

Computer aided verification

Lecture 2: LTL

Def.: Kripke structure $M = \langle S, S_{\text{init}}, \rightarrow, L \rangle$

- $S_{\text{init}} \subseteq S$ nonempty set of initial states
- $\rightarrow \subseteq S \times S$ transition relation
- $L : S \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(P)$, P - propositional variables (atomic properties)

Often we assume that \rightarrow is **total**:

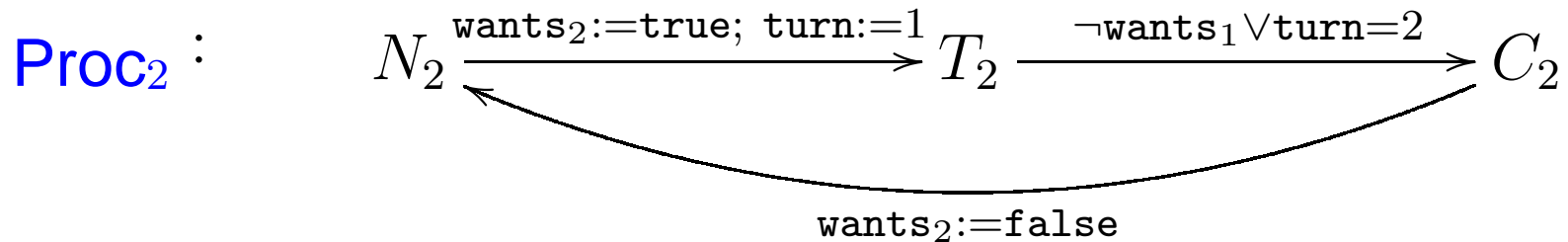
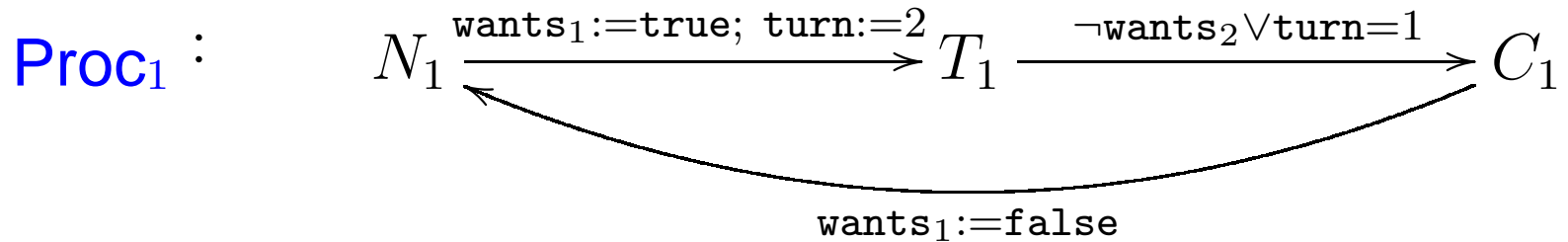
no deadlock!

$$\forall s \in S. \exists s' \in S. s \rightarrow s'$$

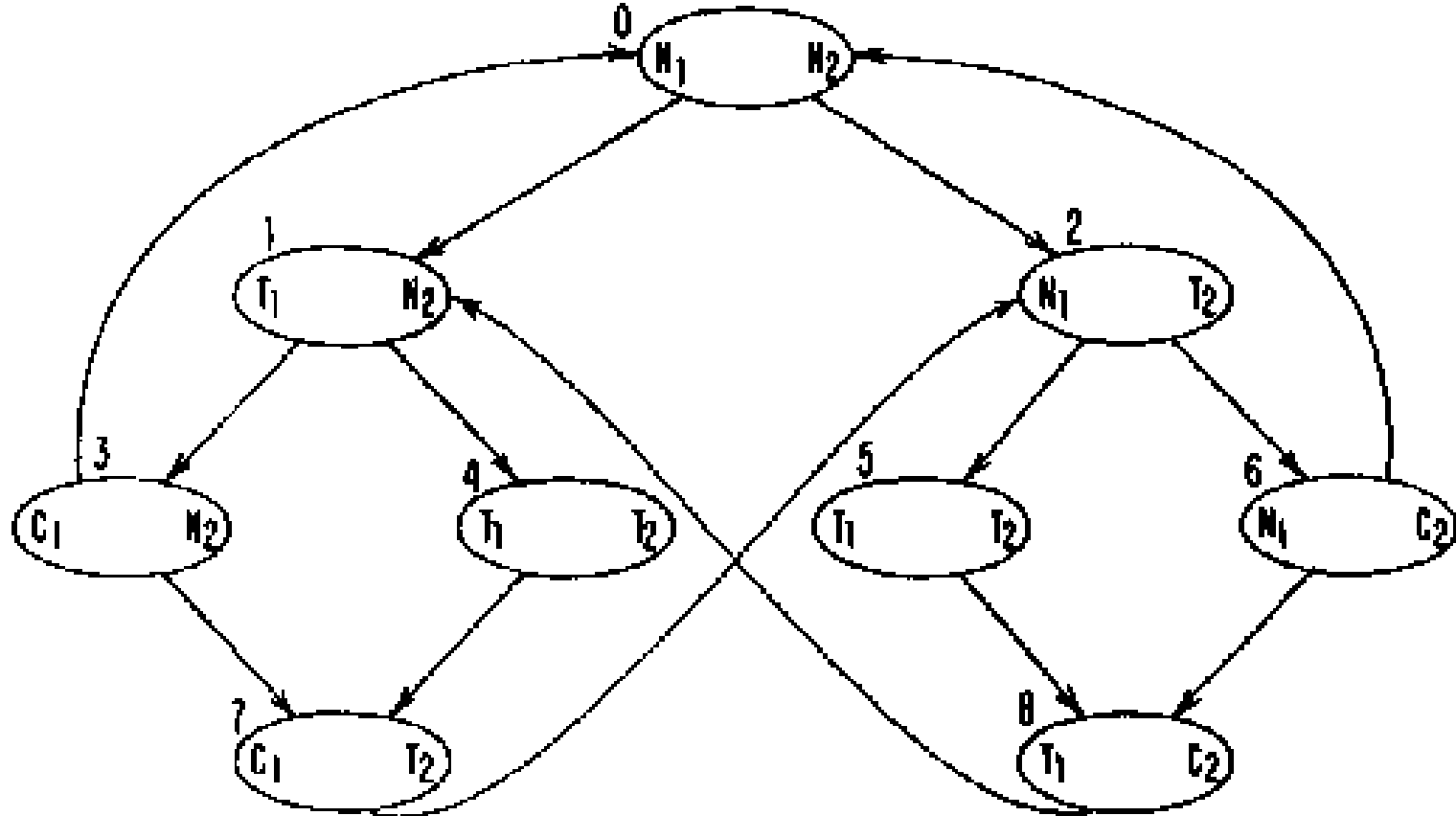
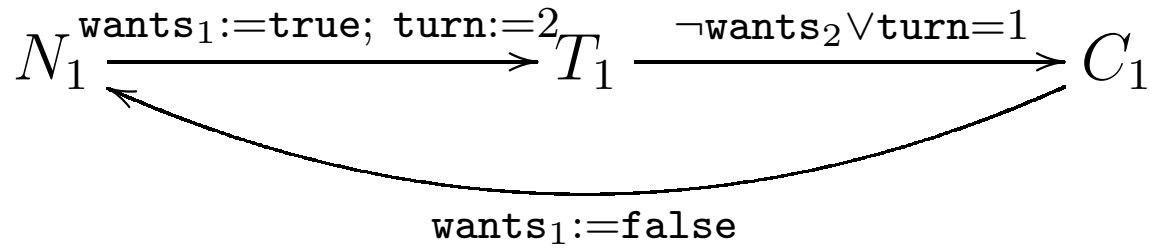
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- N_i private section
- T_i attempt to enter critical section
- C_i critical section

Proc₁ | Proc₂

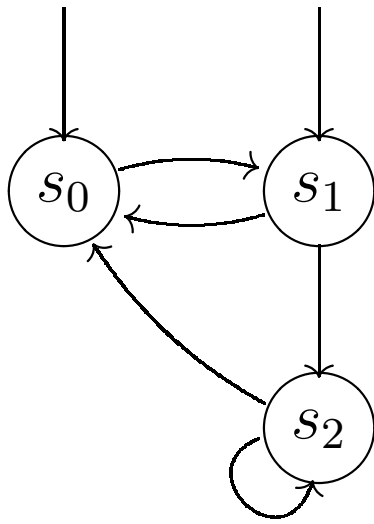


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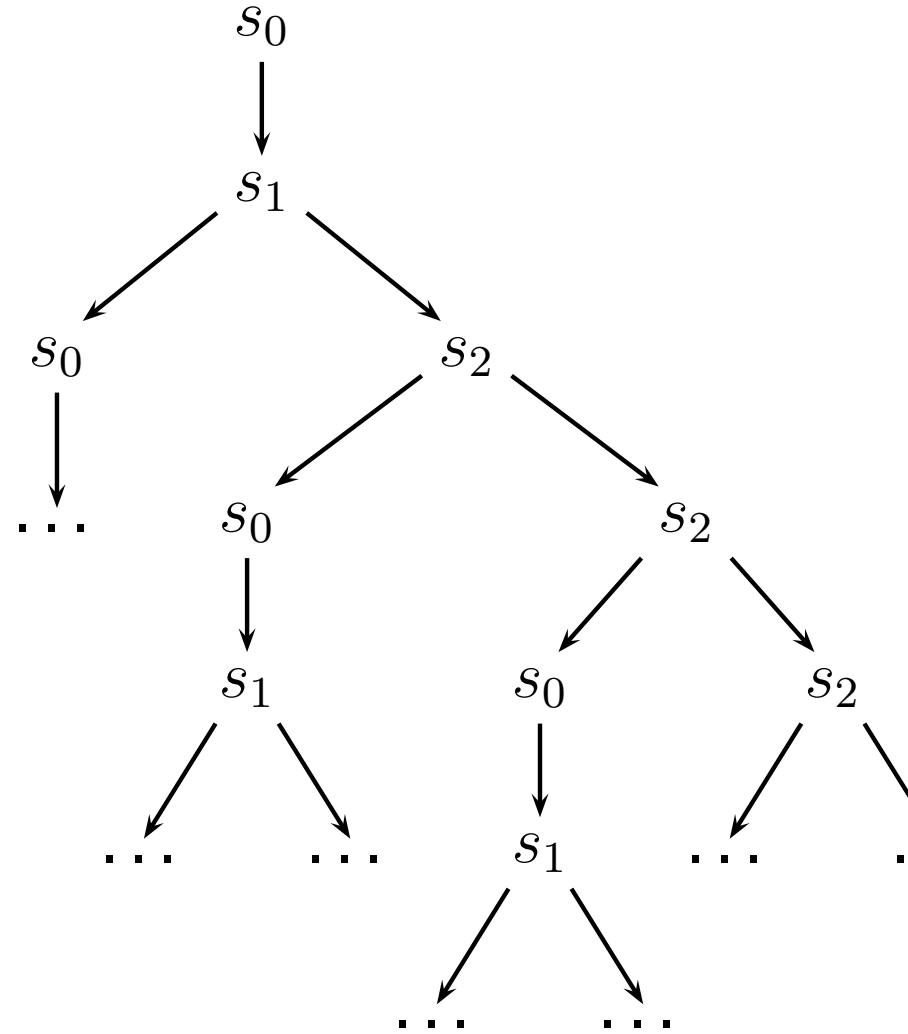
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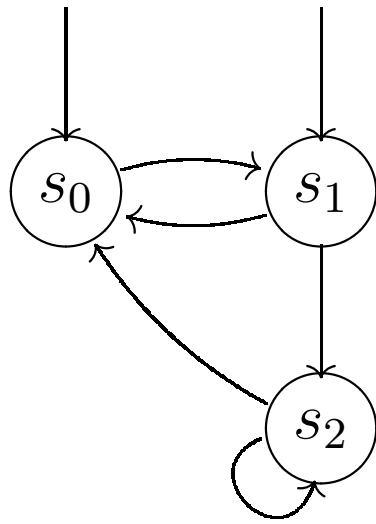
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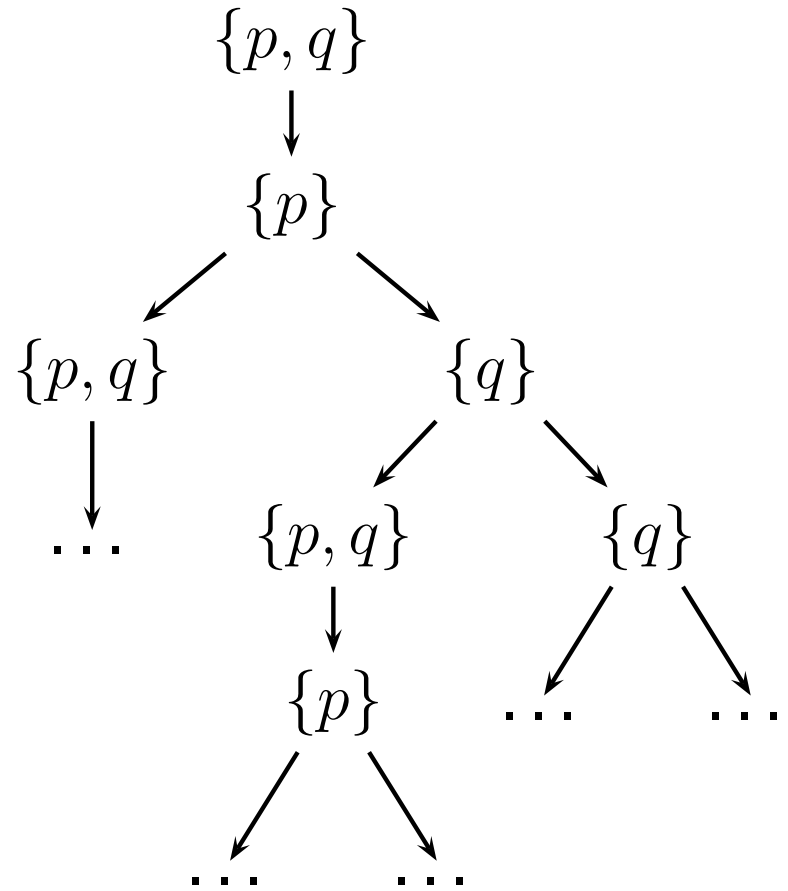
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Def.: Path (**run**) is a maximal sequence

$$\Pi = s_0 \rightarrow s_1 \rightarrow s_2 \rightarrow \dots$$

Notation: $|\Pi|$ – number of states in Π

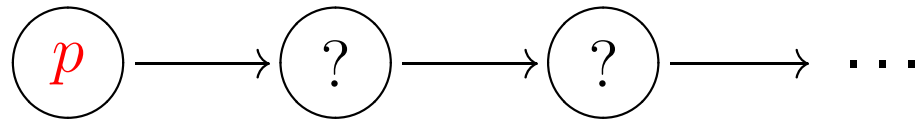
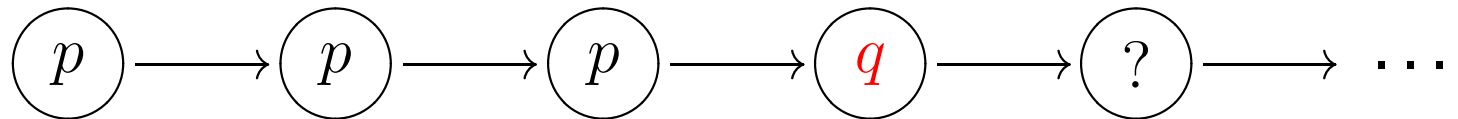
LTL says about paths. In a Kripke structure M , formula $\phi \in$
LTL is interpreted as follows:

for every path such that $s_0 \in S_{\text{init}}$, ϕ holds.

Notation: $M \models \phi$, $\Pi \models \phi$

Def.: LTL (Linear Temporal Logic)

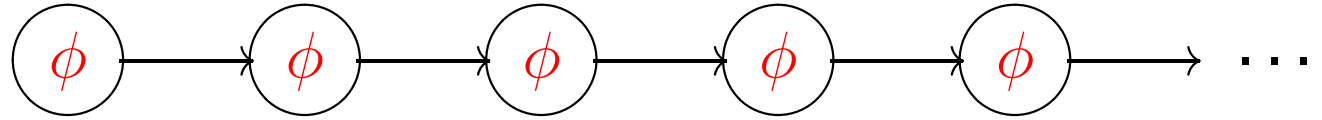
$$\phi := p \mid \neg\phi \mid \phi_1 \wedge \phi_2 \mid \mathbf{X}\phi \mid \phi_1 \mathbf{U} \phi_2$$

 p  $\mathbf{X}p$  $p \mathbf{U} q$ **Przykład:**

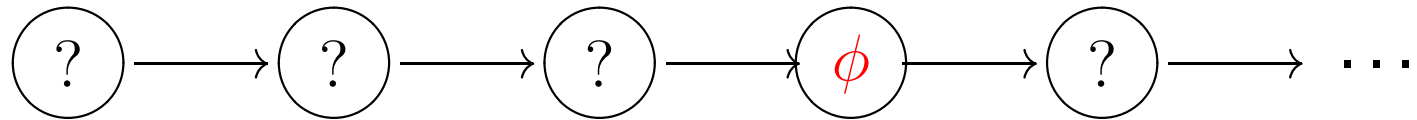
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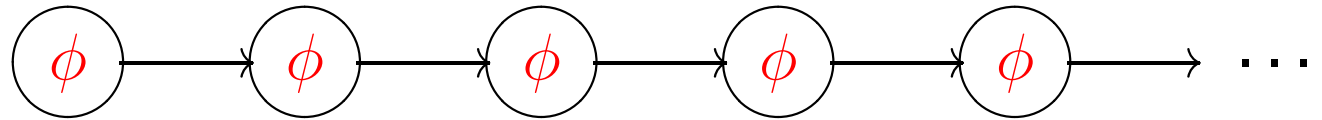


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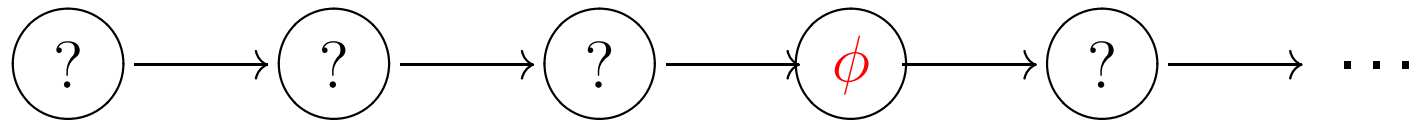


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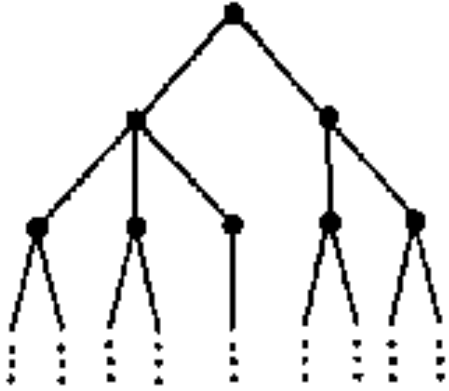
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$$\mathbf{F} \phi \equiv \text{true } \mathbf{U} \phi$$

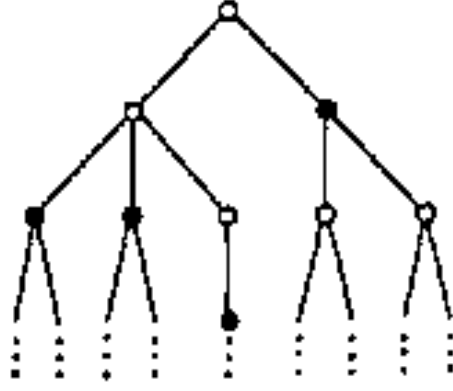
$$\mathbf{G} \phi \equiv \neg \mathbf{F} \neg \phi$$

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Typical properties

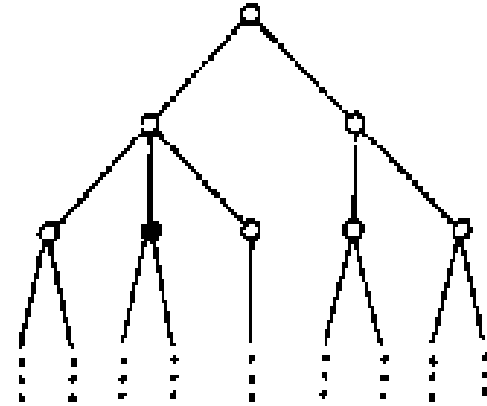


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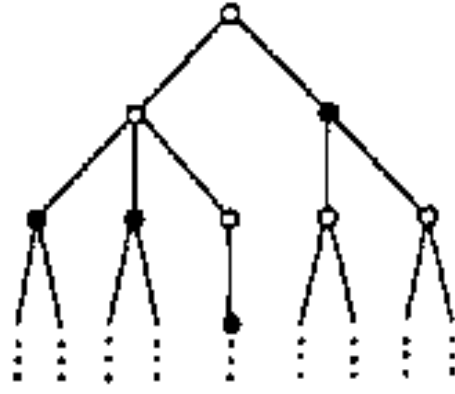
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$$G \neg (cr_1 \wedge cr_2)$$

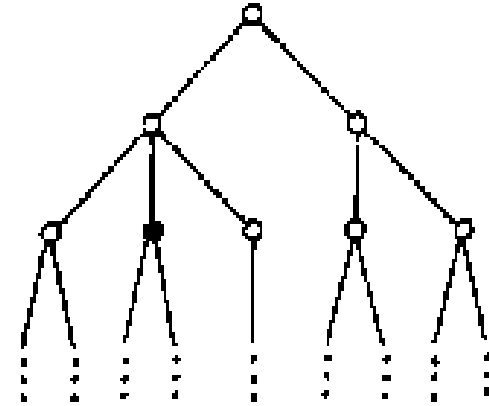


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$$F \phi$$

$$F \text{ granted}$$



possibility

$$G \neg \phi$$

$$\neg G \neg \phi$$

$$G \neg \text{occ}$$

Semantics: $\Pi = s_0 \rightarrow s_1 \rightarrow s_2 \rightarrow \dots$

$\Pi \models p$ iff $p \in L(s_0)$

$\Pi \models \neg\phi$ iff ...

$\Pi \models \phi_1 \wedge \phi_2$ iff ...

$\Pi \models \mathbf{X}\phi$ iff $\Pi^1 \models \phi$, where $\Pi^i = s_i \rightarrow s_{i+1} \rightarrow s_{i+2} \rightarrow \dots$

$\Pi \models \phi_1 \mathbf{U} \phi_2$ iff $\exists i < |\Pi|. \Pi^i \models \phi_2 \wedge \forall j < i. \Pi^j \models \phi_1$

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Variant 1

„weak”: stubbornly = alm. always

$$F \ G \ req \implies F \ granted$$

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Variant 2

„weak”:

$$F \ G \ req \implies G \ F \ granted = G (F \ G \ req \implies F \ granted)$$

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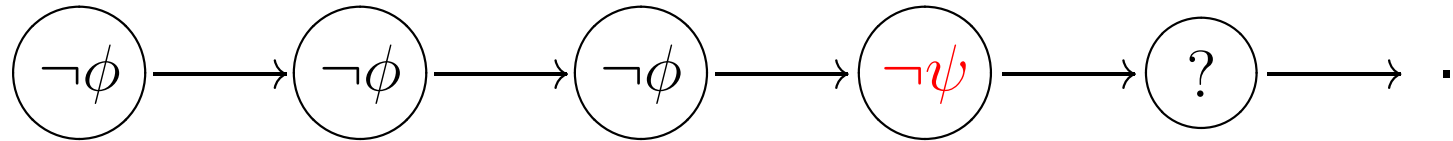
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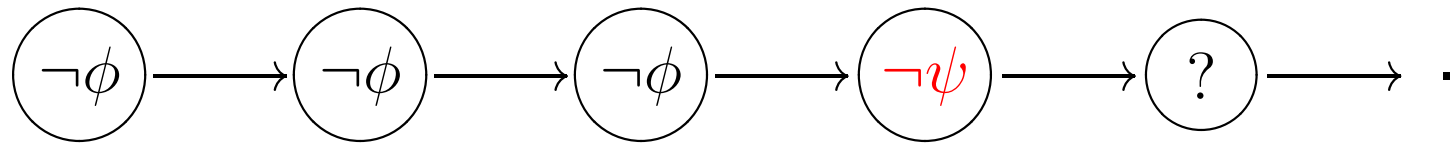
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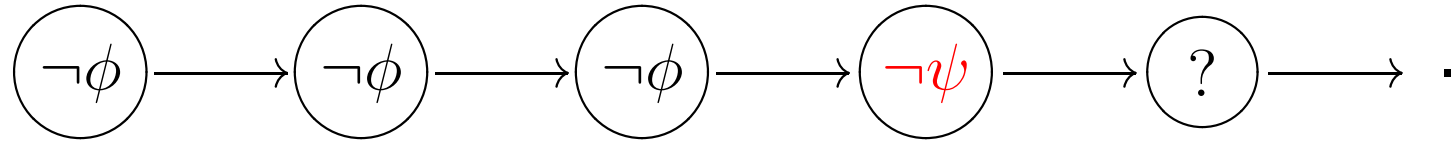
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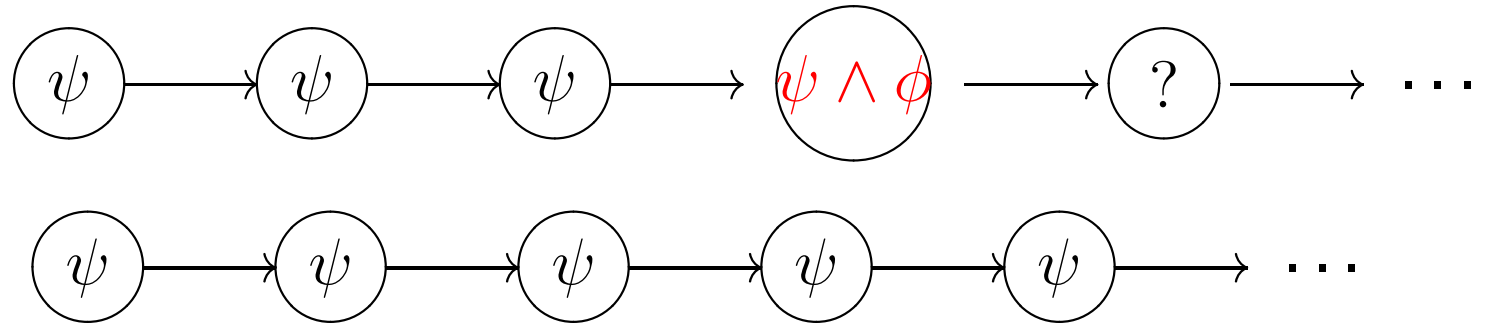
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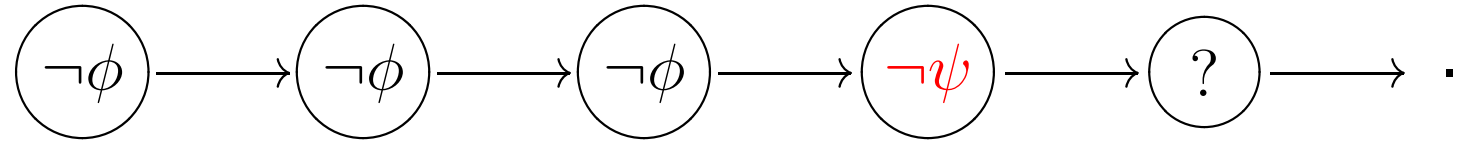
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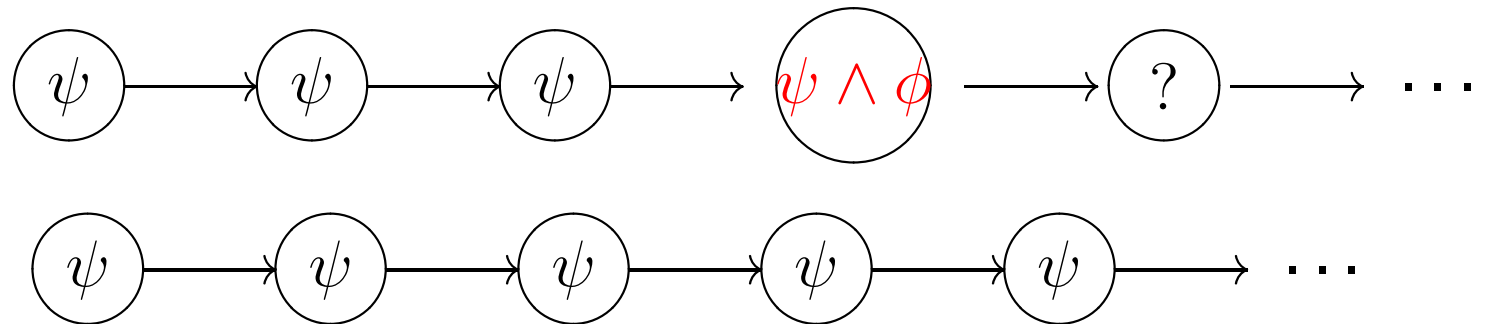
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– U i R as fixed points ...

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why not in this way?

$$\neg(\phi \mathbf{U} \psi) \equiv \neg\phi \mathbf{R} \neg\psi$$

Write a formula ...

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$$\mathbf{F} b \implies (\neg b \mathbf{U} a)$$

$$\equiv \neg b \mathbf{W} a \equiv Pr(a, b)$$

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$$\mathbf{F} b \implies (\neg b \mathbf{U} (a \wedge \neg b))$$

$$\equiv \neg b \mathbf{W} (a \wedge \neg b) \equiv a \mathbf{R} \neg b \equiv SPr(a, b)$$

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$$Pr(a, b) \wedge \mathbf{G} (b \implies \mathbf{X} Pr(a, b))$$

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$$\mathbf{G} ((a \implies a \mathbf{W} (\neg a \wedge b)) \wedge (b \implies \dots))$$

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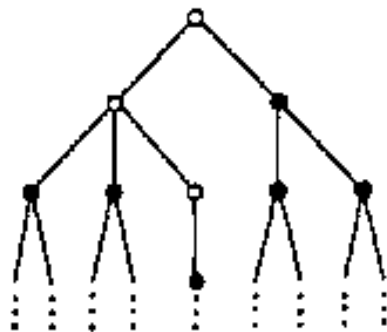
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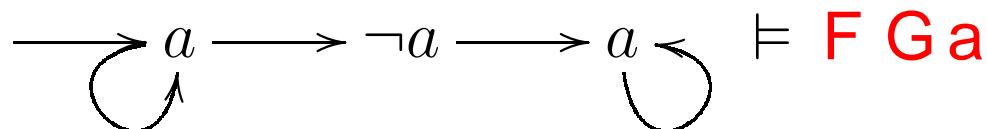
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$F G a ?$

too much!



What is inexpressible? (cont.)

(3) even(a): on every even position a

?

(3') oddeven(a): on every even position a

and on every odd position $\neg a$

$$\mathbf{G} ((a \implies \mathbf{X} \neg a) \wedge (\neg a \implies \mathbf{X} a))$$

(4) from every reachable state some initial state is

reachable

?

Tw.: LTL = LTL(X, U) is more expressive than LTL(X, F)

Tw.: LTL = FO(\leq , +1)

Thm: Past temporal connectives:

$$U^{-1}, F^{-1}, G^{-1}$$

do not increase expressive power.

Thm: LTL(F, G, F^{-1} , G^{-1}) = ?

Classification of properties

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if $\pi \notin X$ then there is a prefix $\rho < \pi$ such that $\rho < \pi'$ implies $\pi' \notin X$

Liveness properties X

negative decision **never** after finitely many steps

for every ρ exists $\pi > \rho$ such that $\pi \in X$

Model checking

- input: M, ϕ
- question: $M \models \phi?$

PSPACE-complete

Satisfiability

- input: ϕ
- question: $\exists M. M \models \phi?$

PSPACE-complete

Complexity of model checking:

$$|M| \cdot 2^{\mathcal{O}(|\phi|)}$$

$2^{\mathcal{O}(|\phi|)}$ OK

$|M|$ too much!

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