

Theory of Automata
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- Attempt All Tasks.

Q#1. Parse the given RE into its Individual / Atomic Symbols and then design an NFA. (10)

$$(a / b)^* (ab / ba)$$

Q#2. Design RE for each of the following. (10)

- RE for all the optional words over {a b}.
- RE for all the optional words over {a b} with an Even Number of “a”.
- RE for all the optional words over {a b} with an Odd Number of “a”.
- RE for all the optional words over {a b} where Last symbol must be “b”.
- RE for all the optional words over {a b} where First symbol must be “b”.

Q#3. (a). Prove that

$$(a / b)^* \neq a^*b^* \quad (07)$$

(b). Derive language descriptions (statements) for the following RE. (08)

- $(a / b) (a / b) b (a / b)^*$
- $(a / b)^* b (a / b) (a / b)$
- $(a / b)^* (aa / bb)$
- $(aa / bb) (a / b)^*$

Q#4. Design NFA for the following without Parsing.

- $(+ / -) d^+$ (07)
- $(a / b)^* (aaa / bbb) (a / b)^*$ (08)