



# Försättsblad till skriftlig tentamen vid Linköpings Universitet

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<b>Sal</b>	TER4
<b>Tid</b>	08-12
<b>Kurskod</b>	TDDD65
<b>Provkod</b>	TEN1
<b>Kursnamn/benämning</b>	Introduction to the Theory of Computation
<b>Institution</b>	IDA
<b>Antal uppgifter som ingår i tentamen</b>	7
<b>Antal sidor på tentamen (inkl. försättsbladet)</b>	4
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<b>Tillåtna hjälpmedel</b>	Ordbok (från engelska till valfritt språk)
<b>Övrigt (exempel när resultat kan ses på webben, betygsgränser, visning, övriga salar tentan går i m.m.)</b>	

## TDDD65 Introduction to the Theory of Computation Examination, Monday, 2013-01-07

- Material allowed:** An English dictionary (to any language) is allowed. Other material (like books, lecture notes, own notes etc. ) and electronic equipment (computers, calculators, mobile phones etc.) is **not allowed**.
- Questions:** Tommy Färnqvist, 0704 547668, will appear in the examination room around 1.5 hours after the start of the exam
- Grading** There are 7 problems giving max 20 points. To pass you need 10 points. The lower bounds of points for the grades 3,4,5 are as follows: 3:10, 4:14, 5:17.
- Results** An announcement will be posted at the course homepage <http://www.ida.liu.se/~TDDD65> approx. one week after the exam with information on where you can look at your graded exam and discuss the result with the examiner.

### Please observe the following:

- Solutions to different problems should be placed one-sided on separate page(s).
- Justify your answers properly: missing or insufficient explanations will result in reduction of points.
- Be sure that your answers are readable.
- Leave space for comments.

**Good luck!**

1. Recall that  $k$ SAT is the problem of checking the satisfiability of  $k$ CNF-formulas, i.e., checking the satisfiability of conjunctions of clauses with (at most)  $k$  literals. For example, (5 p)

$$(x_1 \vee x_1 \vee x_2) \wedge (\overline{x_1} \vee \overline{x_2} \vee \overline{x_2}) \wedge (\overline{x_1} \vee x_2 \vee x_2)$$

is a satisfiable 3CNF-formula, and

$$(x_1 \vee x_2) \wedge (\overline{x_1} \vee \overline{x_2}) \wedge (\overline{x_1} \vee x_2) \wedge (x_1 \vee \overline{x_2})$$

is an unsatisfiable 2CNF-formula.

- (a) Briefly explain why 3SAT is in NP. (1)
- (b) Give a polynomial-time mapping reduction from 4SAT to 3SAT. (4)
2. Provide a regular expression for the language over  $\{0, 1\}$  consisting of all strings that are the binary representation of even natural numbers. (2 p)
3. Invent a simple context-free grammar that is ambiguous and prove that it is indeed ambiguous. (2 p)
4. Consider the language  $L$  (over the alphabet  $\Sigma = \{a, b, c\}$ ) defined as  $\{ccccca^{2n}b^nacc \mid n \geq 0\}$ . (4 p)  
Use the pumping lemma to prove that  $L$  is nonregular.
5. Consider the languages  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ , where  $A$  is a regular language,  $B$  is not Turing recognizable, and  $C$  is Turing recognizable but not decidable. Given the following mapping reductions: (3 p)

- $A \leq_m F$ ,
- $F \leq_m B$ ,
- $B \leq_m D$ ,
- $C \leq_m B$ ,
- $E \leq_m C$ , and
- $E \leq_m A$ ,

what can you conclude about the decidability of the languages  $D$ ,  $E$ , and  $F$ ? More specifically for each of  $D$ ,  $E$ , and  $F$  answer whether it is decidable, undecidable, or whether the information given is not enough to draw a conclusion.

6. The NFA $\epsilon$   $N = (Q, \Sigma, \Delta, S, F)$  is defined as follows: (2 p)

$$Q = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \quad \Sigma = \{a, b\} \quad S = \{1\} \quad F = \{5\}$$

with the transition function  $\Delta$  given by

	$\epsilon$	$a$	$b$
$\rightarrow 1$	$\emptyset$	$\{3\}$	$\{1, 2, 3\}$
2	$\emptyset$	$\{3\}$	$\{5\}$
3	$\{4\}$	$\emptyset$	$\emptyset$
4	$\emptyset$	$\{3\}$	$\{2\}$
5 F	$\emptyset$	$\{3, 4\}$	$\{5\}$

Using the standard method, construct an equivalent DFA  $M$ .

7.

(2 p)

- (a) Assume that a proof of  $P = NP$  is discovered. Give one likely important consequence of such a proof that has an impact on the everyday life of people. (1)
- (b) Assume that a proof of  $P \neq NP$  is discovered. Give one likely important consequence of such a proof that has an impact on the everyday life of people. (1)