



2022-CS355FZ-January-Solutions

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▼ (a) Give 5 elements of each following languages

▼ $(1(01)^*)^+$

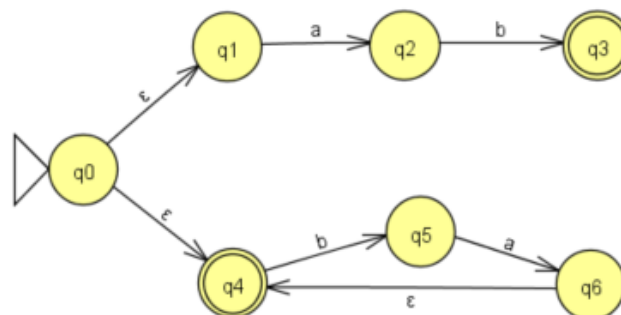
1, 101, 101101, 10101, 1010101

▼ $(^n)^n : n \in \mathbb{N}$

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▼ (b) Draw the state diagram of the non-deterministic finite automata that recognizes language $L = \{w \mid w = ab \cup (ba)^*\}$

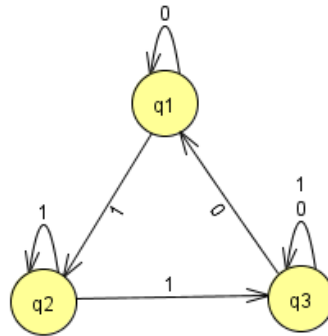
💡 防止整体出错，考试答案分步写。



▼ (c) For a nondeterministic finite automata $M=(Q,\Sigma,\delta,q,F)$, $Q=\{q_1,q_2,q_3\}$, $\Sigma=\{0,1\}$, $q_0=q_1$, $F=\{q_2,q_3\}$, the transition function δ is given by

δ	0	1
q_1	$\{q_1\}$	$\{q_2\}$
q_2	\emptyset	$\{q_2, q_3\}$
q_3	$\{q_1, q_3\}$	$\{q_3\}$

Draw its state diagram.



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▼ (a) Give a context free grammar for the language $\{a^m b^m | m \geq 0\} \cup \{b^n a^n | n \geq 0\}$

$$S \rightarrow S_1 | S_2$$

$$S_1 \rightarrow 0S_11 | \varepsilon$$

$$S_2 \rightarrow 1S_20 | \varepsilon$$

▼ (b) Let $\Sigma = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$, $C = \{w | w \text{ has equal numbers of 1s and 2s, and equal numbers of 3s and 4s}\}$. Show that C is not context free.

Suppose C is context free and there is a string $s = 1^p 3^p 2^p 4^p \in C$

$$s = uvxyz$$

To satisfy $|vy| \geq 0$ and $|vxy| \leq p$, there are following cases.

① vxy include one type of numbers

② vxy include two types of numbers

In any above cases, $uv^i xy^i z$ is not in C for every i .

It is contradiction and thus, C is not context free

$$s = 1^p 2^p 3^p 4^p \quad \times$$

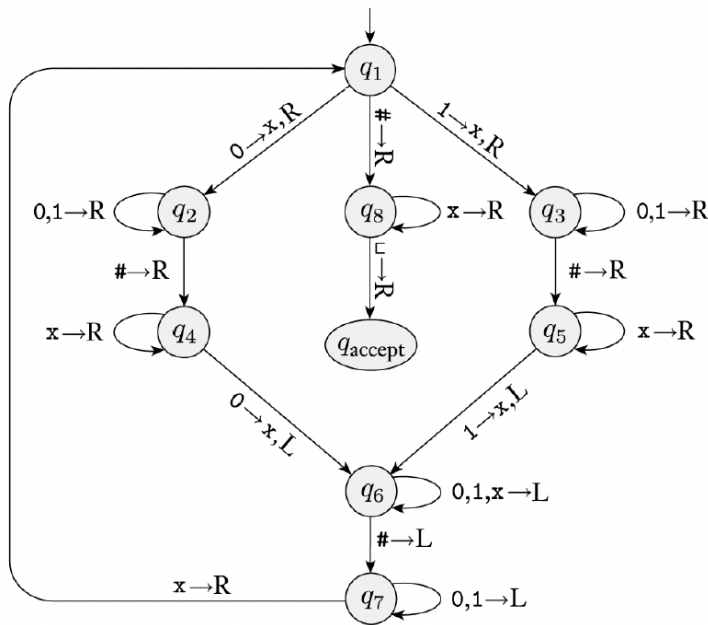
或者取具体的例子： $s = 13241324$ ✓

反正1和2，3和4不要放在一起

▼ (c) The state diagram of a Turing machine M_2 is shown below (on page 2 of this paper). Give the sequence of configuration that Turing machine M_2 ($\Sigma = \{0, 1, \#\}$, and $\Gamma = \{0, 1, \#, x, \sqcup\}$.) enters when started on the indicated input string 10#11.

$$\rightarrow q_1 10\#11$$

$$\rightarrow Xq_3 0\#11$$



$\rightarrow X0q_3\#11$
 $\rightarrow X0\#q_511$
 $\rightarrow X0q_6\#X1$
 $\rightarrow Xq_70\#X1$
 $\rightarrow q_7X0\#X1$
 $\rightarrow Xq_10\#X1$
 $\rightarrow XXq_2\#X1$
 $\rightarrow XX\#q_4X1$
 $\rightarrow XX\#Xq_41$
 $\rightarrow XX\#X1 \sqcup$
 q_{reject}

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▼ (a) Let $D = \{(i,j) \mid i,j \in \mathbb{N}\}$. Show that D is countable

(i,j)				
	(1,1)	(1,2)	(1,3)	...
	(2,1)	(2,2)	(2,3)	...
	(3,1)	(3,2)	(3,3)	...

N	D
1	(1,1)
2	(2,1)
3	(2,2)
4	(1,2)
...	...

There is a one-to-one correspondence, so D has the same size as N and D is countable.

▼ Let $E = \{\langle M \rangle \mid M \text{ is a Turing machine that accepts } w^R \text{ whenever it accepts } w\}$. Show that E is undecidable.

▼ 法一

Assume that E is decidable by using TM M that decides A_{TM} .

Construct another TM M' as follows

M' = "On input x :

1. If $x \neq 01$ and $x \neq 10$, reject.
2. If $x = 01$, accept.
3. If $x = 10$ simulate M on w .
 - a. If M accepts w , accept. If M rejects, reject."

Only when M is decidable, M' is decidable.

When M' is decidable, $L(M') = \{01, 10\} \in L(E)$, and E is decidable.

Therefore, $A_{TM} \leq_m E$.

In fact, A_{TM} is undecidable, so E is undecidable.

- 法二

Assume that E is decidable and there must exist a TM T that can decide E

Construct another TM M that decides A_{TM} as follows

M = "On input $\langle M_3, w \rangle$:

1. Run T on input $\langle M_3, w \rangle$
2. If T accept, then run T on $\langle M_3, w^R \rangle$
3. If accepts, then accept. Otherwise, reject."

Clearly, if T decides E , then M decides A_{TM} .

Because A_{TM} is undecidable, T also must be undecidable.

$A_{TM} = \{ \langle M, w \rangle \mid M \text{ 是图灵机且接受串 } w \}$

M 是否能停机的问题**取决于** M_3 是否能停机， M 本身就是判定 A_{TM} 的（所以才用格式 on input $\langle M_3, w \rangle$ ）

因为已知 A_{TM} 不可判定，则 M_3 不可判定

另一个角度： $A_{TM} \leq_m E$

▼ Describe P, NP, PSPACE, NPSPACE and EXPTIME, and their conjectured relationships

P: Problems that can be solved in polynomial time

NP: Problems that can be verified in polynomial time

PSPACE: Problems that can be solved by a Turing machine using a polynomial space.

NPSPACE: Problems that can be verified by a Turing machine using a polynomial space.

EXPTIME: Problems that can be solvable by a deterministic Turing machine in exponential time

$$P \subseteq NP \subseteq PSPACE = NPSPACE \subseteq EXPTIME$$