

# UNIT-V

## FINITE STATE AUTOMATA & GRAPH THEORY

### FINITE AUTOMATION:-

A finite automation is formally defined as 5-tuple  $(Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ , where.

$Q$  - is a finite set of states which is non-empty.

$\Sigma$  - is input Alphabet.

$q_0$  - is initial state.

$F$  - is a set of final states and  $F \subseteq Q$

$\delta$  - is a transition function (or) mapping function  $Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$ .

Using this the next state can be determined depending on the current input.

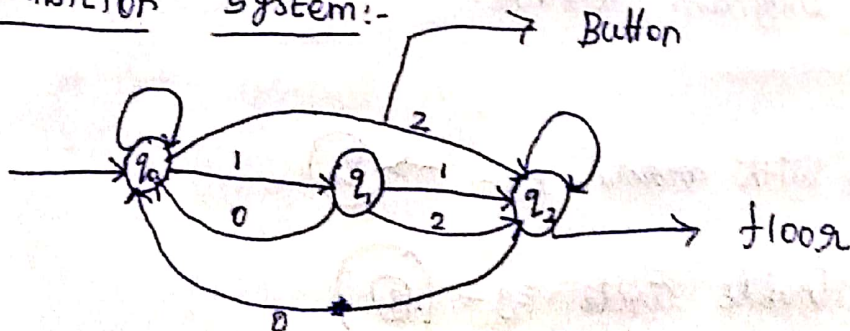
Ex: SFL \_\_\_\_\_  $q_2(2)$

FFL \_\_\_\_\_  $q_1(1)$

GFL  \_\_\_\_\_  $q_0(0)$

Example of lift control is given in the above picture.

### Transition system:-



## Transition Table:-

PS	0	1	2
$q_0$	$q_0$	$q_1$	$q_2$
$q_1$	$q_0$	$q_1$	$q_2$
$q_2$	$q_0$	$q_1$	$q_2$

$$Q = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$$

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1, 2\}$$

$q_0$  is initial state,  $q_0 \in Q$

$$F = \{q_2\}, F \subseteq Q$$

$$\delta - \delta(q_0, 0) = q_0, \delta(q_0, 1) = q_1, \delta(q_0, 2) = q_2$$

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Note:-

Transition Diagram contains,

~~\* set of states~~

\* start state  $q_0$  with arrow, Eg -  $\rightarrow q_0$

\* Final state by double circle, Eg -  $\circ q_2$

## Language Acceptance

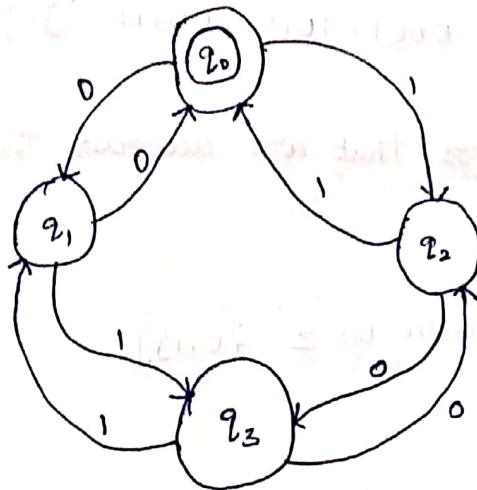
A string  $w$  is accepted by finite Automaton  $U$  given

as  $U = \{Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F\}$  if  $\delta(q_0, w) = p$  for some  $p \in F$ .

~~EX:1~~ let us check if / no

EX:1 let us check if input string 1010 is accepted or not.

(a)



$q_0 \xrightarrow{1} q_2 \xrightarrow{0} q_3 \xrightarrow{1} q_1 \xrightarrow{0} q_0$

Here  $q_0$  is the final state. Hence the string is accepted.

(b) CHECK 11111

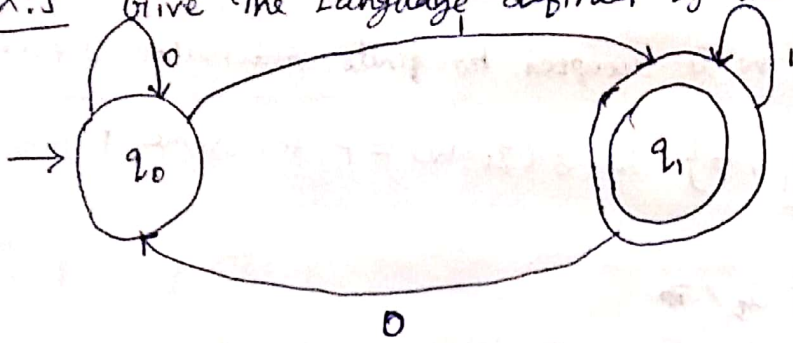
$q_0 \xrightarrow{1} q_2 \xrightarrow{1} q_0 \xrightarrow{1} q_2 \xrightarrow{1} q_0 \xrightarrow{1} q_2$

$q_2 \in F$

$\therefore q_0$  is not reached the final state.

$\therefore$  It is rejected.

Ex: 5 Give the Language defined by the following FA.



Solution:-

If we list different strings accepted by this automation, we get  $\{1, 01, 0001, 10101, 011111 \dots\}$

If we observe all strings that are accepted they always end with 1.

$$L(M) = \{w \mid w \text{ ends with } 1 \text{ on } \Sigma = \{0, 1\}\}.$$

FINITE AUTOMATON IS OF TWO TYPES:-

(a) Deterministic Finite Automaton (DFA)

Definition:-

Deterministic finite automaton can be defined as a quintuple  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ , where,

$Q$  = non empty finite set of states.

$\Sigma$  = input alphabet.

$q_0$  = initial start state

$F$  = set of final states.

$\delta$  = Transition function that takes two arguments:  
a. state and input symbol and returns output as state i.e.,  $\delta: Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$ .  
ii,  $\delta(q, a) = q_1$ .

# EX:1 Design

EX:1

DESIGN a DFA that accepts even number of 0's and even number of 1's.

Solution:-

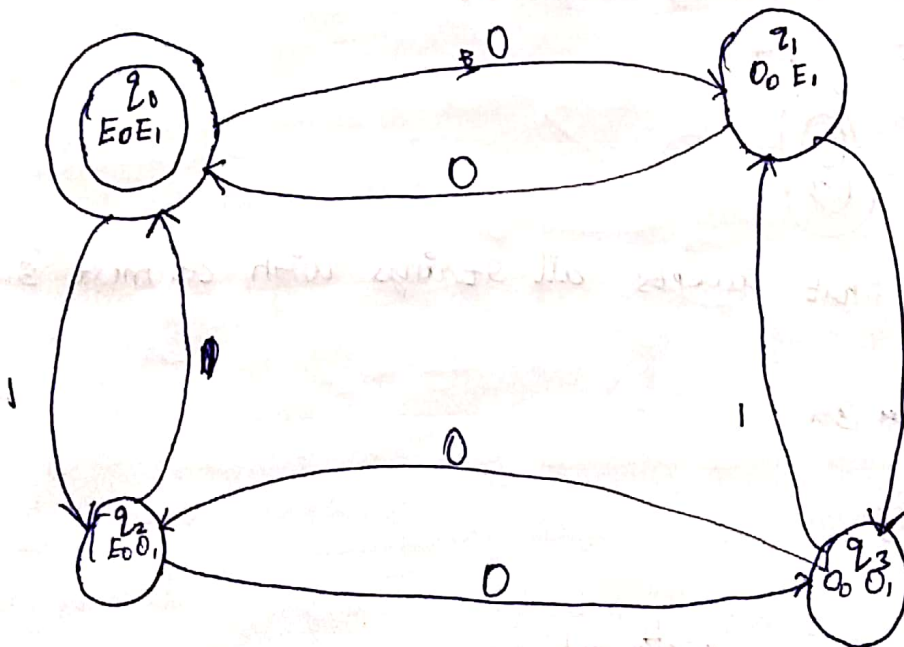
This FA will have four different possibilities while reading 0's and 1's as input. The possibilities could be

Even number of 0's and even number of 1's -  $q_0$

Odd number of 0's and even number of 1's -  $q_1$

Even number of 0's and odd number of 1's -  $q_2$

Odd number of 0's and odd number of 1's -  $q_3$



## Pattern recognition:-

1. Identify the minimum string.
2. Identify the alphabets.
3. Draw the skeleton DFA.
4. Define the Transition functions.
5. Construct the DFA.

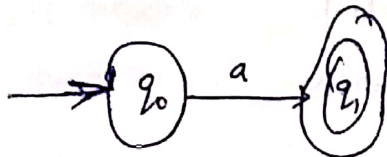
Ex:1 Draw a DFA accept strings of a's having atleast one a.

1. Min string = a

2.  $\Sigma = \{a\}$

3. No of states = min string length + 1

$$2 = 1 + 1$$



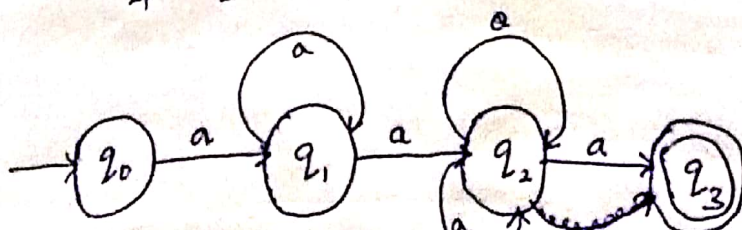
Ex:2 Design a DFA that accepts all strings with at most 3 a's.

1. min string = ~~aaa~~ 3a

2.  $\Sigma = \{a, aa, aaa\}$ .

3. No of states = min string length + 1

$$4 = 3 + 1$$



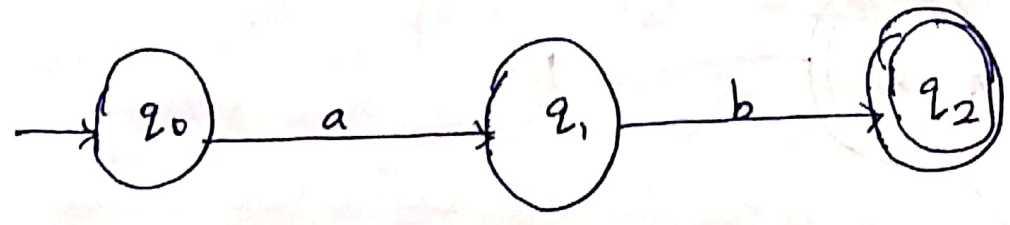
$\delta(q_0, a) = q_1$	$\delta(q_1, a) = q_2$	$\delta(q_2, a) = q_2$
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Ex 13 Draw a DFA that recognises the set of all strings with  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$  starting with prefix  $ab$ .

1. min string  $= 2 (ab)$
2.  $\Sigma = \{ab, abba, abab, abaab, \dots\}$
3. NO of states = min string length + 1  
= 3.

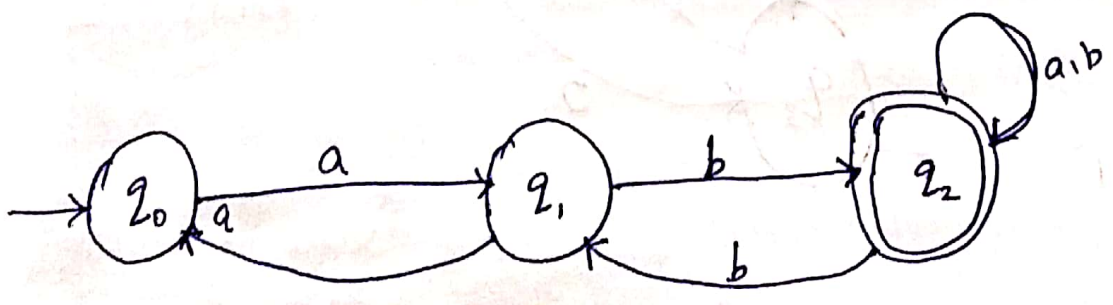
=  $q_0, q_1, q_2$  (our assumption on giving Name of the states).

(i)  $ab$



$\delta(q_0, a) = q_1$   
 $\delta(q_1, b) = q_2$  } for  $ab$ .

(ii)  $abbaab$



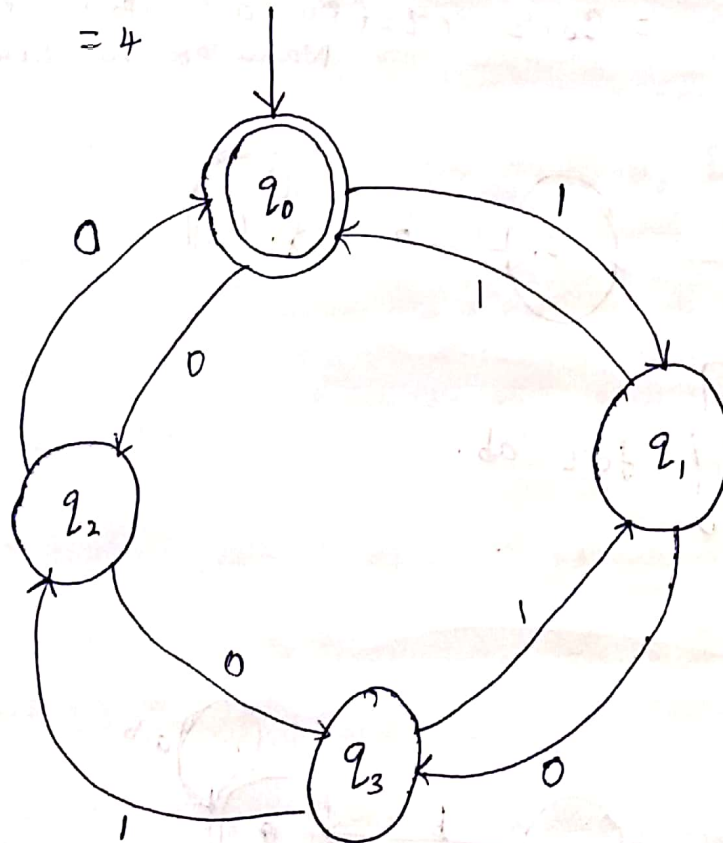
EX: 4

Design a DFA that accepts even number of 0's and even number of one's.

$$\Sigma = \{ \overset{\checkmark}{001}, \overset{\checkmark}{0011}, 1100, 101, 110, \overset{\checkmark}{100}, 011, \dots, \overset{\checkmark}{000111}, \dots \}$$

Min string = 3

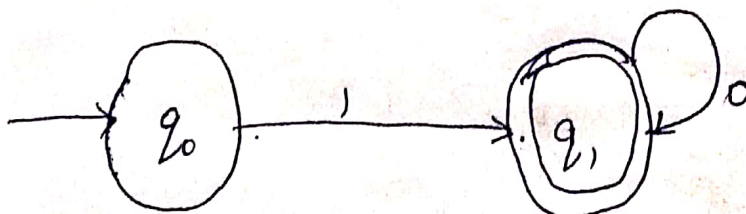
No of states = 3+1  
= 4



EX: 5 Design a DFA that accepts an odd number of 1's on  $\{0,1\}^*$

$$\Sigma = \{ \overset{\checkmark}{1}, \overset{\checkmark}{10}, 01, 001, 100, \dots \}$$

Min string = 1, No of states = 1+1 = 2.





## Non-deterministic Finite Automaton (NFA)

Definition:-

Non-deterministic Finite Automaton can be defined as a quintuple.  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ , where,

$Q$  = Non-empty finite set of states.

$\Sigma$  = input alphabet.

$q_0$  = initial start state.

$F$  = set of final states.

$\delta$  = transition function that takes two arguments: a state and input symbol and returns output as state.

i.e.  $\delta: Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow 2^Q$ .

Note:- It is easier to construct NFA than DFA. but the processing time of strings is more than in DFA.

Ex:1 Design a NFA accepting all strings ending with 01 over.

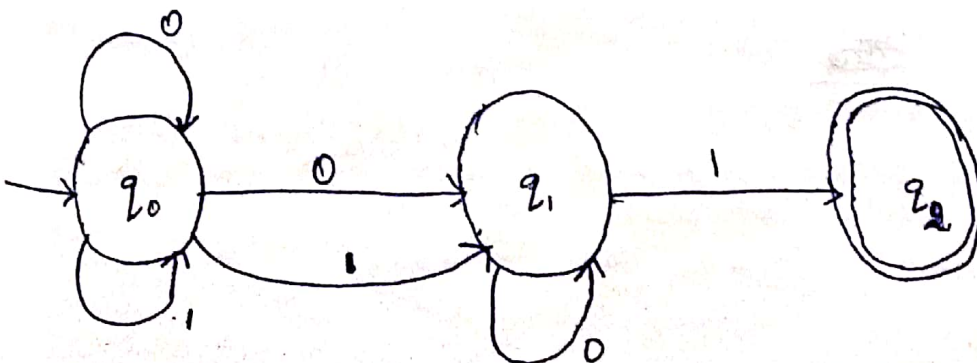
$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$ .

Solution:-

Min length = 2

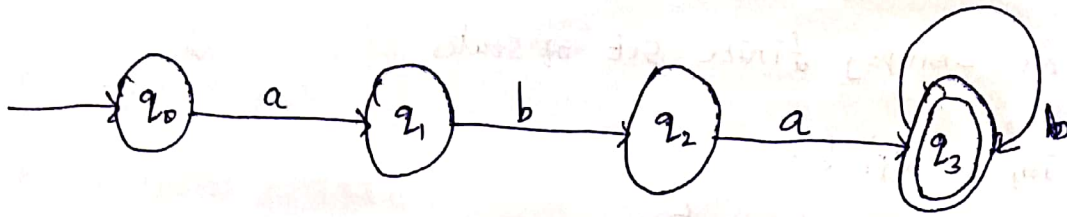
$\Sigma = \{01, 001, 101, 11001, \dots\}$

No of states = 2 + 1  
= 3



~~Ex:1~~

Ex:2 Design a NFA for  $\{abab^n / n \geq 0\}$



### GRAPHS

A graph  $G$  is a pair  $(V, E)$ , where  $V$  is finite set and  $E$  is a relation on  $V$ . The elements of  $V$  are called nodes, (or) vertices. The elements of  $E$  are called edges (or) arcs.

Notes:-

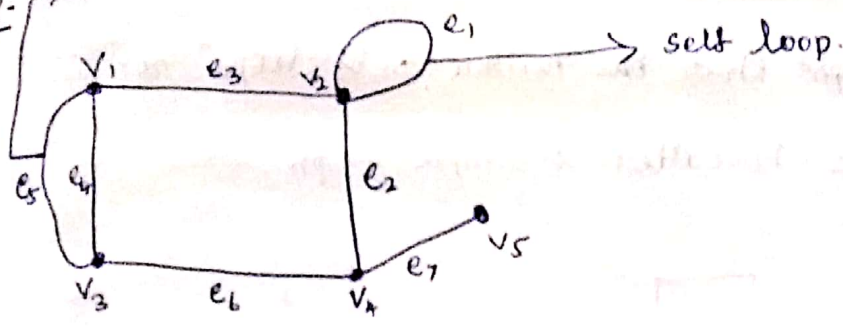
- \* In  $G$  if  $\langle u, v \rangle$  is an edge then  $u$  is a predecessor of  $v$ . and  $v$  is successor of  $u$ .
- \* The graph is said to be ordered if some ordering is assumed on the predecessors of each node, and on the successors of each node.

### Path

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EX: → Parallel edges (because it has a common vertices).



vertex  $\Rightarrow$  node, junction point,  
 edge  $\Rightarrow$  branch, line, arc, ...

Type of Graph.

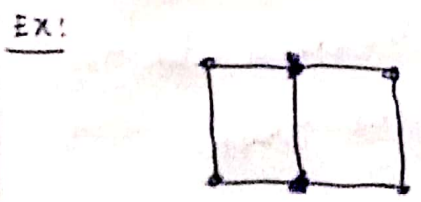
(1) Null Graph:-

A graph without any edges is called null graph.



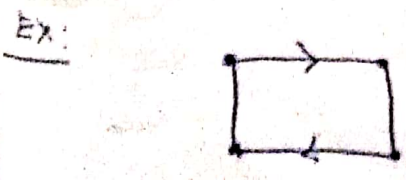
(2) Undirected Graph:-

The graph which have no, directions is called undirected. Graph.



(3) Directed Graph:-

It has Directions.



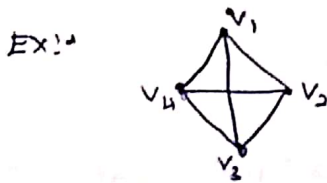
(4) Simple graph:-

A graph that has neither self loops nor ~~parallel~~ parallel edges is called a simple graph.



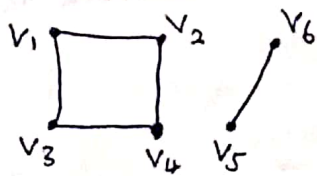
(5) Connected graph:-

A graph is said to be connected if there exists atleast one path between every pair of vertices.



(6) Disconnected Graph:-

A graph can be split into an independent components, then it is called as disconnected graph.



∴ A null graph with more than one vertex is also a disconnected graph.

~~(7) A graph~~

~~(8) A graph~~

(7) A graph  $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$  is said to be a subgraph of a graph  $G_2 = (V_2, E_2)$  if  $V_1 \subseteq V_2$  and  $E_1 \subseteq E_2$ .

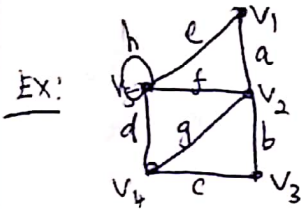
## WALKS

It is defined as a finite ~~altering~~ alternating sequence of vertices and edges beginning and ending with vertices, such that each edge is incident with the vertices preceding and following it.

\* No edge appears more than once in a walk.

\* A vertex however, appear more than once.

\* A walk is also referred as edge train (or) a chain.



⇒ terminal vertices of walk.  
(starting and ending vertices).

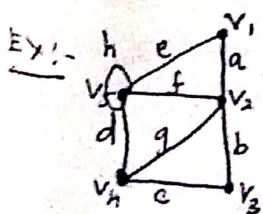
$v_1 a v_2 f v_4 h v_4 d v_4 g v_2 b v_3$

## PATH

\* A walk that the terminal vertices are distinct, then it is called an open walk.

\* An open walk in which no vertex appears more than once is called a path. In other words a path does not intersect itself.

A walk begin and end with the same vertex is called a closed walk.



$v_1 a v_2 f v_4 d v_4 c v_3$

The no. of edges in path is called the length of the path.

## CIRCUIT

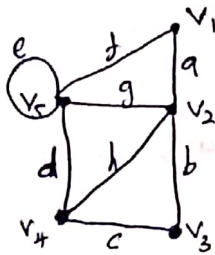
\* A closed walk in which no vertex except the initial and final vertex appears more than once is called a circuit.

\* Circuit is a closed, non intersecting walk.

\* Cycle, circular path, polygon are called another name of circuit.

\* Every self loop is a circuit but every circuit is not a self loop.

Ex:

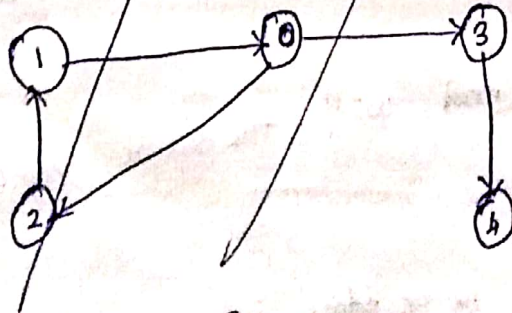


$v_1 \rightarrow v_5 \rightarrow v_4 \rightarrow v_3 \rightarrow v_2 \rightarrow v_1$

### Reachable

~~It~~ If there is a path from  $u$  to  $v$  then  $v$  is said to be reachable from  $u$ .

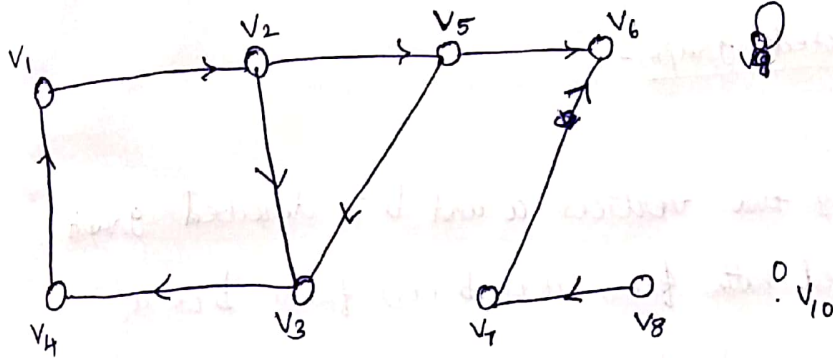
Ex:



Ex:  $R(1) = \{0, 1, \dots\}$

## Reachability

A node  $v$  of a simple digraph is said to be reachable from the node  $u$  of the same digraph if there exist a path from  $u$  to  $v$ .



$$R(v_1) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6\} \text{ — reachable sub.}$$

$$R(v_2) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6\}$$

$$R(v_3) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6\}$$

$$R(v_4) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6\}$$

$$R(v_5) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6\}$$

$$R(v_6) = \{v_6\}$$

$$R(v_7) = \{v_6, v_7\}, R(v_8) = \{v_6, v_7, v_8\}$$

$$R(v_9) = \{v_9\}$$

$$R(v_{10}) = \{v_{10}\}$$

## connectedness in directed graphs

Strongly connected:-

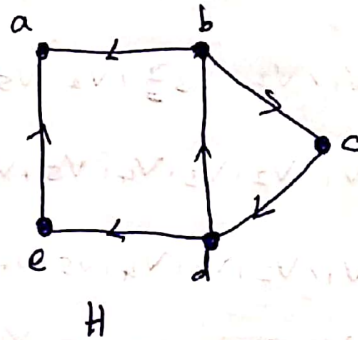
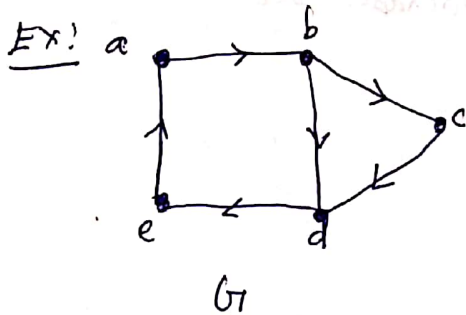
A directed graph is strongly connected if there is a path from  $a$  to  $b$  and from  $b$  to  $a$ , whenever  $a$  and  $b$  are vertices in the graph.

## Weakly Connected:-

A directed graph is weakly connected if there is path between every two vertices in the underlying undirected graph.

## Unilaterally Connected graph:-

For any two vertices  $a$  and  $b$  in directed graph there is a directed path from  $a$  to  $b$  (or) from  $b$  to  $a$  but not necessarily both.



\* G is strongly connected.

\* G is also weakly connected.

\* The graph H is not strongly connected, because there is no directed path from  $a$  to  $b$  in this graph.

\* H is weakly connected, because there is a path between any two vertices in the underlying undirected graph of H.

\* H is unilaterally connected.