

# CS 374 HW 1 Problem 2

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TOTAL POINTS

**100 / 100**

QUESTION 1

**1 2A 50 / 50**

✓ - 0 pts Correct

- 40 pts Incorrect DFA

- 10 pts Minor mistake in DFA and the explanation of the relative states is incorrect/missing

- 5 pts Minor mistake in DFA, but the explanation of the relative states is correct

- 10 pts Minor mistake in DFA

- 10 pts Incorrect/missing explanation of states

- 5 pts Some states missing explanation

- 5 pts Minor mistake in state explanations

- 5 pts Missing transitions on accepting state

QUESTION 2

**2 2B 50 / 50**

✓ - 0 pts Correct

- 10 pts Missing/incorrect explanation of regex

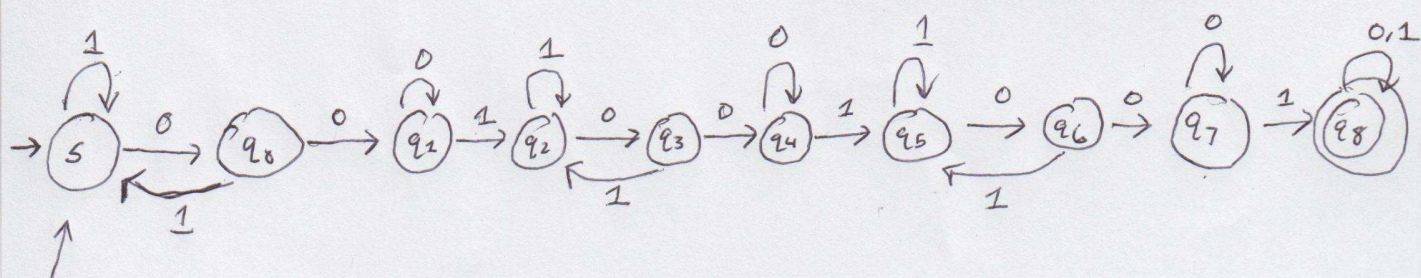
- 5 pts Explanation of regex partially correct

- 5 pts Minor mistake in regex, but explanation is correct.

- 40 pts Completely incorrect/missing regex

- 20 pts Major mistake in regex

2a)



The start state  $s$

$q_8$  is the accepting state

$q_0$  is the state where the previous character is 0

$q_1$  is the state where the previous 2 characters are 00

$q_2$  is the state where ~~000~~ <sup>001</sup> has ~~just~~ been seen

$q_3$  is the state where 001 has been seen and the previous character was 0

$q_4$  is the state where 001 has been seen and the previous two characters are 0

$q_5$  is the state where 001 has been seen twice

$q_6$  is the state where 001 has been seen twice ~~the~~ and the previous character is 0

$q_7$  is the state where 001 has been seen twice and the previous two characters are 00

$q_8$  is the state where 001 has been seen ~~2~~ three times and is the accepting state

According to the description above a string  $w$  will only be accepted if 001 has been seen 3 times

which means the DFA  $\delta^*(s, w)$  will give the accepting state  $q_8$  only when 001 has been seen 3 times which means this DFA only accepts strings which the substring 001 occur at least 3 times

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2b.) ~~main~~

$(0+1)^* 001 (0+1)^* 001 (0+1)^* 001 (0+1)^*$

We know that from the definition of a regular expression for a string  $w$  to contain a certain substring  $x$  is of the form  $\Sigma^* x \Sigma^*$  and so the regular expression

for a string to contain at least three occurrences of 001 must be of the form

$(0+1)^* 001 (0+1)^* 001 (0+1)^* 001 (0+1)^*$

According to the explanation of what a regular expression looks like for a string to have a certain sub-string

as it was read

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