

The purpose of this project is to use GOLD to define finite state transducers to code and decode inputs.

**Task 1.** The task of this project is to define the coder and decoders described below:

1. The coder reads strings of the form  $\sigma\alpha : \omega\$$  where:

- $\sigma \in ('a'..'z')$
- $\alpha \in ('a'..'z')$
- $\omega = \sigma_1 \dots \sigma_n$ , with  $\sigma_i \in ('a'..'z')$

Coder

Decoder

ha:z\$

ha:A0

ha:A0

ha:z\$

The coder should output:  $\sigma\alpha\beta d$ , where  $\beta = \rho_1 \dots \rho_n$ .

- Each  $\rho_i$  is coded as follows:

– if  $\sigma_i = \sigma$  then  $\rho_i = \alpha$

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– if  $\sigma_i \notin \{\sigma, \alpha\}$

\* if  $\sigma_i = \sigma_{i-1}$  then  $\rho_i = \#$

\* if  $\sigma_i \neq \sigma_{i-1}$  and  $(i\%3) = 1$  then  $\rho_i$  is the uppercase of the letter after  $\sigma_i$  (i.e., if  $\sigma_i = a$ ,  $\rho_i = B$ ; if  $\sigma_i = b$ ,  $\rho_i = C$ , ... if  $\sigma_i = z$ ,  $\rho_i = A$ )

\* if  $\sigma_i \neq \sigma_{i-1}$  and  $(i\%3) = 2$  then  $\rho_i$  is the upper case of  $\sigma_i$

– if none of the conditions apply, then  $\rho_i = \sigma_i$

- d is the number of replacements ( $\sigma$  for  $\alpha$  and  $\alpha$  for  $\sigma$ ) that were made modulo 5

2. The decoder should read coded strings, verify that the string was coded correctly and decode the string.

We include a coder-decoder gold project. You may use it as a starting point.

Below, you will find some examples for the coder.

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1 -----
2 Input string: (empty string to end)
3 ac:babcaannnnn$
4 The string was accepted. Output: ac:Ccbacc0####4
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6 Input string: (empty string to end)
7 ft:aaaaaaaaa$
8 The string was accepted. Output: ft:B#####0
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10 Input string: (empty string to end)
11 ma:amamamjkslell$
12 The string was accepted. Output: ma:mamamaKKsMEl#1
13 -----
14 Input string: (empty string to end)
15 tt:atatataaat$
16 The string was accepted. Output: tt:BtatAtB##t4
17 -----
18 Input string: (empty string to end)
19 az:aaaaabbbababz$
20 The string was accepted. Output: az:zzzzzb##zCzba3
21 -----
22 Input string: (empty string to end)
23 xd:amaxmadcatisveeerysweet$
24 The string was accepted. Output: xd:BMadMaxCaUIsWE##RyTWe#T2
25 -----
26 Input string: (empty string to end)
27 ch:acatishome$
28 The string was accepted. Output: ch:BhaUIscOmF2
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