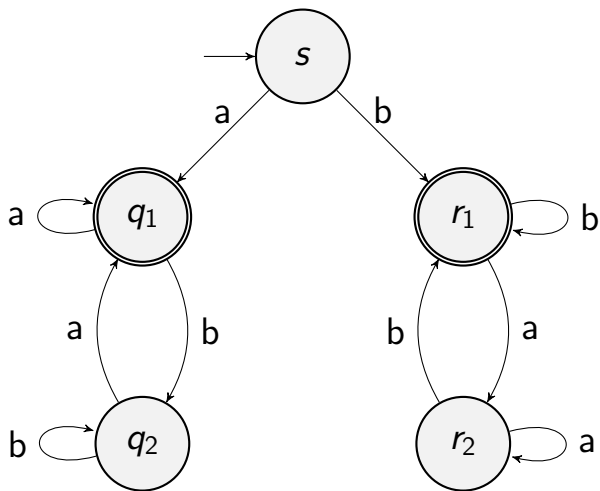


Example 1.11 I

- Fig 1.12

Example 1.11 II



Example 1.11 III

- $L(M) = ?$

$a \dots a, b \dots b$

where “...” can be any string of a and b

- First we check that any string accepted by the machine must be

$a \dots a, b \dots b$

- Second we check that any

$a \dots a, b \dots b$

can be recognized by the machine

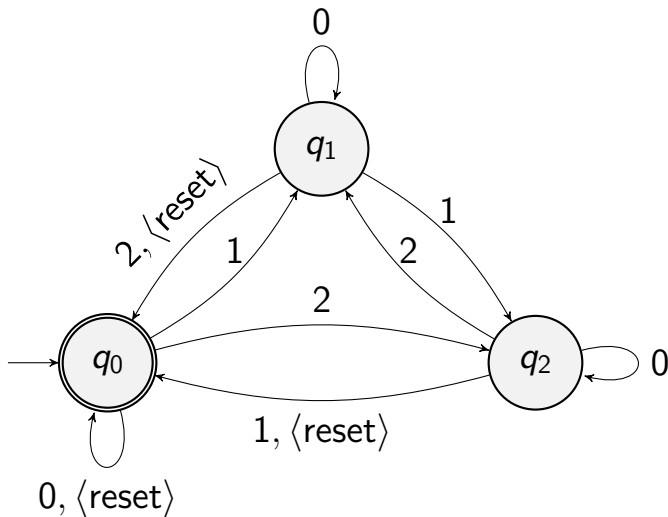
Example 1.11 IV

- This machine handles strings with the same character in the beginning and in the end

Example 1.13 I

- Figure 1.14

Example 1.13 II



Example 1.13 III

- $\Sigma = \{\langle reset \rangle, 0, 1, 2\}$

$$\begin{aligned} L(M) &= \dots \langle reset \rangle \dots \langle reset \rangle \dots \\ &= \{\text{sum of the last segment} \pmod 3 = 0\} \end{aligned}$$

- Example:

10 $\langle reset \rangle$ 22 $\langle reset \rangle$ 012

Example 1.13 IV

- An example of running a string

$$q_0 \xrightarrow{1} q_1 \xrightarrow{0} q_1 \xrightarrow{\langle reset \rangle} q_0 \xrightarrow{2} q_2 \xrightarrow{2} q_1$$
$$\xrightarrow{\langle reset \rangle} q_0 \xrightarrow{0} q_0 \xrightarrow{1} q_1 \xrightarrow{2} q_0$$

Accepted

- Each node stores the sum of the current segment mod 3

Formal Definition of Computation I

- M accepts $w = w_1 \cdots w_n$ if \exists states $r_0 \cdots r_n$ such that
 - 1 $r_0 = q_0$
 - 2 $\delta(r_i, w_{i+1}) = r_{i+1}, i = 0, \dots, n - 1$
 - 3 $r_n \in F$
- **Definition:** a language is regular if recognized by some automata
- This is a very important definition
- Examples described earlier are regular languages
- We say **some** automata, so it's possible to have several automata for the same language

Formal Definition of Computation II

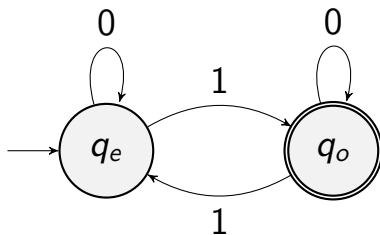
- As long as there is one, then the language is regular

Designing Automata I

- Given a language, how do we construct a machine to recognize it?
- Basically we need to get a state diagram (where the number of states is finite)
- Earlier we had the opposite: a machine is given and we check the corresponding language
- Example: an automaton recognizing $\{0, 1\}$ strings with an odd # of 1's

Fig 1.20

Designing Automata II



- Sample strings

01

$$q_e \xrightarrow{0} q_e \xrightarrow{1} q_o$$

010101

$$q_e \xrightarrow{0} q_e \xrightarrow{1} q_o \xrightarrow{0} q_o \xrightarrow{1} q_e \xrightarrow{0} q_e \xrightarrow{1} q_o$$

Designing Automata III

- Two ways to think about the design
 - After the first 1, we go to q_o . Subsequently, every 1, \dots , 1 pair is cancelled out by

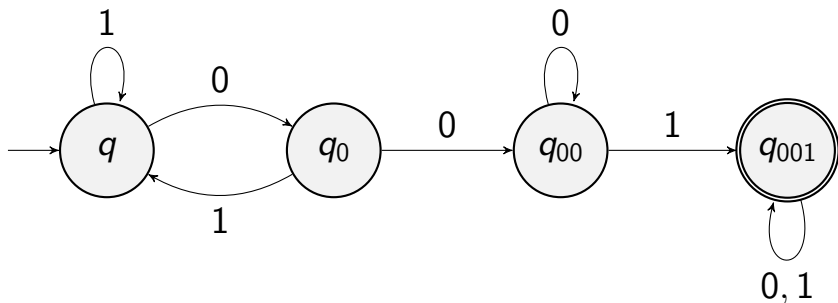
$$q_o \xrightarrow{1} q_e \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow q_e \xrightarrow{1} q_o$$

- q_e, q_o respectively remember whether the number of 1's so far is even or odd
- Example 1.21

Language: strings containing 001

Fig 1.22

Designing Automata IV



- q_0, q_{00} indicate that before the current input character, we have 0 and 00, respectively