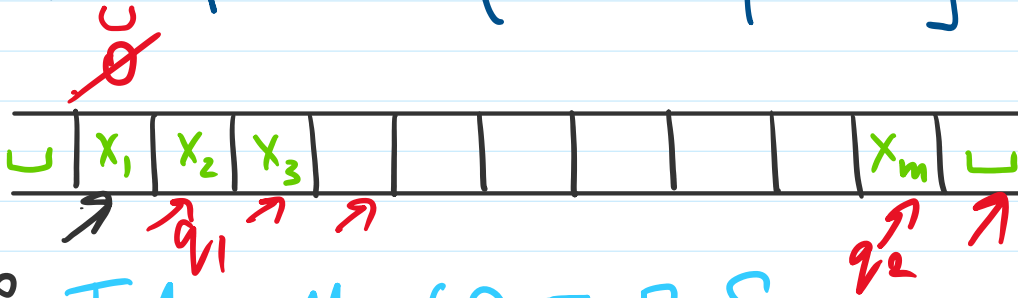


TM for $L = \{0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 0\}$



q_0 TM $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, \underline{q_0}, q_{acc}, q_{rej})$

• $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$

• $\Gamma = \{0, 1, \sqcup\}$

• δ :

$$\delta(q_0, \sqcup) = (q_{acc}, \sqcup, R)$$

$$\delta(q_0, 1) = (q_{rej}, 1, R)$$

$$\delta(q_0, 0) = (q_1, \sqcup, R)$$

q_1 : will take us to the right-most input symbol

$$\delta(q_1, 0) = (q_1, 0, R)$$

$$\delta(q_1, 1) = (q_1, 1, R)$$

$$\delta(q_1, \sqcup) = (q_2, \sqcup, L)$$

q_2 : check that we see 1 now!

$$\delta(q_2, 0) = (q_{rej}, 0, R)$$

$$\delta(q_2, \sqcup) = (q_{rej}, \sqcup, R)$$

$$\delta(q_2, 1) = (q_3, \sqcup, L)$$

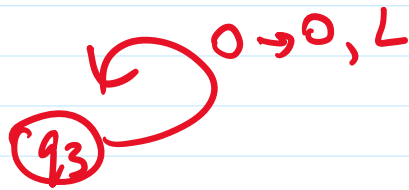
$$\delta(q_2, 1) = (q_3, L, L)$$

q_3 : takes us to the left-most (remaining) input symbol

$$\delta(q_3, 0) = (q_3, 0, L)$$

$$\delta(q_3, 1) = (q_3, 1, L)$$

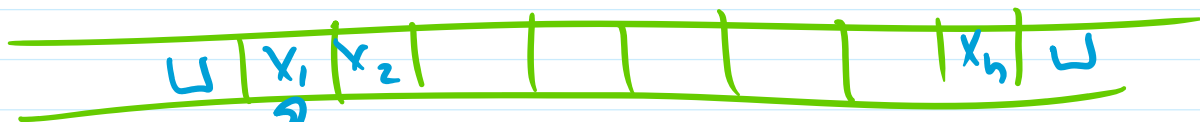
$$\delta(q_3, \cup) = (q_0, \cup, R)$$



$$PAL = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* \mid w = w^R \}$$

010, 11, $\epsilon \in PAL$

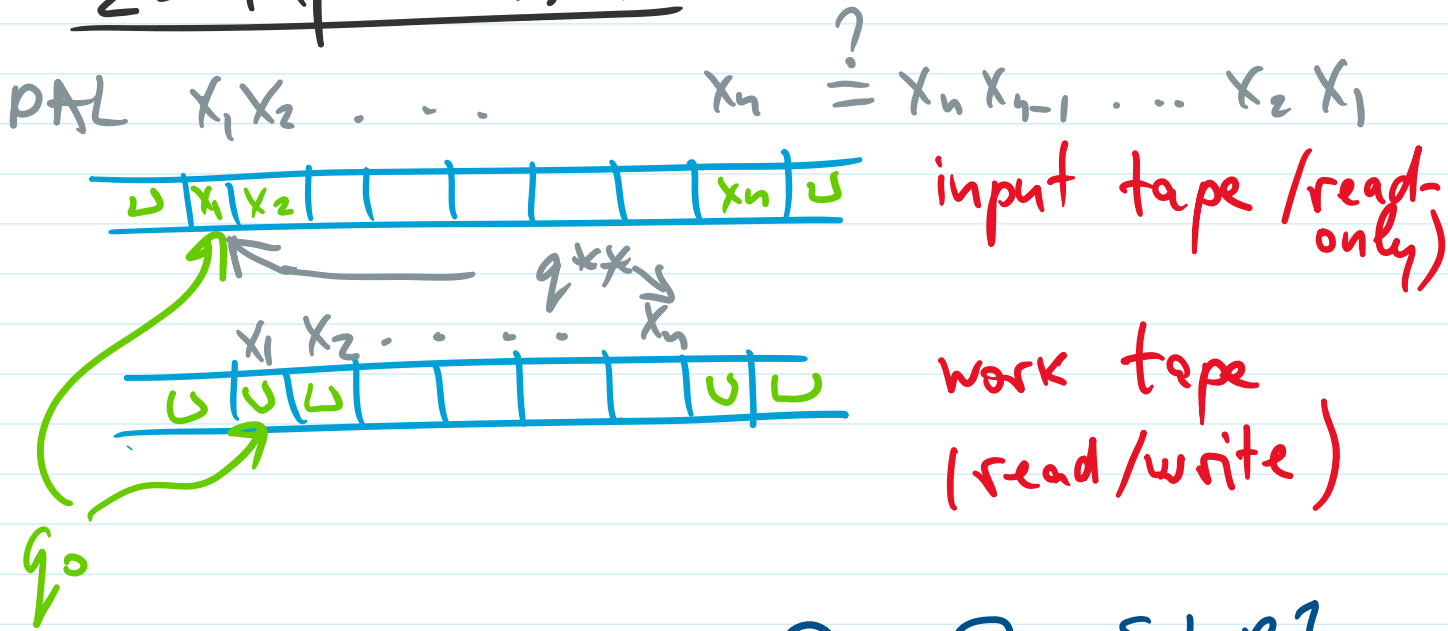
01 $\notin PAL$



remember the symbol it sees

2-tape TM

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1-tape $\delta: Q \times \Gamma \rightarrow Q \times \Gamma \times \{L, R\}$

2-tape $\delta: Q \times \Gamma^2 \rightarrow Q \times \Gamma^2 \times \{L, R\}^2$

Claim: PAL is in $O(n)$ time
on a 2-tape TM.

Remark: PAL requires $\Omega(n^2)$ time
on a 1-tape TM.

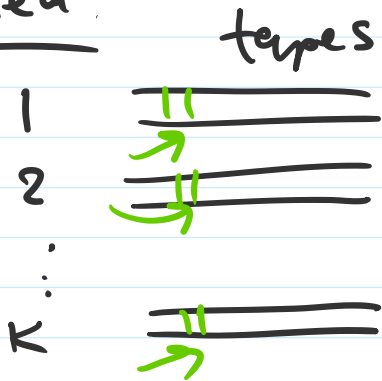
Claim: $\forall L \in \text{Time}(t_k)$

on a k -tape TM,

\exists a 1-tape TM for L
with runtime $\underline{O}(t_k^2)$.

with runtime $\underline{O}(t_k^k)$.

Idea:



1-tape TM

$\hat{\#} \text{tape 1} \hat{\#} \text{tape 2} \hat{\#} \dots \hat{\#} \text{tape k} \hat{\#}$

$\Gamma \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \hat{\Gamma}$
 $\forall a \in \Gamma, \hat{a} \in \hat{\Gamma}$

Other variants of TM

1-tape
k-tape

2-D tape

k-head

etc.

RAM



1-tape TM, with only poly-blow-up in runtime.

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