

# **Shortest Counterexamples for Symbolic Model Checking of LTL with Past**

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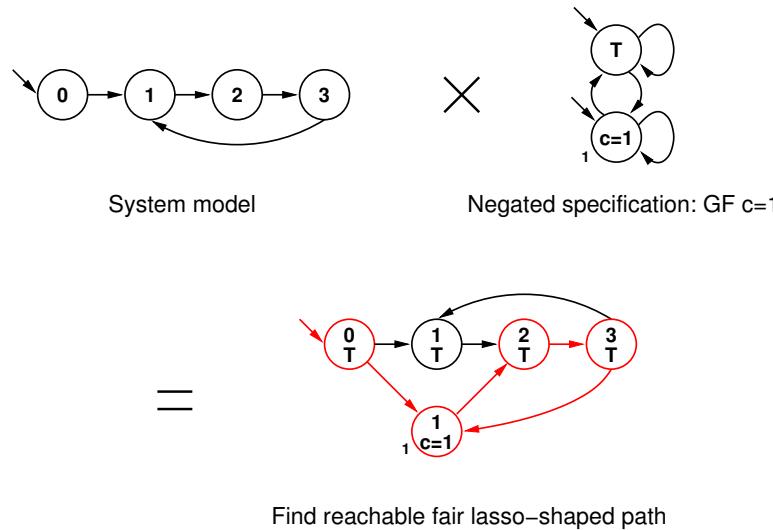
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# Shortest Counterexamples for LTL

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## To obtain **shortest** counterexample

1. Find **shortest** fair lasso-shaped path.

SAT-based BMC [Biere, Cimatti, Clarke, Zhu (TACAS'99)]

BDD-based symbolic MC [Schuppan, Biere (STTT'04)]

explicit-state MC [Gastin, Moro, Zeitoun (SPIN'04)]

2. Have **tight** automaton/encoding of specification.

SAT-based BMC [Benedetti, Cimatti (TACAS'03)]

[Latvala, Biere, Heljanko, Junttila (VMCAI'05)]

BDD-based symbolic MC **this talk**

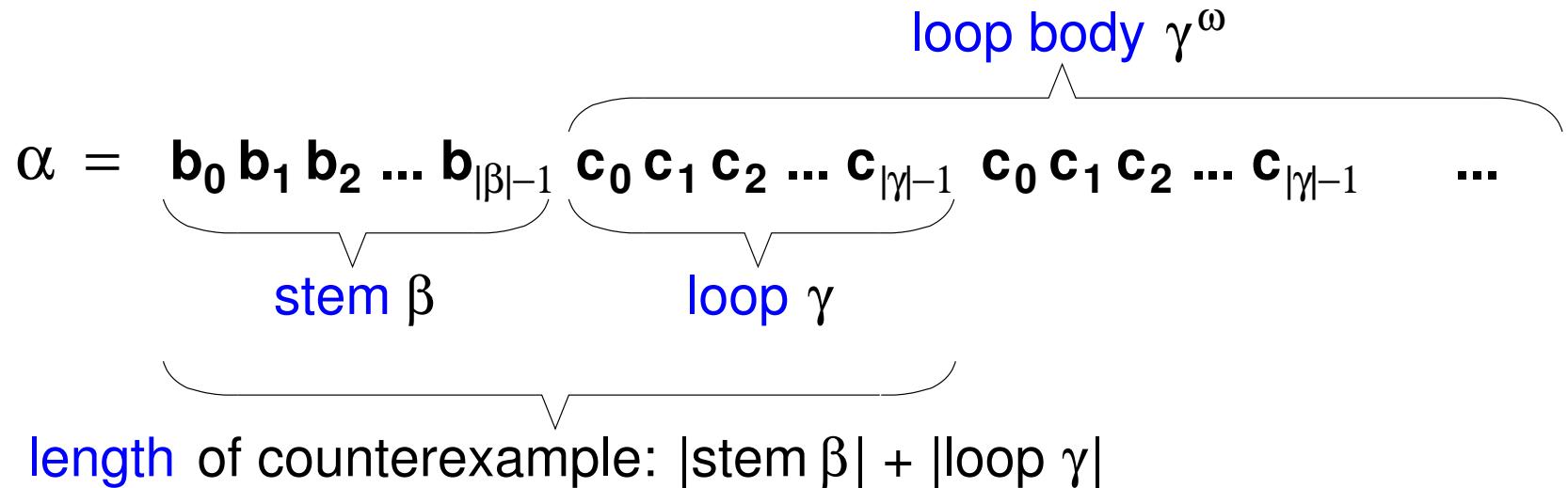
explicit-state MC **(this talk)**

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4. Tight Büchi Automaton for LTL with Past
5. Experimental Results
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# Shortest Infinite Counterexamples

[Clarke, Grumberg, McMillan, Zhao (DAC'95)]

Finite state system with failing LTL property:  
 $\Rightarrow$  lasso-shaped counterexample  $\alpha = \beta\gamma^\omega$



Shortest infinite counterexample  $\Rightarrow$  minimal  $|\beta| + |\gamma|$ .

# Tight Büchi Automata — Definition

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[Kupferman, Vardi (CAV'99)]:

Automaton on **finite words** tight

$\Leftrightarrow$

accepts shortest violating prefixes for safety properties.

Extend notion:

Büchi automaton on **infinite words** tight

$\Leftrightarrow$

for each lasso-shaped counterexample  $\alpha$  there is a fair, lasso-shaped path in the product with  $\alpha$  of the same length.

Formally:

$$\forall \alpha \in \text{Lang}(B) . \forall \beta, \gamma . (\alpha = \beta\gamma^\omega \Rightarrow$$

$$\exists \rho \in \text{Runs}(B) . \exists \lambda, \mu, v .$$

$$(\rho \models \alpha \wedge \lambda = \alpha \times \rho = \mu v^\omega \wedge |\mu| + |v| = |\beta| + |\gamma|))$$

Specification:  $\neg(\mathbf{GF}(c = 1) \wedge \mathbf{GF}(c = 3))$

Automaton	Path
	$(0) \quad (1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 2) \quad (1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 2) \quad (1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 2) \dots$
$\times$	$\times$
?	$(r_0) \quad (\textcolor{blue}{r}_1 \ \textcolor{red}{r}_2 \ r_3 \ \textcolor{green}{r}_4) \quad (\textcolor{blue}{r}_1 \ \textcolor{red}{r}_2 \ r_3 \ \textcolor{green}{r}_4) \quad (\textcolor{blue}{r}_1 \ \textcolor{red}{r}_2 \ r_3 \ \textcolor{green}{r}_4) \dots$
$=$	$=$
?	$\binom{0}{r_0} \binom{1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 2}{\textcolor{blue}{r}_1 \ \textcolor{red}{r}_2 \ r_3 \ \textcolor{green}{r}_4} \binom{1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 2}{\textcolor{blue}{r}_1 \ \textcolor{red}{r}_2 \ r_3 \ \textcolor{green}{r}_4} \binom{1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 2}{\textcolor{blue}{r}_1 \ \textcolor{red}{r}_2 \ r_3 \ \textcolor{green}{r}_4} \dots$

What do system states of the **same color** have in common?  
 ⇒ They have the **same future**. (But different past.)

Specification:  $\neg(\mathbf{GF}(c = 1) \wedge \mathbf{GF}(c = 3))$

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Büchi automaton must have accepting run that pairs system states with **same future** with **same state**.

# (Non-) Tightness of Tableau

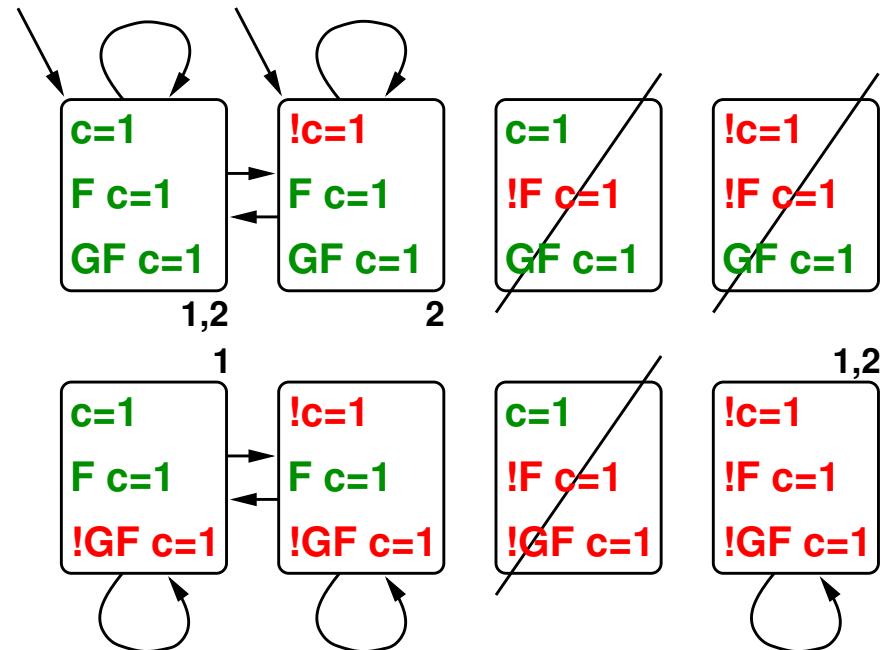
Tableau following [Kesten, Pnueli, Raviv (ICALP'98)]

- State bits represent subformulae of  $\phi$ .
- If  $\rho$  is accepting run on  $\alpha$ : formulae in  $\rho(i)$  hold at  $\alpha(i)$ .
- Each pair of states differs in sign of  $\geq 1$  formulae:  
 $\Rightarrow$  different future and/or past.

Tableau is

- $\Rightarrow$  tight for future time LTL.
- $\Rightarrow$  not tight for LTL with past.

Tableau for  $\phi = \mathbf{GF}(c = 1)$

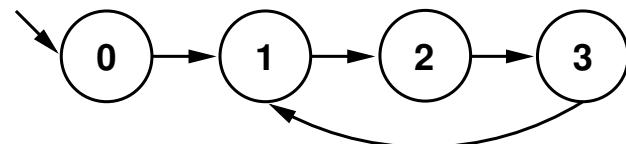


# Problem with Past Time Formulae

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simplified from [Benedetti, Cimatti '03]

System model



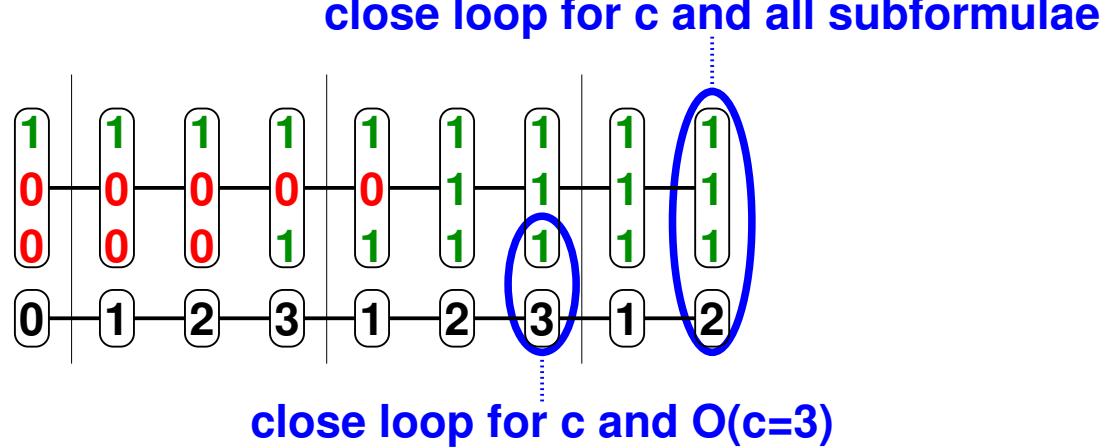
Specification

$$\neg F(O((c=2) \wedge O(c=3)))$$

Shortest counterexample has length 4.

Accepting lasso in tableau

$$\begin{aligned} & F(O((c=2) \wedge O(c=3))) \\ & O((c=2) \wedge O(c=3)) \\ & O(c=3) \\ & c \end{aligned}$$

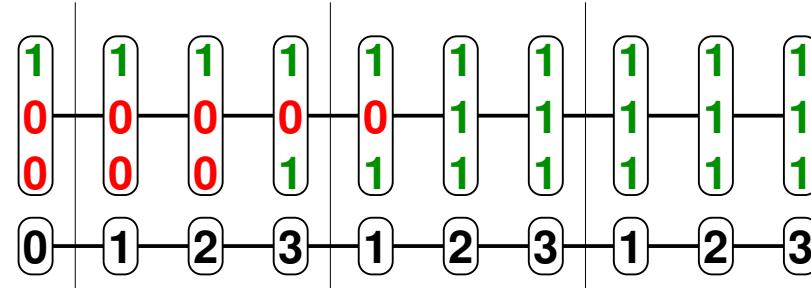


Accepting lasso has length 8.

# Excess Length of Tableau Construction

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$F(O((c=2) \wedge O(c=3)))$   
 $O((c=2) \wedge O(c=3))$   
 $O(c=3)$   
 $c$



[Laroussinie, Markey, Schnoebelen (LICS'02)], [Benedetti, Cimatti '03]:

- Let  $h(\phi)$  be the maximal number of nested past time operators (past operator depth)
- Truth of past time formula  $\phi$  “stable” after  $h(\phi) + 1$  loop iterations

Hence:

The length of a shortest counterexample generated by the tableau construction is bounded by  $O(l \cdot h(\phi))$ .

( $l$ : length of shortest counterexample)

Same problem faced by bounded model checking of LTL with past

Solution: virtual unrolling of transition relation

[Benedetti, Cimatti '03], [Latvala et al. '05]

⇒ Encoding of Latvala et al. can be transformed into Büchi automaton

⇒ Give automata-oriented perspective on virtual unrolling

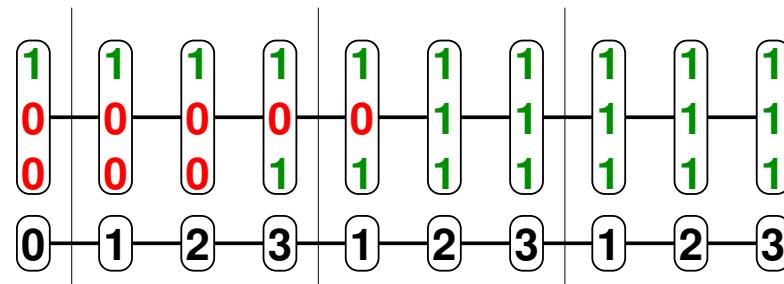
(some similarity with [history transducer](#)  
by [Jonsson, Nilsson (TACAS'00)])

$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$

$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$

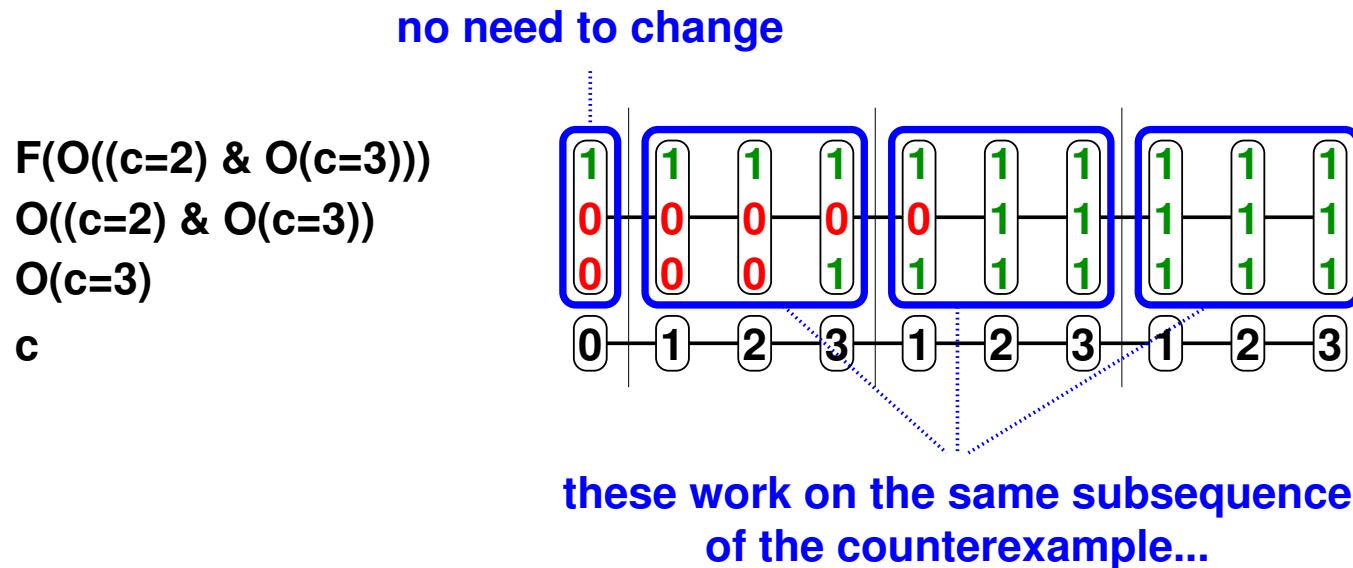
$O(c=3)$

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# Virtual Unrolling by Example

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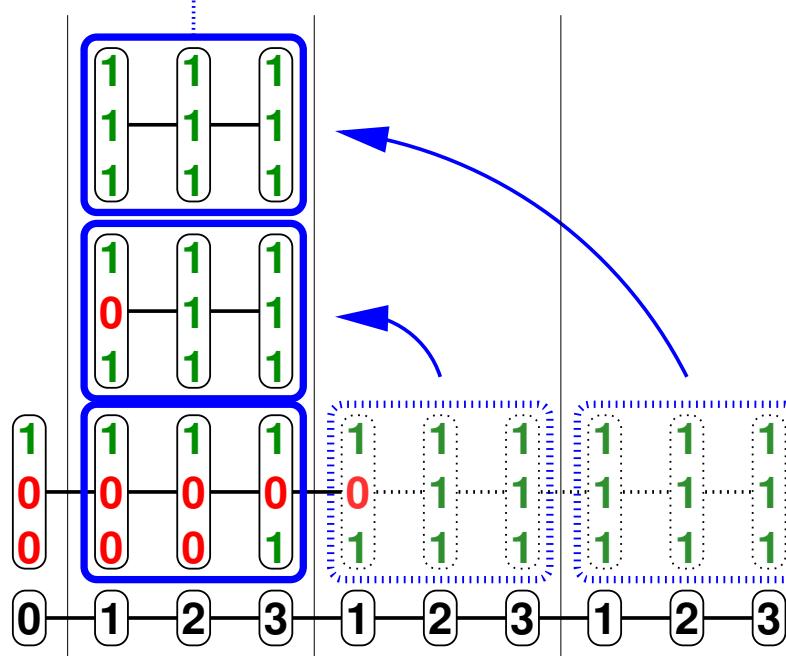
# Virtual Unrolling by Example

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have states of old automaton work in parallel:  
introduce several generations of variables

	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 2	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
gen. 1	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
gen. 0	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	c

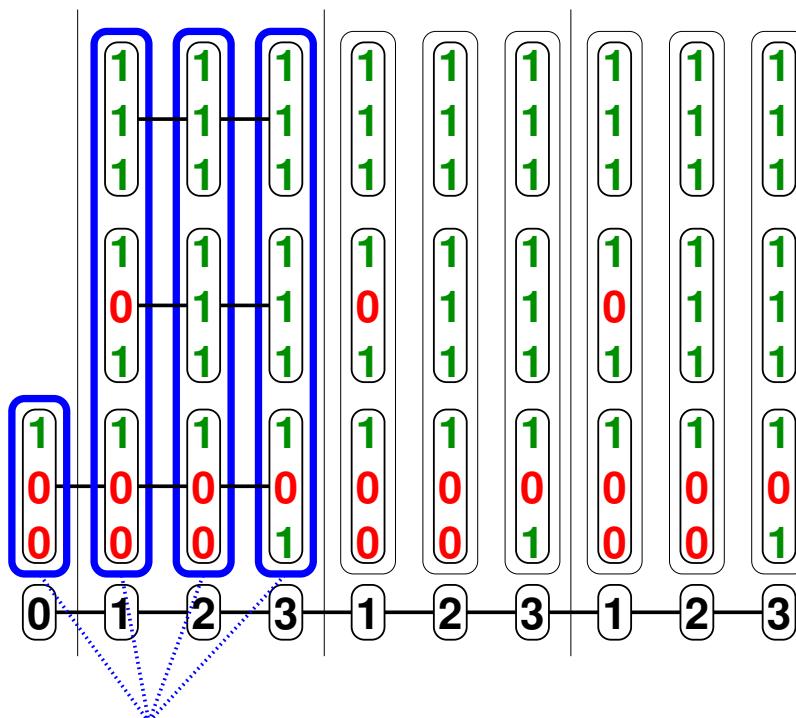
determined by past operator depth



# Virtual Unrolling by Example — States

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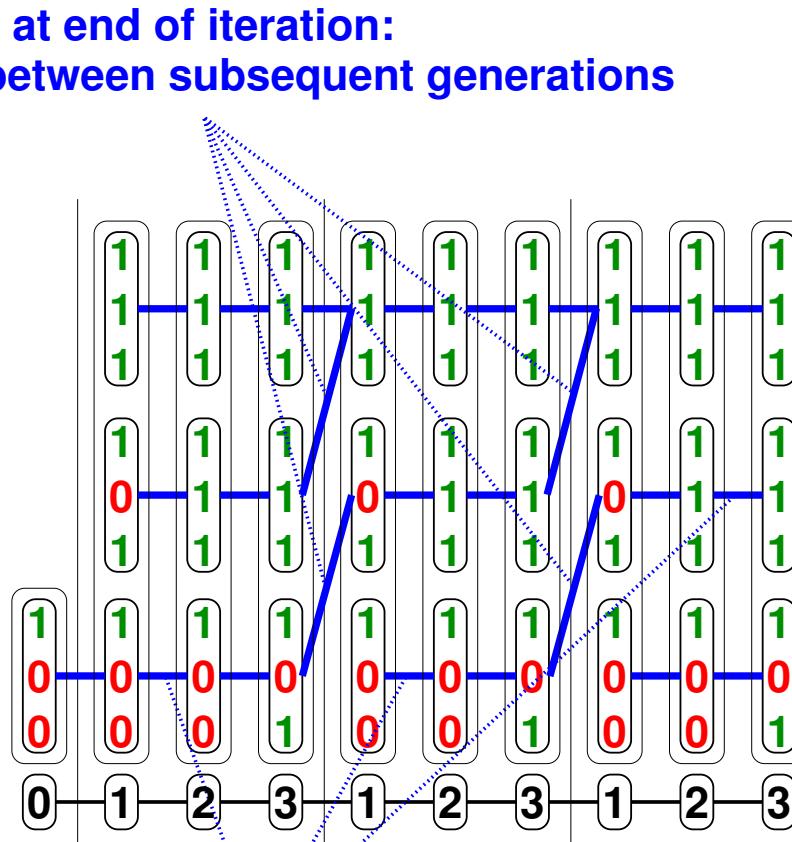
	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 2	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
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	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 1	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 0	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
c	



# Virtual Unrolling by Example — Transitions

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	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 2	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 1	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 0	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
c	



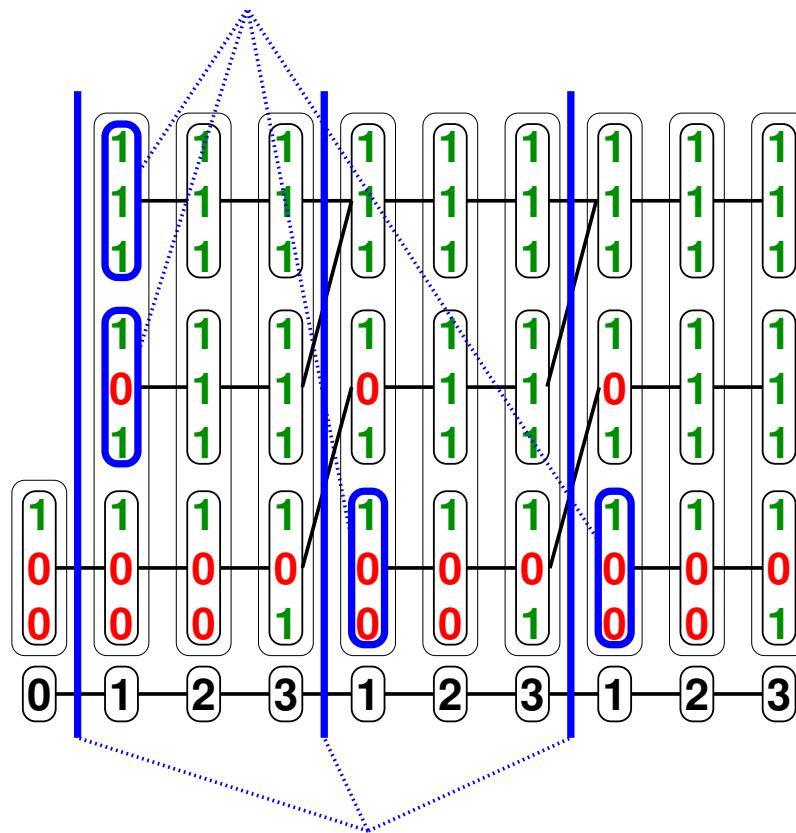
within iteration:  
constraints between same generation

# Virtual Unrolling by Example — Nondeterminism

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	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 2	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 1	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	$F(O((c=2) \& O(c=3)))$
gen. 0	$O((c=2) \& O(c=3))$
	$O(c=3)$
	c

non-deterministically  
assume correct value



# Virtual Unrolling by Example — Fine Points

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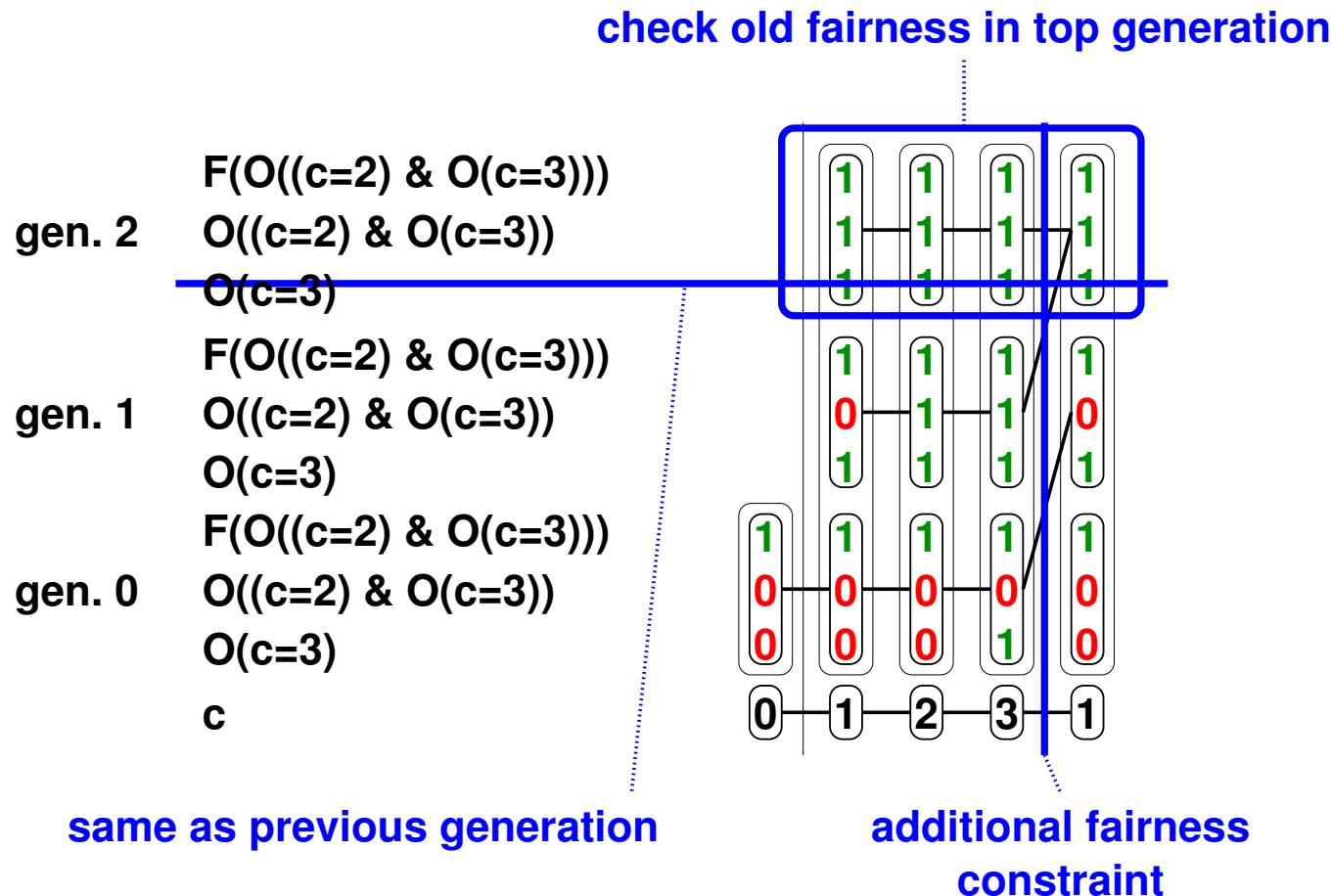


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$lb$  is true on the loop body

$le$  is true at the end of a loop iteration

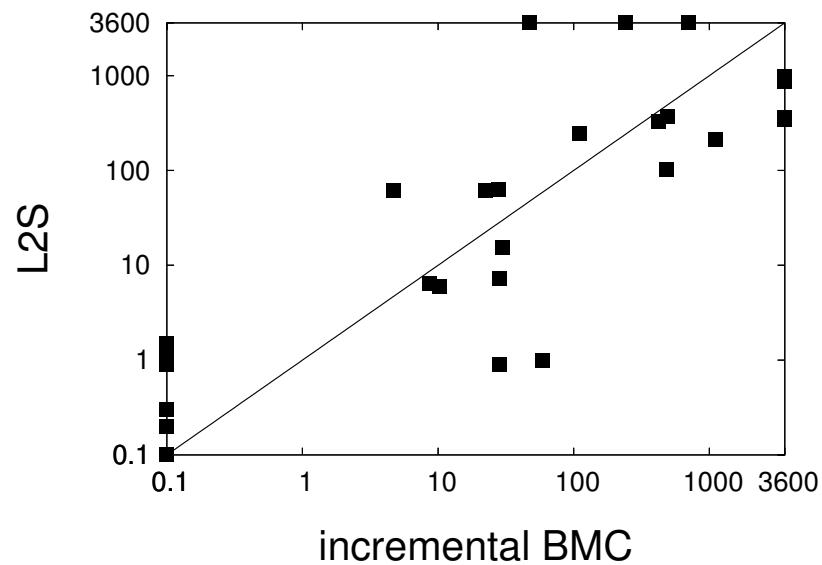
## Compare finding shortest counterexamples with tight tableau

- SAT-based BMC [Heljanko, Junttila, Latvala, CAV'05]  
→ preliminary incremental implementation of [Latvala et al. '05]  
(modified NuSMV 2.2.2, marked **incremental BMC**)
- BDD-based symbolic loop detection [Schuppan, Biere '04]  
(on top of NuSMV 2.2.2, marked **L2S**)

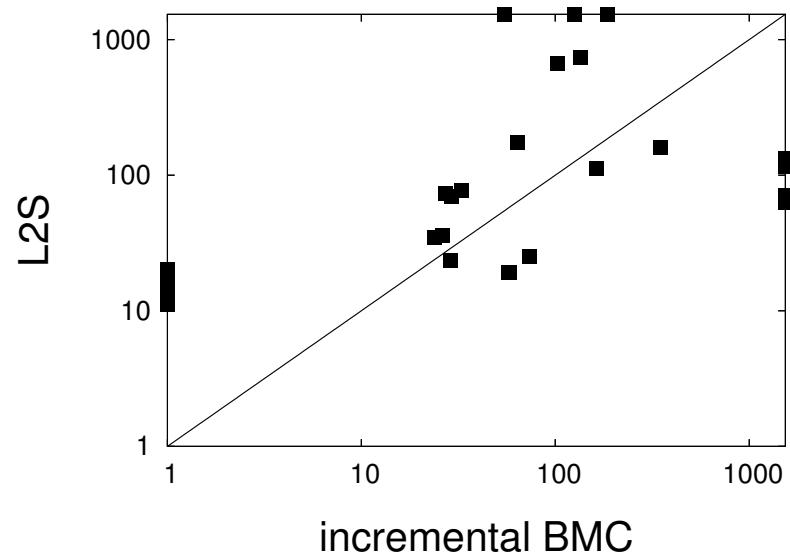
## Remarks

- No cone of influence reduction
- For BDDs: no dynamic reordering
- For BMC: choice of 2 SAT solvers: zchaff, minisat  
⇒ use minimum time/memory
- Examples (all false, resulting in counterexample):
  - [Latvala et al. '05] (some slightly changed)
  - [Schuppan, Biere '04] (some additional properties)

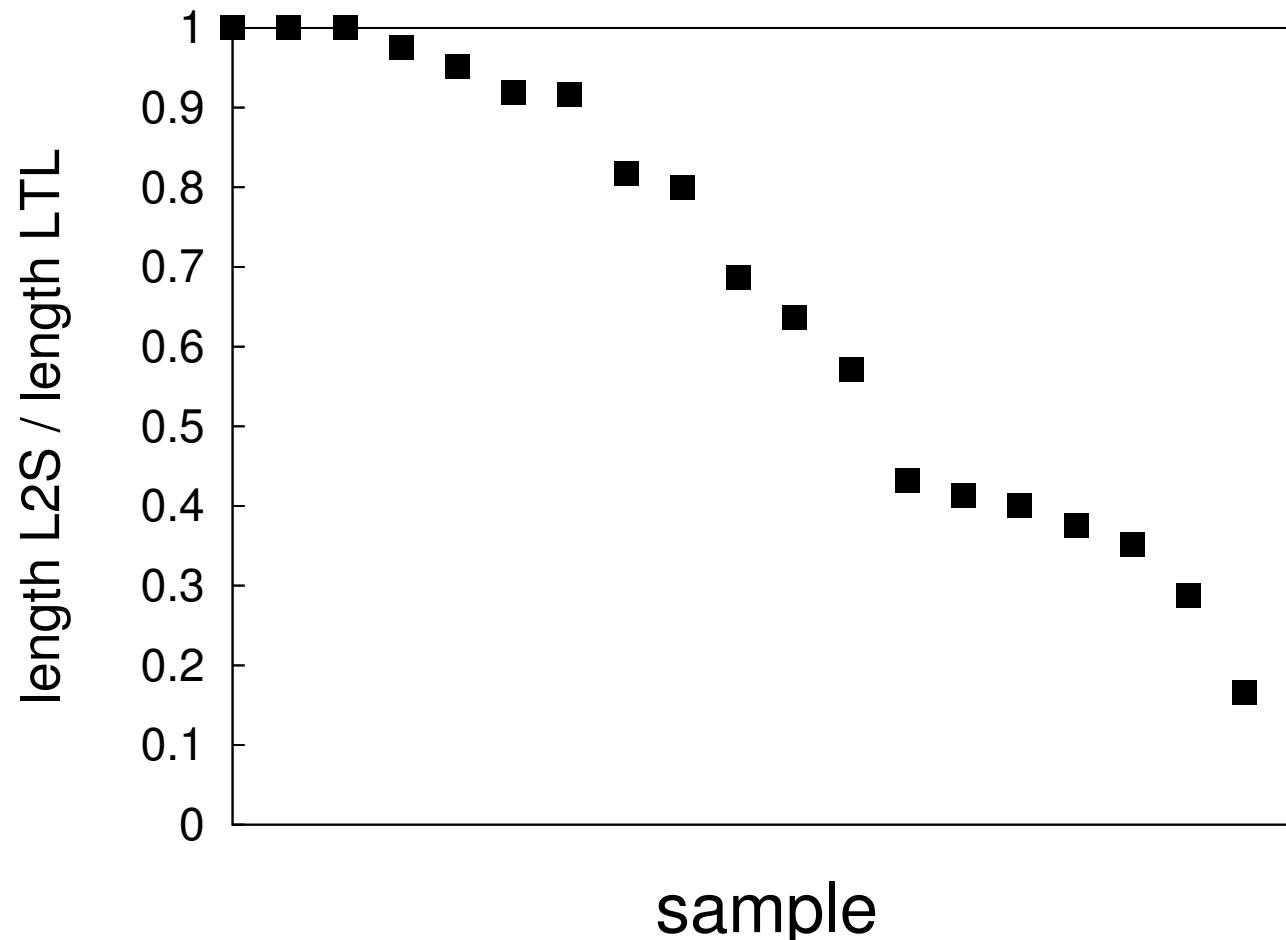
L2S vs incremental BMC  
– CPU time [sec]



L2S vs incremental BMC  
– Memory [MB]



## L2S versus LTL – length counterexample



## Summary

- Criteria for Büchi automata to accept shortest counterexamples
- Prove tableau [Kesten et al. '98] tight for future time LTL,  
not tight for LTL with past
- Practical method to find shortest counterexamples with BDD-based  
symbolic model checker  
⇒ runtime competitive with bounded model checking

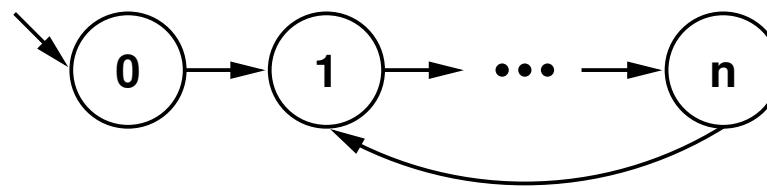
## Future work

- Explicit-state model checking (size, on-the-fly)
- Lower bounds

Keep out!  
Backup slides

# Tight Büchi Automata — Where Are We?

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$$\begin{aligned} & \neg \mathbf{G}((c \neq n) \quad \mathbf{U}((c = n) \quad \wedge \\ & \quad ((c \neq n - 1) \mathbf{U}((c = n - 1) \wedge \\ & \quad \dots \\ & \quad ((c \neq 1) \quad \mathbf{U}(c = 1)) \\ & \quad \dots \\ & \quad ))))) \end{aligned}$$

automaton of [Gerth, Peled,  
Vardi, Wolper (PSTV'95)]:  
counterexample of length  $\mathbf{O}(n^2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \neg(\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{O}((c = 1) \wedge \\ & \quad \mathbf{O}((c = 2) \wedge \\ & \quad \dots \\ & \quad \mathbf{O}(c = n) \\ & \quad \dots \\ & \quad ))))) \end{aligned}$$

automaton of [Kesten, Pnueli,  
Raviv (ICALP'98)]:  
counterexample of length  $\mathbf{O}(n^2)$ .

Shortest counterexample has length  $n + 1$ .

The following are equivalent:

1.  $\forall \alpha \in \text{Lang}(B) . \forall \beta, \gamma . (\alpha = \beta\gamma^\omega \Rightarrow \exists \rho \in \text{Runs}(B) . \exists \lambda, \mu, \nu . (\rho \models \alpha \wedge \lambda = \alpha \times \rho = \mu\nu^\omega \wedge |\mu| + |\nu| = |\beta| + |\gamma|))$
2.  $\forall \alpha \in \text{Lang}(B) . \forall \beta, \gamma . ((\alpha = \beta\gamma^\omega \wedge |\beta| + |\gamma| \text{ minimal for } \alpha) \Rightarrow \exists \rho \in \text{Runs}(B) . \exists \lambda, \mu, \nu . (\rho \models \alpha \wedge \lambda = \alpha \times \rho = \mu\nu^\omega \wedge |\mu| + |\nu| = |\beta| + |\gamma|))$
3.  $\forall \alpha \in \text{Lang}(B) . ((\exists \beta, \gamma . \alpha = \beta\gamma^\omega) \Rightarrow (\exists \rho \in \text{Runs}(B) . (\rho \models \alpha \wedge (\forall i, j . \alpha[i, \infty] = \alpha[j, \infty] \Rightarrow \rho(i) = \rho(j))))))$
4.  $\forall \alpha \in \text{Lang}(B) . \forall \beta, \gamma . ((\alpha = \beta\gamma^\omega \wedge |\beta| + |\gamma| \text{ minimal for } \alpha) \Rightarrow \exists \rho \in \text{Runs}(B) . \exists \sigma, \tau . (\rho \models \alpha \wedge \rho = \sigma\tau^\omega \wedge |\sigma| = |\beta| \wedge |\tau| = |\gamma|))$
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$V_{BA}^\phi$	$V^\phi$	$V^\phi \cup \{lb, le\}$
$T_{BA}^\phi$	$T^\phi$	$T^\phi \wedge lb \rightarrow lb'$
$I_{BA}^\phi$	$I^\phi \wedge x_\phi$	$I^\phi \wedge x_{\phi,0}$
$F_{BA}^\phi$	$F^\phi$	$F^\phi \cup \{\{lb \wedge le\}\}$

$V^\phi, T^\phi, I^\phi, F^\phi$  are defined recursively on the following slides.

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$F^\Psi$	$F^{\Psi_1} \cup F^{\Psi_2}$ $\cup \{\{\neg x_\Psi \vee x_{\Psi_2}\}\}$	$F^{\Psi_1} \cup F^{\Psi_2} \cup \{\{\neg x_{\Psi,h(\Psi)} \vee x_{\Psi_2,h(\Psi_2)}\}\}$

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# Preliminary Exp.s w/ Incremental BMC — Raw Data

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		L2S		BMC			
				zchaff		minisat	
model	spec	time [sec]	mem [MB]	time [sec]	mem [MB]	time [sec]	mem [MB]
1394-3-2	0	6.5	34.9	9.8	34.1	8.7	23.9
	1	5.9	35.9	11.3	35.7	10.2	26.2
1394-4-2	0	382.3	665.9	430.6	122.4	423.4	102.6
	1	366.8	742.6	527.2	199.2	493.4	134.8
abp4	L	7.3	23.6	30.2	30.4	28.6	28.8
brp	¬ L	0.3	13.5	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0
	¬ L, nv	102.5	112.9	486.5	163.2	t.o.	t.o.
dme2	L	1.0	19.3	58.7	58.1	484.4	119.2
	¬ L	0.2	11.4	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0
	¬ L, nv	0.9	19.3	28.2	57.4	355.2	102.5
dme5	L	348.7	71.0	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.
	¬ L	1.0	17.3	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0
	¬ L, nv	360.8	63.2	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.
dme6	L	983.6	133.4	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.
	¬ L	1.5	18.3	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0
	¬ L, nv	866.8	115.5	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.	t.o.
pci	L	m.o.	m.o.	47.5	54.6	104.5	72.8
	F L	m.o.	m.o.	701.6	126.2	2480.2	478.8
	¬ L	0.9	17.1	0.1	13.8	0.1	1.0
prod-cons	0	243.4	175.7	109.7	63.8	299.9	158.2
	1	61.1	69.6	22.2	33.6	25.1	29.2
	2	61.8	73.8	4.7	27.1	103.7	53.5
	3	63.0	77.3	27.9	32.7	25.6	29.4
production-cell	0	15.5	25.0	30.0	73.5	511.1	111.2
	1	t.o.	t.o.	241.8	187.0	559.9	130.4
bc57-sensors	0	211.2	159.6	1112.8	349.2	2306.6	300.1
srg5	¬ L	0.1	11.2	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0
	¬ L, nv	1.2	20.0	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0

red: best overall

blue: best BMC

# Templates of Properties

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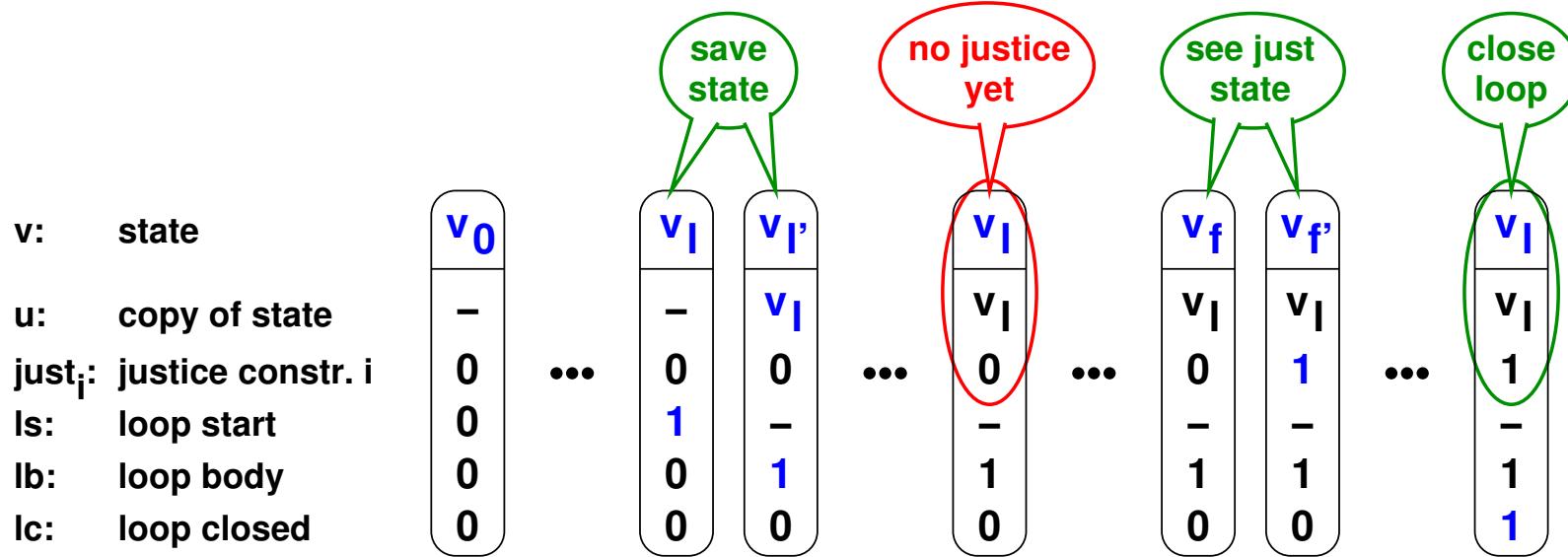
model	prop	template
1394-3/4-2	0	$\neg((\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}(p))) \rightarrow (\neg((q) \mathbf{S}(r))))$
	1	$\neg(\mathbf{F}((p) ((q) (r))))$
abp4	L	$\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (Y(H(q))))$
brp	$\neg L$	$\neg(\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{O}((q) \rightarrow (O(r)))))))$
	$\neg L, nv$	$\neg((\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{O}((q) \rightarrow (\mathbf{O}(r))))))) \wedge ((\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(p)) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(q)))))$
dme2/5/6	(L)	$\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow ((p) \mathbf{T}((\neg(p)) \mathbf{T}(\neg(q)))))$
	$\neg L$	$\neg\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow ((p) \mathbf{T}((\neg(p)) \mathbf{T}(\neg(q)))))$
	$\neg L, nv$	$\neg((\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow ((p) \mathbf{T}((\neg(p)) \mathbf{T}(\neg(q))))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(p))))$
pci	(L)	$\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{G}(((q) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}((r) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((s) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((t) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(u)))))))))) \rightarrow (\mathbf{O}((v) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((w) \wedge (\neg(\mathbf{O}(x))))))))$
	F L	$\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{G}(((q) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}((r) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((s) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((t) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(u)))))))))) \rightarrow (\mathbf{O}((v) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((w) \wedge (\neg(\mathbf{O}(x))))))))$
	$\neg L$	$\neg(\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{G}(((q) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}((r) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((s) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((t) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(u)))))))))) \rightarrow (\mathbf{O}((v) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((w) \wedge (\neg(\mathbf{O}(x))))))))))$
prod-cons	0	$\neg(((\mathbf{G}(\neg(p))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}((q) \wedge ((q) \mathbf{S}(r)))))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(((q) \wedge ((q) \mathbf{S}(r))) \rightarrow ((s) \mathbf{S}(t))))))$
	1	$\neg((\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow ((p) \mathbf{S}((q) \mathbf{S}((r) \mathbf{S}((s) \mathbf{S}(t))))))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(p))))$
	2	$\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{F}(((q) \wedge (r)) \wedge (s))))$
	3	$\mathbf{G}((p) \rightarrow (\mathbf{F}(q)))$
production-cell	0	$\neg(\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(((p) \vee (q)) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((r) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(((s) \vee (t)) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((u) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(((v) \vee (w)) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(((x) \vee (y)) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(z)))))))))))))))$
	1	$\neg(\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(((p) \vee (q)) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{O}((r) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{O}(((s) \vee (t)) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{O}((u) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{O}(((v) \vee (w)) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{O}(((x) \vee (y)) \wedge (\mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{O}(z)))))))))))))))))))$
bc-57-sensors	0	$\neg(\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}((p) \wedge (\mathbf{O}((q) \wedge (\mathbf{F}((r) \wedge (\mathbf{O}(s))))))))))$
srg5	$\neg L$	$\neg(((\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}(\neg(p)))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(q)))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(r)))) \rightarrow (\mathbf{F}((s) \mathbf{S}((t) \mathbf{S}((u) \mathbf{S}((v) \mathbf{S}(w)))))))$
	$\neg L, nv$	$\neg(((\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}(\neg(p)))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(q)))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(r)))) \rightarrow (\mathbf{F}((s) \mathbf{S}((t) \mathbf{S}((u) \mathbf{S}((v) \mathbf{S}(w))))))) \wedge (((\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{G}(\neg(p)))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(q)))) \wedge (\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{F}(r))))))$

(Blue): only for preliminary experiments w/ incremental BMC.

# Symbolic Loop Detection

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[Schuppan, Biere '04]



$$V^L = V \cup \{u, \text{just}_i, \text{ls}, \text{lb}, \text{lc}\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T^L = T \wedge & (lb' \leftrightarrow ls \vee lb) \wedge (ls \rightarrow u' = v) \wedge (lb \rightarrow u' = u) \\ & \wedge (\text{just}'_i \rightarrow (\text{just}_i \vee (ls \vee lb) \wedge \text{just}_i(v))) \\ & \wedge (lc \rightarrow (lb \wedge u = v \wedge \text{just}_i)) \end{aligned}$$

$$I^L = I \wedge \neg lb \wedge \neg \text{just}_i$$

There exists a **just loop** in  $K \Leftrightarrow$  there is a **reachable state with  $lc = 1$**  in  $K^L$ .