

CPSC 421/501

- Today:

{ § 4.2 [Sip]

} § 1-6 "Uncomputability in CPSC 421/501"

For all class today:

$\Sigma_{TM} = \{ \epsilon, 1, \dots, a, \#, L, R \}$

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Σ for today

For each standard TM, M

$\langle M \rangle =$ description of M
with Σ_{TM} symbols

Also view:

$$\Sigma_{TM} = \{0, 1, -, a, \#, L, R\}$$

identity
with

$$\{1, 2, \dots, 10, 11, 12, 13\}$$

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$\Sigma_{\text{standard TM}}$

So {decidable
recognizable} languages

Let M be a T.M. with input symbols Σ .

For any $i \in \Sigma^*$,

$$\text{Result}(M, i) = \begin{cases} \text{yes, if } M \text{ accepts } i \\ \text{no, if } M \text{ rejects } i \\ \text{loops, otherwise,} \\ \text{i.e., if } M \text{ doesn't} \\ \text{halt on input } i \end{cases}$$

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For each T.M., M , on input symbols, Σ ,
we let

$$\text{Language RecBy}(M) = \left\{ i \in \Sigma^* \mid \text{Result}(M, i) = \text{yes} \right\}$$

A T.M., M is a decider if

$$\forall i \in \Sigma^*$$

$\text{Result}(M, i) \neq \text{loops}$

i.e. = yes, no

We say $L \subseteq \Sigma^*$ is recognizable

if for some T.M., $M = (Q, \Sigma, \dots)$

$L = \text{Language Rec By } (M)$

We say that $L \subseteq \Sigma^*$ is decidable

if there is a decider, M ,

s.t.

$L = \text{Language Rec By } (M).$

Example:

ACCEPTANCE_{TM}

$$= \left\{ \langle m, i \rangle \mid \text{Result}(m, i) = \text{yes} \right\}$$

is recognized by a universal

T.M. (with some conventions at the end).

Theorem: ACCEPTANCE_{TM}

$\in \{0, \dots, a, \#, L, R\}^*$ is not decidable.

First: define negation, \neg ,

$\neg \text{yes} = \text{no}$, $\neg \text{no} = \text{yes}$,

$\neg \text{loops} = \text{loops}$.

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Lemma: Say that H recognizes

$\text{ACCEPTANCE}_{\text{TM}}$. Let D be a T.M.,

st: for any standard TM, M ,

$\text{Result}(D, \langle M \rangle)$

= $\neg \text{Result}(H, \langle \langle M \rangle, \langle M \rangle \rangle)$

= $\neg \text{Result}(H, \langle M, \langle M \rangle \rangle)$

(here $\langle M \rangle$ is description of M
 $\langle M, i \rangle$ " " M, i
 $\langle M, \langle M \rangle \rangle$ " " $M, \langle M \rangle$)

Rem: For T.M. (Python prog, ...)
given H you can build D .

Then:

$$(1) \text{Result}(D, \langle D \rangle) = \text{loops}$$

(i.e. \neq yes, no)

$$(2) \text{Result}(H, \langle D, \langle D \rangle \rangle) = \text{loops}$$

Hence H, D are not deciders.

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Pf: Say $\text{Result}(D, \langle D \rangle) = \text{yes}$

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$\text{Result}(D, \langle D \rangle) \neq \text{yes}$

Details


$\text{Result}(D, \langle D \rangle) = \text{yes}$

$\text{Result}(H, \langle D, \langle D \rangle \rangle) = \text{no}$

rec \nearrow ACCEPTANCE

D does not accept $\langle D \rangle$

$\text{Result}(D, \langle D \rangle) \neq \text{yes}$

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Similarly if $\text{Result}(D, \langle D \rangle) = \text{no}$

Cor:

$\Sigma^* \setminus \text{ACCEPTANCE}$

is not recognizable:

since

ACCEPTANCE is recognizable

and

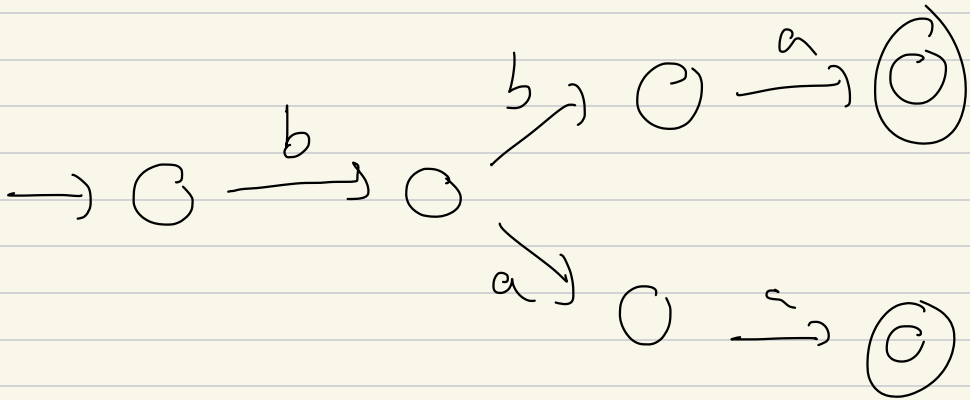
$\Sigma^* \setminus \text{ACCEPTANCE}$ is "

\Rightarrow decidable

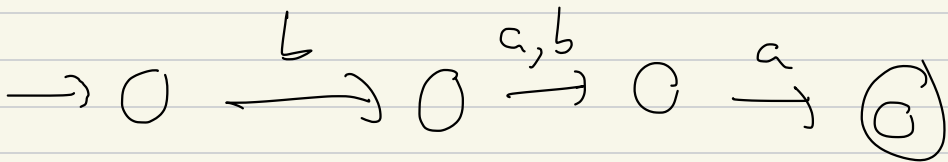
which is impossible

$L, \Sigma^* \setminus L$ are recog $\Rightarrow L, \Sigma^* \setminus L$ decidable

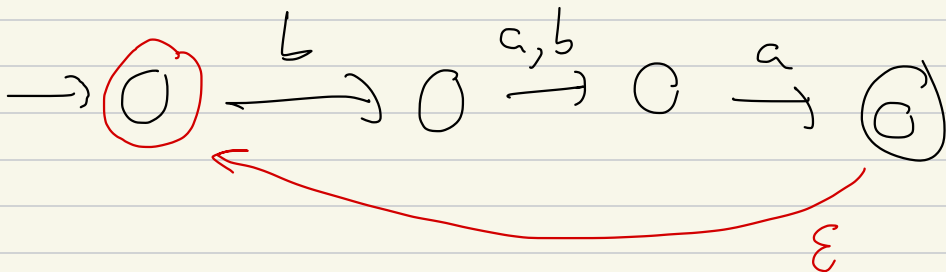
$\{bba, baa\}$



OR



$\{bba, baa\}^*$



$\{a, b, c\}$

Quest 4

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$$L = \left\{ s \in \{a, b, c\} \mid \begin{array}{l} \text{exactly half} \\ \text{of symbols} \\ = c \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{Accfut}_L(\varepsilon) = \{c^0, \dots\}$$

$$\text{" } (a) = \{c, \dots, caccb\}$$

$$\text{" } (a^2) = \{c^2, \dots\}$$

$$\text{" } (a^3) = \{c^3, \dots\}$$

You can quote results

on HW