

# Verification

Lecture 19

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# Plan for today

- ▶ Simulation equivalence

## REVIEW: Bisimulation

Let  $TS_i = (S_i, Act_i, \rightarrow_i, l_i, AP, L_i)$ ,  $i=1, 2$ , be transition systems

A bisimulation for  $(TS_1, TS_2)$  is a binary relation  $\mathcal{R} \subseteq S_1 \times S_2$  such that:

1.  $\forall s_1 \in I_1 \exists s_2 \in I_2. (s_1, s_2) \in \mathcal{R}$  and  $\forall s_2 \in I_2 \exists s_1 \in I_1. (s_1, s_2) \in \mathcal{R}$
2. for all states  $s_1 \in S_1, s_2 \in S_2$  with  $(s_1, s_2) \in \mathcal{R}$  it holds:
  - 2.1  $L_1(s_1) = L_2(s_2)$
  - 2.2 if  $s'_1 \in Post(s_1)$  then there exists  $s'_2 \in Post(s_2)$  with  $(s'_1, s'_2) \in \mathcal{R}$
  - 2.3 if  $s'_2 \in Post(s_2)$  then there exists  $s'_1 \in Post(s_1)$  with  $(s'_1, s'_2) \in \mathcal{R}$

$TS_1$  and  $TS_2$  are bisimilar, denoted  $TS_1 \sim TS_2$ , if there exists a bisimulation for  $(TS_1, TS_2)$

## REVIEW: Bisimulation on states

$\mathcal{R} \subseteq S \times S$  is a bisimulation on  $TS$  if for any  $(q_1, q_2) \in \mathcal{R}$ :

- ▶  $L(q_1) = L(q_2)$
- ▶ if  $q'_1 \in Post(q_1)$  then there exists an  $q'_2 \in Post(q_2)$  with  $(q'_1, q'_2) \in \mathcal{R}$
- ▶ if  $q'_2 \in Post(q_2)$  then there exists an  $q'_1 \in Post(q_1)$  with  $(q'_1, q'_2) \in \mathcal{R}$

$q_1$  and  $q_2$  are bisimilar,  $q_1 \sim_{TS} q_2$ , if  $(q_1, q_2) \in \mathcal{R}$  for some bisimulation  $\mathcal{R}$  for  $TS$

$$q_1 \sim_{TS} q_2 \quad \text{if and only if} \quad TS_{q_1} \sim TS_{q_2}$$

## REVIEW: Bisimulation vs. CTL\* and CTL equivalence

Let  $TS$  be a finite state graph and  $s, s'$  states in  $TS$

The following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $s \sim_{TS} s'$
- (2)  $s$  and  $s'$  are CTL-equivalent, i.e.,  $s \equiv_{CTL} s'$
- (3)  $s$  and  $s'$  are CTL\*-equivalent, i.e.,  $s \equiv_{CTL^*} s'$

this is proven in three steps:  $\equiv_{CTL} \subseteq \sim \subseteq \equiv_{CTL^*} \subseteq \equiv_{CTL}$

important: equivalence is also obtained for any sub-logic containing  $\neg, \wedge$  and  $X$

## REVIEW: Simulation order

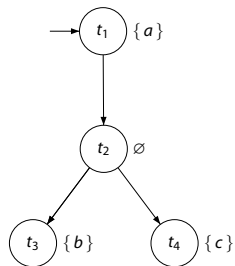
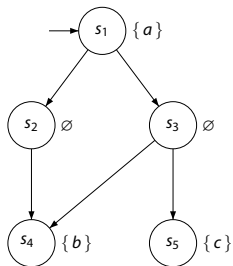
Let  $TS_i = (S_i, Act_i, \rightarrow_i, l_i, AP, L_i)$ ,  $i=1, 2$ ,  
be two transition systems over  $AP$ .

A simulation for  $(TS_1, TS_2)$  is a binary relation  $\mathcal{R} \subseteq S_1 \times S_2$  such that:

1.  $\forall q_1 \in I_1 \exists q_2 \in I_2. (q_1, q_2) \in \mathcal{R}$
2. for all  $(q_1, q_2) \in \mathcal{R}$  it holds:
  - 2.1  $L_1(q_1) = L_2(q_2)$
  - 2.2 if  $q'_1 \in Post(q_1)$   
then there exists  $q'_2 \in Post(q_2)$  with  $(q'_1, q'_2) \in \mathcal{R}$

$TS_1 \leq TS_2$  iff there exists a simulation  $\mathcal{R}$  for  $(TS_1, TS_2)$

## REVIEW: Similar but not bisimilar



$TS_{left} \simeq TS_{right}$  but  $TS_{left} \not\sim TS_{right}$

## Simulation quotient

For  $TS = (S, Act, \rightarrow, I, AP, L)$  and simulation equivalence  $\simeq \subseteq S \times S$  let

$TS/\simeq = (S', \{\tau\}, \rightarrow', I', AP, L')$ , the quotient of  $TS$  under  $\simeq$

where

- ▶  $S' = S/\simeq = \{ [s]_{\simeq} \mid s \in S \}$  and  $I' = \{ [s]_{\simeq} \mid s \in I \}$
- ▶  $\rightarrow'$  is defined by: 
$$\frac{s \xrightarrow{\alpha} s'}{[s]_{\simeq} \xrightarrow{\tau'} [s']_{\simeq}}$$
- ▶  $L'([s]_{\simeq}) = L(s)$

lemma:  $TS \simeq TS/\simeq$  ; proof not straightforward!



## Universal fragment of CTL\*

$\forall$ CTL\* state-formulas are formed according to:

$$\Phi ::= \text{true} \mid \text{false} \mid a \mid \neg a \mid \Phi_1 \wedge \Phi_2 \mid \Phi_1 \vee \Phi_2 \mid A\varphi$$

where  $a \in AP$  and  $\varphi$  is a path-formula

$\forall$ CTL\* path-formulas are formed according to:

$$\varphi ::= \Phi \mid X\varphi \mid \varphi_1 \wedge \varphi_2 \mid \varphi_1 \vee \varphi_2 \mid \varphi_1 U \varphi_2 \mid \varphi_1 R \varphi_2$$

where  $\Phi$  is a state-formula, and  $\varphi, \varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  are path-formulas

## Universal CTL\* contains LTL

For every LTL formula there exists an equivalent  $\forall$ CTL\* formula

**Proof:** Bring LTL formula into positive normal form (PNF).

## Simulation order and $\forall$ CTL\*

Let  $TS$  be a finite transition system (without terminal states) and  $q, q'$  states in  $TS$ .

The following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $q \leq_{TS} q'$
- (2) for all  $\forall$ CTL\*-formulas  $\Phi$ :  $q' \models \Phi$  implies  $q \models \Phi$
- (3) for all  $\forall$ CTL-formulas  $\Phi$ :  $q' \models \Phi$  implies  $q \models \Phi$

proof is carried out in three steps: (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1)

## Existential fragment of CTL\*

$\exists$ CTL\* state-formulas are formed according to:

$$\Phi ::= \text{true} \mid \text{false} \mid a \mid \neg a \mid \Phi_1 \wedge \Phi_2 \mid \Phi_1 \vee \Phi_2 \mid \exists \varphi$$

where  $a \in AP$  and  $\varphi$  is a path-formula

$\exists$ CTL\* path-formulas are formed according to:

$$\varphi ::= \Phi \mid X\varphi \mid \varphi_1 \wedge \varphi_2 \mid \varphi_1 \vee \varphi_2 \mid \varphi_1 U \varphi_2 \mid \varphi_1 R \varphi_2$$

where  $\Phi$  is a state-formula, and  $\varphi, \varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  are path-formulas

# Simulation order and $\exists\text{CTL}^*$

Let  $TS$  be a finite transition system (without terminal states) and  $q, q'$  states in  $TS$ .

The following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $q \leq_{TS} q'$
- (2) for all  $\exists\text{CTL}^*$ -formulas  $\Phi$ :  $q \models \Phi$  implies  $q' \models \Phi$
- (3) for all  $\exists\text{CTL}$ -formulas  $\Phi$ :  $q \models \Phi$  implies  $q' \models \Phi$

## $\approx$ , $\forall\text{CTL}^*$ , and $\exists\text{CTL}^*$ equivalence

For finite transition system  $TS$  without terminal states:

$$\approx_{TS} = \equiv_{\forall\text{CTL}^*} = \equiv_{\forall\text{CTL}} = \equiv_{\exists\text{CTL}^*} = \equiv_{\exists\text{CTL}}$$

# Simulation preorder checking

**Require:** finite transition system  $TS = (S, Act, \rightarrow, l, AP, L)$  over  $AP$

**Ensure:** simulation order  $\leq_{TS}$

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$\mathcal{R} := \{ (q_1, q_2) \mid L(q_1) = L(q_2) \};$

**while**  $\mathcal{R}$  is not a simulation **do**

  choose  $(q_1, q_2) \in \mathcal{R}$

    such that  $(q_1, q'_1) \in E$ , but for all  $q'_2$  with  $(q_2, q'_2) \in E$ ,  $(q'_1, q'_2) \notin \mathcal{R}$ ;

$\mathcal{R} := \mathcal{R} \setminus \{ (q_1, q_2) \}$

**end while**

**return**  $\mathcal{R}$

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The number of iterations is bounded from above by  $|S|^2$ , since:

$$S \times S \supseteq \mathcal{R}_0 \not\supseteq \mathcal{R}_1 \not\supseteq \mathcal{R}_2 \not\supseteq \dots \not\supseteq \mathcal{R}_n = \emptyset$$

## Checking trace equivalence

Let  $TS_1$  and  $TS_2$  be finite transition systems over  $AP$ . Then:

1. The problem whether

$Traces_{fin}(TS_1) = Traces_{fin}(TS_2)$  is PSPACE-complete

2. The problem whether

$Traces(TS_1) = Traces(TS_2)$  is PSPACE-complete



# Overview implementation relations

	bisimulation equivalence	simulation order	trace equivalence
preservation of temporal-logical properties	CTL* CTL	$\forall$ CTL*/ $\exists$ CTL* $\forall$ CTL/ $\exists$ CTL	LTL
checking equivalence	PTIME	PTIME	PSPACE- complete
graph minimization	PTIME	PTIME	---