

COL:750

Foundations of Automatic Verification

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Course Webpage



<https://priyanka-golia.github.io/teaching/COL-750/index.html>

CTL :Examples

Safety: “something bad will never happen”

$$\neg(\exists \diamond p) \equiv \forall \square \neg p$$

Reactor_temp is never going to be above 1000.

$$\forall \square \neg(\text{ReactorTemp} > 1000)$$

If car takes left, then immediately car should not take right.

$$\forall \square \neg(\text{left} \wedge \forall \mathbf{N} \text{right})$$

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Liveness: “something good will happen”

$$\forall \Diamond p$$

All students will get their degree

$$\forall \Diamond (Student \wedge degree)$$

If you start something you will eventually finish it.

$$\forall \Box (start \rightarrow \forall \Diamond Finish)$$

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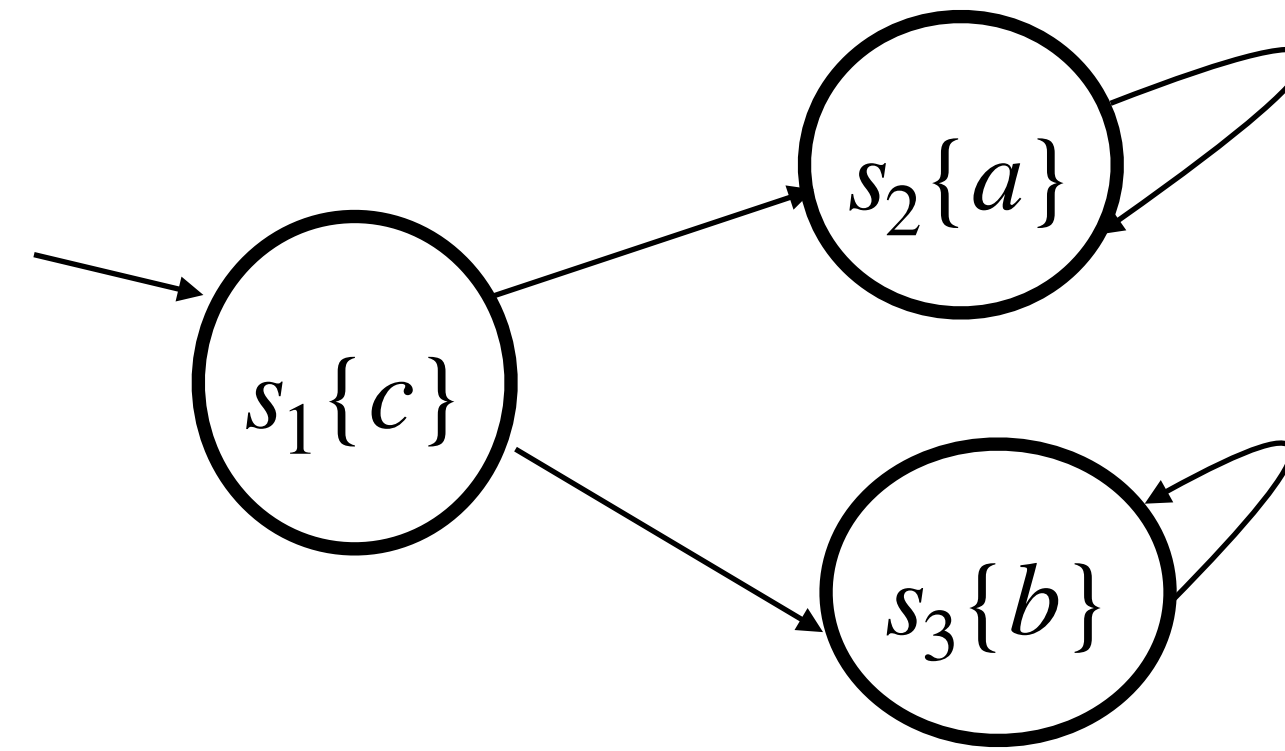
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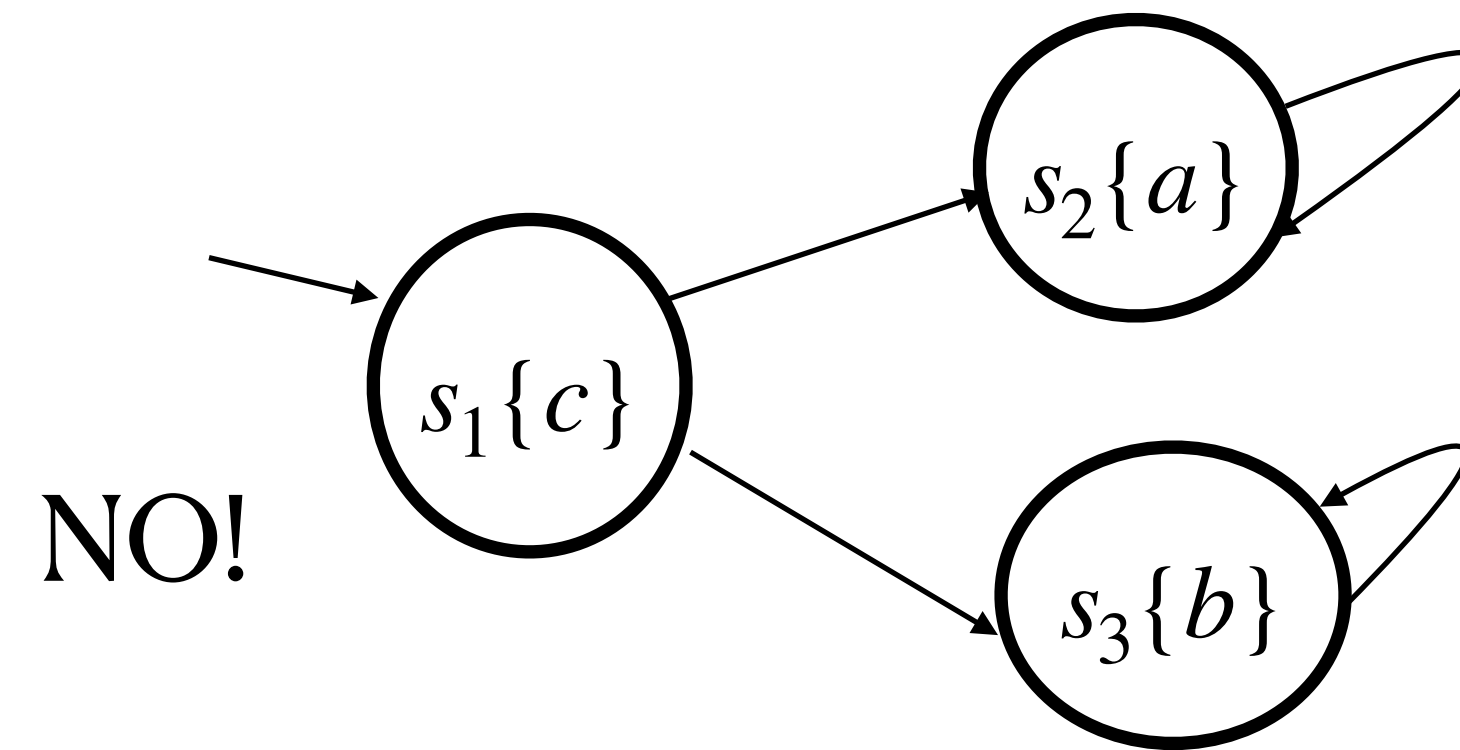


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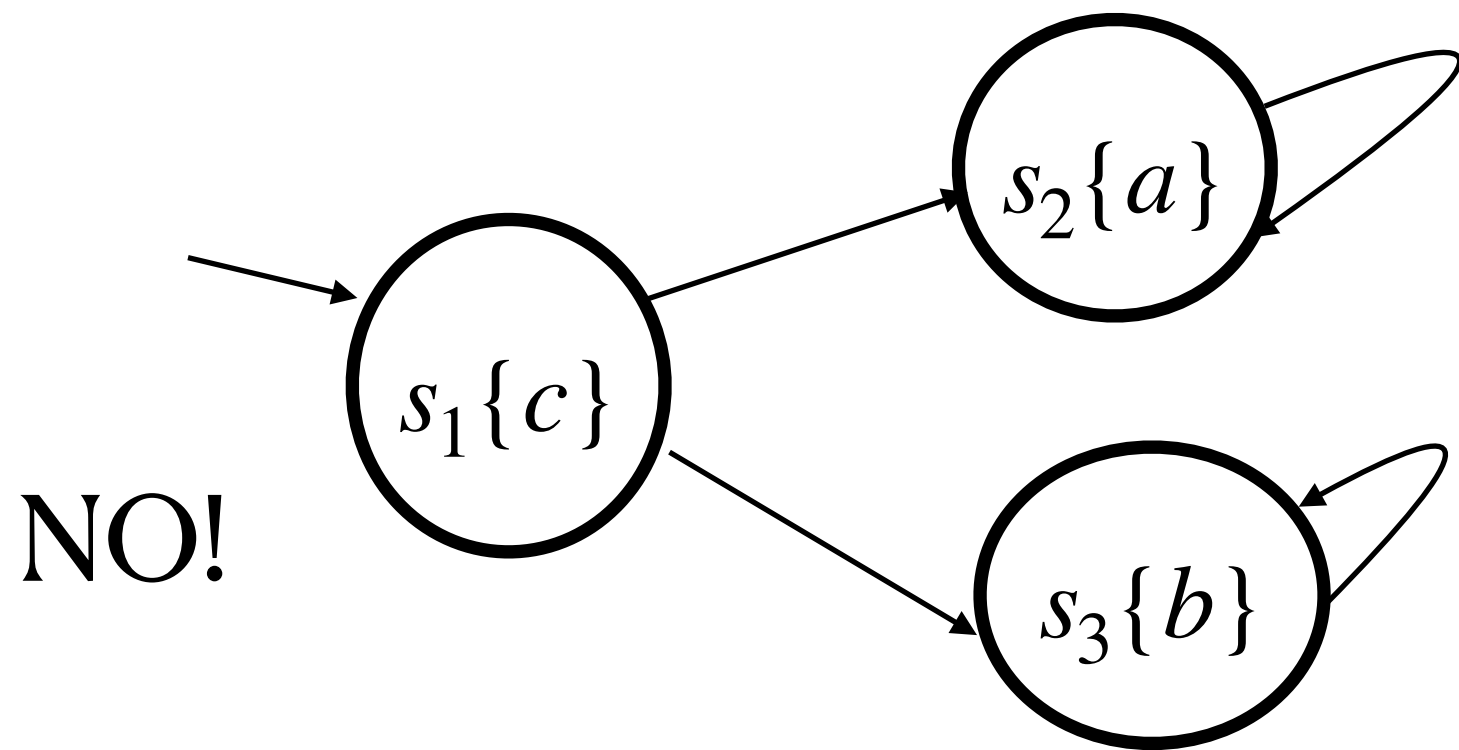
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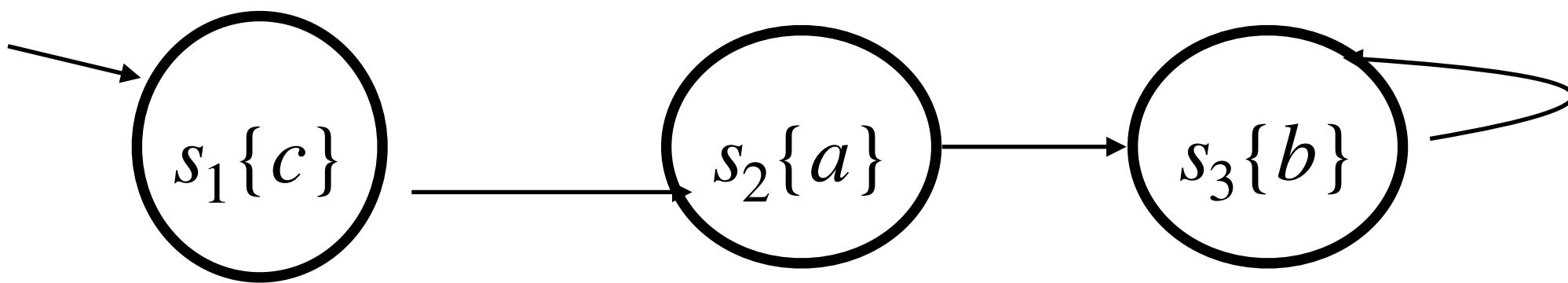
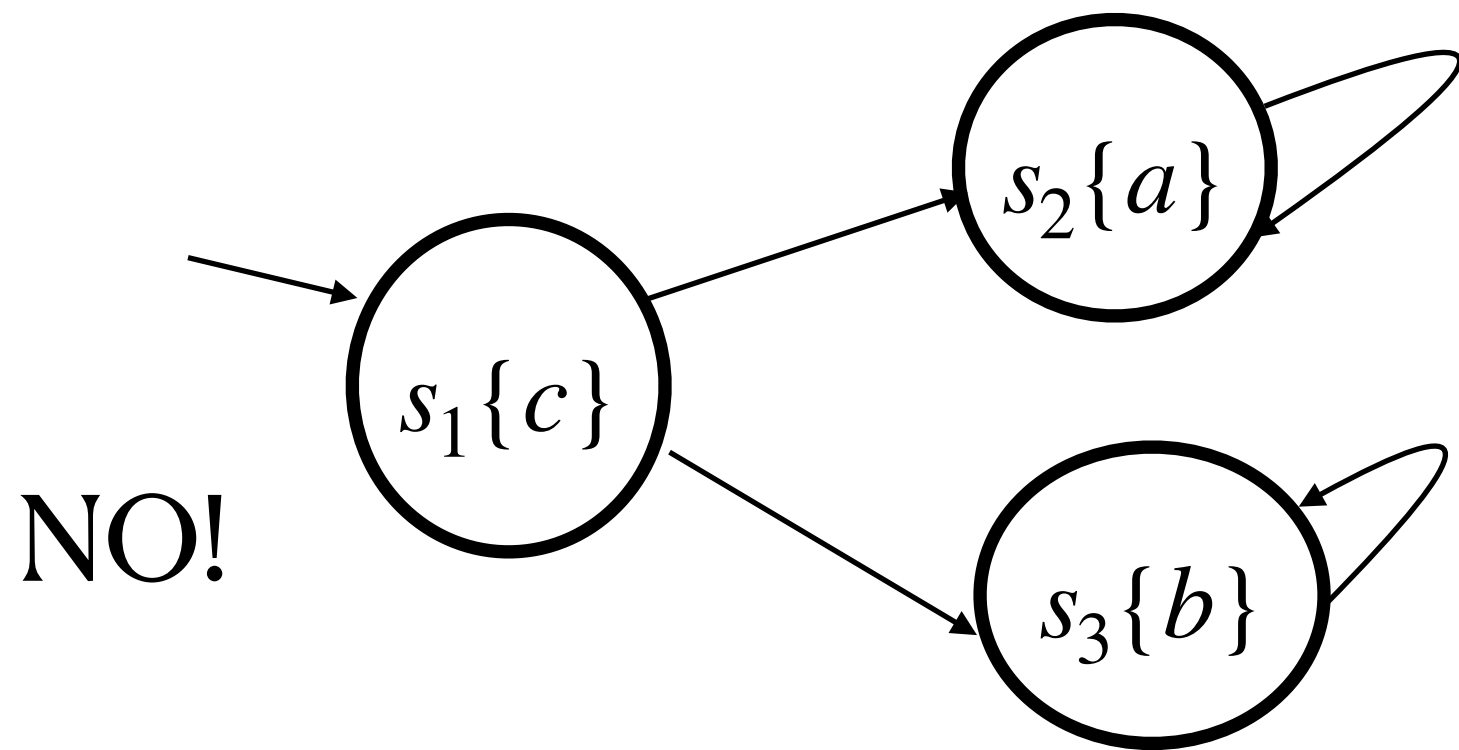
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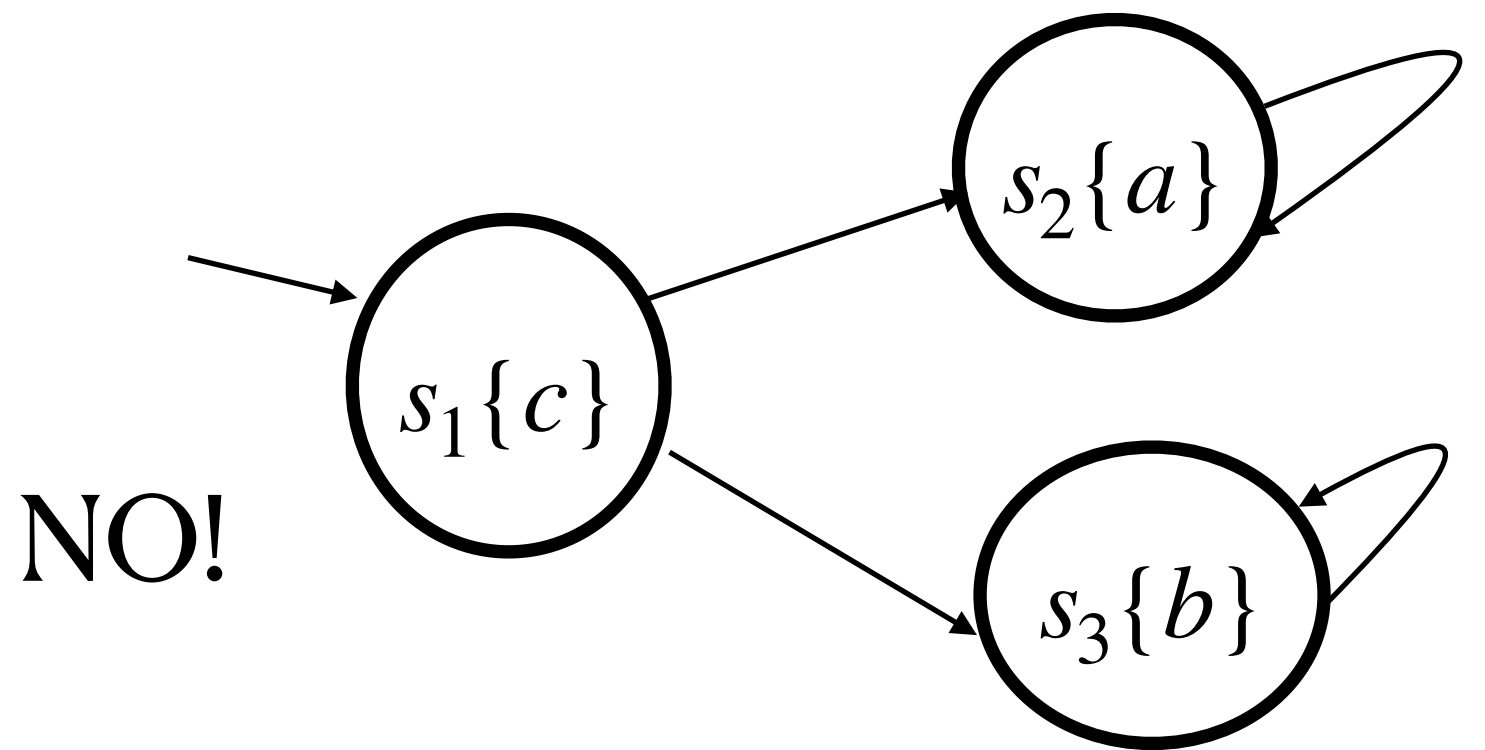


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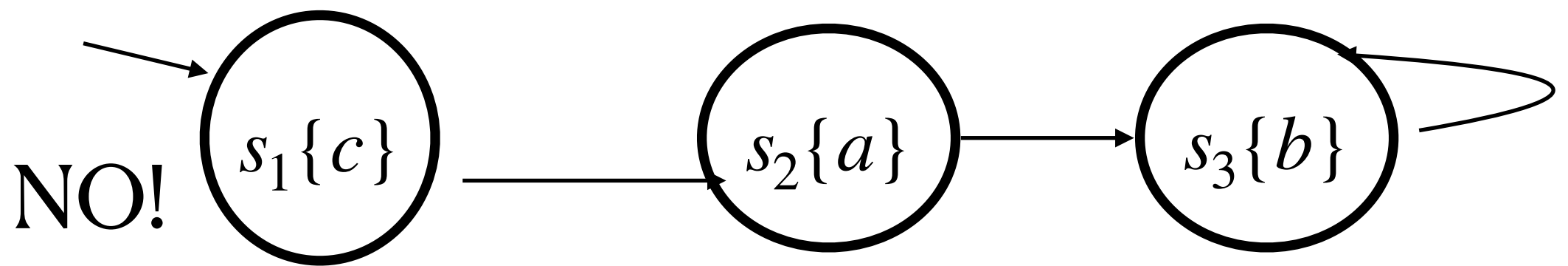
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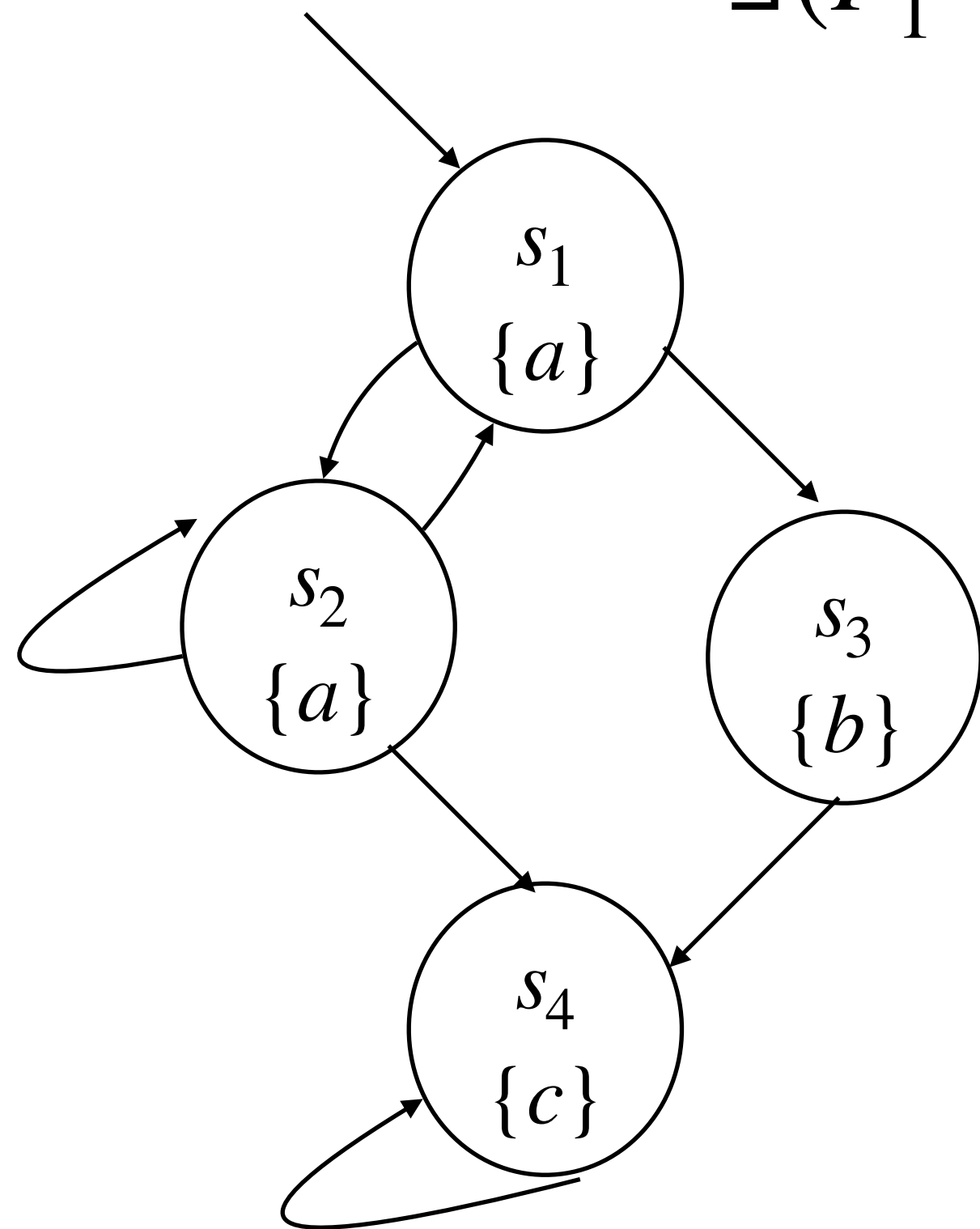
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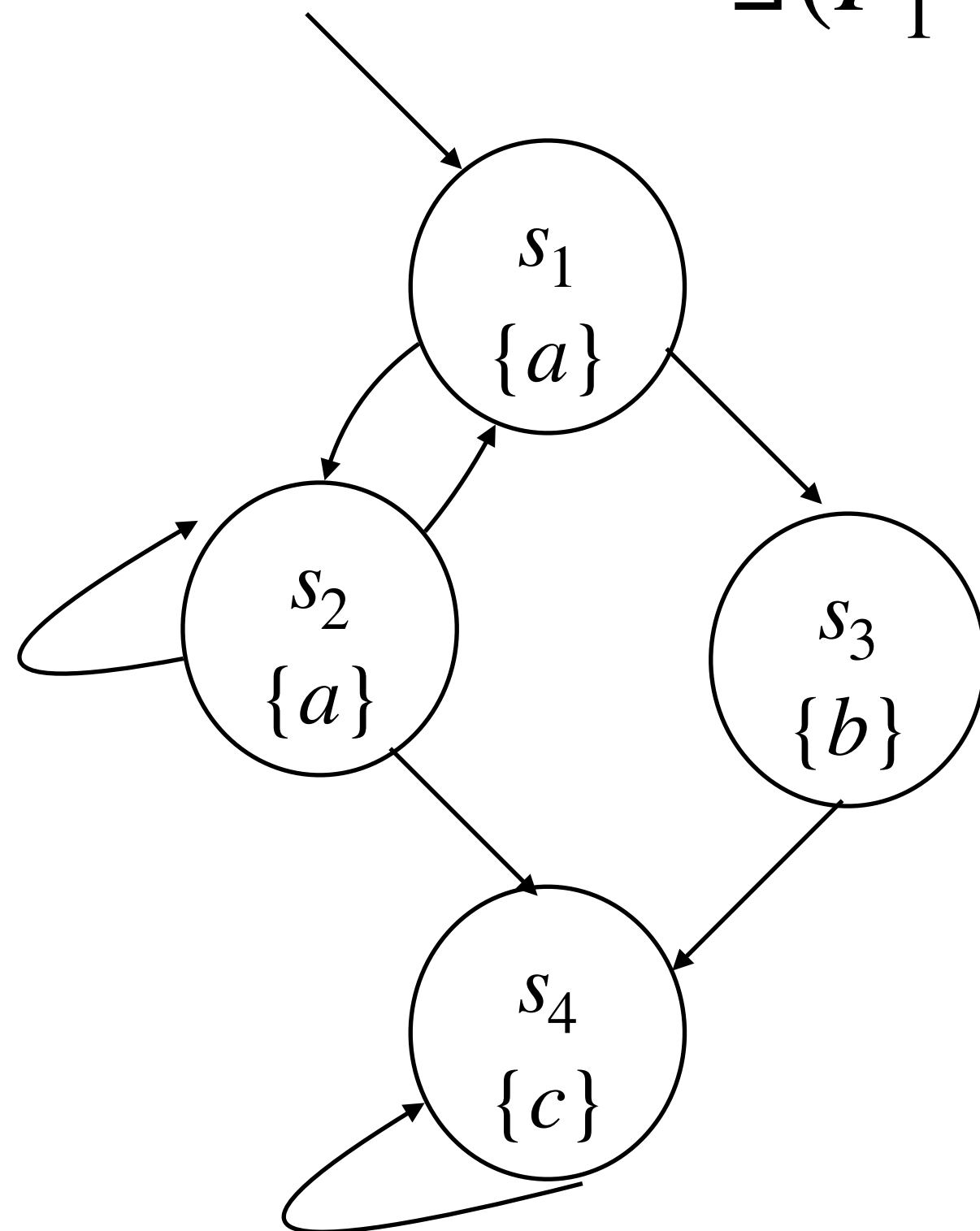


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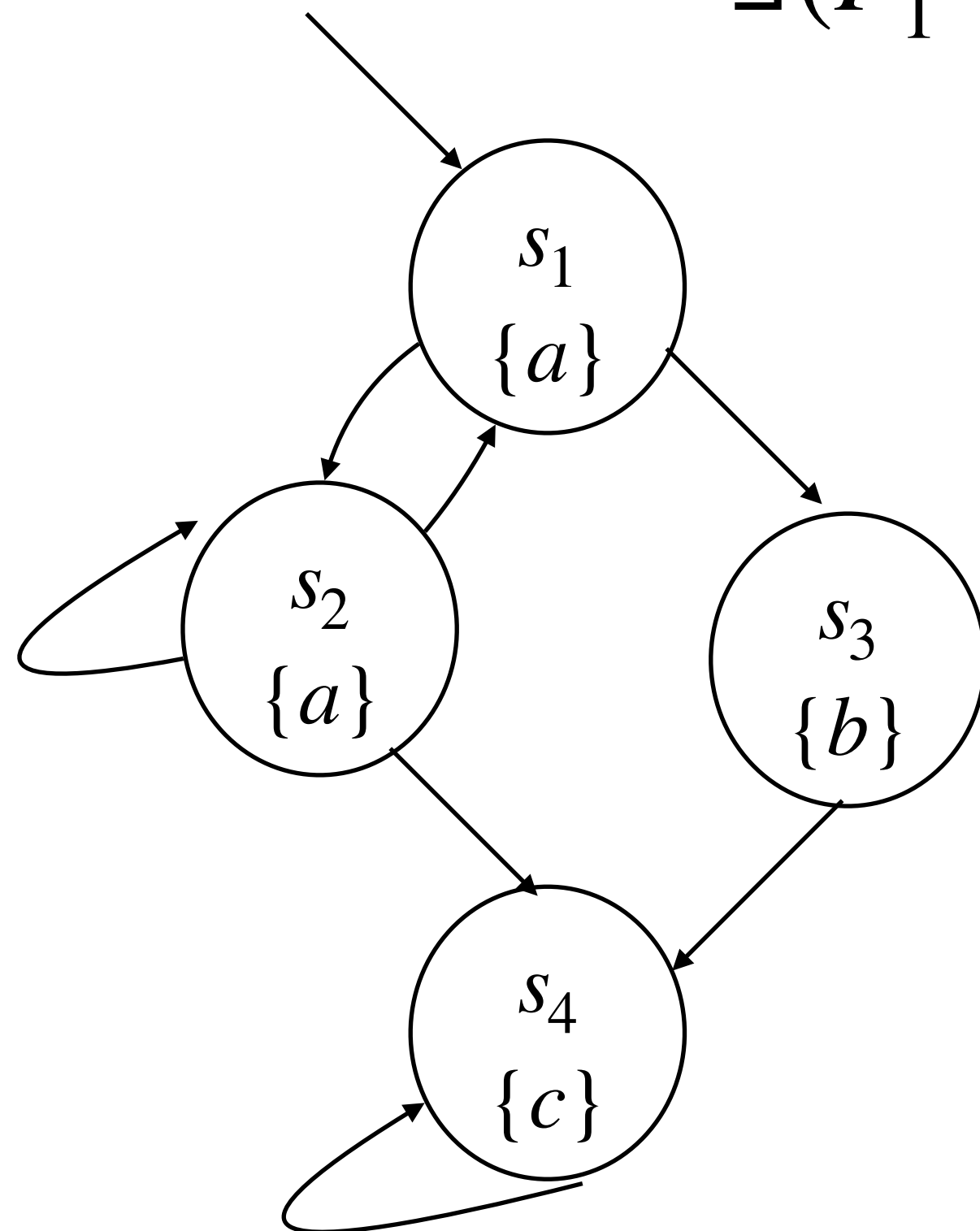
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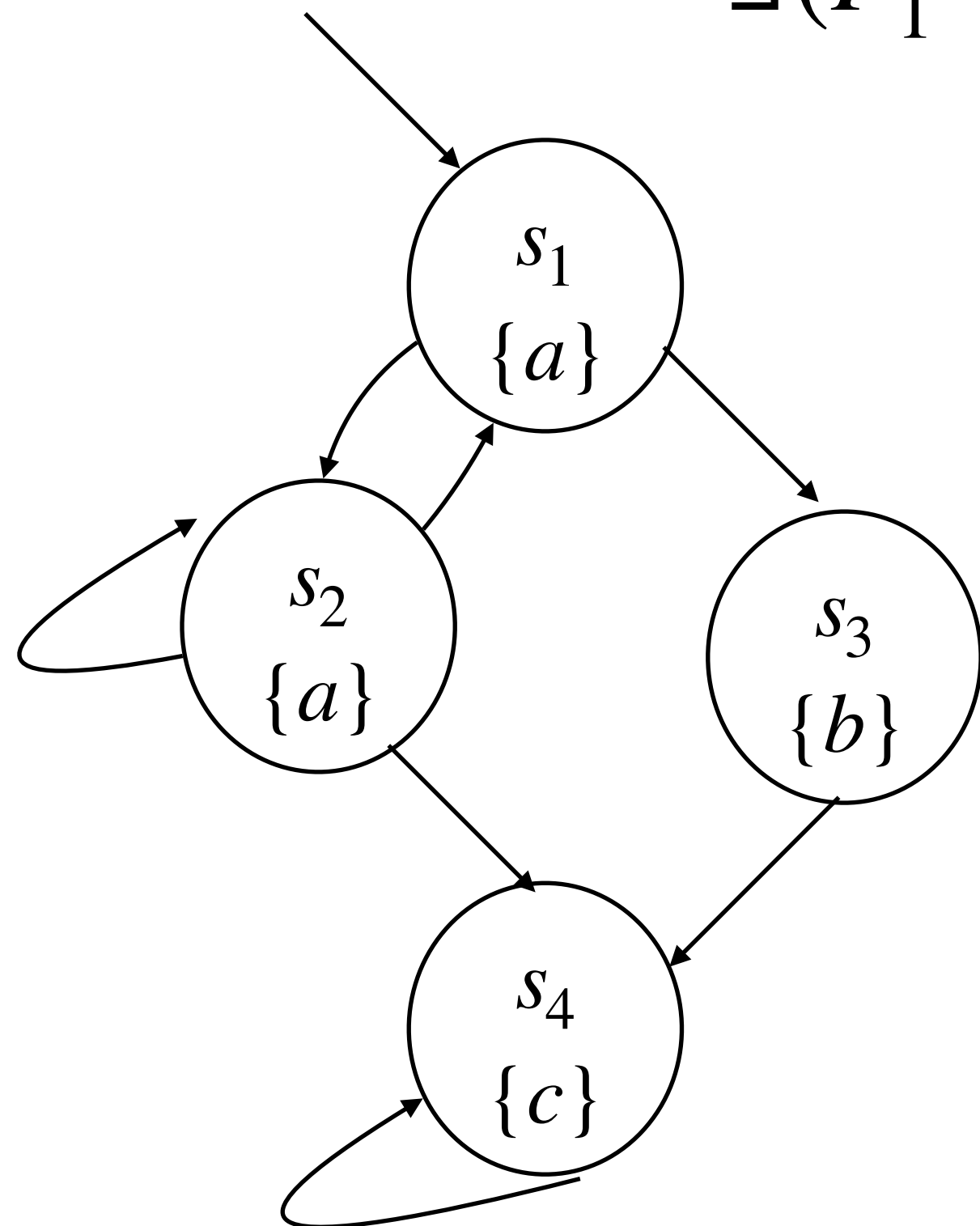
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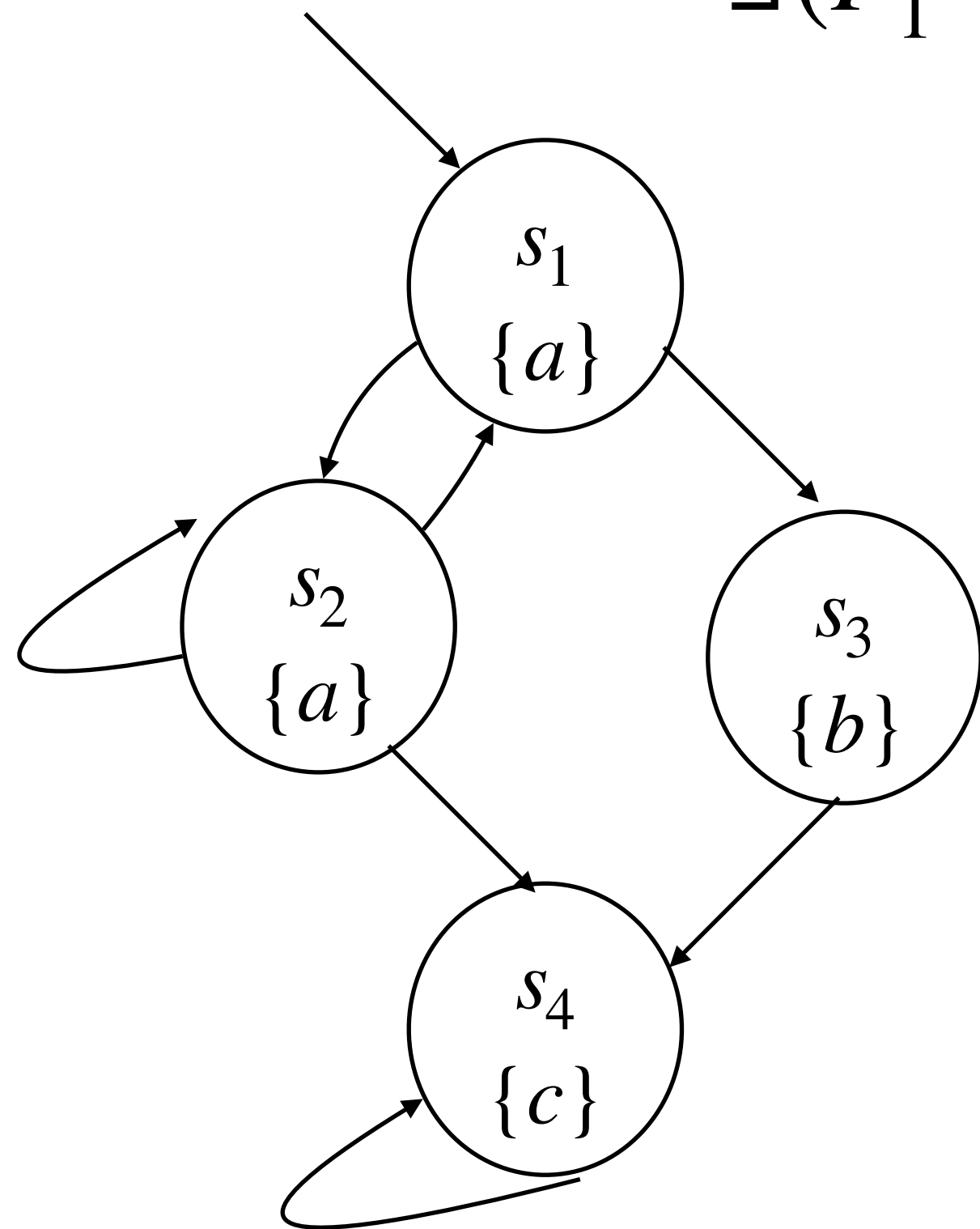
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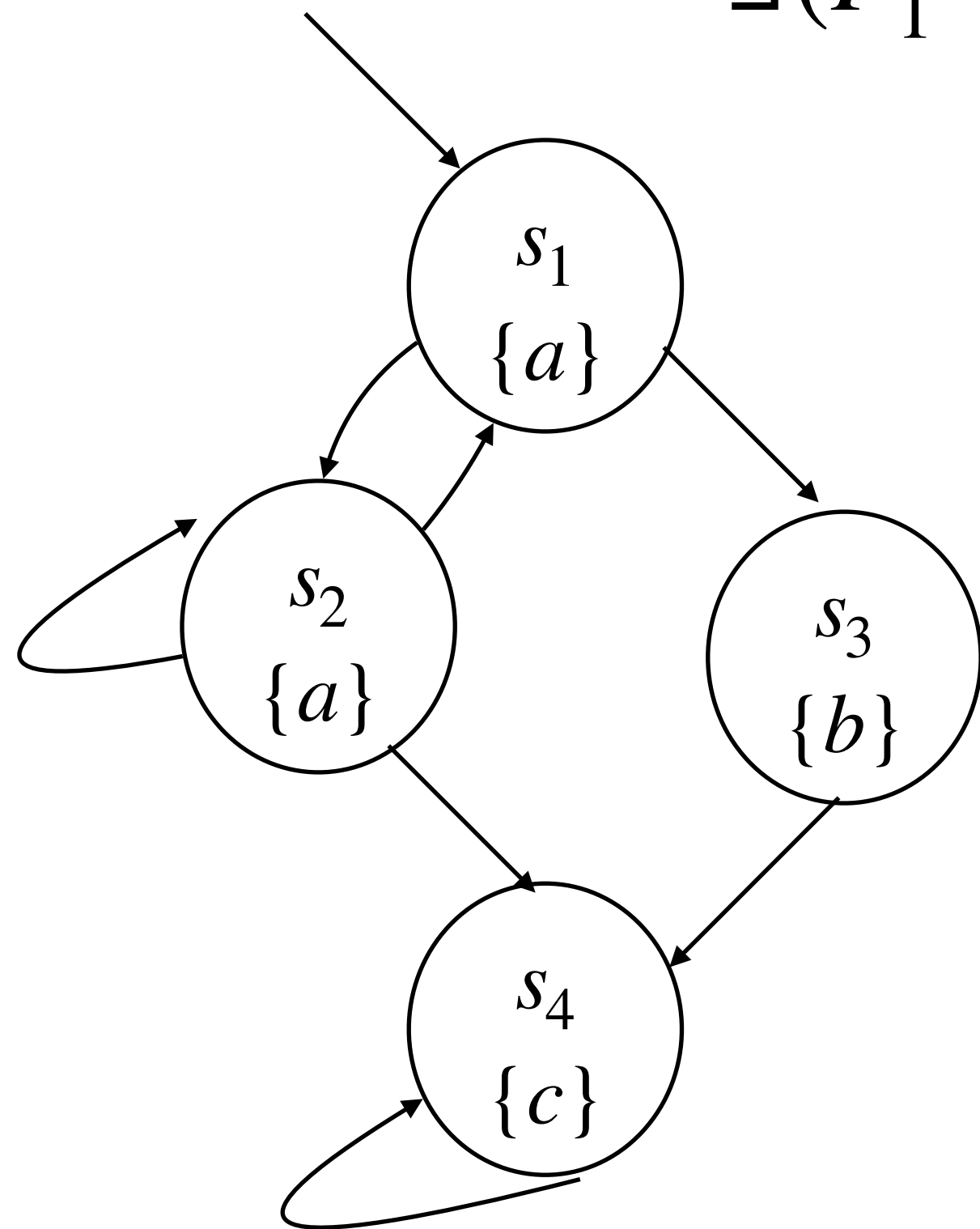
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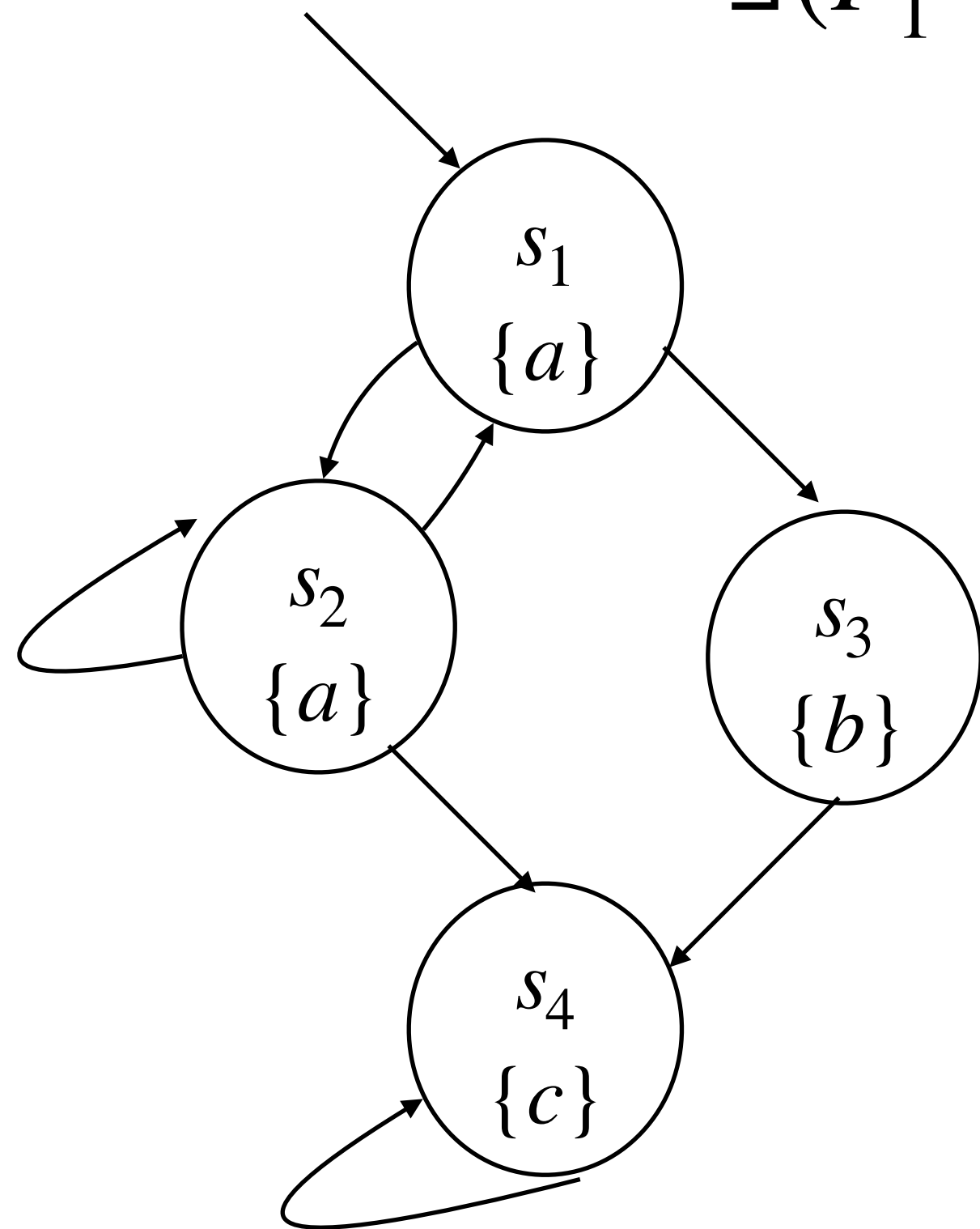
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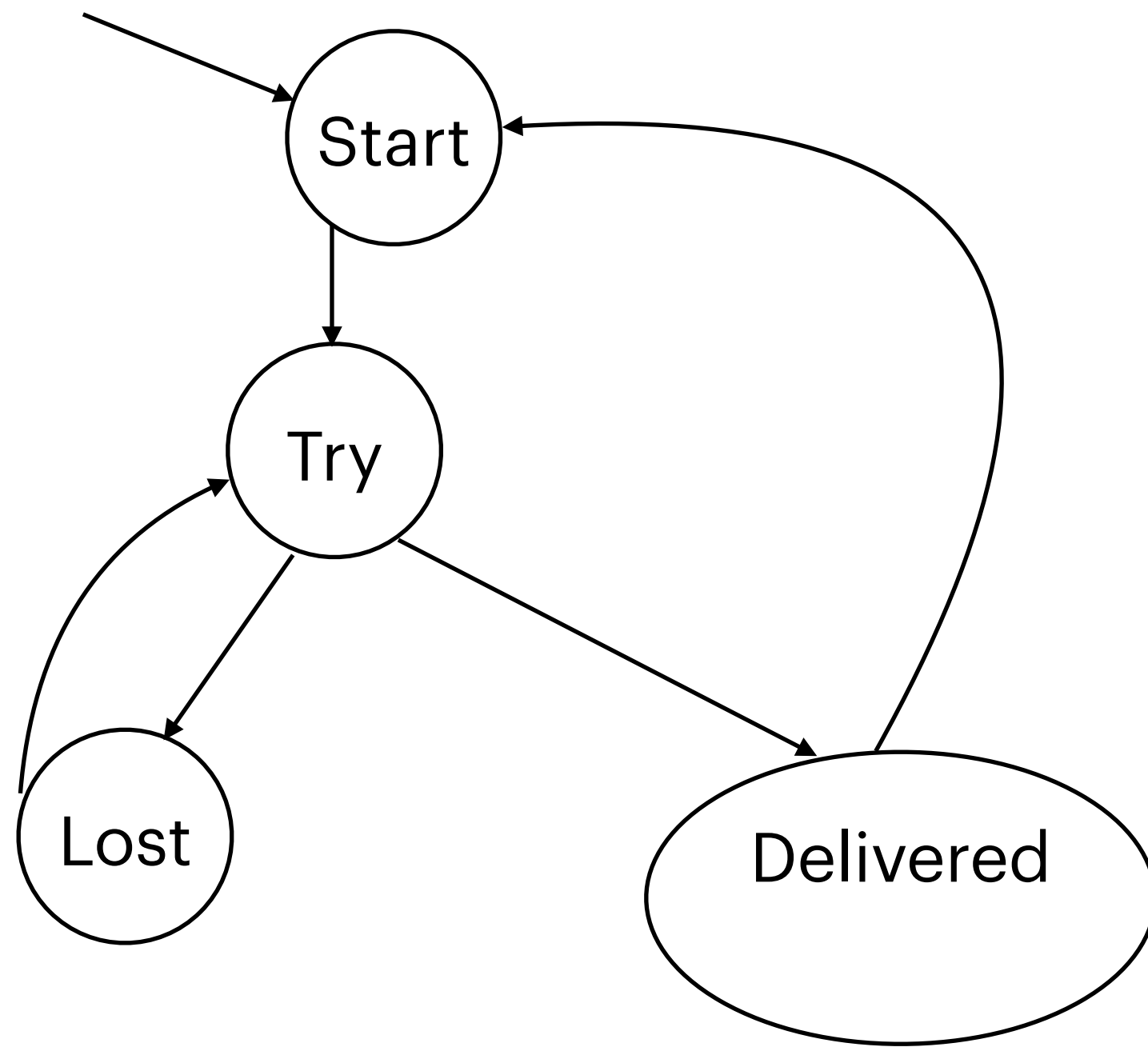


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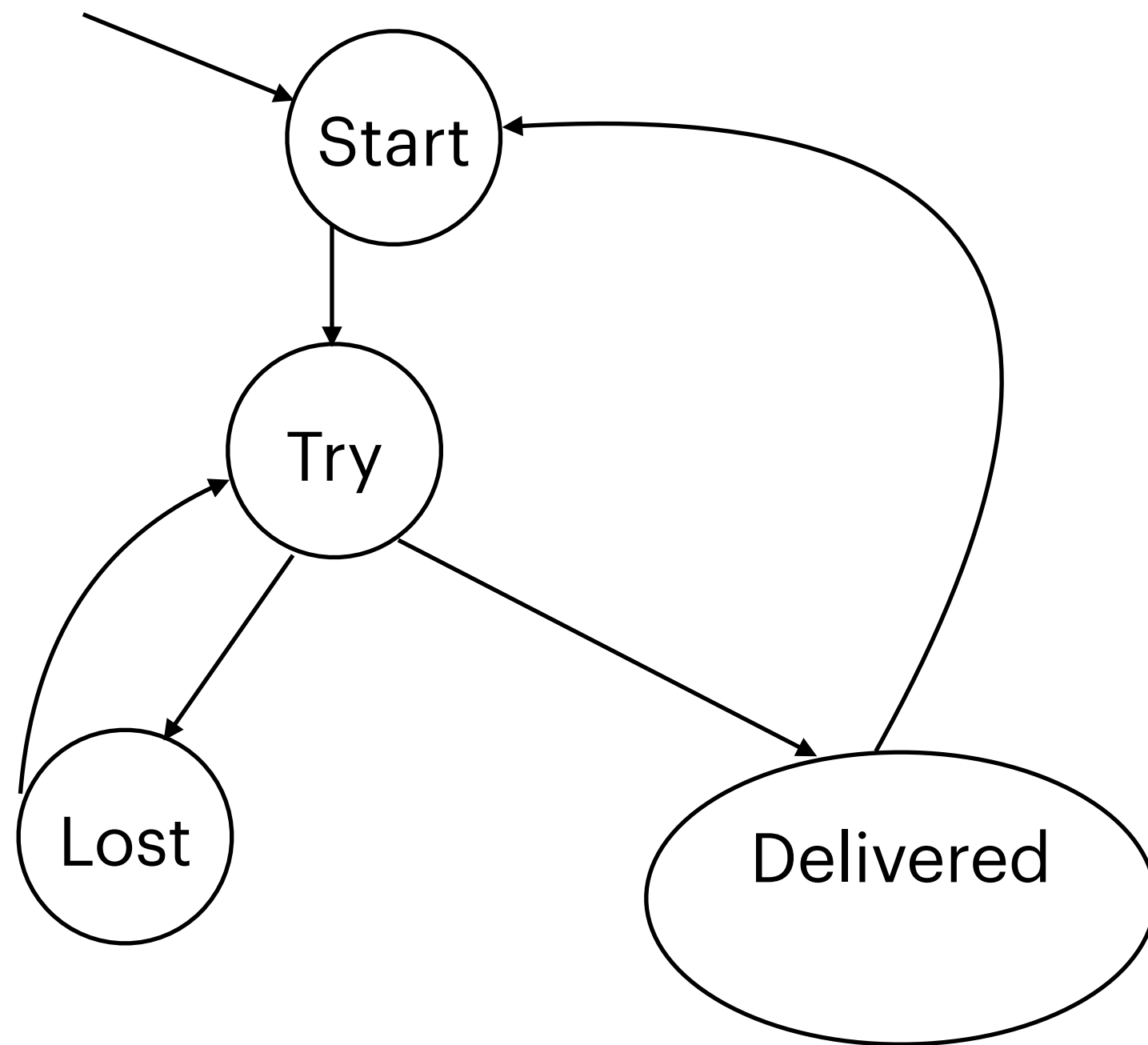
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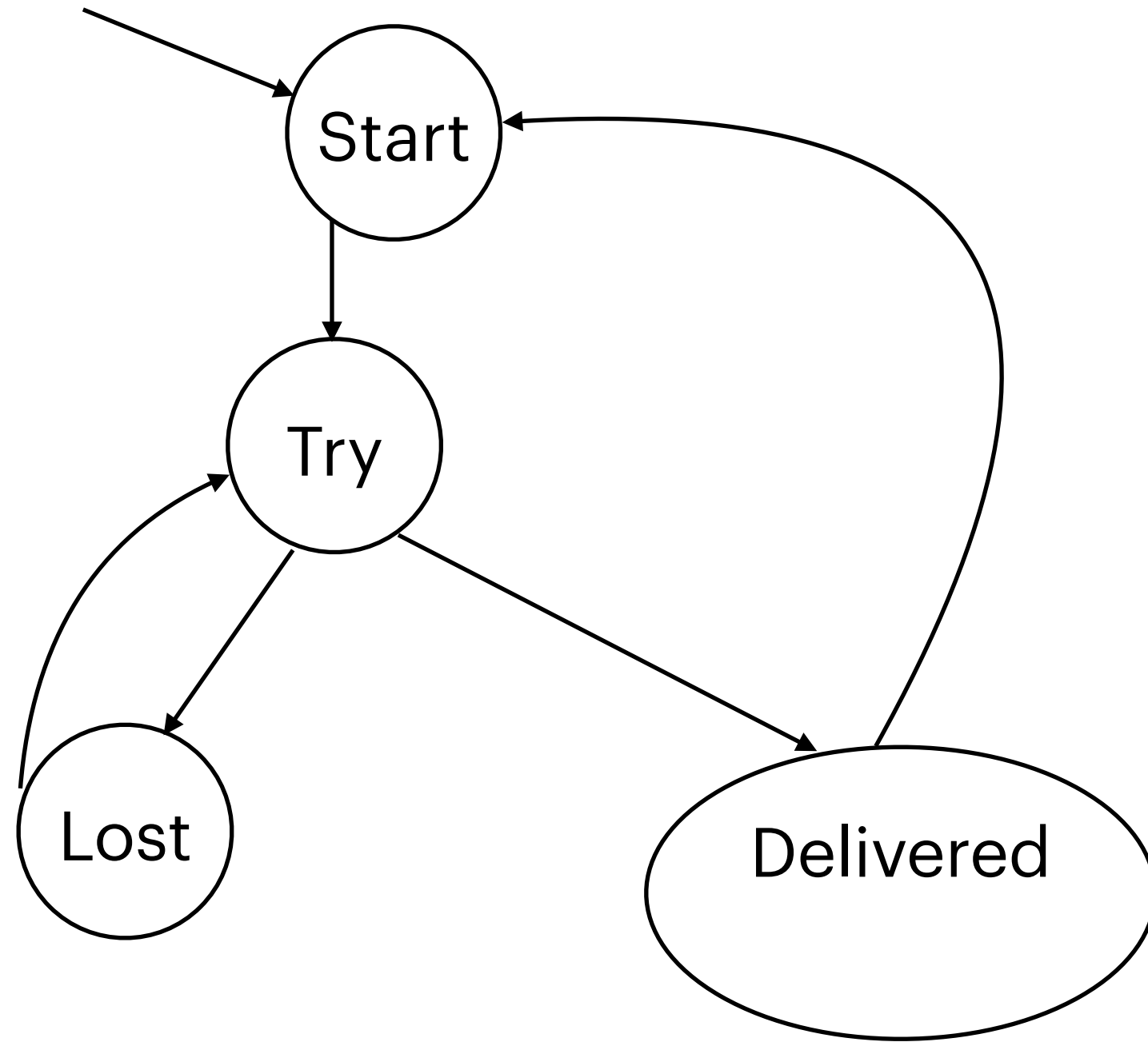
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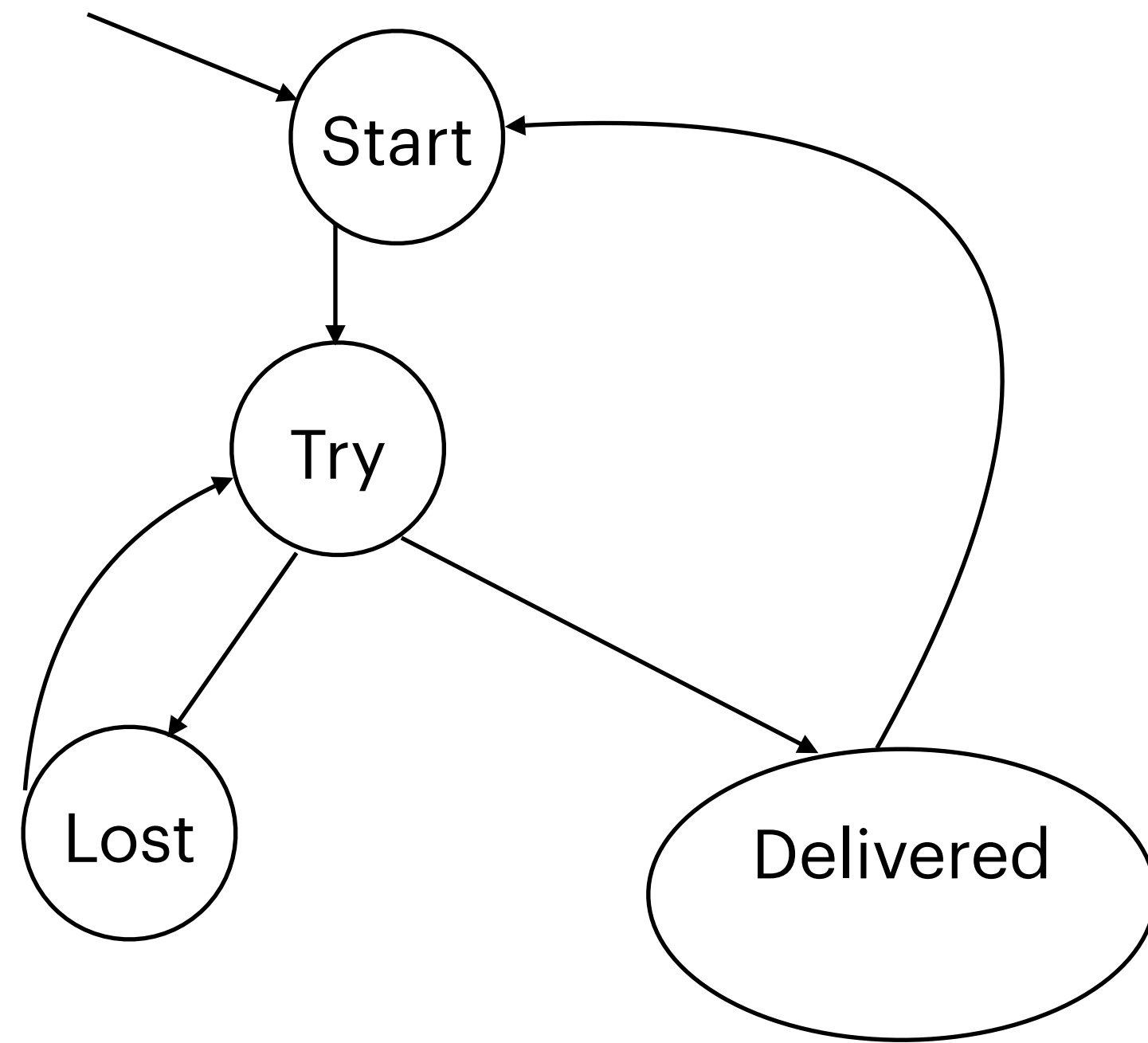


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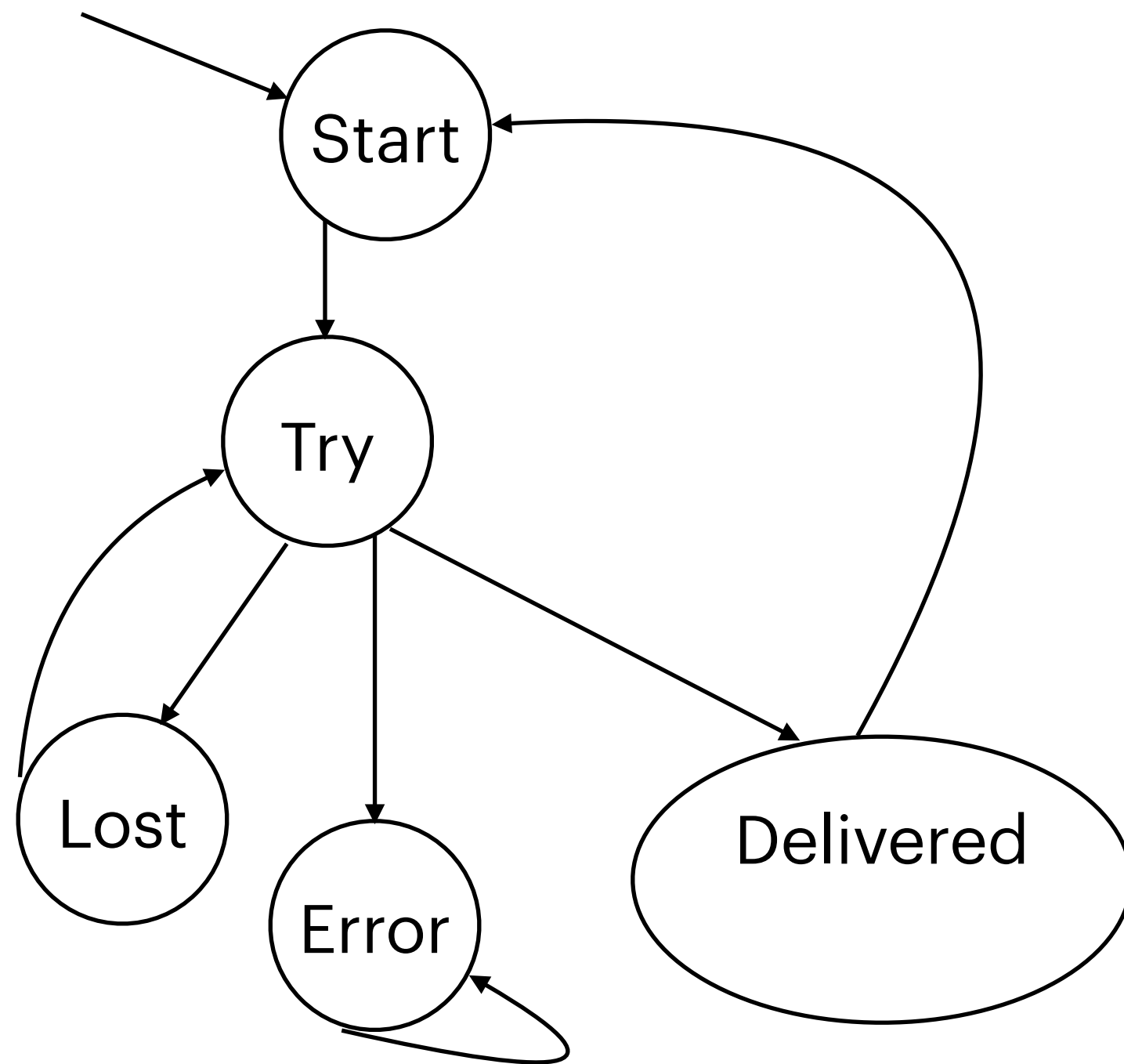


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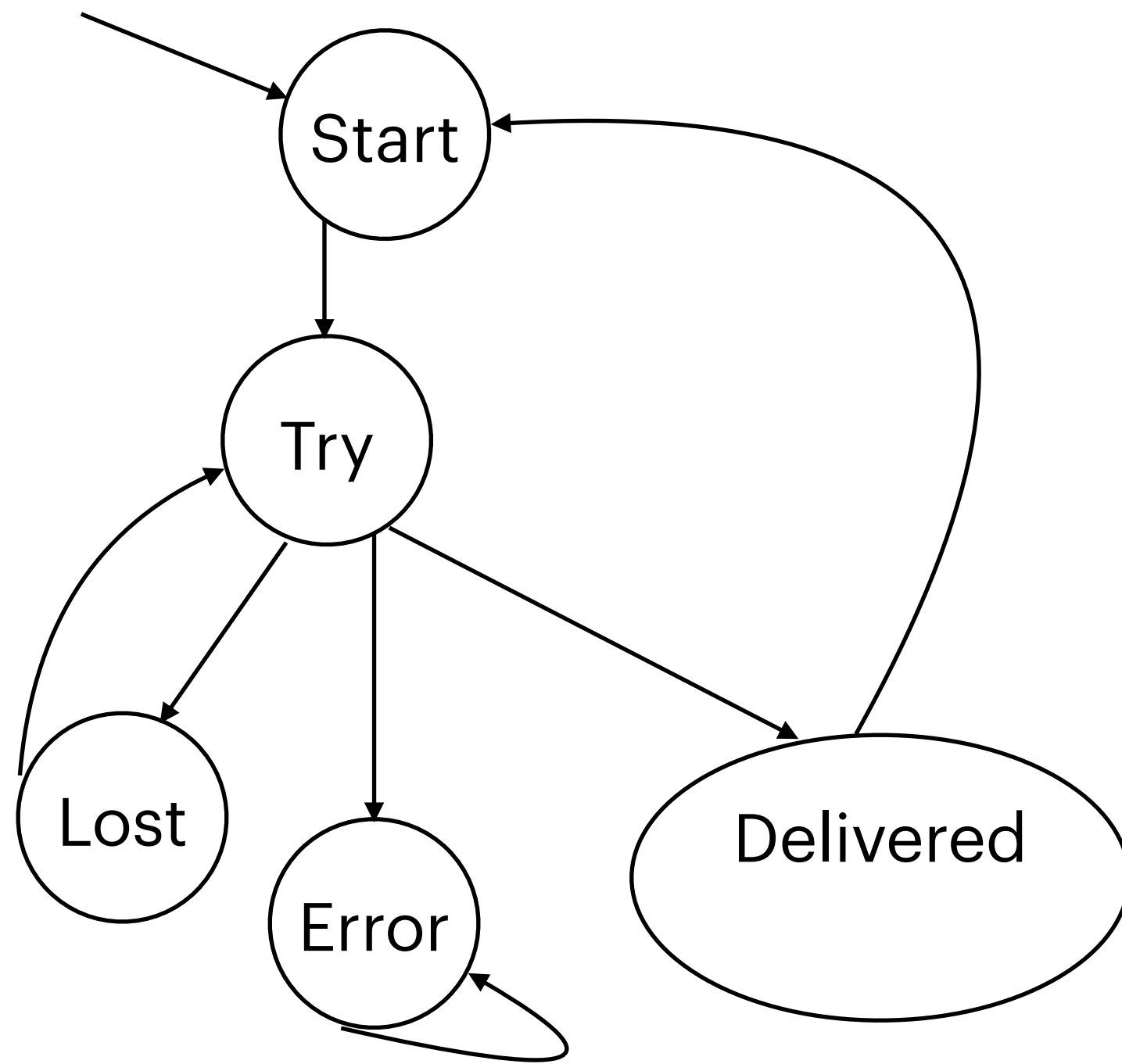


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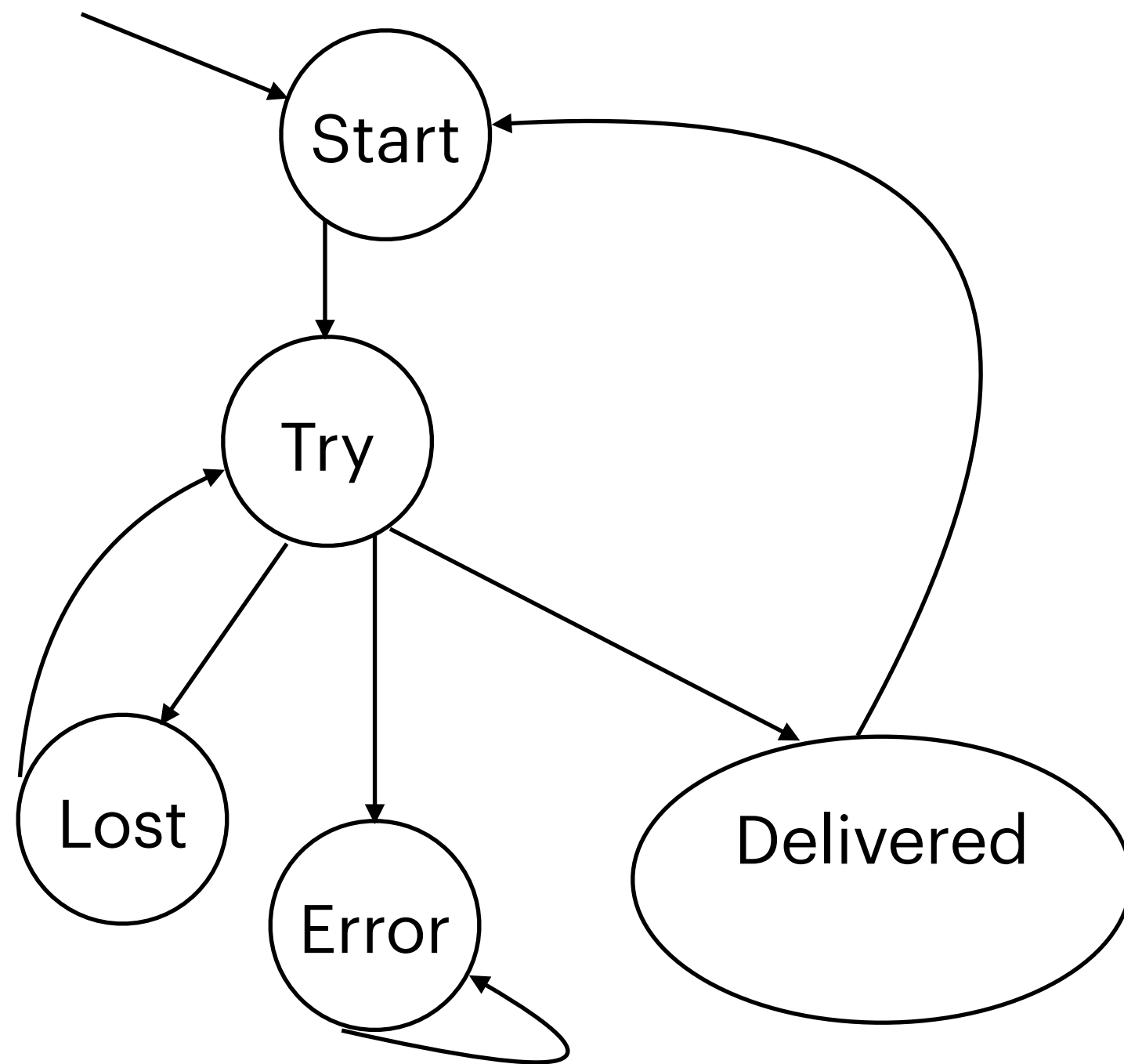
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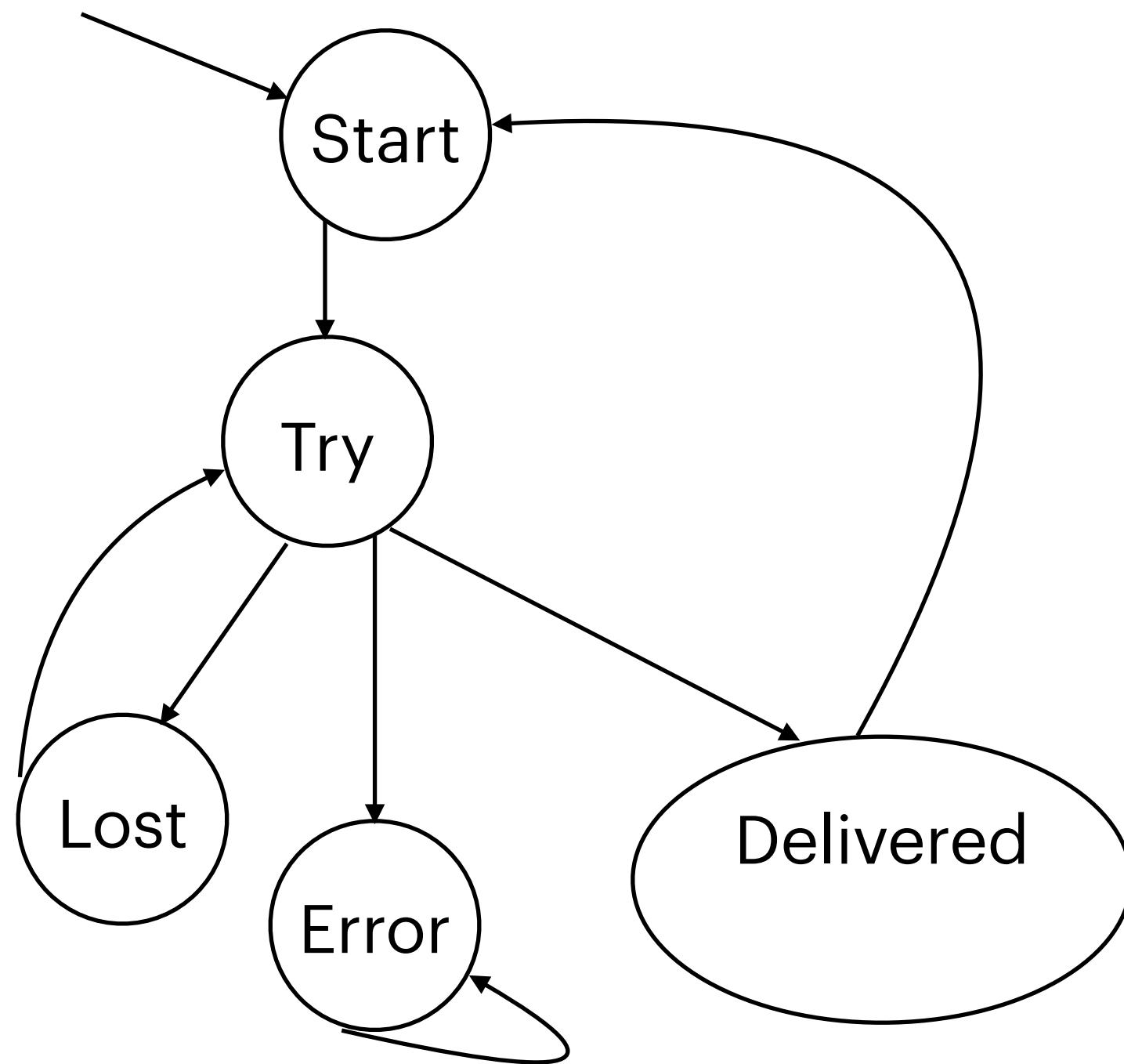
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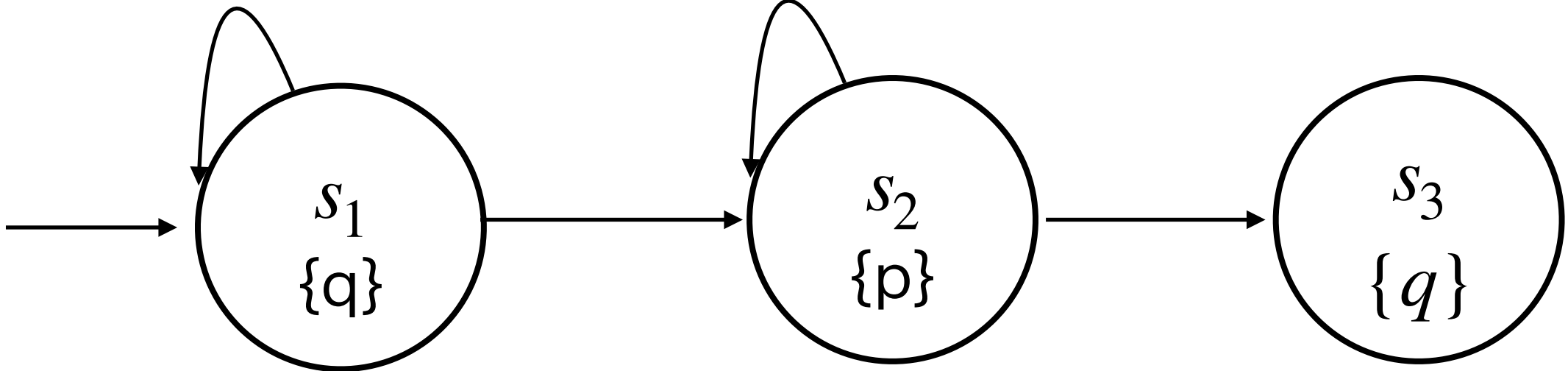
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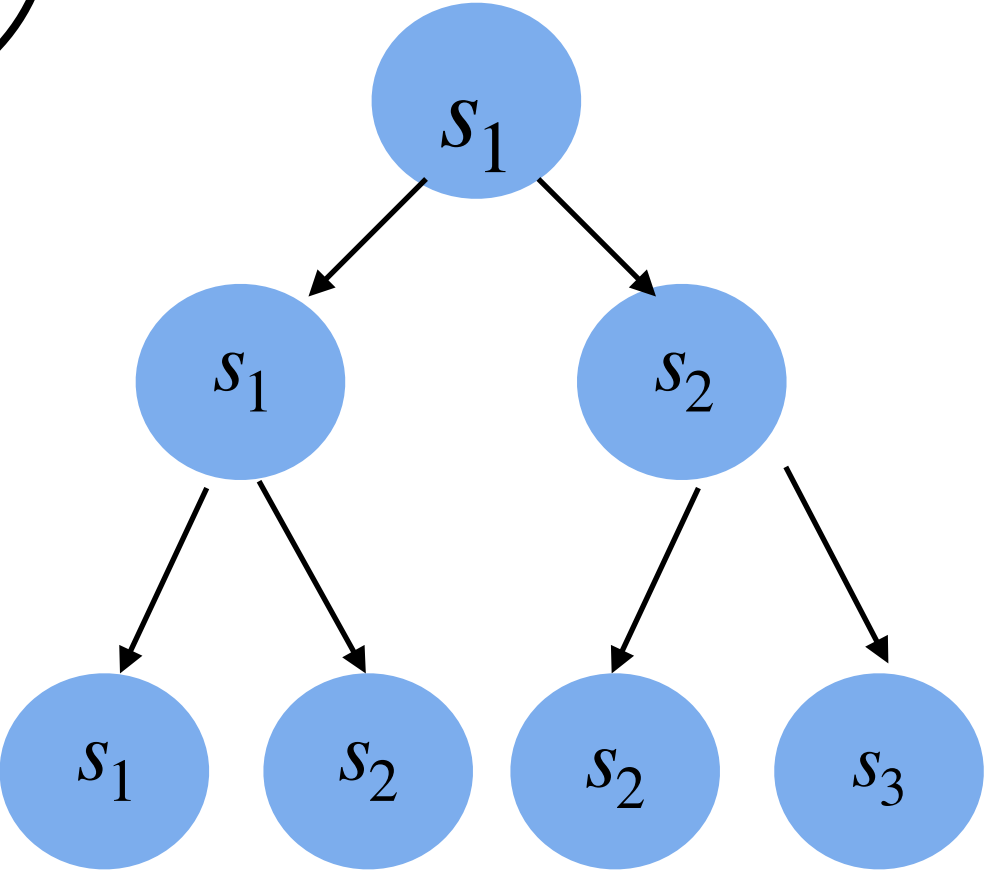
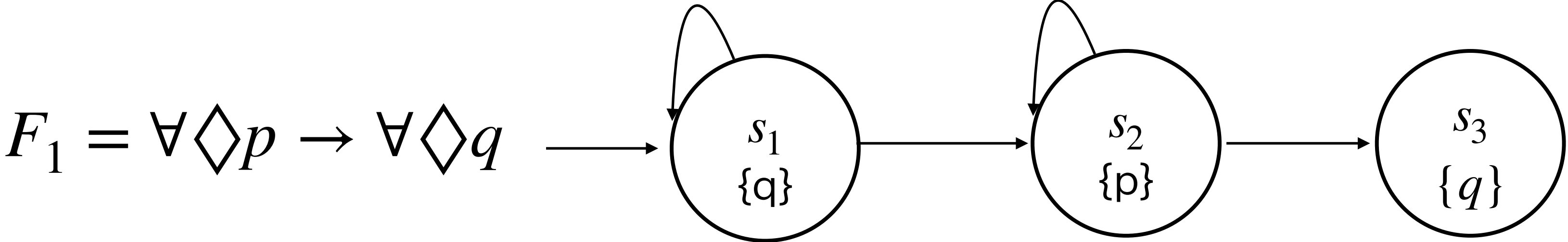
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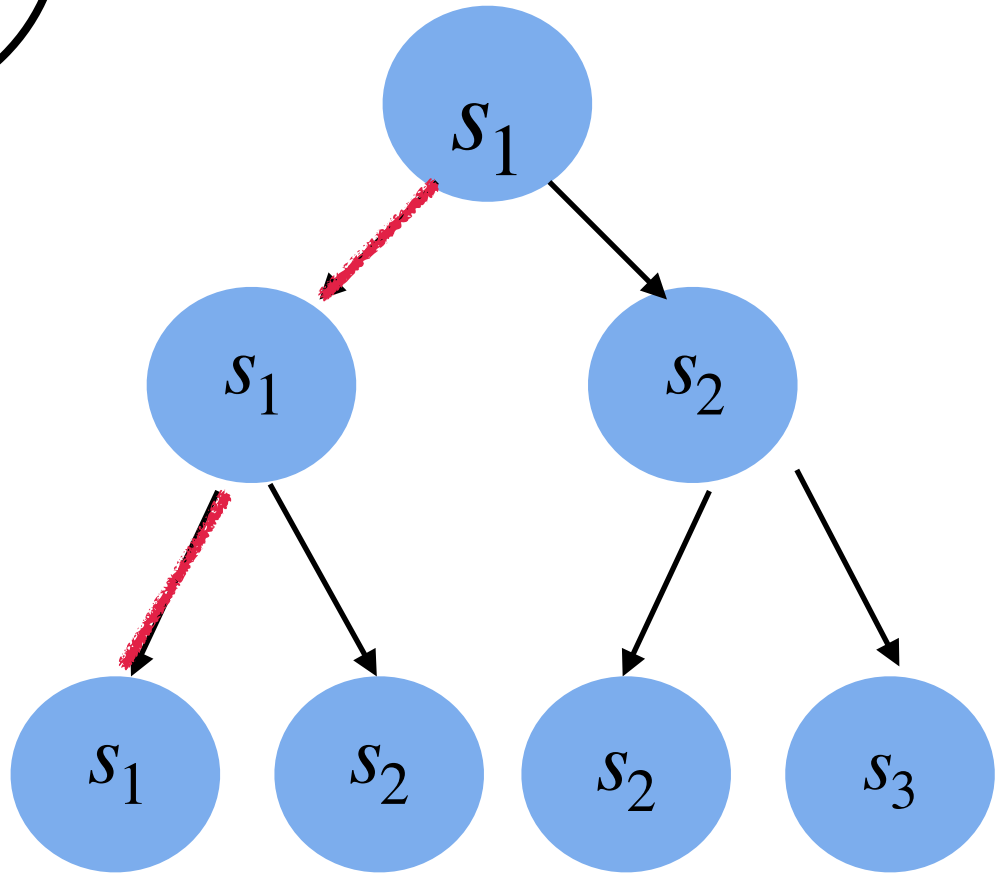
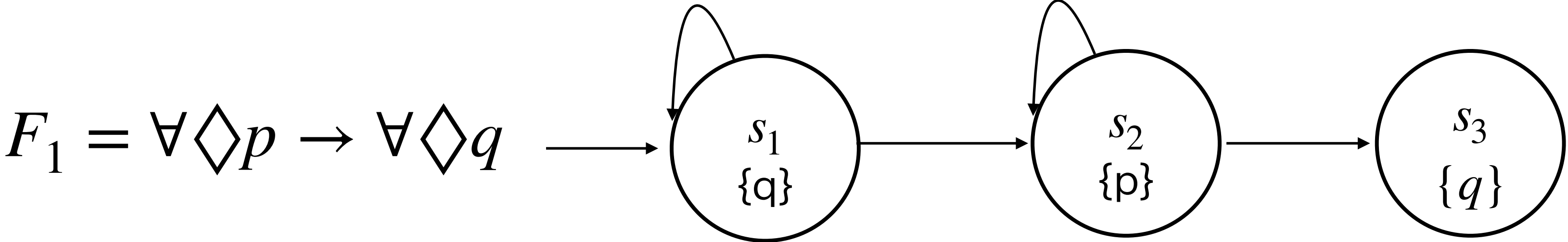


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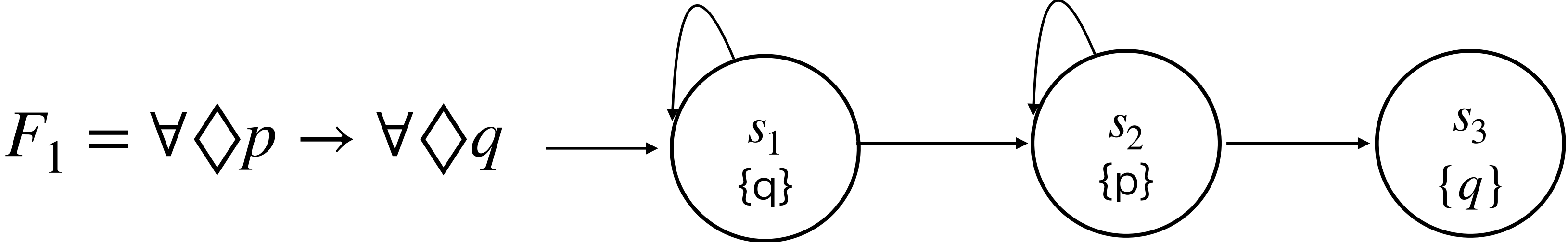


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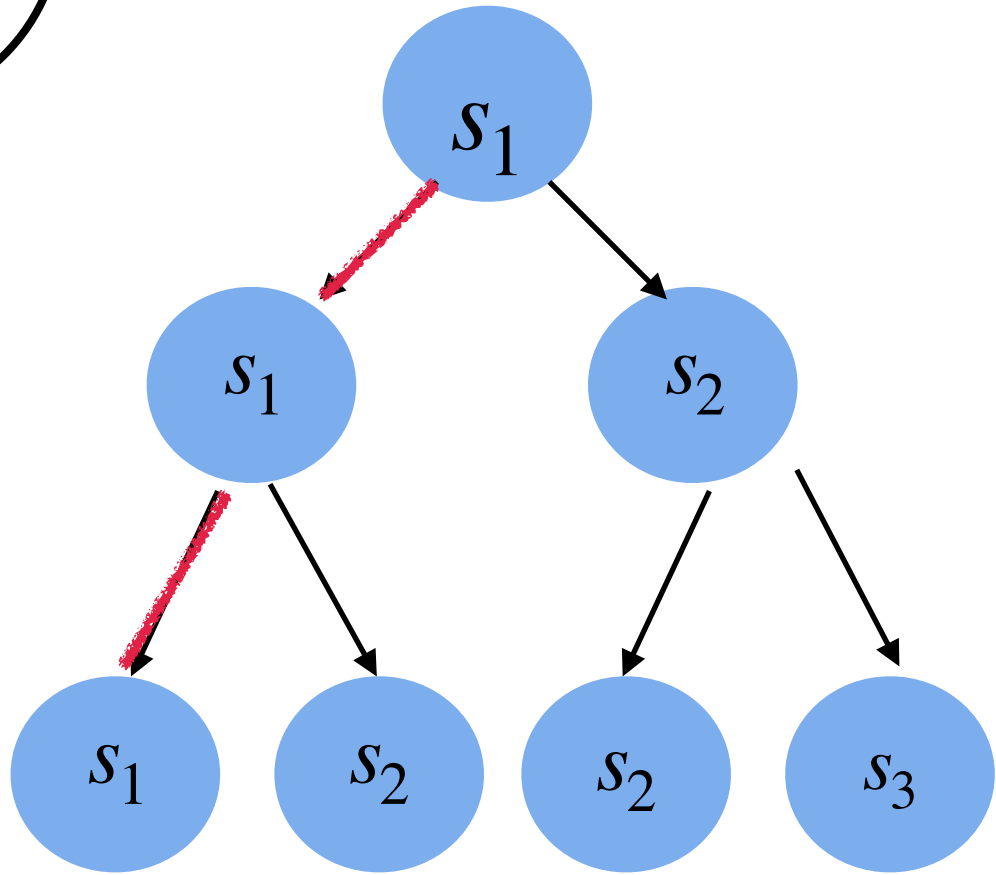
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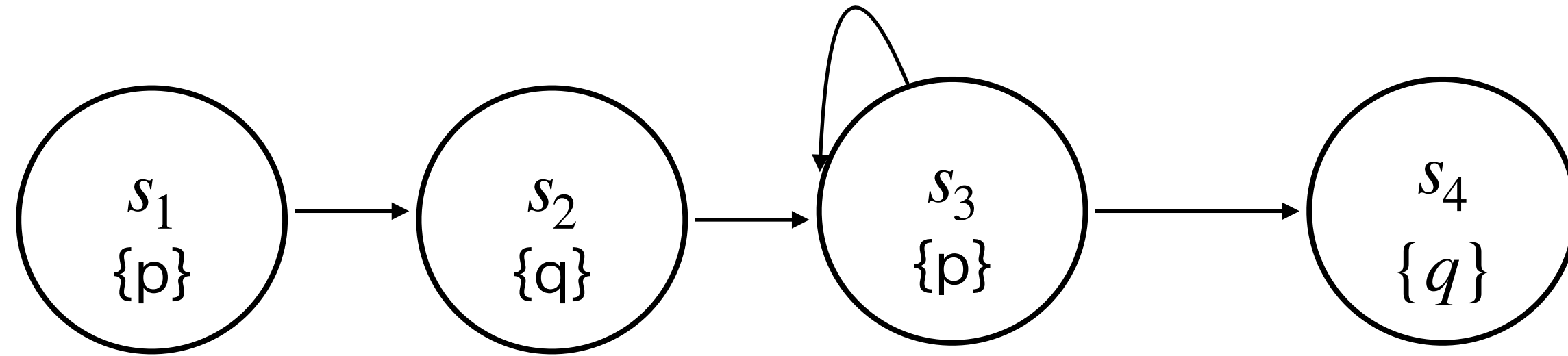
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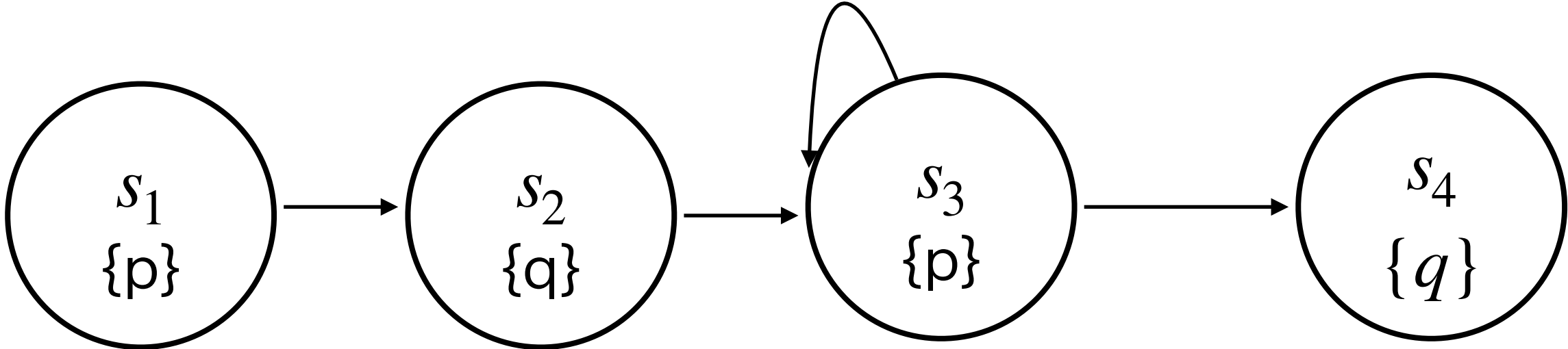
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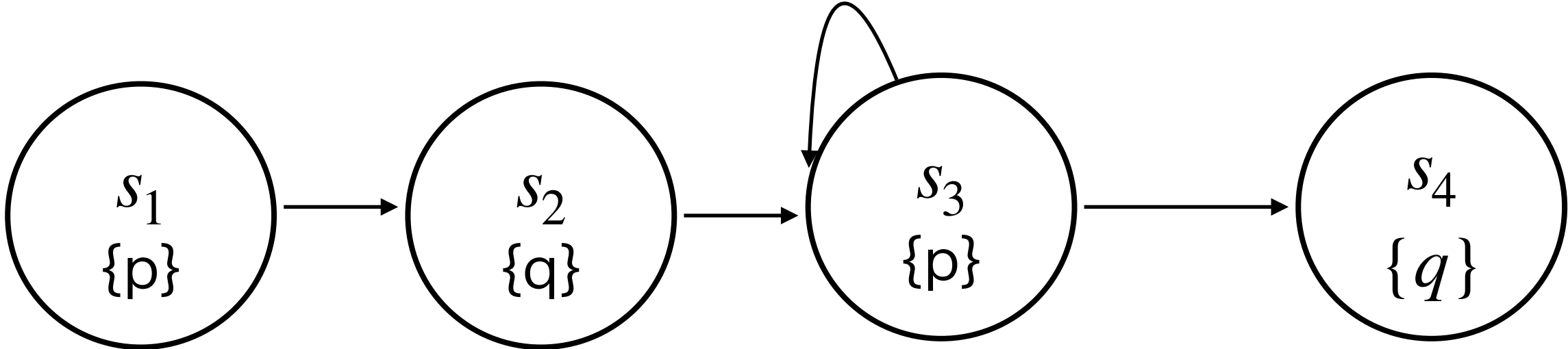
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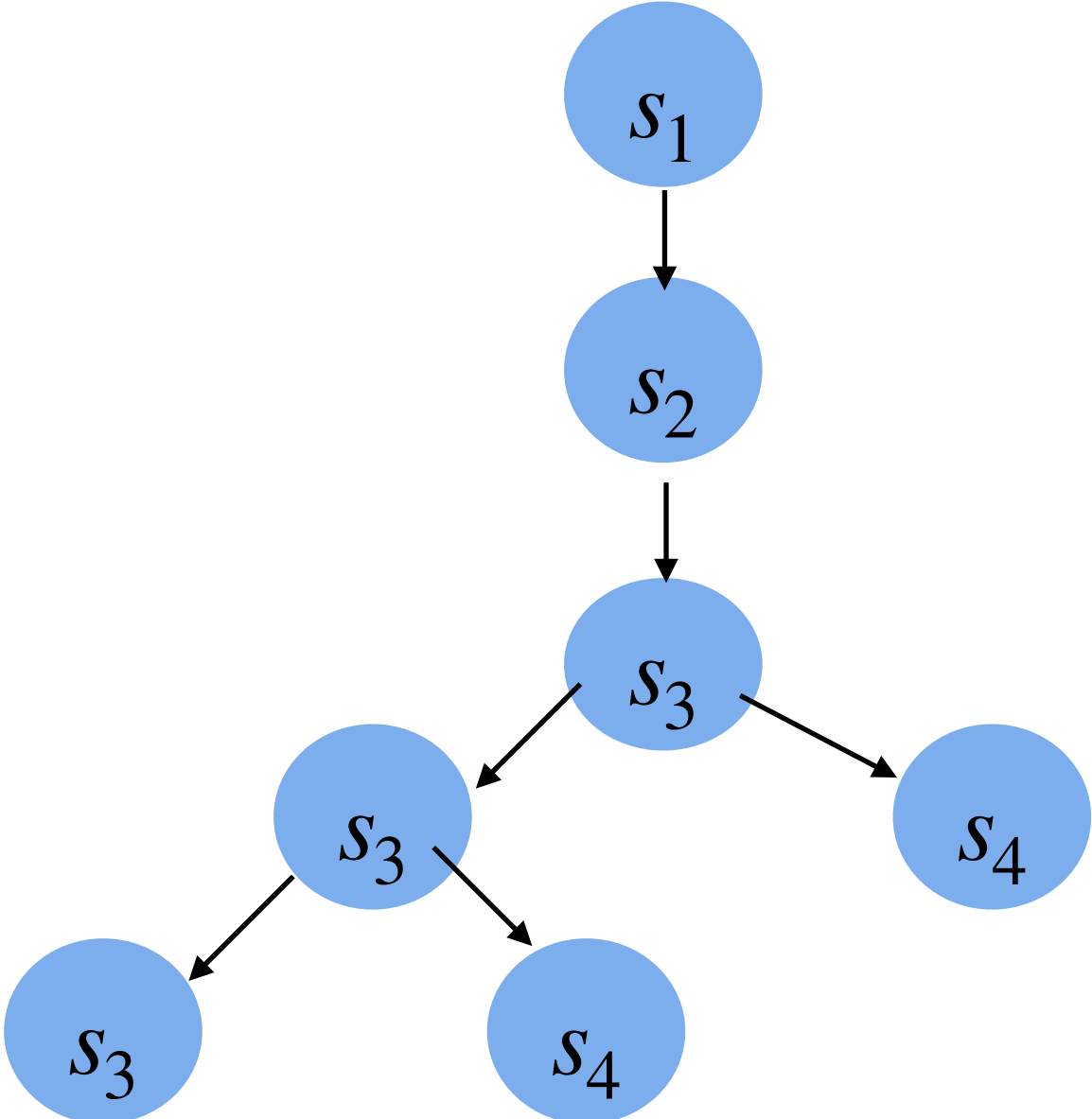
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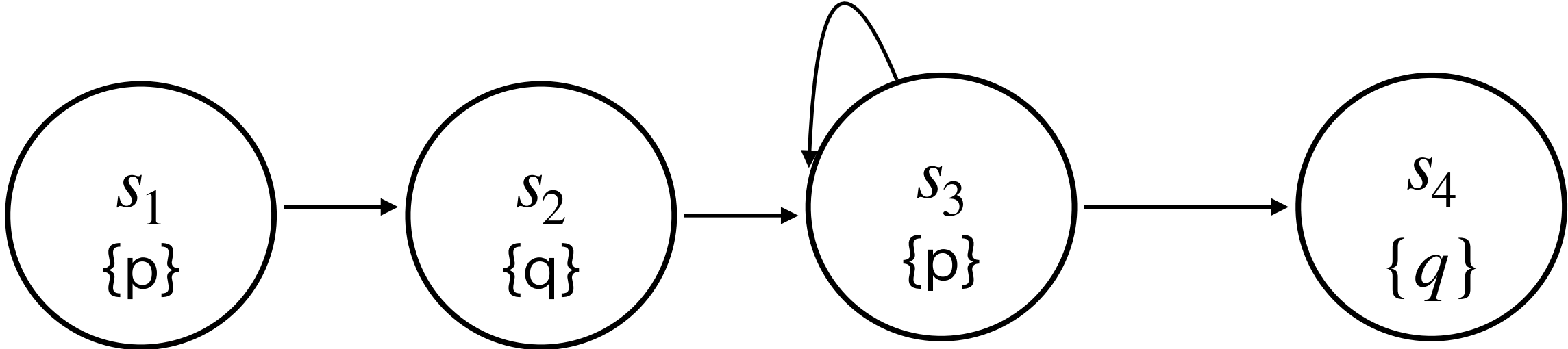


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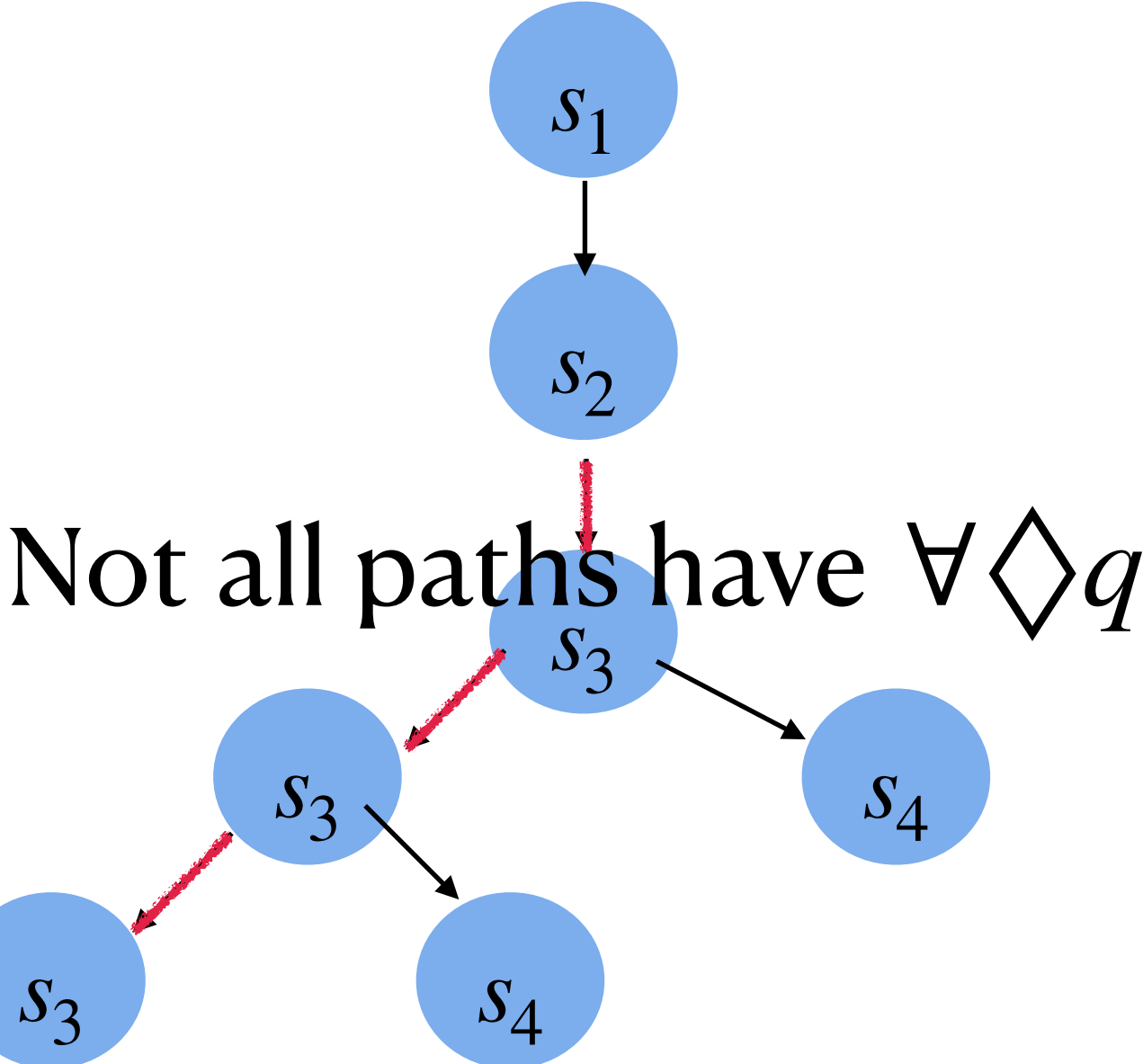
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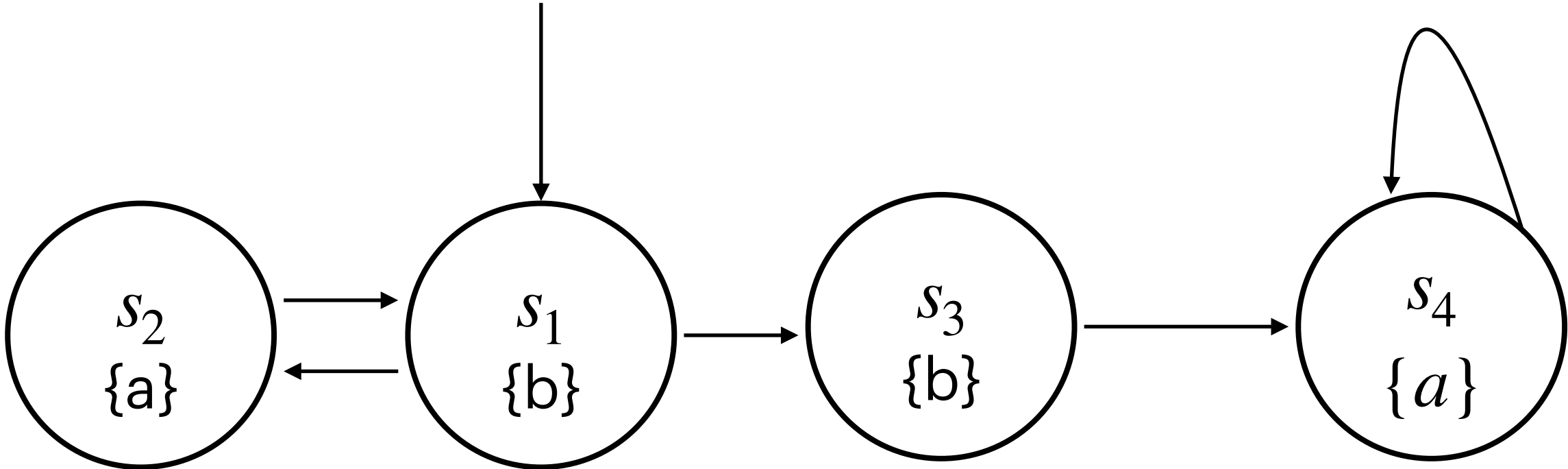
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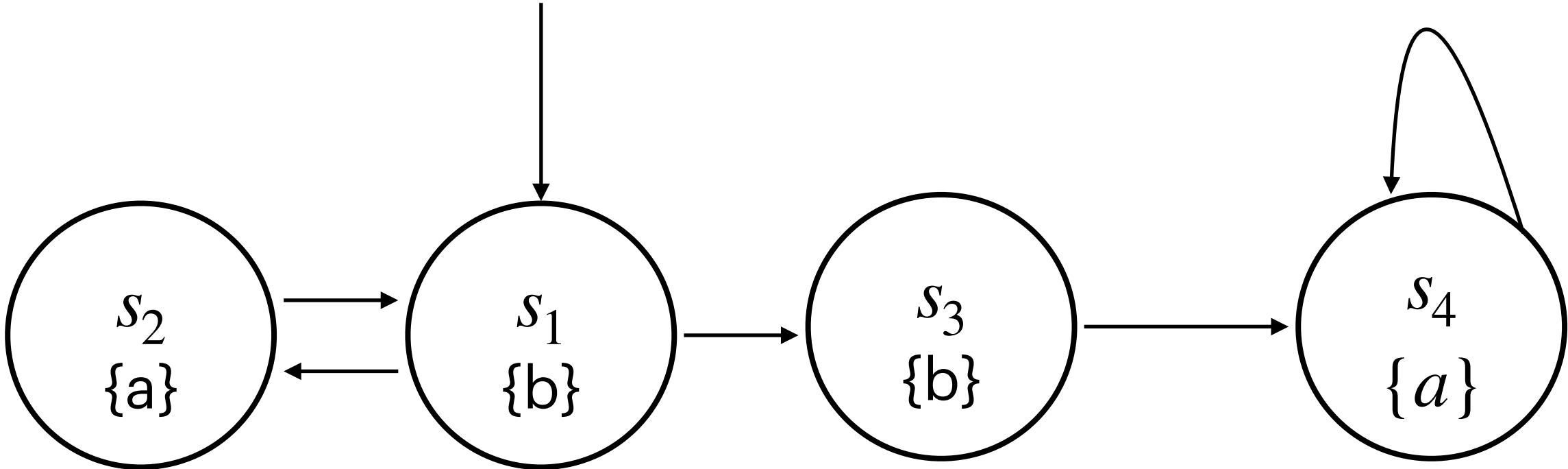
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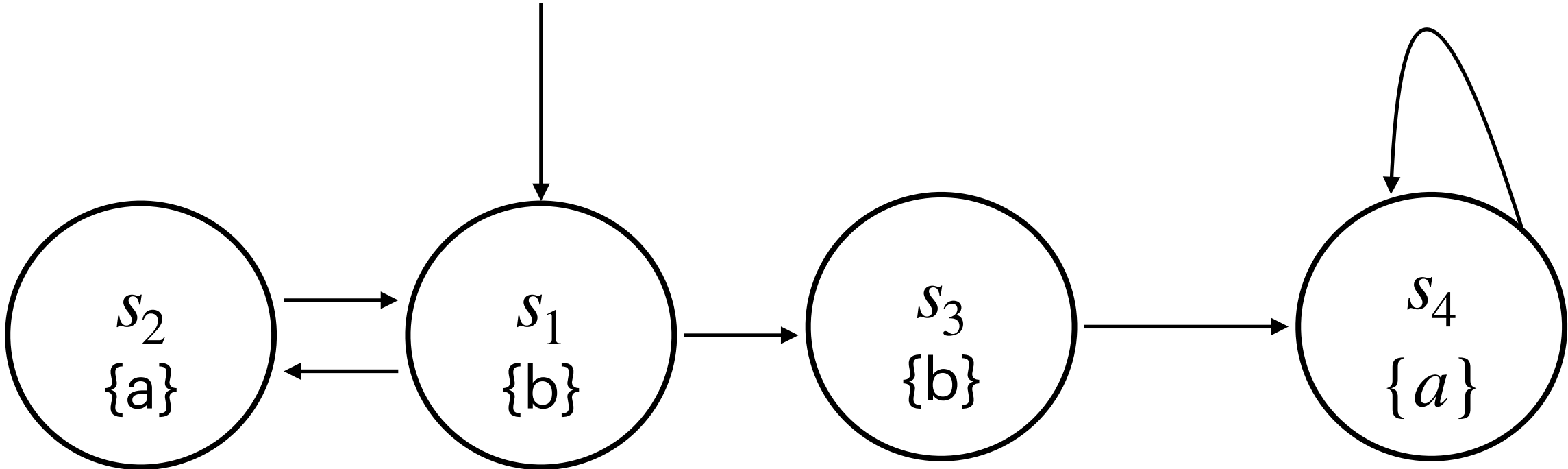
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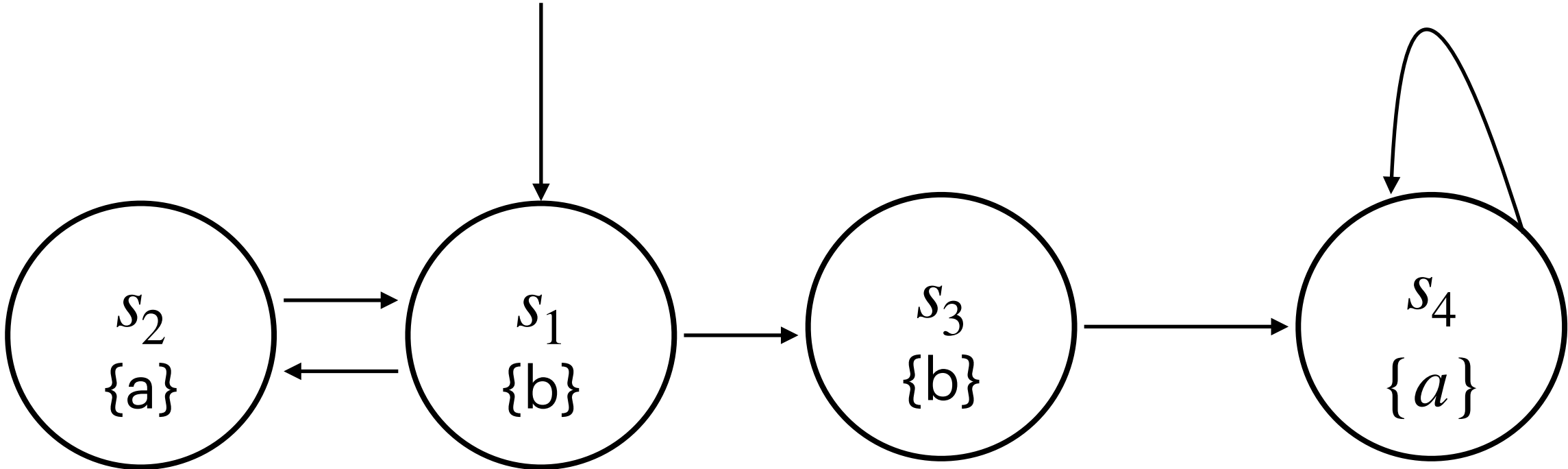
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$$\forall \square \forall \diamond a \stackrel{?}{\equiv} \square \diamond a \quad \text{Yes!}$$

Infinitely often a.

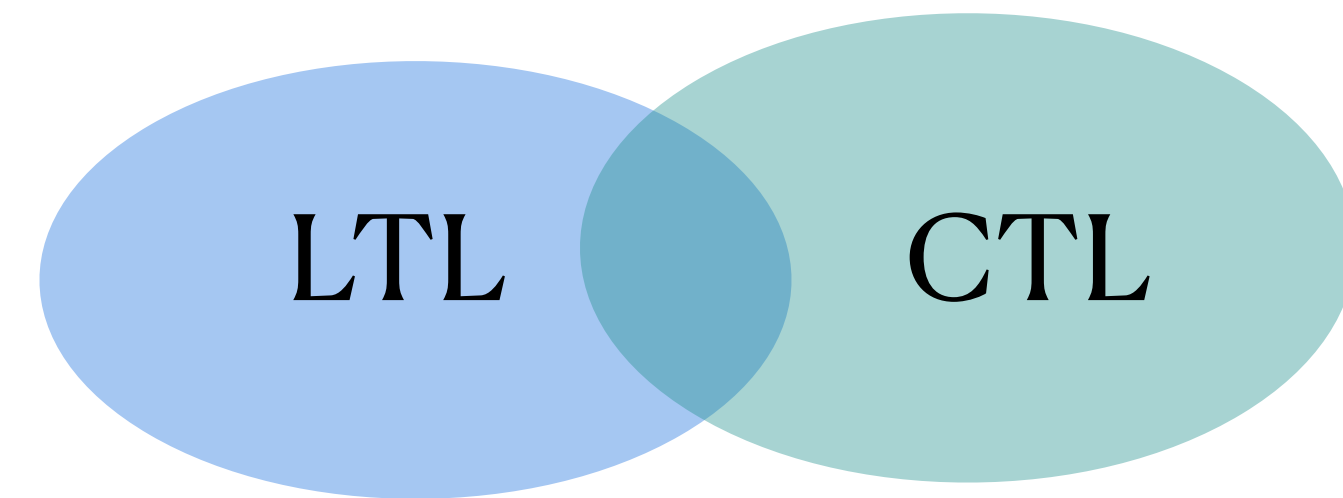
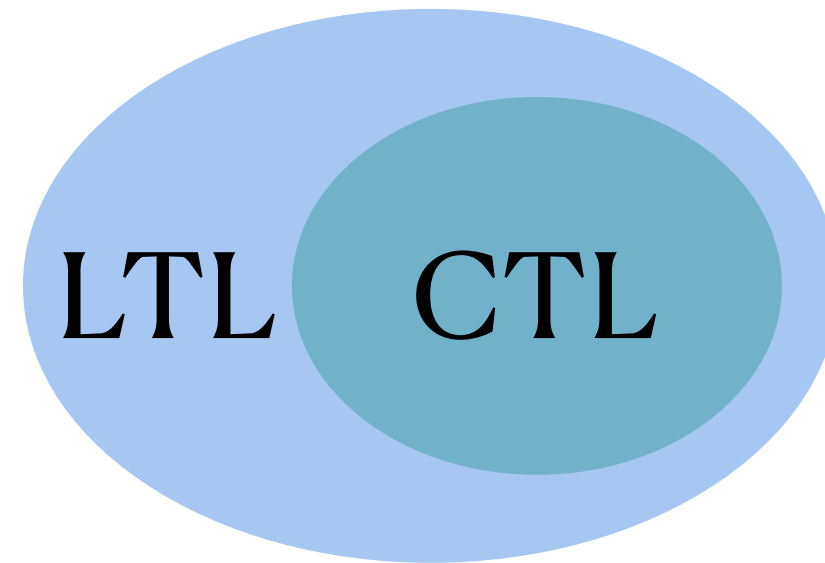
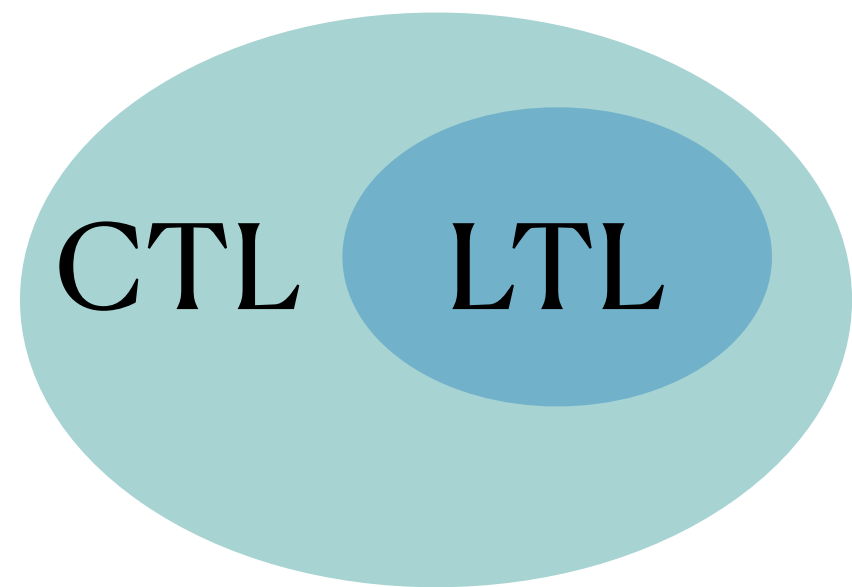
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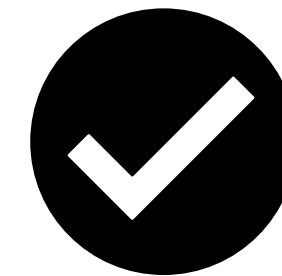
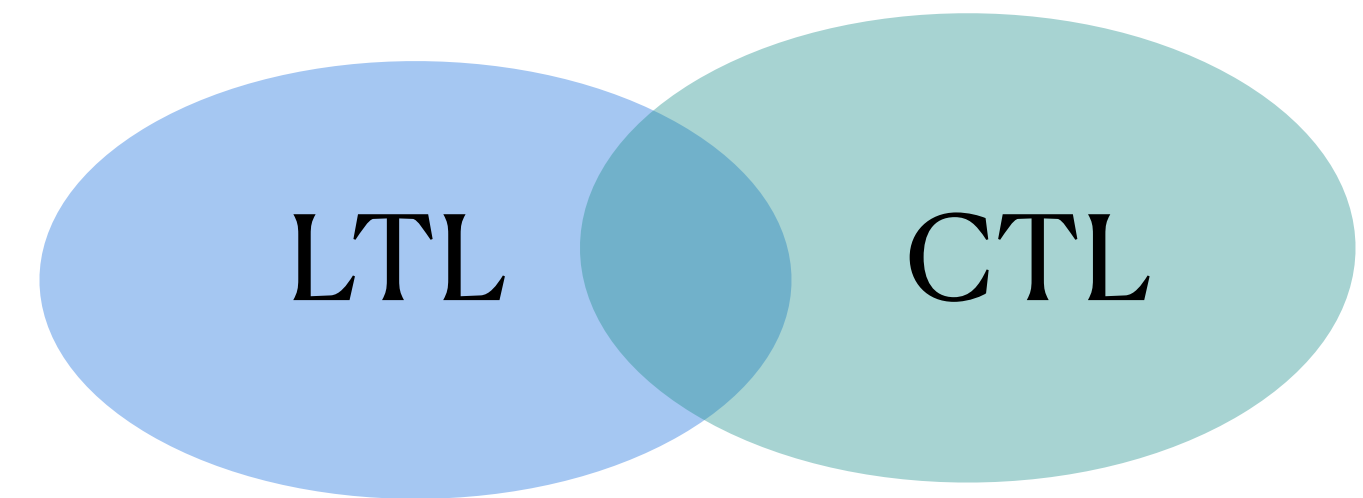
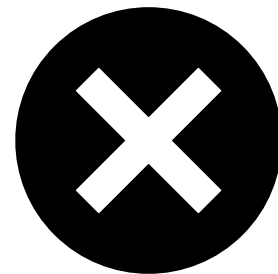
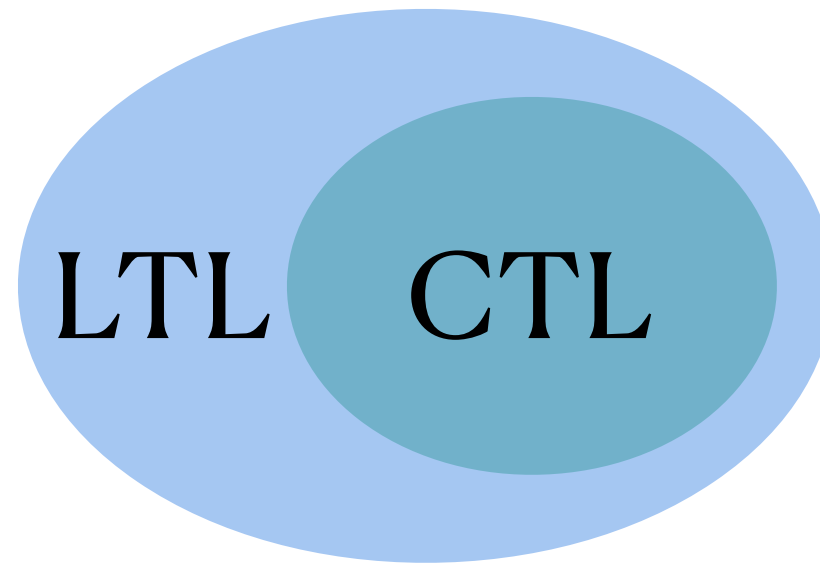
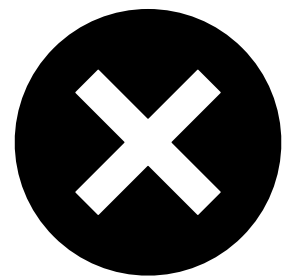
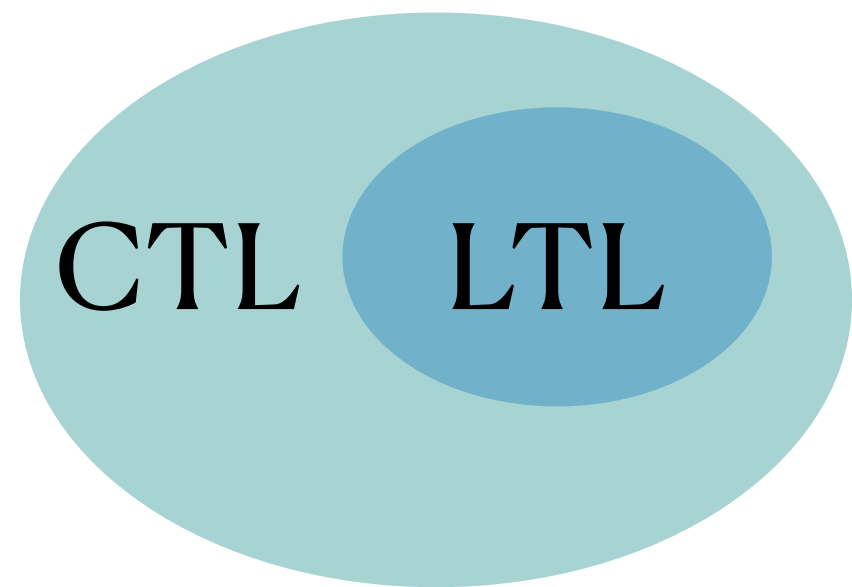
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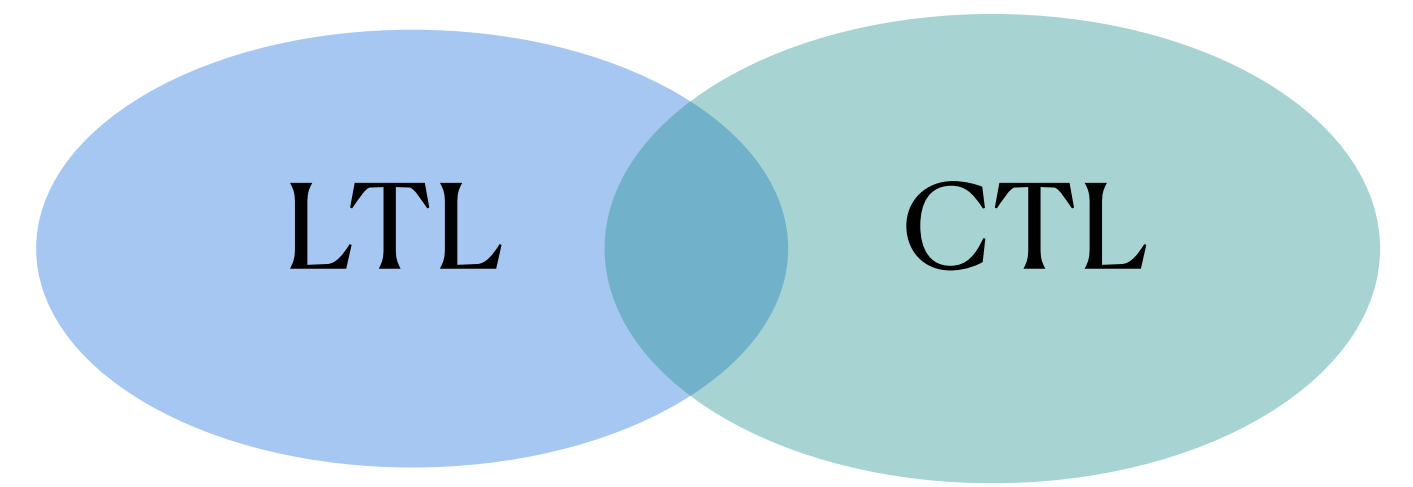


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Many CTL formula can't be expressed as LTL.

For those containing paths quantified existentially. $\forall \square (p \rightarrow \exists \diamond q)$

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Those that select a range of paths with a property.

$$\diamond p \rightarrow \diamond q \quad \diamond \square p$$

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Thanks!