

CC Gate Questions

Topics: Sessional 1 syllabus

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ANSWER : 10

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2. (
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4. ,
5. i
6. ,
7. &
8. i
9.)
10. ;

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With T_1 the longest match would be **bba**

With T_2 the longest match would be **bb**

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bbaac $\rightarrow T_3$

abc $\rightarrow T_3$

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