

Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, July/August 2021

Automata Theory and Computability

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions.

1. a. Define the following terms with examples alphabet, powers of an alphabet string, string concatenation and languages. (10 Marks)
- b. Define DFSM. Design a DFSM to accept each of the following languages:
 - i) $L = \{W \in \{0,1\}^* : W \text{ is ending with } 011\}$
 - ii) $L = \{W \in \{0,1\}^* : W \text{ has odd numbers of a's and even numbers of b's}\}$ (10 Marks)

2. a. Convert the following NDFSM to DFSM:

δ	ϵ	a	b	c
$\rightarrow p$	ϕ	$\{p\}$	$\{q\}$	$\{r\}$
q	$\{p\}$	$\{q\}$	$\{r\}$	ϕ
*r	$\{q\}$	$\{r\}$	ϕ	$\{p\}$

(10 Marks)

- b. Define distinguishable and Indistinguishable states. Minimize the following DFSM.

δ	a	b
$\rightarrow A$	B	F
B	G	C
*C	A	C
D	C	G
E	H	F
F	C	G
G	G	E
H	G	C

(10 Marks)

3. a. Define Regular expression. Write the regular expression for the following languages:
 - i) To accept strings of a's and b's such that third symbol from the right is 'a' and fourth symbol from the right is 'b'.
 - ii) $L = \{a^n b^m; n \geq 4, m \leq 3\}$ (10 Marks)
- b. Build a regular expression from the following FSM (Finite State Machine). (06 Marks)

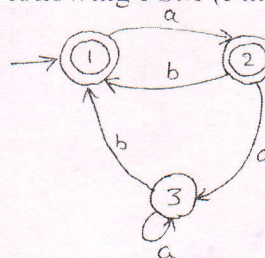


Fig.Q.3(b)

- c. Write an equivalent NDFSM for the following regular expression $a(a^* + b^*)^* b$. (04 Marks)

- 4 a. Show that regular languages are closed under complement and intersection. (10 Marks)
 b. State and prove pumping lemma theorem for regular languages. And show that the language $L = \{WW^R : W \in \{0, 1\}^*\}$ is not regular. (10 Marks)
- 5 a. Define CFG (Context Free Grammar). Design CFG for the languages.
 i) $L = \{0^{2n}1^m \mid n \geq 0, m \geq 0\}$
 ii) $L = \{0^i1^j2^k \mid i = j \text{ or } j = k\}$ (10 Marks)
 b. Define Ambiguity. Is the following grammar ambiguous? Give reason.
 $S \rightarrow iCts \mid iCtSeS \mid a$
 $C \rightarrow b$ (10 Marks)
- 6 a. Define CNF (Chomsky Normal Form). Convert the following CFG to CNF.
 $S \rightarrow aACa, A \rightarrow B \mid a, B \rightarrow C \mid c, C \rightarrow cC \mid \epsilon$ (10 Marks)
 b. Define PDA (Push Down Automata). Design a PDA to accept the following language, $L = \{a^n b^n : n \geq 0\}$. Draw the transition diagram for the constructed PDA. Show the IC's for the string aaabbb. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. Define a Turing Machine. Explain the working of a Turing Machine. (08 Marks)
 b. Design a Turing Machine to accept $L = \{0^n 1^n 2^n \mid n \geq 0\}$. Draw the transition diagram. Show the moves made for string 001122. (12 Marks)
- 8 a. Design a TM for addition of 2 numbers ($2 + 3$) with transition diagram and ID for the same. (14 Marks)
 b. Define and differentiate DTM and NDTM. (06 Marks)
- 9 a. Explain post correspondence problem. (08 Marks)
 b. Explain Halting problem in Turing Machine. (08 Marks)
 c. Write a note on Church Turing Hypothesis. (04 Marks)
- 10 a. Explain three variants of Turing Machine. (12 Marks)
 b. Write a note on Quantum Computation. (08 Marks)

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