CSE 211 – Theory of (	Computation
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Assignment

If last 3 digits of your student ID mod 3 = m and student ID mod 5 = n, then you need to solve the m-th problem from the first group and the n-th problem from the second group.

a) Design pushdown automata (PDA) for the following:

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- 0.  $\{a^ib^jc^k \mid i, j, k \ge 0 \text{ and } i=j \text{ or } i=k\}$
- 1. The set of all strings with twice as many 0's as 1's.
- 2.  $\{a^nb^nc^md^m \mid n, m \ge 1\} \cup \{a^nb^mc^md^n \mid n, m \ge 1\}$
- b) Design Turing machines to perform the following operations (the leftmost bit is LSB) using the simulator provided (for manual and more details, see <a href="https://schaetzc.github.io/tursi/">https://schaetzc.github.io/tursi/</a>)

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- 0. Increment (add 1). The tape initially contains wc, where w is a binary number. Your TM should add 1 to w and write the sum to the right of the c.
- 1. Decrement (subtract 1). The tape initially contains wc, where w is a binary number. Your TM should subtract 1 from w and write the result to the right of the c.
- 2. Logical XOR. The tape initially contains  $w_1 c w_2 c$ , where  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  are binary numbers. Your TM should compute logical XOR of  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  and write the result to the right of the second c.
- 3. Logical AND. The tape initially contains  $w_1 \text{cw}_2 c$ , where  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  are binary numbers. Your TM should compute logical AND of  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  and write the result to the right of the second c.
- 4. Logical OR. The tape initially contains  $w_1 c w_2 c$ , where  $w_1$  and w are binary numbers. Your TM should compute logical OR of  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  and write the result to the right of the second c.
- c) Show that the halting problem, i.e. given a pair (*M*, *w*), deciding whether the Turing machine *M* halts when given input *w*, is RE but not recursive. (6)

## **Submission instructions:**

Submit the \*.tm file and the solutions to the problems in a zipped folder, named using your student ID, through moodle.

Deadline: 15/09/2023 (Friday) 11:59pm