

# SCL(T): Simple Clause Learning modulo Theories

## Input:

- Set of clauses:  $N = \{ C_1: x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee Q(x), C_2: u \leq v \parallel \neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(u) \}$

## State:

- Set of constants:  $B = \{a, b\}$
- Ground partial model assumption (Trail):  $M = P(a, b)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq b,$
- Conflict:  $(M; C_i \cdot \sigma)$
- Learned Clauses (not ground!):  $U = \{ C_4: x \geq y \wedge x \leq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \}$

## Techniques:

- Model assumption build via Decisions & Propagations
- Conflicts resolved via Hierarchic Resolution
- Conflicting models blocked via learned clauses

## Results:

- Derive empty clause
- $M$  corresponds to valid interpretation
- Need more constants

## SCL(T) Example

$$B = \{a\}$$

$$N = \{C_1: x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee Q(x), \quad C_2: u \leq v \parallel \neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(u) \}$$

$$U = \{ \}$$

$\Rightarrow_{\text{Decide}_{SCL(T)}}$

$$P(a, a)^1,$$

$$P(x, y)\{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\} \Rightarrow P(a, a)$$

### Decide:

$$M \Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} M, L \sigma^{k+1}, \Lambda \sigma$$

Provided:

- $|L| \in \text{atoms}(N \cup U)$ ,
- $|K| \in \text{atoms}(N \cup U)$  for all  $|K| \in \Lambda$ ,
- $\sigma$  is grounding over  $B$ ,
- $L\sigma$  is undefined in  $M$ ,
- $k$  decisions in  $M$ ,
- $\Lambda \sigma$  is satisfiable (**T**) under  $M$ , i.e.  $\models_T \text{adiff}(B) \wedge M \wedge \Lambda \sigma$

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$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}$  *Decide*

$$P(a, a)^1,$$

$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}$  *Propagate*

$$P(a, a)^1, \quad Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, \quad a \geq a,$$

$$C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}:$$

$$a \geq a \parallel \neg P(a, a) \vee Q(a)$$

$\top$                        $\perp$                        $?$

## Propagate:

$$M \Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} M, L \sigma^{\Lambda \parallel C}, \Lambda \sigma$$

Provided:

- Theory constraint is satisfiable ( $\top$ ) under  $M$ , i.e.,  

$$\models_T \text{adiff}(B) \wedge M \wedge \Lambda \sigma$$
- One foreground literal  $L\sigma$  is undefined ( $?$ ) in  $M$
- All other foreground literals are false ( $\perp$ ) under  $M$

# SCL(T) Example

$$B = \{a\}$$

$$N = \{C_1: x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee Q(x), \boxed{C_2: u \leq v \parallel \neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(u)}\}$$

$$U = \{\}$$

$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Decide}$

$$P(a, a)^1,$$

$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Propagate}$

$$\boxed{P(a, a)^1}, \boxed{Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}}, \boxed{a \geq a},$$

$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Conflict}$

$$(P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a; C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$C_2 \cdot \{u \mapsto a, v \mapsto a\}:$$

$$a \leq a \parallel \neg P(a, a) \vee \neg Q(a)$$

$\top$

$\perp$

$\perp$

**Conflict:**

$$M \Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} (M; \Lambda \parallel C \cdot \sigma)$$

Provided:

- Theory constraint is satisfiable ( $\top$ ) under  $M$ , i.e.,  
 $\models_T \text{adiff}(B) \wedge M \wedge \Lambda \sigma$
- All foreground literals are false ( $\perp$ ) under  $M$

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$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Decide} \quad P(a, a)^1,$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Propagate} \quad P(a, a)^1, \quad Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, \quad a \geq a,$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Conflict} \quad (P(a, a)^1, \quad Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, \quad \boxed{a \geq a}, \quad C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} \quad (P(a, a)^1, \quad Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; \quad C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\overbrace{u \leq v \parallel \neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(u)}^{C_2} \cdot \overbrace{\{u \mapsto a, v \mapsto a\}}^{\sigma}$$

**Skip:**  $(M, L; \Lambda \parallel C \cdot \sigma)$   
 $\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} (M; \Lambda \parallel C \cdot \sigma)$

Provided:

- $|L|$  does not appear in  $C \cdot \sigma$

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$$\eta = mgu(Q(x), Q(u)) = \{u \mapsto x\}$$

$$x \leq v \wedge x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee \neg P(x, v) \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a, v \mapsto a\}$$

$$C_3 = (\Lambda \wedge \Lambda' \parallel D \vee D')\eta$$

$$\sigma' = \sigma\rho$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Resolve} (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, C_3 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\begin{array}{c} C_2 \\ \underbrace{u \leq v \parallel \neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(u)} \\ \oplus \\ \underbrace{x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee Q(x)} \\ C_1 \end{array} \cdot \underbrace{\{u \mapsto a, v \mapsto a\}}_{\sigma} \cdot \underbrace{\{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}_{\rho}$$

$$\text{Resolve: } (M, L' \rho^{C' \cdot \rho}; \Lambda \parallel C \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} (M, L' \rho^{C' \cdot \rho}; \Lambda^* \parallel D^* \cdot \sigma\rho)$$

Provided:

- $C' \rho = \Lambda' \rho \parallel D' \rho \vee L' \rho$
- $C \sigma = D \sigma \vee L \sigma$
- $L' \rho = comp(L \sigma)$
- $\eta = mgu(L', comp(L))$
- $\Lambda^* \parallel D^* = (\Lambda \wedge \Lambda' \parallel D \vee D') \eta$

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$$\Rightarrow a \leq a \wedge a \geq a \parallel \neg P(a, a) \vee \neg P(a, a)$$

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$$\underbrace{x \leq y \wedge x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y)}_{C_4} \cdot \underbrace{\{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a, v \mapsto a\}}_{\sigma'}$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Resolve} (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_3 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Factorize} (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_4 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \overbrace{x \leq v \wedge x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee \neg P(x, v)}^{C_3} \\ & \quad \cdot \underbrace{\{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a, v \mapsto a\}}_{\sigma'} \\ \Rightarrow & a \leq a \wedge a \geq a \parallel \neg P(a, a) \vee \neg P(a, a) \end{aligned}$$

**Factorize:**  $(M; \Lambda \parallel C \vee L \vee L' \cdot \sigma)$   
 $\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} (M; (\Lambda \parallel C \vee L)\eta \cdot \sigma)$

Provided:

- $L\sigma = L'\sigma$
- $\eta = mgu(L, L')$



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$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Propagate} \quad P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, \quad a \geq a,$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Conflict} \quad (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a; C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

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$$\Rightarrow a \leq a \wedge a \geq a \parallel \neg P(a, a)$$

**Factorize:**  $(M; \Lambda \parallel C \vee L \vee L' \cdot \sigma)$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} (M; (\Lambda \parallel C \vee L) \eta \cdot \sigma)$$

Provided:

- $L\sigma = L'\sigma$
- $\eta = mgu(L, L')$

$$B = \{a\}$$

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$$U = \{ \}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Decide} && P(a, a)^1, \\ &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Propagate} && P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a, \\ &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Conflict} && (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a; C_2 \cdot \sigma) \\ &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} && (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_2 \cdot \sigma) \\ &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Resolve} && (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_3 \cdot \sigma') \\ &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Factorize} && (P(a, a)^1, \boxed{Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}}; C_4 \cdot \sigma') \\ &\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} && (P(a, a)^1; C_4 \cdot \sigma') \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\overbrace{x \leq y \wedge x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y)}^{C_4} \cdot \overbrace{\{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}^{\sigma'} \\ &\Rightarrow a \leq a \wedge a \geq a \parallel \neg P(a, a) \end{aligned}$$

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$$U = \{ \} C_4: x \geq y \wedge x \leq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \}$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Decide} P(a, a)^1,$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Propagate} P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a,$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Conflict} (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a; C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

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$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} (P(a, a)^1; C_4 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Backtrack} \neg P(a, a)^{C_4 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a, a \leq a$$

$$\overbrace{x \leq y \wedge x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y)}^{C_4} \cdot \overbrace{\{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}^{\sigma'}$$

**Backtrack:**  $(M, K^{i+1}, M'; C \cdot \sigma)$   
 $\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)} M, L^{C \cdot \sigma}, \Lambda$

Provided:

- $C\sigma = \Lambda \parallel D \vee L$
- $L$  is of level  $k > i$ , and  $D$  is of level  $i$
- $U := U \cup \{C\}$

$$B = \{a\}$$

## SCL(T) Example

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$$U = \{ \quad C_4: x \geq y \wedge x \leq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \quad \}$$

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$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Propagate} \quad P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, \quad a \geq a,$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Conflict} \quad (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, a \geq a; C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} \quad (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_2 \cdot \sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Resolve} \quad (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_3 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Factorize} \quad (P(a, a)^1, Q(a)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}; C_4 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Skip} \quad (P(a, a)^1; C_4 \cdot \sigma')$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Backtrack} \quad \neg P(a, a)^{C_4 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto a\}}, \quad a \geq a, \quad a \leq a$$

$$\Rightarrow_{SCL(T)}^{Decide} \quad \dots, Q(a)^1$$

$$B = \{a, b, c\}$$

## SCL(T) Example 2

$$N = \{C_1: x \geq y \parallel \neg P(x, y) \vee Q(x), C_2: u \leq v \parallel \neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(u), C_3: x \neq y \parallel P(x, y)\}$$

$$U = \{\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow_{\text{Propagate SCL(T)}} P(a, b)^{C_3 \cdot \{x \mapsto a, y \mapsto b\}}, a \neq b, \\ &\Rightarrow_{\text{Propagate SCL(T)}} \dots, P(b, c)^{C_3 \cdot \{x \mapsto b, y \mapsto c\}}, b \neq c, \\ &\Rightarrow_{\text{Propagate SCL(T)}} \dots, Q(b)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto b, y \mapsto a\}}, b \geq a \\ &\Rightarrow_{\text{Conflict SCL(T)}} (\dots, Q(b)^{C_1 \cdot \{x \mapsto b, y \mapsto a\}}; C_2 \cdot \sigma) \\ &\Rightarrow_{\text{Resolve SCL(T)}}^* (\emptyset; C_4 \cdot \sigma) \end{aligned}$$

$$\overbrace{x \neq y, x \neq v, x \geq y, x \leq v \parallel \perp}^{C_4} \cdot \underbrace{\{x \mapsto b, y \mapsto a, v \mapsto c\}}_{\sigma}$$

$$b \neq a, b \neq c, b \geq a, b \leq c \parallel \perp$$

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