

# Interval Temporal Logic

## A not so short introduction

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This course will give a not so short introduction to Interval Temporal Logic (ITL)

ITL is a

- **discrete, linear** temporal logic
- for both **finite** and **infinite** intervals (sequences of states) which includes
- a basic construct for **sequential** composition and
- an analog of **Kleene star** (regular expressions)

- Combines **temporal logic**, **automata** and **regular expressions**
- **Modular** reasoning about time (e.g., hardware, software, multimedia)
- Flexible notation for discrete linear **order**
- **Analytical framework** for going from infinite-time behaviour to finite-time behaviour.
- Supports **sequential** operators found in programs, etc.

- **Compositionality** with assumptions and commitments
- **Refinement** to derive concrete programs from abstract specifications.
- ITL with **memory** and **framing** can embed various kinds of **imperative programs**, including **parallel** ones.
- **Executable** specifications and imperative subsets.
- **Temporal projection** between different time granularities; enables imperative constructs for **interleaved processes**.

- ITL helped influence Prof Mike Gordon, FRS to switch from LCF to HOL in his theorem proving tools. (E.g., see his article *From LCF to HOL: A short history*).
- Hybrid systems: Duration Calculus (real and discrete time).
- ITL is used to give semantics to Verilog (EPSRC project with Oxford University).
- ITL is used in hardware/software codesign (EPSRC projects with University of Newcastle upon Tyne and Oxford University).
- ITL is used for security and trust policies (DTC-DIF projects).
- ITL used in the projects Safemos (UK) and ProCoS (EU).
- Mexitl (Kent, Winnipeg) is based on ITL, Multimedia in Executable Interval Temporal Logic.

- **AnaTempura** runtime verification tool uses executable subset of ITL.
- Influenced Verisity Ltd.'s language **temporal e** (part of IEEE Standard 1647). Verisity acquired by Cadence Design Systems, Inc., a major supplier of electronic design tools and services.
- Used in the **KIV theorem prover** (University of Augsburg, Germany) - e.g., for Statecharts, UML and medical protocols.
- ITL with **framing** and **temporal projection** extensively studied by Duan and group (Xidian University, Xi'an, China).

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## Propositional Logic

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Syntax of Propositional Logic:

- Boolean **values**: true, false
- Boolean **variables**:  $p, q, \dots$
- Boolean **operators**:

$\wedge$  (and),

$\vee$  (or),

$\neg$  (not),

$\supset$  (implication),

$\equiv$  (equivalence)

Syntax of propositional formulae in BNF:

$$f ::= \text{true} \mid p \mid \neg f \mid f_1 \wedge f_2$$

Derived Boolean operators:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{false} &\hat{=} \neg \text{true} \\ f_1 \vee f_2 &\hat{=} \neg(\neg f_1 \wedge \neg f_2) \\ f_1 \supset f_2 &\hat{=} \neg f_1 \vee f_2 \\ f_1 \equiv f_2 &\hat{=} (f_1 \supset f_2) \wedge (f_2 \supset f_1) \end{aligned}$$

## Example

true

$\neg p$

true  $\wedge p$

false  $\vee \neg p$

false  $\supset p$

$p \equiv (p \wedge r)$

A state is a **mapping** **State** from the set of propositional variables  $\mathbf{Var}^b$  to the set of Boolean values  $\mathbf{Bool} \hat{=} \{\mathbf{tt}, \mathbf{ff}\}$ .  $\mathbf{tt}$  is the **semantic** 'true' value and  $\mathbf{ff}$  the **semantic** 'false' value.

$$\mathbf{State} : \mathbf{Var}^b \rightarrow \mathbf{Bool}$$

We will use  $\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots$  to denote states and  $\Sigma$  to denote the set of all possible states.

### Example

Let  $\sigma_0$  be a state such that

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_0(\mathbf{p}) &= \mathbf{tt} \\ \sigma_0(\mathbf{q}) &= \mathbf{ff}\end{aligned}$$



# Semantic Boolean operators

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Truth tables for Semantic Boolean operators:

• not : 

X	not X
tt	ff
ff	tt

• and : 

X	Y	X and Y
tt	tt	tt
tt	ff	ff
ff	tt	ff
ff	ff	ff

or : 

X	Y	X or Y
tt	tt	tt
tt	ff	tt
ff	tt	tt
ff	ff	ff

• if : 

X	Y	X implies Y
tt	tt	tt
tt	ff	ff
ff	tt	tt
ff	ff	tt

iff : 

X	Y	X iff Y
tt	tt	tt
tt	ff	ff
ff	tt	ff
ff	ff	tt

Let  $\llbracket \dots \rrbracket$  be the “meaning” function from **Propositions**  $\times$  **State** to  $\{\text{tt}, \text{ff}\}$  and let  $\sigma_0$  be a state then

$$\begin{array}{lll} \llbracket \text{true} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & \hat{=} & \text{tt} \\ \llbracket \mathbf{p} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & \hat{=} & \sigma_0(\mathbf{p}) \\ \llbracket \neg \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & \hat{=} & \text{not} (\llbracket \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}) \\ \llbracket \mathbf{f}_1 \wedge \mathbf{f}_2 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & \hat{=} & (\llbracket \mathbf{f}_1 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} \text{ and } \llbracket \mathbf{f}_2 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}) \end{array}$$

## Example

Let  $\sigma_0(p) = \text{tt}$  and  $\sigma_0(q) = \text{ff}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket p \vee q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} \\ = & \llbracket \neg(\neg p \wedge \neg q) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} \\ = & \text{not} (\llbracket \neg p \wedge \neg q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}) \\ = & \text{not} (\llbracket \neg p \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} \text{ and } \llbracket \neg q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}) \\ = & \text{not} (\text{not} (\llbracket p \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}) \text{ and } \text{not} (\llbracket q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0})) \\ = & \text{not} (\text{not} (\sigma_0(p)) \text{ and } \text{not} (\sigma_0(q))) \\ = & \text{not} (\text{not} (\text{tt}) \text{ and } \text{not} (\text{ff})) \\ = & \text{not} (\text{ff and tt}) \\ = & \text{not} (\text{ff}) \\ = & \text{tt} \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise

*One can give the truth table for Boolean formulae in a similar way as the Semantic Boolean operators, i.e., for  $\wedge$ :*

<b><math>p</math></b>	<b><math>q</math></b>	<b><math>p \wedge q</math></b>
true	true	true
true	false	false
false	true	false
false	false	false

*Give the truth table for the following Boolean formulae:*

$$(\neg p) \vee (q \wedge r)$$

$$(\neg p) \equiv (q \vee \neg r)$$

## Exercise

Let  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{p}) = tt$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{q}) = tt$ .

Give the semantics of  $\mathbf{p} \equiv \mathbf{q}$ , i.e., calculate  $\llbracket \mathbf{p} \equiv \mathbf{q} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}$ .

## Exercise

Show that for any state  $\sigma_0$  and for propositional variables  $\mathbf{p}$  and  $\mathbf{q}$  the following holds  $\llbracket \mathbf{p} \vee \mathbf{q} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = (\llbracket \mathbf{p} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} \text{ or } \llbracket \mathbf{q} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0})$ .

## Part II

### Propositional Interval Temporal Logic

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## Syntax of Propositional ITL:

- Boolean values: true, false
- Boolean **static variables**:  $p, q, \dots$
- Boolean **state variables**:  $P, Q, \dots$
- Boolean operators:  $\wedge, \vee, \neg, \supset, \equiv$
- **Temporal** operators:

skip (skip),  
; (chop),  
\* (chopstar),  
○ (next),  
□ (always),  
◇ (sometimes), .....



Syntax of Propositional ITL in BNF:

$$f ::= \text{true} \mid q \mid Q \mid \neg f \mid f_1 \wedge f_2 \mid \text{skip} \mid f_1 ; f_2 \mid f^*$$

Derived ITL operators:

$$\begin{aligned} \bigcirc f &\hat{=} \text{skip} ; f \\ \text{inf} &\hat{=} \text{true} ; \text{false} \\ \text{finite} &\hat{=} \neg \text{inf} \\ \diamond f &\hat{=} \text{finite} ; f \\ \square f &\hat{=} \neg(\diamond \neg f) \\ \dots & \end{aligned}$$

## Example

skip

skip ; skip

$Q \wedge \text{skip}$

$Q \wedge (\text{skip} ; \neg Q)$

$P \wedge (((\neg R) \wedge \text{skip}) ; Q)$

$Q \wedge (\bigcirc Q) \wedge (\bigcirc\bigcirc\neg Q)$

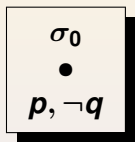
$(\diamond P) \wedge (\diamond Q)$

$\square Q$

skip\*

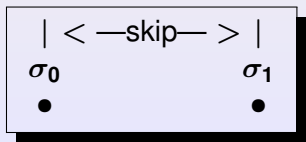
In **propositional logic semantics** is given wrt a **state**:

If  $\sigma_0(p) = \text{tt}$  and  $\sigma_0(q) = \text{ff}$  then  $\llbracket p \vee q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}$

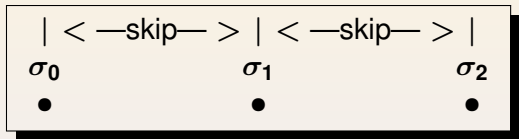


In **propositional ITL semantics** is given wrt a **sequence of states**:

Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  be states then  $\llbracket \text{skip} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt}$

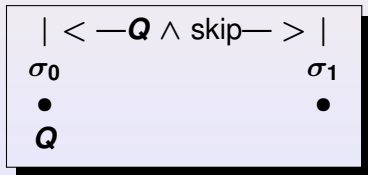


Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states then  $\llbracket \text{skip} ; \text{skip} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \text{tt}$



Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  be states and  $\sigma_0(Q) = \text{tt}$  then

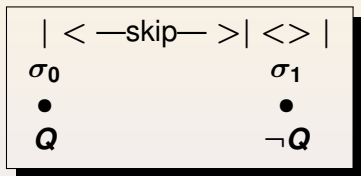
$\llbracket Q \wedge \text{skip} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt}$



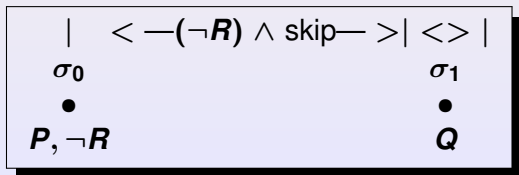
# Informal Semantics

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Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  be states and  $\sigma_0(Q) = \text{tt}$  and  $\sigma_1(Q) = \text{ff}$  then  
 $\llbracket Q \wedge (\text{skip}; \neg Q) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt}$



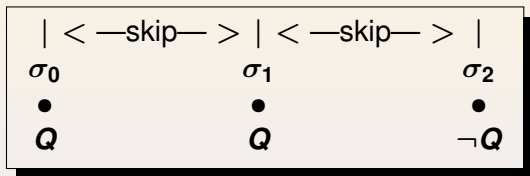
Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  be states and  $\sigma_0(P) = \text{tt}$ ,  $\sigma_0(R) = \text{ff}$  and  
 $\sigma_1(Q) = \text{tt}$  then  $\llbracket P \wedge (((\neg R) \wedge \text{skip}); Q) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt}$



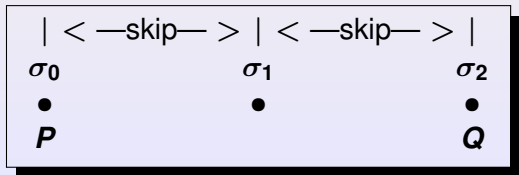
# Informal Semantics

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Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states and  $\sigma_0(Q) = \text{tt}$ ,  $\sigma_1(Q) = \text{tt}$  and  $\sigma_2(Q) = \text{ff}$  then  $\llbracket Q \wedge (\circ Q) \wedge (\circ\circ\neg Q) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0\sigma_1\sigma_2} = \text{tt}$



Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states and  $\sigma_0(P) = \text{tt}$  and  $\sigma_2(Q) = \text{tt}$  then  $\llbracket (\diamond P) \wedge (\diamond Q) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0\sigma_1\sigma_2} = \text{tt}$

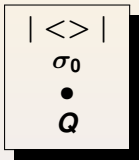


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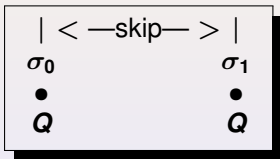
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Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states and  $\sigma_0(Q) = \text{tt}$ ,  $\sigma_1(Q) = \text{tt}$  and  $\sigma_3(Q) = \text{tt}$  then

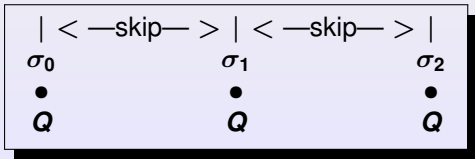
$$\llbracket \square Q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}$$



$$\llbracket \square Q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt}$$



$$\llbracket \square Q \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \text{tt}$$



Let  $\sigma_i$  be a state ( $i \geq 0$ ) then

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \llbracket \text{skip}^* \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt} \quad \boxed{\begin{array}{c} | \langle \rangle | \\ \sigma_0 \\ \bullet \end{array}} \\
 \llbracket \text{skip}^* \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt} \quad \boxed{\begin{array}{cc} | \langle \text{---skip---} \rangle | \\ \sigma_0 & \sigma_1 \\ \bullet & \bullet \end{array}} \\
 \llbracket \text{skip}^* \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \text{tt} \quad \boxed{\begin{array}{ccc} | \langle \text{---skip---} \rangle | \langle \text{---skip---} \rangle | \\ \sigma_0 & \sigma_1 & \sigma_2 \\ \bullet & \bullet & \bullet \end{array}} \\
 \dots \\
 \llbracket \text{skip}^* \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_i} = \text{tt} \quad \boxed{\begin{array}{ccc} \sigma_0 & \dots & \sigma_i \\ \bullet & \dots & \bullet \end{array}}
 \end{array}$$



An **interval**  $\sigma$  is a (in)finite sequence of states

$$\sigma : \sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \dots$$

Let  $\Sigma^+$  denote the set of all possible non-empty finite intervals.

Let  $\Sigma^\omega$  denote the set of infinite intervals.

The **length of an interval**  $\sigma$  is denoted by  $|\sigma|$  and is the number of states minus 1.

## Example

$$\sigma = \sigma_0 \qquad |\sigma| = 0$$

$$\sigma = \sigma_0 \sigma_1 \qquad |\sigma| = 1$$

$$\sigma = \sigma_0 \sigma_1 \dots \sigma_n \qquad |\sigma| = n$$

## Static vs State Variables

- **Static variables** don't change their values within an interval.
- **State variables** can change their values within an interval.

$\mathbf{Var} = \mathbf{StateVar} \cup \mathbf{StaticVar}$  and

$\mathbf{StateVar} \cap \mathbf{StaticVar} = \emptyset$ .

State variables are denoted by capital first symbols and static variables are denoted by small symbols.

### Example

Let  $\sigma : \sigma_0\sigma_1$  be an interval where

$$\sigma_0(Q) = tt$$

$$\sigma_0(q) = ff$$

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$Q$  is a state variable and  $q$  is a static variable.

Let  $\sigma = \sigma_0\sigma_1\sigma_2\dots$  be an interval then

- $\sigma_0\dots\sigma_k$  (where  $0 \leq k \leq |\sigma|$ )  
denotes a **prefix** interval of  $\sigma$
- $\sigma_k\dots\sigma_{|\sigma|}$  (where  $0 \leq k \leq |\sigma|$ )  
denotes a **suffix** interval of  $\sigma$
- $\sigma_k\dots\sigma_l$  (where  $0 \leq k \leq l \leq |\sigma|$ )  
denotes a **sub** interval of  $\sigma$

## Example

Let  $\sigma = \sigma_0\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_3$  be an interval then

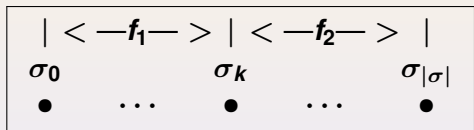
$\sigma_0\sigma_1$	is a prefix interval of $\sigma$
$\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_3$	is a suffix interval of $\sigma$
$\sigma_1\sigma_2$	is a sub interval of $\sigma$

Let  $\llbracket \dots \rrbracket$  be the “meaning” function from  $PITL \times (\Sigma^+ \cup \Sigma^\omega)$  to  $\{\mathbf{tt}, \mathbf{ff}\}$  and let  $\sigma$  be an interval ( $\sigma \in \Sigma^+ \cup \Sigma^\omega$ ) then

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \llbracket \mathbf{true} \rrbracket_\sigma & \hat{=} & \mathbf{tt} \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{q} \rrbracket_\sigma & \hat{=} & \sigma_0(\mathbf{q}) \text{ and} \\
 & & \text{for all } 0 < i \leq |\sigma|, \sigma_i(\mathbf{q}) = \sigma_0(\mathbf{q}) \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{Q} \rrbracket_\sigma & \hat{=} & \sigma_0(\mathbf{Q}) \\
 \llbracket \neg \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_\sigma & \hat{=} & \mathbf{not} (\llbracket \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_\sigma) \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{f}_1 \wedge \mathbf{f}_2 \rrbracket_\sigma & \hat{=} & \llbracket \mathbf{f}_1 \rrbracket_\sigma \text{ and } \llbracket \mathbf{f}_2 \rrbracket_\sigma \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{skip} \rrbracket_\sigma = \mathbf{tt} & \text{iff} & |\sigma| = 1
 \end{array}$$

The semantics of 'chop' is as follows  $\llbracket f_1 ; f_2 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$  iff

(exists  $k$ , s.t.  $\llbracket f_1 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_k} = \text{tt}$  and  $\llbracket f_2 \rrbracket_{\sigma_k \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}} = \text{tt}$ )



Interval  $\sigma$  is a fusion of two intervals  $\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_k$  (satisfies  $f_1$ ) and  $\sigma_k \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}$  (satisfies  $f_2$ ). State  $\sigma_k$  is shared by both.

or ( $\sigma$  is infinite and  $\llbracket f_1 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$ )

|  $\langle - f_1 - \rangle$

$\sigma_0$

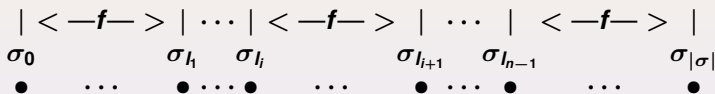
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Interval  $\sigma$  is infinite and satisfies  $f_1$ , so  $f_2$  is irrelevant.

The semantics of 'chopstar' is as follows  $\llbracket f^* \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$  iff  
if  $\sigma$  is finite then

(exist  $l_0, \dots, l_n$  s.t.  $l_0 = 0$  and  $l_n = |\sigma|$  and  
for all  $0 \leq i < n$ ,  $l_i \leq l_{i+1}$  and  $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_i} \dots \sigma_{l_{i+1}}} = \text{tt}$ )

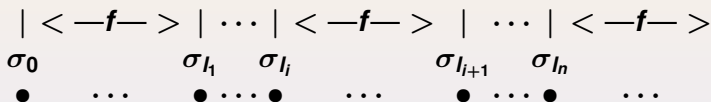


Finite interval  $\sigma$  is the fusion of a finite number of finite sub-intervals each satisfying  $f$ .

else

else

(exist  $l_0, \dots, l_n$  s.t.  $l_0 = 0$  and  
 $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_n} \dots | \sigma|} = \text{tt}$  and  
 for all  $0 \leq i < n$ ,  $l_i \leq l_{i+1}$  and  $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_i} \dots \sigma_{l_{i+1}}} = \text{tt}$ )



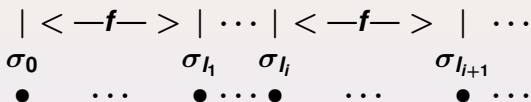
Infinite interval  $\sigma$  is the fusion of a finite number of sub-intervals each satisfying  $f$ . Each sub-interval is finite except the last one which is infinite.

or



or

(exist an infinite number of  $l_i$  s.t.  $l_0 = 0$  and  
for all  $0 \leq i, l_i \leq l_{i+1}$  and  $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_i} \dots \sigma_{l_{i+1}}} = \text{tt}$ )



Infinite interval  $\sigma$  is the fusion of an infinite number of finite sub-intervals each satisfying  $f$ .

We will now introduce some derived temporal formulae.

$\circ f$	$\hat{=}$	$\text{skip} ; f$	next
$\textcircled{w} f$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \circ \neg f$	weak next
more	$\hat{=}$	$\circ \text{true}$	non-empty interval
empty	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \text{more}$	empty interval
inf	$\hat{=}$	$\text{true} ; \text{false}$	infinite interval
finite	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \text{inf}$	finite interval
$\diamond f$	$\hat{=}$	$\text{finite} ; f$	sometimes
$\square f$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \diamond \neg f$	always
$\diamonddownarrow f$	$\hat{=}$	$f ; \text{true}$	some initial subinterval
$\squareuparrow f$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg(\diamond \neg f)$	all initial subintervals
$\diamonduparrow f$	$\hat{=}$	$\text{finite} ; f ; \text{true}$	some subinterval
$\squareuparrow f$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg(\diamonduparrow \neg f)$	all subintervals

- **Next**,  $f$  holds in the next state of the interval:

$$\circ f \hat{=} \text{skip}; f$$

$$\llbracket \circ f \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt} \text{ iff } |\sigma| > 0 \text{ and } (\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_1 \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}} = \text{tt})$$

- **Weak Next**, interval has only one state or  $f$  holds in the next state of the interval:

$$\circledast f \hat{=} \neg \circ \neg f$$

$$\llbracket \circledast f \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt} \text{ iff } |\sigma| = 0 \text{ or } (\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_1 \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}} = \text{tt})$$

- **More**, interval with at least two states:

$\text{more} \hat{=} \bigcirc \text{true}$

$\llbracket \text{more} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt iff } |\sigma| > 0$

- **Empty**, interval with only one state:

$\text{empty} \hat{=} \neg \text{more}$

$\llbracket \text{empty} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt iff } |\sigma| = 0$

- **Infinite**, interval with an infinite number of states:

$\text{inf} \hat{=} \text{true} ; \text{false}$

$\llbracket \text{inf} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt}$  iff  $\sigma$  is infinite

- **Finite**, interval with a finite number of states:

$\text{finite} \hat{=} \neg \text{inf}$

$\llbracket \text{finite} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt}$  iff  $\sigma$  is finite

- **Sometimes**, there exist a suffix interval that satisfies  $f$ :

$$\diamond f \hat{=} \text{finite} ; f$$

$$\llbracket \diamond f \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt} \text{ iff (exists a } 0 \leq k \leq |\sigma|, \text{ s.t. } \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_k \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}} = \text{tt})$$

- **Always**, all suffix intervals satisfy  $f$ :

$$\square f \hat{=} \neg \diamond \neg f$$

$$\llbracket \square f \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt} \text{ iff (for all } 0 \leq k \leq |\sigma|, \text{ s.t. } \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_k \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}} = \text{tt})$$

- **Diamond-i**, there exists a prefix interval that satisfies  $f$ :

$$\diamond f \hat{=} f ; \text{true}$$

$$\llbracket \diamond f \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt} \text{ iff (exists a } 0 \leq k \leq |\sigma|, \text{ s.t. } \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_k} = \text{tt})$$

- **Box-i**, all prefix intervals satisfy  $f$ :

$$\Box f \hat{=} \neg \diamond \neg f$$

$$\llbracket \Box f \rrbracket = \text{tt} \text{ iff (for all } 0 \leq k \leq |\sigma|, \text{ s.t. } \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_k} = \text{tt})$$

- **Diamond-a**, there exists a sub-interval that satisfies  $f$ :

$$\diamond f \hat{=} \text{finite} ; f ; \text{true}$$

$$\llbracket \diamond f \rrbracket = \text{tt iff (exist } 0 \leq k \leq l \leq |\sigma| \text{ s.t. } \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_k \dots \sigma_l} = \text{tt)}$$

- **Box-a**, all sub-intervals satisfy  $f$ :

$$\Box f \hat{=} \neg \diamond \neg f$$

$$\llbracket \Box f \rrbracket = \text{tt iff (for all } 0 \leq k \leq l \leq |\sigma| \text{ s.t. } \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_k \dots \sigma_l} = \text{tt)}$$



- Following are derived temporal formulae that are “programming constructs”:

if $f_0$ then $f_1$ else $f_2$	$\hat{=}$	$(f_0 \wedge f_1) \vee (\neg f_0 \wedge f_2)$	if then else
if $f_0$ then $f_1$	$\hat{=}$	if $f_0$ then $f_1$ else empty	if then
halt $f$	$\hat{=}$	$\square(\text{empty} \equiv f)$	halt when
keep $f$	$\hat{=}$	$\Box^a(\text{skip} \supset f)$	all unit sub-intervals
while $f_0$ do $f_1$	$\hat{=}$	$(f_0 \wedge f_1)^* \wedge \text{fin} \neg f_0$	while loop
repeat $f_0$ until $f_1$	$\hat{=}$	$f_0 ; (\text{while} \neg f_1 \text{ do } f_0)$	repeat loop

## Exercise

Let  $\sigma = \sigma_0\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_3$

Give all prefix intervals of  $\sigma$

Give all suffix intervals of  $\sigma$

Give all sub-intervals of  $\sigma$

## Exercise

*Give the formal semantics of following formulae:*

$\square(\text{empty} \supset f)$

$\mathbf{i}(\text{empty} \supset f)$

$\mathbf{a}(\text{empty} \supset f)$

$\square(\text{more} \supset f)$

$\mathbf{i}(\text{more} \supset f)$

$\mathbf{a}(\text{more} \supset f)$

$\square(\text{skip} \supset f)$

$\mathbf{i}(\text{skip} \supset f)$

$\mathbf{a}(\text{skip} \supset f)$

## Exercise

*Give the informal semantics (picture) of following formulae:*

if  $f_0$  then  $f_1$  else  $f_2$

fin  $f$

halt  $f$

keep  $f$

while  $f_0$  do  $f_1$

repeat  $f_0$  until  $f_1$

## Part III

### First Order Logic

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Syntax of Integer Expressions:

- Integer values:  $0, 1, \dots$ ,
- Static integer variable:  $a, b, \dots$
- State integer variable:  $A, B, \dots$
- Integer operators:  $+, -, *, **, mod, div, \dots$

Syntax of Formulae:

- Boolean values: true, false
- Boolean predicates:  $e_1 = e_2, e_1 \neq e_2, e_1 < e_2, e_1 \leq e_2, e_1 > e_2, e_1 \geq e_2, \dots$
- Boolean operators:  $\wedge, \vee, \neg, \supset, \equiv, \forall \mathbf{v} \bullet \mathbf{f}$  (for all  $\mathbf{v}$  such that  $\mathbf{f}$  holds)

Syntax of Integer Expressions in BNF:

$$e ::= z \mid a \mid A \mid g(e_1, \dots, e_n)$$

where  $z$  is an integer constant and  $g$  an integer operator.

Syntax of First Order Formulae in BNF:

$$f ::= \text{true} \mid q \mid Q \mid h(e_1, \dots, e_n) \mid \neg f \mid f_1 \wedge f_2 \mid \forall v \cdot f$$

where  $h$  is a Boolean predicate.

Derived formulae:

$$\exists v \cdot f \hat{=} \neg \forall v \cdot \neg f$$



## Example

$$4 > 3$$

$$A + 5 \leq B \wedge B = D - 7$$

$$P \equiv (A + 5 \leq B)$$

$$Q \equiv (B = D - 7)$$

$$\forall A \cdot (A + 1 > A)$$

$$A = 8 \wedge \exists b \cdot (A = 2 * * b)$$

A **State** is a union of

- an **integer state**  $\mathbf{State}^e$  which is a mapping from the set of integer variables  $\mathbf{Var}^e$  to the set of integer values  $\mathbf{Val}$  and
- a **Boolean state**  $\mathbf{State}^b$  which is a mapping from the set of propositional variable  $\mathbf{Var}^b$  to the set of Boolean values  $\mathbf{Bool}$ .

$$\mathbf{State} : (\mathbf{Var}^e \rightarrow \mathbf{Val}) \cup (\mathbf{Var}^b \rightarrow \mathbf{Bool})$$

where  $\mathbf{Var}^e \cap \mathbf{Var}^b = \emptyset$ .

We will use  $\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots$  to denote states and  $\Sigma$  to denote the set of all possible states.

### Example

Let  $\mathbf{p}$  be a Boolean variable and  $\mathbf{A}$  be an integer variable then  $\sigma_0$  s.t.  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{p}) = \mathbf{tt}$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{5}$  is a state.

# Semantics of expressions

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Let  $\llbracket \dots \rrbracket^e$  be the “meaning” (semantic) function from **Expressions**  $\times \Sigma$  to **Val** (integer values) and let  $\sigma_0$  be a state then

$$\begin{aligned}\llbracket z \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= z \\ \llbracket a \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= \sigma_0(a) \\ \llbracket A \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= \sigma_0(A) \\ \llbracket g(e_1, \dots, e_n) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= g(\llbracket e_1 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e, \dots, \llbracket e_n \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e)\end{aligned}$$

## Example

$$\begin{aligned}\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= \sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) \\ \llbracket \mathbf{deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= \sigma_0(\mathbf{deposit}) \\ \llbracket \mathbf{Account} + \mathbf{deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e &= \llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e + \llbracket \mathbf{deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e \\ &= \sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) + \sigma_0(\mathbf{deposit})\end{aligned}$$

Let  $\llbracket \dots \rrbracket$  be the “meaning” function from *Formulae*  $\times$   $\Sigma$  to *Bool* (set of Boolean values,  $\{\text{tt}, \text{ff}\}$ ) and let  $\sigma_0$  be a state then

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 \llbracket \text{true} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & = & \text{tt} \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{q} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & = & \sigma_0(\mathbf{q}) \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{Q} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & = & \sigma_0(\mathbf{Q}) \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_n) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} & = \text{tt iff} & \mathbf{h}(\llbracket \mathbf{e}_1 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e, \dots, \llbracket \mathbf{e}_n \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e) \\
 \llbracket \neg \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt} & \text{iff} & \text{not} (\llbracket \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}) \\
 \llbracket \mathbf{f}_1 \wedge \mathbf{f}_2 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt} & \text{iff} & (\llbracket \mathbf{f}_1 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}) \text{ and } (\llbracket \mathbf{f}_2 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt})
 \end{array}$$

### Example

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 (\llbracket \neg(\mathbf{Account} < \mathbf{0}) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}) & \text{iff} & \\
 \text{not} (\llbracket \mathbf{Account} < \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}) & \text{iff} & \\
 \text{not} (\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e < \llbracket \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e) & \text{iff} & \\
 \text{not} (\sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) < \mathbf{0}) & &
 \end{array}$$

## Example

$(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} = 50 \wedge \mathbf{Deposit} \geq 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \mathbf{tt})$  iff  
 $(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} = 50 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \mathbf{tt})$  and  $(\llbracket \mathbf{Deposit} \geq 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \mathbf{tt})$  iff  
 $(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e = \llbracket 50 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e)$  and  $(\llbracket \mathbf{Deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e \geq \llbracket 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0}^e)$  iff  
 $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) = 50$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) \geq 0$

Let  $\sigma_0 \sim_v \sigma'_0$  denote that the states  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma'_0$  are **identical** with the possible **exception** of the mapping for the variable  $v$ .

### Example

Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma'_0$  be states.

- Let  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Cash}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) = \mathbf{2}$
- Let  $\sigma'_0(\mathbf{Cash}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\sigma'_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) = \mathbf{3}$

Then  $\sigma_0 \sim_{\mathbf{Deposit}} \sigma'_0$ .

The semantics of  $\forall v \cdot f$  is defined in terms of  $\sigma_0 \sim_v \sigma'_0$

$$\llbracket \forall v \cdot f \rrbracket = \text{tt} \quad \text{iff} \quad (\text{for all } \sigma'_0 \text{ s.t. } \sigma_0 \sim_v \sigma'_0, \llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma'_0} = \text{tt})$$

### Example

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \forall \text{Deposit} \cdot \text{Deposit} \geq 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt} & \quad \text{iff} \\ (\text{for all } \sigma'_0 \text{ s.t. } \sigma_0 \sim_{\text{Deposit}} \sigma'_0, \llbracket \text{Deposit} \geq 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma'_0} = \text{tt}) & \quad \text{iff} \\ (\text{for all } \sigma'_0 \text{ s.t. } \sigma_0 \sim_{\text{Deposit}} \sigma'_0, \sigma'_0(\text{Deposit}) \geq 0) & \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise

*Give the semantics of the following formulae*

$$4 > 3$$

$$A + 5 \leq B \wedge B = D - 7$$

$$P \equiv (A + 5 \leq B)$$

$$Q \equiv (B = D - 7)$$

$$\forall A \cdot (A + 1 > A)$$

$$A = 8 \wedge \exists b \cdot (A = 2 * * b)$$



## Part IV

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- Integer values:  $0, 1, \dots$ ,
- Static integer variable:  $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \dots$
- State integer variable:  $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}, \dots$
- Integer operators:  $+, -, *, **, \text{mod}, \text{div}, \dots$
- Temporal integer variable:  $\bigcirc \mathbf{A}$  (next A),  $\bigcirc \mathbf{B}, \dots$ ,  
 $\text{fin } \mathbf{A}$  (fin A),  $\text{fin } \mathbf{B}, \dots$

Syntax of Formulae:

- Boolean values: true, false
- Boolean static variables:  $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}, \dots$
- Boolean state variables:  $\mathbf{P}, \mathbf{Q}, \dots$
- Boolean predicates:  $\mathbf{e}_1 = \mathbf{e}_2, \mathbf{e}_1 \neq \mathbf{e}_2, \mathbf{e}_1 < \mathbf{e}_2, \mathbf{e}_1 \leq \mathbf{e}_2,$   
 $\mathbf{e}_1 > \mathbf{e}_2, \mathbf{e}_1 \geq \mathbf{e}_2, \dots$
- Boolean operators:  $\wedge, \vee, \neg, \supset, \equiv, \forall \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{f}$
- Temporal operators: skip, ;, \*,  $\bigcirc, \square, \diamond, \dots$

Syntax of Integer Expressions in BNF:

$$\mathbf{e} ::= \mathbf{z} \mid \mathbf{a} \mid \mathbf{A} \mid \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_n) \mid \bigcirc \mathbf{A} \mid \text{fin } \mathbf{A}$$

where  $\mathbf{z}$  is an integer constant and  $\mathbf{g}$  an integer operator.

Syntax of First Order Formulae in BNF:

$$\mathbf{f} ::= \text{true} \mid \mathbf{q} \mid \mathbf{Q} \mid \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_n) \mid \neg \mathbf{f} \mid \mathbf{f}_1 \wedge \mathbf{f}_2 \mid \forall \mathbf{v} \bullet \mathbf{f} \mid \\ \text{skip} \mid \mathbf{f}_1 ; \mathbf{f}_2 \mid \mathbf{f}^*$$

where  $\mathbf{h}$  is a Boolean predicate.

Derived formulae:

$\text{false}$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \text{true}$
$f_1 \vee f_2$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg(\neg f_1 \wedge \neg f_2)$
$f_1 \supset f_2$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg f_1 \vee f_2$
$f_1 \equiv f_2$	$\hat{=}$	$(f_1 \supset f_2) \wedge (f_2 \supset f_1)$
$\exists v \bullet f$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \forall v \bullet \neg f$
$\circ f$	$\hat{=}$	$\text{skip} ; f$
$\text{inf}$	$\hat{=}$	$\text{true} ; \text{false}$
$\text{finite}$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg \text{inf}$
$\diamond f$	$\hat{=}$	$\text{finite} ; f$
$\square f$	$\hat{=}$	$\neg(\diamond \neg f)$
$\dots$		

## Example

$$(\bigcirc B) = 0 \wedge (\text{skip} ; A = 1)$$

$$A = 0 \wedge ((B = 1 \wedge \text{skip}) ; (A = 1 \wedge B = 0))$$

$$A = 0 \wedge \bigcirc(A = 1) \wedge \bigcirc\bigcirc(A = 2)$$

$$(\diamond A = 0) \wedge (\diamond B = 0)$$

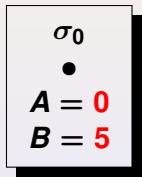
$$\square A = 5$$

$$(A = 0 \wedge \text{skip})^* \wedge (\text{fin } A) = 0$$

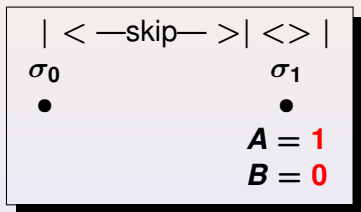
In first order logic semantics is given wrt a state:

Let  $\sigma_0$  be a state and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{5}$  then

$$\llbracket \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \vee \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{1} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \mathbf{tt}$$



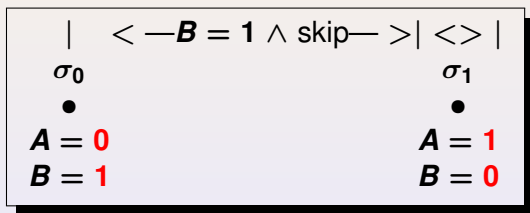
In first order ITL semantics is given wrt a sequence of states:  
 Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  be states and  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{1}$  then  
 $\llbracket (\mathbf{O} \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{0} \wedge (\text{skip} ; \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{1}) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \mathbf{tt}$





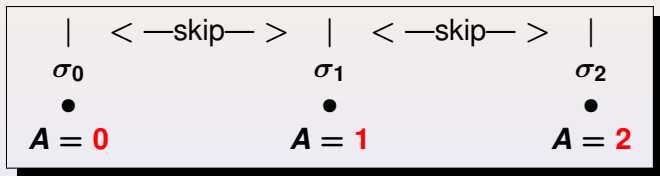
Let  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  be states and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0}$ ,  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{1}$ ,  
 $\sigma_1(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{1}$  and  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{0}$  then

$\llbracket \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \wedge ((\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{1} \wedge \text{skip}) ; (\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{1} \wedge \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{0})) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0\sigma_1} = \mathbf{tt}$

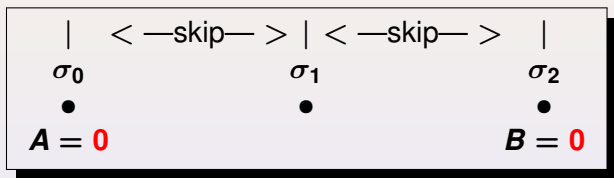


Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0}$ ,  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{1}$  and  $\sigma_2(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{2}$  then

$$\llbracket \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \wedge \circ(\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{1}) \wedge \circ\circ(\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{2}) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0\sigma_1\sigma_2} = \mathbf{tt}$$



Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\sigma_2(\mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{0}$   
 then  $\llbracket (\diamond \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0}) \wedge (\diamond \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{0}) \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \mathbf{tt}$

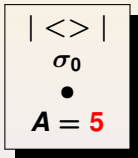


# Informal Semantics

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Let  $\sigma_0$ ,  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  be states and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{A}) = 5$ ,  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{A}) = 5$  and  $\sigma_3(\mathbf{A}) = 5$  then

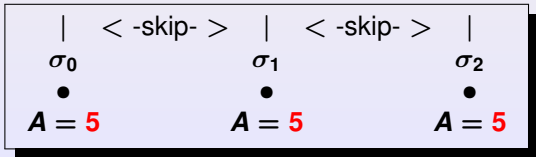
$$\llbracket \square \mathbf{A} = 5 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt}$$



$$\llbracket \square \mathbf{A} = 5 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt}$$



$$\llbracket \square \mathbf{A} = 5 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \text{tt}$$



Let  $\sigma_i$  be a state ( $i \geq i$ ) and  $\sigma_i(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0}$  then

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \llbracket (\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \wedge \text{skip})^* \wedge (\text{fin } \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0} = \text{tt} \\
 \llbracket (\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \wedge \text{skip})^* \wedge (\text{fin } \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1} = \text{tt} \\
 \llbracket (\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \wedge \text{skip})^* \wedge (\text{fin } \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \text{tt} \\
 \dots \\
 \llbracket (\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0} \wedge \text{skip})^* \wedge (\text{fin } \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_i} = \text{tt}
 \end{array}$$

Note: looks similar to  $\Box \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0}$  but is it really equal?

Let  $[[\dots]]^e$  be the “meaning” (semantic) function from **Expressions**  $\times (\Sigma^+ \cup \Sigma^\omega)$  to **Val** and let  $\sigma = \sigma_0\sigma_1\dots$  be an interval then

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 [[z]]_\sigma^e & = & z \\
 [[a]]_\sigma^e & = & \sigma_0(a) \text{ and} \\
 & & \text{for all } 0 < i \leq |\sigma|, \sigma_i(a) = \sigma_0(a) \\
 [[A]]_\sigma^e & = & \sigma_0(A) \\
 [[g(e_1, \dots, e_n)]]_\sigma^e & = & g([[e_1]]_\sigma^e, \dots, [[e_n]]_\sigma^e) \\
 [[\bigcirc A]]_\sigma^e & = & \begin{cases} \sigma_1(A) & \text{implies } |\sigma| > 0 \\ \text{choose-any-from}(\mathbf{Val}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\
 [[\text{fin } A]]_\sigma^e & = & \begin{cases} \sigma_{|\sigma|}(A) & \text{implies } \sigma \text{ is finite} \\ \text{choose-any-from}(\mathbf{Val}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}
 \end{array}$$

## Example

$$\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e = \sigma_0(\mathbf{Account})$$

$$\llbracket \mathbf{deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e = \sigma_0(\mathbf{deposit}) \text{ and}$$

for all  $i$  s.t.  $0 < i \leq |\sigma|$ ,  $\sigma_i(\mathbf{deposit}) = \sigma_0(\mathbf{deposit})$

$$\llbracket \mathbf{Account} + \mathbf{deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e =$$
$$\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e + \llbracket \mathbf{deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e =$$
$$\sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) + \sigma_0(\mathbf{deposit})$$

and for all  $i$  s.t.  $0 < i \leq |\sigma|$ ,  $\sigma_i(\mathbf{deposit}) = \sigma_0(\mathbf{deposit})$

Let  $\llbracket \dots \rrbracket$  be the “meaning” function from **Formulae**  $\times (\Sigma^+ \cup \Sigma^\omega)$  to **Bool** (set of Boolean values,  $\{\text{tt}, \text{ff}\}$ ) and let  $\sigma = \sigma_0 \sigma_1 \dots$  be an interval then

$\llbracket \text{true} \rrbracket_\sigma$	=	tt
$\llbracket q \rrbracket_\sigma$	=	$\sigma_0(q)$ and for all $0 < i \leq  \sigma $ , $\sigma_i(q) = \sigma_0(q)$
$\llbracket Q \rrbracket_\sigma$	=	$\sigma_0(Q)$
$\llbracket h(e_1, \dots, e_n) \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$	iff	$h(\llbracket e_1 \rrbracket_\sigma^e, \dots, \llbracket e_n \rrbracket_\sigma^e)$
$\llbracket \neg f \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$	iff	not ( $\llbracket f \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$ )
$\llbracket f_1 \wedge f_2 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$	iff	( $\llbracket f_1 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$ ) and ( $\llbracket f_2 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$ )
$\llbracket \text{skip} \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$	iff	$ \sigma  = 1$



## Example

$(\llbracket \neg(\mathbf{Account} < \mathbf{0}) \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \mathbf{tt})$     iff  
 not  $(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} < \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \mathbf{tt})$     iff  
 not  $(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e < \llbracket \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e)$     iff  
 not  $(\sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) < \mathbf{0})$

## Example

$(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} = \mathbf{50} \wedge \mathbf{Deposit} \geq \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \mathbf{tt})$     iff  
 $(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} = \mathbf{50} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \mathbf{tt})$  and  $(\llbracket \mathbf{Deposit} \geq \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \mathbf{tt})$     iff  
 $(\llbracket \mathbf{Account} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e = \llbracket \mathbf{50} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e)$  and  $(\llbracket \mathbf{Deposit} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e \geq \llbracket \mathbf{0} \rrbracket_{\sigma}^e)$     iff  
 $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Account}) = \mathbf{50}$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) \geq \mathbf{0}$

Let  $\sigma \sim_v \sigma'$  denote that the intervals  $\sigma$  and  $\sigma'$  are identical with the possible exception of the mapping for the variable  $v$ .

### Example

Let  $\sigma$  and  $\sigma'$  be intervals.

- Let  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Cash}) = 0$  and  $\sigma_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) = 2$ .  
Let  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{Cash}) = 1$  and  $\sigma_1(\mathbf{Deposit}) = 4$ .  
Let  $\sigma_2(\mathbf{Cash}) = 1$  and  $\sigma_2(\mathbf{Deposit}) = 3$ .
- Let  $\sigma'_0(\mathbf{Cash}) = 0$  and  $\sigma'_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) = 3$ .  
Let  $\sigma'_1(\mathbf{Cash}) = 1$  and  $\sigma'_0(\mathbf{Deposit}) = 2$ .  
Let  $\sigma'_2(\mathbf{Cash}) = 1$  and  $\sigma'_2(\mathbf{Deposit}) = 3$ .

Then  $\sigma \sim_{\mathbf{Deposit}} \sigma'$ .

The semantics of  $\forall \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{f}$  is defined in terms of  $\sigma \sim_{\mathbf{v}} \sigma'$

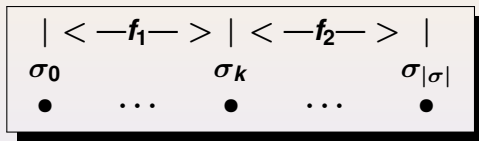
$$\llbracket \forall \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{f} \rrbracket = \text{tt} \quad \text{iff} \quad (\text{for all } \sigma' \text{ s.t. } \sigma \sim_{\mathbf{v}} \sigma', \llbracket \mathbf{f} \rrbracket_{\sigma'} = \text{tt})$$

### Example

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \forall \text{Deposit} \cdot \text{Deposit} \geq 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \text{tt} & \quad \text{iff} \\ (\text{for all } \sigma' \text{ s.t. } \sigma \sim_{\text{Deposit}} \sigma', \llbracket \text{Deposit} \geq 0 \rrbracket_{\sigma'} = \text{tt}) & \quad \text{iff} \\ (\text{for all } \sigma' \text{ s.t. } \sigma \sim_{\text{Deposit}} \sigma', \sigma'_0(\text{Deposit}) \geq 0) & \end{aligned}$$

The semantics of 'chop' is as follows  $\llbracket f_1 ; f_2 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$  iff

(exists  $k$ , s.t.  $\llbracket f_1 \rrbracket_{\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_k} = \text{tt}$  and  $\llbracket f_2 \rrbracket_{\sigma_k \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}} = \text{tt}$ )



Interval  $\sigma$  is a fusion of two intervals  $\sigma_0 \dots \sigma_k$  (satisfies  $f_1$ ) and  $\sigma_k \dots \sigma_{|\sigma|}$  (satisfies  $f_2$ ). State  $\sigma_k$  is shared by both.

or ( $\sigma$  is infinite and  $\llbracket f_1 \rrbracket_\sigma = \text{tt}$ )

|  $\langle - f_1 - \rangle$

$\sigma_0$

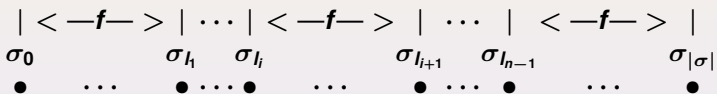
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Interval  $\sigma$  is infinite and satisfies  $f_1$ , so  $f_2$  is irrelevant.

The semantics of 'chopstar' is as follows  $\llbracket f^* \rrbracket = \text{tt}$  iff  
if  $\sigma$  is finite then

(exist  $l_0, \dots, l_n$  s.t.  $l_0 = 0$  and  $l_n = |\sigma|$  and  
for all  $0 \leq i < n$ ,  $l_i \leq l_{i+1}$  and  $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_i \dots l_{i+1}}} = \text{tt}$ )

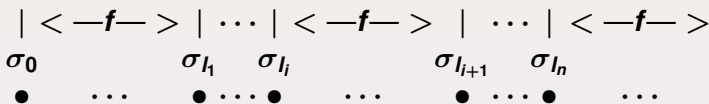


Finite interval  $\sigma$  is the fusion of a finite number of finite sub-intervals each satisfying  $f$ .

else

else

(exist  $l_0, \dots, l_n$  s.t.  $l_0 = 0$  and  
 $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_0} \dots \sigma_{| \sigma |}} = \text{tt}$  and  
 for all  $0 \leq i < n$ ,  $l_i \leq l_{i+1}$  and  $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_i} \dots \sigma_{l_{i+1}}} = \text{tt}$ )

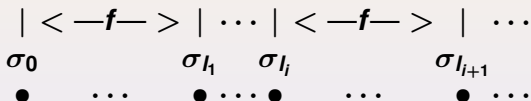


Infinite interval  $\sigma$  is the fusion of a finite number of sub-intervals each satisfying  $f$ . Each sub-interval is finite except the last one which is infinite.

or

or

(exist an infinite number of  $l_i$  s.t.  $l_0 = 0$  and  
for all  $0 \leq i, l_i \leq l_{i+1}$  and  $\llbracket f \rrbracket_{\sigma_{l_i} \dots \sigma_{l_{i+1}}} = \text{tt}$ )



Infinite interval  $\sigma$  is the fusion of an infinite number of finite sub-intervals each satisfying  $f$ .



Here are derived ITL formulae that use temporal variables:

$\mathbf{A} := \mathbf{e} \hat{=} (\bigcirc \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{e}$	assignment
$\mathbf{A} \leftarrow \mathbf{e} \hat{=} \text{finite} \wedge (\text{fin } \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{e}$	temporal assignment
$\mathbf{A} \text{ gets } \mathbf{e} \hat{=} \square(\text{skip} \supset \mathbf{A} \leftarrow \mathbf{e})$	gets
$\text{stable } \mathbf{A} \hat{=} \mathbf{A} \text{ gets } \mathbf{A}$	stability
$\text{len}(n) \hat{=} \exists I \bullet (I = \mathbf{0}) \wedge (I \text{ gets } I + \mathbf{1})$ $\quad \wedge (I \leftarrow n)$	interval length

## Exercise

*Give the semantics of the following formulae:*

true

false

$f_1 \vee f_2$

$f_1 \supset f_2$

$f_1 \equiv f_2$

$\exists v \cdot f$

if  $f_0$  then  $f_1$  else  $f_2$

## Exercise

*Give the formal semantics of  $(\text{skip} \wedge \mathbf{Account} = 50)^*$*

## Exercise

Give the informal semantics (picture) of following formulae:

$$\mathbf{A} = 0 \wedge \text{skip} \wedge \mathbf{A} := \mathbf{A} + 1$$

$$\text{len}(6)$$

$$\mathbf{A} = 0 \wedge \text{len}(2) \wedge \mathbf{A} \leftarrow \mathbf{A} + 1$$

$$\text{len}(4) \wedge \mathbf{A} = 3 \wedge \mathbf{A} \text{ gets } \mathbf{A} + 1$$

$$\text{len}(3) \wedge \mathbf{A} = 2 \wedge \text{stable } \mathbf{A}$$

## Exercise

*Given informal specification*

- *the system's behaviour consists of only two states,*
- *in the initial state the variable **Account** is equal to **50** and*
- *in the next state it is increased by **100**.*

*Give the corresponding ITL formula.*

## Exercise

Given the following “formal specification”

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Spec} = \{ \sigma : & \sigma = \sigma_0 \dots \sigma_n \text{ and} \\ & \sigma_0(\mathbf{Cash}) = \mathbf{initial} \text{ and} \\ & \sigma_{i+1}(\mathbf{Cash}) = \sigma_i(\mathbf{Cash}) + 50 \\ & \text{for } 0 \leq i < n \\ & \} \end{aligned}$$

Give the corresponding ITL formula.