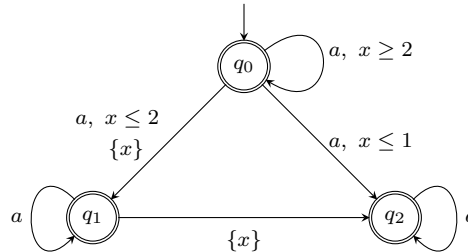


- The purpose of this question is to understand the algorithm by Ouaknine and Worrell for checking the universality of one-clock timed automata. Let us call it the OW-algorithm. The definitions and notations used in this question are identical to those in the lecture.

Consider the following automaton over the singleton alphabet  $\{a\}$ :



The set of regions  $REG = \{r_0, r_{01}, r_1, r_{12}, r_2, r_{2\infty}\}$

- What is the set  $\Lambda$ ? Recall that nodes in the graph built by the OW-algorithm would be labeled by words in  $\Lambda^*$ .
- Consider the word  $W = \{(q_1, r_0)\}\{(q_2, r_{01})\}$ . List two different configurations  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  of the automaton that map to this word by the encoding  $H$  defined in the lecture, i.e.,  $H(C_1) = H(C_2) = W$ .
- For the  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  that you have chosen, prove that for  $\delta_1 = 1.3$ , there exists a  $\delta_2 \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$  such that

$$\text{if } C_1 \xrightarrow{\delta_1, a} C'_1 \quad \text{then } C_2 \xrightarrow{\delta_2, a} C'_2$$

such that  $H(C'_1) = H(C'_2)$ .

- Run the OW-algorithm on the above automaton and check if it accepts all timed words.
- Given a general timed automaton  $B$  and a one-clock timed automaton  $A$  design an algorithm for  $L(B) \subseteq L(A)$ .
  - We know that the universality problem for one-clock timed automata is decidable. Suppose we consider timed automata with multiple clocks, but restrict guards to contain only the constant 0; that is, for a set of clocks  $X$ , the guards come from the set  $\Phi_0(X)$  defined inductively as

$$\Phi_0(X) := x = 0 \mid x > 0 \mid \Phi_0(X) \wedge \Phi_0(X)$$

where  $x \in X$ . For instance, if  $y, z \in X$ , then  $y = 0 \wedge z > 0$  is a guard in  $\Phi_0(X)$ .

Show that the universality problem is decidable for timed automata with multiple clocks, but whose guards come only from the set  $\Phi_0(X)$ .