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Cpt S 317 Homework #1

① \* Regular Expression:

$$R_1 = 0(10+0)^*11$$

The word which is present in  $R_1$  is  
it contains starting with '0', in between any number of '10',  
'0', or 'ε' and ends with '11'.

Example: 010101011, 000011, 011, etc.

\* The words not in  $R_1$  are:

Example: 010011, 10011, 110011, etc.

$$* R_2 = (0+110)^*1(01+1)^*$$

The words which is present in  $R_2$ . Contains starting with  
either '0', '110', 'ε', in between '1' and ending with any  
number of '01's, '1's, or 'ε'.

Example: 11010101, 010101, 011111 is accepted.

\* The words not in  $R_2$  are:

Example: 10110101 (starting '10' is not accepted)

00110101 (starting '00' is not accepted)

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- ② 1. All strings containing more than two 0's:

Regular expression:  $(0+1)^* 0 (0+1)^* 0 (0+1)^*$

2. All strings do not contain 01:

Regular expression:  $1^* 00^* (0+1)^*$

3. All strings contain both 1011 and 0111 as substrings:

Regular expression:  $[(0+0^* 1 1^* 00)(1+1^* 0 111) 011^*(0+1)^*]$  ~~and~~

$[(1+1^* 00^* 11) 0 (0+0^* 111) 111 (0+1)^*]$

4. All strings do not ended with 01:

Regular expression:  $(0+1)^* (00+10+11)$



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③ 1.  $L, L^* = L^* L, L^*$

Suppose  $L_1 = \{0, 1\}$

$$L_2 = \{01, 10, 11, 00\}$$

1.  $L, L^* = L^* L, L^*$

$$L^* = \{\epsilon, 0, 1, 01, 10, 100, \dots\}$$

$$L \cdot H \cdot S = L, L^* = \{0, 1, 00, 01, 001, 101, \dots\}$$

$$R \cdot H \cdot S = L^* L, L^* = \{0, 1, 00, 01, 001, 101, \dots\}$$

$$L \cdot H \cdot S = R \cdot H \cdot S$$

This is true ✓

2.  $(L_1^* L_2)^* L_1^* = (L_1 + L_2)^*$

$$L_1^* L_2 = \{\epsilon, 0, 1, 01, 10, 100, \dots\} \{01, 10, 11, 00\}$$

$$= \{01, 10, 11, 00, 001, 010, 011, 000, \dots\}$$

$$(L_1^* L_2)^* = \{\epsilon, 01, 10, 11, 00, 0110, 0111, \dots\}$$

$$L \cdot H \cdot S = (L_1^* L_2)^* L_1^*$$

$$= \{\epsilon, 01, 10, 11, 00, 0110, 0111, \dots\} \{\epsilon, 0, 1, 01, 10\}$$

$$= \{\epsilon, 0, 1, 01, 10, 11, 00, \dots\}$$

$$L_1 + L_2 = \{0, 1\} + \{01, 10, 11, 00\}$$

$$= \{0, 1, 01, 10, 11, 00\}$$

$$(L_1 + L_2)^* = \{\epsilon, 0, 1, 01, 10, 11, 00, \dots\}$$

$\therefore LHS = RHS \Rightarrow$  This is true ✓

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④ Let  $L_1 = \{a\}$   
 $L_2 = \{b\}$

So,  $L_1^* = \{\epsilon, a, aa, \dots\}$

$$L_1^* L_2 = \{\epsilon, a, aa, \dots\} \cdot \{b\}$$
$$= \{b, ab, aab, \dots\}$$

So,  $L_1^* + (L_1^* L_2)^* = \{\epsilon, a, aa, \dots\} + \{\epsilon ab, bb, ab, abab, aab, aabaab, \dots\}$

And,  $(L_1^* + (L_1^* L_2)^*) = \{\epsilon, a, b, aa, bb, ab, abab, aabaab, \dots\}$

$$(L_1 + L_2)^* = (a + b)^* = \{\epsilon, a, b, aa, bb, aaa, bbb, \dots\}$$

So, you can see:

$$L_1^* + (L_1^* L_2)^* \neq (L_1 + L_2)^*$$

Hence, it is proved.



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⑤ There are three ~~possibilities~~ possibilities for end of every day. They are:

- 3 damsels
- 3 clowns
- 2 clowns and 1 damsel

Now, let damsels are represented as  $D$  and clowns as  $C$ , then  $(D)^m$  represents the sequence in regular expression here  $m=3$ .

Clowns are represented as  $(C)^m$  where  $m=3$ .

Then the last possibility is 2 clowns and 1 damsel.  
 $(C)^n D$

Hence, the required regular expression is:

$$(D)^m + (C)^m + (C)^n D \quad \text{where } m=3 \\ n=2$$