

1. Intro. This program generates clauses that enforce the constraint $x_1 + \dots + x_n \leq r$, using a method due to Carsten Sinz [*Lecture Notes in Computer Science* **3709** (2005), 827–831]. It introduces $r(n-r)$ new variables $S_{i,j}$ for $1 \leq i \leq n-r$ and $1 \leq j \leq r$, and generates a total of $(r+1)(n-r) + r(n-r-1)$ clauses involving these variables and x_1 through x_n . All clauses have length 3 or less.

With change files we can change the names of the variables x_i .

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
int n, r; /* the given parameters */
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    register int i, j, k;
    <Process the command line 2>;
    for (j = 1; j ≤ r; j++) <Generate the horizontal clauses for row j 3>;
    for (j = 0; j ≤ r; j++) <Generate the vertical clauses for row j 4>;
}

2. <Process the command line 2> ≡
if (argc ≠ 3 ∨ sscanf(argv[1], "%d", &n) ≠ 1 ∨ sscanf(argv[2], "%d", &r) ≠ 1) {
    fprintf(stderr, "Usage: %s %d %d\n", argv[0]);
    exit(-1);
}
if (r < 0 ∨ r ≥ n) {
    fprintf(stderr, "Eh? r should be between 0 and n-1!\n");
    exit(-2);
}
printf("~sat-threshold-sinz %d %d\n", n, r);
```

This code is used in section 1.

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3. <Generate the horizontal clauses for row j 3> ≡
for (i = 1; i < n - r; i++) printf("~S%d.%d S%d.%d\n", i, j, i + 1, j);
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This code is used in section 1.

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4. #define xbar(k) printf("~x%d", k)
<Generate the vertical clauses for row j 4> ≡
for (i = 1; i ≤ n - r; i++) {
    xbar(i + j);
    if (j) printf("~S%d.%d", i, j);
    if (j < r) printf("_S%d.%d", i, j + 1);
    printf("\n");
}
```

This code is used in section 1.

5. Index.*argc*: 1, 2.*argv*: 1, 2.*exit*: 2.*fprintf*: 2.*i*: 1.*j*: 1.*k*: 1.*main*: 1.*n*: 1.*printf*: 2, 3, 4.*r*: 1.*sscanf*: 2.*stderr*: 2.*xbar*: 4.

- ⟨ Generate the horizontal clauses for row j 3 ⟩ Used in section 1.
- ⟨ Generate the vertical clauses for row j 4 ⟩ Used in section 1.
- ⟨ Process the command line 2 ⟩ Used in section 1.

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