
Conjugacy of Functional Transducers

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Functional Transducers

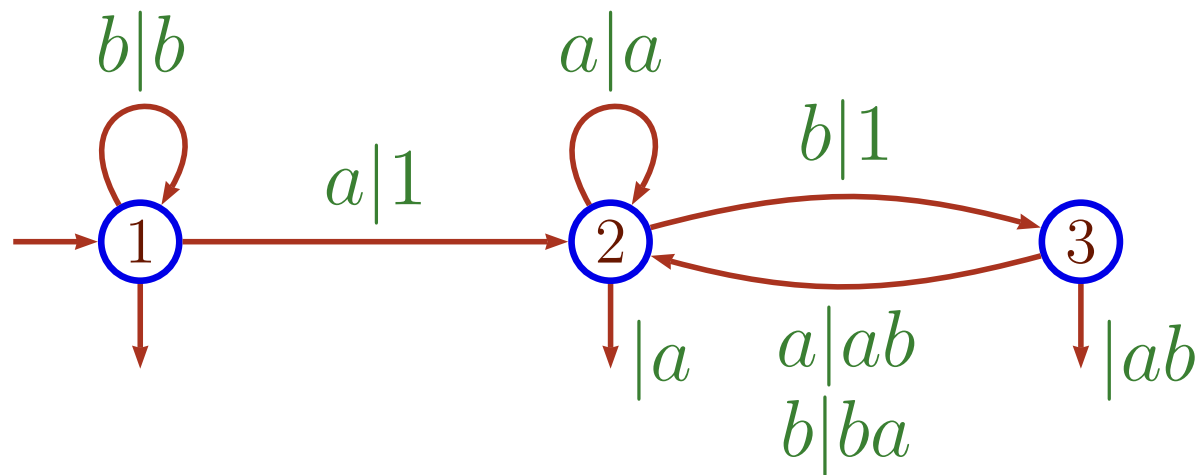
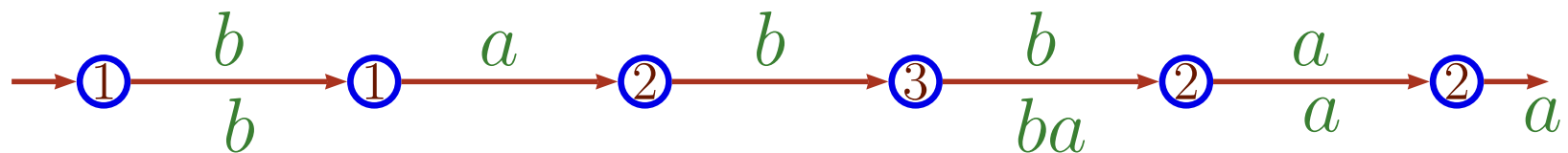


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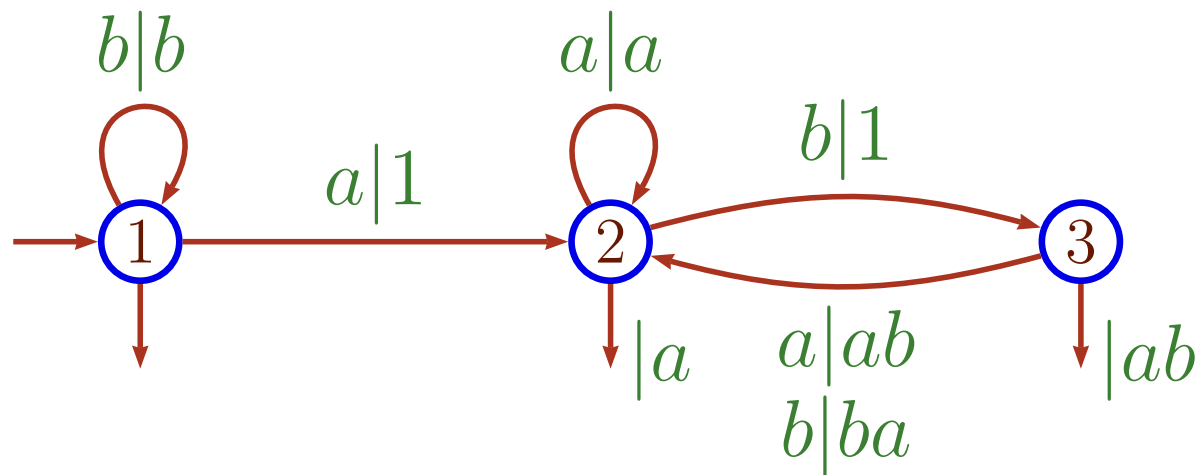
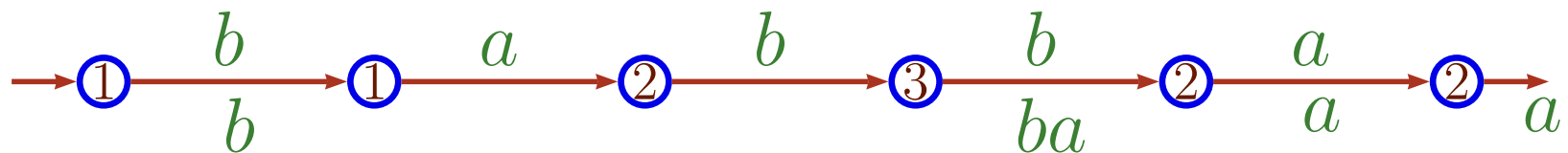


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This transducer realizes a (rational) function from A^* into B^*



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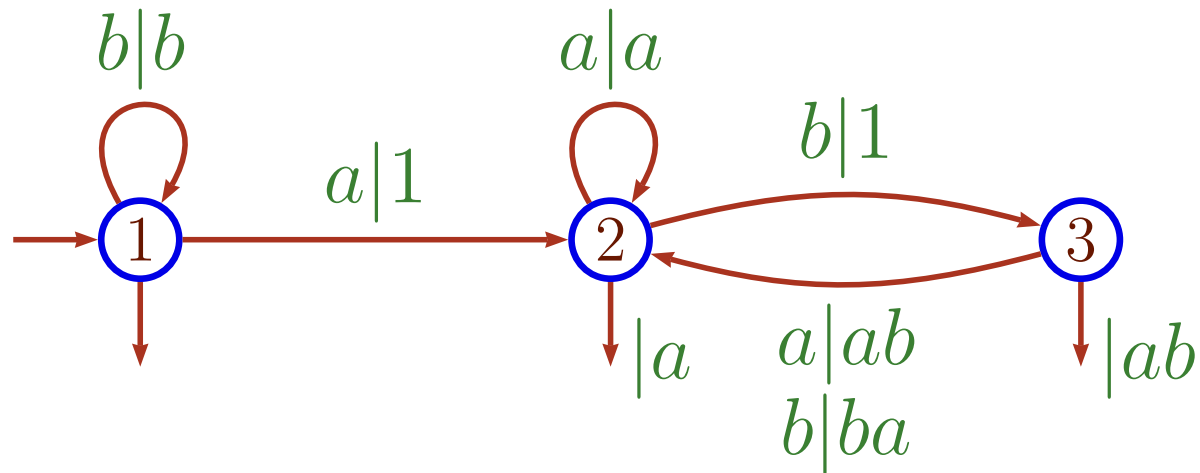
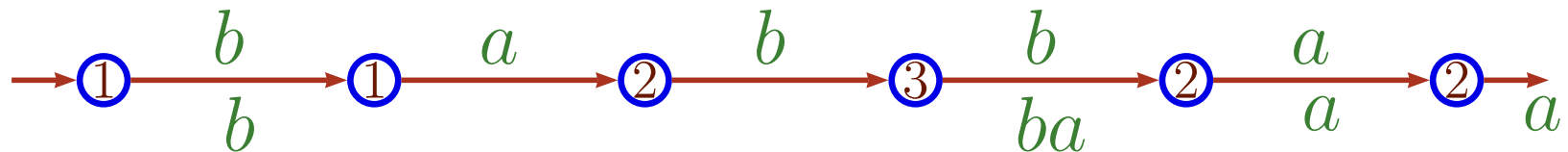


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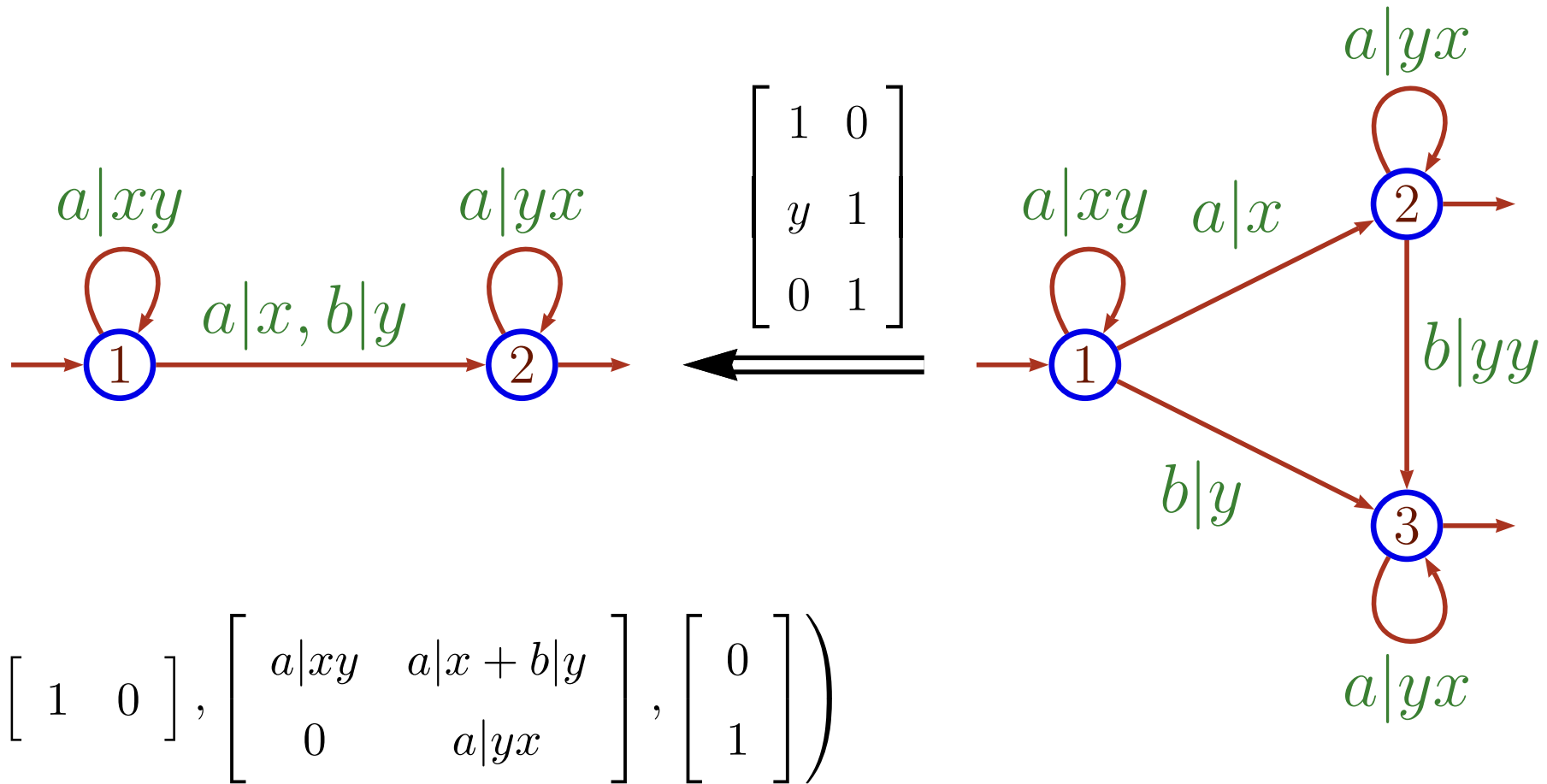
This transducer is **sequential** (input deterministic)



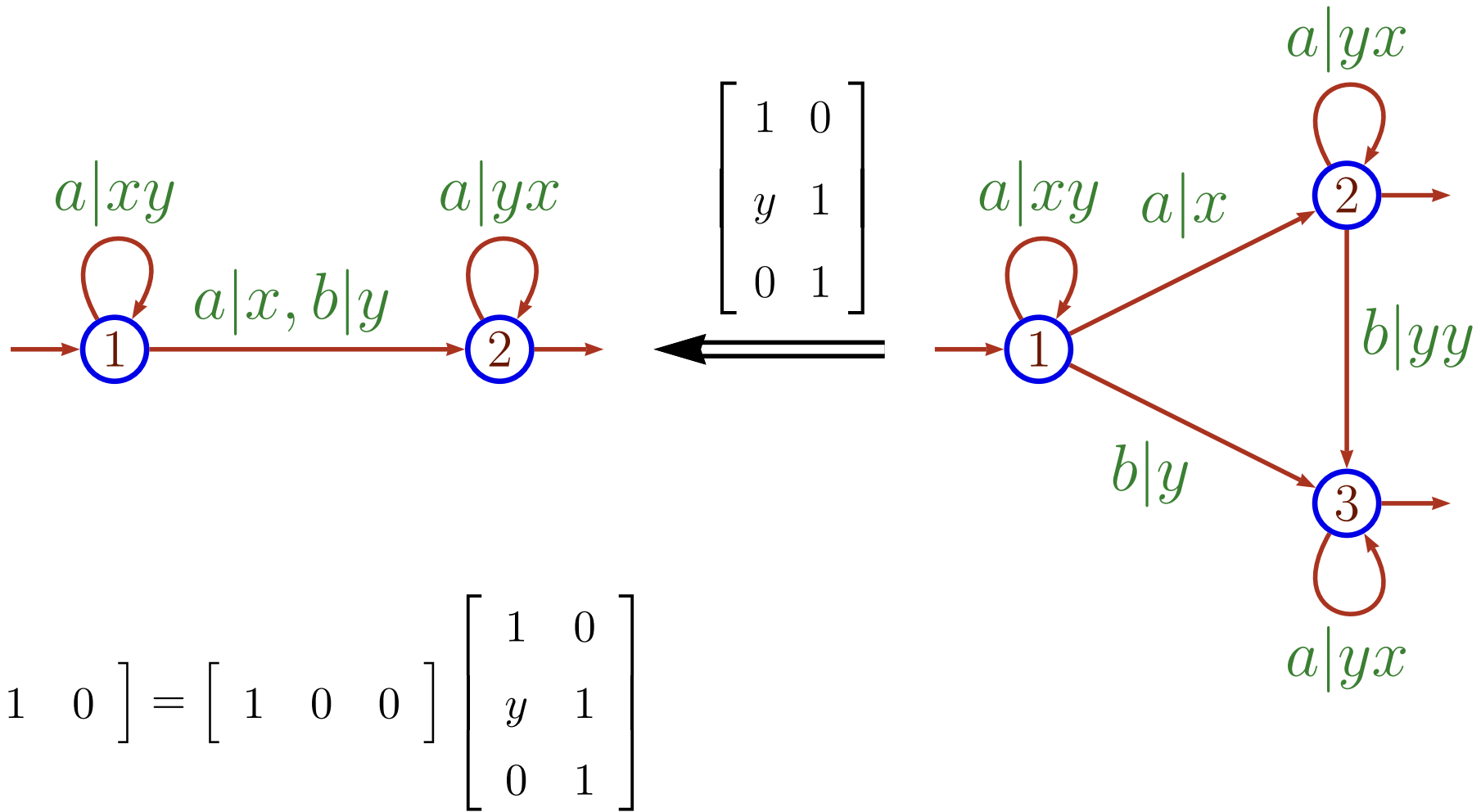
Matrix representation and conjugacy



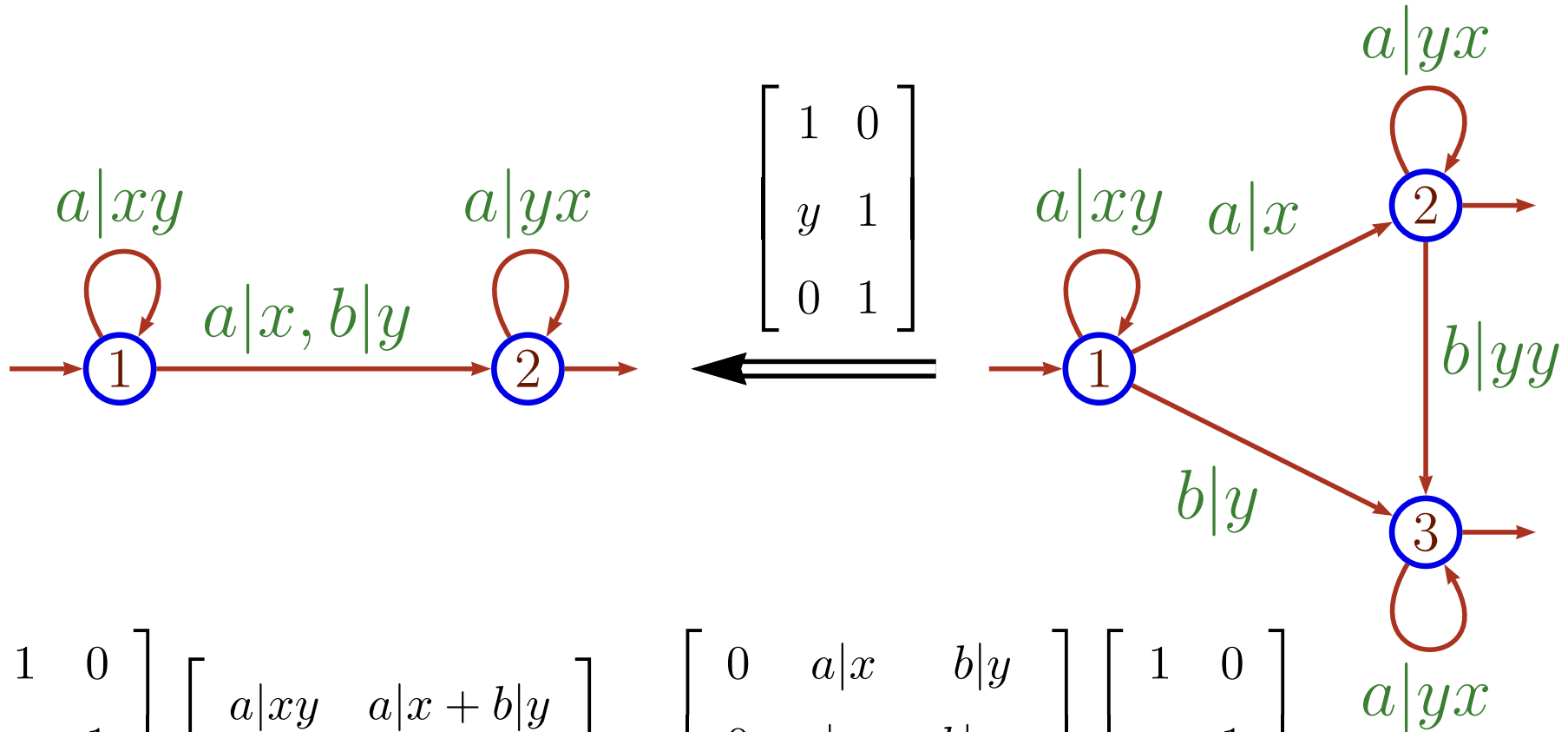
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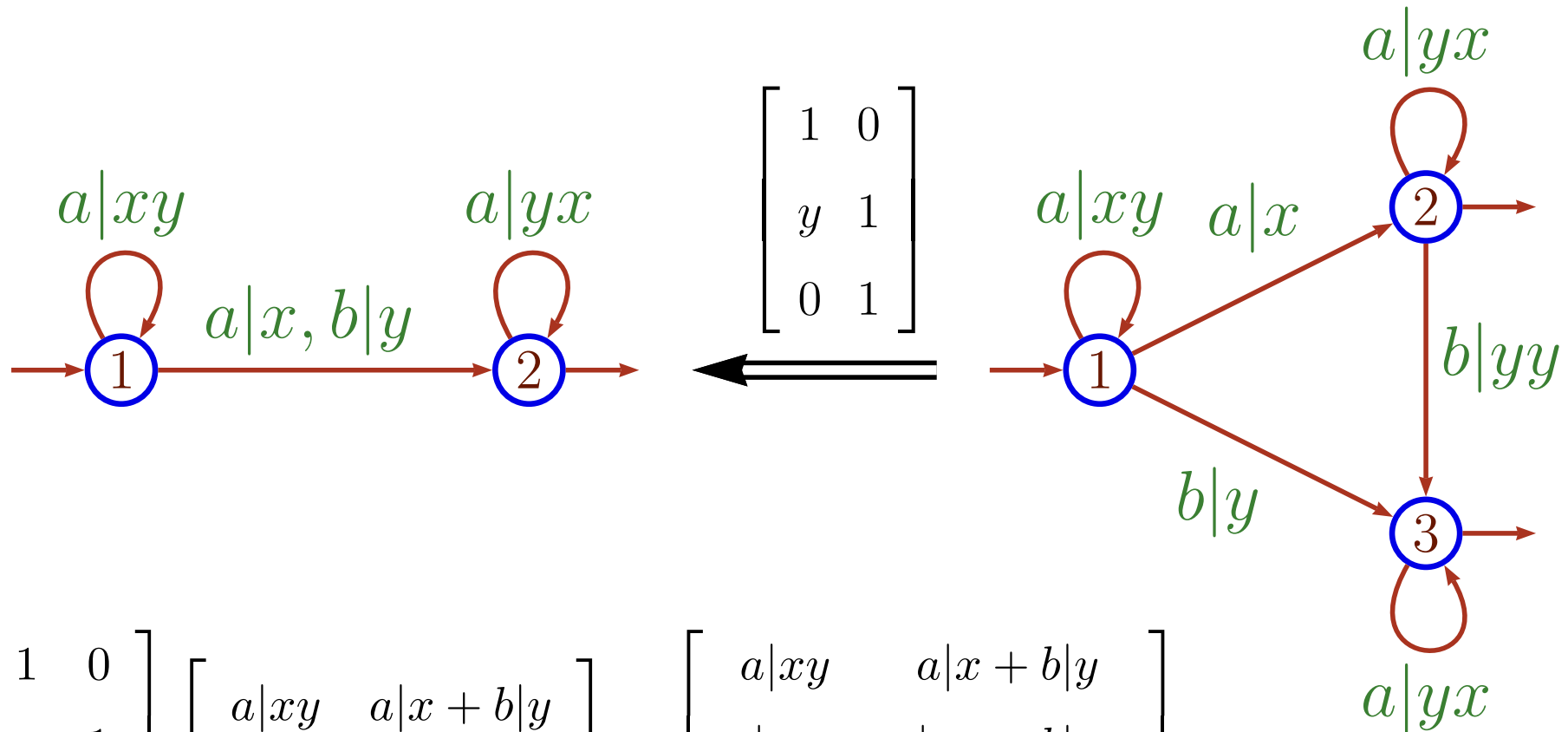
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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ y & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a|xy & a|x + b|y \\ 0 & a|yx \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a|x & b|y \\ 0 & a|yx & b|yy \\ 0 & 0 & a|yx \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ y & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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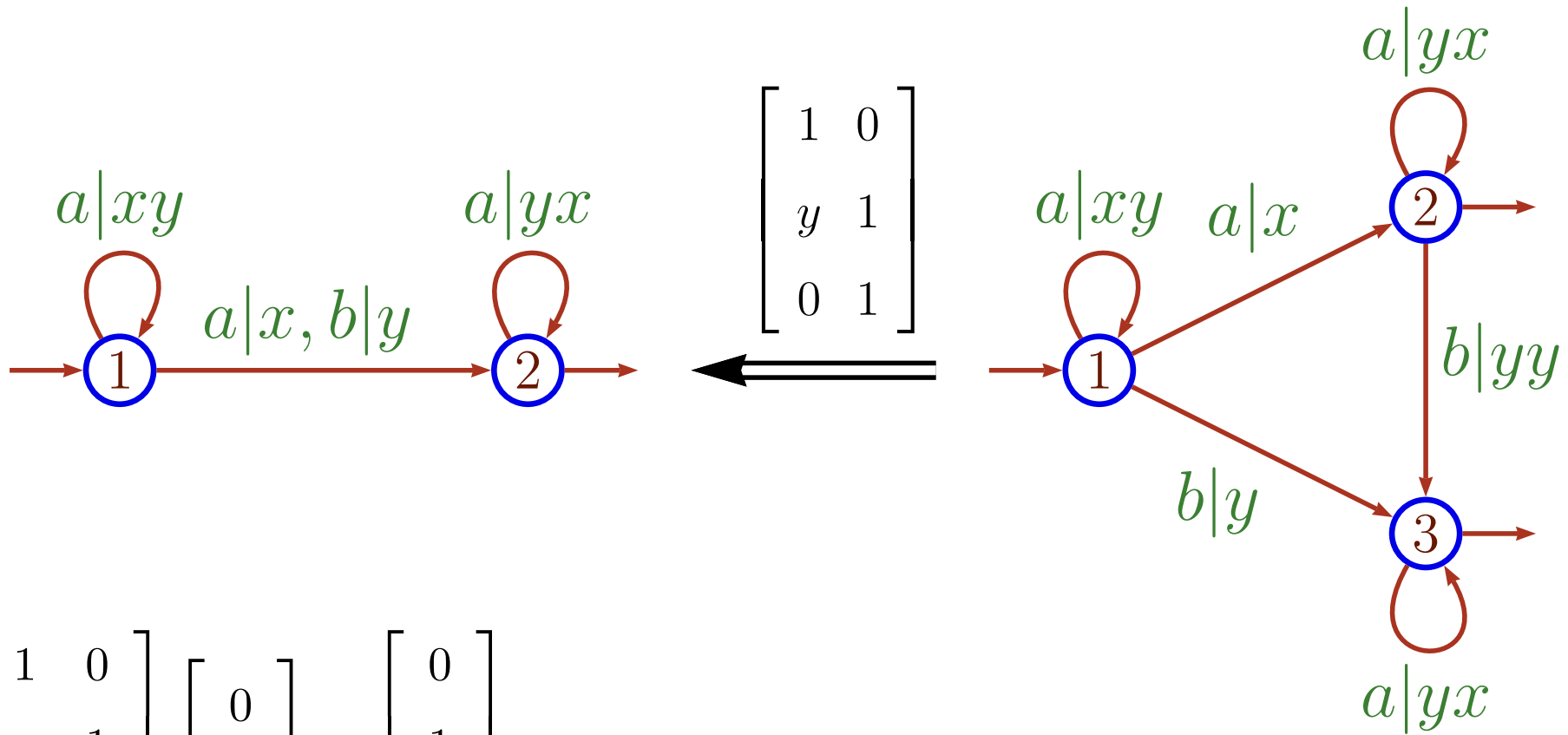


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The semiring of multiplicities is $\mathcal{P}_f(B^*)$



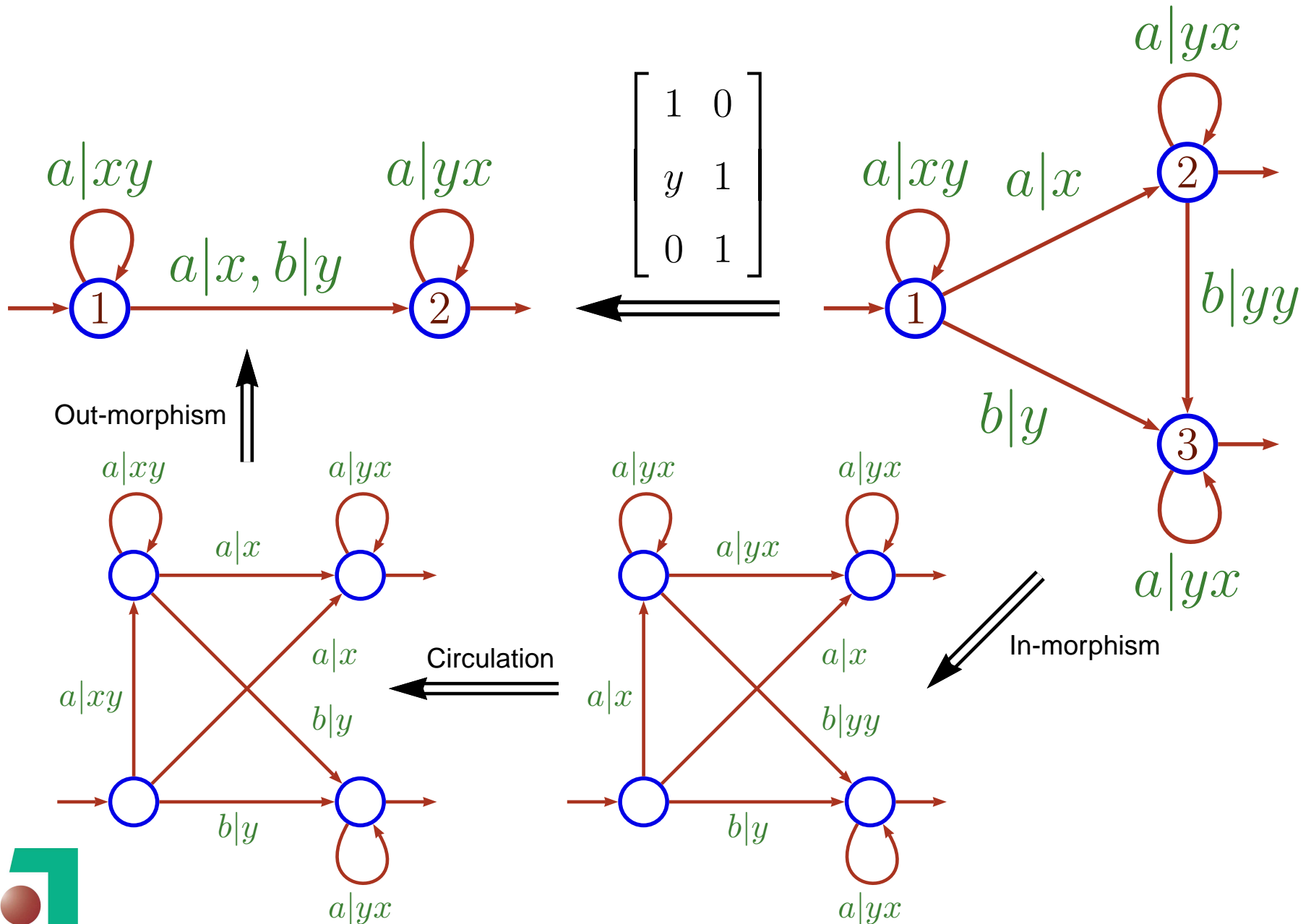
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Conjugacy



Conjugacy theorem

Theorem.

\mathcal{A}_1 and \mathcal{A}_2 functional transducers

$$\mathcal{A}_1 \equiv \mathcal{A}_2 \implies \exists \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{A}_1 \xleftarrow{X_1} \mathcal{B} \xrightarrow{X_2} \mathcal{A}_2$$



Sequentialisation and Pseudo-sequentialisation



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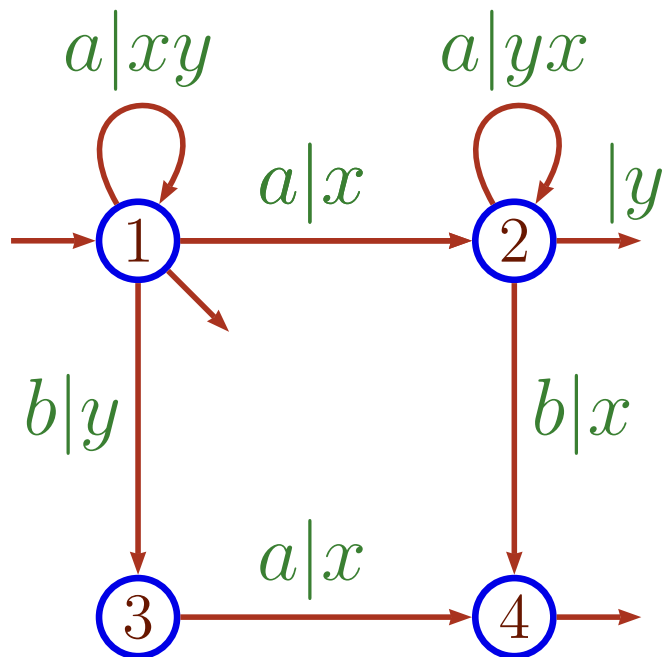
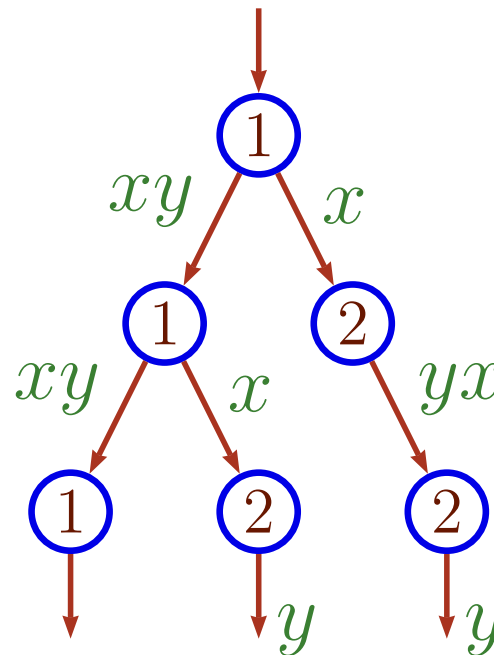


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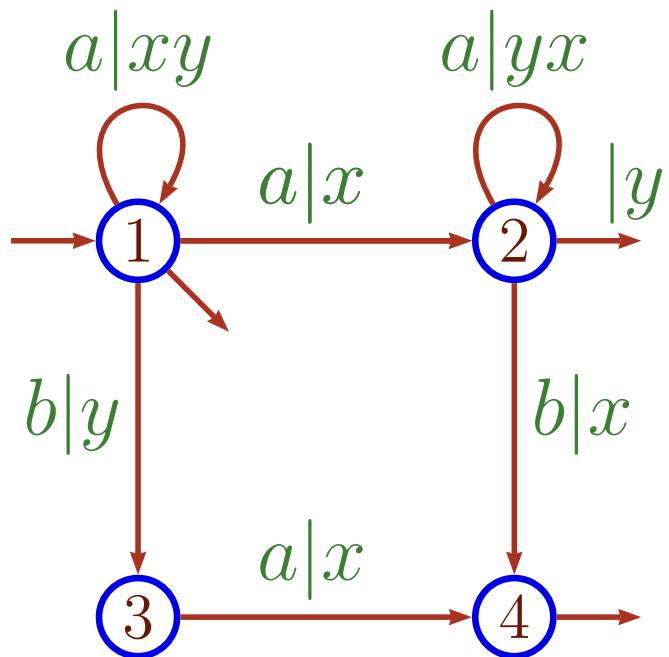
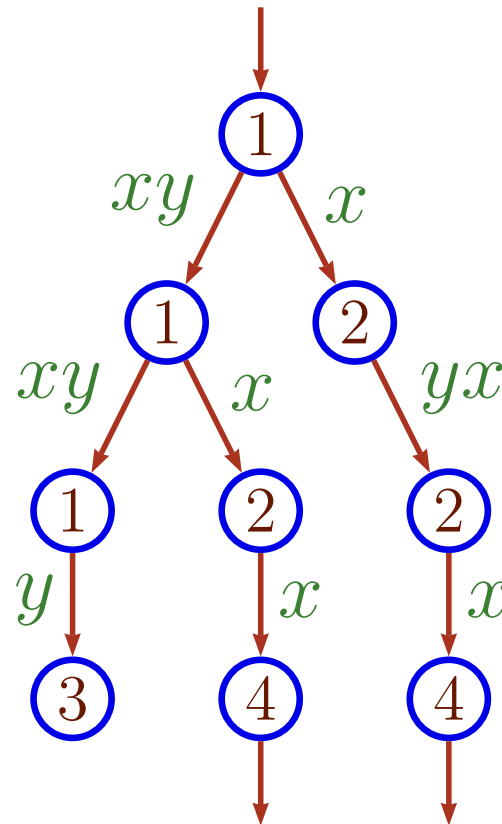


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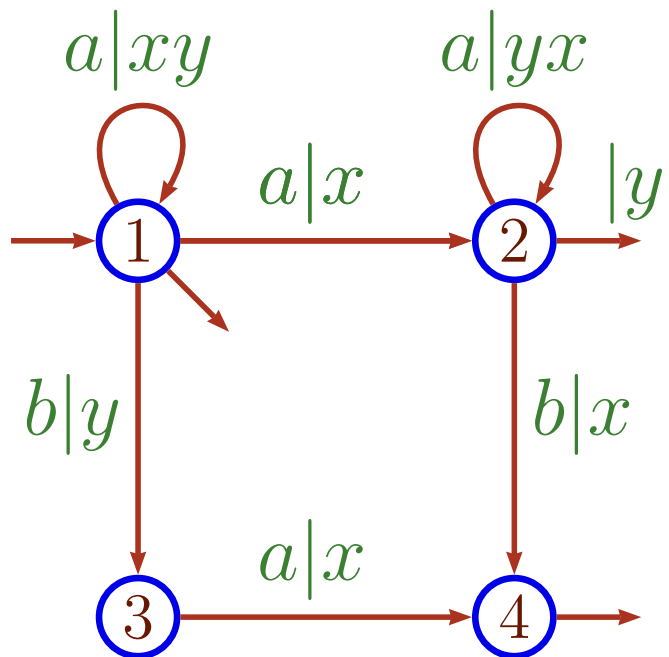
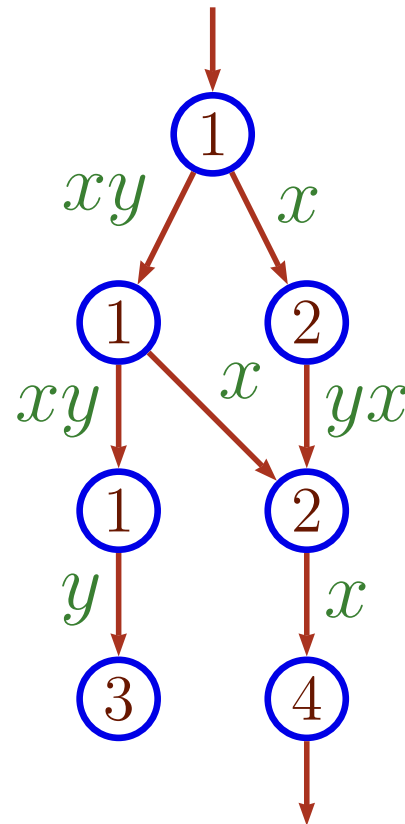


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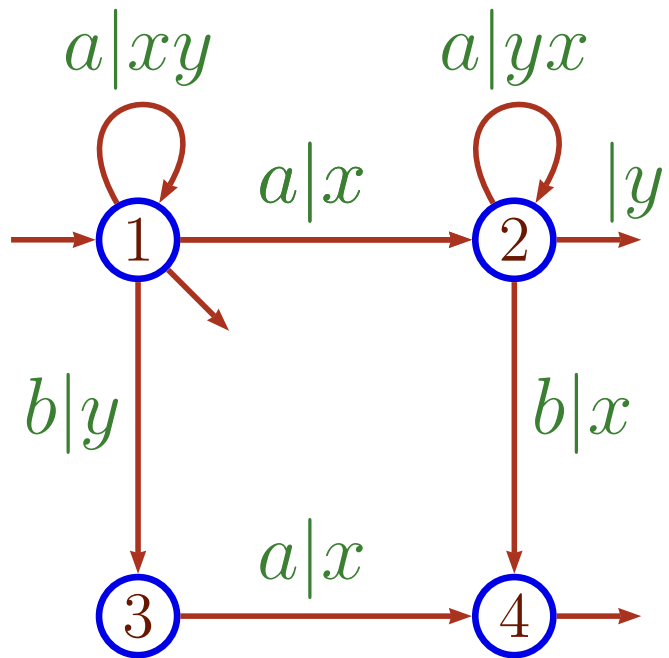
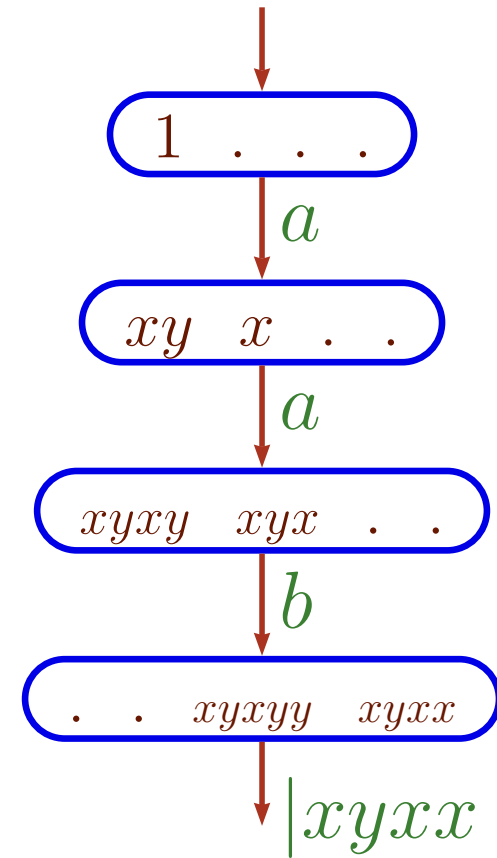
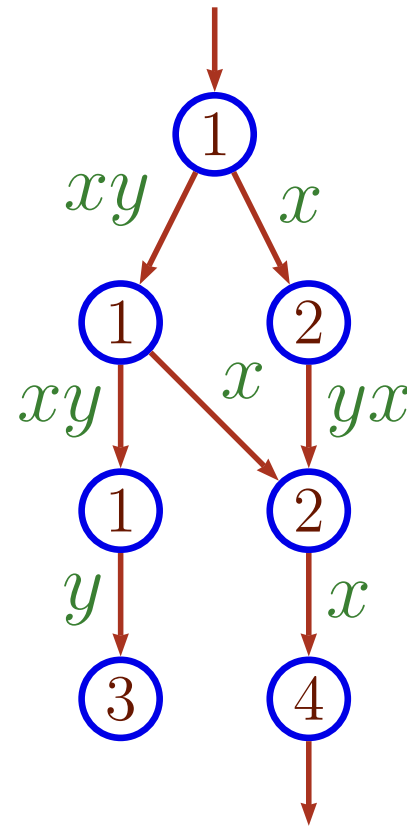


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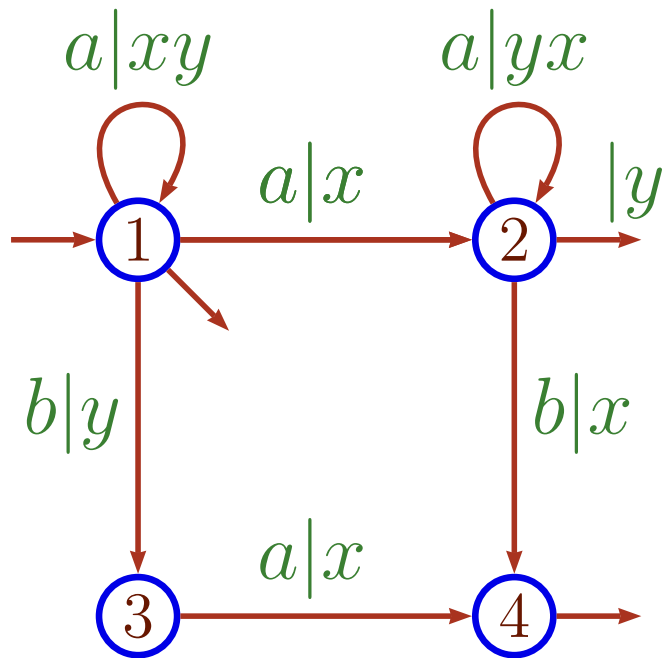
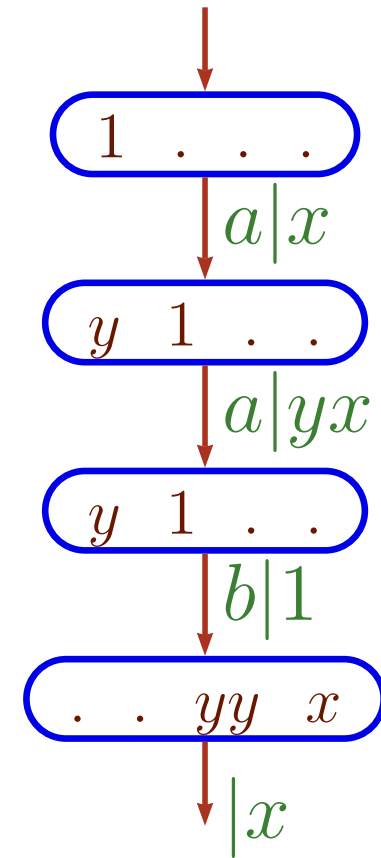
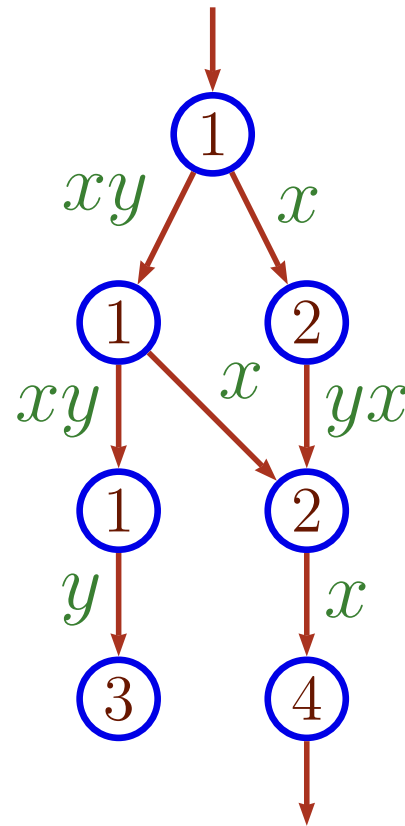
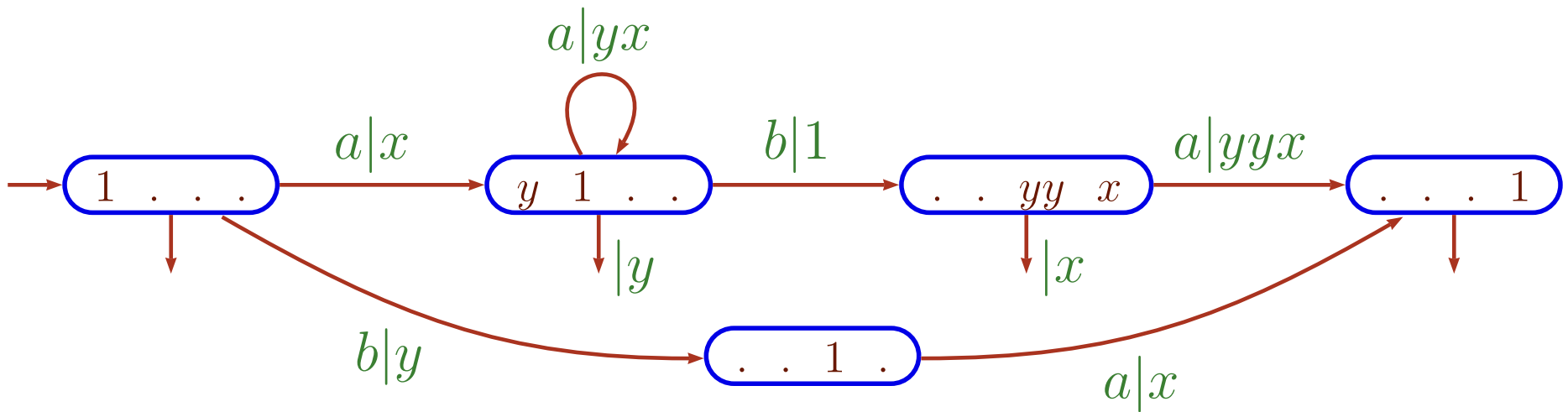
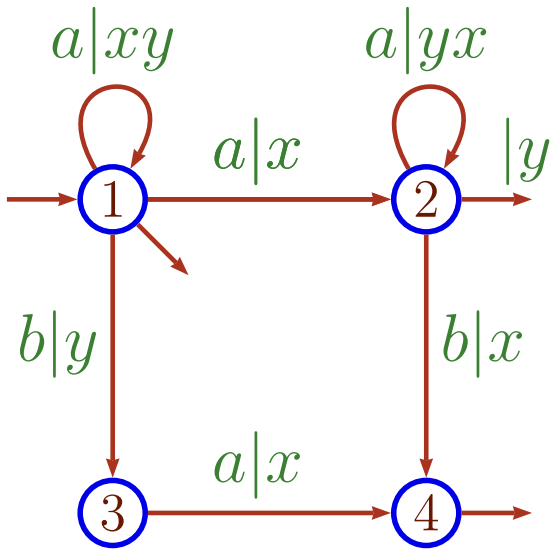


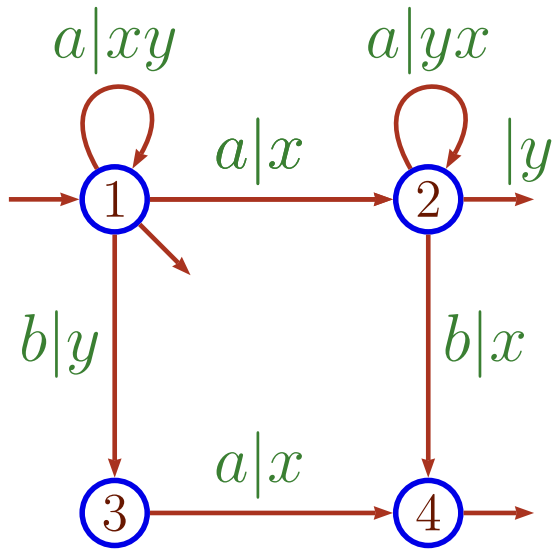
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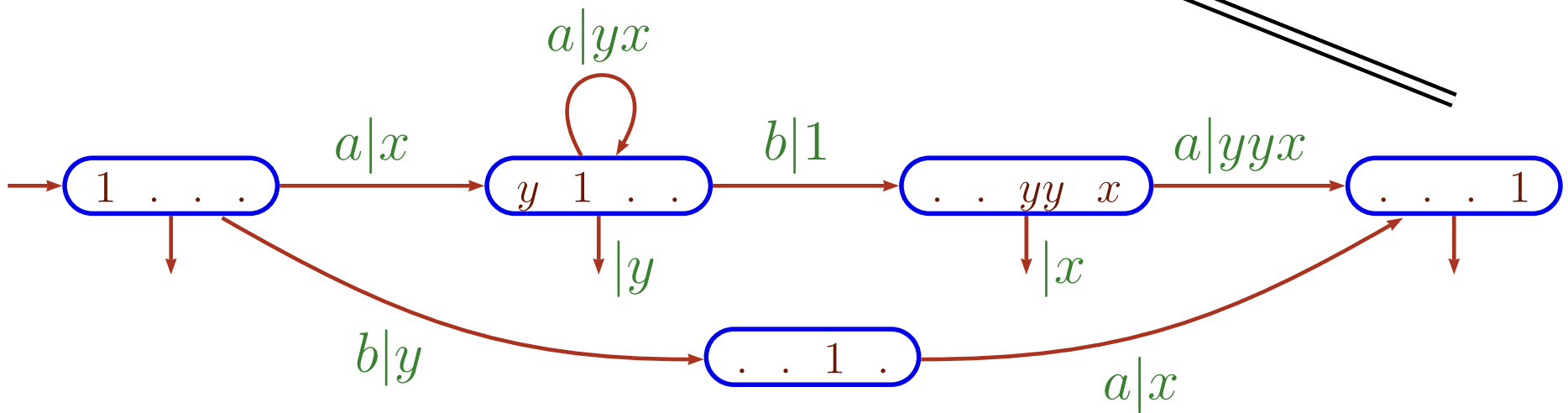
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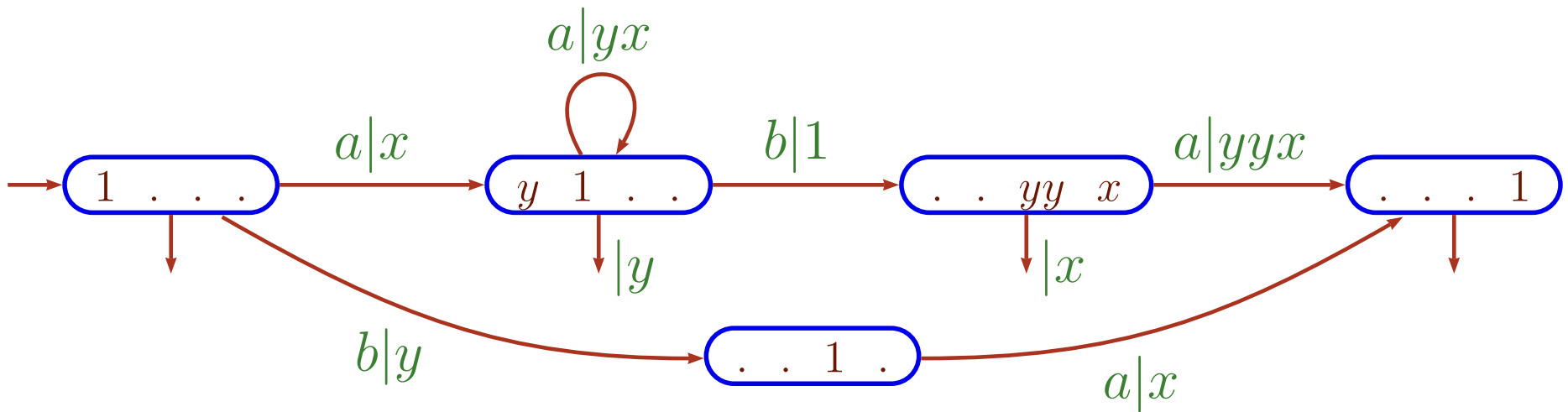
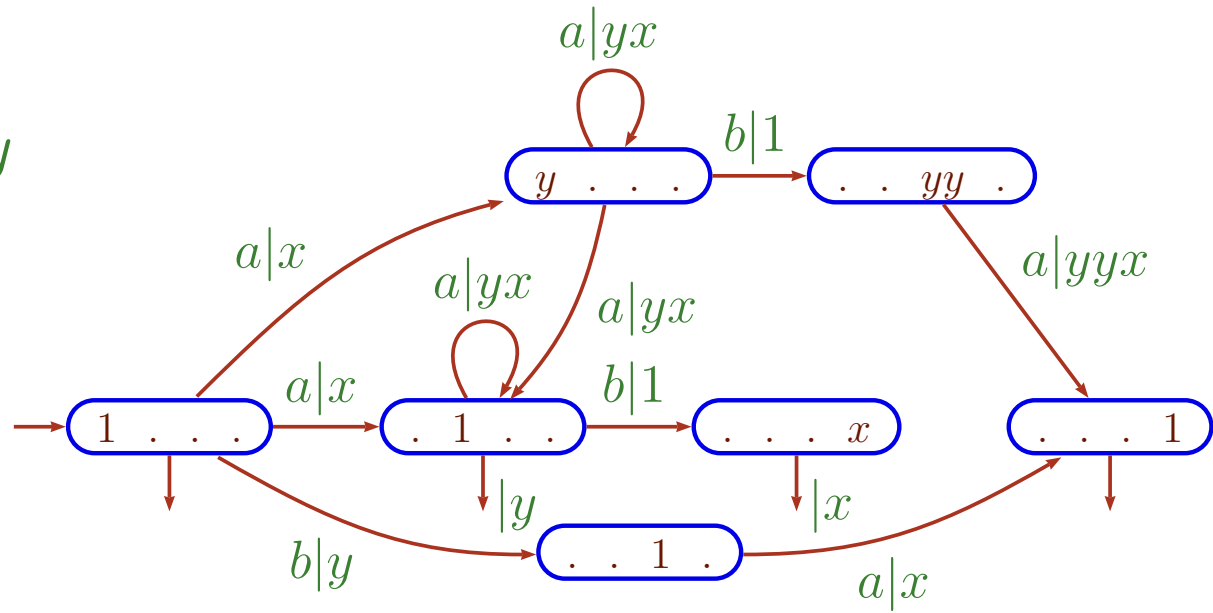
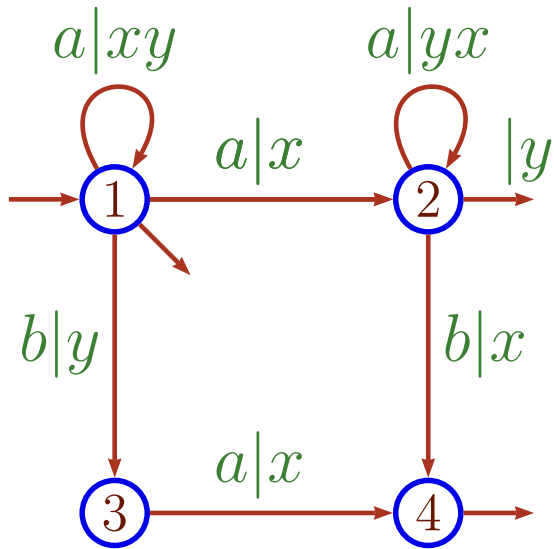
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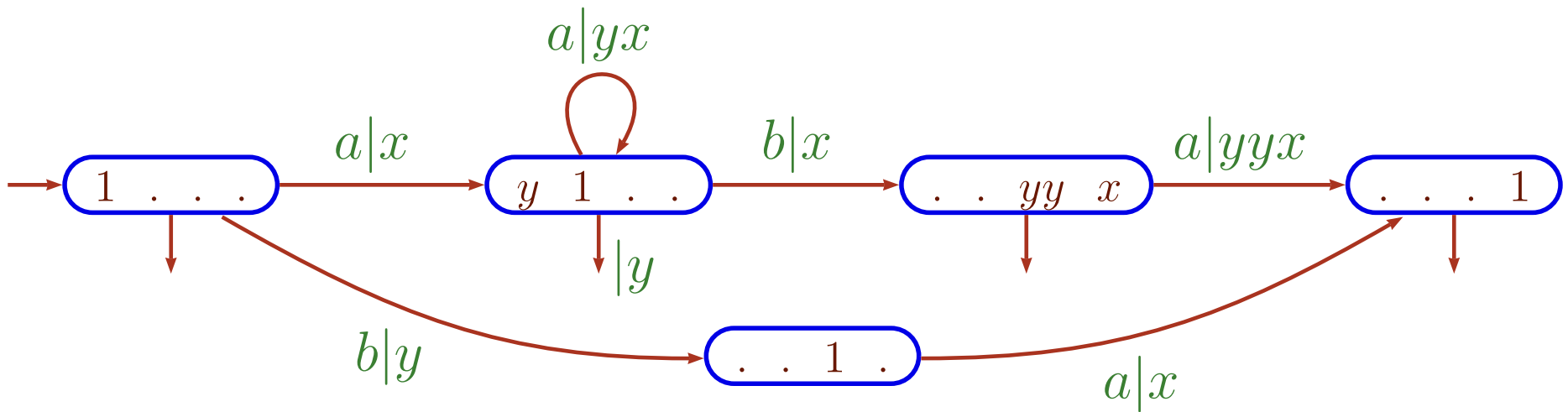
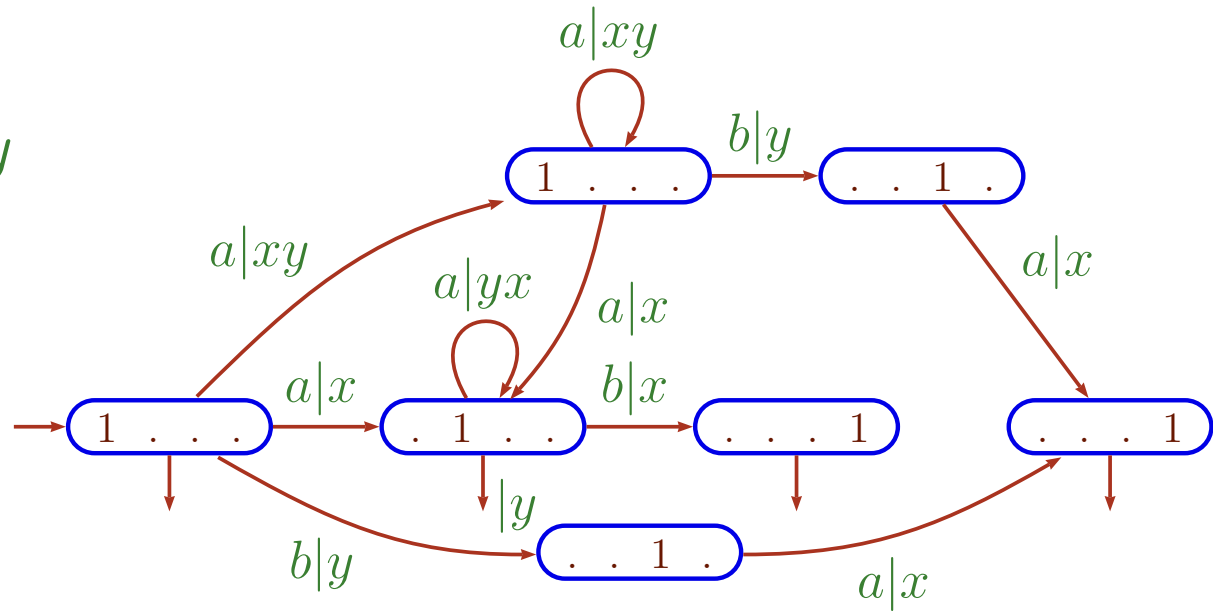
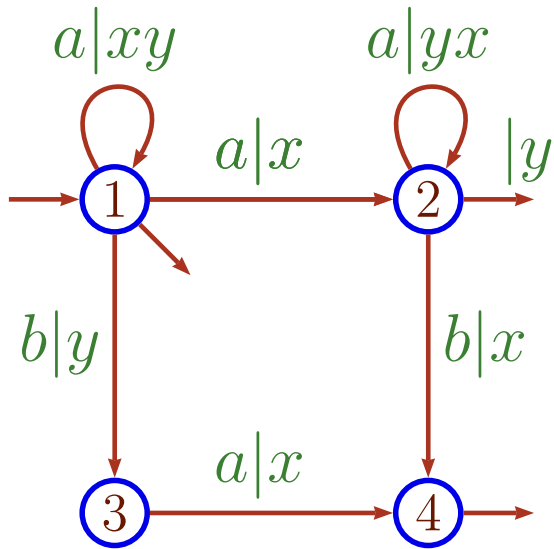
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ y & 1 & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & 1 & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & yy & x \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



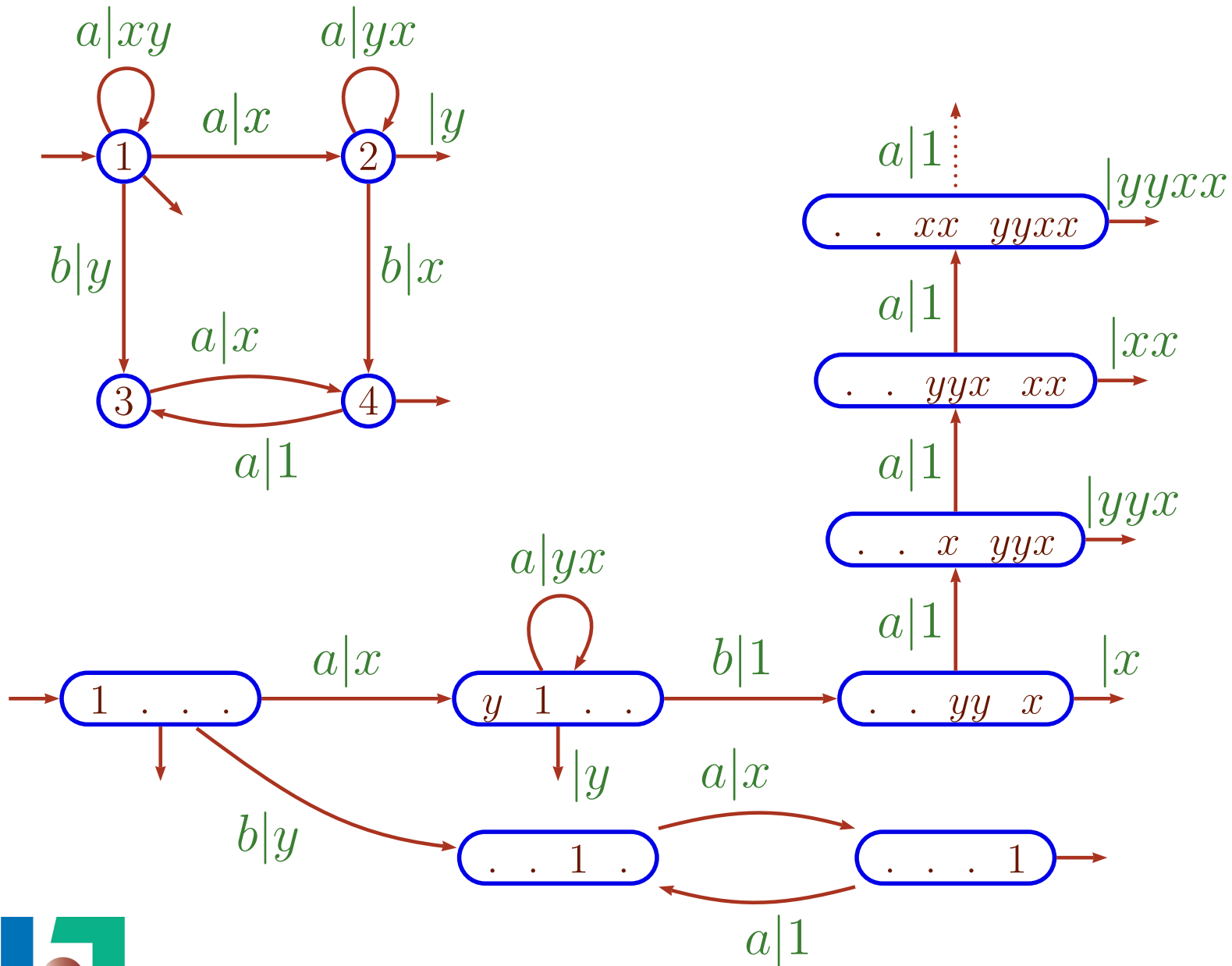
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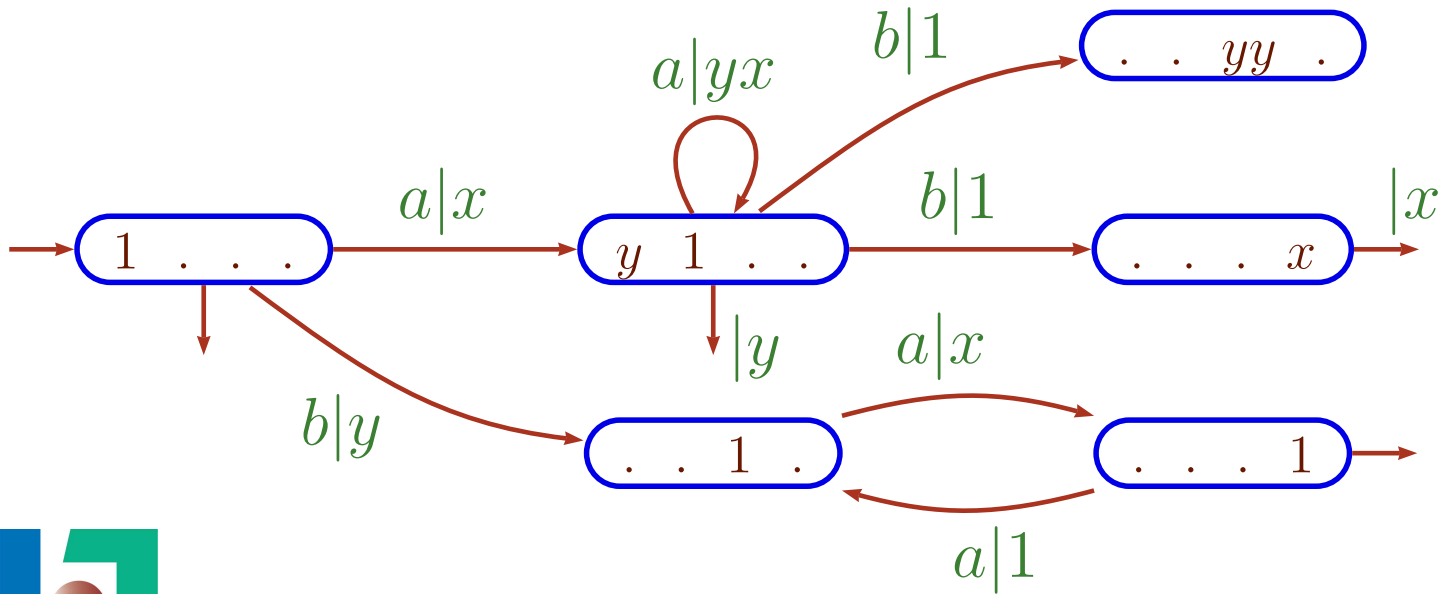
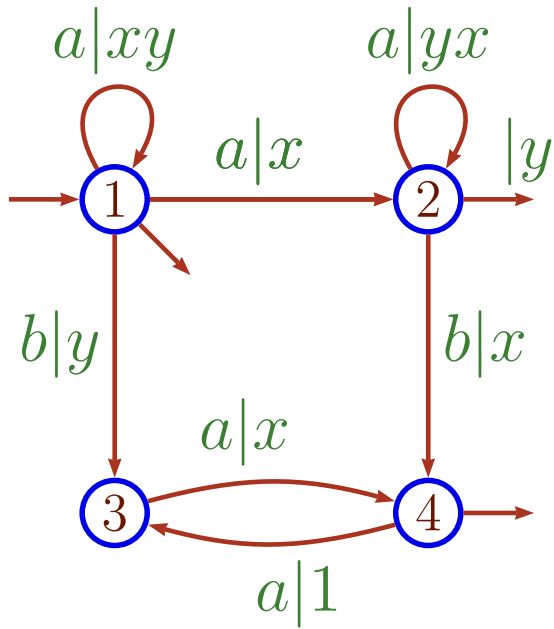
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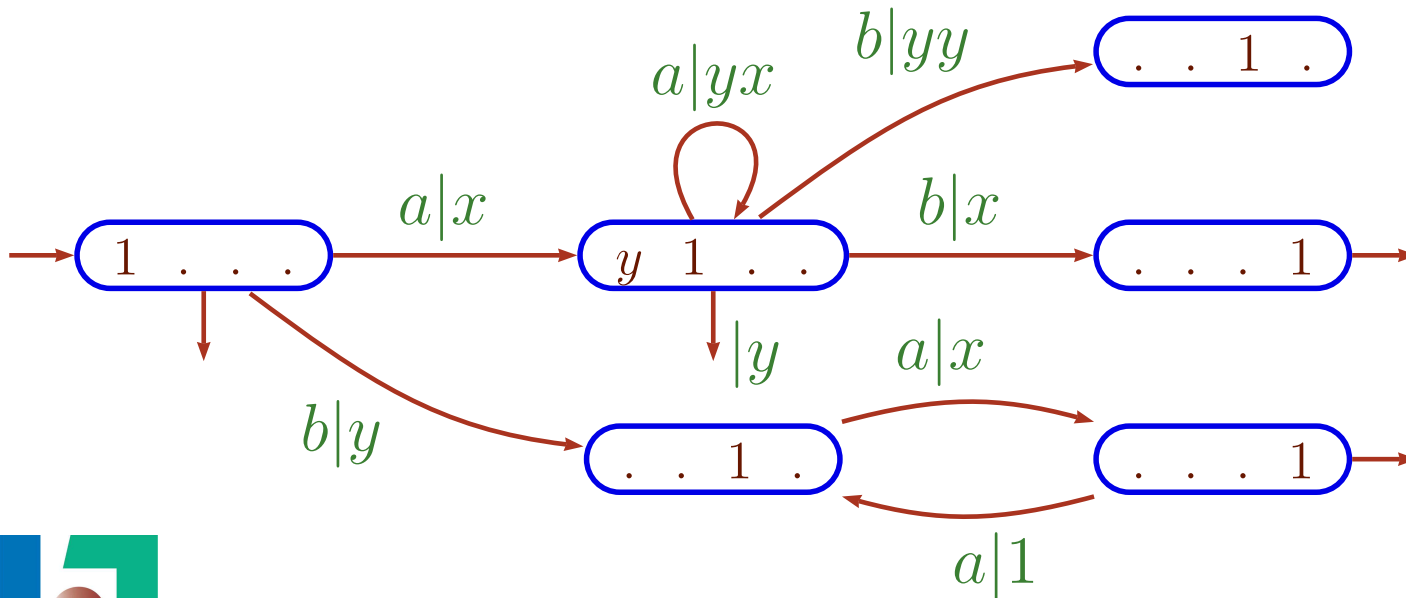
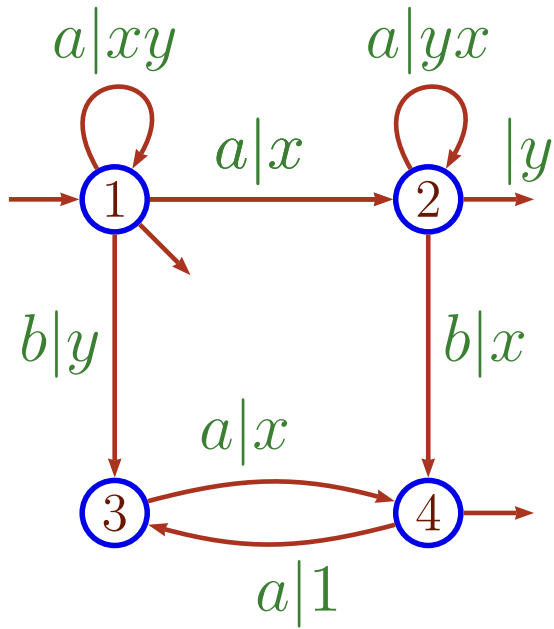
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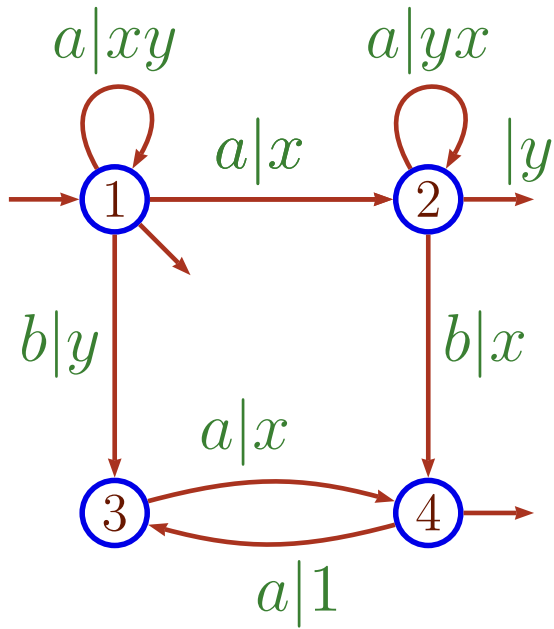
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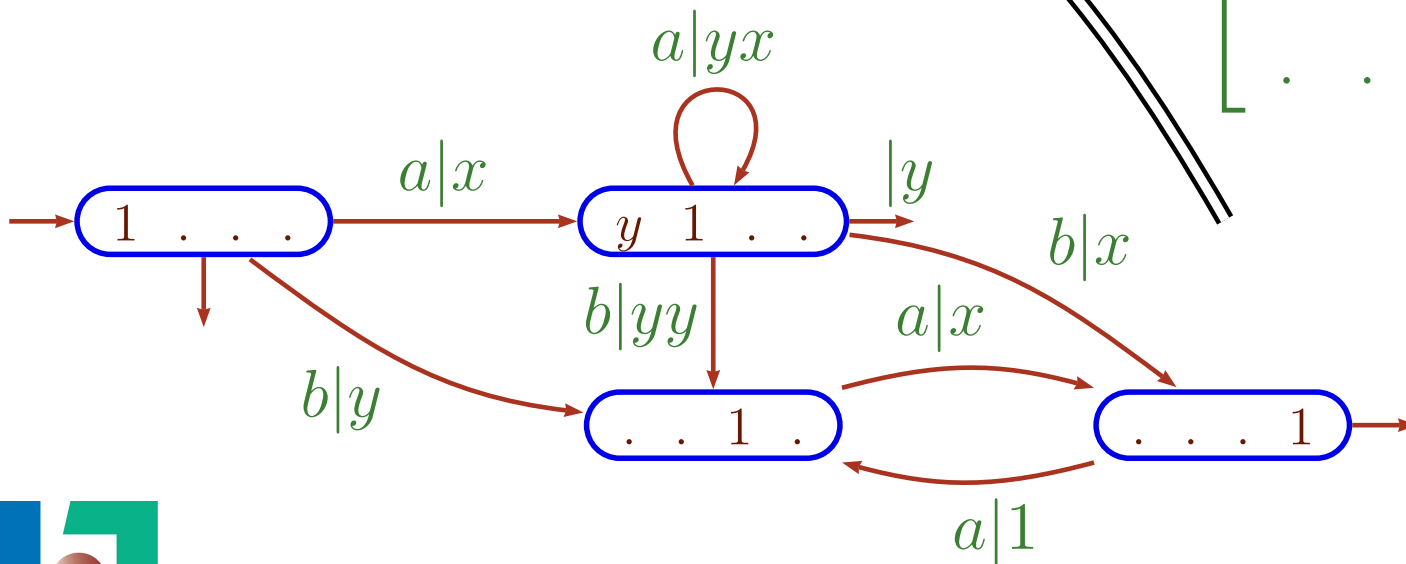
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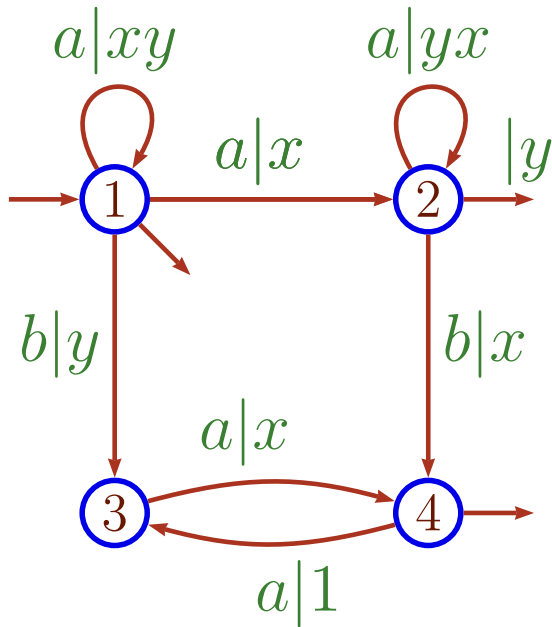
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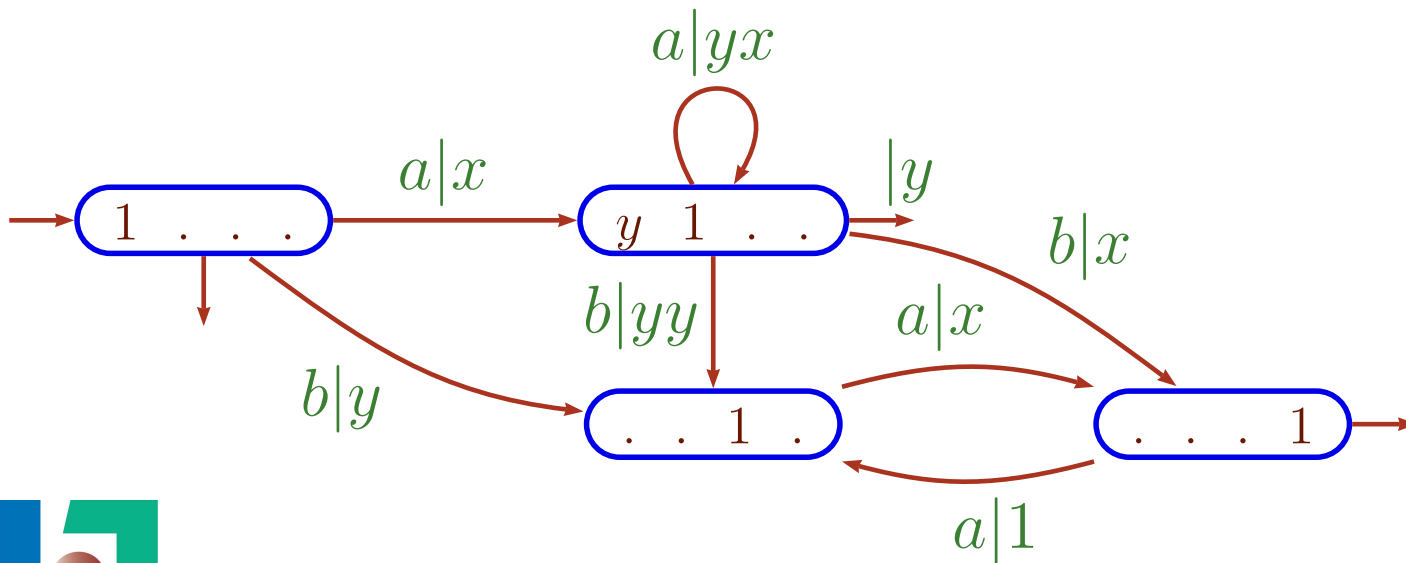
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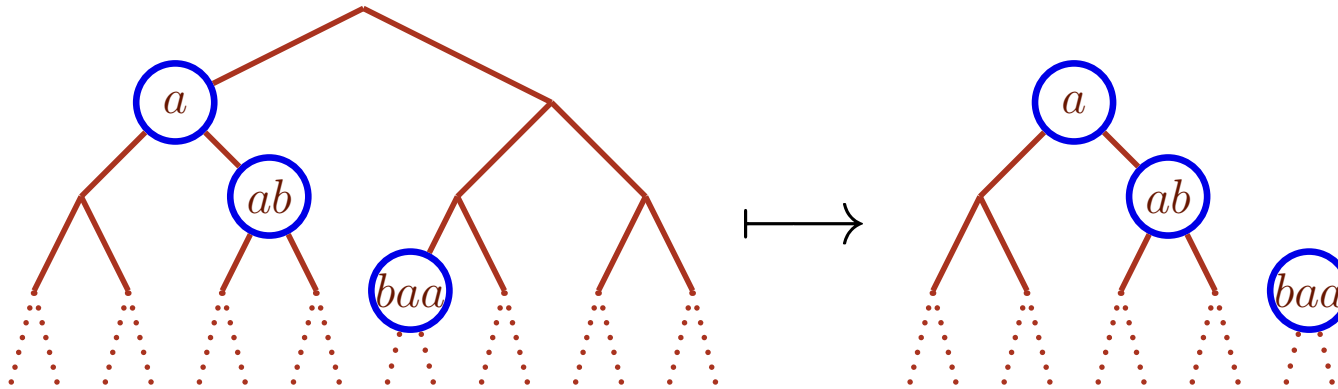
This automaton is unambiguous:
 (At most one computation for each word)



Pseudo-sequentialisation

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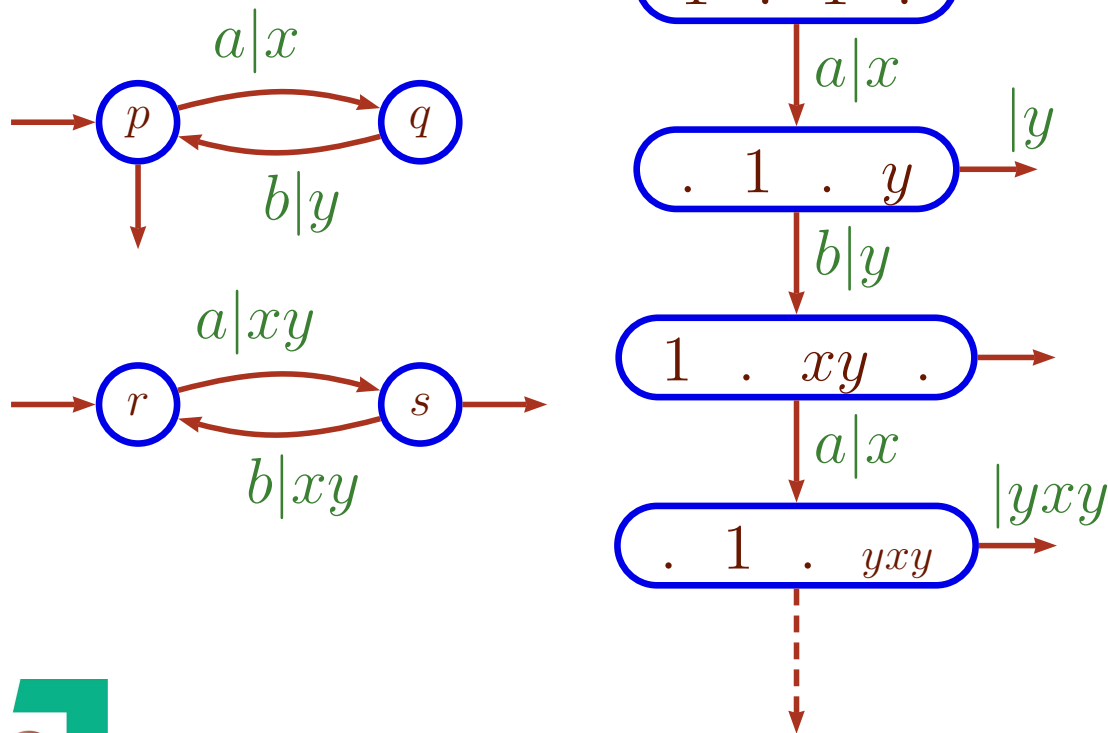


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Proposition. Let \mathcal{A} with n states. Let M be the maximal length of outputs of transitions.

If $K > n^2 M$, the pseudo-sequentialisation of \mathcal{A} is unambiguous.



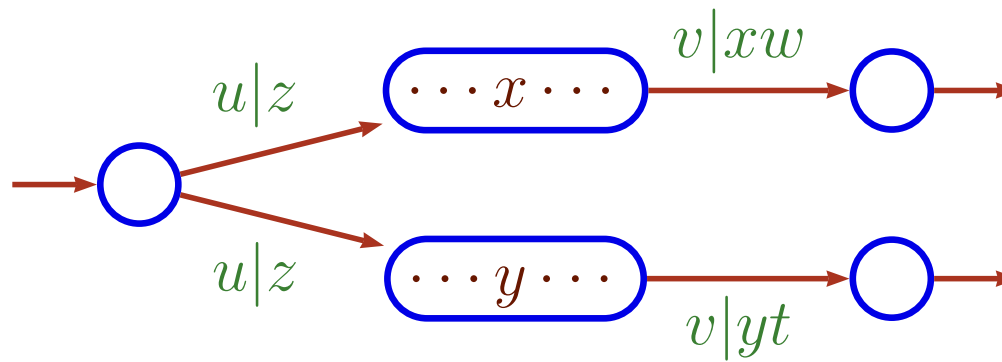
Idea of the proof

We show that from two states coming from a split, one can not accept the same word.

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First case:

The words x and y are uncompatible:



$$|xw| \neq |yt|$$



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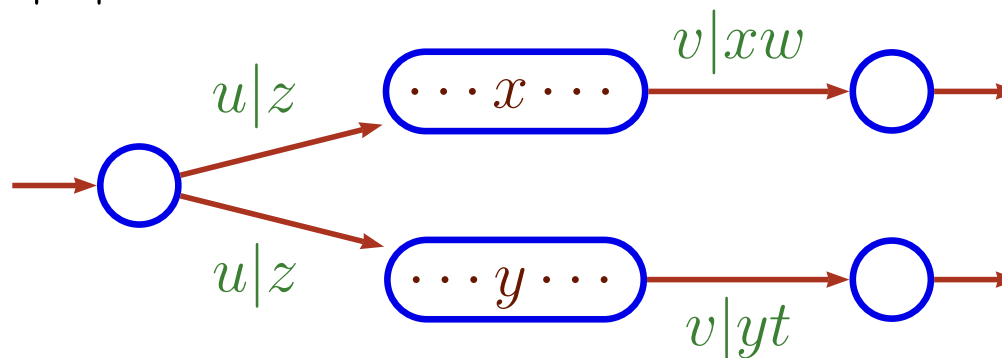
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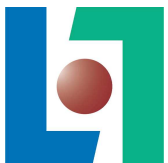
Second case:

There is a large gap between x and y : $|x| - |y| > Mn^2$

We can assume $|v| \leq n^2 - 1$



$$|xw| - |yt| > Mn^2 + |w| - |t| > 0$$



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We want to show

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{A}_1 \xleftarrow{X_1} \mathcal{B} \\ \mathcal{A}_2 \xleftarrow{X_2} \mathcal{B} \end{array} \right.$$



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$$U = \left[X_1 \mid X_2 \right] \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c} T_1 \\ T_2 \end{array} \right] = X_1 \cdot T_1 \cup X_2 \cdot T_2$$

It implies $\begin{cases} U = X_1 \cdot T_1 \\ U = X_2 \cdot T_2 \end{cases}$ if \mathcal{B} is unambiguous.



Remarks and conclusion

- The pseudo-sequentialisation can be tuned to give sequentialisation on sequentialisable transducers.
- There are (very) good reasons to think that nothing works for more general transducers.
- What is the status of \mathbb{N} -transducers ?
- What are the connections with symbolic dynamics ?

