

π RA: A π -calculus for verifying protocols that use remote attestation

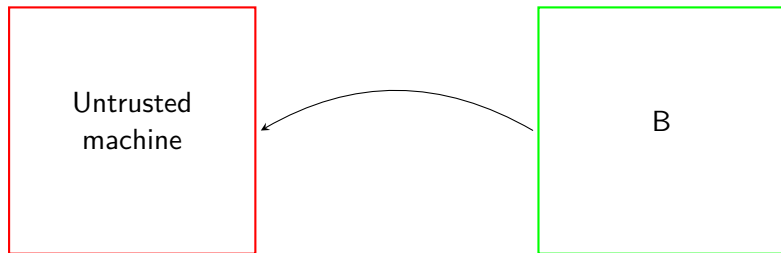
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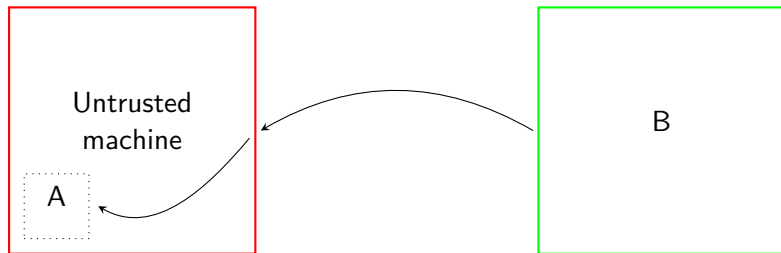
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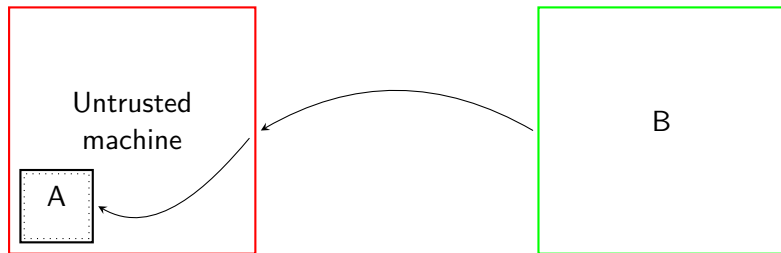
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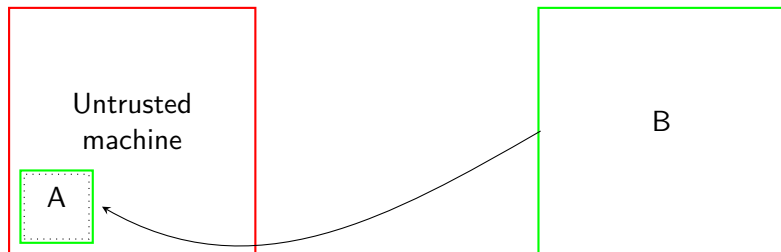
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- ▶ Goal: Reason about RA at a high level.
Ignoring:
 - ▶ Implementation RA
 - ▶ Isolation primitives
 - ▶ Communication primitives

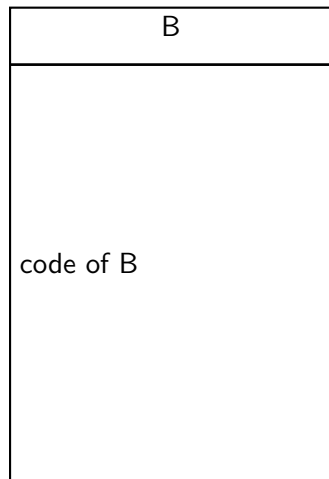
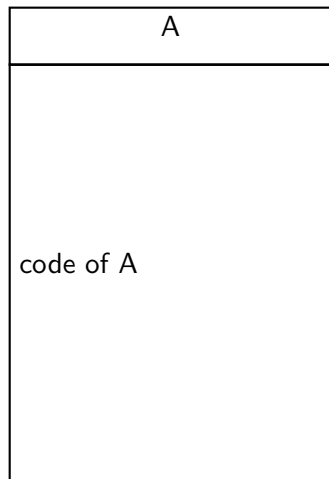
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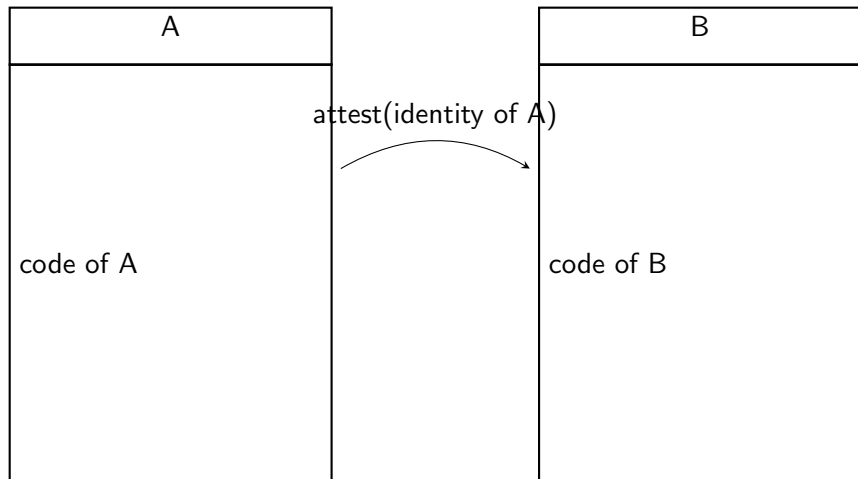
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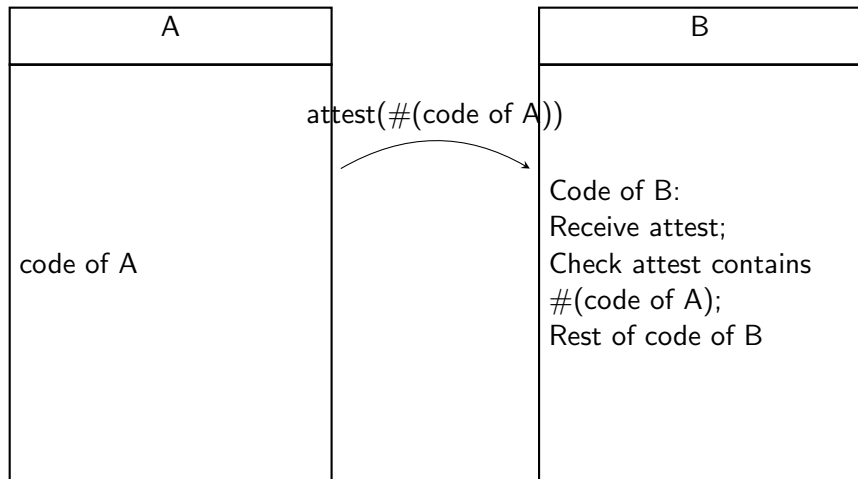
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Syntax of π -calculus

Example

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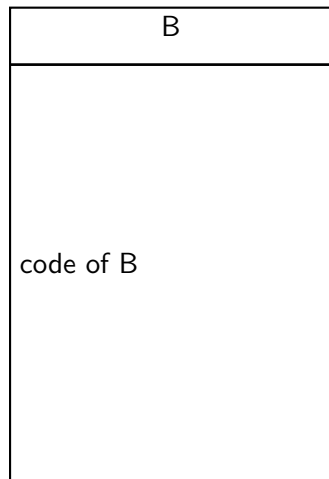
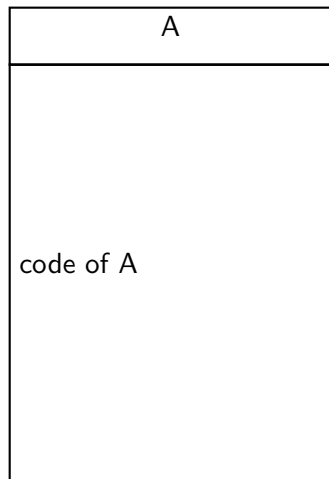
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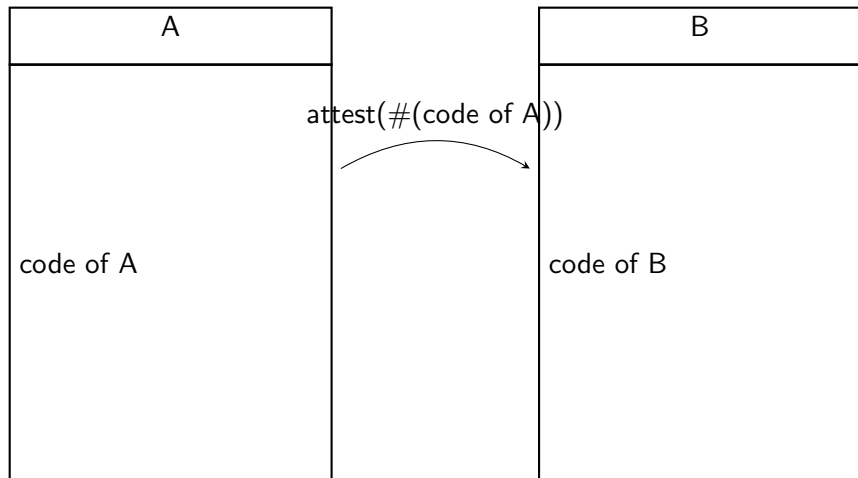
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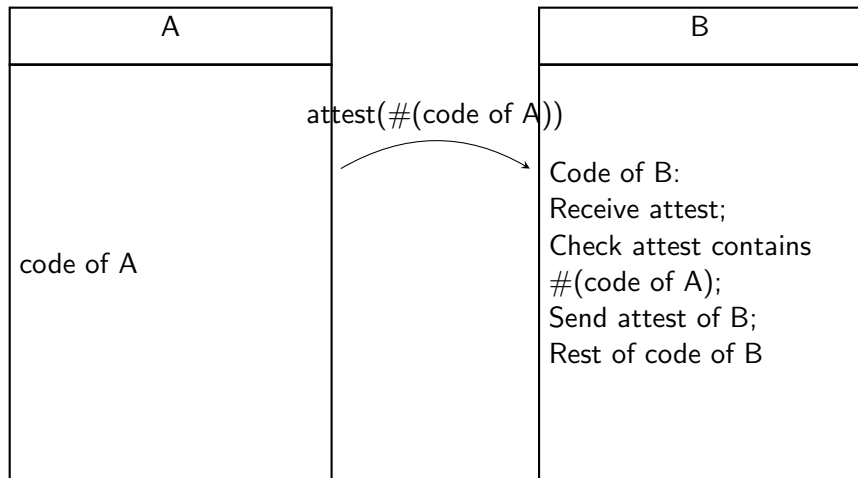
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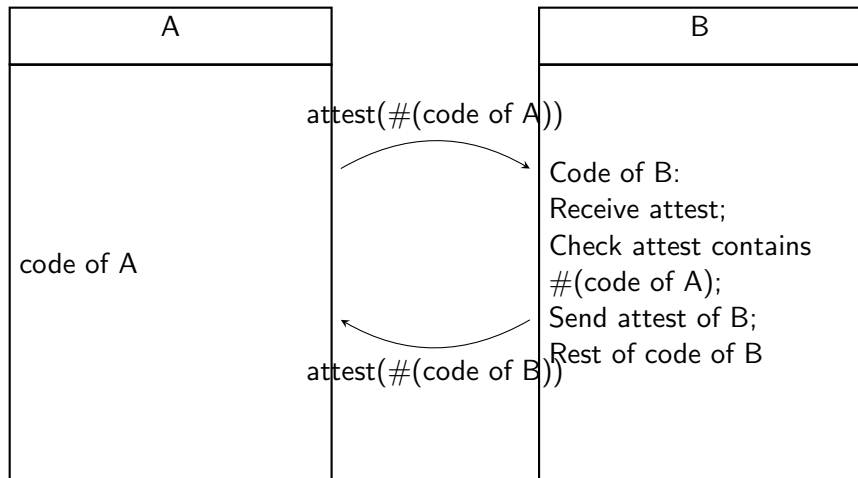
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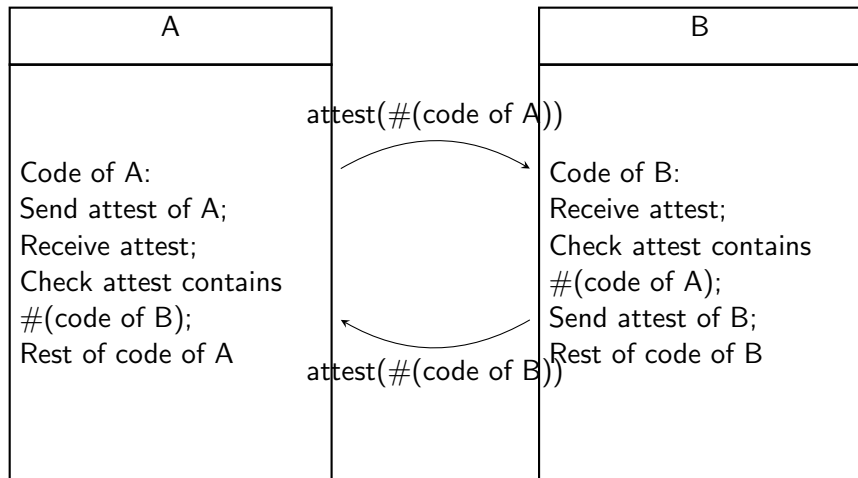
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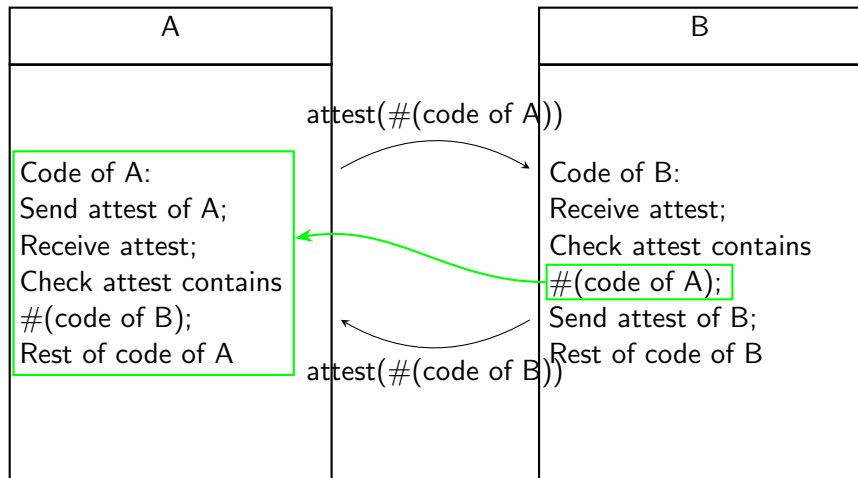
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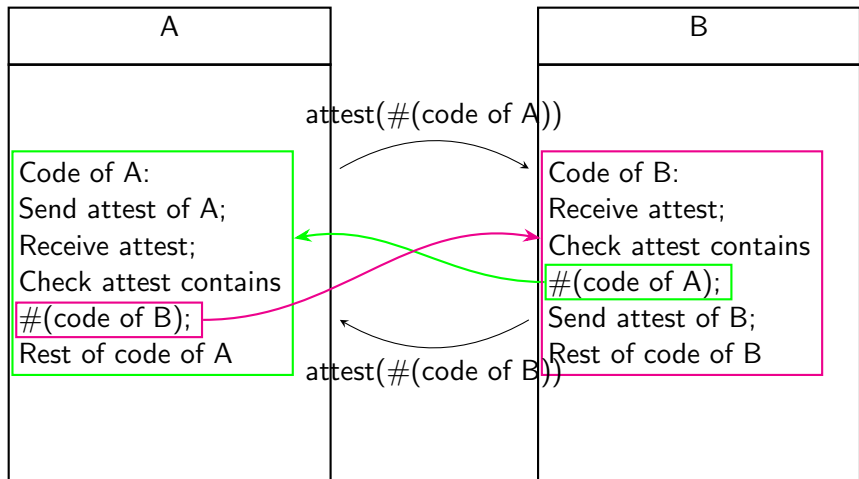
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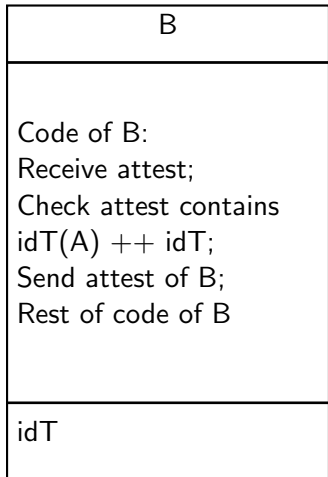
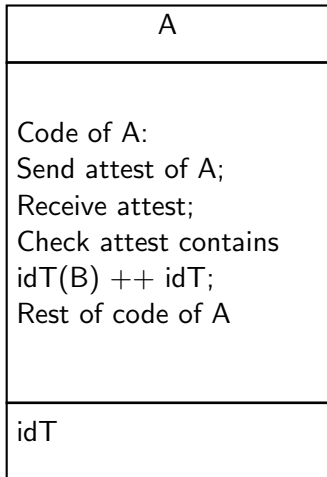
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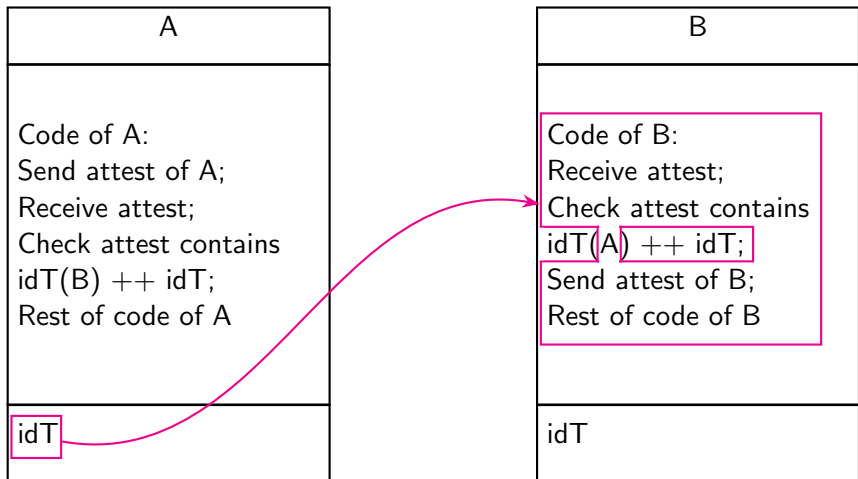
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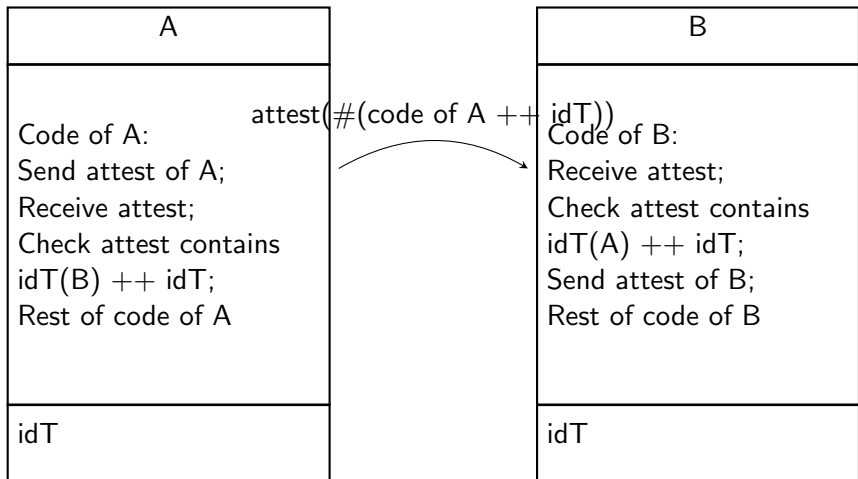
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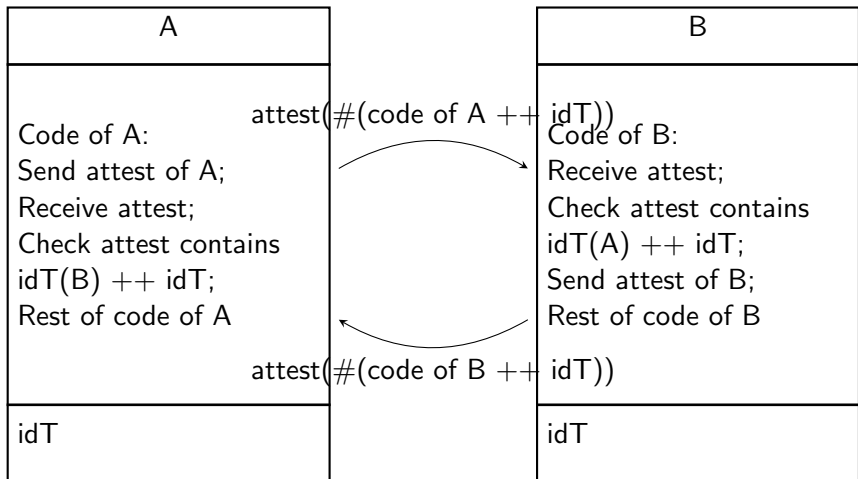
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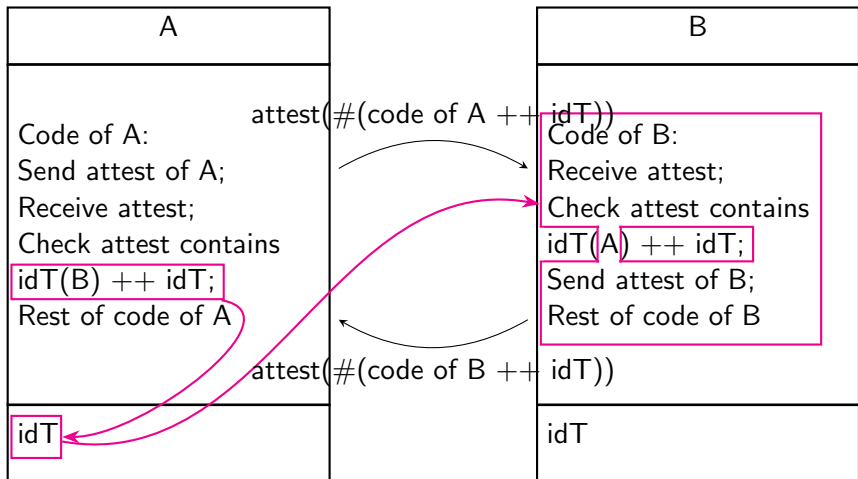
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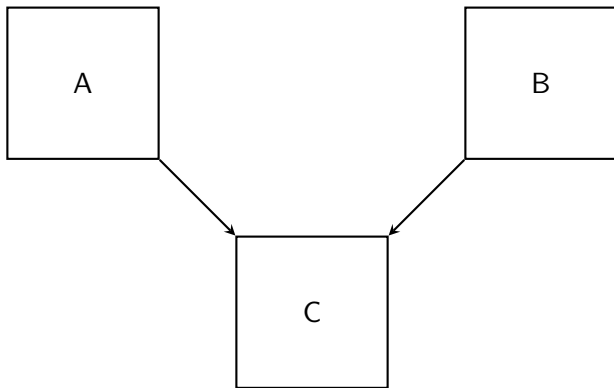
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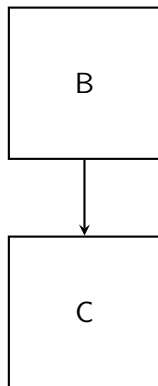
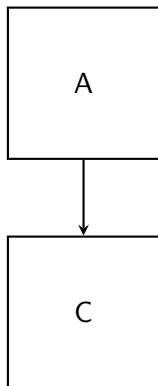
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Definition (Contextual equivalence)

$$P \simeq_{\text{ctx}} Q \iff \forall C : \text{behav}(C[P]) = \text{behav}(C[Q])$$

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Definition (RrHC)

$$\forall C_T : \exists C_S : \forall P : \mathit{behav}(C_T[[P]]) = \mathit{behav}(C_S[P])$$

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Table of identities

Function to calculate table of preprocessed hashes for each actor based on precompiler:

$$cH(\boxed{n_1 : P_1} \mid \boxed{n_2 : P_2} \mid P_3) = \{n_1 : \#_{z,x} \llbracket P_1 \rrbracket_{z,x}, n_2 : \#_{z,x} \llbracket P_2 \rrbracket_{z,x}\}$$

Compiler

$$\llbracket P \rrbracket = \llbracket P \rrbracket_{cH(P)}, \blacksquare$$

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Questions?/Suggestions?



Preprocessed table of identities

$$cH(P) = \begin{cases} \emptyset & \text{if } P = \mathbf{0} \\ \{(n, \#_{z,x,d} \llbracket P_{start} \rrbracket_{z,x})\} \cup cH(P_{start}) & \text{if } P = \boxed{n : P_{start}} \\ cH(Q) & \text{or } P = \boxed{n : P'} P_{start} \\ cH(Q) \cup cH(R) & \text{if } P = \overline{N}_{id_1 \rightarrow id_2} \langle M \rangle . Q \\ & \text{or } P = \overline{N}_{id_2 \rightarrow id_1} (x) . Q \text{ or } \dots \\ & \text{if } P = Q \mid R \text{ or } P = Q + R \\ & \text{or } P = \text{if } M = N \text{ then } Q \text{ else } R \end{cases}$$

Figure: The function $cH(P)$ compiles a table of the hashes of compiled actors in P .

Proof of equivalence reflection

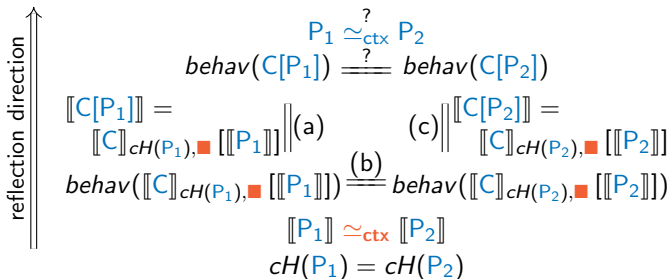


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Proof of equivalence preservation

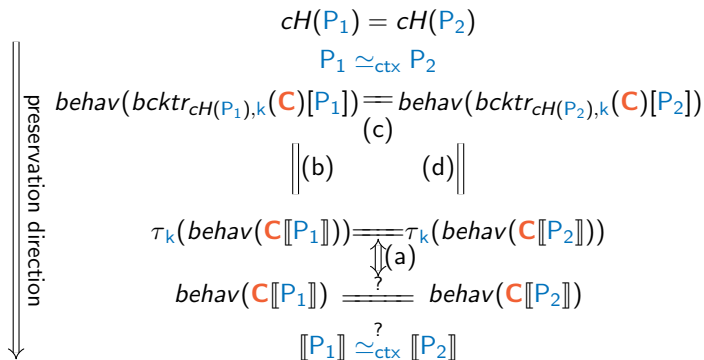


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Back-translation

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