Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Exercise Sheet 6

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Exercise 1 (2.5 points)

Consider the proposition symbols A, B, C, D and E. Which of the following are correct?

Hand in your results in Moodle. As usual, please submit only one solution per group.

- a) $False \models True$
- b) $True \models False$
- c) $(A \wedge B) \models (A \Leftrightarrow B)$
- d) $(A \Leftrightarrow B) \models A \lor B$
- e) $(A \Leftrightarrow B) \models \neg A \lor B$
- f) $(A \lor B) \land (\neg C \lor \neg D \lor E) \models (A \lor B \lor C) \land (B \land C \land D \Rightarrow E)$
- g) $(A \lor B) \land (\neg C \lor \neg D \lor E) \models (A \lor B) \land (\neg D \lor E)$
- h) $(A \lor B) \land \neg (A \Rightarrow B)$ is satisfiable
- i) $(A \Leftrightarrow B) \land (\neg A \lor B)$ is satisfiable
- j) $(C \lor (\neg A \land \neg B)) \equiv ((A \Rightarrow C) \land (B \Rightarrow C))$

Exercise 2 (8 points)

Implement a program that generates resolution proofs for propositional logic. Slide 51 of chapter "Propositional logic" describes such a resolution prover. PL-Resolution' (given in Algorithm 1) corresponds to the algorithm PL-Resolution from the lecture, but makes use of the separately callable submethod IsInconsistent (shown in Algorithm 2).

Algorithmus 1: PL-Resolution'(KB, α)

Input: KB, the knowledge base; a sentence in propositional logic

 α , the query; a sentence in propositional logic

Output: true if $KB \models \alpha$, false, otherwise

- 1 $clauses_{KB} \leftarrow$ the set of clauses representing the KB in CNF;
- 2 *clauses* $_{\neg \alpha}$ \leftarrow the set of clauses representing $\neg \alpha$ in CNF;
- **3 return** IsInconsistent($clauses_{KB} \cup clauses_{\neg \alpha}$)

Implement the program IsInconsistent (only Algorithm 2), i.e. you don't have to take care of the conversion to clause form and the negation of the query. Your program receives a set of clauses from the standard input.

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Algorithmus 2: IsInconsistent(clauses<sub>1</sub>, clauses<sub>2</sub>)
   Input : clauses_{all}, a set of clauses in CNF
1 clauses_{new} \leftarrow \emptyset;
2 while true do
       for each C_i, C_j \in clauses_{all} do
3
            resolvents \leftarrow PL-Resolve(C_i, C_i);
                                                                                 // computes the resolvents of C_i and C_j
4
            if \square \in resolvents then return true;
5
            clauses_{new} \leftarrow clauses_{new} \cup resolvents;
6
       if clauses_{new} \subseteq clauses_{all} then return false;
7
       clauses_{all} \leftarrow clauses_{all} \cup clauses_{new};
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The set of clauses is encoded using the DIMACS-format. It begins with an arbitrary number of lines having c as the first letter. Lines marked in this way are comments and can be skipped. Next follows a line with the structure p cnf |atom| |clauses|, where |atom| and |clauses| are numbers specifying the exact number of atoms and clauses that are used in the set of clauses. This is followed by |clauses| lines, each describing a clause. Atoms are represented by the numbers from 1 to |atom|, the negation of the atom i by the number -i. A clause is a sequence of different numbers in $\{i \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}, -|atom| \le i \le |atom|, i \ne 0\}$. Every sequence is terminated by a 0 (which does not belong to the clause).

The following input encodes the set of clauses $\{\{\neg a, b\}, \{a, \neg b, c\}, \{\neg b\}, \{a\}\}\}$

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c This is a comment.
c
p cnf 3 4
-1 2 0
1 -2 3 0
-2 0
1 0
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Like Algorithm 2, your program should output either "true" or "false" to the standard output.