

Homework Two
Theory of Computation 2022

Important Note:

Please remember that you should return your answer at 11/02 (Wednesday) 15:10 and your HW should be handwritten. We will take your HW during the class. After 11/02 15:10, you must upload your HW to moodle. But remember penalty for late submission: 20% per day.

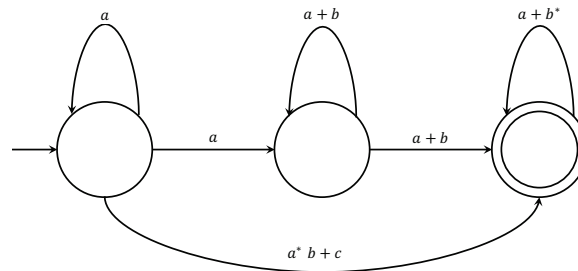
Q1: Find all strings in $L((ab + b)^*b(a + ab)^*)$ of length less than five.

Q2: Find an nfa that accepts the languages $L(aa^*(a + b))$.

Q3: Find a regular expression for the set $\{a^n b^m : (n + m) \text{ is odd}\}$.

Q4: Use the construction in Theorem 3.1 to find an nfa that accepts the language $L(a^*a + ab)$.

Q5: What language is accepted by the following generalized transition graph?



Q6: Find a regular expression for the following language on $\{a, b\}$.

$$L = \{w : n_a(w) \text{ and } n_b(w) \text{ are both odd}\}.$$

Q7: Construct a dfa that accepts the language generated by the grammar

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow abA, \\ A &\rightarrow baB, \\ B &\rightarrow aA|bb. \end{aligned}$$

Q8: Find a regular grammar that generates the language on $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ consisting of all strings with no more than two a 's.

Q9: Prove that the following language is not regular.

$$L = \{a^n b^k c^n : n \geq 0, k \geq n\}.$$

Q10: Determine whether or not the following language is regular.

$$L = \{a^n : n = k^3 \text{ for some } k \geq 0\}.$$