

Internal Assessment Test 2 – November 2021

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Answer any FIVE FULL Questions								MARKS	CO	RBT																																										
1)	a) Write down the formal definition of NFA - epsilon (Non deterministic finite automata with epsilon move), explain extended transition function and language acceptance of NFA – epsilon. b) Prove the equivalence between NFA - epsilon and regular expression.					[4]	CO1	L2																																												
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2)	Construct regular expression for the following languages. a) $L = \{n^a m^b \mid a, b \geq 1, a * b \geq 3\}$, $\Sigma = \{n, m\}$. b) $L = \{a^{2n} b^{2m} \mid n, m \geq 0\}$, $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$. c) Set of all strings where no pair of consecutive '00's is present. $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$. d) Set of all strings where number of 1's is odd. $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$.					[2.5+2.5+2.5+2.5=10]	CO3	L3																																												
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5	Prove the following closure properties of regular languages. (a) Reversal (b) Complement (c) Intersection (d) Set Difference	[2.5+2.5+2.5+2.5=10]	CO2	L2
6	(a) State Pumping Lemma (b) prove the given language is not regular using pumping lemma. $L = \{WW \mid W \in (a+b)^*\}$ $\Sigma = \{a,b\}$	5+5=10	CO2	L2
			CO3	L3

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Formal defⁿ of NFA- ϵ move :

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

Q : finite set of states

Σ : input alphabet

q_0 : start state where $q_0 \in Q$

δ : transition function, $\delta : Q \times \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\} \rightarrow 2^Q$

F : finite set of final states, $F \subseteq Q$.

Now, we extend the transition function δ to strings, and here we introduce $\hat{\delta}$.

Basis : $\hat{\delta}(q, \epsilon) = \epsilon\text{-close}(q)$ [that is, if the label of the move is ϵ , then we can follow only ϵ -moves extending from state q , that is exactly what $\epsilon\text{-close}$ does.]

Induction : w is an input string of the following form, $w = a\alpha$ where a is the last symbol of w and α is the rest part. We compute $\hat{\delta}(q, w)$ as follows:

(1.) Let $\hat{\delta}(q, \alpha) = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_k\}$. Now this path may end with one ~~one~~ or more transitions with ϵ move, and may have other ϵ -moves, as well.

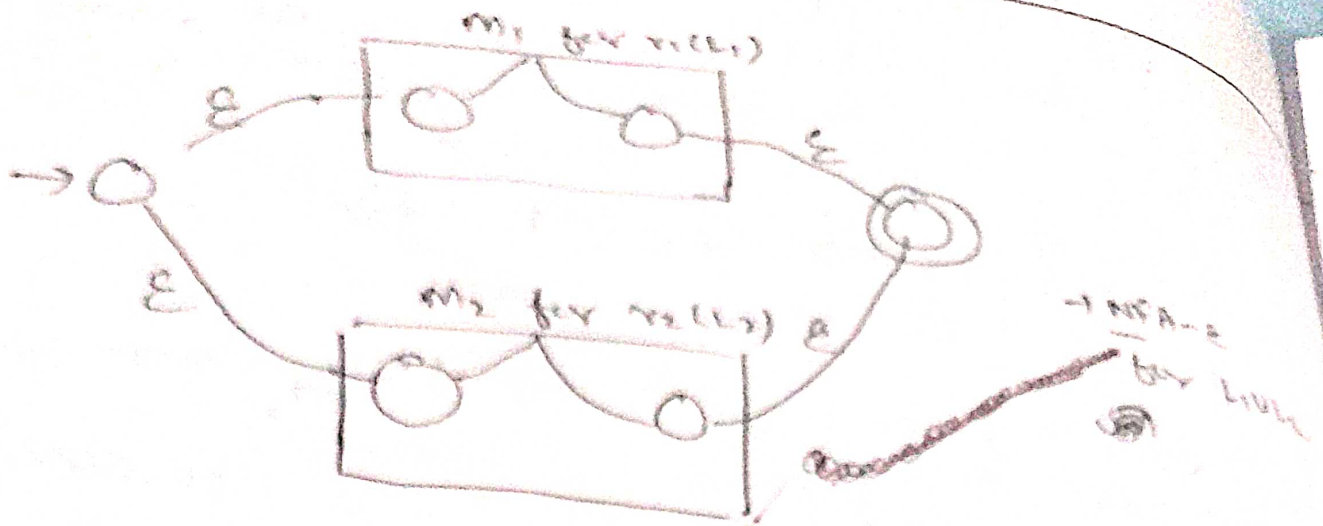
②. Let $\bigcup_{i=1}^k \delta(P_i, a) = \{r_1, r_2, \dots, r_m\}$. That is, follow all transitions with a from states we can reach from q along moves x . The r_j 's are some of the states we can reach from q along moves w . The additional states we can reach with ϵ -moves.

③ $\hat{\delta}(q, w) = \bigcup_{j=1}^m \epsilon\text{-close}(r_j)$.

This additional closure step includes all the moves from q on w , by considering the possibility that there are additional ϵ -moves that we can follow after making a transition on the final symbol of w .

Now we define,

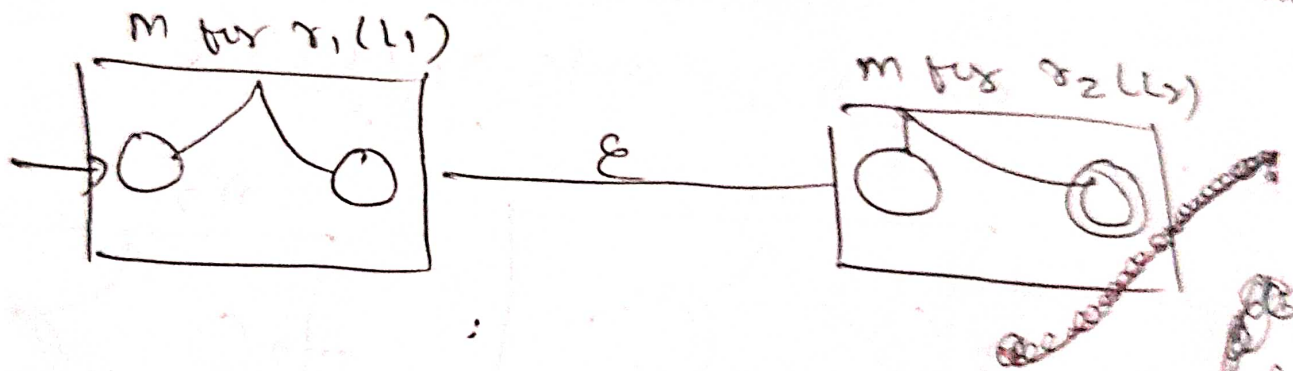
$$L(M) = \{w \mid \hat{\delta}(q_0, w) \cap F \neq \emptyset\}$$



②

Concatenation

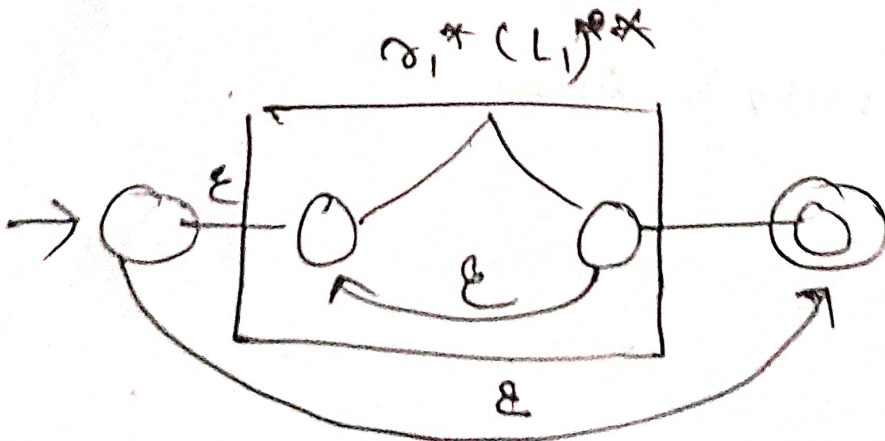
r_1, r_2 represent L_1, L_2 , where $L_1 L_2$ is regular language



③

Kleene's star

r_1^* represents L_1^*



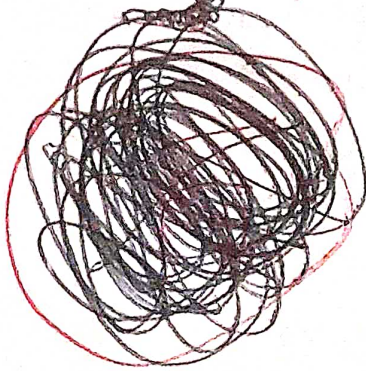
(a) $n^+ m m m^+ + n n n^+ m^+ + m n^+ m m^+$

(b) $(aa)^* (bb)^*$

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

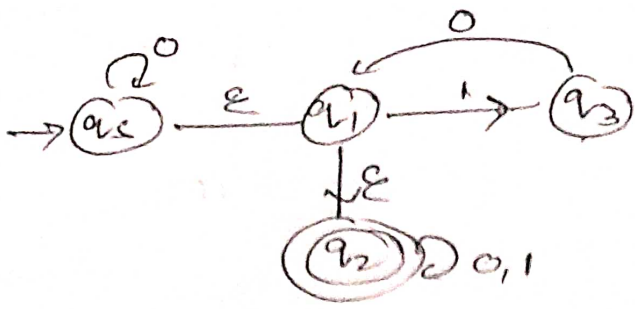
(d) $0^* + (0^* 1 0^* 1 0^*)^* 1 0^*$

Only zeros can be accepted, if 1 is present it should be in odd number.



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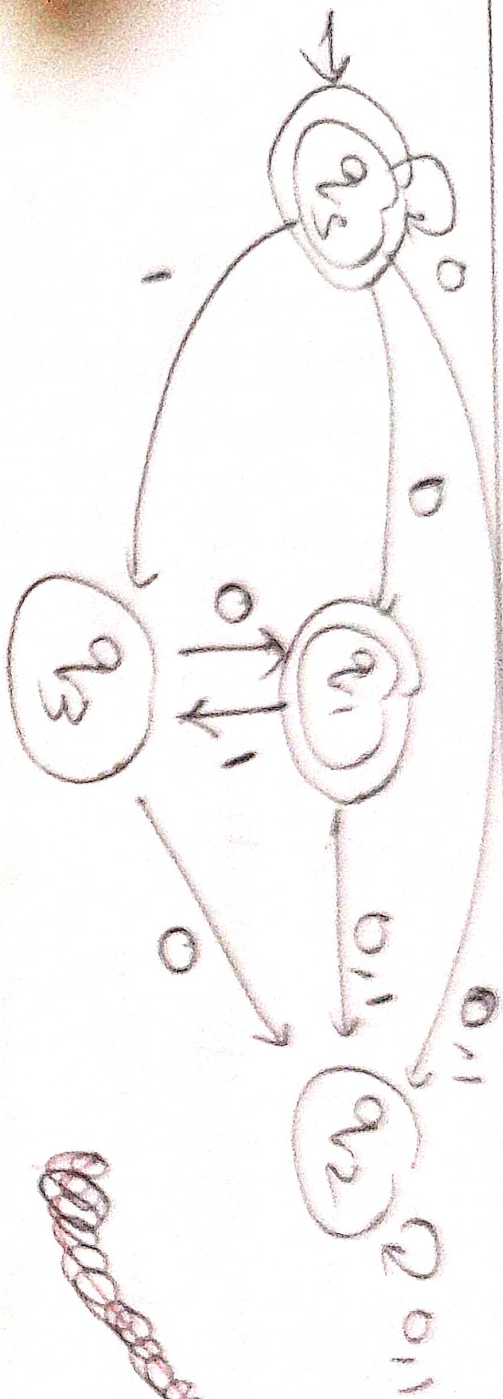
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← NFA-ε

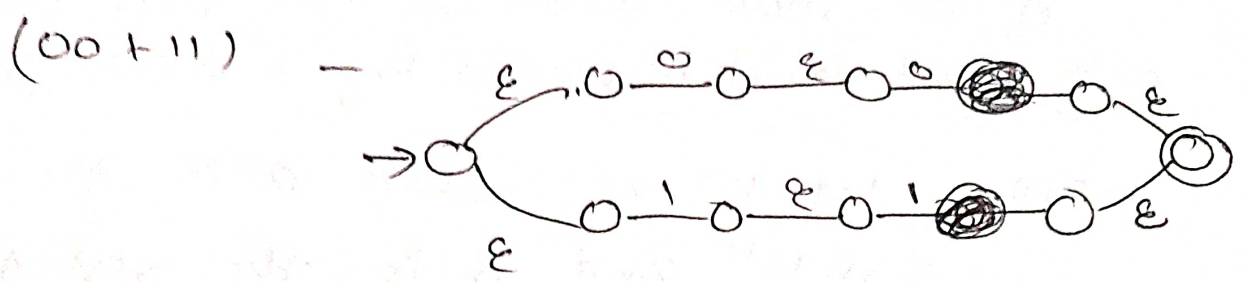
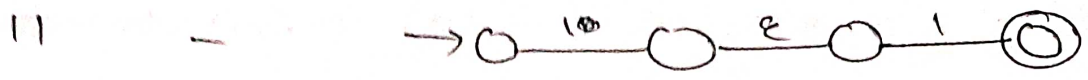
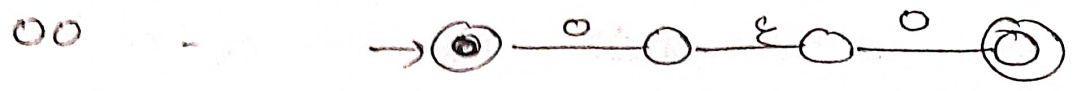
Transition table

	ϵ^*	0	ϵ^*	ϵ^*	1	ϵ^*
q_0	$\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$	$\{q_0, q_1\}$	$\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$	$\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$	$\{q_3, q_2\}$	$\{q_3, q_2\}$
q_1	$\{q_1, q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_1, q_2\}$	$\{q_3, q_2\}$	$\{q_3\}$
q_2	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$	$\{q_2\}$
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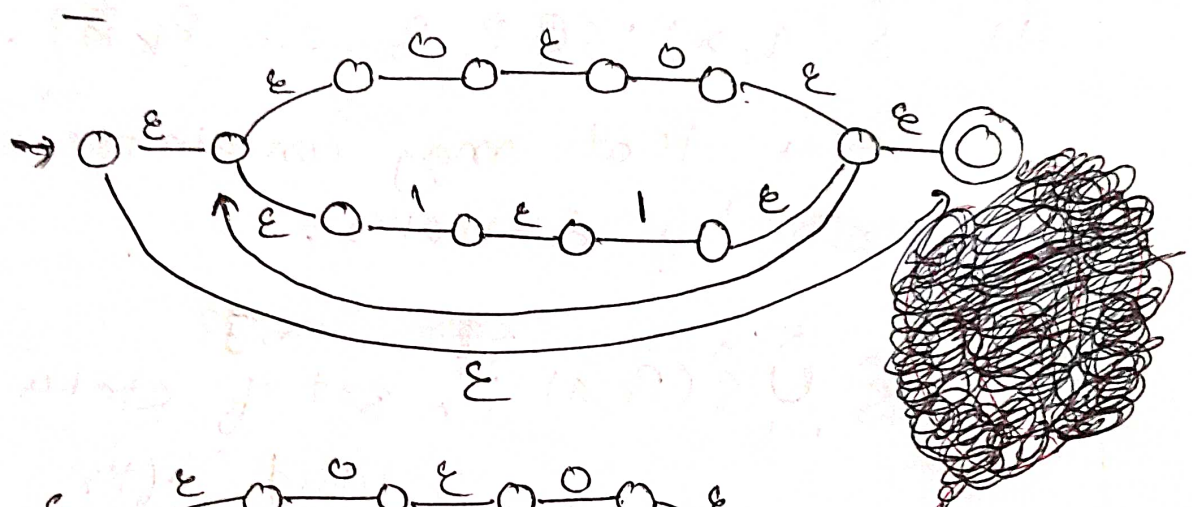


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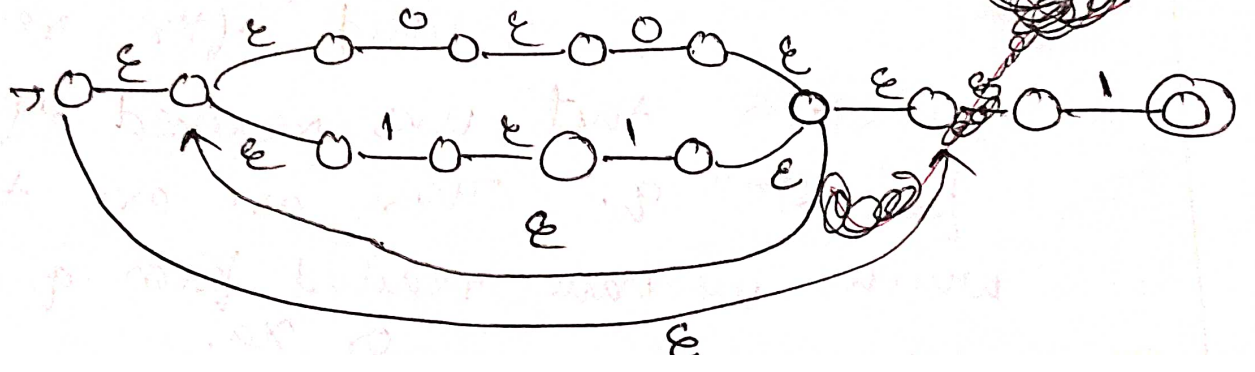
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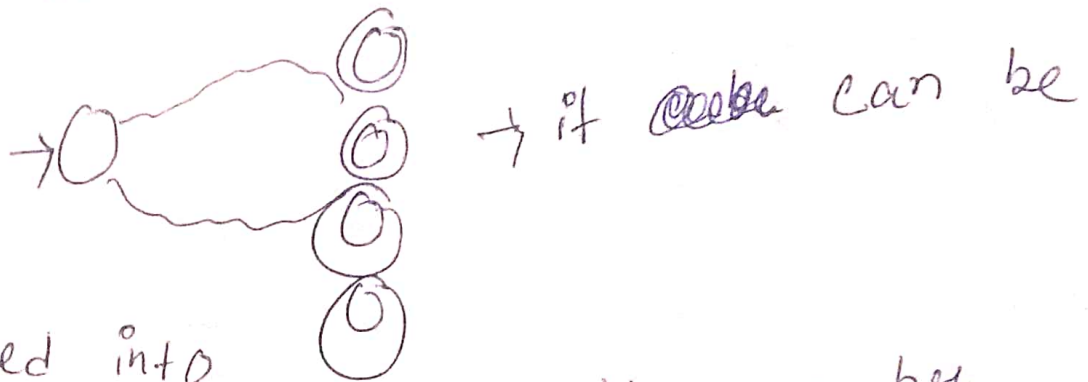


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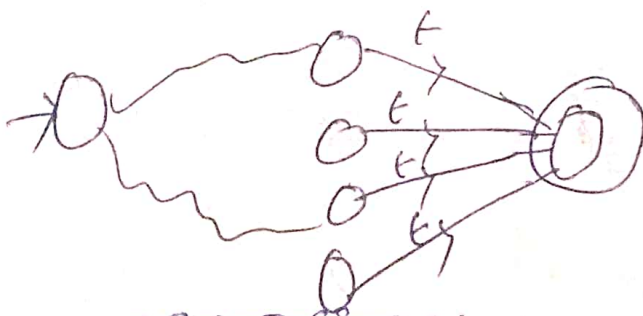


Properties of regular languages / Give any regular expression we can construct NFA

Note: ~~W.l.o.g~~ W.l.o.g we can consider that any NFA- ϵ can have only one final state.



changed into a single final state diagram by introducing one new final state, and adding ϵ -moves from previous final states to new final state.



~~W.l.o.g we can consider that any NFA- ϵ can have only one final state.~~

- Introduce new final state.
- Make previous ~~non~~ final states, non final.
- Add ϵ moves from ~~non~~ previous final states to newly introduced final states.

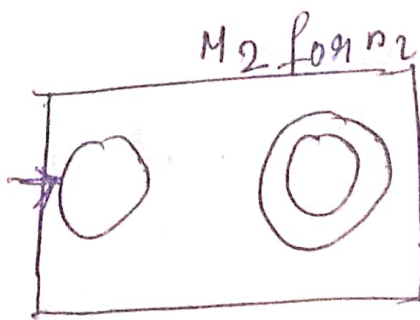
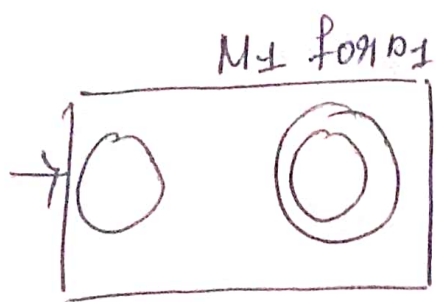
M_1 represents L_1 (regular language)

M_2 represents L_2 (regular language)

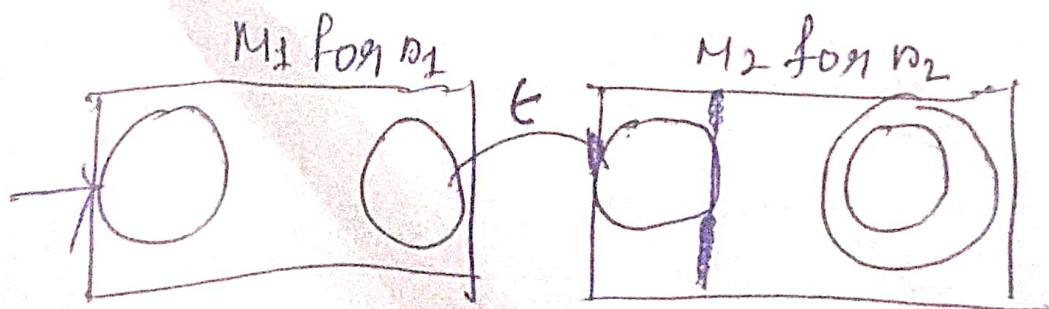
$$L_1 \cup L_2 = \{x \mid x \in L_1 \vee x \in L_2\}$$

~~As~~ ~~we~~ we have represented $M_1 + M_2$ ($L_1 \cup L_2$) by NFA- ϵ , therefore $L_1 \cup L_2$ is also regular language.

Concatenation: M_1, M_2 represent L_1, L_2 respectively



How to represent $M_1 M_2$ ($L_1 L_2$).



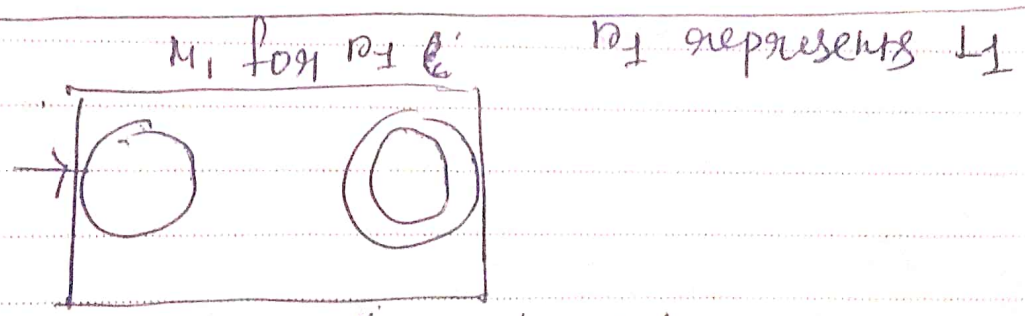


- Final state of M_1 becomes non final.
- Initial " " " M_1 becomes non final.
- Final " " " M_1 remains initial state.
- ~~Previous final state of M_1 and~~ M_2 ~~remains final state.~~ M_2 remains final state.
- ~~Initial state of M_2 , will no more initial state.~~
- Initial state of M_2 , will no more initial state.
- Previous final state of M_1 and previous initial state of M_2 - add ϵ move between them.

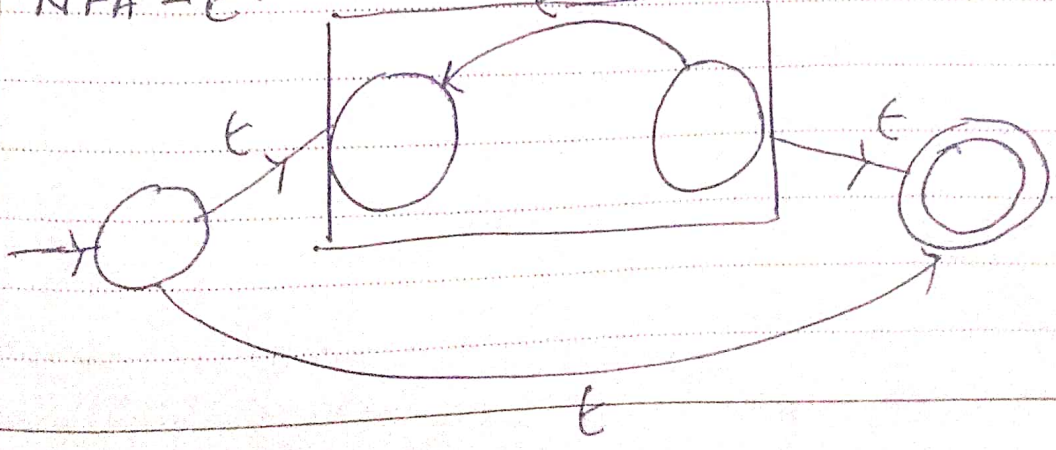
$$L_1 L_2 = \{xy \mid x \in L_1 \wedge y \in L_2\}$$

We have presented $r_1 r_2$ ($L_1 L_2$) by NFA- ϵ , therefore $L_1 L_2$ is also regular language.

$(L_1)^*$



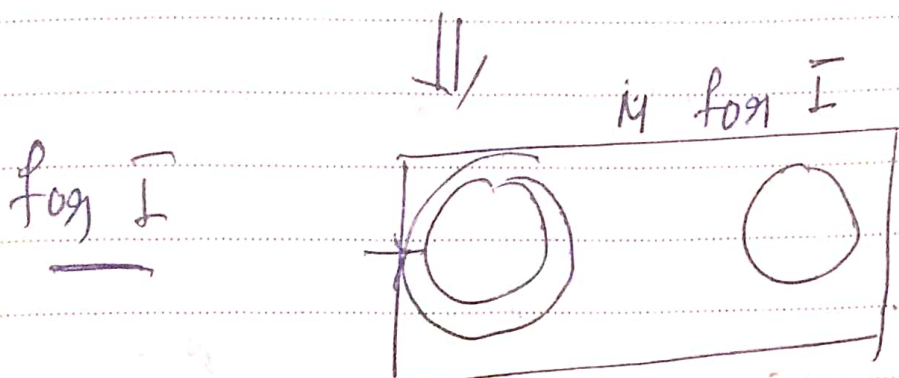
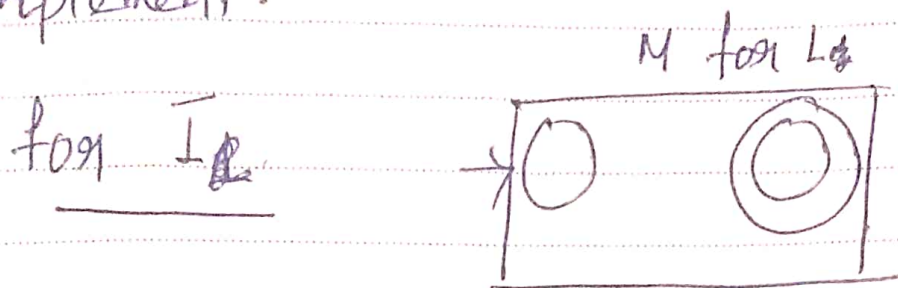
How to represent r_1^* (L_1^*) by an NFA- ϵ .



L_1^* is also regular

\bar{L} : L is a regular language.

Easily we can just make a swap between final and non final state, we get the complement.



for \bar{L} , we can design M easily, so \bar{L} is also a regular language.

$L_1 \cap L_2$: L_1 is regular ;
 L_2 " " " "

- we know \bar{L}_1 , \bar{L}_2 are also regular, as we already showed the complement of regular language is also regular.

- $L_1 \cup L_2$: Regular language is closed under union, so $\bar{L}_1 \cup \bar{L}_2$ is regular.

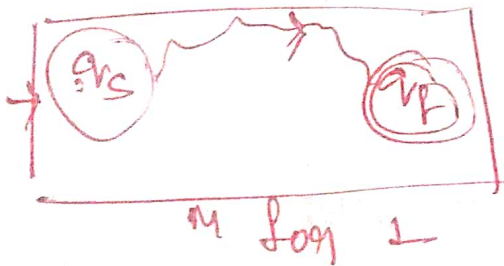
- We know regular languages are closed under complement.

$$\therefore \overline{L_1 \cup L_2} \quad (\text{using De Morgan's law})$$

$$= \overline{L_1} \cap \overline{L_2}$$

$$= L_1 \cap L_2 \quad (\text{regular})$$

Reversal: If L is regular, then L^R is also regular.



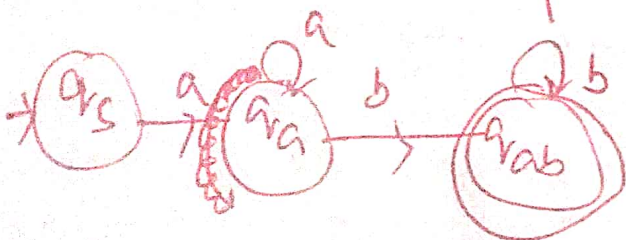
→ Swap between final & start state.

→ Change the direction of all the transitions.

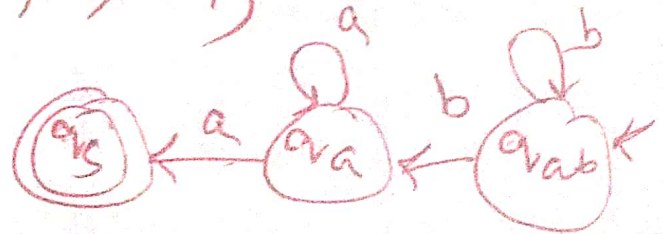
Ex:

$$L = \{a^n b^m \mid n, m \geq 1\}$$

$$L^R = \{b^m a^n \mid n, m \geq 1\}$$



$a^n b^m$



$b^m a^n$

$(ab)^*$

Derivative: Let $\alpha \in \Sigma^*$, L is a language
 $L_\alpha =$ the derivative of L with respect to α .

$$= \{ y \mid \alpha y \in L \}$$

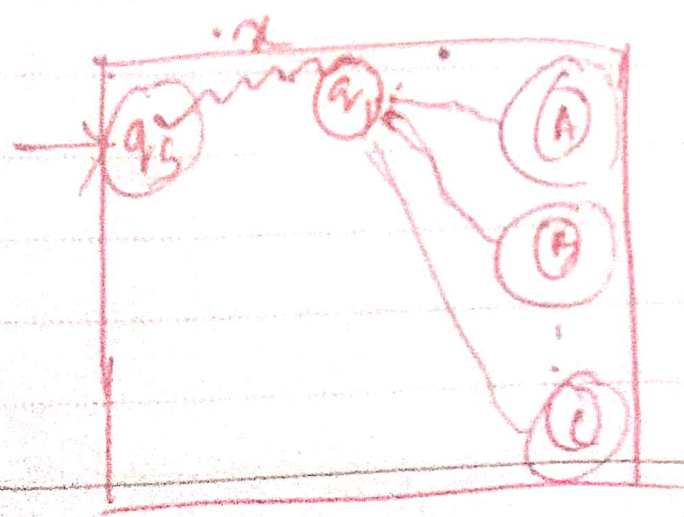
Set of strings beginning with a and ending with b .

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

$$L_a = (a+b)^*b \text{ [set of all strings ends with 'b'.]}$$

$$L_b = \phi$$

If L is regular then derivative of L is also regular. L is accepted by DFA.



Now remove q_3 , and q_1 will be the new ~~start~~ state.

Set difference:

L_1 is a regular language.

L_2 " " " " " "

$L_1 - L_2$ is also regular language.

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

L_2 is regular

\bar{L}_2 " " according to previous proof
as regular languages are closed under
complement.

Also regular languages are closed under
intersection, therefore $L_1 \cap \bar{L}_2$ is
regular where

$$\boxed{L_1 \cap \bar{L}_2 = L_1 - L_2}$$

Pumping Lemma :

Pumping Lemma is used to prove that a language is not regular.

Lemma : Let L be a regular language. Then there exists an integer $p \geq 1$ depending only on L such that every string w in L of length at least p (p is called the "pumping length") can be written as $w = xyz$ (w can be divided into three substrings), satisfying the following conditions:

$$- |y| \geq 1$$

$$- |xy| \leq p$$

$$- (\forall n \geq 0) (x^n y^n z^n \in L)$$