

CS 334 – Fall 2004: Answers for Assignment 6

1. $(q, 01, Z_0) \quad (q, \epsilon, XZ_0) \quad (q, \epsilon, XZ_0) \quad (p, \epsilon, Z_0) \quad (p, 1, Z_0) \quad (p, \epsilon, \epsilon)$
2. (1) $\delta(q, 0, Z_0) = \{(q, X)\}$ (2) $\delta(q, 0, X) = \{(q, XX)\}$ (3) $\delta(q, 1, X) = \{(p, \epsilon)\}$
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3. General Idea: Accept by final state. The final states in this machine are q_1 and q_3 .
 (1) $\delta(q_0, \epsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_1, Z_0), (q_2, Z_0), (q_3, Z_0)\}$ initial guess
 (2) $\delta(q_1, c, Z_0) = \{(q_1, Z_0)\}$ Assume there are no a's or b's and consume all c's.
 (3) $\delta(q_2, a, Z_0) = \{(q_2, XZ_0)\}$ (4) $\delta(q_2, a, X) = \{(q_2, XX)\}$ Use X to count a's.
 (5) $\delta(q_2, b, X) = \delta(q_4, b, X) = \{(q_4, \epsilon)\}$ Upon finding b, go to state q_4 and pop X's against b's (6) $\delta(q_4, \epsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_1, Z_0)\}$ If we reach the bottom of the stack in q_4 , there have been equal numbers of a's and b's, so we go to accepting state q_1 where we read all c's and accept. (7) $\delta(q_3, a, Z_0) = \{(q_3, Z_0)\}$ Read all a's and accept. (8) $\delta(q_3, b, Z_0) = \{(q_5, XZ_0)\}$ Upon reading a b, start counting b's and go to state q_5 , a non-accepting state. (9) $\delta(q_5, b, X) = \{(q_5, XX)\}$ Count b's (10) $\delta(q_5, c, X) = \delta(q_6, c, X) = \{(q_6, \epsilon)\}$ Upon reading c, go to q_6 and match c's against b's. (11) $\delta(q_6, \epsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_3, \epsilon)\}$ Upon getting to the bottom of the stack, we have read an equal number of b's and c's. We accept in q_3 , but pop the stack so we cannot accept after reading more a's.
4. $(q_0, bab, Z_0) \quad (q_2, ab, BZ_0) \quad (q_3, b, Z_0) \quad (q_1, b, AZ_0) \quad (q_1, \epsilon, Z_0) \quad (q_0, \epsilon, Z_0)$
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5. $S \rightarrow 0S1 \mid 01$
6. $S \rightarrow AB \mid CD \quad A \rightarrow aA \mid \epsilon \quad B \rightarrow bBc \mid E \mid cD \quad C \rightarrow aCb \mid E \mid aA$
 $D \rightarrow cD \mid \epsilon \quad E \rightarrow bE \mid b$
7. Base: No string of length 1 has ab as a substring.
 Induction Hypothesis: Any string of length less or equal to n cannot have ba as a substring. Consider a string w of length n + 1. Suppose $w = \alpha b a \beta$ where α and β are substrings of w, possibly empty. If α is not empty, then $\alpha b a$ is a substring of length less than n + 1 with a substring ab, but this contradicts the induction hypothesis. Similarly for β . If α is empty, then $w = b a \beta$. Factor β into $\mu \gamma$, each non-empty. Now $b a \mu$, a string with length less than n + 1. By induction hypothesis, $b a \mu$ cannot have a substring ba. Contradiction.
8. $S \rightarrow S + S \mid SS \mid S^* \mid (S) \mid 0 \mid 1 \mid \phi \mid \epsilon$