# SABANCI UNIVERSITY Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences CS 302 Automata Theory

# Final Examination

# Closed (Book+Notes+All Electronic Devices)

Duration: 150 minutes

| Q1         |  |
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| <b>Q</b> 2 |  |
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| Q4         |  |
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# Question 1 (25 points)

(a) (6 pts) Construct an  $\varepsilon$ -NFA X with not more than S states that accepts the language corresponding to the regular expression E = ((0.1) + 1). Carefully specify the initial and the final states of X.

(b) (6 pts) Construct an NFA Y (without  $\varepsilon$ -transitions and with the same states as those of X) that is equivalent to X. Carefully specify the initial state(s) and the final state(s) of Y (c) (7 pts) Compute a DFA Z that is equivalent to Y.

(d) (6 pts) Compute a minimal state DFA W that is equivalent to Z. Try to express the language symbolized by E in a simple natural language.

# Question 2 (25 points)

(a)(13 pts) Consider the CFG, G = (V, T, R, S) where

 $V = \{Zero, One, S\}, T = \{0,1\}$  and R is given by the following productions:

 $S \rightarrow 0 \ Zero \ S \mid 1 \ One \ S \mid e$ 

Zero → 0 Zero Zero | 1

One  $\rightarrow$  1 One One | 0

First write down a leftmost derivation for the string 011010 generated by G and then state the language  $L_G$  generated by the grammar CFG, G above.

**(b)**(12 pts) Construct a PDA  $P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z_0, F)$  that accepts the language :

 $L = (\omega \in \{0,1\}^* \mid \omega = 0^n 1^{n+1}, n \ge 0)$  by final state. Is your *PDA* deterministic (a **DPDA**)? If not convert it to a *DPDA*.

# Question 3 (25 points)

- (a) (7 pts) State the definitions of (i) Chomsky Normal Form, and (ii) Greibach Normal Form for a Context Free Grammar G(V,T,R,S).
- (b) (8pts) Consider the CFG,  $G=(\{X,S\}, \{a,b,c\}, R, S)$  where R is composed of the following productions:

$$S \rightarrow aSc |X| e$$

$$X \rightarrow aXb \mid e$$

First compute a leftmost derivation for the string  $a^3bc^2$  generated by G and, in general, state the language  $L_G$  generated by G.

(c) (10 pts) Compute the Chomsky Normal Form for G.

# Question 4 (25 points)

Given a TMM with the tabular description below, initial configuration of M is (s, # w) and LeftShift is a TM defined by  $(s, z \# w \#) \mid -- LeftShift * (h, z w \#)$  where z and w are arbitrary strings and w has no #'s (blanks) in it.

| Label TM | Condition   | TM  |
|----------|-------------|---|
| >A= R    | <b>σ≠</b> # | $\$.R_{\#}.R_{\#}.\sigma.L_{\$}.\sigma.A$ |
|          | $\sigma$ =# | R# . LeftShift . L# . h                   |

- (a) (15 pts) For the TMM above, compute step-by-step, relative to the basic TMs used in the table, the tape configurations starting with the initial configuration (s, # ab) where a and b are  $single\ events$  of the string ab of length 2.
- (b) (10 pts) Compute the final **halted** configuration corresponding to the *general* initial configuration (s, # w) where w is any input string with no #'s in it.