

MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATION
SECOND SEMESTER (REPEAT)
THEORY OF COMPUTATIONS
MCA-204



[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

(Objective)

Time: 30 mins.

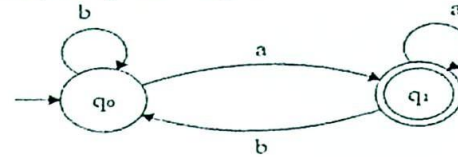
Marks: 20




Choose the correct answer from the following:

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1. A Deterministic Finite Automata (DFA) is a simple:
 - a. Function recognition device
 - b. Language recognition device
 - c. Routine recognition device
 - d. None of the above
2. Which of the following is false for FA, $M = (\{q_0, q_1\}, \{a, b\}, \delta, q_0, \{q_1\})$?
 - a. $q_0 \in Q$
 - b. $q_0 \in F$
 - c. $abb \in \Sigma^*$
 - d. None of the above
3. A transition system accepts a string $w \in \Sigma^*$ if:
 - a. There exists a path which originates from some initial state
 - b. There exists a path which terminates at some final state
 - c. There exists a path which originates from some initial state, goes along the arrows and terminates at some final state
 - d. None of the above
4. Which of the following are true?
 - a. All NFA are DFA
 - b. All DFA are NFA
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. NFA and DFA have different power
5. Pumping lemma is used for proving:
 - a. A given grammar is regular
 - b. A given language is regular
 - c. A given language is not regular
 - d. All the above
6. Context free language is recognized by:
 - a. Finite state machine
 - b. Linear bounded automata
 - c. Push-down automata
 - d. Both a and b
7. Which of the following pairs of regular expression are not equivalent?
 - a. $(a^* + b^*)^*$ and $(a+b)^*$
 - b. $(a^*+b)^*$ and $(a+b)^*$
 - c. $(ab)^*a$ and $a(ba)^*$
 - d. None of the above
8. All string having equal number of a's and b's can be recognized by:
 - a. DFA
 - b. NDFA
 - c. PDA
 - d. All the above

9. Which Language is accepted by following Finite Automata?



- a. $(a+b)^*(a+b)$
 b. $(a+b)^*a$
 c. $(a+b)^*b$
 d. a^*b
10. Which of the following is the correct representation of grammar for the given regular expression?
 $\{a^n b^n; n \text{ is not multiple of } 3\}$
- a. $S \rightarrow aS \mid \epsilon$
 b. $A \rightarrow aAb \mid \epsilon$
 $B \rightarrow bBc \mid \epsilon$
 $S \rightarrow AB$
 c. $S \rightarrow ab \mid aabb \mid \epsilon$
 d. $S \rightarrow ab \mid aabb \mid aaaSbbb$
11. Finite automata are used for pattern matching in text editors, for:
 a. Compiler lexical analysis
 b. Programming in localized application
 c. Both a and b
 d. None of the above
12. The classic formalization of generative grammar was first proposed by:
 a. Alexendar
 b. Bill Gates
 c. Noam Chomsky
 d. Charles Babbage
13. A final state as well as an initial state in a transition diagram is denoted by:
 a. 
 b. 
 c. 
 d. None of the above
14. A FA(Finite Automata) that is capable of accepting a null string is known as:
 a. NFA
 b. DFA
 c. NFA with ϵ moves
 d. All of the above
15. When will the behavior of a NFA can be simulated by a DFA?
 a. Always
 b. Sometimes
 c. Never
 d. Depends on NFA
16. Which of the string can be denoted by the regular expression $(a+b)(a+b)$?
 a. $\{a,b,ab,aa\}$
 b. $\{a,b,ba,bb\}$
 c. $\{a,b\}$
 d. $\{aa,ab,bb,ba\}$
17. Context- free languages are not closed under:
 a. Union
 b. Concatenation
 c. Closure
 d. Iteration
18. Let R_1 and R_2 be regular sets defined over the alphabet Σ , then:
 a. $R_1 \cap R_2$ is not regular
 b. $R_1 \cup R_2$ is regular
 c. $\Sigma^* - R_1$ is regular
 d. R_1^* is regular

19. A Context free grammar $A \rightarrow BC$ is in which normal form?
- a. Greibach normal form
 - b. Chomsky normal form
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. Neither a nor b
20. The regular expression having all strings of 0's and 1's with two consecutive 0's is:
- a. $(0+1)$
 - b. $(0+1)^*$
 - c. $(0+\epsilon)(1+10)^*$
 - d. $(0+1)^*011$

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hr. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. What is the main concept of automaton? What do you mean by Alphabet, String, EmptyString and Language in automata theory? Give suitable example. 2+8=10
2. Show that the language $L = \{a^n b^n c^n / n > 0\}$ is not regular. 10
3. a) Write down the formal definition of PDA. Explain briefly the basic components of PDA with proper diagram. 2+3+5=10
b) Design a machine using PDA for the language $L = \{0^n 1^m, n \geq 1, m \geq 1, m > n + 2\}$
4. Draw DFA for language: 5+5=10
a) Accepting strings ending with 'abba' over input alphabets $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.
b) For the language accepting strings ending with 'ab' over input alphabets $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.
5. Construct a DFA that accepts a language L over input alphabets $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ such that L is the set of all strings having 2×5=10
i) Odd numbers of a's.
ii) String having exactly one b
iii) Number of b which is divisible by 3
iv) String ending with aaba
v) String starting with aba
6. What do you mean by grammar Ambiguity or Ambiguous Grammar? Also check whether the given grammar is ambiguous or not-for string $w = aabbccdd$ 4+6=10
 $S \rightarrow AB / C$
 $A \rightarrow aAb / ab$
 $B \rightarrow cBd / cd$
 $C \rightarrow aCd / aDd$
 $D \rightarrow bDc / bc$
7. a) Write down the name of data structure used in case of Turing Machine. Also write down the application of finite control and tape head used in TM. 1+2+7=10
b) Construct a Turing Machine which accepts the language of $L = \{WcW / W \in (0,1)^*\}$.
8. Design a FA from the given regular expression: 5+5=10
 $b(a+ab+abb)(ba(a+b)^*)$. Also prove that the intersection of two regular set is regular. (Hint: consider $L1 = \text{String that start with } 0, L2 = \text{strings that end with } 0, \text{ over } \Sigma = \{0,1\}$)
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