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# A Non-Repudiation Protocol

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# Introduction

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In this presentation:

1. A non-repudiation protocol
2. PEPA models
3. Derivation graphs
4. Markov chain and Performance analysis
5. PEPA Eclipse Plug-in

# Protocols

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## General Definition

*“The official procedure or system of rules governing affairs of state or diplomatic occasions.”*

## Computing Definition

*“A set of rules governing the exchange or transmission of data between devices.”*

# Non-repudiation

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*“Mallory buys a cell phone for \$100, writes a paper cheque as payment, and signs the cheque with a pen. Later, she finds that she can't afford it, and claims that the cheque is a forgery. The signature guarantees that only Mallory could have signed the cheque, and so Mallory's bank must pay the cheque. This is non-repudiation; Mallory cannot repudiate the cheque.”*

# Zhou&Gollmann Model — Terminology 1

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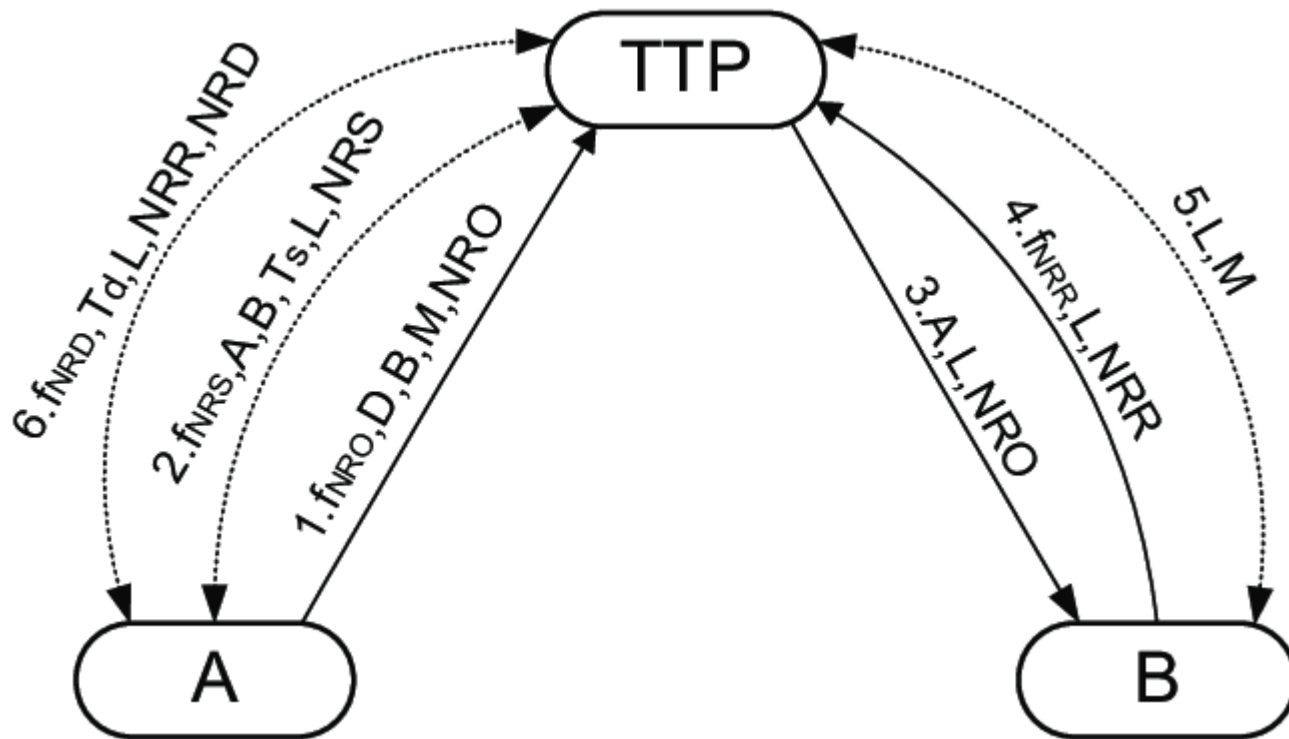
- $M$ : Message
- $L$ : a unique label chosen by TTP to identify the message  $M$
- $T_s$ : the time that TTP received A's submission
- $T_d$ : the time that TTP delivered and available to B

## Zhou&Gollmann Model — Terminology 2

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- **$NRO = sS_A(f_{NRO}, TTP, B, M)$** 
  - non-repudiation of origin for M
- **$NRS = sS_D(f_{NRS}, A, B, T_s, L, NRO)$** 
  - non- repudiation of submission of M
- **$NRR = sS_B(f_{NRR}, TTP, A, L, NRO)$** 
  - non-repudiation of receiving a message labelled L
- **$NRD = sS_D(f_{NRD}, A, B, T_d, L, NRR)$** 
  - non-repudiation of delivery of M

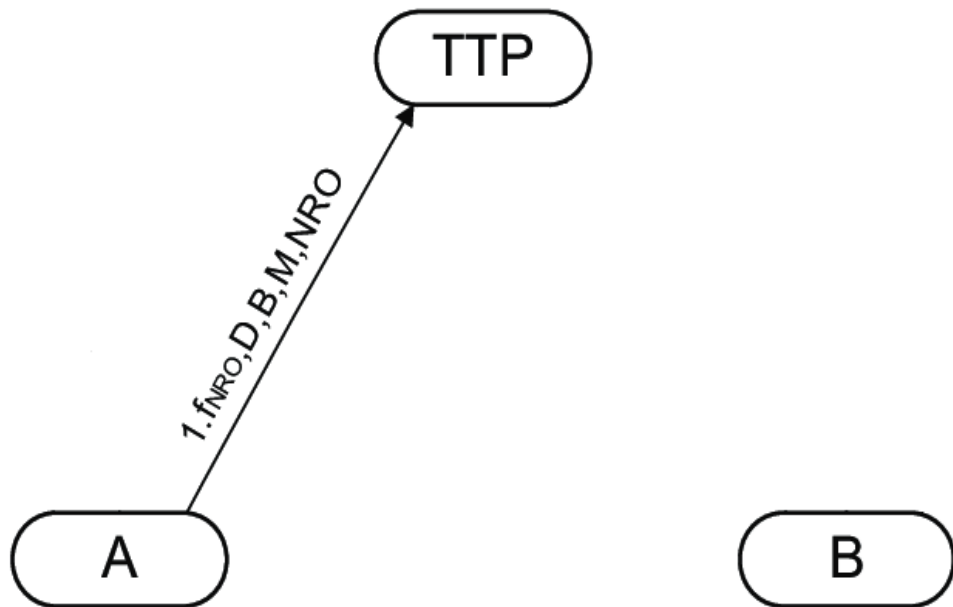
# Zhou&Gollmann Model — Representation



# Zhou&Gollmann Model — 1.request

**$A \rightarrow TTP$**

$f_{NRO}, TTP, B, M, NRO$

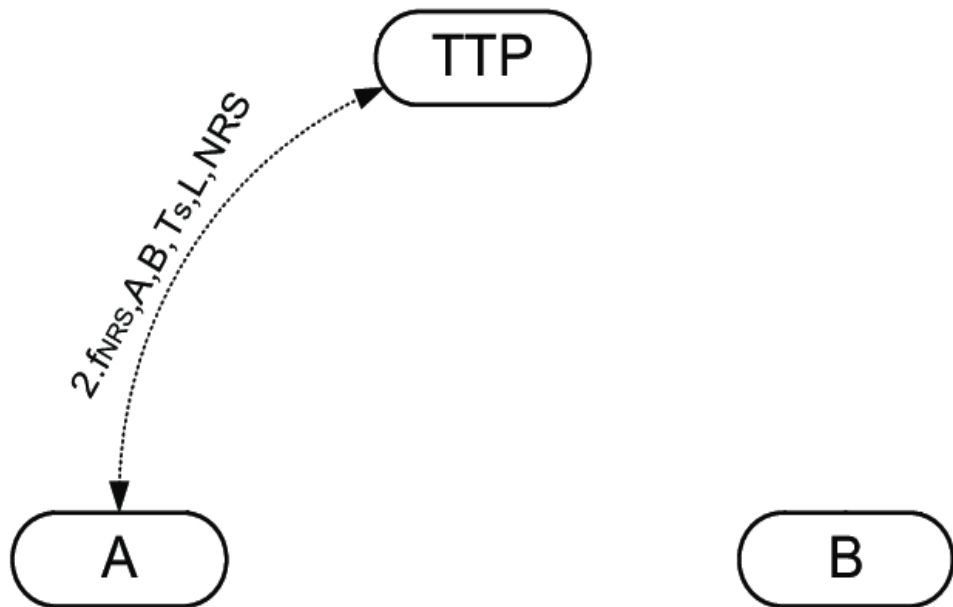




# Zhou&Gollmann Model — 2.publish1&getByA1

$A \leftrightarrow TTP$

$f_{NRS}, A, B, T_s, L, NRS$



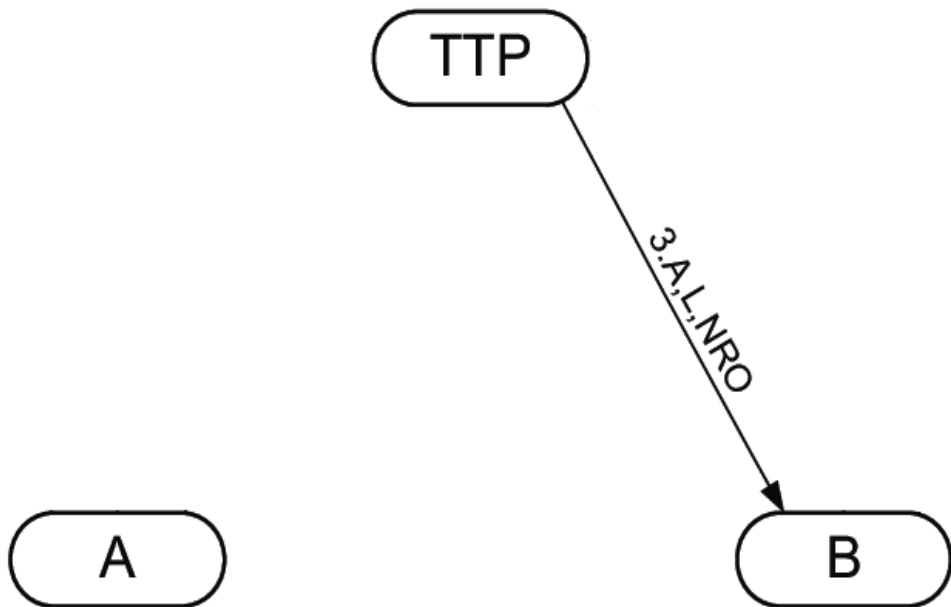
# Zhou&Gollmann Model — 3.sendB

***TTP*** → ***B***  
*A, L, NRO*

Andrea Munarin  
Is everything ok?

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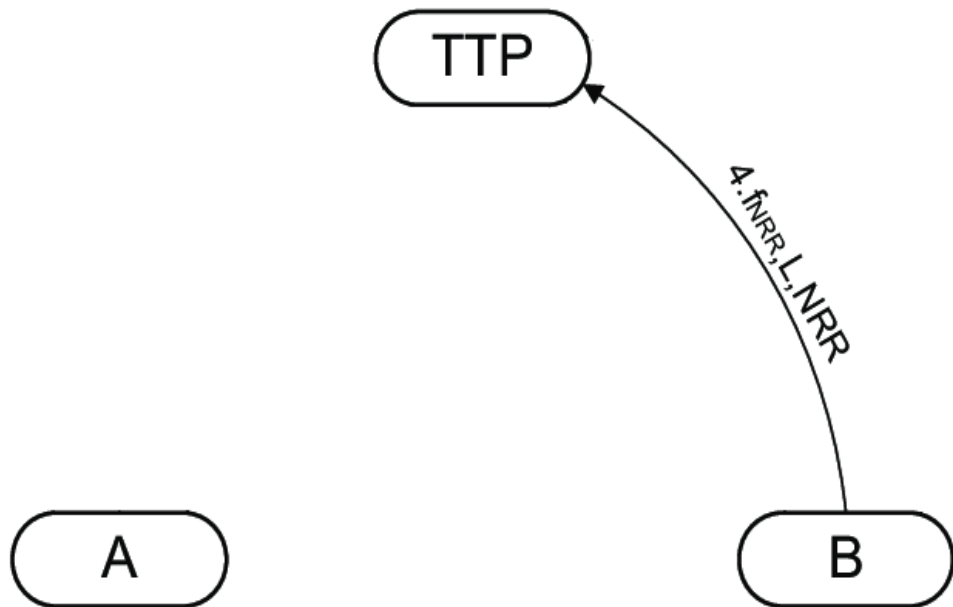
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# Zhou&Gollmann Model — 4.sendTTP

**$B \rightarrow TTP$**

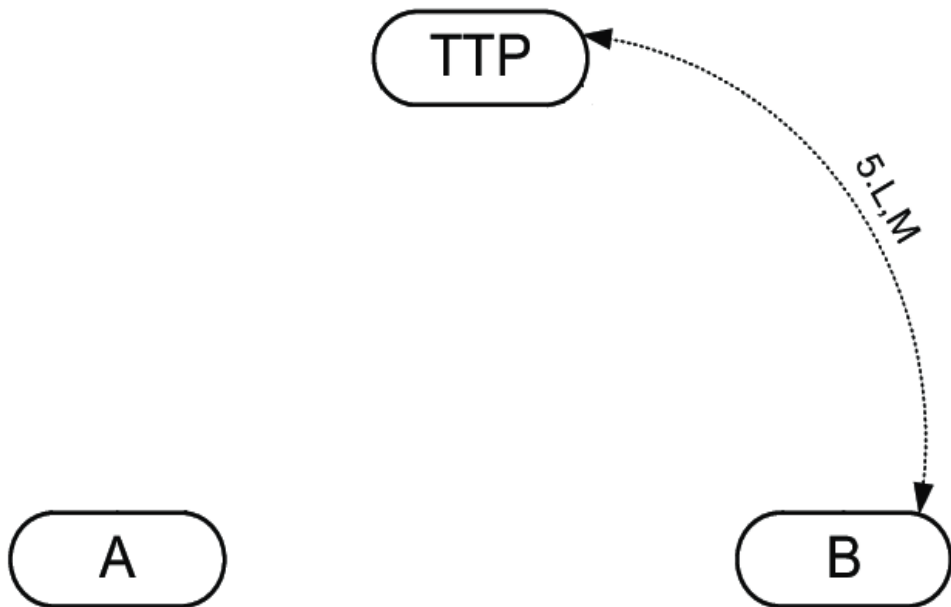
$f_{NRR}, L, NRR$



# Zhou&Gollmann Model — 5.publish2&getByB

$B \leftrightarrow TTP$

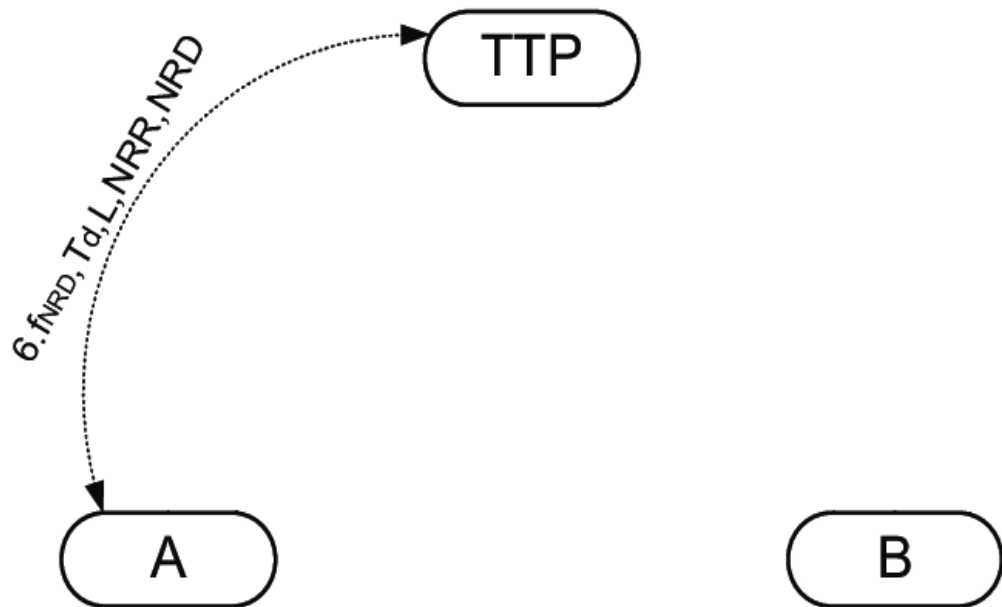
$L, M$



# Zhou&Gollmann Model — 6.publish2&getByA2

$A \leftrightarrow TTP$

$f_{NRD}, T_d, L, NRR,$   
 $NRD$





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# PEPA Model

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## Initial Model — Client A

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$$A_0 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{request}, r_{t1}).A_1$$

$$A_1 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish1}, r_{p1}).A_2$$

$$A_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA1}, r_{ga1}).A_3$$

$$A_3 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{sendB}, r_b).A_4$$

$$A_4 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish2}, r_{p2}).A_5$$

$$A_5 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA2}, r_{ga2}).A_6$$

$$A_6 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{work}, r_w).A_0$$

## Initial Model — Client B

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$$\begin{aligned} B_0 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\textit{send}B, r_b).B_1 \\ B_1 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\textit{send}TTP, r_{t2}).B_2 \\ B_2 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\textit{publish}2, r_{p2}).B_3 \\ B_3 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\textit{getBy}B, r_{gb}).B_4 \\ B_4 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\textit{work}, r_w).B_0 \end{aligned}$$



# Initial Model — TTP

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$$TTP \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish1}, r_{p1}).TTP + (\text{publish2}, r_{p2}).TTP + (\text{sendB}, r_b).TTP$$

# Initial Model — System

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$$System \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} TTP \bowtie_{\mathcal{L}} (A_0 || B_0)$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \{publish1, publish2, sendB\}$$





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# Simplified Model

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# Simplified Model — Clients AB

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$$AB_0 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{request}, r_{t1}).AB_1$$

$$AB_1 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish1}, r_{p1}).AB_2$$

$$AB_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA1}, r_{ga1}).AB_3$$

$$AB_3 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{sendB}, r_b).AB_4$$

$$AB_4 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{sendTTP}, r_{t2}).AB_5$$

$$AB_5 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish2}, r_{p2}).AB_6$$

$$AB_6 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA2}, r_{ga2}).AB_7 + (\text{getByB}, r_{gb}).AB_8$$

$$AB_7 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByB}, r_{gb}).AB_9$$

$$AB_8 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA2}, r_{ga2}).AB_9$$

$$AB_9 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{work}, r_w).AB_0$$

# Simplified Model — TTP

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$$TTP \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish1}, r_{p1}).TTP + (\text{publish2}, r_{p2}).TTP + (\text{sendB}, r_b).TTP$$

# Simplified Model — System

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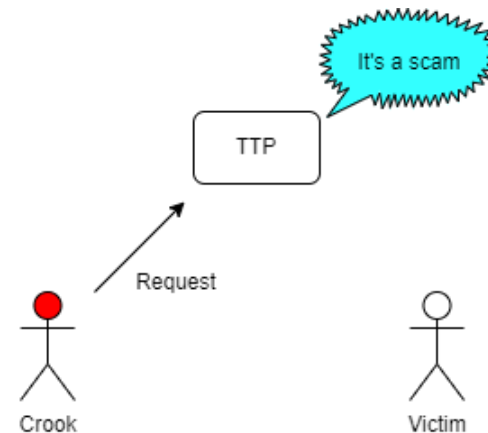
$$System \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} TTP \bowtie_{\mathcal{L}} AB_0$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \{publish1, publish2, sendB\}$$

# Improved System — Verification

Non-Repudiation Protocol might be used by unofficial entities:

- User can sign fake contract
- TTP must verify the authenticity of contract
- If scam is recognized, the procedure has to be stopped





# Improved System — Clients AB

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$$AB_0 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{request}, r_{t1}).AB_1$$

$$AB_1 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{verify}, T).AB_2$$

$$AB_2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish1}, T).AB_3$$

$$AB_3 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA1}, r_{ga1}).AB_4$$

$$AB_4 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{sendB}, T).AB_5$$

$$AB_5 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{sendTTP}, r_{t2}).AB_6$$

$$AB_6 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{publish2}, T).AB_7$$

$$AB_7 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA2}, r_{ga2}).AB_{8.1} + (\text{getByB}, r_{gb}).AB_{8.2}$$

$$AB_{8.1} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByB}, r_{gb}).AB_9$$

$$AB_{8.2} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{getByA2}, r_{ga2}).AB_9$$

$$AB_9 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\text{work}, r_w).AB_0$$

# Improved System — TTP

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$$\begin{aligned} TTP &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (verify, r_v).TTP' + (publish2, r_{p2}).TTP + (sendB, r_b).TTP \\ TTP' &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (publish1, r_{p1}).TTP \end{aligned}$$

# Improved System — System

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$$System \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} TTP \bowtie_{\mathcal{L}} AB_0$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \{verify, publish1, publish2, sendB\}$$

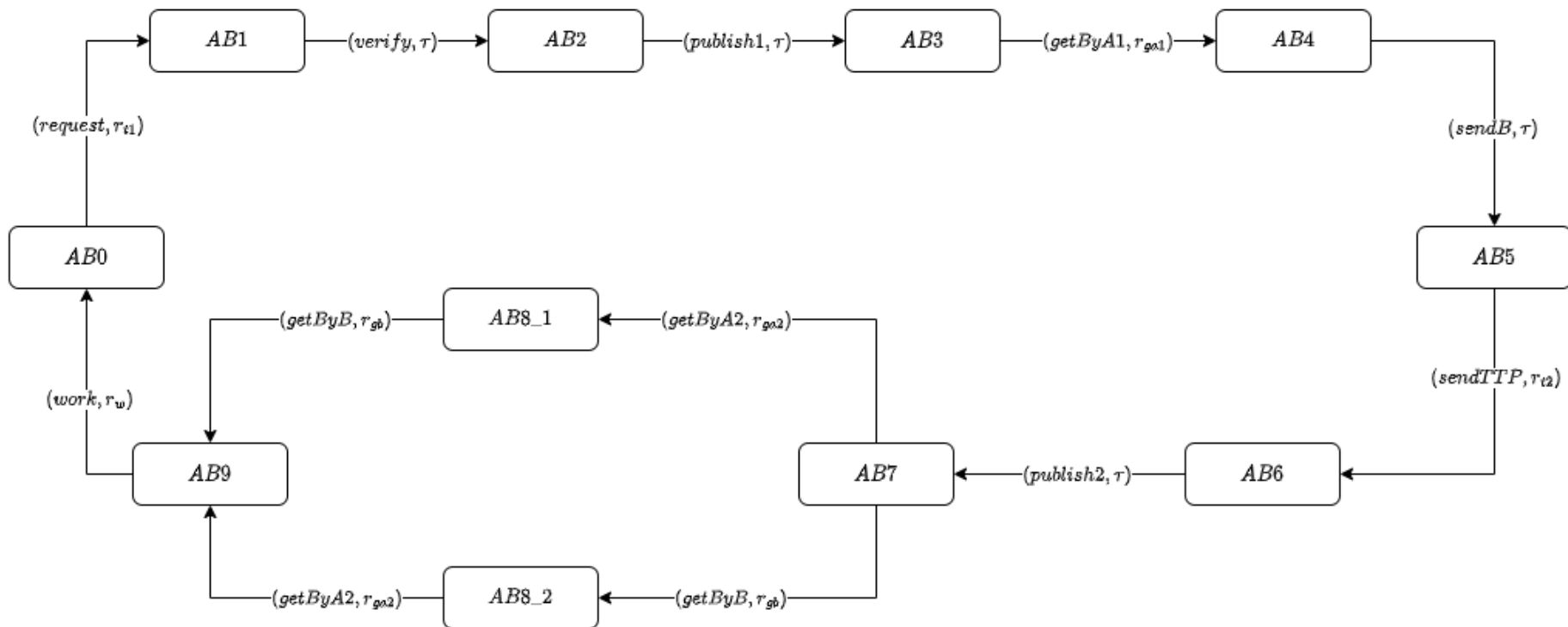


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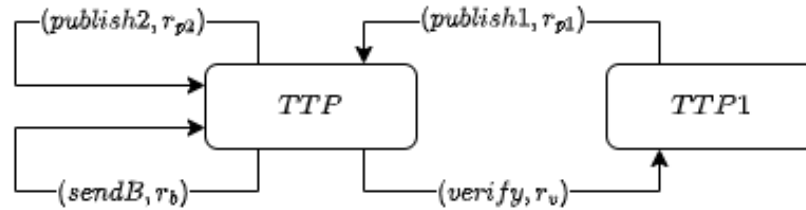
# Derivation Graphs

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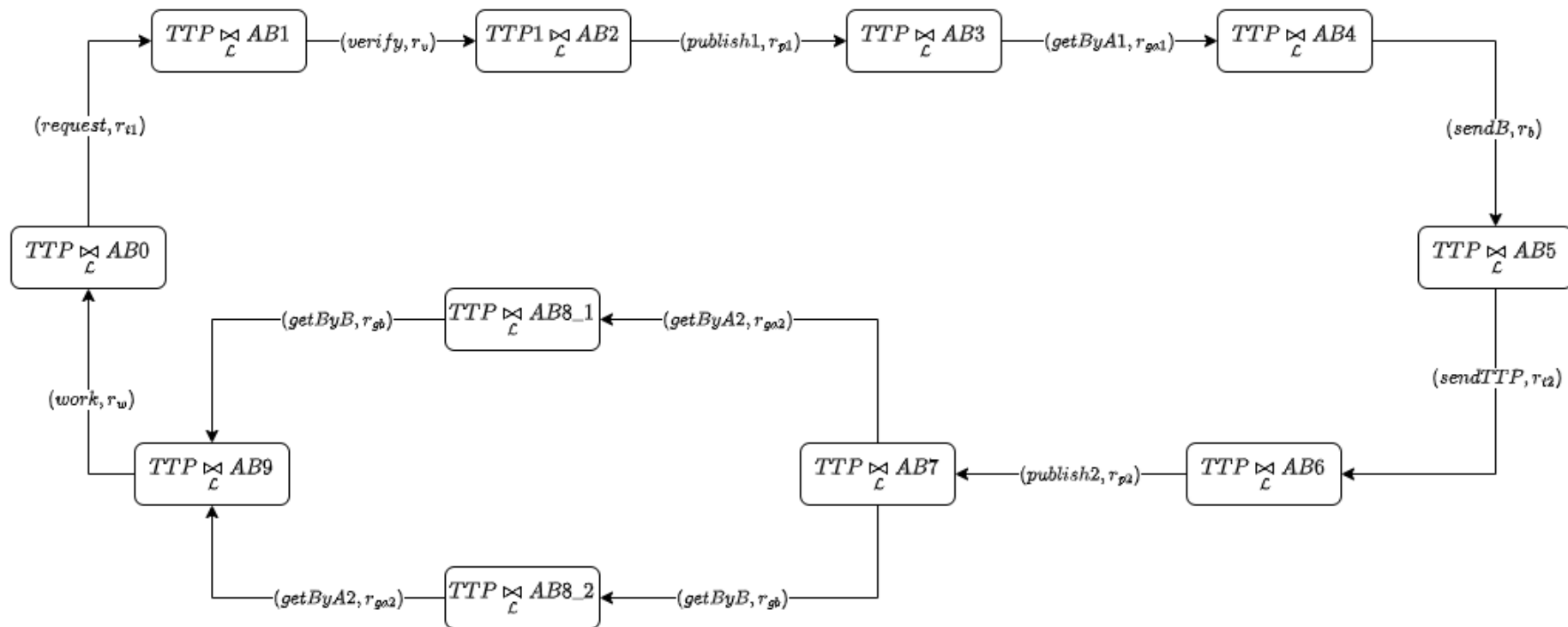
# Clients AB



# TTP



# System





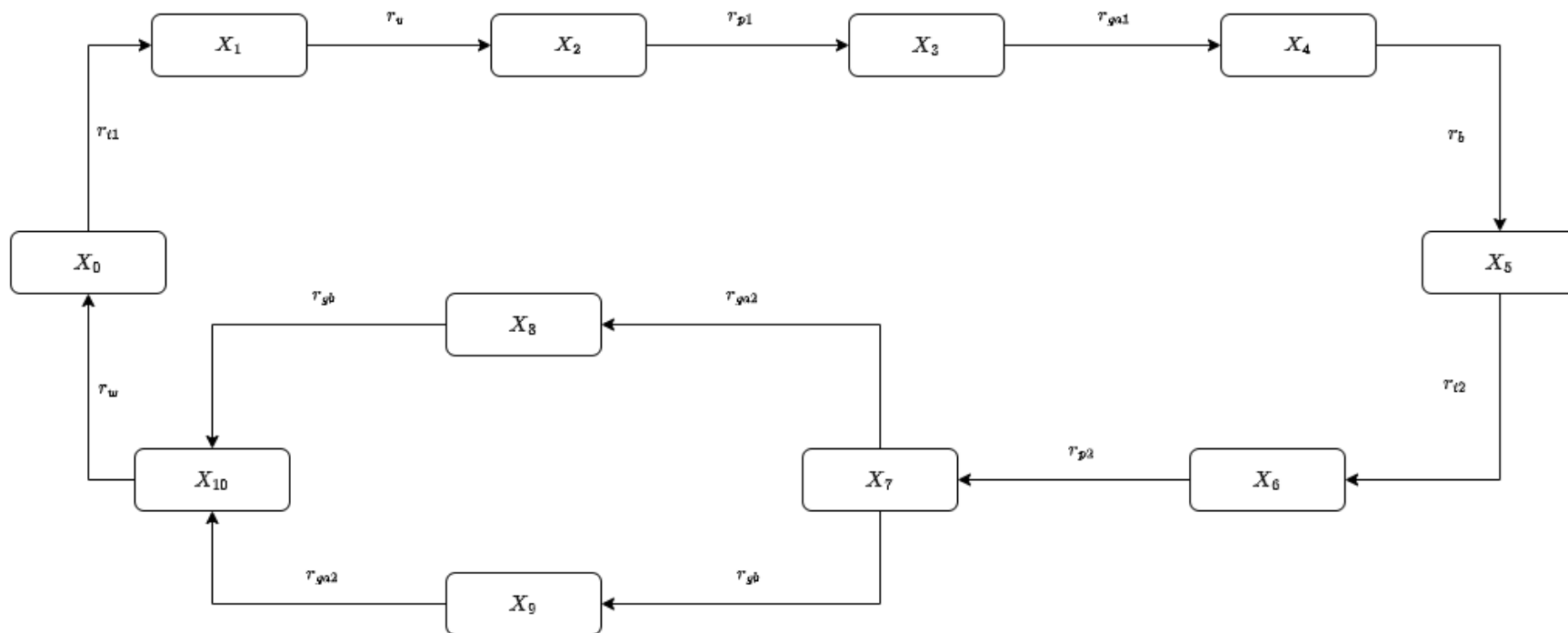
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# Markov Chains and Performance analysis

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# Underlying Markov chain



# Infinitesimal generator matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -rt1 & rt1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -rv & rv & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -rp1 & rp1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -rga1 & rga1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -rb & rb & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -rt2 & rt2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -rp2 & rp2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -(rga2 + rgb) & rga2 & rgb & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -rgb & 0 & rgb & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -rga2 & rga2 & 0 \\ rw & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -rw \end{pmatrix}$$

# Transpose infinitesimal generator matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -rt1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & rw \\ rt1 & -rv & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & rv & -rp1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & rp1 & -rga1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & rga1 & -rb & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & rb & -rt2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & rt2 & -rp2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & rp2 & -(rga2 + rgb) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & rga2 & -rgb & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & rgb & 0 & -rga2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Global balance equations

$$\begin{cases} -\pi(X_0) \cdot r_{t1} + \pi(X_{10}) \cdot r_w = 0 \\ \pi(X_0) \cdot r_{t1} - \pi(X_1) \cdot r_v = 0 \\ \pi(X_1) \cdot r_v - \pi(X_2) \cdot r_{p1} = 0 \\ \pi(X_2) \cdot r_{p1} - \pi(X_3) \cdot r_{ga1} = 0 \\ \pi(X_3) \cdot r_{ga1} - \pi(X_4) \cdot r_b = 0 \\ \pi(X_4) \cdot r_b - \pi(X_5) \cdot r_{t2} = 0 \\ \pi(X_5) \cdot r_{t2} - \pi(X_6) \cdot r_{p2} = 0 \\ \pi(X_6) \cdot r_{p2} - \pi(X_7) \cdot (r_{ga2} + r_{gb}) = 0 \\ \pi(X_7) \cdot r_{ga2} - \pi(X_8) \cdot r_{gb} = 0 \\ \pi(X_7) \cdot r_{gb} - \pi(X_9) \cdot r_{ga2} = 0 \\ \pi(X_8) \cdot r_{gb} + \pi(X_9) \cdot r_{ga2} - \pi(X_{10}) \cdot r_w = 0 \\ \pi(X_0) + \pi(X_1) + \pi(X_2) + \pi(X_3) + \pi(X_4) + \pi(X_5) + \pi(X_6) + \pi(X_7) + \pi(X_8) + \pi(X_9) + \pi(X_{10}) = 1 \end{cases}$$

# Steady state distribution

$$R = r_w(r_{t1}r_v(r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}(r_{p2}(r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}r_{ga2} + r_{gb}^2) + r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2}) + r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2})) + r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2})) + r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2})) + r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2})) + r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2})) + r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2})) + r_{t1}r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2r_{ga2}))$$

$$\pi(X_0) = \frac{r_w r_v r_{p1} r_{ga1} r_b r_{t2} r_{p2} (r_{gb} r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_1) = \frac{r_{t1} r_w r_{p1} r_{ga1} r_b r_{t2} r_{p2} (r_{gb} r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

# Steady state probabilities

$$\pi(X_2) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_3) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_4) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_5) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_6) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_7) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}r_{ga2}r_{gb}}{R}$$

# Steady state probabilities

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$$\pi(X_8) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}r_{ga2}^2}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_9) = \frac{r_{t1}r_w r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}r_{gb}^2}{R}$$

$$\pi(X_{10}) = \frac{r_{t1}r_v r_{p1}r_{ga1}r_b r_{t2}r_{p2}(r_{gb}r_{ga2}^2 + r_{gb}^2 r_{ga2})}{R}$$

# Utilisation

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$$U_{AB} = \pi(X_0) + \pi(X_1) + \pi(X_2) + \pi(X_3) + \pi(X_4) + \pi(X_5) + \pi(X_6) + \pi(X_7) + \pi(X_8) + \pi(X_9) + \pi(X_{10})$$

$$U_{TTP} = \pi(X_1) + \pi(X_2) + \pi(X_4) + \pi(X_6)$$



# Throughput

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$$T_{request} = r_{t1} \cdot \pi(X_0)$$

$$T_{verify} = r_v \cdot \pi(X_1)$$

$$T_{publish1} = r_{p1} \cdot \pi(X_2)$$

$$T_{getByA1} = r_{ga1} \cdot \pi(X_3)$$

$$T_{sendB} = r_b \cdot \pi(X_4)$$

$$T_{sendTTP} = r_{t2} \cdot \pi(X_5)$$

$$T_{publish2} = r_{p2} \cdot \pi(X_6)$$

$$T_{getByA2} = r_{ga2} \cdot \pi(X_7) + r_{ga2} \cdot \pi(X_9)$$

$$T_{getByB} = r_{gb} \cdot \pi(X_7) + r_{gb} \cdot \pi(X_8)$$

$$T_{work} = r_w \cdot \pi(X_{10})$$



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# PEPA Eclipse Plug-in

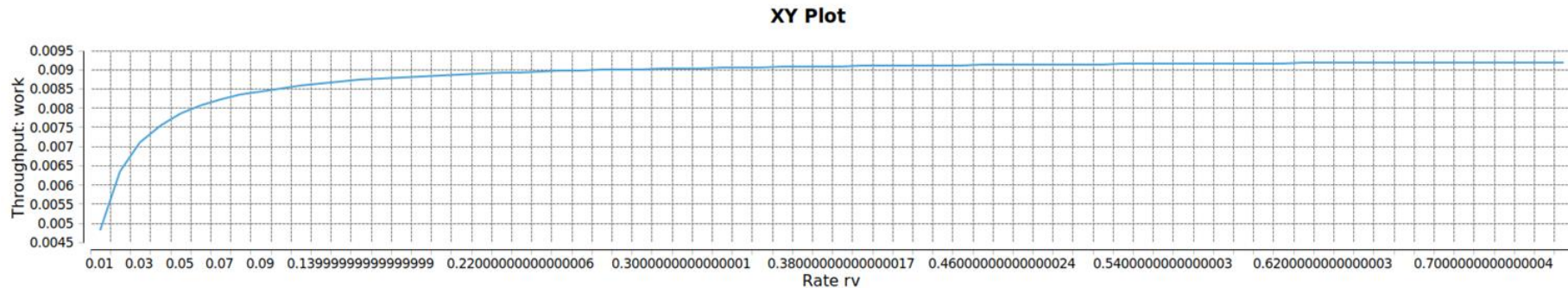
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# Pepa Model

model.pepa x

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1 rb = 1.0;
2 rga1 = 1.0;
3 rga2 = 1.0;
4 rgb = 1.0;
5 rp1 = 1.0;
6 rp2 = 1.0;
7 rt1 = 1.0;
8 rt2 = 1.0;
9 rw = 0.01;
10 rv = 0.05;
11 AB0 = (request, rt1).AB1;
12 AB1 = (verify, infty).AB2;
13 AB2 = (publish1, infty).AB3;
14 AB3 = (getByA1, rga1).AB4;
15 AB4 = (sendB, infty).AB5;
16 AB5 = (sendTTP, rt2).AB6;
17 AB6 = (publish2, infty).AB7;
18 AB7 = (getByA2, rga2).AB8_1 + (getByB, rgb).AB8_2;
19 AB8_1 = (getByB, rgb).AB9;
20 AB8_2 = (getByA2, rga2).AB9;
21 AB9 = (work, rw).AB0;
22 TTP = (verify, rv).TTP1 + (publish2, rp2).TTP + (sendB, rb).TTP;
23 TTP1 = (publish1, rp1).TTP;
24 TTP <verify, publish1, publish2, sendB> AB0
25
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# Experimentation



# Throughput Variation

## Our model

| Utilisation | Throughput           | Population |
|-------------|----------------------|------------|
| Action      | Throughput           |            |
| getByA1     | 0.007843137254901955 |            |
| getByA2     | 0.007843137254901954 |            |
| getByB      | 0.007843137254901954 |            |
| publish1    | 0.007843137254901954 |            |
| publish2    | 0.007843137254901952 |            |
| request     | 0.007843137254901962 |            |
| sendB       | 0.007843137254901954 |            |
| sendTTP     | 0.00784313725490196  |            |
| verify      | 0.007843137254901959 |            |
| work        | 0.007843137254901962 |            |

## Original model

| Utilisation | Throughput          | Population |
|-------------|---------------------|------------|
| Action      | Throughput          |            |
| getByA1     | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| getByA2     | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| getByB      | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| publish1    | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| publish2    | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| request     | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| sendB       | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| sendTTP     | 0.00930232558139535 |            |
| work        | 0.00930232558139535 |            |

# Utilisation

## Steady state probabilities

|    |      |       |                      |
|----|------|-------|----------------------|
| 1  | TTP  | AB0   | 0.007843137254901962 |
| 2  | TTP  | AB1   | 0.15686274509803919  |
| 3  | TTP1 | AB2   | 0.007843137254901954 |
| 4  | TTP  | AB3   | 0.007843137254901955 |
| 5  | TTP  | AB4   | 0.007843137254901954 |
| 6  | TTP  | AB5   | 0.00784313725490196  |
| 7  | TTP  | AB6   | 0.007843137254901952 |
| 8  | TTP  | AB7   | 0.003921568627450977 |
| 9  | TTP  | AB8_1 | 0.003921568627450977 |
| 10 | TTP  | AB8_2 | 0.003921568627450977 |
| 11 | TTP  | AB9   | 0.7843137254901962   |

## Utilisation

$$U_{AB} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} U_{TTP} &\sim 0.156862755 + 0.007843137 \\ &\quad + 0.007843137 + 0.007843137 \\ &= 0,180392166 \end{aligned}$$

# More clients

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model.pepa x model2.pepa
1 rb = 1.0;
2 rga1 = 1.0;
3 rga2 = 1.0;
4 rgb = 1.0;
5 rp1 = 1.0;
6 rp2 = 1.0;
7 rt1 = 1.0;
8 rt2 = 1.0;
9 rw = 0.01;
10 rv = 0.05;
11 AB0 = (request, rt1).AB1;
12 AB1 = (verify, rv).AB2;
13 AB2 = (publish1, rp2).AB3;
14 AB3 = (getByA1, rga1).AB4;
15 AB4 = (sendB, rb).AB5;
16 AB5 = (sendTTP, rt2).AB6;
17 AB6 = (publish2, rp2).AB7;
18 AB7 = (getByA2, rga2).AB8_1 + (getByB, rgb).AB8_2;
19 AB8_1 = (getByB, rgb).AB9;
20 AB8_2 = (getByA2, rga2).AB9;
21 AB9 = (work, rw).AB0;
22 TTP = (verify, rv).TTP1 + (publish2, rp2).TTP + (sendB, rb).TTP;
23 TTP1 = (publish1, rp1).TTP;
24 TTP[1] <verify, publish1, publish2, sendB> AB0[5]
25
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# Throughput

## Total throughput

| Utilisation | Throughput           | Population |
|-------------|----------------------|------------|
| Action      | Throughput           |            |
| getByA1     | 0.03388669057260054  |            |
| getByA2     | 0.03388669057260053  |            |
| getByB      | 0.03388669057260051  |            |
| publish1    | 0.03388669057260055  |            |
| publish2    | 0.03388669057260052  |            |
| request     | 0.033886690572600894 |            |
| sendB       | 0.033886690572600534 |            |
| sendTTP     | 0.033886690572600534 |            |
| verify      | 0.033886690572600554 |            |
| work        | 0.03388669057260092  |            |

## Throughput of multi-client

$$T_{work} = \frac{0.03388669057260092}{5} = 0.006777338114520184$$

## Throughput of single-client

$$T_{work} = 0.007843137254901962$$