

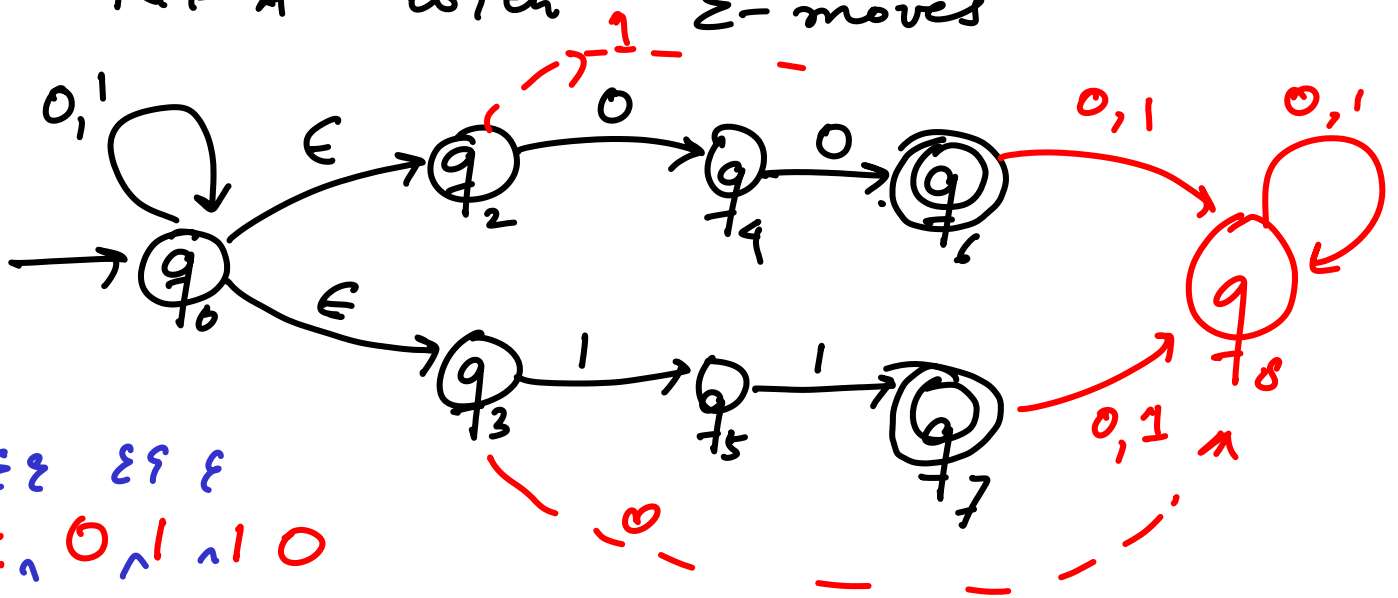
Announcements

Assignment problems from Tut Sheet 1

- 1c, 1d, 2b, 3a due Feb 1, Monday
(Attempt all problems that are covered in lectures)
- Short quiz on Wed (Jan 27)

Relation between r.e. and Finite Auto

NFA with ϵ -moves

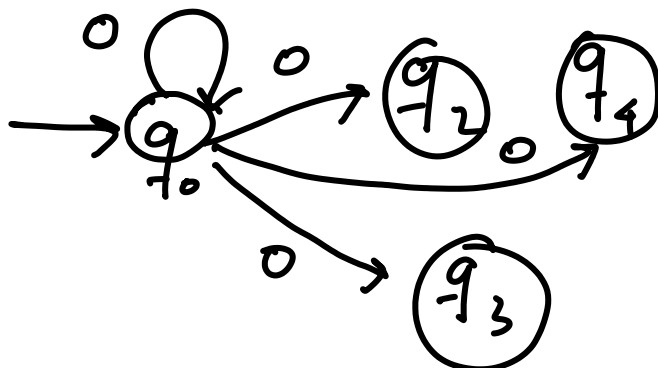


$\epsilon \epsilon \quad \epsilon \epsilon \quad \epsilon$

$w_1 : 0 \wedge 1 \wedge 1 \wedge 0$

$w_2 : 0 \wedge 0 \wedge 1 \wedge 1$

NFA with ϵ -trans.
can be simulated
by NFA



To show equivalence between two machine models M_1 and M_2 we must show - that (i) M_1 can simulate M_2
(ii) M_2 can simulate M_1

"simulate": we can design a machine to accept the same language as the other machine

ϵ -closure (q): All the states reachable from q with only ϵ -transitions

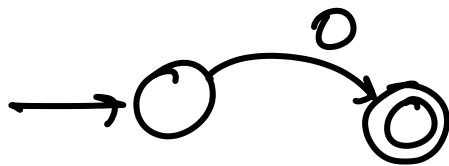
If ϵ -closure (q_0) $\cap F \neq \emptyset$
then q_0 is a final state in the NFA without ϵ -transition

Finite Automaton vs r.e.

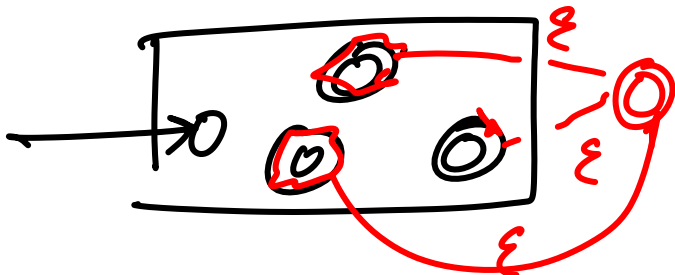
(i) Build a FA for a given r.e.

(ii) For a given FA, we must design an equivalent r.e.

$\Sigma: \{0, 1\}$ Base case $0, 1, \epsilon, \phi$



Using NFA with ϵ -transition we can convert any NFA to an equivalent NFA with exactly one final and one initial state

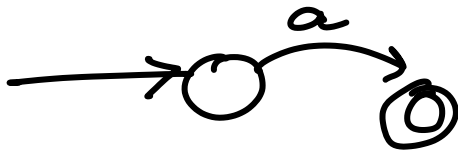


Continued with
r.e. \rightarrow

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NFA with ϵ -transitions

$L = \{a\}$



$L = \epsilon$



\emptyset

$L_1 + L_2$

$L_1 \cdot L_2$

$(L)^*$

Proof (Construction)
of the regular expression

induction on
the length
expression

$r_1 + r_2$

$r_1 \cdot r_2$

$(r)^*$

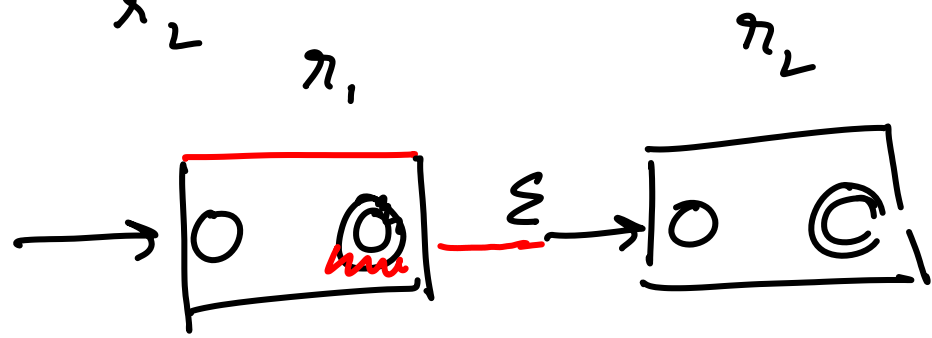
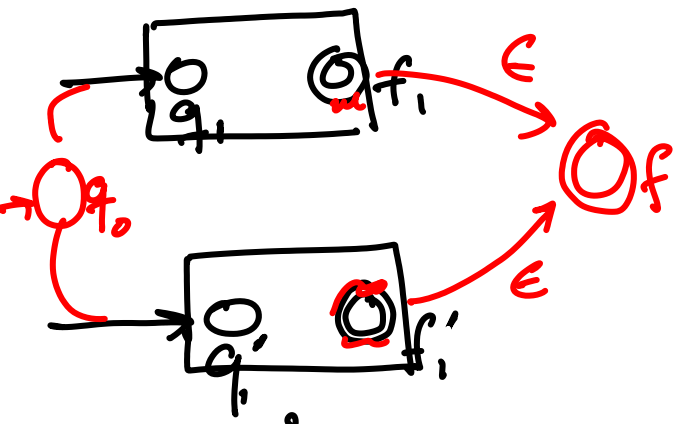
$|r_1|$ $|r_2|$

Inductively we
can construct
NFA for r_1 ,
 r_2 since
 $|r_1|, |r_2|$ are
strictly smaller
than $|r_1 + r_2|$

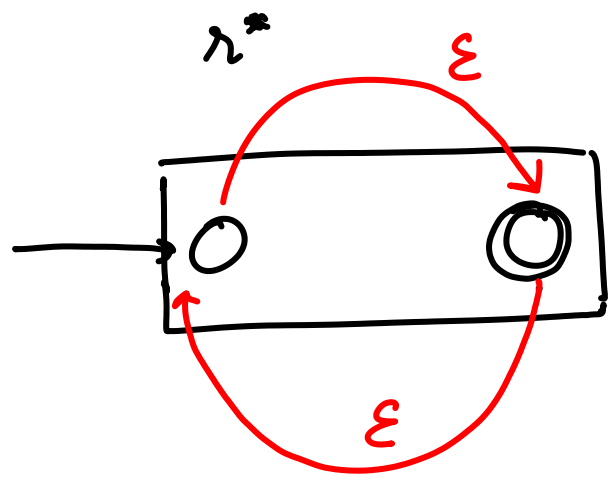
$$|(a+b)^*| = 6$$

$\pi_1 + \pi_2 ?$

π_1



$w \in \pi_1 \cdot \pi_2 \Leftrightarrow w_1 \in \pi_1, w_2 \in \pi_2$



Does this accept exactly π^* ?