

# Model Checking

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Order the states  $s_1, s_2 \dots s_n$  such that:  $V_n(s_1) \leq V_n(s_2) \leq \dots \leq V_n(s_m)$ .  
Then find index  $j$  such that

- All states indexed  $< s_j$  get the lower bound as transition value,
- All states indexed  $> s_j$  get the upper bound as transition value,
- State  $s_j$  gets a value in  $[P(s_j), P(s_j)]$  such that we have a valid distribution.

In the *inner maximization problem*, nature is cooperative and gives us the transition function with the highest probability of going to a desired states. States are ordered according to 'desirability'.

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a

$$\begin{aligned}P(s, a, s_1) &= \frac{1}{6} \\P(s, a, s_2) &= \frac{1}{2} \\P(s, a, s_3) &= 0 \\P(s, a, s_4) &= \frac{1}{3}\end{aligned}$$

**b**

$$\epsilon = 0.01$$

$$\epsilon_M = 0.01/8 = 0.00125$$

$$\delta_M = \sqrt{\frac{\log(\frac{2}{0.00125})}{2 \cdot 12}} \approx 0.6660$$

$$\underline{P}(s, a, s_1) = \frac{1}{6} - \delta_M \equiv 0$$

$$\bar{P}(s, a, s_1) = \frac{1}{6} + \delta_M \approx 0.8326$$

$$\underline{P}(s, a, s_1) = \frac{1}{2} - \delta_M \equiv 0$$

$$\bar{P}(s, a, s_1) = \frac{1}{2} + \delta_M \equiv 1$$

$$\underline{P}(s, a, s_1) = 0 - \delta_M \equiv 0$$

$$\bar{P}(s, a, s_1) = 0 + \delta_M \approx 0.6660$$

$$\underline{P}(s, a, s_1) = \frac{1}{3} - \delta_M \equiv 0$$

$$\bar{P}(s, a, s_1) = \frac{1}{3} + \delta_M \approx 0.9993$$