

CS 60030: Formal Systems
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Tutorial 2
Linear Time Properties and ω -Regular Languages

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1. Consider the Transition System outlined below.

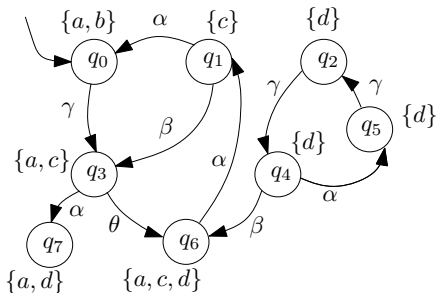


Figure: Transition System: TS_1

With respect to TS_1 answer the following questions:

- 1.1 List two finite non-initial, initial non-maximal execution fragments.
- 1.2 List any maximal execution fragment.

2. For each property φ_i , does $TS_1 \models \varphi_i$? If not, produce a counterexample trace.

2.1 $\varphi_1 = \forall_{i \geq 0} a \in A_i$

2.2 $\varphi_2 = \exists_{i \geq 0} a \notin A_i$

2.3 $\varphi_3 = \exists_{i \geq 0} b \in A_i$

2.4 $\varphi_4 = \exists_{i \geq 0} \forall_{j \geq i} c \in A_j$

2.5 $\varphi_5 = \forall_{i \geq 0} a \vee c \in A_i$

2.6 $\varphi_6 = \exists_{i \geq 0} \forall_{j \geq i} d \in A_j$

3. Which of the above properties are invariants? Which are safety properties but not invariants? Which are neither?

4. Write the ω -Regular Expressions for the following statements:

4.1 A message is sent successfully infinitely often. $\Sigma = \{S, T, F\}$

4.2 Every time the process tries to send a message, it eventually succeeds in sending it. $\Sigma = \{S, T, F\}$

4.3 The LED eventually turns red $\Sigma = \{R, G, B\}$.

4.4 Whenever the LED is Blue, it eventually turns green.

4.5 Either the LED is always Red or it alternates between Green and Blue.

4.6 The invariant, $a \vee \neg b$ over $AP = \{a, b, c\}$.

4.7 Process P visits the critical section infinitely often.
 $AP = \{wait, crit\}$.

4.8 Consider $AP = \{a, b\}$, where the language has words of the form $A_0A_1\dots \in (2^{AP})^\omega$, and is defined as follows

$$\exists^\infty j \geq 0. (a \in A_j \wedge b \in A_j) \text{ and } \exists j \geq 0. (a \in A_j \wedge b \notin A_j)$$

5. For each of the following pairs, determine if they are equivalent. If the two are found to be not equivalent provide a string to distinguish between the two languages.

5.1 $(A^*+B^*).C^\omega$ and $A^*.C^\omega + B^*.C^\omega$

5.2 $(A+B)^*(C+D)^\omega$ and $(A+B)^*.C^\omega + (A+B)^*.D^\omega$

5.3 $(A^* + B.C)^+.(C.C^*)^\omega$ and $(A^* + B.C)^+.(C)^\omega$

5.4 $(A^*B)^\omega$ and $A^*.B^\omega$