

Homework Assignment #5
Due: October 18, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

1. Let $B(n)$ be the binary representation of the natural number n .
Let $ADD = \{B(n_1)\#B(n_2)\#B(n_3) : n_1 + n_2 = n_3\}$.
For example, the string $1101\#110\#10011$ is in ADD because 1101 is $B(13)$, 110 is $B(6)$, 10011 is $B(19)$ and $13 + 6 = 19$.
Is ADD regular? Prove your answer is correct.
2. If L is a language over the alphabet Σ , let $EXTRA(L)$ be the set of all strings obtained by inserting exactly one extra character into any one of the strings in L . More formally,
 $EXTRA(L) = \{xay : x, y \in \Sigma^* \text{ and } a \in \Sigma \text{ and } xy \in L\}$.
For example, if $\Sigma = \{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}\}$ and $L = \{\varepsilon, \mathbf{ba}\}$ then $EXTRA(L) = \{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{aba}, \mathbf{baa}, \mathbf{bba}, \mathbf{bab}\}$.
Prove that for every regular language L , $EXTRA(L)$ is also regular.