

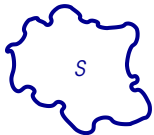
Consistency for Parametric Interval Markov Chains

Benoît Delahaye

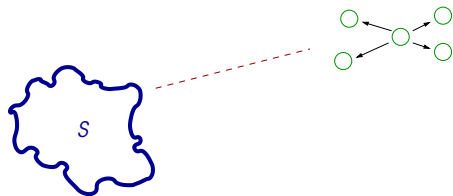
Université de Nantes

SynCoP 2015

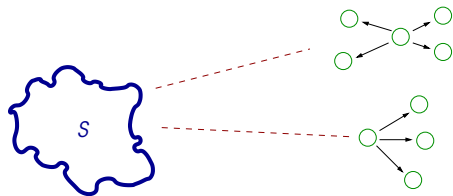
Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications



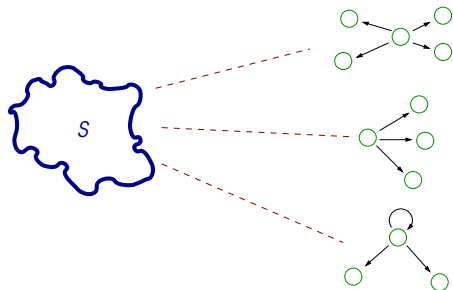
Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications



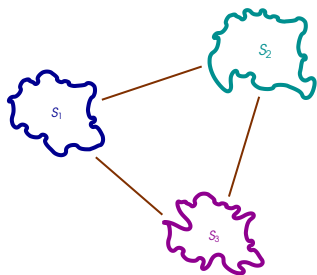
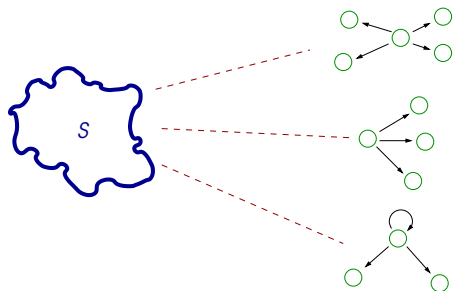
Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications



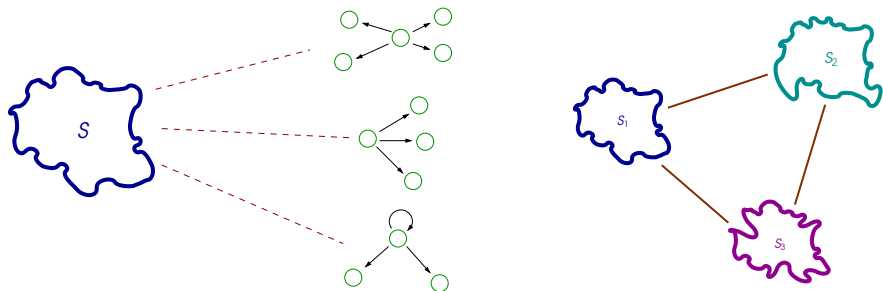
Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications



Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications

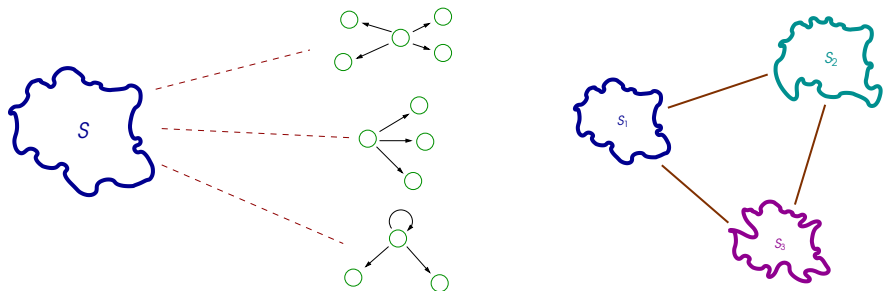


Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications



Compositional
Design

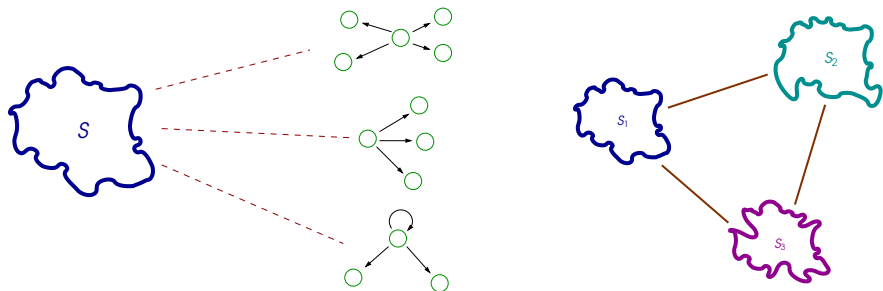
Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications



Compositional
Design

Generic Results

Context (1/2): Probabilistic Specifications

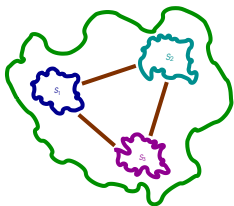


Compositional
Design

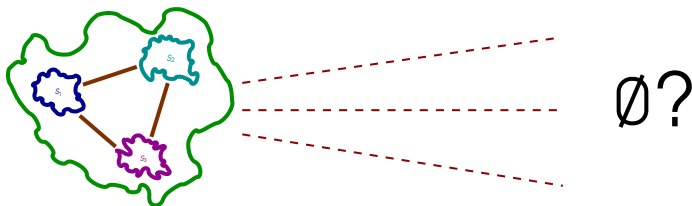
Generic Results

Independent
Reasoning

Context (2/2): Consistency



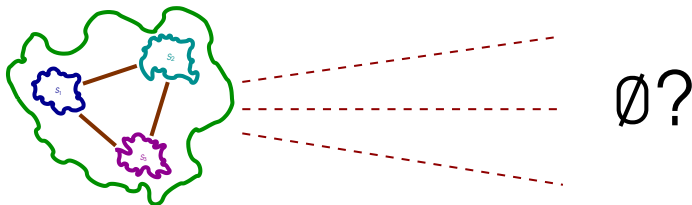
Context (2/2): Consistency



Consistency

Given a specification S , decide whether it admits at least one implementation.

Context (2/2): Consistency

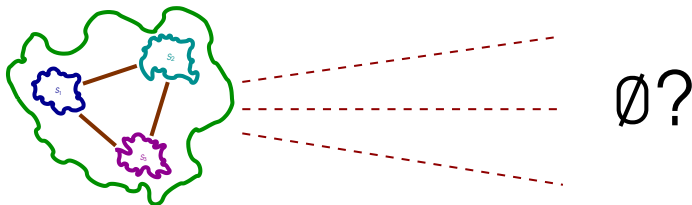


Consistency

Given a specification S , decide whether it admits at least one implementation.

Other questions of interest

Context (2/2): Consistency



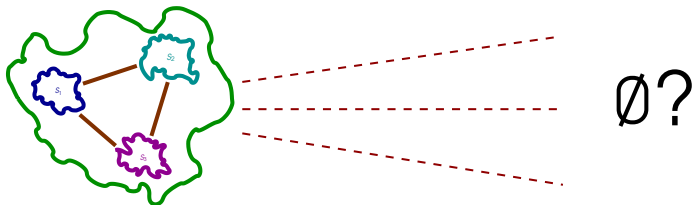
Consistency

Given a specification S , decide whether it admits at least one implementation.

Other questions of interest

- Common implementation

Context (2/2): Consistency



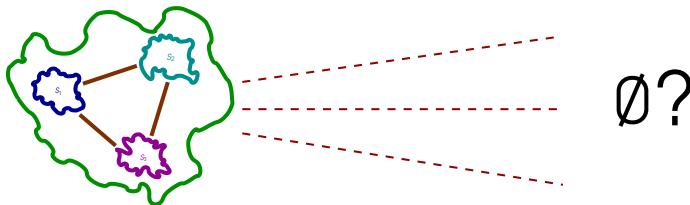
Consistency

Given a specification S , decide whether it admits at least one implementation.

Other questions of interest

- Common implementation
- Refinement

Context (2/2): Consistency



Consistency

Given a specification S , decide whether it admits at least one implementation.

Other questions of interest

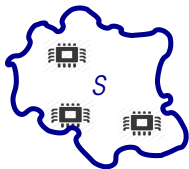
- Common implementation
- Refinement
- Composition Logical / Structural

Motivation: Why put parameters on probabilities?

Component failure rate



Can be chosen, with adequate cost

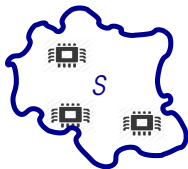


Motivation: Why put parameters on probabilities?

Component failure rate



Can be chosen, with adequate cost



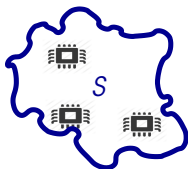
- Decide whether there exists a value for the failure rate for which the system is feasible (i.e. **consistent**)

Motivation: Why put parameters on probabilities?

Component failure rate



Can be chosen, with adequate cost



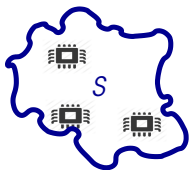
- Decide whether there exists a value for the failure rate for which the system is feasible (i.e. **consistent**)
- Compute the best compromise between failure rate and cost

Motivation: Why put parameters on probabilities?

Component failure rate



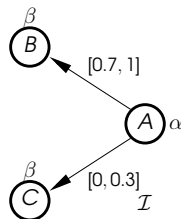
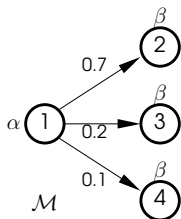
Can be chosen, with adequate cost \Rightarrow **parameter**



- Decide whether there exists a value for the failure rate for which the system is feasible (i.e. **consistent**)
- Compute the best compromise between failure rate and cost

- 1 (Parametric) Interval Markov Chains
- 2 The Consistency Problem
- 3 Concluding Remarks

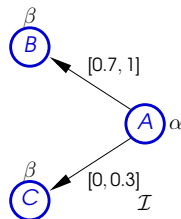
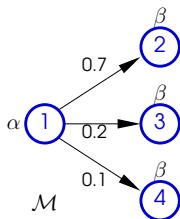
(Interval) Markov Chains



$$\mathcal{M} = (S, s_0, M, A, V)$$

$$\mathcal{I} = (S, s_0, \varphi, A, V)$$

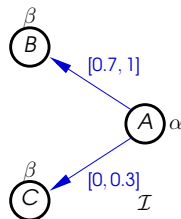
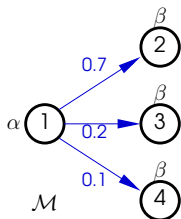
(Interval) Markov Chains



$$\mathcal{M} = (\mathcal{S}, s_0, M, A, V)$$

$$\mathcal{I} = (\mathcal{S}, s_0, \varphi, A, V)$$

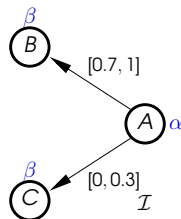
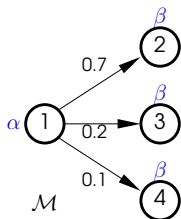
(Interval) Markov Chains



$$\mathcal{M} = (S, s_0, M, A, V)$$

$$\mathcal{I} = (S, s_0, \varphi, A, V)$$

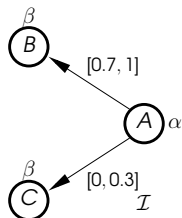
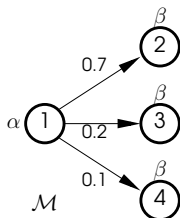
(Interval) Markov Chains



$$\mathcal{M} = (S, s_0, M, A, V)$$

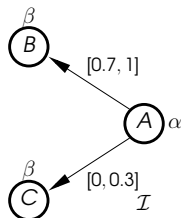
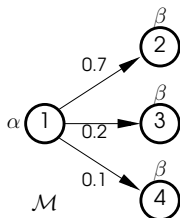
$$\mathcal{I} = (S, s_0, \varphi, A, V)$$

Satisfaction



Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

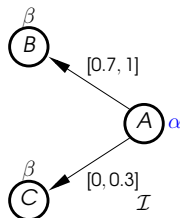
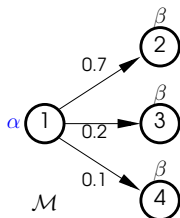
Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have



Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have

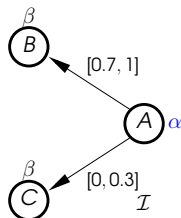
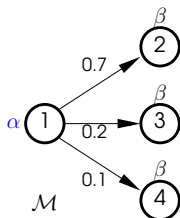
- Valuations of t and s match



Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have

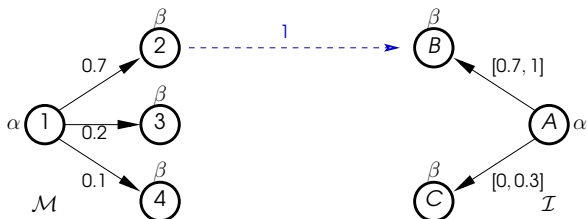
- Valuations of t and s match



Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have

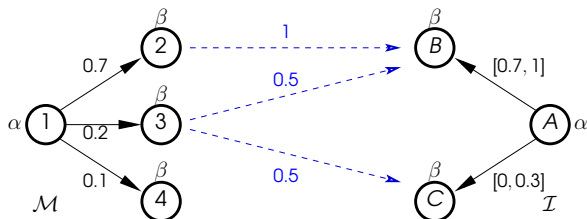
- Valuations of t and s match
- Outgoing transitions of t must be **redistributed** to outgoing transitions of s



Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have

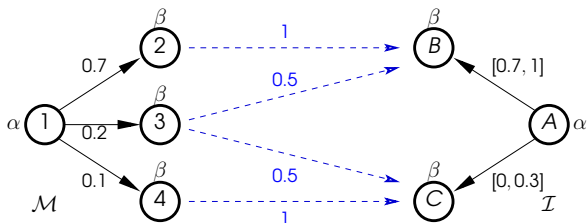
- Valuations of t and s match
- Outgoing transitions of t must be **redistributed** to outgoing transitions of s



Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have

- Valuations of t and s match
- Outgoing transitions of t must be **redistributed** to outgoing transitions of s

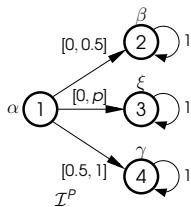


Satisfaction Relation \mathcal{R}

Whenever $(t, s) \in \mathcal{R}$, we have

- Valuations of t and s match
- Outgoing transitions of t must be **redistributed** to outgoing transitions of s

Parametric Interval Markov Chains

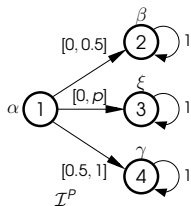


pIMCs

\mathcal{I}^P

Intervals can contain
parameters from set
 P

Parametric Interval Markov Chains



pIMCs

$$\mathcal{I}^P$$

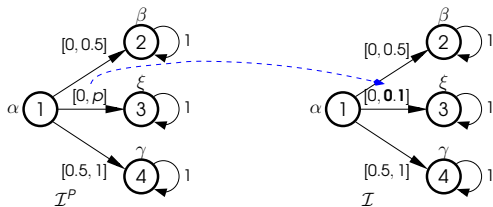
Intervals can contain
parameters from set
 P

Instantiation

$$\mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$$

Assign values to
parameters

Parametric Interval Markov Chains



pIMCs

\mathcal{I}^P

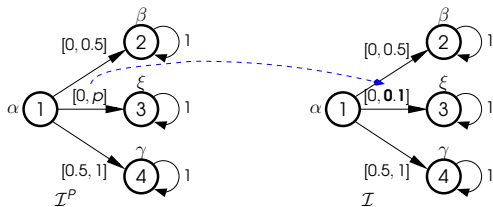
Intervals can contain
parameters from set
 P

Instantiation

$\mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$

Assign values to
parameters

Parametric Interval Markov Chains



pIMCs

$$\mathcal{I}^P$$

Intervals can contain
parameters from set
 P

Instantiation

$$\mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$$

Assign values to
parameters

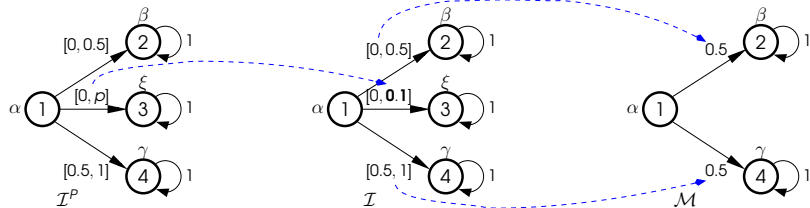
Satisfaction

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I}^P$$

iff $\exists \mathcal{I}$ s.t.

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$$

Parametric Interval Markov Chains



pIMCs

 \mathcal{I}^P

Intervals can contain parameters from set P

Instantiation

 $\mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$

Assign values to parameters

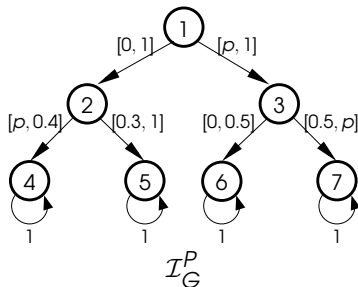
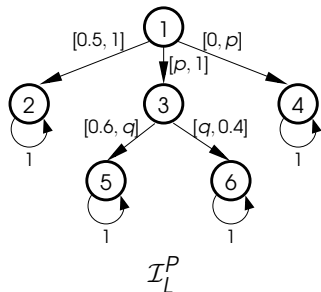
Satisfaction

 $\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I}^P$

iff $\exists \mathcal{I}$ s.t.

 $\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$

Local vs Global Parameters



Local Parameters

p is **local** if it appears in outgoing transitions of **at most 1 state**

Global Parameters

p is **global** if it appears in outgoing transitions of **at least 2 state**

- 1 (Parametric) Interval Markov Chains
- 2 The Consistency Problem
 - IMCs
 - pIMCs
- 3 Concluding Remarks

IMC \mathcal{I} is consistent iff there exists at least one MC \mathcal{M} such that

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I}$$

IMC \mathcal{I} is consistent iff there exists at least one MC \mathcal{M} such that

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I}$$

- Decidable ([JLAP'12])

IMC \mathcal{I} is consistent iff there exists at least one MC \mathcal{M} such that

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I}$$

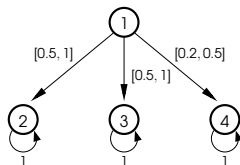
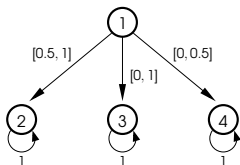
- Decidable ([JLAP'12])
- (Complex) Algorithm based on *Consistency Relations*

Local state-consistency

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a distribution ρ matching its outgoing intervals.

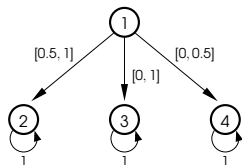
Local state-consistency

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a distribution ρ matching its outgoing intervals.

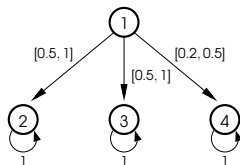


Local state-consistency

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a distribution ρ matching its outgoing intervals.

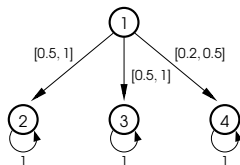
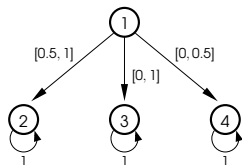


Consistent!



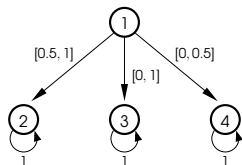
Local state-consistency

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a distribution ρ matching its outgoing intervals.

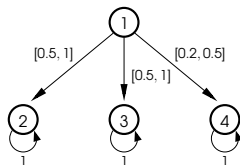


Local state-consistency

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a distribution ρ matching its outgoing intervals.



Consistent!



Inconsistent!

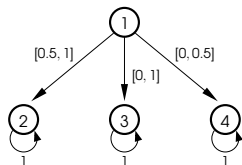
Local state-consistency

s is **locally consistent** iff

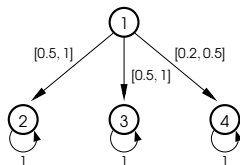
$$\sum_{s' \in S} \text{Low}(\varphi(s, s')) \leq 1 \leq \sum_{s' \in S} \text{Up}(\varphi(s, s'))$$

Local state-consistency

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a distribution ρ matching its outgoing intervals.



Consistent!



Inconsistent!

Local state-consistency

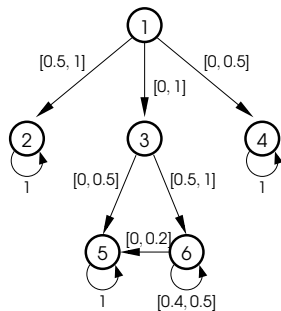
s is **locally consistent** iff

$$\sum_{s' \in S} \text{Low}(\varphi(s, s')) \leq 1 \leq \sum_{s' \in S} \text{Up}(\varphi(s, s'))$$

(if all intervals are **well-formed**)

Pruning operator for IMCs

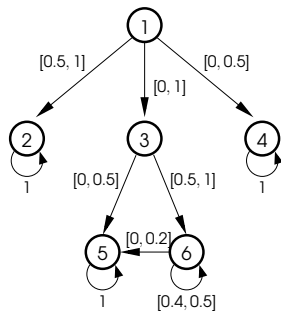
Remove all inconsistent behaviors



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

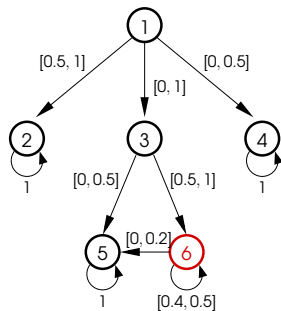
- Identify locally inconsistent states



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

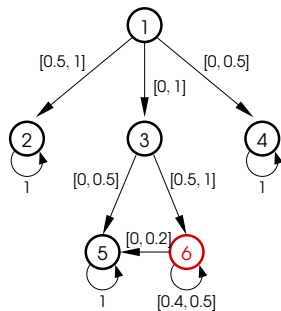
- Identify locally inconsistent states



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

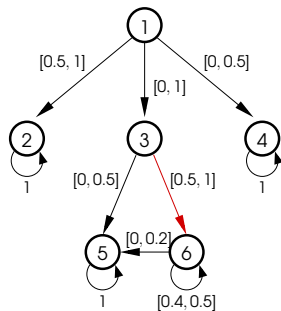
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

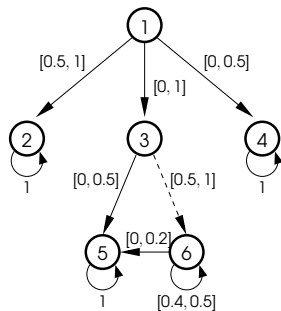
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

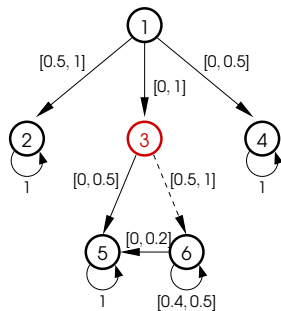
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

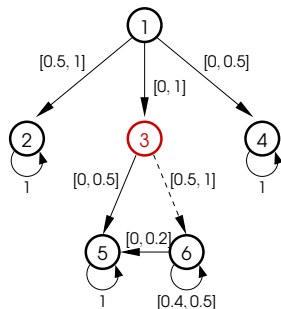
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

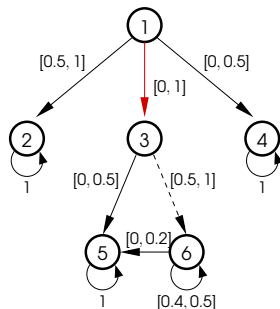
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

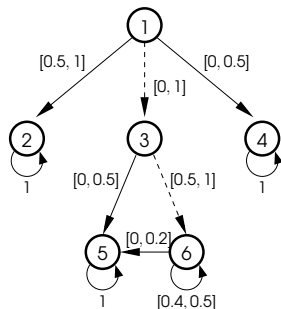
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

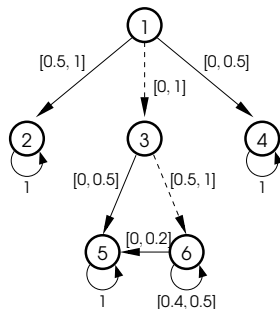
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



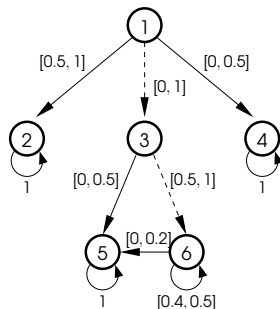
How to make state s_i unreachable?

For all other states $s \neq s_i$, two cases:

Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



How to make state s_i unreachable?

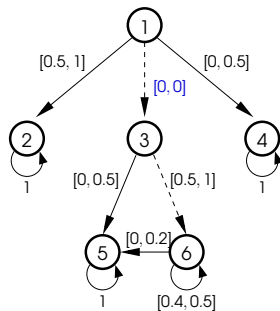
For all other states $s \neq s_i$, two cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$

Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



How to make state s_i unreachable?

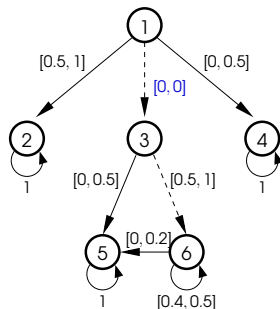
For all other states $s \neq s_i$, two cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$

Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



How to make state s_i unreachable?

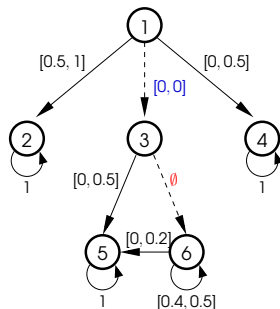
For all other states $s \neq s_i$, two cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$
- If $0 \notin \varphi(s, s_i)$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = \emptyset$

Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable



How to make state s_i unreachable?

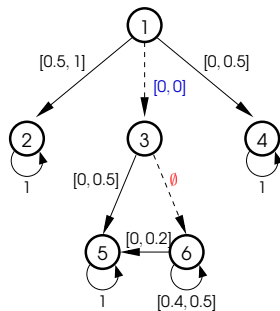
For all other states $s \neq s_i$, two cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$
- If $0 \notin \varphi(s, s_i)$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = \emptyset$

Pruning operator for IMCs

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- **New inconsistent states may appear**
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable

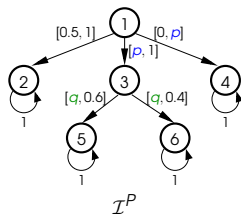


How to make state s_i unreachable?

For all other states $s \neq s_i$, two cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$
- If $0 \notin \varphi(s, s_i)$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = \emptyset \Rightarrow$ **Makes s inconsistent**

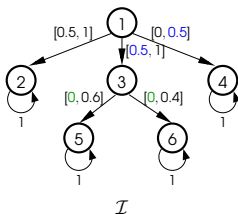
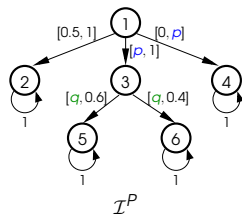
Consistency of pIMCs



pIMC \mathcal{I}^P is consistent iff there exists at least one IMC \mathcal{I} and one MC \mathcal{M} such that

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$$

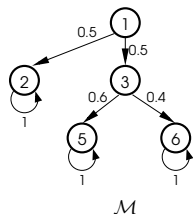
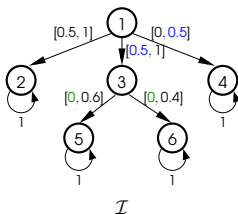
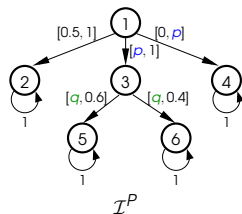
Consistency of pIMCs



pIMC \mathcal{I}^P is consistent iff there exists at least one IMC \mathcal{I} and one MC \mathcal{M} such that

$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$$

Consistency of pIMCs



pIMC \mathcal{I}^P is consistent iff there exists at least one IMC \mathcal{I} and one MC \mathcal{M} such that

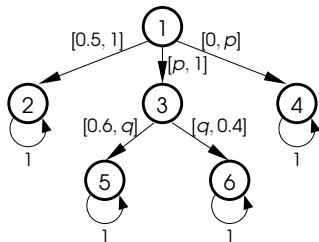
$$\mathcal{M} \models \mathcal{I} \vdash \mathcal{I}^P$$

Local state-consistency (1/2)

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a valuation for the parameters and a distribution ρ matching the obtained outgoing intervals.

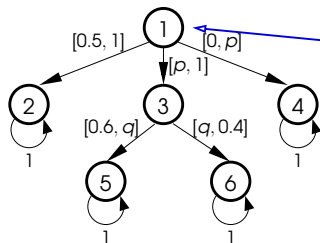
Local state-consistency (1/2)

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a valuation for the parameters and a distribution ρ matching the obtained outgoing intervals.



Local state-consistency (1/2)

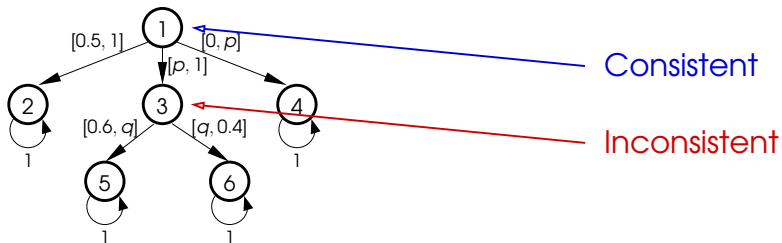
A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a valuation for the parameters and a distribution ρ matching the obtained outgoing intervals.



Consistent

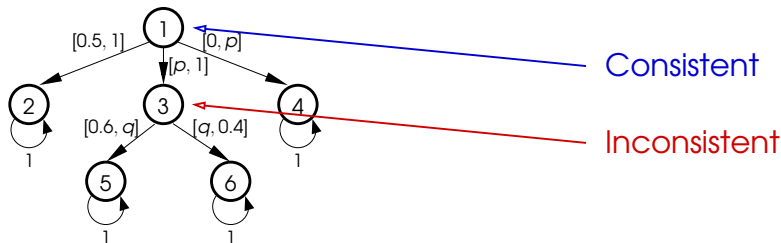
Local state-consistency (1/2)

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a valuation for the parameters and a distribution ρ matching the obtained outgoing intervals.



Local state-consistency (1/2)

A state is **locally consistent** iff there exists a valuation for the parameters and a distribution ρ matching the obtained outgoing intervals.



Local state-consistency

s is **locally consistent** iff the following system admits a solution:

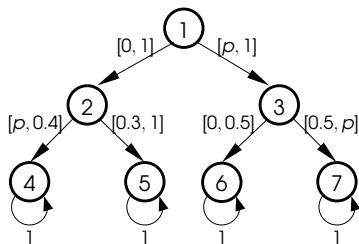
$$\sum_{j=1}^n \text{Low}(\varphi_P(s, s_j)) \leq 1 \wedge \sum_{j=1}^n \text{Up}(\varphi_P(s, s_j)) \geq 1 \wedge \text{Low}(\varphi_P(s, s_1)) \leq \text{Up}(\varphi_P(s, s_2)) \\ \wedge \dots \wedge \text{Low}(\varphi_P(s, s_n)) \leq \text{Up}(\varphi_P(s, s_n))$$



Only for **local** pIMCs

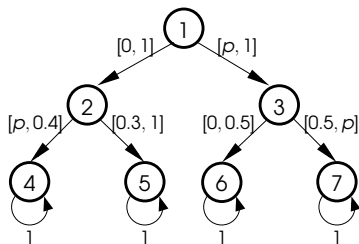


Only for **local** pIMCs





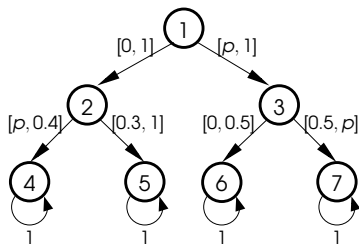
Only for **local** pIMCs



- All states are *locally* consistent



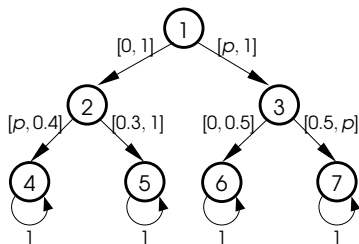
Only for **local** pIMCs



- All states are *locally* consistent
- There is no *global* value of p such that all intervals are well-formed



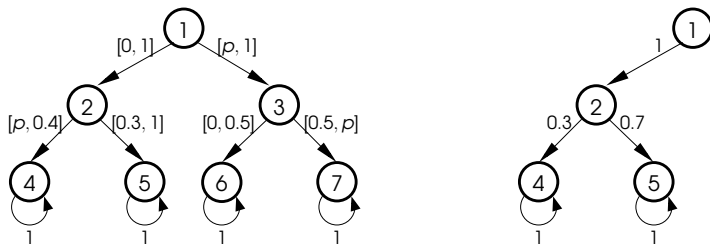
Only for **local** pIMCs



- All states are *locally* consistent
- There is no *global* value of p such that all intervals are well-formed
- The pIMC **is** consistent



Only for **local** pIMCs



- All states are *locally* consistent
- There is no *global* value of p such that all intervals are well-formed
- The pIMC **is** consistent

Same principle...

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable

Pruning of local pIMCs

Same principle...

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable

How to make state s_i unreachable?

For all other states $s \neq s_i$, three cases:

Same principle...

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable

How to make state s_i unreachable?

For all other states $s \neq s_i$, three cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$

Same principle...

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable

How to make state s_i unreachable?

For all other states $s \neq s_i$, three cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$
- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [p, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$ **and $p = 0$ in all other intervals**

Same principle...

Remove all inconsistent behaviors

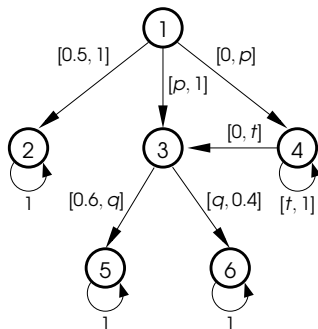
- Identify locally inconsistent states
- Make them unreachable
- Repeat until no more inconsistent states are reachable

How to make state s_i unreachable?

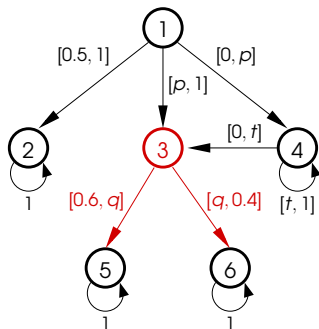
For all other states $s \neq s_i$, three cases:

- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [0, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$
- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [p, .]$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = [0, 0]$ **and $p = 0$ in all other intervals**
- If $\varphi(s, s_i) = [x, 0]$ with $x > 0$, then $\varphi'(s, s_i) = \emptyset$

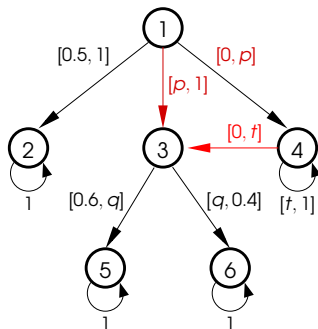
Example



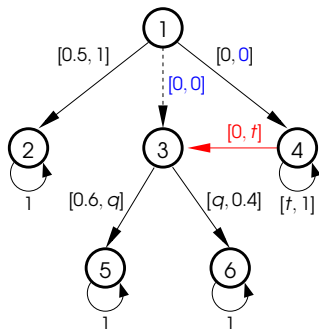
Example



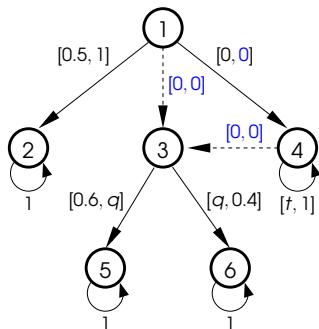
Example



Example



Example



Brute force algorithm

Inter-consistency: Parameters are local to *groups of states* \Rightarrow combine their systems of inequations.

Brute force algorithm

Inter-consistency: Parameters are local to *groups of states* \Rightarrow combine their systems of inequations.

- Identify inconsistent *groups of states*

Brute force algorithm

Inter-consistency: Parameters are local to *groups of states* \Rightarrow combine their systems of inequations.

- Identify inconsistent *groups of states*
- Make one state of the group unreachable and start over
 - If consistency is proven \Rightarrow ok
 - If not, backtrack and try another state

Brute force algorithm

Inter-consistency: Parameters are local to *groups of states* \Rightarrow combine their systems of inequations.

- Identify inconsistent *groups of states*
- Make one state of the group unreachable and start over
 - If consistency is proven \Rightarrow ok
 - If not, backtrack and try another state
- If all possible combinations have failed, the pIMC is inconsistent

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property
 - Reachability

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property
 - Reachability
 - Avoidability

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property
 - Reachability
 - Avoidability
 - ...

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property
 - Reachability
 - Avoidability
 - ...
- Parameters in Constraint Markov Chains/APA

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property
 - Reachability
 - Avoidability
 - ...
- Parameters in Constraint Markov Chains/APA
- Specification theory using pIMCs/pCMCs/pAPAs

Other problems of interest

- Global Parameters
- Synthesize *all* parameter values ensuring consistency
- Synthesize parameter values optimizing some property
 - Reachability
 - Avoidability
 - ...
- Parameters in Constraint Markov Chains/APA
- Specification theory using pIMCs/pCMCs/pAPAs
- ...

Thank you for your attention!

Questions?