

Practice: Regular Expressions

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Regular Expressions: Practice 1

Given the language L below, what is the regular expression that generates L ?

$$L = \{aa, aba, abba, abbbba, abbbba, \dots\}$$

Given the language L below, what is the regular expression that generates L ?

$$L = \{\lambda, 0, 1, 00, 11, 000, 111, 0000, 1111, \dots\}$$

Given the language L below, what is the regular expression that generates L ?

$$L = \{1, 12, 123, 1234\}$$

Regular Expressions: Practice 2

Given the following regular expression, what is the language L that it generates?

$$(ab)^* \cup (ba)^*$$

Given the following regular expression, what is the language L that it generates?

$$(11)^*0$$

Given the following regular expression, what is the language L that it generates?

$11 \cup 0 \cup 2^* \cup 333$

Give the regular expression that generates the language of all days of the week (in English).