## CSE 2001: INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION Tutorial 4, Oct 9, 2:30 pm

## **Problems:**

1. Problem 4 from tutorial 3, given below for convenience: Show that if L is a regular language, then so is L' formed by taking only the words starting with a and deleting it:

$$L' = \{ w \in \Sigma^* | aw \in L \}$$

- 2. Given a DFA M, how can you determine if  $L(M) = \phi$ ?
- 3. Given DFA's  $M_1, M_2$ , how can you determine if  $L(M_1) = L(M_2)$ ?
- 4. Is the language  $L = \{0^{3m+4n} | m, n \ge 0\}$  regular?
- 5. Is the language  $L = \{10^m + 10^n + 1 | m > n > 0\}$  regular? Note that  $10^m$  in this question is an integer operation and not a string of 1 followed by m zeroes.
- 6. Is the language  $L = \{10^{2n} + 10^n + 1|n > 0\}$  regular? Note that  $10^m$  in this question is an integer operation and not a string of 1 followed by m zeroes.
- 7. Show that the language  $L = \{a^n b^{2n} | n \ge 0\}$  is not regular.
- 8. Show that the language  $L = \{a^n b^n c^n | n \ge 0\}$  is not regular.