# TD4 MVFA: LTL

# Exercise 1

Consider the following sequential circuit:



Let  $AP = \{x, y, r_1, r_2\}$ . Provide LTL formulae for the following properties:

- 1. "It is impossible that the circuit outputs two successive 1s."
- 2. "Whenever the input bit is 1, in at most two steps the output bit will be 1."
- 3. "Whenever the input bit is 1, the register bits do not change in the next step."
- 4. "Register  $r_1$  has infinitely often the value 1."

## Exercise 2

- 1. We consider the following construction: given two NBA  $\mathcal{A}_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma, \delta_1, Q_{0_1}, F_1)$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2 = (Q_2, \Sigma, \delta_2, Q_{0_2}, F_2)$ , we let  $\mathcal{G}_{\mathcal{A}_1 \sqcap \mathcal{A}_2} = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, Q_0, \mathcal{F})$  be the GNBA where:
  - $Q = Q_1 \times Q_2$
  - $Q_0 = Q_{0_1} \times Q_{0_2}$
  - $\mathcal{F} = \{F_1 \times Q_2, Q_1 \times F_2\}$
  - $\delta(\langle q_1, q_2 \rangle, a) = \{\langle p_1, p_2 \rangle \mid p_1 \in \delta(q_1, a), p_2 \in \delta(q_2, a)\}$

Consider the following NBA  $\mathcal{A}_a$  and  $\mathcal{A}_b$  on the alphabet  $\Sigma_{ab} = \{a, b\}$ :



- 2. Define formally  $\mathcal{G}_{\mathcal{A}_a \sqcap \mathcal{A}_b}$ .
- 3. (\*) Prove that for any NBA  $\mathcal{A}_1$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2$ ,  $\mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{G}_{\mathcal{A}_1 \sqcap \mathcal{A}_2}) = \mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{A}_1) \cap \mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{A}_2)$ .

- 4. We now consider the following construction from GNBA to NBA: let  $\mathcal{G} = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, Q_0, \mathcal{F})$  be an GNBA with  $\mathcal{F} = \{F_0, \ldots, F_{k-1}\}$ , we define the NBA  $\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{G}} = (Q', \Sigma, \delta', Q'_0, F')$  where:
  - $Q' = Q \times \{1, \dots, n\}$
  - $Q'_0 = Q_0 \times \{1\}$ •  $F' = F_1 \times \{1\}$  $\int \{\langle q', i \rangle : q' \in \delta(q, a)\} \text{ if } q \notin F_i$

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$$\delta'(\langle q,i\rangle,a) = \begin{cases} \{\langle q',i\rangle,q'\in\delta(q,a)\} \text{ if } q\in F_i \\ \{\langle q',i\rangle,q'\in\delta(q,a)\} \text{ if } q\in F_i \\ \{\langle q',0\rangle:q'\in\delta(q,a)\} \text{ if } q\in F_i, i=n \end{cases}$$

Define formally  $\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{G}_{\mathcal{A}_a \sqcap \mathcal{A}_b}}$  where  $\mathcal{G}_{\mathcal{A}_a \sqcap \mathcal{A}_b}$  is the GNBA you constructed earlier.

5. (\*) Prove that for any GNBA  $\mathcal{G}$ ,  $\mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{G}}) = \mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{G})$ .

#### Exercise 3

Let  $\varphi = (a \land \bigcirc a) \cup (a \land \neg \bigcirc a)$  be an LTL-formula over  $AP = \{a\}$ .

- 1. Compute all elementary sets with respect to  $\varphi$ .
- 2. Construct the GNBA  $\mathcal{G}(\varphi)$  such that  $\mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{G}(\varphi)) = Words(\varphi)$ .
- 3. Give an  $\omega$ -regular expression E such that  $\mathcal{L}_{\omega}(\mathcal{G}(\varphi)) = \mathcal{L}_{\omega}(E)$ .

# Exercise 4 (\*)

Which of the following equivalences are correct? Prove the equivalence or provide a counterexample that illustrates that the formula on the left and the formula on the right are not equivalent.

- 1.  $\Box \varphi \rightarrow \Diamond \psi \equiv \varphi \cup (\psi \lor \neg \varphi)$
- 2.  $\square \varphi \to \square \Diamond \psi \equiv \square (\varphi \cup (\psi \lor \neg \varphi))$
- 3.  $\Box\Box(\varphi \lor \neg\psi) \equiv \neg\Diamond(\neg\varphi \land \psi)$
- 4.  $\Diamond(\varphi \land \psi) \equiv \Diamond \varphi \land \Diamond \psi$
- 5.  $\Box \varphi \land \bigcirc \Diamond \varphi \equiv \Box \varphi$
- 6.  $\Diamond \varphi \land \bigcirc \Box \varphi \equiv \Diamond \varphi$
- 7.  $\Box \Diamond \varphi \to \Box \Diamond \psi \equiv \Box (\varphi \to \Diamond \psi)$
- 8.  $\neg(\varphi_1 \cup \varphi_2) \equiv \neg\varphi_2 \cup (\neg\varphi_1 \land \neg\varphi_2)$
- 9.  $\bigcirc \Diamond \varphi_1 \equiv \Diamond \bigcirc \varphi_2$
- 10.  $(\Diamond \Box \varphi_1) \land (\Diamond \Box \varphi_2) \equiv \Diamond (\Box \varphi_1 \land \Box \varphi_2)$
- 11.  $(\varphi_1 \cup \varphi_2) \cup \varphi_2 \equiv \varphi_1 \cup \varphi_2$

### Exercise 5

Let  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  be LTL formulae. Consider the following new operators:

- "At next"  $\varphi AX\psi$ :  $A_0A_1... \models \varphi AX\psi \Leftrightarrow$  for all  $i \ge 0$  where  $A_iA_{i+1}... \models \psi$ , for which there exists no  $0 \le j < i$  where  $A_jA_{j+1}... \models \psi$ ,  $A_iA_{i+1}... \models \varphi$  holds.
- "While"  $\varphi WH\psi$ :  $A_0A_1... \models \varphi WH\psi \Leftrightarrow$  for all  $i \ge 0$  where  $A_jA_{j+1}... \models \psi$  for all  $0 \le j < i$ ,  $A_kA_{k+1}... \models \varphi$  for all  $0 \le k < i$ .
- "Before"  $\varphi B\psi$ :  $A_0A_1... \models \varphi B\psi \Leftrightarrow$  for all  $i \ge 0$  where  $A_iA_{i+1}... \models \psi$ , there exists some  $0 \le j < i$  where  $A_jA_{j+1}... \models \varphi$ .

Show that these operators are LTL-definable by providing equivalent LTL formulae. You may use both the until and weak until operator.