

Problem Set #4;

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Problem 1

Let $M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma_1, \delta_1, q_1, F_1)$ and $M_2 = (Q_2, \Sigma_2, \delta_2, q_2, F_2)$. Such that $L(M_1) = A$ and $L(M_2) = B$. Build $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ such that $L(M) = f(A, B)$.

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= Q_1 \times Q_2 \times \{1, 2\} \\ \delta(q, t) &= \delta_1(q, t) \rightarrow q \times t \times 1 & \forall q \in Q_1, \forall t \in \Sigma \\ \delta(q, t) &= \delta_2(q, t) \rightarrow q \times t \times 2 & \forall q \in Q_2, \forall t \in \Sigma \\ q_0 &= q_1 \\ F &= F_1 \times F_2 \end{aligned}$$

This works for any state in $f(A, B)$ because for any state in Q_2 a Σ symbol can be applied specifically to $q \in Q_1$ to progress the sub DFA A and the inverse is true for the DFA for B .

Problem 2

Let $M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma_1, \delta_1, q_1, F_1)$ and $M_2 = (Q_2, \Sigma_2, \delta_2, q_2, F_2)$. Such that $L(M_1) = A$ and $L(M_2) = B$. Build $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ such that $L(M) = f(A, B)$.

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= Q_1 \times Q_2 \times \{1, 2\} \\ \delta(q, t) &= \delta_1(q, t) \rightarrow q \times t \times 1 & \forall q \in Q_1, \forall t \in \Sigma \\ \delta(q, t) &= \delta_2(q, t) \rightarrow q \times t \times 2 & \forall q \in Q_2, \forall t \in \Sigma \\ \delta(q, \epsilon) &= q \\ q_0 &: \text{initialstate} \\ F &= F_1 \times F_2 \end{aligned}$$

This works for any state in $f(A, B)$ because for any state in Q_2 a Σ symbol can be applied specifically to $q \in Q_1$ to progress the sub DFA A and the inverse is true for the DFA for B . Also for any ϵ symbol the sub DFAs don't progress.

Problem 3

Let $M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma_1, \delta_1, q_1, F_1)$ and $M_2 = (Q_2, \Sigma_2, \delta_2, q_2, F_2)$. Such that $L(M_1) = A$ and $L(M_2) = B$. Build $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, F)$ such that $L(M) = f(A, B)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q &= Q_1 \times Q_2 \times \{1, 2\} \\
 \Gamma &= \{X\} \\
 \delta(q_0, \epsilon, \$) &= \{(q_1, \$)\} \\
 \delta(q, t, \epsilon) &= q \times t \times 1 \rightarrow X & \forall q \in Q_1, t \in \Sigma^* \\
 \delta(q, t, X) &= q \times t \times 2 \rightarrow \epsilon & \forall q \in Q_2, t \in \Sigma^* \\
 q_0 &: initialstate \\
 F &= F_1 \times F_2
 \end{aligned}$$

This will keep track of the length of each input string by placing a symbol on the stack and popping it off as the two sub routines run to their final states.

Problem 4

To show that $B \setminus A$ is decidable with A being a CFL and B being a regular language we make a decider D in the following form:

- $D =$ "Given input $\langle A, B, w \rangle$.
1. Convert A to CNF .
 2. Simulate A on w for $2n - 1$ steps, n being the amount of rules in A .
 3. Simulate B on w .
 4. Accept if B accepts and A rejects, otherwise reject."

Problem 5

The language is defined in the following manner:

$A = \{ \langle M \rangle \mid \text{given a representation of a program } M \text{ accept when } M \text{ crashes} \}$

$A_{TM} \leq_m A$ using the mapping function $f(\langle M, w \rangle) \mapsto \langle M \rangle$. Assuming that A is RE then A_{TM} would also be RE which has been proven otherwise creating a contradiction. Meaning A is not RE.

Problem 6

By definition of ALL_{TM} any input TM is seen to accept Σ^* meaning that ALL_{TM} is not decidable because for some input TMs will loop while running. Let A be a TM that runs ALL_{TM} to prove that it is RE. A is defined in the following manner:

$A =$ "On input $\langle M \rangle$.

1. Run $EQ_{TM} \langle M, C \rangle$ with C defined as so :
 $C =$ 'Accept all strings.'
2. If EQ_{TM} accepts, accept, otherwise reject."

We have proven that EQ_{TM} is RE then by having a TM for ALL_{TM} the compliment of ALL_{TM} is not RE because for the compliment to be RE the TM would have to be a decider which it is not.

Problem 7

Assume for contradiction that there a procedure P that on input $\langle G \rangle$ that will return $\langle G_{normal} \rangle$ such taht if G and G' are CFG's such that $L(G) = L(G')$ then $G_{normal} = G'_{normal}$ and if $L(G) \neq L(G')$ then $G_{normal} \neq G'_{normal}$. Let $A = \{a^n b^m | n, m \geq 0\}$.Let $A' = A$ applying P to A and A' will yelid us with G_{normal} and G'_{normal} respectively and to show that the results are not unique:

$$\begin{aligned} G_{normal} &= S \rightarrow aSbT | a \\ &\quad T \rightarrow bT | b \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} G'_{normal} &= S \rightarrow aTbS | b \\ &\quad T \rightarrow aT | a \end{aligned}$$

Both of these CFGs produce A and with no smaller possible CFG we show the contradiction with $G_{normal} \neq G'_{normal}$ with $G = G'$.