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1.5. Normal forms

De punten moeten daar op de i gezet worden, waar ze horen.

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Alternatives for deciding

$$\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n \models \psi$$

1.5.1. Semantic equivalence, satisfiability and validity

Definition 1.40.

Let ϕ and ψ be formulas of propositional logic. We say that ϕ and ψ are *semantically equivalent* iff $\phi \models \psi$ and $\psi \models \phi$ hold.

In that case we write $\phi \equiv \psi$.

Further, we call ϕ valid if $\models \phi$ holds, **i.e., if ϕ is a tautology.**

A slide from lecture 4:

1.2.4 Provable equivalence

Definition 1.25.

Let ϕ and ψ be formulas of propositional logic.

We say that ϕ and ψ are *provably equivalent*,

if and only if the sequents $\phi \vdash \psi$ and $\psi \vdash \phi$ are valid;

Notation: $\phi \dashv\vdash \psi$

Example.

$$p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg q \rightarrow \neg p$$

$$p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q$$

$$p \wedge q \rightarrow p \equiv r \vee \neg r$$

$$p \wedge q \rightarrow r \equiv p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$$

Lemma 1.41. Given formulae $\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n$ and ψ of propositional logic,

$$\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n \models \psi$$

holds iff

$$\models \phi_1 \rightarrow (\phi_2 \rightarrow (\phi_3 \rightarrow (\dots (\phi_n \rightarrow \psi) \dots)))$$

Proof...

A slide from lecture 5:

Step 1:

If

$$\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n \models \psi$$

is valid, then

$$\text{Step 1: } \models \phi_1 \rightarrow (\phi_2 \rightarrow (\phi_3 \rightarrow (\dots (\phi_n \rightarrow \psi) \dots)))$$

$$\text{Step 2: } \vdash \phi_1 \rightarrow (\phi_2 \rightarrow (\phi_3 \rightarrow (\dots (\phi_n \rightarrow \psi) \dots)))$$

$$\text{Step 3: } \phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n \vdash \psi$$

Conjunctive Normal Form

Example.

$$(\neg q \vee p \vee r) \wedge (\neg p \vee r) \wedge q$$

$$(p \vee r) \wedge (\neg p \vee r) \wedge (p \vee \neg r)$$

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$$C ::= D \mid D \wedge C$$

$$D ::= L \mid L \vee D$$

$$L ::= p \mid \neg p$$

Is

$$\models (\neg q \vee p \vee r) \wedge (\neg p \vee r) \wedge q$$

valid?

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Lemma 1.43.

A disjunction of literals $L_1 \vee L_2 \vee \cdots \vee L_m$ is valid, iff there are $1 \leq i, j \leq m$ such that L_i is $\neg L_j$.

Proof. . .

Lemma 1.43.

A disjunction of literals $L_1 \vee L_2 \vee \dots \vee L_m$ is valid, iff there are $1 \leq i, j \leq m$ such that L_i is $\neg L_j$.

Hence, a formula ϕ in CNF is valid, iff ...

Definition 1.44.

Given a formula ϕ in propositional logic, we say that ϕ is satisfiable if it has a valuation in which it evaluates to T.

A slide from lecture 6a:

3.3. Consistentie

Semantisch consistent

Definitie 3.2. Een formuleverzameling $\Sigma = \{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n\}$ is (semantisch) consistent als Σ (minstens) een model heeft. We zeggen ook dat Σ vervulbaar is.

Inconsistent

Definition 1.44.

Given a formula ϕ in propositional logic, we say that ϕ is satisfiable if it has a valuation in which it evaluates to \top .

Proposition 1.45.

Let ϕ be a formula of propositional logic.
Then ϕ is satisfiable, iff $\neg\phi$ is not valid.

Proof...

Constructing CNF from truth table

Example.

p	q	r	ϕ
T	T	T	T
T	T	F	F
T	F	T	T
T	F	F	T
F	T	T	F
F	T	F	F
F	F	T	F
F	F	F	T

1.5.2. Conjunctive normal forms and validity

Transform ϕ into **an** equivalent formula ψ in CNF

For each input ϕ , deterministic algorithm CNF

- (1) terminates,
- (2) outputs equivalent formula ψ
- (3) which is in CNF

Step 1: Eliminate implications

Use

$$\psi \rightarrow \eta \equiv \neg\psi \vee \eta$$

(recursively)

`IMPL_FREE(r → (s → (t ∧ s → r)))`

Step 2: Negation normal form

Use De Morgan:

$$\neg(\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2) \equiv \neg\phi_1 \vee \neg\phi_2$$

$$\neg(\phi_1 \vee \phi_2) \equiv \neg\phi_1 \wedge \neg\phi_2$$

(recursively)

$$\text{NNF}(\neg r \vee (\neg s \vee (\neg(t \wedge s) \vee r)))$$

Function NNF

```
function NNF( $\phi$ )  
/* precondition:  $\phi$  is implication free */  
/* postcondition: NNF( $\phi$ ) computes a NNF for  $\phi$  */  
begin function  
  case  
     $\phi$  is a literal: return  $\phi$   
     $\phi$  is  $\neg\neg\phi_1$ : return NNF( $\phi_1$ )  
     $\phi$  is  $\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2$ : return NNF( $\phi_1$ )  $\wedge$  NNF( $\phi_2$ )  
     $\phi$  is  $\phi_1 \vee \phi_2$ : return NNF( $\phi_1$ )  $\vee$  NNF( $\phi_2$ )  
     $\phi$  is  $\neg(\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2)$ : return NNF( $\neg\phi_1$ )  $\vee$  NNF( $\neg\phi_2$ )  
     $\phi$  is  $\neg(\phi_1 \vee \phi_2)$ : return NNF( $\neg\phi_1$ )  $\wedge$  NNF( $\neg\phi_2$ )  
  end case  
end function
```

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(recursively)

Example.

$$\text{NNF}(\neg(\neg p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge (\neg r \vee q)))$$

Step 3: CNF

$$\text{CNF}(p) = \dots$$

$$\text{CNF}(\neg p) = \dots$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2) = \dots$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1 \vee \phi_2) = \dots$$

Step 3: CNF

$$\text{CNF}(p) = p$$

$$\text{CNF}(\neg p) = \neg p$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2) = \text{CNF}(\phi_1) \wedge \text{CNF}(\phi_2)$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1 \vee \phi_2) = \dots$$

Example.

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1) = (p \vee q \vee r) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q)$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_2) = (r \vee \neg q) \wedge (\neg q \vee \neg r \vee \neg p)$$

Step 3: CNF

$$\text{CNF}(p) = p$$

$$\text{CNF}(\neg p) = \neg p$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2) = \text{CNF}(\phi_1) \wedge \text{CNF}(\phi_2)$$

$$\text{CNF}(\phi_1 \vee \phi_2) = \text{DISTR}(\text{CNF}(\phi_1), \text{CNF}(\phi_2))$$

Step 3: CNF

Use distributivity:

$$(\eta_{11} \wedge \eta_{12}) \vee \eta_2 \equiv (\eta_{11} \vee \eta_2) \wedge (\eta_{12} \vee \eta_2)$$

$$\eta_1 \vee (\eta_{21} \wedge \eta_{22}) \equiv (\eta_1 \vee \eta_{21}) \wedge (\eta_1 \vee \eta_{22})$$

(recursively)

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$$\begin{aligned}(\eta_{11} \wedge \eta_{12}) \vee \eta_2 &\equiv (\eta_{11} \vee \eta_2) \wedge (\eta_{12} \vee \eta_2) \\ \eta_1 \vee (\eta_{21} \wedge \eta_{22}) &\equiv (\eta_1 \vee \eta_{21}) \wedge (\eta_1 \vee \eta_{22})\end{aligned}$$

(recursively)

function DISTR(η_1, η_2)

/* precondition: η_1 and η_2 are in CNF */

/* postcondition: DISTR(η_1, η_2) computes a CNF for $\eta_1 \vee \eta_2$ */

begin function

case

η_1 is $\eta_{11} \wedge \eta_{12}$: **return** DISTR(η_{11}, η_2) \wedge DISTR(η_{12}, η_2)

η_2 is $\eta_{21} \wedge \eta_{22}$: **return** DISTR(η_1, η_{21}) \wedge DISTR(η_1, η_{22})

otherwise (= no conjunctions): **return** $\eta_1 \vee \eta_2$

end case

end function

```

function CNF( $\phi$ )
/* precondition:  $\phi$  implication free and in NNF */
/* postcondition: CNF( $\phi$ ) computes an equivalent CNF for  $\phi$  */
begin function
  case
     $\phi$  is a literal: return  $\phi$ 
     $\phi$  is  $\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2$ : return CNF( $\phi_1$ )  $\wedge$  CNF( $\phi_2$ )
     $\phi$  is  $\phi_1 \vee \phi_2$ : return DISTR(CNF( $\phi_1$ ), CNF( $\phi_2$ ))
  end case
end function

```

Example.

$$\text{CNF}((p \vee \neg q) \vee (p \wedge (\neg r \vee q)))$$

1.5.3. Horn clauses and satisfiability

Example.

$$(p \wedge q \wedge s \rightarrow p) \wedge (q \wedge r \rightarrow p) \wedge (p \wedge s \rightarrow s)$$

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$$(p \wedge q \wedge s \rightarrow p) \wedge (q \wedge r \rightarrow p) \wedge (p \wedge s \rightarrow s)$$

$$(p_2 \wedge p_3 \wedge p_5 \rightarrow p_{13}) \wedge (\top \rightarrow p_5) \wedge (p_5 \wedge p_{11} \rightarrow \perp)$$

Not Horn formulas

$$(p \wedge q \wedge s \rightarrow \neg p) \wedge (q \wedge r \rightarrow p) \wedge (p \wedge s \rightarrow s)$$

$$(p_2 \wedge p_3 \wedge p_5 \rightarrow p_{13} \wedge p_{27}) \wedge (\top \rightarrow p_5) \wedge (p_5 \wedge p_{11} \vee \perp)$$

From CNF to Horn formula

$$(\neg r \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg p \vee q \vee r)$$

From CNF to Horn formula

$$(\neg r \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg p \vee q \vee r) \wedge r$$

Definition 1.46. A *Horn formula* is a formula ϕ of propositional logic that can be generated from H in this grammar:

$$H ::= C \mid C \wedge H$$

$$C ::= A \rightarrow P$$

$$A ::= P \mid P \wedge A$$

$$P ::= p \mid \perp \mid \top$$

Deciding satisfiability for Horn formulas

```
function HORN( $\phi$ )  
/* precondition:  $\phi$  is a Horn formula */  
/* postcondition: HORN( $\phi$ ) decides the satisfiability for  $\phi$  */  
begin function  
  mark all occurrences of  $\top$  in  $\phi$   
  while there is a conjunct  $P_1 \wedge P_2 \wedge \dots \wedge P_{k_i} \rightarrow P'$  of  $\phi$   
    such that all  $P_j$  are marked but  $P'$  is not do  
    mark  $P'$   
  end while  
  
  if  $\perp$  is marked  
  then return 'unsatisfiable'  
  else return 'satisfiable'  
end function
```

Exercise 1.5: 15.

Apply algorithm HORN to each of these Horn formulas:

(a)

$$(p \wedge q \wedge w \rightarrow \perp) \wedge (t \rightarrow \perp) \wedge (r \rightarrow p) \wedge (\top \rightarrow r) \wedge (\top \rightarrow q) \wedge (u \rightarrow s) \wedge (\top \rightarrow u)$$