

## CS3231 : Tutorial - 2

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1. Give state diagrams for DFA as required for recognizing the following languages. In all parts the alphabet is  $\{0, 1\}$ .
  - (a)  $\{w \mid w \text{ does not contain the substring } 110\}$  .
  - (b)  $\{\varepsilon, 0\}$ .
  - (c) The empty set.
  - (d) All strings except the empty string (also give a formal description of this last DFA ).
  - (e)  $\{w \mid w \text{ contains at least two zeros}\}$ .
2. For language  $A$ , let  $A^R = \{w^R \mid w \in A\}$  (recall  $w^R$  is the reverse of  $w$ ). Show that if  $A$  is regular then  $A^R$  is regular.
3. Let  $D = \{w \mid w \text{ contains an even number of } a\text{'s and an odd number of } b\text{'s and does not contain the substring } ab\}$ . Give a DFA with five states that recognizes  $D$ .
4. Let  $F$  be the language of all strings over  $\{0, 1\}$  that do not contain a pair of 1s that are separated by an odd number of symbols. Give the state diagram of a DFA with 5 states that recognizes  $F$ .
5. Let  $C = \{x \mid x \text{ is a binary number that is a multiple of } 3\}$ . Show that  $C$  is a regular language.
6. For languages  $A$  and  $B$ , let the perfect-shuffle of  $A$  and  $B$  be the language:  
 $\{w \mid w = a_1b_1 \cdots a_kb_k, \text{ where } a_1 \cdots a_k \in A \text{ and } b_1 \cdots b_k \in B, \text{ each } a_i, b_i \in \Sigma\}$  .  
Show that the class of regular languages is closed under perfect-shuffle.