

CS 273 2/15/07

Announcements

- ① HW 4 due date extended to Mon, 19th 3-30 pm
- ② HRS make up.
Today (Thur) 5-6 pm, 0220 SC
Tomorrow (Fri) 3-4 pm ??
- ③ Mid term, 22nd Feb, 7-9 PM
Roger Adams Lab, Room 116
- ④ Late homeworks ??
3:30 pm is sharp deadline.

Proving Languages Non-Regular

- Direct methods
- Pumping Lemma
- closure properties (reductions)

$$L = \{0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 1\}$$
$$= \{01, 0011, 000111, \dots\}$$

"limited memory"

"read once"

Suppose $\exists M$ that
recognizes L .

Let p be # of states of
 M

Consider $w = 0^p 1^p \in L$

$x_0 x_1 x_2 x_3 \dots x_{2p}$

←
↗ first p states

Some x_i and x_j $0 \leq i < j \leq p$
are same state q of M



x, y contain only 0's
Consider string $w' = xz$ is
~~also~~ also accepted
but xz is not in L !
 \Rightarrow a contradiction

Pumping Lemma:

Let L be a regular language.
Then there exists an integer p
such that for any string $w \in L$
with $|w| > p$, w can be written
as xyz with following properties

- ① $|xy| \leq p$
- ② $|y| \geq 1$
- ③ $xy^i z \in L \quad \forall i \geq 0$

Proof: L is regular

$\Rightarrow \exists$ DFA M for L .

Let p be # of states of M

We use p for lemma.

Let $w \in L$, s.t. $|w| \stackrel{=n}{\geq} p$

Let $r_0, r_1, r_2, \dots, r_n$ be the

sequence of states that

M goes into on reading w .

① $r_0 = q_0$ - start state

② $\delta(r_{i-1}, w_i) = r_i$ $i = 1, 2, \dots$

③ $r_n \in F$

Consider $x_0 x_1 \dots x_p \dots x_n$
 $\longleftarrow \xrightarrow{\quad}$
 $p+1$ states

From pigeon hole principle

$\exists l, k$ s.t. $0 \leq l < k \leq p$

and $x_l = x_k$

$x = w_1 w_2 \dots w_l$, $y = w_{l+1} \dots w_k$

$z = w_{k+1} \dots w_n$



① $|xy| \leq p$

② $|y| \geq 1$

③ $xy^i z \in L \quad \forall i \geq 0$

Use pumping lemma to
prove $L = \{0^n 1^n \mid n > 1\}$ is
not regular.

Suppose L is regular
then pumping lemma applies!
 $\Rightarrow \exists$ an integer $p \dots$
 \forall string w s.t. $|w| > p, w \in L$
let's choose $w = 0^p 1^p \in L$
 $|w| = 2p > p.$

By lemma

$$w = 0^p 1^p = xyz \quad s.t$$

$$\textcircled{1} |xy| \leq p \quad \textcircled{2} |y| > 1$$

$$\textcircled{3} xy^i z \in L \quad \forall i \geq 0$$

$$x = 0^k \quad y = 0^l \quad k+l \leq p$$

$$l > 1$$

$$z = 0^{p-k-l} 1^p$$

~~from~~ from $\textcircled{3}$ $xy^0 z = xz \in L$

$$\text{but } xz = 0^{p-l} 1^p \notin L$$



L is not regular

L is regular

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How many states does your M have?

~~L~~ ~~P~~

Choose $w \in L$

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By PL $w = xyz$

x, y satisfy PL

Choose i
 xy^iz

$xy^iz \notin L$

Victory!!!

$$L = \{ 0^{n^2} \mid n \geq 1 \}$$

$$= \{ 0, 0000, \underbrace{000\dots0}_9, \dots \}$$

Assume L is regular

By PL $\exists p \dots$

$$w = 0^{p^2} \quad \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} w \in L \\ \textcircled{2} |w| \geq p \end{array}$$

$$w = xyz \quad \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{a} |xy| \leq p \\ \textcircled{b} |y| \geq 1 \end{array}$$

$$x = 0^k \quad y = 0^l$$

$$k+l \leq p, \quad l \geq 1$$

Choose i ??

$$i = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} xy^2z &= 0^k \cdot 0^{2l} \cdot 0^{p^2-l-k} \\ &= 0^{p^2+l} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{If } 0^{p^2+l} \in L$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2+l = j^2 \text{ for some } j$$

$$p^2 < p^2+l \leq p^2+p < (p+1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2+l \neq j^2$$

and hence $xy^2z \notin L$

$$L = \{0^p \mid p \text{ is prime}\}$$

$L = \{0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 1\}$ is not regular.

$L' = \{w \in \{0,1\}^* \mid w \text{ has equal \# of 0's and 1's}\}$

$$L = L' \cap 0^* 1^*$$

• Suppose L' is regular

then since $0^* 1^*$ is regular

L is also regular

(closure under intersection)



$L^1 = \{w \mid w \text{ has different-}$
 $\# \text{ of } 0\text{'s and } 1\text{'s}\}$

$$L^1 = \overline{L^2}$$

Suppose L^2 is regular
then L^1 is regular because
regular languages are closed under

Complementation -

But L^1 is not regular!