

org.chocosolver.solver.constraints

Interface IIntConstraintFactory

All Superinterfaces:`ISelf<Model>`**All Known Subinterfaces:**`IConstraintFactory, IModel`**All Known Implementing Classes:**`Model`

```
public interface IIntConstraintFactory
extends ISelf<Model>
```

Interface to make constraints over BoolVar and IntVar A kind of factory relying on interface default implementation to allow (multiple) inheritance

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Method Summary

All Methods**Instance Methods****Default Methods****Modifier and Type****Method and Description**

```
default Constraint absolute(IntVar var1, IntVar var2)
```

Creates an absolute value constraint: $\text{var1} = |\text{var2}|$

```
default Constraint allDifferent(IntVar... vars)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint.

```
default Constraint allDifferent(IntVar[ ] vars,
String CONSISTENCY)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint.

```
default Constraint allDifferentExcept0(IntVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint for variables that are not equal to 0.

```
default Constraint allDifferentUnderCondition(IntVar[] vars,  
                                              Condition condition, boolean singleCondition)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint subject to the given condition.

```
default Constraint allEqual(IntVar... vars)
```

Creates an allEqual constraint.

```
default Constraint among(IntVar nbVar, IntVar[] vars,  
                        int[] values)
```

Creates an among constraint.

```
default Constraint and(BoolVar... bools)
```

Creates an and constraint that is satisfied if all boolean variables in *bools* are true

```
default Constraint and(Constraint... cstrs)
```

Creates an and constraint that is satisfied if all constraints in *cstrs* are satisfied BEWARE: this should not be used to post several constraints at once but in a reification context

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var, String op, int cste)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint : var op cste, where op in {"=", "!

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var1, String op, IntVar var2)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint: var1 op var2, where op in {"=", "!

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var1, String op1, IntVar var2,  
                           String op2, int cste)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint : var1 op var2, where op in {"=", "!

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var1, String op1, IntVar var2,  
                           String op2, IntVar var3)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint: var1 op1 var2 op2 var3, where op1 and op2 in {"=", "!

```
default Constraint atLeastNValues(IntVar[] vars, IntVar nValues,  
                                   boolean AC)
```

Creates an atLeastNValue constraint.

```
default Constraint atMostNValues(IntVar[] vars, IntVar nValues,  
                                   boolean STRONG)
```

Creates an atMostNValue constraint.

```
default Constraint binPacking(IntVar[] itemBin, int[] itemSize,  
                                IntVar[] binLoad, int offset)  
    Creates a BinPacking constraint.
```

```
default Constraint bitsIntChanneling(BoolVar[] bits, IntVar var)  
    Creates an channeling constraint between an integer  
    variable and a set of bit variables.
```

```
default Constraint boolsIntChanneling(BoolVar[] bVars,  
                                IntVar var, int offset)  
    Creates an channeling constraint between an integer  
    variable and a set of boolean variables.
```

```
default Constraint circuit(IntVar[] vars)  
    Creates a circuit constraint which ensures that  
    the elements of vars define a covering circuit  
    where vars[i] = offset+j means that j is the successor of i.
```

```
default Constraint circuit(IntVar[] vars, int offset)  
    Creates a circuit constraint which ensures that  
    the elements of vars define a covering circuit  
    where vars[i] = offset+j means that j is the successor of i.
```

```
default Constraint circuit(IntVar[] vars, int offset,  
                                CircuitConf conf)  
    Creates a circuit constraint which ensures that  
    the elements of vars define a covering circuit  
    where vars[i] = offset+j means that j is the successor of i.
```

```
default Constraint clausesIntChanneling(IntVar var,  
                                BoolVar[] eVars, BoolVar[] lVars)  
    Creates an channeling constraint between an integer  
    variable and a set of clauses.
```

```
default Constraint costRegular(IntVar[] vars, IntVar cost,  
                                ICostAutomaton costAutomaton)  
    Creates a regular constraint that supports a cost function.
```

```
default Constraint count(int value, IntVar[] vars, IntVar limit)  
    Creates a count constraint.
```

```
default Constraint
```

```
count(IntVar value, IntVar[] vars,  
IntVar limit)
```

Creates a count constraint.

```
default void cumulative(IntVar[] starts, int[] durations,  
int[] heights, int capacity)
```

Creates and **posts** a decomposition of a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit.

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks, IntVar[] heights,  
IntVar capacity)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit.

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks, IntVar[] heights,  
IntVar capacity, boolean incremental)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit.

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks, IntVar[] heights,  
IntVar capacity, boolean incremental,  
Cumulative.Filter... filters)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit.

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks, IntVar[] heights,  
IntVar capacity, boolean incremental,  
CumulFilter... filters)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit.

```
default Constraint diffN(IntVar[] X, IntVar[] Y, IntVar[] width,  
IntVar[] height,  
boolean addCumulativeReasoning)
```

Creates a diffN constraint.

```
default Constraint distance(IntVar var1, IntVar var2, String op,  
int cste)
```

Creates a distance constraint : $|var1-var2| \text{ op } cste$ where op can take its value among {"=", ">", "<", "!"}

```
default Constraint distance(IntVar var1, IntVar var2, String op,  
IntVar var3)
```

Creates a distance constraint: $|var1-var2| \text{ op } var3$
where op can take its value among {"=", ">", "<"}

default **Constraint** **div**(**IntVar** dividend, **IntVar** divisor,
IntVar result)

Creates an euclidean division constraint.

default **Constraint** **element**(**IntVar** value, int[] table,
IntVar index)

Creates an element constraint: value = table[index]

default **Constraint** **element**(**IntVar** value, int[] table,
IntVar index, int offset)

Creates an element constraint: value = table[index-offset]

default **Constraint** **element**(**IntVar** value, **IntVar**[] table,
IntVar index, int offset)

Creates a element constraint: value = table[index-offset]
where table is an array of variables.

default int[] **getDomainUnion**(**IntVar**... vars)

Get the list of values in the domains of vars

default **Constraint** **globalCardinality**(**IntVar**[] vars,
int[] values, **IntVar**[] occurrences,
boolean closed)

Creates a global cardinality constraint (GCC): Each value
values[i] should be taken by exactly occurrences[i] variables
of vars.

default **Constraint** **intValuePrecedeChain**(**IntVar**[] X, int[] V)

Creates an intValuePrecedeChain constraint.

default **Constraint** **intValuePrecedeChain**(**IntVar**[] X, int S,
int T)

Creates an intValuePrecedeChain constraint.

default **Constraint** **inverseChanneling**(**IntVar**[] vars1,
IntVar[] vars2)

Creates an inverse channeling between vars1 and vars2:
vars1[i] = j \Leftrightarrow vars2[j] = i Performs AC if domains are
enumerated.

default **Constraint** **inverseChanneling**(**IntVar**[] vars1,
IntVar[] vars2, int offset1, int offset2)

Creates an inverse channeling between vars1 and vars2:
vars1[i-offset2] = j \Leftrightarrow vars2[j-offset1] = i Performs AC if
domains are enumerated.

default **Constraint** **keySort**(**IntVar**[][] vars, **IntVar**[] PERMvars,

```
IntVar[ ][] SORTEDvars, int K)
```

Creates a keySort constraint which ensures that the variables of SORTEDvars correspond to the variables of vars according to a permutation stored in PERMvars (optional, can be null).

```
default Constraint knapsack(IntVar[ ] occurrences,  
IntVar weightSum, IntVar energySum,  
int[ ] weight, int[ ] energy)  
Creates a knapsack constraint.
```

```
default Constraint lexChainLess(IntVar[ ]... vars)  
Creates a lexChainLess constraint.
```

```
default Constraint lexChainLessEq(IntVar[ ]... vars)  
Creates a lexChainLessEq constraint.
```

```
default Constraint lexLess(IntVar[ ] vars1, IntVar[ ] vars2)  
Creates a lexLess constraint.
```

```
default Constraint lexLessEq(IntVar[ ] vars1, IntVar[ ] vars2)  
Creates a lexLessEq constraint.
```

```
default Constraint max(BoolVar max, BoolVar[ ] vars)  
Creates a maximum constraint.
```

```
default Constraint max(IntVar max, IntVar[ ] vars)  
Creates a maximum constraint.
```

```
default Constraint max(IntVar max, IntVar var1, IntVar var2)  
Creates a maximum constraint : max = max(var1, var2)  
(Bound Consistency)
```

```
default Constraint mddc(IntVar[ ] vars,  
MultivaluedDecisionDiagram MDD)  
Create a constraint where solutions (tuples) are encoded by  
a multi-valued decision diagram.
```

```
default Constraint member(IntVar var, int[ ] table)  
Creates a member constraint.
```

```
default Constraint member(IntVar var, int lb, int ub)  
Creates a member constraint.
```

```
default Constraint member(IntVar var, IterableRangeSet set)  
Creates a member constraint.
```

```
default Constraint min(BoolVar min, BoolVar[ ] vars)  
Creates a minimum constraint.
```

```
default Constraint min(IntVar min, IntVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates a minimum constraint.

```
default Constraint min(IntVar min, IntVar var1, IntVar var2)
```

Creates a minimum constraint: $\min = \min(\text{var1}, \text{var2})$
(Bound Consistency)

```
default Constraint mod(IntVar x, int mod, int res)
```

Creates a modulo constraint.

```
default Constraint mod(IntVar x, int mod, IntVar Y)
```

Creates a modulo constraint: $X \% a = Y$

```
default Constraint mod(IntVar X, IntVar Y, IntVar Z)
```

Ensures $X \% Y = Z$.

```
default Constraint multiCostRegular(IntVar[ ] vars,
```

```
          IntVar[ ] costVars,
```

```
          ICostAutomaton costAutomaton)
```

Creates a regular constraint that supports a multiple cost function.

```
default Constraint multiCostRegular(IntVar[ ] vars,
```

```
          IntVar[ ] costVars,
```

```
          ICostAutomaton costAutomaton,
```

```
          double precision)
```

Creates a regular constraint that supports a multiple cost function.

```
default Constraint not(Constraint cstr)
```

Gets the opposite of a given constraint Works for any constraint, including globals, but the associated performances might be weak

```
default Constraint notAllEqual(IntVar... vars)
```

Creates a notAllEqual constraint.

```
default Constraint notMember(IntVar var, int[ ] table)
```

Creates a notMember constraint.

```
default Constraint notMember(IntVar var, int lb, int ub)
```

Creates a notMember constraint.

```
default Constraint notMember(IntVar var,
```

```
          IntIterableRangeSet set)
```

Creates a notMember constraint.

```
default Constraint nValues(IntVar[ ] vars, IntVar nValues)
```

Creates an nValue constraint.

<code>default Constraint or(BoolVar... bools)</code>	Creates an or constraint that is satisfied if at least one boolean variables in <i>bools</i> is true
<code>default Constraint or(Constraint... cstrs)</code>	Creates an or constraint that is satisfied if at least one constraint in <i>cstrs</i> are satisfied
<code>default Constraint path(IntVar[] vars, IntVar start, IntVar end)</code>	Creates a path constraint which ensures that the elements of vars define a covering path from start to end where $\text{vars}[i] = j$ means that <i>j</i> is the successor of <i>i</i> .
<code>default Constraint path(IntVar[] vars, IntVar start, IntVar end, int offset)</code>	Creates a path constraint which ensures that the elements of vars define a covering path from start to end where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset}+j$ means that <i>j</i> is the successor of <i>i</i> .
<code>default Constraint regular(IntVar[] vars, IAutomaton automaton)</code>	Creates a regular constraint.
<code>default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars, int[] coeffs, String operator, int scalar)</code>	Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i]*\text{coeffs}[i]) \text{ operator } \text{scalar}$
<code>default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars, int[] coeffs, String operator, int scalar, int minCardForDecomp)</code>	Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i]*\text{coeffs}[i]) \text{ operator } \text{scalar}$
<code>default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars, int[] coeffs, String operator, IntVar scalar)</code>	Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i]*\text{coeffs}[i]) \text{ operator } \text{scalar}$
<code>default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars, int[] coeffs, String operator, IntVar scalar, int minCardForDecomp)</code>	Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i]*\text{coeffs}[i]) \text{ operator } \text{scalar}$
<code>default Constraint sort(IntVar[] vars, IntVar[] sortedVars)</code>	

Creates a sort constraint which ensures that the variables of sortedVars correspond to the variables of vars according to a permutation.

```
default Constraint square(IntVar var1, IntVar var2)  
    Creates a square constraint: var1 = var2^2
```

Creates a subCircuit constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a single circuit of subcircuitSize nodes where

`vars[i] = offset+j` means that j is the successor of i .

```
default Constraint subPath(IntVar[ ] vars, IntVar start,  
                         IntVar end, int offset, IntVar SIZE)
```

Creates a subPath constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a path of SIZE vertices, leading from start to end

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset} + j$ means that j is the successor of i .

```
default Constraint sum(BoolVar[ ] vars, String operator, int sum)  
        Creates a sum constraint.
```

```
default Constraint sum(BoolVar[ ] vars, String operator,  
                      IntVar sum)
```

Creates a sum constraint.

```
default Constraint sum(BoolVar[] vars, String operator,  
                      IntVar sum, int minCardForDecomp)  
    Creates a sum constraint.
```

default Constraint sum(IntVar[] vars, String operator, int sum)
Creates a sum constraint.

```
default Constraint sum(IntVar[] vars, String operator, int sum,  
                      int minCardForDecomp)  
  
Creates a sum constraint.
```

```
default Constraint sum(IntVar[ ] vars, String operator,  
                      IntVar sum)
```

Creates a sum constraint.

```
default Constraint sum(IntVar[ ] vars, String operator,  
                      IntVar sum, int minCardForDecomp)
```

Creates a sum constraint.

```
default Constraint table(IntVar[ ] vars, Tuples tuples)
```

Creates a table constraint specifying that the sequence of variables vars must belong to the list of tuples (or must NOT belong in case of infeasible tuples) Default configuration with GACSTR+ algorithm for feasible tuples and GAC3rm otherwise

```
default Constraint table(IntVar[ ] vars, Tuples tuples,  
String algo)
```

Creates a table constraint, with the specified algorithm defined algo - **CT+**: Compact-Table algorithm (AC),
- **GAC2001**: Arc Consistency version 2001 for tuples,
- **GAC2001+**: Arc Consistency version 2001 for allowed tuples,
- **GAC3rm**: Arc Consistency version AC3 rm for tuples,
- **GAC3rm+** (default): Arc Consistency version 3rm for allowed tuples,
- **GACSTR+**: Arc Consistency version STR for allowed tuples,
- **STR2+**: Arc Consistency version STR2 for allowed tuples,
- **FC**: Forward Checking.

```
default Constraint table(IntVar var1, IntVar var2,  
Tuples tuples)
```

Create a table constraint over a couple of variables var1 and var2 Uses AC3rm algorithm by default

```
default Constraint table(IntVar var1, IntVar var2,  
Tuples tuples, String algo)
```

Creates a table constraint over a couple of variables var1 and var2:

- **AC2001**: table constraint which applies the AC2001 algorithm,
- **AC3**: table constraint which applies the AC3 algorithm,
- **AC3rm**: table constraint which applies the AC3 rm algorithm,
- **AC3bit+rm** (default): table constraint which applies the AC3 bit+rm algorithm,
- **FC**: table constraint which applies forward checking algorithm.

```
default Constraint times(IntVar X, int Y, IntVar Z)
```

Creates a multiplication constraint: $X * Y = Z$

```
default Constraint times(IntVar X, IntVar Y, int Z)
```

Creates a multiplication constraint: $X * Y = Z$

```
default Constraint times(IntVar X, IntVar Y, IntVar Z)  
Creates a multiplication constraint: X * Y = Z
```

```
default Constraint tree(IntVar[] succs, IntVar nbTrees)  
Creates a tree constraint.
```

```
default Constraint tree(IntVar[] succs, IntVar nbTrees,  
int offset)  
Creates a tree constraint.
```

Methods inherited from interface org.chocosolver.solver.ISelf

ref

Method Detail

arithm

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var,  
String op,  
int cste)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint : var op cste, where op in {"=", "!=",">","<",">=","<="}

Parameters:

var - a variable

op - an operator

cste - a constant

member

```
default Constraint member(IntVar var,  
int[] table)
```

Creates a member constraint. Ensures var takes its values in table

Parameters:

var - an integer variable

table - an array of values

member

```
default Constraint member(IntVar var,  
                        int lb,  
                        int ub)
```

Creates a member constraint. Ensures var takes its values in [LB, UB]

Parameters:

var - an integer variable

lb - the lower bound of the interval

ub - the upper bound of the interval

mod

```
default Constraint mod(IntVar x,  
                      int mod,  
                      int res)
```

Creates a modulo constraint. Ensures $X \% a = b$

Parameters:

x - an integer variable

mod - the value of the modulo operand

res - the result of the modulo operation

not

```
default Constraint not(Constraint cstr)
```

Gets the opposite of a given constraint Works for any constraint, including globals, but the associated performances might be weak

Parameters:

cstr - a constraint

Returns:

the opposite constraint of *cstr*

notMember

```
default Constraint notMember(IntVar var,  
                             int[] table)
```

Creates a notMember constraint. Ensures var does not take its values in table

Parameters:

var - an integer variable
table - an array of values

member

```
default Constraint member(IntVar var,  
                         IntIterableRangeSet set)
```

Creates a member constraint. Ensures var takes its values in set

Parameters:

var - an integer variable
set - a set of values

notMember

```
default Constraint notMember(IntVar var,  
                            int lb,  
                            int ub)
```

Creates a notMember constraint. Ensures var does not take its values in [lb, UB]

Parameters:

var - an integer variable
lb - the lower bound of the interval
ub - the upper bound of the interval

notMember

```
default Constraint notMember(IntVar var,  
                           IntIterableRangeSet set)
```

Creates a notMember constraint. Ensures var does not take its values in set

Parameters:

var - an integer variable
set - a set of values

absolute

```
default Constraint absolute(IntVar var1,  
                           IntVar var2)
```

Creates an absolute value constraint: $\text{var1} = |\text{var2}|$

arithm

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var1,  
                           String op,  
                           IntVar var2)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint: $\text{var1} \text{ op } \text{var2}$, where op in {"=", "!=",">","<",">=","<="}

Parameters:

var1 - first variable

op - an operator

var2 - second variable

arithm

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var1,  
                           String op1,  
                           IntVar var2,  
                           String op2,  
                           int cste)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint : $\text{var1} \text{ op } \text{var2}$, where op in {"=", "!=",">","<",">=","<="} or {"+","-","*","/"}

Parameters:

var1 - first variable

op1 - an operator

var2 - second variable

op2 - another operator

cste - an operator

distance

```
default Constraint distance(IntVar var1,  
                           IntVar var2,  
                           String op,  
                           int cste)
```

Creates a distance constraint : $|var1-var2| \text{ op cste}$
where op can take its value among {"=", ">", "<", "!="}

element

```
default Constraint element(IntVar value,
                           int[] table,
                           IntVar index,
                           int offset)
```

Creates an element constraint: $\text{value} = \text{table}[\text{index}-\text{offset}]$

Parameters:

`value` - an integer variable taking its value in `table`

`table` - an array of integer values

`index` - an integer variable representing the value of `value` in `table`

`offset` - offset matching `index.lb` and `table[0]` (Generally 0)

element

```
default Constraint element(IntVar value,
                           int[] table,
                           IntVar index)
```

Creates an element constraint: $\text{value} = \text{table}[\text{index}]$

Parameters:

`value` - an integer variable taking its value in `table`

`table` - an array of integer values

`index` - an integer variable representing the value of `value` in `table`

mod

```
default Constraint mod(IntVar X,
                       int mod,
                       IntVar Y)
```

Creates a modulo constraint: $X \% a = Y$

Parameters:

`X` - first integer variable

`mod` – the value of the modulo operand

`y` – second integer variable (result of the modulo operation)

square

```
default Constraint square(IntVar var1,  
                         IntVar var2)
```

Creates a square constraint: $\text{var1} = \text{var2}^2$

table

```
default Constraint table(IntVar var1,  
                         IntVar var2,  
                         Tuples tuples)
```

Create a table constraint over a couple of variables `var1` and `var2`. Uses AC3rm algorithm by default

Parameters:

`var1` – first variable

`var2` – second variable

table

```
default Constraint table(IntVar var1,  
                         IntVar var2,  
                         Tuples tuples,  
                         String algo)
```

Creates a table constraint over a couple of variables `var1` and `var2`:

- **AC2001**: table constraint which applies the AC2001 algorithm,
- **AC3**: table constraint which applies the AC3 algorithm,
- **AC3rm**: table constraint which applies the AC3 rm algorithm,
- **AC3bit+rm** (default): table constraint which applies the AC3 bit+rm algorithm,
- **FC**: table constraint which applies forward checking algorithm.

Parameters:

`var1` – first variable

`var2` – second variable

`tuples` – the relation between the two variables, among {"AC3", "AC3rm", "AC3bit+rm", "AC2001", "FC"}

times

```
default Constraint times(IntVar X,  
                        int Y,  
                        IntVar Z)
```

Creates a multiplication constraint: $X * Y = Z$

Parameters:

X - first variable

Y - a constant

Z - result variable

times

```
default Constraint times(IntVar X,  
                        IntVar Y,  
                        int Z)
```

Creates a multiplication constraint: $X * Y = Z$

Parameters:

X - first variable

Y - second variable

Z - a constant (result)

arithm

```
default Constraint arithm(IntVar var1,  
                           String op1,  
                           IntVar var2,  
                           String op2,  
                           IntVar var3)
```

Creates an arithmetic constraint: $\text{var1 op1 var2 op2 var3}$, where op1 and op2 in {"=", "

Parameters:

var1 - first variable

op1 - an operator

var2 - second variable

op2 - another operator

var3 - third variable

distance

```
default Constraint distance(IntVar var1,  
                           IntVar var2,  
                           String op,  
                           IntVar var3)
```

Creates a distance constraint: $|var1-var2| \text{ op } var3$
where op can take its value among {"=", ">", "<"}

Parameters:

var1 - first variable

var2 - second variable

op - an operator

var3 - resulting variable

div

```
default Constraint div(IntVar dividend,  
                      IntVar divisor,  
                      IntVar result)
```

Creates an euclidean division constraint. Ensures $dividend / divisor = result$, rounding towards 0
Also ensures $divisor \neq 0$

Parameters:

dividend - dividend

divisor - divisor

result - result

max

```
default Constraint max(IntVar max,  
                      IntVar var1,  
                      IntVar var2)
```

Creates a maximum constraint : $max = \max(var1, var2)$ (Bound Consistency)

Parameters:

max - a variable

```
var1 - a variable
```

```
var2 - a variable
```

min

```
default Constraint min(IntVar min,
                      IntVar var1,
                      IntVar var2)
```

Creates a minimum constraint: $\text{min} = \min(\text{var1}, \text{var2})$ (Bound Consistency)

Parameters:

```
min - a variable
```

```
var1 - a variable
```

```
var2 - a variable
```

mod

```
default Constraint mod(IntVar X,
                      IntVar Y,
                      IntVar Z)
```

Ensures $X \% Y = Z$.

Creates a modulo constraint, that uses truncated division: the quotient is defined by truncation $q = \text{trunc}(a/n)$ and the remainder would have same sign as the dividend. The quotient is rounded towards zero: equal to the first integer in the direction of zero from the exact rational quotient.

Parameters:

```
X - first variable
```

```
Y - second variable
```

```
Z - result
```

times

```
default Constraint times(IntVar X,
                         IntVar Y,
                         IntVar Z)
```

Creates a multiplication constraint: $X * Y = Z$

Parameters:

```
x - first variable  
y - second variable  
z - result variable
```

allDifferent

```
default Constraint allDifferent(IntVar... vars)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint. Ensures that all variables from vars take a different value. Uses BC plus a probabilistic AC propagator to get a compromise between BC and AC

Parameters:

vars - list of variables

allDifferent

```
default Constraint allDifferent(IntVar[] vars,  
                               String CONSISTENCY)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint. Ensures that all variables from vars take a different value. The consistency level should be chosen among "BC", "AC" and "DEFAULT".

Parameters:

vars - list of variables

CONSISTENCY - consistency level, among {"BC", "AC"}

BC: Based on: "A Fast and Simple Algorithm for Bounds Consistency of the AllDifferent Constraint"

A. Lopez-Ortiz, CG. Quimper, J. Tromp, P.van Beek

AC: Uses Regin algorithm Runs in $O(m \cdot n)$ worst case time for the initial propagation and then in $O(n+m)$ on average.

DEFAULT:

Uses BC plus a probabilistic AC propagator to get a compromise between BC and AC

allDifferentUnderCondition

```
default Constraint allDifferentUnderCondition(IntVar[] vars,  
                                              Condition condition,  
                                              boolean singleCondition)
```

Creates an allDifferent constraint subject to the given condition. More precisely: IF

`singleCondition` for all X,Y in vars, `condition(X) => X != Y` ELSE for all X,Y in vars, `condition(X) AND condition(Y) => X != Y`

Parameters:

`vars` - collection of variables

`condition` - condition defining which variables should be constrained

`singleCondition` - specifies how to apply filtering

allDifferentExcept0

```
default Constraint allDifferentExcept0(IntVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates an `allDifferent` constraint for variables that are not equal to 0. There can be multiple variables equal to 0.

Parameters:

`vars` - collection of variables

allEqual

```
default Constraint allEqual(IntVar... vars)
```

Creates an `allEqual` constraint. Ensures that all variables from `vars` take the same value.

Parameters:

`vars` - list of variables

notAllEqual

```
default Constraint notAllEqual(IntVar... vars)
```

Creates a `notAllEqual` constraint. Ensures that all variables from `vars` take more than a single value.

Parameters:

`vars` - list of variables

among

```
default Constraint among(IntVar nbVar,  
                         IntVar[ ] vars,
```

```
int[] values)
```

Creates an among constraint. nbVar is the number of variables of the collection vars that take their value in values.

gccat among

Propagator : C. Bessiere, E. Hebrard, B. Hnich, Z. Kiziltan, T. Walsh, Among, common and disjoint Constraints CP-2005

Parameters:

nbVar - a variable

vars - vector of variables

values - set of values

and

```
default Constraint and(BoolVar... bools)
```

Creates an and constraint that is satisfied if all boolean variables in *bools* are true

Parameters:

bools - an array of boolean variable

Returns:

a constraint and ensuring that variables in *bools* are all set to true

and

```
default Constraint and(Constraint... csts)
```

Creates an and constraint that is satisfied if all constraints in *csts* are satisfied

BEWARE: this should not be used to post several constraints at once but in a reification context

Parameters:

csts - an array of constraints

Returns:

a constraint and ensuring that all constraints in *csts* are satisfied

atLeastNValues

```
default Constraint atLeastNValues(IntVar[] vars,  
                                IntVar nValues,
```

```
boolean AC)
```

Creates an atLeastNValue constraint. Let N be the number of distinct values assigned to the variables of the vars collection. Enforce condition $N \geq nValues$ to hold.

This embeds a light propagator by default. Additional filtering algorithms can be added.

Parameters:

vars - collection of variables

nValues - limit variable

AC - additional filtering algorithm, domain filtering algorithm derivated from (Soft)AllDifferent

atMostNValues

```
default Constraint atMostNValues(IntVar[] vars,  
                                IntVar nValues,  
                                boolean STRONG)
```

Creates an atMostNValue constraint. Let N be the number of distinct values assigned to the variables of the vars collection. Enforce condition $N \leq nValues$ to hold.

This embeds a light propagator by default. Additional filtering algorithms can be added.

Parameters:

vars - collection of variables

nValues - limit variable

STRONG - "AMNV" Filters the conjunction of AtMostNValue and disequalities (see Fages and Lapègue Artificial Intelligence 2014) automatically detects disequalities and allDifferent constraints. Presumably useful when nValues must be minimized.

binPacking

```
default Constraint binPacking(IntVar[] itemBin,  
                             int[] itemSize,  
                             IntVar[] binLoad,  
                             int offset)
```

Creates a BinPacking constraint. Bin Packing formulation: forall b in [0,binLoad.length-1], binLoad[b]=sum(itemSize[i] | i in [0,itemSize.length-1], itemBin[i] = b+offset forall i in [0,itemSize.length-1], itemBin is in [offset,binLoad.length-1+offset],

Parameters:

```
itemBin - IntVar representing the bin of each item  
itemSize - int representing the size of each item  
binLoad - IntVar representing the load of each bin (i.e. the sum  
of the size of the items in it)  
offset - 0 by default but typically 1 if used within MiniZinc  
(which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)
```

boolsIntChanneling

```
default Constraint boolsIntChanneling(BoolVar[] bVars,  
                                      IntVar var,  
                                      int offset)
```

Creates an channeling constraint between an integer variable and a set of boolean variables. Maps the boolean assignments variables bVars with the standard assignment variable var.

$\text{var} = i \leftrightarrow \text{bVars}[i-\text{offset}] = 1$

Parameters:

```
bVars - array of boolean variables  
var - observed variable. Should presumably have an enumerated  
domain  
offset - 0 by default but typically 1 if used within MiniZinc  
(which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)
```

bitsIntChanneling

```
default Constraint bitsIntChanneling(BoolVar[] bits,  
                                     IntVar var)
```

Creates an channeling constraint between an integer variable and a set of bit variables. Ensures that $\text{var} = 2^0*\text{BIT_1} + 2^1*\text{BIT_2} + \dots + 2^{n-1}*\text{BIT_n}$.
BIT_1 is related to the first bit of OCTET (2^0), BIT_2 is related to the first bit of OCTET (2^1), etc.
The upper bound of var is given by 2^n , where n is the size of the array bits.

Parameters:

```
bits - the array of bits  
var - the numeric value
```

clausesIntChanneling

```
default Constraint clausesIntChanneling(IntVar var,
                                         BoolVar[ ] eVars,
                                         BoolVar[ ] lVars)
```

Creates an channeling constraint between an integer variable and a set of clauses. Link each value from the domain of var to two boolean variable: one reifies the equality to the i^{th} value of the variable domain, the other reifies the less-or-equality to the i^{th} value of the variable domain. Contract: eVars.length == lVars.length == var.getUB() - var.getLB() + 1 Contract: var is not a boolean variable

Parameters:

var - an Integer variable

eVars - array of EQ boolean variables

lVars - array of LQ boolean variables

circuit

```
default Constraint circuit(IntVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates a circuit constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a covering circuit

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset}+j$ means that j is the successor of i .

Filtering algorithms:

subtour elimination : Caseau & Laburthe (ICLP'97)

allDifferent GAC algorithm: Régin (AAAI'94)

dominator-based filtering: Fages & Lorca (CP'11)

Strongly Connected Components based filtering (Cambazard & Bourreau JFPC'06 and Fages and Lorca TechReport'12)

Parameters:

vars - vector of variables which take their value in
[$\text{offset}, \text{offset}+|\text{vars}|-1$]

Returns:

a circuit constraint

circuit

```
default Constraint circuit(IntVar[ ] vars,
```

```
int offset)
```

Creates a circuit constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a covering circuit

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset} + j$ means that j is the successor of i .

Filtering algorithms:

subtour elimination : Caseau & Laburthe (ICLP'97)

allDifferent GAC algorithm: Régin (AAAI'94)

dominator-based filtering: Fages & Lorca (CP'11)

Strongly Connected Components based filtering (Cambazard & Bourreau JFPC'06 and Fages and Lorca TechReport'12)

Parameters:

`vars` – vector of variables which take their value in
[`offset`,`offset+|vars|-1`]

`offset` – 0 by default but typically 1 if used within MiniZinc
(which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to $n-1$)

Returns:

a circuit constraint

circuit

```
default Constraint circuit(IntVar[] vars,  
                           int offset,  
                           CircuitConf conf)
```

Creates a circuit constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a covering circuit

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset} + j$ means that j is the successor of i .

Filtering algorithms:

subtour elimination : Caseau & Laburthe (ICLP'97)

allDifferent GAC algorithm: Régin (AAAI'94)

dominator-based filtering: Fages & Lorca (CP'11)

Strongly Connected Components based filtering (Cambazard & Bourreau JFPC'06 and Fages and Lorca TechReport'12)

Parameters:

vars - vector of variables which take their value in
[offset, offset+|vars|-1]
offset - 0 by default but typically 1 if used within MiniZinc
(which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)
conf - filtering options

Returns:

a circuit constraint

costRegular

```
default Constraint costRegular(IntVar[] vars,  
                                IntVar cost,  
                                ICostAutomaton costAutomaton)
```

Creates a regular constraint that supports a cost function. Ensures that the assignment of a sequence of variables is recognized by costAutomaton, a deterministic finite automaton, and that the sum of the costs associated to each assignment is bounded by the cost variable. This version allows to specify different costs according to the automaton state at which the assignment occurs (i.e. the transition starts)

Parameters:

vars - sequence of variables
cost - cost variable
costAutomaton - a deterministic finite automaton defining the regular language and the costs can be built with method CostAutomaton.makeSingleResource(...)

count

```
default Constraint count(int value,  
                        IntVar[] vars,  
                        IntVar limit)
```

Creates a count constraint. Let N be the number of variables of the vars collection assigned to value value; Enforce condition N = limit to hold.

Parameters:

value - an int
vars - a vector of variables
limit - a variable

count

```
default Constraint count(IntVar value,  
                        IntVar[] vars,  
                        IntVar limit)
```

Creates a count constraint. Let N be the number of variables of the vars collection assigned to value value; Enforce condition $N = \text{limit}$ to hold.

Parameters:

value - a variable

vars - a vector of variables

limit - a variable

cumulative

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks,  
                             IntVar[] heights,  
                             IntVar capacity)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit. Task duration and height should be ≥ 0 . Discards tasks whose duration or height is equal to zero

Parameters:

tasks - Task objects containing start, duration and end variables

heights - integer variables representing the resource consumption of each task

capacity - integer variable representing the resource capacity

Returns:

a cumulative constraint

cumulative

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks,  
                             IntVar[] heights,  
                             IntVar capacity,  
                             boolean incremental)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated

height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit. Task duration and height should be ≥ 0 Discards tasks whose duration or height is equal to zero

Parameters:

tasks - Task objects containing start, duration and end variables

heights - integer variables representing the resource consumption of each task

capacity - integer variable representing the resource capacity

incremental - specifies if an incremental propagation should be applied

Returns:

a cumulative constraint

cumulative

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks,
                             IntVar[] heights,
                             IntVar capacity,
                             boolean incremental,
                             Cumulative.Filter... filters)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit. Task duration and height should be ≥ 0 Discards tasks whose duration or height is equal to zero

Parameters:

tasks - Task objects containing start, duration and end variables

heights - integer variables representing the resource consumption of each task

capacity - integer variable representing the resource capacity

incremental - specifies if an incremental propagation should be applied

filters - specifies which filtering algorithms to apply

Returns:

a cumulative constraint

cumulative

```
default Constraint cumulative(Task[] tasks,
```

```
IntVar[ ] heights,  
IntVar capacity,  
boolean incremental,  
CumulFilter... filters)
```

Creates a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit. Task duration and height should be ≥ 0 Discards tasks whose duration or height is equal to zero

Parameters:

tasks - Task objects containing start, duration and end variables

heights - integer variables representing the resource consumption of each task

capacity - integer variable representing the resource capacity

incremental - specifies if an incremental propagation should be applied

filters - specifies which filtering algorithms to apply

Returns:

a cumulative constraint

cumulative

```
default void cumulative(IntVar[] starts,  
                      int[] durations,  
                      int[] heights,  
                      int capacity)
```

Creates and **posts** a decomposition of a cumulative constraint: Enforces that at each point in time, the cumulated height of the set of tasks that overlap that point does not exceed a given limit. Task duration and height should be ≥ 0 Discards tasks whose duration or height is equal to zero

Parameters:

starts - starting time of each task

durations - processing time of each task

heights - resource consumption of each task

capacity - resource capacity

diffN

```
default Constraint diffN(IntVar[ ] X,
```

```
    IntVar[ ] Y,  
    IntVar[ ] width,  
    IntVar[ ] height,  
    boolean addCumulativeReasoning)
```

Creates a diffN constraint. Constrains each rectangle_i, given by their origins X_i,Y_i and sizes width_i,height_i, to be non-overlapping.

Parameters:

X - collection of coordinates in first dimension

Y - collection of coordinates in second dimension

width - collection of width (each duration should be > 0)

height - collection of height (each height should be >= 0)

addCumulativeReasoning - indicates whether or not redundant cumulative constraints should be put on each dimension (advised)

Returns:

a non-overlapping constraint

element

```
default Constraint element(IntVar value,  
                           IntVar[ ] table,  
                           IntVar index,  
                           int offset)
```

Creates a element constraint: value = table[index-offset] where table is an array of variables.

Parameters:

value - value variable

table - array of variables

index - index variable in range [offset,offset+|table|-1]

offset - int offset, generally 0

globalCardinality

```
default Constraint globalCardinality(IntVar[ ] vars,  
                                      int[ ] values,  
                                      IntVar[ ] occurrences,  
                                      boolean closed)
```

Creates a global cardinality constraint (GCC): Each value values[i] should be taken by

exactly occurrences[i] variables of vars.

This constraint does not ensure any well-defined level of consistency, yet.

Parameters:

vars - collection of variables

values - collection of constrained values

occurrences - collection of cardinality variables

closed - restricts domains of vars to values if set to true

inverseChanneling

```
default Constraint inverseChanneling(IntVar[] vars1,  
                                     IntVar[] vars2)
```

Creates an inverse channeling between vars1 and vars2: $\text{vars1}[i] = j \Leftrightarrow \text{vars2}[j] = i$

Performs AC if domains are enumerated. If not, then it works on bounds without guaranteeing BC (enumerated domains are strongly recommended)

Beware you should have $|\text{vars1}| = |\text{vars2}|$

Parameters:

vars1 - vector of variables which take their value in
 $[0, |\text{vars2}|-1]$

vars2 - vector of variables which take their value in
 $[0, |\text{vars1}|-1]$

inverseChanneling

```
default Constraint inverseChanneling(IntVar[] vars1,  
                                     IntVar[] vars2,  
                                     int offset1,  
                                     int offset2)
```

Creates an inverse channeling between vars1 and vars2: $\text{vars1}[i-\text{offset2}] = j \Leftrightarrow \text{vars2}[j-\text{offset1}] = i$ Performs AC if domains are enumerated. If not, then it works on bounds without guaranteeing BC (enumerated domains are strongly recommended)

Beware you should have $|\text{vars1}| = |\text{vars2}|$

Parameters:

vars1 - vector of variables which take their value in
 $[\text{offset1}, \text{offset1}+|\text{vars2}|-1]$

vars2 - vector of variables which take their value in
 $[\text{offset2}, \text{offset2}+|\text{vars1}|-1]$

```
offset1 - lowest value in vars1 (most often 0)
```

```
offset2 - lowest value in vars2 (most often 0)
```

intValuePrecedeChain

```
default Constraint intValuePrecedeChain(IntVar[ ] X,  
                                         int S,  
                                         int T)
```

Creates an intValuePrecedeChain constraint. Ensure that if there exists j such that $X[j] = T$, then, there must exist $i < j$ such that $X[i] = S$.

Parameters:

X - an array of variables

S - a value

T - another value

intValuePrecedeChain

```
default Constraint intValuePrecedeChain(IntVar[ ] X,  
                                         int[ ] V)
```

Creates an intValuePrecedeChain constraint. Ensure that, for each pair of $V[k]$ and $V[l]$ of values in V , such that $k < l$, if there exists j such that $X[j] = V[l]$, then, there must exist $i < j$ such that $X[i] = V[k]$.

Parameters:

X - array of variables

V - array of (distinct) values

knapsack

```
default Constraint knapsack(IntVar[ ] occurrences,  
                           IntVar weightSum,  
                           IntVar energySum,  
                           int[ ] weight,  
                           int[ ] energy)
```

Creates a knapsack constraint. Ensures that :

- $\text{occurrences}[i] * \text{weight}[i] = \text{weightSum}$

- $\text{occurrences}[i] * \text{energy}[i] = \text{energySum}$

and maximizing the value of energySum .

A knapsack constraint wikipedia:

"Given a set of items, each with a weight and an energy value, determine the count of each item to include in a collection so that the total weight is less than or equal to a given limit and the total value is as large as possible. It derives its name from the problem faced by someone who is constrained by a fixed-size knapsack and must fill it with the most useful items." The limit over weightSum has to be specified either in its domain or with an additional constraint:

```
model.post(solver.arithm(weightSum, "<=", limit);
```

Parameters:

occurrences – number of occurrences of every item

weightSum – load of the knapsack

energySum – profit of the knapsack

weight – weight of each item (must be ≥ 0)

energy – energy of each item (must be ≥ 0)

keySort

```
default Constraint keySort(IntVar[][] vars,  
                           IntVar[] PERMvars,  
                           IntVar[][] SORTEDvars,  
                           int K)
```

Creates a keySort constraint which ensures that the variables of SORTEDvars correspond to the variables of vars according to a permutation stored in PERMvars (optional, can be null). The variables of SORTEDvars are also sorted in increasing order wrt to K-size tuples. The sort is stable, that is, ties are broken using the position of the tuple in vars.

For example:

- vars= ($<4,2,2>$, $<2,3,1>$, $<4,2,1>$, $<1,3,0>$)
- SORTEDvars= ($<1,3,0>$, $<2,3,1>$, $<4,2,2>$, $<4,2,1>$)
- PERMvars= (2,1,3,0)
- K = 2

Parameters:

vars – a tuple of array of variables

PERMvars – array of permutation variables, domains should be [1, vars.length] -- Can be null

SORTEDvars – a tuple of array of variables sorted in increasing order

K – key prefixes size ($0 \leq k \leq m$, where m is the size of the

array of variable)

Returns:

a keySort constraint

lexChainLess

```
default Constraint lexChainLess(IntVar[...] vars)
```

Creates a lexChainLess constraint. For each pair of consecutive vectors vars_i and vars_{i+1} of the vars collection vars_i is lexicographically strictly less than than vars_{i+1}

Parameters:

vars - collection of vectors of variables

lexChainLessEq

```
default Constraint lexChainLessEq(IntVar[...] vars)
```

Creates a lexChainLessEq constraint. For each pair of consecutive vectors vars_i and vars_{i+1} of the vars collection vars_i is lexicographically less or equal than than vars_{i+1}

Parameters:

vars - collection of vectors of variables

lexLess

```
default Constraint lexLess(IntVar[ ] vars1,  
                           IntVar[ ] vars2)
```

Creates a lexLess constraint. Ensures that vars1 is lexicographically strictly less than vars2 .

Parameters:

vars1 - vector of variables

vars2 - vector of variables

lexLessEq

```
default Constraint lexLessEq(IntVar[ ] vars1,  
                            IntVar[ ] vars2)
```

Creates a lexLessEq constraint. Ensures that vars1 is lexicographically less or equal than vars2 .

Parameters:

vars1 - vector of variables

vars2 - vector of variables

max

```
default Constraint max(IntVar max,
                      IntVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates a maximum constraint. max is the maximum value of the collection of domain variables vars

Parameters:

max - a variable

vars - a vector of variables, of size > 0

max

```
default Constraint max(BoolVar max,
                      BoolVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates a maximum constraint. max is the maximum value of the collection of boolean variables vars

Parameters:

max - a boolean variable

vars - a vector of boolean variables, of size > 0

mddc

```
default Constraint mddc(IntVar[ ] vars,
                        MultivaluedDecisionDiagram MDD)
```

Create a constraint where solutions (tuples) are encoded by a multi-valued decision diagram. The order of the variables in vars is important and must refer to the MDD.

Parameters:

vars - the array of variables

MDD - the multi-valued decision diagram encoding solutions

min

```
default Constraint min(IntVar min,
                      IntVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates a minimum constraint. min is the minimum value of the collection of domain variables vars

Parameters:

min - a variable

vars - a vector of variables, of size > 0

min

```
default Constraint min(BoolVar min,
                      BoolVar[ ] vars)
```

Creates a minimum constraint. min is the minimum value of the collection of boolean variables vars

Parameters:

min - a boolean variable

vars - a vector of boolean variables, of size > 0

multiCostRegular

```
default Constraint multiCostRegular(IntVar[ ] vars,
                                      IntVar[ ] costVars,
                                      ICostAutomaton costAutomaton)
```

Creates a regular constraint that supports a multiple cost function. Ensures that the assignment of a sequence of vars is recognized by costAutomaton, a deterministic finite automaton, and that the sum of the cost vector associated to each assignment is bounded by the variable vector costVars. This version allows to specify different costs according to the automaton state at which the assignment occurs (i.e. the transition starts)

Parameters:

vars - sequence of variables

costVars - cost variables

costAutomaton - a deterministic finite automaton defining the regular language and the costs Can be built from method CostAutomaton.makeMultiResources(...)

multiCostRegular

```
default Constraint multiCostRegular(IntVar[] vars,  
                                    IntVar[] costVars,  
                                    ICostAutomaton costAutomaton,  
                                    double precision)
```

Creates a regular constraint that supports a multiple cost function. Ensures that the assignment of a sequence of vars is recognized by costAutomaton, a deterministic finite automaton, and that the sum of the cost vector associated to each assignment is bounded by the variable vector costVars. This version allows to specify different costs according to the automaton state at which the assignment occurs (i.e. the transition starts)

Parameters:

vars – sequence of variables

costVars – cost variables

costAutomaton – a deterministic finite automaton defining the regular language and the costs Can be built from method CostAutomaton.makeMultiResources(...)

precision – the smallest used double for MCR algorithm

nValues

```
default Constraint nValues(IntVar[] vars,  
                           IntVar nValues)
```

Creates an nValue constraint. Let N be the number of distinct values assigned to the variables of the vars collection. Enforce condition $N = nValues$ to hold.

This embeds a light propagator by default. Additional filtering algorithms can be added.

see atleast_nvalue and atmost_nvalue

Parameters:

vars – collection of variables

nValues – limit variable

Returns:

the conjunction of atleast_nvalue and atmost_nvalue

or

```
default Constraint or(BoolVar... bools)
```

Creates an or constraint that is satisfied if at least one boolean variables in *bools* is true

Parameters:

`bools` – an array of boolean variable

Returns:

a constraint that is satisfied if at least one boolean variables in `bools` is true

or

```
default Constraint or(Constraint... csts)
```

Creates an or constraint that is satisfied if at least one constraint in `csts` are satisfied

Parameters:

`csts` – an array of constraints

Returns:

a constraint and ensuring that at least one constraint in `csts` are satisfied

path

```
default Constraint path(IntVar[] vars,  
                      IntVar start,  
                      IntVar end)
```

Creates a path constraint which ensures that

the elements of `vars` define a covering path from `start` to `end`

where `vars[i] = j` means that `j` is the successor of `i`.

Moreover, `vars[end] = |vars|`

Requires : $|vars| > 0$

Filtering algorithms: see circuit constraint

Parameters:

`vars` – vector of variables which take their value in $[0, |vars|]$

`start` – variable indicating the index of the first variable in the path

`end` – variable indicating the index of the last variable in the path

Returns:

a path constraint

path

```
default Constraint path(IntVar[] vars,  
                      IntVar start,  
                      IntVar end,  
                      int offset)
```

Creates a path constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a covering path from start to end

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset} + j$ means that j is the successor of i .

Moreover, $\text{vars}[\text{end}-\text{offset}] = |\text{vars}| + \text{offset}$

Requires : $|\text{vars}| > 0$

Filtering algorithms: see circuit constraint

Parameters:

vars - vector of variables which take their value in
[offset, offset+|vars|]

start - variable indicating the index of the first variable in
the path

end - variable indicating the index of the last variable in the
path

offset - 0 by default but typically 1 if used within Minizinc
(which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)

Returns:

a path constraint

regular

```
default Constraint regular(IntVar[] vars,  
                           IAutomaton automaton)
```

Creates a regular constraint. Enforces the sequence of vars to be a word recognized by the deterministic finite automaton. For example regexp = "(1|2)(3*)(4|5)"; The same dfa can be used for different propagators.

Parameters:

vars - sequence of variables

automaton - a deterministic finite automaton defining the regular language

scalar

```
default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars,  
                         int[] coeffs,  
                         String operator,  
                         int scalar)
```

Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i] * \text{coeffs}[i])$ operator scalar

Parameters:

vars - a collection of IntVar

coeffs - a collection of int, for which $|\text{vars}| = |\text{coeffs}|$

operator - an operator in { " $=$ ", " $!=$ ", " $>$ ", " $<$ ", " \geq ", " \leq " }

scalar - an integer

Returns:

a scalar constraint

scalar

```
default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars,  
                         int[] coeffs,  
                         String operator,  
                         int scalar,  
                         int minCardForDecomp)
```

Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i] * \text{coeffs}[i])$ operator scalar

Parameters:

vars - a collection of IntVar

coeffs - a collection of int, for which $|\text{vars}| = |\text{coeffs}|$

operator - an operator in { " $=$ ", " $!=$ ", " $>$ ", " $<$ ", " \geq ", " \leq " }

scalar - an integer

minCardForDecomp - minimum number of cardinality threshold to a sum constraint to be decomposed

Returns:

a scalar constraint

scalar

```
default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars,  
                         int[] coeffs,
```

```
String operator,  
IntVar scalar)
```

Creates a scalar constraint which ensures that $\text{Sum}(\text{vars}[i] * \text{coeffs}[i])$ operator scalar

Parameters:

vars - a collection of IntVar

coeffs - a collection of int, for which $|\text{vars}| = |\text{coeffs}|$

operator - an operator in { " $=$ " , " $!=$ " , " $>$ " , " $<$ " , " \geq " , " \leq " }

scalar - an IntVar

Returns:

a scalar constraint

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default Constraint scalar(IntVar[] vars,  
                           int[] coeffs,  
                           String operator,  
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scalar - an IntVar

minCardForDecomp - minimum number of cardinality threshold to a sum constraint to be decomposed

Returns:

a scalar constraint

sort

```
default Constraint sort(IntVar[] vars,  
                        IntVar[] sortedVars)
```

Creates a sort constraint which ensures that the variables of sortedVars correspond to the variables of vars according to a permutation. The variables of sortedVars are also sorted in increasing order.

For example:

- X= (4,2,1,3)
- Y= (1,2,3,4)

Parameters:

vars - an array of variables

sortedVars - an array of variables sorted in increasing order

Returns:

a sort constraint

subCircuit

```
default Constraint subCircuit(IntVar[ ] vars,  
                           int offset,  
                           IntVar subCircuitLength)
```

Creates a subCircuit constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a single circuit of subcircuitSize nodes where

vars[i] = offset+j means that j is the successor of i.

and vars[i] = offset+i means that i is not part of the circuit

the constraint ensures that $|\{vars[i] =/= offset+i\}| = subCircuitLength$

Filtering algorithms:

subtour elimination : Caseau & Laburthe (ICLP'97)

allDifferent GAC algorithm: Régin (AAAI'94)

dominator-based filtering: Fages & Lorca (CP'11) (adaptive scheme by default, see implementation)

Parameters:

vars - a vector of variables

offset - 0 by default but 1 if used within MiniZinc (which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)

subCircuitLength - expected number of nodes in the circuit

Returns:

a subCircuit constraint

subPath

```
default Constraint subPath(IntVar[ ] vars,
                           IntVar start,
                           IntVar end,
                           int offset,
                           IntVar SIZE)
```

Creates a subPath constraint which ensures that

the elements of vars define a path of SIZE vertices, leading from start to end

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset} + j$ means that j is the successor of i .

where $\text{vars}[i] = \text{offset} + i$ means that vertex i is excluded from the path.

Moreover, $\text{vars}[\text{end}-\text{offset}] = |\text{vars}| + \text{offset}$

Requires : $|\text{vars}| > 0$

Filtering algorithms: see subCircuit constraint

Parameters:

vars - vector of variables which take their value in
[offset, offset+|vars|]

start - variable indicating the index of the first variable in
the path

end - variable indicating the index of the last variable in the
path

offset - 0 by default but typically 1 if used within MiniZinc
(which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)

SIZE - variable indicating the number of variables to belong to
the path

Returns:

a subPath constraint

sum

```
default Constraint sum(IntVar[ ] vars,
                      String operator,
                      int sum)
```

Creates a sum constraint. Enforces that $\sum_i \text{vars}_i$ operator sum.

Parameters:

vars - a collection of IntVar

operator - operator in {"=", "!=" , ">" , "<" , ">=" , "<=" }

`sum` – an integer

Returns:

a sum constraint

sum

```
default Constraint sum(IntVar[] vars,  
                      String operator,  
                      int sum,  
                      int minCardForDecomp)
```

Creates a sum constraint. Enforces that $\sum_i \text{vars}_i$ operator sum.

Parameters:

`vars` – a collection of IntVar

`operator` – operator in {"=", "!=" , ">" , "<" , ">=" , "<="}

`sum` – an integer

`minCardForDecomp` – minimum number of cardinality threshold to a sum constraint to be decomposed

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a sum constraint

sum

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IntVar sum,
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vars - a collection of IntVar

operator - operator in {"=", "!=" , ">" , "<" , ">=" , "<="}

sum - an IntVar

minCardForDecomp - minimum number of cardinality threshold to a sum constraint to be decomposed

Returns:

a sum constraint

sum

```
default Constraint sum(BoolVar[] vars,
                      String operator,
                      int sum)
```

Creates a sum constraint. Enforces that $\sum_i \text{vars}_i$ operator sum. This constraint is much faster than the one over integer variables

Parameters:

vars - a vector of boolean variables

sum - an integer

sum

```
default Constraint sum(BoolVar[] vars,
                      String operator,
                      IntVar sum)
```

Creates a sum constraint. Enforces that $\sum_i \text{vars}_i$ operator sum. This constraint is much faster than the one over integer variables

Parameters:

vars - a vector of boolean variables

sum - a variable

sum

```
default Constraint sum(BoolVar[] vars,  
                      String operator,  
                      IntVar sum,  
                      int minCardForDecomp)
```

Creates a sum constraint. Enforces that $\sum_i \text{vars}_i$ operator sum. This constraint is much faster than the one over integer variables

Parameters:

vars - a vector of boolean variables

sum - a variable

minCardForDecomp - minimum number of cardinality threshold to a sum constraint to be decomposed

table

```
default Constraint table(IntVar[] vars,  
                        Tuples tuples)
```

Creates a table constraint specifying that the sequence of variables vars must belong to the list of tuples (or must NOT belong in case of infeasible tuples) Default configuration with GACSTR+ algorithm for feasible tuples and GAC3rm otherwise

Parameters:

vars - variables forming the tuples

tuples - the relation between the variables (list of allowed/forbidden tuples)

table

```
default Constraint table(IntVar[] vars,  
                        Tuples tuples,  
                        String algo)
```

Creates a table constraint, with the specified algorithm defined algo

- **CT+:** Compact-Table algorithm (AC),
- **GAC2001:** Arc Consistency version 2001 for tuples,
- **GAC2001+:** Arc Consistency version 2001 for allowed tuples,
- **GAC3rm:** Arc Consistency version AC3 rm for tuples,
- **GAC3rm+ (default):** Arc Consistency version 3rm for allowed tuples,
- **GACSTR+:** Arc Consistency version STR for allowed tuples,
- **STR2+:** Arc Consistency version STR2 for allowed tuples,
- **FC:** Forward Checking.

- **MDD+**: uses a multi-valued decision diagram for allowed tuples (see mddc constraint),

Parameters:

`vars` - variables forming the tuples

`tuples` - the relation between the variables (list of allowed/forbidden tuples). Should not be modified once passed to the constraint.

`algo` - to choose among {"TC+", "GAC3rm", "GAC2001", "GACSTR", "GAC2001+", "GAC3rm+", "FC", "STR2+"}

tree

```
default Constraint tree(IntVar[] succs,  
                      IntVar nbTrees)
```

Creates a tree constraint. Partition `succs` variables into `nbTrees` (anti) arborescences

`succs[i] = j` means that `j` is the successor of `i`.

and `succs[i] = i` means that `i` is a root

dominator-based filtering: Fages & Lorca (CP'11)

However, the filtering over `nbTrees` is quite light here

Parameters:

`succs` - successors variables, taking their domain in `[0, |succs| - 1]`

`nbTrees` - number of arborescences (=number of loops)

Returns:

a tree constraint

tree

```
default Constraint tree(IntVar[] succs,  
                      IntVar nbTrees,  
                      int offset)
```

Creates a tree constraint. Partition `succs` variables into `nbTrees` (anti) arborescences

`succs[i] = offset + j` means that `j` is the successor of `i`.

and `succs[i] = offset + i` means that `i` is a root

dominator-based filtering: Fages & Lorca (CP'11)

However, the filtering over nbTrees is quite light here

Parameters:

`succs` – successors variables, taking their domain in
[`offset`, $|succs| - 1 + offset$]

`nbTrees` – number of arborescences (=number of loops)

`offset` – 0 by default but 1 if used within Minizinc (which counts from 1 to n instead of from 0 to n-1)

Returns:

a tree constraint

getDomainUnion

```
default int[] getDomainUnion(IntVar... vars)
```

Get the list of values in the domains of vars

Parameters:

`vars` – an array of integer variables

Returns:

the list of values in the domains of vars

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