## **Supplementary Material: Proof Appendix**

**Proposition** 3 Let  $\varphi$  be a CTL formula, then  $\varphi \equiv_{\langle V',I \rangle} T_{\varphi}$ .

*Proof.* (sketch) This can be proved from  $T_i$  to  $T_{i+1}$  (0  $\leq$ i < n) by using one transformation rule on  $T_i$ . We will prove this proposition from the following several aspects:

- (1)  $\varphi \equiv_{\langle \{p\},\emptyset \rangle} T_0$ .
- $(\Rightarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(\varphi)$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models \varphi$ . We can construct an Ind-model structure  $\mathcal{M}_2$  is identical to  $\mathcal{M}_1$  except  $L_2(s_2) = L_1(s_1) \cup \{p\}$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_2, s_2) \models T_0 \text{ and } (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \{p\}, \emptyset \rangle} (\mathcal{M}_2, s_2).$
- $(\Leftarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_0)$ , it is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models \varphi$  by the sematic of **start**.

By  $\psi \to_t R_i$  we mean using transformation rules t on formula  $\psi$  (the formulae  $\psi$  as the premises of rule t) and obtaining the set  $R_i$  of transformation results. Let X be a set of formulas we will show  $T_i \equiv_{\langle V',I \rangle} T_{i+1}$  by using the transformation rule t. Where  $T_i = X \cup \{\psi\}, T_{i+1} = X \cup R_i$ , V' is the set of atoms introduced by t and I is the set of indexes introduced by t. (We will prove this result in  $t \in$ {Trans(1), Trans(4), Trans(6)}, other cases can be proved similarly.)

- (2) For t=Trans(1):
- $(\Rightarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_i)$  i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X \land$  $AG(q \supset EX\varphi)$
- $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X$  and for every  $\pi$  starting from  $s_1$  and every state  $s_1^j \in \pi$ ,  $(\mathcal{M}, s_1^j) \models \neg q$  or there exists a path  $\pi'$ starting from  $s_1^j$  such that there exists a state  $s_1^{j+1}$  such that  $(s_1^j, s_1^{j+1}) \in R_1 \text{ and } (\mathcal{M}, s_1^{j+1}) \models \varphi$

We can construct an Ind-model structure  $\mathcal{M}_2$  is identical to  $\mathcal{M}_1$  except  $[ind]_2 = \bigcup_{s \in S} R_s \cup R_y$ , where  $R_{s_1^j} = \{(s_1^j, s_1^{j+1}), (s_1^{j+1}, s_1^{j+2}), \dots\}$  and  $R_y = \{(s_1^j, s_1^{j+1}), (s_1^{j+1}, s_1^{j+2}), \dots\}$  $\{(s_x, s_y) | \text{ for all } s_x \in S \text{ if for all } (s_1', s_2') \in \bigcup_{s \in S} R_s, s_1' \neq S \}$  $s_x$  then find a unique  $s_y \in S$  such that  $(s_x, s_y) \in R$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \emptyset, \{ind\} \rangle} (\mathcal{M}_2, s_2)$  (let  $s_2 = s_1$ ).

- $\Rightarrow$  for every path starting from  $s_1$  and every state  $s_1^j$  in this path,  $(\mathcal{M}_2, s_1^j) \models \neg q \text{ or } (\mathcal{M}_2, s_1^j) \models \text{EX}\varphi_{\langle ind \rangle}$ (by the semantic of EX)
- $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_2, s_1) \models AG(q \supset E_{\langle ind \rangle} X \varphi)$
- $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_2, s_1) \models X \land AG(q \supset E_{\langle ind \rangle} X \varphi)$
- $(\Leftarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_{i+1})$  i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models$  $X \wedge AG(q \supset E_{\langle ind \rangle} X \varphi)$
- $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X \text{ and } (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models AG(q \supset E_{\langle ind \rangle} X \varphi)$
- $\Rightarrow$  for every path starting from  $s_1$  and every state  $s_1^j$  in this path,  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1^j) \models \neg q$  or there exits a state s' such that  $(s_1^j, s') \in [ind]_1 \text{ and } (\mathcal{M}_1, s') \models \varphi$ (by the semantic of
- $\Rightarrow$  for every path starting from  $s_1$  and every state  $s_1^j$  in this path,  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1^j) \models \neg q \text{ or } (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1^j) \models \text{EX}\varphi$  (by the semantic
- $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models \mathrm{AG}(q \supset \mathrm{EX}\varphi)$  $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X \land \mathrm{AG}(q \supset \mathrm{EX}\varphi)$
- It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \emptyset, \{ind\} \rangle} (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1)$ .
  - (3) For t=Trans(4):
- $(\Rightarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_i)$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X \land$

 $AG(q \supset \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2)$  $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X \text{ and } \forall s_1' \in S, (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models q \supset \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2$   $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models \neg q \text{ or } (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2$ 

The we can construct an Ind-model structure  $\mathcal{M}_2$  as follows.  $\mathcal{M}_2$  is the same with  $\mathcal{M}_1$  when  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models \neg q$ . When  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models q, \mathcal{M}_2$  is identical to  $\mathcal{M}_1$  except if  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models$  $\varphi_1$  then  $L_2(s_1') = L_1(s_1')$  else  $L_2(s_1') = L_1(s_1') \cup \{p\}$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_2, s_1') \models (q \supset \varphi_1 \lor p) \land (p \supset \varphi_2)$ , then  $(\mathcal{M}_2, s_1) \models T_{i+1} \text{ and } (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \{p\}, \emptyset \rangle} (\mathcal{M}_2, s_2).$ 

 $(\Leftarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_{i+1})$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models$  $X \wedge AG(q \supset \varphi_1 \vee p) \wedge AG(p \supset \varphi_2)$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models T_i.$ 

(4) For *t*=Trans(6):

We prove for  $E_{(ind)}X$ , while for the AX can be proved similarly.

 $(\Rightarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_i)$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models$  $X \wedge AG(q \supset E_{\langle ind \rangle} X \varphi)$ 

 $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models X$  and for all  $s'_1 \in S, (\mathcal{M}_1, s'_1) \models q \supset$  $E_{\langle ind \rangle} X \varphi$ 

 $\Rightarrow (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models \neg q$  or there exists a state s' such that  $(s'_1, s') \in [ind] \text{ and } (\mathcal{M}_1, s') \models \varphi$ 

We can construct an Ind-model structure  $\mathcal{M}_2$  as follows.  $\mathcal{M}_2$  is the same with  $\mathcal{M}_1$  when  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models \neg q$ . When  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1') \models q, \mathcal{M}_2$  is identical to  $\mathcal{M}_1$  except for s' there is  $L_2(s') = L_1(s') \cup \{p\}$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_2, s_1) \models$  $AG(q \supset E_{\langle ind \rangle}Xp) \land AG(p \supset \varphi), (\mathcal{M}_2, s_2) \models T_{i+1} \text{ and }$  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \{p\}, \emptyset \rangle} (\mathcal{M}_2, s_2) (s_2 = s_1).$ 

 $(\Leftarrow)$  For all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in Mod(T_{i+1})$ , i.e.  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models$  $X \wedge AG(q \supset E_{(ind)}Xp) \wedge AG(p \supset \varphi)$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \models T_i$ .

**Proposition** 4 Let  $\varphi$  be a CTL formula, then  $T_{\varphi} \equiv_{\langle V \cup V', \emptyset \rangle}$ 

*Proof.* (sketch) This can be proved from  $T_i$  to  $T_{i+1}$  (0  $\leq$ i < n) by using one resolution rule on  $T_i$ .

By  $\psi \to_r R_i$  we mean using resolution rules r on set  $\psi$ (the formulae in  $\psi$  as the premises of rule r) and obtaining the set  $R_i$  of resolution results. we will show  $T_i \equiv_{\langle V,I \rangle} T_{i+1}$ by using the resolution rule r. Where  $T_i = X \cup \psi$ ,  $T_{i+1} = X \cup R_i$ , X be a set of SNF $_{\text{CTL}}^g$  clauses, p be the proposition corresponding with literal l used to do resolution in r.

(1) If  $\psi \rightarrow_r R_i$  by an application of  $r \in$  $\{(SRES1), \ldots, (SRES8), RW1, RW2\}, \text{ then } T_i \equiv_{\langle \{p\},\emptyset\rangle}$ 

On one hand, it is apparent that  $\psi \models R_i$  and then  $T_i \models$  $T_{i+1}$ . On the other hand,  $T_i \subseteq T_{i+1}$  and then  $T_{i+1} \models T_i$ .

(2) If  $\psi \to_r R_i$  by an application of r = (ERES1), then  $T_i \equiv_{\langle \{l, w_{-i}^A\}, \emptyset \rangle} T_{i+1}.$ 

It has been proved that  $\psi \models R_i$  in (Bolotov 2000), then there is  $T_{i+1} = T_i \cup \Lambda^{A}_{\neg l}$  and then for all  $(\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \in$  $Mod(T_i = X \cup \psi)$  there is a  $(\mathcal{M}_2, s_2) \in Mod(T_{i+1} =$  $T_i \cup \Lambda^{\text{A}}_{\neg l}) \text{ s.t. } (\mathcal{M}_1, s_1) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \{p, w^{\text{A}}_{\neg l}\}, \mathcal{O} \rangle} (\mathcal{M}_2, s_2) \text{ and vice}$ versa by Proposition 3.

For rule (ERES2) we have the same result.

**Proposition** 6 Let  $V'' = V \cup V'$ ,  $\Gamma = Instantiate(Res, V')$  and  $\Gamma_1 = Removing\_atoms$  ( $Connect(\Gamma), \Gamma$ ), then  $\Gamma_1 \equiv_{\langle V'', \emptyset \rangle} Res$  and  $\Gamma_1 \equiv_{\langle V'', I \rangle} \varphi$ .

*Proof.* Take note the fact that for each clause  $C = T \supset H$  in  $Connect(\Gamma)$ , if  $\Gamma \cap Var(C) \neq \emptyset$  then there must be an atom  $p \in \Gamma \cap Var(H)$ . It is apparent that  $Connect(\Gamma) \models \Gamma_1$ , we will show for all  $(\mathcal{M}, s_0) \in Mod(\Gamma_1)$  there is a  $(\mathcal{M}', s_0)$  such that  $(\mathcal{M}', s_0) \models Connect(\Gamma)$  and  $(\mathcal{M}, s_0) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \Gamma, \emptyset \rangle} (\mathcal{M}', s_0)$ . Let  $C = T \supset H$  in  $Connect(\Gamma)$  with  $\Gamma \cap Var(C) \neq \emptyset$ , for all  $(\mathcal{M}, s_0) \in Mod(\Gamma_1)$  we construct  $(\mathcal{M}', s_0)$  as  $(\mathcal{M}, s_0)$  except for each  $s \in S$ , if  $(\mathcal{M}, s) \nvDash T$  then L'(s) = L(s), else:

- (i) if  $(\mathcal{M}, s) \models H$ , then L'(s) = L(s);
- (ii) else if  $(\mathcal{M},s)\models T$  with  $p\in Var(H)\cap \Gamma$ , then if p appearing in H negatively, then if C is a global (or an initial) clause then let  $L'(s)=L(s)\setminus \{p\}$  else let  $L'(s^*)=L(s^*)\setminus \{p\}$  for (each (if C is an A-step or A-sometime clause))  $s^*\in \pi_s$ , else if C is a global (or an initial) clause then let  $L'(s)=L(s)\cup \{p\}$  else let  $L'(s^*)=L(s^*)\cup \{p\}$  for (each (if C is a A-step or A-sometime clause))  $s^*\in \pi_s$ . Where  $s^*$  is a next or future state of s (it depends on the type of the clause: if the clause is a S-step (S=1) clause then S=1 is the next state, else if the clause is a S-sometime clause then S=1 is a future state).

It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}, s_0) \leftrightarrow_{\langle \Gamma, \emptyset \rangle} (\mathcal{M}', s_0)$ , we will show that  $(\mathcal{M}', s_0) \models Connect(\Gamma)$  from the following two points:

- (1) For (i), it is apparent  $(\mathcal{M}', s_0) \models C$ ;
- (2) For (ii) talked-above, we show it from the form of  $SNF_{CTL}^g$  clauses. Supposing  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are instantiate formula of  $\Gamma$ :
  - (a) If C is a global clause, i.e.  $C = \top \supset p \lor C_1$  with  $C_1$  is a disjunction of literals (we suppose p appearing in C positively). If there is a  $C' = \top \supset \neg p \lor C_2 \in Connect(\Gamma)$ , then there is  $\top \supset C_1 \lor C_2 \in Connect(\Gamma)$  by the resolution  $((\mathcal{M}, s) \models C_2$  due to we have suppose  $(\mathcal{M}, s) \nvDash C$ ). It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}', s_0) \models C \land C'$ .
  - (b) If  $C = T \supset \mathbb{E}_{\langle ind \rangle} \mathsf{X}(p \lor C_1)$ . If there is a  $C' = T' \supset \mathbb{E}_{\langle ind \rangle} \mathsf{X}(\neg p \lor C_2) \in Connect(\Gamma)$ , then there is  $T \land T' \supset \mathbb{E}_{\langle ind \rangle} \mathsf{X}(C_1 \lor C_2) \in Connect(\Gamma)$  by the resolution  $((\mathcal{M},s) \models \mathbb{E}_{\langle ind \rangle} \mathsf{X}C_2$  due to we have suppose  $(\mathcal{M},s) \nvDash C$ . It is apparent that  $(\mathcal{M}',s_0) \models C \land C'$ .
  - (c) Other cases can be proved similarly.

Therefore, we have  $\Gamma_1 \equiv_{\langle V'',\emptyset\rangle} Res$  by Proposition 2 and Proposition 5.

And then 
$$\Gamma_1 \equiv_{\langle V'',I \rangle} \varphi$$
 follows.  $\square$ 

**proposition** 10 Let  $\varphi$  be a CTL formula and  $V \subseteq \mathcal{A}$ . The time and space complexity of Algorithm 1 are  $O((m+1)2^{4(n+n')})$ . Where  $|Var(\varphi)|=n$ , |V'|=n' (V' is set of atoms introduced in transformation) and m is the number of indices introduced during transformation.

*Proof.* It follows from the lines 19-31 of the algorithm 1, which is to compute all the possible resolution. The possible number of  $SNF_{CTL}^g$  clauses under the give V, V' and Ind is  $(m+1)2^{4(n+n')}+(m*(n+n')+n+n'+1)2^{2(n+n')+1})$ .  $\square$