

unification algorithm:-

Algorithm: unify(φ_1, φ_2)step 1: if φ_1 or φ_2 is a variable or constant
than:if φ_1 or φ_2 are identical, then:
return NILelse if φ_1 is a variable
thanif φ_1 occurs in φ_2 then
return Failure

else

return $\{\langle \varphi_2 / \varphi_1 \rangle\}$.else if φ_1 is a variable?if φ_2 occurs in φ_1 , then
return Failure

else:

return $\{\langle \varphi_1 / \varphi_2 \rangle\}$

else:

return Failure

step 2: if the initial predicate symbol in φ_1
 φ_2 are not same, then
return Failurestep 3: if φ_1 & φ_2 have a different no. of
argument, then
return Failure

step 4: set substitution set (subst) to NIL

steps: for $i = 1$ to no. of element in φ_1
call unity function with the i th
element of φ_1 & i th element of φ_2 &
put the result into S
if $S = \text{failure}$ then
return failure
else if $S \neq \text{NIL}$ then do
apply S to the remainder
of both L_1 & L_2
 $\text{SUBST} = \text{Append}(S, \text{SUBST})$
return SUBST

Sum
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