

# Foundation of Computer Science (CS60001)

## Tutorial - 01

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1. Construct a DFA that will accept the following languages over the alphabet  $\{0, 1\}$ .
  - (a)  $\{\omega \mid \omega \text{ is any string except } 11 \text{ \& } 111\}$ .
  - (b)  $\{\omega \mid \omega \text{ has an even number of 0's \& one or two 1's}\}$
2. Construct a NFA that will accept the language  $1^*(001^+)^*$  over the alphabet  $\{0, 1\}$  with three states.
3. Give an NFA recognizing  $(01 \cup 001 \cup 010)^*$ .
4. Give the regular expression for the following languages:
  - (a) All strings of 0's and 1's beginning with 1 and not having two consecutive 0's.
  - (b) All strings of 0's and 1's that do not have two consecutive 0's.
  - (c) The set of all strings of 0's and 1's with at most one pair of consecutive 0's and at most one pair of consecutive 1's.
  - (d) The set of all strings in which every pair of adjacent 0's appears before any pair of adjacent 1's.
  - (e) The set of all strings not containing 101 as a substring.
5. Determine whether the following languages are *Regular* or *Non – Regular*.
  - (a) Let  $A = \{1^k y \mid y \in \{0, 1\}^* \text{ and } y \text{ contains at least } k \text{ 1s for } k \geq 1\}$ .
  - (b) Let  $B = \{1^k y \mid y \in \{0, 1\}^* \text{ and } y \text{ contains at most } k \text{ 1s for } k \geq 1\}$ .
6. Consider the language  $C = \{a^i b^j c^k \mid i, j, k \geq 0 \text{ and if } i = 1 \text{ then } j = k\}$ . Show that  $C$  is *Not Regular*.
7. Let  $D$  be the language of all valid delimited comment strings. A member of  $D$  must begin with  $/\#$  and end with  $\#/$  but have no intervening  $\#/$ . For simplicity, we will say that the comments themselves are written with only the symbols  $a$  and  $b$ ; hence the alphabet of  $D$  is  $\Sigma = \{a, b, /, \#\}$ .
  - (a) Give a DFA that recognizes  $D$ .
  - (b) Give a regular expression that generates  $D$ .