Testing Mist

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1. Wednesday, 29 October 2014

1.1. I installed misti in my computer

Following the steps given on the README I executed the followed commands:

1. ./autogent.sh.

Executed without problems

2. ./configure.

Executed without problems

3. make.

It trhows an error because the command yacc was not found.

I installed the package *bison* which includes this command and repeat this step. Now, it seems to work.

4. make install

Although this step is optional I did it to check if all works fine.

Throws a permision denied error.

I executed this command again with superuser privileges and it seem to work.

Note: For some commands it didn't do anything:

- install-data-am
- install-exec-am
- install-data-am

1.2. Testing program

I wrote a python script which takes all the files in the folder given as argument with extension .spec and uses mist over them.

Right now the script seems to work but I'm not sure about how do I have to interpret the output to recognise when the targe has been reached or not.

2. Thursday, 30 October 2014

2.1. Analyzing the output

I take a look at http://www.ulb.ac.be/di/ssd/ggeeraer/eec/tableau/ and I found some differences between the results given there and results obtained in my computer. For example:

■ The example **Java** is said to be not safe in the table but when I executed the tool with it the output says:

"EEC concludes safe with the abstraction"

"backward algorithm concludes unsafe"

"TSI concludes safe"

The example MOESI is said to be safe but when I executed it in my computer I obtained:

"Cannot assign non null value to a variable in transition 5" for any algorithm used.

2.2. Running all tests

After see this I modified my script to take the conclusions given by each algorithm for each test given in the folder 'examples'. After chech with some examples that the script seems to work, I let the computer working all night.