

Challenge Activity 5 – Regular Expressions

Consider the following regular expression: $(01+10)(01+10)^*$

- (a) Prove using the induction method that all the strings belonging to $L((01+10)(01+10)^*)$ have an equal number of 0's and 1's;
- (b) The language $L((01+10)(01+10)^*)$ does not include all the strings over $\Sigma=\{0,1\}$ with an equal number of 0's and 1's. Comment on the possibility to have a regular expression representing the language of strings over $\Sigma=\{0,1\}$ with an equal number of 0's and 1's.