

Tutorial # 1.

Machine , Simulations

Exercise 1. Warming up

- Q1. Write the 0 letters of the word on a 2nd tape.
 Write the 1 letters of the word on a 3rd tape.
 Compare the length of the words on the 2nd & 3rd tapes

- Q2. Replace the # by a 1, remove the last 1.

Given a string w on the tape, write the last part on a 2nd tape.
 Then compute addition and compare the results.

- Q3. Write a and b on the 2nd & 3rd tape.

Until the start of a is reached, step to the left (2nd tape)
 | write $\langle 1^{\text{st}} \text{ tape} \rangle \# \langle 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ tape} \rangle$ on the 1st tape
 and compute addition.

Exercise 2. Universal Turing Machines

Q1.

tape #1	a_1^1	a_2^1	a_3^1	...
tape #2	a_1^2	a_2^2	a_3^2	...
:	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	...
tape #k	a_1^k	a_2^k	a_3^k	...

where we encode each letter in binary

$$\sim \boxed{> a_1^1 \mid \mathcal{B} a_2^1 \mid \dots \mid > a_1^k \mid \mathcal{B} a_2^k \mid \dots}$$

and we have a tape whose size
 is at most

$$\mathcal{O}(\log |\Gamma|) \times 2k \times s(|x|).$$

$$\mathcal{O}''(s(|x|)).$$

- Q2. Use a tape for $\langle \alpha, x \rangle$

and a tape for the state of M_α } C_α
 and 2 tapes for the tapes of M_α .

$$\# \text{ used cells} \leq C_\alpha \times s(|x|)$$

Exercise 3. Stimulating Simulation.

Q1. $\dots | a_2 | a_1 | a_0 | a_3 | a_2 \dots \rightsquigarrow | a_0 | a_2 | a_1 | a_3 | a_2 \dots$

Q2. Write each letter of Γ in binary, the cost is $\lceil \log_2 |\Gamma| \rceil$.

Q3. Store the two tapes on an alphabet $\Gamma^2 \times \{\text{B}, \text{D}\}$.

We don't talk about the heads of both tapes.

Reduce the size of the alphabet w/ Q2.

Q4.