

CS U390, Spring 2007 (Instructor: Clinger)

Homework 1

Assigned: Thursday, 18 January 2007 (corrected 20 January)

Due: Wednesday, 24 January 2007

Good students should get at least 50 of the 100 possible points.

1. [5 pts] Write down the formal (5-tuple) description of the first DFA pictured in exercise 1.1 on page 83 of the textbook.
2. [4 pts] Draw the state transition diagram for the DFA whose formal description is

$$(\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{a, b, c\}, \delta, 1, \{1, 4\})$$

where δ is the function listed within the following table:

	a	b	c
1	2	1	1
2	2	3	1
3	2	3	4
4	2	1	4

3. [8 pts] For each of the following languages draw the state transition diagram for a DFA with alphabet $\{0, 1\}$ that recognizes the language.
 - (a) $\{1, 10, 11, 100\}$
 - (b) $\{w \mid w \text{ contains at least two 1s}\}$
 - (c) $\{w \mid w \text{ contains at most three 0s}\}$
 - (d) $\{w \mid w \text{ starts with 1 and ends with 1}\}$
 - (e) $\{w \mid w \text{ contains an even number of 0s and an even number of 1s}\}$
 - (f) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that is divisible by 3}\}$
 - (g) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that is divisible by 7}\}$
 - (h) $\{w \mid w \text{ there exist strings } x \text{ and } y \text{ such that } w = x1101y\}$
4. [10 pts] Prove that the regular languages are closed under intersection.
5. [8 pts] For each of the following languages, write down a regular expression whose value is the language.
 - (a) $\{10, 11, 101, 111\}$
 - (b) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that contains at least three 0s}\}$
 - (c) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral divisible by eight}\}$
 - (d) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that starts with 10 and ends with 01}\}$
 - (e) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that contains an odd number of 0s and an odd number of 1s}\}$
 - (f) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that is divisible by 3}\}$

- (g) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral that is divisible by } 5\}$
(h) $\{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral and there exist strings } x \text{ and } y \text{ such that } w = x001y\}$
6. [5 pts] Do exercise 1.16(a) in the textbook.
 7. [5 pts] Do exercise 1.16(b) in the textbook.
 8. [5 pts] Do exercise 1.22(a) in the textbook.
 9. [5 pts] Do exercise 1.22(b) in the textbook.
 10. [5 pts] Prove the following theorem. If B is a language over an alphabet Σ , and $B = B^*$, then $BBBB \subseteq B$.
 11. [10 pts] Let $L = \{w \mid w \text{ is a binary numeral with at least as many 0s as 1s}\}$. Is L a regular language? If L is regular, prove it is regular. If L is not regular, prove it is not regular.
 12. [10 pts] Do problem 1.31 in the textbook.
 13. [10 pts] Let $L = \{w \mid x \text{ is a binary numeral, } y \text{ is the reverse of } x, \text{ and } w = xy\}$. Is L a regular language? If L is regular, prove it is regular. If L is not regular, prove it is not regular.
 14. [10 pts] Do problem 1.37 in the textbook.