

Finish Logics

Start Stochastic Environments

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Chpt 6.1



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Lecture Overview

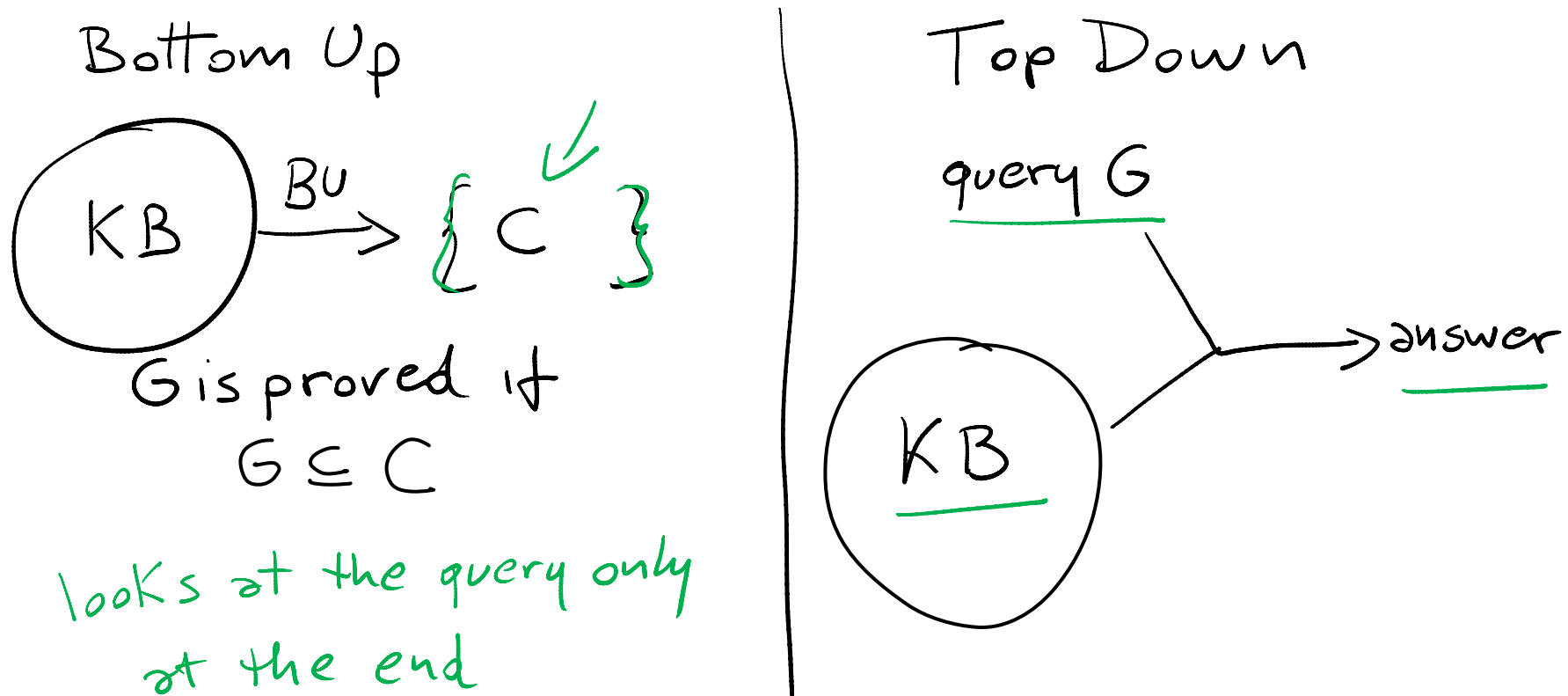
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Top-down Ground Proof Procedure

Key Idea: search backward from a query G to determine if it can be derived from KB .



Top-down Proof Procedure: Basic elements

Notation: An answer clause is of the form:

$$\text{yes} \leftarrow a_1 \wedge a_2 \wedge \dots \wedge a_m$$

Express query as an answer clause

(e.g., query $a_1 \wedge a_2 \wedge \dots \wedge a_m$)

$$\text{yes} \leftarrow \theta_1 \wedge \dots \wedge \theta_m$$

Rule of inference (called SLD Resolution)

Given an answer clause of the form:

$$\text{yes} \leftarrow a_1 \wedge a_2 \wedge \dots \wedge a_m$$

and the clause: θ_i in KB

$$\theta_i \leftarrow b_1 \wedge b_2 \wedge \dots \wedge b_p$$

You can generate the answer clause

$$\text{yes} \leftarrow a_1 \wedge \dots \wedge a_{i-1} \wedge b_1 \wedge b_2 \wedge \dots \wedge b_p \wedge a_{i+1} \wedge \dots \wedge a_m$$

- **Successful Derivation:** When by applying the inference rule you obtain the answer clause yes \leftarrow .

$a \leftarrow e \wedge f.$	$a \leftarrow b \wedge c.$	$b \leftarrow k \wedge f.$	KB
$c \leftarrow e.$	$d \leftarrow k.$	$e.$	
$f \leftarrow j \wedge e.$	$\Rightarrow f \leftarrow c.$	$j \leftarrow c.$	

Query: a (two ways)

yes \leftarrow a.

\downarrow
 $\text{"} \leftarrow e \wedge f$
 $\text{"} \leftarrow f$
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yes \leftarrow a.

$\text{"} \leftarrow b \wedge c$
 $\text{"} \leftarrow \underline{k \wedge f} \wedge c$
 "
Fail

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Systematic Search in different R&R systems

Constraint Satisfaction (Problems): ✓

- **State**: assignments of values to a subset of the variables
- **Successor function**: assign values to a “free” variable
- **Goal test**: set of constraints
- **Solution**: possible world that satisfies the constraints
- **Heuristic function**: *none (all solutions at the same distance from start)*

Planning (forward) : ✓

- **State** possible world
- **Successor function** states resulting from valid actions
- **Goal test** assignment to subset of vars
- **Solution** sequence of actions
- **Heuristic function** empty-delete-list (solve simplified problem)

start state:
query as an
answer clause

Logical Inference (top Down)

- **State** answer clause *yes ←*
- **Successor function** states resulting from substituting one atom with all the clauses of which it is the head
- **Goal test** empty answer clause *yes ←*
- **Solution** start state
- **Heuristic function** *✓ see next slide*

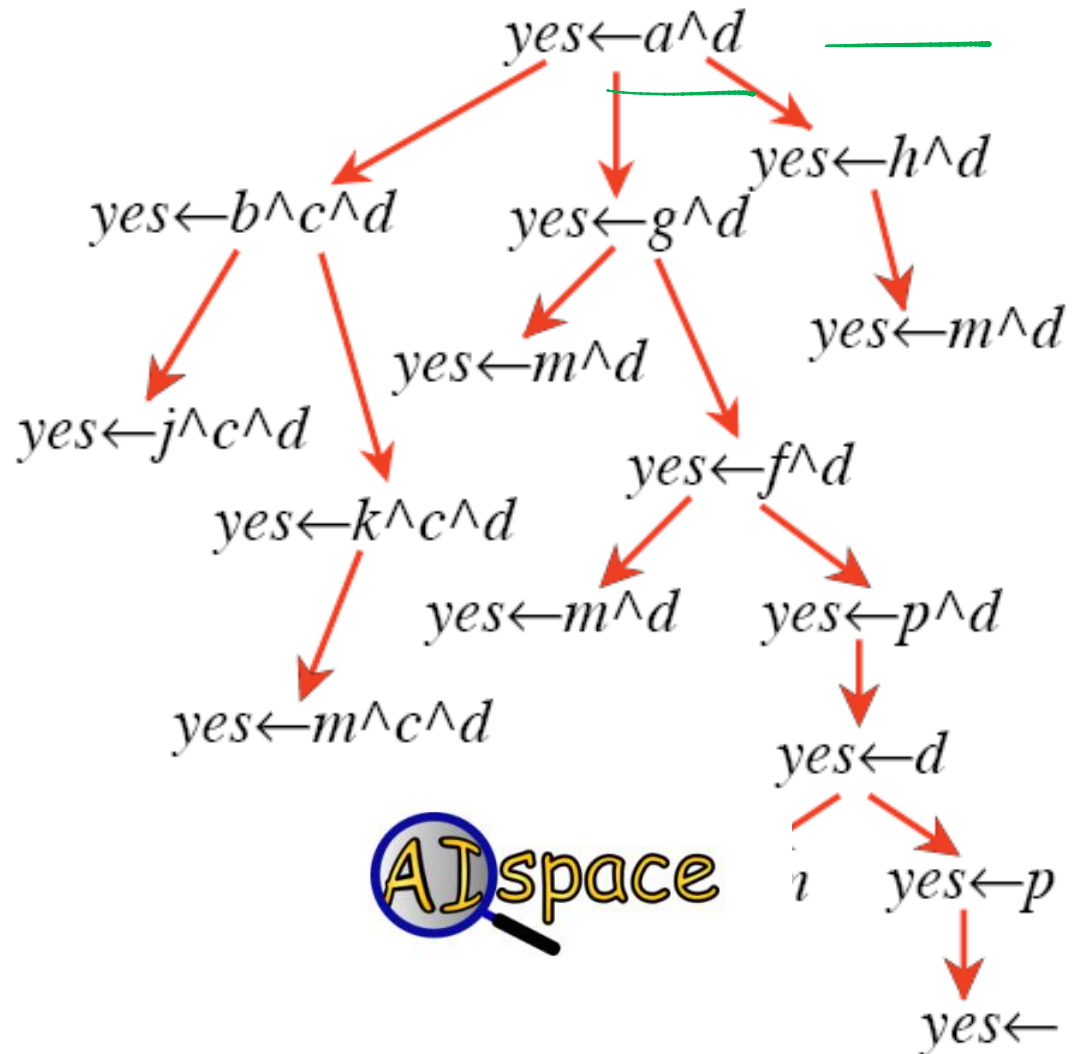
Search Graph

KB

$a \leftarrow b \wedge c.$	$a \leftarrow g.$
$a \leftarrow h.$	$b \leftarrow j.$
$b \leftarrow k.$	$d \leftarrow m.$
$d \leftarrow p.$	$f \leftarrow m.$
$f \leftarrow p.$	$g \leftarrow m.$
$g \leftarrow f.$	$k \leftarrow m.$
$h \leftarrow m.$	$p.$

Prove: $? \leftarrow a \wedge d.$

Heuristics?



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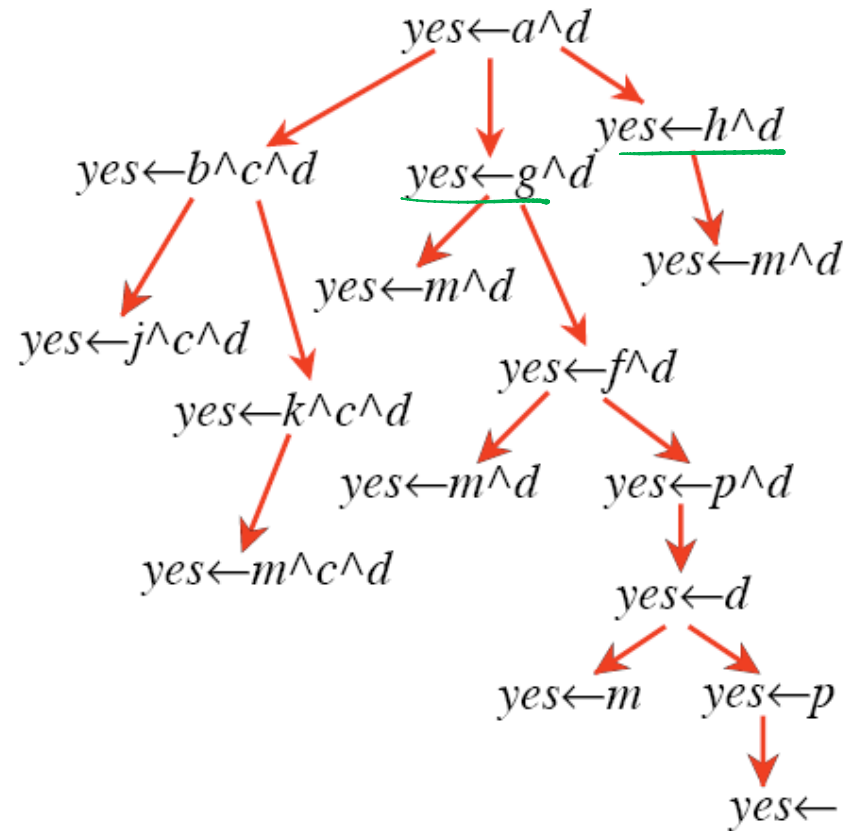
Possible Heuristic?

Number of atoms in the answer clause

Admissible?

Yes

No



Standard Search vs. Specific R&R systems

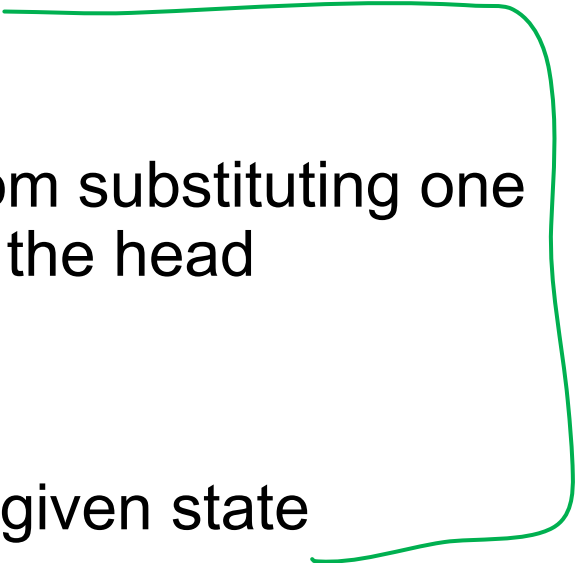
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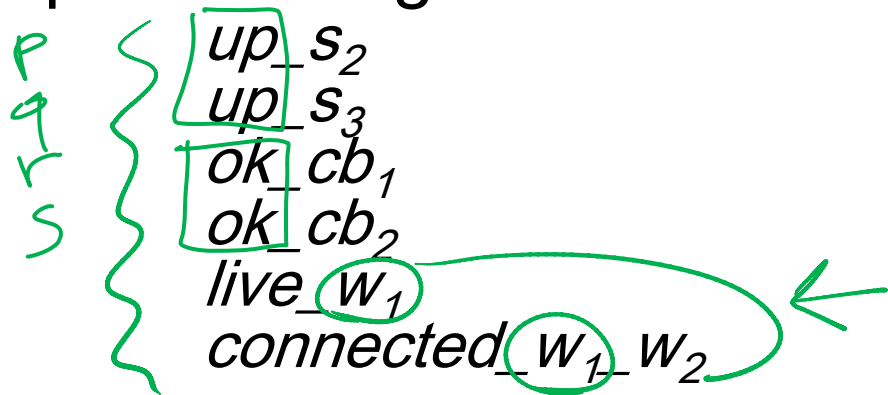
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Representation and Reasoning in Complex domains

- In complex domains expressing knowledge with **propositions** can be quite limiting
- It is often **natural** to consider **individuals** and their **properties**



$up(s_2)$
 $up(s_3)$
 $ok(cb_1)$
 $ok(cb_2)$
 $live(w_1)$
 $connected(w_1, w_2)$

There is no notion that

up_s_2
 up_s_3

up are about the same property

the system can reason about

$live_w_1$
 $connected_w_1_w_2$

w_1 are about the same individual

What do we gain....

By breaking propositions into relations applied to individuals?

- Express **knowledge** that holds for set of individuals (by introducing *variables*)

$$\textit{live}(W) \leftarrow \textit{connected_to}(W, W1) \wedge \textit{live}(W1) \wedge \textit{wire}(W) \wedge \textit{wire}(W1).$$

- We can **ask generic queries** (i.e., containing *vars* *variables*)

$$? \textit{connected_to}(W, w_1)$$

Datalog vs PDCL (better with colors)

First Order Logic

$$\forall X \exists Y p(X, Y) \Leftrightarrow \neg q(Y)$$

$$p(a_1, a_2) \\ \neg q(a_5)$$

Propositional Logic

$$\neg (p \vee q) \rightarrow (r \wedge s \wedge t), \\ p, r$$

Datalog

$$p(X) \leftarrow q(X) \wedge r(X, Y)$$

$$r(X, Y) \leftarrow s(Y)$$

$$s(a_1), q(a_2)$$

PDCL

$$p \leftarrow s \wedge t$$

$$r \leftarrow s \wedge q \wedge p$$

$$r \\ p$$

Datalog: a relational rule language

Datalog expands the syntax of PDCL....

A **variable** is a symbol starting with an upper case letter

Examples: X, Y

A **constant** is a symbol starting with lower-case letter or a sequence of digits.

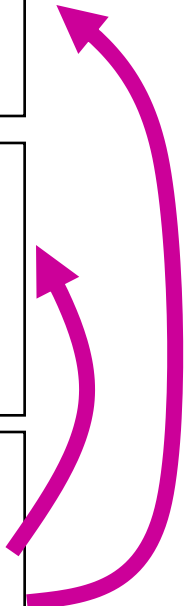
Examples: alan, w1

A **term** is either a variable or a constant.

Examples: X, Y, alan, w1

A **predicate symbol** is a symbol starting with a lower-case letter.

Examples: live, connected, part-of, in



Datalog Syntax (cont'd)

An **atom** is a symbol of the form p or $p(t_1 \dots t_n)$ where p is a predicate symbol and t_i are terms

Examples: sunny, in(alan,X)

A **definite clause** is either an atom (a fact) or of the form:

$$h \leftarrow b_1 \wedge \dots \wedge b_m$$

where h and the b_i are atoms (Read this as "` h if b .")

Example: $\text{in}(X,Z) \leftarrow \text{in}(X,Y) \wedge \text{part-of}(Y,Z)$

A **knowledge base** is a set of definite clauses

Datalog: Top Down Proof Procedure

```
in(alan, r123).  
part_of(r123, cs_building).  
in(X, Y) ← part_of(Z, Y) & in(X, Z).
```

- Extension of Top-Down procedure for PDCL.

How do we deal with variables?

- Idea:
 - Find a clause with head that matches the query
 - Substitute variables in the clause with their matching constants
- Example:

Query: $\text{yes} \leftarrow \text{in}(\text{alan}, \text{cs_building}).$



$\text{in}(X, Y) \leftarrow \text{part_of}(Z, Y) \ \& \ \text{in}(X, Z).$
with $Y = \text{cs_building}$
 $X = \text{alan}$

$\text{yes} \leftarrow \text{part_of}(Z, \text{cs_building}), \text{in}(\text{alan}, Z).$

- We will not cover the formal details of this process, called *unification*. See P&M Section 12.4.2, p. 511 for the details.

Example proof of a Datalog query

in(alan, r123).
part_of(r123, cs_building).
in(X, Y) \leftarrow part_of(Z, Y) & in(X, Z).

Query: yes \leftarrow in(alan, cs_building).

Using clause: in(X, Y) \leftarrow
part_of(Z, Y) & in(X, Z),
with $Y = \text{cs_building}$
 $X = \text{alan}$

yes \leftarrow part_of(Z, cs_building), in(alan, Z).

Using clause:
part_of(r123, cs_building)
with $Z = \text{r123}$

yes \leftarrow in(alan, r123).

Using clause:
in(alan, r123).

yes \leftarrow .

Using clause: in(X, Y) \leftarrow
part_of(Z, Y) & in(X, Z).
With $X = \text{alan}$
 $Y = \text{r123}$

yes \leftarrow part_of(Z, r123), in(alan, Z).

No clause with
matching head:
part_of(Z, r123).

fail

Tracing Datalog proofs in Alspace

- You can trace the example from the last slide in the Alspace Deduction Applet at <http://aispace.org/deduction/> using file *ex-Datalog* available in course schedule



- Question 4 of assignment 3 asks you to use this applet

Datalog: queries with variables

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in(alan, r123).  
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in(X,Y) ← part_of(Z,Y) & in(X,Z).
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Query: in(alan, X1).
yes(X1) ← in(alan, X1).

What would the answer(s) be?

Datalog: queries with variables

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in(alan, r123).  
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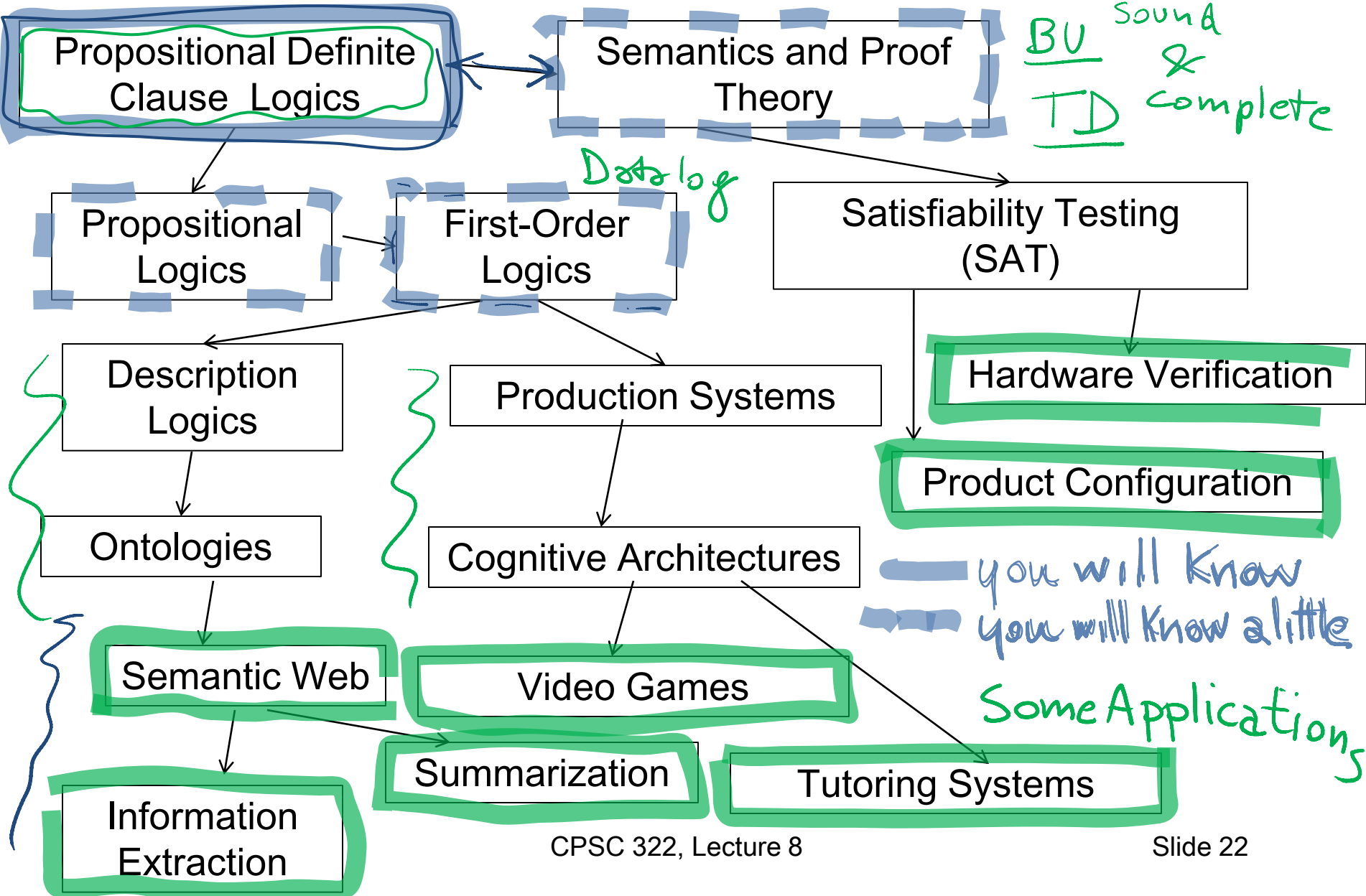
What would the answer(s) be?

yes(r123).
yes(cs_building).

Again, you can trace the SLD derivation for this query
in the AIspace Deduction Applet



Logics in AI: Similar slide to the one for planning



Learning Goals for today's class

You can:

- Define/read/write/trace/debug the **TopDown** proof procedure (as a **search** problem)
- Represent simple domains in **Datalog**
- Apply **TopDown** proof procedure in **Datalog**

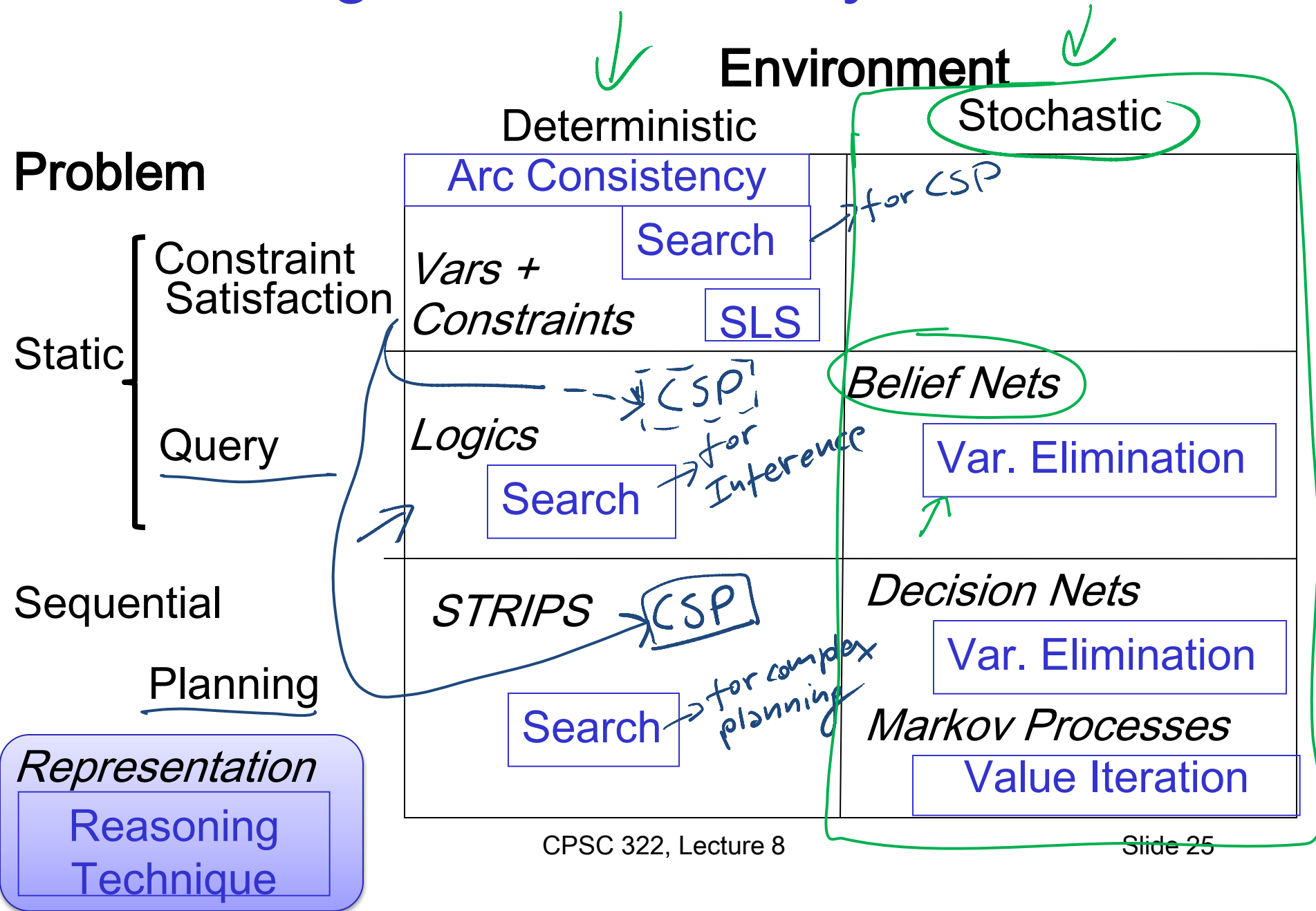
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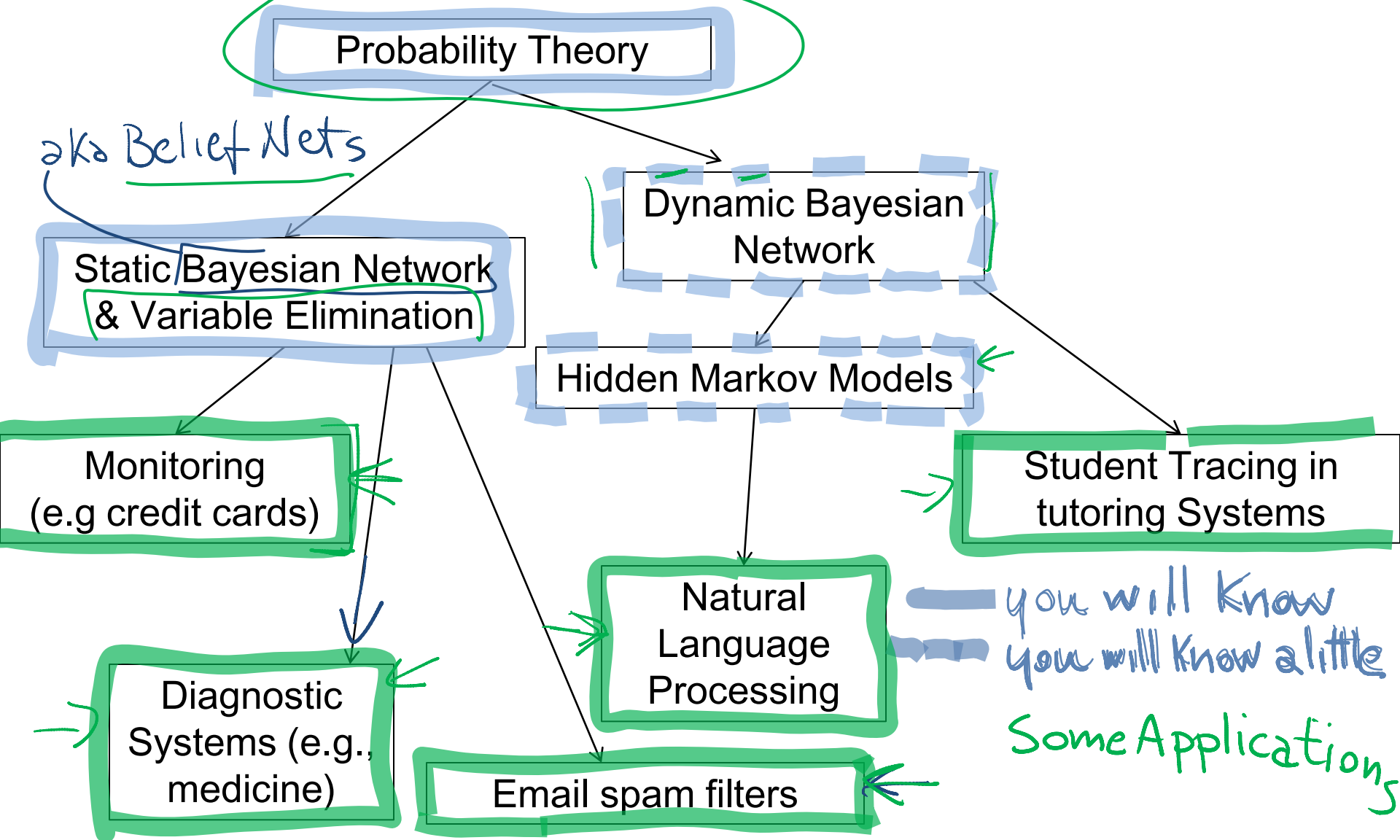
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Big Picture: R&R systems



Answering Query under Uncertainty



Intro to Probability (Motivation)

- *Will it rain in 10 days? Was it raining 98 days ago?*
- *Right now, how many people are in this room? in this building (DMP)? At UBC? Yesterday?*
- AI agents (and humans ☹) are not omniscient (*Know everything*)
they are ignorant
- And the problem is not only predicting the future or “remembering” the past
also current state

Intro to Probability (Key points)

- Are agents all ignorant/uncertain to the same degree? *NO*
it is subjective
- Should an agent act only when it is certain about relevant knowledge?
- (not acting usually has implications) *←*
- So agents need to represent and reason about their ignorance/ uncertainty

Probability as a formal measure of uncertainty/ignorance

- Belief in a proposition f (e.g., *it is raining outside, there are 31 people in this room*) can be measured in terms of a number between 0 and 1 – this is the probability of f
 - The probability f is 0 means that f is believed to be *definitely false*
 - The probability f is 1 means that f is believed to be *definitely true*
 - Using 0 and 1 is purely a convention.

Random Variables

- A **random variable** is a **variable** like the ones we have seen in CSP and Planning, but the agent can be **uncertain about its value**.
- As usual
 - The domain of a random variable X , written $dom(X)$, is the set of values X can take
 - values are mutually exclusive and exhaustive

Examples (Boolean and discrete)

outside Raining
T F

#-of-people-rm
[0,10³]

Random Variables (cont')

- A tuple of random variables $\langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle$ is a **complex random variable** with domain..

$$\text{dom}(X_1) \times \dots \times \text{dom}(X_n)$$

- Assignment** $X=x$ means X has value x

$$\text{outside Raining} = T$$

- A proposition is a Boolean formula made from assignments of values to variables

Examples

$$\text{outside Raining} = T \quad \overset{\vee \text{ OR}}{\wedge} \quad \# \text{people-run} = 47$$

AND

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Possible Worlds

- A possible world specifies an assignment to each random variable

E.g., if we model only two Boolean variables Cavity and Toothache, then there are 4 distinct possible worlds:

w_1 $Cavity = T \wedge Toothache = T$
 w_2 $Cavity = T \wedge Toothache = F$
 w_3 $Cavity = F \wedge Toothache = T$
 w_4 $Cavity = F \wedge Toothache = F$

cavity	toothache
T	T
T	F
F	T
F	F

As usual, possible worlds are mutually exclusive and exhaustive

$w \models X=x$ means variable X is assigned value x in world w

$w_3 \models Cavity = F$

$w_4 \models Toothache = F$

Semantics of Probability

- The belief of being in each possible world w can be expressed as a probability $\mu(w)$

- For sure, I must be in one of them.....so

set of all possible worlds $w \in W$
 $\sum \mu(w) = 1$
 $\mu(w)$ for possible worlds generated by three Boolean variables:
cavity, toothache, catch (the probe catches in the tooth)

<i>cavity</i>	<i>toothache</i>	<i>catch</i>	$\mu(w)$
T	T	T	.108
T	T	F	.012
T	F	T	.072
T	F	F	.008
F	T	T	.016
F	T	F	.064
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Probability of proposition

- What is the probability of a proposition f ?

equivalent,
only differ
notation

cavity	toothache	catch	$\mu(w)$
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	toothache		\neg toothache	
	catch	\neg catch	catch	\neg catch
cavity	.108	.012	.072	.008
\neg cavity	.016	.064	.144	.576

$$P(\text{toothache} = F) = .8$$

For any f sum the prob. of the worlds where it is true:

$$P(f) = \sum_{w \models f} \mu(w)$$

$$\text{Ex: } P(\text{toothache} = T) = .2$$

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$$P(\text{cavity}=\text{T and toothache}=\text{F}) = .08$$

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For any f , sum the prob. of the worlds where it is true:

$$P(f) = \sum_{w \models f} \mu(w)$$

$$P(\text{cavity} \text{ or } \text{toothache}) = 0.108 + 0.012 + 0.016 + 0.064 + 0.072 + 0.008 = 0.28$$

$= 1 - (.144 + .576)$

One more example

- Weather, with domain {sunny, cloudy}
- Temperature, with domain {hot, mild, cold}
- There are now 6 possible worlds:
- What's the probability of it being cloudy or cold?

1 0.6 0.3 0.7

<i>Weather</i>	<i>Temperature</i>	$\mu(w)$
sunny	hot	0.10
sunny	mild	0.20
sunny	cold	0.10
cloudy	hot	0.05
cloudy	mild	0.35
cloudy	cold	0.20

- Remember

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Probability Distributions

- A probability distribution **P** on a random variable **X** is a function $\text{dom}(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ such that

$$x \rightarrow P(X=x) \quad \text{dom}(\text{cavity}) = [T, F]$$

cavity?

X

T $\rightarrow .2 \quad P(\text{cavity}=T)$

F $\rightarrow .8 \quad P(\text{cavity}=F)$

	toothache		\neg toothache	
	catch	\neg catch	catch	\neg catch
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.2

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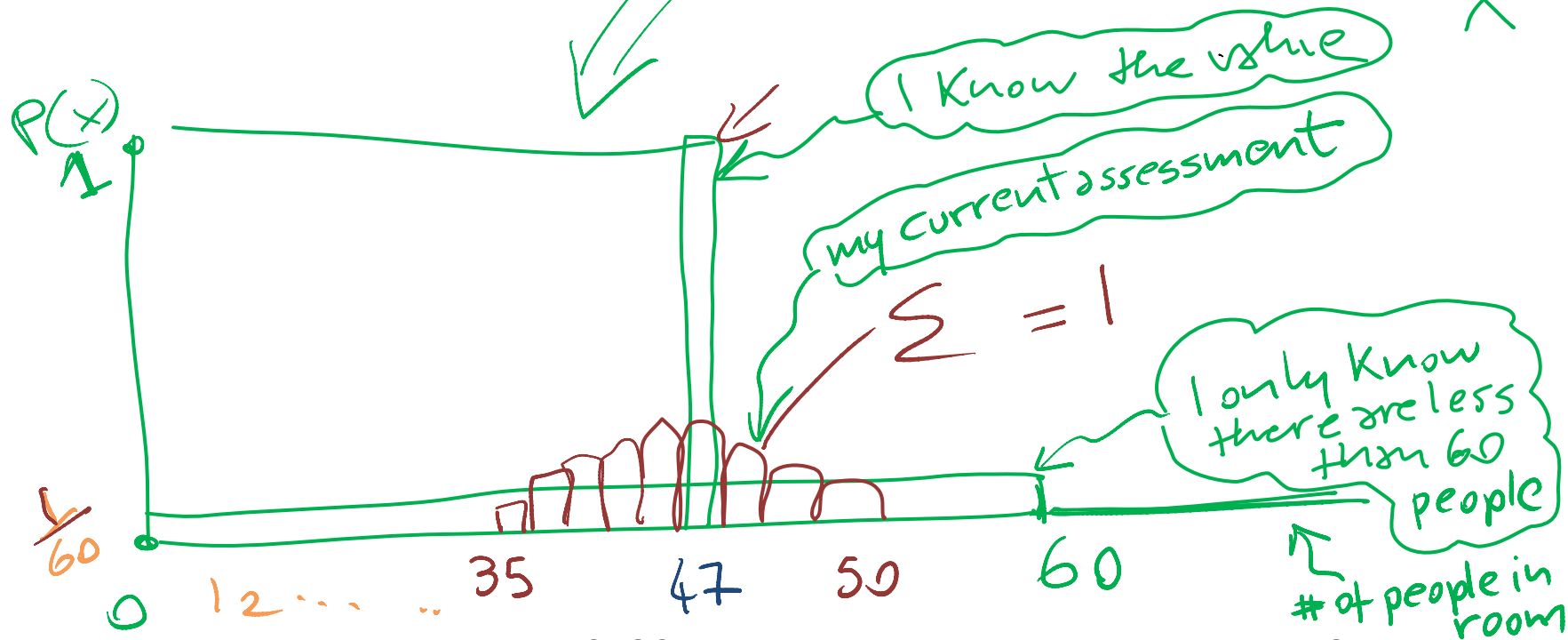
Probability distribution (non binary)

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$$x \rightarrow P(X=x)$$

3 different distributions
expressing 3 very different
beliefs about X

- Number of people in this room at this time



Joint Probability Distributions

- When we have multiple random variables, their joint distribution is a probability distribution over the variable Cartesian product

for n Boolean vars

- E.g., $P(\langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle)$
- Think of a joint distribution over n variables as an n -dimensional table
- Each entry, indexed by $X_1 = x_1, \dots, X_n = x_n$ corresponds to $P(X_1 = x_1 \wedge \dots \wedge X_n = x_n)$
- The sum of entries across the whole table is 1

24

entries

	<i>toothache</i>		\neg <i>toothache</i>	
	<i>catch</i>	\neg <i>catch</i>	<i>catch</i>	\neg <i>catch</i>
<i>cavity</i>	.108	.012	.072	.008
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Question

- If you have the joint of n variables. Can you compute the probability distribution for each variable?

yes you can compute the
prob. of any proposition in
 $X_1 \dots X_n$

Learning Goals for today's class

You can:

- Define and give examples of random variables, their domains and probability distributions.
- Calculate the probability of a proposition f given $\mu(w)$ for the set of possible worlds.
- Define a joint probability distribution

Recap: Possible World Semantics for Probabilities

Probability is a formal measure of subjective uncertainty.

Random variable and probability distribution

$$X \quad \text{dom}(X) = \{x_1, x_2, x_3\} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 \rightarrow P(x_1) \\ x_2 \rightarrow P(x_2) \\ x_3 \rightarrow P(x_3) \end{array} \right\} \sum = 1$$

- Model Environment with a set of random vars

$$X \quad Y \quad Z \quad \underline{\text{binary}} \quad 8$$

$$\sum_{w \in W} \mu(w) = 1 \quad \text{formula}$$

- Probability of a proposition f

$$X = T \wedge Z = F$$

$$P(f) = \sum_{w \models f} \mu(w)$$

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Joint Distribution and Marginalization

$P(X, Y, Z)$

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$P(\text{cavity}, \text{toothache}, \text{catch})$

Given a joint distribution, e.g. $P(X, Y, Z)$ we can compute distributions over any smaller sets of variables

$$P(X, Y) = \sum_{z \in \text{dom}(Z)} P(X, Y, Z = z)$$

$P(\text{cavity}, \text{toothache})$

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<u>cavity</u>	<u>toothache</u>	$P(\text{cavity}, \text{toothache})$
T	T	.12
T	F	.08
F	T	.08
F	F	.72

Why is it called Marginalization?

Handwritten: $P(X, Y)$

cavity	toothache	$P(\text{cavity}, \text{toothache})$
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F	T <i>↕</i>	.08
F	F <i>↕</i>	.72

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Handwritten: $P(\text{cavity})$

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Cavity = F	.08 <i>✓</i>	.72 <i>✓</i>

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Marginalization

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- E.g. go from $P(\text{Wind}, \text{Weather}, \text{Temperature})$ to $P(\text{Weather})$?

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yes	sunny	cold	0.07
yes	cloudy	hot	0.01
yes	cloudy	mild	0.10
yes	cloudy	cold	0.12
no	sunny	hot	0.06
no	sunny	mild	0.11
no	sunny	cold	0.03
no	cloudy	hot	0.04
no	cloudy	mild	0.25
no	cloudy	cold	0.08



i.e., Marginalization
over Temperature and Wind

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How can we compute
 $P(\text{Weather} = \text{sunny})$?

Marginalization

- We can also marginalize over **more than one variable at once**

$$P(X=x) = \sum_{z_1 \in \text{dom}(Z_1), \dots, z_n \in \text{dom}(Z_n)} P(X=x, Z_1 = z_1, \dots, Z_n = z_n)$$

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Conditioning (Conditional Probability)

- We **model our environment** with a **set of random variables**.
- Assume have **the joint**, we can compute the probability *any formula*
- Are we done with reasoning under uncertainty?
- What can happen?
- Think of a patient showing up at the dentist office.
Does she have a cavity?

Conditioning (Conditional Probability)

- Probabilistic conditioning specifies how to revise beliefs based on new information.
- You build a probabilistic model (for now the joint) taking all background information into account. This gives the prior probability.
- All other information must be conditioned on.
- If evidence e is all of the information obtained subsequently, the conditional probability $P(h|e)$ of h given e is the posterior probability of h .

Conditioning Example

- Prior probability of having a cavity

$$P(\text{cavity} = T)$$

- Should be revised if you know that there is toothache

$$P(\text{cavity} = T \mid \text{toothache} = T)$$

- It should be revised again if you were informed that the probe did not catch anything

$$P(\text{cavity} = T \mid \text{toothache} = T, \text{catch} = F)$$

- What about ?

$$P(\text{cavity} = T \mid \text{sunny} = T)$$

How can we compute $P(h|e)$

- What happens in term of possible worlds if we know the value of a random var (or a set of random vars)?
 - Some worlds are ruled out. The other become
more likely
- $\Sigma = P(e) = .2$

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T	T	T	.108	.54
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T	F	F	.008	.04
F	T	T	.016	0
F	T	F	.064	0
F	F	T	.144	0
F	F	F	.576	0

$$e = (cavity = T)$$

$$\mu_e(w) = \frac{\mu(w)}{P(e)}$$

$$w \models e$$

Semantics of Conditional Probability

$$\mu_e(w) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{P(e)} \times \mu(w) & \text{if } \underline{w \models e} \\ 0 & \text{if } w \not\models e \end{cases}$$

- The conditional probability of formula ***h*** given evidence ***e*** is

$$\begin{aligned} P(h|e) &= \sum_{w \models h} \mu_e(w) = \sum_{w \models h \wedge e} \frac{1}{P(e)} \times \mu(w) = \frac{1}{P(e)} \sum_{w \models h \wedge e} \mu(w) \\ &= \frac{P(h \wedge e)}{P(e)} \end{aligned}$$

Semantics of Conditional Prob.: Example

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$e = (\text{cavity} = T)$

$$\frac{P(h \wedge e)}{P(e)} \quad \textcircled{B}$$

$$\frac{.12}{.2} = .6$$

h e

$$P(h / e) = P(\text{toothache} = T \mid \text{cavity} = T) =$$

Ⓐ $\sum_{w \models h} \mu_e(w) = .6$

Conditional Probability among Random Variables

$$\underline{P(X / Y)} = \underline{P(X, Y)} / \underline{P(Y)}$$

TRY

$$P(\text{cavity} / \text{toothache})$$

$$P(X / Y) = P(\text{toothache} / \text{cavity})$$

$$= \boxed{P(\text{toothache} \wedge \text{cavity})} / P(\text{cavity})$$

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.2

.8

	Toothache = T	Toothache = F
Cavity = T	.6	.4
Cavity = F	.1	.9

$P(X, Y)$

0.2

0.8

$P(X / Y)$

TWO PROB. DISTRIBUTIONS

$P(\text{toothache} / \text{cavity} = T)$

$P(\text{toothache} / \text{cavity} = F)$

$\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m = 1$

Product Rule

Definition of conditional probability:

- $P(X_1 | X_2) = P(X_1, X_2) / P(X_2)$ ←

Product rule gives an alternative, more intuitive formulation:

- $P(X_1, X_2) = P(X_2) P(X_1 | X_2) = P(X_1) P(X_2 | X_1)$ ←

Product rule general form:

$$\begin{aligned} P(X_1, \dots, X_n) &= P(X_2 \dots X_t, X_{t+1} \dots X_n) \\ &= P(X_1, \dots, X_t) P(X_{t+1} \dots X_n | X_1, \dots, X_t) \end{aligned}$$

Chain Rule

Product rule general form:

$$\begin{aligned} P(X_1, \dots, X_n) &= \\ &= P(X_1, \dots, X_t) P(X_{t+1} \dots X_n \mid X_1, \dots, X_t) \end{aligned}$$

Chain rule is derived by successive application of product rule:

The derivation shows the step-by-step expansion of the joint probability $P(X_1, \dots, X_n)$ using the product rule. The first step uses $t = n-1$ to separate X_n from the rest. Subsequent steps show the recursive application of the product rule, with blue arrows indicating the reduction of the first argument of the conditional probability to a single variable. The final result is expressed as a product from $i=1$ to n of the conditional probability $P(X_i \mid X_1, \dots, X_{i-1})$.

$$\begin{aligned} P(X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}, X_n) &= \\ &= P(X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}) P(X_n \mid X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}) \\ &= P(X_1, \dots, X_{n-2}) P(X_{n-1} \mid X_1, \dots, X_{n-2}) P(X_n \mid X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}) = \dots \\ &= P(X_1) P(X_2 \mid X_1) \dots P(X_{n-1} \mid X_1, \dots, X_{n-2}) P(X_n \mid X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i \mid X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}) \end{aligned}$$

Chain Rule: Example

$$P(\text{cavity}, \text{toothache}, \text{catch}) =$$

$$P(\text{cavity}) * P(\text{toothache} | \text{cavity}) * \\ * P(\text{catch} | \text{cavity}, \text{toothache})$$

$$P(\text{toothache}, \text{catch}, \text{cavity}) =$$

$$P(\text{toothache}) * P(\text{catch} | \text{toothache}) * P(\text{cavity} | \text{toothache}, \text{catch})$$

these and the other four decompositions are OK

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Using conditional probability

- Often you have **causal knowledge** (forward from cause to evidence):
 - For example
 - ✓ $P(\text{symptom} \mid \text{disease})$
 - ✓ $P(\text{light is off} \mid \text{status of switches and switch positions})$
 - ✓ $P(\text{alarm} \mid \text{fire})$
 - In general: $P(\text{evidence } e \mid \text{hypothesis } h)$
- ... and you want to do **evidential reasoning** (backwards from evidence to cause):
 - For example
 - ✓ $P(\text{disease} \mid \text{symptom})$
 - ✓ $P(\text{status of switches} \mid \text{light is off and switch positions})$
 - ✓ $P(\text{fire} \mid \text{alarm})$
 - In general: $P(\text{hypothesis } h \mid \text{evidence } e)$

Bayes Rule

- By definition, we know that :

$$P(h|e) = \frac{P(h \wedge e)}{P(e)} \quad P(e|h) = \frac{P(e \wedge h)}{P(h)}$$

- We can rearrange terms to write

$$P(h \wedge e) = P(h|e) \times P(e) \quad (1)$$

$$P(e \wedge h) = P(e|h) \times P(h) \quad (2)$$

- But

$$P(h \wedge e) = P(e \wedge h) \quad (3)$$

- From (1) (2) and (3) we can derive

Bayes Rule

$$P(h|e) = \frac{P(e|h)P(h)}{P(e)} \quad (3)$$

Example for Bayes rule

- On average, the alarm rings once a year
 - $P(\text{alarm}) = ?$
- If there is a fire, the alarm will almost always ring
- On average, we have a fire every 10 years
- The fire alarm rings. What is the probability there is a fire?

Example for Bayes rule

- On average, the alarm rings once a year
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- If there is a fire, the alarm will almost always ring
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- On average, we have a fire every 10 years
 - $P(\text{fire}) = 1/3650$
- The fire alarm rings. What is the probability there is a fire?
 - Take a few minutes to do the math!

0.999

0.9

0.0999

0.1

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- $$P(\text{fire}|\text{alarm}) = \frac{P(\text{alarm}|\text{fire}) \times P(\text{fire})}{P(\text{alarm})} = \frac{0.999 \times 1/3650}{1/365} = 0.0999$$
 - Even though the alarm rings the chance for a fire is only about 10%!

Do you always need to revise your beliefs?

..... when your knowledge of **Y**'s value doesn't affect your belief in the value of **X**

DEF. Random variable **X** is **marginal independent** of random variable **Y** if, for all $x_i \in \text{dom}(X)$, $y_k \in \text{dom}(Y)$,

$$P(X= x_i \mid Y= y_k) = P(X= x_i)$$

Consequence:

$$\begin{aligned} P(X= x_i , Y= y_k) &= P(X= x_i \mid Y= y_k) P(Y= y_k) = \\ &= P(X= x_i) P(Y= y_k) \end{aligned}$$

Marginal Independence: Example

X and Y are independent iff: $P(X) = P(X|Y) = \frac{P(X, Y)}{P(Y)}$

$$P(X|Y) = P(X) \quad \text{or} \quad P(Y|X) = P(Y) \quad \text{or} \quad P(X, Y) = P(X) P(Y)$$

That is new evidence Y (or X) does not affect current belief in X (or Y)

Ex: $P(\text{Toothache}, \text{Catch}, \text{Cavity}, \text{Weather})$
 $= P(\text{Toothache}, \text{Catch}, \text{Cavity}) P(\text{Weather})$

$|dom| = 4$ → Sunny, Cloudy, Rainy, Snowy

JPD requiring ³² entries is reduced to two smaller ones (8 and 4)

Joint prob. distribution

Learning Goals for today's class

You can:

Given a joint, compute distributions over any subset of the variables

Prove the formula to compute $P(h/e)$

Derive the **Chain Rule** and the **Bayes Rule**

Define **Marginal Independence**

Midterm review

Average 77 😊

Best 105

Four < 50%



How to learn more from midterm

- Carefully examine your mistakes (and our feedback)
- If you still do not see the correct answer/solution go back to your notes, the slides and the textbook
- If you are still confused come to office hours with specific questions

Next Class

- Conditional Independence
- Belief Networks.....

Assignments

- I will post Assignment 3 this evening 
 - Assignment2
 - If any of the TAs' feedback is unclear go to office hours
 - If you have questions on the programming part, office hours next Tue (Ken)
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Plan for this week

Probability is a rigorous formalism for uncertain knowledge

Joint probability distribution specifies probability of every **possible world**

Probabilistic queries can be answered by **summing over possible worlds**

For nontrivial domains, we must find a way **to reduce the joint distribution size**

Independence (*rare*) and **conditional independence** (*frequent*) provide the tools

Conditional probability (irrelevant evidence)

New evidence may be irrelevant, allowing simplification, e.g.,

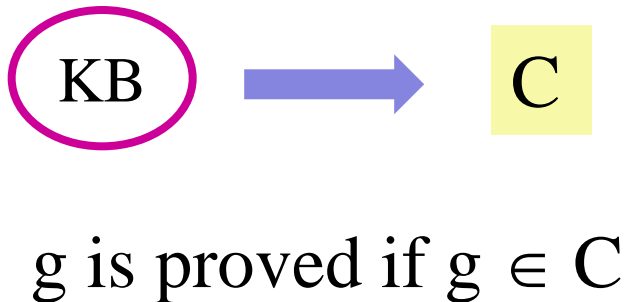
- $P(\text{cavity} / \text{toothache}, \text{sunny}) = P(\text{cavity} | \text{toothache})$
- We say that Cavity is conditionally independent from Weather (more on this next class)

This kind of inference, sanctioned by domain knowledge, is crucial in probabilistic inference

Bottom-up vs. Top-down

- **Key Idea of top-down:** search backward from a query g to determine if it can be derived from KB .

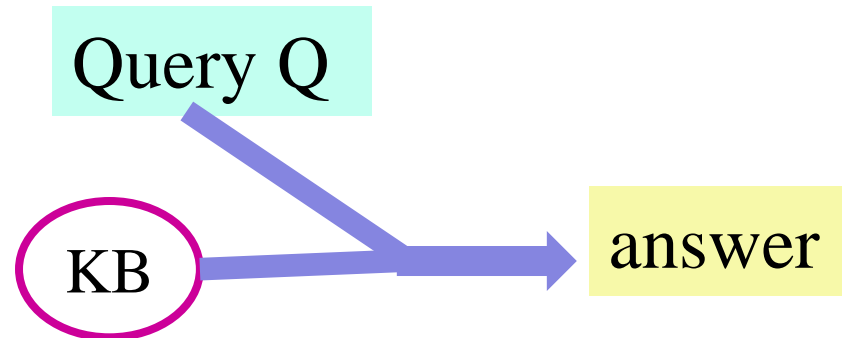
Bottom-up



When does BU look at the query q ?

- Never
- It derives the same q regardless of the query

Top-down




TD performs a backward search starting at q

Inference as Standard Search

- Constraint Satisfaction (Problems):
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 - **Solution**: the proof, i.e. the sequence of SLD resolutions
 - **Heuristic function**: e.g. number of atoms in a given answer clause

Sound and Complete?

- When you have derived an answer, you can read a bottom up proof in the opposite direction.
- Every top-down derivation corresponds to a bottom up proof and every bottom up proof has a top-down derivation. 
- We used this equivalence to prove the soundness and completeness of the SLD proof procedure.

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Learning Goals For Logic

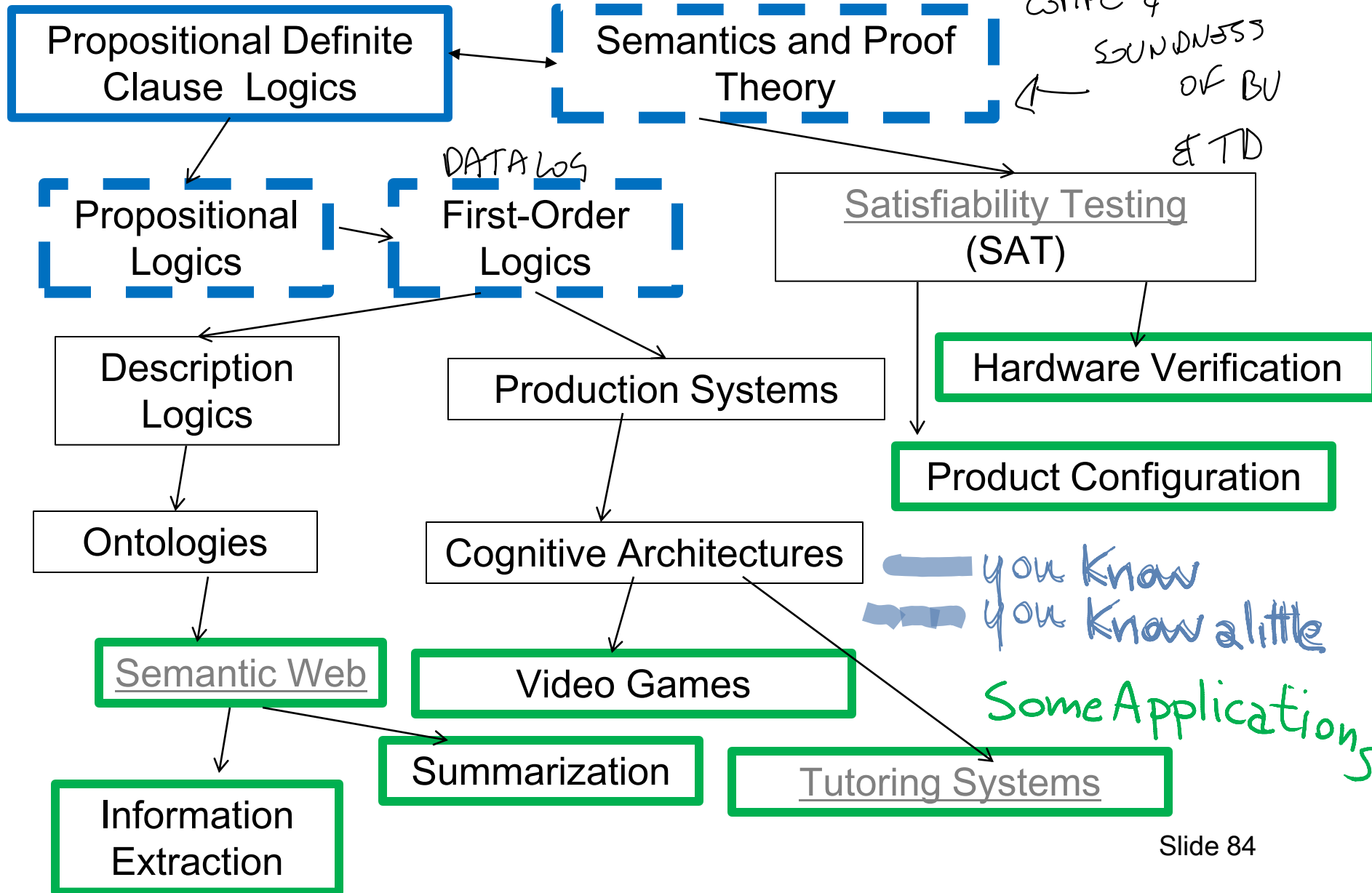
- PDCL syntax & semantics
 - Verify whether a logical statement belongs to the language of propositional definite clauses
 - Verify whether an **interpretation** is a **model** of a PDCL KB.
 - Verify when a conjunction of atoms is a **logical consequence** of a KB
- Bottom-up proof procedure
 - Define/read/write/trace/debug the Bottom Up (**BU**) proof procedure
 - Prove that the BU proof procedure is **sound and complete**
- Top-down proof procedure
 - Define/read/write/trace/debug the Top-down (**SLD**) proof procedure
 - Define it as a search problem
- Datalog
 - Represent simple domains in Datalog
 - Apply the **Top-down** proof procedure in Datalog

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Logics: Big Picture

PDCL



Logics: Big picture

- We only covered rather simple logics
 - There are much more powerful representation and reasoning systems based on logics e.g.
 - ✓ full first order logic (with negation, disjunction and function symbols)
 - ✓ second-order logics
 - ✓ non-monotonic logics, modal logics, ...
- There are many important applications of logic
 - For example, software agents roaming the web on our behalf
 - ✓ Based on a more structured representation: the **semantic web**
 - ✓ This is just one example for how logics are used

Semantic Web: Extracting data

- Examples for typical queries
 - How much is a typical flight to Mexico for a given date?
 - What's the cheapest vacation package to some place in the Caribbean in a given week?
 - ✓ Plus, the hotel should have a white sandy beach and scuba diving
- If webpages are based on basic HTML
 - Humans need to scout for the information and integrate it
 - Computers are not reliable enough (yet?)
 - ✓ Natural language processing (NLP) can be powerful (see Watson and Siri!)
 - ✓ But some information may be in pictures (beach), or implicit in the text, so existing NLP techniques still don't get all the info

More structured representation: the Semantic Web

- Beyond HTML pages only made for humans
- Languages and formalisms **based on *description logics*** that allow websites to include rich, explicit information on
 - relevant concepts, individual and their relationships \
 - Goal: software agents that can roam the web and carry out sophisticated tasks on our behalf, based on these richer representations
- Different than searching content for keywords and popularity.
 - **Infer** meaning from content based on metadata and assertions that have already been made.
 - Automatically **classify** and **integrate** information
- For further material, P&M text, Chapter 13. Also
 - the Introduction to the Semantic Web tutorial given at **2011 Semantic TechnologyConference**

<http://www.w3.org/People/Ivan/CorePresentations/SWTutorial/>

Examples of ontologies for the Semantic Web

“Ontology”: logic-based representation of the world

- **eClassOwl**: eBusiness ontology
 - for products and services
 - 75,000 classes (types of individuals) and 5,500 properties
- **National Cancer Institute's ontology**: 58,000 classes
- **Open Biomedical Ontologies Foundry**: several ontologies
 - including the Gene Ontology to describe
 - ✓ gene and gene product attributes in any organism or protein sequence
- **OpenCyc project**: a 150,000-concept ontology including
 - Top-level ontology
 - ✓ describes general concepts such as numbers, time, space, etc
 - Hierarchical composition: superclasses and subclasses
 - Many specific concepts such as “OLED display”, “iPhone”

A different example of applications of logic

Cognitive Tutors (<http://pact.cs.cmu.edu/>)

- computer tutors for a variety of domains (math, geometry, programming, etc.)
 - Provide individualized support to problem solving exercises, as good human tutors do
 - Rely on **logic-based, detailed computational models** of skills and misconceptions underlying a learning domain.
- CarnegieLearning
(<http://www.carnegielearning.com/>):
 - a company that commercializes these tutors, sold to hundreds of thousands of high schools in the USA

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