

Formal Techniques – 2016-06-13

Exercise 1. Provide the definition of the Scott topology \mathcal{T} . Then, define all the notions which are directly involved by the definition of \mathcal{T} . (No proof is required.)

Exercise 2. Consider the following protocol excerpt written in the applied-pi notation.

$$! . (\text{in } X . (\text{out } f(X) . () \mid \text{in } Y . \text{out } g(Y) . ()))$$

Apply the control flow analysis to the protocol above, generating a tree automaton to over-approximate the message flow, as done by function $\text{gen}(\dots)$. Provide a list of states for such automaton and the transitions among them. For each state, briefly hint to its relationship with the protocol above.

Exercise 3. Consider the following tree automaton

$$\begin{array}{llll} @a \rightarrow \text{enc}(@a, @a), \text{dec}(@b, @c) & @b \rightarrow \text{enc}(@f, @d) & & \\ @c \rightarrow \text{enc}(@d, @e), k2, \text{dec}(@c, @c) & @d \rightarrow k1 & @e \rightarrow k2 & @f \rightarrow m \end{array}$$

and the rewriting rule

$$\text{dec}(\text{enc}(M, K), K) \Rightarrow M$$

Apply the completion algorithm to the above automaton, building an over-approximation for the languages associated to its states which is closed under rewriting. Assuming $@a$ models the set of messages being exchanged over a public channel, state what can be concluded about the secrecy of message m .

Exercise 4. Formally prove the following formula exploiting the Curry-Howard isomorphism.

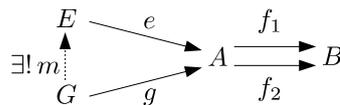
$$\forall p, q : \text{Prop. } (p \rightarrow ((p \wedge p) \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow q)$$

Exercise 5. Prove that there exist three CLs C, A_1, A_2 , equipped with Galois connections $\alpha_i : C \xleftarrow{\gamma_i} A_i$ for $i \in \{1, 2\}$, and a point $c \in C$ such that the following property holds. Let $c_i = \gamma_i(\alpha_i(c))$ for $i \in \{1, 2\}$. Then, we have the **strict inequality**

$$c \sqsubset (c_1 \sqcap c_2) \sqsubset c_i \quad \text{for any } i \in \{1, 2\}$$

Exercise 6. Let f_1, f_2 be two (Scott-)continuous functions $A \rightarrow B$, with A, B DCPOs. An equalizer of f_1 and f_2 is a pair (E, e) satisfying the requirements:

1. E is a DCPO and $e : E \rightarrow A$ is continuous.
2. $f_1 \circ e = f_2 \circ e$
3. for each pair (G, g) satisfying the requirements above there is a unique continuous $m : G \rightarrow E$ with $g = e \circ m$.



Prove that equalizers always exist. You can omit the proof for the uniqueness of m . (Hint: start by forgetting about DCPOs and continuity, and define E explicitly as a set $E = \{x \in ?? \mid ??\}$ so that e can be chosen to be a very simple function, and requirement 2 directly follows. Then check that E is a DCPO and e is continuous.)