

Reverse Engineering Algorithms

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Review

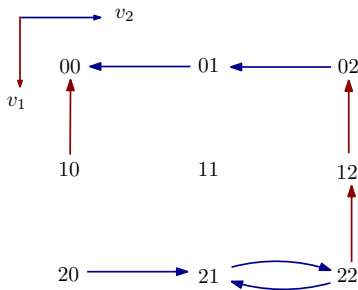
- Model, $M = (I, K)$. (IG I has no multiple edges).
- ASTG, $T = (X, S)$, the dynamics generated by a model M .
- Proposition: 3 u -row types.
- Lemma: isomorphic groups of u -rows.

Extremal state and extremal row

Definition

(Lorenz2011) A state $x = (x_u)_{u \in V}$ is called an *extremal state*, if $x_u \in \{0, \max_u\}$, for all $u \in V$.

A u -row $\tau^u = (x^0, \dots, x^{\max_u})$ is *extremal*, if both x^0 and x^{\max_u} are extremal states.



Lemma

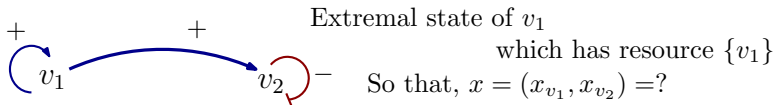
(Lorenz2011) Given a component $u \in V$ and a resource $\omega \subseteq \text{Pre}(u)$, there always exists an extremal state $x \in X$ such that $\text{Res}_u(x) = \omega$.

Proof.

For all $v \in V$, define

$$x_v := \begin{cases} 0 & v \notin \text{Pre}(u) \\ 0 & \varepsilon(v, u) = + \wedge v \notin \omega \\ \max_v & \varepsilon(v, u) = + \wedge v \in \omega \\ \max_v & \varepsilon(v, u) = - \wedge v \notin \omega \\ 0 & \varepsilon(v, u) = - \wedge v \in \omega \end{cases} \quad (2.1)$$

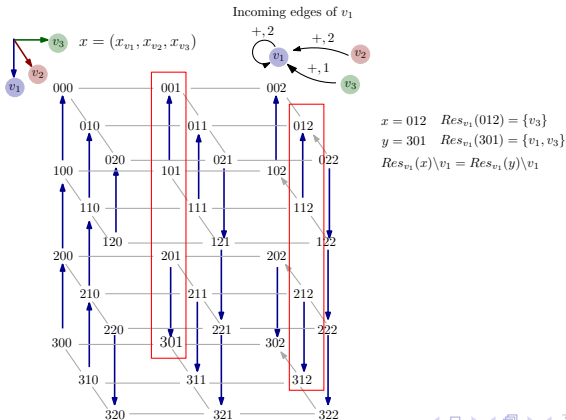
Then by construction, $\text{Res}_u(x) = \omega$. □



Isomorphic u -rows with two states.

Lemma

(Lorenz2013) Let $x, y \in X$ such that there exists a component $u \in V$ with $Res_u(x) \setminus u = Res_u(y) \setminus u$. Then the u -row $(x^0, \dots, x^{max_x u})$ containing x is isomorphic to the u -row $(y^0, \dots, y^{max_x u})$ containing y .



Theorem

(Lorenz2013) For any model $M = (I, K)$, the state transition graph T_M is uniquely determined by I and the extremal rows of T_M .

Proof.

(Lorenz2013) For any u -row (x^0, \dots, x^{max_u}) , one can always find an extremal state y with $Res_u(x^0) = Res_u(y)$, according to Lemma 2. Quite directly, from Lemma of isomorphic u -rows with two states, the extremal row including y is isomorphic to the u -row (x^0, \dots, x^{max_u}) . \square

Theorem illustration

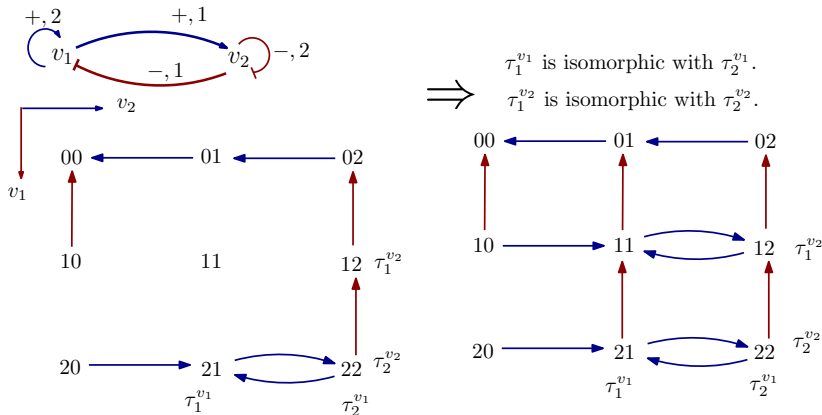
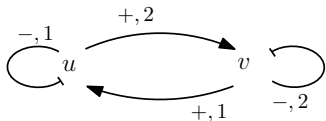
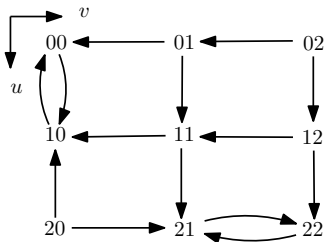


Figure: The interaction graph and the extremal rows of an ASTG uniquely determine the complete ASTG. $\vartheta(v_1, v_2) = 1$ infers that, $\tau_1^{v_2}$ is isomorphic with $\tau_2^{v_2}$. Similarly, $\vartheta(v_2, v_1) = 1$ infers that, $\tau_1^{v_1}$ is isomorphic with $\tau_2^{v_1}$.

(a) I

ω	$K(u, \omega)$	ω	$K(v, \omega)$
ϕ	0	ϕ	0
$\{v\}$	2	$\{v\}$	0
$\{u\}$	1	$\{u\}$	0
$\{u, v\}$	2	$\{u, v\}$	2

(b) K (c) T

ω	$K'(u, \omega)$	ω	$K'(v, \omega)$
ϕ	0	ϕ	0
$\{v\}$	2	$\{v\}$	0
$\{u\}$	2	$\{u\}$	0
$\{u, v\}$	1	$\{u, v\}$	2

(d) K'

Figure: (a) IG I . (b) Logical parameter function K . (c) Corresponding ASTG T . (d) Alternative logical parameter function K' . $M_1 = (I, K)$ and $M_2 = (I, K')$ are two isomorphic models generating the same ASTG T , where K satisfies the Snoussi-condition but K' does not.

Definition

(Equivalent models) Let $M_1 = (I_1, K_1)$ and $M_2 = (I_2, K_2)$ be two models, where $I_1 = (V, E_1, \varepsilon_1, \vartheta_1, max)$ and $I_2 = (V, E_2, \varepsilon_2, \vartheta_2, max)$. M_1 and M_2 are *equivalent* if

$$\delta_{M_1}(u, x) = \delta_{M_2}(u, x), \forall x \in X, \forall u \in V.$$

(Let us see an example for this definition and the following Lemma.)

Lemma

(Lorenz2011) Given a model $M^1 = (I^1, K^1)$ with $I^1 = (V, E, \varepsilon^1, \vartheta^1, \max)$.

- a) For IG $I^2 = (V, E, \varepsilon^2, \vartheta, \max)$, a logical parameter function K^2 is defined as, for all $u \in V$ and $\omega \in \text{Pre}(u) \mid_{I^1}$

$$K^2(u, \omega) = K^1(u, \omega') \quad \omega' := \omega \Delta \{v \in \text{Pre}(u) \mid \varepsilon^1(v, u) \neq \varepsilon^2(v, u)\}$$

then, the model $M^2 = (I^2, K^2)$ defines the same ASTG as M^1 .

- b) For an IG $I^3 = (V, E^3 = E \sqcup E', \varepsilon^3, \vartheta^3, \max)$, for all $u \in V$, one can define its predecessors in the following way:

$$\text{Pre}_E(u) := \{(v, u) \mid (v, u) \in E\}, \text{Pre}_{E'}(u) := \{(v, u) \mid (v, u) \in E'\},$$

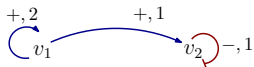
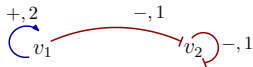
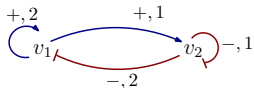
$$\text{Pre}_{E^3}(u) := \text{Pre}_E(u) \cup \text{Pre}_{E'}(u). \text{ If the thresholds on those}$$

interactions from E , $\vartheta^3 \mid_E$ is identical with ϑ , i.e., $\vartheta^3 \mid_E \equiv \vartheta$, then

one can define a K^3 as follows: $\forall u \in V \quad \forall \omega \subseteq \text{Pre}_{E^3}(u)$:

$$\omega' := \omega \Delta \{v \in \text{Pre}_E \mid \varepsilon^1(v, u) \neq \varepsilon^3(v, u)\}, K^3(u, \omega) := K^1(u, \omega')$$

$M^3 := (I^3, K^3)$ defines the same ASTG as M^1 . Moreover, K^3 is chosen that no edges in E' is visible.

(a) I^1 .(b) I^2 .(c) I^3 .

ω	$K^1(v_1, \omega)$	ω	$K^1(v_2, \omega)$	ω	$K^2(v_1, \omega)$	ω	$K^2(v_2, \omega)$	ω	$K^3(v_1, \omega)$	ω	$K^3(v_2, \omega)$
ϕ	0	ϕ	0	ϕ	0	ϕ	2	ϕ	0	ϕ	0
$\{v_1\}$	1	$\{v_2\}$	1	$\{v_1\}$	1	$\{v_2\}$	2	$\{v_2\}$	0	$\{v_2\}$	1
		$\{v_1\}$	2			$\{v_1\}$	0	$\{v_1\}$	1	$\{v_1\}$	2
		$\{v_1, v_2\}$	2			$\{v_1, v_2\}$	1	$\{v_1, v_2\}$	1	$\{v_1, v_2\}$	2

(d) K^1 (e) K^2 (f) K^3

Figure: (a), (d) $M^1 = (I^1, K^1)$, (b), (e) $M^2 = (I^2, K^2)$, (c), (f) $M^3 = (I^3, K^3)$.

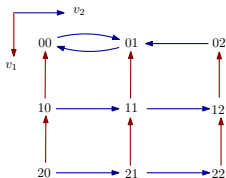




Figure: The ASTG T of the three models in Figure 3.

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