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Formal Languages And Automata Theory

Content of this lecture

- In this presentation we will discuss the Finite Automata

Basic Building Blocks - Alphabet

- An **alphabet** is a finite set of symbols. e.g.
 - $\Sigma_1 = \{a, b, c, d, \dots, z\}$: the set of letters in English
 - $\Sigma_2 = \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$: the set of (base 10) digits
 - $\Sigma_3 = \{a, b, \dots, z, \#\}$: the set of letters plus the special symbol #
 - $\Sigma_4 = \{ (,) \}$: the set of open and closed brackets

Basic Building Blocks - String

- A **string** over alphabet Σ is a finite sequence of symbols in Σ . e.g.
 - abfbz is a string over $\Sigma_1 = \{a, b, c, d, \dots, z\}$
 - 9021 is a string over $\Sigma_2 = \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$
 - ab#bc is a string over $\Sigma_3 = \{a, b, \dots, z, \#\}$
 -))()() is a string over $\Sigma_4 = \{ (,) \}$
- **Length** of string: Total no of symbols(either same or different) in the string
- **Empty** String: String of length 0 is called empty/null string. It is denoted by $\epsilon / \Lambda / \lambda$

Basic Building Blocks - String

- **Concatenation** of two strings
 - $x=ab, y=dc$ then $xy=abdc$ and $yx=dcab$
 - Concatenation of empty string with any string is that string itself.
 - So empty string acts as string identifier during string concatenation operation. E.g.
 - $\epsilon . X = X . \epsilon = X$

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- Proper substring of X are: $bc, ab, b, a, c, \epsilon$
- **Any prefix or suffix of any string x must be a substring of x but reverse may or may not be true.**

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- Language consisting of no word is denoted by null set $\emptyset = \{ \}$
- Language $L = \{ \epsilon \}$ is not same as \emptyset

Operation on Language

- If L & M are the two languages then
 - **Concatenation** of L & M will be the language consisting of all the string xy which can be formed by selecting a string x from L and y from M . It is denoted by LM .
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Regular Expression

- A regular expression is a notation to represent a language.
- It must be general enough that it represents all the strings of the language.
- Also it must exclude all those strings which are not part of the language.

Regular Expression Construction Rules

- A regular expression over Σ is an expression formed using the following rules:
 - Regular expression for \emptyset is \emptyset itself.
 - Regular expression for $L=\{\varepsilon\}$ is ε
 - For every $a \in \Sigma$, that symbol a is a regular expression it self
 - If R and S are regular expressions for language L_1 & L_2 respectively, then
 - RS will be the regular expression corresponding L_1L_2
 - $R+S$ will be the regular expression corresponding $L_1 + L_2$
 - R^* will be the regular expression corresponding to L_1^*

Regular Expression Construction Rules

- While solving regular expression, closure has highest precedence. It is followed by concatenation and union in the end.
- Language associated with regular expression is called Regular Language.
- Every regular language must have regular expression.
- Only regular languages have regular expression.
- Languages which does not have regular expressions are called non regular language.

Regular Expression Numerical

- Describe the following sets by regular expressions:
- (a) {101}
- (b) {abba}
- (c) {01, 10}
- (d) { λ , ab}
- (e) {abb, a, b, bba}
- (f) { λ , 0, 00, 000.... }
- (g) {1, 11, 111 ... }

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- (f) $\{\lambda, 0, 00, 000, \dots\} = 0^*$
- (g) $\{1, 11, 111, \dots\} = 1(1)^*$

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- Rules for identifiers of C language are:
 - First character must be a letter or underscore
 - Max. length of identifier can be 32 and minimum can be one
 - Identifier is composed of letter (small or caps), underscore and digits
 - Let I represents the set of all small or capital alphabets
 - Let U represents the set containing underscore
 - Let D represents the set of all digits
 - Let E represents the set containing absylan
 - $(I+U)(I+U+D+E)^{31}$

Regular Expression Numerical

- Let $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$, find the regular expression for the following languages:
 - Every zero is immediately followed by at least two one's

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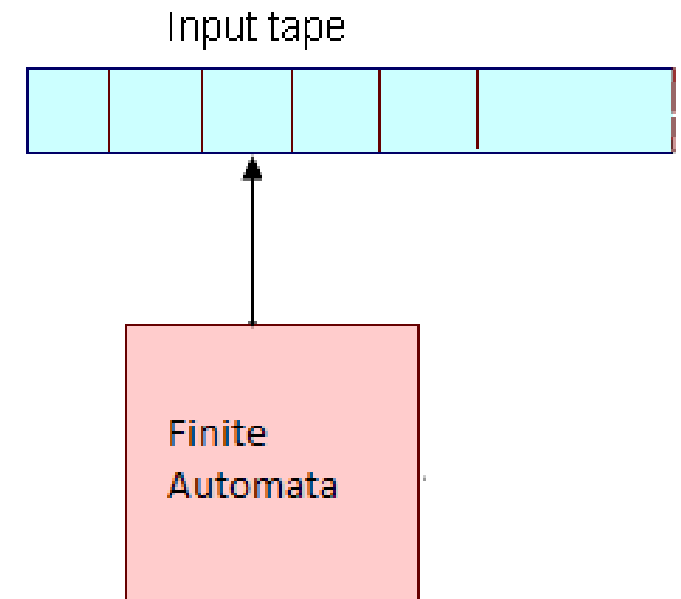
- Let $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$, find the regular expression for the following languages:
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 - Possible strings in the language are $= \{\lambda, 1, 11, 011, 111, \dots\} = (1+011)^*$

Finite Automata

- Any system which is at each moment in one of the finite number of discrete state and move among these states in a predictable way in response to individual input signal can be modeled by finite automata. FA is collection of 3 things:
 - A finite set of states such that one of the state is called start/initial state and some/none will be designated as final/accepting/halting state.
 - An alphabet of input symbols from which string of symbols are formed.
 - A finite set of transition rules which tell for each state and for each input letter which next state to go.
- FA acts as language recognizer.

Finite Automata - As a Machine

- It represents a machine which read the single symbol at a time from input tape by strictly moving in one direction (either left to right or right to left).
- It only shows the success/failure, true/false or acceptance/rejection by ending at halting/non halting state.



Finite Automata - Applications

- For the designing of lexical analysis of a compiler.
- For recognizing the pattern using regular expressions.
- For the designing of the combination and sequential circuits using Mealy and Moore Machines.
- Used in text editors.
- For the implementation of spell checkers.

Finite Automata - Limitations

- It does not have any memory.
- It does not gives any output.
- It only shows the success/failure, true/false or acceptance/rejection by ending at halting/ non halting state.
- Head movement is in only one direction.
- Input tape is read only.

Finite Automata-Types

- It is of three types:
 - Deterministic Finite Automata (DFA)
 - Non Deterministic Finite Automata (NDFA)
 - Non Deterministic Finite Automata with epsilon (NDFA- ϵ)
- Power (in terms of recognition) of all the three variants of FA are same. Corresponding to every NDFA- ϵ we can have equivalent NDFA. Corresponding to every NDFA we can have equivalent DFA.
- If there exist FA corresponding to any language then that language must be regular and must also have regular expression.
- Regular expression \leftrightarrow Regular Language \leftrightarrow FA

Deterministic Finite Automata (DFA)-Theoretical Definition

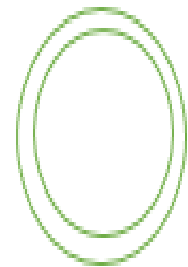
- It is that type of finite automata, in which after reading a symbol from a current state, system can move at most towards one state (same/different) i.e. moving of machine from a state corresponding to a symbol is deterministic (only one option) not deterministic. From any state there must be at most one out going edge corresponding to symbol read.
- Also by reading epsilon(λ) system can't change the state i.e. no edge with labeled epsilon(λ) will be there in DFA.

Deterministic Finite Automata (DFA)-Mathematical Definition

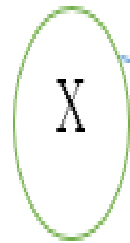
- A DFA M is defined as a collection of 5 tuples $(Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ where
 - Q is a finite set of states
 - Σ is an alphabet
 - $\delta : Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$ is a transition function
e.g. $\delta(X, a)=Y$ implies that by reading symbol 'a' from state X machine is moving on state Y , where $X, Y \in Q$
 - $q_0 \in Q$ is the initial state (only one)
 - $F \subseteq Q$ is a set of accepting/starting/halting/terminating states (can be zero, one or more than one).
 - $\delta(X, \epsilon)=X$, i.e. in DFA, system can't change the state by reading ϵ
- When we represent the FA diagrammatically it is called transition diagram while its tabular representation is called transition table.

Deterministic Finite Automata (DFA)-Notation

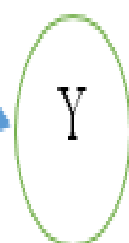
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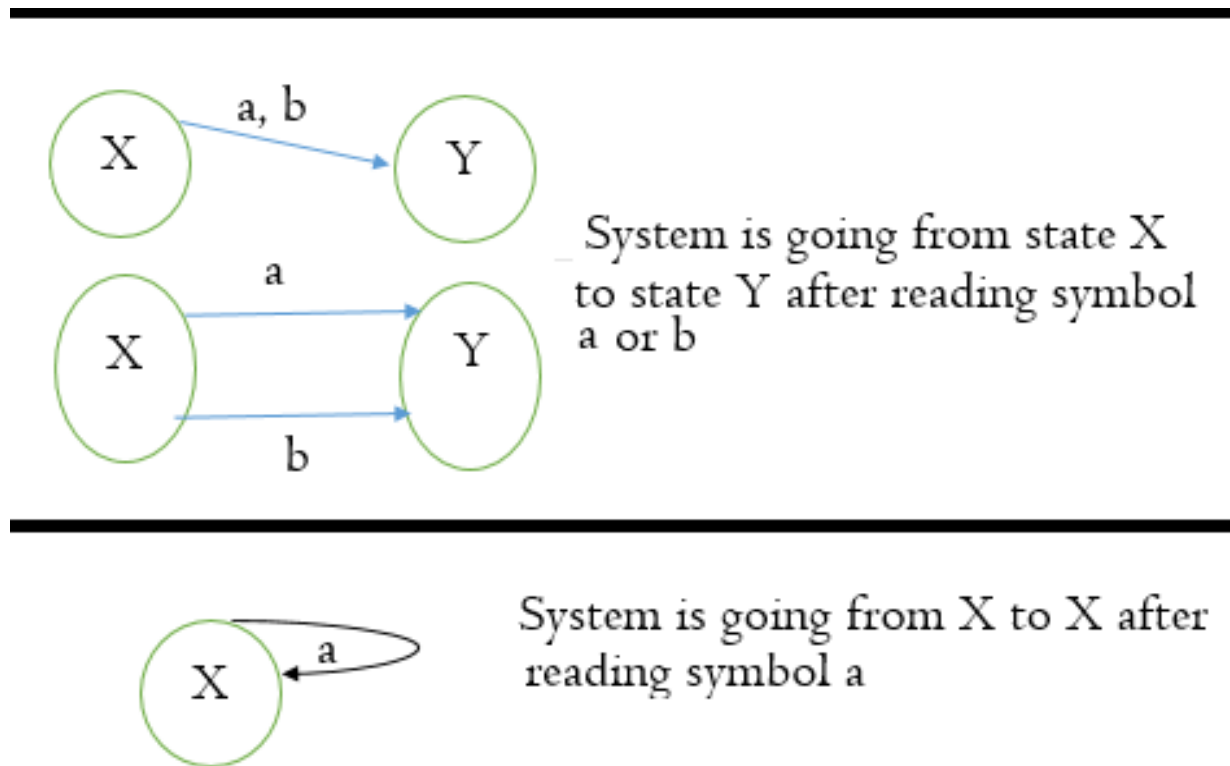
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System is going from state X
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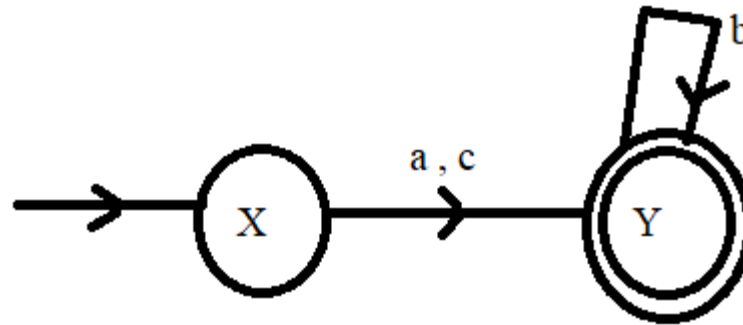
- In DFA, when we say language L is accepted by machine M then it means that all the strings in L would leave machine in final state and any string x which does not belong to L will never leave the machine into final state.
- In mathematical form this can be written as follows:
 - $L(M)$ = Language accepted by machine M
 - $L(M) = \{ x \mid x \text{ is accepted by DFA } M, \text{ i.e. } \delta^*(q_0, x) \in A \}$

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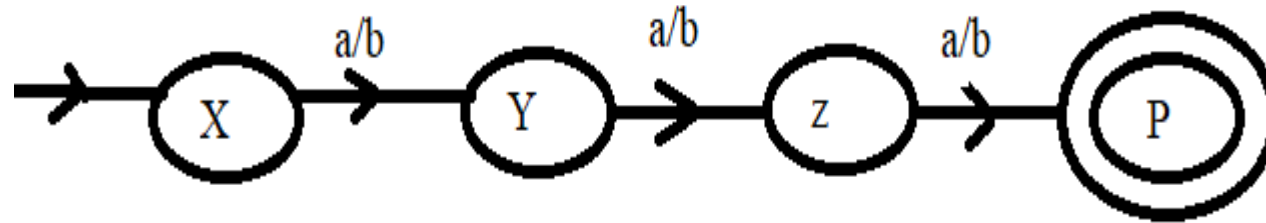
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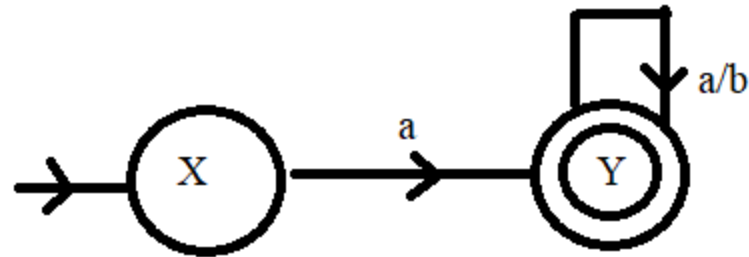
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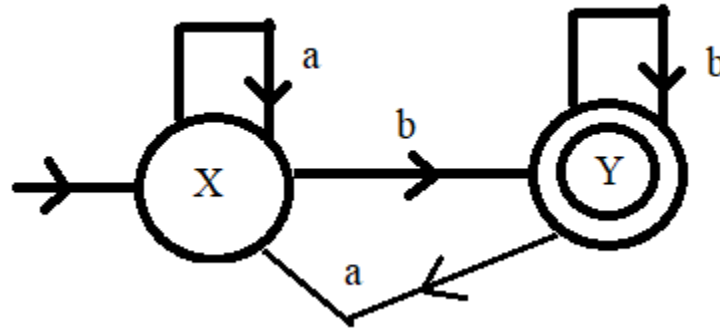
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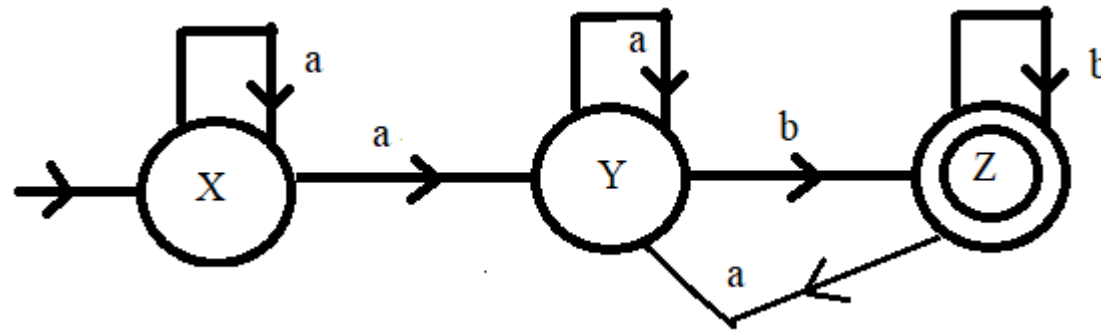


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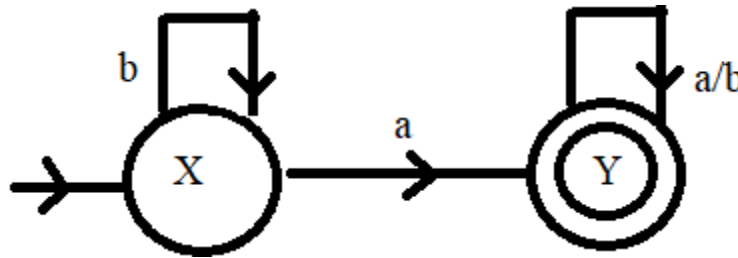


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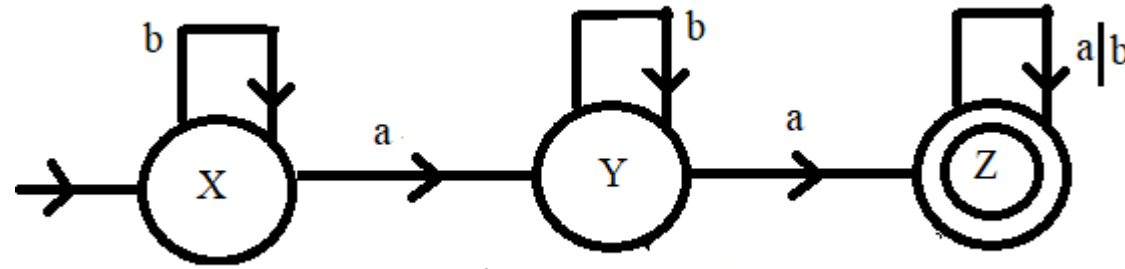


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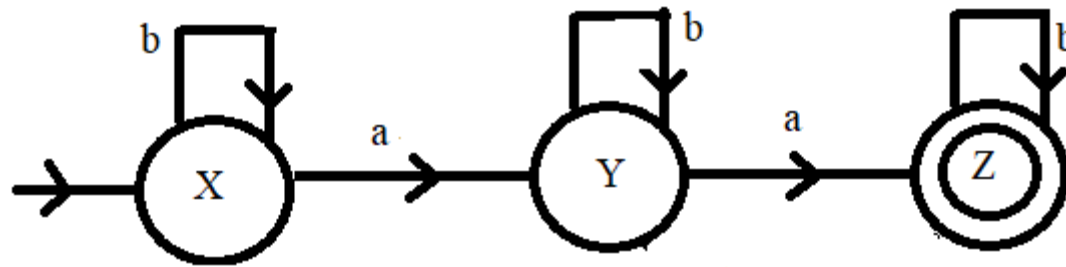


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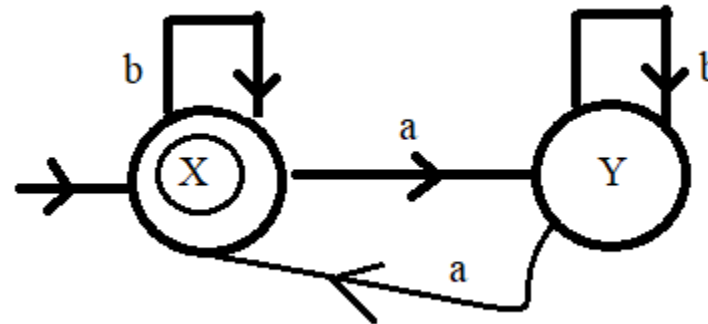


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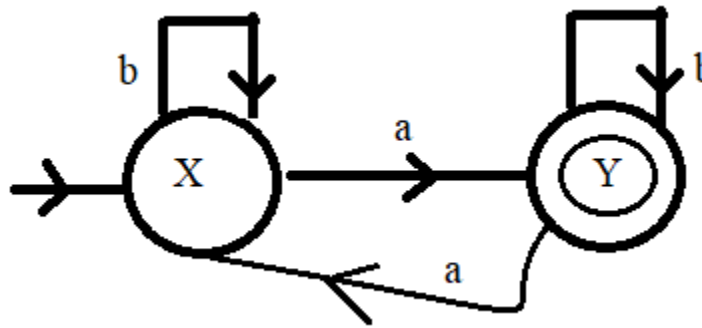


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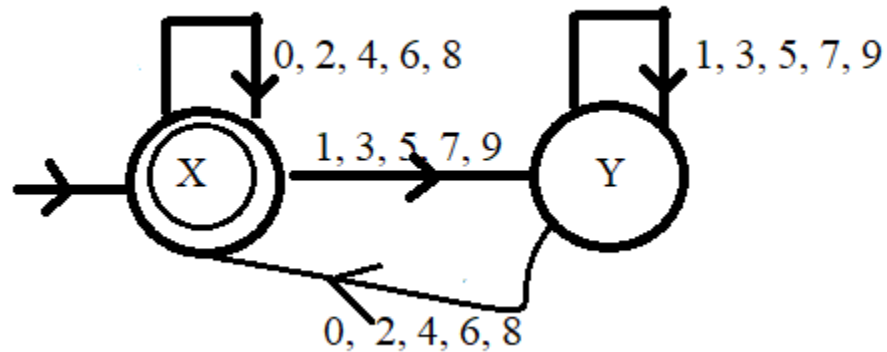


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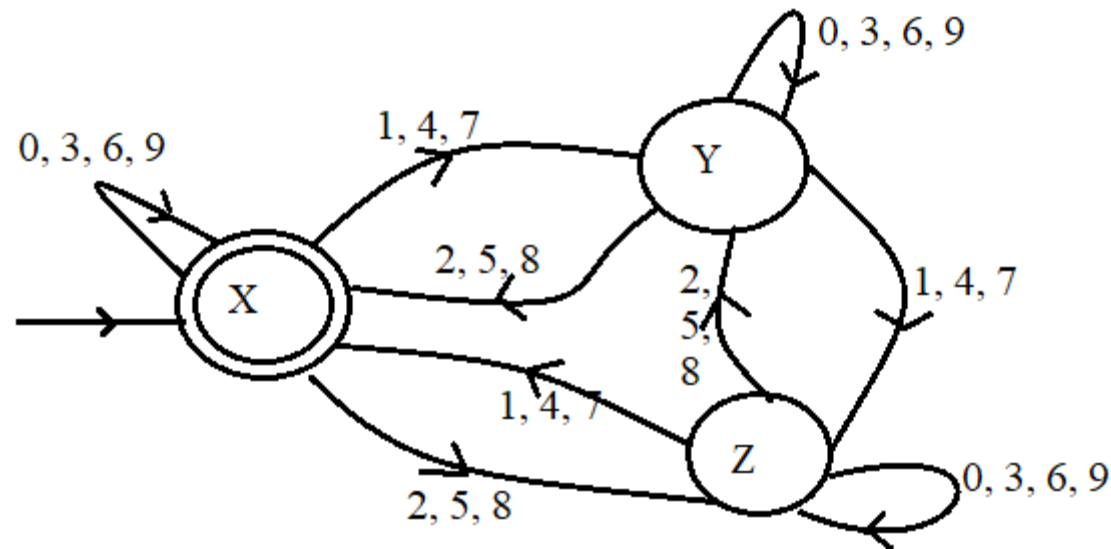


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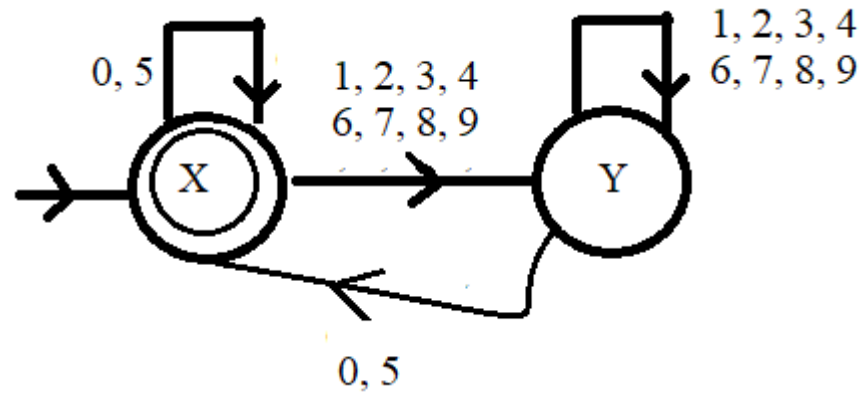


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- $\Sigma = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$
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 - $\delta(X, \epsilon) = X$, i.e. in NDFA, system can't change the state by reading ϵ
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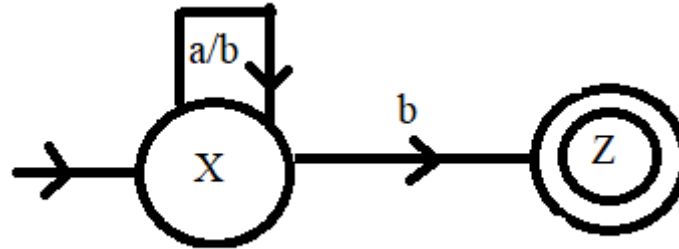
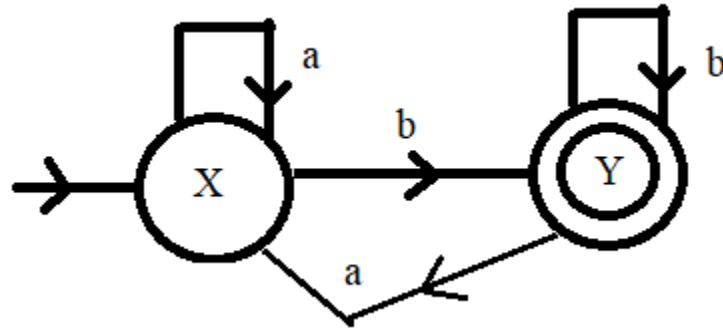
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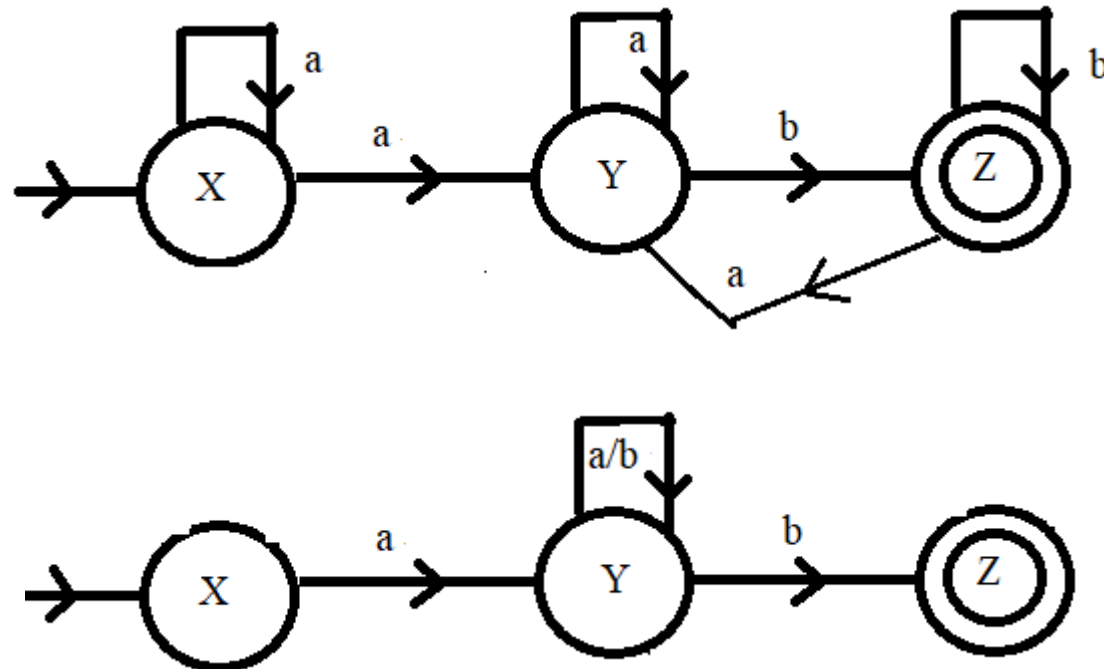


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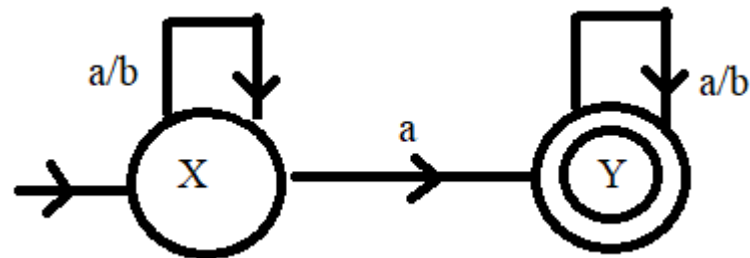
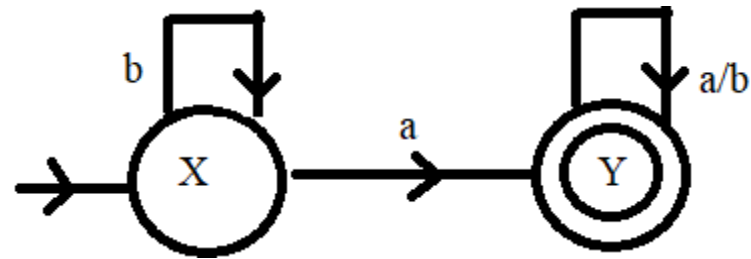


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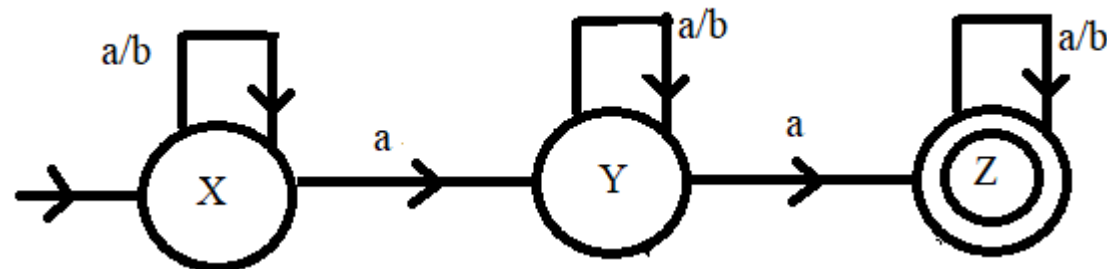
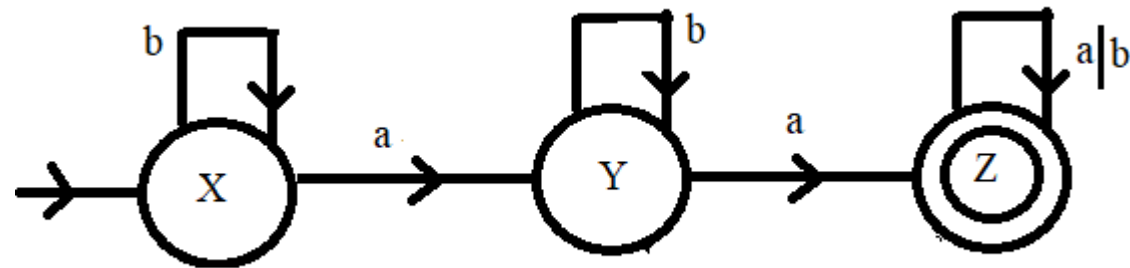


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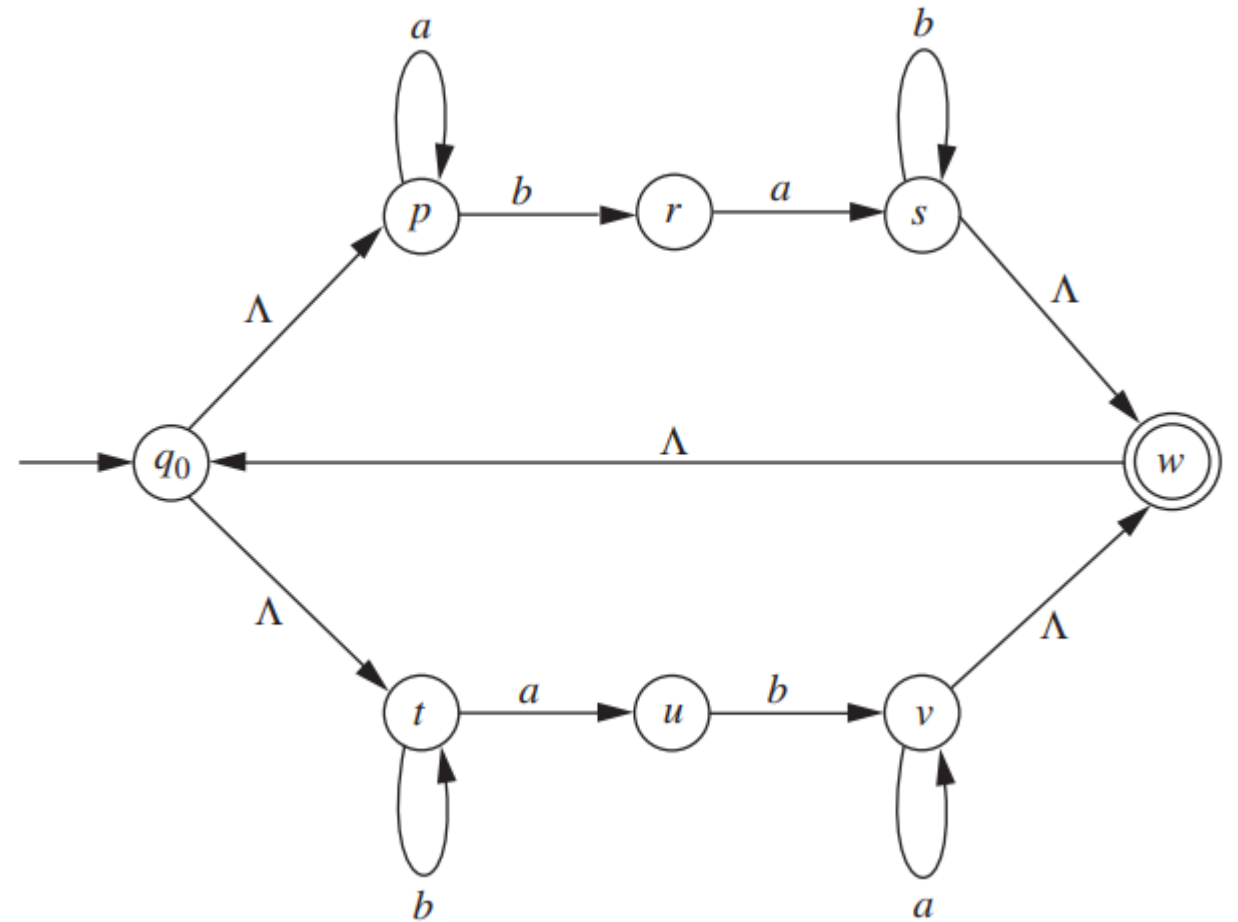
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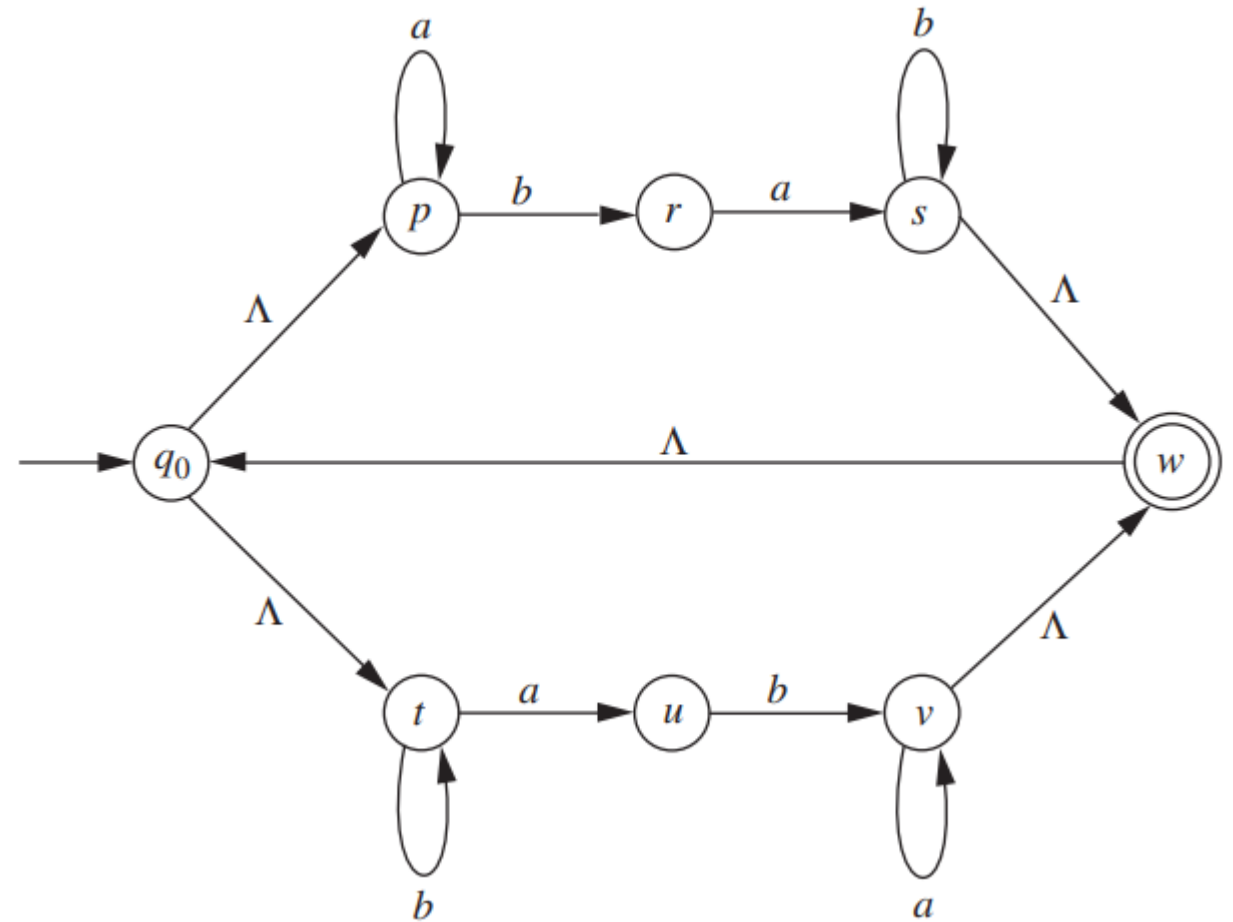
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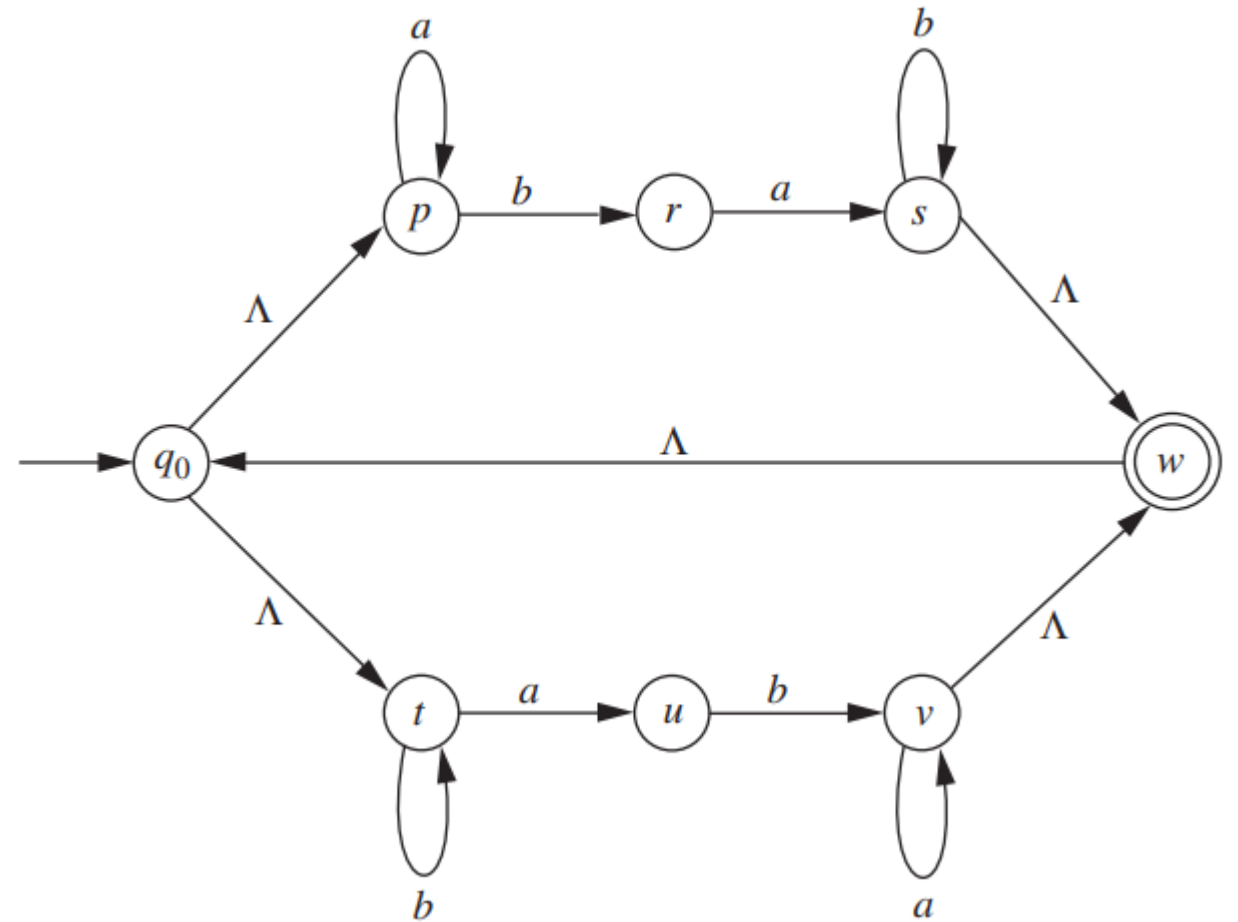
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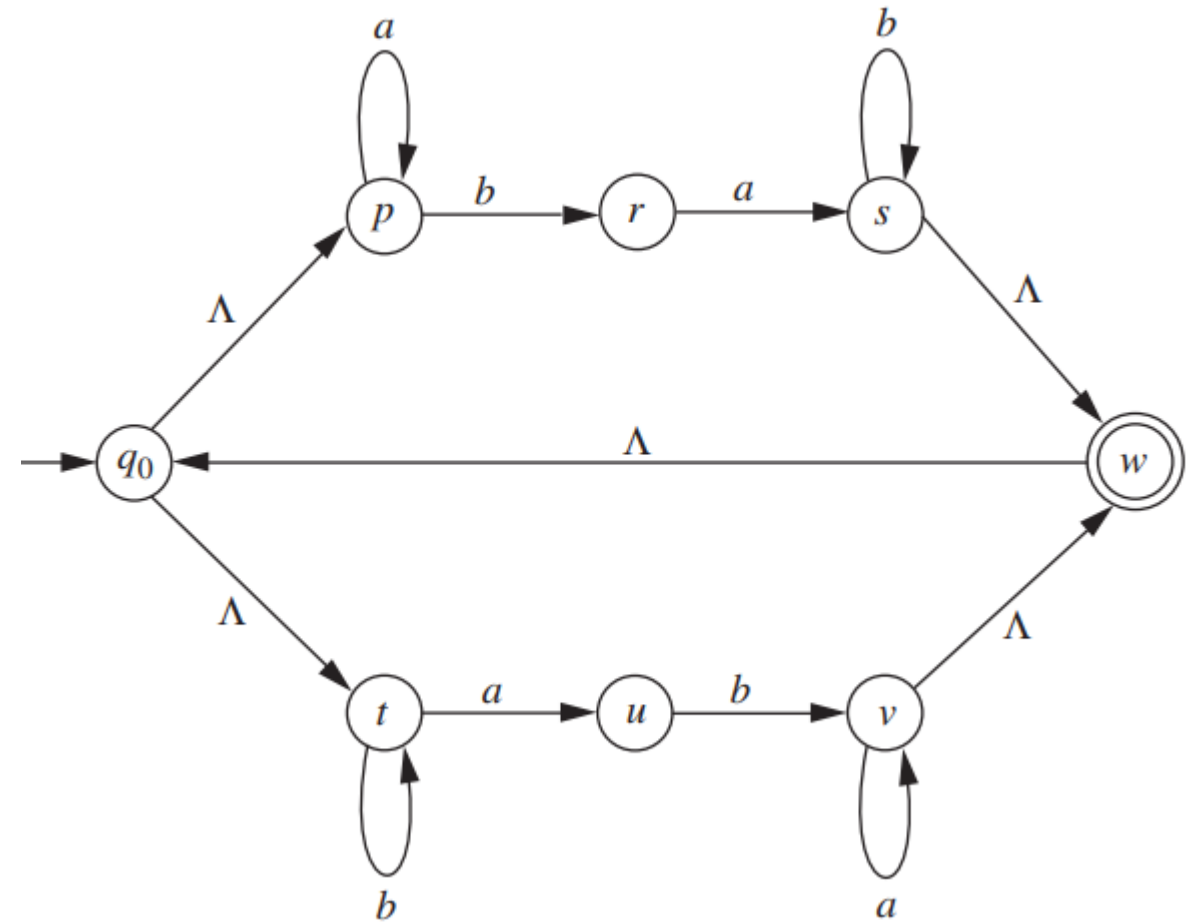
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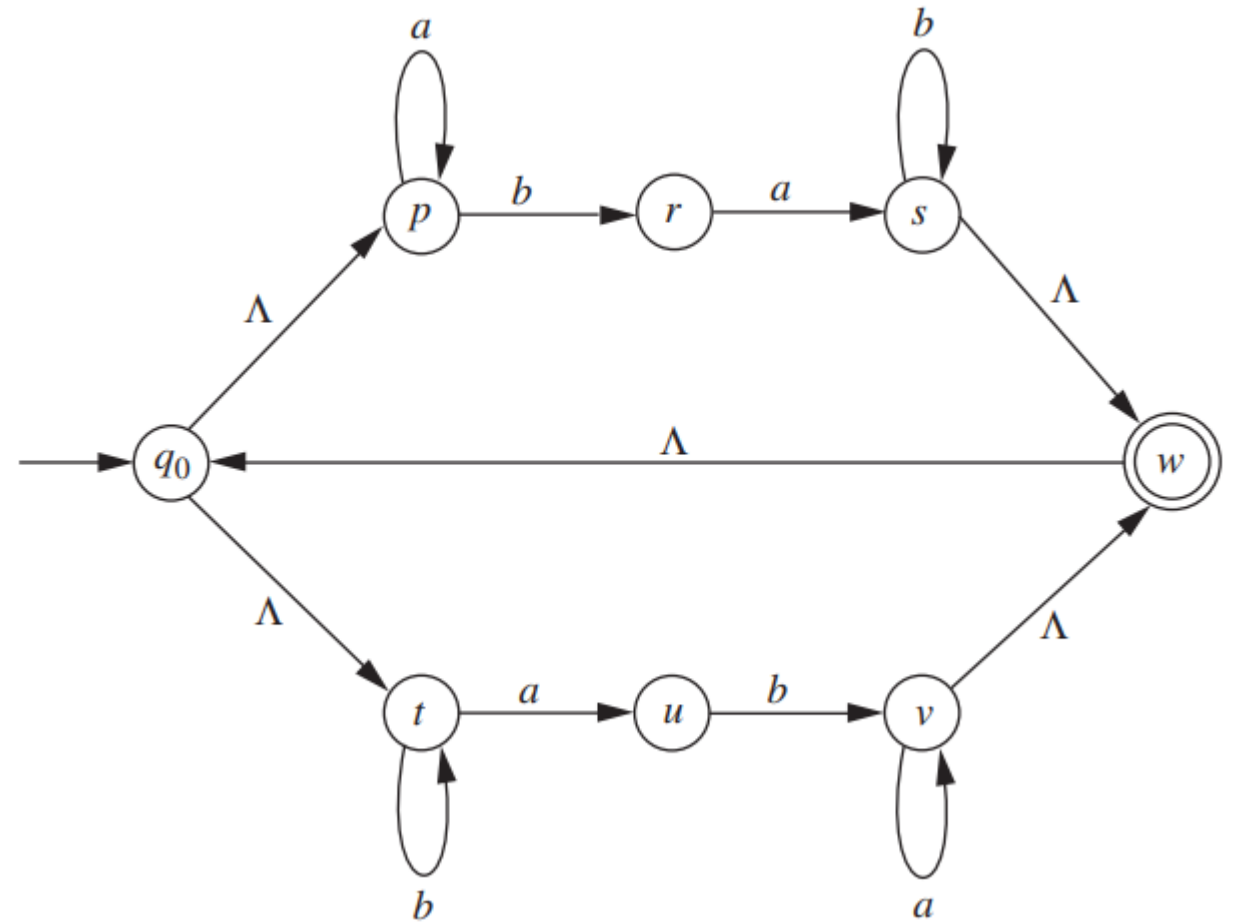
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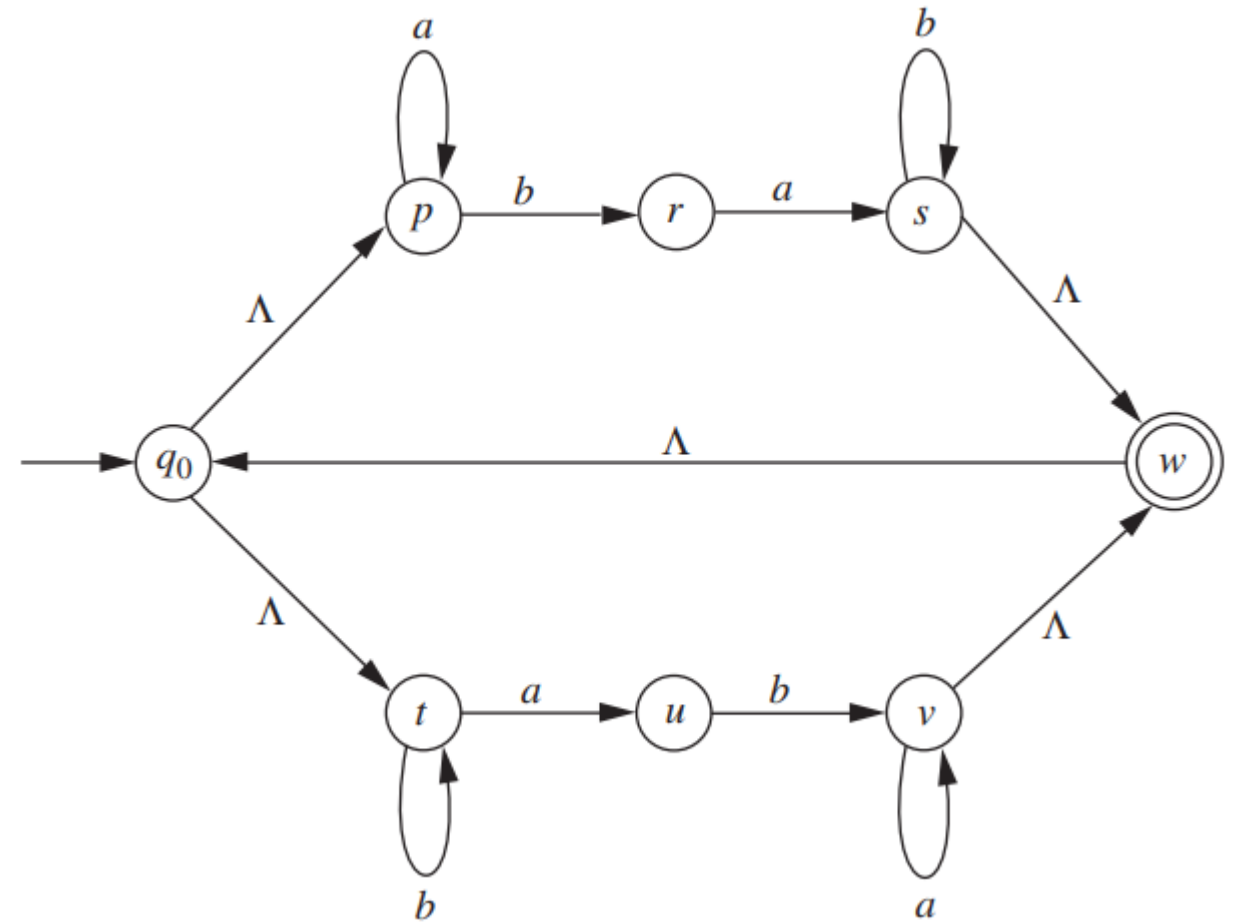
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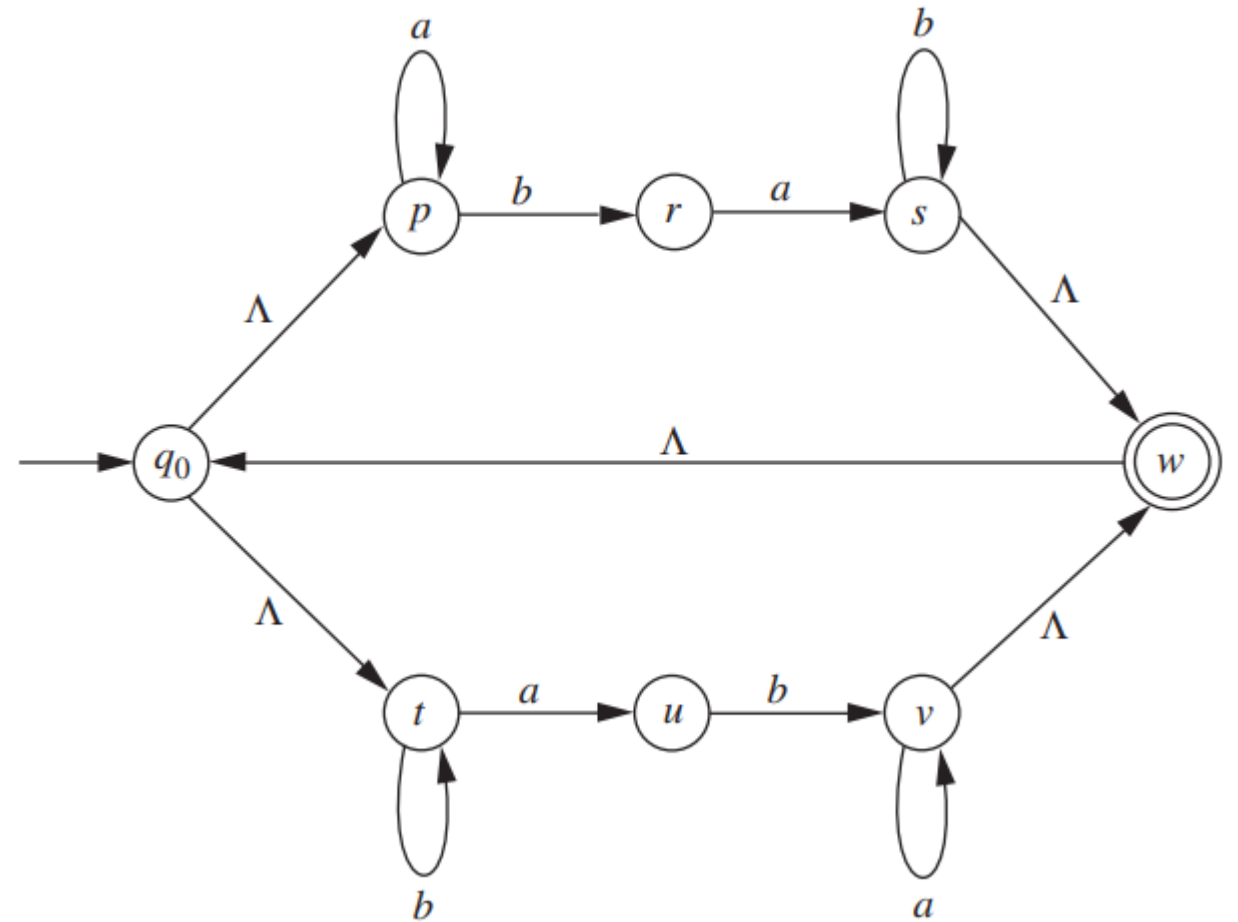
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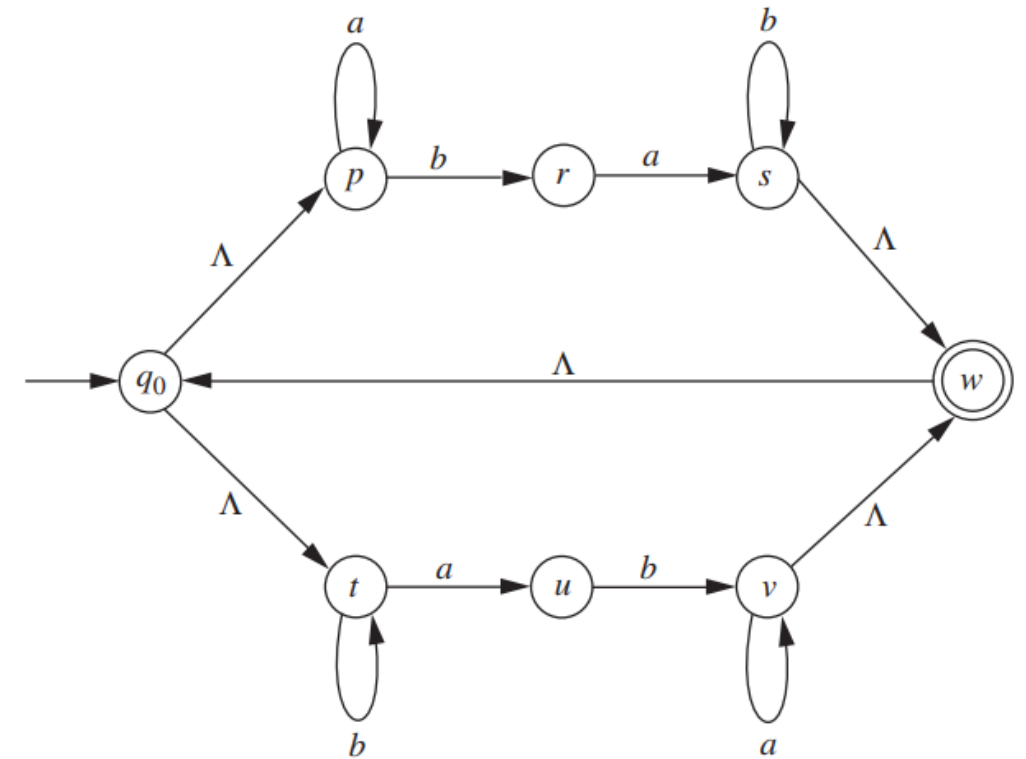
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NDFA to DFA

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 - Step 1: Initially $Q' = \phi$.
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 - Step 4: For each new state added in Q' , repeat step 3.
 - Step 5: Final state of DFA will be all states with contain F (final states of NFA)

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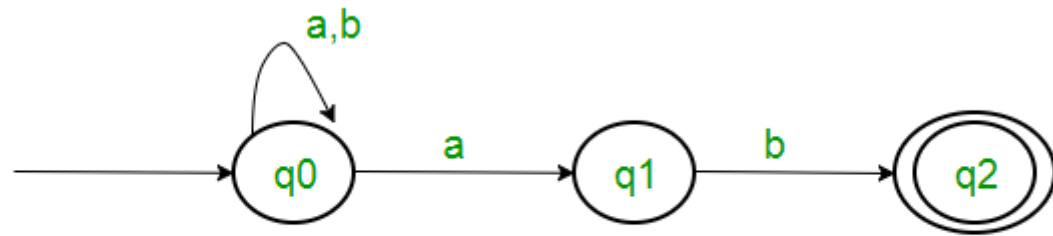


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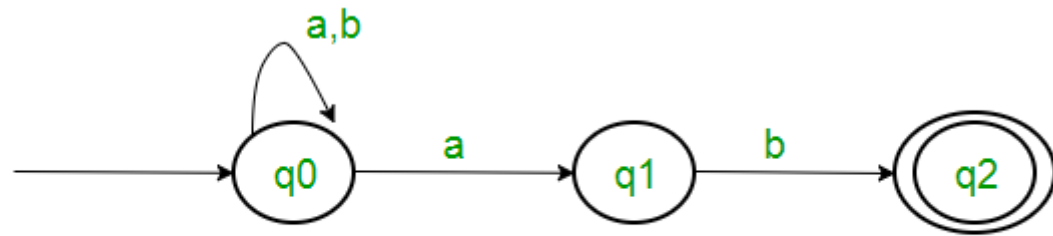


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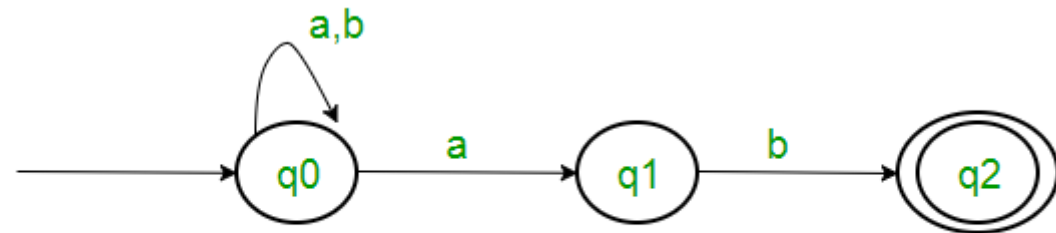


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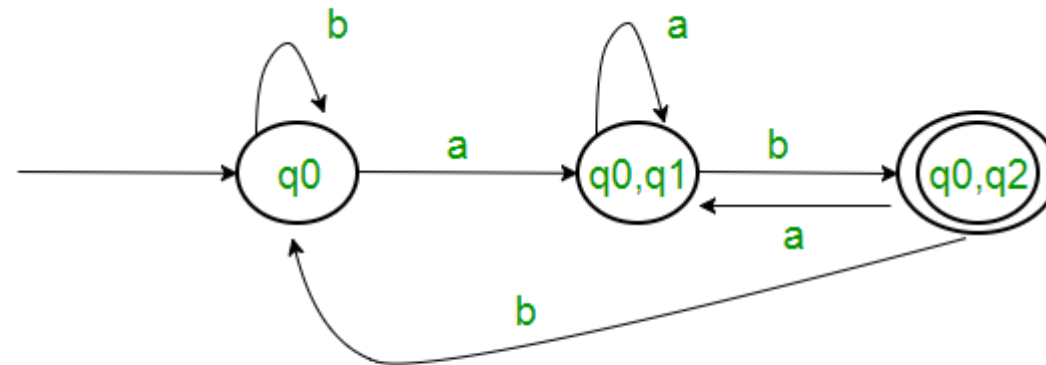


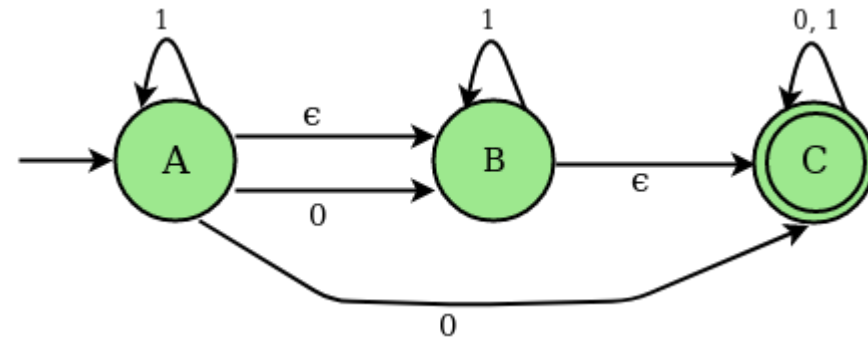
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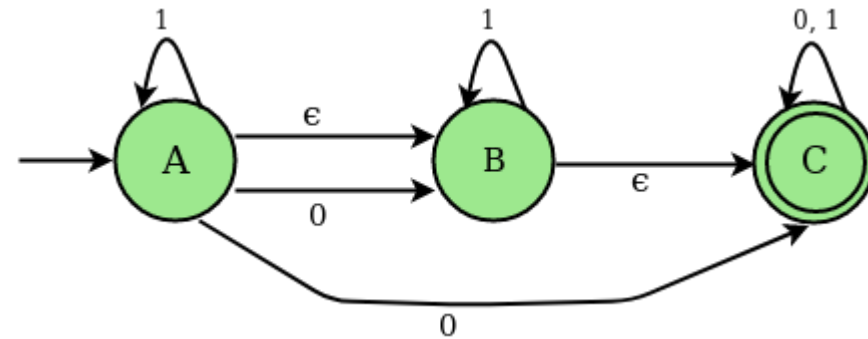
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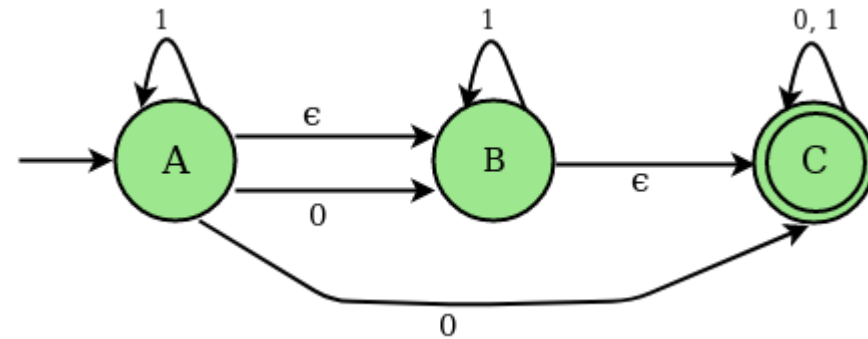


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NDFA with epsilon to DFA

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B	-	B	C
C	C	C	-



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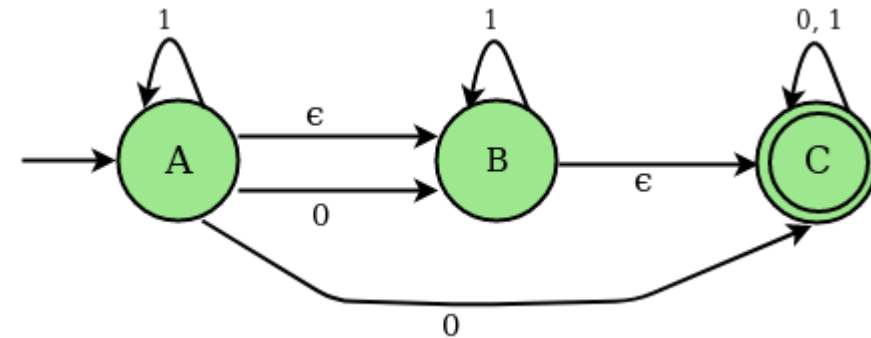
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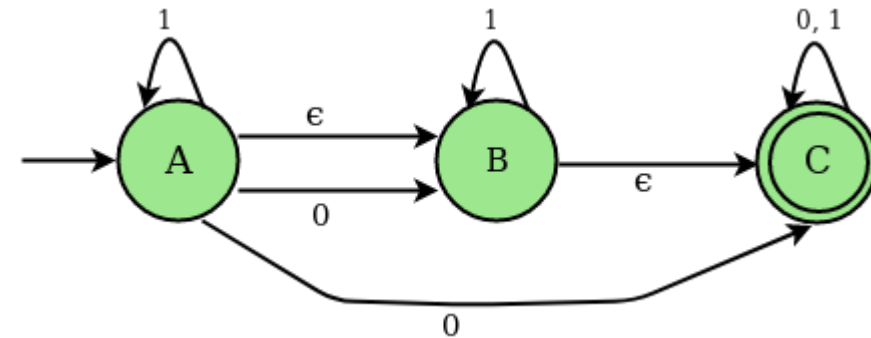
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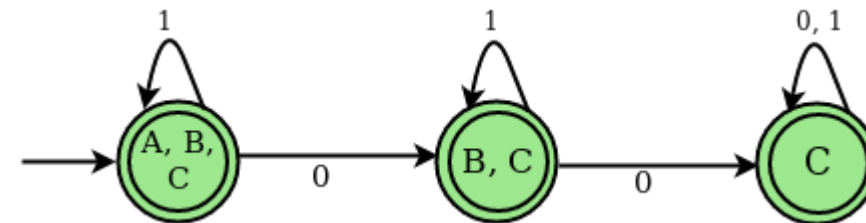


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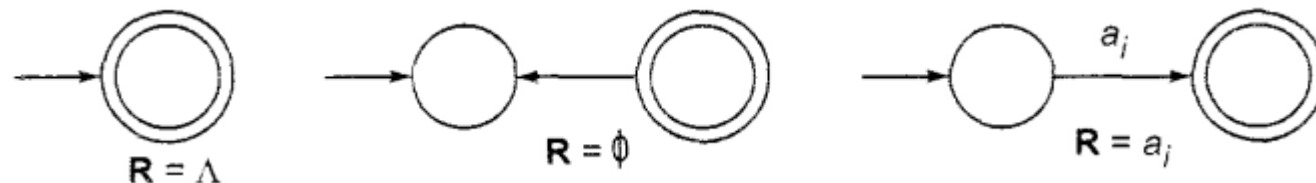


Kleens Theorem-Statement

- It states that any regular language is accepted by an FA and conversely that any language accepted by an FA is regular.
- So it can be divided into two parts
- Part 1: Any regular language is accepted by a finite automaton.
- Part 2: Language accepted by finite automaton is regular.

Kleens Theorem-Part 1

- Part 1: Any regular language is accepted by a finite automaton.
- We will prove this through Mathematical Induction:
- Now as we know that corresponding to every regular language there must be a regular expression.
- Basic Step: Smallest regular expression will be either ε , \emptyset , or a single symbol. FA, corresponding to these will be



- So we have proved that there exist FA for these

Kleens Theorem-Part 1

- Induction Hypothesis: Now we assume that exist FA corresponding to a RE having n characters
- Step 3: Now we have to prove that there exist FA corresponding to a RE R having $n+1$ characters. Now new character can be introduced through union, concatenation or closure operations only.

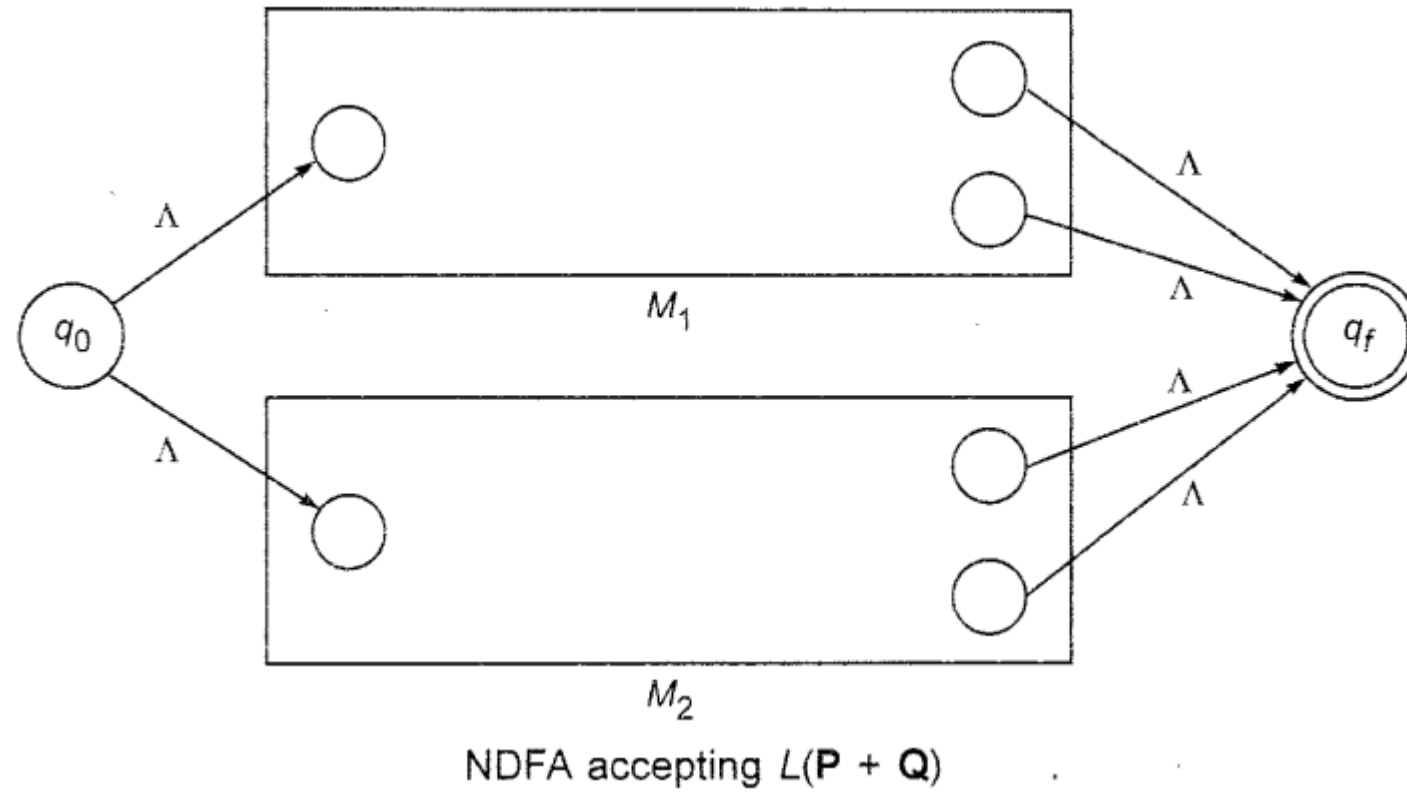
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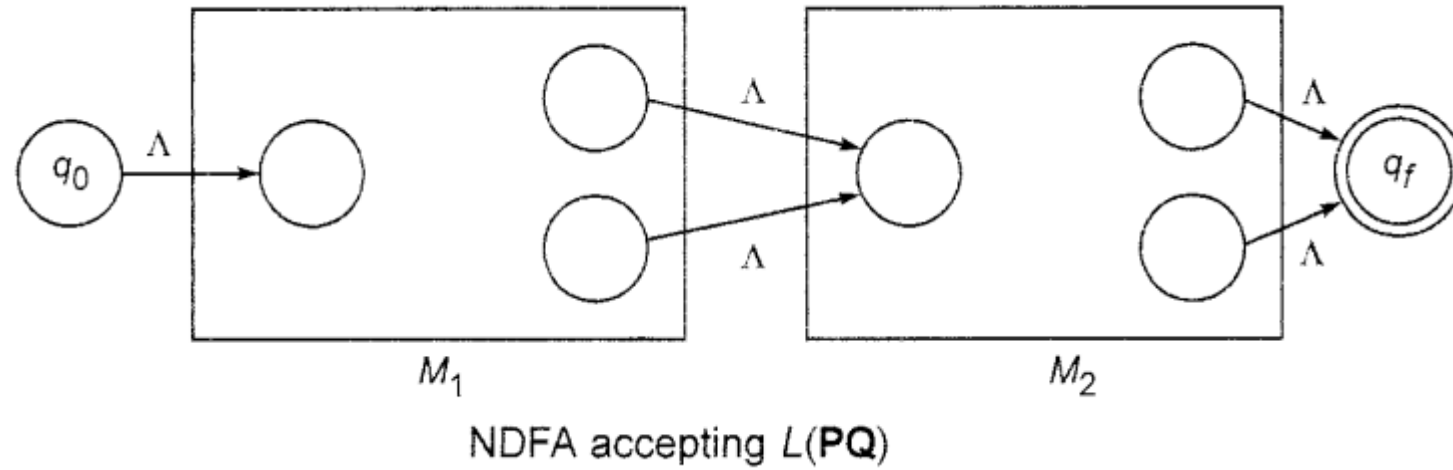
$$R=P^*$$

- Here P & Q are regular expressions having n characters, so there must exist FA corresponding to P & Q . By induction Hypothesis, $M1$ and $M2$ are FA corresponding to $L(P)$ and $L(Q)$.

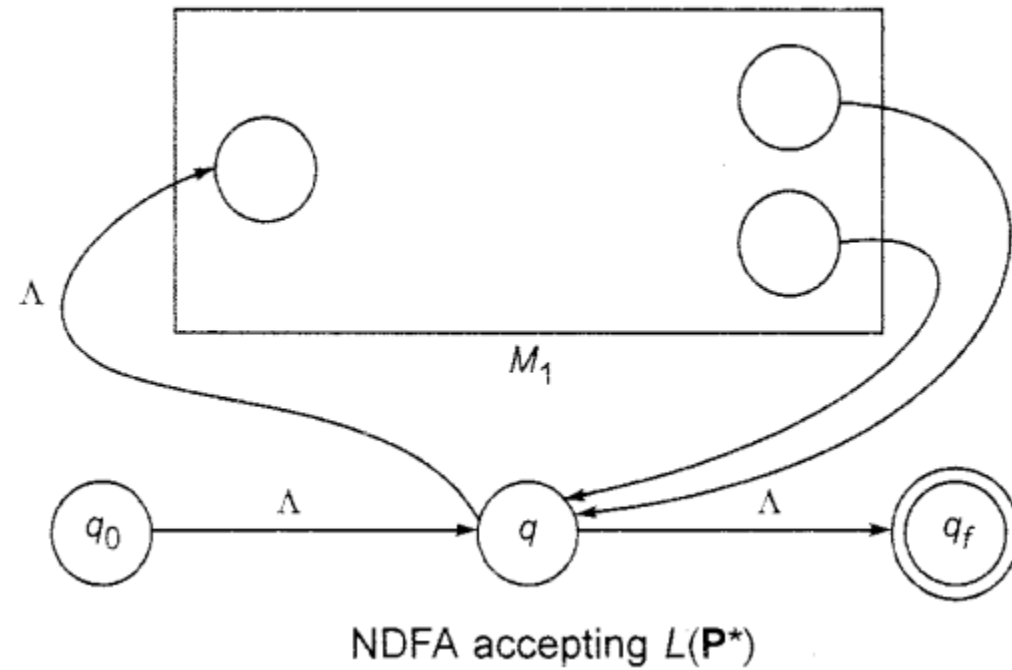
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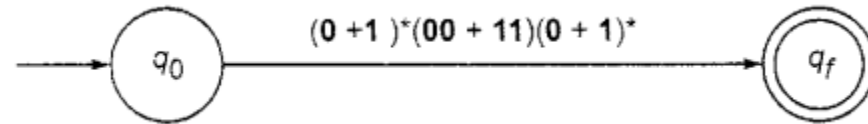
- Construct the transition graph equivalent to the given regular expression using epsilon moves.
- Construct the transition table for the transition graph constructed in previous step.
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FA of a RE - Numerical

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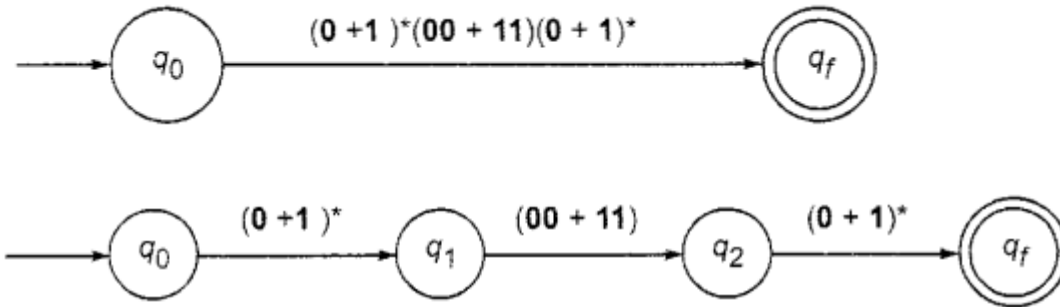
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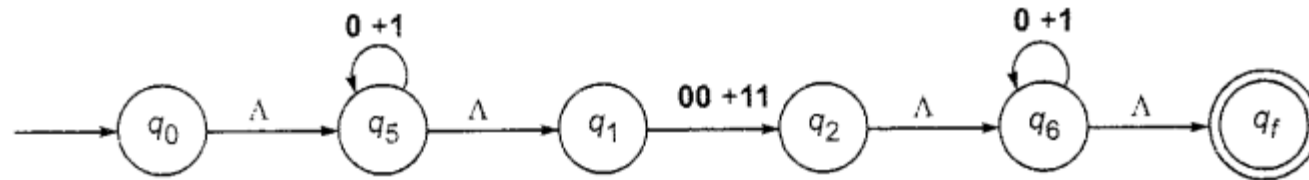
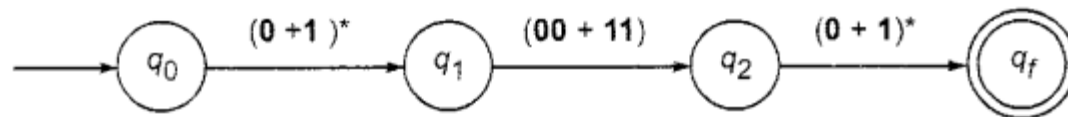
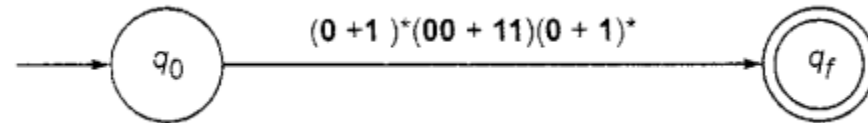
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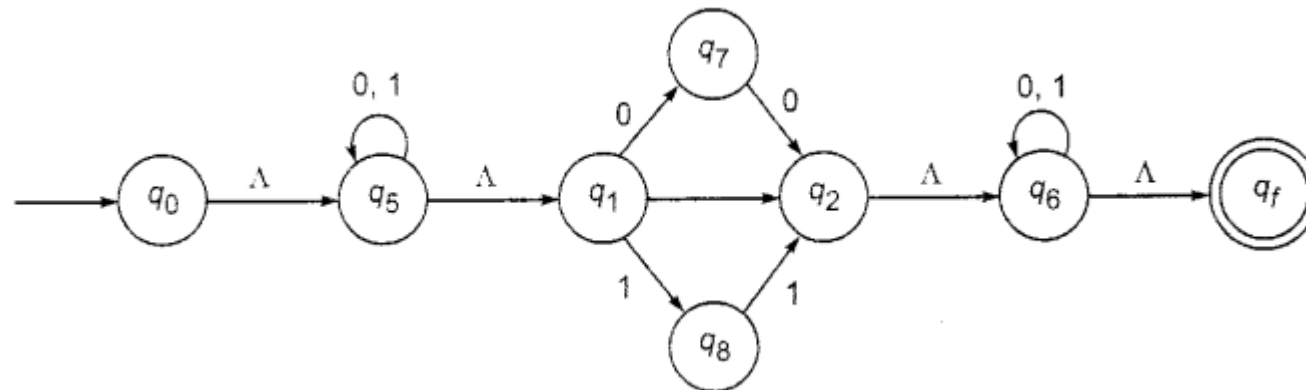
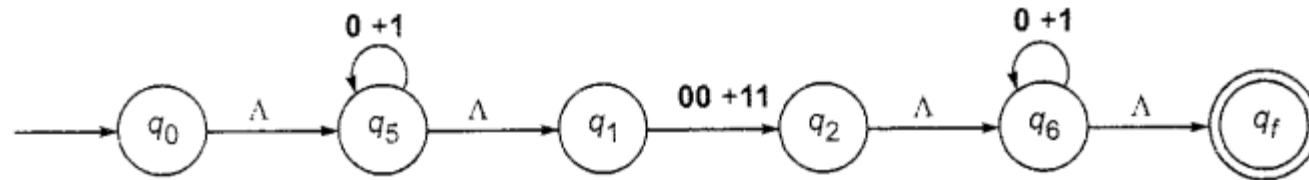
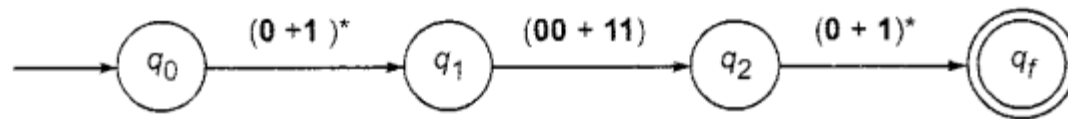
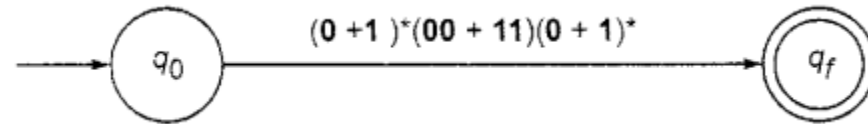
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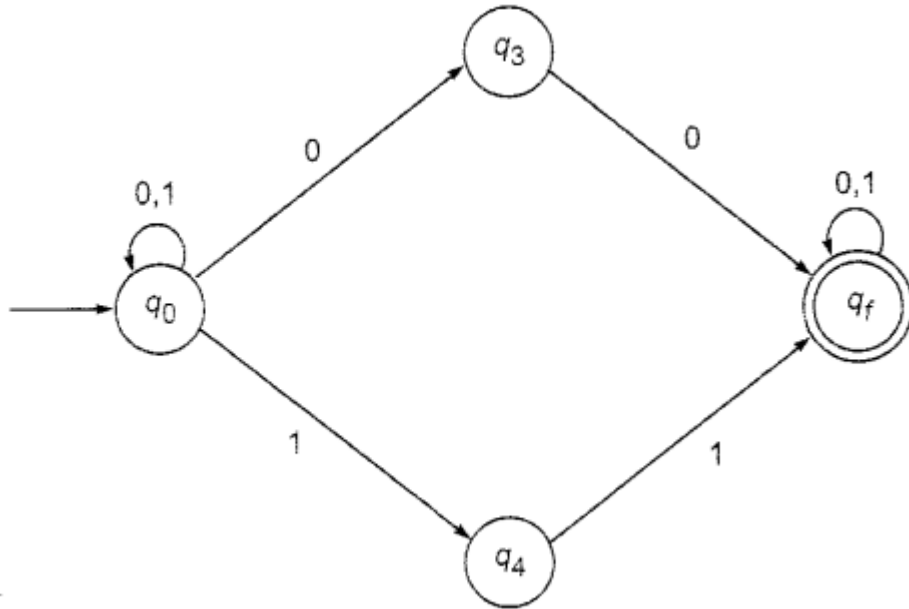
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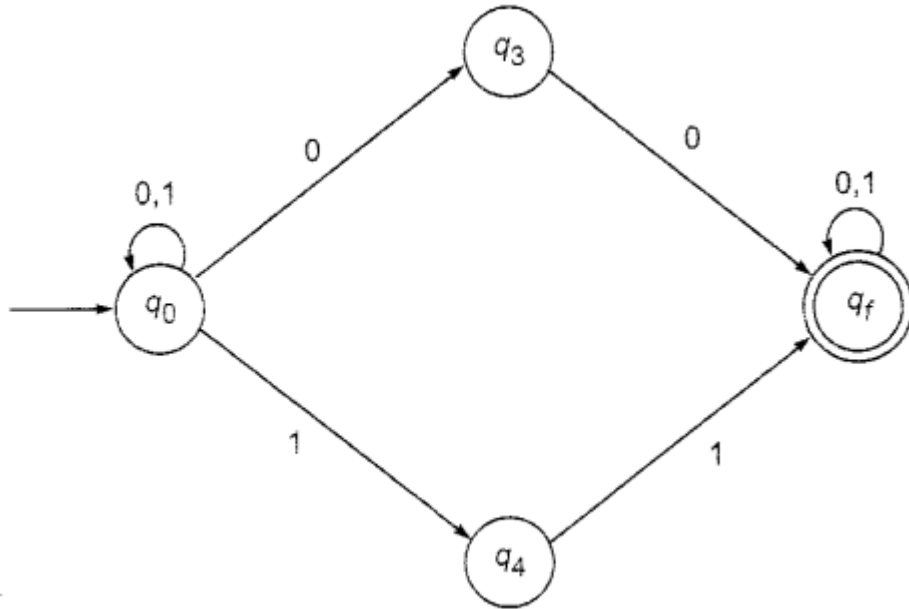
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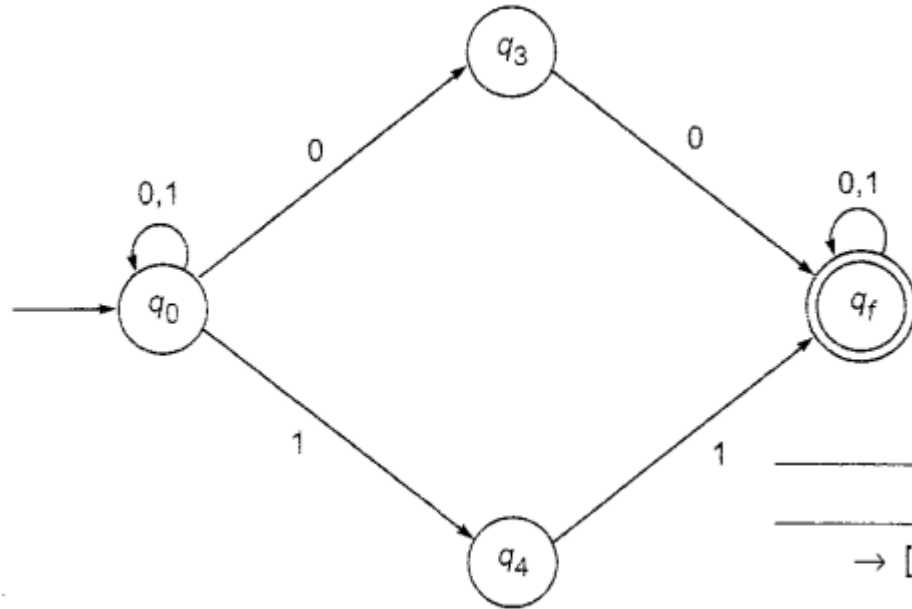
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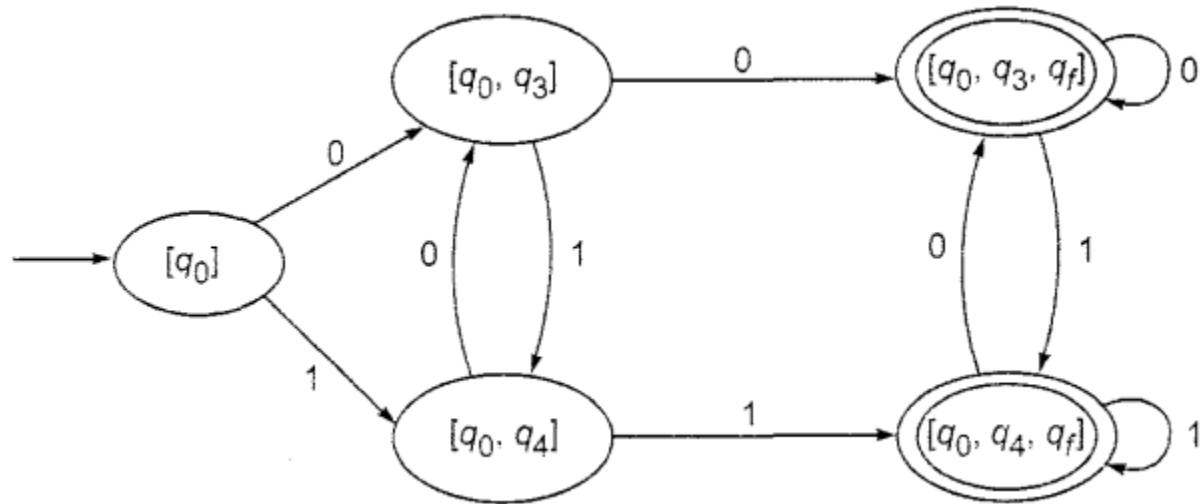


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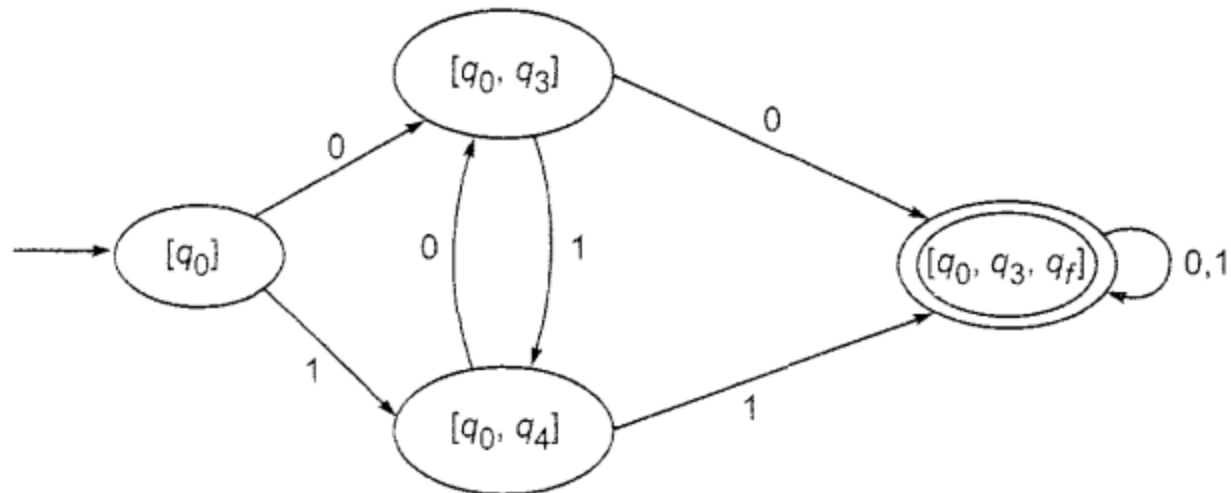
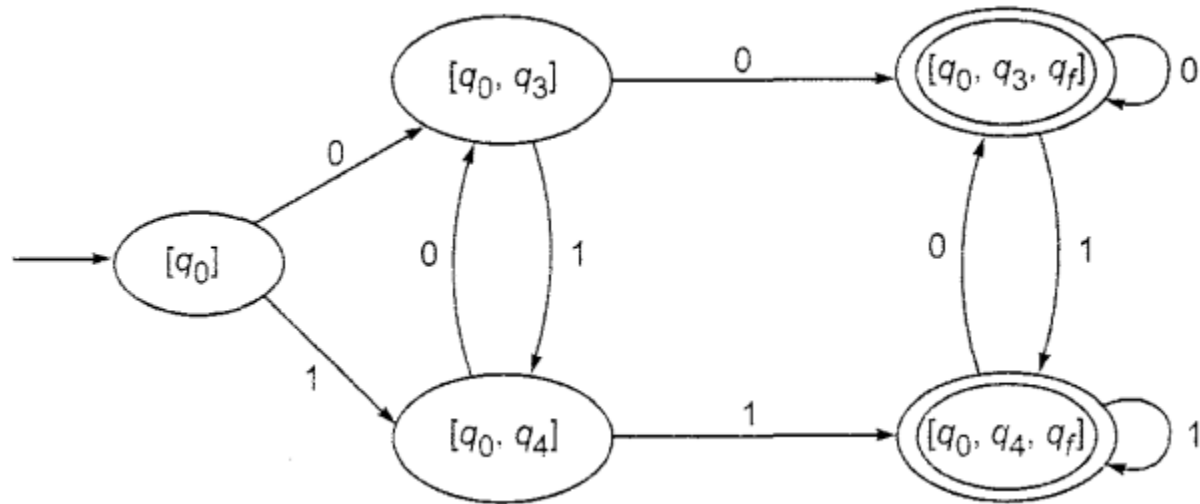
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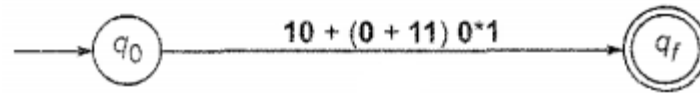


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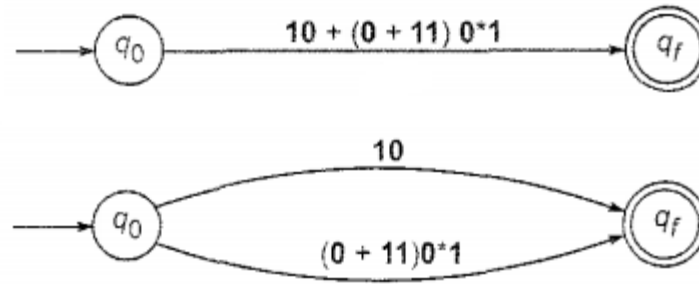
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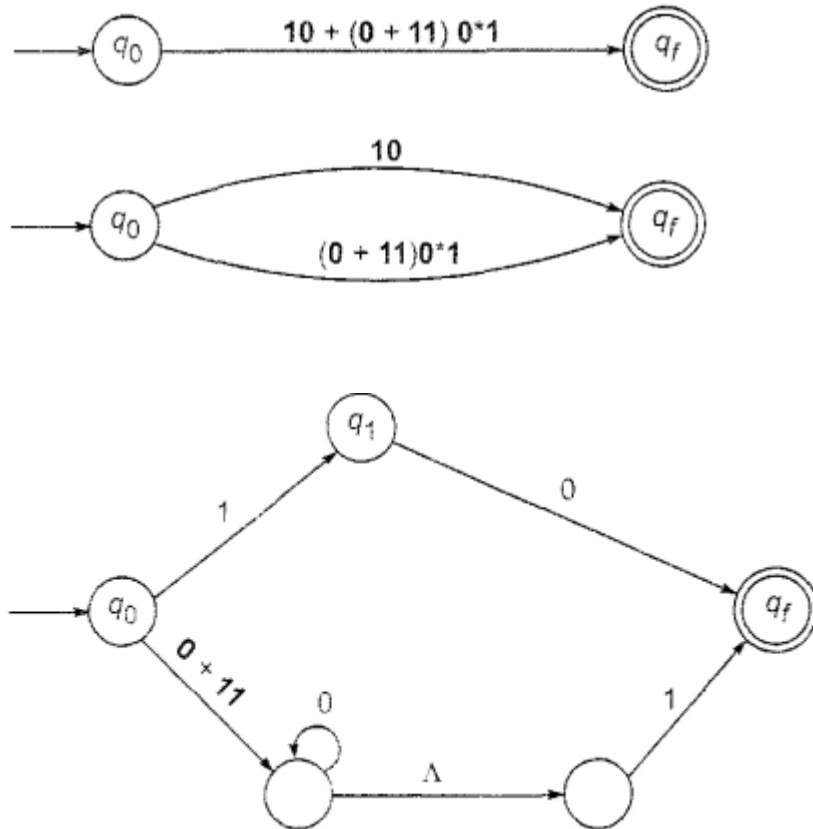
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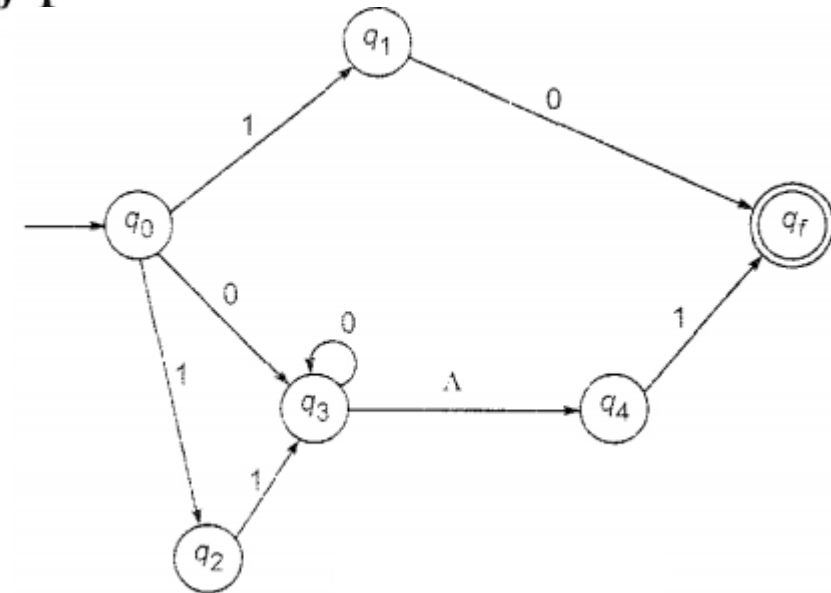
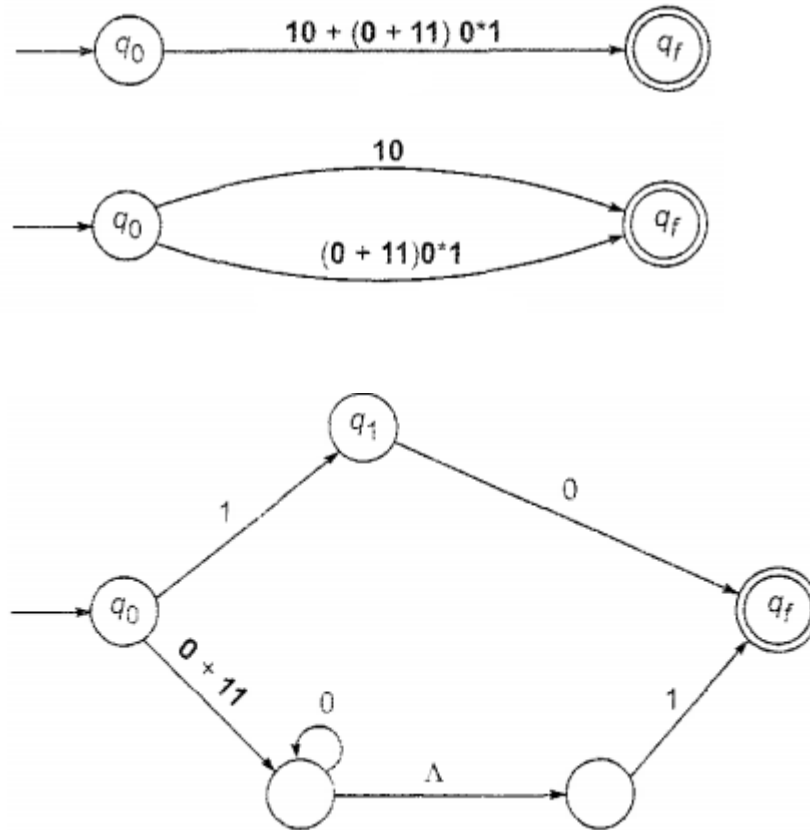
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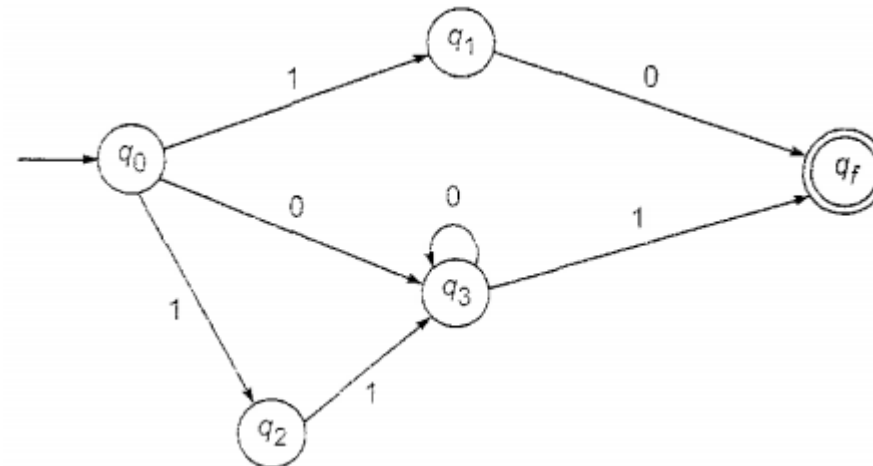
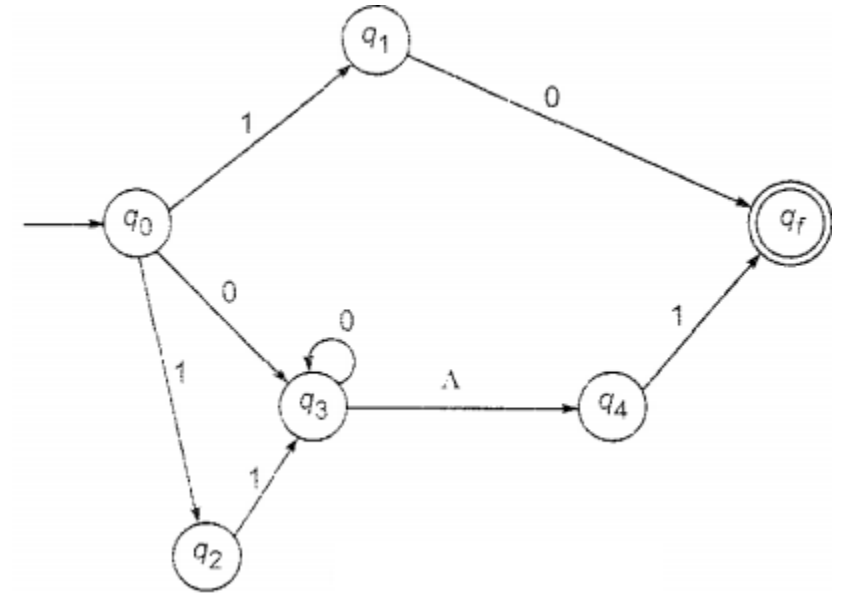
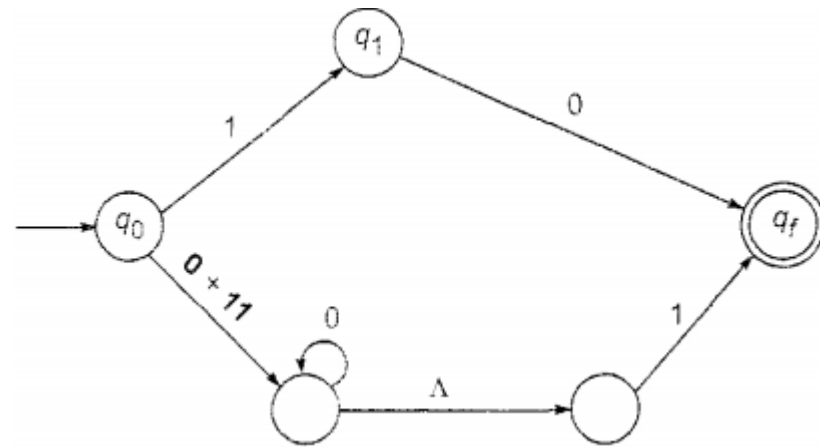
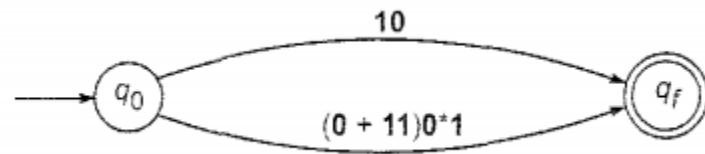
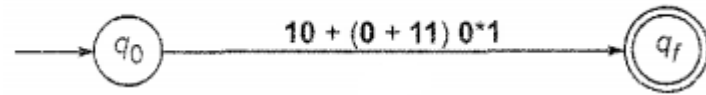
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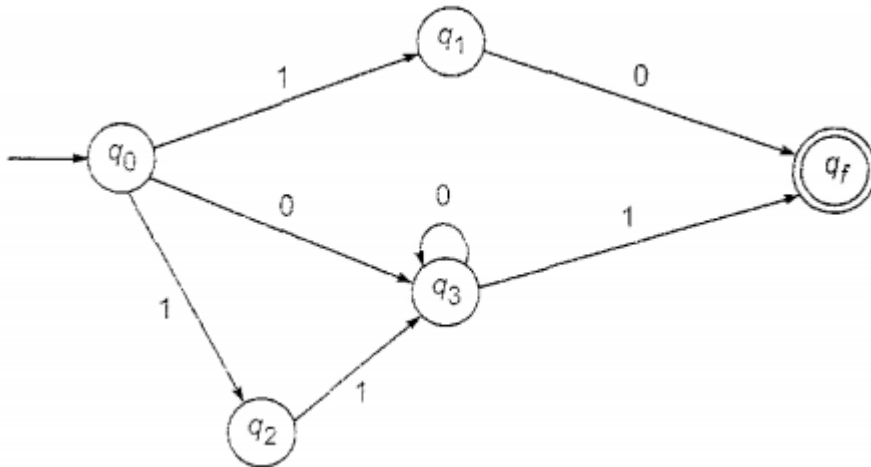
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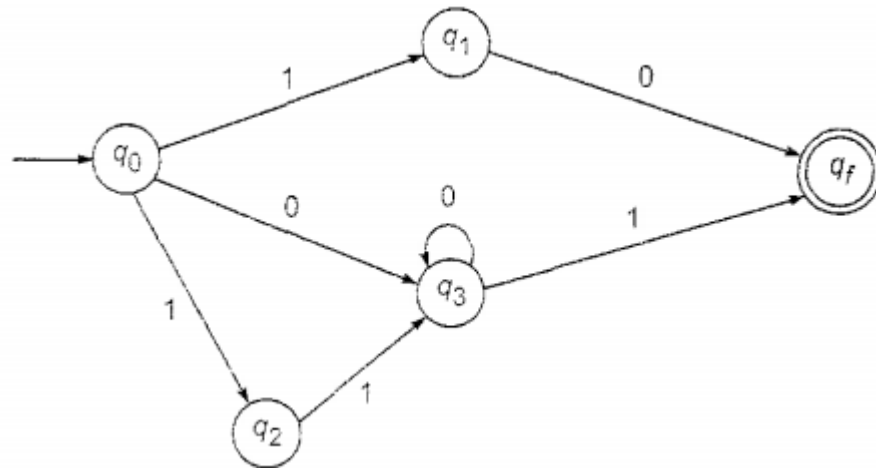
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q_2		q_3
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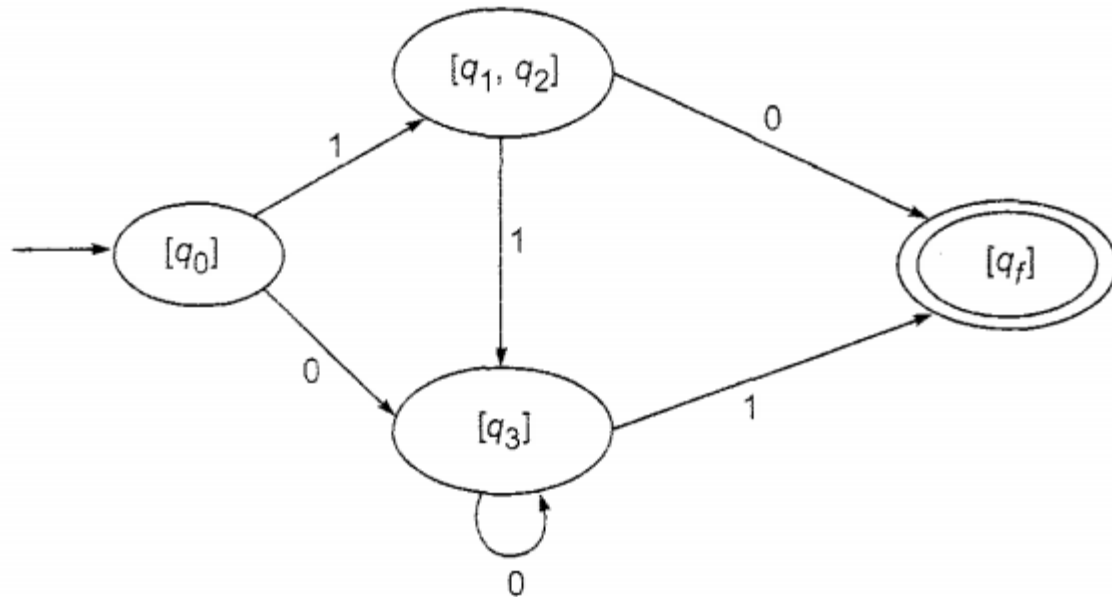


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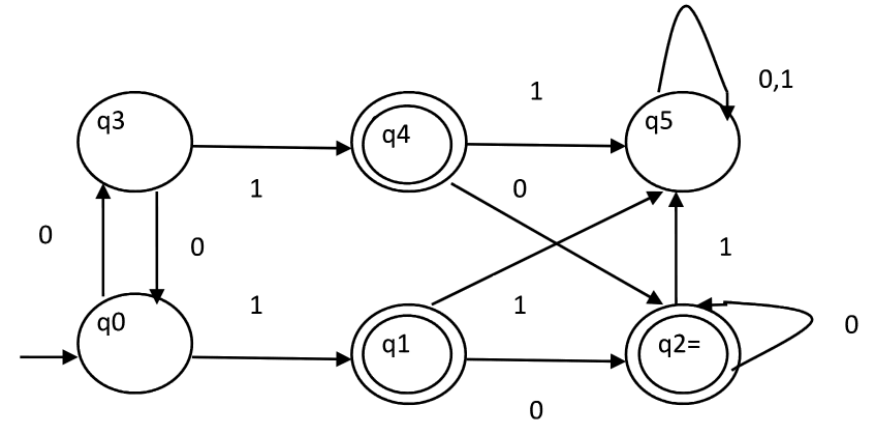
Partition Method of Minimization of DFA

- Suppose there is a DFA $D = \langle Q, \Sigma, q_0, \delta, F \rangle$ which recognizes a language L . Then the minimized DFA $D = \langle Q', \Sigma, q_0, \delta', F' \rangle$ can be constructed for language L as:
 - Step 1: We will divide Q (set of states) into two sets. One set will contain all final states and other set will contain non-final states. This partition is called P_0 .
 - Step 2: Initialize $k = 1$
 - Step 3: Find P_k by partitioning the different sets of P_{k-1} . In each set of P_{k-1} , we will take all possible pair of states. If two states of a set are distinguishable, we will split the sets into different sets in P_k .
 - Step 4: Stop when $P_k = P_{k-1}$ (No change in partition)
 - Step 5: All states of one set are merged into one. No. of states in minimized DFA will be equal to no. of sets in P_k .

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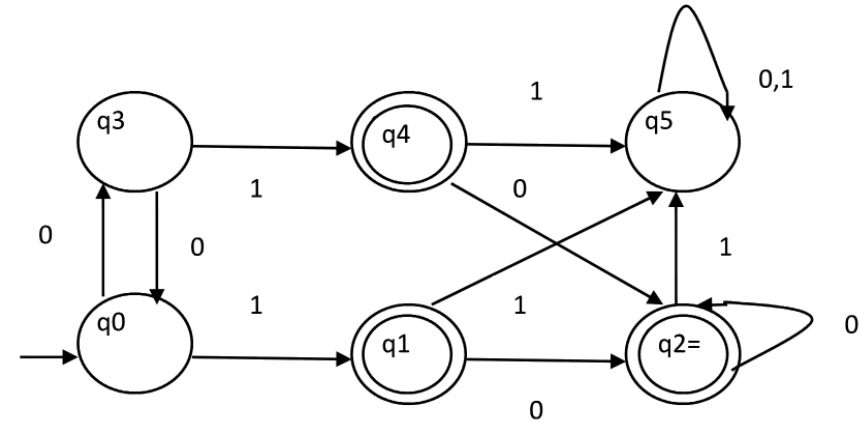
- How to find whether two states in partition P_k are distinguishable?
 - Two states (q_i, q_j) are distinguishable in partition P_k if for any input symbol a , $\delta(q_i, a)$ and $\delta(q_j, a)$ are in different sets in partition P_{k-1} .

Partition Method of Minimization of DFA - Example



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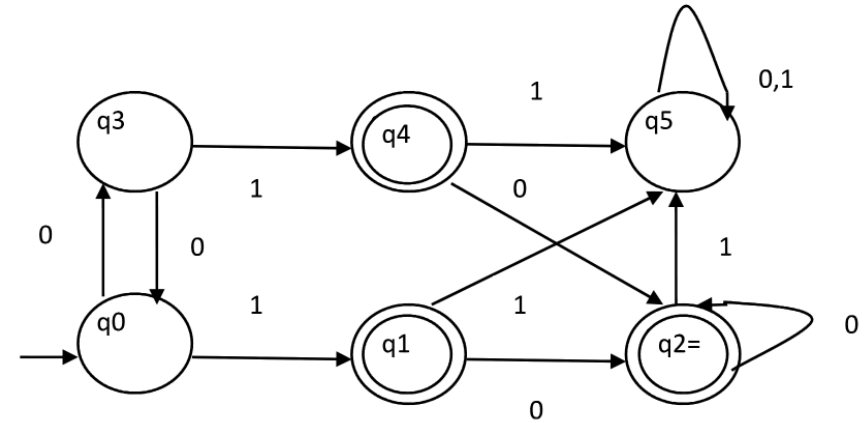
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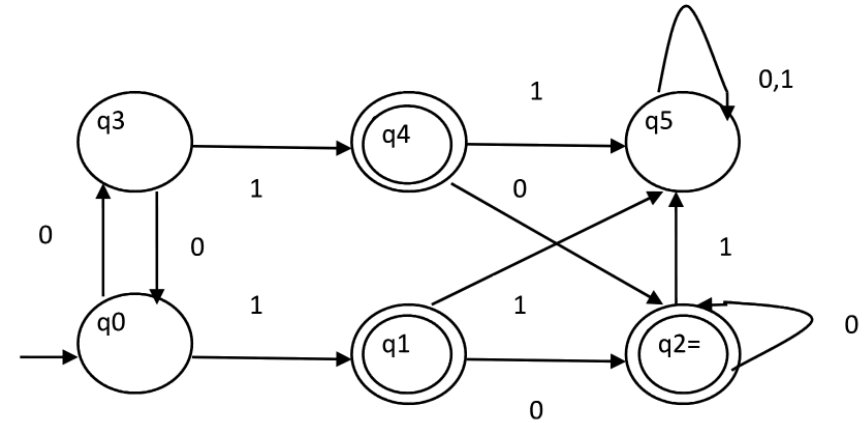


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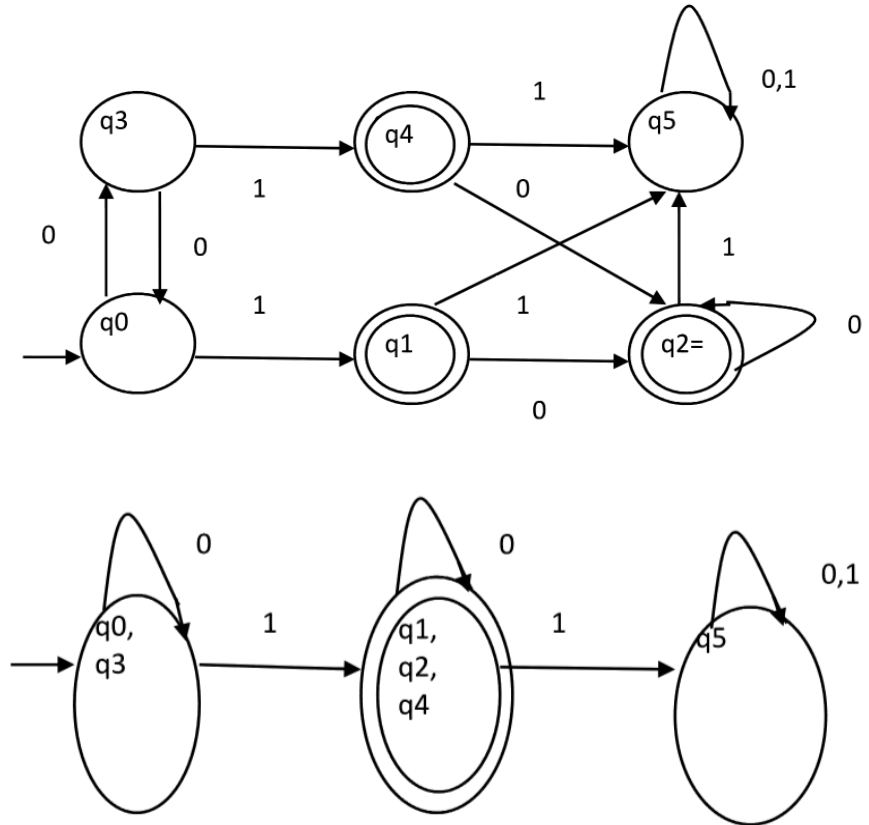


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THANK YOU



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