# Computing Inconsistency Measurements under Multi-Valued Semantics by Partial Max-SAT Solvers

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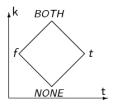


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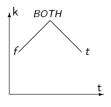


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$$I \models_{Q} \alpha \vee \beta,$$

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## Road Map

- 1 Multi-valued semantics  $\Rightarrow$  2-valued semantics.
- 2 Represent  $ID_i$  by 2-valued semantics.
- 3  $ID_i \Rightarrow partial Max-SAT problem$ .

$$K = \{\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_n\} 
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#### Example

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- $\rightarrow ID_4(K) = 1/3$

### **Algorithm 1** Computing $ID_4$ by Partial MAX-SAT Solver

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1: procedure ID_4(K)
        P \leftarrow \{\}
 2:
 3:
     m \leftarrow |Var(K)|
        for all Clause \gamma \in K do
 4:
             P.addHardClause(4(\gamma))
 5:
 6:
        end for
        for all Variable p \in Var(K) do
 7:
             P.addSoftClause(\neg + p \lor \neg - p)
 8.
        end for
 9.
        I \leftarrow \mathsf{PartialMaxSATSolver}(P)
10:
        b = |\{p| + p' = t \land -p' = t\}|
11:
        return b/m
12:
13: end procedure
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$$Q(I_1 \vee \ldots \vee I_n) = \bigvee_{i=1}^n (+I_i \wedge \neg - I_i) \vee \bigwedge_{i=1}^n (+I_i \wedge - I_i)$$
[?]

2 Represent  $ID_Q$  by 2-valued semantics.

$$ID_Q(K) = \min_{I \models Q(K)} ID_Q(K, I)$$
.

3  $ID_Q \Rightarrow$  partial Max-SAT problem.

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Solution: Introduce new variables and convert it to CNF

### **Algorithm 2** Computing $ID_Q$ by Partial Max-SAT Solver

```
1: procedure ID_{\mathcal{O}}(K)
       P \leftarrow \{\}
 3:
      m \leftarrow |Var(K)|
      for all Clause \gamma = \{l_1, \dots, l_n\} \in K do
 4:
             P.addHardClause(y_1 \lor ... \lor v_n \lor z)
 5:
 6:
             for i = 1 to n do
 7:
                 P.addHardClause(\neg v_i \lor +l_i)
                 P.addHardClause(\neg y_i \lor \neg - I_i)
 8:
                 P.addHardClause(\neg z \lor +l_i)
 9:
                 P.addHardClause(\neg z \lor -l_i)
10:
             end for
11:
        end for
12:
13:
        for all p \in Var(K) do
             P.addSoftClause(\neg + p \lor \neg - p)
14:
        end for
15:
      I \leftarrow PartialMaxSATSolver(P)
16:
      b = |\{p \mid +p' = t \land -p' = t\}|
17:
18:
         return b/m
19: end procedure
```

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  - Clone

I	Encoding Algorithm					
name	#V	#C	$ID_4$	sat4j	MsUncore	clone
uuf50-0101	50	218	0.02000	0.396	0.026	1.119
uuf50-0102	50	218	0.02000	0.398	0.020	1.121
uuf50-0103	50	218	0.02000	0.450	0.044	1.142
uuf50-0104	50	218	0.02000	0.397	0.027	1.279
uuf75-011	75	325	0.01330	0.496	0.031	1.379
uuf75-012	75	325	0.01330	0.447	0.030	1.355
uuf75-013	75	325	0.01330	0.443	0.033	1.333
uuf75-014	75	325	0.01333	0.494	0.029	1.372
uuf100-0101	100	430	0.01000	0.545	0.045	1.748
uuf100-0102	100	430	0.01000	0.918	0.053	2.088
uuf100-0103	100	430	0.02000	3.951	2.592	*
C168_FW_SZ_107	1698	5401	0.00059	0.698	0.120	*
C168_FW_SZ_128	1698	5422	0.00059	0.601	0.090	13.191
C168_FW_SZ_41	1698	7489	0.00059	0.849	0.085	11.939

Table: Computing ID<sub>4</sub> by Encoding Algorithm

In	Encoding Algorithm					
name	#V	#C	$ID_Q$	sat4j	MSUnCore	clone
uuf50-0101	50	218	1.000	0.445	*	0.428
uuf50-0102	50	218	1.000	0.444	*	0.446
uuf50-0103	50	218	1.000	0.449	*	0.246
uuf50-0104	50	218	1.000	0.494	*	0.433
uuf75-011	75	325	1.000	0.544	*	0.434
uuf75-012	75	325	1.000	0.548	*	0.435
uuf75-013	75	325	1.000	0.455	*	1.338
uuf75-014	75	325	1.000	0.646	*	0.437
uuf100-0101	100	430	1.000	0.709	*	0.478
uuf100-0102	100	430	1.000	0.803	*	0.438
uuf100-0103	100	430	1.000	0.749	*	0.445
C168_FW_SZ_107	1698	5401	0.124	9.269	*	1.487
C168_FW_SZ_128	1698	5422	0.107	9.916	*	0.792
C168_FW_SZ_41	1698	7489	0.117	13.627	*	0.738

Table: Computing  $ID_Q$  by Encoding Algorithm

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#### Future Work:

- approximating inconsistency degrees
- Other encoding: Pseudo Problem for IDQ
- Measure inconsistent Description Logic and Logic Program.

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