

Algorithmic Verification

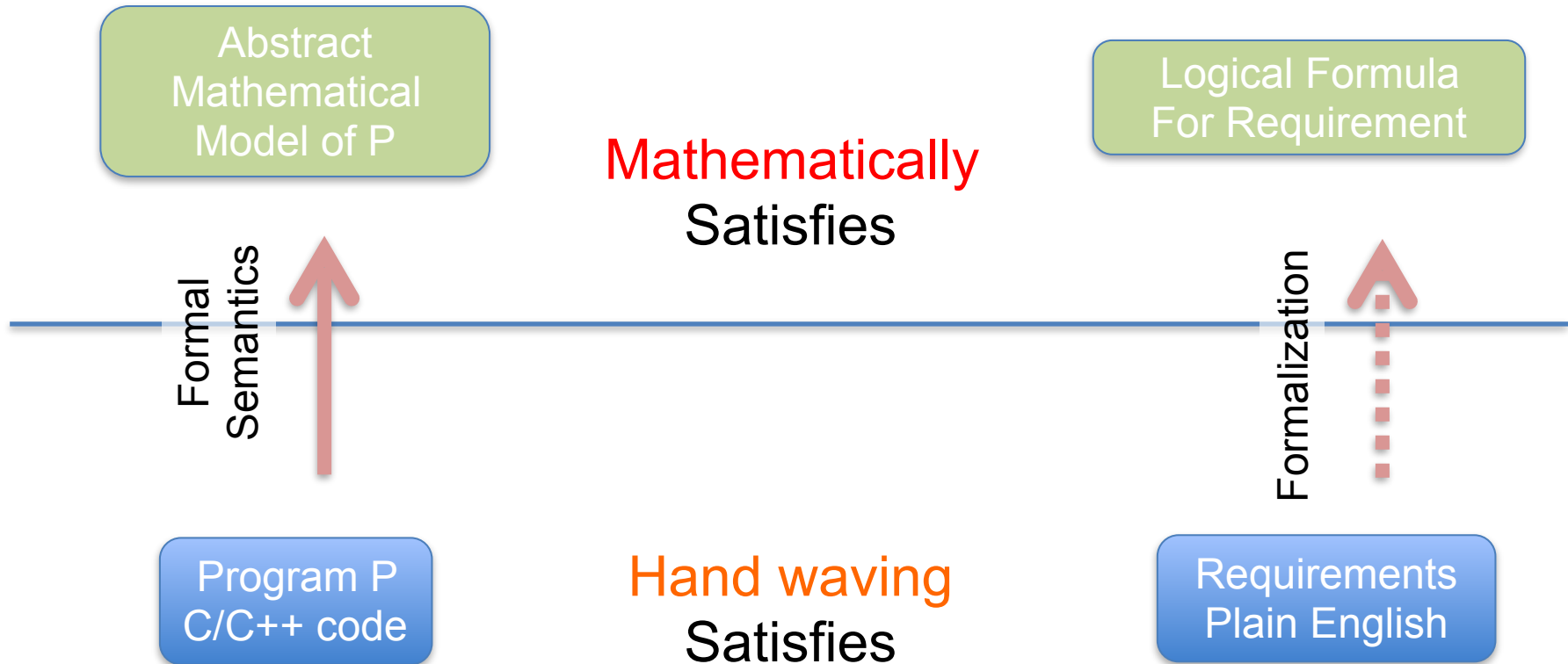
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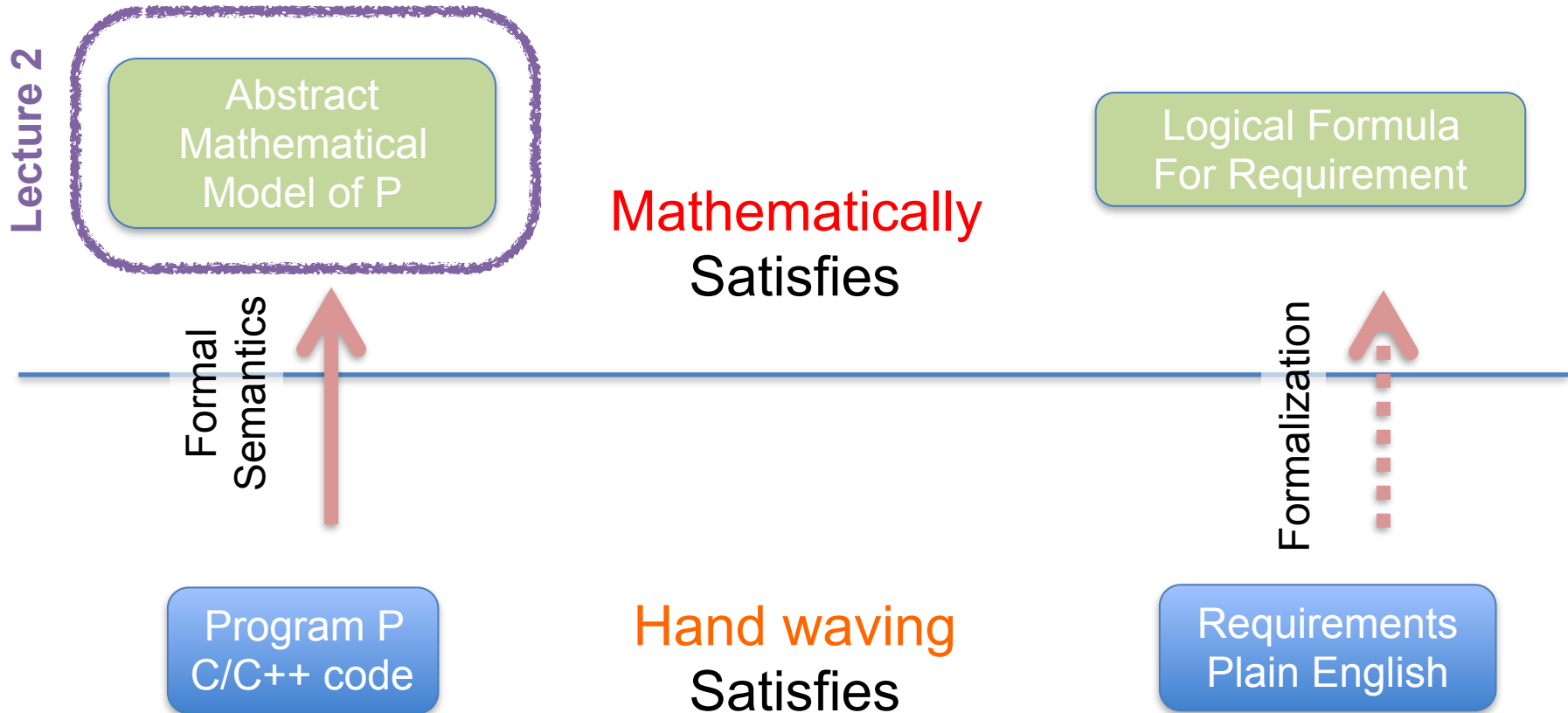
Symbolic Model Checking – 1

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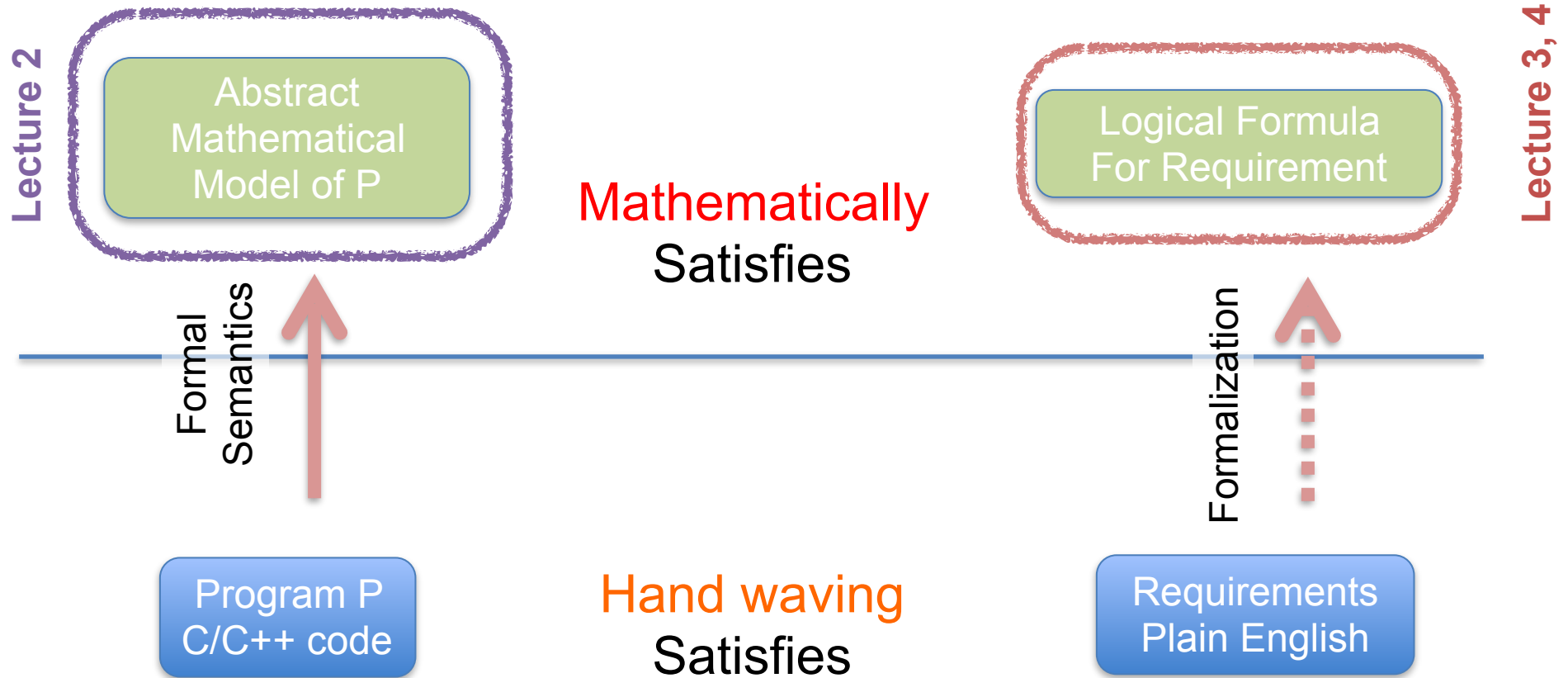
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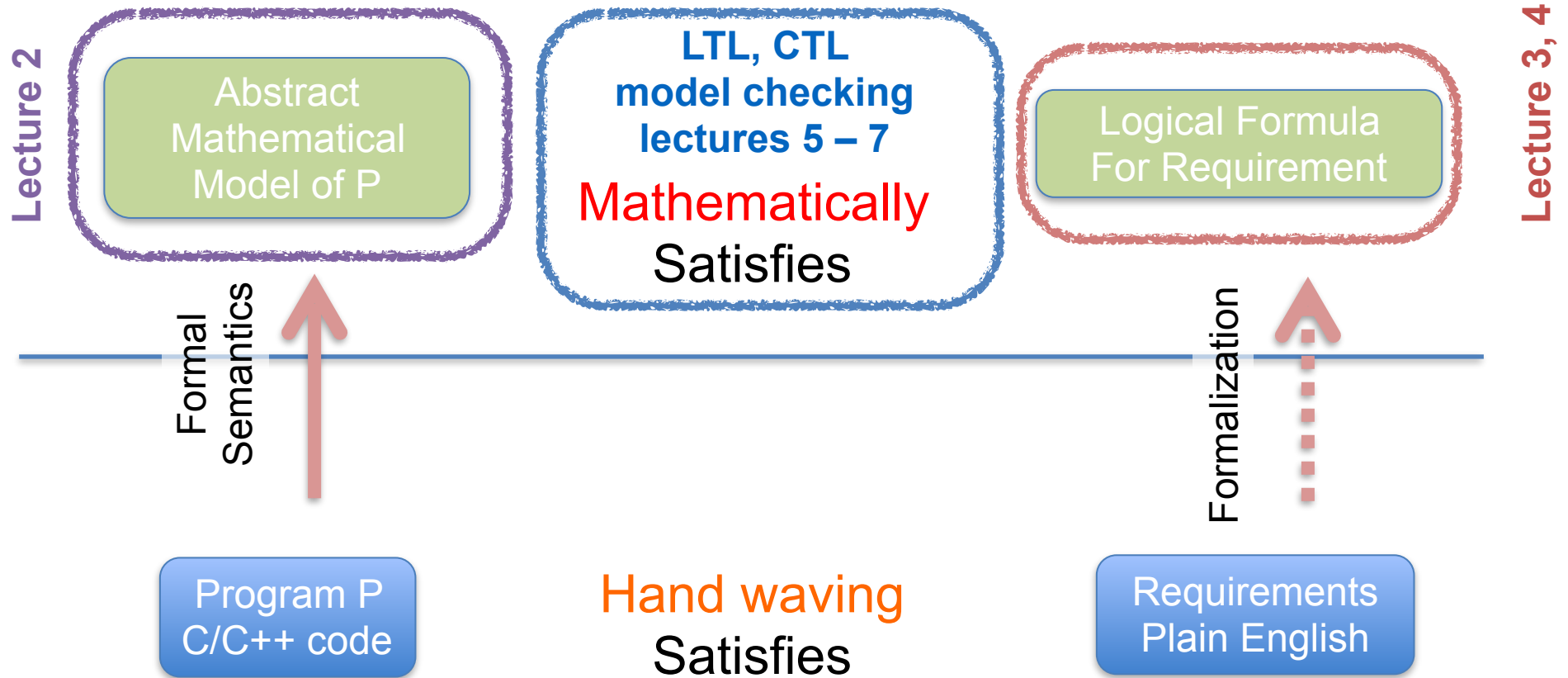
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Effective symbolic algorithm

Lecture 2

Abstract
Mathematical
Model of P

LTL, CTL
model checking
lectures 5 – 7

Mathematically
Satisfies

Logical Formula
For Requirement

Lecture 3, 4

Formal
Semantics

Program P
C/C++ code

Hand waving
Satisfies

Formalization

Requirements
Plain English



Content for this lecture

1. Lattice theory and fix points
2. Fix point characterisation of CTL
3. Symbolic fix point algorithm for CTL

Fix Points

Complete Lattices and Fix Points

Partially Ordered Set (poset)

$(L, \leq)$ a poset if $\leq$:

- reflexive, $x \leq x$
- anti-symmetric, $x \leq y \wedge y \leq x \implies x = y$
- transitive, $x \leq y \wedge y \leq z \implies x \leq z$

Examples

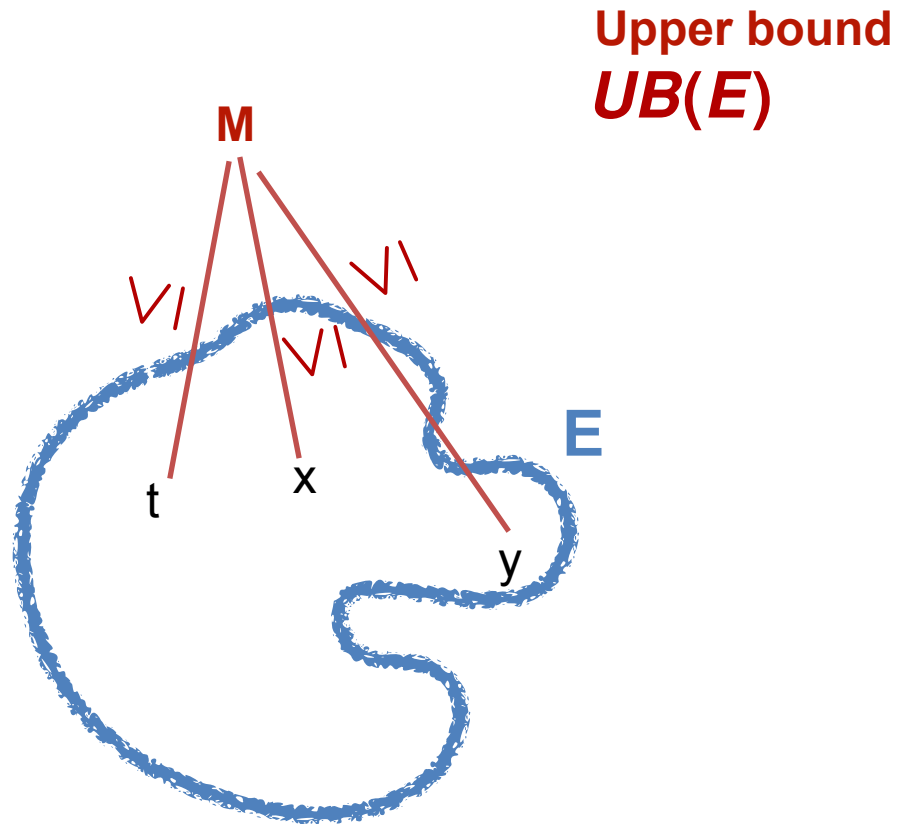
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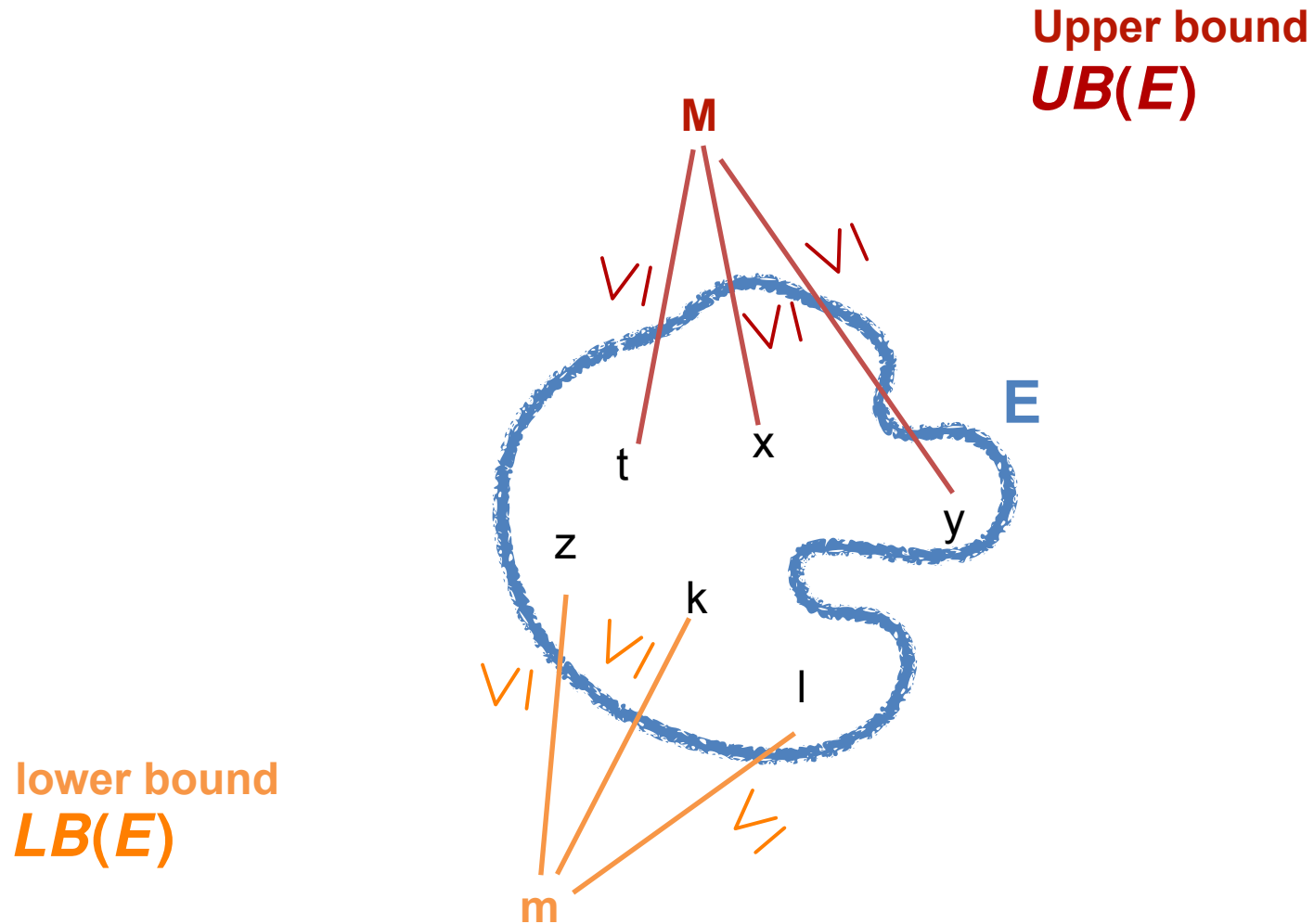
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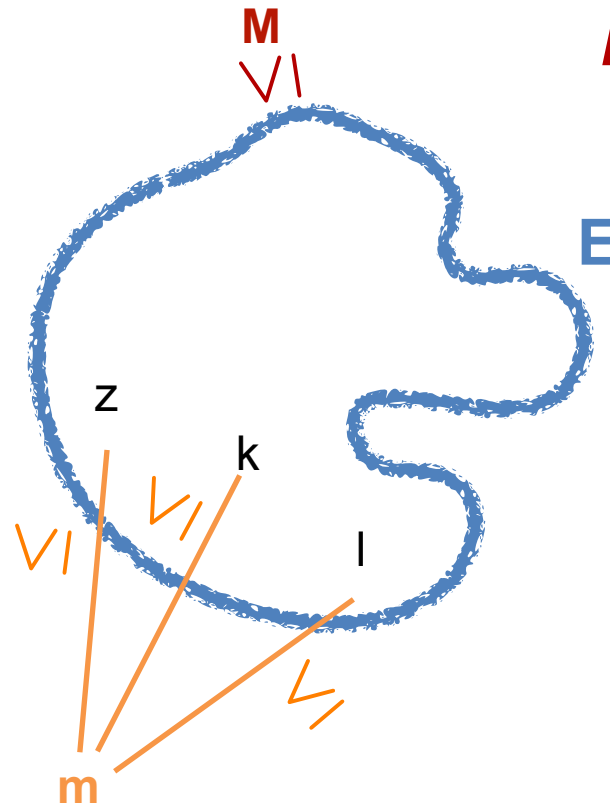
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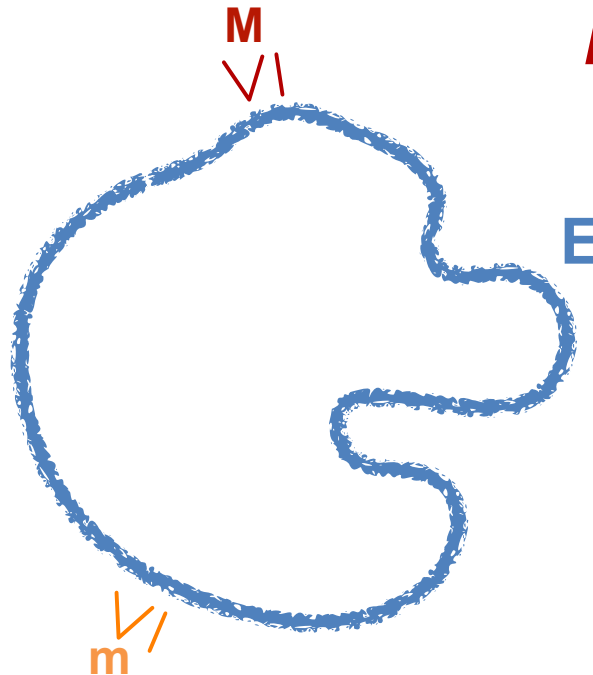
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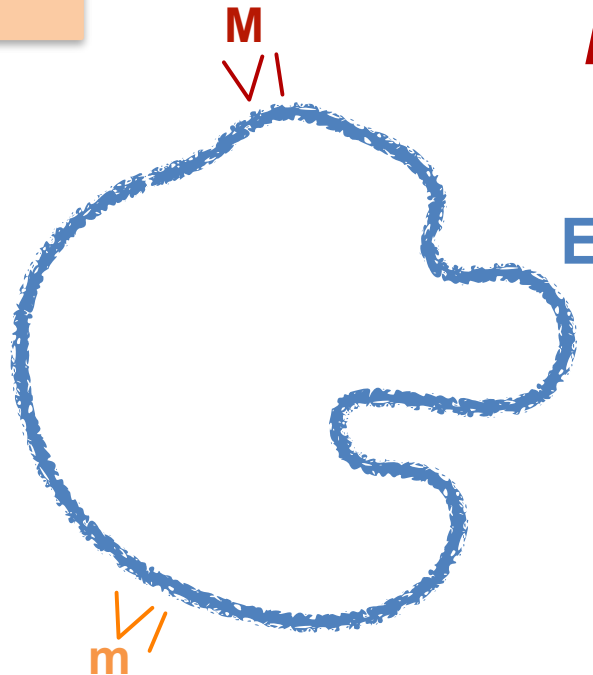
**LUB and GLB unique
(when they exist)**

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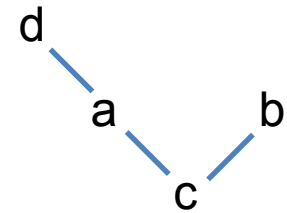
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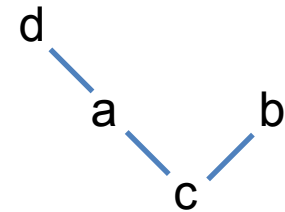
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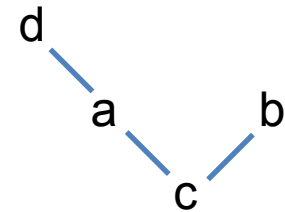
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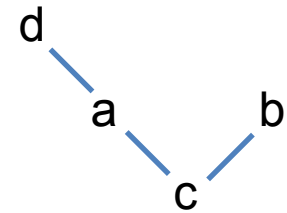
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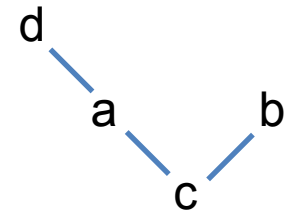
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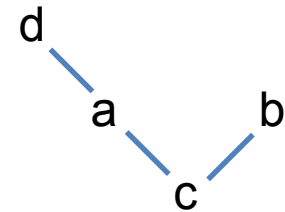
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Knaster-Tarski Theorem:

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f has a **least** and a **greatest** fix point.

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$$\text{lfp}(f) = \text{GLB}(\{x \in L, f(x) \leq x\})$$

1. $X = \{x \in L, f(x) \leq x\}$, $m = \text{GLB}(X)$
2. $\top \geq f(\top)$ and $\top \in X$
3. f monotonic: $\forall x \in X, f(m) \leq f(x) \leq x$
4. $f(m) \in \text{LB}(X)$ and $f(m) \leq m$
5. f monotonic: $f(f(m)) \leq f(m)$ and $f(m) \in X$
6. $m \in \text{LB}(X)$ and $m \leq f(m)$
7. $z = f(z)$ then $z \in X$ and $m \leq z$

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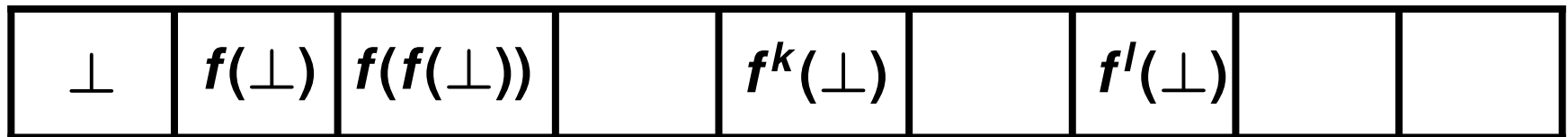
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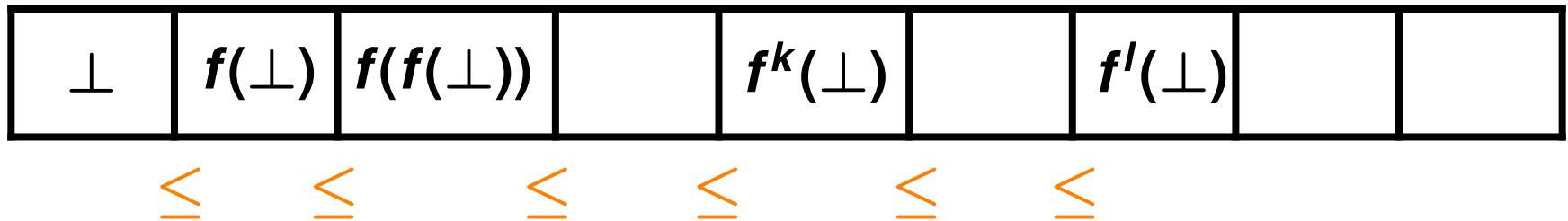
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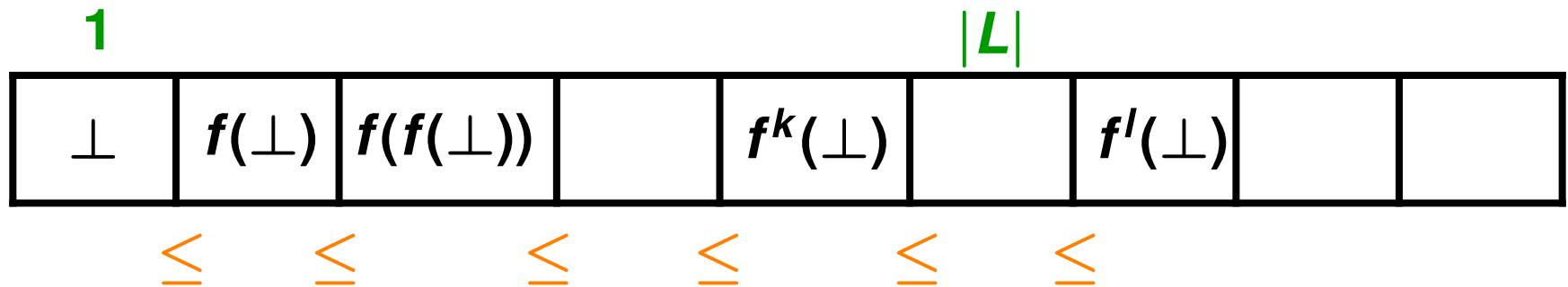
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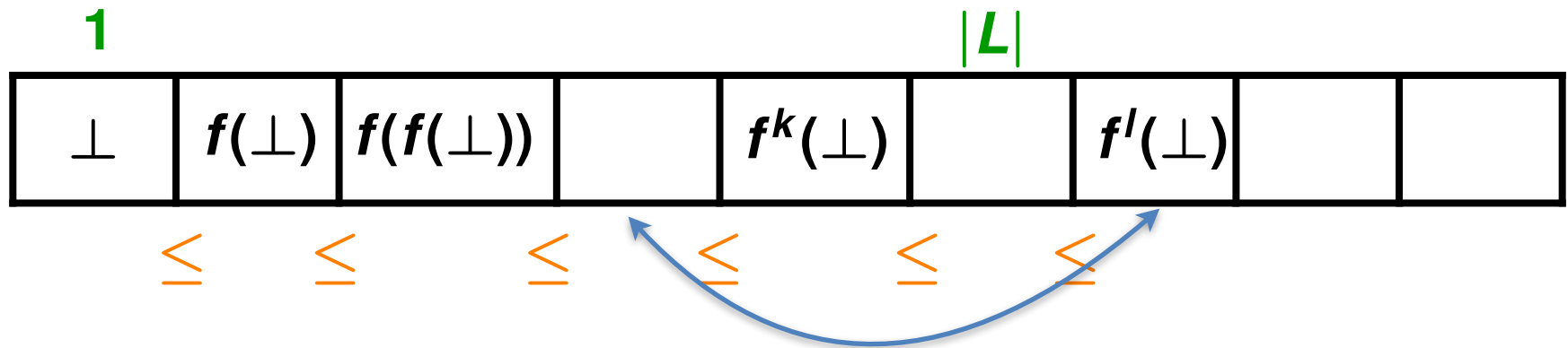
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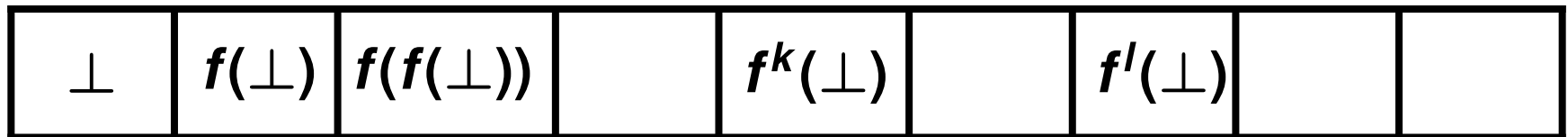
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Algorithm to Compute LFP/GFP

Procedure ComputeFixPoint($f : E \rightarrow E, \iota \in \{\perp, \top\}$)

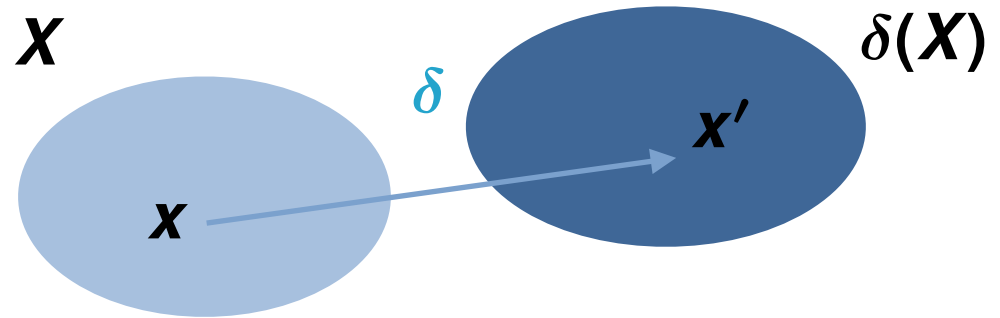
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/*  $f$  is monotonic */  
/*  $E$  finite and  $\perp = GLB(E), \top = LUB(E)$  */  
1  $P := \iota$ ;  
2  $N := f(P)$ ;  
3 while  $P \neq N$  do  
4    $P := N$ ;  
5    $N := f(N)$ ;  
6 return  $N$ ;
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$lfp(f) = \text{ComputeFixPoint}(f, \perp)$ $gfp(f) = \text{ComputeFixPoint}(f, \top)$

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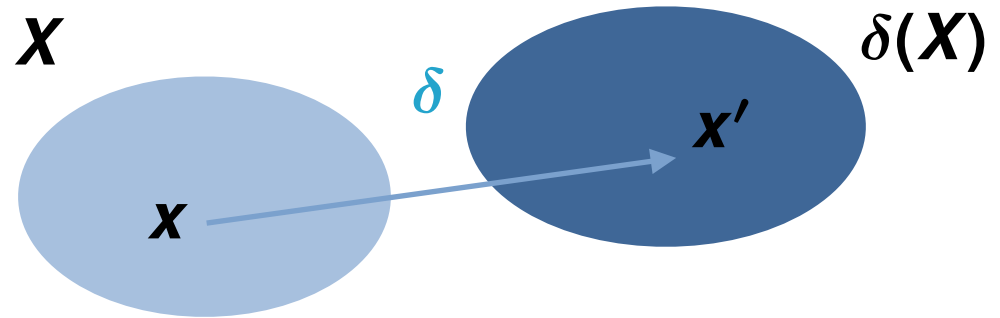
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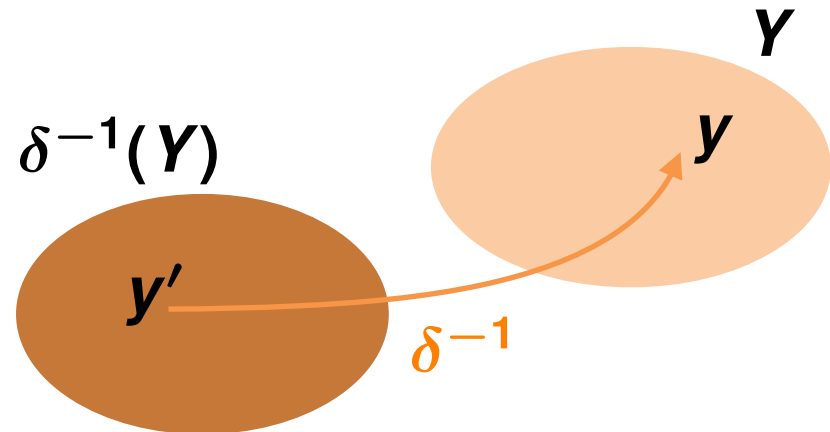
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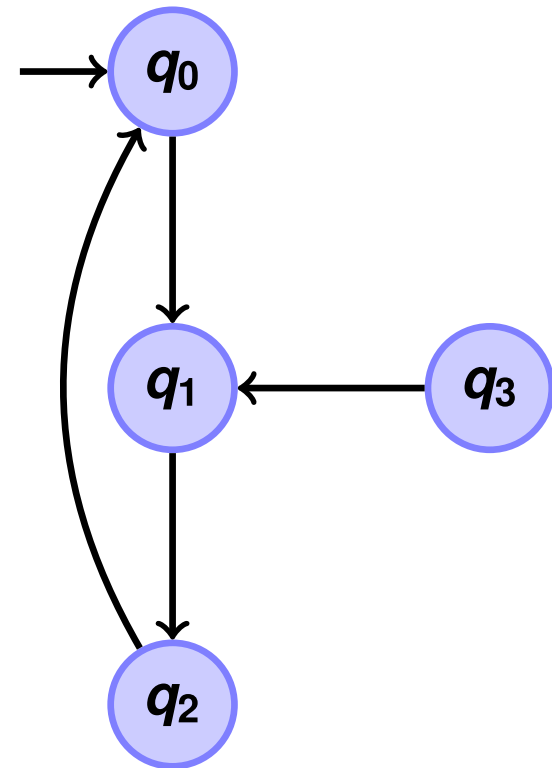
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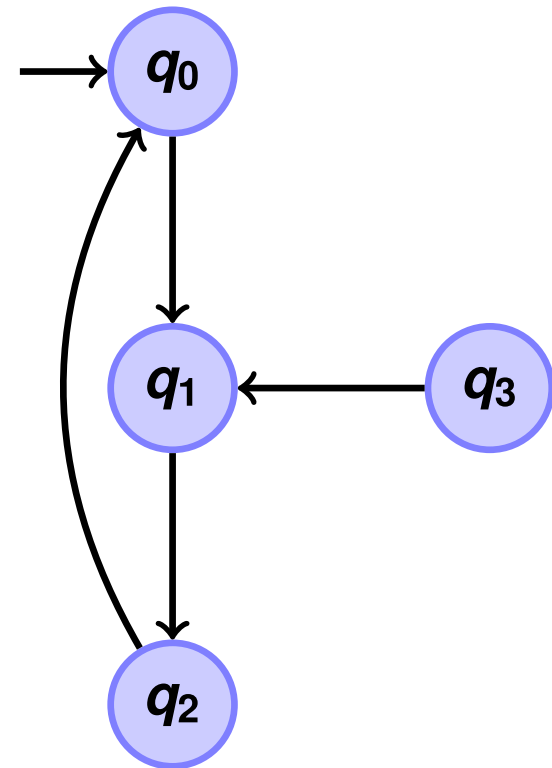


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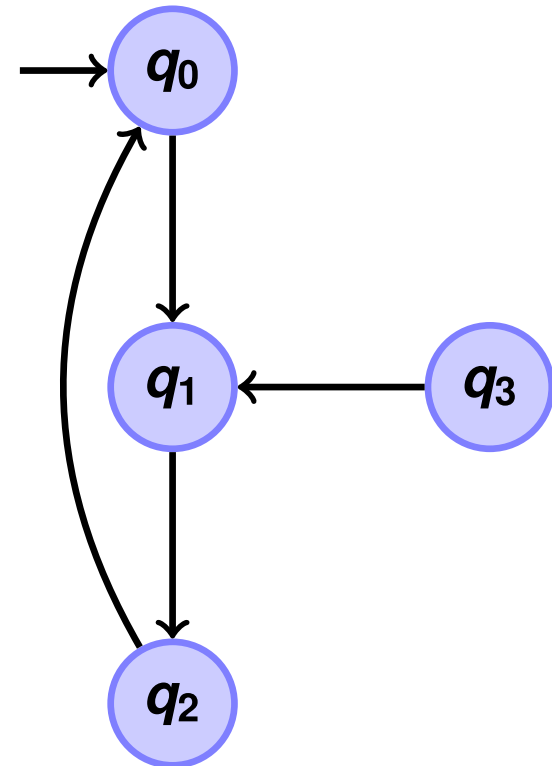
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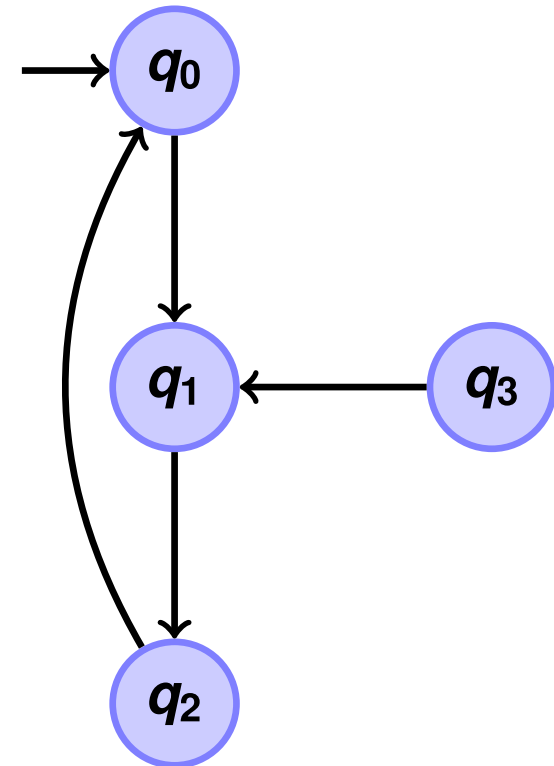


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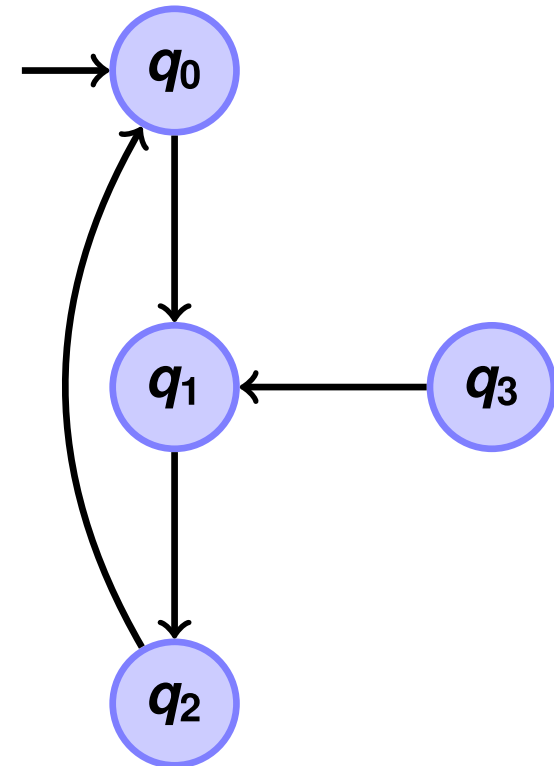
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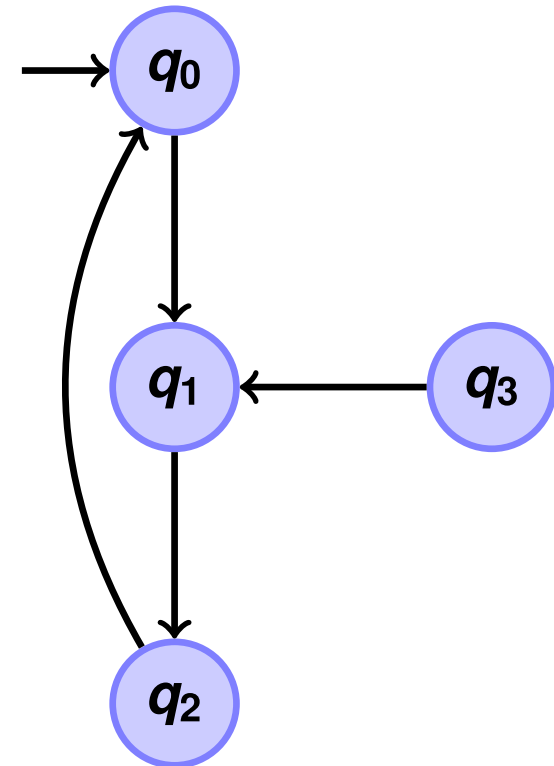
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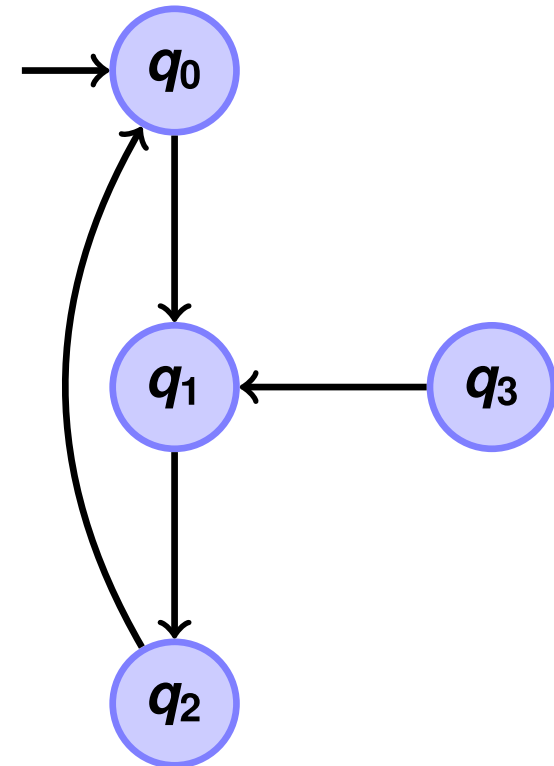
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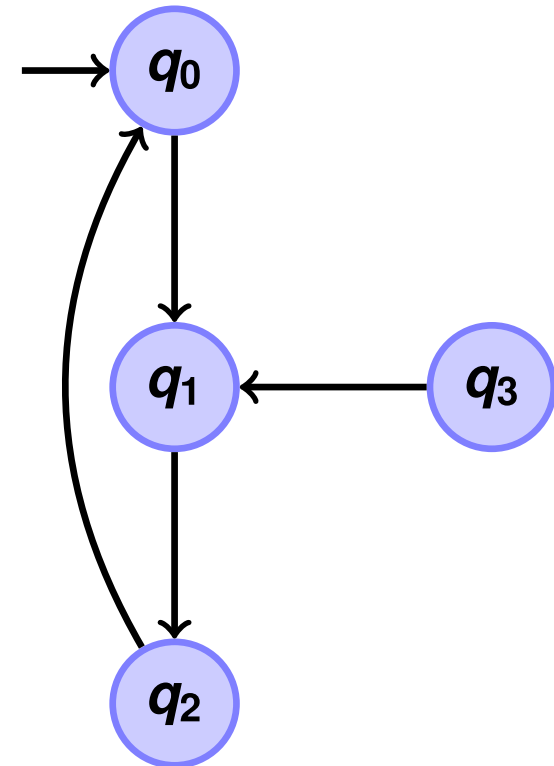
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$$Y = f(Y)$$

$$q \in \text{Reach}(q_0): q_0 \xrightarrow{n} q$$

Prove: $\forall n$, if $q_0 \xrightarrow{n} q$ then $q \in Y$

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1. $\text{Reach}(\{q_0\})$ is a fix point

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$$\text{or } q \in \text{Reach}(q_0)$$

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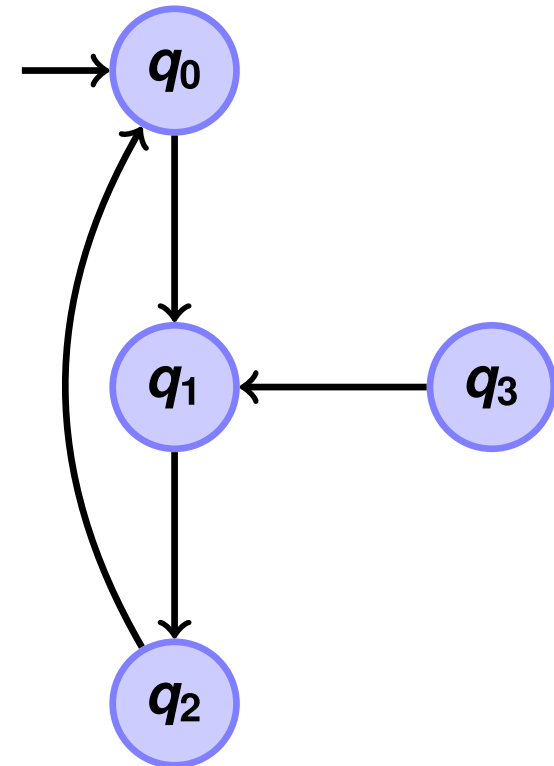
2. $\text{Reach}(\{q_0\})$ is the **least** fix point

$$Y = f(Y)$$

$$q \in \text{Reach}(q_0): q_0 \xrightarrow{n} q$$

Prove: $\forall n$, if $q_0 \xrightarrow{n} q$ then $q \in Y$

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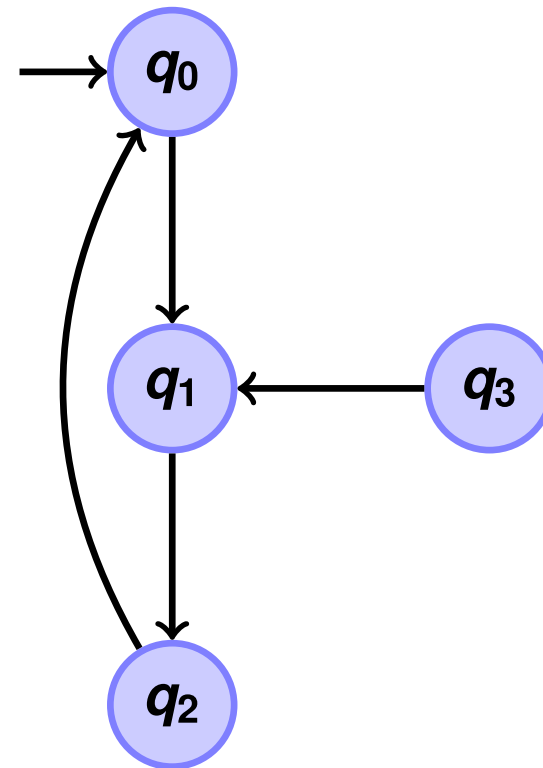


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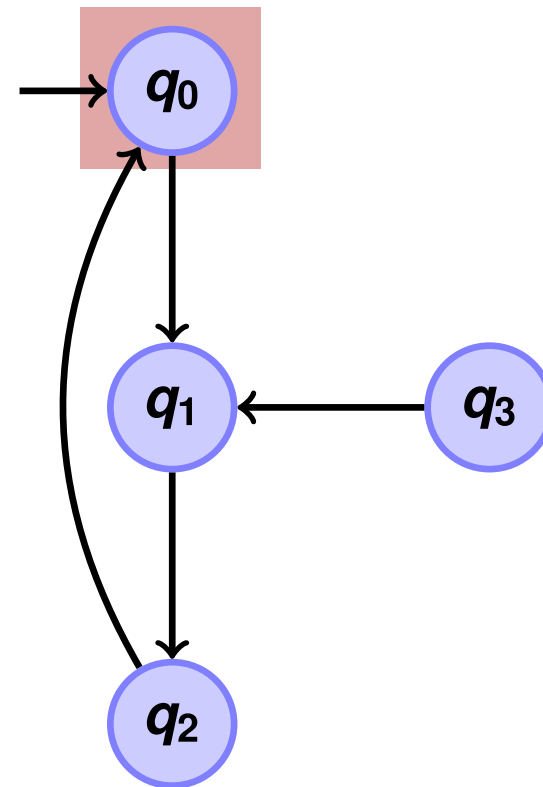
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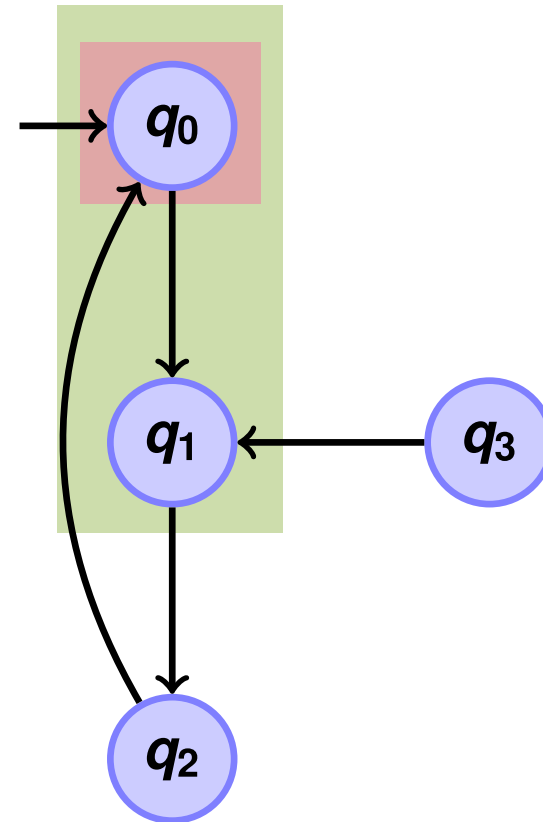
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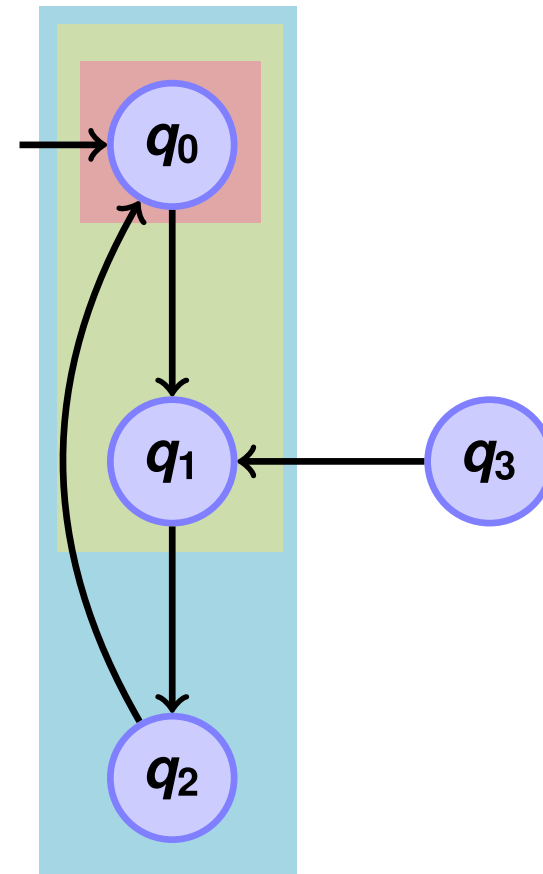
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$$f^k(\emptyset)$$

$$S_0 = \emptyset$$

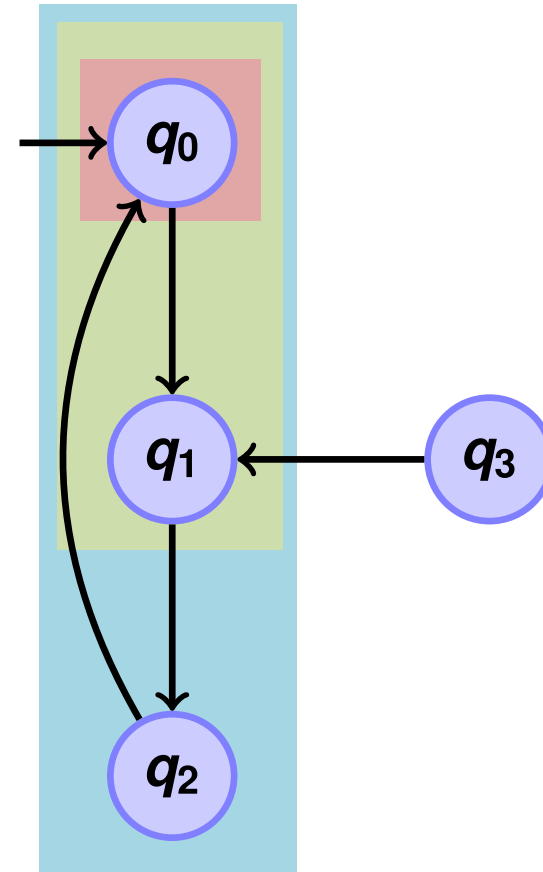
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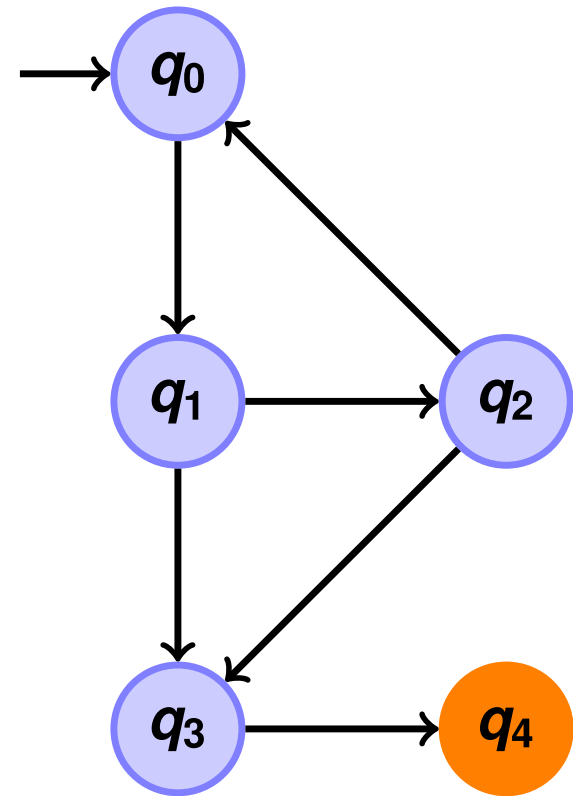
$$S_3 = f(S_2) = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$$

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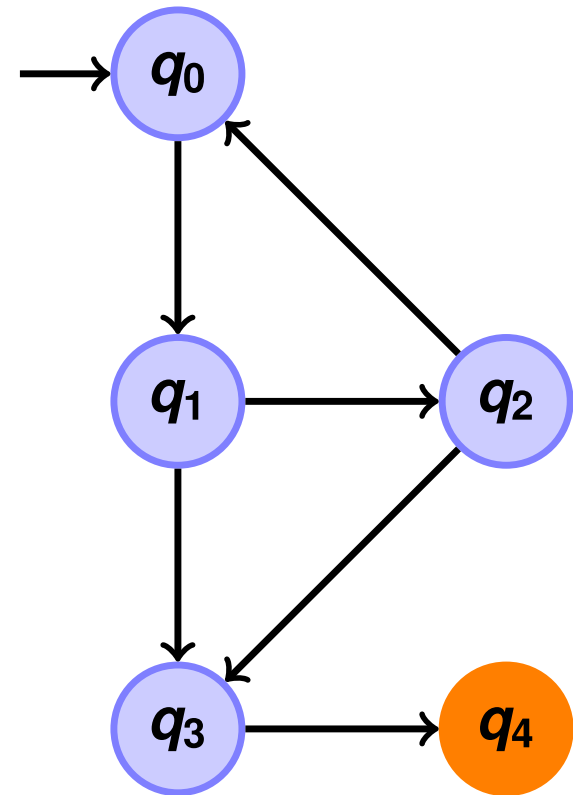


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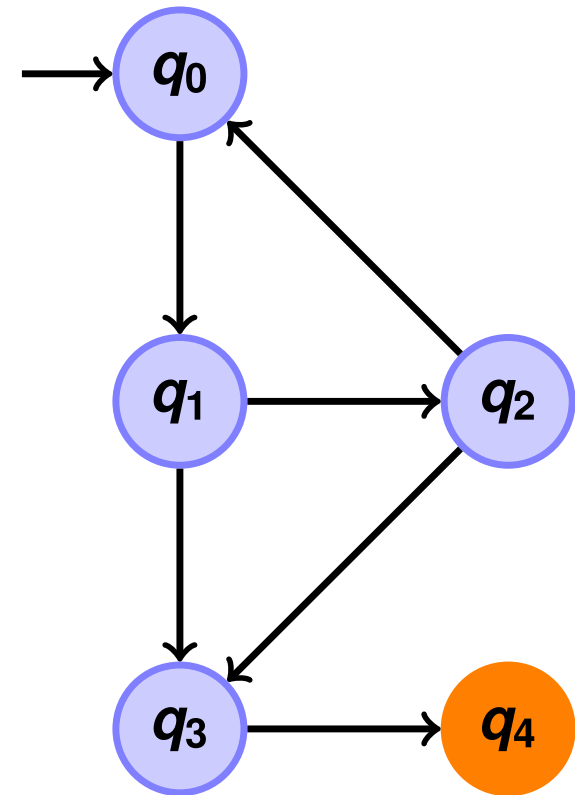
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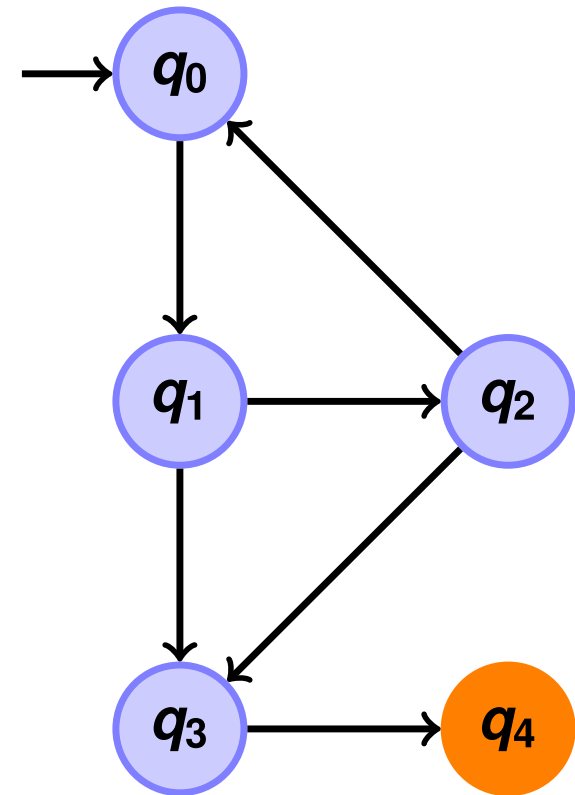


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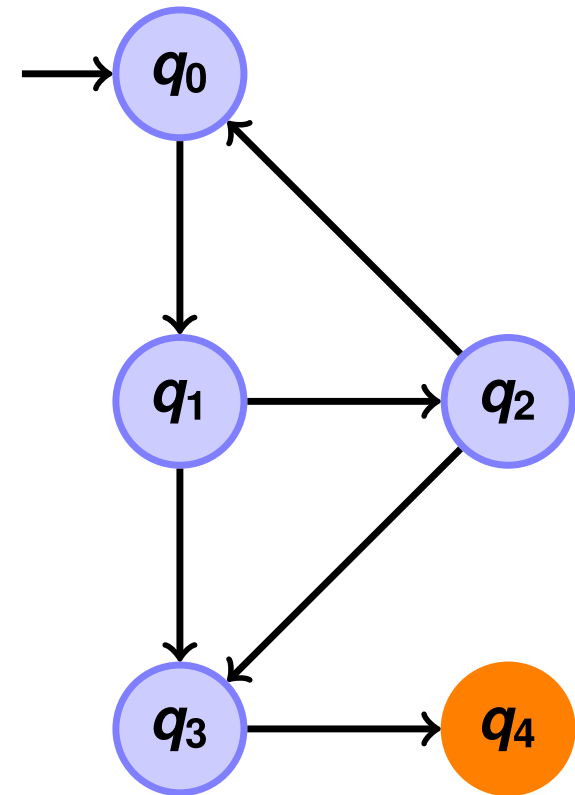
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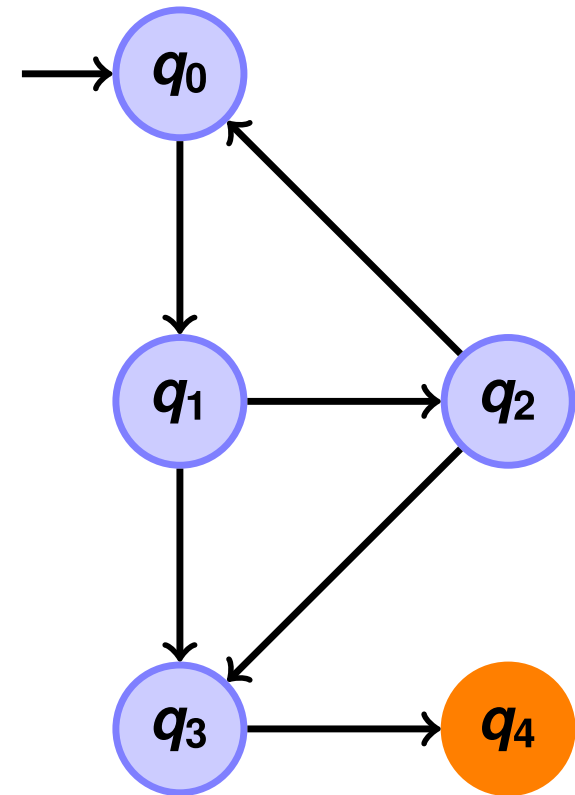
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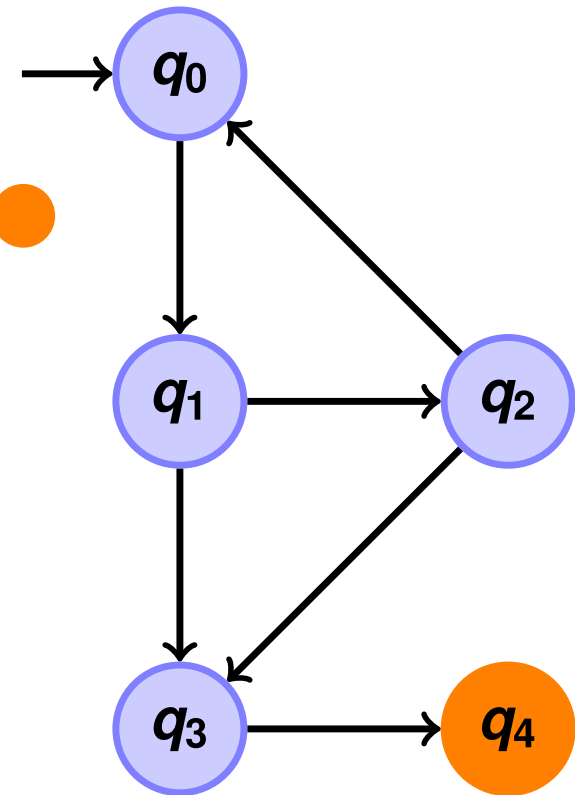
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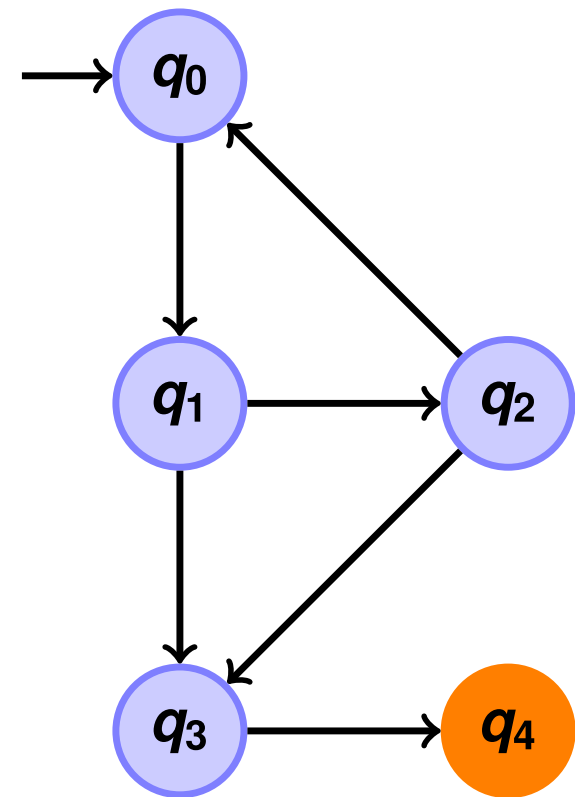
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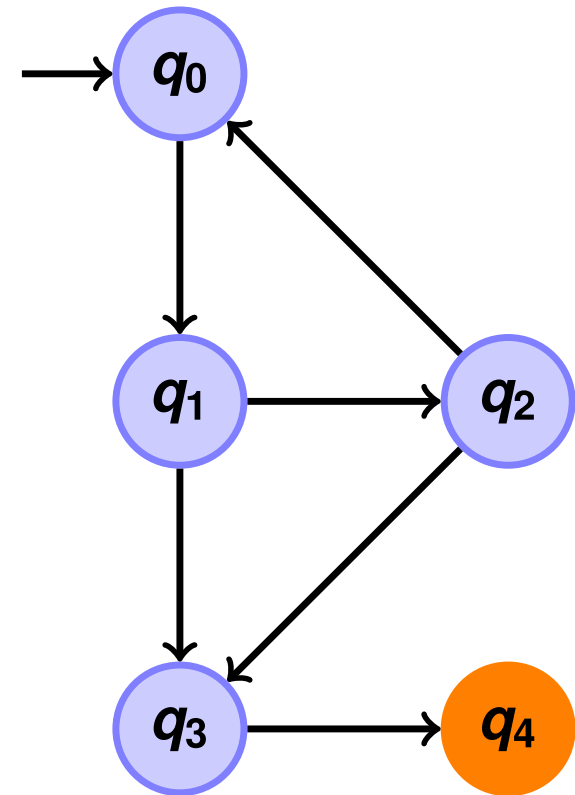
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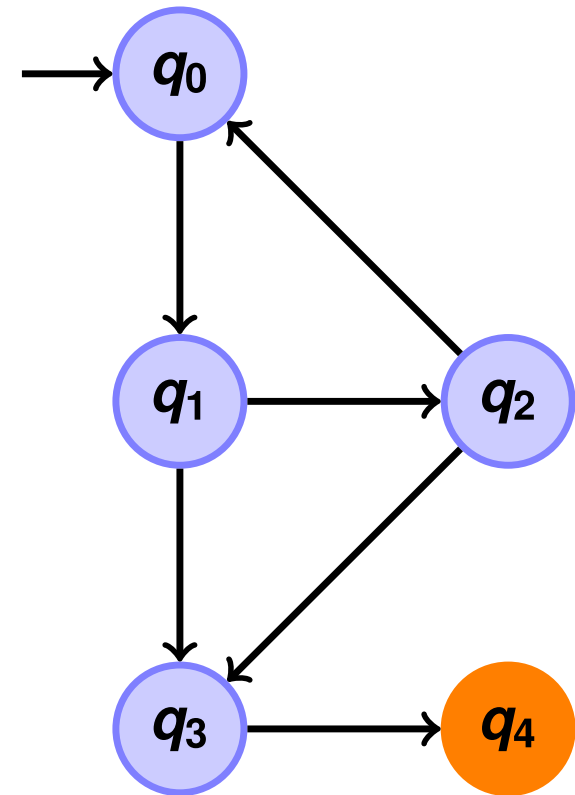
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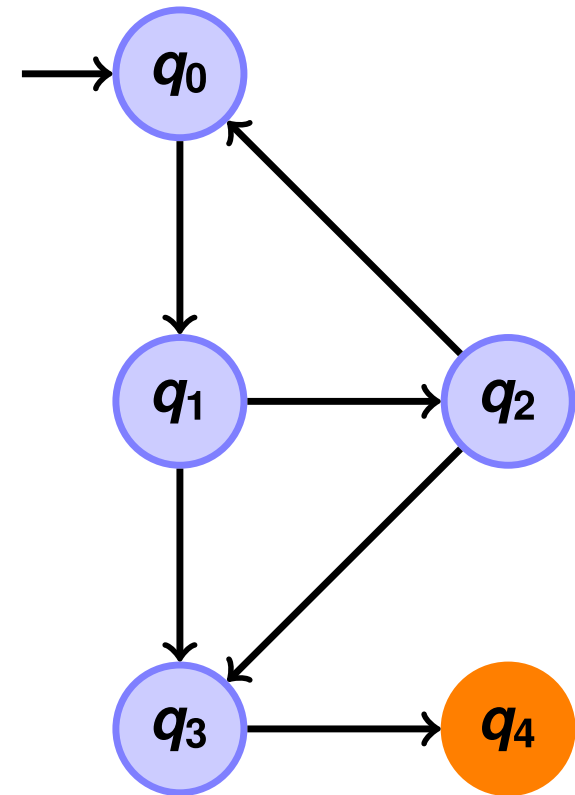
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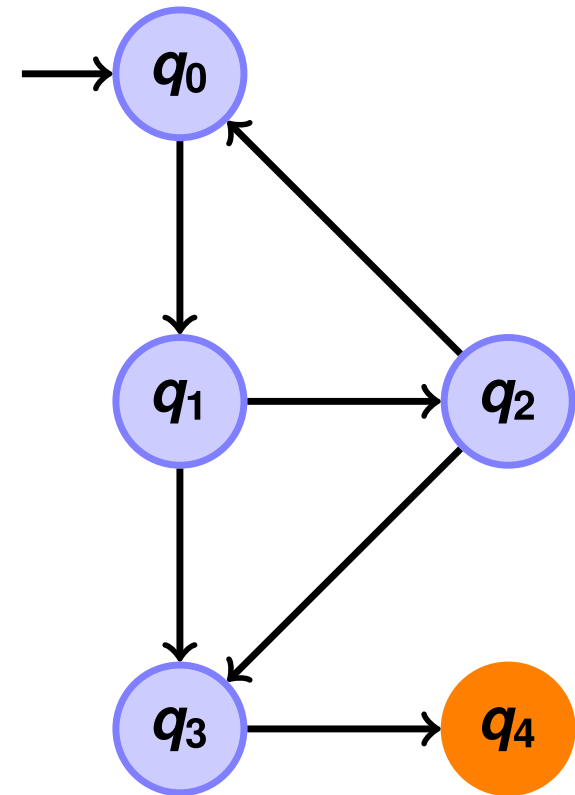
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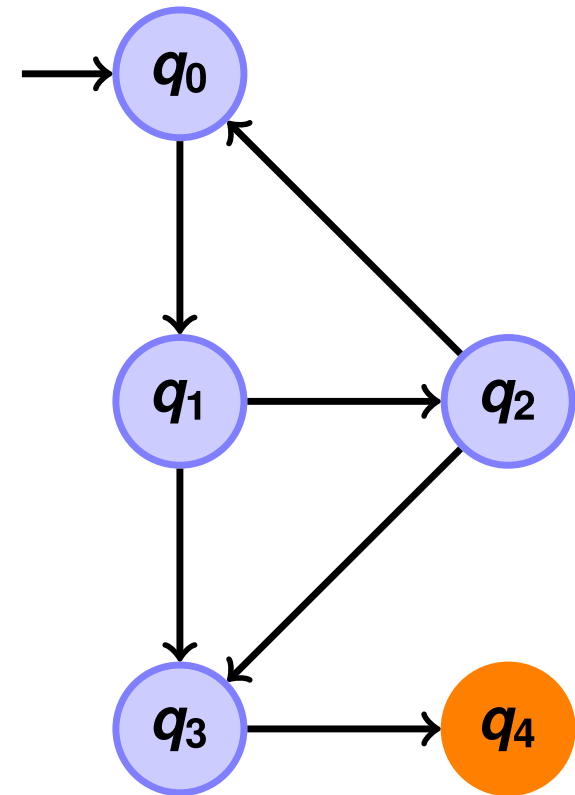
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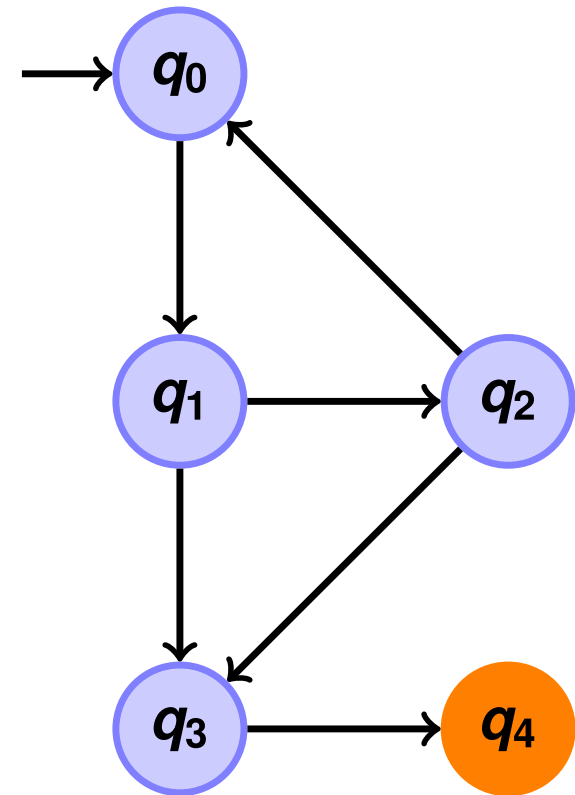
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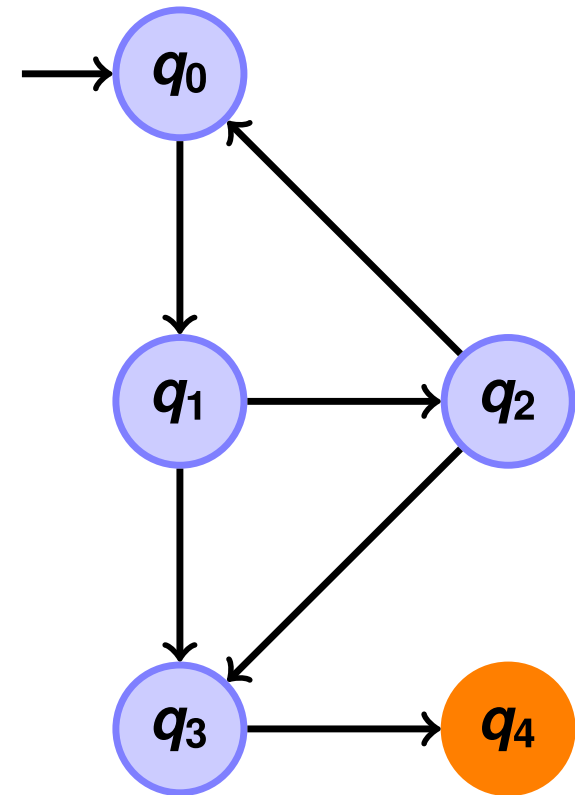
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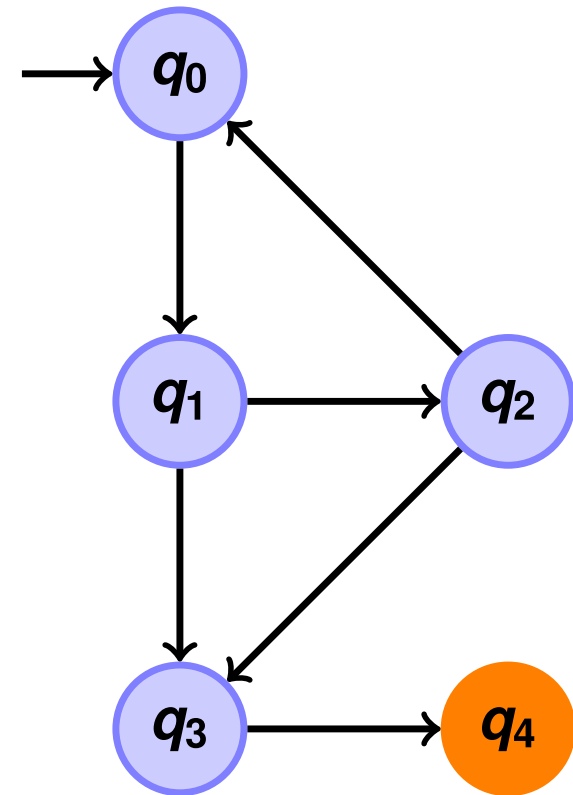
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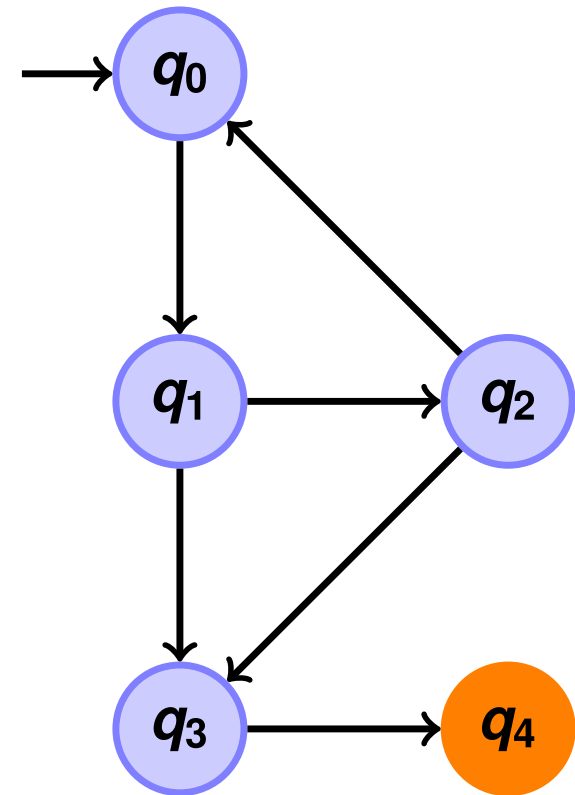
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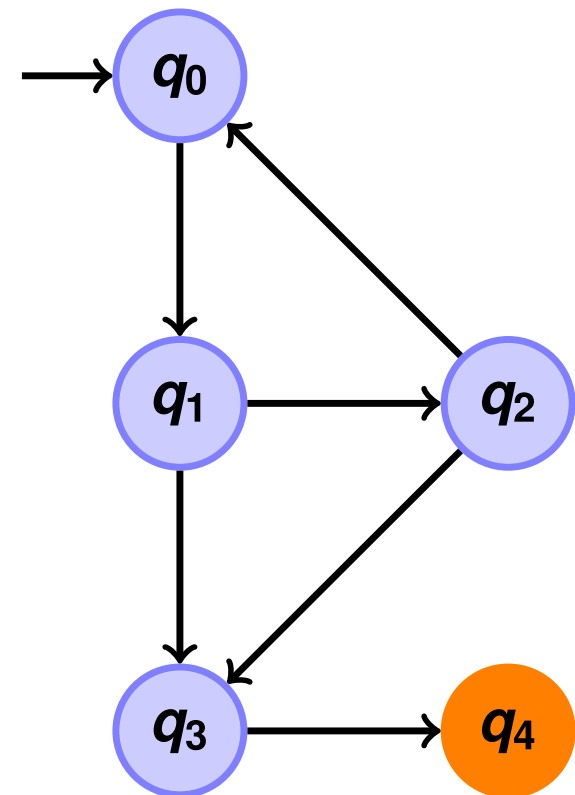
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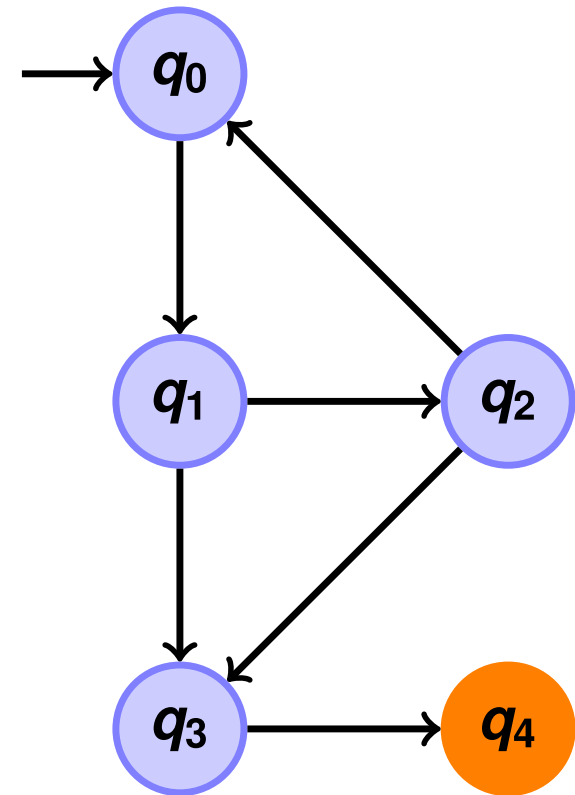
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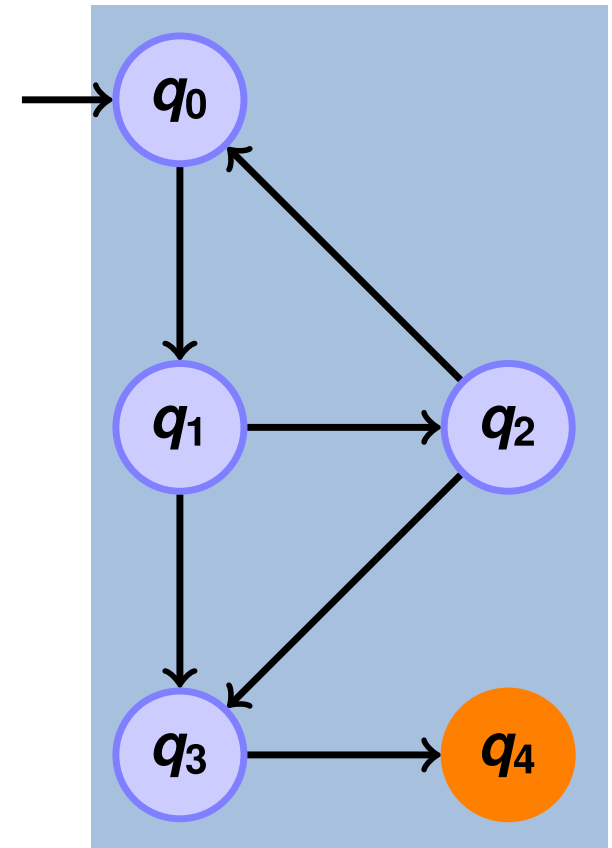
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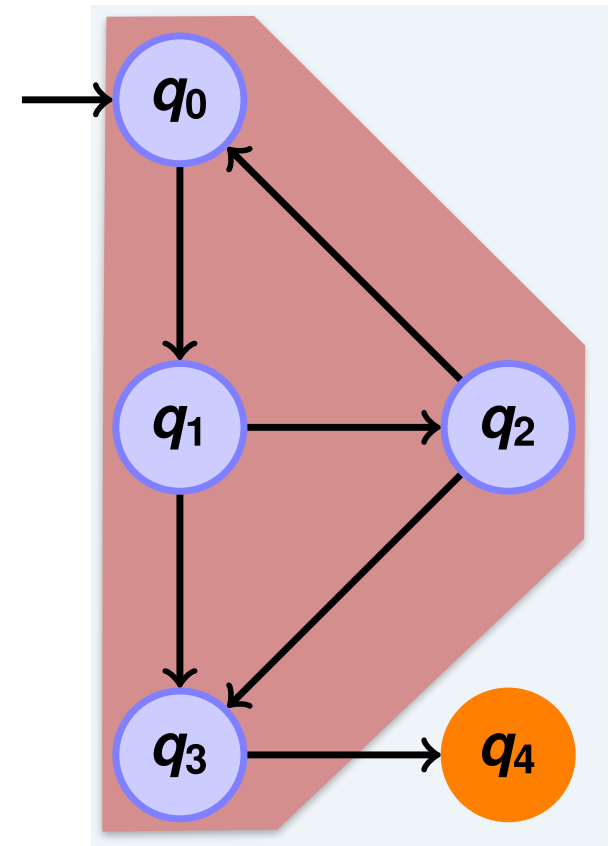
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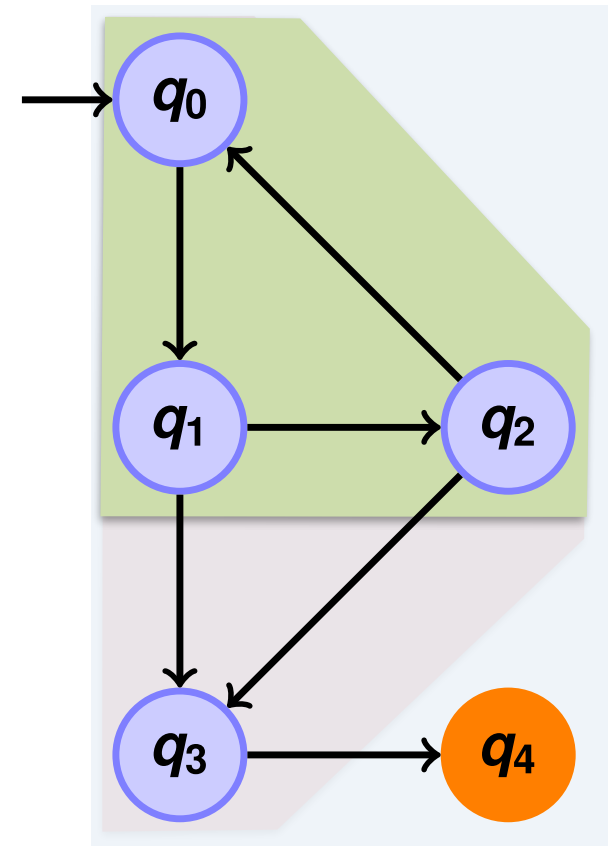
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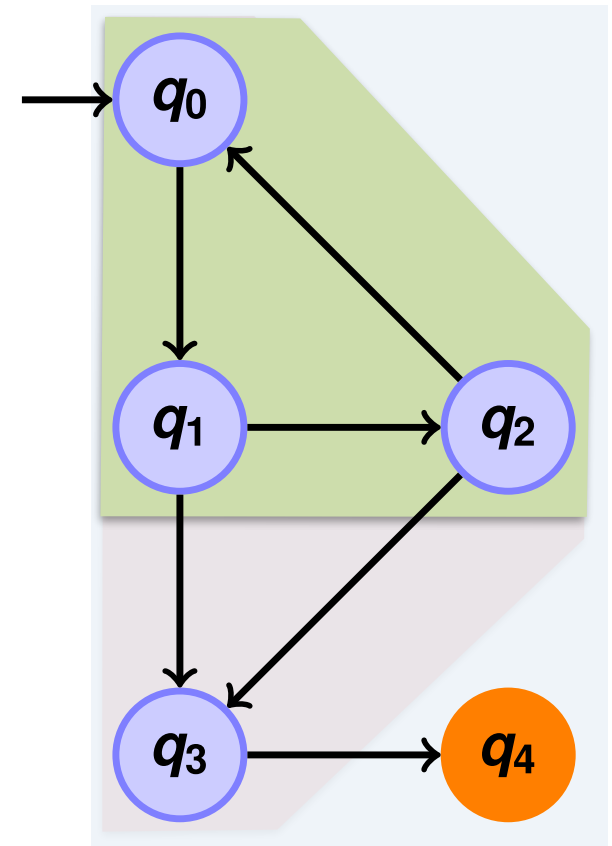
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Fix Point Characterisation of CTL

CTL Syntax

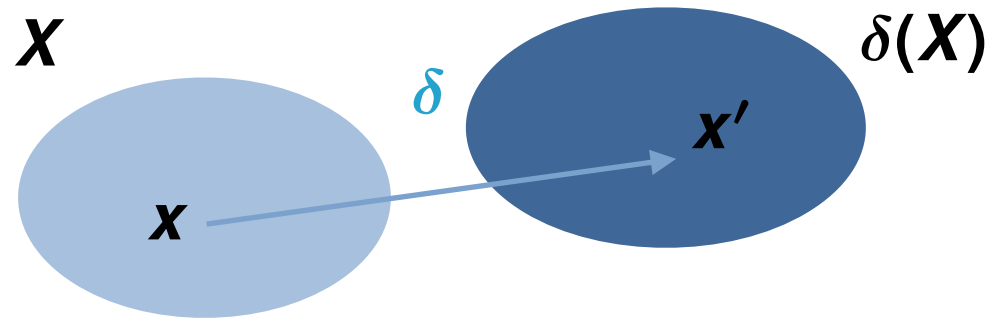
CTL Syntax

- True is in CTL
- $x \in \mathcal{P}$ is in CTL
- $P, Q \in \text{CTL}$, $\neg P \in \text{CTL}$ and $P \wedge Q \in \text{CTL}$
- $EX \varphi$ is in CTL if φ is in CTL
- $AX \varphi$ is in CTL if φ is in CTL
- $A(\varphi_1 \text{ UNTIL } \varphi_2)$ is in CTL if $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \text{CTL}$,
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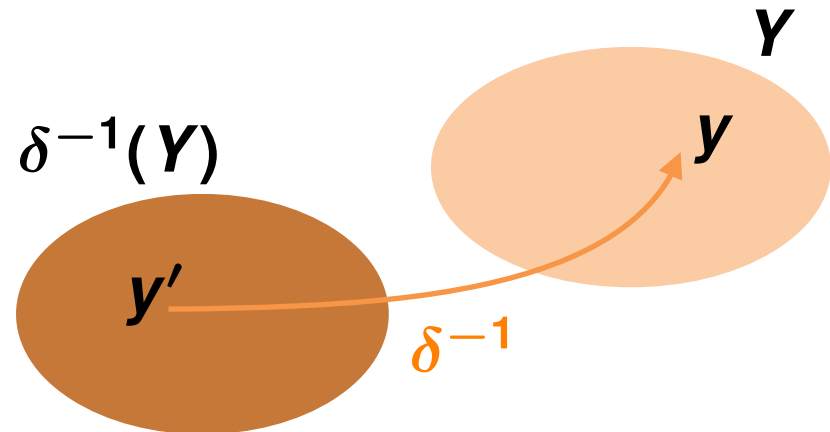
Successors/Predecessors (!)

A labeled automaton $A = (Q, q_0, \Sigma, \delta, L)$

$$\delta(X) = \bigcup_{x \in X} \{x' \mid x' \in \delta(x)\}$$



$$\delta^{-1}(Y) = \bigcup_{y \in Y} \{y' \mid y \in \delta(y')\}$$



CTL Symbolic Semantics (1)

Given $\varphi \in \mathbf{CTL}$

$$\llbracket \varphi \rrbracket = \{s \mid s \models \varphi\}$$

- $\llbracket \mathbf{True} \rrbracket = Q$
- $p \in \mathcal{P}, \llbracket p \rrbracket = L^{-1}(p)$
- $\llbracket \neg P \rrbracket = Q \setminus \llbracket P \rrbracket$
- $\llbracket P \wedge Q \rrbracket = \llbracket P \rrbracket \cap \llbracket Q \rrbracket$
- $\llbracket E X \varphi \rrbracket = \delta^{-1}(\llbracket \varphi \rrbracket)$
- $\llbracket A X \varphi \rrbracket = Q \setminus (\delta^{-1}(Q \setminus \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket))$

CTL Symbolic Semantics (2)

$$E(\varphi_1 \text{ UNTIL } \varphi_2) \equiv \varphi_2 \vee (\varphi_1 \wedge EX E(\varphi_1 \text{ UNTIL } \varphi_2))$$

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$$\forall Y \text{ s.t. } f(Y) = Y, E_0 \subseteq Y$$

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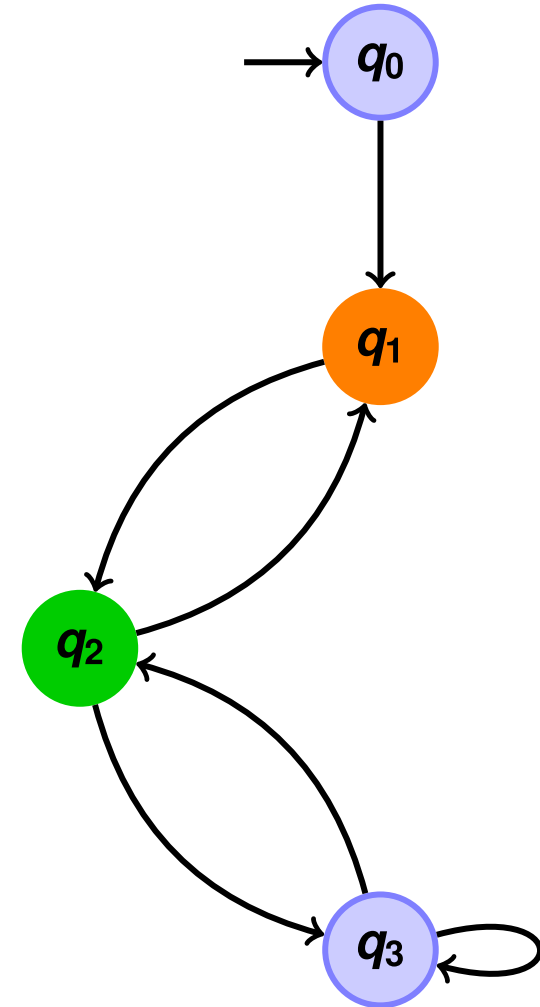
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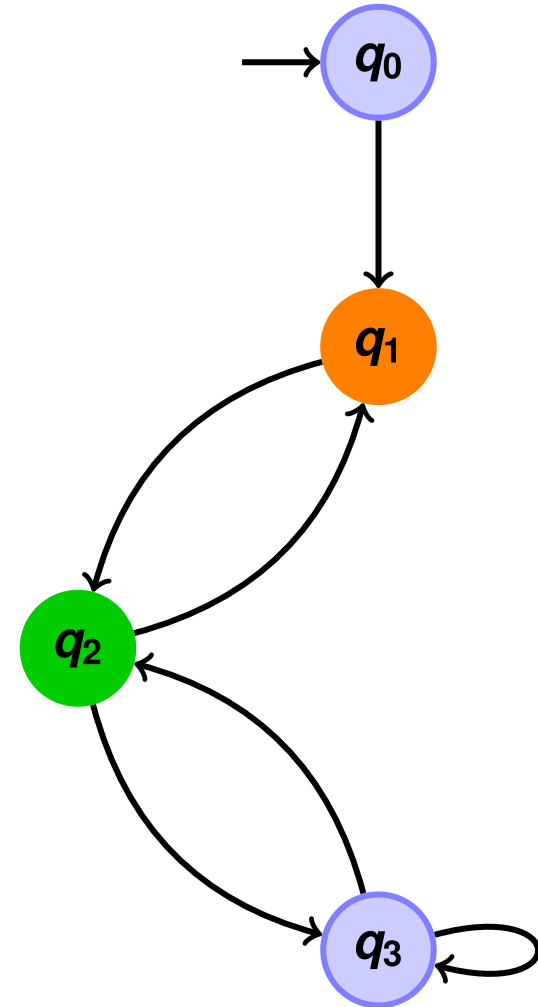


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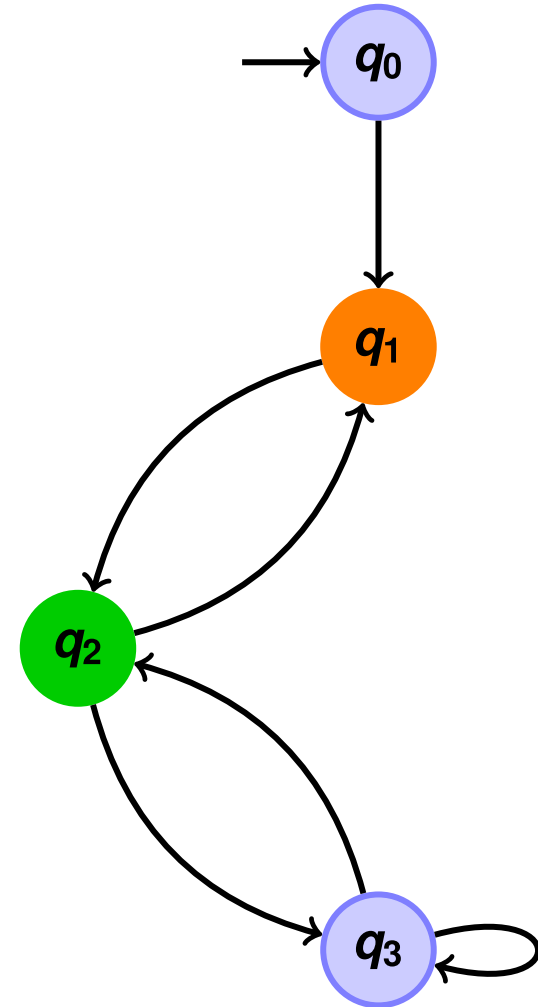


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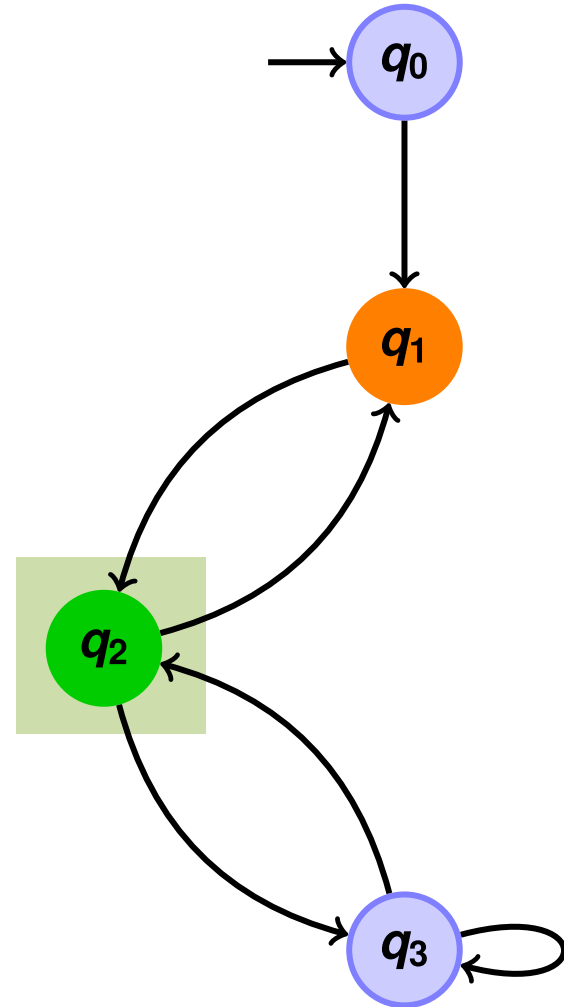


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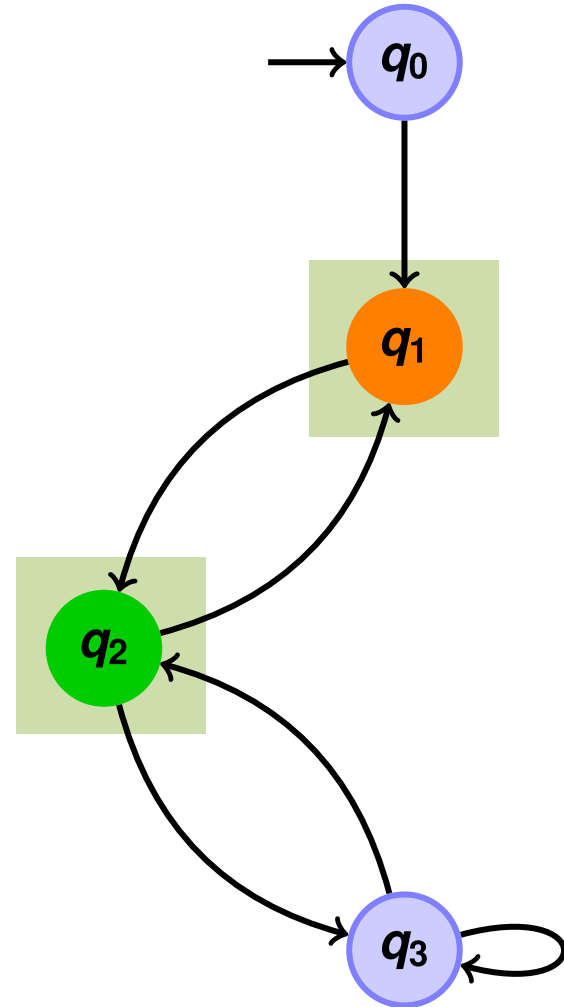


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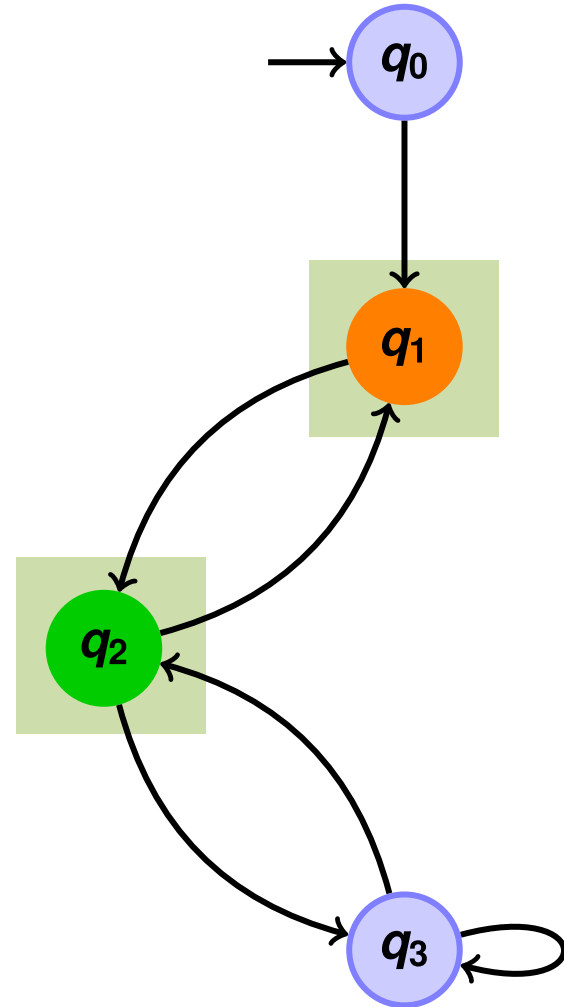
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