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### Resumo

Sistemas críticos requerem alta confiabilidade e estão presentes nos mais variados domínios. Em suma, são sistemas cuja falha em atender requisitos especíicos podem levar a perdas financeiras e até mesmo de vidas. Técnicas padrão de engenharia de *software* não são o suficiente para garantir a ausência de falhas inaceitáveis e/ou que requisitos críticos sejam satisfeitos.

Reo é uma linguagem de modelagem baseada em componentes cujo objetivo é prover um arcabouço para a construção de software baseada em sistemas já existentes, abordagem esta que costuma ser usada em uma variedade de domínios. As semânticas formais de Reo permitem que sistemas baseados em modelos Reo possam ter suas propriedades desejadas verificadas. Estas verificações podem ser feitas no sistema como um todo ou apenas considerando parte dele.

As abordagens existentes para raciocinar sobre modelos Reo utilizando lógicas requerem a conversão de uma semântica formal para um arcabouço lógico. O trabalho de [22] modela conectores Reo diretamente em Zero-Safe Petri Nets, uma classe especial de redes de petri que contém apenas dois tipos de lugares (Zero e Safe), sendo necessário a conversão destas redes em lógica intuicionista temporal linear.

Este trabalho apresenta ReLo, uma lógica dinâmica projetada para raciocinar sobre modelos Reo. ReLo é uma semântica formal para Reo acompanhada de provas de corretude e completude, um procedimento de provas sintáticas baseado em *tableaux*, a prova de corretude e completude deste sistema, e uma implementação de ReLo no assistente de provas Coq. A implementação no Coq especificamente permite a modelagem e o raciocínio sobre modelos Reo de forma automatizada através de ReLo em um ambiente computacional.

### Abstract

Critical systems require high reliability and are present in many domains. They are systems which failure may result in financial damage or even loss of lives. Standard techniques of software engineering are not enough to ensure the absence of unacceptable failures and/or that critical requirements are fulfilled.

Reo is a component-based modelling language that aims to provide a framework to build software based on existing pieces of software, which has been used in a wide variety of domains. Its formal semantics provides grounds to certify that systems based on Reo models satisfy specific requirements (i.e., absence of deadlocks). It enables the modelling of systems that require guarantees regarding specific properties that they must meet. These guarantees may be obtained by formal verification of the system (or its required parts).

Current logical approaches for reasoning over Reo require the conversion of a formal semantics into a logical framework. *ReLo* is a dynamic logic that naturally subsumes Reo's semantics. It provides a means to reason over Reo circuits.

This work proposes ReLo, a dynamic logic tailored to reason over Reo models. ReLo serves as a Reo formal semantics with soundness and completeness proofs, a tableauxbased deductive system followed by its soundness and completeness proofs, and an implementation of ReLo in the Coq proof assistant. The Coq implementation provides means to the modelling and verification of ReLo models in a computational environment.

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### Chapter 1

## Introduction

#### 1.1 Introduction

In software development, service-oriented computing [67] and model-driven development [9] are examples of techniques that take advantages of software models. The first technique advocates computing based on preexisting systems (services) as described by Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA), while the latter is a development technique which considers the implementation of a system based on a model. A model is an abstraction of a system (or some particular portion of it) in a specific language, which will be used as a specification basis for the system's implementation. it can be specified in languages such as Unified Modeling Language (UML) or formal specification languages like B [1] or Alloy [42]. Researchers also have applied approaches such as formal methods in software development to formalize and assure that certain (critical) systems have some required properties [45, 65].

Reo [3] is a prominent modelling language, enabling coordination of communication between interconnected systems externally from the model. Reo models are compositionally built from base connectors, where each connector in Reo stands for a specific communication pattern. Reo has proven to be successful in modeling the organization of concurrent systems' interaction, being used in a variety of applications, from process modeling to Web-Services integration [6] and even in the construction of frameworks to verify specifications in Reo [49, 78].

Standard software engineering techniques are not designed to deal with fault nontolerant systems, namely critical systems. In many domains, such systems need a way to ensure their safety to guarantee that they indeed meet the required reliability. Formal systems compose a theoretical and implemented background able to model and reason about systems, ensuring (mathematically) that requirements are fulfilled and that systems behave as expected.

Proof assistants [58], like Coq [30] and Isabelle [64], lead to the possibility of automatizing the verification of such systems and provide certified code. They are computational tools that implement logic systems. Their design is tailored to automatize many (when possible) steps of proofs. Some of them have a theoretical background that leads to see proofs as programs and programs as proofs.

Coordination models are models used mainly to describe concurrent and distributed computational systems. The purpose of such models is to enable software engineering based on heterogeneous software components, providing means on how these components interact with each other. Among other advantages, this enables fast deployment of new systems, by reusing already existing software that has been tested and is in production environment, which also reduces development costs. Building software following this idea requires a way to coordinate how their components will interact with each other.

The development of systems based on SOA employing model-driven development has been proved to be a valuable approach [68]. The formal verification of models that the development process is based upon enables the detection of errors that could appear only in posterior phases of software development, or even when the software reaches a productive environment, thus avoiding unplanned costs and even greater losses.

Reo's ability to model communication between software interfaces has also attracted researches over how one can formally verify Reo circuits, resulting in many different formal semantics [43] like automata-based models [4,10,50], coalgebraic models [3], Intuitionistic Logic with Petri Nets [22] (to name a few), and some of their implementations [49, 50, 56, 63, 77, 79, 80]. However, as far as the author is concerned, there is no logic to specifically reason about Reo models naturally, where the usage of logic-based approaches requires conversion between different formal semantics.

The fact that Reo can be used to model many real-world situations has attracted attention from researchers all around the world, resulting in a great effort directed in formalizing means to verify properties of Reo models [43, 44, 47, 49, 57, 61, 72]. Reo's formal studies also resulted in the proposal of many formal semantics for this modelling language [43], varying from operational semantics to coloring and coalgebraic models.

One of the most known formal semantics for Reo consists of Constraint Automata [11], an operational semantic in which Reo connectors are modelled as automata for TDS- languages [7]. It enables reasoning over data flow of Reo connectors and when they happened. Constraint Automata have been extended to some variants which aim to enrich the reasoning process by capturing properties like timing of the data flows or possible actions over the data, respectively as Timed Constraint Automata [49] and Action Constraint Automata [48]. Some of them are briefly discussed below, along with other formal semantics for Reo.

The approach presented by Klein et al. [44] provides a platform to reason about Reo models using Vereofy,<sup>1</sup> a model checker for component-based systems, while Pourvatan et al. [72] propose an approach to reason about Reo models by means of symbolic execution of Constraint Automata. Kokash & Arbab [47] formally verify Long-Running Transactions (LRTs) modelled as Reo connectors using Vereofy, enabling expressing properties of these connectors in logics such as Linear Temporal Logic (LTL) or a variant of Computation Tree Logic (CTL) named Alternating-time Stream Logic (ASL). Kokash et al. [49] use mCRL2 model checker to encode Reo's semantics in Constraint Automata and other automata-based semantics, encoding their behaviour as mCRL2 processes and enabling the expression of properties regarding deadlocks and data constraints which depend upon time. Mouzavi et al. [61] propose an approach based on Maude to model checking Reo models, encoding Reo's operational semantics of the connectors. Li et al. [57] propose a real-time extension to Reo, implementing new channels and relying on Stochastic Timed Automata for Reo (STA) as its formal semantics, also providing a translation of STA to PRISM<sup>2</sup> for model checking. UPPAAL <sup>3</sup> model checker has also been employed in the verification of Reo connectors employing the usage of Timed Constraint Automata [5] to build the corresponding UPPAAL model, and in the simulation of Hybrid Reo Connectors [8].

Proof assistants have been used to reason about Reo connectors [55,56,63,79,80]. The approaches adopted by Li et al. [55,79] are among the ones that employ Coq to verify Reo models formally. The first work formalizes four of the Reo canonical connectors (Sync, FIFO1, SyncDrain and LossySync) along with an LTL-based language defined as an inductive type in Coq. The latter proposes the formalization of five Reo canonical channels: Sync, SyncDrain, FIFO1, Asyncdrain, and LossySync. They are modelled as logical propositions in Coq, where their behavior are defined as conjunctions regarding data and time constraints on streams denoting input and output of the automaton. Both

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>http://www.vereofy.de

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>https://www.prismmodelchecker.org

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>http://www.uppaal.org/

formalizations implement the notion of Timed Data Streams as it is the first formalization of semantics of Reo connectors [43].

The implementation proposed by Li et al. [55] enables the verification of timed properties of connectors: such properties may be proven considering the data flow a connector takes as input. The formalized LTL-based language enables bounded model checking on these connectors. However, it lacks any automatic composition operation for formalized connectors. Therefore, the composition of Reo channels need to be manually written by the user. The approach employed by Li et al. [79] implements the composition of Reo connectors' behaviour, denoted by their respective TDS.

When restricting the works considering logics and Reo, as far as the author knows there is only the work by [22] which focuses on formalizing the semantics of nine Reo connectors (Sync, LossySync, FIFO1, SyncDrain, AsyncDrain, Filter, Transform, Merger, and Replicator) in terms of zero-safe Petri nets [17], a special class of Petri-nets with two types of places: zero and stable places. This encoding is then converted to terms in Intuitionistic Temporal Linear Logic, enabling reasoning about Reo connectors in this logic.

ReLo [37] is a dynamic logic tailored to reason about Reo models, with a sound and complete axiomatization and contains a tableau-based proof procedure to syntactically reason over ReLo formulae. Based on Kripke frames, ReLo provides a framework in which one can directly formalize properties in its language, and check whether a Reo circuit as a ReLo model satisfies such properties. Formulas in ReLo are composed of symbols and indexed modalities, similar to other dynamic logics [39] to model program execution, and may be combined with logical connectives to compose other formulae. A formula  $[t, \pi]\varphi$ in ReLo captures a Reo model as a ReLo program  $\pi$ , its data flow t and a property  $\varphi$ , stating that " $\varphi$  holds " in every program state reached from the current state, by executing  $\pi$  with t.

The adopted approach here proposed is threefold. This work presents (i) *ReLo* as a logical framework to model and reason about Reo circuits directly in a logic's language, in which the reasoning of data flows may be performed employing techniques like model checking, (ii) a prototypical implementation of this framework in Coq proof assistant, enabling the verification of properties of Reo programs in *ReLo* within a computerized environment, and (iii) the definition of a tableau-based syntactic proof system for this logic, followed by the implementation of core definitions of this tableau, enabling the

syntactic reasoning of *ReLo* in Coq.

This work is structured as follows. Chapter 2 discusses briefly some related logic formalisms with the one hereby proposed. Chapter 3 gives a glance at proof assistants, showing core concepts and keywords of Coq proof assistant, while Chapter 4 introduces Reo modelling language, along with some examples and a brief introduction to two of Reo's formal semantics: Timed Data Streams and Constraint Automata. Chapter 5 discuss ReLo's main aspects, from its core definitions (such as language, models, transitions firing) and soundness and completeness proofs, to the introduction of a ReLo Tableau that enables syntactic reasoning. Chapter 6 discuss thoroughly a ReLo formalization in Coq proof assistant of the concepts defined in Chapter 6. Chapter 7 introduces some usage examples of ReLo and its Coq implementation. Finally, Chapter 8 closes the work by discussing the obtained results, and assessing possible future work.

### Chapter 2

### **Related Logic Formalisms**

The present work proposes a logic-based approach to reason over Reo models in Coq. In this chapter, the main aspects of the underlying logic theory present in Coq are recovered, with a focus on the logic formalisms that Coq employs. It also provides an overview of logical frameworks upon which *ReLo* is based.

#### 2.1 Classical Propositional logic

Propositional Logic is a mathematical model which enables the reasoning of logical sentences (propositions) which contain truth values (such as true or false). Propositions can be combined to produce more complex propositions out of simpler ones [2]. As part of a branch of logic that studies methods to reason about relationship and\or how to compose propositions out of other propositions, Classical Propositional Logic is a logical system that provides the necessary apparatus to deal with such study.

Being a relatively simple mathematical model, Classical Propositional Logic allows reasoning over statements such as "Charlie is a nice boy", represented in the logic as a propositional symbol  $\alpha$ . Therefore,  $\alpha \equiv$  "Charlie is a nice boy" denotes the attribution to  $\alpha$  the proposition mentioned the same way variables are used to represent numbers in mathematics.

Propositions in this logic can be separated into two structural types: atomic propositions, propositions with no logical connectives, and molecular propositions, which are propositions built from other propositions using logical connectives. Logical connectives can be found in the spoken language as conjunctions such as "or", "and", and the negation adverb "not". Such connectives lead to the possibility of reasoning about connected molecular propositions.

To formally reason about these propositions, a formal system is defined to translate written sentences into propositional symbols as shown above (these are called well-formed formulae, which in the propositional calculus are atomic or molecular formulae) and inference rules, which are rules used to reason over these propositions.

In Classical Propositional Logic, both atomic and molecular propositions may denote only two truth-values: true and false. At any moment, a given proposition may either be true or false, not being able to be both at the same time.

Formally, the language of Propositional Logic can be described as follows.

**Definition 2.1.1** (Language of Classical Propositional Logic). The language of Propositional Logic can be described by

an enumerable set  $\Phi$  of propositional symbols;

a set of connectives which are interpreted as operator symbols, composing molecular statements out of other molecular or atomic propositions, namely the connectives
 ∧ (and), ∨ (or), → (implies), ↔ (biconditional) and ¬ (not).

In what follows we discuss the semantics of Classical Propositional Logic as in [32]. It considers a space of truth values  $Tv = \{t, f\}$  which can be assigned to propositions: t denoting truth and f, falsehood. The negation  $\neg$  is a unary connective which semantically can be seen as a map  $\neg: Tv \to Tv$ ,  $\neg(t) = f$  and  $\neg(f) = t$ . The semantics of binary connective  $(\land,\lor,\to,and\leftrightarrow)$  propositions that follows from Definition 2.1.1 are shown in Table 2.1, where  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  are formulae.

$\varphi$	$\psi$	$\  \wedge$		$  \rightarrow$	$  \leftrightarrow$
t	t	$\parallel t$	$\mid t$	$\mid t$	$\mid t$
t	f	$\parallel f$	$\mid t$	f	$\mid f$
f	t	$\parallel f$	$\mid t$	$\mid t$	$\mid f$
f	$\int f$	$\parallel f$	f	$\mid t$	$\mid t$

Table 2.1: Classical Propositional Logic connectives

Classical Propositional Logic has an inference rule as follows, called "Modus ponens". Any inference in which any well-formed furmula of its language is substituted uniformly for the schematic letters in this rule is an instance of it.

$$\frac{\varphi \qquad \varphi \to \psi}{\psi}$$

A well formed formula in Classical Propositional Logic is expressed by employing the language in Definition 2.1.1 as in the following grammar, with  $p \in \Phi$ :  $p \mid \varphi \land \psi \mid \varphi \lor \psi \mid \varphi \rightarrow \psi \mid \varphi \leftrightarrow \psi \mid \neg \varphi$ .

#### 2.2 Modal Logic

Modal logics are defined as logics in which the notion of modality is added to formulae, employing the usage of terms "necessarily"( $\Box$ ) and "possibly" ( $\diamondsuit$ ) to denote the truth of a statement [19, 33]. Although the term "Modal Logic" can be used to describe a family of logics, considering other modalities of other logics [33], we will focus on the two modalities presented. The structure of the language of modal logics is the one presented in Definition 2.1.1 with the modality operators  $\Box$  and  $\diamondsuit$  added as follows.

**Definition 2.2.1** (Language of Modal Logics).

an enumerable set  $\Phi$  of propositional symbols;

 $p \in \Phi \colon p \mid \varphi \land \psi \mid \varphi \lor \psi \mid \varphi \to \psi \mid \varphi \leftrightarrow \psi \mid \neg \varphi \mid \Box \varphi \mid \Diamond \varphi;$ 

The notion of truth in modal logics depends on whether a formula  $\varphi$  has a modality, and if the modality is either  $\Box$  or  $\diamond$ . A formula  $\Box \varphi$  denotes that "it is necessary that  $\varphi$ holds in every possible world", while  $\diamond \varphi$  stands for "it is possible that  $\varphi$  holds at some possible world". Worlds can be seen as "places" where the logical sentences hold, and they can model a variety of situations, like the current state of the execution of some machinery.

Notions of truth in modal logics rely on a structure called Kripke frames, in honor of Saul Kripke<sup>1</sup>. A Kripke frame  $\mathcal{F}$  is defined as a pair  $\mathcal{F} = \langle W, R \rangle$ , where W is a set (of possible worlds), and  $R \subseteq W \times W$  a relation over W denoting how the worlds relate with each other (i.e., how can one world reach another world). Then, a model in modal logics is  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{V} \rangle$ , where  $V \colon W \to 2^{\Phi}$  is the valuation function: for each world  $w \in W$ , V(w) is the set of all atomic propositional symbols that hold in w.

The semantic notion related to formulae in modal logic is stated in Definition 2.2.2. Let  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{V} \rangle$  a model in modal logic, and  $p, \varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  be propositional formula. The

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>https://www.gc.cuny.edu/faculty/core-bios/saul-kripke

notion of satisfaction of a formula  $\varphi$  in  $\mathcal{M}$  at a state  $w \in W$  of the model, denoted by  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash p$  is defined as follows.

Definition 2.2.2 (Semantic notion of standard Modal Logic).

- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash p \text{ iff } p \in V(w)$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \neg \varphi$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \land \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \to \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \nvDash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \leftrightarrow \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \nvDash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$  and  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \Diamond \varphi$  if there exists a state  $v \in W$ , wRv and  $\mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \Box \varphi$  if for all states  $v \in W$  such that wRv and  $\mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$

We denote by  $\mathcal{M} \Vdash \varphi$  if  $\varphi$  is satisfied in all states of  $\mathcal{M}$ . By  $\Vdash \varphi$  we denote that  $\varphi$  is valid in any state of any model.

#### 2.3 Propositional Dynamic Logic

Propositional Dynamic Logic (PDL) is a Dynamic Logic tailored to reason about programs. It describes how programs interact between themselves and the propositions which are not bounded to a specific domain of computation [39]. Intuitively, it can be understood as a special case of a modal logic tailored to reason about programs.

There are numerous variants of PDL which focus on employing PDL to reason over specific domains, like PDL with converse [28] or PDL without iteration [38], but we will focus on regular PDL. The syntax of PDL considers elements from Classical Logic, Modal logic, and the algebra of regular expressions (to define iteration of programs). PDL's syntactic elements must be of one of the following types: formulas (or atomic propositions)  $\varphi, \psi, \ldots$ , programs  $\alpha, \beta, \ldots$ , and modalities  $\Box$  and  $\diamond$  indexed by programs  $\pi$  as  $[\pi]$  and  $\langle \pi \rangle$ . Atomic propositions are symbols  $p, q, \ldots$  the same way they are defined in Classical or Modal logic. PDL's syntax is formally introduced by Definition 2.3.1.

Definition 2.3.1 (Syntax of PDL).

- an enumerable set  $\Phi$  of propositional symbols;
- $p \in \Phi$ :  $p \mid \varphi \land \psi \mid \varphi \lor \psi \mid \varphi \rightarrow \psi \mid \varphi \leftrightarrow \psi \mid \neg \varphi \mid [\pi]\varphi \mid \langle \pi \rangle \varphi$ ;
- a program  $\pi$  may be an atomic program  $\gamma$  or the result of one of the following operations over one (or more) programs  $\alpha, \beta$ :
  - $-\alpha;\beta$  as the sequential composition operator
  - $\alpha \cup \beta$  as the nondeterministic choice operator
  - $\alpha^{\star}$  as the iteration operator
  - $-\varphi$ ? as the test operator

Intuitively, formulas in PDL can be interpreted as the following:  $[\pi]\varphi$  denotes "It is necessary that after executing  $\pi$ ,  $\varphi$  holds". The execution of PDL programs can be interpreted as follows.

- $[\pi]\varphi$ : "It is necessary that after executing  $\pi$ ,  $\varphi$  holds"
- $\alpha; \beta$ : "Execute  $\alpha$ , followed by the execution of  $\beta$ "
- $\alpha \cup \beta$ : "Either  $\alpha$  or  $\beta$  will be nondeterministically selected to be executed"
- $\alpha^*$ : " $\alpha$  will be executed zero or a finite number of times "
- $\varphi$ ?: "if  $\varphi$  is true, then proceed with the execution, otherwise abort"

The semantics of PDL comes from modal logics [39]. Execution of programs  $\pi$  in PDL are seen as relations  $R_{\pi}$  over a set of states  $W, R_{\pi} \subseteq W \times W$ , which describes the program's execution. Notation  $uR_{\pi}v$  means that  $(u, v) \in R_{\pi}$ . The relation of the iteration of a program  $\alpha^* R_{\alpha^*}$  is the reflexive transitive closure of  $R_{\alpha}$  as  $R_{\alpha^*}^*$ .

PDL also employs Kripke frames  $\mathcal{F} = \langle S, R_{\pi} \rangle$ , where S is a set of states and  $R_{\pi}$  is an indexed binary relation over a set of worlds in PDL for each atomic program  $\pi$ . A PDL model is a model  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, V \rangle$ , V as the valuation function which addresses for states  $s \in S$  each formula which is valid on them,  $V \subseteq S \times 2^{\Phi}$ .

The relation R for compound programs is as follows.

- $uR_{(\alpha;\beta)}v$  iff there exists a world w such that  $uR_{\alpha}w$  and  $wR_{\beta}v$
- $uR_{(\alpha\cup\beta)}v$  iff  $uR_{\alpha}v$  or  $uR_{\beta}v$

•  $uR_{(\varphi^?)}v$  iff u = v and  $\varphi \in V(v)$ 

Let us consider Algorithm 1 as a PDL modelling example. We will denote each atomic statement as a different symbol. Consider the following symbolization, where  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  are the tests respectively used in the "while" and "if" statements in the algorithm, and  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ , and  $\gamma$  are the atomic program statements.

Algorithm 1: An imperative program			
1 while a != 100 do			
<b>2</b>	a = a + 1;		
3	if $x < 100$ then		
4	printf("a's value is %d", a);		
5	else		
6	y = 100 - x;		
7	end if		
s end while			

• "a != 100"  $\rightarrow \varphi$ 

• "a = a + 1;" 
$$\rightarrow \alpha$$

• "x < 100" 
$$\rightarrow \psi$$

- "printf("a's value is %d", a);"  $\rightarrow \beta$
- "y = 100 x;"  $\rightarrow \gamma$

Therefore, Algorithm 1 is modelled in PDL as follows. The "if" code block can be formalized as  $\pi' = ((\psi?;\beta) \cup (\neg\psi?;\gamma))$ , where the nondeterministic choice operator  $\cup$ models both outcomes of the "if" condition: if y holds, then  $\beta$  is executed, otherwise  $\gamma$ is executed. The "while" statement can be modelled as  $\pi = ((\varphi?;\alpha;\pi') \cup \neg x?)$ , where  $(\varphi?;\alpha;\pi')$  models the execution of the "while" code block (lines 2-7), and  $\neg x$  models the case the program execution does not enter in the "while" code block, where the program execution would begin from line 8.

Similar to Definition 2.2.2, Definition 2.3.2 introduces the semantic notion of formulae in modal logic in Definition 2.2.2. Let  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{V} \rangle$  a model in modal logic, and  $p, \varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  be propositional formula. The notion of satisfaction of a formula p in  $\mathcal{M}$  at a state  $s \in S$  of the model, denoted by  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash p$  is defined as follows.

Definition 2.3.2 (Semantic notion of PDL).

- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash p \text{ iff } p \in V(s)$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg \varphi$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_1 \land \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_1$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \to \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \nvDash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1 \leftrightarrow \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, w \nvDash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$  and  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi_1$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \langle \pi \rangle \varphi$  if there exists a state  $w \in S$ ,  $sR_{\pi}w$ , and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash [\pi] \varphi$  if for all states  $v \in W$  such that w Rv (i.e.,  $(w, v) \in R$ ),  $\mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$

We denote by  $\mathcal{M} \Vdash \varphi$  if  $\varphi$  is satisfied in all states of  $\mathcal{M}$ . By  $\Vdash \varphi$  we denote that  $\varphi$  is valid in any state of any model.

#### 2.4 Calculus of Inductive Constructions

The Calculus of Constructions (CoC) [24] is conceived as a formalism for constructive proofs in natural deduction style, where every proof is a  $\lambda$ -expression typed with propositions of the implemented logic. Calculus of Constructions is based on Intuitionistic Type Theory (as proposed by Martin-Löf [59]): by removing types the result is a pure  $\lambda$ -expression with its associated algorithm. The Calculus of Constructions therefore leads to a high-level functional programming language that lets their users formalize definitions and prove properties about them in the same computational environment [24].

The idea behind the Calculus of Constructions is a formalism that relies heavily on the Curry-Howard Correspondence among proposition and types. Calculus of Constructions provides a powerful language to formalize constructions as a notion of a high-level fully functional programming language containing enough expressibility to allow the specification of complex algorithms, as well as the notion of data types as present in programming languages.

The Calculus of Constructions was conceived to show how powerful the Curry-Howard Correspondence is to Computer Science. In the Calculus of Constructions, every term is a  $\lambda$ -expression. All expressions in CoC are typed: there are types for functions, proofs, atomic types, and types for types themselves. Every object formalized in CoC must belong to a type. Quantifiers such as the existential quantifier  $\exists$  and  $\forall$  are formalized with respect to a type and has form "exists *a* of type *P*" and "for all *a* of type *P*", respectively. Expressions of type *x* of type *P* are written as *x*: *P* and can be informally read as "*x* belongs to *P*".

Object types in the Calculus of Constructions hold logical propositions, individual terms denoting data types, and function types. Therefore all terms in the Calculus of Constructions are formalized within the same context, where both data types and function types can be thought of as proofs of their types. As an example, the  $\lambda$ -abstraction  $(\lambda x: M)N$  can be interpreted as a proof for [x: M]P when M is a proof of P considering N as a hypothesis.

Calculus of Constructions was then extended to a variant that enables the formalization of (co-)inductive definitions. This extension was provided in 1989 as Calculus of Inductive Constructions (CiC) [26], a result of research on the extraction of programs from proofs in the Calculus of Constructions. An important aspect for this extension relies on the idea that inductively defined propositions and data types play a core role in any application [71]. Calculus of Inductive Constructions is the current logical formalism behind the Coq system. This extension enables inductively defined data types as well as principles such as proofs by induction and recursively defined functions.

Sorts in CiC have types and there is a well-founded hierarchy of types. Calculus of Inductive Constructions introduces three base sorts:

- **Prop** is the sort of logical propositions. Let P be a logical proposition. Therefore P stands for the type of proofs of P. An element  $p \in P$  is an evidence that P is provable (namely, p is a proof of P).
- Set is the set of small data types, such as booleans, natural numbers, operations and functions over them.
- Type is the type of all types. Type also contains all data types defined by Set and their operation, as well as larger types and operations over them. Type is defined because assuming Set is of type Set leads to an inconsistency. CiC provides an infinite well-founded hierarchy of sorts where Set and Type (i) belongs to a Type (j), where i < j.</p>

Terms in CiC may be constructed from sorts, variables, constants, functions and their applications. They are syntactically built from the following rules:

- 1. the types Prop, Set and Type (the well-founded infinite hierarchy is hereby implicit) are terms.
- 2. variables and constants are terms,
- 3. if x is a variable, with T and U terms, then  $\forall x \colon T, U$  is also a term.
- 4. if x is a variable, with T and u terms, then  $\lambda x : T.u$  denoting a function that maps elements from T to u is also a term.
- 5. if t and u are terms, then (tu) is also a term. This term denotes the application of t on u.

CoC is conceived with an objective which is to provide in the same environment means to formalize both proofs and programs. The inference rules of CoC are defined as follows. Let  $\Gamma$  a context (set of logical types, propositions) and  $\Delta$  a logical type. The symbol  $\cong$ denotes the congruence over propositions, contexts and terms by means of  $\beta$ -conversion.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta \cong \Delta}$$

which is the identity for (logical) types.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M \colon N}{\Gamma \vdash M \cong M}$$

as the identity for terms, where M is a well typed term of type N.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M \cong N}{\Gamma \vdash N \cong M}$$

as the rule that states that the congruence over propositions is symmetric.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M \cong N \quad \Gamma \vdash N \cong P}{\Gamma \vdash M \cong P}$$

denoting the transitivity of congruence over propositions, where M,N and P are terms.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash P_1 \cong P_2 \quad \Gamma[x \colon P_1] \vdash M_1 \cong M_2}{\Gamma \vdash [x \colon P_1] M_1 \cong [x \colon P_2] M_2}$$

as the conversion rules between types  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ .

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash P_1 \cong P_2 \qquad \Gamma[x \colon P_1] \vdash M_1 \cong M_2 \qquad \Gamma[x \colon P_1] \vdash M_1 \colon N_1}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda x \colon P_1)M_1 \cong (\lambda x \colon P_2)M_2}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash (MN:P) \quad \Gamma \vdash M \cong M_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash N \cong N_1}{\Gamma \vdash (MN) \cong (M_1N_1)}$$

as the conversion between  $\lambda$ -applications, with M,  $M_1$ , N and  $N_1$  are well typed terms of type P.

$$\frac{\Gamma[x:A] \vdash M:P \quad \Gamma \vdash N:A}{\Gamma \vdash ((\lambda x:A)MN) \cong [N/x]M'}$$

denoting the compositionally of  $\lambda$ -terms by means of  $\beta$ -reduction.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M \colon P \quad \Gamma \vdash P \cong Q}{\Gamma \vdash M \colon Q}$$

as the type conversion rule, P and Q types and M a well formed term of type P

For further details regarding CoC, the work presented in [24] provide a full overview on the rules and the general aspects of this system.

### Chapter 3

### Coq

This chapter briefly introduces proof assistants and discusses some of the main aspects of the Coq Proof Assistant, focusing on the portion of the system employed in this work. Coq is a widely used proof assistant in many projects around the world [12,15,18,35,36, 53,55,57]. Before introducing Coq, details on proof assistants regarding their objectives with some background on why they became important tools in software development are briefly discussed.

#### 3.1 Proof Assistants

Proof assistants are systems that support the process of formalizing objects like ideas and models, and properties (consisting of what one would like to prove) regarding these objects and the process of proving properties about formalized properties [34]. Based on some logical formalism, they provide an environment that provides tools to structure and process proofs.

The advent of such systems has led to a new way of proving theorems, which may lead to the reduction of the human effort involved in the steps of the process, and the human errors that could be introduced in a proof (such as typos and steps erroneously taken). By using a proof assistant, such errors are easily avoided, making the task of building up proof easier to perform. They also enable one to verify that proof has been performed in a machine environment, which may increase the trust of a proof result [35].

Their popularity began to rise in the mid-'90s when at the same time Intel faced the infamous "Pentium Bug", which resulted in the recall of millions of buggy chips and a loss of approximately USD 475 millions [23]. Although the application of proofs of correctness

of programs has been used since in the early days of computer science, it was ignored by the software industry until this time as it was dubbed "impractical" [40] by people who judged the required mathematical skills as "impossibly difficult", followed by claims that its usage extends software development life-cycle [46].

In the past thirty years, the usage of such systems has transcended the academic environment, making its way to the software development industry in a variety of areas, to ensure properties about software or certain programs/functions: among many other initiatives, SiFive<sup>1</sup> is a startup based in San Mateo, California, which aims to use Coq to certify processors and other core pieces of software while Bella et. al. [13] uses Isabelle to certify an electronic payment protocol.

Unlike Automated Theorem Provers [32, 58], Proof Assistants relies on heavy user manipulation to build proofs about theorems, although some of them let their users to automatize some, if not all steps, of proofs [30], and even to rehash or build brand new proof tactics [54].

#### 3.2 Coq

Coq [30] is a proof assistant based on an implementation of Calculus of Inductive Constructions [26,69], a type theory based on Calculus of Constructions [24,25]. Its objective is to provide tools to write both functional programs and proofs in higher-order logic using only one programming language named Gallina [70]. Terms of Gallina can represent programs as well as properties of these programs and proofs of these properties.

Coq offers a system that lets one develop mathematical proofs, and especially to write formal specifications, programs and to verify that programs are correct concerning their specification, all within a single environment that also lets their users define their proof tactics [29]. Coq also contains specific software development formalisms which enable features like the modularization of code, and type classes, which can easily relate to programming constructs that some functional languages have, such as Haskell.

There are also other proof assistants with similar objectives as Coq, but with different logical foundations, such as HOL systems, a family of interactive theorem provers based on Church's higher-order logic including Isabelle/HOL [64], HOL4 [74] and PVS [66]. As a proof assistant, Coq has been used for many purposes: to name a few, Gonthier [35] presents a machine-checked proof of the four-color theorem, while Leroy et al. certify a

compiler in Coq [53], among others [18, 57]. Figure. 3.1 shows an overview of CoqIde for Coq version 8.13.1.



Figure 3.1: A screenshot of CoqIde

Another key property of Coq is that its language contains dependent types, which can be intuitively described as types that types depend upon values. An example of a dependent type is a list of elements where its type includes an expression denoting its size. This leads to the possibility of statically verifying the absence of out-of-bounds access. In short, dependent types may enable the possibility to enrich property verification by expressing correctness properties in the type's definition [21].

Coq offers a centralized environment to write programs, algorithms, and prove properties regarding these objects, based on the logical formalism briefly introduced in Section 2.4. All expressions formalized in Coq are named terms, and all terms have a type. Hence, every object handled in Coq is typed. There are types for propositions, programs (or functions), data types (natural numbers, booleans, lists, pairs, and many others). The types of types are called **sort**. All sorts have a type, and there is an infinite wellfounded typing hierarchy of sorts, whose base sorts are Prop, Set, and Type, to avoid inconsistencies [25].

Coq's built-in language allows one to work both with program definitions and with the proof process. In what follows some of its keywords are briefly introduced. For more insights regarding these keywords, we suggest the reader refer to the system's reference manual  $^2$ .

- Lemma id: *Prop* denotes the binding of the type of a proposition to the variable id, enabling the interactive proving of id by employing Coq tactics.
- Qed/Defined. Qed defines the proof term in Coq as an opaque term (a term which can be unfolded in tactic applications), whereas the usage of Defined closes the proof term as a transparent term, enabling it to be unfolded in posterior programs and proofs.
- Inductive ident : type := {| ident : type} defines an inductive type whose constructors are defined by each {| ident : type} clause. The type of ident is type (which can be omitted as Coq's type checker is capable of deducting the term's type from its constructors). Inductive definitions are closed by types (i.e., their constructors have the same type of the definition) and they can be parametrized.
- Definition *id* lets their users bind functions, theorems, (co-)inductive definitions and the evaluation of an expression (basically any well-typed term) to a variable named *id*.
- Record *ident* : *sort*? := *ident*? { *ident binders* : type } defines a macro which constructs records as in many programming languages, similar to C's "struct" keyword. The first identifier *ident* is the name of the defined record. The keyword *sort*? is the record's type, and *ident*? is an identifier which defines a constructor function for the record. Both *sort*? and *ident*? may be omitted, in which Coq will try to guess the resulting record type, and instances of the record must be defined by using the regular syntax (writing each field and its corresponding value). A record may have one or more fields (denoted by the *ident* within the curly brackets) separated by ";".
- Fixpoint param {struct id} is the command that allows the definition of functions by pattern-matching over an inductive structure which is one of the param provided, defining recursive functions in Coq. These definitions need to meet syntactical criteria on an argument called decreasing argument. Thus, the idea of the criteria is to have a structure that tells Coq such definitions always terminate. The decreasing argument can be specified by using struct id or automatically guessed by Coq.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>https://coq.inria.fr/doc/index.html

- Instance *id*  $class_id$  binders :  $type := \{ id := term \}$  declares a class instance identified by *id*, with non-obligatory parameters *binders* and the fields declared within the scope of  $\{id := term\}$ . Coq then generates obligations that must be proven correct in order for the term to be defined, which may be proven using Coq's proof apparatus.
- Extraction id enables the extraction of definition id to either Haskell, OCaml or Scheme. Variants like Extraction "file.v" destFile extracts all definitions within the file file.v (where .v is Coq's source code file extension) to the specified target language in a file named destFile. This language can be set with the command Extraction Language lang, where lang is either Scheme, Haskell or OCaml (the default extraction language).
- Program Instance *id* : Type := *term* uses the Program [75] tactic to bind the term defined in *term* to the variable *id* by formalizing it as if one were programming in a regular functional language, but at the same time using Coq's proof apparatus to support in proving automatically that the function definition indeed meets its requirements. Its combination with keyword *Instance* provides tools that ease the task of dealing with obligations generated by Instance, by defining the Obligation *Tactic* which Program will use by default.

Coq comes packed with a core set of tactics and some powerful tactics defined in some modules (which require importing such modules) that eases process of proving propositions. These tactics can also be extended by a user to adapt basic tactics to a certain domain. A tactic can be defined as an intermediate between the user and Coq's language to deal with individual parts of a proof, enabling the possibility to adapt or automate a given part of a proof [29].

A simple yet representative usage example is introduced as follows. One can use Coq to obtain certified code in other languages, such as Haskell or Scheme. Suppose one would like to formalize weekdays and then reason about the next day. This can be achieved by formalizing *weekdays* as an inductive type with its constructors denoting days of the week.

#### **Inductive** weekdays :=

| monday | tuesday | wednessday | thursday | friday | saturday | sunday.

Then nextDay is a function that takes a weekday and returns the next day according to the current calendar.

**Definition** nextDay (day : weekdays) : weekdays :=

```
match day with
| monday ⇒ tuesday| tuesday ⇒ wednessday| wednessday ⇒ thursday
| thursday ⇒ friday| friday ⇒ saturday| saturday ⇒ sunday
| sunday ⇒ monday
end.
```

Properties about nextDay can then be formalized, proved and the specified algorithm can be extracted to the aforementioned target languages.

Lemma  $nextDayMonday: \forall day: weekdays, nextDay day = monday \leftrightarrow day = sunday.$ Proof.

split.

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- intros. destruct day. all: inversion H. reflexivity.
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- intros. rewrite H. reflexivity.
```

Defined.

The following Coq code illustrates the example of instantiating a typeclass in Coq, and to which extent we use it to define equality relations provided by class EqDec.

```
Program Instance nat_eqDec : EqDec (nat) eq :=

{ equiv_dec := fix rec x \ y :=

match x, y with

| 0, 0 \Rightarrow in_left

| Datatypes.S n, Datatypes.S m \Rightarrow if rec n \ m then in_left else in_right

| 0, Datatypes.S n | Datatypes.S n, 0 \Rightarrow in_right

end
```

}.

This defines nat\_eqDec as an equality relation for natural numbers described by nat. The usage of Instance introduces some goals generated by each of the patterns in the pattern matching defined in equiv\_dec, which are automatically solved by Program's usage.

The extraction of these definitions may be done with the command Extraction Language Scheme, given that the desired target extraction language is Scheme. By formalizing these definitions within a module named *example*, the command Extraction *example usageEx* generates a .scm file named *usageEx*, containing all the aforemetioned definitions as Scheme code.

### Chapter 4

### Reo

In this chapter, a succinct overview of Reo [3, 4] is presented, considering its main characteristics with two usage examples. We also briefly introduce the main aspects of one popular formal semantics for Reo, Constraint Automata as proposed by Baier et al. [11]. We also introduce two usage examples of Reo, which will later be discussed in Chapter 6, bound to show how one can formalize and certify Reo circuits employing *ReLo*.

#### 4.1 The modelling language

Reo plays a central role in integrating software components, especially considering Component-Based Software Engineering, where it is expected that software components are independent of each other, being more adapted to the environment they were conceived for. In recent times, software development has shifted from building large, single instances of a system to building systems by reuse of already existing pieces of software, where the full application (system) itself is generated through the orchestrated interaction of these software components, where Reo may be adequate in orchestrating such interaction.

As a coordination model, Reo focuses on connectors, their composition, and how they behave, not focusing on particular details regarding the entities that are connected, communicate, and interact through those connectors. Connected entities may be modules of sequential code, objects, agents, processes, web services, and any other software component where its integration with other software can be used to build a system [3]. Such entities are defined as component instances in Reo.

Component instances are defined as a non-empty set P that denotes a set of entities involved in an instance (process, services, actors, usually denoted by capital letters) and a predefined set of I/O operations associated with each of those entities, where they only interact with each other by the channel that connects these instances. A software component is a software implementation that may execute in physical or logical devices. Therefore, software components are abstract entities that describe the behavior of its instances.

Channels in Reo are defined as a point-to-point link between two distinct nodes, where each channel has its unique predefined behavior. Each channel in Reo has exactly two ends, which can be of the following types: the source end, which accepts data into the channel, and the sink end, which dispenses data out of the channel. Channels are used to compose more complex connectors, being possible to combine user-defined channels amongst themselves and with the canonical connectors provided by Baier et al. [11]. Figure 4.1 shows the basic set of connectors as presented by Kokash et al. [49]. Table 4.1 relates the canonical Reo connectors with their behavior.



Figure 4.1: Canonical Reo connectors

A node in Reo is defined as a logical structure denoting how channel ends are linked to each other in Reo connectors. Nodes composing channel ends in Reo can be either source nodes, sink nodes, or mixed nodes. Source nodes are nodes that accept data into the channel, i.e., nodes that serve as a gateway to data flow into the channel, while sink nodes are nodes where data flows out of the channel and mixed nodes are nodes that act both as source nodes and sink nodes.

Channel ends can be used by any entity to send/receive data, given that the entity belongs to an instance that knows these ends. In other words, entities may use channels only if the instance they belong to is connected to one of the channel ends, enabling either sending or receiving data (depending on the kind of channel end the entity has access to).

The bound between a software instance and a channel end is a logical connection that does not rely on properties such as the location of the involved entities. Channels in Reo have the sole objective to enable the data exchange following the behaviour of the connectors composing the channel, utilizing I/O operations predefined for each entity in an instance. A channel can be known by zero or more instances at a time, but its ends can be used by at most one entity at the same time.

Figure 4.2 introduces a Reo connector known as Sequencer<sup>1</sup>. It models the data flow

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>http://reo.project.cwi.nl/v2/#examples-of-complex-connectors

Connector	Reo	Behaviour
Sync	$A \longrightarrow B$	Data flows Synchronously from $A$ to $B$ .
LossySync	A≻ B	Data either flows Synchronously from $A$ to $B$ , or it is lost in its way from $A$ to $B$ due so some com- munication fallure (i.e., link failure between the interfaces).
FIFO	$A \longrightarrow B$	Data flows from $A$ to $B$ in a buffer-fashioned manner. It first leaves $A$ , then it is stored in a intermediate place before reaching $B$ .
SyncDrain	$A \rightarrowtail B$	The data flow of $A$ and $B$ must be synchronized.
AsyncDrain	$A \rightarrowtail B$	The data flow of $A$ and $B$ must not be synchronized.
Filter	$A \sim B$	$ \begin{vmatrix} A & \text{data item } d & \text{will successfully be transmitted from} \\ A & \text{to } B & \text{if it satisfies a logical predicate } P. \end{aligned} $
Transform	$A \longrightarrow B$	A data item d will be transformed by a transfor- mation function $f: data \rightarrow data$ before reaching B.
Merger	$\begin{vmatrix} B \\ A \end{matrix} \rightarrow -C$	The data from ports $A$ and $B$ are transmitted to $C$ similar to the functioning of a demultiplex
Replicator	$A \longrightarrow \binom{C}{B}$	Data from $A$ is simutaneously replicated to $B$ and $C$ , similar to a multiplex.

Table 4.1: Basic Reo channels and their behaviour

between three entities sequentially. The data flows from X to the first FIFO connector (a buffer), which will be sequentially transmitted to port names A, B, and C. The Sequencer can be used to model scenarios where processes sequentially interact between themselves.



Figure 4.2: Modelling of the Sequencer in Reo

Figure 4.3 models a simplification of a scenario containing two Smart traffic lights A and B in a crossroad. Their default functioning follows a timed schedule: while one of them is green, the other is red. In addition to this timed behaviour, a controlling station
has a sensor (i.e., a camera, denoted by the upper dot) that monitors the crossroad and identifies whether there is heavy traffic waiting for the green light on one of the traffic lights [36].

Intuitively, the circuit controls the effective time a traffic light may be green or red depending on the number of cars waiting to pass. This may be done by verifying which data item is coming from both the timer and the sensor, and when is these data incoming. The circuit filters this data, to mutually exclude one of the traffic lights. The destination node (denoted by the leftmost dot in Figure 4.3) will receive the data item (0 or 1) and, based on this item decide which traffic light gains the priority to go green.

The data incoming from the uppermost dot denotes a property which the sensor has detected (i.e., many cars waiting for the traffic light to be green), while d is a data item denoting that the semaphores will alternate between open and closed, enabling the interchange of which traffic light will be either open or closed (the interchange between dand !d forced by the circuit renders unable the scenario where one of the traffic lights is always open).



Figure 4.3: A Reo model for smart traffic lights and a controller of a crossroad

Reo can also be used to model a consensus algorithm that deals with Byzantine fault [52] to achieve consensus under uncertainty, which may be caused by different factors (varying from network issues to faulty agents). Intuitively, these machines can lead to "bad decisions" to be taken in a consensus-based distributed system. Among the algorithms conceived to address this problem, the delegated Byzantine Fault Tolerance 2.0 (dBFT) [41] was employed for the Neo Blockchain to achieve consensus globally in the system. It takes quorum-based decisions in an environment with 3f + 1 machines, where at most f machines can present Byzantine fault-like behavior. A machine in dBFT is also called a replica.

The dBFT 2.0 is an algorithm split into three steps: I) One of the replicas will be chosen as the primary, being responsible to propose an information pack, II) the remainder of the replicas (known as backups) will validate such information, and III) finally commit to that information, as soon as 2f+1 valid responses are available. After commitment, the replica is unable to revert its own decision, so the logic ensures that each local commit decision, once made by an honest replica, will represent a global commit after passing the uncertain quorum 2f + 1 threshold. If enough time passes without changing state (assuming that the primary system may have failed), then a condition is triggered that will reset the whole process and restart from the next primary. This process is known as view change.

Figure 4.4 models the communication structure of a replica in dBFT in Reo. Node A' denotes the circuit data input, which will be filtered to the primary node P or backup node B in a round-robin scheme as follows:

- If the data flows from A to node P, after a preset time the data flow from P to the request node R. From R, there are two accessible nodes: one that will timeout after a preset time and will put the machine in the change view node V' (by flowing data from R to V'); and one that will move the system to the commit node CA' if the test condition for the validity of the block passes (by flowing data from R to C').
- If the data flow from A to node B, after a preset time it will move to the change view node VR'. Node R' represents other replicas in the network, where its data will be the requests released by the other consensus replicas, which arrive in R' with a bounded nondeterministic delay. All filters in the model that have their sink node one of the V' nodes denote the preset time the replica will wait to change its state to change view (V').



Figure 4.4: A model of the replica in the dBFT algorithm with standard Reo connectors

As a consensus replica, A' and R' interface with the remainder of the network as input nodes, where A' receives data from the network and R' as the input coming from the node R of other replicas from within the network. Nodes starting with V' and C' are output nodes, where they will broadcast data to the other replicas within the network considering whether they will commit (C') or change view (V').

From the perspective of dBFT 2.0, the filters with sink nodes B, VR', VB', R, and VA' are temporizers which control the data flow in the model. The ones with sink nodes

VR' VB' and VA' especially denotes the temporizers which controls the time out which will lead the current replica to set its state to "Change view", indicating that some failure happened and it will not go to the commit nodes CA' and CR'.

In short, Reo circuits may be understood as data flowing from different interfaces (i.e., port names connected to a node), where the connector itself models the communication pattern between two of these interfaces. A *ReLo* program is composed of one or more Reo connectors as introduced in Figure 4.1.

# 4.2 Constraint Automata

Constraint Automata [4] are defined as the most basic operational models for Reo, among many other formal semantics for Reo [43]. They have been extended to other formal semantics for Reo that aim to capture different sets of properties, like actions over data (Action Constraint Automata [48]) or timing properties (Timed Constraint Automata [5]).

Constraint Automata compose a basis to model and verify the specification of such coordination mechanisms by the usage of formal methods (e.g., model checking against temporal-logic specifications [62]). By using Constraint Automata as formal semantics for Reo, automata states depict the possible configurations of a channel (e.g., the data within a connector at a given time), while transitions of the automaton denote how data in the connector flow and how it changes the configuration of the automaton. In what follows, we recover and briefly discuss the main concepts from Baier et al. [11] on Constraint Automata. They are formally introduced by Definition 4.2.1.

**Definition 4.2.1** (Constraint Automata). A Constraint Automaton (CA) is a tuple  $\mathcal{A} = (Q, \mathcal{N}ames, \rightarrow, Q_0)$  where

- $oldsymbol{Q}$  is a finite set of states, configurations of  $\mathcal A$
- $\mathcal{N}ames$  is a finite set of names,
- $\rightarrow: Q \times 2^{Names} \times DC \times Q$  is the transition relation with DC a set of (propositional) Data Constraints, and

### $Q_0 \subseteq Q$ is the set of initial states.

Constraint automata are seen as Timed Data Stream (TDS) acceptors. To understand how constraint automata relate to Timed Data Streams, we recover the main definitions from Baier et al. [11] regarding Timed Data Streams and Constraint Automata.

Let A be any set. Streams are defined as a set  $A^{\omega}$  containing all infinite sequences over A. Therefore,  $A^{\omega} = \{\alpha \mid \alpha \colon \{0, 1, 2, ...\} \to A\}$ . Individual streams are described as  $\alpha =$ 

 $\alpha(0), \alpha(1), \alpha(2), \ldots$  and the derivative of a stream  $\alpha$  is denoted as the stream initiating in the next value, namely  $\alpha' = \alpha(1), \alpha(2), \alpha(3), \ldots, \alpha^{(i)}$  denotes the *i*-th derivative, where  $\alpha'(k) = \alpha(k+1)$  and  $\alpha^{(i)}(k) = \alpha(i+k), \forall i, \forall k > 0$ . Hence, TDS are composed by a stream  $\alpha \in Data^{\omega}$ , Data a non-empty finite set and a time stream  $a \in \mathbb{R}^{\omega}_{+}$  as a stream of increasing positive real numbers.

The behavior of Reo channels are modeled as Timed Data Streams (TDS) [7]. TDS models are one of the first formalizations of co-algebraic semantics of Reo connectors [43]. They introduce the notion of a channel node's behavior being a relation  $R \subseteq TDS \times TDS$ . Informally, TDS are composed of two streams, one denoting the data items that will flow through a given port and the other one denoting the time instant that the port observes this data flow. TDS are used to model how data flows through a Reo connector by discriminating the flow through the relation R. TDS are formally presented by Definition 4.2.2.

#### Definition 4.2.2 (Timed Data Streams).

A Timed Data Stream is defined as a pair of functions  $(\alpha, a)$  as follows.  $TDS = \{(\alpha, a) \in Data^{\omega} \times \mathbb{R}^{\omega}_{+} : \forall k \ge 0 : a(k) \le a(k+1) \text{ and } \lim_{k \to \infty} a(k) = \infty\}$ 

Hence, TDS are composed by a stream  $\alpha \in Data^{\omega}$  with Data as a non-empty finite set and a time stream  $a \in \mathbb{R}^{\omega}_{+}$ , a stream of increasing positive real numbers. A TDS can be intuitively seen as a "controller" which denotes, for each data item  $\alpha(k)$ , the moment a(k) it is flowing.

In order to formalize the concept of input/output behavior of Constraint Automata by means of TDS, a set of names  $\mathcal{N}ames$  is used, where  $\mathcal{N}ames$  consists of a finite set of names  $A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_n$  used to identify the input/output ports that connect different components or a whole system within the environment it is inserted. For each port  $A_i \in \mathcal{N}ames$ , a TDS is defined. Intuitively, each TDS depicts the behavior of how data flow in a port denoted by a port name  $A \in \mathcal{N}ames$ . Definition 4.2.3 formalizes the notion of  $TDS^{\mathcal{N}ames}$  as the set of all TDS-tuples containing one TDS for each port.

### Definition 4.2.3 (TDS<sup> $\mathcal{N}ames$ </sup>).

$$TDS^{Names} = \{ ((\alpha_1, a_1), (\alpha_2, a_2), \dots, (\alpha_n, a_n)) : (\alpha_i, a_i) \in TDS, i = 1, 2, \dots, n, with \ n = |Names|. \}$$

With the notion of TDS and ports as defined, a Data Assignment denotes which data element is in each port that belongs to a non-empty subset of ports  $N \subseteq Names$ . Hence, a Data Assignment for a port is defined as a function  $\delta: N \to Data$ , and Definition 4.2.4 presents the notation's definition.

**Definition 4.2.4** (Data Assignment). A Data Assignment is defined as a notation for functions  $\delta \colon N \to Data \ as \ \delta = [A \to \delta_a] \colon A \in N$ 

By defining  $\theta = ((\alpha_1, a_1), (\alpha_2, a_2), \dots, (\alpha_n, a_n)): (\alpha_i, a_i)) \in TDS^{Names}, \ \theta.time$  is defined in Definition 4.2.5 as the time stream obtained by merging all timed streams  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  increasingly. At each iteration,  $\theta.time$ 's value is recalculated as the minimum time value obtained by such merging, considering  $\theta$ ' as the derivative of  $\theta$ .

**Definition 4.2.5** ( $\theta$ .time(k)). The merging of time streams in increasing order denotes  $\theta$ .time(k) as

 $\theta.time(0) = \min\{a_i(0) : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\},\$ 

 $\theta.time(k) = \min\{a_i(k) : a_i(k) > \theta.time(k-1), i = 1, 2, \dots, n, k = 1, 2, \dots\}.$ 

With  $\theta.time(k)$  as the k-th minimum time in where data starts to flow in a port, the next definition captures the idea of selecting all ports that are in  $\theta.time(k)$ ,  $\theta.N = \theta.N(0), \theta.N(1), \theta.N(2), \ldots$ , as a stream over  $2^{Names}$  as follows.

**Definition 4.2.6**  $(\theta \cdot N(k))$ .  $\theta \cdot N(k)$  denotes all ports that contains data in time instant  $\theta \cdot time(k)$ :

$$\theta.N(k) = \{A_i \in \mathcal{N}ames: a_i(l) = \theta.time(k) \text{ for some } l \in \{0, 1, 2, ...\}, i = 1, 2, ..., n\}.$$

Considering  $\theta$ ,  $\theta$ .time(k) and  $\theta$ .N(k), the derivative of  $\theta$  is written  $\theta'$  as the TDStuple that is obtained by calculating the derivatives of all TDS  $(\alpha_i, a_i)$  with its associated port  $A_i \in \theta$ .N(k). As an example, let  $\theta = ((\alpha_0, a_0), (\alpha_1, a_1), (\alpha_2, a_2))$  and k = 0. If  $\theta$ . $N(0) = \{A_0\}, \theta' = (\alpha'_0, a'_0), (\alpha_1, a_1), (\alpha_2, a_2)$ .

Following the same idea presented in Definition 4.2.6, the concept of a stream over the data flow in ports in  $\theta$ .time is defined as  $\theta.\delta = \theta.\delta(0), \theta.\delta(1), \theta.\delta(2), \ldots$  as a stream over the set of data assignments for each port  $A_i \in \theta.N$ . Intuitively,  $\theta.\delta(k)$  holds all observed data flow at time instant  $\theta$ .time(k) and is defined as follows.

**Definition 4.2.7**  $(\theta.\delta(k))$ . The stream  $\theta.\delta(k)$  over the set of Data Assignments is defined as  $\theta.\delta(k) = [A_i \to \alpha_i(l_i): A_i \in \theta.N(k)]$ where  $l_i \in [0, 1, 2, ...]$  is the unique index with  $a_i(l_i) = \theta.time(k)$ .

A TDS language (for  $\mathcal{N}ames$ ) denotes any subset of  $TDS^{\mathcal{N}ames}$  where TDS languages are also used as a formalism to describe the possible data flow a coordination model (namely, data flow of a Reo circuit). Constraint Automata uses a finite set  $\mathcal{N}ames$  denoting Reo port names, where it can be a set of form  $\{A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_n\}$ , and the *i*-th port stands for a I/O port of a Reo connector or component. As depicted by Definition 4.2.1, transitions of Constraint Automata are labeled with pairs containing a non-empty subset  $N \subseteq \mathcal{N}ames$  and a data constraint g. Data constraints are seen as a representation on data assignments in the sense of denoting which data item may be observed at a given port, being propositional formulae built from atomic propositions such as  $d_A = d$ , meaning "at port A the data item observed must be d", with  $A \in \mathcal{N}ames$  and  $d \in Data$ . Hence, Definition 4.2.8 formally introduces the grammar to describe data constraints.

**Definition 4.2.8** (Data constraints). A data constraint (DC) g is formally defined by the following grammar:

$$g ::= true \mid d_A = d \mid g_1 \lor g_2 \mid \neg g_2$$

We follow the same notation presented by Baier et al. [11], where a transition is denoted by  $q \xrightarrow{N,g} p$  rather than  $(q, N, g, p) \in \rightarrow$ ,  $q, p \in Q$  are states of the automaton, g a data constraint which must be satisfied to enable the transition, and  $N \subseteq Names$ . For a transition to be fired, it is required that  $N \neq \emptyset$  and g is satisfiable by  $\theta.\delta(k)$  at the k-th iteration of a run (i.e.,  $\theta.\delta(k) \models g$ , where  $\models$  stands for the satisfaction relation for classical propositional logic).

The intuitive meaning of Constraint Automata as formal semantics for Reo models can be understood by interpreting the states as the configuration of the connector and the transitions as how the connector's behavior can change in a single step. Hence,  $q_0 \xrightarrow{N,g} q_1$ means that, in order for the automaton to change its configuration from  $q_0$  to  $q_1$ , it must have data flow only in ports  $A \in N$ , where such data flow must satisfy the data constraint denoted by g, while in the other ports  $N \setminus Names$  there must not have any data flow (i.e.,  $N \setminus Names \notin \theta.N(k)$ ).

Hence, the idea of Constraint Automata being TDS acceptors can be interpreted as follows. Given an input TDS-tuple  $\theta \in TDS^{Names}$  as input to a Constraint Automaton  $\mathcal{A}$ , the automaton tries to figure whether  $\theta$  denotes a possible data flow of  $\mathcal{A}$  the same way a finite automaton would get as input a finite word and decides whether it describes an accepting run. Nevertheless, since Constraint Automata does not have final states as a criterion for acceptance, all accepting runs are infinite runs if  $\theta$  is infinite.

Formally, an accepting run in a Constraint Automaton is defined as follows.

#### **Definition 4.2.9** (Accepting runs on Constraint Automata).

Given a TDS-tuple  $\theta \in TDS^{Names}$  as input, an accepting infinite run on a Constraint Automaton  $\mathcal{A}$  is denoted by the greatest set of streams  $q = q_0, q_1, q_2, \ldots$  over Q where:

- 1. There exists a transition  $q_0 \xrightarrow{N,g} q_1$ ;
- 2.  $N = \theta . N(0);$
- 3.  $\theta . \delta(0) \models g;$
- 4. q' (an infinite stream initiating from the resulting state obtained from (I)) stands for an infinite  $q_1$ -run on  $\theta'$  in  $\mathcal{A}$ ;

Therefore, Definition 4.2.9 respectively states the following: it is necessary to have at least one transition that can be fired from the actual state in the run, the other ports other than the ones involved in a firing transition contains data, the data on those ports must satisfy g, and that these conditions may hold for the remainder of  $\theta$ , denoted by its derivative  $\theta'$ . Such conditions establish the notion of accepting runs on Constraint Automata. Alternatively, Definition 4.2.10 formally introduces the notion of rejecting runs on Constraint Automata.

**Definition 4.2.10** (Rejecting runs on Constraint Automata).

Given a TDS-tuple  $\theta \in TDS^{\mathcal{N}ames}$  as input, a rejecting run a Constraint Automaton  $\mathcal{A}$ is denoted by a finite sequence  $q = q_0, q_1, q_2, \ldots, q_n$  over Q where:

- 1. from  $q_0$  there is no transition  $q_0 \xrightarrow{N,g} q_1$  with  $N = \theta.N(0)$  and  $\theta.\delta(0) \models g$ ;
- 2. from  $q_n$  there is a transition  $q_0 \xrightarrow{N,g} q_1$  with  $N = \theta.N(0)$  and  $\theta.\delta(0) \models g$ , but  $q_1, q_2, \ldots, q_n$  denotes a rejecting run in  $\mathcal{A}$ .

Subsuming Definitions 4.2.9 and 4.2.10, an accepting run for  $\theta$  in an automaton  $\mathcal{A}$  is an infinite run which satisfies Definition 4.2.9 starting at some initial state  $q_0 \in Q_0$ , while a rejecting run is a run for  $\theta$  in  $\mathcal{A}$  where at some point k there is no transition to be fired.

Arbab [3] provides the canonical set of Reo connectors that may be used to compose more complex channels. Because Constraint Automata are a theory that provides a formal semantics for Reo connectors, a constraint automaton for each canonical connector (depicted in Figure 4.1) is also provided, each following its respective channel's behavior. Table 4.2 summarizes basic channels provided by Arbab and their corresponding Constraint Automata. The label depicted above the edges between {} are the ports that can "observe" data for the transition to be fired, while the label below it stands for (possible) data constraints upon observed data. The absence of this second label means that there are no data constraints for this transition.

The idea of compositionally building out more complex Reo connectors out of canonical ones is to join source nodes in Reo with other nodes (sink, source or mixed) by the

Channel	Reo	Constraint automaton
Sync	$A \longrightarrow B$	$\begin{array}{ c }\hline q_0 & \{A, B\} \\ \hline d_A = d_B \end{array}$
LossySync	A≻ B	$\left  \{A\} \frown q_0 \frown \{A, B\} \atop d_A = d_B \right $
FIFO	A  B	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
SyncDrain	$A \rightarrowtail B$	$(q_0) \longrightarrow \{A, B\}$
AsyncDrain	$A \rightarrowtail B$	$  \{B\} \frown q_0 \frown \{A\}$
Filter	$A \sim \!$	$ \begin{array}{c c}  & & \{A\} \\  & & \neg P(d_A) \\  & & \{A, B\} \\  & P(d_A) \land d_A = d_B \end{array} $
Transform	$A \longrightarrow B$	$\begin{array}{ c }\hline q_0 & \{A, B\} \\ \hline f(d_A) = d_B \end{array}$
Merger	$B \xrightarrow{A} C$	$ \begin{array}{ c c } \{A,B\} & & & \\ \hline d_A = d_B & & & \\ \hline q_0 & & & \\ d_A = d_C & & \\ \end{array} $
Replicator	$A \longrightarrow \overset{C}{\underset{B}{\longrightarrow}}$	$\begin{array}{ c c }\hline q_0 & \{A, B, C\} \\ \hline d_A = d_B \wedge d_A = d_C \end{array}$

Table 4.2: Basic Reo channels and their respective constraint automata

usage of a product construction between automata. Thus, the natural join of two languages  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , respectively the languages of Constraint Automata  $\mathcal{A}_1$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2$  is done by composing the product automata of  $\mathcal{A}_1$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2$  as a product operation. This natural join is analogue to the operation defined for relational databases [11]. Definition 4.2.11 summarizes such operation.

**Definition 4.2.11** (Product Automata). Let  $A_1 = (Q_1, Names_1, \rightarrow_1, Q_{0,1})$  and  $A_2 =$ 

 $(Q_2, \mathcal{N}ames_2, \rightarrow_2, Q_{0,2})$  two Constraint Automata. the Product Automaton  $A_1 \bowtie A_2$  is formally defined as  $A_1 \bowtie A_2 = (Q_1 \times Q_2, \mathcal{N}ames_1 \cup \mathcal{N}ames_2, \rightarrow, Q_{0,1} \times Q_{0,2})$ , where  $\rightarrow$ is the resulting transition relation, defined as follows.

1. 
$$\begin{array}{c} \underline{q_1 \xrightarrow{N_1, g_1}}{p_1, q_2} \xrightarrow{N_2, g_2}{p_2, N_1 \cap \mathcal{N}ames_2} = N_2 \cap \mathcal{N}ames_1 \\ (q_1, q_2) \xrightarrow{N_1 \cup N_2, g_1 \wedge g_2}{(p_1, p_2)} (p_1, p_2) \\ \\ 2. \quad \underline{q_1 \xrightarrow{N, g}{p_1, N \cap \mathcal{N}ames_2} = \emptyset}{(q_1, q_2) \xrightarrow{N, g}{(p_1, q_2)}} \\ \\ 3. \quad \underline{q_2 \xrightarrow{N, g}{p_2, N \cap \mathcal{N}ames_1} = \emptyset}{(q_1, q_2) \xrightarrow{N, g}{(q_1, q_2)} (q_1, p_2)} \end{array}$$

Intuitively, the rules for constructing the resulting product automaton's transitions as the natural join of languages of both automata is expressed as follows. Let  $\mathcal{A}_1$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2$ constraint automata. The product of  $\mathcal{A}_1$  with  $\mathcal{A}_2$  generates a product automaton which joins transitions from both automata where its behavior affect equally both automata (rule (i))), or are disjoint transitions (rules (ii) and (iii)).

# Chapter 5

# A dynamical logic to reason about Reo circuits

In this Section, we introduce ReLo [37] as a dynamic logic tailored to reason about Reo models. ReLo introduces a framework to enable the natural modeling of Reo connectors in a logic, enabling the usage of known techniques to model verification in modal logics. We will discuss its foundations, definitions, and as well proofs regarding soundness and completeness, and a syntactic proof system built for ReLo. Besides presenting the main concepts of the logic, we also introduce other logic-specific definitions, such as the firing of transition and program behaviour.

# 5.1 A *ReLo* Primer

*ReLo* was tailored to subsume Reo models' behaviour naturally in a logic, without needing any mechanism to convert a Reo model denoted by one of its formal semantics to some logical framework. Each basic Reo connector is modelled in the logic's language, which is defined as follows.

**Definition 5.1.1** (*ReLo*'s language). The language of ReLo consists of the following:

- An enumerable set of propositions  $\Phi$ .
- Reo channels as denoted by Figure 4.1
- A set of port names  $\mathcal{N}$
- A sequence Seq<sub>Π</sub> = {ε, s<sub>1</sub>, s<sub>2</sub>,...} of data flows in ports of a ReLo program Π (defined below). We define s<sub>i</sub> ≤ s<sub>j</sub> if s<sub>i</sub> is a proper (i.e., s<sub>j</sub> contains all of s<sub>i</sub>'s data). Each sequence s<sub>i</sub> denotes the data flow of the Reo program Π

- Program composition symbol :  $\odot$
- A sequence t of data markings of ports p with data values {0,1}, which denotes that p contains a data item. A BNF describing t is defined as follows:

- Empty sequence  $\epsilon$
- Iteration operator \*

The following is a simple yet intuitive example of the structure of data flows in *ReLo*. Let the sequence t be  $t = \{A1, B1C\}$ . It states that the port name A have the data item 1 in its current data flow, while there is a data item 1 in the FIFO between B and C.

A *ReLo* program is defined as any Reo model built from the composition of Reo channels  $\pi_i$ , which are defined in *ReLo* as  $\Pi = (f, b)$ ,  $\Pi = \pi_1 \odot \pi_2 \odot \cdots \odot \pi_n$ , and  $\pi_i = (f_1, b_1)$ . The set f is the set of connectors p of the model where data flows in and out of the channel (the connector has at least a source node and a sink node), namely Sync, LossySync, FIFO, Filter, Transform, Merger and Replicator. The set b is the set of blocking channels (channels without sink nodes whose inability to fire prevents the remainder of the connectors related to their port names from fire), namely SyncDrain and AsyncDrain.

### **Definition 5.1.2** (Logical formula in *ReLo*).

We define formulae in ReLo as follows:  $\phi = p \mid \top \mid \neg \phi \mid \phi \land \psi \mid \langle t, \pi \rangle \phi$ , such that  $p \in \Phi$ . We use the standard abbreviations  $\top \equiv \neg \bot, \phi \lor \psi \equiv \neg (\neg \phi \land \neg \psi), \phi \rightarrow \psi \equiv \neg \phi \lor \psi$  and  $[t, \pi]\varphi \equiv \neg \langle t, \pi \rangle \neg \phi$ , where  $\pi$  is some Reo program and t a data sequence.

Before the processing of programs in ReLo can begin, the expected behavior of the connector's data flow must be preserved. The connectors in Figure 5.1 are examples of compound Reo connectors. For ReLo they can be constructed as  $\Pi$ , and the order they are composed must not affect the final behaviour of the model, which must be always the same.

The model SyncFIFO is composed by a FIFO and a Sync connector in which the data leaving the FIFO is sent to C from B synchronously. Suppose that there is data in the FIFO and in port B ( $t = \{A1B, B0\}$ ). If the FIFO from A to B is processed first than the Sync between B and C, the data flow in B will be overwritten before it is sent to C, which is not the correct behaviour. The Sync from B to C must fire prior to the FIFO from A to B.

Another example is denoted by the model Sync2Drain. Suppose there is data only in port name A ( $t = \{A1\}$ ). If the Sync from B to A is evaluated first than the SyncDrain between B and C, the restriction imposed by the fact that the condition required for the SyncDrain to fire was not met (as C's data flow differs from B's at this moment) is not considered, and data will wrongly flow from B to A. The SyncDrain must be first evaluated before all flows as they may block the flow from data of its ports to other channels.

 $A \xrightarrow{} B \xrightarrow{} C \qquad A \xleftarrow{} B \xrightarrow{} C$ (a) SyncFIFO (b) Sync2Drain

Figure 5.1: Examples of Reo models

Therefore, the next definition maps each canonical connector that compose a Reo model to a *ReLo* program as Definition 5.1.3. This will be further explored in Definition 5.1.4, an auxiliary function which interprets a Reo program  $\Pi = (f, b)$  and dismembers it in a ordered sequence of connectors to be evaluated s, which will later be used to process an input t for  $\pi$ .

**Definition 5.1.3** (*parse* base cases). *Each canonical Reo connector is mapped to a ReLo program in parse as follows:* 

- $A \longrightarrow B$  to  $A \rightarrow B$
- $A \dashrightarrow B$  to  $(A, A \to B)$
- $A \longrightarrow B$  to fifo(A, B)
- $A \longrightarrow B$  to SBlock(A, B)
- $A \xrightarrow{} B$  to ABlock(A, B)
- $A \longrightarrow B$  to Transform(f, A, B),  $f: Data \rightarrow Data$  is a transformation function.
- $A \longrightarrow B$  to Filter(P, A, B), P is a logical predicate over the data item in A.

• 
$$A \xrightarrow{B} C$$
  
•  $A \xrightarrow{C} C$   
•  $A \xrightarrow{C} B$  to  $(A \to B, A \to C)$ 

Considering that each Reo program  $\Pi$  is the composition of programs  $\pi_1 \odot \pi_2, \odot \cdots \odot \pi_n, \pi_i = (f_i, b_i)$  as Reo programs, *parse* is formalized in Definition 5.1.4. The symbol  $\circ$  denote the addition of an element to *s*, the resulting set of *parse*'s processing.

**Definition 5.1.4** (*parse* function). The function that interprets the execution of a ReLo program is defined as follows. We define  $\varepsilon$  as an abbreviation to denote when there is no f or b in the signature (i.e. the base case when no program is parametrized)

$$parse(f, b, s) = \begin{cases} s, if f = b = \varepsilon \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ A \to B), if f = A \longrightarrow B \odot f_j \\ s \circ A \to B, f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ (A, A \to B)), if f = A \longrightarrow B \odot f_j \\ s \circ (A, A \to B), f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s) \circ fifo(A, B), if f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s) \circ fifo(A, B), if f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f, b, s) \circ fifo(A, B), if b = A \longrightarrow B \\ SBlock(A, B) \circ parse(f, b_j, s), if b = A \longrightarrow B \\ (SBlock(A, B) \circ parse(f, b_j, s), if b = A \longrightarrow B \\ (ABlock(A, B) \circ parse(f, b_j, s), if b = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ Transform(f, A, B)), if f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ Filter(P, A, B)), if f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ Filter(P, A, B)), if f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ Filter(P, A, B)), if f = A \longrightarrow B \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ (A \to C, B \to C)), if f = A \longrightarrow C \\ (s \circ (A \to C, B \to C)), f = A \longrightarrow C \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ (A \to B, A \to C)), if f = A \longrightarrow C \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ (A \to B, A \to C)), if f = A \longrightarrow C \\ parse(f_j, b, s \circ (A \to B, A \to C)), if f = A \longrightarrow C \\ (s \circ (a \to b, a \to c)), f = A \longrightarrow C \\ (5.1)$$

We employ *parse* to interpret Reo programs  $\Pi$  as a sequence of occurrences of possible

data flow (where each flow corresponds to the execution of a Reo connector). These data flow may denote data transfer (of the form  $a \rightarrow b$ ), flow "blocks" (i.e., (a)synchronization of data flow) induced by connectors such as SyncDrain and aSyncDrain (the first one requires that data flow synchronously through its ports, while the latter requires that data flow asynchronously through its ports). There are also the notion of a buffer introduced by FIFO connectors, which data flow into a buffer before flowing out of the channel, and merging/replicating data flow between ports, respectively denoted by channels Merger and Replicator.

There are also special data flows, denoting the "transformation" of some data flowing from A to B as Transform(f, A, B) which will apply f with the data in A before it sends  $f(D_A)$  ( $D_A$  denoting the data item in A) to B, and the filtering of data flow by some predicate as Filter(P, A, B), P as a quantifiable-free predicate over the data item seen in A. Therefore, data will flow to B only if  $P(D_A)$  is satisfied.

After processing  $\pi$  with *parse*, the interpretation of the execution of  $\pi$  is given by  $go(t, s, acc), go: s \times s \to s$ , where s is a string denoting the processed program  $\pi$  as the one returned by *parse*, and t is the initial data flow of ports of the Reo program  $\pi$ . The parameter *acc* holds all connectors of the Reo circuit that satisfy their respective required conditions for data to flow. In what follows we define  $ax \prec t$  as an operator which states that ax is in t, ax a single data of a port and t a structure containing data markup for ports  $p \in \mathcal{N}$ .

Example 5.1.1 shows how *parse* functions and illustrates why it is necessary. The programs that depict the FIFO connectors from Fig. 4.2 are the last programs to be executed, while the ones that denote "immediate" flow (the Sync channels) come first. This is done to preserve the data when these connectors fire (if eligible). Suppose that there is a data item in the buffer between X and Y and a data item in Y (i.e., t = X1Y, Y0). If the data item leaves the buffer first than the data item in Y, the latter will be overwritten and the information is lost.

**Example 5.1.1.** let  $\pi$  be the Reo program corresponding to the circuit in Fig. 4.2:  $\pi = X \longrightarrow Y \odot Y \longrightarrow A \odot Y \longrightarrow W \odot W \longrightarrow B \odot W \longrightarrow Z \odot Z \longrightarrow C \odot Z \longrightarrow X$  $parse(\pi, \{\}) = \{Y \rightarrow A; W \rightarrow B; Z \rightarrow C; fifo(X, Y); fifo(Y, W); fifo(W, Z)\}$ 

The usage of *parse* is required to eliminate problems regarding the execution order of  $\pi$ 's Reo channels, which could be caused by processing  $\pi$  the way it is inputted (i.e., its connectors can be in any order). Consider, for example, the behavior of SyncDrain and aSyncDrain programs as "blocking" programs as discussed earlier. In a single step, they must be evaluated prior to the flow programs, because if they fail to execute due to missing requirements, data should not flow from their port names to other connectors. In a nutshell, *parse* organizes the program so this verification can be performed.

Therefore, the interpretation of a  $\pi$  program processed by *parse* is performed by go(t, s, acc), where s is a string containing  $\pi$  as processed by *parse*, t is  $\pi$ 's initial data arrangement, and *acc* filters the connectors of the *ReLo* program that can be fired if the requirements to do so are met.

The function go will check for each of the Reo connectors processed by parse satisfies the required condition to fire, following the connectors' behaviour in Table 4.1, which are also formalized as Constraint Automata in Table 4.2. **Definition 5.1.5** (Relation go for a single execution step). We define go(t, s, acc) as follows:

- $s = \epsilon : fire(t, acc)$
- $\bullet \ s = A \to B \circ s':$

$$-go(t, s', acc \circ (A \to B)), \text{ iff } Ax \prec t, (A \to B) \not\prec s'$$

$$-go(t, s', (acc \circ (A \to B)) \setminus s'_j) \cup go(t, s', acc), \text{ iff } \begin{cases} Ax \prec t, \\ (A \to B) \not\prec s' \\ \exists s'_j \in acc \mid sink(s'_j) = B \end{cases}$$

$$-go(t, s', acc), \text{ otherwise}$$

• 
$$s = (A, A \to B) \circ s'$$
:  
-  $go(t, s', acc \circ (A \to B)) \cup go(t, s', acc \circ (A \to A)), \text{ iff } Ax \prec t, (A \to B) \not\prec s'$   
-  $go(t, s', (acc \circ (A \to B)) \setminus s'_j) \cup go(t, s', acc), \text{ iff } \begin{cases} Ax \prec t, \\ (A \to B) \not\prec s' \\ \exists s'_j \in acc \mid sink(s'_j) = B \end{cases}$ 

-go(t, s', acc), otherwise

•  $s = fifo(A, B) \circ s'$ :

$$-go(t, s', acc \circ (AxB)), \quad iff \; Ax \prec t, fifo(A, B) \not\prec s', (AxB) \not\prec acc$$
$$-go(t, s', acc \circ (AxB \rightarrow Bx)), \quad iff \; AxB \prec t, fifo(A, B) \not\prec s'$$
$$-go(t, s', (acc \circ (AxB \rightarrow Bx)) \backslash s'_{j}) \cup go(t, s', acc), \quad iff \; \begin{cases} AxB \prec t, \\ fifo(A, B) \not\prec s', \\ \exists s'_{j} \in acc \mid sink(s'_{j}) = B \end{cases}$$

-go(t, s', acc), otherwise

• 
$$s = Sblock(A, B) \circ s'$$
:  
-  $go(t, s', acc), \quad iff \begin{cases} (Ax \prec t \land Bx \prec t) \lor (Ax \not\prec t \land Bx \not\prec t) \\ Sblock(A, B) \not\prec s' \end{cases}$   
-  $go(t, halt(A, B, s'), acc), \quad iff \begin{cases} (Ax \prec t \land Bx \not\prec t) \lor (Ax \not\prec t \land Bx \prec t) \\ Sblock(A, B) \not\prec s' \end{cases}$ 

• 
$$s = Ablock(A, b) \circ s'$$
:  
-  $go(t, s', acc), \quad iff \begin{cases} (Ax \not\prec t \land Bx \prec t) \lor (Ax \prec t \land Bx \not\prec t), \\ (Ax \not\prec t \land Bx \not\prec t), Ablock(A, B) \not\prec s' \end{cases}$   
-  $go(t, halt(A, B, s'), acc), \quad iff \begin{cases} (Ax \prec t \land Bx \prec t), \\ Ablock(A, B) \not\prec s' \end{cases}$ 

•  $s = Transform(f, A, B) \circ s'$ :

$$-go(t, s', acc \circ (f(D_A) \to B)), iff \begin{cases} ax \prec t \\ Transform(f, A, B) \not\prec s' \end{cases}$$
$$-go(t, s', (acc \circ (f(D_A) \to B)) \backslash s'_j) \cup go(t, s', acc), iff \begin{cases} Ax \prec t, \\ Transform(f, A, B) \not\prec s' \\ \exists s'_j \in acc \mid sink(s'_j) = B \end{cases}$$

- go(t, s', acc), otherwise

•  $s = Filter(f, A, B) \circ s'$ :

$$-go(t, s', acc \circ (A \to B)), \quad iff \begin{cases} Ax \prec t \\ P(D_A) \ holds \\ Filter(f, A, B) \not\prec s' \end{cases}$$

$$-go(t, s', (acc \circ (A \to B)) \setminus s'_j) \cup go(t, s', acc), \quad iff \begin{cases} Ax \prec t, \\ P(D_A) \ holds \\ Filter(f, A, B) \not\prec s' \\ \exists s'_j \in acc \mid sink(s'_j) = B \end{cases}$$

$$-go(t, s', acc), \ otherwise$$

The existing condition after each return condition of go denotes the case where two or more Reo connectors within a circuit have the same sink node. This implies that if both of their respective source nodes have data flowing simultaneously, their sink nodes will have data flowing nondeterministically. Such condition models this scenario, considering when both cases may happen as two nondeterministic "distinct" possible executions. Therefore, the operation  $acc \circ (X \to Y)) \setminus s'_j$  removes every interpretation of s' which sink node equals Y, while go(t, s', acc) denotes an execution containing the removed  $s'_j$  but not considering  $X \to Y$ . The return condition  $s = \epsilon$  denotes that the program as a whole have already been processed.

Considering the cases including block programs induced by SyncDrain and AsyncDrain connectors, halt(A, B, s') is defined as a function that will be used in the case the block program conditions fails. Then, data flow that were in the ports of the SyncDrain/AsyncDrain evaluated cannot be further considered in this execution steps: channels which have their sink node pointed to A or B.

Intuitively, go is a function that processes a program  $\pi$  with input t as the program's data initially available at ports  $p \in \pi$ , and returns the next data configuration after processing all connectors and verifying whether they are eligible for data to flow. The return of go depends on a function *fire* which is bound to return the final configuration of the Reo circuit after an iteration (i.e., the last ports that data flow). We define  $sink(s'_j)$  as the sink node of a connector, in this case, the port name where a data item flowing into a Reo connector is bound to. The operation denoted by  $\cup$  is the standard set union.

As previously stated, go employs a function named  $fire: T \times s \to T$ , a function that returns the firing of all possible data flows in the Reo connector, given the Reo program  $\pi$  and an initial data flow on ports of  $\pi$ . The set T is the set of possible data flows as constructed by the BNF grammar in Definition 5.1.1. The function *fire* returns the resulting data flow of this execution step by considering the program processed by go as s and the current step's data flow t. Parameter s contains ReLo programs as yielded by *parse*.

**Definition 5.1.6** (Data marking relation *fire*).

$$fire(t,s) = \begin{cases} \epsilon, & \text{if } s = \epsilon \\ AxB \circ fire(t,s'), & \text{if } s = (AxB) \circ s' \text{ and } Ax \prec t \\ B(f(a)) \circ fire(t,s'), & \text{if } s = (f(D_A) \to B) \circ s' \text{ and } Ax \prec t \\ Bx \circ fire(t,s'), & \text{if } \begin{cases} s = (A \to B) \circ s' \text{ and } Ax \prec t, \text{ or} \\ s = (AxB \to Bx) \circ s' \text{ and } axb \prec t \end{cases}$$
(5.2)

Then, we define  $f_{ReLo}$  as the transition relation of a model. It denotes how the transitions of the model fire, i.e., given an input t and a program  $\pi$  denoting a Reo circuit,  $f_{ReLo}(t,\pi)$  interfaces with go to return the resulting data flow of  $\pi$  given that data depicted by t are flowing in the connector's ports.

**Definition 5.1.7.** Transition relation  $f_{ReLo}$ 

$$f_{ReLo}(t,\pi) = go(t, (parse(\pi, [])), [])$$
(5.3)

We define  $f_{ReLo}(t, \pi^*)$  as the application of  $f_{ReLo}(t, \pi)$  iteratively for the (nondeterministic finite) number of steps denoted by  $\star$ , starting with t with  $\pi$ , and considering the obtained intermediate t' in the steps.

A *ReLo* frame is a structure based on Kripke frames [51] formally defined as a tuple  $\mathcal{F} = \langle S, \Pi, R_{\Pi}, \delta, \lambda \rangle$ , where each element of  $\mathcal{F}$  is described by Definition 5.1.8.

### Definition 5.1.8 (*ReLo* frames).

- S is a non-empty enumerable set of states
- A Reo program  $\Pi$ .
- $R_{\Pi} \subseteq S \times S$  is a relation defined as follows.
  - $R_{\pi_i} = \{uR_{\pi_i}v \mid f_{ReLo}(t,\pi_i) \prec \delta(v), t \prec \delta(u)\}$  and  $\pi_i$  is any combination of any atomic program which is a subprogram of  $\Pi$ .
  - $R_{\pi_i^{\star}} = R_{\pi_i}^{\star}$ , the reflexive transitive closure (RTC) of  $R_{\pi_i}$ .
- λ: S × N → ℝ is a function that returns the time instant a data item in a data markup flows through a port name of N.
- $\delta: S \to T$ , is a function that returns data in ports of the circuit in a state  $s \in S$ , T being the set of possible data flows in the model.

From Definition 5.1.8, a *ReLo* model is formally defined as a tuple  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{V} \rangle$  by Definition 5.1.9. Intuitively, it is a tuple consisting of a *ReLo* frame and a valuation function, which given a state w of the model and a propositional symbol  $\varphi \in \Phi$ , maps to either *true* or *false*, depending on the formula satisfiability on state w.

**Definition 5.1.9** (*ReLo* models). A model in ReLo is a tuple  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{V} \rangle$ , where  $\mathcal{F}$  is a ReLo frame and  $V: S \times \Phi \to \{\top, \bot\}$  is the model's valuation function

### 5.1.1 Semantic notion of *ReLo*

We define ReLo's semantic notion intuitively as follows. Let  $\mathcal{M} = \langle \mathcal{F}, \mathbf{V} \rangle$  and  $p, p_1$  and  $p_2$  be propositional formula. The notion of satisfaction of a formula p in  $\mathcal{M}$  at a state  $s \in S$  of the model, denoted by  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash p$  is defined as follows.

Definition 5.1.10 (Semantic notion of *ReLo*).

- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash p \ iff \ V(s, p) = true$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \top$  always
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg \varphi$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_1 \land \varphi_2$  iff  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_1$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi_2$
- $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi$  if there exists a state  $w \in S$ ,  $sR_{\pi}w$ , and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$

We denote by  $\mathcal{M} \Vdash \varphi$  if  $\varphi$  is satisfied in all states of  $\mathcal{M}$ . By  $\Vdash \varphi$  we denote that  $\varphi$  is valid in any state of any model.

We recover the circuit in Fig. 4.2 as an example. Let us consider  $s = D_X$ , (i.e.  $t = D_1$ ) and the Sequencer's corresponding model  $\mathcal{M}$ . Therefore,  $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \langle t, \pi \rangle p$  holds if  $V(D_{XfifoY}, p) = true$  as  $D_{XfifoY}$  is the only state where  $D_X R_{\Pi} D_{XfifoY}$ . For example, one might state p as "There is no port with any data flow", hence  $V(D_{XfifoY}, p) = true$ .

As a usage Example based on the same example, we formalize some properties which may be interesting for this connector to have. Let us consider that the data markup is t = X1,  $\mathcal{M}$  the model regarding the Sequencer, and the states' subscript denoting which part of the connector have data. The following lemma state that for this data flow, after every single execution of  $\pi$ , it is not the case that the three connected entities have their data equal to 1 simultaneously, but it does have data in its buffer from X to Y.

**Example 5.1.2.**  $[X1, \pi] \neg (D_A = 1 \land D_B = 1 \land D_C = 1) \land t' = X1Y$ , where  $t' = f_{ReLo}(t, \pi)$  $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash [X1, \pi] \neg (D_A = 1 \land D_B = 1 \land D_C = 1) \land t' = X1Y$ .  $\mathcal{M}, D_{X \dashrightarrow \Box \rightarrow Y} \Vdash \neg (D_A = 1 \land D_B = 1 \land D_C = 1) \land t' = X1Y$ .  $\mathcal{M}, D_{X \dashrightarrow \Box \rightarrow Y} \Vdash \neg (D_A = 1 \land D_B = 1 \land D_C = 1) \text{ and } \mathcal{M}, D_{X \dashrightarrow \Box \rightarrow Y} \Vdash t' = X1Y$ .

Considering the scenarios where is interesting to reason regarding iteration, the notion of  $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \langle t, \pi^* \rangle p$  holds if a state *s* is reached from  $D_X$  by means of  $R^*_{\pi}$  with  $V(s, p) = \top$ . If we state *p* as "the data item of port *X* equals 1", it holds because  $D_X R^*_{\pi} D_X$  and  $V(D_X, p) = \top$ . The following illustrates an example considering this scenario: if there is an execution of  $\pi$  that lasts a nondeterministic finite number of iterations, and there is data in *C* equal to 1, then there is an execution under the same circumstances where the same data has been in *B*. Example 5.1.3.  $\langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_C = 1 \rightarrow \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1$   $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_C = 1 \rightarrow \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1$   $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \neg (\langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_C = 1) \lor \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1$   $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash [t, \pi^*] \neg D_C = 1 \lor \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1$   $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash [t, \pi^*] \neg D_C = 1 \text{ or } \mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1$   $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash [t, \pi^*] \neg D_C = 1 \text{ or } \mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1$  $\mathcal{M}, D_X \Vdash \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_B = 1, \text{ because } \mathcal{M}, D_B \Vdash D_B = 1 \text{ and } D_X R_{\pi^*} R_B.$ 

### 5.1.2 Axiomatic System

We also define an axiomatization of ReLo based on other dynamic logics tailored to reason about programs. We discuss and define ReLo's axioms and rules as follows. Let  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$ be formulas. Definition 5.1.11 introduces ReLo's axiomatic system. We discuss the proofs of validity (w.r.t. ReLo's model) of (**R**), (**It**), and (**In**) in Lemma 1.

**Definition 5.1.11** (Axiomatic System).

$$\begin{array}{ll} (\textbf{PL}) \ Enough \ Propositional \ Logic \ tautologies \\ (\textbf{K}) \ [t,\pi](\varphi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow ([t,\pi]\varphi \rightarrow [t,\pi]\psi) \\ (\textbf{And}) \ [t,\pi](\varphi \wedge \psi) \leftrightarrow [t,\pi]\varphi \wedge [t,\pi]\varphi \\ (\textbf{Du}) \ [t,\pi]\varphi \leftrightarrow \neg \langle t,\pi \rangle \neg \varphi \\ (\textbf{R}) \ \langle t,\pi \rangle \varphi \leftrightarrow \varphi \ iff \ f_{ReLo}(t,\pi) = \epsilon \\ (\textbf{It}) \ \varphi \wedge [t,\pi][t_{(f,b)},\pi^*]\varphi \leftrightarrow [t,\pi^*]\varphi, \ t_{(f,b)} = \\ f_{ReLo}(t,\pi) \\ (\textbf{In}) \ \varphi \wedge [t,\pi^*](\varphi \rightarrow [t_{(f,b)^*},\pi]\varphi) \rightarrow [t,\pi^*]\varphi, \\ t_{(f,b)^*} = f_{ReLo}(t,\pi^*) \end{array}$$

Axioms (PL), (K), (And) and (Du) are standard in Modal Logic literature, along with rules (MP) and (Gen) [39]. Axiom (It) denotes the reasoning over nondeterministic iteration denoted by the operator  $\star$ , following a similar idea portrayed by its counterpart for PDL. An intuitive interpretation of (It) is as follows. If  $\varphi$  holds in the current state and after a single execution of  $\pi$  with t, any finite nondeterministic number of iterations of  $\pi$  with t preserves  $\varphi$ 's truth value, then  $\varphi$  must hold after any (nondeterministic finite) number of iterations of  $\pi$  with t.

Axiom (In) denotes a similar idea as the one presented by [39] for Propositional Dynamic Logic (PDL). It enables the inductive reasoning on programs by carrying the following intuitive meaning: "considering that  $\varphi$  holds in the current state, if after any (nondeterministic finite) number of iterations of  $\pi$  with its respective input  $t \varphi$  holds, then it will hold after any number of iterations of  $\pi$  taking t as its input.

We define proofs in *ReLo* as the formula obtained from successive applications of axioms and/or inference rules (MP and Gen) to an axiom. Consistency in *ReLo* is defined as follows: if  $\vdash \varphi$ , then  $\Vdash \varphi$ .

# 5.2 Soundness

In this section, we discuss the soundness of ReLo w.r.t the axiomatic system Definition 5.1.11 introduces, formally defining it in terms of Lemma 1 as follows.

**Lemma 1** (Soundness of *ReLo*'s axiomatic system). If  $\vdash \varphi$  then  $\models \varphi$ .

1. (**R**): 
$$\langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi \leftrightarrow \varphi$$
 if  $f_{ReLo}(t, \pi) = \epsilon$ 

Proof.

Suppose by contradiction that exists a state s from a model  $\mathcal{M} = \langle S, \Pi, R_{\Pi}, \delta, \lambda, V \rangle$ where (**R**) does not hold. There are two possible cases.

$$(\Rightarrow)$$

Suppose by contradiction  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi$ .  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi$  iff there is a state  $v \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi}v$ . Because  $f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) = \epsilon, s = v$  (i.e., in this execution no other state is reached from s). Therefore,  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$ , contradicting  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi$ .

$$(\Leftarrow)$$

Suppose by contradiction  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi$ . In order to  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi$ , for every state  $v \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi}v, \mathcal{M}, v \nvDash \varphi$ . Because  $f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) = \epsilon, s = v$  (i.e., in this execution no other state is reached from s). Therefore,  $\mathcal{M}, v \nvDash \varphi$ , contradicting  $\mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$ .

### 2. (It): $\varphi \wedge [t,\pi][t,\pi^{\star}]\varphi \leftrightarrow [t,\pi^{\star}]\varphi$

#### Proof.

Suppose by contradiction that exists a state s from a model  $\mathcal{M} = \langle S, \Pi, R_{\Pi}, \delta, \lambda, V \rangle$ where **(It)** does not hold. There are two possible cases.

### $(\Rightarrow)$

Suppose by contradiction  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi \land [t, (f, b)][t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash [t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$ . Therefore,  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash [t, (f, b)][t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$ . For  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash [t, (f, b)][t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$ , every state  $w \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi}w$ ,  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash [t, \pi^*]\varphi$ . Then, for  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash [t, \pi^*]\varphi$ , every state  $v \in S$  such that  $wR_{\pi^*}v$ ,  $\mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$ . From  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash [t, \pi^*]\varphi$ , there is a state  $u \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi^*}u$  and  $\mathcal{M}, u \nvDash \varphi$ . Because  $sR_{\pi}w$  and  $wR_{\pi^*}v$  from  $R_{\pi^*}$ we have  $sR_{\pi^*}v$ . Then, for all u such that  $sR_{\pi^*}u$ ,  $\mathcal{M}, u \Vdash \varphi$  which contradicts the existence of a state u such that  $sR_{\pi^*}u$  and  $\mathcal{M}, u \nvDash \varphi$ .

 $(\Leftarrow)$ 

Suppose by contradiction  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash [t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash \varphi \wedge [t, (f, b)][t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg (\varphi \wedge [t, (f, b)][t, (f, b)^*] \varphi)$  which is  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg \varphi$  or  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg [t, (f, b)]$   $[t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$ . In order to  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash [t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$ , for each state  $w \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi}^*w$ ,  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi$ . By the definition of  $R_{\pi}^*$ ,  $sR_{\pi}^*s$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$  which contradicts  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg \varphi$ . Now, considering  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \neg [t, (f, b)][t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$ , for each state  $v \in S$ such that  $sR_{\pi}v$ ,  $\mathcal{M}, v \nvDash [t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$ . Then, to  $\mathcal{M}, v \nvDash [t, (f, b)^*] \varphi$ , there exists a state  $u \in S$  such that  $vR_{\pi}^*u$  and  $\mathcal{M}, u \nvDash \varphi$ . Because  $sR_{\pi}v$  and  $vR_{\pi}^*u, sR_{\pi}^*u$ . From  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi$ , there is no state u such that  $\mathcal{M}, u \nvDash \varphi$ , which is a contradiction.

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3. (Ind): 
$$\varphi \wedge [t, \pi^*](\varphi \to [t, \pi]\varphi) \to [t, \pi^*]\varphi$$

### Proof.

Suppose by contradiction that exists a state s from a model  $\mathcal{M} = \langle S, \Pi, R_{\Pi}, \delta, \lambda, V \rangle$ where (Ind) does not hold. Therefore, suppose  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi \wedge [t, (f, b)^*](\varphi \to [t, (f, b)]\varphi)$ and  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash [t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$  and  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash [t, (f, b)^*](\varphi \to [t, (f, b)]\varphi)$ . Then, for all states  $w \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi}^*w$ ,  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi \to [t, (f, b)]\varphi$  which is  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \neg \varphi \vee [t, (f, b)]\varphi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \neg \varphi$  or  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \varphi \to [t, (f, b)]\varphi$ . Considering  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \neg \varphi$ , by  $R_{\pi}^*$  we have  $sR_{\pi}^*s$ . Because  $\mathcal{M}, s \Vdash \varphi$ , there is a state w (namely, s = w) where  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash \neg \varphi$  does not hold, resulting in a contradiction. Now, considering  $\mathcal{M}, w \Vdash [t, (f, b)]\varphi$ , for each state  $v \in S$  such that  $wR_{\pi}v, \mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$ . Because  $sR_{\pi}^*w$  and  $wR_{\pi}v$ , by the definition of  $R_{\pi}^* sR_{\pi}^*v$ . Then, if  $\mathcal{M}, s \nvDash [t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$  then there is a state  $u \in S$  such that  $sR_{\pi}^*u$  and  $\mathcal{M}, u \nvDash \varphi$ . Because for each state  $v \in S$  such that  $wR_{\pi}v, \mathcal{M}, v \Vdash \varphi$ , such state u cannot exist as its existence is a contradiction.

## 5.3 Completeness

We start by defining the Fisher-Ladner closure of a formula as the set closed by all of its subformulae, following the idea employed in other modal logic works [14, 39] as follows.

**Definition 5.3.1** (Fisher-Ladner Closure). Let  $\Phi$  be a the set of all formulae in ReLo. The Fischer-Ladner closure of a formula, notation  $FL(\varphi)$  is inductively defined as follows:

- $FL: \Phi \to 2^{\Phi}$
- $FL_{(f,b)}: \{\langle t, (f,b) \rangle \varphi\} \to 2^{\Phi}, \text{ where } (f,b) \text{ is a ReLo program and } \varphi \text{ a ReLo formula.}$

These functions are defined as

- $FL(p) = \{p\}, p \text{ an atomic proposition};$
- $FL(\varphi \to \psi) = \{\varphi \to \psi\} \cup FL(\varphi) \cup FL(\psi)$
- $FL_{(f,b)}(\langle t, (f,b) \rangle \varphi) = \{\langle t, (f,b) \rangle \varphi\}$
- $FL(\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi) = FL_{(f,b)}((\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi) \cup FL(\varphi))$
- $FL_{(f,b)}(\langle t, (f,b)^{\star} \rangle \varphi) = \{\langle t, (f,b)^{\star} \rangle \varphi\} \cup FL_{(f,b)}(\langle t, (f,b) \rangle \langle t, (f,b)^{\star} \rangle \varphi)$

From the definitions above, we prove two lemmas which can be understood as properties that formulae need to satisfy in order to belong to their Fisher-Ladner closure.

**Lemma 2.** If  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \psi \in FL(\varphi)$ , then  $\psi \in FL(\varphi)$ 

**Lemma 3.** If  $\langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \psi \in FL(\varphi)$ , then  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \psi \in FL(\varphi)$ 

The proofs for Lemmas 2 and 3 are straightforward from Definition 5.3.1. The following definitions regard the definitions of maximal canonical subsets of *ReLo* formulae. We first extend Definition 5.3.1 to a set of formulae  $\Gamma$ . The Fisher-Ladner closure of a set of formulae  $\Gamma$ ,  $FL(\Gamma) = FL(\varphi)$ ,  $\forall \varphi \in \Gamma$ . Therefore,  $FL(\Gamma)$  is closed under subformulae.

We prove that the Fisher-Ladner closure of a finite set  $\Gamma$  is also finite. For the remainder of this section, we will assume that  $\Gamma$  is finite.

**Lemma 4.** If  $\Gamma$  is a finite set of formulae, then  $FL(\Gamma)$  also is a finite set of formulae

*Proof.* The proof is standard in literature [16]. Intuitively, because FL is defined recursively over a set of formulae  $\Gamma$  into formulae  $\psi$  of a formula  $\varphi \in \Gamma$ ,  $\Gamma$  being finite leads to the resulting set of  $FL(\Gamma)$  also being finite (at some point, all atomic formulae composing  $\varphi$  will have been reached by FL).

**Definition 5.3.2** (Atom). Let  $\Gamma$  be a set of consistent formulae. An atom of  $\Gamma$  is a set of formulae  $\Gamma'$  that is a maximal consistent subset of  $FL(\Gamma)$ . The set of all atoms of  $\Gamma$  is defined as  $At(\Gamma)$ .

**Lemma 5.** Let  $\Gamma$  a consistent set of formulae and  $\psi$  a *ReLo* formula. If  $\psi \in FL(\Gamma)$ , and  $\psi$  is satisfiable then there is an atom of  $\Gamma$ ,  $\Gamma'$  where  $\psi \in \Gamma'$ .

Proof. The proof follows from Lindembaum's lemma. From Lemma 4, as  $FL(\Gamma)$  is a finite set, its elements can be enumerated from  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \ldots, \gamma_n, n = |FL(\Gamma)|$ . The first set,  $\Gamma'_1$ contains  $\psi$  as the starting point of the construction. Then, for  $i = 2, \ldots, n$ ,  $\Gamma'_i$  is the union of  $\Gamma'_{i-1}$  with either  $\{\gamma_i\}$  or  $\{\neg\gamma_i\}$ , respectively whether  $\Gamma'_i \cup \{\gamma_i\}$  or  $\Gamma'_i \cup \{\neg\gamma_i\}$  is consistent. In the end, we make  $\Gamma' = \Gamma'_n$  as it contains the union of all  $\Gamma_i, 1 \leq i \leq n$ . This is summarized in the following bullets:

•  $\Gamma'_1 = \{\psi\};$ •  $\Gamma'_i = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Gamma'_{i-1} \cup \{\gamma_i\}, \text{ if } \Gamma_{n-1} \cup \{\gamma_n\} \text{ is consistent} \\ \Gamma'_{i-1} \cup \{\neg\gamma_i\}, \text{ otherwise} \end{array} \right.$  for 1 < i < n;•  $\Gamma = \bigcup_{i=1}^n \Gamma_i$ 

**Definition 5.3.3** (Canonical relations over  $\Gamma$ ). Let  $\Gamma$  a set of formulae, A, B atoms of  $\Gamma$  $(A, B \in At(\Gamma))$ ,  $\Pi$  a ReLo program and  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in At(\Gamma)$ . The canonical relations on  $At(\Gamma)$  is defined as  $S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$  as follows:

$$AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B \leftrightarrow \bigwedge A \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \bigwedge B) \text{ is consistent}$$
$$AS_{\Pi^{\star}}^{\Gamma}B \leftrightarrow \bigwedge A \wedge \langle t, (f, b)^{\star} \rangle \bigwedge B) \text{ is consistent}$$

Definition 5.3.3 states that the relation between two atoms of  $\Gamma$ , A and B is done by the conjunction of the formulae in A with all formulae in B which can be accessed from A with a diamond formula, such that this conjunction is also a consistent formula. Intuitively, it states that A and B are related in  $S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$  by every formula  $\varphi$  of B which conjunction with A by means of a diamond results in a consistent scenario.

The following definition is bound to formalize the canonical version of  $\delta$  as the data markup function.

**Definition 5.3.4** (Canonical data markup function  $\delta_c^{\Gamma}$ ).

Let  $F = \{ \langle t_1, (f_1, b_1) \rangle \varphi_1, \langle t_2, (f_2, b_2) \rangle \varphi_2, \dots, \langle t_n, (f_n, b_n) \rangle \varphi_n \}$  be the set of all diamond formula occurring on an atom A of  $\Gamma$ . The canonical data markup is defined as  $\delta_c^{\Gamma} \colon At(\Gamma) \to T$  as follows:

- The sequence  $\{t_1, t_2, \ldots, t_n\} \subseteq \delta(A)$  Therefore,  $\{t_1, t_2, \ldots, t_n\} \subseteq \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$ . Intuitively, this states that all the data flow in the set of formulae must be valid data markups of A, which leads to them to also be valid data markups of  $\delta_c^{\Gamma}$  following Definition 5.3.3.
- for all programs  $\pi = (f, b) \in \Pi$ ,  $f_{ReLo}((\delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)), (f, b)) \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(B) \leftrightarrow AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ .

**Definition 5.3.5** (Canonical model). A canonical model over a set of formulae  $\Gamma$  is defined as a ReLo model  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma} = \langle At(\Gamma), \Pi, S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}, \delta_c^{\Gamma}, \lambda_c, V_c^{\Gamma} \rangle$ , where:

- $At(\Gamma)$  is the set of states of the canonical model;
- $\Pi$  is the model's ReLo program;
- $S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$  are the canonical relations over  $\Gamma$ ;
- $\delta_c^{\Gamma}$  is the canonical markup function;
- $\lambda_c \colon At(\Gamma) \times \mathcal{N} \to \mathbb{R};$
- $V_c^{\Gamma}$ :  $At(\Gamma) \times \varphi \rightarrow \{true, false\}, namely V_c^{\Gamma}(A, p) = \{A \in At(\Gamma) \mid p \in A\};$

**Lemma 6.** For all programs  $\pi = (f, b)$  that compose  $\Pi$ ,  $t = \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$ :

- 1. if  $f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) \neq \epsilon$ , then  $f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(B)$  iff  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ .
- 2. if  $f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) = \epsilon$ , then  $(A, B) \notin S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$ .

*Proof.* The proof for 1. is straightforward from Definition 5.3.4. The proof for 2. follows from axiom R. Because  $f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) = \epsilon$ , no other state is reached from the current state, hence no state B related with A by  $R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$  can be reached.

The following lemma states that canonical models always exists if there is a formula  $\langle t, (f, b)\varphi \rangle \in FL(\Gamma)$ , a set of formulae  $\Gamma$  and a Maximal Consistent Set  $A \in At(\Gamma)$ . This assures that given the required conditions, a canonical model can always be built.

**Lemma 7** (Existence Lemma for canonical models). Let A be an atom of  $At(\Gamma)$  and  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in FL(\Gamma)$ .  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A \iff$  exists an atom  $B \in At(\Gamma)$  such that  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ ,  $t \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$  and  $\varphi \in B$ .

#### *Proof.* $\Rightarrow$

Let  $A \in At(\Gamma) \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in FL(\Gamma)$  and  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A$ . Because  $A \in At(\Gamma)$ , from Definition 5.3.4 we have  $t \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$ . From Lemma 5 we have that if  $\psi \in FL(\Gamma)$  and  $\psi$  is consistent, then there is an atom of  $\Gamma$ ,  $\Gamma'$  where  $\psi \in \Gamma'$ . Rewriting  $\varphi$  as  $(\varphi \land \gamma) \lor (\varphi \land \neg \gamma)$  (a tautology from Propositional Logic), an atom  $B \in At(\Gamma)$  can be constructed, because either  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle (\varphi \wedge \gamma)$  or  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle (\varphi \wedge \neg \gamma)$  is consistent. Therefore, considering all formulae  $\gamma \in FL(\Gamma), B \in At(\Gamma)$  is constructed with  $\varphi \in B$  and  $A \wedge (\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \wedge B$ . From Definition 5.3.3,  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ .

$$\Leftarrow$$

Let  $A \in At(\Gamma)$  and  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in FL(\Gamma)$ . Also, let  $B \in At(\Gamma)$ ,  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ ,  $t \prec \delta_{c}^{\Gamma}(A)$ , and  $\varphi \in B$ . Because  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ , from Definition 5.3.3,  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B \leftrightarrow (A \land \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \land B), \forall \varphi_{i} \in B$  is consistent. From  $\varphi \in B$ ,  $(A \land \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi)$  is also consistent. As  $A \in At(\Gamma)$  and  $\langle t, (f, b) \varphi \in FL(\Gamma)$ , by Definition 5.3.2, as A is maximal, then necessarily  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A$ .

The following lemma formalizes the truth notion for a canonical model  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}$ , given a state s and a formula  $\varphi$ . It formalizes the semantic notion for canonical models in *ReLo*.

**Lemma 8** (Truth Lemma). Let  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma} = \langle At(\Gamma), \Pi, S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}, \delta_{c}^{\Gamma}, \lambda, V_{c}^{\Gamma} \rangle$  be a canonical model over a formula  $\gamma$ . Then, for every state  $A \in At(\Gamma)$  and every formula  $\varphi \in FL(\gamma)$ :

$$\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \varphi \iff \varphi \in A$$

*Proof.* The proof proceeds by induction over the structure of  $\varphi$ .

- Induction basis: suppose  $\varphi$  is a proposition p. Therefore,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash p$ . From Definition 5.3.5,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}$ 's valuation function is  $V_c^{\Gamma}(p) = \{A \in At(\Gamma) \mid p \in A\}$ . Therefore,  $p \in A$ .
- Induction Hypothesis: Suppose  $\varphi$  is a non atomic formula  $\psi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \models \psi \iff \psi \in A, \psi$  a strict subformula of  $\varphi$ .
- Inductive step: Let us prove it holds for the following cases:
  - Case  $\varphi = \neg \psi$ : by the induction hypothesis,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \neg \psi \iff \neg \varphi \in A$ . Because A is maximal w.r.t.  $\phi$ , then  $\neg \phi \in A$  holds by  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}$ 's definition.
  - Case  $\varphi = \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2$ : by the induction hypothesis,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2 \iff \psi_1 \in A$ and  $\psi_2 \in A$ , which holds by  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}$ 's definition.
  - Other connectives  $(\lor, \rightarrow, \leftrightarrow)$ : their proof may be derived from the items above.
  - Case  $\varphi = \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \iff \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \in A$ :  $\rightarrow$

Let  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \models \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.3, there is a state B where  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ and  $\phi \in B$ . By Lemma 7,  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \in A$ . Therefore, it holds.  $\leftarrow$ 

Let  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \nvDash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.5's valuation function  $V_{c}^{\Gamma}$  and Lemma 5, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \neg \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . Therefore, for every B where  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B, \mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, B \vDash \neg \phi$ . From the induction hypothesis,  $\phi \notin B$ . Hence, From Lemma 7,  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \notin A$ .

- Case 
$$\varphi = \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi$$
. Then,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \iff \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \in A$ :  
 $\rightarrow$ 

Let  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \models \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.3, there is a state B where  $AS_{\Pi^*}^{\Gamma}B$  and  $\phi \in B$ . By Lemma 7,  $\langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \in A$ . Therefore, it holds.  $\leftarrow$ 

Let  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \nvDash \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.5's valuation function  $V_c^{\Gamma}$  and Lemma 5, we have  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \neg \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi$ . Therefore, for every B where  $AS_{\Pi^*}^{\Gamma}B, \mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, B \vDash \neg \phi$ . From the induction hypothesis,  $\phi \notin B$ . Hence, From Lemma 7,  $\langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \notin A$ .

We proceed by formalizing the following lemma, which is bound to show that the properties that define  $\star$  for regular *ReLo* models also holds in *ReLo* canonical models.

**Lemma 9.** Let  $A, B \in At(\Gamma)$  and  $\Pi$  a *ReLo* program. If  $AS_{\Pi^{\star}}B$  then  $AS_{\Pi^{\star}}^{\star}B$ 

Proof. Suppose  $AS_{\Pi^{\star}}B$ . Define  $C = \{C' \in At(\Gamma) \mid AS_{\Pi}^{\star}C\}$  as the set of all atoms C' which A reaches by means of  $S_{\Pi^{\star}}$ . We will show that  $B \in C$ . Let  $C_c$  be the maximal consistent set obtained by means of Lemma 5,  $C_c = \{\bigwedge C_1 \lor C_2 \lor \cdots \land C_n\}$ , where the conjunction of each  $C_i$  is consistent, and each  $C_i$  is a maximal consistent set. Also, define  $t = \delta_c^{\Gamma}(C_c)$  as the canonical markup of  $C_c$ .

Note that  $C_c \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \neg C_c$  is inconsistent: if it was consistent, then for some  $D \in At(\Gamma)$  which A cannot reach,  $C_c \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \bigwedge D$  would be consistent, which leads to  $\bigwedge C_1 \vee C_2 \vee \cdots \vee C_i \vee \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \bigwedge D$  also being consistent, for some  $C_i$ . By the definition of  $C_c$ , this means that  $D \in C$  but that is not the case (because  $D \in C_c$  contradicts D not being reached from A and consequently  $C_c$ 's definition, as  $D \in C_c$  leads to D being reachable from A). Following a similar reasoning,  $\bigwedge A \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle C_c$  is also inconsistent and therefore its negation,  $\bigwedge \neg (A \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle C_c)$  is consistent, which can be rewritten as  $\bigwedge A \to [t, (f, b)]C_c$ .

Because  $C_c \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \neg C_c$  is inconsistent, its negation  $\neg (C_c \wedge \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \neg C_c)$  is valid, which can be rewritten to  $\vdash C_c \rightarrow [t, (f, b)]C_c$  (I). Therefore, by applying generalization we have  $\vdash [t, (f, b)^*](C_c \rightarrow [t, (f, b)]C_c)$ . By axiom (It), we derive  $\vdash [t, (f, b)]C_c \rightarrow$  $[t, (f, b)^*]C_c$  (II). By rewriting (II) in (I) we derive  $C_c \rightarrow [t, (f, b)^*]C_c$ . As  $\bigwedge A \rightarrow$  $[t, (f, b)]C_c$  is valid, from (II)  $\bigwedge A \rightarrow [t, (f, b)^*]C_c$  also is valid. From the hypothesis  $AS_{\pi^*}B$  and  $C_c$ 's definition,  $\bigwedge A \wedge \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle B$  and  $\bigwedge B \wedge C_c$  are consistent (the latter from  $C_c$ 's definition). Then, there is a  $C_i \in C_c$  such that  $\bigwedge B \wedge \bigwedge C$  is consistent. But because each  $C_i$  is a maximal consistent set, it is the case that  $B = C_i$ , which by the definition of  $C_c$  leads to  $AS_{\Pi}^*B$ .

**Definition 5.3.6** (Proper Canonical Model). The proper canonical model over a set of formulae  $\Gamma$  is defined as a tuple  $\langle At(\Gamma), \Pi, R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}, \delta_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}, \lambda_c, V_{\Pi}^{\Gamma} \rangle$  as follows:

- $At(\Gamma)$  as the set of atoms of  $\Gamma$ ;
- $\Pi$  as the ReLo program;
- The relation R of a ReLo program  $\Pi$  is inductively defined as:
  - $R_{\pi} = S_{\pi}$  for each canonical program  $\pi$ ;

$$- R_{\Pi^{\star}}^{\Gamma} = (R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})^{\star},$$

- $-\Pi = \pi_1 \odot \pi_2 \odot \cdots \odot \pi_n$  a ReLo program,  $R_{\Pi} \subseteq S \times S$  as follows:
  - \*  $R_{\pi_i} = \{ uR_{\pi_i}v \mid f_{ReLo}(t,\pi_i) \prec \delta(v) \}, t \prec \delta(u) \text{ and } \pi_i \text{ is any combination of } any atomic programs which is a subprogram of } \Pi.$
- $\delta_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$  as the canonical markup function;
- $\lambda_c \colon At(\Gamma) \times \mathcal{N} \to \mathbb{R};$
- V<sup>Γ</sup><sub>c</sub>(A, p) = {A ∈ At(Γ) | p ∈ A} as the canonical valuation introduced by Definition 5.3.5.

**Lemma 10.** Every canonical model for  $\Pi$  has a corresponding proper canonical model: for all programs  $\Pi$ ,  $S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma} \subseteq R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$ 

*Proof.* The proof proceeds by induction on  $\Pi$ 's length

• For basic programs  $\pi$ , it follows from Definition 5.3.6:

•  $\Pi^*$ : From Definition 5.1.8,  $R_{\pi^*} = R_{\pi}^*$ . By the induction hypothesis,  $S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma} \subseteq R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$ , Also from the definition of RTC, we have that if  $(S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}) \subseteq (R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})$ , then  $(S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})^* \subseteq (R_{\pi}^{\Gamma})^*$ (i). From Lemma 9,  $S_{\Pi^*}^{\Gamma} \subseteq (S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})^*$ , which leads to  $(S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})^* \subseteq (R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})^*$  by (i). Finally,  $(R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma})^* = (R_{\Pi^*}^{\Gamma})$ . Hence,  $(S_{\Pi^*}) \subseteq (R_{\Pi^*})$ 

**Lemma 11** (Existence Lemma for Proper Canonical Models). Let  $A \in At(\Gamma)$  and  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in FL(\Gamma)$ . Then,

$$\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A \leftrightarrow \text{exists } B \in At(\Gamma), AR_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B, t \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A) \text{ and } \varphi \in B.$$

Proof.

 $\Rightarrow$ 

Let  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A$ . From Lemma 7 (Existence Lemma for canonical models), There is an atom  $B \in At(\Gamma)$  where  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ ,  $t \prec \delta_{c}^{\Gamma}(A)$  and  $\varphi \in B$ . From Lemma 10,  $S_{\Pi}^{\Gamma} \subseteq R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}$ . Therefore, there is an atom  $B \in At(\Gamma)$  where  $AR_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$ ,  $t \prec \delta_{c}^{\Gamma}(A)$  and  $\varphi \in B$ .  $\Leftarrow$ 

Let B an atom,  $B \in At(\Gamma)$ ,  $AR_{\Pi}B, t \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$  and  $\varphi \in B$ . The proof follows by induction on the program  $\Pi = (f, b)$  as follows:

- a canonical program  $\pi_i$ : this case is straightforward as from Definition 5.3.6,  $S_{\pi_i} = R_{\pi_i}$ , and consequently  $AS_{\pi_i}B, t \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$  and (i)  $\varphi \in B$ . From Lemma 7 and (i),  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A$ .
- $\Pi^*$ : from Definition 5.3.6,  $R_{\Pi^*} = R_{\Pi}^*$ . Then, let  $B \in At(\Gamma)$ ,  $AR_{\Pi^*}B, t \prec \delta_c^{\Gamma}(A)$  and  $\varphi \in B$ . This means that there is a finite nondeterministic number n where  $AR_{\Pi^*}B = AR_{\Pi}A_1R_{\Pi}A_2\ldots R_{\Pi}A_n$ , where  $A_n = B$ . The proof proceeds by induction on n:
  - n = 1:  $AR_{\Pi}B$  and  $\varphi \in B$ . Therefore, from Lemma 7, $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \in A$ . From axiom Rec, one may derive  $\Vdash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \rightarrow \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \varphi$ . By the definition of FL and A's maximality (as it is an atom of  $\Gamma$ )  $\langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \varphi \in A$ .
  - n > 1: From the previous proof step and the induction hypothesis, ⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩ ∈
    A<sub>2</sub> and ⟨t, (f, b)⟩⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩ ∈ A<sub>1</sub>. From axiom Rec, one can derive
    ⊢ ⟨t, (f, b)⟩⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩φ → ⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩φ. By the definition of FL, and A's maximality (as it is an atom of Γ), ⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩φ ∈ A.

**Lemma 12** (Truth Lemma for Proper Canonical Models). Let  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma} = \langle At(\Gamma), \Pi, R_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}, \delta_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}, \lambda_c, V_{\Pi}^{\Gamma} \rangle$ a proper canonical model constructed over a formula  $\gamma$ . For all atoms A and all  $\varphi \in FL(\gamma)$ .  $\mathcal{M}, A \vDash \varphi \leftrightarrow \varphi \in A$ .

*Proof.* The proof proceeds by induction over  $\varphi$ .

- induction basis:  $\varphi$  is a proposition p. Therefore,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash p$  holds from Definition 5.3.6 as  $V_c^{\Gamma}(p) = \{A \in At(\Gamma) \mid p \in A\}.$
- induction hypothesis: suppose  $\varphi$  is a non atomic formula  $\psi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}, A \Vdash \varphi \iff \varphi \in A, \psi$  a strict subformula of  $\varphi$ .
- Inductive step: Let us prove it holds for the following cases:
  - Case  $\varphi = \neg \psi$ : by the induction hypothesis,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \neg \psi \iff \neg \varphi \in A$ . Because A is maximal w.r.t.  $\phi$ , then  $\neg \phi \in A$  holds by  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}$ 's definition.
  - Case  $\varphi = \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2$ : by the induction hypothesis,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2 \iff \psi_1 \in A$ and  $\psi_2 \in A$ , which holds by  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}$ 's definition.
  - Other connectives  $(\lor, \rightarrow, \leftrightarrow)$ : their proof may be derived by following the ideas presented in the bullets above.
  - Case  $\varphi = \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \iff \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \in A$ :  $\rightarrow$

Let  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \models \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.3, there is an atom B where  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B$  and  $\phi \in B$ . By Lemma 11,  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \in A$ . Therefore, it holds.  $\leftarrow$ 

Let  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \nvDash \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.5's valuation function  $V_{c}^{\Gamma}$  and Lemma 5, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \neg \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi$ . Therefore, for every B where  $AS_{\Pi}^{\Gamma}B, \mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma} \Vdash \neg \phi$ . From the induction hypothesis,  $\phi \notin B$ . Hence, from Lemma 11  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \phi \notin A$ .

- Case  $\varphi = \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi$ . Then,  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \iff \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \in A$ :  $\rightarrow$ 

Let  $\mathcal{M}_c^{\Gamma}, A \models \langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.3, there is a state B where  $AS_{\Pi^*}^{\Gamma}B$  and  $\phi \in B$ . By Lemma 7,  $\langle t, (f, b)^* \rangle \phi \in A$ . Therefore, it holds.  $\leftarrow$ 

Let  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \nvDash \langle t, (f, b)^{\star} \rangle \phi$ . From Definition 5.3.5's valuation function  $V_{c}^{\Gamma}$  and Lemma 5, we have  $\mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, A \vDash \neg \langle t, (f, b)^{\star} \rangle \phi$ . Therefore, for every B where  $AS_{\Pi^{\star}}^{\Gamma}B, \mathcal{M}_{c}^{\Gamma}, B \vDash \neg \phi$ . From the induction hypothesis,  $\phi \notin B$ . Hence, From Lemma 7,  $\langle t, (f, b)^{\star} \rangle \phi \notin A$ . **Theorem 1** (Completeness of *ReLo*). The logic *ReLo* is complete with respect to the class of proper canonical models.

*Proof.* For every consistent formula A, a canonical model  $\mathcal{M}$  can be constructed. From Lemma 5, there is an atom  $A' \in At(A)$  with  $A \in A'$ , and from Lemma 12,  $\mathcal{M}, A' \models A$ . Therefore, *ReLo*'s modal system is complete with respect to the class of proper canonical models as Definition 5.3.6 proposes.

# 5.4 A Tableau for *ReLo*

In this section we propose a tableau method for ReLo providing a syntactic proof procedure similar to what other dynamic logics propose [27, 28, 73]. The definitions of tableau and branch are standard in the literature [28, 60, 73] and are as follows.

**Definition 5.4.1** (Tableau in **ReLo**). A tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  in ReLo is a rooted tree with nodes labeled with formulae, prefixed by states in an auxiliary finite sequence of states  $S_{\mathcal{T}}$  which guides the decomposition of formulae. A branch  $\mathcal{B}$  is a path from the root to a leaf node. A segment  $\mathcal{S}$  is a path from the root node to some intermediate node (i.e., a non-leaf node).

Intuitively, a tableau in ReLo of a formula  $\varphi : T$  denotes a failed attempt to prove  $\varphi : F$ , which in turn yields  $\varphi$  as true. Branches of the tableau can be interpreted as a tentative of the construction of a model that holds for the initial formula  $\varphi : F$ , and segments as the intermediate steps taken to construct such model. Definition 5.4.2 formalizes the rules that may be applied to formulas in ReLo's Tableau.

### **Definition 5.4.2.** Tableau rules for ReLo

Let w, x denote states,  $\varphi$  a ReLo formula, and  $\pi = (f, b)$  a ReLo program. The rules valid for ReLo Tableau are as follows. In what follows, let  $t'_{\pi}$  be the result of  $f_{ReLo}(t, \pi)$ and  $\delta(w)$  the data markup function of a state w.

• Propositional rules

$$(And-T) \quad \frac{w: \varphi \land \psi: T}{w: \varphi: T} \qquad (And-F) \quad \frac{w: \varphi \land \psi: F}{w: \varphi: F \qquad w: \psi: F}$$
$$(Or-T) \quad \frac{w: \varphi \lor \psi: T}{w: \varphi: T \qquad w: \psi: T} \qquad (Or-F) \quad \frac{w: \varphi \lor \psi: F}{w: \varphi: F}$$
$$w: \psi: F$$

$$(Neg-T) \quad \frac{w: \neg \varphi: T}{w: \varphi: F} \qquad (Neg-F) \quad \frac{w: \neg \varphi: F}{w: \varphi: T}$$
$$(\rightarrow -T) \quad \frac{w: \varphi \rightarrow \psi: T}{w: \varphi: F \qquad w: \psi: T} \qquad (\rightarrow -F) \quad \frac{w: \varphi \rightarrow \psi: F}{w: \varphi: T}$$
$$w: \psi: F$$

• Modal rules

$$(\langle t, \pi \rangle - T) \quad \frac{w: \langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi : T}{x: \varphi : T}$$
  
x is a new state in the se-  
quence of states  $S_T$  accessible  
from w.

$$([t, \pi] - T) \quad \frac{w: [t, \pi]\varphi : T}{x: \varphi : T}$$

$$x \text{ is any state (new or already existing) in the sequence}$$

$$of \text{ states } S_{\mathcal{T}} \text{ with } x \text{ accessible}$$

$$from w \text{ by } \pi.$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} (\langle t, \pi \rangle - F) & \frac{w: \langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi : F}{x: \varphi : F} \\ x \ is \ any \ state \ (new \ or \ al-ready \ existing) \ in \ the \ sequence \\ of \ states \ S_{\mathcal{T}} \ with \ x \ accessible \\ from \ w \ by \ \pi. \end{array}$$

$$([t, \pi] - F) \quad \frac{w: [t, \pi]\varphi : F}{x: \varphi : F}$$

$$x \text{ is a new state in the se-}$$

$$quence \text{ of states } S_{\mathcal{T}} \text{ accessible}$$

$$from w.$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (\langle t,\pi\rangle_{(R)}-T) & \frac{w:\ \langle t,\pi\rangle\varphi:\ T,\ iff\ f_{ReLo}(t,\pi)=\epsilon}{w:\ \varphi:\ T}\\ w\ the\ same\ state.\ This\ rule\ captures\\ the\ behavior\ of\ axiom\ \mathcal{R}.\ Its\ non\ va-\\ lidity\ is\ the\ normal\ case\ for\ diamond\\ formulas.\end{array}$$

The rules for the iteration operator combine prefixed tableau with some ideas from [76] to allow reasoning over iteration. A formula  $\langle t, \pi^* \rangle \varphi$  is defined as an eventuality. Whenever an eventuality is found, we introduce it as a fresh (possibly indexed) propositional symbol  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  where  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle} \leftrightarrow \langle t, \pi^* \rangle \varphi$ . The indexation of these variables is required to identify different eventualities in the proof process. The objective of introducing such variables is to enable the detection of unsuccessful loops where  $\langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi$  is not fulfilled (as in Definition 5.4.3).

The introduction of such propositional symbols requires a distinct set  $\mathscr{X}$  for them to differ from the set  $\Phi$  of propositional letters used for formulae. Note that this is also valid for eventualities  $[t, \pi^*]\varphi$ , in which case the fresh symbol introduced is  $\mathcal{X}_{\parallel}$ .

• Program operator rules

- Iteration

$$(\langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle) \cdot T \quad \frac{w: \langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi : T}{w: \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle} : T} \\ \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle} \leftrightarrow \langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi \qquad (\langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle) \cdot F \quad \frac{w: \langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi : F}{w: \varphi : F} \\ The \ data \ sequence \ t \ is \ a \ sequence \ such \ that \ t \ \subseteq \ \delta(w) \ and \ t'_{\pi} \ \prec f_{ReLo}(t_{\pi}, \pi).$$

$$([t, \pi^{\star}]) \cdot T \qquad \frac{w: [t, \pi^{\star}]\varphi : T}{w: \varphi : T}$$

$$w: [t, \pi][t'_{\pi}, \pi^{\star}]\varphi : T$$

$$The \ data \ sequence \ t'_{\pi} \ is \ a \ sequence$$

$$such \ that \ t \ \subseteq \ \delta(w) \ and \ t'_{\pi} \ \prec$$

$$f_{ReLo}(t, \pi).$$

$$([t, \pi^{\star}]) \cdot F \qquad \frac{w: [t, \pi^{\star}]\varphi : F}{w: \mathcal{X}_{[]} : F}$$

$$\mathcal{X}_{[]} \leftrightarrow [t, \pi^{\star}]\varphi$$

$$\begin{array}{c} (\boldsymbol{\mathcal{X}}_{\langle \rangle}) & \underline{w: \ \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle} : T} \\ \hline w: \varphi: T & w: \varphi: F \\ w: \ \langle t, \pi \rangle \boldsymbol{\mathcal{X}}_{\langle \rangle} : T \end{array} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} (\boldsymbol{\mathcal{X}}_{[]}) & \underline{w: \ \mathcal{X}_{[]} : F} \\ \hline w: \varphi: F & w: \varphi: T \\ w: \ [t, \pi] \boldsymbol{\mathcal{X}}_{[]} : F \end{array}$$

The iteration rules introduced by  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  rules can be intuitively detailed as follows: for formulas  $\langle t, \pi^* \rangle \varphi$ , the reduction of the modality employing  $\star$  is done by stating that  $\varphi$  is either valid in the reached state, or we may reduce it once again in another state where  $\varphi$  is valid. The rule  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  denote that

In what follows some useful definitions regarding notions of iteration in the tableau are discussed. We follow the methodology proposed by [28].

A segment S is denoted by a path between two different states in the Tableau. A set of prefixed formulae of a segment S is the set of all formulae  $\varphi$  in S that are prefixed by some state w as

$$\mathcal{S}/w = \{\varphi \mid w : \varphi \in \mathcal{S}\}$$

A prefix w is said to be reduced in a segment S if the modal rules are the only rules not applied yet to the set S/w. It is fully reduced if all possible rules have been applied.

Intuitively, the reduction states that all iteration rules have been applied in formulae in S/w (if possible), while the full reduction yields formulae with all transitional (i.e., rules that may change a state) rules applied.

A branch  $\mathcal{B}$  is said to be  $\pi$ -completed if all prefixes are reduced, and for every w which is not fully reduced, there is a segment  $\mathcal{S}$  and a prefix w' of  $\mathcal{S}$  smaller than  $\mathcal{B}$  and w which is fully reduced and w' is a copy of w in  $\mathcal{B}$ .

A prefix w' of a segment  $\mathcal{S}'$  is said to be a copy of another prefix w in a segment  $\mathcal{S}$ 

if S/w = S'/w' and they have the same transitions format given by the auxiliary tree of states.

**Definition 5.4.3** (fulfilled  $\mathcal{X}$ ). An eventuality  $\mathcal{X}$  is said to be fulfilled if there is a labeled formula  $w : \varphi : T$  in the same segment with  $w : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$  (satisfying it), or  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$  collapses to a  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle_0}$  which has already appeared in the branch and is fulfilled. For the case of  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , it is fulfilled if there is a  $w : \varphi : F$  in the same segment with  $w : \mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , or  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  collapses to a  $\mathcal{X}_{[]0}$ which has already appeared in the branch and is fulfilled.

An eventuality  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  cannot be fulfilled and collapse to itself at the same time in another state v previously visited because it generates both  $\varphi$  : T and  $\varphi$  : F from the rule application. Suppose  $w : \mathcal{X}_{[]} : T$  collapses to a shorter  $v : \mathcal{X}_{[]} : T$ . If it fulfilled  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , then  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ in state w would not exist, as it would have already been fulfilled in a earlier derivation. The same is also valid for eventualities  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$ , following the same idea.

Summarizing, this can be interpreted as a unsuccessful loop, in which we try to fulfill eventualities  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  by applying their corresponding rules: the left hand side of the rule is always discarded, with no success on fulfilling the eventualities generated in their right hand side. At some point during the derivation, there will be a state  $\omega$  with formulae as the same of a previously visited state (i.e., a copy) v where  $S/\omega = S'/v$ . One may conclude that this will not end, and the loop will never succeed to close. This is captured in Definition 5.4.4 as an ignorable branch.

**Definition 5.4.4.** A branch  $\mathcal{B}$  is ignorable if it contains a  $\mathcal{X}$  introduced by any of the  $\mathcal{X}$  – rules which collapses to itself (either directly or transitively) and its corresponding shorter branch (the left branch resulting from  $\mathcal{X}$  rule's application) is closed.

The idea Definition 5.4.4 presents is to denote that the looping introduced by  $\mathcal{X}$  rules may not close, yielding a unsuccessful loop by always iterating and leaving the rightmost branch "open". If at some point the proof reaches a  $\mathcal{X}_i$  with the same formulae as an already visited state, we can conclude that it will never be fulfilled and therefore ignore the remainder of the branch, as it has already been reduced earlier in the proof and it may introduce a potentially infinite pattern in the formula decomposition process. With Definition 5.4.4, we may define the closure of *ReLo* tableau as follows.

**Definition 5.4.5** (Tableau contradiction). A contradiction in a branch  $\mathcal{B}$  of a ReLo tableau is defined following the notion of "parent contradiction":  $\mathcal{B}$  is contradictory if there is a state w and a formulae  $\varphi$ , such that  $(w : \varphi : T)$  and  $(w : \varphi : F)$  are in  $\mathcal{B}$ .

**Definition 5.4.6** (Tableau closure). A tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  is closed if all of its branches are either contradictory or ignorable, yielding that the formula syntactically holds in ReLo. Conversely, a tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  is open if there is at least a branch with no contradictions or it is not ignorable.

## 5.4.1 Tableau Usage Examples

In what follows we provide usage examples of the tableau developed for *ReLo*. We show its usage for the axioms defined in Section 5.1.11, stating that they are indeed valid in the proposed Tableau. The rules applied are shown in the rightmost part of the proof, where t and  $\pi$  in the names of rules with modalities are omitted.

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{K}: & [t,(f,b)](\varphi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow ([t,(f,b)]\varphi \rightarrow [t,(f,b)]\psi) \\ 1. & w:[t,(f,b)](\varphi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow ([t,(f,b)]\varphi \rightarrow [t,(f,b)]\psi):F \\ 2. & w:[t,(f,b)](\varphi \rightarrow \psi):T & 1, \rightarrow -F \\ 3. & w:([t,(f,b)]\varphi \rightarrow [t,(f,b)]\psi):F & 1, \rightarrow -F \\ 4. & w:[t,(f,b)]\varphi:T & 3, \rightarrow -F \\ 5. & w:[t,(f,b)]\psi:F & 3, \rightarrow -F \\ 6. & x:\psi:F & 5, [] - F \\ 7. & x:\varphi \rightarrow \psi:T & 2, [] - T \\ 8. & x:\varphi:F & x:\psi:T & 5, \rightarrow -T \\ 9. & x:\varphi:T & \times \\ & s, 9 \\ \end{split}$$

• And- $\rightarrow$ :  $[t, (f, b)](\varphi \land \psi) \rightarrow ([t, (f, b)]\varphi \land [t, (f, b)]\psi)$ 

1. 
$$w : [t, (f,b)](\varphi \land \psi) \rightarrow ([t, (f,b)]\varphi \land [t, (f,b)]\psi) : F$$
  
2.  $w : [t, (f,b)](\varphi \land \psi) : T$   
3.  $w : ([t, (f,b)]\varphi \land [t, (f,b)]\psi) : F$   
4.  $w : [t, (f,b)]\varphi : F$   $w : [t, (f,b)]\psi : F$   
5.  $x : \varphi : F$   $y : \psi : F$   
6.  $x : \varphi \land \psi : T$   $y : \varphi \land \psi : T$   
7.  $x : \psi : T$   $y : \varphi \land \psi : T$   
8.  $x : \varphi : T$   $y : \psi : T$   
8.  $x : \varphi : T$   $y : \psi : T$   
6.  $\wedge -T$   
8.  $x : \varphi : T$   $y : \psi : T$   
6.  $\wedge -T$
• And-
$$\leftarrow$$
:  $([t, (f, b)]\varphi \land [t, (f, b)]\psi) \rightarrow [t, (f, b)](\varphi \land \psi)$   
1.  $w: ([t, (f, b)]\varphi \land [t, (f, b)]\psi) \rightarrow [t, (f, b)](\varphi \land \psi) : F$   
2.  $w: ([t, (f, b)]\varphi \land [t, (f, b)]\psi) : T$   
3.  $w: [t, (f, b)](\varphi \land \psi) : F$   
4.  $w: [t, (f, b)]\varphi : T$   
5.  $w: [t, (f, b)]\psi : T$   
6.  $x: \varphi \land \psi : F$   
7.  $x: \varphi \land \psi : F$   
8.  $x: \varphi: T$   $x: \psi: F$   
8.  $x: \varphi: T$   $x: \psi: T$   
 $x: \varphi \land x$   
 $7.8$   
 $x = \frac{x}{7.8}$   
 $7.8$ 

• 
$$R \rightarrow : \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \rightarrow \varphi, if f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) = \epsilon$$
  
1.  $w : \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi \rightarrow \varphi, if f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) : F$   
2.  $w : \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi : T$   
3.  $w : \varphi : F$   
4.  $w : \varphi : T$   
5.  $x = 2, <> -R - T$   
5.  $x = 3, 4$ 

• 
$$R \leftarrow: \varphi \rightarrow \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi, if f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) = \epsilon$$
  
1.  $w: \varphi \rightarrow \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi, if f_{ReLo}(t, (f, b)) : F$   
2.  $w: \varphi: T$   
3.  $w: \langle t, (f, b) \rangle \varphi: F$   
4.  $w: \varphi: F$   
5.  $2, \langle -R - T \rangle$   
5.  $\chi_{2,4}$ 

• It  $\rightarrow$ :  $\varphi \wedge [t, (f,b)][t_{(f,b)}, (f,b)^*]\varphi \rightarrow [t, (f,b)^*]\varphi$ 

1.	$w: \varphi \wedge [\mathbf{t}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})][\mathbf{t}_{(f,b)}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})^{\star}]\varphi \rightarrow [\mathbf{t}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})^{\star}]\varphi: F$	
2.	$w: \varphi \wedge [\mathbf{t}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})][\mathbf{t}_{(f, b)}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})^{\star}]\varphi: T$	$1, \rightarrow -F$
3.	$w: [\mathrm{t},  (\mathrm{f},\mathrm{b})^{\star}] \varphi: F$	$1, \rightarrow -F$
4.	w: arphi: T	$2, \wedge -T$
5.	$w : [t, (f,b)][t_{(f,b)}, (f,b)^{\star}]\varphi : T$	$2, \wedge -T$
6.	$w: [\mathrm{t},  (\mathrm{f}, \mathrm{b})^{\star}] \varphi: T$	5, [] - T
	×	
	3,6	

• It-  $\leftarrow$ : [t, (f,b)<sup>\*</sup>] $\varphi \rightarrow \varphi \wedge$  [t, (f,b)][t<sub>(f,b)</sub>, (f,b)<sup>\*</sup>] $\varphi$ 

• Ind:  $\varphi \wedge [t, (f, b)^*](\varphi \to [t_{(f,b)^*}, (f, b)]\varphi) \to [t, (f, b)^*]\varphi$  $w: \varphi \wedge [\mathfrak{t}, (\mathfrak{f}, \mathfrak{b})^{\star}](\varphi \to [\mathfrak{t}_{(\mathfrak{f}, \mathfrak{b})}, (\mathfrak{f}, \mathfrak{b})]\varphi) \to [\mathfrak{t}, (\mathfrak{f}, \mathfrak{b})^{\star}]\varphi: F$ 1. 2.  $w: \varphi \wedge [t, (f, b)^*](\varphi \rightarrow [t_{(f, b)}, (f, b)]\varphi): T$  $1, \rightarrow -F$  $w: [t, (f,b)^{\star}]\varphi: F$ 3.  $1, \rightarrow -F$  $w:\varphi:T$  $2, \wedge -T$ 4.  $w : [\mathbf{t}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})^{\star}](\varphi \to [\mathbf{t}_{(f,b)}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})]\varphi) : T$  $2, \wedge -T$ 5. $w: \varphi: F$   $w: \varphi: T$  $3, []^{\star} - F$ 6.  $\begin{array}{l} \times \\ {}^{4,6} \end{array} \quad w : [\mathbf{t}_{(f,b)}, \ (\mathbf{f},\mathbf{b})] \mathcal{X}_{[]} : F \\ x : \mathcal{X}_{[]} : F \end{array}$  $3, []^{\star} - F$ 7.7, [] - T8.  $x: \varphi \to [\mathbf{t}_{(f,b)}, (\mathbf{f},\mathbf{b})]\varphi: T$ 5, [] - T9.  $x : [t, (f,b)^{\star}](\varphi \to [t_{(f,b)}, (f,b)]\varphi : T$ 5, [] - T10.  $x: \varphi: F \quad x: [\mathbf{t}_{(f,b)}, (\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{b})] \varphi: T$  $9, \rightarrow -T$ 11.  $x: \varphi: F$   $x: \varphi: T$ 12. $8, \mathcal{X}_{\square}$ Х  $\underset{4,12}{\times} \quad x : [t_{(f,b)}, (f,b)] \mathcal{X}_{[]} : F \qquad 8, \mathcal{X}_{[]}$ 4, 1113. $y:\mathcal{X}_{[]}:F$ 13, [] - F14. Ignorable, 14 = 8

### 5.4.2 Termination

Due to the presence of iteration rules in ReLo's Tableau, it is not terminating as these rules may lead to a infinite number of derivations. Therefore, We define a search strategy for ReLo in which the tableau process has termination (i.e., after tableau rule applications, the tableau will eventually stop). The interesting cases here are introduced by rules regarding the  $\star$  operator, which may allow a nondeterministic finite number of derivations, which can lead to an infinite tableau.

Lemma 13 (Termination of *ReLo*'s Tableau). The proposed tableau is terminating.

*Proof.* The proof proceeds by induction on ReLo's tableau rules. The idea of the proof is to show that every rule defined for the tableau reaches a scenario that cannot be further reduced or it does not bring any advantage to do so (which is the case when considering  $\star$  rules). From Lemmas 14 and 16, tableau proofs for a formula  $\varphi$  will either result on a closed tableau for  $\neg \varphi$ , to which  $\varphi$  is satisfiable in ReLo or it will result on an open tableau, to which the formula  $\varphi$  is not satisfiable in ReLo, and a counter-model can be derived. To proceed with such induction, we first define (inductively) a systematic procedure which we define the application of rules as follows based on standard arguments in literature [31]:

- 1. A tableau for  $\varphi$  is a tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  initiating with (w :  $\varphi$  : F) as the root of the proof tree.
- 2. The order of the main operators of formulae to be reduced in Steps 3. and 4. must follow the following sequence, first to last from top to bottom:
  - (a) propositional main operators  $\{\land,\lor,\neg,\rightarrow\}$
  - (b) modal main operators  $[t, (f, b)], \langle t, (f, b) \rangle$
  - (c) iteration main operators  $[t, (f, b)^{\star}], \langle t, (f, b)^{\star} \rangle, \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}, \mathcal{X}_{[]}$
- 3. If after n applications of tableau expansion rules to formulae in  $\mathcal{T}$  as in Step 2 the result is a closed tableau, stop and return  $\mathcal{T}$  as a closed tableau.
- 4. If Step 3 did not yield a closed tableau, choose the formula  $k : \psi : \sigma$  closest to the root node in the leftmost branch<sup>1</sup> which has not been reduced. If  $\psi$  is a atomic formula, then this step ends. Otherwise, for all open branches  $\mathcal{B}$  that contain  $(k : \psi : \sigma)$ :
  - if ψ is of form ψ<sub>1</sub> ∧ ψ<sub>2</sub> and σ = T, then add k : ψ<sub>1</sub> : T and k : ψ<sub>2</sub> : T at the end of B. If σ = F, then add k : ψ<sub>1</sub> : F and k : ψ<sub>2</sub> : F splitting the end of B, resulting in two new branches from B, one ending with k : ψ<sub>1</sub> : T and other ending with k : ψ<sub>2</sub> : T.
  - if  $\psi$  is of form  $\psi_1 \vee \psi_2$  and  $\sigma = T$ , then add  $k : \psi_1 : T$  and  $k : \psi_2 : T$  splitting the end of  $\mathcal{B}$ , resulting in two new branches from  $\mathcal{B}$ , one ending with  $k : \psi_1 : T$ and other ending with  $k : \psi_2 : T$ . If  $\sigma = F$ , then add  $k : \psi_1 : F$  and  $k : \psi_2 : F$ at the end of  $\mathcal{B}$ .
  - if  $\psi$  is of form  $\neg \psi_1$  and  $\sigma = T$ , then add  $k : \psi_1 : F$  at the end of  $\mathcal{B}$ . If  $\sigma = F$ , then add  $k : \psi_1 : T$  at the end of  $\mathcal{B}$ .
  - if ψ is of form ψ<sub>1</sub> → ψ<sub>2</sub>, it may be rewritten as (¬ψ<sub>1</sub>) ∨ ψ<sub>2</sub>, therefore it reduces to the case of ψ<sub>1</sub> ∨ ψ<sub>2</sub>.
  - if  $\psi$  is of form  $\langle t, (f, b) \rangle \psi_1$  and  $\sigma = T$ , then add  $k' : \psi_1 : T$  as a new state which has not been visited yet (i.e., it does not identify a prefix in the current tableau), k' as the next available prefix. If  $\sigma = F$ , then for each accessible state

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$ As this may result in a nondeterministic choice (i.e., more than one unfinished formulae in the same tree level), we focus on the leftmost occurrence.

k' from k which has already been visited, add  $k' : \psi_1 : F$  to the end of each branch.

- if ψ is of form [t, (f, b)]ψ<sub>1</sub> and σ = T, then for each accessible state k' from k which has already been visited, add k': ψ<sub>1</sub>: T to the end of each branch. If σ = F, then add k': ψ<sub>1</sub>: F as a new state which has not been visited yet (i.e., it does not identify a prefix in the current tableau), k' as the next available prefix.
- if ψ is of form ⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩ψ₁ and σ = T, introduce k : X<sub>⟨⟩i</sub> : T, where X<sub>⟨⟩i</sub> = ⟨t, (f, b)\*⟩ψ₁ at the end of B, and check whether there is a state k₀ in which every formula of k₀ is true in k (and vice-versa), and whether k₀ : X<sub>⟨⟩k</sub> : T holds. If this holds, then X<sub>⟨⟩i</sub> collapses into X<sub>⟨⟩k</sub>, and k is a copy of k₀. Therefore, B is a ignorable branch and ψ should not be reduced further. If σ = F, then add both k: ψ₁ : F and k: ⟨t, π⟩⟨t'<sub>π</sub>, π\*⟩ψ₁ : F at the end of B. Then, add k : ⟨t'<sub>π</sub>, π\*⟩ψ₁ : F at the end of B, and check if exists a state k₀ in which every formula of k₀ is true in k (and vice-versa). If it does, then this configuration has already been considered in the proof and this branch is an ignorable branch.
- if ψ is of form X<sub>()</sub>, then at the end of B add k : ψ<sub>1</sub> : T at the left resulting branch B<sub>1</sub>, and k : ψ<sub>1</sub> : F and k : ⟨t, π⟩X<sub>()k</sub> : T at the right resulting branch B<sub>2</sub>, splitting it in two new branches from B. Now, add k' : X<sub>()k</sub> : T at the end of B<sub>2</sub>. Check whether there is a state k<sub>0</sub> in which every formula of k<sub>0</sub> is true in k' (and vice versa), and there is an eventuality X<sub>()k0</sub> = ⟨t, (f, b)<sup>\*</sup>⟩ψ<sub>1</sub> = X<sub>()k</sub>'. If this holds, then X<sub>()k</sub>' collapses into X<sub>()k0</sub>, and k' is a copy of k<sub>0</sub>. The left resulting branch B<sub>1</sub> is closed because there is a k<sub>0</sub> : ψ<sub>1</sub> : F (from the previous derivation of X<sub>()k</sub>), and B<sub>2</sub> is a ignorable branch.
- if ψ is of form [t, (f, b)\*]ψ<sub>1</sub> and σ = T, add both k: ψ<sub>1</sub> : T and k: [t, π][t'<sub>π</sub>, π\*]ψ<sub>1</sub>
  : T at the end of 𝔅. Then, add k : [t'<sub>π</sub>, π\*]ψ<sub>1</sub> : T at the end of 𝔅, and check if exists a state k<sub>0</sub> in which every formula of k<sub>0</sub> is true in k (and vice-versa). If it does, then this configuration has already been considered in the proof and this branch is a ignorable branch. if σ = F, introduce k : 𝑋<sub>0</sub> : T at the end of 𝔅, and check whether there is a state k<sub>0</sub> in which every formula of k<sub>0</sub> is true in k (and vice-versa), and k<sub>0</sub> : 𝑋<sub>0</sub> : T. If this holds, then 𝑋<sub>0</sub> collapses into 𝑋<sub>0</sub>, and k is a copy of k<sub>0</sub>. Therefore, 𝔅 is a ignorable branch and ψ should not be reduced further.
- if  $\psi$  is of form  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , then at the end of  $\mathcal{B}$  add  $k : \psi_1 : F$  at the left resulting branch  $\mathcal{B}_1$ , and  $k : \psi_1 : T$  and  $k : [t, \pi] \mathcal{X}_{[]_k} : F$  at the right resulting branch

 $\mathcal{B}_2$ , splitting it in two new branches from  $\mathcal{B}$ . Now, add  $k' : \mathcal{X}_{[]_k} : T$  at the end of  $\mathcal{B}_2$ . Check whether there is a state  $k_0$  in which every formula of  $k_0$  is true in k' (and vice versa), and there is an eventuality  $\mathcal{X}_{[]_{k0}} = [t, (f, b)^*]\psi_1 = \mathcal{X}_{[]_k}'$ . If this holds, then  $\mathcal{X}_{[]_{k'}}$  collapses into  $\mathcal{X}_{[]_{k0}}$ , and k' is a copy of  $k_0$ . The left resulting branch  $\mathcal{B}_1$  is closed because there is a  $k_0 : \psi_1 : F$  (from the previous derivation of  $\mathcal{X}_{[]_k}$ ), and  $\mathcal{B}_2$  is a ignorable branch.

Following this procedure, all rules which do not refer to the  $\star$  operator (i.e., rules denoted by bullets "Logical rules" and "Modal rules" in Definition 5.4.2), decrease the size of the rules' resulting formulae, either by decomposing logical operators ("Propositional rules") or modalities ("Modal rules"), eventually reaching an atomic formula  $\varphi$ , except for modalities which may also introduce new states as prefixes for formulae.

As for the rules considering  $\star$  operator, their behaviour intuitively introduce a finite non-deterministic number of additional reductions (but no additional new states). Let us follow by contradiction by supposing that, by following the aforementioned procedure, tableau construction goes on forever. It is useful here that the number of formulae composing a formula  $\varphi$  is finite, although the amount of states is potentially infinite. Then, it is possible for some state k to know when all formulas that could have been introduced earlier in the tableau have already been. Consider a chain of states  $k_1, k_2, k_3, \ldots$  in which  $k_i$  relates with  $k_j$ , i < j as a result of rules  $\langle \rangle - T$  or [] - F (i.e., rules that introduce a new unused state  $k_i$ ), either themselves or as a result of some  $\star$  rule. Because the range of formulas obtained by rules application is finite, there exists  $k_i$  and  $k_j$  which are copies, i.e., they have the same associated set of formulae.

This is why the procedure always checks for the existence of such a state: new derivations are only performed for formulae that have not been already reduced, and the check for states which have the same set of formulae prefixed by them is performed to avoid derivations which lead to infinite branches. For the branch  $\theta$ , if at step n + 1 such states do not exist (by induction, the first state  $k_i$  has already been found in the first n steps of the procedure, therefore step n + 1 will find state  $k_j$  in which  $k_j$  is a copy of state  $k_i$ ), then this branch is an infinite branch and it will never be closed. When all formulae have been already reduced, the resulting tableau is either a closed tableau or an open tableau, to which the open branch leads to a counter model for the formula one is trying to prove.

### 5.4.3 Soundness

The proof of ReLo's tableau soundness follows standard techniques in literature [31, 32]. We adapt them to ReLo's reality in order to proceed. The soundness of the tableau proceeds by defining the notion of a satisfiable tableau, and then showing that satisfiability is a loop invariant property.

Let us define a map  $m: \Phi \to \{T, F\}$  as a function that maps a formula (i.e., its labeling state and the formula itself) to T. Intuitively, m states that the tableau formula  $w: \varphi$  is valid at the state denoted by its label.

**Definition 5.4.7** (Tableau satisfiability). A ReLo tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  is satisfiable if at least one of its branches  $\mathcal{B}$  is satisfiable. A branch  $\mathcal{B}$  is satisfiable if there is a map m which maps each of its formulae  $(w : \varphi) \in \mathcal{B}$  to T.

**Lemma 14** (Satisfiability for **ReLo** Tableau is loop invariant). The application of any tableau expansion rule (as in Definition 5.4.2) to a satisfiable tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  will result in another satisfiable tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $\mathcal{T}$  is a satisfiable tableau. We want to prove that the application of a tableau expansion rule to some formula  $\psi$  in a branch  $\mathcal{B}$  of  $\mathcal{T}$  results in a satisfiable tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$ . The proof proceeds by induction on the tableau expansion rules, showing that for each rule application, the resulting tableau is indeed satisfiable. From Definition 5.4.7, as  $\mathcal{T}$  is satisfiable, it has a satisfiable branch. Suppose b is such a satisfiable branch of  $\mathcal{T}$ . We have to analyze the following cases:

- 1. case  $b \neq \mathcal{B}$ : as no rule was applied in b and b is a branch of  $\mathcal{T}'$ , b is still a satisfiable branch of a satisfiable tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$ .
- 2. case  $b = \mathcal{B}$ : branch  $\mathcal{B}$  is satisfiable in  $\mathcal{T}$ . We must show that an tableau expansion rule application must yield a satisfiable tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$ . We need to consider each of the possible tableau expansion rules that could be applied to formula  $\psi$ . For these cases, we only consider rules (\* - T) as their dual may be obtained as follows:
  - (And F) may be obtained by the negation of (Or T)
  - (Or F) may be obtained by the negation of (And T)
  - $(\rightarrow -F)$  may be obtained by rewriting it to  $\neg \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2$ , which reduces to the case of (Or F)
  - $(\langle t, \pi \rangle F)$  may be obtained by the negation of  $([t, \pi] T)$
  - $([t,\pi]-F)$  may be obtained by the negation of  $(\langle t,\pi\rangle-T)$

- $(\langle t, \pi^* \rangle F)$  may be obtained by the negation of  $([t, \pi^*] T)$
- $([t, \pi^{\star}] F)$  may be obtained by the negation of  $(\langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle T)$

Therefore, let the tableau expansion rule applied to a formula  $\psi$  be:

- (And T): by induction, ψ is w : φ<sub>1</sub> ∧ φ<sub>2</sub> mapped to T by a map m in T. Therefore, because w : φ<sub>1</sub> and w : φ<sub>2</sub> maps both to T by m in B' as a satisfiable branch, T' is a satisfiable tableau.
- (or T): by induction, ψ is w: φ<sub>1</sub> ∨ φ<sub>2</sub> mapped to T by a map m in T. The application of (or T) yields two different branches from B, namely B<sub>1</sub> with φ<sub>1</sub> and B<sub>2</sub> with φ<sub>2</sub>, and from ψ mapping to T by m, either φ<sub>1</sub> or φ<sub>2</sub> (or both) maps to T by m. If m(φ<sub>1</sub>) = T, then B<sub>1</sub> denotes a satisfiable branch in T', and if m(φ<sub>2</sub>) = T, then B<sub>2</sub> denotes a satisfiable branch in T'. In both cases, applying this rule in a formula in the branch B results in a satisfiable branch B' of a satisfiable tableau T'.
- $(\rightarrow -T)$ : by induction,  $\psi$  is  $w: \varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2$ , which can be rewritten as  $\neg \varphi_1 \lor \varphi_2$ , which reduces to the case of (or T).
- (⟨t,π⟩-T): by induction, ψ is w : ⟨t,π⟩φ mapped to T by a map m in T. This rule yields m(x : φ) = T in T', where φ is labeled with a new state x in the sequence of states allocated to formulas in T. Therefore, the resulting branch B' is a satisfiable branch in T'.
- ([t, π]−T): by induction, ψ is w : [t, π]φ mapped to T by a map m in T. This rule yields m(x : φ) = T in T', where φ is labeled with a new (or already existing) state in the sequence of states allocated to formulas in T. Therefore, the resulting branch B' is a satisfiable branch in T'.
- $([t, \pi^*] T)$ : by induction,  $\psi$  is  $w : [t, \pi^*] \varphi$  mapped to T by a map m in  $\mathcal{T}$ . The branch  $\mathcal{B}'$  that results from applying this rule to  $\psi$  is  $\mathcal{B}$  with formulae  $w : \varphi$  and  $w : [t, \pi][t'_{\pi}, \pi^*] \varphi$ , where both formulae maps to t by m. Therefore,  $\mathcal{B}'$  is a satisfiable branch, yielding  $\mathcal{T}'$  as a satisfiable tableau.
- $(\langle t, \pi^* \rangle T)$ : by induction,  $\psi$  is  $w : \langle t, \pi^* \rangle \varphi$  with  $m(\langle t, \pi^* \rangle \varphi) = T$  in  $\mathcal{T}$ . This rule yields a new propositional symbol  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$ , which in turn may be further reduced by the  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$  rule. The application of  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$  results in a tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$  with two new branches as follows.
  - $\mathcal{B}_1$  which results from appending  $w : \varphi$  to  $\mathcal{B}$ . From the rule,  $m(w : \varphi)$  maps to T in  $\mathcal{B}_1$ , rendering it as a satisfiable branch of  $\mathcal{T}'$ , which consequently

is a satisfiable tableau.

-  $\mathcal{B}_2$ , which results from appending both  $w : \varphi$  and  $w : \langle t, \pi \rangle \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$ . From the rule, in this branch  $m(w : \varphi) = F$  and  $m(w : \langle t, \pi \rangle \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}) = T$ . We need to ensure now that the outcome of subsequent  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$  also results in a satisfiable tableau, where they may result in ignorable branches. We need to ensure that such branches can be discarded, still resulting on a satisfiable tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$ .

Therefore, let us define a order relation  $R_{\prec}$  as a relation over formulae  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  in a branch  $\mathcal{B}$  as follows:

- \*  $(x_0 : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}) \ R_{\prec} \ (x_1 : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle})$  iff  $x_0 : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$  belongs to a segment  $X_0, \ x_1 : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$ appears in a segment  $X_1$  and  $(x_0, X_0)$  is shorter than  $(x_1, X_1)$ .
- \*  $(x_1 : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle_1}) R_{\prec} (x_0 : \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle_0})$  iff  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle_1}$  collapses in  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle_0}$  and  $x_0$  is the fully reduced copy of  $x_1$ .

Now, let  $R_{\prec -T}$  be  $R_{\prec}$ 's transitive closure. Therefore, by  $R_{\prec}$ , there is a state  $\omega$  with  $(\omega : \mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle\omega})$ , where either  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  will be fulfilled by some  $x_i : \varphi : T$  (as yielded by the result of  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$ 's rule application), and  $x_{\omega}$  is accessible from  $x_i$ , or that  $(\omega : \mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle\omega}) R_{\prec -T}$  ( $\omega : \mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle\omega}$ ), and for every  $x_i$  in  $path(\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle})$ ,  $x_i : \varphi : F$ , where  $path(\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle})$  is the path of states reached from  $x_0$  until  $x_{\omega}$  from successive  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  expansions. Intuitively, the first case denotes the scenario where the eventuality  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  will be fulfilled, and the second one denotes that it cannot be fulfilled, and hence it is a ignorable branch that can be discarded, where both scenarios leads to a consistent  $\mathcal{T}'$ .

With Lemma 14, we may proceed with the following lemmas, also standards in the literature [28, 32].

**Lemma 15.** If there is a closed tableau  $\mathcal{T}$  for  $\varphi$ , then  $\varphi$  is not satisfiable

*Proof.* The proof proceeds by contradiction. Suppose that there is a closed tableau for  $\varphi$ , but  $\varphi$  is satisfiable. The construction of the tableau for  $\varphi$  is the tableau  $\langle w : \varphi \rangle$  which is basically  $\varphi$  labeled with a "starting" state w. This tableau is satisfiable (because we supposed  $\varphi$  is satisfiable). Then, from Lemma 14, each subsequent tableau generated by applying the tableau expansion rules to subformulas of  $\varphi$  results in satisfiable tableau, even for the closed tableau  $\mathcal{T}$ . But because  $\mathcal{T}$  is closed, there is no satisfiable branch  $\mathcal{B}$  in  $\mathcal{T}$ , which contradicts Lemma 14.

**Lemma 16** (Soundness of *ReLo* tableau). If  $\varphi$  has a tableau proof, then  $\varphi$  is a tautology in *ReLo*.

*Proof.* A tableau proof for  $\varphi$  comes from a closed tableau for  $w : \varphi : F$ . From Lemma 15, if  $\neg \varphi$  has a closed tableau, then it is not satisfiable. Therefore, it follows that  $\varphi$  is indeed satisfiable.

# Chapter 6

# A *ReLo* Implementation in Coq

In this chapter, we detail and discuss the implementation of *ReLo* as described in Chapter 5, focusing on the logic's core aspects. We also implement some functionalities regarding model verification, including a verification mechanism that returns whether a model satisfies some *ReLo* formula, a mechanism that tries to find a model that satisfies a formula (if satisfiable), and a tableau proof procedure based on the rules presented in Section 5.4. All the code discussed here is available at https://github.com/frame-lab/ ReoLogicCoq.

## 6.1 Core *ReLo* definitions

The formalization starts by implementing ReLo's basic notions referring to frame and model as in Definitions 5.1.8 and 5.1.9. They are formalized as Coq records respectively as frame (Definition 6.1.1) and model (Definition 6.1.2) as follows:

Definition 6.1.1 (*ReLo* frames in Coq).

```
Record frame := mkframe {

S : set state;

R : set (state \times state);

lambda : state \rightarrow name \rightarrow QArith_base.Q;

delta : state \rightarrow set dataConnector

}.
```

- S is the set of states;
- R is the relation R<sub>Π</sub> ⊆ S × S, structured in Coq as a set of pair of states (s<sub>i</sub>, s<sub>j</sub>), denoting that s<sub>j</sub> is accessible from s<sub>i</sub>;

- lambda is a function that expects a state s and a port name n, returning the time the data was flowing in port name n at state s, and
- delta as the function which returns the possible data items of port names at a state s.

**Definition 6.1.2** (*ReLo* models in Coq). A ReLo model is a Record formalized containing two fields, namely Fr as a frame from Definition 6.1.1, and V as the model's valuation function, which maps a state s and a propositional formula  $\varphi$  to true if  $\varphi$  holds in state s, and false otherwise.

```
Record model := mkmodel {

Fr : frame;

V : state \rightarrow (dataProp name data) \rightarrow bool

}.
```

The following definitions introduces Reo connectors based on their behaviour, as explored in Section 4. Definition flowProgram introduces Reo programs that denote data flow from a source node to a sink node, while blockProgram formalizes the connectors that have their behavior as "blocks" which may enable or hold data flow to the remainder of the connectors (attached to these connectors by a common node):

```
Inductive flowProgram :=
```

 $| flowSync : name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ 

| flowLossySync :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ 

| flowFifo :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ 

| flowMerger :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ 

| flowReplicator :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ 

| flowTransform : ( $data \rightarrow data$ )  $\rightarrow name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ 

| flowFilter : ( $data \rightarrow bool$ )  $\rightarrow name \rightarrow name \rightarrow flowProgram$ .

Inductive blockProgram :=

| flowSyncdrain :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow blockProgram$ 

| flowaSyncdrain :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow blockProgram$ .

We proceed by formalizing the *ReLo* program as  $\pi = (f, b)$  as the following Coq definition. Constructor reoProg expects two arguments: a set flowProgram denoting the set of flow programs f and set blockProgram stands for the set of "blocking" programs b.

Inductive reoProgram :=

| reoProg : set flowProgram  $\rightarrow$  set blockProgram  $\rightarrow$  reoProgram.

Then, the definition of a Reo connector in Coq is achieved by mapping  $\pi = (f, b)$  as a Reo circuit II out of canonical connectors by means of the following definition: Inductive connector :=

| sync : name → name → connector | lossySync : name → name → connector | fifo : name → name → connector | syncDrain : name → name → connector | asyncDrain : name → name → connector | filterReo : (data → bool) → name → name → connector | transform : (data → data) → name → name → connector | merger : name → name → name → connector | replicator : name → name → name → connector.

After the definition of connector. the possible data flows of each connector are formalized in coq as dataConnector shown below.

Inductive dataConnector :=

| fifoData :  $name \rightarrow data \rightarrow name \rightarrow dataConnector$ 

 $| dataPorts : name \rightarrow data \rightarrow dataConnector.$ 

A *ReLo* program is defined as  $\pi = (f.b)$ , where f is the set of connectors that compose the Reo model which are connectors that models data communication between two entities (flowProgram), and b is the set of "blocking" connectors, namely the ones that describe a drain behaviour (blockProgram).

A program  $\pi = (f, b)$  is then converted to a Reo model composed by channels introduced in Figure 4.1 and defined in Coq by connector. A lift is performed to each of the programs by the following definition.

Then, we define program as an inductive type which depicts the type of possible data firing for each Reo connector modelled as a *ReLo* program. Its constructors will be used later by the firing relation to determine how data flow between which ports. The mapping between the connector and its corresponding program is straightforward, except for sync, merger and replicator which share asyncTo as the program. Constructor transformTo stands for the Transform channel, and expects a transformation function of support  $data \rightarrow data$ , and port names A and B, where the resulting data flow is  $f(D_A)$ , with  $D_A$  the data flow in the port at the moment. Constructor filterTo denotes the data flow for Filter channel, where the predicate over the data flow is modelled as a evaluation

of a function  $f : data \rightarrow bool$ . Therefore, data will flow from A to B only if  $f(D_A) = true$ . Inductive program :=

 $\begin{array}{l} \mathsf{to}: name \to name \to \mathsf{program} \\ \mathsf{asyncTo}: name \to name \to \mathsf{program} \\ \mathsf{fifoAlt}: name \to name \to \mathsf{program} \\ \mathsf{transformTo}: (data \to data) \to name \to name \to \mathsf{program} \\ \mathsf{filterTo}: (data \to \mathsf{bool}) \to name \to name \to \mathsf{program} \\ \mathsf{SBlock}: name \to name \to \mathsf{program} \\ \mathsf{ABlock}: name \to name \to \mathsf{program}. \end{array}$ 

We proceed by defining parse as in Definition 5.1.4 in the following Coq code. It reflects the order of processing of each Reo channel that compose the Reo model as Definition 5.1.4 proposes, with the same purpose of correctly evaluate the programs, independently of the order they are used to construct the model as a whole.

```
Fixpoint parse (pi: list connector) (s : list program) : list program :=

match pi with

| [] \Rightarrow s

| a::t \Rightarrow match a with

| sync a b \Rightarrow (parse(t) (s ++ [to a b]))

| lossySync a b \Rightarrow (parse(t) (s ++ [asyncTo a b]))

| fifo a b \Rightarrow (parse t s) ++ [fifoAlt a b]

| syncDrain a b \Rightarrow (parse(t) ([(SBlock a b)] ++ s))

| asyncDrain a b \Rightarrow (parse(t) [(ABlock a b)] ++ s))

| filterReo f a b \Rightarrow (parse(t) ([filterTo f a b] ++ s )))

| transform f a b \Rightarrow (parse(t) ([transformTo f a b] ++ s )))

| merger a b c \Rightarrow (parse(t) (s ++ [(to a c); (to b c)])))

| replicator a b c \Rightarrow (parse(t) (s ++ [(to a b); (to a c)]))
```

end.

The next definition is that of the function fire, which is given in Definition 5.1.6, and with a data flow of ports composing a program  $\pi$  and the program  $\pi$  itself models the resulting data flow as the result of firing all eligible connectors. It is used by function go as in Definition 5.1.5.

```
Fixpoint fire (t: set dataConnector) (s : set goMarks) (acc: set dataConnector)
  : set (set dataConnector) :=
  match s with
```

```
[] \Rightarrow match acc with
           |[] \Rightarrow []
           |x::y \Rightarrow [acc]
           end
| ax :: l \Rightarrow match ax with
              | goTo a \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                               | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                               | \_ \Rightarrow false
                               end) (t) then
                               match (port2port (goTo a b)
                               (filter(fun y : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match y with
                               | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                               | \_ \Rightarrow false
                               end) (t)) with
                               | None \Rightarrow (fire t l acc)
                               | Some x \Rightarrow (fire t \ l \ (x::acc))
                               end
                               else fire t l acc
              | goTransform f \ a \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb)
                               (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                               | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                               | \_ \Rightarrow false
                               end) (t) then
                               match (port2portTr f (goTransform f a b)
                               (filter(fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                               | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                               | \_ \Rightarrow false
                               end) (t)) with
                               | None \Rightarrow (fire t l acc)
                               Some x \Rightarrow (fire t \ l \ ((x::acc)))
                               end
                               else fire t l acc
              | goFilter f \ a \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                               | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                               | \_ \Rightarrow false
```

```
end) (t) then
                match (port2portFil f (goTo a b)
                 (filter(fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                 | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                | \_ \Rightarrow false
                end) (t)) with
                | None \Rightarrow (fire t l acc)
                 Some x \Rightarrow (fire t \ l \ ((x::acc)))
                 end
                else fire t l acc
| goFifo a \ x \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb (fun x: (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                | \_ \Rightarrow false
                end) (t)
                then (fire t \ l ((fifoData a \ x \ b):: acc))
                else fire t l acc
\mid goFromFifo a \ x \ b \Rightarrow
                if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
                | fifoData name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                | \_ \Rightarrow false
                end) (t)
                then (fire t \ l ((dataPorts b \ x):: acc))
                else fire t l acc
```

end

end.

Therefore, the function fire expects as input the current data flow as t, a set of possible firings as s and acc as the output which will contain the next expected data flow of the whole connector. Its execution coordinates which ports and connectors fire, adding the result of firing them to acc. Auxiliary function port2port searches in the data flow t if, for each of the possible firings to be considered in s there is a data flowing in their source nodes. If this is the case, then the data found is the one to be considered in the connector's firing. The exception is for the case where a FIFO connector has data in it, where then fire will check in the data flow t whether the FIFO has data in it.

Note that fire employs auxiliary functions like port2port, port2portTr, and port2portFil, which retrieve the destination nodes of a connector when firing, and in the case of Trans-

form and Filter connectors, respectively applies the function to the data item flowing from the sink node to the source node, and only transmits the data to the sink node if the filtering criteria are satisfied.

Function *fire* also has as one of its parameters a variable s as a set of goMarks, which are effectively processed by it. The inductive type goMarks denote the type of possible data flows of each Reo connector modelled in connectors and it is defined as follows:

Inductive goMarks :=

| goTo :  $name \rightarrow name \rightarrow$ goMarks

| goFifo :  $name \rightarrow data \rightarrow name \rightarrow goMarks$ 

| goFromFifo :  $name \rightarrow data \rightarrow name \rightarrow goMarks$ 

| goTransform : ( $data \rightarrow data$ )  $\rightarrow name \rightarrow name \rightarrow$ goMarks

| goFilter : ( $data \rightarrow bool$ )  $\rightarrow name \rightarrow name \rightarrow goMarks$ .

Constructor goMarks formalizes the data flows of channels *Snyc*, *LossySync*, *Merger* and *Replicator* with goTo, the data respectively puring into and flowing *FIFO* channels as goFifo and goFromFifo, the flow of *Transform* and *Filter* channels as goTransform and goFilter, respectively. Each of these constructors will be used by go to structure the connectors eligible to data flow, which in turn will be effectively processed by fire.

With the definition of fire, we define go following Definition 5.1.5: for each connector  $\pi_i \in s$ , the function will check whether the specified conditions in Definition 5.1.5 are satisfied by the data item in t as follows:

- to A B as the *Sync* connector: go will then add goTo A B according to iff A has data in it in t.
- asyncTo A B as the *LossySync* connector: go will add goTo A B and goTo A A as data flows to be processed iff A has data in it in *t*. This simulates the two possible outcomes form the *LossySync* execution: either the data flows from A to B, or it stays in port name A denoting it was lost on its way to B.
- fifoAlt A B as the *FIFO* connector: go needs to consider two cases:
  - 1. There is data coming into the FIFO channel: iff A has data in it in t, then go adds goFifo A B to denote that there is data bound to enter the *FIFO* from its source node;
  - 2. There is data coming into the FIFO channel: iff there is data in the FIFO in t, then go adds goFromFifo A B to denote that there is data bound to flow out of the FIFO channel to its sink node.

- transformTo t A B as the *Transform* connector: iff A has data in it in t, then it adds goTransform f A B to denote the data flow of A to B with the data item in A transformed by f.
- filterTo p A B as the *Filter* connector: transformTo t A B as the *Transform* connector: iff A has data in it in t, then it adds goFilter f A B to denote the data flow of A to B will take place only if the data item satisfies the property specified in f.
- SBlock A B as the *SyncDrain* connector: if both port names have data flowing simultaneously in the channel, then it continues normal processing for the remainder of the connector. Otherwise, go will remove from further processing connectors with a sink node equal to one of the nodes of the SyncDrain channel being processed.
- ABlock A B as the *AsyncDrain*: if only one of the port names has data flowing simultaneously in the channel, then it continues normal processing for the remainder of the connector. Otherwise, go will remove from further processing connectors with a sink node equal to one of the nodes of the SyncDrain channel being processed.

```
Fixpoint go (s: set program) (k: nat) (acc : set goMarks) (t : set dataConnector) :
set (set dataConnector) :=
     match k with
     | 0 \Rightarrow \text{fire } t \text{ acc } []
     | Datatypes S n \Rightarrow \text{match } s \text{ with}
                 |[] \Rightarrow fire t acc []
                 | prog::s' \Rightarrow match prog with
                           | to a \ b \Rightarrow if existsb (fun \ x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match \ x with
                                   | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
                                   | \_ \Rightarrow false
                                   end) (t)then
                                   if negb((existsb (fun x : goMarks \Rightarrow match x with
                                   | goTo name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
                                   | goFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
                                   | goFromFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
                                   | goTransform f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
                                   | goFilter f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
                                   end) (acc)))
                                   then (go s' n (acc++[goTo a b]) t)
                                   else
```

```
(go s' n (swap acc (go To a b)) t) ++ (go s' n (acc) t)
       else (go s' n acc t)
 | asyncTo a \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) (t) then
       if negb((existsb (fun x : goMarks \Rightarrow match x with
       | goTo name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFromFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goTransform f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFilter f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       end) (acc)))
       then (go s' n (acc++ [goTo a b]) t) ++
       (go s' n (acc++[goTo a a]) t)
       else
       (go s' n ((swap acc (goTo a b))++[goTo a b]) t) ++
       (go s' n (acc) t)
       else (go s' n acc t)
| transformTo f \ a \ b \Rightarrow if existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) (t)then
       if negb((existsb (fun x : goMarks \Rightarrow match x with
       | goTo name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFromFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goTransform f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFilter f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       end) (acc)))
       then (go s' n (acc++[goTransform f a b]) t)
       else (go s' n (swap acc (goTransform f a b)) t) ++
       (go s' n (acc) t)
```

```
else (go s' n acc t)
| filterTo f \ a \ b \Rightarrow if existsb (fun \ x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) (t)then
       if negb((existsb (fun x : goMarks \Rightarrow match x with
       | goTo name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFromFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goTransform f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFilter f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       end) (acc)))
       then
       (\text{go } s' n (acc++[\text{goFilter } f a b]) t)
       else
       (go s' n (swap acc (goFilter f a b)) t) ++ (go s' n (acc) t)
       else
       (go s' n acc t)
| fifoAlt a \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | fifoData name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) (t) then
       if negb((existsb (fun x : goMarks \Rightarrow match x with
       | goTo name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFromFifo name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goTransform f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       | goFilter f name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name2 b)
       end) (acc)))
       then
       (go s' n (acc++dataConnectorToGoMarksFifo(t)) t) ++
       (go s' n (acc) t)
       else
```

```
(go s' n (acc++dataConnectorToGoMarksFifo(t)) t)
       else
        if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
       | fifoData name1 data name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | dataPorts name1 name2 \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       end) (t) then
        (go s' n (acc++(dataConnectorToGoMarksPorts t
       (fifoAlt a b)) t)
       else (go s' n acc t)
| SBlock a \ b \Rightarrow if (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) t) && (existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 b)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) t) ||
       negb((existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) t)) &&
       negb(existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 b) |
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) t) then
       (go s' n acc t)
       else
       (go (halt [a; b] s') n acc t)
| ABlock \ a \ b \Rightarrow if negb((existsb (fun \ x : (dataConnector)) \Rightarrow
       match x with
       | dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
       | \_ \Rightarrow false
       end) t)) &&
```

```
negb((existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 b) |
|_{-} \Rightarrow \mathsf{false}
end) t)) ||
(existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
| \_ \Rightarrow false
end) t) &&
(existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 b) |
| \_ \Rightarrow false
end) t)
then (go (halt [a; b] s') n acc t)
else
if negb((existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow
match x with
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
| \_ \Rightarrow false
end) t)) &&
(existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 b)
| \_ \Rightarrow false
end) t) ||
((\text{existsb} (\text{fun } x : (\text{dataConnector}) \Rightarrow \text{match } x \text{ with}))
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 a)
| \_ \Rightarrow false
end) t)) &&
negb(existsb (fun x : (dataConnector) \Rightarrow match x with
| dataPorts name1 data \Rightarrow (equiv_decb name1 b) |
| \_ \Rightarrow false
end) t)
then (go s' n acc t)
else (go (halt [a; b] s') n acc t)
```

end

end

#### end.

Each of the conditions processed by go also considers when there is more than a connector with the same sink node, in which cases data may flow nondeterministically. These cases are handled by go for each connector, in which the function will generate a output considering each scenario: in the following Coq piece of code, we explain the idea referring to the case of *Sync* as to A B.

```
(\text{go } s' n \text{ (swap } acc \text{ (goTo } a b)) t) ++ (\text{go } s' n (acc) t)
```

The output for this case will recursively call go in two scenarios:

- excluding all other connectors that have the same sink node B as the connector being evaluated (employing swap) as an auxiliary definition: (go s' n (swap acc (goTo a b)) t)
- 2. not considering the current connector (go s' n (acc) t).

Therefore, swap is defined as follows.

```
Fixpoint swap (s: set goMarks) (current: goMarks) : set goMarks :=
match s with
|[] \Rightarrow []
| dataMark::t \Rightarrow match dataMark with
                    | goTo a \ b \Rightarrow match current with
                            | goTo u v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                                      then (goTo \ u \ v) :: (swap \ t \ current)
                                      else (goTo a b)::(swap t current)
                            | goFifo u w v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                                      then (goFifo u w v)::(swap t current)
                                      else (goTo a b)::(swap t current)
                            | goFromFifo u w v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                                      then (goFromFifo u w v):: (swap t current)
                                      else (goTo a b)::(swap t current)
                            | goTransform f \ u \ v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb \ b \ v)
                                      then (goTransform f \ a \ b)::(swap t \ current)
                                      else (goTo a b)::(swap t current)
                                      | goFilter f \ u \ v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b \ v)
                                      then (goFilter f \ a \ b)::(swap t \ current)
                                      else (goTo a b)::(swap t current)
                                           end
```

```
| goTransform f \ a \ b \Rightarrow match \ current \ with
      | goTo u v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goTo \ u \ v) :: (swap \ t \ current)
                else (goTransform f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goFifo u w v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goFifo u w v)::(swap t current)
                else (goTransform f \ a \ b)::(swap t \ current)
      | goFromFifo u w v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goFromFifo u w v)::(swap t current)
                else (goTransform f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goTransform f \ u \ v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b \ v)
                then (goTransform f \ a \ b)::(swap t \ current)
                else (goTransform f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goFilter f' u v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goFilter f' a b)::(swap t current)
                else (goTransform f a b)::(swap t current)
                     end
\mid goFilter f a b \Rightarrow match current with
      | goTo u v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goTo \ u \ v) :: (swap \ t \ current)
                else (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goFifo u \ w \ v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b \ v)
                then (goFifo u w v)::(swap t current)
                else (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goFromFifo u w v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goFromFifo u w v)::(swap t current)
                else (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goTransform f' u v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b v)
                then (goTransform f' a b)::(swap t current)
                else (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current)
      | goFilter f \ u \ v \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb b \ v)
                then (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current)
                else (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current)
                     end
| goFifo a data b \Rightarrow match current with
```

| goTo  $x y \Rightarrow$  if (equiv\_decb b y) then  $(goTo \ x \ y) :: (swap \ t \ current)$ else (goFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goFifo  $x \ y \ z \Rightarrow$  if (equiv\_decb  $b \ z$ ) then (goFifo x y z)::(swap t current) else (goFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goFromFifo  $x \ y \ z \Rightarrow if$  (equiv\_decb  $b \ z$ ) then (goFromFifo  $x \ y \ z$ )::(swap t current) else (goFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goTransform  $f y z \Rightarrow if$  (equiv\_decb b z) then (goTransform f y z)::(swap t current) else (goFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goFilter  $f \ u \ v \Rightarrow if$  (equiv\_decb  $b \ v$ ) then (goFilter f a b)::(swap t current) else (goFifo a data b)::(swap t current) end | goFromFifo a data b  $\Rightarrow$  match current with | goTo  $x y \Rightarrow$  if (equiv\_decb b y) then  $(goTo \ x \ y) :: (swap \ t \ current)$ else (goFromFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goFifo  $x \ y \ z \Rightarrow$  if (equiv\_decb  $b \ z$ ) then (goFifo x y z)::(swap t current) else (goFromFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goFromFifo  $x \ y \ z \Rightarrow if$  (equiv\_decb  $b \ z$ ) then (goFromFifo x y z)::(swap t current) else (goFromFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goTransform  $f y z \Rightarrow if$  (equiv\_decb b z) then (goTransform f y z)::(swap t current) else (goFromFifo a data b)::(swap t current) | goFilter  $f \ u \ v \Rightarrow if$  (equiv\_decb  $b \ v$ ) then (goFilter  $f \ a \ b$ )::(swap  $t \ current$ ) else (goFromFifo a data b)::(swap t current) end

end

end.

Function go deals with the "blocking programs" induced by connectors SyncDrain and AsyncDrain as specified in Definition 5.1.5 (and discussed right before go's Coq code as ABlock and SBlock): if the conditions required to enable data flow from these connectors are not met, it introduces a call to a definition halt(a, b, s') where a and b are the port names of the connector, and s' is the remainder of the connector to be processed. Then, halt will exclude the connectors from s' which contains the same sink nodes as the ones in the connector (either SyncDrain or AsyncDrain) from the firing processing fire performs when finishing go's execution.

**Definition** halt (*names* : set *name*) (s': set program) :=

removePortNames s' (haltAux names names s' (length s'))

The firing relation f as Definition 5.1.7 formalizes is implemented by the following Coq definition:

**Definition** f (*t*: set (set dataConnector)) (*pi*: set connector) := flat\_map (go (parse *pi* []) (length (parse *pi* [])) []) *t*.

## 6.2 Model Verification

After implementing the concepts of ReLo in Section 6.1, we proceed by implementing the notion of a ReLo formula in Coq. This definition will pave the way to our model verification tool, and for the formalization of the tableau procedure we'll present in Section 6.4. We start by formalizing the notion of a syntactic ReLo program as syntaticProgram as an inductive type with two constructors: sProgram denoting a standard ReLo program, and star to denote the finite non-deterministic iteration of a ReLo program.

Inductive syntaticProgram :=

- | sProgram : reoProgram  $\rightarrow$  syntaticProgram
- | star : reoProgram  $\rightarrow$  syntaticProgram.

With the definition of syntacticProgram, we formalize formula as an inductive type that formalizes *ReLo* formulae in Coq. Each of its constructors denote a different formula component in *ReLo*: proposition stands for a regular propositional formulae, modalities  $\langle \rangle$ and [] are respectively formalized as diamond and box, propositional operators  $\land, \lor, \neg, \rightarrow$  $, \leftrightarrow$  are formalized respectively by constructors and, or, neg, imp, bilmpl. Constructors chiFormulaBox and chiFormulaBox formalizes respectively the propositional symbols  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ and  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$ . For these constructors, the parameter nat denotes the index of the  $\mathcal{X}$  variable derived, following the definitions in Section 5.4 and its parameter formula denotes the formula which has been rewritten as an eventuality  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle}$ . The inductive type formula will also be employed in the tableau implemented in Section 6.4.

#### Inductive formula:=

| proposition : (dataProp name data)  $\rightarrow$  formula

| box : set dataConnector  $\rightarrow$  syntaticProgram  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| diamond : set dataConnector  $\rightarrow$  syntaticProgram  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| and : formula  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| or : formula  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| neg : formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| imp : formula  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| bilmpl : formula  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| chiFormulaBox : nat  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula

| chiFormulaBox : nat  $\rightarrow$  formula  $\rightarrow$  formula.

These definitions allow us to start the development of the framework which, given a ReLo program  $\Pi$  and a ReLo formula  $\varphi$ , returns a model of  $\Pi$  in which  $\varphi$  is valid (if exists). If  $\varphi$  does not hold in  $\Pi$ , Coq will return a model with the formulae valid, based on  $\varphi$ 's processing. We formalize the notion of satisfaction of formulas  $[t, (f, b)]\varphi$  and  $\langle t, (f, b)]\rangle$ ,  $\varphi$  is a propositional symbol respectively as boxSatisfactionPi and diamondSatisfactionPi.

Definition boxSatisfactionPi with a model  $\mathcal{M}$  as m, a propositional formula p and a set of states (which denotes the actual configuration of the model reached after executing a [] modality) states returns true if p is valid in every state in states. This is performed by evaluating V as the model m's valuation function with each state of states and the propositional formula p. Conversely, diamondSatisfactionPi with the same parameters will yields true if p is valid in at least one state in states.

**Definition** boxSatisfactionPi (*m*:model) (*p* : dataProp *name data*)

(states: set state) :=

if (states == []) then false else

for all  $(fun x : state \Rightarrow (V(m)x p))$  states.

**Definition** diamondSatisfactionPi (*m*:model) (*p* : dataProp *name data*)

(states : set state) :=

if (states == []) then false else

existsb (fun  $x : state \Rightarrow (V(m)x p)$ ) states.

The formalization proceeds with function singleModelStep as the core of the model verification process in our implementation. It recursively decomposes the formula inputted as formula  $\varphi$  as a composite formula until propositional symbols are reached as follows:

• if  $\varphi$  is a proposition p denoted by the match with proposition, singleModelStep evaluates whether the proposition p is valid in the model m at the state s

- If φ is the negation of another formula ¬ψ denoted by the match with neg, then singleModelStep recursively calls itself to check whether ψ is valid, yielding the boolean negation of result of this recursive call.
- If  $\varphi$  is the conjunction of two formulae  $\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2$  denoted by the match with and, then singleModelStep recursively calls itself to check whether both  $\psi_1$  and  $\psi_2$  are valid.
- If φ is the disjunction of two formulae φ<sub>1</sub> ∨ φ<sub>2</sub>, then or recursively calls itself to check whether either ψ<sub>1</sub> or ψ<sub>2</sub> are valid.
- If φ is the implication of two formulae φ<sub>1</sub> → φ<sub>2</sub>, then imp recursively calls itself to check whether either ¬ψ<sub>1</sub> or ψ<sub>2</sub> are valid (by considering the definition of connective → in terms of ∨).
- If  $\varphi$  is the bi-implication of two formulae  $\phi_1 \leftrightarrow \phi_2$ , then biImpl recursively calls itself to check whether either  $\psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2$  and  $\psi_2 \rightarrow \psi_1$  are valid (by considering the definition of connective  $\rightarrow$  in terms of  $\vee$ ).
- If φ is [t, (f, b)]ψ, then singleModelStep needs to consider 1) the program that is within the modality, i.e., if it is either a regular program or a iteration of a program with \* operator, and 2) the structure of ψ to accordingly recursively process it with singleModelStep, similar to how it is performed for the propositional operators. From 1), singleFormulaVerify will either retrieve a set of all states {w ∈ S | (s, w) ∈ R<sub>Π</sub>} by means of retrieveRelatedStatesFromV, or it will calculate the reflexive transitive closure of R<sub>Π</sub> by means of RTC to obtain the set of states {w ∈ S | (s, w) ∈ R<sub>Π\*</sub>}. The processing by singleModelStep will require that ψ to be valid in all states w found by retrieveRelatedStatesFromV for both cases, which is done by the standard function forallb employed.
- If φ is ⟨t, (f, b)⟩ψ, then singleModelStep needs to consider 1) the program that is within the modality, i.e., if it is either a regular program or a iteration of a program with \* operator, and 2) the structure of ψ to accordingly recursively process it with singleModelStep, similar to how it is performed for the propositional operators. From 1), singleFormulaVerify will either retrieve a set of all states {w ∈ S | (s, w) ∈ R<sub>Π</sub>} by means of retrieveRelatedStatesFromV, or it will calculate the reflexive transitive closure of R<sub>Π</sub> by means of RTC to obtain the set of states {w ∈ S | (s, w) ∈ R<sub>Π\*</sub>}. The processing by singleModelStep will require that ψ to be valid in at least one state w found by retrieveRelatedStatesFromV for both cases, which is done by the standard function existsb employed.

```
Fixpoint singleModelStep (m:model) (formula : formula) (s:state) : bool :=
match formula with
| chiFormulaBox x phi | chiFormulaBox x phi \Rightarrow false
proposition p \Rightarrow (V(m) \ s \ p)
| \operatorname{neg} p \Rightarrow \operatorname{negb} (\operatorname{singleModelStep} m p s)
| and a \ b \Rightarrow (singleModelStep m \ a \ s) & (singleModelStep m \ b \ s)
or a \ b \Rightarrow (singleModelStep m \ a \ s) || (singleModelStep m \ b \ s)
| \text{imp } a \ b \Rightarrow \text{negb} (\text{singleModelStep } m \ a \ s) | | (\text{singleModelStep } m \ b \ s)
| bilmp| a \ b \Rightarrow (negb (singleModelStep m \ a \ s) || (singleModelStep m \ b \ s)) &&
                      (negb (singleModelStep m \ b \ s) || (singleModelStep m \ a \ s))
| box t \ pi \ p' \Rightarrow match pi \ with
                   | sProgram reo \Rightarrow match p' with
                   | chiFormulaBox x phi | chiFormulaBox x phi \Rightarrow false
                   | proposition p'' \Rightarrow \text{boxSatisfactionPi}(m)(p'')
                              (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)
                   | box t' pi' p'' \Rightarrow for all b (single Model Step m p')
                              (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)
                   | diamond t' pi' p'' \Rightarrow existsb (singleModelStep m p')
                              (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)
                   | and a \ b \Rightarrow (forallb (singleModelStep m \ a)
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s))) &&
                                    (forallb (singleModelStep m \ b)
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                   | or a \ b \Rightarrow (forallb (singleModelStep m \ a)
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                                    (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                   | \text{neg } a \Rightarrow \text{negb (forallb (singleModelStep } m a)} \rangle
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                   | \text{imp } a \ b \Rightarrow (\text{negb (forallb (singleModelStep } m \ a)))
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s))))
                                    (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                   | bilmpl a \ b \Rightarrow (negb (forallb (singleModelStep m \ a))
                              ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(R(Fr(m)))s))))
```

```
(forallb (singleModelStep m b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s))) &&
        (negb (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s))))
               (forallb (singleModelStep m a)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(R(Fr(m)))s)))
end
star reo \Rightarrow match p' with
| chiFormulaBox x phi | chiFormulaBox x phi \Rightarrow false
| proposition p'' \Rightarrow \text{boxSatisfactionPi}(m)(p'')
         (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)
| box t' pi' p'' \Rightarrow for all b (single Model Step m p')
          (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)
| diamond t' pi' p'' \Rightarrow existsb (singleModelStep m p')
         (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)
| and a \ b \Rightarrow (forallb (singleModelStep m \ a)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s))) &&
               (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))
| or a \ b \Rightarrow (forallb (singleModelStep m \ a)
         ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s)))
               (forallb (singleModelStep m \ b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))
| \operatorname{neg} a \Rightarrow \operatorname{negb} (\text{forallb} (\operatorname{singleModelStep} m a))
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))
| \text{ imp } a \ b \Rightarrow (\text{negb (forallb (singleModelStep } m \ a)))
         ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s))))
               (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))
| bilmp| a \ b \Rightarrow (negb (forallb (singleModelStep m \ a))
         ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s))))
               (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s))) &&
        (negb (forallb (singleModelStep m b)
          ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s))))
```

```
(forallb (singleModelStep m a)
((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))
end
```

#### end

```
diamond t \ pi \ p' \Rightarrow \text{match } pi \ \text{with}
                  | sProgram reo \Rightarrow match p' with
                  | chiFormulaBox x phi | chiFormulaBox x phi \Rightarrow false
                  | proposition p'' \Rightarrow diamondSatisfactionPi (m) (p'')
                            (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)
                  | box t' pi' p'' \Rightarrow for all b (single Model Step m p')
                            (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)
                  | diamond t' pi' p'' \Rightarrow existsb (singleModelStep m p')
                            (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)
                  | and a \ b \Rightarrow (existsb (singleModelStep m \ a)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(R(Fr(m)))s))) &&
                                  (existsb (singleModelStep m b)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                  | or a \ b \Rightarrow (existsb (singleModelStep m \ a)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                                  (existsb (singleModelStep m b)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                  | \operatorname{neg} a \Rightarrow \operatorname{negb} (\operatorname{existsb} (\operatorname{singleModelStep} m a))
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                  | \text{imp } a \ b \Rightarrow (\text{negb (existsb (singleModelStep } m \ a)))
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(R(Fr(m)))s))))
                                  (existsb (singleModelStep m b)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))
                  | bilmpl a \ b \Rightarrow (negb (existsb (singleModelStep m \ a))
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s))))
                                  (existsb (singleModelStep m b)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s))) &&
                           (negb (existsb (singleModelStep m b)
                            ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(R(Fr(m)))s))))
                                  (existsb (singleModelStep m a)
```

((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (R(Fr(m))) s)))end star  $reo \Rightarrow match p'$  with | chiFormulaBox x phi | chiFormulaBox x phi  $\Rightarrow$  false | proposition  $p'' \Rightarrow$  diamondSatisfactionPi (m) (p'')(retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s) | box t' pi' p''  $\Rightarrow$  for all b (single Model Step m p') (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s) diamond t' pi' p''  $\Rightarrow$  existsb (singleModelStep m p') (retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s)| and  $a \ b \Rightarrow$  (existsb (singleModelStep  $m \ a$ ) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s))) && (existsb (singleModelStep m b) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))| or  $a \ b \Rightarrow$  (existsb (singleModelStep  $m \ a$ ) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s)))(existsb (singleModelStep m b) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s))) $| \operatorname{neg} a \Rightarrow \operatorname{negb} (\operatorname{existsb} (\operatorname{singleModelStep} m a))$ ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s))) $| \text{imp } a \ b \Rightarrow (\text{negb (existsb (singleModelStep } m \ a)))$ ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s))))(existsb (singleModelStep m b) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV (RTC(m)) s)))| bilmpl  $a \ b \Rightarrow$  (negb (existsb (singleModelStep  $m \ a$ ) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s))))(existsb (singleModelStep m b) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s))) && (negb (existsb (singleModelStep m b) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s))))(existsb (singleModelStep m a) ((retrieveRelatedStatesFromV(RTC(m)) s)))end

As singleModelStep's definition shows, it relies on two standard Coq functions and two user defined functions to deal with modalities. Definition forallb expects a function  $f: S \to bool$  and a set of states s of type S, returning true if  $f(s_i) = true$  for each  $s_i$  in the set of states s, while exists b also expects a function  $f: S \to bool$  and a set of states sof type S, but returning true if  $f(s_i) = true$  for at least one  $s_i$  in the set of states s. Note that it also considers the formulas  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  and  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  as they are also members of formula, but as they are only introduced by the tableau (explained in Section 6.4), singleModelStep must not process it

The first user defined is retrieveRelatedStatesFromV, which given a set of states set-States and a state s it retrieves a set containing all states w such as pairs  $(s, w) \in setStates$ . Then, RTC calculates the reflexive transitive closure by appyling the union operation of the model m's transition relation R, its transitive closure returned by getTransitive, and its reflexive closure returned by getReflexive.

**Fixpoint** retrieveRelatedStatesFromV ( $setStates : set (state \times state)$ ) (s : state)

```
: set state :=
```

match setStates with

 $| nil \Rightarrow nil$ 

 $| a::states \Rightarrow if s == (fst a)$ 

then (snd a)::(retrieveRelatedStatesFromV states s)
else retrieveRelatedStatesFromV states s

end.

```
Definition RTC (m:model) : set (state \times state) :=
```

set\_union equiv\_dec (R(Fr(m))) (set\_union equiv\_dec (getTransitive m) (getReflexive m)).

We define singleFormulaVerify as the top-level definition that checks whether a formula p is valid in a model m, given a set of data markup t denoting the data flow for port names of the Reo circuit. The verification employs singleModelStep with m as the model and p as the formula, applying it to each state denoted by t as the starting state of singleModelStep.

```
Definition singleFormulaVerify (m : model) (p : formula)
```

(*t*: set dataConnector) : bool :=

(forallb (fun  $x \Rightarrow \text{eqb } x \text{ true}$ ) (map (singleModelStep m p) (getState m t))).

## 6.3 Model Construction

In this section we detail the construction of a framework that calculates a model that accepts a formula (if exists). If the formula is not valid, the framework returns a model which is induced by the formula evaluated (by expanding all the modalities of a formula, until every subformulae has already been reduced).

The framework is driven by the following ideas:

- For each state *s* reached during the execution, calculate and store the propositions (of type dataProp) in the valuation function V.
- For each state w reached from a state s, add (s, w) in the relation R
- Decompose the formula φ to be evaluated until all propositional symbols have been reached. Formulas with no iteration operators \* are inductively decomposed, while formulas with modalities that contain program operators \* require a upper bound n that limits its execution to a finite number of steps n. The validity of \* formulas then will be achieved (if possible) in at most n executions for each modality with \*.

The calculation of propositions that are valid in the connector considers three different scenarios:

- 1. The data item  $D_A$  is in port A (i.e., propositions like  $D_A = 1$ , where 1 is the data item)
- 2. Ports A and B have the same data item at the same time (i.e., propositions like  $D_A = D_B$ )
- 3. The data item D is in a buffer (FIFO connector)

The implementation of the item 1 starts with function retrieveSinglePortProp. It is a function that with a set of data flows t, a state denoted as a natural number *index*, and a port name n returns a proposition dataPorts n x if t describes a data flow of port n with data item x.

```
Fixpoint retrieveSinglePortProp (t : set (dataConnector name data)) (index : nat)
(n : name) : set (dataProp name data) :=
```

```
match t with
| [] \Rightarrow []
| a::t' \Rightarrow match a with
| dataPorts a \ x \Rightarrow if (n == a) then [datalnPorts n \ x]
else retrieveSinglePortProp t' index n
| fifoData a \ x \ b \Rightarrow retrieveSinglePortProp t' index n
end
```

end.

Item 2 is then implemented by means of portsHaveTheSameData, a function that with two data flows n1 and n2 creates a proposition datalnPorts data a b if they have the same data item in their flow.

**Definition** portsHaveSameData (n1 : (dataConnector name data)) (n2 : (dataConnector name data)) : set (dataProp name data) :=

match n1, n2 with

| dataPorts a x, dataPorts  $b y \Rightarrow if x == y$  then [dataBothPorts  $data \ a \ b$ ] else [] | \_ , \_  $\Rightarrow$  []

```
end.
```

Function portsHaveSameData is then extended to a set of data flows t with the implementation of retrieveTwoPortsProp. It checks in the whole data flow of the model at a specific state *index* as t to build valid propositions of type  $D_A = D_B$  in state *index*.

```
Fixpoint retrieveTwoPortsProp (index:nat) (t: set (dataConnector name data))
```

```
(n : (dataConnector name data)) : set (dataProp name data) :=
match t with
[] ⇒ []
| a::t' ⇒ portsHaveSameData a n++(retrieveTwoPortsProp index t' n)
end.
```

Then, retrieveFIFOdataProp recovers propositions regarding the data within buffers as in item 3. Given a data flow t and a state *index*, retrieveFIFOdataProp checks in t if there is a flow denoting data stored within FIFO connectors. For each data item found, it creates a proposition stating that  $D_A$  ( $D_A$  as the data item in the flow) is in FIFO within port names a and b.

```
Fixpoint retrieveFIFOdataProp (index: nat) (t: set (dataConnector name data))
```

```
(n : dataConnector name data) : set (dataProp name data) :=
```

match t with

 $\mid fifodata::t' \Rightarrow match fifodata with$ 

```
| fifoData a x b ⇒ if (equiv_decb fifodata n)
        then [dataInFifo a x b]++
        (retrieveFIFOdataProp index t' n)
        else (retrieveFIFOdataProp index t' n)
| dataPorts a b ⇒ (retrieveFIFOdataProp index t' n)
end
```

```
| [] \Rightarrow []end.
```

These functions are then joined by buildValidPropositions, a definition which unifies the three possible sets of propositions created by retrieveSinglePortProp, portsHaveSame-Data, and retrieveFIFOdataProp. It will process each of the aforementioned functions, considering all port names of the Reo model as N.

**Definition** buildValidPropositions (N: set name) (index: nat) (t: set (dataConnector name data)) : set (dataProp name data) :=

((flat\_map(retrieveTwoPortsProp index t) (t))) ++

 $(flat_map(retrieveSinglePortProp t index) (N)) ++$ 

(flat\_map(retrieveFIFOdataProp index t) t).

The construction of the model effectively is split into two parts. When evaluating a program II and a formula  $\varphi$ , we first construct a model  $\mathcal{M}_0$  considering a starting state 0 as the state where a data flow  $t \in \delta(0)$ , and the valid proposition in 0 are the ones derived by buildValidPropositions considering t. If  $\varphi$  is a proposition, then there is no further processing to be performed and  $\mathcal{M}_0$  is returned. Otherwise, considering  $\mathcal{M}_0$  as the starting point,  $\varphi$  is decomposed and processed, so for each state j reached, their corresponding information is added to the model (the state, the pair (i, j) is added to  $R_{\Pi}$ as the model's transition relation, and the valid propositions of the reached state based on  $\delta(j)$ ). this search is done in a depth-search fashion employing the definitions we detail as follows.

We proceed by formalizing a definition which will be useful when formalizing the resulting model  $\mathcal{M}_0$ 's valuation function V. getProp will be employed to return whether a proposition n is in a set of propositions setProp, where setProp denotes V(0, n).

Fixpoint getProp (setProp: set (dataProp name data)) (n: (dataProp name data)) :
bool :=

```
match setProp with

| [] \Rightarrow false

| a::t \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb a n) then true else getProp t n

end.
```

Then, definition getValFunctionProp will employ getProp to define a valuation function for  $\mathcal{M}_0$  with the same parameters V expects.

**Definition** getValFunctionProp (N: set name) (t:set (dataConnector name data)) (index: nat) (s:nat) (p:(dataProp name data)) :=

getProp ((buildValidPropositions N index t )) p.

The Frame  $\mathcal{F}$  for model  $\mathcal{M}_0$  is formalized by buildPropFrame, which yields a Coq model as in Definition 6.1.1 as follows. Function setStateForProp returns a set contain-
ing a single state s as the set S of states of the model, while notation [] is an empty set of relations R, lambdaForProp returns a standard lambda for the data flow t, and deltaForProp returns t as the state's own data markup, as there is no other states to be reached.

**Definition** buildPropFrame (t: set (dataConnector name data)) (s:nat) :=

**mkframe** (setStateForProp s) ([]) (lambdaForProp) (deltaForProp t).

Then,  $\mathcal{M}_0$  is defined by buildPropModel, which follows Definition 6.1.2 with a valuation function yielded by getValFunctionProp.

**Definition** buildPropModel (N: set name)(t: set (dataConnector name data))

(s:nat) := mkmodel (buildPropFrame t s) (getValFunctionProp N t s).

The definitions detailed above comprise the first part of the model construction framework. We focus now on the second half, which aims to provide the construction of models for formulas  $\varphi$  which are not propositions with  $\mathcal{M}_0$  as a basis for the processing. The development will build intermediate models  $\mathcal{M}_1, \mathcal{M}_2, \ldots, \mathcal{M}$  until the end of the processing is reached (i.e., the formula has been fully reduced). Each  $\mathcal{M}_i$  is the result of evaluating the current set of states and the possible data flows the model is currently in, which will culminate in  $\mathcal{M}$  as the resulting Coq model.

The formalization proceeds by formalizing a function which retrieves the valid propositions of a given state n. For the whole model  $\mathcal{M}$ , we implement the structure of the propositions as a set of pairs s, p, meaning that a proposition p is valid at state s. Therefore, getValFunction with a proposition *prop*, a state *state*, and a set of propositions *props* returns a set containing all propositions in *props* which are valid in the current state, i.e., the first value of the .

Fixpoint getValFunction (props : set (nat × (set (dataProp name data))))
(state : nat) (prop: (dataProp name data)) :=
match props with
[] ⇒ false
| stateAndProp :: moreProps ⇒ if fst(stateAndProp) == state then
set\_mem equiv\_dec (prop) (snd(stateAndProp)))
else getValFunction moreProps state prop

end.

The valuation function needs to be updated to consider each reached state and their corresponding valid propositions for each verification step. To this extent, we formalize a Coq Record that keeps track of the propositions and the states they are valid on as calcProps. This information is constantly updated in the model being constructed.

```
Record calcProps := mkcalcProps {
  statesAndProps : set (nat × set (dataProp name data));
  propCounter : nat
  }.
```

Definition addInfoToModel adds this information to intermediate models  $\mathcal{M}_i$ . Given a intermediate model m as  $\mathcal{M}_{i-1}$ , the current state being evaluated as dest and the state considered when evaluating  $\mathcal{M}_{i-1}$  (i.e., the state that dest was reached from) as origin, tas the resulting set of data flows in the Reo model, by firing  $f(t_{i-1},\Pi)$ , and dataMarkups as the current set of states and the propositions that are valid on them, addInfoToModel adds dest as a state of the model in S, a pair (origin, dest) denoting that the states are directly related in R, the new data markup function  $\delta$  for  $\mathcal{M}_i$  is calculated for the state dest based on t, resulting on the frame  $\mathcal{F}$  constructed by mkframe.

**Definition** addInfoToModel (*m*: model *name* nat *data*) (*origin*:nat) (*dest*: nat)

(N: set name) (t: (set (dataConnector name data)))

(*dataMarkups* : (set (nat × (set (dataConnector name data))))) (*calc* : calcProps) := mkmodel

 $(mkframe (set_add equiv_dec dest (S(Fr(m)))))$ 

 $(set_add equiv_dec (origin, dest) (R(Fr(m)))) (lambda(Fr(m)))$ 

(getDelta dataMarkups))

(getValFunction (statesAndProps (getNewValFunc calc N [t] dest))).

The model  $\mathcal{M}_i$  is constructed with the resulting frame  $\mathcal{F}$  as aforementioned with mkmodel, with its resulting valuation function considering all the states already visited and their corresponding valid propositions stored in *calc* by means of getNewValFunc. Therefore, *addInfoToModel* recalculates the resulting valuation function by creating a new calcProps, in which the new information regarding the propositions valid in state *dest* are added to the model. The propositions valid in *dest* are calculated by buildValidPropositions considering each element of the data flow t. Its result is then sent back to *addInfoToModel*, which adds the resulting set of valid propositions as its valuation function, by retrieving the value of the field statesAndProps of the calcProps returned by getNewValFunc.

**Definition** getNewValFunc (*calc*: calcProps) (N: set name)

(t:set (set (dataConnector name data))) (state: nat) :=

mkcalcProps (set\_add equiv\_dec (*state*, flat\_map

(buildValidPropositions N (propCounter(*calc*))) t) (statesAndProps *calc*))

 $(\text{propCounter}(calc) + \text{length}(\text{flat_map}(\text{buildValidPropositions } N \ state) t)).$ Definition addInfoToModel lets the formalization consider all possible states that can be reached during the model construction. Function processIntermediateStep extends the usage of addInfoToModel to add all possible "next states" that can be reached from origin: with m as the last obtained model  $\mathcal{M}_{i-1}$ , N as the set of port names that compose the model, visitedStates as a set that tracks all states that have been already visited by the model construction process, calcProps as the auxiliary structure that keeps track of the states and their valid propositions, and nextSetOfStates as the set of states reached by  $f(t,\Pi)$  from the current state origin, addInfoToModel employs addInfoToModel for each state reached from index in nextSetOfStates, where each element of nextSetOfStates are of form (s, dataMarkup). Therefore, (fst(currentState)) is the state itself, and (snd(currentState)) is the data flow that identifies such state.

**Fixpoint** processIntermediateStep (*m*: model *name* nat *data*) (*origin* : nat)

(N: set name) (visitedStates : (set (nat × (set (dataConnector name data)))))

(calc : calcProps)  $(nextSetOfStates : set (nat \times set (dataConnector name data)))$ 

 $:= match \ nextSetOfStates$  with

 $[] \Rightarrow (m, (visitedStates, calc))$ 

 $| currentState::moreStates \Rightarrow$ 

 ${\it process} Intermediate Step$ 

 $(addInfoToModel \ m \ origin \ (fst(currentState)) \ N \ (snd(currentState)))$ 

(set\_add equiv\_dec ((fst(currentState)), (snd(currentState))) visitedStates) calc) origin N

(set\_add equiv\_dec ((fst(currentState)), (snd(currentState))) visitedStates)
(getNewValFunc calc N [(snd(currentState))] (fst(currentState)))
moreStates

end.

Then, processGeneralStep uses processIntermediateStep to consider all current reached states, i.e., all possible states to which new states can be reached from the current processing step. It decomposes the current set of states to be evaluated as pairs (s, dataMarkup)as elements of currentSetofStates. For each pair (s, dataMarkup), processGeneralStep calls processIntermediateStep with its corresponding parameters as follows: m is the current model to which information will be added, index as each of the current states to be evaluated (i.e., the first element of the pair (s, dataMarkup) - s), N as the set of port names of the Reo model, visitedStates as the set of all visited states so far by the process, calc as the supporting structure that holds information about all states and the propositions valid on them, and nextSetOfstates as the resulting states that can be reached from firing the current state s's corresponding data markup dataMarkup as the second element of the pair (s, dataMarkup), i.e.,  $f(dataMarkup, \Pi)$ .

**Fixpoint** processGeneralStep (*m*: model *name* nat *data*) (*N*: set *name*)

(*visitedStates* : (set (nat × (set (dataConnector *name data*)))))

(calc : calcProps)  $(currentSetOfStates : set (nat \times set (dataConnector name data)))$ 

(pi : (reoProgram name data)) (index : nat) :=

match currentSetOfStates with

 $[] \Rightarrow (m, (visitedStates, (index, calc)))$ 

 $| currentState::moreStates \Rightarrow$ 

processGeneralStep (fst(processIntermediateStep m

(fst(currentState)) N visitedStates calc

(getNewIndexesForStates (f([snd(currentState)])

(program2SimpProgram (pi))) visitedStates index))) N

 $(fst(snd(processIntermediateStep \ m \ (fst(currentState)) \ N \ visitedStates \ calc$ 

(getNewIndexesForStates (f([snd(currentState)])

(program2SimpProgram (pi))) visitedStates index))))

 $(snd(snd(processIntermediateStep \ m \ (fst(currentState)) \ N \ visitedStates \ calc$ 

(getNewIndexesForStates (f([snd(currentState)])

(program2SimpProgram (pi))) visitedStates index)))) (moreStates) pi

(calculateAmountNewStates (fst(snd(processIntermediateStep m)

(fst(currentState)) N visitedStates calc

(getNewIndexesForStates (f([snd(currentState)]))

(program2SimpProgram (pi))) visitedStates index)))) index)

end.

To obtain the corresponding indexes for new states reached by  $f(dataMarkup,\Pi)$  to processIntermediateStep as its parameter *nextSetOfStates* employs getNewIndexes-ForStates. it is a function which will consider the creation of fresh indexes to denote states that have not been visited yet. If  $f(dataMarkup,\Pi)$  results in some already visited state, then *nextSetOfStates* will yield the index of the already visited state. It uses liftIndex, a function which will either retrieve a new index for the next visited state (if it has not been visited), or return the corresponding state's index from the set of already visited states.

**Definition** getNewIndexesForStates (t : set (set (dataConnector name data)))

 $(visStates: set (nat \times (set (dataConnector name data)))) (index : nat) :=$ 

liftIndex index (getVisitedStates t visStates).

Function getNewIndexesForStates also employs getVisitedStates, which based on the

data flow t and the set of already visited states visStates returns the indexes of states already depicted by data flows in t.

end.

The next step is to formalize the top level definition which will use processGeneralStep to implement the search to retrieve the resulting model after processing the formula. Definition getModel is the main function that recursively searches for a ReLo model induced by phi. Given a set of port names n, a data flow t it will decompose the formula until all atomic subformulas of phi have been processed.

The model construction relies on processGeneralStep, which updates the model for each modality processed. The remainder of the parameters supports the process as follows: m is the intermediate model obtained so far, index is the next available number to denote a state in the model, setStates is the set of pairs (state, t) of all states visited and their corresponding data flow, calc is the auxiliary structure calcProps which holds the states and which propositions are valid on them, and upperBound establishes a limit of processing of each iteration found in the modalities that compose phi.

**Fixpoint** getModel (*m*: model *name* nat *data*) (*n*: set *name*)

(t: set (set (dataConnector name data))) (index:nat)

(phi: (formula name data)) (setStates: set (nat × (set (dataConnector name data))))
(calc : calcProps) (upperBound : nat) :=

match phi with

| proposition  $p \Rightarrow m$ 

 $| chiFormulaBox x phi | chiFormulaBox x phi \Rightarrow m$ 

| diamond  $t' pi p \Rightarrow match pi$  with

| sProgram  $pi' \Rightarrow$ 

getModel (fst(processGeneralStep m n setStates calc (getNewIndex-

esForStates t setStates index) pi' (index))) n

(f(t)(program2SimpProgram (pi')))(fst(snd(snd(processGeneralStep m n setStates calc (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' (index) )))) p (fst(snd(processGeneralStep m n setStates calc (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' index))) (snd(snd(processGeneralStep *m n setStates calc* (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' (index))))) upperBound | star  $pi' \Rightarrow$  $fst(expandStarFormulas \ m \ n \ (t) \ (index) \ phi \ (setStates) \ (calc)$ upperBound) end | box t' pi p  $\Rightarrow$  match pi with | sProgram  $pi' \Rightarrow$  getModel (fst(processGeneralStep  $m \ n \ setStates$ calc (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' (index)) n (f(t)(program2SimpProgram (pi')))(fst(snd(snd(processGeneralStep m n setStates calc (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' (index) )))) p (fst(snd(processGeneralStep m n setStates calc (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' index)))) (snd(snd(processGeneralStep *m n setStates calc* (getNewIndexesForStates t setStates index) pi' (index))))) upperBound | star  $pi' \Rightarrow$  $fst(expandStarFormulas \ m \ n \ (t) \ (index) \ phi \ (setStates)$ (calc) upperBound) end | and a b | or a b | imp a b | bilmpl  $a b \Rightarrow$  (getModel (getModel m n t index a setStates calc upperBound) n t index b setStates calc) upperBound  $| neg a \Rightarrow (getModel m n t index a setStates calc upperBound)$ end. The top-level function that employs getModel is formalized as constructModel, that defines as parameters n as the set of port names of the Reo model, t the starting data

flow of the process, and phi the formula to be evaluated. It calls qetModel considering an initial model m supplied by buildPropModel as one that contains a single state where the propositions derived from t are valid.

Definition constructModel (n: set name) (t: set (set (dataConnector name data)))
 (phi: (formula name data)) (upperBound : nat) :=
 getModel (buildPropModel n (hd [] t) 0) n t 1 phi
 (getNewIndexesForStates t [] 0) (mkcalcProps [] 0) upperBound.

## 6.4 A tableau for *ReLo* in Coq

We provide an implementation in Coq of the core definitions of a *ReLo* Tableau as in Section 5.4. The development presented in this section aims to provide means for unfolding the tableau during the proof process, to check whether a branch is closed and even whether a tableau is open or closed, considering the particularities when it comes to formulae  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$ and  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ . These functionalities will allow us to check whether the forumlae is valid or not, following Definition 5.4.6.

The development starts by structuring proof trees as binTree, a binary tree structure which nodes have content of type  $(w : \varphi : \gamma)$ , where w is a label (state) of where the formula  $\varphi$  has value  $\gamma \in \{T, F\}$ .

Inductive binTree : Type :=
 | nilLeaf : binTree
 | leaf : (state × (((formula name data)) × bool)) → binTree
 | node : (state × (((formula name data)) × bool)) → binTree → binTree.
A proof tree denoted by binTree has three type of nodes:

- nilLeaf denoting an empty node, required for the definition of binType not to be ill-formed.
- leaf as a leaf node, with no nodes reachable from them.
- node as an intermediate node of the proof tree. This node type may have up to two descending nodes, either empty nodes (denoting no nodes in this branch), leaf nodes or intermediate nodes.

Note that leaf could be formalized in terms of node with both descendant nodes as nilLeaf. However, to ease the proof tree reading and processing, we decided to split leaf and intermediate nodes by using different type constructors.

With binType, we proceed to formalize ReLo Tableau as Definition 5.4.1 in Coq, a **Record** detailed in Definition 6.4.1.

**Definition 6.4.1** (*ReLo* Tableau in Coq). A tableau in Coq is depicted as tableau as a structure containing two fields: proofTree as the tree structure to syntactically reason over ReLo formulae, and statesTree as the auxiliary states structure that holds the information of how states used in the proof relate to each other.

```
Record tableau := mkTableau {
  proofTree : binTree;
  statesTree : set (state × state)
 }.
```

We continue by formalizing a function that constructs tableau from Coq *ReLo* formulas as detailed in Section 6.3, with the inductive type formula. The smallest tableau for a formula  $\varphi$  is a proof tree rooted with  $\varphi$  as F in a state w, which is also the starting point for tableau proofs. Therefore, formula2Tableau builds a tableau by supposing it is false in a state 0 as the starting point of the proof.

```
Definition formula2Tableau (phi: formula name data) :=
mkTableau (leaf (0, (phi, false))) ([]).
```

The two following definitions are support functions to operate on the proof trees as binTree. Function searchBinTree's objective is to recursively traverse the tree as a whole, searching whether there is a node with its contents equal to the ones provided in variable nodeContent (i.e., the same state, the same formula and its value in the state). It returns false if no node in proof tree t satisfying these conditions are found.

end.

Alternatively, searchBinTreeNode works similarly to searchBinTree, but instead of returning boolean values if the node is found in t, searchBinTreeNode returns the node

itself as a binTree structure. It employs option type from Coq standard library to denote cases when the node is not found.

end.

We proceed by providing definitions that will be employed in the tableau proof process, regarding the construction of the proof tree after applying a tableau rule as proposed in Section 5.4. Function addLeftToTableau adds non-branching rules to the proof tree specified in t. Parameter t' is the placeholder to which the result of the application of a rule in the proof tree t will be supplied. *leafNode* is a variable that denotes the leaf node of the branch the derivation in t' must be added. Function equalFormula is a function that basically calls equiv\_decb to check whether two formulae of type formula are equal.

**Fixpoint** addLeftToTableau (*t* : **binTree nat** *name data*)

```
| node phi \ a \ b \Rightarrow (node phi) (addLeftToTableau \ a \ t' \ leafNode) 
(addLeftToTableau \ b \ t' \ leafNode)
```

end.

In addition to addLeftToTableau, we also provide addBranchLeftToTableau as a function which adds branching rules to the proof tree specified in t, complementing addLeft-ToTableau. Parameters b1 and b2 respectively denote the left and right branches generated by branching rules as in Definition 5.4.2. They are added to the end of the branch denoted by leafNode, in a similar fashion as addLeftToTableau does, but adding each branch as a different branch.

end.

The formalization proceeds by defining now the core function in applying tableau rules. Function tableauRules is responsible for implementing the map between the formula in a tableau node, and mapping the result of the application as new node(s) appended to the end of a branch of the proof tree. It takes as parameters t as the proof tree of a tableau  $\mathcal{T}$ , origT as a copy ot /t] which will be used to produce the final tree, statesTree as the set of accessed states of the tableau, nodeContent as the formula which one wants to apply the rule, state as the next index available for a new state (as rules []-F and  $\langle\rangle$ -T require a new, not visited state), destState as the state where formulas  $\langle\rangle$ -F and []-T will be expanded to (since their resulting formulae can employ an already visited state or a new one), indexchiFormulaBox and indexchiFormulaBoxmond respectively as the current index to keep track of how many  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  and  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  have already been instantiated, and leafNode as the leaf node of the branch where the result of the rule application must be added in the proof tree.

With these parameters, tableauRules searches in the proof tree t in the branch ended by *leafNode* if there is a node with content denoted by *nodeContent* as a node  $(w: \varphi: \gamma)$ . By matching the combination of formula  $\varphi$  and  $\gamma$  as one of the rules in Definition 5.4.2, *tableauRules* returns the result of the rule application as a new tableau  $\mathcal{T}'$  with the rule's result appended to *leafNode*. For each formula constructor, *tableauRules* implements the rule application result considering both T and F rules. The T case is considered in the if  $(\operatorname{snd}(\operatorname{snd}(phi)))$  clauses after each of the cases, and the F case in the corresponding else.

**Definition** tableauRules

(t: binTree nat name data) (origT: binTree nat name data)  $(statesTree : set (nat \times nat))$  $(nodeContent : nat \times (((formula name data)) \times bool))$ (state : nat) (destState : nat) (indexchiFormulaBox : nat) (*indexchiFormulaBoxmond* : **nat**)  $(leafNode : nat \times (((formula name data)) \times bool)) :=$ match (searchBinTreeNode t nodeContent) with | None  $\Rightarrow$  (origT, statesTree) | Some  $tx \Rightarrow$ match tx with | nilLeaf \_ \_  $\rightarrow$  (tx, statesTree)  $|\text{leaf } phi \Rightarrow \text{if (equiv_decb (fst(nodeContent)) (fst(phi)))}$ **&&** (equalForumla (fst(snd(*nodeContent*))) (fst(snd(*phi*)))) **&&** (equiv\_decb (snd(snd(nodeContent))) (snd(snd(phi)))) then match (fst(snd(phi))) with | proposition  $p \Rightarrow$ (origT, statesTree)  $| chiFormulaBox n phi' \Rightarrow if negb (snd(snd(phi))) then$ match phi' with | box t' pi p  $\Rightarrow$  match pi with | star  $pi' \Rightarrow$  ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)) (leaf ((fst(phi)), (p, false))) (node ((fst(phi)), (p, true)))(|eaf ((fst(phi))),((box t' pi) (chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBox phi'), false))) (nilLeaf nat name data)) leafNode), (statesTree))

```
| sProgram pi' \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
     end
  | \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
  end
else (origT, statesTree)
| chiFormulaBox n phi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
  match phi' with
  diamond t' pi \ p \Rightarrow \text{match } pi \ \text{with}
     | star pi' \Rightarrow ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT))
             (\text{leaf} ((\text{fst}(phi)), (p, \text{true})))
             (node ((fst(phi)), (p, false))
             (leaf ((fst(phi))), ((diamond t' pi)
             (chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond phi'), true)))
             (nilLeaf nat name data)) leafNode) , (statesTree))
     | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
     end
  | \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
  end
else (origT, statesTree)
| and phi1 phi2 \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
     ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1, true)))))
     (\text{leaf} ((\text{fst}(phi)), (phi2, true)))
     (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
     else ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)
     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , false)))
     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2, false))) leafNode), (statesTree))
| or phi1 phi2 \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
     ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT) (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1, true))))
     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2, true))) leafNode), (statesTree))
     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
     ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1, false)))
     (\text{leaf} ((\text{fst}(phi)), (phi2, \text{false})))
     (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
| \text{neg } phi1 \Rightarrow \text{if } (\text{snd}(\text{snd}(phi))) \text{ then}
     (addLeftToTableau (origT)
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```
(leaf ((fst(phi)), (((phi1)), false))) leafNode), (statesTree))
    else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
    (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((phi1)), true))) leafNode), (statesTree))
| box t' pi p \Rightarrow match pi with
    | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
    ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
    ((leaf ((destState), (p, true)))) leafNode), (statesTree))
    else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
    ((leaf ((state), (p, false)))) leafNode),
    (set_add equiv_dec ((fst(phi)), (state)) statesTree ))
    | star pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
       (addLeftToTableau (origT)
      ((node ((fst(phi)), (p, true))) (leaf ((fst(phi))),
       (((box t' (sProgram pi')(box t' (star pi') p))), true)))
      (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
       else ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((leaf ((fst(phi))),
       ((chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBox p), false))))
       leafNode), (statesTree))
       end
| diamond t' pi \ p \Rightarrow match \ pi \ with
       | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
         ((addLeftToTableau (origT))
         ((leaf ((state), (p, true)))) leafNode),
         (set_add equiv_dec ((fst(phi)), (state)) statesTree ))
         else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
         ((leaf ((destState), (p, false)))) leafNode), (statesTree))
       | star pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
         ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((leaf ((fst(phi))),
         ((chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond p), true))))
         leafNode), (statesTree))
         else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
         ((node ((fst(phi)), (p, false)))
         (leaf ((fst(phi))), (((diamond t' (sProgram pi'))
         (diamond t' (star pi') p))), false)))
         (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
```

end

```
| imp phi1 phi2 ⇒ if (snd(snd(phi))) then
        ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)
        (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , false)))
        (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , true))) leafNode), (statesTree))
        else ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)
        ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , true))
        (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , false)))) (nilLeaf nat name data))
        (nilLeaf nat name data) leafNode), (statesTree))
        | _ ⇒ (tx, statesTree)
```

end

```
else (tx , statesTree)
```

```
| node phi x y \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb (fst(nodeContent)) (fst(phi)))
                     && (equalForumla (fst(snd(nodeContent))) (fst(snd(phi))))
                     && (equiv_decb (snd(snd(nodeContent))) (snd(snd(phi))))
                     then match (fst(snd(phi))) with
                | proposition p \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
                | chiFormulaBox n phi' \Rightarrow if negb (snd(snd(phi))) then
                    match phi' with
                     | box t' pi p \Rightarrow match pi with
                       | star pi' \Rightarrow ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT))
                          (\text{leaf } ((\text{fst}(phi)), (p, \text{false})))
                          (node ((fst(phi)), (p, true)))
                          (\text{leaf ((fst(phi)), ((box t' pi)))})
                          (chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBox phi'), false)))
                          (nilLeaf nat name data)) leafNode), (statesTree))
                       | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
                       end
                       | \_ \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
                       end
                       else (origT, statesTree)
                     | chiFormulaBox n phi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
                     match phi' with
                     diamond t' pi \ p \Rightarrow \text{match } pi \ \text{with}
                       | star pi' \Rightarrow ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT))
```

```
(\text{leaf}((\text{fst}(phi)), (p, \text{true})))
    (node ((fst(phi)), (p, false))
    (leaf ((fst(phi)), ((diamond t' pi)
    (chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond phi'), true)))
    (nilLeaf nat name data)) leafNode), (statesTree))
    | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
  end
  | \Rightarrow (origT, statesTree)
  end
  else (origT, statesTree)
| and phi1 phi2 \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
  (addLeftToTableau (origT)
  ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1, true)))
  (\text{leaf}((\text{fst}(phi)), (phi2, true)))
  (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
  else ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)
  (\text{leaf } ((\text{fst}(phi)), (phi1, \text{false})))
  (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2, false))) leafNode), (statesTree))
| or phi1 phi2 \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
  (addBranchLeftToTableau (origT))
  (\text{leaf}((\text{fst}(phi)), (phi1, true)))
  (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2, true))) leafNode), (statesTree))
  else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
  ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1, false)))
  (\text{leaf}((\text{fst}(phi)), (phi2, \text{false})))
  (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
| \text{neg } phi1 \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
  (addLeftToTableau (origT)
  (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((phi1)), false))) leafNode), (statesTree))
  else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
  (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((phi1)), true))) leafNode), (statesTree))
| box t' pi p \Rightarrow match pi with
  | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
    (addLeftToTableau (origT))
    ((leaf ((destState), (p, true)))) leafNode), (statesTree))
```

```
else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
         ((\text{leaf } ((state), (p, false)))) leafNode),
         (set_add equiv_dec ((fst(phi)), (state)) statesTree ))
       | star pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
         ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((node ((fst(phi))), (p, true)))
         (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((box t' (sProgram pi')
         (box t' (star pi') p))), true)))
         (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
         else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)((leaf ((fst(phi))),
         ((chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBox p), true)))) leafNode),
         (statesTree))
       end
diamond t' pi \ p \Rightarrow match \ pi \ with
    | sProgram pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
       (addLeftToTableau (origT))
      ((leaf ((state), (p, true)))) leafNode),
       (set_add equiv_dec ((fst(phi)), (state)) statesTree ))
      else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)
      ((leaf ((destState), (p, false)))) leafNode), (statesTree))
    | star pi' \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
       (addLeftToTableau (origT))
      ((\text{leaf } ((\text{fst}(phi))),
       ((chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond p), true))))
       leafNode), (statesTree))
       else ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((node ((fst(phi))), (p, true))
      (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((diamond t' (sProgram pi')
      (diamond t' (star pi') p))), false)))
       (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))
    end
| imp phi1 phi2 \Rightarrow if (snd(snd(phi))) then
    (addBranchLeftToTableau (origT))
    (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1, false)))
    (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2, true))) leafNode), (statesTree))
    else ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)
    ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1, true)))
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```
(leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , false)))) (nilLeaf nat name data))
(nilLeaf nat name data) leafNode), (statesTree))
| _ ⇒ (tx, statesTree)
end
else (tx, statesTree)
```

end

end.

To summarize, Tables 6.1, 6.2, and 6.3 denote the relation of each rule with the corresponding Coq code in *applyRule* that adds it to the proof tree t. The tables respectively shows the rules defined for propositional connectors, modalities and program operators. The left column is the tableau rule, while the right column denotes the piece of Coq code of *applyRule* which constructs the result of its application.

A top-level function to ease the process of applying a tableau rule to one of its nodes' contents is needed, to ease its usage. Function applyRule is the top level function used to *tableauRules* in the tableau process. Therefore, applyRule has as parameters t as a tableau defined by type tableau, nodeContent as the content of the rule to be applied in the proof tree of t, state as the next available state, indexchiFormulaBox and indexchi-FormulaBoxmond respectively as the next indexes for  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$  and  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  formulae, and leafNode as the leaf node of the branch where the result of the rule application must be appended. It then will apply the rule corresponding to the content of nodeContent, adding its result in the resulting tableau after leafNode. The resulting tableau t' is of type tableau and consists of t with the rule applied by tableauRules, and the set of states updated when applicable.

**Definition** applyRule (*t*: tableau nat *name data*)

 $(nodeContent : nat \times (((formula name data)) \times bool)) (state : nat)$ 

(indexchiFormulaBox : nat) (indexchiFormulaBoxmond : nat)

 $(leafNode : nat \times (((formula name data)) \times bool)) :=$ 

(mkTableau (fst(tableauRules (proofTree(t)) (proofTree(t)) (statesTree(t)) nodeContent state indexchiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond leafNode))

(snd(tableauRules (proofTree(t)) (proofTree(t)) (statesTree(t)) nodeContent state indexchiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond leafNode))).

The next step in the formalization is to provide means to check whether a tableau is closed. Intuitively, a tableau is closed if all of its branches have a contradiction (i.e., the branch's leaf node formula must contradict some formula in its branch). The idea we implement is to retrieve all leaf nodes, and for each leaf node found, get its corresponding

Tableau Rule	Coq Tableau code
$\frac{\mathbf{w}: \varphi \land \psi : \mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{w}: \varphi : \mathbf{T}}$ $\mathbf{w}: \psi : \mathbf{T}$ $\frac{\mathbf{w}: \varphi \land \psi : \mathbf{F}}{\mathbf{w}: \varphi : \mathbf{F}} \mathbf{w}: \psi : \mathbf{F}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , true))     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , true)))     (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode), (statesTree))     else ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , false)))     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , false))) leafNode), (statesTree))</pre>
$\frac{w: \varphi \lor \psi: \mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{w}: \varphi: \mathbf{T}  \mathbf{w}: \psi: \mathbf{T}}$ $\frac{w: \varphi \lor \psi: \mathbf{F}}{\mathbf{w}: \varphi: \mathbf{F}}$ $\mathbf{w}: \psi: \mathbf{F}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , true)))     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , true))) leafNode),   (statesTree))     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , false))     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , false)))     (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode),   (statesTree))</pre>
$\frac{w:\neg\varphi:\mathrm{T}}{w:\varphi:\mathrm{F}}$ $\frac{w:\neg\varphi:\mathrm{F}}{w:\varphi:\mathrm{T}}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((phi1)), false))) leafN- ode), (statesTree))     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((phi1)), true))) leafN- ode), (statesTree))</pre>
$\frac{w:\varphi \to \psi: \mathbf{T}}{w:\varphi: \mathbf{F}  w:\psi:T}$ $\frac{w:\varphi \to \psi: \mathbf{F}}{w:\varphi: \mathbf{T}}$ $\frac{w:\varphi \to \psi: \mathbf{F}}{w:\varphi: \mathbf{T}}$ $w:\psi: \mathbf{F}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , false)))     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , true))) leafNode),   (statesTree))     else ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT)     ((node ((fst(phi)), (phi1 , true))     (leaf ((fst(phi)), (phi2 , false)))) (nilLeaf nat name data))     (nilLeaf nat name data) leafNode),   (statesTree))</pre>

Table 6.1: Summarization of *applyRule* per tableau rule — propositional Rules.

branch to check whether it has a contradiction. If there is an open branch, then the tableau is not closed, and the formulae is not valid in the proposed tableau.

The set of leaf nodes is retrieved by getAllLeafNodes, a function that given a proof

tree t returns all leaf nodes found in it.

Fixpoint getAllLeafNodes (t: binTree nat name data) : set (binTree nat name data) := match t with  $| nilLeaf \_ \_ ] \Rightarrow []$   $| leaf phi \Rightarrow [leaf phi]$   $| node phi a b \Rightarrow (getAllLeafNodes a) ++ (getAllLeafNodes b)$ end.

We proceed with getBranch to enable a branch by branch analysis on whether a tableau is closed or not. Therefore, getBranch with a proof tree t and a leaf node as nodeContent, getBranch yields a branch which the leaf node has the content denoted by nodeContent.

end.

This definition is followed by is BranchContradictory', a function that checks within a branch t whether there is a contradiction with its leaf node as *nodeContent*, returning true if a contradiction is found, and false otherwise. The contradiction is depicted by the boolean disjunctions denoted as ||.

end.

This definition also comes with a dual that retrieves the nodes where a contradiction was found in the branch, instead of only finding that the branch has a contradiction. Function retrieveContradictoryNodes returns a pair containing the node that contradicted the leaf node *nodeContent* if the branch has a contradiction. Otherwise, it returns None to denote no contradictory nodes in the branch t exists.

```
Fixpoint retrieveContradictoryNodes (t: binTree nat name data)
(nodeContent : nat \times (((formula name data)) \times bool)) :=
match t with
| nilLeaf _ _ \rightarrow None
| \text{leaf } phi \Rightarrow \text{if (equiv_decb (fst(nodeContent)) (fst(phi)))}
              && (equalForumla (fst(snd(nodeContent))) (fst(snd(phi))))
              && ((equiv_decb (snd(snd(nodeContent))) (negb(snd(snd(phi)))))
              ((equiv_decb (negb(snd(snd(nodeContent)))) (snd(snd(phi)))))))
              then Some (phi, nodeContent) else None
| node phi a b \Rightarrow if (equiv_decb (fst(nodeContent)) (fst(phi)))
                  && (equalForumla (fst(snd(nodeContent))) (fst(snd(phi))))
                 && ((equiv_decb (snd(snd(nodeContent))) (negb(snd(snd(phi)))))
                  ((equiv_decb (negb(snd(snd(nodeContent)))) (snd(snd(phi))))))
                  then Some (phi, nodeContent)
                  else if searchBinTree a nodeContent
                  then retrieveContradictoryNodes a nodeContent
                  else retrieveContradictoryNodes b nodeContent
```

end.

The next step is to enable the verification of whether the tableau is either closed or open. First, it is necessary to analyze a single branch of the tableau. Then, it is extended to comprise the tableau as a whole. We also need to consider he cases where the leaf node of the tableau contains formulae  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , where the condition for the branch to

be ignorable (presented in Section 5.4) must be satisfied.

We proceed by collecting all states in the tableau with getStates. This function with t as the branch to be evaluated returns all different states present in the corresponding branch, which will be useful when searching in the branch for states which are copy of the state of the leaf nodes, when their formulas are of type  $\mathcal{X}_{\Diamond}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{\parallel}$ .

end.

The next definition is bound to deal with eventualities  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ . Given a branch as t and a state denoted by a natural number as *state*, *getFormulae* returns a set of all formulae of t indexed by state *state*. it will be used to find whether there is a state w in branch t with the set of formulas

```
Fixpoint getFormulae (t : binTree nat name data) (state:nat) :
set (formula name data) :=
match t with
| nilLeaf _ _ _ ⇒ []
| leaf phi ⇒ if (fst(phi)) == state then [fst(snd(phi))] else []
| node phi a b ⇒ if (fst(phi)) == state
then set_union equiv_dec (set_union equiv_dec ([fst(snd(phi))]))
(getFormulae a state)) (getFormulae b state)
else set_union equiv_dec (getFormulae a state)
(getFormulae b state)
```

 $\quad \text{end}.$ 

Therefore, checkCopyState is a function that searches whether there is a set of states statesFromBranch of the branch t with their formulas equal to the set of formulae formulaStateQui. If there is a state  $n \in statesFromBranch$  which contains exactly the formulae formulaStatesQui and vice-versa, checkCopyState yields true as its result.

Fixpoint checkCopyState (t : binTree nat name data) (statesFromBranch : set nat)
 (formulaStateQui : set (formula name data) ) : bool :=
 match statesFromBranch with

 $|[] \Rightarrow false$ 

```
| st::moreStates \Rightarrow set_eq (getFormulae t st) (formulaStateQui)
| | (checkCopyState t moreStates formulaStateQui)
```

end.

After the formalization of both is BranchContradictory and checkCopyState, we may implement a top level function in which will take a leaf node of a branch as *nodeContent* and a branch t to check whether t's leaf node contradicts any of the formulas of t. Therefore, *isBranchContradictory* splits this verification in two cases.

- if *nodeContent* is of form  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , then it must check whether the eventuality has been fulfilled (by means of isBranchContradictory') or if it makes the branch ignorable (by means of checkCopyStates).
- if *nodeContent* is not of form  $\mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle}$  or  $\mathcal{X}_{[]}$ , then it searches within the branch if there is a node containing the formula in *nodeContet* with opposite validity.

Tableau Rule	Coq Tableau code
$\frac{\mathbf{w}: \langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi : \mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{x}: \varphi : \mathbf{T}}$ $\frac{\mathbf{w}: \langle t, \pi \rangle \varphi : \mathbf{F}}{\mathbf{x}: \varphi : \mathbf{F}}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addLeftToTableau (origT)         ((leaf ((state), (p , true)))) leafNode),         (set_add equiv_dec ((fst(phi)), (state))     statesTree ))     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)         ((leaf ((destState), (p , false)))) leafNode),     (statesTree))</pre>
$\frac{\mathbf{w}: \ [t, \pi] \varphi : \mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{x}: \ \varphi : \mathbf{T}}$ $\frac{\mathbf{w}: \ [t, \pi] \varphi : \mathbf{F}}{\mathbf{x}: \ \varphi : \mathbf{F}}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     ((leaf ((destState), (p, true)))) leafNode),   (statesTree))     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     ((leaf ((state), (p, false)))) leafNode),   (set_add equiv_dec ((fst(phi)), (state)) stat- esTree ))</pre>
$ \frac{\mathbf{w}: \langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi : \mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{w}: \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle} : \mathbf{T}} \\ \mathcal{X}_{\langle \rangle} = \langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi \\ \frac{\mathbf{w}: \langle t, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi : \mathbf{F}}{\mathbf{w}: \varphi : \mathbf{F}} \\ \mathbf{w}: \langle t, \pi \rangle \langle t'_{\pi}, \pi^{\star} \rangle \varphi : \mathbf{F} $	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((leaf     ((fst(phi)),         ((chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond     p), true))))     leafNode), (statesTree))     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT)         ((node ((fst(phi)), (p, false))         (leaf ((fst(phi)), (((diamond t' (sProgram         pi')             (diamond t' (star pi') p))), false)))         (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode),     (statesTree))     end</pre>
$\frac{\mathbf{w}: [t, \pi^{\star}]\varphi: \mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{w}: \varphi: \mathbf{T}}$ $\mathbf{w}: [t, \pi][t'_{\pi}, \pi^{\star}]\varphi: \mathbf{T}$ $\frac{\mathbf{w}: [t, \pi^{\star}]\varphi: \mathbf{F}}{\mathbf{w}: \mathcal{X}_{[]}: \mathbf{F}}$ $\mathcal{X}_{[]} = [t, \pi^{\star}]\varphi$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     ((addLeftToTableau (origT)     ((node ((fst(phi)), (p , true)) (leaf   ((fst(phi)),     (((box t' (sProgram pi')(box t' (star pi') p)))     , true)))     (nilLeaf nat name data))) leafNode),     (statesTree))     else ((addLeftToTableau (origT) ((leaf   ((fst(phi)),         ((chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBox p) ,     false))))     leafNode), (statesTree))     end</pre>

Tableau Rule	Coq Tableau code
$\begin{array}{c} \mathrm{w} \colon \mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle} \colon \mathrm{T} \\ \hline \mathrm{w} \colon \varphi \colon \mathrm{T}  \mathrm{w} \colon \varphi \colon \mathrm{F} \\ \mathrm{w} \colon \langle t, \pi \rangle \mathcal{X}_{\langle\rangle} \colon \mathrm{T} \end{array}$	<pre>if (snd(snd(phi))) then     match phi' with       diamond t' pi p <math>\Rightarrow</math> match pi with       star pi' <math>\Rightarrow</math> ((addBranchLeftToTableau   (origT)         (leaf ((fst(phi)), (p , true)))         (node ((fst(phi)), (p , false))         (leaf ((fst(phi)), ((diamond t' pi)         (chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBoxmond         phi'), true)))         (nilLeaf nat name data)) leafNode),       (statesTree))           sProgram pi' <math>\Rightarrow</math> (origT, statesTree)         end           _ <math>\Rightarrow</math> (origT, statesTree)         end         else (origT, statesTree)</pre>
$\begin{array}{c} \underline{\mathrm{w:}\ \mathcal{X}_{[]}:\mathrm{F}}\\ \hline \mathrm{w:}\ \varphi:\mathrm{F} & \mathrm{w:}\ \varphi:\mathrm{T}\\ \mathrm{w:}\ [t,\pi]\mathcal{X}_{[]}:\mathrm{F}\end{array}$	<pre>match phi' with   box t' pi p <math>\Rightarrow</math> match pi with   star pi' <math>\Rightarrow</math> ((addBranchLeftToTableau (origT) (leaf ((fst(phi)), (p, false))) (node ((fst(phi)), (p, true)) (leaf ((fst(phi)), ((box t' pi) (chiFormulaBox indexchiFormulaBox phi'), false))) (nilLeaf nat name data)) leafNode), (statesTree))   sProgram pi' <math>\Rightarrow</math> (origT, statesTree) end   <math>_{-} \Rightarrow</math> (origT, statesTree) end else (origT, statesTree)</pre>

Table 6.3: Summarization of *applyRule* per tableau rule — iteration rules.

# Chapter 7

## **Usage Examples**

The current chapter provides usage examples of the formalisms hereby implemented. The proposed framework is further explored, considering the usage of all concepts introduced in Sections 5 and 6.

### 7.1 Sequencing Entities' communication in *ReLo*

Let us recover the example of the Sequencer model, introduced in Figure 4.2. The *ReLo* program  $\Pi$  is formalized from the following of flow programs in *SequencerProgram* as pi, a standard program as defined by reoProgram's constructor sProgram. This example's code can be found in the project's repository, in a file named "SequencerEx.v".

**Definition** SequencerProgram := [flowFifo nat D E; flowSync nat E A; flowFifo nat E F; flowSync nat F B; flowFifo nat F G; flowSync nat G C; flowSync nat G D]. **Definition** pi := sProgram (reoProg SequencerProgram []).

A user-defined model can be input in the system for verification. suppose the following structure denotes a simplification of the Sequencer's behavior as *sequencerModel*, where *sequencerFrame* is a user defined frame as in Definition 6.1.1, and *sequencerValuation* is the model's valuation function as in Definition 6.1.2.

**Definition** sequencerModel := mkmodel sequencerFrame sequencerValuation. **Definition** sequencerFrame := mkframe [DA;DB;DC;DD;DE;DF;DG;D\_DFIFOE;  $D_EFIFOF; D_FFIFOG$ ] [(DD,D\_DFIFOE);(D\_DFIFOE,DE);(DE,DA); (DE,D\_EFIFOF);(D\_EFIFOF,DF);(DF,DB);(DF,D\_FFIFOG); (D\_FFIFOG,DG);(DG,DC);(DG,DD)] sequencerLambda deltaSequencer.

The valuation function *sequencerValuation* denotes which formulae are valid on each state of the model *sequencerModel* using *getPropositionSequencer* as the function which stores the set of formulae valid for each state. An empty set of valid formulae denotes that there is no formulae valid in this state.

```
Definition sequencerValuation (s: statesSequencer) (p : (dataProp ports nat)) :=
 exists (fun x : (dataProp ports nat) \Rightarrow equiv_decb p x)
(getPropositionSequencer s).
Definition getPropositionSequencer (s: statesSequencer) :=
match s with
DA \Rightarrow [dataInPorts \ A \ 0; dataInPorts \ A \ 1]
DB \Rightarrow [dataInPorts \ B \ 0; dataInPorts \ B \ 1]
DC \Rightarrow [dataInPorts \ C \ 0; dataInPorts \ C \ 1]
DD \Rightarrow [dataInPorts D 0; dataInPorts D 1]
|DE \Rightarrow ||
|DF \Rightarrow ||
| DG \Rightarrow ||
| D_{-}EFIFOF \Rightarrow |
| D_FFIFOG \Rightarrow |
| D_DFIFOE \Rightarrow ||
end.
```

Properties may be formalized as ReLo formulae in Coq and validated on the model. The following formula states that "after every execution of pi with t denoting a data flow of item 1 in port name D, no data flow is present on ports A,B and C. The below evaluation of *singleFormulaVerify* yields true because the model [sequencerModel] indeed satisfies the property modelled.

```
Definition t := [dataPorts D 1].
```

Eval compute in singleFormulaVerify sequencerModel

(box t pi (((neg ((and (and (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)) (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))) (proposition (dataInPorts C 1)))))))) t.

Another example of formulae can be stated as follows: "given that there is a nondeterministic execution where there is a data item 1 in port D, then there is a nondeterministic execution where the same data item will be in port C.

Eval compute in singleFormulaVerify sequencerModel

(box t pi (((neg ((and (and (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))

(proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))

(proposition (dataInPorts C 1))))))) t.

The formalization presented in Section 6.3 is also useful for scenarios where the user

only wants to reason over a Reo model and a ReLo formulae, leaving the task to construct a model for the Coq implementation as in variable example1Relo. It uses constructModelwith the Reo model's port names, the data flow denoted by t, and a formula that states "given that there is a nondeterministic execution where there is a data item 1 in port C, then there is a nondeterministic execution where the same data item will be in port B. Variable example1Relo then will return a ReLo model in which the formula is valid. Then, the resulting model in example1Relo can be used by the model verification apparatus implemented in Section 6.2.

**Definition** *example1Relo* :=

**Eval** compute in constructModel [A; B; C; D; E; F; G] [t]

 $(length(SequencerProgram) \times 3).$ 

**Definition** validityExample1Relo := singleFormulaVerify example1Relo (imp (box t piStar'(((((((((proposition (dataInPorts C 1))))))))))) (box t piStar'((((((((proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))))))))))))))))))))))

#### 7.2 Modelling Smart Cities entities interaction in *ReLo*

We recover the Reo model in Figure 4.3 from [36] to instantiate a Smart Crossroad scenario, in which the traffic lights interact in a Reo model to obtain the token which will enable them to allow cars pass. The Coq code of this example may be found in the project's repository in a file named "SmartCitiesEx.v".

We proceed by stating the set of port names composing the model as modelPortsType. Inductive modelPortsType := A | Y | B | X | I | J | L | K | M | N | C.

The corresponding Reo model is formalized as the following ReLo program. The model contains a Transform channel which function is to invert its data flow. The transform function is swap01 as follows.

**Definition** SmartCitiesModelProg := [flowMerger nat A B Y; flowSync nat Y X; flowSync nat X I; flowSync nat X J; flowTransform swap01 J L; flowSync nat I K; flowSync nat L M; flowFifo nat K N; flowMerger nat M N C].

```
Definition swap01 (n:nat): nat :=
match n with
| 0 \Rightarrow 1
| 1 \Rightarrow 0
| Datatypes.S \ o \Rightarrow (Datatypes.S \ o)
```

#### end.

Let us suppose the starting data flow is item 1 in port name A. In this example, we will consider the iteration of program SmartCitiesModelProg as piStar.

**Definition**  $t := [dataPorts \ A \ 1].$ 

**Definition** piStar := star (reoProg SmartCitiesModelProg []).

Then, the behaviour of the model can be analyzed as follows. The idea of the connector is that a single data input 1 will result in both data items 0 and 1 reaching port name C, denoting that both semaphores get to let their cars pass. This can be formalized as  $(D_A = 1) \rightarrow (\langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_A = C \land \langle t, \pi^* \rangle D_C = 1)$ , which in Coq can be formalized as follows. (imp ((((proposition (dataInPorts A 1))))))

(and (box t piStar (((proposition (dataInPorts C 0)))))

(box t piStar (((proposition (dataInPorts C 1)))))))

Therefore, the model calculated based in the formula above can be calculated by constructModel resulting in SmartCitiesEx1.

**Definition** SmartCitiesEx1 :=

constructModel [A; Y; B; X; I; J; L; K; M; N; C] [t]

(*imp* ((((*proposition* (*dataInPorts* A 1)))))

(and (box t piStar (((proposition (dataInPorts C 0)))))

(box t piStar (((proposition (dataInPorts C 1)))))))

 $(length(SmartCitiesModelProg) \times 3).$ 

The validity of the formula in SmartCitiesEx1 can then be assessed by singleFormula Verify.

Eval compute in singleFormulaVerify SmartCitiesEx1

(imp ((((proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))))

(and (box t piStar (((proposition (dataInPorts C 0)))))

 $(box \ t \ piStar \ (((proposition \ (dataInPorts \ C \ 1)))))) \ t.$ 

#### 7.3 Byzantine Consensus

In this example, we show a *ReLo* formalization of the Byzantine consensus detailed in Chapter 4. We detail the implementation of the Reo model in Figure 4.4. The code of this example can be found in the project's repository in a file named "ByzantineConsensus.v".

We start by formalizing the Reo model in Figure 4.4 as  $\pi = (f, b)$ , where f = BizantineConsensusFlowProgram and b = BizantineConsensusBlockProgram, which will be combined in pi to form the pair (f, b) of a *ReLo* program. Definition piStar is the iteration of  $\pi$  as  $\pi^*$ .

**Definition** BizantineConsensusFlowProgram := [flowFilter timerProp R'B'; flowSync nat B'A;

flowSync nat B' X; flowFilter timerProp X CR'; flowFilter timerProp A VR';

flowFilter timerProp B VB'; flowFilter timerBPProp A' B;

flowFilter timerAPProp A' P; flowFilter timerProp P R; flowSync nat R Y;

flowSync nat R Z; flowFilter timerVAProp Y VA'; flowFilter timerProp Z CA'].

 $\texttt{Definition} \ BizantineConsensusBlockProgram := [flowSyncdrain \ A \ X; flowaSyncdrain \ X; flowaSyncdrain$ 

VR' CR'; flowaSyncdrain VB' A; flowaSyncdrain VA' CA'; flowSyncdrain Y Z].

**Definition** pi := sProgram (reoProg BizantineConsensusFlowProgram BizantineConsensusBlockProgram).

**Definition** piStar := star (reoProg BizantineConsensusFlowProgram BizantineConsensusBlockProgram).

Each of the Filter connectors above contains a predicate which specifies a condition for the data to flow for the specific port. In this example, we denote that the data to flow from nodes CA', CR, and A' is 1. If it is zero, then it is the case it flows from A to B only. As stated above, we model the notion of a temporizer as a special predicate which knows when to fire the transition. For the sake of simplicity, it assumes that the timer is always set to immediately fire, but the data will flow to sink nodes VB', VR' and VA' only if it equals 0.

```
Definition timerProp (n : nat) := true.
    Definition timerAPProp (n : nat) :=
     match n with
     |1 \Rightarrow true
     | 0 \Rightarrow false
     | Datatypes.S \ m \Rightarrow false
     end.
Definition timerBPProp (n:nat) :=
     match n with
     | 0 \Rightarrow true
     \mid Datatypes.S \ m \Rightarrow false
     end.
Definition timerVAProp (n:nat) :=
     match n with
     | 0 \Rightarrow true
     \mid Datatypes.S \ m \Rightarrow false
```

#### end.

One of the properties that can be checked in this model is as follows. The replica will only set its state to commit (by sending data to node "CA'") if the conditions required are met, and the preset timer for the V's have not been fired. This can be modelled as the following *ReLo* formulae:  $[t, \pi^*](D_{CA'} = 1) \rightarrow [t, \pi^*](\neg(D_{VA'}) \land \neg(D_{VB'}) \land \neg(D_{VR'}))$ as the *ReLo* used to find the model yielded by *property1*. Definition t states that the initial data flow in this example is the data item 1 in port name A.

**Definition** t := [dataPorts A' 1].

 $\begin{aligned} \textbf{Definition } property1 &:= \textbf{Eval compute in } constructModel \\ &[R'; B'; A; X; CR'; VR'; B; VB'; A'; P; R; Y; Z; VA'; CA'] [t] \\ &(((imp (box t piStar(proposition (dataInPorts CA' 1))) \\ &(box t piStar(and (and (neg(proposition (dataInPorts VA' 1))) \\ &(neg(proposition (dataInPorts VB' 1)))) \\ &(neg(proposition (dataInPorts VR' 1))))))))))) \\ &(length(BizantineConsensusFlowProgram) + length(BizantineConsensusBlockProgram)). \end{aligned}$ 

The formula above can be verified in the model obtained by *property1* by means of *singleFormulaVerify* as follows.

Eval compute in singleFormulaVerify property1
(((imp (box t piStar(proposition (dataInPorts CA' 1)))
(box t piStar(and (and (neg(proposition (dataInPorts VA' 1)))
(neg(proposition (dataInPorts VB' 1)))) (neg(proposition (dataInPorts VR' 1))))))))

t.

Another property that can be verified is as follows. Conversely to the data flow setting the replica to the commit state in nodes with port names CA', data will flow to the node denoting the view change only if there is no data in the change nodes CA' and CR'. This property along with *property1* states the notion that "no replica can set its state to commit and change view simultaneously".

**Definition** property2 := **Eval** compute in constructModel

[R'; B'; A; X; CR'; VR'; B; VB'; A'; P; R; Y; Z; VA'; CA'][t']

(((imp ((box t' piStar(proposition (dataInPorts VA' 0))))

(box t' piStar((and (neg(proposition (dataInPorts CA' 0)))

(neg(proposition (dataInPorts CR' 0))))))))))))

(length(BizantineConsensusFlowProgram) + length(BizantineConsensusBlockProgram)).

It can also be verified with *singleFormulaVerify* with the model obtained by *property2* as follows.

#### 7.4 *ReLo* Tableau proofs

In this section, we will recover Axiom  $\mathcal{K}$ 's proof in Section 5.4.1 to show how tableau proofs can be addressed in Coq. Its corresponding Coq code is in the project's repository, in a file named "TableauEx.v". The axiom can be formalized in Coq as *axiomKTableau*. In this example, we denote  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  respectively as Coq *ReLo* formulas (*proposition* (*dataInPorts* A 1)) and (*proposition* (*dataInPorts* B 1)). After each Coq tableau rule application, the resulting proof tree is also shown as Listings 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, 7.5, 7.6, 7.7.

Listing 7.1: Tableau obtained from formula axiomKTableau

```
= \{ | \text{ proofTree} :=
1
   leaf (0,(imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
2
3
            (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
                     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
4
       (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
5
             (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
6
       (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
7
             (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false));
8
   statesTree := []
9
10
   |}
```

Then, the analysis of the tableau can be done by applying rules using applyRules successively. It starts with formula2TableauKApp1 as the result of applying rule  $(\rightarrow -F)$ 

to the initial proof tree in axiomKTableau as the smallest tableau containing  $\mathcal{K}$  as false. To proceed, it is necessary to supply the node which the derivation rule will be applied, the corresponding indexes introduced in applyRule's definition, and the leaf node that identifies the branch to which the result of the rule application must be added to the proof tree.

**Definition** formula2TableauKApp1 := applyRule (formula\_eqDec Hfil portsEq nat\_eqDec) formula2TableauK (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] [])) (*imp* (*proposition* (*dataInPorts* A 1)) (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))) (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] [])) (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))) (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] [])) (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false)) 0 0 0 0 (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] [])) (*imp* (*proposition* (*dataInPorts* A 1)) (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))) (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] [])) (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))) (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] [])) (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false)).

Listing 7.2: Tableau obtained from formula formula2TableauKApp1

 $1 = \{ | \text{ proofTree } :=$ 

```
2 node (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
3 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
```

- 4 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
- 5 (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
- 6 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
- 7 (box [] (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
- 8 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false))
- 9 (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
- 10 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))

```
11
      (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), true))
12
    (leaf (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
      (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
13
14
      (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
      (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false)))
15
16
      (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat);
   statesTree := []
17
   |}
18
      The derivation proceeds with formula2TableauKApp2, which applies the rule (\rightarrow -T)
   in the right hand of \mathcal{K}'s main implication obtained in formula2TableauKApp1.
```

Listing 7.3: Tableau obtained from formula formula2TableauKApp2

```
1 = \{ | \text{ proofTree} :=
```

```
2 node (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
3 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
```

```
4 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
```

```
5 (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
6 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
```

```
7 (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

8 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false))

```
9 (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

10 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))

11 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), true))

12 (node (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

13 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))

```
14
     (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
15
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false))
   (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
16
17
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)), true))
   (leaf (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
18
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), false)))
19
20
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
21
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat);
22
   statesTree := []
23
   |}
```

Then, the next rule to be applied is ([]-F) which was obtained in *formula2TableauKApp2*. Note that, the next index has been updated to consider a new state, denoted by the number 1.

Listing 7.4: Tableau obtained from formula formula2TableauKApp3

```
1 \ \{ | \ proofTree :=
```

```
2 node (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
3 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
```

```
4 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
```

```
5 (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
6 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
```

```
7 (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
8 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false))
```

9 (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

```
10 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
```

```
11 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), true))
```

```
12 (node (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
13 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
```

14 (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

```
15
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false))
16
   (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
17
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)), true))
   (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
18
19
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), false))
20
   (leaf (1, (proposition (dataInPorts B 1), false)))
21
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
22
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
23
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat);
24
   states Tree := [(0, 1)]
25
   |}
```

The derivation obtained in *formula2TableauKApp4* is the application of rule  $(\rightarrow -T)$  on the formula obtained from *formula2TableauKApp1* as the implication of the left hand side of  $\mathcal{K}$ 's main implication.

Listing 7.5: Tableau obtained from formula formula2TableauKApp4

```
1 = \{ | \text{ proofTree} :=
```

2 node (0, (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

- 3 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
- 4 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
- 5 (imp(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
- 6 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
- 7 (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
- 8 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false))

9 (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

10 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))

- 11 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), true))
- 12 (node (0,(imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
- 13 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))

```
14
     (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
15
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false))
   (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
16
17
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)), true))
   (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
18
19
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), false))
20
   (node (1, (proposition (dataInPorts B 1), false))
   (leaf (1,(imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
21
22
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), true)))
23
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
24
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
25
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat);
   states Tree := [(0, 1)]
26
27
   }
```

The next derivation is formula 2Tableau KApp5 is bound to apply rule  $\rightarrow -T$  to the implication obtained in formula 2Tableau KApp4.

```
Listing 7.6: Tableau obtained from formula formula2TableauKApp5
```

```
1 = \{ | \text{ proofTree} :=
```

```
2 node(0, (imp(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
3 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
```

```
4 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
```

```
5 (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
6 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
```

```
7 (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
8 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false))
```

```
9 (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

```
10 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
```

```
11 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), true))
```

```
12 (node (0,(imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```
```
13
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
14
     (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false))
15
   (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
16
17
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)), true))
18
   (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
19
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), false))
   (node (1, (proposition (dataInPorts B 1), false))
20
21
   (node (1,(imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
22
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), true))
23
     (leaf (1, (proposition (dataInPorts A 1), false)))
24
     (leaf (1, (proposition (dataInPorts B 1), true))))
25
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
26
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
27
     (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat);
28
   statesTree := [(0, 1)]
29
   |}
```

The last derivation applied is formula 2Tableau KApp 6, which will apply ([] - T) in the left branch generated by formula 2Tableau KApp 5. The resulting tableau will result in a contradiction in both branches obtained in formula 2Tableau KApp 5 as the right branch already have a contradiction.

Listing 7.7: Tableau obtained from formula formula2TableauKApp6

```
1 = \{ | \text{ proofTree} :=
```

```
2 node (0,(imp(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
```

3 (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))

```
4 (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))))
```

5 (imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

```
6 (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
```

7 (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))

```
(proposition (dataInPorts B 1)))), false))
8
9
   (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
     (imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
10
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), true))
11
   (node (0,(imp (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
12
13
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)))
14
     (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1))), false))
15
   (node (0, (box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
16
     (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)), true))
17
18
   (node (0,(box t (sProgram (reoProg [flowLossySync nat A B] []))
19
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), false))
   (node (1, (proposition (dataInPorts B 1), false))
20
21
   (node (1,(imp (proposition (dataInPorts A 1))
22
     (proposition (dataInPorts B 1)), true))
23
     (node (1, (proposition (dataInPorts A 1), false))
24
       (leaf (1, (proposition (dataInPorts A 1), true)))
25
       (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
     (leaf (1, (proposition (dataInPorts B 1), true))))
26
27
       (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
       (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat))
28
29
       (nilLeaf nat ports nat)) (nilLeaf nat ports nat);
30
   statesTree := [(0, 1)]
31
   |}
```

The user can check whether the obtained tableau after the rule application is a closed tableau by means of *checkContradictoryBranch*. It will calculate each branch in proof tree *formula2TableauKApp6* and return true if all branches are closed, or false otherwise.

**Eval compute in** *isTableauClosed* (*formula\_eqDec Hfil portsEq nat\_eqDec*) (*proofTree(formula2TableauKApp6*)).

With the model obtained in Listing 7.7, *isTableauClosed* will compute two branches: one ending in row 24 and other ending in row 26. The branch ending in row 24 has a contradiction with the node in row 23 regarding formula (proposition (dataInPorts A 1)). The branch ending in row 26 has a contradiction with the node in row 20 regarding formulae (proposition (dataInPorts B 1). As all branches have a contradiction, the tableau is closed.

## Chapter 8

## **Conclusions and Further Work**

Reo is a widely used tool to model new systems out of the coordination of already existing pieces of software. It has been used in a variety of domains, drawing the attention of researchers from different locations around the world. This has resulted in Reo having many formal semantics proposed, each one employing different formalisms: operational, co-algebraic, and coloring semantics are some of the types of semantics proposed for Reo.

This work presents *ReLo*, a dynamic logic to reason about Reo models. We have discussed its core definitions, syntax, semantic notion, providing soundness and completeness proofs for it. We also discussed a Coq implementation of *ReLo* and some useful tools to enable its usage in a computational environment, like the search for a model that satisfies a formula, and a *ReLo* tableau implementation. *ReLo* naturally subsumes the notion of Reo programs and models in its syntax and semantics, and implementing its core concepts in Coq enables the usage of Coq's proof apparatus to reason over Reo models with *ReLo*.

Future work may consider the integration of the current implementation of ReLowith ReoXplore<sup>1</sup>, a web platform conceived to reason about Reo models, the study of ReLo and other Reo formal semantics (i.e., Constraint Automata and its core variants) to evaluate the expressiveness of possible extensions of ReLo, and the adaptation of ReLo to subsume other Reo channels created for other formal semantics to increase its expressibility, enabling the modelling of properties like actions and timing constraints performed by some other formal semantics [20,49]. Speficially regarding ReLo complexity results and the completeness of ReLo's tableau are also proposed as future work.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>https://github.com/frame-lab/ReoXplore

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