

Programming Logics and Software Verification

Automating Verification:
Procedures,
Hierarchical Data Structures,
Arithmetic Strengthening

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Procedures

Interprocedural analysis

- For each procedure, create a table that records all the past analysis results.
- Table for `create_list()`:

Precond.	Postcondition		
<code>emp</code>	$\text{ret}=0 \wedge \text{emp}$,	$\text{ret} \mapsto 0$,	$\text{ls}(\text{ret}, 0)$
...	...		

- Use the table whenever possible.

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in

3 entries, 9 results

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The verifier constructs proofs of two Hoare triples for create_list unnecessarily.

```
y=create_list();
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x=0 \wedge y=0 \wedge emp

x=0 \wedge y \rightarrow 0

.....

x \rightarrow 0 * y \rightarrow 0

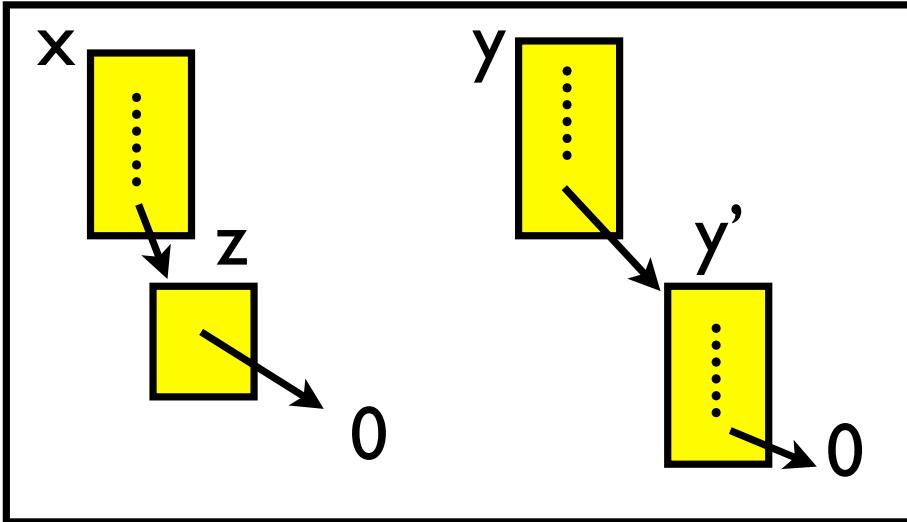
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Optimisation by the frame rule

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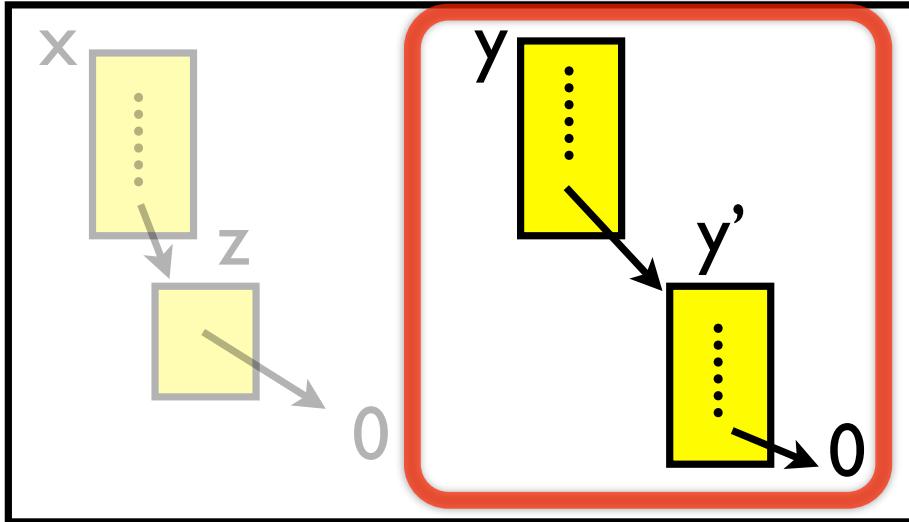
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Challenges for interprocedural analyses – efficiency

- ▶ Underlying intraprocedural analysis should be efficient
- ▶ Interprocedural analyses compute summaries and reuse them:

$$\{ls(x, \text{nil}) * ls(y, \text{nil})\} \quad \{ls(u, \text{nil}) * ls(v, \text{nil})\}$$

append(x, y) append(u, v)

$$\{ls(x, y) * ls(y, \text{nil})\} \quad \{ls(u, v) * ls(v, \text{nil})\}$$

- ▶ Efficiency \Rightarrow more reusable summaries needed:

$$\{ls(x, \text{nil}) * ls(y, \text{nil})\} \quad \{ls(x, \text{nil}) * ls(y, \text{nil}) * ls(z, \text{nil})\}$$

append(x, y) append(x, y)

$$\{ls(x, y) * ls(y, \text{nil})\} \quad \{\textcolor{red}{?}\}$$

- ▶ Procedures should be analyzed on local heaps: $ls(x, \text{nil})$

Challenges for interprocedural analyses – precision

Summary: $\{ \text{ls}(x, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil}) \} \text{ append}(x, y) \{ \text{ls}(x, y) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil}) \}$

$\{ \text{ls}(x, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(z, \text{nil}) \}$

`append(x, y)`

$\{ \text{ls}(x, y) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(z, \text{nil}) \}$

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- ▶ y – (heap) cutpoint (Rinetzky et al., POPL'05)
- ▶ Handling cutpoints precisely and efficiently is difficult

Handling procedure calls and returns

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- ▶ Idea: use the FRAME rule

$$\text{FRAME} \quad \frac{\{P\} \ C \ \{Q\}}{\{P * R\} \ C \ \{Q * R\}} \quad C \text{ does not modify variables in } R$$

- ▶ Example:
 $\{\text{ls}(x, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil})\} \text{ append}(x, y) \ \{\text{ls}(x, y) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil})\}$
 \Rightarrow
 $\{\text{ls}(x, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(z, \text{nil})\}$
 $\text{append}(x, y)$
 $\{\text{ls}(x, y) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(z, \text{nil})\}$

Local procedure call rule

$$\text{LOCALPROC CALL} \\ \frac{S \models P\sigma * R \quad Q\sigma * R \models T}{\Gamma, \{P\} f(\vec{x}) \{Q\} \vdash \{S\} f(\vec{x}\sigma) \{T\}}$$

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- Given a heap S at the call-site of $f(\vec{x}\sigma)$

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$\text{ls}(x, \text{nil})$

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ls(u , nil) and ls(v , nil) * ls(w , nil)

ls(x , nil)

ls(x, y)

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$\text{ls}(x, \text{nil})$

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$\text{ls}(u, v)$

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$\text{ls}(x, y)$

$\text{ls}(u, v)$

$\text{ls}(u, v) * \text{ls}(v, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(w, \text{nil})$

Choice of heap splittings

$$\text{LOCALPROC CALL} \\ \frac{S \models P\sigma * R \quad Q\sigma * R \models T}{\Gamma, \{P\} f(\vec{x}) \{Q\} \vdash \{S\} f(\vec{x}\sigma) \{T\}}$$

- ▶ $\{\text{Is}(u, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(v, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(w, \text{nil})\}$ append(u, v) {?}
- ▶ Split S into a local heap and a frame:
 - ▶ emp and $\text{Is}(u, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(v, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(w, \text{nil})$
 - ▶ $\text{Is}(u, \text{nil})$ and $\text{Is}(v, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(w, \text{nil})$
 - ▶ $\text{Is}(u, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(v, \text{nil})$ and $\text{Is}(w, \text{nil})$
 - ▶ $\text{Is}(u, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(v, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(w, \text{nil})$ and emp
- ▶ All splittings are sound
- ▶ Local heap = the portion of the heap reachable from actual parameters:
 $\text{Is}(u, \text{nil}) * \text{Is}(v, \text{nil}) \text{ and } \text{Is}(w, \text{nil})$

Cutpoints

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$\{\text{ls}(u, c) * \text{ls}(c, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(v, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(w, \text{nil})\} \text{ append(u, v)} \{\textcolor{red}{?}\}$

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$\text{ls}(x, ?) * \text{ls}(?, \text{nil}) * \text{ls}(y, \text{nil})$

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Handling cutpoints

- ▶ Problem: number of unquantified variables is no longer bounded
 - ▶ abstract domain will be infinite!
- ▶ Solution:
 - ▶ bound the number of cutpoints
 - ▶ quantify the excess

Handling cutpoints

$$\text{LOCALPROC} \text{CALLCUT}$$
$$\frac{S \models P' * R \quad \exists \vec{c}. \, P' \models P\sigma \quad Q\sigma * R \models T}{\Gamma, \{P\} f(\vec{x}) \{Q\} \vdash \{S\} f(\vec{x}\sigma) \{T\}}$$

1. Given a heap S at the call-site of $f(\vec{x}\sigma)$
2. Split S into: $P\sigma$ (a local heap) and R (a frame)
3. Quantify extra cutpoints and abstract
4. Express the pre-heap $P\sigma$ in terms of the formal parameters: P
5. Compute the post-heap of the procedure call on P : Q
6. Express Q in terms of the actual parameters: $Q\sigma$
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Overall analysis — interprocedural analysis

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- ▶ Procedure calls and returns through LOCALPROCCALLCUT
- ▶ Reps-Horwitz-Sagiv algorithm for tabulating summaries:
 - ▶ start from the first statement of `main()`
 - ▶ go forward and top-down
 - ▶ if the function isn't analyzed for a heap
 - obtain a local heap and analyze it for this heap
 - ▶ else
 - reuse the existing summary
- ▶ Elements of abstract domain: tables of path edges
- ▶ Abstract domain is finite \Rightarrow RHS terminates

Soundness

- ▶ Via compilation to separation logic
- ▶ Run of the analysis \Rightarrow collection of proofs
- ▶ Summary \Rightarrow valid Hoare triple in separation logic
- ▶ Proof by induction on the structure of the program
 - ▶ uses the rule LOCALPROCALLCUT

Interprocedural Analysis Summary

- Optimizing using Frame rule beneficial because
 - Most procedures modify only a small subset of the heap
 - Their effect is local
 - Separated heap abstractions mirror this locality
- Structural rules in separation logic often enable sound optimizations
 - Frame rule for interprocedural analysis
 - Concurrency rules and thread-local analysis
- Separation logic proof rules resolve tricky semantic issues
 - Allow optimized symbolic execution

Hierarchical Data Structures

Start Page 1394diag.c

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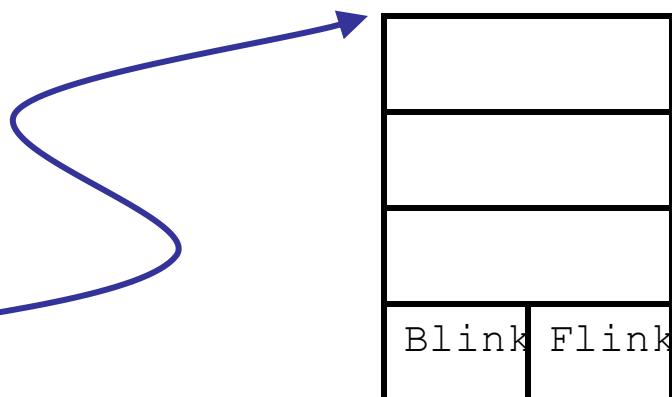
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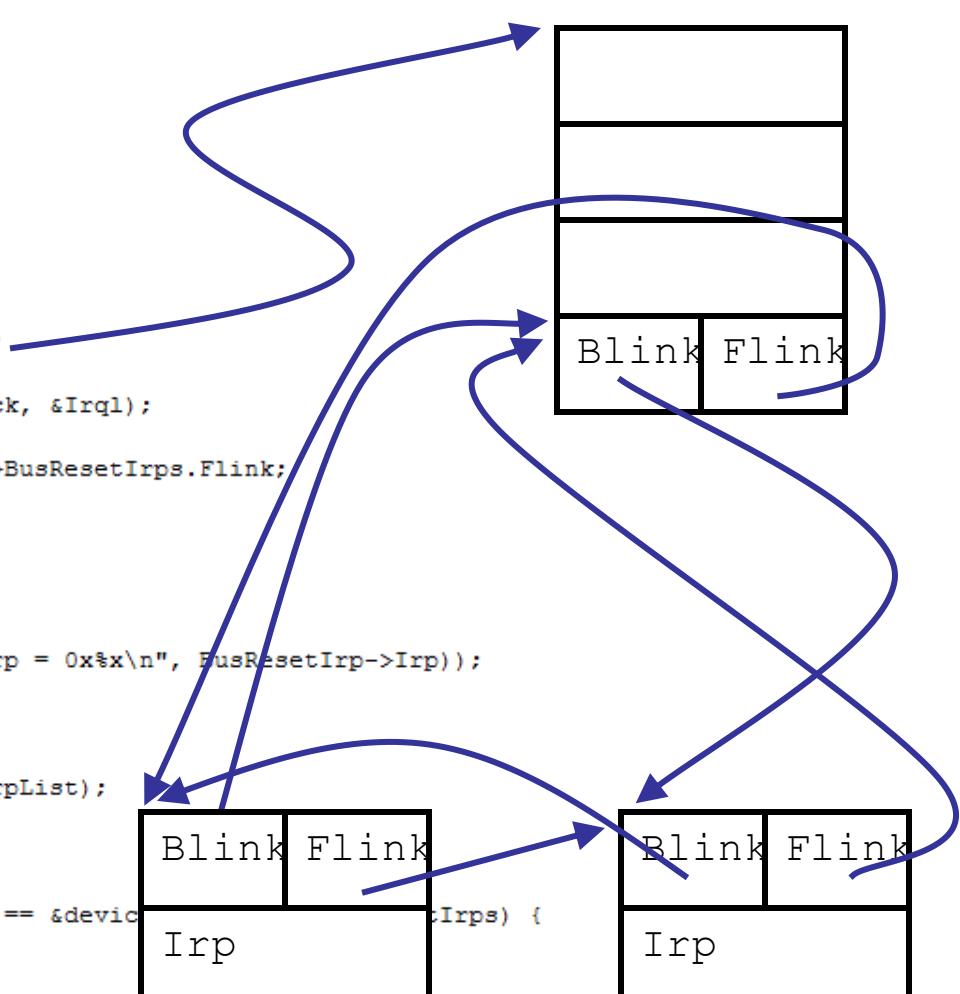
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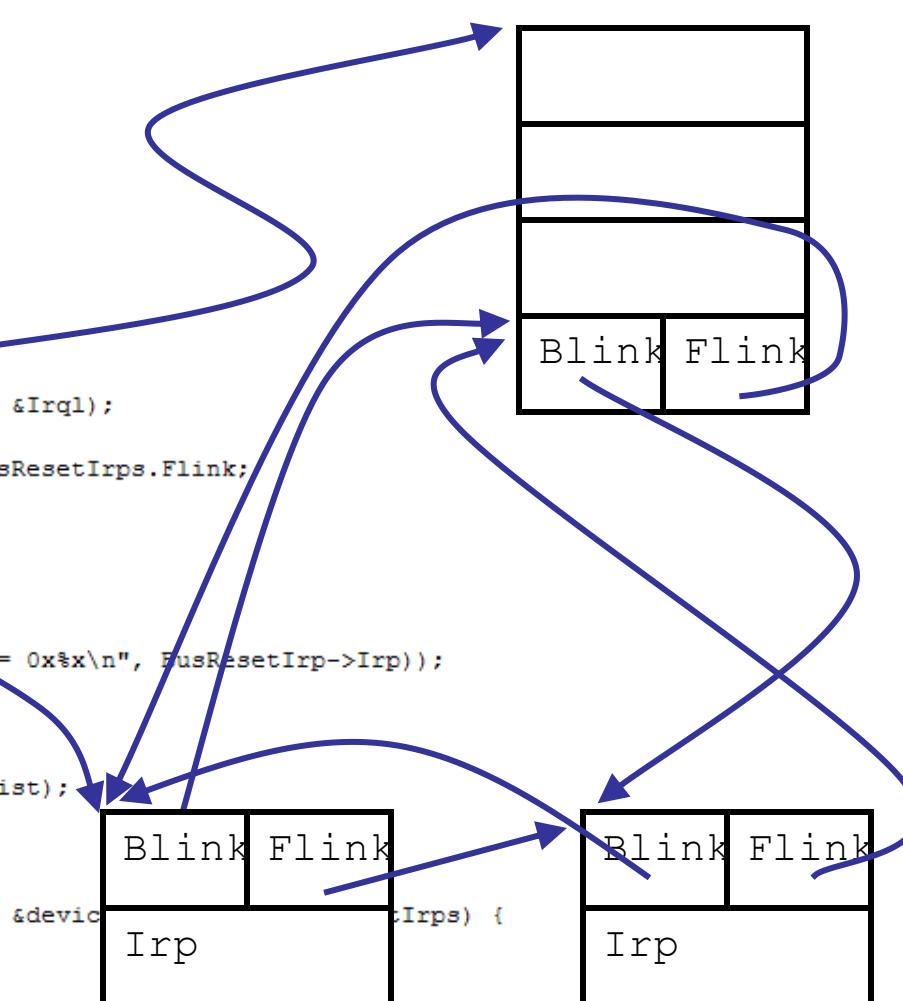
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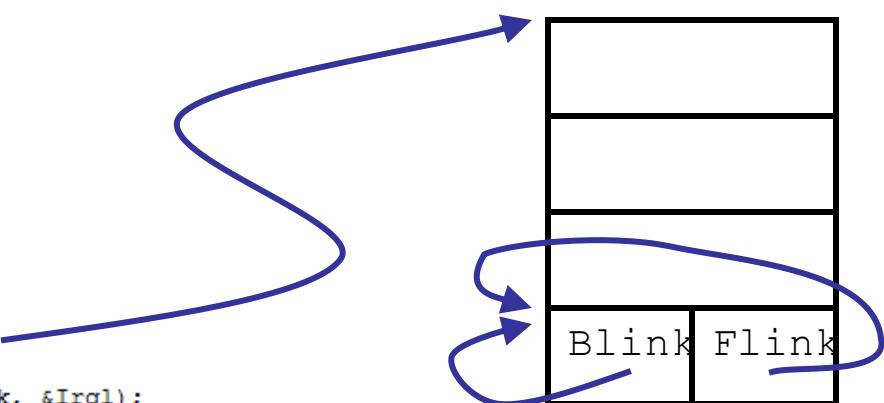
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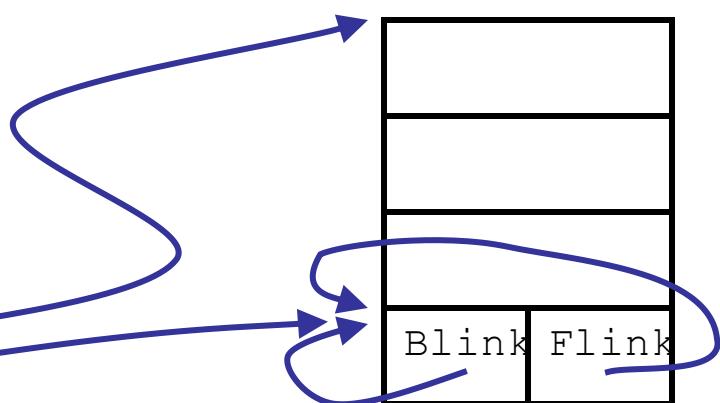
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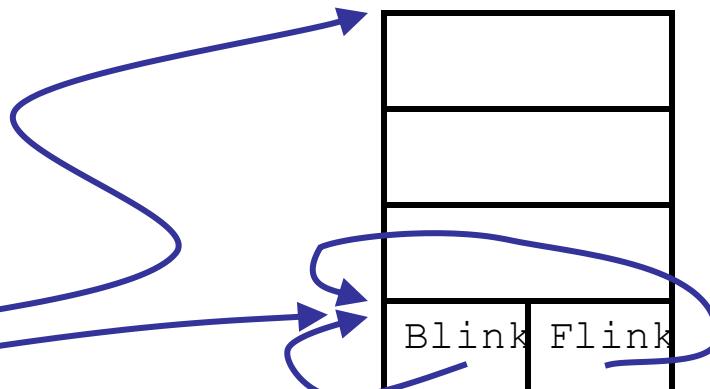
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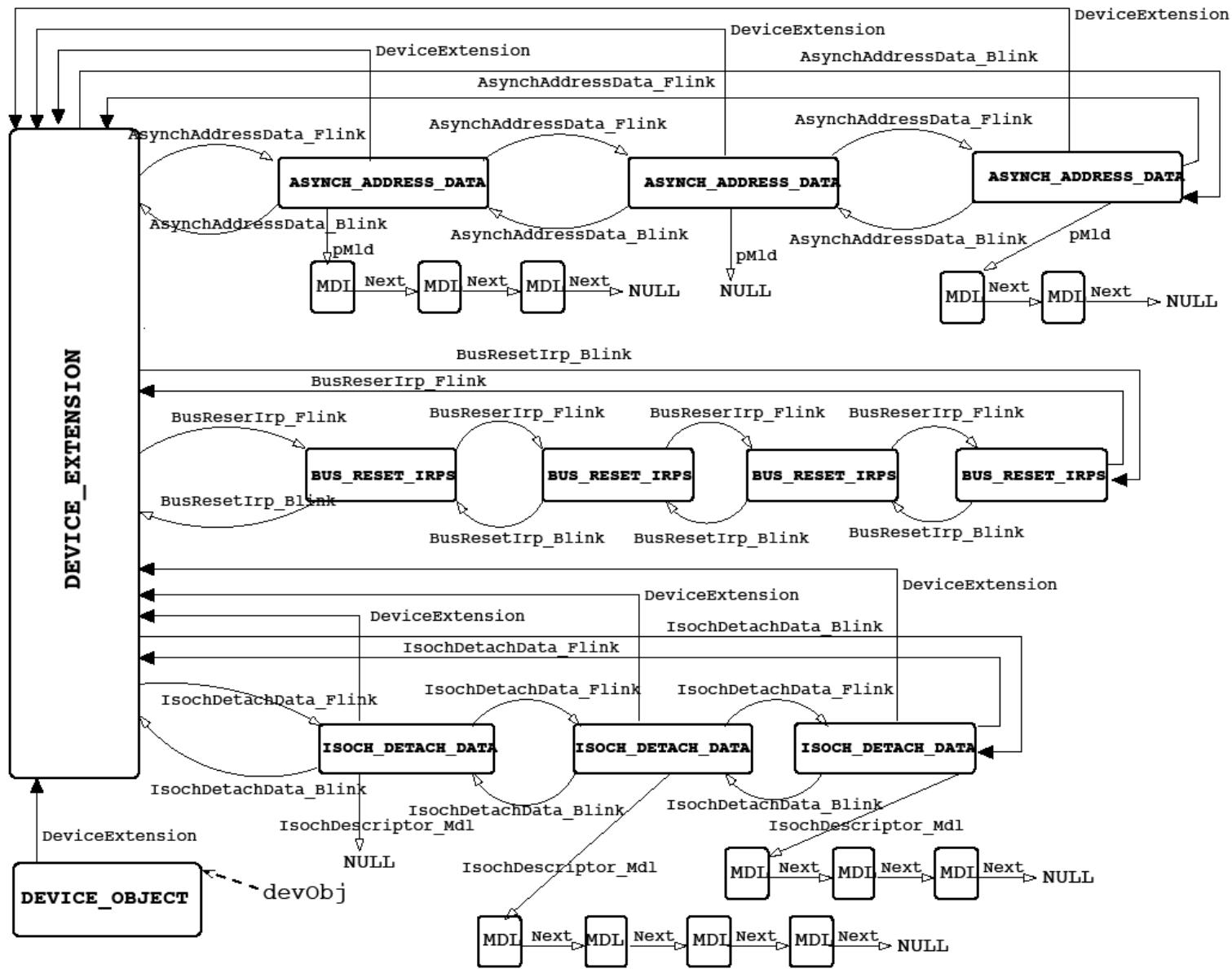
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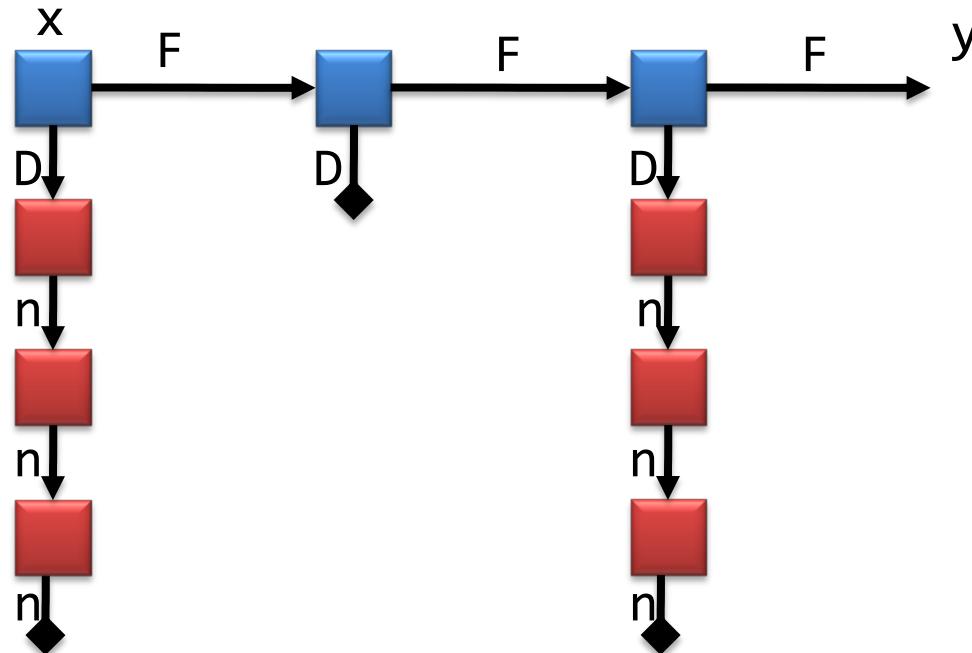




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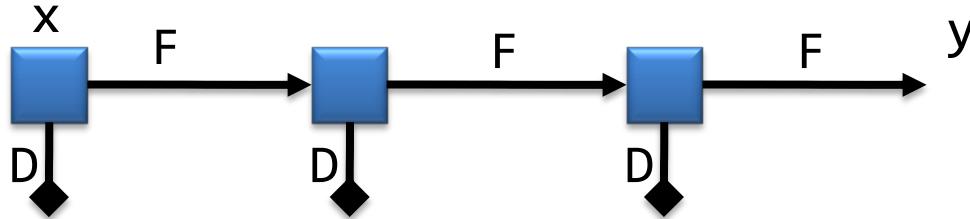
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Symbolic Execution with HO lists

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  if (x!=y) {  
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Supposing: {ls(x, null)} free_list(x); {emp}

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- Adaptive shape analysis
 - build in induction principles, rather than particular data structures
 - automatic recognition of many complex variations on linked lists:
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