

# Assignment 1

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## Required Exercises

### Exercise 1

When a C compiler compiles the following statement, how many tokens will it generate? [5 points]

```
1 | int a3 = a * 3;
```

There are 7 tokens will be generated.

- <keyword, int>
- <id, a3>
- <id, a>
- <assign, =>
- <assign, \*>
- <assign, ;>
- <number, 3>

### Exercise 2

In a string of length  $n$  ( $n > 0$ ), how many of the following are there?

1. Prefixes [5 points]
2. Proper prefixes [5 points]
3. Prefixes of length  $m$  ( $0 < m \leq n$ ) [5 points]
4. Suffixes of length  $m$  ( $0 < m \leq n$ ) [5 points]
5. Proper prefixes of length  $m$  ( $0 < m \leq n$ ) [10 points]
6. Substrings [10 points]
7. Subsequences [10 points]

1.  $n + 1$
2.  $n - 1$
3. 1
4. 1

5.  $res = \begin{cases} 0 & m=n \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$
6.  $1 + \frac{(1+n)n}{2}$
7.  $2^n$

## Exercise 3

Describe the languages denoted by the following regular expressions:

1.  $((\epsilon | a)^* b^*)^*$  [5 points]
2.  $(a | b)^* a (a | b) (a | b)$  [5 points]
3.  $a^* b a^* b a^* b a^*$  [5 points]

1. A string consisting of a and b
2. A string consisting of a and b whose third-to-last digit is a
3. A string consisting of a and b with only three

## Exercise 4

Write regular definitions or regular expressions for the following languages.

1. All strings representing valid telephone numbers in Shenzhen. A valid telephone number contains the country code (86), a hyphen, the area code 0755, another hyphen, and eight digits where the first one cannot be zero (e.g., 86-0755-88015159). [10 points]
2. All strings of a's and b's that start with a and end with b. [10 points]
3. All strings of lowercase letters that contain the five vowels in order. [10 points]

1 | `86-0755-[1-9][0-9]{7}`

1 | `a(a|b)*b`

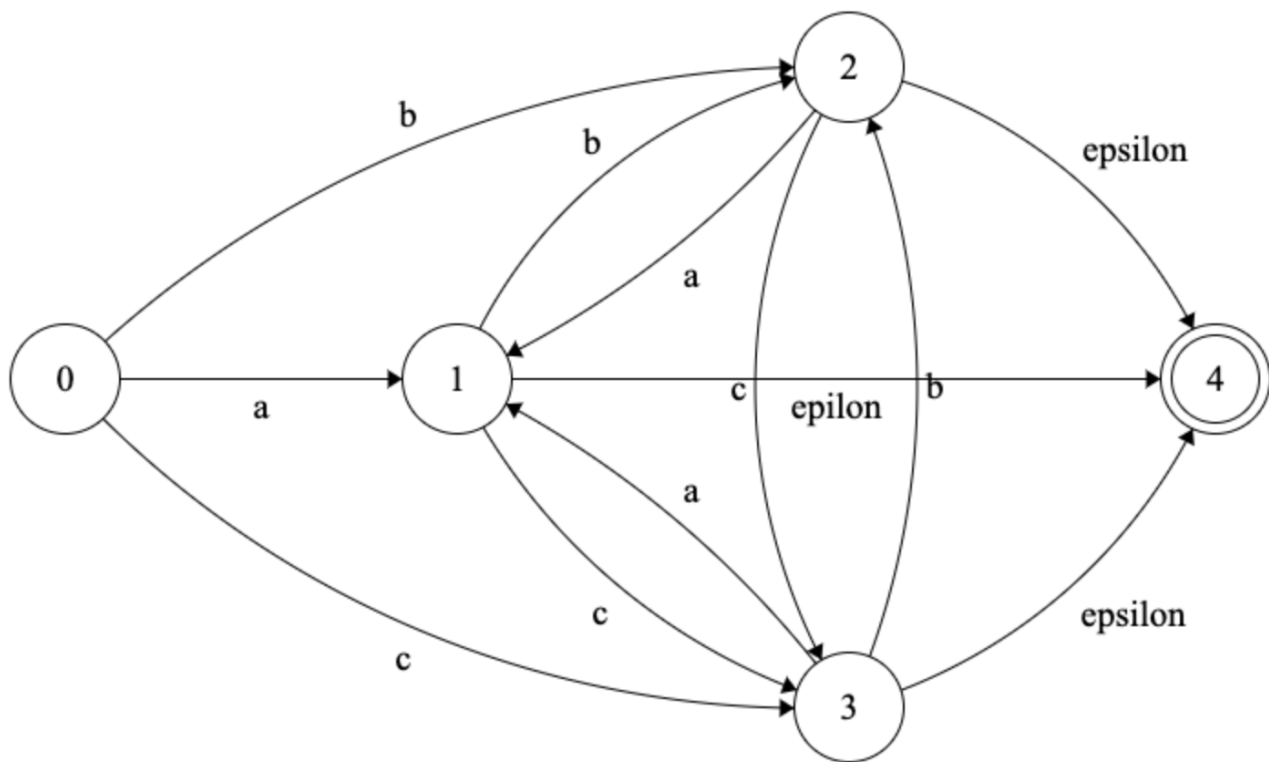
1 | `pattern = [b-df-hj-np-tv-z]`  
 2 | `{pattern}*a{pattern}*e{pattern}*i{pattern}*o{pattern}*u{pattern}*`

## Optional Exercises

### Exercise 1

Suppose we have a alphabet  $\Sigma = \{a, b, c\}$ , write regular definitions to describe all strings over  $\Sigma$  without repeated letters. [Hint: You may draw an NFA for the language and convert the NFA to regular definitions.]

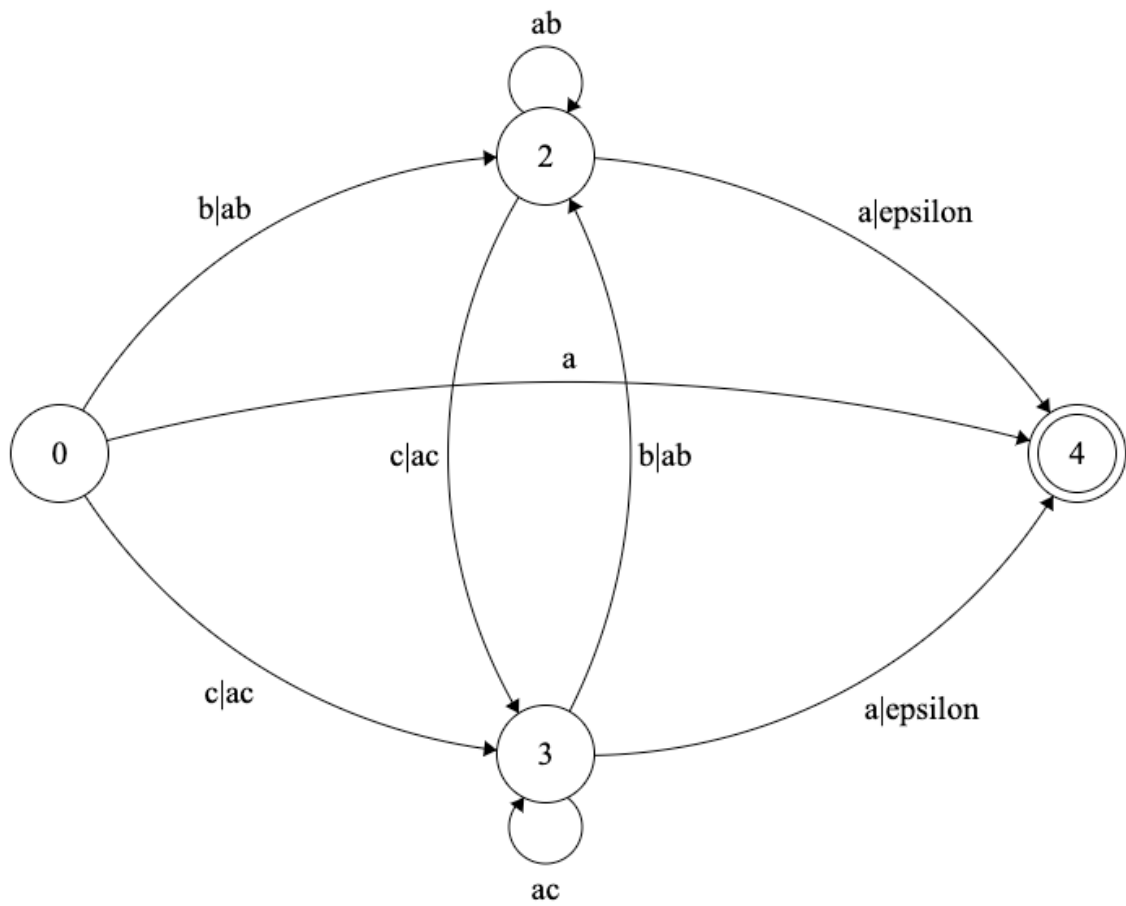
**The origin NFA figure**



Then, we should simplify the figure by removing the state 1, 2 , 3 to get the regular definitions.

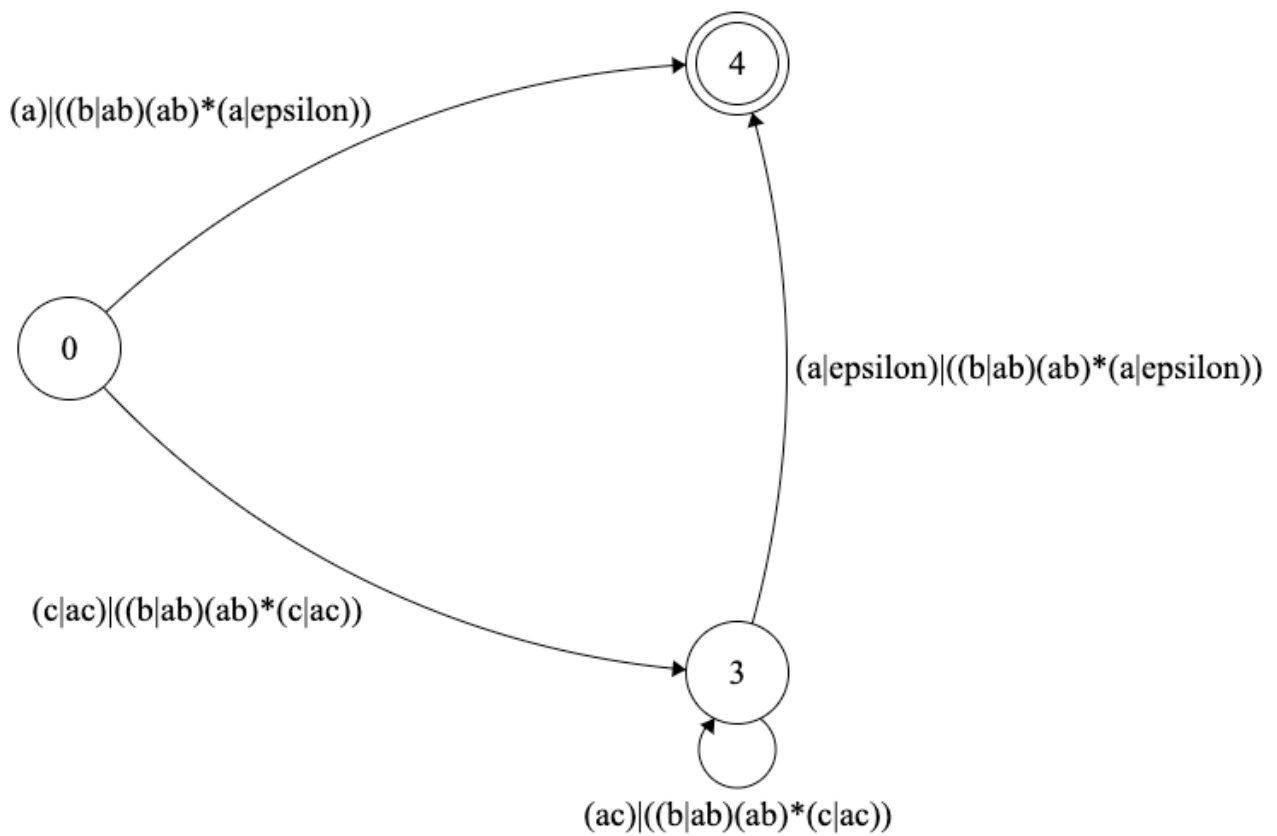
#### Remove state 1

edge	Regular expression
0 -> 2	$b ab$
0 -> 3	$c ac$
0 -> 4	$a$
2 -> 2	$ab$
2 -> 3	$c ac$
2 -> 4	$a \epsilon$
3 -> 2	$b ab$
3 -> 3	$ac$
3 -> 4	$a \epsilon$



Remove state 2

edge	Regular expression
0 -> 3	$(c ac) ((b ab)(ab)^*(c ac))$
0 -> 4	$(a) ((b ab)(ab)^*(a \epsilon))$
3 -> 3	$(ac) ((b ab)(ab)^*(c ac))$
3 -> 4	$(a \epsilon) ((b ab)(ab)^*(a \epsilon))$



### Remove state 3

edge	Regular expression
0 -> 4	$((a) ((b ab)(ab)^*(a \epsilon))) (((c ac) ((b ab)(ab)^*(c ac)))(ac) ((b ab)(ab)^*(c ac))) * ((a \epsilon) ((b ab)(ab)^*(a \epsilon))))$

So, from NFA to regular expression, the result is

$((a)|((b|ab)(ab)^*(a|\epsilon)))|(((c|ac)|((b|ab)(ab)^*(c|ac)))(ac)|((b|ab)(ab)^*(c|ac))) * ((a|\epsilon)|((b|ab)(ab)^*(a|\epsilon))))$

**regex101**

<https://regex101.com/r/5C0PEp/1>

9 次匹配, 491 步 (~0ms)

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 C((C|a))I(C|b|ab)(C|ab)\*a))I(C|C|ac)I(C|C|b|ab)(C|ab)\*C|ac))C(aC|I(C|C|b|ab)(C|ab)\*C|ac)))\*C(a|I  
 C(b|ab)(C|ab)\*a|))S

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