

# FAngelix, Verifix, and Poracle

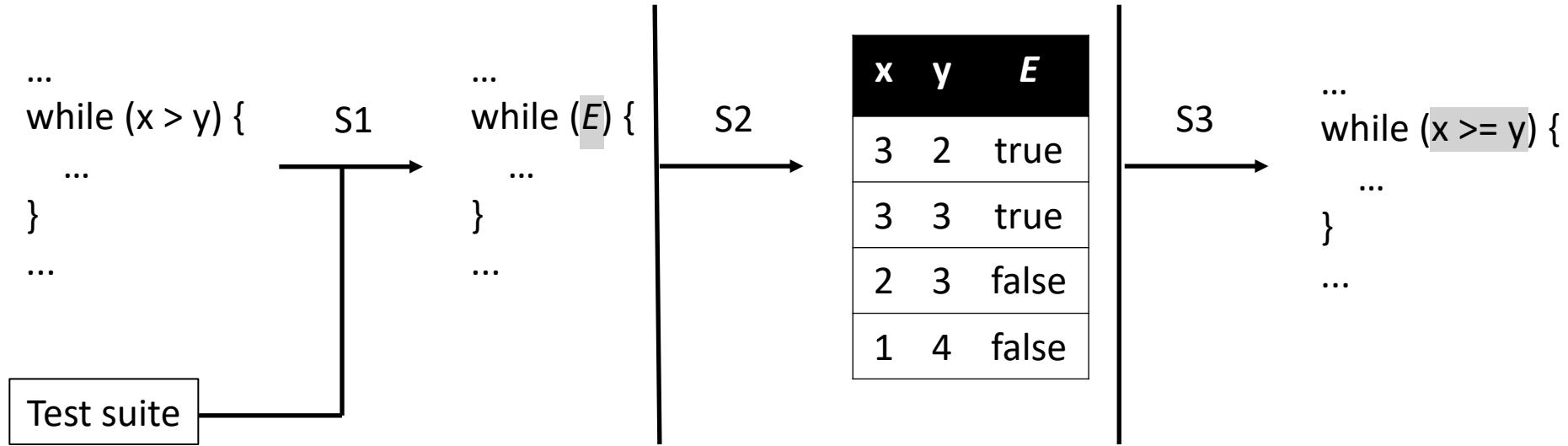
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# Speeding up Constraint-Based Program Repair Using a Search-Based Technique

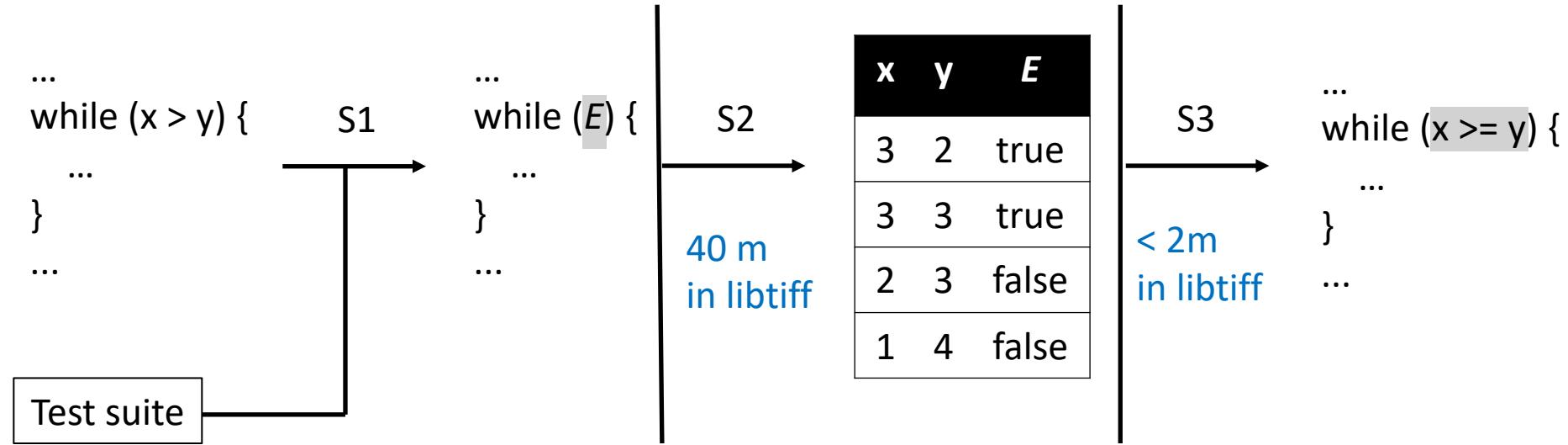
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# Constraint-Based Program Repair (Angelix)



- S1. A search for suspicious expressions (via statistical fault localization)
- S2. A search for the specification of the identified suspicious expressions
- S3. A search for patch expressions that satisfies the extracted specification

# Angelix is unnecessarily slow

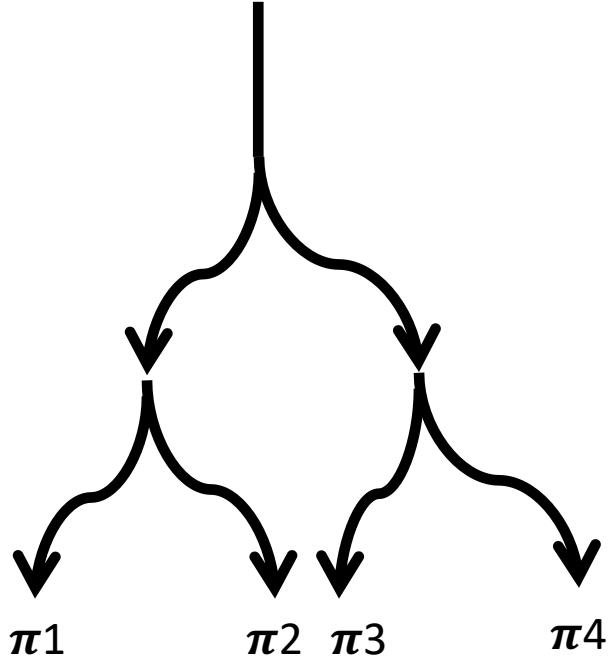


# Why Slow?

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2 if (x < y)  
3     x = y;  
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5     z = foo(x);  
6 ...
```

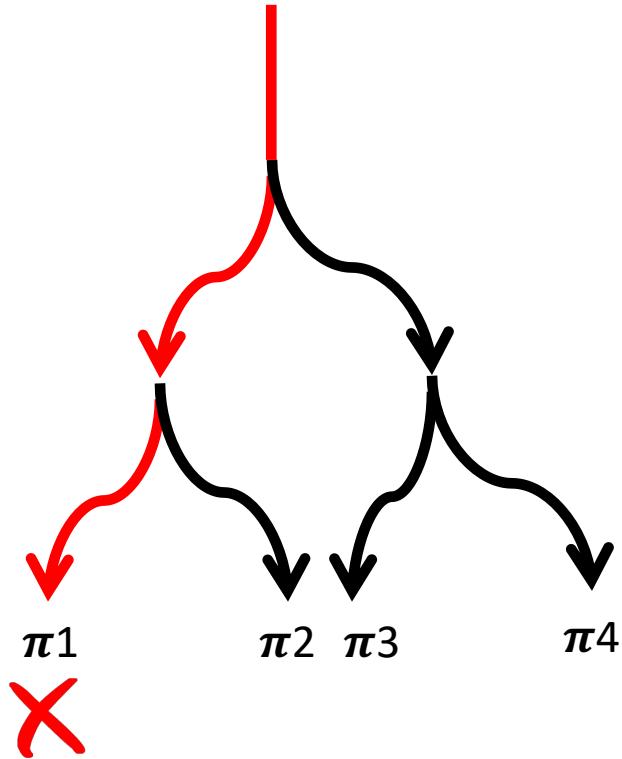
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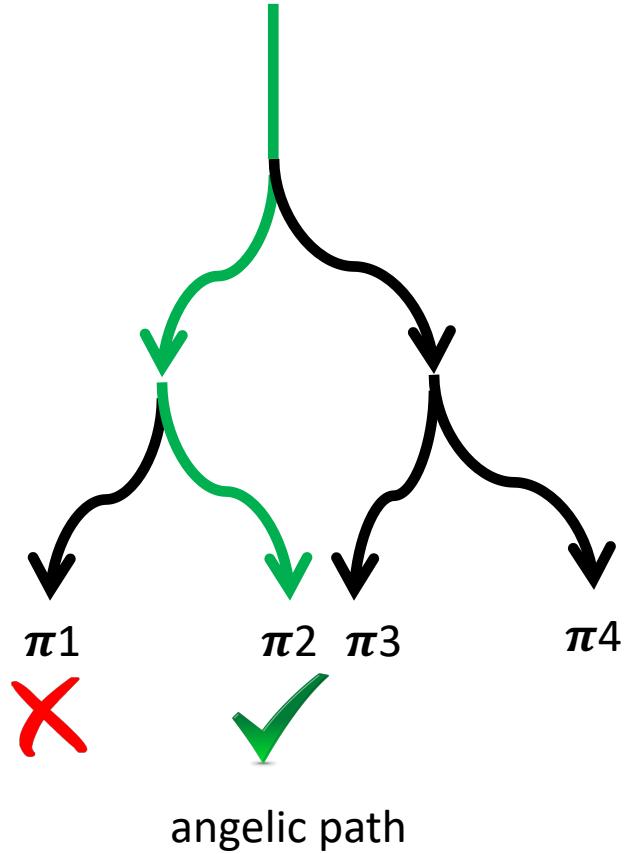
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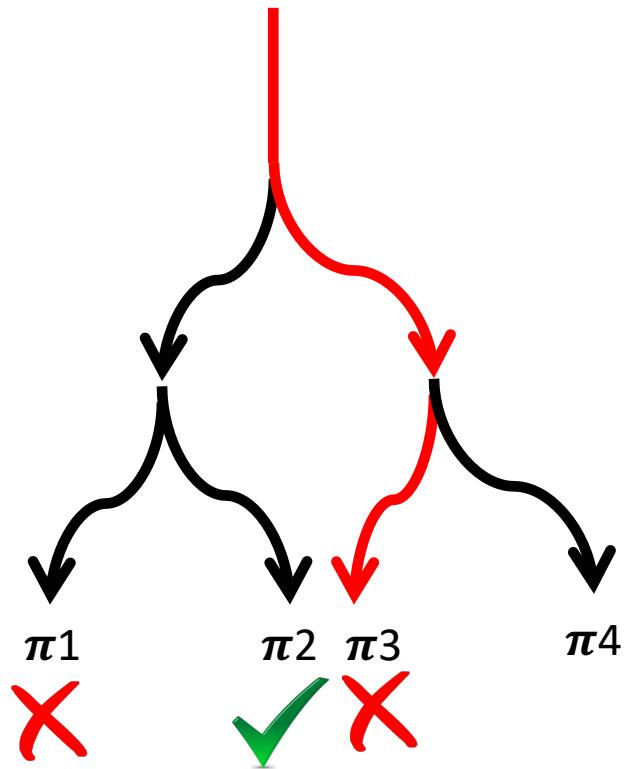
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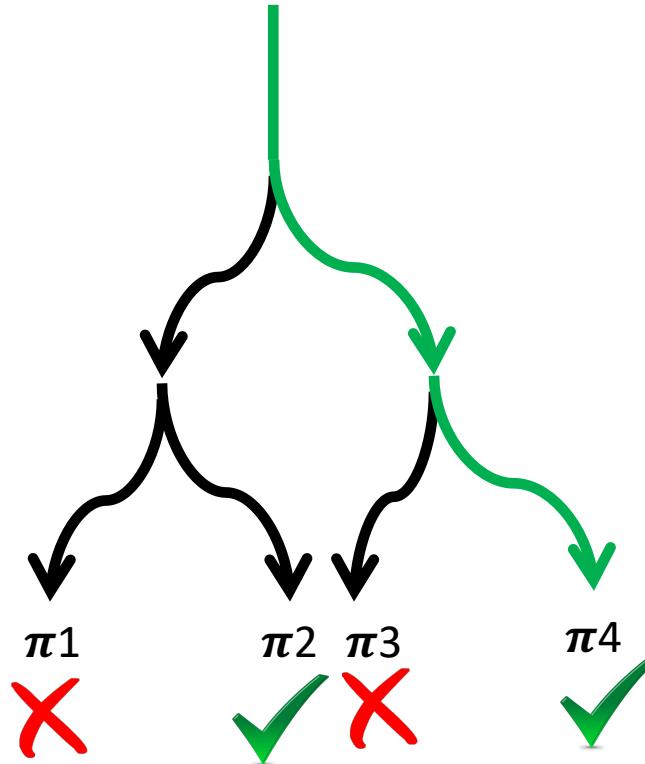
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angelic forest



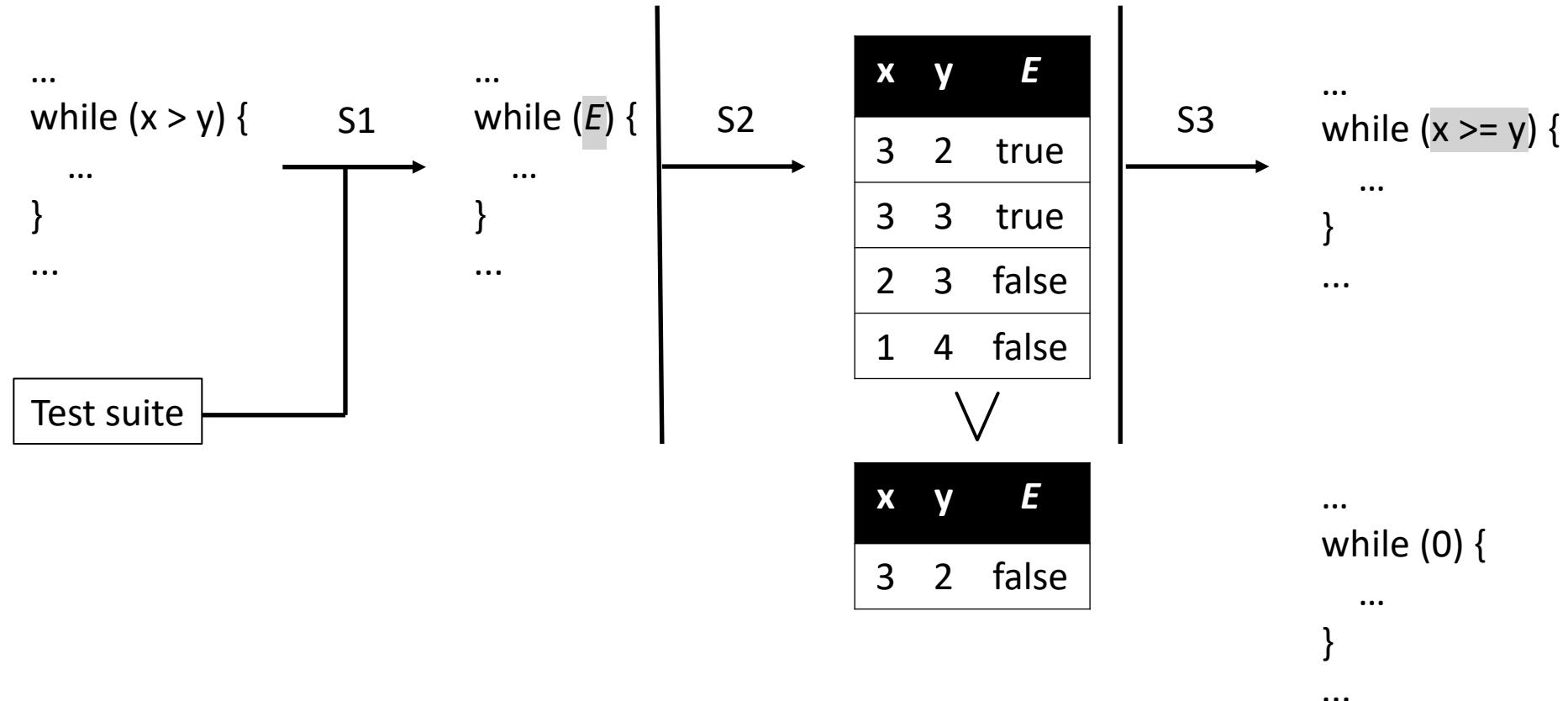
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if ( $\gamma$ )
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```

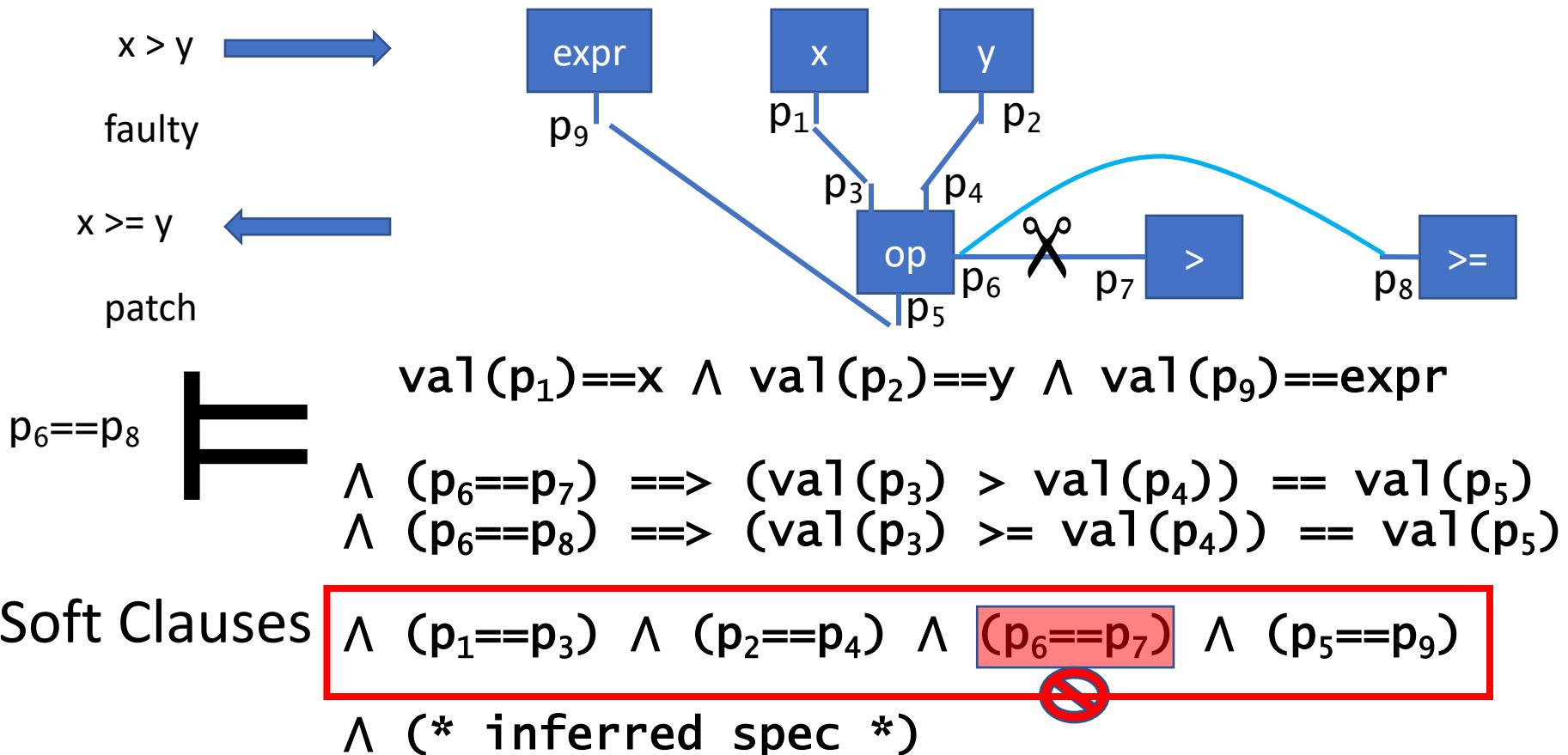
$$\{\pi_1 : \langle (\alpha, \text{False}, \sigma_1), (\gamma, \text{False}, \sigma_2) \rangle, \\ \pi_2 : \langle (\alpha, \text{True}, \sigma_3), (\beta, 0, \sigma_4), (\gamma, \text{False}, \sigma_5) \rangle\}$$

```
if (0)
    max_range_endpoint = eol_range_start;
if (! (max_range_endpoint == 0))
    printable_field = xzalloc(max_range_endpoint/CHAR_BIT+1);
```

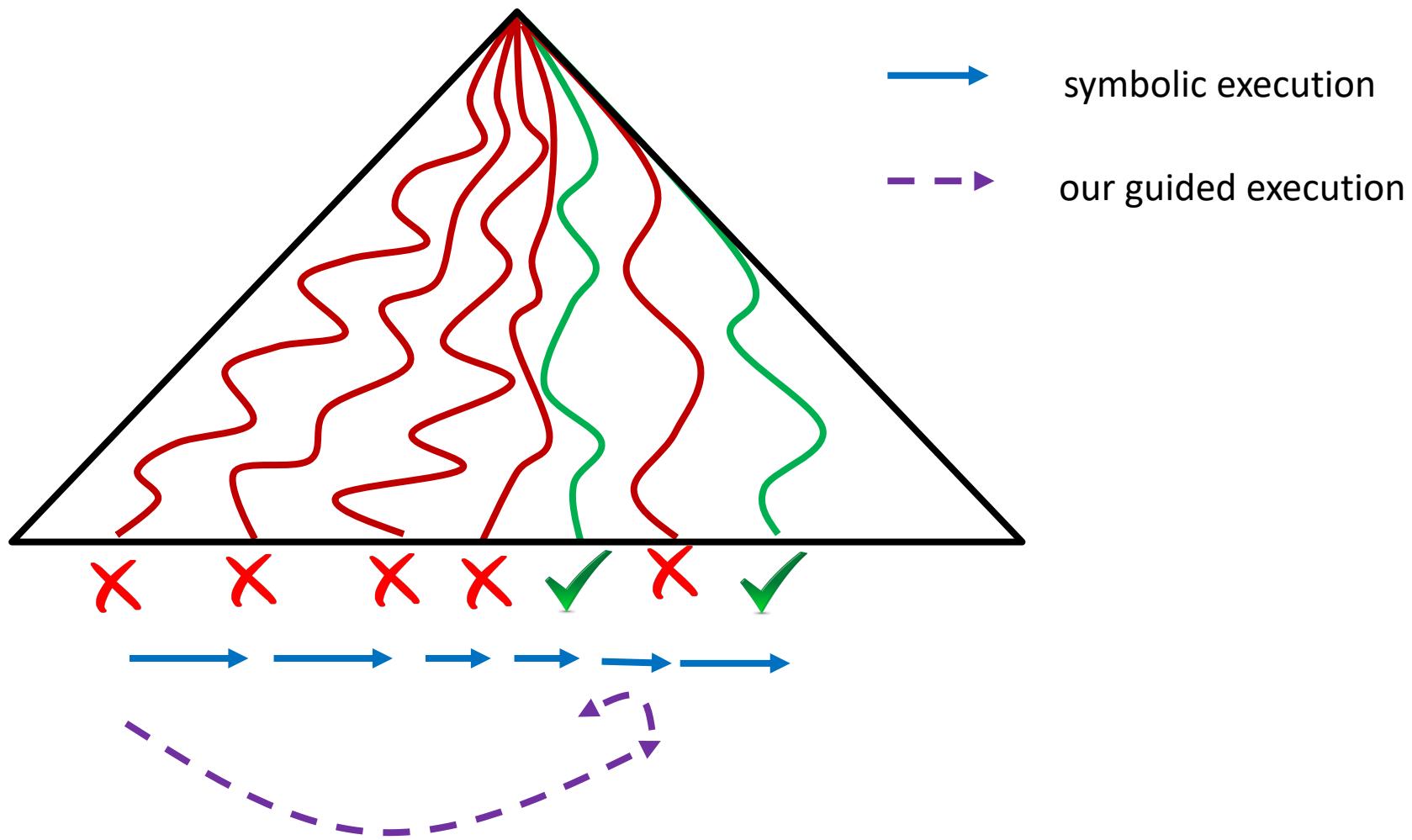
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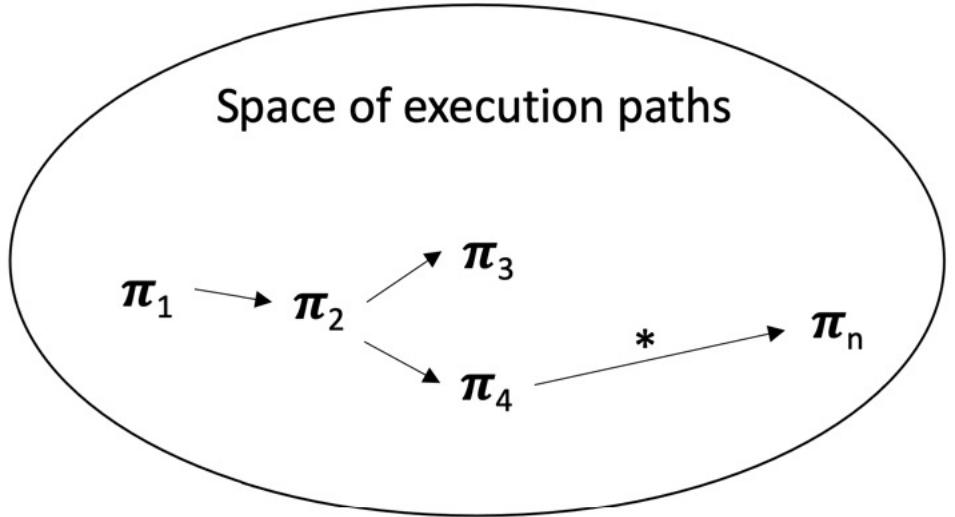
## Finding Minimal Repair via Partial MaxSMT



## FAngelix idea 1: Guided search

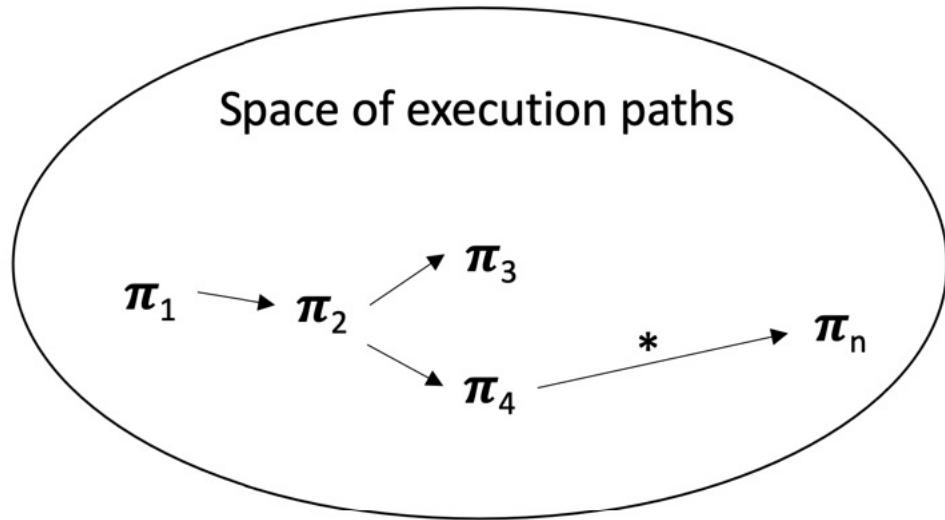


## Guided search via MCMC sampling



- $\pi_i$  예: {"18-15-18-19": [1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0]}
- cost가 작아지는 방향으로 유도 (cost가 0이면 angelic path)

## Spec Inference Algorithm



```
while  $O \neq O_e \wedge \text{CONTINUE}(N, C)$  do
    /* perform MCMC sampling */
     $S' \leftarrow \text{PROPOSE}(S)$ 
     $O, S^* \leftarrow \text{RUN}(I, S')$ 
     $C^* \leftarrow \text{COST}(O, O_e)$ 
    if  $\text{ACCEPT}(C, C^*)$  then
         $S, C \leftarrow S^*, C^*$ 
    end if
     $N \leftarrow N + 1$ 
end while
```

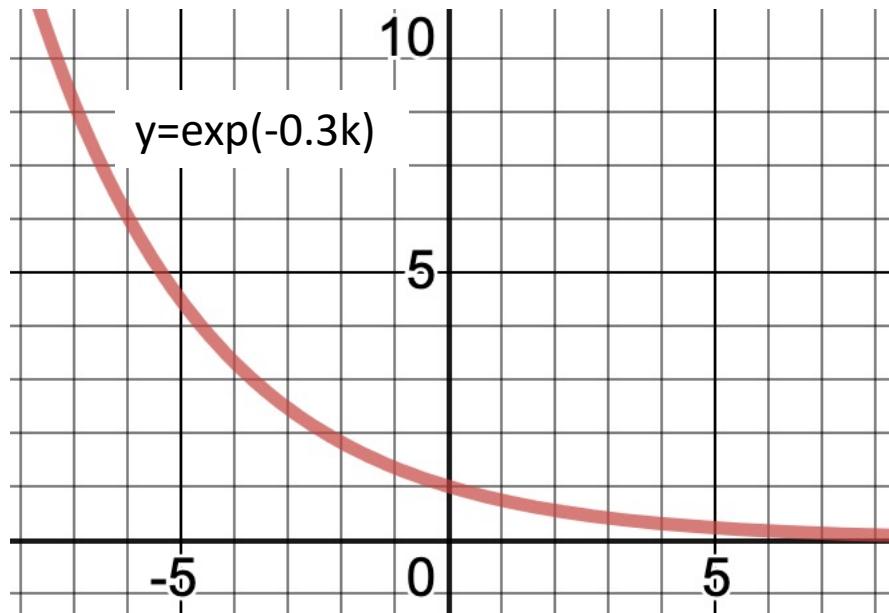
## Accept Function

- Metropolis-Hastings acceptance probability with a cost function

$$\alpha(S \rightarrow S^*) = \min \left( 1, \exp(-\beta \cdot k) \cdot \frac{q(S|S^*)}{q(S^*|S)} \right),$$

where

$$k = c(S^*) - c(S)$$



## Assignment bugs

- $x = E \rightarrow x = \alpha$
- Run symbolic execution
- If  $\alpha$  does not flow into a conditional expression, solve  $Oa(\alpha) = Oe$
- Otherwise,
  - record an executed path as a bit-vector
  - perform a guided random search as before and solve  $pc(\alpha) \wedge Oa(\alpha) = Oe$

# An Example of Cost

```
1 <?php  
2 $sim = similar_text('ABCD', 'AB', $perc);  
3 echo "similarity: $sim ($perc %)\n";  
4 $dist = 100 - $perc;  
5 echo "distance: $dist\n\n";  
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7 $sim = similar_text('ABCD', 'ABC', $perc);  
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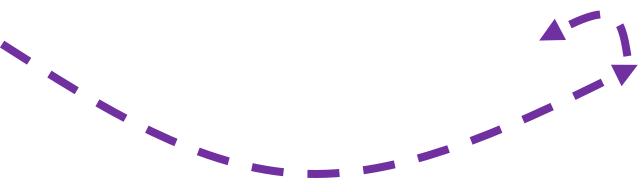
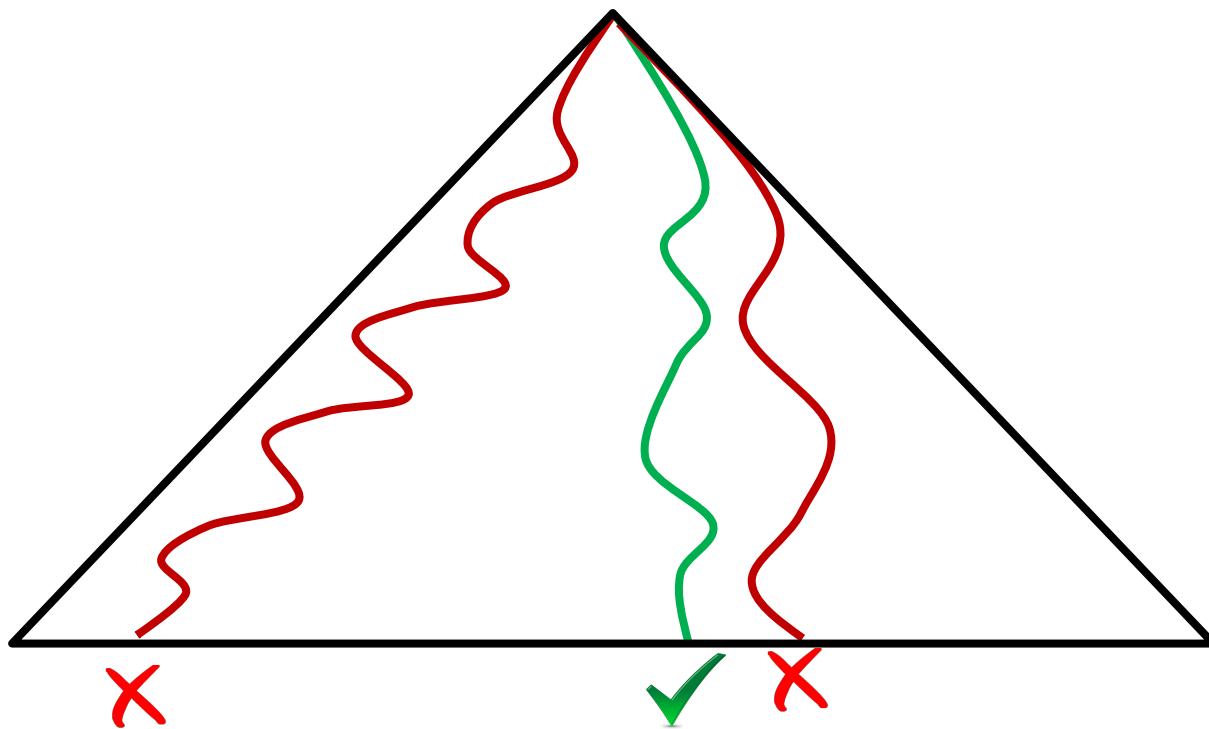
## Result:

```
similarity: 2 (66.666666666667 %)  
distance: 33.333333333333
```

```
similarity: 3 (85.714285714286 %)  
distance: 14.285714285714
```

```
similarity: 4 (100 %)  
distance: 0
```

## FAngelix idea 2: No exhaustive search



## Angelic path 정제 (refinement)

- 버기 path:

```
{"18-15-18-19": [1, 1, 0, 0]}
```

- 찾아진 angelic path:

```
{"18-15-18-19": [1, 0, 1, 0]}
```

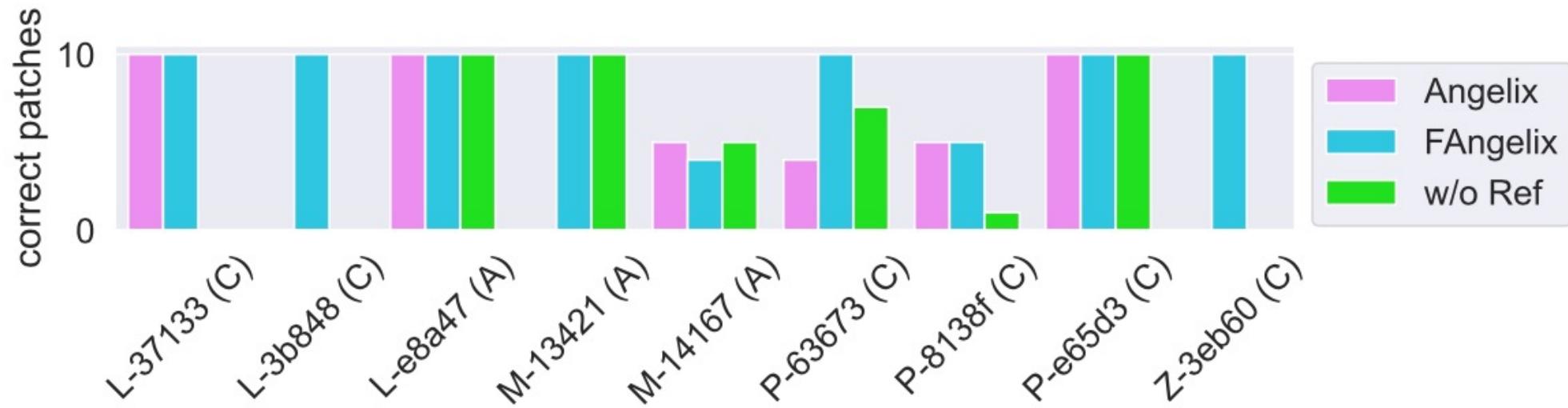
- 정제된 angelic path:

```
{"18-15-18-19": [1, 1, 1, 0]}
```

# 실험

Subject	LoC	Tests	Versions
WIRESHARK	2814K	63	5
PHP	1046K	85	21
GZIP	491K	12	4
GMP	145K	146	2
LIBTIFF	77K	78	18

# 실험 결과



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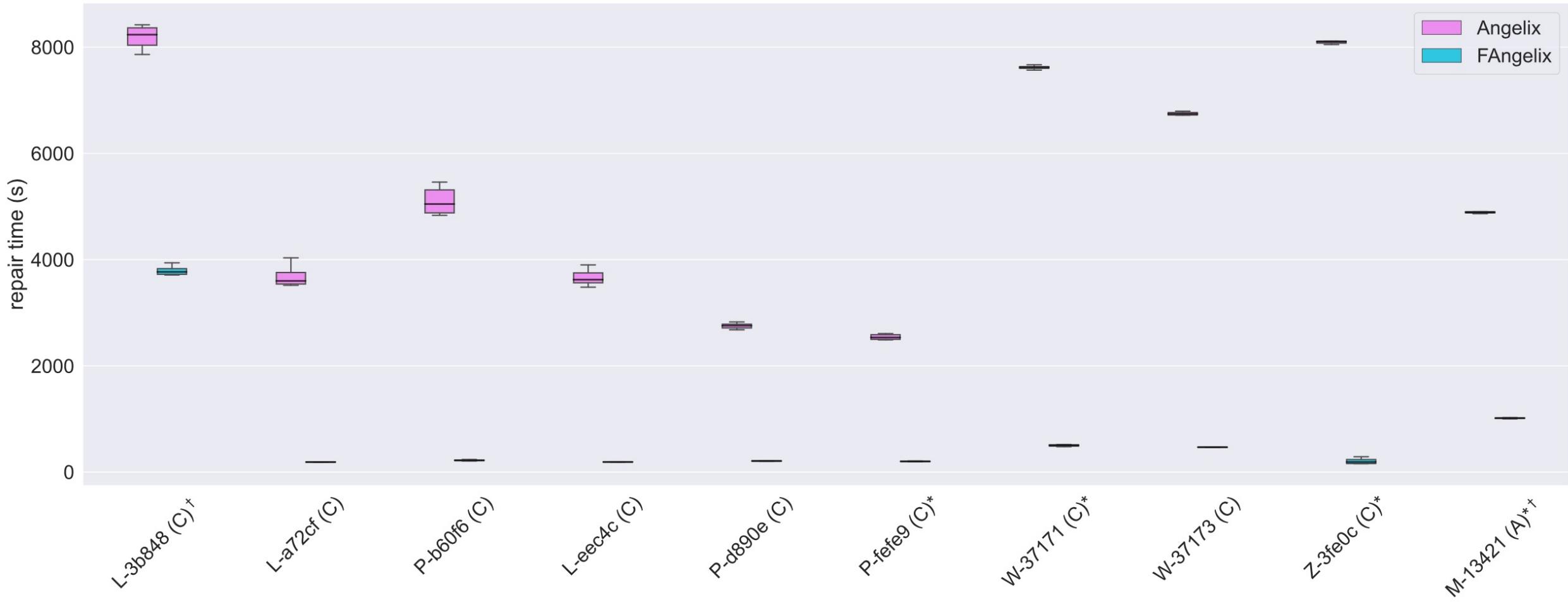
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- } else if (td->td_nstrips > 1  
            && td->td_compression == COMPRESSION_NONE  
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(a) An incorrect patch generated from Angelix

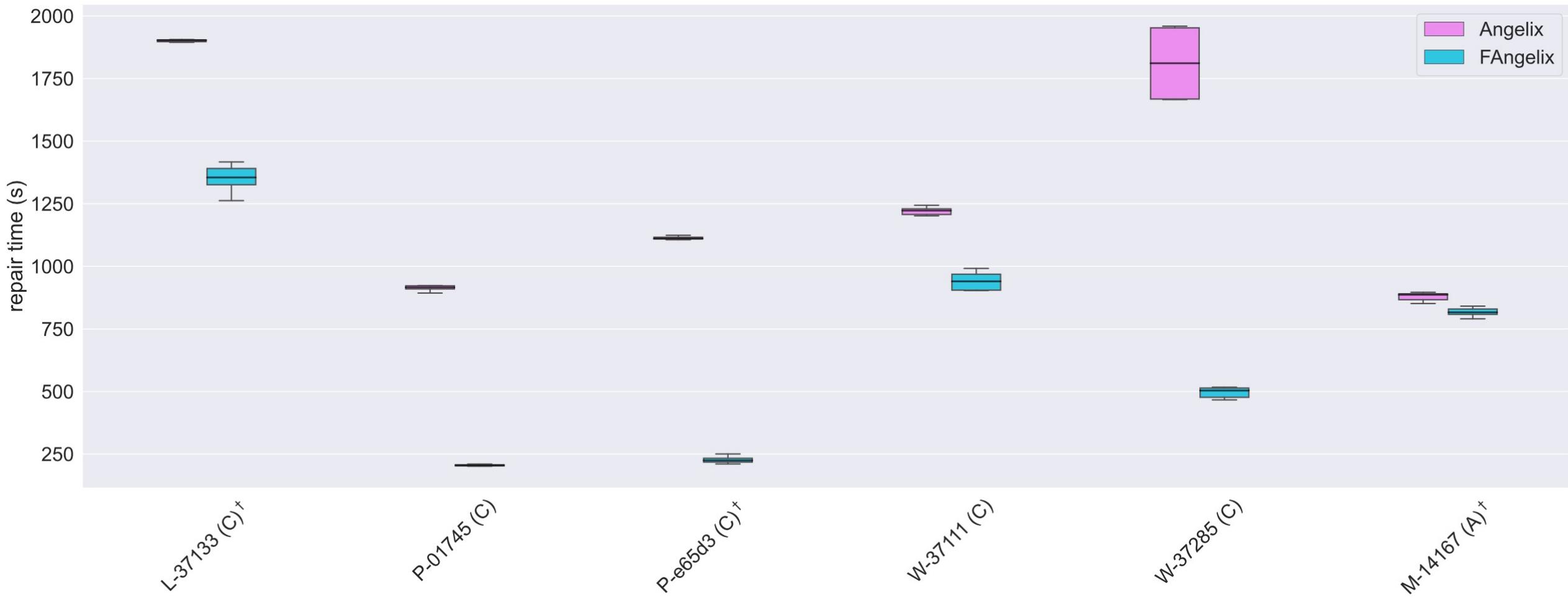
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(b) A correct patch generated from FAngelix

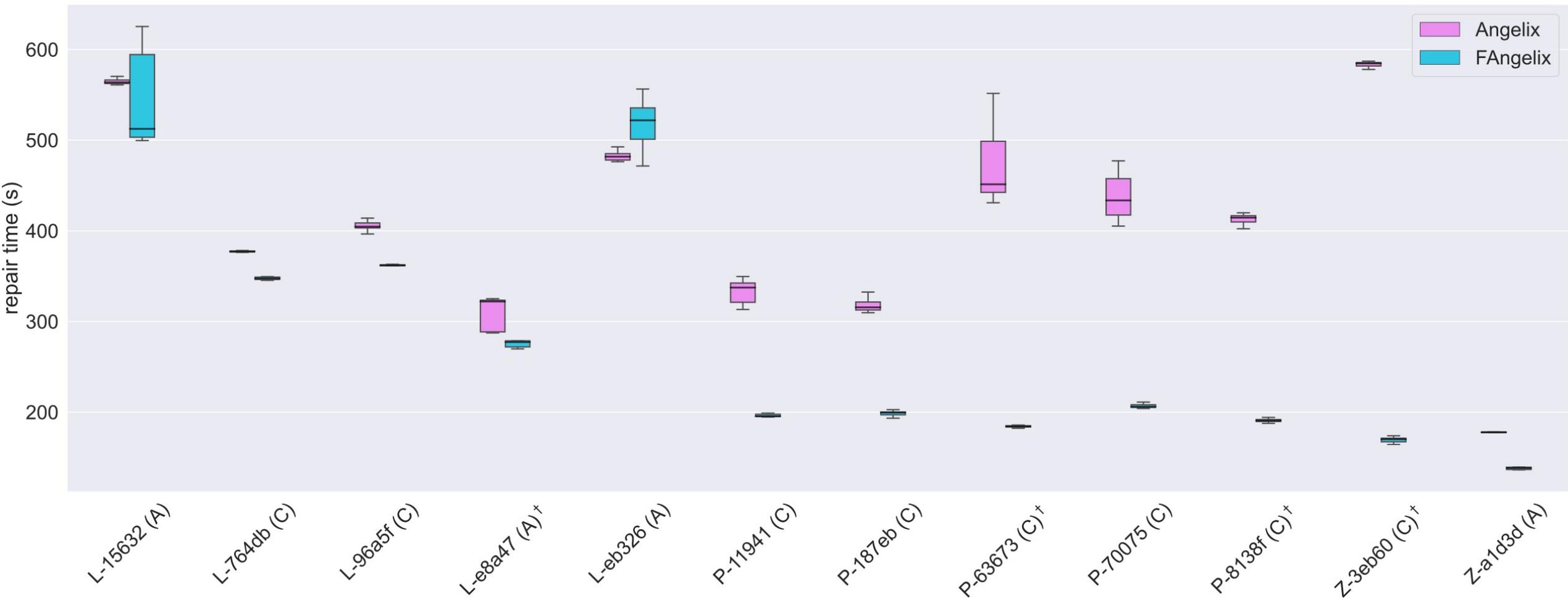
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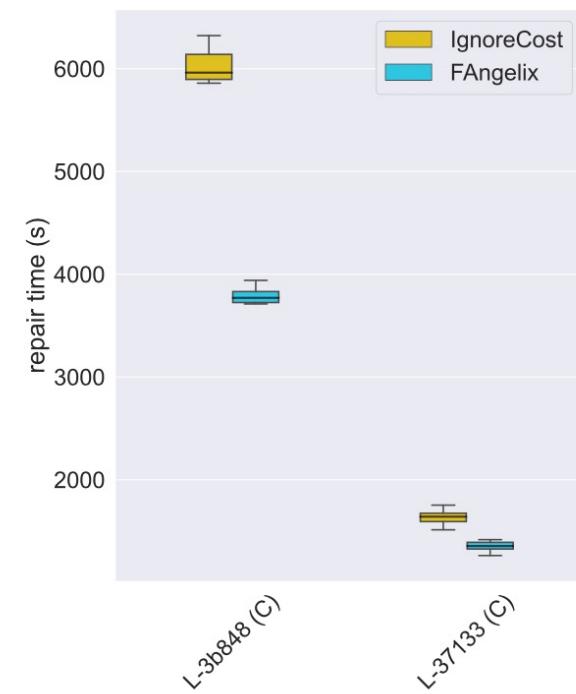
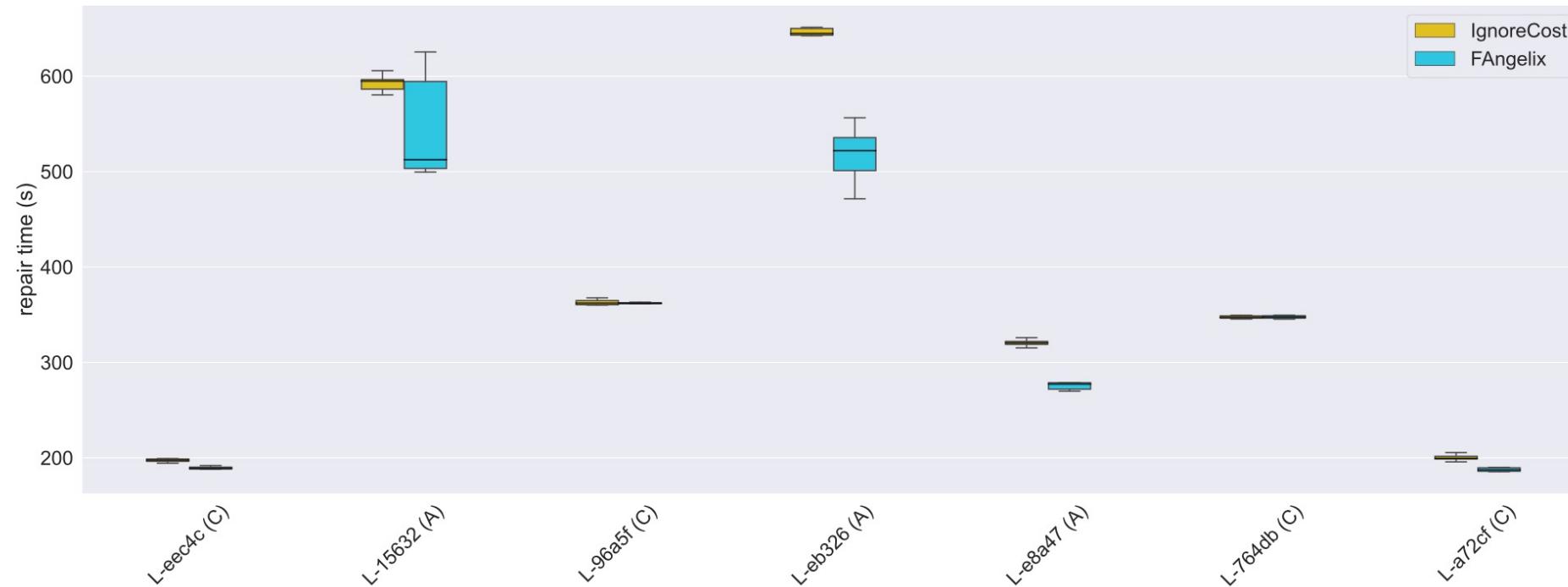
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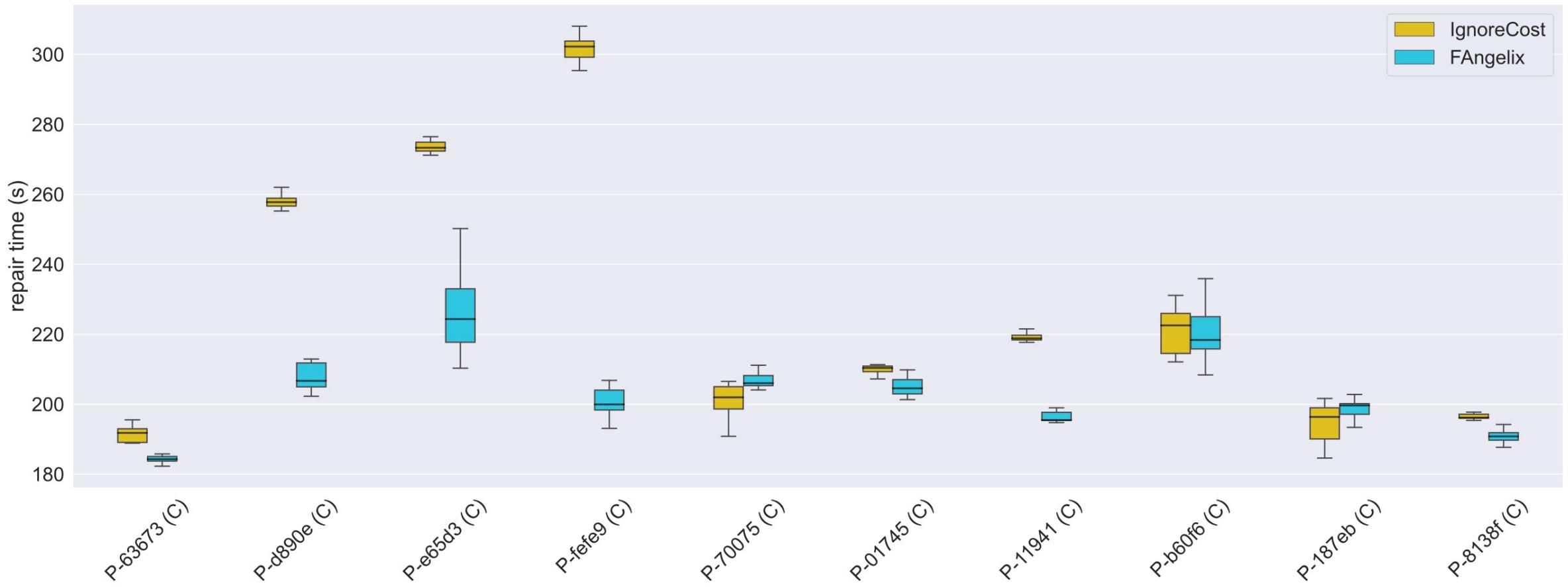
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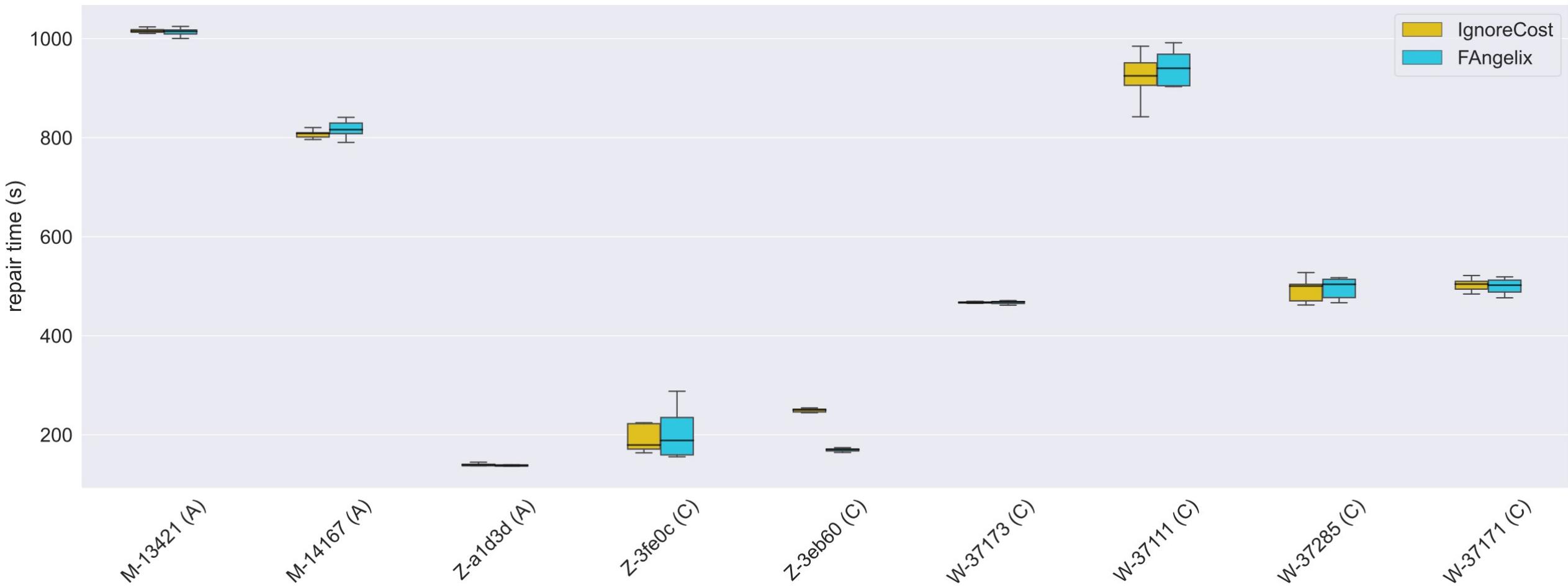
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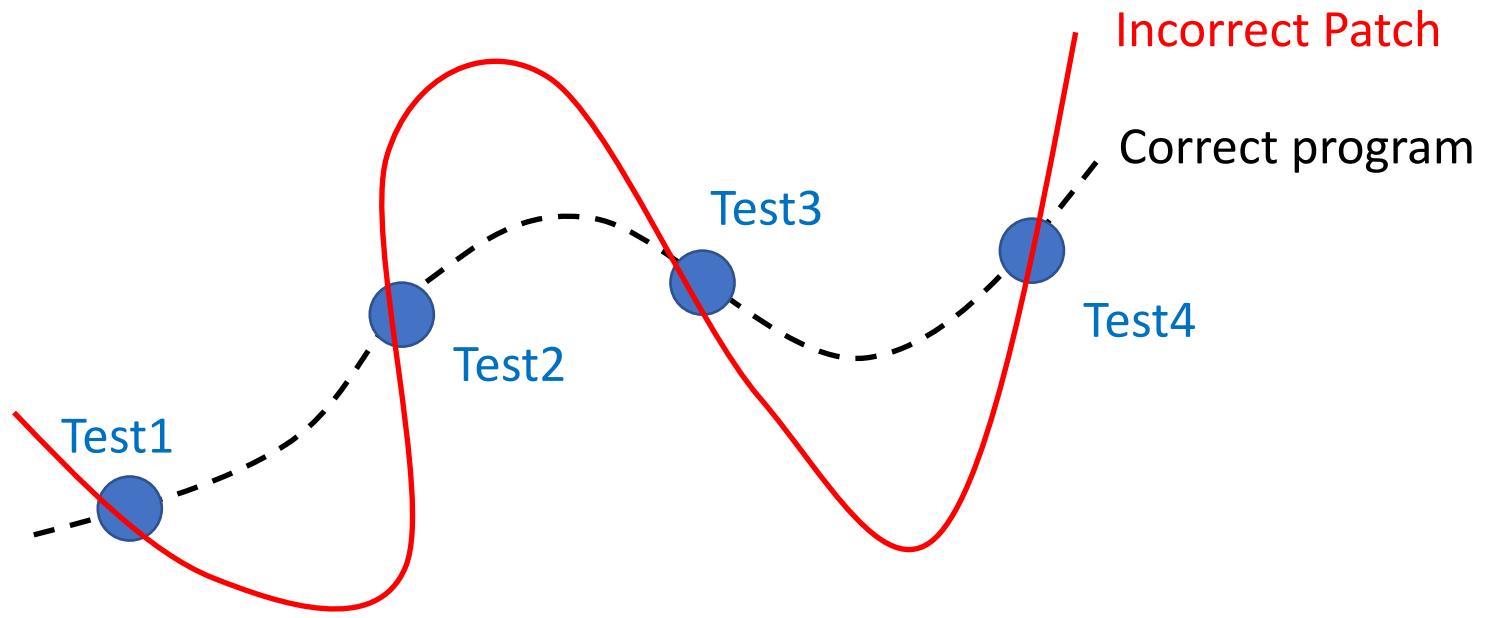


# Verifix: Verified Repair of Programming Assignments

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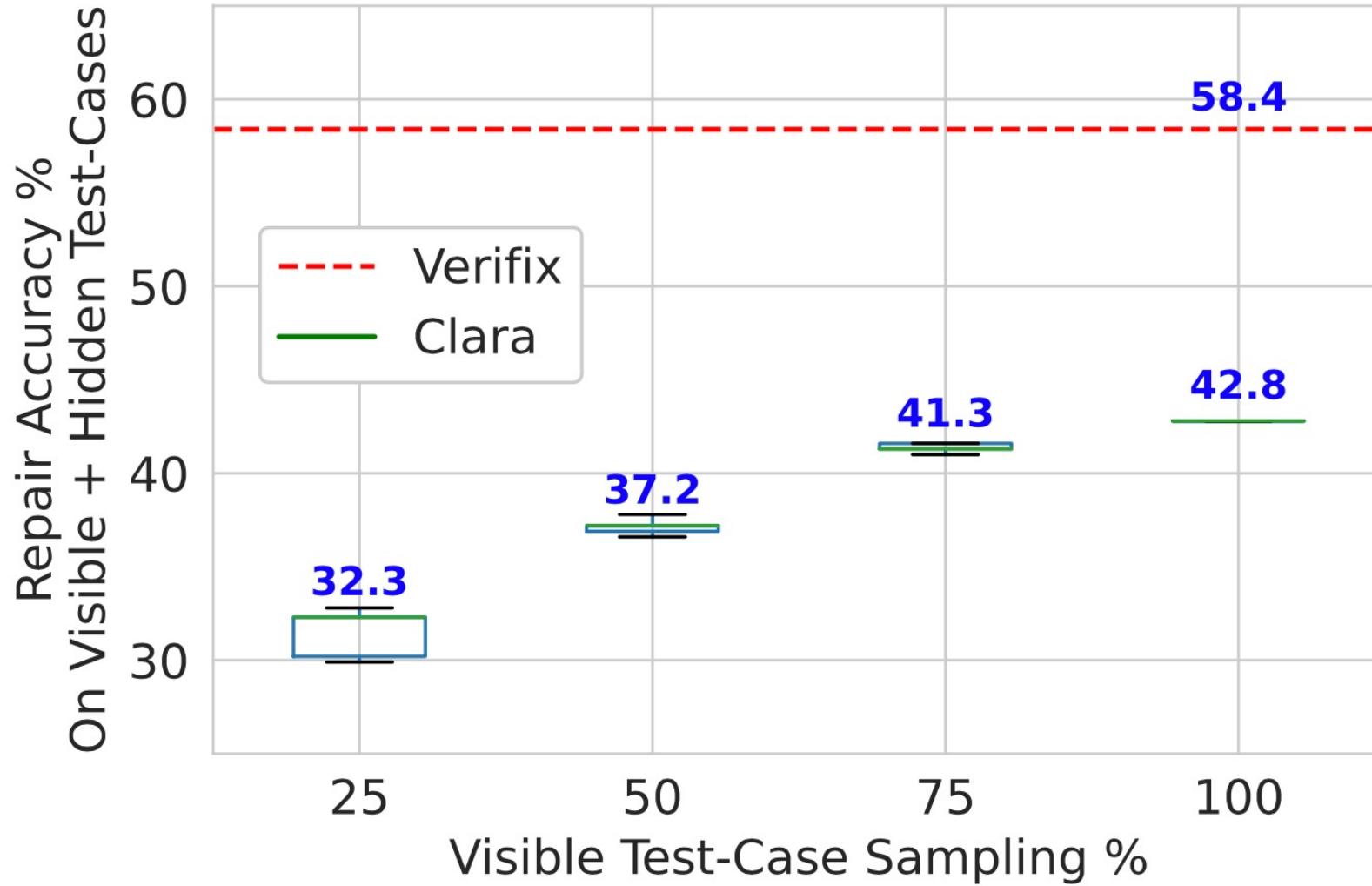
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```
1 void main(){
2     int n1, n2, i;
3     scanf( "%d %d", &n1, &n2);
4     if(n2 <= 2)          // Repair #1: Delete spurious print
5         printf("%d ", n2); // Verifix ✓, Clara ✗
6     for(i=n1; i<=n2; i++){
7         if(check_prime(i)==0) // Repair #2: Delete ==0
8             printf("%d ", i); // Verifix ✓, Clara ✓
9     }
10 }
```

## Overfitting Problem



## Approach

```
int check_prime(int n)
{
    if (n == 1)
        return 0;
    int j;
    for(j=2; j<n; j++)
    {
        if (n%j == 0)
            return 0;
    }
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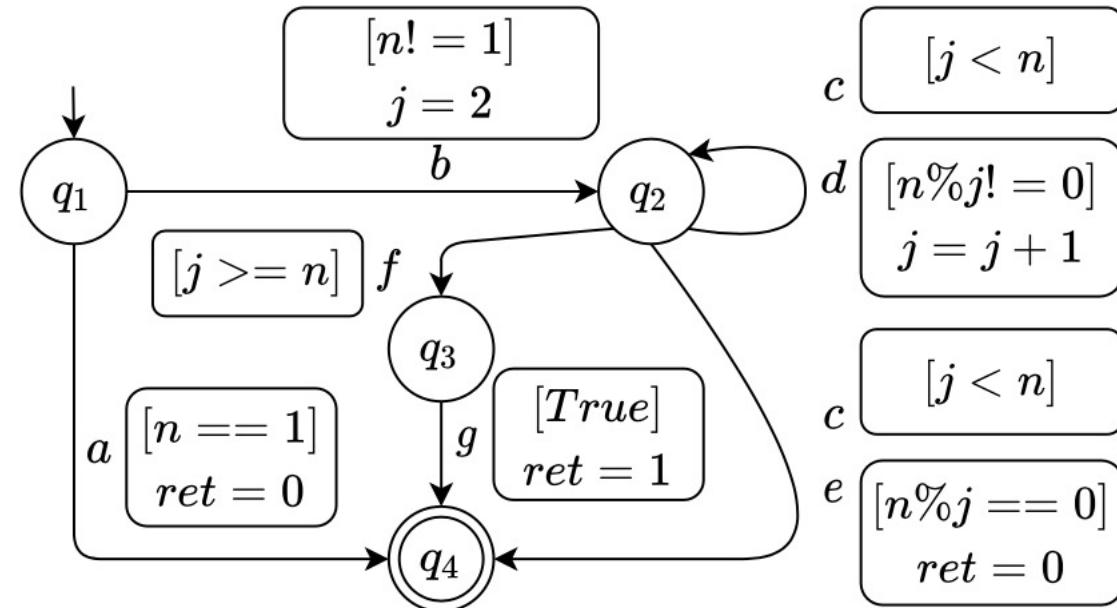
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Incorrect student program

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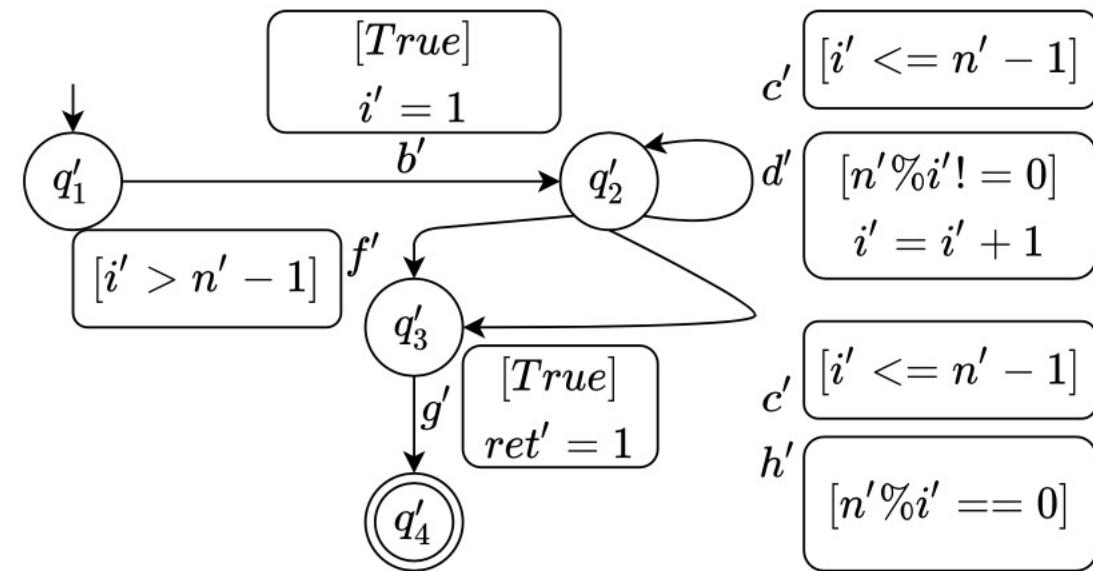
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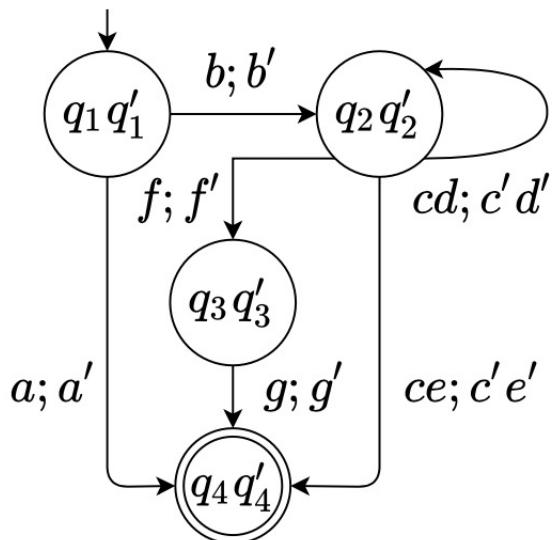
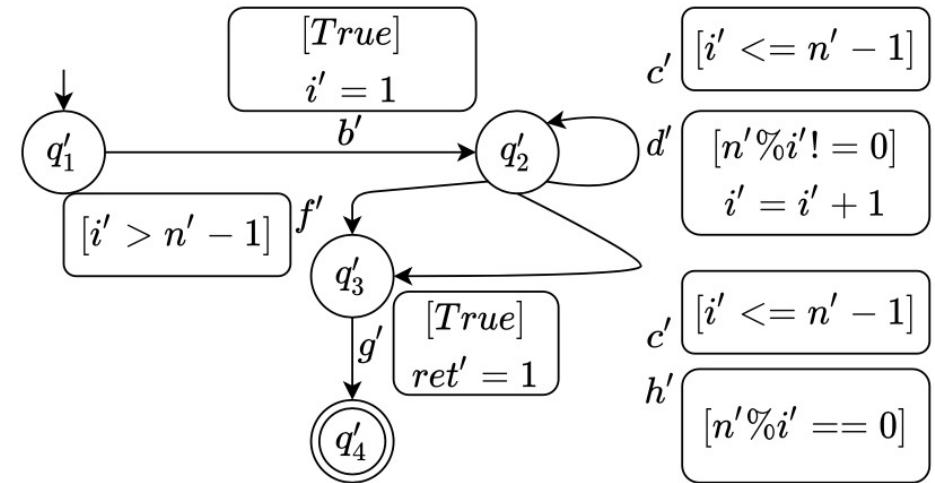
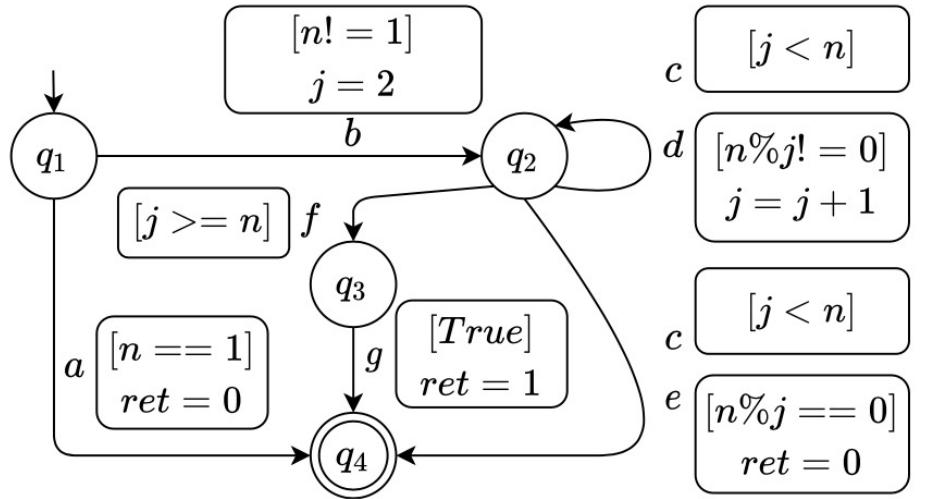
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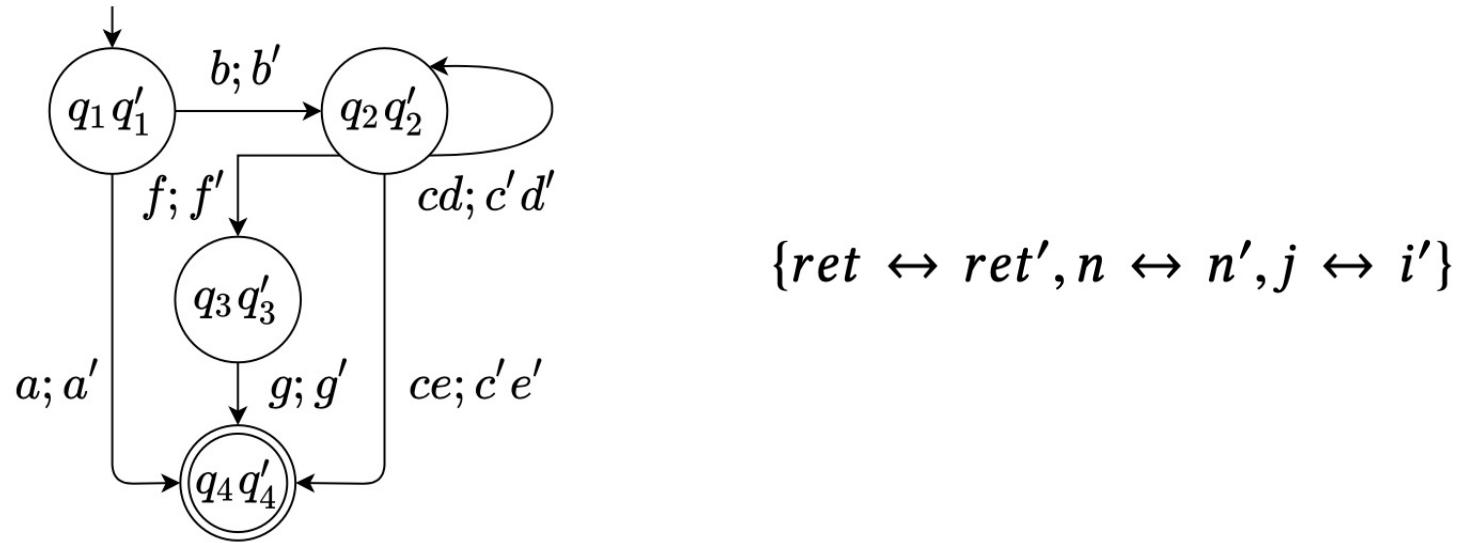
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# Aligning CFAs and variables



$$\{ret \leftrightarrow ret', n \leftrightarrow n', j \leftrightarrow i'\}$$

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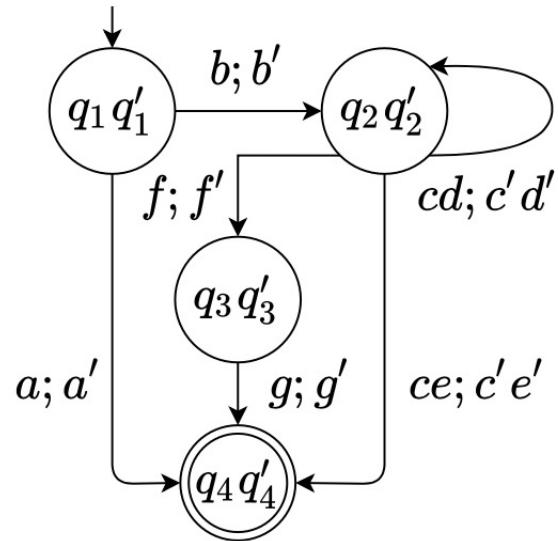


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## 각 edge 별로 검증 수행



[ $n! = 1$ ]  
 $j = 2$   
 $b$        $b'$

[True]  
 $i' = 1$   
 $b'$        $b'$

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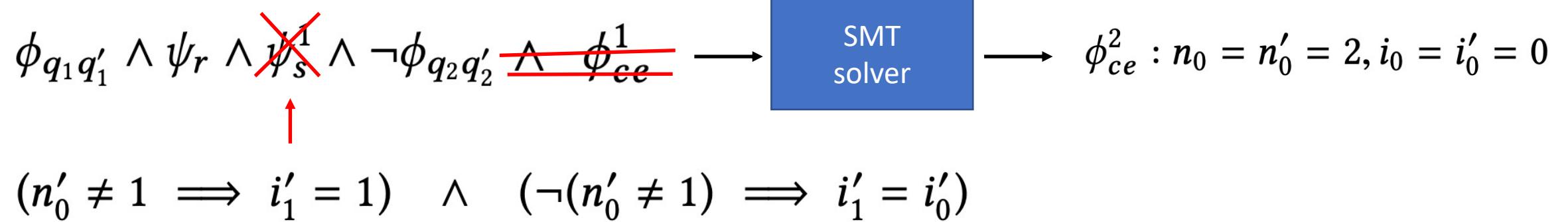
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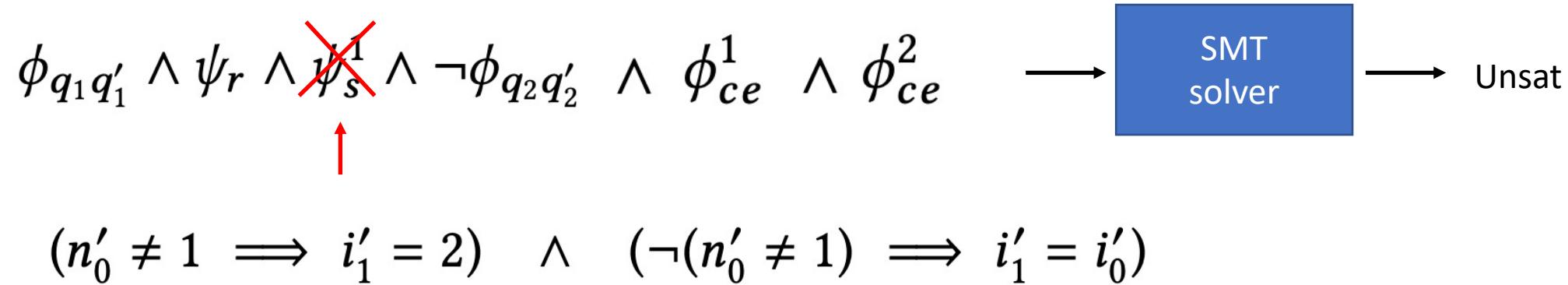
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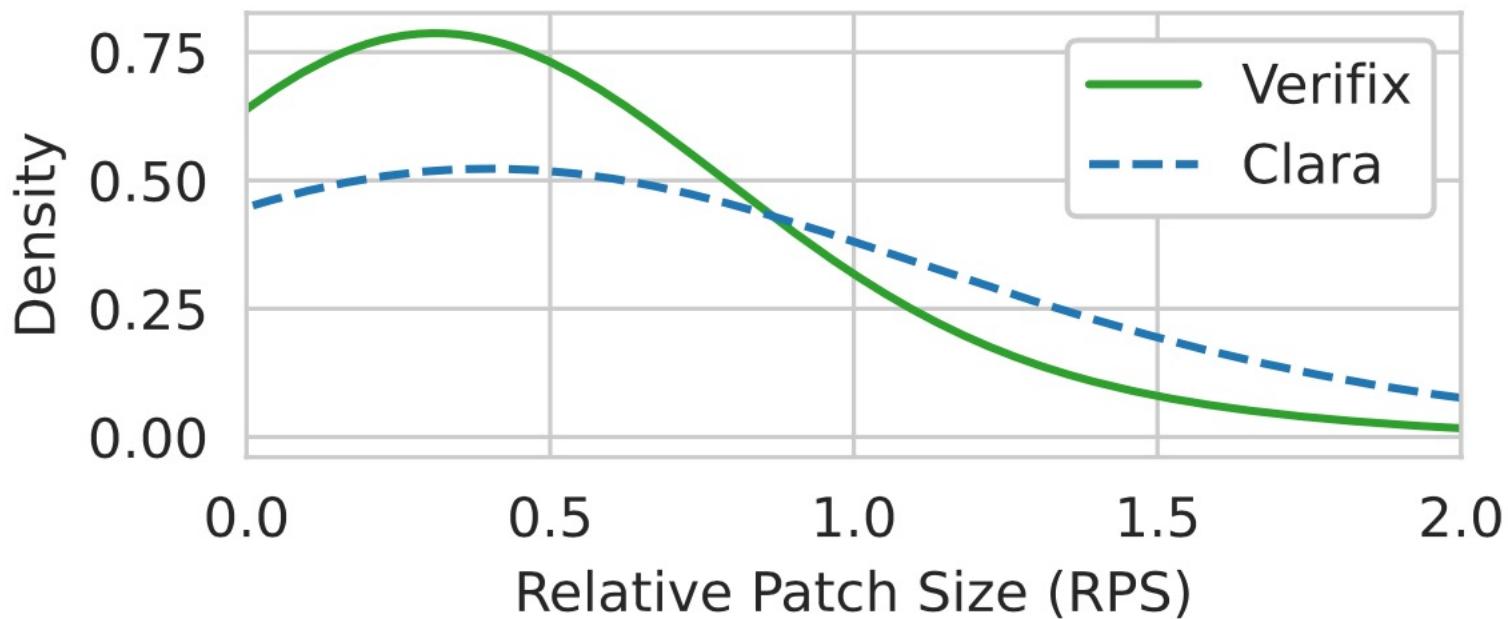
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# 실험

- 실험 대상:
  - 28개의 프로그래밍 문제로부터 취합한 341개의 컴파일 가능한 학생 프로그램
  - 이전 연구[FSE'17]에서 취합한 데이터 (Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur)
  - 각 문제마다 instructor가 작성한 정답 프로그램과 테스트 케이스 존재
  - 비교 대상: Clara [PLDI'18]
    - C 프로그램을 지원하는 최신의 공개된 도구

## 패치 크기 비교



$$RPS = \text{Dist}(\text{AST}_s, \text{AST}_f) / \text{Size}(\text{AST}_s)$$

## 패치 성공률 비교 (단일한 정답 프로그램 사용시)

Lab-ID	# Prog- rams	Repair (%)		Struct. Mismatch (%)	
		Clara	Verifix	Clara	Verifix
Lab-3	63	54.0%	92.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Lab-4	117	71.8%	74.4%	7.7%	7.7%
Lab-5	82	22.0%	45.1%	75.6%	35.4%
Lab-6	79	12.7%	21.5%	83.5%	69.6%
Overall	341	42.8%	58.4%	40.2%	27.2%

Clara and Sarfgen fail to handle our example

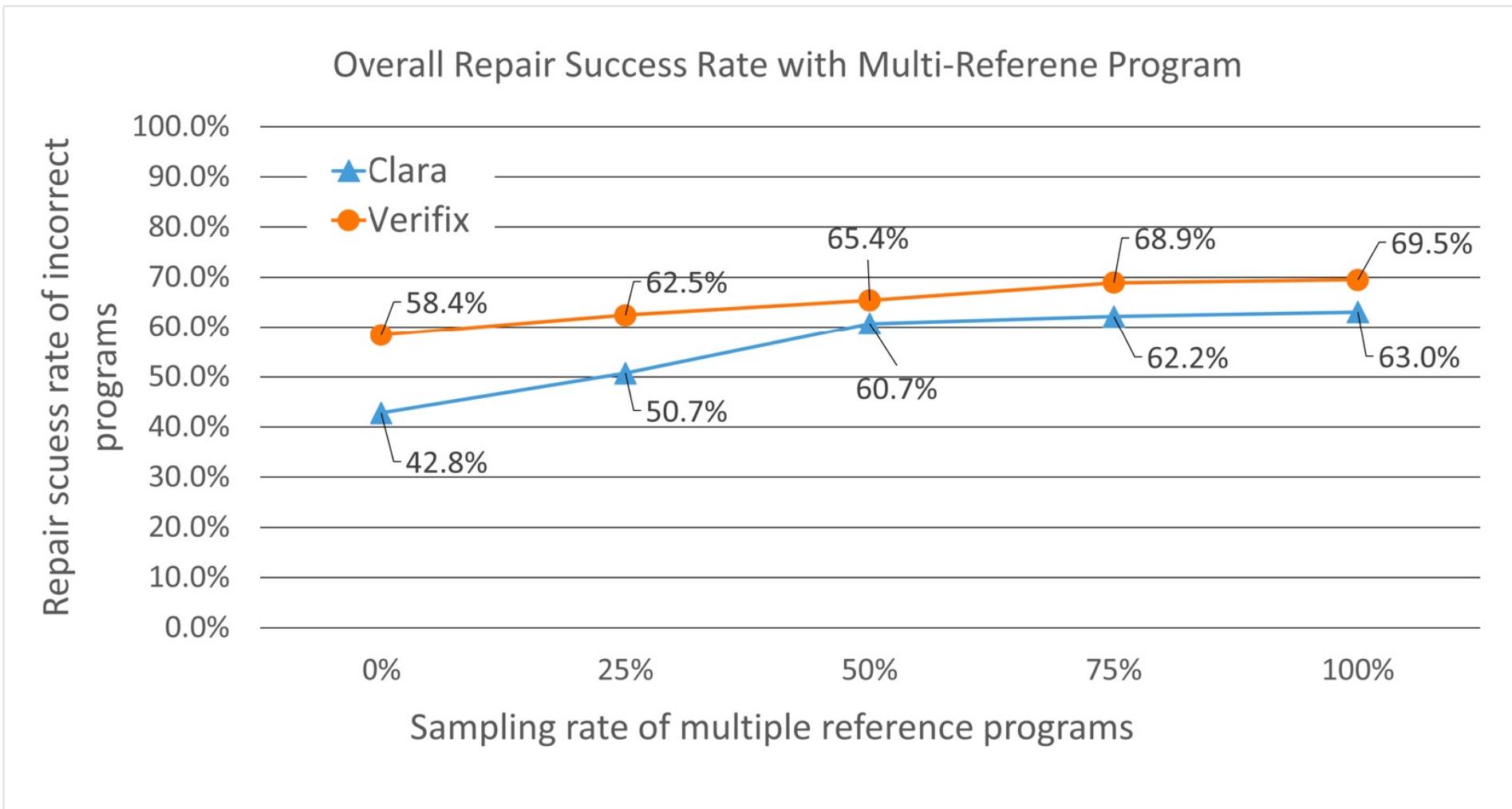
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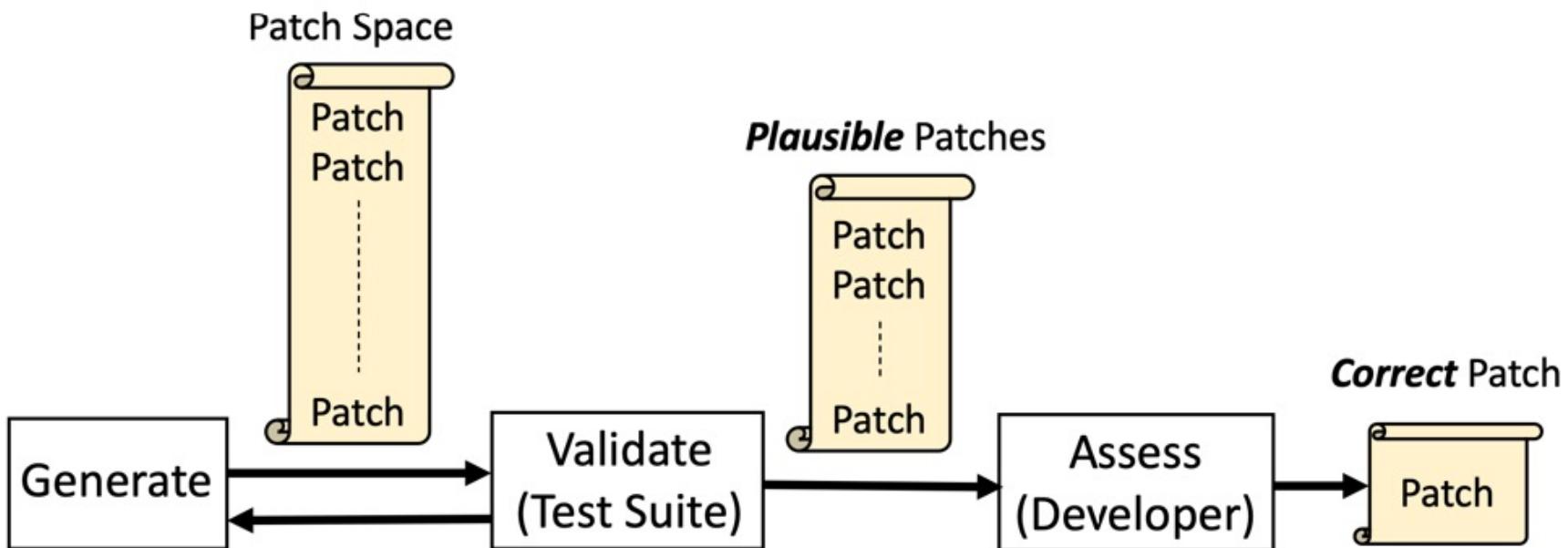
# 패치 성공률 비교 (다수 정답 프로그램 사용시)



# Testing Patches Under Preservation Conditions To Combat the Overfitting Problem of Program Repair

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# 다수의 Plausible 패치 존재



## Patch Classification 문제

- 생성된 plausible patch가 correct한 패치인가?

## Patch Classification 문제 예

```
public void testSmallDegreesOfFreedom() {  
    FDistributionImpl fd = new FDistributionImpl(1.0, 1.0);  
    double p = fd.cumulativeProbability(0.975);  
    double x = fd.inverseCumulativeProbability(p);  
    assertEquals(/* expected output */ 0.975, x, /* delta */ 1.0e-5);  
}
```

```
double ret;  
double d = getDenominatorDegreesOfFreedom();  
- ret = d / (d - 2.0);  
+ ret = d / (d + 2.0);
```

(a) An incorrect patch for Math95

```
- double ret;  
+ double ret = 1.0;  
    double d = getDenominatorDegreesOfFreedom();  
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(b) A correct patch for Math95.

## Patch Classification 문제 예

```
public void testSmallDegreesOfFreedom() {  
    FDistributionImpl fd = new FDistributionImpl(1.0, 1.0);  
    double p = fd.cumulativeProbability(0.975);  
    double x = fd.inverseCumulativeProbability(p);  
    assertEquals(/* expected output */ 0.975, x, /* delta */ 1.0e-5);  
}
```

PATCH-SIM 적용: 모든 (14) incorrect patch를 올바른 패치로 인식

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ODS 적용: 올바른 패치를 그릇된 패치로 인식

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## Patch Classification의 어려움

- Score-based 접근법:
  - recall과 precision을 모두 높이도록 임계값을 설정하기 어려움

## Patch Classification의 어려움

- Evidence-based 접근법:
  - 패치된 프로그램이 새 입력값에 대해 crash를 일으키면 고려 대상에서 제외
    - 일반적으로 적용하기 어려움
    - Java 등의 언어에서는 exception 생성이 오히려 기대되는 테스트도 존재

## 근본 문제: 정확한 명세의 부자

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```

```
public void testSmallDegreesOfFreedom(double d1,
    double d2, double d3) {
    FDistributionImpl fd = new FDistributionImpl(d1, d2);
    double p = fd.cumulativeProbability(d3);
    double x = fd.inverseCumulativeProbability(p);
    // Which expression should be used in the following blank
    // to express the correct output for a given random input?
    assertEquals(/* expected output */ _____, x, /* delta */ 1.0e-5);
}
```

$\inf\{x \in R \mid P(X \leq x) \geq p\}$  for  $0 < p \leq 1$   
 $\inf\{x \in R \mid P(X \leq x) > 0\}$  for  $p = 0$

## Change Contract [ISSTA'13]

Stack.scc

```
public class Stack<E> {

    /*@changed_behavior
     * @ when_signaled (IllegalStateException e)
     * @ e.getErrorCode() == 100; // observed erroneous behavior
     * @ signals (IllegalStateException e) false; // should be fixed
     */
    public void push(E item);
}
```

## Preservation Condition

```
public void testSmallDegreesOfFreedom(double d1,
                                      double d2, double d3)
try {
    FDistributionImpl fd = new FDistributionImpl(d1, d2);
    double p = fd.cumulativeProbability(d3);
    double x = fd.inverseCumulativeProbability(p);
    Log.logOutIf(/* preservation condition */true,
                /* outputs to compare */ () -> new Double[] {x});
} catch (Exception e) {
    // original (pre-patched) version: ignore
    // patched version: log a predefined message
    Log.ignoreOutOfOrg();
}
```

$$P \vdash \text{logOutIf}(\varphi, \lambda) = \begin{cases} P \vdash \log(\lambda) & \text{if } P_{org} \vdash \text{eval}(\varphi) = \text{true} \\ P \vdash \text{nop} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

## Preservation Condition

```
public void testGcd(int i, int j) {  
    /* Original body:  
    try {  
        MathUtils.gcd(Integer.MIN_VALUE, 0);  
        fail("expecting ArithmeticException");  
    } catch (ArithmeticException expected) { // expected } */  
    try {  
        final long actual = MathUtils.gcd(i, j);  
        boolean complement = !( (i==Integer.MIN_VALUE && j==0)  
            || (i==0 && j==Integer.MIN_VALUE) );  
        Log.logOutIf(complement, () -> new Long[] { actual });  
    } catch (ArithmeticException e) {  
        Log.logOutIf(!complement, () -> new String[] { e.toString() });  
    } catch (Exception e) { Log.ignoreOutOfOrg(); }  
}
```

## 실험 대상

- PATCH-SIM[ICSE'18] 데이터셋
  - 139 patches (77 buggy versions)
  - 기존 연구[ICSE'20]에서 350 patches 추가

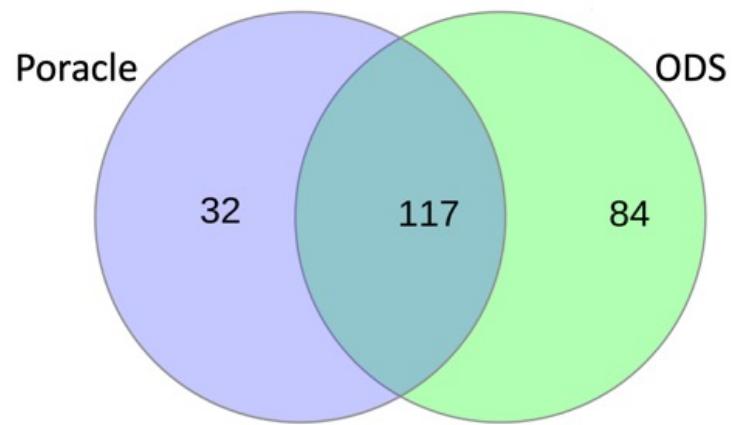
# 실험 결과

Project	Patches		Precision			Recall		
	Incorrect	Correct	PORACLE	PATCH-SIM	OPAD	PORACLE	PATCH-SIM	OPAD
Chart	24 / 24	2 / 2	100% / 100%	100% / 100%	67% / 67%	71% / 71%	58% / 58%	8% / 8%
Lang	11 / 32	4 / 19	100% / 100%	100% / 65%	50% / 50%	82% / 59%	54% / 34%	9% / 3%
Math	64 / 250	19 / 98	100% / 99%	100% / 96%	81% / 68%	62% / 59%	52% / 26%	27% / 16%
Time	13 / 20	2 / 13	100% / 100%	100% / 100%	100% / 100%	77% / 63%	69% / 50%	54% / 40%
Total	112 / 326	27 / 132	100% / 99%	100% / 92%	82% / 71%	70% / 60%	55% / 31%	24% / 16%

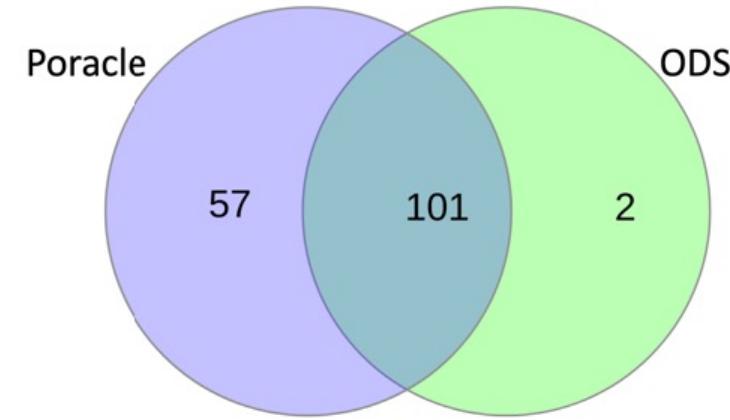
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Project	Patches		Precision		Recall	
	Incorrect	Correct	PORACLE	ODS	PORACLE	ODS
Chart	23 / 23	2 / 2	100% / 100%	100% / 100%	70% / 70%	57% / 57%
Lang	10 / 26	3 / 10	100% / 100%	100% / 78%	80% / 58%	90% / 96%
Math	60 / 177	19 / 64	100% / 99%	92% / 90%	68% / 61%	55% / 84%
Time	13 / 16	2 / 7	100% / 100%	92% / 70%	77% / 69%	85% / 88%
Total	106 / 242	26 / 83	100% / 99%	94% / 88%	71% / 62%	62% / 83%

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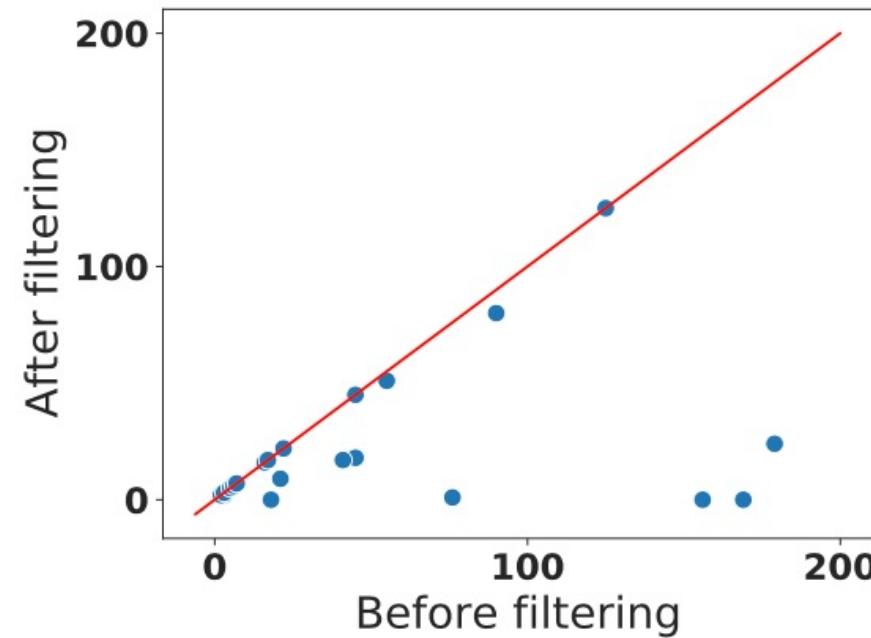
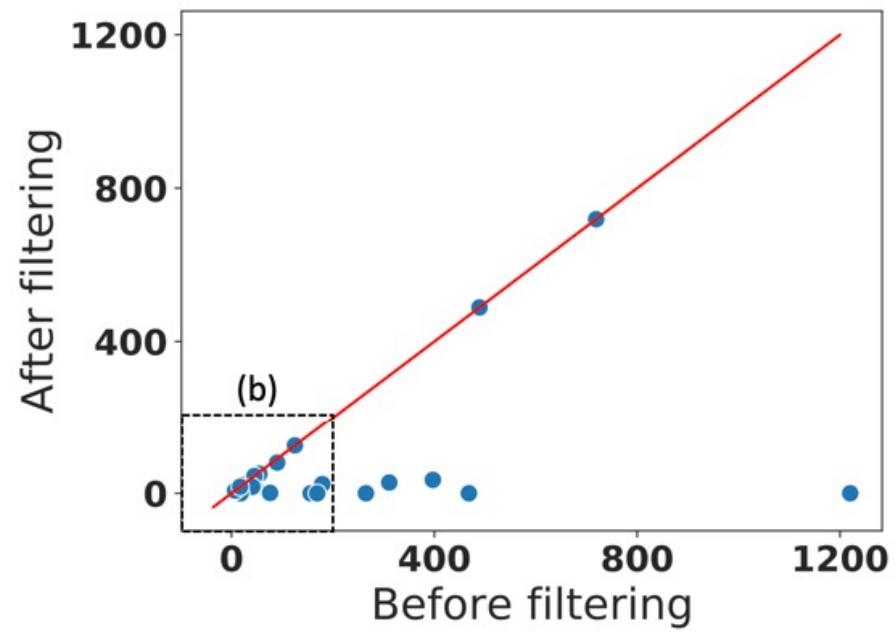


**(a) Rightly rejected patches**

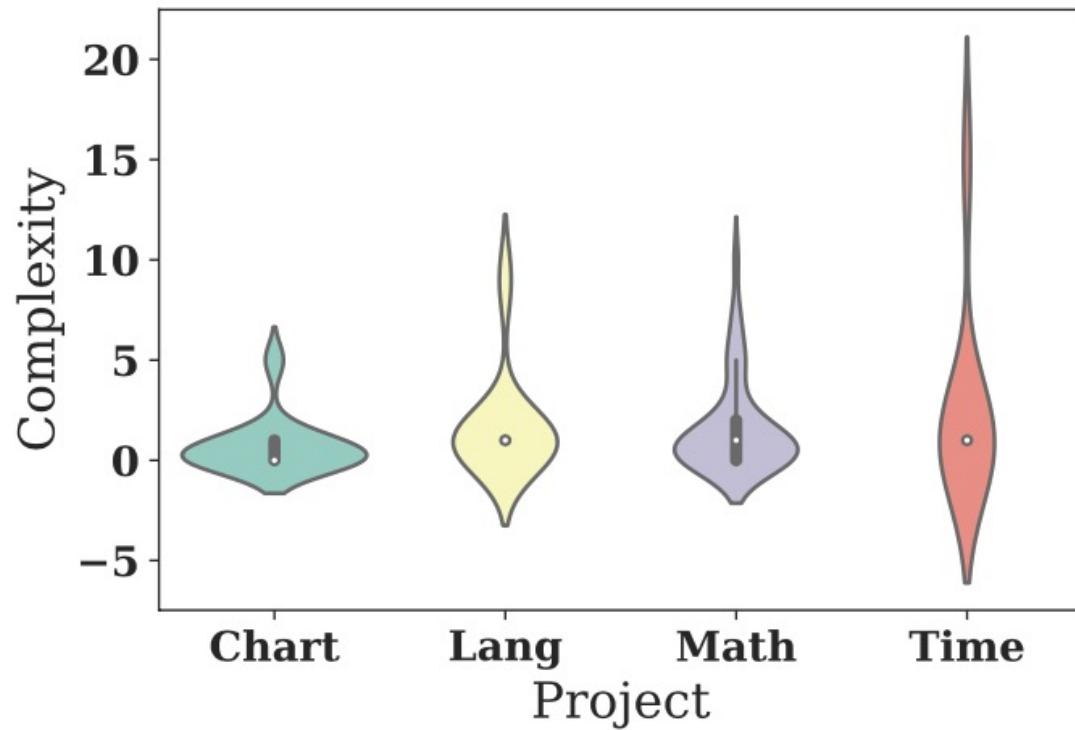


**(b) Rightly accepted patches**

# JAID 실험 결과



## Preservation Condition의 complexity



# 정리

- FAngelix: 패치 탐색 효율성 향상
- Verifix: 패치 정확성 보증
- Poracle: 패치 정확성 향상