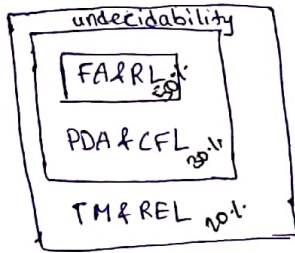


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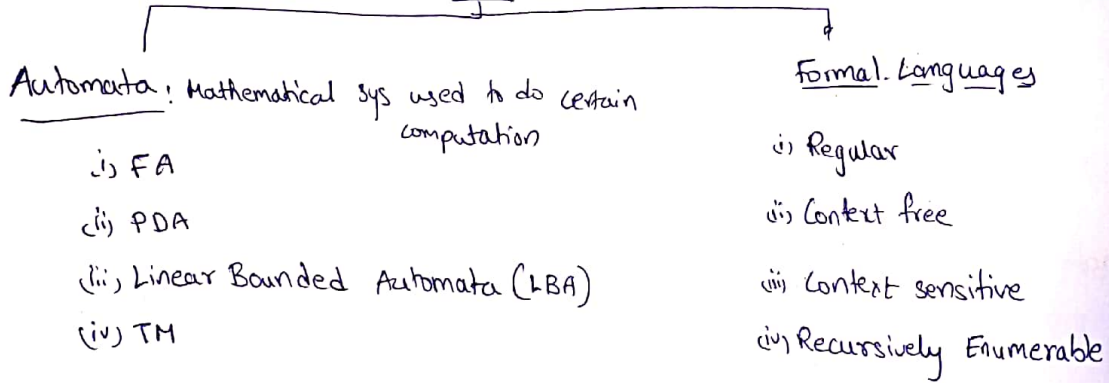
Syllabus :



Text books :

1. Introduction to formal languages & Automata by peter linz
2. Theory of Computation by I.A. Daniel
- * 3. Introduction to language, automata & computation by ullman; Aho
4. Introduction to automata & compiler design by Dasaradh-R.k.

TOC



Fundamentals & Terminology :

Alphabet : An alphabet is finite set of symbols denoted by Σ .

$\Sigma = \{0,1,2\}$ valid

$\Sigma = \{0,1,2 \dots 9\}$ valid

$\Sigma = \{0,1,2 \dots\}$ invalid

words / strings / sentences : A finite sequence of symbols over some fixed alphabet called as string, which is denoted by 'w' or 'x'.

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

w = 101110 - valid string

* w = 101121 - invalid string

length of the string: The no of symbols composing the string is called length of the string, denoted by $|w|$.

Empty string is denoted by ϵ or λ or Λ

eg: $w = 101101 = 1\epsilon 011\epsilon 01\epsilon$
 $|w| = 6$ \hookrightarrow length is still 6.

power alphabet: The power alphabet Σ^k denotes set of all strings of length k over Σ .

eg: $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$
 $\Sigma^0 = \{\epsilon\}$
 $\Sigma^1 = \{0, 1\}$
 $\Sigma^2 = \{00, 01, 10, 11\}$

$\rightarrow \Sigma^*$ - All strings of length 0 or more. (i.e., Universal set over the alphabet)

$$\Sigma^* = \Sigma^0 + \Sigma^1 + \Sigma^2 + \dots = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \Sigma^i$$

$\rightarrow \Sigma^+$ = All strings of length 1 or more.

$$\Sigma^+ = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \Sigma^i = \Sigma^* - \epsilon$$

Operations on string:

prefixes: All possible leading symbol substrings

suffixes: All possible tail end symbol substrings

eg: $w = toc$
 prefixes: ϵ, t, to, toc Proper prefixes: t, to, toc
 suffixes: ϵ, c, oc, toc Proper suffixes: ϵ, oc, toc } exclude 'e'

Concatenation: To obtain concatenation of two strings w_1 & w_2 . Write w_1 followed by w_2 without any space b/w them

$w_1 = cat$
 $w_2 = walk$ } $w_1 w_2 = catwalk$

palindrome: A string w is said to be a palindrome, it should be identical whether we read forward or backward.

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

palindromes: 0, 00100, 1001, ...

Consider the following alphabet and the string w_1 & w_2

$\Sigma = \{0,1\}$ $w_1 = 0011$ $w_2 = 1100$

(a) find no of strings of length 3 begins and end with 1. - 2

(b) $|w_1 w_1| = 8$

(c) $|w_1 w_2 w_1| = 001111000011$

(d) whether $w_1 w_2$ is it palindrome? - Yes

(e) # of prefixes of w_1 - 5 (length + 1)

(f) No of common suffixes of w_1 & w_2 [e]

(g) How many string of length 5 are palindromes with '1' in 3rd place: 4

Formal Languages: Set of strings over some fixed alphabet is called is language denoted L or L .

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

$L = \{01, 0011, 000111, \dots\}$

$L = \{01, 0^2 1^2, 0^3 1^3, \dots\}$

$L = \{0^n 1^n \mid n > 0\}$

$L = \{w \in \{0,1\}^+ \mid \text{every } w \text{ has equal no of 0's followed by equal no of 1's}\}$

Let L can be described as set of all strings over set $\{0,1\}$ with equal no of 0's and 1's followed by equal no of 1's.

→ list the members of the language over the alphabet $\{0,1\}$, all strings of length 4
 $\{0000, 0001, \dots, 1111\}$

$$L = \{w \in \{0,1\}^+ \mid |w|=4\}$$

Operations on language:

→ $L_1 = \{\} = \phi$ (empty language)

→ $L_2 = \{\epsilon\} = \epsilon$ (empty string language) (Its size is one)

$$(L_1 \neq L_2)$$

Countably infinite : Eg: $\{1,2,3,\dots\}$

Uncountably infinite : Eg: $\{x \mid x \text{ is a real number}\}$
 $\{12.11, 12.12, 12.111, \dots\}$

*** All formal languages are either finite or countably infinite but no uncountably infinite.

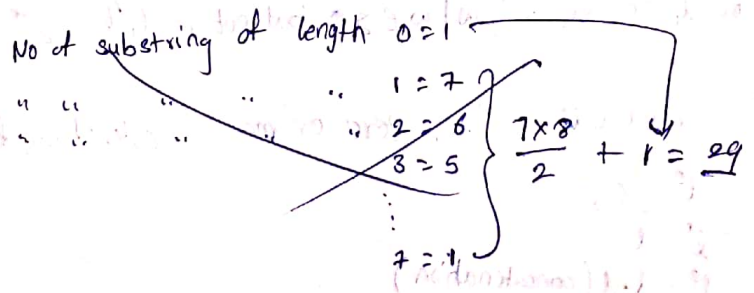
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Q: Consider the following strings over alphabet $\Sigma = \{a,b,c\}$

$w = \underline{b}a \overset{7}{c} \overset{6}{a} \overset{5}{c} \overset{4}{a} \overset{3}{b} \overset{2}{b} \overset{1}{b}$

Find the no of substring of the w ?

sol:



0 length	1 length	2 length	3	4	5	6	7
ϵ	a b c	aa ab ac ba bb	5	4	3	2	1

$\Rightarrow 25$

Let $\Sigma = \{0,1\}$. How many strings are possible of length n ?

a) n b) $n+1$ c) 2^n d) $2n$

Q: Let $\Sigma = \{a,b,c\}$. No. of strings of length ≤ 3 .

$$\frac{0}{1} \quad \frac{1}{3} \quad \frac{2}{9} \quad \frac{3}{27} = 40$$

Note:

Let Σ be the alphabet with m symbols, the possible no. of strings of length n are: m^n

Language Operations:

Union: $L_1 \cup L_2 = \{w \mid w \text{ is in either } L_1 \text{ or } L_2\}$

Intersection: $L_1 \cap L_2 = \{w \mid w \text{ is in both } L_1 \text{ \& } L_2\}$

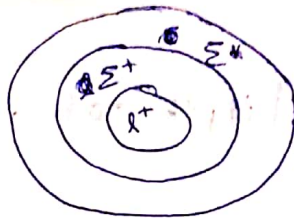
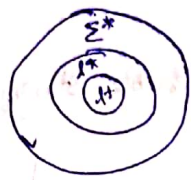
Concatenation: $L_1 L_2 = \{xy \mid x \in L_1 \text{ \& } y \in L_2\}$

Complementation: L_1^c or \bar{L}_1 or $\sim L_1 = \{w \mid w \in \Sigma^* \text{ but not in } L_1\} = \Sigma^* - L_1$

Kleen closure: $L^* = L^0 \cup L^1 \cup L^2 \dots$ i.e., zero or more concatenations of L .

$\Rightarrow L^0 = \{\epsilon\}$
 $L^1 = L$
 $L^2 = L \cdot L$ (concatenation)

Positive closure: $L^+ = L^* - L^0$ i.e., one or more concatenations of L .



Q: Consider the following language $L = \{a^i b^j \mid i=j > 0\}$

① which of the following represents complementation of L

a) $L = \{a^i b^j \mid i \neq j > 0\}$

b) $L = \{a^i b^j \mid i \neq j \geq 0\}$

c) $L = \{w \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+ \text{ and } w \text{ contains unequal no of a's, b's}\}$

✓ d) none of the above.

(abab)

Correct answer is d

~~$L = \{w \mid w \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ and } w \text{ contains unequal no of a's, b's}\}$~~

①

Q: Consider the following lang over the alphabet $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$. which of

the following is true

(i) $L_1 = \{w \mid w \text{ no}(w) = n_1(w)\}$

where $n_0 = \text{no of zeroes in } w$
 $n_1 = \text{no of ones in } w$

(ii) $L_2 = \{w \mid w \text{ contains all strings } \{0, 1\}^*\}$

(iii) $L_3 = \{w \mid w \text{ contains all palindromes over } \{0, 1\}^*\}$

(iv)

a) Find the no of strings of length 4 common in all three lang. - 2 (1001, 0110)

b) which one of the following relationship true of these lang

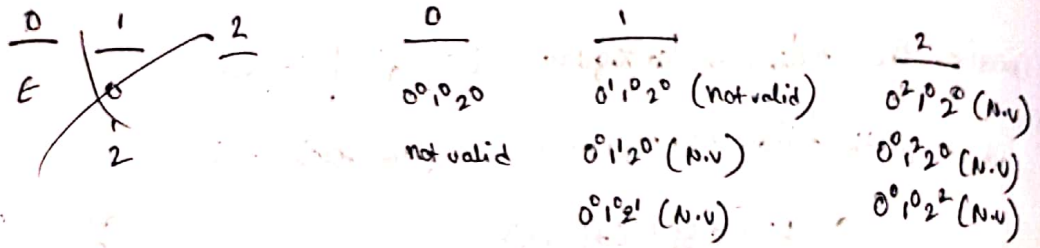
1) $L_1 \subseteq L_2 \subseteq L_3$

2) $L_2 \subseteq L_1 \subseteq L_3$

3) $L_2 \subseteq L_3 \subseteq L_1$

✓ 4) none of the above

Q: Consider $L = \{0^i 1^j 2^k \mid i, j, k > 0\}$. No. of possible strings of length 2 or less.



Ans: 0

Q: Let w be the string of length n and w contains diff symbols. How many non empty substring string are possible with w ?

- (a) 2^n
- b) $2n$
- c) $n+1$
- ✓ d) $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

check computing substring by removing prefix & suffix

Sol:

No. of substring of length 'n' = 1
 " " " " " n-1 = 2
 " " " " " 2 = n-1
 " " " " " 1 = n

} Sum = $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

Q: Set of all strings of length n can how many substrings

Ans: $(n+1)$ to $\frac{n(n+1)}{2} + 1$

when all symbols are equal

when all symbols are distinct.

Q: If $l^* = l^0 + l^1 + l^2 + \dots$ then $ll^* =$ _____

- (V) a) $l^* + \epsilon$
- b) $l^* + l$
- (V) c) ll^*
- d) None

sol:

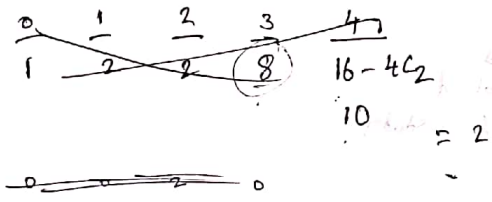
$$ll^* = l(\epsilon + l + l^2 + l^3 + \dots)$$

$$= l + ll^2 + ll^3 + \dots = l^+$$

Q: Let $l = \{w \mid w \in \{0,1\}^* \text{ and } n_0(w) \neq n_1(w)\}$

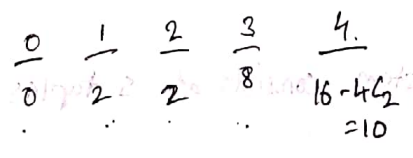
(V)

Find the strings of length 4 or less, in l^+ .



Method 1:

For l



$= 22$

Total no of string of length 4 or less = $2^5 - 1 = 31$ ($2^0 + 2^1 + \dots + 2^4 = 2^{4+1} - 1$)

Ans = $31 - 22 = 9$

Method 2:

Directly compute l^+

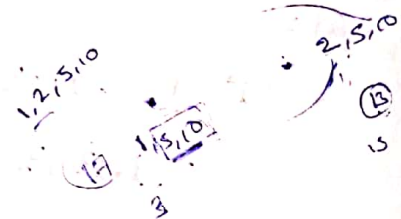
$l^+ = \{ \epsilon, 00, 11, 0011, 1010, 1100, 0101, 1001, 0110 \} \rightarrow 9$

Q: A lang defined over a alphabet $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$ and every w length is 7 such that first place, 4th place and last place are 1's. Find no of string in lang.

sol:

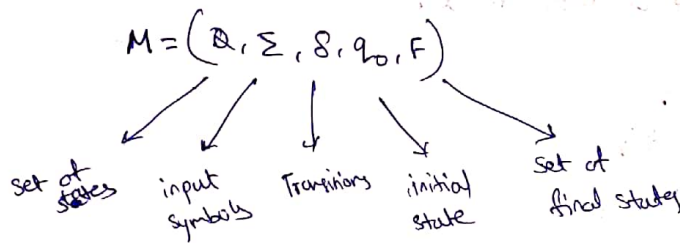
$$1 _ _ _ 1 _ _ _ 1$$

$$2^4 = 16$$



Ans

Finite Automata:



→ can be represented by (i) state diagram/transition diagram/transition system, (ii) state table/transition table

→ FA is a mathematical system consists of 5 tuples

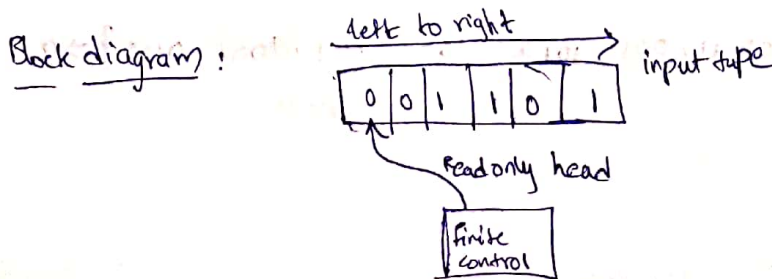
→ q_0 --- initial state

q_f --- final, state

→ Although there are many applications with the F.A, the main obj of the

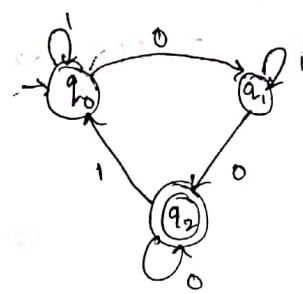
FA is to perform certain computational operations in the computer science.

The following is finite automata to identify whether binary number has odd zeroes or even zeroes



→ A FA's basic obj is recognition of string. A string w is said to be accepted by FA if and only if a machine terminated at final state by reading the last symbol in w . In other words a string w said to be accepted by FA $\Leftrightarrow \delta(q_0, w) = p$ for some 'p' in 'F'.

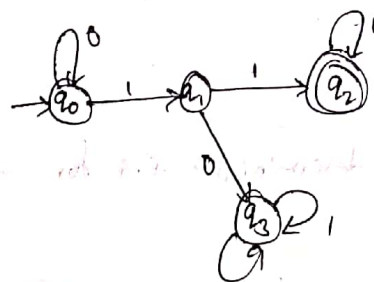
Q: Consider below F.A



check whether the following strings are recognised by the F.A or not

- ✓ a) 101110
- ✗ b) 010101
- ✗ c) 1001

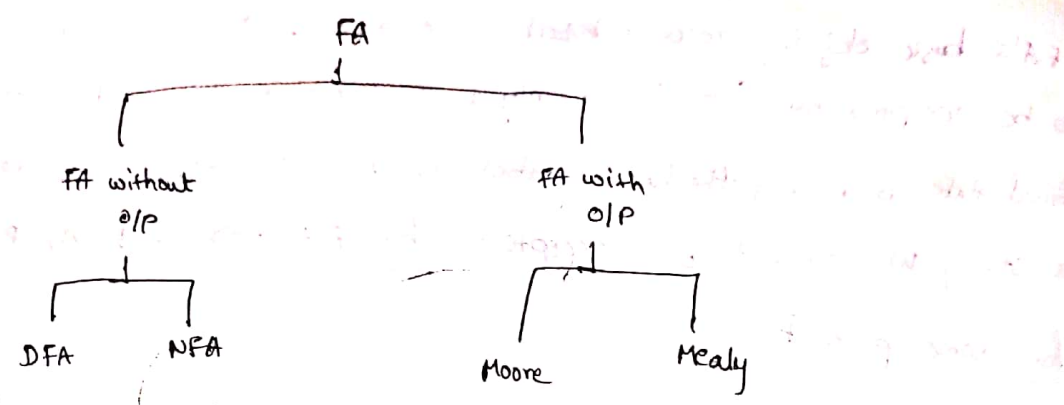
Q: Consider following F.A



- ✗ a) 010010
- ✗ b) 1000110
- ✗ c) 0101110
- ✗ d) 100111001

$$L(M) = \{ 11, 011, 110, 111, 0011, 0110, \dots \}$$

→ language of M can be defined as set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ which with any zeroes followed by 2 consecutive 1's followed by any combination of 0's & 1's.



DFA:

- In DFA for i/p symbol there exist exactly one transition
- The state table of DFA consists of single entities. The DFA never permits ϵ transitions.

$\delta: Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$

NFA:

→ It is a 5 tuple system

$M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$

δ : defined as

$Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow 2^Q$

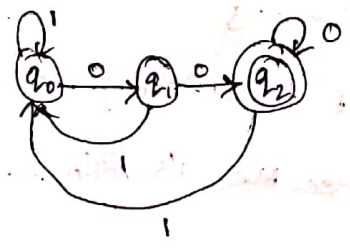
- For each i/p symbol of NFA there may exist one or more transitions.
- The state table of NFA consists of multiply defined entries. The NFA may also permits ϵ -transitions.

→ All NFA are generally translated into deterministic F.A for easy ^{& secured} implementation

of code

i.e., developing a mechanism or logic for NFA is difficult than that of DFA. Hence we do translate NFAs to DFAs.

eg: Design a DFA to recognise set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ ending with 00



$L = \{00, 000, 100, 0000, 0100, 1000, 1100, \dots\}$

lets design for 1 at 3rd place from right end.

	0	1
q_0	q_0	q_1
q_1	q_2	q_3
q_2	q_4	q_5
q_3	q_6	q_7
q_4^*	q_0	q_1
q_5^*	q_2	q_3
q_6^*	q_4	q_5
q_7^*	q_6	q_7

$2^{3-1} = 4$ final states

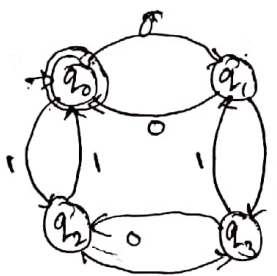
$2^3 = 8$ states

for 1 at 10th place from right end

$2^{10} = 1024$ states

$2^9 = 512$ final state

∴ to accept set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ with even no of 0's & even no of 1's.

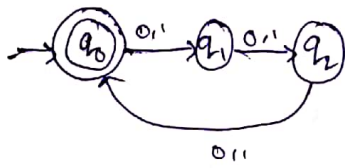


$L = \{ \epsilon, 00, 11, 0011, 1100, 110011, 001100, 000011, 0110, 1001, 10100101 \}$

In above fig q_1 is final state \rightarrow odd 0's even 1's
 q_2 is final state \rightarrow even 0's odd 1's
 q_3 is final state \rightarrow odd 0's odd 1's

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Q: Design a DFA to recognize set of all strings whose length is exactly divisible by 3 over alphabet $\Sigma = \{0,1\}$

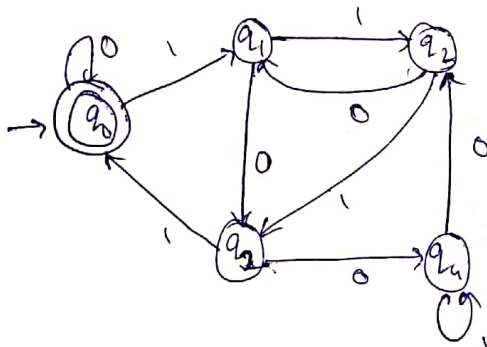


$L = \{\epsilon, 000, 111, 010, 000111000, \dots\}$



Q: Design a DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$, here the binary numbers are interpreted as decimal integers. The machine should accept all the strings whose decimal value is divisible by 5.

$L = \{0, 101, 1010, 1111, 10100, 11001, 11110, 100011\}$



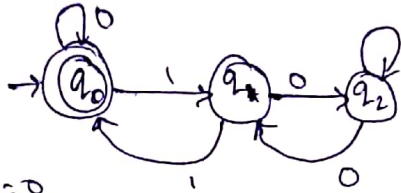
- $q_0 - \text{mod } 5 = 0$
 - $q_1 - \text{mod } 5 = 1$
 - $q_2 - \text{mod } 5 = 2$
 - $q_3 - \text{mod } 5 = 3$
 - $q_4 - \text{mod } 5 = 4$
- $q_1: 10 \text{ mod } 5 = 2 = q_2$
 - $11 \text{ mod } 5 = 3 = q_3$
 - $q_2: 100 \text{ mod } 5 = 4 = q_4$
 - $101 \text{ mod } 5 = 0 = q_0$
 - $q_3: \}$ sily
 - $q_4: \}$ sily

imp

	0	1
$\rightarrow q_0^*$	q_0	q_1
q_1	q_2	q_3
q_2	q_4	q_0
q_3	q_1	q_2
q_4	q_3	q_4

Pattern

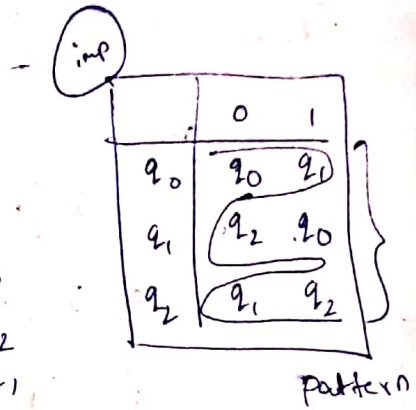
silly for divisible by 3



$q_0: 0 \text{ mod } 3 = 0$
 $1 \text{ mod } 3 = 1$

$q_1: 1 \cdot 0 \text{ mod } 3 = 2 \Rightarrow q_2$
 $1 \cdot 1 \text{ mod } 3 = 0 \Rightarrow q_0$

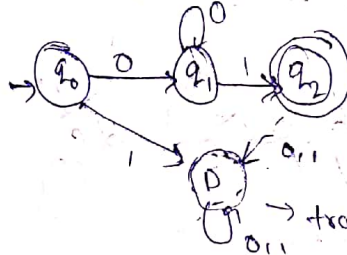
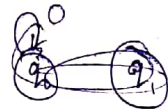
$q_2: 101 \text{ mod } 3 = 2 \Rightarrow q_2$
 $100 \text{ mod } 3 = 2 \Rightarrow q_1$



Q: Construct a DFA for the lang

$$L = \{0^n 1 / n > 0\}$$

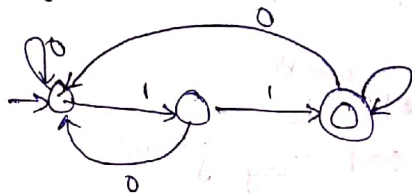
$$L = \{01, 001, 0001, \dots\}$$



trap state (or) dead state

Previous Questions:

Consider the following DFA



The M accepts all strings over $\{0,1\}$

- a) begin with 0, end with 1
- b) ending 1
- c) substring 11
- d) ending 11

For this type of questions list possible strings of long given and options
(Random verification may go wrong)

given

$$L = \{11, 111, 11011, 1011, 011, \dots\}$$

a) $L = \{011, \dots\}$

b) $\{1, \dots\}$

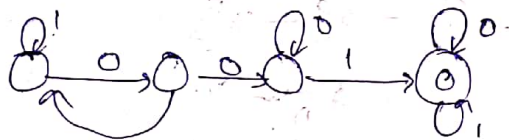
c) $\{11, 011, 110\}$

d) $\{11, 011, 111, 0011, 01011, \dots\}$

\therefore ending with 11.

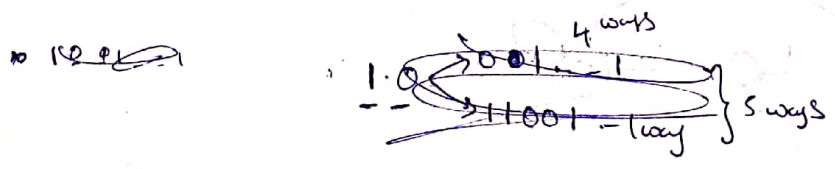
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Consider the following DFA 'M'



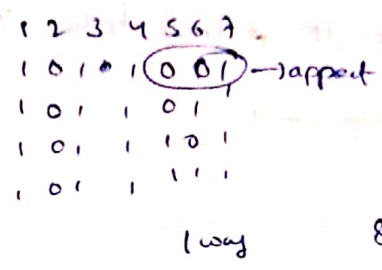
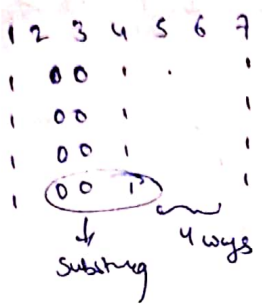
Let S denote set of 4 bit binary strings in which the 1st, 4th and last bits are 1. The no of strings in S that are accepted by M is

- a) 1 b) 5 c) 7 d) 8



$$L = \{001, 1001, 01001, 010010, \dots\}$$

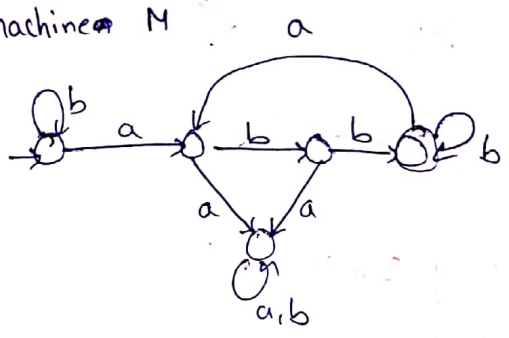
observing above automata, it accepts strings with substring '001'.



81ly 2 more ways

$$4 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 7$$

Q: Consider the machine M



The lang recognized by M is

- a) $\{w \in \{a,b\}^* \mid \text{every } a \text{ in } w \text{ is followed by exactly 2 } b\}$
- b) $\{w \in \{a,b\}^* \mid \text{every } a \text{ in } w \text{ is followed by at least 2 } b\}$
- c) $\{w \in \{a,b\}^* \mid w \text{ contains the substring } abb\}$
- d) $\{w \in \{a,b\}^* \mid w \text{ does not contain } aa \text{ as substring}\}$

or given

$$L = \{ abb, babb, abbb, bbbb, abbabb, \dots \}$$

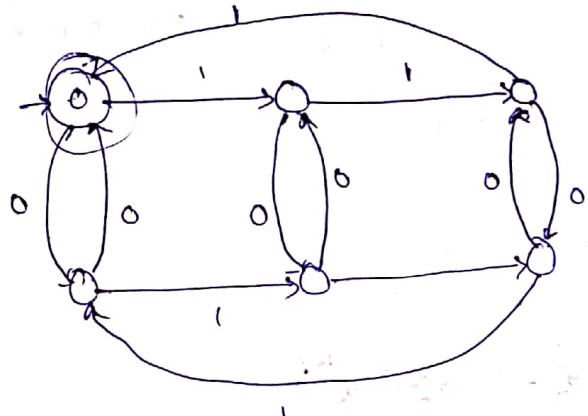
for (a) $L = \{ abb, abbb, \dots \}$ X

(b) $L = \{ abb, babb, bbabb, babbabb, abb \dots \}$ ✓

(c) $L = \{ abb, aabb, \dots \}$ X

(d) $L = \{ e, ab, ab, aba, \dots \}$ X

Q: The following FSM accepts all those binary strings in which no of 1's is ~~odd~~ and no of 0's are respectively _____



- a) divisible by 3 & 2
- b) odd & even
- c) even & odd
- d) divisible by 2 & 3

for given

$$L = \{ \epsilon, 00, 111, 11100, 00111, 10011, 10110, 1001001, \dots \}$$

for (a) $L = \{ 00, 111, 11100, 11001, 10011, 01110, \dots \}$ ✓

(b) $L = \{ 1, \dots \}$ ✗

(c) $L = \{ 11, \dots \}$ ✗

(d) $L = \{ 11, 000, \dots \}$ ✗

if mod 1's mod 3 = 1
~~not~~ mod 0's divisible by 2
 He in above fig we take



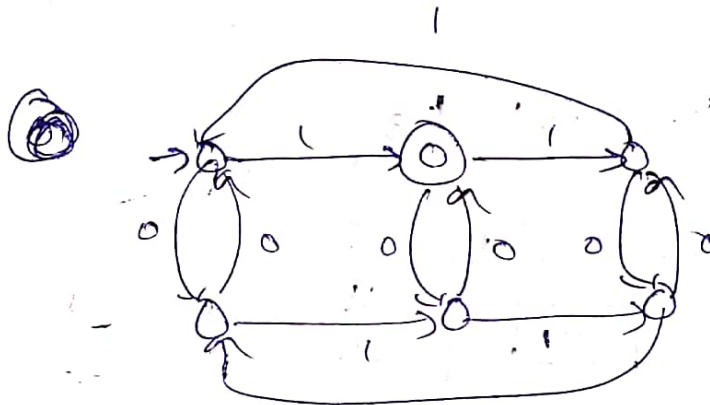
Note:
 for 1's divisible by 3 & 0's divisible by 2
 remainder combinations are
 (0,0) (1,0) (2,0)
 (0,1) (1,1) (2,1) i.e., 6 states
 i.e., $3 \times 2 = 6$ states

→ The automata in which accepts string containing 1's divisible by 5 and 0's divisible by 3 requires 15 states

i.e., $5 \times 3 = 15$

(0,0)	(1,0)	(2,0)	...
(0,1)	(1,1)	(2,1)	...
(0,2)	(1,2)	(2,2)	...

→ Design DFA in which no of 1's divisible by 3 gives remainder 1 and no of 0's is divisible by 2



NFA to DFA conversion:

→ An NFA is 5 tuple system

$$M = \{Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F\}$$

where δ : transition function

$$Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow 2^Q$$

i.e., for each i/p symbol there may exist more than one transition.

The NFA mechanism is very helpful to describe certain non-deterministic system's behaviour but it is very complex to code.

For every NFA there exists DFA that simulates behaviour of NFA i.e., for every NFA 'M' there exists equivalent DFA 'M₁' such that

$$L(M_1) = L(M)$$

Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ be an NFA we construct an equivalent DFA M_1

$$M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma, \delta_1, q_0, F_1)$$

where $Q_1 = 2^Q$ i.e., power set of Q

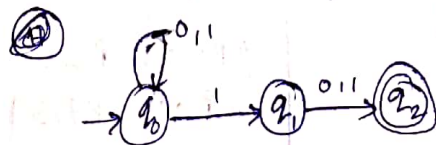
$F_1 \in Q_1$ but contains element F

δ_1 defined as

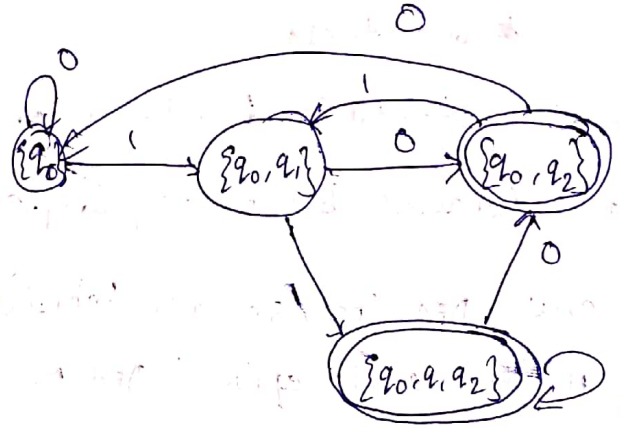
$$\begin{aligned} \delta_1(\{q_0, q_1, \dots, q_n\}, a) &= \delta(q_0, a) \cup \delta(q_1, a) \cup \dots \cup \delta(q_n, a) \\ &= P_0 \cup P_1 \cup \dots \cup P_n \\ &= [P_0, P_1, \dots, P_n] \end{aligned}$$

Ex: Convert the following NFA to DFA

NFA in which last but one symbol is 1.



	0	1
$\rightarrow \{q_0\}$	$\{q_0\}$	$\{q_0, q_1\}$
$\{q_0, q_1\}$	$\{q_0, q_2\}$	$\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$
$\{q_0, q_2\}$	$\{q_0\}$	$\{q_0, q_1\}$
$\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$	$\{q_0, q_2\}$	$\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$



→ In the process of conversion ~~from~~ from NFA to DFA

$Q_1 = 2^Q$ which means Q_1 contains 2^n states.

But this may also contain unreachable states.

So we consider only reachable states

→ Convert below NFA to DFA

	0	1
$\rightarrow P$	P, q	P
q	r	r
r	-	S
$*S$	S	S

DFA →

	0	1
$\rightarrow P$	P, q	P
P, q	P, q, r	P, r
P, q, r	P, q, r	P, q, r, S
P, r	P, q	P, S
P, q, r, S	P, q, r, S	P, S
P, S	P, q, S	P, S
P, q, S	P, q, r, S	P, q, r, S
P, q, r, S	P, q, r, S	P, q, r, S

Convert NFA to DFA

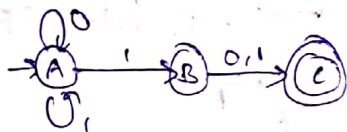
	0	1
→ P	q, r	q
q	r	s
r	q	s
s	s	r

to DFA →

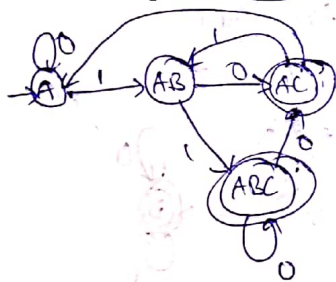
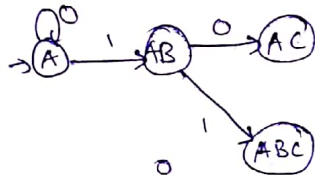
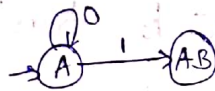
	0	1
P	q, r	q
(q, s)	q, r	s
q	r	s
(s)	s	r
(r)	q	s

~~Convert NFA to DFA~~

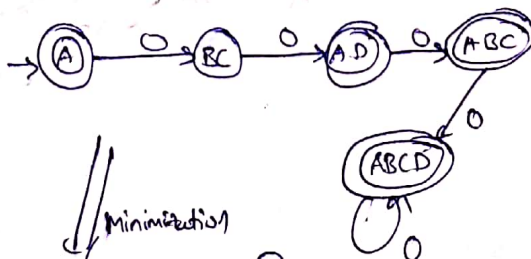
Convert NFA to DFA (Direct diagram to diagram conversion)



↓ direct diagram to diagram conversion



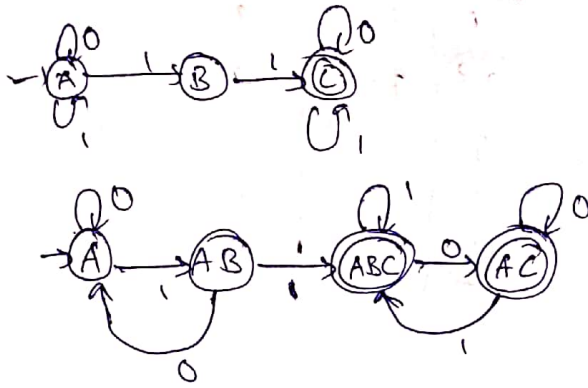
Convert NFA to DFA



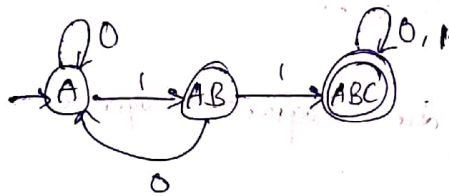
Minimization



→ Convert NFA to DFA



In above fig, once we reach state (ABC) No matter what inp we read, we only move to (AC) or (ABC) which are final states - So below DFA is minimized

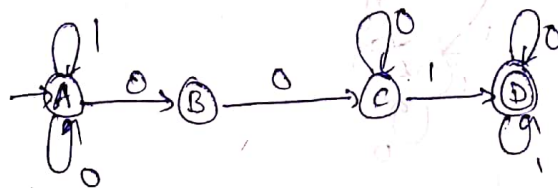


★ note:

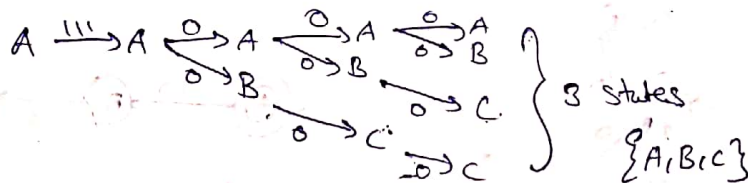
If either of states (ABC) or (AC) has transition to (A) or (AB) which are non-final we can't minimize the DFA in this method of minimization.

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Consider the NFA 'M' shown in the figure

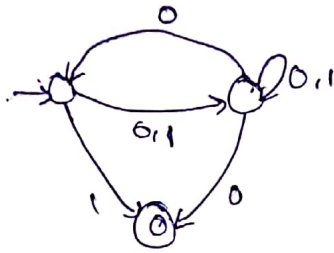


Find the no of reachable states for inp string $w = 11100000$



(Draw tree for this kind of sum)

Q: Consider below NFA 'M'



Let the lang accepted by M be L

Let L_1 be the lang accepted by NFA 'M₁', obtained by changing the ~~acc~~ accepting state of M to non-accepting state, and by changing non-accepting state of M to accepting state. Which of the following ~~state~~ statement is true?

- a) $L_1 = \{0,1\}^* - L$
- b) $L_1 = \{0,1\}^*$
- c) $L_1 \subseteq L$
- d) $L_1 = L$

This is complementation technique of DFA ~~at DFA~~ in which changing final to non-final and non-final to final does not work for NFA.

given

$$L = \{ \epsilon, 1, 10, 101, 1000, 010, 100, \dots \}$$

Now

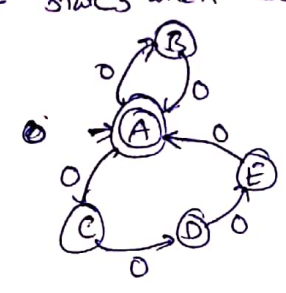


If we observe the above NFA accepts ^{any} string of any length

$$L = \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, \dots \}$$

$$\therefore L = \{0,1\}^*$$

Fin min no of states when below NFA is converted to DFA.

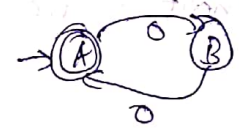


Method 1:

Observing above DFA it is clear that it accepts string containing $2x+4y$ number of zeroes, $x, y \geq 0$

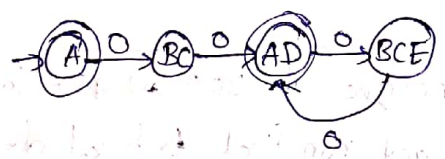
So we can say no of zeroes is divisible by 2

Hence DFA is



Method 2:

direct conversion to DFA



Here direct minimization is not possible as it was in previous cases we can follow long minimization process.

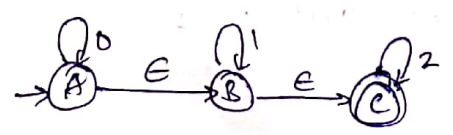
So we follow Method 1

E-NFA

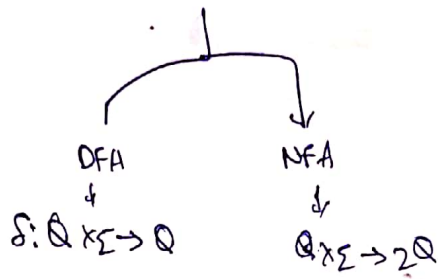
→ permits ϵ -transitions

→ E-NFA tuples $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$

$\delta: Q \times \Sigma \cup \epsilon \rightarrow 2Q$



	0	1	2	ϵ
A	A	-	-	B
B	-	B	-	C
C	-	-	C	-



↓
E-NFA

$$Q \times \Sigma \cup \epsilon \rightarrow 2^Q$$

↳ ϵ can't be in Σ so we represent it separately.

shown above
string accepted by NFA T can be described as any no of zeroes followed by any no of 1's follow by any no of 2's

Ex:



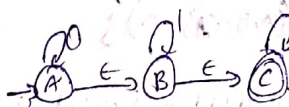
$$L = \{ \epsilon, 1, 11, 111, \dots \}$$

i.e., any no of 1's.

ε-Closure:

→ ε-closure of state q (ε-closure(q)) is the set of states P such that every state in the P is reachable from q through ε.

consider below ε-NFA

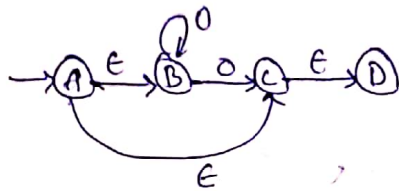


$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon\text{-closure}(A) &= \{A\} \\ &= \{A\} \cup \{B\} \\ &= \{A\} \cup \{B\} \cup \{C\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(A) = \{A, B, C\}$$

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(B) = \{B, C\}$$

$$\epsilon\text{-closure}(C) = \{C\}$$



$$E\text{-closure}(A) = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$E\text{-closure}(B) = \{B\}$$

$$E\text{-closure}(C) = \{C, D\}$$

$$E\text{-closure}(D) = \{D\}$$

$$\delta^*(A, E) = E\text{-closure}(A)$$

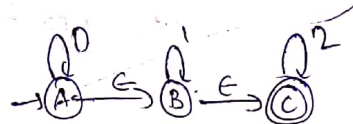
$\delta^*(q, \epsilon)$ is known as extended transition function

$$\hat{\delta}(A, E) = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$\hat{\delta}(B, E) = \{B\}$$

$$\hat{\delta}(C, E) = \{C, D\}$$

$$\hat{\delta}(D, E) = \{D\}$$



$$\hat{\delta}(q, a) = E\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q, E), a))$$

$$\hat{\delta}(A, 0) = E\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(A, E), 0))$$

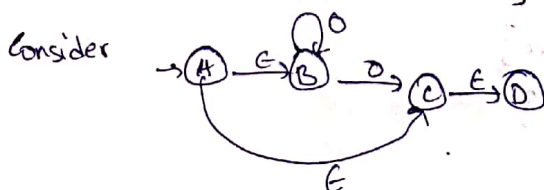
$$= E\text{-closure}(\delta(\{A, B, C, D\}, 0))$$

$$= E\text{-closure}(\delta(A, 0) \cup \delta(B, 0) \cup \delta(C, 0) \cup \delta(D, 0))$$

$$= E\text{-closure}(A \cup \phi \cup \phi)$$

$$= E\text{-closure}(A)$$

$$= \{A, B, C\}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon) &= \delta(\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon), \epsilon) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon), \epsilon)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\{A, B, C, D\}, \epsilon)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(A, \epsilon) \cup \delta(B, \epsilon) \cup \delta(C, \epsilon) \cup \delta(D, \epsilon)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\emptyset \cup \{B, C\} \cup \emptyset \cup \emptyset) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\{B, C\}) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-closure}(B) \cup \epsilon\text{-closure}(C) \\
&= \{B\} \cup \{C, D\} \\
&= \{B, C, D\}
\end{aligned}$$

→ Let 'w' be a string.

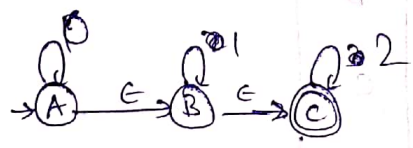
Let 'a' be last symbol of w and x be starting part

$$w = xa$$

~~$$\hat{\delta}(q_0, w) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q_0, x), a))$$~~

$$\hat{\delta}(q_0, w) = \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(q_0, x), a))$$

→ Consider



$$\hat{\delta}(B, 12)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\delta}(B, 1) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(B, \epsilon), 1)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-clo}(\delta(\{B, C\}, 1)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-clo}(B) \\
&= \{B, C\}
\end{aligned}$$

~~$$\hat{\delta}(B, 12)$$~~

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\delta}(B, 12) &= \epsilon\text{-closure}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(B, 1), 2)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-close}(\delta(\{B, C\}, 2)) \\
&= \epsilon\text{-clo}(C) = \{C\}
\end{aligned}$$

E-NFA to NFA :

In notes there is a method to convert E-NFA to DFA directly

For every NFA with ϵ , we can construct an NFA without ϵ such that both will perform same job. In other words if L is accepted by NFA with ϵ , then L is also accepted by NFA without ϵ .

Proof:

Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ be ϵ -NFA

- we can construct an equivalent NFA M_1 to M as

$$M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma, \delta_1, q_0, F_1)$$

$$\delta_1: \hat{\delta}(q, a) \quad \forall q \in Q \text{ \& } a \in \Sigma$$

$$F_1 = \begin{cases} F \cup \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0) & \text{if } \epsilon\text{-closure}(q_0) \text{ contains element } F \\ F, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

→ Convert the following ϵ -NFA to NFA



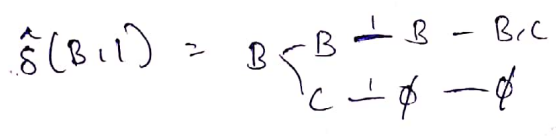
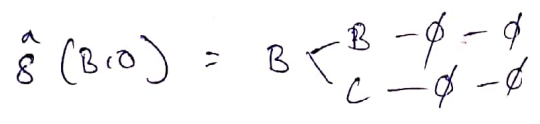
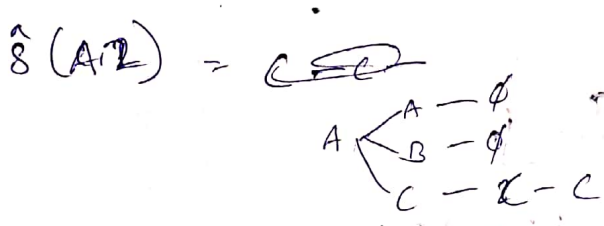
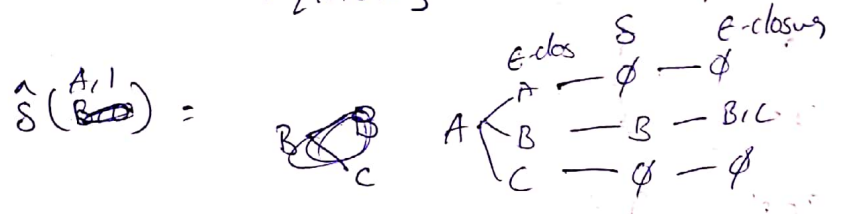
	0	1	2	ϵ
→ A	A	-	-	B
B	-	B	-	C
C	-	-	C	-

↓ E-NFA to NFA

	0	1	2
→ A*	{A, B, C}	{B, C}	{C}
B*	\emptyset	{B, C}	{C}
C*	\emptyset	\emptyset	{C}

for each entry $[q, a]$ find $\hat{\delta}(q, a)$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\delta}(A, 0) &= \text{E-clo}(\delta(\hat{\delta}(A, \epsilon), 0)) \\ &= \text{E-clo}(\delta(A, 0) \cup \delta(B, 0) \cup \delta(C, 0)) \\ &= \text{E-clo}(A) \\ &= \{A, B, C\} \end{aligned}$$



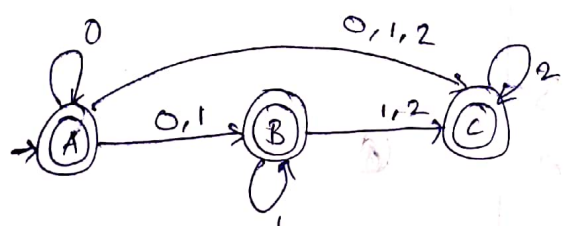
Computing final states

Initial state: A

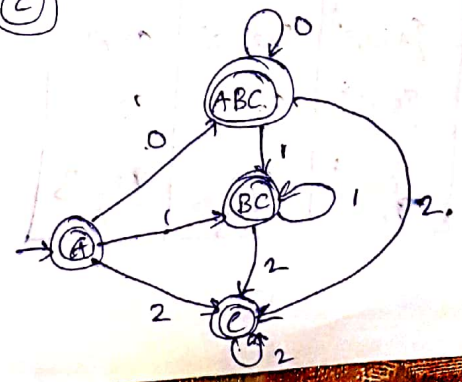
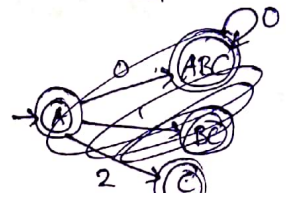
$\text{E-closure}(A) = \{A, B, C\}$

final state exists in $\text{E-closure}(A)$

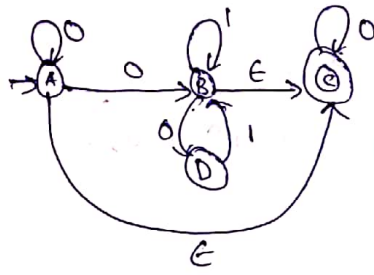
$F_1 = F \cup \{A, B, C\}$
 $= \{A, B, C\}$



to DFA



→ Consider the following E-NFA



	0	1
→ A*	{A, B, C}	∅
B	{C, D}	{B, C}
C*	{C}	∅
D	∅	{B, C} {B, C}

$$\hat{\delta}(A, 0) = A \begin{cases} A - A, B - A, B, C \\ C - C - C \end{cases}$$

$$\hat{\delta}(A, 1) = A \begin{cases} A - \emptyset \\ C - \emptyset \end{cases}$$

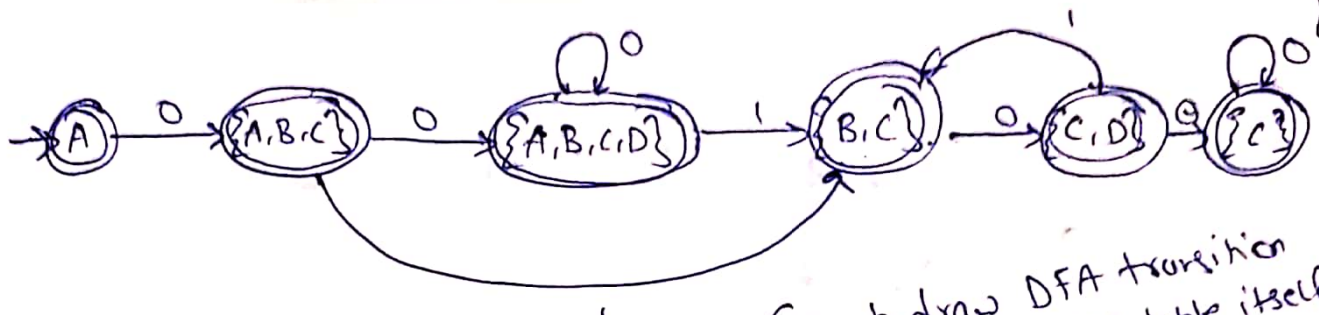
$$\hat{\delta}(B, 0) = B \begin{cases} B - D - D \\ C - C - C \end{cases}$$

$$\hat{\delta}(B, 1) = B \begin{cases} B - B - B, C \\ C - \emptyset \end{cases}$$

E-closure(A) = {A, C} includes final state ∴ F₁ = F ∪ {A, C}

To DFA

	0	1
→ A*	{A, B, C}	∅
{A, B, C}	{B, C, D}	{B, C}
{A, B, C, D}	{A, B, C, D}	{B, C}
{B, C}	{C, D}	{B, C}
{C, D}	{C}	{B, C}
{C}	{C}	∅



(Try to draw DFA transition diagram from NFA table itself)

Q: Let 'S' denote the transition function, \hat{S} denote the extended transition function of e-NFA below

	e	a	b
q_0	q_2	q_1	q_0
q_1	q_2	q_2	q_3
q_2	q_0	ϕ	ϕ
q_3	ϕ	ϕ	q_2

In this type of questions calculate closures first so that we make no mistakes

$$\hat{S}(a_1, a)$$

$$a_2 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_1 - \{a_0, a_1, a_2\} \\ a_2 - \phi \end{cases}$$

$$\hat{S}(a_2, ab)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a_0 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_0 - \{a_0, a_2\} \\ a_2 - \phi \end{cases} \\ a_1 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_0 - \{a_0, a_2\} \\ a_1 - a_3 - \phi \\ a_2 - \phi - \phi \end{cases} \\ a_2 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_0 - \{a_0, a_2\} \\ a_2 - \phi \end{cases} \end{array} \Rightarrow \{a_0, a_2\}$$

$$\hat{S}(a_2, aba)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a_0 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_1 - \{a_0, a_1, a_2\} \\ a_2 - \phi \end{cases} \\ a_2 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_1 - \{a_0, a_1, a_2\} \\ a_2 - \phi \end{cases} \end{array} \Rightarrow \{a_0, a_1, a_2\}$$

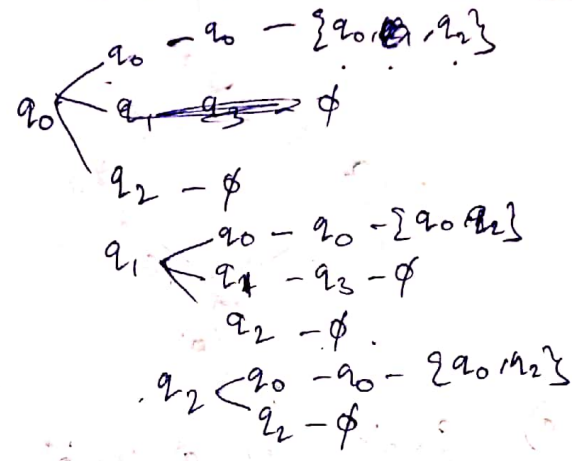
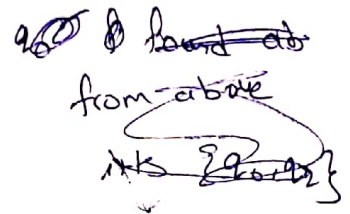
$$\therefore \hat{S}(a_2, aba) = \{a_0, a_1, a_2\}$$

(ii) find $\hat{S}(a_1, abb)$

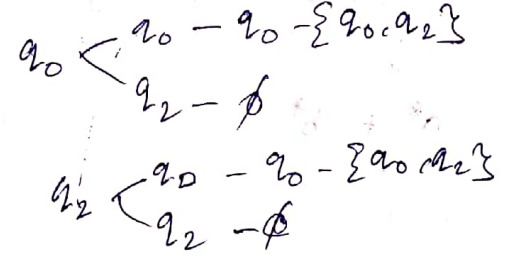
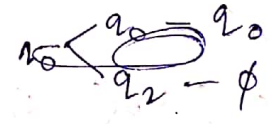
$$\hat{S}(a_1, a)$$

$$a_1 \begin{cases} a_0 - a_1 - \{a_0, a_1, a_2\} \\ a_1 - a_2 - \{a_1, a_2\} \\ a_2 - \phi \end{cases} \Rightarrow \{a_0, a_1, a_2\}$$

$\delta^*(q_1, ab)$



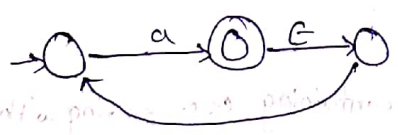
$\delta^*(q_1, abb)$



$\therefore \delta^*(q_1, abb) = \{q_0, q_2\}$

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Q: What complementation of lang accepted by below NFA

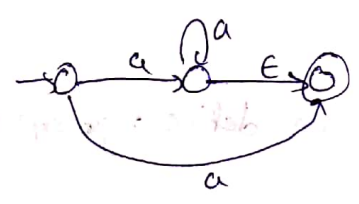


- a) \emptyset
- b) $\{ \epsilon \}$
- c) a^*
- d) $\{ a, \epsilon \}$

Observing above NFA we can say it accepts strings containing one or more no. of a's. $L = \{ a, aa, aaa, \dots \}$

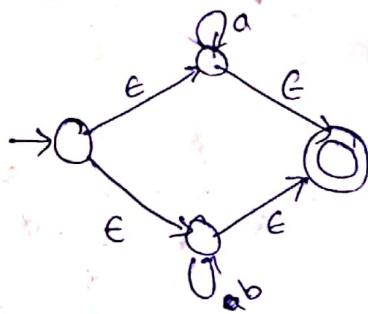
\therefore Complementation = $\{ \epsilon \}$

Q: Find complementation of below ϵ -NFA



- $L = \{ a, aa, aaa, \dots \}$
- $\bar{L} = \{ \epsilon \}$

Q: find lang accepted by E-NFA below



- a) $\{a, b\}^*$ b) a^* (or) b^* c) $\{a, b\}^+$ d) None

↓
 $a^* + b^*$

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Regular Sets & Regular Expressions :

→ The languages which are accepted by FA are called regular sets or regular languages.

Eg: set of all strings over $\{0, 1\}$ containing 000, ending with 00, even no of 0's, etc.

Regular Expressions :

→ It is possible to express all regular languages in mathematical expressions using the operations

(i) union (+ or |)

(ii) Concatenation (.)

(iii) Kleen closure (*)

→ Let Σ be the input alphabet. we can define regu exp over Σ recursively as follows

(i) \emptyset is regex denotes empty language

(ii) ϵ is regex denotes empty string.

(ii) 'a' is a regex such that $\forall a \in \Sigma$

(iv) Let r_1, r_2 be two regex, then

r_1+r_2, r_1r_2, r_1^* are also regex.

(v) The expressions which are obtained by using the rules 1 to 4 will also form regular expressions

Identities for regular expressions:

1. $\epsilon R = R\epsilon = R$
2. $\phi R = R\phi = \phi$
3. $\phi + R = R + \phi = R$
4. $R + R = R$
5. $R \cdot R = R^2$
6. $(R^*)^* = R^*$
7. $RR^* = R^*R = R^+$
8. $\epsilon + RR^* = RR^* + \epsilon = R^*$
9. $\epsilon + R^+ = R^*$
10. $P(Q+R) = PQ + PR$
11. $(Q+R)P = QP + RP$
12. $(P+Q)^* = (P^*Q^*)^* = (P^*+Q^*)^*$
13. $(\epsilon+R)^* = (R+\epsilon)^* = R^*$

Union is commutative but concatenation is not
i.e., $P+Q = Q+P$, $PQ \neq QP$

Both Union & Concatenation are associative
i.e., $(P+Q)+R = P+(Q+R)$
 $(PQ)R = P(QR)$

Regular set	Regular Exp
$L = \{ \}$	ϕ
$L = \{ \epsilon \}$	ϵ
$L = \{ a \}$	a
$L = \{ ab \} \cup \{ ba \}$	$\phi + ab + ba$ or $ab + ba$
$L = \{ aa, ba, bb \}$	$\phi + aa + ba + bb$

$$\rightarrow L = \{aa, ab, ba, bb\}$$

$$\rightarrow L = \{a, b\}^* \cup \{aa, ba\}$$

$$\rightarrow L = \{a\}^*$$

$$\rightarrow L = \{a, b\}^*$$

$$\rightarrow L = \{a, b\}^* ab$$

$$a^2 = (a+b)(a+b) = (a+b)^2$$

$$(a+b) + (a+ba)$$

$$a^*$$

$$(a+b)^*$$

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

→ Give regexp over $\{0,1\}$ for following languages

(i) All strings ending with 00 $\rightarrow (0+1)^* 00$

(ii) All string containing 000 $\rightarrow (0+1)^* 000(0+1)^*$

(iii) All strings begin with '1' and end with '0' $\rightarrow 1(0+1)^* 0$

(iv) Contains exactly 2 0's $\rightarrow 1^* 0 1^* 0 1^*$

(v) Contains atmost 2 0's $\rightarrow 1^* + 1^* 0 1^* + 1^* 0 1^* 0 1^*$

~~$1^*(0+1)^* 1^*(0+1)^* 1^*$~~

$1^*(\epsilon+0+1)^* 1^*(\epsilon+0+1)^* 1^*$

(vi) containing atleast 2 zeroes : $(0+1)^* 0 (0+1)^* 0 (0+1)^*$

$1^* 0 1^* 0 (0+1)^*$

$(0+1)^* 0 1^* 0 1^*$

$1^* 0 (0+1)^* 0 1^*$

$(0+1)^3$

(vii) strings of length 3

(viii) strings of length 3 or more : $(0+1)^3 (0+1)^*$

(ix) length 3 or less : $\epsilon + (0+1) + (0+1)^2 + (0+1)^3$

$\approx (\epsilon+0+1)^3$

(i) containing even no of zeroes : $(1^*01^*01^*)^*1^*$
 $\sim (1^*01^*0)^*1^*$
 $\sim 1^*(01^*01^*)^*0$

(ii) containing odd no of zeroes : $(1^*01^*0)^*0$
 $1^*0(1^*01^*0)^*1^*$
 ~~$1^*(01^*01^*)^*0$~~

(iii) even 0's & even 1's

$$[00 + 11 + (01+10)(00+11)^*(01+10)]^*$$

Consider the following regular expressions

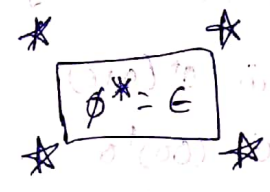
$l_1 = a$

$l_2 = \{\}$

find $l_1 l_2^* + l_1$

$l_2^* = \epsilon$

$\Rightarrow l_1 l_2^* + l_1 = a \epsilon + a = a$



$\Rightarrow 1^* + 00^*1^* = ?$

- a) 0^*1^*
- b) 1^*0^*
- c) $(0+1)^*$
- d) None

$1^* + 00^*1^* = (\epsilon + 00^*)1^* = (\epsilon + 0^*)1^* = 0^*1^*$

Let $l_1 = a$ $l_2 = \phi$

find $l_1^* l_2^* + l_2^*$

$(l_1^* + \epsilon) l_2^* = l_1^* l_2^* = a^* \phi^* = a^* \epsilon = a^*$

→ Consider the following languages, give regular expressions.

1. $\{a^{2i} \mid i > 0\} \longrightarrow (aa)^+$
2. $\{a^{2i+1} \mid i \geq 0\} \longrightarrow a(aa)^*$
3. $\{a^n b^m \mid n, m \geq 0\} \longrightarrow a^* b^*$
4. $\{a^{n+1} b^{m+2} \mid n, m > 0\} \longrightarrow aa^* bbb^*$
5. $\{a^{2n} b^{3m} c^{4k} \mid n, m, k \geq 0\} \longrightarrow (aa)^* (bbb)^* (cccc)^*$
6. $\{a^{2n+1} b^{3m+2} c^{4k+4} \mid n, m, k \geq 0\} \longrightarrow a(aa)^* bb(bbb)^* cccc(cccc)^*$
7. $\{a^n b^m \mid n = m \geq 0\}$

This is not a regular language and hence we can't write regex

→ Consider the following regular expressions



- (i) $0^* (0 + \epsilon)$
- (ii) $(00)^* 0$
- (iii) $(00)^*$
- (iv) 0^*

which of the above are equal

- a) i & iii b) ii & iii c) i & iv d) none

$$0^* (0 + \epsilon) = 0^* 0 + 0^*$$

$$= 0^+ + 0^* = 0^*$$

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$$(00)^* (0 + \epsilon) = (00)^* 0 + (00)^* = 0^*$$

(odd) (even)

→ Consider the following reg exp

$$a^* b^* (ba)^* a^*$$

Find min length of string which do not present in above lang.

	0	1	2	3
ε		a	aa	aaa
		b	ab	aab
			ba	aba
			bb	abb
				baa
				babx

∴ bab ⇒ 3

→ ~~The reg exp~~: In the above language how many strings of length 4 can't be produced?

- abab
- bbab
- baab
- babb

→ The reg exp denoting set of all strings not containing two consecutive 0's is given by

- a) $(1+01)^*(\epsilon+0)$
- b) $(0+10)^*(\epsilon+1)$
- c) $(1+01)^*$
- d) $(\epsilon+0)(101)^*(\epsilon+0)$

$$a \Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, 0, 101, 010, 110, 011, 111, 1111, \dots \}$$

b ⇒ 100 belongs x

c ⇒ 0 does not belong x

d ⇒ 00 belong x

Q: Which one of the following reg exp over $\{0,1\}$ denotes the set of all strings not containing 100 as substring

a) $0^*(1+0)^*$

b) 0^*1010^*

c) $0^*1^*01^*$

d) $0^*(10+1)^*$

reg $L = \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 000, 001, 010, \dots \}$

a) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 0100 \}$

b) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, \dots \}$

c) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, \dots \}$

d) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 000, \dots \}$

$\therefore 0^*(10+1)^*$

Regular to Finite Automata:

For every regex R , we can construct an equivalent FA M such that

$L(M) = L(R)$ i.e., lang accepted by M is equivalent to lang generated by R .

Synthesis Method:

$L = \emptyset \Rightarrow$

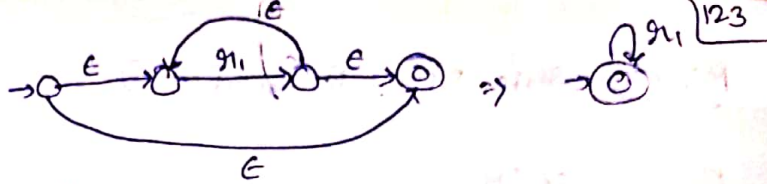
$L = \epsilon \Rightarrow$

$L = R_1 R_2 \Rightarrow$

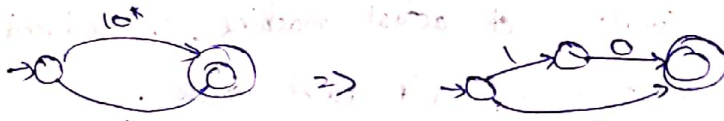
$L = R_1 + R_2 \Rightarrow$

Decomposition:

$L = \{1\}^* \Rightarrow$



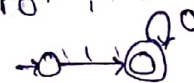
$\rightarrow \text{let } R = \{0\}^* + 1$



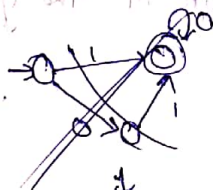
$R = \{0\}^* + 1$

$= 1(0^* + \epsilon)$

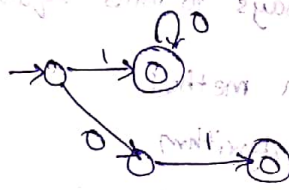
$= 10^*$



$\rightarrow R = \{0\}^* + 01$



(This is wrong)



be careful about the start state

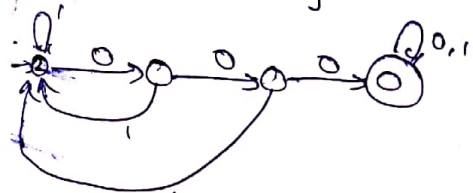
$\rightarrow R = (1+01+001)^*(\epsilon+0+00)$

The lang description for above lang is

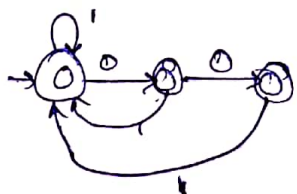
all strings over $\{0,1\}$ which do not more than 2 consecutive 0's.

So we can draw complementation of FA of substring 000

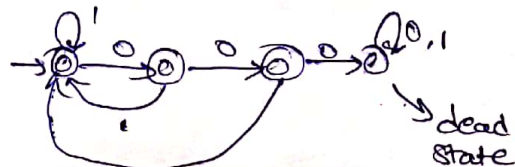
for $(1+01+001)^*$



for $(1+01+001)^*(\epsilon+0+00)$



Complement



Minimum State DFA (Reduced FA)

→ For every FA 'M' we can construct an equivalent minimum state DFA that performs same task as M does i.e., the main objective of minimization of DFA is reducing complexity of actual machine. The reduced one will also perform the same task with min no of states.

→ Two states P & Q are said to be equivalent iff

$$(\delta(P, x), \delta(Q, x)) = (R, S) \quad \forall x \in \Sigma^*$$

where R & S are two final states

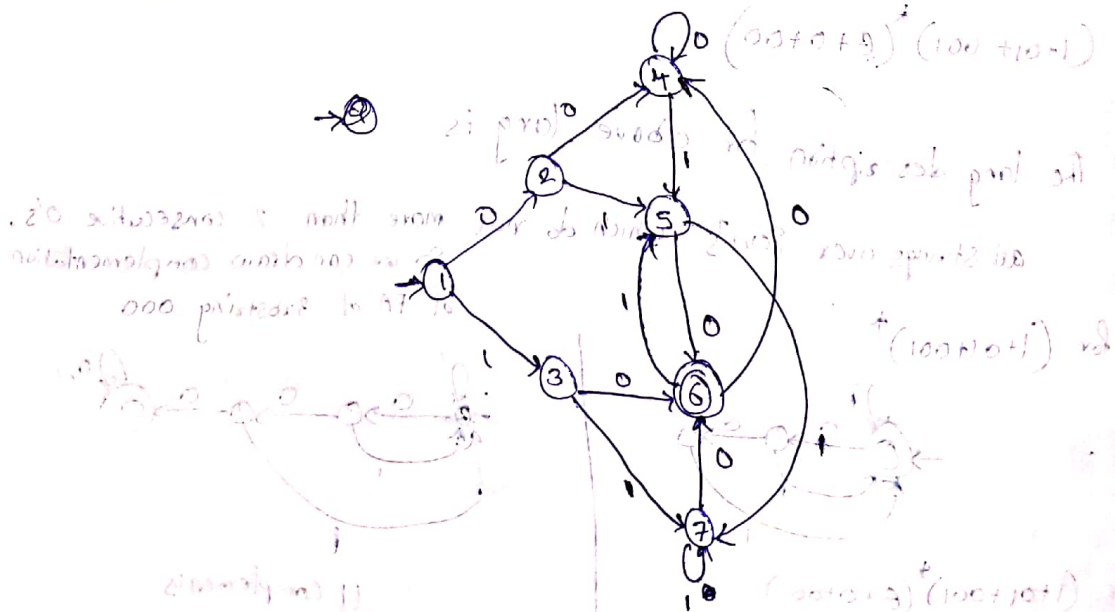


R & S are two non-final states

There are multiple ways to find equivalent state in the given DFA

- (i) Tabulation method
- (ii) partition algorithm
- (iii) knowledge based

Eg: Find the min state DFA corresponding to machine 'M' shown below



	0	1
1	2	3
2	4	5
3	6	7
4	4	5
5	6	7
6*	4	5
7	6	7

Partition Alg:

$P_0 = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$ (All states)

Partition $P_1 = \{ \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7\}, \{6\} \}$ (Divide into final & non-final)

$P_1 = \{ \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7\}, \{6\} \}$

Partition $P_2 = \{ \{1, 2, 4\}, \{3, 5, 7\}, \{6\} \}$

Partition $P_3 = \{ \{1, 2, 4\}, \{3, 5, 7\}, \{6\} \}$

①
③
⑤

(partition should continued until we obtain a partition similar to previous one)

while partition take two states from one set and check

let these states be q_1, q_2

now find

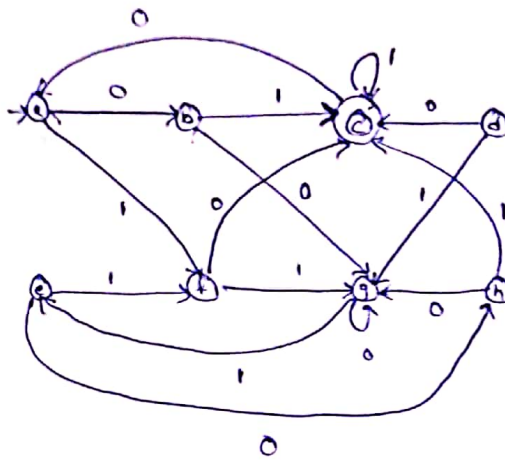
$\delta(q_1, a), \delta(q_2, a)$
 $\forall a \in \Sigma$

now if both $\delta(q_1, a)$ & $\delta(q_2, a)$ produces results from same set then we put q_1, q_2 in same set. otherwise divide them.

	0	1
→ 1	1	3
3	6	3
6*	2	3



→ Minimize the following DFA



	0	1
→ a	b	f
b	g	c
c*	a	c
d	e	g
e	h	f
f	c	g
g	g	e
h	g	c

Tabulation method:

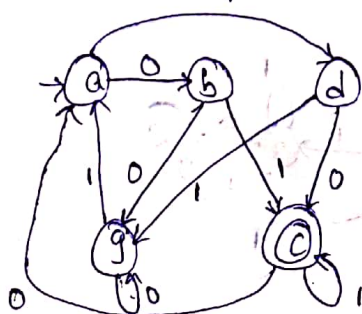
Check for same entries of 0 & 1 in two rows, Now merge them and draw a new table. Now repeat the process until there are no two same entries

$$P_1 = \{ \{a, b, d, e, f, g, h\}, \{c\} \}$$

$$P_2 = \{ \{a, e, g\}, \{b, h\}, \{d, f\}, \{c\} \}$$

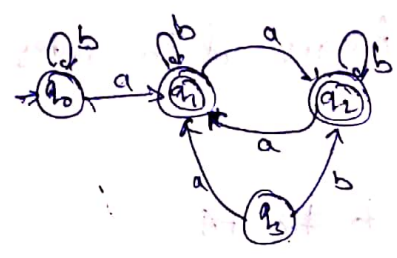
$$P_2 = \{ \{a, e\}, \{g\}, \{b, h\}, \{d, f\}, \{c\} \}$$

$$P_3 = \{ \{a, e\}, \{g\}, \{b, h\}, \{d, f\}, \{c\} \}$$



	0	1
→ a	a	d
b	g	c
c*	a	c
d	c	g
e	g	a

→ Minimize



(Since q_3 is unreachable remove it)

	a	b
$\rightarrow q_0$	q_1	q_0
q_1^*	q_2	q_1
q_2^*	q_1	q_2
q_3	q_1	q_2

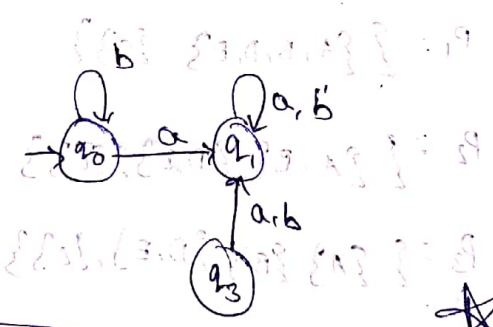
In this problem we can't find any identical entries and hence using tabulation method is difficult. So we prefer partition method

$$P_1 = \{ \{q_0, q_3\}, \{q_1, q_2\} \}$$

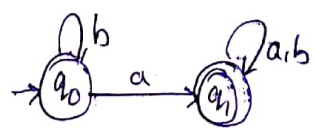
$$P_2 = \{ \{q_0\}, \{q_3\}, \{q_1, q_2\} \}$$

$$P_3 = \{ \{q_0\}, \{q_3\}, \{q_1, q_2\} \}$$

	a	b
q_0	q_1	q_0
q_1	q_1	q_1
q_3	q_1	q_1



Here q_3 is unreachable states, so remove it too



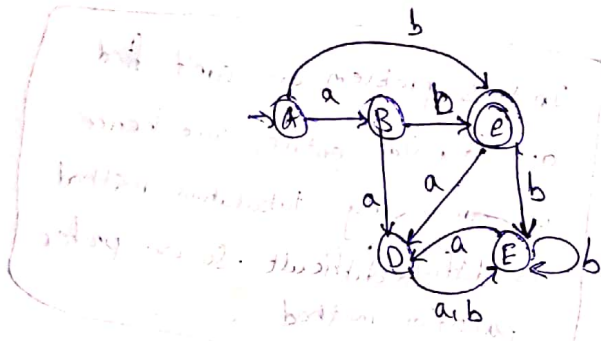
This step can be performed even before applying actual partition algorithm

★ → The minimization of FA procedures applicable for DFA only
 i.e., if given machine is NFA, it should be transformed into DFA before application of any minimization procedures.

→ We have to ensure that the DFA machine is free from unreachable states.

→ If there is any unreachable state in DFA, it should be ignored and procedure should be applied for rest of the states

Ex: Find min state DFA corresponding to the FA



	a	b
→ A	B	C
B	D	C
C*	D	E
D	E	E
E	D	E

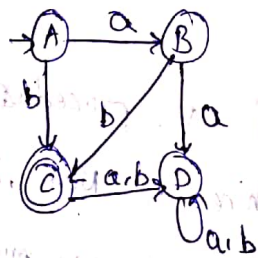
$$P_1 = \{ \{A, B, D, E\}, \{C\} \}$$

$$P_2 = \{ \{A, B\}, \{D, E\}, \{C\} \}$$

$$P_3 = \{ \{A\}, \{B\}, \{D, E\}, \{C\} \}$$

$$P_4 = \{ \{A\}, \{B\}, \{D, E\}, \{C\} \}$$

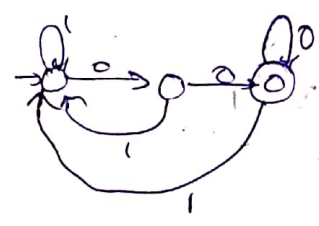
	a	b
→ A	B	C
B	D	C
C*	D	D
D	D	D



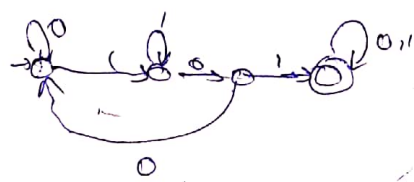
- Finite language always contains a dead state.
- Infinite language may or may not have a dead state.

Q: The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ such that every string end with 00 has 3 no of states.

sol:-

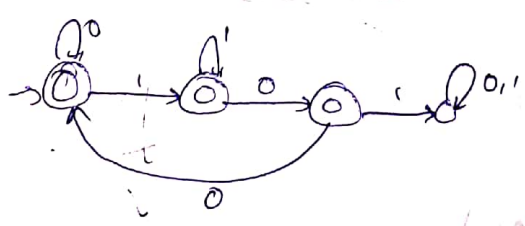


Q: Determine minstate DFA to recognize set of all strings containing 101 substring.



∴ 4 states

for do not contain 101



∴ 4 states (including dead state too)

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over Σ , ending with some certain string of length 'n' has $n+1$ states

→ The no of states in DFA to recognize the language set of all strings over Σ contain a substring x such that $|x|=n$ has $n+1$ states

→ The min state DFA to accept language L has n state, the DFA for L' also have same no of states

→ The min state DFA to recognise set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ such that second symbol from right end is one.

Sol:

2nd symbol from right end is 1

$$n = 2$$

$$\text{no of states} = 2^n = 2^2 = 4$$

$$\text{no of final state} = 2^{n-1} = 2$$

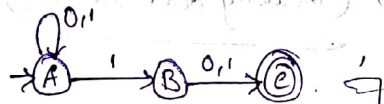
Transition table:

	0	1
→ q_0	q_0	q_1
q_1	q_2	q_3
q_2^*	q_0	q_1
q_3^*	q_2	q_3

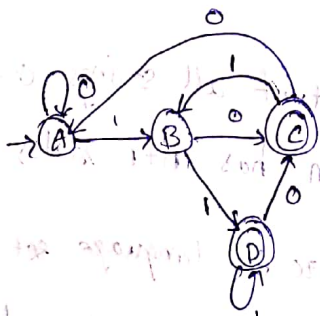
∴ 4 states

Method 2:

$$\text{Regex: } (0+1)^* 1 (0+1)$$



Conversion from NFA to DFA

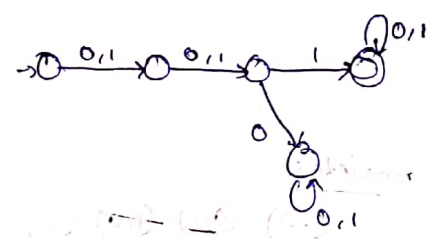


→ Min no of states in DFA containing n^{th} symbol from right end is 2^n contains 2^{n-1} states defined over $\{0,1\}$

→ Set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ has 3rd symbol from left end as 1 has 5 states.

Sol:

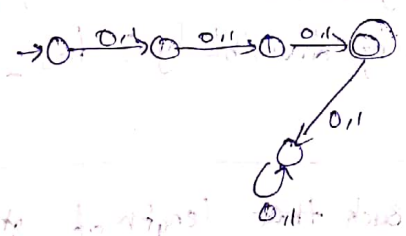
Regex: $(0+1)(0+1)1(0+1)^*$



5 states

→ The min state DFA to recognize over $\{0,1\}$ such that nth symbol from left end is 1 is $n+2$

→ Set of all string of length 3. Min state DFA = 5 states



Regex: $(0+1)(0+1)(0+1)$

Remember that finite language always contains a dead state

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings of length n over alphabet $\{0,1\}$ has $n+2$ states

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ (or any Σ) of length n or less has $n+2$ states

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ such that length of string is n or more has $n+1$ states

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ such that no of 0's ^{is} divisible by 2 and no of 1's is divisible by 2 has 4 no of states

∴ Sol:

$$2 \times 2 = 4$$

remainders

(0,0) (0,1) (1,0) (1,1)

0's by 2 $\left\langle \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{matrix} \right.$

0's by 2 $\left\langle \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{matrix} \right.$

∴ 4 states

4 combinations

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ such that no of 0's is divisible by m & no of 1's is divisible by n has $m \times n$ no of states.

→ The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ such that length of the string divisible by 3 has 3 states

→ set of all strings over Σ such that length of string is divisible by n . This lang's min DFA has n states

Problems:

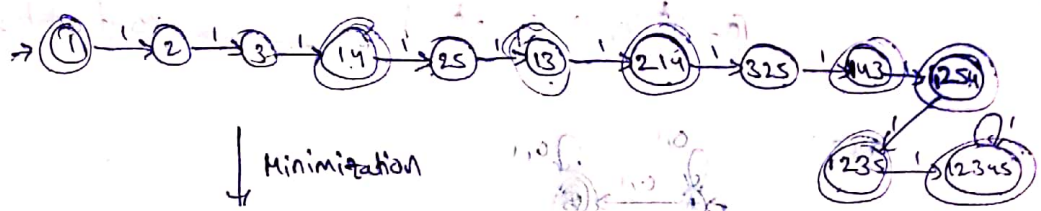
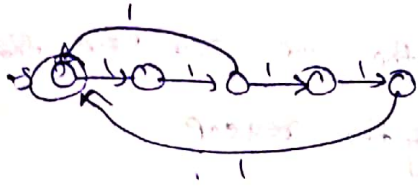
(2006) Consider the regular lang

$$L = (1111 + 11111)^*$$



The min no of states in a DFA accepting this lang has states

- a) 3 b) 5 c) 8 d) 9



↓ Minimization



∴ 9 states

Method 2:

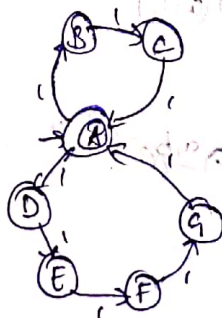
- I — x
- II — x
- III — 3
- III — x
- IIII — 5
- 1⁶ — 3+3
- 1⁷ — x
- 1⁸ — 3+5
- 1⁹ — 3+3+3
- 1¹⁰ — 5+5
- 1¹¹ — 3+3+5

More than 8 ones or 8 ones

DFA accepts any length

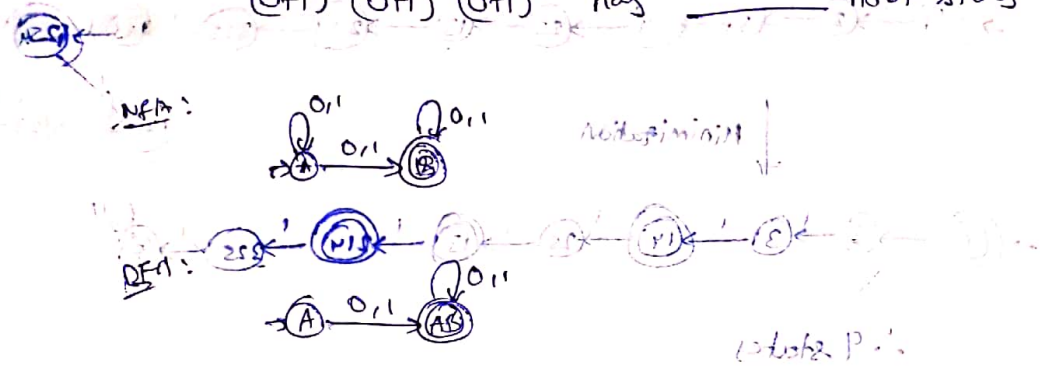
∴ we can draw it with 9 states

PFA can also be drawn as



2016 Consider the no of states in the min sized DFA that accepts the language defined by the reg exp

$(0+1)^*(0+1)(0+1)^*$ has _____ no of states



2017 ^{2M} Consider the lang λ given by the reg exp $(a+tb)^*$

$(a+tb)^* b (a+tb)^*$ over $\{a,b\}$

The smallest no of states needed in DFA accepting λ

Sol:

This DFA which accepts strings whose 2nd symbol from right end is b

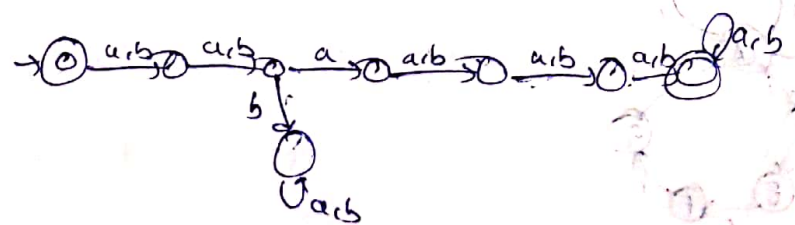
here $n=2$

$2^2 = 4$ states.

2017 The min possible state of DFA that accept regular lang

$L = \{w_1 a w_2 \mid w_1, w_2 \in \{a,b\}^*, \text{length of } w_1 \text{ is } 2 \text{ and length of } w_2 \text{ is greater than or equal to } 3\}$

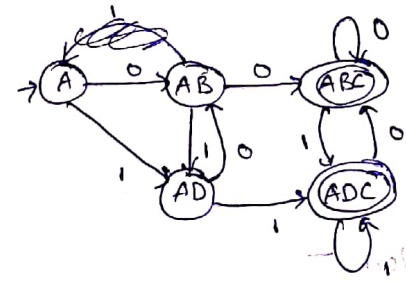
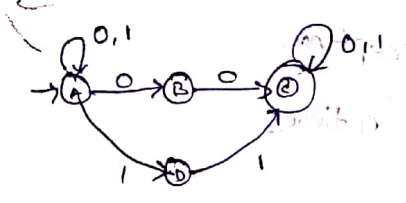
$(a+tb)(a+tb) a (a+tb)(a+tb)(a+tb)(a+tb)^*$



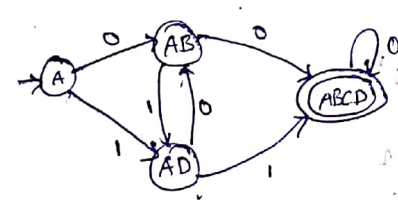
$\therefore 8$ states

Q: The min state DFA to recognize set of all strings over $\{0,1\}$ containing the substring 00 (or) 11 has _____ no of states.

$(0+1)^* (00+11) (0+1)^*$



Minimization



∴ 4 states

2011 Definition of the language L with alphabet $\{a\}$ is given as follows

(N)

$L = \{a^k | k > 0\}$ and n is positive integer constant.

What is min no of states needed in DFA to recognise L ?

- a) $k+1$
- b) $n+1$
- c) 2^{n+1}
- d) 2^{k+1}

Put $n=2$

$L = \{a^{2k} | k > 0\}$

$L = \{aa, aaaa, \dots\}$



∴ n+1 states

Let L be lang representing $\Sigma^* 0011 \Sigma^*$ where $\Sigma = \{0,1\}$

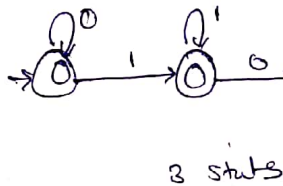
Find \min no of states in DFA representing \bar{L} .

5 states

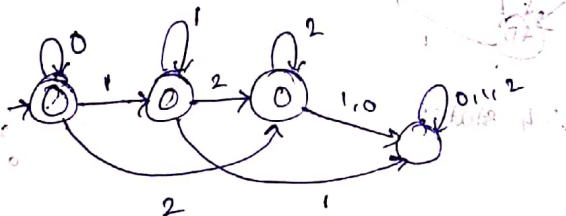
→ No of states in min DFA accepting $(0+1)(0+1) \dots n$ times

Ans: $n+2$ states.

→ Min no of states for 0^*1^*



→ Min no of states for $0^*1^*2^*$



∴ 4 states

①

→ Min no of states in $a^*b^*c^* \dots z^*$

②

$$26+1 = 27 \text{ states}$$

$$a^*a_2^*a_3^* \dots a_n^*$$

$$n+1 \text{ states}$$

→ which one of the following regexp represent the lang set of all binary strings having 2 consecutive 0s and 2 consecutive 1s

a) $(0+1)^*(00+11)(0+1)^* + (0+1)^*1100(0+1)^*$

✓ b) $(0+1)^*(00(0+1)^*11 + 11(0+1)^*00)(0+1)^*$

c) $(0+1)^* 00(0+1)^* + (0+1)^* 11(0+1)^*$

d) $00(0+1)^* 11 + 11(0+1)^* 00$

new lang

$(0+1)^* 00(0+1)^* 11(0+1)^* + (0+1)^* 11(0+1)^* 00(0+1)^*$

$(0+1)^* [00(0+1)^* 11(0+1)^* + 11(0+1)^* 00(0+1)^*]$

$(0+1)^* [00(0+1)^* 11 + 11(0+1)^* 00] (0+1)^*$

→ Let $L = \{w \in \{0,1\}^* \mid w \text{ has even no of 1's}\}$

a) $(0^* 1 0^* 1)^*$

b) $0^* (1 0^* 1 0^*)^*$

c) $0^* (1 0^* 1)^* 0^*$

d) $0^* 1 (1 0^* 1)^* 1 0^*$

$L = \{\epsilon, 0, 00, 000, 11, 101, 011, 110, \dots\}$

a) $\{\epsilon, 11, \dots\}$ $00 \notin$

b) $\{\epsilon, 0, 00, 000, 11, 101, 011, 110, \dots\}$ $11011 \in$

c) $\{\epsilon, 0, 00, 000, 11, 101, 011, 110, \dots\}$ $11011 \notin$

d) $\{\epsilon, \dots\}$

Ⓜ
→ let
Ⓜ

$g = 1(1+0)^*$

$s = 11^*0$

$t = 1^*0$

be 3 regular expressions. which of the following is true?

(i) $L(s) \subseteq L(g)$ and $L(s) \neq L(t)$

(ii) $L(g) \subseteq L(s)$ and $L(s) \subseteq L(t)$

(iii) $L(t) \subseteq L(s)$ and $L(s) \subseteq L(g)$

(iv) $L(t) \subseteq L(s)$ and $L(s) \subseteq L(g)$

$$r_1 = (1+0)^* = \{1, 10, 110, \dots\}$$

$$s = 11^*0 = \{10, 110, 1110, \dots\}$$

$$t = 1^*0 = \{0, 10, 110, 1110, \dots\}$$



$\therefore L(s) \subseteq L(t)$, $L(s) \subseteq L(r_1)$, but $L(t) \not\subseteq L(r_1)$

→ Consider the following reg exp

$$r_1 = (a+b^*)^* b (a+b)^*$$

How many strings are there in $L(r_1)$ of length 3 or less.

Sol:

The lang is containing substring b

i.e., containing atleast one b.

lengths	length 1	length 2	length 3
ε	1	4-1 (aa)	8-1 (aaa)
0	1	3	7
		= 11	

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→ The reg exp $0^* (10^*)^*$ denote the same set as

- a) $(1^*0)^* 1^*$
- b) $0 + (0+10)^*$
- c) $(0+1)^* 10(0+1)^*$
- d) no of the above

$$L = \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, \dots \}$$

$$a = \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, \dots \}$$

$$b = \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, \dots \}$$

$$c = \{ \epsilon, 1, 11 \}$$

Ans: a

→ Let S & T be languages over {a,b} represented by the reg exp

$(a+b^*)^*$ and $(ab)^*$ respectively

which of the following is true

- a) $S \subset T$
- b) $T \subset S$
- ✓ c) $S = T$
- d) $S \cap T = \phi$

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

Transformation of Finite Automata to Regular Expression

Methods :

- (i) Arden's theorem
- (ii) Kleen's theorem
- (iii) State Elimination method

Arden's Theorem :

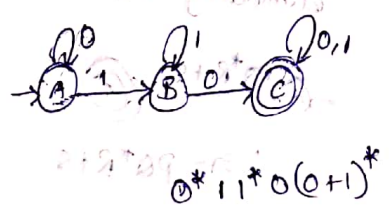
Let P, Q & R be 3 reg exp and $Q \neq \phi$. The expression

$$R = Q + RP \text{ have one and only solution}$$

$$R = QP^*$$

and P does not contain ϵ

Consider the following FA, M, Determine the reg exp corresponding to it



Using Arden's theorem

$$A = A_0 + E$$

$$B = A_1 + B_1$$

$$C = B_0 + C_0 + C_1$$

write all incoming edges of a state including state from which edge is coming and label. For initial state include E.

Now we need to obtain expression of C.

$$A = A_0 + E$$

$$A = E + A_0$$

i.e., $R = Q + RP$

$$R = QP^*$$

$$\Rightarrow A = E_0^* = 0^*$$

Now $B = A_1 + B_1$

$$B = 0^*1 + B_1$$

i.e., $R = Q + RP$

$$R = QP^*$$

$$B = 0^*11^*$$

Solving equations we find the expression of a final state which is the required reg exp. If there are more than one final states then union of expressions at those final states will be the required reg exp.

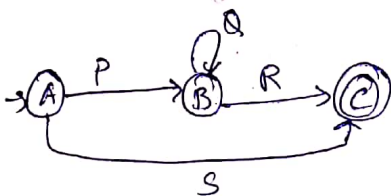
now $C = B_0 + C_0 + C_1$

$$C = 0^*11^*0 + C_0 + C_1$$

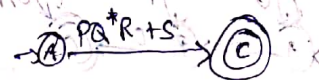
$$C = 0^*11^*0(0+1)^*$$

State Elimination Method:

Rule 1:

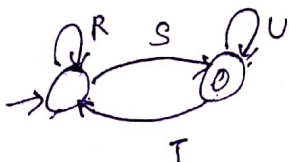


eliminating B



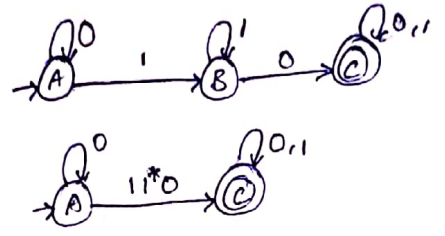
$$R = PQ^*R + S$$

Rule 2:



Final expression: $(R + SU^*T)^* SU^* \cup R^*S(U + TR^*S)^*$

Ex:

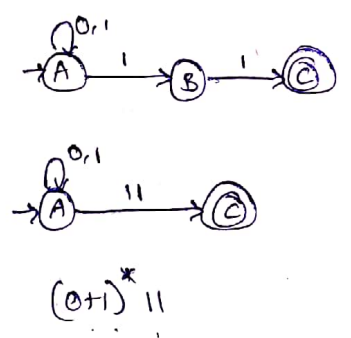


$$r_1 = \left(\underbrace{0}_{S} + \underbrace{11^*0}_{\phi R} \underbrace{(0+1)^*}_{T} \phi \right)^* 11^*0(0+1)^*$$

[from rule 2]

$$r_2 = 0^* 11^* 0(0+1)^*$$

Ex: Find the reg exp of FA 'M' shown in fig



$$A = A0 + A1 + E$$

$$B = A1$$

$$C = B1$$

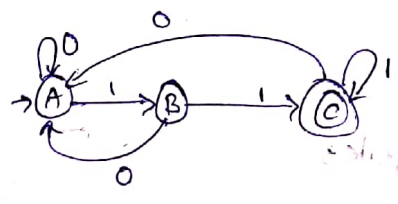
Now $A = E + A(0+1)^*$

$$A = E(0+1)^* = (0+1)^*$$

$$B = A1 = (0+1)^*1$$

$$C = B1 = (0+1)^*11$$

Ex: Find reg Exp



$$A = A0 + C0 + B0 + E$$

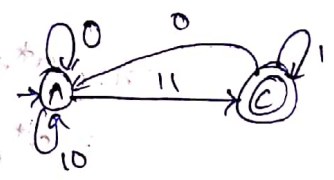
$$B = A1 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$C = B1 + C1 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$C = B1 + C1$$

$$C = A11 + C1 \quad \text{(From 2)}$$

$$C = A111^* \quad \text{--- (4)}$$



$$((0+10) + 111^*0)^* 111^*$$

$$= (0+10+111^*0)^* 111^*$$

Solns

Substitute ④ & ② in ①

$$A = A0 + A10 + A111^*0 + \epsilon$$

$$A = \epsilon + A(0 + 10 + 111^*0)$$

$$A = \epsilon(0 + 10 + 111^*0)^*$$

$$A = (0 + 10 + 111^*0)^*$$

$$C = A111^*$$

$$C = (0 + 10 + 111^*0)^* 111^*$$

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Ex: Find reg exp



$$A = A0 + \epsilon$$

$$B = A1 + B1$$

$$C = B0 + C0 + C1$$

$$A = \epsilon + A0$$

$$A = \epsilon 0^* = 0^*$$

$$B = 0^* 1 + B1$$

$$B = 0^* 1 1^*$$

Since Both A & B are final states

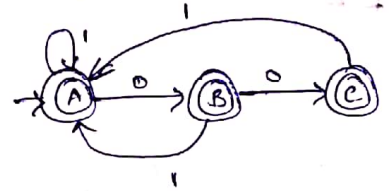
$$R = 0^* + 0^* 1 1^*$$

$$= 0^* (\epsilon + 1 1^*)$$

$$= 0^* (\epsilon + 1^*)$$

$$= 0^* 1^*$$

Q. Find the reg exp for DFA



$$A = A1 + B1 + C1 + E$$

$$B = A0$$

$$C = B0$$

$$[0^+(1+00)^*(1+000)^*A00 + 1^+(1+00)^*(1+000)^*A]1^*$$

$$\Rightarrow A = A1 + B1 + C1 + E$$

$$A = E + A1 + A01 + A001 + \dots$$

$$A = E + A(1+01+001)$$

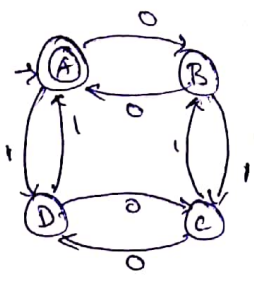
$$A = (1+01+001)^* E$$

$$C = A00 = (1+01+001)^* 00$$

$$B = A0 = (1+01+001)^* 0$$

$$A+B+C = (1+01+001)^* (E + 0 + 00)$$

Q:



$$A = B0 + D1 + E$$

$$B = A0 + C1$$

$$C = B1 + D0$$

$$D = A1 + C0 \Rightarrow D = (B0 + D1)1 + (B1 + D0)0$$

$$D = (B01 + B10) + D(11+00)$$

$$D = (B01 + B10 + 1)(11+00)^*$$

$$A = B0 + (B0 + B10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* 1 + \epsilon$$

$$A = B[0 + (01 + 10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* 1] + \epsilon$$

$$C = B1 + D0$$

$$= B1 + (B0 + B10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* 0$$

$$= B[1 + (01 + 10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* 0]$$

$$B = A0 + C1$$

$$= (B[0 + (01 + 10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* 1] + \epsilon)0 + B[1 + (01 + 10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* 0]1$$

$$= B0 + B[0 + 1 + (01 + 10 + 1)(00 + 11)^* (1 + 0)]1$$

$(1 + 0 + 1 + 0)A + A = A$

We need the expression for A.
So we change all the expression into terms of A.

$$C = B1 + D0$$

$$= A0 + C1 + A10 + C00$$

$$C = A(01 + 10) + C(00 + 11)$$

$$C = A(01 + 10)(00 + 11)^*$$

Now

$$B = A0 + C1$$

$$= A0 + A(01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 1$$

$$= A[0 + (01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 1]$$

Now

$$D = A1 + C0$$

$$= A1 + A(01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 0$$

$$= A[1 + (01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 0]$$

$$A = \epsilon + B0 + D1 + 1(01 + 10)$$

$$= \epsilon + A[0 + (01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 1]0 + A[1 + (01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 0]1$$

$$= \epsilon + A[00 + (01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 10] + A[11 + (01 + 10)(00 + 11)^* 01]$$



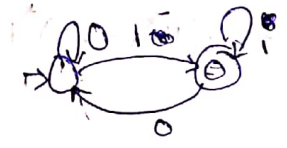
$$A = E + A[00+11 + (01+10)(00+11)^*(10+01)]$$

$$A = E[00+11 + (01+10)(00+11)^*(10+01)]^*$$

$$A = [00+11 + (01+10)(00+11)^*(10+01)]^*$$

Problems:

(2014) which of the reg exp given below represent the following DFA



- I. $0^*1(1+00^*1)^*$
- II. $0^*1^*10 + 11^*0^*1$
- III. $(0+1)^*1$

- a) I & II b) I & III c) II & III d) I, II, III

$$R_1 = (0+10^*0)^*10^*$$

$L = \{1, 01, 11, 111, 001, 011, 101, \dots\}$ ending with 1

I = $0^*1(1+00^*1)^*$ clearly directly represents DFA

$$II = (0^*1^* + 11^*0^*)1$$

1011 is not accepted by II

III = $(0+1)^*1$ this ending 1 and clearly

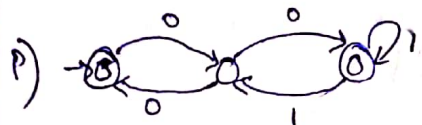
\therefore I & III

Match the following NFAs with the reg exp.

(N)

NFA

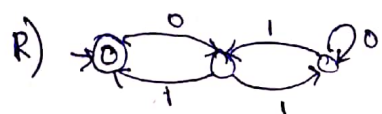
Reg Exp



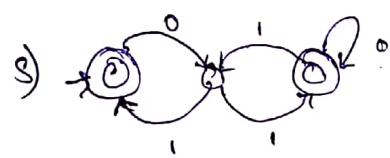
1. $\epsilon + 0(01^*1+00)^*01^*$



2. $\epsilon + 0(10^*1+00)^*0$

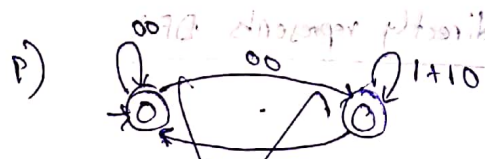


3. $\epsilon + 0(10^*1+10)^*1$

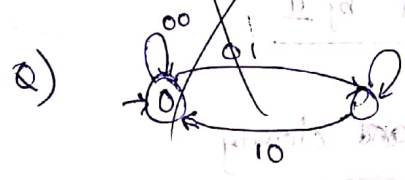


4. $\epsilon + 0(10^*1+10)^*10^*$

	P	Q	R	S
a)	2	1	3	4
b)	1	3	2	4
c)	1	2	3	4
d)	3	2	1	4



$\epsilon + [00 + 01(0+11)^*10]^*$



$\epsilon + [0(0+1(0+11)^*10)]^*$

P → 001

- in ② it always ends with 0

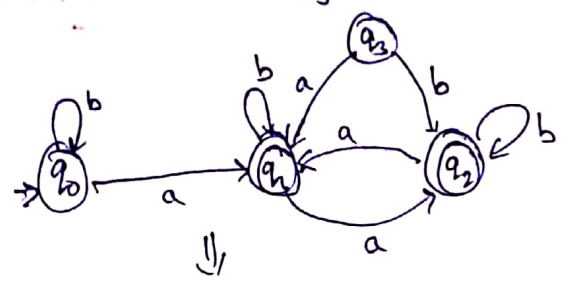
∴ eliminate opt ①

P → 00 in ③ ends with 1

∴ eliminate opt ④ ⇒ P=1

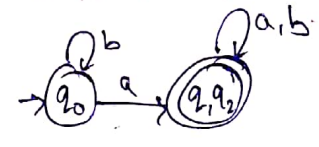
how Q ends with 0 or ε
how R ends with 1
∴ C.V

Q: Consider the following FA



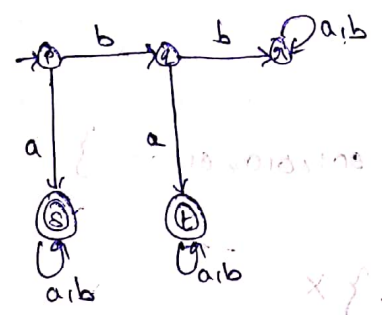
- a) $b^*ab^*ab^*ab^*$
- b) $(atb)^*$
- ✓ c) $b^*a(atb)^*$
- d) $b^*ab^*ab^*$

Minimize FA

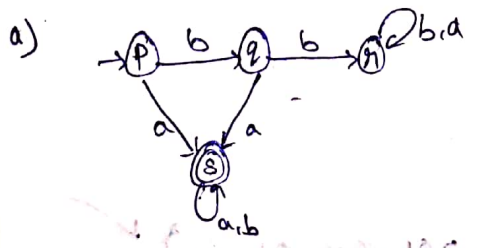


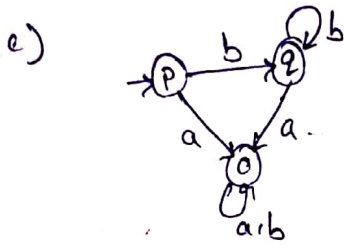
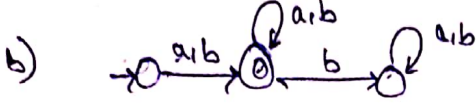
$\Rightarrow b^*a(atb)^*$

Q: Deterministic FA over $\Sigma = \{a,b\}$



which of the following FSM is valid min DFA





d) None;

from fig 9: $a(a+ab)^* + ba(a+ab)^* = (a+ba)(a+ab)^*$

b) \Rightarrow accepts string starting with bb

e) also accepts few strings starting with bb

$\therefore a$

Q: which of the following reg exp accept set of all strings not containing 00 as substring

a) $0^*(1+0)^*$

b) 0^*1010^*

c) $0^*1^*01^*$

d) $0^*(10+1)^*$

$L = \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 001, 010, 011, \dots \}$

a) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, \dots \} \times$

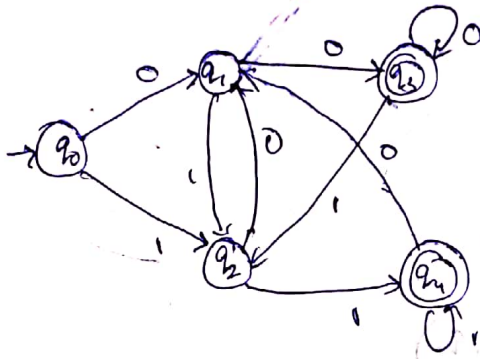
b) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, \dots \} \times$

c) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, \dots \} \times$

d) $\Rightarrow \{ \epsilon, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 001, 010, 011, \dots \} \checkmark$

Material problems

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19) question means that number divisible by 29099

$\therefore 29099$ no of states

20)

~~(a+b)ab~~

FSM with Outputs:

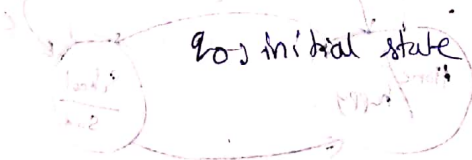
An FSM is 6 tuple system

Q	Σ	Δ	δ	λ	q_0
where					

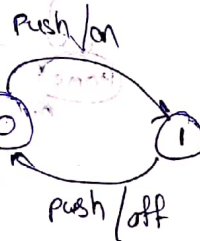
$M = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$ and

- Q = finite set of states
- Σ = i/p alphabet
- Δ = o/p alphabet
- δ = transition function
- λ = o/p function

q_0 = initial state



Behavior of digital computer switch



$Q = \{0, 1\}$

$\Sigma = \{push\}$

$\Delta = \{on, off\}$

$\delta: \delta(0, push) = 0$

$\delta(1, push) = 0$

$\lambda: \lambda(0, push) = on$

$\lambda(1, push) = off$

$q_0: 0$

This FSM with o/p is classified into two types

enrollment

1. Mealy machine
2. Moore machine

Mealy machine:

It is a 6 tuple system

$$M = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$$

where the o/p function $\lambda: Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow \Delta$

i.e., o/p Mealy machine depends on both presents state and i/p

Moore machine:

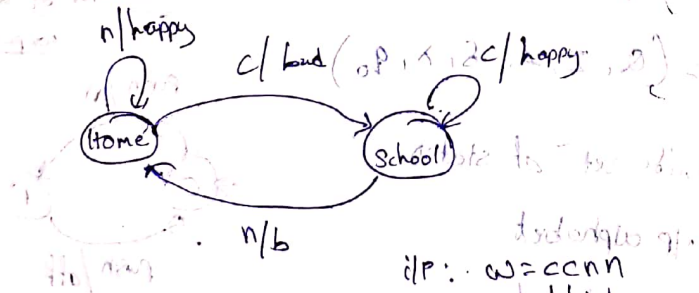
→ 6 tuple system

$$M = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, \delta, \lambda, q_0)$$

o/p function $\lambda: Q \rightarrow \Delta$

i.e., o/p of the machine depends only on current state.

Eg of Mealy:

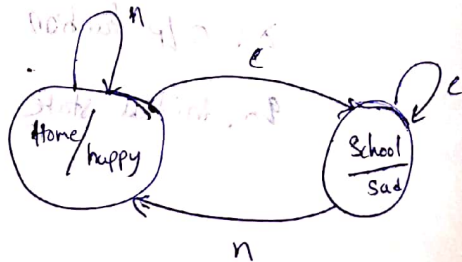


	n	c
H	H/h	S/b
S	H/b	S/h

i/p: $w = ccnn$
 $bbbh$

Eg of Moore

o/p	ps	n	c
h	→ H	H	S
b	S	H	S



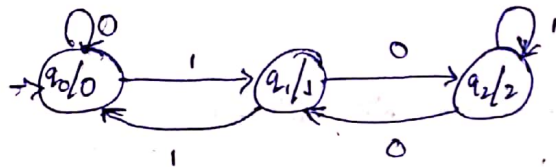
i/p:

$w = nccn$
 $H \rightarrow H \rightarrow S \rightarrow S \rightarrow H$
 $h \quad h \quad b \quad b \quad h$

→ For mealy machine if length of i/p is n then length of o/p is n
 → For moore machine if length of i/p is n then length of o/p is $n+1$

→ Design Moore & Mealy machines to recognize residue of mod 3 numbers
 Ex: For the binary integer ip

(N)

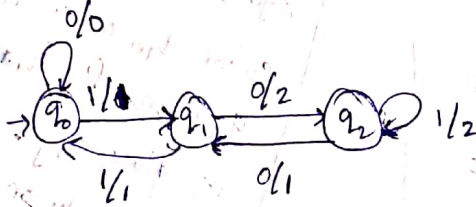


o/p	P.S	0	1
0	→ q ₀	q ₀	q ₁
1	q ₁	q ₂	q ₀
2	q ₂	q ₁	q ₂

1010 → q₁ i.e., 1 (remainder)

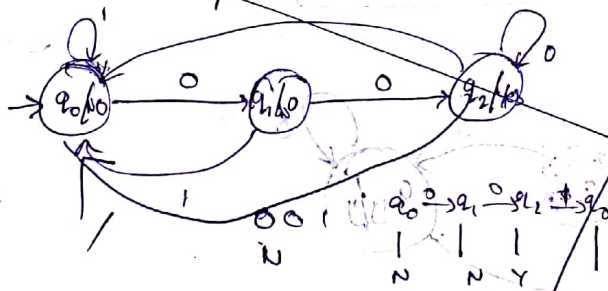
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Moore to Mealy



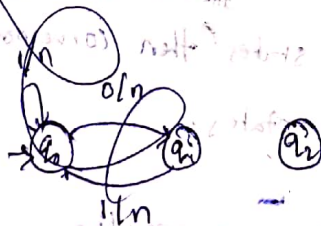
P.S	0	1
→ q ₀	q ₀ , 0	q ₁ , 1
q ₁	q ₂ , 2	q ₀ , 0
q ₂	q ₁ , 1	q ₂ , 2

Ex: Design Mealy & Moore machines to recognize set of all strings ending with 00



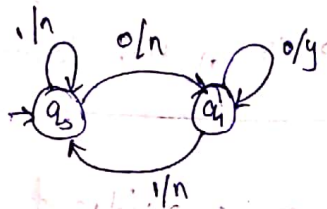
o/p	P.S	0	1
NO	→ q ₀	q ₁	q ₀
NO	q ₁	q ₂	q ₀
YES	q ₂	q ₂	q ₀

Mealy to Moore



Ex: Design Mealy & Moore for strings ending with 00

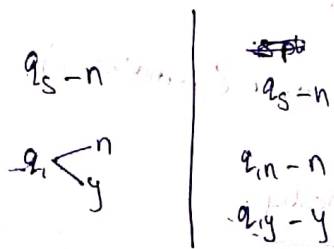
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	0	1
$\rightarrow q_0$	q_0, n	q_1, n
q_1	q_1, n	q_0, n

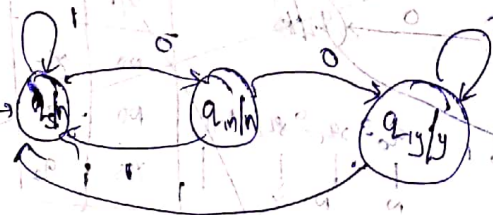
Mealy to Moore

Step 1: Identify o/p associated with each state



o/p	P-S	0	1
n	$\rightarrow q_0$	q_0, n	q_1, n
n	q_1	q_1, n	q_0, n
y	q_2	q_2, y	q_3, y

Here for q_1 in mealy goes to q_1 giving o/p y. So for q_1 on '0' it gives q_1, n and for q_1 on '1' it gives q_0, n . For q_0 in mealy on '1' it goes to q_1 giving o/p n. So it goes to q_1 .



Note:

- If Mealy machine has n no of states then corresponding Moore machine can have at most $n \times m$ states.
- If Moore machine has n states then corresponding Mealy machine will have exactly n states.

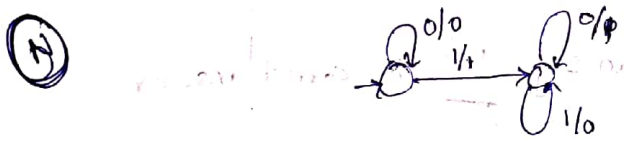
eg: Design a Moore machine to recognize residue of mod 5 number over the ~~ip~~ ternary i/p alphabet

o/p	P-S	0	1	2
0	q_0	q_0	q_1	q_2
1	q_1	q_3	q_4	q_0
2	q_2	q_1	q_2	q_3
3	q_3	q_4	q_0	q_1
4	q_4	q_2	q_3	q_4

Same pattern can be use in this case too

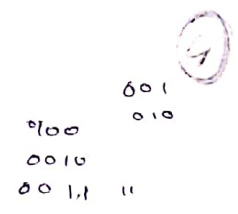
Problems:

Q: Consider the following FSM shown in the figure



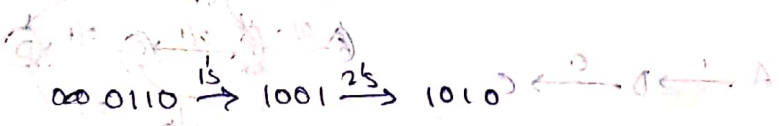
It accepts the binary string from least significant bit positions and o/p the result in same order. which of the following is true

- a) It computes 1's complement of
- b) It increments i/p pattern by 1.
- c) It decrements i/p pattern by 1
- d) It computes 2's complements.



Consider
i/p: 0110

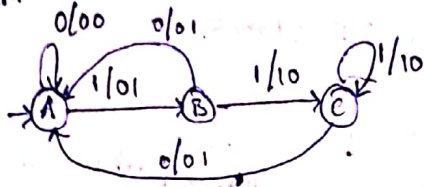
o/p: 1010



∴ 2's complement.

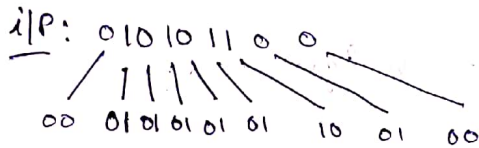
Q: The FSM

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Each edge label is x/y, x stands for 1 bit i/p and y stands for 2 bit o/p

- a) outputs the sum of the present and previous bits of the i/p
- b) outputs 01 whenever i/p sequence is 11
- c) outputs 00 whenever i/p sequence contains 10
- d) none



From above i/p & o/p we can say 'a' is correct answer

Q: The FSM in following state table has single i/p 'x' & single o/p 'z'

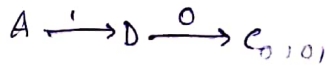
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	x=1	x=0
A	D,0	B,0
B	B,1	C,1
C	B,0	D,1
D	B,1	C,0

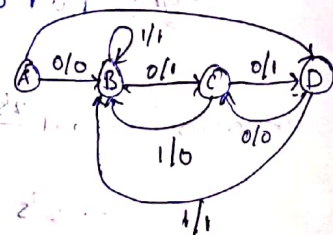
If the initial state is unknown then shortest i/p sequence to reach final state C is _____

- a) 01
- b) 10
- c) 101
- d) 110

For A



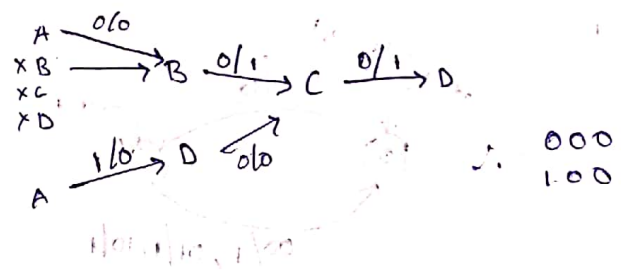
∴ 10



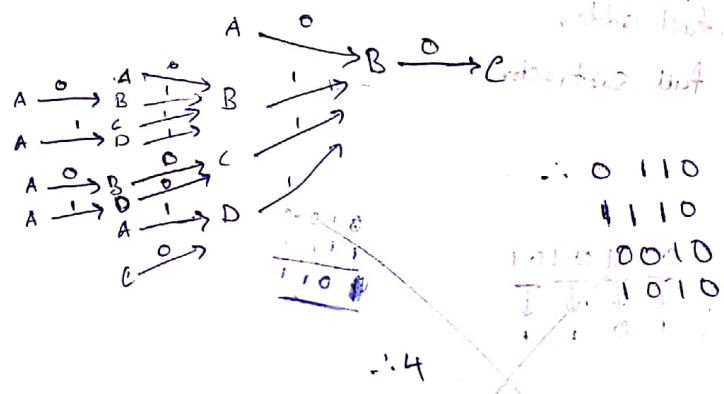
Q → Determine min length of the string to reach the state D with o/p '1' from the initial state A. (from previous question.)

(N) Sol: Ans: 000

Q → No of strings of length 3 to reach state D with o/p '1' starting at A.



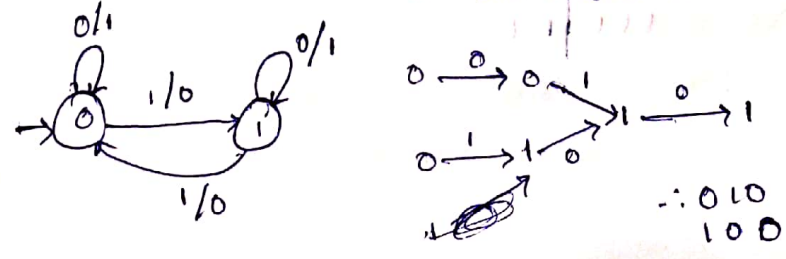
Q → No of strings of length 4 to reach state C with o/p '1' from A.



Q → Consider the following

PS	i/p	NS	O/P
0	0	0	1
0	1	1	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0

If initial state of the machine is 0. How many strings of length 3 are existed to reach 1 with o/p '1'.



Grammar:

A grammar is a mathematical system used to define sentences of the formal languages

A grammar G is a 4 tuple system

$$G = (V, T, P, S)$$

where

$V \rightarrow$ variables or Non-terminals

$T \rightarrow$ set of terminals

$P \rightarrow$ set of productions or re-writing rules

~~S~~ Production is

$S \rightarrow$ start symbols.

Eg: Consider

$$G = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a, b\}, P, S)$$

P is given by

$$S \rightarrow AB$$

$$S \rightarrow BA$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$A \rightarrow aS$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$B \rightarrow bS$$

$$S \rightarrow AB|BA$$

$$A \rightarrow a|aS$$

$$B \rightarrow b|bS$$

} equal no of a 's & b 's

$$\Rightarrow L(G) = \{ab, baba, ba \dots\}$$

check if below strings belong to above grammar G

(i) $baab$

$$S \rightarrow BA$$

$$\rightarrow bA$$

$$\rightarrow baS$$

$$\rightarrow baAB$$

$$\rightarrow baab$$

$$\rightarrow baab$$

(ii) $bbaa$

$$S \rightarrow BA$$

$$\rightarrow bSA$$

$$\rightarrow bBAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbaa$$

$$\rightarrow bbaa$$

(iii) $baaabb$

$$S \rightarrow BA$$

$$\rightarrow bA$$

$$\rightarrow baS$$

$$\rightarrow baAB$$

$$\rightarrow baasB$$

$$\rightarrow baaABB$$

$$\rightarrow baaabb$$

$$\rightarrow baaabb$$

$$\rightarrow baaabb$$

★ → If we check we can't derive baaba using above grammar. So we can conclude the grammar is ^{the} lang producing strings with equal no of 0's & b's

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Ex) Consider below grammar

$$S \rightarrow aB \mid bA$$

$$A \rightarrow a \mid aS \mid bAA$$

$$B \rightarrow b \mid bS \mid aBB$$

check if below strings belong to the grammar

a) baaabb

$$S \rightarrow bA$$

$$\rightarrow baS$$

$$\rightarrow baaB$$

$$\rightarrow baaABB$$

$$\rightarrow baaabB$$

$$\rightarrow baaabb$$

b) bbaaab

$$S \rightarrow bA$$

$$\rightarrow bbAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbaaS$$

$$\rightarrow bbaaab$$

$$\rightarrow bbaaab$$

c) bbbabaaa

$$S \rightarrow bA$$

$$\rightarrow bbAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbBAAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbbBAAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbbabBAAA$$

$$\rightarrow bbbabA$$

$$\rightarrow bbbabaaA$$

$$\rightarrow bbbabaaa$$

d) bbbabaaa

This string doesn't belong to the grammar

★ → Thus the above grammar also represents language consisting of equal no of a's & b's.

Q: The below grammar represents

$$S \rightarrow aSb \mid \epsilon$$

a) $\{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 0\}$

b) $\{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$

c) $\{a^n b^m \mid m \geq 1, n \geq 0\}$

d) $\{a^n b^m \mid m \geq 0, n \geq 1\}$

L = $\{\epsilon, ab, aabb, \dots\}$

Q: The below grammar represent the language

$$S \rightarrow as | bs | a | b$$

- a) $(a+b)^*$ b) $(a+b)(a+b)^*$ c) $(a+b)^*(a+b)$ d) all the above

2005 Consider below grammar G

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$$S \rightarrow aA | bS | b$$

$$A \rightarrow bA | aB$$

$$B \rightarrow bB | aS | a$$

Let $N_a(w)$ & $N_b(w)$ denote the no of a's & b's in the string w

The language $L(G) \subseteq (a+b)^*$ generated by G is _____

- a) $\{w / N_a(w) > 3 N_b(w)\}$
 b) $\{w / N_b(w) > 3 N_a(w)\}$
 c) $\{w / N_a(w) = 3k, k \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}\}$
 d) $\{w / N_b(w) = 3k, k \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}\}$

seeing options its either b or c

$$L = \{ b, aab, aabaa, aabbaa, \dots \}$$

↓
Eliminate option (b)

(or)

observing grammar we can see S, A, B as ~~three~~ three states in which S is final state. A every state reading 'b' it remains in same state. Getting 'a' it moves to next state. So we can conclude that above language accepts strings contains no of a's as multiples of 3.

Classification of Grammar (Chomsky Hierarchy)

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Type	Alternative name	Condition	Language	Eg	Automata
type 0	unrestricted grammar (UG)	$\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ & $\alpha \neq \epsilon$ α, β are arbitrarily long strings	Recursively Enumerable language	$S \rightarrow aBbA$ $aA \rightarrow bb$ $aB \rightarrow b$	Turing Machine (TM)
type 1	Context Sensitive Grammar (CSG)	$\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ & $ \beta \geq \alpha $ α, β are arbitrarily long string	Context Sensitive Language	$S \rightarrow aBbA$ $aA \rightarrow bb$ $aB \rightarrow bA$	Linearly Bounded Automata (LBA)
type 2	Context Free Grammar	$A \rightarrow \alpha$ $A \in V$ $\alpha \in (V \cup T)^*$	Context free Language	$S \rightarrow AB \mid BA$ $A \rightarrow a \mid aS$ $B \rightarrow b \mid bS$	Push Down Automata (PDA)
type 3	Regular Grammar	$A \rightarrow w \mid wB$ $A, B \in V$ α $A \rightarrow w \mid Bw$ $w \in T^*$	Regular language	$S \rightarrow aS \mid bS \mid a \mid b$	Finite (FA) Automata

★ $\text{type 3} \subseteq \text{type 2} \subseteq \text{type 1} \subseteq \text{type 0}$ ★

→ In type 3 grammar it is of form

$$A \rightarrow w \mid wB \quad (\text{Right linear grammar})$$

$$A \rightarrow w \mid Bw \quad (\text{Left-linear grammar})$$

Eg: what is the type of below grammar

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$$S \rightarrow aA bB$$

$$aA \rightarrow bbAb$$

$$Ba \rightarrow bb$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

a) Type 0

b) Type 1 ✓

c) Type 2

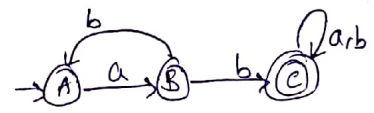
d) Type 3

→ For every automata M , we can construct an equivalent grammar G ,

such that $L(M) = L(G)$

FA to Reg. Grammar

Consider below FA



$V =$ Node labels $= \{A, B, C\}$

$T =$ edge labels $= \{a, b\}$

$S =$ initial state $= A$

finding P :

$\delta(A, a) = B$

$A \rightarrow aB$

$\delta(B, b) = A \quad \delta(B, b) = C$

$B \rightarrow bA \mid bC$

$\delta(C, a) = C \quad \delta(C, b) = C$

$C \rightarrow ac \mid bc \mid a \mid b$

i.e., $A \rightarrow aB$

$B \rightarrow bA \mid bC$

$C \rightarrow ac \mid bc \mid a \mid b$

for every

$\delta(A, a) = B$

add production

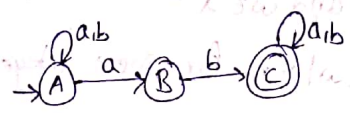
$A \rightarrow aB$, if B is non-final

else add

$A \rightarrow aB \mid a$

Eg: Find regular grammar corresponding to the regular Exp

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



$S \rightarrow aA \mid aB \mid bA$

$B \rightarrow bC \mid b$

$C \rightarrow ac \mid bc \mid a \mid b$

→ The answer of above eg is a right linear grammar,
writing it same in left linear form

$$\begin{aligned} A &\rightarrow Aa/Ba/b \\ B &\rightarrow Cb/b \\ C &\rightarrow Ca/cb/a/b \end{aligned}$$

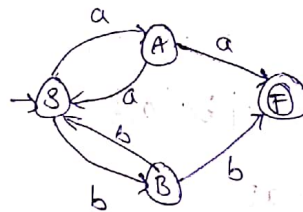
i.e., language is reversed.

i.e., If G is right-linear and G' is left linear to G then G' is nothing but reverse of G

→ Also for every left-linear grammar we can construct an equivalent right linear grammar and vice versa.

Regular Grammar to FA:

Eg: $S \rightarrow aA/bB$
 $A \rightarrow a/aS$
 $B \rightarrow b/bS$



Pumping Lemma for Regular sets:

→ It is a tool used to prove certain languages are not regular

Let L be regular language and $w \in L$

with condition $|w| \geq n$ for some integer n

then $w = xyz$ such that

- (i) $y \neq \epsilon$
- (ii) $|xy| \leq n$
- (iii) $xy^iz \in L \forall i \geq 0$

Here n is constant and n denotes no of state in the corresponding FA

Eg: P.T $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$ is not regular

Let $w = a^n b^n$

$$xy = a^n = a^m a^{n-m}, \quad n \neq m$$

$$y = a^{n-m}$$

$xy^i z$ for $i=0$

$$xy^0 z = a^m b^n$$

since $m \neq n$

$$xy^0 z \notin L$$

$\therefore \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$ is not regular language

Note:

We generally apply the following principle to identify whether a given language is regular or not.

i) All finite languages are regular

ii) All infinite languages, a regular language must have the following

a) A finite automata

b) Regular expression

Note:

Consider

$$L_1 = \{a^{2i} \mid i \geq 0\}$$

$$L_1 = \{\epsilon, aa, aaaa, \dots\}$$

* Here diff. b/w length of successive strings is const.

\therefore Regular

$$L_2 = \{a^{i^2} \mid i > 0\}$$

$$L_2 = \{a, aaaa, aaaaaaaaaa, \dots\}$$

* Here diff. b/w length of successive strings is not const

\therefore Not regular

It is always possible to write regular expressions for single symbol alphabet languages iff there exist const diff. b/w successive strings of language

Eg:

Identify regularity whether below languages are regular or not

→ $\{a^{2i} \mid i \geq 0\} \rightarrow$ regular

→ $\{a^{2^i} \mid i \geq 0\} \rightarrow$ not regular

→ $\{a^p \mid p \text{ is prime}\} \rightarrow$ not regular

→ $\{a^p \mid p \text{ is non-prime}\} \rightarrow$ not regular

→ $\{a^n \mid n > 0\} \rightarrow$ not regular

★ → $\{a^{i^3} \mid i \in \mathbb{Z}\} \rightarrow$ Regular (\because finite)

★ → $\{a^m b^n \mid m, n \geq 0\} \rightarrow$ Regular

★ → $\{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 0\}$

Here $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$

We have a relationship b/w a & b (i.e., $n_a(w) = n_b(w)$) which are members of Σ

\therefore It is not regular

→ $\{a^i b^{2j} \mid i, j > 0\} \rightarrow$ not regular

→ $\{a^i b^j \mid i \neq j\} \rightarrow$ not regular

→ $\{w w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^*\} \rightarrow$ not regular

→ $\{w e w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^*\} \rightarrow$

e is some terminal

It is non-regular

→ $\{a^i b^{2j} c^{3k} \mid i, j, k > 0\} \rightarrow$ regular

$a^+(bb)^+(ccc)^+ \equiv a^+ b^+ (bb)^+ c^+ (ccc)^+$

$L = \{a^{2i+1} b^{3j+1} c^{4k+1} d^{5m+1} \mid i, j, k, m > 0\} \rightarrow$ regular

Q: Consider following languages

$S_1 = \{0^{2n} | n \geq 1\}$ is regular language

$S_2 = \{0^m 1^n 0^{m+1} | m \geq 1 \text{ and } n \geq 1\}$ is regular

which of the following statement is correct

- a) only S_1
- b) only S_2
- c) both S_1 & S_2
- d) none

Q: Find similar languages to $L = \{x^n y^n | n \geq 1\}$

i) $E \rightarrow xEy | xy$

ii) $xy | x^+xyy^+$

iii) x^+y^+

- a) I only
- b) I & II
- c) II, III
- d) II only

★★

Q: which of the following is regular

a) $\{ww^R | w \in \{0,1\}^+\}$

b) $\{ww^R x | x, w \in \{0,1\}^+\} \rightarrow L = \{000, 111, 011000, \dots\}$

c) $\{wxw^R | x, w \in \{0,1\}^+\} \rightarrow \text{reg exp: } [0(0+1)^+0]^+ [1(0+1)^+1]^+$

d) $\{xww^R | x, w \in \{0,1\}^+\}$

(think) using this reg exp. all possible strings of lang in opt c) can be written.

Q: which of the following are regular

$L_1 = \{ww | w \in \{a,b\}^*\}$

$L_2 = \{ww^R | w \in \{a,b\}^*\}$

$L_3 = \{0^{2i} | i \text{ is integer}\}$ $L_4 = \{0^{i^2} | i \text{ is an integer}\}$

- a) L_1, L_2
- b) L_2, L_3, L_4
- c) L_3, L_4
- d) L_3

Closure Properties of Regular sets:

Let L_1, L_2 be 2 regular language
Regular languages are closed under below operations,

1. ~~Regular~~ Union

1. Union

$L_1 \cup L_2$ is regular

2. Intersection

$L_1 \cap L_2 = \overline{\overline{L_1} \cup \overline{L_2}}$ is regular

3. Concatenation

$L_1 L_2$ is regular

4. Complementation

$\overline{L_1}$ is regular

5. Kleen closure

L_1^* is regular

[Also positive closure]

6. Reversal operation

L_1^R is regular

To obtain FA for L_1^R first design FA for L_1 . Now reverse the direction of edges of FA of L_1 and make final state as initial state and initial state as final state.

If more than one ^{final} state exists then create new state (initial) and put an ϵ -transition to all final states of FA of L_1 .

7. Homomorphism

If H is homomorphism, then $H(L)$ is also regular

8. Inverse Homomorphism

If H is homomorphism, then $H^{-1}(L)$ is also regular

9. Substitution

If S is a substitution, then $S(L)$ is regular

10. Right Quotient

L_1 / L_2 is regular

12. Difference

$L_1 - L_2 = L_1 \cap \bar{L}_2$ is also regular

13. Prefix (INIT operator)

To obtain FA for prefix of FA of L_1 , make all states of the FA (except dead state) as final states.

Note:

★ Union, intersection etc. operation on two regular languages gives a regular language. But atleast if one of the language is non-regular then application of these operations may result in either regular or non-regular language.

For example,

$L_1 = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$... not regular

$L_2 = \{a^n b^m \mid n, m > 0\}$... regular

now

$L_1 \cup L_2 = L_2$ i.e., regular

also

$L_1 \cap L_2 = L_1$ i.e., non-regular

Homomorphism:

It refers to substitution of a string, which is defined on another alphabet

Eg:

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$\Sigma_1 \longrightarrow \Sigma_2$
 $\Sigma_1 = \{a, b\}$ $\Sigma_2 = \{0, 1, 2\}$

let h be homomorphism

$L = \{ab\}$ $h(L) = \{01122\}$

$h(a) = 011$ $h(b) = 122$

now $h(L) = \{011122, 122011\}$

Inverse Homomorphism

Eg:

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$\Sigma_1 = \{a, b, c\}$ $\Sigma_2 = \{0, 1\}$

$h(a) = 01$ $h(b) = 10$ $h(c) = 0$

$h^{-1}(1001) = \{ba\}$ $h^{-1}(10001) = \{bca\}$ $h^{-1}(100100) = \{bacc, bcac\}$

while calculating h^{-1} we'll find all possibilities

Right Quotient:

Right quotient $L_1/L_2 = \{x/xy \in L_1 \text{ \& } y \in L_2\}$

Let $L_1 = \{\text{rot, carrot, parrot}\}$

$L_2 = \{\text{rot}\}$

$L_1/L_2 = \{\epsilon, \text{par, car}\}$

Eg:

$L_1 = 010^*$ $L_2 = 0^*$

$L_1 = \{01, 010, 0100, 01000, \dots\}$

ⓐ

~~$L_1/L_2 = \{01, \epsilon\}$~~

$L_2 = \{\epsilon, 0, 00, 000, \dots\}$

$L_1/L_2 = 010^*$

Eg:

$L_1 = 0^*10^*$

$L_2 = 0^*1$

ⓑ

$L_1 = \{1, 01, 10, 010, 0010, 00010, 000100, \dots\}$

$L_2 = \{1, 01, 001, 0001, 00001, \dots\}$

$L_1/L_2 = \{\epsilon, 0, 00, 000, \dots\} = 0^*$

Eg:

$L_1 = 0^*10^*$

$L_2 = 10^*1$

ⓒ

$L_1/L_2 = \phi = \{\}$

Because y in L_2 has two 1's but the whole xy itself in L_1 has only one 1.

Q: L_1, L_2 are two languages. Find a true statement.

a) $L_1 \cup L_2$ is regular

b) $L_1 \cap L_2$ is regular

c) \bar{L}_1 is regular

d) can't be determined

Q: L_1, L_2 are two regular languages. which is true

I: $L_1 - L_2$ is regular

II: $\Sigma^* - L_1$ is not regular

a) I, II

b) I

c) II

d) both are wrong

2014 $L_1 = \{w \mid w \text{ has at least as many occurrences of } 110 \text{'s as } 011 \text{'s, } w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$

2 $L_2 = \{w \in \{0,1\}^* \mid w \text{ has at least as many occurrences of } 000 \text{'s as } 111 \text{'s}\}$

- a) L_1 is regular, but not L_2
- b) L_2 is regular, but not L_1
- c) both L_1 & L_2 are regular
- d) neither L_1 nor L_2 are regular

Ans in Gate Overflow

Q: Which of the following are regular

I: $\{a^n b^{2m} \mid n \geq 0, m \geq 0\}$

II: $\{a^n b^m \mid n = 2m\}$

III: $\{a^n b^m \mid n \neq m\}$

IV: $\{xcy \mid x,y \in \{a,b\}^*\}$

- a) I, IV
- b) I, III
- c) I only
- d) IV only

I $\rightarrow a^*(bb)^*$

IV $\rightarrow (a+b)^* c (a+b)^*$

Q: $X_0 \rightarrow \lambda X_1$
 $X_1 \rightarrow 0X_1 \mid 1X_2$
 $X_2 \rightarrow 0X_1 \mid \epsilon$

which of the following precisely represent the language of the grammar if X_0 is the start symbol.

a) $10 (0^* + (10)^*)$

b) $10 (0^* + (10^*)^*)$

c) $1 (0 + 10)^*$

d) $10 (0+10)^* + 110 (0+10)^*$

solve

Q: which of the following language is/are regular

$$L_1 = \{wxw^R \mid w, x \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ and } |w|, |x| > 0, w^R \text{ is reverse of } w\}$$

$$L_2 = \{a^n b^m \mid m \neq n \text{ \& } m, n \geq 0\}$$

$$L_3 = \{a^p b^q c^r \mid p, q, r \geq 0\}$$

a) L_1, L_3

b) L_2

c) L_2, L_3

d) L_3

Problems:

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II. Infinite unions

Consider

$$L_1 = \{ab\}$$

$$L_2 = \{aabb\}$$

$$L_3 = \{aaaabbbb\}$$

Consider

$$L_1 \cup L_2 \cup L_3 \cup \dots = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$$

\therefore not regular

illy infinite intersection

Also regular language is not closed under substiting operation

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(i) \rightarrow produces nothing i.e., empty language

(ii) \rightarrow produces nothing i.e., empty language

Q: which of the following is false

a) Every subset of regular set is regular

b) Intersection of two regular sets is regular

c) Every finite subset of regular set is regular

d) None

Consider $L_1 = \{a^n b^m \mid n, m > 0\}$ --- regular

$L_2 = \{a^n b^m \mid n, m > 0 \text{ \& } n > m\}$... not regular

$L_2 \subseteq L_1$ but L_2 is not regular \therefore option (a)

Context Free Language

→ It is language generated by context free grammar.

→ A grammar G is said to be CFG if every production is of the form

$$A \rightarrow \alpha$$

where $A \in V$

$$\alpha \in (V \cup T)^*$$

i.e., every production left side symbol must be single non-terminal but right side one can be combination of variables and terminals.

→ CFGs are very useful to define syntaxes of many programming language such as pascal, FORTRAN hence all these languages are called as CFLs.

→ CFLs play important role in many fields such as natural language processing, design of programming languages, text editors etc.

→ The following are some examples of CFGs over alphabet $\{a, b\}$

(i) equal no of a's & b's

(ii) unequal no of a's & b's

(iii) palindromes

Q: Design CFG for below languages

(i) $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$

$$S \rightarrow ab \mid aSb$$

(ii) $L = \{a^n b^{2n} \mid n \geq 0\}$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon \mid aSbb \mid \epsilon$$

(iii) $L = \{ww^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+ \text{ and } w^R \text{ is reverse of } w\}$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon \mid aSa \mid bSb \mid \epsilon \text{ (even length palindromes)}$$

(iv) $L = \{w \mid w \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ and } w \text{ is odd length palindrome}\}$

$$S \rightarrow a \mid b \mid aSa \mid bSb$$

$$(v) L = \{a^n b^m \mid n > m \geq 0\}$$

$$S \rightarrow a | aSb | aS$$

$$(vi) L = \{w \mid w \in \{a,b\}^+, N_a(w) = N_b(w)\}$$

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$$L = \{ab|ba, aabb, abab, baab, bbba, abba, \dots\}$$

$$S \rightarrow ab | ba | aSb | bSa | SS$$

(or)

$$S \rightarrow AB | BA$$

$$A \rightarrow aS | a$$

$$B \rightarrow bS | b$$

(or)

$$S \rightarrow aB | bA$$

$$A \rightarrow a | aS | bAA$$

$$B \rightarrow b | bS | aBB$$

$$(vii) L = \{a^n b^n \mid n \neq 2\}$$

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$$L = \{\epsilon, ab, aaabbb, aaaabbbb, \dots\}$$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon | ab | aAb$$

$$A \rightarrow aAb | aabb$$

(or)

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon | ab | aaaA bbb$$

$$A \rightarrow \epsilon | aAb$$

$$(viii) L = \{a^i b^j \mid i \neq j \geq 0\}$$

$$L = \{a|b, aa|bb, aab|abb, aaa|bbb, \dots\}$$

$$S \rightarrow AC | CB$$

$$A \rightarrow aA | a$$

$$B \rightarrow bB | b$$

$$C \rightarrow acb | \epsilon$$

Derivations:

A string 'w' can be derived from the grammar in multiple ways but in practice we use 3 methods:

- (i) Left most derivation
- (ii) Right most derivation
- (iii) Parse trees (or) Derivation trees

Left most Derivation:(LMD)

A derivation is said to be LMD iff in each step of the derivation left most variable is replaced.

Right most Derivation (RMD)

A derivation is said to be RMD iff if a right most variable is replaced.

Parse Tree:

When a derivation is represented in the form of a tree, it is called parse tree or derivation tree.

To obtain yield of the parse tree concentrate all leaf node labels from left to right order without repetition of labels.

Eg: $S \rightarrow SaS | sbs | c$
 $w = cacbc$

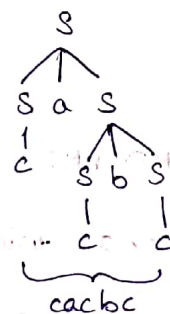
LMD:

$S \rightarrow SaS$
 $\rightarrow caS$
 $\rightarrow caSbs$
 $\rightarrow cacbs$
 $\rightarrow cacbc$

RMD:

$S \rightarrow SaS$
 $\rightarrow SaSbs$
 $\rightarrow Sasbc$
 $\rightarrow Sacbc$
 $\rightarrow cacbc$

Parse tree:



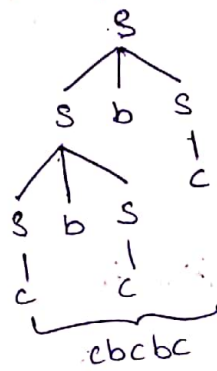
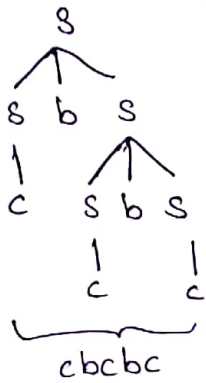
- Parse tree is same for both LMD & RMD

Eg: ~~cbcb~~

Ambiguous Grammar:

A grammar is said to be ambiguous if its language has atleast one string with more than one LMD or RMD.

Ex: Consider string cbcbc for above grammar

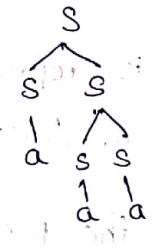
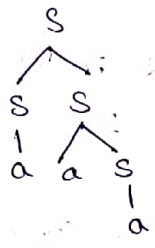


∴ It is ambiguous grammar

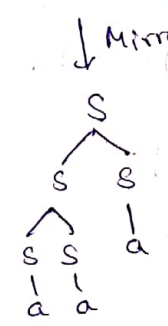
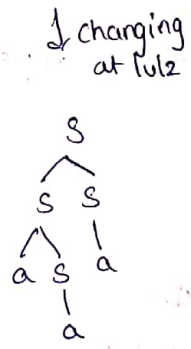
Q: Consider grammar

$$S \rightarrow aS \mid a \mid SS$$

How many parse trees can be drawn for $w = aaaa$



Here we can't create mirror image cuz aS can't be written as Sa



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Q: Construct LMD, RMD & parse trees for the string

$w = abbbbaa$ using grammar

$$S \rightarrow aB \mid bA$$

$$A \rightarrow a \mid aS \mid bAA$$

$$B \rightarrow b \mid bS \mid aBB$$

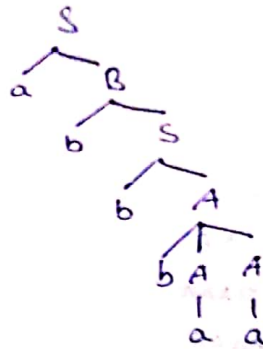
LMD

$s \rightarrow aB$
 abs
 $abba$
 $abbbAA$
 $abbbbaA$
 $abbbbaa$

RMD

$s \rightarrow aB$
 $\rightarrow abs$
 $\rightarrow abba$
 $\rightarrow abbbAA$
 $\rightarrow abbbbaA$
 $\rightarrow abbbbaa$

Parse Tree:



(ii) $w = aabbab$

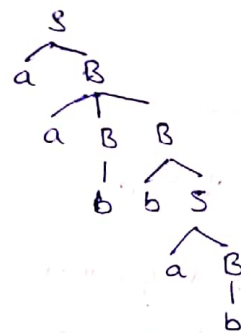
LMD

$s \rightarrow aB$
 $\rightarrow aaBB$
 $\rightarrow aabB$
 $\rightarrow aabbs$
 $\rightarrow aabbab$
 $\rightarrow aabbab$

RMD

$s \rightarrow aB$
 $\rightarrow aaBB$
 $\rightarrow aaBbs$
 $\rightarrow aaBbaB$
 $\rightarrow aaBbab$
 $\rightarrow aabbab$

P.T:



Q: Construct LMD, RMD & parse tree for

$s \rightarrow AB|BA$
 $A \rightarrow a|as$
 $B \rightarrow b|bs$

$w = abbaba$

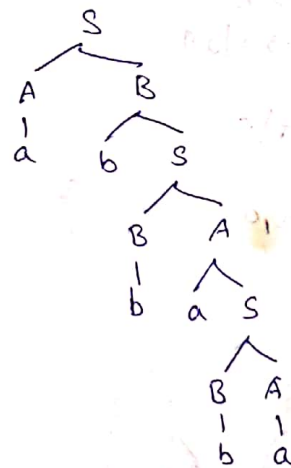
LMD:

$s \rightarrow AB$
 aB
 abs
 $abBA$
 $abba$
 $abbaS$
 $abbaBA$
 $abbaBa$
 $abbaBa$

RMD:

$s \rightarrow AB$
 ABs
 $ABBA$
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 $ABBaBA$
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 $ABbaba$
 $abbaba$

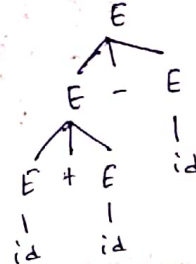
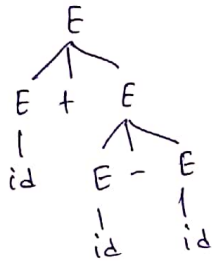
P.T:



$$(i) E \rightarrow E + E \mid E - E \mid id$$

$$L = \{ id, id + id, id - id, id + id - id, \dots \}$$

for $id + id - id$

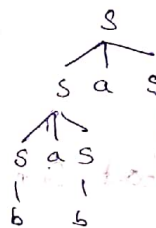
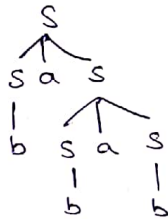


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$$(ii) S \rightarrow SaS \mid b$$

$$L = \{ b, bab, babab, bababab, \dots \}$$

for $babab$



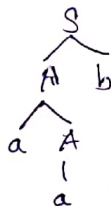
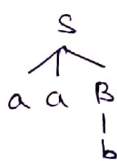
$$(iv) S \rightarrow aAb \mid Ab$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow a \mid aA$$

$$L = \{ ab, aab, aaab, aqaab, \dots \}$$

for aab



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Q: Check if below grammar is ambiguous

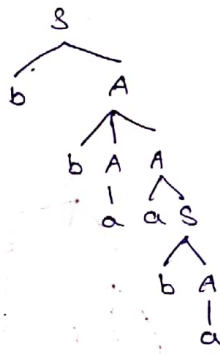
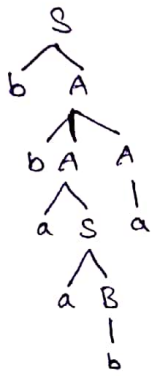
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$$S \rightarrow aB \mid bA$$

$$A \rightarrow a \mid aS \mid bAA$$

$$B \rightarrow b \mid bS \mid aBB$$

Consider string ~~bbbaab~~ bbaaba



∴ The grammar is ambiguous



Note:

In most of the cases (not all) if there is a production in which two non-terminals appear consecutively, then the grammar is most probably an ambiguous grammar

Eg: $T \rightarrow ABB$

Q: Consider following statements about CFG, G

$S \rightarrow SS | ab | ba | \epsilon$

I: G is ambiguous

II: G produces all strings with equal no of a's & b's

✓
a) I only b) II only c) I & II d) none

Consider string ababab

$S \rightarrow SS$

$\rightarrow abS$

$\rightarrow abSS$

$\rightarrow ababab$

$S \rightarrow SS$

$\rightarrow Sab$

$\rightarrow SSab$

$\rightarrow abSab$

$\rightarrow ababab$

All strings produced by G contains equal no of a's & b's

But G does not produce all strings which contain equal no of a's & b's

i.e., aabb is not produced by G

∴ I only

Q: Which of the following grammar generates

$$L = \{a^i b^j \mid i \neq j\}$$

a) $S \rightarrow AC \mid CB$

$A \rightarrow aA \mid \epsilon$

$B \rightarrow Bb \mid \epsilon$

$C \rightarrow acb \mid alb$

b) $S \rightarrow aS \mid Sb \mid alb$

c) $S \rightarrow AC \mid CB$

$A \rightarrow aA \mid \epsilon$

$B \rightarrow Bb \mid \epsilon$

$C \rightarrow acb \mid \epsilon$

d) $S \rightarrow AC \mid CB$

$A \rightarrow aA \mid a$

$B \rightarrow Bb \mid b$

$C \rightarrow acb \mid \epsilon$

a) generates aabb

$$S \rightarrow AC \rightarrow aaCb \rightarrow aabb$$

b) generates ab

$$S \rightarrow aS \rightarrow ab$$

c) generates ab

$$S \rightarrow AC \rightarrow \epsilon C \rightarrow acb \rightarrow ab$$

d) because $A \& B$ does not produce ϵ

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Q: In the correct grammar of above question what is the length of derivation (no of steps starting from S) to generate the string

$a^l b^m$ with $l \neq m$.

a) $\max(l, m) + 2$

b) $l + m + 2$

c) $l + m + 3$

d) $\max(l, m) + 3$

Consider aabbbb

$S \rightarrow CB$

$\rightarrow acbB$

$\rightarrow aaCbBB$

$\rightarrow aabbbB$

$\rightarrow aabbbb$

5 steps i.e., $\max(2, 3) + 2$

$3 + 2 = 5$

∴ opt (a)

2017 Identify the language generated by the grammar where S is the start symbol

$$S \rightarrow XY$$

$$X \rightarrow aX | a$$

$$Y \rightarrow aYb | \epsilon$$

a) $\{a^m b^n \mid m \geq n, n > 0\}$

b) $\{a^m b^n \mid m \geq n, n \geq 0\}$

c) $\{a^m b^n \mid m > n, n \geq 0\}$

d) $\{a^m b^n \mid m > n, n > 0\}$



$$\Rightarrow a^m b^n \Rightarrow a^m a^n b^n, n \geq 0, m > 0$$

$$a^x b^y, x > y, y \geq 0$$

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Q: Consider the following CFG

$$G_1: S \rightarrow aS | B$$

$$B \rightarrow b | bB$$

$$G_2: S \rightarrow aA | bB$$

$$A \rightarrow aA | B | \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow bB | \epsilon$$

which of the following languages generated by G_1, G_2 respectively

a) $\{a^m b^n \mid m > 0 \text{ (or) } n > 0\}$

$\{a^m b^n \mid m > 0 \text{ (or) } n > 0\}$

b) $\{a^m b^n \mid m > 0 \ \& \ n > 0\}$

$\{a^m b^n \mid m > 0 \text{ (or) } n > 0\}$

e) $\{a^m b^n \mid m \geq 0 \text{ (or) } n > 0\}$

$\{a^m b^n \mid m > 0 \text{ and } n > 0\}$

d) $\{a^m b^n \mid m \geq 0 \text{ and } n > 0\}$

$\{a^m b^n \mid m > 0 \text{ (or) } n > 0\}$

$G_1: L = \{ab, b, aab, aabb\} \Rightarrow m \geq 0 \ \& \ n > 0$

$G_2: L = \{a, b, ab, aab, abb, \dots\} \Rightarrow m > 0 \text{ (or) } n > 0$
aaa, bbb

Q: Find the language of the grammar

$$S \rightarrow AB$$

$$A \rightarrow \epsilon \mid A \mid \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow \epsilon \mid B \mid \epsilon$$

a) $L = \{0^m 1^n \mid n, m \geq 0\}$

b) $L = \{0^m 1^n \mid n, m \geq 1\}$

c) $L = \{0^m 1^n \mid m > 0 \text{ and } n \geq 0\}$

d) None

Elimination of useless symbols & productions:

G: $S \rightarrow AC \mid BA$

$B \rightarrow Bd \mid D$ (useless cuz it does not produce terminating string)

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$D \rightarrow d$ (useless since B is useless)

↓ elimination of useless symbols & productions = G

G: $S \rightarrow AC$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$L(G) = \{ab\}$ (in both grammars)

So in the above grammar we have 3 useless symbols

i.e., B, D, d

Steps in elimination:

① Every production in P must produce terminal strings either directly or indirectly (repeated substitution). Otherwise productions are useless

Eg: $S \rightarrow BA, B \rightarrow Bd \mid D$ in above grammar

② Thus G is $S \rightarrow AC$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$$D \rightarrow d$$

② Every production in the result of rule 1 must produce terminal string by participating in atleast one sentence derivation. Otherwise they are useless

i.e., $D \rightarrow d$ in above grammar

\therefore The reduced grammar is

$$R: S \rightarrow AC$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$$V = \{S, A, C\} \quad T = \{a, b\}$$

List of useless symbols are B, D, d

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Q: A Rank is defined as no of useless symbols in the grammar. Find

① the rank of the following grammar.

$$S \rightarrow AB|BD$$

$$B \rightarrow BD|BC$$

$$D \rightarrow f|BD$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

$$D \rightarrow DD$$

Step 1: Identify productions producing direct terminals

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

$$D \rightarrow f$$

Step 2: Identify productions producing terminals indirectly

$$D \rightarrow DD$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

$$D \rightarrow f$$

Step 3: (rule 2)

$B \rightarrow BD|BC$ does not produce terminal and thus productions

$S \rightarrow AB|BD$ $B \rightarrow BD|BC$ $D \rightarrow BD$ are useless production

useless symbols are $S, A, B, C, D, a, c, f \Rightarrow$ rank = 8

Q: Find rank of below grammar 27

$$S \rightarrow AC | BD$$

$$B \rightarrow BD | BC$$

$$D \rightarrow f | BD$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

$$D \rightarrow DD$$

Step 1:

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

$$D \rightarrow f$$

Step 2:

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

$$D \rightarrow f$$

$$D \rightarrow DD$$

$$S \rightarrow AC$$

Step 3:

useless productions are

$$S \rightarrow BD$$

$$B \rightarrow BD | BC$$

$$D \rightarrow BD$$

$$D \rightarrow f | DD$$

Thus useless symbols are B, D, f

reduced grammar

$$S \rightarrow AC$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$C \rightarrow c$$

rank = 3

Q: For the grammar given below what is the equivalent CFG without useless symbols

$$S \rightarrow AB | a$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

a) $S \rightarrow a$

$A \rightarrow a$

b) $S \rightarrow a$

c) $A \rightarrow a$

d) $S \rightarrow A | a$

$A \rightarrow a$

All the above options are equivalent to given grammar but removing useless symbols we get (b)

Elimination of Unit & Null Productions:

A production P is said to be null if it is of the form $A \rightarrow \epsilon$. For every null production grammar G we can construct an equivalent grammar G_1 without null productions such that

$$L(G_1) = L(G) - \epsilon$$

Eg: $S \rightarrow AB$
 $A \rightarrow a/\epsilon$
 $B \rightarrow bs/\epsilon$

$\Rightarrow L(G) = \{\epsilon, a, b, ab\}$

Removing null productions

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow AB/A/B \\ A &\rightarrow a \\ B &\rightarrow bs/b \\ L_1 &= \{a, b, ab\} \\ \text{i.e., } L_1 &= L - \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

Eg: $S \rightarrow AB$
 $A \rightarrow a/\epsilon$
 $B \rightarrow ~~bs~~ bs/\epsilon$

Step 1: ~~Rem~~ Identify direct null productions.

$$\begin{aligned} A &\rightarrow \epsilon \\ B &\rightarrow \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

Step 2: Find productions which would become null by substitution of above production

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow AB \\ &\rightarrow \epsilon B \\ &\rightarrow \epsilon \epsilon \\ &\rightarrow \epsilon \epsilon \end{aligned} \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow AB \\ &\rightarrow \epsilon B \\ &\rightarrow \epsilon \epsilon \\ &\rightarrow \epsilon \epsilon \end{aligned}} \right\} S \rightarrow AB \rightarrow \epsilon$$

\therefore Final null variables are $\{S, A, B\}$

step 3 : for each production substitute null values

$$S \rightarrow AB$$

$$\Rightarrow S \rightarrow AB|A|B$$

for $A \rightarrow a$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow bS$$

$$b \rightarrow bS|b$$

find all combination and write it unless it is ϵ

final result is

$$S \rightarrow AB|A|B$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow bS|b$$

Q: Construct an equivalent grammar without null productions

(N)

$$S \rightarrow ABa|BA$$

$$A \rightarrow aBa|b|e$$

$$B \rightarrow AS|b|e$$

step 1 :

$$A \rightarrow e$$

$$B \rightarrow e$$

step 2 :

$$S \rightarrow e$$

$$A \rightarrow e$$

$$B \rightarrow e$$

step 3 :

$$S \rightarrow ABa|Ba|Aa|a|A|B|BA$$

$$A \rightarrow aBa|aa|b$$

$$B \rightarrow AS|S|A|b$$

Q: Eliminate ϵ -productions from the following grammar

$$S \rightarrow XY$$

$$X \rightarrow Zb$$

$$Y \rightarrow bW$$

$$Z \rightarrow AB$$

$$W \rightarrow Z$$

$$A \rightarrow aA|bA|e$$

$$B \rightarrow Ba|Bb|e$$

Step 1:

$A \rightarrow E$

$B \rightarrow E$

Step 2:

$Z \rightarrow E$

$W \rightarrow E$

$A \rightarrow E$

$B \rightarrow E$

Steps:

$S \rightarrow XY$

$X \rightarrow zb|b$

$Y \rightarrow bw|b$

$Z \rightarrow AB|A|B$

$W \rightarrow z$

$A \rightarrow aA|a|bA|b$

$B \rightarrow bA|a|Bb|b$

Elimination of unit productions:

A production P is said to be unit production if production is of form

$A \rightarrow B$ where $A, B \in V$

Eg: $S \rightarrow A$
 $A \rightarrow B$
 $B \rightarrow C$
 $C \rightarrow D$
 $D \rightarrow d$ } $L(G) = \{d\}$

On removing all unit productions we get $S \rightarrow d$

Step 1: $S \rightarrow A$
 $A \rightarrow B$
 $B \rightarrow C$
 $C \rightarrow d$

Step 2: $S \rightarrow A$
 $A \rightarrow B$
 $B \rightarrow d$

Step 3: $S \rightarrow A$
 $A \rightarrow d$

Step 4: $S \rightarrow d$

→ For every grammar with unit productions we can produce an equivalent grammar without ~~equivalent~~ ^{unit} productions.

Q: Eliminate unit & null productions from following grammar

(A)

$S \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow aB|e$

$B \rightarrow b|e$

Eliminate null productions

null variables $\{S, A, B\}$

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid A \mid B$$

$$A \rightarrow aB \mid a$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

while eliminating null & unit productions first remove null production, then remove unit

Eliminating unit productions

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid \underbrace{aB}_A \mid \underbrace{a}_B$$

$$A \rightarrow aB \mid a$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

→ To construct a reduced grammar for given G apply the following in sequence

- (i) Eliminate null productions from G to build a new grammar G_1 ,
- (ii) Eliminate unit productions in G_1 , if any to build G_2 .
- (iii) Eliminate useless symbols to build G_3 .
- (iv) Eliminate useless productions of given G .

Q: Consider grammar G

$$S \rightarrow AB$$

$$A \rightarrow aAA \mid \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow bBB \mid \epsilon$$

① Find null variables in the grammar

a) A

b) B

c) A, B, S

d) A & B

② If G_1 is constructed from G after elimination of ϵ productions

G_1 is given by

$$A \rightarrow \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow \epsilon$$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon$$

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid A \mid B$$

$$A \rightarrow aAA \mid aA \mid a$$

$$B \rightarrow bBB \mid bB \mid b$$

③ Eliminate unit productions from ②'s answer

$$S \rightarrow AB | AAA | aA | a | bBB | bB | b$$

$$A \rightarrow AAA | aA | a$$

$$B \rightarrow bBB | bB | b$$

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④: Which of the following statements are true?

(i) Every left recursive grammar can be converted into right recursive grammar and vice versa

(ii) Every ϵ -production can be removed from any CFG by suitable transformation

(iii) The language generated by CFG $X \rightarrow w$
 $X \rightarrow wY$

where w is string of terminals and Y is a non-terminal is always regular.

(iv) The derivation trees of string generated by the CFG is called as parse tree.

✓
a) i, ii, iii, iv

b) ii, iii, iv

c) i, iii, iv

d) i, ii, iv

⑤: Remove all null productions from following grammar

Find no of productions

$$S \rightarrow ABA | bZ$$

$$Z \rightarrow AB$$

$$W \rightarrow XZ$$

$$X \rightarrow ZB$$

$$Y \rightarrow aZ | bX$$

$$A \rightarrow aAb | \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow bBb | \epsilon$$

- A → ε
- B → ε
- Z → ε
- X → ε
- W → ε

null variables : A, B, Z, X, W

Removing ε-productions

- S → ABa | Aa | Ba | a | bz | b
- Z → AB | A | B
- W → XZ | X | Z
- X → ZB | Z | B
- Y → aZ | a | bX | b
- A → aAb | ab
- B → bBb | bb

Instead of this long process find null variables and find no of productions directly

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Normal Forms:

Two normal forms are:

- i) Chomsky Normal Form (CNF)
- ii) Greibach Normal Form (GNF)

Chomsky Normal Form:

A Grammar G is said to be in CNF iff every production P is either of the form

$$A \rightarrow BC \quad \text{where } A, B, C \in V$$

(or)

$$A \rightarrow a \quad \text{where } a \in T$$

i.e., right^{side} of every production must have either 2 variables or single terminal

Eg: $S \rightarrow AB | BA$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow b$

Eg: Convert the below grammar into its CNF

$$S \rightarrow Ab|Ba$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$S \rightarrow AX|BY$$

$$X \rightarrow ab$$

$$Y \rightarrow a$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

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Eg: Convert the below grammar into CNF

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$$S \rightarrow aAB|BAB$$

$$A \rightarrow aS|b$$

$$B \rightarrow bS|a$$

Step 1: Eliminate unit and null productions if there is any

Step 2: Consider the production containing terminal on RHS with variables

$$S \rightarrow aAB \Rightarrow S \rightarrow XAB$$

$$X \rightarrow a$$

$$S \rightarrow BAB \Rightarrow S \rightarrow BAY$$

$$Y \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow aS \Rightarrow A \rightarrow XS$$

$$A \rightarrow b \Rightarrow A \rightarrow b$$

$$B \rightarrow bS \Rightarrow B \rightarrow YS$$

$$B \rightarrow a \Rightarrow B \rightarrow a$$

$$S \rightarrow XAB$$

$$X \rightarrow a$$

$$S \rightarrow BAY$$

$$Y \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow XS$$

$$A \rightarrow b$$

$$B \rightarrow YS$$

$$B \rightarrow a$$

Step 3: Restrict right side length

$$S \rightarrow XAB \Rightarrow S \rightarrow XZ$$

$$Z \rightarrow AB$$

$$X \rightarrow a$$

$$S \rightarrow BAY \Rightarrow S \rightarrow BC$$

$$C \rightarrow AY$$

$$Y \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow XS$$

$$A \rightarrow b$$

$$B \rightarrow YS|a$$

The final CNF form is

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$S \rightarrow xz/BC$

$A \rightarrow xs/b$

$B \rightarrow ys/a$

$C \rightarrow AY$

$x \rightarrow a$

$z \rightarrow AB$

Now consider

$w = aaabaa \Rightarrow |w| = 6$

$S \rightarrow xz$

$\rightarrow az$

$\rightarrow aAB$

$\rightarrow axSB$

$\rightarrow aasB$

$\rightarrow aaxzB$

$\rightarrow aaazB$

$\rightarrow aaaABB$

$\rightarrow aaabBB$

$\rightarrow aaabAB$

$\rightarrow aaabaa$

Here no of steps = 11

consider

$w = aba$

$|w| = 3$

$S \rightarrow xz$

$\rightarrow az$

$\rightarrow aAB$

$\rightarrow abB$

$\rightarrow a'bB$

$\rightarrow aba$

Here no of steps = 5

we can conclude that if length of string is n , and the grammar is in CNF then length of derivation is $2n-1$

If the grammar is in CNF, then parse tree of its every string is a binary tree

Note:

full binary tree: 2 or 0 children

complete binary tree: nodes are filled from left to right level by level.

perfect binary tree: full + complete

The time complexity for derivation of string is in the order of n if G is in CNF

→ Convert the following grammar into CNF

$$S \rightarrow aBAb|bb$$

$$A \rightarrow aS|b$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

Step 1: Remove unit & null productions

$$\text{Step 2: } S \rightarrow XBAY|YY$$

$$A \rightarrow XS|b$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$X \rightarrow a$$

$$Y \rightarrow b$$

Step 3:

$$S \rightarrow XBAY \Rightarrow S \rightarrow XM$$

$$M \rightarrow BN$$

$$N \rightarrow AY$$

∴ CNF is

$$S \rightarrow XM|YY$$

$$A \rightarrow XS|b$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$M \rightarrow BN$$

$$N \rightarrow AY$$

$$X \rightarrow a$$

$$Y \rightarrow b$$

Greibach Normal Form (GNF):

A grammar G is said to be in GNF iff every production in P of G is of the form

$$A \rightarrow a\alpha$$

where

$$a \in T$$

$$\alpha \in V^*$$

i.e., Right side of every production must have terminal followed by any no of variables

Eg:

$$S \rightarrow aAB$$

$$A \rightarrow aS|b$$

$$B \rightarrow bS|a$$

Consider
 $w = aba \Rightarrow |w| = 3$
 $S \rightarrow aAB$
 $\rightarrow abB$
 $\rightarrow aba$

no of steps = 3

Consider
 $w = aaabaa \Rightarrow |w| = 6$
 $S \rightarrow aAB$
 $\rightarrow aaSB$
 $\rightarrow aaaAB B$
 $\rightarrow aaabBB$
 $\rightarrow aaabaB$
 $\rightarrow aaabaa$
 no of steps = 6

i.e., If length of the string is 'n', no of derivation steps is n if grammar is in GNF
 All derivations with GNF are LMD
 Time complexity for derivation is of the order of n

Eg: Convert below grammar into GNF

$S \rightarrow ABC$
 $A \rightarrow aBS | bB | a$
 $B \rightarrow a$
 $C \rightarrow d$

Substitute A in S productions

$S \rightarrow aBSBC | bBBC | aBC$
 $A \rightarrow aBS | bB | a$
 $B \rightarrow a$
 $C \rightarrow d$

Q: Match the following list1 with list2

List-1

List2

E: Checking that identifiers are declared before their use.

P: $L = \{a^n b^m c^n d^m \mid n \geq 1; m \geq 1\}$

F: No of formal parameters in the declaration of a function agree with no of actual parameter in use of the function

Q: $x \rightarrow xbx \mid xcx \mid dx \mid g$

G: Arithmetic expression with matched pairs of parenthesis.

R: $L = \{w\bar{c}w \mid w \in \{a,b\}^+\}$

H: palindromes

S: $x \rightarrow bxb \mid cxc \mid \epsilon$

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|----|---|---|---|---|
| | E | F | G | H |
| a) | P | R | Q | S |
| b) | R | P | S | Q |
| c) | R | P | Q | S |
| d) | P | R | S | Q |

Q: $x \rightarrow \overset{E+E}{xbx} \mid \overset{E-E}{xcx} \mid \overset{(E)}{dxf} \mid g$

\therefore Arithmetic expression i.e., G

S: $x \rightarrow bxb \mid cxc \mid \epsilon$

palindrome i.e., H

R: $L = \{w\bar{c}w \mid w \in \{a,b\}^+\}$

Here a constraint is imposed such that the language consists of exactly one 'c' and w being $\{a,b\}^*$

\therefore It can be thought as a name of variable

i.e., E

P: $L = \{ \underbrace{a^n b^m c^n d^m}_{\text{i.e., F}} \mid n \geq 1; m \geq 1 \}$

It is designed using CSG; not CFG

2022 C language is

a) Context Free language

b) Context Sensitive Language

c) Regular Language

d) Recursively Enumerable Language

* \rightarrow CYK algo is used to ~~recognize~~ recognize tell where language is finite or infinite if there is cycle \rightarrow infinite, no cycle \rightarrow finite, no terminal \rightarrow empty

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R: $L = \{w c w \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+\}$

S: $x \rightarrow b x b \mid c x c \mid \epsilon$

H: palindromes

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|----|---|---|---|---|
| a) | P | R | Q | S |
| b) | R | P | S | Q |
| c) | R | P | Q | S |
| d) | P | R | S | Q |

Q: $x \rightarrow x b x \mid x c x \mid d x f \mid g$

\therefore Arithmetic expression i.e., G

S: $x \rightarrow b x b \mid c x c \mid \epsilon$

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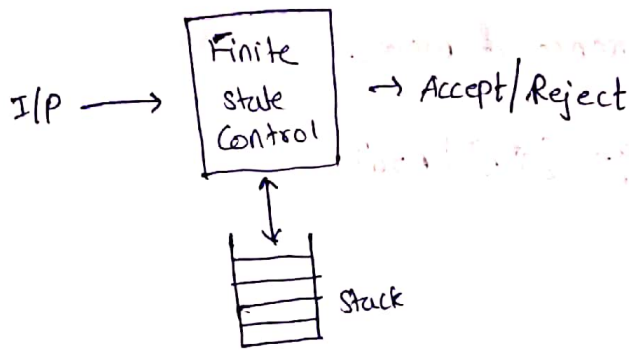
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Push Down Automata



→ PDA accepts CFG.

→ The extra stack used helps recognize CFG.

A PDA can be defined as a 7-tuple

$$P = \{Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F\}$$

Q → set of state

Σ → set of i/p symbols

Γ → set of stack symbols

q_0 → start state

z_0 → start symbol of stack

F → set of accepting states

δ → Transition function.

PUSH, POP operations
can be performed on stack.
At one time, any no. of symbols
can be pushed onto stack.
But at one time only a
single symbol can be popped.

It takes a triple $\delta(q, a, X)$ as argument

$q \in Q$, $a \in \Sigma \cup \epsilon$, X is stack symbol i.e., $X \in \Gamma$

$$\delta: Q \times (\Sigma \cup \epsilon) \times \Gamma \rightarrow Q \times \Gamma^*$$

Instantaneous Description (ID):

→ In FA the current state defines status of FA's computation.

→ But in PDA both state and contents of stack are considered.

Thus we represent configuration of PDA by a triple (q, w, r)

1. q is the current state

2. w is remaining i/p

3. r is the stack contents

This triple is called ID

For r , we generally show
top of stack at left end and
bottom at right end

Turnstile notation:

T sign is called turnstile notation and represents one move

T* sign represents sequence of moves.

Eg: Define PDA for language $\{a^n b^n / n > 0\}$

Sol:

$$Q = \{q_0, q_1\}$$

$$\Sigma = \{a, b\}$$

$$\Gamma = \{A, Z\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, Z) = \{(q_0, AZ)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, A) = \{(q_0, AA)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, A) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, b, A) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, Z) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

Eg: Consider $w = aaabbb$

The below shows sequence of ids while computation of w

$$\delta(q_0, aaabbb, Z)$$

↓

$$\delta(q_0, abb, AZ)$$

↓

$$\delta(q_0, bb, AAZ)$$

↓

$$\delta(q_0, b, AZ)$$

↓

$$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, Z)$$

↓

$$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, \epsilon)$$

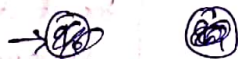
(This acceptance by empty stack)

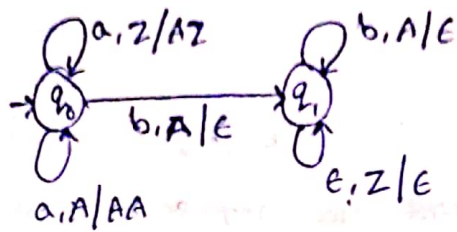
Graphical Notation for PDA

An edge label marked " $a, X/\alpha$ " from state q to P mean

$$(q, a, X) \vdash (P, \alpha)$$

The graphical representation for above example is.





Acceptance of PDA:

A PDA can accept strings in two ways

(i) Acceptance by Final state

$$L(P) = \{ w \mid (q_0, w, z_0) \vdash^* (q_f, \epsilon, \alpha) \}$$

$$q_f \in F, \alpha = z^*$$

(ii) Acceptance by Empty Stack:

$$L(P) = \{ w \mid (q_0, w, z_0) \vdash^* (q, \epsilon, \epsilon) \}$$

where $q \in Q$

These two methods are equivalent i.e., A language L has a PDA that accepts it by final state, if and only if L has a PDA that accepts it by empty stack.

Note:

→ if $(q, x, \alpha) \vdash_p^* (p, y, \beta)$ then

(i) $(q, xw, \alpha) \vdash_p^* (p, yw, \beta)$

(ii) $(q, x, \alpha\gamma) \vdash_p^* (p, y, \beta\gamma)$

(iii) $(q, xw, \alpha\gamma) \vdash_p^* (p, yw, \beta\gamma)$

→ if $(q, xw, \alpha) \vdash_p^* (p, yw, \beta)$ then

$(q, x, \alpha) \vdash_p^* (p, y, \beta)$

Note:

→ The example PDA designed for $\{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 0\}$ is deterministic PDA
i.e., there is only one move from any state for every combination
of i/p symbol and stack symbol.

→ The Non-deterministic PDA can have more than one move.

→ It is not always possible to convert NPDA to DPDA.

→ Thus expressive power of NPDA is greater than that of DPDA.

→ DPDA can express only a subset of CFGs.

Eg: Design a PDA for

$$L = \{w w^R \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$$

Here we design NPDA

$$\delta(q_0, 0, z_0) = \{(q_0, 0z_0)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 1, z_0) = \{(q_0, 1z_0)\}$$

These rules act for the first i/p read

$$\delta(q_0, 0, 0) = \{(q_0, 00)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 0, 1) = \{(q_0, 01)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 1, 0) = \{(q_0, 10)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 1, 1) = \{(q_0, 11)\}$$

Here for every combination of 0,1 symbols of i/p and stack we stay at q_0 assuming we haven't reached the middle of i/p yet.

$$\delta(q_0, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_1, z_0)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, \epsilon, 0) = \{(q_1, 0)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, \epsilon, 1) = \{(q_1, 1)\}$$

These rules allow to go for q_0 to q_1 spontaneously reading nothing. Every time we go to q_1 assuming it might be the middle of the i/p.

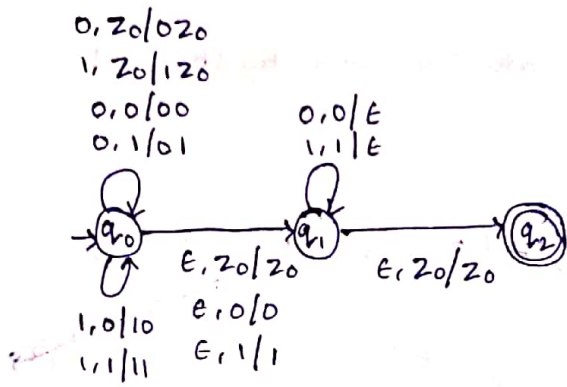
$$\delta(q_1, 0, 0) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, 1, 1) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

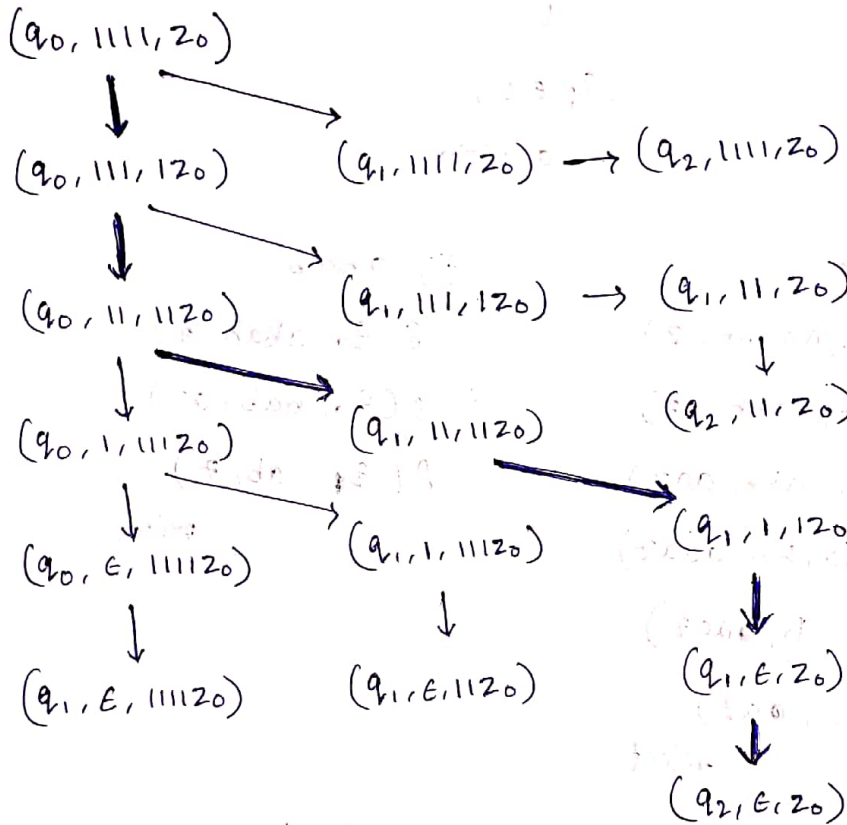
Here i/p symbols are matched to stack top and popped symbols of stack.

$$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_2, z_0)\}$$

Finally if we expose the bottom-of-stack with complete string being read.. It means we found i/p of form $w w^R$.



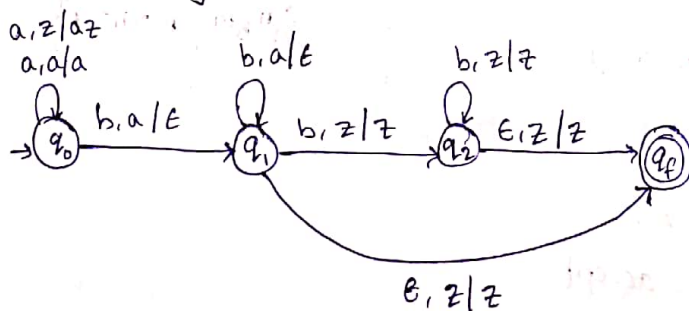
Now consider string $w = 1111$. Find all ID's of PDA that can be reached using w .



In the above thick arrows represent accepting path in which middle of string is guessed perfectly.

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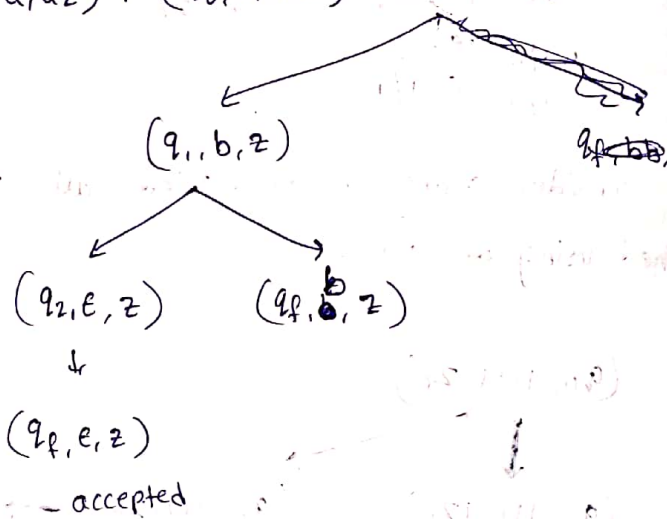
Q. Consider the following PDA



check whether following strings are accepted by the PDA

(i) aabbb

$(q_0, a, z) \vdash (q_0, a, az) \vdash (q_0, b, aa\bar{z}) \vdash (q_1, b, az)$



(ii) aaabb

$\delta(q_0, aaabb, z)$
 $\delta(q_0, aabb, az)$
 $\delta(q_0, abb, aa\bar{z})$
 $\delta(q_0, bb, aaa\bar{z})$
 $\delta(q_1, b, aa\bar{z})$
 $\delta(q_1, \epsilon, aa\bar{z})$
 reject

(iii) abaab

$\delta(q_0, abab, z)$
 $\delta(q_0, bab, az)$
 $\delta(q_1, ab, z)$
 reject

(iv) aaabbb

$\delta(q_0, aaabbb, z)$
 $\delta(q_0, aabbb, az)$
 $\delta(q_0, bbb, aa\bar{z})$
 $\delta(q_1, bb, aa\bar{z})$
 $\delta(q_1, b, az)$
 $\delta(q_1, \epsilon, z)$
 $\delta(q_f, \epsilon, z)$
 accept.

(v) bbbb

$\delta(q_0, bbbb, z)$
 reject

Thus the language of PDA is $\{a^n b^m \mid m \geq n \geq 1\}$

Q: Determine the no of string of length ≤ 3 accepted by previous question's PDA.

ab
abb $\therefore 2$

Design of PDA:

→ To design a PDA for regular language, we first design ~~PDA~~ ^{FA.}

For every transition

$\delta(q, a) = P$ in FA.

write a transition

$\delta(q, a, z) = (P, z)$ in PDA.

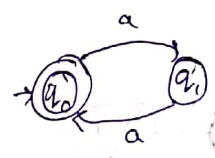
→ To design a PDA for any language we don't have a standard algorithm. But we can use the following guidelines to design a PDA

① If given language is regular design FA and don't disturb the stack

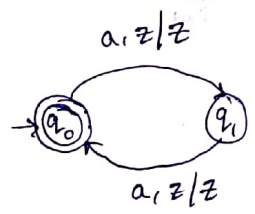
Ex: Design a PDA to recognize the language

$L = \{a^{2n} \mid n \geq 0\}$

FA:



PDA:



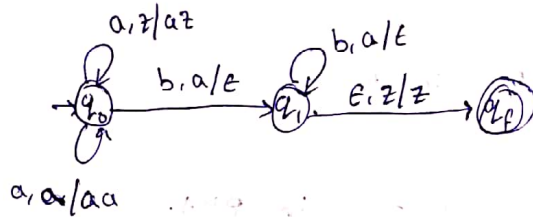
② For the non-regular but CFL languages try to design the machine with minimum no of states. This can be obtained by

- a) change the state when there is a change in operation
- i.e., when there is a change in operation from push to pop or skip to push or skip to pop or pop to skip

The main objective while designing PDA is balancing push & pop operations. In this process first part of the w, we put it on stack using push operation, the second part of the w will be in the tape for comparison.

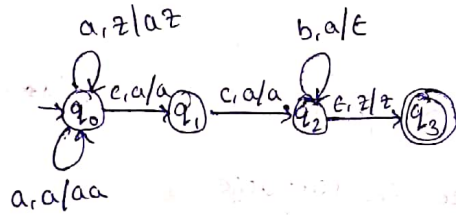
Eg: Design a PDA to recognize the language

$$L = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\} \Rightarrow L = \{ab, aabb, aaabbb, \dots\}$$

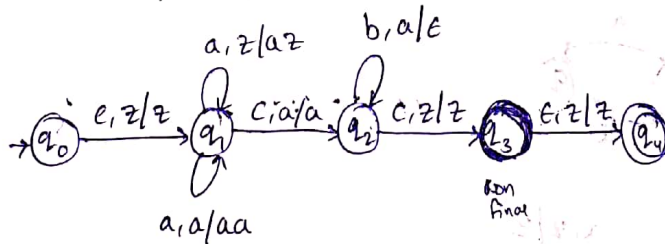


Eg: $L = \{a^n c c b^n \mid n > 0\}$

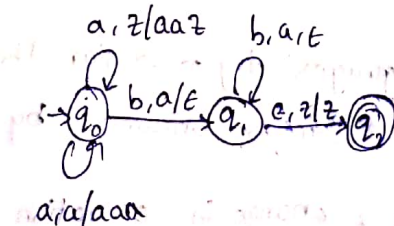
$$L = \{accb, aaccbb, aaaccbbb, \dots\}$$



Eg: $L = \{c a^n c b^n c \mid n > 0\}$

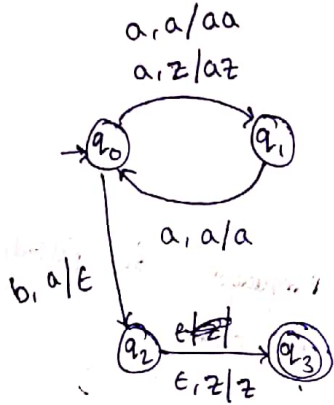


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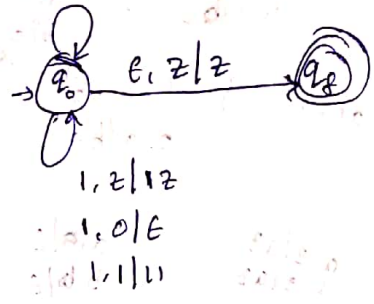


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Eg: $L = \{w \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*, 2N_a(w) = N_b(w)\}$

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d.e., No of b's is twice the no of a's
 0, 1/0
 0, 0/000
 0, 2/002

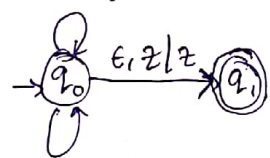


Eg: $L = \{w \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*, N_a(w) = N_b(w)\}$

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$L = \{\epsilon, ab, ba, aabb, baab, \dots\}$

b, z/bz
 a, z/az



a, b/ε

b, a/ε

a, a/aa

b, b/bb

for ~~abba~~ abba

$\delta(q_0, abba, z)$

$\delta(q_0, bba, az)$

$\delta(q_0, ba, az)$

$\delta(q_0, a, bz)$

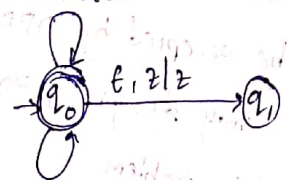
$\delta(q_0, \epsilon, z)$

$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, z)$

Eg: $L = \{w \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*, N_a(w) \neq N_b(w)\}$

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b, z/bz
 a, z/az



a, b/ε

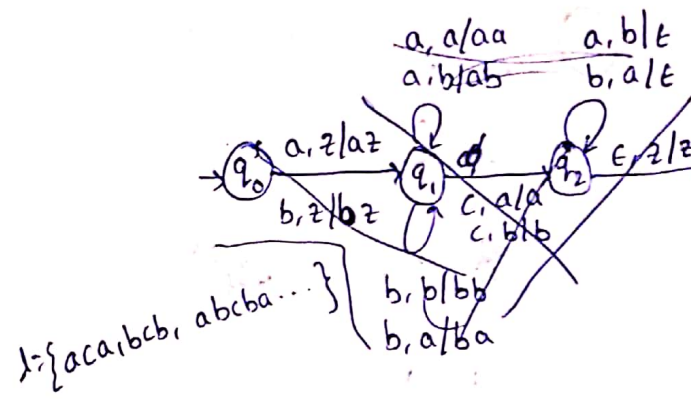
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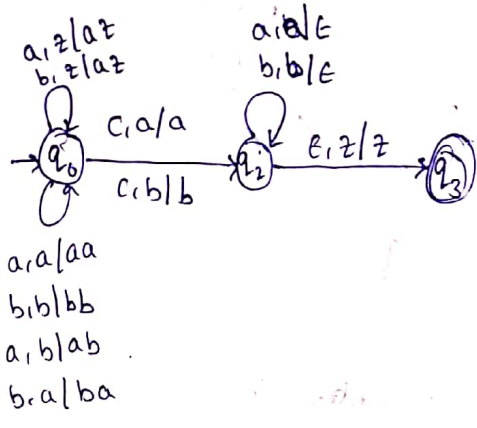
This technique of making final as non-final and non-final to final does not work for all the problems. It works only for certain problems

Eg: $L = \{w c w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+ \text{ and } c \text{ is terminal}\}$

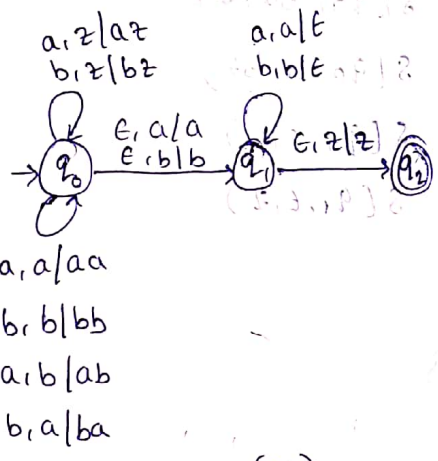


$L = \{a c a, b c b, a b c b a, \dots\}$

This language is for palindromes of odd length

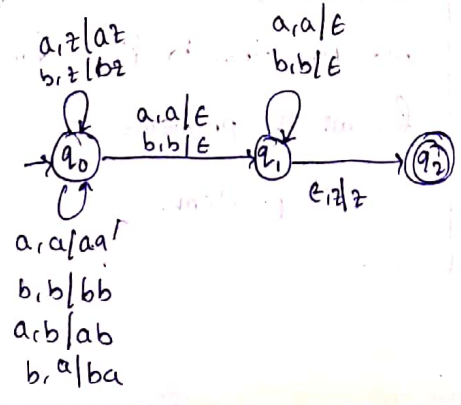


Eg: $L = \{w w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+\}$



$L = \{aa, bb, abba, aaaa, baab, \dots\}$

(or)



This kind of language can't be accepted by DPDA. we can only design NPDA of this problem

The transitions of above PDA are

$$\delta(q_0, a, z) = \{(q_0, az)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, z) = \{(q_0, bz)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, a) = \{(q_0, aa), (q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, b) = \{(q_0, bb), (q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, b) = \{(q_0, ab)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, a) = \{(q_0, ba)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, a, a) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

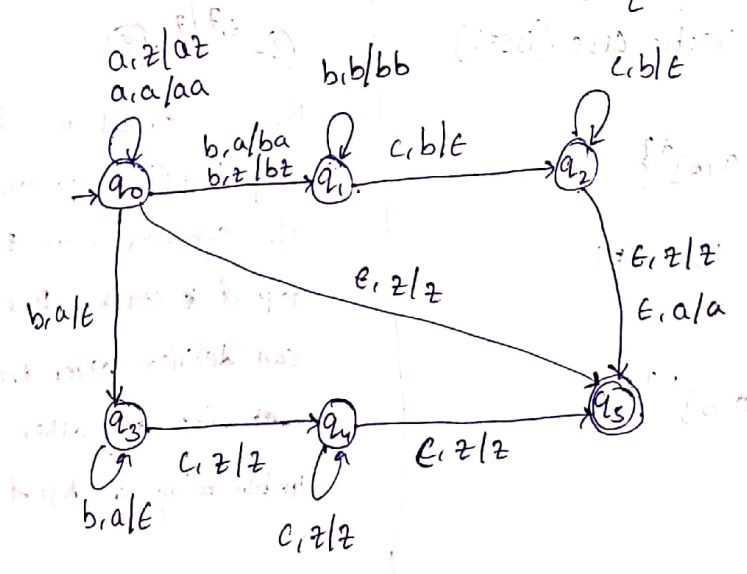
$$\delta(q_1, b, b) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, z) = \{(q_2, z)\}$$

→ languages accepted by deterministic PDA are called DCFL

$$Eg: L = \{a^n b^m c^k \mid n=m \text{ (or) } m=k\}$$

$$L = \{ab, bc, aabb, abc, aabbc, abbbcc, \dots\}$$



Types of PDA:

A PDA can be classified into two types

- (i) Deterministic PDA (DPDA)
- (ii) Non-Deterministic PDA (NPDA) (or) (NDPDA)

Deterministic PDA:

A PDA $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Upsilon, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$ is deterministic if

(i) for no q in Q , z in Υ and a in Σ or ϵ does $\delta(q, a, z)$ contains more than one element

(ii) for each q in Q , z in Υ whenever

$\delta(q, \epsilon, z)$ is non-empty then $\delta(q, a, z)$ should be

empty $\forall a \in \Sigma$

~~explanation~~

→ The languages accepted by DPDA are called deterministic CFLs (DCFL)

Ex: $L = \{w\omega^R \mid \omega \in \{a,b\}^+\}$

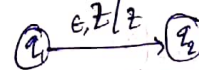
is not DCFL but CFL

$L = \{w\omega^R \mid \omega \in \{a,b\}^+\}$

is DCFL

explanation of (ii)

Consider below situation



then q_1 should not defined any transition of other ϵ symbols with ϵ being top of stack. But q_1 can defined other transition with any other stack symbol being on top of the stack

Q: Check whether following are DCFL or not

(2)

1. $L = \{a^n b^n c^m \mid n, m \geq 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

2. $L = \{a^m b^n c^n \mid n, m \geq 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

3. $L = \{a^n b^m c^{n+m} \mid n, m \geq 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

4. $L = \{a^n b^{n+2} c^k \mid n, k \geq 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

5. $L = \{a^{2n+2} b^n \mid n \geq 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

6. $L = \{a^n b^m c^k \mid n=m \text{ (or) } m=k\} \longrightarrow \text{CFL but not DCFL}$

7. $L = \{a^i b^j c^k \mid i \neq j \text{ (or) } j \neq k\} \longrightarrow \text{CFL but not DCFL}$

8. $L = \{w \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+ \wedge N_a(w) = N_b(w)\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

* 9. $L = \{a^i b^j \mid i = j^2\} \longrightarrow \text{Not CFL}$

* 10. $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n > 0\} \longrightarrow \text{Not CFL}$

* 11. $L = \{ww \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+\} \longrightarrow \text{Not CFL}$

* 12. $L = \{a^n b^n c^{2^n} \mid n > 0\} \longrightarrow \text{Not CFL}$

13. $L = \{a^n b^m c^m d^n \mid n, m > 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

14. $L = \{a^n b^n c^m d^m \mid n, m > 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

15. $L = \{a^n b^m c^n d^m \mid n, m > 0\} \longrightarrow \text{Not CFL}$

16. $L = \{a^i b^j c^{i+j} d^m \mid i, j, m > 0\} \longrightarrow \text{DCFL}$

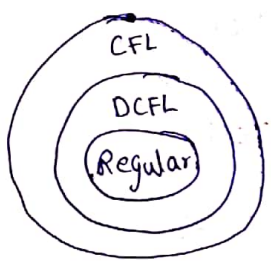
17. The language defined on single symbol alphabet is CFL iff it is regular.

Eg: $L = \{a^{2^i} \mid i > 0\}$ is regular & DCFL

$L = \{a^{i^2} \mid i > 0\}$ is not regular & not CFL

18. $L = \{a^p \mid p \text{ is prime}\} \longrightarrow \text{Not CFL } (\because \text{not regular}).$

Note:



CFG to PDA:

→ For every context free grammar, G we can construct an equivalent PDA M that accepts every string of G by null stack

Eg: Convert the following CFG into PDA

$S \rightarrow aSb$
 $S \rightarrow ab$

Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$

$G = (V, T, P, S)$

$V = \{S\}$

$T = \{a, b\}$

$S = \{S\}$

Now

$Q = \{q\}$

$\Sigma = \{T\} = \{a, b\}$

$\Gamma = V \cup T = \{S, a, b\}$

$q_0 = q$

$z_0 = S$

$F = \emptyset$

finding δ :

for every

$A \rightarrow \alpha \Rightarrow 1. \delta(q, \epsilon, A) = (q, \alpha)$

~~2. for every a in Σ~~

2. for every a in Σ

$\delta(q, a, a) = (q, \epsilon)$

Now

$$s \rightarrow asb$$

①

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, s) = (q, asb)$$

$$s \rightarrow ab \quad \delta(q, \epsilon, s) = (q, ab)$$

②

$$\delta(q, a, a) = (q, \epsilon)$$

$$\delta(q, b, b) = (q, \epsilon)$$

Now for aabb

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, aabb, s)$$

$$\vdash \delta(q, aabb, asb)$$

$$\vdash \delta(q, abb, sb)$$

$$\vdash \delta(q, abb, asbb)$$

$$\delta(q_0, a^a b b, abb)$$

$$\vdash (q_0, bb, bb)$$

$$\vdash (q_0, b, b)$$

$$\vdash (q_0, \epsilon, \epsilon)$$

Q: Design PDA for

$$L = \{ w w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^+ \}$$

using from grammars

$$s \rightarrow asa \mid bsb \mid aa \mid bb$$

①

$$s \rightarrow asa \Rightarrow \delta(q, \epsilon, s) = (q, asa)$$

$$s \rightarrow bsb \Rightarrow \delta(q, \epsilon, s) = (q, bsb)$$

$$s \rightarrow aa \Rightarrow \delta(q, \epsilon, s) = (q, aa)$$

$$s \rightarrow bb \Rightarrow \delta(q, \epsilon, s) = (q, bb)$$

②

$$\delta(q, a, a) = (q, \epsilon)$$

$$\delta(q, b, b) = (q, \epsilon)$$

for $w = abba$

$\delta(q, abba, s)$

$\vdash (q, abba, aSa)$

$\vdash (q, bba, Sa)$

$\vdash (q, bba, bba)$

$\vdash (q, barba)$

$\vdash (q, a, a)$

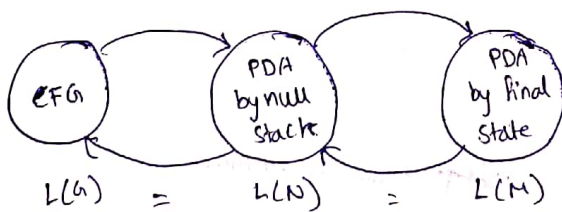
$\vdash (q, \epsilon, \epsilon)$
accepted

PDA to CFG:

The procedure for conversion of PDA to CFG is complicated but possible.

Note:

The following inter-conversions are possible



★ → There is no conversion procedure from NPDA to DPDA

$L(NPDA) \neq L(DPDA)$

$L(DPDA) \subseteq L(NPDA)$

Closure Properties of CFL:

→ CFLs are closed under union

→ " " " " Concatenation

→ " " " " Kleen closure

→ Reversal

- positive closure
- Homomorphism
- Inverse homomorphism
- Substitution

* CFLs are not closed under

(i) intersection
 i.e., if L_1 & L_2 are two CFLs then $L_1 \cap L_2$ need not to be a CFL

(ii) Complementation
 i.e., if L_1 is a CFL then \bar{L}_1 need not to be a CFL.

Some CFLs are designed only with NPDA. Here complementation technique doesn't work. Thus CFL is not close under Complementation. But DCFL is closed under complementation.

* → when CFLs are intersected with regular sets the result is CFL

if L is CFL & R is regular
 $L \cap R$ is CFL

Ex: $L_1 = \{a^n b^m \mid n, m > 0\}$ → regular

$L_2 = \{a^n b^m \mid n > 0\}$ → CFL

$L_1 \cap L_2 \rightarrow L_2$ i.e., CFL

DCFL Properties

- DCFL's are closed under complementation, but not CFLs.
- DCFL's are not closed under intersection.
- when DCFL is intersected with regular set, the result is DCFL.

* Every language accepted by DPDA is unambiguous, but every unambiguous grammar need not to be accepted by DPDA
 Ex: $S \rightarrow \epsilon \mid S \mid S \mid \epsilon$ is unambiguous and accepted by NPDA only

Q: Consider below languages

$$L_1 = \{0^p 1^q 0^n \mid p, q, n \geq 0\}$$

$$L_2 = \{0^p 1^q 0^n \mid p, q, n \geq 0, p \neq q\}$$

which of the below statements is false

a) L_2 is CF

b) $L_1 \cap L_2$ is CF

c) L_1 is CF

d) Complement of L_1 is context-free but not regular

$L_1 \rightarrow$ regular

$L_2 \rightarrow$ CFG

$L_1 \cap L_2$ is regular \cap CFG = CFG

L_1 is CF but it is regular

d) $L_1 \rightarrow$ regular $\bar{L}_1 \rightarrow$ regular

2010

Q: Consider the languages

$$L_1 = \{0^i 1^j \mid i \neq j\}$$

$$L_2 = \{0^i 1^j \mid i = j\}$$

$$L_3 = \{0^i 1^j \mid i = 2j + 1\}$$

$$L_4 = \{0^i 1^j \mid i \neq 2j\}$$

which one of the following stmt is true?

a) only L_2 is CF

b) only L_2, L_3 are CF

c) only L_1 & L_3 are CF

d) All are CF

2014 Consider the following language over the alphabet $\Sigma = \{0, 1, c\}$

(N) $L_1 = \{0^n 1^n \mid n > 0\}$

$L_2 = \{w \in \Sigma^* \mid w \in \{0, 1\}^*\}$

$L_3 = \{w w^R \mid w \in \{0, 1\}^*\}$

Here w^R is the reverse of w

which of these languages are deterministic CFLs

- a) none
- b) L_1
- c) L_1, L_2
- d) All

2015 which of the following languages are CFLs?

(N) $L_1 = \{a^m b^n a^n b^m \mid m, n \geq 1\}$

$L_2 = \{a^m b^n a^m b^n \mid m, n \geq 1\}$

$L_3 = \{a^m b^n \mid m = 2n + 1\}$

- a) L_1, L_2
- b) L_1, L_3
- c) L_2, L_3
- d) L_3

2016 Consider the following languages

$L_1 = \{a^n b^m c^{n+m} \mid m, n \geq 1\}$

$L_2 = \{a^n b^n c^{2n} \mid n \geq 1\}$

which is true?

- a) L_1, L_2 are CF
- b) L_1 is CF but L_2 is not
- c) L_2 is CF, but L_1 is not
- d) none are CF

SET-I

2017 Consider the following languages over the alphabet $\Sigma = \{a, b, c\}$

(N)

$$L_1 = \{a^n b^n c^m \mid n, m \geq 0\}$$

$$L_2 = \{a^m b^n c^n \mid n, m \geq 0\}$$

Which of the following are CFLs

- (i) $L_1 \cup L_2$
- (ii) $L_1 \cap L_2$

- a) i
- b) ii
- c) i, ii
- d) none

$$L_1 \cap L_2 = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 0\} \text{ i.e., not CFL, but CSL.}$$

set-II

2017 Consider the languages given below

$$L_1 = \{a^p \mid p \text{ is a prime}\}$$

$$L_2 = \{a^n b^m c^{2m} \mid n, m \geq 0\}$$

$$L_3 = \{a^n b^n c^{2n} \mid n \geq 0\}$$

$$L_4 = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$$

Identify correct statement

- (i) L_1 is CF but not regular
- (ii) L_2 is not CF
- (iii) L_3 is not CF but recursive
- (iv) L_4 is a deterministic CFL

- a) i, ii, iv
- b) ii, iii
- c) i, iv
- d) iii, iv

2018 Consider the following languages

(N)

$$I. \{a^m b^n c^p d^q \mid m+p = n+q, m, n, p, q \geq 0\}$$

$$II. \{a^m b^n c^p d^q \mid m \geq n \text{ and } p = q \text{ \& } m, n, p, q \geq 0\}$$

III. $\{a^m b^n c^p d^q \mid m=n=p \ \& \ p \neq q, \ m, n, p, q \geq 0\}$

IV. $\{a^m b^n c^p d^q \mid mn = p+q\}$

which of the languages above are context free

- a) I, IV b) I, II c) II, III d) II, IV

for I: perform m pushes for a^m

now pop for bⁿ

if m > n

m-n no of a's will be left on stack

else if m < n

perform pop for ~~m~~ times and push b for n-m times

now push a's for p times

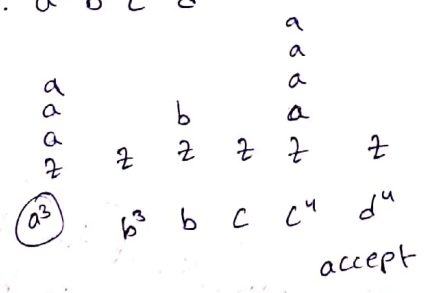
now pop the stack for d^q

pop n-m times for (n-m) in c^p

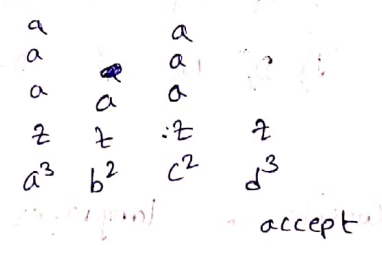
and push p-(n-m) times for c^p

now pop out for d^q

Eg: a³ b⁴ c⁵ d⁴



Eg: a³ b² c² d³



2019 which of the following languages over {a,b} is not CF

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- a) $\{w w^R \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*\}$ b) $\{a^n b^i \mid i \in \{n, 3n, 5n\}, n \geq 0\}$
 c) $\{w a^n b^n w^R \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*, n \geq 0\}$ d) $\{w a^n w^R b^n \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*, n \geq 0\}$

a \Rightarrow CFL

b \Rightarrow $\{a^n b^n\} \cup \{a^n b^{3n}\} \cup \{a^n b^{5n}\} \Rightarrow$ CFL . not DCFL

c \Rightarrow $w a^n b^n w^r$
 $\uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow$
 Push Pop Pop Pop
 $(a^n b^m c^m d^n)$

d \Rightarrow $w a^n w^r b^n$

It is kind of in form

$a^n b^m c^n d^n$

2005

Let N_f & N_p denote the classes of languages accepted by NFA & NPDA respectively. Let D_f & D_p denote the classes of languages accepted by deterministic FA and DPDA respectively. Which one of the following is true

a) $D_f \subset N_f$ & $D_p \subset N_p$

b) $D_f \subset N_f$ & $D_p = N_p$

c) $D_f = N_f$ & $D_p = N_p$

d) $D_f = N_f$ & $D_p \subset N_p$

Q: Consider the languages

(N)

$$L_1 = \{a^n b^n c^m \mid n, m > 0\}$$

$$L_2 = \{a^n b^m c^m \mid n, m > 0\}$$

Which one of the following statements is false?

a) $L_1 \cap L_2$ is CF

b) $L_1 \cup L_2$ is CF

c) L_1, L_2 are CF

d) $L_1 \cap L_2$ is context sensitive language

Here intersection of two DCFLs need not to be CFL. So check it based on the context

$$* L_1 \cap L_2 = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n > 0\}$$

is CSL

Q: The language

$L = \{0^i 2^j 1^k \mid i \geq 0\}$ over the alphabet $\{0, 1, 2\}$ are _____

- a) not recursive
- b) is regular language
- c) is recursive and deterministic CFL
- d) is not a DCFL, but CFL

2009 Let $L = L_1 \cap L_2$ where L_1 & L_2 are the languages defined as

$$L_1 = \{a^m b^m c a^n b^n \mid m, n \geq 0\}$$

$$L_2 = \{a^i b^j c^k \mid i, j, k \geq 0\}$$

then L is _____?

- a) not recursive
- b) regular
- c) CFL but not regular
- d) recursively enumerable but not CFL

Q: Consider following statements about context free grammar

2

$$G = \{S \rightarrow SS, S \rightarrow ab, S \rightarrow ba, S \rightarrow \epsilon\}$$

- (i) G is ambiguous
- (ii) G produces all strings with equal no of a's & b's
- (iii) G can be accepted by DPDA

which combination below expresses all the true statements about G .

- a) i
- b) i, iii
- c) ii & iii
- d) i, ii, iii

$S \rightarrow abs/bas/\epsilon$

- (i) Since $S \rightarrow \epsilon$ is present it is ambiguous
- (ii) $\rightarrow aabb$ is not produced, so (ii) is false
- (iii) \rightarrow DPDA can be designed (check previous example)

Q: Consider the languages

$$L_1 = \{ww^R \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$$

$$L_2 = \{w\#w^R \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*, \# \text{ is special symbol}\}$$

$$L_3 = \{ww \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$$

which one of the following is true

a) L_1 is DCFL

b) L_2 is DCFL

c) L_3 is CFL, but not DCFL

d) L_3 is DCFL

★ ★ ★
Q: Let
★ ★
②

$$L_1 = \{0^{n+m} 1^n 0^m \mid n, m \geq 0\}$$

$$L_2 = \{0^{n+m} 1^{n+m} 0^m \mid n, m \geq 0\}$$

$$L_3 = \{0^{n+m} 1^{n+m} 0^{n+m} \mid n, m \geq 0\}$$

which of the languages are not context-free

a) L_1 only

b) L_3 only

c) L_1 & L_2

d) L_2 & L_3

$$L_2 \rightarrow 0^{n+m} 1^{n+m} 0^m$$

for 0's we push $n+m$ times

for 1's we pop $(n+m)$ times

we can't skip 0's because no of zeroes must be less than no of 1's because $m \leq n+m$

$$L_3 \rightarrow 0^{n+m} 1^{n+m} 0^{n+m} \approx 0^n 1^n 0^n$$

set-II

② Let L_1 & L_2 be any two context free languages and α be

any regular language. Then which one of the following

is correct

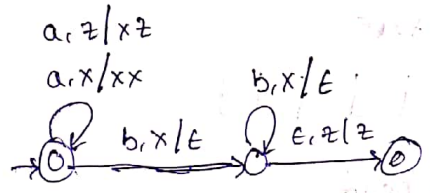
- I. $L_1 \cup L_2$ is CF
- II. \bar{L}_1 is CF
- III. $L_1 - \Sigma^*$ is CF
- IV. $L_1 \cap L_2$ is CF

- a) I, II, IV
- b) I, III
- c) II, IV
- d) I only

- I. $L_1 \cup L_2$ is CF ✓
- II. \bar{L}_1 need not to be CF
- III. $L_1 - \Sigma^* = L_1 \cap \bar{\Sigma^*}$
 \downarrow CF \downarrow regular \Rightarrow CF ✓
- IV. $L_1 \cap L_2$ need not to be CF

Q: Consider the following PDA

(N)



which one of the following is true?

- a) $L = \{a^n b^n / n \geq 0\}$ and is not accepted by any DPDA
- b) $L = \{a^n / n \geq 0\} \cup \{a^n b^n / n \geq 0\}$ and is not accepted by any DPDA
- c) $L = \{a^n / n \geq 0\} \cup \{a^n b^n / n \geq 0\}$ and is DCFL ✓
- d) none of the above

a) $\Rightarrow L = \{a^n b^n / n \geq 0\}$ is ~~correct~~ ^{wrong} and ^{also} it can be accepted by DPDA

~~$L = \{a^n b^n / n \geq 0\}$ is correct representation and is accepted by some DPDA~~

~~a) $\Rightarrow \{a^n / n \geq 0\} \cup \{a^n b^n / n \geq 0\}$ is correct and it is DCFL~~

Problems:

Pumping Lemma for CFL's

Let L be any infinite CFL. Then there is a constant 'n' depending on L such that if z is in L and $|z| \geq n$ then we may write

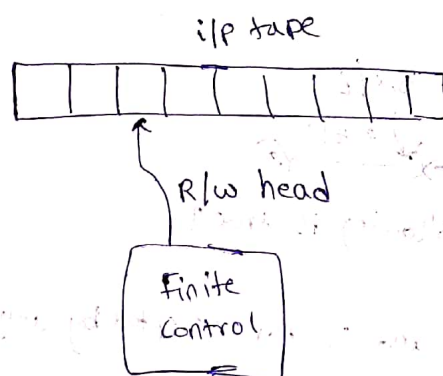
$z = uvwxy$ such that

(i) $|v|x|z|$

(ii) $|vwx| \leq n$ and

(iii) for $i \geq 0$, uv^iwx^iy is in L

Turing Machines



→ A Turing machine (T.M) is a mathematical model of digital computer. A T.M is used to recognize Recursively Enumerable Languages.

→ According to Turing if any problem solvable by digital computer can also be solved by T.M

→ The T.M block diagram as shown in the figure consists of i/p tape with infinite length. The head can move in two directions (left or right) with read/write capabilities.

→ A T.M is seven tuple system

$$M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, B, F) \text{ where}$$

Q = finite set of states

Σ = i/p alphabet

Γ = tape alphabet

δ = transition function mapping

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

q_0 = initial state

B = blank symbol

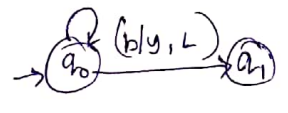
F = set of final states

A T.M can be represented in multiple ways

1. state diagram

2. state table

1. State diagram
a/x, R



a/x, R

a is i/p symbol

x is replacement symbol

R is direct of movement of read/write head

2. State table

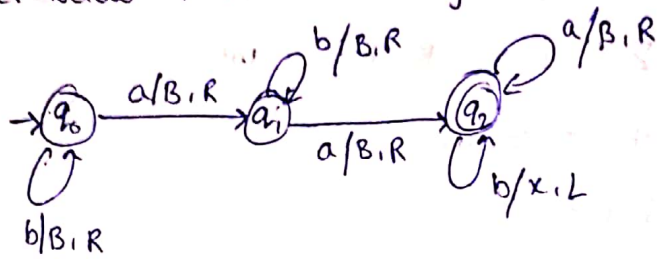
	a	
→ q ₀	q ₀ , q ₀ , R	

→ transition function is written as

$$\delta(q_0, a) = (q_0, x, R)$$

$$\delta(q_0, b) = (q_1, y, L)$$

Ex: Consider below T.M's state diagram



$$Q = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\Sigma = \{a, b\}$$

$$\Gamma = \{x, B\}$$

$$q_0 = q_0$$

$$F = \{q_2\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a) = (q_1, B, R)$$

$$\delta(q_0, b) = (q_0, B, R)$$

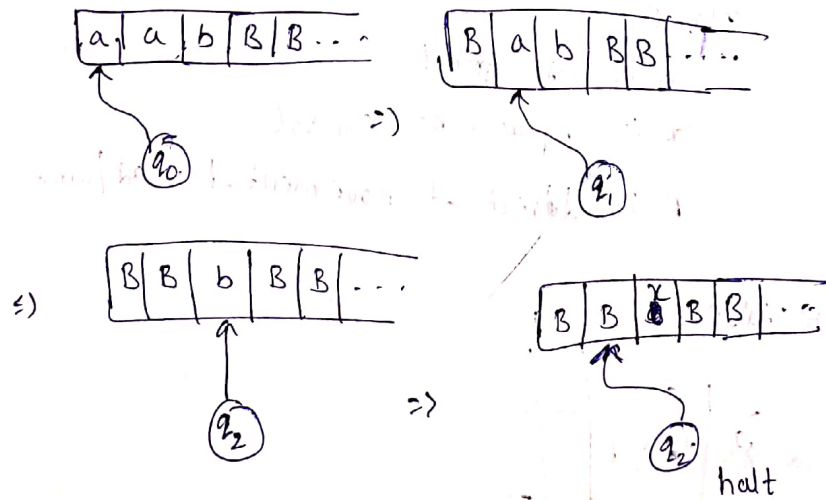
$$\delta(q_1, a) = (q_2, B, R)$$

$$\delta(q_1, b) = (q_1, b, R)$$

$$\delta(q_2, a) = (q_2, B, R)$$

$$\delta(q_2, b) = (q_2, x, L)$$

Now consider $w = aab$



This is represented as

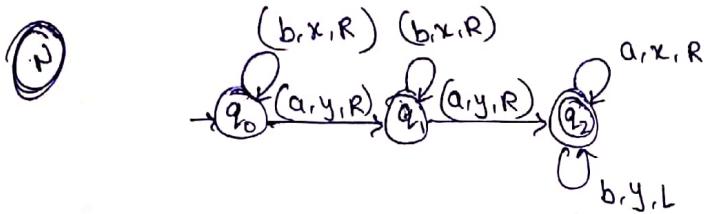
$$\vdash q_0 aab$$

$$\vdash Bq_1 ab$$

$$\vdash BBq_2 b$$

$$\vdash BBxq_2 B \text{ halt}$$

Consider the following Turing Machine



Here $Q = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$

$\Sigma = \{a, b\}$

$\Gamma = \{x, y, B\}$

$q_0 = q_0$

$F = \{q_2\}$

$B = B$

$\delta: \delta(q_0, a) = (q_1, y, R)$

$\delta(q_0, b) = (q_0, x, R)$

\vdots

a) $w = abab$

b) $w = baab$

c) $w = bbbbaa$

$\vdash q_0 abab$

$\vdash yq_1 bab$

$\vdash yxq_1 ab$

$\vdash yxyq_2 b$

~~$\vdash yxyq_2 b$~~

$\vdash yxq_2 yy$

Halt

accept

$\vdash q_0 baab$

$\vdash xq_0 aab$

$\vdash xyq_1 ab$

$\vdash xyq_2 b$

$\vdash xyq_2 yy$

Halt

accept

$\vdash q_0 bbbbaa$

$\vdash xq_0 bbaa$

$\vdash xxq_0 baa$

$\vdash xxxq_0 aa$

$\vdash xxxq_1 a$

$\vdash xxxq_2 B$

Halt

accept

Acceptance of a string 'w' by Turing Machine:

A string w is said to be accepted by TM iff $q_0 w \vdash^* \alpha_1 q_f \alpha_2$ for some $q_f \in F$ and $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \Gamma^*$ (i.e., w is completely processed)

* Even If current state is final state and string is not completely processed then it is not accepted yet

Eg: for previous TM check acceptance of baabb

q_0baabb

$\vdash xq_0aabb$

$\vdash xyq_1abb$

$\vdash xyq_2bb$

$\vdash xyq_2yyb$

halt & reject (because string is not completely processed)

$w = aaaaab$

$q_0aaaaab$

$\vdash xq_1aaab$

$\vdash yyq_2aab$

$\vdash yyxq_2ab$

$\vdash yyxq_2b$

$\vdash yyxq_2zy$

halt & accept

Eg: Consider the following TM

	0	1	B
q_0	$(q_1, 1, R)$	$(q_1, 1, R)$	Halt
q_1^*	$(q_1, 1, R)$	$(q_0, 1, L)$	(q_0, B, L)

$w = 001$

q_0001

$\vdash 1q_101$

$\vdash 11q_11$

$\vdash 1q_011$

$\vdash 11q_11$

$\vdash 1q_011$

$\vdash 11q_11$

doesn't Halt

and hence it is considered rejected

A string w is generally rejected by TM iff

- (i) TM halts at non-final state
- (ii) TM halts at final state without processing w completely
- (iii) TM does not halt

b) $w = 10$

- $q_0 10$
- $1q_1 0B$
- $11q_2 B$
- $1q_0 1B$
- $11q_1 B$
- $1q_0 1B$

doesn't halt
and hence
rejected

c) $w = 0$

- $q_0 0$
- $\vdash 1q_1 B$
- $\vdash q_0 1B$
- $\vdash 1q_1 B$
- \vdots

doesn't halt
and hence
rejected

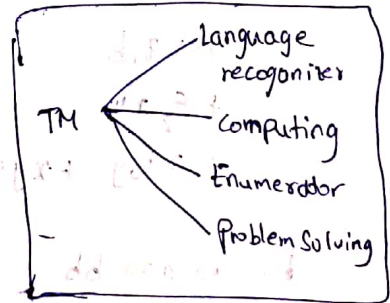
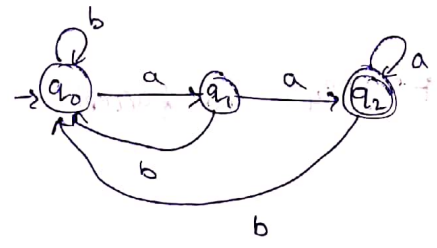
Design of Turing Machine:

A TM must have min no of state. This can be obtained by following guidelines

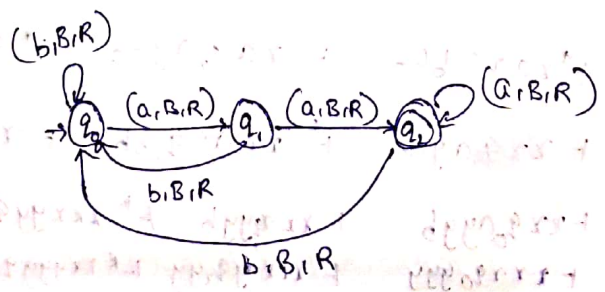
- (i) Change the state if there is a change in replacement symbol.
- (ii) Change the state if there is a change in direction of the head
- (iii) A TM for any particular problem can have a number of solutions but try achieve it with minimum no of states

Eg: Design a TM to recognize the language $L = (atb)^* aa$

DFA:



TM:



Eg: Design TM for $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$

$L = \{ab, aabb, aaabbb, \dots\}$

Let $w = aabb$

$q_0 aabb$
 $\rightarrow x q_1 abb$

$\rightarrow x a q_2 bb$

$\rightarrow x q_2 a y b$

$\rightarrow q_2 x a y b$

$\rightarrow x q_0 a y b$

$\rightarrow x x q_1 y b$

$\rightarrow x x y q_2 b$

$\rightarrow x x x q_2 y y$

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$\rightarrow x x x q_0 y y$

$\rightarrow x x y q_3 y$

$\rightarrow x x y y q_3 B$

$\rightarrow x x y y B q_4$

halt & accept

for $w = ab$

$q_0 ab$

$\rightarrow x q_1 b$

$\rightarrow q_2 xy$

$\rightarrow x q_0 y$

$\rightarrow x y q_3 B$

$\rightarrow x y B q_4$

halt & accept

for $w = aaabbb$

$q_0 aaabbb$

$\rightarrow x q_1 aaabbb$

$\rightarrow x q_2 xy$

$\rightarrow x q_0 y$

$\rightarrow x x q_1 y y$

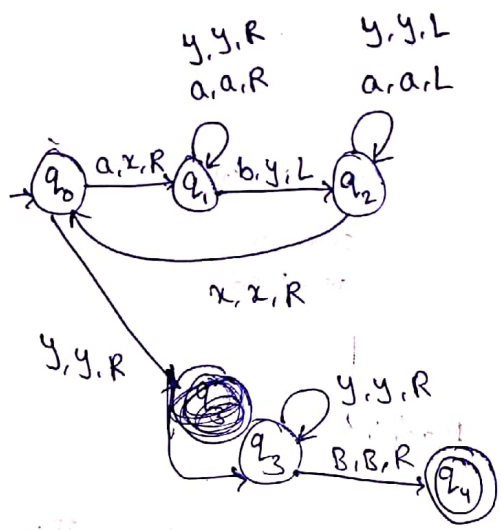
$\rightarrow x x y q_2 y y$

$\rightarrow x x x q_2 y y y$

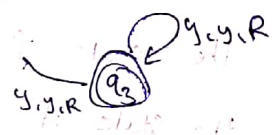
$\rightarrow x x y y q_3 B$

$\rightarrow x x y y B q_4$

halt & accept



Here we can write q_3 as final state also



Eg: Design TM for $L = \{a^n b^{n+1} \mid n > 0\}$ [Think how to design TM]

Eg: Design TM for $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n > 0\}$

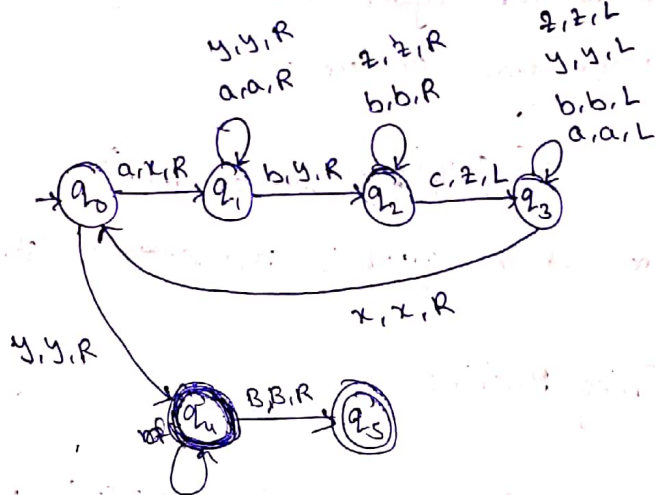
$L = \{0bccc, aabbcc, aaabbbccc, \dots\}$

$w = aabbcc$

$q_0 aabbcc$

\vdash^*

xx_0yyzz



Here q_4 can be written as final state in below way

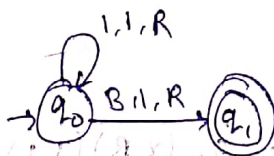
TM as Computing Machine:

Eg: Design a TM to compute

$f(n) = n+1$ where n is represented in unary form

i/p: 4
o/p: 5

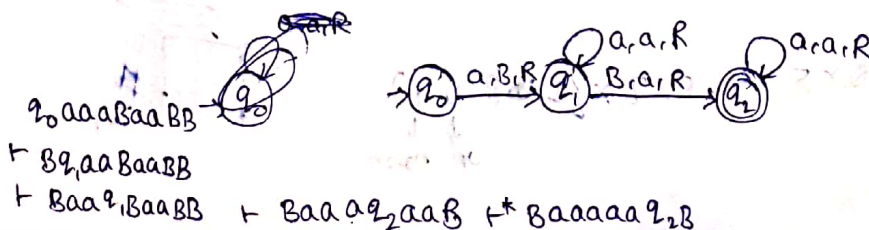
$q_0 1111$
 $\vdash 1q_0 11$
 $\vdash 11q_0 1$
 $\vdash 111q_0 B$
 $\vdash 1111q_1$



TM as Enumerator

i/p: $aaa\beta aabb$

o/p: $aaaaa\beta\beta$



$q_0 aaa\beta aabb$
 $\vdash \beta q_1 aa\beta aabb$
 $\vdash \beta a a q_2 \beta aabb \vdash \beta a a a a q_2 \beta$

TM as Problem Solver

Any arbitrary problem can be expressed as language. Any instance of the problem is encoded into string.

For example whether a given undirected graph is connected or not we can encode above problem as

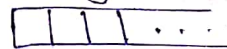
$$L = \{ \{G\} \mid G \text{ is connected graph} \}$$

Every instance of the graph is represented as string

Types of Turing Machines

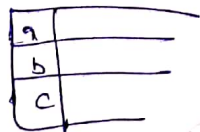
1. ~~Two way infinite TM~~ (or) Semi-infinite tape TM

If L recognized with two way infinite TM \Leftrightarrow L is recognized with one way infinite tape



2. Multitape Turing Machine

L is accepted by Multitape TM \Leftrightarrow L is accepted by some single tape TM



$$\delta(q_0, a, b, c) = (q_1, (x, R), (y, L), (z, R))$$

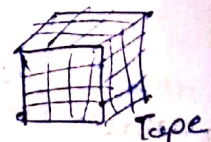
3. Non-deterministic TM:

L is accepted by NDTM \Leftrightarrow L is accepted by DTM

4. Multidimensional Tape TM:

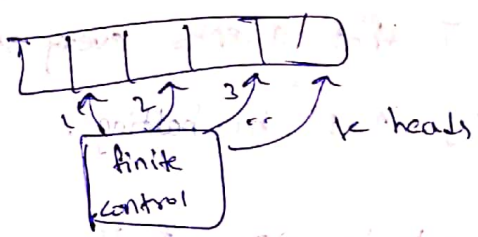
$$\delta: Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q \times \mathbb{Z} \times \{L, R, U, D\}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 up down



5. Multihead TM:

~~L~~ L is accepted by k head TM \Leftrightarrow L is accepted by one head TM.



6. Universal TM (UTM):

UTM can that can simulate the behaviours of the digital computer i.e., The UTM is a TM that reads description of some ~~the~~ other TM along with its i/p. Then it validates whether the other TM can recognize the given i/p or not.

Turing Theses:

- Any that can be done on any digital computer can also be done by Turing Machine.
- No one has an algorithm that can't be solved by a TM.
- Alternative models have been proposed but none of them is more powerful or less powerful than actual TM.
- The set of all turing machines, is although infinite, but it is countable. Similarly set of ^{all} regular sets, set of CFGs are although infinite they are countable. i.e., Infinitely countable.

- (vi) Positive closure
- (vii) ~~Homomorphism~~
- (viii) Intersection
- (ix) Reversal
- (x) Inverse Homomorphism
- (xi) Quotient with Regular set

→ Recursively enumerable sets are closed under:

- (i) Concatenation
- (ii) Union
- (iii) Intersection
- (iv) Kleen closure
- (v) Homomorphism
- (vi) Substitution
- (vii) Inverse homomorphism
- (viii) Reversal
- (ix) Quotient with regular set

→ All recursive languages are closed under complementation

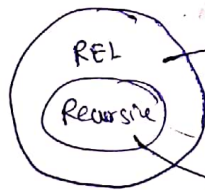
i.e., if L is recursive then L' is also recursive

→ Recursively Enumerable languages are not closed under complementation

i.e., if L is recursively Enumerable then L' may or may not be a REL

i.e., if it is given that both L & L' are recursively Enumerable

then it is possible only when L is Recursive



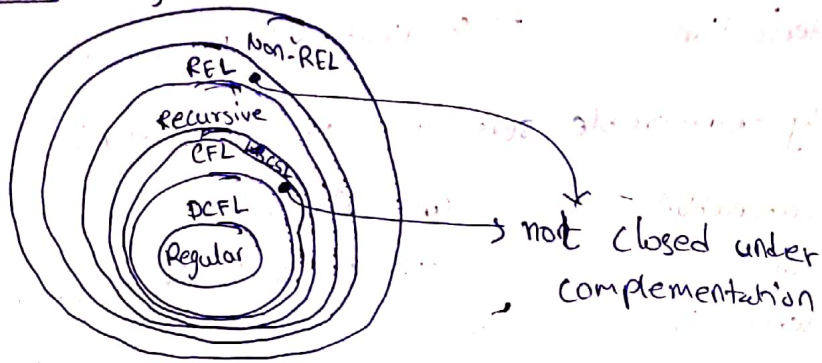
→ not closed under complement

→ ~~closed~~ not closed under complement

It means REL which are recursive are only closed under complementation

→ REL is not closed under difference

Relationship among languages:



★ → If L & L' both are REL then L & L' are necessarily Recursive

★ → Complementation of 'CFL but not DCFL' is recursive

★ → The grammar of Turing Machine is Unrestricted Grammar (UG)

Every TM 'T' can be converted in UG 'G' and vice versa such that $L(T) = L(G)$

Note: If given

→ If given grammar 'G' is unrestricted grammar there is no specific algorithm to decide whether $L(G)$ is finite (or) infinite (or) empty

→ There is no specific algorithm to decide whether w belongs to $L(G)$ if G unrestricted grammar.

Linear Bounded Automata (LBA):

It is a Restricted model of Turing machine that contains two special symbols $\$$ (at leftmost of tape) and ϕ (at rightmost of tape)

such that

$$\delta(q, \phi) = (q_i, \phi, L)$$

$$\delta(q, \$) = (q_i, \$, R)$$

$$\forall q \in Q$$



i.e., head of finite control can't move any right of ϕ and any left of $\$$.

→ Below languages are few examples of ~~recursive~~ ~~language~~ CSLs

$$L = \{a^p \mid p \text{ is prime}\}$$

$$L = \{a^i \mid i > 0\}$$

$$L = \{a^{i^2} \mid i > 0\}$$

$$L = \{a^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}} \mid n > 0\}$$

$$L = \{0^n \mid n > 0\}$$

Set-I

(2015) For any two languages L_1 & L_2 such that L_1 is CFL and L_2 is

(N) recursively enumerable but not recursive. Which of the following is/are necessarily true?

I. \bar{L}_1 is recursive

II. \bar{L}_2 is recursive

III. \bar{L}_1 is CF

IV. $\bar{L}_1 \cup L_2$ recursively enumerable

a) I only b) III only c) III, IV

d) I, IV

\bar{L}_1 is recursive $\Rightarrow \bar{L}_1$ is recursively enumerable too

L_2 is RE

$\therefore \bar{L}_1 \cup L_2$ is RE cuz RE are closed under union

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Consider

L_1 : Regular

L_2 : CF

L_3 : Recursive

L_4 : RE

Which of the following is/are true

- I. $\bar{L}_3 \cup L_4$ is REL
- II. $\bar{L}_2 \cup L_3$ is Recursive
- III. $\bar{L}_1 \cap L_2$ is CF
- IV. $L_1 \cup \bar{L}_2$ is CF

- a) I b) I & IV c) I, II, III d) I, IV

I. $\bar{L}_3 \rightarrow$ recursive \rightarrow REL
 $L_3 \cup L_4 \rightarrow$ REL

II. \bar{L}_2 is Recursive
 $\bar{L}_2 \cup L_3$ is recursive

III. $\bar{L}_1 \rightarrow$ Regular
 $\bar{L}_1 \cap L_2$ is CF

IV. $L_1 \rightarrow$ regular
 $\bar{L}_2 \rightarrow$ recursive
 $L_1 \cup \bar{L}_2 \rightarrow$ recursive

Q: Define the languages L_0 & L_1 as follows

(N)

$$L_0 = \{ \langle M, w, 0 \rangle \mid M \text{ halts on } w \}$$

$$L_1 = \{ \langle M, w, 1 \rangle \mid M \text{ doesn't halt on } w \}$$

Here $\langle M, w, i \rangle$ is a triple whose first component M is encoding of Turing machine

w is string

i is a bit

Let $L = L_0 \cup L_1$

which of the following is true

- a) L is REL but \bar{L} is not
- b) \bar{L} is REL but L is not
- c) both L & \bar{L} are recursive
- d) neither L , nor \bar{L} is recursively Enumerable

Sol:
 $L_0 \rightarrow \text{recursive} \rightarrow \text{REL}$
 $L_1 \rightarrow \text{REL}$

$L = L_0 \cup L_1$
 i.e., $L = \text{REL}$

REL is not closed under complementation

Thus \bar{L} is not REL

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Undecidability:

~~→~~

A problem P is said to be decidable if there exist an algorithm (TM) for infinite instances of P then P is called decidable problem

Post Correspondance Problem:

It is an undecidable problem

	List I	List II
1	01	0
2	111	111
3	01	101

In PCP problem the answer is stating a sequence of number such that they produce same string from List-I & List-II

Ex: 123

List 1: 01 111 01 = 0111101

List 2: 0 111 101 = 0111101

Slly 123123, 2, 22, ...

Decidability overview on Regular Languages:

Regular
 → Every question about FA or regular language is decidable

where
 Eg: whether given NFA and DFA accept same language or not
 ' decidable.

Eg: deciding whether union of two regular languages is CFL or not.

It CFL & decidable

Decidability Overview on CFL & PDA:

Some of the questions on CFLs are decidable, but some are not.

- Union of two CFLs is CFLs — decidable
- Intersection of two CFL is CFL.

Intersection of two CFL may or may not be CFL
 undecidable

→ Let G be a CFG.

- whether $L(G) = \text{finite}$ — decidable
- $L(G) = \text{infinite}$ — decidable
- $L(G) = \emptyset$ — decidable

→ Let G is CFG and w is string

membership: whether $w \in L(G)$ — decidable

→ where G is ambiguous — ~~decidable~~ undecidable

→ whether two PDAs accepts same language — undecidable

* It is undecidable for arbitrary CFG G_1 & G_2 whether ^{and R is regular set}

→ $L(G_1) \cap L(G_2)$ is empty

→ $L(G) = \Sigma^*$ (it is similar to checking if G is equal to some other G)

→ G is ambiguous

→ G_1 & G_2 accept same language i.e., $L(G_1) = L(G_2)$

→ $L(G_2) \subseteq L(G_1)$

→ $L(G_1) = R$

→ ~~REGULAR~~ $L(G_1) \subseteq R$ (whether given CFG is regular)

→ $\overline{L(G_1)}$ is CFL

→ $L(G_1) \cap L(G_2)$ is CFL

* Let G be an arbitrary CFG it is undecidable to say whether $L(G)$ is regular or not.

Decidability Overview on Turing Machines and RELs:

→ Halting problem of TM is undecidable

i.e., finding out whether TM halts for every string or not

→ All recursive languages are decidable

→ ~~It is undecidable~~ Let G be a UG, then the problem of determining whether or not

$L(G) = \emptyset$ is undecidable

$L(G) = \text{finite}$ is undecidable

$L(G) = \text{infinite}$ is undecidable

Some → The language accepted by TM is regular or not — undecidable

→ whether complementation of REL is REL is undecidable

Reducibility:

Reducibility is concept used to solve ~~the~~ harder problems using easier problem with reduction concept.

i.e., when a harder problem doesn't have direct solution, then it is reduced to an easier problem and solution is found.

→ If reduced problem has a solution then actual problem also has a solution

→ If reduced problem has no solution then actual problem will not have a solution.

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→ If there is a reduction from problem P_1 to P_2 then

I. If P_1 is undecidable then so is P_2 .

II. If P_1 is not REL then so is P_2

2008 which of the following are decidable

I. whether intersection two regular languages is infinite

II. whether a given CFG is regular

III. whether two PDAs accept same language

IV. whether given grammar is CFG

- a) I, II b) I, IV c) II, III d) II, IV

Q: which of the following is/are undecidable

N

I. G is CFG. is $L(G) = \emptyset$?

II. G is CFG. is $L(G) = \Sigma^*$

III. M is TM. is $L(M) = \text{regular}$

IV. A is a DFA & N is an NFA. Is $L(A) = L(N)$?

- a) III b) III, IV c) I, II, III d) II, III

Note:

A language accepted by a TM is regular or not — undecidable

A language accepted by a TM is CFG or not — undecidable

A string w , G is unrestricted Grammar, whether $w \in L(G)$ — undecidable

membership of w for TM — undecidable

Q: (2)

Find whether the following are decidable:

1. does a given program ever produce an o/p?
2. If L is a CF, then is \bar{L} a CF?
3. If L is regular, then is \bar{L} a regular?
4. If L is recursive, then is \bar{L} a recursive?

- a) 1,2,3,4 b) 1,2 c) 2,3,4 d) 3,4

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Q: Let $\langle M \rangle$ be the encoding of the TM over the alphabet $\Sigma = \{0,1\}$

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Let $L = \{ \langle M \rangle \mid M \text{ is a Turing machine that accepts all strings of length } 2020 \}$ then L is _____

- a) decidable & REL
- b) undecidable & REL
- c) ~~undecidable~~ undecidable & but not REL
- d) decidable & but not REL