

Table 1: Sizes and times (seconds) produced by APTS, DPTS and SPTS for 2-way CCAG

| Name     | DPTS     |          |          | SPTS     |          |          | APTS     |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|          | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time |
| SPIN-S   | 19       | 19       | 12.9     | 19       | 19       | 0.1      | 19       | 19       | 0.0      |
| SPIN-V   | 38       | 43       | 0.0      | 31       | 31       | 0.5      | 31       | 31       | 0.7      |
| GCC      | 16       | 19.8     | 0.2      | 16       | 16       | 3.1      | 16       | 16       | 15.2     |
| Apache   | 30       | 30       | 0.3      | 30       | 30       | 0.2      | 30       | 30       | 0.3      |
| Bugzilla | 16       | 16       | 0.0      | 16       | 16       | 0.0      | 16       | 16       | 0.0      |
| Syn_1    | 36       | 36       | 2.3      | 36       | 36       | 3.1      | 36       | 36       | 2.3      |
| Syn_2    | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.1      |
| Syn_3    | 18       | 18       | 0.0      | 18       | 18       | 0.0      | 18       | 18       | 0.0      |
| Syn_4    | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      |
| Syn_5    | 43       | 43.7     | 13.4     | 42       | 42       | 389.4    | 40       | 40.9     | 576.5    |
| Syn_6    | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      |
| Syn_7    | 9        | 9        | 0.0      | 9        | 9        | 0.0      | 9        | 9        | 0.0      |
| Syn_8    | 36       | 36.3     | 243.4    | 36       | 36       | 49.0     | 36       | 36       | 7.3      |
| Syn_9    | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      |
| Syn_10   | 39       | 40.6     | 14.9     | 38       | 38.5     | 428.0    | 37       | 37.8     | 414.6    |
| Syn_11   | 37       | 37.9     | 334.8    | 37       | 37.4     | 545.4    | 37       | 37.7     | 60.2     |
| Syn_12   | 36       | 36       | 2.1      | 36       | 36       | 0.6      | 36       | 36       | 1.1      |
| Syn_13   | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.1      |
| Syn_14   | 36       | 36       | 0.1      | 36       | 36       | 0.1      | 36       | 36       | 0.1      |
| Syn_15   | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.0      |
| Syn_16   | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      |
| Syn_17   | 36       | 36       | 0.6      | 36       | 36       | 0.5      | 36       | 36       | 0.8      |
| Syn_18   | 38       | 38       | 255.4    | 38       | 38       | 30.4     | 36       | 36.9     | 120.6    |
| Syn_19   | 42       | 43.2     | 466.8    | 42       | 42       | 375.3    | 39       | 39.5     | 1477.2   |
| Syn_20   | 49       | 49.2     | 22.1     | 48       | 48.4     | 697.6    | 47       | 47.4     | 1000.9   |
| Syn_21   | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      |
| Syn_22   | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      |
| Syn_23   | 12       | 12       | 0.0      | 12       | 12       | 0.0      | 12       | 12       | 0.0      |
| Syn_24   | 39       | 39.4     | 8.6      | 38       | 38       | 664.3    | 38       | 38       | 61.7     |
| Syn_25   | 44       | 45.7     | 173.3    | 41       | 43.4     | 930.7    | 42       | 42.9     | 552.0    |
| Syn_26   | 27       | 27.4     | 237.4    | 26       | 26.6     | 206.9    | 26       | 26       | 155.3    |
| Syn_27   | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      |
| Syn_28   | 46       | 46.5     | 133.4    | 45       | 45.9     | 117.4    | 43       | 43.9     | 1500.0   |
| Syn_29   | 25       | 25       | 1.6      | 25       | 25       | 0.8      | 25       | 25       | 0.7      |
| Syn_30   | 16       | 16       | 4.3      | 16       | 16       | 1.6      | 16       | 16       | 1.1      |

Table 2: Sizes and times (seconds) produced by APTS, DPTS and SPTS for 3-way CCAG

| Name     | DPTS     |          |          | SPTS     |          |          | APTS     |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|          | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time |
| SPIN-S   | 80       | 80       | 30.3     | 80       | 80       | 101.9    | 80       | 80       | 13.3     |
| SPIN-V   | 244      | 266.2    | 15.9     | 192      | 192.9    | 1656.3   | 192      | 193      | 932.8    |
| GCC      | 78       | 81       | 1180.2   | 77       | 78       | 3314.8   | 77       | 78.4     | 4117.0   |
| Apache   | 136      | 137.9    | 7096.2   | 135      | 138      | 6969.0   | 134      | 137.3    | 5165.9   |
| Bugzilla | 48       | 48       | 176.6    | 48       | 48       | 632.1    | 48       | 48       | 373.9    |
| Syn_1    | 244      | 246.7    | 1659.7   | 242      | 245.5    | 3818.5   | 239      | 241.2    | 7320.6   |
| Syn_2    | 135      | 136.3    | 4043.1   | 123      | 127.2    | 5258.0   | 122      | 125.8    | 5732.4   |
| Syn_3    | 51       | 51       | 259.2    | 51       | 51       | 1007.9   | 51       | 51       | 699.1    |
| Syn_4    | 80       | 80       | 84.7     | 80       | 80       | 105.8    | 80       | 80       | 82.5     |
| Syn_5    | 329      | 333.8    | 2220.3   | 325      | 330.3    | 5021.3   | 325      | 328.2    | 7820.2   |
| Syn_6    | 96       | 96       | 135.9    | 96       | 96       | 268.9    | 96       | 96       | 108.4    |
| Syn_7    | 25       | 25       | 6.6      | 25       | 25       | 27.2     | 25       | 25       | 64.6     |
| Syn_8    | 256      | 258      | 5279.8   | 249      | 255.2    | 5207.0   | 249      | 250.6    | 7934.7   |
| Syn_9    | 60       | 60       | 55.1     | 60       | 60       | 78.8     | 60       | 60       | 56.1     |
| Syn_10   | 282      | 283.9    | 2633.0   | 277      | 279.7    | 5645.2   | 274      | 276.8    | 7337.4   |
| Syn_11   | 271      | 273.7    | 3554.7   | 266      | 270.7    | 5559.8   | 266      | 267.7    | 7344.9   |
| Syn_12   | 216      | 216.4    | 2961.8   | 216      | 216      | 1211.3   | 216      | 216      | 1360.5   |
| Syn_13   | 180      | 180      | 519.2    | 180      | 180      | 175.5    | 180      | 180      | 70.3     |
| Syn_14   | 216      | 216      | 51.2     | 216      | 216      | 53.0     | 216      | 216      | 33.6     |
| Syn_15   | 150      | 150.2    | 202.9    | 150      | 150      | 64.5     | 150      | 150      | 70.7     |
| Syn_16   | 96       | 96       | 207.8    | 96       | 96       | 496.7    | 96       | 96       | 381.6    |
| Syn_17   | 216      | 216.4    | 5113.1   | 216      | 216      | 1347.1   | 216      | 216      | 907.5    |
| Syn_18   | 279      | 280.9    | 5610.5   | 273      | 278.7    | 5287.1   | 271      | 273.7    | 8023.8   |
| Syn_19   | 316      | 319.4    | 4773.4   | 313      | 317      | 4069.7   | 310      | 314.2    | 7494.7   |
| Syn_20   | 411      | 412.1    | 4461.1   | 407      | 409.5    | 6164.0   | 406      | 407.7    | 8202.2   |
| Syn_21   | 216      | 216      | 7.2      | 216      | 216      | 12.4     | 216      | 216      | 17.1     |
| Syn_22   | 144      | 144      | 62.9     | 144      | 144      | 46.9     | 144      | 144      | 37.6     |
| Syn_23   | 36       | 36       | 19.1     | 36       | 36       | 8.4      | 36       | 36       | 25.9     |
| Syn_24   | 285      | 287.8    | 1641.5   | 278      | 284.9    | 3043.6   | 277      | 278.8    | 8153.8   |
| Syn_25   | 352      | 354.7    | 3085.6   | 344      | 347.2    | 7544.5   | 343      | 345.1    | 8107.3   |
| Syn_26   | 163      | 165      | 688.3    | 157      | 160.1    | 5504.0   | 155      | 158.0    | 6402.4   |
| Syn_27   | 180      | 180      | 24.7     | 180      | 180      | 15.8     | 180      | 180      | 17.3     |
| Syn_28   | 371      | 372.1    | 2428.7   | 365      | 368      | 5166.8   | 362      | 365.1    | 8816.4   |
| Syn_29   | 125      | 125      | 653.4    | 125      | 125      | 103.2    | 125      | 125      | 260.0    |
| Syn_30   | 66       | 67.6     | 3381.4   | 65       | 65.4     | 4455.0   | 64       | 65.6     | 2883.0   |

Table 3: The statistical results when comparing APTS with DPTS and SPTS on covering array size

| Name     | 2-way        |             |              |             | 3-way        |             |              |             |
|----------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
|          | APTS vs DPTS |             | APTS vs SPTS |             | APTS vs DPTS |             | APTS vs SPTS |             |
|          | p-value      | effect size | p-value      | effect size | p-value      | effect size | p-value      | effect size |
| SPIN-S   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| SPIN-V   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.737        | 0.540       |
| GCC      | 0.000        | 0.050       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.038        | 0.240       | 0.167        | 0.670       |
| Apache   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.817        | 0.470       | 0.445        | 0.400       |
| Bugzilla | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_1    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.040       |
| Syn_2    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.300        | 0.365       |
| Syn_3    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_4    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_5    | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.035       | 0.017        | 0.190       |
| Syn_6    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_7    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_8    | 0.147        | 0.400       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.020        | 0.090       |
| Syn_9    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_10   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.007        | 0.200       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.001        | 0.090       |
| Syn_11   | 0.276        | 0.400       | 0.189        | 0.650       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.002        | 0.100       |
| Syn_12   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_13   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_14   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_15   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_16   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_17   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_18   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.002        | 0.085       |
| Syn_19   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.001        | 0.065       | 0.039        | 0.230       |
| Syn_20   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.002        | 0.120       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.029        | 0.220       |
| Syn_21   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_22   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_23   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_24   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.001        | 0.080       |
| Syn_25   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.021        | 0.235       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.026        | 0.210       |
| Syn_26   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.004        | 0.200       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.020        | 0.195       |
| Syn_27   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_28   | 0.000        | 0.050       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.003        | 0.120       |
| Syn_29   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       |
| Syn_30   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.001        | 0.065       | 0.188        | 0.660       |

Table 4: The statistical results when comparing APTS with DPTS and SPTS on computation time cost

| Name     | 2-way        |             |              |             | 3-way        |             |              |             |
|----------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
|          | APTS vs DPTS |             | APTS vs SPTS |             | APTS vs DPTS |             | APTS vs SPTS |             |
|          | p-value      | effect size | p-value      | effect size | p-value      | effect size | p-value      | effect size |
| SPIN-S   | 0.448        | 0.400       | 0.075        | 0.300       | 0.940        | 0.490       | 0.037        | 0.225       |
| SPIN-V   | 0.007        | 0.820       | 0.398        | 0.605       | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.089        | 0.275       |
| GCC      | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.847        | 0.525       | 0.016        | 0.820       | 0.427        | 0.605       |
| Apache   | 0.288        | 0.640       | 0.330        | 0.620       | 0.151        | 0.310       | 0.140        | 0.305       |
| Bugzilla | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.019        | 0.810       | 0.545        | 0.420       |
| Syn_1    | 0.293        | 0.365       | 0.293        | 0.365       | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.002        | 0.915       |
| Syn_2    | 0.121        | 0.700       | 0.056        | 0.720       | 0.131        | 0.700       | 0.880        | 0.480       |
| Syn_3    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.096        | 0.720       | 0.273        | 0.355       |
| Syn_4    | 0.141        | 0.600       | 0.146        | 0.600       | 0.880        | 0.480       | 0.198        | 0.330       |
| Syn_5    | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.257        | 0.650       | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.031        | 0.785       |
| Syn_6    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.406        | 0.610       | 0.114        | 0.290       |
| Syn_7    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.003        | 0.890       | 0.384        | 0.615       |
| Syn_8    | 0.040        | 0.120       | 0.001        | 0.050       | 0.820        | 0.730       | 0.076        | 0.735       |
| Syn_9    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.762        | 0.540       | 0.344        | 0.375       |
| Syn_10   | 0.001        | 0.960       | 0.345        | 0.375       | 0.002        | 0.910       | 0.089        | 0.725       |
| Syn_11   | 0.190        | 0.190       | 0.004        | 0.120       | 0.040        | 0.880       | 0.212        | 0.665       |
| Syn_12   | 0.051        | 0.735       | 0.051        | 0.740       | 0.019        | 0.190       | 0.241        | 0.655       |
| Syn_13   | 0.684        | 0.560       | 0.075        | 0.700       | 0.000        | 0.010       | 0.187        | 0.325       |
| Syn_14   | 0.172        | 0.680       | 0.058        | 0.720       | 0.344        | 0.375       | 0.405        | 0.390       |
| Syn_15   | 0.146        | 0.400       | 0.146        | 0.400       | 0.273        | 0.355       | 0.520        | 0.585       |
| Syn_16   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.151        | 0.690       | 0.571        | 0.425       |
| Syn_17   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.140        | 0.680       | 0.000        | 0.020       | 0.273        | 0.355       |
| Syn_18   | 0.450        | 0.400       | 0.004        | 0.880       | 0.041        | 0.770       | 0.026        | 0.795       |
| Syn_19   | 0.008        | 0.850       | 0.001        | 0.920       | 0.034        | 0.780       | 0.009        | 0.845       |
| Syn_20   | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.199        | 0.670       | 0.002        | 0.910       | 0.045        | 0.765       |
| Syn_21   | 0.146        | 0.400       | 0.146        | 0.400       | 0.820        | 0.530       | 0.970        | 0.505       |
| Syn_22   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.850        | 0.475       | 0.272        | 0.355       |
| Syn_23   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.384        | 0.380       | 0.084        | 0.525       |
| Syn_24   | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.001        | 0.945       |
| Syn_25   | 0.006        | 0.860       | 0.705        | 0.450       | 0.000        | 0.970       | 0.520        | 0.585       |
| Syn_26   | 0.212        | 0.665       | 0.131        | 0.700       | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.345        | 0.625       |
| Syn_27   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.146        | 0.600       | 0.384        | 0.385       | 0.649        | 0.560       |
| Syn_28   | 0.001        | 0.950       | 0.001        | 0.950       | 0.000        | 1.000       | 0.002        | 0.915       |
| Syn_29   | 1.000        | 0.500       | 0.939        | 0.490       | 0.028        | 0.210       | 0.064        | 0.745       |
| Syn_30   | 0.759        | 0.460       | 0.434        | 0.400       | 0.496        | 0.410       | 0.089        | 0.275       |

Table 5: Sizes and times (seconds) produced by APTS and existing algorithms for 2-way CAG

| Name     | CATS     | Calot    | HHSA     | CASA     |          |          | FASTCA   |          |          | WCA      |          |          | APTS     |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|          | min_size | min_size | min_size | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time |
| SPIN-S   | 19       | 19       | 19       | 19       | 20.8     | 3.6      | 19       | 19       | 0.2      | 19       | 19       | 0.1      | 19       | 19       | 0.0      |
| SPIN-V   | 31       | 31       | 31       | 36       | 40.1     | 56.0     | 31       | 31       | 61.8     | 31       | 31       | 1.5      | 31       | 31       | 0.7      |
| GCC      | 16       | 15       | 18       | 19       | 21.1     | 483.0    | 16       | 16       | 127.6    | 15       | 15       | 27.3     | 16       | 16       | 15.2     |
| Apache   | 30       | 30       | 30       | 30       | 33.2     | 63.6     | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.3      |
| Bugzilla | 16       | 16       | 16       | 16       | 16.3     | 3.2      | 16       | 16       | 0.0      | 16       | 16       | 0.0      | 16       | 16       | 0.0      |
| Syn_1    | 36       | 37       | 36       | 38       | 39.1     | 183.7    | 36       | 36       | 0.5      | 36       | 36       | 0.2      | 36       | 36       | 2.3      |
| Syn_2    | 30       | 30       | 30       | 30       | 32.3     | 20.9     | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 1.4      | 30       | 30       | 0.1      |
| Syn_3    | 18       | 18       | 18       | 18       | 18.2     | 0.5      | 18       | 18       | 0.0      | 18       | 18       | 0.0      | 18       | 18       | 0.0      |
| Syn_4    | 20       | 20       | 20       | 20       | 22.3     | 5.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      |
| Syn_5    | 41       | 45       | 44       | 46       | 51.9     | 351.1    | 42       | 42       | 3895.4   | 42       | 42       | 451.7    | 40       | 40.9     | 576.5    |
| Syn_6    | 24       | 24       | 24       | 24       | 24.4     | 12.2     | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      |
| Syn_7    | 9        | 9        | 9        | 9        | 9        | 0.2      | 9        | 9        | 0.0      | 9        | 9        | 0.0      | 9        | 9        | 0.0      |
| Syn_8    | 36       | 36       | 37       | 39       | 40.3     | 468.1    | 36       | 36       | 1.9      | 36       | 36       | 26.6     | 36       | 36       | 7.3      |
| Syn_9    | 20       | 20       | 20       | 20       | 20       | 6.7      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      | 20       | 20       | 0.0      |
| Syn_10   | 37       | 39       | 40       | 43       | 44.2     | 789.0    | 38       | 38       | 477.9    | 37       | 37       | 339.9    | 37       | 37.8     | 414.6    |
| Syn_11   | 37       | 39       | 38       | 41       | 43       | 281.8    | 37       | 37       | 1943.5   | 37       | 37       | 49.6     | 37       | 37.7     | 60.2     |
| Syn_12   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 38       | 41.6     | 322.5    | 36       | 36       | 1.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.1      | 36       | 36       | 1.1      |
| Syn_13   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36       | 38       | 27.7     | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.1      |
| Syn_14   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36       | 37.9     | 60.6     | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.1      |
| Syn_15   | 30       | 30       | 30       | 30       | 33.1     | 13.0     | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.0      | 30       | 30       | 0.0      |
| Syn_16   | 24       | 24       | 24       | 24       | 24.2     | 19.8     | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      | 24       | 24       | 0.0      |
| Syn_17   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 39       | 40.5     | 93.4     | 36       | 36       | 0.4      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.8      |
| Syn_18   | 37       | 40       | 39       | 41       | 42.4     | 595.9    | 38       | 38       | 50.9     | 37       | 37       | 3297.9   | 36       | 36.9     | 120.6    |
| Syn_19   | 40       | 42       | 44       | 45       | 50.2     | 832.6    | 41       | 41       | 1380.6   | 39       | 39       | 773.4    | 39       | 39.5     | 1477.2   |
| Syn_20   | 47       | 54       | 50       | 52       | 54.2     | 1291.3   | 48       | 48       | 4129.6   | 48       | 48       | 3177.6   | 47       | 47.4     | 1000.9   |
| Syn_21   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36.6     | 43.3     | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      |
| Syn_22   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36.1     | 7.6      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      |
| Syn_23   | 12       | 12       | 12       | 12       | 12.8     | 2.3      | 12       | 12       | 0.0      | 12       | 12       | 0.0      | 12       | 12       | 0.0      |
| Syn_24   | 38       | 41       | 40       | 42       | 43.2     | 348.0    | 38       | 38       | 258.6    | 38       | 38       | 757.8    | 38       | 38       | 61.7     |
| Syn_25   | 42       | 48       | 46       | 47       | 48.6     | 1168.9   | 44       | 44       | 56.3     | 43       | 43       | 2630.6   | 42       | 42.9     | 552.0    |
| Syn_26   | 26       | 26       | 27       | 30       | 31.9     | 85.3     | 27       | 27       | 8.5      | 26       | 26       | 8.9      | 26       | 26       | 155.3    |
| Syn_27   | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36       | 36.4     | 11.4     | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      | 36       | 36       | 0.0      |
| Syn_28   | 44       | 49       | 48       | 49       | 51.5     | 1704.6   | 45       | 45       | 1890.8   | 45       | 45       | 10.6     | 43       | 43.9     | 1500.0   |
| Syn_29   | 25       | 25       | 26       | 29       | 30.5     | 49.0     | 25       | 25       | 0.2      | 25       | 25       | 0.0      | 25       | 25       | 0.7      |
| Syn_30   | 16       | 16       | 16       | 19       | 19.9     | 12.0     | 16       | 16       | 1.3      | 16       | 16       | 0.0      | 16       | 16       | 1.1      |

Table 6: Sizes and times (seconds) produced by APTS and existing algorithms for 3-way CAG

| Name     | CASA     |          |          | FASTCA   |          |          | WCA      |          |          | APTS     |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|          | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time | min_size | avg_size | avg_time |
| SPIN-S   | 92       | 96.9     | 583.5    | 80       | 80       | 0.1      | 80       | 80       | 0.1      | 80       | 80       | 13.3     |
| SPIN-V   | 220      | 227.8    | 8413.8   | 195      | 195      | 1554.2   | 195      | 195      | 39.3     | 192      | 193      | 932.8    |
| GCC      | 109      | 124.7    | 9600.8   | 76       | 76       | 172.7    | 69       | 69       | 3136.8   | 77       | 78.4     | 4117.0   |
| Apache   | 244      | 245.8    | 9170.2   | 133      | 133.4    | 5960.8   | 135      | 135      | 140.2    | 134      | 137.3    | 5165.9   |
| Bugzilla | 60       | 62.5     | 365.4    | 48       | 48       | 1.1      | 48       | 48       | 0.3      | 48       | 48       | 373.9    |
| Syn_1    | 335      | 349.7    | 9590.0   | 244      | 244      | 4070.1   | 249      | 249      | 283.2    | 239      | 241.2    | 7320.6   |
| Syn_2    | 165      | 172.7    | 8265.6   | 133      | 133      | 5036.0   | 132      | 132      | 8192.5   | 122      | 125.8    | 5732.4   |
| Syn_3    | 54       | 60.6     | 224.7    | 50       | 50       | 1675.3   | 50       | 50       | 0.1      | 51       | 51       | 699.1    |
| Syn_4    | 97       | 100.9    | 1403.5   | 80       | 80       | 2.8      | 80       | 80       | 0.8      | 80       | 80       | 82.5     |
| Syn_5    | 1058     | 1060.8   | 9601.9   | 329      | 329      | 5770.6   | 325      | 325      | 8110.9   | 325      | 328.2    | 7820.2   |
| Syn_6    | 118      | 122.6    | 4540.0   | 96       | 96       | 1.1      | 96       | 96       | 0.9      | 96       | 96       | 108.4    |
| Syn_7    | 26       | 27       | 205.2    | 25       | 25       | 22.0     | 26       | 26       | 0.0      | 25       | 25       | 64.6     |
| Syn_8    | 380      | 391.1    | 9260.6   | 253      | 253      | 1816.2   | 257      | 257      | 505.0    | 249      | 250.6    | 7934.7   |
| Syn_9    | 68       | 74.1     | 4536.4   | 60       | 60       | 0.5      | 60       | 60       | 0.4      | 60       | 60       | 56.1     |
| Syn_10   | 599      | 735.1    | 9605.9   | 279      | 279      | 1962.3   | 275      | 275      | 2485.7   | 274      | 276.8    | 7337.4   |
| Syn_11   | 385      | 397.4    | 9567.1   | 270      | 270      | 147.6    | 276      | 276      | 3794.2   | 266      | 267.7    | 7344.9   |
| Syn_12   | 354      | 373.2    | 9466.8   | 216      | 216      | 214.3    | 216      | 216      | 35.3     | 216      | 216      | 1360.5   |
| Syn_13   | 265      | 274.7    | 9751.5   | 180      | 180      | 23.2     | 180      | 180      | 5.3      | 180      | 180      | 70.3     |
| Syn_14   | 247      | 254.1    | 9216.2   | 216      | 216      | 3.6      | 216      | 216      | 1.8      | 216      | 216      | 33.6     |
| Syn_15   | 164      | 170.4    | 3121.8   | 150      | 150      | 3.0      | 150      | 150      | 0.5      | 150      | 150      | 70.7     |
| Syn_16   | 113      | 118.7    | 6405.2   | 96       | 96       | 16.4     | 96       | 96       | 1.2      | 96       | 96       | 381.6    |
| Syn_17   | 331      | 340.4    | 9584.1   | 216      | 216      | 221.7    | 216      | 216      | 61.3     | 216      | 216      | 907.5    |
| Syn_18   | 437      | 445.4    | 9246.8   | 276      | 276      | 6563.5   | 274      | 274      | 1532.6   | 271      | 273.7    | 8023.8   |
| Syn_19   | -        | -        | -        | 314      | 314      | 992.6    | 300      | 300      | 6613.4   | 310      | 314.2    | 7494.7   |
| Syn_20   | 1005     | 1041     | 9019.4   | 410      | 410      | 3790.1   | 406      | 406      | 5560.9   | 406      | 407.7    | 8202.2   |
| Syn_21   | 226      | 233.6    | 9763.0   | 216      | 216      | 1.1      | 216      | 216      | 1.1      | 216      | 216      | 17.1     |
| Syn_22   | 153      | 167.9    | 3966.0   | 144      | 144      | 0.6      | 144      | 144      | 0.7      | 144      | 144      | 37.6     |
| Syn_23   | 38       | 41       | 34.3     | 36       | 36       | 1.8      | 36       | 36       | 0.4      | 36       | 36       | 25.9     |
| Syn_24   | 436      | 442.7    | 9575.1   | 281      | 281      | 5885.8   | 291      | 291      | 836.1    | 277      | 278.8    | 8153.8   |
| Syn_25   | 553      | 562      | 9840.3   | 350      | 350      | 6189.7   | 350      | 350      | 579.9    | 343      | 345.1    | 8107.3   |
| Syn_26   | 199      | 202.1    | 9019.9   | 161      | 161      | 3001.5   | 165      | 165      | 332.5    | 155      | 158      | 6402.4   |
| Syn_27   | 193      | 196      | 6215.2   | 180      | 180      | 0.5      | 180      | 180      | 0.6      | 180      | 180      | 17.3     |
| Syn_28   | 1048     | 1053     | 9351.1   | 367      | 367      | 542.7    | 363      | 363      | 6725.4   | 362      | 365.1    | 8816.4   |
| Syn_29   | 177      | 179.7    | 9688.2   | 125      | 125      | 19.1     | 125      | 125      | 6.4      | 125      | 125      | 260.0    |
| Syn_30   | 84       | 90.5     | 2604.8   | 66       | 66       | 3716.2   | 64       | 64       | 3705.6   | 64       | 65.6     | 2883.0   |

Table 7: The statistical results when comparing APTS with existing algorithms on covering array size

| Name     | 2-way        |             |                |             |             |             | 3-way        |             |                |             |             |             |
|----------|--------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|          | APTS vs CASA |             | APTS vs FastCA |             | APTS vs WCA |             | APTS vs CASA |             | APTS vs FastCA |             | APTS vs WCA |             |
|          | p-value      | effect size | p-value        | effect size | p-value     | effect size | p-value      | effect size | p-value        | effect size | p-value     | effect size |
| SPIN-S   | 0.001        | 0.100       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| SPIN-V   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| GCC      | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Apache   | 0.000        | 0.050       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.980       | 0.001       | 0.900       |
| Bugzilla | 0.317        | 0.450       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_1    | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_2    | 0.000        | 0.050       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_3    | 0.146        | 0.400       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_4    | 0.000        | 0.050       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_5    | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.086          | 0.300       | 0.000       | 0.950       |
| Syn_6    | 0.147        | 0.400       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_7    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_8    | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.050       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_9    | 1.000        | 0.500       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_10   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.146          | 0.400       | 0.000       | 0.900       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.001          | 0.100       | 0.001       | 0.900       |
| Syn_11   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.001          | 0.850       | 0.001       | 0.850       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.050       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_12   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_13   | 0.001        | 0.100       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_14   | 0.000        | 0.050       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_15   | 0.000        | 0.050       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_16   | 0.146        | 0.400       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_17   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_18   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.317       | 0.450       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.001          | 0.100       | 0.619       | 0.450       |
| Syn_19   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.012       | 0.750       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.212          | 0.650       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_20   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.004          | 0.200       | 0.004       | 0.200       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.050       | 0.000       | 0.950       |
| Syn_21   | 0.012        | 0.250       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_22   | 0.317        | 0.450       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_23   | 0.013        | 0.250       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_24   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.050       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_25   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.317       | 0.450       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_26   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       |
| Syn_27   | 0.147        | 0.400       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_28   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.000          | 0.050       | 0.001       | 0.900       |
| Syn_29   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_30   | 0.000        | 0.000       | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.000        | 0.000       | 0.619          | 0.450       | 0.000       | 0.950       |

Table 8: The statistical results when comparing APTS with existing algorithms on computation time cost

| Name     | 2-way        |             |                |             |             |             | 3-way        |             |                |             |             |             |
|----------|--------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|          | APTS vs CASA |             | APTS vs FastCA |             | APTS vs WCA |             | APTS vs CASA |             | APTS vs FastCA |             | APTS vs WCA |             |
|          | p-value      | effect size | p-value        | effect size | p-value     | effect size | p-value      | effect size | p-value        | effect size | p-value     | effect size |
| SPIN-S   | 0.0000       | 0.0600      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.100       | 0.0010       | 0.0450      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| SPIN-V   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.023          | 0.200       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| GCC      | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.019       | 0.200       | 0.0000       | 0.0100      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Apache   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.0010       | 0.0800      | 0.545          | 0.420       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Bugzilla | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.5450       | 0.5800      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_1    | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.005          | 0.800       | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.0030       | 0.1100      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_2    | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.005          | 0.800       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.0100       | 0.1600      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 0.002       | 0.100       |
| Syn_3    | 0.0130       | 0.2500      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0030       | 0.8900      | 0.002          | 0.100       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_4    | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.146          | 0.600       | 0.146       | 0.600       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_5    | 0.1740       | 0.6800      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.449       | 0.600       | 0.0700       | 0.2600      | 0.041          | 0.770       | 0.940       | 0.490       |
| Syn_6    | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_7    | 0.0290       | 0.3000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0230       | 0.2000      | 0.447          | 0.600       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_8    | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.0080       | 0.1500      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_9    | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_10   | 0.0230       | 0.2000      | 0.002          | 0.100       | 0.023       | 0.200       | 0.0000       | 0.0200      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_11   | 0.0080       | 0.1500      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.127       | 0.300       | 0.0070       | 0.1400      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_12   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.543          | 0.550       | 0.001       | 0.920       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_13   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.004          | 0.800       | 0.004       | 0.800       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.002          | 0.900       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_14   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.001          | 0.900       | 0.001       | 0.900       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_15   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_16   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.002          | 0.900       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_17   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.012          | 0.800       | 0.001       | 0.880       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_18   | 0.0060       | 0.1400      | 0.002          | 0.900       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.3640       | 0.3800      | 0.131          | 0.700       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_19   | 0.1740       | 0.6800      | 0.762          | 0.460       | 0.002       | 0.900       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.130       | 0.700       |
| Syn_20   | 0.7050       | 0.4500      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.4960       | 0.4100      | 0.002          | 0.900       | 0.002       | 0.900       |
| Syn_21   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.023          | 0.800       | 0.023       | 0.800       |
| Syn_22   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_23   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       | 0.0430       | 0.2350      | 1.000          | 0.500       | 1.000       | 0.500       |
| Syn_24   | 0.0000       | 0.0300      | 0.000          | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.000       | 0.0230       | 0.2000      | 0.002          | 0.900       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_25   | 0.1740       | 0.3200      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.002       | 0.100       | 0.0010       | 0.0400      | 0.002          | 0.900       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_26   | 0.1120       | 0.7100      | 0.002          | 0.990       | 0.001       | 0.900       | 0.0080       | 0.1500      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_27   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.146          | 0.600       | 0.146       | 0.600       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_28   | 0.7620       | 0.4600      | 0.131          | 0.300       | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.1310       | 0.3000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.002       | 0.900       |
| Syn_29   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.087          | 0.700       | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.000          | 1.000       | 0.000       | 1.000       |
| Syn_30   | 0.0000       | 0.0000      | 0.015          | 0.200       | 0.000       | 1.000       | 0.9400       | 0.4900      | 0.364          | 0.380       | 0.448       | 0.400       |