

# CS & IT ENGINEERING



## THEORY OF COMPUTATION

### Regular Language

Lecture No.- 01



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# Recap of Previous Lecture



Topic

Property of  
Regular Expression

Topic

Construction of Regular Expression

Topic

DFA States

$F.A \rightarrow \text{Regular Expressions}$   $\rightarrow$  state elimination  
 $\rightarrow$  Arden's method  
 $\{ \text{Regular Expression} \rightarrow F.A \}$   $\rightarrow$  E-NFA, NFA, DFA



# Topics to be Covered



Topic

Conversion from  $\epsilon$  NFA to NFA

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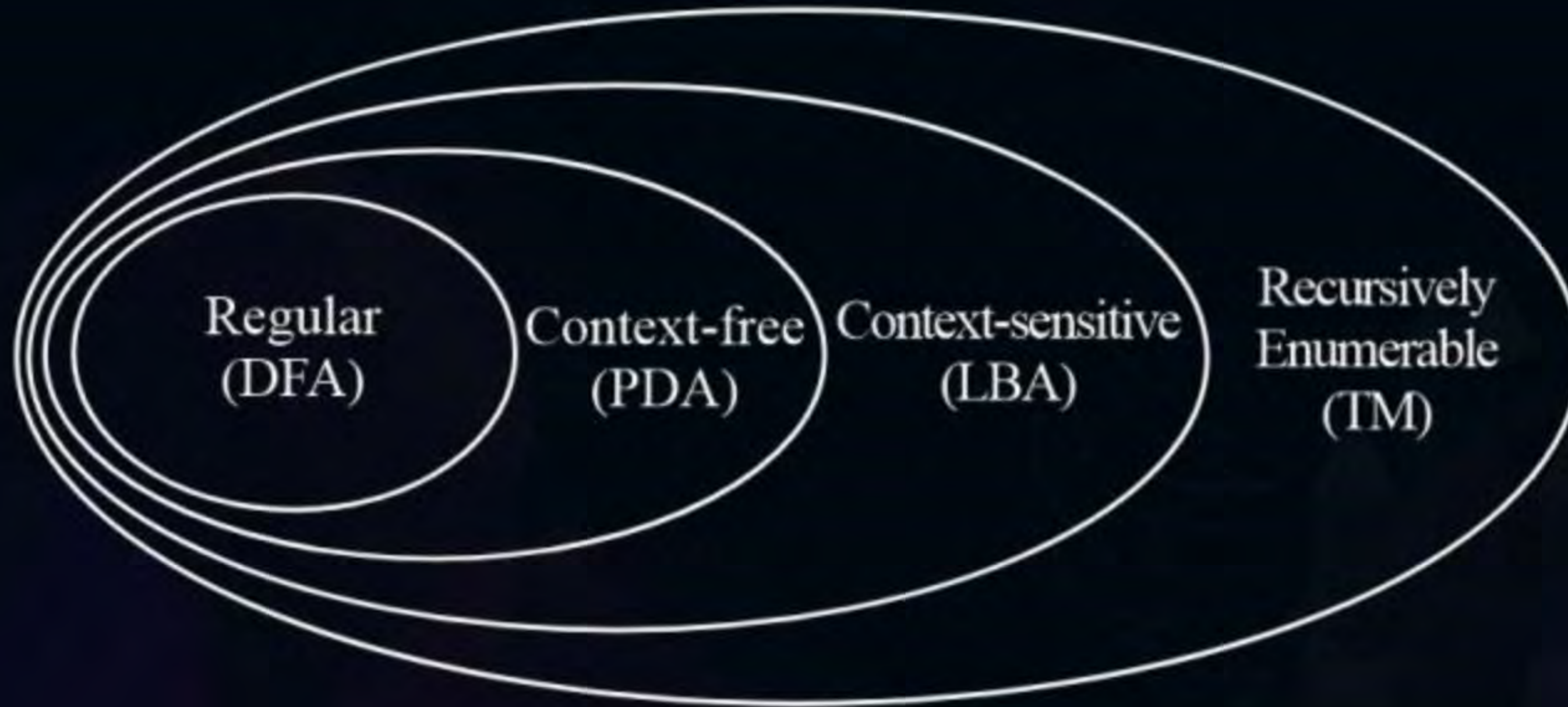
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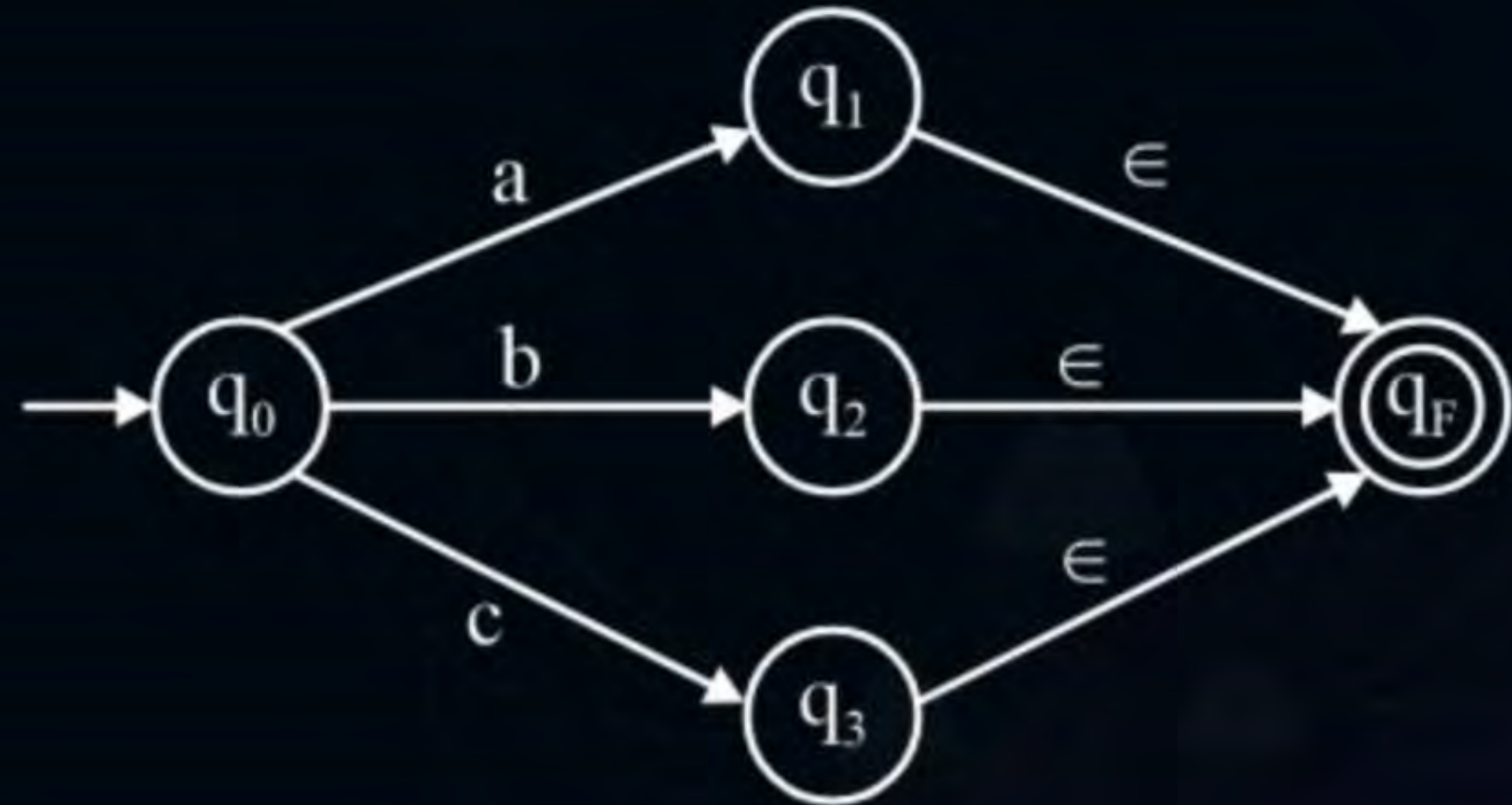
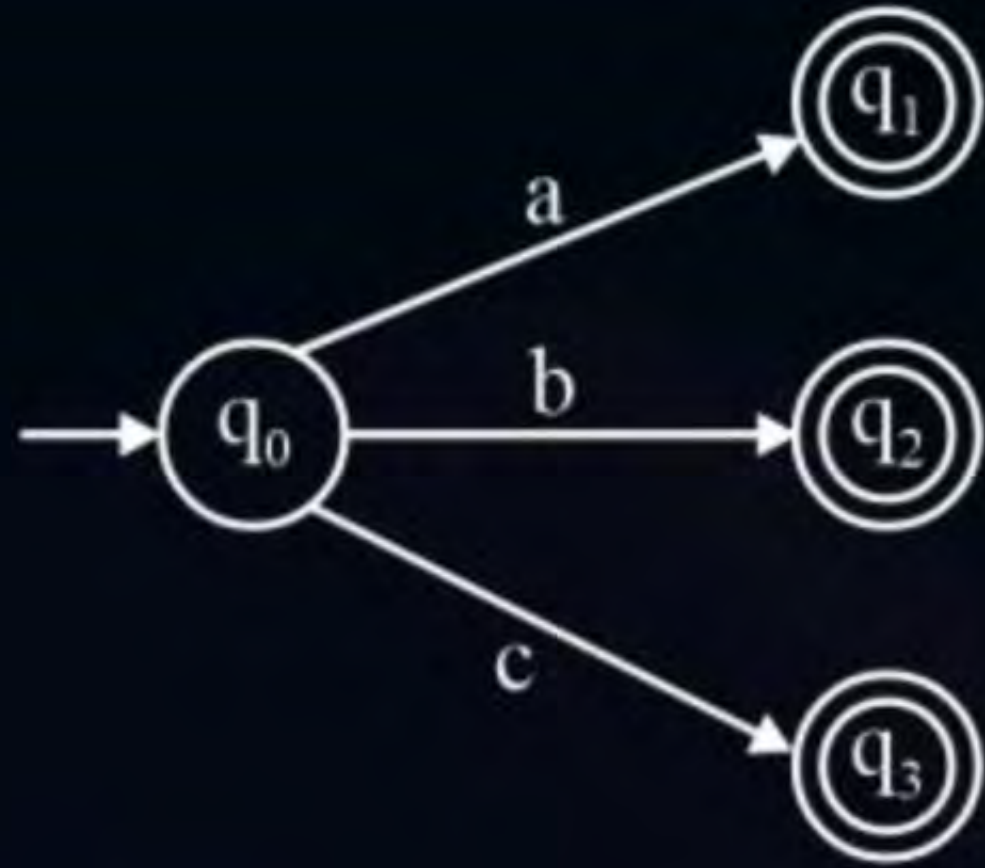
## Topic : Theory of Computation





## Topic : Finite Automata to Regular Expression

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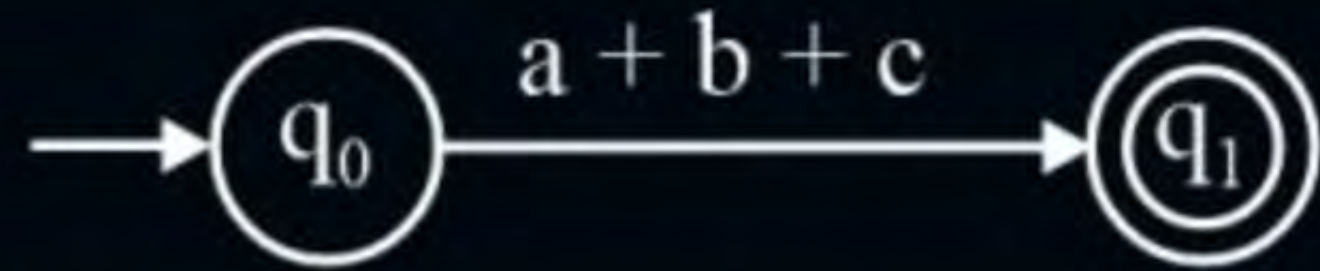
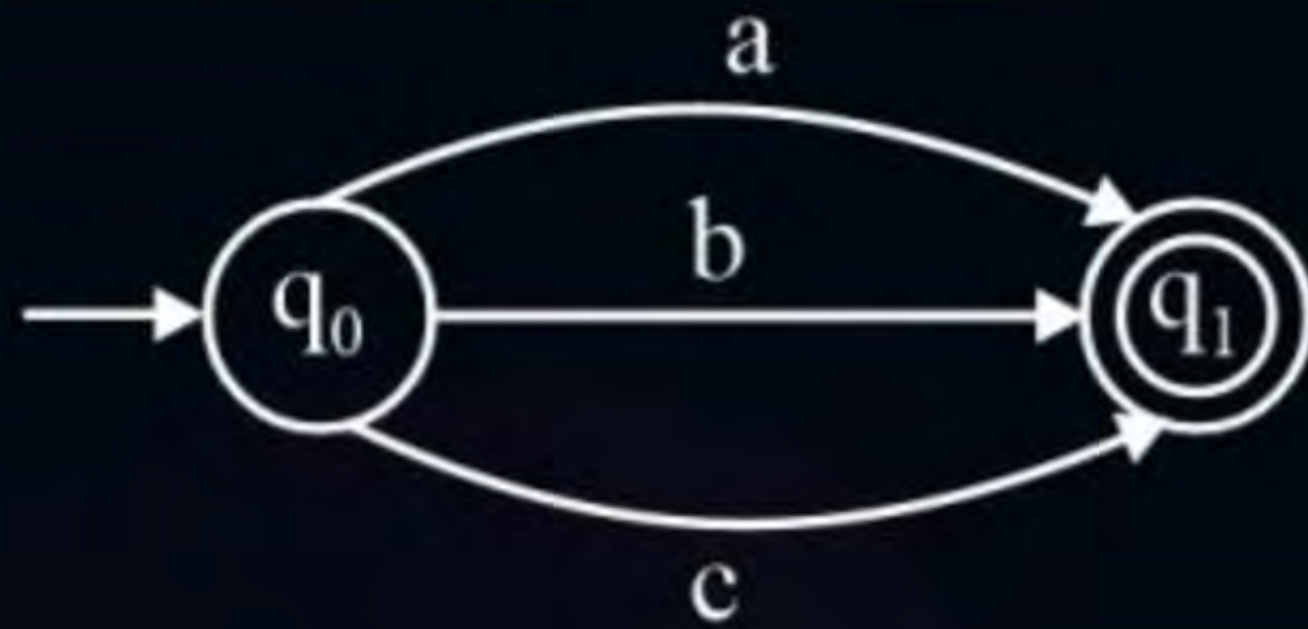






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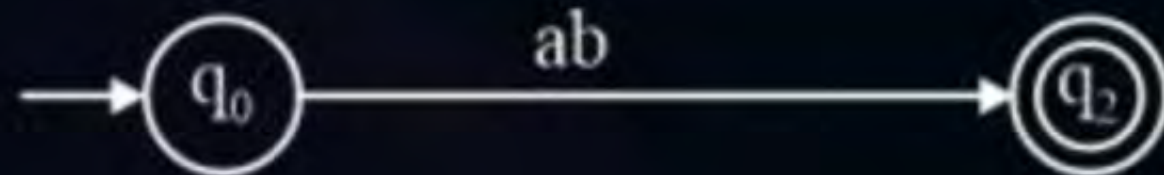
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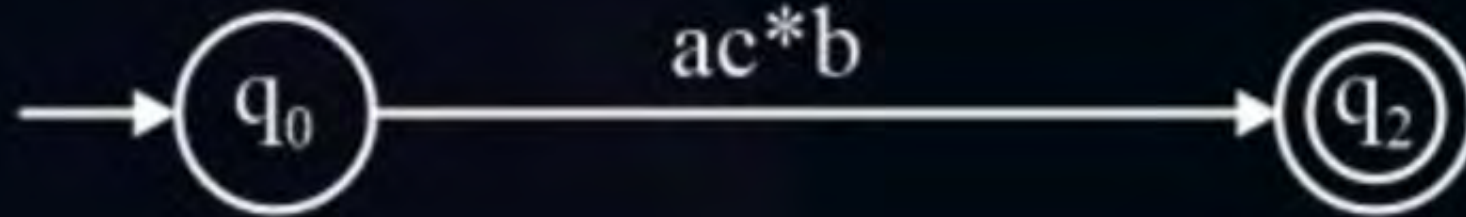
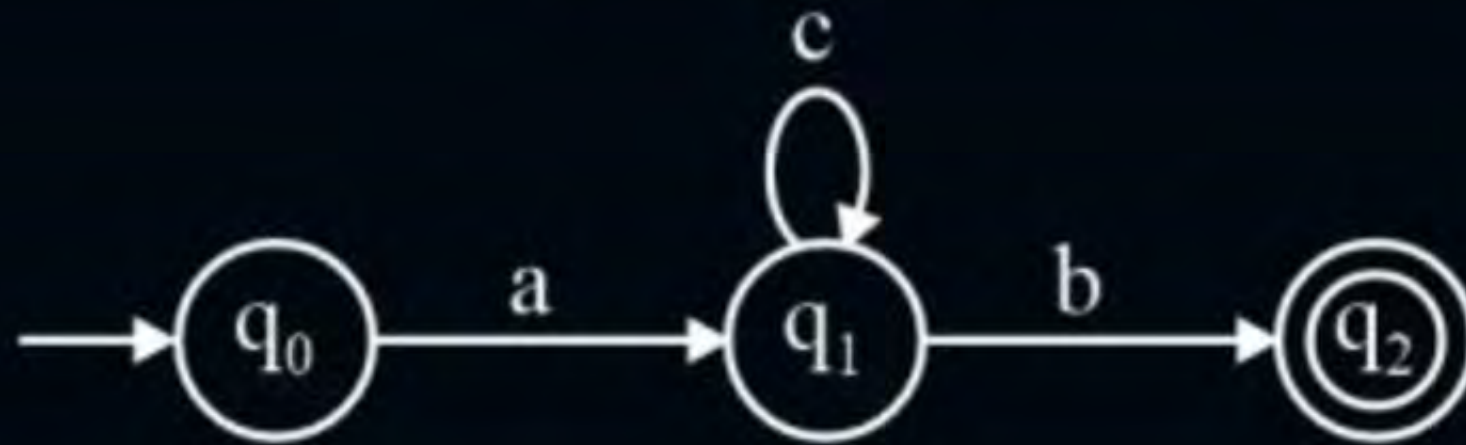
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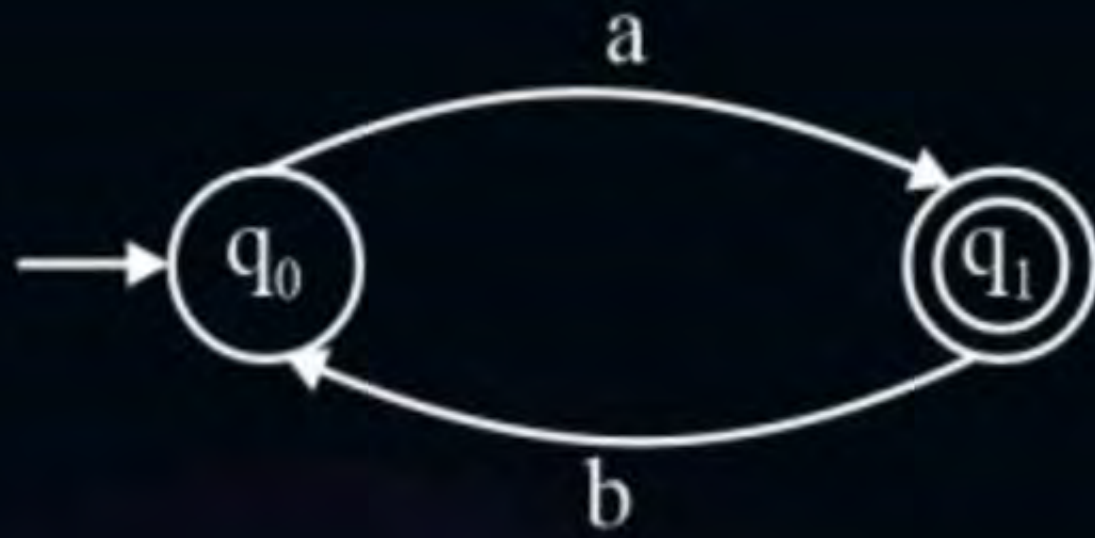






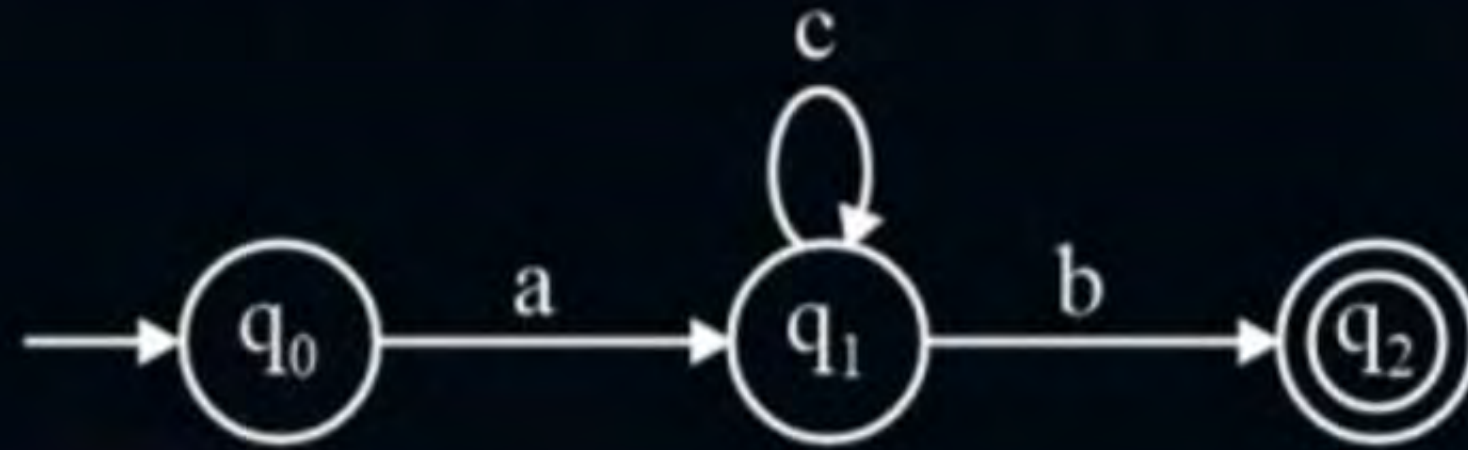
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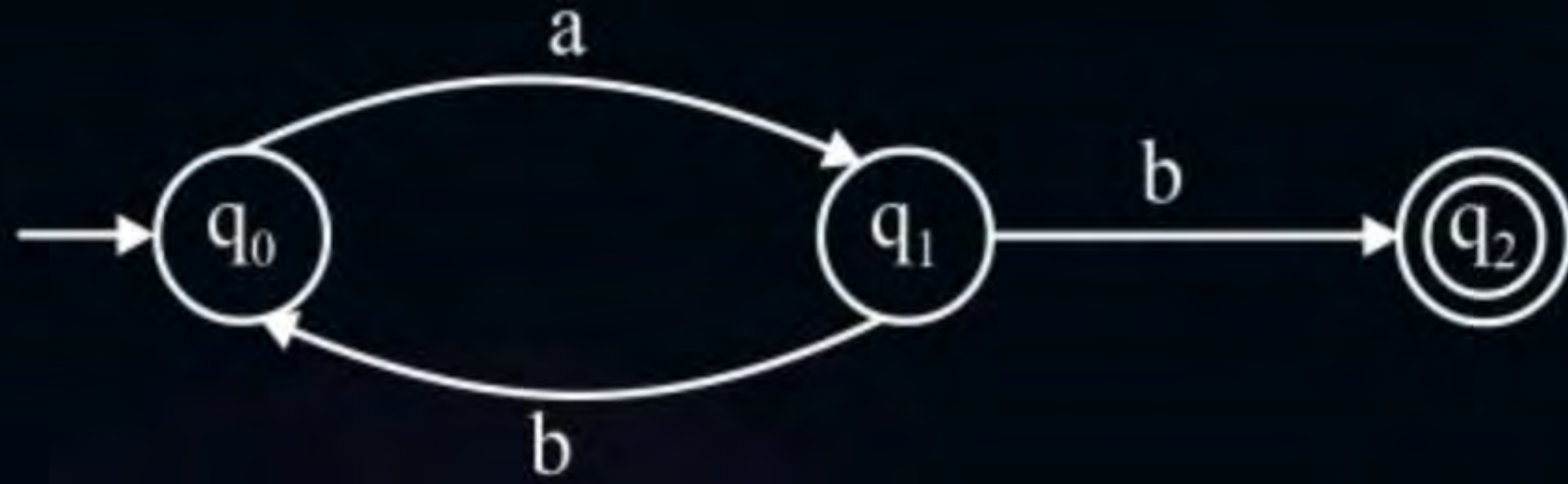


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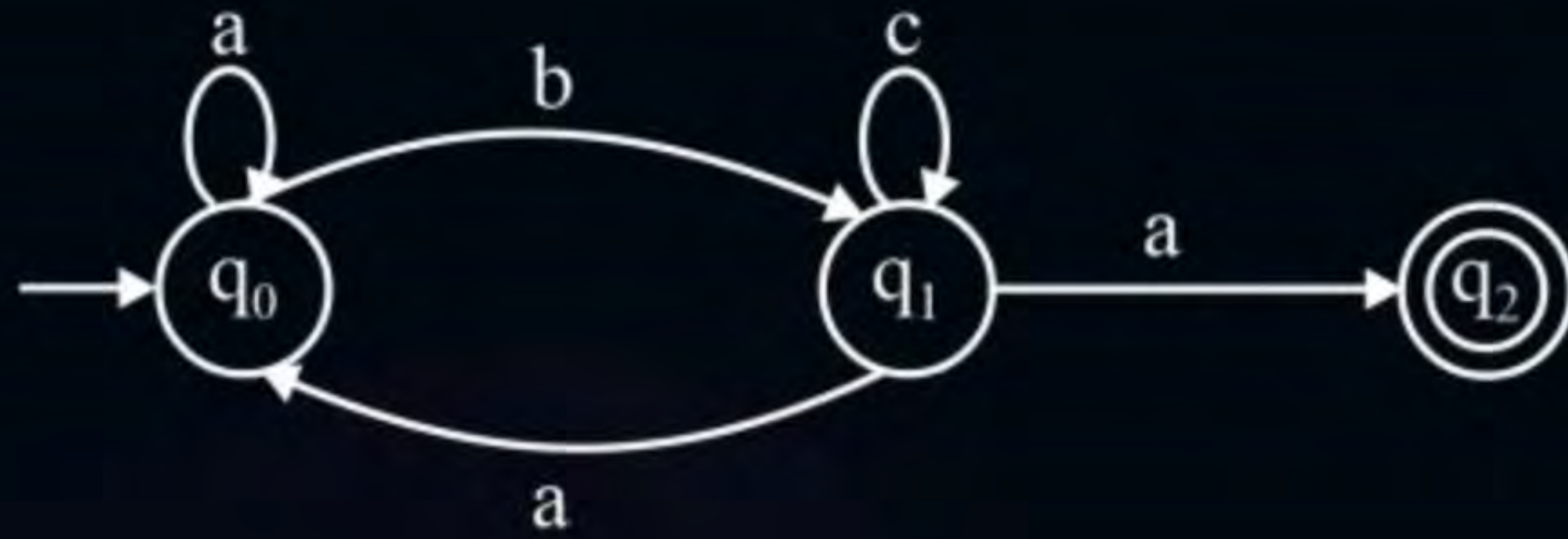


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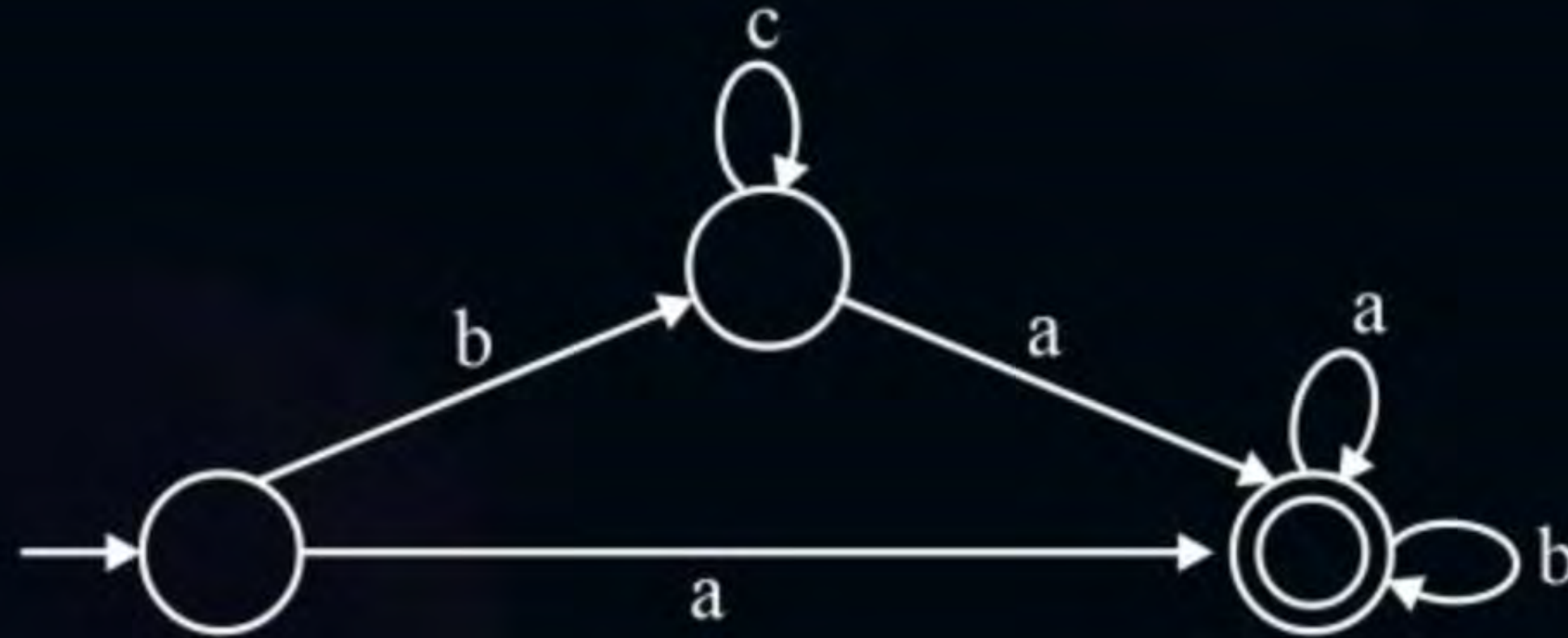


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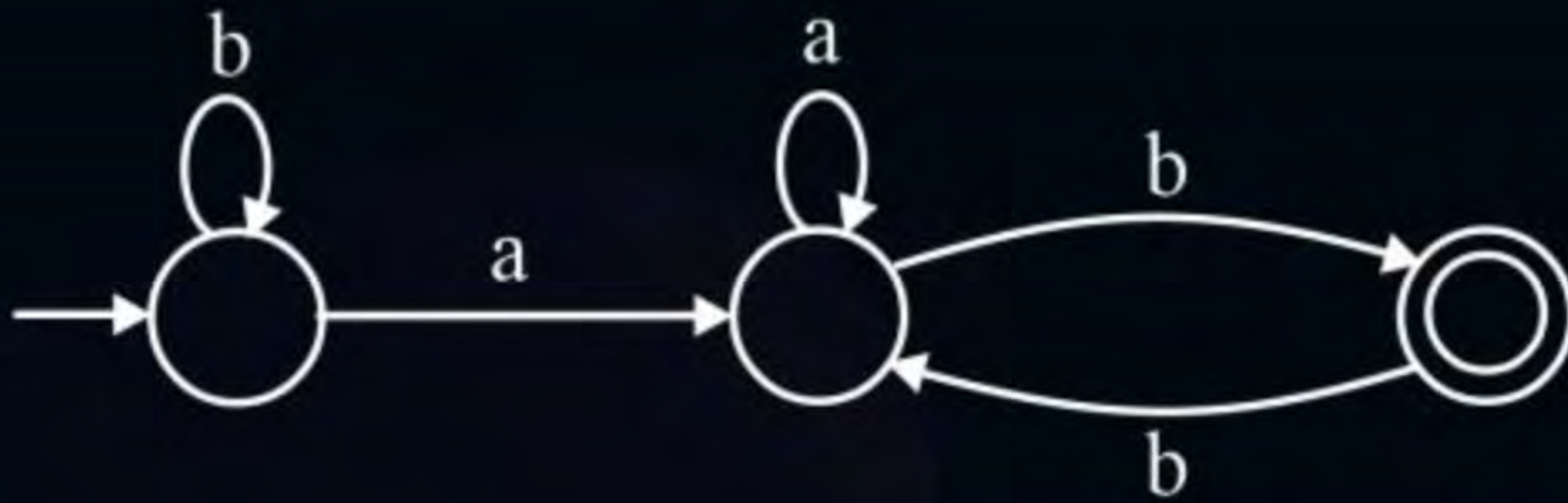




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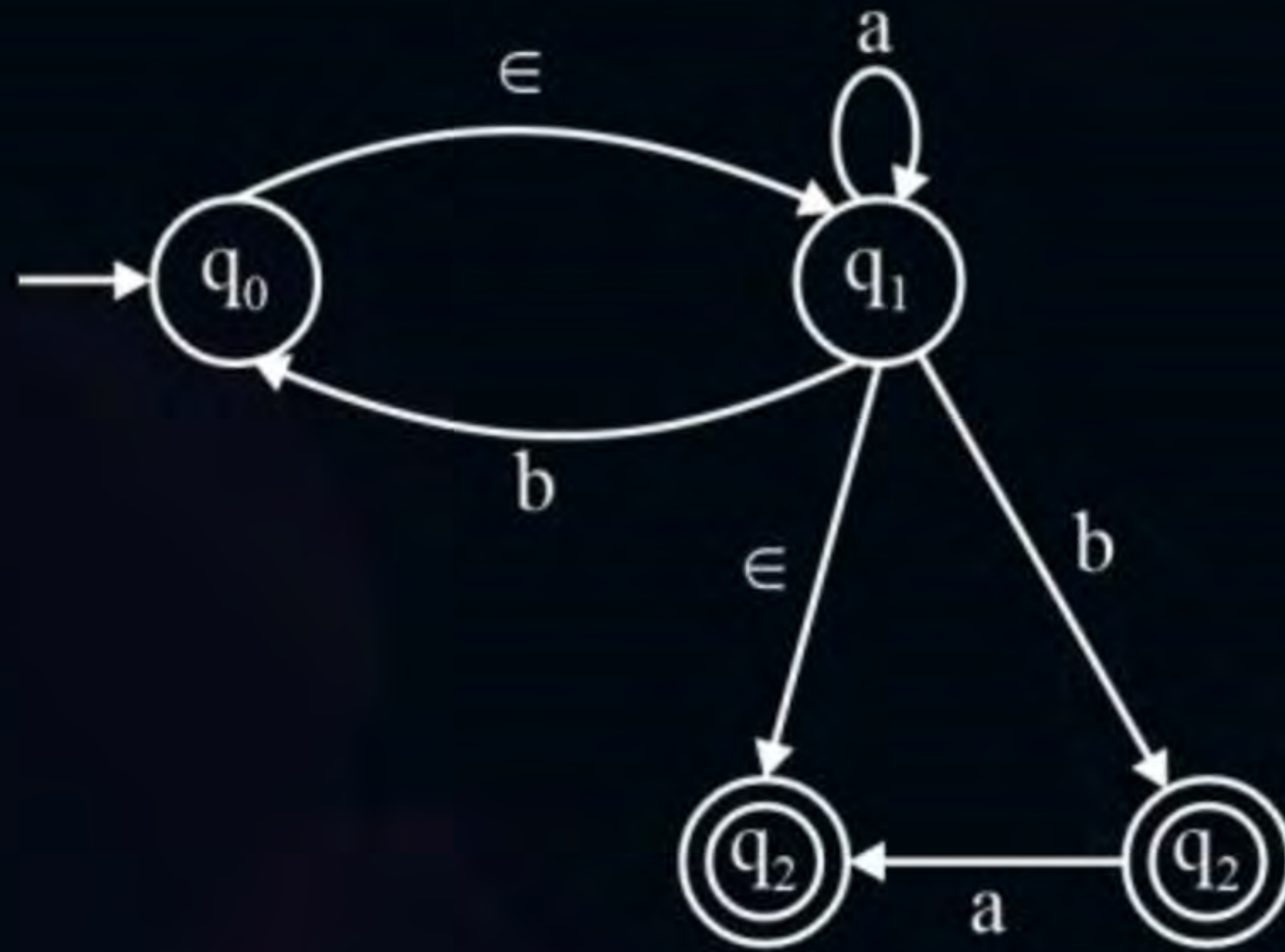


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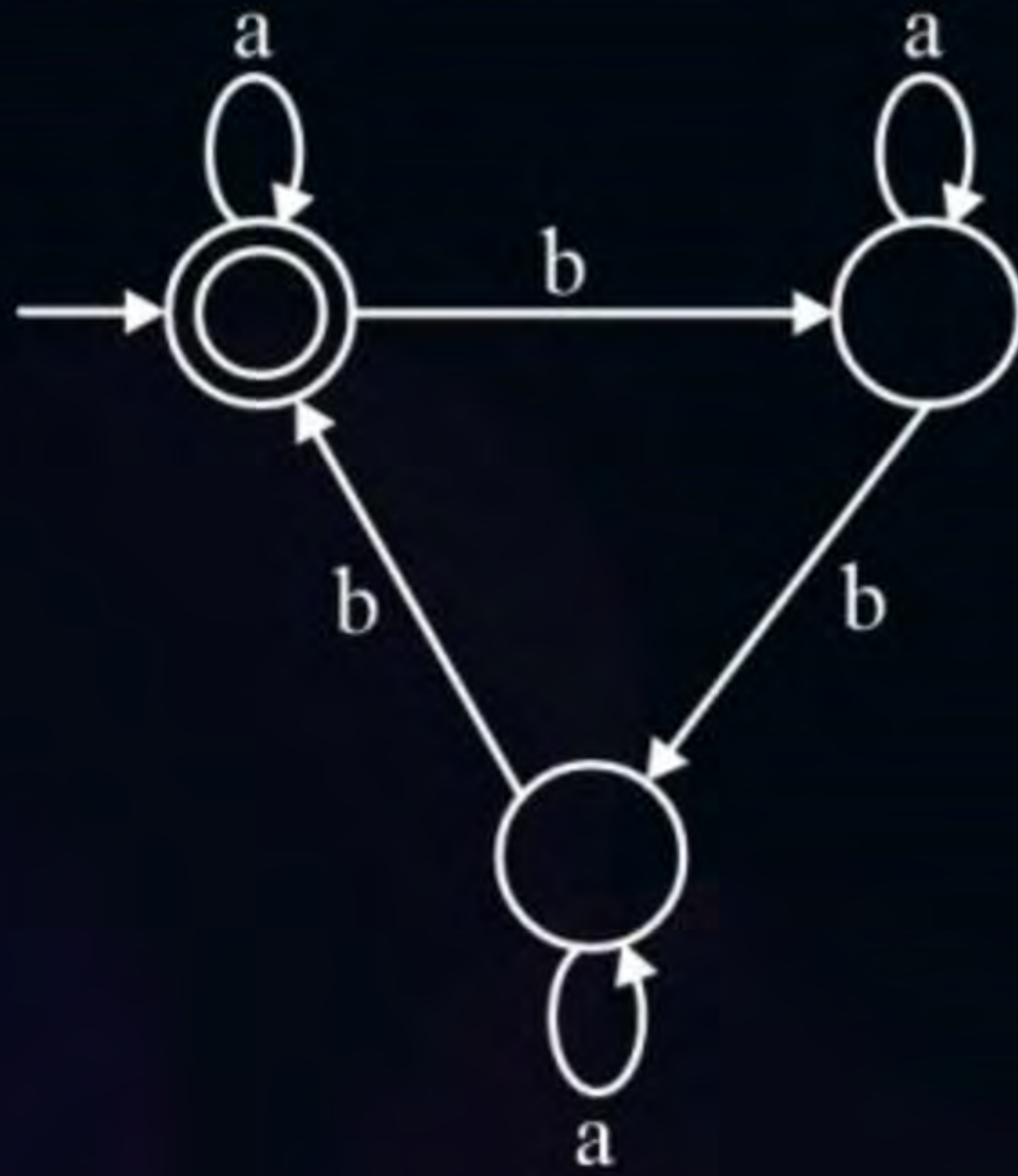




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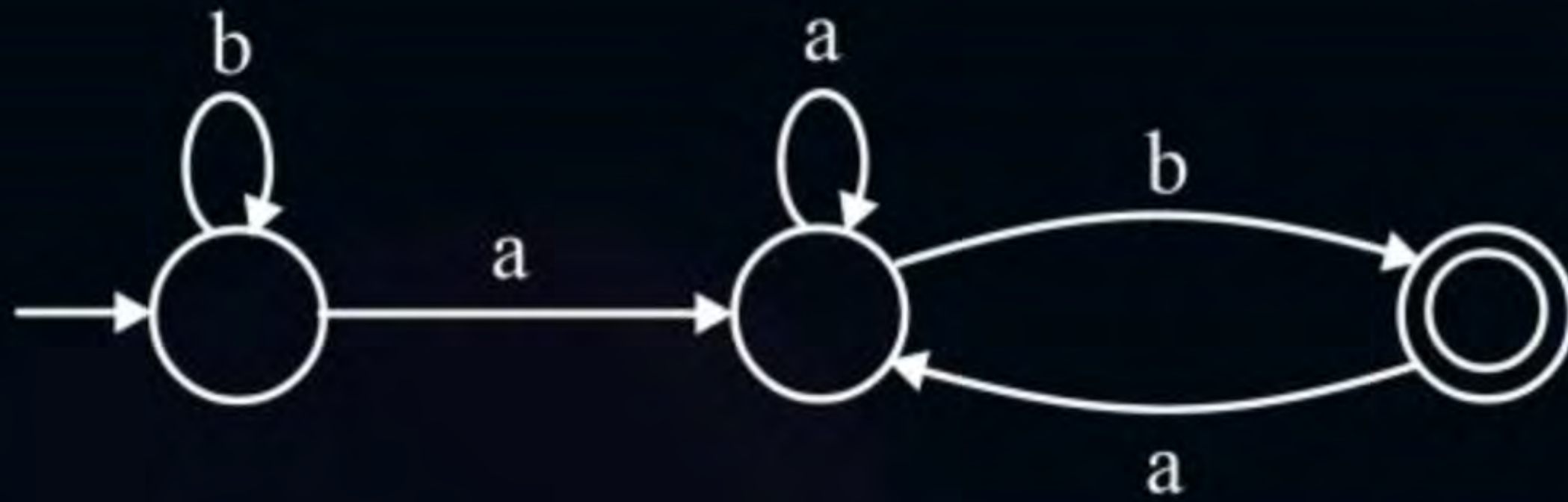




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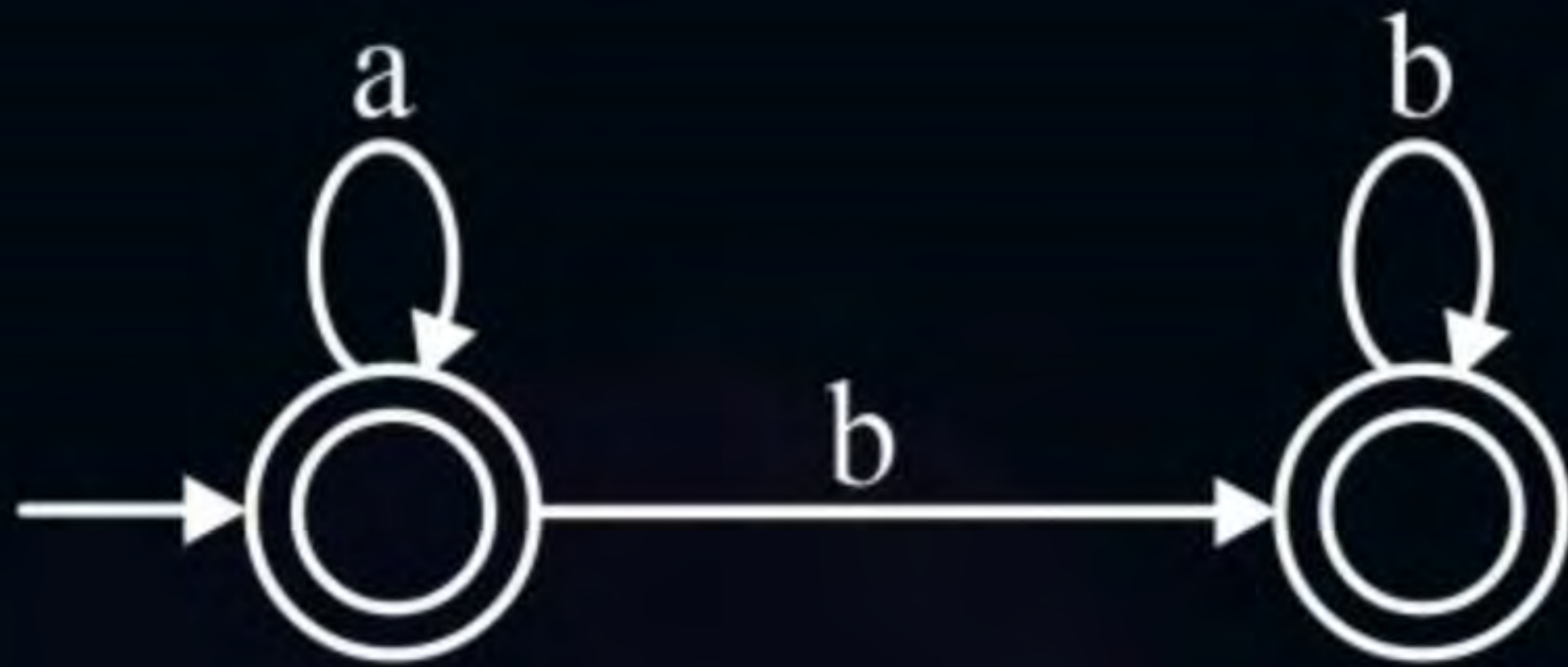


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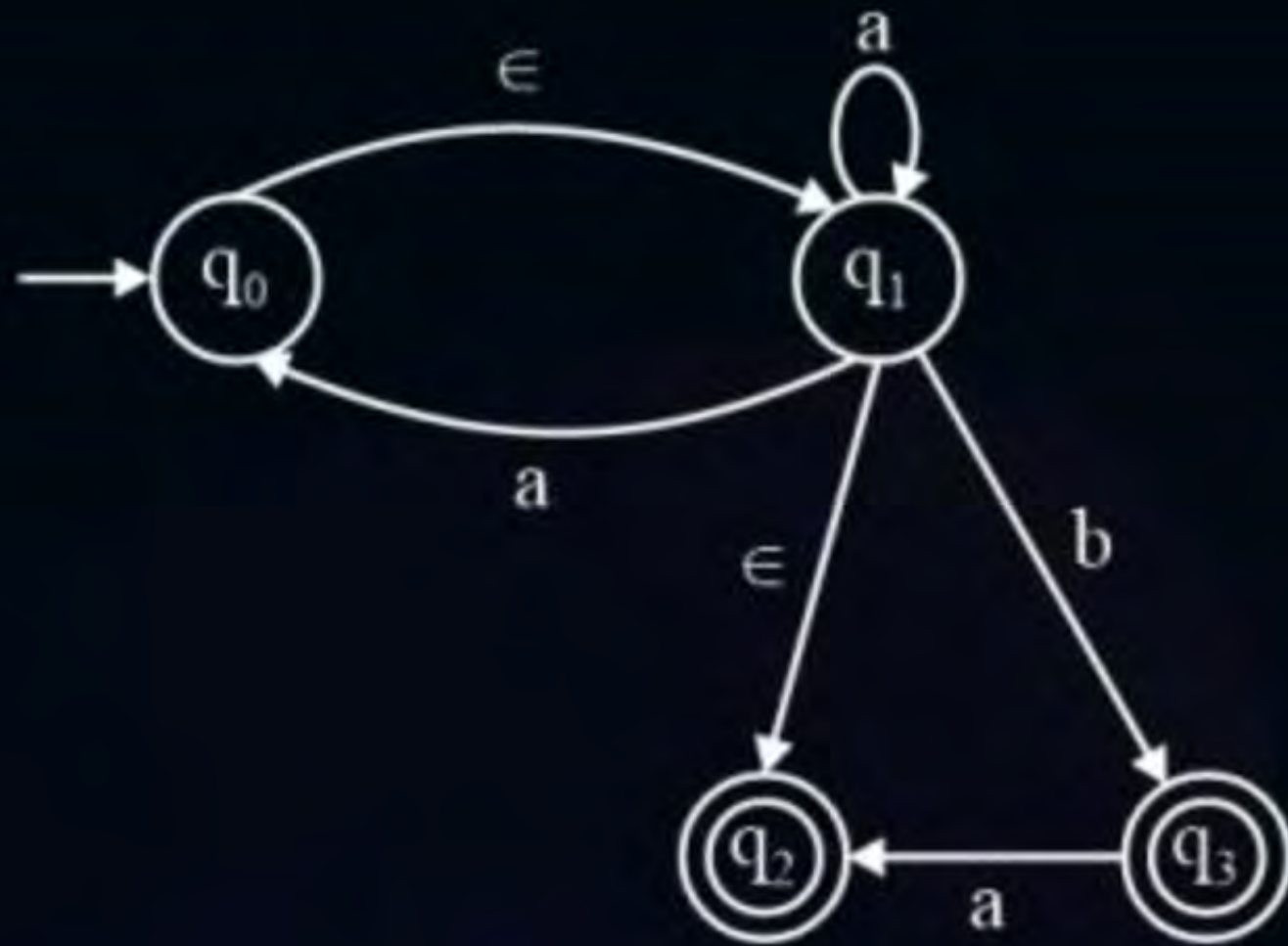


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## [MCQ]



#Q. Which one of the following regular expressions is equivalent to the language accepted by the DFA given below? **[GATE-CS-shift-II-24: 1M]**

- A**  $0^*1(0 + 10^*1)^*$
- B**  $0^*(10^*11)^*0^*$
- C**  $0(1 + 0^*10^*1)^*0^*$
- D**  $0^*1(010^*1)^*0^*$





## [MCQ]



#Q. Let  $M$  be the 5-state NFA with  $\epsilon$  - transitions shown in the diagram below. Which one of the following regular expressions represents the language accepted by  $M$ ? **[GATE-CS-shift-II-24: 2M]**

- A**  $0^* + (1 + 0(00)^*)(11)^*$
- B**  $(00)^* + 1(11)^*$
- C**  $(00)^* + (1 + (00)^*)(11)^*$
- D**  $0^+ + 1(11)^* + 0(11)^*$





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

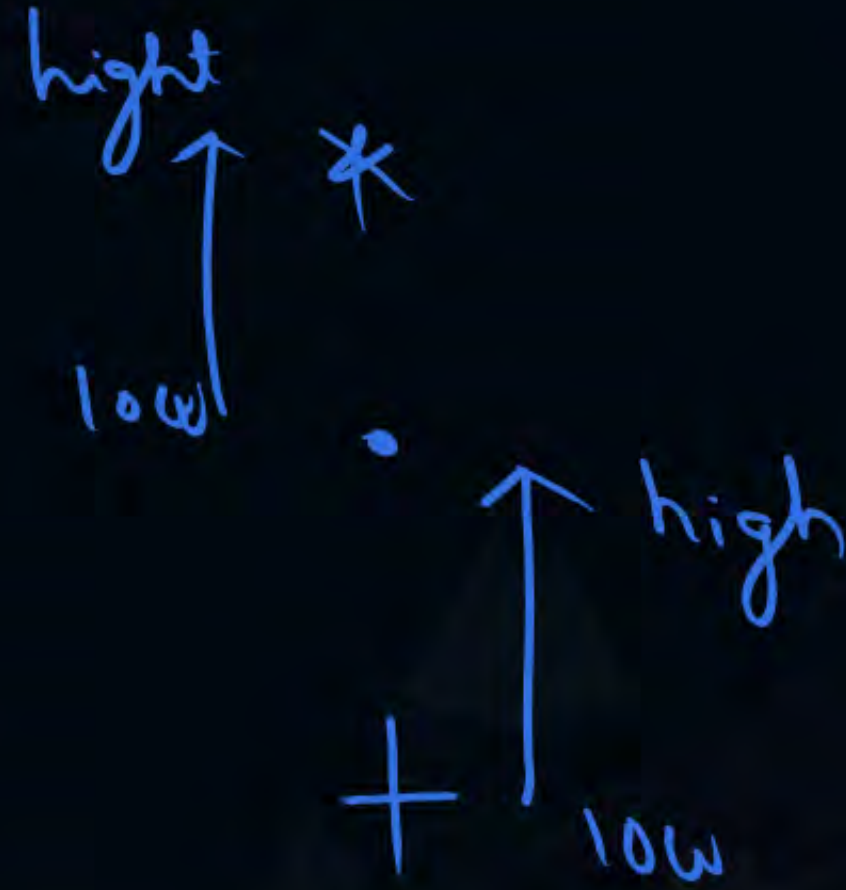
[2013: 1 Mark]

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

$$\phi \cdot (a^*) + \phi^*$$

$$\phi + \epsilon$$

$\epsilon$





Let  $L$  be the language represented by the regular expression  $\Sigma^*0011\Sigma^*$  where  $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$ .

What is the minimum number of states in a DFA that recognizes  ~~$L$  (complement of  $L$ )~~? *above Language?* [2015-Set3: 1 Mark]

- ☐ A 4
- ☒ B 5
- ☐ C 6
- ☐ D 8

$$\begin{array}{c} \Sigma^* \\ \underline{(0+1)^*} \underline{0011} \underline{(0+1)^*} \\ \quad \quad \quad (n+1) \\ \quad \quad \quad 5 \end{array}$$





Consider the language  $L$  given by the regular expression  $(a + b)^*b(a + b)$  over the alphabet  $\{a, b\}$ . The smallest number of states needed in a deterministic finite-state automaton (DFA) accepting  $L$  is \_\_\_\_.

$2^n$

[2017-Set1: 2 Marks]

$$(a+b)^* \circ b \circ \underline{\underline{(a+b)}} \} 2^2 = \underline{4} \text{ states}$$





# Topic : Regular Expression to Finite Automata Construction

Regular expression	$\epsilon$ -NFA
1. $\phi$	
2. $\epsilon$	
3. a	
4. $r_1 + r_2$	



## Topic : Regular Expression to Finite Automata Construction

Regular expression	$\epsilon$ -NFA
5. $r_1 \cdot r_2$	
6. $r^*$	



(Q) How many states in min DFA for the Regular Expression  $\Sigma = \{1\}$   $(11 + 111)^*$   $\rightarrow$  Regular language  $\Rightarrow$  F.A

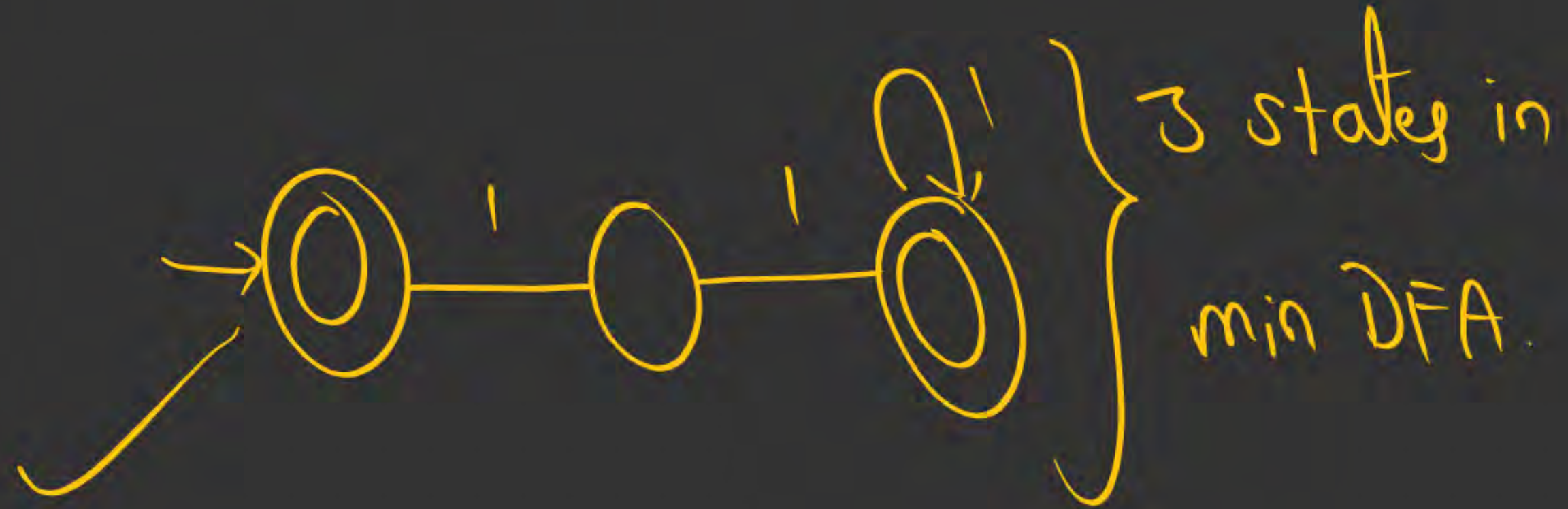
(a) 5

$\{ \epsilon, 1, 11, 111, 1111, 11111, 111111, 1111111, \dots \}$

(b) 2

~~(c) 3~~

(d) 8

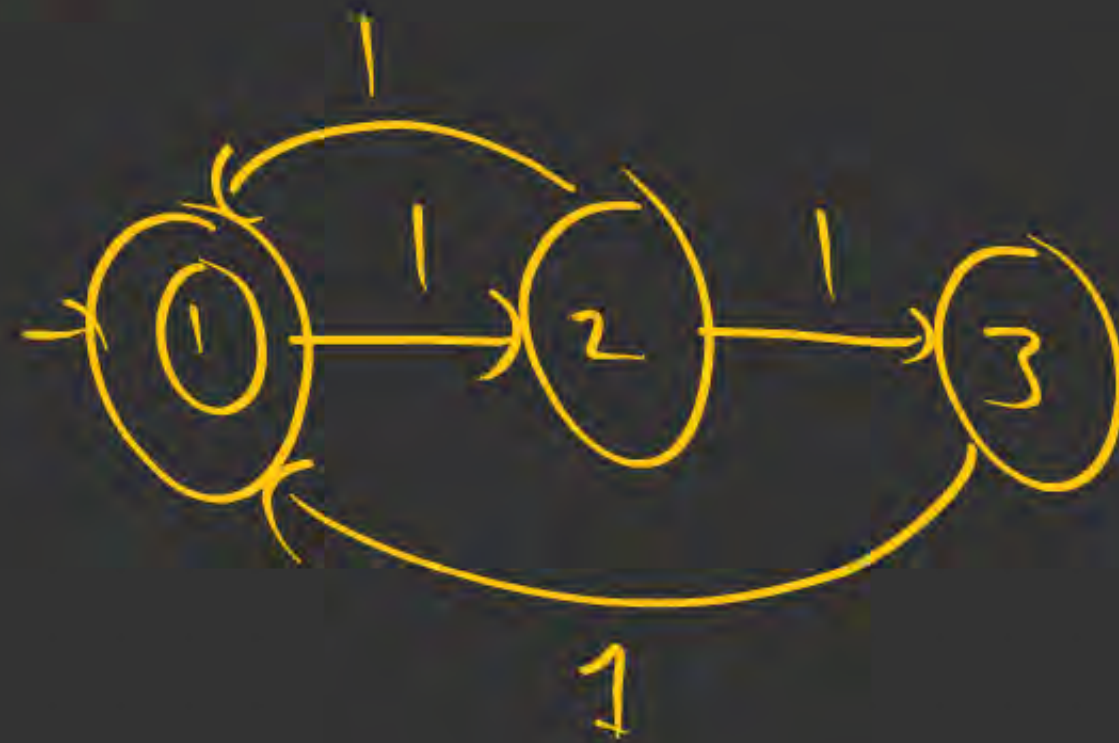


$$(11 + 111)^*$$

NFA



NFA





(Q) How many states in min DFA for the following Regular Expression?

$\Sigma = \{1\}$

$((11) + 11111)^* (a+b)^*$

$\{\epsilon, 1^3, 1^5, 1^6, 1^8, 1^9, 1^{10}, 1^{11}, 1^{12}, \dots\}$

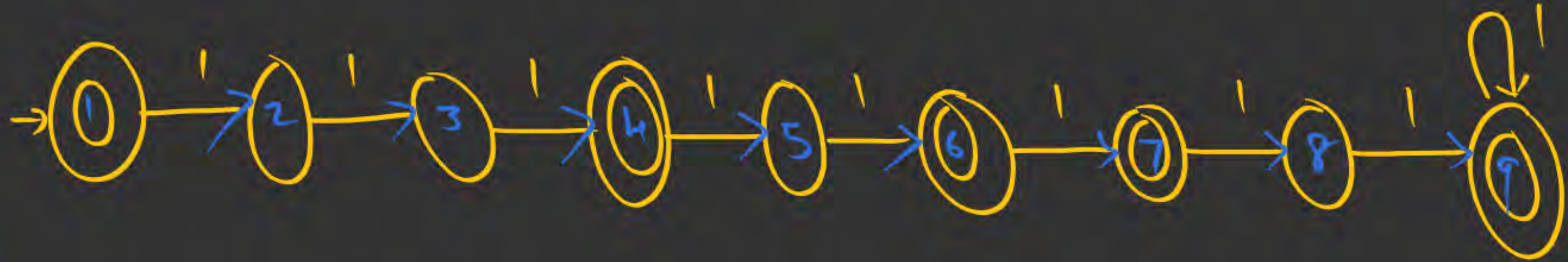
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(a) 5

(b) 8

(c) 15

~~(d) 9~~







#Q.

Construct Finite Automata for the given regular expression  
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{min} \\ \text{DFA} \end{array} \right\} (n+1) \text{ states.}$

$$\underline{a}^* \underline{b}^* \underline{c}^* \rightarrow 4$$

$$a^* b^* c^* d^* \dots z^* \rightarrow 27$$

$$0^* 1^* 2^* 3^* 4^* \rightarrow 6$$



(Q) How many states in min DFA for the following Regular Expression

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{(a+b)} \underline{(a+b)} \underline{(a+b)} \xrightarrow{(n+2)} 5$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \underbrace{(a+b+\epsilon)(a+b+\epsilon)(a+b+\epsilon)}_{\text{at most 3}} \xrightarrow{(n+2)} 5$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad b^* @ b^* @ b^* @ b^* @ b^* \xrightarrow{\text{exactly 4 a's}} 6$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad b^* (a+\epsilon) b^* (a+\epsilon) b^* \xrightarrow{\text{a's (at most) 2}} 4$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad (a+b)(a+b)(a+b)^+ \xrightarrow{\text{at least 3 (n+1)}} 4$$



⑥  $\left[ (a+b)(a+b)(a+b) \right]^* \xrightarrow{\text{Div by 3}} \underline{\underline{\text{min DFA}}} \rightarrow 3 \text{ states}$

⑦  $\left[ (a+b)(a+b) \right]^* (a+b) \xrightarrow{\text{odd}} 2 \text{ states} \checkmark$

⑧  $\left( b^* \textcircled{a} b^* \textcircled{a} b^* \textcircled{a} b^* \textcircled{a} b^* \right) + b^* \xrightarrow{a's \text{ div by 4}} 4$

⑨  $(a+b)^* \textcircled{a} (a+b) \textcircled{a} (a+b) \xrightarrow{2^n} 2^3 = 8 \text{ states}$

⑩  $\underline{(a+b)} \underline{(a+b)} \underline{(a+b)} \textcircled{a} (a+b)^* \xrightarrow{(n+2)} 6 \text{ states}$



$$\textcircled{11} \quad \underline{(a+b)^*} \textcircled{abab} \underline{(a+b)^*} \xrightarrow{\text{Substring } (n+1)} 5 \text{ states}$$

$$\textcircled{12} \quad \underline{(a+b)^*} \underline{ababab} \xrightarrow{(n+1)} (n+1) \text{ states}$$

$$\underline{(a+b)^*} \text{ Ending with } n \text{ length} \longrightarrow (n+1) \text{ states}$$

# Regular Language Detection



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① Regular language Detection

② Pumping Lemma

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③ Closure properties

④ Mealy & Moore Machine

① Every finite language is Regular.

But every infinite language need not be Regular.  
(may or may not be Regular)





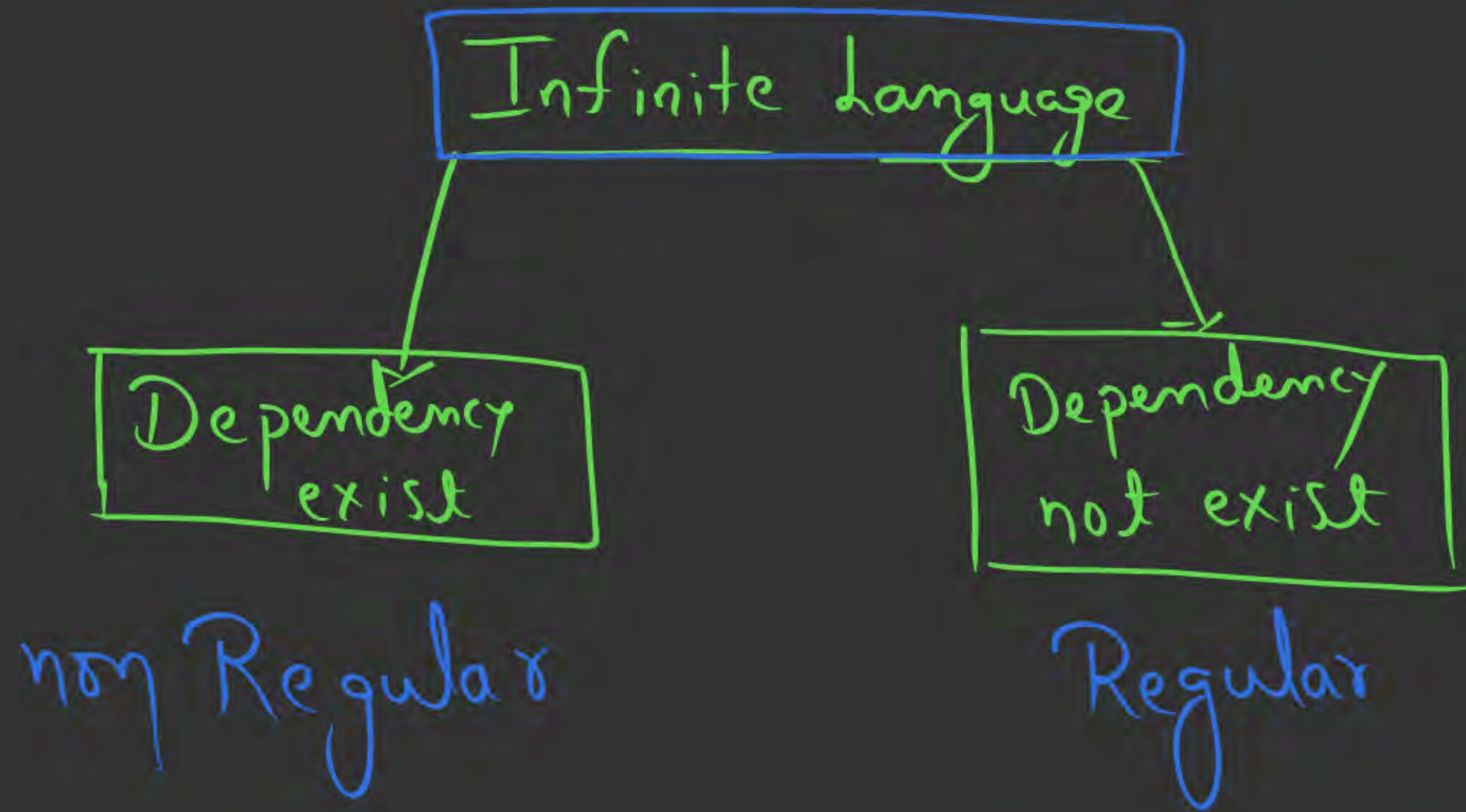
(Q) Which of the following is non Regular?

(a)  $L = \{ \underbrace{a^n}_{\text{brace}} \underbrace{b^n}_{\text{brace}} \underbrace{c^n}_{\text{brace}} \underbrace{d^n}_{\text{brace}} \mid \underbrace{n \leq 100}_{\text{circle}} \} \rightarrow \text{finite lang} \rightarrow \text{Regular} \checkmark$

(b)  $L = \{ a^n b^m \mid (n > m) \text{ and } (n < m) \} = \{ \} \rightarrow \text{Empty lang} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$

(c)  $L = \{ \underbrace{a^{10^{10}}}_{\text{circle}} \} \Rightarrow \{ \epsilon \} \rightarrow \text{finite lang} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$

(d)  $L = \{ \underbrace{a^n}_{\text{arrow}} b^m \mid \begin{matrix} n > m \\ n \geq 1 \end{matrix} \} \xrightarrow{\text{Dependency}} \text{non Regular}$





$\rightarrow \Sigma_{a,b}^*$

① Empty Lang  $\rightarrow$  Regular

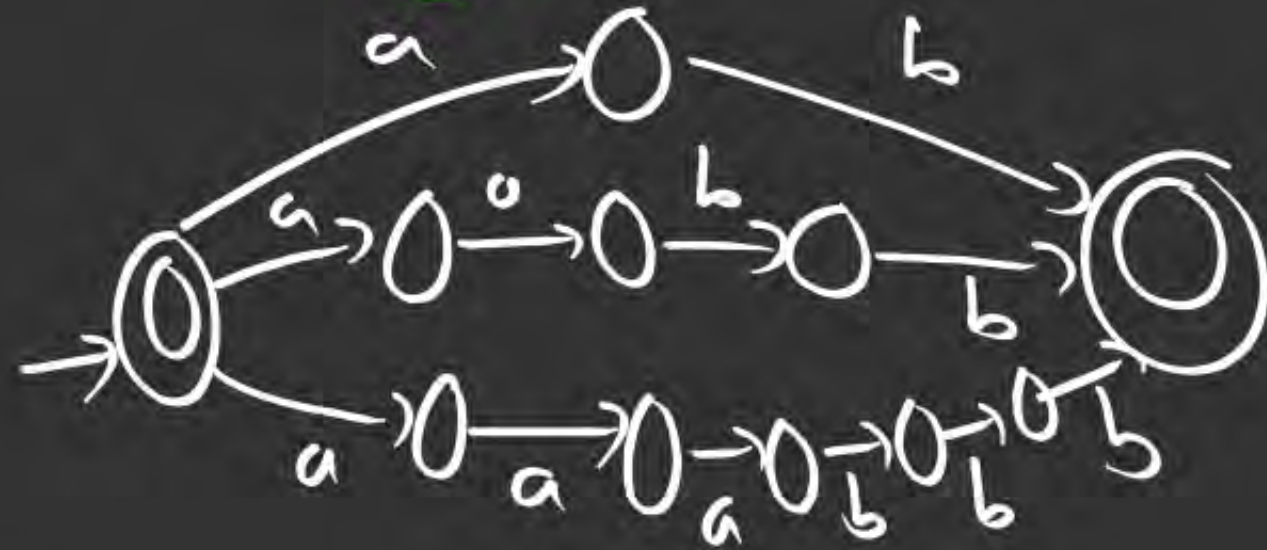
② finite. "  $\rightarrow$  Regular

③ Infinite

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graph LR; A[③ Infinite] --> B((Regular)); A --> C((Non Regular));
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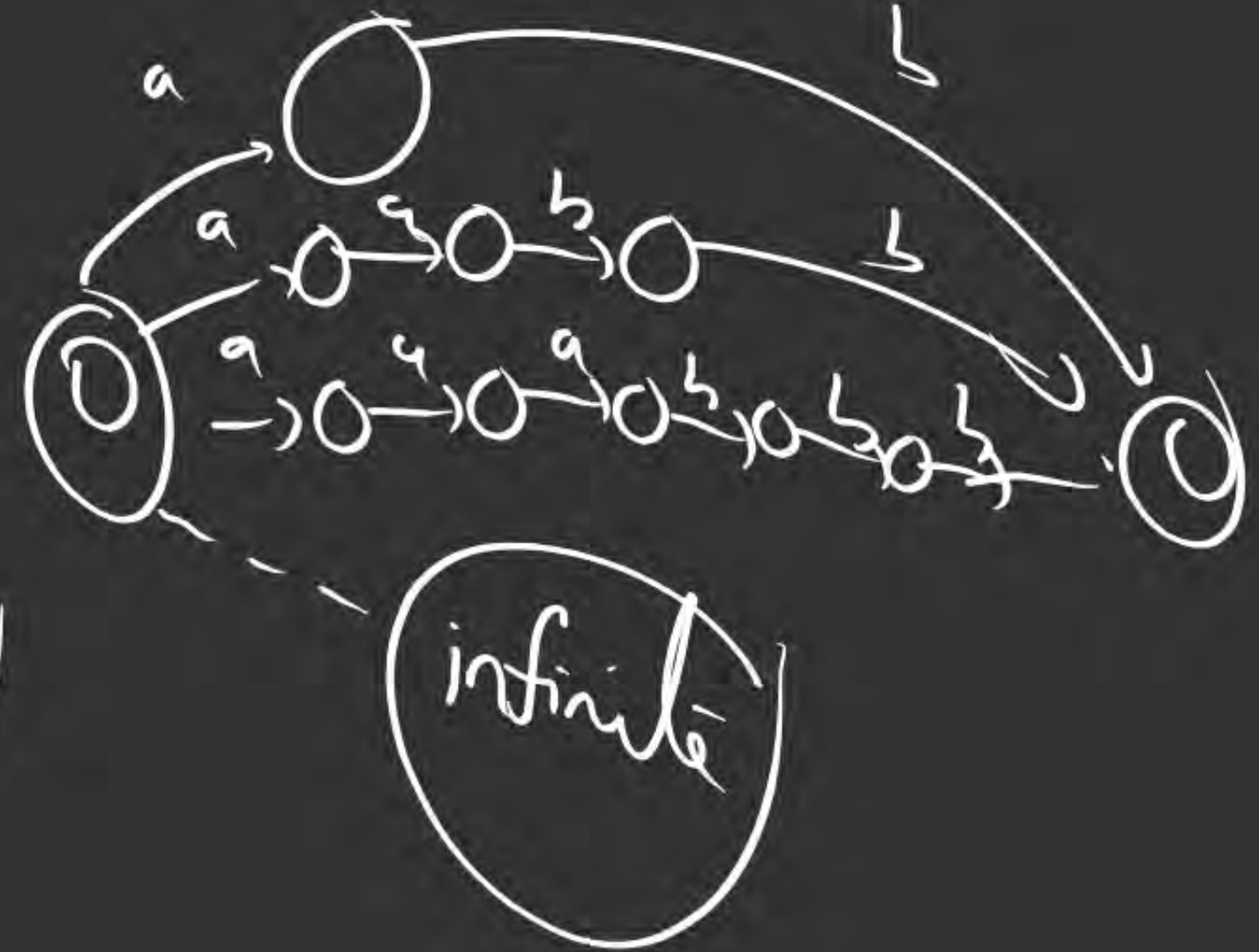
$\{ \epsilon, \underbrace{a}_1, \underbrace{a^2 b^2}_2, \underbrace{a^3 b^3}_3 \}$

$L_1 = \{ \underbrace{a^n}_n \underbrace{b^n}_n \mid n \leq 3 \} = \text{Regular}$



infinite

$\times L_2 = \{ \underbrace{a^n}_n \underbrace{b^n}_n \mid n \geq 1 \} = \text{Non Regular}$







## Topic : Regular Language Detection

Which of these Languages are Regular

1. ✓  $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid 1 \leq n \leq 100\}$   $\xrightarrow{\text{finite}}$  Regular.
2. ✓  $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n + m = 10\}$   $\xrightarrow{\text{finite}}$  Regular
3.  $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n - m = 5\}$   $\xrightarrow{\text{infinite}}$  non Regular
4.  $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n * m = 100\}$   $\xrightarrow{\text{finite}}$  Regular
5.  $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n = 2m + 1\}$   $\xrightarrow{\text{infinite}}$  Non Regular
6.  $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m\}$   $\xrightarrow[\text{Dependency}]{\text{Infinite}}$  Non Regular
7.  $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m\}$   $\xrightarrow[\text{no Dependency}]{\text{Infinite}}$  Regular







$$L = \{ a^n b^m \mid n-m=5 \}$$

$$\{ a^{m+5} b^m \mid m \geq 0 \}$$

Infinite  $\rightarrow$  Dependency } Non Regular





Automata

① DFA, NFA, E-NFA

② DPDA, NPDA

③ Turing machine

Languages

① Regular languages

② Contextfree languages

③ Recursive Enumerable languages

Very Easy

Detection

closure property



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