

Decision Procedures

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Organisation

Dates

- Lecture is Tuesday 14–16 (c.t) and Thursday 14–15 (c.t).
- Tutorials will be given on Thursday 15–16.
Starting next week (this week is a two hour lecture).
- Exercise sheets are uploaded on Tuesday.
They are due on Tuesday the week after.

To successfully participate, you must

- prepare the exercises (at least 50 %)
- actively participate in the tutorial
- pass an oral examination

THE CALCULUS OF COMPUTATION:
Decision Procedures with
Applications to Verification

by
Aaron Bradley
Zohar Manna

Springer 2007

Motivation

Decision Procedures are algorithms to decide formulae.
These formulae can arise

- in Hoare-style software verification.
- in hardware verification

Consider the following program:

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How can we prove that the formula is a loop invariant?

Prove the Hoare triples (one for if case, one for else case)

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For assignments wp is computed by substitution:

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assume $i \leq u$

assume $a[i] = e$

$rv := \text{true};$

$i := i + 1$

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holds if and only if:

$$\ell \leq i \leq u \wedge (rv \leftrightarrow \exists j. \ell \leq j < i \wedge a[j] = e) \wedge i \leq u \wedge a[i] = e \\ \rightarrow \underline{\ell \leq i + 1 \leq u \wedge (\text{true} \leftrightarrow \exists j. \ell \leq j < i + 1 \wedge a[j] = e)}$$

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This lecture is about algorithms checking for validity and producing these counterexamples.

Contents of Lecture

- Propositional Logic
- First-Order Logic
- First-Order Theories
- Quantifier Elimination
- Decision Procedures for Linear Arithmetic
- Decision Procedures for Uninterpreted Functions
- Decision Procedures for Arrays
- Combination of Decision Procedures
- DPLL(T)
- Craig Interpolants

Foundations: Propositional Logic

<u>Atom</u>	<u>truth symbols</u> $\top$ (“true”) and $\perp$ (“false”) <u>propositional variables</u> $P, Q, R, P_1, Q_1, R_1, \dots$	
<u>Literal</u>	atom α or its negation $\neg\alpha$	
<u>Formula</u>	literal or application of a <u>logical connective</u> to formulae F, F_1, F_2	
	$\neg F$	“not” (negation)
	$(F_1 \wedge F_2)$	“and” (conjunction)
	$(F_1 \vee F_2)$	“or” (disjunction)
	$(F_1 \rightarrow F_2)$	“implies” (implication)
	$(F_1 \leftrightarrow F_2)$	“if and only if” (iff)

formula $F : ((P \wedge Q) \rightarrow (\top \vee \neg Q))$

atoms: $P, Q, \top$

literal: $\neg Q$

subformulas: $(P \wedge Q), (\top \vee \neg Q)$

abbreviation

$$F : P \wedge Q \rightarrow \top \vee \neg Q$$

Formula F and Interpretation I is evaluated to a truth value 0/1
where 0 corresponds to value false
1 true

Interpretation $I : \{P \mapsto 1, Q \mapsto 0, \dots\}$

Evaluation of logical operators:

F_1	F_2	$\neg F_1$	$F_1 \wedge F_2$	$F_1 \vee F_2$	$F_1 \rightarrow F_2$	$F_1 \leftrightarrow F_2$
0	0	1	0	0	1	1
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Inductive Case:

$I \models \neg F$ iff $I \not\models F$

$I \models F_1 \wedge F_2$ iff $I \models F_1$ and $I \models F_2$

$I \models F_1 \vee F_2$ iff $I \models F_1$ or $I \models F_2$

$I \models F_1 \rightarrow F_2$ iff, if $I \models F_1$ then $I \models F_2$

$I \models F_1 \leftrightarrow F_2$ iff, $I \models F_1$ and $I \models F_2$,
or $I \not\models F_1$ and $I \not\models F_2$

$$F: \underbrace{P \wedge Q} \rightarrow P \vee \neg Q$$

$$I: \{P \mapsto 1, Q \mapsto 0\}$$

$$I \models P \quad I \not\models Q \quad I \models \neg Q$$

$$I \not\models P \wedge Q \quad I \models P \vee Q$$

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6. $I \models F$ by 4, $\rightarrow$

Why?

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| 1. | $I \models$ | P | since $I[P] = 1$ |
| 2. | $I \not\models$ | Q | since $I[Q] = 0$ |
| 3. | $I \models$ | $\neg Q$ | by 2, $\neg$ |
| 4. | $I \not\models$ | $P \wedge Q$ | by 2, $\wedge$ |
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Thus, F is true under I .

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F is **valid** iff for all interpretations I , $I \models F$.

F valid implies F satisfiable

F satisfiable iff $\exists I: I \models F$
iff $\neg \forall I: \neg (I \models F)$
iff $\neg \forall I: I \models \neg F$
iff $(\neg F)$ is not valid

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Decision Procedure: An algorithm for deciding validity or satisfiability.

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$$\begin{array}{l} I_1 = \{P \rightarrow 1, Q \rightarrow 1\} \quad , \quad I_1 \models F_1 \\ I_2 = \{P \rightarrow 0, Q \rightarrow 1\} \quad , \quad I_2 \not\models F_1 \end{array}$$

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Is there a formula that is unsatisfiable and valid?

$$F : P \wedge Q \rightarrow P \vee \neg Q$$

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← satisfying /

← falsifying /

Thus F is satisfiable, but invalid.

- Assume F is not valid and I a falsifying interpretation: $I \not\models F$
- Apply proof rules.
- If no contradiction reached and no more rules applicable, F is invalid.
- If in every branch of proof a contradiction reached, F is valid.

$$\frac{I \models \neg F}{I \not\models F}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} I \models F \wedge G \\ I \models F \\ I \models G \end{array} \right\} \leftarrow \text{and}$$

$$\frac{I \models F \vee G}{I \models F \mid I \models G}$$

$$\frac{I \models F \rightarrow G}{I \not\models F \mid I \models G}$$

$$\frac{I \models F \leftrightarrow G}{I \models F \wedge G \mid I \not\models F \vee G}$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} I \models F \\ I \not\models F \end{array}}{I \models \perp}$$

$$\frac{I \not\models \neg F}{I \models F}$$

$$\frac{I \not\models F \wedge G}{I \not\models F \mid I \not\models G} \leftarrow \text{or}$$

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$$\frac{I \not\models F \leftrightarrow G}{I \models F \wedge \neg G \mid I \models \neg F \wedge G}$$

Prove $F : P \wedge Q \rightarrow P \vee \neg Q$ is valid.

Let's assume that F is not valid and that I is a falsifying interpretation.

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|---|------------------|
| 1. $I \not\models P \wedge Q \rightarrow P \vee \neg Q$ | |
| 2. $I \models P \wedge Q$ | 1. $\rightarrow$ |
| 3. $I \not\models P \vee \neg Q$ | 1. $\rightarrow$ |
| 4. $I \models P$ | 2. $\wedge$ |
| 5. $I \models Q$ | 2. $\wedge$ |
| 6. $I \not\models P$ | 3. $\vee$ |
| 7. $I \not\models \neg Q$ | 3. $\vee$ |
| 8. $I \models \perp$ | 4, 6. contradict |

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| 3. | $I \not\models$ | $P \vee \neg Q$ | 1, Rule $\rightarrow$ |
| 4. | $I \models$ | P | 2, Rule $\wedge$ |

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| 4. | $I \models$ | P | 2, Rule $\wedge$ |
| 5. | $I \not\models$ | P | 3, Rule $\vee$ |
| 6. | $I \models$ | $\perp$ | 4 and 5 are contradictory |

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Thus F is valid.

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Prove $F: (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R) \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$ is valid.

Let's assume that F is not valid.

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| 1. $\mathcal{I} \models (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R) \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$ | |
| 2. $\mathcal{I} \models (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)$ | 1. $\rightarrow$ |
| 3. $\mathcal{I} \models P \rightarrow R$ | 2. $\rightarrow$ |
| 4. $\mathcal{I} \models P$ | 3. $\rightarrow$ |
| 5. $\mathcal{I} \models R$ | 3. $\rightarrow$ |
| 6. $\mathcal{I} \models P \rightarrow Q$ | 2. $\wedge$ |
| 7. $\mathcal{I} \models Q \rightarrow R$ | 2. $\wedge$ |
| 8a. $\mathcal{I} \not\models P$ | 6. $\rightarrow$ |
| 9a. $\mathcal{I} \not\models \perp$ 4, 8a | |
| | |
| 8b. $\mathcal{I} \models Q$ | |
| 9ba. $\mathcal{I} \not\models Q$ | |
| $\mathcal{I} \models \perp$ 8b, 9ba | |
| | |
| 9bb. $\mathcal{I} \models R$ | 7. $\rightarrow$ |
| $\mathcal{I} \not\models \perp$ 5, 9bb | |

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2, $\vee$

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$F_1 \Leftrightarrow F_2$ and $F_1 \Rightarrow F_2$ are not formulae!

Negations appear only in literals. (only $\neg$, $\wedge$, $\vee$)

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The last formula is equivalent to F and is in DNF. Note that formulas can grow exponentially.

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- $P_{P \vee Q} \leftrightarrow P \vee Q$ in CNF:

$$F_2 : \{ \{ \overline{P_{P \vee Q}}, P \vee Q \}, \{ P_{P \vee Q}, \overline{P} \}, \{ P_{P \vee Q}, \overline{Q} \} \}$$

- $P_{P \wedge \neg R} \leftrightarrow P \wedge P_{\neg R}$ in CNF:

$$F_3 : \{ \{ \overline{P_{P \wedge \neg R}} \vee P \}, \{ \overline{P_{P \wedge \neg R}}, P_{\neg R} \}, \{ P_{P \wedge \neg R}, \overline{P}, \overline{P_{\neg R}} \} \}$$

- $P_{\neg R} \leftrightarrow \neg R$ in CNF: $F_4 : \{ \{ \overline{P_{\neg R}}, R \}, \{ P_{\neg R}, R \} \}$

$\{ \{ P_F \} \} \cup F_1 \cup F_2 \cup F_3 \cup F_4$ is in CNF and equisatisfiable to F .

Decides the satisfiability of PL formulae in CNF

Decision Procedure DPLL: Given F in CNF

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let rec DPLL  $F$  =  
  let  $F' = \text{PROP } F$  in  
  let  $F'' = \text{PLP } F'$  in  
  if  $F'' = \top$  then true  
  else if  $F'' = \perp$  then false  
  else  
    let  $P = \text{CHOOSE vars}(F'')$  in  
    (DPLL  $F''\{P \mapsto \top\}$ )  $\vee$  (DPLL  $F''\{P \mapsto \perp\}$ )
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$$F\{Q \mapsto \top\} : (R) \wedge (\neg R) \wedge (P \vee \neg R)$$

By unit resolution

$$\frac{R \quad (\neg R)}{\perp}$$

$$F\{Q \mapsto \top\} = \perp \Rightarrow \text{false}$$

On the other branch

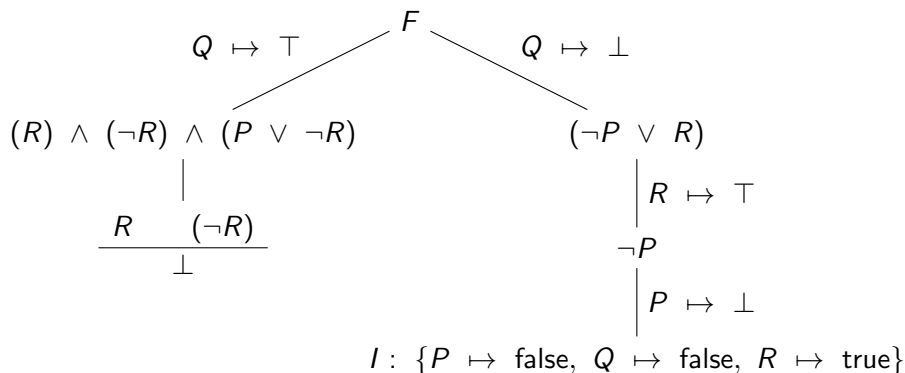
$$F\{Q \mapsto \perp\} : (\neg P \vee R)$$

$$F\{Q \mapsto \perp, R \mapsto \top, P \mapsto \perp\} = \top \Rightarrow \text{true}$$

F is satisfiable with satisfying interpretation

$$I : \{P \mapsto \text{false}, Q \mapsto \text{false}, R \mapsto \text{true}\}$$

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A island is inhabited only by knights and knaves. Knights always tell the truth, and knaves always lie. You meet four inhabitants: Alice, Bob, Charles and Doris.

- Alice says that Doris is a knave.
- Bob tells you that Alice is a knave.
- Charles claims that Alice is a knave.
- Doris tells you, 'Of Charles and Bob, exactly one is a knight.'

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