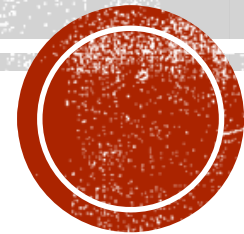


# CSPs TUTORIAL VOL. 2

CSPs Algorithms



# EXAMPE MODEL & CONSTRAINTS

- Variables:  $V_1, V_2, \dots, V_{10}$
- Domains:  $D_1 - D_{10} = \{1, 2, 3\}$
- Constraints:
  - $V_1 = V_4$
  - $V_4 > V_7$
  - $V_7 = V_{10} + 1$
- A possible solution is  $[3, 1, 1, 3, 1, 1, 2, 1, 1, 1]$



# SEARCH ALGORITHMS FOR CSPs

- BT (Back Tracking)
- BJ (Back Jumping)
- FC (Forward Checking), FC+MRV (FC + Minimum-Remaining Values)
- CBJ (Conflict-based Back Jumping)



# BT ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

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$$V6 =$$

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## CONSTRAINTS

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After some steps, we are back in V4...



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  - Path inconsistency  
(Variables served  $V_1, V_2, \dots, V_{10}$ , so maybe there is such a  $V_i = a$ , which is consistent with  $V_j = b$ , but maybe there is no value of  $V_k$ , which would be consistent with  $V_i = a$  &&  $V_j = b$  ( $k > j > i$ ) e.g.  $V_4 = 2$  &&  $V_7 = 1 \rightarrow V_{10} \neq 1, 2, 3$ )



# BJ ALGORITHM

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## CONFLICTS SETS

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CONSTRAINTS
$V1 = V4$
$V4 > V7$
$V7 = V10 + 1$

! Use CS7 and back-jump to V4



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! Use CS4 and back-jump to V1

CONSTRAINTS
$V1 = V4$
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$$CS4 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{V4\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 1$$

$$V7 = 1$$

$$V8 = 1$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{V4\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 1$$

$$V7 = 1$$

$$V8 = 1$$

$$V9 = 1$$

$$V10 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{V4\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 1$$

$$V7 = 1$$

$$V8 = 1$$

$$V9 = 1$$

$$V10 = 1$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{V4\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{V7\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$





# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$V1 = 2$

$V2 = 1$

$V3 = 1$

$V4 = 2$

$V5 = 1$

$V6 = 1$

$V7 = 1$

$V8 = 1$

$V9 = 1$

$V10 = 2$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$CS1 = \{\}$

$CS2 = \{\}$

$CS3 = \{\}$

$CS4 = \{V1\}$

$CS5 = \{\}$

$CS6 = \{\}$

$CS7 = \{V4\}$

$CS8 = \{\}$

$CS9 = \{\}$

$CS10 = \{V7\}$

## CONSTRAINTS

$V1 = V4$

$V4 > V7$

$V7 = V10 + 1$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$V1 = 2$

$V2 = 1$

$V3 = 1$

$V4 = 2$

$V5 = 1$

$V6 = 1$

$V7 = 1$

$V8 = 1$

$V9 = 1$

$V10 = 3$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$CS1 = \{\}$

$CS2 = \{\}$

$CS3 = \{\}$

$CS4 = \{V1\}$

$CS5 = \{\}$

$CS6 = \{\}$

$CS7 = \{V4\}$

$CS8 = \{\}$

$CS9 = \{\}$

$CS10 = \{V7\}$

! Use CS10 and back-jump to V7

## CONSTRAINTS

$V1 = V4$

$V4 > V7$

$V7 = V10 + 1$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 1$$

$$V7 = 2$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{V4\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 1$$

$$V7 = 3$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{V4\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$V1 = 2$

$V2 = 1$

$V3 = 1$

$V4 = 3$

$V5 =$

$V6 =$

$V7 =$

$V8 =$

$V9 =$

$V10 =$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$CS1 = \{\}$

$CS2 = \{\}$

$CS3 = \{\}$

$CS4 = \{V1\}$

$CS5 = \{\}$

$CS6 = \{\}$

$CS7 = \{\}$

$CS8 = \{\}$

$CS9 = \{\}$

$CS10 = \{\}$

## CONSTRAINTS

$V1 = V4$

$V4 > V7$

$V7 = V10 + 1$



# BJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 3$$

$$V2 =$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

$$CS7 = \{\}$$

$$CS8 = \{\}$$

$$CS9 = \{\}$$

$$CS10 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# BJ ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments?



# BJ ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments? **Many! Less than BT...**
- Why?

Backjumping (BJ) is different from BT in the following:

When BJ reaches a dead-end it does not backtrack to the immediately preceding variables. It backtracks to the deepest variable in the search tree which is in conflict with the current variable.





# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

V1 =

V2 =

V3 =

V4 =

V5 =

V6 =

V7 =

V8 =

V9 =

V10 =

## DOMAINS

D1 = {1,2,3}

D2 = {1,2,3}

D3 = {1,2,3}

D4 = {1,2,3}

D5 = {1,2,3}

D6 = {1,2,3}

D7 = {1,2,3}

D8 = {1,2,3}

D9 = {1,2,3}

D10 = {1,2,3}

## CONSTRAINTS

V1 = V4

V4 > V7

V7 = V10 + 1



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 =$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{1\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{1\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{1\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
$V1 = 1$
$V2 = 1$
$V3 = 1$
$V4 = 1$
$V5 =$
$V6 =$
$V7 =$
$V8 =$
$V9 =$
$V10 =$

DOMAINS
$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D4 = \{1\}$
$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D7 = \{\}$
$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$

CONSTRAINTS
$V1 = V4$
$V4 > V7$
$V7 = V10 + 1$

! D7 is empty and backtrack to V3



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 2$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{1\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 1
V3 = 2
V4 = 1
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

DOMAINS
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D7 is empty and backtrack to V3



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 3$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{1\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$





# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 1
V3 = 3
V4 = 1
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

DOMAINS
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D7 is empty and backtrack to V2



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{1\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 2
V3 = 1
V4 = 1
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

DOMAINS
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D7 is empty and backtrack to V2



# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 3
V3 = 3
V4 = 1
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

DOMAINS
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D7 is empty and backtrack to V1



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 =$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$





# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 1$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 2
V2 = 1
V3 = 1
V4 = 2
V5 = 1
V6 = 1
V7 = 1
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

DOMAINS
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {2}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D10 is empty and backtrack to V6



# FC ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 2$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 = 2$$

$$V7 =$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 =$$

## DOMAINS

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{2\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1,2,3\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
$V1 = 2$
$V2 = 1$
$V3 = 1$
$V4 = 2$
$V5 = 1$
$V6 = 2$
$V7 = 1$
$V8 =$
$V9 =$
$V10 =$

DOMAINS
$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D4 = \{2\}$
$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D7 = \{1\}$
$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D10 = \{\}$

CONSTRAINTS
$V1 = V4$
$V4 > V7$
$V7 = V10 + 1$

!  $D10$  is empty and backtrack to  $V6$



# FC ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments?



# FC ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments? **Still many! Less than BT and BJ...**
- Why?



# FC ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments? **Still many! Less than BT and BJ...**
- Why?
  - When BJ back jump, all values of the domain conflict with the assignment...but FC would have already recognize the inconsistency in the first place!
  - **Still we don't have full arc consistency!**





# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 =
V2 =
V3 =
V4 =
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1,2,3}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2,3}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 =
V3 =
V4 =
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2,3}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

D4 is the smaller domain



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 =
V3 =
V4 = 1
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {1}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D7 is empty and backtrack to V1



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 2
V2 =
V3 =
V4 =
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {2}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2,3}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

D4 is the smaller domain

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 2
V2 =
V3 =
V4 = 2
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {2}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

D7 is the smaller domain



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 2
V2 =
V3 =
V4 = 2
V5 =
V6 =
V7 = 1
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {2}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D10 is empty and backtrack to V1



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 3
V2 =
V3 =
V4 =
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {3}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2,3}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

D4 is the smaller domain

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 3
V2 =
V3 =
V4 = 3
V5 =
V6 =
V7 =
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {3}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1,2,3}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

D7 is the smaller domain





# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 3
V2 =
V3 =
V4 = 3
V5 =
V6 =
V7 = 1
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {3}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

! D10 is empty and backtrack to V7



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 3
V2 =
V3 =
V4 = 3
V5 =
V6 =
V7 = 2
V8 =
V9 =
V10 =

CONSTRAINT
D1 = {1,2,3}
D2 = {1,2,3}
D3 = {1,2,3}
D4 = {3}
D5 = {1,2,3}
D6 = {1,2,3}
D7 = {1,2}
D8 = {1,2,3}
D9 = {1,2,3}
D10 = {1}

CONSTRAINTS
V1 = V4
V4 > V7
V7 = V10 + 1

D10 is the smaller domain



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 3$$

$$V2 =$$

$$V3 =$$

$$V4 = 3$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

$$V7 = 2$$

$$V8 =$$

$$V9 =$$

$$V10 = 1$$

## CONSTRAINT

$$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D4 = \{3\}$$

$$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D7 = \{1,2\}$$

$$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$D10 = \{1\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$V1 = V4$$

$$V4 > V7$$

$$V7 = V10 + 1$$



# FC+MRV ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
$V1 = 3$
$V2 = 1$
$V3 = 1$
$V4 = 3$
$V5 = 1$
$V6 = 1$
$V7 = 2$
$V8 = 1$
$V9 = 1$
$V10 = 1$

CONSTRAINT
$D1 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D2 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D3 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D4 = \{3\}$
$D5 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D6 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D7 = \{1,2\}$
$D8 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D9 = \{1,2,3\}$
$D10 = \{1\}$

CONSTRAINTS
$V1 = V4$
$V4 > V7$
$V7 = V10 + 1$

After 6 more steps, we have a solution!



# CBJ ALGORITHM

- Variables:  $V_1, V_2, \dots, V_6$
- Domains:  $D_1-D_6 = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$
- Constraints:
  - $(V_2=1, V_4=2)$
  - $(V_2=4, V_4=5)$
  - $(V_1=1, V_5=3)$
  - $(V_4=5, V_6=3)$
  - $(V_1=1, V_6=6)$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

V1 = 1

V2 =

V3 =

V4 =

V5 =

V6 =

## CONFLICTS SETS

CS1 = {}

CS2 = {}

CS3 = {}

CS4 = {}

CS5 = {}

CS6 = {}

## CONSTRAINTS

(V2=1,V4=2)

(V2=4,V4=5)

(V1=1,V5=3)

(V4=5,V6=3)

(V1=1,V6=3)



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

V1 = 1

V2 = 1

V3 =

V4 =

V5 =

V6 =

## CONFLICTS SETS

CS1 = {}

CS2 = {}

CS3 = {}

CS4 = {}

CS5 = {}

CS6 = {}

## CONSTRAINTS

(V2=1,V4=2)

(V2=4,V4=5)

(V1=1,V5=3)

(V4=5,V6=3)

(V1=1,V6=3)



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$V1 = 1$

$V2 = 1$

$V3 = 1$

$V4 =$

$V5 =$

$V6 =$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$CS1 = \{\}$

$CS2 = \{\}$

$CS3 = \{\}$

$CS4 = \{\}$

$CS5 = \{\}$

$CS6 = \{\}$

## CONSTRAINTS

$(V2=1, V4=2)$

$(V2=4, V4=5)$

$(V1=1, V5=3)$

$(V4=5, V6=3)$

$(V1=1, V6=3)$





# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$V1 = 1$

$V2 = 1$

$V3 = 1$

$V4 = 1$

$V5 =$

$V6 =$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$CS1 = \{\}$

$CS2 = \{\}$

$CS3 = \{\}$

$CS4 = \{V2\}$

$CS5 = \{\}$

$CS6 = \{\}$

## CONSTRAINTS

$(V2=1, V4=2)$

$(V2=4, V4=5)$

$(V1=1, V5=3)$

$(V4=5, V6=3)$

$(V1=1, V6=3)$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 2$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 = 1$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{V1\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 = 2$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{V1\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 = 3$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{V1, V4\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$





# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 2$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 = 4$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{V1, V4\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 1
V3 = 1
V4 = 2
V5 = 3
V6 = 5

CONFLICTS SETS
CS1 = {}
CS2 = {}
CS3 = {}
CS4 = {V2}
CS5 = {V1}
CS6 = {V1, V4}

CONSTRAINTS
(V2=1, V4=2)
(V2=4, V4=5)
(V1=1, V5=3)
(V4=5, V6=3)
(V1=1, V6=3)

! Use CS6 and back-jump to V4, which is the most recent



# CBJ ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 1
V3 = 1
V4 = 3
V5 =
V6 =

CONFLICTS SETS
CS1 = {}
CS2 = {}
CS3 = {}
CS4 = {V1, V2}
CS5 = {}
CS6 = {}

CONSTRAINTS
(V2=1, V4=2)
(V2=4, V4=5)
(V1=1, V5=3)
(V4=5, V6=3)
(V1=1, V6=3)

CS4 = CS4 U CS6 - V4 →  
CS4 = {V2} U {V1, V4} - V4



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 1$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 4$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V1, V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

VARIABLES
V1 = 1
V2 = 1
V3 = 1
V4 = 5
V5 =
V6 =

CONFLICTS SETS
CS1 = {}
CS2 = {}
CS3 = {}
CS4 = {V1, V2}
CS5 = {}
CS6 = {}

CONSTRAINTS
(V2=1, V4=2)
(V2=4, V4=5)
(V1=1, V5=3)
(V4=5, V6=3)
(V1=1, V6=3)

! Use CS4 and back-jump to V2,  
which is the most recent



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$V1 = 1$

$V2 = 2$

$V3 =$

$V4 =$

$V5 =$

$V6 =$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$CS1 = \{\}$

$CS2 = \{V1\}$

$CS3 = \{\}$

$CS4 = \{\}$

$CS5 = \{\}$

$CS6 = \{\}$

## CONSTRAINTS

$(V2=1, V4=2)$

$(V2=4, V4=5)$

$(V1=1, V5=3)$

$(V4=5, V6=3)$

$(V1=1, V6=3)$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 =$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 1$$

$$V5 =$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$





# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 1$$

$$V5 = 1$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=6)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 1$$

$$V5 = 2$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 1$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 =$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

## VARIABLES

$$V1 = 1$$

$$V2 = 2$$

$$V3 = 1$$

$$V4 = 1$$

$$V5 = 3$$

$$V6 = 1$$

## CONFLICTS SETS

$$CS1 = \{\}$$

$$CS2 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS3 = \{\}$$

$$CS4 = \{V2\}$$

$$CS5 = \{V1\}$$

$$CS6 = \{V1\}$$

## CONSTRAINTS

$$(V2=1, V4=2)$$

$$(V2=4, V4=5)$$

$$(V1=1, V5=3)$$

$$(V4=5, V6=3)$$

$$(V1=1, V6=3)$$



# CBJ ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments?



# CBJ ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments? **Still many! Less than BT and BJ...**
- Why?



# CBJ ALGORITHM

- Unnecessary assignments? **Still many! Less than BT and BJ...**
- Why?
  - CBJ back-jumps to the right node of the search tree, but it doesn't prevent to repeat the same wrong assignments!

