



Model Repair in Systems Design

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Model-Based Design for Space Systems @ AUTh

Design Validation Studies Using COMPASS

- Bozzano, Cimatti, Katoen, Katsaros, Mokos, Nguyen, Noll, Postmac, Roveri. ***Spacecraft early design validation using formal methods***, Reliability Engineering and System Safety, 2014
- Mandaras, ***Early design validation of the GOES I-M system***, Master Thesis, AUTh, 2015

Ongoing ESA TRP studies

- **Catalogue of System & Software Properties** with EPFL RiSD Lab and TAS
 - Requirements catalogue & formalization
 - Ontology-based semantics modeling & reasoning (Prof. Bassiliades)
 - Rigorous architecture based design (Prof. Sifakis)
- **Model-Based Schedulability Analysis for Cached & Multicore Processors** (working for CERTH) with Verimag Lab, Cobham Gaisler, Deimos Space

The Model Repair problem

- Extension of model checking used for *design refinement*:

Given a system model M and some temporal logic property φ , where M does not satisfy φ find a new model M' such that M' satisfies φ and the changes in M to derive M' are minimal with respect to all such M' .

- Variants from the bibliography:
 - with constraints (preserve properties)
 - with controllable states (repair options)



Applications



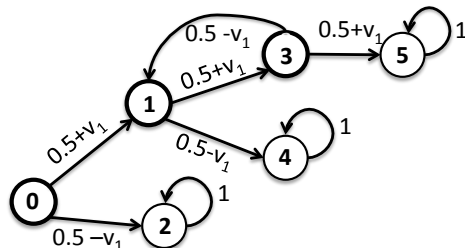
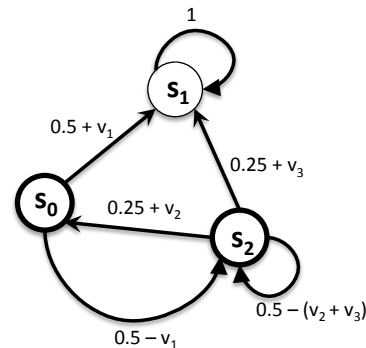
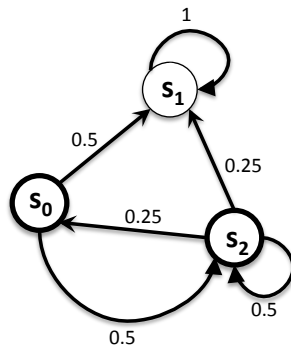
- ▣ Model Repair for incorporating fault tolerance in a distributed algorithm
Bonakdarpour, Kulkarni, Abujarad. *Symbolic synthesis of masking fault-tolerant programs*, 2012
- ▣ Model Repair for fault recovery in component-based models
Bonakdarpour, Bozga, Goessler. *A theory of fault recovery for component-based models*, 2011
- ▣ Model Repair for concurrent programs
Attie, Cherri, Al Bab, Sakr, Saklawi. *Model and Program Repair via SAT Solving*, 2015
- ▣ Model Repair for probabilistic systems
Bartocci, Grosu, Katsaros, Ramakrishnan, Smolka, *Model repair for probabilistic systems*, 2011
Pathak, Abraham, Jansen, Tacchella, Katoen. *A Greedy Approach for the Efficient Repair of Stochastic Models*, 2015

Model Repair solutions for probabilistic systems I

Bartocci, Grosu, Katsaros, Ramakrishnan, Smolka, *Model repair for probabilistic systems*, TACAS, 2011

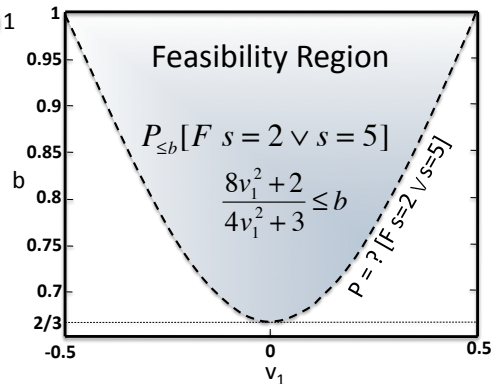
For DTMCs and CTMCs,

- using parametric probabilistic model checking **the problem is reduced to a nonlinear optimization problem** with a minimal-cost objective function
- solution **feasibility & optimality conditions** are provided
- an implementation of the solution technique is provided



$$P_{\leq 0.3}[F s = 2 \vee s = 5] \Leftrightarrow \frac{8v_1^2 + 2}{4v_1^2 + 3} \leq 0.3$$

is infeasible



Model Repair solutions for probabilistic systems II

For MDPs,

Chen, Hahn, Han, Kwiatkowska, Qu, Zhang,
Model Repair for Markov Decision Processes,
TASE, 2013

- ▣ Region refinement through the parameter space (approximation)
- ▣ Sampling-based search through the parameter space

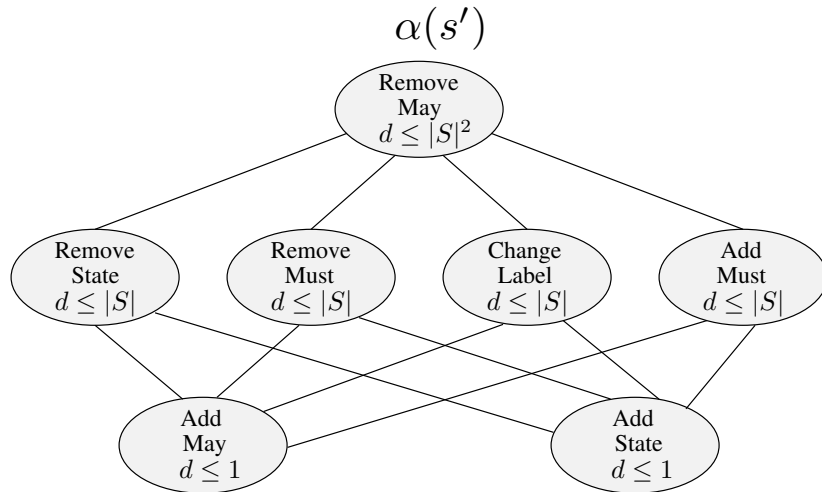
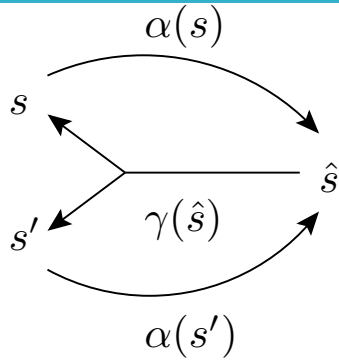
For DTMCs + CTMCs,

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- ▣ From initial parameter assignment, iteratively changes the parameter values by local repair steps



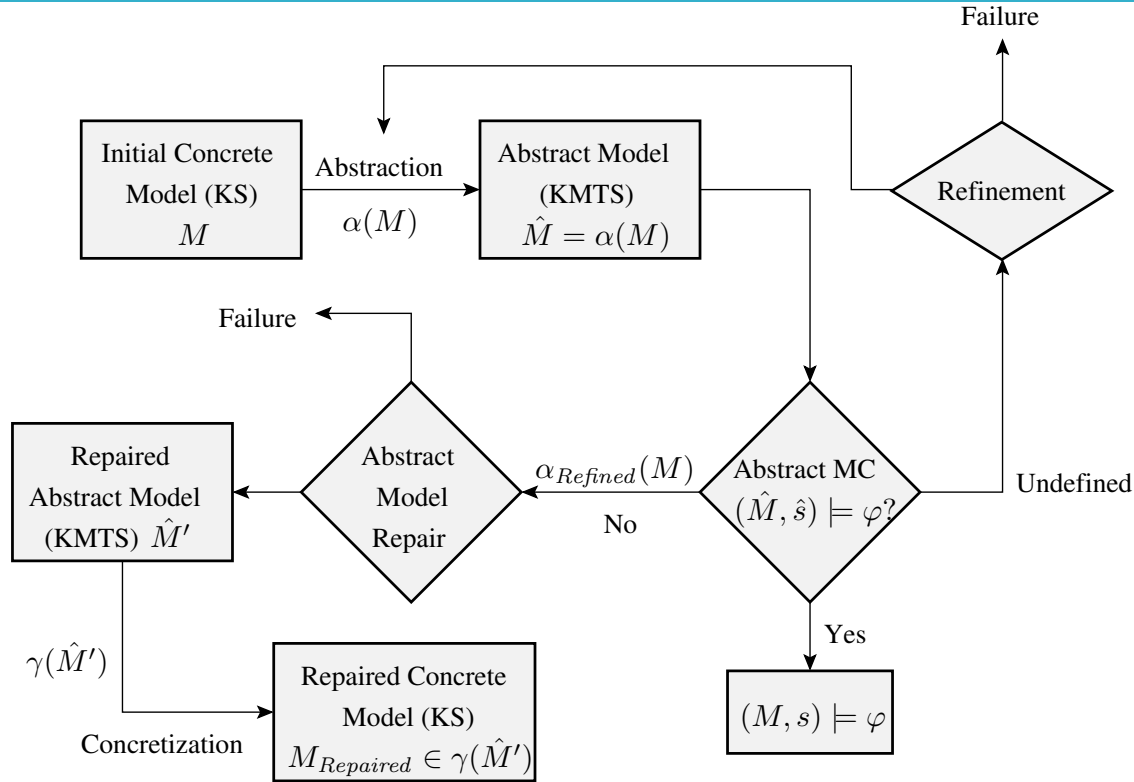
Abstract Model Repair for transition systems I



Chatzieftheriou, Bonakdarpour, Katsaros, Smolka.
Abstract Model Repair, NASA Formal Methods 2012 +
Logical Methods in Computer Science 2015

- Model Repair CTL properties using **abstraction & refinement** to tackle state space explosion:
 - Concrete model is a Kripke Structure
 - Abstract model is a (Kripke) Modal Transition System
 - A pair of abstraction & concretization functions (α, γ) is defined
- A **metric space over Kripke structures** is defined to quantify their structural differences.
- Partial ordering of basic **abstract repair operations** in terms of the structural changes implied for the concrete model.

Abstract Model Repair for transition systems II



Conclusions



- ▣ Model Repair solutions for probabilistic systems
- ▣ Abstract Model Repair framework & algorithm
 - proved **sound for the full CTL** and **complete for a subset of CTL** (excluding only the AND operator)
 - complexity: upper bounded by a polynomial expression in the size of the abstract model
 - constraints in model repair undermine completeness
- ▣ Towards **Design Repair**
 - better criteria for quantifying changes and minimality (structural differences, only good for abstract repair)
 - define basic repair operations in rigorous system design languages (e.g. SLIM, BIP) and assess their cost
 - introduce architecture specific repair options in the design/verification front-end

THANK YOU!

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