
Membership-based Synthesis of Linear Hybrid Automata

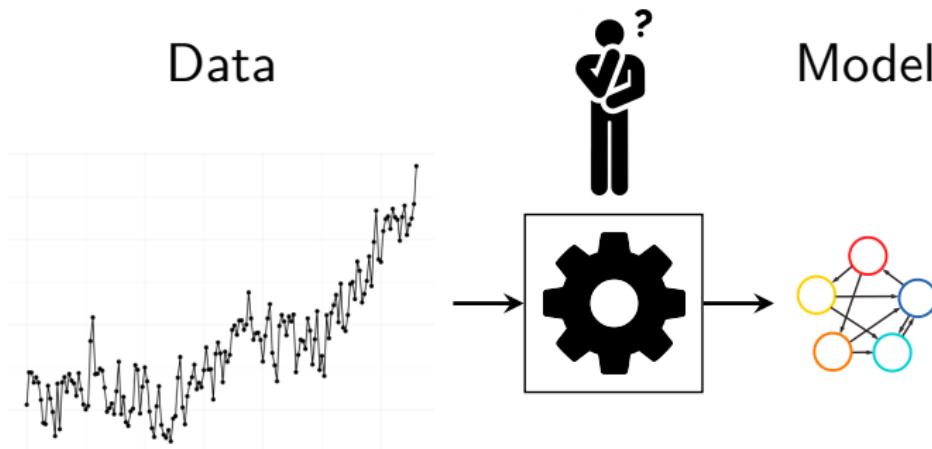
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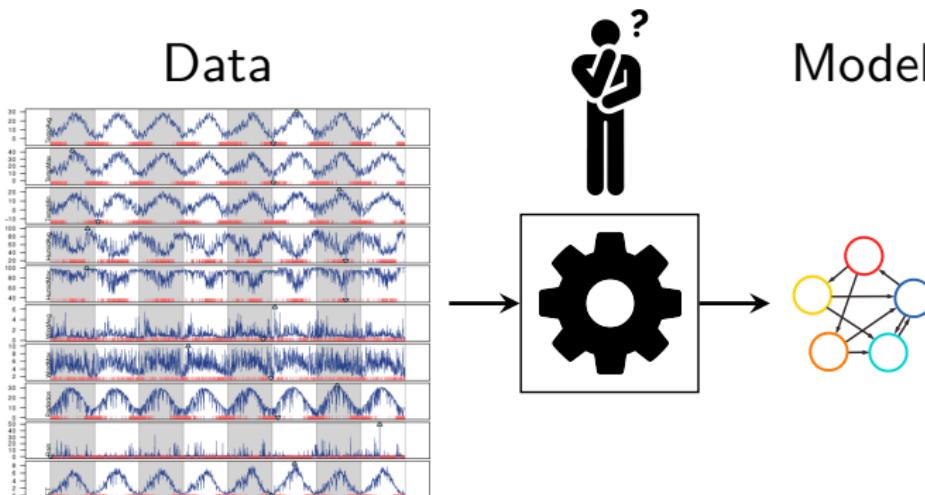


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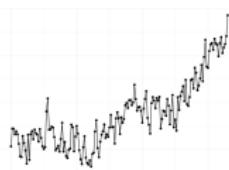


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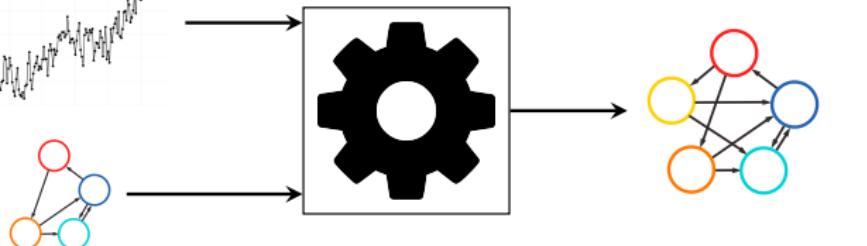
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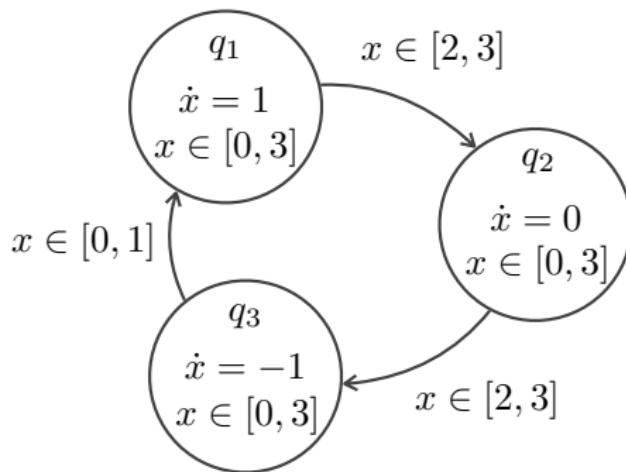
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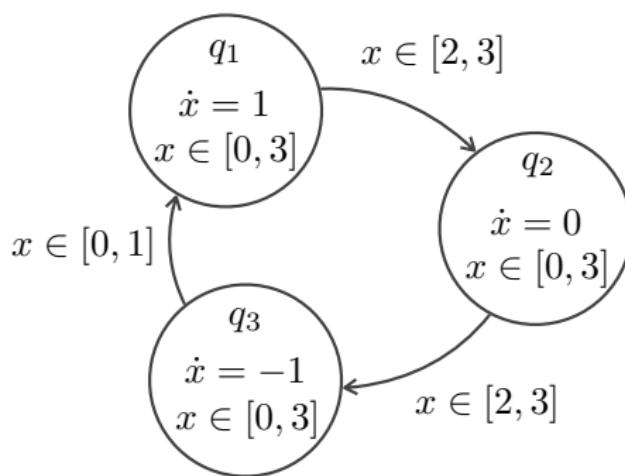
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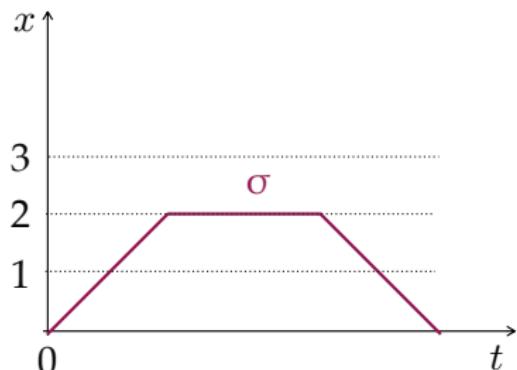
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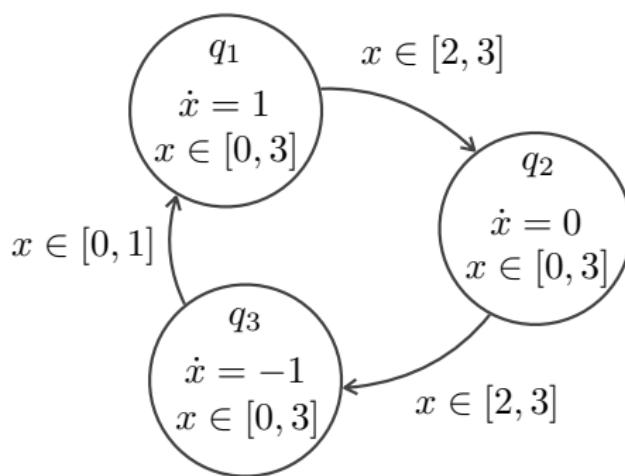
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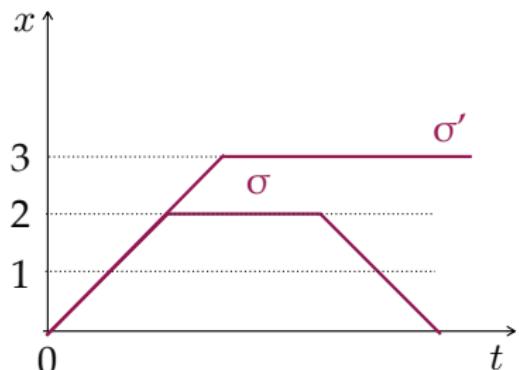
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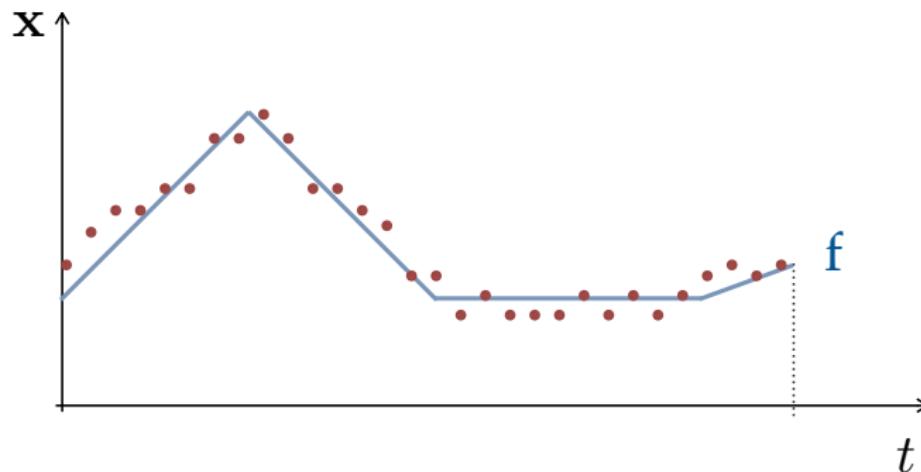


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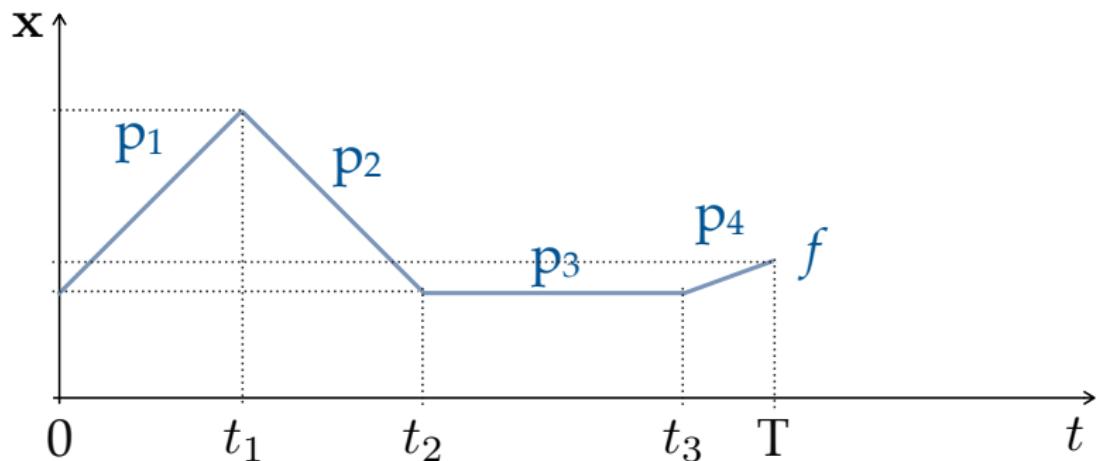


- Nondeterministic mode changes
- Restriction in this work: continuous executions

Piecewise-linear (PWL) function



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Related work

- SARX models (discrete time, deterministic switching) and PWARX models (SARX with state-space partition) can be synthesized algebraically¹; some adaptive algorithms exist^{2,3}
- Existing approaches for hybrid automata are not adaptive and come with limitations (e.g., periodic⁴, acyclic⁵, stateless⁶, deterministic⁷)

¹S. Paoletti et al. *Eur. J. Control* (2007).

²A. Skeppstedt et al. *Int. J. Control* (1992).

³Y. Hashambhoy and R. Vidal. *CDC*. 2005.

⁴R. Grosu et al. *HSCC*. 2007.

⁵O. Nigemann et al. *AAAI*. 2012.

⁶D. L. Ly and H. Lipson. *JMLR* (2012).

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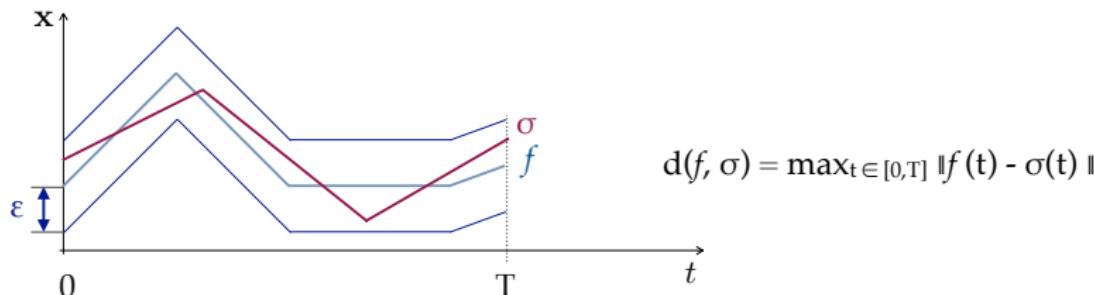
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ε -capturing

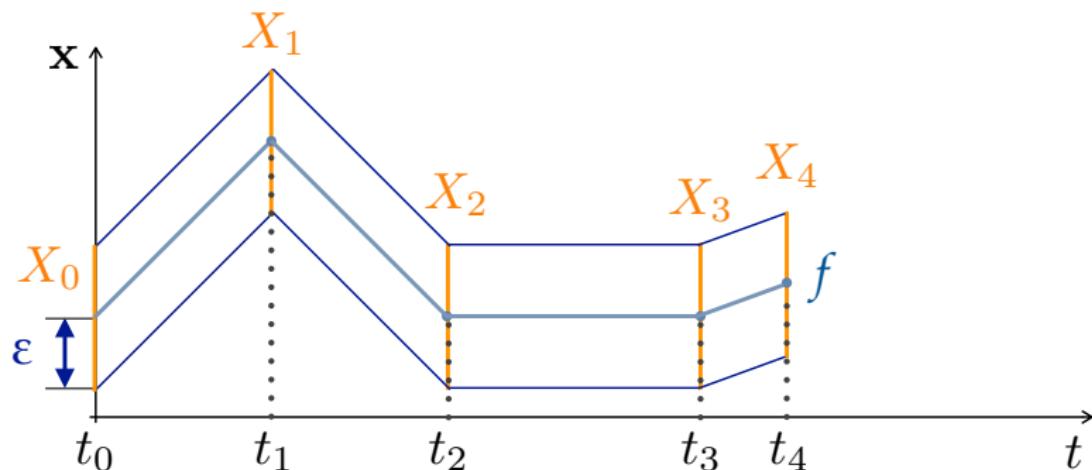
An LHA \mathcal{H} ε -captures a PWL functions f if there exists an execution σ with $d(f, \sigma) \leq \varepsilon$

Synthesis problem

Given a finite set of PWL functions \mathcal{F} and $\varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$, construct an LHA \mathcal{H} that ε -captures all $f \in \mathcal{F}$

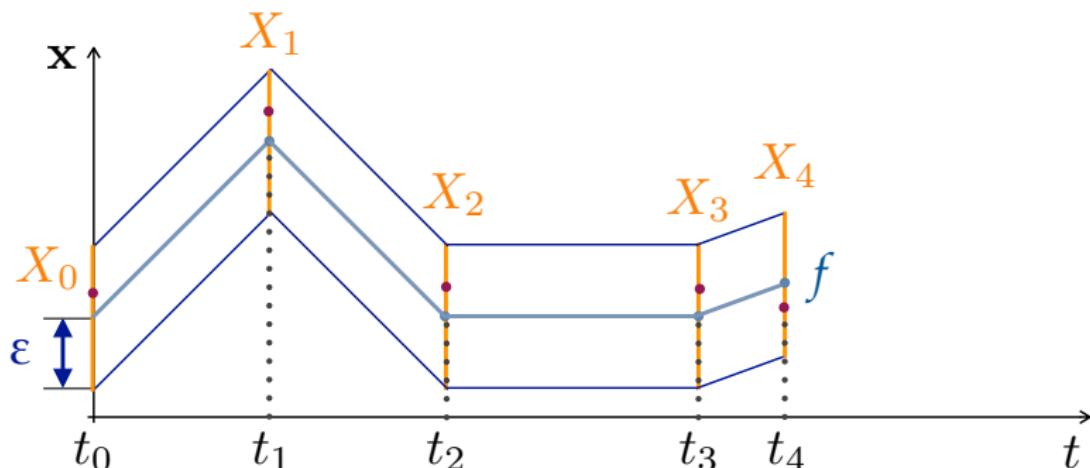
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- Execution σ must switch synchronously with PWL function f



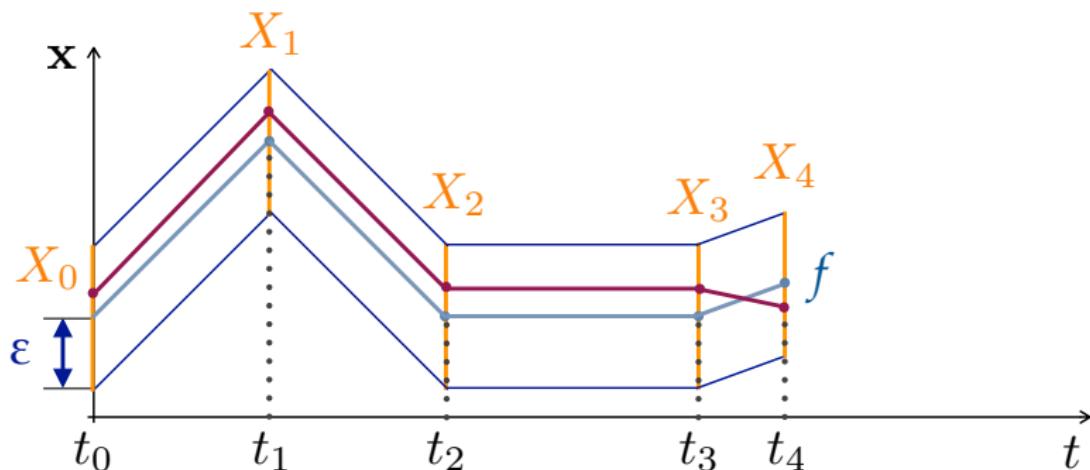
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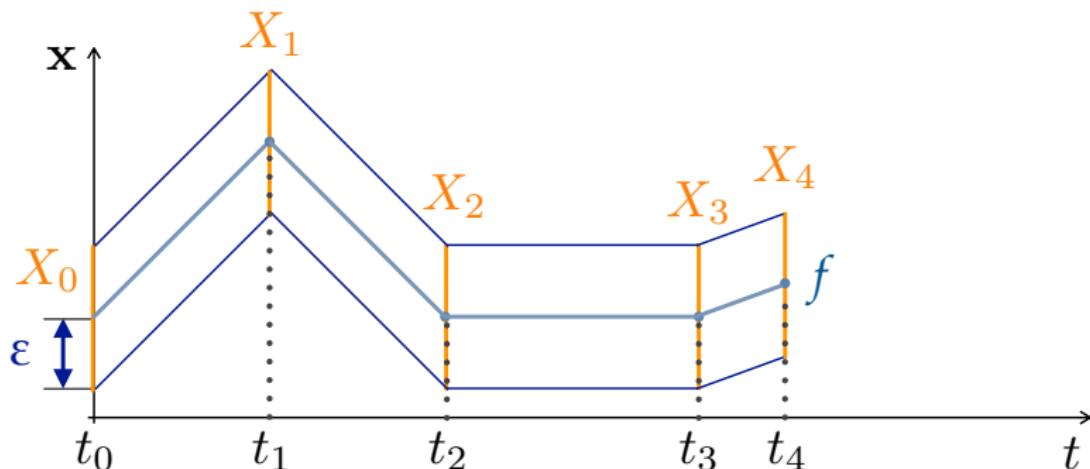
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- Reduction to satisfiability of linear-arithmetic formula
 - Parametric in number of modes (i.e., can be minimized)

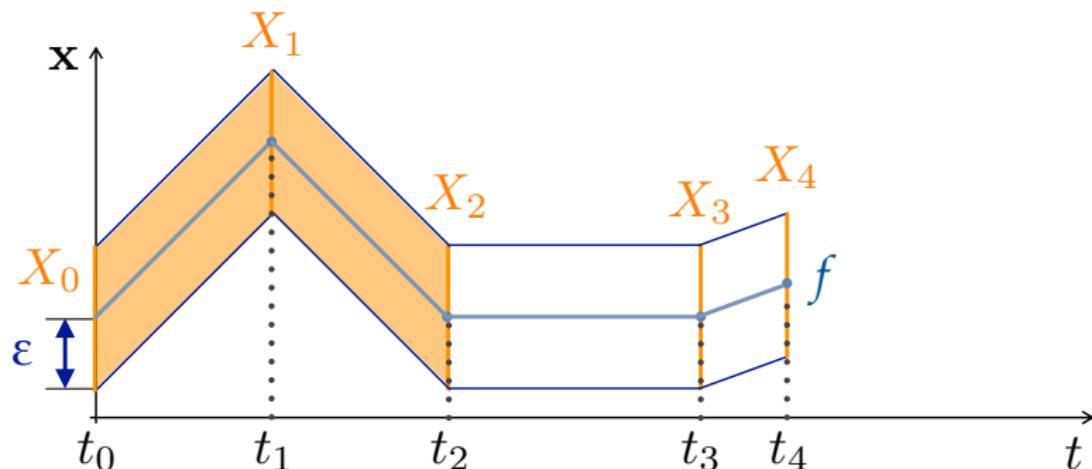
Asynchronous switching

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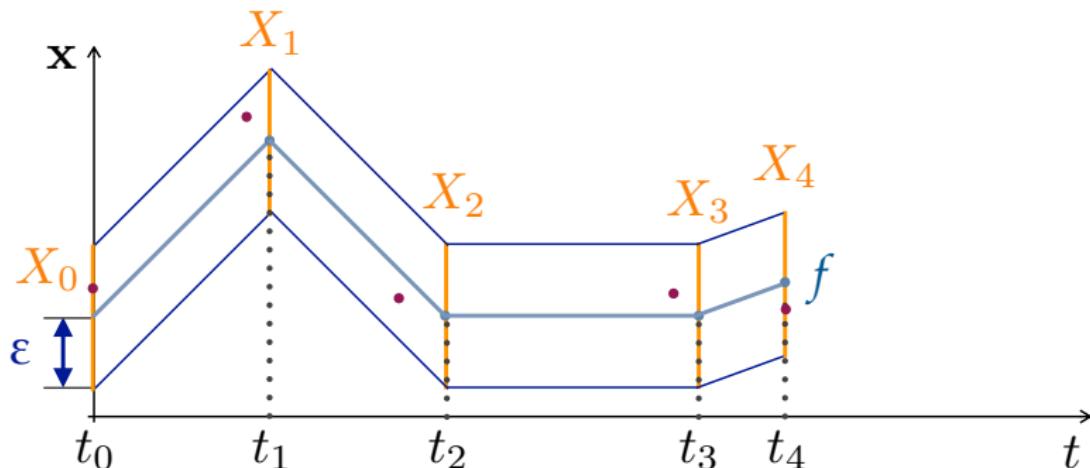
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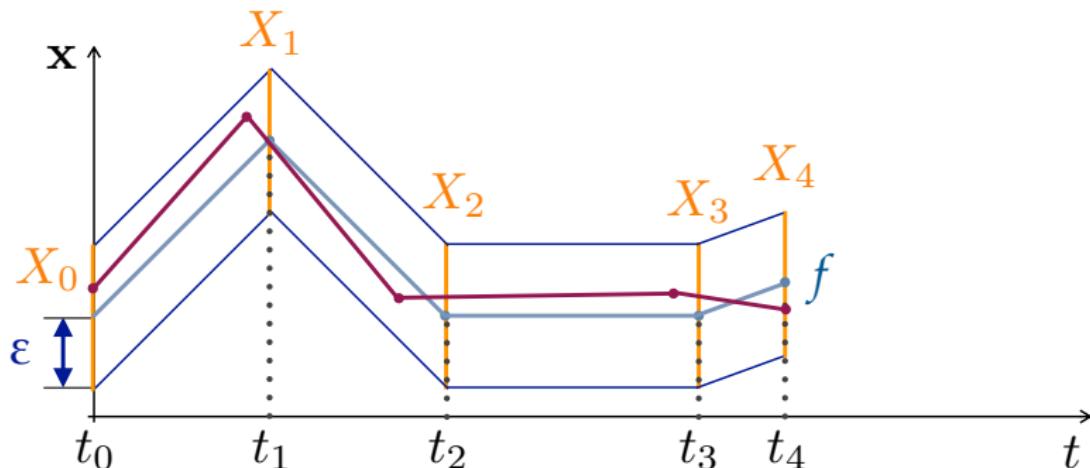
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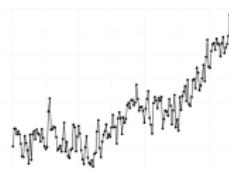
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- Counterexample-guided, based on membership test

Recall: Adaptive synthesis algorithm

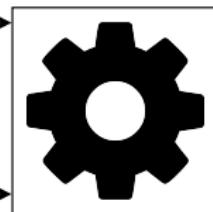
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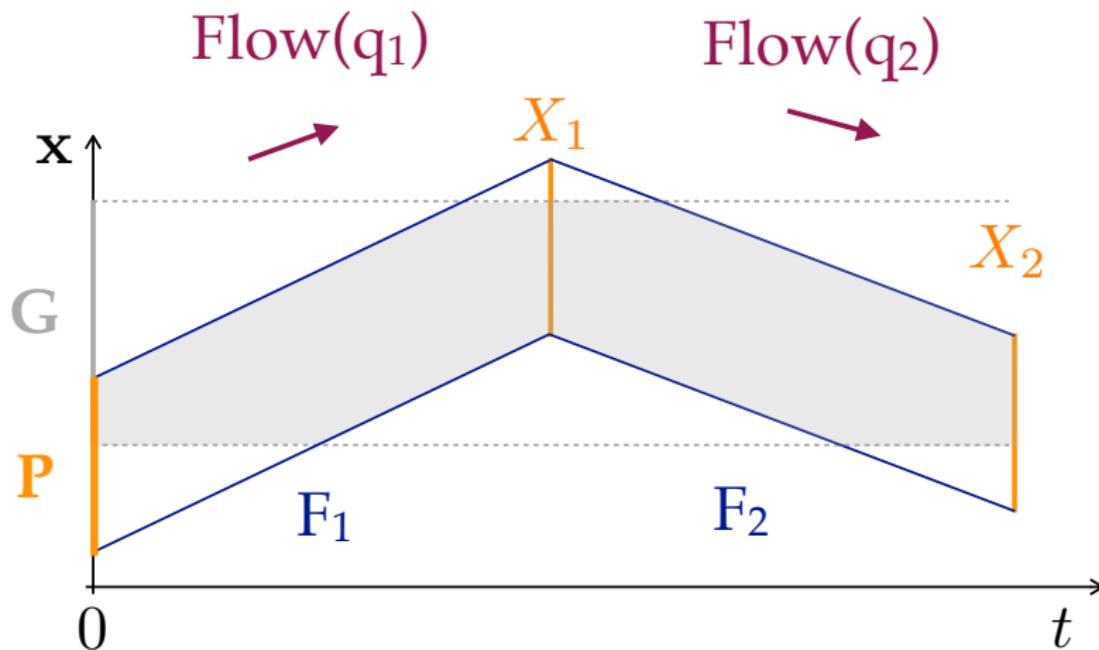
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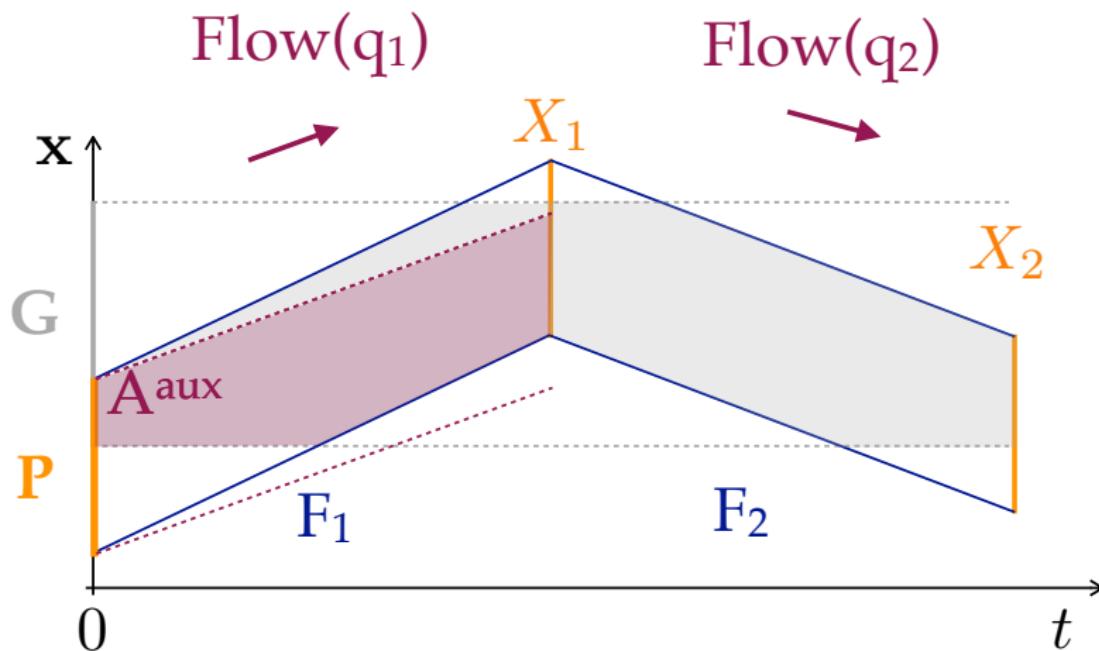


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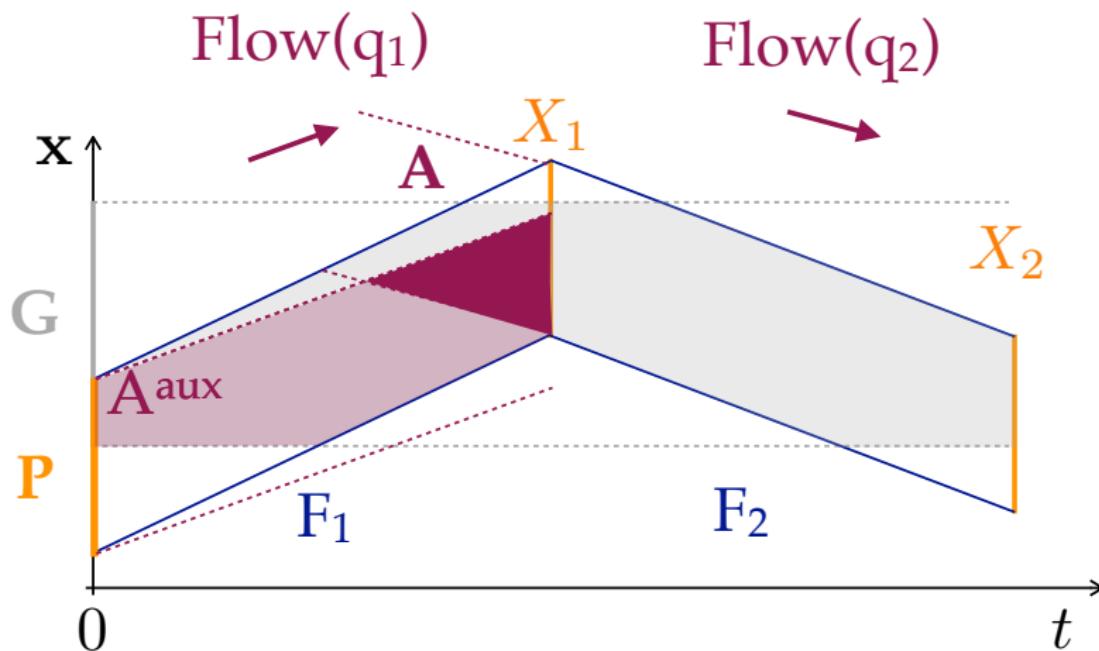


- Example: one step along path with prefix $q_1 q_2$

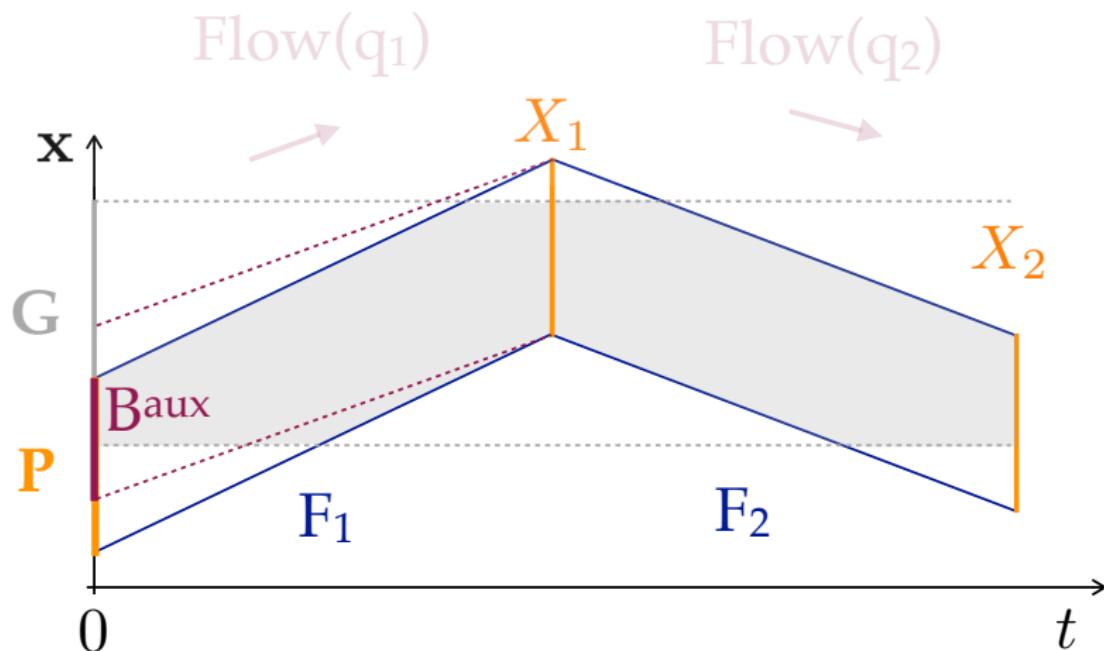
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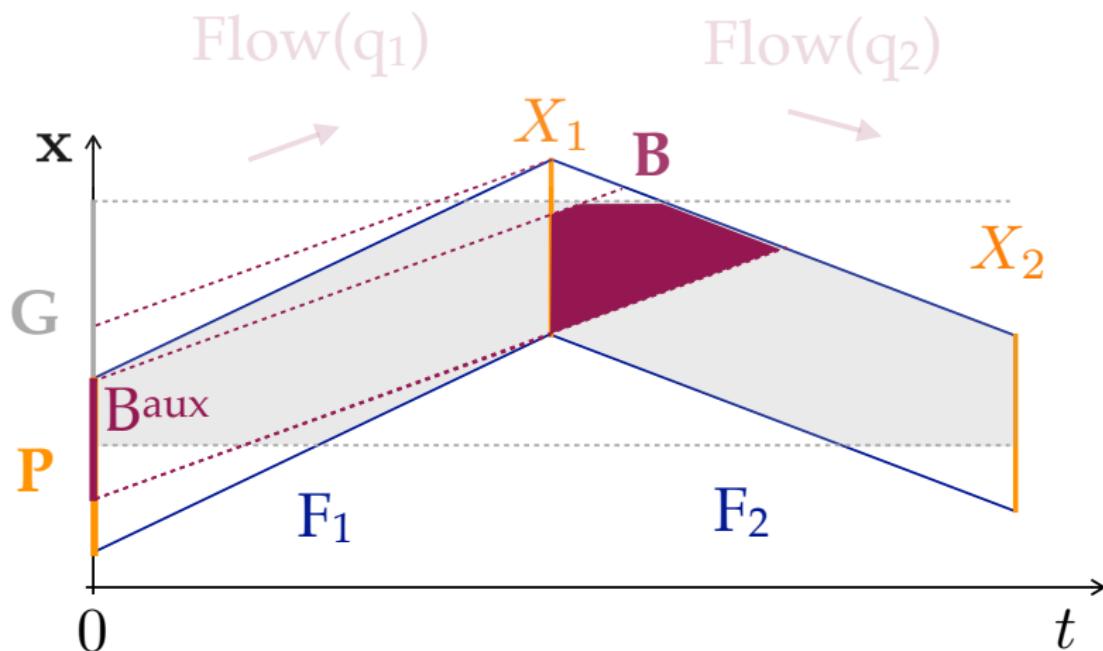
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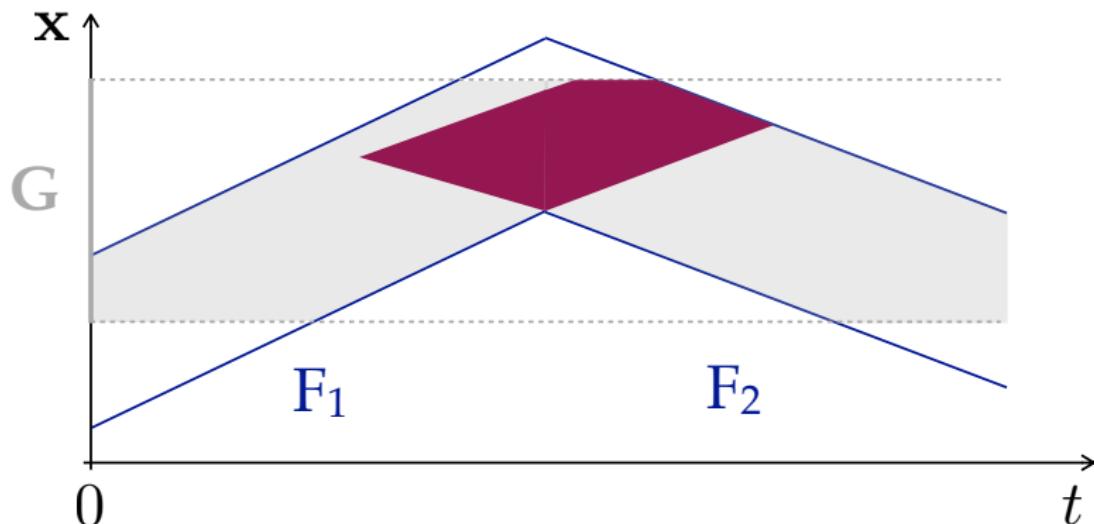


Membership algorithm



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$$P = A \cup B$$



- PWL function is ε -captured along path iff last set is nonempty

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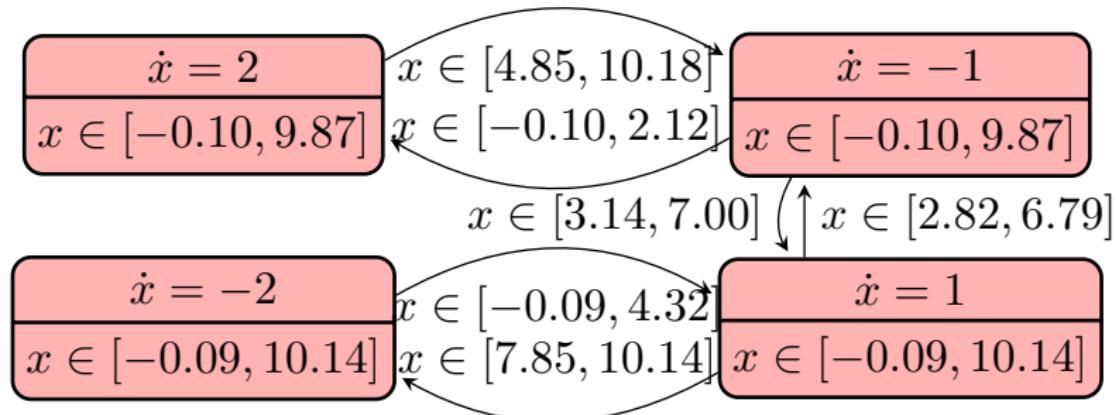
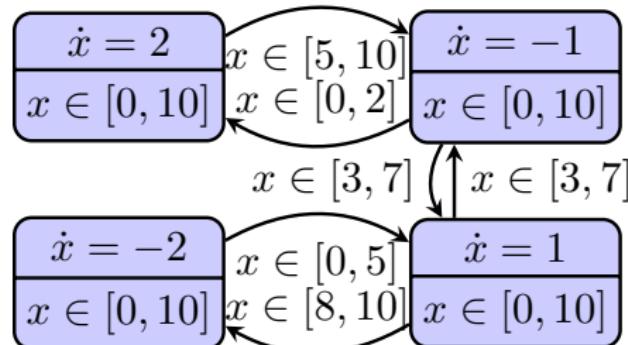
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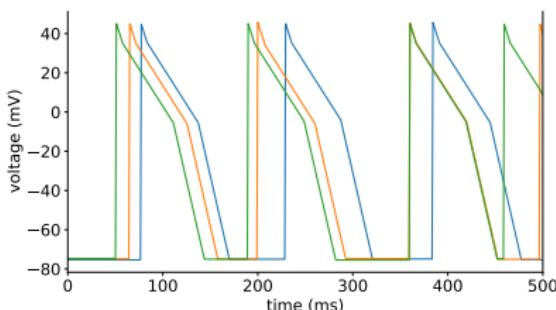
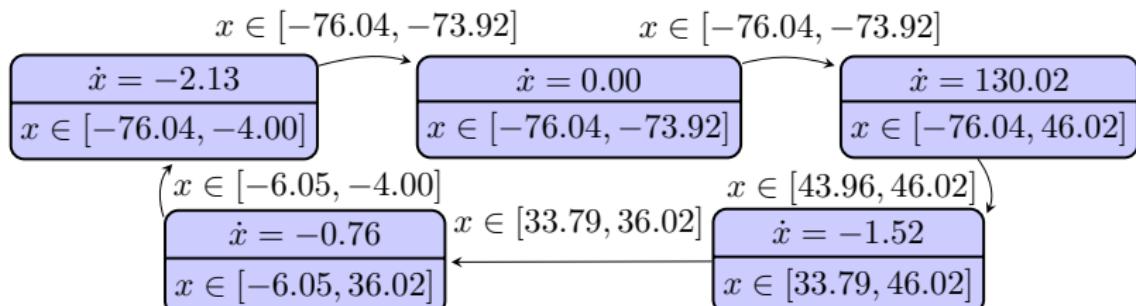
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Synthetic model replication

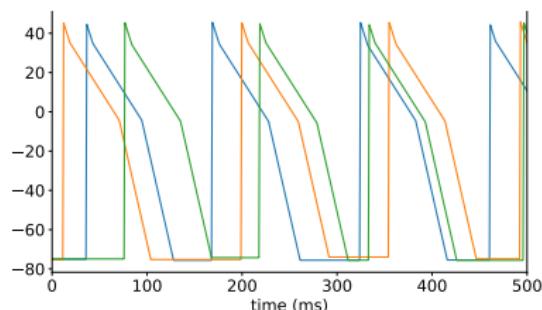
$\varepsilon = 0.2$



Voltage traces of excitable cell



Sample input traces



Sample executions

Summary

- Automatic synthesis of linear hybrid automaton from piecewise-linear functions
- Trade-off parameter ε (model size vs. model precision)
- Model with synchronous switching
 - Reduction to linear arithmetic
 - Minimal number of modes
- Model with asynchronous switching
 - Adaptive algorithm
 - Based on membership/reachability queries
 - Sound and complete for a general class of LHA