

Part I : Basic Concepts of Finite Automata

1.1 Basic Concepts

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- Automata theory deals with the definitions and properties of mathematical models of computation. These models play a role in several applied areas of computer science.
- There are two popularly used models in automata theory - **finite automaton** and **context free grammars**.
- The **finite automaton** is used in text processing, compilers and so on.
- The **context free grammars** are used in programming languages, XML and artificial intelligence.
- The automata theory helps us to begin the study of theory of computation.

Definition of automaton : An automaton is defined as a system where information is transformed and transmitted and is used for performing some functions without involvement of man.

Examples : Automatic printing machines, automatic washing machines.

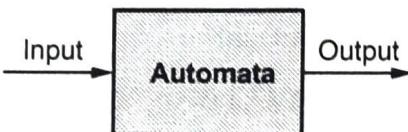


Fig. 1.1.1 Basic model of automata

The characteristics are -

1. **Input** : There can be finite number of inputs to the automata. These values are from the input set denoted by Σ .
2. **Output** : There can be finite number of outputs from the automata.
3. **States** : At any instance of time the automata can be in one particular state.
4. **State function** : This function is useful in determining the next state at any instance of time with the help of present state and present input.
5. **Output function** : This function is useful in determining the output at any instance of time with the help of present input and present state.

Example 1.1.1 What is the basic machine ? Enlist the important features of basic machine.

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Solution : The basic machine is a system which models the given problem and it halts on obtaining solution to the given problem.

Important features of basic machine

1. There should be definite number of inputs to the basic machine.
2. The machine must produce proper output.
3. The performance of machine should be optimum.
4. The machine must be simple to design and implement.
5. The machine must halt after sufficient number of steps. That means it should not loop for infinitely long period.

Part II : Finite Automata

1.2 Formal Definition and Notations for FSM

A finite automata is a collection of 5-tuple $(Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$

where,

Q is a finite set of states, which is non empty.

Σ is input alphabet, indicates input set.

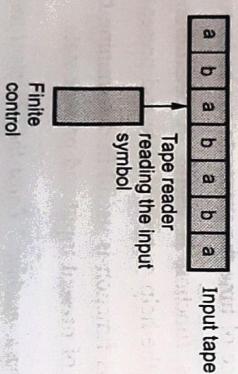
q_0 is an initial state and q_0 is in Q i.e. $q_0 \in Q$.

F is a set of final states.

δ is a transition function or a mapping function. Using this function the next state can be determined.

1.2.1 Control of FA over String

The finite automata can be represented as :



- The finite automata can be represented using :
- i) **Input tape** - It is a linear tape having some number of cells. Each input symbol is placed in each cell.
 - ii) **Finite control** - The finite control decides the next state on receiving particular input from input tape. The tape reader reads the cells one by one from left to right and at a time only one input symbol is read.
- For example, suppose current state is q_i and suppose reader is reading the symbol 'a' then it is finite control which decides what will be the next state at input 'a'. The transition from current state q_i with input w to next state q' producing w' will be represented as,
- $$(q_i, w) \vdash (q', w')$$

If w is a string and M is a finite automata, then w is accepted by the FA.

$$\text{iff } (w, s) \models^* (q_f, \varepsilon)$$

with q_f as final state.

The set of strings accepted by a FA given by M then M is accepted by language L . The acceptance of M by some language L is denoted by $L(M)$.

A machine M accepts a language L iff,

$$L = L(M).$$

1.3 Concept of State Transition Diagram and Transition Table for FA

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The strings and languages can be accepted by a finite automata, when it reaches to a final state. There are two preferred notations for describing automata :

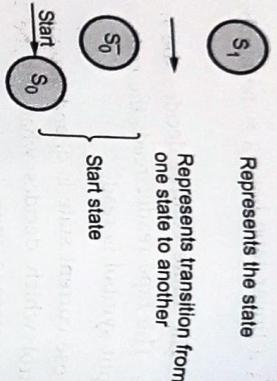
1. Transition diagram -

A transition diagram or transition graph can be defined as collection of -

- 1) Finite set of states K .
- 2) Finite set of symbols Σ .
- 3) A non empty set S of K . It is called start state.
- 4) A set $F \subseteq K$ of final states.
- 5) A transition function $K \times \Sigma \rightarrow K$ with K as state and Σ as input from Σ^* .

Fig. 1.2.1 Model for finite automata

The notations used in transition diagram are -



For example :

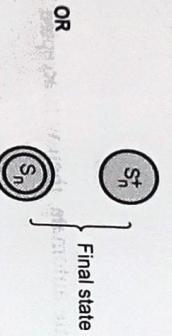
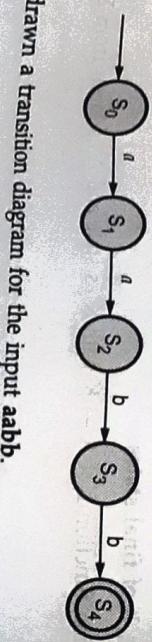


Fig. 1.3.1 Transition diagram

The FA can be represented using transition graph. The machine initially is in start state S_0 then on receiving input 0 it changes to state S_1 . From S_0 on receiving input 1 the machine changes its state to S_4 . The state S_2 is a final state or accept state. When we trace the input for transition diagram and reach to a final state at end of input string then it is said that the given input is accepted by transition diagram.

Another example :



We have drawn a transition diagram for the input aabb.

Note that the start state is S_0 and final state is S_4 . The input set is $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$. The states S_1, S_2, S_3 are all intermediate states.

2. Transition table
This is a tabular representation of finite automata. For transition table the transition function is used.

For example :

| States | a | b |
|--------|-------|-------|
| q_0 | q_1 | - |
| q_1 | - | q_2 |
| q_2 | - | - |

The rows of the table corresponds to states and columns of the table corresponds to inputs.

Example 1.3.1 State properties and limitations of FSM.

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Solution : Properties :

- 1) FSM consists of a) States and b) State transitions.
- 2) An object remains in one of the state and when certain conditions are met, object changes its state.

Limitations :

- 1) It has no capability to remember already read input.
- 2) The FSM with many states and transitions can be difficult to manage.

1.4 Types of Finite Automata

- There are two types of finite automata -

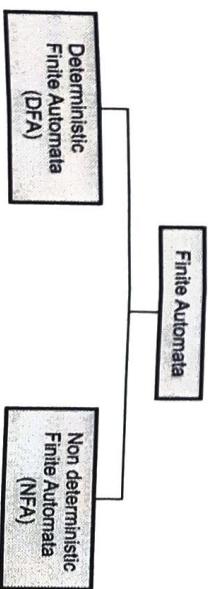


Fig. 1.4.1 DFA and NFA

i) Deterministic Finite Automata.

ii) Non deterministic Finite Automata.

The deterministic finite automata is deterministic in nature, in the sense, each in this automata is uniquely determined on current input and current state. On the hand, it is non deterministic in nature, in NFA i.e. non deterministic finite automata.

1.5 DFA

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The finite automata is called Deterministic Finite Automata if there is only one for a specific input from current state to next state. For example, the DFA can be shown as below.

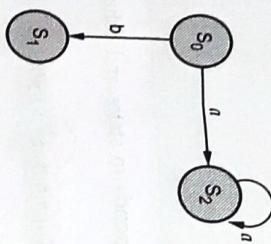


Fig. 1.5.1 Deterministic finite automata

From state S_0 for input 'a' there is only one path, going to S_2 . Similarly from S_0 there is only one path for input b going to S_1 .

The DFA can be represented by the same 5-tuples described in the definition of FSA. All the above examples are actually the DFAs.

Definition of DFA

A deterministic finite automation is a collection of following things -

- 1) The finite set of states which can be denoted by Q .
- 2) The finite set of input symbols Σ .
- 3) The start state q_0 such that $q_0 \in Q$.
- 4) A set of final states F such that $F \subseteq Q$.
- 5) The mapping function or transition function denoted by δ . Two parameters are passed to this transition function : One is current state and other is input symbol. The transition function returns a state which can be called as next state.

For example, $q_1 = \delta(q_0, a)$ means from current state q_0 , with input a the next state transition is q_1 .

Example 1.5.1 Design DFA which accepts the strings that start with 1 and ends in 0.

Solution :

- **Logic :** As the DFA contains every string which is starting with 1, there should be a transition with input 1 from start state to next state. Similarly the edge incoming to the final stage should carry 0 along with it as the strings in this DFA end with 0.
- **Design :**

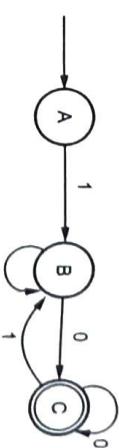


Fig. 1.5.2

- **Simulation :** Consider string 1011010. We will read each character and according move to next states.

| | |
|----------|-----------|
| A | — 1011010 |
| 1B | — 011010 |
| 10C | — 11010 |
| 101B | — 1010 |
| 1011B | — 010 |
| 10110C | — 10 |
| 101101B | — 0 |
| 1011010C | — ACCEPT |

Thus on reading the complete string we reach to the final state. Hence it is a valid string and this string belongs to the given DFA.

Example 1.5.2 Design FA which accepts odd number of 1's and any number of 0's.

- Logic :** The odd number of 1's means the DFA can accept 111,1111,11111,... But there is no restriction on number of 0's i.e. any number of 0's are allowed in the string.

- Design :**

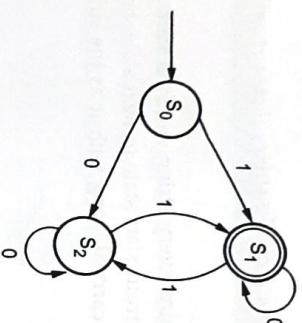
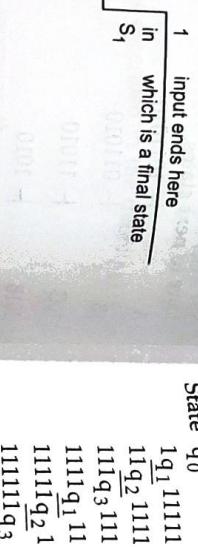


Fig. 1.5.3

- Simulation :** At the start if we read input 1 then we will go to state S_1 which is a final state as we have read odd number of 1's. There can be any number of zeros at any state and therefore the self loop is applied to state S_2 as well as to state S_1 . For example, if the input is 1010110, in this string there are any number of zeros but odd number of ones. The machine will derive this input as follows -



- Simulation :** Consider a number 11111 which is equal to 6 i.e. divisible by 3. So after complete scan of this number we reach to final state q_3 .
- Start 11111
- | | | | | |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| State | q_0 | q_1 | q_2 | q_3 |
| Input | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

Start 11111

State q_0

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- So we need to group these digits according to their remainders. The groups given below -
 - remainder 0 group : $S_0 : (0, 3, 6, 9)$
 - remainder 1 group : $S_1 : (1, 4, 7)$
 - remainder 2 group : $S_2 : (2, 5, 8)$

• Design : We have named out these states as S_0, S_1 and S_2 . The state S_0 will be the final state as it is remainder 0 state.

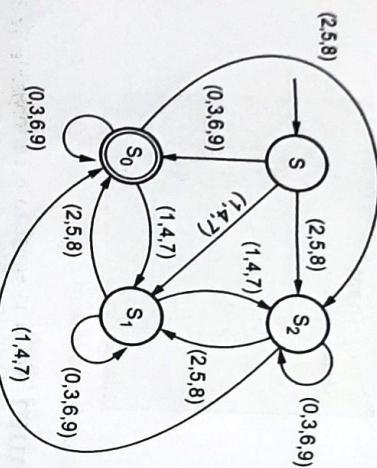


Fig. 1.5.5

- Simulation : Let us test the above FA, if the number is 36 then it will proceed by reading the number digit by digit.

From
start
36

go to state S_0

36
from S_0 to S_0

36

Then we will reach to state S_2 which is remainder 2 state. Similarly for input 1001 which is equivalent to 9 we will be in final state after scanning the complete input.

1 0 0 1

↑ ↑ ↑ ↑

$S_1 \quad S_2 \quad S_1 \quad [S_0]$

Fig. 1.5.6

Hence the number is divisible 3, isn't it ? Similarly if number is 121 which is not divisible by 3, it will be processed as

5 121

1 51 21

12 S_0 1

121 S_1 which is remainder 1 state.

Example 1.5.5 Design FA which checks whether a given binary number is divisible by three. **SPPU : Dec.-10, Oct-18 (In Sem), Marks 6, May-18 (End Sem), Marks 4**

Solution :

- Logic : The input number is a binary number. Hence the input set will be $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$. The start state is denoted by S , the remainder 0 is by S_0 , remainder 1 by S_1 and remainder 2 by S_2 .
- Design :

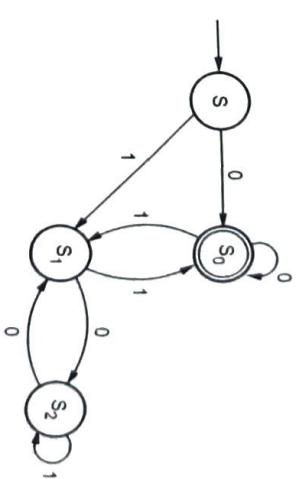


Fig. 1.5.7

- Simulation : Let us take some number 010 which is equivalent to 2. We will scan this number from MSB to LSB.

0 1 0
↑ ↑ ↑
 $S_0 \quad S_1 \quad S_2$

Then we will reach to state S_2 which is remainder 2 state. Similarly for input 1001 which is equivalent to 9 we will be in final state after scanning the complete input.

1 0 0 1

↑ ↑ ↑ ↑

$S_1 \quad S_2 \quad S_1 \quad [S_0]$

Thus the number is really divisible by 3.

Example 1.5.6 Design FA which accepts even number of 0's and even number of 1's.

Solution :

- Logic : This FA will consider four different stages for input 0 and 1. The stages could be
 - even number of 0 and even number of 1,
 - even number of 0 and odd number of 1,
 - odd number of 0 and even number of 1,
 - odd number of 0 and odd number of 1.
- Design : Let us try to design the machine

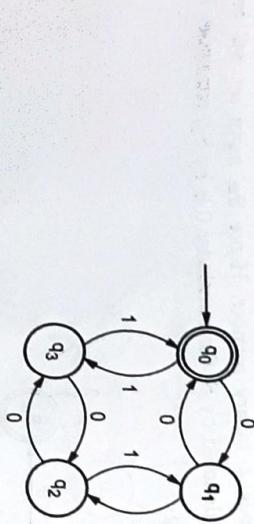


Fig. 1.5.8

Here q_0 is a start state as well as final state. Note carefully that a symmetry of 0's and 1's is maintained. We can associate meanings to each state as :

q_0 : State of even number of 0's and even number of 1's.

q_1 : State of odd number of 0's and even number of 1's.

q_2 : State of odd number of 0's and odd number of 1's.

q_3 : State of even number of 0's and odd number of 1's.

The transition table can be as follows -

| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| State | | |
| $\rightarrow q_0$ | q_1 | q_3 |
| q_1 | q_0 | q_2 |
| q_2 | q_3 | q_1 |
| q_3 | q_2 | q_0 |

Example 1.5.7 Design FA to accept L, where $L = \{ \text{Strings in which } a \text{ always appears tripled} \text{ over the set } \Sigma = \{a, b\} \}$.

Solution :

- Logic : In this language the a always appear in a clump of three. This clump may or may not be surrounded by b .
- Design :

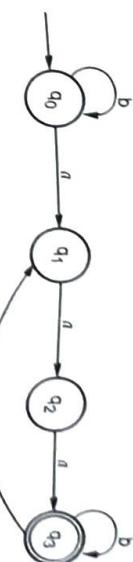


Fig. 1.5.9

Simulation :

baabaaaa
 q_0 baabaaa
 bq0 aaabaaa
 baq1 aahaaa
 baq2 abaaa
 baaaq3 baaa
 baabq3 aaa
 baaabaq1 aa
 baaabaaq2 a
 baaabaaaq3

Example 1.5.8 Design FA to accept L where all the strings in L are such that total number of a 's in them are divisible by 3.

Solution :

- Logic : As we have seen earlier, while testing divisibility by 3, we group the input as remainder 0, remainder 1 and remainder 2.

Hence,

S_0 : State of remainder 0.

S_1 : State of remainder 1.

S_2 : State of remainder 2.

- Design :

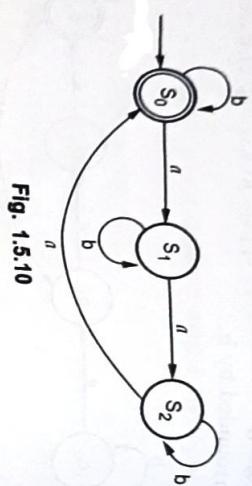


Fig. 1.5.10

Example 1.5.9 Design a FA that reads strings made up of letters in the word, CHARIOT and recognize those strings that contain the word 'CAT' as a substring.

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Solution :

- Logic : To design this FA we will first consider the input set which will be $\Sigma = \{C, H, A, R, I, O, T\}$. From this input set we have to recognize the word 'CAT'. We can do that as follows -

- Design :

Step 1 :

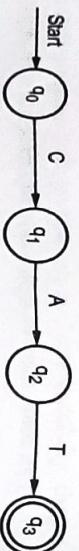


Fig. 1.5.11

Step 2 :

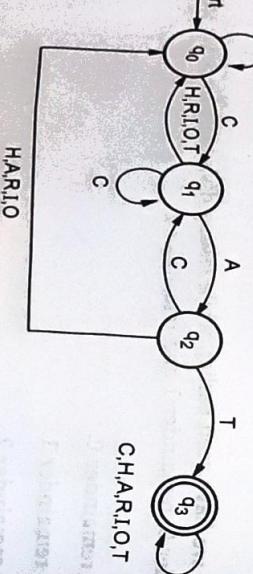


Fig. 1.5.12 Required finite automata

From Fig. 1.5.11 it is clear that on recognizing C initially from $\Sigma = \{C, H, A, R, I, O, T\}$ we are moving to state q_1 , other than C all the characters are remaining in state q_0 only.

The substring may appear anywhere in the input string for any number of times. For example, 'HACCATHA'. From this 'CAT' can be recognized and we should reach to q_3 state finally.

Example 1.5.10 Design DFA to accept odd and even numbers represented using binary notation.

Solution :

- Logic : The binary number that ends with 0 is an even number and binary number that ends with 1 is an odd number. Hence the DFA is -

- Design :

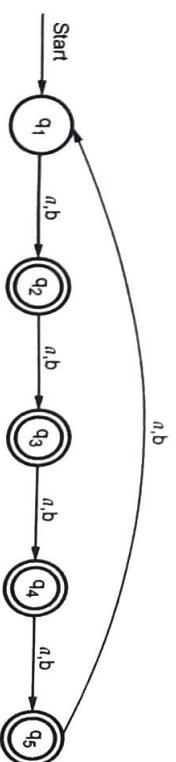


Fig. 1.5.13

Example 1.5.11 Write a DFA to accept the language $L = \{L : |W| \bmod 5 \neq 0\}$.

Solution :

- Design : The string which we obtain should not be divisible by 5. Hence the DFA will be,



| State | Input | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | a | b |
| q ₁ | q ₂ | q ₂ |
| q ₂ | q ₃ | q ₃ |
| q ₃ | q ₄ | q ₄ |
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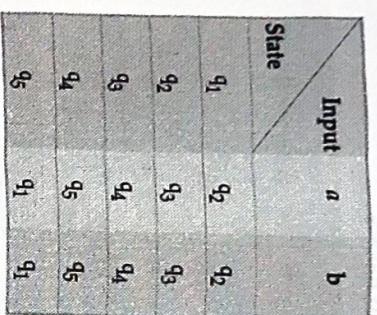
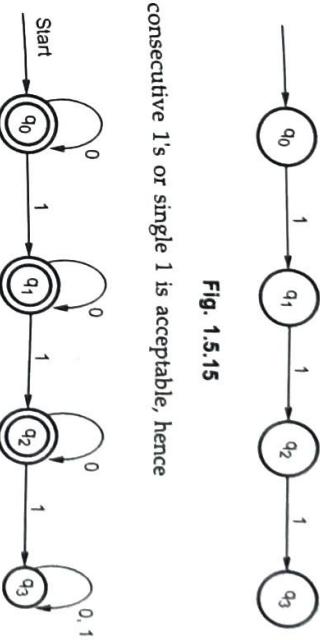


Fig. 1.5.15

Here two consecutive 1's or single 1 is acceptable, hence



- **Simulation :** We can consider the string "abbb". This string is a valid string as it is not divisible by 5 i.e. abbb mod 5 ≠ 0. That also means that we should reach final state on acceptance of this string. The simulation of this string for given DFA is

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(q_1, abbb) &\vdash \delta(q_2, bbb) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_3, bb) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_4, b) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_5, \epsilon) \end{aligned}$$

where q₅ is a final state.

Now consider string "ababa" which is invalid string as it is divisible by 5. That means ababa mod 5 = 0. That means we should reach to non final state on acceptance of this string. The simulation for this string is as given below.

As q₁ is a start we will start from state q₁.

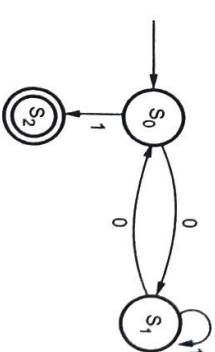
$$\begin{aligned} \delta(q_1, ababa) &\vdash \delta(q_2, bab) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_3, aba) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_4, ba) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_5, a) \\ &\vdash \delta(q_1, \epsilon) \end{aligned}$$

Here q₁ is a non-final state. That means "ababa" is invalid string for the given DFA.

Example 1.5.12 Design a DFA L(M) = {W | W ∈ {0, 1}*} and W is a string that does not contain consecutive 1's.

Example 1.5.13 Design a DFA which accepts strings with even number of 0's followed by single 1 over Σ = {0, 1}.

Solution : The DFA can be shown by a transition diagram as



The states q₀, q₁, q₂ are final states. Hence DFA M can be represented as,

$$M = (Q, \Sigma, q_0, F)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= \{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3\} \\ \Sigma &= \{0, 1\} \\ F &= \{q_0, q_1, q_2\} \end{aligned}$$

Fig. 1.5.16

Here state S₁ will accept all the odd number of 0's and S₀ will accept all even number of 0's. It should then be followed by single 1. Hence S₂ is a final state. Consider the input

| | | | | | |
|---|---|-------|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | S_0 | | | |

We now will reach to final state S_2 , and the input ends here. Hence 000101 is a valid input string. The transition table for above drawn DFA can be represented as

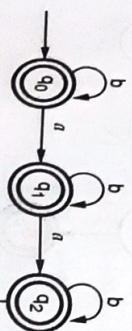
| States \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| States | - | - |
| $\rightarrow S_0$ | S_1 | S_2 |
| S_1 | S_0 | S_1 |
| (S_2) | - | - |

Transition table

Example 1.5.14 Design DFA which accepts all the strings not having more than two 'a's over $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.

Solution :

- Logic : In this DFA maximum two 'a's are accepted. If we try to accept third then it should not lead us to final state. Such a DFA can be as shown below.
- Design :



The transition table can be

| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|---------------|-------|-------|
| State | - | - |
| (S_0) | S_0 | S_1 |
| S_1 | - | S_1 |

The transition table can be as shown -

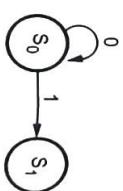
| States \ Input | a | b |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| States | - | - |
| $\rightarrow q_0$ | q_1 | q_0 |
| q_1 | q_2 | q_1 |
| q_2 | q_3 | q_2 |
| q_3 | q_3 | q_3 |

Transition table

Example 1.5.15 Design a DFA for accepting all the strings of $\{L = 0^m 1^n | m \geq 0 \text{ and } n \geq 1\}$

Solution :

- Logic : This is a language in which all the 0's followed by all 1's. But number of zero's and number of 1's are different. The language explicitly mentions that there should be at least one 1. Any number of 0's followed by only one 1 is -
- Design :

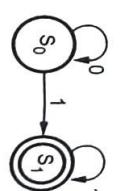


Transition table

Example 1.5.14 Design DFA which accepts all the strings not having more than two 'a's over $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.

Solution :

- Logic : In this DFA maximum two 'a's are accepted. If we try to accept third then it should not lead us to final state. Such a DFA can be as shown below.
- Design :



- Simulation : Consider a string 00111, which is a valid string and is accepted by the above drawn DFA.

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(S_0, 00111) &\vdash (S_0, 0111) \\ &\vdash (S_0, 11) \\ &\vdash (S_1, 1) \\ &\vdash (S_1, \epsilon)\end{aligned}$$

Thus we reach to final state S_1 on acceptance of 00111.

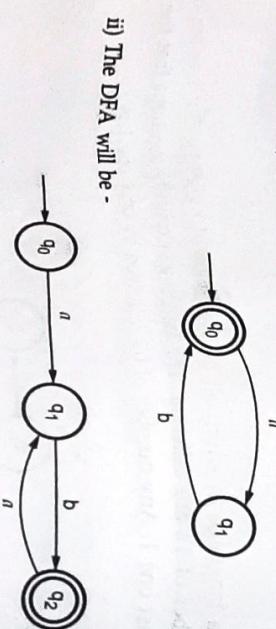
Example 1.5.16 Design DFA over $\Sigma = [a, b]$ for

- $(ab)^n$ with $n \geq 0$
- $(ab)^n$ with $n \geq 1$.

Solution :

- This is a language of ab in a pair in
- i) Condition ϵ is accepted and in
- ii) Condition ϵ is not accepted.

The DFA for i) can be



The string accepted by

$$\begin{aligned}i) \quad \delta(q_0, ab) &\vdash (q_1, b) \\ &\vdash (q_0, \epsilon)\end{aligned}$$

Here q_0 is a final state.

$$\begin{aligned}ii) \quad \delta(q_0, ab) &\vdash (q_1, b) \\ &\vdash (q_2, \epsilon)\end{aligned}$$

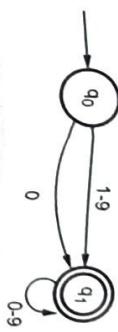
Here q_2 is final state.

Example 1.5.17 Design DFA for accepting the set of integers.

Solution :

- Logic : For representing any integer the set $\{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$ is used. We can represent any integer value by taking appropriate combinations of symbols from $\{0, \dots, 9\}$.

- Hence the DFA will be
 • Design :



Solution : Logic : The r.e. for designing the required DFA is

Regular expression = $(0\ 1\ 1 + 1\ 0\ 1\ 1 + 1\ 1\ 0\ 1 + 1\ 1\ 1\ 0)^*$.

Hence we can design the required DFA as follows:

- Design :

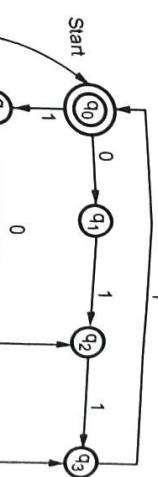


Fig. 1.5.17

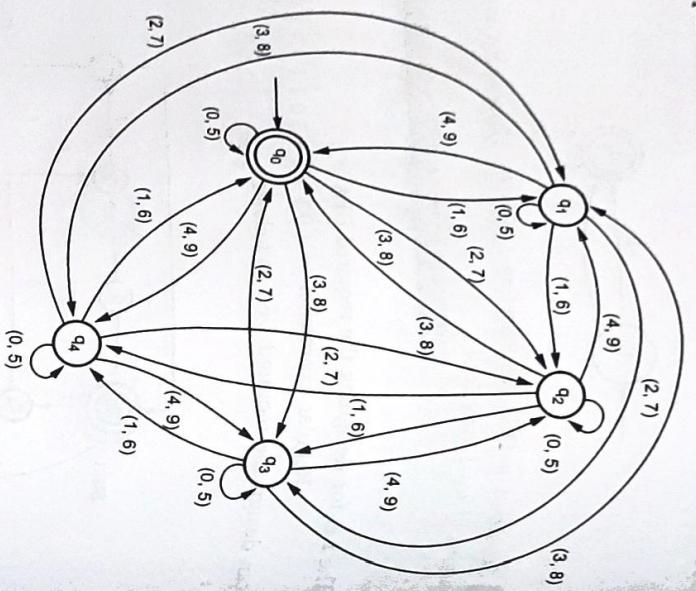
Example 1.5.19 Design a FSM for divisibility of 5 tester of a given decimal number.

SPPU : Dec.-11, Marks 8

- Solution :** Logic : The logic for designing such DFA is simple. First of all we will group the decimal numbers 0 to 9 as follows :

| | |
|----------|-----------------------------|
| $(0, 5)$ | → remainder 0 → q_0 state |
| $(1, 6)$ | → remainder 1 → q_1 state |
| $(2, 7)$ | → remainder 2 → q_2 state |
| $(3, 8)$ | → remainder 3 → q_3 state |
| $(4, 9)$ | → remainder 4 → q_4 state |

Then the required DFA can be drawn as follows -



Now assume input number 365. The state transition will be

$$\delta(q_0, 3) = q_3$$

$$\delta(q_3, 6) = q_4$$

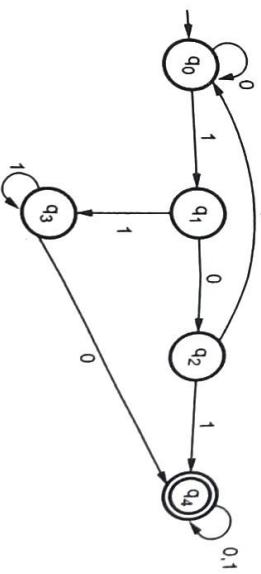
$$\delta(q_4, 5) = q_4$$

That means on accepting input 365 we will reach state q_4 which is actually remainder 4 state. Similarly if we sum up the digits of number 365 then we get $3+6+5=14$ and $14/5 = \text{remainder 4}$.

If the sum of digits is 5, 10, 15 and so on then we must reach in q_0 state. The q_0 state denotes that sum of digits of a given number is divisible by 3.

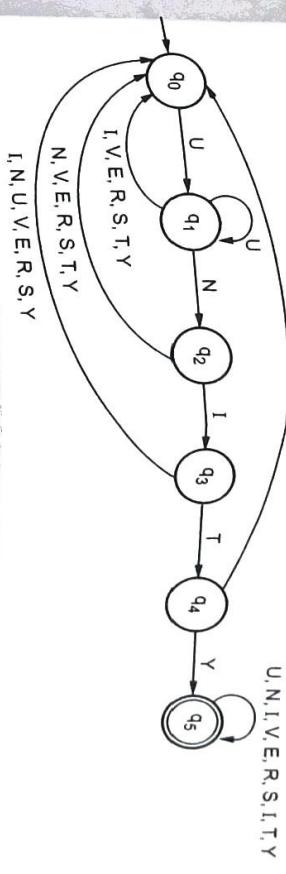
Example 1.5.20 Design FSM to check for divisibility of a decimal number by 2.

SPPU : Dec.-09, Marks 6



Example 1.5.22 Design a FSM to concept those strings having 101 or 110 as substring.

SPPU : May-11, Marks 4



Solution : The finite automaton can be drawn as follows -

U, N, I, V, E, R, S, L, T, Y

Solution : If any decimal number contains 0, 2, 4, 6 or 8 at its unit place then that number is always divisible by 2. Hence we will make two groups.

Example 1.5.21 Design a finite automaton that reads strings made of letter in the word "UNIVERSITY" and recognize these strings that contain the word UNITY as substring.

SPPU : Dec.-09, Marks 6

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Finite Automata

Example 1.5.23 Design a DFA for a language of strings of 0's and 1's such that -

- i) Substring is 10
- ii) Strings ending with 101.

SPPU : Dec.-12, Marks 10

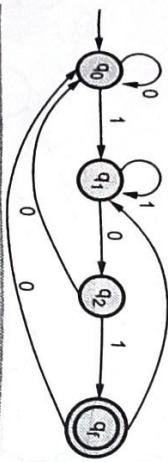
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|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| b_1 | b_2 | b_3 | b_4 | b_5 | b_6 | b_7 |
| b_1 | b_2 | b_3 | b_4 | b_5 | b_6 | b_7 |
| b_1 | b_2 | b_3 | b_4 | b_5 | b_6 | b_7 |
| b_1 | b_2 | b_3 | b_4 | b_5 | b_6 | b_7 |
| b_1 | b_2 | b_3 | b_4 | b_5 | b_6 | b_7 |

$$M = \{q_0, q_1, q_f\} = \{0, 1, g(b)\}$$

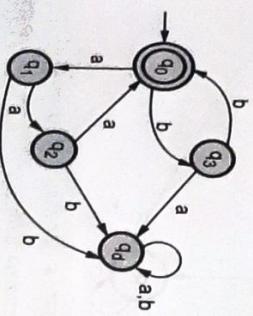


| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 0 | q ₀₀ | q ₀₁ | q ₀₂ | q ₀₃ |
| 1 | q ₁₀ | q ₁₁ | q ₁₂ | q ₁₃ |
| 2 | q ₂₀ | q ₂₁ | q ₂₂ | q ₂₃ |
| 3 | q ₃₀ | q ₃₁ | q ₃₂ | q ₃₃ |

$$M = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3\}, \{0, 1\}, \delta, q_0, \{q_3\})$$

L = {W / W ∈ (a+b)* such that N (W) mod 3 = 0 and N (W) ≥ 1}

Solution:



SPPU : Dec.-12, Marks 10

Example 1.5.26 Design a FSM to check given decimal number is divisible by 4 or not.

SPPU : May-14. Marks 8

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Example 1.5.25 Let \mathbb{W} be the set of binary words of length $4i$ (where $i >= 1$) such that each consecutive block of 4 bits contains atleast 2 0s. $\mathbb{W} = \{0000, 0110, 0101100, \dots\}$

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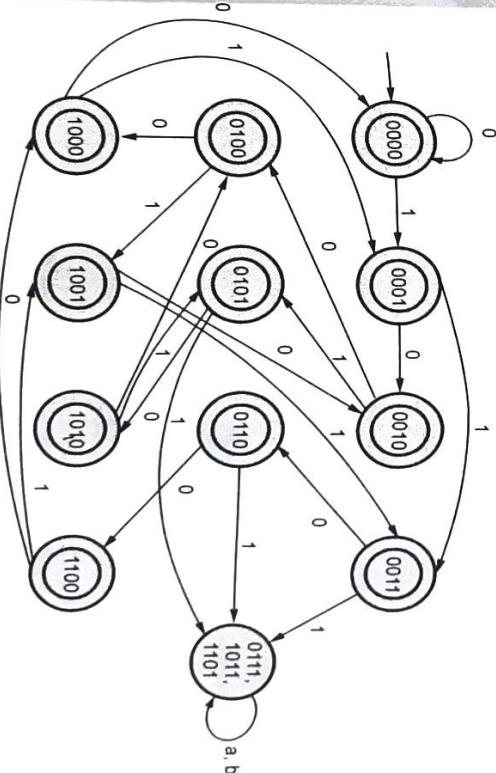


Fig. 1.5.18

Solution : For checking divisibility of a decimal number by 4, there are following states.

| | |
|-------|--|
| q_0 | Remainder 0 State. It is a final state |
| q_1 | Remainder 1 State |
| q_2 | Remainder 2 State |
| q_3 | Remainder 3 State |

| | |
|-----|--|
| i) | |
| ii) | |

Fig. 1.5.21

Example 1.5.28 Define Finite Automata and justify why palindrome strings cannot be checked for by FSM.
SPPU : May-15, Marks 4

Solution : Finite Automata : Refer section 1.2.

The palindrome is a string which appears to be the same if read from left to right or from right to left. That means to recognize the palindrome, the symbols read from left to right must be remembered in order to match the symbols that can be read from right to left. To remember the symbols memory must be required in the machine. But as finite automata does not contain any memory, it is not possible to recognize palindrome using FA.

Example 1.5.29 Design an FA over $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$. For the following :

- Strings which end either "00" or "11".
- Strings which contain either "01" or "110".

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Solution : i) The FA will be

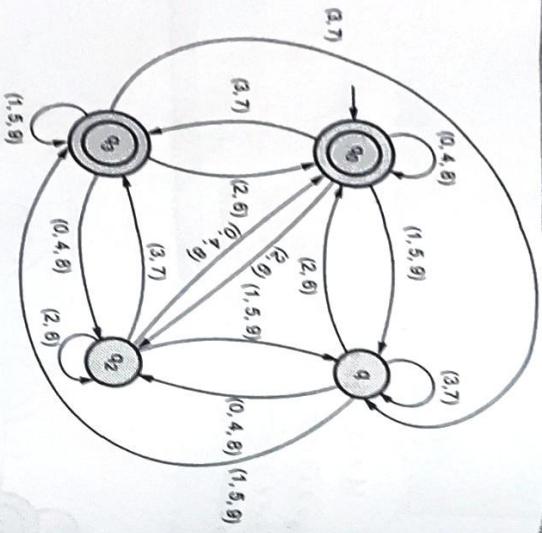


Fig. 1.5.19

Example 1.5.27 Design finite automation for the following

- FA which reads strings made up of {0, 1} and accepts only those strings which end either '00' or '11'.
- FA which accepts only those strings with '0' at every even position. $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.

SPPU : Dec-14, Marks 6

Solution :

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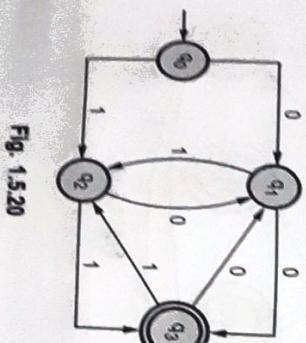


Fig. 1.5.20

- Example 1.5.30** Design FA for accepting strings over $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.
- String containing at least one 'a' and at least one 'b'.
 - Set of all strings that do not contain three or more consecutive 'a's

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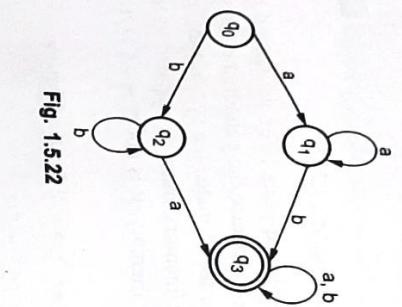
Solution : i)

Fig. 1.5.22

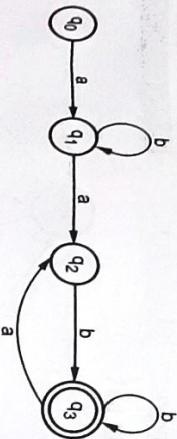


Fig. 1.5.23

Example 1.5.31 Construct transition graph for the following regular expression.
 $r = 1^* 0 \cdot 0 \cdot (0+1)^*$

SPPU : Dec.-18 (End Sem), Marks 4

Problems Based on NFA
Example 1.6.1 Design the NFA transition diagram for the transition table as given below -

| | 0 | 1 |
|-------|----------------|----------------|
| q_0 | $\{q_0, q_1\}$ | $\{q_0, q_2\}$ |
| q_1 | $\{q_3\}$ | |
| q_2 | $\{q_2, q_3\}$ | $\{q_3\}$ |
| q_3 | $\{q_3\}$ | $\{q_3\}$ |

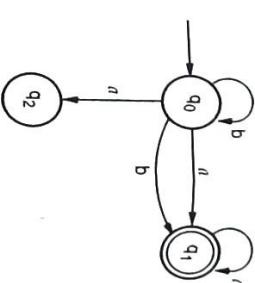


Fig. 1.6.1 Non deterministic finite automata

Solution : Here the NFA is $M = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3\}, \{0, 1\}, \delta, q_0, \{q_3\})$. The transition diagram can be drawn by using the mapping function as given in table.

Fig. 1.5.24

$$\delta(q_0, 0) = \{q_0, q_1\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 1) = \{q_0, q_2\}$$

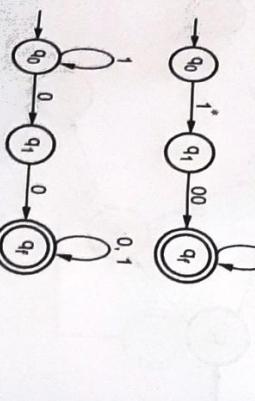
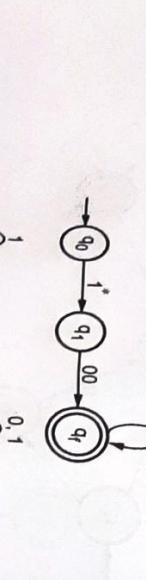
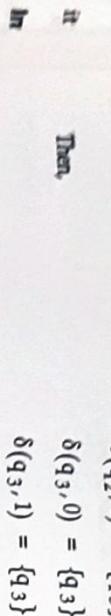


Fig. 1.5.24

Then, $\delta(q_1, 0) = \{q_3\}$
 Then, $\delta(q_2, 0) = \{q_2, q_3\}$
 $\delta(q_2, 1) = \{q_3\}$
 $\delta(q_3, 0) = \{q_3\}$
 $\delta(q_3, 1) = \{q_3\}$



Example 1.5.2 Construct a transition diagram for the NDFA

$M = (\{q_1, q_2, q_3\}, \delta, q_1, \{q_3\})$ where δ is given by,

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(q_1, 0) &= \{q_2, q_3\} & \delta(q_1, 1) &= \{q_1\} \\ \delta(q_2, 0) &= \{q_1, q_2\} & \delta(q_2, 1) &= \emptyset \\ \delta(q_3, 0) &= \{q_2\} & \delta(q_3, 1) &= \{q_1, q_2\}\end{aligned}$$

Solution : Firstly we will design a transition table using the given mapping function, δ .

| Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| States | | |
| $\rightarrow q_1$ | $\{q_2, q_3\}$ | q_1 |
| q_2 | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | \emptyset |
| q_3 | q_2 | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ |

The N DFA will be

1.7 NFA with Epsilon Moves

The ϵ - transitions in NFA are given in order to move from one state to another without having any symbol from input set Σ . Consider the NFA with ϵ as :

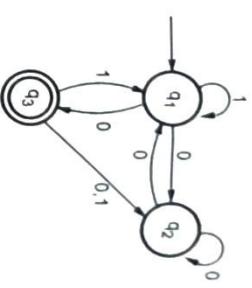


Fig. 1.7.1 NFA with ϵ - transitions

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Definition : The language L accepted by NFA with ϵ , denoted by $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ can be defined as :

Let, $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ be a NFA with ϵ .

where
 Q is a finite set of states.

Σ is input set.

δ is a transition or a mapping function for transitions from $Q \times (\Sigma \cup \epsilon)$ to 2^Q .

q_0 is a start state.

F is a set of final states such that $F \subseteq Q$.

The string w in L accepted by NFA can be represented as

$L(M) = \{w \mid w \in \Sigma^* \text{ and } \delta \text{ transition for } w \text{ from } q_0 \text{ reaches to } F\}$.

Example 1.7.1 Construct NFA with ϵ which accepts a language consisting the strings of any number of a 's followed by any number of b 's. Followed by any number of c 's.

- Solution :**
- Logic : Here any number of a's or b's or c's means zero or more in number means there can be zero or more a's followed by zero or more b's followed by zero or more c's. Hence NFA with ϵ can be -

- Design :



Fig. 1.7.2

Normally ϵ 's are not shown in the input string. The transition table can be

| | | Σ | | | δ |
|-------|--------|----------|-------|-------|------------|
| | | a | b | c | ϵ |
| State | Input | | | | |
| | q_0 | q_0 | q_0 | q_1 | q_1 |
| q_1 | ϕ | q_1 | q_2 | q_2 | q_2 |
| q_2 | ϕ | q_2 | q_2 | q_2 | q_2 |

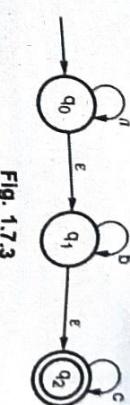


Fig. 1.7.3

Solution :

ϵ - closure (q_0) = $\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$ means self state + ϵ - reachable states.

ϵ - closure (q_1) = $\{q_1, q_2\}$ means q_1 is a self state and q_2 is a state obtained from q_1 with ϵ input.

ϵ - closure (q_2) = $\{q_2\}$

University Question

1. Write Formal definition of NFA with epsilon. Also define epsilon closure.

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SPPU : Dec.-10, May-11, 16, Marks 6

1.8 Conversion of NFA to DFA

The conversion method will follow following steps -

- 1) The start state of NFA M will be the start for DFA M'. Hence add q_0 of NFA (start state) to Q' . Then find the transitions from this start state.

- 2) For each state $[q_1, q_2, q_3, \dots, q_i]$ in Q' the transitions for each input symbol Σ can be obtained as,

$$\begin{aligned} & \vdash \delta(q_1, a) \\ & \vdash \delta(q_2, a) \\ & \vdash \delta(q_3, a) \\ & \vdash \dots \\ & \vdash \delta(q_i, a) \end{aligned}$$

$= [q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k]$ may be some state.

Thus we reach to accept state, after scanning the complete input string.

- i) $\delta'([q_1, q_2, \dots, q_i], a) = \delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \dots \cup \delta(q_i, a)$
 $= [q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k]$ may be some state.
- ii) Add the state $[q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k]$ to DFA if it is not already added in Q' .
- iii) Then find the transitions for every input symbol from Σ for state $[q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k]$. If we get some state $[q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n]$ which is not in Q' of DFA then add this state to Q' .

- iv) If there is no new state generating then stop the process after finding transitions.

3) For the state $[q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n] \in Q'$ of DFA if any one state q_i is a final state. Then the set of all final states of NFA then $[q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n]$ becomes a final state. Thus the set of all final states of DFA ϵF of DFA.

Problem based on NFA to DFA

Example 1.8.1 Let $M = ([q_0, q_1], \{0, 1\}, \delta, q_0, \{q_1\})$. be NFA where $\delta([q_0, 0]) = [q_0, q_1], \delta(q_0, 1) = [q_1]$. $\delta(q_1, 0) = \emptyset, \delta(q_1, 1) = [q_0, q_1]$. Construct its equivalent DFA. **SPPU : May-11, MCA**

Solution : Let the DFA $M' = (Q', \Sigma, \delta', q'_0, F)$.

Now, the δ' function will be computed as follows -

$$\delta([q_0, 0]) = [q_0, q_1], \delta([q_0], 0) = [q_0, q_1]$$

As in NFA the initial state is q_0 , the DFA will also contain the initial state $[q_0]$.

Let us draw the transition table for δ function for a given NFA.

| Input | 0 | 1 |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| State | | |
| $\delta(q_0, 0) \Rightarrow$ | $[q_0, q_1]$ | $[q_1]$ |
| $\delta(q_1, 0) \Rightarrow$ | \emptyset | $[q_0, q_1]$ |

δ function for NFA

From the transition table we can compute that there are $[q_0], [q_1], [q_0, q_1]$ states in its equivalent DFA. We need to compute the transition from state $[q_0, q_1]$.

$$\delta([q_0, q_1], 0) = \delta(q_0, 0) \cup \delta(q_1, 0) = [q_0, q_1] \cup \emptyset$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= [q_0] \\ B &= [q_1] \\ C &= [q_0, q_1] \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$\delta'([q_0, q_1], 0) = [q_0, q_1]$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} \delta([q_0, q_1], 1) &= \delta(q_0, 1) \cup \delta(q_1, 1) \\ &= [q_1] \cup [q_0, q_1] \\ &= [q_0, q_1] \end{aligned}$$

Transition diagram for equivalent DFA

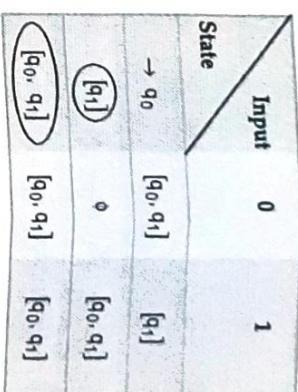
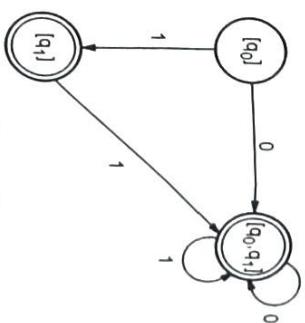


Fig. 1.8.1

Even we can change the names of the states of DFA.

With these new names the DFA will be as follows -



$$\delta'([q_0, q_1], 1) = [q_0, q_1]$$

Example 1.8.2 Construct DFA equivalent to the given NFA.

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| Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------|-----------|-----------|
| State | [p, q] | [p, q, r] |
| | [p, q, r] | [p, r] |
| → p | [p, q] | p |
| q | r | r |
| r | s | - |
| s | s | s |

Solution : The NFA $M = \{[p, q, r, s], \{0, 1\}, \delta, [p], \{s\}\}$

The equivalent DFA will be constructed.

| Input | 0 | 1 |
|--------|-----------|--------|
| State | [p, q] | [p] |
| | [p] | [r] |
| [q] | [r] | - |
| [r] | [s] | - |
| [s] | [s] | - |
| [p, q] | [p, q, r] | [p, r] |
| [s] | [s] | - |

Continuing with the generated new states.

| Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------|--------|-----|
| State | [p, q] | [p] |
| | [p] | [r] |
| → [p] | [p, q] | [p] |
| [q] | [r] | [r] |
| [r] | [s] | - |
| [s] | [s] | - |

The final state $F' = \{[s], [p, q, r, s], [p, q, s], [p, r, s], [p, s]\}$
The transition graph shows two disconnected parts. But Part I will be accepted as final DFA because it consists of start state and final states, in part II there is no start state.

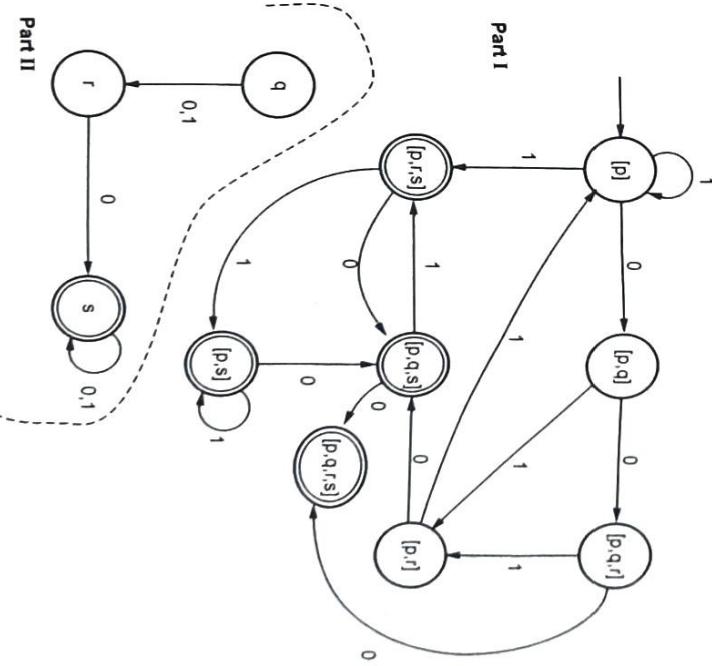


Fig. 1.8.3

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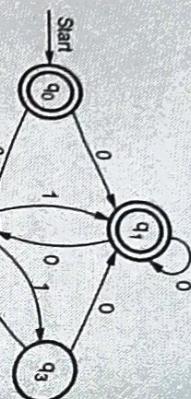


Fig. 1.8.4

Solution : We will first design a transition table from given transition diagram.

| State | Input 0 | Input 1 |
|-------|----------------|----------------|
| q_0 | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | \emptyset |
| q_1 | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | \emptyset |
| q_2 | \emptyset | $\{q_1, q_3\}$ |
| q_3 | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | \emptyset |

Now, $\delta([q_0], 0) = \{q_1, q_2\}$

We can write this as

$$\delta'([q_0], 0) = [q_1, q_2]$$

Here $[q_1, q_2]$ becomes one newly generated state when 0 input is received in $[q_0]$.

Similarly,

$\delta'([q_0], 1) = \emptyset$ No state getting generated.

$\delta'([q_1], 0) = \boxed{\{q_1, q_2\}}$ we can write it as

$$\delta'([q_1], 0) = [q_1, q_2]$$

$$\delta'([q_1], 1) = \emptyset$$

$$\delta'([q_2], 0) = \emptyset$$

$$\delta'([q_2], 1) = \{q_1, q_3\}$$

i.e. $\delta'([q_2], 1) = \boxed{\{q_1, q_3\}}$ again a new state $[q_1, q_3]$ gets generated.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Similarly, } \delta'([q_3], 0) &= [q_1, q_2] \\ \delta'([q_3], 1) &= \emptyset \end{aligned}$$

Now we will obtain δ' transitions on newly generated states $[q_1, q_2]$ and $[q_1, q_3]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_1, q_2], 0) &= \delta([q_1], 0) \cup \delta([q_2], 0) \\ &= \{q_1, q_2\} \cup \emptyset \\ &= \{q_1, q_2\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_1, q_2], 1) &= \delta([q_1], 1) \cup \delta([q_2], 1) \\ &= \emptyset \cup \{q_1, q_3\} \\ &= \{q_1, q_3\} \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_1, q_3], 1) &= \delta([q_1], 1) \cup \delta([q_3], 1) \\ &= \emptyset \cup \emptyset \\ &= \emptyset \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_1, q_3], 0) &= \delta([q_1], 0) \cup \delta([q_3], 0) \\ &= \{q_1, q_2\} \cup \{q_1, q_2\} \\ &= \{q_1, q_2\} \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\delta'([q_1, q_3], 1) = \delta([q_1], 1) \cup \delta([q_3], 1)$$

$$= \emptyset \cup \emptyset$$

$$\delta'([q_1, q_3], 1) = \emptyset$$

As now no new states are getting generated.

The transition table for DFA using above δ' transitions is

| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| State | | |
| $[q_0]$ | $[q_1, q_2]$ | \emptyset |
| $[q_1]$ | $[q_1, q_2]$ | \emptyset |
| $[q_2]$ | \emptyset | $[q_1, q_3]$ |
| $[q_3]$ | $[q_1, q_2]$ | \emptyset |
| $[q_1, q_2]$ | $[q_1, q_2]$ | \emptyset |
| $[q_1, q_3]$ | $[q_1, q_3]$ | \emptyset |

| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|---------------|--------------|-------|
| State | | |
| q_0 | (q_0, q_1) | q_0 |
| q_1 | q_2 | q_2 |
| q_2 | q_0 | q_0 |
| q_3 | q_0 | q_0 |

The transition diagram can be -

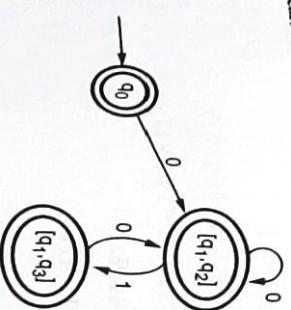
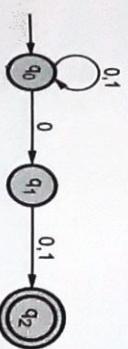


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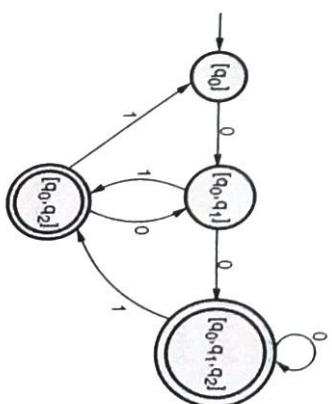
As states q_0 and q_1 are final states original NFA states containing q_1 i.e., $[q_1]$ can be and $[q_1, q_2]$ are also final states.

Example 1.8.4 Design an FA for the languages that contain strings with next-to-last symbol 0.

Solution : We will construct NFA for the given problem

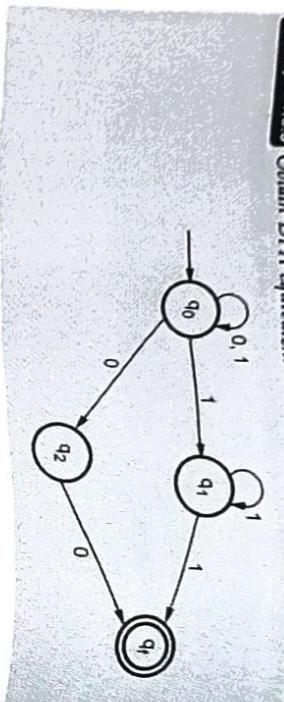


| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| State | | |
| $[q_0]$ | $[q_0, q_1]$ | $[q_0]$ |
| $[q_1]$ | $[q_2]$ | \emptyset |
| $[q_2]$ | \emptyset | $[q_0, q_1]$ |



As no new states are getting generated, we stop applying input transitions. The DFA

This NFA can be converted to DFA for that - first construct the transition table for above NFA.



Solution :

Step 1 : We will first draw the transition table for given transition diagram.

| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| $q_0 \rightarrow$ | $\{q_0, q_2\}$ | $\{q_0, q_1\}$ |
| q_1 | \emptyset | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ |
| q_2 | $\{q_f\}$ | \emptyset |
| q_f | \emptyset | \emptyset |

Step 2 : Now we will obtain δ transitions.

For each state on each input.

$$\delta(\{q_0\}, 0) = [q_0, q_2] = [q_0, q_2] \text{ New state}$$

$$\delta(\{q_0\}, 1) = [q_0, q_1] = [q_0, q_1] \text{ New state}$$

$$\delta(\{q_1\}, 0) = \emptyset$$

$$\delta(\{q_1\}, 1) = [q_1, q_f] = [q_1, q_f] \text{ New state}$$

$$\delta(\{q_2\}, 0) = [q_f] = [q_f]$$

$$\delta(\{q_2\}, 1) = \emptyset$$

$$\delta([q_f], 0) = \delta([q_f], 1) = \emptyset$$

Step 3 : Now we will obtain δ transitions on newly obtained states in step 2,

$$\delta(\{q_0, q_2\}, 0) = [q_0, q_2, q_f] = [q_0, q_2, q_f] \text{ New state}$$

$$\delta(\{q_0, q_2\}, 1) = [q_0, q_1] = [q_0, q_1] \text{ New state}$$

$$\delta(\{q_0, q_1\}, 0) = [q_0, q_2] = [q_0, q_2]$$

$$\delta(\{q_0, q_1\}, 1) = [q_0, q_1, q_f] = [q_0, q_1, q_f] \text{ New state}$$

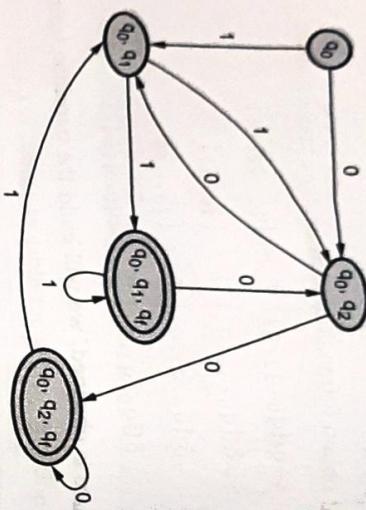
Step 5 :

| State \ Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| $[q_0]$ | $[q_0, q_2]$ | $[q_0, q_1]$ |
| $[q_1]$ | \emptyset | $[q_1, q_f]$ |
| $[q_2]$ | $[q_f]$ | \emptyset |
| $[q_f]$ | \emptyset | \emptyset |
| $[q_0, q_2]$ | $[q_0, q_2, q_f]$ | $[q_0, q_1]$ |
| $[q_0, q_1]$ | $[q_0, q_2]$ | $[q_0, q_1, q_f]$ |
| $[q_1, q_f]$ | \emptyset | $[q_1, q_f]$ |
| $[q_0, q_2, q_f]$ | $[q_0, q_2, q_f]$ | $[q_0, q_1]$ |
| $[q_0, q_1, q_f]$ | $[q_0, q_2]$ | $[q_0, q_1, q_f]$ |

As now no new state is obtained, we will build the transition table as follows :

Clearly from above transition table, q_1 , q_2 , q_f and q_f are non-reachable states from start state. So we will eliminate them.

Step 6 : The DFA will then be as follows :



1.9 Conversion of NFA with Epsilon Moves to NFA without Epsilon

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In this method we try to remove all the ϵ transitions from given NFA. The new states from current state.

Hence

$$\epsilon - \text{closure}(q_0) = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\epsilon - \text{closure}(q_1) = \{q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\epsilon - \text{closure}(q_2) = \{q_2\}$$

As ϵ - closure (q_0) means with null input (no input symbol) we can reach to q_0 , q_1 or q_2 . In a similar manner for q_1 and q_2 ϵ - closures are obtained. Now we will obtain δ' transitions for each state on each input symbol.

$$\delta'(q_0, 0) = \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q_0, \epsilon), 0))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure}(q_0), 0))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(q_0, q_1, q_2), 0)$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(q_0, 0) \cup \delta(q_1, 0) \cup \delta(q_2, 0))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(q_0 \cup \phi \cup \phi)$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(q_0) = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\delta'(q_0, 1) = \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q_0, \epsilon), 1))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(q_0, q_1, q_2), 1)$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(q_0, 1) \cup \delta(q_1, 1) \cup \delta(q_2, 1))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\phi \cup q_1 \cup \phi)$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(q_1)$$

$$\delta'(q_0, 1) = \{q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\delta'(q_1, 0) = \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q_1, \epsilon), 0))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure}(q_1), 0))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(q_1, q_2), 0)$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(q_1, 0) \cup \delta(q_2, 0))$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\phi \cup \phi)$$

$$= \epsilon - \text{closure}(\phi)$$

$$\delta'(q_1, 1) = \epsilon - \text{closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q_1, \epsilon), 1))$$

Problems based on NFA with Epsilon to NFA without Epsilon

Example 1.9.1 Convert the given NFA with ϵ to NFA without ϵ .

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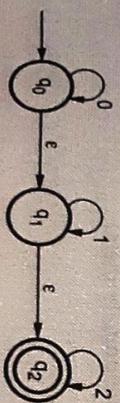


Fig. 1.9.1

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_1), 1)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (q_1, q_2), 1) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (q_1, 1) \cup \delta (q_2, 1)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_1 \cup \phi) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_1) \\
&= \{q_1\}, q_2\} \\
\delta'(q_2, 0) &= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\hat{\delta}(\delta(q_2, \varepsilon), 0))) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_2), 0)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (q_2, 0)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\phi) \\
&= \phi \\
\delta'(q_2, 1) &= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\hat{\delta}(q_2, \varepsilon), 1)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_2), 1)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (q_2, 1)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\phi) \\
\delta'(q_2, 1) &= \phi \\
\delta'(q_2, 2) &= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\hat{\delta}(q_0, \varepsilon), 2)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (\varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_0), 2)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (q_0, q_1, q_2), 2) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\delta (q_0, 2) \cup \delta (q_1, 2) \cup \delta (q_2, 2)) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (\phi \cup \phi \cup q_2) \\
&= \varepsilon - \text{closure} (q_2) \\
&= \{q_2\}
\end{aligned}$$

Now we will summarize all the computed δ' transitions -

| | | | |
|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------|
| State | Input 0 | Input 1 | Input 2 |
| $\widehat{q_0}$ | $\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$ | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | $\{q_2\}$ |
| $\widehat{q_1}$ | \emptyset | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | $\{q_2\}$ |
| $\widehat{q_2}$ | \emptyset | \emptyset | $\{q_2\}$ |

From this we can write the transition table as -

The NFA will be -

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graph LR
    S(( )) --> q0((q0))
    q0 -- "0" --> q0
    q0 -- "1" --> q1(((q1)))
    q0 -- "2" --> q2(((q2)))
    q1 -- "0,1,2" --> q0
    q1 -- "1,2" --> q2
    q2 -- "0" --> q0
  
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Fig. 1.9.2

Here q_0 , q_1 and q_2 is a final state because ε - closure (q_0), ε - closure (q_1) and ε - closure (q_2) contains final state q_2 .

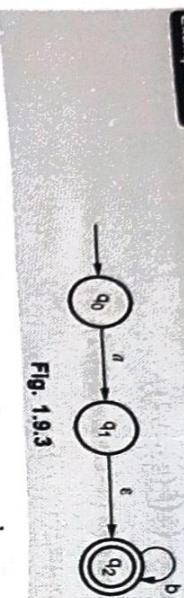


Fig. 1.9.3

Solution : We will first obtain ϵ -closures of q_0 , q_1 and q_2 as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}\epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0) &= \{q_0\} \\ \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_1) &= \{q_1, q_2\} \\ \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_2) &= \{q_2\}\end{aligned}$$

Now the δ' transitions on each input symbol is obtained as

$$\delta'(q_0, a) = \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta\left(\hat{\delta}(q_0, \epsilon), a\right)\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta\left(\epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0), a\right)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta(q_0, a)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_1) \\ &= \{q_1, q_2\}\end{aligned}$$

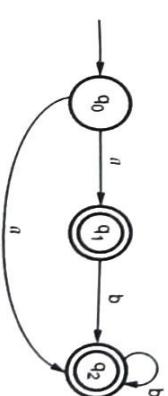
$$\delta'(q_0, b) = \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta\left(\hat{\delta}(q_0, \epsilon), b\right)\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta\left(\epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0), b\right)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta(q_0, b)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0) \\ &= \phi\end{aligned}$$

The transition table can be -

| State | Input | |
|-------|----------------|-----------|
| | a | b |
| q_0 | $\{q_1, q_2\}$ | ϕ |
| q_1 | ϕ | $\{q_2\}$ |
| q_2 | ϕ | $\{q_2\}$ |

States q_1 and q_2 becomes the final as ϵ -closures of q_1 and q_2 contains the final state q_2 . The NFA can be shown by following transition diagram -



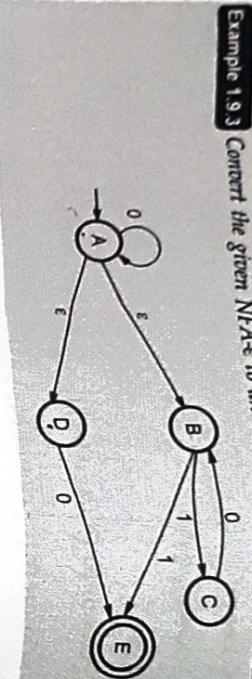
$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(q_1, b) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta\left(\hat{\delta}(q_1, \epsilon), b\right)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta\left(\epsilon\text{-closure}(q_1), b\right)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}\left(\delta(q_1, b)\right) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi \cup \phi) \\ &= \phi\end{aligned}$$

Example 1.9.3 Convert the given NFA- ϵ to an NFA.

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**Solution :**We will obtain ϵ -closure of each state

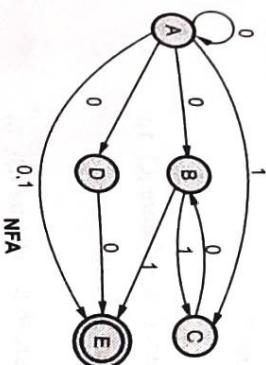
$$\begin{aligned}\epsilon - \text{closure } (A) &= \{A, B, D\} \\ \epsilon - \text{closure } (B) &= \{B\} \\ \epsilon - \text{closure } (C) &= \{C\} \\ \epsilon - \text{closure } (D) &= \{D\} \\ \epsilon - \text{closure } (E) &= \{E\}\end{aligned}$$

Now δ' transitions for each state each input

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(A, 0) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (A), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(A, B, D), 0) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(A, 0) \cup \delta(B, 0) \cup \delta(D, 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (A \cup \phi \cup E) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (A) \cup \epsilon - \text{closure } (E) \\ &= [A, B, D] \cup \{E\} \\ \delta'(A, \emptyset) &= \{A, B, D, E\} \\ \delta'(A, 1) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon), 1)) \\ \delta'(A, 1) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (A), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(A, B, D), 1) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(A, 1) \cup \delta(B, 1) \cup \delta(D, 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\phi \cup (C, E) \cup \phi) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (C \cup E) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (C \cup \epsilon - \text{closure } (E)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(B, 0)) \\ \delta'(B, 0) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (B), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(B, 0))\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(B, 1) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (B), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(B, 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (C, E) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (C) \cup \epsilon - \text{closure } (E) \\ \delta'(B, \emptyset) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\phi) \\ &= \phi \\ \delta'(C, 0) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (C), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(C, 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (B) \\ \delta'(C, \emptyset) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (C), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(C, 1)) \\ \delta'(C, 1) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (C), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(C, 1)) \\ \delta'(D, 0) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (D), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(D, 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (E) \\ \delta'(D, \emptyset) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (D), 1)) \\ \delta'(D, 1) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (D), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(D, 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\phi) \\ \delta'(D, 1) &= \phi \\ \delta'(E, 0) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (E), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(E, 0)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\phi) \\ \delta'(E, \emptyset) &= \phi \\ \delta'(E, 1) &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(\epsilon - \text{closure } (E), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\delta(E, 1)) \\ &= \epsilon - \text{closure } (\phi)\end{aligned}$$

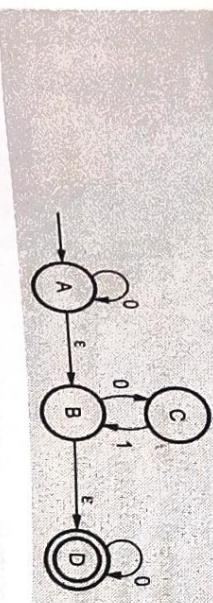
| State | Input | 0 | 1 |
|-------|--------------|--------|---|
| A | (A, B, D, E) | (C, E) | |
| B | ϕ | (C, E) | |
| C | B | ϕ | |
| D | E | ϕ | |
| E | ϕ | ϕ | |



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Example 1.9.4 Convert the following NFA- ϵ to equivalent NFA.

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$$\delta'(A, 0) = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$\delta'(B, 0) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(B, \epsilon), 0))$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'(B, 0) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\epsilon\text{-closure}(B), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(B, D), 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'(C, 0) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(B, 0) \cup \delta(D, 0)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(C \cup D) \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta'(D, 0) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(C) \cup \epsilon\text{-closure}(D)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'(B, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(B, \epsilon), 1)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\epsilon\text{-closure}(B), 1)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'(B, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(B, D), 1) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(B, 1) \cup \delta(D, 1)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'(C, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi \cup \phi) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi) \end{aligned}$$

Solution :

Step 1 : We will first obtain ϵ -closure of each state.

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(A) = \{A, B, D\}$$

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(B) = \{B, D\}$$

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(D) = \{D\}$$

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(C) = \{C\}$$

Step 2 : Now obtain the δ' transitions

$$\delta'(A, 0) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon), 0))$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'(A, 0) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\epsilon\text{-closure}(A), 0)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\hat{\delta}(\epsilon\text{-closure}(A), 0)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta'(C, 0) = \phi$$

$$\delta'(C, 1) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(C, \epsilon), 1))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\epsilon\text{-closure}(C), 1))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(C, 1))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(B)$$

$$\delta'(C, 1) = \{B, D\}$$

$$\delta'(D, 0) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(D, \epsilon), 0))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\epsilon\text{-closure}(D), 0))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(D, 0))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(D)$$

$$\delta'(D, 0) = \{D\}$$

$$\delta'(D, 1) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(D, \epsilon), 1))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\epsilon\text{-closure}(D), 1))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(D, 1))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(D, 1))$$

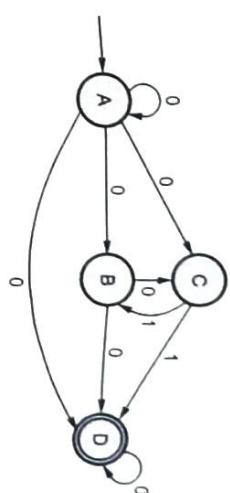
$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi)$$

$$\delta'(D, 1) = \{\phi\}$$

Step 3 : From above computations, we can draw the transition table for transitions.

| State | Input 0 | Input 1 |
|-------|--------------|---------|
| A | {A, B, C, D} | ϕ |
| B | {C, D} | ϕ |
| C | ϕ | {B, D} |
| D | {D} | ϕ |

where a is input $\in \Sigma$.



1.10 Conversion of NFA with Epsilon Moves to DFA

SPPU : Oct-16, Dec-18, May-09, 12, Marks 8

Method for converting NFA with ϵ to DFA

Step 1 : Consider $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ is a NFA with ϵ . We have to convert this NFA with ϵ to equivalent DFA denoted by
 $M_D = (Q_D, \Sigma, \delta_D, q_0, F_D)$

Then obtain,
 $\epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0) = \{p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n\}$ then $[p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n]$ becomes a start state of DFA.

Now $[p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n] \in Q_D$

Step 2 : We will obtain δ transitions on $[p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n]$ for each input.

$$\delta_D([p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n], a) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(p_1, a) \cup \delta(p_2, a) \cup \dots \cup \delta(p_n, a))$$

$$= \bigcup_{i=1}^n \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(p_i, a))$$

Problems based on NFA with Epsilon to DFA

Example 1.10.1 Convert the given NFA into its equivalent DFA - or construct DFA that accepts the language represented by
 $0^*1^*2^*$, Make use of NFA.

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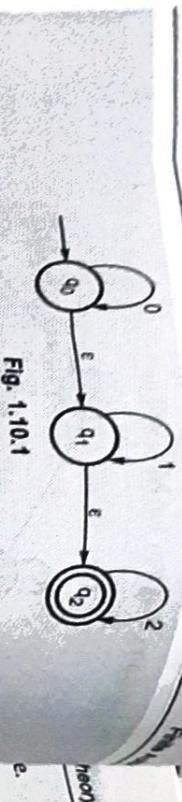


Fig. 1.10.1

Solution : Let us obtain ϵ - closure of each state.

$$\epsilon \text{-closure } (q_0) = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\epsilon \text{-closure } (q_1) = \{q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\epsilon \text{-closure } (q_2) = \{q_2\}$$

Now we will obtain δ' transition. Let ϵ - closure $(q_0) = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$ call it as A .

$$\delta'(A, 0) = \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta((q_0, q_1, q_2), 0)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_0, 0) \cup \delta(q_1, 0) \cup \delta(q_2, 0)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_0\}$$

i.e. state **A**

$$\delta'(A, 1) = \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_0, q_1, q_2), 1\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta((q_0, q_1, q_2), 1)\} \cup \delta(q_1, 1) \cup \delta(q_2, 1)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_1\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\delta'(A, 2) = \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta((q_0, q_1, q_2), 2)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_0, 2) \cup \delta(q_1, 2) \cup \delta(q_2, 2)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_2\}$$

Call it as state **C**.

$$\text{Thus we have obtained } \delta'(A, 0) = A \\ \delta'(A, 1) = B \\ \delta'(A, 2) = C$$

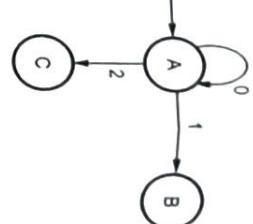


Fig. 1.10.2

Now we will find transitions on states **B** and **C** for each input.

Hence

$$\delta'(B, 0) = \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_1, q_2), 0\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_1, 0) \cup \delta(q_2, 0)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\phi\}$$

$$= \emptyset$$

$$\delta'(B, 1) = \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_1, q_2), 1\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_1, 1) \cup \delta(q_2, 1)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_1\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_1, q_2\} \text{ i.e state } \mathbf{B} \text{ itself.}$$

$$\delta'(B, 2) = \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_1, q_2), 2\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{\delta(q_1, 2) \cup \delta(q_2, 2)\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_2\}$$

$$= \epsilon \text{-closure } \{q_2\} \text{ i.e state } \mathbf{C}.$$

Call it as state **C**.

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Example 1.10.2 Convert the given NFA with ϵ to its equivalent DFA.

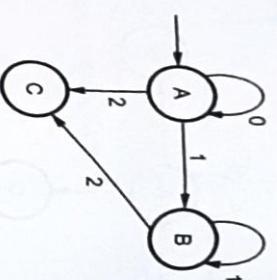


Fig. 1.10.3

Now we will obtain transitions for C:

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(C, 0) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_2, 0)\} \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\phi\} \\ &= \emptyset\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(C, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_2, 1)\} \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\phi\} \\ &= \emptyset\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(C, 2) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_2, 2)\} \\ &= q_2\end{aligned}$$

Hence the DFA is



Fig. 1.10.4

As $A = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$ in which final state q_2 lies hence A is final state in B. As the state q_2 lies hence B is also final state in C = $\{q_2\}$, the state q_2 lies hence C is final state.

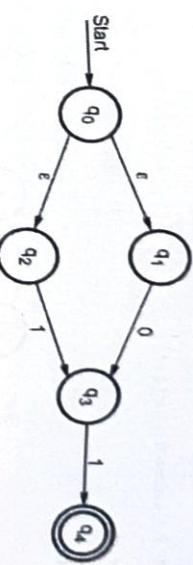


Fig. 1.10.5

Solution :

$$\begin{aligned}\epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_0\} &= \{q_0, q_1, q_2\} \\ \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_1\} &= \{q_1\} \\ \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_2\} &= \{q_2\} \\ \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_3\} &= \{q_3\} \\ \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_4\} &= \{q_4\}\end{aligned}$$

$\delta'(A, 0) = \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta((q_0, q_1, q_2), 0)\}$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_0, 0) \cup \delta(q_1, 0) \cup \delta(q_2, 0)\} \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_3\} \\ &= \{q_3\} \text{ call it as state B.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(A, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta((q_0, q_1, q_2), 1)\} \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_0, 1) \cup \delta(q_1, 1) \cup \delta(q_2, 1)\} \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_3\} = q_3 = B.\end{aligned}$$

The partial DFA will be

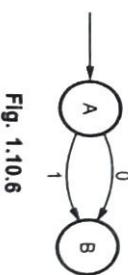


Fig. 1.10.6

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'(B, 0) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_3, 0)\} \\ &= \emptyset \\ \delta'(B, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_3, 1)\} \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{q_4\} \\ &= \{q_4\} \text{ i.e. state C} \\ \delta'(C, 0) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } \{\delta(q_4, 0)\}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \delta(B, b) &= D \\ \delta(B, c) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(B, c)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, q), c) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, c) \cup \delta(q, c))\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, q) \cup \delta(q, c)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (r \cup \phi) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (r) \\ &= \{q, r\} \\ \delta(B, c) &= C\end{aligned}$$

State C = {q, r}

$$\delta(C, a) = \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(C, a))$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(q, r), a) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(q, a) \cup \delta(r, a)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (q \cup r) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (q) \cup \epsilon\text{-closure } (r) \\ &= \{p, q\} \cup \{q, r\} \\ &= \{p, q, r\} \text{ i.e. state D.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\delta(D, a) = D$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(D, b) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(D, b)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, q, r), b) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, b) \cup \delta(q, b) \cup \delta(r, b)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (q \cup r \cup \phi) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (q, r) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (q) \cup \epsilon\text{-closure } (r) \\ &= \{p, q, r\} \text{ i.e. state D.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\delta(C, a) = D$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(C, b) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(C, b)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(q, r), b) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(q, b) \cup \delta(r, b)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (r \cup \phi) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (r) \\ &= \{q, r\} \text{ i.e. state C.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\delta(D, b) = D$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(D, c) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(D, c)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, q, r), c) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(p, c) \cup \delta(q, c) \cup \delta(r, c)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (r \cup \phi \cup p) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (r) \cup \epsilon\text{-closure } (p) \\ &= \{q, r\} \cup \{p\} \\ &= \{p, q, r\} \text{ i.e. state D.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\delta(D, c) = D$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \delta(C, b) &= C \\ \delta(C, c) &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(C, c)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(q, r), c) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\delta(q, c) \cup \delta(r, c)) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (\phi \cup p) \\ &= \epsilon\text{-closure } (p)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(C, c) &= A \\ \delta(D, a) &= \{p\} \text{ i.e. state A.}\end{aligned}$$

The transition table from above calculations can be obtained as

| State | Input | | |
|-------|-------|---|---|
| | a | b | c |
| A | A | B | C |
| B | B | D | C |
| C | D | C | A |
| D | D | D | D |

As state A = {p} it is a start state and states C and D contain final state r, hence are final states.

The transition diagram for the DFA is

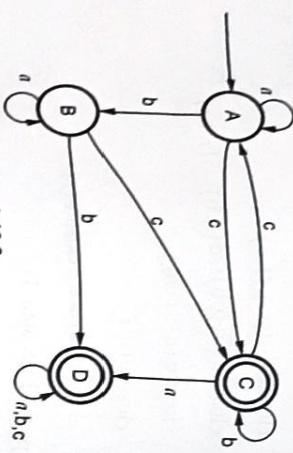
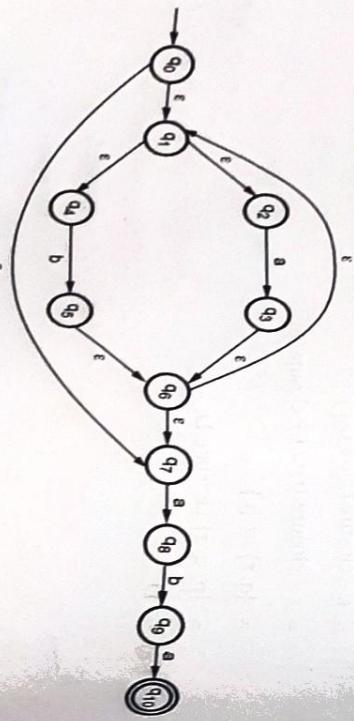


Fig. 1.10.9

Example 1.10.4 Construct a NFA that accepts the set of all strings over $\{a, b\}$ ending in ab. Use this NFA to construct DFA accepting the same set of strings.

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Solution : First of all we will construct NFA with ϵ as follows.



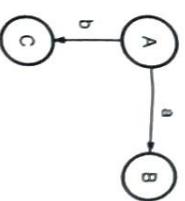
Now consider state B for input a and b transitions.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta'(B, a) &= \text{closure}(\delta(B, a)) \\
 &= \text{closure}(\delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \delta(q_3, a) \cup \delta(q_4, a)) \\
 &\quad \cup \delta(q_6, a) \cup \delta(q_7, a) \cup \delta(q_8, a) \\
 &= \text{closure}(q_3, q_8) \\
 &= \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8\} \\
 \delta'(B, b) &= \text{closure}(\delta(B, b)) \\
 &= \text{closure}(\delta(q_1, b) \cup \delta(q_2, b) \cup \delta(q_3, b) \cup \delta(q_4, b)) \\
 &\quad \cup \delta(q_6, b) \cup \delta(q_7, b) \cup \delta(q_8, b))
 \end{aligned}$$

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Now we will convert this NFA with ϵ to DFA.
Let Start state
 ϵ - closure (q_0) = $\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_4, q_7\} \rightarrow$ Call it as state A
Now we will find a and b transitions on state A.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta'(A, a) &= \text{closure}(\delta(A, a)) \\
 &= \text{closure}(\delta(q_0, a) \cup \delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \delta(q_4, a) \cup \delta(q_7, a)) \\
 &= \text{closure}(\emptyset \cup q_3 \cup \emptyset \cup q_8) \\
 &= \text{closure}((q_3, q_8)) \\
 &= \text{closure}((q_3, q_8)) \\
 &= (q_3, q_6, q_7, q_1, q_2, q_4, q_9) \text{ sorting it} \\
 &= (q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_7, q_8) \rightarrow \text{Call it as B} \\
 \delta'(A, b) &= \text{closure}(\delta(A, b)) \\
 &= \text{closure}(q_5) \\
 &= (q_5, q_6, q_1, q_2, q_4, q_7) \\
 &= (q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7) \rightarrow \text{Call it as C}
 \end{aligned}$$

The partial DFA can be



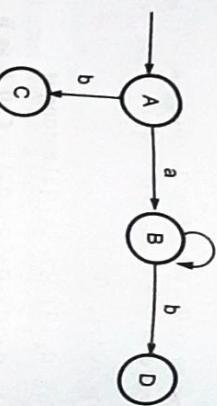
= ϵ - closure (q_5, q_9)

= $(q_5, q_6, q_7, q_1, q_2, q_4, q_9)$ Sorting these states.

= $(q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7, q_9) \rightarrow$ Call it as D state

= D

The DFA partially can be drawn as



Now consider state C for input a and b transitions

$$\delta'(C, a) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(C, a))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7), a)$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \delta(q_4, a) \cup \delta(q_5, a) \cup$$

$$\delta(q_6, a) \cup \delta(q_7, a))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi \cup q_3 \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup q_8)$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_3, q_8)$$

$$= (q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7, q_8)$$

i.e. state

$$\delta'(C, b) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(C, b))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta((q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7), b))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(q_1, b) \cup \delta(q_2, b) \cup \delta(q_4, b) \cup \delta(q_5, b) \cup$$

$$\delta(q_6, b) \cup \delta(q_7, b))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi \cup \phi \cup q_5 \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi)$$

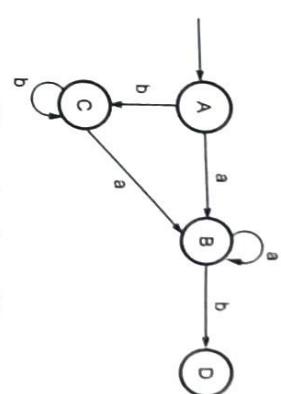
$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_5)$$

$$= (q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7)$$

i.e. C state

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Partially DFA can be



Now consider state D for transition on input a and b

$$\delta'(D, a) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta((q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7, q_9), a))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \delta(q_4, a) \cup \delta(q_5, a) \cup$$

$$\delta(q_6, a) \cup \delta(q_7, a) \cup \delta(q_9, a))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi \cup q_3 \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup q_8 \cup q_{10})$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_3, q_8, q_{10})$$

$$= (q_3, q_6, q_1, q_2, q_4, q_8, q_{10}) \rightarrow$$
 Call it as E.

$$\delta'(D, b) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta((q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7, q_9), b))$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(q_1, b) \cup \delta(q_2, b) \cup \delta(q_4, b) \cup$$

$$\delta(q_5, b) \cup \delta(q_6, b) \cup \delta(q_7, b) \cup \delta(q_9, b))$$

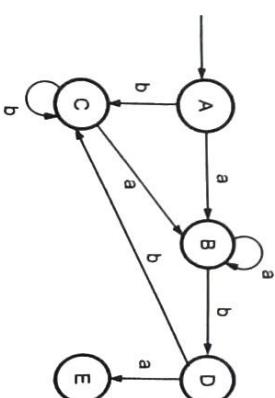
$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\phi \cup \phi \cup q_5 \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi)$$

$$= \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_5)$$

$$= (q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7)$$

i.e. state C only

Partially the DFA can be constructed as

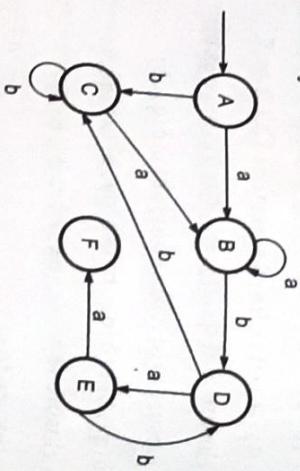


Now consider state E for transitions of input a and b.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta'(E, a) &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta((q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_8, q_{10}), a)) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_8, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \delta(q_3, a) \cup \delta(q_4, a) \\
 &\quad \cup \delta(q_6, a) \cup \delta(q_{10}, a)) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\emptyset \cup q_3 \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (q_3) \\
 &= (q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_7) \rightarrow \text{Call it as state F.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta'(E, b) &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta((q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_8, q_{10}), b)) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta(q_1, b) \cup \delta(q_2, b) \cup \delta(q_3, b) \\
 &\quad \cup \delta(q_4, b) \cup \delta(q_6, b) \cup \delta(q_8, b) \cup \delta(q_{10}, b)) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\emptyset \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup q_5 \cup \phi \cup q_9 \cup \phi) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (q_5, q_9) \\
 &= (q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7, q_9) \\
 &\text{i.e. state D.}
 \end{aligned}$$

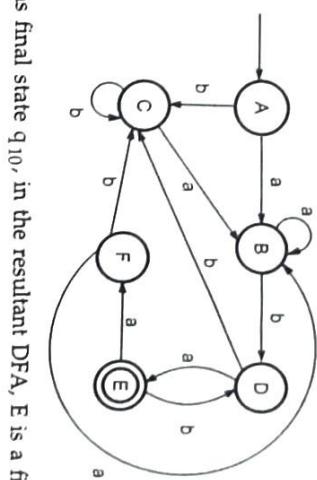
The DFA can be practically drawn as -



As state E contains final state q_{10} , in the resultant DFA, E is a final state.

1.11 Difference between NFA and DFA

SPPU : May-09, 10, Aug-17, Marks 2



Finally the DFA can be

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\emptyset \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup q_5 \cup \phi \cup \phi) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (q_5) \\
 &= (q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7) \\
 &= \text{State C}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now process state F.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta'(F, a) &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta((q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_8, q_{10}), a)) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta(q_1, a) \cup \delta(q_2, a) \cup \delta(q_3, a) \cup \\
 &\quad \delta(q_4, a) \cup \delta(q_6, a) \cup \delta(q_8, a) \cup \delta(q_{10}, a)) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\emptyset \cup q_3 \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup \phi \cup q_8) \\
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (q_3, q_8) \\
 &= (q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_7, q_8) \\
 &\text{i.e. state B}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta'(F, b) = \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta((q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_6, q_7, b)))$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \epsilon - \text{closure} (\delta(q_1, b) \cup \delta(q_2, b) \cup (q_3, b) \cup \delta(q_4, b) \\
 &\quad \cup \delta(q_6, b) \cup \delta(q_7, b))
 \end{aligned}$$

1.12 Minimization of FA

SPPU : Dec.-12, Marks 8

The minimization of FSM means reducing the number of states from given FA. Thus we get the FSM with redundant states after minimizing the FSM.

While minimizing FSM we first find out which two states are equivalent, then we will represent those two states by one representative state.

Definition of equivalent states -

The two states q_1 and q_2 are equivalent if both $\delta(q_1, x)$ and $\delta(q_2, x)$ are final states. Both of them are non final states for all $x \in \Sigma^*$ (Σ^* indicate any string of any length).

We will minimize the given FSM by finding equivalent states.

Method for Construction of Minimum State Automata :

Step 1 : We will create a set π_0 as $\pi_0 = \{ Q_1^0, Q_2^0 \}$ where Q_1^0 is set of all final states and $Q_2^0 = Q - Q_1^0$ where Q is a set of all the states in DFA.

Step 2 : Now we will construct π_{K+1} from π_K . Let Q_i^K be any subset in π_K , and $Q_j^K = Q - Q_i^K$ where Q is a set of all the states in DFA.

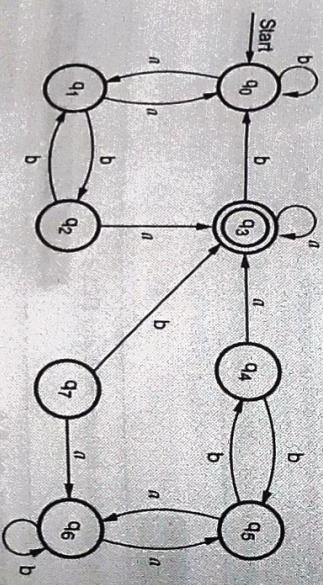
Now we will construct π_{K+1} from π_K . Let Q_i^K be any subset in π_K , and $Q_j^K = Q - Q_i^K$ where Q is a set of all the states in DFA. If q_1 and q_2 are in Q_i^K they are $(K + 1)$ equivalent provided $\delta(q_1, a)$ and $\delta(q_2, a)$ are in Q_i^K . If q_1 and q_2 are in Q_j^K they are $(K + 1)$ equivalent provided $\delta(q_1, a)$ and $\delta(q_2, a)$ are in Q_j^K . Thus it is said that q_1 and q_2 are $(K + 1)$ equivalent. Thus from Q_i^K we create $(K + 1)$ equivalence classes. By step 2 for every Q_i^K in π_K and obtain all the elements of π_{K+1} .

Step 3 : Construct π_n for $n = 1, 2, \dots$ until $\pi_n = \pi_{n+1}$.

Step 4 : Then replace all the equivalent states in one equivalence class by representative state. This helps in minimizing the given DFA.

Let us understand this method with the help of some examples.

Example 1.12.1 Construct the minimum state automaton for the following transition diagram



Solution : We will first construct a transition table for the given DFA.

We will start constructing equivalence classes.

| State | a | b |
|-------|----|----|
| q0 | q1 | q0 |
| q1 | q0 | q2 |
| q2 | q3 | q1 |
| q3 | q0 | q0 |
| q4 | q3 | q5 |
| q5 | q6 | q4 |
| q6 | q5 | q6 |
| q7 | q6 | q3 |

Step 1 : We will first find 0 - equivalence. For that purpose we will create two sets - one set containing all the final states and other set containing all the non-final states.

$$0 - \text{Equivalent} = \{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7\} \setminus \{q_3\}$$

Now will check equivalence among all the states of $\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7\}$ by means of δ mapping functions

$$\begin{aligned}\delta(q_0, a) &= q_1 \\ \delta(q_1, a) &= q_0 \\ \delta(q_0, b) &= q_0 \\ \delta(q_1, b) &= q_2\end{aligned}$$

Belong to same set Belong to same set

q_0 and q_1 are equivalent. In this way we will consider every pair from the set $\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7\}$. Now consider pair $\{q_0, q_2\}$

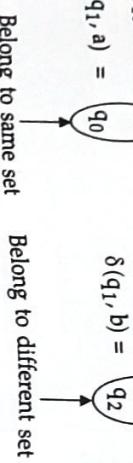
$$\begin{aligned}\delta(q_0, a) &= q_1 \\ \delta(q_2, a) &= q_3 \\ \delta(q_0, b) &= q_0 \\ \delta(q_2, b) &= q_6\end{aligned}$$

continuing in this way we get -

$$1 - \text{equivalence} = \{q_0, q_1, q_5, q_6\} \setminus \{q_2, q_4, \{q_3\}, \{q_7\}\}$$

Step 2 : Now we will find 2 - equivalence from the sets obtained in 1 - equivalence. Consider the set $\{q_0, q_1, q_5, q_6\}$ first. We will compare q_0 with q_1, q_5, q_6 . Then we

$$\begin{array}{ll} \delta(q_0, a) = q_1 & \delta(q_0, b) = q_0 \\ \delta(q_1, a) = q_0 & \delta(q_1, b) = q_2 \end{array}$$



$\therefore q_0$ and q_1 now does not belong to same set.

Now compare states q_0, q_5 states.

$$\begin{array}{ll} \delta(q_0, a) = q_1 & \delta(q_0, b) = q_0 \\ \delta(q_5, a) = q_0 & \delta(q_5, b) = q_4 \end{array}$$

$\therefore q_0, q_5$ are not equivalent. Now we will compare q_1 and q_5 .

$$\begin{array}{ll} \delta(q_1, a) = q_0 & \delta(q_1, b) = q_2 \\ \delta(q_5, a) = q_6 & \delta(q_5, b) = q_4 \end{array}$$

Belong to same set Belong to different sets

That means - q_1 and q_5 are equivalent. Hence the 2 - equivalence set can be written as -

$$2 - \text{equivalence} = \{q_0, q_6\}, \{q_1, q_5\}, \{q_2, q_4\}, \{q_3\}, \{q_7\}$$

Step 3 : We will compare $\{q_0, q_6\}$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \delta(q_0, a) = q_1 & \delta(q_0, b) = q_0 \\ \delta(q_6, a) = q_5 & \delta(q_6, b) = q_6 \end{array}$$

Belong to same set Belong to same set

$\therefore \{q_0, q_6\}$ are equivalent. Similarly, we will compare $\{q_1, q_5\}, \{q_2, q_4\}$ and we find them as equivalent. Hence 3 - equivalence set is as follows :

$$3 - \text{equivalence} = \{q_0, q_6\}, \{q_1, q_5\}, \{q_2, q_4\}, \{q_3\}, \{q_7\}$$

As 2 - equivalence and 3 - equivalence are same sets. We will stop finding further equivalences. Hence we can have minimized transition table and minimized DFA as follows.

| State | a | b |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| $[q_0, q_6]$ | $[q_1, q_5]$ | $[q_0, q_6]$ |
| $[q_1, q_5]$ | $[q_0, q_6]$ | $[q_2, q_4]$ |
| $[q_2, q_4]$ | | |
| $[q_3]$ | $[q_3]$ | $[q_1, q_5]$ |
| $[q_7]$ | $[q_0, q_6]$ | $[q_3]$ |

The transition diagram with minimized states is -

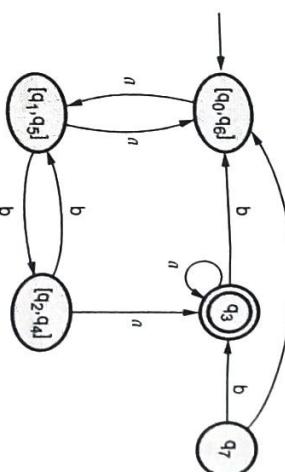


Fig. 1.12.2

1.13 Equivalence of FAs

- The two finite automata are said to be equivalent if both the automata accept the same set of strings, over an input set Σ .
- When two FAs are equivalent then there is some string x over Σ , on acceptance of that string if one FA reaches to final state other FA also reaches to final state.
- We can compare whether two FAs are equivalent or not using following method.

Let M and M' be two FAs and Σ is a set of input strings.

Method for Comparing two FAs

- We will construct a transition table have pairwise entries (q, q') where $q \in M$ and $q' \in M'$ for each input symbol.
- If we get in a pair as one final state and other nonfinal state then we terminate construction of transition table declaring that two FAs are not equivalent.

Example 1.13.2 Following are two FAs check whether they are equivalent or not.

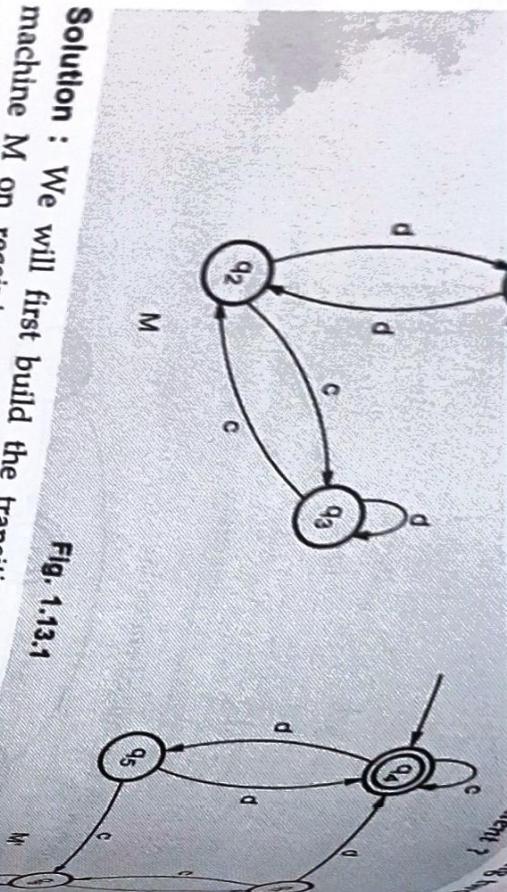


Fig. 1.13.1

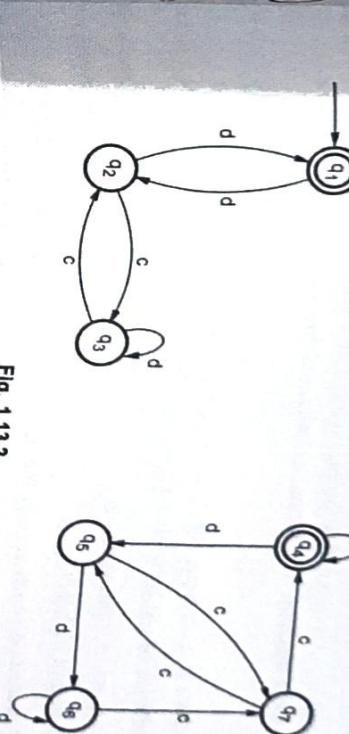


Fig. 1.13.2

Solution : We will design the transition table for each input symbol c and d as follows.

| | c | d |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| (q ₁ , q ₄) | (q ₁ , q ₄) | (q ₂ , q ₅) |
| (q ₂ , q ₅) | (q ₃ , q ₆) | (q ₁ , q ₄) |
| (q ₃ , q ₆) | (q ₂ , q ₇) | (q ₃ , q ₆) |
| (q ₂ , q ₇) | (q ₃ , q ₆) | (q ₁ , q ₄) |
| (q ₃ , q ₆) | (q ₃ , q ₆) | (q ₁ , q ₄) |

Solution : We will first build the transition table for machine M' on receiving input c in state q₁ we reach to state q₄ on receiving c we get next state as (q₁, q₄). Similarly for input d in state q₄. Thus for input c we get next state as (q₁, q₄). Both q₁ and q₄ are final states obtained in pair (q₂, q₅) we will obtain transition for (q₂, q₅) for input c. Both q₂ and q₅ are final states obtained in pair (q₁, q₄). Hence the given FAs are not equivalent.

We will terminate the construction of transition table because we get a pair (q₁, q₆) in which q₁ is a final state and q₆ is a nonfinal state. As per equivalence rule final and nonfinal state cannot form a pair. Hence the given FAs are not equivalent.

14 Applications of FA

Various applications of Finite Automata are -

- 1) In designing of lexical analysis phase of compiler, finite automata is used to recognize the tokens such as identifier, keywords, operators and so on.
- 2) The pattern of regular expression is recognized using finite automata.
- 3) It is used in text editors.
- 4) The finite automata is also used to design spell checkers.

Part III : Finite State Machine with Output

From the above table note that we do not get one final state and other states in a pair. Hence we declare that two DFAs are equivalent.

15 Moore and Mealy Machines

SPPU : Dec. 07, 11, 13, 16, 17, May-06, 10, 11, Aug-17, Oct-16, 18, Marks 6

15.1 Definition and Construction

There are two types of FA with output and those are :

Moore machine

Moore machine is a finite state machine in which the next state is decided by current state and current input symbol. The output symbol at a given time depends only on present state of the machine. The formal definition of Moore machine is,

Definition

Moore machine is a six tuple $(Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$ where

Q is finite set of states.

Σ is finite set of input symbols.

Δ is an output alphabet.

δ is an transition function such that $Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$. This is also known as state function.

λ is output function $Q \rightarrow \Delta$. This function is also known as machine function.

q_0 is the initial state of machine.

For example

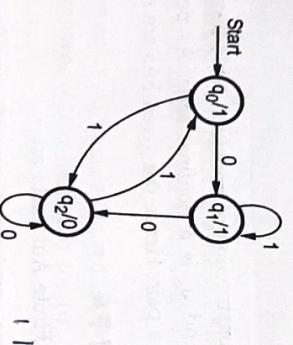


Fig. 1.15.1

Consider the Moore machine given below -

The transition table will be -

| Current state | Next state (δ) | Output (λ) |
|---------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 0 | 1 | |
| 1 | 0 | |
| 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 |

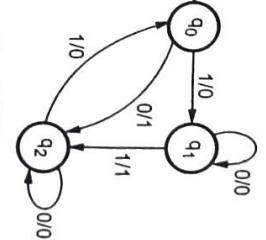


Fig. 1.15.2

For example,

For the input string 1001 the output will be 0001. In mealy machine the length of input string is equal to length of output string.

Difference between Moore and Mealy Machine :

- Length of Moore machine is one longer than Mealy machine for given input.
- Secondly output of the input will be along the edges in case of Mealy machine but it should be associated with the state in case of Moore machine.

Mealy machine Mealy machine is a machine in which output symbol depends upon the present input symbol and present state of the machine. The Mealy machine can be defined as -

Definition

Mealy machine is a six tuple $(Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$ where

Q is finite set of states.

Σ is finite set of input symbols.

Δ is an output alphabet.

δ is state transition function such that $Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow \Delta$.

λ is machine function such that $Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow \Delta$.

q_0 is initial state of machine.

In Moore machine output is associated with every state. In the above given Moore machine when machine is in q_0 state the output will be 1. For the Moore machine if the length of input string is n then output string has length $n+1$. For the string 0110 then the output will be 1110.

Problems on Construction of Moore and Mealy Machine

Example 1.15.1 Design a Moore machine to generate 1's complement of given binary number.

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Thus Moore machine $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$; where $Q = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$, $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$, $\Delta = \{0, 1\}$.

Solution :

- Logic : 1) To generate 1's complement of given binary number the simple logic which we will apply is that if input is 0 then output will be 1 and if input is 1 then output will be 0. 2) That means there are three state one-start state, second state is for taking 0's as input and produces output as 1. Then third state is taking 1's as input and producing output as 0.

Hence the Moore machine will be,

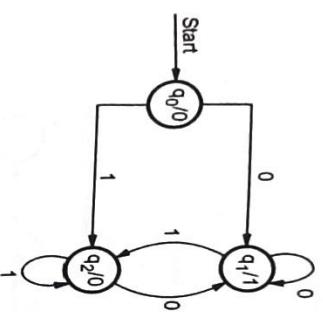


Fig. 1.15.3

- Simulation
For instance, take one binary number 1011 then

| Input | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| State | q_0 | q_2 | q_1 | q_2 | q_2 |
| Output | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

Thus we get 00100 as 1's complement of 1011, we can neglect the initial 0 and the output which we get is 0100 which is 1's complement of 1011. The transition table can be drawn as below -

| Current state | Next state | Output |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 0 | 1 | |
| q ₀ | q ₁ | q ₂ |
| q ₁ | q ₁ | q ₂ |
| q ₂ | q ₁ | q ₂ |
| | | 0 |

Now we will insert the possibilities of 1's and 0's for each state. Then the Moore machine becomes.

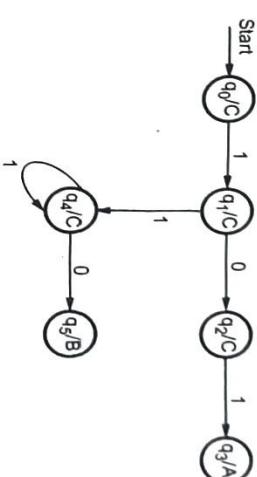


Fig. 1.15.4

- Logic : For designing such a machine we need to take care of two conditions and those are checking 101 and checking 110. If we get 101 the output will be A. If we recognize 110 the output will be B. For other strings the output will be C. We can make a partial design of it as follows.

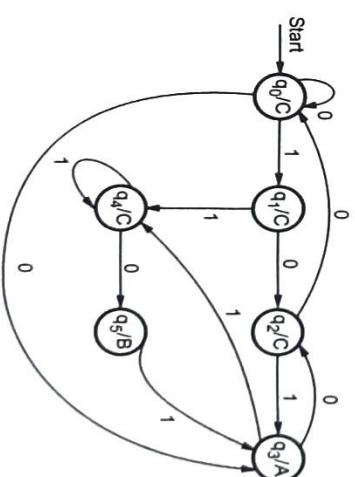


Fig. 1.15.5

Now the Mealy machine can be

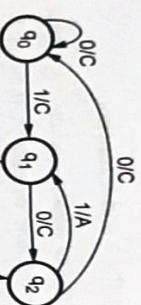


Fig. 1.15.6

Example 1.15.3 Design a Mealy machine to find 2's complement of a given binary number.

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Solution :

- Logic : For designing 2's complement of a binary number we assume that input read from LSB to MSB. We will keep the binary number as it is until we read 1. Keep that 1 as it is then change remaining 1's by 0's and 0's by 1's.

For example,

Let the binary number be

1011
 ↑
 ←
read from LSB

Keep the first 1 from LSB as it is and toggle the remaining bits we will get

0101

Thus 2's complement of 1011 is 0101. The required Mealy machine will be -

• Design

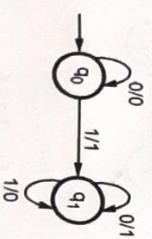


Fig. 1.15.8

Example 1.15.5 Give Moore and Mealy machine for $\Sigma = \{0, 1, 2\}$ print the residue modulo 5 of input treated as a ternary number.

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Solution :

- Logic : The ternary number is made up of 0,1 and 2. The interpretation of ternary number n can be -
 - If we write 0 after n then number becomes $3n$.
 - If we write 1 after n then number becomes $3n+1$.
 - If we write 2 after n then number becomes $3n+2$.

For example,

If $n = 4$ then its value is $4 \times 3^0 = 4$.

If we write 0 after 4 i.e.

$$40 = 4 \times 3^1 + 0 \times 3^0 = 12$$

i.e. (3×4)

If we write 1 after 4 then

$$41 = 4 \times 3^1 + 1 \times 3^0 = 13$$

i.e. $3n+1$

If we write 2 after 4 we get

$$42 = 4 \times 3^1 + 2 \times 3^0 = 14$$

i.e. $3n+2$

For residue modulo 5 we will get remainder 0, remainder 1, remainder 2, remainder 3 and remainder 4 values. Then we assume various states for these remainders.

q_0 - remainder 0 state

q_1 - remainder 1 state

q_2 - remainder 2 state

q_3 - remainder 3 state

q_4 - remainder 4 state

Now consider $n = 4$,

For 4.0 we get decimal value 12 that means $12 \% 5 = 2$ it gives remainder 2.

For 4.1 we get decimal value 13 that means $13 \% 5 = 3$ it gives remainder 3.

Similarly 4.2 given remainder 4.

- Design

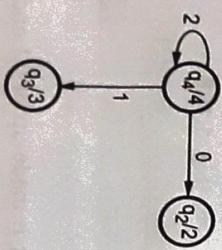


Fig. 1.15.9

Similarly the Mealy machine can be -

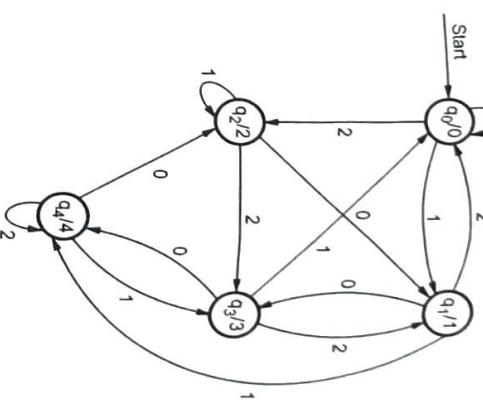


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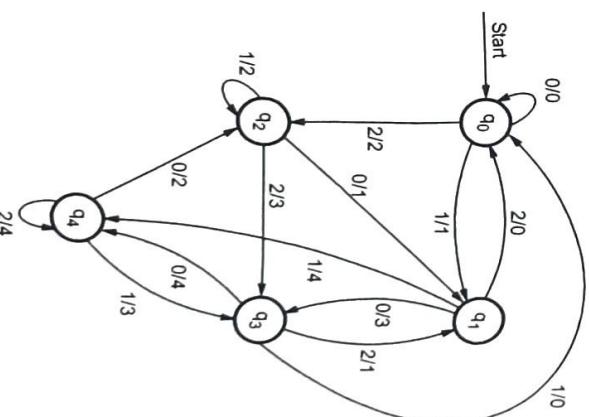


Fig. 1.15.11

Example 1.15.6 Design a Moore machine that will read sequences made up of letters O, U and will give us output the same sequences except that in case where letter follows an E, it will be changed to U. Design the Mealy machine for the same problem.

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Now we will draw the Mealy machine for the same problem.

Solution :

- Logic : We will assume a separate state for each alphabet. The output will be corresponding letter. For instance For alphabet A the output of q_0 will be A. For alphabet E the state will be q_1 and output of q_0 will be E. Continuing in this fashion we will have q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3 and q_4 states. State will be q_0 we will take care of one thing and that is when q_4 state is immediately after E it will lead to the state q_4 because output of state q_4 is when q_4 is followed by E. With this logic the corresponding Moore machine will be -

Design

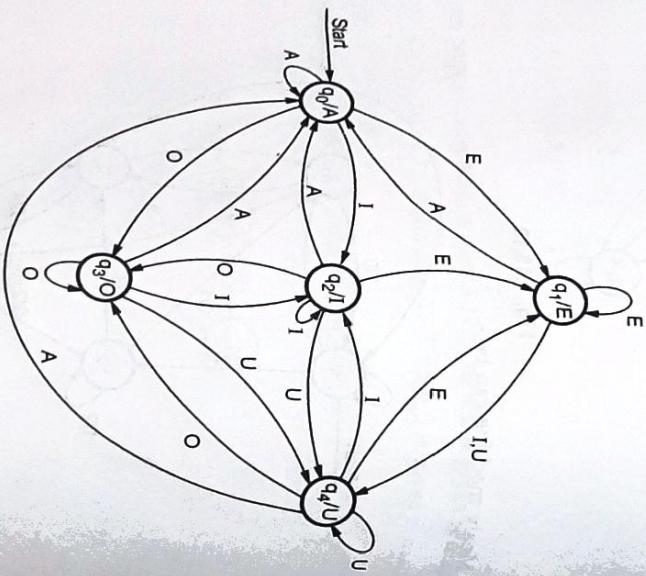


Fig. 1.15.12

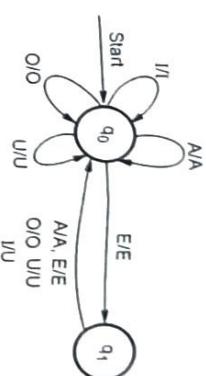


Fig. 1.15.13

Example 1.15.7 Construct a Moore machine to determine residue mod 3 for binary number.

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Solution :

- Logic : This Moore machine is also called remainder 3 tester. In this machine we will get remainder 0, remainder 1 and remainder 2. To interpret the given binary number in its decimal value we consider n as a number if 0 is written after n then its value becomes $2n$. If 1 is written after n then its value becomes $2n + 1$. For instance, if $n = 0$ then its decimal value is 0 then,

$$01 = 2n+1 = 1 \times 2 + 1 = 1$$

$$011 = 2n+1 = (1 \times 2) + 1 = 3$$

consider $n = 1$ its decimal value is 1. After 1 if 0 comes then its value will be

$$10 = 2n = 2 \times 1 = 2$$

If 1 comes after 10 then its value becomes,

$$101 = 2n+1 = (2 \times 2) + 1 = 5$$

With this logic we can construct a Moore machine with 3 states. q_0 is the start state and is considered as remainder 0 state. q_1 is considered to be remainder 1 state and q_2 is considered as remainder 2 state.

- Design

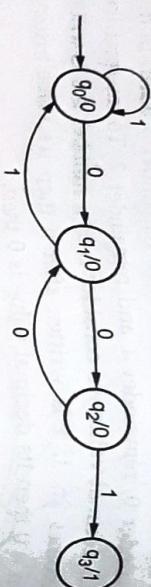


Fig. 1.15.14

Example 1.15.8 Design a Moore machine for generating output 1 if input of binary 1 is preceded with exactly two zeros.

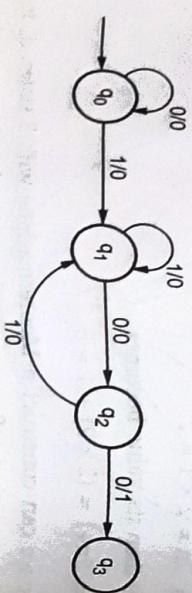
Solution : In this Moore machine on receiving input 001 the output will be 1.

Moore machine can be shown as below -



Example 1.15.9 Design a Mealy machine for a binary input sequence such that sequence ends with 100 the output is 1 otherwise output is 0. **SPPU : May-10, Mat**

Solution : The Mealy machine will be -



Example 1.15.10 Design a Moore machine for checking divisibility by 3 of a given data number (residue of 3). **SPPU : Dec-11, Mat**

Solution : The output at each state of Moore machine will be the remainder.

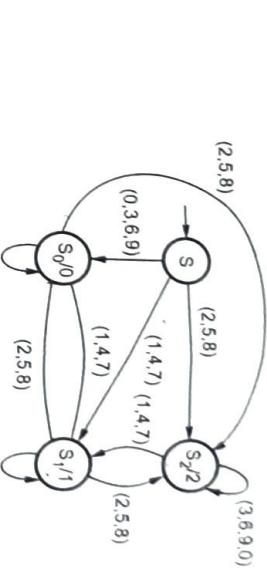


Fig. 1.15.15

Example 1.15.11 Construct FSM for binary adder. **SPPU : Dec-13, Marks 6**

In binary addition there will be two states - no carry state and a carry state. The transition table will be:

| Present State | x1 | x2 | Output |
|---------------|----|----|--------|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

But carry gets generated

| Present State | Next State, Output | | |
|---------------|------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| State | x ₁ x ₂ = 00 | 01 | 10 |
| No carry | No carry, 0 | carry, 1 | No carry, 1 |
| carry | No carry, 1 | carry, 0 | carry, 0 |

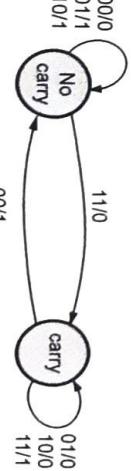


Fig. 1.15.16

University Questions

1. Define and compare Moore and Mealy Machine.
2. Compare Moore and Mealy Machine with suitable example.

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$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_1, 0) &= \lambda(\delta(q_1, 0)) \\ &= \lambda(q_2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_1, 1) = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_1, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_1, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_0)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_2, 0) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_2, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_2, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_2, 1) = 2$$

1.16 Conversion of Moore to Mealy Machine

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Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$ be a Moore machine. The equivalent Mealy machine represented by $M' = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, \lambda', q_0)$. The output function λ' can be obtained as,

$$\lambda'(q, a) = \lambda(\delta(q, a))$$

Example 1.16.1 The Moore machine to determine residue mod 3 for binary number is given below. Convert it to Mealy equivalent machine.

| Q | Σ | 0 | 1 | Output (λ) |
|-------|----------|-------|---|----------------------|
| q_0 | q_0 | q_1 | 0 | |
| q_1 | q_0 | q_0 | 1 | |
| q_2 | q_1 | q_2 | 2 | |

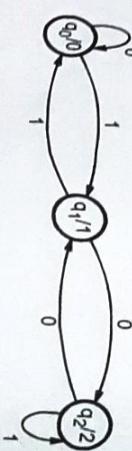
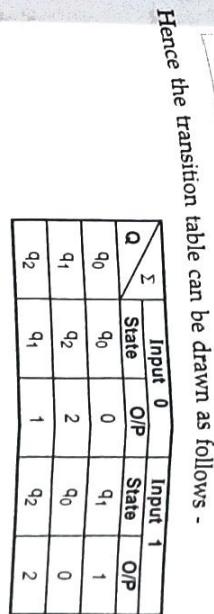


Fig. 1.16.1

Solution : The transition diagram for the given problem can be drawn as .



The transition diagram of Mealy machine is,

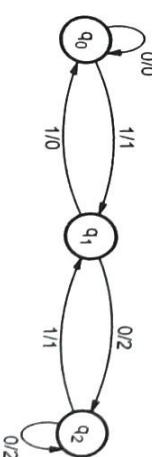


Fig. 1.16.2

The input string 10011 then the output for Mealy machine will be

next state $q_1 \rightarrow q_2 \rightarrow q_2 \rightarrow q_1 \rightarrow q_0$
output 1 2 2 1 0

i.e. output of q_1

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_0, 0) &= 0 \\ \lambda'(q_0, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_0, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_1) \\ \lambda'(q_0, 1) &= 1\end{aligned}$$

The output sequence for Moore machine will be

| | | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Input | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| next state | $q_0 \rightarrow q_1 \rightarrow q_2 \rightarrow q_2 \rightarrow q_1 \rightarrow q_0$ | | | | |
| output | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |

The length of output sequence is $n+1$ in Moore machine and is n in Mealy machine which is desired.

Example 1.16.2 Convert the following Moore machine into equivalent Mealy machine
 $M = (\{q_0, q_1\}, \{a, b\}, \{0, 1\}, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$

Solution :

| δ | a | b | Output (λ) |
|----------|-------|-------|----------------------|
| q_0 | q_0 | q_1 | 0 |
| q_1 | q_0 | q_1 | 1 |

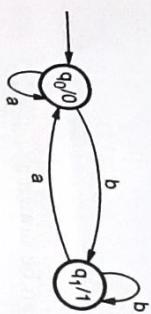


Fig. 1.16.3

The equivalent Mealy machine can be obtained as follows -

$$\lambda'(q_0, a) = \lambda(\delta(q_0, a))$$

$$= \lambda(q_0)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\lambda'(q_0, b) = \lambda(\delta(q_0, b))$$

$$= \lambda(q_1)$$

$$= 1$$

$$\lambda'(q_1, a) = \lambda(\delta(q_1, a))$$

$$= \lambda(q_0)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\lambda'(q_1, b) = \lambda(\delta(q_1, b))$$

$$= \lambda(q_1)$$

$$= 1$$

The equivalent Mealy machine will be,

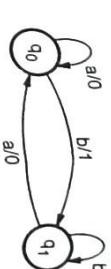


Fig. 1.16.4

Consider the output sequence for Moore machine for input sequence,
 $a \ b \ b \ a$

Then

$$q_0 \xrightarrow{a} q_0 \xrightarrow{b} q_1 \xrightarrow{b} q_1 \xrightarrow{a} q_0$$

Similarly output sequence for Mealy machine will be

$$q_0 \xrightarrow{a} q_1 \xrightarrow{b} q_1 \xrightarrow{b} q_1 \xrightarrow{a} q_0$$

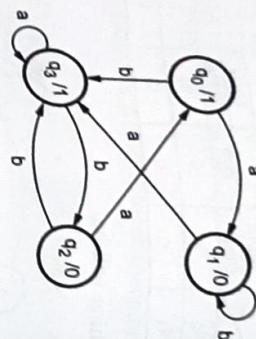
We can note that length of Moore machine is $n+1$ and that of Mealy machine is n .

Example 1.16.3 Convert the following Moore machine to Mealy machine.

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| State | Input | Output |
|-------|-------|--------|
| | a | |
| | b | |
| q_0 | | |
| q_1 | | |
| q_2 | | |
| q_3 | | |

Solution : The transition diagram for the given transition table will be



The output function λ' can be obtained using following rule,

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_0, a) &= \lambda(\delta(q_0, a)) \\ \lambda'(q_1, a) &= \lambda(\delta(q_0, a)) \\ \vdots \\ \lambda'(q_3, a) &= \lambda(\delta(q_0, a)) \\ &= \lambda(q_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_0, b) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_0, b) &= \lambda(\delta(q_0, b)) \\ &= \lambda(q_3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_0, b) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_1, a) &= \lambda(\delta(q_1, a)) \\ &= \lambda(q_3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_1, a) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_1, b) &= \lambda(\delta(q_1, b)) \\ &= \lambda(q_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_2, a) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_2, a) &= \lambda(\delta(q_2, a)) \\ &= \lambda(q_0)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_2, a) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_2, b) &= \lambda(\delta(q_2, b)) \\ &= \lambda(q_3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_2, b) = 1$$

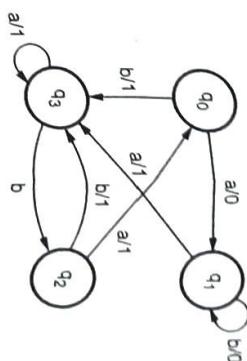
$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_3, a) &= \lambda(\delta(q_3, a)) = \lambda(q_3) \\ \lambda'(q_3, a) &= 1\end{aligned}$$

Theory of Computation
 $\lambda'(q_3, b) = \lambda(\delta(q_3, b))$
 $= \lambda(q_2)$

$\lambda'(q_3, b) = 0$
 $\lambda'(q_3, b)$ can be as follows -

| Σ | Input a | Input b | State | Output | State | Output |
|----------|---------|---------|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| Q | | | q0 | 0 | q3 | 1 |
| | | | q0 | 1 | q1 | 0 |
| | | | q1 | 1 | q3 | 1 |
| | | | q2 | 1 | q2 | 0 |
| | | | q3 | 1 | q2 | 0 |

The transition diagram for Mealy machine is



Example 1.16.4 Construct Mealy machine equivalent to the given Moore machine.

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| | 0 | 1 | O/P |
|----|----|----|-----|
| q0 | q0 | q1 | N |
| q1 | q0 | q2 | N |
| q2 | q0 | q3 | N |
| q3 | q0 | q3 | Y |

Start state : q_0 ; Final state : q_3

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$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_2, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_2, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'(q_2, 0) &= Y \\ \lambda'(q_3, 0) &= \lambda(\delta(q_3, 0)) \\ &= \lambda(q_0)\end{aligned}$$

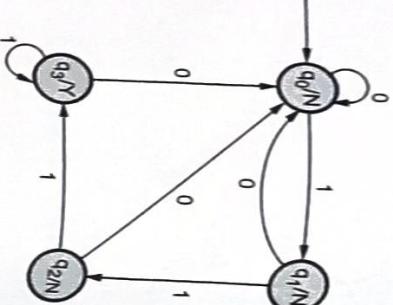


Fig. 1.16.5

The output function λ' can be obtained by following rule,

$$\lambda'(q, a) = \lambda(\delta(q, a))$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lambda'(q_0, 0) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_0, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_0, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lambda'(q_0, 1) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_1, 0) &= \lambda(\delta(q_1, 0)) \\ &= \lambda(q_0)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lambda'(q_1, 0) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_1, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_1, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lambda'(q_1, 1) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_2, 0) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_2, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_2, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lambda'(q_2, 0) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_2, 1) &= Y \\ \lambda'(q_3, 0) &= \lambda(\delta(q_3, 0)) \\ &= \lambda(q_0)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \lambda'(q_3, 0) &= N \\ \lambda'(q_3, 1) &= \lambda(\delta(q_3, 1)) \\ &= \lambda(q_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'(q_3, 1) = Y$$

Hence the transition table can be drawn as follows

| Q | Σ | | Input 0 | | Input 1 | |
|----|----------|-----|---------|-----|---------|-----|
| | State | O/P | State | O/P | State | O/P |
| q0 | q0 | N | q1 | N | q1 | N |
| q1 | q0 | N | q2 | N | q2 | N |
| q2 | q0 | N | q3 | Y | q3 | Y |
| q3 | q0 | N | q3 | Y | q1 | N |

The Mealy machine will be

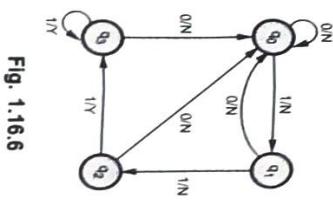


Fig. 1.16.6

1.17 Conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine

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Method for conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine

Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$ be a Mealy machine then there exists a Moore machine M' equivalent to M .

The M' can be given as $M' = (Q \times \Delta, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta', \lambda', [q_0, b_0])$ where b_0 is an output symbol selected from Δ . We will calculate δ' and λ' as follows -

$$\delta'([q, b], a) = [\delta(q, a), \lambda(q, a)]$$

$$\lambda'([q, b]) = b$$

δ' defines the move made by M' on input a .

M' on input a .

λ' defines the output made for the corresponding state q .

Thus we have to calculate δ' and λ' for $q_0, q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n$ on input a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n should emit the outputs $b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n$.

Example 1.17.1 Convert the following Mealy machine into equivalent Moore machine.



Fig. 1.17.1

Solution : The states for Moore machine will be $[q_0, A]$, $[q_0, B]$, $[q_1, A]$, $[q_1, B]$. We will calculate δ' and λ' as follows -

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_0, A], 0) &= [\delta([q_0, A], 0), \lambda([q_0, A], 0)] \\ &\text{i.e. [next state of } q_0 \text{ on input 0, output of } q_0 \text{ on input 0]} \end{aligned}$$

Thus we get the transition table as

| State | IP | 0 | 1 | Output |
|------------|------------|------------|-----|--------|
| $[q_0, A]$ | $[q_0, A]$ | $[q_1, B]$ | A | |
| $[q_0, B]$ | $[q_0, B]$ | $[q_1, B]$ | B | |
| $[q_1, A]$ | $[q_1, A]$ | $[q_0, B]$ | A | |
| $[q_1, B]$ | $[q_1, B]$ | $[q_0, A]$ | B | |

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda'([q_0, A]) &= A \rightarrow \text{i.e. output of state } q_0. \\ \delta'([q_1, A], 0) &= [\delta(q_1, 0), \lambda(q_1, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, B] \\ \lambda'([q_1, A]) &= B \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_1, A], 1) &= [\delta(q_1, 1), \lambda(q_1, 1)] \\ &= [q_0, A] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|} \hline & 0 & 1 & \text{Output} \\ \hline [q_0, A] & [q_0, A] & [q_1, B] & A \\ \hline [q_1, A] & [q_1, B] & [q_0, A] & B \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta'([q_0, B], 0) &= [\delta(q_0, 0), \lambda(q_0, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, A] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda'([q_0, B]) &= A \\ \delta'([q_1, B], 1) &= [\delta(q_1, 1), \lambda(q_1, 1)] \\ &= [q_0, B] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda'([q_1, B]) &= B \end{aligned}$$

The transition diagram will be,

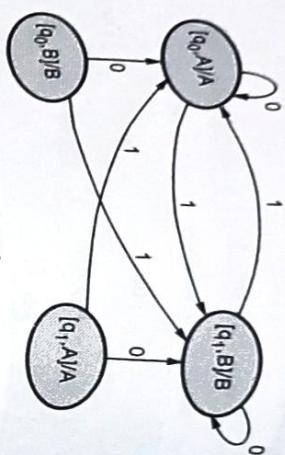


Fig. 1.17.2

Example 1.17.2 Convert the following Mealy machine into equivalent Moore machine.

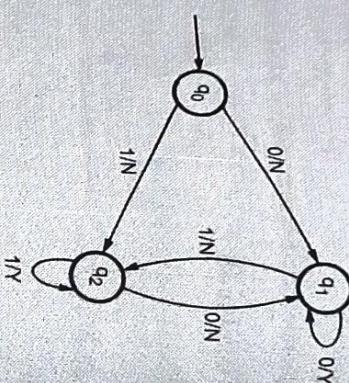


Fig. 1.17.3

Solution : We will write the transition table for given transition graph -

| Input 0 | Output | Input 1 | Output |
|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| q0 | q1 | N | q2 |
| q1 | q1 | Y | q2 |
| q2 | q1 | N | Y |

Now we will find out the states and corresponding outputs for Moore machine states for Moore machine will be -

$[q_0, N], [q_0, Y], [q_1, N], [q_1, Y], [q_2, N], [q_2, Y]$

Now let us calculate δ' and λ' for all the above given states -

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'([q_0, N], 0) &= [\delta(q_0, 0), \lambda(q_0, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, N]\end{aligned}$$

Now, for remaining states the corresponding transitions and outputs can be obtained follows -

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'([q_0, Y], 0) &= [\delta(q_0, 0), \lambda(q_0, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, N]\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, Y]) = Y$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'([q_0, Y], 1) &= [\delta(q_0, 1), \lambda(q_0, 1)] \\ &= [q_2, N]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'([q_0, Y]) &= Y \\ \delta'([q_1 N], 0) &= [\delta(q_1, 0), \lambda(q_1, 0)] \\ &= [q_1 Y]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'([q_1, N]) &= N \\ \delta'([q_1, N], 1) &= [\delta(q_1, 1), \lambda(q_1, 1)] \\ &= [q_2, N]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'([q_1, N]) &= N \\ \delta'([q_1, Y], 0) &= [\delta(q_1, 0), \lambda(q_1, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, Y]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'([q_1, Y]) &= Y \\ \delta'([q_2, N], 0) &= [\delta(q_2, 0), \lambda(q_2, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, N]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'([q_2, N]) &= N \\ \delta'([q_2, N], 1) &= [\delta(q_2, 1), \lambda(q_2, 1)]\end{aligned}$$

= $[q_2, Y]$

$$\lambda'([q_2, N]) = N$$

$$\delta'([q_1, Y], 1) = [\delta(q_1, 1), \lambda(q_1, 1)]$$

$$= [q_2, N]$$

$$\lambda'([q_1, Y]) = Y$$

$$\delta'([q_2, Y], 0) = [\delta(q_2, 0), \lambda(q_2, 0)]$$

$$= [q_1, N]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, Y]) = Y$$

$$\delta'([q_2, Y], 1) = [\delta(q_2, 1), \lambda(q_2, 1)]$$

$$= [q_2, Y]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, Y]) = Y$$

$$\text{The transition table can be drawn as -}$$

| Σ | 0 | 1 | Output |
|------------|------------|------------|--------|
| State | | | |
| $[q_0, N]$ | $[q_1, N]$ | $[q_2, N]$ | N |
| $[q_0, Y]$ | $[q_1, N]$ | $[q_2, N]$ | Y |
| $[q_1, N]$ | $[q_1, Y]$ | $[q_2, N]$ | N |
| $[q_1, Y]$ | $[q_1, Y]$ | $[q_2, N]$ | Y |
| $[q_2, N]$ | $[q_1, N]$ | $[q_2, Y]$ | N |
| $[q_2, Y]$ | $[q_1, N]$ | $[q_2, Y]$ | Y |

Example 1.17.3 Convert the following Mealy machine into equivalent Moore machine.

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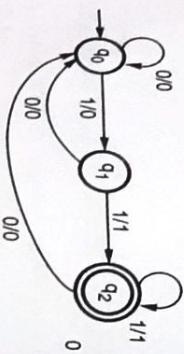


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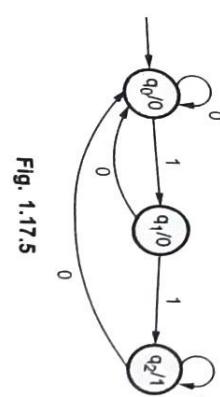


Fig. 1.17.5

Example 1.17.4 Construct Moore machine equivalent for the given Mealy machine.

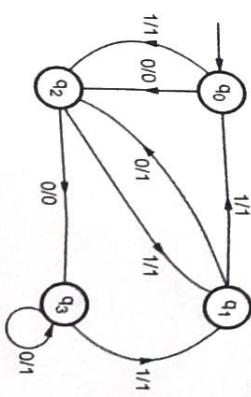


Fig. 1.17.4

$[q_2, 1], [q_3, 0], [q_3, 1]$
Solution : The states for Moore machine will be $[q_0, 0], [q_0, 1], [q_1, 0], [q_1, 1]$

Then we will calculate δ' and λ' functions.

$$\delta'([q_0, 0], 0) = [\delta(q_0, 0), \lambda(q_0, 0)] = [q_2, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_0, 0], 1) = [\delta(q_0, 1), \lambda(q_0, 1)] = [q_2, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, 0]) = 0$$

The partial transition table will be

| State | Input | | Output |
|------------|------------|------------|--------|
| | 0 | 1 | |
| $[q_0, 0]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ | 0 |

Now remaining states for corresponding transitions are as given below.

$$\delta'([q_0, 1], 0) = [\delta(q_0, 0), \lambda(q_0, 0)] = [q_2, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_0, 1], 1) = [\delta(q_0, 1), \lambda(q_0, 1)] = [q_2, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 0], 0) = [\delta(q_1, 0), \lambda(q_1, 0)] = [q_2, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_1, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 0], 1) = [\delta(q_1, 1), \lambda(q_1, 1)] = [q_2, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_1, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 1], 0) = [\delta(q_1, 0), \lambda(q_1, 0)] = [q_0, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_1, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 1], 1) = [\delta(q_1, 1), \lambda(q_1, 1)] = [q_0, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_1, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 0], 0) = [\delta(q_2, 0), \lambda(q_2, 0)] = [q_3, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 0], 1) = [\delta(q_2, 1), \lambda(q_2, 1)] = [q_1, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 1], 0) = [\delta(q_2, 0), \lambda(q_2, 0)] = [q_3, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 1], 1) = [\delta(q_2, 1), \lambda(q_2, 1)] = [q_1, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, 1]) = 1$$

The transition table for Moore machine will be

| State | Input | | Output |
|------------|------------|------------|--------|
| | 0 | 1 | |
| $[q_0, 0]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ | 0 |
| $[q_0, 1]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ | 1 |
| $[q_1, 0]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ | $[q_0, 1]$ | 0 |
| $[q_1, 1]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ | $[q_0, 1]$ | 1 |
| $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_3, 0]$ | $[q_1, 0]$ | 0 |
| $[q_2, 1]$ | $[q_3, 0]$ | $[q_1, 1]$ | 1 |
| $[q_3, 0]$ | $[q_3, 1]$ | $[q_1, 0]$ | 0 |
| $[q_3, 1]$ | $[q_3, 1]$ | $[q_1, 1]$ | 1 |

11.17 Conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine**INPUT : Mealy Machine****OUTPUT : Moore Machine****Final Automata**

Method for conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine

Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$ be a Mealy machine then there exists a Moore machine equivalent to M .

M' can be given as $M' = (Q \times \Delta, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta', \lambda', [q_0, b_0])$ where b_0 is the symbol selected from Δ . We will calculate δ' and λ' as follows :

$$\delta'([q, b], a) = [\delta(q, a), \lambda(q, a)]$$

$$\delta'([q, b]) = b$$

$\lambda'([q, b])$ defines the move made by M' on input a .

δ' defines the move made by M' on input a .

M' on input a , λ' defines the output made for the corresponding state q .

Thus we have to calculate δ' and λ' for $q_0, q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n$ on input a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n should emit the outputs $b_0, b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n$.

Example 11.17.1 Convert the following Mealy machine into equivalent Moore machine.



Fig. 11.17.1

Solution : The states for Moore machine will be $[q_0, A]$, $[q_0, B]$, $[q_1, A]$, $[q_1, B]$, we will calculate δ' and λ' as follows -

$$\delta'([q_0, A], 0) = [\delta(q_0, 0), \lambda(q_0, 0)]$$

i.e. [next state of q_0 on input 0, output of q_0 on input 0]

Thus we get joined next state and output. The transition table can be drawn as

| | a | b | Output |
|--|--|---|--------|
| $\lambda'([q_0, A]) = A$ | \rightarrow i.e. output of state q_0 . | | |
| $\delta'([q_1, A], 0) = [\delta(q_1, 0), \lambda(q_1, 0)]$ | | | |
| $= [q_1, B]$ | | | |
| $\lambda'([q_1, A]) = A$ | | | |

$$\lambda'([q_0, 0]) = 0$$

$$[\delta(q_1, 0), a] = [\delta(q_1, a), \lambda(q_1, a)] = [q_0, 0]$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 0], b) = [\delta(q_1, b), \lambda(q_1, b)] = [q_1, 1]$$

$$\delta'([q_1, 1], a) = [\delta(q_1, a), \lambda(q_1, a)] = [q_0, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_1, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_0, B], 0) = \overline{B}$$

$$\delta'([q_0, B], 1) = \overline{A}$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 0], b) = [\delta(q_2, b), \lambda(q_2, b)] = [q_1, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 0], a) = [\delta(q_2, a), \lambda(q_2, a)] = [q_2, 0]$$

$$\delta'([q_2, 1], a) = [\delta(q_2, a), \lambda(q_2, a)] = [q_1, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_2, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_3, 0], a) = [\delta(q_3, a), \lambda(q_3, a)] = [q_2, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_3, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_3, 0], b) = [\delta(q_3, b), \lambda(q_3, b)] = [q_0, 1]$$

$$\delta'([q_3, 1], a) = [\delta(q_3, a), \lambda(q_3, a)] = [q_2, 0]$$

$$\lambda'([q_3, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_3, 1], b) = [\delta(q_3, b), \lambda(q_3, b)] = [q_0, 1]$$

$$\lambda'([q_3, 1]) = 1$$

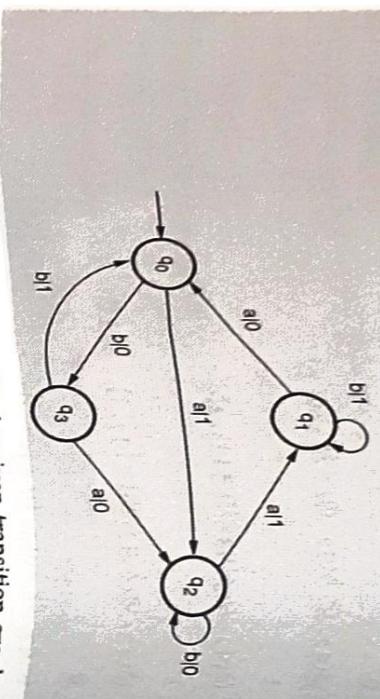
Example 1.17.5 Construct Moore machine for given Mealy machine.

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Solution : We will write the transition table for given transition graph

| State | Transit | | Output | Input b | Output |
|----------------|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|--------|
| | Input a | Input b | | | |
| q ₀ | q ₂ | 1 | q ₃ | 0 | |
| q ₁ | q ₀ | 0 | q ₁ | 1 | |
| q ₂ | q ₁ | 1 | q ₂ | 0 | |
| q ₃ | q ₂ | 0 | q ₀ | 1 | |

Now we will find out the states and corresponding outputs for Moore machine, states for Moore machine will be [q₀, 1], [q₀, 0], [q₁, 0], [q₁, 1], [q₂, 0], [q₂, 1], [q₃, 1]

Now let us compute λ' and δ' for the above states.

$$\delta'([q_0, 1], a) = [\delta(q_0, a), \lambda(q_0, a)]$$

$$= [q_2, 1]$$

Thus we have obtained next state and output. The transition table can be drawn as follows :

| State | Σ | | Output |
|----------------------|----------|---|--------|
| | a | b | |
| [q ₀ , 1] | 1 | 0 | |
| [q ₀ , 0] | 0 | 1 | |
| [q ₁ , 0] | 1 | 0 | |
| [q ₁ , 1] | 0 | 1 | |
| [q ₂ , 0] | 0 | 1 | |
| [q ₂ , 1] | 1 | 0 | |
| [q ₃ , 0] | 1 | 0 | |
| [q ₃ , 1] | 0 | 1 | |

Similarly

$$\lambda'([q_0, 1]) = 1$$

$$\delta'([q_0, 1], b) = [\delta(q_0, b), \lambda(q_0, b)]$$

$$= [q_3, 0]$$

$$\delta'([q_0, 0], a) = [\delta(q_0, a), \lambda(q_0, a)] = [q_2, 1]$$

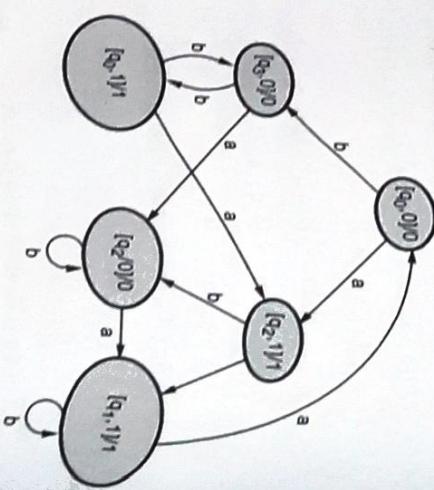
$$\lambda'([q_0, 0]) = 0$$

$$\delta'([q_0, 0], b) = [\delta(q_0, b), \lambda(q_0, b)]$$

| $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_1, 1]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ |
|------------|------------|------------|
| $[q_2, 1]$ | $[q_1, 1]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ |
| $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_1, 1]$ |
| $[q_2, 1]$ | $[q_2, 0]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ |

| i/p 0 | Output | i/p 1 | Output |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| q_0 | q_1 | 0 | q_2 |
| q_1 | q_3 | 0 | q_2 |
| q_2 | q_1 | 1 | 1 |

The transition diagram for Moore machine will be



Now we will obtain states and corresponding outputs for Moore machine. The states for Moore machine will be

$[q_0, 0], [q_0, 1], [q_1, 0], [q_1, 1], [q_2, 0], [q_2, 1]$

We will calculate δ' and λ' for all above states

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'([q_0, 0], 0) &= [\delta(q_0, 0)\lambda(q_0, 0)] \\ &= [q_1, 0]\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, 0]) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta'([q_0, 0], 1) &= [\delta(q_0, 1)\lambda(q_0, 1)] \\ &= [q_2, 1]\end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda'([q_0, 0]) = 0$$

The partial transition table

| State | i/p | | | Output |
|------------|------------|------------|-----|--------|
| | 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| $[q_0, 0]$ | $[q_1, 0]$ | $[q_2, 1]$ | 0 | |

Thus, if we compute δ' and λ' in above manner we get following Moore machine.

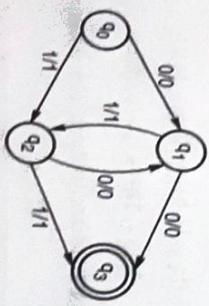


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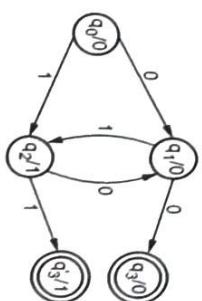


Fig. 1.17.7

Example 1.17.5 Construct the Mealy machine to accept strings ending with '00' or '11'. $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$. Convert Mealy machine into equivalent Moore machine.

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Solution : The Mealy machine is