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- MODULE ZabWithQTest -
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This is the test for formal specification for the Zab consensus algorithm, which adds some restrictions like the number of rounds and number of transactions broadcast based on ZabWithQ.

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EXTENDS Integers, FiniteSets, Sequences, Naturals, TLC

The set of server identifiers

Constant Server

The set of requests that can go into history

CONSTANT Value

Server states

It is unnecessary to add state ELECTION, we can own it by setting leaderOracle to Null. CONSTANTS Follower, Leader, ProspectiveLeader

Message types

CONSTANTS CEPOCH, NEWEPOCH, ACKE, NEWLEADER, ACKLD, COMMITLD, PROPOSE, ACK, O

Additional Message types used for recovery when restarting CONSTANTS RECOVERYREQUEST, RECOVERYRESPONSE

the maximum round of epoch (initially $\{0, 1, 2\}$), currently not used

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constants that uniquely used for constraining state space in model checking CONSTANTS $MaxElectionNum,\ MaxTotalRestartNum,\ MaxTransactionNum$

Return the maximum value from the set S

$$Maximum(S) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \text{ if } S = \{\} \text{ THEN } -1$$

ELSE CHOOSE $n \in S : \forall m \in S : n \geq m$

Return the minimum value from the set S

$$Minimum(S) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \text{ if } S = \{\} \text{ Then } -1$$

ELSE CHOOSE
$$n \in S : \forall m \in S : n \leq m$$

 $Quorums \triangleq \{Q \in \text{SUBSET } Server : Cardinality(Q) * 2 > Cardinality(Server)\}$

Assume Quorums Assumption $\triangleq \land \forall Q \in Quorums : Q \subseteq Server$

$$\land \forall Q1, Q2 \in Quorums : Q1 \cap Q2 \neq \{\}$$

 $None \stackrel{\triangle}{=} CHOOSE \ v : v \notin Value$

 $NullPoint \triangleq \text{CHOOSE } p: p \notin Server$

The server's state(Follower, Leader, ProspectiveLeader).

Variable state

The leader's epoch or the last new epoch proposal the follower acknowledged (namely epoch of the last NEWEPOCH accepted, f.p in paper). VARIABLE currentEpoch

The last new leader proposal the follower acknowledged (namely epoch of the last NEWLEADER accepted, f.a in paper). VARIABLE leaderEpoch

The identifier of the leader for followers. Variable leaderOracle

The history of servers as the sequence of transactions. VARIABLE history

The messages repersenting requests and responses sent from one server to another. msgs[i][j] means the input buffer of server j from server i.

VARIABLE msgs

The set of servers which the leader think follow itself (Q in paper). VARIABLE cluster

The set of followers who has successfully sent $\it CEPOCH$ to pleader in pleader. VARIABLE $\it cepochRecv$

The set of followers who has successfully sent ACK-E to pleader in pleader. VARIABLE ackeRecv

The set of followers who has successfully sent ACK-LD to pleader in pleader. VARIABLE ackldRecv

ackIndex[i][j] means leader i has received how many ACK messages from follower j. So ackIndex[i][i] is not used. VARIABLE ackIndex

 $current Counter[i] \ \ {\it means the count of transactions client requests leader}.$ VARIABLE current Counter

 $sendCounter[i] \ \mbox{means the count of transactions leader has broadcast.}$ VARIABLE sendCounter

initial History[i] means the initial history of leader i in epoch current Epoch[i]. VARIABLE initial History

commitIndex[i] means leader/follower i should commit how many proposals and sent COMMIT messages. It should be more formal to add variable applyIndex/deliverIndex to represent the prefix entries of the history that has applied to state machine, but we can tolerate that $applyIndex(deliverIndex\ here) = commitIndex$. This does not violate correctness. $(commitIndex\ increases\ monotonically\ before\ restarting)$

Variable commitIndex

commitIndex[i] means leader i has committed how many proposals and sent COMMIT messages. Variable committedIndex

Hepler matrix for follower to stop sending CEPOCH to pleader in followers. Because CEPOCH is the sole message which follower actively sends to pleader. VARIABLE cepochSent

the maximum epoch in $\it CEPOCH$ pleader received from followers. Variable tempMaxEpoch

the maximum leaderEpoch and most up-to-date history in ACKE pleader received from followers. Variable tempMaxLastEpoch

Because pleader updates state and broadcasts NEWLEADER when it receives ACKE from a quorum of followers, and initial History is determined. But temp Initial History may change when receiving other ACKEs after entering into phase 2. So it is necessary to split initial History with tempInitial History.

Variable tempInitialHistory

the set of all broadcast messages whose tpye is proposal that any leader has sent, only used in verifying properties. So the variable will only be changed in transition LeaderBroadcast1.

VARIABLE proposalMsqsLoq

Helper set for server who restarts to collect which servers has responded to it. Variable recoveryRespRecv

the maximum epoch and corresponding leaderOracle in RECOVERYRESPONSE from followers. Variable recoveryMaxEpoch

VARIABLE recoveryMEOracle

Helper variable for server after restart to stop sending RECOVERYREQUEST continuously. Variable recoverySent

variables that uniquely used for constraining state space in model checking

the round of leader election, not equal to $Maximum\{currentEpoch[i]: i \in Server\}$, Variables electionNum,

because currentEpoch will increase only when follower receives NEWEPOCH,

and it is common that some round of election ends without leader broadcasting NEWEPOCH or follower receiving NEWEPOCH.

totalRestartNum the number of restart from all servers, also as a global variable.

Persistent state of a server: history, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch

 $serverVars \triangleq \langle state, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, history, commitIndex \rangle$

 $leaderVars \triangleq \langle cluster, cepochRecv, ackeRecv, ackldRecv, ackIndex, currentCounter, sendCounter, initialHis$ $tempVars \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \langle tempMaxEpoch, tempMaxLastEpoch, tempInitialHistory \rangle$

 $recoveryVars \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \langle recoveryRespRecv, recoveryMaxEpoch, recoveryMEOracle, recoverySent \rangle$

 $testVars \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \langle electionNum, totalRestartNum \rangle$

 $vars \triangleq \langle serverVars, msgs, leaderVars, tempVars, recoveryVars, cepochSent, proposalMsgsLog, testVars \rangle$

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LastZxid(his) \triangleq IF \ Len(his) > 0 \ THEN \ \langle his[Len(his)].epoch, \ his[Len(his)].counter \rangle
                                              ELSE \langle -1, -1 \rangle
 Add a message to msgs- add a message m to msgs[i][j]
Send(i, j, m) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} msgs' = [msgs \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![i][j] = Append(msgs[i][j], m)]
Send2(i, j, m1, m2) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs' = [msgs \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![i][j] = Append(Append(msgs[i][j], m1), m2)]
 Remove a message from msgs- discard head of msgs[i][j]
Discard(i, j) \triangleq msgs' = \text{if } msgs[i][j] \neq \langle \rangle \text{ THEN } [msgs \text{ except } ![i][j] = Tail(msgs[i][j])]
                                                          ELSE msgs
 Leader/Pleader broadcasts a message to all other servers in Q
Broadcast(i, m) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs' = [ii \in Server \mapsto [ij \in Server \mapsto IF \land ii = i]
                                                                                    \land ij \in cluster[i] \text{ THEN } Append(msgs[ii][ij], m)
                                                                                                           ELSE msgs[ii][ij]]]
BroadcastToAll(i, m) \triangleq msgs' = [ii \in Server \mapsto [ij \in Server \mapsto \text{IF } \land ii = i \land ij \neq i \text{ THEN } Append(msgs[ii])]
                                                                                                                  ELSE msqs[ii][ij]]
 Combination of Send and Discard — discard head of msgs[j][i] and add m into msgs[i][j]
Reply(i, j, m) \triangleq msgs' = [msgs \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![j][i] = Tail(msgs[j][i]),
                                                        ![i][j] = Append(msgs[i][j], m)]
Reply2(i, j, m1, m2) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs' = [msgs \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![j][i] = Tail(msgs[j][i]),
                                                                  ![i][j] = Append(Append(msgs[i][j], m1), m2)]
clean(i, j) \triangleq msgs' = [msgs \ \text{EXCEPT} \ ![i][j] = \langle \rangle, \ ![j][i] = \langle \rangle]
 Define initial values for all variables
Init \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \land state
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto Follower]
           \land currentEpoch
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]
           \wedge leaderEpoch
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto NullPoint]
           \land leaderOracle
           \wedge history
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto \langle \rangle]
                                        = [i \in Server \mapsto [j \in Server \mapsto \langle \rangle]]
           \land msgs
           \land cluster
                                        = [i \in Server \mapsto \{\}]
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto \{\}]
           \land cepochRecv
           \land ackeRecv
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto \{\}]
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto \{\}]
           \land \ ackldRecv
           \land ackIndex
                                        = [i \in Server \mapsto [j \in Server \mapsto 0]]
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]
           \land currentCounter
           \land sendCounter
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]
           \land commitIndex
                                        = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]
           \land committedIndex
                                      = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]
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= [s \in Server \mapsto NullPoint]
         \land recoveryMEOracle
         \land recoverySent
                                   = [s \in Server \mapsto FALSE]
         \land proposalMsgsLog
                                   =\{\}
         \land electionNum
                                   = 0
         \land totalRestartNum
                                   = 0
 A server becomes pleader and a quorum servers knows that.
Election(i, Q) \triangleq
          test restrictions
         \land \ electionNum < MaxElectionNum
         \wedge i \in Q
         \land electionNum' = electionNum + 1
                                    = [s \in Server \mapsto if \ s = i \ Then \ Prospective Leader
                                                                   ELSE IF s \in Q THEN Follower
                                                                                      ELSE state[s]
                                                    EXCEPT ![i] = Q] cluster is first initialized in election, not phase1.
         \land cluster'
                                    = [cluster]
         \land cepochRecv'
                                    = [cepochRecv EXCEPT ![i] = \{i\}]
         \land ackeRecv'
                                    = [ackeRecv \quad EXCEPT \ ![i] = \{i\}]
         \land ackldRecv'
                                    = [ackldRecv \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = \{i\}]
         \land ackIndex'
                                    = [ii \in Server \mapsto [ij \in Server \mapsto
                                                         If ii = i then 0
                                                                    ELSE ackIndex[ii][ij]]
         \land committedIndex'
                                    = [committedIndex]
                                                                EXCEPT ![i] = 0
         \land initial History'
                                    = [initialHistory]
                                                             EXCEPT ![i]
                                                                                =\langle\rangle
         \land tempMaxEpoch'
                                    = [tempMaxEpoch]
                                                                 EXCEPT ![i] = currentEpoch[i]]
         \land tempInitialHistory' = [tempInitialHistory \ EXCEPT \ ![i]]
                                                                                = history[i]
         \land leaderOracle'
                                    = [s \in Server \mapsto if \ s \in Q \ Then \ i
                                                                    ELSE leaderOracle[s]
         \land leaderEpoch'
                                    = [s \in Server \mapsto if \ s \in Q \ Then \ currentEpoch[s]]
                                                                    ELSE leaderEpoch[s]
         \land cepochSent'
                                    = [s \in Server \mapsto if \ s \in Q \ Then \ false
                                                                    ELSE cepochSent[s]
         \land msqs'
                                    = [ii \in Server \mapsto [ij \in Server \mapsto
                                                          If ii \in Q \lor ij \in Q then \langle \rangle
                                                                                 ELSE msgs[ii][ij]]
          \land \  \, \text{UNCHANGED} \ \langle \textit{currentEpoch}, \ \textit{history}, \ \textit{commitIndex}, \ \textit{currentCounter}, \ \textit{sendCounter}, \ \textit{proposalMsgsLog} \rangle
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 $= [s \in Server \mapsto \langle \rangle]$

 $= [s \in Server \mapsto 0]$

 $= [s \in Server \mapsto \{\}]$

 $= [s \in Server \mapsto 0]$

 $\land tempMaxLastEpoch = [s \in Server \mapsto 0]$ $\land tempInitialHistory = [s \in Server \mapsto \langle \rangle]$

 $= [s \in Server \mapsto FALSE]$

 $\land initial History$ $\land cepoch Sent$

 $\wedge tempMaxEpoch$

 $\land recoveryRespRecv$

 $\land recoveryMaxEpoch$

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\land \forall s \in Server : state[s] = Follower \land leaderOracle[s] = NullPoint
                                                       \land Election(i, Q)
                                                       \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, history, commitIndex, currentCounter, sendCounter, recoveryVars, property Vars, property Vars,
      The leader finds timeout with another follower.
LeaderTimeout(i, j) \triangleq
                                                       \land state[i] \neq Follower
                                                       \wedge j \neq i
                                                      \land\, j \,\in\, cluster[i]
                                                       \land LET newCluster \triangleq cluster[i] \setminus \{j\}
                                                                   IN \land \lor \land newCluster \in Quorums
                                                                                                                                               \land cluster' = [cluster \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = newCluster]
                                                                                                                                               \land clean(i, j)
                                                                                                                                               \land UNCHANGED \langle state, cepochRecv, ackeRecv, ackldRecv, ackIndex, committedIndex, initial
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    tempMaxEpoch, tempMaxLastEpoch, tempInitialHistory, leaderOracle, le
                                                                                                                            \lor \land newCluster \notin Quorums
                                                                                                                                               \wedge Let Q \stackrel{\Delta}{=} choose q \in Quorums: i \in q
                                                                                                                                                                                    v \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \text{CHOOSE } s \in Q: True
                                                                                                                                                                     IN Election(v, Q)
                                                                                                                                                             \exists \ Q \in \mathit{Quorums} : \ \land \ i \in \mathit{Q}
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               \land \exists v \in Q : Election(v, Q)
                                                       \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, history, commitIndex, currentCounter, sendCounter, recoveryVars, property Vars, property Vars,
      A follower finds timeout with the leader.
\overline{Follower}Timeout(i) \triangleq
                                                       \land state[i] = Follower
                                                       \land leaderOracle[i] \neq NullPoint
                                                       \land \exists Q \in Quorums : \land i \in Q
                                                                                                                                                                                                        \wedge \exists v \in Q : Election(v, Q)
                                                       \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, history, commitIndex, currentCounter, sendCounter, recoveryVars, property Vars, property Vars,
       A server halts and restarts.
       Like Recovery protocol in View-stamped Replication, we let a server join in cluster
       by broadcast recovery and wait until receiving responses from a quorum of servers.
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The action should be triggered once at the beginning.

 $InitialElection(i, Q) \triangleq$

 $Restart(i) \triangleq$

test restrictions

 $\land totalRestartNum < MaxTotalRestartNum$ $\land totalRestartNum' = totalRestartNum + 1$

= [state]

Because we abstract the part of leader election, we can use global variables in this action.

 $\land leaderOracle' = [leaderOracle \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = NullPoint]$

 $\land commitIndex' = [commitIndex \ \ \texttt{EXCEPT} \ ![i] = 0] \\ \land cepochSent' = [cepochSent \ \ \ \texttt{EXCEPT} \ ![i] = \texttt{FALSE}]$

EXCEPT ![i]

= Follower

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= [ii \in Server \mapsto [ij \in Server \mapsto if ij = i \text{ Then } \langle \rangle
                            \land msgs'
                                                                                                                                                                                                                        ELSE msgs[ii][ij]]
                           \land recoverySent' = [recoverySent \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = FALSE]
                            \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, history, leaderVars, temp Vars,
                                                                                recoveryRespRecv, recoveryMaxEpoch, recoveryMEOracle, proposalMsqsLoq, election.
RecoveryAfterRestart(i) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
                           test restrictions
                         \land totalRestartNum < MaxTotalRestartNum
                         \land state[i] = Follower
                         \land leaderOracle[i] = NullPoint
                         \land \neg recoverySent[i]
                         \land recoveryRespRecv' = [recoveryRespRecv \ Except \ ![i] = \{\}]
                         \land recoveryMaxEpoch' = [recoveryMaxEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = currentEpoch[i]]
                         \land recovery MEO racle' = [recovery MEO racle \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = NullPoint]
                         \land recoverySent'
                                                                                           = [recoverySent]
                                                                                                                                                        EXCEPT ![i] = TRUE]
                         \land BroadcastToAll(i, [mtype \mapsto RECOVERYREQUEST])
                         ∧ UNCHANGED ⟨serverVars, leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, proposalMsqsLoq, testVars⟩
HandleRecoveryRequest(i, j) \triangleq
                         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
                         \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = RECOVERYREQUEST
                         \land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto RECOVERYRESPONSE,
                                                                     moracle \mapsto leaderOracle[i],
                                                                     mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i])
                         ∧ UNCHANGED \(\serverVars\), \(leaderVars\), \(tempVars\), \(tempvars\)
HandleRecoveryResponse(i, j) \triangleq
                         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
                        \land \mathit{msgs}[j][i][1].\mathit{mtype} = \mathit{RECOVERYRESPONSE}
                                                                    \stackrel{\Delta}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                         \wedge Let msg
                                               infoOk \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \land msg.mepoch \ge recoveryMaxEpoch[i]
                                                                                    \land msq.moracle \neq NullPoint
                                             \vee \wedge infoOk
                                                        \land recoveryMaxEpoch' = [recoveryMaxEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = msg.mepoch]
                                                        \land recovery MEO racle' = [recovery MEO racle \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = msg.moracle]
                                                \lor \land \neg infoOk
                                                        \land UNCHANGED \langle recoveryMaxEpoch, recoveryMEOracle \rangle
                         \wedge Discard(j, i)
                         \land recoveryRespRecv' = [recoveryRespRecv \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = IF \ j \in recoveryRespRecv[i] \ THEN \ recoveryRespRecv[i] 
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        Else recoveryRe
                         ∧ UNCHANGED \(\serverVars\), \(leaderVars\), \(tempVars\), \(tempVars\)
FindCluster(i) \triangleq
                        \land state[i] = Follower
                         \land leaderOracle[i] = NullPoint
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LET infoOk \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \land recoveryMEOracle[i] \neq i
                                 \land recoveryMEOracle[i] \neq NullPoint
                                 \land currentEpoch[i] \le recoveryMaxEpoch[i]
                    \vee \wedge \neg infoOk
                       \land recoverySent' = [recoverySent \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = FALSE]
                       \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, leaderOracle, msgs \rangle
                    \vee \wedge infoOk
                       \land currentEpoch' = [currentEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = recoveryMaxEpoch[i]]
                       \land leaderOracle' = [leaderOracle \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = recoveryMEOracle[i]]
                       \land Send(i, recoveryMEOracle[i], [mtype \mapsto CEPOCH,
                                                              mepoch \mapsto recoveryMaxEpoch[i])
                       \land UNCHANGED recoverySent
             UNCHANGED \(\state\), \(\leftlef{leaderEpoch}\), \(\leftlef{history}\), \(\committendex\), \(\leftlef{leaderVars}\), \(\text{tempVars}\),
                               recoveryRespRecv, recoveryMaxEpoch, recoveryMEOracle, cepochSent, proposalMsg.
 In phase f11, follower sends f.p to pleader via CEPOCH.
FollowerDiscovery1(i) \triangleq
         \land state[i] = Follower
         \land leaderOracle[i] \neq NullPoint
         \land \neg cepochSent[i]
         \wedge LET leader \stackrel{\triangle}{=} leaderOracle[i]
                Send(i, leader, [mtype \mapsto CEPOCH,
                                    mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i])
         \land cepochSent' = [cepochSent \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = TRUE]
         \land UNCHANGED \langle serverVars, leaderVars, tempVars, recoveryVars, proposalMsgsLog, testVars <math>\rangle
 In phase l11, pleader receives CEPOCH from a quorum, and choose a new epoch e'
 as its own l.p and sends NEWEPOCH to followers.
LeaderHandleCEPOCH(i, j) \triangleq
         \land state[i] = ProspectiveLeader
         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
         \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = CEPOCH
         \land \lor new message - modify tempMaxEpoch and cepochRecv
               \land NullPoint \notin cepochRecv[i]
               \land LET newEpoch \stackrel{\triangle}{=} Maximum(\{tempMaxEpoch[i], msgs[j][i][1].mepoch\})
                 IN tempMaxEpoch' = [tempMaxEpoch Except ![i] = newEpoch]
                                                                                \in cepochRecv[i] THEN cepochRecv[i]
               \land cepochRecv' = [cepochRecv \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = IF j
                                                                                                    ELSE cepochRecv[i] \cup \{j\}
               \wedge Discard(j, i)
              new follower who joins in cluster / follower whose history and commitIndex do not match
               \land NullPoint \in cepochRecv[i]
               \land \lor \land NullPoint \notin ackeRecv[i]
                     \land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto NEWEPOCH,
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 $recoveryRespRecv[i] \in Quorums$

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mepoch \mapsto leaderEpoch[i])
                 \lor \land NullPoint \in ackeRecv[i]
                    \land Reply2(i, j, [mtype \mapsto NEWEPOCH,
                                      mepoch \mapsto leaderEpoch[i],
                                     [mtype]
                                                        \mapsto NEWLEADER,
                                                        \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                      mepoch
                                      minitialHistory \mapsto initialHistory[i])
              \land UNCHANGED \langle cepochRecv, tempMaxEpoch \rangle
         \land cluster' = [cluster \ Except \ ![i] = \text{if} \ j \in cluster[i] \ Then \ cluster[i] \ Else \ cluster[i] \cup \{j\}]
         \land UNCHANGED \land server Vars, ackeRecv, ackldRecv, ackIndex, currentCounter, sendCounter, initialHist
                            committedIndex, cepochSent, tempMaxLastEpoch, tempInitialHistory, recoveryVars, p
 Here I decide to change leader's epoch in l12\&l21, otherwise there may exist an old leader and
 a new leader who share the same expoch. So here I just change leaderEpoch, and use it in handling ACK-E.
LeaderDiscovery1(i) \triangleq
         \land state[i] = ProspectiveLeader
         \land cepochRecv[i] \in Quorums
         \land leaderEpoch' = [leaderEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = tempMaxEpoch[i] + 1]
         \land cepochRecv' = [cepochRecv \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = \{NullPoint\}]
         \land Broadcast(i, [mtype \mapsto NEWEPOCH,
                           mepoch \mapsto leaderEpoch'[i])
         \land UNCHANGED \langle state, currentEpoch, leaderOracle, history, cluster, ackeRecv, ackldRecv, ackIndex, co
                            initialHistory, commitIndex, committedIndex, cepochSent, tempVars, recoveryVars, p
 In phase f12, follower receives NEWEPOCH. If e' > f.p then sends back ACKE,
 and ACKE contains f.a and hf to help pleader choose a newer history.
FollowerDiscovery2(i, j) \triangleq
         \land state[i] = Follower
         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
         \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = NEWEPOCH
         \wedge LET msg \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                 \lor new NEWEPOCH – accept and reply
                    \land currentEpoch[i] < msg.mepoch
                    \land \lor \land leaderOracle[i] = j
                          \land currentEpoch' = [currentEpoch \ Except \ ![i] = msg.mepoch]
                          \land Reply(i, j, [mtype])
                                                        \mapsto ACKE,
                                          mepoch
                                                        \mapsto msg.mepoch,
                                          mlastEpoch \mapsto leaderEpoch[i],
                                                        \mapsto history[i])
                          \land cepochSent' = [cepochSent \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = TRUE]
                       \lor \land leaderOracle[i] \neq j
                          \wedge Discard(j, i)
                          \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, cepochSent \rangle
                 \lor \land currentEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                    \land \lor \land leaderOracle[i] = j
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\land Reply(i, j, [mtype])
                                                                                                    \mapsto ACKE,
                                                                           mepoch
                                                                                                   \mapsto msg.mepoch,
                                                                           mlastEpoch \mapsto leaderEpoch[i],
                                                                                                   \mapsto history[i]
                                                                           mhf
                                              \land cepochSent' = [cepochSent \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = TRUE]
                                               \land UNCHANGED currentEpoch
                                         \vee It may happen when a leader do not update new epoch to all followers in Q, and a new election begi
                                               \land leaderOracle[i] \neq j
                                              \wedge Discard(j, i)
                                              \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, cepochSent \rangle
                               \forall stale NEWEPOCH-diacard
                                    \land currentEpoch[i] > msg.mepoch
                                    \wedge Discard(j, i)
                                    \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, cepochSent \rangle
                ∧ UNCHANGED ⟨state, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, history, leaderVars,
                                                  commitIndex,\ temp\ Vars,\ recovery\ Vars,\ proposalMsgsLog,\ test\ Vars\rangle
  In phase l12, pleader receives ACKE from a quorum,
  and select the history of one most up-to-date follower to be the initial history.
LeaderHandleACKE(i, j) \triangleq
                \land state[i] = ProspectiveLeader
                \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
                \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = ACKE
                                          \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                \wedge LET msq
                              infoOk \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \lor msg.mlastEpoch > tempMaxLastEpoch[i]
                                                      \lor \land msg.mlastEpoch = tempMaxLastEpoch[i]
                                                           \land \lor LastZxid(msg.mhf)[1] > LastZxid(tempInitialHistory[i])[1]
                                                                \lor \land LastZxid(msg.mhf)[1] = LastZxid(tempInitialHistory[i])[1]
                                                                      \land LastZxid(msg.mhf)[2] \ge LastZxid(tempInitialHistory[i])[2]
                              \lor \land leaderEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                                    \land \lor \land infoOk
                                              \land tempMaxLastEpoch'
                                                                                                = [tempMaxLastEpoch] EXCEPT ![i] = msg.mlastEpoch]
                                              \land tempInitialHistory'
                                                                                                 = [tempInitialHistory EXCEPT ![i] = msg.mhf]
                                         \vee \wedge \neg infoOk
                                               \land UNCHANGED \langle tempMaxLastEpoch, tempInitialHistory \rangle
                                     Followers not in Q will not receive NEWEPOCH, so leader will receive ACKE only when the source is in
                                    \land ackeRecv' = [ackeRecv \ Except \ ![i] = \text{if} \ j \notin ackeRecv[i] \ \text{Then} \ ackeRecv[i] \cup \{j\}
                                                                                                                                                               ELSE ackeRecv[i]
                               \lor \land leaderEpoch[i] \neq msg.mepoch
                                    \land UNCHANGED \langle tempMaxLastEpoch, tempInitialHistory, ackeRecv <math>\rangle
                \wedge Discard(j, i)
                \land UNCHANGED \langle serverVars, cluster, cepochRecv, ackldRecv, ackIndex, currentCounter,
                                                  sendCounter, initialHistory, committedIndex, cepochSent, tempMaxEpoch, recoveryVertical initialHistory, tempMaxEpoch, tempMaxE
LeaderDiscovery2Sync1(i) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
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\land ackIndex'
                                                         = [ackIndex]
                                                                                                   EXCEPT ![i][i] = Len(tempInitialHistory[i])]
                  until now, phase1(Discovery) ends
                                                                                       \mapsto NEWLEADER,
                 \land Broadcast(i, [mtype])
                                                                                       \mapsto currentEpoch'[i],
                                                    minitialHistory \mapsto history'[i])
                 \land LET m \stackrel{\triangle}{=} [msource \mapsto i, mtype \mapsto NEWLEADER, mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch'[i], mproposals \mapsto historiaanset is a superioriaanset in the superioriaanset in the superioriaanset is a superioriaanset in the sup
                     in proposalMsgsLog' = if m \in proposalMsgsLog then proposalMsgsLog
                                                                              ELSE proposalMsqsLog \cup \{m\}
                 \land UNCHANGED \langle state, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, commitIndex, cluster, cepochRecv, ackldRecv,
                                                     currentCounter, sendCounter, committedIndex, cepochSent, tempVars, recoveryVars,
  Note1: Delete the change of commitIndex in LeaderDiscovery2Sync1 and FollowerSync1, then we can promise that
           commitIndex of every server increases monotonically, except that some server halts and restarts.
  Note2: Set cepochRecv, ackeRecv, ackldRecv to {NullPoint} in corresponding three actions to
            make sure that the prospective leader will not broadcast {\it NEWEPOCH/NEWLEADER/COMMITLD} \ twice. \\
  In phase f21, follower receives NEWLEADER. The follower updates its epoch and history,
  and sends back ACK-LD to pleader.
FollowerSync1(i, j) \triangleq
                \land state[i] = Follower
                \land \, msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
                 \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = NEWLEADER
                 \wedge LET msg \triangleq msgs[j][i][1]
                                replyOk \triangleq \land currentEpoch[i] \leq msg.mepoch
                                                           \land leaderOracle[i] = j
                                \vee new NEWLEADER – accept and reply
                     IN
                                       \land replyOk
                                       \land currentEpoch' = [currentEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = msq.mepoch]
                                       \land leaderEpoch' = [leaderEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = msg.mepoch]
                                       \wedge history'
                                                                           = [history]
                                                                                                             EXCEPT ![i] = msg.minitialHistory]
                                       \land Reply(i, j, [mtype])
                                                                                        \mapsto ACKLD,
                                                                     mepoch \mapsto msg.mepoch,
                                                                      mhistory \mapsto msq.minitialHistory)
                                       stale NEWLEADER - discard
                                       \wedge \neg replyOk
                                      \wedge Discard(j, i)
                                       \land UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, history \rangle
                 ∧ UNCHANGED ⟨state, commitIndex, leaderOracle, leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, p
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= leaderEpoch[i]]

 $= \{NullPoint\}$

= tempInitialHistory[i]]

= tempInitialHistory[i]]

 $\land state[i] = ProspectiveLeader$ $\land ackeRecv[i] \in Quorums$

 \wedge history'

 $\land ackeRecv'$

 $\land currentEpoch' = [currentEpoch \ EXCEPT \ ![i]]$

 $\land initialHistory' = [initialHistory \ EXCEPT \ ![i]]$

= [ackeRecv]

= [history]

EXCEPT ![i]

EXCEPT ![i]

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In phase l22, pleader receives ACK-LD from a quorum of followers, and sends COMMIT-LD to followers.
LeaderHandleACKLD(i, j) \triangleq
        \land state[i] = ProspectiveLeader
        \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
        \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = ACKLD
        \wedge LET msg \triangleq msgs[j][i][1]
               \vee new ACK-LD - accept
                   \land currentEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                   \land ackIndex' = [ackIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i][j] = Len(initialHistory[i])]
                   \land ackldRecv' = [ackldRecv \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = \text{if} \ j \notin ackldRecv[i] \ THEN \ ackldRecv[i] \cup \{j\}
                                                                                       ELSE ackldRecv[i]
                \vee stale ACK-LD - discard
                   \land \ currentEpoch[i] \neq msg.mepoch
                   \land UNCHANGED \langle ackldRecv, ackIndex \rangle
        \wedge Discard(j, i)
        ∧ UNCHANGED \(\serverVars\), \(cluster\), \(cepochRecv\), \(ackeRecv\), \(currentCounter\),
                          sendCounter, initialHistory, committedIndex, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, p
LeaderSync2(i) \triangleq
             state[i] = ProspectiveLeader
        \wedge
             ackldRecv[i] \in Quorums
             committedIndex' = [committedIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = Len(history[i])]
             state'
                                                  EXCEPT ![i] = Leader
                               = [state]
             currentCounter' = [currentCounter \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = 0]
        Λ
             sendCounter'
                             = [sendCounter \quad EXCEPT \, ![i] = 0]
             ackldRecv'
                                = [ackldRecv]
                                                    EXCEPT ![i] = \{NullPoint\}]
        Λ
             Broadcast(i, [mtype \mapsto COMMITLD])
                            mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                            mlength \mapsto Len(history[i])
             UNCHANGED \langle currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, history, cluster, cepochRecv,
                             ackeRecv, ackIndex, initialHistory, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalM
 In phase f22, follower receives COMMIT-LD and delivers all unprocessed transaction.
FollowerSync2(i, j) \triangleq
        \land state[i] = Follower
        \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
        \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = COMMITLD
        \wedge LET msg \triangleq msgs[j][i][1]
                replyOk \triangleq \land currentEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                             \land leaderOracle[i] = j
                \lor new COMMIT-LD - commit all transactions in initial history
                    Regradless of Restart, it must be true because one will receive NEWLEADER before receiving COMMIT-
                   \land replyOk
                   \land \lor \land Len(history[i]) = msg.mlength
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\land commitIndex' = [commitIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = Len(history[i])]
                         \wedge Discard(j, i)
                      \lor \land Len(history[i]) \neq msg.mlength
                         \land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto CEPOCH,
                                        mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i])
                         \land UNCHANGED commitIndex
                    >: stale COMMIT-LD - discard
                     < : In our implementation, '<' does not exist due to the guarantee of Restart</p>
                   \wedge \neg replyOk
                   \wedge Discard(j, i)
                   \land UNCHANGED commitIndex
        \land UNCHANGED \langle state, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, history,
                           leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalMsgsLog, testVars
 In phase l31, leader receives client request and broadcasts PROPOSE.
ClientRequest(i, v) \triangleq
         test restrictions
        \land Len(history[i]) < MaxTransactionNum
        \wedge state[i] = Leader
        \land currentCounter' = [currentCounter \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = currentCounter[i] + 1]
        \wedge LET newTransaction \stackrel{\triangle}{=} [epoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                       counter \mapsto currentCounter'[i],
                                       value \mapsto v
                \land history' = [history \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = Append(history[i], newTransaction)]
                \land ackIndex' = [ackIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i][i] = Len(history'[i])] necessary, to push commitIndex
        \land UNCHANGED \langle msgs, state, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, commitIndex, cluster, cepochR
                           ackeRecv, ackldRecv, sendCounter, initialHistory, committedIndex, tempVars, cepoch
LeaderBroadcast1(i) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
        \wedge state[i] = Leader
        \land sendCounter[i] < currentCounter[i]
        \stackrel{\Delta}{=} history[i][toBeSentIndex]
                toBeSentEntry
                \land Broadcast(i, [mtype])
                                             \mapsto PROPOSE,
           IN
                                  mepoch
                                             \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                  mproposal \mapsto toBeSentEntry])
                \land sendCounter' = [sendCounter \ \ \texttt{Except} \ ![i] = toBeSentCounter]
                \land LET m \stackrel{\triangle}{=} [msource \mapsto i, mtype \mapsto PROPOSE, mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i], mproposal \mapsto tol
                   IN proposalMsgsLog' = proposalMsgsLog \cup \{m\}
        \land UNCHANGED \langle serverVars, cepochRecv, cluster, ackeRecv, ackldRecv, ackIndex,
                           current Counter,\ initial History,\ committed Index,\ temp\ Vars,\ recovery\ Vars,\ cepoch Sent
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In phase f31, follower accepts proposal and append it to history.

 $FollowerBroadcast1(i, j) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}$

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\land state[i] = Follower
         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
         \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = PROPOSE
                            \stackrel{\Delta}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
         \wedge LET msg
                 replyOk \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \land currentEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                                 \land leaderOracle[i] = j
                 infoOk \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \lor \land msg.mproposal.counter = 1
                                                                           the first PROPOSE in this epoch
                                    \wedge \vee Len(history[i]) = 0
                                       \lor \land Len(history[i]) > 0
                                          \land history[i][Len(history[i])].epoch < msg.mepoch
                                 \lor \land msg.mproposal.counter > 1
                                                                           not the first PROPOSE in this epoch
                                    \wedge Len(history[i]) > 0
                                    \land history[i][Len(history[i])].epoch = msg.mepoch
                                    \land history[i][Len(history[i])].counter = msq.mproposal.counter - 1
           IN
                 \lor \land replyOk
                     \land \lor \land infoOk
                           \land history' = [history \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = Append(history[i], msg.mproposal)]
                           \land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto ACK,
                                            mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                            mindex \mapsto Len(history'[i])
                        \lor \land \neg infoOk
                           \land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto CEPOCH,
                                            mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i]])
                           \land UNCHANGED history
                  \lor \land \neg replyOk
                     \wedge Discard(i, i)
                     \wedge UNCHANGED history
         \land UNCHANGED \langle state, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, commitIndex,
                             leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalMsgsLog, testVars
 In phase l32, leader receives ack from a quorum of followers to a certain proposal,
 and commits the proposal.
LeaderHandleAC\overline{K(i, j)} \triangleq
         \wedge state[i] = Leader
         \land \, msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
         \land \, msgs[j][i][1].mtype = A\,CK
         \wedge LET msg \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                     It should be that ackIndex[i][j] + 1 \stackrel{\Delta}{=} msg.mindex
                     \land currentEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                     \land ackIndex' = [ackIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i][j] = Maximum(\{ackIndex[i][j], msg.mindex\})]
                  \lor If happens, \neq must be >, namely a stale follower sends it.
                     \land currentEpoch[i] \neq msg.mepoch
                     \land UNCHANGED ackIndex
         \wedge Discard(i, i)
         \land UNCHANGED \land server Vars, cluster, cepoch Recv, acke Recv, ackld Recv, current Counter,
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sendCounter, initialHistory, committedIndex, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, p
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\wedge state[i] = Leader
         \land commitIndex[i] < Len(history[i])
                                        \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \{i\} \cup \{k \in (Server \setminus \{i\}) : ackIndex[i][k] \ge index\}
         \land LET Agree(index)
                                        \triangleq \{index \in (commitIndex[i] + 1) .. Len(history[i]) : Agree(index) \in Quoru
                 agreeIndexes
                 newCommitIndex \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \text{ if } agreeIndexes \neq \{\} \text{ Then } Maximum(agreeIndexes)
                                                                      ELSE commitIndex[i]
            IN commitIndex' = [commitIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = newCommitIndex]
         \land UNCHANGED \langle state, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, leaderOracle, history,
                             msgs, leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalMsgsLog, testVars
LeaderBroadcast2(i) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
         \land state[i] = Leader
         \land committedIndex[i] < commitIndex[i]
         \land LET newCommittedIndex \stackrel{\triangle}{=} committedIndex[i] + 1
                 \land Broadcast(i, [mtype])
                                              \mapsto COMMIT,
                                     mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                     mindex \mapsto newCommittedIndex,
                                     mcounter \mapsto history[i][newCommittedIndex].counter])
                  \land committedIndex' = [committedIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = committedIndex[i] + 1]
         \land UNCHANGED \langle serverVars, cluster, cepochRecv, ackleRecv, ackldRecv, acklndex, currentCounter,
                             sendCounter, initialHistory, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalMsqsLoq, t
 In phase f32, follower receives COMMIT and commits transaction.
FollowerBroadcast2(i, j) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
         \land state[i] = Follower
         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
         \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype = COMMIT
         \land \mathit{msgs}[j][i][1].\mathit{mtype} = \mathit{COMMIT}
         \wedge \text{ LET } msg \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                 replyOk \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \land currentEpoch[i] = msg.mepoch
                                \land leaderOracle[i] = j
           IN
                  \vee \wedge replyOk
                     \wedge \text{ LET } infoOk \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \wedge Len(history[i]) \geq msg.mindex
                                           \land \lor \land msg.mindex > 0
                                                 \land history[i][msg.mindex].epoch = msg.mepoch
                                                 \land history[i][msg.mindex].counter = msg.mcounter
                                              \vee msq.mindex = 0
                             V new COMMIT − commit transaction in history
                       IN
                                 \wedge infoOk
                                 \land commitIndex' = [commitIndex \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = Maximum(\{commitIndex[i], \ msg...)]
                                 \wedge Discard(i, i)
                                It may happen when the server is a new follower who joined in the cluster,
                                  and it misses the corresponding PROPOSE.
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 $LeaderAdvanceCommit(i) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}$

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\land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto CEPOCH,
                                                mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i])
                               ∧ UNCHANGED commitIndex
                    stale COMMIT – discard
                    \land \neg replyOk
                    \wedge Discard(j, i)
                    \land UNCHANGED commitIndex
         \land UNCHANGED \langle state, currentEpoch, leaderEpoch, history, leaderOracle,
                            leader Vars,\ temp\ Vars,\ cepoch Sent,\ recovery\ Vars,\ proposal MsgsLog,\ test\ Vars \rangle
 There may be two ways to make sure all followers as up-to-date as the leader.
 way1: choose Send not Broadcast when leader is going to send PROPOSE and COMMIT.
 way2: When one follower receives PROPOSE or COMMIT which misses some entries between
     its history and the newest entry, the follower send \it CEPOCH to catch pace.
 Here I choose way2, which I need not to rewrite PROPOSE and COMMIT, but need to
 modify the code when follower receives COMMIT-LD and COMMIT.
 In phase 133, upon receiving CEPOCH, leader l proposes back NEWEPOCH and NEWLEADER.
LeaderHandleCEPOCHinPhase3(i, j) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
         \wedge state[i] = Leader
         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
        \land \ msgs[j][i][1].mtype = \textit{CEPOCH}
        \wedge \text{ LET } msg \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
               \lor \land currentEpoch[i] \ge msg.mepoch
                    \land Reply2(i, j, [mtype \mapsto NEWEPOCH,
                                      mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                                        \mapsto NEWLEADER,
                                     |mtype|
                                      mepoch
                                                        \mapsto currentEpoch[i],
                                      minitialHistory \mapsto history[i]
                    \land LET m \stackrel{\triangle}{=} [msource \mapsto i, mtype \mapsto NEWLEADER, mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i], mproposal)
                            proposalMsgsLog' = \text{if } m \in proposalMsgsLog \text{ Then } proposalMsgsLog
                                                     ELSE proposalMsqsLog \cup \{m\}
                 \lor \land currentEpoch[i] < msq.mepoch
                    \land UNCHANGED \langle msgs, proposalMsgsLog \rangle
         ∧ UNCHANGED ⟨serverVars, leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, testVars⟩
 In phase l34, upon receiving ack from f of the NEWLEADER, it sends a commit message to f.
 Leader l also makes Q := Q \cup \{f\}.
LeaderHandleACKLDinPhase3(i, j) \triangleq
         \wedge state[i] = Leader
         \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
         \land \ msgs[j][i][1].mtype = ACKLD
         \wedge LET msg \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                 aimCommitIndex \triangleq Minimum(\{commitIndex[i], Len(msg.mhistory)\})
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 $\wedge \neg infoOk$

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 \begin{tabular}{ll} \begin{tabular}{ll} $\operatorname{IN}$ & $\vee \wedge \operatorname{currentEpoch}[i] = \operatorname{msg.mepoch} \\ & & \wedge \operatorname{ackIndex'} = [\operatorname{ackIndex} \ \operatorname{Except} \ ![i][j] = \operatorname{Len}(\operatorname{msg.mhistory})] \\ & & \wedge \operatorname{Reply}(i,j,[\operatorname{mtype} \ \mapsto \operatorname{COMMIT}, \\ & & \operatorname{mepoch} \ \mapsto \operatorname{currentEpoch}[i], \\ & & \operatorname{mindex} \ \mapsto \operatorname{aimCommitIndex}, \\ & & \operatorname{mcounter} \mapsto \operatorname{aimCommitCounter}]) \\ & & \vee \wedge \operatorname{currentEpoch}[i] \neq \operatorname{msg.mepoch} \\ & & \wedge \operatorname{Discard}(j,i) \\ & & \wedge \operatorname{UNCHANGED} \ \operatorname{ackIndex} \\ & \wedge \operatorname{cluster'} = [\operatorname{cluster} \ \operatorname{Except} \ ![i] = \operatorname{If} \ j \in \operatorname{cluster}[i] \ \operatorname{Then} \ \operatorname{cluster}[i] \\ & & & \operatorname{ELSE} \ \operatorname{cluster}[i] \cup \{j\}] \\ & \wedge \operatorname{UNCHANGED} \ \langle \operatorname{serverVars}, \ \operatorname{cepochRecv}, \ \operatorname{ackeRecv}, \ \operatorname{ackldRecv}, \ \operatorname{currentCounter}, \ \operatorname{sendCounter}, \\ \end{tabular}
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 $aimCommitCounter \triangleq \text{IF } aimCommitIndex = 0 \text{ THEN } 0 \text{ ELSE } history[i][aimCommitIndex].co$

initialHistory, committedIndex, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalMsqsLo

To ensure any follower can find the correct leader, the follower should modify leaderOracle anytime when it receive messages from leader, because a server may restart and join the cluster Q halfway and receive the first message which is not NEWEPOCH. But we can delete this restriction when we ensure Broadcast function acts on the followers in the cluster not any servers in the whole system, then one server must has correct leaderOracle before it receives messages.

Let me suppose two conditions when one follower sends CEPOCH to leader:

- 0. Usually, the server becomes follower in election and sends CEPOCH before receiving NEWEPOCH.
- 1. The follower wants to join the cluster halfway and get the newest history.
- 2. The follower has received *COMMIT*, but there exists the gap between its own history and *mindex*, which means there are some transactions before *mindex* miss. Here we choose to send *CEPOCH* again, to receive the newest history from leader.

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BecomeFollower(i) \triangleq
        \land state[i] \neq Follower
        \land \exists j \in Server \setminus \{i\} : \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
                                  \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype \neq RECOVERYREQUEST
                                  \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype \neq RECOVERYRESPONSE
                                  \wedge \text{ LET } msg \stackrel{\triangle}{=} msgs[j][i][1]
                                         \land NullPoint \in cepochRecv[i]
                                          \land Maximum(\{currentEpoch[i], leaderEpoch[i]\}) < msg.mepoch
                                          \land \lor msg.mtype = NEWEPOCH
                                             \lor msg.mtype = NEWLEADER
                                             \lor msg.mtype = COMMITLD
                                             \lor msg.mtype = PROPOSE
                                             \lor msg.mtype = COMMIT
                                                                              EXCEPT ![i] = Follower]
                                                            = [state]
                                          \land currentEpoch' = [currentEpoch \ Except \ ![i] = msg.mepoch]
                                          \land leaderOracle' = [leaderOracle \ EXCEPT \ ![i] = j]
                                          \land Reply(i, j, [mtype \mapsto CEPOCH,
                                                          mepoch \mapsto currentEpoch[i])
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Here we should not use Discard.

 $\land \ \mathsf{UNCHANGED} \ \ \langle \mathit{leaderEpoch}, \ \overline{\mathit{history}}, \ \mathit{commitIndex}, \ \mathit{leaderVars}, \ \mathit{tempVars}, \ \mathit{cepochSent}, \ \mathit{recoveryVars}, \ \mathit{tempVars}, \ \mathit{cepochSent}, \ \mathit{recoveryVars}, \ \mathit{tempVars}, \ \mathit{te$

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DiscardStaleMessage(i) \stackrel{\Delta}{=}
                       \land \exists j \in Server \setminus \{i\} : \land msgs[j][i] \neq \langle \rangle
                                                                                          \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype \neq RECOVERYREQUEST
                                                                                          \land msgs[j][i][1].mtype \neq RECOVERYRESPONSE
                                                                                          \wedge LET msg \triangleq msgs[j][i][1]
                                                                                                             \lor \land state[i] = Follower
                                                                                                                         \land \lor msg.mepoch < currentEpoch[i] \setminus * Discussed before.
                                                                                                                                \lor msg.mtype = CEPOCH
                                                                                                                                \vee msg.mtype = ACKE
                                                                                                                                \lor msg.mtype = ACKLD
                                                                                                                                \vee msg.mtype = ACK
                                                                                                                 \lor \land state[i] \neq Follower
                                                                                                                        \land msg.mtype \neq CEPOCH
                                                                                                                        \land \lor \land state[i] = ProspectiveLeader
                                                                                                                                        \land \lor msq.mtype = ACK
                                                                                                                                               \lor \land msg.mepoch \le Maximum(\{currentEpoch[i], leaderEpoch[i], l
                                                                                                                                                        \land \lor msg.mtype = NEWEPOCH
                                                                                                                                                               \lor msg.mtype = NEWLEADER
                                                                                                                                                               \lor msg.mtype = COMMITLD
                                                                                                                                                               \lor msg.mtype = PROPOSE
                                                                                                                                                               \vee msq.mtype = COMMIT
                                                                                                                               \lor \land state[i] = Leader
                                                                                                                                        \land \lor msg.mtype = ACKE
                                                                                                                                               \lor \land msg.mepoch \le currentEpoch[i]
                                                                                                                                                        \land \lor msg.mtype = NEWEPOCH
                                                                                                                                                               \lor msg.mtype = NEWLEADER
                                                                                                                                                               \lor msg.mtype = COMMITLD
                                                                                                                                                               \vee msg.mtype = PROPOSE
                                                                                                                                                               \lor msg.mtype = COMMIT
                                                                                          \wedge Discard(j, i)
                       ∧ UNCHANGED ⟨serverVars, leaderVars, tempVars, cepochSent, recoveryVars, proposalMsqsLoq, testV
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Defines how the variables may transition.
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Next \triangleq \\ & \vee \exists i \in Server, \ Q \in Quorums : InitialElection(i, \ Q) \\ & \vee \exists i \in Server : \quad Restart(i) \\ & \vee \exists i \in Server : \quad RecoveryAfterRestart(i) \\ & \vee \exists i, \ j \in Server : \quad HandleRecoveryRequest(i, \ j) \\ & \vee \exists i, \ j \in Server : \quad HandleRecoveryResponse(i, \ j) \\ & \vee \exists i, \ j \in Server : \quad FindCluster(i) \\ \end{aligned}
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\forall \exists i, j \in Server :
                                   LeaderTimeout(i, j)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                    FollowerTimeout(i)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                    FollowerDiscovery1(i)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server:
                                  LeaderHandleCEPOCH(i, j)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                    LeaderDiscovery1(i)
         \lor \exists i, j \in Server : FollowerDiscovery2(i, j)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server:
                                  LeaderHandleACKE(i, j)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                    LeaderDiscovery2Sync1(i)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server:
                                   FollowerSync1(i, j)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server:
                                   LeaderHandleACKLD(i, j)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                   LeaderSync2(i)
         \forall \exists i, j \in Server :
                                   FollowerSync2(i, j)
         \lor \exists i \in Server, v \in Value : ClientRequest(i, v)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                   LeaderBroadcast1(i)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server : FollowerBroadcast1(i, j)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server:
                                   LeaderHandleACK(i, j)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                   LeaderAdvanceCommit(i)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                   LeaderBroadcast2(i)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server : FollowerBroadcast2(i, j)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server : LeaderHandleCEPOCHinPhase3(i, j)
         \vee \exists i, j \in Server : LeaderHandleACKLDinPhase3(i, j)
         \vee \exists i \in Server:
                                   DiscardStaleMessage(i)
         \vee \exists i \in Server :
                                   BecomeFollower(i)
Spec \stackrel{\triangle}{=} Init \wedge \Box [Next]_{vars}
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Define some variants, safety propoties, and liveness propoties of Zab consensus algorithm.

Safety properties

Here, delivering means deliver some transaction from history to replica. We can assume deliverIndex = commitIndex. So we can assume the set of delivered transactions is the prefix of history with index from 1 to commitIndex.

We can express a transaction by two-tuple $\langle epoch, counter \rangle$ according to its uniqueness.

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equal(entry1, entry2) \triangleq \land entry1.epoch = entry2.epoch \land entry1.counter = entry2.counter
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precede(entry1, entry2) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \lor entry1.epoch < entry2.epoch
                                   \lor \land entry1.epoch = entry2.epoch
                                      \land entry1.counter < entry2.counter
 PrefixConsistency: The prefix that have been delivered in history in any process is the same.
PrefixConsistency \triangleq \forall i, j \in Server:
                               LET smaller \stackrel{\Delta}{=} Minimum(\{commitIndex[i], commitIndex[i]\})
                                    \vee smaller = 0
                                     \lor \land smaller > 0
                                         \land \forall index \in 1 ... smaller : equal(history[i][index], history[j][index])
 Integrity: If some follower delivers one transaction, then some primary has broadcast it.
Integrity \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \forall i \in Server:
                  state[i] = Follower \land commitIndex[i] > 0
                   \Rightarrow \forall \ index \in 1 \ .. \ commitIndex[i]: \exists \ msg \in proposalMsgsLog:
                        \lor \land msg.mtype = PROPOSE
                           \land equal(msg.mproposal, history[i][index])
                        \lor \land msq.mtype = NEWLEADER
                           \land \exists pindex \in 1.. Len(msg.mproposals) : equal(msg.mproposals[pindex], history[i][ind])
 Agreement: If some follower f delivers transaction a and some follower f' delivers transaction b,
         then f' delivers a or f delivers b.
Agreement \triangleq \forall i, j \in Server:
                     \land state[i] = Follower \land commitIndex[i] > 0
                     \land state[j] = Follower \land commitIndex[j] > 0
                     \forall index 1 \in 1 ... commitIndex[i], index 2 \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] :
                        \vee \exists indexj \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] :
                            equal(history[j][indexj], history[i][index1])
                        \vee \exists indexi \in 1 ... commitIndex[i] :
                            equal(history[i][indexi], history[j][index2])
 Total order: If some follower delivers a before b, then any process that delivers b
          must also deliver a and deliver a before b.
TotalOrder \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \forall i, j \in Server : commitIndex[i] \geq 2 \land commitIndex[j] \geq 2
                      \Rightarrow \forall indexi1 \in 1.. (commitIndex[i] - 1) : \forall indexi2 \in (indexi1 + 1).. commitIndex[i] :
                           LET logOk \triangleq \exists index \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] : equal(history[i][indexi2], history[j][index])
                                 \vee \neg logOk
                                 \vee \wedge logOk
                                    \land \exists indexj2 \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] :
                                                         \land equal(history[i][indexi2], history[j][indexj2])
                                                          \land \exists indexj1 \in 1 ... (indexj2-1) : equal(history[i][indexi1], history[i][indexi1])
 Local primary order: If a primary broadcasts a before it broadcasts b, then a follower that
                delivers b must also deliver a before b.
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 $LocalPrimaryOrder \triangleq \text{LET } mset(i, e) \triangleq \{msq \in proposalMsqsLoq : \land msq.mtype = PROPOSE\}$

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\land msg.msource = i
                                                                                      \land msg.mepoch = e
                                   mentries(i, e) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \{msg.mproposal : msg \in mset(i, e)\}
                                  \forall i \in Server : \forall e \in 1 ... currentEpoch[i] :
                                     \vee Cardinality(mentries(i, e)) < 2
                                     \lor \land Cardinality(mentries(i, e)) \ge 2
                                        \land \exists tsc1, tsc2 \in mentries(i, e) :
                                         \vee equal(tsc1, tsc2)
                                         \vee \wedge \neg equal(tsc1, tsc2)
                                            \land Let tscPre \stackrel{\triangle}{=} if precede(tsc1, tsc2) then tsc1 else tsc2
                                                    tscNext \stackrel{\triangle}{=} if \ precede(tsc1,\ tsc2) \ then \ tsc2 \ else \ tsc1
                                                   \forall j \in Server : \land commitIndex[j] \ge 2
                                                                      \land \exists index \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] : equal(history[j][index[j]) : equal(history[j][index[j]))
                                                \Rightarrow \exists index 2 \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] :
                                                         \land equal(history[j][index2], tscNext)
                                                         \land index2 > 1
                                                         \land \exists index1 \in 1 ... (index2 - 1) : equal(history[j][index1], tscPre
 Global primary order: A follower f delivers both a with epoch e and b with epoch e', and e < e',
                 then f must deliver a before b.
GlobalPrimaryOrder \triangleq \forall i \in Server : commitIndex[i] > 2
                                 \lor \land history[i][idx1].epoch < history[i][idx2]
                                                                                     \wedge idx1 < idx2
 Primary integrity: If primary p broadcasts a and some follower f delivers b such that b has epoch
              smaller than epoch of p, then p must deliver b before it broadcasts a.
PrimaryIntegrity \stackrel{\triangle}{=} \forall i, j \in Server : \land state[i] = Leader
                                               \land state[j] = Follower \land commitIndex[j] \ge 1
                              \Rightarrow \forall index \in 1 ... commitIndex[j] : \forall history[j][index].epoch \geq currentEpoch[i]
                                                                         \lor \land history[j][index].epoch < currentEpoch[i]
                                                                            \land \exists idx \in 1 ... commitIndex[i] : equal(history[i])[i]
Liveness property
Suppose that:
   - A quorum Q of followers are up.
   - The followers in Q elect the same process l and l is up.
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If I proposes a transaction a, then a is eventually committed.

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- Messages between a follower in Q and l are received in a timely fashion.