

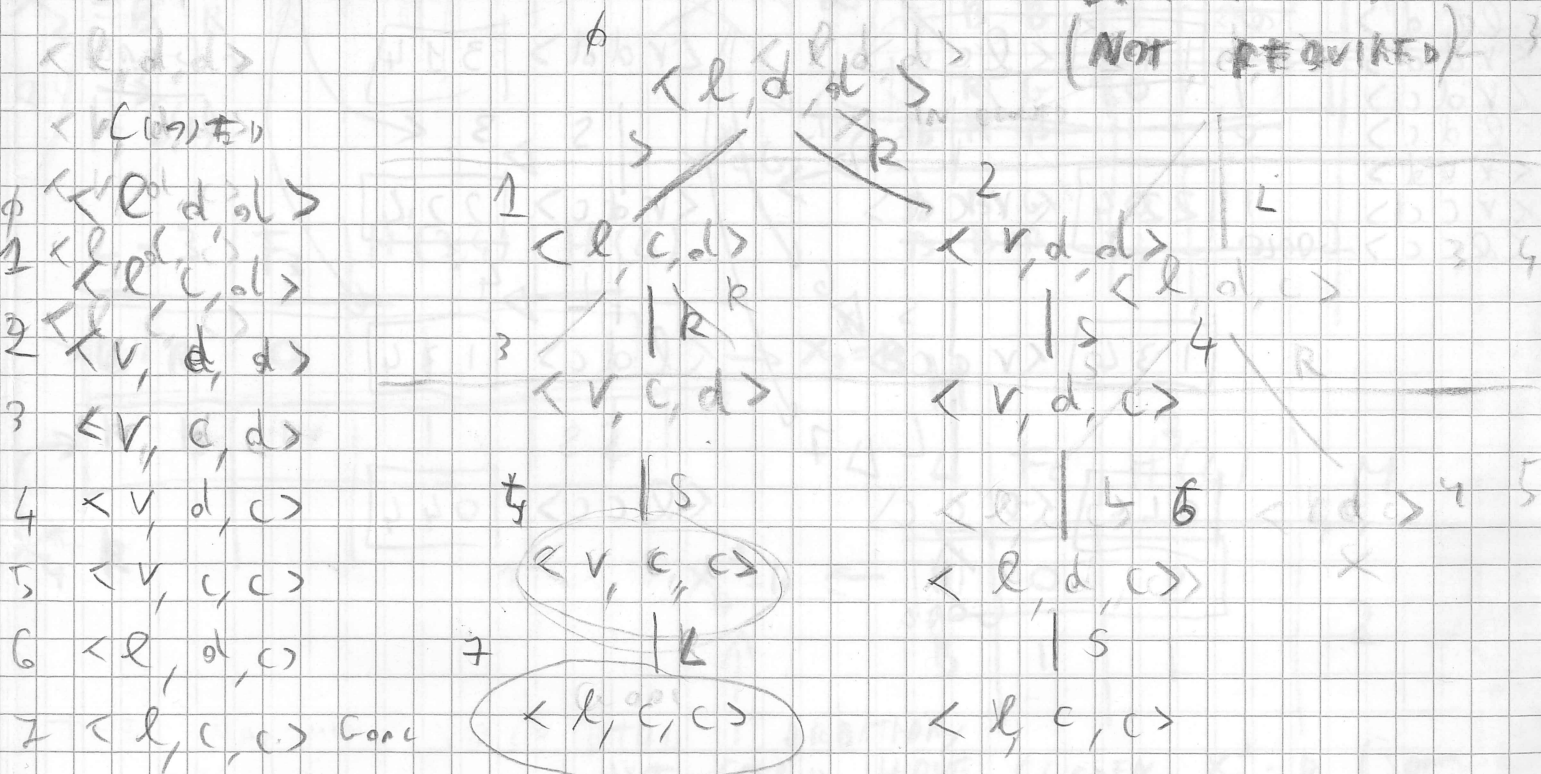
EXERCISE 1

Q1) IDS IS GUARANTEED TO RETURN THE OPTIMAL SOLUTION IN THIS SETTING, BECAUSE THE BRANCHING FACTOR IS FINITE AND COSTS ARE UNIFORM

IN PARTICULAR IN THIS CASE IDS WILL RETURN SUCR - RIGHT - JUCK-LEFT WITH COST 4 OR RIGHT - JUCK - LEFT - JUCK SOME COST

Q2) BFS USING GRAPH SEARCH WILL RETURN THE  $l=3$  OPTIMAL SOLUTION. BECAUSE BRANCHING FACTOR IS FINITE, COSTS ARE UNIFORM AND BFS EXPANDS ACTIONS FIRST. HENCE EVEN IF WE REMOVE REPEATED STATES ACROSS DIFFERENT BRANCHES WE ARE STILL GUARANTEED TO FIND THE LEAST COST (OPTIMAL) SOLUTION

EXAMPLE BFS (NOT REQUIRED)



Q3)  $A^*$  IS OPTIMAL WITH GRAPH SEARCH ONLY IF HEURISTIC IS CONSISTENT.

THIS HEURISTIC IS CONSISTENT

$$H(m) \leq H(m') + C(m, m')$$

$$H(m) - H(m') \leq 1$$

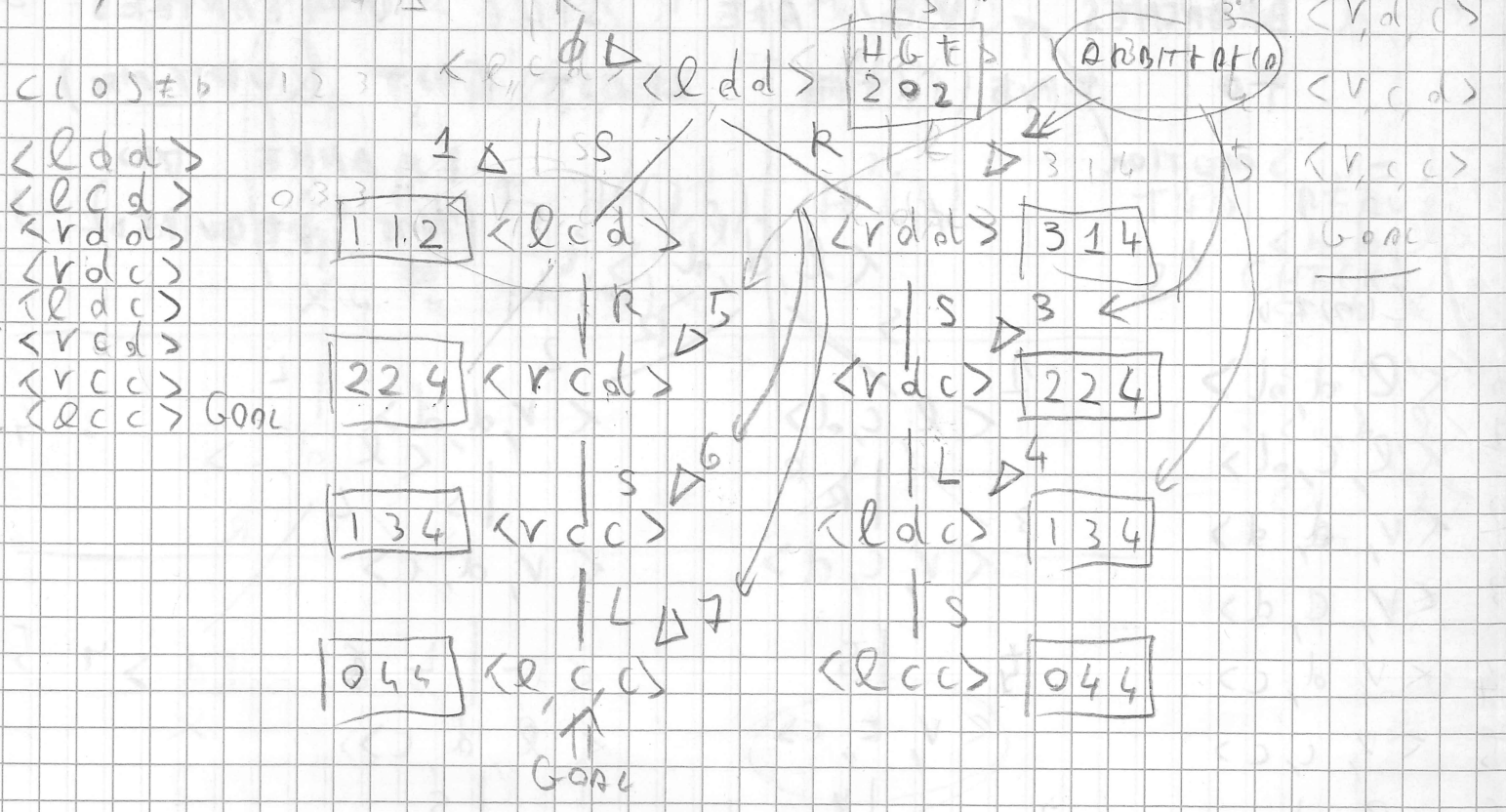
#DIRTY SQUARES IN  $m$  + DISTANCE FROM  $m$  TO GOAL LOCATION  
 #DIRTY SQUARES IN  $m'$  + DISTANCE FROM  $m'$  TO GOAL LOCATION  $\leq 1$

THIS IS TRUE BECAUSE THE AGENT CAN CLEAN AT MOST ONE SQUARE PER ACTION.

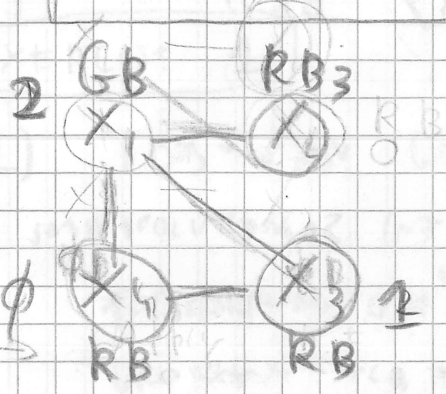
BUT THE AGENT CAN ONLY MOVE ONE SQUARE PER ACTION. MOREOVER THE AGENT CAN EITHER PERFORM A MOVING ACTION OR A CLEANING ACTION BUT NOT BOTH.

FINALLY THE COST FOR EACH ACTION IS 1 ( $1 > 0$ )

Q4) HENCE IT IS BEST TO PERFORM  $A^*$



**EXERCISE 2**



$C^H = R = \{R_{12}, R_{13}, R_{14}, R_{23}\}$   
 $C^F = F = \{F_1, F_2, F_3, F_4\}$

Q1)

3	$X_2$	$R_{12}$	$F_2$	$H^2(1)$
2	$X_1$	$R_{13}$	$R_{14}$	$F_1, H^2(1)$
1	$X_3$	$R_{34}$	$F_3$	$H^1(3,4)$
0	$X_4$	$F_4$	$H^3(4)$	$M$

$X_1^*$	$X_2^*$	$X_3^*$	$X_4^*$
G	B	B	R
G	B	R	B

OTHER POSSIBLE SOL

Q2)  $H^1(1)$

	1-2	$F_2$	$H^1(1)$
$X_1^* = G$	G R	0	1
	G B	1	0

Q3)  $X_2^* = B$

	1-2	$F_2$	$H^2(1)$
$X_2^* = B$	B R	0	0
	B B	1	0

Q4)  $H^3(4)$

	4-3	$F_3$	$H^1(3,4)$	$H^3(4)$
	B R	0	1	1
	R B	1	1	2

$X_1^* = G$

$X_3^* = B$

$X_4^* = R$

$X_4^* = R$

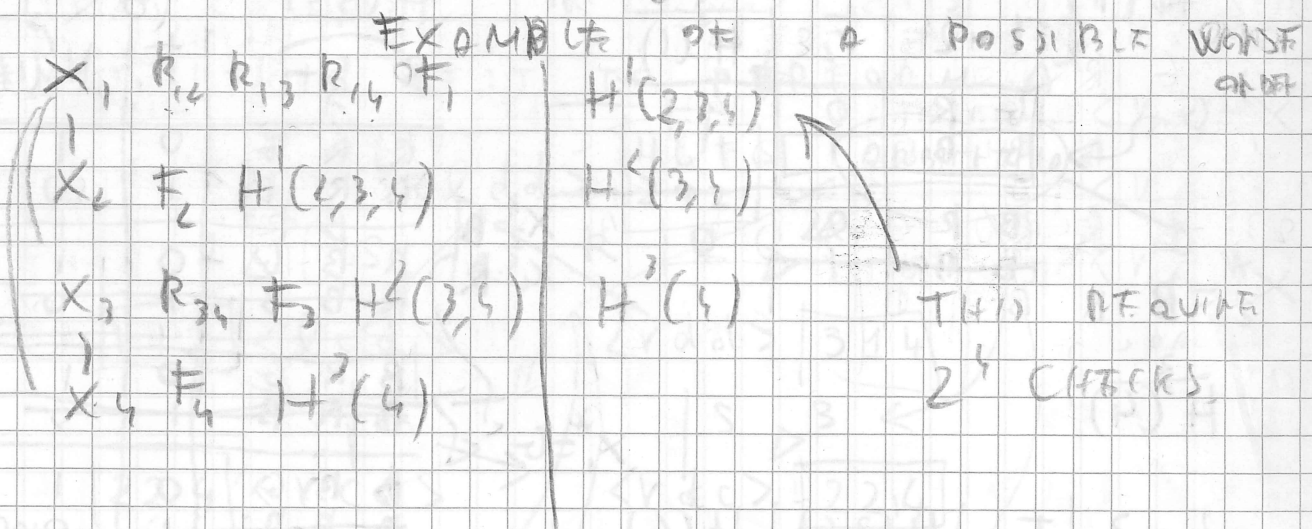
3	4-3	$F_3$	$H^1(1)$	$H^2(3,4)$
	R R	G	0	1
	R R	B	1	0
	R B	G	0	1
	R B	B	1	0
	B R	G	0	1
	B R	B	1	0
	B B	G	0	1
	B B	B	1	0

4	$F_4$	$H^3(4)$	$M$
	R	0	2
	B	1	1

THE MAXIMUM VALUE OF THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION IS ARBITRARY WE COULD HAVE CHOSEN  $X_4^* = 0$  (SOME VALUE)

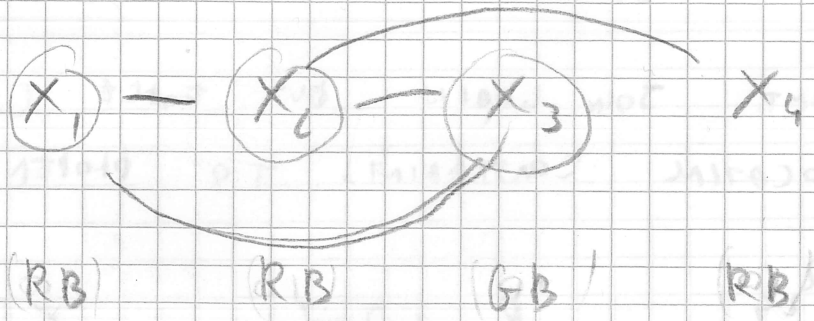
Q2) THE VALUE OBTAINED BY BEST CONFIGURATION IS 2  
 THIS IS NOT A UNIQUE VALUE BECAUSE B.F. REPORTS THE SAME OPTIMAL VALUE FOR  $X_1^* = 0$  OR  $X_1^* = 0$ . HENCE WE WILL HAVE AT LEAST TWO SOLUTIONS ACHIEVING THAT VALUE.

Q3) YES, CHOOSE  $X_1$  (LAST CONSTRAINED VARIABLE)  
 A) LAST VARIABLE IN THE ORDER THIS WILL RESULT IN A BUCKET WITH 4 VARIABLES (1 2 3 4) HENCE REQUIRING A HIGHER COMP. EFFORT ( $2^4$  CHECKS) TO COMPUTE TABLES (I.E. PROCESS BUCKETS)



# EXERCISE 3

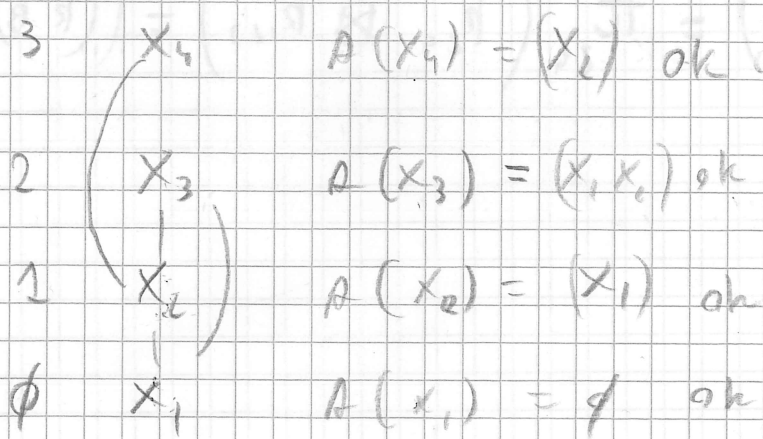
Q1)



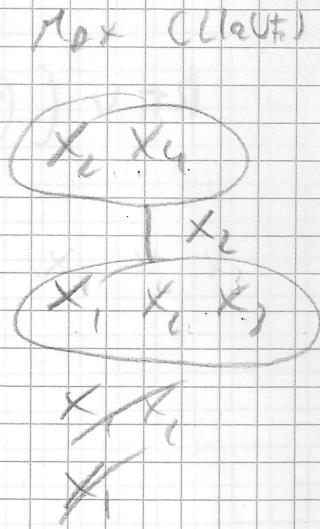
(RB)      (RB)      (GB)      (RB)

THIS NETWORK IS A.C. BECAUSE  
 FOR ANY VARIABLE AND ANY VALUE OF IT  
 WE CAN ALWAYS FIND A VALID ASSIGNMENT  
 FOR ANOTHER VARIABLE  
 IN OTHER WORDS, ANY REVERSE OPERATION  
 ON ANY CONSTRAINT WILL NOT CHANGE  
 THE DOMAIN OF ANY VARIABLE.

Q2)



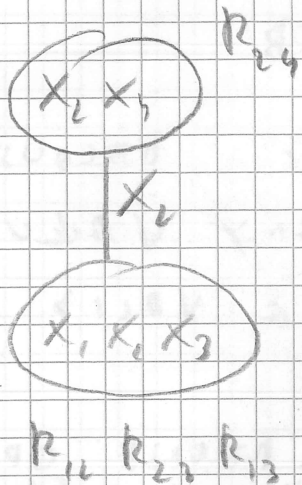
NET IS (HARD)



NET IS  
NOT COMPLETE  
 No more  
 Detour  
 $X_1, X_2, X_3$  and  
 any con.

Q3) NEED TO USE JTC BECAUSE NET IS NOT ACYCLIC

USE SOME JOIN CHAIN BUT FORCE CONFORMALITY BY ALLOCATION CONSTRAINTS TO PROPER ELIMINATE



$R_{24}$	2-4
	R B
	B R

$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$
B	R	G	B
R	B	G	R

OTHER SOL

$R_{123}$	1-2-3
	R B G
	B R G

$$REV((24)(123)) = \pi_{24}(R_{24} \bowtie R_{123}) = ((R B) (B R))$$