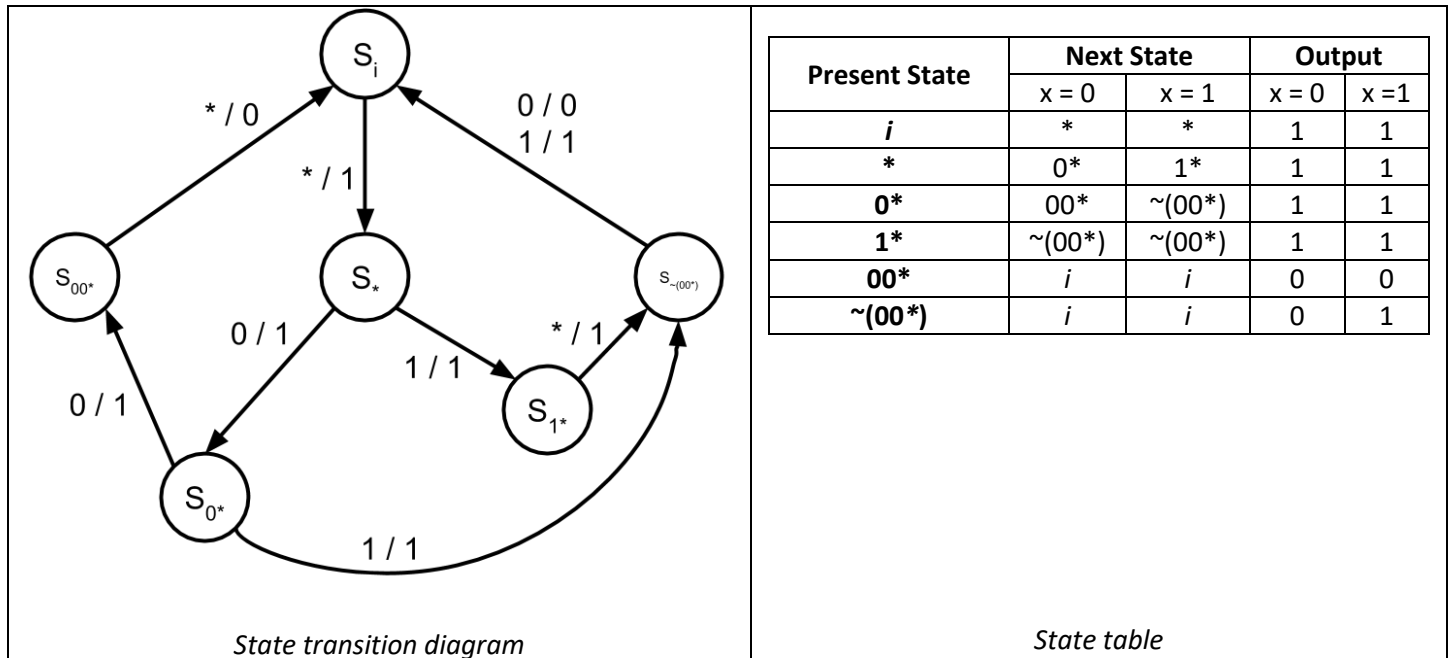


1. Optimal assignment of binary codes
  - a. Was implementing binary code checker last time
    - i. Previous lecture notes contain entire problem from start to finish
    - ii. This section describes the binary code assignment portion we didn't get to in lecture
  - b. Drew naïve implementation of FSM, then minimized it
    - i. Minimized version below



- c. Will need  $\lceil \log_2 6 \rceil = 3$  flip flops to represent 6 states
- d. Can assign binary codes for states randomly
  - i. Random assignment works
  - ii. However, careful assignment reduces the combinational logic
- e. Rule of thumb for state binary code assignments
  - i. Try to assign adjacent (Hamming distance of 1) code words to a state and the state that follows it
  - ii. If two states have the same next state, assign those states code words adjacent to next state
  - iii. Creating a K-map helps immensely with this process
  - iv. Initial state *i* will always be all 0s
- f. Assign using the rules above
  - i. Place *i* at 000, will always do this
  - ii. Place \* next to *i* at 010 since \* is the successor to *i*
  - iii. Place 0\* and 1\* adjacent to \* at 110 and 011 respectively
  - iv. 00\* needs to be adjacent to *i* and 0\*, which leaves 100 as the only place
  - v. Would like ~(00\*) to be adjacent to 0\*, 1\*, and *i*, but that isn't possible
    1. These are rules of thumb, not fixed laws
  - vi. Can place ~(00\*) at 001 to be adjacent to *i* and 1\*, though
- g. Note that there may potentially be more than one valid code assignment that minimizes distance

Binary Code		AB			
		00	01	11	10
C	0	<i>i</i>	*	0*	00*
	1	~(00*)	1*		

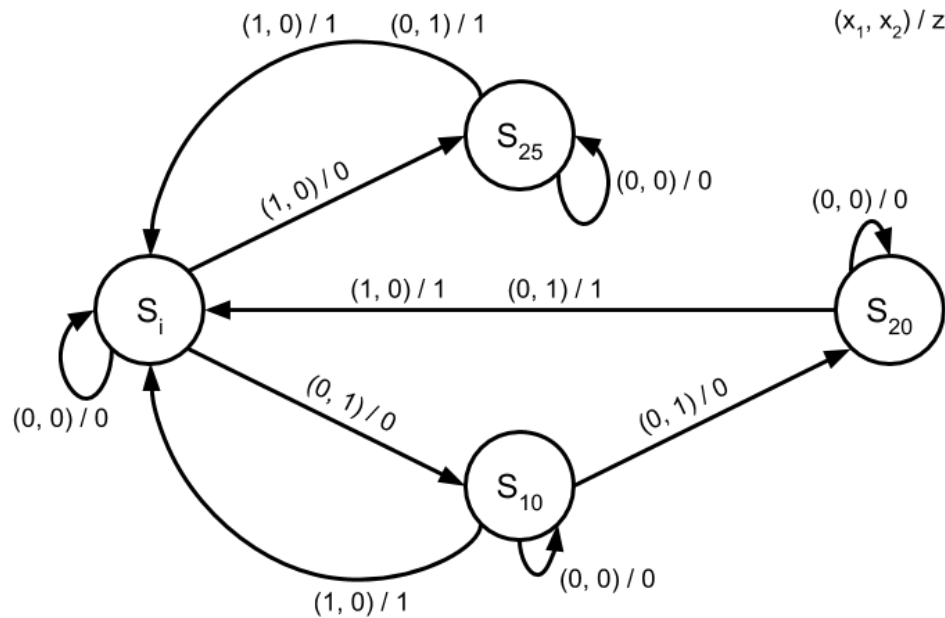
## 2. Debugging an FSM

- a. Generally, much more efficient to put in effort to get it right to begin with
  - i. Students tend to jump straight to coding without planning program layout
  - ii. Might work for smaller programs you write for classes... doesn't necessarily work in industry
  - iii. Same idea here—put in time drawing FSM right to begin with, save time later
  - iv. Nothing wrong with drawing a naïve FSM enumerating all states
    1. Once you've got that down, then minimize
    2. Trick is making sure that you draw that naïve FSM right to begin with
- b. One good way of seeing if your FSM you drew was right is to give a stream of inputs into your FSM
  - i. Starting from your initial state  $i$ , give inputs and track your progression through your diagram
  - ii. See what states you land at, and if those are what you expect
  - iii. Also see what outputs you get, and if those are what you expect as well
- c. Examples
  - i. With the BCD checker (both naïve and simplified) pass in 4 bit inputs and check output stream
    1. Outputs should be all 1s until you receive 4<sup>th</sup> bit
    2. On 4<sup>th</sup> bit, output 0 if input stream is 0-9 when interpreted as binary number
  - ii. With the vending machine below, give a dime, then a dime, then a quarter
    1. Vending machine shouldn't vend before enough money inserted
    2. Change should be appropriate once enough money is inserted into machine

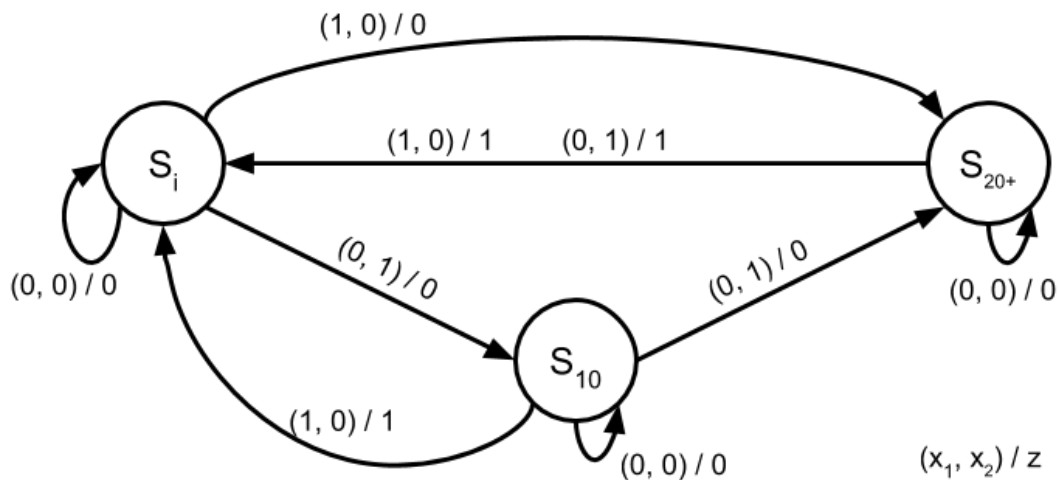
## 3. More complicated FSMs

- a. Design a vending machine that only takes dimes and quarters
  - i. Merchandise is dispensed ( $z = 1$ ) when the sum of the inputs  $\geq 30$  cents
  - ii. Machine does not give change, no matter how much extra money gets deposited
- b.  $x_1 = \text{quarter}$ ,  $x_2 = \text{dime}$ 
  - i. Two input, single output  $z$ 
    - a. State transition table will look somewhat different than you've seen before
  - ii. Assume that it is not possible to input both quarters and dimes simultaneously
    - a. How does that make sense physically?
  - iii. No coin input results in no impact on machine
    - a. What kind of vending machine eats your money if you don't deposit it fast enough?
- c. Will use a Mealy model
  - i. Provides for simpler logic in the end for this case
  - ii. As usual, though, a Moore model could provide simpler logic in certain cases

- d. First, create state transition diagram  
i. Inputs are  $(x_1, x_2)$  for (quarter, dime)



- e. Next, minimize the number of states using the Partition Minimization Procedure  
i.  $P_1 = (i, 10, 20, 25)$   
ii.  $P_2 = (i) (10) (20, 25)$   
1. 20 and 25 have same k-successors (i for both) so they stay together  
f. Draw new state transition diagram, with new state called 20+



- g. Assign code words next  
i.  $\lceil \log_2 3 \rceil = 2$  flip flops  
ii.  $S_i$  starts in 00  
iii. No way to place all adjacent states 1 Hamming distance away  
2. Do the best we can, though

Binary Code

		A	
		0	1
B	0	i	20+
	1	10	

