

Formal Description & Automated
Verification

Embedded Systems Formal Methods Lecture 5

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Real-time system modeling

What is a Real-Time System ?

The correctness of a system is defined with both the output values and the time the output appears

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| ▷ avionics | ▷ nuclear plant |
| ▷ battlefield management | ▷ life monitor |
| ▷ missile guidance | ▷ chemical reactor |
| ▷ submarine sonar | ▷ flight control |

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Real-time system verification

Correctness, non-real-time systems

- For finite computations, defined with relations between precondition and postcondition
- For infinite computations, defined with the ordering of events.
 - ◇ Buechi automata
 - ◇ mutual exclusion
 - ◇ fairness

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Real-Time system modeling

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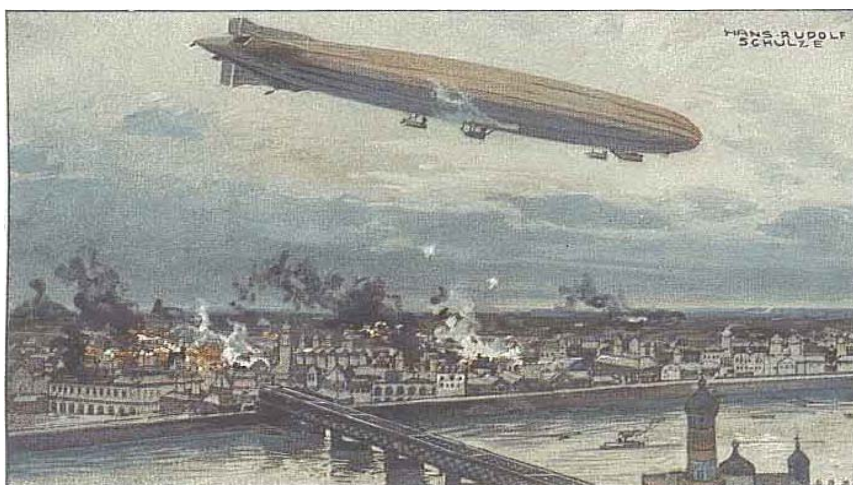
Example:

synchronous machine guns

- an untimely output may be worse than no output.

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Schütte-Lanz SL2 airship bombing Warsaw



Schütte-Lanz airship - Bombardment of Warsaw - Deutscher Luftflotten Verein

Wrights, the beginning of flight era



The beginning of air-combat

An imaginary solution to air-combat

Difficult to aim in 3D maneuver



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This card depicts one of the earliest air battles of WWI (9 October 1914)
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A solution to air-combat



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Another solution to air-combat



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Aircombat (Dogfight) in WWI



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A nice idea to air-combat



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A nice idea to air-combat (cont'd)



A problem with the idea

If it is not
real-time, ...

Champion Toledo
Dependable Spark Plugs

YOU'VE read how the fighting planes maneuver—a quick climb—then a plunge—a sharp turn—then a quick reverse turn—can you conceive of anything standing such strains?

Yet each plug must deliver an independent spark every sixteenth part of a second and every spark must come on the instant and fire every charge in every cylinder every time.

That dependability to which our navy, safety, trust life and limb, if need be, is inherent in Champion Toledo Spark Plugs.

When you realize that Champions supply the spark of life for an overwhelming majority of motors of all kinds, you appreciate how faithfully we are attaining laboratory results in quantity manufacture.

When you buy spark plugs see that the name "Champion" is on the porcelain—not merely on the box.

Champion Spark Plug Company, Toledo, Ohio


Champion Toledo Dependable Spark Plugs

Champion Toledo Spark Plug

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A solution to air-combat

Synchronous machine gun



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Sopwith Camel



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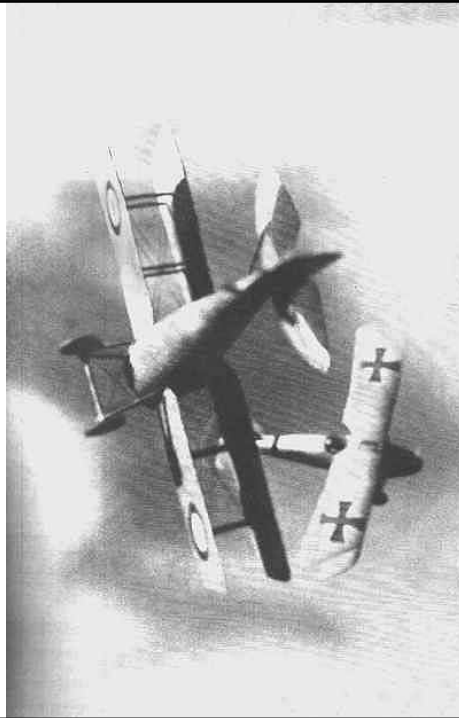
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WWI dogfight



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WWI dogfight



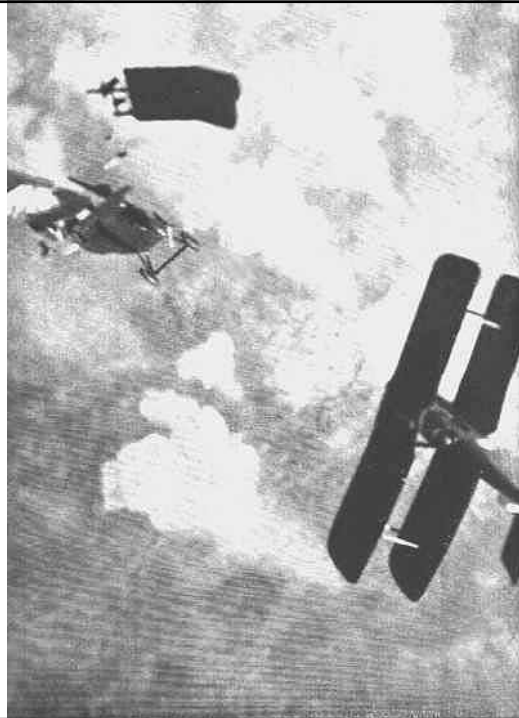
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WWI dogfight

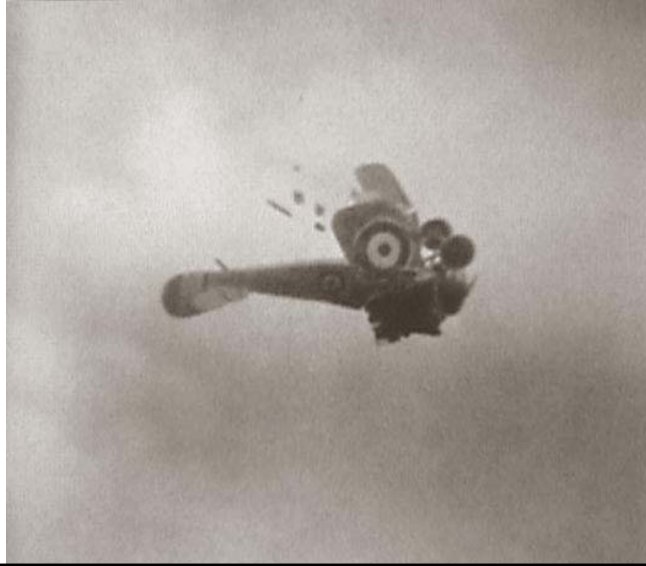


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Disintegration in dogfight

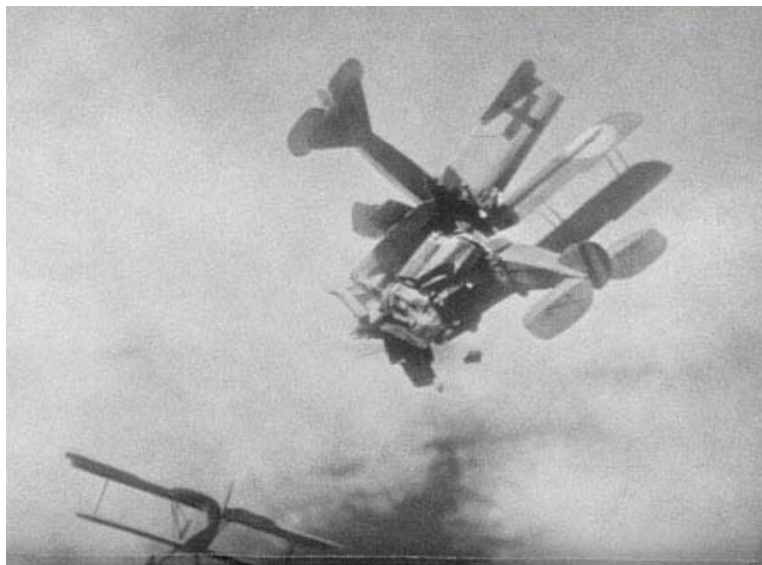


Disintegration in dogfight



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Collision in dogfight



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Pilot falling from burning Albatros



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Why dense-time clock ?

Why not discrete clock ?

- discrete clocks can be readily modeled with finite-state automata.
- In engineering, as long as the clock resolution is fine enough, we can have enough timing precision of the models.
- In fact, all clock readings in a digital computer must be recorded as bits.

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Why dense-time clock ? **- *the arguments (1/2)***

For model timing precision,

- **distributed clocks – discrete clocks may not increment their readings at the same time.**
 - To check the ordering of clock ticks at many sites engender the same model complexity as dense-time models.
- **How fine is fine enough ?**
 - In theory, there is never a fine enough resolution that guarantees the verification correctness.
 - For safety-critical systems, dense-time models could be a necessity.

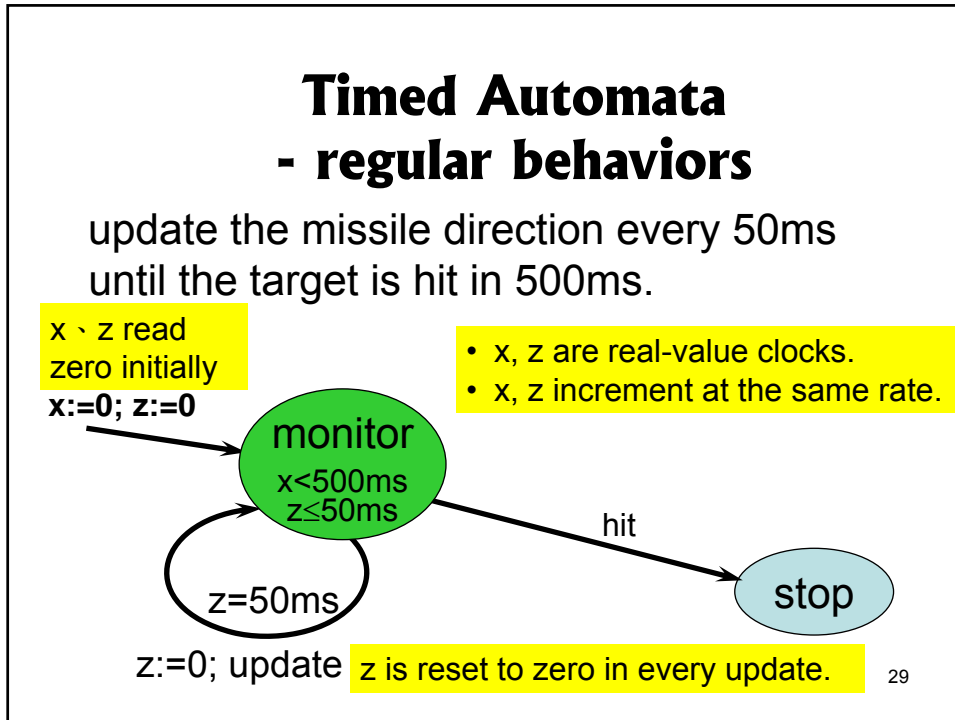
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Why dense-time clock ? **- *the arguments (2/2)***

For verification complexity

- fine time resolution
 - large timing constants
 - high verification complexity
- dense linear constraints → P
- discrete linear constraints → NP-complete

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Time Automata - regular behaviors

- clock reading
- In between
- All clocks
- Same
- Since
- the state
- state
- No clear

The basic challenge
in verification
How can we check
an infinite state-space
with finite amount
of time and space?

clock's

clock's

size and

next states.'

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Timed automata - syntax

Be sure how to read BNF !

- used for define syntax of context-free language
- important for the definition of
 - automata predicates and
 - temporal logics
- Used throughout the lectures!
- In exam: violate the syntax rules → **no credit.**

$$A ::= (M) \mid A1 + A2 \mid A1 - A2$$
$$M ::= (A) \mid M1 * M2 \mid M1 / M2$$

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Timed automata - syntax

State predicates :

Given a proposition set P and a clock set X

$$\eta ::= p \mid x \sim c \mid \neg \eta_1 \mid \eta_1 \vee \eta_2$$

BNF

$$p \in P; x \in X; c \in \mathbb{N}; \sim \in \{\leq, \geq, <, >, =\}$$

Example:

$$\text{male} \wedge \text{single} \wedge \text{age} \leq 30$$
$$\text{lonely} \wedge \text{male} \wedge \text{single} \wedge \text{today} + 2 \leq \text{nextMonday}$$
$$\text{monitor} \wedge x + 5 < \text{ReportPeriod}$$

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Shorthands:

$$\begin{array}{lll} \mathit{true} & \equiv & x = x \\ \eta_1 \wedge \eta_2 & \equiv & \neg((\neg\eta_1) \vee (\neg\eta_2)) \\ \eta_1 \rightarrow \eta_2 & \equiv & (\neg\eta_1) \vee \eta_2 \end{array}$$

$B(P, X)$: All state-predicates of P and X

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Timed automata - syntax

$$\mathbf{A} = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$$

Q , a finite set of control locations

$I_0 \in B(P, X)$, an initial condition

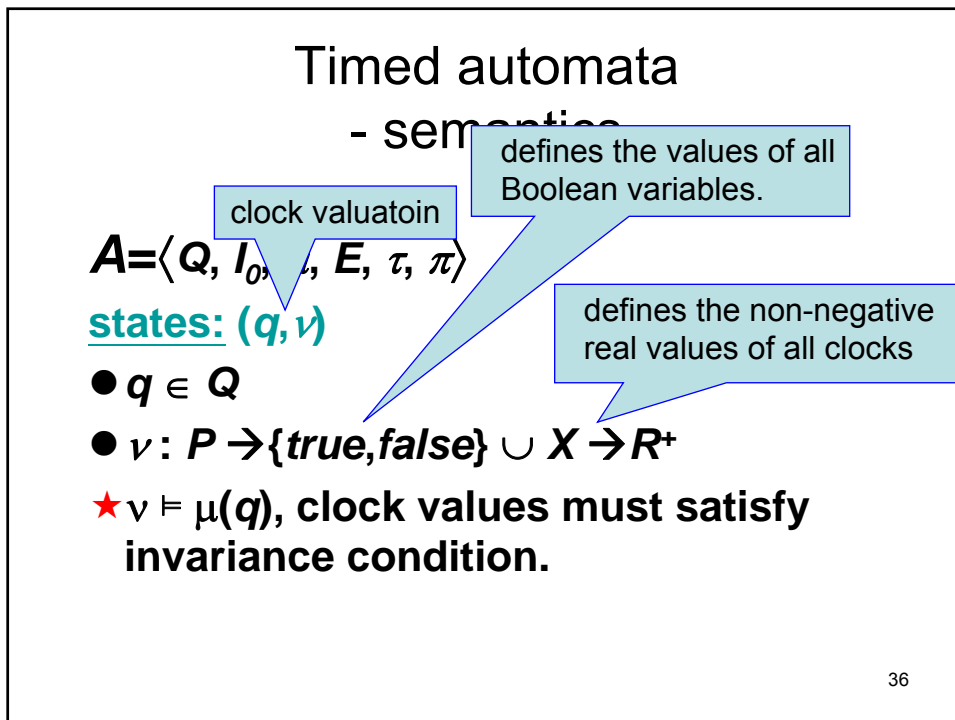
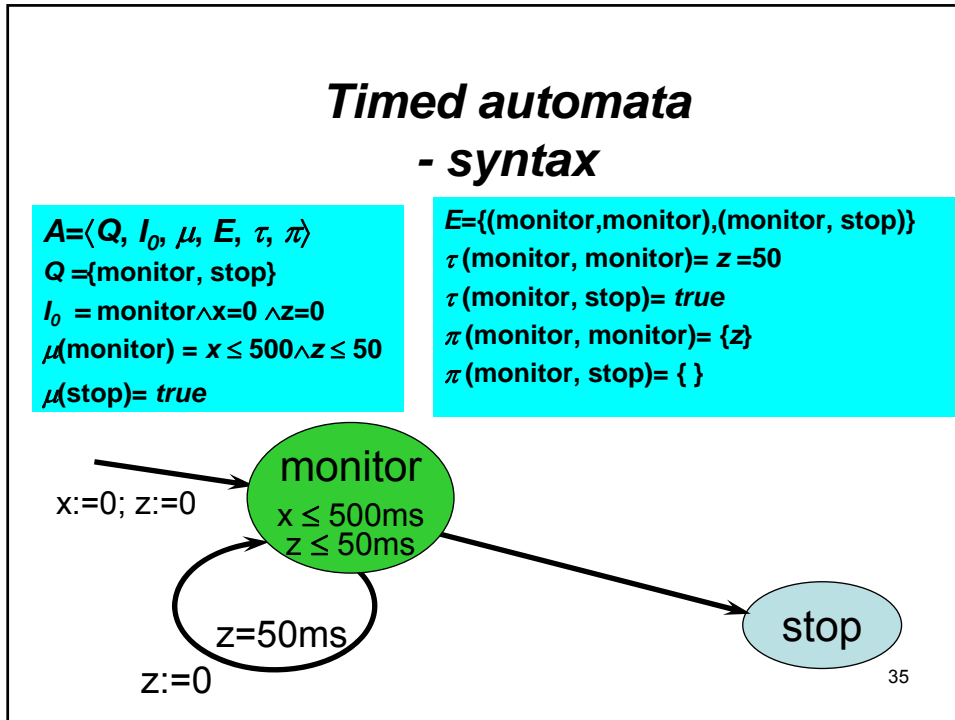
$\mu: Q \rightarrow B(P, X)$, invariance conditions at the locations

$E \subseteq Q \times Q$, a set of transitions

$\tau: E \rightarrow B(P, X)$, triggering conditions of the transitions

$\pi: E \rightarrow 2^X$, sets of clocks to reset at transitions

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Timed automata - semantics

$A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$

valuations

$v \models \eta$, v *satisfies* a state predicate η

$v \models p$ iff $v(p) = \text{true}$

$v \models x \sim c$ iff $v(x) \sim c$

$v \models \neg \eta_1$ iff not $v \models \eta_1$

$v \models \eta_1 \vee \eta_2$ iff $v \models \eta_1$ or $v \models \eta_2$

states

$(q, v) \models \eta$ iff $v \models \eta$

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Timed automata - semantics

- Given a $\delta \in R^+$, $v + \delta$ is a new mapping

$$(v + \delta)(p) = v(p)$$

$$(v + \delta)(x) = v(x) + \delta$$

- Given $s = (q, v)$, $s + \delta = (q, v + \delta)$

- Given a $Y \subseteq X$, vY is a new mapping

$$(vY)(p) = v(p)$$

$$(vY)(x) = 0 \quad \text{iff} \quad x \in Y$$

$$(vY)(x) = v(x) \quad \text{iff} \quad x \notin Y$$

- Given $s = (q, v)$ and $Y \subseteq X$, $sY = (q, vY)$

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Timed automata - semantics

$A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$, $s = (q, v)$, and $s' = (q', v')$

$s \rightarrow s'$ (there is a (discrete) **transitions** from s to s')

iff

- $(q, q') \in E$
- $s \models \tau(q, q')$
- $s\pi(q, q') = s'$
- $s' \models \mu(q')$

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Timed automata - semantics

Intuitively, a (linear) computation of a timed automata should be

- a mapping
from R^+ (non-negative reals) to states
- dense!

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Timed automata - semantics

$$A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$$

s_0 -run, a (linear) computation of A

$$(s_0, t_0) (s_1, t_1) (s_2, t_2) \dots (s_k, t_k) \dots \dots \dots$$

- for all $k \geq 0$, $s_k = (q_k, v_k)$
- a nonmonotonically increasing, divergent, non-negative real sequence

$$t_1 \ t_2 \ \dots \ t_k \ \dots \ \dots \ \dots$$

- for all $k \geq 0$,
 - for all $t \in [0, t_{k+1} - t_k]$, $s_k + t \models \mu(q_k)$
 - $s_k + (t_{k+1} - t_k) = s_{k+1}$ or $s_k + (t_{k+1} - t_k) \rightarrow s_{k+1}$

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Parallel Composition of TA

$$A_1 = \langle Q_1, I_1, \mu_1, E_1, \tau_1, \pi_1 \rangle,$$

$$A_2 = \langle Q_2, I_2, \mu_2, E_2, \tau_2, \pi_2 \rangle$$

$$A_1 \parallel A_2 = \langle Q_1 \times Q_2, I_1 \wedge I_2, \mu, E, \tau_1 \wedge \tau_2, \pi_1 \cup \pi_2 \rangle$$

- $\mu(q, q') = \mu_1(q) \wedge \mu_2(q')$
- E: set of interleaved transitions with synchronization transitions identified

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Model of Manufacturing System

- $M = D\text{-Robot} \parallel G\text{-Robot} \parallel \text{Station} \parallel \text{Box}$
- Transitions with same labels are identified as one in M .
- E.g.: g-put in G-Robot, Station, and Box
- E.g.: d-pick in D-Robot, Station, and Box

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Timed automata - a manufacturing example (1/5)

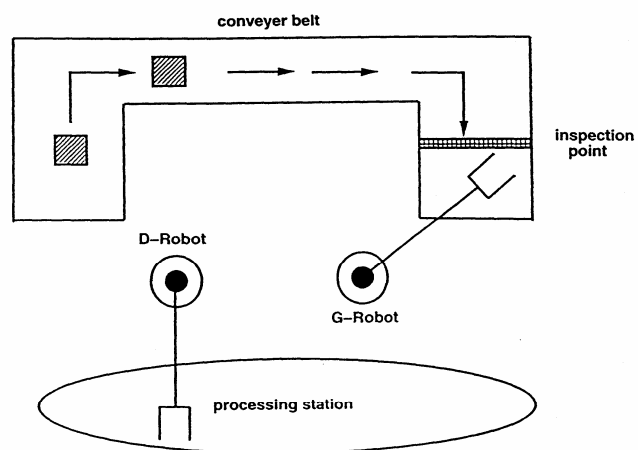


Figure 17.2
A manufacturing example.

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Timed automata - a manufacturing example (2/5)

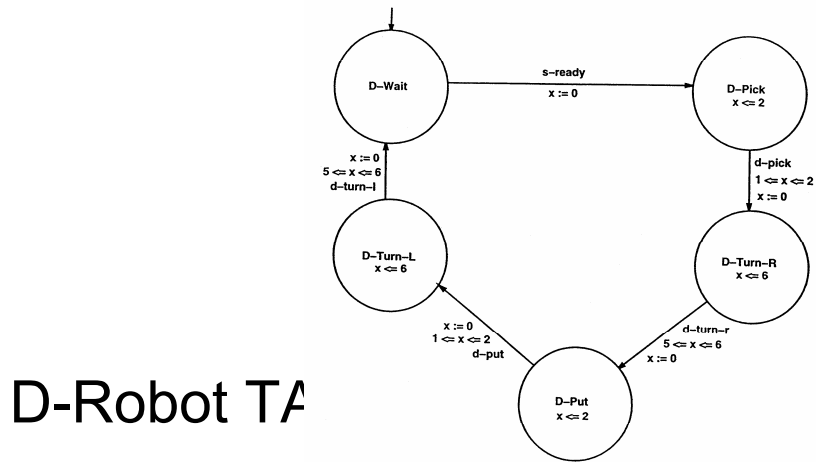


Figure 17.3
Timed automaton for D-Robot.

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Timed automata - a manufacturing example (3/5)

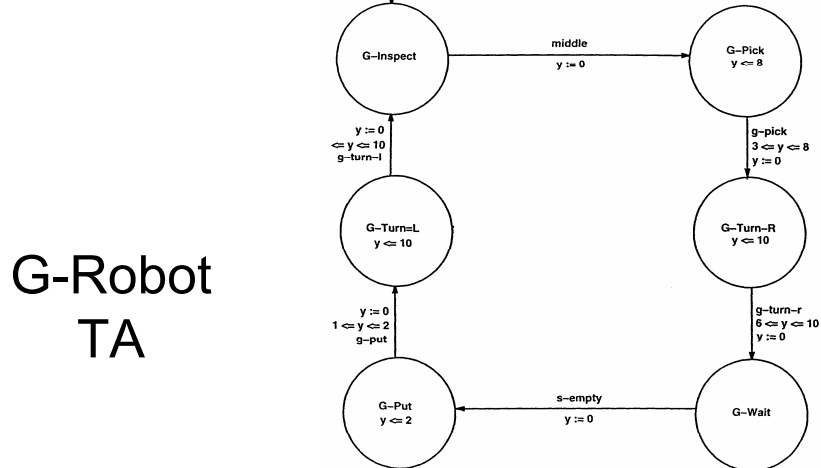


Figure 17.4
Timed automaton for G-Robot.

Timed automata - a manufacturing example (4/5)

Station
TA

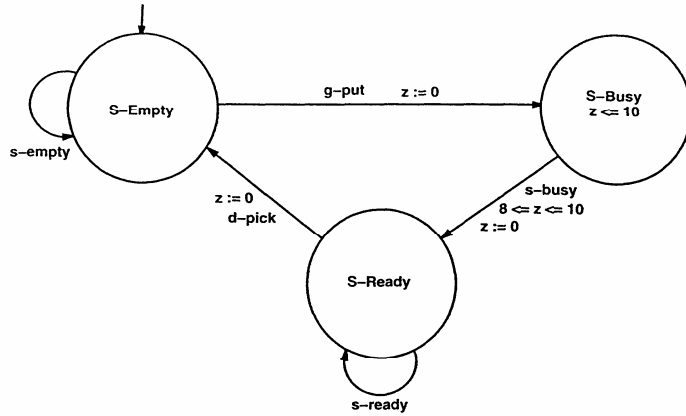


Figure 17.5
Time automaton for processing station.

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Timed automata - a manufacturing example (5/5)

Box TA

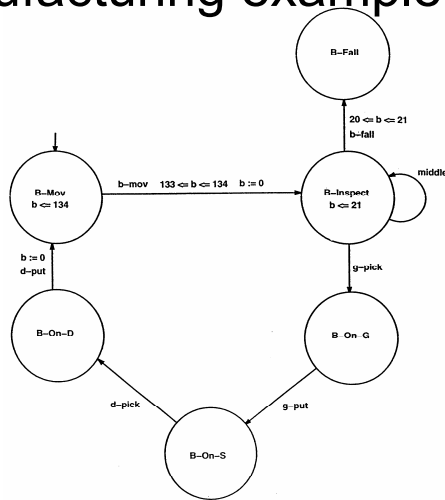


Figure 17.6
Timed automaton for box.

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TCTL (Timed CTL)

Example: *from now on, it is possible that I will get salary on the 7th day.*

$\exists \diamond_{=7} \text{ salary}$

Example: *from now on, I will be surely married in 10 years.*

$\forall \diamond_{\leq 10} \text{ married}$

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TCTL, continued

Example: *When a hostile fighter is found, it is always possible that we take it down in 5 sec.*

$\forall \square (\text{HF.Found} \rightarrow \exists \diamond_{\leq 5} \text{ HF.TakenDown})$

Example: *When a hostile fighter is found, we will always take it down in 5 sec.*

$\forall \square (\text{HF.Found} \rightarrow \forall \diamond_{\leq 5} \text{ HF.TakenDown})$

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TCTL, continued

Example: From every state, there is a computation that increment the time divergently.

$$\forall \square \exists \diamond_{=1} \text{true}$$

Example: From every state, time always diverges.

$$\forall \square \forall \diamond_{=1} \text{true}$$

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TCTL, continued

Example: After the wedding, I could be happy for 5 days.

$$\forall \square (\text{wedding} \rightarrow \exists \square_{<5} \text{happy})$$

Example: After the wedding, I will be happy for 5 days.

$$\forall \square (\text{wedding} \rightarrow \forall \square_{<5} \text{happy})$$

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TCTL - syntax

BNF

$$\varphi ::= \eta \mid \neg \varphi_1 \mid \varphi_1 \vee \varphi_2 \mid \exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2 \mid \exists \square_{\sim c} \varphi_1$$

- $\eta \in \mathbf{B(P, X)}$, the set of state predicates of P and X
- $c \in \mathbf{N}$;
- ' \sim ' $\in \{\leq, \geq, <, >, =\}$

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TCTL - syntax

shorthands:

$$\varphi_1 \wedge \varphi_2 \equiv \neg((\neg \varphi_1) \vee (\neg \varphi_2))$$

$$\varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2 \equiv (\neg \varphi_1) \vee \varphi_2$$

$$\exists \diamond_{\sim c} \varphi \equiv \exists \mathbf{true} U_{\sim c} \varphi$$

$$\forall \square_{\sim c} \varphi \equiv \neg \exists \diamond_{\sim c} \neg \varphi$$

$$\forall \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2 \equiv \neg((\exists (\neg \varphi_2) U_{\sim c} \neg(\varphi_1 \vee \varphi_2)) \vee \exists \square_{\sim c} \neg \varphi_2)$$

$$\forall \diamond_{\sim c} \varphi \equiv \forall \mathbf{true} U_{\sim c} \varphi$$

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TCTL - semantics

$A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$

$A, (q, \nu) \models \varphi$, state (q, ν) of A satisfies φ .

$A, (q, \nu) \models \eta$, as defined for state-predicates

$A, (q, \nu) \models \neg \varphi_1$ iff not $A, (q, \nu) \models \varphi_1$

$A, (q, \nu) \models \varphi_1 \vee \varphi_2$ iff $A, (q, \nu) \models \varphi_1$ or $A, (q, \nu) \models \varphi_2$

$A, (q, \nu) \models \exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2$ iff ...

$A, (q, \nu) \models \exists \square_{\sim c} \varphi_1$ iff ...

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TCTL

- semantics of $\exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2$

$A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$

$A, (q, \nu) \models \exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2$ iff there are

- a (q, ν) -run:

$(s_0, t_0) (s_1, t_1) (s_2, t_2) \dots (s_k, t_k) \dots \dots$, and

- a nonmonotonically increasing, divergent, non-negative real sequence: $t_0 t_1 t_2 \dots$, and

- $k \geq 0$

- $t_k - t_0 \sim c$

- $A, s_k \models \varphi_2$

- for all $k > h \geq 0$ and $t' \in [0, t_{h+1} - t_h]$, $A, s_h + t' \models \varphi_1$

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TCTL

- semantics of $\exists \square_{\sim c} \varphi_1$

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- a nonmonotonically increasing, divergent, non-negative real sequence: $t_0 t_1 t_2 \dots$

such that for all $k \geq 0$ and $t \in [0, t_{k+1} - t_k]$,

if $t_k + t - t_0 \sim c$, $A, s_k + t \models \varphi_1$

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TCTL

- model-checking problem

$A \models \varphi$, **A satisfies φ , A is a model of φ**

Given a TA $A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$

and a TCTL formula φ ,

$A \models \varphi$ iff $\forall (q, \nu) \models I_0$, then $A, (q, \nu) \models \varphi$

TCTL model-checking problem:

Given a TA $A = \langle Q, I_0, \mu, E, \tau, \pi \rangle$

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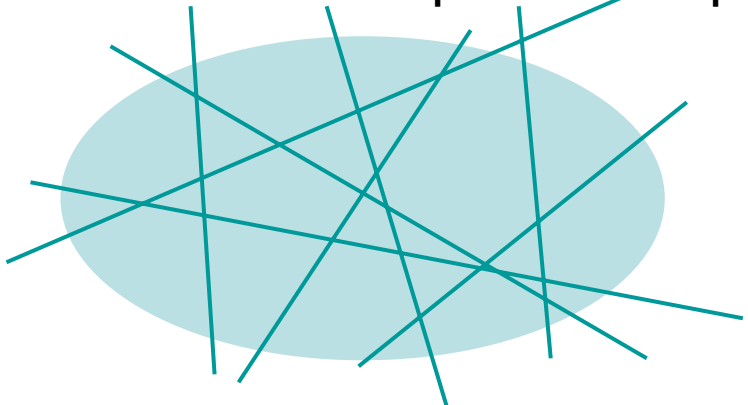
is A a model of φ ?

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TCTL

- model-checking problem

How to partition the infinite dense state-space into a finite number of equivalence subspaces ?



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Region Equivalence [Alur et al 90]

$C_{A:\varphi}$: the biggest timing constant used in A and φ .

$(q, v) \equiv (q', v')$ if and only if

- $q = q'$
- for all $p \in P$, $v(p) = v'(p)$
- for all $x \in X$, when $v(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi}$ or $v'(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi}$, their integer parts are the same.

$$v(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi} \vee v'(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi} \Rightarrow \lfloor v(x) \rfloor = \lfloor v'(x) \rfloor$$
- for all $x, y \in X \cup \{0\}$, when $v(x)$ or $v'(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi}$, their fractional parts are of the same ordering.

$$v(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi} \wedge v'(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi} \Rightarrow (v(x) - \lfloor v(x) \rfloor \leq v(y) - \lfloor v(y) \rfloor \Leftrightarrow v'(x) - \lfloor v'(x) \rfloor \leq v'(y) - \lfloor v'(y) \rfloor)$$

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Region Equivalence

In the same control location The same sampling of Boolean flags

$C_{A:\varphi}$: the biggest timing constant used in A and φ

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- for all $p \in P$, $v(p) = v'(p)$
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- for all $x, y \in X \cup \{t\}$, their fractional parts are of the same ordering.

$$v(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi} \wedge v'(x) \leq C_{A:\varphi} \Rightarrow (v(x) - \lfloor v(x) \rfloor) \leq (v'(x) - \lfloor v'(x) \rfloor) \Leftrightarrow v'(x) - \lfloor v'(x) \rfloor \leq v(x) - \lfloor v(x) \rfloor$$

satisfy the same state-predicates

increment their integer parts in the same order.

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Region equivalence

Example (1) of invariances

$v(x) = 0.5; v(y) = 0.6;$

$v'(x) = 0.599; v'(y) = 0.6;$

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    graph LR
      S((x <= 1 && y <= 1)) -- true --> T((x < 1 && y >= 1))
      S -- true --> B((x >= 1 && y < 1))
    
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Region equivalence

Example (2) of invariances

$v(x) = 0.5; v(y) = 0.6;$
 $v'(x)=0.8; v'(y)=0.6;$

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graph LR; A((x <= 1 && y <= 1)) -- true --> B((x < 1 && y >= 1)); A -- true --> C((x >= 1 && y < 1));
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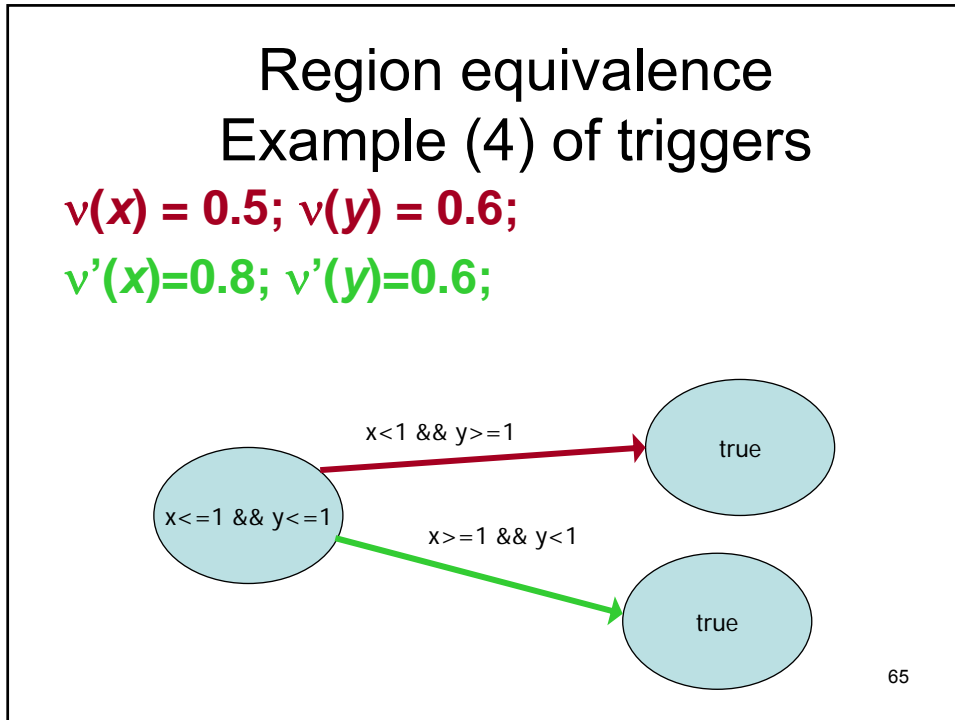
Region equivalence

Example (3) of triggers

$v(x) = 0.5; v(y) = 0.6;$
 $v'(x)=0.599; v'(y)=0.6;$

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graph LR; A((x <= 1 && y <= 1)) -- "x < 1 && y >= 1" --> B((true)); A -- "x >= 1 && y < 1" --> C((true));
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Region Equivalence

$C_A: \varphi = 7$, clocks x, y

(q, v)	(q, v')	
$v(x)=3.5$	$v'(x)=3.7$	inequivalent
$v(y)=5.5$	$v'(y)=5.3$	
$v(x)=3.2$	$v'(x)=4.3$	inequivalent
$v(y)=5.5$	$v'(y)=5.8$	
$v(x)=3.1$	$v'(x)=3.5$	equivalent
$v(y)=5.8$	$v'(y)=5.51$	
$v(x)=13.5$	$v'(x)=89$	equivalent
$v(y)=8.5$	$v'(y)=1003$	
$v(x)=5$	$v'(x)=89$	inequivalent
$v(y)=8.5$	$v'(y)=1003$	

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Region Equivalence Sizes

$C_{A:\varphi}$: the biggest timing constraint in A and φ .

$x=5?$

choices of flag values

Choices of the integer part of a clock value.

$$2 \cdot |Q| \cdot |2^P| \cdot |2^X| \cdot (C_{A:\varphi} + 1)^{|X|} \cdot |X|^{|X|}$$

choices of control locations

Is a clock $\leq C_{A:\varphi}$?

Choices of the ordering of the fractional parts of clock values

TCTL

- model-checking problem

Theorem: for all ϕ with $C_{A:\phi} \leq C_{A:\varphi}$, if $(q, v) \equiv (q', v')$,
 $A, (q, v) \models \phi$ iff $A, (q', v') \models \phi$

Intuitively, along the runs

equivalence segment equivalence segment

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TCTL

- model-checking problem

Region graph (V, F)

- **V: the set of equivalence subspace**
 - partition the state-space into a finite number of equivalence subspaces with the equivalence relation $s \equiv s'$.
 - $[s]$: the subspace in which all states $\equiv s$
 - **region**: a maximal equivalence subspace
- **F: transitions between $[s]$, $[s']$**
 - discrete transitions in the timed automata
 - time-progress of the timed automata

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TCTL

- model-checking problem

to model-check TCTL formulas, we need an auxiliary clock z in the **region graph**

- **$v[z]$ is identical to v except $vz = 0$**
- $A, (q, v) \models \exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2$ iff $A, (q, v[z]) \models \exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2$
- **$A, (q, v[z]) \models \exists \varphi_1 U_{\sim c} \varphi_2$ iff there exists a region sequence $r_0 r_1 r_2 \dots r_k$ from $(q, v[z])$**
 - $r_0 r_1 r_2 \dots r_{k-1}$ satisfies φ_1
 - r_k satisfies φ_2 and $z \sim c$ ◦

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Region Equivalence How to record a region ?

bits needed for recording a region

$$\begin{aligned} & \log (2 \cdot |Q| \cdot |2^P| \cdot |2^X| \cdot (C_{A:\varphi} + 1)^{|X|} \cdot |X|^{|X|}) \\ &= \log 2 + \log |Q| + |P| \log 2 \\ & \quad + |X| \log 2 + |X| \log (C_{A:\varphi} + 1) + |X| \log |X| \\ &= 1 + \log |Q| + |P| + |X| \\ & \quad + |X| \log (C_{A:\varphi} + 1) + |X| \log |X| \end{aligned}$$

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TCTL

- model-checking problem

- **TCTL model-checking problem is PSPACE-complete. We need**
 - a counter of $\log|\# \text{ region}|$ bits and
 - a last-region record of $\log|\# \text{ region}|$ bits
- **TCTL satisfiability problem is undecidable.**

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TCTL

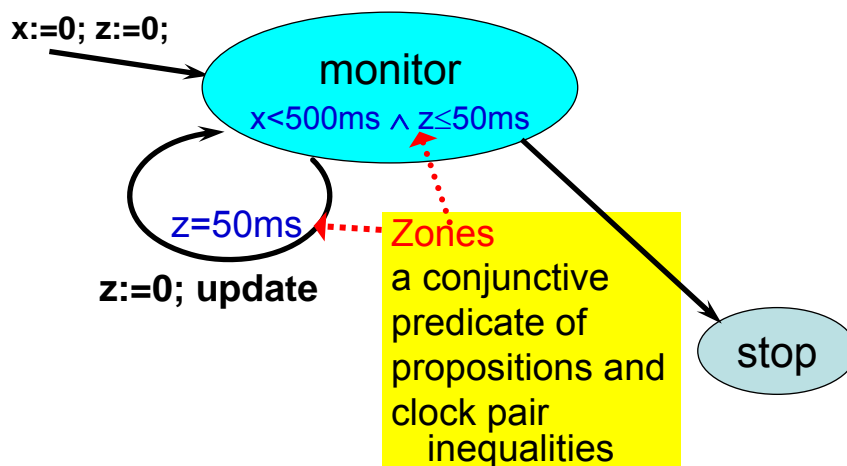
- model-checking problem

Workout:

Given a clock set X and a biggest timing constant $C_{A:\phi}$, please derive the complexity upper-bound of region count.

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Zones in a timed automata



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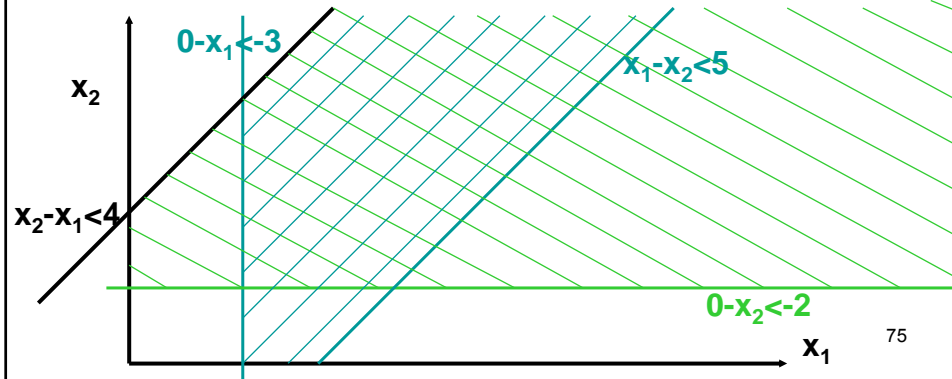
Zones

Two zones

$$(0-x_1 \leq -3 \wedge x_1-x_2 < 5 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4) \vee (0-x_2 < -2 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$

Can also be viewed as a union of set of literals,

$$\{0-x_1 \leq -3, x_1-x_2 < 5, x_2-x_1 < 4\} \cup \{0-x_2 < -2, x_2-x_1 < 4\}$$



Clock Zones

- **Finite** representation of **infinite** state-space
- Conjunction of inequalities such as:
 $x < c \mid x \leq c \mid x - y < c \mid x - y \leq c$
 $x, y \in X, c \in \mathbf{Z}$
- General form of a clock zone:

$$x_0 = 0 \wedge \bigwedge_{0 \leq i \neq j \leq n} (x_i - x_j \sim c_{ij})$$

$$\sim \in \{<, \leq\}$$

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Clock Zones (Operations)

- Clock zones are **closed** under 3 operations:
- Let z_1, z_2 be two clock zones, $Y \subseteq X, t \geq 0$
- **Intersection:** $z_1 \wedge z_2$ is a clock zone
(Conjunction of conjunctions)
- **Clock Reset:** $z_1(Y:=0)$ is a clock zone
- **Time Elapse:** $z_1 + t$ is a clock zone

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Clock Zones (Time Elapse)

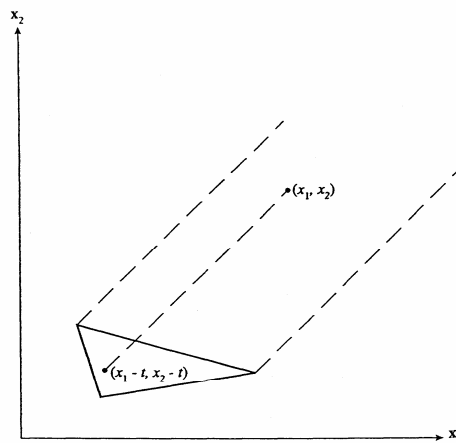


Figure 17.8
The clock zones φ and φ^t .

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Zones = Symbolic States

- **Zone:** (s, z) , where s : location, z : clock zone represents a symbolic state.
- **Predecessor Clock Zone:** $z' = \text{pred}(z, e)$, where z : clock zone, e : transition
(predecessor clock zone obtained from z before time elapse and executing transition e)
- **Predecessor Zone:** $(s', \text{pred}(z, e))$, where $e: s \rightarrow s'$

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Clock Zone ($\text{succ}(z, e)$)

To obtain **Predecessor Clock Zone** ($\text{pred}(z, e)$)

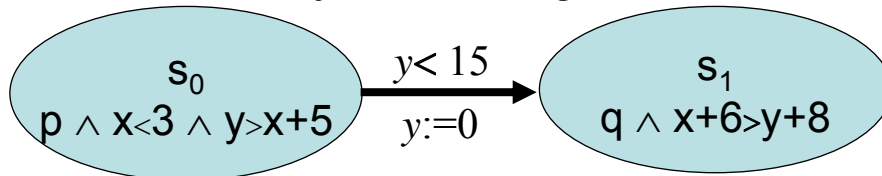
- Reset all clocks from $\pi(e)$
- Intersect with $\tau(e)$
- Intersect with $\mu(s)$
- Let time elapse in s (operator $\text{te}()$)
- Intersect z with $\mu(s)$

$$\text{pred}(z, e) = \text{tbck}((z [\pi := 0]) \wedge \tau(e) \wedge \mu(s)) \wedge \mu(s)$$

Closed under \wedge , $\text{tbck}()$, reset, also a **clock**

zone!!!

TCTL model-checking - symbolic algorithms



In s_0 ,

- what is the weakest precondition for the transition ?

$xtion_bck_e(\eta)$: the weakest precondition through e to η ?

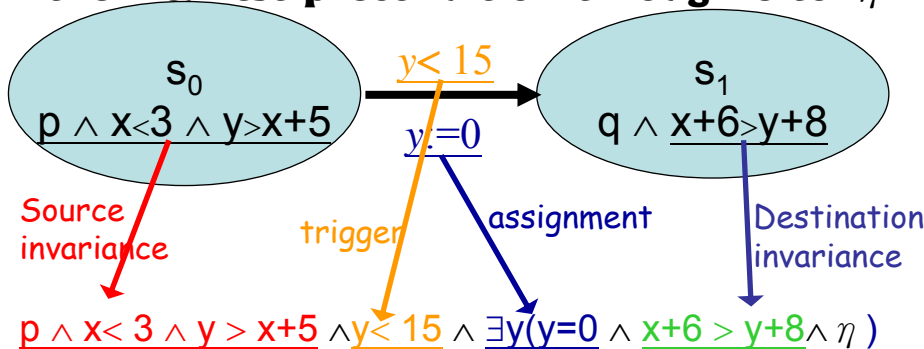
- what is the weakest precondition to stay in s_0 through time progress $\delta \geq 0$?

$time_bck(\eta)$: the weakest precondition through time progress to η ?

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$xtion_bck_e(\eta)$

- the weakest precondition through e to η



How to get rid of the $\exists y$?

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time bck(η)
 - the weakest precondition through time progress to η

S_0
 $p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x + 5$

+ δ

$S_0 + \delta$
 $p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x + 5$

Source invariance
 Time progress
 Destination invariance

$$p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x + 5 \wedge \exists \delta (0 \leq \delta \wedge x + \delta < 3 \wedge y + \delta > x + \delta + 5 \wedge \eta^\delta)$$


How to get rid of the $\exists \delta$?

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How to get rid of the $\exists \delta$?

$\exists \delta (2 - x < \delta \wedge \delta < 15 - y) \equiv 2 - x < 15 - y$

- Density of reals!
- Projections in geometry.



Joseph Fourier, 1824!
(1768–1830)

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How to get rid of the $\exists \delta$?

Assume that $\eta = 2-x < 0 \wedge 0 < 15-y$

S_0
 $p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x+5$

→

S_0
 $p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x+5$

pairwise matching, eliminate δ with transitivity

$0 \leq \delta$
independent of δ

$\delta < 15-y$
 δ to the right

$0 < 15-y, 0 < 3-x$
 δ to the left

$2-x < \delta$

$\delta < 3-x$

$2-x < 15-y, 2-x < 3-x$

thus we get $p \wedge y > x+5 \wedge y < 15 \wedge x < 3 \wedge y-x < 13$

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TCTL model-checking
- symbolic algorithms

The weakest precondition of time-progress
in s_0 : $x-2 > 0 \wedge y < 15 \wedge p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x+5$?

$S_0 + \delta$
 $p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x+5$

→

S_0
 $x-2 > 0 \wedge y < 15$
 $\wedge p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x+5$

With the invariance condition of S_0 ,

$p \wedge y > x+5 \wedge y < 15 \wedge x < 3 \wedge y-x < 13$

$\wedge p \wedge x < 3 \wedge y > x+5$

we still get

$p \wedge y > x+5 \wedge y < 15 \wedge x < 3 \wedge y-x < 13$

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TCTL model-checking - symbolic algorithms

**Safety analysis: Given initial condition I and
risk condition $\neg \eta$,**

How to evaluate if $\neg \eta$ can happen ?

```
S :=  $\neg \eta$  ; S' := false;  
while S  $\neq$  S' {  
  S' := S;  
  S := S  $\vee$  time_bck ( $\vee_{e \in T}$  xtion_bck (S, e) );  
}  
return  $I \wedge \mathbf{S}$ ;
```

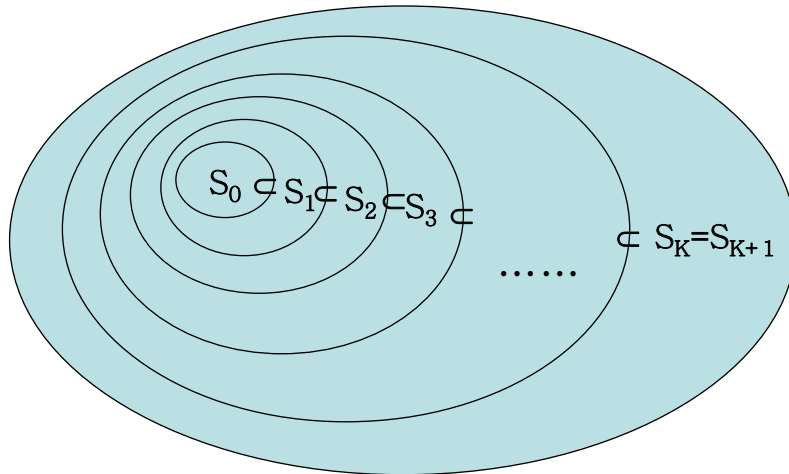
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Zone Graph

- Zone Graph is a transition system $Z(A)$
- States = zones of A
- Initial state = $(s, [X := 0])$
- For each transition e of A :
 a transition: $(s, z) \rightarrow (s', \text{succ}(z, e))$
- Zone reachability \rightarrow State reachability

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Backward Reachability Analysis - *Least fixpoint calculation*



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Compute $\exists x (f_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge \dots \wedge f_h(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge x < g_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge \dots \wedge x < g_l(x_1, \dots, x_n))$

x in the upper-bound

An important technique:

with transitivity, pairwise match the inequalities with x

$f_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge f_2(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge \dots \wedge f_h(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge x < g_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge x < g_2(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge \dots \wedge x < g_l(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

x in the lower-bound

The condition for a solution to x

$\forall 1 \leq i \leq k \forall 1 \leq j \leq k (f_i(x_1, \dots, x_n) < g_j(x_1, \dots, x_n))$
i · j pairwise match

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Compute $\exists x(f_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge \dots \wedge f_h(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x$
 $\wedge x < g_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge \dots \wedge x < g_k(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

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 $\wedge x < g_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge x < g_2(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge \dots \wedge x < g_k(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

In geometry, this is the projection of a convex hull in $n+1$ dimension space of x, x_1, \dots, x_n on the n dimension space of x_1, \dots, x_n

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Compute $\exists x(f_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x \wedge \dots \wedge f_h(x_1, \dots, x_n) < x$
 $\wedge x < g_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge \dots \wedge x < g_k(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

In symbolic computation, an equivalence space is described with combinational inequalities.

Example: $x < 3 \wedge y > x+5 \wedge z \leq x+5$

This is a convex hull surrounded by the planes of $x=3$, $y = x+5$, and $z = x+5$ in the 3-dimension space.

Example: $x < 3 \wedge y > x+5 \wedge z \leq w +5$

This is a convex hull surrounded by the three planes of $x=3$, $y = x+5$, $z = w+5$ in the 4-dimension space.

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Zones

$$(0-x_1 \leq -3 \wedge x_1-x_2 < 5 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4) \vee (0-x_2 < -2 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$

Normal forms

- **closure form: all-pair shortest-path form**

$$(0-x_1 \leq -3 \wedge 0-x_2 < 2 \wedge x_1-x_2 < 5 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$

$$\vee (0-x_2 < -2 \wedge 0-x_1 < 2 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$

- **always the most number of constraints**

- **reduced form: minimum number of constraints**

$$(0-x_1 \leq -3 \wedge x_1-x_2 < 5 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$

$$\vee (0-x_2 < -2 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$

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Data-structures for Zones - Difference Bound Matrix (DBM)

- DBM is a matrix to represent a clock zone

	0	x_1	...	x_n	
0		$< c$			$0 - x_1 < c,$ i.e., $x_1 > c$
x_1	$< \infty$			$\leq r$	$x_1 < \infty$
...					$x_1 - x_n \leq r$
x_n	$\leq d$				$x_n \leq d$

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Data-structures for Zones - DBM (Example)

- $x_1 - x_2 < 2 \wedge 0 < x_2 \leq 2 \wedge 1 \leq x_1$


	0	x_1	x_2
0	≤ 0	≤ -1	< 0
x_1	$< \infty$	≤ 0	< 2
x_2	≤ 2	$< \infty$	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones - DBM (Uniqueness)

- A zone is not uniquely represented by a DBM
- Zone: $x_1 - x_2 < 2 \wedge 0 < x_2 \leq 2 \wedge 1 \leq x_1$
- $x_1 - x_2 < 2$ and $x_2 \leq 2 \rightarrow x_1 < 4$

	0	x_1	x_2
0	≤ 0	≤ -1	< 0
x_1	$< \infty$	≤ 0	< 2
x_2	≤ 2	$< \infty$	≤ 0



	0	x_1	x_2
0	≤ 0	≤ -1	< 0
x_1	< 4	≤ 0	< 2
x_2	≤ 2	$< \infty$	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones - DBM (Canonical Form)

- Canonical (unique) form of DBM for a zone
- Tightening operation:

$$x_i - x_j \sim_{ij} d_{ij} \text{ and } x_j - x_k \sim_{jk} d_{jk} \rightarrow x_i - x_k \sim_{ik} d_{ik}$$

where $d_{ik} = d_{ij} + d_{jk}$

$$\sim_{ik} = \begin{cases} \leq & \text{if both } \sim_{ij} \text{ and } \sim_{jk} \text{ are } \leq \\ < & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Apply tightening operations to a DBM until **no more change** is possible!

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Data-structures for Zones - DBM (Emptiness)

- Check if all elements on main diagonal are (≤ 0)
 - Yes \rightarrow nonempty
 - No \rightarrow empty or unsatisfiable
- Empty or unsatisfiable \rightarrow
At least 1 negative entry on main diagonal
- E.g. $x_i - x_i \leq -1 \rightarrow 0 \leq -1 \rightarrow$ **FALSE!!!**

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (3 operations: Intersection)

• **Intersection:** $D = D_1 \wedge D_2$ (all DBMs)

• Let $D_1(i, j) = \sim_1 c_1$ and $D_2(i, j) = \sim_2 c_2$

$$D(i, j) = (\min(c_1, c_2), \sim)$$

where $\sim = \sim_1$ if $c_1 < c_2$

$\sim = \sim_2$ if $c_2 < c_1$

$\sim = \sim_1$ if $c_1 = c_2$ and $\sim_1 = \sim_2$

$\sim = <$ if $c_1 = c_2$ and $\sim_1 \neq \sim_2$

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (3 operations: Clock Reset)

• **Clock Reset:** $D' = D[Y := 0]$, $Y \subseteq X$

defined as follows:

• $D'(i, j) = (\leq 0)$ if $x_i, x_j \in Y$

• $D'(i, j) = D(0, j)$ if $x_i \in Y$ and $x_j \notin Y$

• $D'(i, j) = D(i, 0)$ if $x_j \in Y$ and $x_i \notin Y$

• $D'(i, j) = D(i, j)$ if $x_i \notin Y$ and $x_j \notin Y$


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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (3 operations: Time Elapse)

- **Time Elapse:** $D' = te(D)$ defined as follows:
- $D'(i, 0) = (< \infty)$, for any $i \neq 0$
- $D'(i, j) = D(i, j)$, for $i = 0$ or $i = j$

	0	x_1	x_2
0	≤ 0	≤ -1	< 0
x_1	< 4	≤ 0	< 2
x_2	≤ 2	$< \infty$	≤ 0



	0	x_1	x_2
0	≤ 0	≤ -1	< 0
x_1	$< \infty$	≤ 0	< 2
x_2	$< \infty$	$< \infty$	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (3 operations)

- All 3 operations can be **efficiently** implemented
- DBM must be **canonized** (using tightening) before any of the 3 operations (intersection, clock reset, and time elapse)
- After any of the 3 operations, a DBM might **no longer** be **canonical**!
- **Last step: Reduce to canonical form!!!**²

Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)

- Clock zones: represented by **DBM**
- Successor clock zones $\text{succ}(z, e)$: computed by the 3 operations: **intersection**, **reset**, and **time elapse** on DBM in

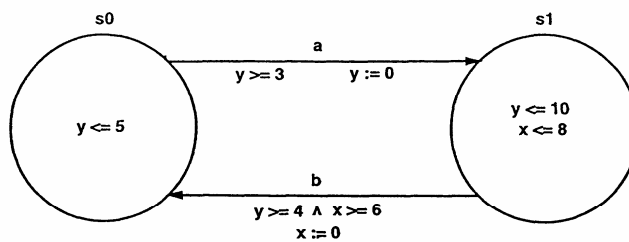


Figure 17.1
A simple timed automaton.

Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)

- Initial state: (s_0, Z_0) , $Z_0: x = 0 \wedge y = 0$

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
x	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
y	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0

Zone D_0

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)
- Invariant $\mu(s_0)$ is $0 \leq x \wedge 0 \leq y \leq 5$

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
x	$< \infty$	≤ 0	$< \infty$
y	≤ 5	≤ 5	≤ 0


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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)

- Step 1: Intersection D_0 with $\mu(s_0)$ gives D_0
- Step 2: Let time elapse: $te(D_0 \wedge \mu(s_0))$

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
x	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
y	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0



	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
x	$< \infty$	≤ 0	≤ 0
y	$< \infty$	≤ 0	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)
- Step 3: Intersect with $\mu(s_0)$ again

	0	x	y		0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0	⇒	0	≤ 0	≤ 0
x	$< \infty$	≤ 0	≤ 0		x	≤ 5	≤ 0
y	$< \infty$	≤ 0	≤ 0		y	≤ 5	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)
- Trigger $\tau(a) = y \geq 3$

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ -3
x	$< \infty$	≤ 0	$< \infty$
y	$< \infty$	$< \infty$	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)
- Step 4: Intersect with trigger $\tau(a)$

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ 0	≤ 0
x	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 0
y	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 0

→

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ -3	≤ -3
x	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 0
y	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 0

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)
- Step 5: Reset clock y in DBM

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ -3	≤ -3
x	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 0
y	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 0

→

	0	x	y
0	≤ 0	≤ -3	≤ -3
x	≤ 5	≤ 0	≤ 5
y	≤ 0	≤ -3	≤ 0

$$Z1 = 3 \leq x \leq 5 \wedge 3 \leq x - y \leq 5 \wedge y = 0$$

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Data-structures for Zones

- DBM (Zone Graph Construction)

- Successor of (s_0, Z_0) is (s_1, Z_1)
- Repeat the same 5 steps:
- $(s_0, 4 \leq y \leq 5 \wedge 4 \leq y - x \leq 5 \wedge x = 0)$
- $(s_1, 0 \leq x \leq 1 \wedge 0 \leq x - y \leq 1 \wedge y = 0)$
- $(s_0, 5 \leq y \leq 8 \wedge 5 \leq y - x \leq 8 \wedge x = 0)$
- $(s_1, x = 0 \wedge y = 0)$,
which is contained in the 2nd zone,
thus no more new zones can be
generated!!!

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No more change! Stop! Zone Graph!

Data-structures for Zones

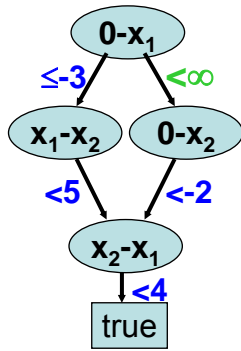
- CRD: Clock-Restriction Diagram

- A BDD-like data-structure
- Recording device for (zone) DBM set
- variables like $x-x'$
- Arc values like (\prec, d) , $d \in [-C_A, C_A] \cup \{\infty\}$; or
 (\leq, d) , $d \in [-C_A, C_A]$
- Default value on arcs: (\prec, ∞)
 - No constraint!

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Data-structures for Zones - CRD Example

$$(0-x_1 \leq -3 \wedge x_1-x_2 < 5 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4) \vee (0-x_2 < -2 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$



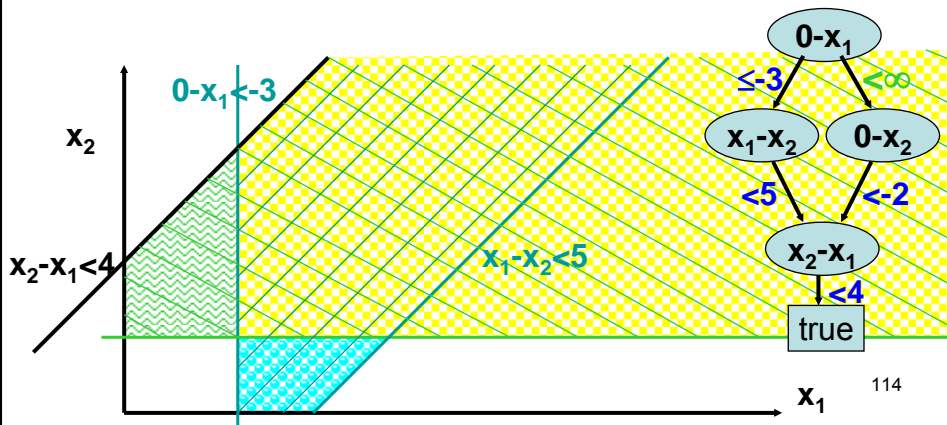
- Each path represents a zone, which is convex.
- The whole CRD represents a concave state-space.
- No canonical anymore.
- $<\infty$ can be used sometimes.

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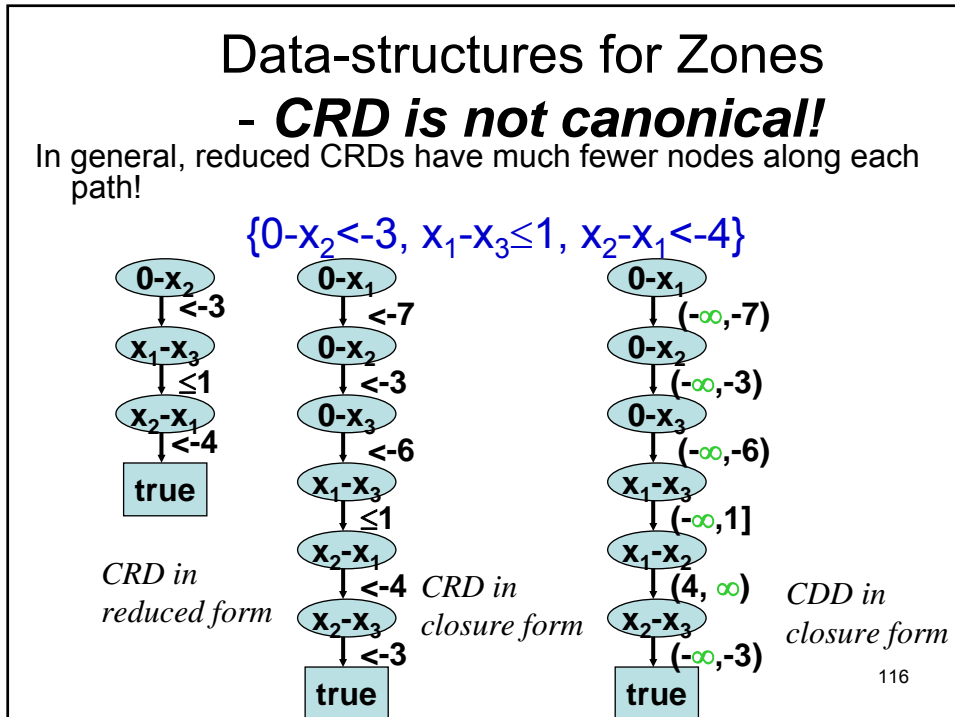
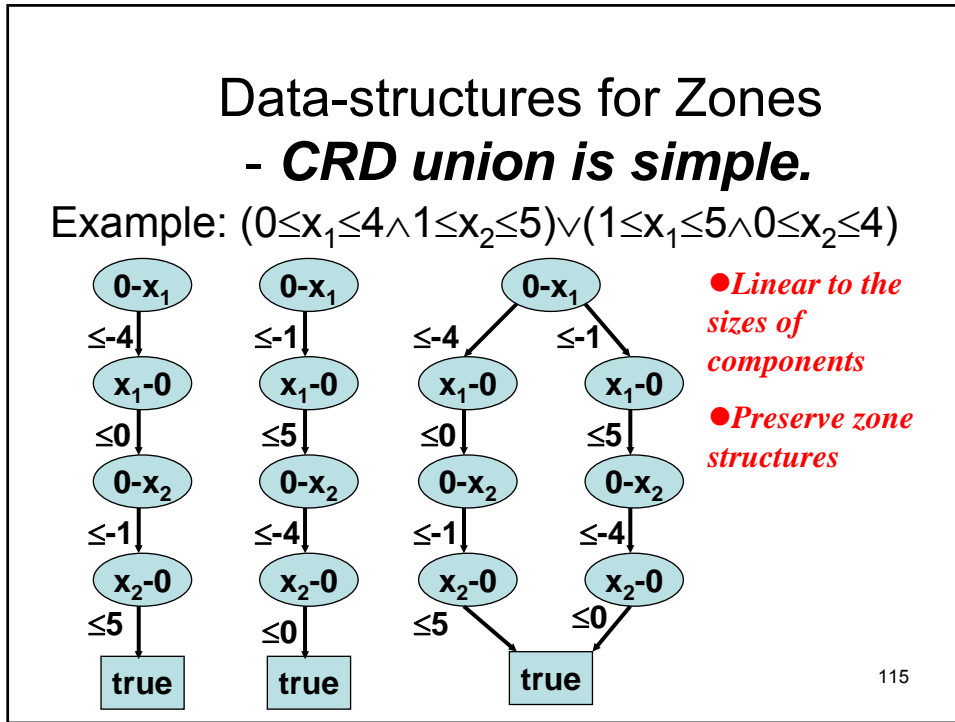
Data-structures for Zones - Representation fragmentation of CDD

Two zones

$$(0-x_1 \leq -3 \wedge x_1-x_2 < 5 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4) \vee (0-x_2 < -2 \wedge x_2-x_1 < 4)$$



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Data-structures for Zones

- **Sensitivity to choice of normal forms**

Reduced CRDs are less likely to interfere data-sharing!

$(x_1-x_2 < 3 \wedge x_3-x_1 \leq 6)$
 $\vee (x_1-x_4 \leq 5 \wedge x_3-x_1 \leq 6)$

reduced

$(x_1-x_2 < 3 \wedge x_3-x_1 \leq 6 \wedge x_3-x_2 \leq 6)$
 $\vee (x_1-x_4 \leq 5 \wedge x_3-x_1 \leq 6 \wedge x_3-x_4 \leq 11)$

closure

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Data-structures for Zones

- **Sensitivity to choice of normal forms**

Reduced form makes it difficult to detect zone-containment.

$(x_1-x_3 \leq -1 \wedge x_3-x_2 \leq -2 \wedge x_2-x_1 \leq 3)$
 $\vee (x_1-x_3 \leq -1 \wedge x_3-x_1 \leq 1)$

reduced

Note, it is $O(n^3)$ to deduce the all-pair shortest-path relation.

closure

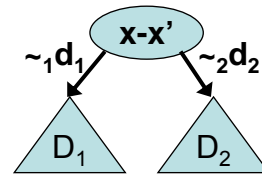
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Data-structures for Zones

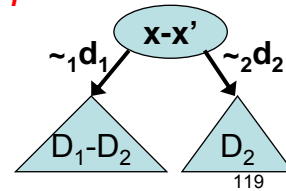
- **Contained zone-path**

elimination

- A node with single outgoing arc labeled $<\infty$ can be bypassed.
- Given two arcs, when
 - $\sim_1 d_1$ more restrictive than $\sim_2 d_2$
 - $D_1 \subseteq D_2$
 then D_1 can be removed.



slim



- ★ *The operation MAY or MAY NOT lead to smaller CRD sizes.*
- ★ *Don't know how to do this with CDD.*

Data-structures for Zones

- **Set-oriented manipulations on**

CRDs

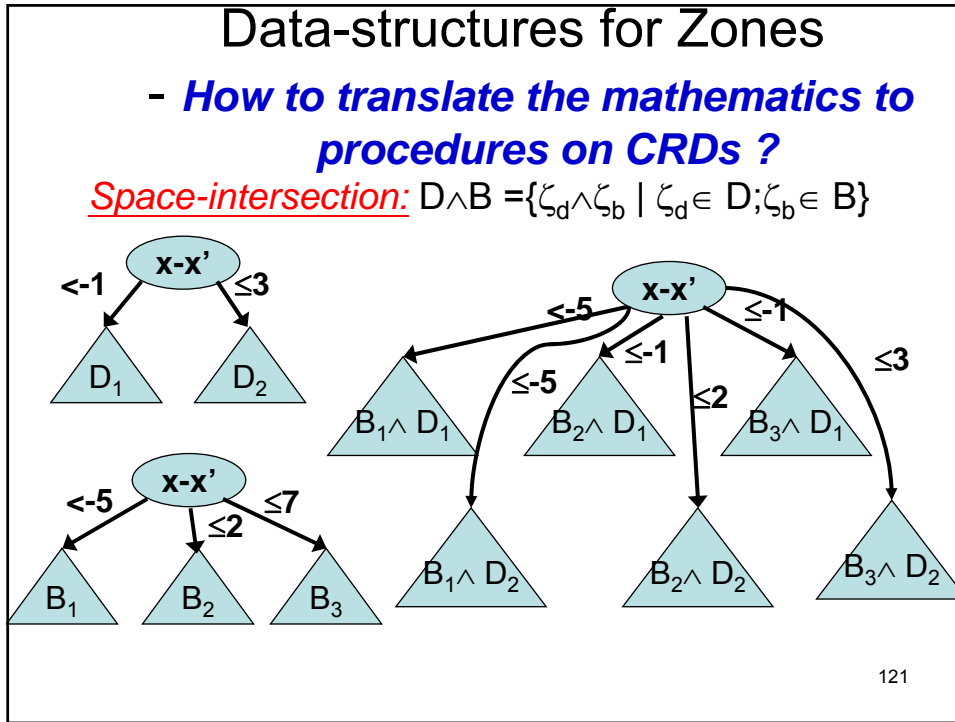
Given two CRDs $D_1: \{\zeta_1, \zeta_2\}$ and $D_2: \{\zeta_2, \zeta_3\}$,

- $D_1 \cap D_2$ is the CRD for $\{\zeta_2\}$ $O(|D_1| \times |D_2|)$
- $D_1 \cup D_2$ is the CRD for $\{\zeta_1, \zeta_2, \zeta_3\}$ $O(|D_1| \times |D_2|)$
- $D_1 - D_2$ is the CRD for $\{\zeta_1\}$ $O(|D_1| \times |D_2|)$

Space-intersection: $D_1 \wedge D_2$

- For every $\zeta_1(x, x') = (\sim_1, d_1)$ and $\zeta_2(x, x') = (\sim_2, d_2)$

$$\zeta_1 \wedge \zeta_2(x, x') = \begin{cases} (\sim_1, d_1) & \text{if } d_1 < d_2 \vee (d_1 = d_2 \wedge \sim == "<") \\ (\sim_2, d_2) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
- $D_1 \wedge D_2 = \{\zeta_1 \wedge \zeta_2 \mid \zeta_1 \in D_1, \zeta_2 \in D_2\}$ $O(|D_1|^2 \times |D_2|^2)$



Data-structures for Zones

- Style of CRD manipulating algorithm

```

set Ψ; /* database of already-processed cases */
rec∪(B,D) { Ψ = ∅; return rec∪(B,D); }
rec∪(B, D) with B=(xB-xB',(βi, Bi)1≤i≤n), D=(xD-xD',(αj, Dj)1≤j≤m) {
  if B=true, return true; else if D is true, return true;
  else if ∃H,(B,D,H)∈Ψ, return H; /* efficiency on common structures */
  else if xB-xB' precedes xD-xD', H:=(xB-xB', (βi, rec∪(Bi,D))1≤i≤n);
  else if xD-xD' precedes xB-xB', H:=(xD-xD', (αj, rec∪(B, Dj))1≤j≤m);
  else {
    for (i=n, j= m, H=false; i≥1∧j≥ 1, do {
      if βi == αj, { H= H ∪ (xB-xB', (βi, rec∪(Bi,Dj))); i--; j--; }
      else if βi< αj, { H= H ∪ (xB-xB', (αj, Dj)); j--; }
      else if βi> αj, { H= H ∪ (xB-xB', (βi, Bi)); i--; }
    }
    if i ≥ 1, H= H ∪ (xB-xB', (βh, Bh)1≤h≤i);
    if j ≥ 1, H= H ∪ (xB-xB', (αh, Dh)1≤h≤j);
  }
  Ψ = Ψ ∪ {(B,D,H)}; return H; /* saving results for common structures */
}
    
```

Data-structures for Zones - **BDD+CRD**

Can combine BDD with CRD in the same data-structure.

- $D_1 \cap D_2$ is like $D_1 \wedge D_2$
- $D_1 \cup D_2$ is like $D_1 \vee D_2$
- $D_1 - D_2$ is like $D_1 \wedge \neg D_2$

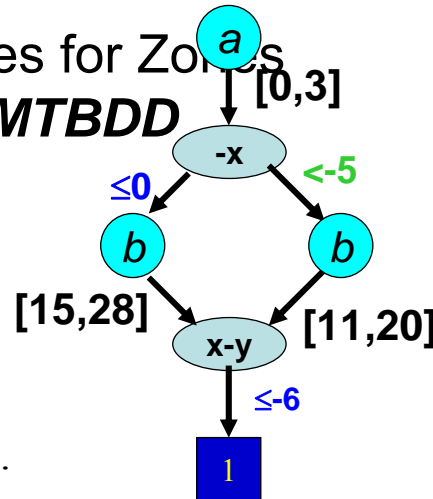
with integrated evaluation ordering.

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Data-structures for Zones - **CRD+MTBDD**

•Case analysis in the procedures for MTBDD and CRD

•One integrated variable ordering for MTBDD variables and CRD variables.



discrete a, b: 0..30;

clock x, y;

$0 \leq a \leq 3 \wedge (-x \leq 0 \wedge 15 \leq b \leq 28 \vee -x < -5 \wedge 11 \leq b \leq 20) \wedge x - y \leq -6$

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Data-structures for Zones - **Exercise: Costruction of a CRD+MTBDD**

discrete a, b:0..100.

clock x_1, x_2, x_3 ;

$$(a = 3 \wedge x_1 - x_3 \leq -1 \wedge x_3 - x_2 \leq -2 \\ \wedge b \in [10, 20] \wedge x_2 - x_1 \leq 3)$$

$$\vee (a \in [1, 5] \wedge b \in [16, 20] \wedge x_1 - x_3 \leq -1 \wedge x_3 - x_1 \leq 1)$$

Assume the variable ordering:

$$a \angle x_1 - x_3 \angle x_3 - x_2 \angle b \angle x_2 - x_1 \angle x_3 - x_1$$

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Workout *for symbolic verification of timed automata*

Given transition (q,q'): when $x \leq 11$ may $y := 0$;

$\mu(q)$: $4 \leq y \wedge y < 25$,

and $\phi = 9 < x \wedge x - y \leq 7 \wedge y \leq 5$

please calculate

- $xtion_bck(\phi, (q, q'))$
- $time_bck(xtion_bck(\phi, (q, q')))$

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TCTL inevitability analysis

- *Safety properties*: $\forall \square \phi$
 - Negation: reachability properties: $\exists \diamond \phi$
 - **Least fixpoint evaluation**
 - Heavily researched for efficient evaluation
 - nonZeno requirement, not very necessary
- *Inevitability properties*: $\forall \diamond \phi$
 - Kind of parallel to *liveness* properties in LTL
 - Negation: $\exists \square \phi$
 - **Greatest fixpoint evaluation**
 - Not very much researched for efficient evaluation
 - nonZeno requirement necessary

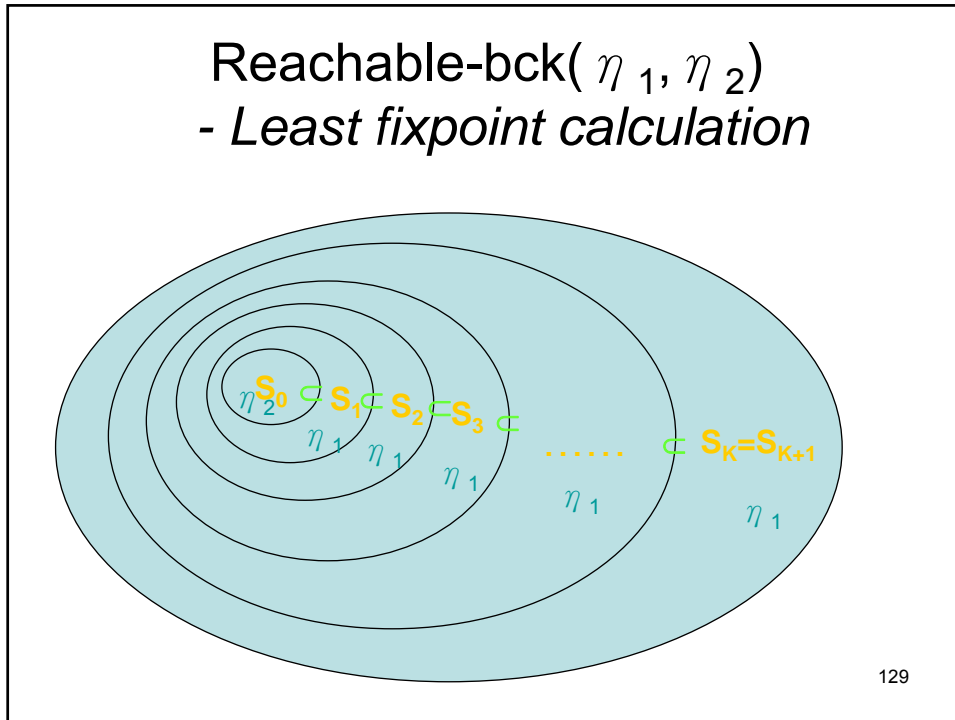
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Model checking with Non-Zeno requirement (1)

- Basic procedures
 - $X_{\text{tion_bck}}(\eta, e)$
 - weakest precondition of discrete transitions
 - $\text{Time_bck}(\eta)$
 - backward time-progression
- $\text{Reachable_bck}(\eta_1, \eta_2) \equiv \text{lfp} Y. (\eta_2 \vee (\eta_1 \wedge \text{time_bck}(\eta_1 \wedge \bigvee_{e \in T} X_{\text{tion_bck}}(Y, e))))$

The lfp (least fixpoint) of $F(Y)$ is the minimal solution to $Y = F(Y)$.

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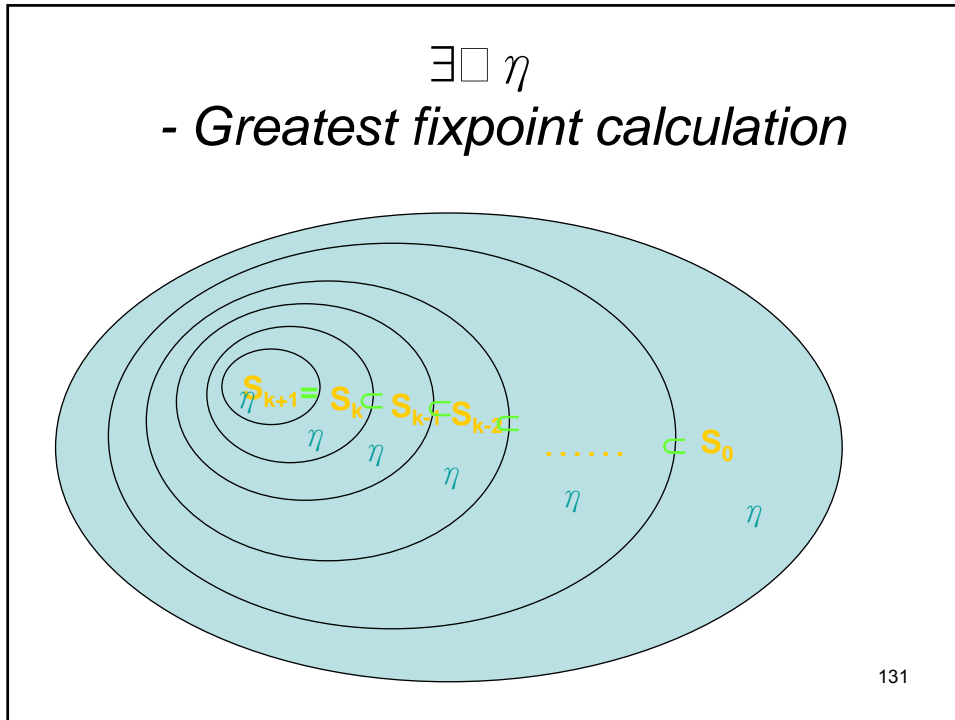


Model checking with Non-Zeno requirement (2)

- Lemma: given $d \geq 1$, A ,
 - $\nu \models \exists \square \eta$ iff there is a finite run ρ
 - from ν
 - of duration $\geq d \geq 1$
 - along ρ every state satisfies η and
 - ρ ends at a state satisfying $\exists \square \eta$
- $\exists \square \eta \equiv \text{gfp } Y. (\text{ZC.reachable-bck}(\eta, Y \wedge \text{ZC} \geq d))$

The gfp (greatest fixpoint) of $F(Y)$ is the maximal solution to $Y = F(Y)$.

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Gfp procedure

$\exists \square \eta \equiv \mathbf{gfp} \ Y. (\mathbf{ZC}.\mathbf{reachable-bck}(\eta, Y \wedge \mathbf{ZC} \geq d))$

```

gfp(  $\eta$  ){
  Y :=  $\eta$  ; Y' := true;
  Repeat until Y = Y', {
    Y' := Y;
    Y := Y  $\wedge$   $\exists \mathbf{ZC} \ ( \mathbf{ZC} = 0 \wedge \mathbf{reachable-bck}(\eta, Y \wedge \mathbf{ZC} \geq d) );$ 
  }
  return Y;
}
    
```

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EDGF

- early decision on GFP evaluation
- Observation
 - The state space shrinks iteratively
- Basic idea
 - Stop at a gfp iteration if already no target states are in the gfp.
- Cost
 - Small extra computation

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EDGF

- early decision on GFP evaluation
- Example:**

TargetIdentified $\rightarrow \forall \diamond$ TargetHit

- After negation,

TargetIdentified $\wedge \exists \square \neg$ TargetHit

- Can quit evaluation iff

the intersection is already empty!!!

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Linear hybrid automata

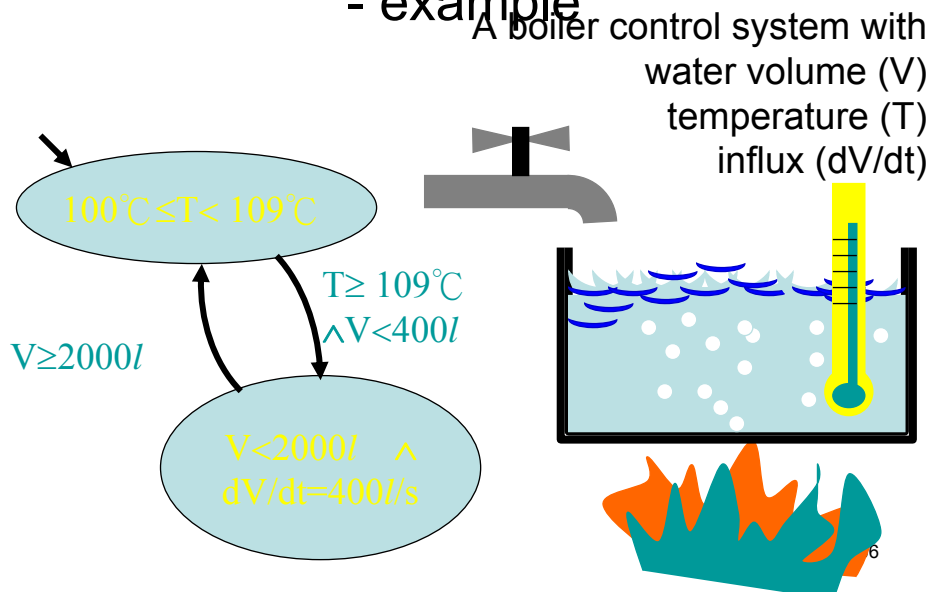
FSA + continuous variables

- **Continuous variables: rationals, reals**
 - temperature, volume, velocity, distance, voltage, ...
- **Continuous variables + their derivatives for system state descriptions/transitions**
 - $T > 100^{\circ}\text{C} \wedge V < 400\text{l} \wedge dV/dt < 10\text{l/s}$
 - $dT/dt = 6^{\circ}\text{C/s} \wedge V < 400\text{l}$

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Linear hybrid automata

- example



Linear hybrid automata - verification

- **linear state-predicates, e.g.,**

$$6x + y + 5 < 2z + 12$$
and their Boolean combinations
 - *reachability problem is undecidable.*
- **In timed automata with constraints like**

$$5 < y, x < 5$$
model-checking problem is in PSPACE.

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Linear hybrid automata - parametric analysis

What values of
 α and β make
the system safe?

- Express systems
- General parametric analysis
 - Informative feedback to engineers

```

    graph TD
        start(( )) -- "x=0;" --> idle
        subgraph States
            idle([idle  
dx ∈ [0,0]])
            waiting([waiting  
dx ∈ [4/5, 1]])
            critical([critical  
dx ∈ [0,0]])
            ready([ready  
dx ∈ [1, 11/10]])
        end
        idle -- "L=0;" --> critical
        idle -- "L==0  
x=0;" --> waiting
        waiting -- "x < α  
L=P; x=0;" --> ready
        ready -- "L!=P" --> idle
        ready -- "L==P ∧ x ≥ β" --> critical
    
```

$d \alpha \in [0,0]$
 $d \beta \in [0,0]$

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Linear hybrid automata

- parametric safety analysis (PSA)

Given an LHA A and a safety predicate η ,

“What is the constraint on parameters that make A safe w.r.t. η ?”

i.e., η is satisfied in all states along all computations of A.

- ▶ Decision support
- ▶ Informative feedback to engineers
- ▶ An undecidable problem

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Linear hybrid automata

- parametric safety analysis (PSA)

Given an LHA A and a safety predicate η ,

“What is the constraint on parameters that make A safe w.r.t. η ?”

Safety solution: $-\alpha < 0 \wedge -11\alpha + 8\beta < 0$

```

    graph TD
      Start(( )) -- "x=0;" --> idle
      idle((idle  
dx ∈ [0,0])) -- "L=0  
x=0;" --> waiting
      waiting((waiting  
dx ∈ [4/5,1])) -- "x < α  
L=P; x=0;" --> idle
      waiting -- "x < α  
L=P; x=0;" --> ready
      ready((ready  
dx ∈ [1,11/10])) -- "L==P ∧ x ≥ β" --> idle
      ready -- "L==P ∧ x ≥ β" --> critical
      critical((critical  
dx ∈ [0,0])) -- "L=0;" --> idle
  
```

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Linear hybrid automata - How to get rid of $\exists \delta$?

Example:

$x-3y < -5 \wedge 4x+2y < 9, dx/dt \in [1,3], dy/dt \in [-10,-9],$
what is the weakest precondition of time-progress ?

Techniques:

present copies of variables are x', y'
future copies (after δ time units) are x, y

Solution:

$\exists x' \exists y' \exists \delta (x'-3y' < -5 \wedge 4x'+2y' < 9$
 $\wedge 0 \leq \delta \wedge \delta \leq x-x' \leq 3\delta \wedge -10\delta \leq y-y' \leq -9\delta$
)

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Linear hybrid automata - related works

The technology for LHA parametric analysis

- Non-algorithmic in general
- State-space analysis:
 - Convex polyhedra
 - Frames
 - Zones for time

- Convex polyhedra
- Frames
- Zones for time

- DBM (Difference Bound Matrices)
- DDD, CDD, CRD (Difference Decision Diagrams)

Can LHA analysis benefit from BDD-technology ?

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Linear hybrid automata - symbolic verification

Convex polyhedra:

Given system variables x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n ,

$$\bigwedge_k a_{1k} x_1 + a_{2k} x_2 + \dots + a_{nk} x_n \sim c_k$$

- $a_{1k}, a_{2k}, a_{nk}, c_k \in \mathbb{Z}$
- \sim is $<, \leq, =, \geq, >$

Example: $11\alpha - 8\beta < 0 \wedge 4\alpha - 5x_1 + 9x_2 < 0$

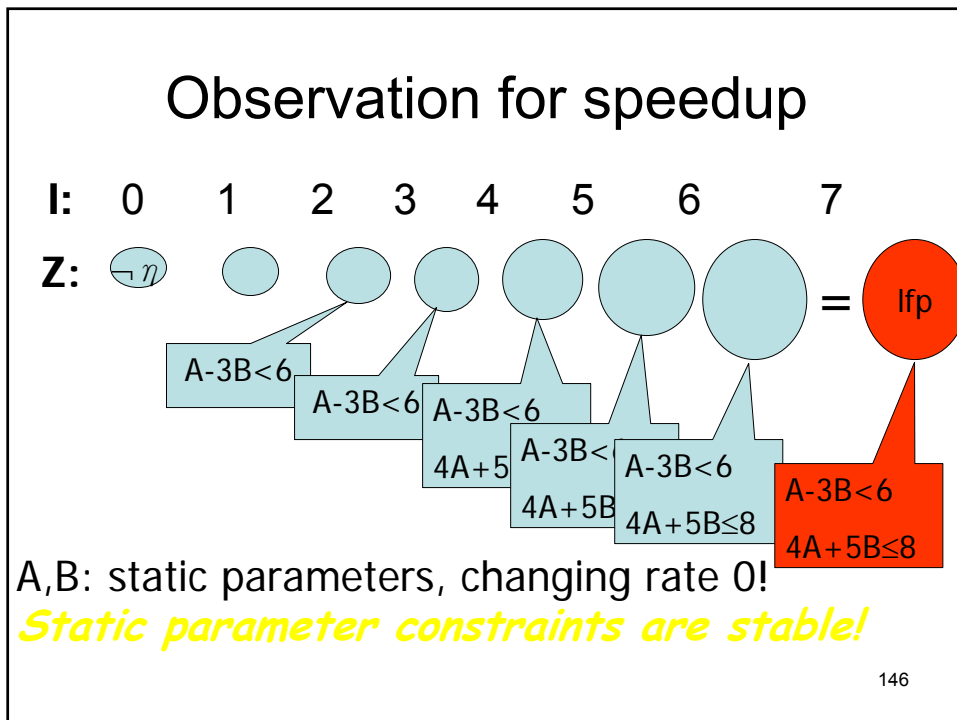
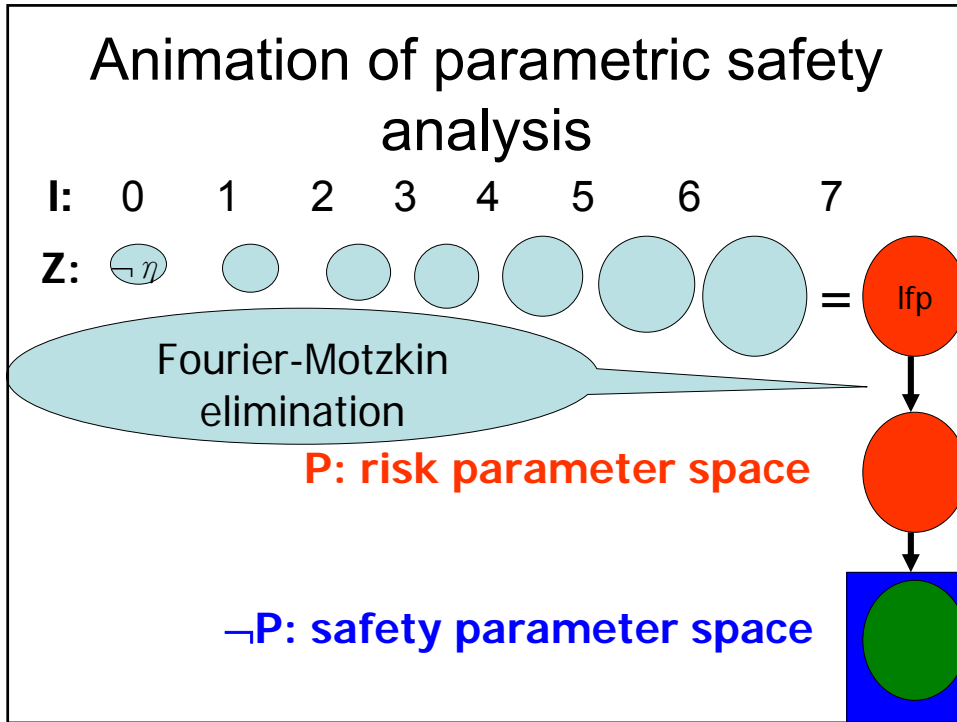
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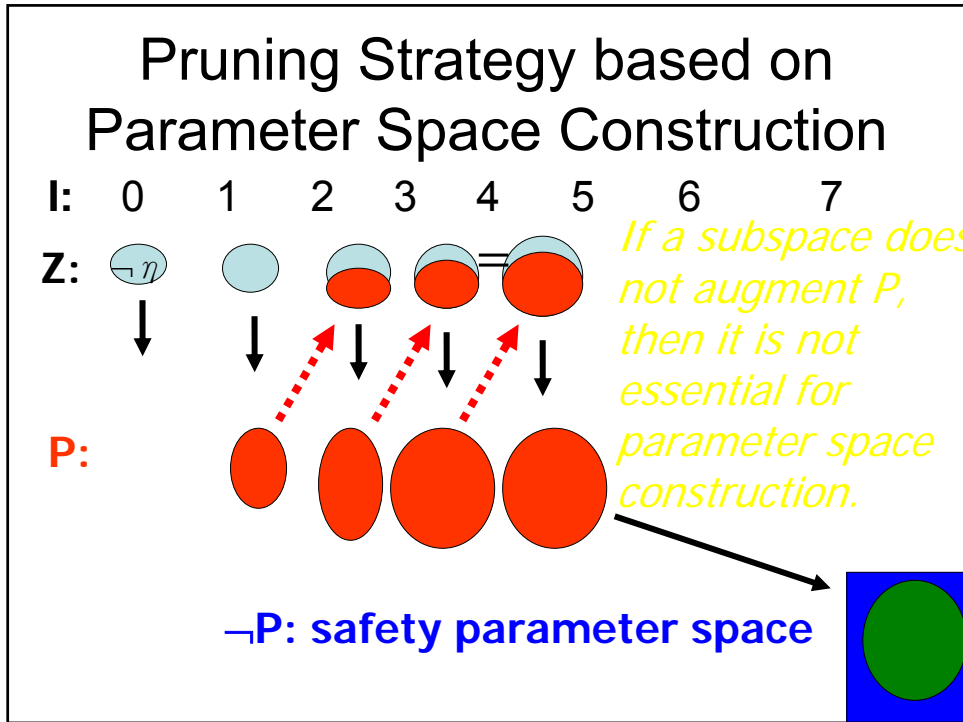
Parametric safety analysis

$$\neg \exists (X-H) \\ (I \wedge \text{lfp } Z. (\text{time}(\neg \eta, q_f) \vee \bigvee_{e=(q,q') \in E} \text{time}(\text{xtion}(Z,e), q)))$$

- **H**: the set of static parameters
- η : safety predicate (in location q_f)
- **I**: initial predicate
- $\text{time}(\eta', q)$: WPC through time passage
- $\text{xtion}(\eta', e)$: WPC through discrete transition e

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not parameter space does.

- RED

6.35s/418k(cPSPSC)

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TCTL model-checker/simulator
 Fairness assumptions, events
 PSA for Linear Hybrid Automatas
 BDD-like data-structures

- Generalized railroad crossing (backward)
 - HyTech: 2 trains. 3.29s
 - **RED** 5.3: 2 trains. 1.41s/95k (c), 0.44s/84k(cPSPSC)
 - 3 trains. O/M (c), **6.35s/418k(cPSPSC)**

Experiment

When PSPSC does not perform, it charges a constant ration overhead.

- CSMA/CD (forward)
 - HyTech: 4 proc. 66.75s
 - **RED 5.3**: 4proc. 17.49s/378k (c), 27.03s/378k(cPSPSC), 6proc. 3123s/11525k (c), 4163s/11552k(cPSPSC)

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Experiment

Comparison with HyTech 2.4.5

- Fischer's (backward)
 - HyTech: 4 proc. 28.04s
 - **RED 5.3**: 4 proc. 12.38s/215k (m), 5.14s/163k(cPSPSC), 6 proc. 1485s/4000k (m), 168.6s/1170k(...)
- Fischer's (forward)
 - HyTech: 3 proc. 37.89s
 - **RED 5.3**: 3proc. 19.18s/654k (m), 5.59s/538k(cPSPSC)

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Experiment

Comparison with HyTech 2.4.5

- Nuclear reactor (backward)
 - HyTech: 6 rods. 647.8s
 - **RED** 5.3: 6 trains. 839.3s/8191k (m)
461.8s/6941k(cPSPSC)

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Experiment

Comparison with TReX 1.3

- Fischer's (forward)
 - TReX: 2 proc. 1.12s
 - **RED** 5.3: 4 proc. 197s/2714k (m),
5 proc. 752.7s/5254k(cPSPSC)
- Fischer's (backward)
 - TReX: 2 proc. 8.96s
 - **RED** 5.3: 6 proc. 567.1s/4341k (m),
170.3s/2798k(cPSPSC)

Parameters,
Clocks,
Lossy channels

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Experiment

Comparison with TReX 1.3

- Nuclear reactor (backward)
 - TReX: 2 rods. O/M
 - **RED** 5.3: 6 rods. 839.3s/8191k (m),
461.8s/6941k(cPSPSC)

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