

SLE Assignment 4

Test Data Generation

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Testing objectives

test parsing (1),
constraint checking (2),
simulation (3)
and Code Generation (4) ...
... of my fsm1 implementation

What sort of errors are you trying to catch?

Implementation errors in the modules for (1),(2),(3) and (4)

Testing objectives

What sort of generated test-data set helps in this context?

- randomly generated valid *.fsml + input files
- randomly generated invalid *.fsml + input files

How do you implement your test strategy?

- generate test data (see next slides)
- use data-driven testing approach (unittest Testsuite)

Test data generation

- Use nltk library (Natural Language Toolkit) to generate all possible combinations of CFG up to a certain depth

```
FSM -> ISTATE STATES
ISTATE -> 'initial' 'state' '#initState#' '{' TRANS '}'
STATES -> STATE STATES |
STATE -> 'state' '#stateDecl#' '{' TRANS '}'
TRANS -> TRANSITION TRANS |
TRANSITION -> '#input#' '/' '#action#' '->' '#newState#' ';'

```

Test data generation Step 1

- possible combination

```
initial state #initState# {  
  #input# / #action# -> #newState#  
  #input# / #action# -> #newState#  
}
```

```
state #stateDecl# {  
  #input# / #action# -> #newState#  
  #input# / #action# -> #newState#  
}
```

```
initial state #StateDecl# {  
}
```

- can't be used by template library in this form

Test data generation Step 2

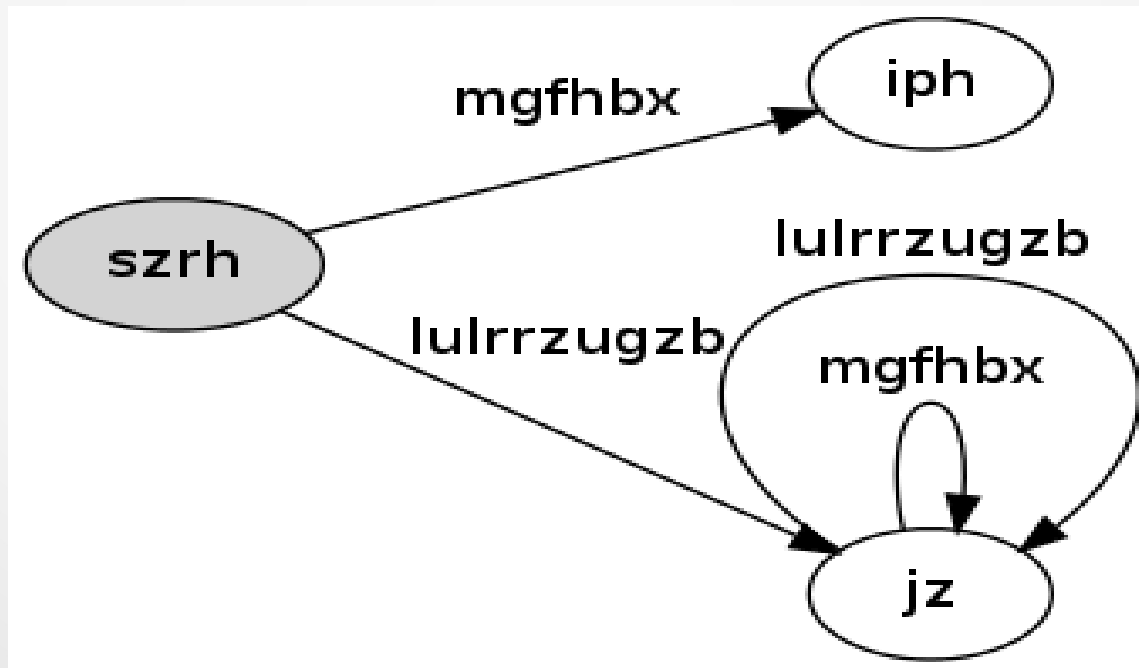
- template for use with jinja library

```
initial state {{ states[0] }} {  
  {{ states[0].input[0] }} / {{ states[0].action[0] }} -> {{ states[0].newstate[0] }}  
  {{ states[0].input[1] }} / {{ states[0].action[1] }} -> {{ states[0].newstate[1] }}  
}  
  
state {{ states[1] }} {  
  {{ states[1].input[0] }} / {{ states[1].action[0] }} -> {{ states[1].newstate[0] }}  
  {{ states[1].input[1] }} / {{ states[1].action[1] }} -> {{ states[1].newstate[1] }}  
}  
  
state {{ states[2] }} {  
}
```

- → next step: generate random graph with edges :
2 , 2 , 0

Test data generation Step 3

- generate random (valid) graph with edges : 2 , 2 , 0
- own algorithm, result looks like :



Test data generation Step 4

- Fit the generated graph into the template

```
initial state szrh {  
  lulrrzugzb / „ -> jz  
  mgfhbx / „ -> iph  
}
```

```
state jz {  
  lulrrzugzb / „ -> jz  
  mgfhbx / „ -> jz  
}
```

```
state iph {  
}
```


Input generation

- The generated graph is also used to generate valid Input files (by randomly walking through the graph and dumping the output)
- This gold standard output is then compared to
 - 1) the implemented simulation of the fsm1 spec
 - 2) the simulation of the generated Code→ all 3 have to be equal
- Python allows to import the generated modules dynamically


Input generation

```
# (3) what follows is the output of the dynamically generated TurnstileStepper  
generateCode(fsm) # generate Stepper and Handler  
import TurnstileHandler_generated # import the newly generated modules (& update)  
reload(TurnstileHandler_generated)  
import TurnstileStepper_generated  
reload(TurnstileStepper_generated)  
stepper = TurnstileStepper_generated.Stepper()  
generatedJsonOutput = stepper.simulateFSM_generated(list(correctInputJson))  
self.assertEqual(correctJsonOutput, generatedJsonOutput)
```

Negative test cases

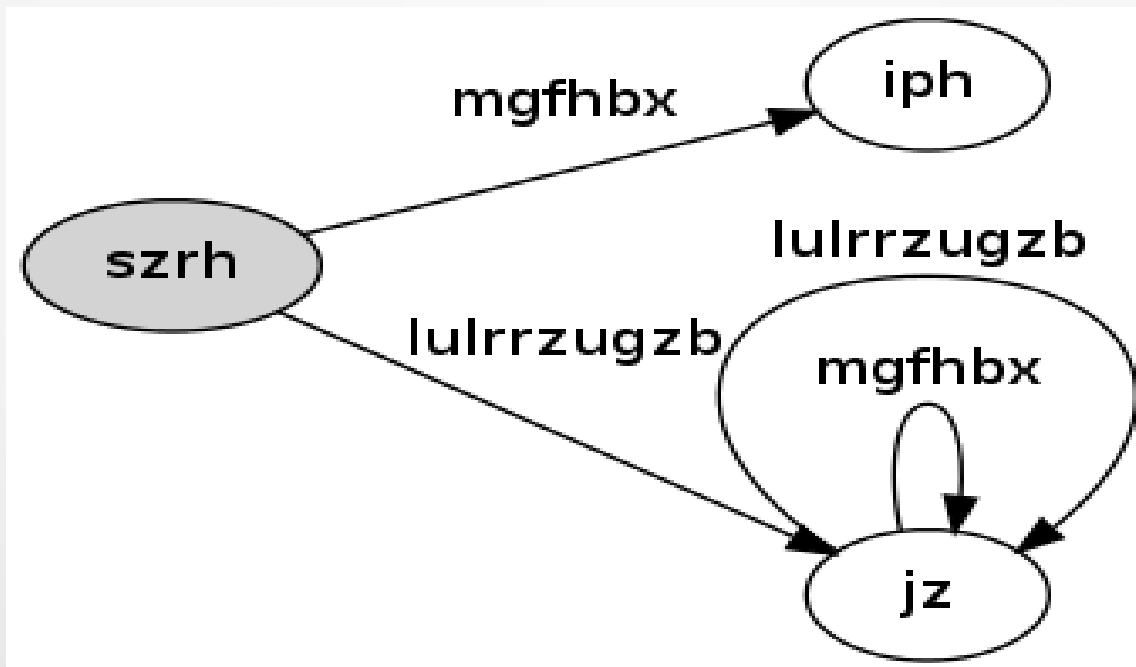
- For each possible error : syntax error, infeasible input, illegal input, duplicate ids, single initial, reachability, resolution, determinism
invalid test data is generated (up to a certain depth)
 - 1) valid fsm is constructed like shown on prev slides
 - 2) add error at random position
 - 3) fit the invalid fsm into the (invalid?) template

single initial & parser
errors are constructed by
changing the template



Negative test cases

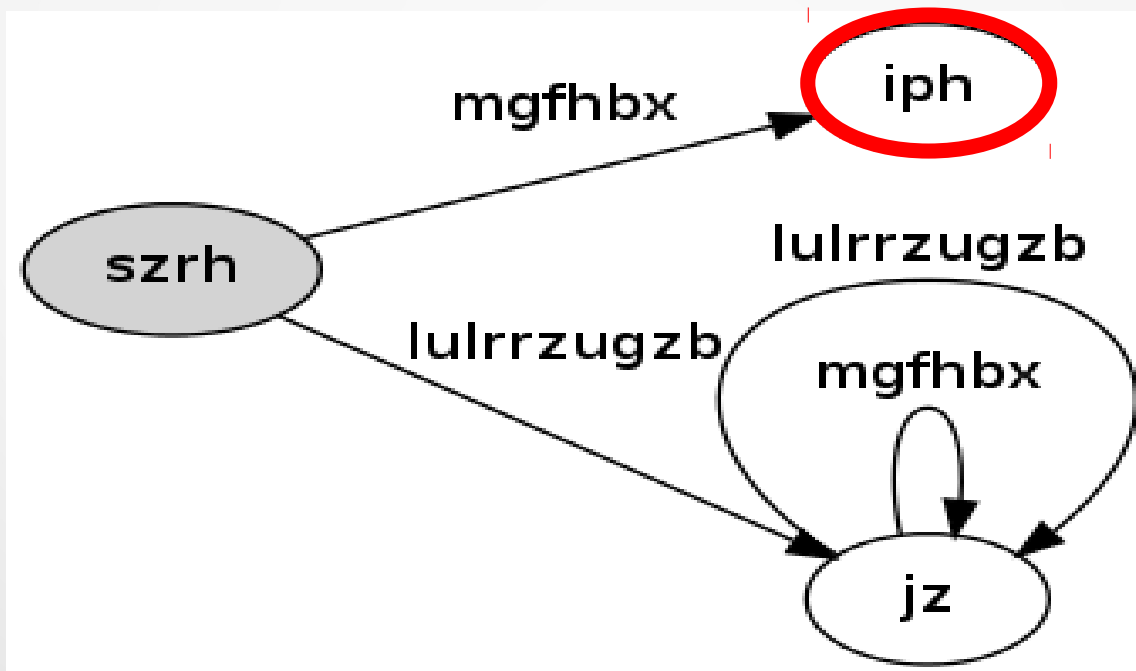
- Example : reachability error



Negative test cases

- Example : reachability error

select random state

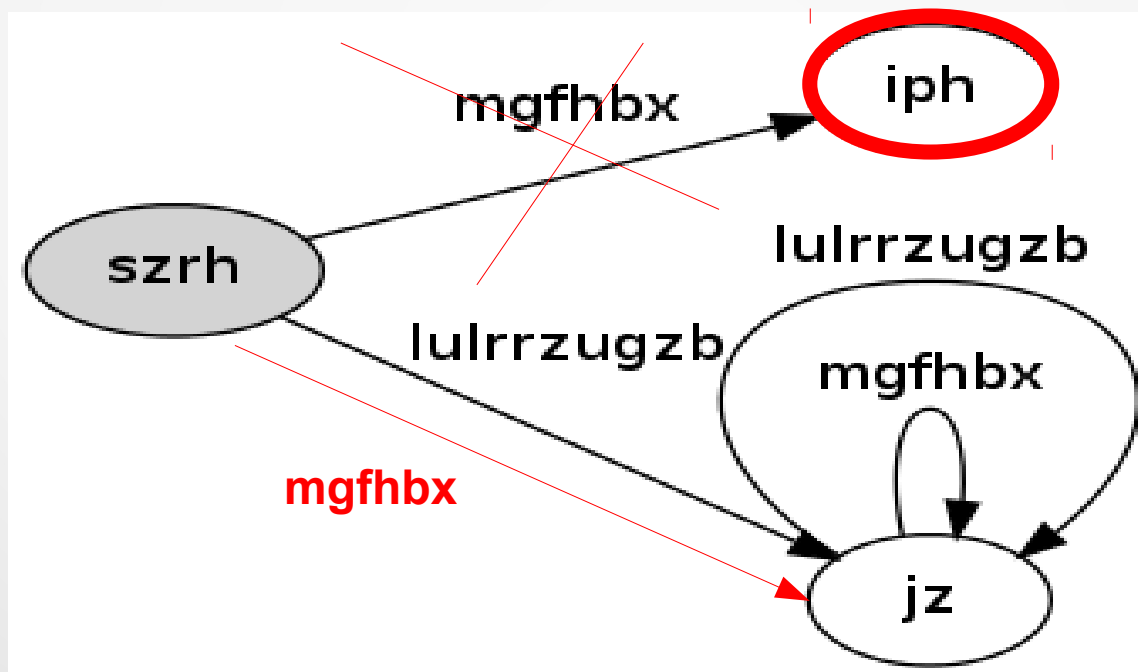


Negative test cases

- Example : reachability error

select random state

redirect all transitions to this state

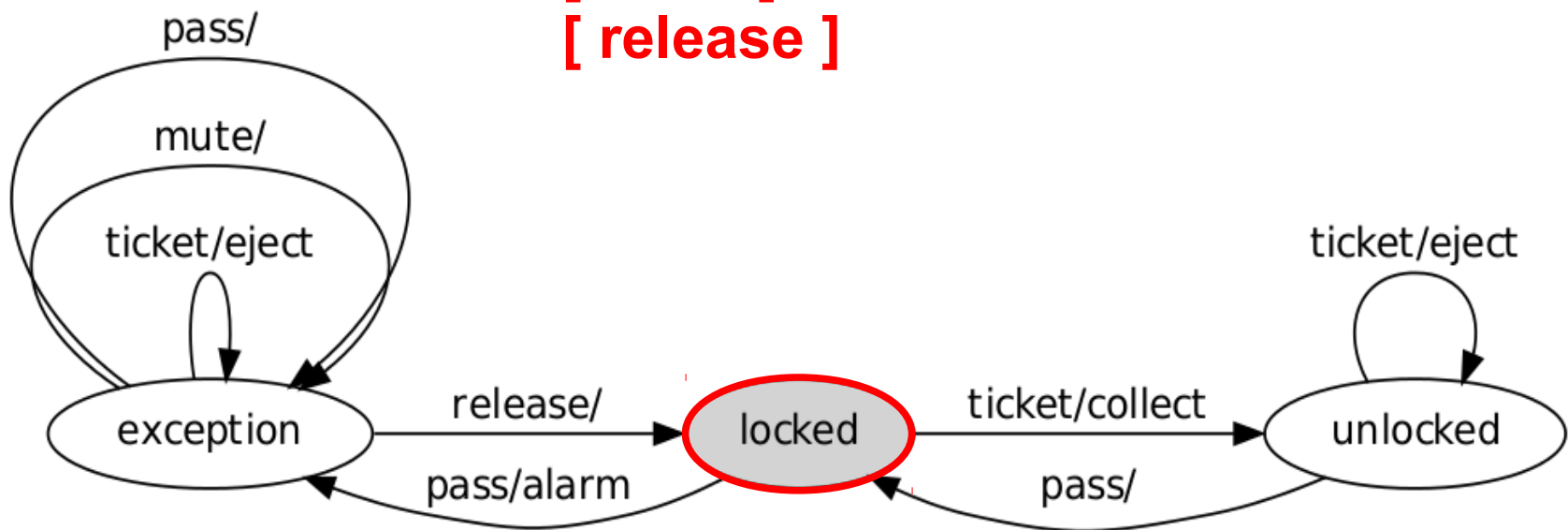


Negative test cases

- Example : infeasible input

start at initial node

[mute]
[release]

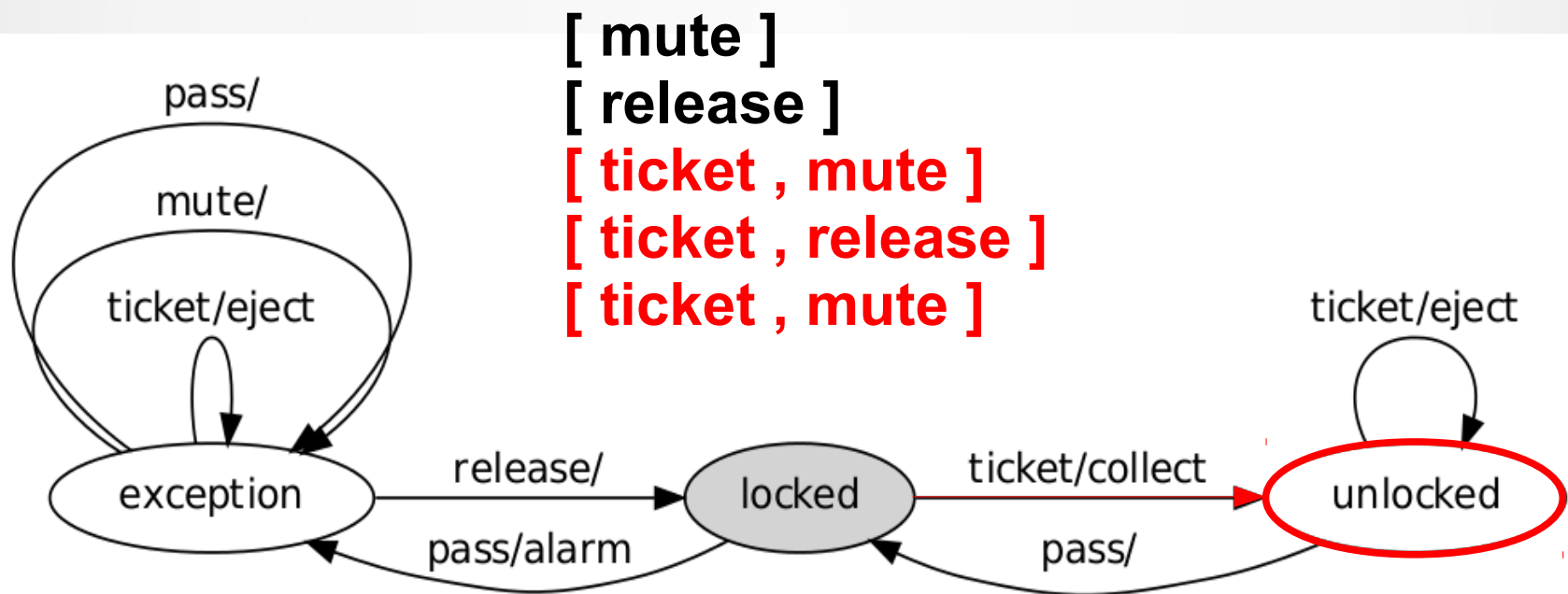


Negative test cases

- Example : infeasible input

start at initial node

walk through graph and append input to inputfile

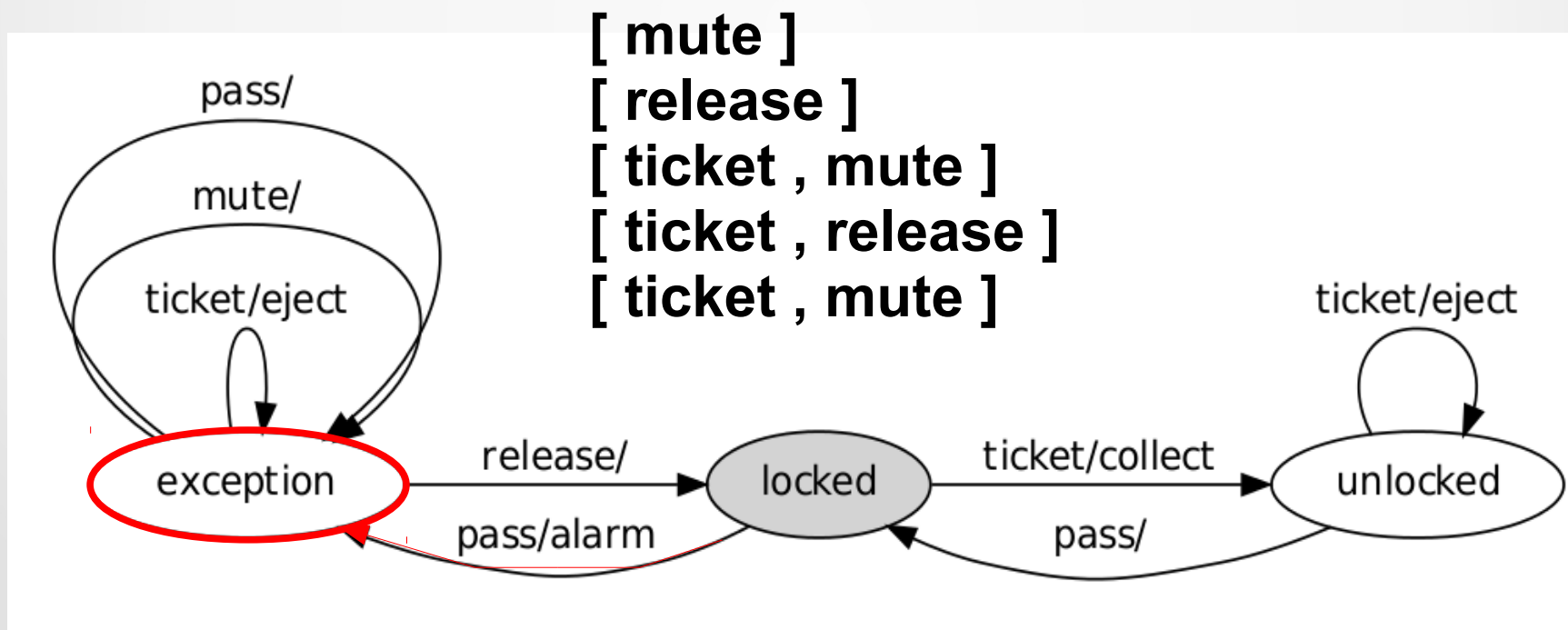


Negative test cases

- Example : infeasible input

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walk through graph and append input to inputfile



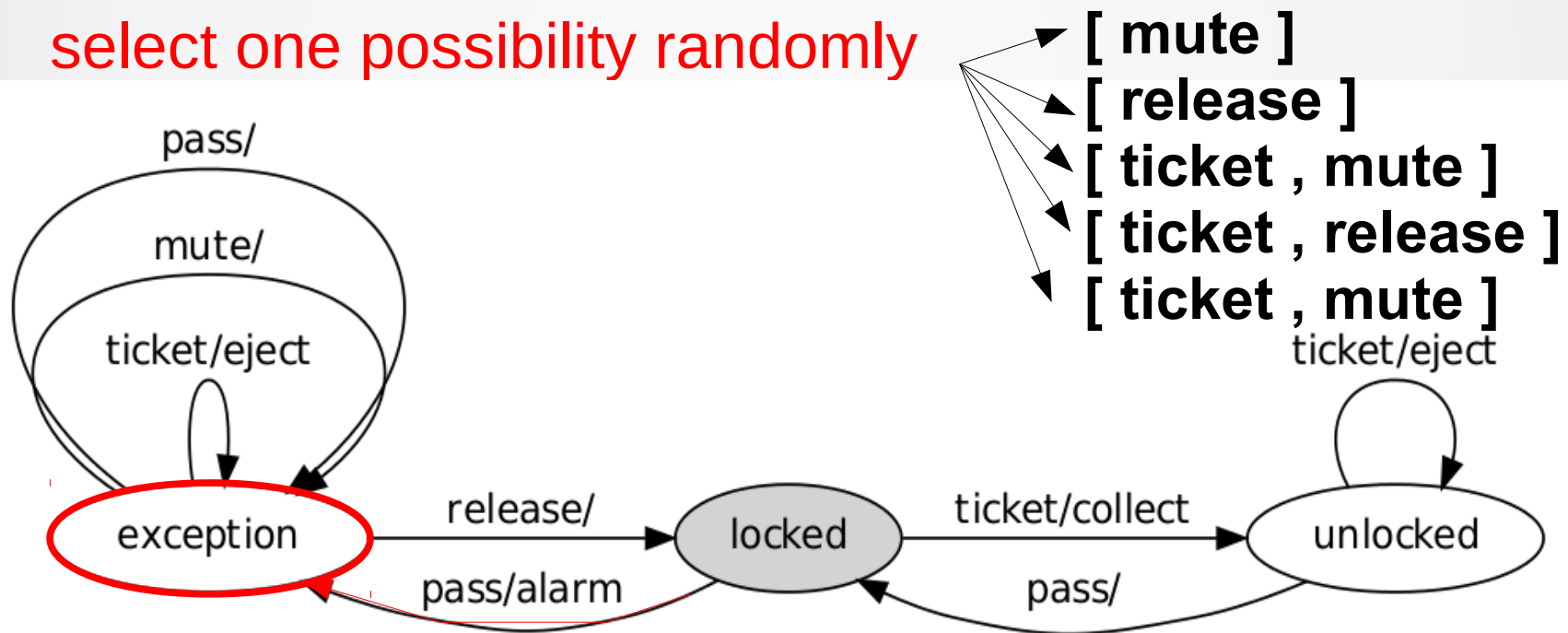
Negative test cases

- Example : infeasible input

start at initial node

walk through graph and append input to inputfile

select one possibility randomly



Negative test cases

- Results for depth = 7
 - ~ 300 test data files for positive and negative test cases
 - 3000 test cases in total
- depth = 8
 - ~ 1900 test data files for positive and negative test cases
 - 19000 test cases in total