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## Homework 1 (CTL): ComS/CprE/SE 412, ComS 512

Due-date: Feb 15 at 11:59PM.

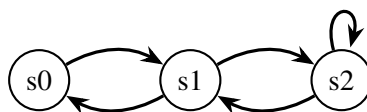
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1. Consider the following Kripke structure, with  $p \in L(s_0) \cap L(s_2)$  and  $q \in L(s_2)$ .



Identify the set of states that satisfy each of the following:

- (a)  $EX(p)$   
 $\{s_1, s_2\}$
- (b)  $EX(q)$   
 $\{s_1, s_2\}$
- (c)  $AX(p)$   
 $\{s_1\}$
- (d)  $AX(q)$   
 $\{\}$
- (e)  $AG(p)$   
 $\{\}$
- (f)  $EG(p)$   
 $\{s_2\}$
- (g)  $AF(p)$   
 $\{s_0, s_1, s_2\}$
- (h)  $AG(EX(p))$   
 $\{\}$
- (i)  $AG(AF(p))$   
 $\{s_0, s_1, s_2\}$

(15pts)

2. Express the following statements as CTL formula:

(15 pts)

- (a) Along all paths **withdraw-money** is never true after **invalid-login**.

$AG(\text{invalid-login} \Rightarrow AX(AG(\neg \text{withdraw-money})))$

- (b) Along all execution sequences of an elevator behavior, if the elevator door is **open** then the door remains **open** until a **request-to-move** is sent to the elevator.

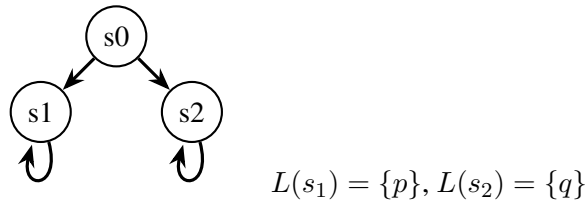
$AG(\text{open} \Rightarrow A(\text{open} \cup \neg \text{open} \wedge \text{request-to-move}))$

It is possible to interpret the English “until request-to-move” to include the case that no “request-to-move” occurs ever. In that scenario, does the English statement expressible in CTL?

- (c) Whenever proposition **request-site-update** is true in a state, it is followed in zero or more steps by a state where proposition **updating-site** is true, which in turn is followed in one or more steps by a state where **update-complete** is true.

$AG(\text{request-site-update} \Rightarrow AF(\text{updating-site} \wedge AX(AF(\text{update-complete}))))$

3. To disprove that two CTL formula are equivalent, you are required to draw a Kripke structure and identify a state in that structure, which satisfies one of the formula and does not satisfy the other. For instance, in order to disprove that  $EX(p) \wedge EX(q)$  and  $EX(p \wedge q)$  are equivalent, we can draw the following the Kripke structure:



We present the labels for the relevant states in the Kripke structure and state that  $s_0$  satisfies  $EX(p) \wedge EX(q)$  and  $s_0$  does not satisfy  $EX(p \wedge q)$ .

Disprove that the two CTL formula  $AG(p) \Rightarrow AF(q)$  and  $AG(p \Rightarrow AF(q))$  are equivalent. (5 pts)

We have done this problem as part of the lecture. The first property captures the following. A state  $s$  satisfies the property iff along all paths from  $s$  and in all states of every path,  $p$  holds then  $s$  must satisfy  $AF(q)$ . The second property on the other hand states that  $s$  satisfies the property iff along all paths if there is a state  $t$  where  $p$  holds, then  $t$  must satisfy  $AF(q)$ .

The two properties are not equivalent. Draw a KS and identify a state that satisfies one property but does not satisfy the other. Hint: consider a KS with a state  $s$  such that there is a state reachable from  $s$  that satisfies  $p$  and there is another state reachable from  $s$  that does not satisfy  $p$ . Complete the construction.

4. To prove that one formula (say,  $\varphi_1$ ) is “stronger” than another (say,  $\varphi_2$ ), you need to prove that whenever in any state in any Kripke structure  $\varphi_1$  holds,  $\varphi_2$  holds in that state as well. In other words,

$\varphi_1$  is “stronger” than  $\varphi_2$  if and only if  $\varphi_1 \Rightarrow \varphi_2$  is a tautology (always evaluates to true). For instance, to prove that  $AX(p)$  is stronger than  $EX(p)$  we can write:

$$\begin{aligned} \forall s. s \in [AX(p)] &\Leftrightarrow \forall \pi \in Path(s) : \pi[1] \in [p] \\ &\Rightarrow \exists \pi \in Path(s) : \pi[1] \in [p] \\ &\Rightarrow s \in [EX(p)] \end{aligned}$$

To disprove that  $EX(p)$  is stronger than  $AX(p)$ , you will draw a Kripke structure and present a state in the Kripke structure that satisfies  $EX(p)$  but does not satisfy  $AX(p)$  (see the Kripke structure example in the previous problem).

Prove or disprove  $EF(AG(p))$  is stronger than  $EF(EG(p))$ .

Let  $AG(p)$  be  $\varphi$  and  $EG(p)$  be  $\psi$ . Therefore, the claim to prove/disprove is  $EF(\varphi)$  is stronger than  $EF(\psi)$ . In other words, the claim is  $\varphi$  is stronger than  $\psi$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \forall s. s \in [AG(p)] &\Leftrightarrow \forall \pi \in Path(s). \forall i \geq 0. \pi[i] \in [p] \\ &\Rightarrow \exists \pi \in Path(s). \forall i \geq 0. \pi[i] \in [p] \\ &\Leftrightarrow s \in [EG(p)] \end{aligned}$$

(5 pts)

5. **Extra Credit.** We will define a new operator  $A\circ$  as follows. A state  $s$  satisfies  $A(\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2)$  if and only if for all paths starting from  $s$  at least one of the following holds

- there exists a state where  $\varphi_2$  is satisfied and before that  $\varphi_1$  holds in all states in the path
- all states in the path satisfy  $\varphi_1$  and not  $\varphi_2$

Prove or disprove that

- (a)  $A(p \circ \text{false})$  can be expressed in CTL.

The propositional constant false is never satisfiable. Therefore, the first condition above is not satisfiable. The condition two is satisfiable and it is expressed as  $AG(p)$

- (b)  $A(\text{false} \circ p)$  can be expressed in CTL.

In this case, the second condition is not satisfiable. The first condition is satisfiable only when the first state in the path satisfies  $p$ . Therefore, the property is expressible as  $p$ .

(10pts)