

CS3133
HW#1 SOLUTIONS

1. $L_{\overline{001}}$ is accepted by the DFA $A_{\overline{001}} = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3\}, \{0, 1\}, \mathbf{d}_{\overline{001}}, \{q_0, q_1, q_2\})$, where

$\mathbf{d}_{\overline{001}}$	0	1
q_0	q_1	q_0
q_1	q_2	q_0
q_2	q_2	q_3
q_3	q_3	q_3

and L_{001} is accepted by the DFA $A_{001} = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3\}, \{0, 1\}, \mathbf{d}_{001}, \{q_3\})$.

2. L is accepted by the DFA $A = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4\}, \{0, 1, 2, 3\}, \mathbf{d}, \{q_0\})$, where

\mathbf{d}	0	1	2	3
q_0	q_0	q_1	q_2	q_3
q_1	q_1	q_2	q_3	q_4
q_2	q_2	q_3	q_4	q_0
q_3	q_3	q_4	q_0	q_1
q_4	q_4	q_0	q_1	q_2

3. a) **BASIS:** $\hat{\mathbf{d}}(q, a^0) = \hat{\mathbf{d}}(q, \epsilon) = q$ since we are in state q and read no inputs, and hence we don't change state.

INDUCTION: Assume that for all states $q \in Q$, $\hat{\mathbf{d}}(q, a^n) = q$. By the definition of the extended transition function, $\hat{\mathbf{d}}(q, a^{n+1}) = \hat{\mathbf{d}}(q, a^n a) = \mathbf{d}(\hat{\mathbf{d}}(q, a^n), a)$. By the INDUCTION HYPOTHESIS, this is $\mathbf{d}(q, a) = q$.

b) If $q_0 \in F$, then $\hat{\mathbf{d}}(q_0, a^n) = q_0 \in F$ and $\{a\}^* \subseteq L(A)$. Likewise, if $q_0 \notin F$, then for all n , $\hat{\mathbf{d}}(q_0, a^n) = q_0 \notin F$ and $\{a\}^* \cap L(A) = \emptyset$.