

# Inductive definitions definition by rules

INF1a-CL lecture 18

defining an operation on languages

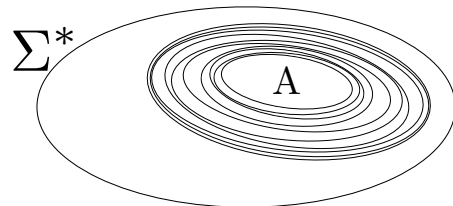
$A^*$  is defined by two rules:

$$\frac{}{"" \in A^*} \quad \frac{s \in A^* \quad a \in A}{s++a \in A^*}$$

because,  $""++a_1++a_2 \dots ++a_n = a_1++a_2 \dots ++a_n++""$ ,

the rules above are equivalent to:

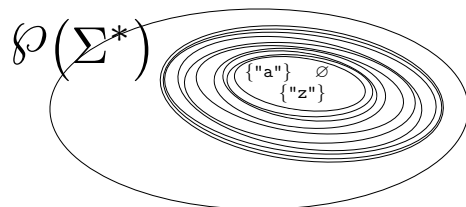
$$\frac{}{"" \in A^*} \quad \frac{s \in A^* \quad a \in A}{a++s \in A^*}$$

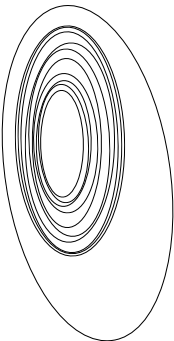


defining a set of languages

$$\frac{}{\emptyset \text{ is regular}} \quad \frac{}{\{"a"\} \text{ is regular}} \quad \frac{A \text{ is regular}}{A^* \text{ is regular}}$$

$$\frac{R \text{ is regular} \quad S \text{ is regular}}{RS \text{ is regular}} \quad \frac{R \text{ is regular} \quad S \text{ is regular}}{R|S \text{ is regular}}$$





defining an operation on relations

$$\frac{p \text{ friend } r}{p \text{ foaf } r} \quad \frac{p \text{ foaf } q \quad q \text{ foaf } r}{p \text{ foaf } r}$$

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$\mathcal{P}(A \times A)$

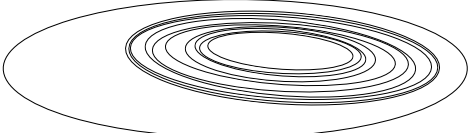
two theorems about regular languages

$\frac{}{\emptyset \text{ is regular}}$ 
 $\frac{}{\{^*a^*\} \text{ is regular}}$ 
 $\frac{A \text{ is regular}}{A^* \text{ is regular}}$

$\frac{R \text{ is regular} \quad S \text{ is regular}}{RS \text{ is regular}}$ 
 $\frac{R \text{ is regular} \quad S \text{ is regular}}{R|S \text{ is regular}}$

every regular language is recognised by some NFA

every regular language is recognised by some DFA



$\Gamma \models \Delta$  is a relation between finite sets of predicates

it satisfies the following rules:

$$\frac{}{\Gamma, a \models a, \Delta} (I)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \models \Delta}{\Gamma, a \rightarrow b \models \Delta} (\rightarrow L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, a \models b, \Delta}{\Gamma \models a \rightarrow b, \Delta} (\rightarrow R)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, a, b \models \Delta}{\Gamma, a \wedge b \models \Delta} (\wedge L) \quad \frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta \quad \Gamma \models b, \Delta}{\Gamma \models a \wedge b, \Delta} (\wedge R)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \models \Delta}{a \vee b \models \Delta} (\vee L) \quad \frac{\Gamma \models a, b, \Delta}{\Gamma \models a \vee b, \Delta} (\vee R)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \models a, \Delta}{\Gamma, \neg a \models \Delta} (\neg L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, a \models \Delta}{\Gamma \models \neg a, \Delta} (\neg R)$$

$\Gamma \vdash \Delta$  is the relation between finite sets of Wffs  
**defined by** the following rules:

$$\begin{array}{c} \overline{\Gamma, a \vdash a, \Delta} \quad (I) \\ \frac{\Gamma \vdash a, \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, a \rightarrow b \vdash \Delta} (\rightarrow L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, a \vdash b, \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash a \rightarrow b, \Delta} (\rightarrow R) \\ \frac{\Gamma, a, b \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, a \wedge b \vdash \Delta} (\wedge L) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash a, \Delta \quad \Gamma \vdash b, \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash a \wedge b, \Delta} (\wedge R) \\ \frac{\Gamma, a \vdash \Delta \quad \Gamma, b \vdash \Delta}{a \vee b \vdash \Delta} (\vee L) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash a, b, \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash a \vee b, \Delta} (\vee R) \\ \frac{\Gamma \vdash a, \Delta}{\Gamma, \neg a \vdash \Delta} (\neg L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, a \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \neg a, \Delta} (\neg R) \end{array}$$

theorem  $\Gamma \vdash \Delta$  iff  $\Gamma \models \Delta$

the inference rules are **sound**:  $\Gamma \vdash \Delta \Rightarrow \Gamma \models \Delta$

the inference rules are **complete**:  $\Gamma \models \Delta \Rightarrow \Gamma \vdash \Delta$

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6. (a) Which of the following strings are accepted by the NFA in the diagram?  
(The start state is indicated by an arrow and the accepting state by a double



border.)

- abb
- abbababbaaabb
- abbabbaabababab
- abbabbaabababab

[3 marks]

- (b) Write a regular expression for the language accepted by this NFA.

[3 marks]

- (c) Draw a DFA that accepts the same language. Label the states of your DFA to make clear their relationship to the states of the original NFA.

[10 marks]

- (d) For each of the following regular expressions, draw a non-deterministic finite state machine that accepts the language described by the regular expression.

- $x^*y$
- $(x^*[y])$
- $(x^*y)^*$

[9 marks]

5. Each diagram shows an FSM. In each case give a regular expression for the language accepted by the FSM, make a mark in the check box against each string that it accepts (and no mark against those strings it does not accept), make a mark in the DFA check box if it is deterministic, and draw an equivalent DFA if it is not.

(a)		<div> <div>ab</div> <div>aba</div> <div>ba</div> <div>baa</div> <div>baab</div> </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> </div>	<div> <div>DFA</div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> </div> </div>	<div> <div>regular</div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> </div> </div>	[2 marks]
(b)		<div> <div>ab</div> <div>aba</div> <div>ba</div> <div>baa</div> <div>baab</div> </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> </div>	<div> <div>DFA</div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> </div> </div>	<div> <div>regular</div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> </div> </div>	[2 marks]
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