

# Previously:

- Decidable.

- "Halting Problem" ←

- Rec, RE languages.

- Universal Turing Machine ("interpreter")

- input:  $\langle M, x \rangle$

- output:  $M(x)$

- Robustness:

3 tape ←

binary.

2 tape

$k^2$

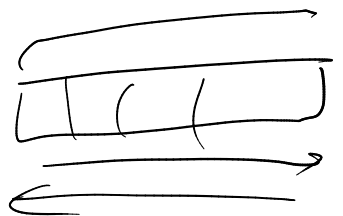
10 tape

1000 alphabets.

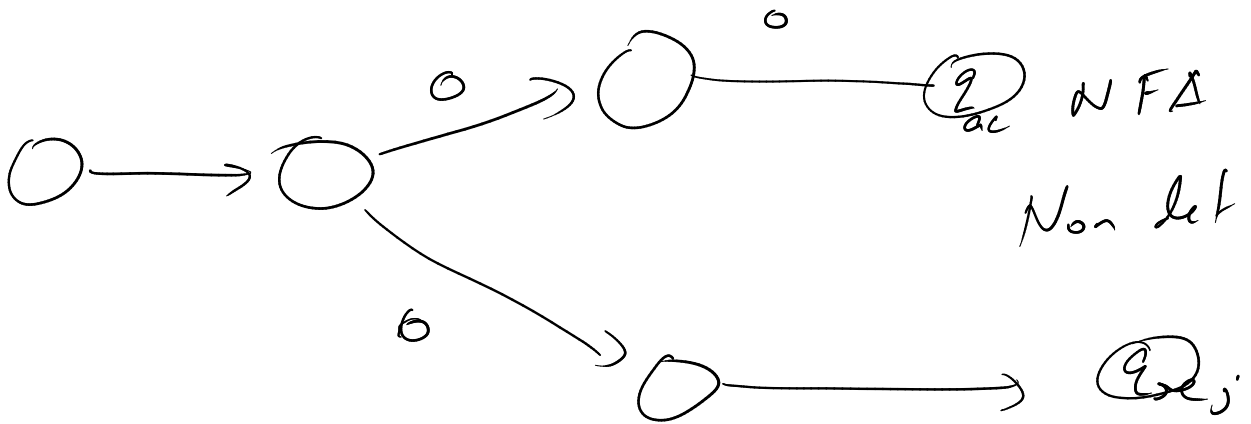
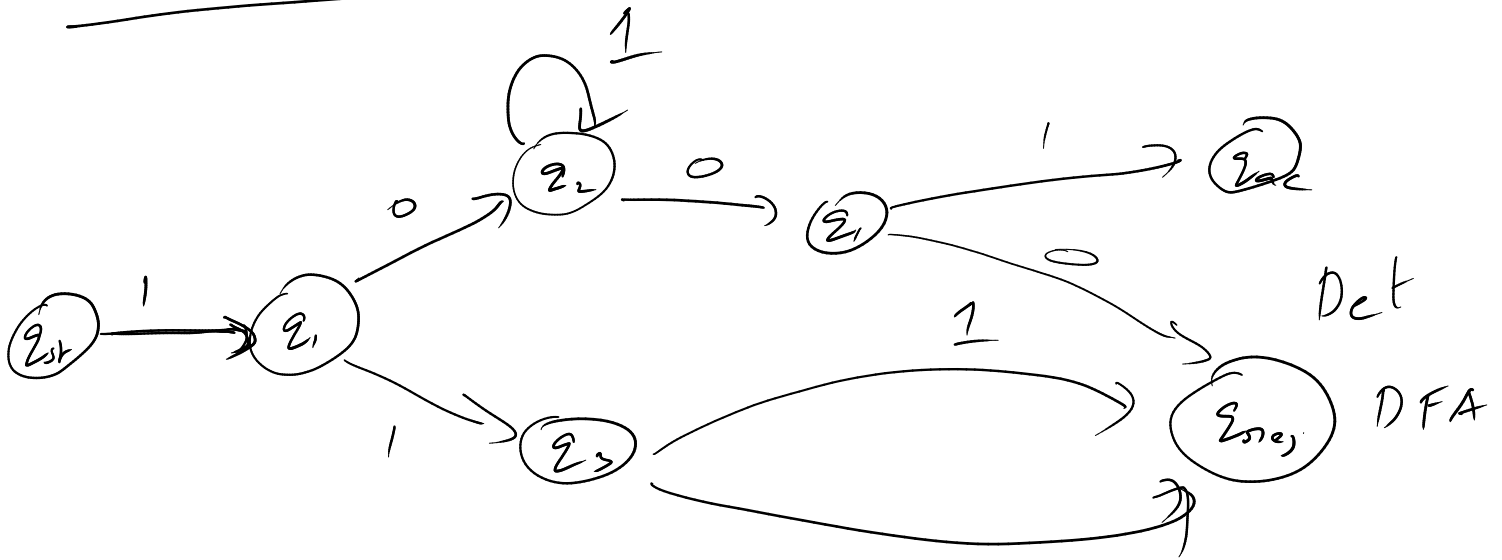
$k$  tape

( $\epsilon$ )

$\epsilon$



# Non determinism

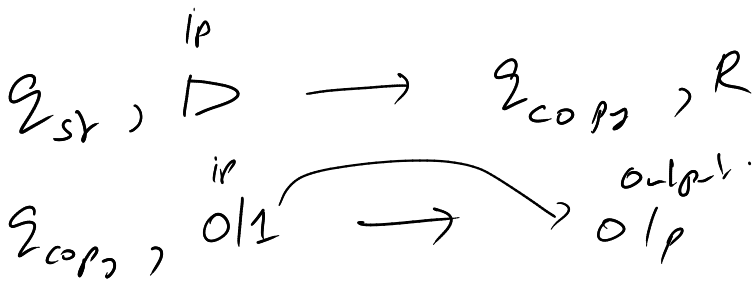
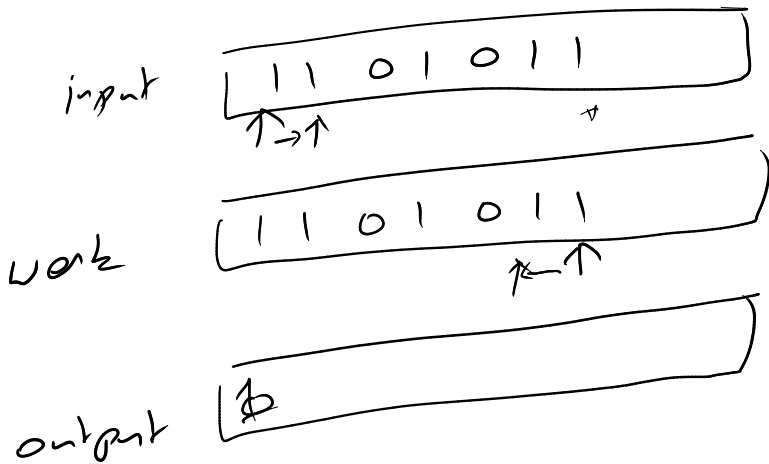
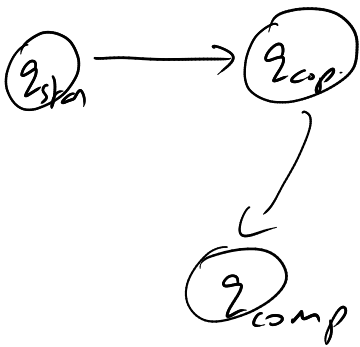


Set of languages decided by  
det finite automata  
≡ Regular Languages.

L is decided by Nondeterministic Finite Automata

Can TM solve more problems than DFA?

$$L_{PAL} = \{ x \in \{0,1\}^n : x = Rev(x) \} \in Rec$$



$L_{PAL} \notin \text{Reg Languages}$   $\subseteq$  CFL  
 $\not\subseteq$  CSL

~~"Pumping Lemma"~~

Languages  $\stackrel{\text{dec by}}{=} \text{Languages}$   
 $\text{DFA} \stackrel{\text{by}}{=} \text{NFA}$

$\delta: Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$   
 $Q \times \Sigma \times Q$

"power set construction"

For every NFA, construct DFA whose states are powerset of states of NFA.

Non deterministic Turing Machine (NTM)

$\text{NTM} \subseteq Q \times \Sigma \times Q$   
 $\subseteq Q \times \Gamma^3 \rightarrow Q \times \Gamma^3 \times \{L, R\}^3$

Language  
decided by

NTM

$n^2$

$\geq$   
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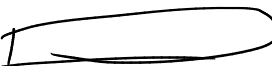

Language

Decided by

DTM

$2^{O(n^2)}$

Configuration of a TM

$Q$ , position of tape heads,   
"  $C_i$   $\{1, \dots, \epsilon\}^3$ ,   
 $\uparrow$  

Suppose TM  $M$  decides  $L$  in

$f(n)$  steps

$\forall x \in \{0, 1\}^n$ ,

$M$  runs for  $\leq f(n)$  steps and  
decides  $x$

i.e.  $M(x) = 1 \Leftrightarrow x \in L$

M is NTM

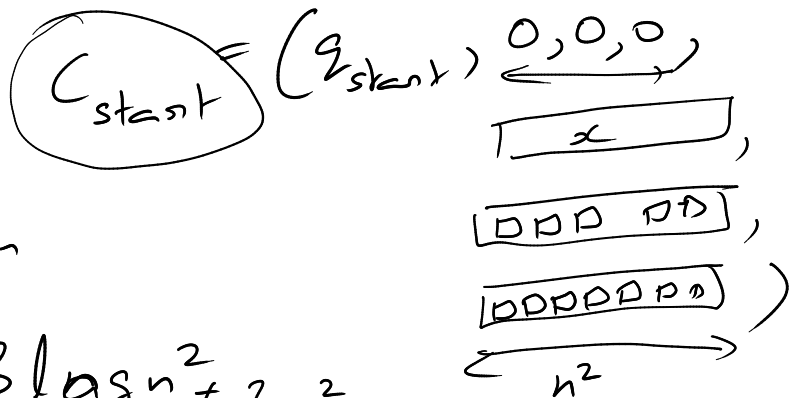
Can we design a Det Turing Machine for L?

On input  $x \in \{0,1\}^n$ ,

there exist a path for M

that accepts using  $n^2$  steps.

Configuration Graph.



bit size of configuration

$$= \log Q + 3 \log n^2 + 3n^2$$

$$= O(n^2)$$

How many configurations are possible?

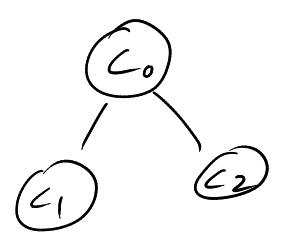
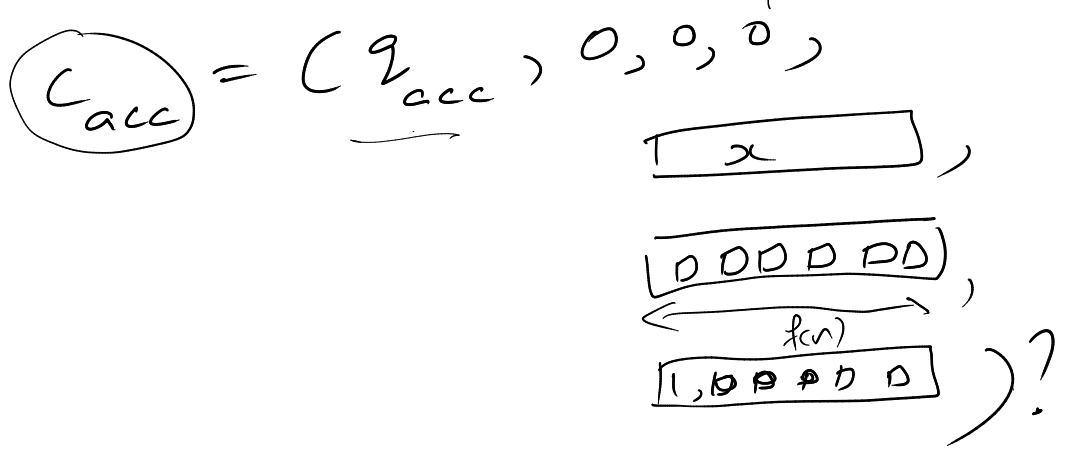
$$2^{O(n^2)}$$

$V = \text{all configs}$        $|V| = 2^{O(n^2)}$

$E = \{ (c, c') : \text{If } c' \text{ can be obtained from } c \text{ using delta fn} \}$

$G = (V, E)$

In  $G$ , is there a path of length  $n^2$  from  $c_{\text{start}}$  to  $c_{\text{acc}}$ ?



Can we solve with DTM?

$O(f(n))$   
2

$$D \subseteq Q \times F^3 \times Q \times \Gamma^3 \times \{L, R\}^3$$

$M'(x)$  {

Write all vertices in  $V$  for loop over  $2^{O(n^2)}$

Write all edges in  $E$

for  $v \in 2^{O(n^2)}$

for  $w \in 2^{O(n^2)}$  :

if  $(v, w)$  is valid by  $D$ ,

then  $(v, w) \in E$

else  $(v, w) \notin E$

$2^{2O(n^2)}$

check if  $C_{acc}$  is reachable

from  $C_{start}$  in  $n^2$  steps.

}

Language decided by

$$NTM = DTM.$$



$DTIME(f(n))$

= set of all languages decided by  
a DTM in time  $\leq f(n)$

$NTIME(f(n)) =$  " NTM  
in time  $\leq f(n)$

$DTIME(f(n)) \subseteq NTIME(f(n))$

$\wedge$

$DTIME(2^{O(f(n))})$

DSPACE( $f(n)$ )

= set of all languages decided by  
a DTM with space  $\leq f(n)$

NSPACE( $f(n)$ ) =

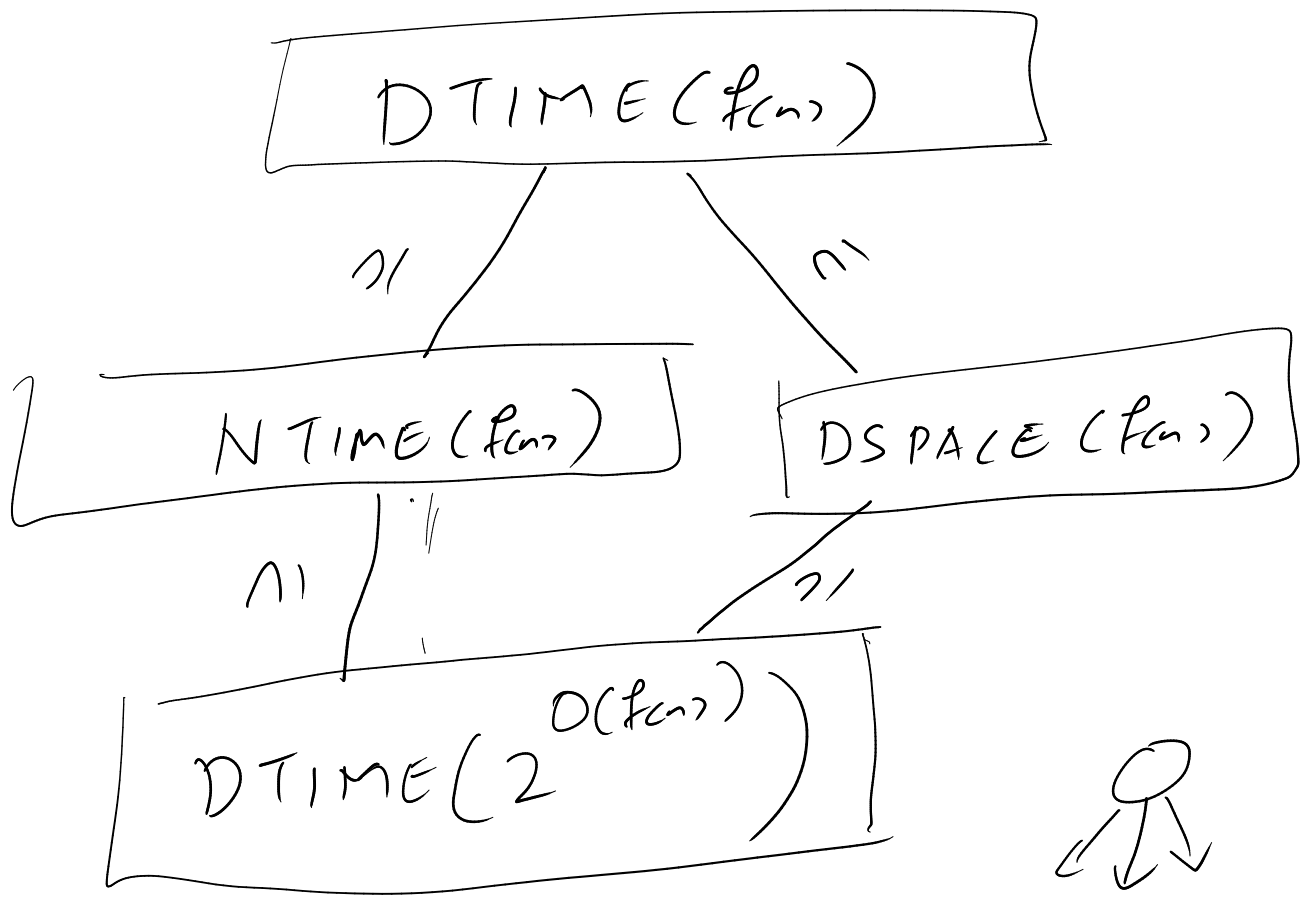
NTM with space  $\leq f(n)$

DTIME( $f(n)$ )  $\subseteq$  DSPACE( $f(n)$ )  
|  
DTIME( $2^{O(f(n))}$ )

NTIME( $f(n)$ )  $\subseteq$  NSPACE( $f(n)$ )

$$NSPACE(f(n)) = DSPACE(f(n)^2)$$

↳ Savitch's Thm (next lecture)



$$P = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \text{DTIME}(n^k)$$

Set of all languages decidable  
by DTM in polynomial time.

$$NP = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \text{NTIME}(n^k)$$

Set of all languages decidable  
by NTM in polynomial time.

$\text{EULER-PATH} \stackrel{EP}{=} \{G : \exists \text{ path that has even, edge exactly once}\}$

$\text{HAMILTON-PATH} = \{G : \exists \text{ path that has even, vertex exactly once}\}$   
 $\cap$   
NP

