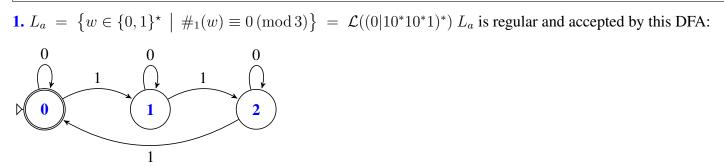
## **D10 Answers: DFA's and Regular Expressions**

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**2.**  $L_b = \{0^i 1^j 0^{i+j} \mid i, j \in \mathbb{Z}^+\}$  is not regular. We prove this using the Pumping Lemma.

**Assume:**  $L_b$  is accepted by DFA D with n states.

you (G) choose string:  $w \in L_b = \mathcal{L}(D)$ 

Let  $w = 0^n 1^n 0^{2n}$ 

By pumping lemma, D chooses  $x, y, z \in \{a, b\}^*$ , s.t.,

- 1.  $w = 0^n 1^n 0^{2n} = xyz$
- 2.  $|xy| \leq n$
- 3. |y| > 0, and
- 4.  $\forall k \in \mathbf{N} (xy^k z \in L_b)$

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Since 0 < |xy| \le n, y = 0^{i}, 0 < i \le n
Thus xy^{0}z = 0^{n-i}1^{n}0^{2n} \in L_{b}.
but 0^{n-i}1^{n}0^{2n} \notin L_{b}
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 $\Rightarrow \Leftarrow$ 

Therefore  $L_b$  is **not DFA acceptable**.

**3.** 
$$L_c = \{a^i b^j \mid i, j \in \mathbb{N}; i+j \equiv 1 \pmod{2}\} = \mathcal{L}(a(aa)^* | ((aa)^* b | a(aa)^* bb)(bb)^*)$$

 $L_c$  is regular and accepted by this DFA:

