LSINF2335 - Programming Paradigms

Project 1 report

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Question 1

How are your tables/rows stored in the Prolog knowledge base?

Columns are stored as two arity facts, the first argument being a unique identifier, the first column of the table. The second argument contains the value.

```
1 | client_localite("F400","Bruxelles").
```

Tables are simply a fact containing a list of its columns.

```
1 | client([ncli, nom, adresse, localite, cat, compte]).
```

The database stores the tables in a list as well.

```
1 | table_index([client, commande, detail, produit]).
```

Question 2

As a query language, Prolog is much more powerful than SQL. What is the "mismatch" between SQL and Prolog that forces us to write code to handle the differences?

- Lots of the useful mathematical operations in SQL have to be done manually in Prolog.
- SQL is designed to work with files while Prolog stores data in memory, so persistence has to be thought. SWI Prolog has utilities to deal with this.

Question 3

/!\ Please name the file db.pl otherwise cleanup will not work.

i. Load/reset the example data.

```
1 | cleanup.
```

ii. Create a new table.

```
1 | create_table(person,[name,gender,age]).
```

iii. Insert a row in a table.

```
1 | insert(person,["Youri Mouton",m,23]).
```

iv. Select all rows in a table.

```
1 | select(produit,*).
       Inprollibelle|prix|qstock|
1
   1 | [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2, 75, 45]
2
   2 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4,120,2690]
3
   3 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450]
4
   4 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134]
5
   5 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220]
6
   6 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580]
7
   7 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220]
8
```

v. Select all rows that match a predicate.

9

true.

```
1 | select_where(client,*,localite,=,"Namur").

1 | Inclilnomladressellocalitelcatlcomptel
2 | 1 | [B062,Goffin,72, rue de la Gare,Namur,B2,-3200]
3 | 2 | [C123,MERCIER,25, rue Lemaitre,Namur,C1,-2300]
4 | 3 | [L422,Franck,60, rue de Wépion,Namur,C1,0]
5 | 4 | [S127,Vanderka,3, avenue des Roses,Namur,C1,-4580]
6 | true.
```

vi. Select some columns from rows that match a predicate.

```
1 | select_where(produit,[npro,qstock],prix,=<,120).
       Inprolastockl
1
   1
       I[CS262,45]
2
3
   2
      I[CS264,2690]
4
   3
      |[PA60,134]
5
   4
      [PA45,580]
   true.
6
```

vii. Select all rows from a cross join between two tables.

```
1 | cross_join(produit, commande).
```

```
Inprollibelle|prix|qstock|ncom_co|ncli_co|date|
1
2
        [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30178, K111,2008-12-22]
    1
    2
        I[CS262,Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30179,C400,2008-12-22]
3
       | [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30182, S127,2008-12-23]
4
    3
       | [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30184,C400,2008-12-23]
5
    4
    5
       [CS262,Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30185,F011,2009-01-02]
6
 7
       [CS262,Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30186,C400,2009-01-02]
    7
       [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30188,B512,2009-01-02]
8
9
       [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4, 120, 2690, 30178, K111, 2008-12-22]
       [CS264,Chev. Sapin 200*6*4,120,2690,30179,C400,2008-12-22]
10
    10 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4, 120, 2690, 30182, S127, 2008-12-23]
11
    11 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4,120,2690,30184,C400,2008-12-23]
12
    12 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4,120,2690,30185,F011,2009-01-02]
13
    13 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4,120,2690,30186,C400,2009-01-02]
14
    14 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4, 120, 2690, 30188, B512, 2009-01-02]
15
    15 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4,220,450,30178,K111,2008-12-22]
16
    16 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4,220,450,30179,C400,2008-12-22]
17
    17 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450, 30182, S127, 2008-12-23]
18
    18 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4,220,450,30184,C400,2008-12-23]
19
    19 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4,220,450,30185, F011,2009-01-02]
20
    20 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450, 30186, C400, 2009-01-02]
21
    21 | [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450, 30188, B512, 2009-01-02]
22
23
    22 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30178, K111, 2008-12-22]
    23 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30179, C400, 2008-12-22]
24
25
    24 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30182, S127, 2008-12-23]
    25 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30184, C400, 2008-12-23]
26
27
    26 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30185, F011, 2009-01-02]
    27 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30186, C400, 2009-01-02]
28
    28 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30188, B512, 2009-01-02]
29
    29 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220, 30178, K111, 2008-12-22]
30
    30 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220, 30179, C400, 2008-12-22]
31
32
    31 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2,185,1220,30182,S127,2008-12-23]
```

```
32 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2,185,1220,30184,C400,2008-12-23]
33
    33 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2,185,1220,30185,F011,2009-01-02]
34
    34 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220, 30186, C400, 2009-01-02]
35
    35 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2,185,1220,30188,B512,2009-01-02]
36
37
    36 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30178, K111, 2008-12-22]
38
    37 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30179, C400, 2008-12-22]
    38 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30182, S127, 2008-12-23]
39
40
    39 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30184, C400, 2008-12-23]
    40 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30185, F011, 2009-01-02]
41
    41 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30186, C400, 2009-01-02]
42
43
    42 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30188, B512, 2009-01-02]
    43 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30178, K111, 2008-12-22]
44
45
    44 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30179, C400, 2008-12-22]
46
    45 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30182, S127, 2008-12-23]
47
    46 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30184, C400, 2008-12-23]
    47 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30185, F011, 2009-01-02]
48
49
    48 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30186, C400, 2009-01-02]
    49 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30188, B512, 2009-01-02]
50
51
    true
```

viii. Select all rows from an inner join between two tables.

```
1 | inner_join(produit,detail,npro,npro_de).
```

```
1
        Inprollibelle|prix|qstock|ncom_de|npro_de|qcom|
 2
    1
        [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45,30179, CS262,60]
        [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450, 30178, CS464, 25]
 3
    2
        [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450, 30184, CS464, 120]
4
        [CS464,Chev. Sapin 400*6*4,220,450,30185,CS464,260]
 5
    5
        [CS464,Chev. Sapin 400*6*4,220,450,30188,CS464,180]
 6
 7
    6
        [PA60,Pointe Acier 60 (10K),95,134,30179,PA60,20]
    7
       [PA60,Pointe Acier 60 (10K),95,134,30182,PA60,30]
8
       [PA60,Pointe Acier 60 (10K),95,134,30185,PA60,15]
9
        | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134, 30188, PA60, 70]
    9
10
    10 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220, 30185, PS222, 600]
11
    11 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30186, PA45, 3]
12
    12 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30184, PA45, 20]
13
    13 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580, 30188, PA45, 22]
14
    14 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220, 30188, PH222, 92]
15
16
    true.
```

ix. Delete rows that matches a predicate.

```
1 | delete_where(produit,qstock,>,1000).
```

x. Update rows that match a predicate.

```
1 | update_where(produit,[prix,libelle],[300,"sapin très cher"],prix,>=,100).
```

xi. Drop a table.

```
1 | drop_table(person).
```

Additional features

Namespaces

Different tables can have the same column names, consider the following code:

```
1
    ?- select(produit,[npro]).
        Inprol
2
    1 | [CS262]
3
4
5
6
7
    ?- create_table(npro_t,[npro]).
8
9
    true.
10
11
    ?- insert(npro_t,[cS262]).
12
    true.
13
    ?- select(npro_t,*).
14
        Inprol
15
    1 | [cS262]
16
    true.
17
18
    ?- select(produit,[npro]).
19
        Inprol
20
    1 | [CS262]
21
22
23
24
```

Select where not

select where not simply returns the inverse of the select_where command.

Order by

order by desc will show table ordered by the column in argument in descending order.

```
1
    ?- order_by_desc(produit,qstock).
2
        Inprollibelle|prix|qstock|
3
    1 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4, 120, 2690]
    2 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220]
4
    3 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220]
5
    4 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580]
6
    5 I [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450]
7
    6 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134]
8
    7 | [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45]
9
   true.
10
```

order by asc will do the same but in ascending order.

```
?- order_by_asc(produit,qstock).
1
        Inprollibelle|prix|qstock|
2
    1 | [CS262, Chev. Sapin 200*6*2,75,45]
3
    2 | [PA60, Pointe Acier 60 (10K), 95, 134]
4
    3 [CS464, Chev. Sapin 400*6*4, 220, 450]
5
    4 | [PA45, POINTE ACIER 45 (20K), 105, 580]
6
    5 | [PS222, PL. Sapin 200*20*2, 185, 1220]
7
    6 | [PH222, PL. HETRE 200x20x2, 185, 1220]
8
    7 | [CS264, Chev. Sapin 200*6*4, 120, 2690]
9
    true.
10
```

Aggregation functions

max , min , sum and avg are implemented.

```
1 | ?- select_max(produit,prix).
2
    max(prix) = 220
   true.
3
4
   ?- select_min(produit,prix).
5
    min(prix) = 75
6
    true.
7
8
    ?- select_sum(produit,prix).
9
    sum(prix) = 985
10
    true.
11
12
    ?- select_avg(produit,prix).
13
    sum(prix) = 140.71428571428572
14
    true.
15
```