

$$PADSAT = \{ \langle \varphi, \underbrace{1 \dots 1}_{H(|\varphi|)} \rangle : \varphi \in SAT \}$$

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1. is  $H(n)$  computable? what is its time complexity?

for  $i \in \{ \log \log n \}$   
 for  $x \in \{0,1\}^{\log n}$   
 run  $TM_i$  on  $x$  for  $i \cdot |x|^i \leq poly$ .  
 run some other TM to compute if  $x \in PADSAT$ .  
 if  $TM_i$  and TM agree: continue  
 o/w stop checking.  
 if all  $x$  were OK then return  $i$ .  
 if no TM ok return  $\log \log n$ .

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2. Assume  $PADSAT \notin P$ . show that  $H(n) \rightarrow \infty$ .

assume  $\exists$  bounded subsequence of  $H(n)$ .  
 then  $\exists$  constant subsequence of  $H(n)$ .  $\rightarrow$  say constant is  $C$ .

claim  $TM_C$  can decide  $PADSAT$  in time  $C \cdot |x|^C$ .  
 $\exists x \in PADSAT$  find elem of subseq that is  $> 2^{|x|}$ .  
 $\hookrightarrow$  def  $C$ ,  $TM_C$  decide  $x$  in time  $\leq C \cdot |x|^C$ .

3. Prove  $PADSAT$  is not NP-hard.

assume  $f: SAT \rightarrow PADSAT$   
 $\varphi \mapsto \langle \varphi, \underbrace{1 \dots 1}_{H(|\varphi|)} \rangle$   $f$  runs in polynomial time.

$PADSAT \notin P$   $H(n) \rightarrow \infty$ .  $n^{H(|\varphi|)}$  grows faster than any polynomial.

use  $f$  to solve SAT.  $|\varphi| < |\varphi'|$ .

$\exists N$  st  $\forall \varphi$   $|\varphi| > N$   
 $f: \varphi \mapsto \langle \varphi, \underbrace{1 \dots 1}_{H(|\varphi|)} \rangle$   $n = |\varphi|$   
 poly.

if  $P \neq NP$ :

$$P \neq P_1 \neq P_2 \neq \dots \neq NP.$$

start with  $\varphi$ .  
 apply  $f(\varphi)$ , get  $\langle \varphi', \underbrace{1 \dots 1}_{H(|\varphi|)} \rangle$   
 $f(\varphi')$ , get  $\varphi''$ .  
 $\vdots$   
 until  $\varphi^{(k)}$  is no longer smaller than  $\varphi^{(k-1)}$   
 brute-force  $\varphi^{(k)}$ .

Language is unary if subset of  $\{1\}^*$ .  $11, 1111, \dots$

claim: if every unary NP language is in P, then  $\exists EXP = NEXP$ .

take  $L \in NEXP$   $x \in L$   $1x$   $\underbrace{1 \dots 1}_{\text{bin}(1x)}$

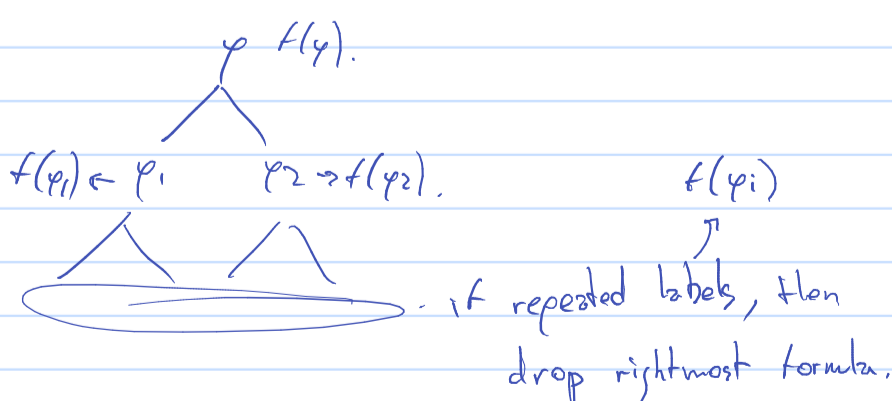
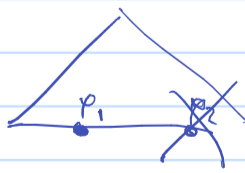
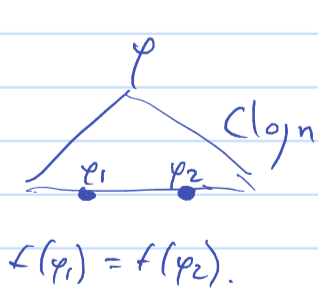
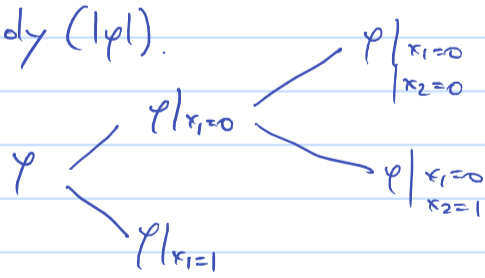
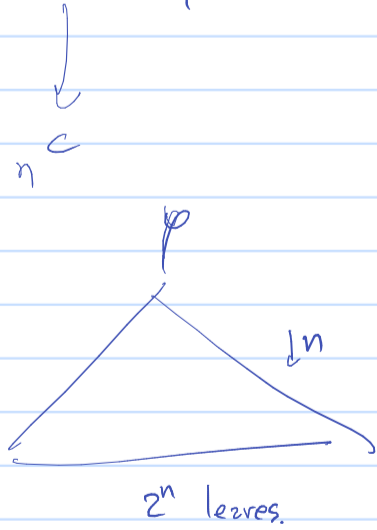
$$\text{Unary } L / UL = \{ \underbrace{1 \dots 1}_{\text{bin}(x)} : x \in L \}$$

$$UL \in NP \rightarrow UL \in P.$$

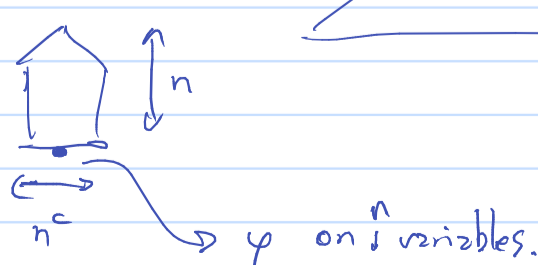
If some unary language is NP-hard then  $P = NP$ .

want algorithm for SAT in polynomial time.

$f: SAT \rightarrow L$   
 $\varphi \mapsto 1^m$   $m = \text{poly}(|\varphi|)$ .



because only have  $n^c$  different labels  
 only have leaves of with  $n^c$ .



have set all variables.

$$\varphi|_{x_1 \dots x_n = b} = \begin{cases} T \\ F \end{cases}$$