Model Checking I alias Reactive Systems Verification

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Topics

- Decomposition Theorem.
- Examples.

Material

Reading:

Chapter 3 of the book, pages 123–126.

More:

The slides in the following pages are taken from the material of the course "Introduction to Model Checking" held by Prof. Dr. Ir. Joost-Pieter Katoen at Aachen University.

Decomposition theorem

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