

EXPRESSIVENESS AND DECIDABILITY OF WEIGHTED AUTOMATA AND WEIGHTED LOGICS

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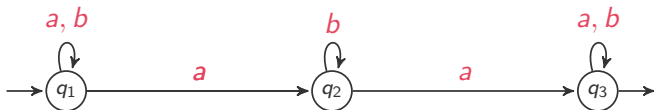
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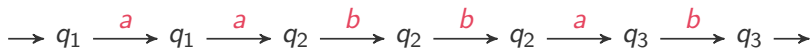
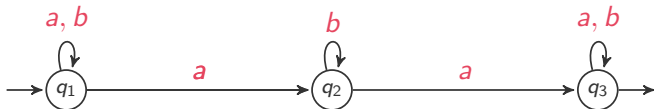
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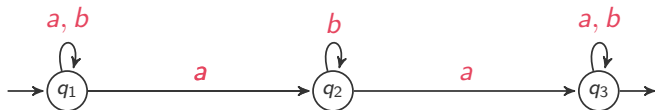
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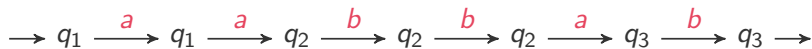


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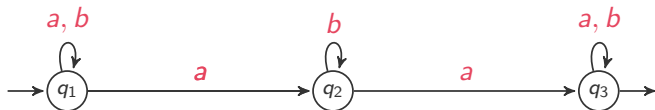


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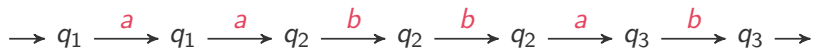


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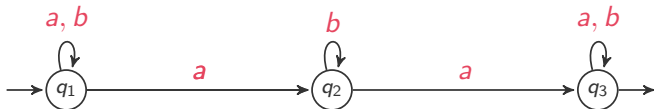


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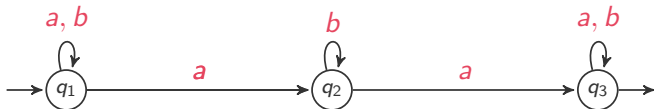


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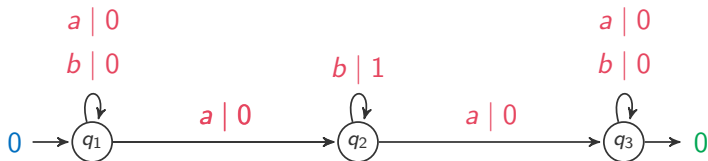
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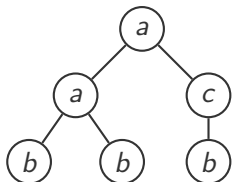
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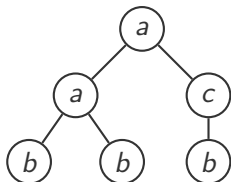


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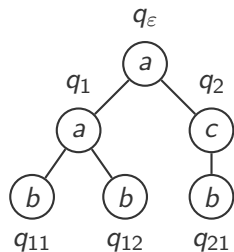


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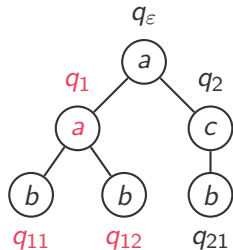
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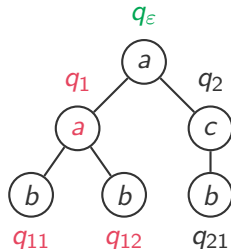
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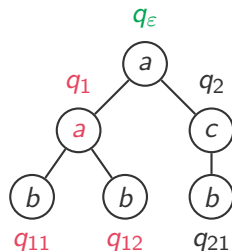
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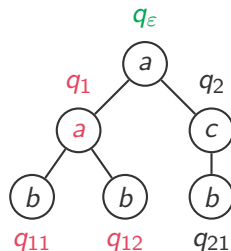
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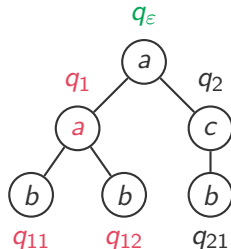
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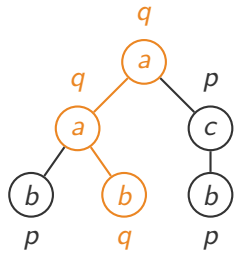
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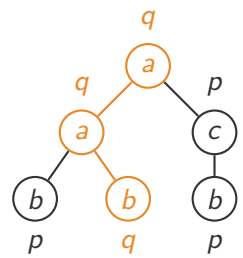
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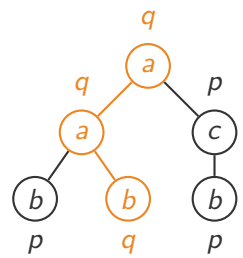
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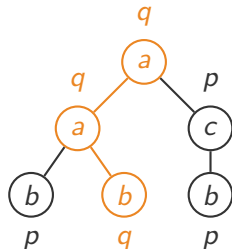
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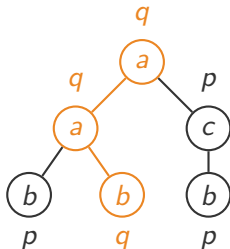
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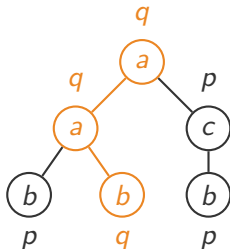
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iff $P(x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_n) = \text{true}$

where

$x_i = \text{true}$ iff $\beta_i^1 \models \mathcal{A}$

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