

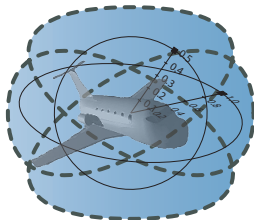
# 15-819/18-879: Logical Analysis of Hybrid Systems

## 18: European Train Control System Verification

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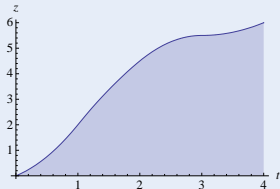
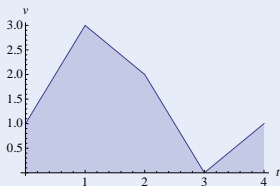
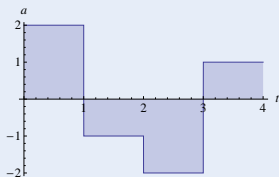


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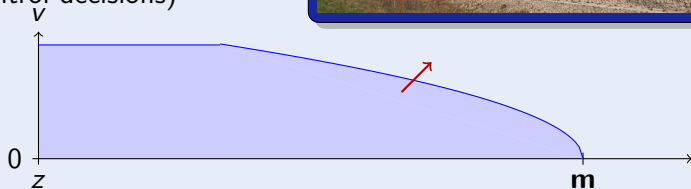




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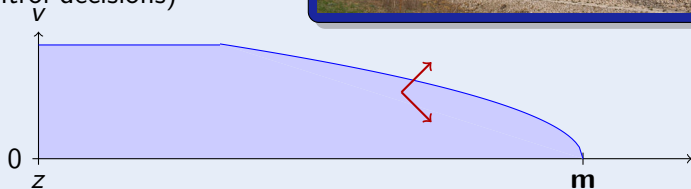
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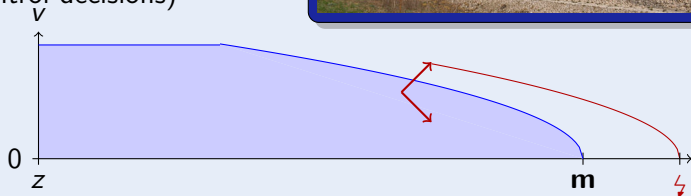
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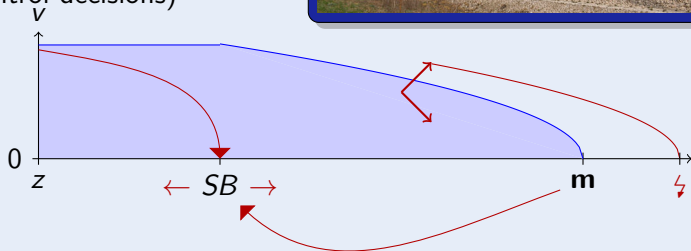
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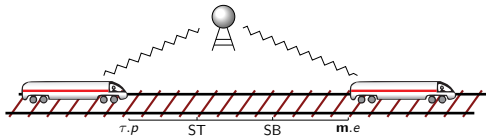
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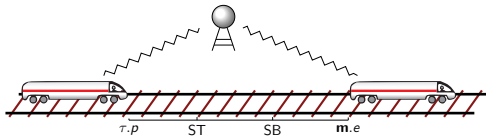


## Objectives

- 1 Collision free
- 2 Maximise throughput & velocity (300 km/h)
- 3  $2.1 * 10^6$  passengers/day

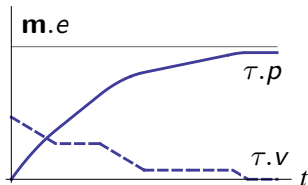
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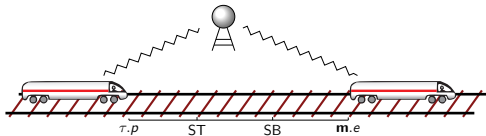
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- 2 Radio Block Controller (RBC) manages movement authorities dynamically
- 3 Moving block principle



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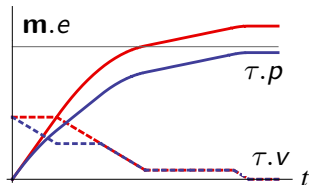
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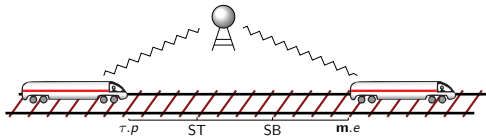


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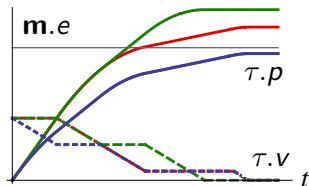


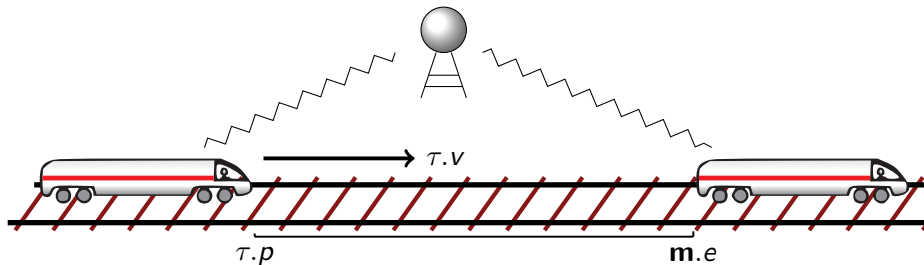




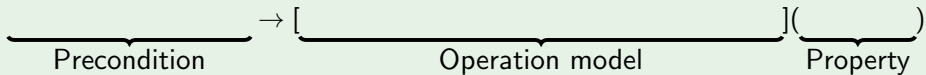
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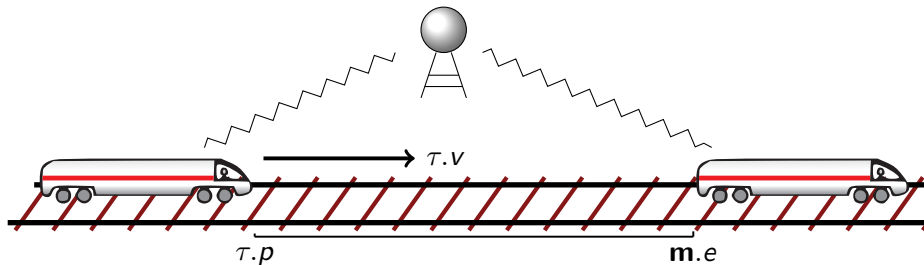
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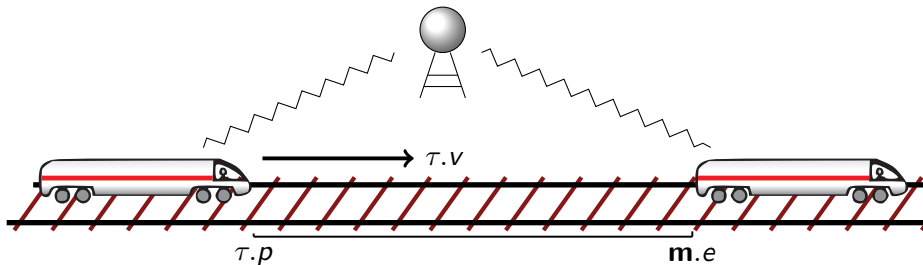
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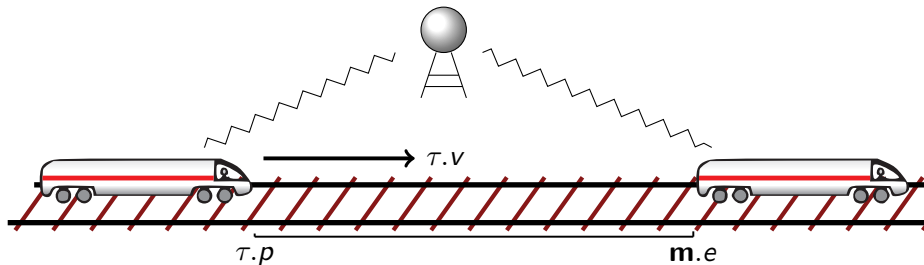
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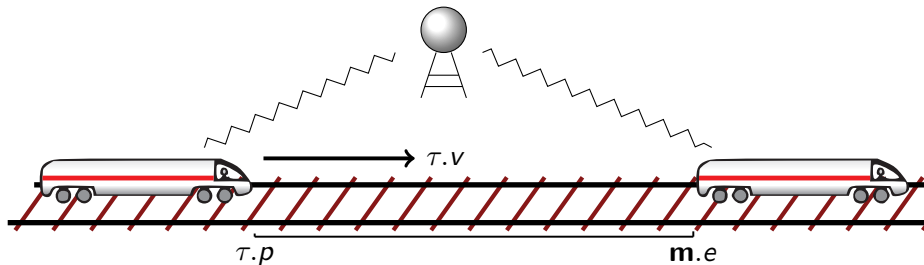
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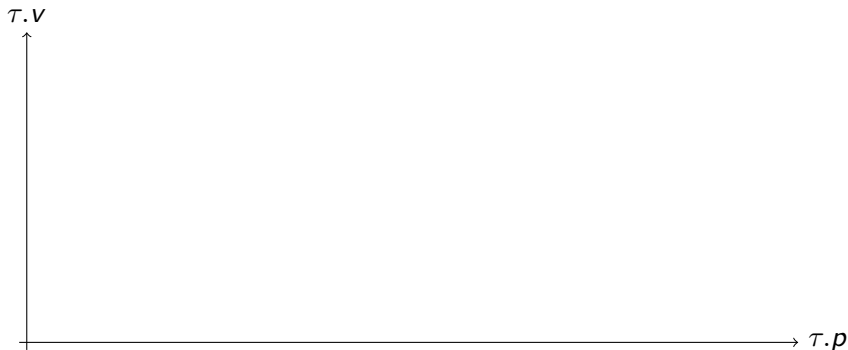
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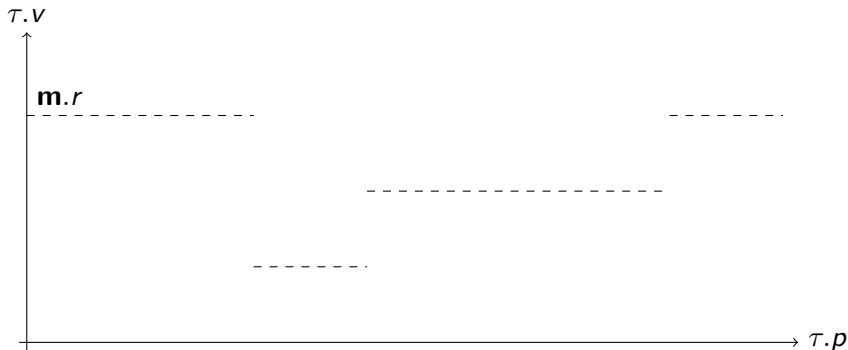
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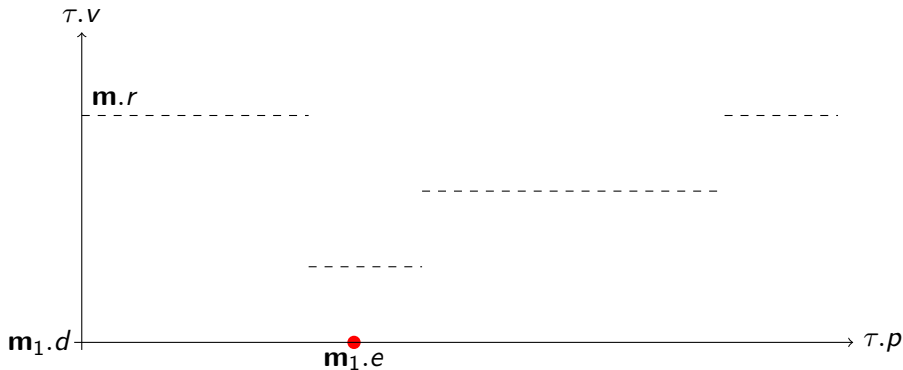


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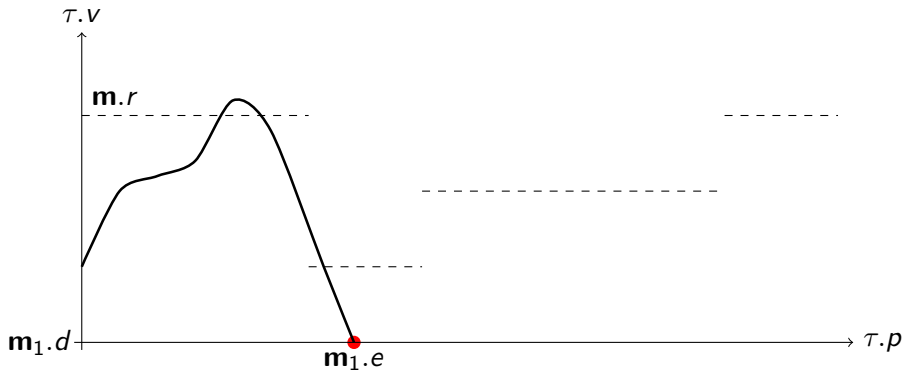


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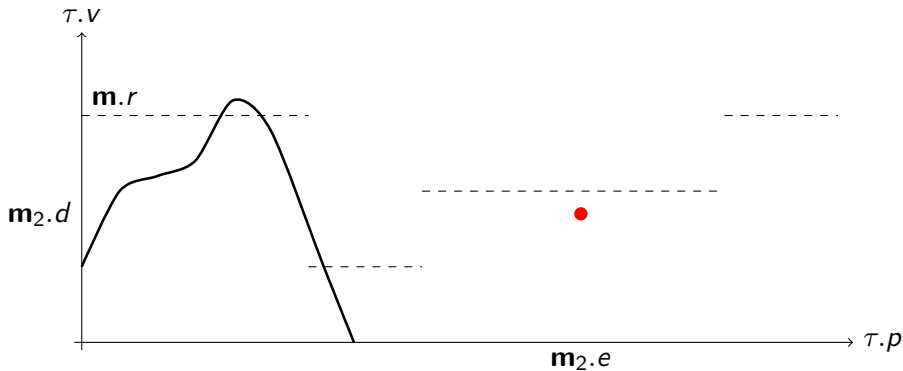




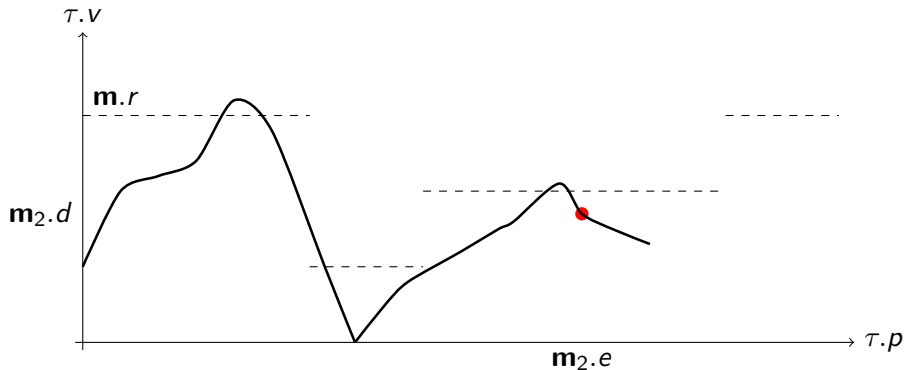
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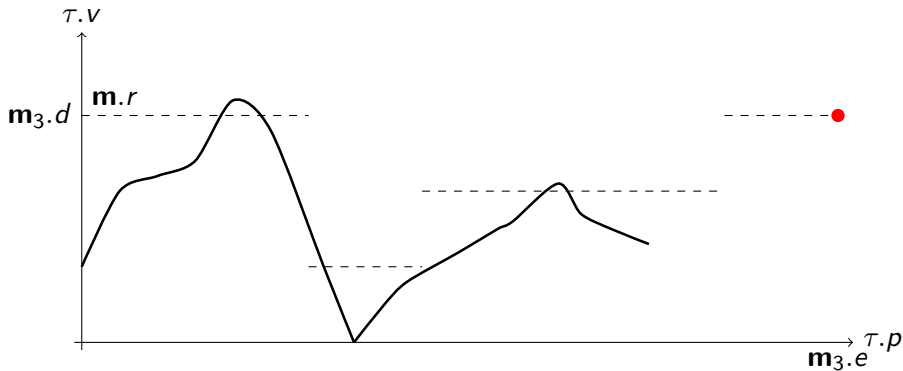
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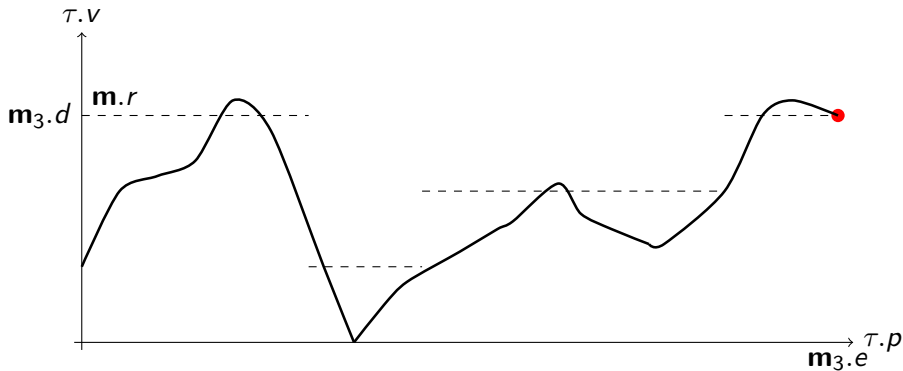
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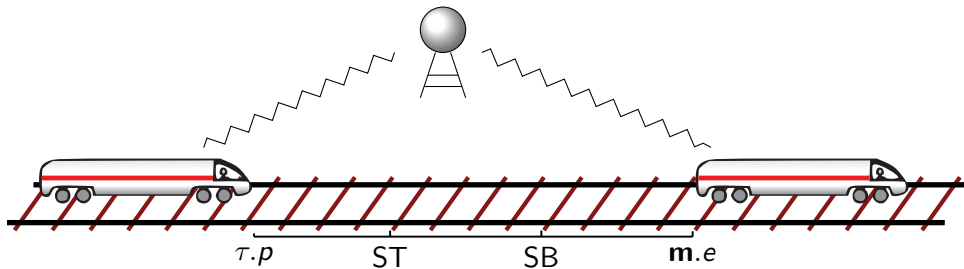
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- $\tau.a$  Acceleration
- ( $t$  model time)

RBC + MA:

- **m.e** End of Authority
- **m.d** Speed limit
- **m.r** Recommended speed
- *rbc.message* Channel

Parameters:

- *SB* Start Braking
- *ST* Start Talking
- *b* Braking power/deceleration
- *a* Maximum acceleration
- $\varepsilon$  Maximum cycle time
- $\Delta$  Maximum expected communication delay

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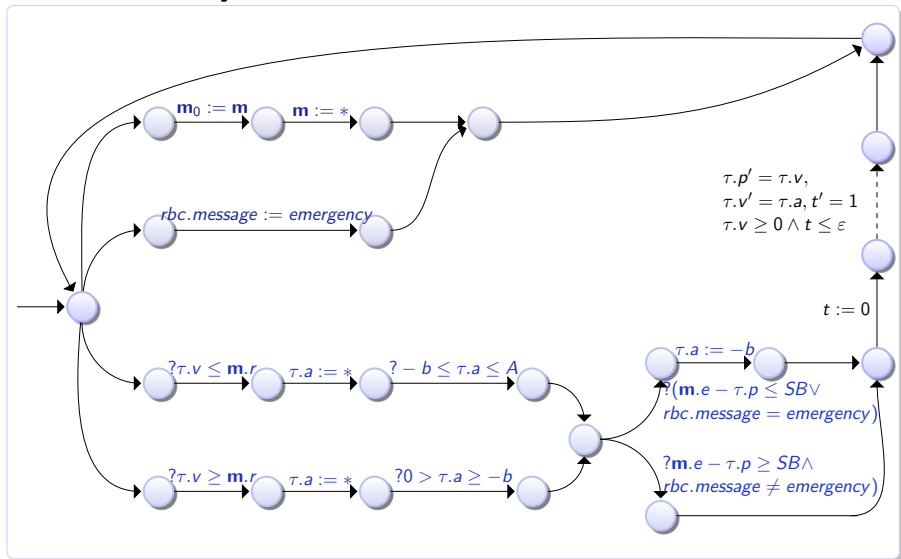
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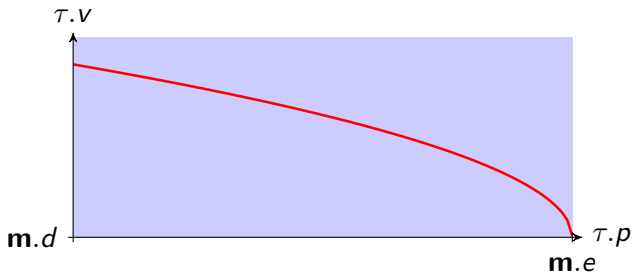
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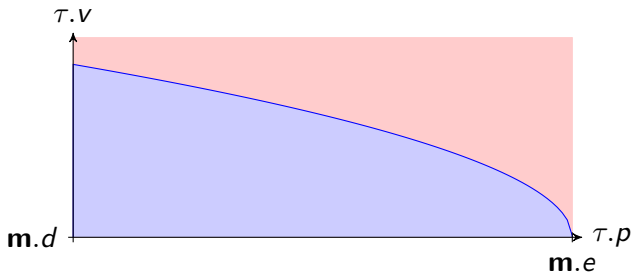
Lots of counterexamples!



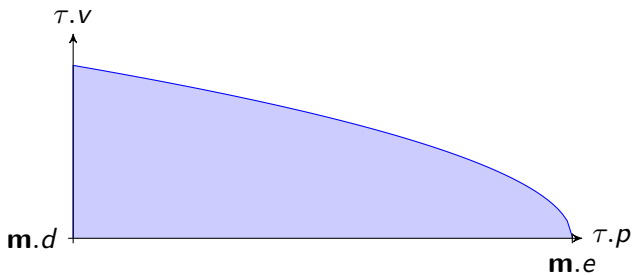


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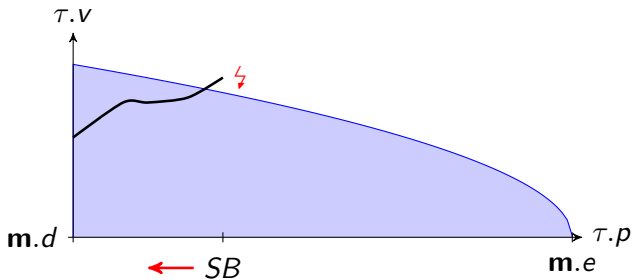
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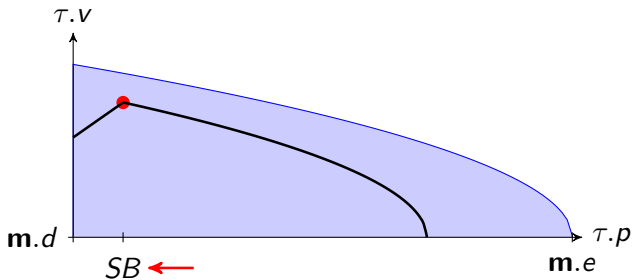
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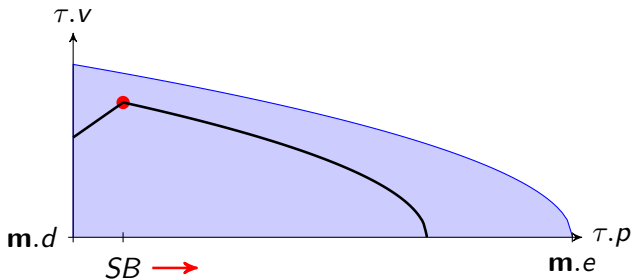
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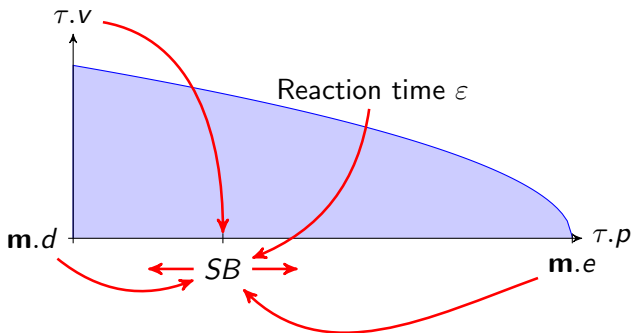
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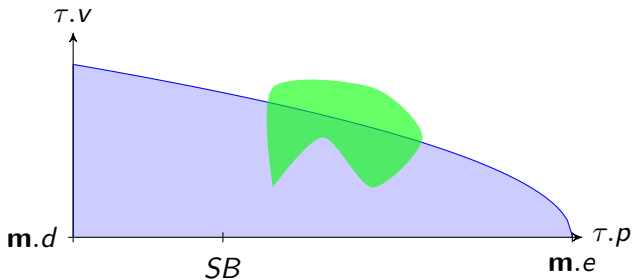
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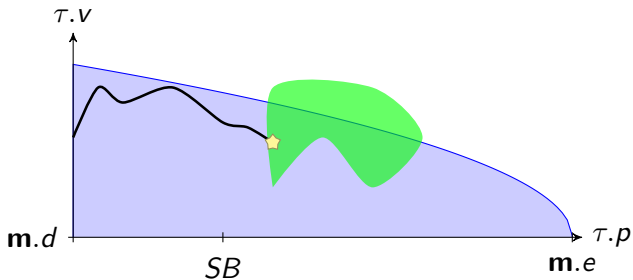
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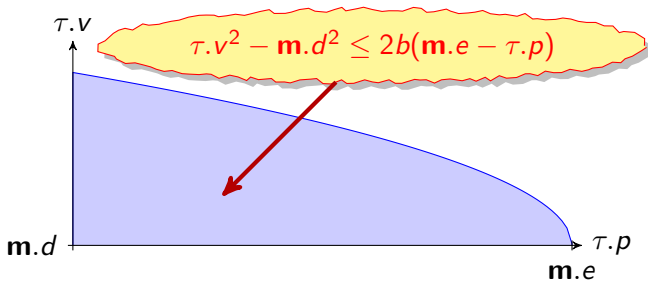


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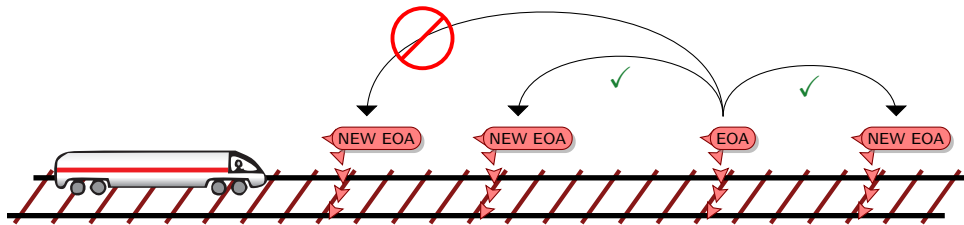


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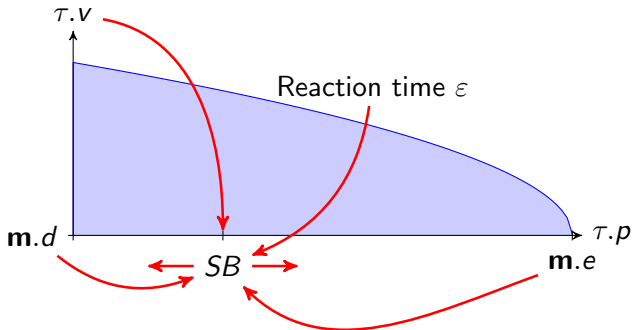
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 \equiv & \tau.v^2 - m.d^2 \leq 2b(m.e - \tau.p) \quad (C)
 \end{aligned}$$



## Proposition (RBC Controllability)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \mathbf{m}.d \geq 0 \wedge b > 0 \rightarrow [\mathbf{m}_0 := \mathbf{m}; \text{rbc}] \left( \right. \\
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## Proposition (Reactivity)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left( \forall \mathbf{m}.e \forall \tau.p \left( \mathbf{m}.e - \tau.p \geq SB \wedge \mathcal{C} \rightarrow [\tau.a := a; \text{drive}] \mathcal{C} \right) \right) \\
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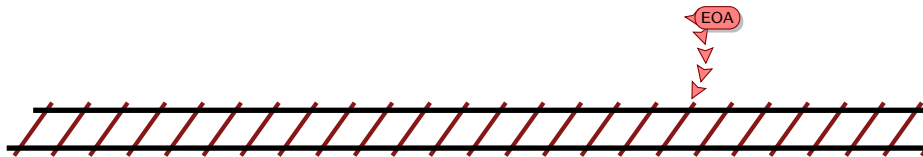
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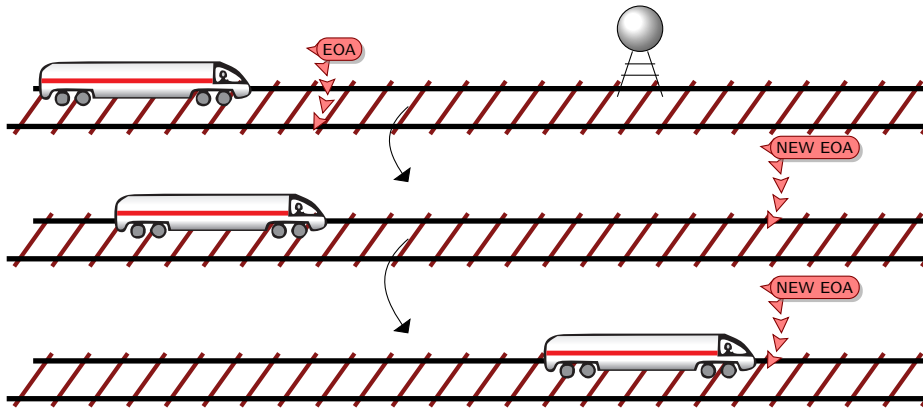
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### Proposition (Safety)

$$C \rightarrow [ETCS](\tau.p \geq \mathbf{m.e} \rightarrow \tau.v \leq \mathbf{m.d})$$





### Proposition (Liveness)

$$\tau.v \geq 0 \wedge \varepsilon > 0 \rightarrow \forall P \langle ETCS_r \rangle \tau.p \geq P$$



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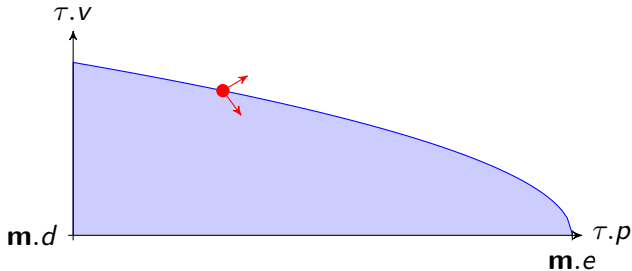
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↪ We cannot solve the differential equations anymore.

↪ Use differential invariants for approximation. For details see later.



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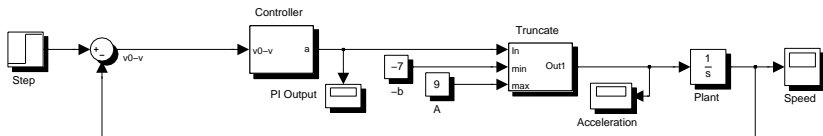
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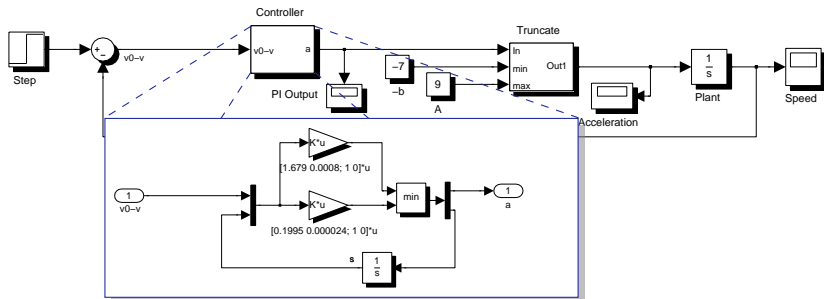
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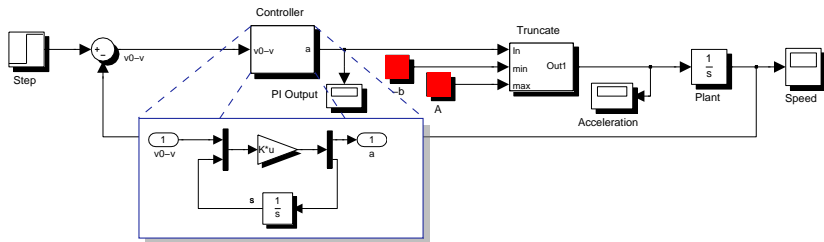
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Differential equation system

$$\tau.v' = \min\left(a, \max(-b, \ell(\tau.v - \mathbf{m}.r) - i s - c \mathbf{m}.r)\right) \wedge s' = \tau.v - \mathbf{m}.r$$

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The ETCS system remains safe when speed is controlled by a PI controller.

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