

Define

$$1) \hat{\delta}(q, \lambda) = q$$

$$2) \hat{\delta}(q, za) = \delta(\hat{\delta}(q, z), a)$$

Theorem

$$\hat{\delta}(q, xy) = \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), y)$$

Cases a)  $y = \lambda$

b)  $y \neq \lambda$

CASE a)  $y = \lambda$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\delta}(q, xy) &= \hat{\delta}(q, x\lambda) \\ &= \hat{\delta}(q, x) \end{aligned}$$

Why  
 $y = \lambda$   
 $x\lambda = x$

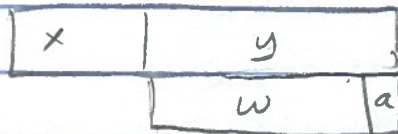
$$= \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), \lambda)$$

Rule 1  
Backwards

$$= \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), y) \quad y = \lambda$$

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CASE b)  $y \neq \lambda$  let  $y = wa, w \in \Sigma^*$



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$$P(i) = |w| = i \rightarrow \text{Theorem}$$

Need to show  $\forall i \geq 0 \quad P(i)$

$$P(0): \quad y = wa = \lambda a = a$$

$$\text{Show } \hat{\delta}(q, xa) = \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), a)$$

$$\text{Lemma } \forall a \in \Sigma \quad \hat{\delta}(q, a) = \delta(q, a)$$

$$\hat{\delta}(q, a) = \hat{\delta}(q, \lambda a) \quad \lambda a = a$$

$$= \delta(\hat{\delta}(q, \lambda), a) \quad \text{Rule 2}$$

$$= \delta(q, a) \quad \text{Rule 1: } \hat{\delta}(q, \lambda) = q$$

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Continuing  $P(0)$

$$\hat{\delta}(q, xy) = \hat{\delta}(q, xa) \quad y = a$$

$$= \delta(\hat{\delta}(q, x), a) \quad \text{Rule 2}$$

$$= \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), a) \quad \text{Lemma}$$

$$= \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), y) \quad y = a$$

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Now show

$$\forall i \geq 0 \quad P(i) \rightarrow P(i+1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(i) \rightarrow \hat{\delta}(q, xy) &= \hat{\delta}(q, xwa) & y = wa \\ &= \delta(\hat{\delta}(q, xw), a) & \text{Rule 2} \\ &= \delta(\hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), w), a) \end{aligned}$$

The above is implied by  $P(i)$

Because  $|w| = i$ ,

$$\hat{\delta}(q, xw) = \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), w)$$

$$= \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), wa) \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Rule 2} \\ \text{Backwards} \end{array}$$

$$= \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q, x), y) \quad y = wa$$

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