

# AUTOMATA Assignment - 1

2022115001

1.

To prove

Given: (i) There is a language L.

(ii) L has finite no. of strings

To Prove : L is a regular language.

Proof:

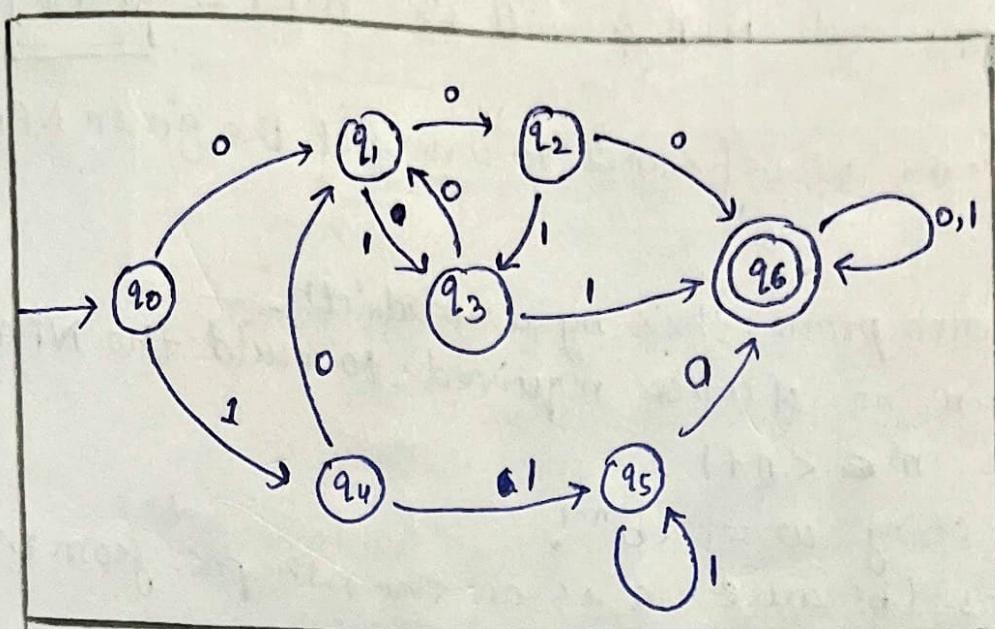
- If L is a finite language, i.e. it contains finite no. of strings. (say n)
- Let these strings be  $\{l_0, l_1, \dots, l_{n-1}\}$
- The language containing  $L' = \{l_i\}$ , s.t.  $l_i = \text{a single literal string } \forall i \in \{0, \dots, n\}$  is regular.
- We know that the union of a finite no. of regular languages is a regular language.
- Thus,  
$$L = \{l_0\} \cup \{l_1\} \cup \{l_2\} \cup \dots \cup \{l_{n-1}\}$$
$$L = \{l_0, l_1, \dots, l_{n-1}\}$$
 is regular.

Hence, proved.

Q. Language  $L = \{w \mid \text{a length 3 substring of } w \text{ is div. by 3}\}$   
 Alphabet  $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$

possible substrings =  $\underbrace{(000)}_0, \underbrace{(011)}_3, \underbrace{(110)}_6$

Thus, our DFA should reach the final stage only in case one of these substrings are detected.



	Binary Rep
0	000
1	001
2	010
3	011
4	100
5	101
6	110
7	111
8	
9	

fig. DFA for the given language ( $M$ )

The above DFA can also be represented as:

$(Q, \Sigma, S, q_0, q_6)$

thus, since there exists a finite automata ( $M$ ) that recognizes  $L$ , thus,  $L$  is a regular language.

3.  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$      $L(M) = \{w \mid w \text{ has an 'a' at } n^{\text{th}} \text{ pos. from end}\}$

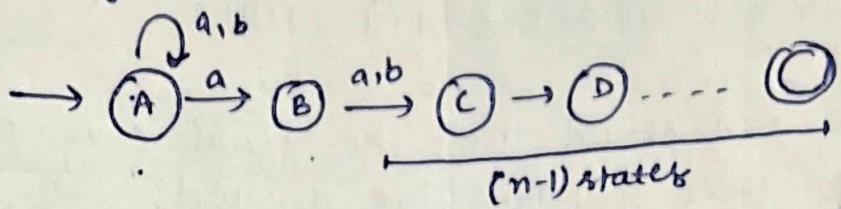
(a) The Reg. Expression for the language ( $L$ ) would be :-

$$\cancel{(a+b)^*} \cancel{a} \underline{a (a+b)^{n-1}}$$

$$R = (a+b)^* \cdot a (a+b)^{n-1}$$

(b)

NFA for L,



Thus, the minimum/number of states needed to make the required NFA will be  $n-1+2 = \boxed{n+1}$ .

To prove: Min. no. of states to construct the given NFA is  $(n+1)$ .

Proof: We will prove this by contradiction.

- Let the min. no. of states required to build the NFA be  $n'$  s.t.  $n' < n+1$ .
- Assume a string  $w = ab^{n-1}$ .  
Clearly,  $w \in L$  (because 'a' is on the  $n^{\text{th}}$  pos. from the end).
- we start reading the string till we read it's length ( $n$ ) completely.
- The first  $(n-2)$  b's would lead to a state in the first  $(n-1)$  states. ~~as each transition requires one state~~
- we know that each transition requires two states. Thus, for  $ab^{n-2} \Rightarrow (n-1)$  transitions we require  $(n-1+1)$  states  $\Rightarrow n$  states or  $(n'=n)$   
and thus, the  $(n-1)^{\text{th}}$  b (last 'b') would need another state but our assumption was that  $n' < (n+1)$  causes this transition to fail. Thus  $w$  won't be accepted by the NFA.
- Thus, our assumption that  $n' < n+1$  is wrong as it doesn't satisfy the NFA.

Thus, min<sup>m</sup> no. of states required for the NFA is  $n+1$ .

4.

Let  $A = \{a, b, c, \dots, z\}$  be the set of English alphabets

Thus,

the required Reg Ex is:

$$A^* (h@y + \epsilon) A^* h@y (\{research@y + h students@y\} + \epsilon) \\ (hiiit.ac.in@y)$$

## Right Grammar

Task :- Converting Regular Expression into right linear grammar.

Algo. :- The following steps can be followed to convert a RegEx into a right linear grammar.

NOTE :- f, g are terminals,  $S = \text{start state}$ ,  $RG = \text{right linear grammar}$

(a) single Terminal : If the RegEx is simply  $f$ , we can write  $G_1$ , with only one production rule  $S \rightarrow e$  (where  $s$  is the start symbol), is an equivalent R.G.

(b) Union operation : If the RegEx is of form  $f + g$ , we can write  $G_1$  with two rules of production,  $S \rightarrow f$ ,  $S \rightarrow g$ , is an equivalent RG.

(c) Concatenation : If the RegEx is of form  $gf$ , we can write  $G_1$  with two rules of production,  $S \rightarrow Ag$ ,  $A \rightarrow f$ , is an equivalent R.G.

(d) Star Closure : If the RegEx is of form  $g^*$  ( $*$  is the Kleene star closure operatn), the rules in  $G_1$  will be,  $S \rightarrow gS | \epsilon$ , is an equivalent R.G.  $\epsilon$  = epsilon.

(e) Star Closure on Concatenation : If the RegEx is of form  $(gf)^*$ , the  $G_1$  will have 3 rules of production,  $S \rightarrow gA | \epsilon$ ,  $A \rightarrow fS$ . is an equivalent R.G.

(f) Star Closure on Union : If the RegEx is of the form  $(g+f)^*$ , There will be three rules of production in  $G_1$ ,  $S \rightarrow gS | fS | \epsilon$ , is an equivalent R.G.

(g) Plus Closure : If the RegEx is of the form  $g^+$ , we can write two production rules in  $G_1$ ,  $S \rightarrow gS | g$ , is an equivalent R.G.

(h) Plus closure on Union : If the RegEx is of form  $(g+f)^+$ , then there are 4 production rules in  $G_1$ ,  $S \rightarrow gS | fS | g | f$

(2) Plus closure on concatenation : Rules of products  $G$ ,  $S \rightarrow eA, A \rightarrow fS$

AB  
an equal  
RH

Operation	Regular Expression	Right-Linear Grammar
Single Terminal	$g$	$S \rightarrow g$
Union	$g + f$	$S \rightarrow g   f$
Concatenation	$gf$	$S \rightarrow gA, A \rightarrow f$
Star closure	$g^*$	$S \rightarrow gs   \epsilon$
Star closure on Concatenation	$(gf)^*$	$S \rightarrow gA   \epsilon, A \rightarrow fS$
Star closure on Union	$(g+f)^*$	$S \rightarrow gs   fs   \epsilon$
Plus closure	$g^+$	$S \rightarrow gs   g$
Plus closure on union	$(g+f)^+$	$S \rightarrow gs   fs   g   f$
Plus closure on concatenation	$(gf)^+$	$S \rightarrow gA, A \rightarrow fS, f$

6.

(a)  $A = \{ \text{bits}(n) \mid n \text{ is a perfect square} \}$

$\text{bits}(n)$  = binary string rep. of no.  $n$ .

- Assume  $A$  is a regular language
- By pumping lemma, let ' $p$ ' be the pumping length and let  $w \in \text{bits}(n)$  i.e.  $w \in A$  s.t.  $|w| \geq p$ ;  $|w| = \text{perfect square}$
- According to pumping lemma,  $w$  can be divided into 3 parts i.e.  $w = xyz$  s.t.
  - (a)  $|xy| \leq p$
  - (b)  $|y| \geq 1$
  - (c)  $xy^iz \in A \quad \forall i \geq 0$

$|w| = p^2$

let  $i=2 \Rightarrow |x y^2 z|$

$x + y^2 + z = \text{perfect square}$

$y^2 \geq p$   
 $y^2 + 1 \geq p$

Q. (b)

$$L = \{a^p \mid p \text{ is prime no.}\}$$

Assumptn: L is a regular language

- If L is a regular language, thus, it will satisfy the pumping lemma.

Let 'p' be the pumping length of the pumping lemma.

Let a string  $s = a^p$  where  $p$  is a prime no.  $\exists 181 \geq p - ①$

thus, the pumping lemma is satisfied (from ①) and s can be divided into 3 parts,

$$s = xyz$$

According to the Lemma,

(i)  $|xy| \leq p$

(ii)  $|y| \geq 1$

(iii)  $xyz^i \in L \quad \forall i \geq 0$

For s,

$$x = a^\alpha \quad \alpha \geq 0$$

$$y = a^B \quad B \geq 1$$

$$\cancel{p} - \alpha - B$$

$$z = a^0$$

6(b)  
cont.

$$\therefore xy^iz = a^\alpha a^{\beta i} a^{p-\alpha-\beta}$$

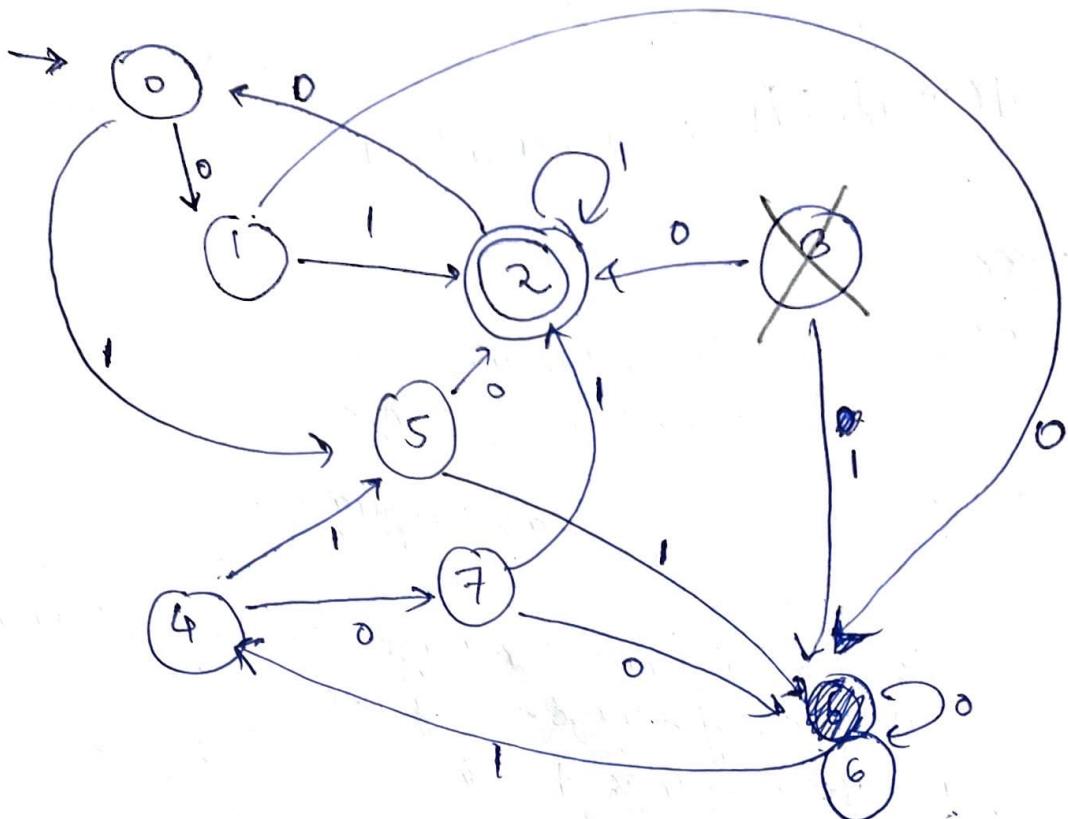
$$xy^i z = a^{p+(i-1)\beta}$$

Let  $i = p+1$  ;  $s' = \cancel{a} a^{p+(p+1)\beta} = a^{p(1+\beta)}$

;  $s' \in L$   
from (c) of  
Lemma.

However, we can clearly see that  $p(1+\beta)$  is not a prime no. (as  $\beta \geq 1$ ). ~~thus~~  $\therefore s' \notin L$ . This contradicts the lemma.  
Thus, our assumption is wrong.

Thus,  $L$  is not a regular language.



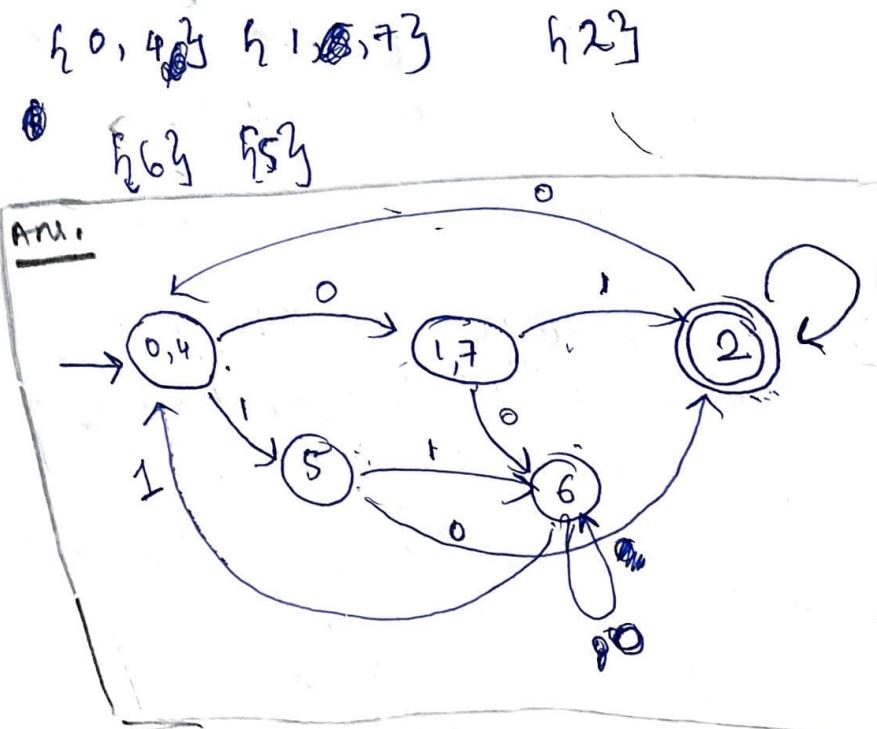
Step-1: As clearly seen, <sup>state</sup> node 3 has no incoming arrows thus, it can never be reached. we will remove state 3.

Step-2: ~~for~~:

$\{0, 1, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$   
non-final states

$\{2\}$   
final states

	0	1
0	1	5
1	6	2
4	7	5
5	2	6
7	6	2
2	0	2
6	6	4

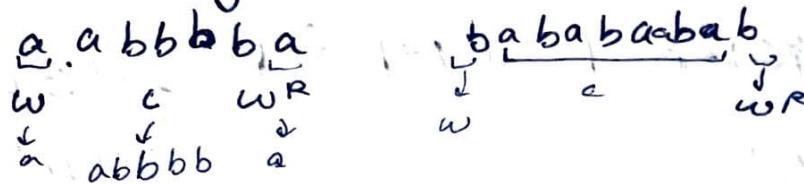


$$a^+ = \{a, aa, \dots\}$$

$$\text{Language}(L) = \{w c w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+\}$$

~~wcw<sup>R</sup>~~  $w^R$  = reverse of string  $w$ .

Ex. Let string be,



As we can see, each time it is possible to select a  $c$  of maxm length s.t. the parts on its right and left are  $w, w^R$  respectively.

Thus, the to all such strings of form  $w c w^R$  will be accepted.

Thus, the language L is regular.

The regular expression for the language can be given by,

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

$$\text{OR- } ((a(a+b)^* a) + (b(a+b)^* b))$$

g. (a) Grammar:

$$G_1 = S \rightarrow Sa \mid aS \mid a$$

counter example: "aaa"

Derivation for aaa :-

$$\hookrightarrow ① S \rightarrow Sa \rightarrow aSa \rightarrow aaa$$

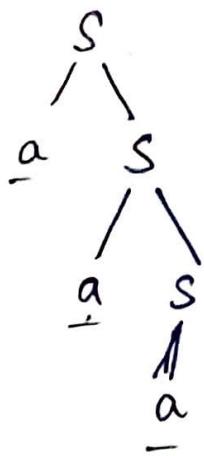


Fig ②

$$\hookrightarrow ② S \rightarrow aS \rightarrow aaS \rightarrow aaa$$

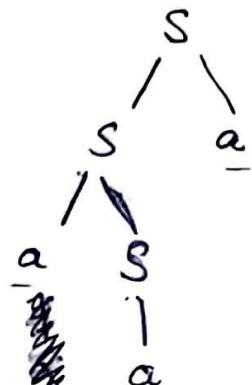


Fig ①

(b) Grammar:

$$G_2 = S \rightarrow SS \mid a \mid b$$

counter example : "aba"

Derivation for aba :-

$$\hookrightarrow ① S \rightarrow SS \rightarrow Sa \rightarrow SSA \rightarrow aba$$

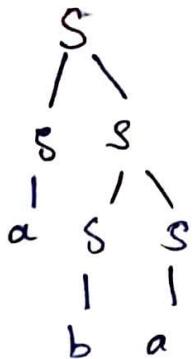


Fig ②

$$\hookrightarrow ② S \rightarrow SS \rightarrow aS \rightarrow aSS \rightarrow aba$$

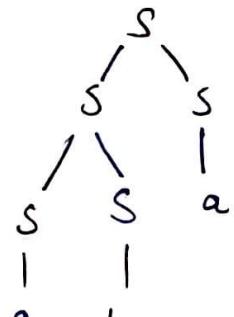


Fig ①

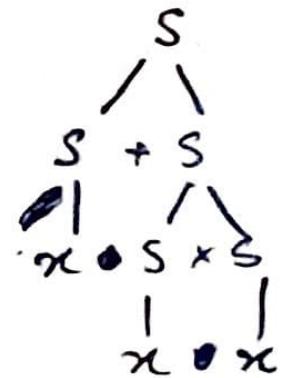


(c) Grammar:

$$G = S \rightarrow S+S \mid S \times S \mid x$$

Counter example: "x+x+x"

Derivation for x+x+x:



- ①  $S \rightarrow S+S \rightarrow S+x+S+S \rightarrow x+x+x$
- ②  $S \rightarrow S \times S \rightarrow S+S \times Sx \rightarrow x+x+x$

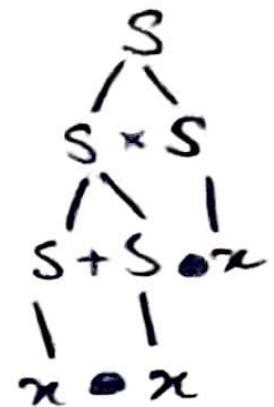


Fig. 1

" for all the three parts (a), (b) (c)  $\exists w \in L(G)$  s.t.  
 there are two or more parse trees for w.  
 Thus, all the three grammars given above are ambiguous

Fig. 2

10.

21/2

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

$$L = \{0^n 1^m \mid n \leq m \leq 2n\}$$

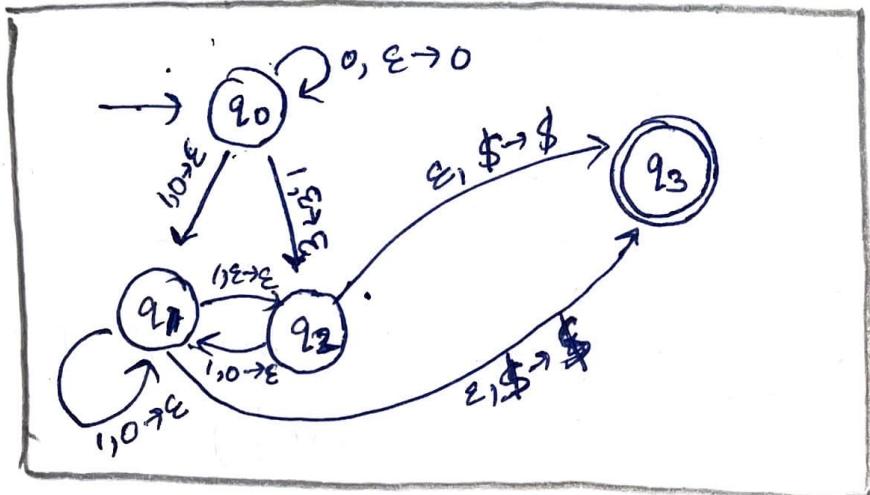
- (a) We know for a fact that the language, ~~(0<sup>n</sup>1<sup>n</sup>)~~ all strings of this form are contained in L. Thus, L is also not a regular language.  
 $\therefore L$  is a context free language.

(b) Grammars for L :-

$$S \rightarrow 0S1 \mid 0S11 \mid \epsilon$$

(c) PDA (Push Down Automata) :-

Assumptn:- stack is initially empty. Thus,  $\epsilon$  is already pushed into the stack



\$ = indicates an empty stack

where,

$a, b \xrightarrow{c}$  indicates when a is read & bit popped, then c is pushed into the stack.

11.

Given: Language  $L = \{w \mid w \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \text{ and } w \equiv 2 \pmod{3}\}$   
 $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$

To prove:  $L$  is a regular language (draw a DFA).

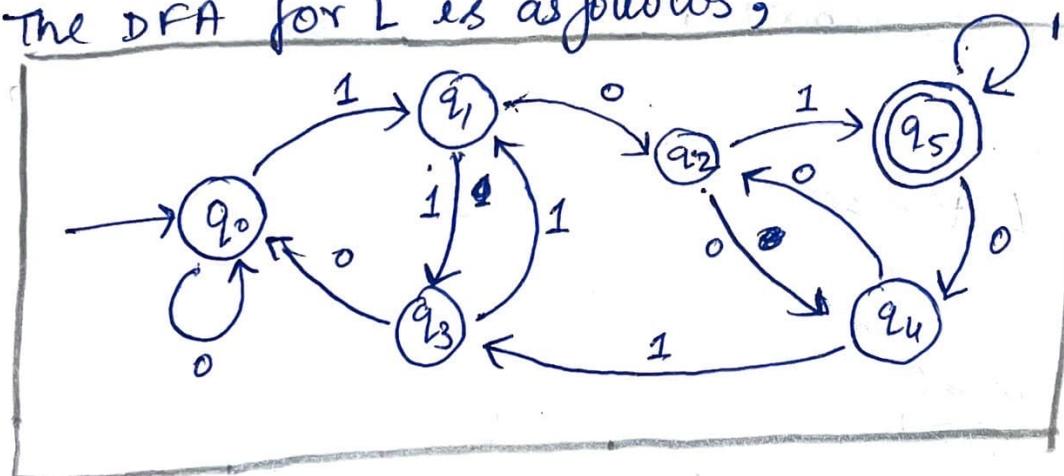
Proof:

As given,  $L$  contains those numbers which on being divided by 2 leave remainder 1 and on being divided by 3 leave remainder 2. Thus, this is equivalent to saying that it is a collection of those numbers that leave remainder 5 on being divided by 6.

i.e.,

$$L = \{w \mid w \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \text{ and } w \equiv 2 \pmod{3}\} \Leftrightarrow L = \{w \mid w \equiv 5 \pmod{6}\}$$

The DFA for  $L$  is as follows;



where  
 $q_i \Rightarrow$  remainder obtained is  
'of' (for the  
part of  
the string read  
till the point)

As a DFA can be drawn which accepts  $w$  ( $w \in L$ ) thus, the  
Accepted DFA can be drawn language  $L$  is regular.

Derivation of the DFA:

r = remainder

Let  $w$  s.t.  $w \bmod 6 = 0 \ (q_0)$

$$w_0 \rightarrow 2 \times w \cdot 0 \Rightarrow r=0 \ (q_0)$$

$$w_1 \rightarrow 2w + 1 \Rightarrow r=1 \ (q_1)$$

$$w_{10} \rightarrow 2w_0(w_1) \Rightarrow r=2 \ (q_2)$$

$\oplus \Rightarrow 2(w_0) + 2$

$$w_{11} \rightarrow 2w_0 + 1 \Rightarrow r=3 \ (q_3)$$

$$w_{100} \rightarrow 2(10) \oplus \rightarrow r=4 \ (q_4)$$

$\rightarrow p_{100}$

$$w_{101} \rightarrow 2w_0 + 1 \Rightarrow r=5 \ (q_5)$$

shows  
that from  
 $q_2$  if we read  
1 we go to  $q_5$   
(as also shown in DFA)

∴ similarly, all the transitions of the DFA can be explained.