

Logic programming

- *logic program*: a finite set of Horn clauses
- inference (interpretation) based on SLD-resolution
- declarativness: the specification of a program is equal to the program

Prolog

- implementation of a logic programming language
- strategy: depth-first search in the SLD-tree
- historie: in 70th. – Colmerauer, Kowalski; D.H.D. Warren (WAM)

Syntax of Prolog I

Data structures

- terms (constants, variables, compound terms)
- constants:
 - 0, 123, -12, 1.0, 4.5E7, -0.12e+8,
 - atoms ('Bob Kowalski', [], s1, ==, 'beaver', atom)
- variables (N, _VYSLEDEK, Hodnota, A1, _12), anonymous variable (_)
- compound terms: functor(name, arity), arguments
 - point(X,Y,Z),
 - tree(Value,tree(LV,LL,LR),tree(RV,RL,RR))

Syntax of Prolog II

Program

- an ordered set of program clauses (pravidla, fakta)
- variables local in a clause
- rule: head, body

```
date(D,M,Y) :- day(D), month(M), year(R).
```

- fact: a rule with an empty body (body = true)

```
date(14,'February',2001).
```

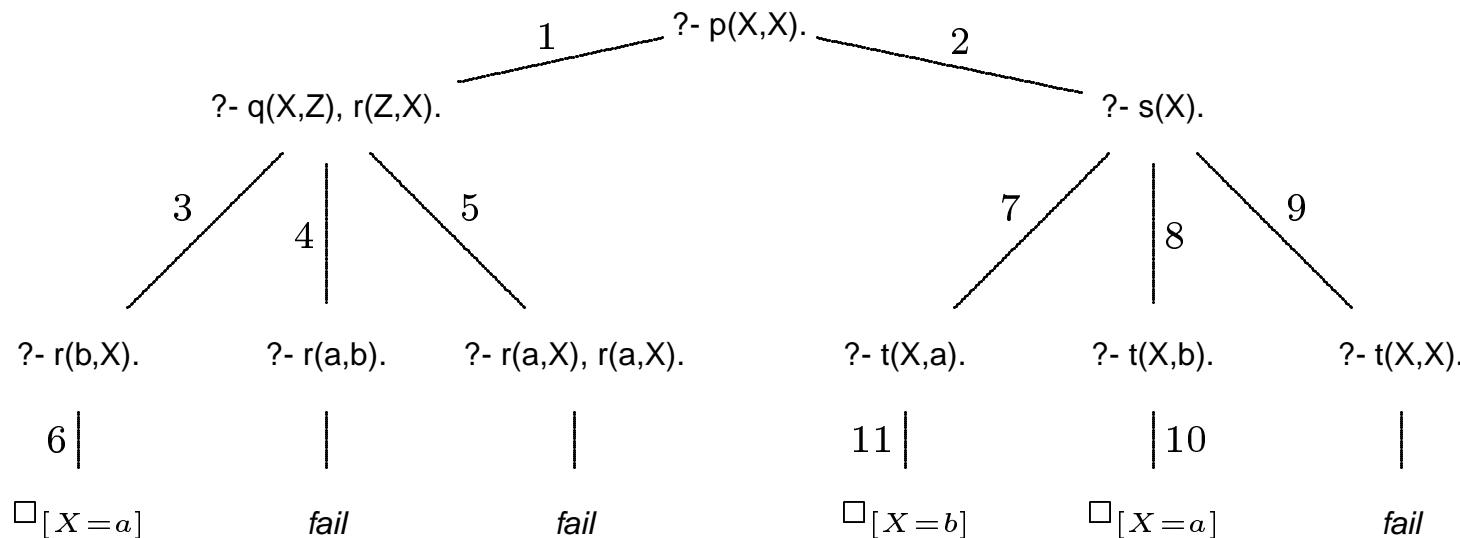
- a goal: ?- date(29,'January',2001).

Explicit unification: = operator

Ex.: X=Y, f(g(a,X))=f(Y)

SLD-tree for a Prolog program

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|--------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. $p(X,Y) :- q(X,Z), r(Z,Y).$ | 5. $q(X,a) :- r(a,X).$ | 9. $s(X) :- t(X,X).$ |
| 2. $p(X,X) :- s(X).$ | 6. $r(b,a).$ | 10. $t(a,b).$ |
| 3. $q(X,b).$ | 7. $s(X) :- t(X,a).$ | 11. $t(b,a).$ |
| 4. $q(b,a).$ | 8. $s(X) :- t(X,b).$ | ?- $p(X,X).$ |



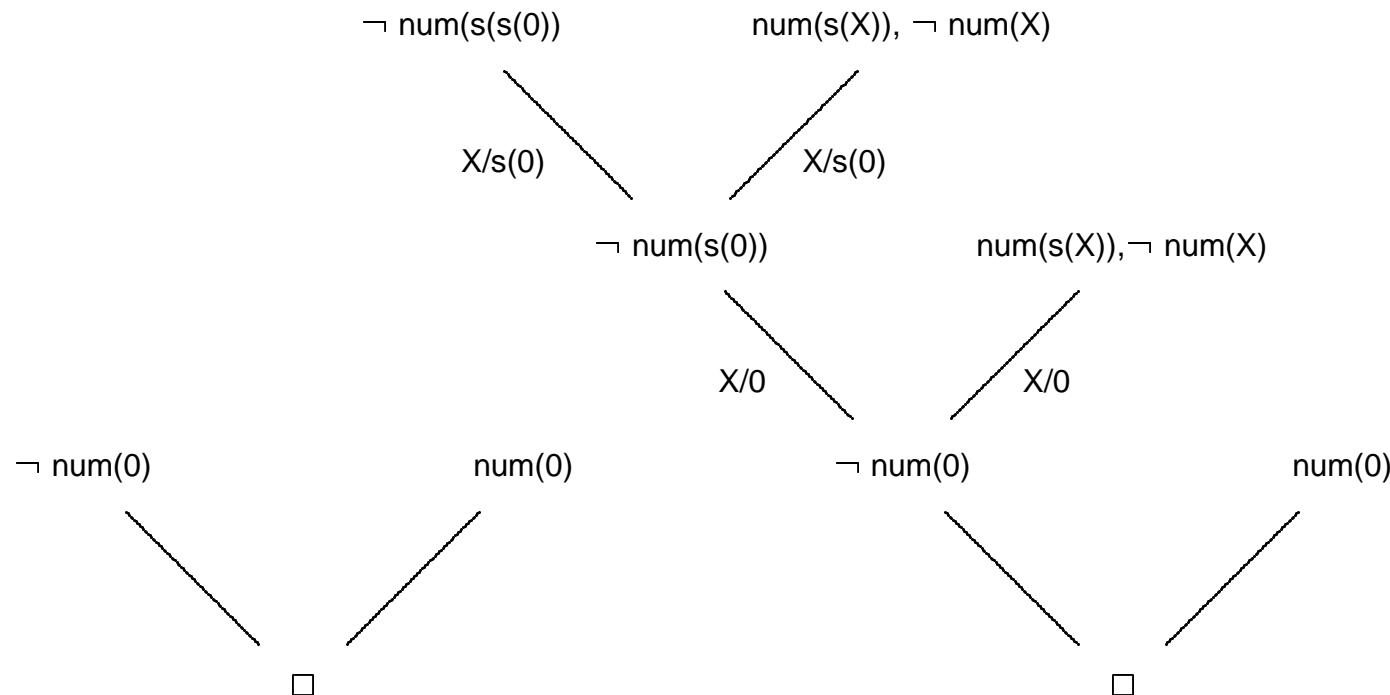
SLD-resolution for a Prolog program

Ex.:

$$\text{num}(0).$$

$$\text{num}(\text{s}(X)) : - \text{num}(X).$$

$$? - \text{num}(0).$$

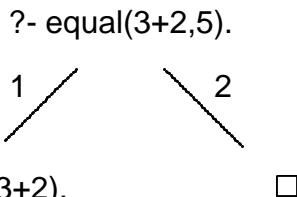
$$? - \text{num}(\text{s}(\text{s}(0))).$$


Example: Incompleteness

1. `equal(X,Y) :- equal(Y,X).`

2. `equal(3+2,5).`

`?- equal(3+2,5).`



`?- equal(3+2,5).`



`?- equal(5,3+2).`



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List

- recursive data structure, ordered
- functor `.` / 2; prázdný seznam `[]`
- `.(Head, Tail)`, the notation used: `[Head | Tail]`, `Tail` is a list

`.(a, [])`

`[a]`

`[a | []]`

`.(a, .(b, .(c, [])))`

`[a, b, c]`

`[a, b | [c]]`

`[a | [b, c]]`

`[a, b, c | []]`

`[a | [b, c | []]]`

`[a | [b | [c | []]]]`

- can be represented as a tree

member/2 I

1) unification:

```
member(X, [X|_]).  
member(X, [_|T]) :- member(X, T).
```

```
?- member(a, [b,c,a]).
```

```
yes
```

```
?- member(a, [x,b,c]).
```

```
X=a
```

```
yes
```

member/2 II

2) identity:

```
member(X,[Y|_]) :- X == Y.  
member(X,[_|T]) :- member(X,T).  
?- member(a,[X,b,c]). % No  
?- member(a,[a,b,a]),write(ok),nl,fail.
```

ok

ok

No

3) without a multiple occurence:

```
member(X,[Y|_]) :- X == Y.  
member(X,[Y|T]) :- X \== Y, member(X,T).  
?- member(a,[a,b,a]),write(ok),nl,fail.  
ok  
No
```

Example: Append two lists

```
append( [ ] ,L ,L) .
```

```
append( [ H | T1 ] ,L2 , [ H | T ] ):- append( T1 ,L2 ,T) .
```

```
?- append( [ a ,b ] , [ c ,d ] ,L) .
```

```
L = [ a , b , c , d]
```

Yes

```
?- append( X , [ c ,d ] , [ a ,b ,c ,d ] ) .
```

```
X = [ a , b ]
```

Yes

```
?- append( X ,Y , [ a ,b ,c ] ) .
```

```
X = [ ] Y = [ a , b , c ] ;
```

```
X = [ a ] Y = [ b , c ] ;
```

```
X = [ a , b ] Y = [ c ] ;
```

```
X = [ a , b , c ] Y = [ ] ;
```

No

reverse/2

```
reverse( [ ] , [ ] ) .  
reverse( [ H | T ] , L ) :- reverse( T , L1 ) , append( L1 , [ H ] , L ) .
```

```
?- reverse( [ a , b , c ] , L ) .
```

```
L = [ c , b , a ]
```

```
Yes
```

```
?- reverse( [ a , b , c ] , [ c , b , a ] ) .
```

```
Yes
```

```
?- reverse( L , [ a , b , c ] ) .
```

```
L = [ c , b , a ]
```

```
Yes
```

```
delete, permutation, prefix, postfix, sublist ...
```

Sort

0) naive sort: generate and test

```
naive_sort(L,S) :- perm(L,S), sorted(S).
```

```
sorted([]).
```

```
sorted([_]).
```

```
sorted([X,Y|T]) :- X=<Y, sorted([Y|T]).
```

1) insertion sort

```
insert(X,[],[X]).
```

```
insert(X,[Y|T1],[Y|T2]) :- X>Y, insert(X,T1,T2).
```

```
insert(X,[Y|T1],[X,Y|T1]) :- X=<Y.
```

```
isort([],[]).
```

```
isort([X|L],S) :- isort(L,Y), insert(X,Y,S).
```

Example: Quick sort

divide et concera

```
qsort([ ], [ ]).
qsort([ H ], [ H ]).
qsort([ H | T ], L) :-  
    divide(H, T, M, V),  
    qsort(M, M1),  
    qsort(V, V1),  
    append(M1, [ H | V1 ], L).
```

```
divide(_, [ ], [ ], [ ]).
divide(H, [ K | T ], [ K | M ], V) :- K=<H, divide(H, T, M, V).
divide(H, [ K | T ], M, [ K | V ]) :- K>H, divide(H, T, M, V).
```

Arithmetics

- + - * / mod ...

- is

```
?- A is 3*(4+2).
```

A=18

Yes

```
?- A is 3*(B+2).
```

Error

- < > >= =<

```
?- 3*4 > 2.
```

Yes

```
?- B =< 14.
```

Error

Example: symbolic derivation

```
d(x, 1).  
d(N, 0)          :- number(N).  
d(-X, -A)        :- d(X,A).  
d(X + Y, A + B)  :- d(X,A), d(Y,B).  
d(X - Y, A - B)  :- d(X,A), d(Y,B).  
d(X * Y, A*Y + B*X) :- d(X,A), d(Y,B).  
d(X / Y, (A*Y - X*B) / Y^2) :- d(X,A), d(Y,B).  
d(X ^ N, N*X^M * C) :- number(N), M is N-1, d(X,C).  
d(F^G, F^G*(B*log(F) + A*G/F)) :- d(G,B), d(F,A).  
d(log(X), 1/X * Y) :- d(X,Y).  
d(exp(X), exp(X)*Y) :- d(X,Y).  
d(sin(X), cos(X)*Y) :- d(X,Y).  
d(cos(X), -sin(X)*Y) :- d(X,Y).  
d(arctg(X), 1/(1+X^2)*Y) :- d(X,Y).
```

Programming in Prolog

- load-consult a program:

```
consult('program.pl').  
['program.pl'].  
['program.pl',program2].  
reconsult(program).
```

- printa the program:

```
listing.
```

- finish:

```
halt.
```

Prolog at FI

- SICStus Prolog (module add sicstus; sicstus)
- SWI Prolog <http://www.swi-prolog.org/> – free
- yap <http://www.dcc.fc.up.pt/~vsc/Yap/> – free
- MS-Windows: SWI, yap, sicstus