 s46) (adj s46 s45)
61
            (adj s45 s55) (adj s55 s45)
62
            (adj s46 s56) (adj s56 s46)
            (adj s51 s52) (adj s52 s51)
64
            (adj s51 s61) (adj s51 s61)
65
            (adj s52 s53) (adj s53 s52)
66
            (adj s52 s62) (adj s62 s52)
67
            (adj s53 s54) (adj s54 s53)
68
            (adj s53 s63) (adj s63 s53)
69
            (adj s54 s55) (adj s55 s54)
70
71
            (adj s54 s64) (adj s64 s54)
            (adj s55 s56) (adj s56 s55)
72
            (adj s55 s65) (adj s65 s55)
73
            (adj s56 s66) (adj s66 s56)
74
            (adj s61 s62) (adj s62 s61)
75
            (adj s62 s63) (adj s63 s62)
76
            (adj s63 s64) (adj s64 s63)
77
            (adj s64 s65) (adj s65 s64)
78
            (adj s65 s66) (adj s66 s65)
79
80
81
            ; cat
82
            (at c s11)
83
84
            ; mice
85
            (at m1 s12)
            (at m2 s21)
87
            (at m3 s24)
88
            (at m4 s46)
89
            (at m5 s51)
            (at m6 s53)
91
            (at m7 s62)
92
            (at m8 s66)
93
            ; walls
95
            (at w1 s23)
96
            (at w2 s35)
97
            (at w3 s43)
98
            (at w4 s52)
99
            (at w5 s55)
100
101
102
           ; trap
```

```
(at t1 s15)
            (at t2 s32)
104
            (at t3 s42)
            (at t4 s54)
106
            (at t5 s61)
107
108
       )
109
110
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6)
111
       (dead m7) (dead m8)))
  )
112
```

Listing D.16: cat-p09.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p09)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
          c - cat
          m1 m2 m3 m4 m5 m6 - mouse
5
          w1 w2 w3 w4 w5 w6 - wall
6
          t1 t2 t3 t4 t5 t6 - trap
          s11 s12 s13 s14 s15 s16
          s21 s22 s23 s24 s25 s26
          s31 s32 s33 s34 s35 s36
          s41 s42 s43 s44 s45 s46
11
          s51 s52 s53 s54 s55 s56
12
           s61 s62 s63 s64 s65 s66
13
           - square
14
      )
15
16
      (:init
17
           ; square adjacency
18
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
19
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
20
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
21
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
22
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
23
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
24
           (adj s14 s15) (adj s15 s14)
25
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
26
           (adj s15 s16) (adj s16 s15)
27
           (adj s15 s25) (adj s25 s15)
28
           (adj s16 s26) (adj s26 s16)
29
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
30
31
          (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
32
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
33
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
34
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
35
           (adj s24 s25) (adj s25 s24)
36
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
37
           (adj s25 s26) (adj s26 s25)
38
           (adj s25 s35) (adj s35 s25)
           (adj s26 s36) (adj s36 s26)
40
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
41
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
42
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
43
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
44
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
45
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
46
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
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(adj s34 s35) (adj s35 s34)
            (adj s34 s44) (adj s34 s44)
49
            (adj s35 s36) (adj s36 s35)
50
            (adj s35 s45) (adj s45 s35)
51
            (adj s36 s46) (adj s46 s36)
52
            (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
53
            (adj s41 s51) (adj s41 s51)
54
            (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
55
            (adj s42 s52) (adj s52 s42)
56
            (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
57
            (adj s43 s53) (adj s53 s43)
58
            (adj s44 s45) (adj s45 s44)
59
            (adj s44 s54) (adj s54 s44)
60
            (adj s45 s46) (adj s46 s45)
61
            (adj s45 s55) (adj s55 s45)
62
            (adj s46 s56) (adj s56 s46)
63
            (adj s51 s52) (adj s52 s51)
64
            (adj s51 s61) (adj s51 s61)
65
            (adj s52 s53) (adj s53 s52)
66
            (adj s52 s62) (adj s62 s52)
67
            (adj s53 s54) (adj s54 s53)
            (adj s53 s63) (adj s63 s53)
69
            (adj s54 s55) (adj s55 s54)
70
            (adj s54 s64) (adj s64 s54)
71
            (adj s55 s56) (adj s56 s55)
72
            (adj s55 s65) (adj s65 s55)
73
            (adj s56 s66) (adj s66 s56)
74
            (adj s61 s62) (adj s62 s61)
75
76
            (adj s62 s63) (adj s63 s62)
            (adj s63 s64) (adj s64 s63)
77
            (adj s64 s65) (adj s65 s64)
78
            (adj s65 s66) (adj s66 s65)
79
80
81
            ; cat
82
            (at c s11)
83
84
            ; mice
85
            (at m1 s13)
86
            (at m2 s21)
87
            (at m3 s25)
88
            (at m4 s43)
89
            (at m5 s52)
90
91
            (at m6 s66)
92
            ; walls
93
            (at w1 s12)
94
            (at w2 s16)
95
            (at w3 s23)
96
            (at w4 s31)
97
            (at w5 s46)
98
            (at w6 s54)
100
            ; trap
101
            (at t1 s22)
102
            (at t2 s24)
103
            (at t3 s42)
104
            (at t4 s44)
            (at t5 s51)
106
            (at t6 s62)
107
```

```
)
(:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6)
))
))
```

Listing D.17: cat-p10.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p10)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
3
          c - cat
4
          m1 m2 m3 m4 m5 m6 - mouse
5
          w1 w2 w3 w4 w5 - wall
          t1 t2 t3 t4 t5 t6 - trap
          s11 s12 s13 s14 s15 s16
          s21 s22 s23 s24 s25 s26
          s31 s32 s33 s34 s35 s36
          s41 s42 s43 s44 s45 s46
11
          s51 s52 s53 s54 s55 s56
          s61 s62 s63 s64 s65 s66
13
           - square
14
      )
15
16
      (:init
17
           ; square adjacency
18
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
19
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
20
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
21
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
23
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
24
           (adj s14 s15) (adj s15 s14)
25
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
26
           (adj s15 s16) (adj s16 s15)
27
           (adj s15 s25) (adj s25 s15)
28
           (adj s16 s26) (adj s26 s16)
29
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
30
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
31
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
32
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
33
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
34
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
35
           (adj s24 s25) (adj s25 s24)
36
37
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
           (adj s25 s26) (adj s26 s25)
38
           (adj s25 s35) (adj s35 s25)
39
           (adj s26 s36) (adj s36 s26)
40
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
41
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
42
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
43
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
44
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
46
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
47
           (adj s34 s35) (adj s35 s34)
48
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s34 s44)
49
           (adj s35 s36) (adj s36 s35)
50
51
           (adj s35 s45) (adj s45 s35)
           (adj s36 s46) (adj s46 s36)
52
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
```

```
(adj s41 s51) (adj s41 s51)
55
            (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
            (adj s42 s52) (adj s52 s42)
56
            (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
57
            (adj s43 s53) (adj s53 s43)
58
            (adj s44 s45) (adj s45 s44)
59
            (adj s44 s54) (adj s54 s44)
60
            (adj s45 s46) (adj s46 s45)
61
            (adj s45 s55) (adj s55 s45)
62
            (adj s46 s56) (adj s56 s46)
63
            (adj s51 s52) (adj s52 s51)
64
            (adj s51 s61) (adj s51 s61)
65
            (adj s52 s53) (adj s53 s52)
66
            (adj s52 s62) (adj s62 s52)
67
            (adj s53 s54) (adj s54 s53)
68
            (adj s53 s63) (adj s63 s53)
69
            (adj s54 s55) (adj s55 s54)
70
71
            (adj s54 s64) (adj s64 s54)
            (adj s55 s56) (adj s56 s55)
72
            (adj s55 s65) (adj s65 s55)
73
            (adj s56 s66) (adj s66 s56)
74
            (adj s61 s62) (adj s62 s61)
75
            (adj s62 s63) (adj s63 s62)
76
            (adj s63 s64) (adj s64 s63)
77
            (adj s64 s65) (adj s65 s64)
78
79
            (adj s65 s66) (adj s66 s65)
80
81
            ; cat
            (at c s11)
83
84
            ; mice
85
            (at m1 s12)
86
            (at m2 s15)
87
            (at m3 s34)
88
            (at m4 s45)
89
            (at m5 s54)
90
            (at m6 s62)
91
92
            ; walls
93
            (at w1 s16)
94
            (at w2 s22)
95
            (at w3 s24)
96
            (at w4 s52)
            (at w5 s66)
98
99
            ; trap
100
            (at t1 s21)
101
            (at t2 s23)
102
            (at t3 s25)
103
            (at t4 s44)
104
            (at t5 s61)
            (at t6 s63)
106
107
       )
108
109
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6)
      ))
111
  )
```

Listing D.18: cat-p11.pddl

```
(define (problem cat-p11)
      (:domain cat)
      (:objects
           c - cat
4
           m1 m2 m3 m4 m5 m6 - mouse
5
           w1 w2 w3 w4 w5 - wall
           t1 t2 t3 t4 t5 t6 - trap
           s11 s12 s13 s14 s15 s16
           s21 s22 s23 s24 s25 s26
           s31 s32 s33 s34 s35 s36
           s41 s42 s43 s44 s45 s46
11
12
           s51 s52 s53 s54 s55 s56
           s61 s62 s63 s64 s65 s66
13
           - square
14
      )
15
16
17
      (:init
           ; square adjacency
18
           (adj s11 s12) (adj s12 s11)
19
           (adj s11 s21) (adj s21 s11)
20
           (adj s12 s13) (adj s13 s12)
21
22
           (adj s12 s22) (adj s22 s12)
           (adj s13 s14) (adj s14 s13)
23
           (adj s13 s23) (adj s23 s13)
24
           (adj s14 s15) (adj s15 s14)
25
           (adj s14 s24) (adj s24 s14)
26
           (adj s15 s16) (adj s16 s15)
27
           (adj s15 s25) (adj s25 s15)
28
           (adj s16 s26) (adj s26 s16)
2.9
           (adj s21 s22) (adj s22 s21)
           (adj s21 s31) (adj s31 s21)
31
           (adj s22 s23) (adj s23 s22)
32
           (adj s22 s32) (adj s32 s22)
33
           (adj s23 s24) (adj s24 s23)
34
           (adj s23 s33) (adj s33 s23)
35
           (adj s24 s25) (adj s25 s24)
36
           (adj s24 s34) (adj s34 s24)
37
           (adj s25 s26) (adj s26 s25)
           (adj s25 s35) (adj s35 s25)
39
           (adj s26 s36) (adj s36 s26)
40
           (adj s31 s32) (adj s32 s31)
41
           (adj s31 s41) (adj s41 s31)
42
           (adj s32 s33) (adj s33 s32)
43
           (adj s32 s42) (adj s42 s32)
44
           (adj s33 s34) (adj s34 s33)
45
           (adj s33 s43) (adj s43 s33)
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s44 s34)
47
           (adj s34 s35) (adj s35 s34)
48
           (adj s34 s44) (adj s34 s44)
49
           (adj s35 s36) (adj s36 s35)
50
           (adj s35 s45) (adj s45 s35)
51
           (adj s36 s46) (adj s46 s36)
52
53
           (adj s41 s42) (adj s42 s41)
54
           (adj s41 s51) (adj s41 s51)
           (adj s42 s43) (adj s43 s42)
           (adj s42 s52) (adj s52 s42)
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           (adj s43 s44) (adj s44 s43)
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           (adj s43 s53) (adj s53 s43)
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           (adj s44 s45) (adj s45 s44)
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            (adj s46 s56) (adj s56 s46)
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            (adj s51 s52) (adj s52 s51)
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            (adj s51 s61) (adj s51 s61)
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            (adj s65 s66) (adj s66 s65)
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81
            ; cat
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            (at c s11)
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85
            ; mice
            (at m1 s12)
86
            (at m2 s15)
87
            (at m3 s34)
            (at m4 s45)
89
            (at m5 s54)
90
            (at m6 s62)
91
92
            ; walls
93
            (at w1 s16)
94
       (at w2 s22)
95
       (at w3 s24)
       (at w4 s52)
97
       (at w5 s66)
98
99
            ; trap
100
            (at t1 s21)
            (at t2 s23)
            (at t3 s25)
            (at t4 s44)
104
            (at t5 s61)
       (at t6 s63)
106
107
            (= (total-cost) 0)
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109
       )
110
111
       (:goal (and (dead m1) (dead m2) (dead m3) (dead m4) (dead m5) (dead m6)
112
      ))
113
       (:metric minimize (total-cost))
114
115
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