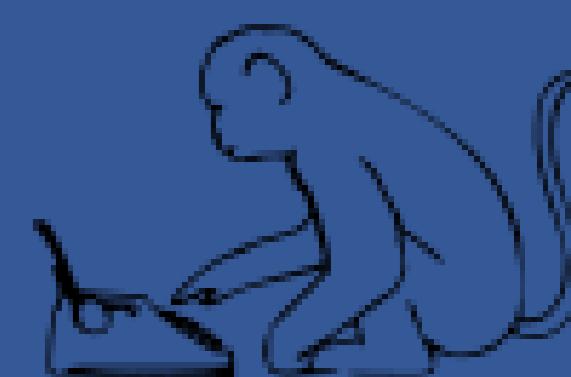


HyMITATOR

Parametric Analysis of Hybrid Systems



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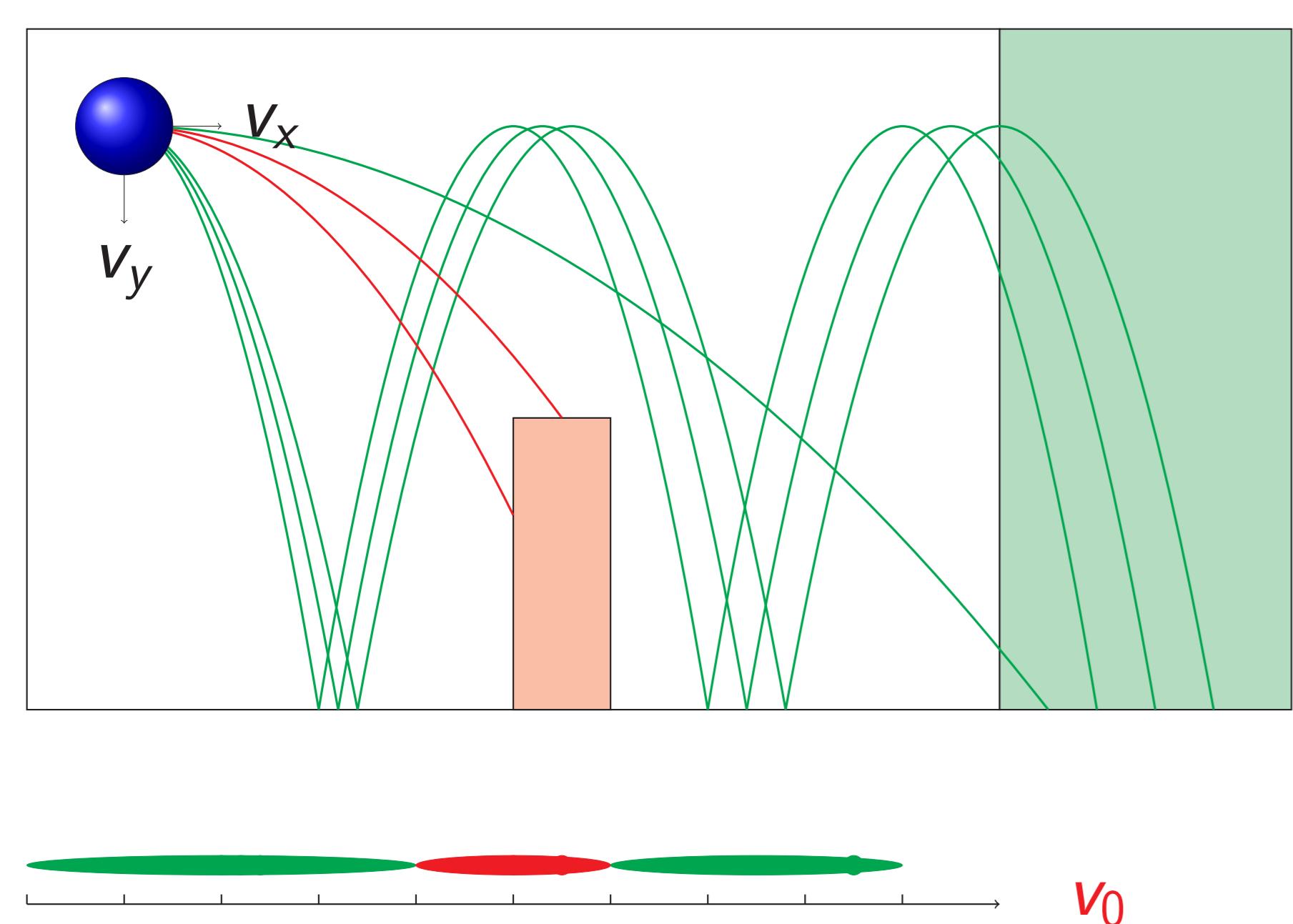
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An Example of Hybrid System: The Bouncing Ball

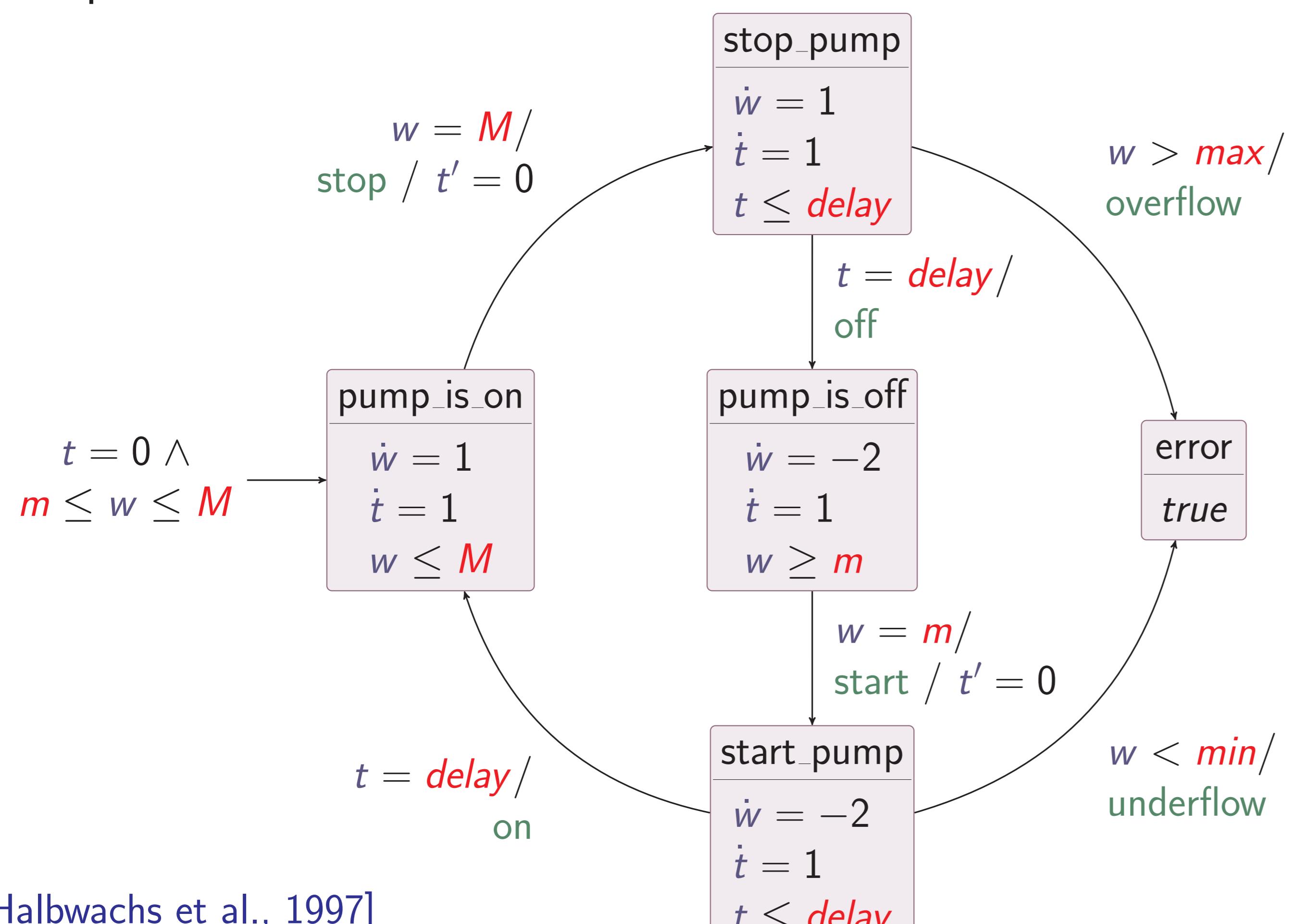
Hybrid systems combine

- Discrete behavior
- Continuous behavior



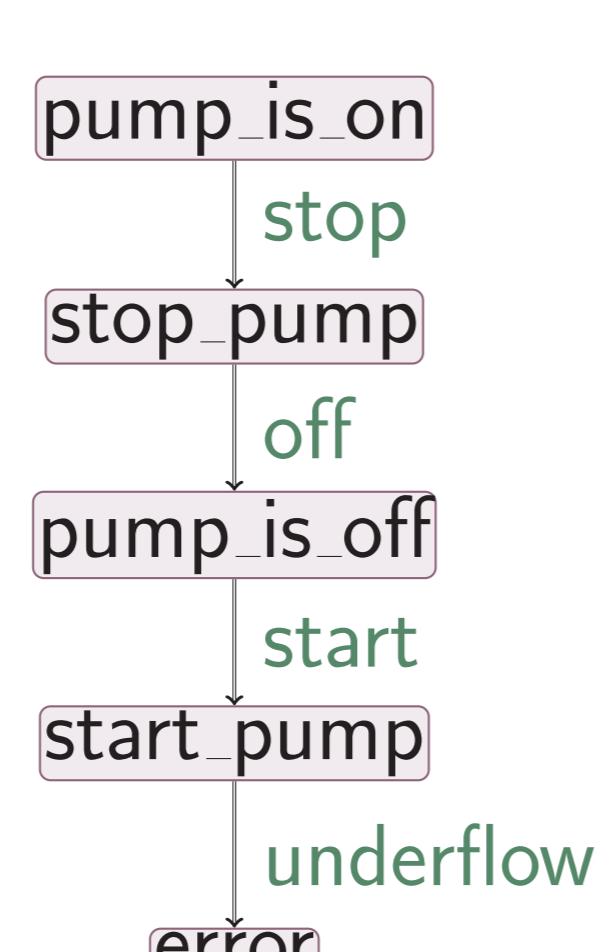
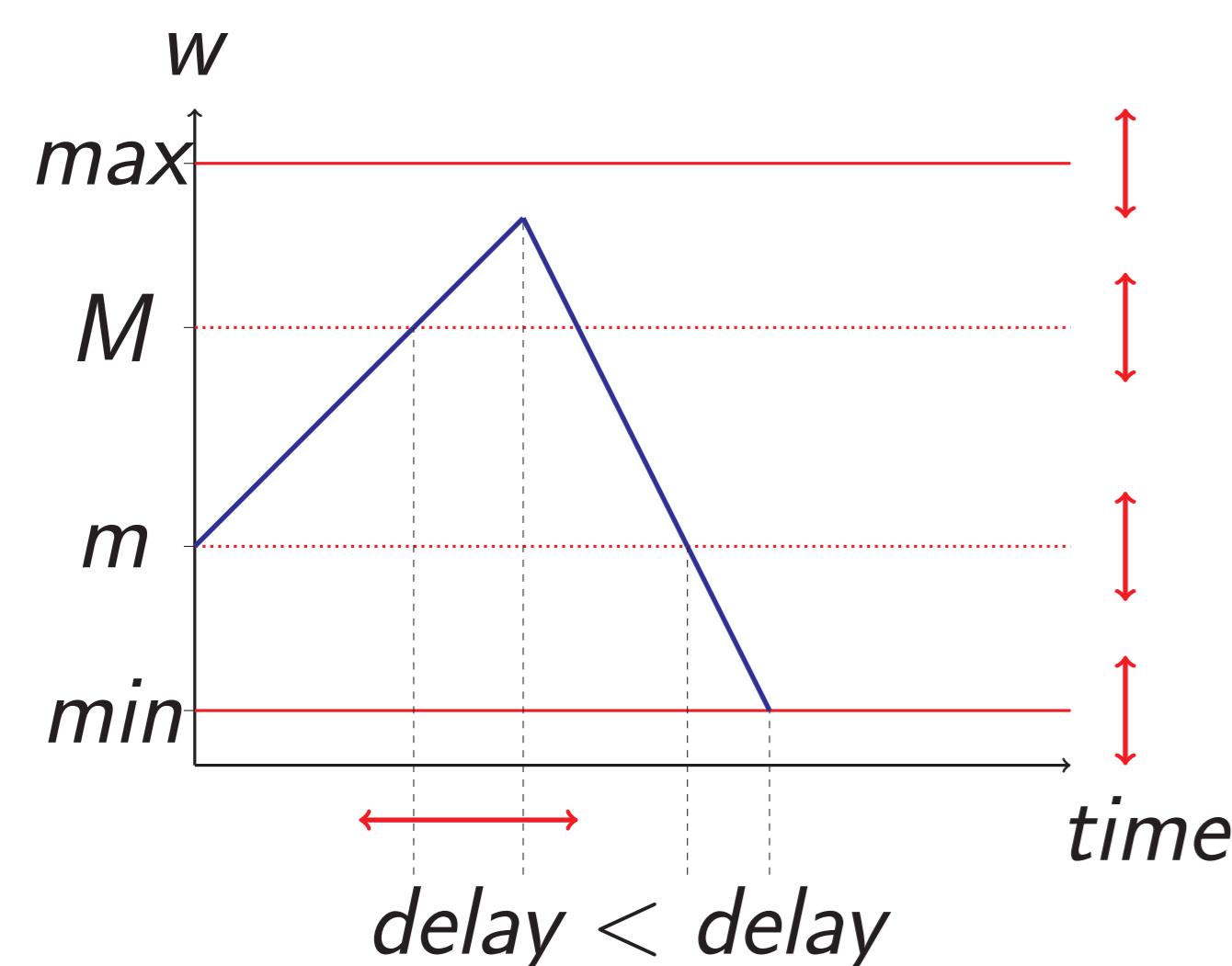
Parameterized Hybrid Automata

- Hybrid Automata (HA): Sets of variables, actions, locations, and discrete transitions
- Parameterized Hybrid Automata: HA augmented with a set of parameters (unknown constants)
- Example: Water Tank



[Halbwachs et al., 1997]

The Parameter Synthesis Problem



- How to choose \min , \max , m , M and delay , such that always $\min < w < \max$?

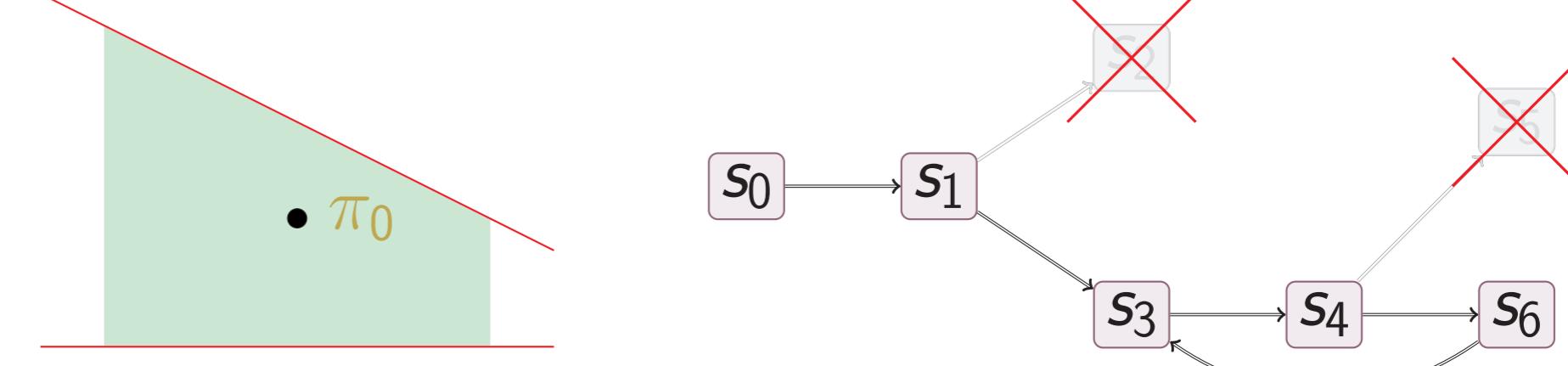
Synthesis problem: "find values for the parameters such that the system behaves well".

We will synthesize here a constraint, viz., a convex and dense set of values.

Parameter Synthesis for Hybrid Automata

Inverse Method [Fribourg and Kühne, 2011]

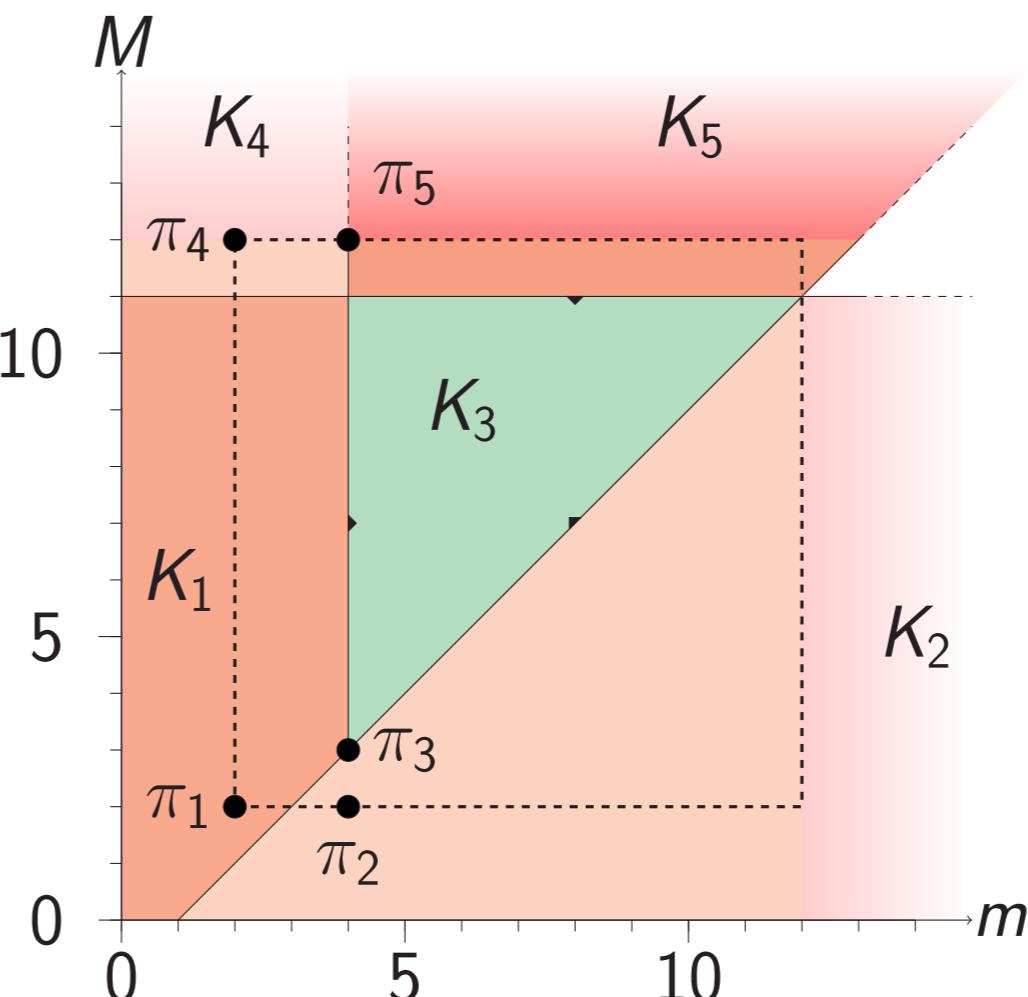
- Given an HA and a reference valuation π_0 for the parameters, synthesize a constraint K_0 guaranteeing the same time-abstract behavior as for π_0



- K_0 obtained by iterative removal of states incompatible with π_0

Behavioral Cartography [André and Fribourg, 2010]

- Performs a tiling of the parametric space, and partition it between good and bad tiles w.r.t. a given property



Example of "good" constraint for the water tank:

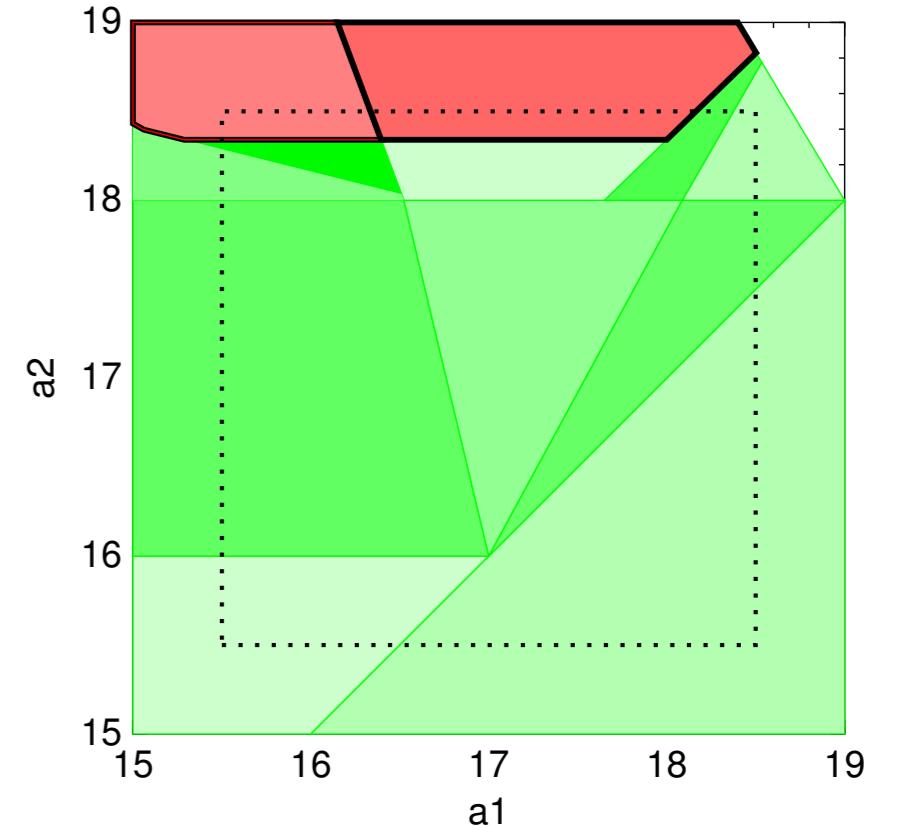
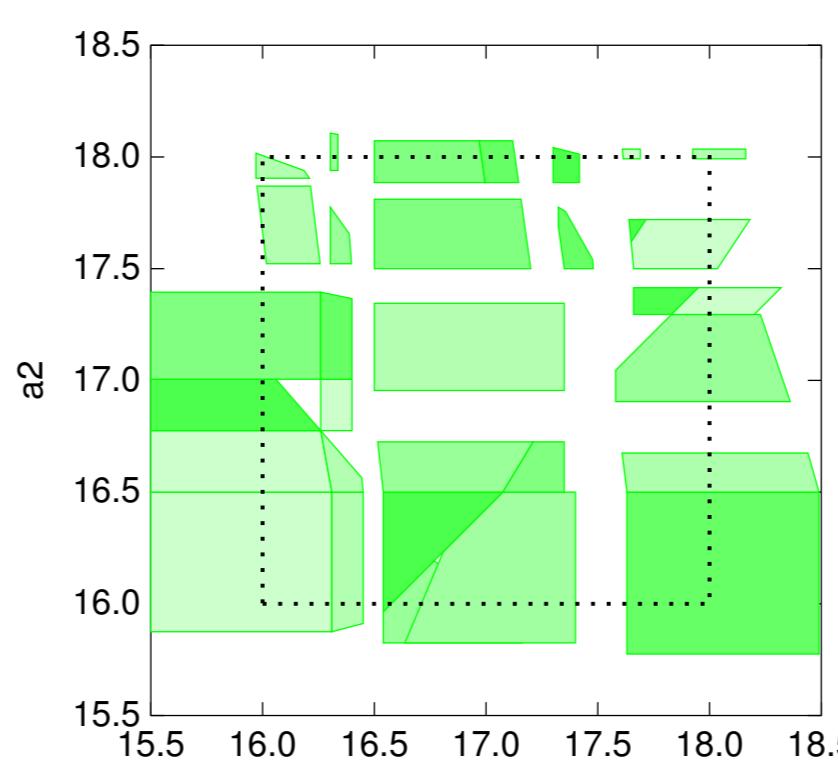
$$M + \text{delay} \geq m \wedge m \geq \min + 2 \cdot \text{delay} \wedge \max \geq M + \text{delay}$$

Features of HyMITATOR

- Algorithms of Parameter Synthesis for Hybrid Systems
 - Implements the inverse method and the behavioral cartography
 - Includes local partitioning with linear over-approximations
 - Makes use of predicate abstraction techniques
 - Features an efficient merging technique [André et al., 2012]

User-friendly Features

- Numerous options for analysis
- Graphical output



Implementation [André and Kühne, 2012]

- Implemented in OCaml, using the Parma Polyhedra Library

Try it!

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- www.lsv.ens-cachan.fr/Software/hymitator/

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