

## MANIPAL UNIVERSITY

THIRD SEMESTER B.S. (ENGG.) DEGREE EXAMINATION – DECEMBER 2015

SUBJECT: FORMAL LANGUAGES AND AUTOMATA THEORY (CS 233)

(BRANCH: CE/CS)

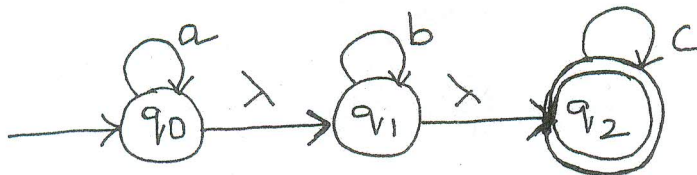
Wednesday, December 16, 2015

Time: 10:00 – 13:00 Hrs.

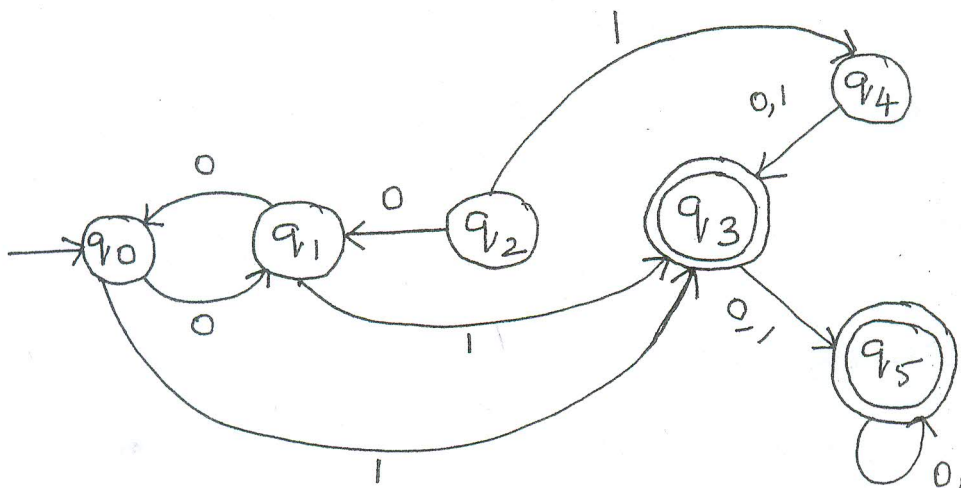
Max. Marks: 100

- ✍ Answer any FIVE full questions.  
 ✍ Missing data can be suitably assumed.

- 1A. Prove by mathematical induction that any binary tree of height 'n' can have at most  $2^n$  leaves.  
 1B. Convert the following NFA to DFA and Final state is  $q_2$ :

Fig Q.1B

- 1C. Draw a DFA to accept a strings of a's and b's with at most two consecutive b's. (Include transition table also).  
 1D. Minimize the states in the DFA given in the following diagram:

Fig Q.1D

(4+6+5+5 = 20 marks)

2A. Obtain regular expressions for the following:

- i)  $L(R) = \{ w \mid w \in \{0,1\}^* \}$  with at least three consecutive 0's.
- ii) To accept strings of a's and b's of length  $\leq 10$ .
- iii) To accept strings of a's and b's starting with 'a' and ending with 'b'.

2B. Obtain a NFA which accepts strings of a's and b's starting with the string ab.

2C. Find  $L1/L2$  for  $L1=L(a^*baa^*)$  and  $L2=L(ab^*)$ .

2D. State and prove the theorem pumping lemma for regular languages.

((2+2+2)+4+6+4 = 20 marks)

3A. Find a simple grammar for the following:

- i)  $L = \{ a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1 \}$
- ii)  $L = \{ a^n b^{n+1} \mid n \geq 2 \}$

3B. Find the Context Free Grammar for the language:

- i)  $L = \{ a^n ww^R b^n \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*, n \geq 1 \}$
- ii)  $L = \{ 01(1100)^n 110(10)^n \mid n \geq 0 \}$

3C. Is the following grammar ambiguous? (Use derivation tree)

$S \rightarrow aS \mid X$

$X \rightarrow aX \mid a$

3D. Obtain a right linear grammar for the following:

$L = \{ a^n b^m \mid n \geq 2, m \geq 3 \}$

((3+3)+(3+3)+ 5+3 = 20 marks)

4A. Eliminate  $\lambda$ , Unit and Useless productions from the following:

$S \rightarrow a \mid aA \mid B \mid C$

$A \rightarrow aB \mid \lambda$

$B \rightarrow Aa$

$C \rightarrow cCD$

$D \rightarrow ddd$

4B. Convert the following grammar into CNF:

$S \rightarrow AB \mid aB$

$A \rightarrow aab \mid \lambda$

$B \rightarrow bbA$

4C. Draw a NFA which accepts the language associated with the regular expression  $0^*1(0+10^*)1^*$ .

4D. Give the regular expression for the following:

i)  $L = \{ a, ab, abb, c, cb, cbb, \dots \}$

ii)  $L = \{ a^n ba^{2m} c^{3p} : m \geq 0, n \geq 1, p \geq 1 \}$

(7+6+3+(2+2) = 20 marks)

5A. Convert the following grammar into Greibach Normal Form:

$S \rightarrow abSb \mid aa$

5B. Obtain a Deterministic Pushdown Automaton to accept a language  $L(M) = \{ w C w^R \mid w \in \{a,b\}^* \}$  where  $w^R$  is the reverse of  $w$ . Show the acceptance of the string with one example.

- 5C. Is the Pushdown automaton corresponding to the language  $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$  is deterministic?  
5D. Show that the language  $L = \{ww : w \in \{a,b\}^*\}$  is not context free using pumping lemma.  
(3+7+7+3 = 20 marks)

6A. Show that the family of context-free languages is closed under union, concatenation and star-closure.

6B. Obtain the corresponding non-deterministic Pushdown automaton for the following grammar:

$S \rightarrow aABC$

$A \rightarrow aB \mid a$

$B \rightarrow bA \mid b$

$C \rightarrow a$

Check the acceptance of the string for 'aabba'

(12+8 = 20 marks)

7A. Design a Turing Machine with no more than three states that accepts the language  $L(a(a+b)^*)$ . Assume that  $\Sigma = \{a,b\}$

7B. Design a Turing Machine that accepts the language  $L = \{w : |w| \text{ is even, } w \in \{a,b\}^*\}$ .

7C. Explain Off-Line Turing machine with neat diagram.

7D. Explain about Universal Turing Machine with neat diagram.

(6+6+4+4 = 20 marks)

8A. Explain with suitable diagrams:

i) Turing machine with Semi Infinite Tape

ii) Linear Bounded Automata

iii) Nondeterministic Turing Machine

8B. Construct a Turing machine that accepts the language  $L(aa^*)$ .

8C. Explain Chomsky Hierarchy with diagrams that shows the relationship among different languages.

8D. Explain the following:

i) Unrestricted Grammar

ii) Context-Sensitive Grammar

((3+3+3)+3+4+(2+2) = 20 marks)

