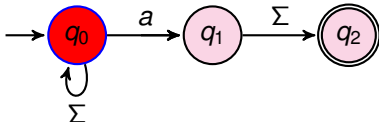


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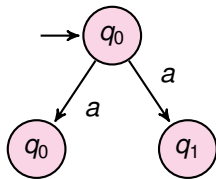
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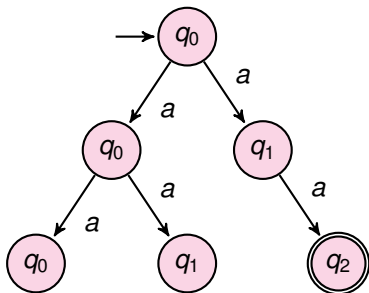


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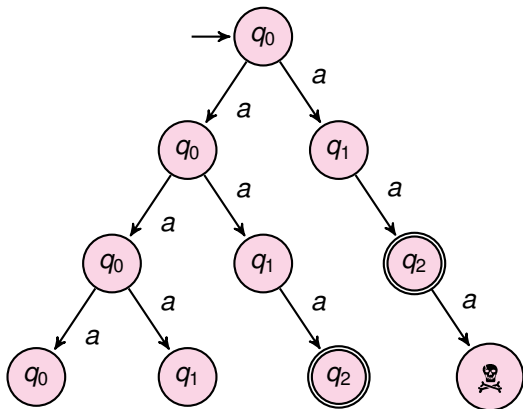
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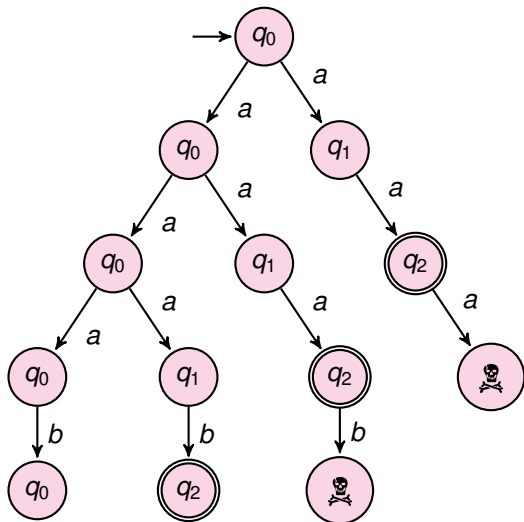
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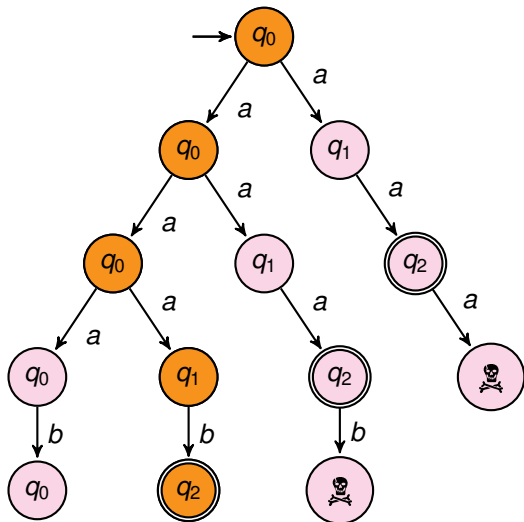
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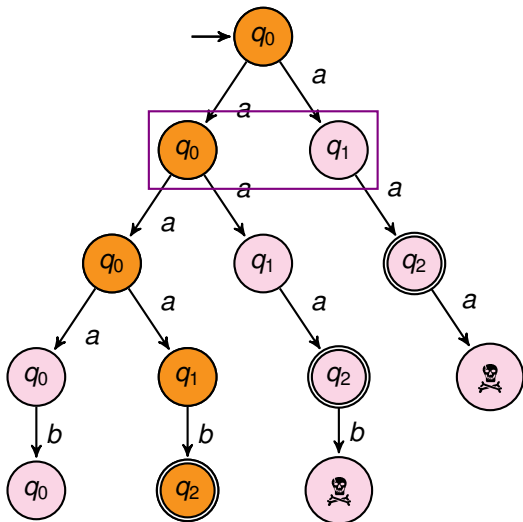
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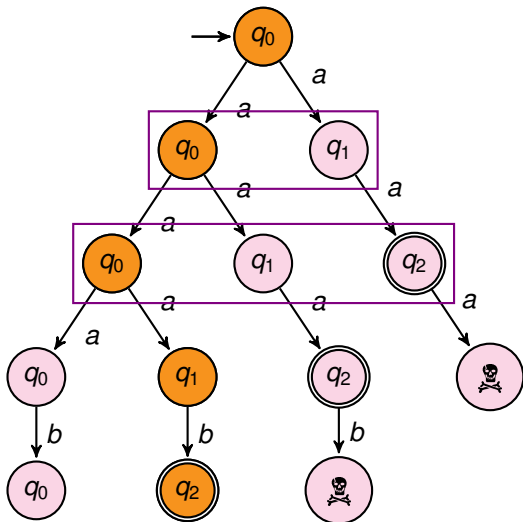
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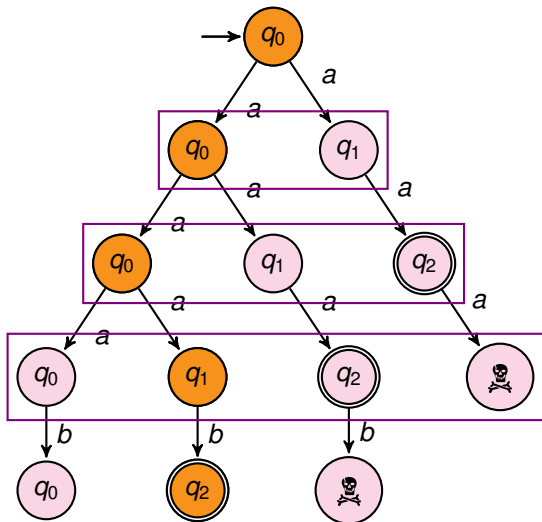
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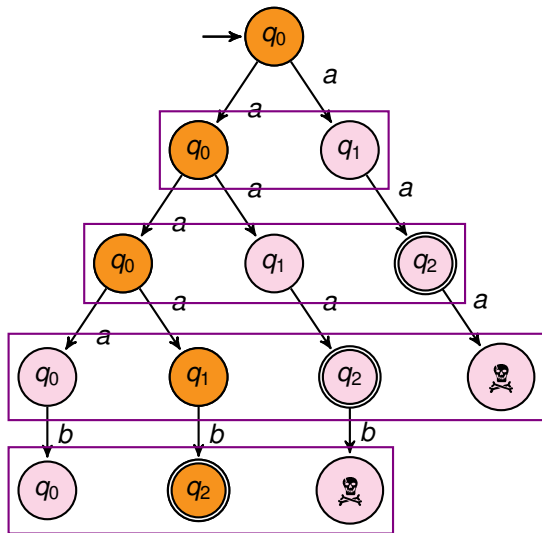
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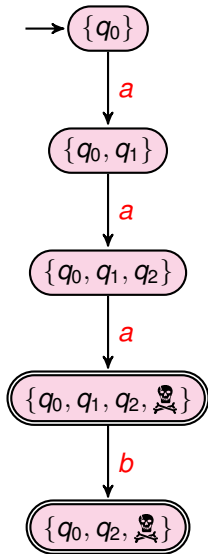
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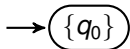
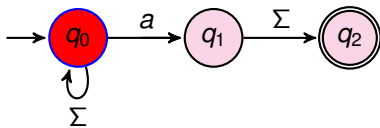
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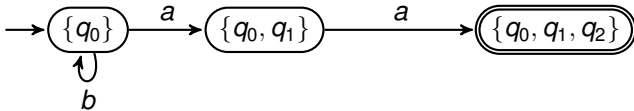
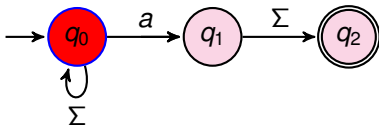
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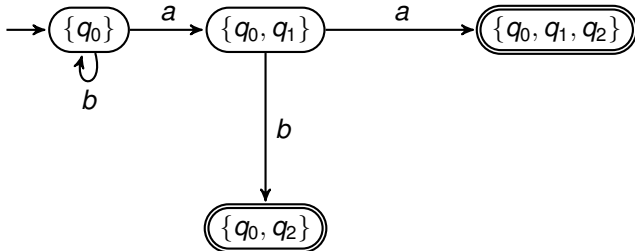
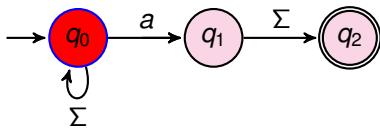
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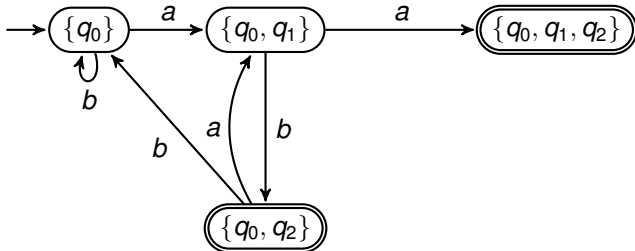
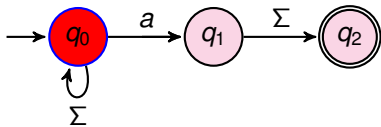
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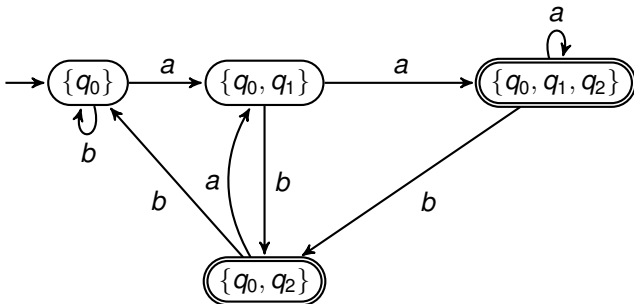
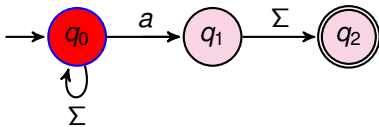
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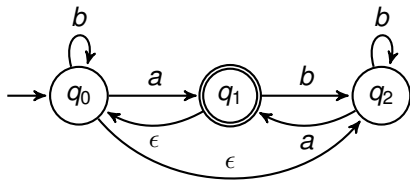
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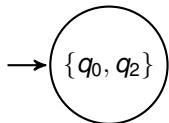
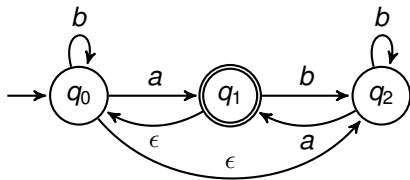
Regularity

A language L is regular iff there exists an NFA A such that $L = L(A)$

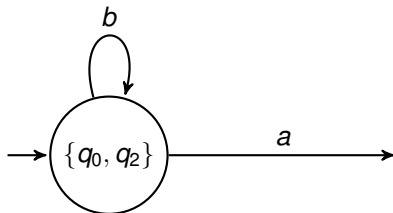
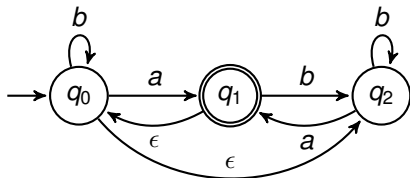
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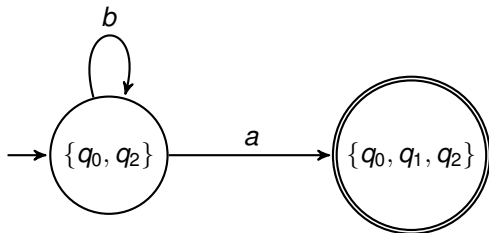
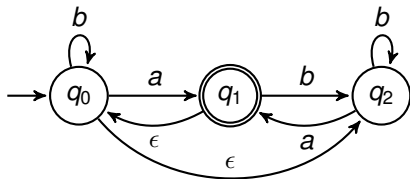
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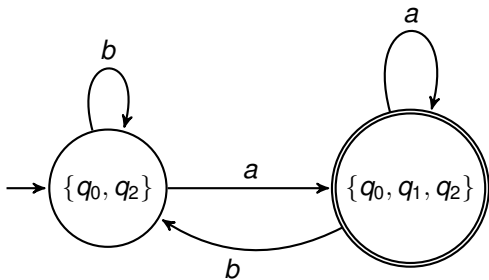
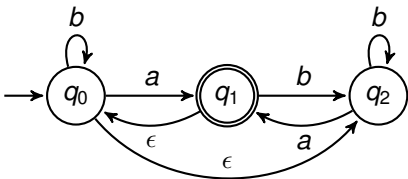
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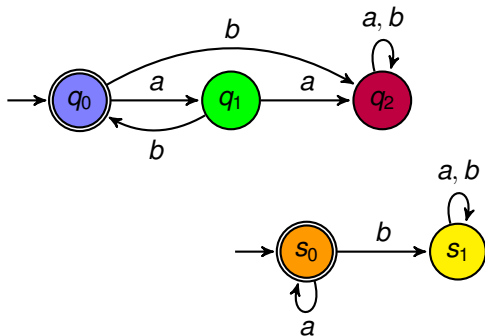


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- ▶ From a state S , compute $\Delta(S, a)$ and ϵ -close it
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