

## Problem 1

This is the sequence of configurations that the Turing Machine  $M_1$  enters when started on the input  $110\#11$ .

$$(q_1, \overset{\downarrow}{1} 10\#11)$$

$$(q_3, x \overset{\downarrow}{1} 0\#11)$$

$$(q_3, x1 \overset{\downarrow}{0} \#11)$$

$$(q_3, x10 \overset{\downarrow}{\#} 11)$$

$$(q_5, x10\# \overset{\downarrow}{1} 1)$$

$$(q_6, x10 \overset{\downarrow}{\#} x1)$$

$$(q_7, x1 \overset{\downarrow}{0} \#x1)$$

$$(q_7, x \overset{\downarrow}{1} 0\#x1)$$

$$(q_7, \overset{\downarrow}{x} 10\#x1)$$

$$(q_1, x \overset{\downarrow}{1} 0\#x1)$$

$$(q_3, xx \overset{\downarrow}{0} \#x1)$$

$$(q_3, xx0 \overset{\downarrow}{\#} x1)$$

$$(q_5, xx0\# \overset{\downarrow}{x} 1)$$

$$(q_5, xx0\#x \overset{\downarrow}{1})$$

$$(q_6, xx0\# \overset{\downarrow}{x} x)$$

$$(q_6, xx0 \overset{\downarrow}{\#} xx)$$

$$(q_7, xx \overset{\downarrow}{0} \#xx)$$

$$(q_7, x \overset{\downarrow}{x} 0\#xx)$$

$$(q_1, xx \overset{\downarrow}{0} \#xx)$$

$$(q_2, xxx \overset{\downarrow}{\#} xx)$$

$$(q_4, xxx\# \overset{\downarrow}{x} x)$$

$$(q_4, xxx\#x \overset{\downarrow}{x})$$

Here we can see that it stuck in  $q_4$  state and can't go to the state of  $q_{accept}$ . Hence  $110\#11$  goes to reject state.

## Problem 2

(a) **Scan for '#':** Move right until the '#' symbol is found. If '#' is not found, reject.

**Compare symbols symmetrically:** Repeat until all symbols before '#' are processed:

1. Move left from '#' to find the first '0' or '1', replace with 'X', and remember its value.
2. Move right to '#', then move right to find the first '0' or '1' after '#'.
3. Compare this symbol with the remembered value:
  - If they match, mark it.
  - If they do not match, then reject.

**Check for extra symbols:** After all symbols before '#' are marked, move right from '#' to check for any unmarked symbols. If unmarked symbols are found, reject; else, accept.

(b) The Turing machine  $M$  is defined as follows:

$Q = \{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3, q_{accept}, q_{reject}\}$  is the set of states.

$\Sigma = \{0, 1, \#\}$  is the input alphabet.

$\Gamma = \{0, 1, \#, \_ \}$  is the tape alphabet, where  $\_$  represents the blank symbol.

$q_0$  is the initial state.

$q_{accept}$  is the accept state.

$q_{reject}$  is the reject state.

$\delta$  is the transition function, defined as follows:

Current State	Current Symbol	New Symbol	Direction	New State
$q0$	0	$X$	$R$	$q1$
$q0$	1	$X$	$R$	$q2$
$q0$	#	#	$R$	$q6$
$q1$	0	0	$R$	$q1$
$q1$	1	1	$R$	$q1$
$q1$	$X$	$X$	$R$	$q1$
$q1$	#	#	$R$	$q3$
$q2$	0	0	$R$	$q2$
$q2$	1	1	$R$	$q2$
$q2$	$X$	$X$	$R$	$q2$
$q2$	#	#	$R$	$q5$
$q3$	$X$	$X$	$R$	$q3$
$q3$	0	$X$	$L$	$q4$
$q4$	0	0	$L$	$q4$
$q4$	1	1	$L$	$q4$
$q4$	$X$	$X$	$L$	$q4$
$q4$	#	#	$L$	$q4$
$q4$	-	-	$R$	$q0$
$q5$	$X$	$X$	$R$	$q5$
$q5$	1	$X$	$L$	$q4$
$q6$	$X$	$X$	$R$	$q6$
$q6$	-	-	$S$	$q\_accept$

Collaborators: None