

Module 5

Introduction to Turing Machine.

Problems that Computer Cannot Solve.

The Turing Machine, Problems

* We know that, the language Accepted by finite Automata is called as a Regular Language.

$FA \rightarrow RL$

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The language Accepted by Push Down Automata is called as Context-free Language

$PDA \rightarrow CFL$

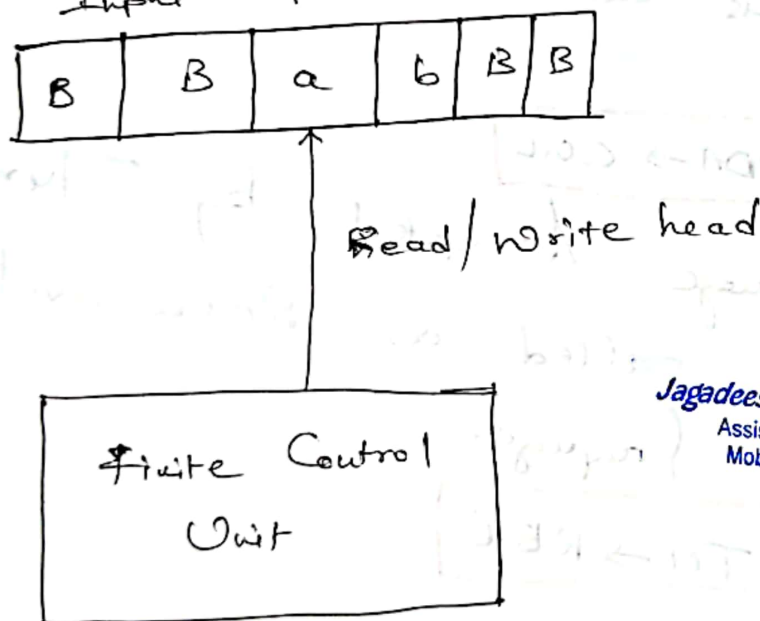
The language Accepted by Turing Machine is called as Recursively Enumerable Language.

$TM \rightarrow REL$

What is the need of TM?

- * The Problem with finite Automata, is that, finite Automata has a finite Memory.
- * The problem with PDA is that, PDA can recognize only Simple Languages.
- * Hence if we want to accept Complex Languages, then we need to go for Turing Machine.

* Below Shows the Model of TM.



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Model of Turing Machine

* Any Turing Machine contains three components viz

→ Input tape

→ Read/Write head

→ Finite Control Unit

→ Input Tape

* Input Tape is divided into number of cells, where each cell can store only one symbol at a time.

* The size of the input tape is infinite.

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→ Read/Write head

* By using Read/Write head, we can perform either Read operation (or) Write operation.

* At a time we can perform either Read operation / Write operation.

* With the help of we can move either to-left.

Read/Write head
Left to - Right / Right to - Left

→ Finite Control Unit
* It contains all the state present in the machine.

Formal Definition of Turing Machine

* A Turing Machine is defined with k -tuples with

$$A = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, B, F)$$

where

$Q \rightarrow$ is the Non-Empty Finite set of states.

$\Sigma \rightarrow$ is the Non-Empty finite set of input alphabets

$\Gamma \rightarrow$ is the Input tape Stack alphabet. ($\Sigma \subseteq \Gamma$)

$q_0 \rightarrow$ Initial State / Start state.

$F \rightarrow$ Final / Accept state.

$\delta \rightarrow$ is the transition function

$$Q \times \Gamma \rightarrow Q \times \Gamma \times \{L, R\}$$

* Recursive Enumerable Language (REL) mainly consists of \geq states viz, Accept & Halt, Reject & Halt, loop (or) Never halt

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Problems on TM

1) Design a Turing Machine for the Language
 $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$

(Ans) Step 1: Let $n=2$, String = ~~a~~~~a~~~~b~~~~b~~
 $\begin{matrix} x & x & y & y \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 4 \end{matrix}$

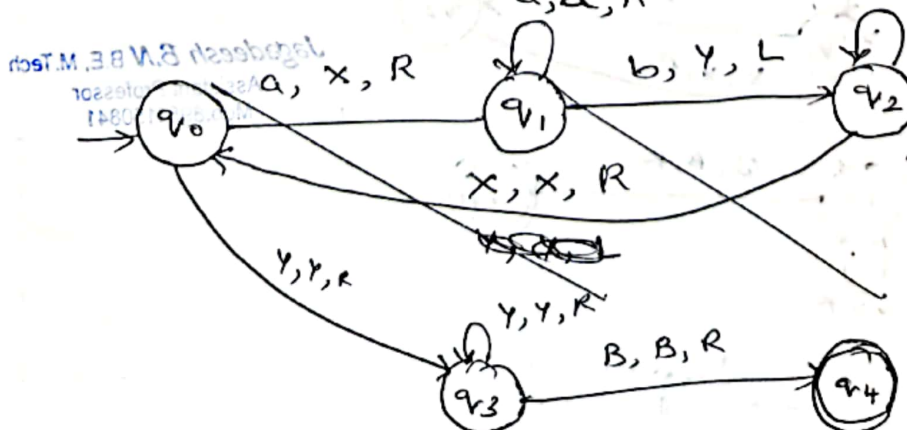
Logic here is that if the i/p string a is read it will be replaced by x and it moves Right R until it finds b, it finds b, replace it by y and move towards left until it find x, then once again it moves left, and replace a by x and move towards Right, if it encounters y, then move towards right, if it encounters b, then it is replaced by y and so on.

Let $n=3$...

B	B	a	a	a	b	b	b	B	B
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 ...
 $\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \end{matrix}$
 Read/write head.

Step 2 :-



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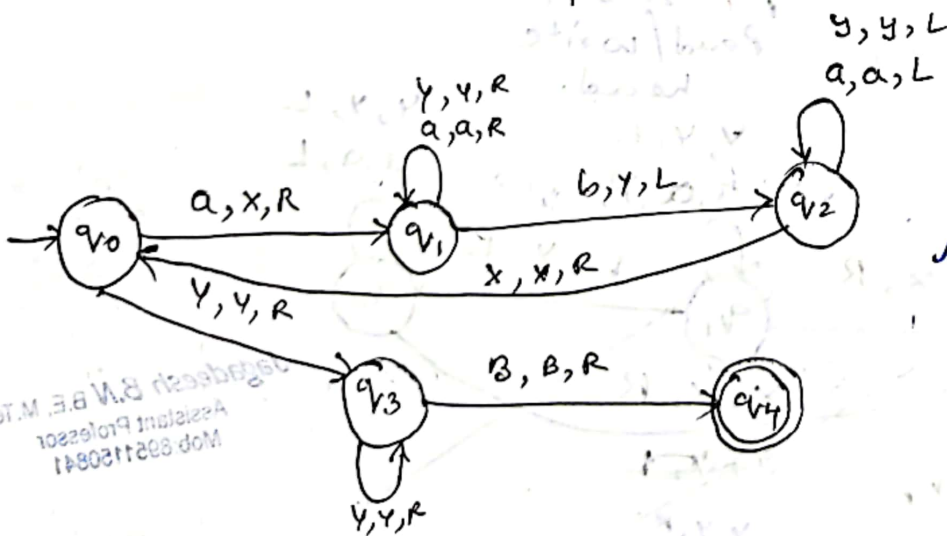
Below

Shows the Turing Machine

Table.

		X	X	X	Y	Y	Y	
...	B	a	a	a	b	b	b	B

States	a	b	x	y	B
q_0	(q_1, x, R)			(q_3, y, R)	
q_1	(q_1, a, R)	(q_2, y, L)		(q_1, y, R)	
q_2	(q_2, a, L)		(q_0, x, R)	(q_2, y, L)	
q_3				(q_3, y, R)	(q_4, B, R)
q_4					

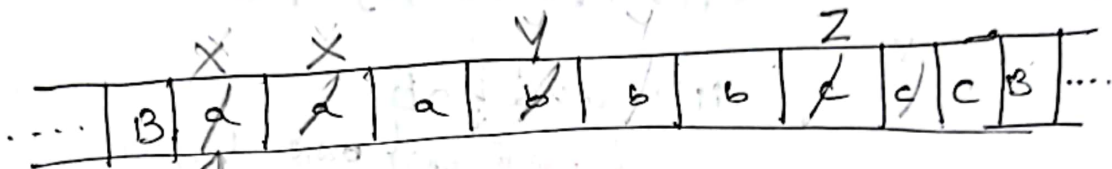


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Transition diagram

(2) Construct a Turing machine to accept $L = \{ a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 1 \}$

Step 1:- Consider a language $L = \{ abc, aabbcc, aaabbbccc, \dots \}$



Step 2:- Construct the Turing machine

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States	a	b	c	x	y	z	B
q_0	(q_1, X, R)				(q_1, Y, R)		
q_1	(q_1, a, R)	(q_2, Y, R)			(q_1, Y, R)		
q_2		(q_2, b, R)	(q_3, Z, L)			(q_2, Z, R)	
q_3	(q_3, a, L)	(q_3, b, L)		(q_0, X, R)	(q_3, Y, L)	(q_3, Z, L)	
q_4					(q_4, Y, R)	(q_4, Z, R)	(q_5, B, R)
q_5							

(3) Design a Turing Machine that accepts all palindromes over $\{a, b\}$

(Ans) ~~abba~~ $\langle i \rangle$ $\begin{matrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 2 \\ b & b & b & b \end{matrix}$ } Even length
Step 1:- $\langle ii \rangle$ $\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 5 & 6 & 4 & 1 \\ b & b & b & b & b & b \end{matrix}$ } palindrome
 $\langle iii \rangle$ $\begin{matrix} 1 & 3 & 5 & 4 & 2 \\ b & b & b & b & b \end{matrix}$
 $\langle iv \rangle$ $\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 5 & 4 & 2 \\ b & b & b & b & b \end{matrix}$ } odd length
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 F

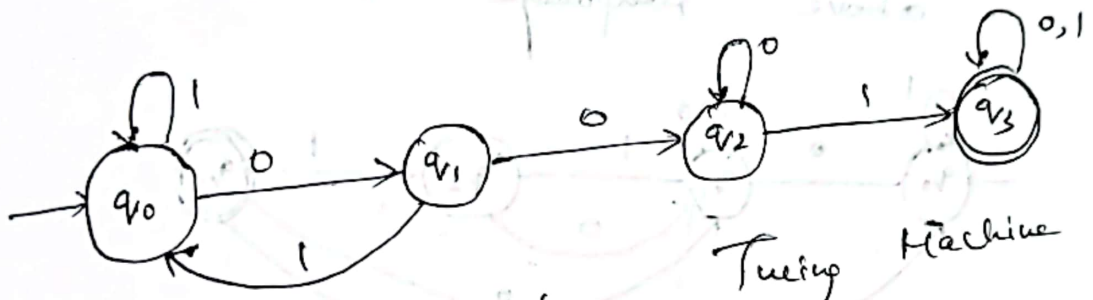
Step 2:- Construct the Turing Machine table,

States	a	b	B
q_0	(q_1, B, R)	(q_4, B, R)	(q_6, B, R)
q_1	(q_1, a, R)	(q_1, b, R)	(q_2, B, L)
q_2	(q_3, B, L)	(q_3, B, L)	(q_6, B, R)
q_3	(q_3, a, L)	(q_3, b, L)	(q_0, B, R)
q_4	(q_4, a, R)	(q_4, b, R)	(q_5, B, L)
q_5	(q_4, B, L)	(q_3, B, L)	(q_6, B, R)
q_6			

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(4) obtain a TM to accept the language
 $L = \{w \mid w \in (0+1)^*\}$ containing the substring 001

(Ans) Step 1:- Construction of Automata for the language L .



Step 2:-

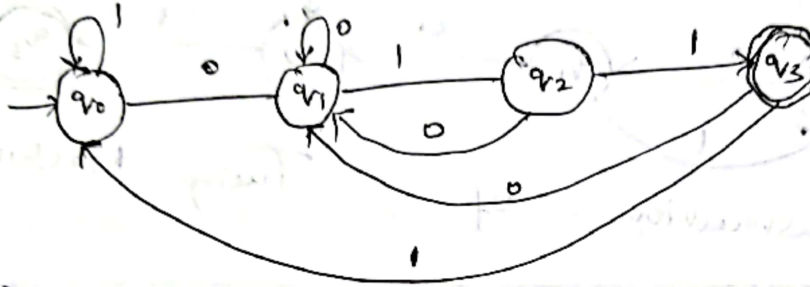
Construction of Turing Machine table,

State	0	1	B
q_0	$(q_1, 0, R)$	$(q_0, 1, R)$	
q_1	$(q_2, 0, R)$	$(q_0, 1, R)$	
q_2	$(q_2, 0, R)$	$(q_3, 1, R)$	
q_3	$(q_3, 0, R)$	$(q_3, 1, R)$	(q_4, B, R)
q_4			⊖

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(c) obtain a Turing Machine to accept the language containing strings of 0's and 1's ending with 011

(Ans) Step 1:- Construction of Automata for the above language L i.e.



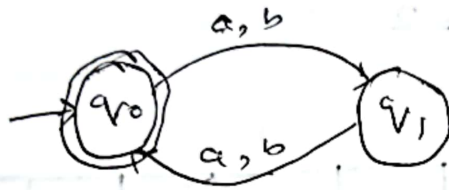
Step 2:- Construction of TM table has shown below,

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	0	1	B
q_0	$(q_1, 0, R)$	(q_0, ϕ, R)	
q_1	$(q_1, 0, R)$	$(q_2, 1, R)$	
q_2	$(q_1, 0, R)$	$(q_3, 1, R)$	
q_3	$(q_1, 0, R)$	$(q_0, 1, R)$	(q_u, B, R)
q_4			

(6) Obtain a TM to accept the language
 $L = \{w \mid w \text{ is even and } \Sigma = \{a, b\}\}$.

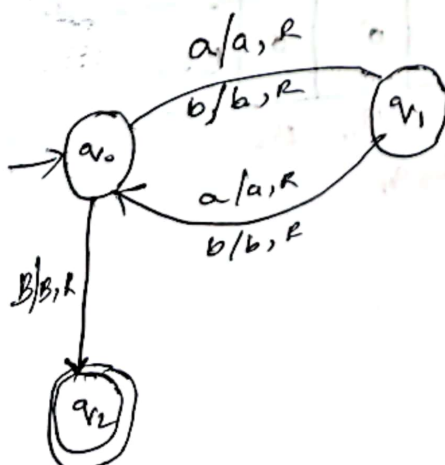
(Ans) Step 1:- Construction of Automata for the above language L i.e.



Step 2:- Construction of TM table has shown below,

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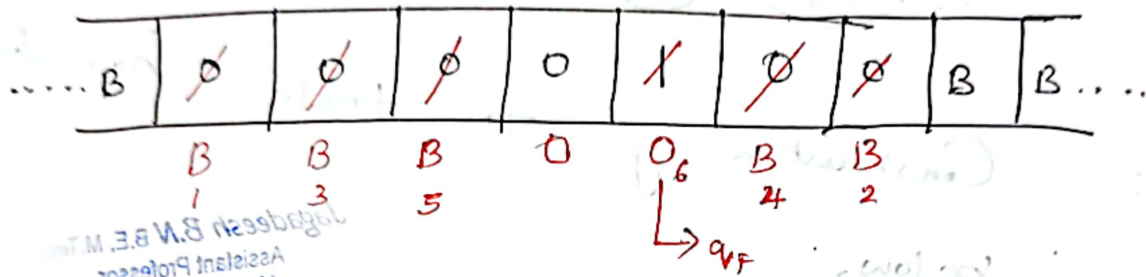
States	a	b	B
q_0	(q_1, a, R)	(q_1, a, R)	(q_2, B, R)
q_1	(q_0, a, R)	(q_0, a, R)	
q_2			



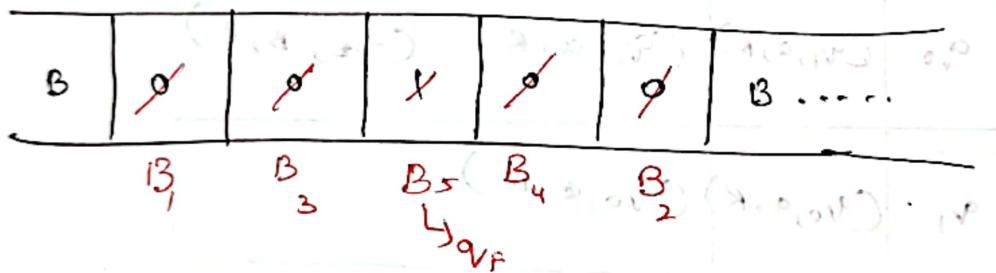
(F) Construct a Turing Machine to perform Proper Subtraction.

$$f(m, n) = \begin{cases} m-n, & \text{if } m > n \\ 0, & \text{if } m \leq n \end{cases}$$

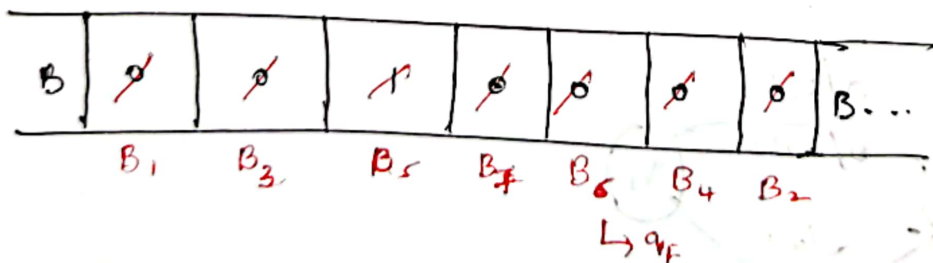
(A) Case 1: $m = 4$ $n = 2$



Case 2: $m = 2$, $n = 2$



Case 3: $m \leq 2$, $n = 4$



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$$m=4, n=2$$

States	0	1	B
q_0	(q_1, B, R)	(q_4, B, R)	
q_1	$(q_1, 0, R)$	$(q_1, 1, R)$	(q_2, B, L)
q_2	(q_3, B, L)	$(q_4, 0, R)$ $(q_2, 1, L)$	(q_0, B, R)
q_3	$(q_3, 0, L)$	$(q_3, 1, L)$	(q_0, B, R)
q_4	(q_4, B, R)		(q_4, B, R)
q_5			

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(8) Construct Turing Machine to perform multiplication operation.

$$f(m, n) = m \times n$$

(14) (a) Step 1:- if $m=3$, $n=2$, then $m \times n = 6$,

we can perform multiplication operation using repeated addition i.e.

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 2 \\ \hline 6 \end{array} \quad (2) \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 3 \\ \hline 6 \end{array}$$

... B ~~0~~ 0 0 1 00 1 B ...

B ~~0~~ 0 1 00 1 00

B B ~~0~~ 1 00 1 0000

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6 zeros.

Step 2:- Below shows a Turing machine/
Transition table,

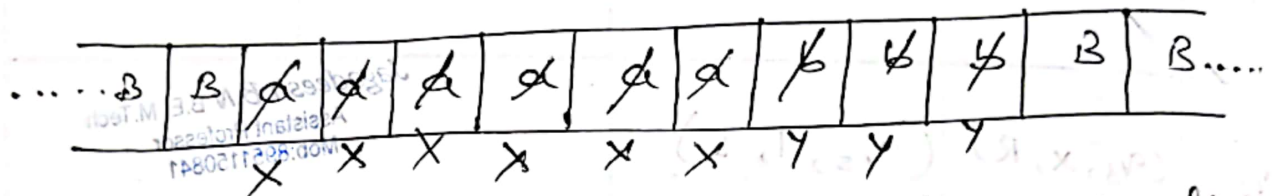
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States	0	1	X	B
q_0	(q_1, B, R)	(q_6, B, R)		
q_1	$(q_1, 0, R)$	$(q_2, 1, R)$		
q_2	(q_3, X, R)	$(q_5, 1, L)$		
q_3	$(q_3, 0, R)$	$(q_3, 1, R)$		$(q_4, 0, L)$
q_4	$(q_4, 0, L)$	$(q_4, 1, L)$	(q_2, X, R)	
q_5	$(q_5, 0, L)$	$(q_5, 1, L)$	$(q_5, 0, L)$	(q_0, B, R)
q_6	(q_6, B, R)	(q_6, B, R)		
q_7				

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Design a Turing Machine for the language $L = \{a^{2n}b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$

(Ans) Step 1 :- Consider the string, i.e.,



Step 2 :- Construct the Turing Machine Table / Transition Table

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States	a	b	x	y	B
q_0	(q_1, x, R)			(q_4, y, R)	
q_1	(q_2, x, R)				
q_2	(q_2, a, R)	(q_3, y, L)		(q_2, y, R)	
q_3	(q_3, a, L)	(q_3, blank, R)	(q_0, x, R)	(q_3, y, L)	
q_4				(q_4, y, R)	(q_5, B, R)
q_5					