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Ignoring time and space variables

$$P||Q = P \wedge Q$$

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reasonable partition rule

If either x' or $x :=$ appears in a process specification, then x belongs to that process (then neither x' nor $x :=$ can appear in the other process specification).

If neither x' nor $x :=$ appears at all, then x can be placed on either side of the partition.

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implementation of a process makes a private copy of the initial value of a variable belonging to the other process if the other process contains an assignment to that variable

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