

# Hyper Parametric Timed CTL

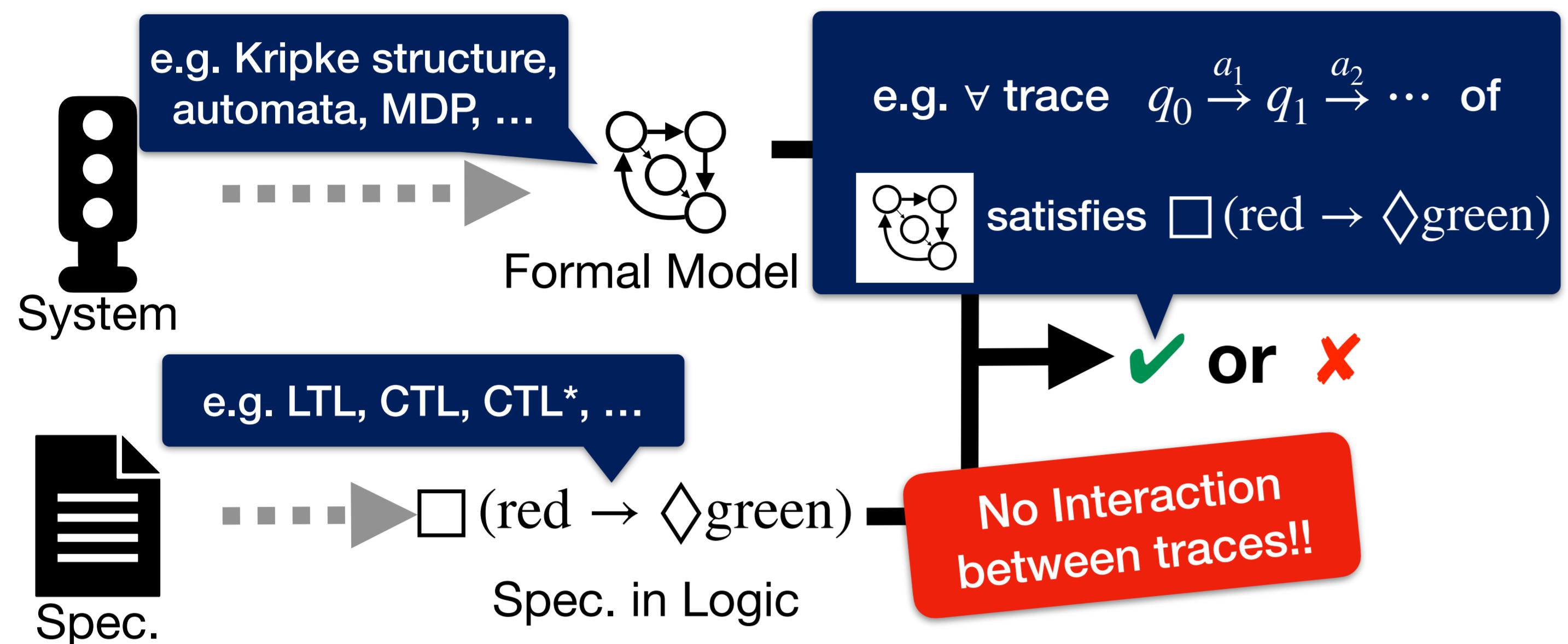


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Q. Can we model check parametric timed automata (PTAs) against hyperproperties?

A. Yes, for an appropriate subclass  
Idea: Reduction to model checking against PTCTL

## Model Checking of Trace Properties

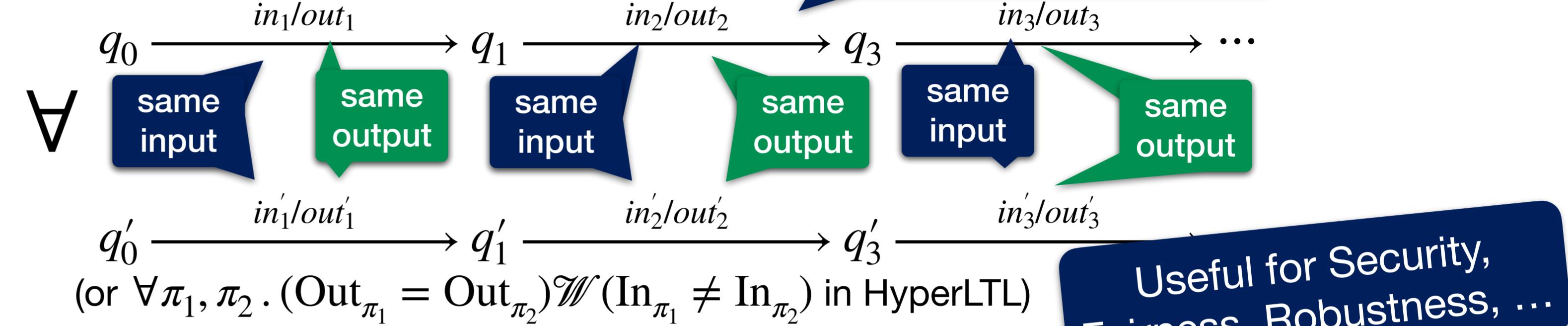


## Untimed Hyperproperties, e.g. HyperCTL\*

### Example (Observational determinism)

For the same inputs, the outputs are the same

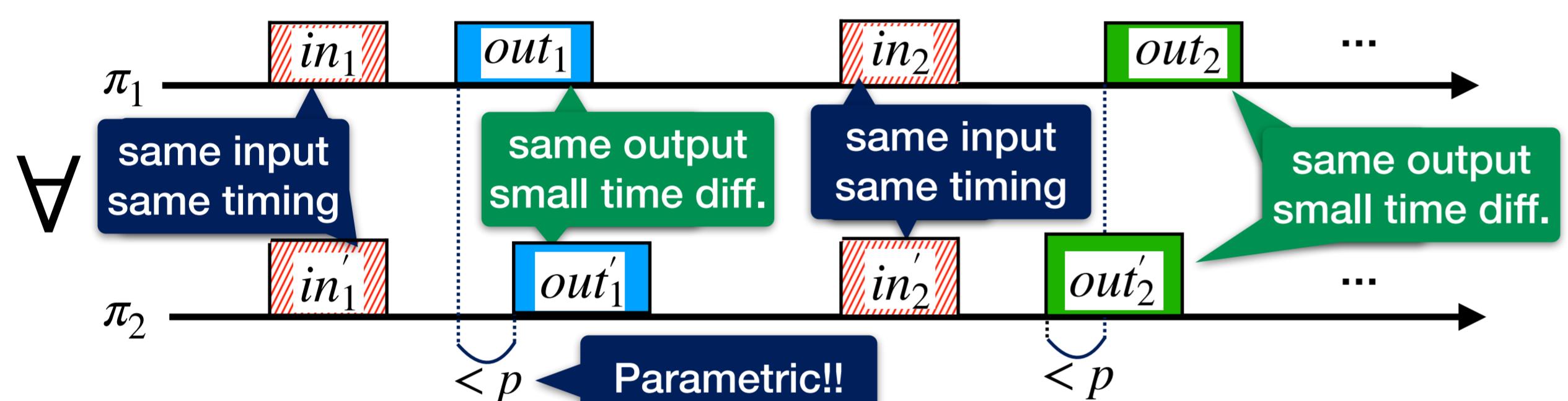
In other words...



## (Ext-)HyperPTCTL: HyperCTL + Time/Parameters + Additional Predicates [Contribution]

### Example (Parametric timed observational determinism)

Observational determinism with *small timing deviation* of outputs



(simplified)

$$\forall \pi_1, \pi_2. (\forall i. \#(\text{Out}_{\pi_1}^i) = \#(\text{Out}_{\pi_2}^i) \Rightarrow |\text{LAST}(\text{Out}_{\pi_1}^i) - \text{LAST}(\text{Out}_{\pi_2}^i)| < p) \mathcal{W}(\text{In}_{\pi_1} \neq \text{In}_{\pi_2})$$

### HyperPTCTL

### Proposition on locations

$$\varphi ::= \top \mid \sigma_\pi \mid \neg \varphi \mid \varphi \vee \varphi \mid \exists \pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_n. \varphi \mathcal{U}_{\Delta \gamma} \varphi$$

temporal level

$$| \forall \pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_n. \varphi \mathcal{U}_{\Delta \gamma} \varphi$$

top level

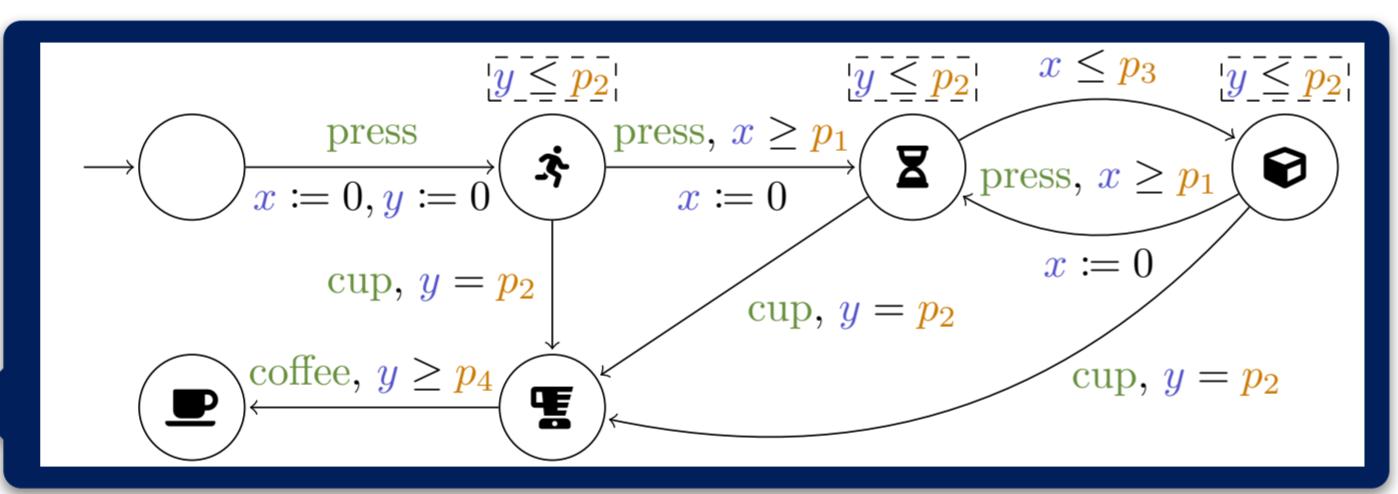
### Ext-HyperPTCTL

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi ::= \top \mid \sigma_\pi \mid \text{LAST}(\sigma_\pi) - \text{LAST}(\sigma_\pi) \bowtie \text{lt} \mid \text{cnt}_{\geq 0} \bowtie d \\ | (\text{cnt} \bmod N) \bowtie d \mid \dots \end{aligned}$$

## Problem Definition

### Input:

- Parametric timed automaton  $\mathcal{A}$



$$\forall \pi_1, \pi_2. (\text{Out}_{\pi_1} = \text{Out}_{\pi_2}) \mathcal{W}_{[0,p]}(\text{press}_{\pi_1} \neq \text{press}_{\pi_2})$$

- Ext-HyperPTCTL formula  $\varphi$

$$\{v \mid v(p_4) \leq v(p)\}$$

Synthesis: Synthesize param. val.  $v$  s.t.  $v(\mathcal{A}) \models v(\varphi)$

Exists!

Model Checking: Decide the existence of such  $v$

## Implementation (HyPTCTLChecker) & Experiments

- Implemented the reduction to IMITATOR



- Reduction slightly differs from theoretical one  
e.g. IMITATOR's discrete var. not encoding w/ loc.
- The reduction is almost immediate  
→ Report the result of synthesis with IMITATOR

| Prop. ( $\psi$ ) | PTA ( $\mathcal{A}$ ) | $ L $ | $ C $ | $ \mathbb{P} _\psi$ | $ \mathbb{P} _{\mathcal{A}}$ | $ \mathcal{V} $ | Time [sec.] |
|------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Deviation        | ClkGen                | 2     | 1     | 1                   | 1                            | 2               | 4.116       |
| Opacity          | Coffee                | 6     | 2     | 0                   | 3                            | 2               | 0.723       |
| Opacity          | STAC1:n               | 8     | 2     | 0                   | 2                            | 2               | 0.178       |
| Opacity          | STAC4:n               | 9     | 2     | 0                   | 5                            | 2               | < 0.001     |
| Unfair           | FIFO                  | 63    | 2     | 0                   | 4                            | 2               | 71.955      |
| Unfair           | Priority              | 72    | 2     | 0                   | 4                            | 2               | 6.855       |
| Unfair           | R.R.                  | 81    | 3     | 0                   | 4                            | 2               | 12550.979   |
| RobOND           | Coffee                | 6     | 2     | 1                   | 3                            | 2               | 3.182       |
| RobOND           | WFAS <sup>1</sup>     | 24    | 4     | 1                   | 0                            | 2               | 1.665       |
| RobOND           | WFAS <sup>2</sup>     | 24    | 4     | 1                   | 0                            | 2               | 2.570       |
| RobOND           | WFAS <sub>1</sub>     | 24    | 4     | 1                   | 1                            | 2               | 67.644      |
| RobOND           | WFAS <sub>2</sub>     | 24    | 4     | 1                   | 2                            | 2               | 1332.310    |
| RobOND           | ATM                   | 7     | 2     | 1                   | 0                            | 2               | T.O.        |
| RobOND           | ATM'                  | 5     | 2     | 1                   | 0                            | 2               | 4179.197    |
| EF <sub>2</sub>  | Coffee                | 6     | 2     | 1                   | 0                            | 2               | 0.034       |
| EF <sub>3</sub>  | Coffee                | 6     | 2     | 1                   | 0                            | 3               | 159.541     |
| EF <sub>4</sub>  | Coffee                | 6     | 2     | 1                   | 0                            | 4               | T.O.        |

## Idea of Our Semi-Algorithm: Reduction to PTCTL Model Checking

### Idea of the Reduction

- Ext-HyperPTCTL → HyperPTCTL: encode w/ PTAs
- HyperPTCTL → PTCTL: self-composition of PTAs

Note: PTCTL synthesis is in general undecidable  
→ We only have semi-algorithm

### 1. Ext-HyperPTCTL → HyperPTCTL

Slogan: Restrict the terms so that:

- Predicates' truth values are updated only at transitions
- Only finite (discrete) counting is sufficient

### 2. HyperPTCTL → PTCTL

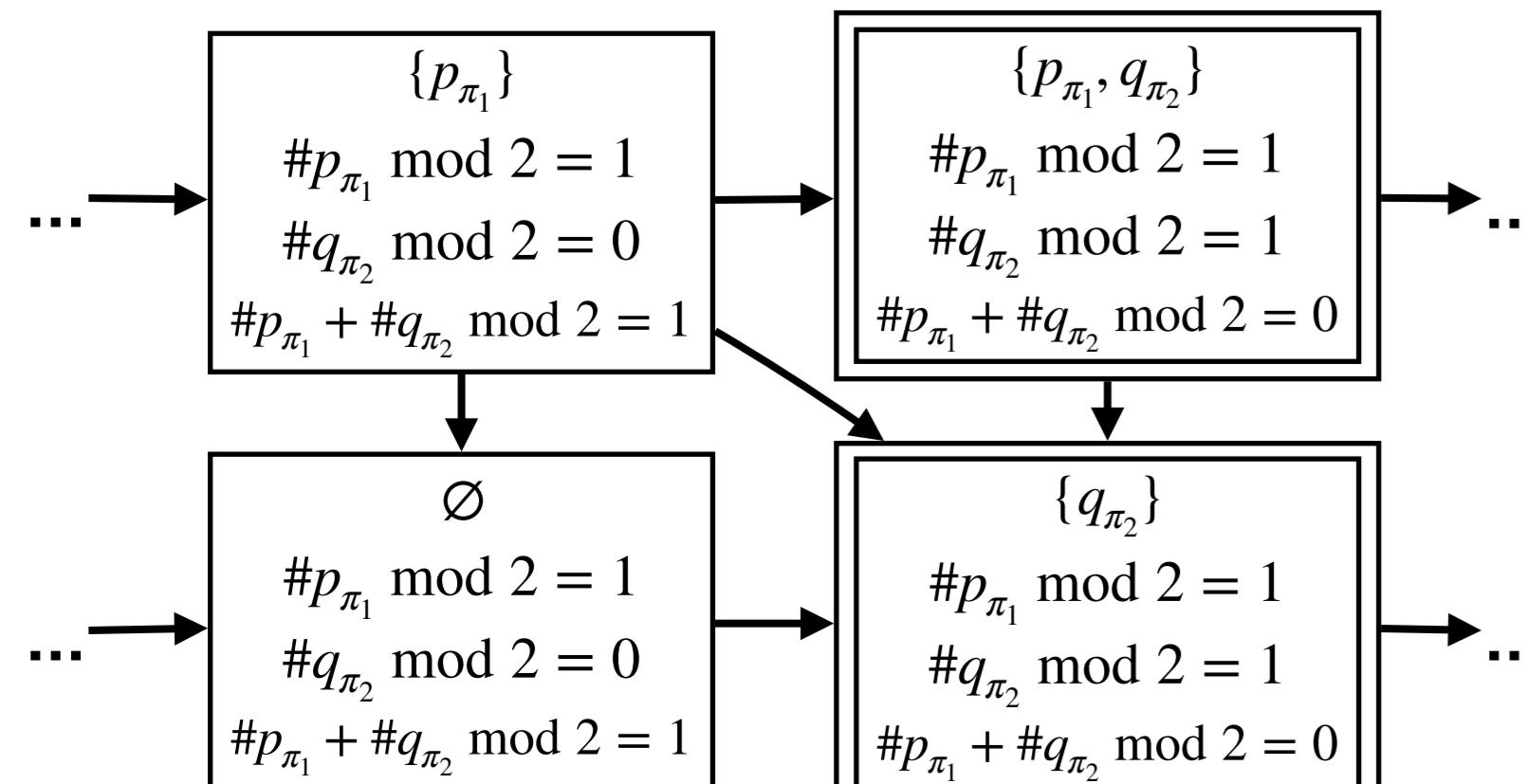
- Reduction s.t. traces  $\pi_1, \pi_2, \dots, \pi_n$  of  $\mathcal{A}$  is captured by trace  $\pi_1 || \pi_2 || \dots || \pi_n$  of  $\mathcal{A} || \mathcal{A} || \dots || \mathcal{A}$

Limited, but still likely useful

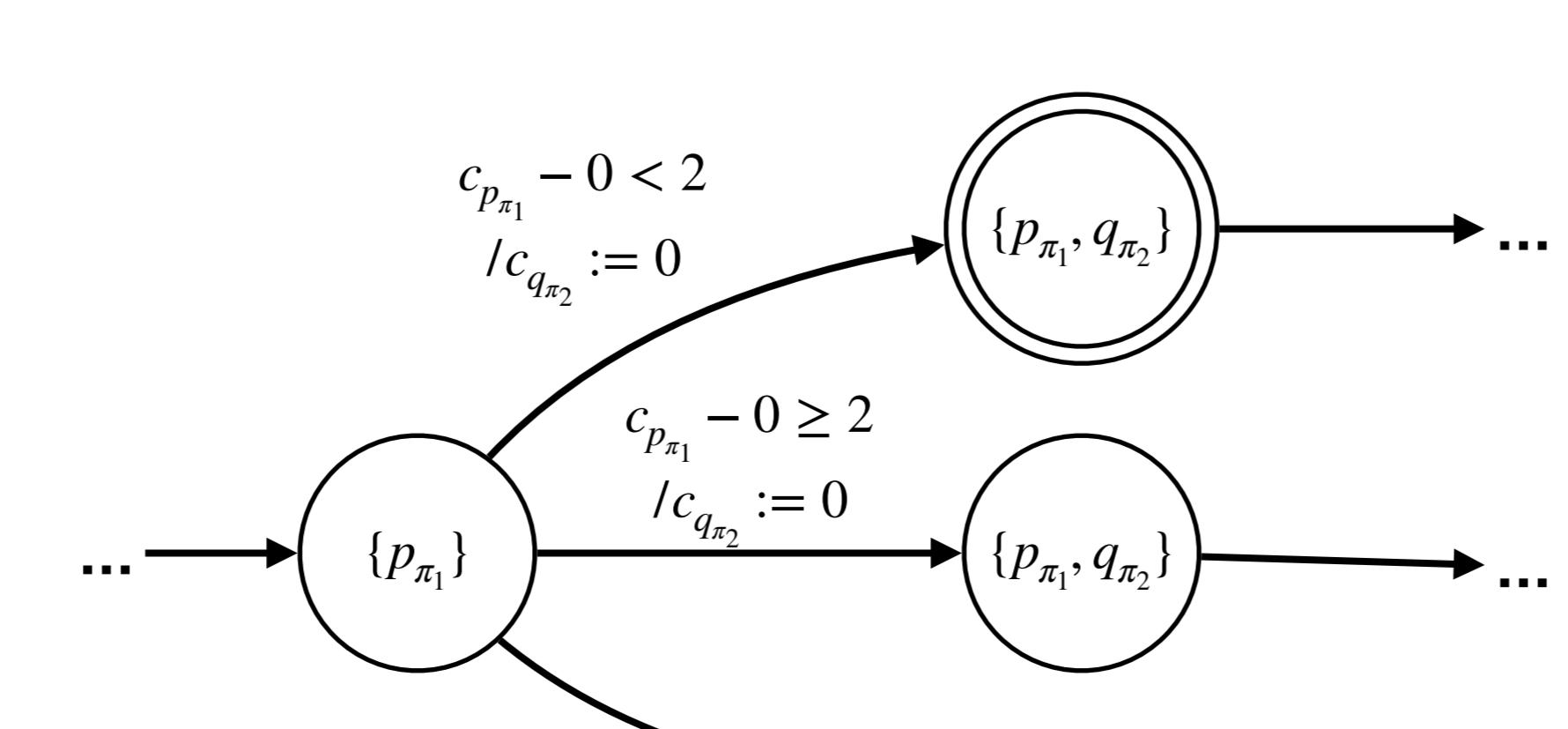
- Complement is impossible  
→ Focus on nest-free fragment
- “Zero-time behavior” is tricky

Multiple “simultaneous” jumps  
e.g. jump<sub>1</sub> || jump'<sub>1</sub> → jump<sub>2</sub>  
vs. jump<sub>1</sub> → jump<sub>2</sub> || jump'<sub>1</sub>

Example:  $\#p_{\pi_1} + \#q_{\pi_2} \bmod 2 = 0$



Example:  $\text{LAST}(p_{\pi_1}) - \text{LAST}(q_{\pi_2}) < 2$



### Explicit Transition Ordering

Idea: Path valuation := (paths, order)

$$\pi_1 = (l_0, \nu_0) \xrightarrow{\text{jump}_1} (l_1, \nu_1) \xrightarrow{\text{jump}_2} (l_2, \nu_2)$$

$$\pi_2 = (l'_0, \nu'_0) \xrightarrow{\text{jump}'_1} (l'_1, \nu'_1) \xrightarrow{\tau=2.4} (l'_2, \nu'_2)$$

Transition ordering:  $\text{jump}_1 \sim \text{jump}'_1 \prec \text{jump}_2$

Prevent multiple possible ordering of jumps