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**Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering**  
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**CSE331 - Assignment 1**  
**Deadline: November 21 11:45 PM**

1. Construct DFAs that recognize the following languages:
  - a.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : w \text{ contains "1010" as a substring} \}$
  - b.  $L = \{ w \in \{a,b\}^* : \text{"a" occurs in every 4th position} \}$
  - c.  $L = \{ w \in \{a,b\}^* : \text{every "b" is followed by at most one "a"} \}$
  - d.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : w \text{ starts and ends with 1 and length of } w \text{ is odd} \}$
  - e.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : \text{the binary equivalent string is divisible by 3} \}$
2. Construct NFAs that recognize the following languages:
  - a.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : w \text{ starts with "1010"} \}$
  - b.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : \text{3rd last symbol in } w \text{ is 1} \}$
  - c.  $L = \{ w \in \{a,b\}^* : w \text{ ends with "bab"} \}$
  - d.  $L = \{ w \in \{a,b\}^* : \text{the count of substring "ab" in } w \text{ is at least two} \}$
  - e.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : w \text{ contains "010" as a substring} \}$
3. Write regular expressions for the following languages:
  - a.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : \text{length of } w \text{ is even} \}$
  - b.  $L = \{ w \in \{a,b\}^* : w \text{ starts and ends with same symbol and the length of } w \text{ is odd} \}$
  - c.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : w \text{ contains exactly one "01"} \}$
  - d.  $L = \{ w \in \{a,b\}^* : \text{every "b" is followed by at least two "a"s} \}$
  - e.  $L = \{ w \in \{0,1\}^* : w \text{ starts with "1011"} \}$