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Passo 1

#### Part a.

First remember that  $A_{DFA}$  is the language of encodings of pairs (B, w), where B is a DFA which **accepts** string w. In other words,

$$A_{\mathrm{DFA}} = \{ \langle B, w \rangle \mid B \text{ is a DFA that accepts input string } w \}.$$

Now we see that question whether  $\langle M, 0100 \rangle \in A_{DFA}$  is actually a question whether DFA M from the image accepts string 0100, i.e. whether 0100  $\in L(M)$ .

So now we do the obvious thing, of course, and that is to run the machine M with 0100 and see what happens. Enter the initial state, then hop-hop-hop along the appropriate arrows and we are back in the initial state! Incidentally, initial state is also an accepting one, hence we conclude that  $0100 \in L(M)$ , which means  $\langle M, 0100 \rangle \in A_{DFA}$ .

### Part b.

After discussion in previous part, we simply answer: no, it is **not true** that  $\langle M, \mathtt{O11} \rangle \in A_{\mathrm{DFA}}$ .

### Part c.

The input is not even in right format! We said that in language  $A_{\text{DFA}}$  are encodings of pairs (B, w), but here we have just encoding of the machine. Hence we conclude that  $\langle M \rangle \notin A_{\text{DFA}}$ .

# Part d.

Language  $A_{\text{REX}}$  contains all encodings of pairs (R, w), where R is a **regular expression** which generates string w. Notice the catch? That's right, M is not a regular expression! Hence we can immediately conclude  $\langle M, 0100 \rangle \notin A_{\text{REX}}$ .

# Part e.

 $E_{\text{DFA}}$  contains encodings of all DFAs which **do not** accept any string. In **part a** we saw that M accepts string 0100, hence  $\langle M \rangle \notin E_{\text{DFA}}$ .

# Part f.

Since  $EQ_{DFA}$  contains encodings of pairs of DFAs which recognize exactly the same language, it is obvious that  $\langle M, M \rangle \in EQ_{DFA}$ .

Resultado

We clarify each symbol and write answers.

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