

Automata Tools

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Chapter 1

Automata Tools

This library implements finite state automata (deterministic and non-deterministic), regular expressions and regular grammar related functions. The library is developed as part of the lecture "Verlässliches Programmieren in C/C++" of the department – [Angewandte Datentechnik](#) at the [Uni Paderborn](#).

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4.1 `DynArray< T >` Class Template Reference

Array of dynamic size.

```
#include <RG_DynArray.h>
```

Public Member Functions

- `DynArray ()`
`DynArray` Constructor Dynamically allocates Memory and initialises the size.
- `~DynArray ()`
Destructor.
- `void doubleSize ()`
Doubles the Size of the `DynArray`.
- `void add (T element)`
adds an element to the `DynArray`
- `T & operator[] (const unsigned int nIndex)`
overrides the `[]` operator
- `unsigned int getLength ()`
returns the Size of the `DynArray`
- `void printArray ()`
prints the elements of the `DynArray`

4.1.1 Detailed Description

```
template<class T>class DynArray< T >
```

Array of dynamic size.

This is a container template class where the different components of a [Grammar](#) are stored. It represents a dynamic array with the possibility of dynamically increasing the length. (a self implemented vector class)

4.1.2 Member Function Documentation

4.1.2.1 `template<class T> void DynArray< T >::add (T element)`

adds an element to the [DynArray](#)

Parameters

<i>element</i>	the element to add
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4.1.2.2 `template<class T> void DynArray< T >::doubleSize ()`

Doubles the Size of the [DynArray](#).

called when trying to add an element to a full [DynArray](#).

4.1.2.3 `template<class T> unsigned int DynArray< T >::getLength ()`

returns the Size of the [DynArray](#)

Returns

Size of the [DynArray](#)

4.1.2.4 `template<class T> T & DynArray< T >::operator[] (const unsigned int nIndex)`

overrides the [] operator

The elements of the [DynArray](#) can then be accessed with the [] operator. This Method also checks is the index can be accepted within the size of the [DynArray](#).

Parameters

<i>nIndex</i>	
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Returns

4.1.2.5 `template<class T> void DynArray< T >::printArray ()`

prints the elements of the [DynArray](#)

works only for Scalar types and strings for now

The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

- [RG_DynArray.h](#)

4.2 FiniteStateAutomaton Class Reference

Finite [State](#) Automaton data structure.

```
#include <FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) ()
Constructor for FSA.
- [~FiniteStateAutomaton](#) ()
Destructor for FSA.
- void [addState](#) (string p_szStateName)
Add a new state to FSA.
- void [addState](#) ([State](#) *p_stNewState)
Add a new state to FSA.
- void [removeState](#) (string p_szStateName)
Remove state from FSA.
- void [outputStateList](#) ()
Output of all states.
- void [printStartState](#) ()
Output the names of all startStates.
- void [printFinalState](#) ()
Output the names of all finalStates .
- bool [bStateExists](#) (string p_szName)
Searches the state list for a state with the given name for existence.
- [State](#) * [getState](#) (string p_szName)
Searches the state list for a state with the given name, and returns a pointer to that state.
- [State](#) * [getStartState](#) ()
Returns the start state of this automaton.
- vector< [State](#) * > * [getFinalStates](#) ()
Returns the final states vector.
- vector< [State](#) * > * [getStateList](#) ()
Returns the state vector.
- void [addTransition](#) (string p_szBeginningState, string p_szEdge, string p_szFinalState)
Add a transition to transitionlist.

- void [addTransition](#) ([State](#) *p_stBeginningState, string p_szEdge, [State](#) *p_st-FinalState)
Add a transition to transitionlist.
- void [addTransition](#) (string p_szInput)
Add a transition to transitionlist.
- void [removeTransition](#) (string p_szBeginningState, string p_szEdge, string p_sz-FinalState)
Remove a transition.
- void [outputTransitionList](#) ()
Output of all transitions.
- vector< string > [getEdgesFromTransitionList](#) ()
Gets all edge names from this automata's transition vector.
- vector< [Transition](#) * > * [getTransitions](#) ()
Getter for the transitionlist.
- void [read](#) (string p_szFileName)
Reads data for this automata from a file, and adjusts all objects (setting the lists etc).
- void [write](#) (string p_szFileName)
Writes the data of the automata into a textfile.
- void [testEdge](#) (string p_szTestEdge)
Prints the transition that includes the testedge.
- [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * [fsaConvertNEAtoDEA](#) ()
Converts this finite state automata into a new deterministic finite state automata.
- [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * [minimize](#) ()
Minimizes this FSA using Moore's algorithm.
- void [removeEmptyEdges](#) ()
Tries to remove all empty transitions thate are not essential for the language.
- [Grammar](#) * [convertToGrammar](#) ()
Converts this FSA to Regular [Grammar](#).

4.2.1 Detailed Description

Finite [State](#) Automaton data structure.

4.2.2 Member Function Documentation

4.2.2.1 void FiniteStateAutomaton::addState (string p_szStateName)

Add a new state to FSA.

Parameters

<i>p_szState-Name</i>	Name of added state.
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Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.2 void FiniteStateAutomaton::addState (State * *p_stNewState*)

Add a new state to FSA.

Parameters

<i>*p_stNewState</i>	Pointer of type state direction to the added state.
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Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.3 void FiniteStateAutomaton::addTransition (string *p_szBeginningState*, string *p_szEdge*, string *p_szFinalState*)

Add a transition to transitionlist.

Parameters

<i>p_szBeginningState</i>	Name of the first state of transition,
<i>p_szEdge</i>	Name of the transition edge,
<i>p_szFinalState</i>	Name of the second state of transition.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.4 void FiniteStateAutomaton::addTransition (State * *p_stBeginningState*, string *p_szEdge*, State * *p_stFinalState*)

Add a transition to transitionlist.

Parameters

<i>*p_stBeginningState</i>	Pointer of type state (begining state of transition),
<i>p_szEdge</i>	Name of the edge,
<i>*p_stFinalState</i>	Pointer of type state (final state of transition).

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.5 void FiniteStateAutomaton::addTransition (string *p_szInput*)

Add a transition to transitionlist.

Parameters

<i>p_szInput</i>	String that includes the whole transition ("beginingState edge final-State").
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Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.6 bool FiniteStateAutomaton::bStateExists (string *p_szName*)

Searches the state list for a state with the given name for existence.

Parameters

<i>p_szName</i>	Name of the state to search for.
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Returns

True if a state with the given name exists in the state list, false if not.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.2.2.7 Grammar * FiniteStateAutomaton::convertToGrammar ()

Converts this FSA to Regular [Grammar](#).

Returns

A new instance of grammar.

Author

fabiani

4.2.2.8 FiniteStateAutomaton * FiniteStateAutomaton::fsaConvertNEAtoDEA ()

Converts this finite state automata into a new deterministic finite state automata.

There is no check if this automata is already deterministic, the conversion is done no matter what.

Returns

A pointer to the new finite state automata.

Author

skowelek

4.2.2.9 vector< string > FiniteStateAutomaton::getEdgesFromTransitionList ()

Gets all edge names from this automata's transition vector.

Returns

A vector containing all the edge names.

Author

skowelek

4.2.2.10 vector< State * > * FiniteStateAutomaton::getFinalStates ()

Returns the final states vector.

Additionally, it updates the vector on everytime by calling FiniteStateAutomata::remove-FinalStates to remove non-final states and checks the state vector for final states that are not in the vector.

Returns

The final states vector.

Author

skowelek

4.2.2.11 State * FiniteStateAutomaton::getStartState ()

Returns the start state of this automaton.

Returns

The start state of this automaton.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.2.2.12 State * FiniteStateAutomaton::getState (string p_szName)

Searches the state list for a state with the given name, and returns a pointer to that state.

Parameters

<i>p_szName</i>	Name of the state to search for.
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Returns

A pointer to the state if it has been found, NULL if not.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.2.2.13 vector< State * > * FiniteStateAutomaton::getStateList ()

Returns the state vector.

Returns

The state vector.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.2.2.14 vector< Transition * > * FiniteStateAutomaton::getTransitions ()

Getter for the transitionlist.

Returns

vector<Transition*>* Pointer of type vector<Transition*>

Author

skowelek

4.2.2.15 FiniteStateAutomaton * FiniteStateAutomaton::minimize ()

Minimizes this FSA using Moore's algorithm.

Returns

The minimized FSA.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.2.2.16 void FiniteStateAutomaton::outputStateList ()

Output of all states.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.17 void FiniteStateAutomaton::outputTransitionList ()

Output of all transitions.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.18 void FiniteStateAutomaton::printFinalState ()

Output the names of all finalStates .

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.19 void FiniteStateAutomaton::printStartState ()

Output the names of all startStates.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.20 void FiniteStateAutomaton::read (string *p_szFileName*)

Reads data for this automata from a file, and adjusts all objects (setting the lists etc).

Parameters

<i>p_szFileName</i>	Path and name of the file.
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Author

skowelek

4.2.2.21 void FiniteStateAutomaton::removeEmptyEdges ()

Tries to remove all empty transitions that are not essential for the language.

All empty loops are removed. When a state's only outgoing transitions are empty transitions to states that have no other incoming transitions, then these states will be merged (the source state & the target states).

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.2.2.22 void FiniteStateAutomaton::removeState (string *p_szStateName*)

Remove state from FSA.

Parameters

<i>p_szStateName</i>	Name of the removable state.
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Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.23 void FiniteStateAutomaton::removeTransition (string *p_szBeginningState*, string *p_szEdge*, string *p_szFinalState*)

Remove a transition.

Parameters

<i>p_szBeginning-State</i>	Name of the transitions beginning state,
<i>p_szEdge</i>	Name of the transitions edge,
<i>p_szFinal-State</i>	Name of the transitions final state.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.2.2.24 void FiniteStateAutomaton::testEdge (string *p_szTestEdge*)

Prints the transition that includes the testedge.

Parameters

<i>p_szTest-Edge</i>	Name of the testedge
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Author

fabiani

4.2.2.25 void FiniteStateAutomaton::write (string *p_szFileName*)

Writes the data of the automata into a textfile.

Parameters

<i>p_szFile-Name</i>	Path and name of the file.
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Author

skowelek

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp](#)
- [FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.cpp](#)

4.3 FSAEquivalenceChecker Class Reference

Checks whether two automata represent the same regular language.

```
#include <FSA_EquivalenceChecker.hpp>
```

Static Public Member Functions

- static bool [checkEquivalence](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) *fsa1, [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) *fsa2)

Checks the equivalence of two given finite state automata.

4.3.1 Detailed Description

Checks whether two automata represent the same regular language.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.3.2 Member Function Documentation

- 4.3.2.1 bool [FSAEquivalenceChecker::checkEquivalence](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * *fsa1*, [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * *fsa2*) [static]

Checks the equivalence of two given finite state automata.

The performed algorithm is based on the JFLAP implementation found in automata-graph.DFAEqualityChecker coded by Susan H. Rodger.

Parameters

<i>fsa1</i>	The one automaton.
<i>fsa2</i>	The other automaton.

Returns

Whether fsa1 accepts the same language as fsa2.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_EquivalenceChecker.hpp](#)
- [FSA_EquivalenceChecker.cpp](#)

4.4 FSAToREConverter Class Reference

Converts Finite [State](#) Automata to Regular Expressions.

```
#include <FSA_FSAtoREConverter.hpp>
```

Static Public Member Functions

- static [RegularExpression](#) * [toRE](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) *fsa)
Converts a FSA to a regular expression using Brzozowski's algebraic method.

4.4.1 Detailed Description

Converts Finite [State](#) Automata to Regular Expressions.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.4.2 Member Function Documentation

4.4.2.1 [RegularExpression](#) * [FSAtoREConverter::toRE](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * *fsa*)
[static]

Converts a FSA to a regular expression using Brzozowski's algebraic method.

The method was implemented according to information found at <http://cs.stackexchange.com/questions/2016/how-to-convert-finite-automata-to-regular-expressions>. This algorithm was then adapted to the existing data structures and improved.

Parameters

<i>fsa</i>	The FSA to convert.
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Returns

A regular expression equivalent to the given automaton.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_FSAtoREConverter.hpp](#)
- [FSA_FSAtoREConverter.cpp](#)

4.5 Grammar Class Reference

Represents a [Grammar](#).

```
#include <RG_Grammar.h>
```

Public Member Functions

- [Grammar](#) ()
Constructor.
- [~Grammar](#) ()
Destructor.
- void [addProduction](#) ([Production](#) *prod)
adds a production to the Grammar's Productions container.
- void [setStartSymbol](#) (string s)
A Setter Method for the Start Symbol.
- void [addTerminal](#) (string s)
adds a Terminal Symbol to the Grammar's Terminals container.
- void [addNonTerminal](#) (string s)
adds a Non-Terminal Symbol to the Grammars's Terminals container.
- void [processGrammarProductions](#) ()
processes the Grammar Productions
- [DynArray](#)< string > [getTerminals](#) ()
a getter Method
- [DynArray](#)< string > [getNonTerminals](#) ()
a getter Method
- string [getStartSymbol](#) ()
a getter Method
- [DynArray](#)< [Production](#) * > [getProductions](#) ()
a getter Method
- int [getNumberOfProductions](#) ()
a getter method
- [Production](#) * [getProduction](#) (int index)
a getter method
- int [isStartSymbol](#) (string symbol)
compares the startSymbol of the Grammar with the parameter symbol
- void [checkIfRegular](#) ()
checks if the Grammar is regular or not.
- void [initConvert](#) ()
checks if Grammar is a regular Grammar, if it is not the conversion cannot be proceeded.
- [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * [convertToFSA](#) ()
converts a Regular Grammar to a Finite States Automaton

4.5.1 Detailed Description

Represents a [Grammar](#).

(the fact that the [Grammar](#) is a Regular [Grammar](#) or not is checked (if wanted) after reading (or creating) with the method [Grammar::checkIfRegular\(\)](#)

A [Grammar](#) is defined through its Terminals, Non-Terminals and the Start Symbol. For this purpose, the chosen container class is a Dynamic Array defined in DynArray.h

see [checkIfRegular\(\)](#) for more information about a REGULAR [Grammar](#)

4.5.2 Member Function Documentation

4.5.2.1 void Grammar::addNonTerminal (string s)

adds a Non-Terminal Symbol to the Grammars's Terminals container.

Parameters

<i>s</i>	
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4.5.2.2 void Grammar::addProduction (Production * prod)

adds a production to the Grammar's Productions container.

Parameters

<i>prod</i>	a pointer on a Production Object.
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4.5.2.3 void Grammar::addTerminal (string s)

adds a Terminal Symbol to the Grammar's Terminals container.

Parameters

<i>s</i>	a Terminal Symbol.
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4.5.2.4 void Grammar::checkIfRegular ()

checks if the [Grammar](#) is regular or not.

the information is stored in isRegular .

we use in the project a right-linear regular [Grammar](#).

a [Grammar](#) is said to be right-linear if every production in P is of the form:

$A \rightarrow x B$ or

$A \rightarrow x$

where A and B are Non-Terminals and x is any string of Terminals or the empty string
check if the First Symbol of the [Substitution](#) is a Terminal

check if the Form of the [Substitution](#) corresponds to a Regular [Grammar](#) Form

4.5.2.5 **FiniteStateAutomaton * Grammar::convertToFSA ()**

converts a Regular [Grammar](#) to a Finite States Automaton

Returns

the FSA

First end of the [Transition](#)

if [Production](#) has the form: $A \rightarrow \langle \text{epsilon} \rangle$

For every symbol in the [Substitution](#)

the current symbol is a Terminal

the current Symbol is the last one in the [Substitution](#), and it is a Terminal

the current symbol is not the last one in the substitution

the next symbol in the [Substitution](#) is a NonTerminal

the next symbol in the [Substitution](#) is a Terminal

4.5.2.6 **DynArray< string > Grammar::getNonTerminals ()**

a getter Method

Returns

all the [Grammar](#) Non-Terminals stored in a [DynArray](#)

4.5.2.7 **int Grammar::getNumberOfProductions ()**

a getter method

Returns

how many Productions in the [Grammar](#)

4.5.2.8 **Production * Grammar::getProduction (int index)**

a getter method

Parameters

<i>index</i>	Productions are stored in a Dynamic Array, index is the index of the needed Production
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Returns

4.5.2.9 `DynArray< Production * > Grammar::getProductions ()`

a getter Method

Returns

all the [Grammar](#) Productions stored in a [DynArray](#)

4.5.2.10 `string Grammar::getStartSymbol ()`

a getter Method

Returns

the Start Symbol of the [Grammar](#)

4.5.2.11 `DynArray< string > Grammar::getTerminals ()`

a getter Method

Returns

all the [Grammar](#) Terminals stored in a [DynArray](#)

4.5.2.12 `int Grammar::isStartSymbol (string symbol)`

compares the startSymbol of the [Grammar](#) with the parameter symbol

Parameters

<i>symbol</i>	is one string used in the grammar
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Returns

4.5.2.13 void Grammar::processGrammarProductions ()

processes the [Grammar](#) Productions

This is the last called method in RG_Reader.read() . the read method stores a [Production](#) at first as a whole string, and this Method decompose it into a left side and its substitution in the right side

4.5.2.14 void Grammar::setStartSymbol (string s)

A Setter Method for the Start Symbol.

Parameters

s	the Start Symbol.
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The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RG_Grammar.h](#)
- [RG_Grammar.cpp](#)

4.6 Group Class Reference

[Group](#) class used for Moore's minimizing algorithm.

```
#include <FSA_Group.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [Group](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) *p_fsaAutomata)
Standard constructor.
- [Group](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) *p_fsaAutomata, string p_szName)
Constructor.
- void [addElementToGroup](#) ([GroupElement](#) *p_geElement)
Adds a group element to the elements vector.
- void [removeElementFromGroup](#) ([GroupElement](#) *p_geElement)
Removes a group element from the elements vector.
- string [getName](#) ()
Returns the name of this group.
- void [setName](#) (string p_szName)
Sets the name of this group.
- bool [compareElements](#) ([GroupElement](#) *p_geElementA, [GroupElement](#) *p_geElementB)
Compares two group elements by their target groups.
- vector< [GroupElement](#) * > * [getElements](#) ()

Returns the elements vector of this group.

- `vector< string > * getEdges ()`

Returns the automata edges vector of this group.

4.6.1 Detailed Description

[Group](#) class used for Moore's minimizing algorithm.

4.6.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.6.2.1 `Group::Group (FiniteStateAutomaton * p_fsaAutomata)`

Standard constructor.

Gets the edges of the automaton and saves them to the automata edges vector.

Parameters

<i>p_fsa-Automata</i>	A reference to the automata this group belongs to.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.2.2 `Group::Group (FiniteStateAutomaton * p_fsaAutomata, string p_szName)`

Constructor.

Gets the edges of the automaton, saves them to the automata edges vector and sets the name of the group to the given name.

Parameters

<i>p_fsa-Automata</i>	A reference to the automata this group belongs to.
<i>p_szName</i>	Name for this group.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3 Member Function Documentation

4.6.3.1 `void Group::addElementToGroup (GroupElement * p_geElement)`

Adds a group element to the elements vector.

Parameters

<i>p_ge-Element</i>	Group element to add to the vector.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3.2 `bool Group::compareElements (GroupElement * p_geElementA, GroupElement * p_geElementB)`

Compares two group elements by their target groups.

Parameters

<i>p_ge-ElementA</i>	First element of the comparison.
<i>p_ge-ElementB</i>	Second element of the comparison.

Returns

True if the elements have the same target groups (in same order), false if not

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3.3 `vector< string > * Group::getEdges ()`

Returns the automata edges vector of this group.

Returns

The automata edges vector of this group.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3.4 `vector< GroupElement * > * Group::getElements ()`

Returns the elements vector of this group.

Returns

The elements vector of this group.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3.5 string Group::getName ()

Returns the name of this group.

Returns

The name of this group.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3.6 void Group::removeElementFromGroup (GroupElement * p_geElement)

Removes a group element from the elements vector.

Parameters

<i>p_ge- Element</i>	Group element to remove from the vector.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.6.3.7 void Group::setName (string p_szName)

Sets the name of this group.

Parameters

<i>p_szName</i>	The name of this group.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_Group.hpp](#)
- [FSA_Group.cpp](#)

4.7 GroupElement Class Reference

Class for elements stored in [Group](#) objects.

```
#include <FSA_GroupElement.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [GroupElement](#) ()
Standard constructor.
- [GroupElement](#) ([State](#) *p_stState)
Creates a new group element and sets the element's state to the given state.
- void [addGroupToTargetVector](#) (string p_szGroupName)
Adds a group (name) to the target groups vector of this element.
- void [removeGroupFromTargetVector](#) (string p_szGroupName)
Removes a group (name) from the target groups vector of this element.
- [State](#) * [getState](#) ()
Returns the state object of this element.
- void [setState](#) ([State](#) *p_stState)
Sets the state object of this element to the given state.
- vector< string > * [getTargetGroups](#) ()
Returns the target groups vector.
- void [clearTargetGroups](#) ()
Clears the target groups vector of this element.

4.7.1 Detailed Description

Class for elements stored in [Group](#) objects.

Used in Moore's minimizing algorithm

4.7.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.7.2.1 GroupElement::GroupElement ([State](#) * p_stState)

Creates a new group element and sets the element's state to the given state.

Parameters

<i>p_stState</i>	State to use for the group element.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.7.3 Member Function Documentation

4.7.3.1 void GroupElement::addGroupToTargetVector (string *p_szGroupName*)

Adds a group (name) to the target groups vector of this element.

Parameters

<i>p_szGroupName</i>	Name of the group.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.7.3.2 void GroupElement::clearTargetGroups ()

Clears the target groups vector of this element.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.7.3.3 State * GroupElement::getState ()

Returns the state object of this element.

Returns

The state object of this element.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.7.3.4 vector< string > * GroupElement::getTargetGroups ()

Returns the target groups vector.

Returns

The target groups vector.

Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.7.3.5 void GroupElement::removeGroupFromTargetVector (string *p_szGroupName*)

Removes a group (name) from the target groups vector of this element.

Parameters

<i>p_szGroupName</i>	Name of the group.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

4.7.3.6 void GroupElement::setState (State * *p_stState*)

Sets the state object of this element to the given state.

Parameters

<i>p_stState</i>	The state object to set the state to.
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Author

skowelek, fabiani

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_GroupElement.hpp](#)
- [FSA_GroupElement.cpp](#)

4.8 Production Class Reference

Represents a [Production](#) as an element of a Context-Free [Grammar](#).

```
#include <RG_Production.h>
```

Public Member Functions

- [Production](#) ()
Constructor.
- [~Production](#) ()

Destructor.

- void [setSubstitution](#) ([Substitution](#) *subs)

A setter Method to set the Production's [Substitution](#) (the right Side).

- void [setLeftSide](#) (string s)

A setter Method to set the Production's left Side.

- [Substitution](#) * [getSubstitution](#) ()

A getter Method.

- void [readProductionFromLine](#) (string line, string productionArrow)

called by the Reader

- void [printProduction](#) ()

prints the [Production](#)

- string [toString](#) ()

returns a string form of the [Production](#)

- string [getLeftSide](#) ()

returns the left side of a [Production](#)

4.8.1 Detailed Description

Represents a [Production](#) as an element of a Context-Free [Grammar](#).

When a [Production](#) is used in a context-free [Grammar](#), it substitutes the left side with what is in the right Side. The structure of this class is based on this function.

4.8.2 Member Function Documentation

4.8.2.1 string [Production::getLeftSide](#) ()

returns the left side of a [Production](#)

Returns

the leftSide of a [Production](#)

4.8.2.2 [Substitution](#) * [Production::getSubstitution](#) ()

A getter Method.

Returns

a pointer on the Production's [Substitution](#).

4.8.2.3 void Production::readProductionFromLine (string *line*, string *productionArrow*)

called by the Reader

Separates the read [Production](#) line into a left side string and a right side string.

Parameters

<i>line</i>	a string containing the whole Production (directly read from file).
<i>production-Arrow</i>	the Separating Symbol between the left and right Side of a production

4.8.2.4 void Production::setLeftSide (string *s*)

A setter Method to set the Production's left Side.

Parameters

<i>s</i>	A Non-Terminal Symbol.
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4.8.2.5 void Production::setSubstitution ([Substitution](#) * *subs*)

A setter Method to set the Production's [Substitution](#) (the right Side).

Parameters

<i>subs</i>	a pointer on a Substitution Object.
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4.8.2.6 string Production::toString ()

returns a string form of the [Production](#)

Returns

[Production](#) as a string

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RG_Production.h](#)
- [RG_Production.cpp](#)

4.9 RegularExpression Class Reference

This class represents regular expressions.

```
#include <RE_RegularExpression.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [RegularExpression](#) ([RETreeNode](#) *p_tR)
Constructs a new regular expression from an existing regular expression tree.
- [RegularExpression](#) (string regex)
Constructs a new regular expression from a string.
- void [setTreeRoot](#) ([RETreeNode](#) *p_tR)
Changes the root node of the regular expression tree.
- [RETreeNode](#) * [getTreeRoot](#) ()
Returns the root node of the regular expression tree.
- [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * [toFSA](#) ()
Converts this regular expression to a finite state automaton.
- [Grammar](#) * [toRG](#) ()
Converts this regular expression to a regular grammar.
- string [toString](#) ()
Returns the string representation of this regular expression.

Static Public Member Functions

- static bool [isOperator](#) (string s)
Checks whether a given string is a valid operator in the regular expression syntax.

Static Public Attributes

- static const string [re_orOp](#) = "|"
String representation of the boolean or operator.
- static const string [re_andOp](#) = "."
String representation of the concatenation operator.
- static const string [re_starOp](#) = "*"
String representation of the Kleene-star operator (preceding element occurs zero or more times)
- static const string [re_lParen](#) = "("
String representation of the opening parenthesis.
- static const string [re_rParen](#) = ")"
String representation of the closing parenthesis.

4.9.1 Detailed Description

This class represents regular expressions.

Regular expressions are stored in objects of this class. The underlying data structure is an expression tree. Operators are stored in nodes that have their operands as children. Literals are stored in the leafs of the expression tree.

Valid operators are:

- `|` - boolean or - Either the preceding or the following operand have to occur
- `.` - and/concatenation - The preceding element has to be followed by the next element.
- `*` - star quantifier - The preceding element can occur zero or more times
- `(` - opening parenthesis - Starts a group, used to express precedence
- `)` - closing parenthesis - Closes a group, used to express precedence

Valid literals are all strings that do not contain spaces or operators.

The empty literal is represented by `<epsilon>`.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

See also

[RETreeNode](#)

4.9.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.9.2.1 `RegularExpression::RegularExpression (RETreeNode * p.tR)`

Constructs a new regular expression from an existing regular expression tree.

Parameters

<code>p.tR</code>	The regular expression tree root.
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Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.9.2.2 `RegularExpression::RegularExpression (string regex)`

Constructs a new regular expression from a string.

Parameters

<code>regex</code>	The regular expression string.
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Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.9.3 Member Function Documentation

4.9.3.1 RETreeNode * RegularExpression::getTreeRoot ()

Returns the root node of the regular expression tree.

Returns

The root node of the regular expression tree.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.9.3.2 static bool RegularExpression::isOperator (string s) [inline, static]

Checks whether a given string is a valid operator in the regular expression syntax.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.9.3.3 void RegularExpression::setTreeRoot (RETreeNode * p_tR)

Changes the root node of the regular expression tree.

Parameters

<i>p_tR</i>	New root node of the regular expression tree.
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Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.9.3.4 FiniteStateAutomaton * RegularExpression::toFSA ()

Converts this regular expression to a finite state automaton.

The returned FSA is not guaranteed to be deterministic.

Returns

A finite state automaton representing this regular expression.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.9.3.5 Grammar * `RegularExpression::toRG ()`

Converts this regular expression to a regular grammar.

First the regular expression is converted to a finite state automata. That automata is then converted to a regular grammar.

Returns

A regular grammar that is equivalent to this regular expression.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.9.3.6 string `RegularExpression::toString ()`

Returns the string representation of this regular expression.

Returns

A string representing this regular expression.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RE_RegularExpression.hpp](#)
- [RE_RegularExpression.cpp](#)

4.10 REReaderWriter Class Reference

Handles reading and writing of regular expressions.

```
#include <RE_ReaderWriter.hpp>
```

Static Public Member Functions

- static [RegularExpression](#) * `read` (string filename)
Reads a file and parses the regular expression in it.
- static [RegularExpression](#) * `parse` (const char string[])
Parses a string and returns the represented regular expression.
- static string `writeToString` ([RegularExpression](#) *re)
Creates a string representation of the given regular expression.
- static void `writeToFile` ([RegularExpression](#) *re, const char *filename)
Writes a string representation of the given regular expression into a file.

Friends

- class **RegularExpression**

4.10.1 Detailed Description

Handles reading and writing of regular expressions.

This class can read files and strings and builds [RegularExpression](#) objects corresponding to the regular expressions defined in the given files or strings.

It also can write regular expressions to strings and files.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.10.2 Member Function Documentation

4.10.2.1 **RegularExpression * RERewriter::parse (const char *str*[])** [static]

Parses a string and returns the represented regular expression.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

Returns

The regular expression defined in the given string.

Parameters

<i>str</i>	The null-terminated string representing the regular expression.
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4.10.2.2 **RegularExpression * RERewriter::read (string *filename*)** [static]

Reads a file and parses the regular expression in it.

The file must contain only a single line, which in turn contains the regular expression.

Parameters

<i>filename</i>	The path to the input file. The path is relative to the working directory, but can also be defined absolutely.
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See also

[RegularExpression](#)

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

Returns

The regular expression defined in the given file.

4.10.2.3 `void REReaderWriter::writeToFile (RegularExpression * re, const char * filename) [static]`

Writes a string representation of the given regular expression into a file.

Parameters

<i>re</i>	The regular expression.
<i>filename</i>	The path to the output file.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.10.2.4 `string REReaderWriter::writeToString (RegularExpression * re) [static]`

Creates a string representation of the given regular expression.

Parameters

<i>re</i>	The regular expression.
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Returns

The string representation of the regular expression.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RE_ReaderWriter.hpp](#)
- [RE_ReaderWriter.cpp](#)

4.11 RETreeNode Class Reference

Represents nodes in the regular expression tree.

```
#include <RE_TreeNode.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [RETreeNode](#) (string c)
Creates a new node in the regular expression tree.
- bool [isOperator](#) ()
Checks whether the given node represents an operator.
- [RETreeNode](#) * [getLeft](#) ()
Gets the left operand of this operator.
- [RETreeNode](#) * [getRight](#) ()
Gets the right operand of this operator.
- void [setLeft](#) ([RETreeNode](#) *p_l)
Sets the left operand of this operator.
- void [setRight](#) ([RETreeNode](#) *p_r)
Sets the right operand of this operator.
- string [getContent](#) ()
Gets the content of the node.
- void [setContent](#) (string c)
Sets the content of the node.
- bool [isEmpty](#) ()
Determines whether this tree node represents an empty regular expression.
- void [simplify](#) ()
Removes all redundancies from the regular expression.
- [RETreeNode](#) * [clone](#) ()
Creates a clone of this tree node.
- [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) * [toFSA](#) (int *labelNum)
Generates a non-deterministic finite state automaton representing the regular expression tree with this node as its root.
- string [toString](#) ()
Converts a regular expression tree to a string by performing an inorder tree walk.

4.11.1 Detailed Description

Represents nodes in the regular expression tree.

A node can either be an operator or a literal. Operator nodes link to one or two nodes which act as operands.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.11.2.1 RETreeNode::RETreeNode (string c)

Creates a new node in the regular expression tree.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

Parameters

c	The content of the node. This is either an operator or a literal.
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4.11.3 Member Function Documentation

4.11.3.1 RETreeNode * RETreeNode::clone ()

Creates a clone of this tree node.

Returns

A new tree node that represents the same regular expression tree as this node.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.11.3.2 string RETreeNode::getContent ()

Gets the content of the node.

This is either an operator or a literal.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

Returns

Node content.

4.11.3.3 RETreeNode * RETreeNode::getLeft ()

Gets the left operand of this operator.

Literals have no left operand.

Returns

Left operand.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.3.4 RETreeNode * RETreeNode::getRight ()

Gets the right operand of this operator.

Literals have no right operand.

Returns

Right operand.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.3.5 bool RETreeNode::isEmpty ()

Determines whether this tree node represents an empty regular expression.

Returns

Whether the regular expression represented by this node is empty.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.11.3.6 bool RETreeNode::isOperator ()

Checks whether the given node represents an operator.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

Returns

Returns true only if a child node is present and the content of the node is a valid operator.

4.11.3.7 void RETreeNode::setContent (string *c*)

Sets the content of the node.

This can either be an operator or a literal. Note that you cannot change a node type by giving an operator node a literal value or vice versa.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.3.8 void RETreeNode::setLeft (RETreeNode * *p_l*)

Sets the left operand of this operator.

Literals can have no left operand.

Parameters

<i>p_l</i>	Left operand.
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Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.3.9 void RETreeNode::setRight (RETreeNode * *p_r*)

Sets the right operand of this operator.

Literals and Kleene-Stars can have no right operand.

Parameters

<i>p_r</i>	Right operand.
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Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.3.10 void RETreeNode::simplify ()

Removes all redundancies from the regular expression.

So expressions like $\langle \text{epsilon} \rangle^*$ or $\langle \text{epsilon} \rangle | \langle \text{epsilon} \rangle$ will be changed to $\langle \text{epsilon} \rangle$. Expressions like $(A.\langle \text{epsilon} \rangle)$ will be changed to A (if A is a literal, subtree equality is not yet checked). Also incomplete subtrees, like operator nodes without children, will be changed to empty nodes.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt

4.11.3.11 FiniteStateAutomaton * RETreeNode::toFSA (int * labelNum)

Generates a non-deterministic finite state automaton representing the regular expression tree with this node as its root.

Parameters

<i>labelNum</i>	Pointer to the counter variable that is used for naming the states of the FSA.
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Returns

A NDFSA representing the regular expression tree with this node as its root.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

4.11.3.12 string RETreeNode::toString ()

Converts a regular expression tree to a string by performing an inorder tree walk.

Returns

The string representation of the regular expression specified by the given node.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RE_TreeNode.hpp](#)
- [RE_TreeNode.cpp](#)

4.12 RGReaderWriter Class Reference

provides methods to read/write a [Grammar](#) from/to a text file

```
#include <RG_ReaderWriter.h>
```

Public Member Functions

- [RGReaderWriter](#) (string fileName)
[RGReaderWriter](#) Constructor with the full path of the file to read from as a parameter.
- [~RGReaderWriter](#) ()
Destructor.
- [Grammar](#) * [Read](#) ()
read a [Grammar](#) from a text file.
- void [write](#) ([Grammar](#) *g)
write the [Grammar](#) g into a file
- void [setFileName](#) (string fileName)
gives a new path of a new file to read/write from/to.

4.12.1 Detailed Description

provides methods to read/write a [Grammar](#) from/to a text file

4.12.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.12.2.1 [RGReaderWriter::RGReaderWriter](#) (string *filename*)

[RGReaderWriter](#) Constructor with the full path of the file to read from as a parameter.

Parameters

<i>filename</i>	full path of the file to read from.
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4.12.3 Member Function Documentation

4.12.3.1 [Grammar](#) * [RGReaderWriter::Read](#) ()

read a [Grammar](#) from a text file.

Returns

the read [Grammar](#).

4.12.3.2 void [RGReaderWriter::setFileName](#) (string *fileName*)

gives a new path of a new file to read/write from/to.

Parameters

<i>fileName</i>	
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4.12.3.3 void RGReaderWriter::write (Grammar * g)

write the [Grammar](#) g into a file

Before calling, set a new FileName for the reader if needed.

Parameters

g	the Grammar to write
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The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RG_ReaderWriter.h](#)
- [RG_ReaderWriter.cpp](#)

4.13 State Class Reference

A state in a Finite [State](#) Automaton.

```
#include <FSA_State.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [State](#) ()
default Constructor for FSA_State.
- [State](#) (string p_szName)
Constructor for FSA_State.
- [State](#) (string p_szName, bool p_bStartState, bool p_bFinalState)
Constructor for FSA_State.
- void [setStartState](#) (bool p_bSetStartState)
Sets the startState value of FSA_State.
- void [setFinalState](#) (bool p_bSetFinalState)
Sets the finalState value of FSA_State.
- bool [isStartState](#) ()
Gives the value of startState attribute.
- bool [isFinalState](#) ()
Gives the value of finalState attribute.
- string [output](#) ()
Output of one state.
- string [getName](#) ()
gets the name of the [State](#).
- int [compare](#) ([State](#) *state)
compares two States.

Friends

- class **Transition**
- class **FiniteStateAutomaton**

4.13.1 Detailed Description

A state in a Finite [State](#) Automaton.

4.13.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.13.2.1 `State::State ()`

default Constructor for FSA_State.

4.13.2.2 `State::State (string p_szName)`

Constructor for FSA_State.

Parameters

<i>p_szName</i>	Name of state.
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Returns

FSA_state.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.13.2.3 `State::State (string p_szName, bool p_bStartState, bool p_bFinalState)`

Constructor for FSA_State.

Parameters

<i>p_szName</i>	Name of state,
<i>p_bStart-State</i>	True if State is StartState,
<i>p_bFinal-State</i>	True if State is FinalState.

Returns

FSA_State.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.13.3 Member Function Documentation**4.13.3.1 int State::compare (State * state)**

compares two States.

Author

Yacine Smaoui

4.13.3.2 string State::getName ()

gets the name of the [State](#).

Author

Yacine Smaoui

4.13.3.3 bool State::isFinalState ()

Gives the value of finalState attribute.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.13.3.4 bool State::isStartState ()

Gives the value of startState attribute.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.13.3.5 string State::output ()

Output of one state.

Returns

szName Name of the state.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.13.3.6 void State::setFinalState (bool *p_bSetFinalState*)

Sets the finalState value of FSA_State.

Parameters

<i>p_bSetFinalState</i>	Value for the finalState.
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Author

fabiani, andreasb

4.13.3.7 void State::setStartState (bool *p_bSetStartState*)

Sets the startState value of FSA_State.

Parameters

<i>p_bSetStartState</i>	Value for the startState.
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Author

fabiani, andreasb

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_State.hpp](#)
- [FSA_State.cpp](#)

4.14 StateConverter Class Reference

Helper class used during conversion from NDA to DFA.

```
#include <FSA_StateConverter.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [StateConverter](#) ()
Standard constructor.
- [StateConverter](#) ([State](#) *p_stState)
Constructor.
- [StateConverter](#) ([State](#) *p_stState, vector< [State](#) * > *p_vecReferencedStates)
Constructor.
- [StateConverter](#) (string p_szStateName)
Constructor.
- [StateConverter](#) (string p_szStateName, vector< [State](#) * > *p_vecReferencedStates)
Constructor.
- void [setReferencedStates](#) (vector< [State](#) * > *p_vecReferencedStates)
Sets the referenced states vector of a [StateConverter](#) to the given vector.
- void [addReferencedState](#) ([State](#) *p_szReferencedState)
Adds a [State](#) to the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).
- void [removeReferencedState](#) (string p_szStateName)
Removes a [State](#) of the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).
- void [clearReferencedStates](#) ()
Clears the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).
- [State](#) * [getConvertedState](#) ()
Returns the stConvertedState of this [StateConverter](#).
- vector< [State](#) * > * [getReferencedStates](#) ()
Returns the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).
- bool [equalsReferencedStates](#) ([StateConverter](#) *p_scStateConverter)
Checks if the referenced states vector of the given [StateConverter](#) equals the one of this [StateConverter](#).

Friends

- class **Transition**
- class **FiniteStateAutomaton**
- class **State**

4.14.1 Detailed Description

Helper class used during conversion from NDA to DFA.

4.14.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

4.14.2.1 StateConverter::StateConverter (State * *p_stState*)

Constructor.

Creates a new [StateConverter](#) and sets the member stConvertedState to the given - [State](#).

Parameters

<i>p_stState</i>	State to set stConvertedState to.
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4.14.2.2 StateConverter::StateConverter (State * *p_stState*, vector< State * > * *p_vecReferencedStates*)

Constructor.

Creates a new [StateConverter](#) and sets the members to the given values.

Parameters

<i>p_stState</i>	State to set stConvertedState to.
<i>p_vec-Referenced-States</i>	to set the referenced states vector to.

4.14.2.3 StateConverter::StateConverter (string *p_szStateName*)

Constructor.

Creates a new [StateConverter](#) and creates a new [State](#) for stConvertedState with the given name.

Parameters

<i>p_szState-Name</i>	Name for the new stConvertedState.
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4.14.2.4 StateConverter::StateConverter (string *p_szStateName*, vector< State * > * *p_vecReferencedStates*)

Constructor.

Creates a new [StateConverter](#) and sets the members to the given values.

Parameters

<i>p_szState- Name</i>	String to use as name for the new stConvertedState.
<i>p_vec- Referenced- States</i>	to set the referenced states vector to.

4.14.3 Member Function Documentation

4.14.3.1 void StateConverter::addReferencedState (State * p_szReferencedState)

Adds a [State](#) to the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).

Parameters

<i>p_sz- Referenced- State</i>	State to add to the referenced states vector.
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4.14.3.2 bool StateConverter::equalsReferencedStates (StateConverter * p_scStateConverter)

Checks if the referenced states vector of the given [StateConverter](#) equals the one of this [StateConverter](#).

Parameters

<i>p_scState- Converter</i>	State to compare with.
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Returns

True if the referenced states vector of both StateConverters are equal, false if not.

4.14.3.3 State * StateConverter::getConvertedState ()

Returns the stConvertedState of this [StateConverter](#).

Returns

The stConvertedState of this [StateConverter](#).

4.14.3.4 vector< State * > * StateConverter::getReferencedStates ()

Returns the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).

Returns

The referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).

4.14.3.5 void StateConverter::removeReferencedState (string *p_szStateName*)

Removes a [State](#) of the referenced states vector of this [StateConverter](#).

Parameters

<i>p_szState- Name</i>	State to remove of the referenced states vector.
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4.14.3.6 void StateConverter::setReferencedStates (vector< [State](#) * > * *p_vecReferencedStates*)

Sets the referenced states vector of a [StateConverter](#) to the given vector.

Parameters

<i>p_vec- Referenced- States</i>	to set the referenced states vector to.
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The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_StateConverter.hpp](#)
- [FSA_StateConverter.cpp](#)

4.15 StatesPair Struct Reference

defines properties of a pair of States

```
#include <FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.h>
```

4.15.1 Detailed Description

defines properties of a pair of States

Author

Yacine Smaoui

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- [FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.h](#)

4.16 Substitution Class Reference

defines the right side of a [Production](#) in a [Grammar](#)

```
#include <RG_Substitution.h>
```

Public Member Functions

- [Substitution](#) ()
Constructor.
- [~Substitution](#) ()
Destructor.
- void [decode](#) ([DynArray](#)< string > referenceTerminals, [DynArray](#)< string > referenceNonTerminals)
Decomposes the rawString into Terminals and Non-Terminals.
- void [setRawString](#) (string s)
A setter method to set the RawString of the [Substitution](#).
- string [getRawString](#) ()
returns the [Substitution](#) as it's read from a file or given manually (a string form)
- [DynArray](#)< flaggedString > * [getDecodedSubstitution](#) ()
returns a pointer on the decoded substitution.
- string [toString](#) ()
converts the decoded substitution into a string (for example to be printed into a file..)
- flaggedString [getSymbol](#) (int index)
returns the symbol index in the decoded substitution.
- int [symbolsTerminal](#) (int index)
checks if the symbol at the index "index" is a Terminal.
- string [getSymbolstring](#) (int index)
returns the symbol at the index "index" in a string form.
- int [getDecodedSubstitutionLength](#) ()
returns the length of the decodedSubstitution in terms of symbols.

4.16.1 Detailed Description

defines the right side of a [Production](#) in a [Grammar](#)

composed of: A RawString : the substitution in a string form without any editing. and a DecodedSubstitution: a [DynArray](#) containing the different Terminals and Non-Terminals composing the [Substitution](#)

4.16.2 Member Function Documentation

4.16.2.1 `void Substitution::decode (DynArray< string > referenceTerminals, DynArray< string > referenceNonTerminals)`

Decomposes the `rawString` into Terminals and Non-Terminals.

the Terminals and Non-Terminals arrays are given here as a reference to find out wich symbols in the [Substitution](#) are Terminals and wich are not

ATTENTION! : this method is to call as a last step, after reading/adding all Terminals, nonTerminals and productions of a grammar all it does is Take the right side of a production in a string form, and decompose it in a sequence of Terminals and nonTerminals.

Parameters

<i>reference-Terminals</i>	[in] the whole Terminal array of the Grammar
<i>reference-Non-Terminals</i>	[in] the whole Non-Terminal array of the Grammar

4.16.2.2 `DynArray< flaggedString > * Substitution::getDecodedSubstitution ()`

returns a pointer on the decoded substitution.

Returns

4.16.2.3 `int Substitution::getDecodedSubstitutionLength ()`

returns the length of the decodedSubstitution in terms of symbols.

Returns

4.16.2.4 `string Substitution::getRawString ()`

returns the [Substitution](#) as it's read from a file or given manually (a string form)

Returns

`rawString`

4.16.2.5 `flaggedString Substitution::getSymbol (int index)`

returns the symbol index in the decoded substitution.

Parameters

<i>index</i>	
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Returns

4.16.2.6 `string Substitution::getSymbolstring (int index)`

returns the symbol at the index "index" in a string form.

Parameters

<i>index</i>	
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Returns

4.16.2.7 `void Substitution::setRawString (string s)`

A setter method to set the RawString of the [Substitution](#).

Parameters

<i>s</i>	the Substitution in string form.
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4.16.2.8 `int Substitution::symbolsTerminal (int index)`

checks if the symbol at the index "index" is a Terminal.

Parameters

<i>index</i>	
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Returns

4.16.2.9 string Substitution::toString ()

converts the decoded substitution into a string (for example to be printed into a file..)

Returns

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [RG_Substitution.h](#)
- [RG_Substitution.cpp](#)

4.17 TableFillingFSAMinimizer Class Reference

a class providing methods to minimize an FSA with the table filling algorithm.

```
#include <FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.h>
```

Static Public Member Functions

- static void [minimize](#) ([FiniteStateAutomaton](#) *pAutomat)
the main function to call to use the Table filling Algorithm for minimization steps in this implementation:

4.17.1 Detailed Description

a class providing methods to minimize an FSA with the table filling algorithm.

Author

Yacine Smaoui

4.17.2 Member Function Documentation

4.17.2.1 void TableFillingFSAMinimizer::minimize (FiniteStateAutomaton * pAutomat) [static]

the main function to call to use the Table filling Algorithm for minimization steps in this implementation:

1)initialization of the minimization table 2)filling the minimization table by finding the distinguishable pairs of states 3)merging the distinguishable states in one equivalent state

4) finally the automat is written in a text file to see result.

Parameters

<i>pAutomat</i>	the FSA to minimize
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Author

Yacine Smaoui

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.h](#)
- [FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.cpp](#)

4.18 Transition Class Reference

[Transition](#) in a Finite [State](#) Automaton.

```
#include <FSA_Transition.hpp>
```

Public Member Functions

- [Transition](#) ([State](#) *p_stBeginning, [State](#) *p_stFinish, string p_szEdge)
Constructor FSA_Transition.
- string [output](#) ()
Output of one transition.
- [State](#) * [getBeginningState](#) ()
Getter for the BeginningState.
- [State](#) * [getFinishState](#) ()
Getter for the FinishState.
- string [getEdgeName](#) ()
Getter for the EdgeName.

Friends

- class **FiniteStateAutomaton**

4.18.1 Detailed Description

[Transition](#) in a Finite [State](#) Automaton.

4.18.2 Member Function Documentation

4.18.2.1 `State * Transition::getBeginningState ()`

Getter for the BeginningState.

Returns

Statepointer to the BeginningState.

Author

skowelek

4.18.2.2 `string Transition::getEdgeName ()`

Getter for the EdgeName.

Returns

Name of the edge.

Author

skowelek

4.18.2.3 `State * Transition::getFinishState ()`

Getter for the FinishState.

Returns

Statepointer to the FinishState.

Author

skowelek

4.18.2.4 `string Transition::output ()`

Output of one transition.

Returns

The transition as string.

Author

fabiani, andreasb

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [FSA_Transition.hpp](#)
- [FSA_Transition.cpp](#)

Chapter 5

File Documentation

5.1 FSA_EquivalenceChecker.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [FSAEquivalenceChecker](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp"    #include "FSA_-  
EquivalenceChecker.hpp"    #include <set>    #include <map> ×  
#include <vector>
```

5.1.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [FSAEquivalenceChecker](#) class.

5.2 FSA_EquivalenceChecker.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [FSAEquivalenceChecker](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp" #include <map>
```

Classes

- class [FSAEquivalenceChecker](#)

Checks whether two automata represent the same regular language.

5.2.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [FSAEquivalenceChecker](#) class.

5.3 FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the FSA class.

```
#include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp"    #include "FSA_GroupElement.hpp" #include "RG_Grammar.h" #include <string> #include <cstring> #include <iostream> #include <fstream> #include <vector> #include <map>
```

5.3.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the FSA class.

5.4 FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) class.

```
#include <iostream> #include "FSA_State.hpp" #include "FSA_Transition.hpp" #include "FSA_StateConverter.hpp" × #include <vector> #include <sstream> #include <map> × #include <list>
```

Classes

- class [FiniteStateAutomaton](#)
Finite State Automaton data structure.

5.4.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [FiniteStateAutomaton](#) class.

5.5 FSA_FSAtoREConverter.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [FSAtoREConverter](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_FSAtoREConverter.hpp" #include "FSA_Transition.hpp" #include "FSA_State.hpp" #include <vector> #include <map> #include <string> #include "RE_RegularExpression.hpp" #include "RE_TreeNode.hpp"
```

5.5.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [FSAtoREConverter](#) class.

5.6 FSA_FSAtoREConverter.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [FSAtoREConverter](#) class.

```
#include "RE_RegularExpression.hpp" #include "FSA_Finite-  
StateAutomaton.hpp"
```

Classes

- class [FSAtoREConverter](#)
Converts Finite [State](#) Automata to Regular Expressions.

5.6.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [FSAtoREConverter](#) class.

5.7 FSA_Group.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [Group](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_Group.hpp"
```

5.7.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [Group](#) class.

5.8 FSA_Group.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [Group](#) class used in Moore's minimizing algorithm.

```
#include <iostream> #include <vector> #include "FSA_-  
FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp" #include "FSA_State.hpp" #include  
"FSA_GroupElement.hpp"
```

Classes

- class [Group](#)
[Group](#) class used for Moore's minimizing algorithm.

5.8.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [Group](#) class used in Moore's minimizing algorithm.

5.9 FSA_GroupElement.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [GroupElement](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_GroupElement.hpp" #include <string>
```

5.9.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [GroupElement](#) class.

5.10 FSA_GroupElement.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [GroupElement](#) class used in Moore's minimizing algorithm.

```
#include <iostream>    #include <vector>    #include "FSA_-  
State.hpp"
```

Classes

- class [GroupElement](#)

Class for elements stored in [Group](#) objects.

5.10.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [GroupElement](#) class used in Moore's minimizing algorithm.

5.11 FSA_State.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [State](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_State.hpp"
```

5.11.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [State](#) class.

Author

fabiani

5.12 FSA_State.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [State](#) class.

```
#include <iostream>
```

Classes

- class [State](#)
A state in a Finite [State](#) Automaton.

5.12.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [State](#) class.

Author

fabiani

5.13 FSA_StateConverter.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [StateConverter](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_StateConverter.hpp"
```

5.13.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [StateConverter](#) class.

Author

skowelek

5.14 FSA_StateConverter.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [StateConverter](#) class.

```
#include <iostream>    #include <string>    #include "FSA-  
_StateConverter.hpp"  #include "FSA_State.hpp"  #include  
<vector>
```

Classes

- class [StateConverter](#)
Helper class used during conversion from NDA to DFA.

5.14.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [StateConverter](#) class.

Author

skowelek

5.15 FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.cpp File Reference

implementation of the Table filling algorithm to minimize a finite states automaton

```
#include <cstdlib> #include "FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.-h"
```

5.15.1 Detailed Description

implementation of the Table filling algorithm to minimize a finite states automaton

Author

Yacine Smaoui

5.16 FSA_TableFillingMinimizer.h File Reference

implementation of the Table filling algorithm to minimize a finite states automaton

```
#include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp"
```

Classes

- struct [StatesPair](#)
defines properties of a pair of States
- class [TableFillingFSAMinimizer](#)
a class providing methods to minimize an FSA with the table filling algorithm.

5.16.1 Detailed Description

implementation of the Table filling algorithm to minimize a finite states automaton

Author

Yacine Smaoui

5.17 FSA_Transition.cpp File Reference

Contains the implementation of the [Transition](#) class.

```
#include "FSA_Transition.hpp"    #include "FSA_State.hpp" ×  
#include <string> #include <cstring>
```

5.17.1 Detailed Description

Contains the implementation of the [Transition](#) class.

5.18 FSA_Transition.hpp File Reference

Contains the definition of the [State](#) class.

```
#include <iostream> #include "FSA_State.hpp"
```

Classes

- class [Transition](#)
[Transition](#) in a Finite [State](#) Automaton.

5.18.1 Detailed Description

Contains the definition of the [State](#) class.

Author

fabiani

5.19 RE_ReaderWriter.cpp File Reference

Implementation of the reader and writer class for regular expressions.

```
#include "RE_ReaderWriter.hpp"    #include "RE_TreeNode.-  
hpp" #include <cstring> #include <string> #include <iostream> ×  
#include <fstream>
```

5.19.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the reader and writer class for regular expressions.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

5.20 RE_ReaderWriter.hpp File Reference

Definition of the reader and writer class for regular expressions.

```
#include "RE_RegularExpression.hpp"
```

Classes

- class [REReaderWriter](#)
Handles reading and writing of regular expressions.

5.20.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the reader and writer class for regular expressions.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

5.21 RE_RegularExpression.cpp File Reference

Implementation of the regular expression class.

```
#include "RE_RegularExpression.hpp" #include "RE_Reader-  
Writer.hpp" #include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp" #include  
"RG_Grammar.h"
```

5.21.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the regular expression class.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

5.22 RE_RegularExpression.hpp File Reference

Definition of the regular expression class.

```
#include <string> #include "RE_TreeNode.hpp" #include "FS-  
A_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp" #include "RG_Grammar.h"
```

Classes

- class [RegularExpression](#)

This class represents regular expressions.

5.22.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the regular expression class.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

5.23 RE_TreeNode.cpp File Reference

Implementation of the regular expression tree node class.

```
#include <stddef.h> #include <cstdio> #include <string>
#include <vector> #include "RE_TreeNode.hpp" #include
"RE_RegularExpression.hpp" #include "FSA_FiniteState-
Automaton.hpp" #include "FSA_State.hpp"
```

5.23.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the regular expression tree node class.

Author

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5.24 RE_TreeNode.hpp File Reference

Definition of the regular expression tree node class.

```
#include <string> #include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.-
hpp"
```

Classes

- class [RETreeNode](#)

Represents nodes in the regular expression tree.

5.24.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the regular expression tree node class.

Author

Daniel Dreibrodt, Konstantin Steinmiller

5.25 RG_DynArray.h File Reference

Definition and implementation of the [DynArray](#) class.

```
#include <iostream> #include <cassert>
```

Classes

- class [DynArray< T >](#)
Array of dynamic size.

5.25.1 Detailed Description

Definition and implementation of the [DynArray](#) class.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.26 RG_Grammar.cpp File Reference

implementation of the [Grammar](#) class

```
#include "RG_Grammar.h" #include "FSA_FSAtoreConverter.-  
hpp" #include <stdlib.h> #include <sstream>
```

5.26.1 Detailed Description

implementation of the [Grammar](#) class

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.27 RG_Grammar.h File Reference

Definition of the [Grammar](#) class.

```
#include <iostream> #include "RG_DynArray.h" #include "-  
RG_Production.h" #include "FSA_FiniteStateAutomaton.hpp"  
#include "RE_RegularExpression.hpp"
```

Classes

- class [Grammar](#)
Represents a [Grammar](#).

5.27.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the [Grammar](#) class.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.28 RG_Production.cpp File Reference

Implementation of the [Production](#) class.

```
#include "RG_Production.h" #include <sstream>
```

5.28.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the [Production](#) class.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.29 RG_Production.h File Reference

Definition of the [Production](#) class.

```
#include <iostream> #include "RG_Substitution.h"
```

Classes

- class [Production](#)
Represents a [Production](#) as an element of a Context-Free [Grammar](#).

5.29.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the [Production](#) class.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.30 RG_ReaderWriter.cpp File Reference

Implementation of the Reader class.

```
#include "RG_ReaderWriter.h" #include "RG_Production.h" ×  
#include "RG_Substitution.h" #include <fstream> #include  
<sstream> #include <iostream> #include <stdlib.h>
```

5.30.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the Reader class.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.31 RG_ReaderWriter.h File Reference

Definition of the Reader class. Allows to read from a file.

```
#include "RG_Grammar.h"
```

Classes

- class [RGReaderWriter](#)
provides methods to read/write a [Grammar](#) from/to a text file

5.31.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the Reader class. Allows to read from a file.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.32 RG_Substitution.cpp File Reference

Implementation of the [Substitution](#) class.

```
#include <stdlib.h> #include <iostream> #include <sstream> ×  
#include "RG_Substitution.h"
```

5.32.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the [Substitution](#) class.

Author

Yacine Smaoui, Florian Hemmelgarn

5.33 RG_Substitution.h File Reference

Definition of the [Substitution](#) class.

```
#include <string> #include "RG_DynArray.h"
```

Classes

- class [Substitution](#)
defines the right side of a [Production](#) in a [Grammar](#)

5.33.1 Detailed Description

Definition of the [Substitution](#) class.

Author

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