

**Aufgabe 1** (Regular Languages).

(?? Punkte)

(i) Which of the following claims hold?

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(a) The language  $L = \{a^k b^l \mid 1 \leq k \leq l\}$  is regular.☐ Yes    ☐ No(b) The class of regular languages is closed under iteration ( $L^*$ ).☐ Yes    ☐ No(c) For each three regular languages  $L_1$ ,  $L_2$  and  $L_3$  it holds that

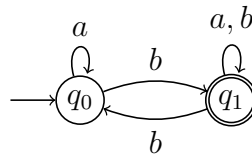
$$L_1 \cdot (L_2 \cup L_3) = (L_1 \cdot L_2) \cup (L_1 \cdot L_3).$$

☐ Yes    ☐ No(ii) Give a regular expression that describes the language of all words over  $\{a, b\}$  in which the number of  $a$ 's is even.

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(iii) Apply the powerset construction to turn the following nondeterministic finite automaton (NFA)  $\mathfrak{A}$  into a deterministic finite automaton (DFA)  $\mathfrak{A}'$ .

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(iv) Is  $\mathfrak{A}'$  minimal? Please justify your answer in the following way:

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“yes”: give a distinguishing word for each pair of states;

“no”: give two equivalent states and explain why they are equivalent.

**Aufgabe 2** (Context-Free Languages).

(?? Punkte)

(i) Which of the following claims hold?

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(a) The language  $L = \{a^n b^m c^n \mid n, m \geq 1\}$  is context free.☐ Yes    ☐ No

(b) The class of context-free languages is closed under complement.

☐ Yes    ☐ No

(c) Each context-free language can be recognised by some pushdown automaton.

☐ Yes    ☐ No(ii) Give a context-free grammar  $G$  which generates the language

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$$L := \{a^k b^{2k} c^l \mid k, l \geq 1\}.$$

(iii) Give a derivation of the word  $abbcc \in L$  from the start symbol of  $G$ .

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(iv) Let  $G'$  be the following context-free grammar in Chomsky normal form:

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$$S \rightarrow AB \mid BA$$

$$A \rightarrow BA \mid a$$

$$B \rightarrow BB \mid b$$

and let  $w := bbbab$ . Employ the CYK-Algorithm to show that  $w \in L(G')$ . Use the following table to compute the sets

$$N_{i,j} := \{A \in N \mid A \Rightarrow^* w[i,j]\} \quad (1 \leq i \leq j \leq 5)$$

where  $w[i,j] := a_i \dots a_j$  for  $w = a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 a_5$ .

$i \backslash j$	1	2	3	4	5
1					
2	X				
3	X	X			
4	X	X	X		
5	X	X	X	X	