

JBMC: A Bounded Model Checking Tool for Verifying Java Bytecode

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Why?

Java and JVM languages:

- Most widely used
- Established software development culture

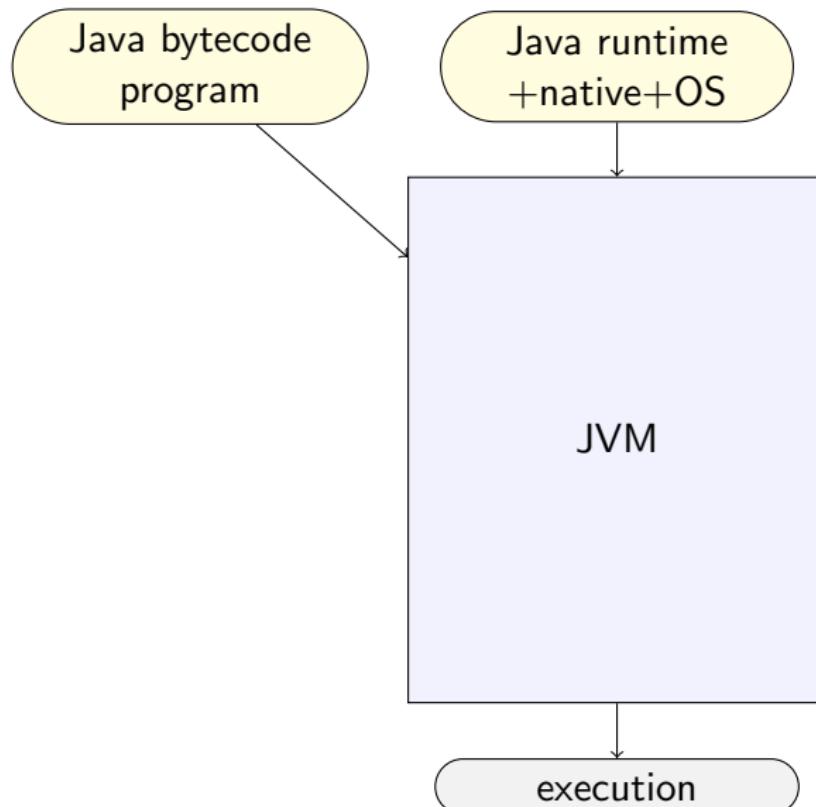
Only few model checking tools available:

- Symbolic JPF (Anand et al, TACAS'07)
- JayHorn (Kahsai et al, CAV'16)

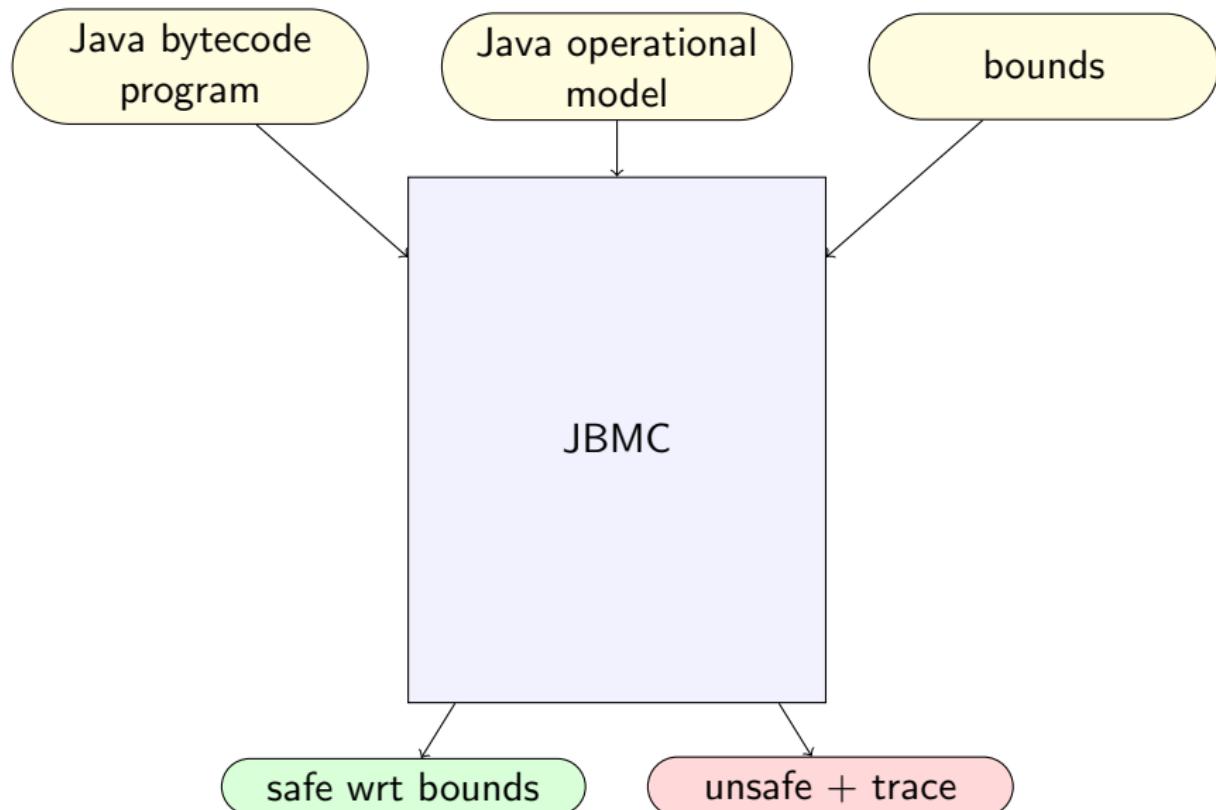
Many applications of BMC:

- Bug finding
- Program synthesis
- Test generation
- ...

JVM vs JBMC

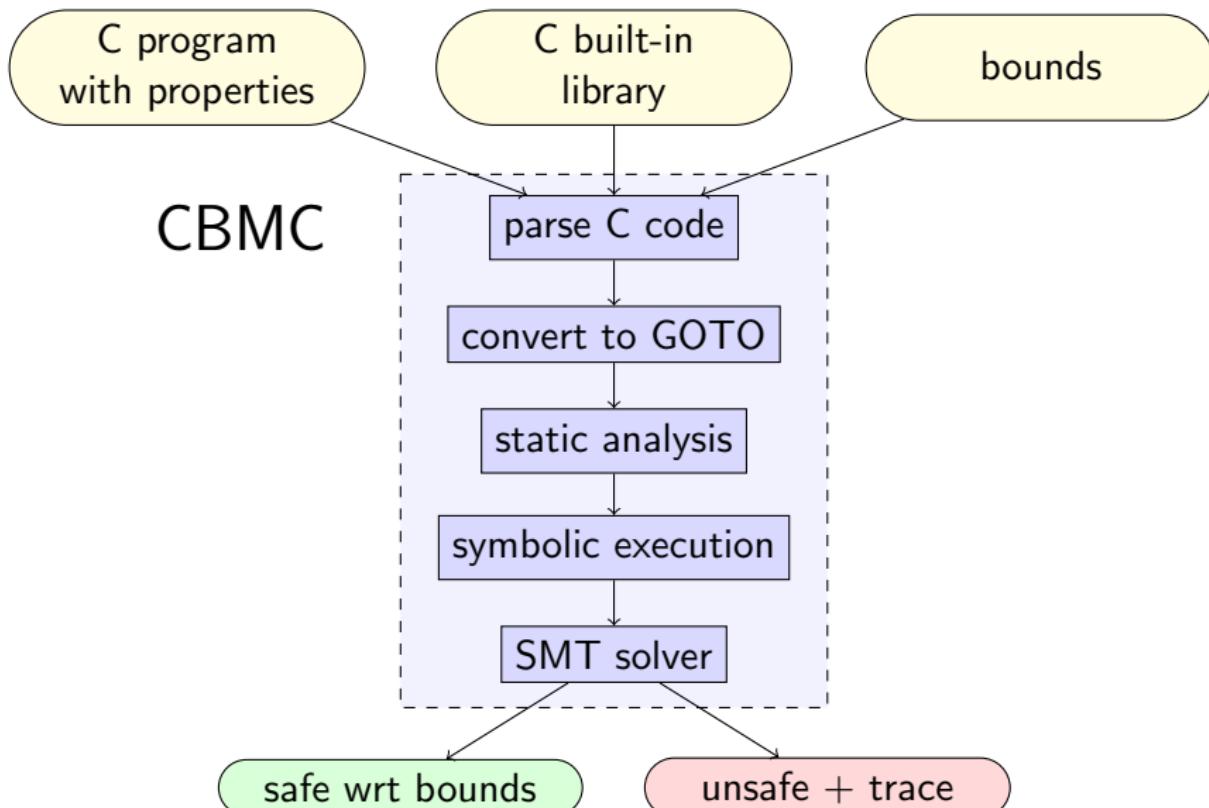


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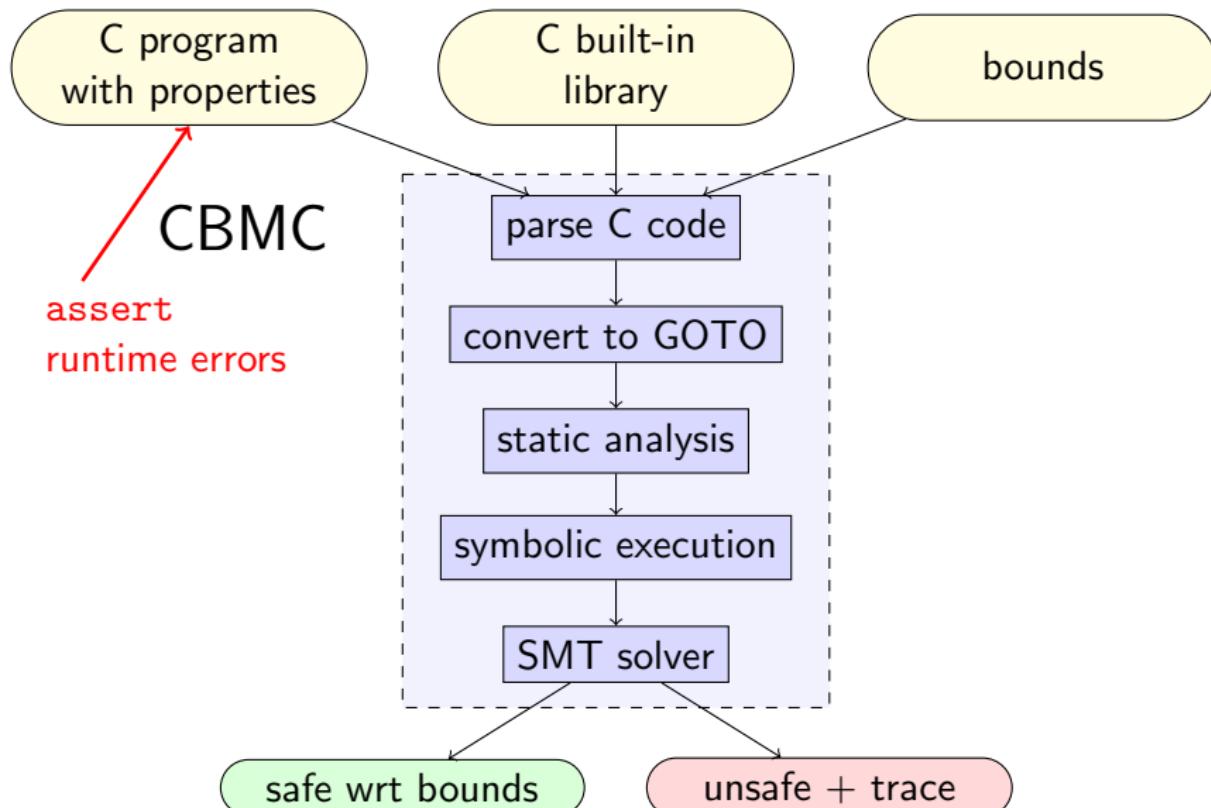
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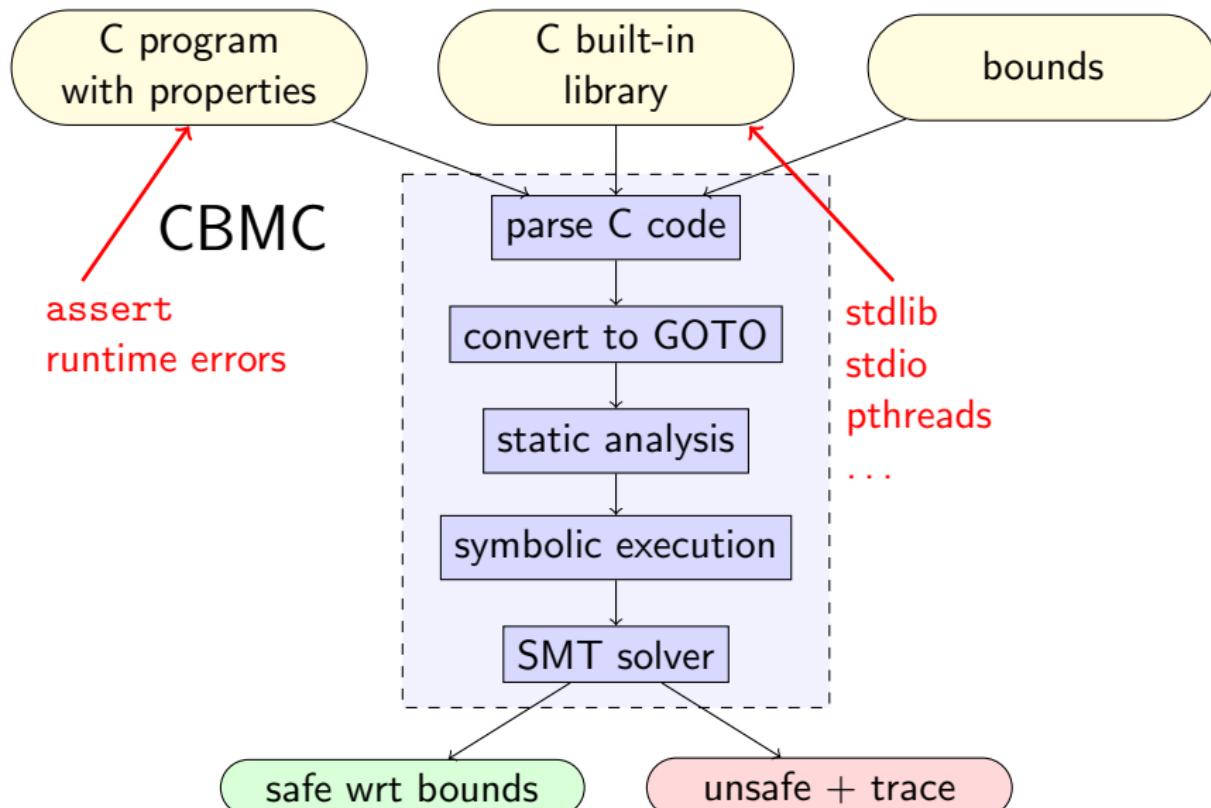
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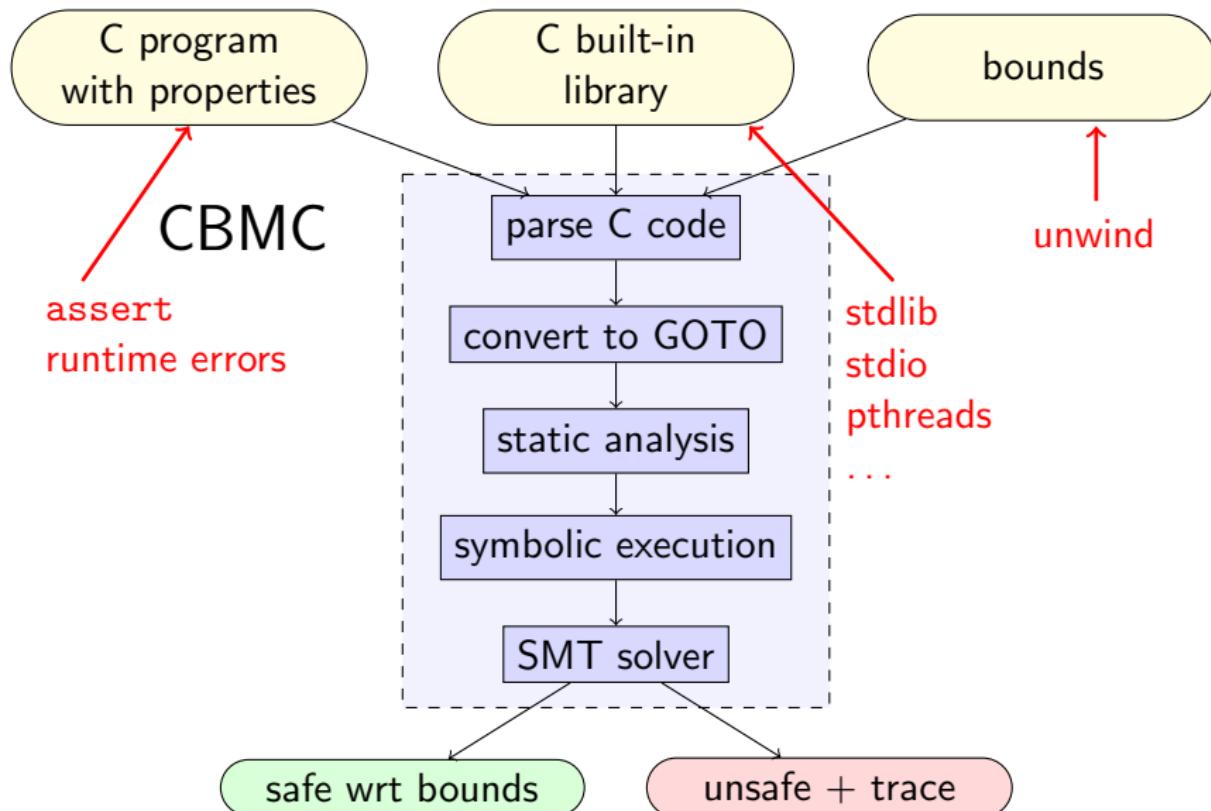
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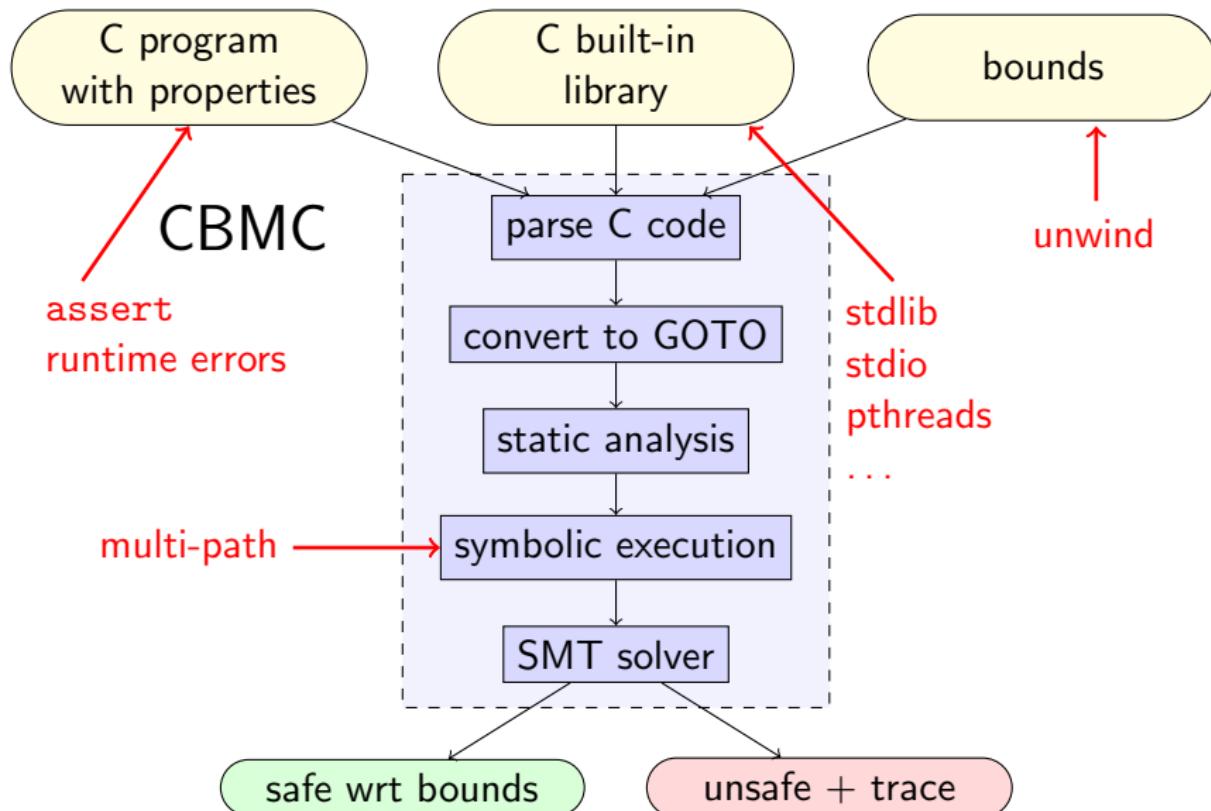
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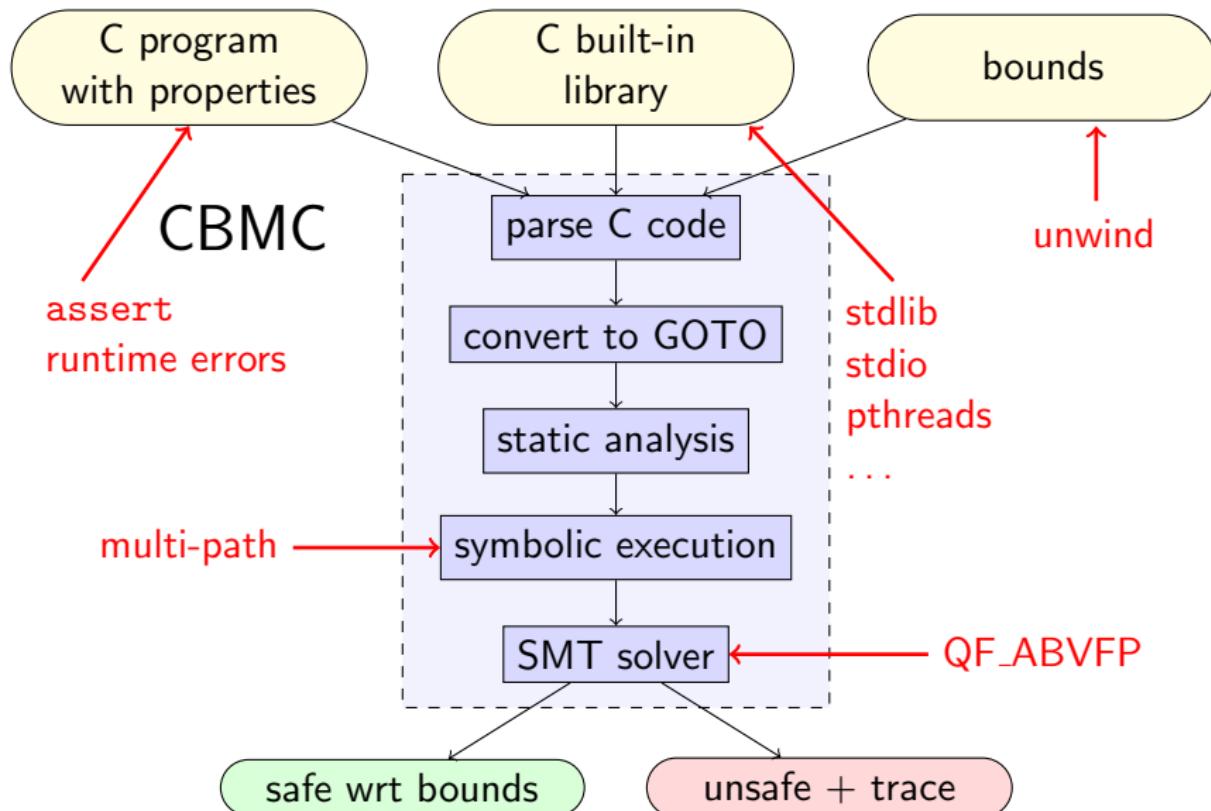
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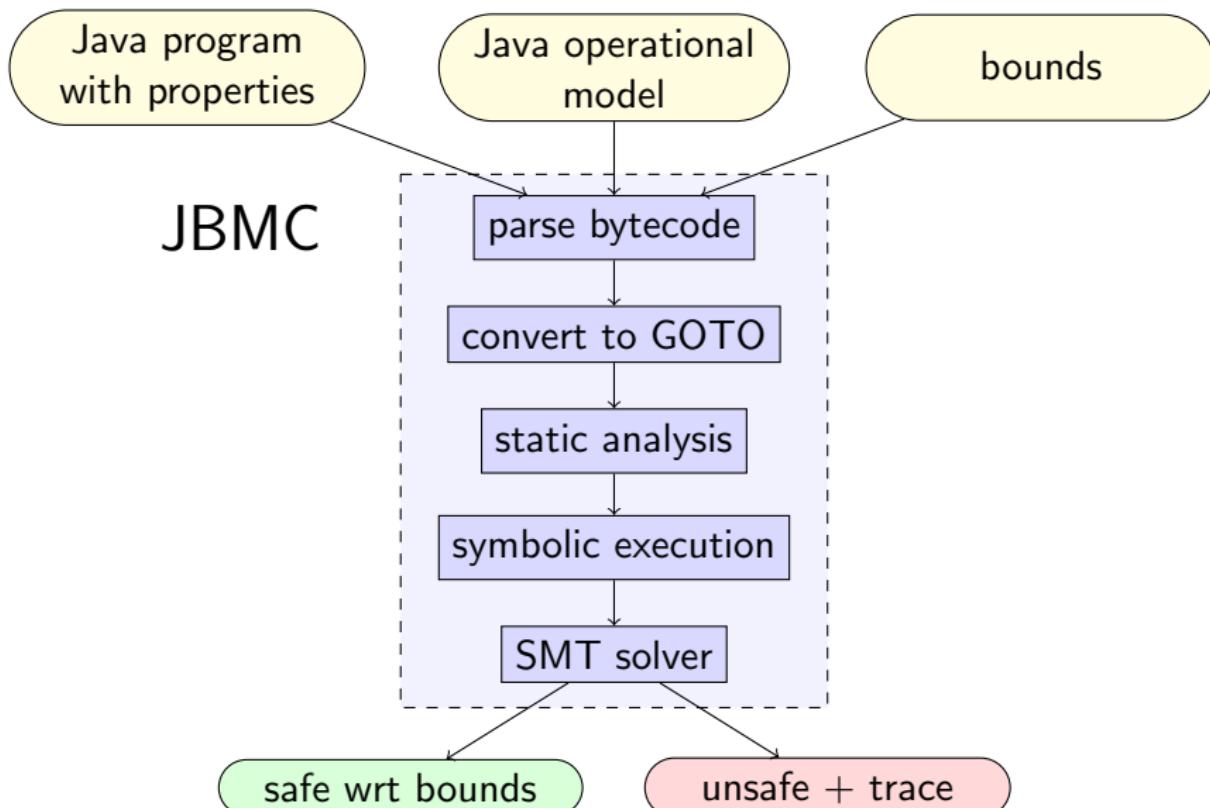


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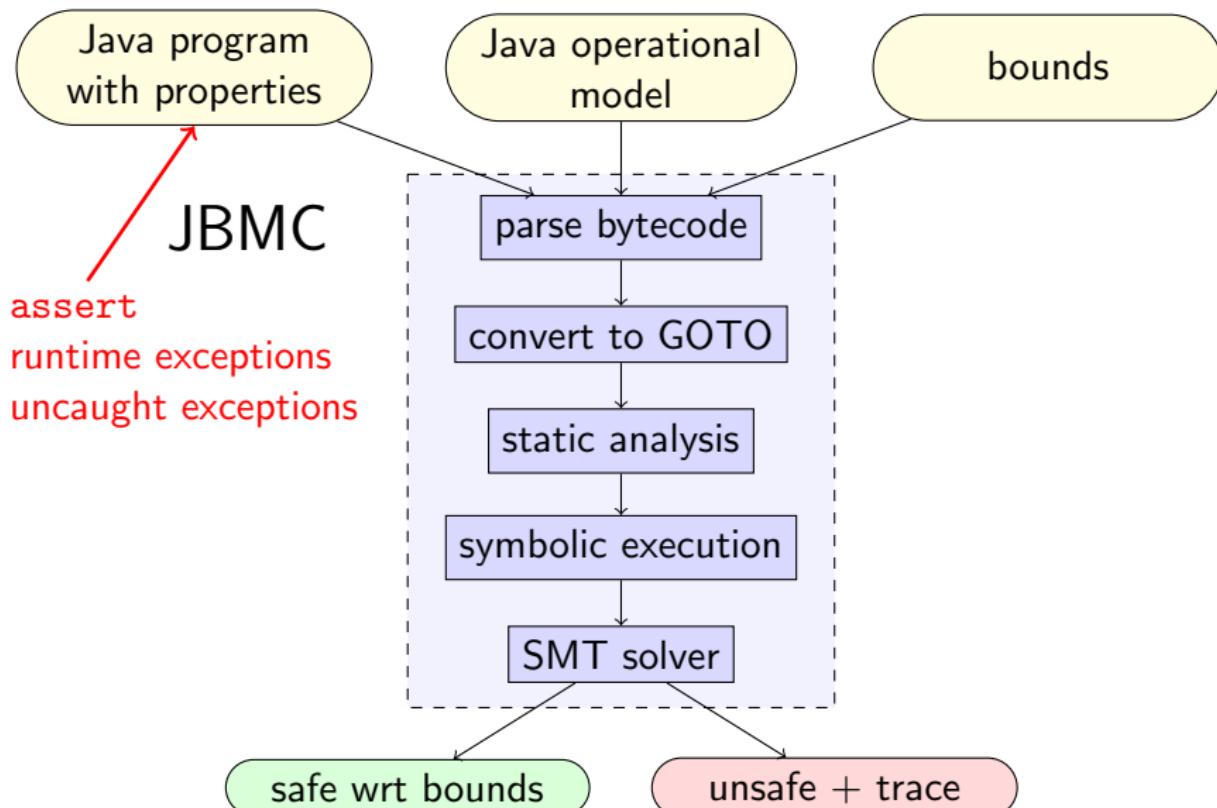
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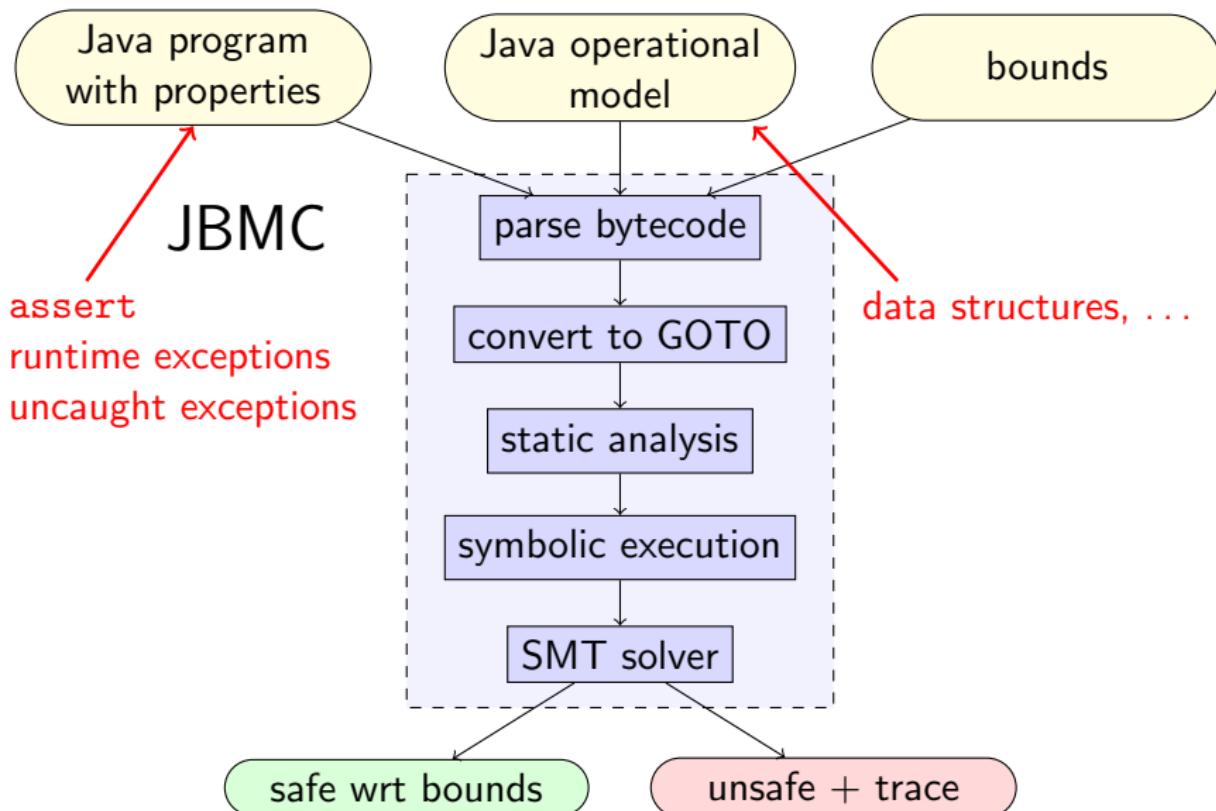
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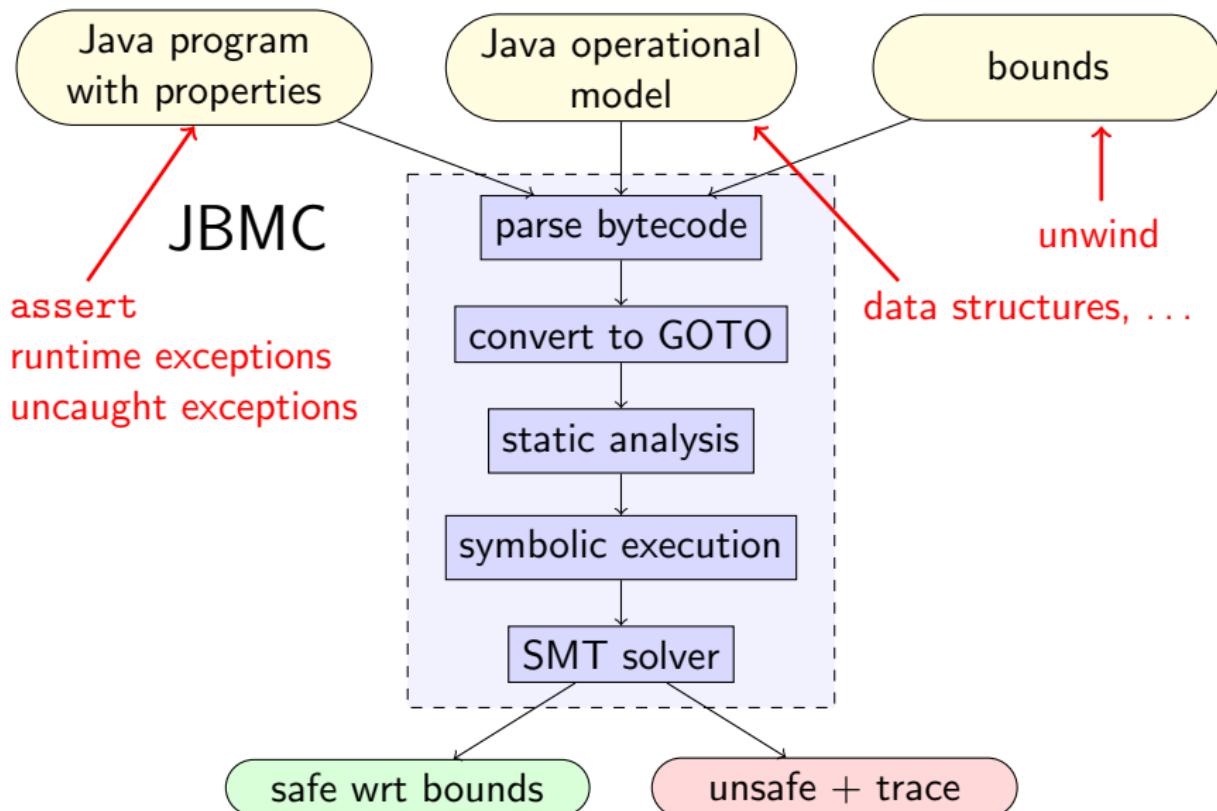
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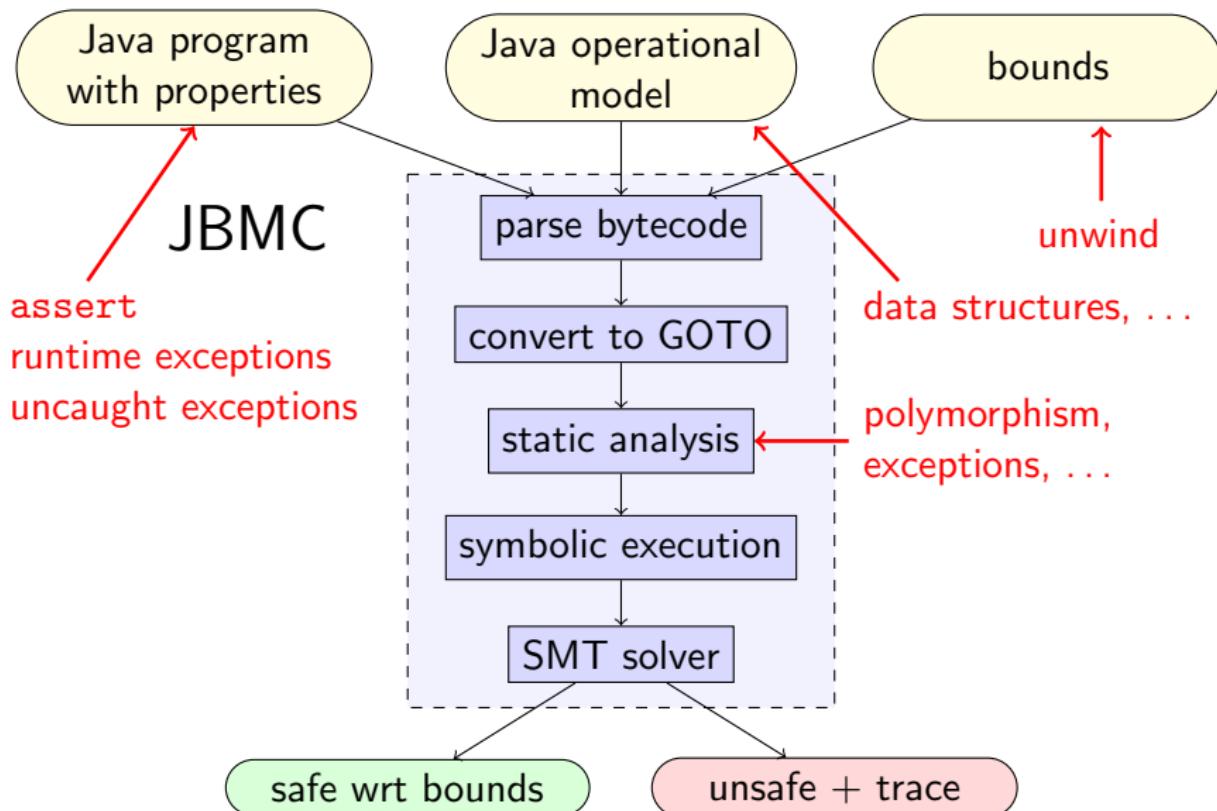
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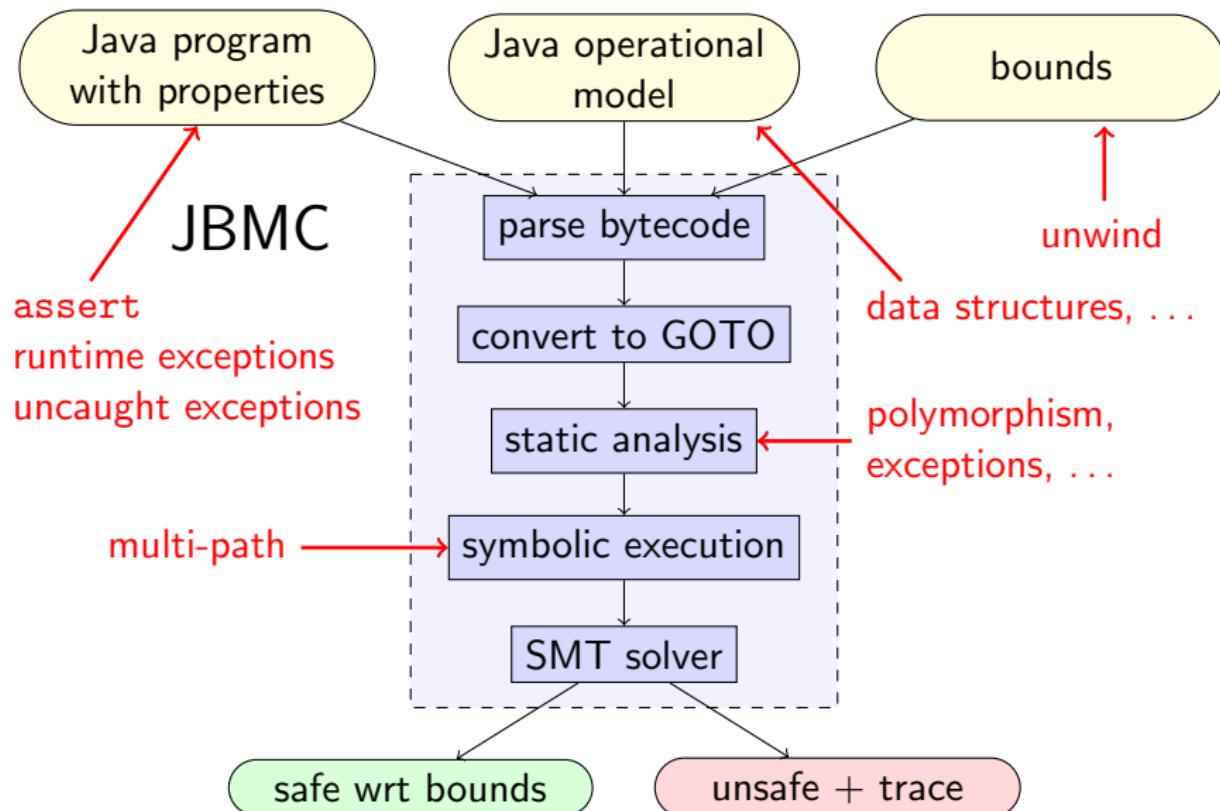
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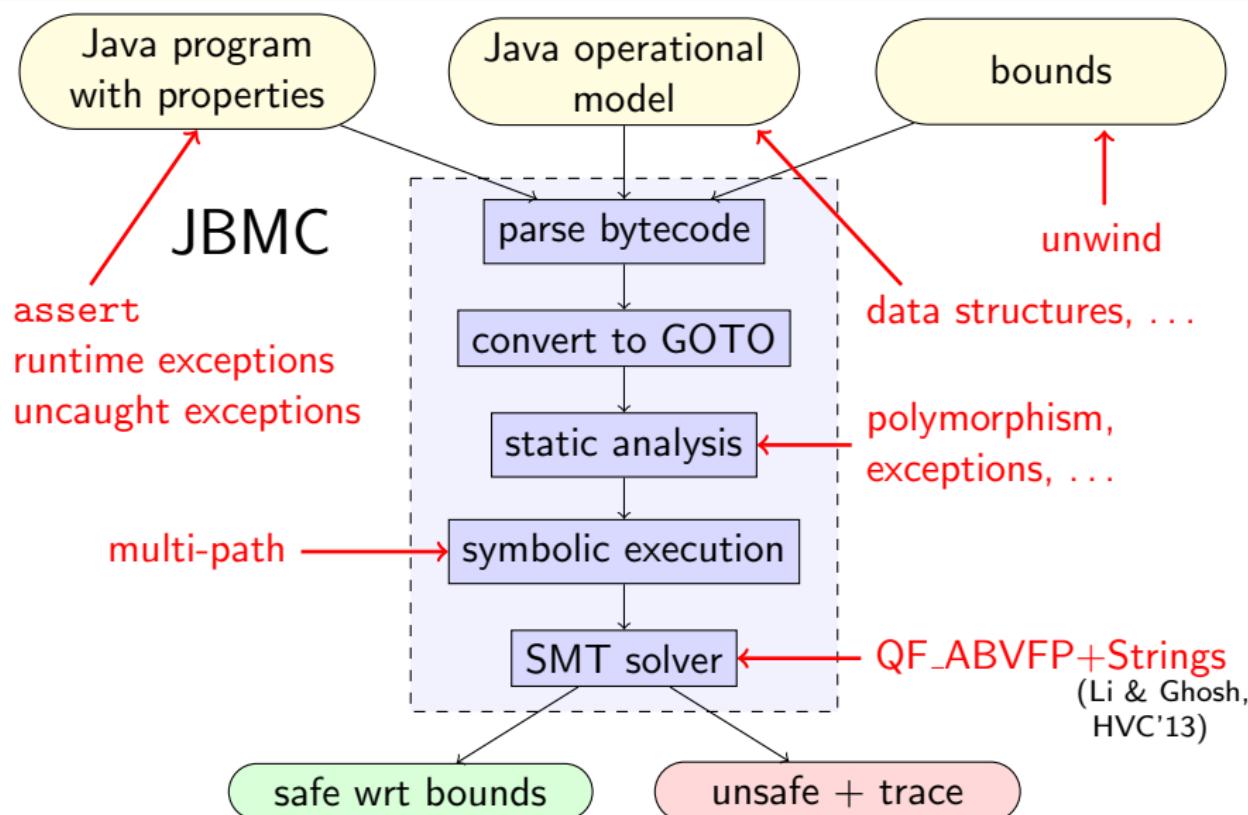
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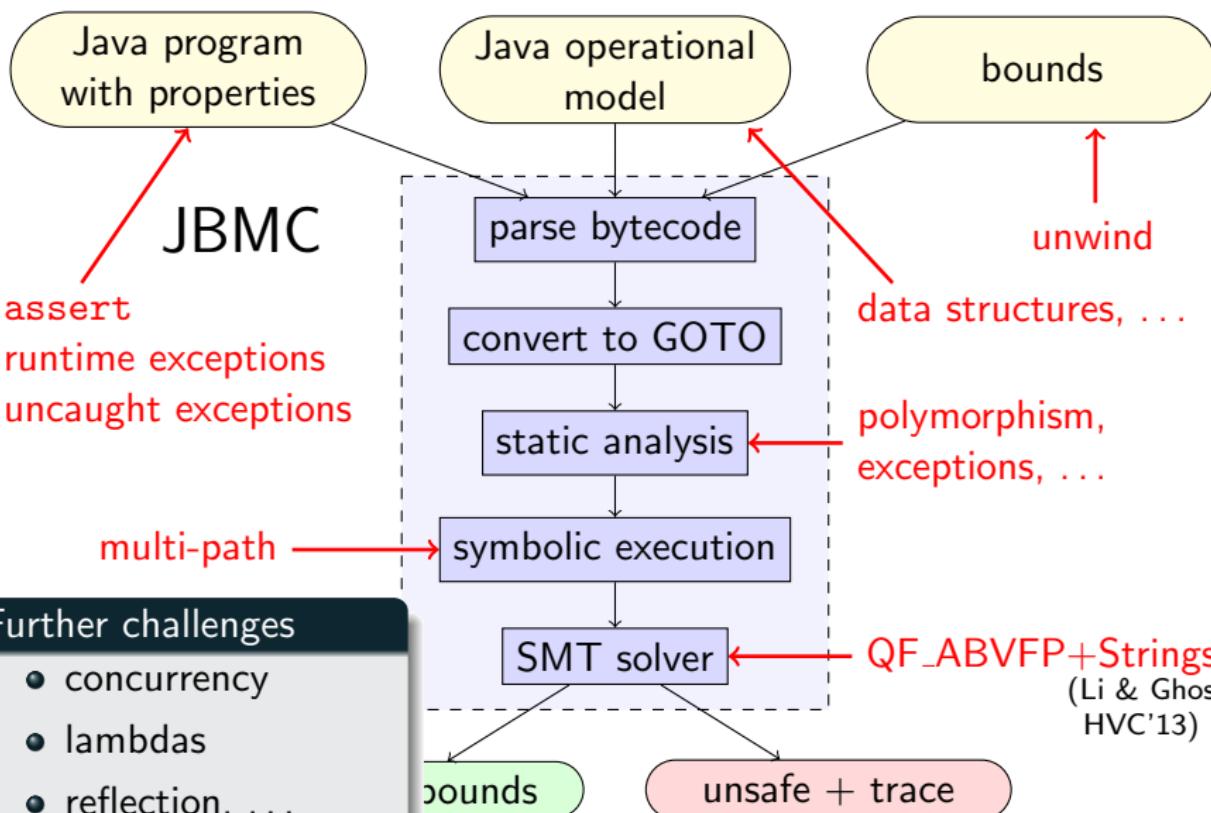
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Further challenges

- concurrency
- lambdas
- reflection, ...

JBMC in Action

```
public class Calculator {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        if(args.length != 3 || args[1].length() != 1) {
            System.err.println("invalid input");
            return;
        }

        int a = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        char op = args[1].charAt(0);
        int b = Integer.parseInt(args[2]);

        int result = 0;
        switch(op) {
            case '+': result = a + b; break;
            case '-': result = a - b; break;
            case '*': result = a * b; break;
            case '/': result = a / b; break;
        }

        System.out.println("Result: "+result);
    }
}
```

JBMC in Action

```
$ jbmc Calculator.class --classpath core-models.jar:. --trace  
--throw-runtime-exceptions  
  
...  
Runtime decision procedure: 0.980s  
...  
dynamic_object4={ '-' , '0' , '4' } // args[0].data  
...  
dynamic_object6={ '/' }           // args[1].data  
...  
dynamic_object8={ '0' }           // args[2].data  
...  
Calculator.java line 17 function Calculator.main  
dynamic_object36={... .@class_identifier="java.lang.ArithmetricException" ...}  
...  
uncaught_exception=&dynamic_object36  
  
Violated property:  
  file Calculator.java line 3 function Calculator.main  
  no uncaught exception  
  uncaught_exception == null
```

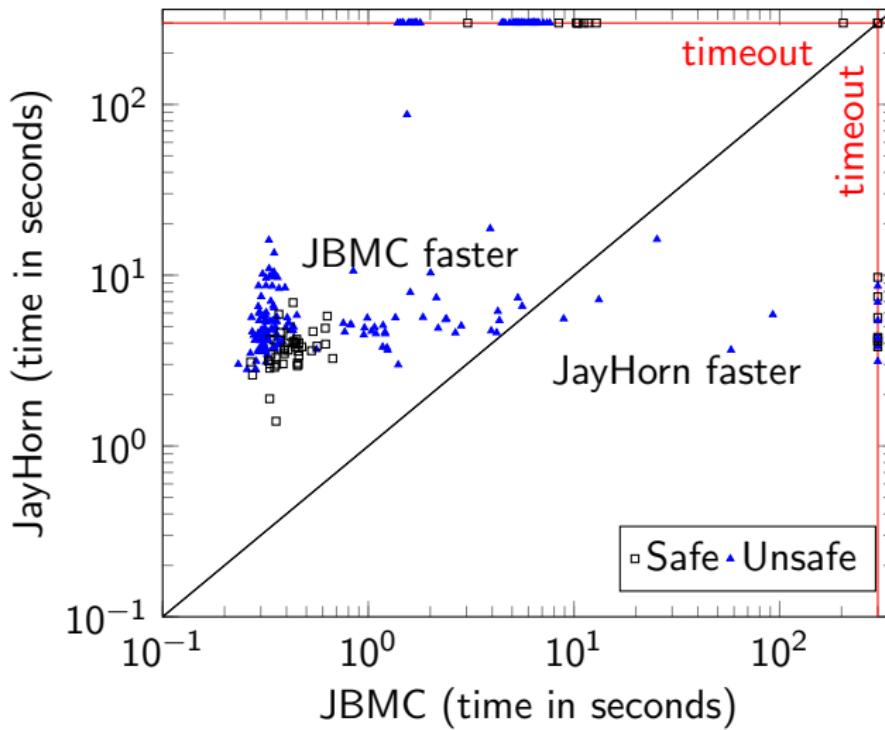
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```
public class MyTranslator {
    static abstract class Translator {
        abstract String translate(String text);
        static Translator build(String language) {
            if("Chinese".equals(language))
                return new ChineseTranslator();
            return null;
        }
    }
    static class ChineseTranslator extends Translator {
        String translate(String text) {
            if(text.toLowerCase().contains("welcome to oxford"))
                return "欢迎来到牛津";
            return "I don't understand";
        }
    }
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        if(args.length < 2)
            return;
        Translator translator = Translator.build(args[0]);
        if(translator == null)
            return;
        String translatedText = translator.translate(args[1].trim());
        assert!("欢迎来到牛津".equals(translatedText));
    }
}
```

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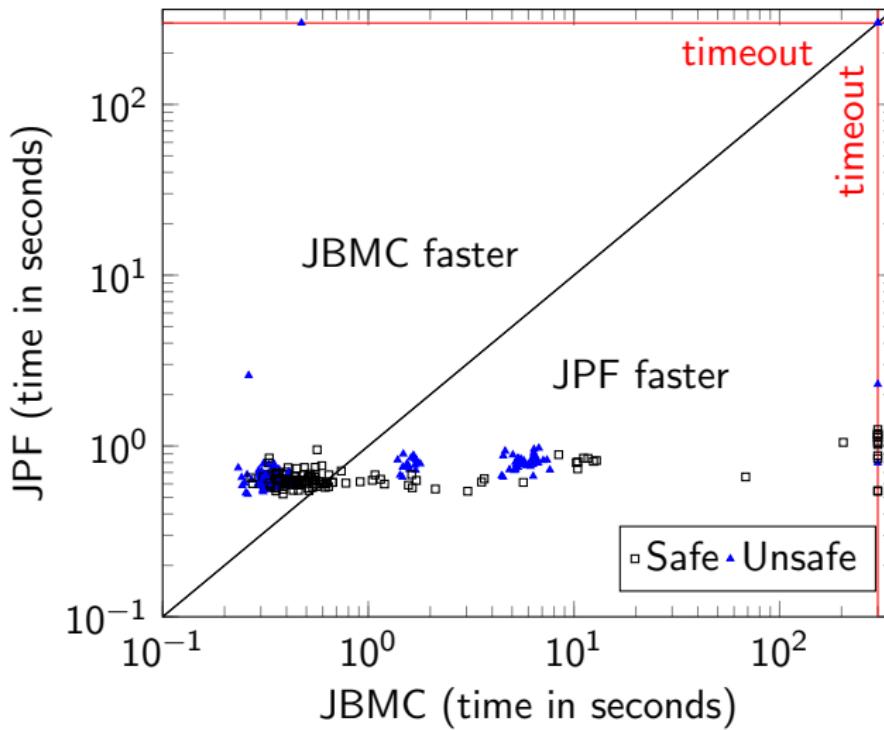
```
$ jbmc MyTranslator.class --classpath core-models.jar:. --trace  
--max-nondet-string-length 50  
  
...  
Runtime decision procedure: 0.786s  
...  
dynamic_object4={ 'C', 'h', 'i', 'n', 'e', 's', 'e' } // args[0].data  
...  
dynamic_object6={ '\u0010', '\u0017', 'w', 'e',  
                 'w', 'E', 'L', 'C', 'O', 'M', 'E', ' ',  
                 'T', 'o', ' ',  
                 'o', 'x', 'f', 'o', 'r', 'D',  
                 'x', 'x', 'x', 'x', 'x', 'x', 'x', 'x', 'x',  
                 'x', ' ', ' ' } // args[1].data  
...  
  
Violated property:  
assertion at file MyTranslator.java line 31 function MyTranslator.main
```

Comparison with JayHorn 0.5.1



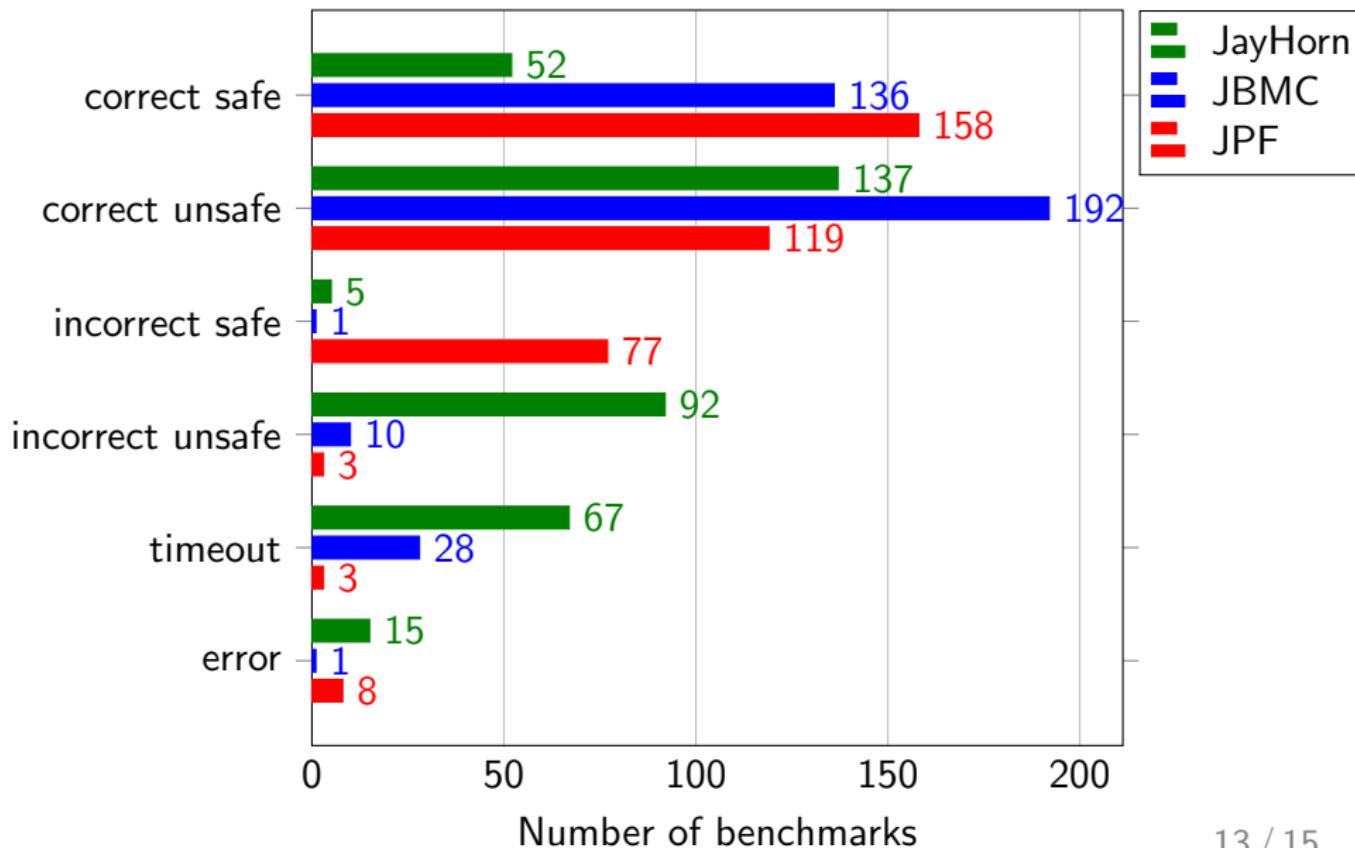
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Comparison with JPF v32

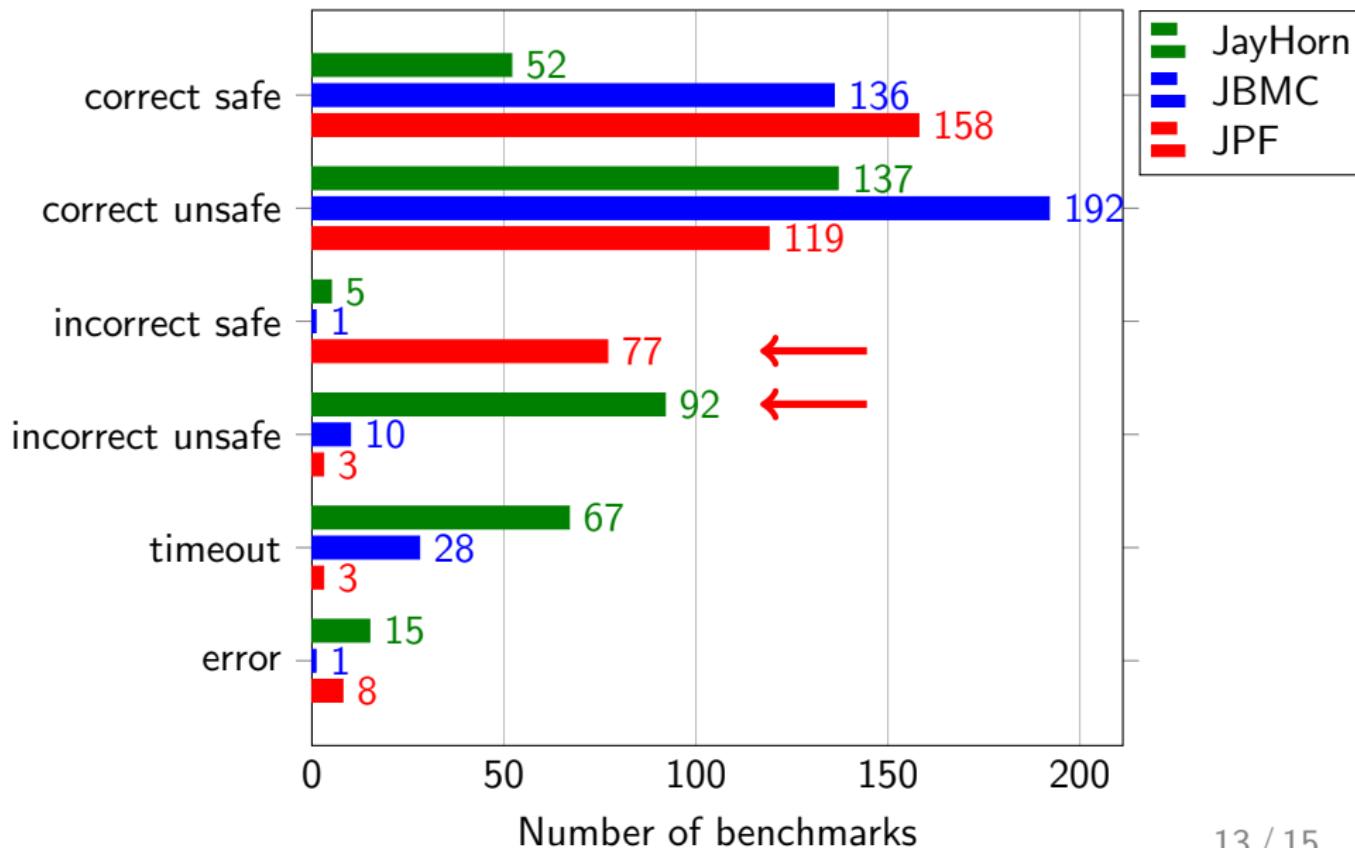


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Objectives:

Timeline:

- September 2018: Contribution of benchmarks
 - October 2018: Tool submission

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