COS126 Regular Expressions, DFAs (Chapter 5)

Part 1

Consider the regular expression ((C|D|M|N|P|T)A)*

- Is PAPA matched by this RE? Is MAMAN? Is NAPA? Is TAMPA?
- Name two contries that are matched by this RE.

Part 2 — RElay Race

Write regular expressions for the following languages:

- 1. all binary strings
- 2. all non-empty binary strings
- 3. all binary strings beginning and ending with 1
- 4. all binary strings ending with 00 (divisible by 4)
- 5. all binary strings with at least three 1s

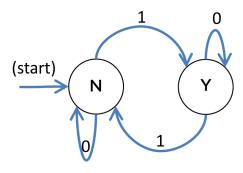
Part 3

Given an English-language description of the language defined by the RE (0*10*10*)*?

Bonus

Hard bonus: is it possible to define a RE for all binary integers divisible by 3?

Part 4



- Is 01101 accepted by this DFA? Is 11?
- Given an English-language description of the language that this DFA recognizes.
- (Optional) Give a regular expression that defines the same language.

Part 5

Draw DFAs that recognize each of these languages from Part 2:

- 1. all binary strings
- 2. all non-empty binary strings
- 3. all binary strings beginning and ending with 1
- 4. all binary strings ending with 00 (divisible by 4)
- $5.\,$ all binary strings with at least three 1s

Recommended RE/DFA exercises from the exam archive: Fall 2011, Exam 2, question 4. Spring 2013, Exam 2, question 4.