Logic and Hybrid Systems

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- Serve as models of physical systems, from thermostats to trains.
- Continuous dynamics specified using Differential Equations.

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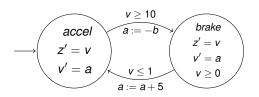


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- Dynamic Logic (DL) Combines operational system models with operators for reasoning.
 - ▶ Provides parameterized modal operators, $[\alpha]$, $\langle \alpha \rangle$ that refer to states reachable by system α .
 - $[\alpha]\phi$ expresses all states reachable by α satisfy ϕ , allowing reasoning about discrete systems.
 - Say $(b > 0) \rightarrow [a := -b](a < 0)$ expresses a discrete transition. We can prove $(b > 0) \vdash (a < 0)[b/a]$ using DL's calculus.
 - No built in notion for describing or reasoning about continuous dynamics.

- ▶ Generalize DL so operational models α can be used in modal formulas like $[\alpha]\phi$. dL refers to generalized models as "Hybrid Programs".
- ▶ A compositional calculus for verification. Decompose $[\alpha]\phi$ into an equivalent formula $[\alpha_1]\phi_1 \wedge [\alpha_2]\phi_2$.
- ▶ Prove subsystems and subproperties $[\alpha_i]\phi_i$ independently and combine results conjuntively.
- Complete relative to handling of differential equations.

dL formulas built over

- ▶ V, set of real-valued logical variables and signature Σ containing functions, predicate symbols over reals, like $0, 1, +, \geq$.
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- ▶ Set Trm(Σ , V) of *terms* defined as classical FOL polynomial (or rational) expressions over V with additional skolem terms $s(X_1, \ldots, X_n)$, where $X_1, \ldots, X_n \in V$.

Hybrid Programs

Consider $x_i \in \Sigma$, θ_i , $\vartheta_i \in \text{Trm}(\Sigma, V)$ for $1 \le i \le n$, χ a (Σ, V) FOL-formula, $\alpha, \beta \in \text{HP}(\Sigma, V)$ Set $\text{HP}(\Sigma, V)$, is defined inductively as -

- $(x_1 := \theta_1, \dots, x_n := \theta_n) \in \mathsf{HP}(\Sigma, V)$
- ▶ $(x'_1 = \vartheta_i, ..., x'_n = \vartheta_n) \& \chi \in HP(\Sigma, V)$. $x'_i = \vartheta_i$ is a differential equation where x'_i is the first order time derivative of x_i .
- $(?\chi) \in \mathsf{HP}(\Sigma, V)$.
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- \bullet α ; $\beta \in HP(\Sigma, V)$.
- \bullet $\alpha^* \in HP(\Sigma, V)$.

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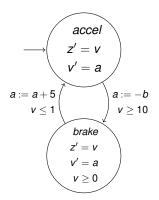


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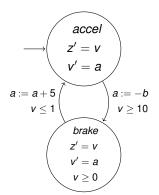


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$$q := accel;$$
 $((?q = accel; z' = v, v' = a))$
 $\cup (?q = accel \land z \ge s; a := -b; q := brake; ?v \ge 0)$
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 $\cup (?q = brake \land \le 1; a := a + 5; q := accel))*$

Syntax and Semantics

dL Formulas

Some Notation

- Interpretation I assigns functions and relations over Reals to rigid symbols in Σ.
- ▶ A state is a map $\nu : \Sigma_{\mathit{fl}} \to \mathbb{R}$.
- ▶ Assignment of logical variables is a map $\eta: V \to \mathbb{R}$.
- Note the difference between Logical and State Variables. The evaluation of a state variable "evolves" across states. Logical Variables can be quantified over, but not state variables.
- ► The models of dL are Kripke Structures, where nodes are hybrid system states.

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- (Rigid Symbols) $val_{I,\eta}(\nu, f(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)) = f_I(val_{I,\eta}(\nu, \theta_1), \dots, val_{I,\eta}(\nu, \theta_n))$ where f is n-ary rigid symbol in Σ

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ho_{I,\eta}((x_1'=\vartheta_1\ldots x_n'=\vartheta_n)\&\chi)$ iff there is a flow of some duration $r\geq 0$, from ν to ω respecting the differential equations and evolution domain. Formally, there is a function $f:[0,r]\to\operatorname{Sta}(\Sigma)$ such that -

- $f(0) = \nu$ and $f(r) = \omega$.
- ▶ $\forall \delta : [0, r].val_{l,\eta}(f(\delta), x_i)$ is continuous and $val_{l,\eta}(f(\delta), \chi) = \top$.
- $\forall \epsilon : (0, r). val_{I, \eta}(f(\epsilon), \vartheta_i) = \dot{f}(\epsilon).$
- ▶ For any $z \notin \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$, $val_{l,\eta}(f(\zeta), z)$ remains constant for $\zeta \in [0, r]$. In other words, all other state variables remain unchanged.

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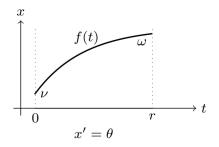


Figure: Unbounded Evolution

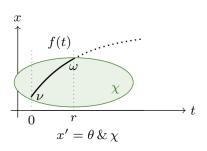


Figure: Evolution bound by χ

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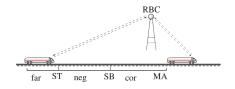
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- ► Formulas of interest are of the form $\varphi \to [\alpha]\psi$.
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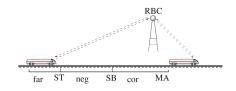
Motivating Example

European Train Control System (ETCS)



- Discards traditional fixed segments of track with mutual exclusion. Instead uses decentralized Radio Block Controllers (RBCs)
- Trains dynamically issues Movement Authorization (MAs).
- At the end of MA, agent requests MA extension (negotation). If request is denied, train breaks before exiting old MA zone.

European Train Control System (ETCS)



- Train controller is responsible for staying in MA.
- ► Controller has to determine point SB (Start Braking). Before SB, train can move freely (maximizing throughput).
- ▶ Beyond SB (correction phase) start braking such that train remains in MA if RBC refuses extension.

