

Invariants maintained

1.  $\text{root}(\text{root}(e)) = \text{root}(e)$   
 (the root of a class belongs to the class)  
 (Define  $\text{class}(e) = \{e' \mid \text{root}(e') = \text{root}(e)\}$ )
2.  $(p, d) \in \text{undoStack}$  then  $d$  is a proof of  $p$
3.  $\text{root}(a) \equiv \text{root}(b)$  iff
  - $a \equiv b$  or
  - exist  $a_1, \dots, a_{n+1}$  such that
    - $a \equiv a_1$ ,  $b \equiv a_{n+1}$
    - for all  $i = 1..n$  either
      - $(a_i \neq a_{i+1}, \dots) \in \text{undoStack}$
      - or
      - $(a_{i+1} = a_i, \dots) \in \text{undoStack}$
4.  $a \in \text{parents}(\text{root}(b))$  iff exists  $e \in \text{class}(b)$   
 $a \equiv f(\dots, e, \dots)$
5.  $\text{class}(a) \cap \text{forbid}(\text{root}(b)) \neq \emptyset$  iff exist  $a' \in \text{class}(a)$   
 $b' \in \text{class}(b)$   
 $(a' \neq b', \dots) \in \text{undoStack}$

Notes

- we only keep parents, forbid for representatives
- 3 says that classes are not too big
- 5 says that forbid are not too big

### 7.3. THE DECISION PROCEDURES

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merge(a : node, b : node, eqab : proof) =                               /*eqab is a proof of a = b */
if root(a) ≠ root(b) then
  if class(a) ∩ forbid(root(b)) ≠ ∅ then
    raise Contradiction(mkEqContra(a, b, eqab))
  else if class(b) ∩ forbid(root(a)) ≠ ∅ then
    raise Contradiction(mkEqContra(b, a, eqsym(eqab)))
  else
    undoStack = Stack.push(undoStack, (a = b, eqab))
    forbid(root(b)) = forbid(root(b)) ∪ forbid(root(a))
    pa = parents(root(a))
    pb = parents(root(b))
    parents(root(b)) = pa ∪ pb
    foreach a' ∈ class(a)
      root(a') = root(b)
    return {(a = b, eqab)} ∪ checkCongr(pa, pb)

checkCongr(pa : node set, pb : node set) : (pred * proof) set =
  accum = ∅
  foreach a ∈ pa, b ∈ pb
    if head(a) = head(b) ∧ nrarg(a) = nrarg(b) = n ∧ root(argi(a)) = root(argi(b))
      eqab = congr(head(a), prfEq(arg1(a), arg1(b)), ..., prfEq(argn(a), argn(b)))
      accum = accum ∪ merge(a, b, eqab)
  return accum

forbidMerge(a : node, b : node, neqab : proof) =
  if root(a) = root(b) then
    raise Contradiction(falsei(prfEq(a, b), neqab))
  else
    undoStack = Stack.push(undoStack, (a ≠ b, neqab))
    forbid(root(b)) = forbid(root(b)) ∪ {a}

prfEq(a : node, b : node) =
  let a1, ..., an+1 as in the invariant CC3
  pf'i = { pfi           if (ai = ai+1, pfi) ∈ undoStack
          eqsym(pfi)   if (ai+1 = ai, pfi) ∈ undoStack
  return eqtr(pf'1, eqtr(pf'2, ..., eqtr(pf'n-1, pf'n)...))

mkEqContra(a, b, eqab) =                                             /* class(a) ∩ forbid(root(b)) ≠ ∅ */
  let a' ∈ class(a), b' ∈ class(b) such that (a' ≠ b', neqab) ∈ undoStack
  return falsei(eqtr(prfEq(a', a), eqtr(eqab, prfEq(b, b'))), neqab)

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Figure 7.9: The main algorithms defining the congruence closure decision procedure.



- reprise of congruence closure from last time

## Complexity of the algorithm

- $n$  nodes,  $m$  edges  $n = O(m)$
- there are  $O(n)$  calls to merge
- union operations are constant time
- re-rooting total cost is  $O(n \log n)$  if we reroot the smaller class always
- dominating cost is of checkCongr
  - how many times is the "if" statement in checkCongr executed
  - for a pair of nodes with outdegree  $k$  they are checked for congruence at most  $2k$  times (when their successors are merged)

$$\sum n_k^2 \cdot 4k^2 \leq \left( \sum 2n_k \cdot k \right)^2 = 4 \cdot (2m)^2 = O(m^2)$$

- Complexity of algorithm is  $O(m^2)$

- We can do better

Tarjan, Sethi, Downey "Variations on the Common Subexp. Problem"

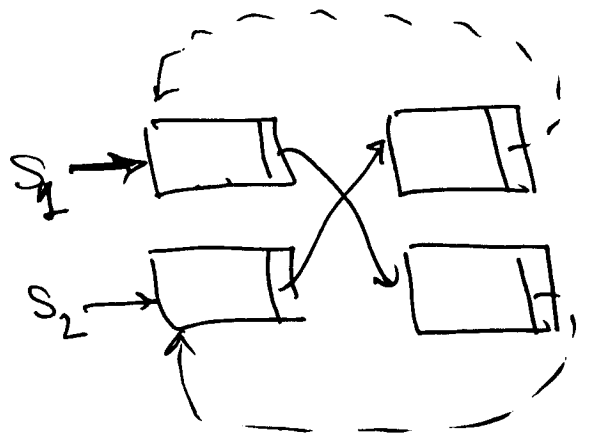
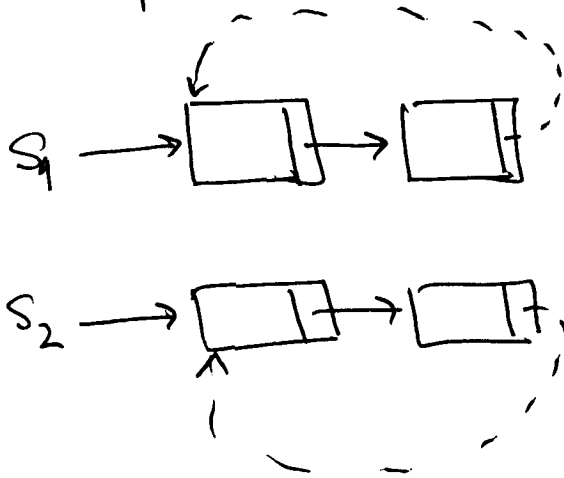
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$$\rightarrow O(m \log m)$$

# One more things

- We need to be able to undo
  - rerooting operation
  - union of sets (class, parents, forbid)
- We keep track on undoStack of all invocations of merge.
- To undo a set union

Represent set as a circular list



Union

$t = S_1 \rightarrow \text{next}$   
 $S_1 \rightarrow \text{next} = S_2 \rightarrow \text{next}$   
 $S_2 \rightarrow \text{next} = \text{~~S_1~~ next}$

undo  
↙  
Some operation

# Extending congruence closure to a sat proc for other simple theories

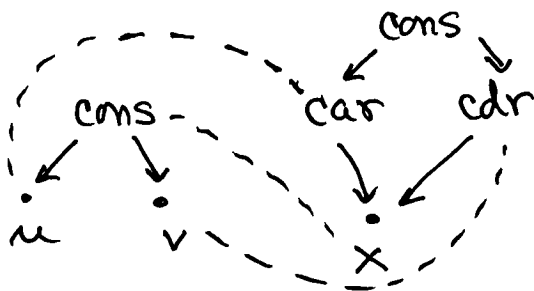
- Consider the theory with  $\text{car}$ ,  $\text{cdr}$ ,  $\text{cons}$  and axioms (LISP structures, with no atoms)

$$Ax: \begin{cases} \forall x, y & \text{car}(\text{cons}(x, y)) = x \\ \forall x, y & \text{cdr}(\text{cons}(x, y)) = y \end{cases}$$

- And the unsatisfiable formula

$$x = \text{cons}(u, v) \wedge \text{cons}(\text{car}(x), \text{cdr}(x)) \neq x$$

- Represent the terms in the E-DAG



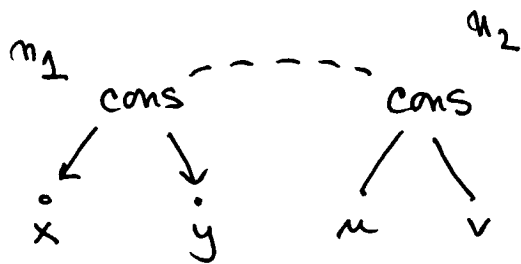
- Close with respect to equality + Ax (whenever you find nodes that  $Eg + Ax$  say should be equal, make them equal)

- add  $x = \text{cons}(u, v)$
- use  $Ax_1$  :  $\text{car}(x) = u$
- use  $Ax_2$  :  $\text{cdr}(x) = v$
- use congruence :  $\text{cons}(u, v) = \text{cons}(\text{car}(x), \text{cdr}(x))$

- now check disequalities ~~contra~~  $\Rightarrow$  contradiction  
SEEMS TO WORK

Does this algorithm really work? Almost

- the algorithm discovers only necessary equalities
  - whenever an equality is discovered, it is satisfied in all interpretations that satisfy the formula  $F$ ,  $Eg$  and  $Ax$
  - whenever the algorithm says UNSAT the formula is UNSAT
  - the algorithm is sound for use as a unsat procedure (as we need)
- the algorithm does not discover all implied equalities
  - consider  $F = cons(x, y) = cons(u, v) \wedge x \neq u$



and notice that  $x^* \neq u^*$   
hence report satisfiability

• but take any interpretation  $\Psi$  that satisfies  $F$ ,  $Eg$  and  $Ax$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(car)(n_1) &= \Psi(x) \\ n_1 = n_2 \parallel & \quad \parallel \\ \Psi(car)(n_2) &= \Psi(u) \end{aligned} \implies \Psi \text{ cannot satisfy } x \neq u$$

• The algorithm is incomplete. May fail to ~~prove true things~~ report unsatisfiability (6)

Problem if  $x = \text{cons}(u, v) = \text{cons}(y, z)$   
and  $\psi(u), \psi(y)$  are defined and distinct

We cannot ~~give a~~ define

$\psi'$  on  $\text{car}(x)$  as an extension  
of  $\psi$  !

## Solutions

1). Extend the axioms with

$$\forall x y u v \quad \text{cons}(x, y) = \text{cons}(u, v) \Rightarrow x = u \wedge y = v$$

- Now you can check that local extension works

2) Require that whenever  $\text{cons}(x, y)$  is represented then  $\text{car}(\text{cons}(x, y))$  and  $\text{cdr}(\text{cons}(x, y))$  are

also represented

(Idea: DAG didn't have enough nodes to allow the closure to discover all equalities)

- Now you can check that all local extensions of  $\psi(\text{car})$ ,  $\psi(\text{cdr})$  and  $\psi(\text{cons})$  work
- We define the universe inductively  
 $U$  is the smallest such that
  - $\text{terms}(F) \subseteq U$
  - $n \in U \Rightarrow \text{car}(n) \in U$

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How do we fix the algorithm

- Identify the problem.
  - an E-DAG  $G$  determines a canonical partial interpretation  $\Psi_G$
  - $\Psi_G$  is only defined on terms that are represented in the DAG
  - if the DAG is closed under  $E_2 + A_x$  then it satisfies the axioms (when it is defined)
  - Question : can we extend  $\Psi_G$  to a total interpretation?
    - If yes then whenever we finish computing the closure with no contradictions; there exists an interpretation  $\Psi \rightarrow$  we have satisfiability
- (extending a partial function means to define it on more points)
- Idea : verify that all local extensions are possible
    - pick  $n = \text{car } x$  such that  $\Psi(x)$  is defined but  $\Psi(\text{car})(\Psi(x))$  is not

