

Real-time Model Checking

— Priced timed automata —

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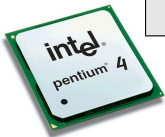
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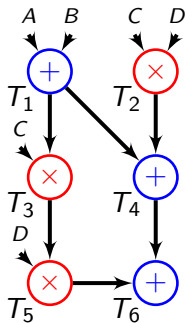
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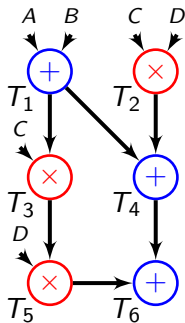
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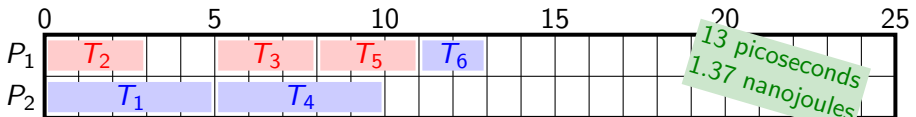
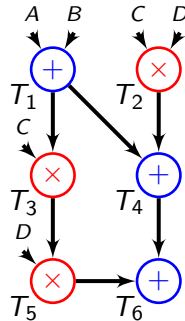
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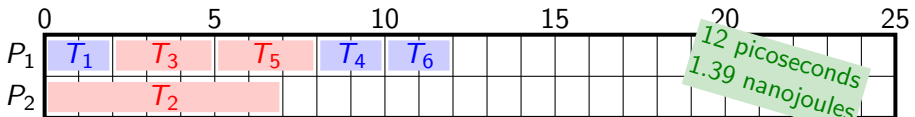
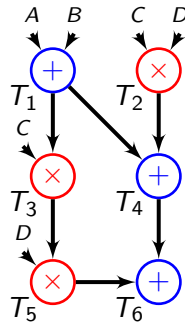
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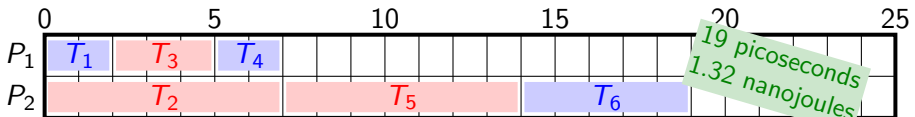
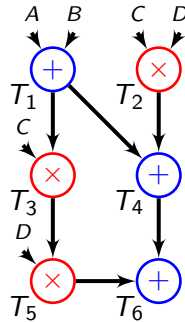
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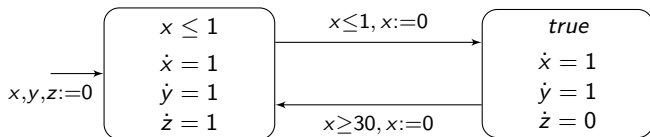
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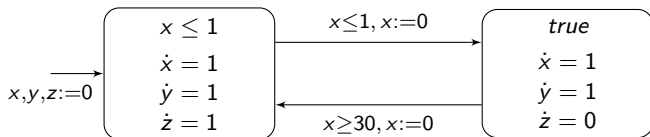
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Reachability is undecidable (even for timed automata with one stopwatch).

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- **timed automata with observers**: similar to hybrid automata, but the behavior only depends on clock variables.

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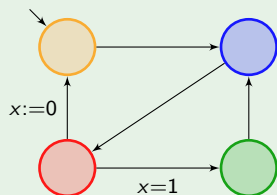
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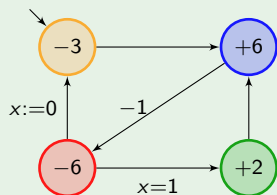
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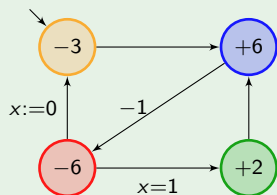


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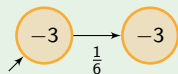
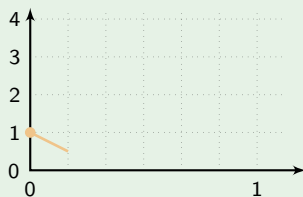
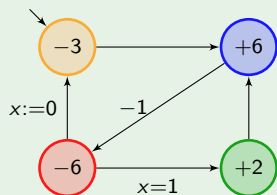


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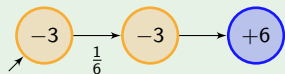
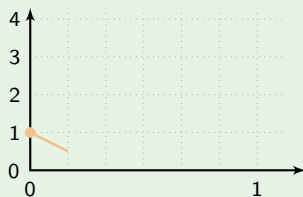
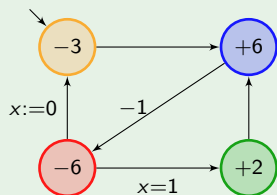


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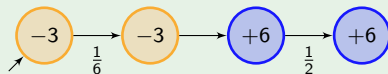
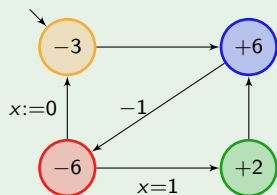


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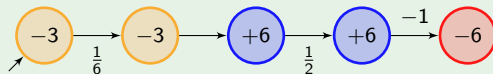
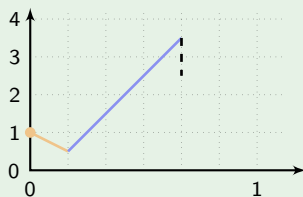
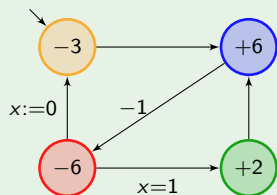


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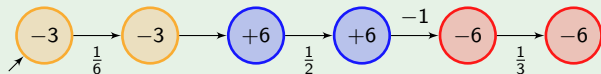
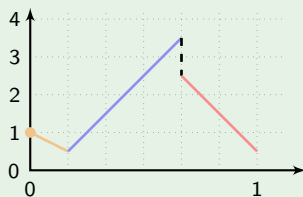
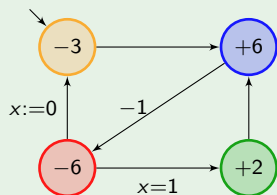
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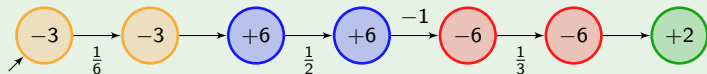
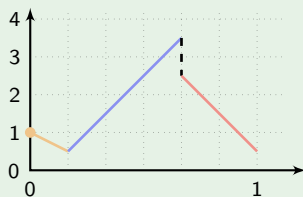
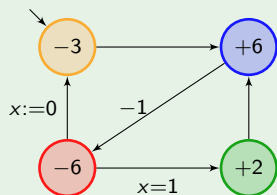


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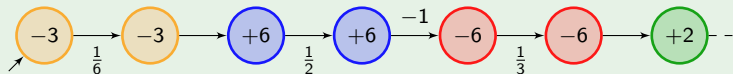
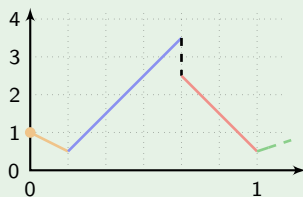
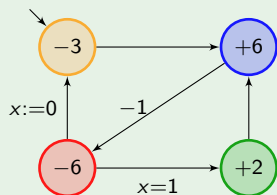


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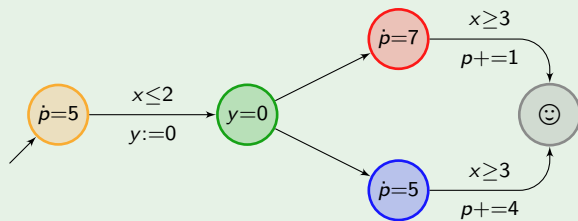
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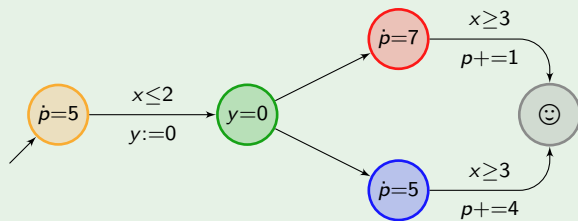
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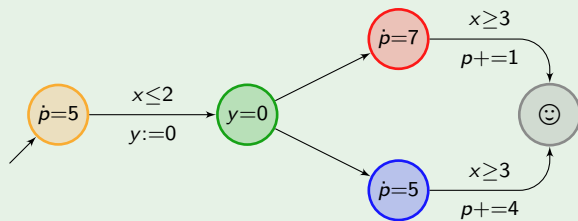
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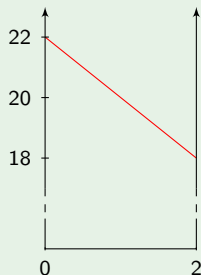
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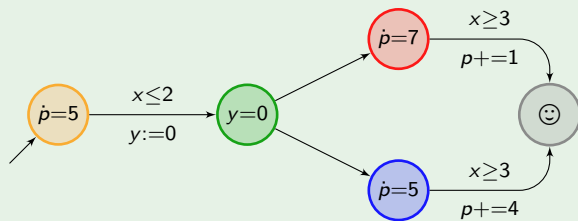
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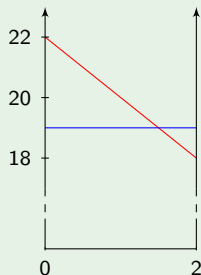
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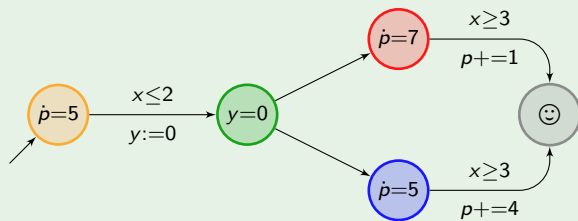
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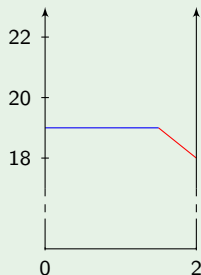
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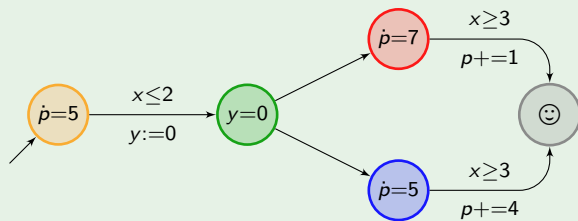
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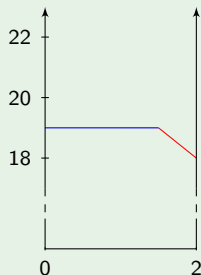
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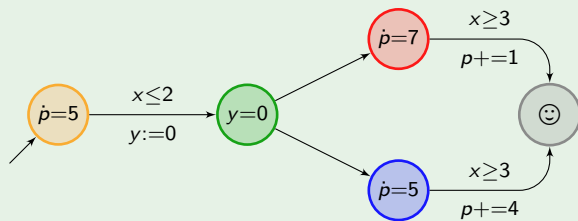
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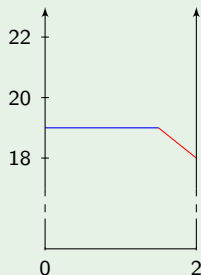
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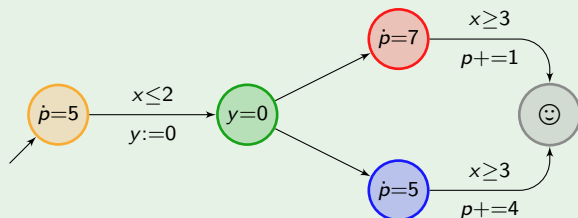
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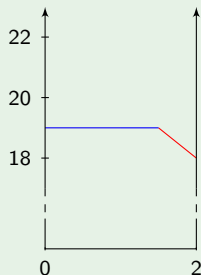


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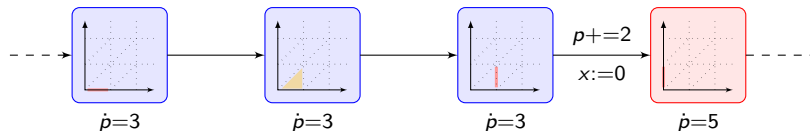
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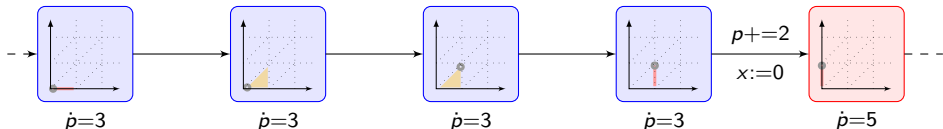
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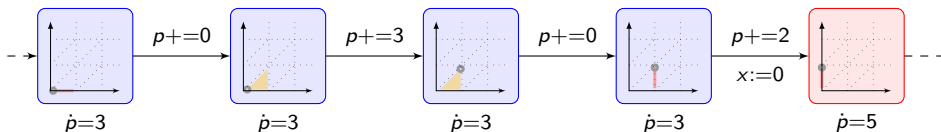
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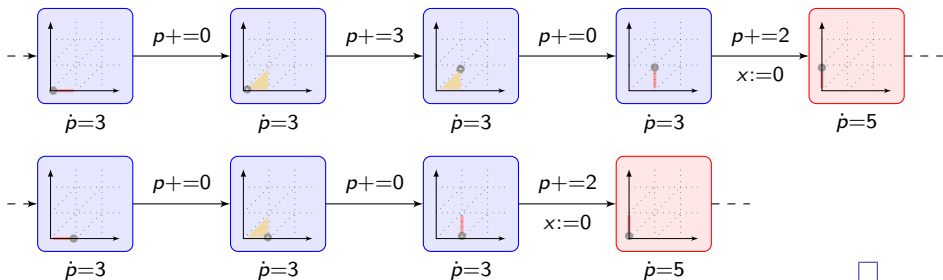
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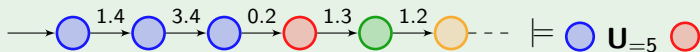
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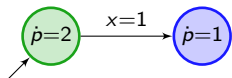
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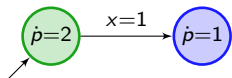
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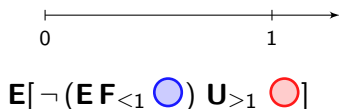
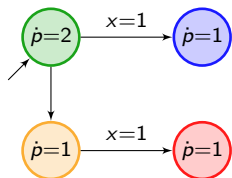
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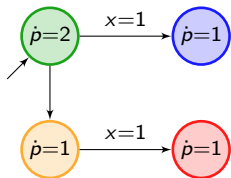
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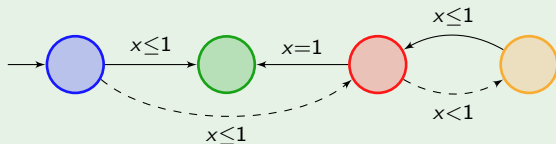
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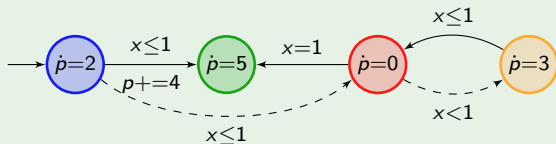
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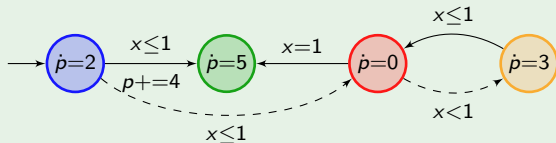
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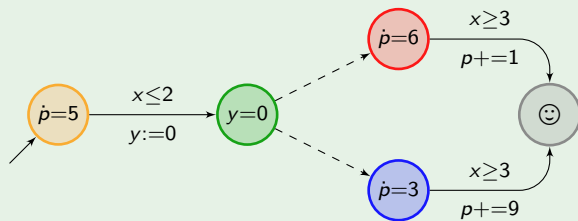
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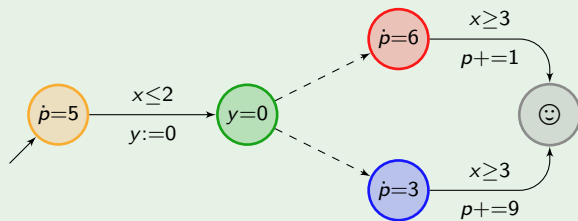
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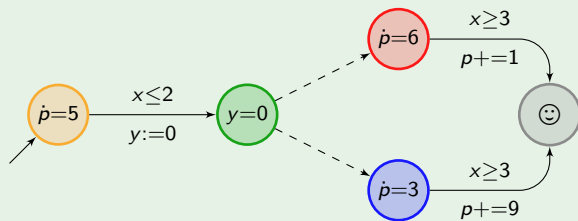
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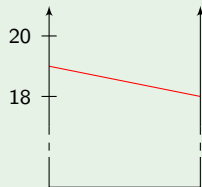
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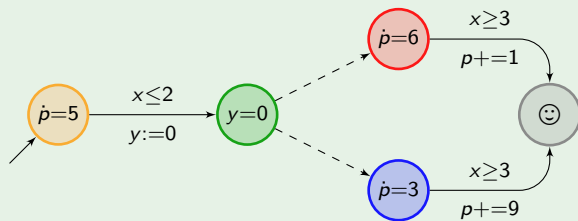
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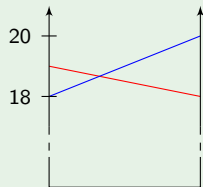
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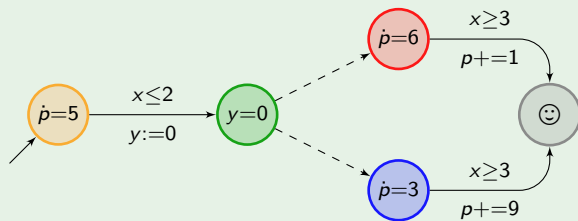
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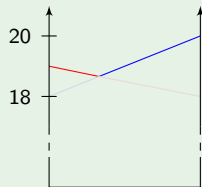
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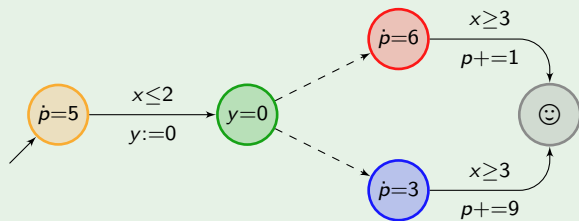
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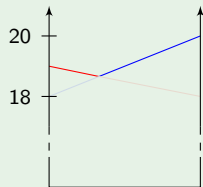
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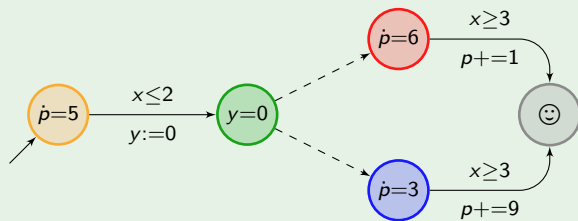
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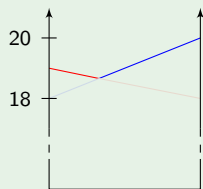
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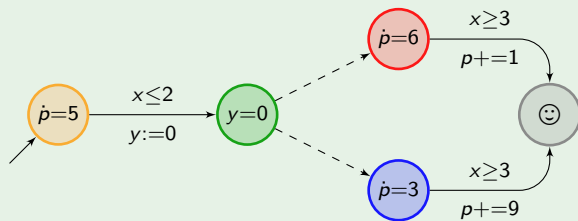
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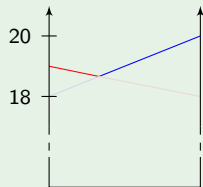
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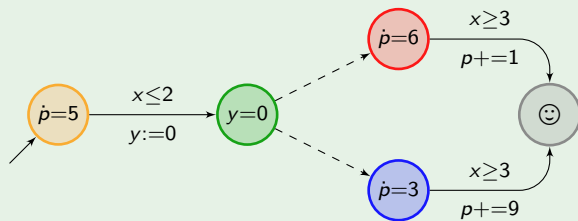
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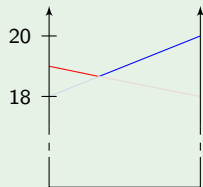
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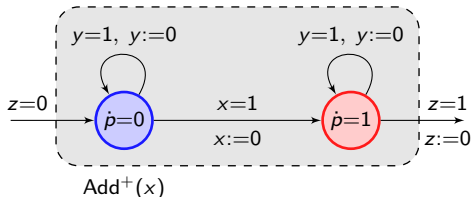
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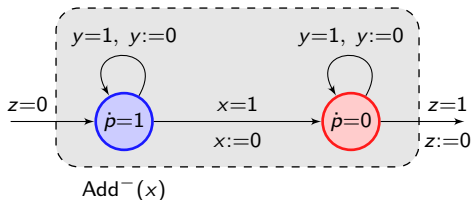
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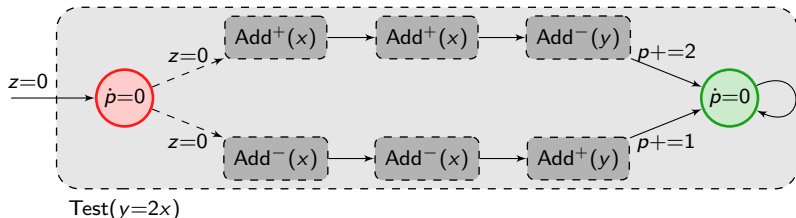
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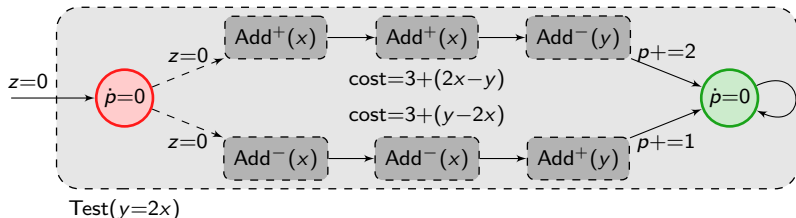
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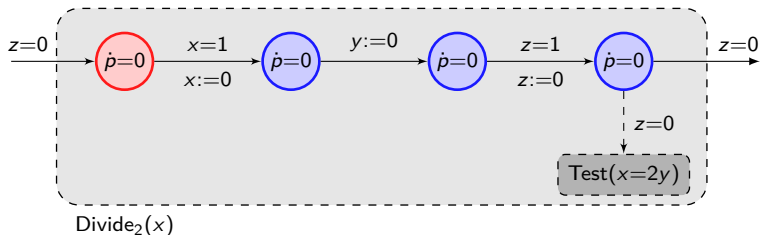
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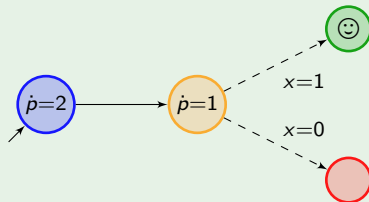
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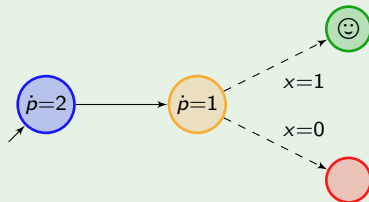
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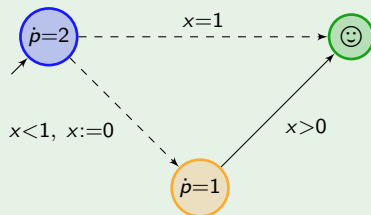
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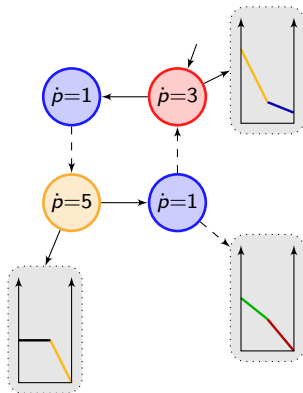
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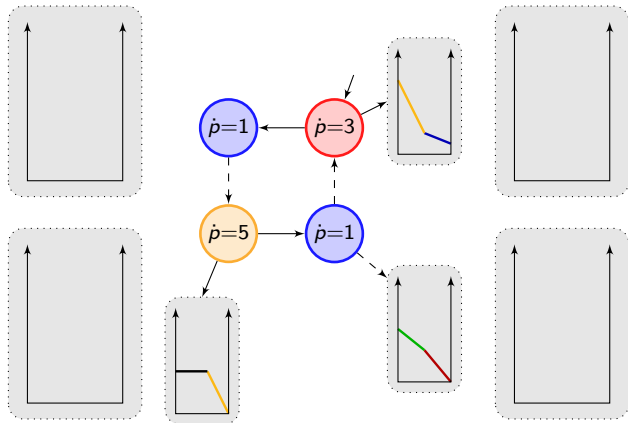
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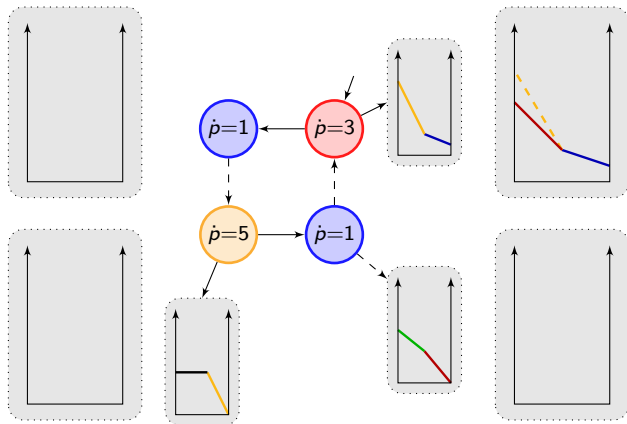
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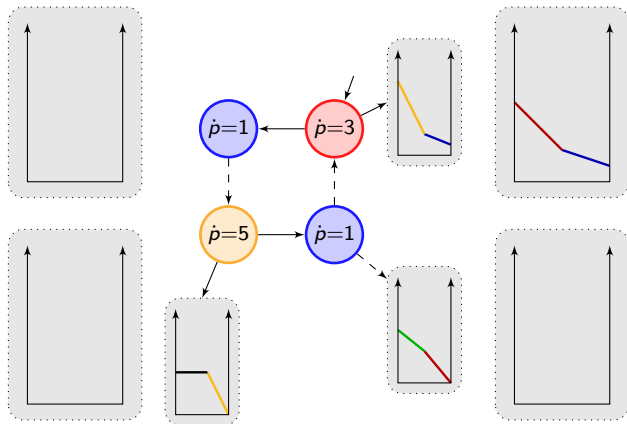
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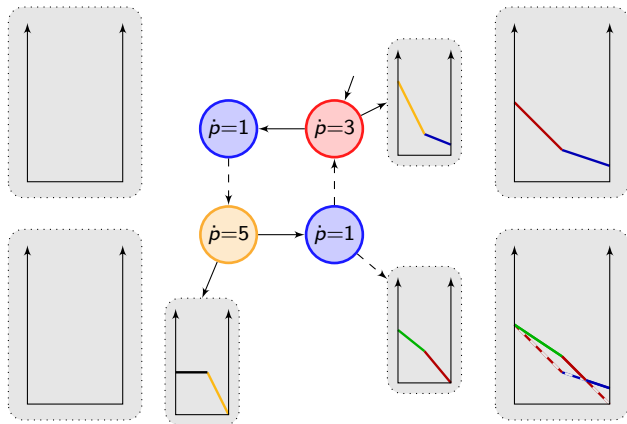
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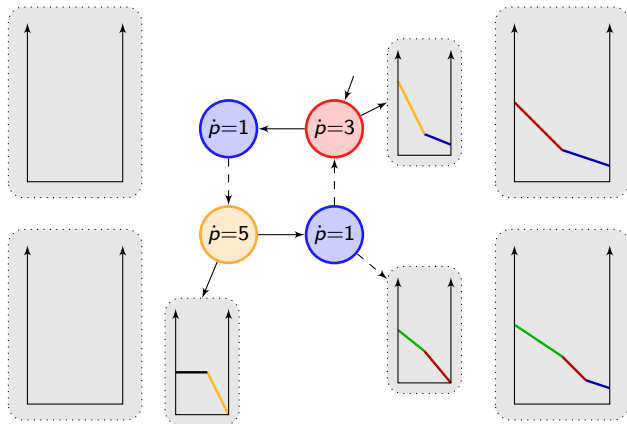
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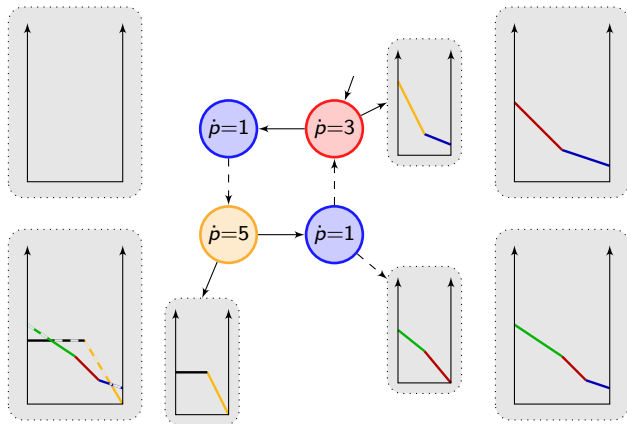
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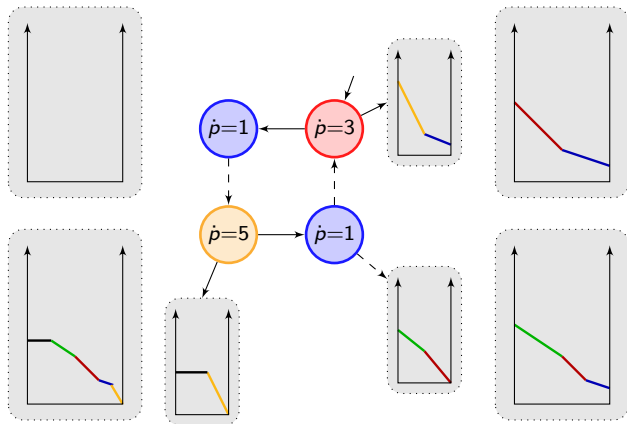
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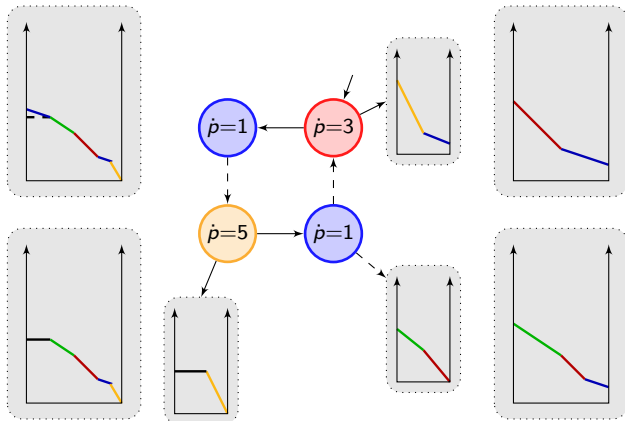
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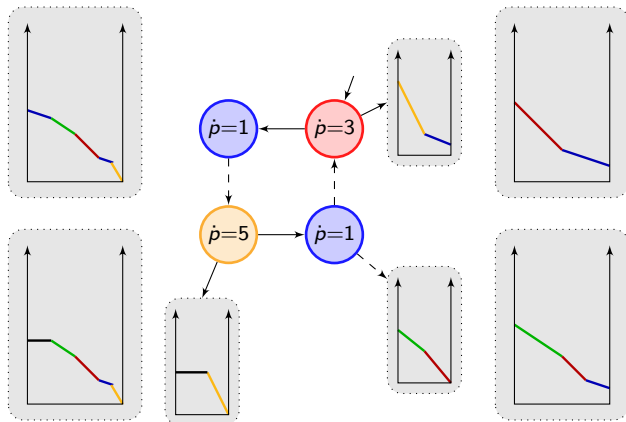
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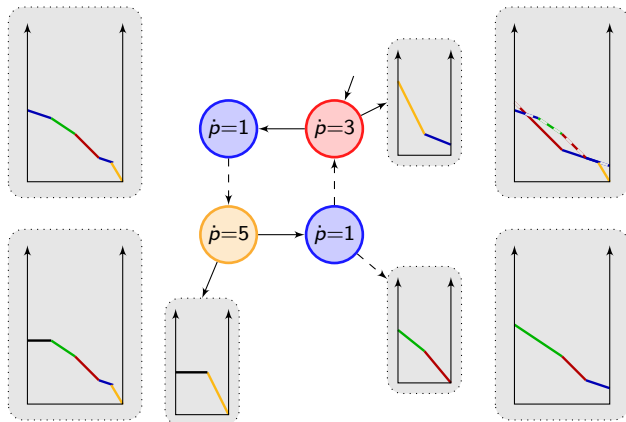
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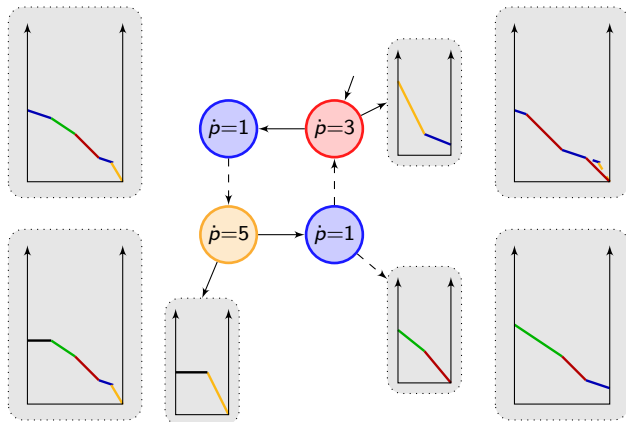
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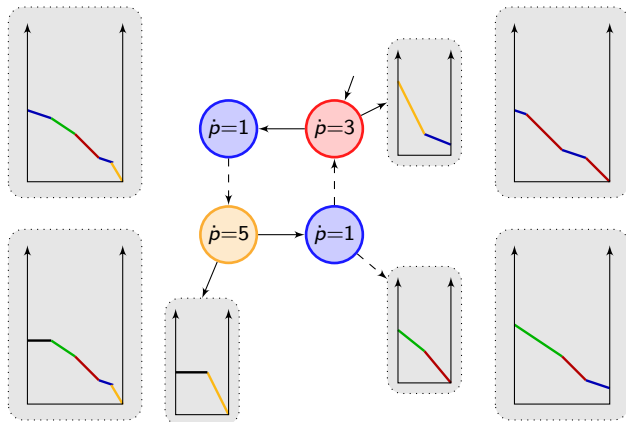
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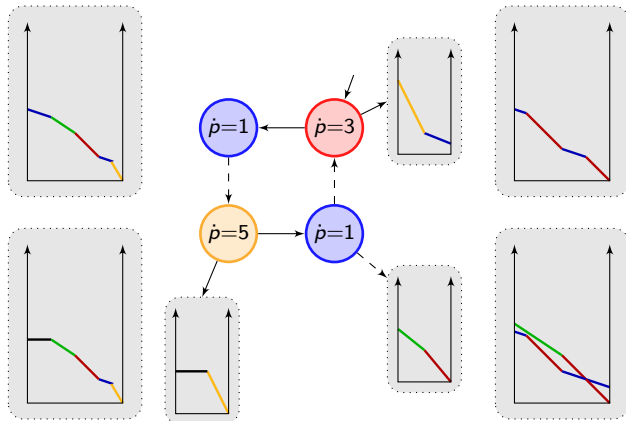
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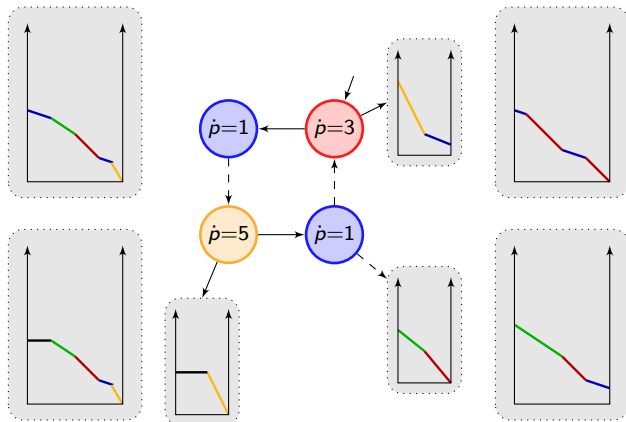
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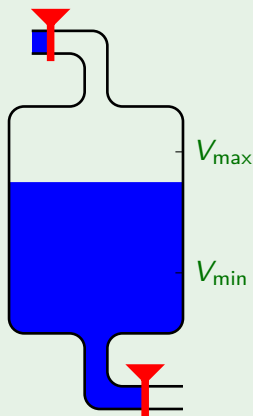
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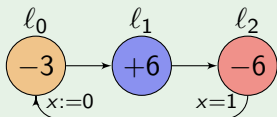
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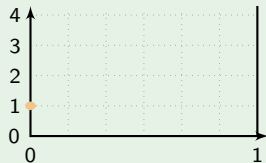
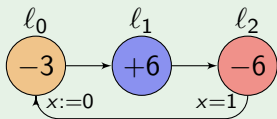
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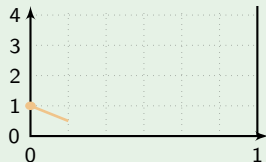
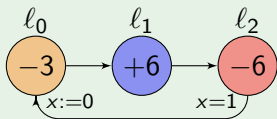


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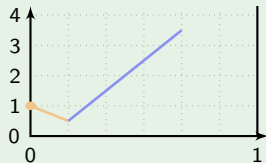
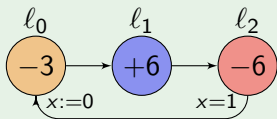


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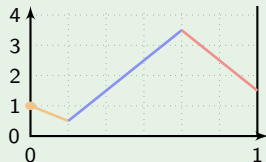
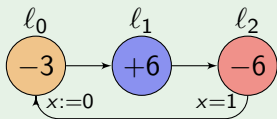


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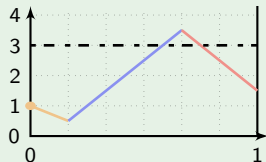
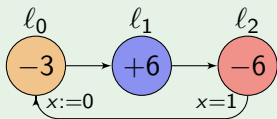


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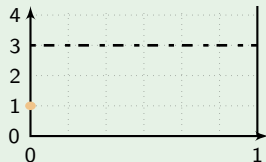
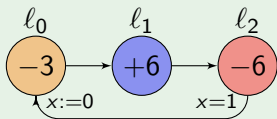


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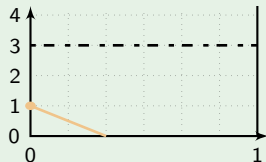
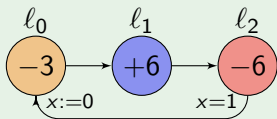


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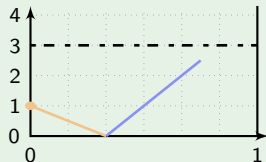
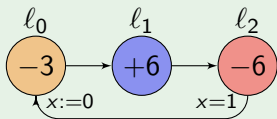


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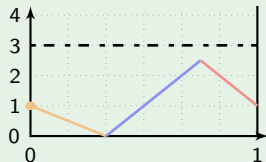
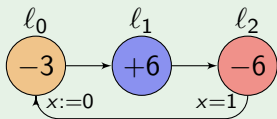


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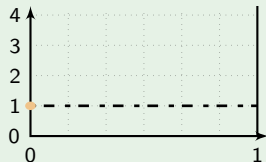
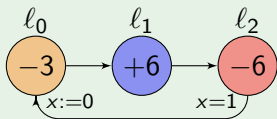


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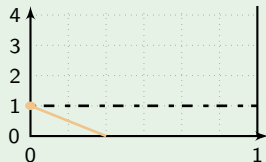
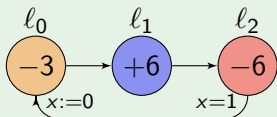


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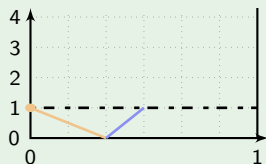
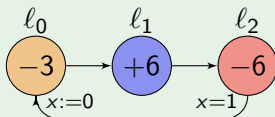


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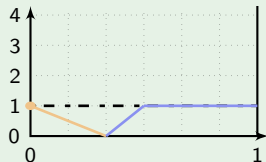
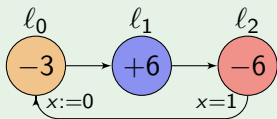


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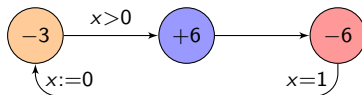
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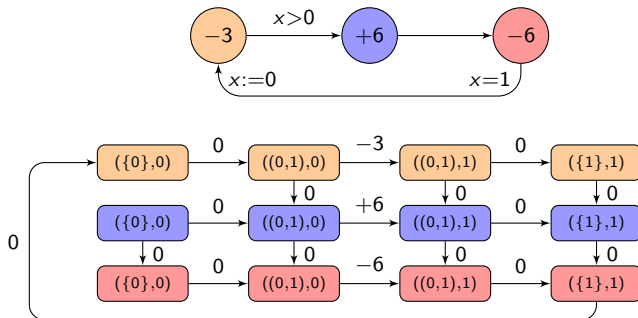
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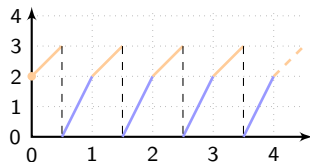
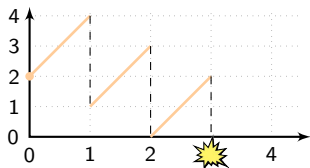
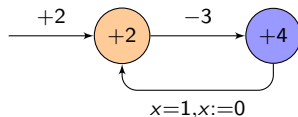
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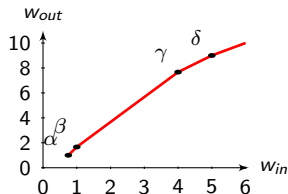
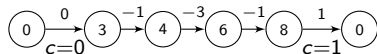
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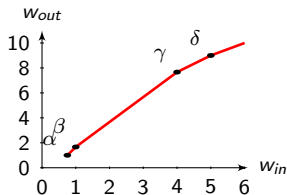
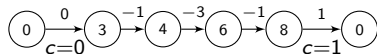
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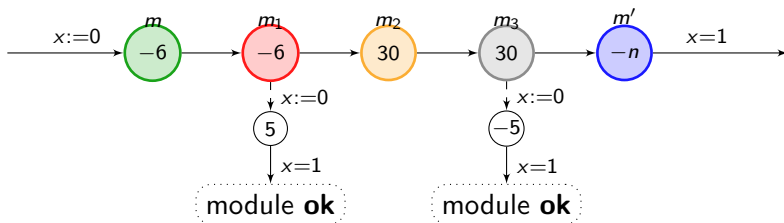
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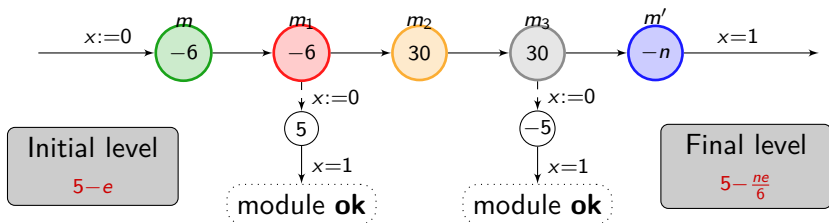
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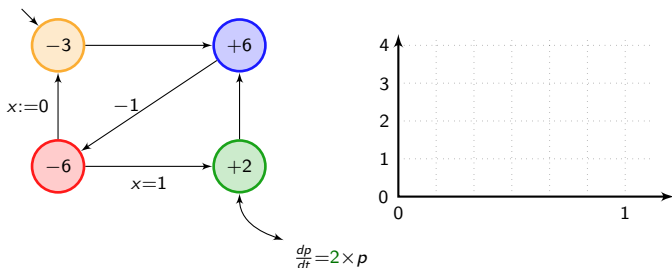
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