

ASSIGNMENT #1

THEORY OF AUTOMATA

QUESTION NO. 1

(a)

Provide a recursive def of lang having all strings with len multiple of 2 ($\Sigma = \{a, b\}$)

- (1) λ, aa, ab, ba, bb are in the language.
- (2) If x and y are in the language then xx, xy, yx and yy are also in language.
- (3) No strings, except those mentioned above are part of the language.

(b)

Recursive def of odd Palindrome. ($\Sigma = \{a, b\}$).

- (1) a, b are in language.
- (2) If x is in language, then axa and bxb are also in language.
- (3) No strings, except those mentioned above are part of language.

(c)

Recursive def... every string start/end at some double letter. ($\Sigma = \{a, b\}$)

- (1) aaaa, bbbb are in the language ✓
- (2) 'aaxaa' and 'bbubb' are part of language where $x \in \Sigma^*$ and $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ ✓
3. No strings, except those mentioned above are part of the language. ✓

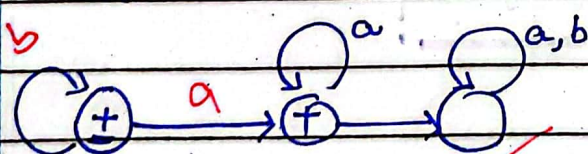
QUESTION . NO . 2

- Write an RE , Design FA , Design TG (if FA is valid).

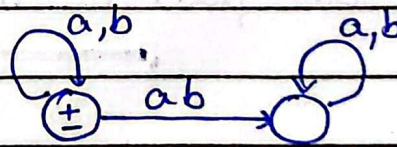
(1)

All words that dont have 'ab'

$$RE = b^*a^*$$



FA

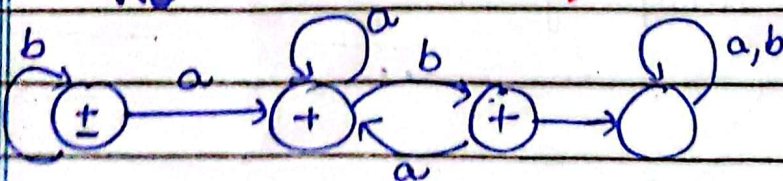


TG

(2)

All strings that don't have 'abb'

$$RE = b^*(a+ab)^*$$

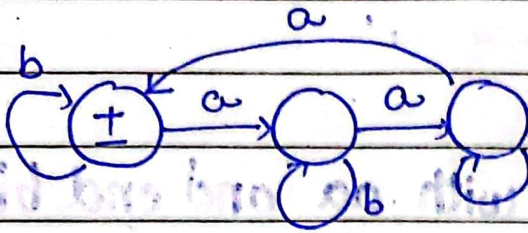


FA

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Words in which num of a's div by 3

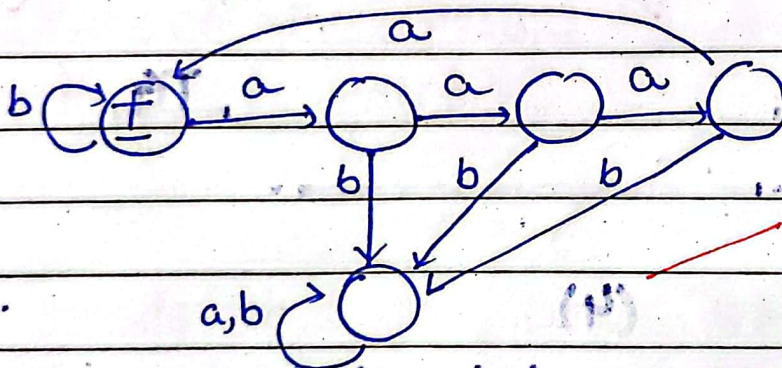
$$RE = (b^*(ab^*ab^*a)^*b^*)^*$$

FA = TG

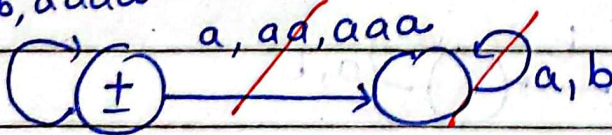
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Strings in which a's occur in group of 4

$$RE = b^*(b^*(aaaa)^*b^*)^*$$

FA

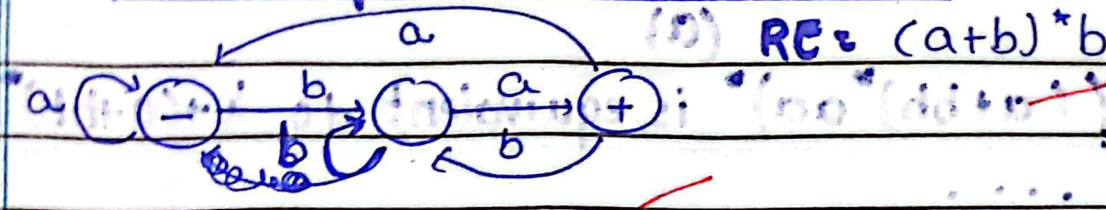
b, aaaa

TG

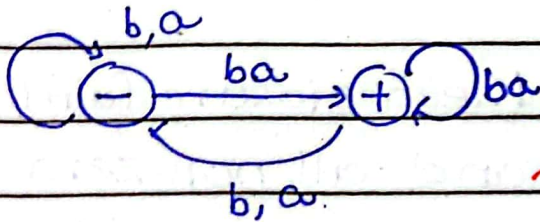
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All Strings that end with 'ba'

(7) $RE = (a+b)^*ba$



FA



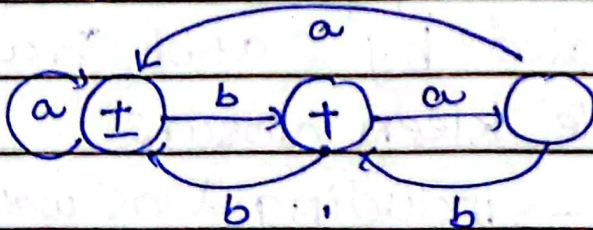
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TG

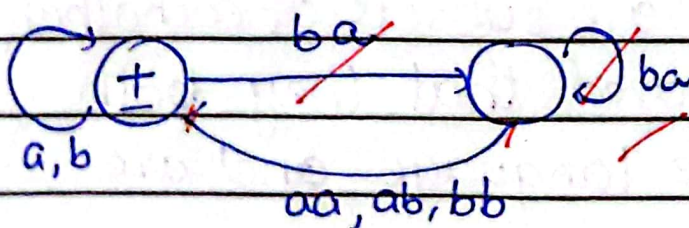
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Strings that never end on 'ba'

$RE = (a+b)^*(aat+ab+bb)^+(a^*+b^*)$



FA



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TG

QUESTION - NO: 3

(a)

 $((a+bb)^*aa)^*$ is equivalent to $\lambda + (a+bb)^*aa$ Answer: $((a+bb)^*aa)^* \subseteq \lambda + (a+bb)^*aa$

true

This is because the Kleen closure fulfills the λ requirement and all non-zero length strings contain an even number of b's and end in 'aa'. Hence every string generated by $((a+bb)^*aa)^*$ is a factor of and exists in $\lambda + (a+bb)^*aa$

$$\lambda + (a+bb)^*aa \subseteq ((a+bb)^*aa)^*$$

This is true because every possible string combination generated by $(a+bb)^*aa$ exists in the whole Kleen closure of this expression - including λ as well, $\lambda + (a+bb)^*aa$ is a factor $((a+bb)^*aa)^*$ itself.

Since both RE's are subsets of each other, it can be declared that they both define the same language and are equivalent.

(b)

 $a(ba+a)^*b$:

This R.E contains following words:

- (1) Starting with a, ending with ~~with~~ b.
- (2) any number of a's or ba's in between.
- (3) No double b's occur.

 $aa^*b(aa^*b)^*$:

This R.E contains following words:

- (1) Starting with a, ending with b.
- (2) any numbers of a's or ba's in between
- (3) No double b's occur

As both R.E define same words (valid) they are equivalent to each other.

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