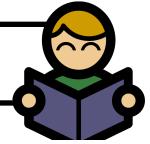




Read input: one character at a time





Group characters into tokens



Remove whitespaces and comments



Encode token types and form tuples <token-type, value> and return to parser





Encode token types (tuples) and return to parser

	type	value
123.45	FloatConst	123.45
DaysofWeek	VAR	String = DaysOfWeek
+	Operator	Value = +





A collection (set) of legal strings



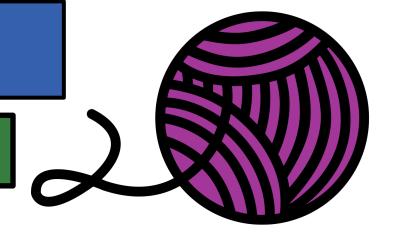
How to form legal strings



Regular expression r (a pattern of characters) and its language L(r)

Used in many Unix programs (e.g., grep, vi., etc.)

State machine (finite automata)





Representations of Strings Basics of Regular Expression

AaBbCcDdEeFfGgHhIiJjKkLIMmNnOoPpQqRrSsTtUuVvWwXxYyZz

1234567890~!@#\$%^&*()_+=-{}|[]:";'<>?,./

Symbols &

A symbol is a valid character in a language

Alphabet is set of legal symbols

Representations of Strings Basics of Regular Expression

Metacharacters/metasymbols that have special meanings:

- Defining reg-ex operations (e.g. |, (,), *, +, etc.)
- Escape character (\) to turn off special meanings
- Empty string ϵ and empty set $\phi = \{\}$

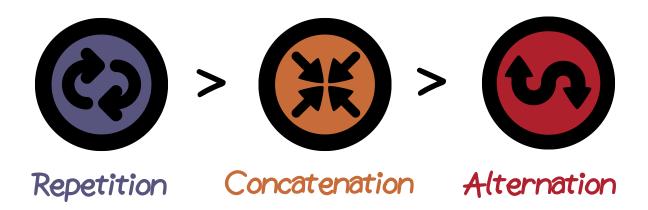
Representations of Strings

Term	Definition
Basic Regular Expression	Single characters (a={a} for any character a $\subseteq \Sigma$), Empty string ϵ ={ ϵ }, Empty set φ
Basic regular expression operations	Union, denoted by a b, Concatenation, denoted by ab Repetition (Kleen closure, 0 or more times) a*
Notation	Boldface a denotes language {a}·



Representations of Strings

Precedence of operations



(Parentheses can be used to change precedence)

Representations of Strings Examples of regular expressions:

a | **b*** = { a,
$$\epsilon$$
, b, bb, bbb, ...}

(a | b)* = $\{\varepsilon, a, b, ab, ba, aa, bb, aaa, aab, ...\}$ = Any number (including zero) of a's and b's in any order

(a|c)*b(a|c)* = Any number of a's and c's (including zero) inany order followed by a single b followed by any number of a's and c's (including zero) in any order

Unix-Style Regular Expressions

Symbol	Definition
•	denotes any character in alphabet
[]	character class, allowing range and complement

[a-d] same as [abcd]

[^1-3] denotes characters other than 1, 2, or 3

Unix-Style Regular Expressions

Symbol	Definition			
•	denotes any character in alphabet			
[]	character class, allowing range and complement			
+	repeating one or more times			
?	optional (zero or one time)			
^ and \$	beginning and end of line			

Regular Expressions: Examples

Expression	Outcome
	Identifiers starting with lower case or upper case letters or underscore followed by zero or more of upper or lower case letter or underscore or digits.
[0-9][0-9]*	unsigned integers
(+ -)?[0-9][0-9]*	signed integers with optional sign

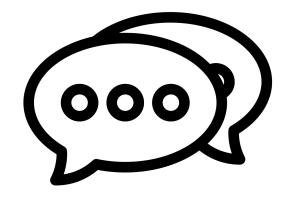


Expression	Outcome			
[+-]?[0-9]+ (\·[0-9]*)? ([eE][+-]?[0-9]+)?	floating point numbers - various possibilities - some are as follows: 9 +8 5.8 5e-88			
[^aeiouAEIOU]	Match any character not a vowel			
[b-df-hj-np-tv-zB-DF-HJ-NP-TV-Z]	Match any uc or lc consonant			



Regular Expressions are used in grep, sed, awk, perl, vi, shells, lex, yacc

Each may use slightly different convention



? RegEx Quiz

Write a regular expression consisting of 0's and 1's which may have a 0 but whenever it occurs it must be followed by a 1, empty string ok:

(1 | 01)*

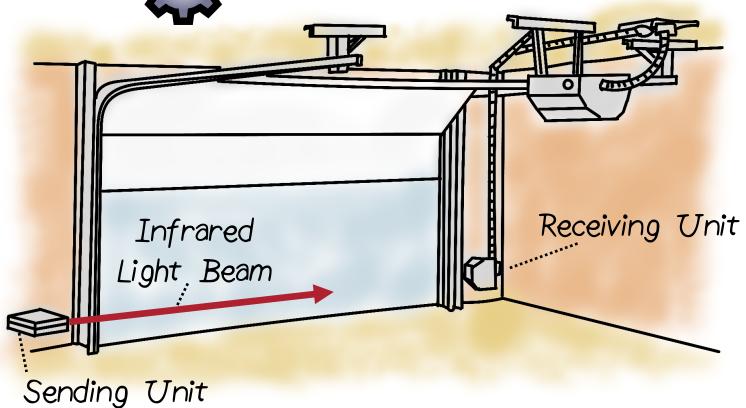
An identifier that starts with a lowercase letter or underscore and followed by one or more of lowercase letters and digits and underscores. A letter or a digit must follow an underscore:

(L | U) (L | D | U (L | D)) +, where L ~ lower case letter, U ~ underscore and D ~ digits

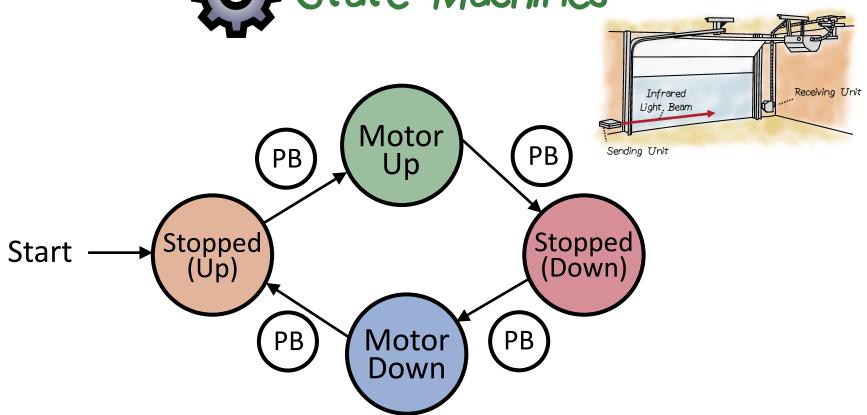
A string that consists of at least 3 consecutive 0's:

(0 | 1)* 000 (0 | 1)*

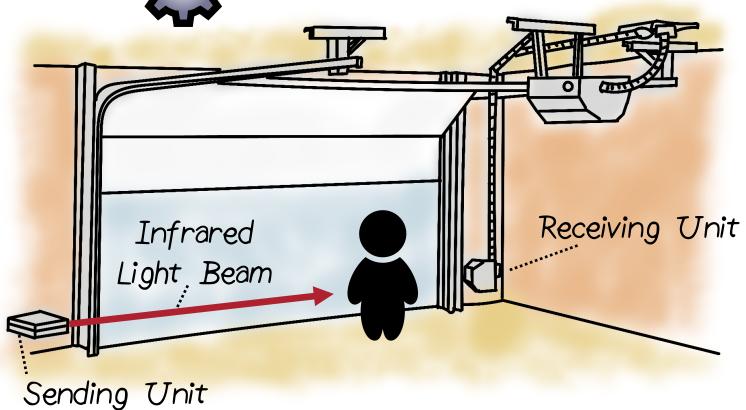


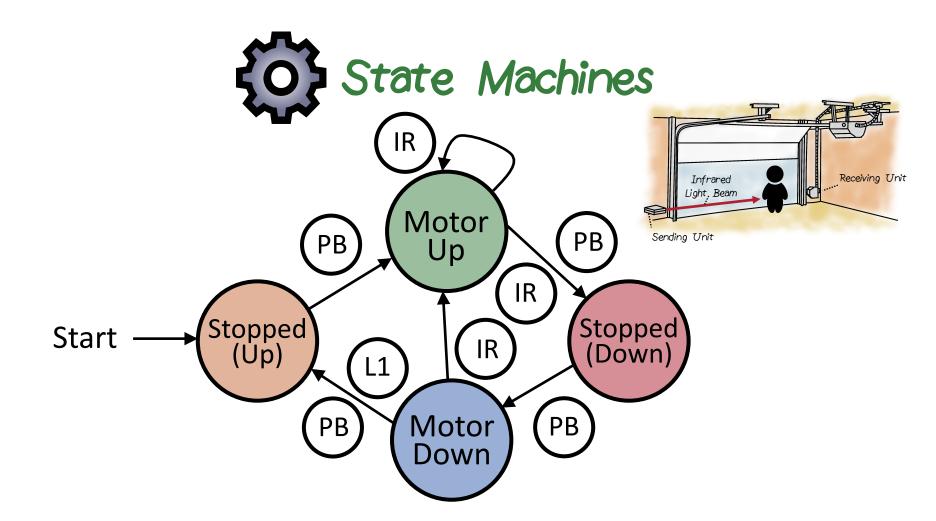














Deterministic Finite Automata

A simplest model for computing





Machine is in a state. Upon receipt of a symbol will go to a unique state.



Finite: Have a finite number of states



Automata: (pl. of automaton)
Self-operating machine



Deterministic Finite Automata

DFA

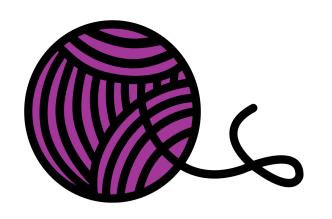
Finite-state machine without ambiguity





Deterministic Finite Automata DFA and Strings

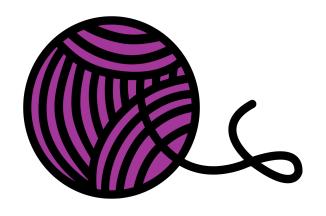
DFA can recognize strings



String is **input**

If DFA ends at accept state, string is recognized

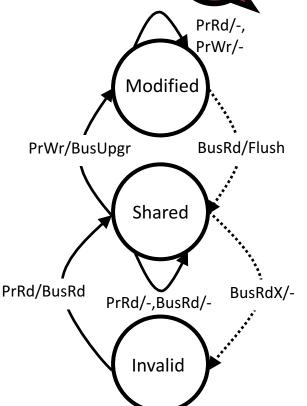
DEFA and Strings



A language is called a regular language if some finite automaton recognizes it



State Machine Quiz



Fill in the blanks with Modified, Shared, or Invalid.

When in the modified state, if a BusRd command is detected, the machine will go to state: shared

When in the Invalid state, if a BusRd command is detected, the machine will go to state: modified



The alphabet is: {0,1}

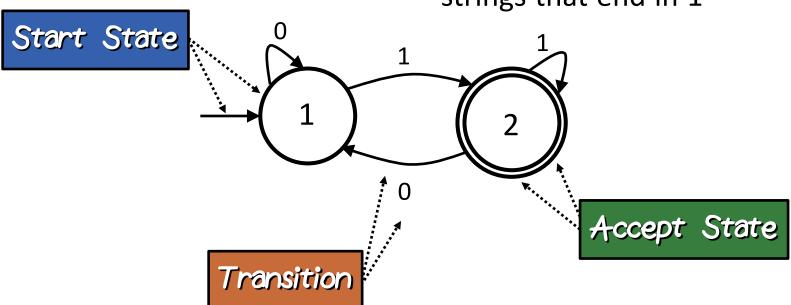
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DFA = Deterministic Finite Automata (DFA)



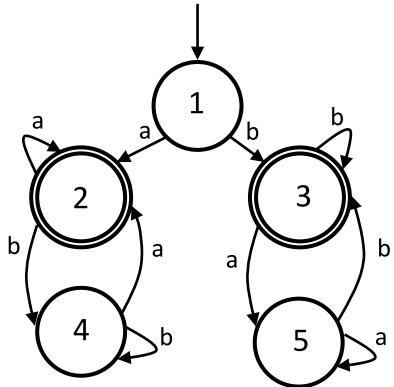
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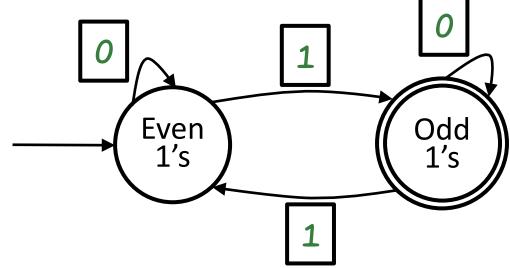
Mission: Accept strings of 'a's and 'b's that begin and end with same symbol



? DFA Odd Ones Quiz

Fill in the values for the transitions.

Alphabet: {0.1}
Mission: Accept
strings with an
odd number of
ones.



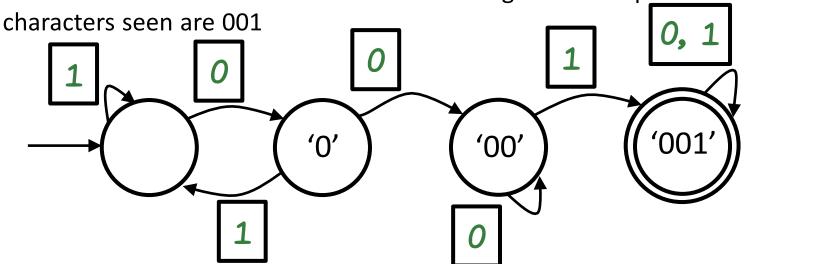


Fill in the values for the transitions.

Alphabet: {0,1} Mission: Accept strings containing '001'

Hint: State '0' designates last character seen is '0', similarly: '00' designates

last two characters seen are 00 and '001' designates or captures that last 3





A DFA consists of:

Alphabet: Σ



A set of states: Q

A transition function $\delta : Q \times \Sigma \rightarrow Q$

One start state: q_0

One or more accepting states: $F \subseteq Q$



Language accepted by a DFA is the set of strings such that DFA ends at an accepting state



Each string is $c_1c_2...c_n$ with $c_i \subseteq \Sigma$

States are qi = $\delta(q_{i-1}, c_i)$ for i=1...n

q_n is an accepting state

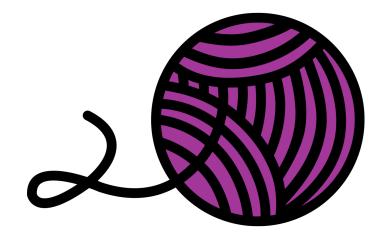


Can DFA's be designed to accept any string?



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Select the strings that a DFA be designed to detect.

strings	that	start	out	with	k	zeros	followed
by k ones.						•	

- strings with an equal number of ones and zeros.
- strings with an equal number of strings "01" and "10".

? DFA String Recognition Quiz

