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1.) Recall the **HALTING** problem which takes a program and a string as input, and consider the following variant thereof:

## **HALTING-C**

INSTANCE: A program  $\Pi$  that takes a string as input, a string I of even length 2\*n.

QUESTION: Does  $\Pi$  terminate on both strings resulting from I being cut into two halfs, i.e. does  $\Pi$  halt on I[1..n] and I[n+1..2\*n].

(a) The following function f provides a polynomial-time many-one reduction from **HALT-ING** to **HALTING-C**: for a program  $\Pi$  and a string I, let  $f(\Pi, I) = (\Pi', I')$  with  $\Pi' = \Pi$  and I' = I + I (i.e. the concatenation of two copies of string I)

Show that  $(\Pi, I)$  is a yes-instance of **HALTING**  $\iff$   $(\Pi', I')$  is a yes-instance of **HALTING-C**.

(6 points)

- (b) Please answer the following questions and explain your answers
  - Is **HALTING-C** decidable?
  - Is **HALTING-C** semi-decidable?
  - Is the complement of **HALTING-C** semi-decidable?

(9 points)

**2.)** (a) Consider the following theory  $\mathcal{T}_{tree}$  of trees with the signature

$$\Sigma_{tree} = \{ \{ tree, le, ri \}, \{ atom, \doteq \} \}.$$

The axioms of  $\mathcal{T}_{tree}$  include symmetry, reflexivity and transitivity of equality, functional congruence for tree, le, ri, and predicate congruence for atom. In addition we have:

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\forall x \, \forall y \, le(tree(x,y)) \doteq x \qquad \qquad \text{(left subtree)}
\forall x \, \forall y \, ri(tree(x,y)) \doteq y \qquad \qquad \text{(right subtree)}
\forall x \, \left( \neg atom(x) \rightarrow tree(le(x), ri(x)) \doteq x \right) \qquad \qquad \text{(construction)}
\forall x \, \forall y \, \neg atom(tree(x,y)) \qquad \qquad \text{(atom)}
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We augment theory  $\mathcal{T}_{tree}$  by  $\mathcal{T}_E$  (with uninterpreted function symbol h) resulting in  $\mathcal{T}^E_{tree}$ . Clarify the logical status of each of the following formulas. If one is  $\mathcal{T}^E_{tree}$ -valid or  $\mathcal{T}^E_{tree}$ -unsatisfiable, then prove it using the semantic argument method. If one is  $\mathcal{T}^E_{tree}$ -satisfiable but not  $\mathcal{T}^E_{tree}$ -valid, then present a satisfying and a falsifying interpretation. Argue formally that the formula evaluates to true resp. false under the constructed interpretations.

$$\varphi_0 \colon le(a) \doteq le(b) \land ri(a) \doteq ri(b) \land \neg atom(a) \land \neg atom(b) \rightarrow h(a) \doteq h(b)$$
  
$$\varphi_1 \colon \neg atom(x) \land le(x) \doteq y \land ri(x) \doteq z \land x \neq tree(y, z)$$

(8 points)

(b) Consider the following clause set  $\hat{\delta}(\varphi)$  which has been derived from an (unknown) formula  $\varphi$  by an improved version of Tseitin's translation (atoms have not been labeled and  $\overline{z}$  means  $\neg z$ ).

- (i) Reconstruct  $\varphi$  from  $\hat{\delta}(\varphi)$ .
- (ii) Prove the validity of  $\varphi$  by resolution (no additional translation to normal form is allowed!). You are allowed to add a single unit clause (i.e., a clause containing exactly one literal). Please explain your approach!

(7 points)

**3.)** (a) Let p be the following IMP program loop, containing the integer-valued program variables x, y:

while 
$$x \neq y$$
 do  
 $x := x - 2 * y;$   
 $y := 2 * y - x$   
od

Which of the following program assertions are inductive loop invariants of p?

•  $I_1: \quad x = 0 \land y = 0$ •  $I_2: \quad x + y = 0$ •  $I_3: \quad x = 0 \land y = 1$ 

Give formal details justifying your answer. That is, if an assertion is an inductive loop invariant, provide a formal proof of it based on Hoare logic or using weakest liberal preconditions. If an assertion is not an inductive loop invariant, give a counterexample.

Note: You need to use the definition of an assertion being an inductive invariant.

(9 points)

- (b) Let A be an arbitrary post-condition. Which of the following Hoare triples are valid partial correctness assertions?
  - $\{true\}$  skip  $\{A\}$
  - $\{false\}$  skip  $\{A\}$

Give formal details justifying your answer. That is, if a triple is valid, provide a formal proof of it based on Hoare logic. If an assertion is not valid, give a counterexample (that is, an instance of A for which the triple does not hold).

(4 points)

(c) Consider the Hoare triple  $\{A\}p\{B\}$ , where p is an arbitrary IMP program and A, B are arbitrary program assertions. Assume there is a state  $\sigma$  that satisfies A and there is a state  $\sigma'$  such that  $\langle p, \sigma \rangle \rightarrow \sigma'$  and  $\sigma'$  satisfies B.

Given this information, is  $\{A\}p\{B\}$  partially correct?

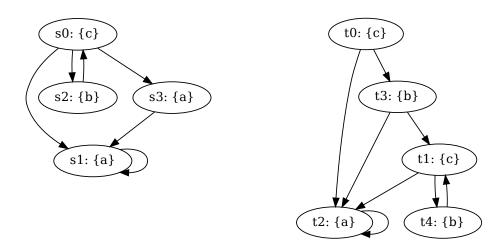
Answer the question with either a Yes or a No answer, and provide a short justification for your answer.

(2 points)

**4.)** (a) Consider the Kripke structures  $M_1$  and  $M_2$ . The initial state of  $M_1$  is  $s_0$ , the initial state of  $M_2$  is  $t_0$ .

Kripke structure  $M_1$ :

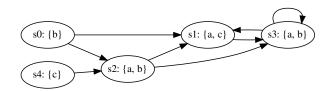
Kripke structure  $M_2$ :



- i. Check whether  $M_2$  simulates  $M_1$ , i.e., provide a simulation relation that witnesses  $M_1 \leq M_2$ , or briefly explain why  $M_2$  does not simulate  $M_1$ .
- ii. Check whether  $M_1$  simulates  $M_2$ , i.e., provide a simulation relation that witnesses  $M_2 \leq M_1$ , or briefly explain why  $M_1$  does not simulate  $M_2$ .

(4 points)

(b) Consider the following Kripke structure M:



For each of the following formulae  $\varphi$ ,

- i. indicate whether the formula is in CTL, LTL, and/or CTL\*, and
- ii. list the states  $s_i$  on which the formula  $\varphi$  holds; i.e. for which states  $s_i$  do we have  $M, s_i \models \varphi$ ?

(If  $\varphi$  is a path formula, list the states  $s_i$  such that  $M, s_i \models \mathbf{A}\varphi$ .)

arphi	CTL	LTL	$\mathrm{CTL}^*$	States $s_i$
$\mathbf{A}[(b) \ \mathbf{U} \ (a)]$				
$\mathbf{G}(a)$				
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$\mathbf{EGF}(c)$				
$\mathbf{EX}(c)$				

(5 points)

## (c) LTL tautologies

An LTL formula is a tautology if it holds for every Kripke structure M and every path  $\pi$  in M. For each of the following formulas, prove that it is a tautology, or find a Kripke structure M and path  $\pi$  in M for which the formula does not hold and justify your answer.

i. 
$$(b \ \mathbf{U} \ \mathbf{G}(a \wedge \neg b)) \Rightarrow \mathbf{G}(b \Rightarrow \mathbf{F}a)$$
  
ii.  $\mathbf{G}(b \Rightarrow \mathbf{F}a) \Rightarrow (b \ \mathbf{U} \ \mathbf{G}(a \wedge \neg b))$ 

(6 points)