

Useful definitions and equivalences

LTL

Let $\mathcal{M} = (S, \rightarrow, L)$ be a model and $\pi = s_1 \rightarrow s_2 \rightarrow \dots$ be a path in \mathcal{M} ($\pi^i = s_i \rightarrow \dots$). Whether π satisfies an LTL formula is defined by the satisfaction relation as follows:

- $\pi \models X \phi$ iff $\pi^2 \models \phi$
- $\pi \models G \phi$ iff, for all $i \geq 1$, $\pi^i \models \phi$
- $\pi \models F \phi$ iff there is some $i \geq 1$ such that $\pi^i \models \phi$
- $\pi \models \phi U \psi$ iff there is some $i \geq 1$ such that $\pi^i \models \psi$ and for all $j = 1, \dots, i-1$ we have $\pi^j \models \phi$
- $\pi \models \phi W \psi$ iff either there is some $i \geq 1$ such that $\pi^i \models \psi$ and for all $j = 1, \dots, i-1$ we have $\pi^j \models \phi$; or for all $k \geq 1$ we have $\pi^k \models \psi$
- $\pi \models \phi R \psi$ iff either there is some $i \geq 1$ such that $\pi^i \models \phi$ and for all $j = 1, \dots, i$ we have $\pi^j \models \psi$, or for all $k \geq 1$ we have $\pi^k \models \psi$
 ψ must remain true up to and including the moment when ϕ becomes true (if there is one); ϕ ‘Releases’ ψ .

CTL

Let $\mathcal{M} = (S, \rightarrow, L)$ be a model for CTL, s in S , ϕ a CTL formula. The relation $\mathcal{M}, s \models \phi$ is defined by structural induction on ϕ :

- $s \models AX \phi$: in every next state
- $s \models EX \phi$: in some next state
- $s \models AG \phi$: for All computation paths beginning in s the property ϕ holds Globally. (including the path's initial state s)
- $s \models EG \phi$: there Exists a path beginning in s such that ϕ holds Globally along the path
- $s \models AF \phi$: for All computation paths beginning in s there will be some Future state where ϕ holds
- $s \models EF \phi$: there Exists a computation path beginning in s such that ϕ holds in some Future state
- $s \models A [\phi_1 U \phi_2]$: All computation paths, beginning in s satisfy that ϕ_1 Until ϕ_2 holds on it
- $s \models E [\phi_1 U \phi_2]$: There Exists a computation path beginning in s such that ϕ_1 Until ϕ_2 holds on it

LTL equivalences

$$\neg G \phi \equiv F \neg \phi$$

$$\neg F \phi \equiv G \neg \phi$$

$$\neg X \phi \equiv X \neg \phi$$

$$\neg(\phi U \psi) \equiv \neg \phi R \neg \psi$$

$$\neg(\phi R \psi) \equiv \neg \phi U \neg \psi$$

$$F(\phi \vee \psi) \equiv F \phi \vee F \psi$$

$$G(\phi \wedge \psi) \equiv G \phi \wedge G \psi$$

$$F \phi \equiv \top U \phi$$

$$G \phi \equiv \perp R \phi$$

$$\phi U \psi \equiv \phi W \psi \wedge F \psi$$

$$\phi W \psi \equiv \phi U \psi \vee G \phi$$

$$\phi W \psi \equiv \psi R (\phi \vee \psi)$$

$$\phi R \psi \equiv \psi W (\phi \wedge \psi)$$

To probe further

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