Introduction into Artificial Intelligence

We have 13 apples, 46 pears and 59 oranges. We can trade in 1 of two different fruits to get 2 of the third one (ex. 1 apple + 1 pear = 2 oranges) at the market. By performing these kinds of trades, our goal is to have only one type of fruit.

1. Description:

$$H_1 \in \mathbb{N}; \quad H_2 \in \mathbb{N}; \quad H_3 \in \mathbb{N}$$
where $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, ...\};$
 H_1 is the number of apples
 H_2 is the number of pears
 H_3 is the number of oranges

2. Set of valid states:

$$S = H_1 \times H_2 \times H_3$$

3. Initial state:

$$s_0 = < 13, 46, 59 >$$

4. Set of goal states:

$$G = \left\{ \langle a_1, a_2, a_3 \rangle \middle| \begin{array}{c} \langle a_1, a_2, a_3 \rangle \in S \\ \wedge (a_1 + a_2 = 0 \lor a_1 + a_3 = 0 \lor a_2 + a_3 = 0) \end{array} \right\}$$

5. Set of operators:

$$0 \ = \ \left\{o_{i,j} \,\middle|\, i \in \{1,2,3\} \,\land\, j \in \{1,2,3\} \,\land\, i \neq j\right\}$$

(i and j will be the fruits that we are trading)

6. Domain of operators:

$$dom(o_{i,j}) = \{ \langle a_1, a_2, a_3 \rangle \mid \langle a_1, a_2, a_3 \rangle \in S \land a_i \rangle 0 \land a_j \rangle 0 \}$$

$$(check if we have fruit to trade)$$

7. Effect definition (transition function):

$$o_{i,j}(< a_1, a_2, a_3 >) = < b_1, b_2, b_3 >$$

$$b_k \{a_k - 1 & if \ k = i \lor k = j \\ k \in \{1, 2, 3\} \{a_k + 2 & else \}$$