

Unit-3: Linear-time properties

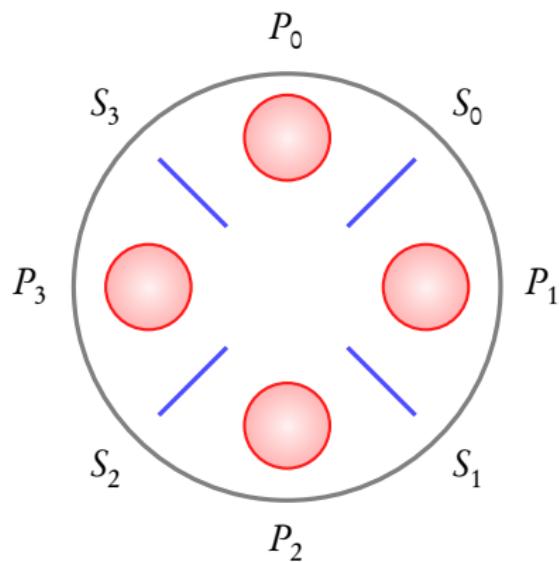
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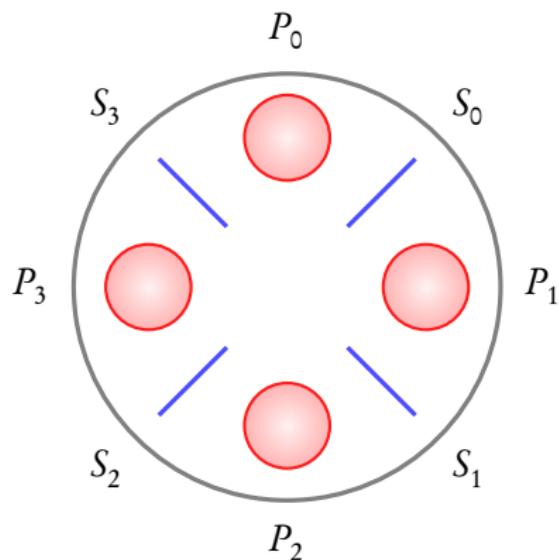
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Module 1: **A problem in concurrency**



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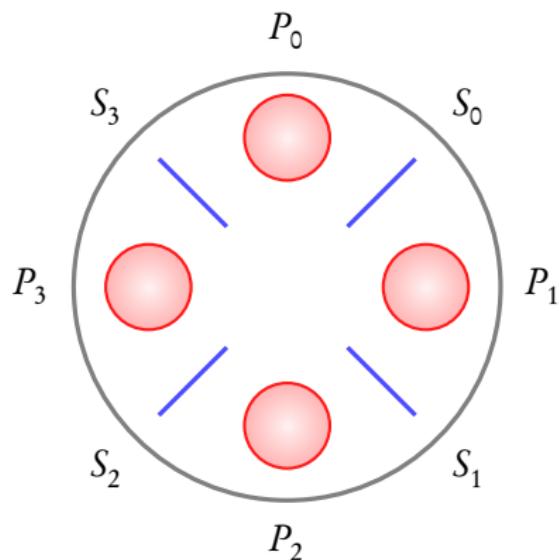
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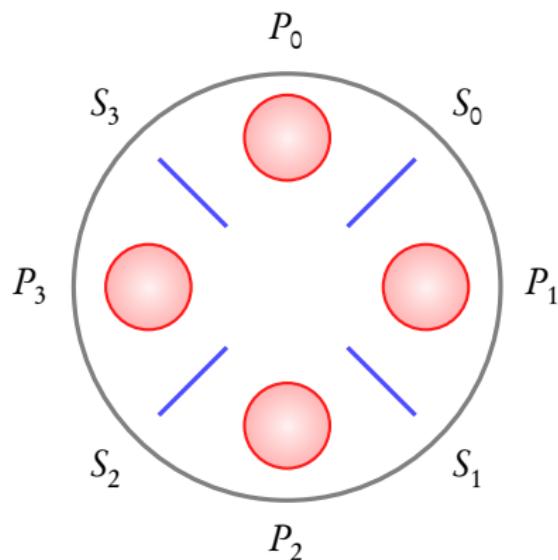
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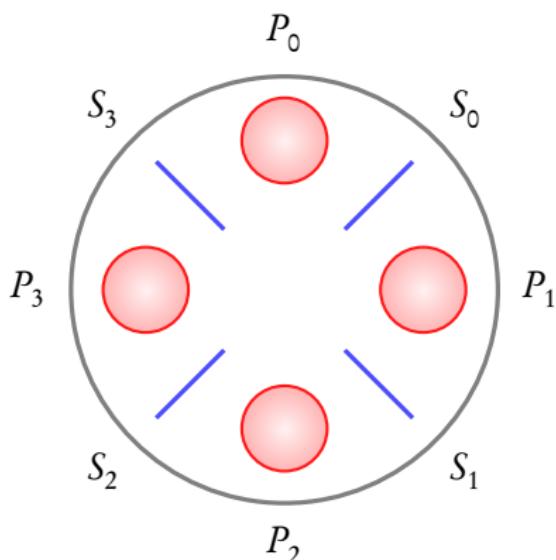
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How should the processes be scheduled so that every process can execute infinitely often?

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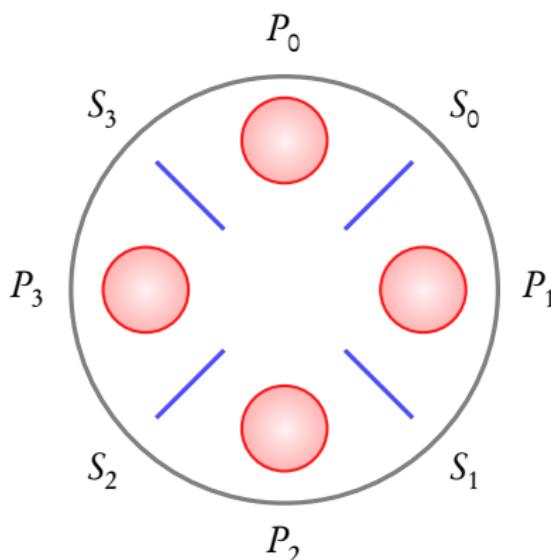


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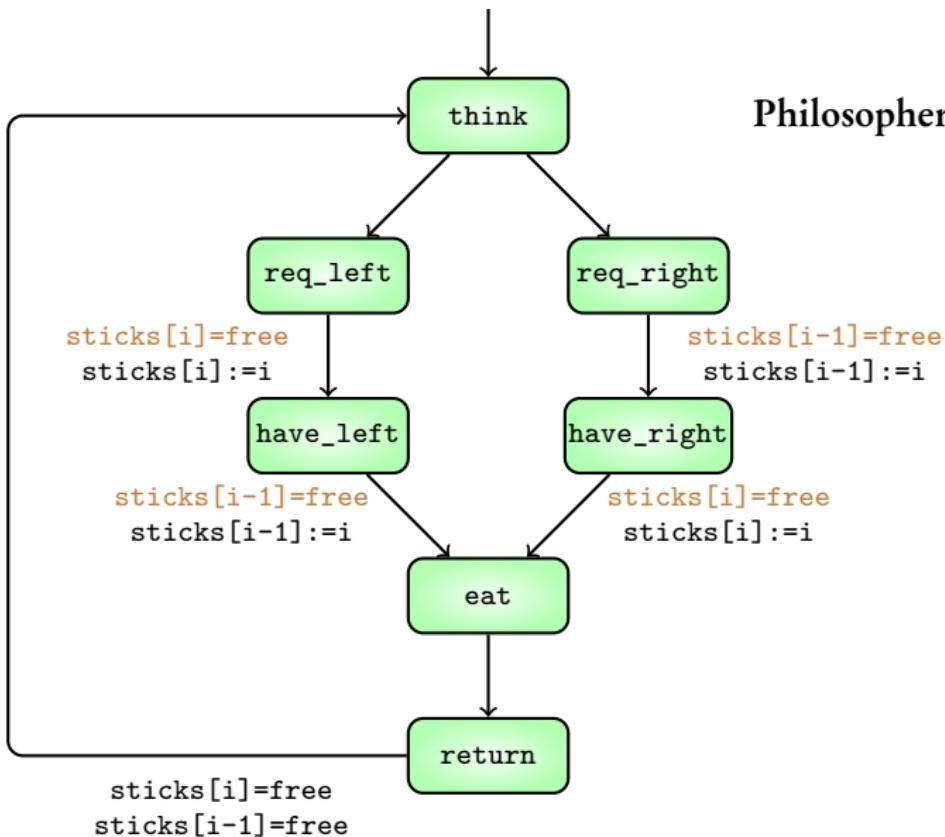
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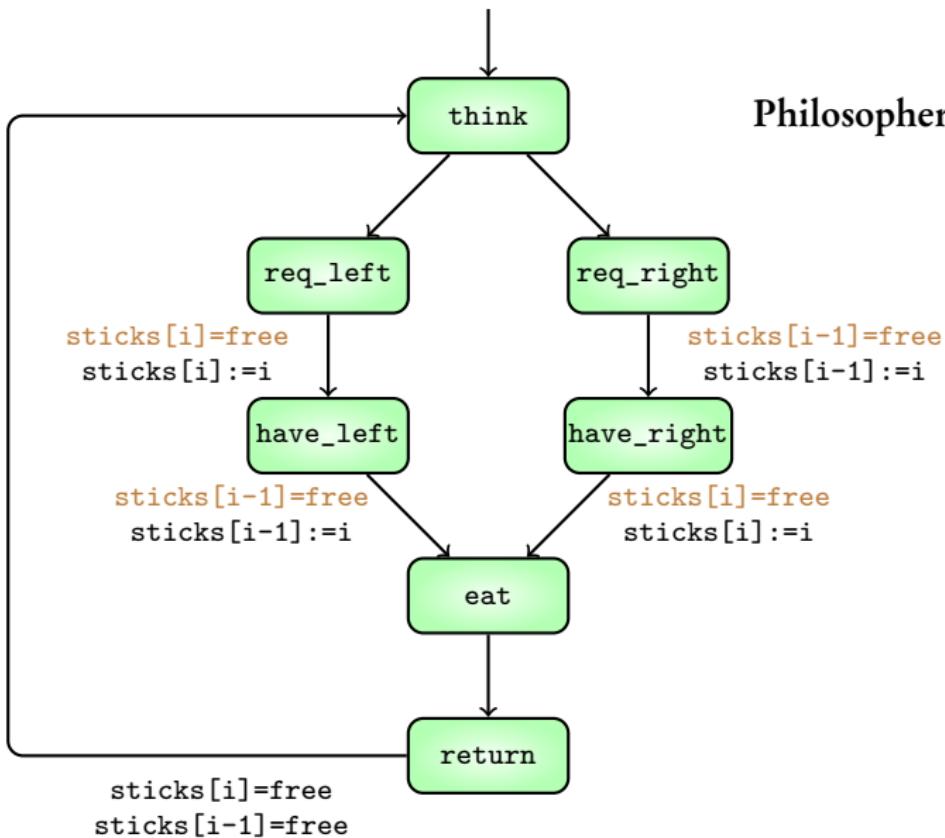
What should the **protocol** be so that **every philosopher** can eat **infinitely often**?

Coming next: A protocol for the dining philosophers

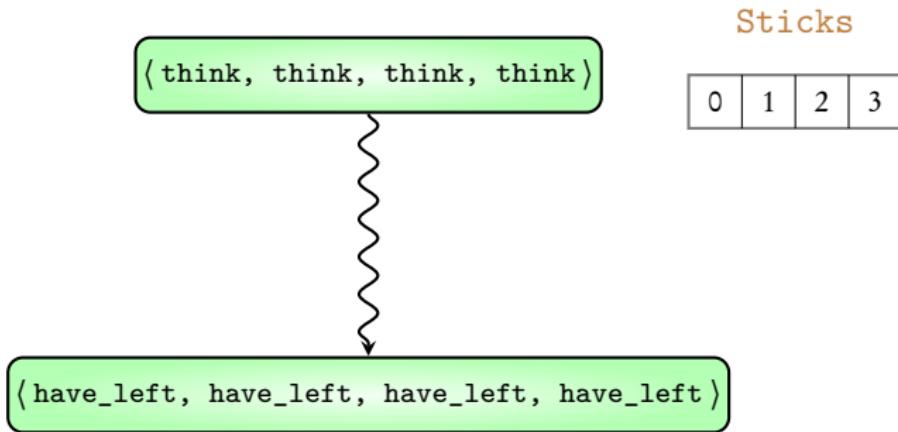
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A deadlock



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- ▶ **Module 5:** Answer to the question

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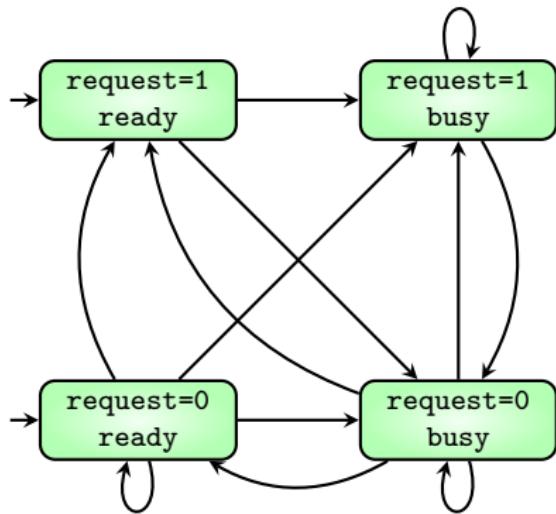
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Module 2: What is a “property”?

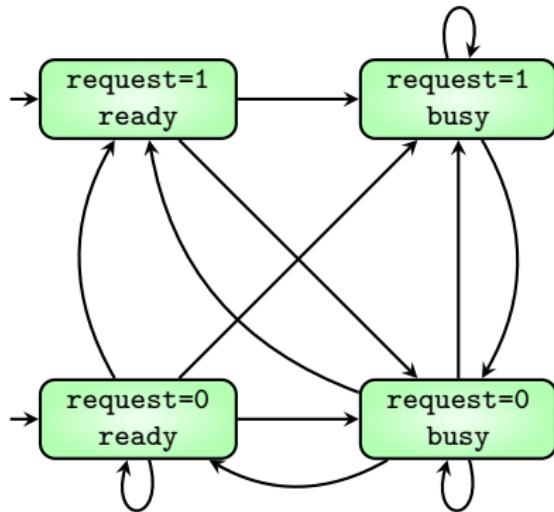
Goal: Attach a mathematical meaning to “property”



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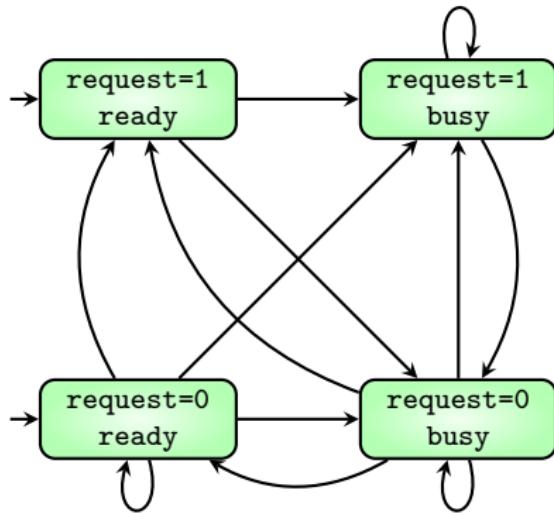
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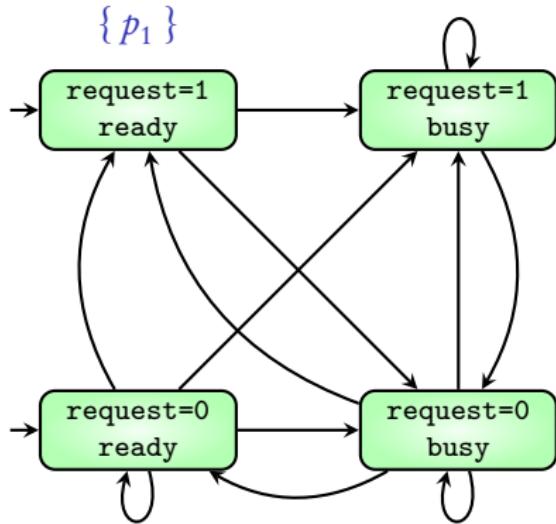
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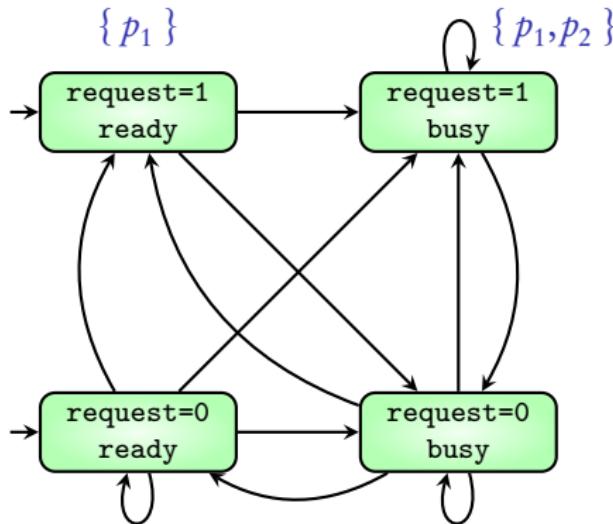
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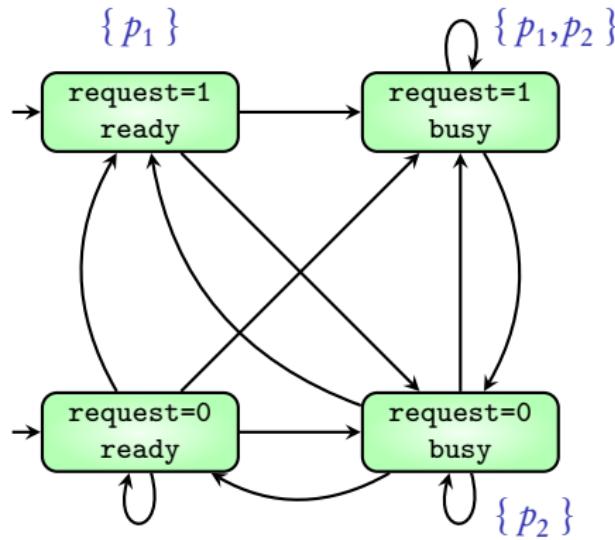
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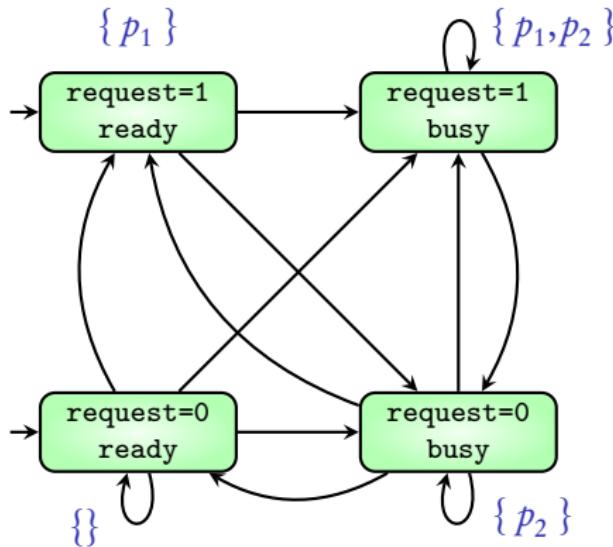
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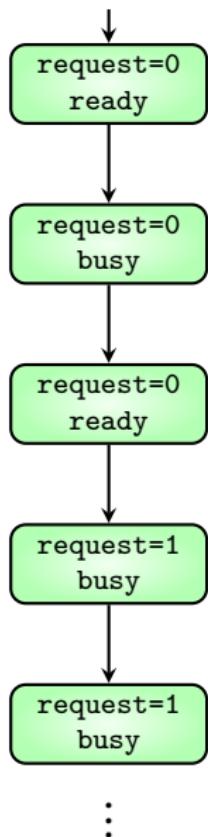
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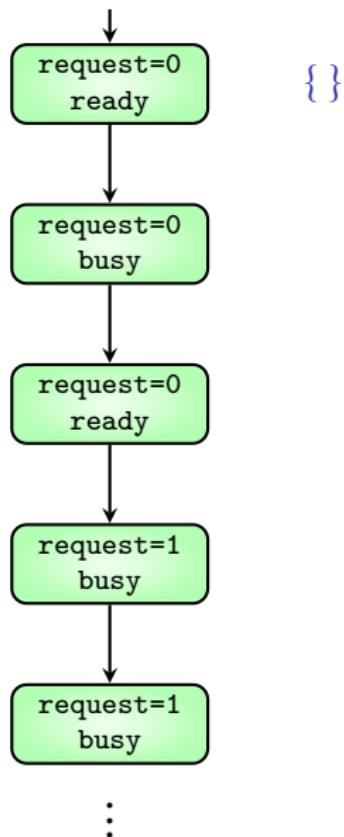
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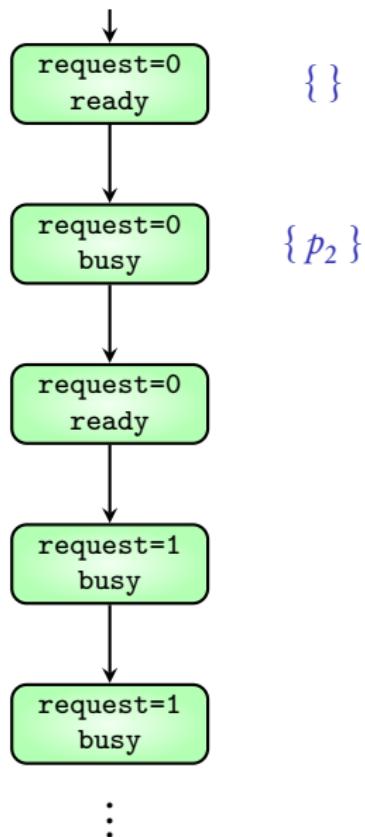
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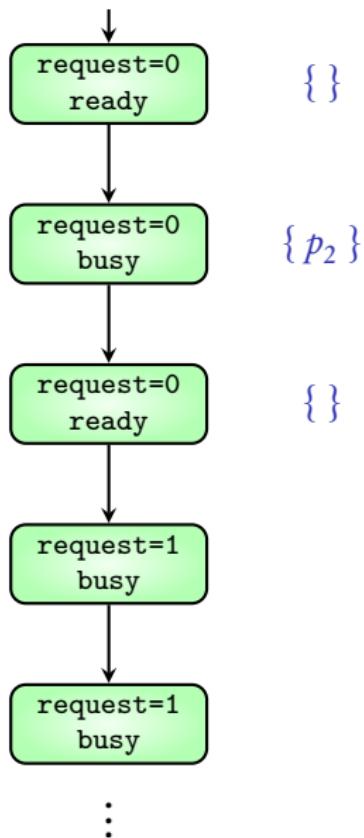
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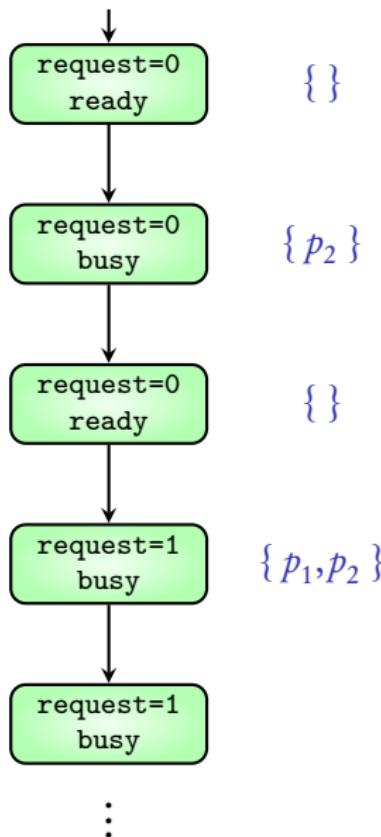
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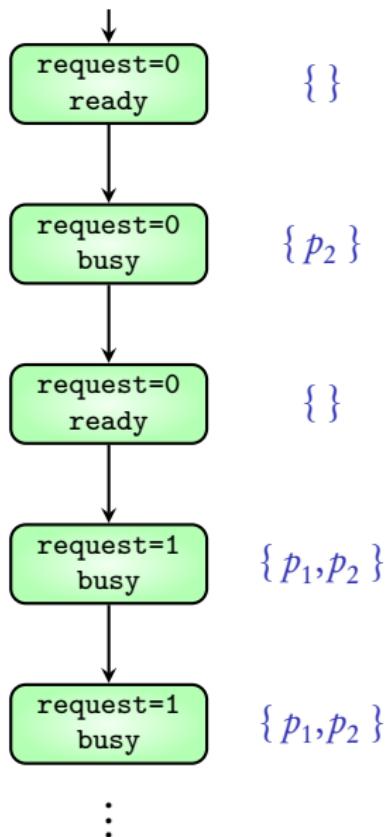
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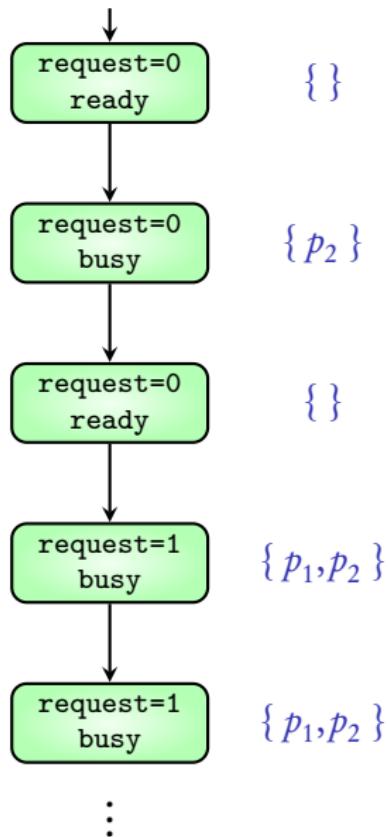
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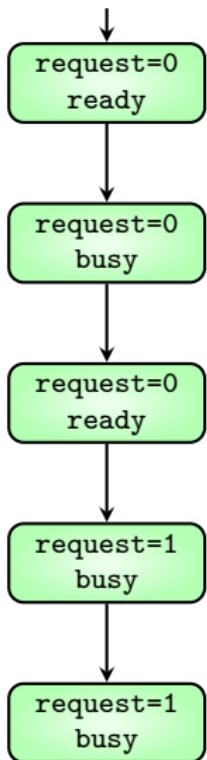


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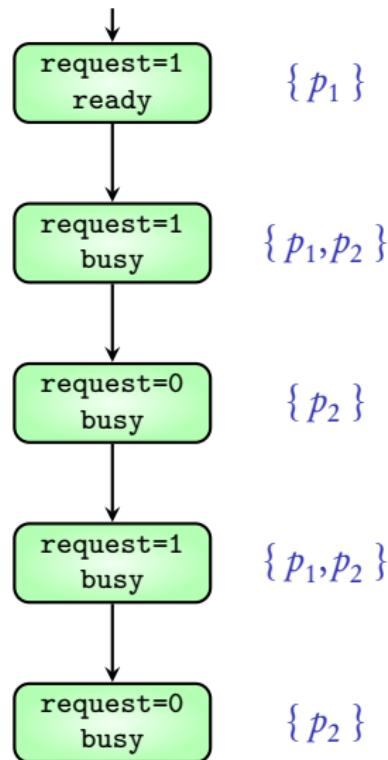
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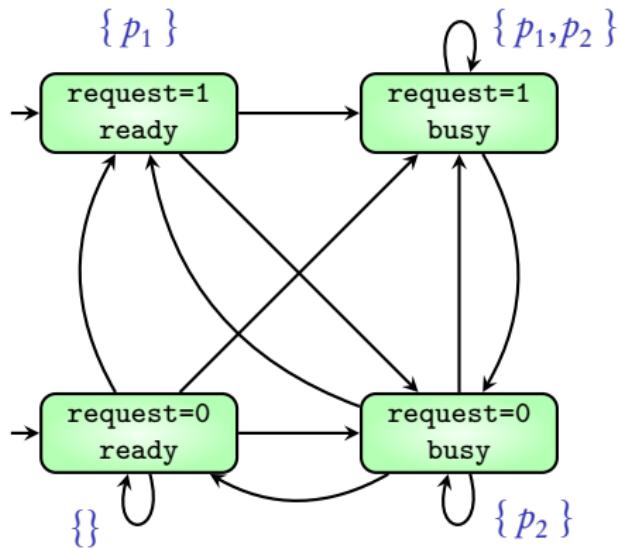
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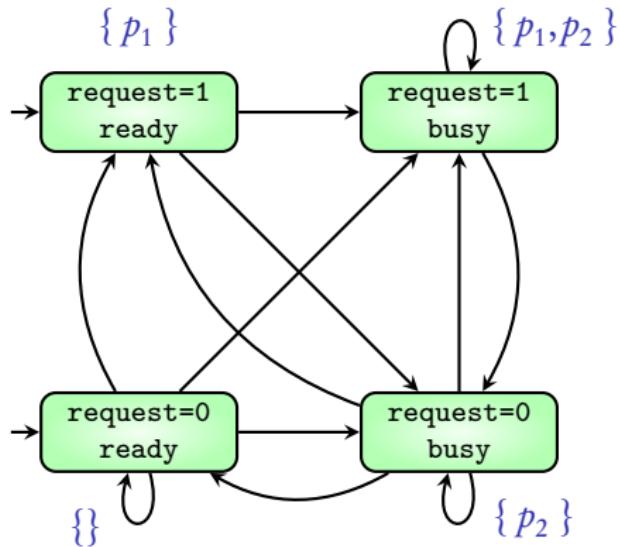
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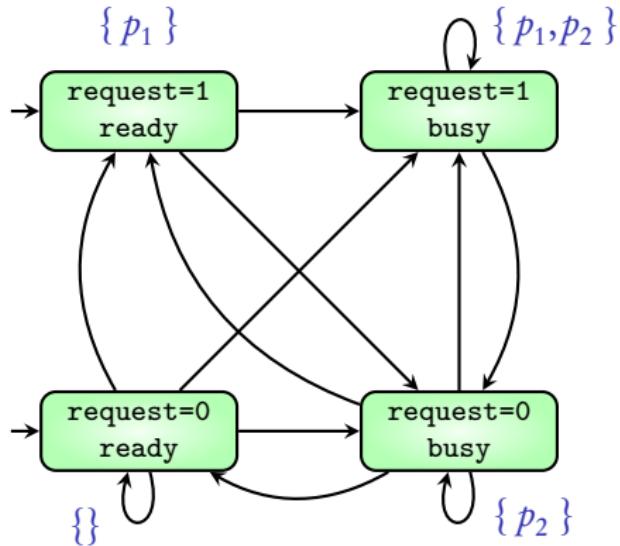
Traces(TS) is the { Trace(σ) | σ is an execution of the TS }



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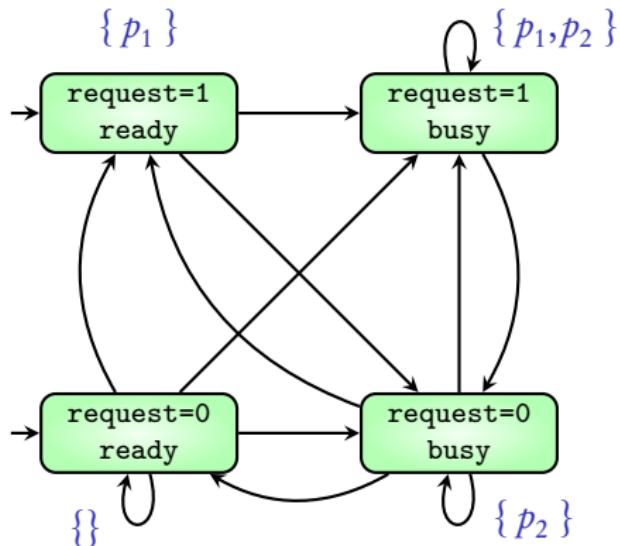


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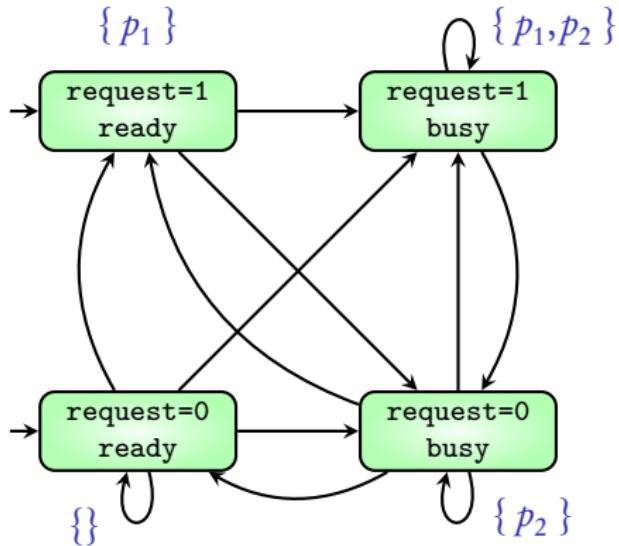


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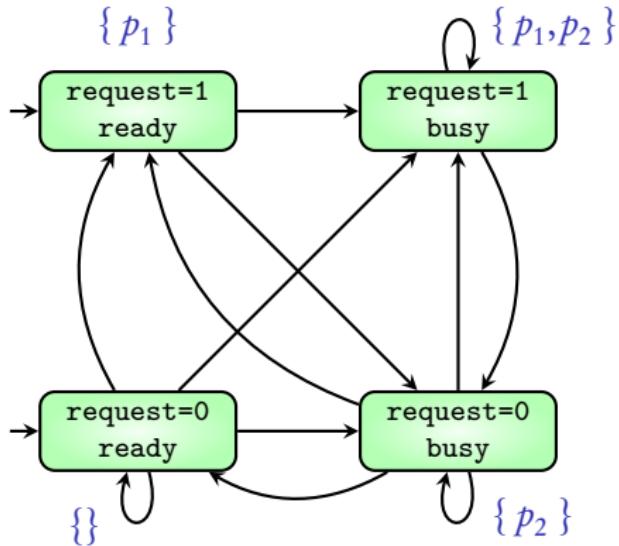
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Traces of a TS describe its **behaviour** with respect to the atomic propositions

Behaviour of TS

Atomic propositions

Set of its **traces**

Coming next: What is a property?

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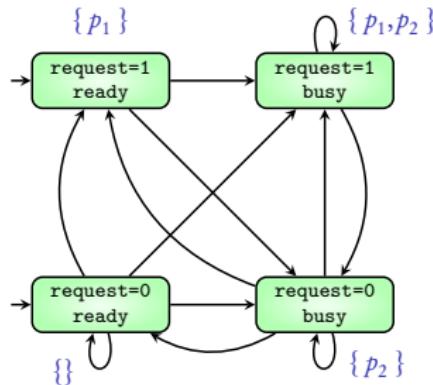
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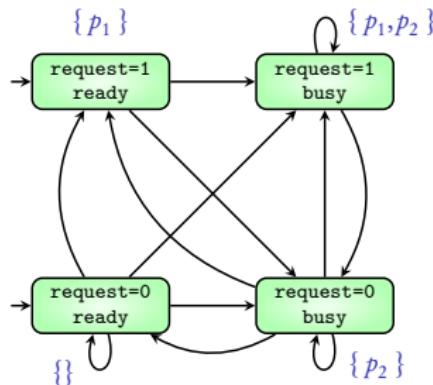
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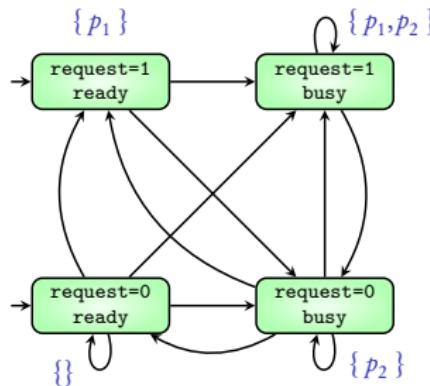
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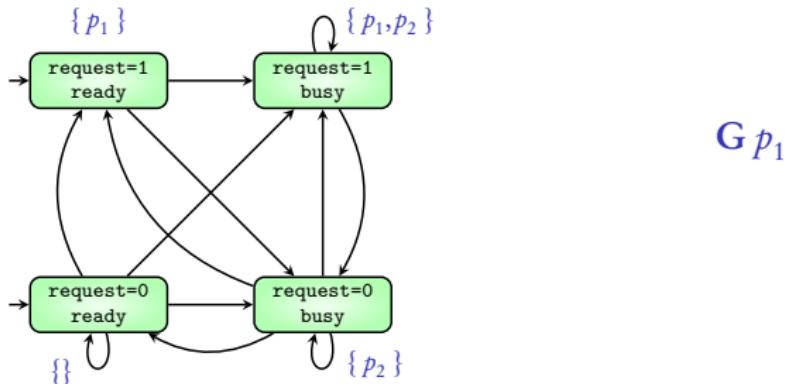


$$\mathbf{G} p_1$$

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Transition System

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Transition system TS satisfies property P if

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→ hence also called **Linear-time property**

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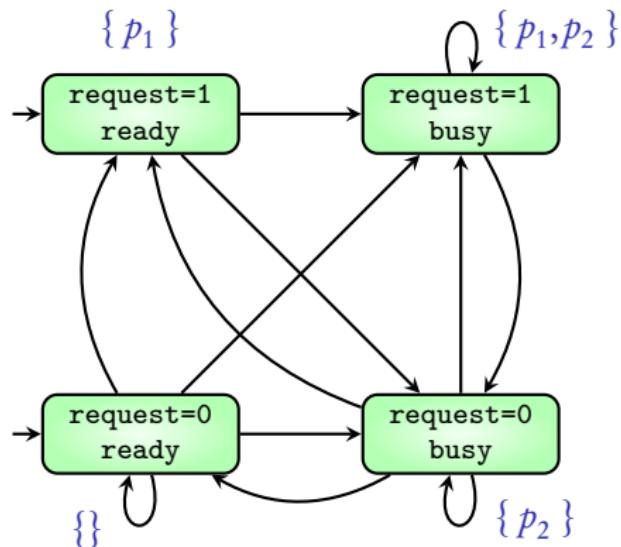
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Module 3: **Invariants**

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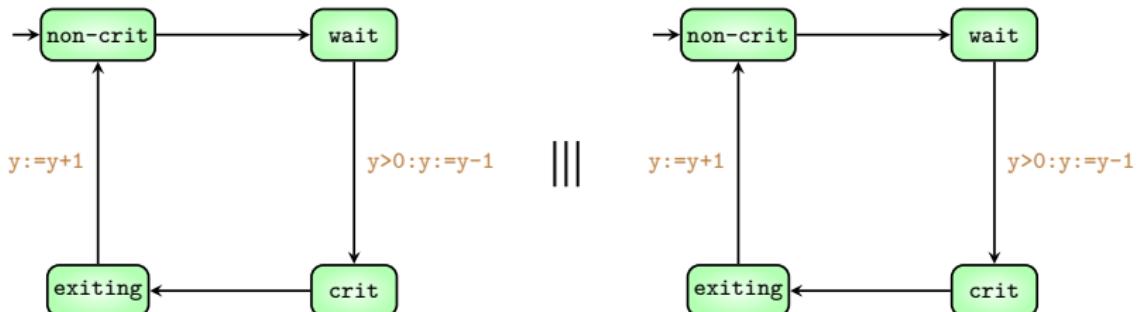
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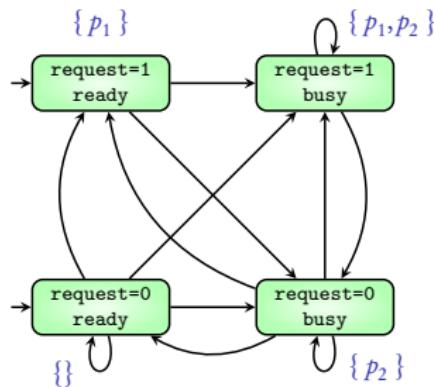
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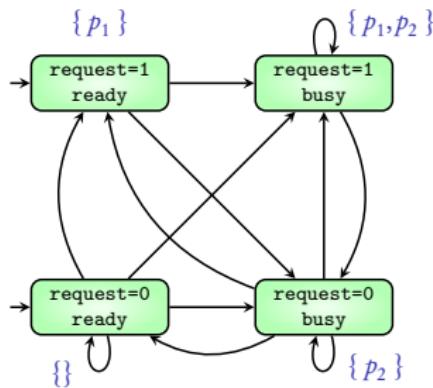


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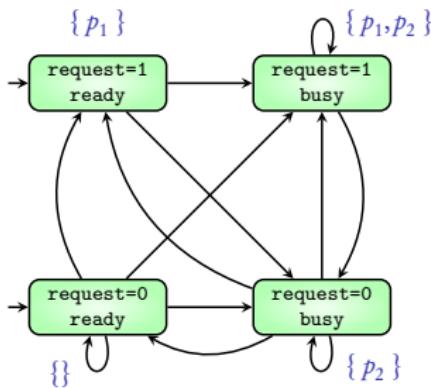
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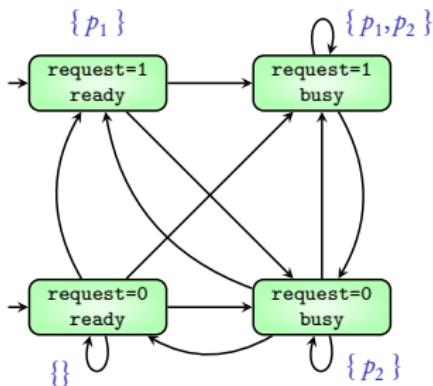
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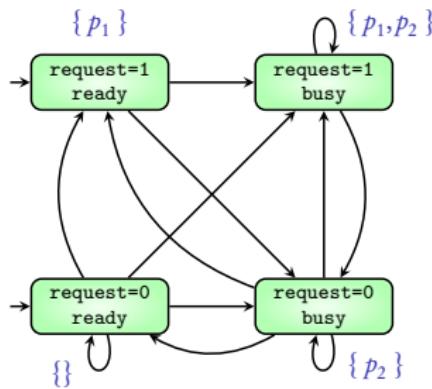
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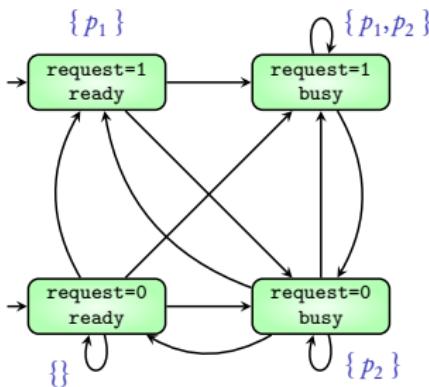
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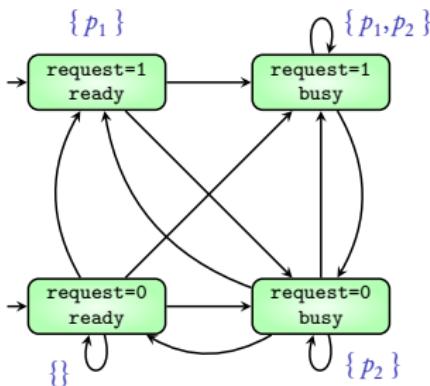
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Atomic propositions $AP = \{ p_1, p_2 \}$

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Invariants

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A property of the above form is called **invariant** property

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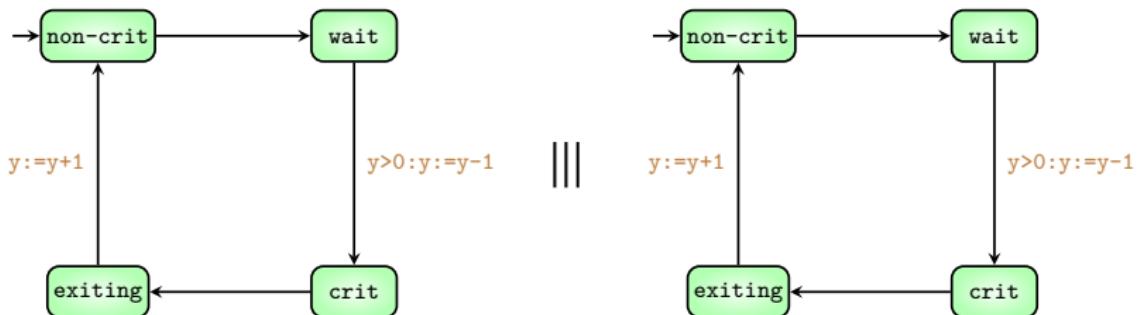
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p_1 : $pr1.location = crit$

p_2 : $pr1.location = wait$

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p_4 : $pr2.location = wait$



Above TS satisfies invariant property $G \neg(p_1 \wedge p_3)$

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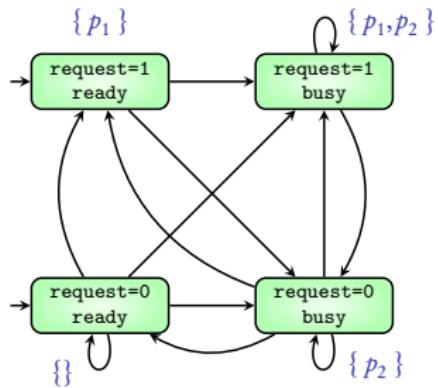
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A TS satisfies an invariant ϕ

if and only if

every **reachable state** of the TS satisfies ϕ



Property to check: $G p_1$

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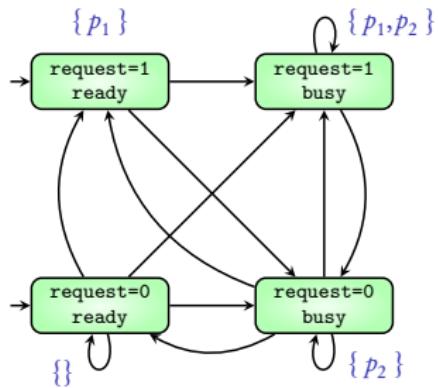
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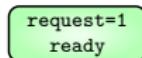
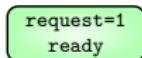
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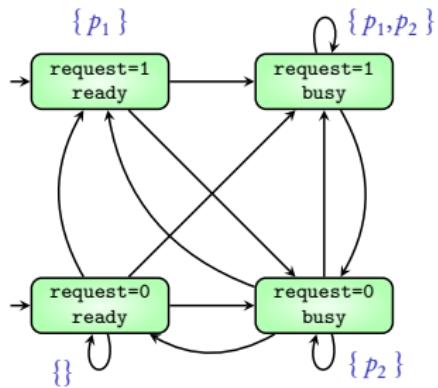
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Property to check: $G p_1$



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set R , stack U , bool b

for all initial states s

if $s \notin R$ then

visit(s)

endif

return b

procedure visit (states s)

$push(s, U); R := R \cup \{s\}$

while (U is not empty)

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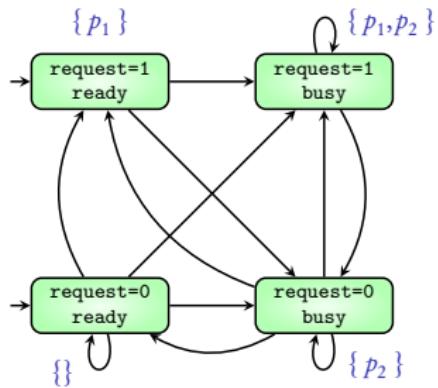
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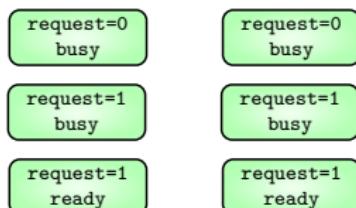
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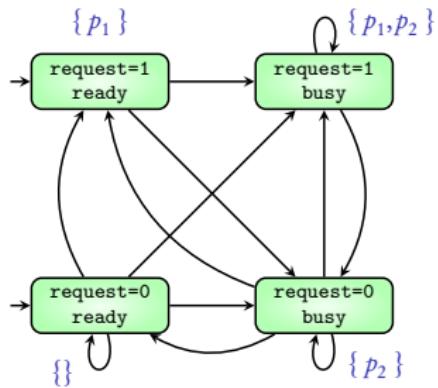
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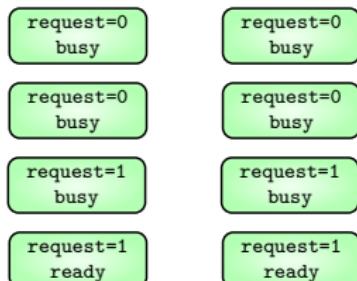
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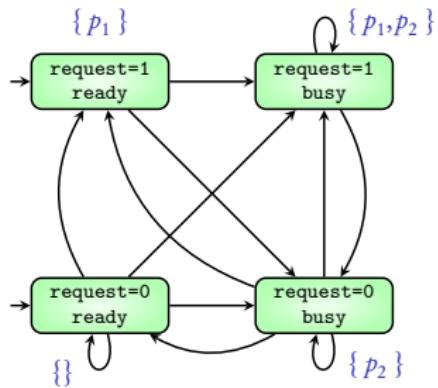
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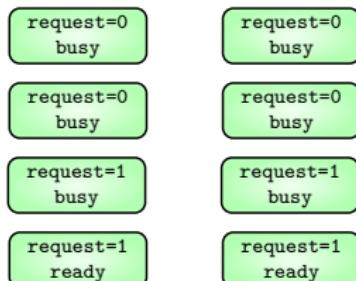
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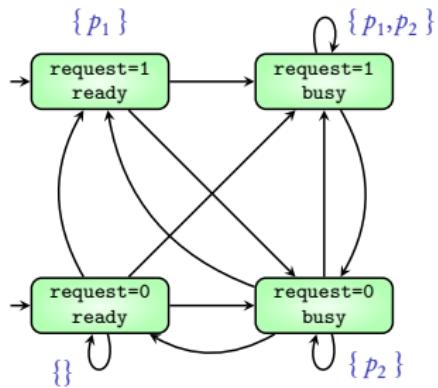
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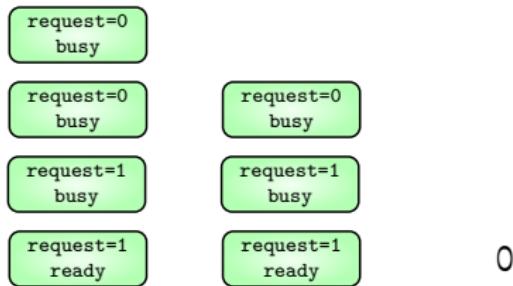
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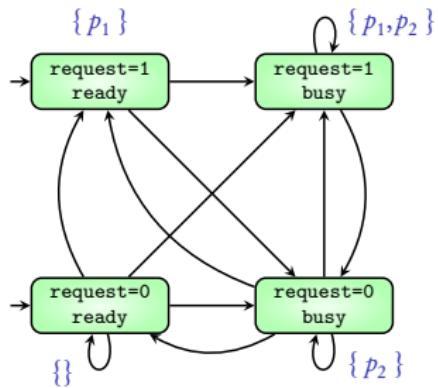


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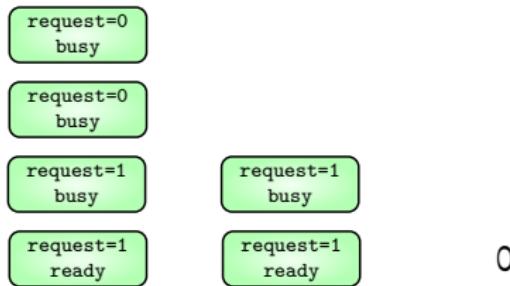
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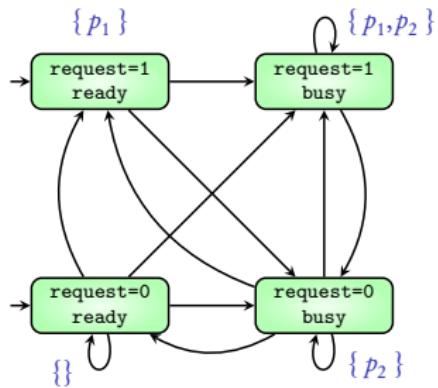


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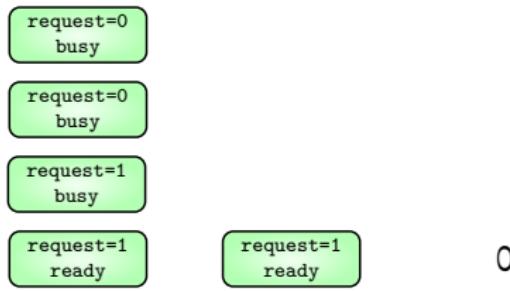
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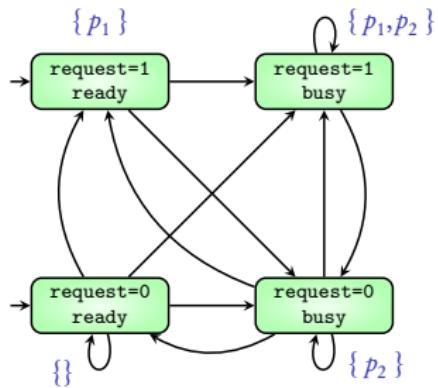


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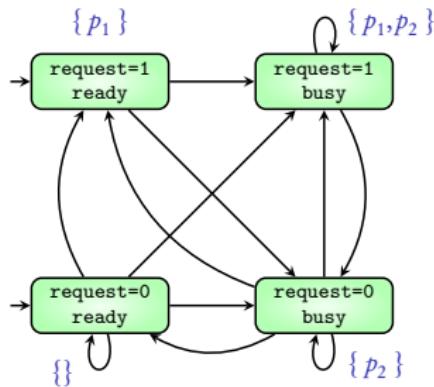
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Property not satisfied



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Invariants

$G \phi$

Algorithm to check invariants

Unit-3: Linear-time properties

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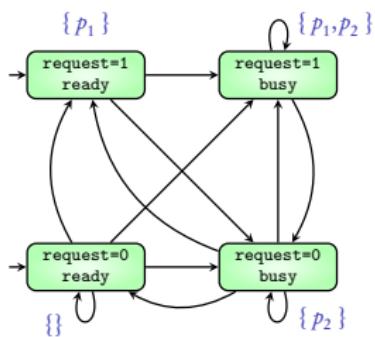
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Module 4: Safety properties

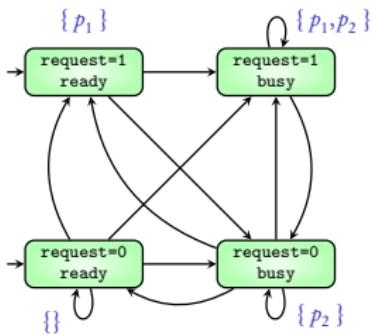
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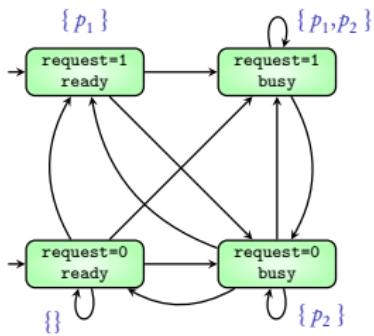
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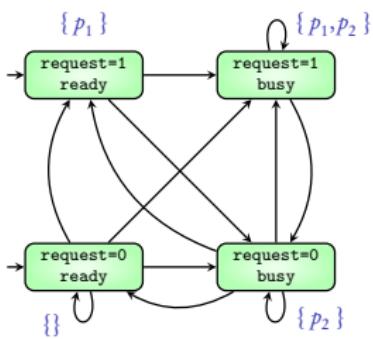
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{ p_2 } ...

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Property is written as $G(p_1 \rightarrow Xp_2)$

Above TS **satisfies** this property

X operator

- ▶ $G(p_1 \rightarrow XXp_2)$:
 - ▶ Always: if p_1 is true then in the next to next step p_2 is true
- ▶ $F(p_1 \wedge X\neg p_1)$:
 - ▶ Somewhere: p_1 is true and in the next step it becomes false
- ▶ $G(Xp_2 \rightarrow p_1)$:
 - ▶ Always: if p_2 is true then in the previous step p_1 is true

while $a \leq 20$

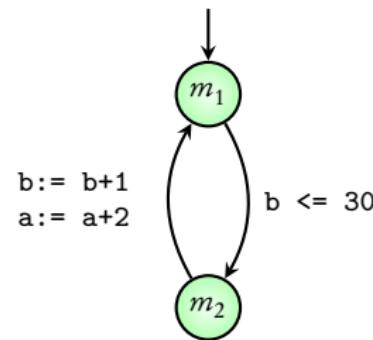
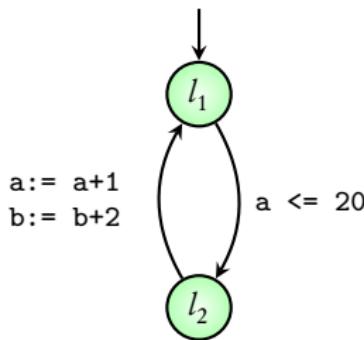
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while $b \leq 30$

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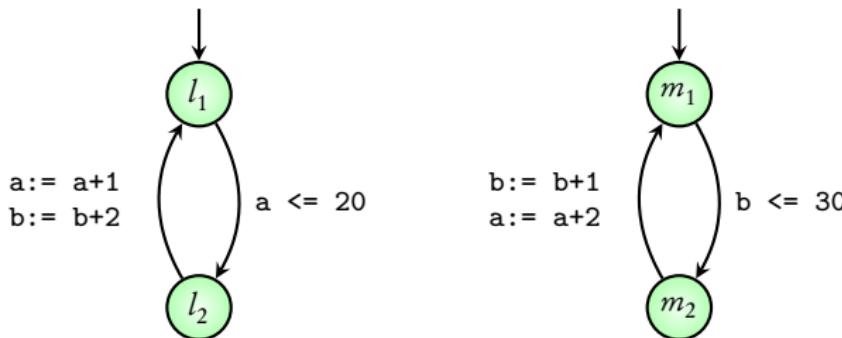
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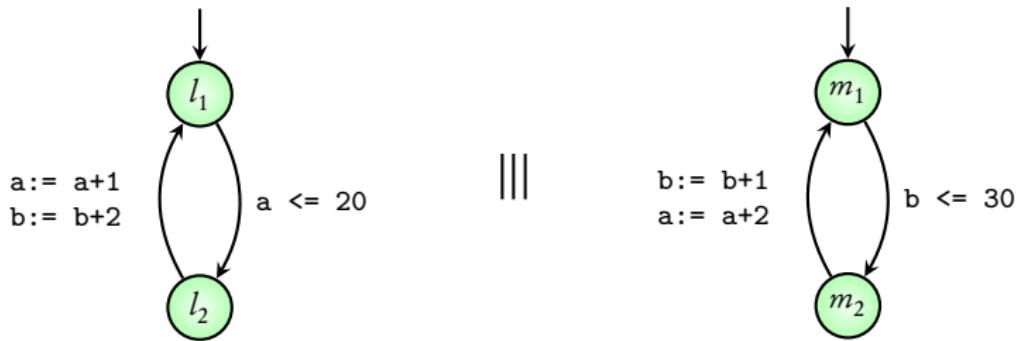


Check: Whenever $a \geq 10$, in the next to next step $b \geq 12$

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$$p_1 : a \geq 10$$

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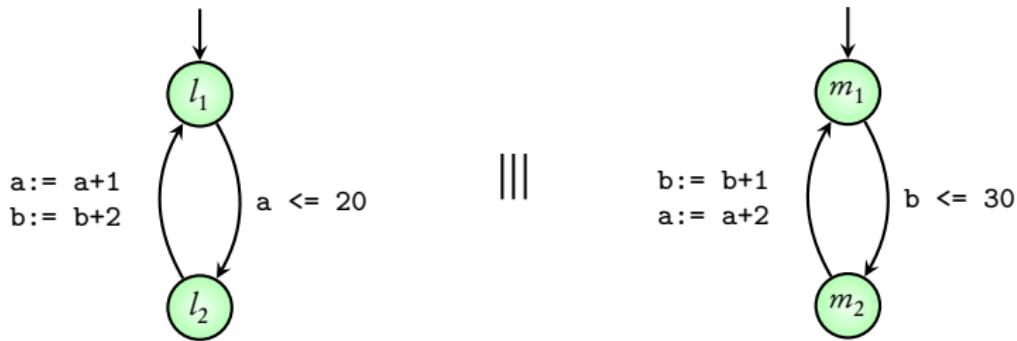
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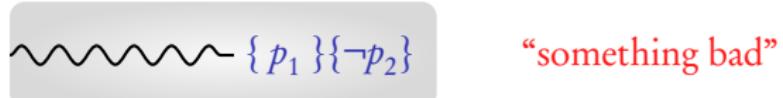
NuSMV demo

Coming next: idea of safety properties

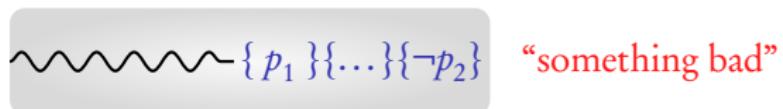
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Property contains all words where **something bad** is absent

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P is the set of all words that do not start with a Bad-Prefix

Invariants are **special cases** of safety properties

Property: Always p_1 is true

 { $\neg p_1$ } “Bad-Prefixes”

Safety properties

Avoiding bad prefixes

X operator

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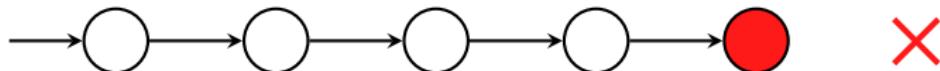
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Module 5: Liveness properties

Safety: Something bad **never** happens



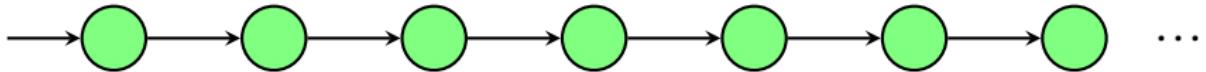
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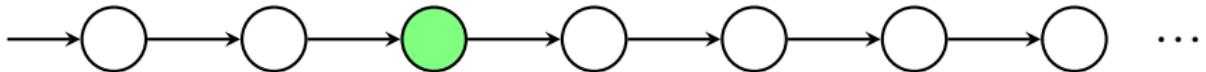
Liveness: Something **good** happens **infinitely often**



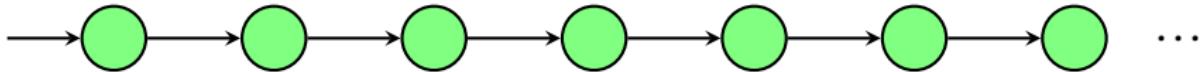
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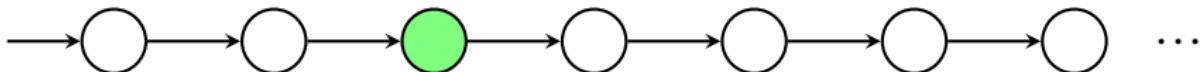
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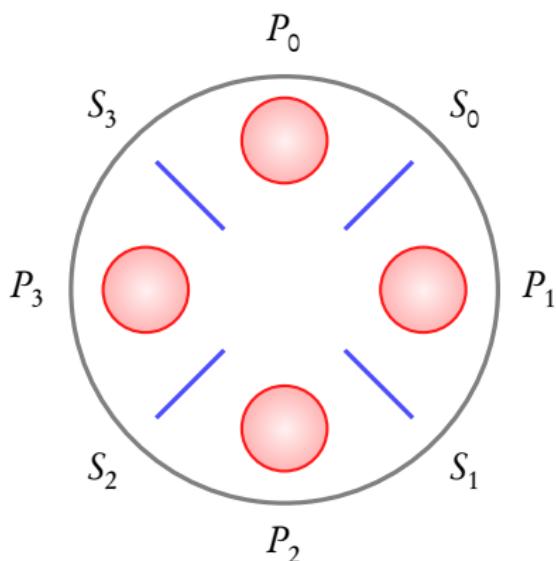
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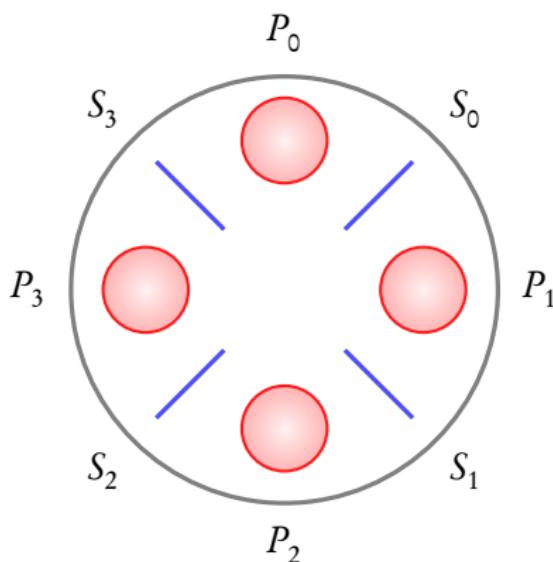


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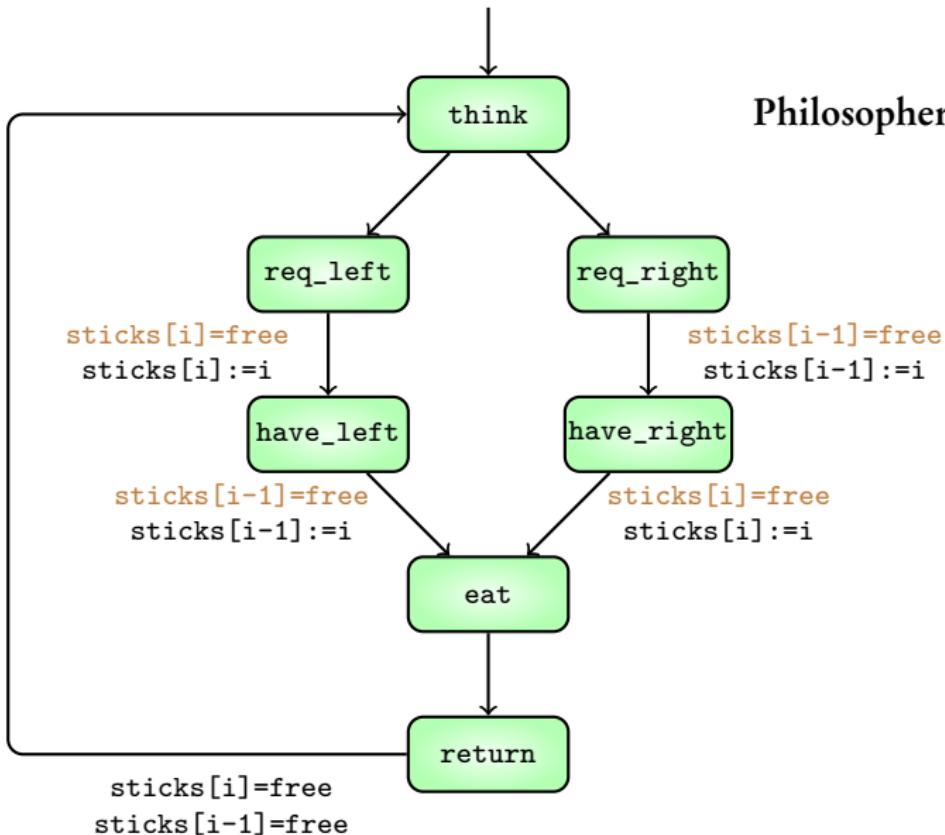
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What should the **protocol** be so that **every philosopher** can eat **infinitely often**?

Philosopher i



NuSMV code for the protocol

Sticks

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(think, think, think, think)



(have_left, have_left, have_left, have_left)

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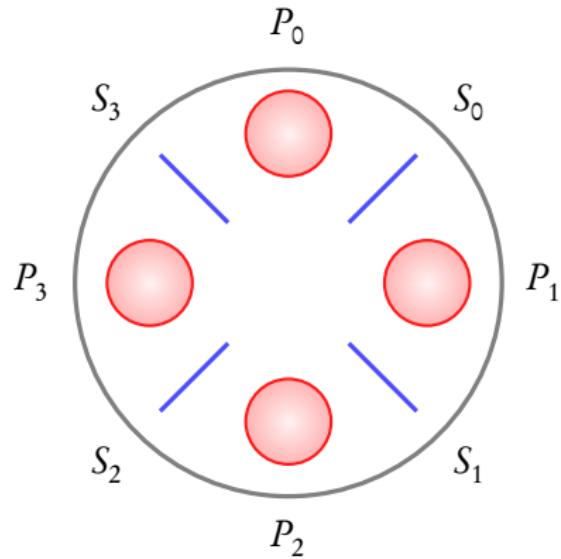
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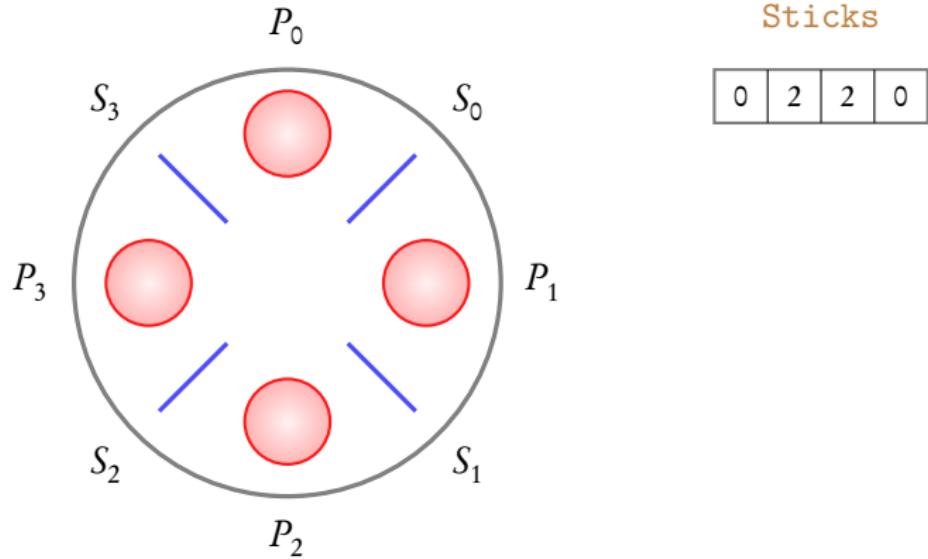
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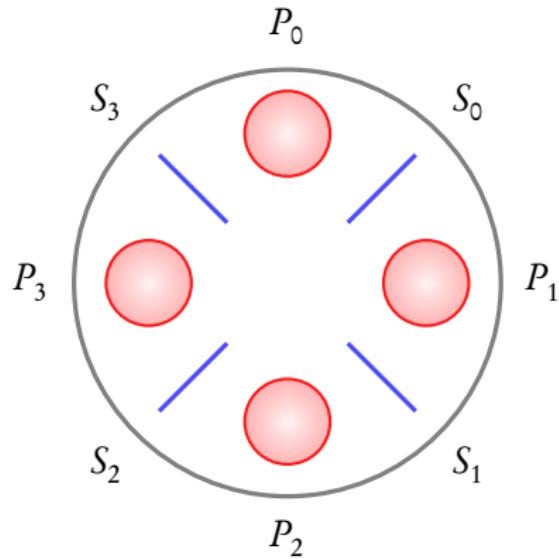
Coming next: Another solution for the dining philosophers problem





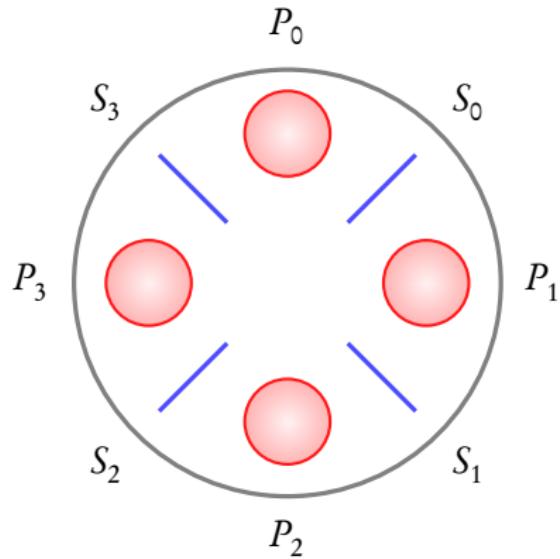
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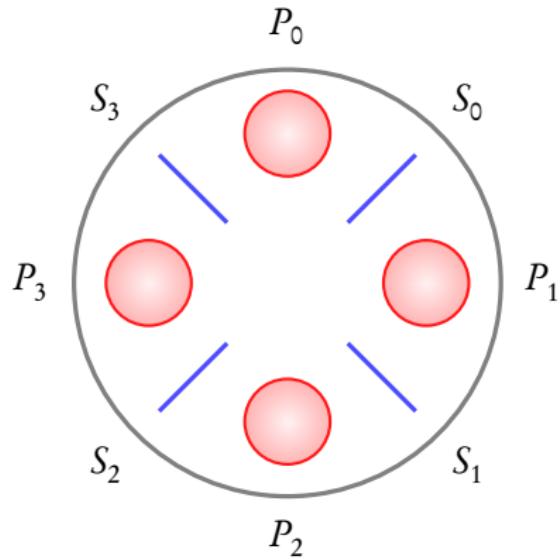
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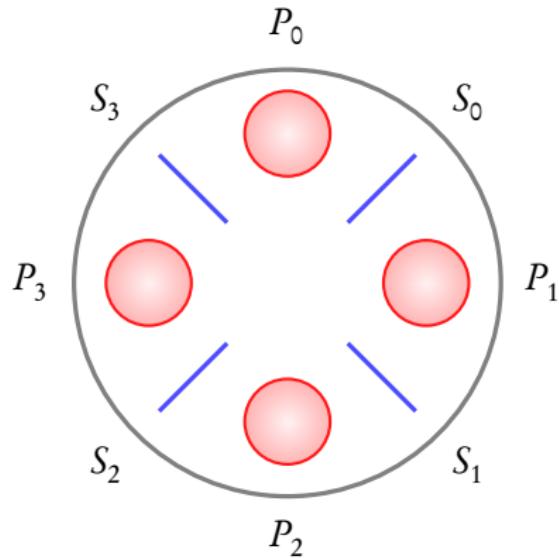
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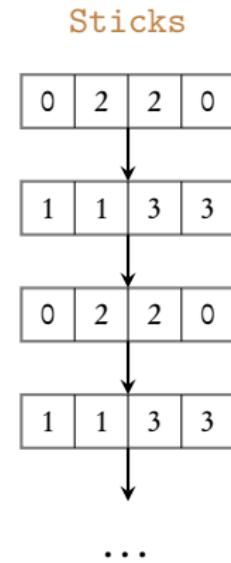
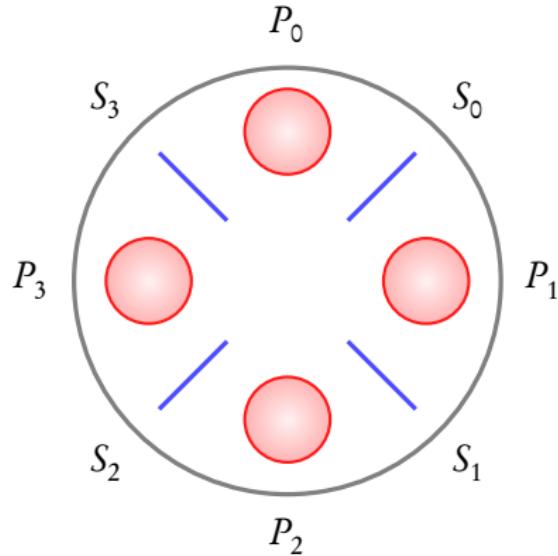
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This solution is deadlock-free

Liveness properties

Good happens infinitely often

FAIRNESS running

Unit-3: Linear time properties

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Summary

- ▶ Behaviour of a TS described as a set of its **traces**
- ▶ A **property** is a **set of infinite words** over $\text{PowerSet}(AP)$ (Linear-time property)
- ▶ TS satisfies property if its traces are contained in the property
- ▶ Invariants, Safety, Liveness, Fairness

Important concepts: Atomic propositions, X operator, detecting deadlocks