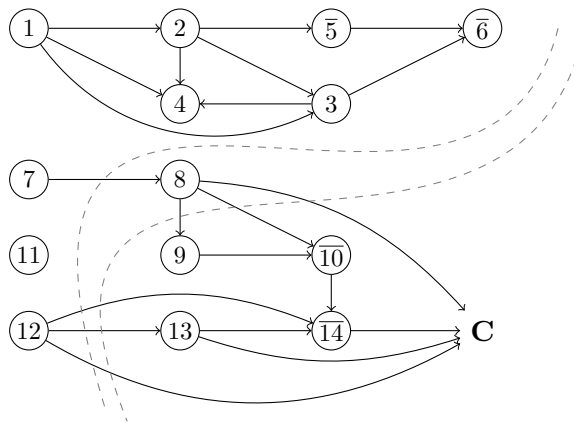


- 1 We consider the formula φ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(\neg 1 \vee 2) \wedge (\neg 1 \vee \neg 2 \vee 3) \wedge (\neg 1 \vee \neg 2 \vee \neg 3 \vee 4) \wedge (\neg 2 \vee \neg 5) \wedge (\neg 3 \vee 5 \vee \neg 6) \wedge \\
 &(\neg 7 \vee 8) \wedge (\neg 8 \vee 9) \wedge (\neg 8 \vee \neg 9 \vee \neg 10) \wedge (\neg 12 \vee 13) \wedge (10 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 \vee \neg 14) \wedge \\
 &(\neg 8 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 \vee 14)
 \end{aligned}$$

and a DPLL inference sequence reaching state $1^d 2 3 4 \bar{5} \bar{6} 7^d 8 9 \bar{10} 11^d 12^d 13 \bar{14}$.

- (a) The implication graph looks as follows:



The single unique implication point is node 12. The two indicated cuts lead to the implied clause $\neg 7 \vee \neg 12$ and $\neg 8 \vee \neg 12$. These are the smallest implied clauses obtained from cuts in this graph.

- (b) The conflict clause is $\neg 8 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 \vee 14$, its literal whose complement was assigned last is 14. We thus resolve

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 \neg 8 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 \vee 14 & & 10 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 \vee \neg 14 \\
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 \neg 8 \vee 10 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 & &
 \end{array}$$

The literal in the resulting clause whose complement was assigned last is 13. We hence get

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 \neg 8 \vee 10 \vee \neg 12 \vee \neg 13 & & \neg 12 \vee 13 \\
 \hline
 \neg 8 \vee 10 \vee \neg 12 & &
 \end{array}$$

The last-assigned literal is now 12, a decision literal. But we can keep resolving with the clause that led to the assignment of the last non-decision literal, namely 10:

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 \neg 8 \vee 10 \vee \neg 12 & & \neg 8 \vee \neg 9 \vee \neg 10 \\
 \hline
 \neg 8 \vee \neg 9 \vee \neg 12 & &
 \end{array}$$

Now the last assigned non-decision literal is 9, so obtain a next resolution step

$$\frac{\neg 8 \vee \neg 9 \vee \neg 12 \quad \neg 8 \vee 9}{\neg 8 \vee \neg 12}$$

We proceed with a resolution step eliminating 8:

$$\frac{\neg 8 \vee \neg 12 \quad \neg 7 \vee 8}{\neg 7 \vee \neg 12}$$

At this point there are only decision literals left, so no further steps are possible.

2 The DPLL inference sequence is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee 7, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee 7, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{decide} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d 7 & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{up} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d 7 3^d & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{decide} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d 7 3^d 4^d & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{decide} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d 7 3^d 4^d 8 & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{up} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d 7 3^d 4^d 8 5^d & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{decide} \\ \Rightarrow 1^d 7 3^d 4^d 8 5^d 6^d & \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3} && \text{decide} \end{aligned}$$

with up abbreviating unit propagate, and where the framed literals are watched. We can then do a backjump step using backjump clause $\bar{1} \vee \bar{3} \vee \bar{8}$ to

$$1^d 7 3^d \bar{8} \parallel 1 \vee \bar{2}, \bar{1} \vee \bar{7}, 3 \vee 4, \bar{3} \vee \bar{4} \vee 8, 4 \vee 5 \vee 6, \bar{8} \vee \bar{3}$$

which could be simulated in three backtrack steps.

3 See the file gardening.py.