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Logic

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Outline

Theorem

$$\neg\forall x\,\varphi \dashv\vdash \exists x\,\neg\varphi \qquad \neg\exists x\,\varphi \dashv\vdash \forall x\,\neg\varphi$$

$$\forall x\,\varphi \wedge \forall x\,\psi \dashv\vdash \forall x\,(\varphi \wedge \psi) \qquad \exists x\,\varphi \vee \exists x\,\psi \dashv\vdash \exists x\,(\varphi \vee \psi)$$

$$\forall x\,\forall y\,\varphi \dashv\vdash \forall y\,\forall x\,\varphi \qquad \exists x\,\exists y\,\varphi \dashv\vdash \exists y\,\exists x\,\varphi$$

if x is not free in ψ then

$$\forall x\,\varphi \wedge \psi \dashv\vdash \forall x\,(\varphi \wedge \psi) \qquad \forall x\,\varphi \vee \psi \dashv\vdash \forall x\,(\varphi \vee \psi)$$

$$\exists x\,\varphi \wedge \psi \dashv\vdash \exists x\,(\varphi \wedge \psi) \qquad \exists x\,\varphi \vee \psi \dashv\vdash \exists x\,(\varphi \vee \psi)$$

$$\psi \rightarrow \forall x\,\varphi \dashv\vdash \forall x\,(\psi \rightarrow \varphi) \qquad \exists x\,\varphi \rightarrow \psi \dashv\vdash \forall x\,(\varphi \rightarrow \psi)$$

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Definitions

- substitution is set of variable bindings $\theta = \{x_1 \mapsto t_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto t_n\}$ with pairwise different variables $x_1, \dots, x_n$ and terms $t_1, \dots, t_n$
- given substitution $\theta = \{x_1 \mapsto t_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto t_n\}$ and expression E, instance $E\theta$ of E is obtained by simultaneously replacing each occurrence of x_i in E by t_i
- composition of substitutions $\theta = \{x_1 \mapsto t_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto t_n\}$ and $\sigma = \{y_1 \mapsto s_1, \dots, y_k \mapsto s_k\}$ is substitution $\theta\sigma = \{x_1 \mapsto t_1\sigma, \dots, x_n \mapsto t_n\sigma\} \cup \{y_i \mapsto s_i \mid y_i \neq x_j \text{ for all } 1 \leqslant j \leqslant n\}$
- substitution θ is at least as general as substitution σ if $\theta\mu = \sigma$ for some substitution μ
- unifier of terms s and t is substitution θ such that $s\theta = t\theta$
- most general unifier (mgu) is at least as general as any other unifier

Theorem

unifiable terms have mgu which can be computed by unification algorithm

Unification Algorithm

d decomposition

$$\frac{E_1,\, f(s_1,\ldots,s_n) \approx f(t_1,\ldots,t_n),\, E_2}{E_1,\, s_1 \approx t_1,\ldots,s_n \approx t_n,\, E_2}$$

t removal of trivial equations

$$\frac{E_1,\, t \approx t,\, E_2}{E_1,\, E_2}$$

v variable elimination

$$\frac{E_1,\, x \approx t,\, E_2}{(E_1,\, E_2)\{x \mapsto t\}} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{E_1,\, t \approx x,\, E_2}{(E_1,\, E_2)\{x \mapsto t\}}$$

if x does not occur in t (occurs check)

Theorem

- there are no infinite derivations $U \Rightarrow_{\theta_1} V \Rightarrow_{\theta_2} \cdots$
- if s and t are unifiable then for every maximal derivation $s \approx t \Rightarrow_{\theta_1} E_1 \Rightarrow_{\theta_2} \cdots \Rightarrow_{\theta_n} E_n$ $E_n = \square$ and $\theta_1\theta_2\cdots\theta_n$ is mgu of s and t

Definitions

- prenex normal form is predicate logic formula

$$Q_1 x_1\, Q_2 x_2\, \dots\, Q_n x_n\, \varphi$$

  with $Q_i \in \{\forall, \exists\}$ and φ quantifier-free

- Skolem normal form is closed (no free variables) prenex normal form

$$\forall x_1\, \forall x_2\, \dots\, \forall x_n\, \varphi$$

  with φ quantifier-free CNF

Theorem

for every formula φ there exists prenex normal form ψ such that $\varphi \equiv \psi$

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for every sentence φ there exists Skolem normal form ψ such that $\varphi \approx \psi$

Proof (Skolemization)

① transform φ into closed prenex normal form $Q_1 x_1\, Q_2 x_2 \dots Q_n x_n\, \chi$ with χ in CNF

② repeatedly replace $\forall x_1 \dots \forall x_{i-1}\ \exists x_i\ Q_{i+1} x_{i+1} \dots Q_n x_n\, \psi$ by

$$\forall x_1 \dots \forall x_{i-1}\, Q_{i+1} x_{i+1} \dots Q_n x_n\, \psi[f(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1})/x_i]$$

where f is new function symbol of arity $i-1$

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- literal is atom p or negation of atom $\neg p$
- clause is set of literals $\{\ell_1, \ldots, \ell_n\}$
- $\Box$ denotes empty clause
- clausal form is set of clauses $\{C_1, \ldots, C_m\}$
- $\ell^c = \begin{cases} \neg p & \text{if } \ell = p \\ p & \text{if } \ell = \neg p \end{cases}$
- clauses C_1 and C_2 clash on literal ℓ if $\ell \in C_1$ and $\ell^c \in C_2$
- resolvent of clauses C_1 and C_2 clashing on literal ℓ is clause $(C_1 \setminus \{\ell\}) \cup (C_2 \setminus \{\ell^c\})$

Resolution

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refutation of S is resolution derivation of $\square$ from S

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$$((C_1 \setminus \{\ell_1\}) \cup (C_2 \setminus \{\ell_2\}))\theta$$

  where θ is mgu of ℓ_1 and ℓ_2^c

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- **B** The literals $R(x,x,a)$ and $\neg R(f(b),g(y),y)$ do not clash.
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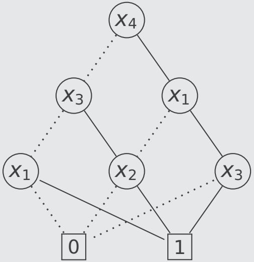

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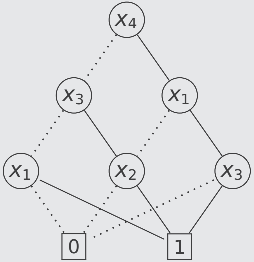

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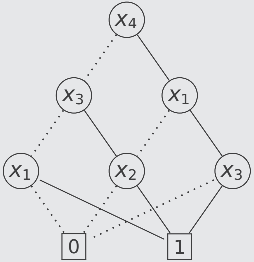

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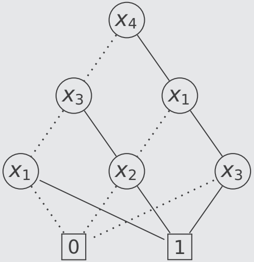

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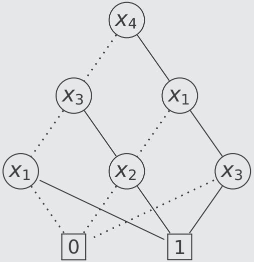

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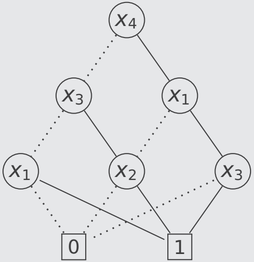

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&= \overline{x}_4(\overline{x}_3x_1 \oplus x_3x_2) \oplus x_4(\overline{x}_1x_2 \oplus x_1x_3) \\
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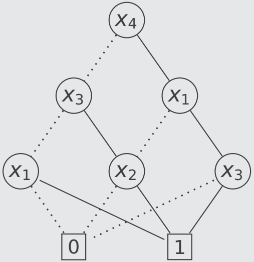
&= x_1 \oplus x_1x_3 \oplus x_3x_2 \oplus x_4(x_2 \oplus x_1x_2 \oplus x_1x_3) \oplus x_4(x_1 \oplus x_1x_3 \oplus x_3x_2)
\end{aligned}$$

Example (Algebraic Normal Form of HWB_4)



$$x + y = x \oplus y \oplus xy$$
$$\overline{x}x = 0$$
$$\overline{x} = x \oplus 1$$
$$(x \oplus y)z = xz \oplus yz$$
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\end{aligned}$$

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