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CONSTANTS ByzBft, ByzCl
CONSTANTS Sigma, L
VARIABLES bc_chains, bft_chains, crosslink2_chains
The genesis blocks for the chains.
BcGenesisBlock \stackrel{\triangle}{=} [context\_bft \mapsto 0, hash \mapsto 0]
BftGenesisBlock \triangleq [headers\_bc \mapsto \langle \rangle, hash \mapsto 0]
CrossLink2GenesisBlock \triangleq [fin \mapsto \langle BcGenesisBlock \rangle, ba \mapsto \langle BcGenesisBlock \rangle]
Convenient sets
\begin{array}{l} \textit{HonestBftNodes} \, \triangleq \, 1 \, \dots \, \textit{BftNodes} \setminus \textit{ByzBft} \\ \textit{BftAllNodes} \, \triangleq \, 1 \, \dots \, \textit{BftNodes} \end{array}
BcAllNodes \triangleq 1 .. BcNodes
Choose the best BC chain (the longest one).
BestBcChainIdx \triangleq
    CHOOSE i \in BcAllNodes:
          Len(bc\_chains[i]) = Max(\{Len(bc\_chains[j]) : j \in BcAllNodes\})
The number of nodes supporting the same chain as node i.
BftSupport(i) \triangleq Cardinality(\{j \in BftAllNodes : bft\_chains[j] = bft\_chains[i]\})
Byzantine classic fault tolerance threshold condition
BftThresholdOK \stackrel{\Delta}{=} BftNodes \ge 3 * Cardinality(ByzBft) + 1
Choose the best BFT chain (the longest one with the most support).
- Lmax = maximum length of all BFT chains
- S = set of nodes having the longest chains
- supMax = maximum support among the longest chains
- T = set of nodes having the longest chains with the maximum support
BestBftChainIdx \triangleq
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- MODULE definitions

LOCAL INSTANCE Integers
LOCAL INSTANCE Sequences
LOCAL INSTANCE FiniteSets
LOCAL INSTANCE utils

CONSTANTS BcNodes, BftNodes, CrossLink2Nodes

 $\label{eq:definition: Computable efficiently function $$\star bftlastfinal: \star bftblock \to \star bftblock \cup \{\bot\}$$}$ 

$$BftLastFinal(n) \stackrel{\triangle}{=} bft\_chains[n]$$

Definition: Locally bounded-available chain

Define the locally bounded-available chain on node i for bc-confirmation-depth  $\mu$ , as

$$(\mathsf{ba}_\mu)_i^t = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \mathsf{ch}_i^t \lceil_\mathsf{bc}^\mu, & \mathit{iffin}_i^t \preceq \mathsf{ch}_i^t \lceil_\mathsf{bc}^\mu \\ \mathit{fin}_i^t, & \mathit{otherwise} \end{array} \right.$$