



Coalgebraic CTL: Fixpoint characterization and Poly- time Model Checking

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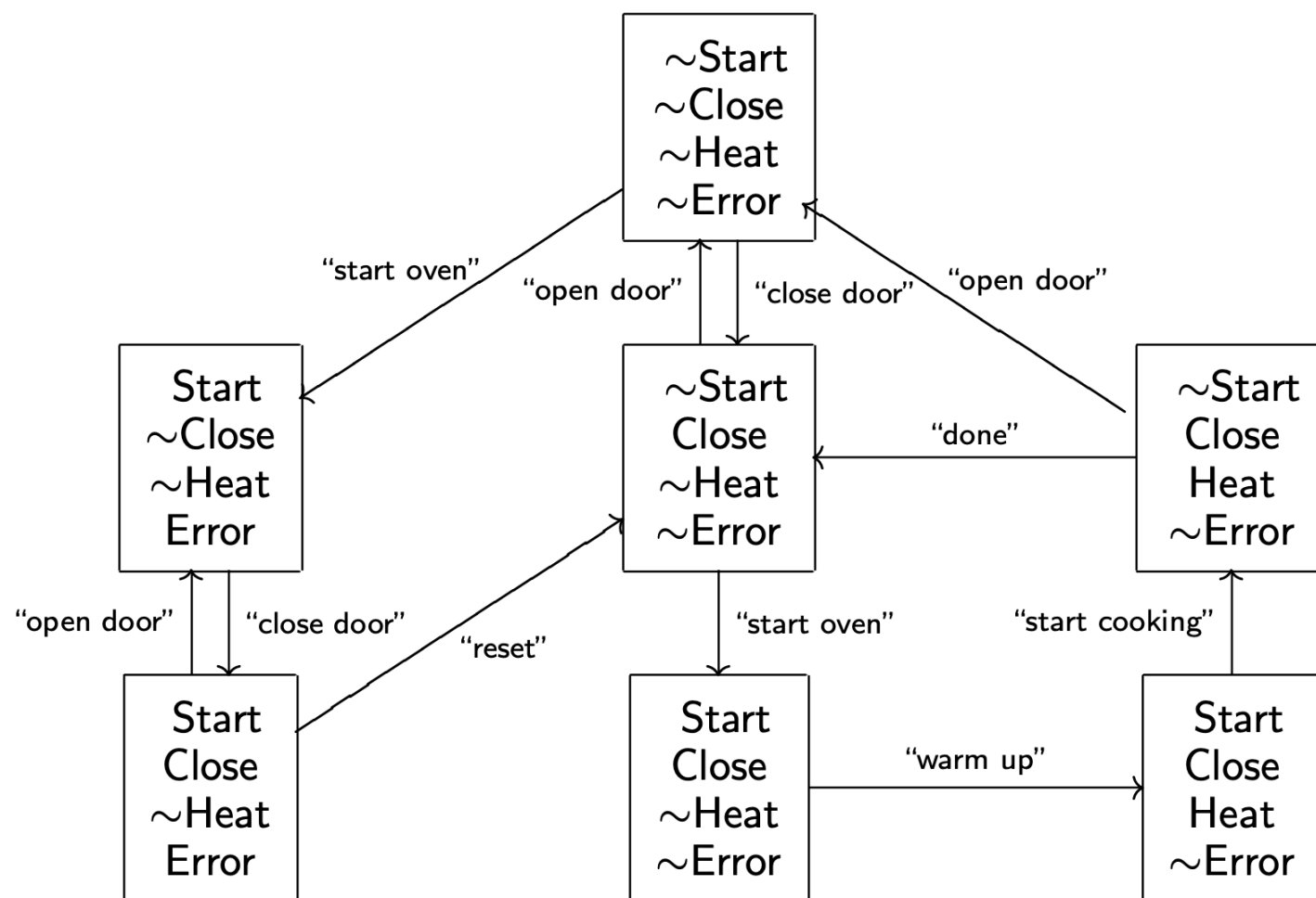
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Encode system specifications into modal formulas

	in Math/Logic
(Non-det.) systems	Kripke frames
Specifications	modal formulas



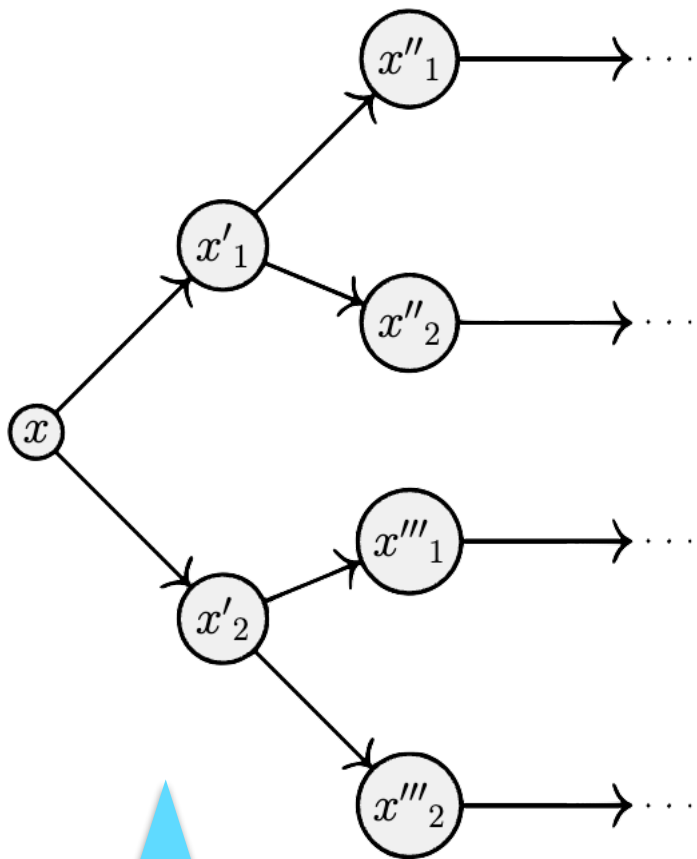
We want to show, for example,

- We can always reach \sim **Error** ("Liveness property")
- We never reach a critical state \sim **Close&Heat** ("Safety property")

Specification Language CTL (Computation Tree Logic)

[Emerson&Clarke'82]

CTL is a logic which talks about **computation paths** of a system.



Computation paths of a state x
= “possible futures of x ”

Syntax

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**2. Existential/Universal
“neXt-time” operators**

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3. Temporal operators:
capturing eventual/
permanent behaviors

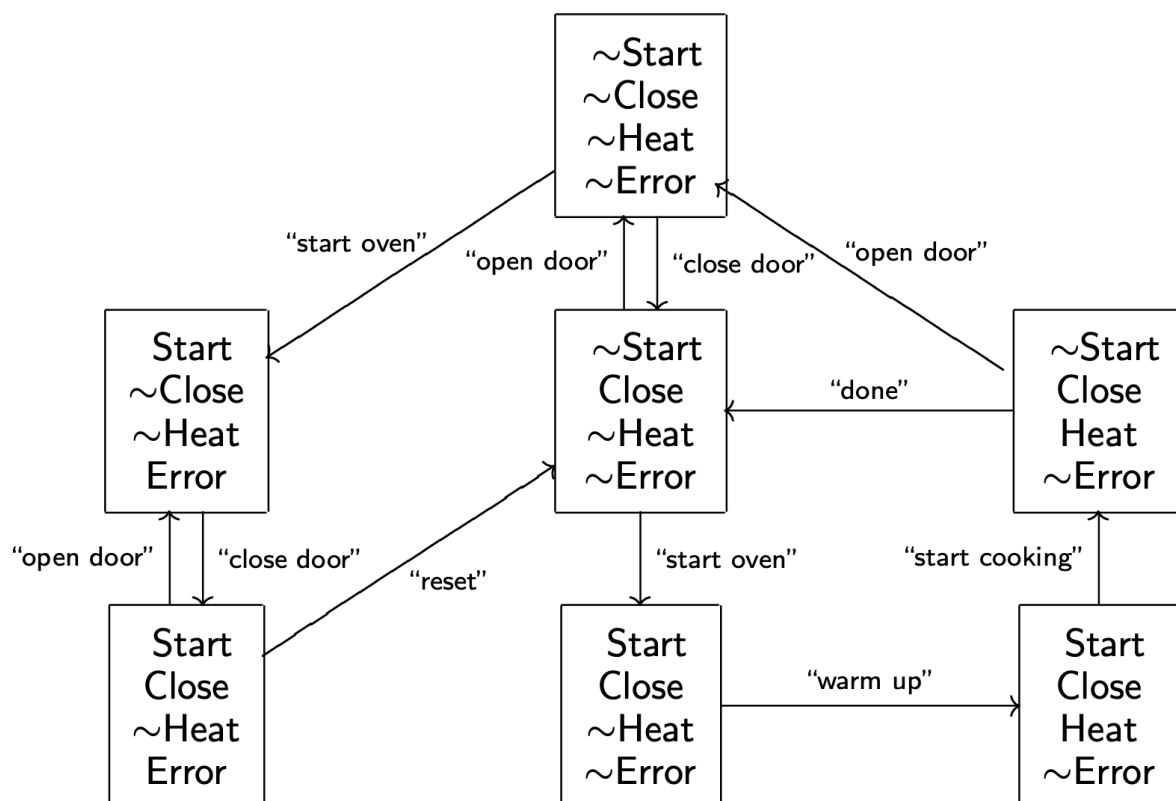
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EF(~Error)

AG(~Close&Heat)

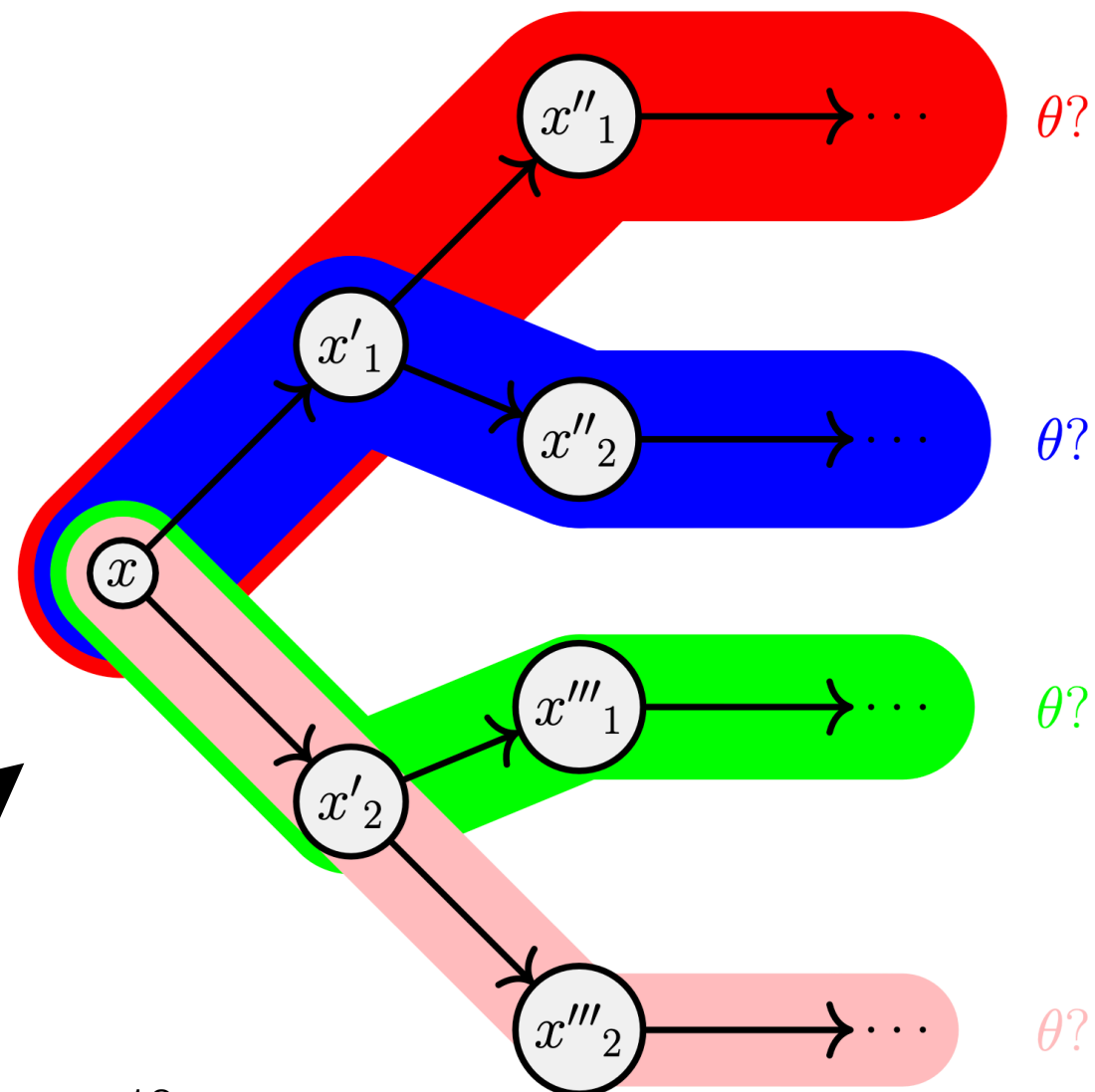


CTL has “**path-based**” semantics

CTL formulas contain path-specifying formulas, like $EF\theta$. So its (default) semantics is exploits computation paths


Concretely

To check $EF\theta$, we check along each path whether there is a witness of θ .



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Because CTL has an **encoding into Mu-calculus!**

Why so efficient?

CTL is **Efficient** since
CTL has a **fixpoint encoding**

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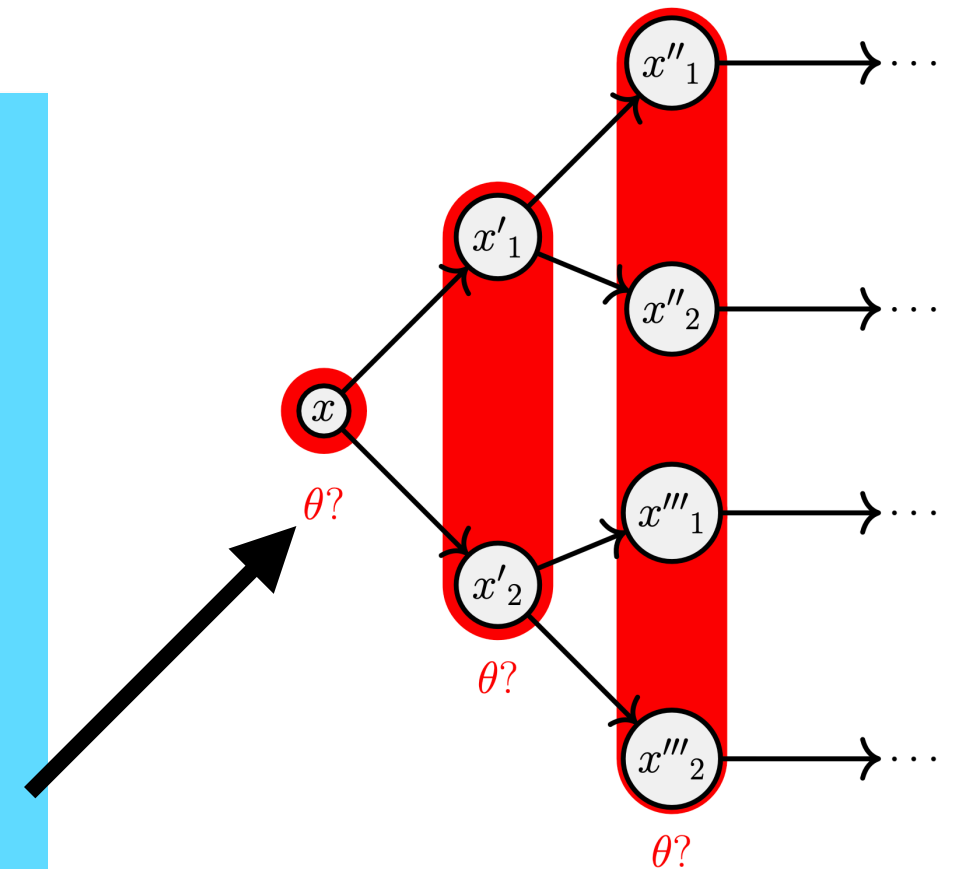
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Mu-calculus [Kozen'83]

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A fixpoint formula can be calculated in a **step-wise** manner

To calculate $\mu u . \theta \vee EXu$,
we search a witness of θ
step-by-step,
taking succceors each step.



$$0 \quad \perp = \emptyset$$

$$1 \quad \theta \vee EX\emptyset = \theta$$

$$2 \quad \theta \vee EX\theta = \{x \in X \mid \exists x' . x \rightarrow x' \text{ and } x' \models \theta\}$$

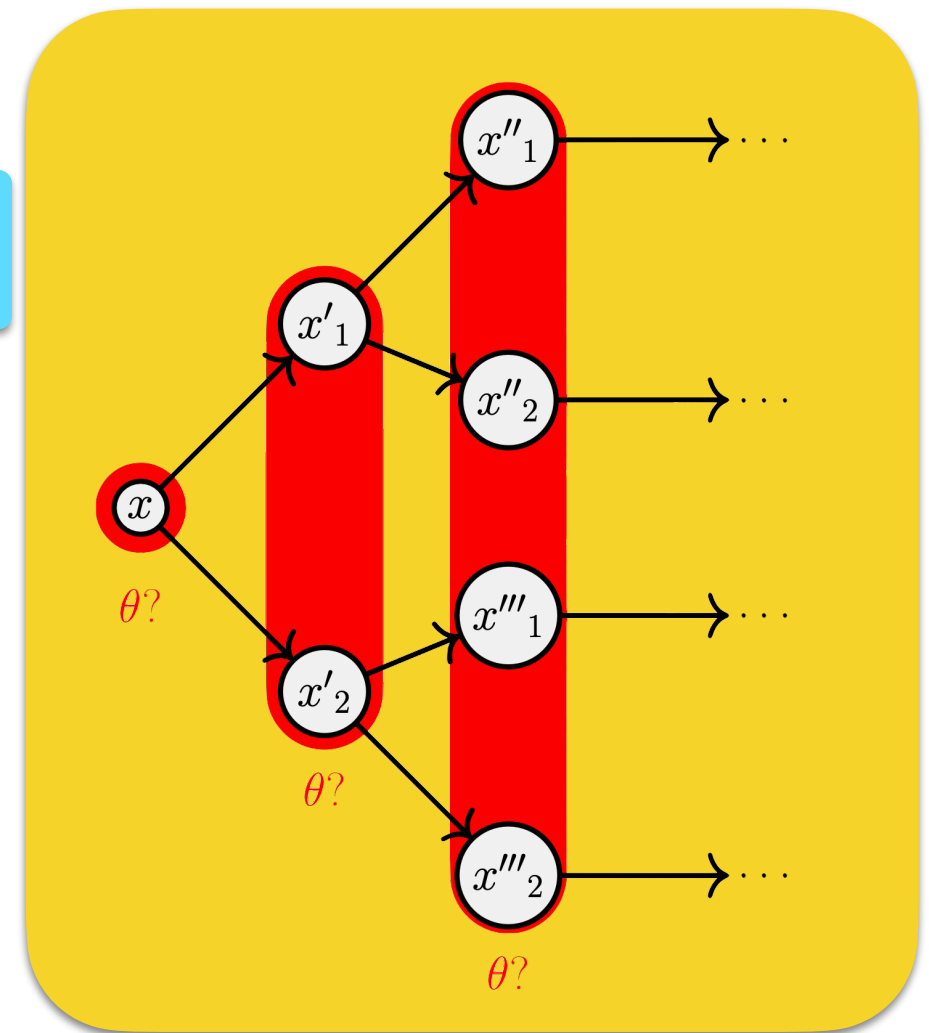
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An intermediate fixpoint formula

$EF\theta$

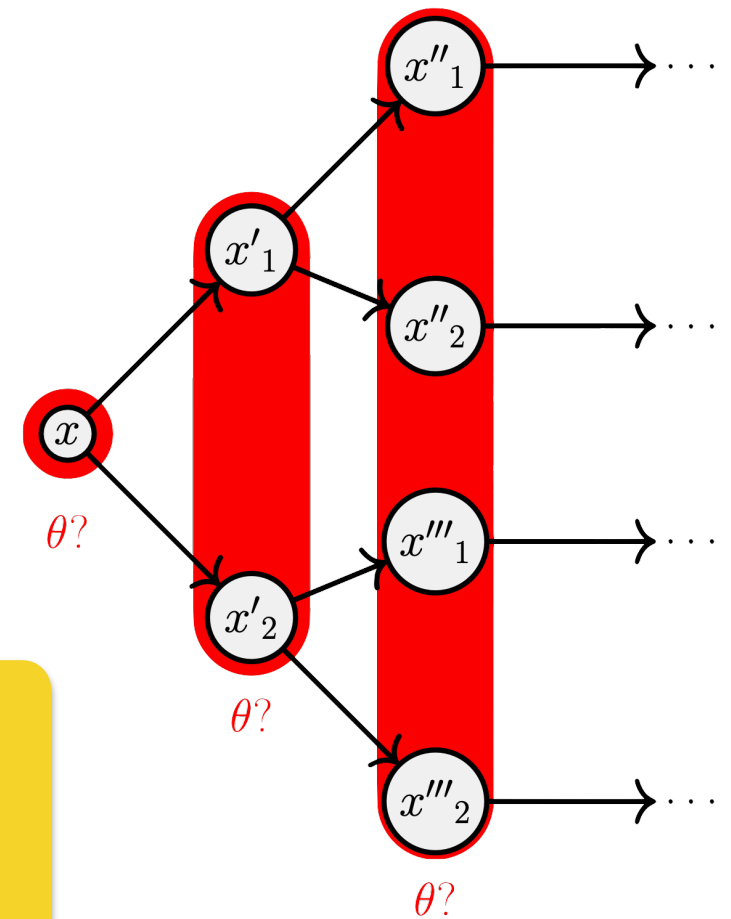
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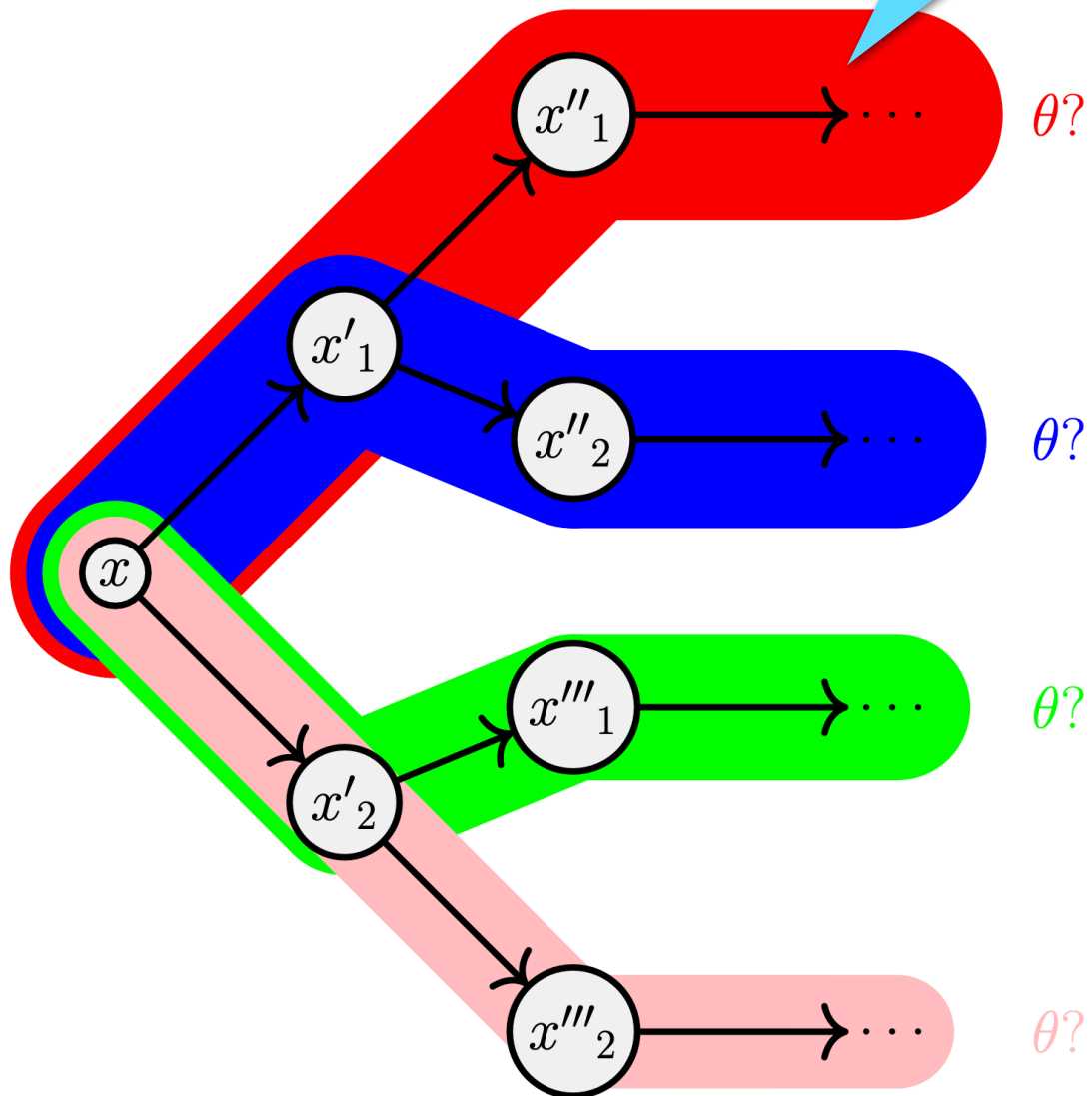
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Those formulas which emerge in this encoding are all **alternation-free**, so their model-checking takes only poly-time!



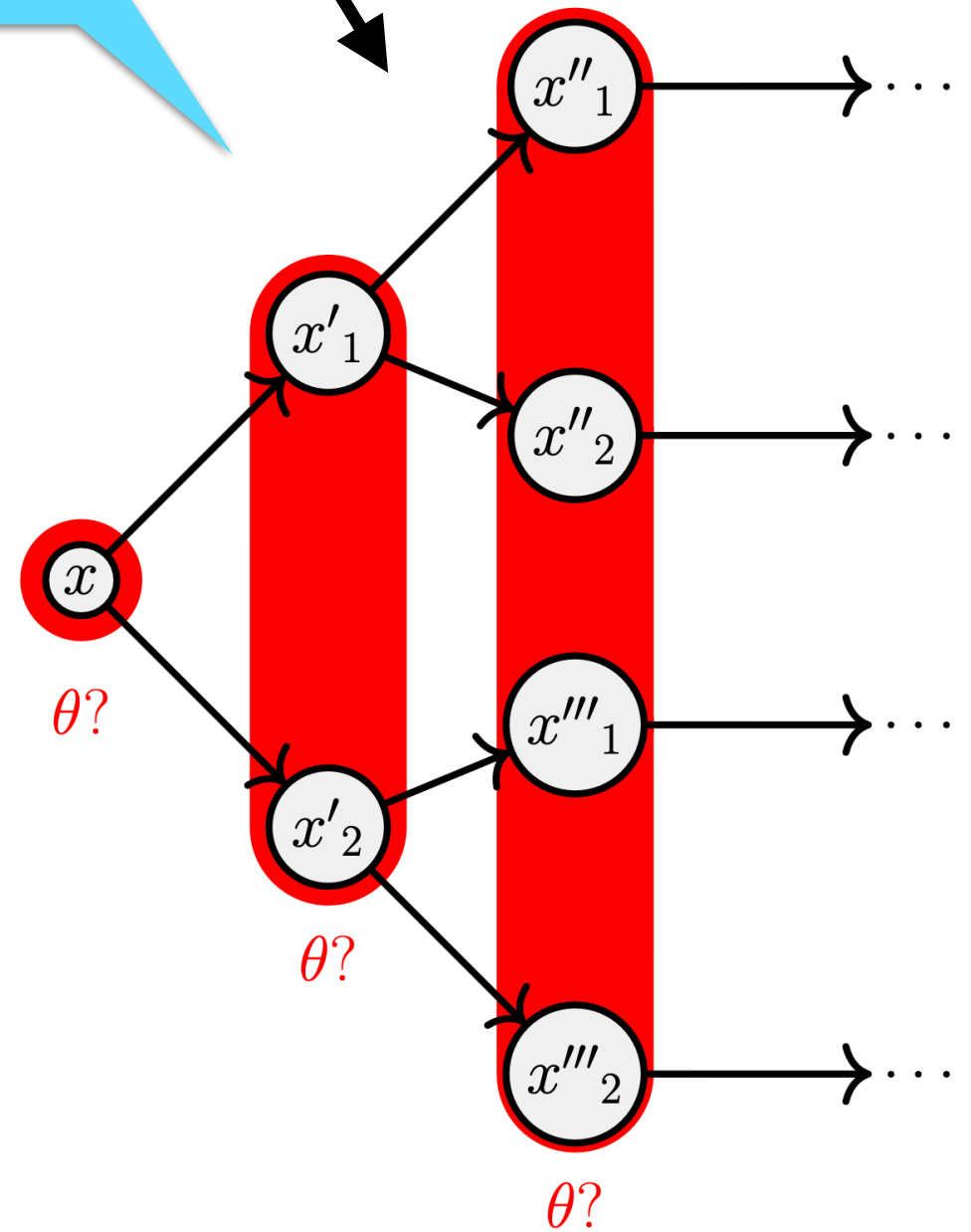
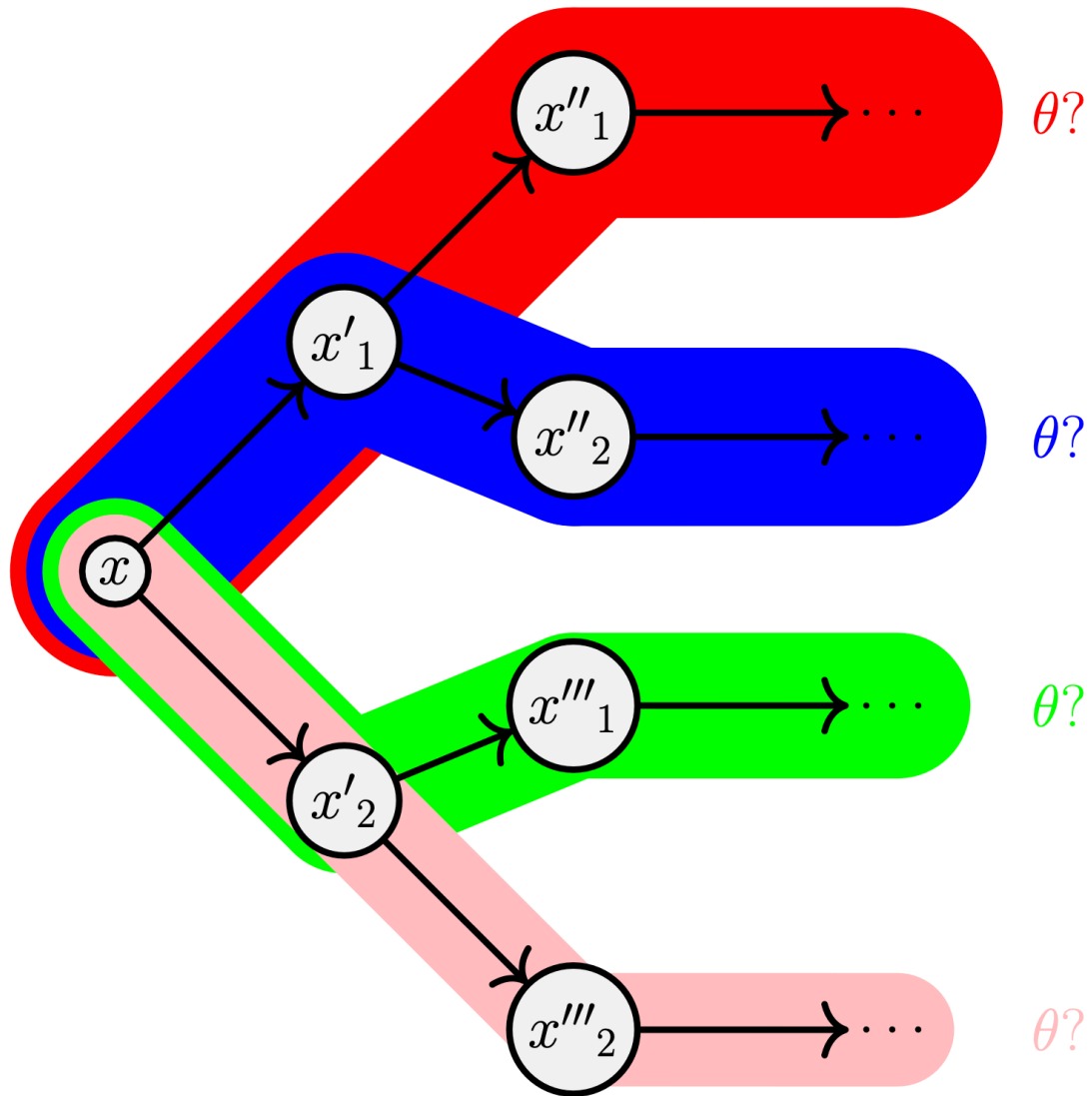
CTL is **Expressive**

Path-based semantics

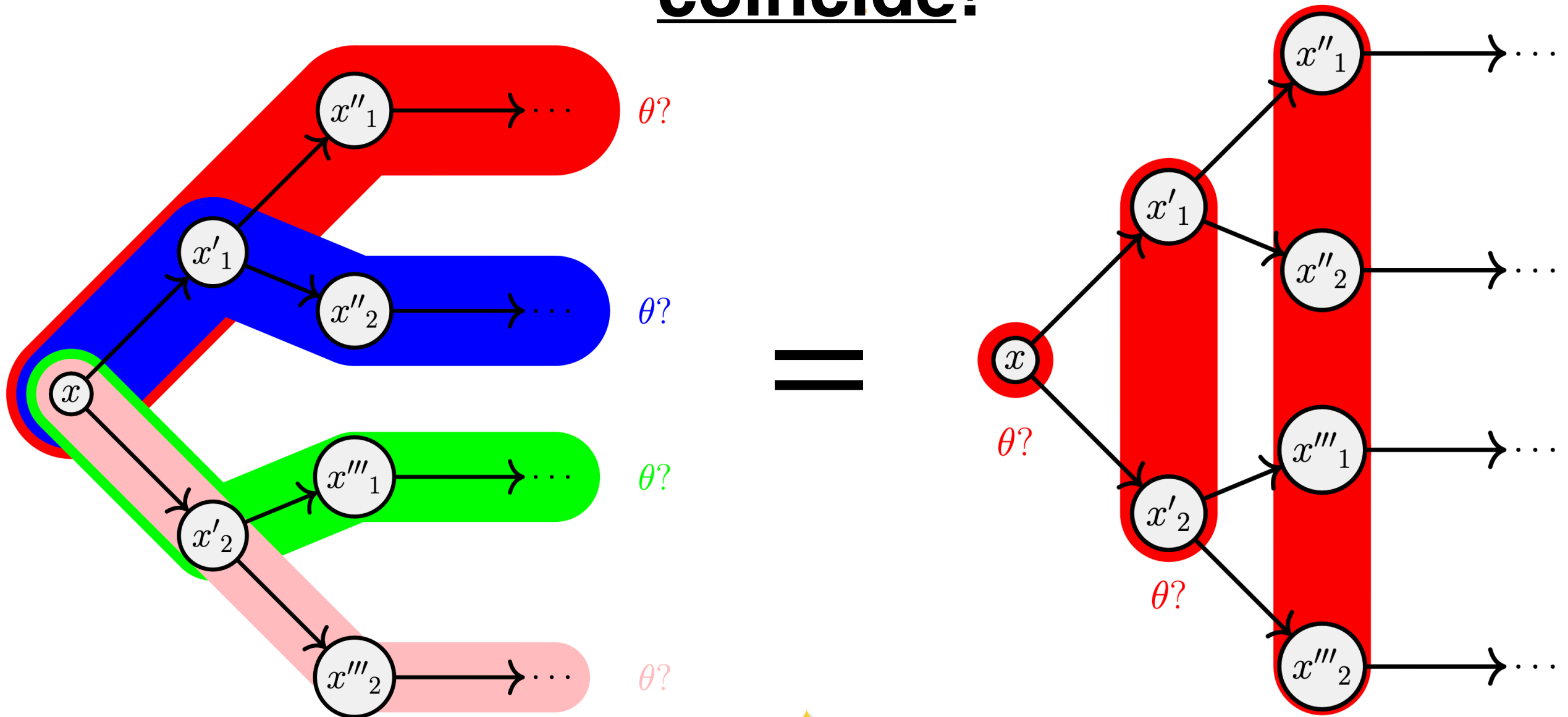


CTL is **Efficient**

Step-wise semantics



CTL is **Optimal** since...
path-based and step-wise semantics
coincide!



“The fixpoint encoding preserves semantics”

= **Fixpoint Characterization** [Emerson&Halpern'85]

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Probabilistic CTL (PCTL)

[Hansson&Jonsson'94]

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PCTL has the
“threshold” quantifiers
 $P_{\geq r}, P_{> r}$
instead of E, A

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Discontent...

- Not clear what logic deserves the name “CTL” ✗
- No generic notion of “efficient” path-based logic ✗

Our Contributions

Ours!

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Fix-Pt. Char.	✓	✗	✓ Thm. 4.6 & Assum 4.7
fixpoint MC algo.	Polynomial (Linear)	✗	Polynomial (Algo.1)

1. Introduced **Coalgebraic CTL** (CCTL) (Def 3.7)
2. Formulated **Coalgebraic Fix. Ch.** (Thm 4.6)
3. Identified **sufficient condition** for it (Assum 4.7)
4. Introduced a **poly-time MC algo.** for CCTL (Algo.1)

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Transition type	An endofunctor $F: \mathbf{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$
A system	A coalgebra $c: X \rightarrow TFX$
Values of predicates	An object $\Omega \in \mathbf{C}$
Path-quantifiers	A set of predicate liftings of T $\Sigma = \{\sigma: \Omega^{(-)} \rightarrow \Omega^{T(-)}\}_{\sigma \in \Sigma}$
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The powerset monad in CTL,
The Giry monad in PCTL

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$\{\diamond, \square\}$ in CTL,
 $\{\geq_r, >_r\}_{r \in [0,1]}$ in PCTL

How to generalize CTL?

There are 2 main ideas:

First, we generalize modalities in CTL to **predicate liftings**:

path quantifiers: $E, A \longrightarrow \spadesuit_{\sigma} \quad (\sigma \in \Sigma)$

Next-time operators: $X \longrightarrow \heartsuit_{\lambda} \quad (\lambda \in \Lambda)$

σ is pred. liftings of T

λ is a pred. lifting of F

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Second, we use the following identification:

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$$G\theta \equiv \nu u . \theta \wedge Xu$$

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Namely, **F, G, U, W** in CTL are **written as LFP/GFP of X!**

Here, **X** is interpreted as an operator on **path-formulas**, an extended class of formulas from CTL.

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Thus, we can write, for example, in the **F** case,

$$EF\theta \equiv E(\mu u . \theta \vee Xu)$$

$$AF\theta \equiv A(\mu u . \theta \vee Xu)$$

Coalgebraic CTL (CCTL)

Syntax

$\Sigma, \Lambda : \text{set}, \quad \Gamma : \text{ranked set}, \quad \Gamma_\mu, \Gamma_\nu \subseteq \Gamma$

$\psi \in \text{CCTL}_{\Gamma_\mu, \Gamma_\nu} ::=$

$\square_\gamma (\psi_1, \dots, \psi_{|\gamma|})$

Boolean oper. (made of $\top, \perp, \wedge, \vee$)

$\spadesuit_\sigma \heartsuit_\lambda \psi$

Quantified next-time oper. (like EX/AX)

$\spadesuit_\sigma (\mu u. \square_{\gamma_\mu} (\psi_1, \dots, \psi_{|\gamma_\mu|-1}, \heartsuit_\lambda u))$

$\spadesuit_\sigma (\nu u. \square_{\gamma_\nu} (\psi_1, \dots, \psi_{|\gamma_\nu|-1}, \heartsuit_\lambda u))$

Temporal operators:

Generalization of EF, EU, AF, AU, in the LFP (μ) case, and generalization of EG, EW, AG, AW, in the GFP (ν) case

CCTL's path-based semantics is given by **infinite trace** [Jacobs'04]

Briefly,...

- Notion of computation tree is replaced by infinite trace of T and $F_X = X \times F$.
- The trace map is a Kleisli map

$$\text{tr}: X \rightarrow TZ_X$$

where Z_X is the final F_X -coalgebra, called **generalized stream object**. Z_X is a coalgebraic version of **path space**.

Fixpoint Encoding of CCTL

Encoding

$$\epsilon(\Box_{\gamma}(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_{|\gamma|})) := \Box_{\gamma}(\epsilon\psi_1, \dots, \epsilon\psi_{|\gamma|}),$$

$$\epsilon(\spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \psi) := \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} (\epsilon\psi),$$

$$\epsilon(\spadesuit_{\sigma} (\mu u. \Box_{\gamma_{\mu}} (\psi_1, \dots, \psi_{|\gamma_{\mu}|-1}, \heartsuit_{\lambda} u))) := \mu u. \Box_{\gamma_{\mu}} (\epsilon\psi_1, \dots, \epsilon\psi_{|\gamma_{\mu}|-1}, \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} u),$$

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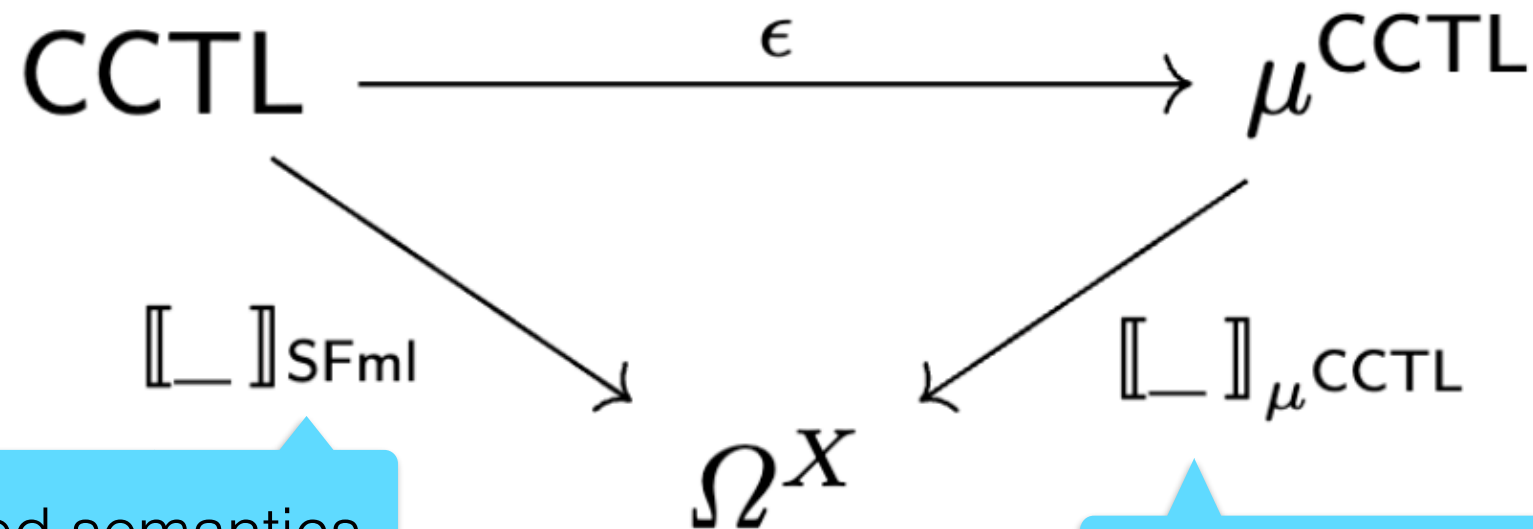
Idea

Transform LFP/GFP of **next-time** oper. (X) on paths to LFP/GFP of **quantified next-time** operators (like EX , AX).

Each application of \spadesuit_{σ} is distributed inside μ, ν

Coalgebraic Fixpoint Characterization

Two Semantics



The image of ϵ

Coalgebraic path-based semantics using inf. trace

Coalgebraic step-wise semantics as in [Venema'06]

Thm 4.6

The above triangle commutes.

Sufficient conditions

Assum 4.7

1. T is an affine monad,
2. the maximal trace $\text{tr}(c')$ satisfies

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X \times TZ_X & \xrightarrow{\text{st}_{X, Z_X}} & T(X \times Z_X) \\
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(4) classifies CTL
& PCTL

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Cond. (4) in CTL is easy!

Cond. (4) for EF, for example, is...

$$x \models EF\theta \implies x \models \mu u . \theta \vee EXu$$

“There is a path π of x , along which we reach θ in future”

“There is a reachable state x' from x with $x' \models \theta$ ”

Cond. (4) in **not** valid in PCTL...

the $P_{\geq 1}F$ case (we put here $\theta = p$):

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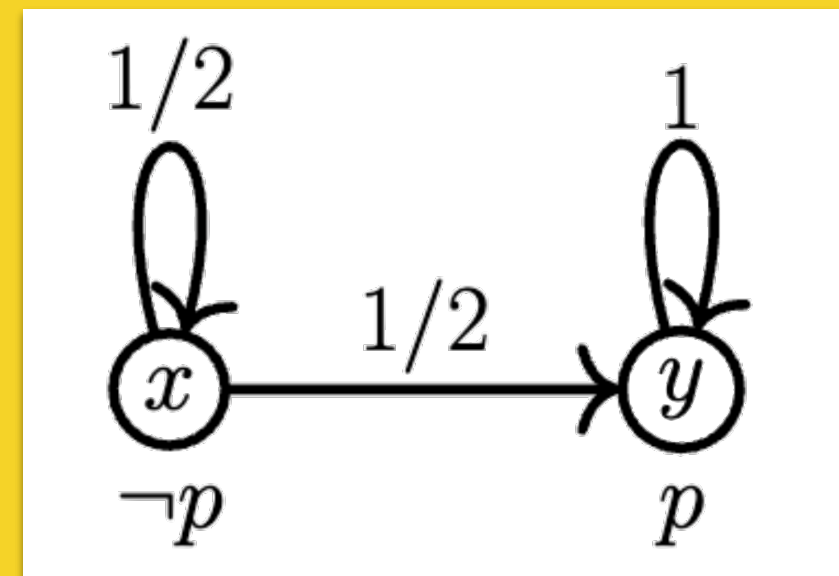
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- LHS = $\{x, y\} \not\subseteq \{y\}$ = RHS!
- LHS measures “global” behaviour, but RHS only cares “local” behavior.



Results obtained without cond. (4):

- Coalgebraic expansion law

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- Partial Fixpoint Characterization

Proposition 4.10 (partial fixpoint characterization). *Under the same assumption of Thm. [4.6](#) (Assum. [4.7](#)) but without condition [4](#), we have*

1. $\llbracket \theta \rrbracket_{\mu\text{CTL}} = \llbracket \iota \theta \rrbracket_{\text{SFml}}$ for a formula θ without any μ or ν ,
2. $\llbracket \theta \rrbracket_{\mu\text{CTL}} \subseteq \llbracket \iota \theta \rrbracket_{\text{SFml}}$ for a formula θ with only μ s, and
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equalities.

Qualitative variant of PCTL
satisfies all but (4),
so it enjoys partial Fix. Ch.

- Partial fixpoint characterization

Proposition 4.10 (partial fixpoint characterization). *Under the same assumption of Thm. 4.6 (Assum. 4.7) but without condition 4, we have*

1. $\llbracket \theta \rrbracket_{\mu^{\text{CCTL}}} = \llbracket \iota \theta \rrbracket_{\text{SFml}}$ for a formula θ without any μ or ν ,
2. $\llbracket \theta \rrbracket_{\mu^{\text{CCTL}}} \subseteq \llbracket \iota \theta \rrbracket_{\text{SFml}}$ for a formula θ with only μ s, and
3. $\llbracket \theta \rrbracket_{\mu^{\text{CCTL}}} \supseteq \llbracket \iota \theta \rrbracket_{\text{SFml}}$ for a formula θ with only ν s.

Poly-time MC for CCTL

Idea behind our algo.

1. Encode CCTL into a (coalgebraic) fixpoint logic
2. Calculate fixpoint formulas, step-wisely

Algorithm 1 A CCTL model-checking algorithm MC_S^{CCTL} .

Input: A CCTL formula ψ .

Output: An Ω -predicate $U \in \Omega^X$.

▷ where $S = (C, T, F, c, \Omega, \Sigma, A)$.

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1: procedure CHECK( $\theta$ )
2:   switch  $\theta$  do
3:     case  $\Box_{\gamma}(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_{|\gamma|})$ 
4:       return  $\gamma(\text{CHECK}(\theta_1), \dots, \text{CHECK}(\theta_{|\gamma|}))$ 
5:     end case
6:     case  $\spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \theta'$ 
7:       return  $\llbracket \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \rrbracket(\text{CHECK}(\theta'))$ 
8:     end case
9:     case  $\mu u. \Box_{\gamma}(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_{|\gamma_{\mu|-1}}, \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} u)$ 
10:       $U := \perp; V := \gamma_{\mu}(\text{CHECK}(\theta_1), \dots, \text{CHECK}(\theta_{|\gamma_{\mu|-1}}), \llbracket \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \rrbracket(\perp))$ 
11:      while  $U \neq V$  do
12:         $U := V$ 
13:         $V := \gamma_{\mu}(\text{CHECK}(\theta_1), \dots, \text{CHECK}(\theta_{|\gamma_{\mu|-1}}), \llbracket \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \rrbracket(U))$ 
14:      end while
15:      return  $U$ 
16:     end case
17:     case  $\nu u. \Box_{\gamma_{\nu}}(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_{|\gamma_{\nu|-1}}, \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} u)$ 
18:       $U := \top; V := \gamma_{\nu}(\text{CHECK}(\theta_1), \dots, \text{CHECK}(\theta_{|\gamma_{\nu|-1}}), \llbracket \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \rrbracket(\top))$ 
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22:      end while
23:      return  $U$ 
24:     end case
25: end procedure
26: return  $\text{CHECK}(\iota^{-1}\psi)$ 
```

Our model checking
algorithm MC_S^{CCTL}

Here suppose **finite** coalgebra in a
concrete category

Poly-time MC for CCTL

Correctness (prop. 5.2)

$\text{MC}_{\mathcal{S}}^{\text{CCTL}}$ terminates and returns $\llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\text{SFml}}$ for $\psi \in \text{CCTL}$.

A key is semantics-preservation of our encoding!

Complexity (prop. 5.4)

$$\mathcal{O}(|\psi| \cdot |X| \cdot N \cdot t(\sigma, \lambda))$$

- $|\psi|$: the number of subformulas
- N : the maximal time to execute boolean opr.
- $t(\sigma, \lambda)$: the maximal time to solve $x \in \llbracket \spadesuit_{\sigma} \heartsuit_{\lambda} \rrbracket(U)$ for $x \in X$ and $U \in \Omega^X$

Our encoding is linear-time, and encoded formula is alternation-free!

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