

Tutorial 9 – Solutions

Exercise 1*:

Consider the following four alternative definitions of TCCS agent M :

- $M_1 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).a.M_1 + b.M_1)$
- $M_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(5).a.M_2 + \epsilon(3).b.M_2$
- $M_3 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).a.M_3 + \tau.M_3)$
- $M_4 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(5).a.M_4 + \epsilon(3).\tau.M_4$

For which of the above four definitions do we have $M_i \xrightarrow{\epsilon(4)}$.

1. For which of the four definitions do we have $M_i \xrightarrow{4}$. In the affirmative cases use the SOS rules for TCCS to prove the delay-transition as well as identify the target process P_i such that $M_i \xrightarrow{\epsilon(4)} P_i$.

- M_1 has a transition $M_1 \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_1 + b.M_1$ which we prove below:

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\epsilon(2).a.M_1 \xrightarrow{1} \epsilon(1).a.M_1}{\epsilon(2).a.M_1 + b.M_1 \xrightarrow{1} \epsilon(1).a.M_1 + b.M_1}}{\epsilon(3)(\epsilon(2).a.M_1 + b.M_1) \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_1 + b.M_1}}{M_1 \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_1 + b.M_1}$$

- M_2 has a transition $M_2 \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_2 + b.M_2$ which we prove below:

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\epsilon(5).a.M_2 \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_2}{\epsilon(5).a.M_2 + \epsilon(3).b.M_2 \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_2 + b.M_2}}{\epsilon(3).b.M_2 \xrightarrow{4} b.M_2}}{M_2 \xrightarrow{4} \epsilon(1).a.M_2 + b.M_2}$$

- M_3 cannot delay four time units, since a tau transition is enabled after just three time units.
 - M_4 has the same problem as M_3 .
2. Discuss the general relationship between process terms $\epsilon(d).(P + Q)$ and $\epsilon(d).P + \epsilon(d).Q$.
The above processes are equivalent as, unlike action prefixes, delay prefixes are distributive. This is because delays do not resolve non-determinism.

Exercise 2*:

Consider the agent M and the three variants of agent N :

- $M \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M)$
- $N_1 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(5).b.N_1 + \epsilon(3).a.N_1$
- $N_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).a.N_2 + \tau.N_2)$
- $N_3 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(5).\tau.N_3 + \epsilon(3).b.N_3$

Indicate the values of i for which a) $M \mid N_i \xrightarrow{3}$, b) $M \mid N_i \xrightarrow{5}$, and c) $M \mid N_i \xrightarrow{8}$. In the affirmative cases give proper proofs using the SOS rules for TCCS.

- $M \mid N_1$ can delay for both three and five time units but cannot delay for eight time units, since after five time units both b and b are enabled for synchronization and must be engaged. The proofs for the two former are as follows:

a)

$$\frac{\frac{\epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M) \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}{M \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}}{\frac{\frac{\epsilon(5).b.N_1 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).b.N_1 \quad \epsilon(3).a.N_1 \xrightarrow{3} a.N_1}{\epsilon(5).b.N_1 + \epsilon(3).a.N_1 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).b.N_1 + a.N_1}}{N_1 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).b.N_1 + a.N_1}}{M \mid N_1 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M \mid \epsilon(2).b.N_1 + a.N_1}}$$

b)

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M \xrightarrow{2} \bar{a}.M \quad \bar{b}.M \xrightarrow{2} \bar{b}.M}{\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M \xrightarrow{2} \bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}}{\epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M) \xrightarrow{5} \bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}{M \xrightarrow{5} \bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}}{\frac{\frac{\epsilon(5).b.N_1 \xrightarrow{5} b.N_1 \quad a.N_1 \xrightarrow{2} a.N_1}{\epsilon(3).a.N_1 \xrightarrow{5} a.N_1}}{\epsilon(5).b.N_1 + \epsilon(3).a.N_1 \xrightarrow{5} b.N_1 + a.N_1}}{N_1 \xrightarrow{5} b.N_1 + a.N_1}}{M \mid N_1 \xrightarrow{5} \bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M \mid b.N_1 + a.N_1}}$$

- $M \mid N_2$ can only delay for no more than three time units as N_2 itself has an enabled tau transition after three time units.

a)

$$\frac{\frac{\epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M) \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}{M \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}}{\frac{\epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).b.N_2 + \tau.N_2) \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).b.N_2 + \tau.N_2}{N_2 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).b.N_2 + \tau.N_2}}{M \mid N_2 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M \mid \epsilon(2).b.N_2 + \tau.N_2}}$$

- $M \mid N_3$ can delay up to three time units after which M and N_3 are enabled to synchronized on the b action and must do so.

a)

$$\frac{\frac{\epsilon(3).(\epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M) \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}{M \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M}}{\frac{\frac{\epsilon(5).\tau.N_3 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\tau.N_3 \quad \epsilon(3).b.N_3 \xrightarrow{3} b.N_3}{\epsilon(5).\tau.N_3 + \epsilon(3).b.N_3 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\tau.N_3 + b.N_3}}{N_3 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\tau.N_3 + b.N_3}}{M \mid N_3 \xrightarrow{3} \epsilon(2).\bar{a}.M + \bar{b}.M \mid \epsilon(2).\tau.N_3 + b.N_3}}$$

Exercise 4:

- TCCS process:

$$\begin{aligned}
 T &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{set}_5.T_5 + \text{set}_{10}.T_{10} + \text{set}_{30}.T_{30} \\
 T_5 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(5).\overline{\text{to}}.T + T \\
 T_{10} &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(10).\overline{\text{to}}.T + T \\
 T_{30} &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \epsilon(30).\overline{\text{to}}.T + T
 \end{aligned}$$

- Timed Automata: A solution model can be seen in Figure 1.

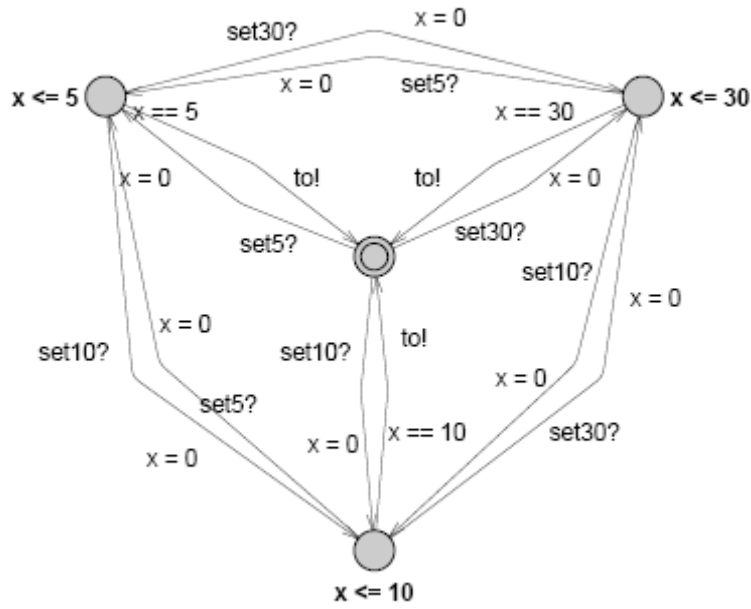


Figure 1

Exercise 5:

– Timed automaton

