

Introduction to Model Checking Winter term 2013/2014

– Series 7 –

Hand in on December 11th before the exercise class or in the box in front of the chair's secretary's office.

Exercise 1

(2 points)

- a) Give an LT property that is not an ω -regular property.
- b) Give an ω -regular property that is not expressible in LTL.

Exercise 2

(3 points)

Let φ and ψ be LTL formulae. Consider the following new operators:

- a) “At next” $\varphi \text{ AX } \psi$:

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 A_2 \dots \models \varphi \text{ AX } \psi &\iff \text{for all } i \geq 0 \text{ where } A_i A_{i+1} \dots \models \psi, \\ &\text{for which there exists no } 0 \leq j < i \text{ where } A_j A_{j+1} \dots \models \psi, \\ &A_i A_{i+1} \dots \models \varphi \text{ holds} \end{aligned}$$

- b) “While” $\varphi \text{ WH } \psi$:

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 A_2 \dots \models \varphi \text{ WH } \psi &\iff \text{for all } i \geq 0 \text{ where } A_j A_{j+1} \dots \models \psi \text{ for all } 0 \leq j < i, \\ &A_k A_{k+1} \dots \models \varphi \text{ for all } 0 \leq k < i \end{aligned}$$

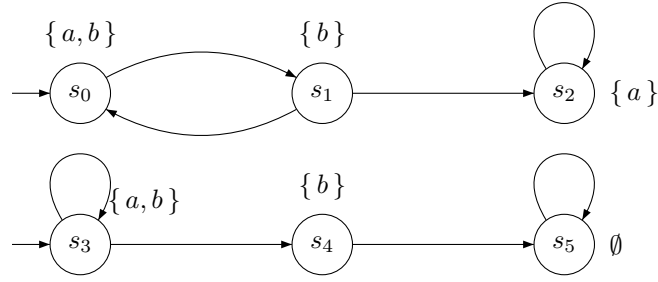
- c) “Before” $\varphi \text{ B } \psi$:

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 A_2 \dots \models \varphi \text{ B } \psi &\iff \text{for all } i \geq 0 \text{ where } A_i A_{i+1} \dots \models \psi, \\ &\text{there exists some } 0 \leq j < i \text{ where } A_j A_{j+1} \dots \models \varphi \end{aligned}$$

Show that these operators are LTL-definable by providing equivalent LTL formulae. You may use both the until and weak until operator.

Exercise 3

(4 points)



Consider the transition system T above with the set $AP = \{a, b, c\}$ of atomic propositions. Note that this is a single transition system with two initial states. Consider the LTL fairness assumption

$$fair = (\Box \Diamond (a \ \& \ b) \rightarrow \Box \Diamond \neg c) \ \wedge \ (\Diamond \Box (a \ \& \ b) \rightarrow \Box \Diamond \neg b).$$

Questions:

- Determine the fair paths in T , i.e., the initial, infinite paths satisfying $fair$
- For each of the following LTL formulae:

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_1 &= b \mathbf{U} \Box \neg b \\ \varphi_2 &= b \mathbf{W} \Box \neg b \\ \varphi_3 &= \bigcirc \bigcirc b \mathbf{U} \Box \neg b \end{aligned}$$

determine whether $T \models_{fair} \varphi_i$. In case $T \not\models_{fair} \varphi_i$, indicate a path $\pi \in Paths(T)$ for which $\pi \not\models \varphi_i$.

- Redo the previous task but ignore the fairness assumption.

Exercise 4

(1 points)

We consider the release operator R which is defined by

$$\varphi R \psi \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \neg(\neg\varphi \mathbf{U} \neg\psi) .$$

Prove the expansion law

$$\varphi_1 R \varphi_2 \equiv \varphi_2 \wedge (\varphi_1 \vee \bigcirc (\varphi_1 R \varphi_2)) .$$