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**Problem 1.**

- (a) Given a function  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  where  $X$  and  $Y$  are finite sets, and  $|X| = |Y|$ . Suppose that  $f$  is injective. This means for every element  $y \in Y$ , there is at most one arrow pointing in. But,  $f$  is a function, which means for every unique  $x \in X$ , there must be an arrow going from  $x$  to  $y$ . Since no  $y$  can have more than one arrow pointing in, and  $|X| = |Y|$ , then the number of arrows pointing in must be exactly 1 for every  $y$ . This implies that  $f$  is bijective, which then implies that  $f$  must also be surjective as well.
- (b) Given a function  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  where  $X$  and  $Y$  are finite sets, and  $|X| = |Y|$ . Suppose that  $f$  is surjective. This means that for every element  $y \in Y$ , there is at least one arrow pointing in. But  $f$  is a function, which means there cannot be more than one arrow pointing out for every  $x \in X$ . Since  $|X| = |Y|$ , it is not possible for there to be any  $y$  with more than one arrow pointing in, which means there is exactly 1 arrow pointing in for every  $y$ . This implies that  $f$  is bijective, which then implies that  $f$  must also be injective as well.

**Problem 2.**

- (a) A function that produces every  $n^{th}$  prime number. Some numbers are not prime, and will have no arrows pointing into them, making the function not surjective by default.
- (b) A function that produces the smallest factor of  $n$ . Multiple numbers will have the same smallest factor (eg. 2), making this surjective, but not injective.

**Problem 3.**

$3^6$	$3^5$	$3^4$	$3^3$	$3^2$	$3^1$	$3^0$
b	c	a	c	b	a	b

In b-adic ordering,  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 2$ , and  $c = 3$ , so the total would be

$$(3^6 \times 2) + (3^5 \times 3) + (3^4 \times 1) + (3^3 \times 3) + (3^2 \times 2) + (3^1 \times 1) + (3^0 \times 2) = \mathbf{2372}$$

**Problem 4.**

Number 909 can be broken down as follows:

$$909 = 3 \times 302 + 3$$

$$302 = 3 \times 100 + 2$$

$$100 = 3 \times 33 + 1$$

$$33 = 3 \times 10 + 3$$

$$10 = 3 \times 3 + 1$$

$$3 = 3 \times 0 + 3$$

With  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 2$ , and  $c = 3$ , the string would be **cbacac**.

### Problem 5.

If we assign a bit vector to each of the results from  $f$ , we would get:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(a) = \{a, b\} & \rightarrow 11000 \\
 f(b) = \{c, d, e\} & \rightarrow 00111 \\
 f(c) = \{b, c\} & \rightarrow 01100 \\
 f(d) = \emptyset & \rightarrow 00000 \\
 f(e) = \{a, c, d\} & \rightarrow 10110
 \end{aligned}$$

We can then take the flipped diagonal, and we get the bit-vector 01011, which corresponds to the set  $\{b, d, e\}$ .

### Problem 6.

For the sets in the sequence  $S_0, S_1, S_2, \dots$  of subsets of  $\mathbb{N}$ , we are only concerned with the even numbers in each set (since  $S$  can contain only evens), so we can form the diagram as such:

	0	2	4	6	...
$S_0$	1	0	1	0	...
$S_1$	0	1	0	1	...
$S_2$	1	1	1	1	...
$S_3$	0	0	0	1	...
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\ddots$

The bit-vectors for  $S_0, S_1, S_2, \dots$  are arbitrary here, simply for demonstration. Then, we can use diagonalization (by flipping the bits along the diagonal) to create a unique bit-vector for  $S$ , consisting of only even numbers, and where  $S \neq S_0, S_1, S_2$ .

### Problem 7.

**The tuple  $(Q, \sigma, \delta, s, F)$  in order:**

The states are  $Q = q_1, q_2, q_3$

The alphabet is  $\sigma = a, b$

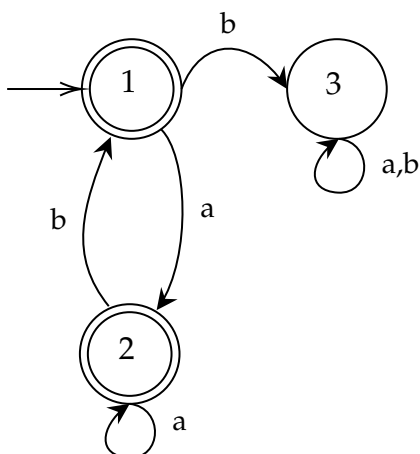
The transition function ( $\delta$ ) is shown in the table below

The starting state is  $s = 1$

The acceptable final states are  $F = q_1, q_3$

$\delta$	$a$	$b$
$q_1$	$q_2$	$q_2$
$q_2$	$q_2$	$q_3$
$q_3$	$q_1$	$q_2$

**Problem 8.**



**Problem 9.**

$$L(M) = \{w \in \sigma^* \mid w \text{ does not start with } b \text{ and does not contain } bb.\}$$

**Problem 10.**

(a)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_s$	$q_s$	$q_s$

where  $s = q_s$  and  $F = \{\}$ .  $q_s$  represents the starting state, and there is no final state in this case, because there is no word that belongs in  $\emptyset$ .

(b)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_s$	$q_e$	$q_e$

where  $s = q_s$  and  $F = \{q_s\}$ .  $q_s$  represents the starting state, and  $q_e$  represents a non-empty state. Since we are trying to get to  $\epsilon$ , the only acceptable state is the starting state.

(c)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_s$	$q_0$	$q_1$
$q_0$	$q_n$	$q_f$
$q_1$	$q_f$	$q_n$
$q_n$	$q_n$	$q_n$
$q_f$	$q_n$	$q_n$

where  $s = q_s$  and  $F = \{q_f\}$ .  $q_0$  and  $q_1$  represents states in which the word starts with 0 or 1, respectively. From  $q_0$ , if a 1 is entered, then we enter  $q_f$ , which is the accepting state (similar is true for  $q_1$ ). Any more letters after that (or if 0 is entered after  $q_0$  or 1 after  $q_1$ ), we enter  $q_n$ , which is simply a non-accepting state from which we can't exit.

(d)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_s$	$q_0$	$q_1$
$q_0$	$q_0$	$q_0$
$q_1$	$q_n$	$q_1$
$q_n$	$q_n$	$q_n$

where  $s = q_s$  and  $F = \{q_1\}$ . Because we have to start with 1,  $q_s$  and  $q_n$  are here for the situations of  $\epsilon$  and when we start with 0, respectively. There is no exit from  $q_n$ . Then, for situations we do start with 1, we simply shuffle between  $q_1$  and  $q_0$ , which represents what was the last digit read.

(e)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_s$	$q_0$	$q_1$
$q_0$	$q_n$	$q_1$
$q_1$	$q_0$	$q_n$
$q_n$	$q_n$	$q_n$

where  $s = q_s$  and  $F = \{q_s, q_0, q_1\}$ . Here, the only non-accepting state is  $q_n$ , which represents when 00 or 11 has been found.  $q_1$  and  $q_0$  represents the last digit read, and simply transitions between each other, except if there is a 00 or a 11.

(f)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_s$	$q_0$	$q_1$
$q_0$	$q_0$	$q_1$
$q_1$	$q_2$	$q_0$
$q_2$	$q_2$	$q_1$

where  $s = q_s$  and  $F = \{q_0\}$ . The states  $q_0, q_1, q_2$  represent the remainder when the binary string (so far) is divided by three. This logic works because each digit on a binary string is eventually added together, so whenever the remainder becomes 0, it can be treated as a new string. For when the remainder is 1, then we can examine 11 or 10 (for the next read). In the prior case,  $11_2 = 3$ , so the remainder is 0. In the latter case,  $10_2 = 2$ , so the remainder is 2. Finally, we can move into the cases when the remainder is 2. Remainder 2 in binary is 10, so we prepend that to the next digit and the cases become 101 or 100. The former gives remainder 2 (again), and the latter gives remainder 1.

(g)

$\delta$	0	1
$q_0$	$q_0$	$q_1$
$q_1$	$q_0$	$q_2$
$q_2$	$q_0$	$q_3$
$q_3$	$q_3$	$q_3$

where  $s = q_0$  and  $F = \{q_3\}$ . Since the strings  $x$  and  $y$  can be empty, then this simply becomes a search to see if the substring 111 is in this string.  $q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3$  represents the number of consecutive 1's found, and once 3 are found,  $q_3$  doubles as the accepting truthy state.

### Problem 11.

The code is as follows:

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# Accepts All binary strings in which all two successive ones
# are separated by an odd number of zeroes

start: truthy

accept-states: [truthy]

transitions:
- [truthy, 0, truthy]
- [truthy, 1, open_1]

- [open_1, 0, odd_zero]
- [open_1, 1, falsy]

- [odd_zero, 0, even_zero]
- [odd_zero, 1, truthy]

- [even_zero, 0, odd_zero]
- [even_zero, 1, falsy]

- [falsy, 0, falsy]
- [falsy, 1, falsy]
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