

## How to determine the color of component $j$ in state $q$ ?

The state  $q$  is the successor state of state  $p$ .

- If  $p$  contains no component with color 2 (0|1|01)

The color of the predecessor component of $q(j)$ is...	Component $q(j)$ is...	
	non-accepting	accepting
0	0	2
1	2	2

- If  $p$  contains one or more components with color 2 (2|02|12|012)

The color of the predecessor component of $q(j)$ is...	Component $q(j)$ is...	
	non-accepting	accepting
0	0	1
1	1	1
2	2	2

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**Equivalent alternative, as discussed at the meeting.**

The state  $q$  is the successor state of state  $p$ .

- If  $p$  contains no component with color 2 or 1 (0)

The color of the predecessor component of $q(j)$ is...	Component $q(j)$ is...	
	non-accepting	accepting
0	0	2

- If  $p$  contains at least one component with color 1, but none with color 2 (1 | 01)

The color of the predecessor component of $q(j)$ is...	Component $q(j)$ is...	
	non-accepting	accepting
0	0	1
1	1	2

Note: that a state contains color 1 but not color 2 can only happen if a run through a color 2 component previously died (color 2 disappeared).

- If  $p$  contains one or more components with color 2 (2 | 02 | 12 | 012)

The color of the predecessor component of $q(j)$ is...	Component $q(j)$ is...	
	non-accepting	accepting
0	0	1
1	1	1
2	2	2