

# Sample Assignment # 5

1. For each of the following, prove it is not regular by using the Pumping Lemma or Myhill-Nerode. You must do at least one of these using the Pumping Lemma and at least one using Myhill-Nerode.
  - a.  $\{ a^{2^k+1} \mid k \geq 0 \}$  (note:  $2^k+1$ , so get  $\{ a^2, a^3, a^5, a^9, a^{17}, \dots \}$ )
  - b.  $\{ a^i b^j c^k \mid i \geq 0, j \geq 0, k \geq 0, \text{ if } i=0 \text{ then } j=2k \}$
  - c.  $\{ xyz \mid x, y, z \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ and } y = xz \}$
2. Write a regular (right linear) grammar that generates the set of strings denoted by the regular expression  $((01 + 10)^+)(11)^* (00)^*$ . You may use extended grammars where rules are of form  $\mathbf{A} \rightarrow \alpha$  and  $\mathbf{A} \rightarrow \alpha \mathbf{B}$ ,  $\alpha \in \Sigma^*$  and  $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}$  non-terminals
3. Write a Mealy finite state machine that produces the 2's complement result of subtracting 1101 from a binary input stream (assuming at least 3 bits of input)