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Quiz 01 - DFA and NFA

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Q 1: Create a DFA that accepts FOX and FOXTROT only.

Q 2: Create a NFA that accepts FOX and FOXTROT only. (*Hint: Choice at F, O or X*)

Q 3: Find a DFA for $L = \{ab^n, 0 \le n \le 2\}$

Q 4: For the transition table given in Table 1, create an appropriate NFA where $S = q_0$, and $q_1 \in F$.

Table 1: Transition table

	0	1	λ
q_{o}	$\mathrm{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$	$\mathrm{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$	-
q_1	$ m q_2$	q_0, q_1	$ m q_2$
q_2	q_1	-	-

Q 5: Identify a NFA for all strings that contain exactly two 'a' and followed by not more than two 'b'. This pattern maybe found anywhere in the whole string.

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