

# First Exam

Tuesday, August 9, 2016

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- Please place your student identity card on your desk for identification purposes.
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<b>Task:</b>	1.)	2.)	3.)	4.)	5.)	6.)	7.)	<b>Total</b>
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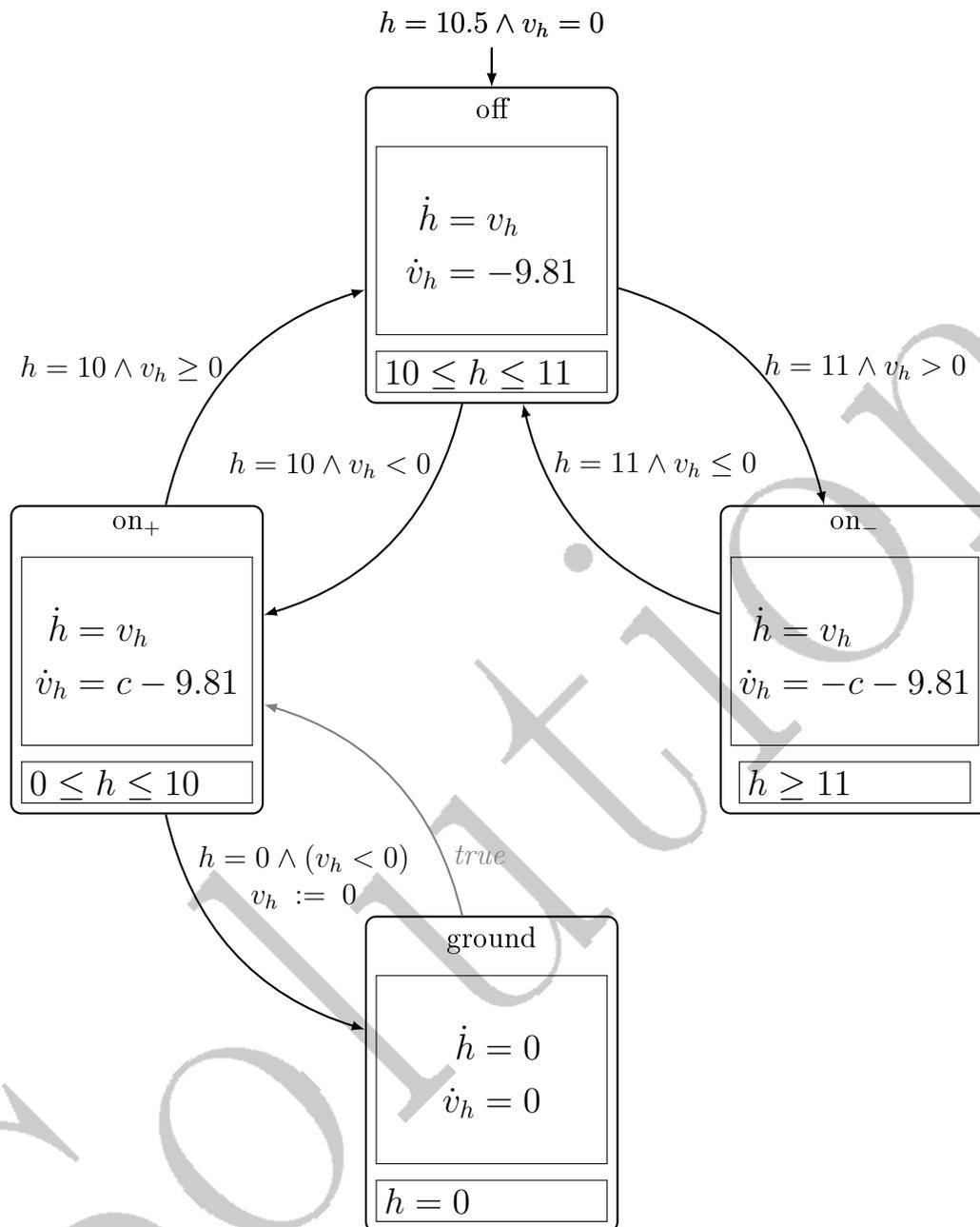
## Task 1. Hybrid systems modeling

(13 + 3 points)

a) We want to create a model for a digital controller for the stability regulation of a helicopter subject to the following constraints:

- The simplified helicopter monitors its current height  $h$  [m] and its vertical velocity  $v_h$  [m/s].
- The motor of the helicopter has 3 states, either it is **on<sub>+</sub>**, when the helicopter has a height  $h \leq 10$  (motor pulls upwards), **on<sub>-</sub>**, when the helicopter has a height  $h \geq 11$  (the motor pulls downwards) or **off**, if its height is  $10 \leq h \leq 11$ . The motor *cannot switch directly* between **on<sub>+</sub>** and **on<sub>-</sub>** but has to be **off** before changing the acceleration.
- The upwards, respectively downwards *accelerating* force of the motor is constant (denoted by  $c$  respectively  $-c$  [m/s<sup>2</sup>]).
- Independently of the motor state, earth's gravity accelerates the helicopter with a constant factor of  $-9.81$  [m/s<sup>2</sup>]. (Note that when the helicopter is on the ground, the helicopter's total vertical acceleration is zero due to *Newton's third law*.)
- Initially, the helicopter is at height  $10.5$  [m] and the motor is **off** with a vertical velocity  $v_h = 0$  [m/s].

Please complete the hybrid automaton below to derive a formal model for the helicopter's movement.



- b) Please formalize the sufficient condition to ensure non-Zeno behavior for a timed automaton  $\mathcal{T}$  as presented in the lecture and argue why it holds.

Let  $\mathcal{T}$  be a timed automaton with clocks  $\mathcal{C}$  such that for every control cycle

$$l_0 \xrightarrow{a_1:g_1,r_1} l_1 \xrightarrow{a_2:g_2,r_2} l_2 \dots \xrightarrow{a_n:g_n,r_n} l_n = l_0$$

in  $\mathcal{T}$  there exists a clock  $x \in \mathcal{C}$  such that

- $x \in r_i$  for some  $0 < i \leq n$ , and
- for all evaluations  $\nu \in V$  there exist some  $0 < j \leq n$  and  $d \in \mathbb{N}^{>0}$  with

$$\nu(x) < d \text{ implies } (\nu \not\models \text{Inv}(l_j) \text{ or } \nu \not\models g_j).$$

Then  $\mathcal{T}$  is non-Zeno.

This sufficient condition states, that there is at least one state in every control cycle which enforces that at least  $d$  time units pass in this cycle such that there is no way the system can loop without letting time pass.

**Task 2. TCTL**

(2 + 7 + 15 + 3 points)

- a) What does it mean that a hybrid automaton contains a
- timelock*
- ?

For a reachable state  $\sigma \in \Sigma$  let  $paths_{div}(\sigma)$  be the set of time-divergent paths starting in  $\sigma$ .

A state  $\sigma \in \Sigma$  contains a *timelock* iff  $paths_{div}(\sigma) = \emptyset$ .

- b) Consider the following TCTL formulas. For each formula
- $\varphi_i$
- , please construct
- $\hat{\varphi}_i$
- by
- first**
- eliminating syntactic sugar and
- second**
- eliminating timing parameters.

$$\varphi_1 = AG^{\leq 4}a:$$

Add new clock  $c_1$  which is never reset and use it as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\varphi}_1 &= \neg EF^{\leq 4} \neg a \\ &\Leftrightarrow \neg E(\text{true} U^{\leq 4} \neg a) \\ &\Leftrightarrow \neg E(\text{true} U(c_1 \leq 4 \wedge \neg a))\end{aligned}$$

$$\varphi_2 = AGEF^{\leq 2}a:$$

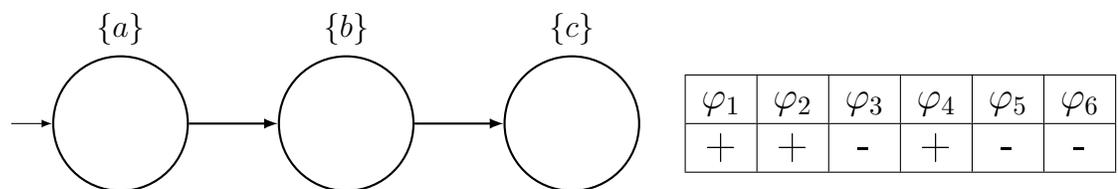
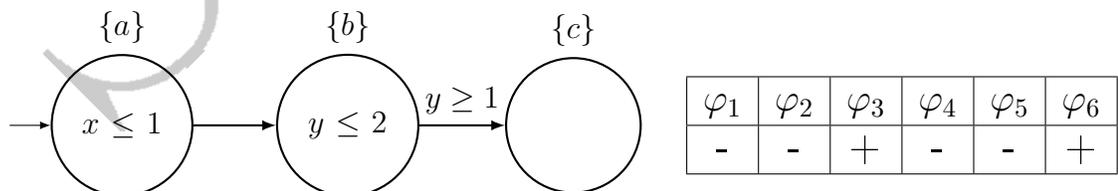
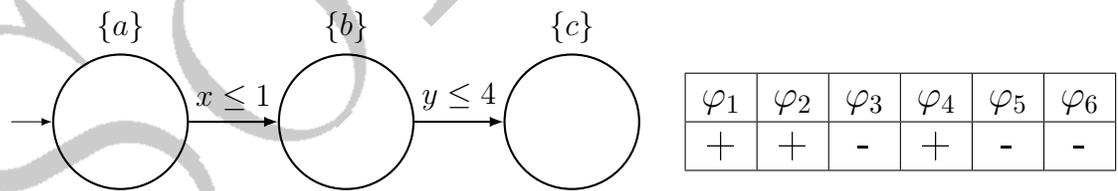
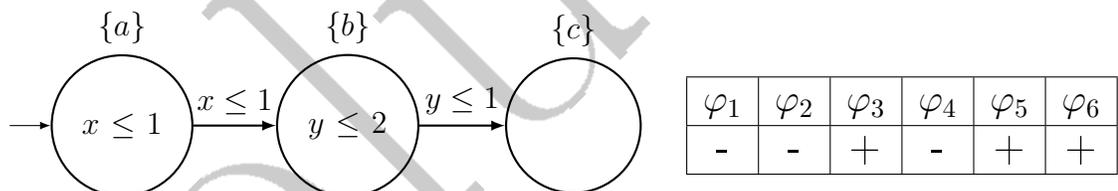
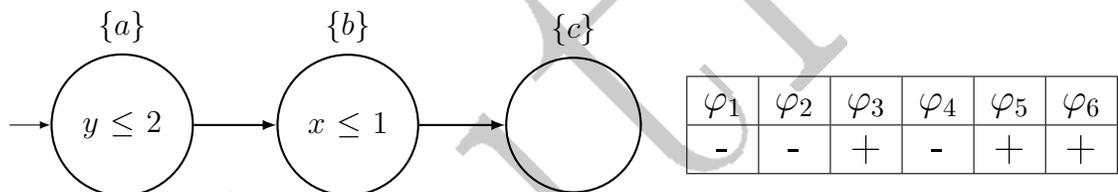
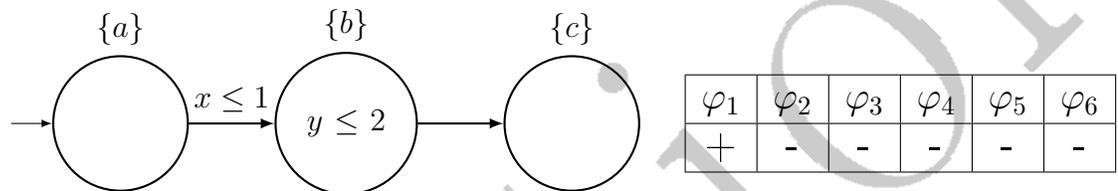
Add new clock  $c_2$  which is never reset and use it as follows

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\varphi}_2 &= AGE(\text{true} U^{\leq 2} a) \\ &\Leftrightarrow \neg EF \neg E(\text{true} U^{\leq 2} a) \\ &\Leftrightarrow \neg E(\text{true} U \neg E(\text{true} U^{\leq 2} a)) \\ &\Leftrightarrow \neg E(\text{true} U \neg E(\text{true} U(c_2 \leq 2 \wedge a)))\end{aligned}$$

c) Consider the timed automata given below and the following TCTL formulas:

- 1)  $\varphi_1 = EGa$
- 2)  $\varphi_2 = EGa \wedge EFEGb$
- 3)  $\varphi_3 = AF^{\leq 4}c \wedge AF^{\leq 1}b$
- 4)  $\varphi_4 = EGa \wedge EFEGb \wedge EFEGc$
- 5)  $\varphi_5 = AF^{\leq 1}c$
- 6)  $\varphi_6 = AF^{[1,2]}c$

For each automaton, please fill out the table on the right side. Add a symbol +, where the respective formula holds and a symbol - where the formula does not hold.



d) Please state, which of the previously (c.f. Task 2c) presented timed automata contain a *timelock* path. Justify your answer!

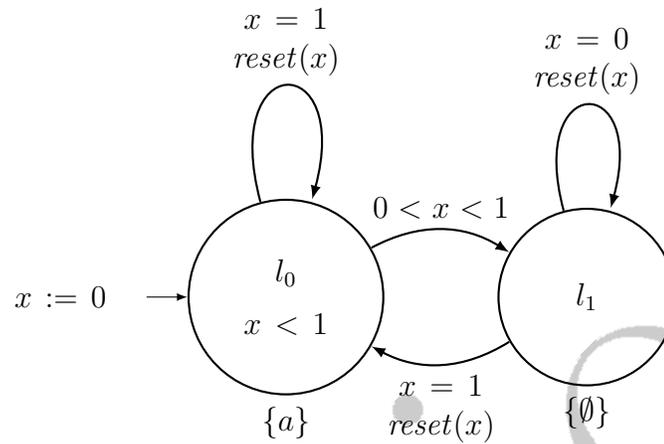
The second and the third automata contain a timelock:

- second automaton: When the control stays longer than 1 time unit in the first location, the control can never leave this location and the path will eventually invalidate the invariant.
- third automaton: When the control stays in the second location until the global time is larger than 1 time unit, it can never leave this location and will eventually invalidate the invariant.

### Task 3. Timed automata model checking

(7 + 4 + 3 points)

a) Consider the following timed automaton  $\mathcal{T}$  and the TCTL formula  $\varphi = EF^{\leq 2} \neg a$ :

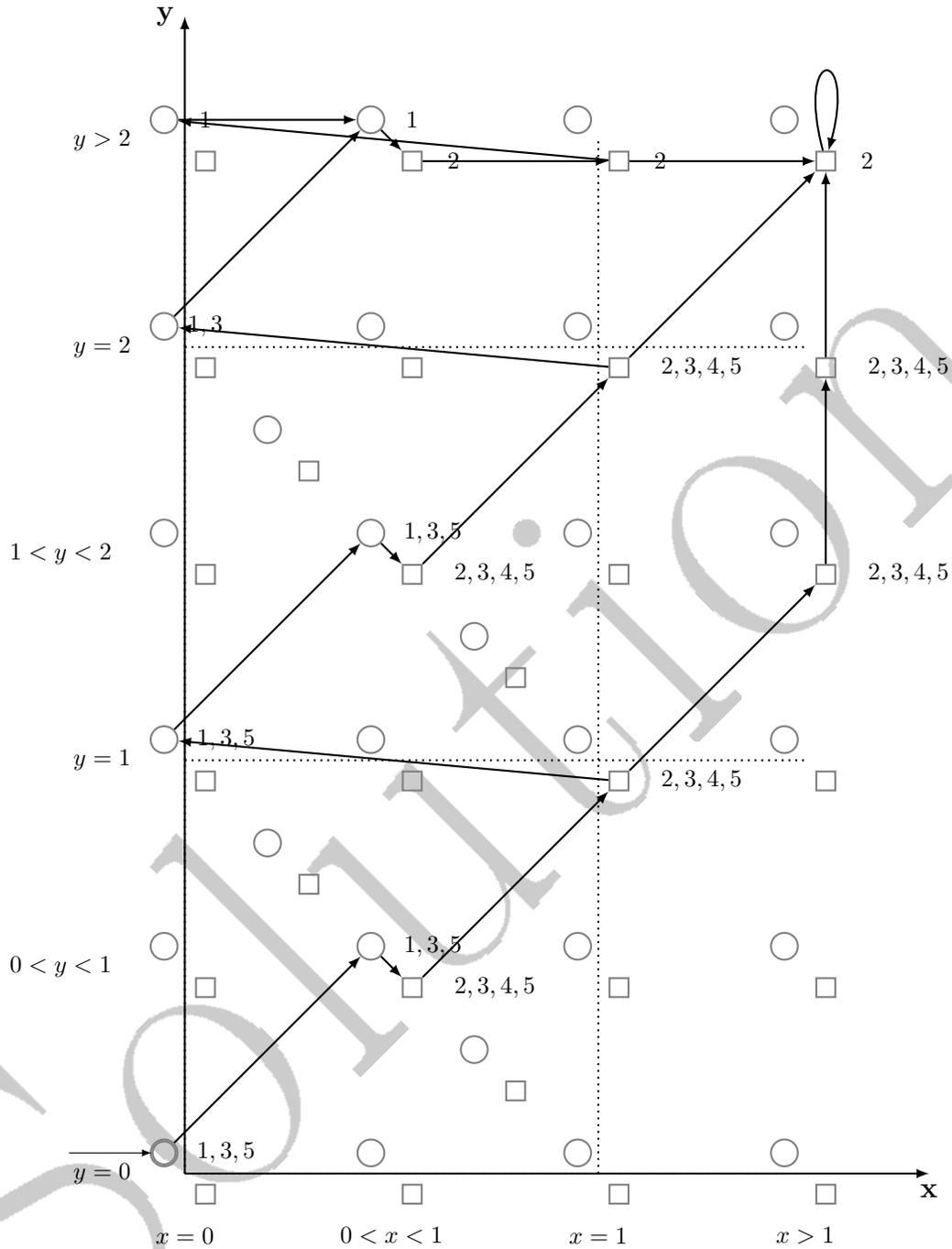


After eliminating timing parameters and syntactic sugar from  $\varphi$ , we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\varphi} &= EF(y \leq 2 \wedge \neg a) \\ &\Leftrightarrow E(\text{true } \mathcal{U}(y \leq 2 \wedge \neg a)) \end{aligned}$$

i) Construct the *region transition system* (RTS)  $\mathcal{R}$ , such that  $\mathcal{T} \models_{TCTL} \varphi$  iff  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  with  $\hat{\varphi} = E(\text{true } \mathcal{U}(y \leq 2 \wedge \neg a))$ . As  $\mathcal{R}$  will become big, use the prepared grid below to sketch the RTS (by adding the RTS transitions) as follows:

- $\bigcirc$  represents a state, where the location is  $l_0$ .
- $\square$  represents a state, where the location is  $l_1$ .
- The position of a state in the grid determines, which clock region the state represents.
- Please draw only the reachable fragment of  $\mathcal{R}$ .



- ii) Apply *CTL model checking* to determine whether or not  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$ . Please use the provided subformula naming and label *all reachable* RTS states on the previous page **either with  $\psi_i$  or  $\neg\psi_i$** . Does  $\hat{\varphi}$  hold in  $\mathcal{R}$ , i.e., does  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  hold?

$$\hat{\varphi} = E(\underbrace{\text{true } \mathcal{U}(y \leq 2)}_{\psi_3} \wedge \underbrace{\neg a}_{\psi_1})$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\psi_2}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\psi_4}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\psi_5}$$

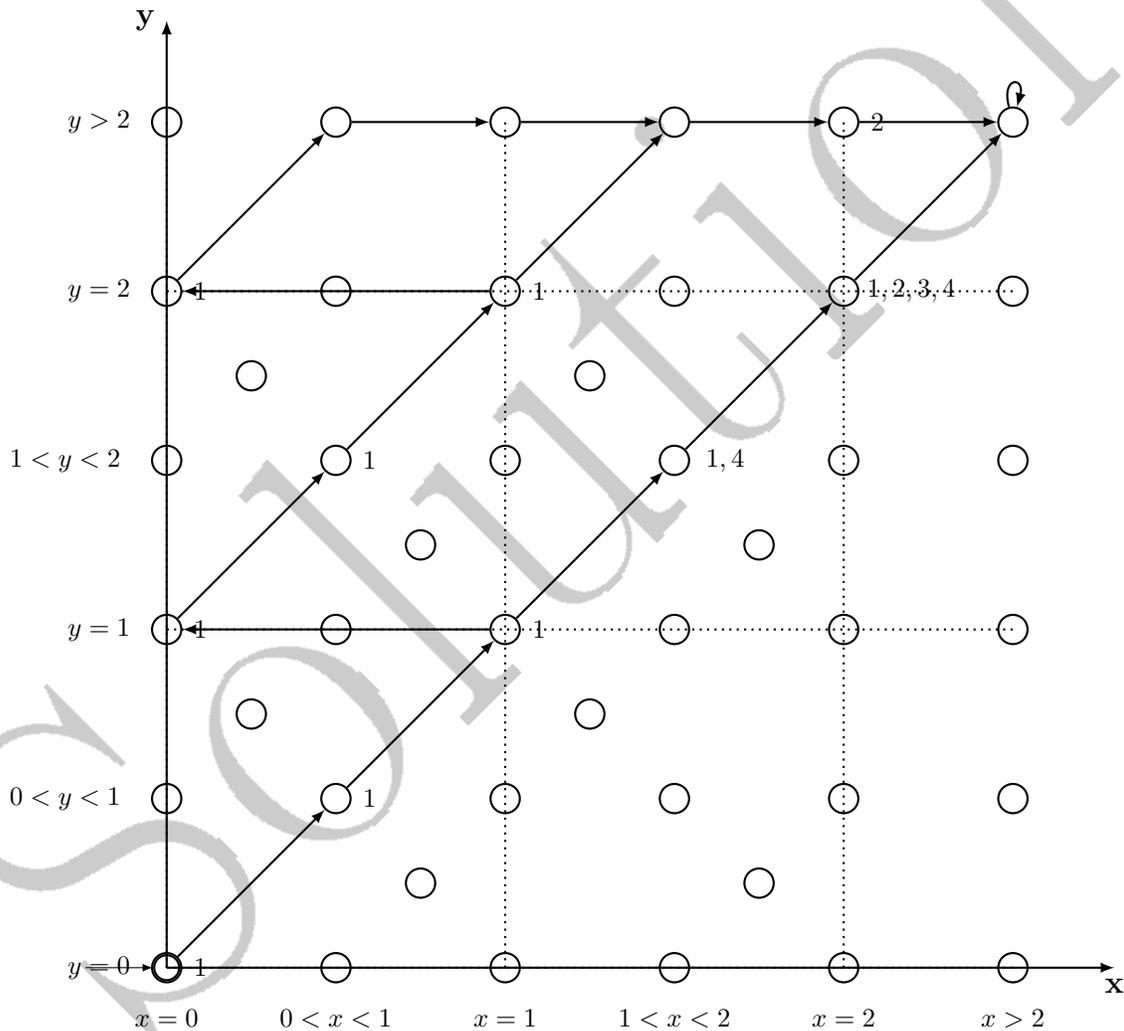
As the initial state with  $y = 0$  is labeled with the subformula representing the whole formula,  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  holds.

SOLUTION

- b) Please perform *CTL model checking* on the RTS  $\mathcal{R}$  given below and determine whether or not  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  holds, where

$$\hat{\varphi} = A(\underbrace{true}_{\psi_4} U (\underbrace{y \leq 2}_{\psi_1} \wedge \underbrace{x = 2}_{\psi_2}))$$

Please use the provided subformula naming and label **all reachable** RTS states **either with  $\psi_i$  or  $\neg\psi_i$**  for every subformula. Does  $\hat{\varphi}$  hold in  $\mathcal{R}$ , i.e., does  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  hold?

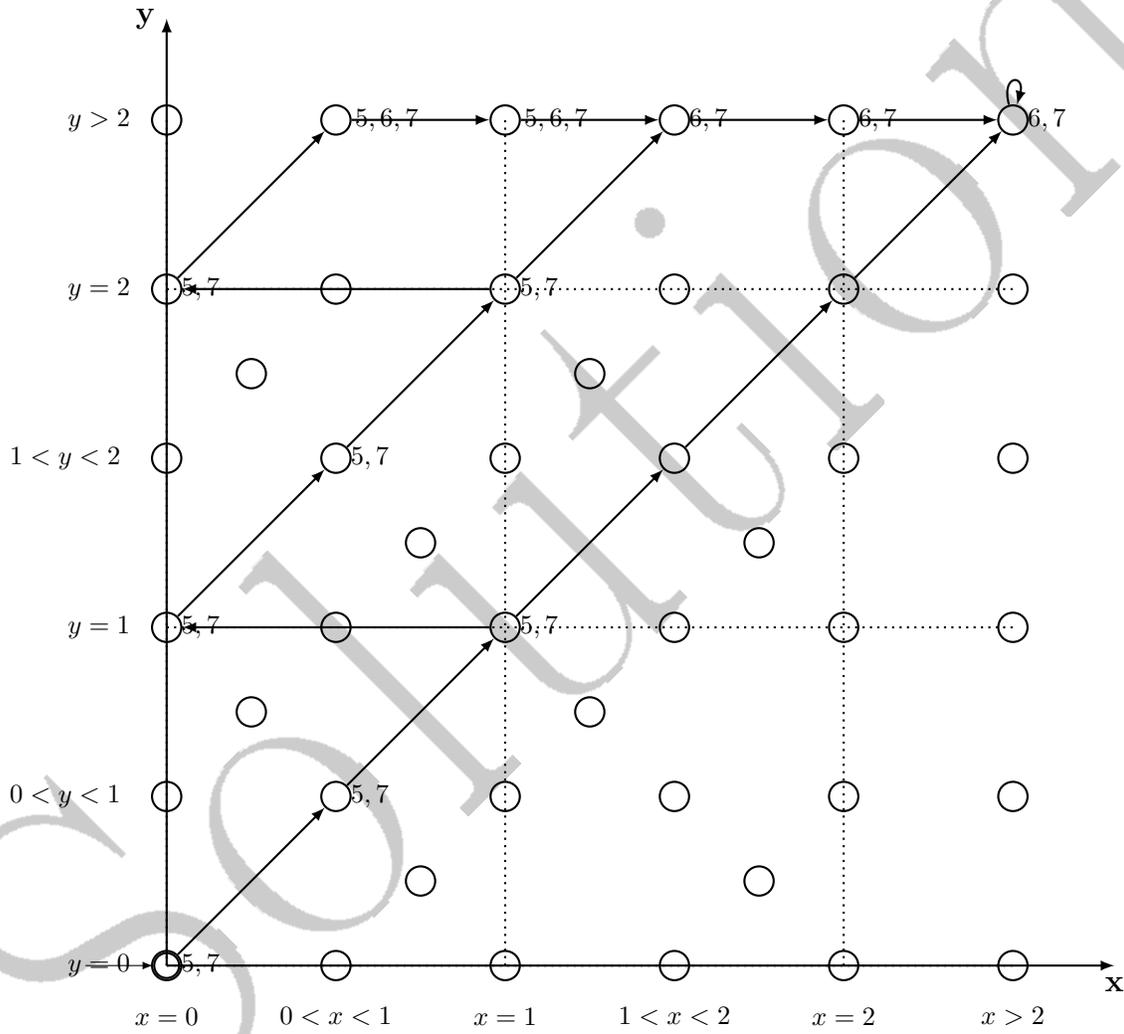


- c) Please perform *CTL model checking* on the RTS  $\mathcal{R}$  given below and determine whether or not  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  using

$$\hat{\varphi} = E(\underbrace{x \leq 1}_{\psi_5} \ U \ (\underbrace{y > 2}_{\psi_6})) \ .$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\psi_7}$

Please use the provided subformula naming and label **all reachable** RTS states **either with  $\psi_i$  or  $\neg\psi_i$**  for every subformula. Does  $\hat{\varphi}$  hold in  $\mathcal{R}$ , i.e., does  $\mathcal{R} \models_{CTL} \hat{\varphi}$  hold?



**Task 4. Rectangular automata**

(2 + 2 + 5 + 7 points)

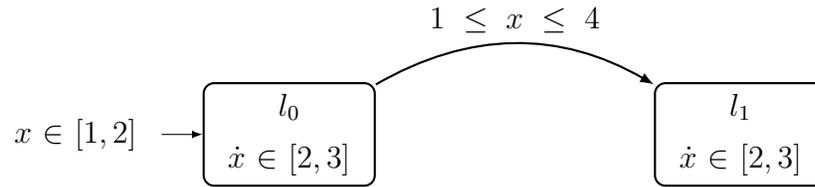
a) When is a hybrid automaton called *initialized*?

A hybrid automaton is called initialized, when the following holds:  
Whenever the slope of any variable  $x$  changes when taking a discrete transition, the valuation  $\nu(x)$  of  $x$  is explicitly set in the reset function of the respective transition.

b) Is there a timed automaton, which is not initialized? If yes, give an example, if not, argue why!

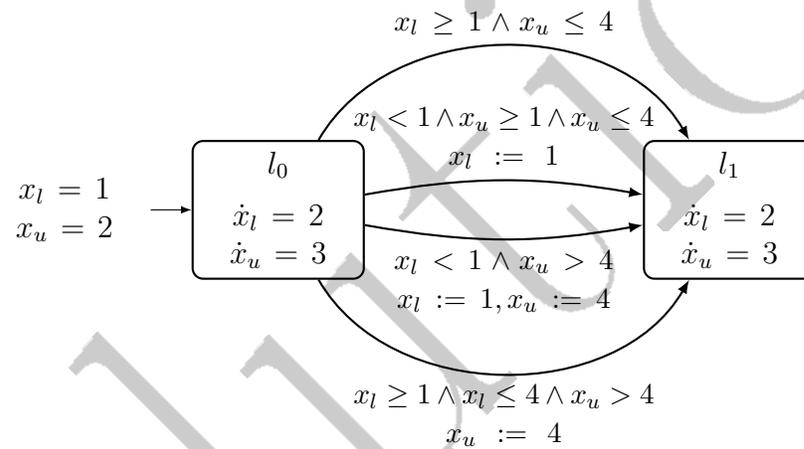
Every timed automaton is automatically initialized, as the slope of every variable is 1 and is never changed - thus no reset is required on discrete transition.

c) Consider the following initialized rectangular automaton  $\mathcal{R}$ :

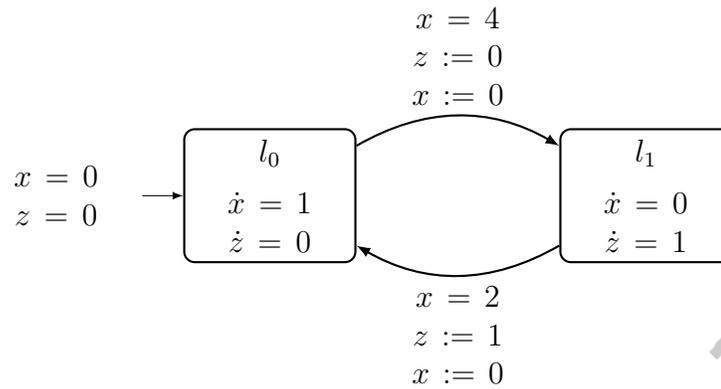


Please reduce  $\mathcal{R}$  to an *initialized singular* automaton  $\mathcal{R}'$  using the transformation presented in the lecture.

*Solution:*

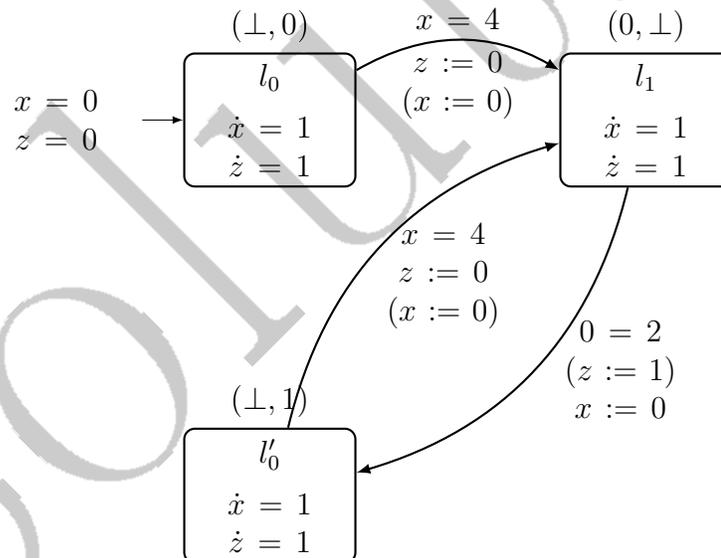


d) Consider the following initialized stopwatch automaton  $\mathcal{S}$ :



Please transform  $\mathcal{S}$  to a *timed automaton*  $\mathcal{T}$  which allows clock resets to arbitrary constraints  $c \geq 0$ . Please create the *full* automaton, not only the reachable fragment.

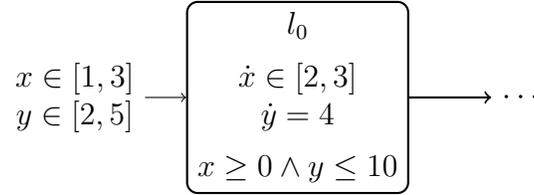
*Solution:* We transform  $\mathcal{S}$  to a timed automaton by adjusting clocks and annotating nodes, which requires to create a new node  $l'_0$ :



## Task 5. Linear hybrid automata

(11 + 8 points)

Consider the following excerpt of a linear hybrid automaton:



- a) Please compute the set  $T_{l_0}^+(1 \leq x \leq 3 \wedge 2 \leq y \leq 5)$  reachable from  $x \in [1, 3] \wedge y \in [2, 5]$  in location  $l_0$  by letting *time elapse*, using forward analysis as presented in the lecture. Reduce your result whenever possible and eliminate all quantifiers in the order  $y^{pre}, x^{pre}, t$ . Please use *Gaussian elimination* when possible and *Fourier-Motzkin variable elimination* otherwise, and eliminate all fractions from your final result!

$$T_{l_0}^+(1 \leq x \leq 3 \wedge 2 \leq y \leq 5)$$

$$= \exists x^{pre}. \exists y^{pre}. \exists t. t \geq 0 \wedge x^{pre} \geq 1 \wedge x^{pre} \leq 3 \wedge y^{pre} \geq 2 \wedge y^{pre} \leq 5 \wedge$$

$$x \geq x^{pre} + 2t \wedge x \leq x^{pre} + 3t \wedge$$

$$y = y^{pre} + 4t \wedge$$

$$x \geq 0 \wedge y \leq 10$$

Eliminate  $x^{pre}$ :

$$\leq$$

1	3
$x - 3t$	$x - 2t$

$$= \exists x^{pre}. \exists t. t \geq 0 \wedge x^{pre} \geq 1 \wedge x^{pre} \leq 3 \wedge y - 4t \geq 2 \wedge y - 4t \leq 5 \wedge$$

$$x \geq x^{pre} + 2t \wedge x \leq x^{pre} + 3t \wedge$$

$$x \geq 0 \wedge y \leq 10$$

Eliminate  $t$ :

$$\leq$$

0	$\frac{y}{4} - \frac{1}{2}$
$\frac{y}{4} - \frac{5}{4}$	$\frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$
$\frac{x}{3} - 1$	

$$= \exists t. t \geq 0 \wedge y - 4t \geq 2 \wedge y - 4t \leq 5 \wedge$$

$$x - 3t \leq 3 \wedge 1 \leq x - 2t \wedge$$

$$x \geq 0 \wedge y \leq 10$$

$$= y \geq 2 \wedge x \geq 1 \wedge$$

$$\frac{y}{4} - \frac{5}{4} \leq \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \wedge \frac{x}{3} - 1 \leq \frac{y}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \wedge \frac{x}{3} - 1 \leq \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \wedge$$

$$x \geq 0 \wedge y \leq 10$$

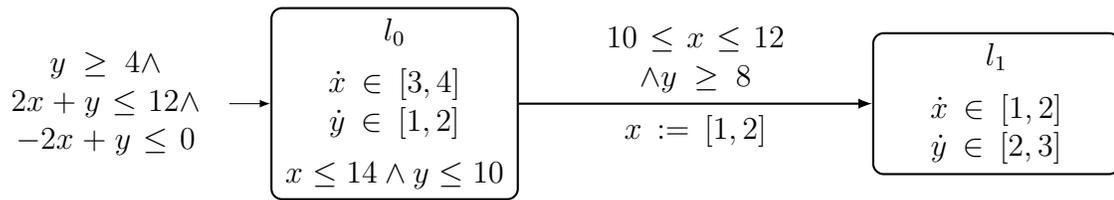
$$= y \geq 2 \wedge x \geq 1 \wedge$$

$$y - 2x \leq 3 \wedge 4x - 3y \leq 6 \wedge x \geq -3 \wedge$$

$$x \geq 0 \wedge y \leq 10$$

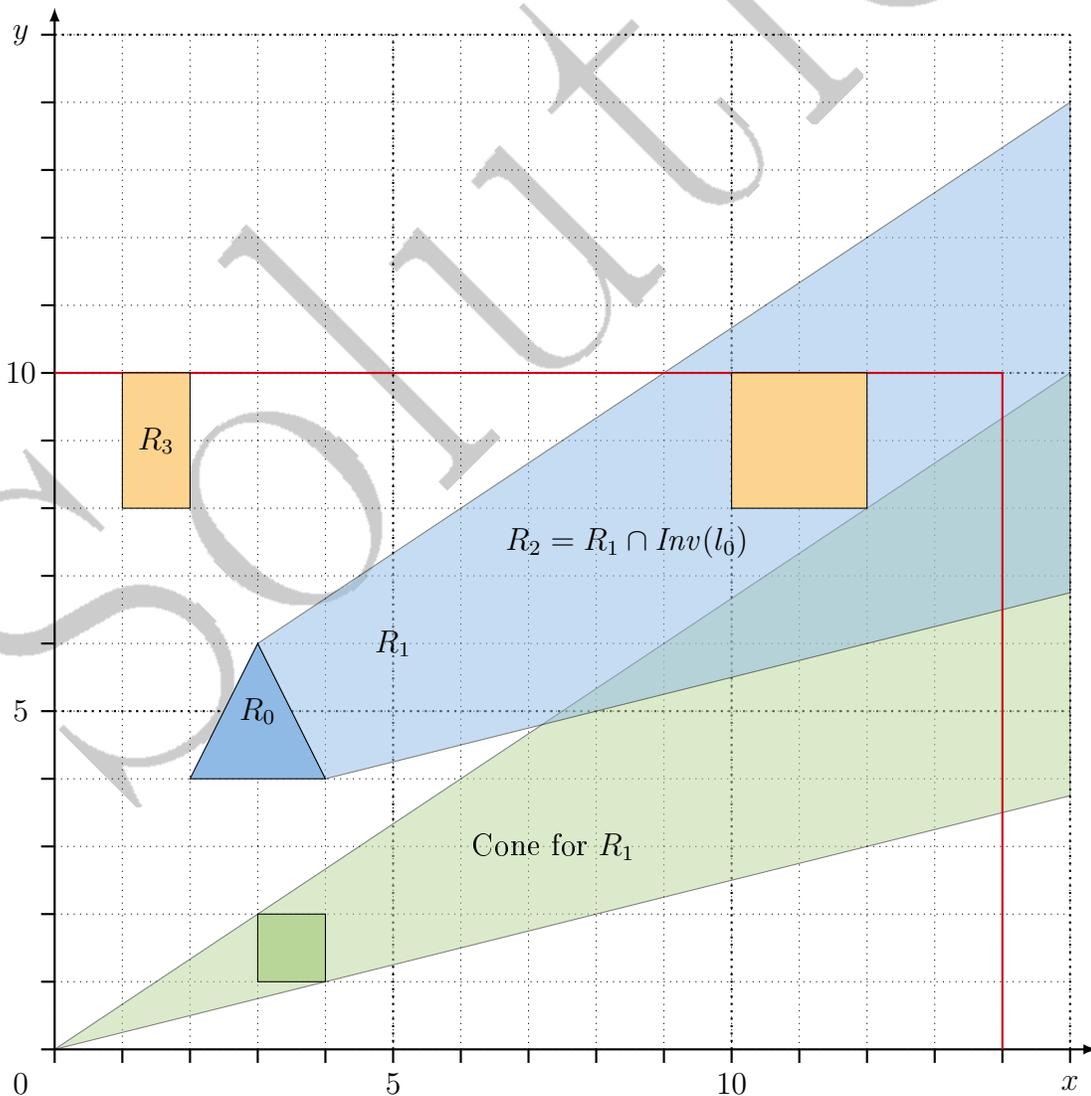
$$= x \geq 1 \wedge 2 \leq y \leq 10 \wedge y - 2x \leq 3 \wedge 4x - 3y \leq 6$$

b) Consider the following linear hybrid automaton:



Please use the prepared canvas to sketch the following:

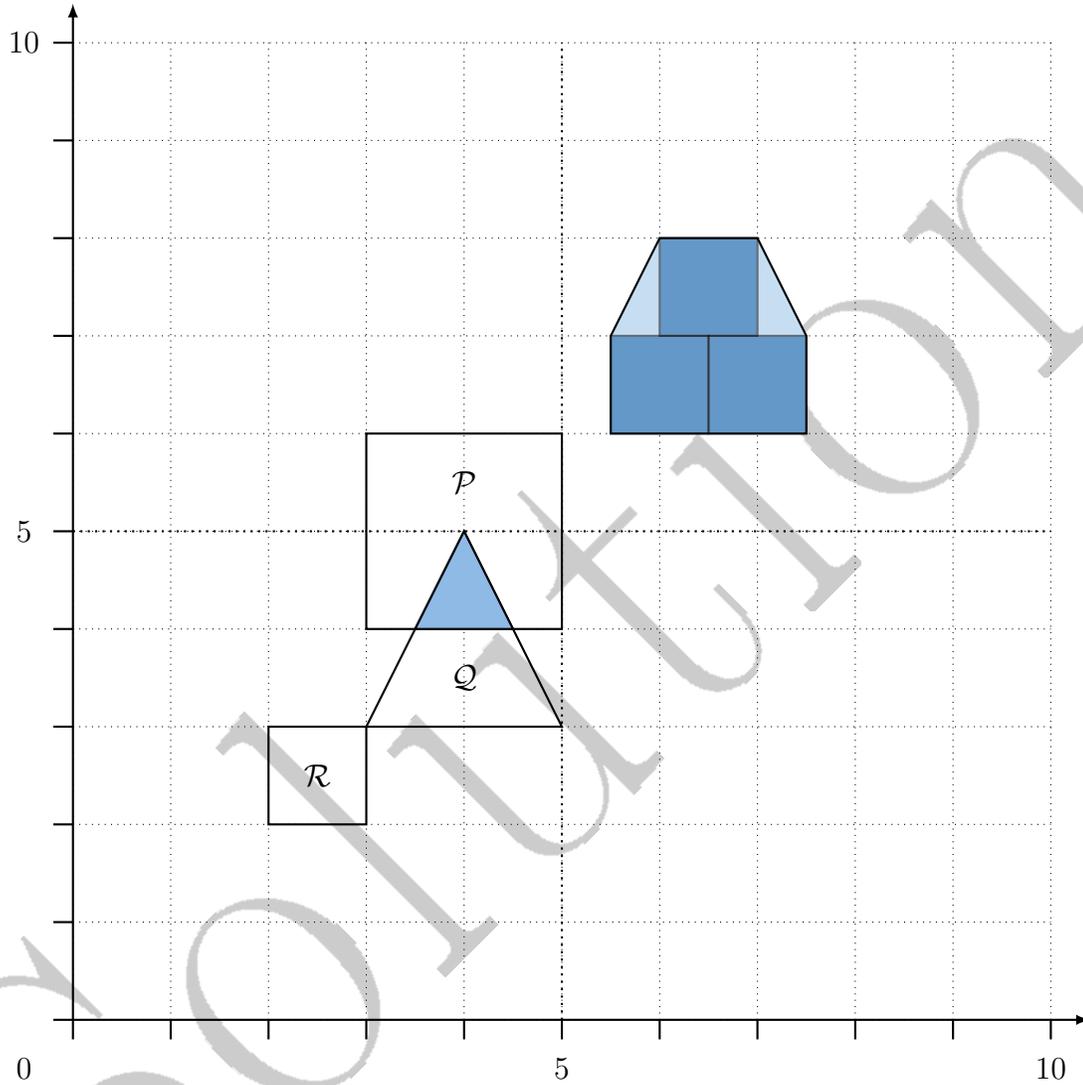
- Please sketch the initial set  $R_0$  in location  $l_0$ .
- Extend your sketch by adding the set of reachable states by depicting the states  $R_1$  reachable from  $R_0$  via time ellapse in  $l_0$ , without considering invariants. Construct the cone first, then add it to the initial set.
- Sketch the time successors  $R_2$  of  $R_0$  in  $l_0$  when considering invariants.
- State whether  $(l_0, R_2)$  is empty and, if it is not empty, sketch the state set  $R_3$  reachable from it in  $l_1$  via the jump from  $(l_0, R_2)$ .



**Task 6. Polyhedra and Boxes**

(3 + 6 points)

- a) Given three convex polyhedra  $\mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathcal{Q}$ ,  $\mathcal{R}$ , please sketch below the result of the nested operation  $\mathcal{R} \oplus (\mathcal{P} \cap \mathcal{Q})$ .



b) Assume two boxes  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^d$  represented by the d-dimensional interval vectors

$$I_A = [\underline{a}_0, \overline{a}_0] \times \dots \times [\underline{a}_d, \overline{a}_d], \quad I_B = [\underline{b}_0, \overline{b}_0] \times \dots \times [\underline{b}_d, \overline{b}_d].$$

Please give a formal definition for the following operations. In case boxes are not closed under this operation, make sure the result is the smallest box over-approximating the resulting set.

i) Union of  $A, B$ :  $C = A \cup B$

$$I_C = [\min(\underline{a}_0, \underline{b}_0), \max(\overline{a}_0, \overline{b}_0)] \times \dots \times [\min(\underline{a}_d, \underline{b}_d), \max(\overline{a}_d, \overline{b}_d)]$$

ii) Minkowski-sum of  $A, B$ :  $C = A \oplus B$

$$I_C = [\underline{a}_0 + \underline{b}_0, \overline{a}_0 + \overline{b}_0] \times \dots \times [\underline{a}_d + \underline{b}_d, \overline{a}_d + \overline{b}_d]$$

## Task 7. General hybrid automaton reachability analysis

(14 + 2 + 2 + 1 points)

- a) Assume a location of a hybrid automaton with the following matrix  $A$  representing the flow and  $\mathcal{I}$  being an initial state set:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathcal{I} = \text{convHull} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

Please compute the matrix exponential exactly for time step length  $\delta = 1$ . Note that you do not need to extend the matrix to cope with constants. Assume that the box  $B_1 = [-1, 1]^2$  can be used for bloating to account for non-linear behavior. Please compute the over-approximation  $\Omega_0$  of the first flowpipe segment using  $\mathcal{V}$ -polytopes as a state set representation starting from the initial set  $\mathcal{I}$ . Please sketch your result in the prepared canvas and give a *reduced* list of vertices representing the computed first segment.

The first set can be obtained by computing  $\text{convHull} \{ \mathcal{I}, e^{\delta A} \mathcal{I} \oplus B_\alpha \}$  where:

$$e^{\delta A} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\delta A)^k}{k!} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ such that}$$

$$e^{\delta A} \mathcal{I} = \text{convHull} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}. \text{ We use } [-1, 1]^2 \text{ for bloating:}$$

$$e^A \mathcal{I} \oplus B_1 = \text{convHull} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \right.$$

$$\left. \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}. \text{ The whole first segment}$$

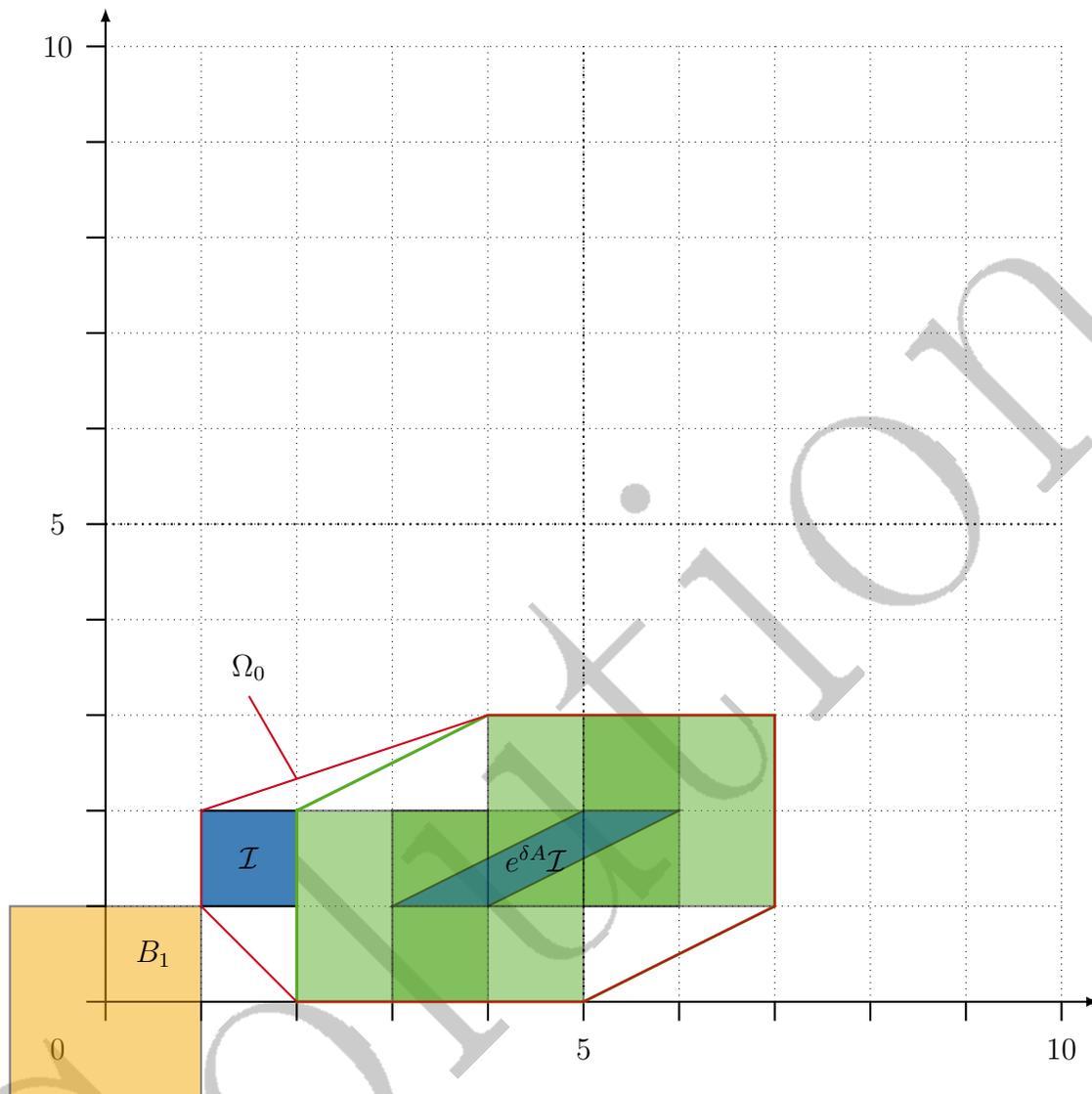
now is the convex hull of the initial set  $\mathcal{I}$  and the previously computed bloated set such that

$$\Omega_0 = \text{convHull} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \right.$$

$$\left. \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$\Omega_0 = \text{convHull} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ . The resulting set and all intermediate sets can be visualized as shown in the canvas below.

Visualization:



- b) Please specify, why the *choice of state set representation* is crucial in the reachability analysis for hybrid systems.

The choice of an appropriate state set representation is always a trade-off between precision and computational effort. A more precise representation reduces the over-approximation error but usually introduces more complex computations. A less precise representation reduces the computational effort but introduces a larger over-approximation error.

- c) For which computation steps in the reachability analysis for hybrid automata is the operation *intersection* needed and why?

Intersection is used whenever we want to test, if a guard is satisfied. When the intersection is nonempty, the corresponding transition is enabled and we can take a jump to the respective target location. Another step where intersection is needed is when verifying against the invariant or to check if the bad states are reachable.

- d) If we use over-approximative computations, which information can be derived from reachability analysis results for hybrid automata?

- If the set of reachable states intersects with the set of bad states we cannot derive any information.
- If the set of reachable states does not intersect with the set of bad states we can derive that the system is safe.

SOLUTION