

Midterm 1 Samples of Tasks

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Task 1. (SAMPLE) (1 pt). Let $A=\{0, 1\}$. Find a regular expression r such that $L(r)$ consists of all words w containing

Task 2. (SAMPLE) (1 pt=0.5+0.5). Let $A=\{a, b, c\}$, $r=.....$, and let $w=.....$

1. Find $L(r)$
2. Whether w belongs to $L(r)$

Task 3. (SAMPLE) (8pt=0.5*2+3+4) NDFSA's M_A and M_B are defined by Tables 1 and 2 below:

Table 1 (M _A)				Table 2 (M _B)		
State	f			State	f	
	Input				Input	
	0	1			0	1
Start State – Final States:				Start State – Final States:		

Subtask (a) (1 pt=0.5*2). Provide state diagrams for M_A and M_B

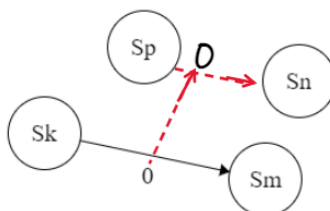
Subtask (b) (3 pt). Use Kleene's method to construct state diagrams for NDFSA M_{AB} .

Provide a description of start the state, final states, and new transitions in M_{AB} . No description – no points.

Subtask (c) (4 pt). Use Kleene's method to construct state diagrams for NDFSA M_{A^*} .

Provide a description of start the state, final states, and new transitions in M_{A^*} . No description – no points.

Note: In Exam papers ALL new transitions generated for M_{AB} , and M_{A^*} must be shown in state diagrams by dashed lines. Besides, if an old transition $\alpha: S_k \rightarrow S_m$, say on 0, generates a new transition $\beta: S_p \rightarrow S_n$ on the same symbol 0 then connect the transition α and the transition β by a colored and dashed arrow from $S_k \rightarrow S_m$ to $S_p \rightarrow S_n$ as shown in the picture below



Task 4. (SAMPLE) (3 pt=2+0.4+0.6). Based on NDFSA given in Table 3 and the algorithm in the proof of the Theorem 2 (page 19 of Lecture Notes) solve the following subtasks:

Table 3 (NDFSA)		
State	F	
	Input	
	0	1
Start state: Final States:		

- Subtask i. Create an equivalent DFSA in “table form” (2 pt)
- Subtask ii. Draw NDFSA in Table 1 in state diagram form (0.4 pt)
- Subtask iii. Draw the equivalent DFSA you created in subtask (i) in state diagram form (0.6 pt)

Task 5. (SAMPLE) (2 pt) Let $I=\{0, 1\}$. Construct a deterministic finite-state automaton that recognizes the set of all bit strings such that

NOTE.

In Exam, a student can use the following materials:

- Lecture Notes (printed version)
- File "Solutions of some tasks from HW1" (as a sample) (printed version)
- File "Fall 2022 Computation Theory – SAMPLES for the tasks 3 and 4 of Midterm 1" (printed version).

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Good Luck.

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