

关于 Maple Algebra 的这一路

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Language

language equation and Arden's Rule

Theorem 1.1. The set $A^* \cdot B$ is the smallest language that is a solution for X in the linear equation

$$X = A \cdot X + B$$

where X, A, B are sets of string and $+$ stands for union of languages. Moreover, If the set A does not contain the empty word, then the solution is unique.

Annotation 1.2. Arden's rule can be used to help convert some finite automata to regular expressions.

Equivalence of Program

Graph Isomorphism

Accepted Language Equivalence

Annotation 2.1. [4] Chapter 1.

Bisimulation and Observation Equivalence

Definition 2.2. A labelled transition system (LTS) is a tuple $(S, \Lambda, \rightarrow)$ where S is set of states, Λ is set of labels, and \rightarrow is relation of labelled transitions (i.e., a subset of $S \times \Lambda \times S$). A $(p, \alpha, q) \in \rightarrow$ is written as $p \xrightarrow{\alpha} q$.

Annotation 2.3. **TODO: categorical semantics: F -coalgebra**

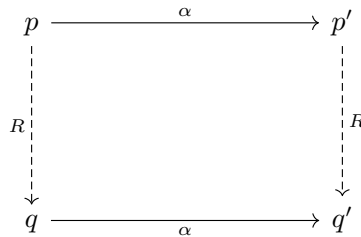
Definition 2.4. [1] Let $T = (S, \Lambda, \rightarrow)$ be a labelled transition system. The set of **traces** $Tr(s)$, for $s \in S$ is the minimal set satisfying

- $\varepsilon \in Tr(s)$.
- $\alpha \sigma \in Tr(s)$ if $\{ s' \in S \mid s \xrightarrow{\alpha} s' \text{ and } \sigma \in Tr(s') \}$.

Definition 2.5. Two states p, q are trace equivalent iff $Tr(p) = Tr(q)$.

Definition 2.6. (**Simulation**) Given two labelled transition system $(S_1, \Lambda, \rightarrow_1)$ and $(S_2, \Lambda, \rightarrow_2)$, relation $R \subseteq S_1 \times S_2$ is a simulation iff, for all $(p, q) \in R$ and $\alpha \in \Lambda$ satisfies

for any $p \xrightarrow{\alpha}_1 p'$, then there exists q' such that $q \xrightarrow{\alpha}_2 q'$ and $(p', q') \in R$



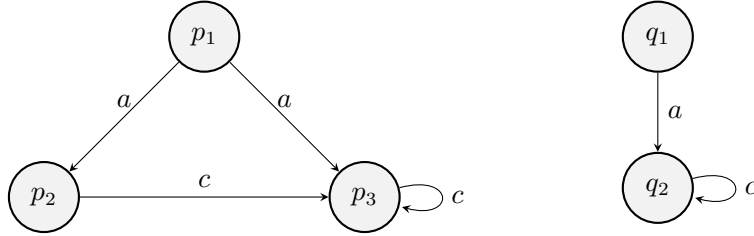
Definition 2.7. We say q simulates p if there exists a simulation R includes (p, q) (i.e., $(p, q) \in R$), written $p < q$.

Definition 2.8. (Bisimulation) Given two labelled transition system $(S_1, \Lambda, \rightarrow_1)$ and $(S_2, \Lambda, \rightarrow_2)$, relation $R \subseteq S_1 \times S_2$ is a bisimulation iff both R and its converse \bar{R} are simulations, for all $(p, q) \in R$ and $\alpha \in \Lambda$ satisfies

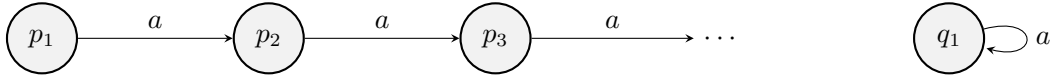
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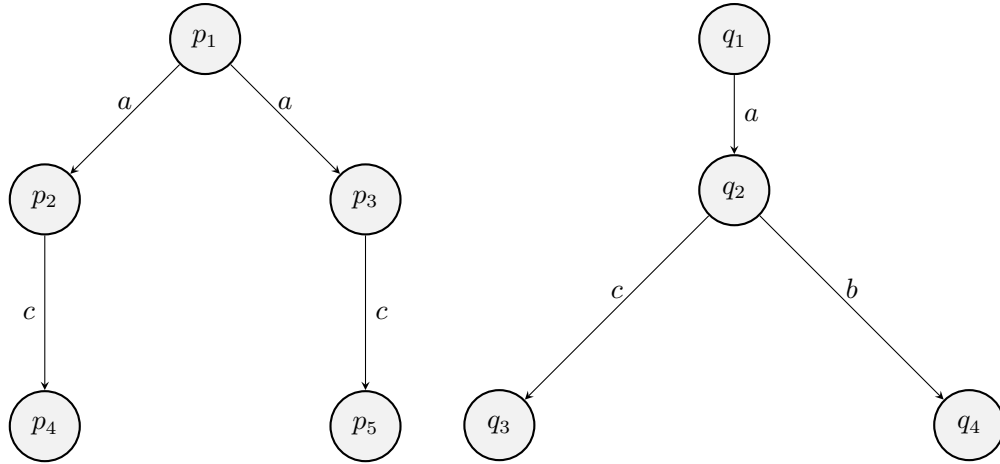
Example 2.9. 一些 bisimulation 的例子



关于上面两个 transition system 的 bisimulation 为 $R = \{(p_1, q_1), (p_2, q_2), (p_3, q_2)\}$. 还有一个比较有点特别的例子



如果关于上图这样 bisimulation R 存在, 那么 $(p_i, q_1) \in R$ for every i . 再看一个不是 bisimulation 的例子



这里不满足 $(p_3, q_2) \notin R$.

Definition 2.10. (Bisimilarity) Given two states p and q in S , p is bisimilar to q , written $p \sim q$, if and only if there is a bisimulation R such that $(p, q) \in R$.

Definition 2.11. The bisimilarity relation \sim is the union of all bisimulations.

Lemma 2.12. The bisimulation has some properties:

- The identity relation id is a bisimulation (with two same LTS).
- The empty relation \perp is a bisimulation.
- (**closed under union**) The $\bigcup_{i \in I} R_i$ of a family of bisimulations $(R_i)_{i \in I}$ is a bisimulation.

Lemma 2.13. [2] The bisimilarity relation \sim is equivalence relation (i.e., reflexivity, symmetry, transitivity).

证明. 其中 reflexivity, symmetry 是比较显然的. Transitivity 稍微麻烦一点, 我们用 relation composition 定义新的 relation $R_3 = R_1; R_2$, 此时有 $(p, q) \in R_3$, 因此只要证明 R_3 is bisimulation 足够了. 取任意一个 $(p_1, q_1) \in R_3$, 那么按照 R_3 的定义, 存在 $(p_1, r_1) \in R_1$ 和 $(r_1, q_1) \in R_2$. 由 $p_1 \sim r_1$ 那么对于任意的 $p_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha} p'_1$, 存在 $r_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha} r'_1$ 满足 $(p'_1, r'_1) \in R_1$. 再由 $r_1 \sim q_1$, 存在 $r_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha} q'_1$ 满足 $(r'_1, q'_1) \in R_2$. 于是按照 R_3 的定义也有 $(p'_1, q'_1) \in R_3$. 再由 R_2 is bisimulation, 从 $(r_1, q_1) \in R_2$ 按照上述的思路往回证明即可, 最终 R_3 is bisimulation. \square

Definition 2.14. [3] An LTS is called **deterministic** if for every state p and action α , there is at most one state q such that $p \xrightarrow{\alpha} q$.

Lemma 2.15. In a deterministic LTS, two states are bisimilar if and only if they are trace equivalent,

$$s_1 \sim s_2 \iff Tr(s_1) = Tr(s_2)$$

证明. 先证 \Rightarrow , 设满足 $s_1 \sim s_2$ ($(s_1, s_2) \in R$ and R is bisimulation), 设 $\sigma_{s_1} \in Tr(s_1)$, 其中 σ_{s_1} 为 sequence $(\alpha_i)_{i \in I}$ where I is a indexed famliy. 由于 $s_1 \sim s_2$, 那么对于 $s_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha_1} s'_1$, 存在 $s_2 \xrightarrow{\alpha_1} s'_2$, 于是 $(s'_1, s'_2) \in R$, 根据 σ 长度做 induction 可以证明 $\sigma_{s_1} \in Tr(s_2)$. 再反过来证明 $\sigma_{s_2} \in Tr(s_1)$ 也同样有 $\sigma_{s_2} \in Tr(s_1)$. 最终 $Tr(s_1) = Tr(s_2)$.

对于 \Leftarrow , 我们可以用 $Tr(s_1) = Tr(s_2)$ 构造一个 bisimulation, 定义 relation R 为

$$Tr(s_1) = Tr(s_2) \iff (s_1, s_2) \in R.$$

只要能证明 R bisimulation 即可. 首先我们来说明在 deterministic 限制下一个比较好性质: 若 $Tr(s_1) = Tr(s_2)$ 且当 $s_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha} s'_1, s_2 \xrightarrow{\alpha} s'_2$, 那么 $Tr(s'_1) = Tr(s'_2)$. 这样对于任意地 $(s_1, s_2) \in R$, 它们 accept 相同 action 对应的 transition $(s'_1, s'_2) \in R$. 因此 $s_1 \sim s_2$. \square

Definition 2.16. (**Weak Bisimulation**) Given two labelled transition system $(S_1, \Lambda, \rightarrow_1)$ and $(S_2, \Lambda, \rightarrow_2)$, relation $R \subseteq S_1 \times S_2$ is a bisimulation iff both R and its converse \bar{R} are simulations, for all $(p, q) \in R$ and $\alpha \in \Lambda \cup \{\tau\}$ satisfies

for any $p \xrightarrow{\alpha}_1 p'$, then there exists q' such that $q \xrightarrow{\tau^* \alpha \tau^*}_2 q'$ and $(p', q') \in R$

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where \rightarrow^* is multi-transition.

Annotation 2.17. 对于 LTS 的一些想法:

- 如果你想用 transition system 来做 reasoning 可以考虑把它和 Kripke frame 联系起来, 同时要构造一些 modality 来设计方便做 reasoning 的 calculus.
- (*bisimulation proof method*) 对于两个特别的 states 来说, 我们应该如何找到这样 bisimulation 来满足 $(p, q) \in R$?
- 对于两个特别的 LTS 来说, 我们怎样以 bisimulation 思考它们是否 equivalent? bisimulation 的最初定义应该叫做 strong bisimulation, 它建立的是一种 strong equivalence, 而 weak bisimulation 建立是一种 observation equivalence.

Annotation 2.18. TODO: CCS(calculus of communicating systems)[4] and mCRL2 [3].

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