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1 Introduction

2 Probabilistic systems

- Describe probabilistic models:
 - DTMC
 - CTMC
 - DTMDP
 - CTMDP
 - (Probabilistic automata)
 - (Markov automata)
- remember to cite references

3 Logics for Probabilistic systems

- Define PCTL and LTL as used for PMC
- remember to cite references
- (mention other property description languages)

4 Algorithmics

- Describe the algorithms for
 - PCTL + DTMC
 - LTL + DTMC
- (Mention variants for continuous time and non-determinism)
- remember to cite references

5 Practical relevance

5.1 Applications

- Mention different applications of PMC
- Cite case studies here

5.2 Tool Support

- Mention different tools that exist
- Cite the technical papers, tutorials etc for these

6 Conclusions and Future Prospects

- Mention recent research directions
- Cite some fresh papers

- 7 References
- 8 Appendices