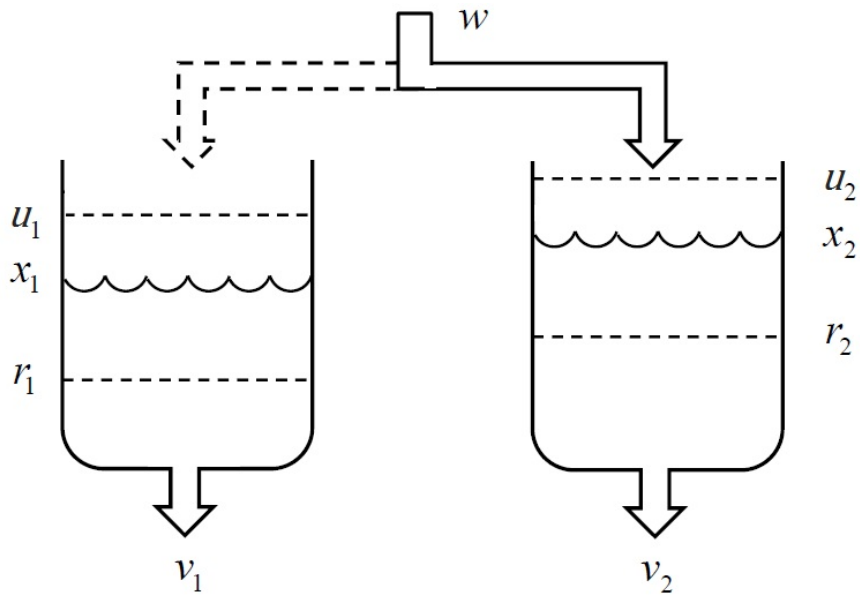


# Approximate analysis of hybrid dynamics

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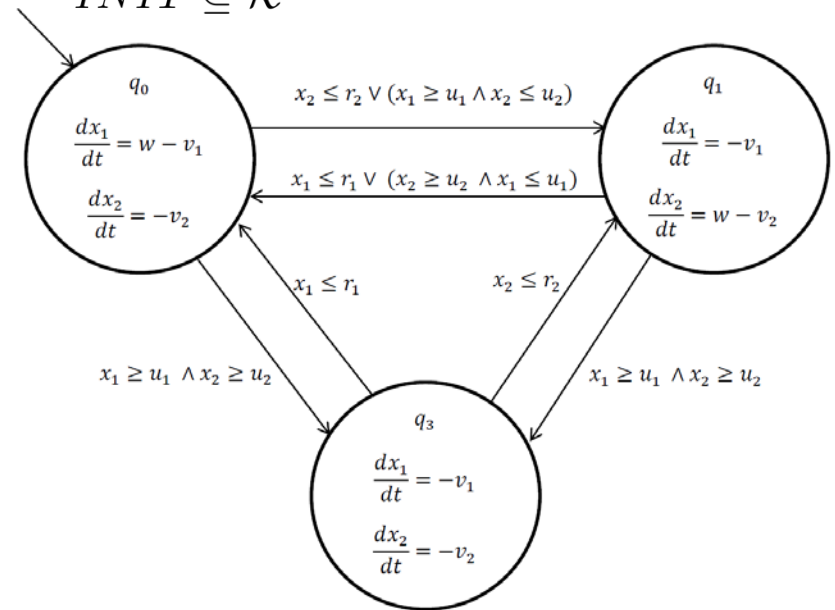
# Hybrid systems



Hybrid system

$$X = \{x_1, x_2\}$$

$$INIT \subseteq \mathcal{R}^2$$



Hybrid automaton

# Hybrid systems

- Hybrid systems are hard to analyze.
  - The solutions to the ODEs will not be available.
  - The way the continuous dynamics interacts with the guards is intractable.
- Restrict the mode dynamics (piecewise constant,..)?
- But in many situations, the mode dynamics are governed by ordinary differential equations.
  - Cyber-physical systems (automotive, avionics..), bio-pathways,..
- **A possible strategy:**
  - **Approximate analysis based on numerical simulations.**

# Main result

- For a *rich* class of hybrid systems:
  - we approximate a **hybrid system** H as a **Markov chain** M such that:
    - **Every trajectory of H satisfies a BLTL specification  $\varphi$  iff M meets the specification  $\varphi$  almost certainly. i.e with probability 1.**
  - **Kr:  $Q \rightarrow 2^{AP}$**

# Main result

Instead of  $H \models \varphi$  determine  
whether  $M \models \varphi$

We can not construct  $M$  explicitly.

We can only check  $M \models \varphi$  approximately by  
sampling the paths of  $M$ .

We can not directly sample the paths of  $M$ .

Instead we sample the paths of  $M$  indirectly.

By sampling the trajectories of  $H$  through numerical simulations.

Set up a sequential hypothesis test and statistically model check  
whether  $M \models \varphi$ .

# The SMC procedure

$$H_0 : M \models_{\geq 1} \varphi$$

$$H_1 : M \models_{< 1-\delta} \varphi$$

$\delta$  is the (one sided) indifference region.

Also fix  $\alpha$ , the false positives error.

i.e. when  $H_0$  is accepted while  $H_1$  happens to be the case.

We will never accept  $H_1$  when  $H_0$  happens to be the case.

$$N = \lceil \frac{\log \alpha}{\log 1-\delta} \rceil$$

$$\delta = 0.01, \alpha = 0.01; N = 459$$

A few case studies including the cardiac cell model (non-linear ODEs, 4 modes, 4 dimensional) perform well.

# The class of systems

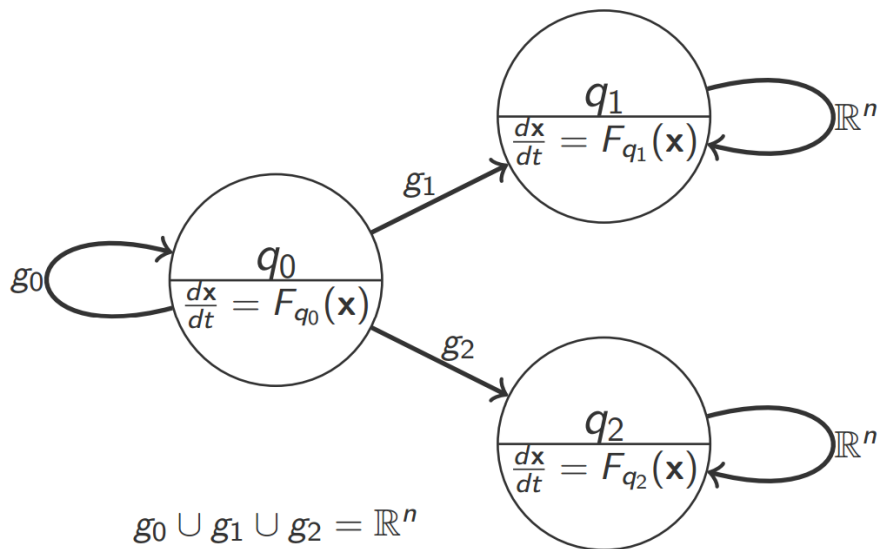
- The vector fields associated with each mode dynamics is a  $C^1$  function. (polynomials, rational functions,)
- The state of the system is observed at discrete time-points.
- The number of mode changes within a unit interval of time  $(k, k + 1)$  is bounded [non-zero].
  - The interval is so chosen that at most one mode transition takes place per unit interval.
- The set of initial states is a bounded open set; all the guards are open sets.

# The stochasticity hypothesis.

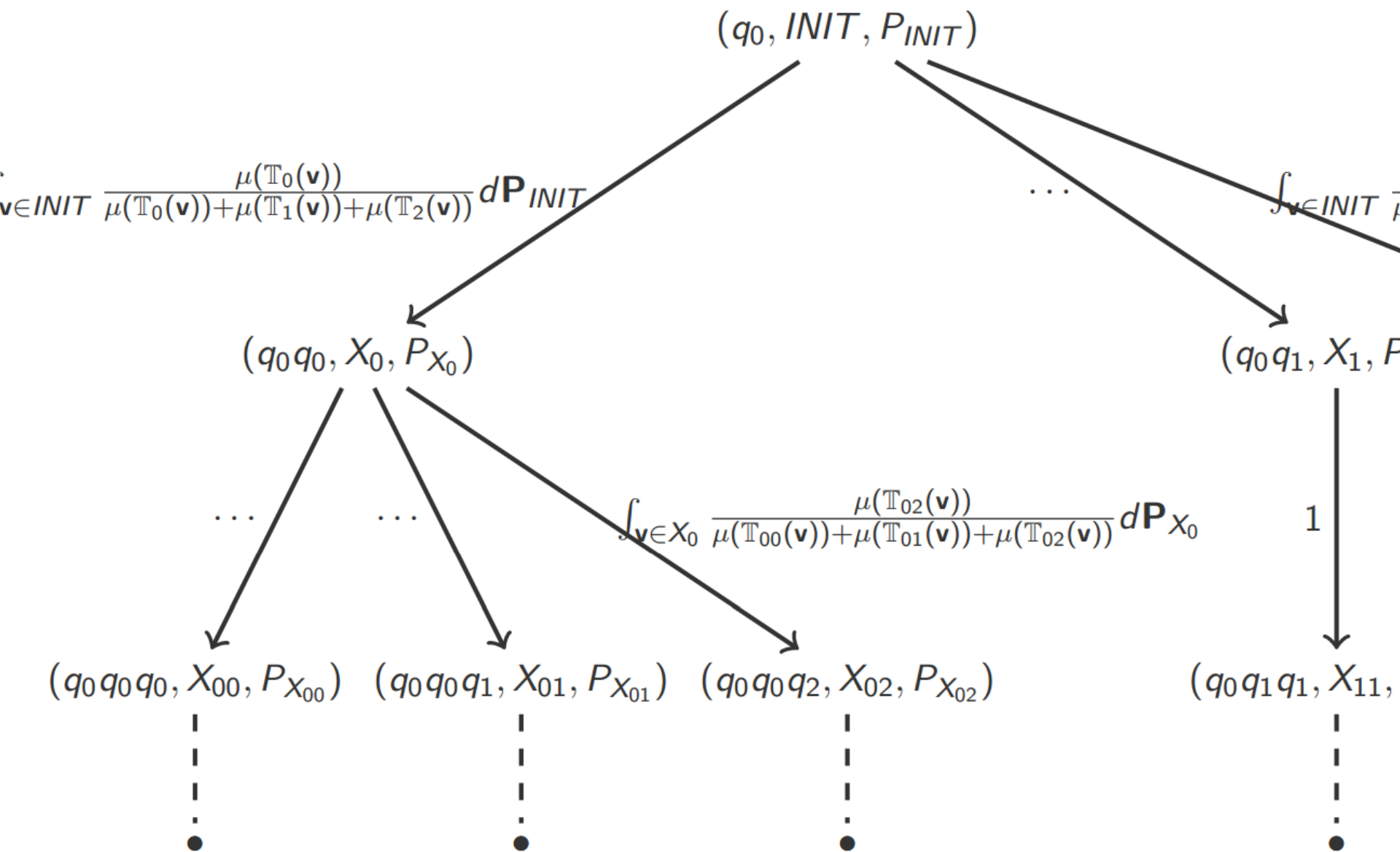
- Mode transitions are *stochastic events*.
- The probability of a mode transition is proportional to how “often” its guard gets enabled.
  - Our assumptions ensure that this makes measure theoretic sense.

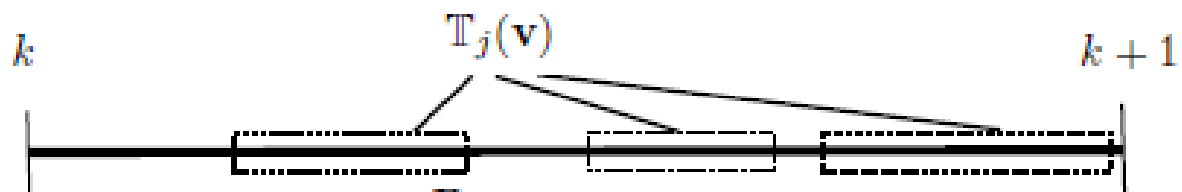


# Approximating hybrid automata using Markov chain



A simple hybrid automaton





# An extension

- Currently the atomic propositions are qualitative; Kr:  $Q \rightarrow 2^{AP}$
- Quantitative atomic propositions are harder to handle.
  - $(x < 0.5)$
- Must stick to “smooth” trajectories and rational mode switching time points.