

LTL framework

- A prelude library of LTL theories
- Includes definitions of state sequences, temporal operators, proofs of LTL proof rules
- Strategies manipulating LTL structures (e.g. `split-rho`) or applying proof rules (e.g. `binv`)

State Sequences

- A state is a type-consistent interpretation of the system variables V
- A state sequence is an infinite sequence of states, represented as a mapping from time (\mathbb{N}) to states:

`STATE_SEQ: TYPE = [TIME \rightarrow STATE]`

(Recall: $\sigma : s_0, s_1, s_2, \dots$)

- Assertions are properties defined on individual states, without reference to their position in the state sequence.

`ASSERTION: TYPE = [STATE \rightarrow bool]`

Disjunction, conjunction, negation and implication over assertions are defined in the natural manner.

Example

$V = \{a, b : \text{boolean}\}$

Four distinct states, $s^{00} : \langle a : F, b : F \rangle$
 $s^{01} : \langle a : F, b : T \rangle$
 $s^{10} : \langle a : T, b : F \rangle$
 $s^{11} : \langle a : T, b : T \rangle$

STATE type for this system is $\{s^{00}, s^{01}, s^{10}, s^{11}\}$

State sequence S_{opp} defined as

```
 $S_{opp} : [\text{TIME} \mapsto \text{STATE}] =$   
0  $\mapsto s^{01}$   
1  $\mapsto s^{10}$   
2  $\mapsto s^{01}$   
3  $\mapsto s^{10}$   
...
```

Assertion $a_implies_b$ is defined to be true in every state s in which $a \rightarrow b$. I.e. it is true of state s iff $s \neq s^{10}$.

$a_implies_b$ is true at states $S_{opp}(0), S_{opp}(2), \dots$

Lambda expression

Lambda (λ) expression denote **unnamed functions**. For example, the function which adds 3 to an integer may be written as

$$\lambda(x : \text{int}) : x + 3$$

and defines a function of type $[\text{int} \mapsto \text{int}]$.

So, more formally,

```
S_opp: STATE_SEQ =  
  ( $\lambda$  (t: TIME):  
    IF  $\exists$  (j: TIME): t = 2  $\times$  j  
      THEN (# a := FALSE, b := TRUE #)  
      ELSE (# a := TRUE, b := FALSE #)  
      ENDIF)
```

The assertion $a_implies_b$ is defined as

```
a_implies_b: ASSERTION =  
  ( $\lambda$  (s: STATE): s'a  $\rightarrow$  s'b)
```

Similarly, we can define

```
a_and_b: ASSERTION =  
  (λ (s: STATE): s'a ∧ s'b)
```

```
a_or_b: ASSERTION =  
  (λ (s: STATE): s'a ∨ s'b)
```

Using conjunction and negation over assertions,

```
a_xor_b: ASSERTION =  
  (λ (s: STATE): a_or_b(s) AND NOT(a_and_b(s)))
```

Temporal Properties

Temporal properties are interpreted over state sequences.

```
TP: TYPE = [STATE_SEQ, TIME → boolean]
```

E.g., the henceforth operator, $G(\square)$, is defined as

```
G: [TP → TP] =  
  (λ (a: TP):  
    (λ (seq: STATE_SEQ), (j: TIME):  
      ∀ (t: TIME): t ≥ j → a(seq, t)))
```

That is, $G(a)$ holds at every position j in seq s.t. for all $t \geq j$, a holds at state $seq(t)$.

There is **automatic conversion** from assertions to temporal properties. The temporal property is derived by evaluating the assertion at every state in the sequence:

```
assertion_to_TP(p: ASSERTION): TP =  
  (λ (seq: STATE_SEQ), (t: TIME):  
    p(seq(t)))
```

i.e. $p(seq, t) = p(seq(t))$

- $a_or_b(S_opp(t))$
evaluates an assertion on state $S_opp(t)$.

$a_or_b(S_opp, t)$
evaluates a temporal property at position t of S_opp
 a_or_b is converted into a temporal property

Both return the same value.

- Consider $G(a_or_b)(S_opp, 0)$

$G(a_or_b)$ is a temporal property
It is evaluated at position 0 of S_opp .

$G(a_or_b)(S_opp(0))$
is incorrectly typed: a temporal property cannot be converted to an assertion, nor can it be evaluated at an individual state.

- Which of the following are true?
 - $a_implies_b(S_opp(0))$
 - $a_implies_b(S_opp, 0)$
 - $G(a_implies_b)(S_opp, 0)$
 - $a_implies_b(S_opp, 1)$
 - $G(a_or_b)(S_opp, 1)$
 - $G(\text{not}(a_and_b))(S_opp, 1)$