A Term Encoding to Analyze Runtime Complexity via Innermost Runtime Complexity

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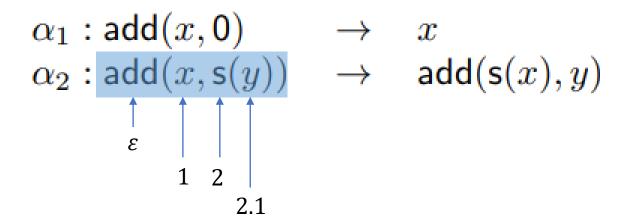
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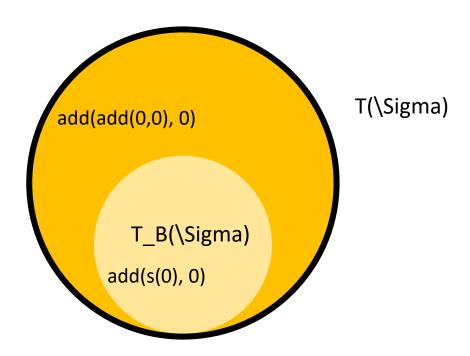
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irc \leq rc

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$$rc_R \in O(n^2)$$
 irc_R \in O(n)

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 $quad(s^n(0)) \longrightarrow e(lin(s^n-1(0)), quad(s^n-1(0))) \longrightarrow \cdots$

• irc = rc is not necessarily true. Consider

 $f(s^n(0)) \longrightarrow g(a(s^n(0)))$

$$g(I_a(0)) -> quad(0)$$

Therefore analyze irc', which is irc limited on the starting terms of the original TRS

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Locations in a TRS in order to avoid confusion with positions in terms

$$(\alpha_1, L, eps)$$

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CAP(
$$g(a(x))) = g(y)$$

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Intersection of X_R and Y_R

First look at an encoded TRS

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$$\alpha'_{1}: f(x) \rightarrow g(i(l_{a}(x)))$$

$$\alpha'_{3}: g(b(x)) \rightarrow lin(x)$$

$$\alpha'_{5}: lin(s(x)) \rightarrow lin(x)$$

$$\beta_{1}: i(x) \xrightarrow{0} x$$

- 3 types of added 0-cost rules
 - Omission rule \beta1
 - Execution rules \beta2
 - Propagation rules \beta3

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\begin{aligned} &\alpha_2': \mathsf{a}(x) \to \mathsf{b}(\mathsf{x}) \\ &\alpha_4': \mathsf{g}(l_\mathsf{a}(x)) \to \mathsf{quad}(\mathsf{i}(x)) \\ &\alpha_6': \mathsf{quad}(\mathsf{s}(x)) \to \mathsf{c}(\mathsf{lin}(\mathsf{i}(x)), \mathsf{quad}(\mathsf{i}(x))) \\ &\beta_2: \mathsf{i}(l_\mathsf{a}(x)) \overset{\scriptscriptstyle 0}{\to} \mathsf{i}(\mathsf{a}(x)) \\ &\beta_3: \mathsf{i}(l_\mathsf{a}(x)) \overset{\scriptscriptstyle 0}{\to} \mathsf{i}(l_\mathsf{a}(\mathsf{i}(x))) \end{aligned}
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$$f \to dbl(a(a(0)))$$
 $dbl(x) \to d(x,x)$ $a(x) \to b(x)$

$$f \to dbl(i(l_a(l_a(0))))$$
 $dbl(x) \to d(i(x),i(x))$ $a(x) \to b(x)$ $i(x) \to x$ $i(l_a(x)) \to i(a(x))$

 $f \to dbl(i(l_a(l_a(0)))) \to 0 \quad dbl(l_a(l_a(0))) \to d(i(l_a(l_a(0))), _) \to 0 \ d(i(a(l_a(0))), _) \to d(i(b(l_a(0))), _) \to 0 \ d(i(a(l_a(0))), _) \to 0$

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$$f \rightarrow dbl(a(a(0))) \rightarrow d(a(a(0)), _) \rightarrow d(a(b(0)), _) \rightarrow d(b2(0), _) \rightarrow 2 d(b20,b20)$$

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$$i(x) \to x \qquad i(l_a(x)) \to i(a(x))$$

$$i(l_a(x)) \to i(l_a(i(x)))$$

Formal definition of the Encoding

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Locations on the lhs get encoded like this

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• g(a(x)) -> quad(x) => g(l_a(x)) -> q
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- Locations on the rhs get encoded like this
 - f(x) -> g(a(x)) => $f(x) -> g(i(I_a(x)))$
- 0-cost rules are added
 - The omission rule
 - The execution rule for encoded defined symbols
 - The propagation rule for encoded defined symbols with arity > 0

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An infinite rewrite sequence of 0-cost rewriting can occur in an encoded TRS

$$dbl(x) \rightarrow d(x,x)$$

$$a(x) -> b(x)$$

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$$a(x) -> b(x)$$

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