

On the complexity of unary tiling-recognizable languages

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- The class REC

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- Quasi-unary strings

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Main result

- Complexity class for quasi-unary strings

- Characterization of REC_1

Some details...

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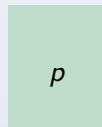
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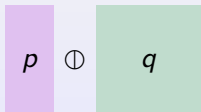
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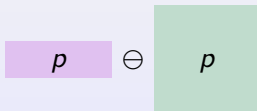
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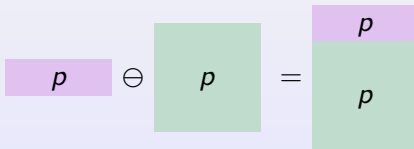
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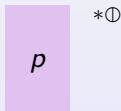
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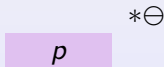
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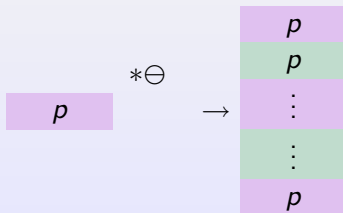
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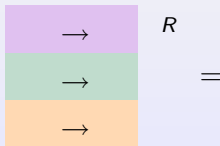
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- ▶ REC can be defined using different approach:
 - ▶ regular expressions
 - ▶ online tessellation automata
 - ▶ logic formulas
 - ▶ tiling systems

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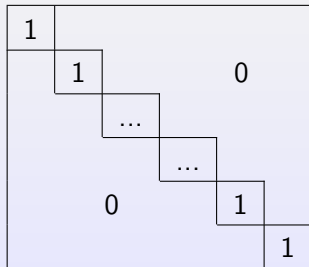
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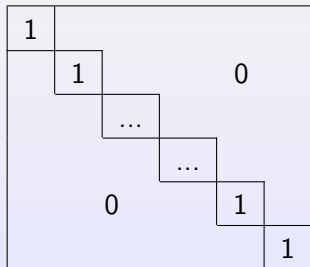
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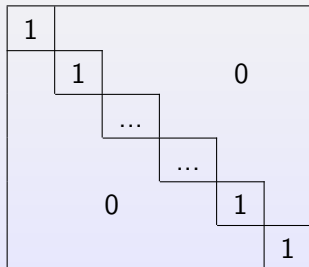


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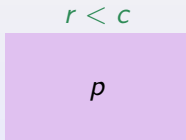
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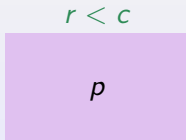
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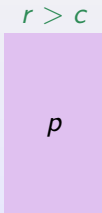
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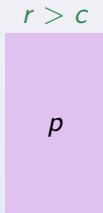
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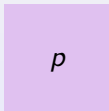


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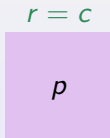
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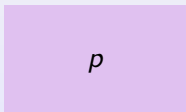
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Theorem

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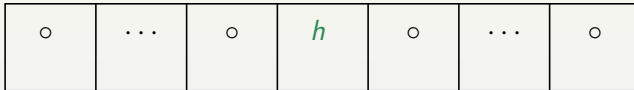
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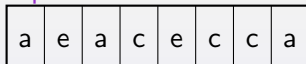
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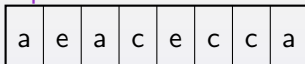
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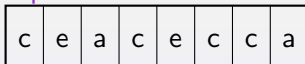
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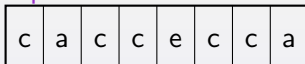
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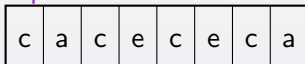
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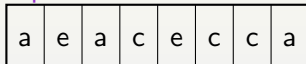
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The accepting-computation language of a Turing machine is in REC

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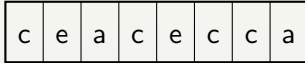
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$$\delta(q_0, a) \ni (q_1, c, +)$$

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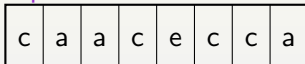
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$$\delta(q_1, e) \ni (q_4, a, +)$$

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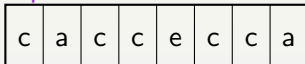
q_4

$$\delta(q_4, a) \ni (q_2, c, +)$$

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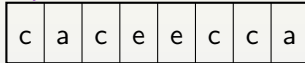


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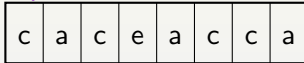


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$$\delta(q_4, c) \ni (q_5, e, -)$$

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$L_1 \diamond L_2$ is defined as the set of pictures $p_1 \times p_2$, $p_i \in L_i$, such that

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- ▶ the first row of p_1 **equals** the first row of p_2

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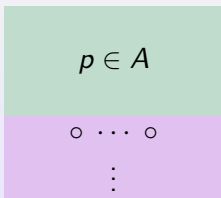
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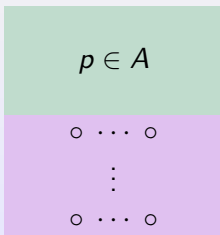
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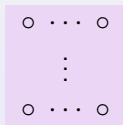
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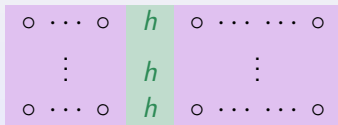
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$$M_s = \{\text{Unary squares}\}$$

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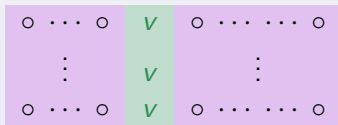
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