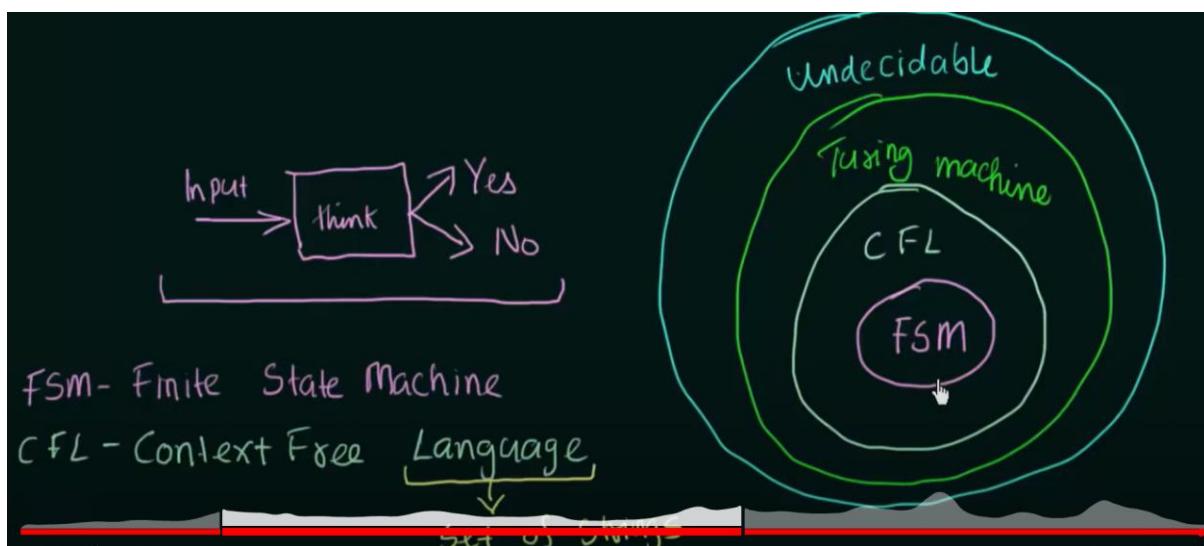
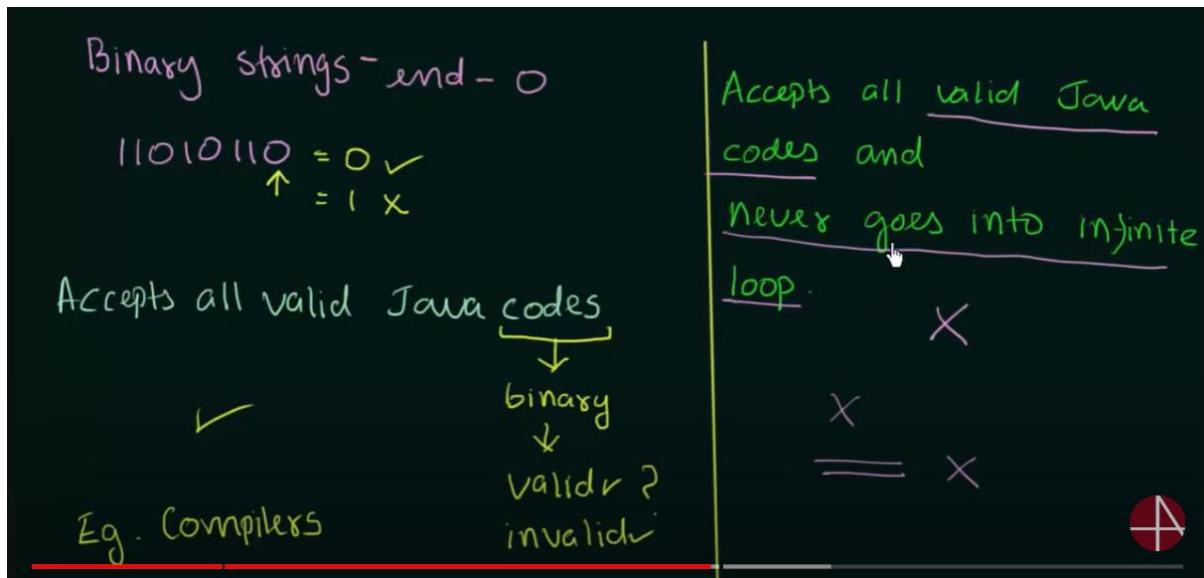


INTRODUCTION (Theory Of Computation)

- » One of the most fundamental courses of Computer Science
- » Will help you understand how people have thought about Computer Science as a Science in the past 50 years
- » It is mainly about what kind of things can you really compute mechanically, how fast and how much space does it take to do so



Finite State Machine (Prerequisites)

Symbol - $a, b, c, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

Alphabet - Σ - collection of symbols - Eg. $\{a, b\}, \{d, e, f, g\}$

String - sequence of symbols. Eg. $\{0, 1, 2\} \dots$

Language - set of strings
Eg. $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$
 $a, b, 0, 1, aa, bb, ab, 01, \dots$

$$\begin{aligned} L_1 &= \text{Set of all strings of length 2} \\ &= \{00, 01, 10, 11\} \end{aligned}$$



$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} L_1 = \text{Set of all strings of length 2.} \\ = \{00, 01, 10, 11\} \\ \\ L_2 = \text{Set of all strings of length 3} \\ = \{000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, 111\} \\ \searrow \text{finite} \end{array} \right. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} L_3 = \text{Set of all strings} \\ \text{that begin with 0} \\ = \{0, 00, 01, 000, 001, \\ 010, 011, 0000, \dots\} \\ \searrow \text{infinite} \end{array} \right.$$



Powers of Σ : $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$

Σ^0 = Set of all strings of length 0 : $\Sigma^0 = \{\epsilon\}$

Σ^1 = Set of all strings of length 1 : $\Sigma^1 = \{0, 1\}$

Σ^2 = Set of all strings of length 2 : $\Sigma^2 = \{00, 01, 10, 11\}$

Σ^3 = Set of all strings of length 3 : $\Sigma^3 = \{000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, 111\}$

Σ^n = Set of all strings of length n .

Cardinality :- Number of elements in a set

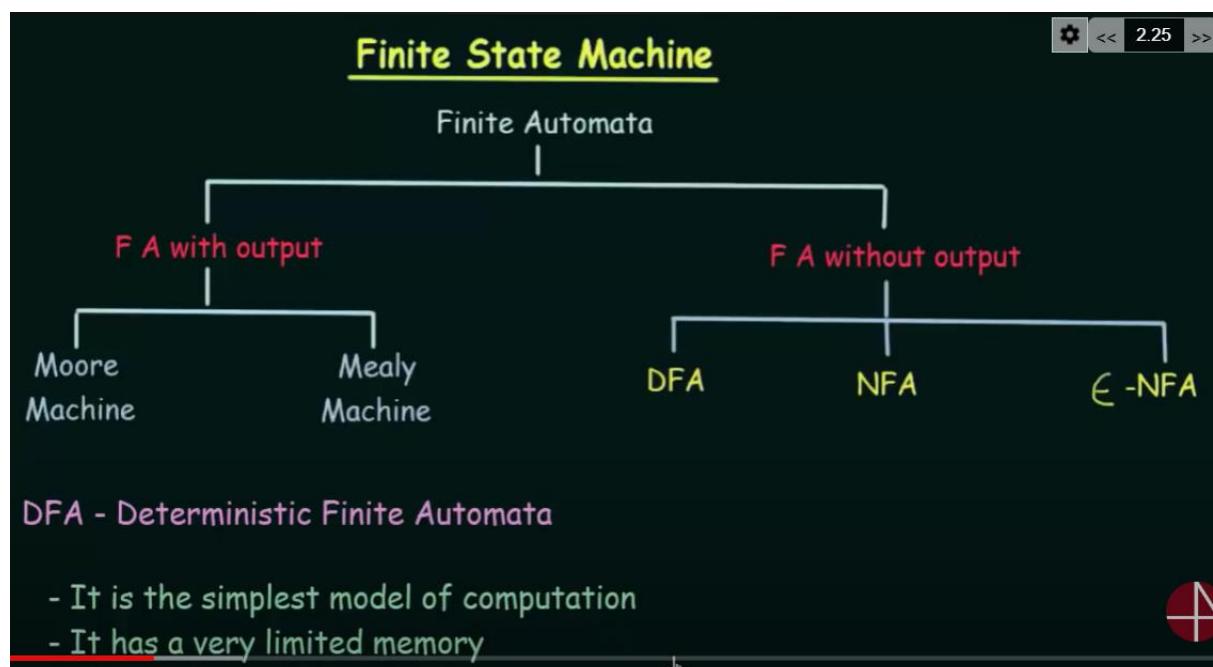
$$\hookrightarrow \Sigma^n = 2^n$$

$$\Sigma^* = \Sigma^0 \cup \Sigma^1 \cup \Sigma^2 \cup \Sigma^3 \dots$$

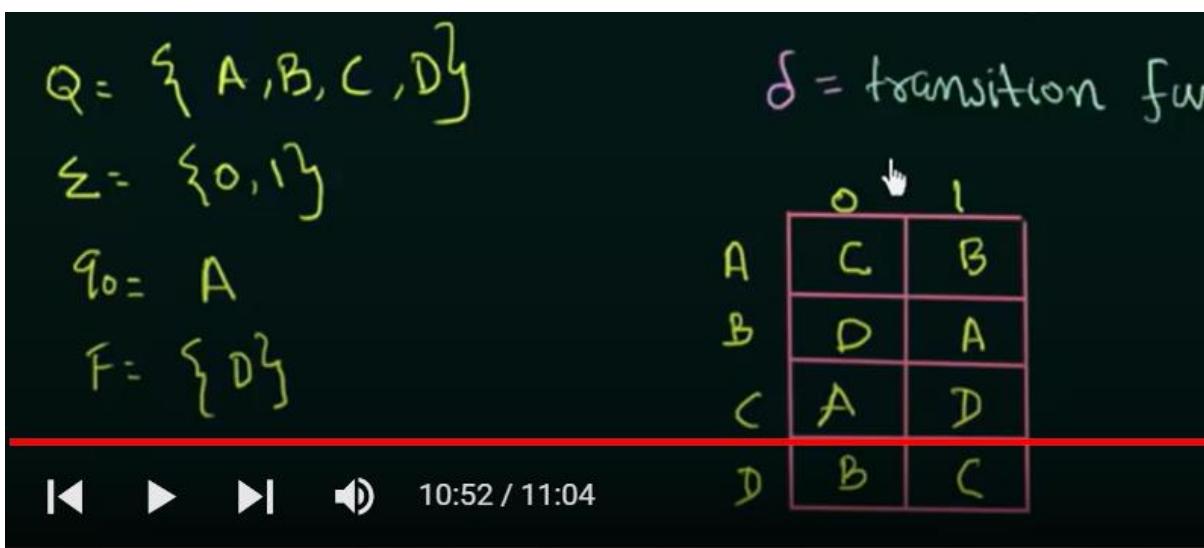
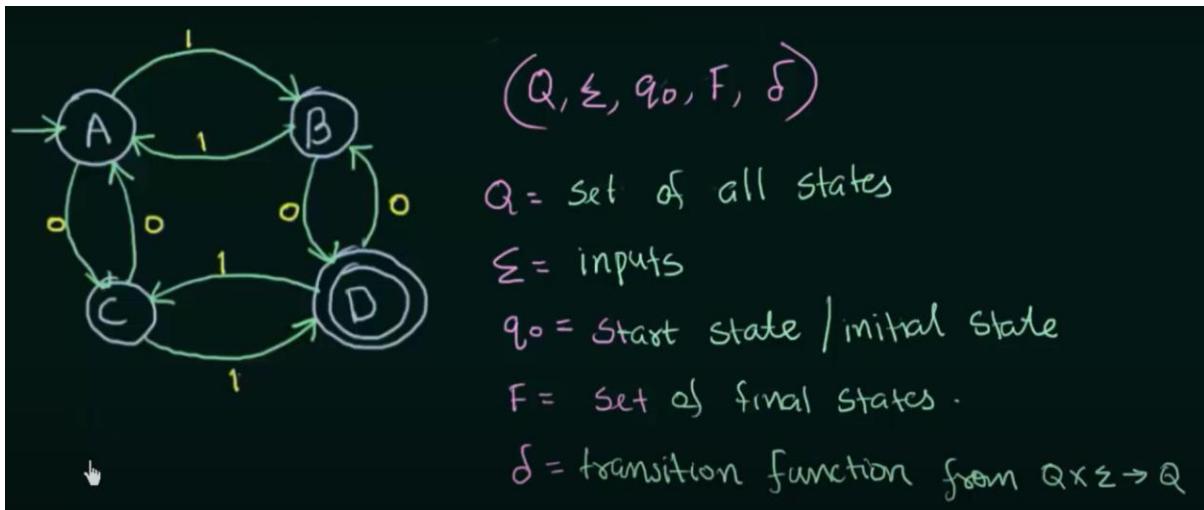
$$= \{\epsilon\} \cup \{0,1\} \cup \{00,01,10,11\} \cup \dots$$

= Set of all possible strings of all lengths over {0,1}

Note here $\sigma^n = 2^n$ because the alphabet has only two digits 0 and 1.



Deterministic Finite Automata

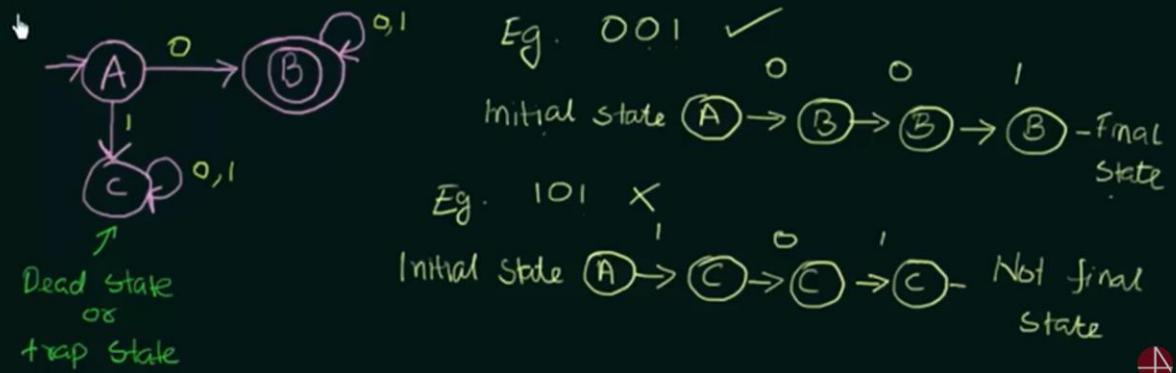


DFA example 1

Deterministic Finite Automata (Example-1)

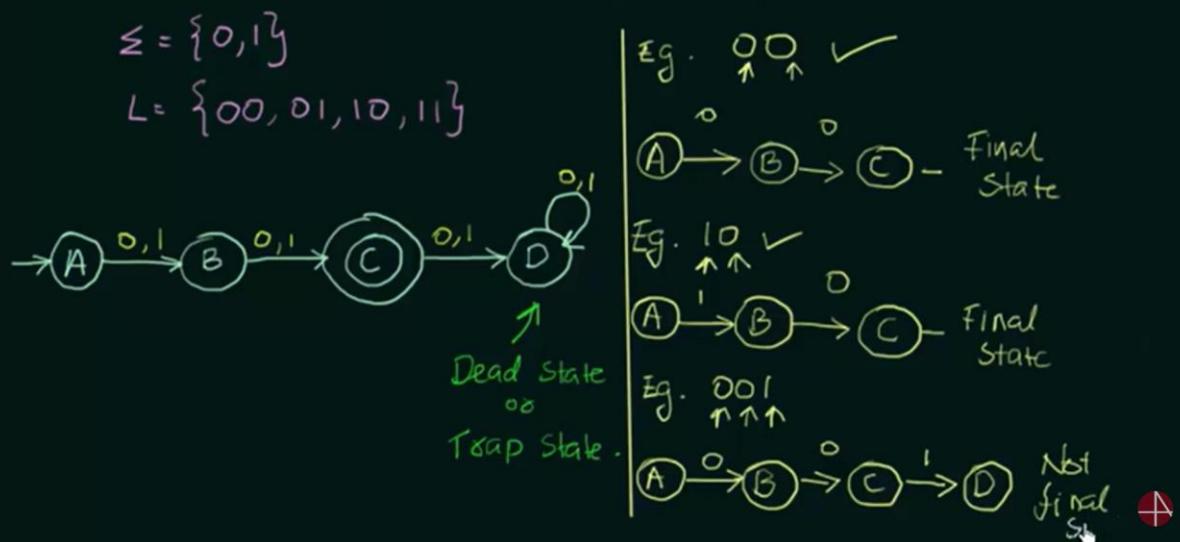
$L_1 = \text{Set of all strings that start with '0'}$

$$= \{ 0, 00, 01, 000, 010, 011, 0000, \dots \}$$



Deterministic Finite Automata (Example-2)

Construct a DFA that accepts sets of all strings over {0,1} of length 2.



Eg. ↗ ↘
 $\textcircled{A} \rightarrow \textcircled{B}$ - Not final state

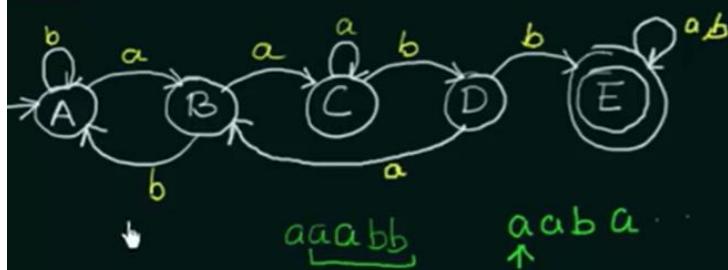
Deterministic Finite Automata (Example-3)

Construct a DFA that accepts any strings over {a,b} that does not contain the string aabb in it.

$$\Sigma = \{a, b\}$$

Try to design a simpler problem

Let us construct a DFA that accepts all strings over {a,b} that contains the string aabb in it

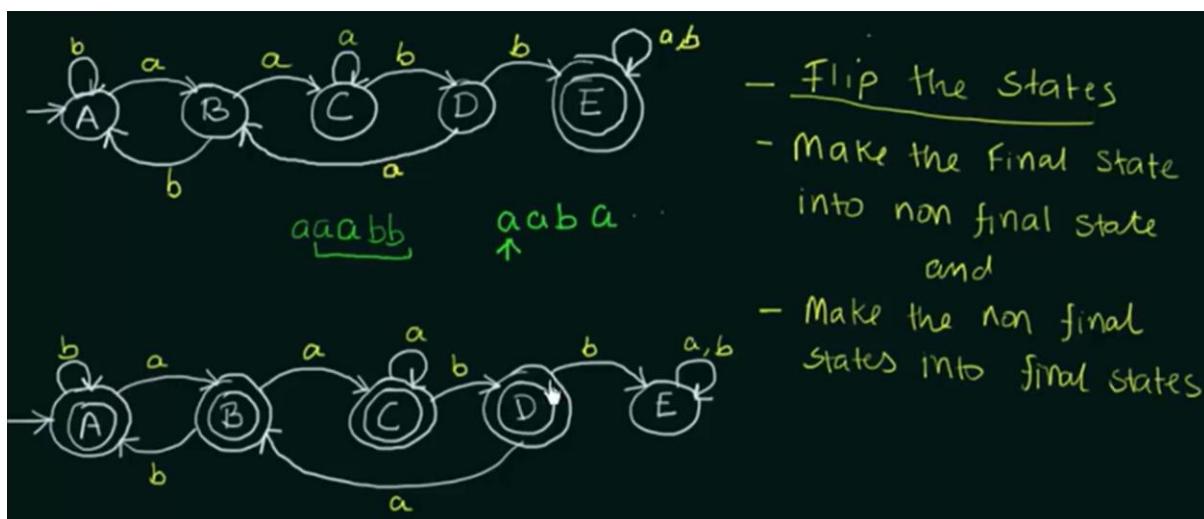


From C if we get we would have aaa, now if we get a b we could proceed to the next state so for a we have put a self-loop over C.

For state B if we get a b then we can't construct the required string, so we go back to state A.

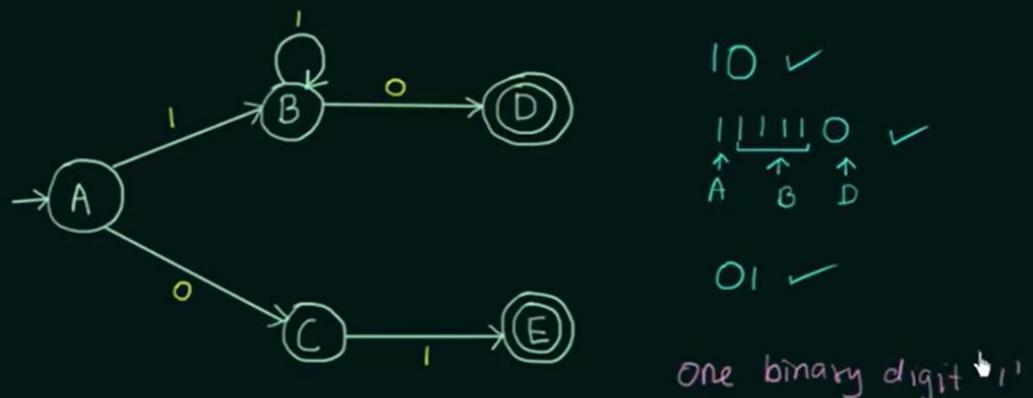
For State D , if we get an a we go back to state B because we already have one a to consider as the string would be aaba.

But the actual problem is just the opposite, so now we flip the states

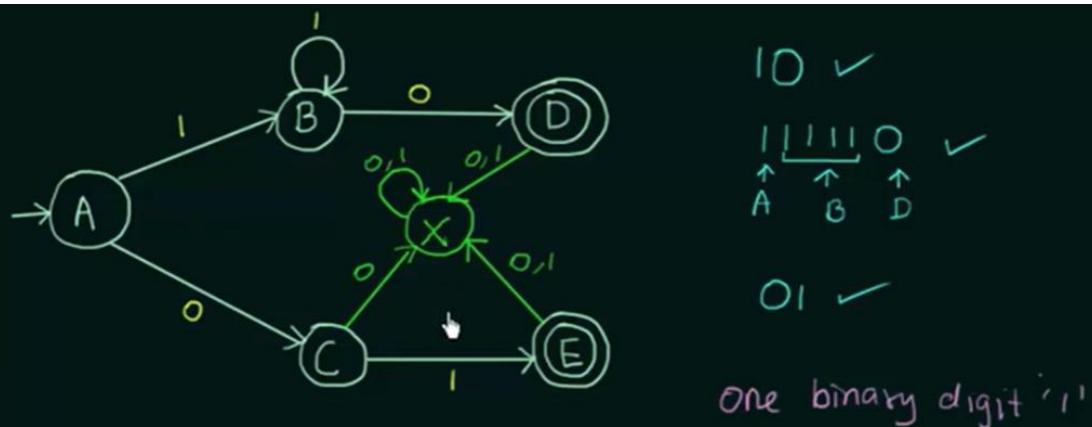


Deterministic Finite Automata (Example-4)

How to figure out what a DFA recognizes?



$L = \{ \text{Accepts the string } 01 \text{ or a string of atleast one '1' followed by a '0'} \}$



$L = \{ \text{Accepts the string } 01 \text{ or a string of atleast one '1' followed by a '0'} \}$

Eg. 001, 010, 011, 1101, 1100

X - Dead state

Regular Languages

Regular Languages

- A language is said to be a **REGULAR LANGUAGE** if and only if some Finite State Machine recognizes it

So what languages are NOT REGULAR ?

The languages

» Which are not recognized by any FSM

» Which require memory

- Memory of FSM is very limited

- It cannot store or count strings

Example of non-regular Languages

Eg. ababbbaabb.

Eg. $a^n b^n$.
aaa
bbb

These languages are not regular because we need to store and count strings respectively.

Operations of Regular Languages

Operations on Regular Languages

UNION

- $A \cup B = \{x | x \in A \text{ or } x \in B\}$

CONCATENATION

- $A \circ B = \{xy | x \in A \text{ and } y \in B\}$

STAR

- $A^* = \{x_1 x_2 x_3 \dots x_k | k \geq 0 \text{ and each } x_i \in A\}$

Eg. $A = \{pq, \gamma\}$, $B = \{t, uv\}$

$$A \cup B = \{pq, \gamma, t, uv\}$$

$$A \circ B = \{pqt, pquv, \gamma t, \gamma uv\}$$

$$A^* = \{\epsilon, pq, \gamma, pq\gamma, \gamma pq, pqpq, \gamma\gamma, pqpq, \gamma\gamma\}$$



Theorem 1: The class of Regular Languages is closed under UNION

The UNION of regular languages is also a regular language

Theorem 2: The class of Regular Languages is closed under CONCATENATION

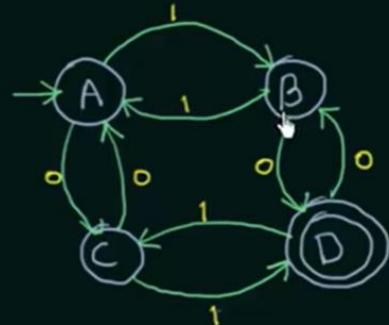
NFA

NFA - Non-deterministic Finite Automata

Deterministic Finite Automata

DETERMINISM

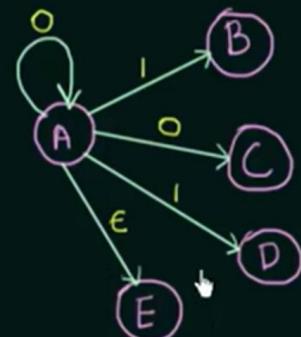
- » In DFA, given the current state we know what the next state will be
- » It has only one unique next state
- » It has no choices or randomness
- » It is simple and easy to design



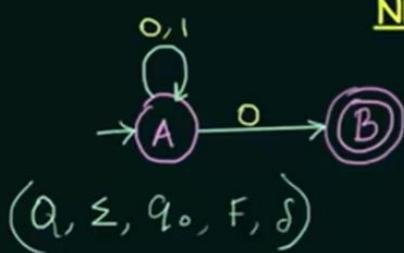
Non-deterministic Finite Automata

NON-DETERMINISM

- » In NFA, given the current state there could be multiple next states
- » The next state may be chosen at random
- » All the next states may be chosen in parallel



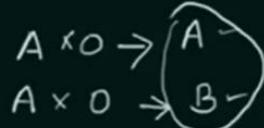
NFA - Formal Definition



$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings that end with } 0 \}$

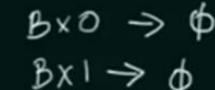
$Q = \text{Set of all states}$

- $\{A, B\}$



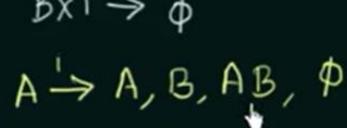
$\Sigma = \text{inputs}$

- $\{0, 1\}$



$q_0 = \text{start state / initial state}$

- A



$F = \text{Set of final states}$

- B

$\delta = Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow \underline{\underline{Q}}$

- ?

$F = \text{Set of final states}$

- B

$A^i \rightarrow A, B, AB, \phi$ - $2^2 - 4$

$\delta = Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow \underline{\underline{Q}}$

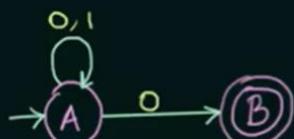
- ?

3 States - A, B, C

$A^i \rightarrow A, B, C, AB, AC, BC, ABC, \phi$
 $2^3 - 8$

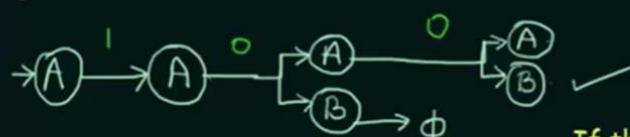


NFA - Example-1



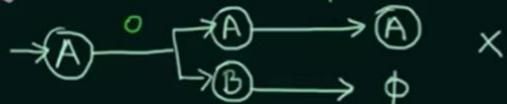
$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings that end with } 0 \}$

Eg. 100



If there is any way to run the machine that ends in any set of states out of which atleast one state is a final state, then the NFA accepts

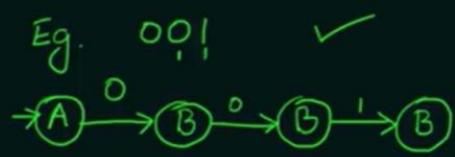
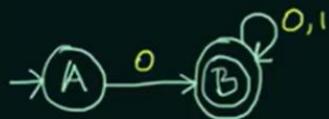
Eg. 01



NFA - Example-2

$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings that start with } 0 \}$

$$= \{ 0, 00, 01, 000, \dots \}$$



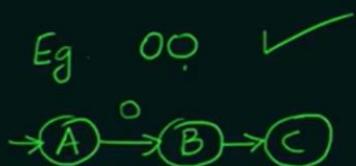
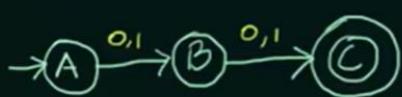
Eg. 101 X

$\xrightarrow{A} \emptyset$ Dead configuration

>> Construct a NFA that accepts sets of all strings over {0,1} of length 2

$$\Sigma = \{0,1\}$$

$$L = \{00, 01, 10, 11\}$$

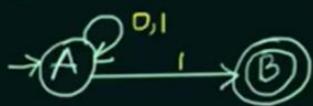


Eg. 001

$\xrightarrow{A} \emptyset$

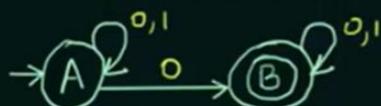
NFA - Example-3

Ex 1) $L_1 = \{ \text{Set of all strings that ends with '1'} \}$

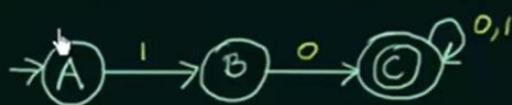


01, 001, 0001, 0*1, 1,
101, 1101,

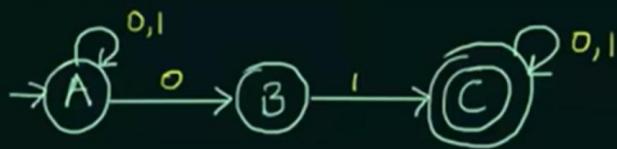
Ex 2) $L_2 = \{ \text{Set of all strings that contain '0'} \}$



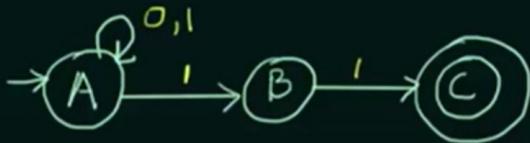
Ex 3) $L_3 = \{ \text{Set of all strings that starts with '10'} \}$



Ex 4) $L_4 = \{ \text{Set of all strings that contain '01'} \}$

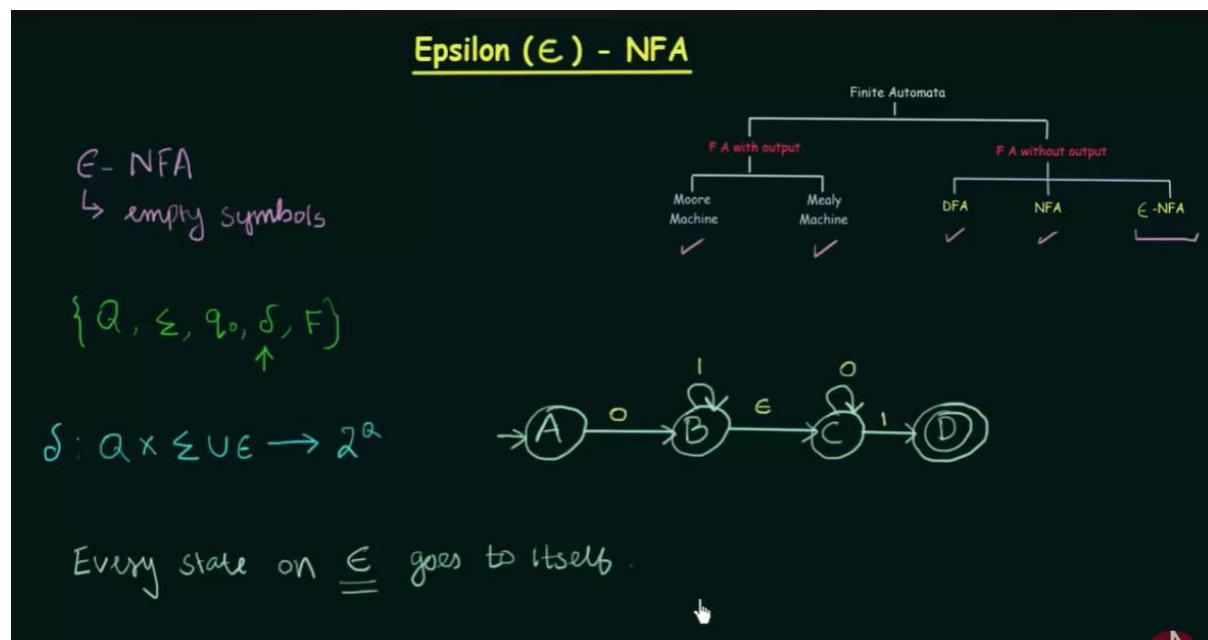


Ex 5) $L_5 = \{ \text{Set of all strings that ends with '11'} \}$



Assignment: If you were to construct the equivalent DFAs for the above NFAs, then tell me how many minimum number of states would you use for the construction of each of the DFAs

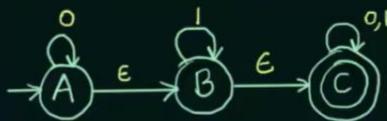
Epsilon NFA



Conversion of epsilon NFA to NFA

Conversion of ϵ -NFA to NFA

Convert the following ϵ -NFA to its equivalent NFA

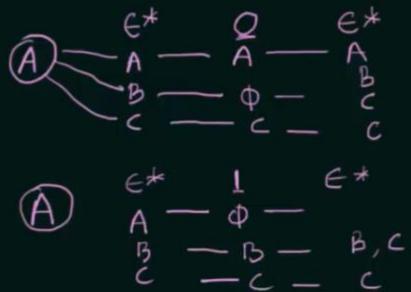


ϵ^* input ϵ^*

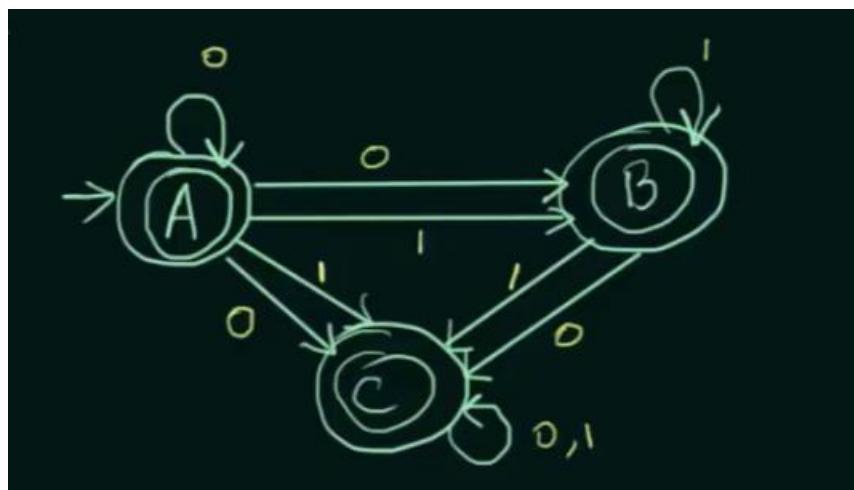
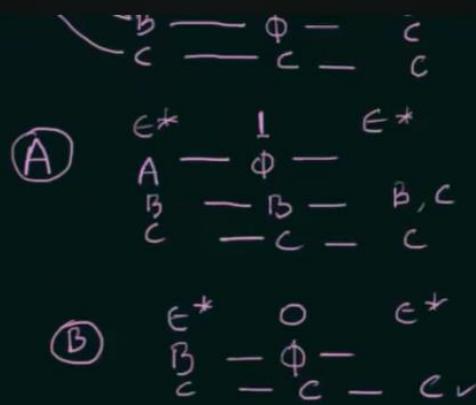
State

ϵ -Closure (ϵ^*) - All the states that can be reached from a particular state only by seeing the ϵ symbol

	0	1
$\rightarrow A$	$\{A, B, C\}$	$\{B, C\}$
B		
C		



	0	1
$\rightarrow A$	$\{A, B, C\}$	$\{B, C\}$
B	$\{C\}$	$\{B, C\}$
C	$\{C\}$	$\{C\}$
$\rightarrow B$	ϵ^*	1
	$B - \frac{B}{C} - C$	$B - \frac{B}{C} - C$



Any state which can reach the final state on just seeing the epsilon symbol is also a final state

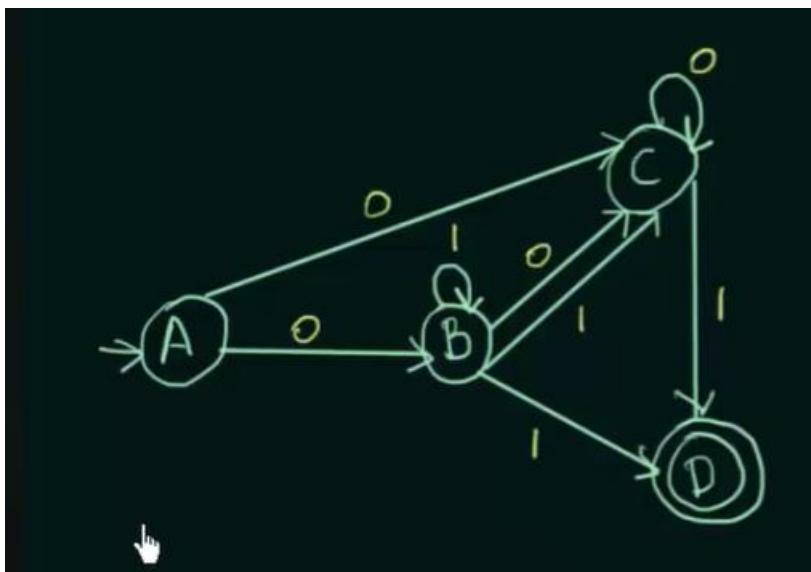
Conversion of ϵ -NFA to NFA -Examples (Part-1)

Convert the following ϵ -NFA to its equivalent NFA

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} \text{NFA} & 0 & 1 \\ \hline \rightarrow A & B, C & \emptyset \\ B & C & B, C, D \\ C & C & D \\ D & \emptyset & \emptyset \end{array}$$

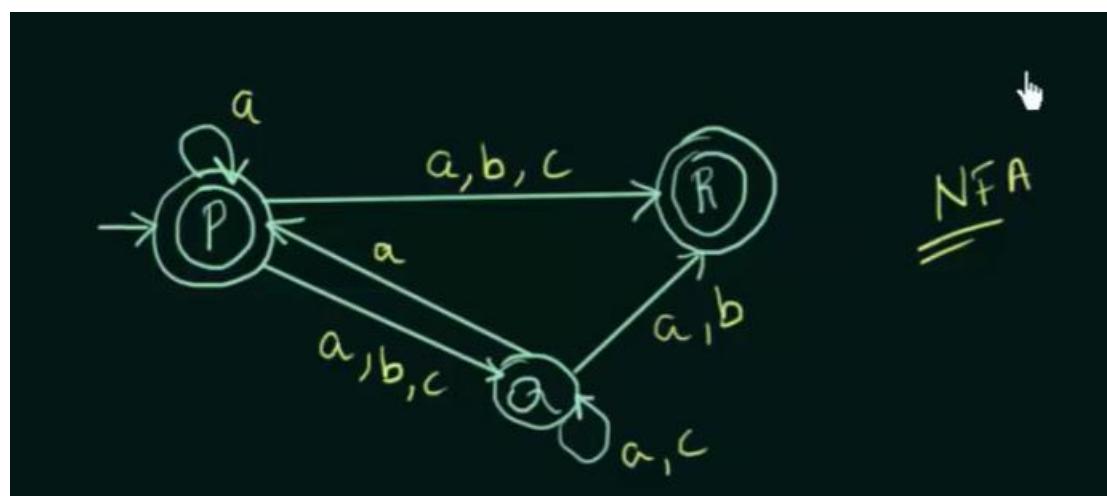
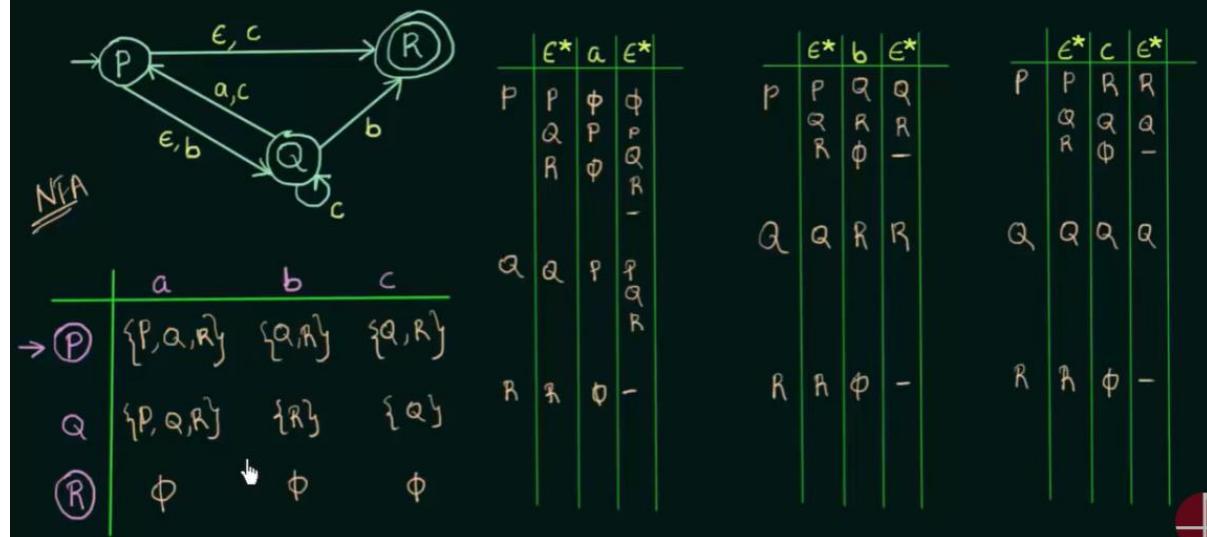
	ϵ^*	0	ϵ^*
A	A	B	B
B	B	\emptyset	\emptyset
C	C	C	C
D	D	\emptyset	\emptyset

	ϵ^*	1	ϵ^*
A	A	\emptyset	\emptyset
B	B	B	B
C	C	D	D
D	D	\emptyset	\emptyset



Conversion of ϵ -NFA to NFA -Examples (Part-2)

Convert the following ϵ -NFA to its equivalent NFA



Conversion of NFA to DFA

Conversion of NFA to DFA

Every DFA is an NFA, but not vice versa

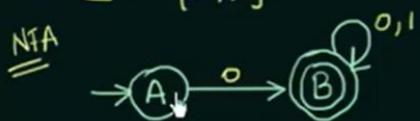
But there is an equivalent DFA for every NFA

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{DFA} \\ \doteq \\ \delta = \underbrace{Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q}_{\text{DFA}} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{NFA} \\ \doteq \\ \delta = \underbrace{Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow 2^Q}_{\text{NFA}} \end{array}$$

$\text{NFA} \cong \text{DFA}$

$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings over } (0,1) \text{ that starts with '0'} \}$

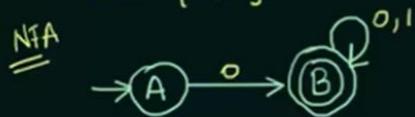
$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$$



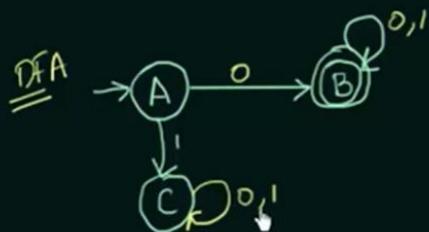
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$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings over } (0,1) \text{ that starts with '0'} \}$

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$$



	0	1
A	B	\emptyset
B	B	B



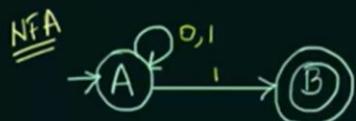
	0	1
A	B	C
B	B	B
C	C	C

$c - \text{Dead State / Trap State}$

Conversion of NFA to DFA - Examples (Part 1)

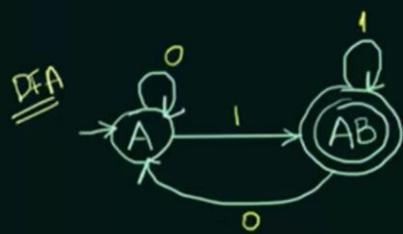
$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings over } (0,1) \text{ that ends with '1'} \}$

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$$



	0	1
A	{A}	{A, B}
B	∅	∅

Subset construction method



	0	1
A	{A}	{AB}
AB	{A}	{AB}

AB - single state



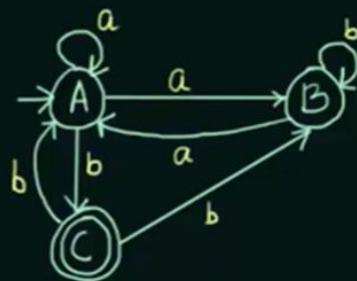
Conversion of NFA to DFA - Examples (Part-2)

Find the equivalent DFA for the NFA given by $M = [\{A, B, C\}, \{a, b\}, \delta, A, \{C\}]$ where δ is given by:

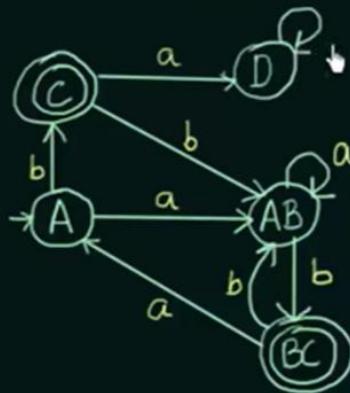
	a	b
→A	A, B	C
B	A	B
C	-	A, B

δ is given by:

	a	b
$\rightarrow A$	A, B	C
B	A	B
C	-	A, B



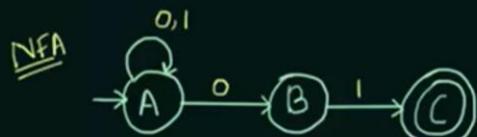
	a	b
$\rightarrow A$	AB	C
AB	AB	BC
BC	A	AB
C	D	AB
D	D	D



Conversion of NFA to DFA - Examples (Part-3)

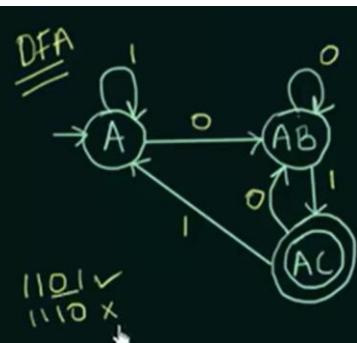
Given below is the NFA for a language

$L = \{ \text{Set of all strings over } (0,1) \text{ that ends with '01'} \}$. Construct its equivalent DFA



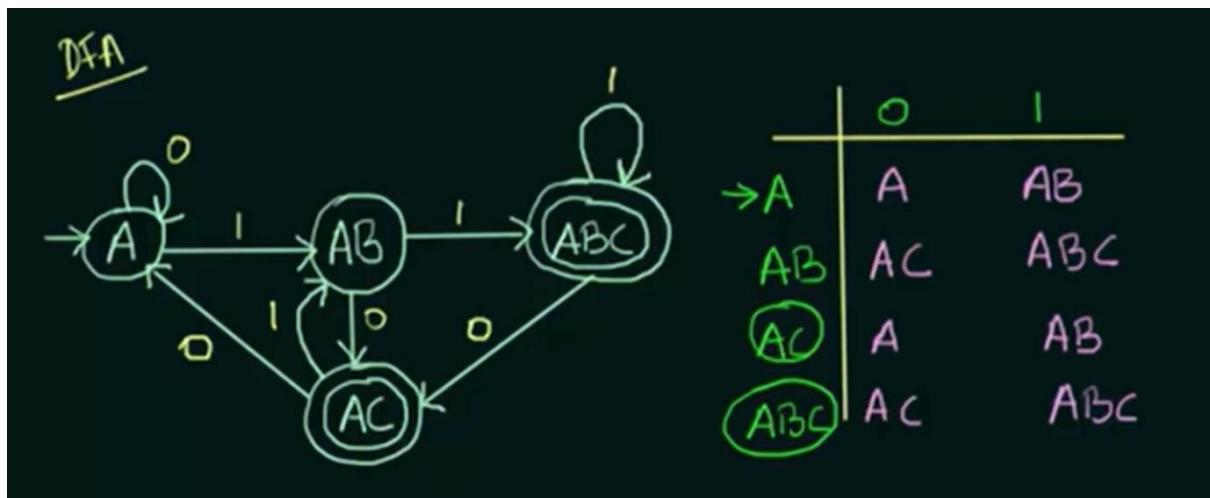
	0	1
$\rightarrow A$	A, B	A
B	\emptyset	C
C	\emptyset	\emptyset

	0	1
$\rightarrow A$	AB	A
AB	AB	AC
AC	AB	A



	0	1
$\rightarrow A$	AB	A
AB	AB	AC
AC	AB	A





Eg. 1010 ✓
110 ✓
1101010 ✓

Minimization of DFA

Minimization of DFA

Minimization of DFA is required to obtain the minimal version of any DFA which consists of the minimum number of states possible

DFA

5 states

4 States

Equivalent

Two states 'A' and 'B' are said to be equivalent if

$$\delta(A, x) \rightarrow F \quad \text{and} \quad \delta(B, x) \rightarrow F$$

OR

$$\delta(A, x) \not\rightarrow F \quad \text{and} \quad \delta(B, x) \not\rightarrow F$$

where 'X' is any input String



If $|X| = 0$, then A and B are said to be 0 equivalent

If $|X| = 1$, then A and B are said to be 1 equivalent

If $|X| = 2$, then A and B are said to be 2 equivalent

:



If $|X| = n$, then A and B are said to be n equivalent

Minimization of DFA - Examples (Part-1)



	0	1
→ A	B	C
B	B	D
C	B	C
D	B	E
E	B	C

0 Equivalence : $\{A, B, C, D\}$ $\{E\}$

A, B ✓

1 Equivalence : $\{A, B, C\}$ $\{D\}$ $\{E\}$

A, C ✓

2 Equivalence : $\{A, C\}$ $\{B\}$ $\{D\}$ $\{E\}$

C, D ✗



2 Equivalence : $\{A, C\}$ $\{B\}$ $\{D\}$ $\{E\}$

3 Equivalence : $\{A, C\}$ $\{B\}$ $\{D\}$ $\{E\}$

When you see two consecutive equivalences giving the same result, you can stop the process. No need to go further.



Minimization of DFA - Examples (Part-2)

Construct a minimum DFA equivalent to the DFA described by

	0	1	Equivalence
$\rightarrow q_0$	q_1 q_5	q_5	$\{q_0, q_1, q_3, q_4, q_5, q_6, q_7\}$ $\{q_2\}$
q_1	q_6	q_2	1- Equivalence
$\circled{q_2}$	q_0	q_2	$\{q_0, q_4, q_6\}$
q_3	q_2	q_6	$\{q_1, q_7\}$
q_4	q_7	q_5	$\{q_3, q_5\}$ $\{q_2\}$
q_5	q_2	q_6	2- Equivalence
q_6	q_6	q_4	$\{q_0, q_4\}$ $\{q_6\}$ $\{q_1, q_7\}$ $\{q_3, q_5\}$ $\{q_2\}$
q_7	q_6	q_2	

2- Equivalence

$\{q_0, q_4\}$ $\{q_6\}$ $\{q_1, q_7\}$ $\{q_3, q_5\}$ $\{q_2\}$

3- Equivalence

$\{q_0, q_4\}$ $\{q_6\}$ $\{q_1, q_7\}$ $\{q_3, q_5\}$ $\{q_2\}$

2 steps with the same output found so stop the process.

	O	I
$\rightarrow q_0$	q_1	q_5
q_1	q_6	q_2
q_2	q_0	q_2
q_3	q_2	q_6
q_4	q_7	q_5
q_5	q_2	q_6
q_6	q_6	q_4
q_7	q_6	q_2

Minimization with multiple final states

Minimization of DFA - Examples (Part-3)

When there are more than one Final States involved

Minimize the following DFA:



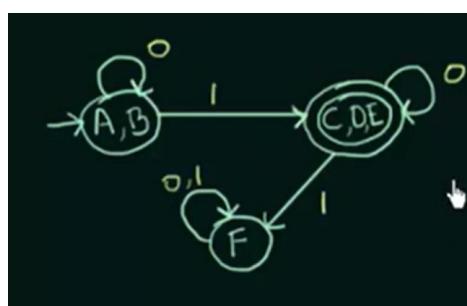
0-Equivalence - $\{A, B, F\}$ $\{C, D, E\}$

1-Equivalence - $\{A, B\}$ $\{F\}$ $\{C, D, E\}$

2-Equivalence - $\{A, B\}$ $\{F\}$ $\{C, D, E\}$

	O	I
$\rightarrow A$	B	C
B	A	D
C	E	F
D	E	F
E	E	F
F	F	F

2 steps with the same output found so stop the process.

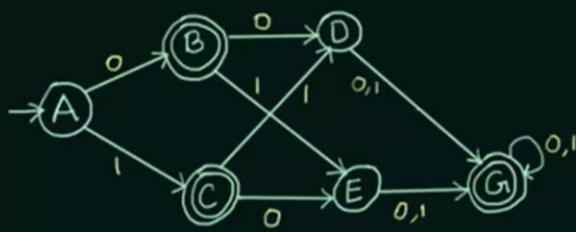


	O	I
$\rightarrow \{A, B\}$	$\{A, B\}$	$\{C, D, E\}$
$\{F\}$	$\{F\}$	$\{F\}$
$\{C, D, E\}$	$\{C, D, E\}$	$\{F\}$

Minimization with unreachable state

Minimization of DFA - Examples (Part-4)

When there are Unreachable States involved



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A	B, C	
B	D, E	
C	E, D	
D	G, G	
E	G, G	
G	G, G	

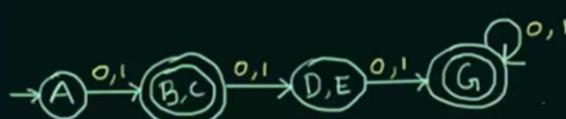
A state is said to be Unreachable if there is no way it can be reached from the Initial State

- 0-Equivalence : $\{A, D, E\} \{B, C, G\}$
 1-Equivalence : $\{A, D, E\} \{B, C\} \{G\}$
 2-Equivalence : $\{A\} \{D, E\} \{B, C\} \{G\}$
 3-Equivalence : $\{A\} \{D, E\} \{B, C\} \{G\}$



Simple remove the unreachable state.

- 1-Equivalence : $\{A, D, E\} \{B, C\} \{G\}$
 2-Equivalence : $\{A\} \{D, E\} \{B, C\} \{G\}$
 3-Equivalence : $\{A\} \{D, E\} \{B, C\} \{G\}$



	0	1
$\rightarrow \{A\}$	$\{B, C\}$	$\{B, C\}$
$\{D, E\}$	$\{G\}$	$\{G\}$
$\{B, C\}$	$\{D, E\}$	$\{D, E\}$
$\{G\}$	$\{G\}$	$\{G\}$



Myhill-Nerode Theorem – Minimization of DFA using Table-filling method

Minimization of DFA - Table Filling Method (Myhill-Nerode Theorem)



- Steps:
- 1) Draw a table for all pairs of states (P, Q)
 - 2) Mark all pairs where $P \in F$ and $Q \notin F$
 - 3) If there are any Unmarked pairs (P, Q) such that $[\delta(P, x), \delta(Q, x)]$ is marked, then mark $[P, Q]$ where 'x' is an input symbol
REPEAT THIS UNTIL NO MORE MARKINGS CAN BE MADE
 - 4) Combine all the Unmarked Pairs and make them a single state in the minimized DFA

After completing 2nd step

	A	B	C	D	E	F
A						
B						
C	✓	✓				
D	✓	✓				
E	✓	✓				
F			✓	✓	✓	

After completing 3rd step

	A	B	C	D	E	F	
A							
B							
C	✓	✓					
D	✓	✓					
E	✓	✓					
F	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		

REPEAT THIS UNTIL NO MORE MARKINGS CAN BE MADE

4) Combine all the Unmarked Pairs and make them a single state in the minimized DFA

$(D, C) - \delta(D, 0) = E \quad \delta(D, 1) = F \quad \delta(C, 0) = E \quad \delta(C, 1) = F$

$(E, C) - \delta(E, 0) = E \quad \delta(E, 1) = F \quad \delta(C, 0) = E \quad \delta(C, 1) = F$

$(F, A) - \delta(F, 0) = F \quad \delta(F, 1) = F \quad \delta(A, 0) = B \quad \delta(A, 1) = C$

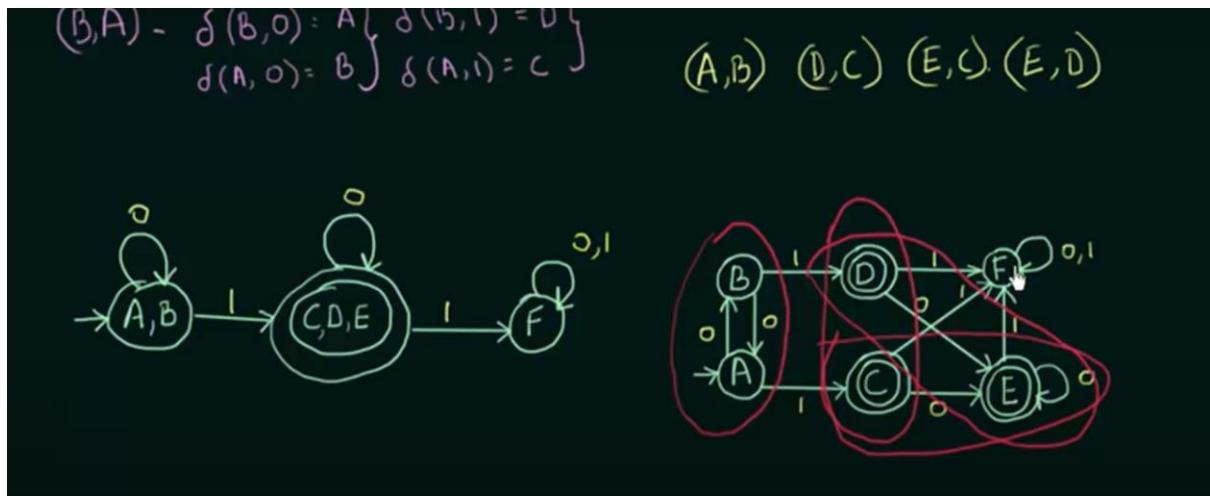
$(E, D) - \delta(E, 0) = E \quad \delta(E, 1) = F \quad \delta(D, 0) = E \quad \delta(D, 1) = F$

$(F, B) - \delta(F, 0) = F \quad \delta(B, 0) = A \quad \delta(B, 1) = C$

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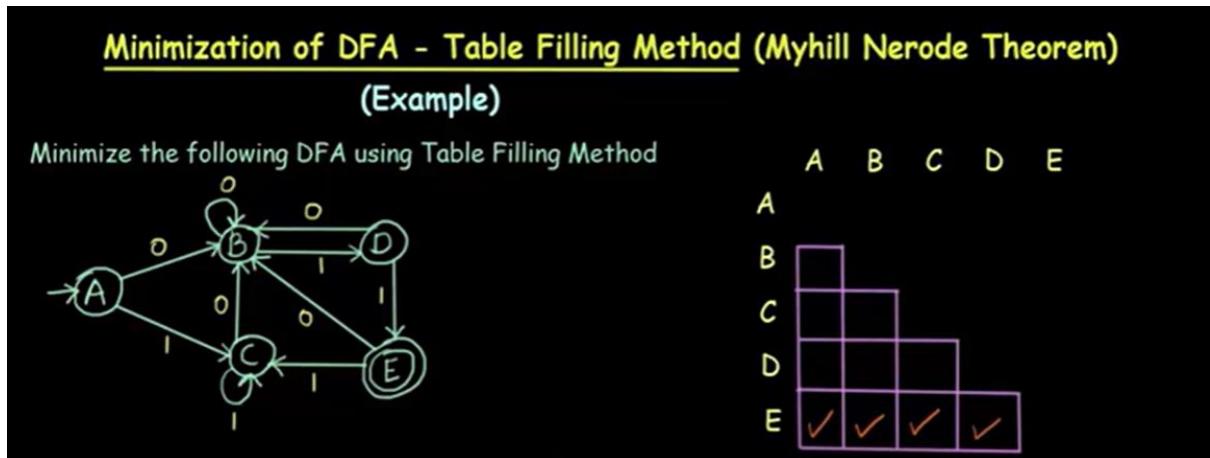
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After completing 4th step

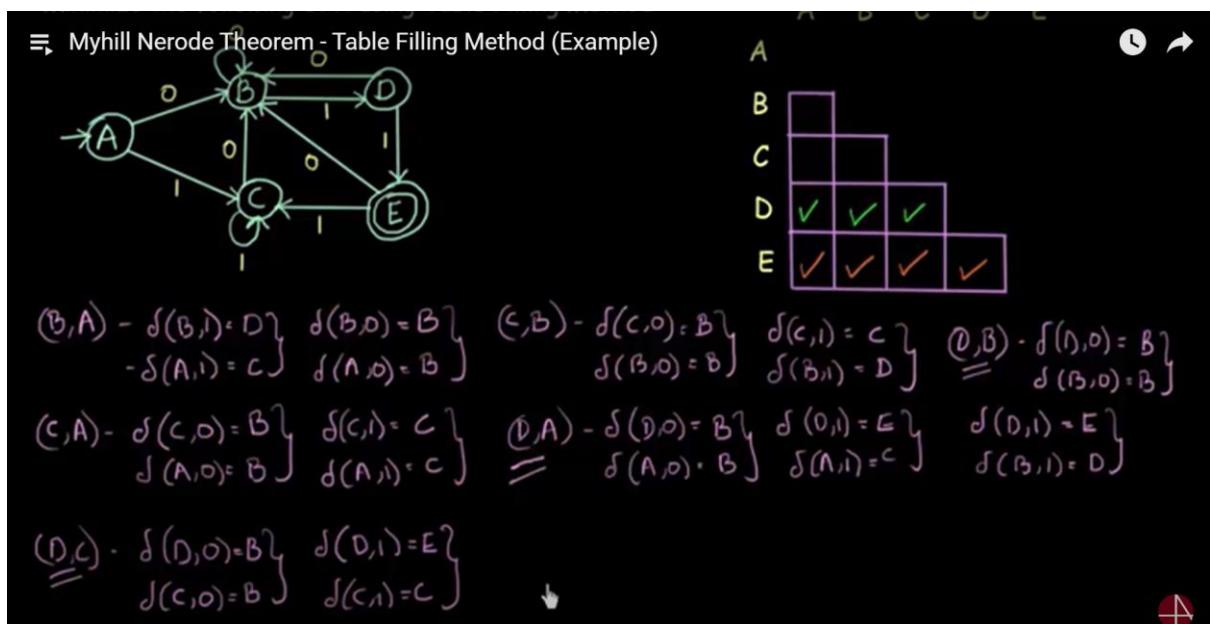


Example 2

After completing 2nd step



After completing 1st iteration of 3rd step



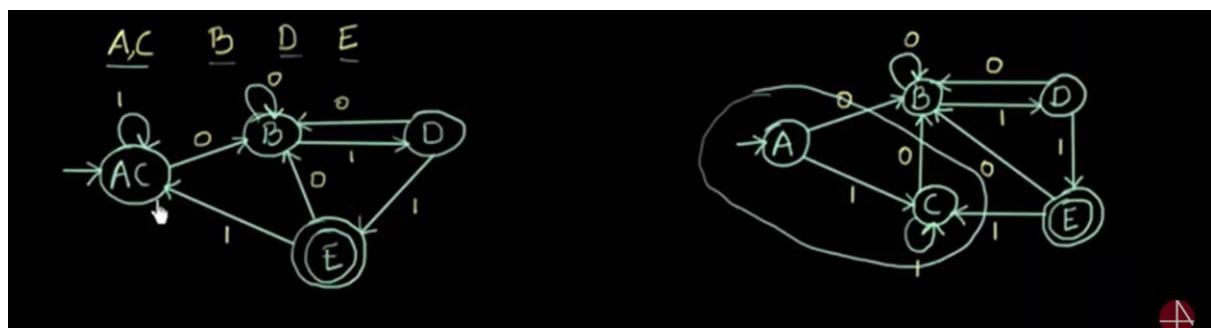
After completing 2nd iteration of 3rd step

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 \end{array}$$



	A	B	C	D	E
A					
B		✓			
C			✓		
D	✓		✓	✓	
E	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

After completing 4th step



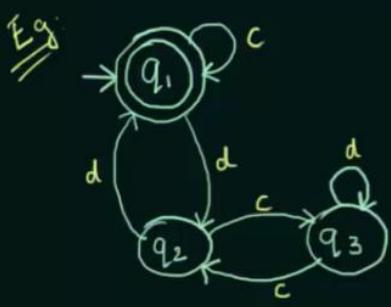
Equivalence of two finite automata

Equivalence of two Finite Automata

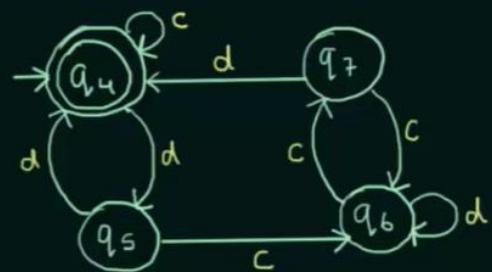
Steps to identify equivalence

- 1) For any pair of states $\{q_i, q_j\}$ the transition for input $a \in \Sigma$ is defined by $\{\delta(q_i, a), \delta(q_j, a)\}$ where $\delta(q_i, a) = q_a$ and $\delta(q_j, a) = q_b$
The two automata are not equivalent if for a pair $\{q_a, q_b\}$ one is INTERMEDIATE State and the other is FINAL State.
- 2) If Initial State is Final State of one automaton, then in second automaton also Initial State must be Final State for them to be equivalent.

State must be Final State for them to be equivalent.



A



B

States

(q_1, q_4)

c

(q_1, q_4)

d

(q_2, q_5)

(q_2, q_5)

(q_3, q_6)

(q_1, q_4)

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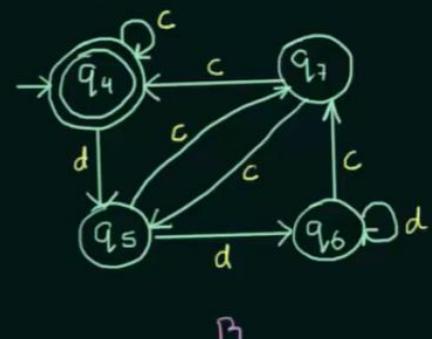
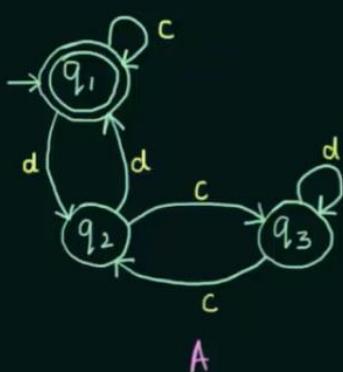
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<u>States</u>	<u>c</u>	<u>d</u>
(q_1, q_4)	$(\overset{1}{q_1}, \overset{1}{q_4})$ FS FS	$(\overset{1}{q_2}, \overset{1}{q_5})$ IS IS
(q_2, q_5)	$(\overset{1}{q_3}, \overset{1}{q_6})$ IS IS	$(\overset{1}{q_1}, \overset{1}{q_4})$ FS FS
(q_3, q_6)	$(\overset{1}{q_2}, \overset{1}{q_7})$ IS IS	→ $(\overset{1}{q_3}, \overset{1}{q_6})$ IS IS
(q_2, q_7)	$(\overset{1}{q_5}, \overset{1}{q_6})$ IS IS	$(\overset{1}{q_1}, \overset{1}{q_4})$ FS FS

A and B are equivalent

Equivalence of two Finite Automata (Example)

Find out whether the following automata are equivalent or not



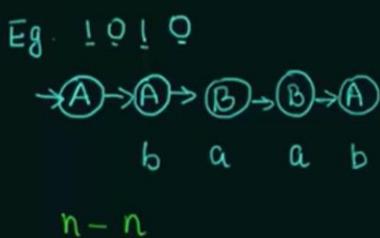
<u>States</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>d</u>
$\{q_1, q_4\}$	$\{q_1, q_4\}$ $\frac{1}{FS} \quad \frac{1}{FS}$	$\{q_2, q_5\}$ $\frac{1}{S} \quad \frac{1}{S}$
$\{q_2, q_5\}$	$\{q_3, q_7\}$ $\frac{1}{S} \quad \frac{1}{S}$	$\{q_1, q_6\}$ $\textcircled{FS} \quad \textcircled{1/S}$

A and B are not equivalent

Equivalence of Two Finite Automata (Example)

Finite Automata with outputs

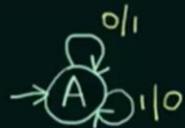
<u>Finite Automata With Outputs</u>	
<u>MEALY MACHINE</u>	<u>MOORE MACHINE</u>
$(Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$	$(Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$
where	where
Q = Finite Set of States	Q = Finite Set of States
Σ = Finite non-empty set of Input Alphabets	Σ = Finite non-empty set of Input Alphabets
Δ = The set of Output Alphabets	Δ = The set of Output Alphabets
δ = Transition function: $Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$	δ = Transition function: $Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$
λ = Output function: $\Sigma \times Q \rightarrow \Delta$	λ = Output function: $Q \rightarrow \Delta$
q_0 = Initial State / Start State	q_0 = Initial State / Start State



Construction of Mealy Machine

Construction of Mealy Machine

Ex-1) Construct a Mealy Machine that produces the 1's Complement of any binary input string.

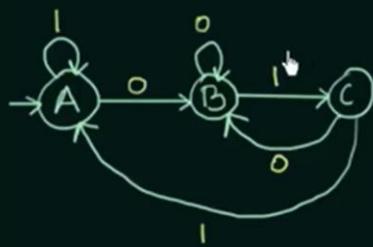


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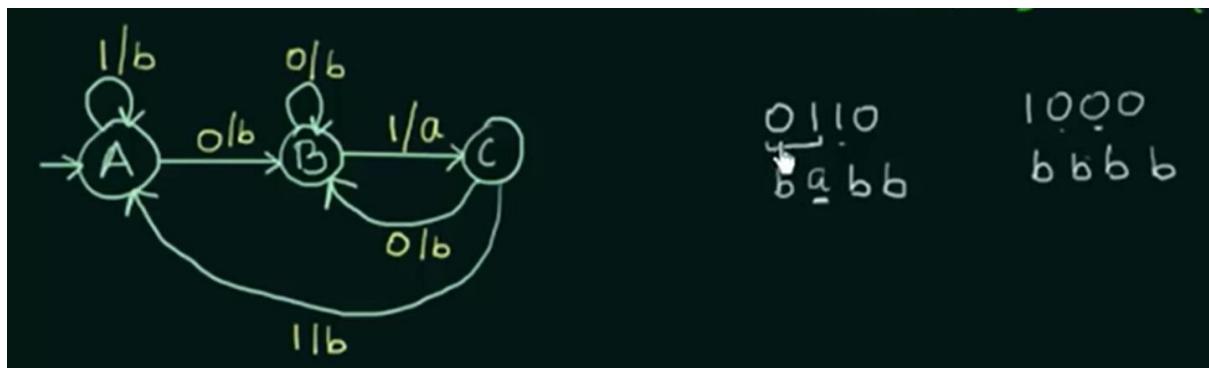
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$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\} \quad \Delta = \{a, b\}$$

Ex-2) Construct a Mealy Machine that prints 'a' whenever the sequence '01' is encountered in any input binary string.



In the 2nd part first make the DFA and then convert it to a Mealy Machine

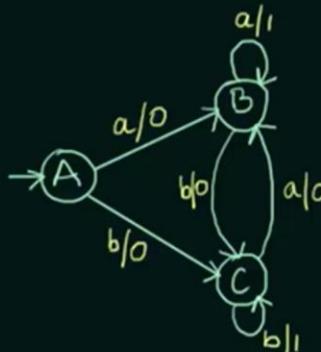


Example 1

Construction of Mealy Machine - Examples (Part-1)

Design a Mealy Machine accepting the language consisting of strings from Σ^* , where $\Sigma = \{a,b\}$ and the strings should end with either aa or bb

$$\begin{array}{l} aa - 1 \\ bb - 1 \end{array}$$



abb

bba

ba
oo

aa
oo



Construction of Mealy Machine - Examples (Part-2)

Construct a Mealy Machine that gives 2's Complement of any binary input. (Assume that the last carry bit is neglected)

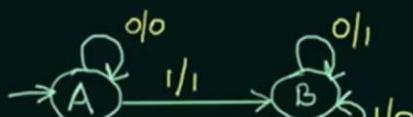
$$2' \text{ complement} = 1^s \text{ complement} + 1$$

MSB ← LSB

$$\text{Eg. } \begin{array}{r} 10100 \\ 1^s. \quad 01011 \\ \hline 2' = 01100 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Eg. } \begin{array}{r} 11(00 \\ 1^s. \quad 00011 \\ \hline 2' = 00100 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Eg. } \begin{array}{r} 111(1 \\ 1^s. \quad 0000 \\ \hline 2' = 0001 \end{array}$$



For finding two's complement, go from LSB to MSB and keep the digits same before encountering the first one and after the first one take 1's complement of all digits.

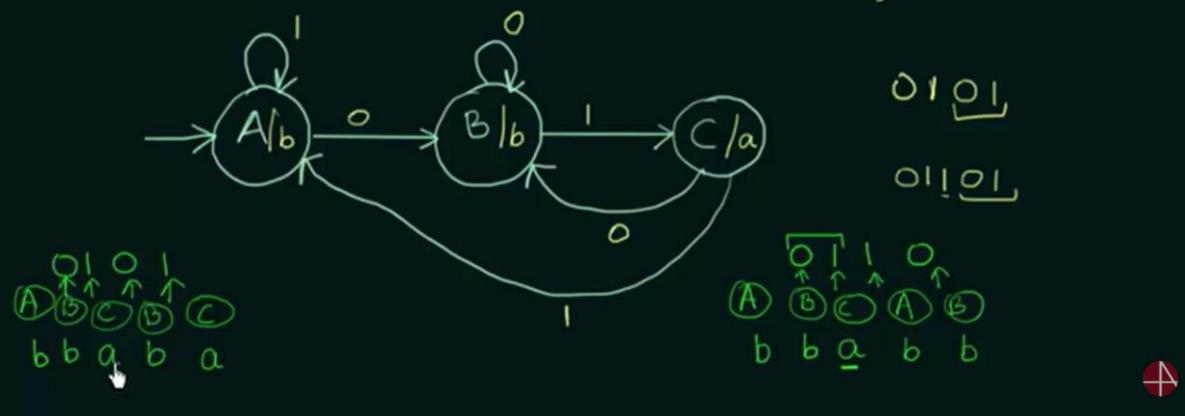
Construction of Moore Machine

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Construct a Moore Machine that prints 'a' whenever the sequence '01' is encountered in any input binary string

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$$

$$\Delta = \{a, b\}$$

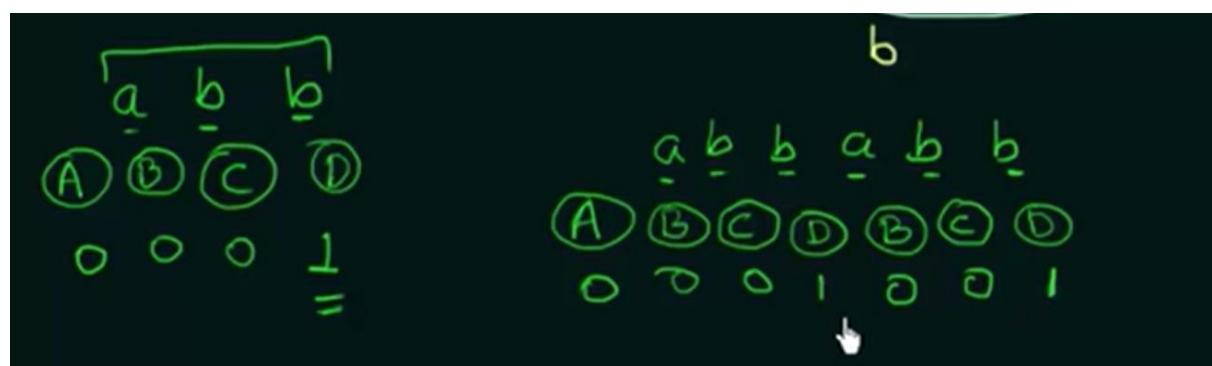
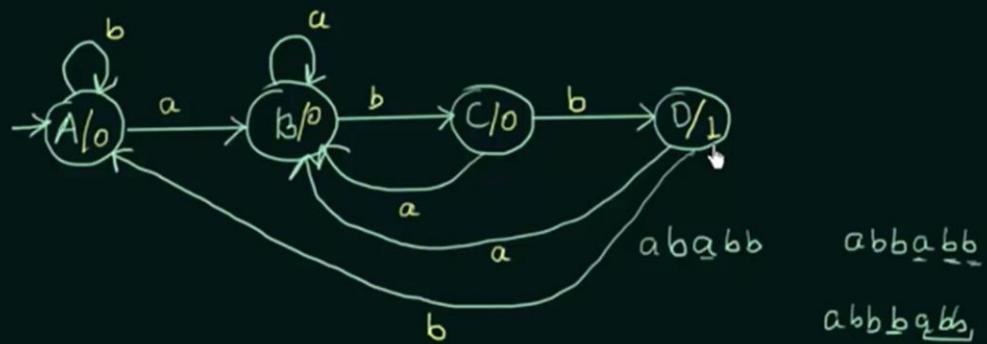


Example 1

Construction of Moore Machine - Examples (Part-1)

Construct a Moore Machine that counts the occurrences of the sequence 'abb' in any input strings over {a,b}

$$\Sigma = \{a, b\} \quad \Delta = \{0, 1\}$$

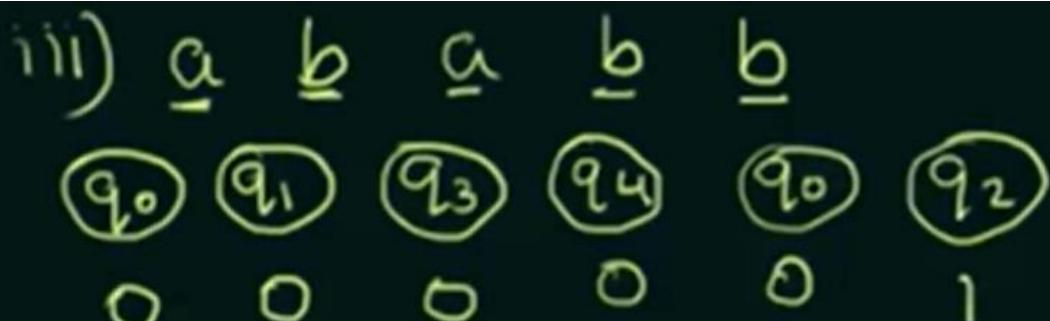
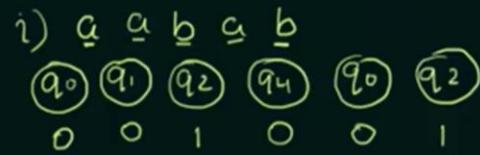


Construction of Moore Machine- Examples (Part-2)

For the following Moore Machine the input alphabet is $\Sigma = \{a,b\}$ and the output alphabet is $\Delta = \{0,1\}$. Run the following input sequences and find the respective outputs:

- (i) aabab (ii) abbb (iii) ababb

States	a	b	Outputs
$\rightarrow q_0$	q_1	q_2	0
q_1	q_2	q_3	0
q_2	q_3	q_4	1
q_3	q_4	q_4	0
q_4	q_0	q_0	0



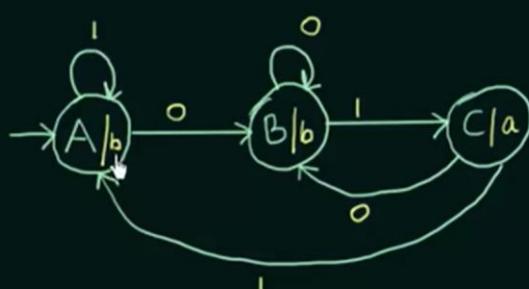
Conversion of Moore Machine to Mealy Machine

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Construct a Moore Machine that prints 'a' whenever the sequence '01' is encountered in any input binary string and then CONVERT IT TO ITS EQUIVALENT MEALY MACHINE

$$\Sigma = \{0,1\} \quad \Delta = \{a,b\}$$

Moore Machine \iff Mealy Machine



State	0	1	Output
$\rightarrow A$	B	A	b
B	B	C	b
C	B	A	a



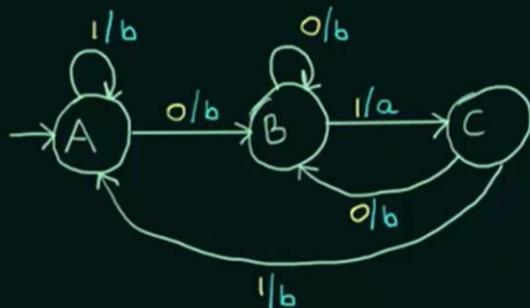
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Moore Machine \longleftrightarrow Mealy Machine



State	0	1
$\rightarrow A$	B, b	A, b
B	B, b	C, a
C	B, b	A, b

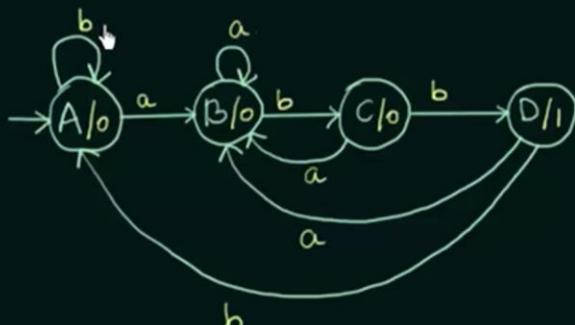


Conversion of Moore Machine to Mealy Machine - Examples (Part-1)

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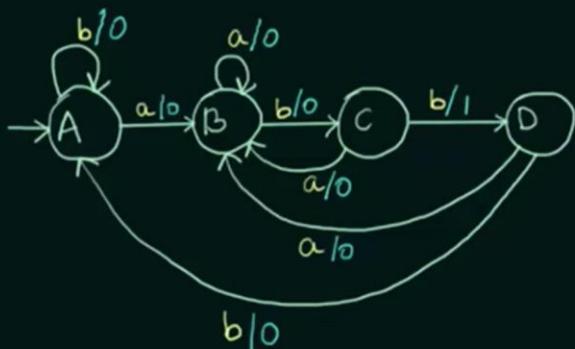
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State	a	b
$\rightarrow A$	B, 0	A, 0
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C	B, 0	D, 1
D	B, 0	A, 0



Conversion of Moore Machine to Mealy Machine- Examples (Part-2)

Convert the given Moore Machine to its equivalent Mealy Machine.

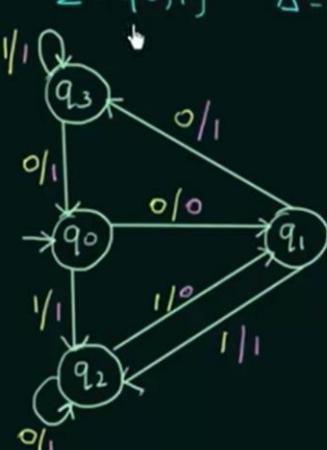
Moore

State	0	1	Output
$\rightarrow q_0$	q_1	q_2	1
q_1	q_3	q_2	0
q_2	q_2	q_1	1
q_3	q_0	q_3	1

Mealy

State	0	1
$\rightarrow q_0$	$q_1, 0$	$q_2, 1$
q_1	$q_3, 1$	$q_2, 1$
q_2	$q_2, 1$	$q_1, 0$
q_3	$q_0, 1$	$q_3, 1$

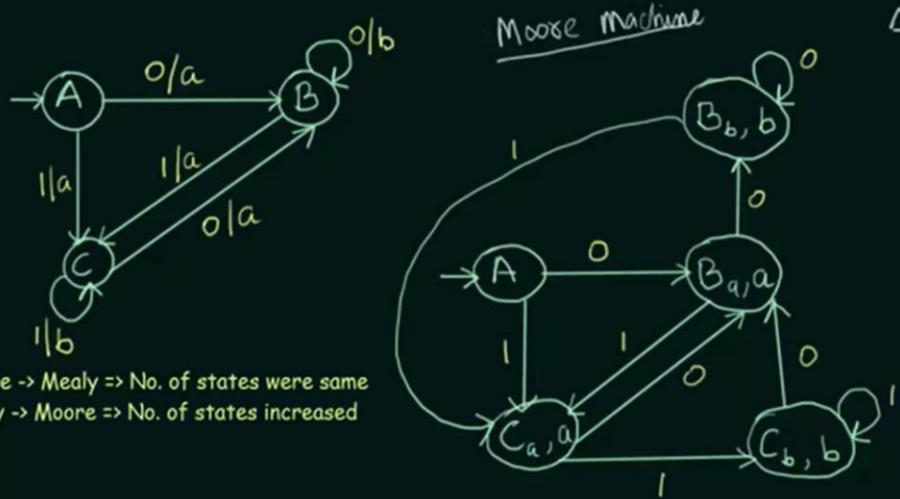
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Conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine

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Convert the following Mealy Machine to its equivalent Moore Machine



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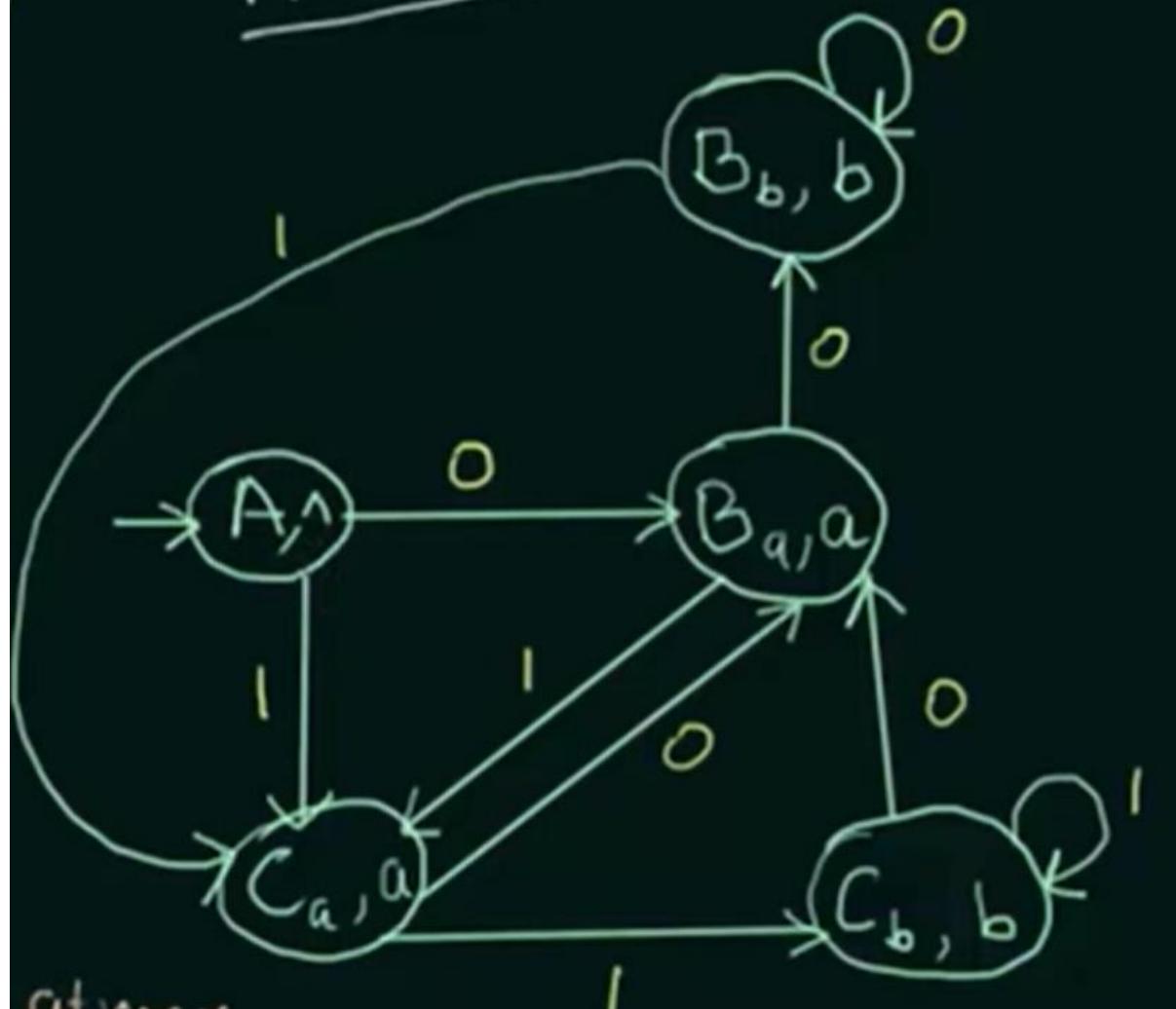
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Moore \rightarrow Mealy \Rightarrow No. of states were same
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 $\frac{n}{x}$ and $\frac{y}{z}$ \Rightarrow (nxy) no. of states at max.

Moose Machine

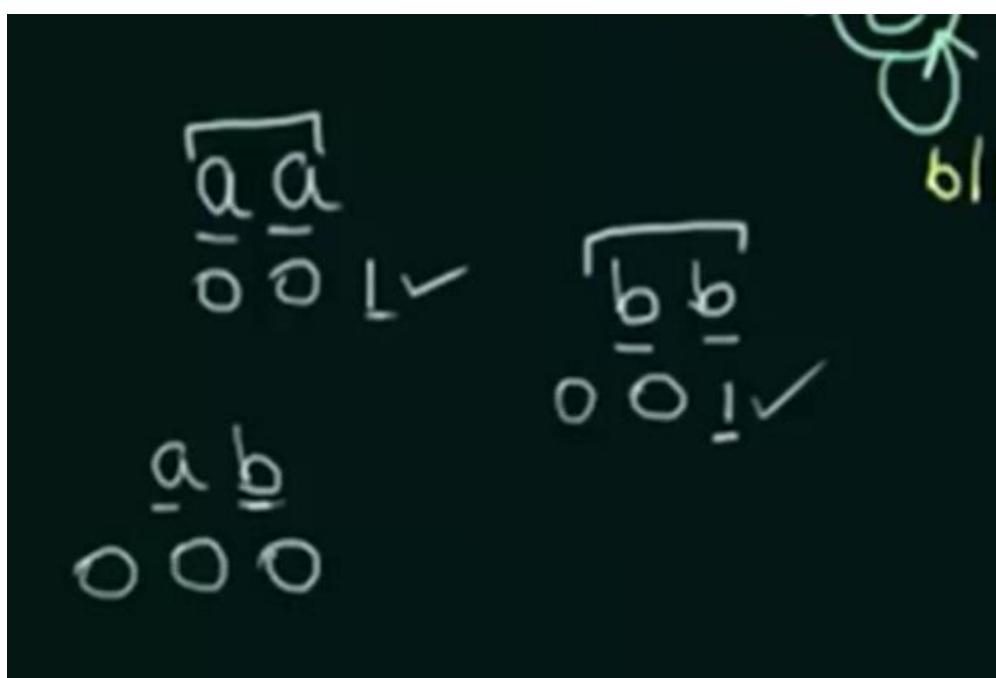
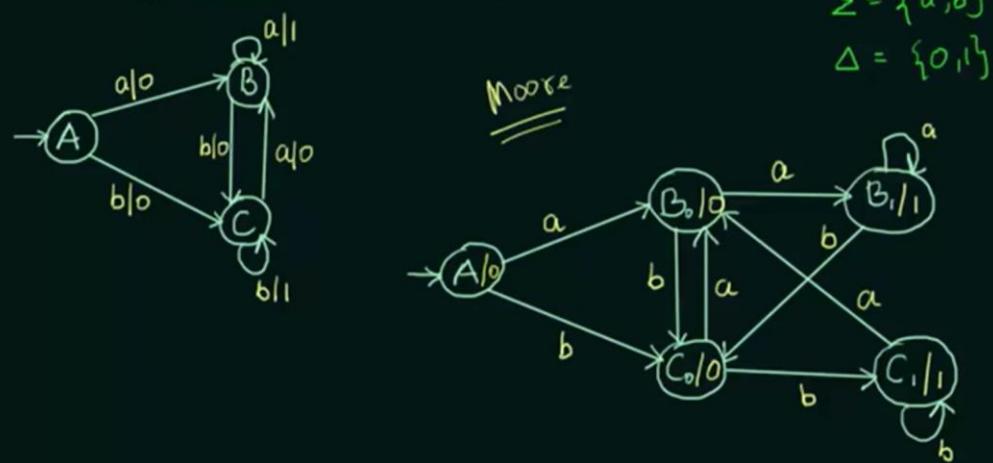
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Conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine - Examples (Part-1)

Given below is a Mealy Machine that prints '1' whenever the sequence 'aa' or 'bb' is encountered in any input binary string from Σ^* where $\Sigma = \{a,b\}$.

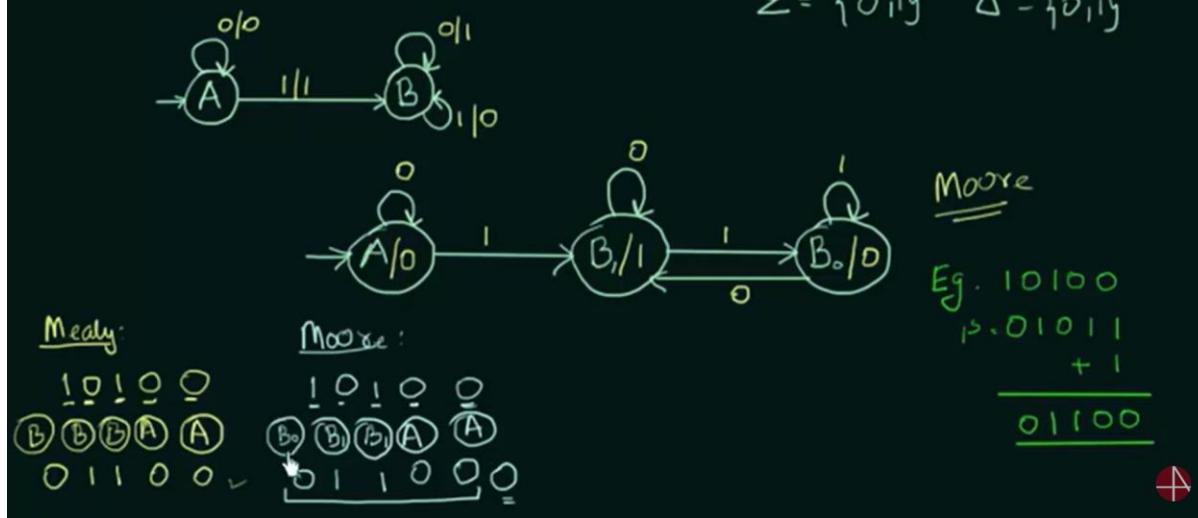
DESIGN THE EQUIVALENT MOORE MACHINE FOR IT.



Conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine- Examples (Part-2)

Convert the given Mealy Machine that give the 2's complement of any binary input to its equivalent MOORE MACHINE.

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\} \quad \Delta = \{0, 1\}$$



Conversion of Mealy Machine to Moore Machine -Examples (Part-3)

Using Transition Table

Convert the given Mealy Machine to its equivalent Moore Machine

State	a	b	Moore	State	a	b	Output
$\rightarrow q_0$	$q_3, 0$	$q_1, 1$	\Rightarrow	$\rightarrow q_0$	q_3	q_{11}	1
q_1	$q_0, 1$	$q_3, 0$		q_{10}	q_0	q_3	0
q_2	$q_2, 1$	$q_2, 0$		q_{11}	q_0	q_3	1
q_3	$q_1, 0$	$q_0, 1$		q_{20}	q_{21}	q_{20}	0
				q_{21}	q_{21}	q_{20}	1
				q_3	q_{10}	q_0	0

q_1
 ↓
 q_{10} q_{11}

q_2
 ↓
 q_{20} q_{21}

Output Output Output Output

Kleene closure

Kleene's Theorem

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➤ Kleene's Theorem has three parts:

- 1) If language can be accepted by FA (Finite Automata) then it can also be accepted by TG (Transition Graph).
- 2) If language can be accepted by TG (Transition Graph) then it can also be expressed by RE (Regular Expression).
- 3) If language can be expressed by RE (Regular Expression) then it can be accepted by FA (Finite Automata)

or Sigma Σ in TUC | Kleene closure in TUC

Power of Σ $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\Sigma}^0 &= \text{Set of all strings with length '0'} = \lambda, \epsilon \quad 2^0 \\ \tilde{\Sigma}^1 &= \text{,, " " " " " } \quad 1 \quad \{a, b\} \quad 2^1 \\ \tilde{\Sigma}^2 &= \text{,, " " " " , " } \quad 2 \quad \tilde{\Sigma}^* = \tilde{\Sigma}^0 + \tilde{\Sigma}^1 \quad 2^2 \\ \tilde{\Sigma}^3 &= \text{,, " " " " , " " } \quad 3 \quad \tilde{\Sigma}^* - \epsilon = \tilde{\Sigma}^+ \quad \{a, b\}^2 \\ \tilde{\Sigma}^4 &= \text{,, " " " " , " " " } \quad 4 \quad \{a, b\}^3 \\ &\vdots \\ \tilde{\Sigma}^* & \quad \text{(Kleene closure)} = \{a+b\}^* \quad \{a^n b^n\} \quad 2^3 \\ & \quad \text{Positive closure} = \{a^n b^n\} \quad \{aabb, abab, babb, \dots\} \end{aligned}$$

Regular Expression

Regular Expressions are used for representing certain sets of strings in an algebraic fashion.

- 1) Any terminal symbol i.e. symbols $\in \Sigma$ $a, b, c, \dots, \lambda, \emptyset$
including λ and \emptyset are regular expressions.
- 2) The Union of two regular expressions is R_1, R_2 $(R_1 + R_2)$
also a regular expression.
- 3) The Concatenation of two regular expressions $R_1, R_2 \rightarrow (R_1.R_2)$
is also a regular expression.
- 4) The iteration (or Closure) of a regular expression $R \rightarrow R^*$ $a^* = \lambda, a, aa, aaa, \dots$
is also a regular expression.
- 5) The regular expression over Σ are precisely those
obtained recursively by the application of the above
rules once or several times.



Properties of Regular Expressions:

<https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/properties-of-regular-expressions/>

Regular Expression - Examples

Describe the following sets as Regular Expressions

- 1) $\{0,1,2\}$ $0 \text{ or } 1 \text{ or } 2$
 $R = 0 + 1 + 2$
- 2) $\{\lambda, ab\}$
 $R = \lambda \text{ or } ab$
- 3) $\{abb, a, b, bba\}$ $abb \text{ or } a \text{ or } b \text{ or } bba$
 $R = abb + a + b + bba$
- 4) $\{\lambda, 0, 00, 000, \dots\}$ closure of 0
 $R = 0^*$
- 5) $\{1, 11, 111, 1111, \dots\}$
 $R = 1^+$



Identities of Regular Expressions(properties)

Identities of Regular Expression

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1) $\emptyset + R = R$ | 7) $RR^* = R^*R$ |
| 2) $\emptyset R + R\emptyset = \emptyset$ | 8) $(R^*)^* = R^*$ |
| 3) $\epsilon R = R\epsilon = R$ | 9) $\epsilon + RR^* = \epsilon + R^*R = R^*$ |
| 4) $\epsilon^* = \epsilon$ and $\emptyset^* = \epsilon$ | 10) $(PQ)^*P = P(QP)^*$ |
| 5) $R + R = R$ | 11) $(P + Q)^* = (P^* Q^*)^* = (P^* + Q^*)^*$ |
| 6) $R^*R^* = R^*$ | 12) $(P + Q)R = PR + QR$ and

$R(P + Q) = RP + RQ$ |

R^+

$$R(P + Q) = RP + RQ$$



Arden's Theorem

ARDEN'S THEOREM

If P and Q are two Regular Expressions over Σ , and if P does not contain ϵ , then the following equation in R given by $R = Q + RP$ has a unique solution i.e. $R = QP^*$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R &= Q + RP \quad \longrightarrow \textcircled{1} & R &= QP^* \\
 &= Q + QP^*P \\
 &= Q(\epsilon + P^*P) & [\epsilon + R^*R = R^*] \\
 &= QP^* \quad \text{proved}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
R &= Q + RP \\
&= Q + [Q + RP]P \\
&= Q + QP + RP^2 \\
&= Q + QP + [Q + RP]P^2 \\
&= Q + QP + QP^2 + RP^3 \\
&\quad \vdots \\
&= Q + QP + QP^2 + \dots + QP^n + RP^{n+1} \quad [R = QP^*] \\
&= Q + QP + QP^2 + \dots + QP^n + QP^* P^{n+1} \\
&= Q [\epsilon + P + P^2 + \dots + P^n + P^* P^{n+1}] \rightarrow
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
R = QP^* \\
\equiv
\end{array}$$

An Example Proof using Identities of Regular Expressions

Prove that $(1+00^*1) + (1+00^*1)(0+10^*1)^*(0+10^*1)$ is equal to $0^*1(0+10^*1)^*$

$$\begin{aligned}
LHS &= (1+00^*1) + (1+00^*1)(0+10^*1)^*(0+10^*1) \\
&= (1+00^*) [\epsilon + (0+10^*1)^*(0+10^*1)] \quad \epsilon + R^*R = R^* \\
&= (1+00^*) (0+10^*1)^* \\
&= (\epsilon + 1+00^*) (0+10^*1)^* \quad \epsilon \cdot R = R \\
&= (\epsilon + 00^*) 1 (0+10^*1)^* \\
&= 0^* 1 (0+10^*1)^* \rightarrow
\end{aligned}$$

Designing Regular Expressions - Examples (Part-1)

Design Regular Expression for the following languages over {a,b}

- 1) Language accepting strings of length exactly 2
- 2) Language accepting strings of length atleast 2
- 3) Language accepting strings of length atmost 2

Soln

$$1) L_1 = \{aa, ab, ba, bb\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R &= aa + ab + ba + bb \\ &= a(a+b) + b(a+b) \\ &= (a+b)(a+b) \end{aligned}$$

$$2) L_1 = \{aa, ab, ba, bb, aaa, \dots\}$$

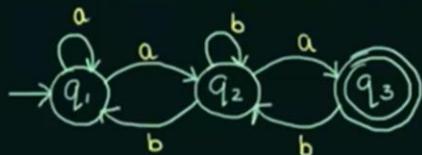
$$R = (a+b)(a+b)(a+b)^*$$

$$3) L_1 = \{\epsilon, a, b, aa, ab, ba, bb\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R &= \epsilon + a + b + aa + ab + ba + bb \\ &= (\epsilon + a + b)(\epsilon + a + b) \end{aligned}$$

Designing Regular Expression - Examples (Part-2)

Find the Regular Expression for the following NFA



$$q_3 = q_2 a \rightarrow ①$$

$$q_2 = q_1 a + q_2 b + q_3 b \rightarrow ②$$

$$q_1 = \epsilon + q_1 a + q_2 b \rightarrow ③$$

$$\begin{aligned} ① \Rightarrow q_3 &= q_2 a \\ &= (q_1 a + q_2 b + q_3 b) a \\ &= q_1 a a + q_2 b a + q_3 b a \rightarrow ④ \end{aligned}$$

$$② \Rightarrow q_2 = q_1 a + q_2 b + q_3 b \quad \text{Putting value of } q_3 \text{ from } ①$$

$$= q_1 a + q_2 b + (q_2 a) b$$

$$= q_1 a + q_2 b + q_2 a b$$

$$\underbrace{q_2}_{\mathbf{A}} = \underbrace{q_1 a}_{\mathbf{Q}} + \underbrace{q_2}_{\mathbf{R}} \underbrace{(b + a b)}_{\mathbf{P}}$$

$$q_2 = (q_1 a) (b + a b)^* \rightarrow ⑤$$

$$R = Q + RP \quad \text{Arden's Theorem}$$

$$R = Q P^*$$

$$\textcircled{3} \Rightarrow q_1 = \epsilon + q_1 a + q_2 b$$

Putting value of q_2 from \textcircled{5}

$$q_1 = \epsilon + q_1 a + ((q_1 a)(b+ab)^*) b$$

$$R = Q + RP$$

$$q_1 = \underbrace{\epsilon + q_1}_{R} \underbrace{a}_{Q} \underbrace{(a + a(b+ab)^*)}_{P} b$$

$$R = QR^*$$

$$q_1 = \epsilon ((a + a(b+ab)^*) b)^*$$

$$\epsilon \cdot R = R$$

$$q_1 = (a + a(b+ab)^* b)^* \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

Final state (q_3)

$$q_3 = q_2 a$$

$$= \underbrace{q_1 a}_{\text{Putting value of } q_2 \text{ from } \textcircled{5}} (b+ab)^* a$$

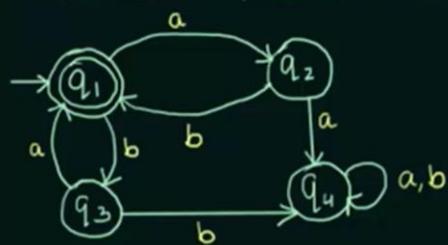
$$q_3 = (a + a(b+ab)^* b)^* a (b+ab)^* a \quad \text{Putting value of } q_1 \text{ from } \textcircled{6}$$

= Required Regular Expression for the given NFA



Designing Regular Expression - Examples (Part-3)

Find the Regular Expression for the following DFA



$$q_1 = \epsilon + q_2 b + q_3 a \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$q_2 = q_1 a \rightarrow \textcircled{II}$$

$$q_3 = q_1 b \rightarrow \textcircled{III}$$

$$q_4 = q_2 a + q_3 b + q_4 a + q_4 b \rightarrow \textcircled{IV}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow q_1 = \epsilon + q_2 b + q_3 a$$

Putting values of q_2 and q_3 from \textcircled{n} and \textcircled{III}

$$q_1 = \epsilon + q_1 ab + q_1 ba$$

$$\begin{array}{c} q_1 = \epsilon + q_1 \underbrace{(ab + ba)}_{R} \\ \downarrow R \quad \downarrow Q \quad \downarrow R \quad \downarrow P \end{array}$$

$$R = Q + RP$$

$R = QP^*$ Arden's theorem

$$q_1 = \epsilon \cdot (ab + ba)^*$$

$$\epsilon R = R$$

$$q_1 = (ab + ba)^*$$

Designing Regular Expression - Examples (Part-4)

(When there are Multiple Final States)

Find the Regular Expression for the following DFA



$$q_1 = \epsilon + q_1 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$q_2 = q_1 1 + q_2 1 \rightarrow \textcircled{II}$$

$$q_3 = q_2 0 + q_3 0 + q_3 1 \rightarrow \textcircled{III}$$

Final state $\textcircled{q_1}$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow q_1 = \epsilon + \underbrace{q_1 0}_{R}$$

$$R = Q + RP \quad \text{Arden's theorem}$$

$$q_1 = \epsilon \cdot 0^*$$

$$\epsilon R = R$$

$$q_1 = 0^*$$



$$q_1 = 0^* \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

Final state $\textcircled{q_2}$

$$\textcircled{II} \Rightarrow q_2 = q_1 1 + q_2 1$$

$$\begin{array}{c} q_2 = \underbrace{0^* 1}_R + \underbrace{q_2 1}_P \quad \text{Putting value of } q_1 \text{ from } \textcircled{4} \\ \downarrow Q \quad \downarrow P \end{array}$$

$$R = Q + RP$$

$$q_2 = 0^* 1 (1)^*$$

$$R = QP^*$$

$R = \text{union of both final states}$

$$= O^* + O^* II^*$$

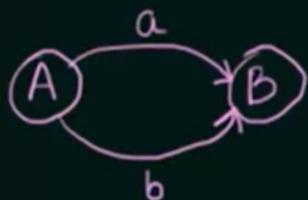
$$= O^* (\epsilon + II^*) \quad \epsilon + RR^* = R^*$$

$$= O^* I^*$$

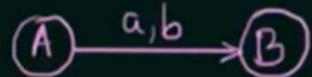
\hookrightarrow Regular Expression

Conversion of Regular Expression to Finite Automata

$(a+b)$



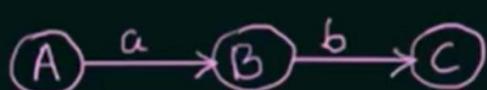
or



$(a \cdot b)$



a^*



Conversion of Regular Expression to Finite Automata - Examples (Part-1)

Convert the following Regular Expressions to their equivalent Finite Automata:

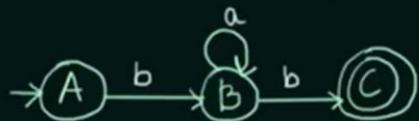
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2) $(a+b)c$

3) $a(bc)^*$

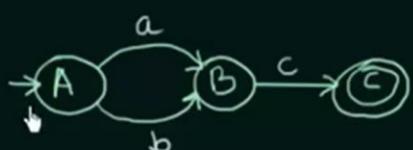
1) $b a^* b$

$\underline{b} \underline{b}, \underline{b} \underline{a} \underline{b}, b \underline{a} \underline{a} \underline{b}, \dots$



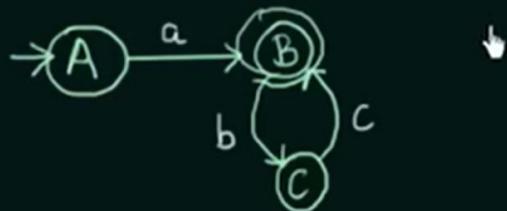
2) $(a+b)c$

$a c$
 $b c$



3) $a(bc)^*$

$\underline{a}, \underline{a} \underline{b} \underline{c}, a \underline{b} \underline{c} \underline{b} \underline{c}, a \underline{b} \underline{c} \underline{b} \underline{c} \underline{b} \underline{c}$



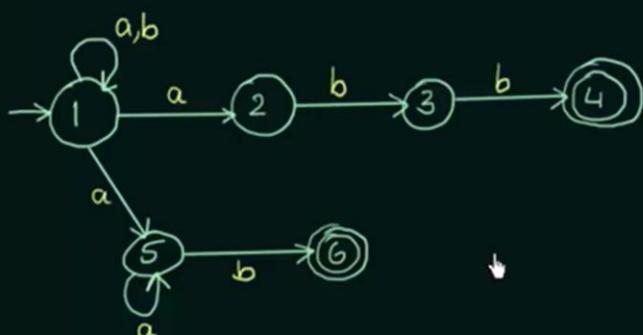
Conversion of Regular Expression to Finite Automata - Examples (Part-2)

Convert the following Regular Expression to its equivalent Finite Automata:

$(a|b)^* (abb|a^*b)$ +

$a^+ = \{a, aa, aaa, \dots\}$

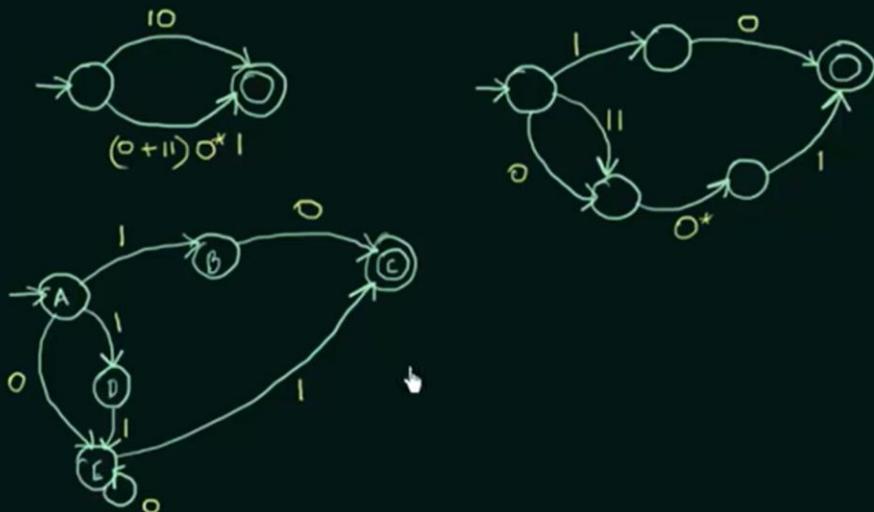
$a^* = \{\epsilon, a, aa, \dots\}$



Conversion of Regular Expression to Finite Automata - Examples (Part-3)

Convert the following Regular Expression to its equivalent Finite Automata:

$$10 + (0 + 11) 0^* 1$$

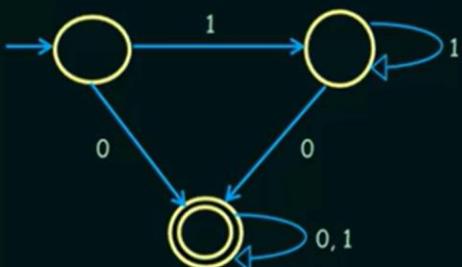


Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 1)

GATE 2013

Consider the DFA A given below:

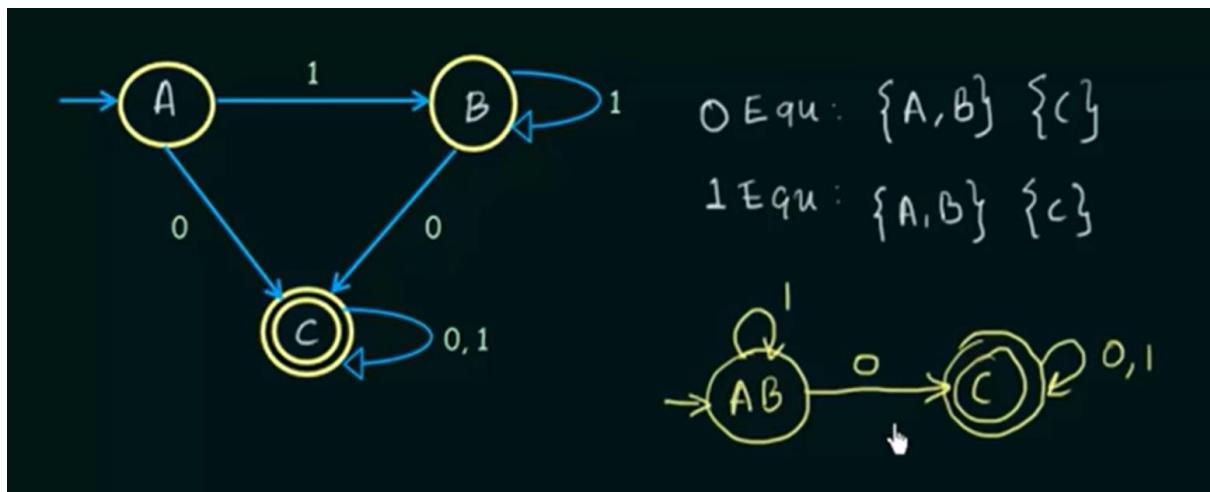
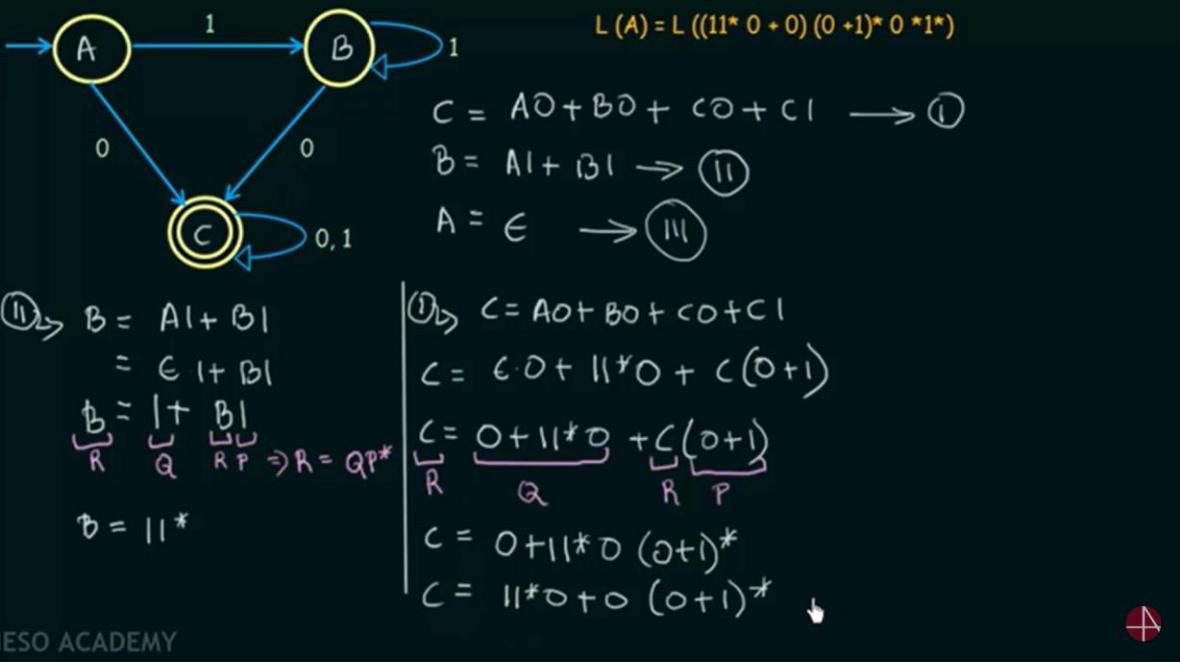


Which of the following are FALSE?

1. Complement of $L(A)$ is context-free
2. $L(A) = L((11^* 0 + 0)(0+1)^* 0^* 1^*)$
3. For the language accepted by A , A is the minimal DFA
4. A accepts all strings over $\{0, 1\}$ of length at least 2

- (A) 1 and 3 only (B) 2 and 4 only
(C) 2 and 3 only (D) 3 and 4 only





Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 1)

GATE 2013

Consider the DFA A given below:



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 3. For the language accepted by A , A is the minimal DFA ✗
 4. A accepts all strings over $\{0, 1\}$ of length at least 2 ✗
- (A) 1 and 3 only (B) 2 and 4 only
 (C) 2 and 3 only (D) 3 and 4 only



Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 2)

GATE 2013

Consider the languages $L_1 = \Phi$ and $L_2 = \{a\}$. Which one of the following represents $L_1 L_2^* \cup L_1^*$?

- (A) $\{\epsilon\}$ ✓
 (B) Φ
 (C) a^*
 (D) $\{\epsilon, a\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & L_1 L_2^* \cup L_1^* \\
 & \downarrow \\
 & \underbrace{\Phi \cdot a^*}_\Phi \cup L_1^* \\
 & \quad \quad \quad \cup \\
 & \quad \quad \quad \epsilon
 \end{aligned}$$

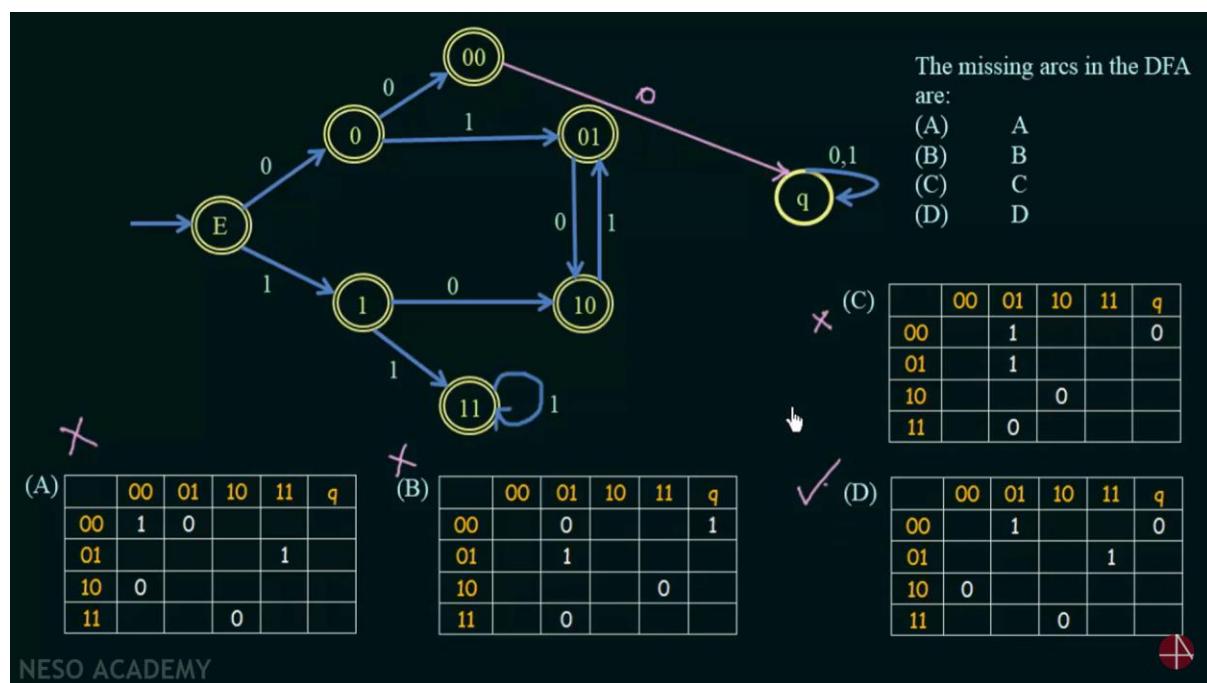
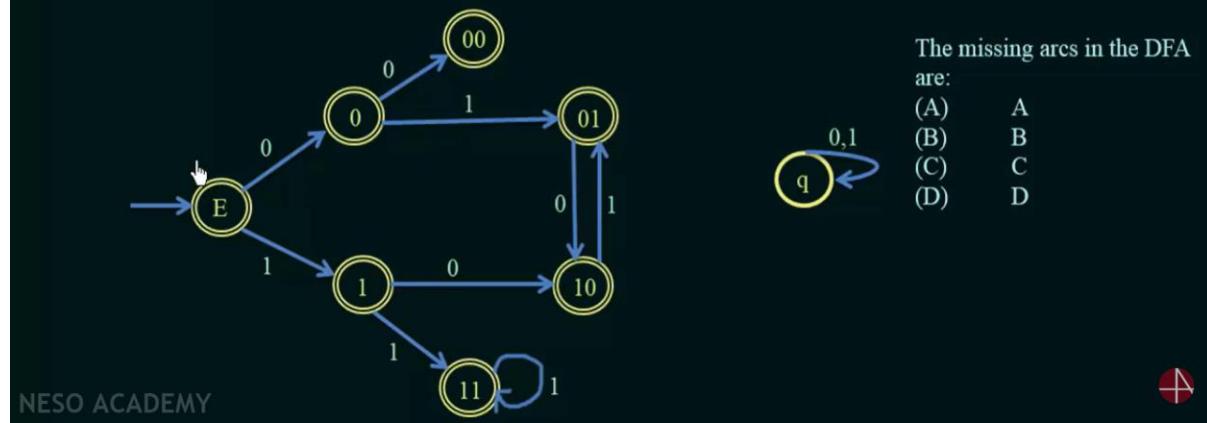


Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 3)

GATE 2012

Consider the set of strings on $\{0, 1\}$ in which, every substring of 3 symbols has at most two zeros. For example, 001110 and 011001 are in the language, but 100010 is not. All strings of length less than 3 are also in the language. A partially completed DFA that accepts this language is shown below.



Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 4)

GATE 2009

Which one of the following languages over the alphabet $\{0, 1\}$ is described by the regular expression: $(0+1)^* \underline{0} (0+1)^* \underline{0} (0+1)^* ?$

- (A) The set of all strings containing the substring 00. ✗
- (B) The set of all strings containing at most two 0's. ✗
- (C) The set of all strings containing at least two 0's. ✓
- (D) The set of all strings that begin and end with either 0 or 1. ✗

Atmost - Maximum
- Not more
than 2 zeros
0000 - 4

Atleast - Minimum

0 - - - 0
1 - - - 1

00 - Not less
than 2

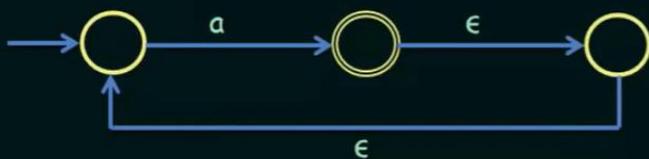
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Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 5)

GATE 2012



- (A) Φ
- (B) $\{\epsilon\}$ ✓
- (C) a^* ↴
- (D) $\{a, \epsilon\}$

a ✓
aa ✓
aaa ✓
aaaa ✓
 $\overbrace{a^+}^{\text{✓}}$
 ϵ ✗

Regular Languages and Finite Automata

(Solved Problem - 6)

Given the language $L = \{ab, aa, baa\}$, which of the following strings are in L^* ?

GATE 2012

1) a b a a b a a a b a a ✓ 3) b a a a a a b a a a a b ✗

2) a a a a a b a a a a ✓ 4) b a a a a a b a a ✓



(A) 1, 2 and 3

(B) 2, 3 and 4

(C) 1, 2 and 4 ✓

(D) 1, 3 and 4

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Regular Grammar

Regular Grammar

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Noam Chomsky gave a Mathematical model of Grammar which is effective for writing computer languages

The four types of Grammar according to Noam Chomsky are:

Grammar Type	Grammar Accepted	Language Accepted	Automaton
TYPE-0	Unrestricted Grammar	Recursively Enumerable Language	Turing Machine
TYPE-1	Context Sensitive Grammar	Context Sensitive Language	Linear Bounded Automaton
TYPE-2	Context Free Grammar	Context Free Language	Pushdown Automata
TYPE-3	Regular Grammar	Regular Language	Finite State Automaton



Grammar:

A Grammar ' G ' can be formally described using 4 tuples as $G = (V, T, S, P)$ where,

V = Set of Variables or Non-Terminal Symbols

T = Set of Terminal Symbols

S = Start Symbol

P = Production rules for Terminals and Non-Terminals

A production rule has the form $a \rightarrow \beta$ where a and β are strings on $V \cup T$ and at least one symbol of a belongs to V .

Example: $G = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a, b\}, S, \{S \rightarrow AB, A \rightarrow a, B \rightarrow b\})$

$$V = \{S, A, B\}$$

$$T = \{a, b\}$$

$$S = S$$

$$P = S \rightarrow AB, A \rightarrow a, B \rightarrow b$$

Eg: $S \rightarrow AB$
 $\rightarrow aB$
 $\rightarrow \underline{\underline{ab}}$

Regular Grammar:

Regular Grammar can be divided into two types:

Right Linear Grammar

A grammar is said to be Right Linear if all productions are of the form

$$A \rightarrow xB$$

$$A \rightarrow x$$

where $A, B \in V$ and $x \in T$

Left Linear Grammar

A grammar is said to be Left Linear if all productions are of the form

$$A \rightarrow Bx$$

$$A \rightarrow x$$

where $A, B \in V$ and $x \in T$

Eg: $S \rightarrow abS \mid b$ - Right linear

$S \rightarrow Sbb \mid b$ - Left linear

Derivations from a Grammar

The set of all strings that can be derived from a Grammar is said to be the LANGUAGE generated from that Grammar

Example 1: Consider the Grammar $G1 = (\{S, A\}, \{a, b\}, S, \{S \rightarrow aAb, aA \rightarrow aaAb, A \rightarrow \epsilon\})$

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow aAb \quad [\text{by } S \rightarrow aAb] \\ &\rightarrow aaAb b \quad [\text{by } aA \rightarrow aaAb] \\ &\rightarrow a a a A b b b \quad [\text{by } aA \rightarrow a a A b] \\ &\rightarrow a a a b b b \quad [\text{by } A \rightarrow \epsilon] \end{aligned}$$

Example 2: $G2 = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a, b\}, S, \{S \rightarrow AB, A \rightarrow a, B \rightarrow b\})$

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow AB \\ &\rightarrow ab \\ L(G2) &= \{ab\} \end{aligned}$$



Example 3: $G3 = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a, b\}, S, \{S \rightarrow AB, A \rightarrow aA|a, B \rightarrow bB|b\})$

$$\begin{array}{llll} S \rightarrow AB & S \rightarrow AB & S \rightarrow AB & S \rightarrow AB \\ \Rightarrow ab & \Rightarrow aAbB & \Rightarrow aAb & \Rightarrow a bB \\ & \Rightarrow aabb & \Rightarrow aab & \Rightarrow abb \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L(G3) &= \{ab, a^2b^2, a^2b, ab^2, \dots\} \\ &= \{a^m b^n \mid m \geq 0 \text{ and } n \geq 0\} \end{aligned}$$



Context Free Language

Context Free Language

In formal language theory, a Context Free Language is a language generated by some Context Free Grammar.

The set of all CFL is identical to the set of languages accepted by Pushdown Automata.

Context Free Grammar is defined by 4 tuples as $G = \{ V, \Sigma, S, P \}$ where

V = Set of Variables or Non-Terminal Symbols

Σ = Set of Terminal Symbols

S = Start Symbol

P = Production Rule

Context Free Grammar has Production Rule of the form

$A \rightarrow a$

where, $a = \{V \cup \Sigma\}^*$ and $A \in V$

Example: For generating a language that generates equal number of a's and b's in the form $a^n b^n$, the Context Free Grammar will be defined as

$$G = \{ (S, A), (a, b), (S \rightarrow aAb, A \rightarrow aAb | \epsilon) \}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &\rightarrow a \underline{A} b \\
 &\rightarrow a a \underline{A} b b \quad (\text{by } A \rightarrow aAb) \\
 &\rightarrow aa a \underline{A} b b b \quad (\text{"}) \\
 &\rightarrow aa a b b b \quad (\text{by } A \rightarrow \epsilon) \\
 &\rightarrow \underline{a^3} \underline{b^3} \Rightarrow a^n b^n
 \end{aligned}$$

Method to find whether a String belongs to a Grammar or not

- 1) Start with the Start Symbol and choose the closest production that matches to the given string.
- 2) Replace the Variables with its most appropriate production. Repeat the process until the string is generated or until no other productions are left.

Example: Verify whether the Grammar $S \rightarrow 0B|1A$, $A \rightarrow 0|0S|1AA|^*$, $B \rightarrow 1|1S|0BB$ generates the string 00110101

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &\rightarrow OB \quad (S \rightarrow OB) \\
 &\rightarrow OOB\underset{|}{B} \quad (B \rightarrow OBB) \\
 &\rightarrow OO\underset{|}{I}\underset{|}{B} \quad (B \rightarrow I) \\
 &\rightarrow OOII\underset{|}{S} \quad (B \rightarrow IS) \\
 &\rightarrow OOII\underset{|}{O}\underset{|}{B} \quad (S \rightarrow OB) \\
 &\rightarrow OOII\underset{|}{O}\underset{|}{I}\underset{|}{S} \quad (B \rightarrow IS) \\
 &\rightarrow OOII\underset{|}{O}\underset{|}{I}\underset{|}{O}\underset{|}{B} \quad (S \rightarrow OB) \\
 &\rightarrow OOII\underset{|}{O}\underset{|}{I}\underset{|}{O}\underset{|}{I} \quad (B \rightarrow I)
 \end{aligned}$$

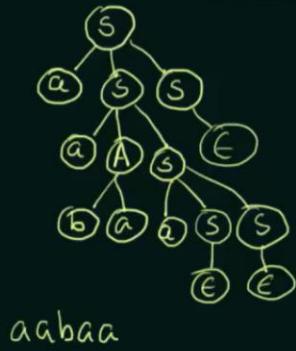
Example: Verify whether the Grammar $S \rightarrow aAb$, $A \rightarrow aAb \mid \lambda$ generates the string aabb

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &\rightarrow a\underset{|}{A}b \\
 &\rightarrow a\underset{|}{a}\underset{|}{A}\underset{|}{b}b \quad (A \rightarrow aAb) \\
 &\xrightarrow{\text{ }} \rightarrow a\underset{|}{a}bb \quad (A \rightarrow \lambda) \quad \checkmark \\
 &\xrightarrow{\text{ }} \rightarrow aa\underset{|}{a}\underset{|}{A}\underset{|}{b}bb \quad (A \rightarrow aAb) \\
 &\qquad aaabb \quad (A \rightarrow \lambda) \quad \times
 \end{aligned}$$

Derivation Tree

Left Derivation Tree

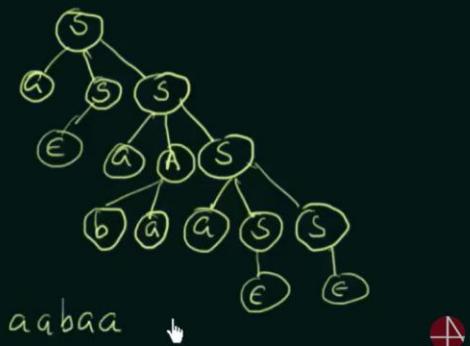
A Left Derivation Tree is obtained by applying production to the leftmost variable in each step.



Right Derivation Tree

A Right Derivation Tree is obtained by applying production to the rightmost variable in each step.

Eg. For generating the string aabaa from the Grammar $S \rightarrow aAS | aSS | \epsilon$, $A \rightarrow SbA | ba$



Ambiguous Grammar

Ambiguous Grammar

A Grammar is said to be Ambiguous if there exists two or more derivation tree for a string w (that means two or more left derivation trees)

Example: $G = (\{S\}, \{a+b, +, *\}, P, S)$ where P consists of $S \rightarrow S+S | S*S | a | b$
The String $a + a * b$ can be generated as:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \begin{array}{l}
 S \rightarrow S+S \\
 \rightarrow a+\underline{S} \\
 \rightarrow a+ S*S \\
 \rightarrow a+a+\underline{S} \\
 \rightarrow a+a+b
 \end{array}
 &
 \begin{array}{l}
 S \rightarrow \underline{S}+S \\
 \rightarrow \underline{S}+S*\underline{S} \\
 \rightarrow a+\underline{S}*\underline{S} \\
 \rightarrow a+a+\underline{S} \\
 \rightarrow a+a*b
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

Thus, this Grammar is Ambiguous

Reduction of Context Free Grammar

Simplification of Context Free Grammar

Reduction of CFG

In CFG, sometimes all the production rules and symbols are not needed for the derivation of strings. Besides this, there may also be some NULL Productions and UNIT Productions. Elimination of these productions and symbols is called Simplification of CFG.

Simplification consists of the following steps:

- 1) Reduction of CFG
- 2) Removal of Unit Productions
- 3) Removal of Null Productions

REDUCTION OF CFG

CFG are reduced in two phases

Phase 1: Derivation of an equivalent grammar G' , from the CFG, G , such that each variable derives some terminal string

Derivation Procedure:

Step 1: Include all Symbols W_1 , that derives some terminal and initialize $i = 1$

Step 2: Include symbols W_{i+1} , that derives W_i

Step 3: Increment i and repeat Step 2, until $W_{i+1} = W_i$

Step 4: Include all production rules that have W_i in it



Phase 2: Derivation of an equivalent grammar G'' , from the CFG, G' , such that each symbol appears in a sentential form



Derivation Procedure:

Step 1: Include the Start Symbol in Y_1 and initialize $i = 1$

Step 2: Include all symbols Y_{i+1} , that can be derived from Y_i and include all production rules that have been applied

Step 3: Increment i and repeat Step 2, until $Y_{i+1} = Y_i$



Example: Find a reduced grammar equivalent to the grammar G , having production rules
 $P: S \rightarrow AC|B, A \rightarrow a, C \rightarrow c|BC, E \rightarrow aA|e$

Phase 1: $T = \{a, c, e\}$

$$W_1 = \{A, C, E\}$$

$$W_2 = \{A, C, E, S\}$$

$$W_3 = \{A, C, E, S\}$$

$$G' = \{(A, C, E, S), \{a, c, e\}, P, (S)\}$$

$$P: S \rightarrow AC, A \rightarrow a, C \rightarrow c, E \rightarrow aA|e$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Phase } 2 : \quad Y_1 &= \{S\} \\
 Y_2 &= \{S, A, C\} \\
 Y_3 &= \{S, A, C, a, c\} \\
 Y_4 &= \{S, A, C, a, c\} \\
 G'' &= \{(A, C, S), \{a, c\}, P, \{S\}\} \\
 P: \quad S &\rightarrow AC, \quad A \rightarrow a, \quad C \rightarrow c
 \end{aligned}$$

Removing UNIT Productions

Simplification of Context Free Grammar

Removal of Unit Productions

Any Production Rule of the form $A \rightarrow B$ where $A, B \in \text{Non Terminals}$ is called Unit Production

Procedure for Removal

Step 1: To remove $A \rightarrow B$, add production $A \rightarrow x$ to the grammar rule whenever $B \rightarrow x$ occurs in the grammar. [$x \in \text{Terminal}$, x can be Null]

Step 2: Delete $A \rightarrow B$ from the grammar.

Step 3: Repeat from Step 1 until all Unit Productions are removed.

Example: Remove Unit Productions from the Grammar whose production rule is given by

P: $S \rightarrow XY, X \rightarrow a, Y \rightarrow Z|b, Z \rightarrow M, M \rightarrow N, N \rightarrow a$

$Y \rightarrow Z, \quad Z \rightarrow M, \quad M \rightarrow N$

i) Since $N \rightarrow a$, we add $M \rightarrow a$

P: $S \rightarrow XY, X \rightarrow a, Y \rightarrow Z|b, Z \rightarrow M, M \rightarrow a, N \rightarrow a$



2) Since $M \rightarrow a$, we add $Z \rightarrow a$

P: $S \rightarrow XY, X \rightarrow a, Y \rightarrow Z|b, Z \rightarrow a, M \rightarrow a, N \rightarrow a$

3) Since $Z \rightarrow a$, we add $Y \rightarrow a$

P: $S \rightarrow XY, X \rightarrow a, Y \rightarrow a|b, Z \rightarrow a, M \rightarrow a, N \rightarrow a$

Remove the Unreachable \downarrow symbols

P: $S \rightarrow XY, X \rightarrow a, Y \rightarrow a|b$

Removal of Null Productions

Simplification of Context Free Grammar

Removal of Null Productions

In a CFG, a Non-Terminal Symbol 'A' is a nullable variable if there is a production $A \rightarrow \epsilon$ or there is a derivation that starts at 'A' and leads to ϵ . (Like $A \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \epsilon$)

Procedure for Removal:

Step 1: To remove $A \rightarrow \epsilon$, look for all productions whose right side contains A

Step 2: Replace each occurrences of 'A' in each of these productions with ϵ

Step 3: Add the resultant productions to the Grammar

Example: Remove Null Productions from the following Grammar

$S \rightarrow ABAC, A \rightarrow aA|\epsilon, B \rightarrow bB|\epsilon, C \rightarrow c$

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$S \rightarrow ABAC, A \rightarrow aA|\epsilon, B \rightarrow bB|\epsilon, C \rightarrow c$

$A \rightarrow \epsilon, B \rightarrow \epsilon$

i) To eliminate $A \rightarrow \epsilon$

$S \rightarrow \underline{ABAC}$

$S \rightarrow ABC | BAC | BC$

$A \rightarrow aA$

$A \rightarrow a$

New production: $S \rightarrow ABAC | ABC | BAC | BC$

$A \rightarrow aA | a, B \rightarrow bB | \epsilon, C \rightarrow c$

2) To eliminate $B \rightarrow \epsilon$

$$S \rightarrow AAC | AC | C , \quad B \rightarrow b$$

New production :

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow ABAC | ABC | BAC | BC | AAC | AC | C \\ A &\rightarrow aA | a \\ B &\rightarrow bB | b \\ C &\rightarrow C \end{aligned}$$

Chomsky Normal Form

Chomsky's Normal Form (CNF)

CNF stands for chomsky normal form. A CFG is in CNF if all production rules satisfy one of the following conditions:-

* Start symbol generating ϵ .
eg: $A \rightarrow \epsilon$

* A non terminal generating two non-terminals.
eg: $S \rightarrow AB$

* A non terminal generating a terminal.

* A non terminal generating a terminal.
eg: $S \rightarrow a$

Chomsky Normal Form

In Chomsky Normal Form (CNF) we have a restriction on the length of RHS; which is; elements in RHS should either be two variables or a Terminal.

A CFG is in Chomsky Normal Form if the productions are in the following forms:

$$\begin{aligned} A &\rightarrow a \\ A &\rightarrow BC \end{aligned}$$

where A, B and C are non-terminals and a is a terminal

Steps to convert a given CFG to Chomsky Normal Form:

- Step 1: If the Start Symbol S occurs on some right side, create a new Start Symbol S' and a new Production $S' \rightarrow S$.
- Step 2: Remove Null Productions. (Using the Null Production Removal discussed in previous Lecture)
- Step 3: Remove Unit Productions. (Using the Unit Production Removal discussed in previous Lecture)
- Step 4: Replace each Production $A \rightarrow B_1 \dots B_n$ where $n > 2$, with $A \rightarrow B_1 C$ where $C \rightarrow B_2 \dots B_n$
Repeat this step for all Productions having two or more Symbols on the right side.
- Step 5: If the right side of any Production is in the form $A \rightarrow aB$ where ' a ' is a terminal and
 - ↳ A and B are non-terminals, then the Production is replaced by $A \rightarrow XB$ and $X \rightarrow a$.
Repeat this step for every Production which is of the form $A \rightarrow aB$

Conversion of CFG to Chomsky Normal Form

Convert the following CFG to CNF: $P: S \rightarrow ASA \mid aB, A \rightarrow B|S, B \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$

- 1) Since S appears in RHS, we add a new State S' and $S' \rightarrow S$ is added to the production
 $P: S' \rightarrow S, S \rightarrow ASA \mid aB, A \rightarrow B|S, B \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$
- 2) Remove the Null Productions: $B \rightarrow \epsilon$ and $A \rightarrow \epsilon$:
After Removing $B \rightarrow \epsilon$: $P: S' \rightarrow S, S \rightarrow ASA \mid aB \mid a, A \rightarrow B \mid S \mid \epsilon, B \rightarrow b$
After Removing $A \rightarrow \epsilon$: $P: S' \rightarrow S, S \rightarrow ASA \mid aB \mid a \mid AS \mid SA \mid S, A \rightarrow B \mid S, B \rightarrow b$

3) Remove the Unit Productions: $S \rightarrow S$, $S' \rightarrow S$, $A \rightarrow B$ and $A \rightarrow S$:

After Removing $S \rightarrow S$: P: $S' \rightarrow S$, $S \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$, $A \rightarrow B|S$, $B \rightarrow b$

After Removing $S' \rightarrow S$: P: $S' \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $S \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $A \rightarrow B|S$, $B \rightarrow b$

After Removing $A \rightarrow B$: P: $S' \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $S \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $A \rightarrow b|S$, $B \rightarrow b$

After Removing $A \rightarrow S$: P: $S' \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $S \rightarrow ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $A \rightarrow b|ASA|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $B \rightarrow b$

4) Now find out the productions that has more than TWO variables in RHS
 $S' \rightarrow ASA$, $S \rightarrow ASA$ and $A \rightarrow ASA$

After removing these, we get: P: $S' \rightarrow AX|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $S \rightarrow AX|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $A \rightarrow b|AX|aB|a|AS|SA$,
 $B \rightarrow b$,
 $X \rightarrow SA$

5) Now change the productions $S' \rightarrow aB$, $S \rightarrow aB$ and $A \rightarrow aB$

Finally we get: P: $S' \rightarrow AX|YB|a|AS|SA$,
 $S \rightarrow AX|YB|a|AS|SA$,
 $A \rightarrow b|AX|YB|a|AS|SA$,
 $B \rightarrow b$,
 $X \rightarrow SA$,
 $Y \rightarrow a$

which is the required Chomsky Normal Form for the given CFG

Steps for Converting CFG into CNF

Step 1 : Eliminate start symbol from the RHS.

If the start symbol T is at the right-hand side of any production, create a production as :-

$$S_1 \rightarrow S$$

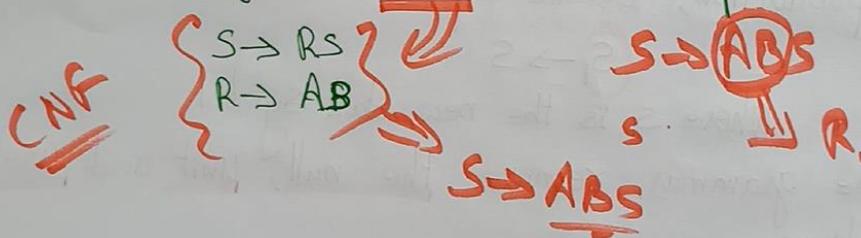
where S is the new start symbol.

Step 2 : In the grammar, remove the null, unit and useless productions.

Step 3 : Eliminate terminals from the RHS of the production if they exists with other non-terminals or terminals.

Step 4 : Eliminate RHS with more than two non-terminals.

e.g. $S \rightarrow A \& BS$ can be decomposed as :



Example : Convert the given CFG to CNF,

Consider the given grammar G_1 as

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow a|aA|B \\ A &\rightarrow aBB|\epsilon \\ B &\rightarrow A|b \end{aligned}$$

rules on

$$\begin{cases} S \rightarrow \epsilon \\ A \rightarrow AB \\ A \rightarrow a \end{cases}$$

Solution

Step 1 :

$$S \rightarrow S \quad // \text{new production.}$$

$$S \rightarrow a|aA|B$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB|\epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow A|b$$

Step 2.1.

$A \rightarrow \epsilon$ null production, we have to remove ϵ .

$$S_1 \rightarrow S$$

$$S \rightarrow a/aA/B$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB$$

$$B \rightarrow Aa/b/a$$

$A \rightarrow \epsilon$
replace A with ϵ & write that
removing unit

Simplify CFG

remove
my
rem
unit

To eliminate unit production, replace B with B production rule. ^{Simp}

$$S_1 \rightarrow a/aA/\cancel{B} Aa/b/a$$

$$S \rightarrow a/aA/\cancel{B} Aa/b/a$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB$$

$$B \rightarrow Aa/b/a$$

Step 3.

$$S_0 \rightarrow aA | Aa$$

$$S \rightarrow aA | Aa$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB$$

$$B \rightarrow AA$$

\Rightarrow

$$x \rightarrow a \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} S_0 \rightarrow a | xA | Ax | b \\ S \rightarrow a | xA | Ax | b \\ A \rightarrow xBB \\ B \rightarrow Ax | b | a \\ x \rightarrow a \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} S_0 \rightarrow a | xA | Ax | b \\ S \rightarrow a | xA | Ax | b \\ A \rightarrow RB \\ R \rightarrow xB \\ B \rightarrow Ax | b | a \\ x \rightarrow a \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow[R.]{} A \rightarrow xBB$$

\therefore the given grammar is CNF

Greibach Normal Form

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Greibach Normal form (GNF)

If all the production are of form

$$A \rightarrow a\alpha \quad \text{where } [a \in V^*]$$

then it is called GNF. a is variable.
terminal

Advantage:

- i) The no of steps required to generate a string of length $|w|$ is $|w|$.
- ii) GNF is useful in order to convert a CFG to PDA.

Greibach Normal Form

A CFG is in Greibach Normal Form if the productions are in the following forms:

$$\begin{aligned} A &\rightarrow b \\ A &\rightarrow bC_1C_2 \dots C_n \end{aligned}$$

where A, C_1, \dots, C_n are Non-Terminals and b is a Terminal

Steps to convert a given CFG to GNF:

Step 1: Check if the given CFG has any Unit Productions or Null Productions and Remove if there are any (using the Unit & Null Productions removal techniques discussed in the previous lecture)

Step 2: Check whether the CFG is already in Chomsky Normal Form (CNF) and convert it to CNF if it is not. (using the CFG to CNF conversion technique discussed in the previous lecture)

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Example: $S \rightarrow CA \mid BB$
 $B \rightarrow b \mid SB$
 $C \rightarrow b$
 $A \rightarrow a$

Replace: S with A_1
 C with A_2
 A with A_3
 B with A_4

We get:

$A_1 \rightarrow A_2 A_3 \mid A_4 A_4$
 $A_4 \rightarrow b \mid A_1 A_4$
 $A_2 \rightarrow b$
 $A_3 \rightarrow a$



Step 4: Alter the rules so that the Non-Terminals are in ascending order, such that,

If the Production is of the form $A_i \rightarrow A_j x$, then,
 $i < j$ and should never be $i \geq j$

$A_4 \rightarrow b \mid \underline{A_1 A_4}$
 $A_4 \rightarrow b \mid \underline{A_2 A_3} A_4 \mid A_4 A_4 A_4$
 $A_4 \rightarrow b \mid b A_3 A_4 \mid A_4 A_4 A_4$

↓
Left Recursion

Step 5: Remove Left Recursion

Introduce a New Variable to remove the Left Recursion

$$A_4 \rightarrow b \mid b A_3 A_4 \mid A_4 A_4 A_4$$

$$Z \rightarrow A_4 A_4 Z \quad \{ A_4 A_4$$

$$A_4 \rightarrow b \mid b A_3 A_4 \quad \{ b Z \quad \} \quad b A_3 A_4 Z$$

Now the grammar is:

$$A_1 \rightarrow A_2 A_3 \mid A_4 A_4$$

$$A_4 \rightarrow b \mid b A_3 A_4 \mid b Z \mid b A_3 A_4 Z$$

$$Z \rightarrow A_4 A_4 \mid A_4 A_4 Z$$

$$A_2 \rightarrow b$$

$$A_3 \rightarrow a$$



$$A_1 \rightarrow A_2 A_3 \mid A_4 A_4 \mid b A_3 A_4 \mid b Z \mid b A_3 A_4 Z$$

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$$Z \rightarrow A_4 A_4 \mid A_4 A_4 Z$$

$$A_2 \rightarrow b$$

$$A_3 \rightarrow a$$

$$A_1 \rightarrow b A_3 \quad \{ b A_4 \quad \} \quad b A_3 A_4 A_4 \quad \{ b Z A_4 \quad | \quad b A_3 A_4 Z A_4 \}$$

$$A_4 \rightarrow b \quad \{ b A_3 A_4 \quad | \quad b Z \quad \} \quad b A_3 A_4 Z$$

$$Z \rightarrow b A_4 \quad \{ b A_3 A_4 A_4 \quad | \quad b Z A_4 \quad | \quad b A_3 A_4 Z A_4 \quad | \quad$$

$$\quad b A_4 Z \quad | \quad b A_3 A_4 A_4 Z \quad | \quad b Z A_4 Z \quad | \quad b A_3 A_4 Z A_4 Z$$

$$A_2 \rightarrow b$$

$$A_3 \rightarrow a$$

$$S \rightarrow abSb \mid aa$$
$$S \rightarrow A\beta$$
$$A \rightarrow aA \mid bB \mid b$$
$$B \rightarrow b$$
$$A \rightarrow a$$
$$A \rightarrow a \vee^*$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 S \rightarrow \underline{A} \underline{B} \\
 A \rightarrow aA \mid bB \mid b \\
 B \rightarrow b \\
 \hline
 A \rightarrow a \quad S \rightarrow aAB \mid bBb \mid bB \\
 A \rightarrow a \vee^* \quad A \rightarrow aA \mid bB \mid b \\
 B \rightarrow b
 \end{array}$$

Steps for Converting CFG into GNF

Step 1: Convert the grammar into CNF

If the given grammar is not in CNF, convert it into CNF.

Step 2: If the grammar exists left recursion, eliminate it.

If the given grammar has left recursion eliminate it.

Step 3: In the grammar, convert the given production rule into GNF form.

If any production rule in the grammar is not in

Example 1

$$S \rightarrow XB \mid AA$$

$$A \rightarrow a \mid SA$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$X \rightarrow a$$

$X \rightarrow a$

Given the given grammar G is already in CNF & there is no left recursion.

The production rule $A \rightarrow SA$ is not in GNF,
so we substitute $S \rightarrow XB \mid AA$ in the production rule

$A \rightarrow SA$ as:

$S \rightarrow XB \mid AA$

$A \rightarrow a \mid XBA \mid AAA$

$B \rightarrow b$

$X \rightarrow a$

SA
|
XBA | AAA

The production rule $S \rightarrow XB$ & $B \rightarrow XBA$ is not in GNF,
so we substitute $X \rightarrow a$ in the production rule as:

$S \rightarrow aB \mid AA$

$A \rightarrow a \mid aBA \mid AAA$

$B \rightarrow b$

$X \rightarrow a$

left recursion

We will remove ~~left production~~ left recursion ($A \Rightarrow A \cdot A$) we get.

$S \Rightarrow AB / AA$
 $A \Rightarrow ac / aBAC / a / aBA$
 $C \Rightarrow AAC / AA$
 $B \Rightarrow b$
 $x \Rightarrow a$

{ Introduce new variable to remove left recursion
 one 'A' in production is replace with new variable & without new variable

The production rule $S \Rightarrow AA$ is not in GNF,
 so we substitute $A \Rightarrow ac / aBAC / a / aBA$ in $S \Rightarrow AA$ as:
 $C \Rightarrow AAC$

$S \Rightarrow AB / acA / aBACA / aA / aBAA$
 $A \Rightarrow ac / aBAC / a / aBA$
 $C \Rightarrow acA / aBACA / aA / aBAA$
 $B \Rightarrow b$
 $x \Rightarrow a$

The production rule $C \Rightarrow AAC$ is not in GNF, so we substitute $A \Rightarrow ac / aBAC / a / aBA$ in production rule $C \Rightarrow AAC$ as:

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$S \rightarrow aB | acA | aBACA | aA | aBA$
 $A \rightarrow ac | aB | c | a | BA$
 $c \rightarrow acA | aBAC | AC | aAc | aBAA$
 $c \rightarrow acA | aBACA | aA | aBA$
 $B \rightarrow b$
 $X \rightarrow a$

ence this is the GNF for the grammar G.

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$S \rightarrow CA | BB$
 $B \rightarrow b | SB$
 $C \rightarrow b$
 $A \rightarrow a$

CFG
 ↓
 CNF
 ↳ GNF

$\text{G} \Rightarrow \text{GNF}$
 ↓
 $A \rightarrow b$ (a)
 $A \rightarrow bc, c_2, \dots, c_n$

$\underline{A \Rightarrow B}$

Step1: there are no unit production
Step2: This production is already CNF
Step3: Convert CNF into GNF
 replace S with A_1 ,
 C with A_2 ,
 A with A_3 ,
 B with A_4

Step 4 If the production is of the form $A_i \rightarrow A_j X$ then $i < j$ & should never be $i \geq j X$

$A_1 \rightarrow A_2 A_3 | A_4 A_4$
 $A_4 \rightarrow b | (A) A_4$
 $A_2 \rightarrow b$
 $A_3 \rightarrow a$

$A_u \rightarrow (A) A_4$
 $\Rightarrow A_u \rightarrow b | (A) A_3 A_4 | A_4 A_4 A_4$
 $\Rightarrow A_u \rightarrow b | b A_3 A_4 | (A_4 A_4 A_4)$

↓
left recursion

Steps: Introduce new variable to remove the left recursion.

$Z \rightarrow A_4 A_4 Z | A_4 A_4$

$\Rightarrow A_1 \rightarrow b | b A_3 A_4 | b Z | b A_3 A_4 Z |$

$A_u \rightarrow b | b A_3 A_4 | A_4 A_4$

$AA(A)$
 $AA \underline{C} / \underline{AA}$

$\underline{A_u \rightarrow b | b A_3 A_4 | A_4 A_4 A_4}$

$\underline{A_u \rightarrow b | b A_3 A_4}$

$A_4 \rightarrow A_4 A_4 A_4$

$\Rightarrow A_1 \rightarrow b | bA_3A_4 | bZ | bA_3A_4Z$
 $Z \rightarrow A_4A_4Z | A_4A_4$
in the grammar
 $A_1 \rightarrow A_2A_3 | A_4A_4$
 $A_1 \rightarrow b | bA_3A_4 | bZ | bA_3A_4Z$
 $Z \rightarrow A_4A_4 | A_4A_4Z$
 $A_2 \rightarrow b$
 $A_3 \rightarrow a.$

$A_1 \rightarrow bA_3 | bA_4 | bA_3A_4A_4 | bZ A_4 | bA_3A_4ZA_4$
 $A_4 \rightarrow b | bA_3A_4 | bZ | bA_3A_4Z$
 $Z \rightarrow bA_4 | bA_3A_4 | bZ A_4 |$
 $bA_3A_4Z A_4$
 $bA_4Z | bA_3A_4A_4Z | bZ A_4Z | bA_3A_4ZA_4Z$
 $A_2 \rightarrow b$
 $A_3 \rightarrow a$

Pumping Lemma for Context free languages (CFL)

Pumping Lemma (For Context Free Languages)

Pumping Lemma (for CFL) is used to prove that a language is NOT Context Free

If A is a Context Free Language, then, A has a Pumping Length ' P ' such that any string ' S ', where $|S| \geq P$ may be divided into 5 pieces $S = uvxyz$ such that the following conditions must be true:

- (1) $uv^i x y^i z$ is in A for every $i \geq 0$
- (2) $|v y| > 0$
- (3) $|v x y| \leq P$

To prove that a Language is Not Context Free using Pumping Lemma (for CFL) follow the steps given below: (We prove using CONTRADICTION)

- > Assume that A is Context Free
- > It has to have a Pumping Length (say P)
- > All strings longer than P can be pumped $|S| \geq P$
- > Now find a string ' S ' in A such that $|S| \geq P$
- > Divide S into $uvxyz$
- > Show that $uv^i x y^i z \notin A$ for some i
- > Then consider the ways that S can be divided into $uvxyz$
- > Show that none of these can satisfy all the 3 pumping conditions at the same time
- > S cannot be pumped == CONTRADICTION

Pumping Lemma (for Context Free Languages) - Example (Part-1)

Show that $L = \{a^N b^N c^N \mid N \geq 0\}$ is Not Context Free

-> Assume that L is Context Free

-> L must have a pumping length (say P)

-> Now we take a string S such that $S = a^P b^P c^P$

-> We divide S into parts $u v x y z$

Eg. $P = 4$ So, $S = a^4 b^4 c^4$

Case I : v and y each contain only one type of symbol

a a a a a b b b b b b b c c c c
u v x y z

$uv^i xy^i z$ ($i = 2$)
 $uv^2 xy^2 z$

a a a a a a b b b b b b c c c c

$a^6 b^4 c^5 \notin L$

Case II : Either v or y has more than one kind of symbols

a a a a b b b b b b b b c c c c
u v x y z

$uv^i xy^i z$ ($i = 2$)
 $uv^2 xy^2 z$
 $a^N b^N c^N$
aa aabbbaabbbaabbccccc $\notin L$

Pumping Lemma (for Context Free Languages) - Example (Part-2)

Show that $L = \{ww \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$ is NOT Context Free

-> Assume that L is Context Free

-> L must have a pumping length (say P)

-> Now we take a string S such that $S = 0^P 1^P 0^P 1^P$

-> We divide S into parts $u v x y z$

Case 1: vxy does not straddle a boundary

0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1
u v x y z
0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1

Eg. $P = 5$ So, $S = 0^5 1^5 0^5 1^5$

$uv^i xy^i z$

$uv^2 xy^2 z$

$0^5 1^7 0^5 1^5 \neq L$

Case 2a: vxy straddles the first boundary

$$\frac{00000'11111'00000'11111}{u \quad v \quad x \quad y \quad z}$$

$$uv^ix^iy^iz \\ uv^2x^y^2z$$

000 0000 | 111111 00000 1111

$$\underbrace{0^5 1^7}_{\neq} \quad \underbrace{0^5 1^5}_{\neq} \notin L \quad \downarrow$$

Case 2b: vxy straddles the third boundary

$$\frac{00000'11111'00000'11111}{u \quad v \quad x \quad y \quad z}$$

$$uv^2x^y^2z$$

00000 11111 0000 00001 11111

$$\underbrace{0^5 1^5}_{\neq} \quad \underbrace{0^7 1^7}_{\neq} \notin L$$

Case 3: vxy straddles the midpoint

$$\frac{00000'11111'00000'11111}{u \quad v \quad x \quad y \quad z}$$

$$uv^2x^y^2z$$

00000 111111 00000 000 11111

$$\underbrace{0^5 1^7}_{\neq} \quad \underbrace{0^7 1^5}_{\neq} \notin L \quad \downarrow$$

L is not context Free

Pushdown Automata (Introduction)

A Pushdown Automata (PDA) is a way to implement a Context Free Grammar in a similar way we design Finite Automata for Regular Grammar

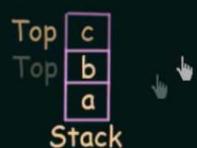
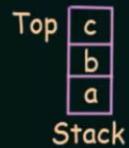
- > It is more powerful than FSM
- > FSM has a very limited memory but PDA has more memory
- > PDA = Finite State Machine + A Stack

A stack is a way we arrange elements one on top of another

A stack does two basic operations:

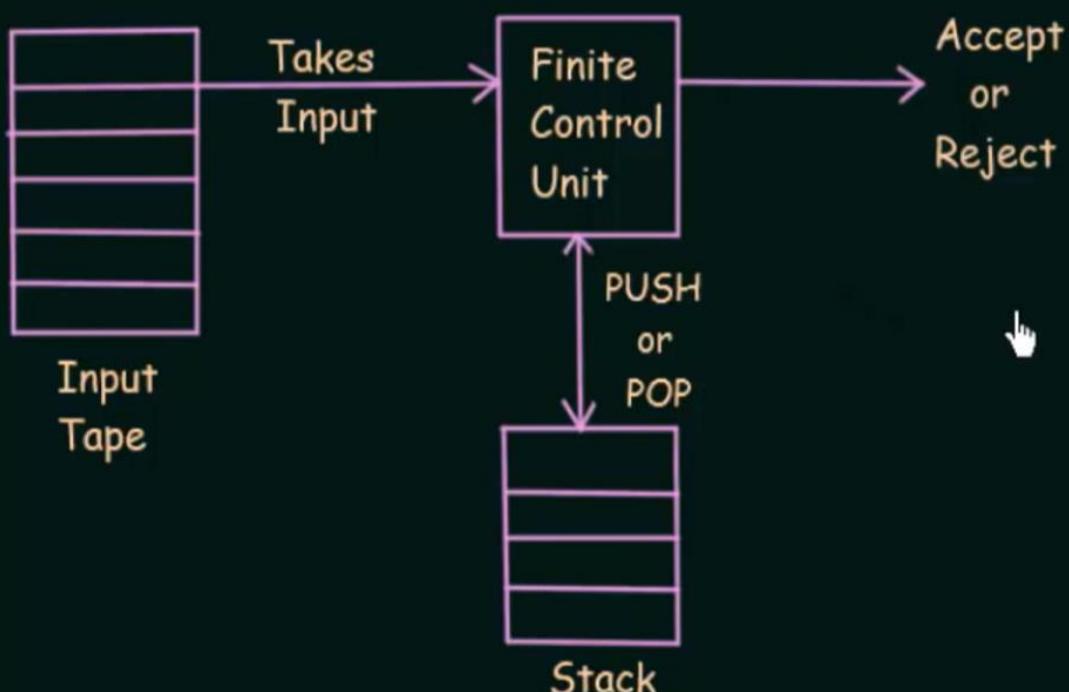
PUSH: A new element is added at the Top of the stack

POP: The Top element of the stack is read and removed



A Pushdown Automata has 3 components:

- 1) An input tape
- 2) A Finite Control Unit
- 3) A Stack with infinite size



Pushdown Automata (Formal Definition)

A Pushdown Automata is formally defined by 7 Tuples as shown below:

$$P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$$

where,

Q = A finite set of States

Σ = A finite set of Input Symbols

Γ = A finite Stack Alphabet

δ = The Transition Function

q_0 = The Start State

z_0 = The Start Stack Symbol

F = The set of Final / Accepting States

δ takes as argument a triple $\delta(q, a, X)$ where:

- (i) q is a State in Q
- (ii) a is either an Input Symbol in Σ or $a = \epsilon$
- (iii) X is a Stack Symbol, that is a member of Γ



The output of δ is finite set of pairs (p, γ) where:

p is a new state

γ is a string of stack symbols that replaces X at the top of the stack

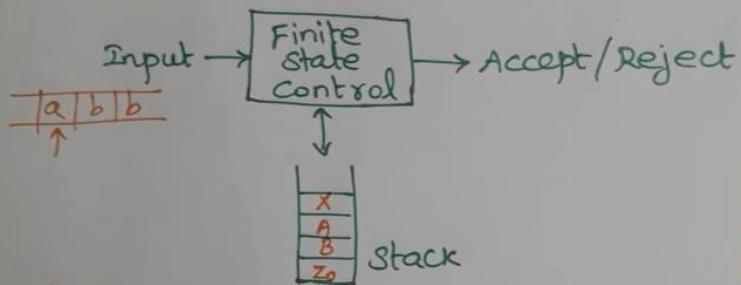


Eg. If $\gamma = \epsilon$ then the stack is popped

If $\gamma = X$ then the stack is unchanged

If $\gamma = YZ$ then X is replaced by Z and Y is pushed onto the stack

Σ -NFA + stack.



Formal Definition

PDA, $P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$

Q - Finite set of states

Σ - Input alphabet

Γ - Stack alphabet

q_0 - Start state

z_0 - Start stack symbol

a is in Σ or $a = \epsilon$

F - Set of final states

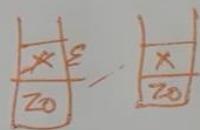
δ - Transition Function

$\delta(q, a, x) = (p, y)$

(i) $y = \epsilon$, pop

(ii) $y = x$, no change

(iii) $y = yz$, push.

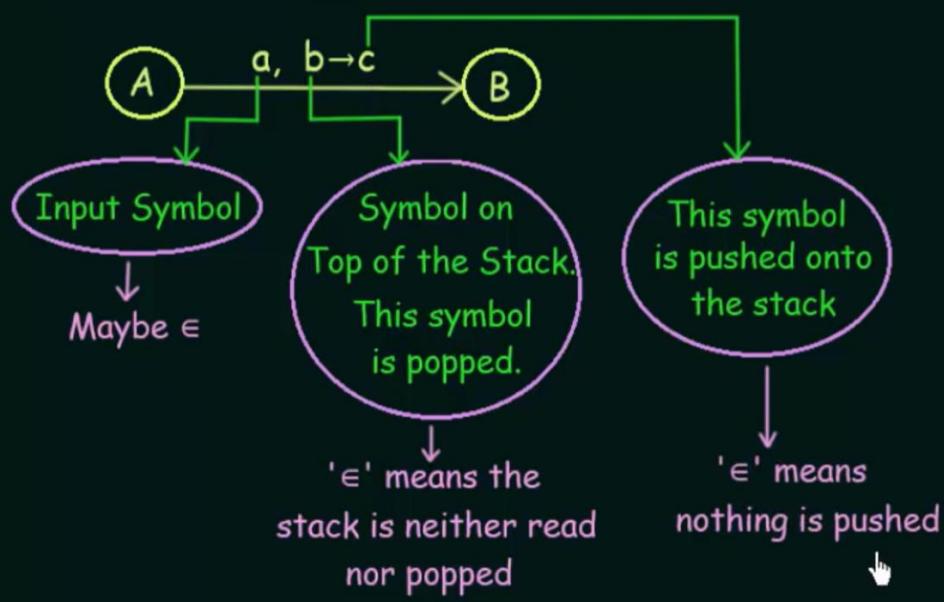


Pushdown Automata (Graphical Notation)

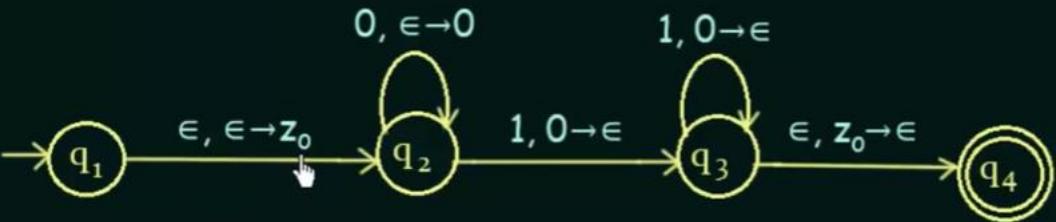
Finite State Machine



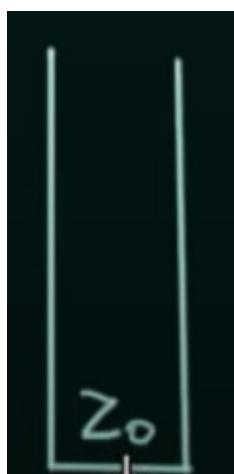
Pushdown Automata



Example: Construct a PDA that accepts $L = \{ 0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 0 \}$



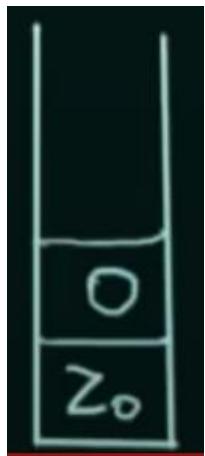
Stepwise



z_0 or $\$$ sign is used to denote the bottommost element of the stack.



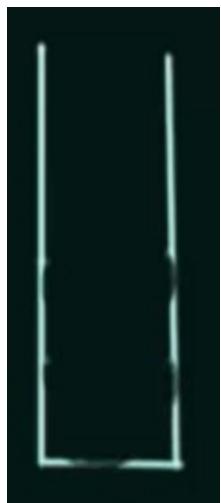
At q_2 we get input as 2 zeroes and we push 2 0's into the stack according to the automaton.



After we get an input 1 at q2 we pop the zero and push nothing and go to q3.



At q3 we get input 1 and again pop the remaining 0

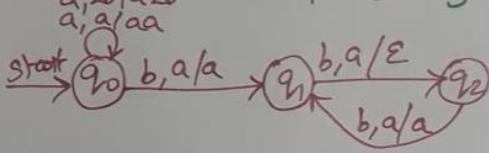


Now the next symbol is an epsilon symbol, and nothing is pushed into the stack and we pop the Z0 out of the stack and reach the goal state.

We accept the NFA in cases when we either reach the final state or the stack is empty.

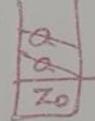
Give a PDA to accept the following language

$$L = \{a^n b^{2n} \mid n \geq 1\}$$

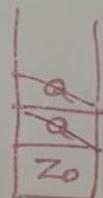


$$\{abb, aabb, \dots\}$$

$$aabbbb\epsilon$$



$$aabbbb\epsilon$$



$$\delta(q_0, a, z_0) = (q_0, az_0)$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, a) = (q_1, aa)$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, a) = (q_1, a)$$

$$\delta(q_1, b, a) = (q_2, \epsilon)$$

$$\delta(q_2, b, a) = (q_1, a)$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, z_0) = (q_0, az_0)$$

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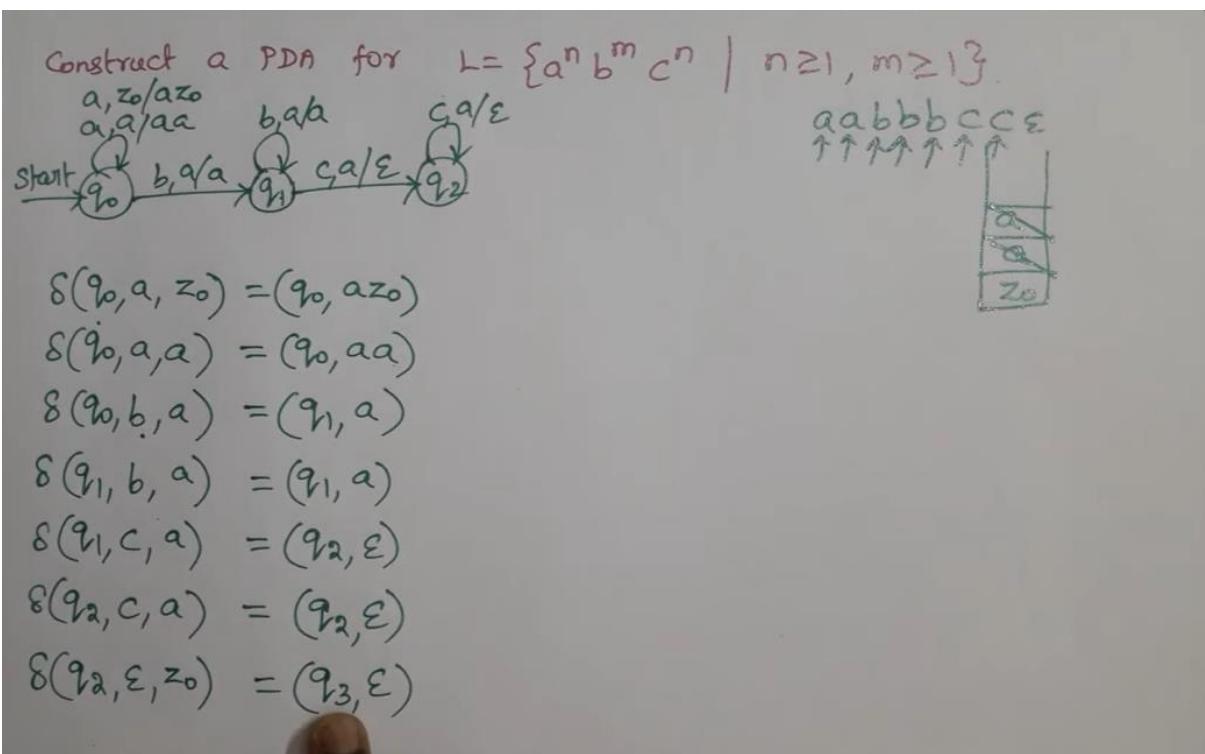
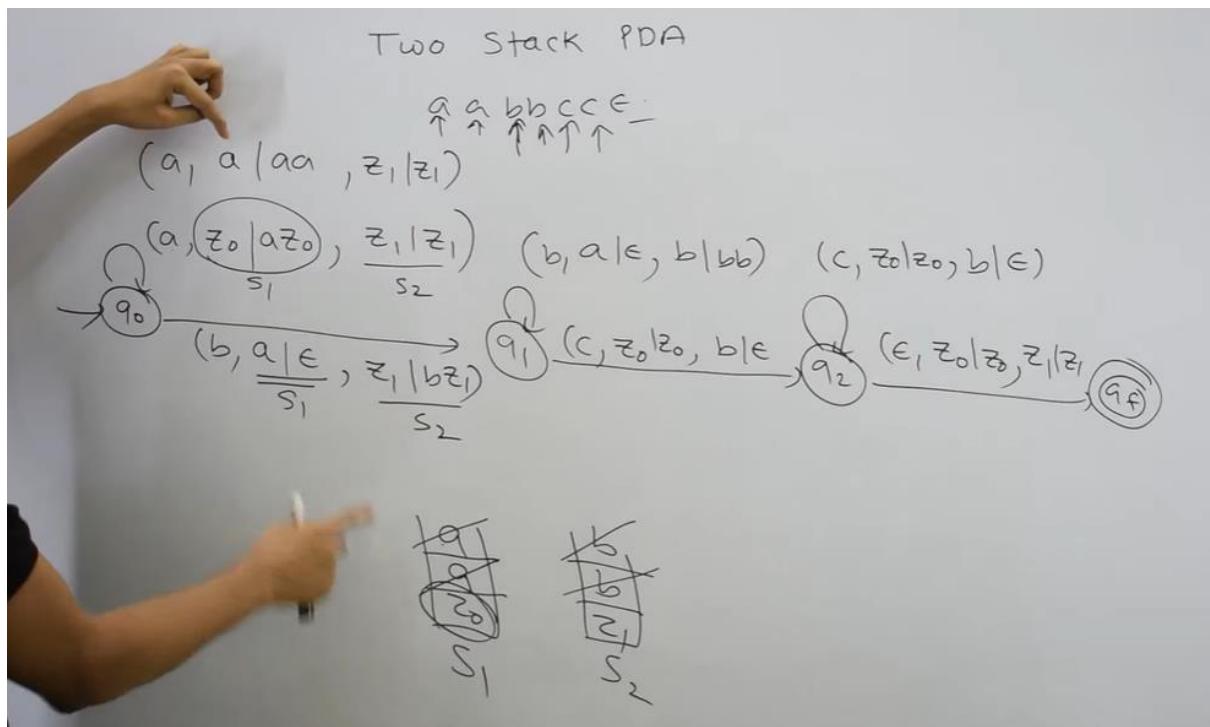
$$\delta(q_2, b, a) = (q_1, a)$$

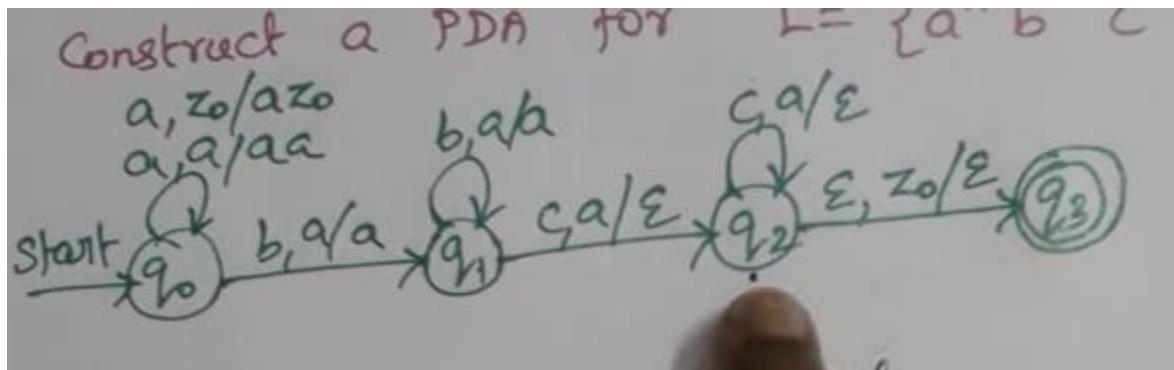
$$\delta(q_2, \epsilon, z_0) = (q_3, z_0)$$

$$aabbbb\epsilon$$



$$\text{PDA, } P = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, z_0\}, \delta, q_0, z_0, \{q_3\})$$





$$\delta(q_1, b, a) = (q_1, a)$$

$$\delta(q_1, c, a) = (q_2, \epsilon)$$

$$\delta(q_2, c, a) = (q_2, \epsilon)$$

$$\delta(q_2, \epsilon, z_0) = (q_3, \epsilon)$$

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Pushdown Automata - Example (Even Palindrome) PART-1

Construct a PDA that accepts Even Palindromes of the form

$$L = \{ ww^R \mid w = (a+b)^+ \}$$

PALINDROMES: A word or sequence that reads the same backwards as forwards.

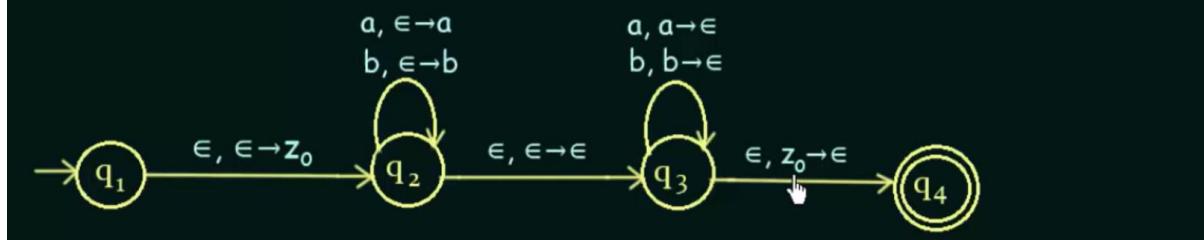
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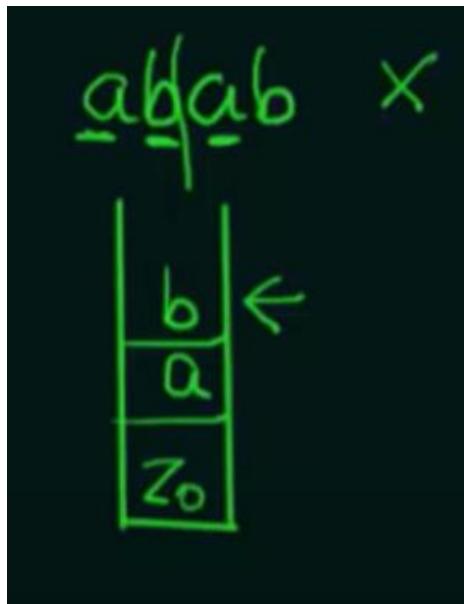
NO LEMON NO MELON

123321

abba

RACECAR





This is not a palindrome as after pushing a & b we can't pop them at step q3.

How to know when we have reached the mid of the string

Pushdown Automata - Example (Even Palindrome) PART- 2

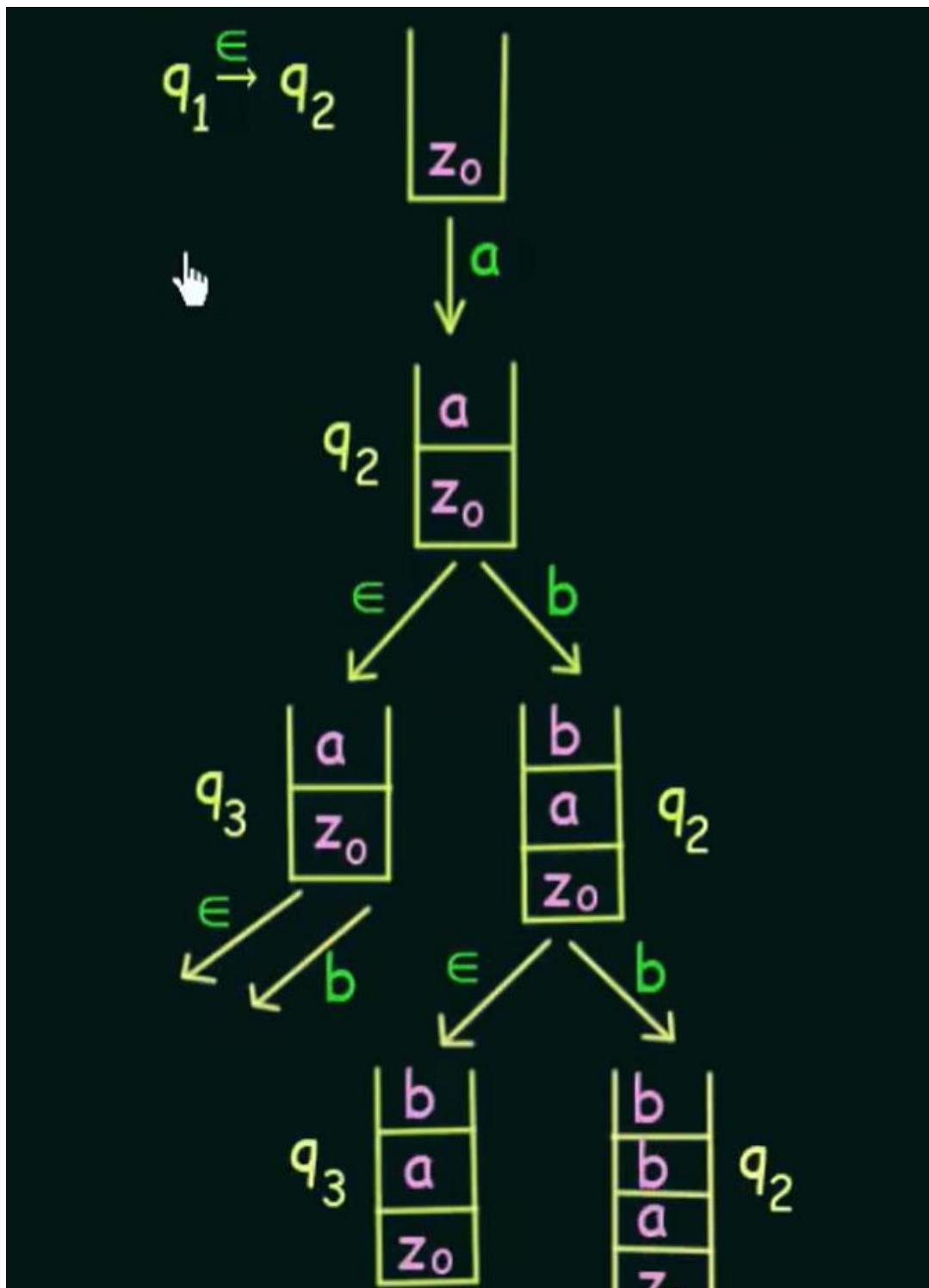
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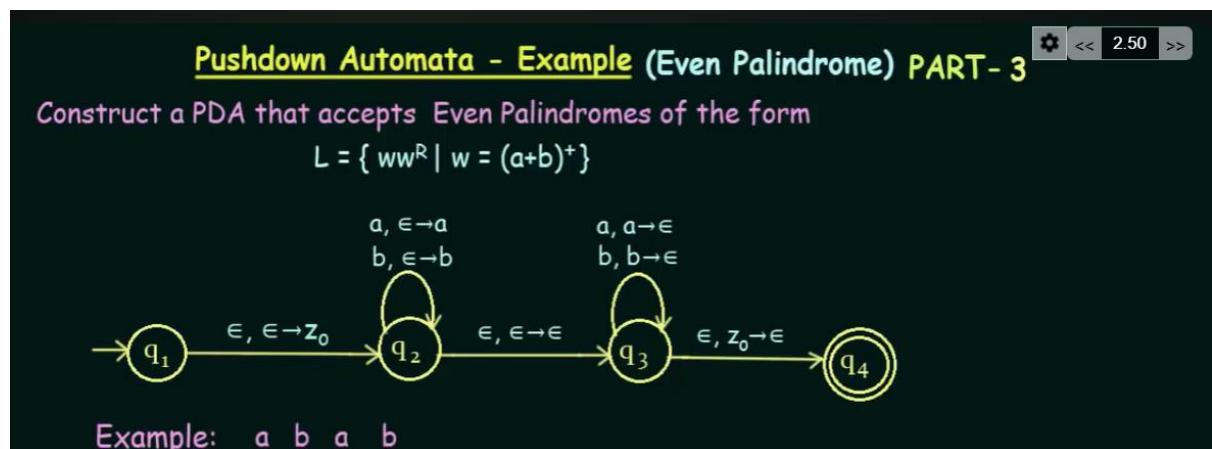
graph LR
    start(( )) --> q1((q1))
    q1 -- "epsilon, epsilon -> z0" --> q2((q2))
    q2 -- "a, epsilon -> a" --> q2
    q2 -- "b, epsilon -> b" --> q2
    q2 -- "epsilon, epsilon" --> q3((q3))
    q3 -- "a, a -> epsilon" --> q3
    q3 -- "b, b -> epsilon" --> q3
    q3 -- "epsilon, z0 -> epsilon" --> q4(((q4)))
    
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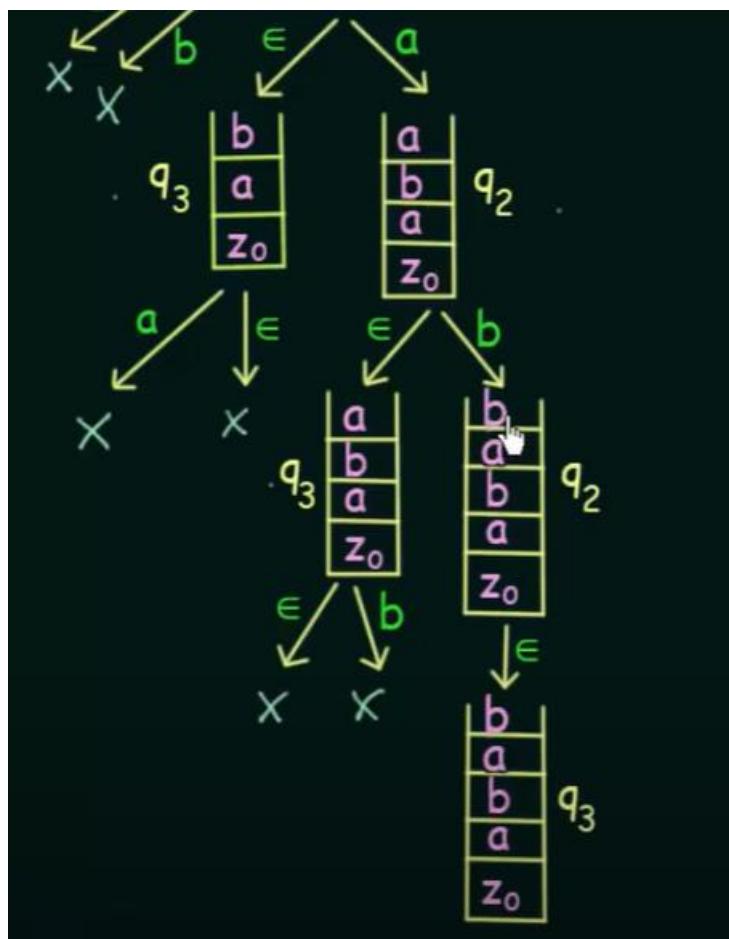
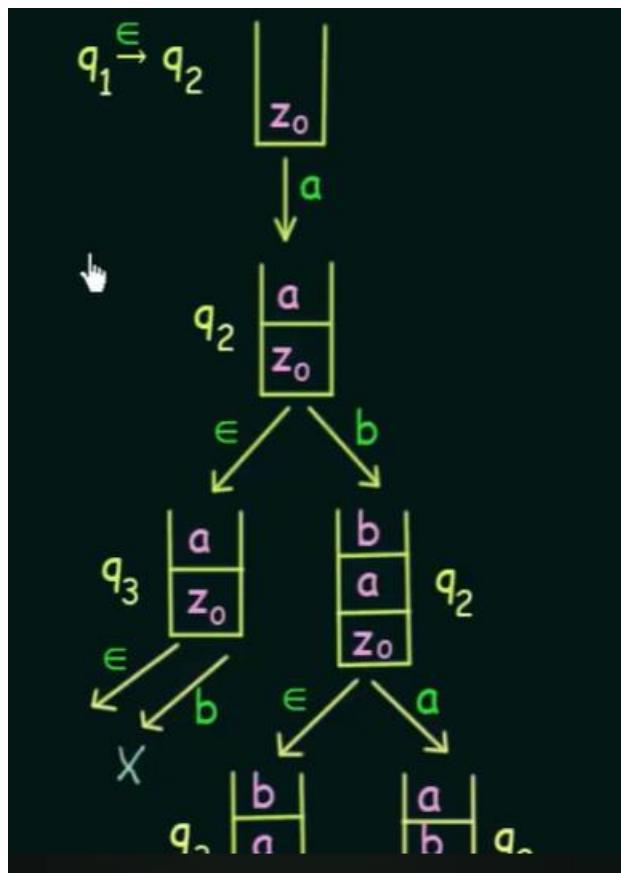
Example: $\epsilon a \in b \in b \in a \epsilon$



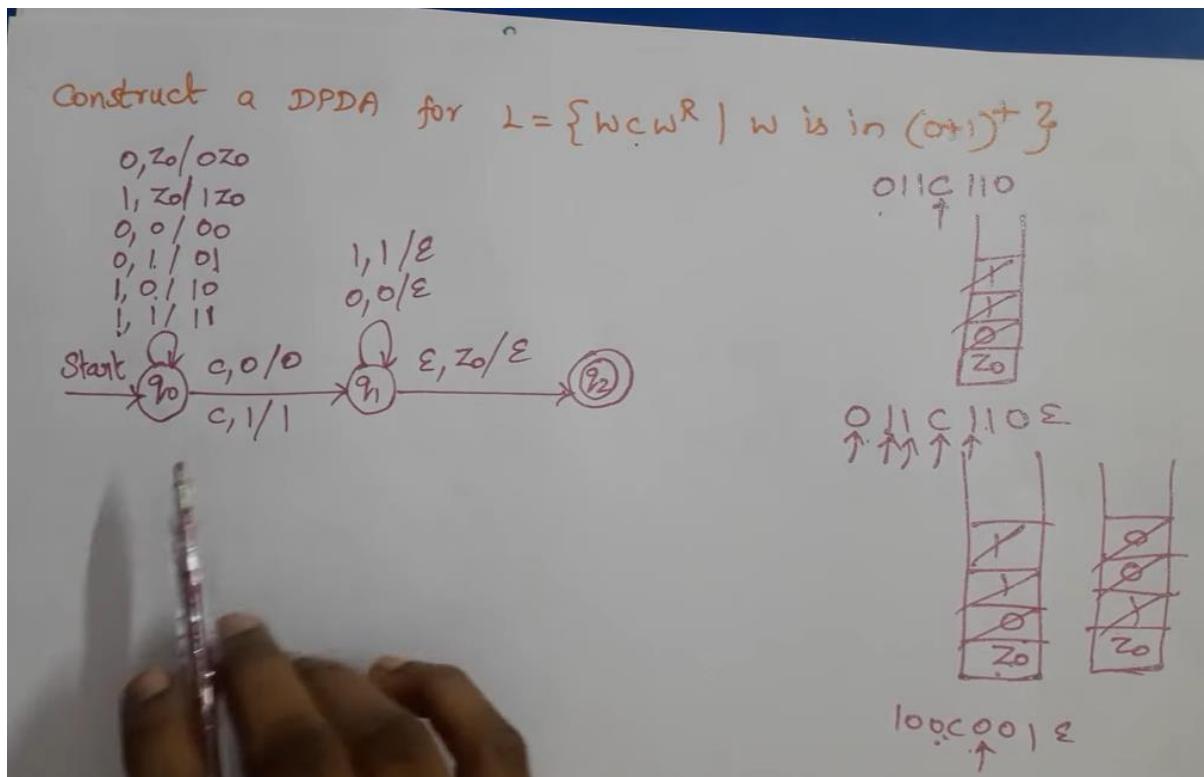


<https://www.codingninjas.com/studio/library/pushdown-automata>





Deterministic PDA



Equivalence of CFG and PDA

Equivalence of CFG and PDA (Part-1)

Theorem: A language is Context Free iff some Pushdown Automata recognizes it.

Proof: Part 1: Given a CFG, show how to construct a PDA that recognizes it.

Part 2: Given a PDA, show how to construct a CFG that recognizes the same language.

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Given a grammar

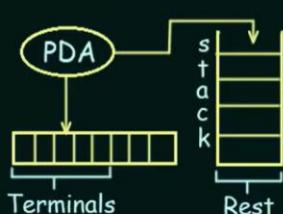
$$S \rightarrow BS|A$$

$$A \rightarrow OA|\epsilon$$

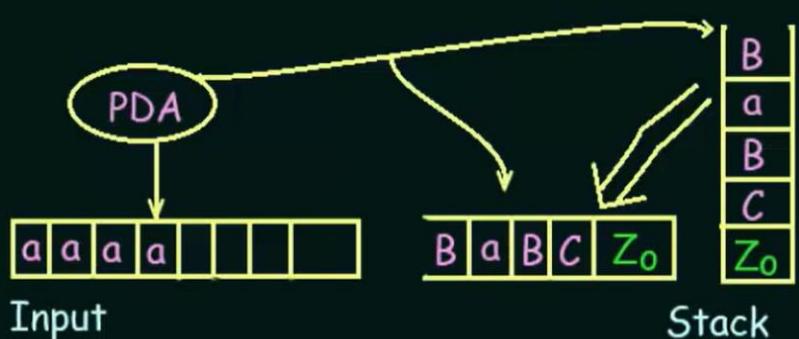
$$B \rightarrow BB1|2$$

Find or build a PDA

$\rightarrow S$	(Left
$\rightarrow BS$	most
$\rightarrow BB1S$	derivation)
$\rightarrow 2B1S$	
$\rightarrow 221S$	
$\rightarrow 221A$	
$\rightarrow 221\epsilon$	
$\rightarrow 221$	



General Form:
 $\underline{\text{aaaa}} \underline{\text{BaBC}}$
 Terminals Rest



Left Most Derivation: $S \rightarrow \dots \underline{\text{aaaa}} \underline{\text{B a B C}} \rightarrow \dots$

AT EACH STEP EXPAND LEFT-MOST DERIVATION

Eg. Rule: $B \rightarrow ASAxAxBA \rightarrow \dots \underline{\text{aaaa}} \underline{\text{A S A x B A a B C}}$

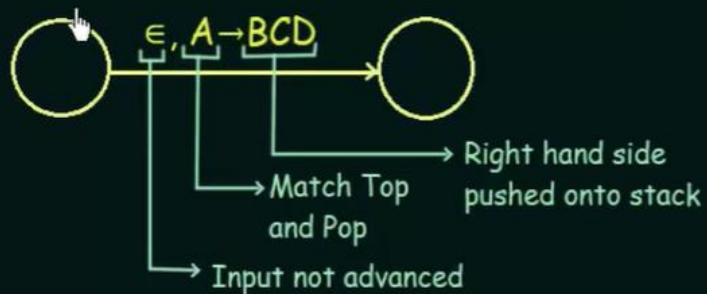
→ Match Stack Top to a Rule

→ Pop Stack

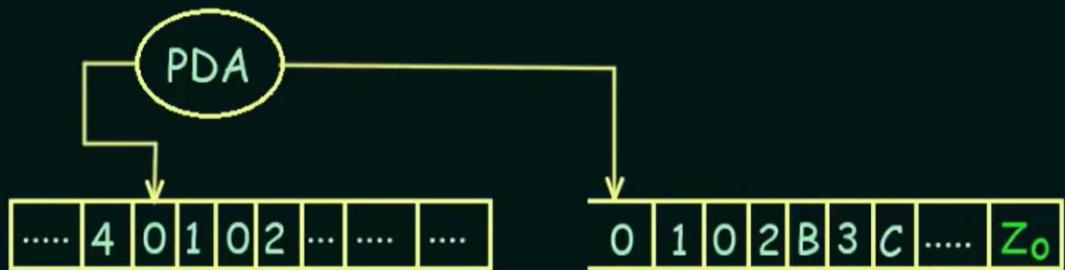
→ Push Right Hand Side of Rule onto Stack

Rule: $A \rightarrow BCD$

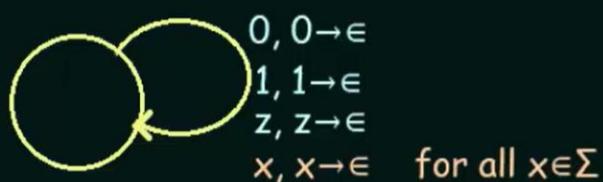
Add this to the PDA



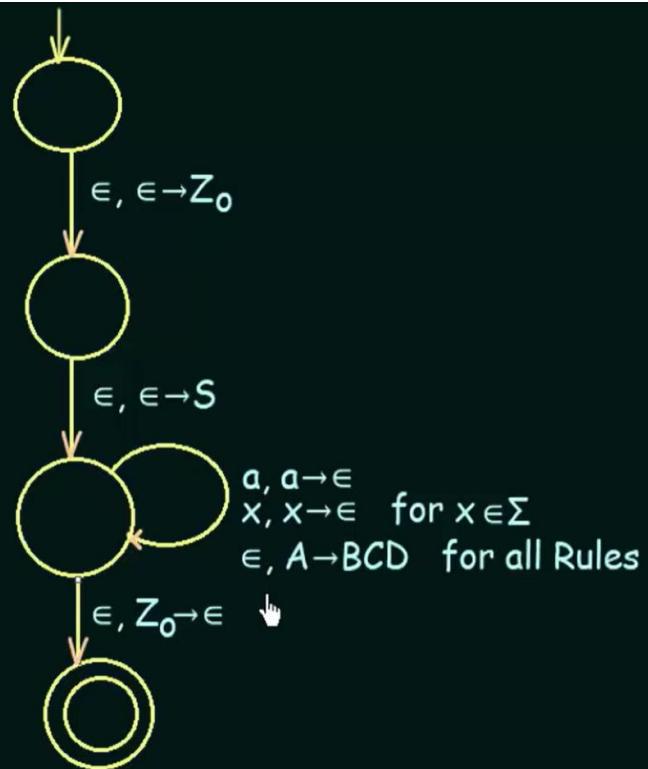
Rule: $A \rightarrow 0102B3C$



MATCH TERMINAL SYMBOLS TO THE STACK TOP



The Final PDA



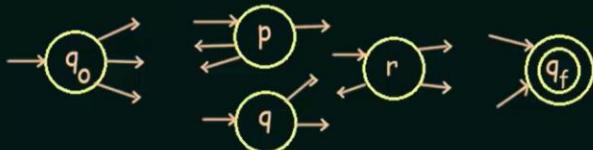
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Given a PDA --> Build a CFG from it



Step 1: Simplify the PDA

Step 2: Build the CFG

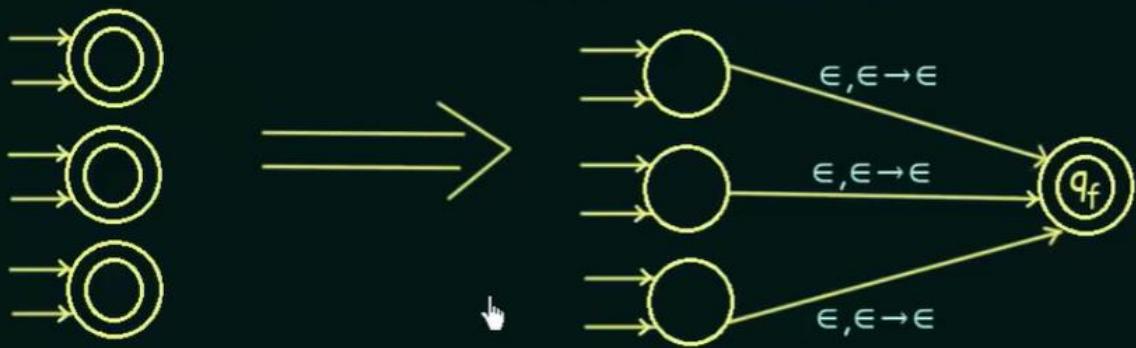
There will be a Non-Terminal for every pair of states : $A_{pq}, A_{qr}, A_{rq}, \dots$

The starting Non-Terminal will be : $A_{q_0 q_f}$



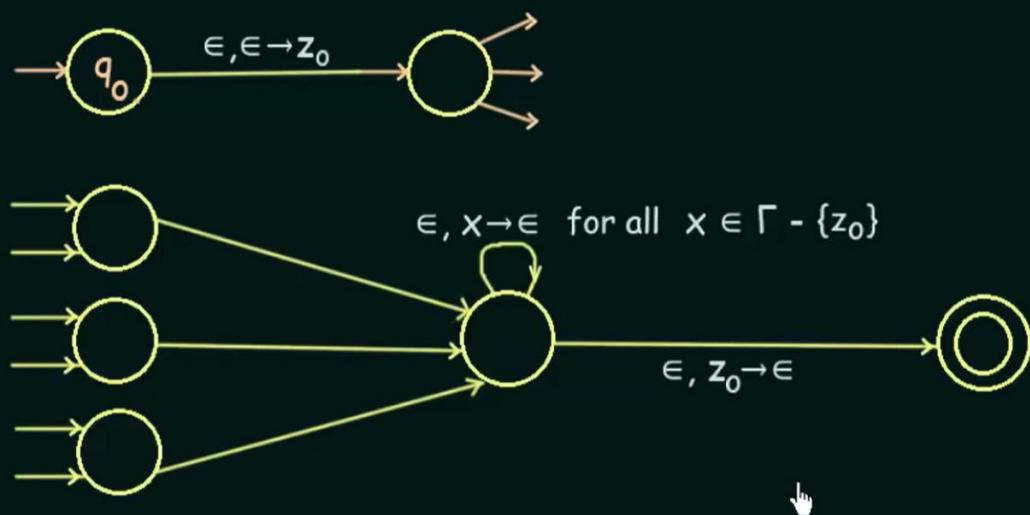
Simplifying the PDA:

1) The PDA should have only one final/accept state.

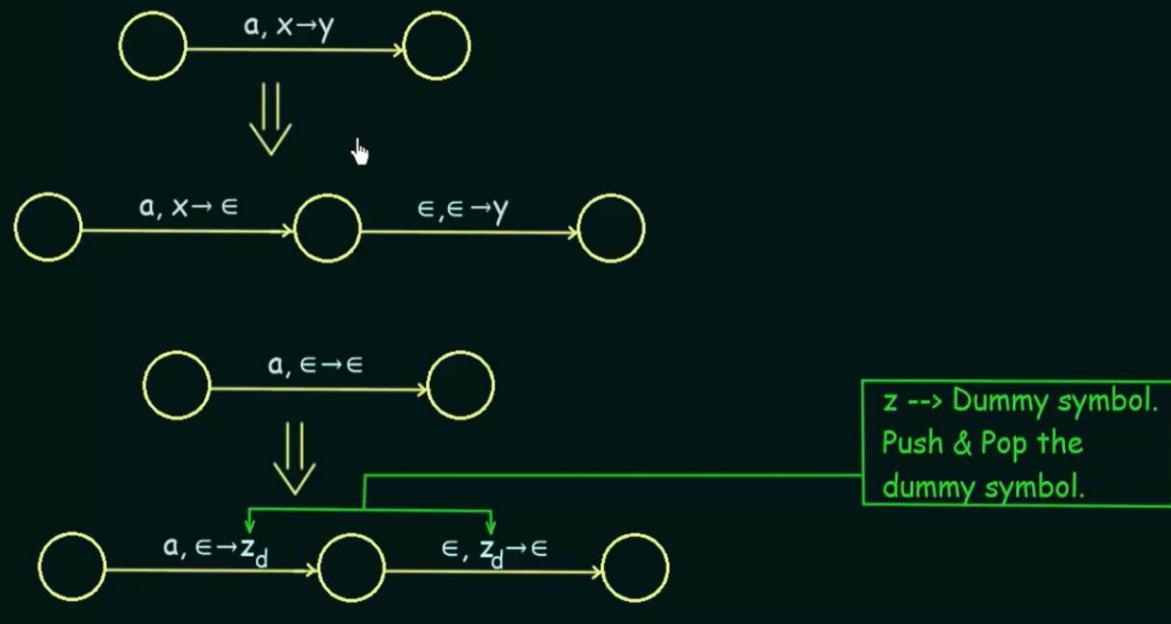


2) The PDA should empty its stack before accepting.

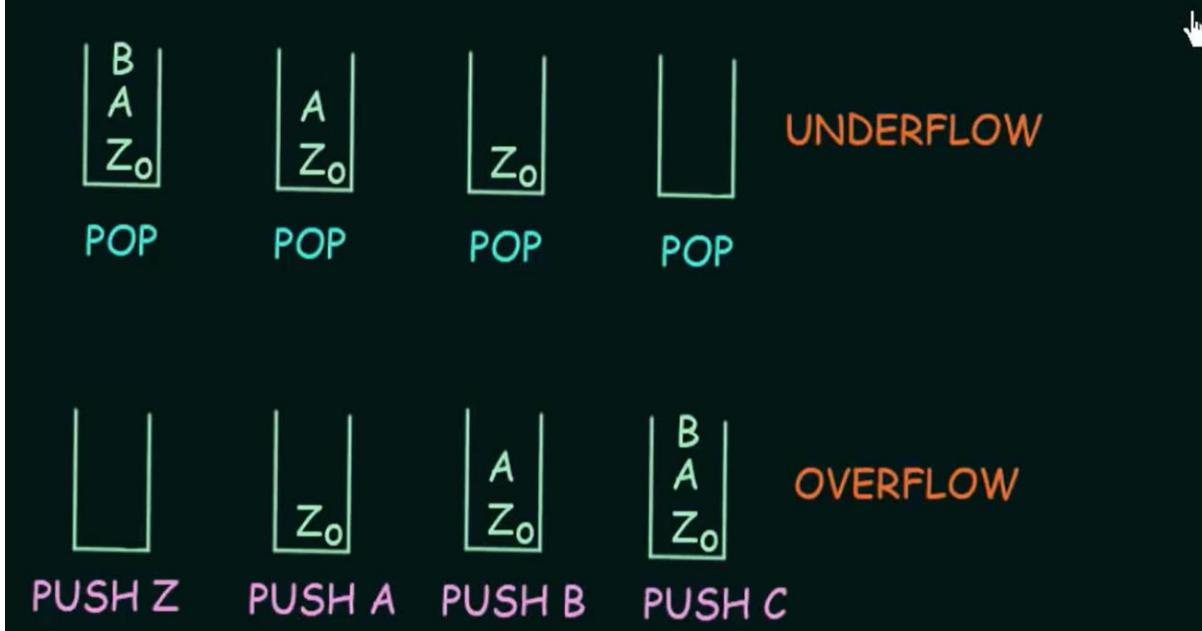
--> Create a new Start State q_0 which pushes z_0 to the stack.



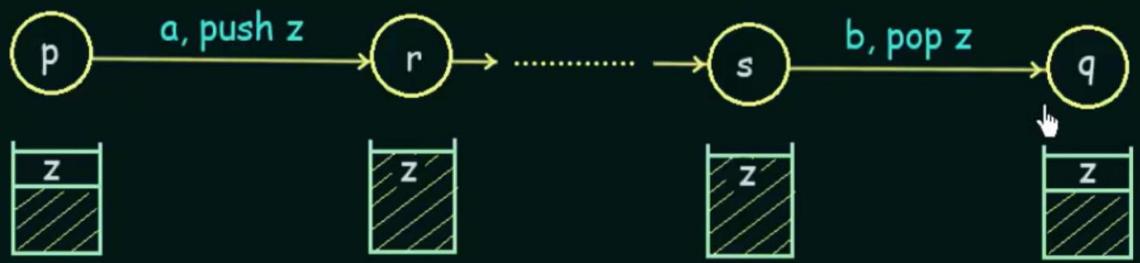
3) Make sure each transitions either Pushes or Pops but does not do both.



--> Start with an empty Stack and finish with an empty Stack



Case-1:



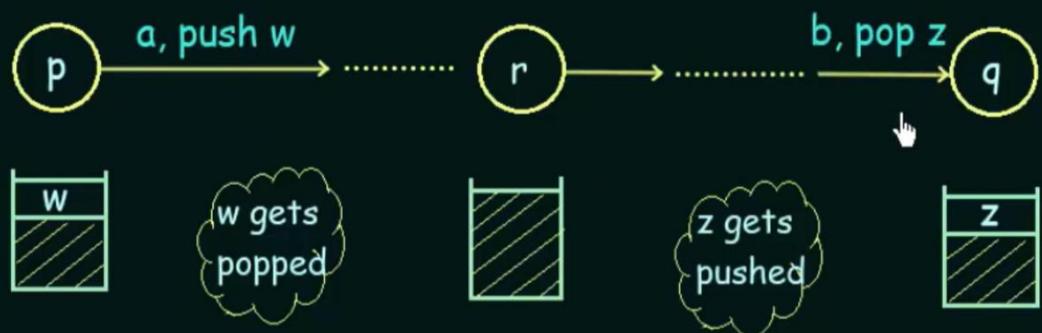
What strings can be generated by following this path ?

--> "a.....b"

$$A_{pq} \rightarrow a A_{rs} b$$

--> This rule will generate exactly those strings.

Case-2:



What strings can be generated by following this path ?

$$A_{pq} \rightarrow A_{pr} A_{rq}$$

--> This rule will generate exactly those strings.

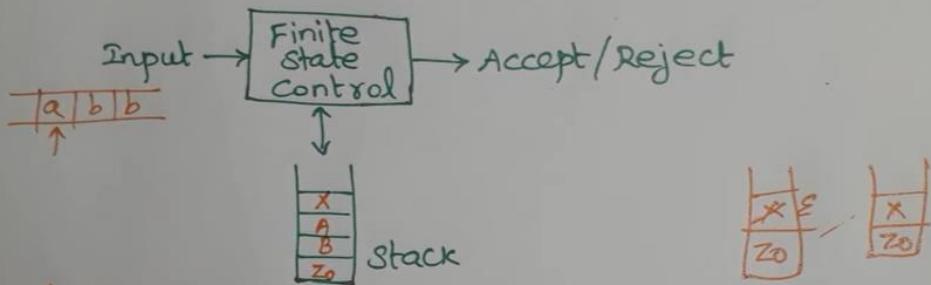
--> To get from any state p to itself, $A_{pp} \rightarrow \epsilon$

--> If the PDA accepts some strings, then there is a way to go from q_0 to q_f that does not modify the stack.

Our Start Non-Terminal is $A_{q_0 q_f}$



ϵ -NFA + stack.



Formal Definition

PDA, $P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$

Q - Finite set of states

Σ - Input alphabet

Γ - Stack alphabet

q_0 - Start state

z_0 - Start stack symbol

a is in Σ or $a = \epsilon$

F - Set of final states

δ - Transition Function

$\delta(q, a, x) = (p, \gamma)$

(i) $\gamma = \epsilon$, pop

(ii) $\gamma = x$, no change

(iii) $\gamma = yz$, push.

Conversion of CFG to PDA

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$$P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, s_0)$$

Let $G = (V, T, R, S)$ be a CFG,

construct PDA, accepts by empty stack.

$$\text{PDA, } P = (\{q\}, T, VUT, \delta, q, S)$$

Transition Function δ

1. For each variable A,

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, A) = \{(q, \beta) \mid A \rightarrow \beta \text{ is in } R\}$$

2. For each terminal a,

$$\delta(q, a, a) = (q, \epsilon)$$

EXAMPLE

construct a PDA for the following CFG & test whether "abbabb" is in $N(P)$.

$$G = (\{S, A\}, \{a, b\}, R, S)$$

$$R = \{ \begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow AA \mid a \\ A \rightarrow SA \mid b \end{array} \}$$

$$\text{PDA, } P = (\{q\}, \{a, b\}, \{S, A, a, b\}, \delta, q, S)$$

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, S) = \{(q, AA), (q, a)\}$$

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, A) = \{(q, SA), (q, b)\}$$

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"abbabb" is accepted by
N(\mathcal{P})

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Construct CFG, $G = (V, \Sigma, R, S)$

Variables, V

1. special symbol S

2. $[pxq]$ where p, q are states in Q & x is in Γ

Productions, R

1. For all states P ,

$$S \rightarrow [q_0 z_0 P]$$

2. Let $\delta(q, a, x) = (r, y_1 y_2 \dots y_k)$

$$[q x r] \rightarrow a [r y_1 r] [r y_2 r] \dots [r y_{k-1} r] [r y_k r]$$

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Convert the following PDA into CFG.

$$P = (\{q, p\}, \{0, 1\}, \{x, z\}, \delta, q, z)$$

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$$V = \{S, [q \times q], [q \times p], [p \times q], [p \times p], [q \sqsubset q], [q \sqsubset p], [p \sqsubset q], [p \sqsubset p]\}$$

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$$\text{vii) } \delta(P, 0, Z) = (Q, Z)$$

$$[PZQ] \rightarrow 0 [QZQ]$$

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PDA to CFG Conversion.

$$\delta: \delta(q_0, a, z_0) = (q_0, az_0)$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, G) = (q_0, aa) \quad (\text{CFG} = (V \mid T \mid P \mid S))$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, G) = (q_1, G)$$

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$$\delta(q_1, n, z_0) = (q_1, n)$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, z_0) = (q_0, az_0) \quad \{ \varrho^2 = 4 \}$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_0] = a [q_0, G, q_0] [q_0, z_0, q_0]$$

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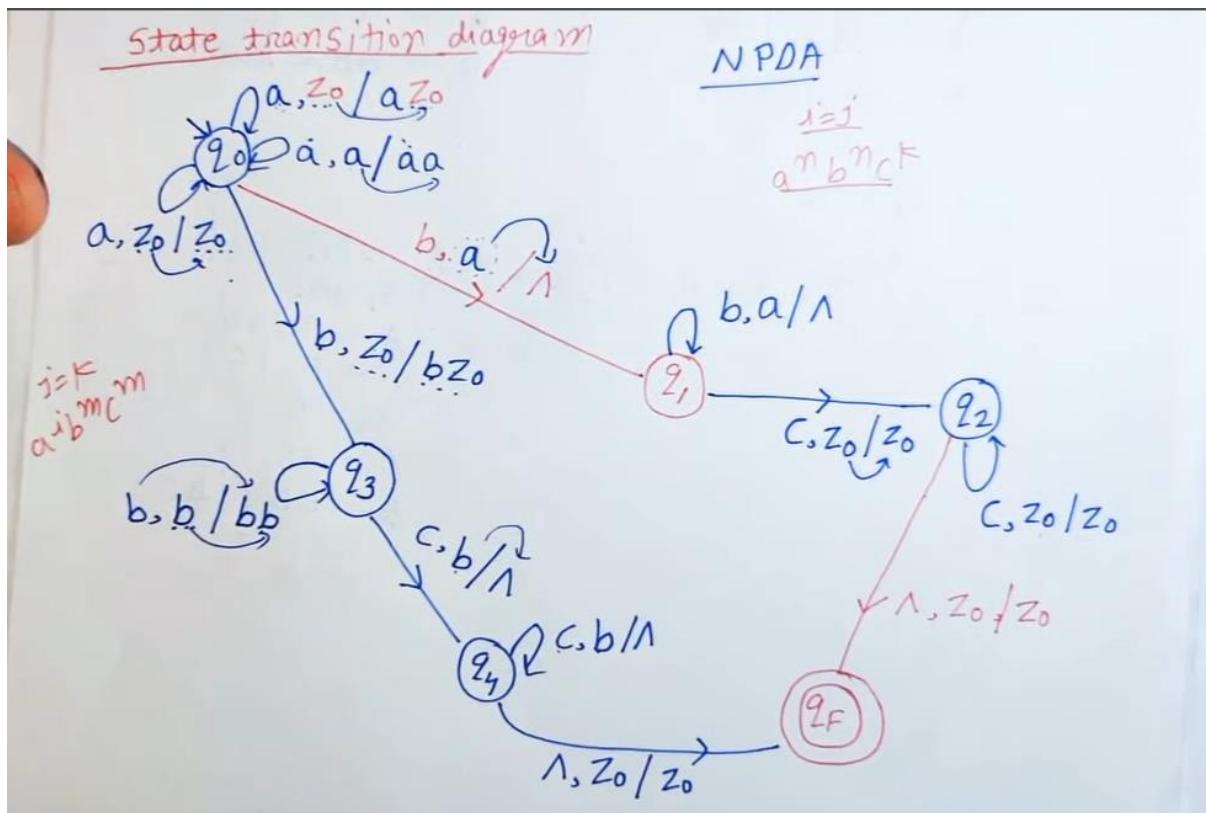
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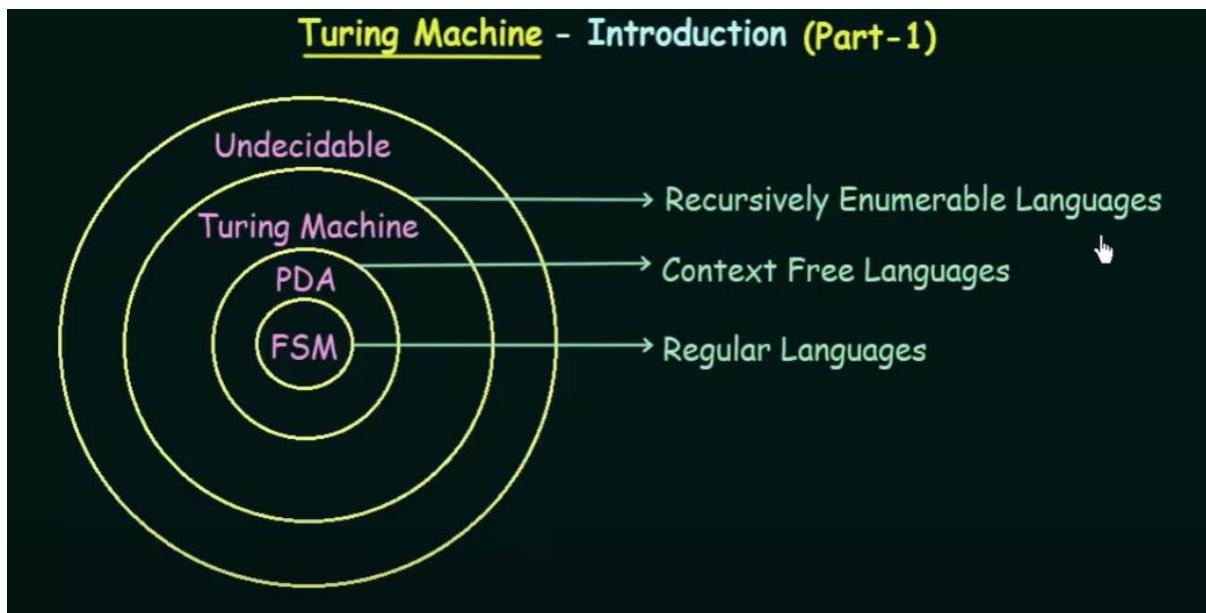
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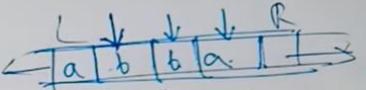


Turing Machines

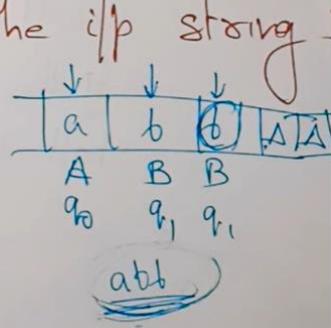


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- ⇒ It consists of a head which reads the ifp tape.

- ⇒ A state ~~reg~~ stores the state of TM.
- ⇒ After reading an i/p symbol, it is replaced with another symbol, its internal state is changed & it moves from one cell to the right or left.
- ⇒ If the TM reaches the final state, the i/p string accepted, otherwise rejected.



Formal Definition :-

A TM can be formally described as $\boxed{7\text{-tuples}} (Q, X, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ Where:-

- Q is a finite set of states
- X is the tape alphabet
- Σ is the i/p alphabet
- δ is a transition function;
 $\delta: Q \times X \rightarrow Q \times X \times \{\text{left shift, Right shift}\}$
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Basic Model of Turing Machine

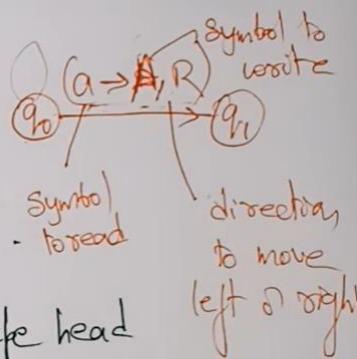
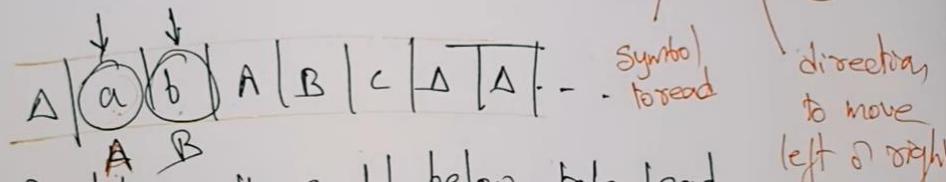
① The i/p tape is having an infinite no: of cells, each cell containing one i/p symbol. The empty tape filled by blank characters.

...-|a|b|c| Δ | Δ .| Δ .| Δ -... i/p tape

② The finite control & the tape head which is responsible for reading the current i/p symbol. The tape head can move to left to right.

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Turing Thesis

Turing's Thesis:

It states that any computation that can be carried by mechanical means can be performed by some TM

The arguments for accepting this thesis are

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⇒ The language that is accepted by TM is
Recursively Enumerable language.

A lang $L \subseteq \Sigma$ is said to be Recursively Enumerable if there exists a TM that accepts it.

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Language accepted by Turing Machine

- ⇒ The TM accepts all the lang even though they are recursive enumerable.
- ⇒ Recursive means repeating same set of rules for any no. of times.
- ⇒ Enumerable means a list of elements
- ⇒ TM also accepts the computable functions, such as addition, multiplication, subtraction, division, and many more.

Ex: Construct a TM which accepts the lang of aba over
 $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$

Sol:- we will assume that on 1/p tape the string 'aba' is placed

a	b		a		Δ	...
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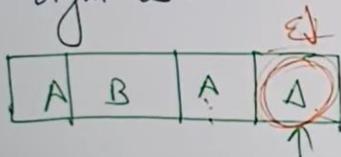
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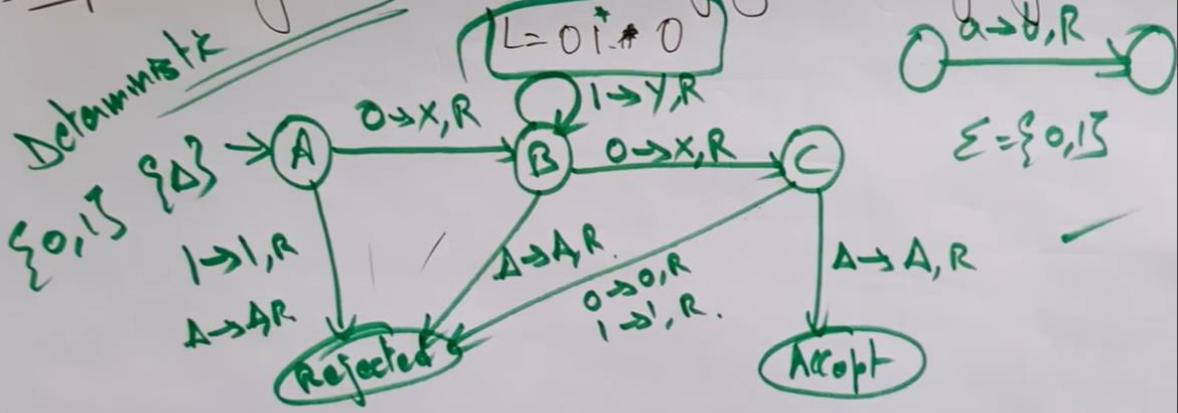


The move $s(q_3, A) = (q_u, \Delta, S)$ which means it will go to state q_u which is HALT state which is accept state for any T.

can be represented by Transition table

States	a	b	A
q_0	(q_1, A, R)	-	-
q_1	-	(q_2, B, R)	-
q_2	(q_3, A, R)	-	-
q_3	-	-	(q_u, Δ, S)
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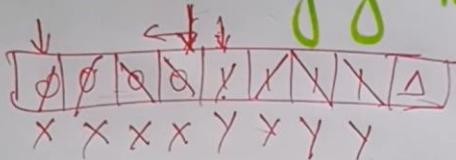
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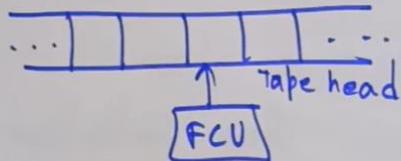
Algorithm:

- change "0" to "x"
- Move Right to first "1"
If none : Reject
- Change "1" to "y"
- Move left to left most "0"
- Repeat the above steps until no more "0's"
- Make some move



Variants of Turing Machine

⇒ Till now we have seen normal T.M with tape infinite size, Tape head & one finite control unit



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→ multidimensional Turing Machines

① Multitape TM :-

→ A T.M with several tapes

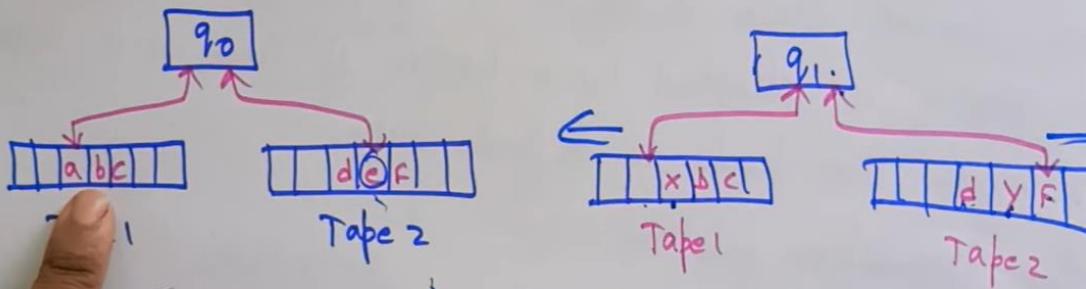
→ Every Tapes have their controlled own R/W Head

→ For N-tape T.M $M = \{ Q, \Sigma, X, \delta, q_0, B, F \}$

We define $\delta = Q \times X^N \rightarrow Q \times X^N \times \{ L, R \}^N$

For egr if $n=2$, with current configuration

$$\delta(q_0, a, e) = (q_1, x, y, L, R) \quad n=2$$



$$\delta: Q \times X^N \rightarrow Q \times X^N \times \{L, R\}^N$$

② Non Deterministic Turing Machine

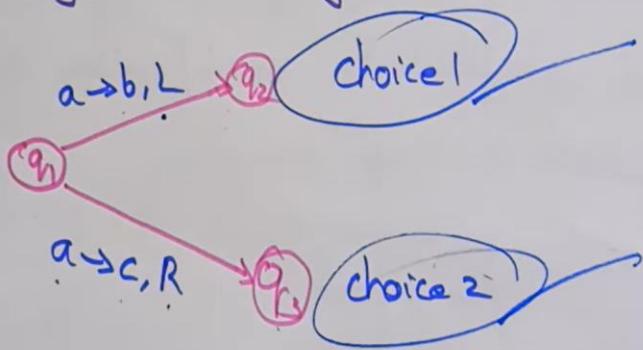
→ It is similar to DTM except that for any input symbol and current state it has a no: of choices

→ A string is accepted by a ND TM if there is a sequence of moves that leads to a final state.

→ The transition function

$$\delta: Q \times X \rightarrow 2^{Q \times X \times \{L, R\}}$$

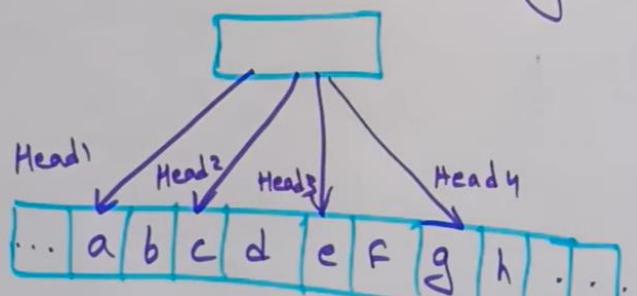
→ A NDTM is allowed to have more than one transition on a given tape symbol



③ Multi-head TM:

→ It has no. of heads instead of one.

→ Each head independently read/write symbols and move left/right or keep stationary



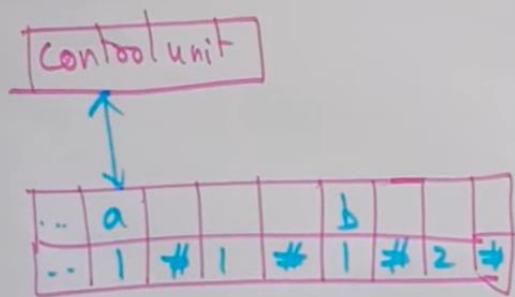
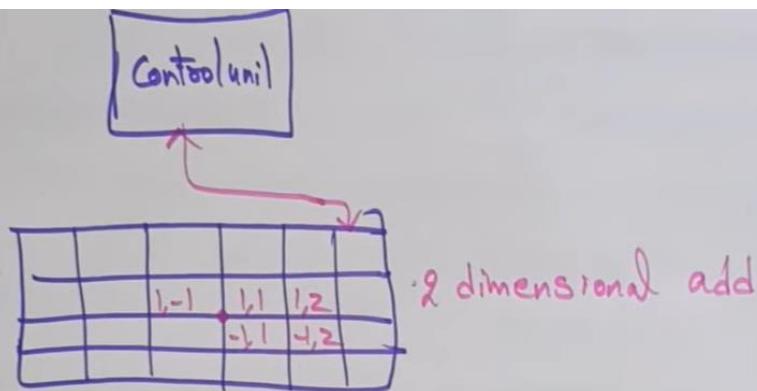
⑤ Multidimensional Turing Machine

→ Multidimensional TM has a multidimensional tape.

for eg.: a two-dimensional TM would read and write on an infinite tape divided into squares, like a checkboard.

⇒ In a two dimensional TM transition function defined as:

$$\delta: Q \times T \rightarrow Q \times T \times \{L, R, U, D\}$$



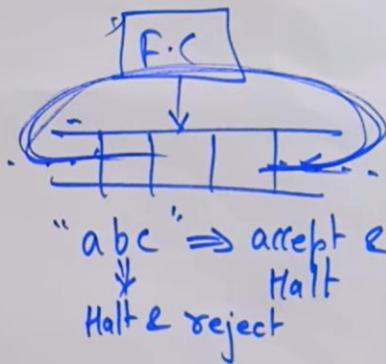
Recursive & Recursively Enumerable Languages

→ The T.M may

- * Halt & accept the input
- * Halt & reject the input, or
- * Never halt / loop

Recursively Enumerable lang.

There is a T.M for a language which accepts every string otherwise not.



Recursive language

There is a T.M for a language which halts on every string

Recursive lang
Halt on every string

recursively enumerable lang
Accept every string or not

Halting problem

⇒ Halting problem is undecidability. It is not a problem, it just asks question : "is it possible to tell whether a given m/c will halt for some given i/p".

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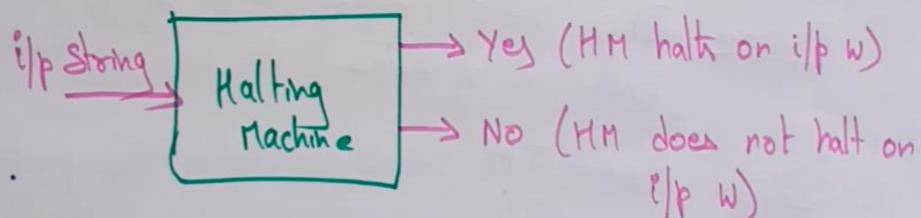
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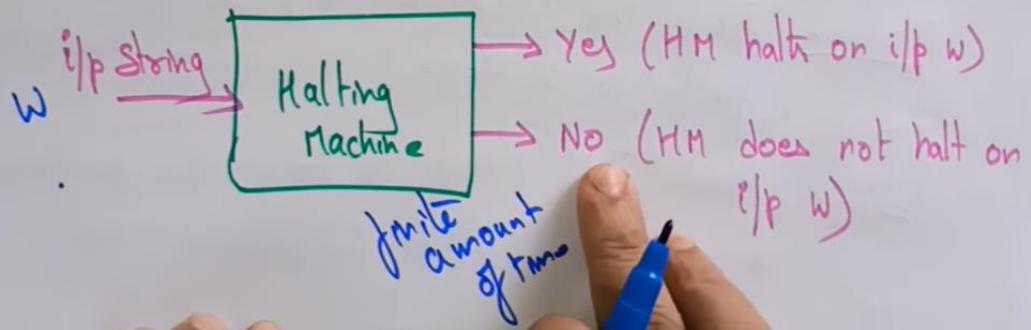
We will call this TM as a Halting m/c that produce a 'Yes' or 'No' in a finite amount of time.

⇒ If the halting m/c finishes in a finite amount of time, o/p comes as 'Yes' otherwise as 'No'.

The block diag of Halting m/c :-



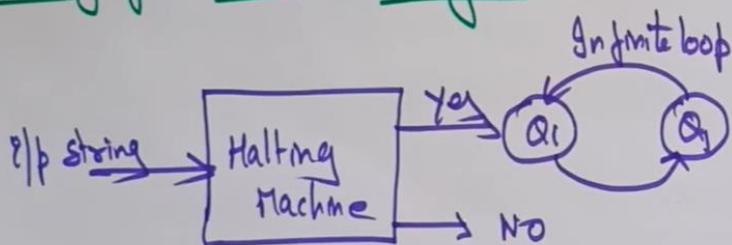
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Now we will design an inverted halting machine as -

- If H returns Yes, then loop forever
- If H returns No, then Halt.

The diagram for inverted Halting m/c :-



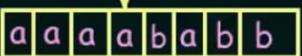
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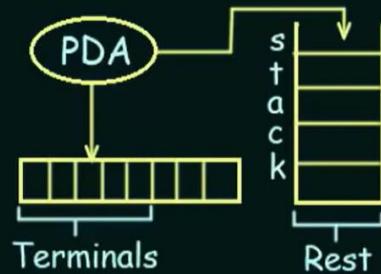
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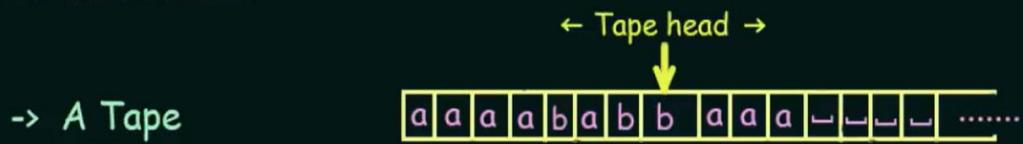
After this we got a contradiction then the halting prob is undecidable

FSM: The Input String 

PDA: -> The Input String
-> A Stack



TURING MACHINE:

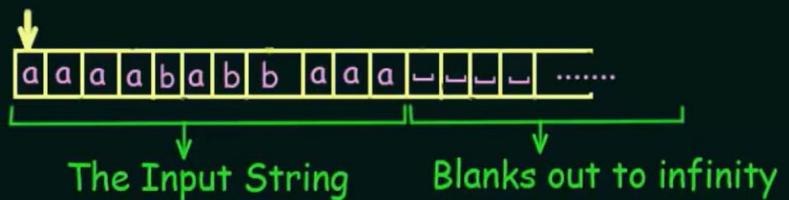


Tape Alphabets: $\Sigma = \{ 0, 1, a, b, x, Z_0 \}$

The Blank \sqcup is a special symbol. $\sqcup \notin \Sigma$

The blank is a special symbol used to fill the infinite tape

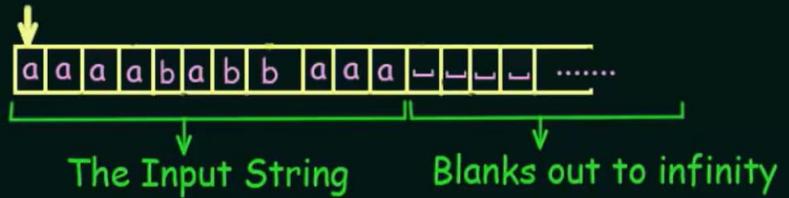
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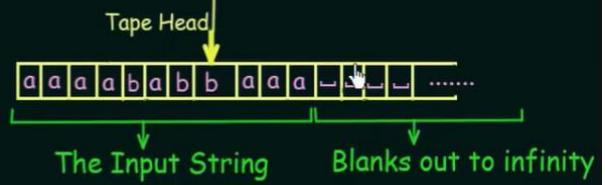
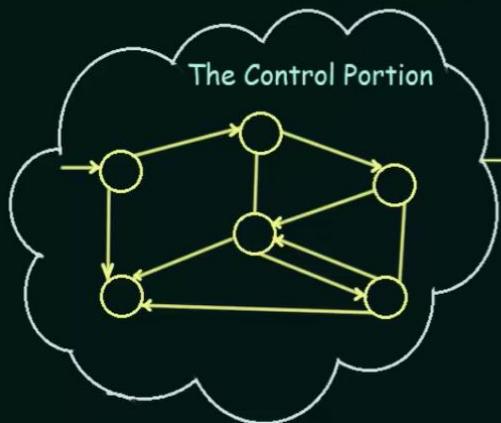


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Turing Machine - Introduction (Part-2)



The Control Portion similar to FSM or PDA

The PROGRAM

It is deterministic

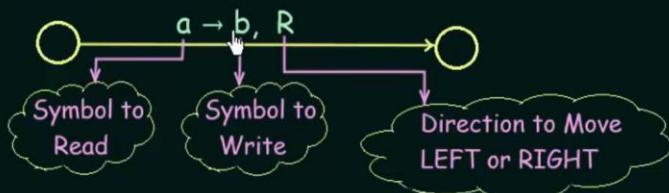
Rules of Operation - 1

At each step of the computation:

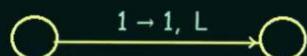
- > Read the correct symbol
- > Update (i.e. write) the same cell
- > Move exactly one cell either LEFT or RIGHT

If we are at the left end of the tape, and trying to move LEFT, then do not move.

Stay at the left end



If you don't want to update the cell,
JUST WRITE THE SAME SYMBOL



Rules of Operation - 2

- > Control is with a sort of FSM
- > Initial State
- > Final States: (there are two final states)
 - 1) The ACCEPT STATE
 - 2) The REJECT STATE
- > Computation can either
 - 1) HALT and ACCEPT
 - 2) HALT and REJECT
 - 3) LOOP (the machine fails to HALT)

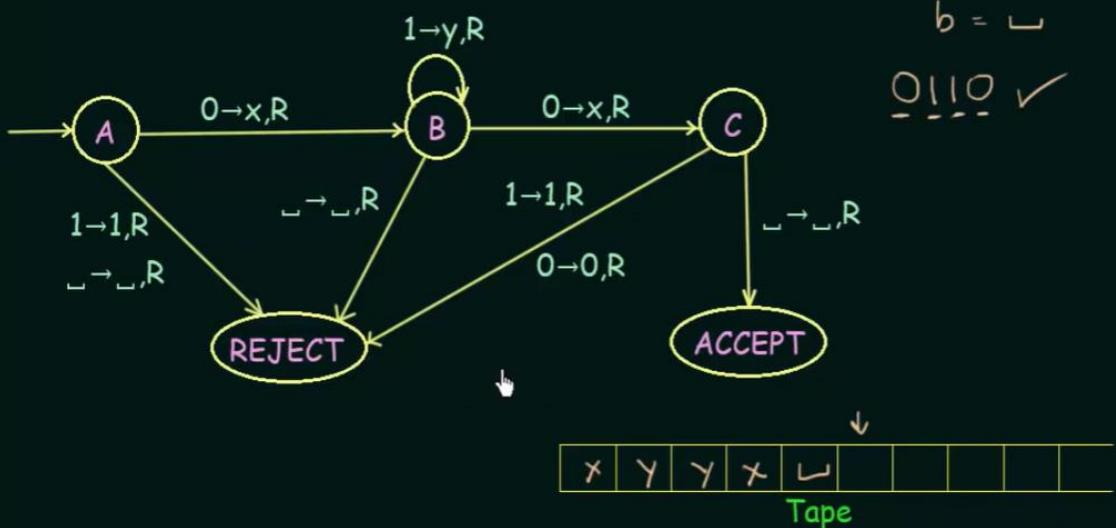
Turing Machine - Example (Part-1)

Design a Turing Machine which recognizes the language

$$L = 01^*0$$

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$$

$$b = \sqcup$$



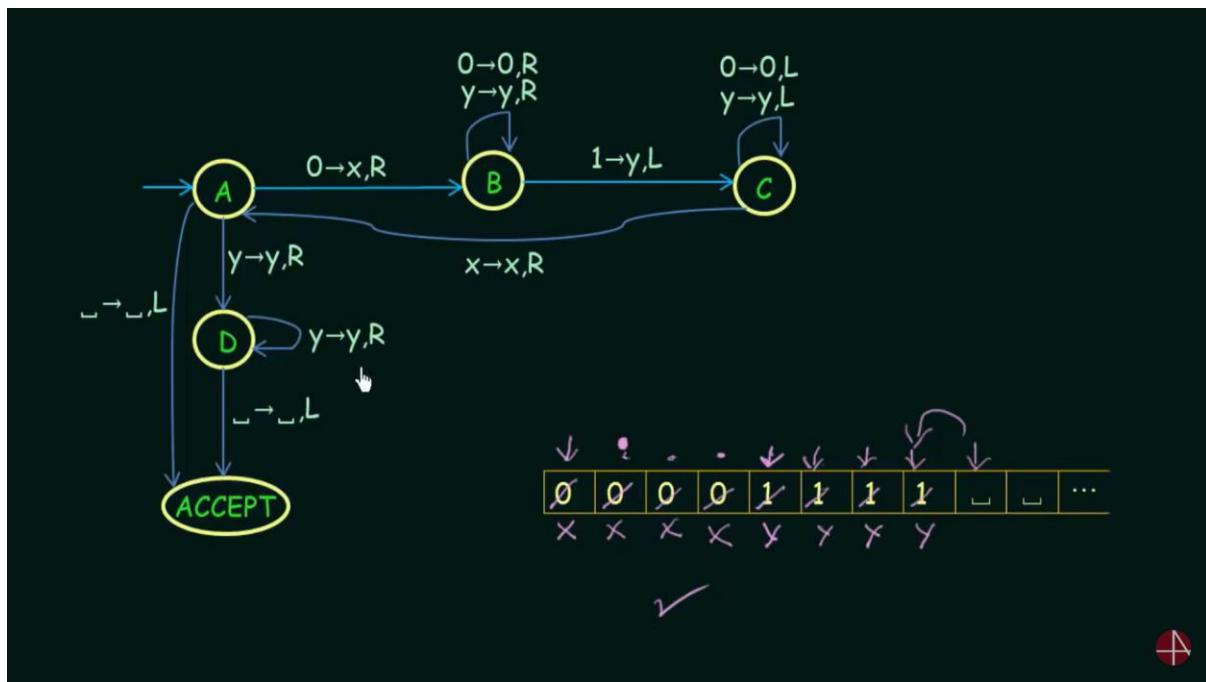
Turing Machine - Example (Part-2)

Design a Turing Machine which recognizes the language $L = 0^N 1^N$



Algorithm:

- Change "0" to "x"
- Move RIGHT to First "1"
 - If None: **REJECT**
- Change "1" to "y"
- Move LEFT to Leftmost "0"
- Repeat the above steps until no more "0"s
- Make sure no more "1"s remain



Church-Turing Thesis

<https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/churchs-thesis-for-turing-machine/>

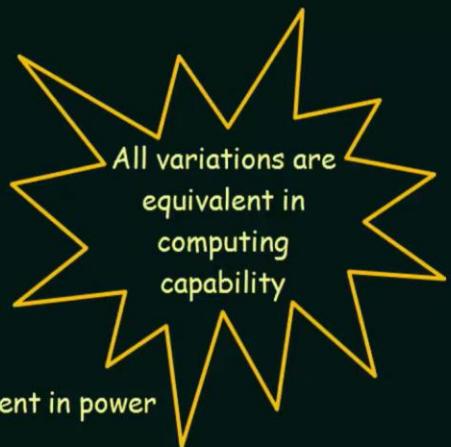
The CHURCH-TURING Thesis

What does COMPUTABLE mean?

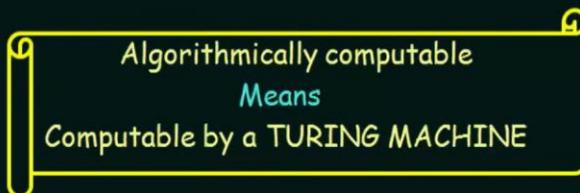
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Several Variations of Turing Machine:

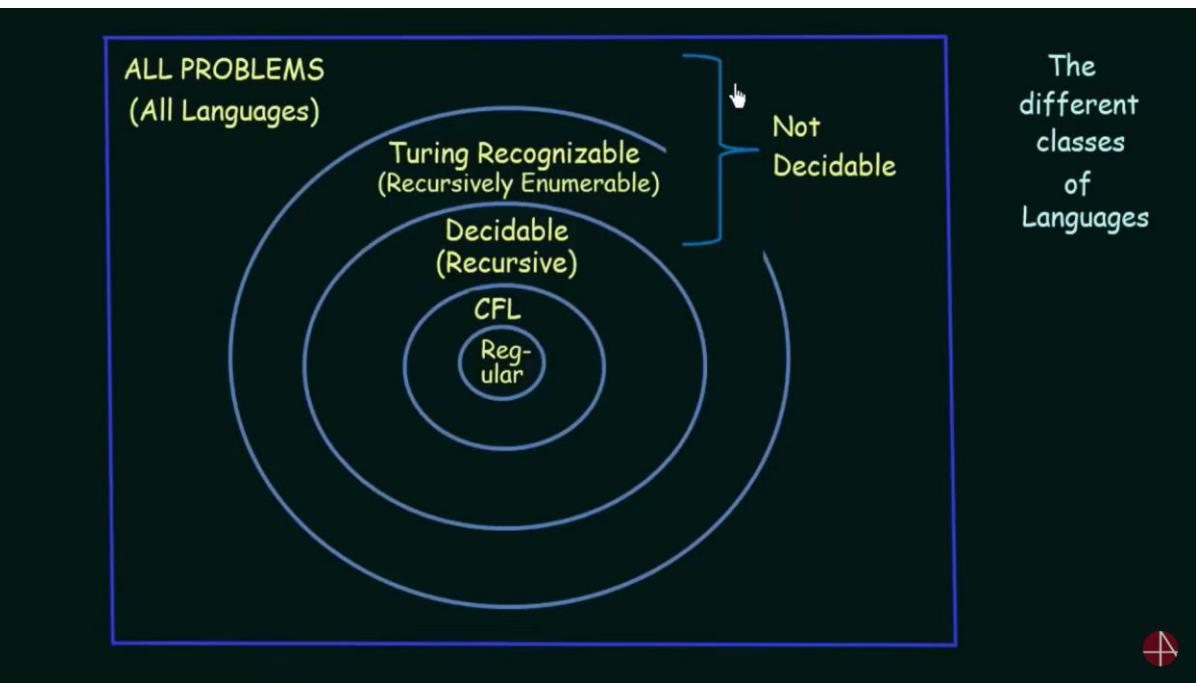
- One Tape or many
- Infinite on both ends
- Alphabets only {0, 1} or more?
- Can the Head also stay in the same place?
- Allow Non-Determinism



Turing Machine and Lambda Calculus are also equivalent in power



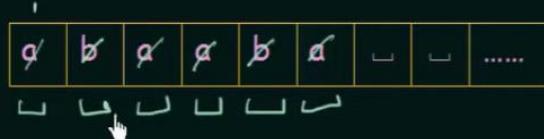
Turing Machine
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Turing Test

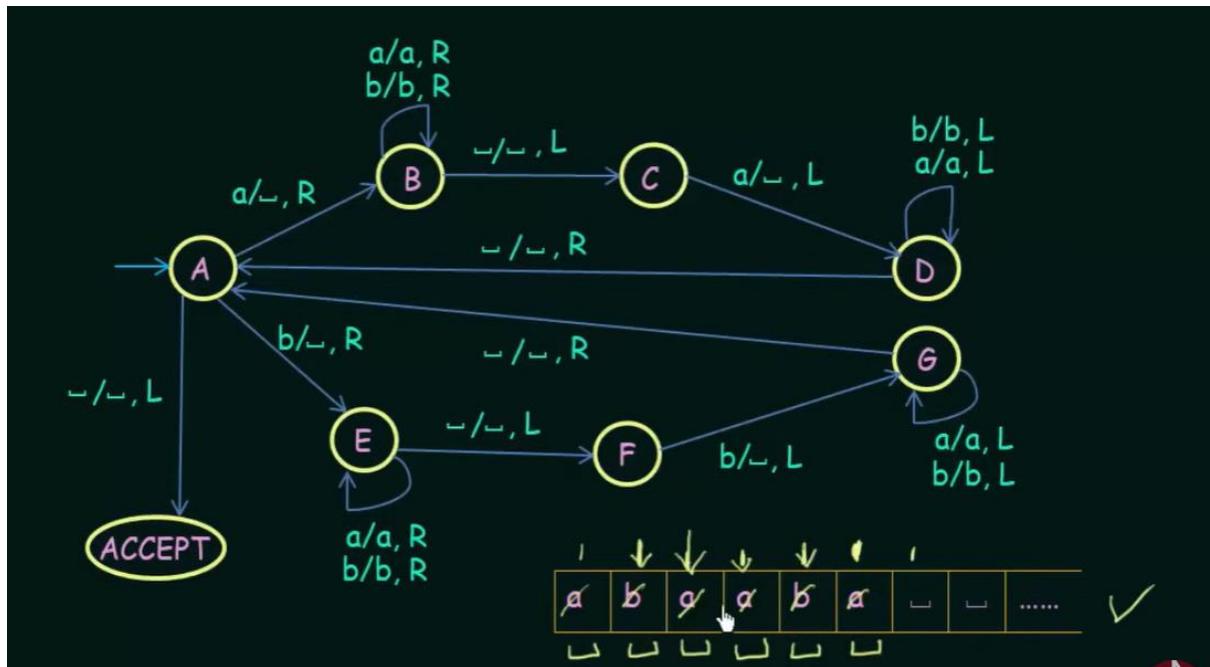


Turing Machine for Even Palindromes

Design a Turing Machine that accepts Even Palindromes over the alphabet
 $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$

Eg.

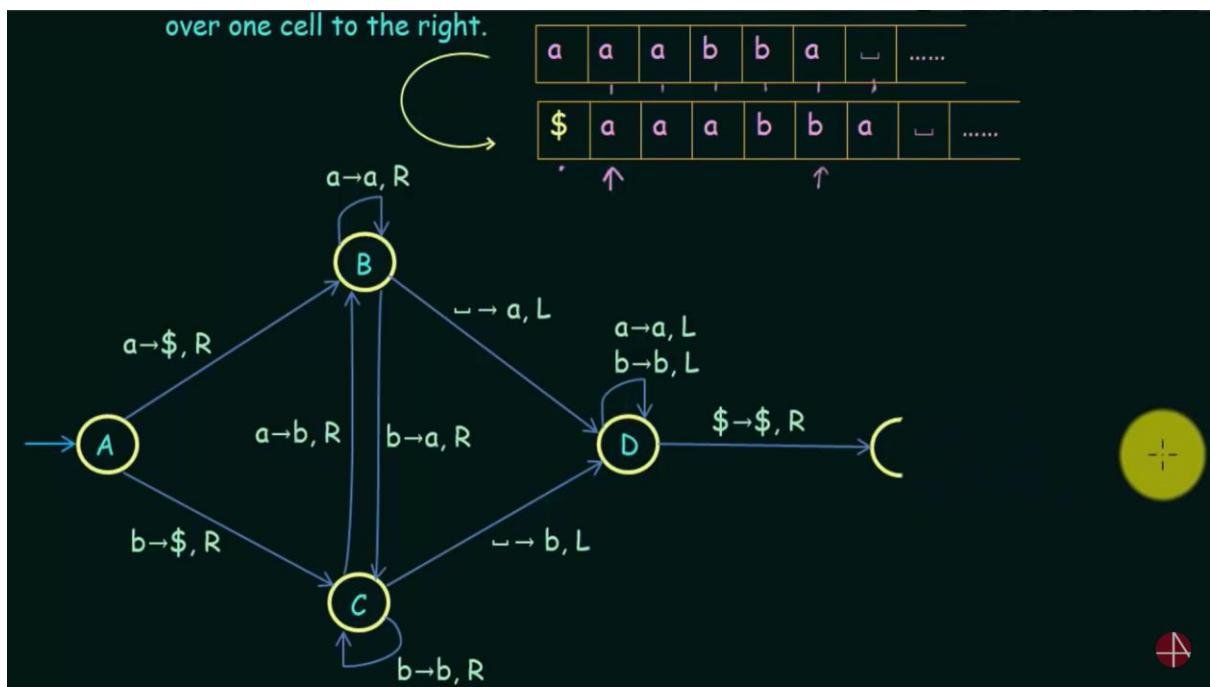
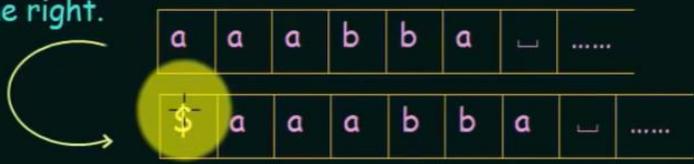




Turing Machine Programming Techniques (Part-1)

Problem: How can we recognize the left end of the Tape of a Turing Machine?

Solution: Put a Special Symbol $\$$ on the left end of the Tape and shift the input over one cell to the right.



Turing Machine Programming Techniques (Part-2)

Example: Build a Turing Machine to recognize the language $0^N 1^N 0^N$

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Turing Machine Programming Techniques (Part-3)

COMPARING TWO STRINGS

A Turing Machine to decide $\{ w \# w \mid w \in \{a,b,c\}^* \}$

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- Replace each symbol into an x after it has been examined



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a b b a c # a b b a c
↓
x b b a c # x b b a c
↓
x x b a c # x x b a c
↓
x x x a c # x x x a c
↓
x x x x c # x x x x c
↓
x x x x x # x x x x x



Problem:

Can we do it non-destructively? i.e. without loosing the original strings?

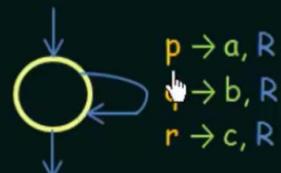
Solution:

Replace each unique symbol with another unique symbol instead of replacing all with the same symbol Eg. $a \rightarrow p$

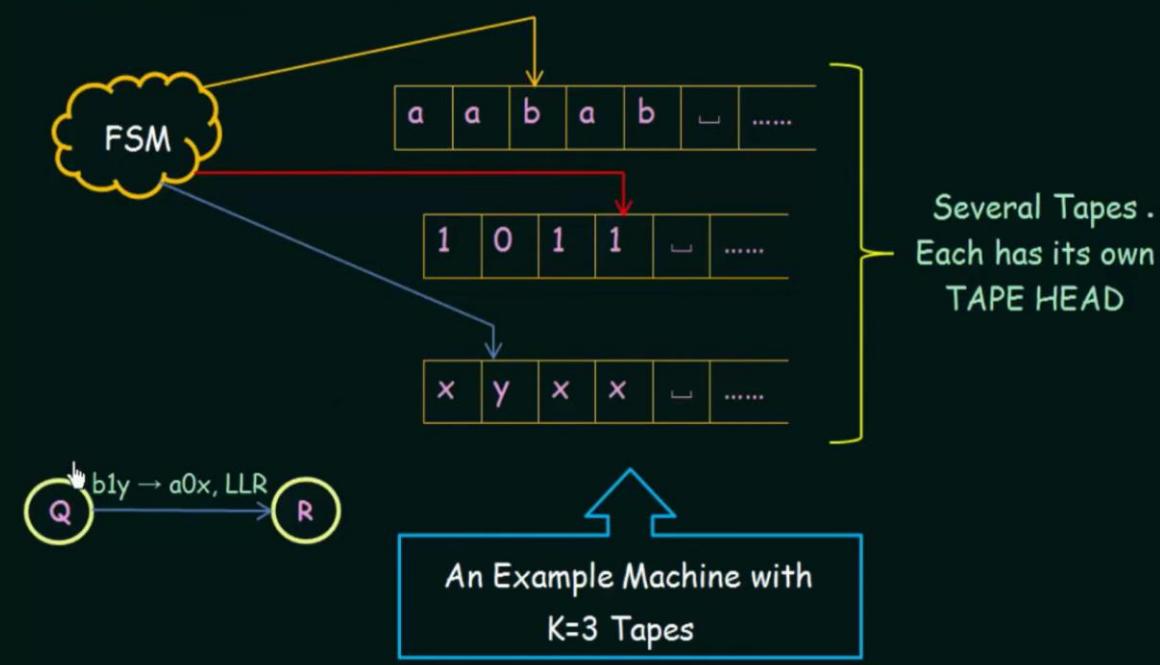
$a \ b \ b \ a \ c \ # \ a \ b \ b \ a \ c$ ↓ ⋮	$b \rightarrow q$ $c \rightarrow r$
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$p \ q \ q \ p \ r \ # \ p \ q \ q \ p \ r$

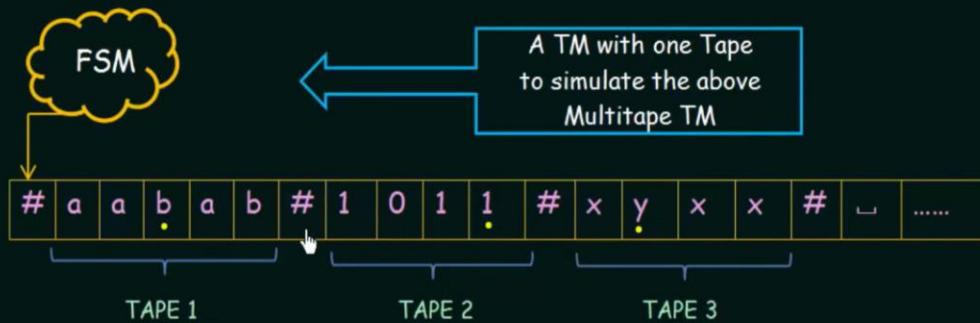
Restore the original strings if required



Multitape Turing Machine



Single Tape Turing Machine



- Add "dots" to show where Head "K" is
- To simulate a transition from state Q, we must scan our Tape to see which symbols are under the K Tape Heads
- Once we determine this and are ready to **MAKE** the transition, we must scan across the tape again to update the cells and move the dots
- Whenever one head moves off the right end, we must shift our tape so we can insert a ←



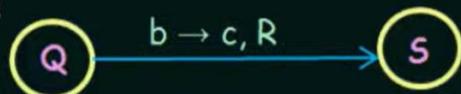
Nondeterminism in Turing Machine (Part-1)

Nondeterministic Turing Machines:

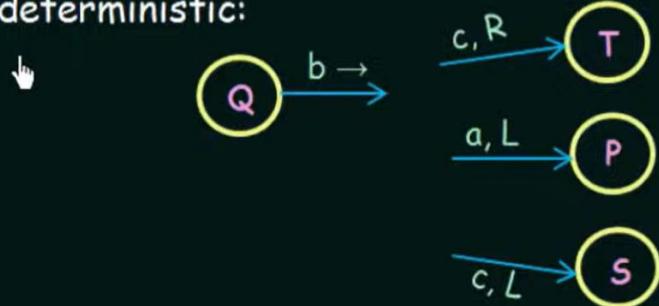
Transition Function:

$$\delta : Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow P \{ \Gamma \times (R/L) \times Q \}$$

Deterministic:

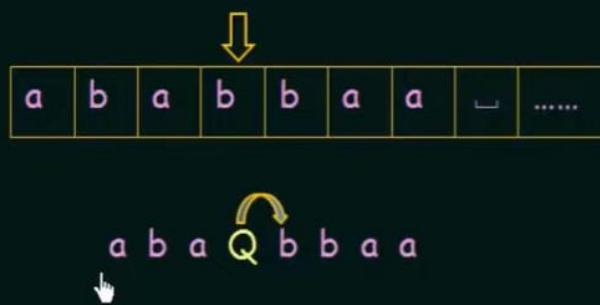


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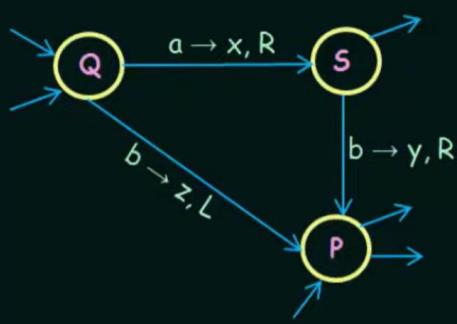


CONFIGURATION

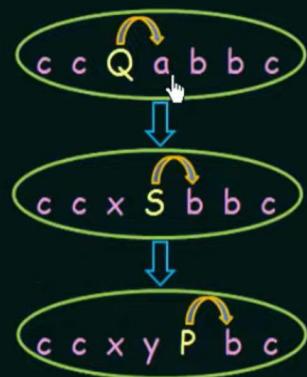
- A way to represent the entire state of a TM at a moment during computation
- A string which captures:
 - The current state
 - The current position of the Head
 - The entire Tape contents



Deterministic TM:



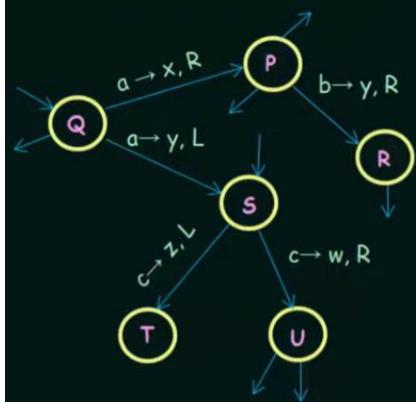
Computation History:



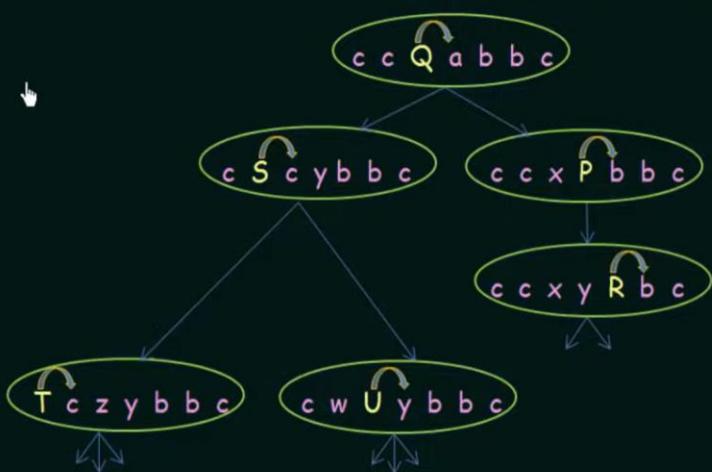
With Nondeterminism:

At each moment in the computation there can be more than one successor configuration

Nondeterministic TM:



Computation History:



Outcomes of a Nondeterministic Computation:

ACCEPT If any branch of the computation accepts, then the nondeterministic TM will Accept.

REJECT If all branches of the computation HALT and REJECT (i.e. no branches accept, but all computations HALT) then the Nondeterministic TM Rejects.

LOOP Computation continues but ACCEPT is never encountered. Some branches in the computation history are infinite.

Nondeterminism in Turing Machine (Part-2)

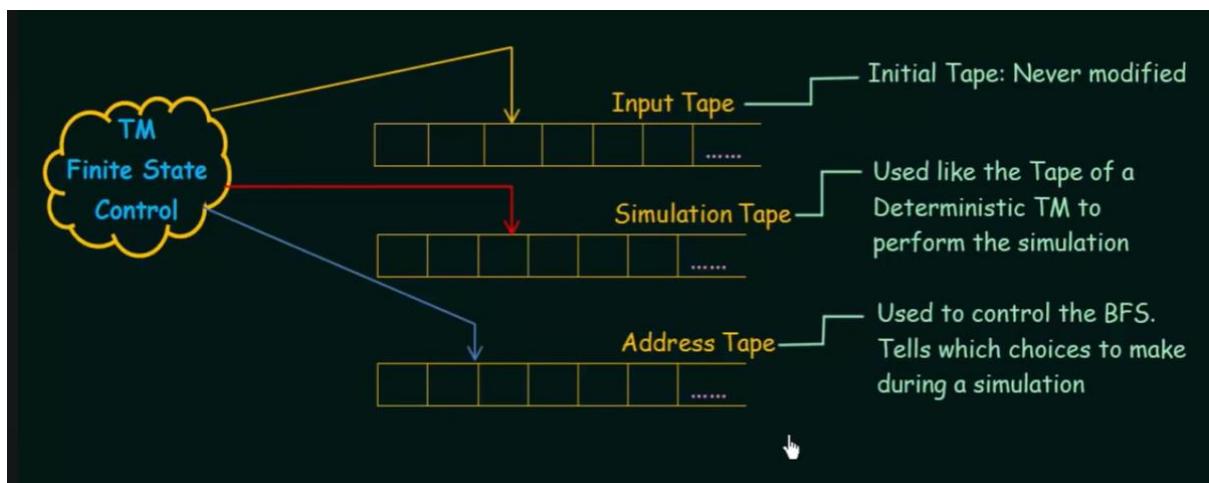
Theorem: Every Nondeterministic TM has an equivalent Deterministic TM

Proof:

- Given a Nondeterministic TM (N) show how to construct an equivalent Deterministic TM (D)
- If N accepts on any branch, the D will Accept
- If N halts on every branch without any ACCEPT, then D will Halt and Reject.

Approach:

- Simulate N
- Simulate all branches of computation
- Search for any way N can Accept



Algorithm:

Initially: TAPE 1 contains the Input
TAPE 2 and TAPE 3 are empty

- Copy TAPE 1 to TAPE 2
- Run the Simulation
- Use TAPE 2 as "The Tape"
- When choices occur (i.e. when Nondeterministic branch points are encountered) consult TAPE 3
- TAPE 3 contains a Path. Each number tells which choice to make
- Run the Simulation all the way down the branch as far as the address/path goes (or the computation dies)
- Try the next branch
- Increment the address on TAPE 3
- REPEAT

If ACCEPT is ever encountered,
Halt and Accept
If all branches Reject or die out,
then Halt and Reject

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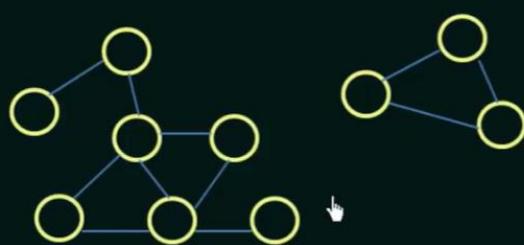
Any arbitrary Problem can be expressed as a language

- Any instance of the problem is encoded into a string

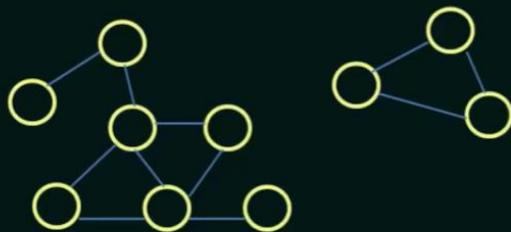
The string is in the language \Rightarrow The answer is YES

The string is not in the language \Rightarrow The answer is NO

Example: Is this undirected graph connected?



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We must encode the problem into a language.

$$A = \{ \langle G \rangle \mid G \text{ is a connected graph} \}$$

We would like to find a TM to decide this language:

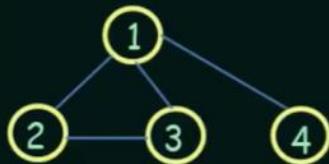
ACCEPT = "YES", This is a connected graph

REJECT = "NO", This is not a connected graph / or this is not a valid Representation of a graph.

LOOP = This problem is decidable. Our TM will always halt



Representation of Graph:



$$\langle G \rangle = (1, 2, 3, 4) \underbrace{\quad}_{\text{List of nodes}} ((1, 2), (2, 3), (1, 3), (1, 4)) \underbrace{\quad}_{\text{Edges}}$$

$$\Sigma = \{ (,), , 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, 0 \}$$

(1	,	2	,	3	,	4	,))
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High Level Algorithm:

Select a Node and Mark it

REPEAT

 For each node N

 If N is unmarked and there is an edge from N to an already marked
 node

 Then

 Mark Node N

 End

Until no more nodes can be marked

 For each Node N

 If N is unmarked

 Then REJECT

 End

ACCEPT

Implementation Level Algorithm:

- Check that input describes a valid graph
- Check Node List
 - Scan "(" followed by digits ...
 - Check that all nodes are different i.e. no repeats
 - Check edge lists ...
 - etc.
- Mark First Node
 - Place a dot under the first node in the node list
 - Scan the node list to find a node that is not marked
 - etc.

Decidability and Undecidability

Recursive Language:

- A language 'L' is said to be recursive if there exists a Turing machine which will accept all the strings in 'L' and reject all the strings not in 'L'.
- The Turing machine will halt every time and give an answer (accepted or rejected) for each and every string input.

Recursively Enumerable Language:

- A language 'L' is said to be a recursively enumerable language if there exists a Turing machine which will accept (and therefore halt) for all the input strings which are in 'L'.
- But may or may not halt for all input strings which are not in 'L'.

Decidable Language:

A language 'L' is decidable if it is a recursive language. All decidable languages are recursive languages and vice-versa.

Partially Decidable Language:

A language 'L' is partially decidable if 'L' is a recursively enumerable language.

Undecidable Language:

- A language is undecidable if it is not decidable.
- An undecidable language may sometimes be partially decidable but not decidable.
- If a language is not even partially decidable, then there exists no Turing machine for that language

Recursive Language	TM will always Halt
Recursively Enumerable Language	TM will halt sometimes & may not halt sometimes
Decidable Language	Recursive Language
Partially Decidable Language	Recursively Enumerable Language
UNDECIDABLE	No TM for that language

The Universal Turing Machine

The Language

$$A_{TM} = \{ \langle M, w \rangle \mid M \text{ is a Turing Machine and } M \text{ accepts } w \}$$

is Turing Recognizable



Given the description of a TM and some input, can we determine whether the machine accepts it?

- Just Simulate/ Run the TM on the input

M Accepts w: Our Algorithm will Halt & Accept

M Rejects w: Our Algorithm will Halt & Reject.

M Loops on w: Our Algorithm will not Halt.

The Universal Turing Machine

Input: $M = \text{the description of some TM}$

$w = \text{an input string for } M$

Action:

- Simulate M

- Behave just like M would (may accept, reject or loop)

The UTM is a recognizer (but not a decider) for

$$A_{TM} = \{ \langle M, w \rangle \mid M \text{ is a TM and } M \text{ accepts } w \}$$



The Halting Problem

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Given a Program, WILL IT HALT?

Given a Turing Machine, will it halt when run on some particular given input string?

Given some program written in some language (Java/C/ etc.) will it ever get into an infinite loop or will it always terminate?

Answer:

- In General we can't always know.
- The best we can do is run the program and see whether it halts.
- For many programs we can see that it will always halt or sometimes loop

BUT FOR PROGRAMS IN GENERAL THE QUESTION IS UNDECIDABLE.



Binary strings - end - 0

11010110
↑ = 0 ✓
 = 1 ✗

Accepts all valid Java codes

✓

Eg. Compilers

Accepts all valid Java codes and
Never goes into infinite loop.

binary
↓
Valid? ✗
invalid? ✗

Undecidability of the Halting Problem

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Given a Program, WILL IT HALT ?

Can we design a machine which if given a program can find out or decide if that program will always halt or not halt on a particular input?

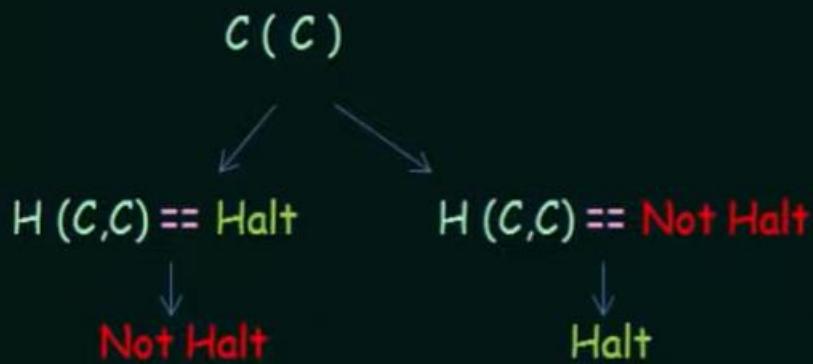
Let us assume that we can:

$H(P, I)$
|
Halt
Not Halt

This allows us to write another Program:

$C(X)$
if { $H(X, X) == \text{Halt}$ }
Loop Forever;
else
Return;

If we run 'C' on itself:



The Post Correspondence Problem

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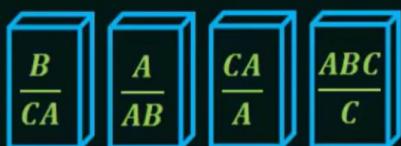


The Post correspondence problem is an undecidable decision problem that was introduced by Emil Post in 1946

Emil Leon Post

The Post Correspondence Problem

Dominoes:



We need to find a sequence of dominoes such that the top and bottom strings are the same.



Another way of representing the PCP:

	A	B		
①	1	111		$\frac{1}{111}$ ①
②	10111	10		$\frac{10111}{10}$ ②
③	10	0		$\frac{10}{0}$ ③

$\textcircled{2}$ $\textcircled{1}$ $\textcircled{1}$ $\textcircled{3}$
 A : 101111110 ✓
 B : 101111110

Example:

	A	B		
①	10	101		$\frac{10}{101}$ ①
②	011	11		$\frac{011}{11}$ ②
③	101	011		$\frac{101}{011}$ ③

$\textcircled{3}$
 $\begin{array}{l} 10101101101 \\ 10101101101 \end{array}$ ✗

Proof of Undecidability of the Post correspondence problem

Undecidability of the Post Correspondence Problem

PROOF:

Approach: Take a problem that is already proven to be undecidable and try to convert it to PCP.

If we can successfully convert it to an equivalent PCP then we prove that PCP is also undecidable.

ACCEPTANCE PROBLEM OF A TURING MACHINE (*This is an undecidable problem*)



Convert this to PCP (called Modified PCP - MPCP)



$$\Sigma = \{a, b\} \quad \Gamma = \{a, b, x, B\}$$

i/p: $w = a b a$

Step 1:

$$\begin{array}{c} \boxed{a | b | a |} \\ \uparrow \\ q_0 \end{array} \quad \frac{\#}{\# q_0 w}$$

$$q_0 a b a \Rightarrow \left[\frac{\#}{\# q_0 a b a} \right]$$

Step 2: $\mathcal{J}(q_0, a) = (q_1, x, R)$

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$$\begin{array}{c|c} |a| \\ \hline \uparrow \\ q_0 \end{array} = \begin{array}{c|c} |x| \\ \hline \uparrow \\ q_1 \end{array}$$

$$q_0 a = x q_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left[\frac{q_0 a}{x q_1} \right]$$

$$\underline{\text{Step 3}} : \quad \delta(q_1, b) = (q_2, x, L)$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} |y| & |b| \\ \hline \uparrow & \\ q_1 & \end{array} = \begin{array}{c|c} |y| & |x| \\ \hline \uparrow & \\ q_2 & \end{array} \quad Y \in \Gamma \quad \Gamma = \{a, b, x, \beta\}$$

$$Y q_1 b = q_2 Y x$$

$$\left[\frac{a q_1 b}{q_2 a x} \right], \left[\frac{b q_1 b}{q_2 b x} \right], \left[\frac{x q_1 b}{q_2 x x} \right], \left[\frac{\beta q_1 b}{q_2 \beta x} \right]$$

Step 4: For all possible Tape symbols

$$\Gamma = \{ a, b, x, B \}$$

$$\left[\frac{a}{a} \right], \left[\frac{b}{b} \right], \left[\frac{x}{x} \right], \left[\frac{B}{B} \right]$$

Steps: For all possible tape symbols after reaching the accepting state.

Accept $\textcircled{q_2}$

$$\left[\frac{a q_2}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{q_2 a}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{b q_2}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{q_2 b}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{x q_2}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{q_2 x}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{B q_2}{q_2} \right], \left[\frac{q_2 B}{q_2} \right]$$

Step 6 : $\left[\frac{\#}{\#} \right] \quad \left[\frac{\#}{B \#} \right]$

Step 7 : $\left[\frac{q_2 \# \#}{\#} \right] \quad \rightarrow$

$$\text{Solution: } \left[\frac{\#}{\# q_0 ab \alpha \#} \right] \left[\frac{q_0 \alpha}{\times q_1} \right] \left[\frac{b}{b} \right] \left[\frac{\alpha}{a} \right] \left[\frac{\#}{\#} \right]$$

$$\left[\frac{\#}{\# \cancel{x q_1 b \alpha \#}} \right] \left[\frac{\cancel{x q_1 b}}{q_2 \times \times} \right] \left[\frac{\alpha}{a} \right] \left[\frac{\#}{\#} \right]$$

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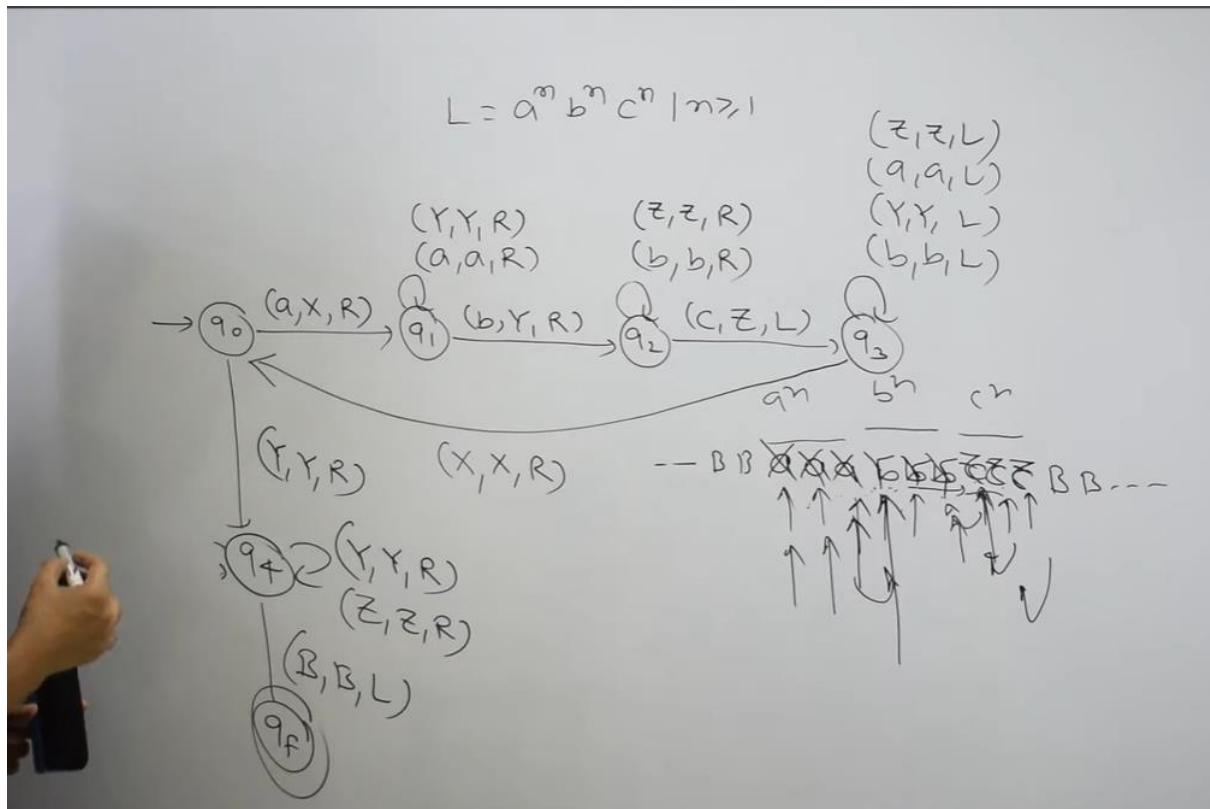
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Solved examples

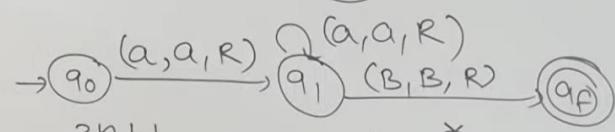
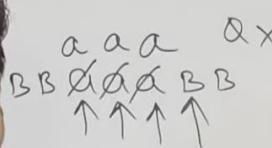


Turing Machine for Regular Language

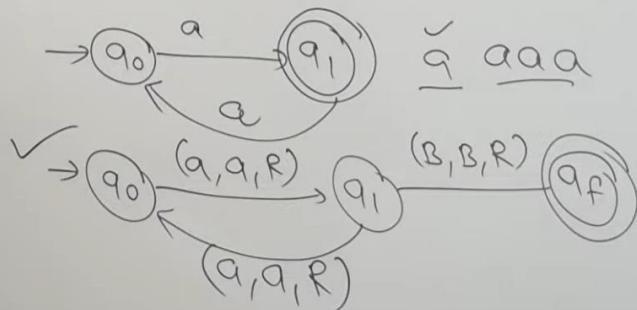
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Turing Machine for Regular Languages. $\Sigma = \{a\}$

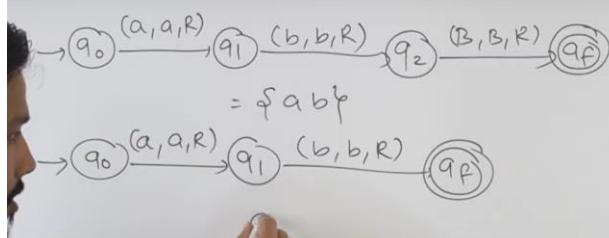
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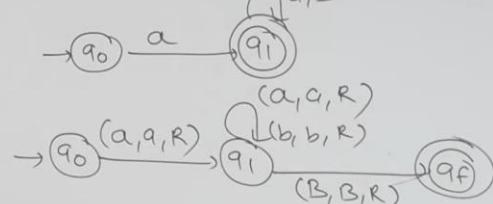
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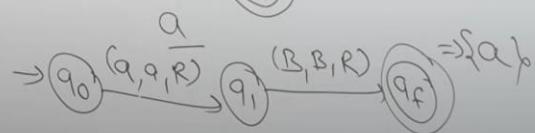
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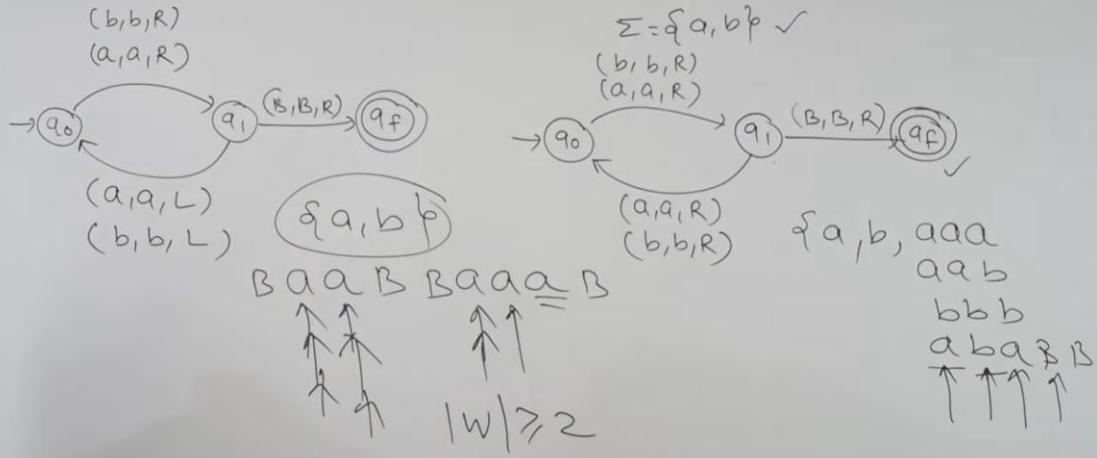
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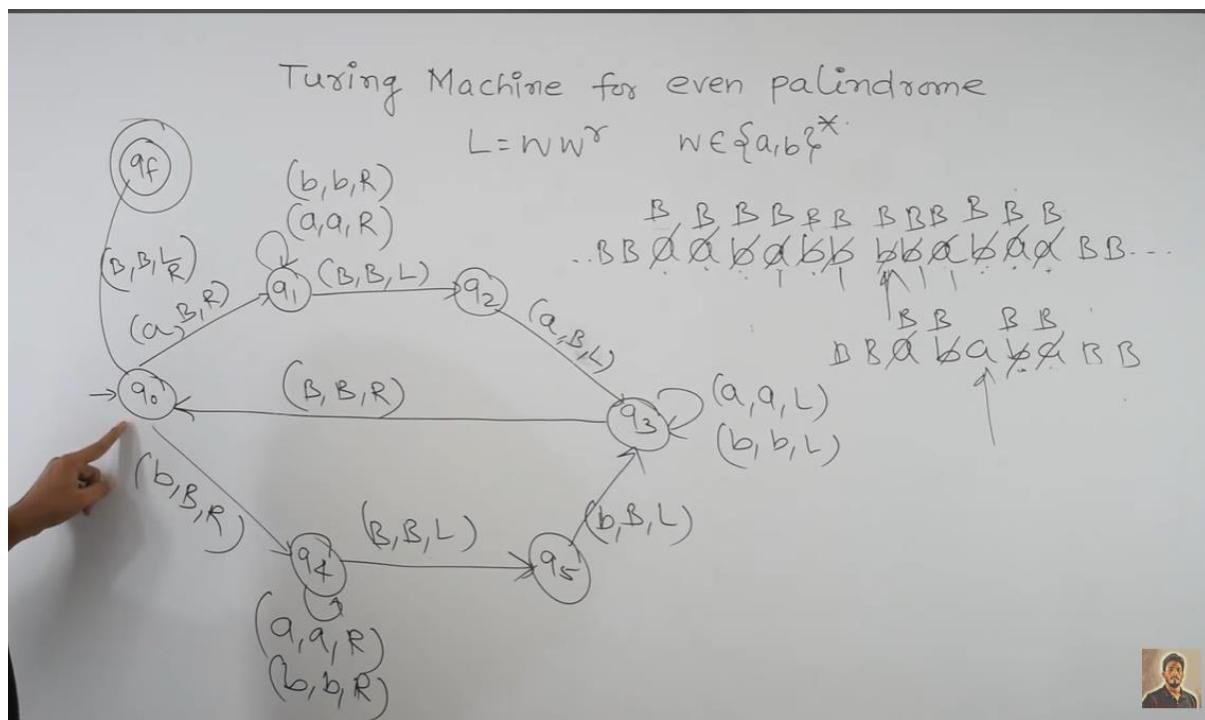


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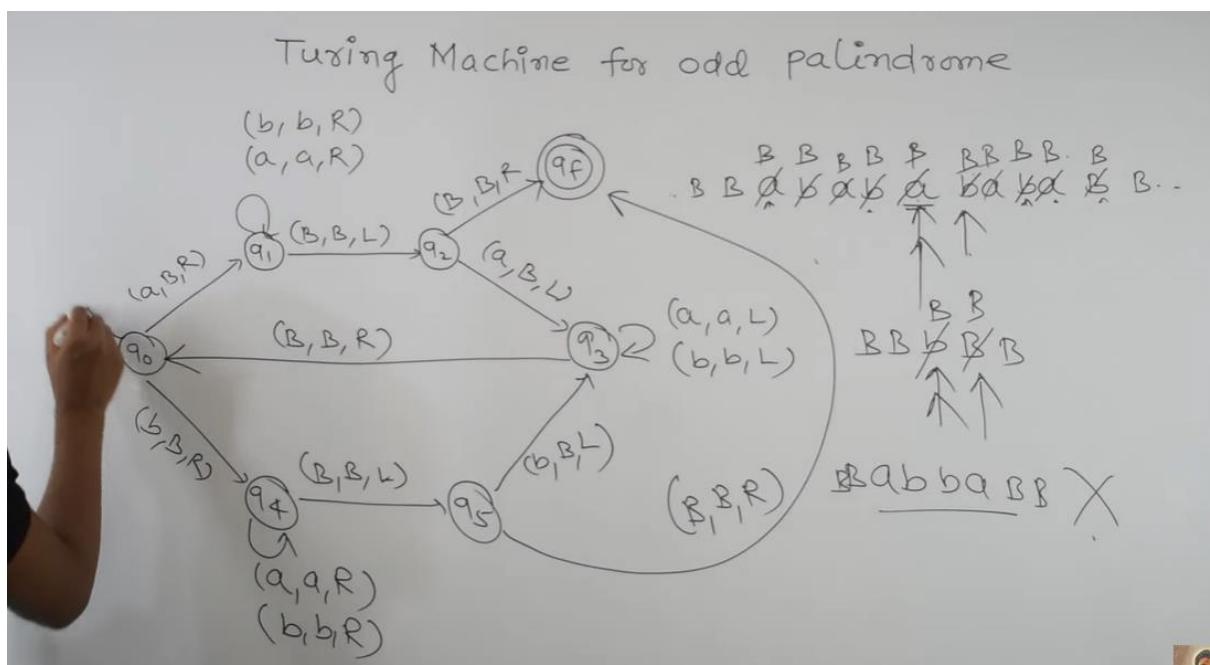
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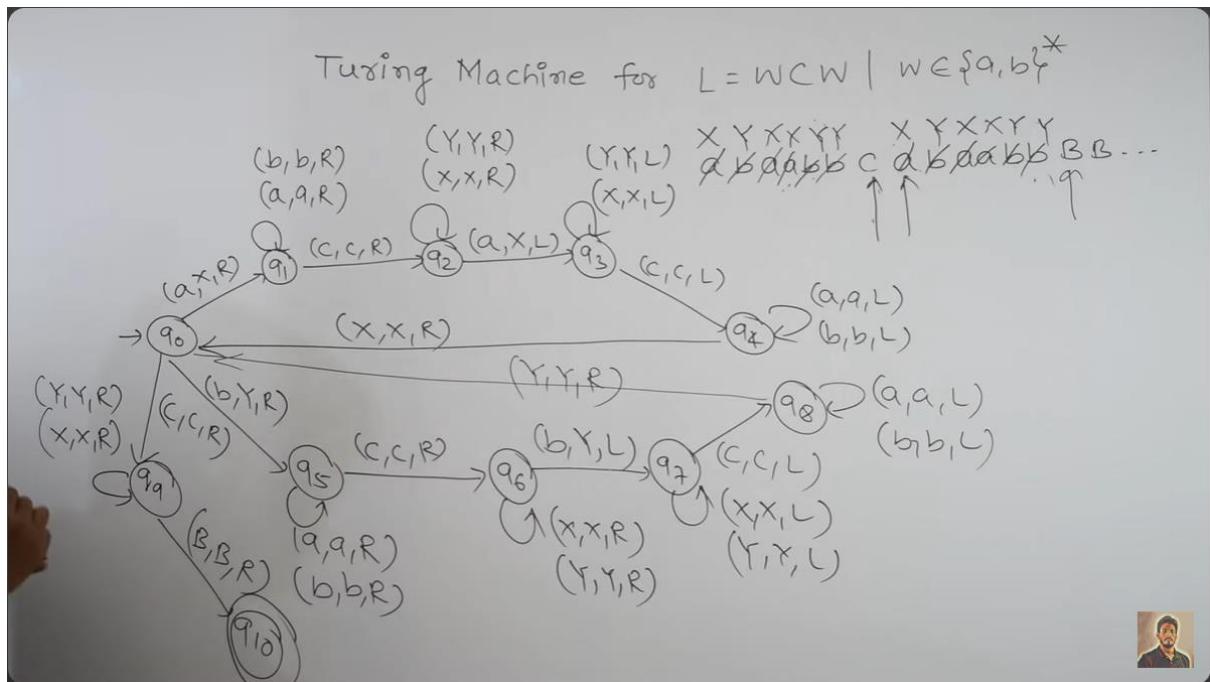


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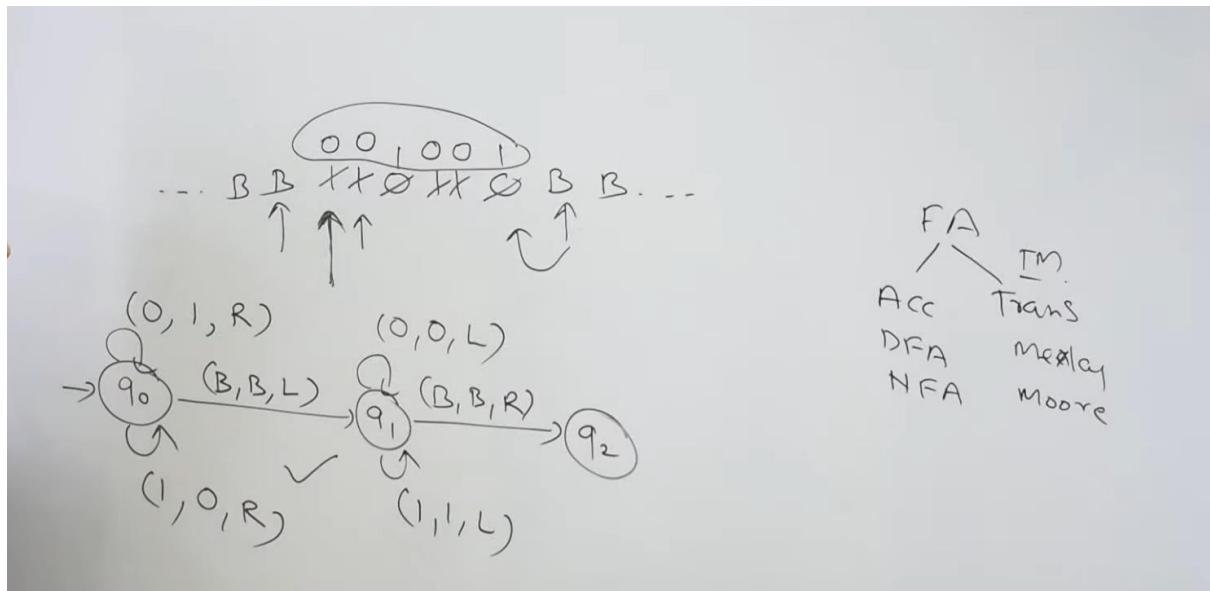
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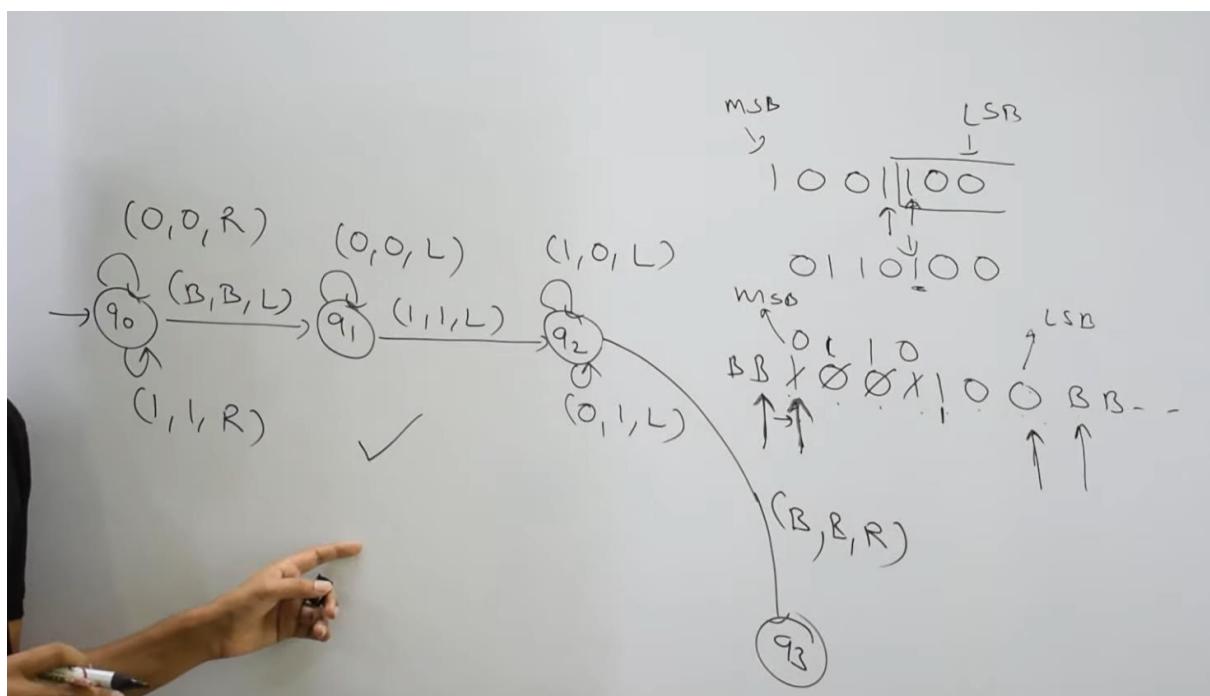
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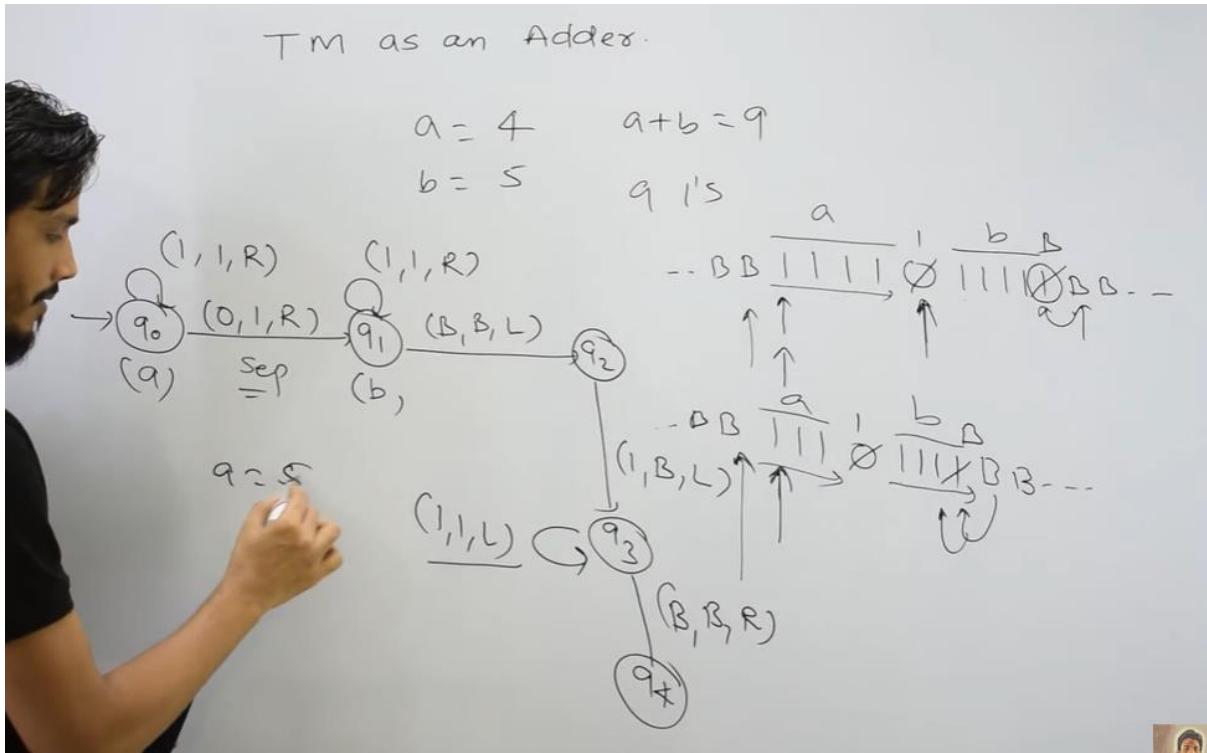


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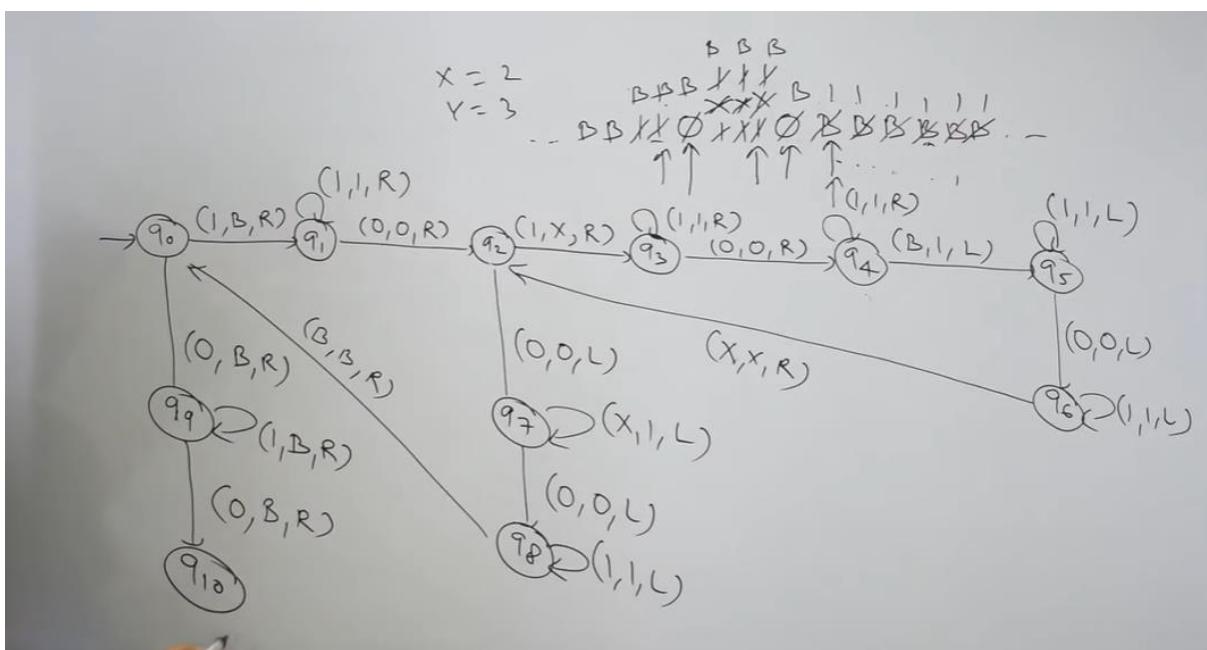


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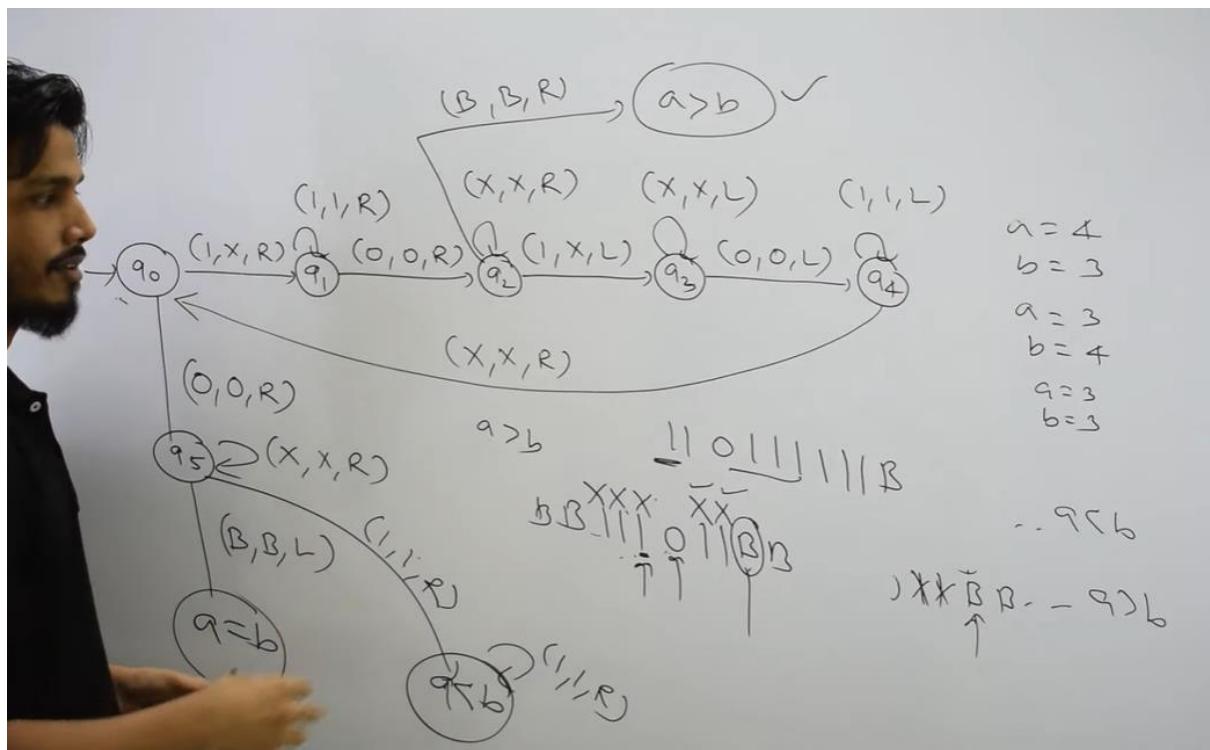
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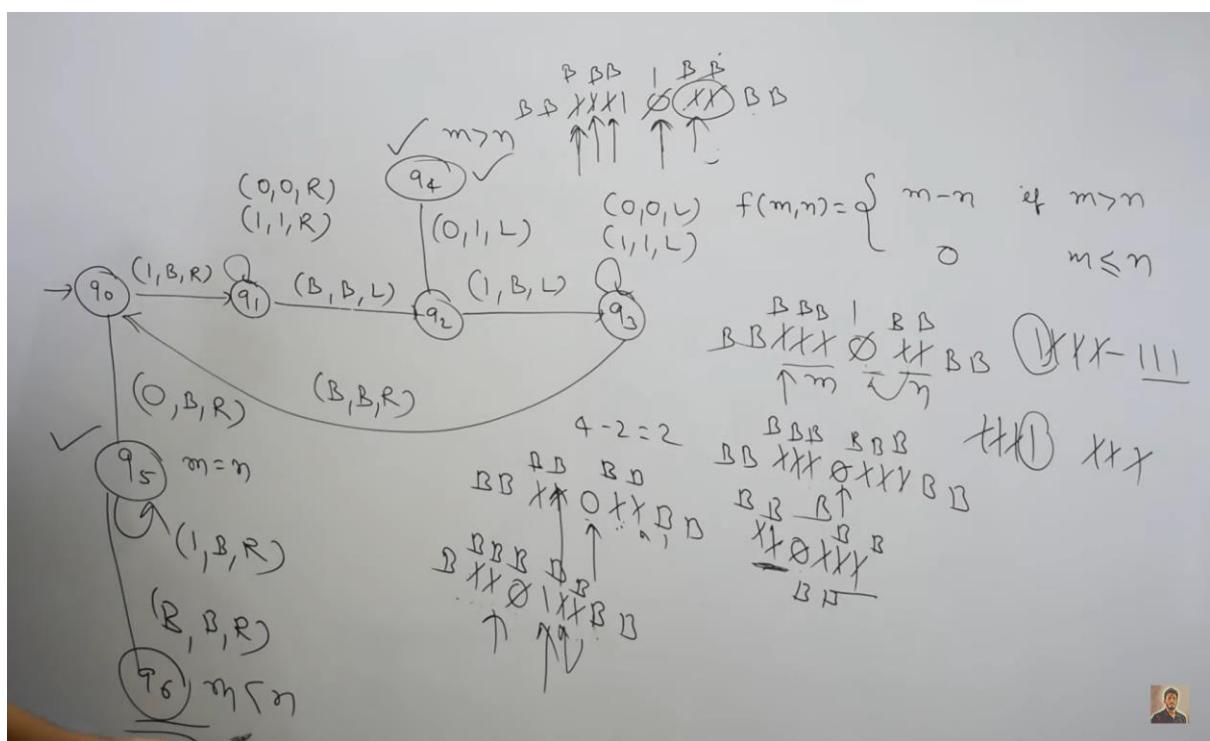
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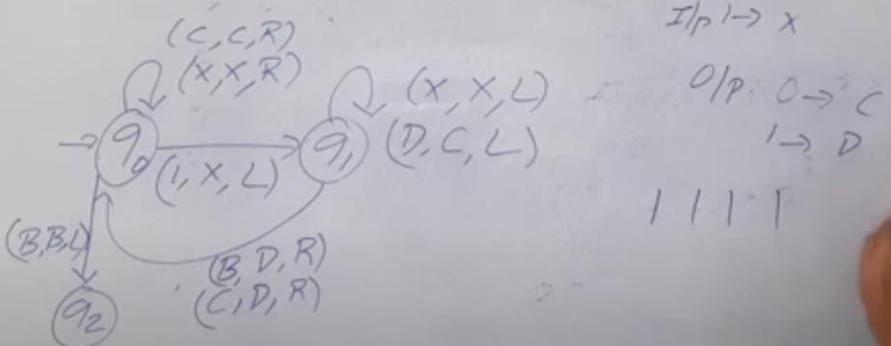


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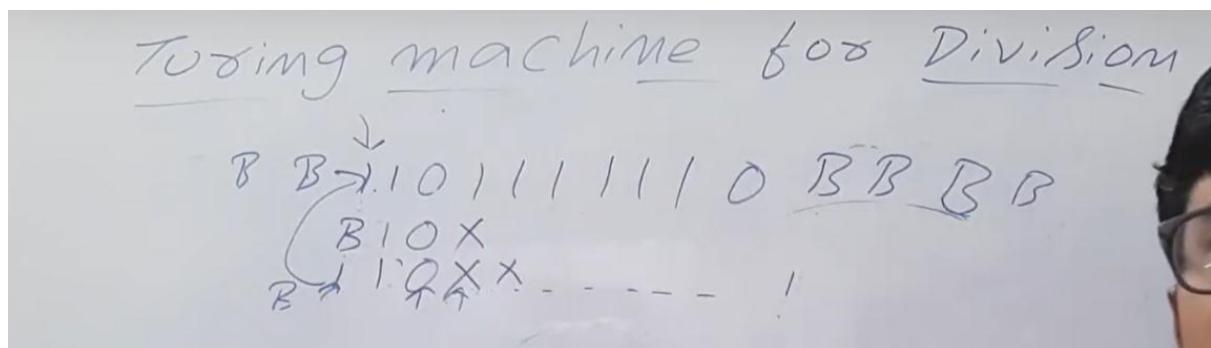


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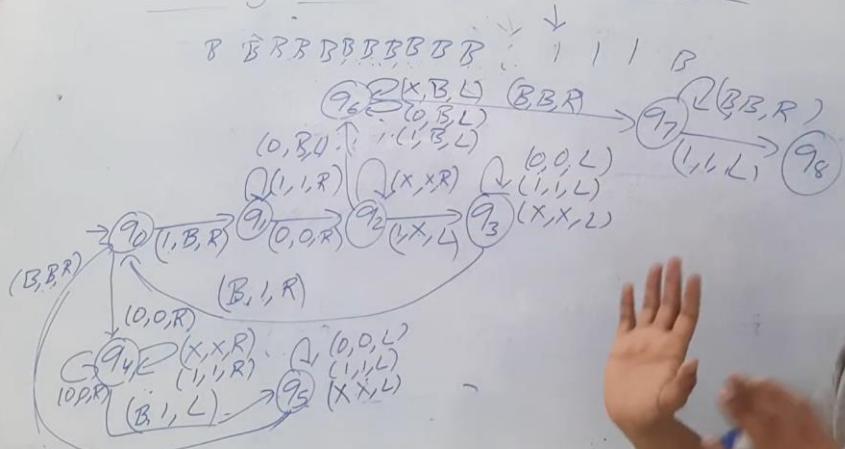
Turing machine for Unary to binary conversion



Turing machine for Division



Turing machine for Division



Recursive and Recursively Enumerable Languages

Remember that there are *three* possible outcomes of executing a Turing machine over a given input. The Turing machine may

- Halt and accept the input;
- Halt and reject the input; or
- Never halt.

A language is *recursive* if there exists a Turing machine that accepts every string of the language and rejects every string (over the same alphabet) that is not in the language.

Note that, if a language L is recursive, then its complement -L must also be recursive. (Why?)

A language is *recursively enumerable* if there exists a Turing machine that accepts every string of the language, and does not accept strings that are not in the language. (Strings that are not in the language may be rejected or may cause the Turing machine to go into an infinite loop.)

Recursively enumerable languages

Recursive languages

Clearly, every recursive language is also recursively enumerable. It is not obvious whether every recursively enumerable language is also recursive.

Closure Properties of Recursive Languages

- **Union:** If L1 and L2 are two recursive languages, their union L1 ∪ L2 will also be recursive because if TM halts for L1 and halts for L2, it will also halt for L1 ∪ L2.
- **Concatenation:** If L1 and L2 are two recursive languages, their concatenation L1.L2 will also be recursive. For Example:
 - L1 = {aⁿbⁿcⁿ | n >= 0}
 - L2 = {d^me^mf^m | m >= 0}
 - L3 = L1.L2
 - = {aⁿbⁿcⁿd^me^mf^m | m >= 0 and n >= 0} is also recursive.

L1 says n no. of a's followed by n no. of b's followed by n no. of c's. L2 says m no. of d's followed by m no. of e's followed by m no. of f's. Their concatenation first matches no. of a's, b's and c's and then matches no. of d's, e's and f's. So it can be decided by TM.

- **Kleene Closure:** If L1 is recursive, its kleene closure L1* will also be recursive. For Example:

$$L1 = \{a^n b^n c^n | n \geq 0\}$$

$$L1^* = \{a^n b^n c^n | n \geq 0\}^* \text{ is also recursive.}$$

- **Intersection and complement:** If L1 and L2 are two recursive languages, their intersection $L1 \cap L2$ will also be recursive. For Example:
 - $L1 = \{a^n b^n c^n d^m | n \geq 0 \text{ and } m \geq 0\}$
 - $L2 = \{a^n b^n c^n d^n | n \geq 0 \text{ and } m \geq 0\}$
 - $L3 = L1 \cap L2$
 - $= \{a^n b^n c^n d^n | n \geq 0\}$ will be recursive.

$L1$ says n no. of a 's followed by n no. of b 's followed by n no. of c 's and then any no. of d 's. $L2$ says any no. of a 's followed by n no. of b 's followed by n no. of c 's followed by n no. of d 's. Their intersection says n no. of a 's followed by n no. of b 's followed by n no. of c 's followed by n no. of d 's. So it can be decided by turing machine, hence recursive. Similarly, complement of recursive language $L1$ which is $\Sigma^* - L1$, will also be recursive.

RE - Recursive Enumerable REC- Recursive Language

Note: As opposed to REC languages, RE languages are not closed under complementation which means complement of RE language need not be RE.

The Church - Turing Thesis

Intuitive notion of an algorithm: a sequence of steps to solve a problem.

Questions: What is the meaning of "solve" and "problem"?

Answers:

Problem: This is a mapping. Can be represented as a function, or as a set membership "yes/no" question.

To solve a problem: To find a Turing machine that computes the function or answers the question.

Church-Turing Thesis: Any Turing machine that halts on all inputs corresponds to an algorithm, and any algorithm can be represented by a Turing machine.

This is the formal definition of an algorithm. This is not a theorem - only a hypothesis.

In computability theory, the **Church-Turing thesis** (also known as the **Church-Turing conjecture**, **Church's thesis**, **Church's conjecture**, and **Turing's thesis**) is a combined hypothesis ("thesis") about the nature of functions whose values are effectively calculable; i.e. computable. In simple terms, it states that "everything computable is computable by a Turing machine."

Counter machine

A **counter machine** is an abstract machine used in formal logic and theoretical computer science to model computation. It is the most primitive of the four types of register machines. A counter machine comprises a set of one or more unbounded *registers*, each of which can hold a single non-negative integer, and a list of (usually sequential) arithmetic and control instructions for the machine to follow.

The primitive model register machine is, in effect, a multitape 2-symbol Post-Turing machine with its behavior restricted so its tapes act like simple "counters".

By the time of Melzak, Lambek, and Minsky the notion of a "computer program" produced a different type of simple machine with many left-ended tapes cut from a Post-Turing tape. In all cases the models permit only two tape symbols { mark, blank }.^[3]

Some versions represent the positive integers as only a strings/stack of marks allowed in a "register" (i.e. left-ended tape), and a blank tape represented by the count "0". Minsky eliminated the PRINT instruction at the expense of providing his model with a mandatory single mark at the left-end of each tape.^[3]

In this model the single-ended tapes-as-registers are thought of as "counters", their instructions restricted to only two (or three if the TEST/DECREMENT instruction is atomized). Two common instruction sets are the following:

(1): { INC (r), DEC (r), JZ (r,z) }, i.e.

{ INCrement contents of register #r; DECrement contents of register #r; IF contents of #r=Zero THEN Jump-to Instruction #z }

(2): { CLR (r); INC (r); JE (r_i, r_j, z) }, i.e.

{ CLeaR contents of register r; INCrement contents of r; compare contents of r_i to r_j and if Equal then Jump to instruction z }

Although his model is more complicated than this simple description, the Melzak "pebble" model extended this notion of "counter" to permit multi-pebble adds and subtracts.

Basic features

For a given counter machine model the instruction set is tiny—from just one to six or seven instructions. Most models contain a few arithmetic operations and at least one conditional operation (if *condition* is true, then jump). Three *base models*, each using three instructions, are drawn from the following collection. (The abbreviations are arbitrary.)

- CLR (r): CLeaR register r . (Set r to zero.)
- INC (r): INCrement the contents of register r .
- DEC (r): DECrement the contents of register r .
- CPY (r_j, r_k): CoPY the contents of register r_j to register r_k leaving the contents of r_j intact.
- JZ (r, z): IF register r contains Zero THEN Jump to instruction z ELSE continue in sequence.
- JE (r_j, r_k, z): IF the contents of register r_j Equals the contents of register r_k THEN Jump to instruction z ELSE continue in sequence.

In addition, a machine usually has a HALT instruction, which stops the machine (normally after the result has been computed).

Using the instructions mentioned above, various authors have discussed certain counter machines:

- set 1: { INC (r), DEC (r), JZ (r, z) }, (Minsky (1961, 1967), Lambek (1961))
- set 2: { CLR (r), INC (r), JE (r_j, r_k, z) }, (Ershov (1958), Peter (1958) as interpreted by Shepherdson-Sturgis (1964); Minsky (1967); Schönhage (1980))
- set 3: { INC (r), CPY (r_j, r_k), JE (r_j, r_k, z) }, (Elgot-Robinson (1964), Minsky (1967))

The three counter machine base models have the same computational power since the instructions of one model can be derived from those of another. All are equivalent to the computational power of Turing machines (but only if Gödel numbers are used to encode data in the register or registers; otherwise their power is equivalent to the primitive recursive functions). Due to their unary processing style, counter machines are typically exponentially slower than comparable Turing machines.

Universal Turing Machines

Turing machines are abstract computing devices. Each Turing machine represents a particular algorithm. Hence we can think of Turing machines as being "hard-wired".

Is there a programmable Turing machine that can solve any problem solved by a "hard-wired" Turing machine?

The answer is "yes", the programmable Turing machine is called "universal Turing machine".

Basic Idea:

The Universal TM will take as input a description of a standard TM and an input w in the alphabet of the standard TM, and will halt if and only if the standard TM halts on w .