Bit-precise Reasoning via Int-Blasting

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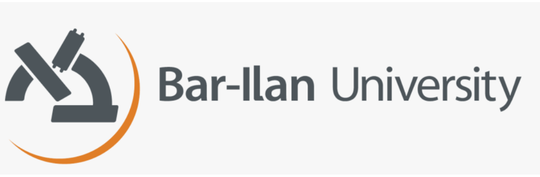
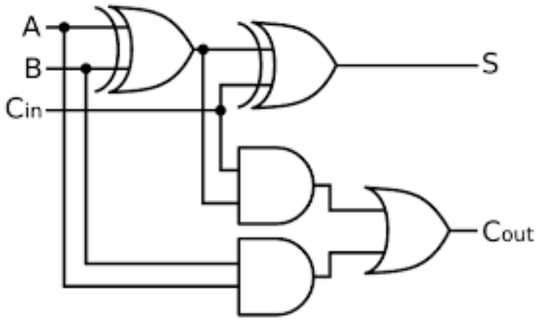


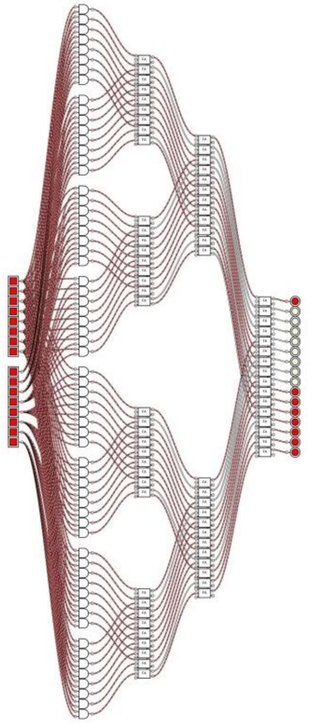
Bit-precise Reasoning

- Machine integers / Addresses
- Variables: x,y,z,…
- Constants: 0000, 01000010, 11111111, …
- Relations: =, bvult (unsigned), bvslt (signed), …
- BV Operators: bvadd (+), bvmul (·), bvand (&), bvshl (<<), …
- Logical Operators: $\wedge$, $\vee$, $\neg$, $\forall$, …
- All terms are **sorted**: BV[1], BV[2], …

Bit-vector Solving in SMT

- Bit-blasting (state-of-the-art)
  - bits — Boolean variables
  - operators — circuits
  - Scalability problems:
    - Large bit-widths (e.g., 256)
    - “Normal” bit-widths (e.g., 32) with multiplication/division





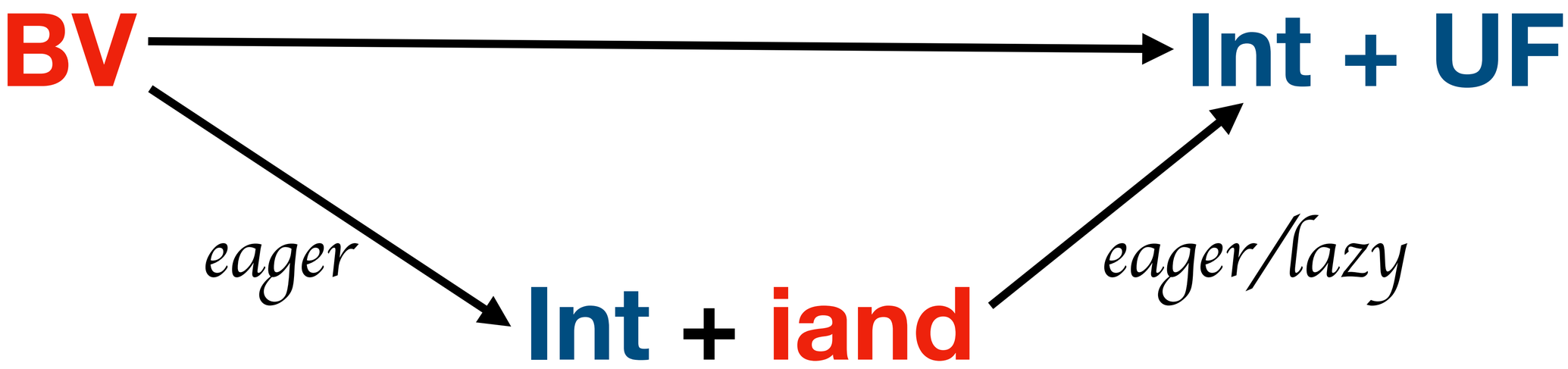
- MC-SAT
- Local Search
- **Integer approaches**

$$x + y \ \% \ 2^k$$

Integers: Inside or Outside?

Application Level	**Solver Level**
Eager	**Flexible**
Abstract bit-wise operations	**Abstract/refine bit-wise operations**
Black box	**More control**
Application-specific	**General**

Int-blasting



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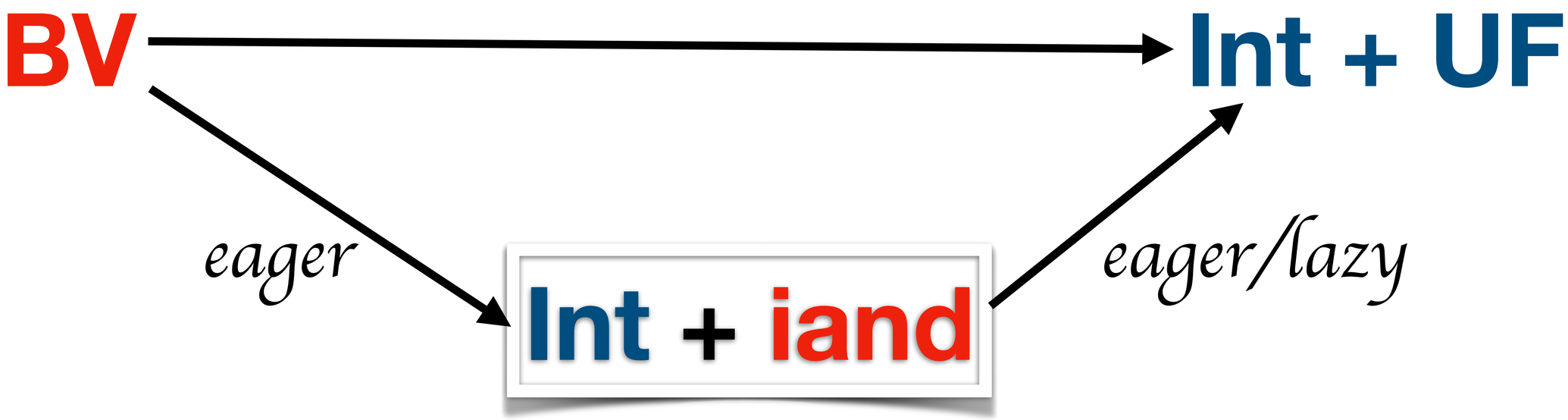
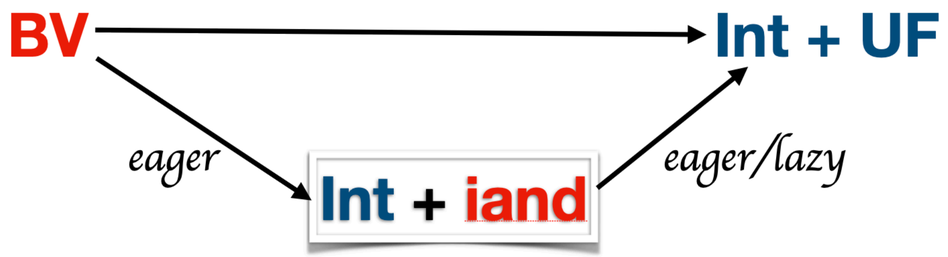


Arith + iand



- Non-linear integer arithmetic
- iand
  - countably many binary operators $\&_1, \&_2, \ldots$
  - semantics of bit-wise “and”

$\&_4(1,2) = 0$

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0001
0010
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0000
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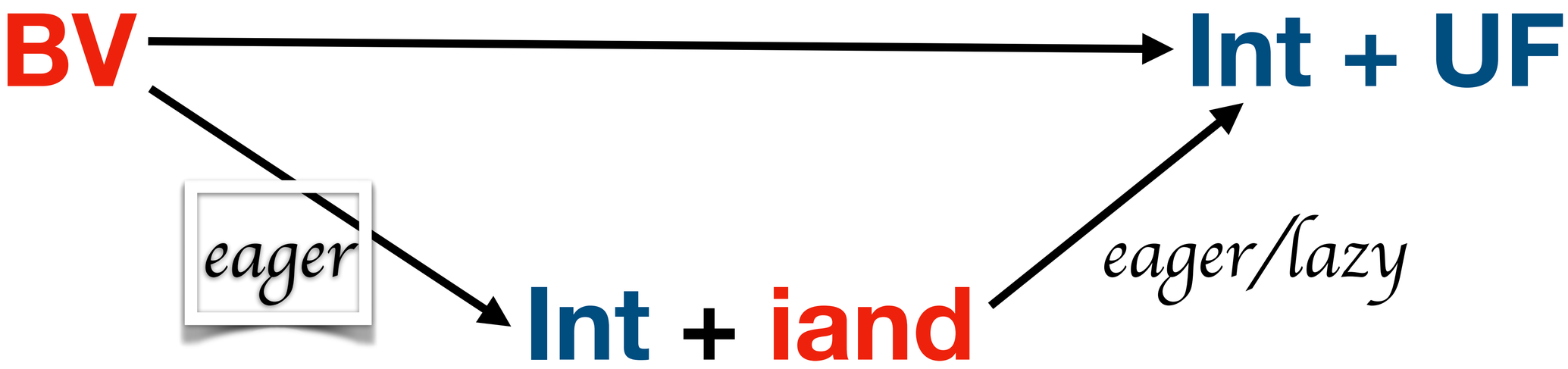
Int-blasting



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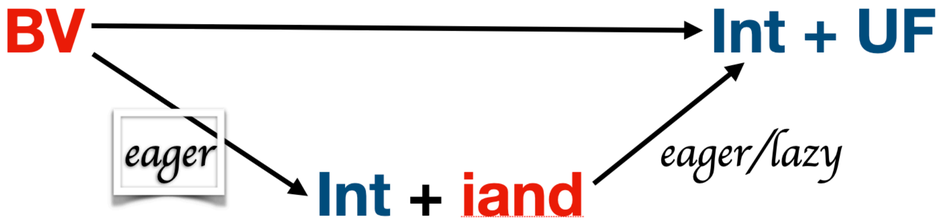

- BV variables -> Integer variables
- BV constants -> **unsigned** integer constants
- BV operators -> integer terms, based on **SMT-LIB**
- BV bit-wise “and” -> iand
- Some operators are eliminated

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theory FixedSizeBitVectors

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$$x +_{\mathbb{BV}} y \Rightarrow x' +_{\mathbb{N}} y' \mod 2^k$$

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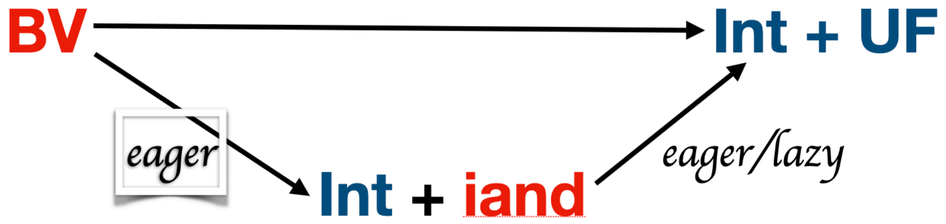

$\underline{\mathcal{T}\ \varphi}$:
$\mathcal{C}\ \varphi \wedge \textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(\varphi)$

$\underline{\mathcal{C}\ e}$:
Match e:

$$
\begin{array}{lcl}
x & \rightarrow & \chi(x) \\
c & \rightarrow & [c]_{\mathbb{N}} \\
t_1 = t_2 & \rightarrow & \mathcal{C}\ t_1 = \mathcal{C}\ t_2
\end{array}
$$

χ is a 1-1 mapping between BV variables and integer variables

$[\ \cdot\ ]_{\mathbb{N}}$ translates bit-vectors to unsigned integers

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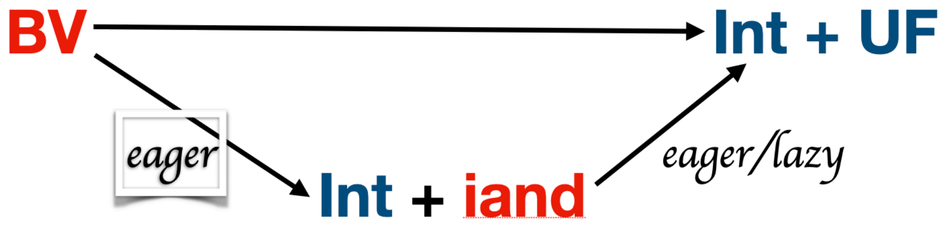

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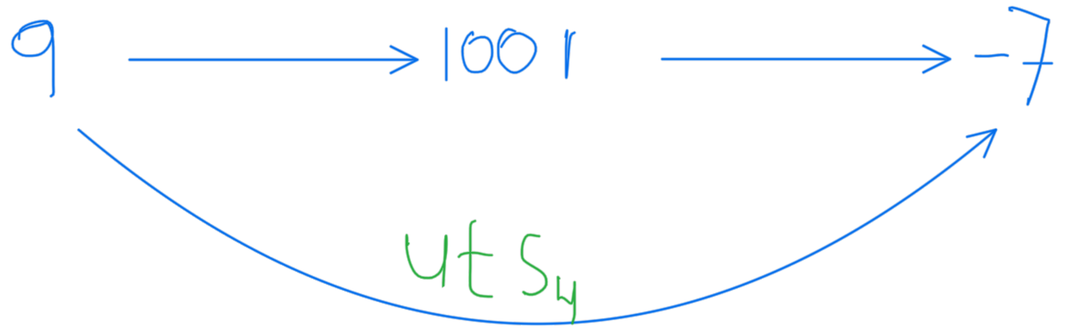
$$t_1 \bowtie_s{}^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathsf{uts}_k(\mathcal{C}\ t_1) \bowtie \mathsf{uts}_k(\mathcal{C}\ t_2)$$

$\bowtie \in \{\ <\ ,\ \leq\ ,\ >\ ,\ \geq\ \}$

$uts_k(\ \cdot\ )$: from **u**nsigned **t**o **s**igned



$$\mathsf{uts}_k(x) = 2 \cdot (x \bmod 2^{k-1}) - x$$

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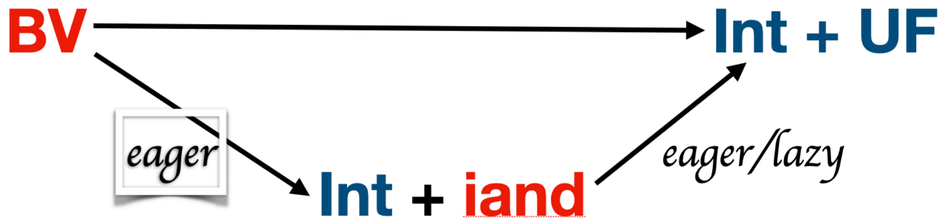

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t_1 +^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & (\mathcal{C}\ t_1 + \mathcal{C}\ t_2) \bmod 2^k \\
t_1 -^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & (\mathcal{C}\ t_1 - \mathcal{C}\ t_2) \bmod 2^k \\
t_1 \cdot^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & (\mathcal{C}\ t_1 \cdot \mathcal{C}\ t_2) \bmod 2^k \\
\sim^{\mathrm{BV}} t_1 & \rightarrow & 2^k - (\mathcal{C}\ t_1 + 1) \\
-^{\mathrm{BV}} t_1 & \rightarrow & (2^k - \mathcal{C}\ t_1) \bmod 2^k
\end{array}
$$

k is the bit-width

Example

$$-^{BV}(x +^{BV} y) = z$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$(2^k - (x' + y' \ mod\ 2^k))\ mod\ 2^k = z'$$

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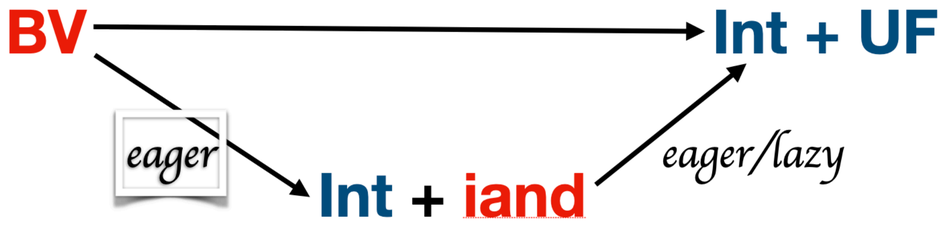

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$$
\begin{array}{lcl}
t_1\ \mathrm{div}^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & \mathrm{ite}(\mathcal{C}\ t_2 = 0,\ 2^k - 1,\ \mathcal{C}\ t_1\ \mathrm{div}\ \mathcal{C}\ t_2) \\
t_1\ \mathrm{mod}^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & \mathrm{ite}(\mathcal{C}\ t_2 = 0,\ \mathcal{C}\ t_1,\ \mathcal{C}\ t_1\ \mathrm{mod}\ \mathcal{C}\ t_2) \\
t_1 \circ^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & \mathcal{C}\ t_1 \cdot 2^k + \mathcal{C}\ t_2 \\
t_1[u:l]^{\mathrm{BV}} & \rightarrow & \mathcal{C}\ t_1\ \mathrm{div}\ 2^l\ \mathrm{mod}\ 2^{u-l+1}
\end{array}
$$

ite — if then else

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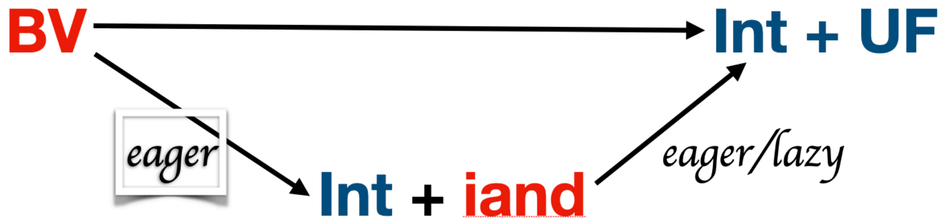

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Match e:

$$
\begin{array}{lcl}
t_1 \ll^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & (\mathcal{C}\ t_1 \cdot \mathrm{pow2}(\mathcal{C}\ t_2)) \bmod 2^k \\
t_1 \gg^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 & \rightarrow & \mathcal{C}\ t_1 \ \mathrm{div}\ \mathrm{pow2}(\mathcal{C}\ t_2)
\end{array}
$$

pow2 is eliminated using `ite`

$$pow2(x) = ite(x = 0,1,ite(x = 1,2,ite(\ldots, ite(x = k,2^k,0)\ldots)$$

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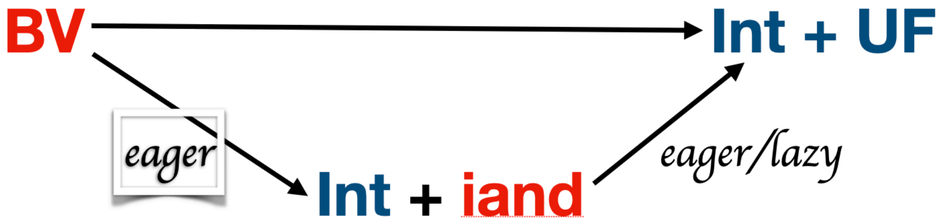

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Match e:

$$t_1\ \&^{\mathrm{BV}} t_2 \quad \rightarrow \quad \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(\mathcal{C}\ t_1, \mathcal{C}\ t_2)$$

k is the bit-width

$\&_k^{\mathbb{N}}$ is an **iand** operator

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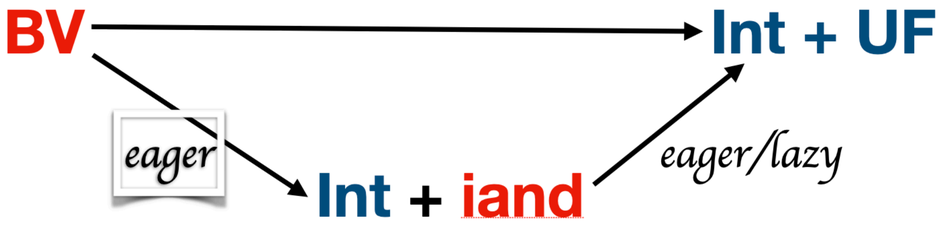

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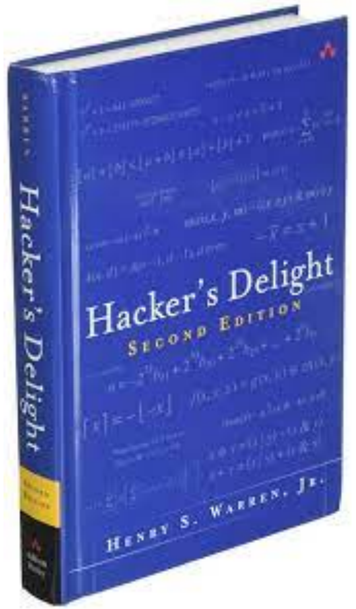
Match e:

$$x\ |^{\mathrm{BV}}\ y = (x\ +^{\mathrm{BV}}\ y)\ -^{\mathrm{BV}}\ (x\ \&^{\mathrm{BV}} y)$$
$$x \oplus^{\mathrm{BV}} y = (x\ |^{\mathrm{BV}}\ y)\ -^{\mathrm{BV}}\ (x\ \&^{\mathrm{BV}} y)$$



bvor and bvxor are eliminated

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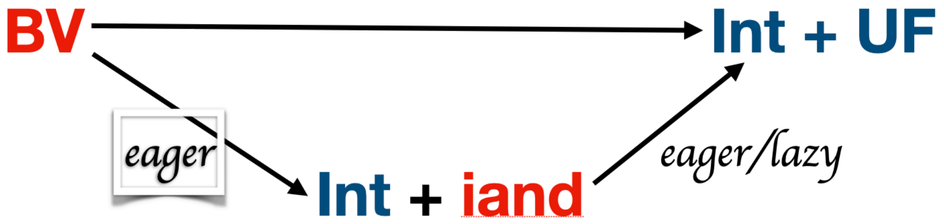

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$\underline{\textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(e)}$:
Match e:

x	$\rightarrow$	$0 \leq \chi(x) < 2^{\kappa(x)}$
c	$\rightarrow$	$\top$
$t_1 = t_2$	$\rightarrow$	$\textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(t_1) \wedge \textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(t_2)$
$f^{\mathrm{BV}}(t_1, t_2)$	$\rightarrow$	$0 \leq \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(\mathcal{C}\ t_1, \mathcal{C}\ t_2) < 2^k \wedge$ $\textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(t_1) \wedge \textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(t_2)$
$g^{\mathrm{BV}}(t_1, \ldots, t_n)$	$\rightarrow$	$\bigwedge_{i=1}^{n} \textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(t_i)$
$\diamond(\varphi_1, \ldots, \varphi_n)$	$\rightarrow$	$\bigwedge_{i=1}^{n} \textsc{Lem}^{\leq}(\varphi_i)$

$LEM^{\leq}$ includes range constraints $0 \leq t < 2^k$

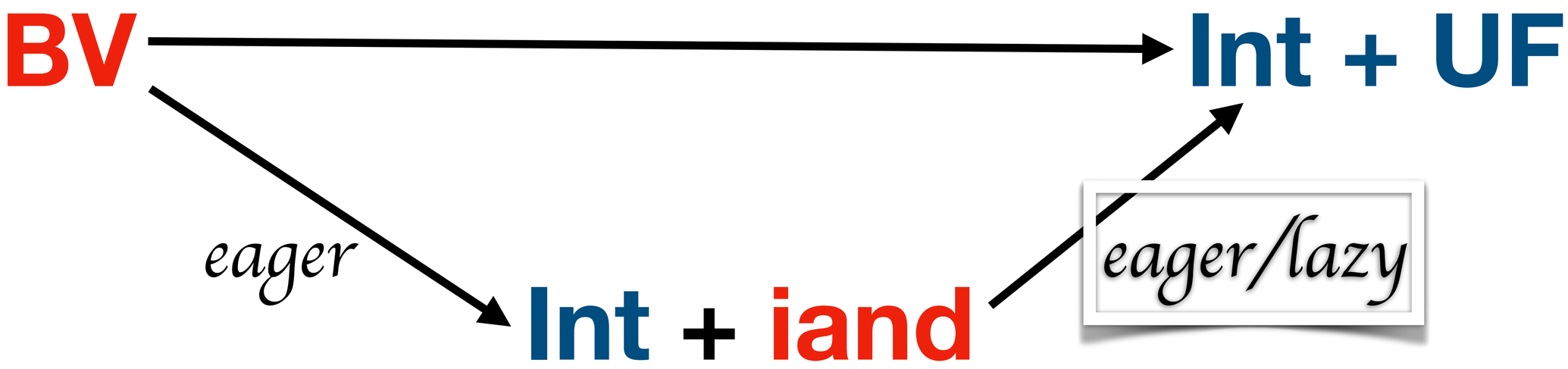
$f^{\mathbf{BV}} \in \{\ \&^{\mathbf{BV}}, {}^{\mathbf{BV}}, \oplus^{\mathbf{BV}}\ \}$

$g^{\mathbf{BV}}$: other BV operators

$\diamond$: Boolean operators

χ maps BV variables to integer variables

Int-blasting



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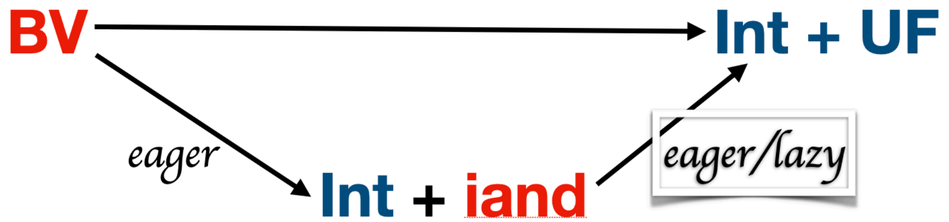

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Eager	$\wedge\,(\Sigma(\ldots) = \ldots)$	$\wedge\wedge\,(\ldots = \ldots)$
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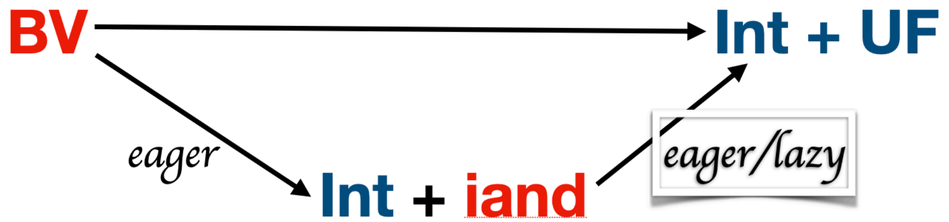

Eager Version

$\mathcal{T}_A\ \varphi$:

$\textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(\varphi) \wedge \varphi$

$\textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(e)$:

Match e:

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
x & \to \top \\
c & \to \top \\
t_1 = t_2 & \to \textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(t_1) \wedge \textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(t_2) \\
\diamond(\varphi_1, \ldots, \varphi_n) & \to \bigwedge_{i=1}^{n} \textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(\varphi_i) \\
f(t_1, \ldots, t_n) & \to \bigwedge_{i=1}^{n} \textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(t_i) \\
\&^{\mathbb{N}}_k(t_1, t_2) & \to \boxed{\textsc{Iand}_A(t_1, t_2)} \wedge \bigwedge_{i \in \{1,2\}} \textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(t_i)
\end{array}
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$A \in \{\textbf{sum}, \textbf{bitwise}\}$

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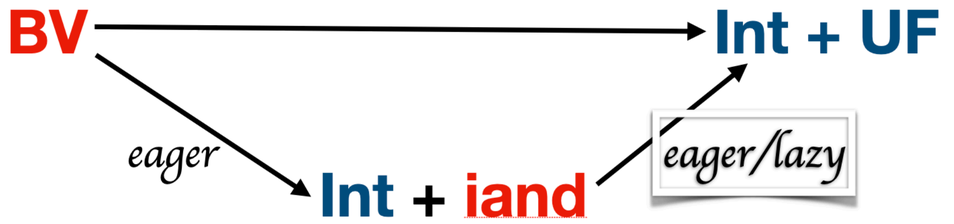

Eager-sum Version

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$\textsc{Lem}^{\&}_A(e)$:

Match e:

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$\textsc{Iand}_{\textsf{sum}}(t_1, t_2)$:

$$\&^{\mathbb{N}}_k(t_1, t_2) = \Sigma_{i=0}^{k-1} 2^i \cdot \mathrm{ITE}(a_i, b_i)$$

$$a_i = t_1 \ div\ 2^i \ mod\ 2$$
$$b_i = t_2 \ div\ 2^i \ mod\ 2$$
$$ITE(x, y) = ite(x = y = 1,1,0)$$

a_i : **ith bit of** t_1

b_i : **ith bit of** t_2

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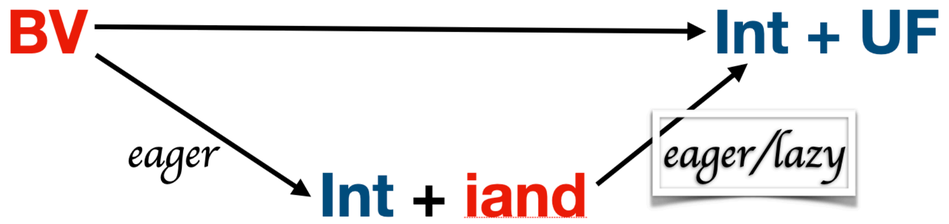

Eager-bitwise Version

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$\underline{\textsc{Iand}_{\textsf{bitwise}}(t_1, t_2)}$:

$\bigwedge_{i=0}^{k-1} c_i = \mathrm{ITE}(a_i, b_i)$

$$a_i = t_1 \; div \; 2^i \; mod \; 2$$
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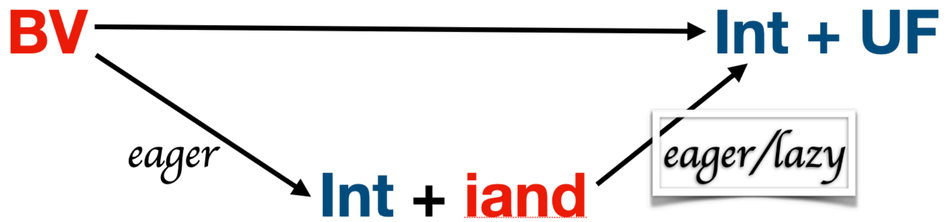

Lazy Versions

$\Gamma := \{ \mathcal{T}\ \varphi \}$

$\Delta := \{ \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) \mid \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) \text{ occurs in } \mathcal{T}\ \varphi \}$

$\Lambda := Prop(\Delta) \cup \{ \textsc{Iand}_A(t_1, t_2) \mid \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) \in \Delta \}$

Repeat:

1. If $P_{T_{\text{IAUF}}}(\bigwedge \Gamma)$ is "unsat", then return "unsat".
2. Otherwise, let $\mathcal{I} = P_{T_{\text{IAUF}}}(\bigwedge \Gamma)$

   /* check $\mathcal{I}$ against properties of $\&_k^{\mathbb{N}}$ */

   (a) If $\mathcal{I}$ satisfies Λ, return "sat".

   (b) Otherwise:

   /* refine abstraction Γ */

   $\Gamma := \Gamma \cup \{ \psi \in \Lambda \mid \mathcal{I} \not\models \psi \}$

$P_{T_{IAUF}}$ **is a UFNIA solver**

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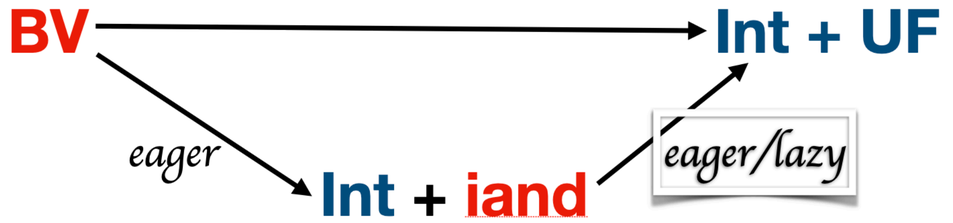

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$Prop(\Delta) = \{ Prop(t_1, t_2) \mid \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) \in \Delta \}$

$Prop(t_1, t_2)$:

$$\&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) \le t_1 \ \wedge \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) \le t_2 \ \wedge \qquad \text{bounds}$$

$$(t_1 = t_2 \Rightarrow \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = t_1) \ \wedge \qquad \text{idempotence}$$

$$\&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_2, t_1) \ \wedge \qquad \text{symmetry}$$

$$\left.\begin{array}{l} (t_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = 0) \ \wedge \\ (t_1 = 2^k - 1 \Rightarrow \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = t_2) \ \wedge \\ (t_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = 0) \ \wedge \\ (t_2 = 2^k - 1 \Rightarrow \&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = t_1) \end{array}\right\} \quad \text{special cases}$$

$\textsc{Iand}_{\text{sum}}(t_1, t_2)$:

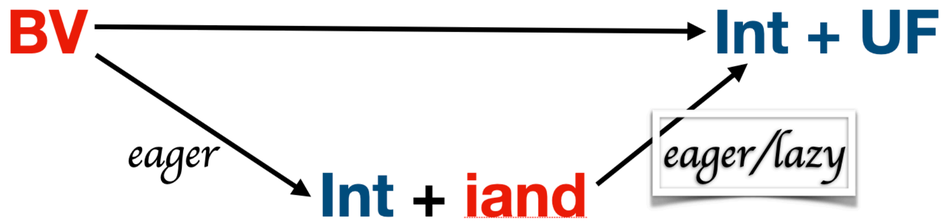
$$\&_k^{\mathbb{N}}(t_1, t_2) = \Sigma_{i=0}^{k-1} 2^i \cdot \text{ITE}(a_i, b_i)$$

$\textsc{Iand}_{\text{bitwise}}(t_1, t_2)$:

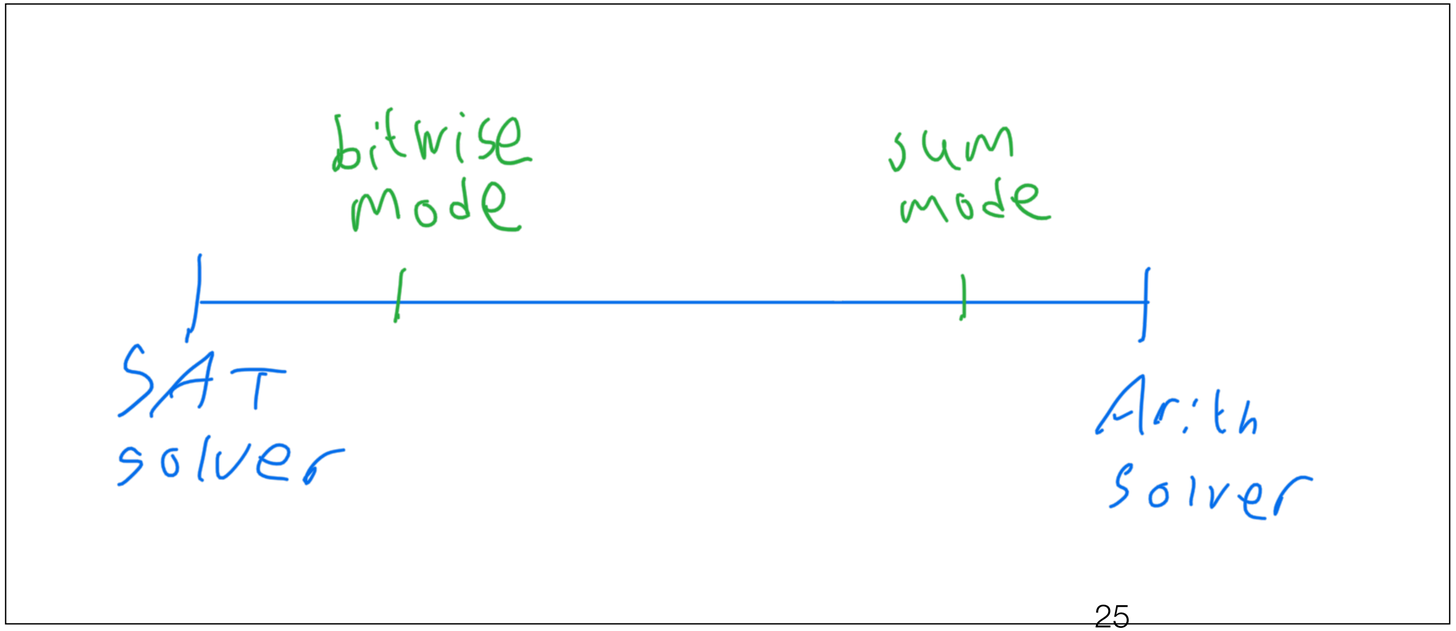
$$\bigwedge_{i=0}^{k-1} c_i = \text{ITE}(a_i, b_i)$$

$P_{T_{IAUF}}$ **is a UFNIA solver**

Arith + iand ⟶ Arith + UF



- Both modes utilize the SAT-solver and Arith-solver
  - "The ith bit of x" — $(x \ div \ 2^i) \ mod \ 2$
- *bitwise* mode relies more on the SAT-solver
- *sum* mode relies more on the Arith-solver



	Sum	Bitwise
Eager	$\wedge\ (\Sigma(\ldots) = \ldots)$	$\wedge\wedge\ (\ldots = \ldots)$
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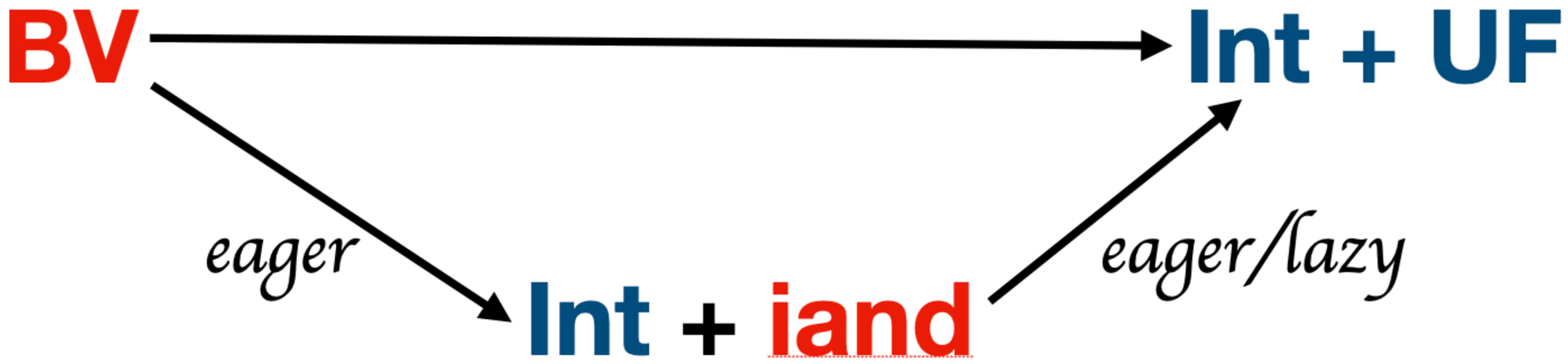
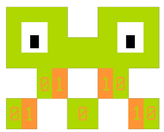
Evaluation

Int-blasting is implemented in cvc5 (successor of CVC4)



Evaluation

- Other tools:
  - Bitwuzla — first place in QF_BV 2020
  - Yices — second place in QF_BV 2020
  - cvc5 eager bit-blaster — baseline
  - (bw-ind — our integer-based bit-width independent prototype)
- Benchmarks:
  - SMT-LIB
  - Rewrite-rule Candidates
  - Certora Smart Contracts Verification



SMT-LIB

- QF_BV family
- 41,713 benchmarks
- Very diverse
- Not many large bit-widths

Results — SMTLIB

- Timeout: 10 minutes
- Not competative on SMT-LIB
  - Expected — Bit-blasting is state of the art
- Better on UNSAT than on SAT
  - Expected — Lemmas are aimed at finding conflicts

	SMT-LIB				ECRW				SC			
	slvd	*sat*	*uns*	*m*	*slvd*	*sat*	*uns*	*m*	*slvd*	*sat*	*uns*	*m*
$eager_b$	35031	10447	24584	38	41989	119	41870	0	**24**	9	15	0
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Yices	**41228**	14280	26948	11	31646	255	31391	15801	9	3	6	0
bw-ind	-	-	-	-	25608	0	25608	0	-	-	-	-

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Rewrite Rule Candidates

- Hand-crafted but represents a real application — rewrite rules for SMT-solvers
- Benchmark generation using SyGuS:
  - Synthesize pairs of terms that are equivalent for bit-width 4
  - Prove correctness for larger bit-widths
- Benchmarks:
  - **5491** equivalence checks
  - Each one instantiated with **10** bit-widths (16, 32, … 8192)
  - Total **54,910** benchmarks

Results — Rewrite Rules

- Timeout: 5 minutes
- All int-blasting approaches are better
- Best int-blasting approach: lazy bitwise

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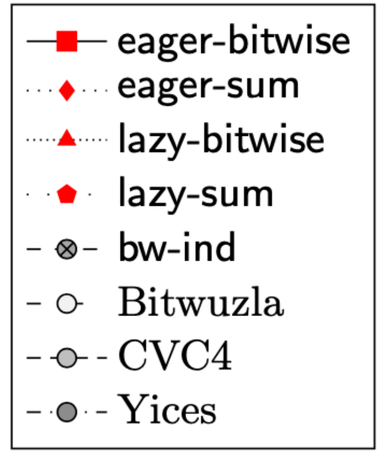
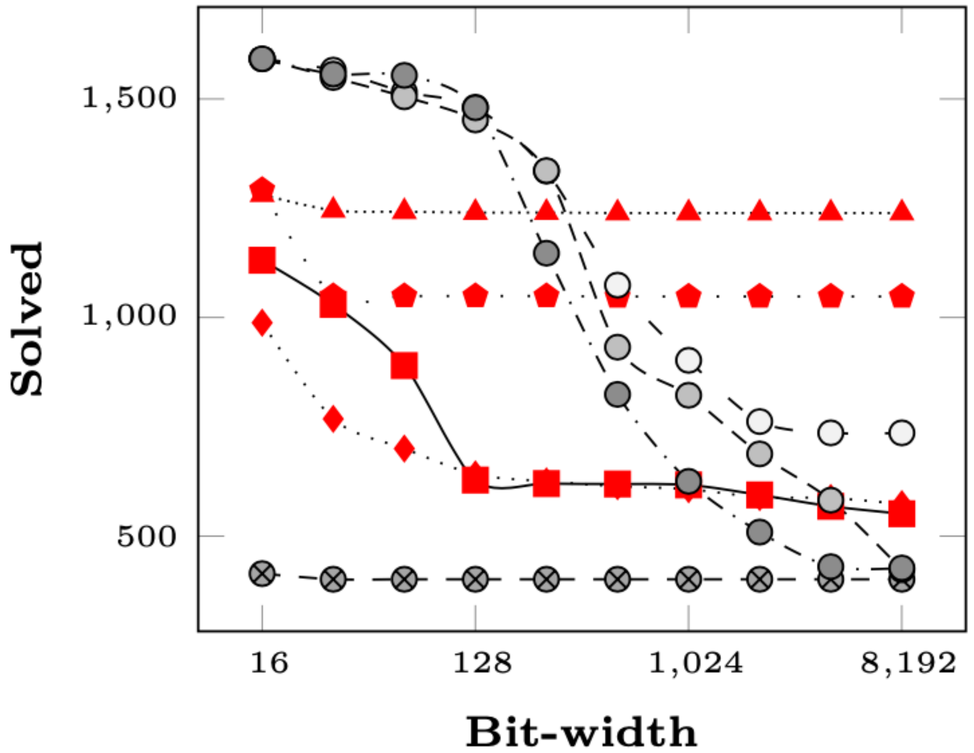
Results — Rewrite Rules

With bvand

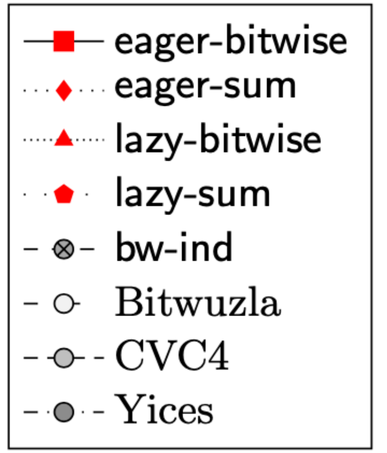


- with bvand: best starting from bit-width 512
- int-blasting approaches differ
- Lazy approaches are bit-width independent

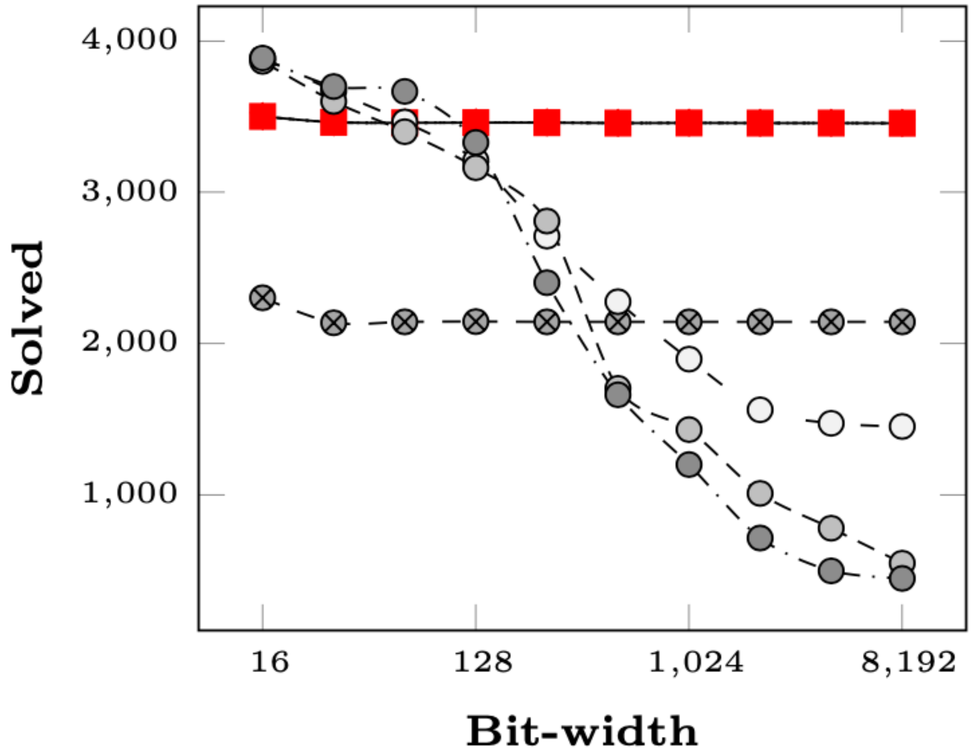


Results — Rewrite Rules

Without bvand



- with bvand: best starting from bit-width 128
- int-blasting approaches are identical
- bit-width independent



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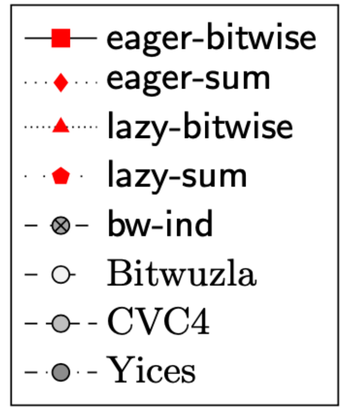
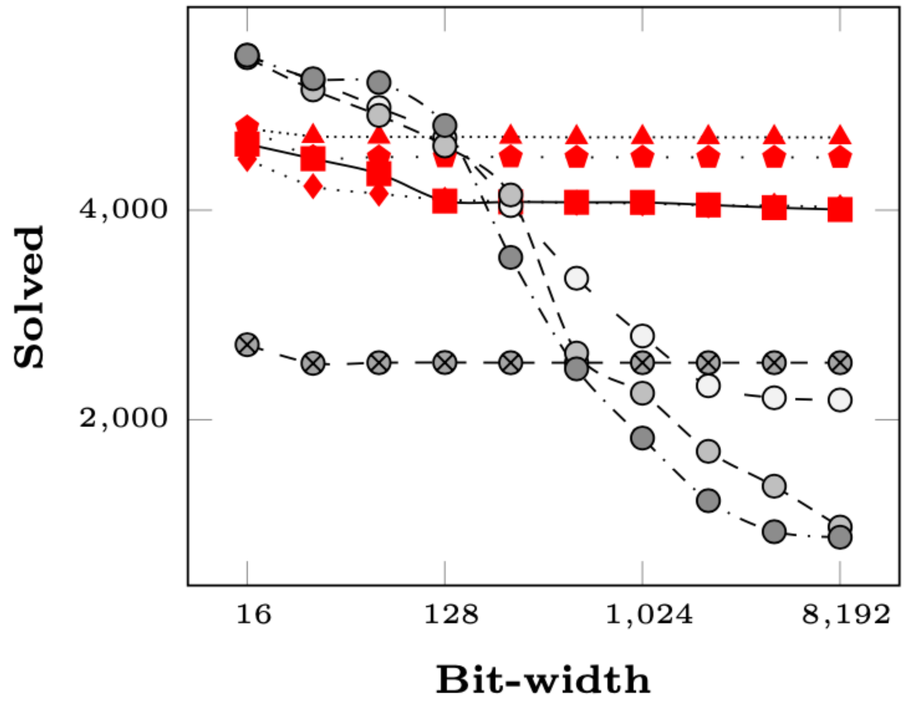
Results — Rewrite Rules

Full Set



- Full set: best starting from bit-width 256
- int-blasting approaches are similar
- Almost bit-width independent



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Smart Contracts Verification

- 35 benchmarks
- Given to us by Certora team
- QF_UFBV benchmarks with 256-bit bit-vectors
- Employ arithmetic and bitwise operators
- Encode algebraic properties (e.g., commutativity) of low-level methods

Results — Certora

- Timeout: 1 hour
- Int-blasting solved the most
- Int-blasting was faster:
  - 24 benchmarks in 232 seconds
  - 22 benchmarks in 20 seconds
  - Bitwuzla: 16 benchmarks in 5900 seconds
  - Yices: 9 benchmarks in 3900 seconds

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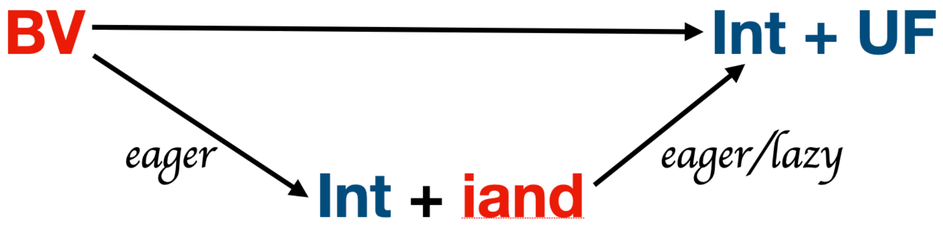
Conclusion

- We have seen:
  - Int-blasting is a complement to bit-blasting
  - 4 Configurations (eager/lazy, sum/bitwise)
  - Useful for large bit-widths



- Future Work:
  - Abstraction of other operations (e.g., shift)
  - More benchmarks
  - Improve non-linear integer solver

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Thank You!

What didn’t work?

- Granularities: split bit-vectors to blocks of 2s / 4s etc. instead of 1.
  - Sometimes helped, sometimes did not
  - Not explainable, not predictable
- Synthesize lemmas using SyGuS
  - Cumbersome
  - Helped very little
  - smtlib2cvc4

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