

CS & IT ENGINEERING



THEORY OF COMPUTATION

✓ Regular Languages

Lecture No. – 02



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Recap of Previous Lecture



Topic

Regular Expression

Topic

Construction of Regular Expression

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DFA States

Topics to be Covered



Topic

Conversion from ϵ NFA to NFA

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① Finite language

Every finite is Regular

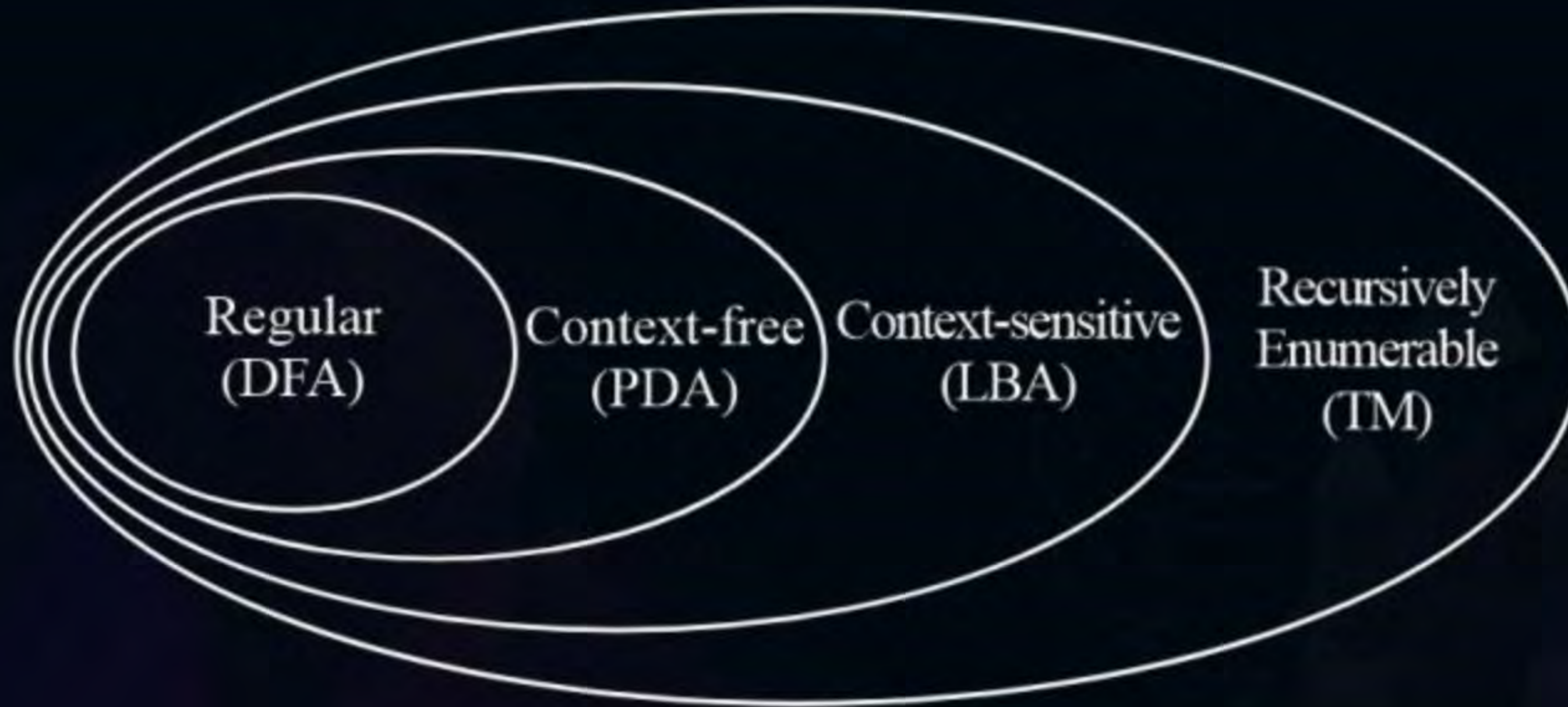
Every Infinite language

→ may be Regular

→ may not be Regular



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Which of these Languages are Regular

1. $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid 1 \leq n \leq 100\}$

2. $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n + m = 10\}$

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. $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n = 2m + 1\}$

6. $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m\}$

7. $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > \text{and}\}$

Infinite language

Dependency
exist

non Regular

Dependency
not exist

Regular



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8. $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m \text{ (or) } n < m\} = \{a^n b^m \mid n \neq m\} = \text{Non Regular}$
9. $L = \{a^n b^m c^{n+m} \mid n, m \geq 1\} \xrightarrow[\text{infinite}]{\text{Dependency}} \text{Non Regular}$
10. $L = \{a^n b^n c^{n+m} \mid n, m \geq 1\} \xrightarrow{\text{Dependency}} \text{Non Regular}$
11. $L = \{a^n b^{2m} c^{3k} \mid n, m, k \geq 0\} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$
12. $L = \{a^n b^{m^2} c^{k^3} \mid n, m, k \geq 1\} \xrightarrow{\text{NO Dependency}} \text{Non Regular}$
13. $L = \{a^n b^{m^2} c^{k^3} \mid n, m, k \geq 1\} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$
14. ~~$L = \left\{ \begin{matrix} a^{2^n} \\ a^{3^n} \end{matrix} \mid n \geq 0 \right\}$~~

(Q) Which of the following is Regular?

(a) $L = \{ a^{m^2} b^{2^n} \mid m, n \geq 1 \}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{No Common diff}}$ Non Regular

(b) $L = \{ a^{n!} b^{m!} c^{k!} \mid m, n, k \geq 1 \}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{No Common diff}}$ Non Regular

(c) $L = \{ a^n b^m c^{m+n} \mid m, n \geq 1 \}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{Dependency}}$ Non Regular

(d) $L = \{ a^n b^m c^k \mid n, m, k \leq 1000 \}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{finite}}$ Regular

$\{ \underline{a^m} \underline{b^{n^2}} \underline{c^{k^3}} \mid m, n, k \geq 0 \}$

 $\xrightarrow{\text{No Common difference in symbol}}$

 $\}$ Non Regular

$L = \{ \overset{\uparrow}{\text{Common diff}} \underline{a^n} \overset{\uparrow}{\underline{b^{2m}}} \overset{\uparrow}{\underline{c^{3k}}} \}$

 \downarrow Common diff

(Q) which of the following is Regular

(a) $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n \geq m \text{ and } n \leq m\} = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$

(b) $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m \text{ (or) } n < m\} = \{a^n b^m \mid n \neq m\}$

~~(c) $L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m \text{ (and) } n < m\} = \{\} = \emptyset$~~

(d) none

(Q) Which of the following is Non Regular

~~(a)~~ $L = \{ \underline{a}^n \underline{b}^m \mid (n+m) \text{ is even} \} = (\underline{aa})^* (\underline{bb})^* + \underline{a} (\underline{aa})^* \underline{b} (\underline{bb})^*$

~~(b)~~ $L = \{ a^n b^m \mid (n+m) \text{ is odd} \} = (aa)^* b (bb)^* + a (aa)^* (bb)^*$

(c) $L = \{ a^n b^m \mid n = m^2 \} = \{ \overset{m^2}{\underbrace{a \dots a}} b^m \}$ Dependency } Non Regular

(d) $L = \{ \overset{2m}{\underbrace{a \dots a}} \overset{3n}{\underbrace{b \dots b}} \mid n, m \geq 1 \} \rightarrow \text{no dependency} \}$ Regular



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1 Symbol

15. $L = \{a^{n^3} \mid n \geq 1\} \rightarrow \{a^1, a^{2^3}, a^{3^3}, a^{4^3} \dots\} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$
16. $L = \{a^{n^n} \mid n \geq 1\} \rightarrow \{a^1, a^{2^2}, a^{3^3} \dots\} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$
17. $L = \{a^{2^n} \mid n \geq 0\} \rightarrow \{a^{2^0}, a^{2^1}, a^{2^2}, a^{2^3} \dots\} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$
18. $L = \{a^{100^{100^{100}}} \mid \} \rightarrow \{1\} = \text{finite} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$
19. $L = \{(a^p)^* \mid p \text{ is prime number}\} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$
20. $L = \{a^p \mid p \text{ is prime number}\} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$

(Q) Which of the following is Non Regular?

(a) $L = \{a^k \mid k \text{ is even number}\} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$
 $\{a^0, a^2, a^4, a^6, \dots\}$

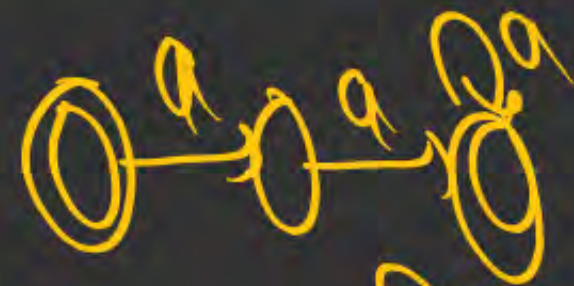
(b) $L = \{a^m \mid m \text{ is odd number}\} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$
 $\{a^1, a^3, a^5, \dots\}$

(c) $L = \{(a^p)^* \mid p \text{ is prime number}\}$

$\{(a^2)^*, (a^3)^*, (a^5)^*, (a^7)^*, \dots\}$

~~(d) none~~

$\{\epsilon, a^2, a^3, a^4, a^5, a^6, a^7, a^8, a^9, \dots\} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$



(Q) Which of the following is Regular?

(a) $L = \{ a^n \mid n \geq 1 \} = \{ a^1, a^2, a^6, a^{24} \dots \} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$

(b) $L = \{ a^{n^{n^2}} \mid n \geq 1 \} \rightarrow \{ a^1, a^{2^2}, a^{3^3}, a^{4^4} \dots \} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$

~~(c) Regular~~ $L = \{ a^{m^n} \mid \boxed{m > n}, \boxed{n \geq 1} \} = \{ a^{\underline{m}} \} \cup \{ a^{\underline{m}^2} \} \cup \{ a^{\underline{m}^3} \} \dots$

(a at)



(Q) which of the following is Regular?

(a) $L = \{1, 2, 4, 8, 16, \dots, 2^n, \dots\} = \{2^n \mid n \geq 0\}$ \rightarrow Non Regular
all these numbers written in Unary

(b) $L = \{1, 2, 4, 8, 16, \dots, 2^n, \dots\}$ \rightarrow Regular
all these numbers written in binary

(c) $L = \{2^n \mid n \geq 0\} \rightarrow$ Non Regular.

(d) none

Unary { 1, 11, 111, 1111, 11111, ... } = No Common diff } Non Reg

binary { 1, 2, 4, 8, ... }

10000

00010

100000





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21. $L = \{a^k \mid k \text{ is even number}\} \rightarrow \text{Regular}$

22. $L = \{\underbrace{ww^R}_{\text{palindrome}} \mid w \in (a+b)^*\} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$

23. $L = \{ww^R \mid \cancel{w \in \{a, b\}^*}\}$

24. $L = \{wbw^R \mid w \in \{a\}^*\}$

25. $L = \{x \mid x \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ } n_a(x) \bmod 3 = n_b(x) \bmod 2\}$

26. $L = \{x \mid x \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ } n_a(x) \bmod 2 > n_b(x) \bmod 3\}$

27. $L = \{x \mid x \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ } n_a(x) \bmod 3 \neq n_b(x) \bmod 3\}$

28. $L = \{x \mid x \in \{a, b, c\}^* \text{ } n_a(x) \neq n_b(x)\}$

Palindrome Language

$$L = \left\{ \underline{W} \underline{W}^R \right\}_{W \in \Sigma^*}$$

$\textcircled{\text{nit}} + \textcircled{\text{in}}$
 $W \quad W^R$

$\textcircled{\text{malay}} \textcircled{\text{alam}}$
 $W \quad W^R$

$$L = \left\{ \underbrace{W W^R}_{\text{Dependency}} \right\} \quad \begin{array}{l} W \in (a)^* \rightarrow \text{Regular} \\ W \in (a+b)^* \rightarrow \text{Non Regular} \end{array}$$

$$\textcircled{1} L = \{ \underline{w} \underline{w}^R \mid w \in (b)^* \} = \{ \epsilon, bb, b^4, b^6, \dots \} = (bb)^* \rightarrow \underline{\text{Regular}} \checkmark$$

$$\textcircled{2} L = \{ w \underline{x} w^R \mid w \in \{a\}^* \} = \{ x, axa, aaxaa, \underbrace{a^3 x a^3}_{\text{green}}, \underbrace{a^4 x a^4}_{\text{green}}, \dots \} \begin{matrix} \text{Non} \\ \text{Regul} \end{matrix}$$

$$\textcircled{3} L = \{ \underline{w} \underline{w}^R \mid w \in (a+b)^* \} = \{ \epsilon, aa, ab, abba, \underbrace{baab}_{\text{blue}}, \dots \} \begin{matrix} \text{Non} \\ \text{Regular} \end{matrix}$$

$$\textcircled{4} L = \{ w \underline{x} w^R \mid w \in (a+b)^* \} = \{ x, \underbrace{ab x ba}_{\text{blue}}, \underbrace{abba x baab}_{\text{blue}}, \dots \} \underline{\underline{\text{Non Regular}}}$$

$$\textcircled{5} L = \left\{ \underbrace{\substack{a \\ b}}_{\substack{a \\ b}} \underline{w} \underbrace{x}_{(a+b)^*} \underline{w}^R \right\} = \boxed{a(a+b)^* a + b(a+b)^* b} \} \underline{\underline{\text{Regular}}} \checkmark$$

$$\textcircled{1} L = \{ \overset{\epsilon}{w} \overset{\epsilon}{w}^R x \mid w, x \in (a+b)^* \} \rightarrow (a+b)^* \rightarrow \text{Regular}$$

$$\textcircled{2} L = \{ \overset{\epsilon}{w} x \overset{\epsilon}{w}^R \mid w, x \in (a+b)^* \} \rightarrow (a+b)^* \rightarrow \text{Regular}$$

$$\textcircled{3} L = \{ \overset{(a+b)^* \cup \dots}{x} \overset{\epsilon}{w} \overset{\epsilon}{w}^R \mid w, x \in (a+b)^* \} \rightarrow (a+b)^* \rightarrow \text{Regular}$$

$$\textcircled{4} L = \{ \underbrace{w}_\curvearrowright w \mid w \in (a+b)^* \} = \{ \epsilon, aa, bb, \underbrace{abab}_{\curvearrowright}, baba, \dots \} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$$

$$\textcircled{5} L = \{ wxw \mid w, x \in (a+b)^* \} = (a+b)^* \rightarrow \text{Regular}$$

$$\textcircled{6} L = \{ \underbrace{wxw}_{\curvearrowright} \mid w \in (a+b)^* \} \rightarrow \text{Dependency} \rightarrow \text{Non Regular}$$

Home Work

$$\textcircled{1} L = \{ WW^R X \mid W, X \in (a+b)^+ \}$$

$$\textcircled{2} L = \{ X WW^R \mid W, X \in (a+b)^+ \}$$

$$\textcircled{3} L = \{ WWX \mid W, X \in (a+b)^+ \}$$

$$\textcircled{4} L = \{ WXW^R \mid W, X \in (a+b)^+ \}$$

$$\textcircled{5} L = \{ WW^R WW^R \mid W \in (a+b)^+ \}$$

$$\{ \underline{W} \otimes W^R \} = (a+b)^*$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \underline{W} = \epsilon \\ W = a \\ W = b \end{array} \right\} \cup \left. \begin{array}{l} \epsilon (a+b)^* \epsilon = (a+b)^* \\ \cup \\ \cup \end{array} \right\}$$

$$(a+b)^*$$

$$(a+b)^* \cup \underline{a^*} b^* = (a+b)^*$$

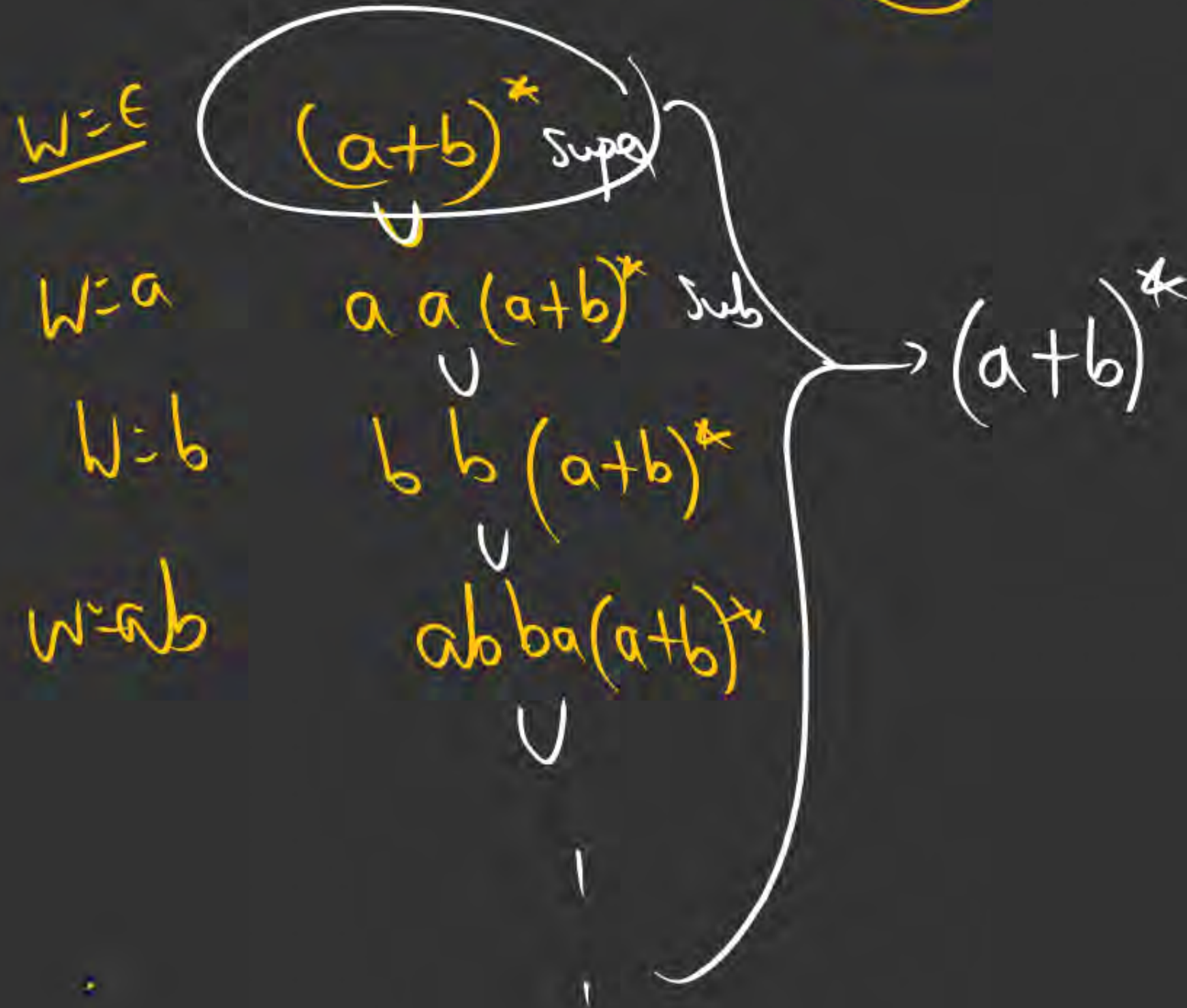
$$\{ w w^R \mid w, x \in (a+b)^* \} = \boxed{(a+b)^*}$$

Super

$$\underline{(a^*)} + a = a^*$$

$$a^* \cdot a = a^+$$

$$\underline{(a^*)} \cup \underline{(a^*)} = a^*$$





2 mins Summary



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One

Topic

Two

Topic

Three

Topic

Four

Topic

Five



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