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**AUTOMATA, COMPUTABILITY & COMPLEXITY UPDF.** - ELAINE RICH 2018

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**AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY** - DEXTER C. KOZEN  
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**COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY THEORY** - STEVEN HOMER  
2011-12-09

THIS REVISED AND EXTENSIVELY EXPANDED EDITION OF COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY THEORY COMPRISES ESSENTIAL MATERIALS THAT ARE CORE KNOWLEDGE IN THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION. THE BOOK IS SELF-CONTAINED, WITH A PRELIMINARY CHAPTER DESCRIBING KEY MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND NOTATIONS. SUBSEQUENT CHAPTERS MOVE FROM THE QUALITATIVE ASPECTS OF CLASSICAL COMPUTABILITY THEORY TO THE QUANTITATIVE ASPECTS OF COMPLEXITY THEORY. DEDICATED CHAPTERS ON UNDECIDABILITY, NP-COMPLETENESS, AND RELATIVE COMPUTABILITY FOCUS ON THE LIMITATIONS OF COMPUTABILITY AND THE DISTINCTIONS BETWEEN FEASIBLE AND INTRACTABLE. SUBSTANTIAL NEW CONTENT IN THIS EDITION INCLUDES: A CHAPTER ON NONUNIFORMITY STUDYING BOOLEAN CIRCUITS, ADVICE CLASSES AND THE IMPORTANT RESULT OF KARP<sup>[2]</sup> LIPTON. A CHAPTER STUDYING PROPERTIES OF THE FUNDAMENTAL PROBABILISTIC COMPLEXITY CLASSES A STUDY OF THE ALTERNATING TURING MACHINE AND UNIFORM CIRCUIT CLASSES. AN INTRODUCTION OF COUNTING CLASSES, PROVING THE FAMOUS RESULTS OF VALIANT AND VAZIRANI AND OF TODA A THOROUGH TREATMENT OF THE PROOF THAT IP IS IDENTICAL TO PSPACE WITH ITS ACCESSIBILITY AND

WELL-DEvised ORGANIZATION, THIS TEXT/REFERENCE IS AN EXCELLENT RESOURCE AND GUIDE FOR THOSE LOOKING TO DEVELOP A SOLID GROUNDING IN THE THEORY OF COMPUTING. BEGINNING GRADUATES, ADVANCED UNDERGRADUATES, AND PROFESSIONALS INVOLVED IN THEORETICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE, COMPLEXITY THEORY, AND COMPUTABILITY WILL FIND THE BOOK AN ESSENTIAL AND PRACTICAL LEARNING TOOL. TOPICS AND FEATURES: CONCISE, FOCUSED MATERIALS COVER THE MOST FUNDAMENTAL CONCEPTS AND RESULTS IN THE FIELD OF MODERN COMPLEXITY THEORY, INCLUDING THE THEORY OF NP-COMPLETENESS, NP-HARDNESS, THE POLYNOMIAL HIERARCHY, AND COMPLETE PROBLEMS FOR OTHER COMPLEXITY CLASSES CONTAINS INFORMATION THAT OTHERWISE EXISTS ONLY IN RESEARCH LITERATURE AND PRESENTS IT IN A UNIFIED, SIMPLIFIED MANNER PROVIDES KEY MATHEMATICAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION, INCLUDING SECTIONS ON LOGIC AND NUMBER THEORY AND ALGEBRA SUPPORTED BY NUMEROUS EXERCISES AND SUPPLEMENTARY PROBLEMS FOR REINFORCEMENT AND SELF-STUDY PURPOSES

**THEORY OF AUTOMATA, FORMAL LANGUAGES AND COMPUTATION (AS PER UPTU SYLLABUS)** - S.P.EUGENE XAVIER 2005

THIS BOOK IS AIMED AT PROVIDING AN INTRODUCTION TO THE BASIC MODELS OF COMPUTABILITY TO THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS. THIS BOOK IS DEVOTED TO FINITE AUTOMATA AND THEIR PROPERTIES. PUSHDOWN AUTOMATA PROVIDES A CLASS OF MODELS AND ENABLES THE ANALYSIS OF CONTEXT-FREE LANGUAGES. TURING MACHINES HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED AND THE BOOK DISCUSSES COMPUTABILITY AND DECIDABILITY. A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS WITH SOLUTIONS HAVE BEEN PROVIDED FOR EACH CHAPTER. A LOT OF EXERCISES HAVE BEEN GIVEN WITH HINTS/ANSWERS TO MOST OF THESE TUTORIAL PROBLEMS.

**MODELS OF COMPUTATION** - MARIBEL FERNANDEZ  
2009-04-14

A CONCISE INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTATION MODELS AND COMPUTABILITY THEORY PROVIDES AN INTRODUCTION TO THE ESSENTIAL CONCEPTS IN COMPUTABILITY, USING SEVERAL MODELS OF COMPUTATION, FROM THE STANDARD TURING MACHINES AND RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS, TO THE MODERN COMPUTATION MODELS INSPIRED BY QUANTUM PHYSICS. AN IN-DEPTH ANALYSIS OF THE BASIC CONCEPTS UNDERLYING EACH MODEL OF COMPUTATION IS PROVIDED. DIVIDED INTO

TWO PARTS, THE FIRST HIGHLIGHTS THE TRADITIONAL COMPUTATION MODELS USED IN THE FIRST STUDIES ON COMPUTABILITY: - AUTOMATA AND TURING MACHINES; - RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS AND THE LAMBDA-CALCULUS; - LOGIC-BASED COMPUTATION MODELS. AND THE SECOND PART COVERS OBJECT-ORIENTED AND INTERACTION-BASED MODELS. THERE IS ALSO A CHAPTER ON CONCURRENCY, AND A FINAL CHAPTER ON EMERGENT COMPUTATION MODELS INSPIRED BY QUANTUM MECHANICS. AT THE END OF EACH CHAPTER THERE IS A DISCUSSION ON THE USE OF COMPUTATION MODELS IN THE DESIGN OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES.

AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY - DEXTER C. KOZEN  
2013-11-11

THESE ARE MY LECTURE NOTES FROM CS381/481: AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY THEORY, A ONE-SEMESTER SENIOR-LEVEL COURSE I HAVE TAUGHT AT CORNELL UNIVERSITY FOR MANY YEARS. I TOOK THIS COURSE MYSELF IN THE FALL OF 1974 AS A FIRST-YEAR PH.D. STUDENT AT CORNELL FROM JURIS HARTMANIS AND HAVE BEEN IN LOVE WITH THE SUBJECT EVER SINCE. THE COURSE IS REQUIRED FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE MAJORS AT CORNELL. IT EXISTS IN TWO FORMS: CS481, AN HONORS VERSION; AND CS381, A SOMEWHAT GENTLER PACED VERSION. THE SYLLABUS IS ROUGHLY THE SAME, BUT CS481 GOES DEEPER INTO THE SUBJECT, COVERS MORE MATERIAL, AND IS TAUGHT AT A MORE ABSTRACT LEVEL. STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO START OFF IN ONE OR THE OTHER, THEN SWITCH WITHIN THE FIRST FEW WEEKS IF THEY FIND THE OTHER VERSION MORE SUITABLE TO THEIR LEVEL OF MATHEMATICAL SKILL. THE PURPOSE OF THIS COURSE IS TWOFOLD: TO INTRODUCE COMPUTER SCIENCE STUDENTS TO THE RICH HERITAGE OF MODELS AND ABSTRACTIONS THAT HAVE ARISEN OVER THE YEARS; AND TO DEVELOP THE CAPACITY TO FORM ABSTRACTIONS OF THEIR OWN AND REASON IN TERMS OF THEM.

AUTOMATA, COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY - ELAINE RICH  
2008

FOR UPPER LEVEL COURSES ON AUTOMATA. COMBINING CLASSIC THEORY WITH UNIQUE APPLICATIONS, THIS CRISP NARRATIVE IS SUPPORTED BY ABUNDANT EXAMPLES AND CLARIFIES KEY CONCEPTS BY INTRODUCING IMPORTANT USES OF TECHNIQUES IN REAL SYSTEMS. BROAD-RANGING COVERAGE ALLOWS INSTRUCTORS TO EASILY CUSTOMISE COURSE MATERIAL TO FIT THEIR UNIQUE REQUIREMENTS.

AUTOMATA, LOGICS, AND INFINITE GAMES - ERICH GRÖDEL  
2003-08-02

A CENTRAL AIM AND EVER-LASTING DREAM OF COMPUTER SCIENCE IS TO PUT THE DEVELOPMENT OF HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE SYSTEMS ON A MATHEMATICAL BASIS WHICH IS BOTH FIRM AND PRACTICAL. SUCH A SCIENTIFIC FOUNDATION IS NEEDED ESPECIALLY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF REACTIVE PROGRAMS, LIKE COMMUNICATION PROTOCOLS OR CONTROL SYSTEMS. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND ANALYSIS OF REACTIVE SYSTEMS AN ELEGANT AND POWERFUL THEORY HAS BEEN DEVELOPED BASED ON AUTOMATA THEORY, LOGICAL SYSTEMS FOR THE SPECIFICATION OF NONTERMINATING BEHAVIOR, AND INFINITE TWO-PERSON GAMES. THE 19 CHAPTERS PRESENTED IN THIS MULTI-AUTHOR MONOGRAPH GIVE A CONSOLIDATED OVERVIEW OF THE RESEARCH RESULTS

ACHIEVED IN THE THEORY OF AUTOMATA, LOGICS, AND INFINITE GAMES DURING THE PAST 10 YEARS. SPECIAL EMPHASIS IS PLACED ON COHERENT STYLE, COMPLETE COVERAGE OF ALL RELEVANT TOPICS, MOTIVATION, EXAMPLES, JUSTIFICATION OF CONSTRUCTIONS, AND EXERCISES.

CONCISE GUIDE TO COMPUTATION THEORY - AKIRA MARUOKA  
2011-04-29

THIS TEXTBOOK PRESENTS A THOROUGH FOUNDATION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION. COMBINING INTUITIVE DESCRIPTIONS AND ILLUSTRATIONS WITH RIGOROUS ARGUMENTS AND DETAILED PROOFS FOR KEY TOPICS, THE LOGICALLY STRUCTURED DISCUSSION GUIDES THE READER THROUGH THE CORE CONCEPTS OF AUTOMATA AND LANGUAGES, COMPUTABILITY, AND COMPLEXITY OF COMPUTATION. TOPICS AND FEATURES: PRESENTS A DETAILED INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION, COMPLETE WITH CONCISE EXPLANATIONS OF THE MATHEMATICAL PREREQUISITES; PROVIDES END-OF-CHAPTER PROBLEMS WITH SOLUTIONS, IN ADDITION TO CHAPTER-OPENING SUMMARIES AND NUMEROUS EXAMPLES AND DEFINITIONS THROUGHOUT THE TEXT; DRAWS UPON THE AUTHOR'S EXTENSIVE TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND BROAD RESEARCH INTERESTS; DISCUSSES FINITE AUTOMATA, CONTEXT-FREE LANGUAGES, AND PUSHDOWN AUTOMATA; EXAMINES THE CONCEPT, UNIVERSALITY AND LIMITATIONS OF THE TURING MACHINE; INVESTIGATES COMPUTATIONAL COMPLEXITY BASED ON TURING MACHINES AND BOOLEAN CIRCUITS, AS WELL AS THE NOTION OF NP-COMPLETENESS.

AUTOMATA THEORY, LANGUAGES OF MACHINES AND COMPUTABILITY - SHIVAM SAXENA  
2018-02-05

THE BOOK IS ALL ABOUT THE AUTOMATA, FORMAL LANGUAGE THEORY AND COMPUTABILITY. AUTOMATA THEORY PLAYS IMPORTANT ROLES IN COMPILERS, TEXT PROCESSING, PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES, HARDWARE DESIGNS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND IS THE CORE BASE OF COMPUTER SCIENCE STUDIES. THE INTENT IS TO MAKE AUTOMATA THEORY INTERESTING AND CHALLENGING AND BREAK THE MYTH OF BEING A TOUGH TOPIC. FOR THAT MATTER, TOPICS ARE COVERED IN AN EASY TO UNDERSTAND MANNER WITH THE HELP OF ELABORATIVE AND WELL DESCRIBED EXAMPLES. FOR TOPICS WHICH ARE LITTLE COMPLEX AND FUZZY TO UNDERSTAND, STRATEGY ADOPTED IS TO CONNECT THE TOPIC WITH THE EVERYDAY PROBLEMS WE ENCOUNTER, IN ORDER TO DEVELOP A CONNECTIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE TOPIC AND GET A CLEAR VIEW OF THE TOPIC. EXERCISE QUESTIONS ARE PROVIDED WITH THE ANSWERS TO UNDERSTAND THE SOLUTION EASILY. THE PROSPECTIVE AUDIENCE FOR THE BOOK ARE COMPUTER SCIENCE ENGINEERING STUDENTS. COMPUTER SCIENCE SCHOLARS AND PEOPLE PREPARING FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMS LIKE GATE, UGC-NET, ETC.

THE FOUNDATIONS OF COMPUTABILITY THEORY - BORUT ROBLJ  
2020-11-13

THIS BOOK OFFERS AN ORIGINAL AND INFORMATIVE VIEW OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF FUNDAMENTAL CONCEPTS OF COMPUTABILITY THEORY. THE TREATMENT IS PUT INTO HISTORICAL CONTEXT, EMPHASIZING THE MOTIVATION FOR IDEAS AS WELL AS THEIR LOGICAL AND FORMAL DEVELOPMENT. IN PART I THE AUTHOR INTRODUCES COMPUTABILITY THEORY,

WITH CHAPTERS ON THE FOUNDATIONAL CRISIS OF MATHEMATICS IN THE EARLY TWENTIETH CENTURY, AND FORMALISM. IN PART II HE EXPLAINS CLASSICAL COMPUTABILITY THEORY, WITH CHAPTERS ON THE QUEST FOR FORMALIZATION, THE TURING MACHINE, AND EARLY SUCCESSES SUCH AS DEFINING INCOMPUTABLE PROBLEMS, C.E. (COMPUTABLY ENUMERABLE) SETS, AND DEVELOPING METHODS FOR PROVING INCOMPUTABILITY. IN PART III HE EXPLAINS RELATIVE COMPUTABILITY, WITH CHAPTERS ON COMPUTATION WITH EXTERNAL HELP, DEGREES OF UNSOLVABILITY, THE TURING HIERARCHY OF UNSOLVABILITY, THE CLASS OF DEGREES OF UNSOLVABILITY, C.E. DEGREES AND THE PRIORITY METHOD, AND THE ARITHMETICAL HIERARCHY. FINALLY, IN THE NEW PART IV THE AUTHOR REVISITS THE COMPUTABILITY (CHURCH-TURING) THESIS IN GREATER DETAIL. HE OFFERS A SYSTEMATIC AND DETAILED ACCOUNT OF ITS ORIGINS, EVOLUTION, AND MEANING, HE DESCRIBES MORE POWERFUL, MODERN VERSIONS OF THE THESIS, AND HE DISCUSSES RECENT SPECULATIVE PROPOSALS FOR NEW COMPUTING PARADIGMS SUCH AS HYPERCOMPUTING. THIS IS A GENTLE INTRODUCTION FROM THE ORIGINS OF COMPUTABILITY THEORY UP TO CURRENT RESEARCH, AND IT WILL BE OF VALUE AS A TEXTBOOK AND GUIDE FOR ADVANCED UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS IN THE DOMAINS OF COMPUTABILITY THEORY AND THEORETICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE. THIS NEW EDITION IS COMPLETELY REVISED, WITH ALMOST ONE HUNDRED PAGES OF NEW MATERIAL. IN PARTICULAR THE AUTHOR APPLIED MORE UP-TO-DATE, MORE CONSISTENT TERMINOLOGY, AND HE ADDRESSED SOME NOTATIONAL REDUNDANCIES AND MINOR ERRORS. HE DEVELOPED A GLOSSARY RELATING TO COMPUTABILITY THEORY, EXPANDED THE BIBLIOGRAPHIC REFERENCES WITH NEW ENTRIES, AND ADDED THE NEW PART DESCRIBED ABOVE AND OTHER NEW SECTIONS.

THEORY OF COMPUTATION - GEORGE TOURLAKIS  
2014-08-21

LEARN THE SKILLS AND ACQUIRE THE INTUITION TO ASSESS THE THEORETICAL LIMITATIONS OF COMPUTER PROGRAMMING OFFERING AN ACCESSIBLE APPROACH TO THE TOPIC, THEORY OF COMPUTATION FOCUSES ON THE METATHEORY OF COMPUTING AND THE THEORETICAL BOUNDARIES BETWEEN WHAT VARIOUS COMPUTATIONAL MODELS CAN DO AND NOT DO—FROM THE MOST GENERAL MODEL, THE URM (UNBOUNDED REGISTER MACHINES), TO THE FINITE AUTOMATON. A WEALTH OF PROGRAMMING-LIKE EXAMPLES AND EASY-TO-FOLLOW EXPLANATIONS BUILD THE GENERAL THEORY GRADUALLY, WHICH GUIDES READERS THROUGH THE MODELING AND MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS OF COMPUTATIONAL PHENOMENA AND PROVIDES INSIGHTS ON WHAT MAKES THINGS TICK AND ALSO WHAT RESTRAINS THE ABILITY OF COMPUTATIONAL PROCESSES. RECOGNIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF ACQUIRED PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE, THE BOOK BEGINS WITH THE METATHEORY OF GENERAL PURPOSE COMPUTER PROGRAMS, USING URMS AS A STRAIGHTFORWARD, TECHNOLOGY-INDEPENDENT MODEL OF MODERN HIGH-LEVEL PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES WHILE ALSO EXPLORING THE RESTRICTIONS OF THE URM LANGUAGE. ONCE READERS GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING OF COMPUTABILITY THEORY—INCLUDING THE PRIMITIVE RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS—THE AUTHOR PRESENTS

AUTOMATA AND LANGUAGES, COVERING THE REGULAR AND CONTEXT-FREE LANGUAGES AS WELL AS THE MACHINES THAT RECOGNIZE THESE LANGUAGES. SEVERAL ADVANCED TOPICS SUCH AS REDUCIBILITIES, THE RECURSION THEOREM, COMPLEXITY THEORY, AND COOK'S THEOREM ARE ALSO DISCUSSED. FEATURES OF THE BOOK INCLUDE: A REVIEW OF BASIC DISCRETE MATHEMATICS, COVERING LOGIC AND INDUCTION WHILE OMITTING SPECIALIZED COMBINATORIAL TOPICS A THOROUGH DEVELOPMENT OF THE MODELING AND MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS OF COMPUTATIONAL PHENOMENA, PROVIDING A SOLID FOUNDATION OF UN-COMPUTABILITY THE CONNECTION BETWEEN UN-COMPUTABILITY AND UN-PROVABILITY: GÖDEL'S FIRST INCOMPLETENESS THEOREM THE BOOK PROVIDES NUMEROUS EXAMPLES OF SPECIFIC URMS AS WELL AS OTHER PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES INCLUDING LOOP PROGRAMS, FA (DETERMINISTIC FINITE AUTOMATA), NFA (NONDETERMINISTIC FINITE AUTOMATA), AND PDA (PUSHDOWN AUTOMATA). EXERCISES AT THE END OF EACH CHAPTER ALLOW READERS TO TEST THEIR COMPREHENSION OF THE PRESENTED MATERIAL, AND AN EXTENSIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY SUGGESTS RESOURCES FOR FURTHER STUDY. ASSUMING ONLY A BASIC UNDERSTANDING OF GENERAL COMPUTER PROGRAMMING AND DISCRETE MATHEMATICS, THEORY OF COMPUTATION SERVES AS A VALUABLE BOOK FOR COURSES ON THEORY OF COMPUTATION AT THE UPPER-UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL. THE BOOK ALSO SERVES AS AN EXCELLENT RESOURCE FOR PROGRAMMERS AND COMPUTING PROFESSIONALS WISHING TO UNDERSTAND THE THEORETICAL LIMITATIONS OF THEIR CRAFT.

AUTOMATA AND LANGUAGES - ALEXANDER MEDUNA  
2012-12-06

A STEP-BY-STEP DEVELOPMENT OF THE THEORY OF AUTOMATA, LANGUAGES AND COMPUTATION. INTENDED FOR USE AS THE BASIS OF AN INTRODUCTORY COURSE AT BOTH JUNIOR AND SENIOR LEVELS, THE TEXT IS ORGANIZED SO AS TO ALLOW THE DESIGN OF VARIOUS COURSES BASED ON SELECTED MATERIAL. IT FEATURES BASIC MODELS OF COMPUTATION, FORMAL LANGUAGES AND THEIR PROPERTIES; COMPUTABILITY, DECIDABILITY AND COMPLEXITY; A DISCUSSION OF MODERN TRENDS IN THE THEORY OF AUTOMATA AND FORMAL LANGUAGES; DESIGN OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES, INCLUDING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE; AND COMPILER DESIGN, INCLUDING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A COMPLETE COMPILER. ALEXANDER MEDUNA USES CLEAR DEFINITIONS, EASY-TO-FOLLOW PROOFS AND HELPFUL EXAMPLES TO MAKE FORMERLY OBSCURE CONCEPTS EASY TO UNDERSTAND. HE ALSO INCLUDES CHALLENGING EXERCISES AND PROGRAMMING PROJECTS TO ENHANCE THE READER'S COMPREHENSION, AND MANY 'REAL WORLD' ILLUSTRATIONS AND APPLICATIONS IN PRACTICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE.

AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY - DEXTER C. KOZEN  
2007-06-29

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**THEORY OF COMPUTATION** - DEXTER C. KOZEN  
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THIS TEXTBOOK IS UNIQUELY WRITTEN WITH DUAL PURPOSE. IT COVER CORES MATERIAL IN THE FOUNDATIONS OF COMPUTING FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ALSO PROVIDES AN INTRODUCTION TO SOME MORE ADVANCED TOPICS FOR THOSE INTENDING FURTHER STUDY IN THE AREA. THIS INNOVATIVE TEXT FOCUSES PRIMARILY ON COMPUTATIONAL COMPLEXITY THEORY: THE CLASSIFICATION OF COMPUTATIONAL PROBLEMS IN TERMS OF THEIR INHERENT COMPLEXITY. THE BOOK CONTAINS AN INVALUABLE COLLECTION OF LECTURES FOR FIRST-YEAR GRADUATES ON THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION. TOPICS AND FEATURES INCLUDE MORE THAN 40 LECTURES FOR FIRST YEAR GRADUATE STUDENTS, AND A DOZEN HOMEWORK SETS AND EXERCISES.

**COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY** - NEIL D. JONES 1997  
COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY THEORY SHOULD BE OF CENTRAL CONCERN TO PRACTITIONERS AS WELL AS THEORISTS. UNFORTUNATELY, HOWEVER, THE FIELD IS KNOWN FOR ITS IMPENETRABILITY. NEIL JONES'S GOAL AS AN EDUCATOR AND AUTHOR IS TO BUILD A BRIDGE BETWEEN COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY THEORY AND OTHER AREAS OF COMPUTER SCIENCE, ESPECIALLY PROGRAMMING. IN A SHIFT AWAY FROM THE TURING MACHINE- AND GÖDEL NUMBER-ORIENTED CLASSICAL APPROACHES, JONES USES CONCEPTS FAMILIAR FROM PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES TO MAKE COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY MORE ACCESSIBLE TO COMPUTER SCIENTISTS AND MORE APPLICABLE TO PRACTICAL PROGRAMMING PROBLEMS. ACCORDING TO JONES, THE FIELDS OF COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY THEORY, AS WELL AS PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES AND SEMANTICS, HAVE A GREAT DEAL TO OFFER EACH OTHER. COMPUTABILITY AND COMPLEXITY THEORY HAVE A BREADTH, DEPTH, AND GENERALITY NOT OFTEN SEEN IN PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES. THE PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE COMMUNITY, MEANWHILE, HAS A FIRM GRASP OF ALGORITHM DESIGN, PRESENTATION, AND IMPLEMENTATION. IN ADDITION, PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES SOMETIMES PROVIDE COMPUTATIONAL MODELS THAT ARE MORE REALISTIC IN CERTAIN CRUCIAL ASPECTS THAN TRADITIONAL MODELS. NEW RESULTS IN THE BOOK INCLUDE A PROOF THAT CONSTANT TIME FACTORS DO MATTER FOR ITS PROGRAMMING-ORIENTED MODEL OF COMPUTATION. (IN CONTRAST, TURING MACHINES HAVE A COUNTERINTUITIVE "CONSTANT SPEEDUP" PROPERTY: THAT ALMOST ANY PROGRAM CAN BE MADE TO RUN FASTER, BY ANY AMOUNT. ITS PROOF INVOLVES TECHNIQUES IRRELEVANT TO PRACTICE.) FURTHER RESULTS INCLUDE SIMPLE CHARACTERIZATIONS IN PROGRAMMING TERMS OF THE CENTRAL COMPLEXITY CLASSES PTIME AND LOGSPACE, AND A NEW APPROACH TO COMPLETE PROBLEMS FOR NLOGSPACE, PTIME, NPTIME,

AND PSPACE, UNIFORMLY BASED ON BOOLEAN PROGRAMS.  
FOUNDATIONS OF COMPUTING SERIES  
ELEMENTARY COMPUTABILITY, FORMAL LANGUAGES, AND AUTOMATA - ROBERT McNAUGHTON 1993-09

COMPUTATION AND AUTOMATA - ARTO SALOMAA  
1985-05-23

IN THIS BOOK, WHICH WAS ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN 1985, ARTO SALOMAA GIVES AN INTRODUCTION TO CERTAIN MATHEMATICAL TOPICS CENTRAL TO THEORETICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE: COMPUTABILITY AND RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS, FORMAL LANGUAGES AND AUTOMATA, COMPUTATIONAL COMPLEXITY AND CRYPTOGRAPHY.

AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY - ANURADHA A. PUNTAMBEKAR 2020-12-01

THE BOOK HAS BEEN DEVELOPED TO PROVIDE COMPREHENSIVE AND CONSISTENT COVERAGE OF CONCEPTS OF AUTOMATA THEORY, FORMAL LANGUAGES AND COMPUTATION. THIS BOOK BEGINS BY GIVING PREREQUISITES FOR THE SUBJECT, LIKE STRINGS, LANGUAGES, TYPES OF AUTOMATA, DETERMINISTIC AND NON-DETERMINISTIC AUTOMATA. IT PROCEEDS FORWARD TO DISCUSS ADVANCED CONCEPTS LIKE REGULAR EXPRESSIONS, CONTEXT FREE GRAMMAR AND PUSHDOWN AUTOMATA. THE TEXT THEN GOES ON TO GIVE A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF CONTEXT FREE AND NON CONTEXT FREE LANGUAGES AND TURING MACHINE WITH ITS COMPLEXITY. THIS COMPACT AND WELL-ORGANIZED BOOK PROVIDES A CLEAR UNDERSTANDING OF THE SUBJECT WITH ITS EMPHASIS ON CONCEPTS ALONG WITH A LARGE NUMBER OF EXAMPLES.

COMPUTABILITY, COMPLEXITY, LOGIC - E. BÜRGER  
1989-07-01

THE THEME OF THIS BOOK IS FORMED BY A PAIR OF CONCEPTS: THE CONCEPT OF FORMAL LANGUAGE AS CARRIER OF THE PRECISE EXPRESSION OF MEANING, FACTS AND PROBLEMS, AND THE CONCEPT OF ALGORITHM OR CALCULUS, I.E. A FORMALLY OPERATING PROCEDURE FOR THE SOLUTION OF PRECISELY DESCRIBED QUESTIONS AND PROBLEMS. THE BOOK IS A UNIFIED INTRODUCTION TO THE MODERN THEORY OF THESE CONCEPTS, TO THE WAY IN WHICH THEY DEVELOPED FIRST IN MATHEMATICAL LOGIC AND COMPUTABILITY THEORY AND LATER IN AUTOMATA THEORY, AND TO THE THEORY OF FORMAL LANGUAGES AND COMPLEXITY THEORY. APART FROM CONSIDERING THE FUNDAMENTAL THEMES AND CLASSICAL ASPECTS OF THESE AREAS, THE SUBJECT MATTER HAS BEEN SELECTED TO GIVE PRIORITY THROUGHOUT TO THE NEW ASPECTS OF TRADITIONAL QUESTIONS, RESULTS AND METHODS WHICH HAVE DEVELOPED FROM THE NEEDS OR KNOWLEDGE OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND PARTICULARLY OF COMPLEXITY THEORY. IT IS BOTH A TEXTBOOK FOR INTRODUCTORY COURSES IN THE ABOVE-MENTIONED DISCIPLINES AS WELL AS A MONOGRAPH IN WHICH FURTHER RESULTS OF NEW RESEARCH ARE SYSTEMATICALLY PRESENTED AND WHERE AN ATTEMPT IS MADE TO MAKE EXPLICIT THE CONNECTIONS AND ANALOGIES BETWEEN A VARIETY OF CONCEPTS AND CONSTRUCTIONS.

AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY - GANESH GOPALAKRISHNAN 2019-03-04

AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY IS A CLASS-TESTED TEXTBOOK WHICH PROVIDES A COMPREHENSIVE AND

ACCESSIBLE INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF AUTOMATA AND COMPUTATION. THE AUTHOR USES ILLUSTRATIONS, ENGAGING EXAMPLES, AND HISTORICAL REMARKS TO MAKE THE MATERIAL INTERESTING AND RELEVANT FOR STUDENTS. IT INCORPORATES MODERN/HANDY IDEAS, SUCH AS DERIVATIVE-BASED PARSING AND A LAMBDA REDUCER SHOWING THE UNIVERSALITY OF LAMBDA CALCULUS. THE BOOK ALSO SHOWS HOW TO SCULPT AUTOMATA BY MAKING THE REGULAR LANGUAGE CONVERSION PIPELINE AVAILABLE THROUGH A SIMPLE COMMAND INTERFACE. A JUPYTER NOTEBOOK WILL ACCOMPANY THE BOOK TO FEATURE CODE, YOUTUBE VIDEOS, AND OTHER SUPPLEMENTS TO ASSIST INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS FEATURES USES ILLUSTRATIONS, ENGAGING EXAMPLES, AND HISTORICAL REMARKS TO MAKE THE MATERIAL ACCESSIBLE INCORPORATES MODERN/HANDY IDEAS, SUCH AS DERIVATIVE-BASED PARSING AND A LAMBDA REDUCER SHOWING THE UNIVERSALITY OF LAMBDA CALCULUS SHOWS HOW TO "SCULPT" AUTOMATA BY MAKING THE REGULAR LANGUAGE CONVERSION PIPELINE AVAILABLE THROUGH SIMPLE COMMAND INTERFACE USES A MINI FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING (FP) NOTATION CONSISTING OF LAMBDA, MAPS, FILTERS, AND SET COMPREHENSION (SUPPORTED IN PYTHON) TO CONVEY MATH THROUGH PL CONSTRUCTS THAT ARE SUCCINCT AND RESEMBLE MATH PROVIDES ALL CONCEPTS ARE ENCODED IN A COMPACT FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING CODE THAT WILL TESSELTATE WITH LATEX MARKUP AND JUPYTER WIDGETS IN A DOCUMENT THAT WILL ACCOMPANY THE BOOKS. STUDENTS CAN RUN CODE EFFORTLESSLY

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*THEORETICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE - JURAJ HROMKOVIC*  
 2003-09-18

JURAJ HROMKOVIC TAKES THE READER ON AN ELEGANT ROUTE THROUGH THE THEORETICAL FUNDAMENTALS OF COMPUTER SCIENCE. THE AUTHOR SHOWS THAT THEORETICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE IS A FASCINATING DISCIPLINE, FULL OF SPECTACULAR CONTRIBUTIONS AND MIRACLES. THE BOOK ALSO PRESENTS THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE COMPUTER SCIENTIST'S WAY OF THINKING AS WELL AS FUNDAMENTAL CONCEPTS SUCH AS APPROXIMATION AND RANDOMIZATION IN ALGORITHMS, AND THE BASIC IDEAS OF CRYPTOGRAPHY AND INTERCONNECTION NETWORK DESIGN.

**CONNECTING WITH COMPUTABILITY - LIESBETH DE MOL**  
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THIS BOOK CONSTITUTES THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 17TH CONFERENCE ON COMPUTABILITY IN EUROPE, CIE 2021, ORGANIZED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF GHENT IN JULY 2021. DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC THE CONFERENCE WAS HELD VIRTUALLY. THE 48 FULL PAPERS PRESENTED IN THIS VOLUME WERE CAREFULLY REVIEWED AND SELECTED FROM 50 SUBMISSIONS. CIE PROMOTES THE DEVELOPMENT OF COMPUTABILITY-RELATED SCIENCE, RANGING OVER MATHEMATICS, COMPUTER SCIENCE AND APPLICATIONS IN VARIOUS NATURAL AND ENGINEERING SCIENCES, SUCH AS PHYSICS AND BIOLOGY, AS WELL AS RELATED FIELDS, SUCH AS PHILOSOPHY AND HISTORY OF COMPUTING. CIE 2021 HAD AS ITS MOTTO CONNECTING WITH COMPUTABILITY, A CLEAR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE CONNECTING AND INTERDISCIPLINARY NATURE OF THE CONFERENCE SERIES WHICH

IS ALL THE MORE IMPORTANT IN A TIME WHERE PEOPLE ARE MORE THAN EVER DISCONNECTED FROM ONE ANOTHER DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

*INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION - MICHAEL SIPSER 2006*

"INTENDED AS AN UPPER-LEVEL UNDERGRADUATE OR INTRODUCTORY GRADUATE TEXT IN COMPUTER SCIENCE THEORY," THIS BOOK LUCIDLY COVERS THE KEY CONCEPTS AND THEOREMS OF THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION. THE PRESENTATION IS REMARKABLY CLEAR; FOR EXAMPLE, THE "PROOF IDEA," WHICH OFFERS THE READER AN INTUITIVE FEEL FOR HOW THE PROOF WAS CONSTRUCTED, ACCOMPANIES MANY OF THE THEOREMS AND A PROOF. INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION COVERS THE USUAL TOPICS FOR THIS TYPE OF TEXT PLUS IT FEATURES A SOLID SECTION ON COMPLEXITY THEORY--INCLUDING AN ENTIRE CHAPTER ON SPACE COMPLEXITY. THE FINAL CHAPTER INTRODUCES MORE ADVANCED TOPICS, SUCH AS THE DISCUSSION OF COMPLEXITY CLASSES ASSOCIATED WITH PROBABILISTIC ALGORITHMS.

*PROBLEM SOLVING IN AUTOMATA, LANGUAGES, AND COMPLEXITY - DING-ZHU DU 2004-04-05*

AUTOMATA AND NATURAL LANGUAGE THEORY ARE TOPICS LYING AT THE HEART OF COMPUTER SCIENCE. BOTH ARE LINKED TO COMPUTATIONAL COMPLEXITY AND TOGETHER, THESE DISCIPLINES HELP DEFINE THE PARAMETERS OF WHAT CONSTITUTES A COMPUTER, THE STRUCTURE OF PROGRAMS, WHICH PROBLEMS ARE SOLVABLE BY COMPUTERS, AND A RANGE OF OTHER CRUCIAL ASPECTS OF THE PRACTICE OF COMPUTER SCIENCE. IN THIS IMPORTANT VOLUME, TWO RESPECTED AUTHORS/EDITORS IN THE FIELD OFFER ACCESSIBLE, PRACTICE-ORIENTED COVERAGE OF THESE ISSUES WITH AN EMPHASIS ON REFINING CORE PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS.

*INTRODUCTION TO AUTOMATA THEORY, FORMAL LANGUAGES AND COMPUTATION - SHYAMALENDU KANDAR*

FORMAL LANGUAGES AND AUTOMATA THEORY IS THE STUDY OF ABSTRACT MACHINES AND HOW THESE CAN BE USED FOR SOLVING PROBLEMS. THE BOOK HAS A SIMPLE AND EXHAUSTIVE APPROACH TO TOPICS LIKE AUTOMATA THEORY, FORMAL LANGUAGES AND THEORY OF COMPUTATION. THESE DESCRIPTIONS ARE FOLLOWED BY NUMEROUS RELEVANT EXAMPLES RELATED TO THE TOPIC. A BRIEF INTRODUCTORY CHAPTER ON COMPILERS EXPLAINING ITS RELATION TO THEORY OF COMPUTATION IS ALSO GIVEN.

*AUTOMATA THEORY AND COMPUTABILITY - DR.R.BALAKRISHNA 2021-12-02*

**AN INTRODUCTION TO FORMAL LANGUAGES AND AUTOMATA - PETER LINZ 1997**

AN INTRODUCTION TO FORMAL LANGUAGES & AUTOMATA PROVIDES AN EXCELLENT PRESENTATION OF THE MATERIAL THAT IS ESSENTIAL TO AN INTRODUCTORY THEORY OF COMPUTATION COURSE. THE TEXT WAS DESIGNED TO FAMILIARIZE STUDENTS WITH THE FOUNDATIONS & PRINCIPLES OF COMPUTER SCIENCE & TO STRENGTHEN THE STUDENTS' ABILITY TO CARRY OUT FORMAL & RIGOROUS MATHEMATICAL ARGUMENT. EMPLOYING A PROBLEM-SOLVING APPROACH, THE TEXT PROVIDES STUDENTS INSIGHT INTO THE COURSE MATERIAL BY STRESSING INTUITIVE MOTIVATION & ILLUSTRATION OF IDEAS THROUGH STRAIGHTFORWARD

EXPLANATIONS & SOLID MATHEMATICAL PROOFS. BY EMPHASIZING LEARNING THROUGH PROBLEM SOLVING, STUDENTS LEARN THE MATERIAL PRIMARILY THROUGH PROBLEM-TYPE ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES THAT SHOW THE MOTIVATION BEHIND THE CONCEPTS, AS WELL AS THEIR CONNECTION TO THE THEOREMS & DEFINITIONS.

INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION - MICHAEL SIPSER 2012-06-27

NOW YOU CAN CLEARLY PRESENT EVEN THE MOST COMPLEX COMPUTATIONAL THEORY TOPICS TO YOUR STUDENTS WITH SIPSER'S DISTINCT, MARKET-LEADING INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION, 3E. THE NUMBER ONE CHOICE FOR TODAY'S COMPUTATIONAL THEORY COURSE, THIS HIGHLY ANTICIPATED REVISION RETAINS THE UNMATCHED CLARITY AND THOROUGH COVERAGE THAT MAKE IT A LEADING TEXT FOR UPPER-LEVEL UNDERGRADUATE AND INTRODUCTORY GRADUATE STUDENTS. THIS EDITION CONTINUES AUTHOR MICHAEL SIPSER'S WELL-KNOWN, APPROACHABLE STYLE WITH TIMELY REVISIONS, ADDITIONAL EXERCISES, AND MORE MEMORABLE EXAMPLES IN KEY AREAS. A NEW FIRST-OF-ITS-KIND THEORETICAL TREATMENT OF DETERMINISTIC CONTEXT-FREE LANGUAGES IS IDEAL FOR A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF PARSING AND LR(k) GRAMMARS. THIS EDITION'S REFINED PRESENTATION ENSURES A TRUSTED ACCURACY AND CLARITY THAT MAKE THE CHALLENGING STUDY OF COMPUTATIONAL THEORY ACCESSIBLE AND INTUITIVE TO STUDENTS WHILE MAINTAINING THE SUBJECT'S RIGOR AND FORMALISM. READERS GAIN A SOLID UNDERSTANDING OF THE FUNDAMENTAL MATHEMATICAL PROPERTIES OF COMPUTER HARDWARE, SOFTWARE, AND APPLICATIONS WITH A BLEND OF PRACTICAL AND PHILOSOPHICAL COVERAGE AND MATHEMATICAL TREATMENTS, INCLUDING ADVANCED THEOREMS AND PROOFS. INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION, 3E'S COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE MAKES THIS AN IDEAL ONGOING REFERENCE TOOL FOR THOSE STUDYING THEORETICAL COMPUTING. IMPORTANT NOTICE: MEDIA CONTENT REFERENCED WITHIN THE PRODUCT DESCRIPTION OR THE PRODUCT TEXT MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN THE EBOOK VERSION.

*AN INTRODUCTION TO FORMAL LANGUAGES AND MACHINE COMPUTATION* - SONG Y. YAN 1998

THIS BOOK PROVIDES A CONCISE AND MODERN INTRODUCTION TO FORMAL LANGUAGES AND MACHINE COMPUTATION, A GROUP OF DISPARATE TOPICS IN THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION, WHICH INCLUDES FORMAL LANGUAGES, AUTOMATA THEORY, TURING MACHINES, COMPUTABILITY, COMPLEXITY, NUMBER-THEORETIC COMPUTATION, PUBLIC-KEY CRYPTOGRAPHY, AND SOME NEW MODELS OF COMPUTATION, SUCH AS QUANTUM AND BIOLOGICAL COMPUTATION. AS THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION IS A SUBJECT BASED ON MATHEMATICS, A THOROUGH INTRODUCTION TO A NUMBER OF RELEVANT MATHEMATICAL TOPICS, INCLUDING MATHEMATICAL LOGIC, SET THEORY, GRAPH THEORY, MODERN ABSTRACT ALGEBRA, AND PARTICULARLY NUMBER THEORY, IS GIVEN IN THE FIRST CHAPTER OF THE BOOK. THE BOOK CAN BE USED EITHER AS A TEXTBOOK FOR AN UNDERGRADUATE COURSE, FOR A FIRST-YEAR GRADUATE COURSE, OR AS A BASIC REFERENCE IN THE FIELD.

**COMPUTABILITY, COMPLEXITY, AND LANGUAGES** - MARTIN

DAVIS 1994-02-03

THIS INTRODUCTORY TEXT COVERS THE KEY AREAS OF COMPUTER SCIENCE, INCLUDING RECURSIVE FUNCTION THEORY, FORMAL LANGUAGES, AND AUTOMATA. ADDITIONS TO THE SECOND EDITION INCLUDE: EXTENDED EXERCISE SETS, WHICH VARY IN DIFFICULTY; EXPANDED SECTION ON RECURSION THEORY; NEW CHAPTERS ON PROGRAM VERIFICATION AND LOGIC PROGRAMMING; UPDATED REFERENCES AND EXAMPLES THROUGHOUT.

COMPUTABILITY AND DECIDABILITY - J. LOECKX 2012-12-06

THE PRESENT LECTURE NOTES EVOLVED FROM A COURSE GIVEN AT THE TECHNISCHE HOGESCHOOL EINDHOVEN AND LATER AT THE TECHNISCHE HOGESCHOOL TWENTE. THEY ARE INTENDED FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE STUDENTS; MORE SPECIFICALLY, THEIR GOAL IS TO INTRODUCE THE NOTIONS OF COMPUTABILITY AND DECIDABILITY, AND TO PREPARE FOR THE STUDY OF AUTOMATA THEORY, FORMAL LANGUAGE THEORY AND THE THEORY OF COMPUTING. EXCEPT FOR A GENERAL MATHEMATICAL BACKGROUND NO PRELIMINARY KNOWLEDGE IS PRESUPPOSED, BUT SOME EXPERIENCE IN PROGRAMMING MAY BE HELPFUL. WHILE CLASSICAL TREATISES ON COMPUTABILITY AND DECIDABILITY ARE ORIENTED TOWARDS THE FOUNDATION OF MATHEMATICS OR MATHEMATICAL LOGIC, THE PRESENT NOTES TRY TO RELATE THE SUBJECT TO COMPUTER SCIENCE. THEREFORE, THE EXPOSE IS BASED ON THE USE OF STRINGS RATHER THAN ON THAT OF NATURAL NUMBERS; THE NOTATIONS ARE SIMILAR TO THOSE IN USE IN AUTOMATA THEORY; IN ADDITION, ACCORDING TO A COMMON USAGE IN FORMAL LANGUAGE THEORY, MOST OF THE PROOFS OF COMPUTABILITY ARE REDUCED TO THE SEMI-FORMAL DESCRIPTION OF A PROCEDURE THE CONSTRUCTIVITY OF WHICH IS APPARENT TO ANYBODY HAVING SOME PROGRAMMING EXPERIENCE. NOTWITHSTANDING THESE FACTS THE SUBJECT IS TREATED WITH MATHEMATICAL RIGOR; A GREAT NUMBER OF INFORMAL COMMENTS ARE INSERTED IN ORDER TO ALLOW A GOOD INTUITIVE UNDERSTANDING. I AM INDEBTED TO ALL THOSE WHO DREW MY ATTENTION TO SOME ERRORS AND AMBIGUITIES IN A PRELIMINARY VERSION OF THESE NOTES. I WANT ALSO TO THANK MISS L.A. KRUKERINK FOR HER DILIGENCE IN TYPING THE MANUSCRIPT.

**AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY** - GANESH GOPALAKRISHNAN 2019-03-04

AUTOMATA AND COMPUTABILITY IS A CLASS-TESTED TEXTBOOK WHICH PROVIDES A COMPREHENSIVE AND ACCESSIBLE INTRODUCTION TO THE THEORY OF AUTOMATA AND COMPUTATION. THE AUTHOR USES ILLUSTRATIONS, ENGAGING EXAMPLES, AND HISTORICAL REMARKS TO MAKE THE MATERIAL INTERESTING AND RELEVANT FOR STUDENTS. IT INCORPORATES MODERN/HANDY IDEAS, SUCH AS DERIVATIVE-BASED PARSING AND A LAMBDA REDUCER SHOWING THE UNIVERSALITY OF LAMBDA CALCULUS. THE BOOK ALSO SHOWS HOW TO SCULPT AUTOMATA BY MAKING THE REGULAR LANGUAGE CONVERSION PIPELINE AVAILABLE THROUGH A SIMPLE COMMAND INTERFACE. A JUPYTER NOTEBOOK WILL ACCOMPANY THE BOOK TO FEATURE CODE, YOUTUBE VIDEOS, AND OTHER SUPPLEMENTS TO ASSIST INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS. FEATURES USES ILLUSTRATIONS, ENGAGING EXAMPLES, AND HISTORICAL

REMARKS TO MAKE THE MATERIAL ACCESSIBLE INCORPORATES MODERN/HANDY IDEAS, SUCH AS DERIVATIVE-BASED PARSING AND A LAMBDA REDUCER SHOWING THE UNIVERSALITY OF LAMBDA CALCULUS SHOWS HOW TO "SCULPT" AUTOMATA BY MAKING THE REGULAR LANGUAGE CONVERSION PIPELINE AVAILABLE THROUGH SIMPLE COMMAND INTERFACE USES A MINI FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING (FP) NOTATION CONSISTING OF LAMBDA, MAPS, FILTERS, AND SET COMPREHENSION (SUPPORTED IN PYTHON) TO CONVEY MATH THROUGH PL CONSTRUCTS THAT ARE SUCCINCT AND RESEMBLE MATH PROVIDES ALL CONCEPTS ARE ENCODED IN A COMPACT FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING CODE THAT WILL TESSELATE WITH LATEX MARKUP AND JUPYTER WIDGETS IN A DOCUMENT THAT WILL ACCOMPANY THE BOOKS. STUDENTS CAN RUN CODE EFFORTLESSLY.

**ALGEBRAIC AND STRUCTURAL AUTOMATA THEORY** - B. MIKOLAJCZAK 1991-01-14

AUTOMATA THEORY IS PART OF COMPUTABILITY THEORY WHICH COVERS PROBLEMS IN COMPUTER SYSTEMS, SOFTWARE, ACTIVITY OF NERVOUS SYSTEMS (NEURAL NETWORKS), AND PROCESSES OF LIVE ORGANISMS DEVELOPMENT. THE RESULT OF OVER TEN YEARS OF RESEARCH, THIS BOOK PRESENTS WORK IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS OF AUTOMATA THEORY: AUTOMATA MORPHISMS, TIME-VARYING AUTOMATA, AUTOMATA REALIZATIONS AND RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN AUTOMATA AND SEMIGROUPS. AIMED AT THOSE WORKING IN DISCRETE MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE, PARTS OF THE BOOK ARE SUITABLE FOR USE IN GRADUATE COURSES IN COMPUTER SCIENCE, ELECTRONICS, TELECOMMUNICATIONS, AND CONTROL ENGINEERING. IT IS ASSUMED THAT THE READER IS FAMILIAR WITH THE BASIC CONCEPTS OF ALGEBRA AND GRAPH THEORY.

INTRODUCTION TO AUTOMATA THEORY, LANGUAGES, AND COMPUTATION - JOHN E. HOPCROFT 2014

THIS CLASSIC BOOK ON FORMAL LANGUAGES, AUTOMATA THEORY, AND COMPUTATIONAL COMPLEXITY HAS BEEN UPDATED TO PRESENT THEORETICAL CONCEPTS IN A CONCISE AND STRAIGHTFORWARD MANNER WITH THE INCREASE OF HANDS-ON, PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS. THIS NEW EDITION COMES WITH GRADIANCE, AN ONLINE ASSESSMENT TOOL DEVELOPED FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE. PLEASE NOTE, GRADIANCE IS NO LONGER AVAILABLE WITH THIS BOOK, AS WE NO LONGER SUPPORT THIS PRODUCT.

**ELEMENTS OF COMPUTATION THEORY** - ARINDAMA SINGH 2009-04-30

THE FOUNDATION OF COMPUTER SCIENCE IS BUILT UPON THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS: WHAT IS AN ALGORITHM? WHAT CAN BE COMPUTED AND WHAT CANNOT BE COMPUTED? WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR A FUNCTION TO BE COMPUTABLE? HOW DOES COMPUTATIONAL POWER DEPEND UPON PROGRAMMING CONSTRUCTS? WHICH ALGORITHMS CAN BE CONSIDERED FEASIBLE? FOR MORE THAN 70 YEARS, COMPUTER SCIENTISTS ARE SEARCHING FOR ANSWERS TO SUCH QU- TIONS. THEIR INGENIOUS TECHNIQUES USED IN ANSWERING THESE QUESTIONS FORM THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION. THEORY OF COMPUTATION DEALS WITH THE MOST FUNDAMENTAL IDEAS OF COMPUTER S- ENCE IN AN ABSTRACT BUT EASILY UNDERSTOOD FORM. THE NOTIONS AND TECHNIQUES EMPLOYED ARE WIDELY SPREAD ACROSS VARIOUS TOPICS AND ARE

FOUND IN ALMOST EVERY BRANCH OF C- PUTER SCIENCE. IT HAS THUS BECOME MORE THAN A NECESSITY TO REVISIT THE FOUNDATION, LEARN THE TECHNIQUES, AND APPLY THEM WITH CON?DENCE. OVERVIEW AND GOALS THIS BOOK IS ABOUT THIS SOLID, BEAUTIFUL, AND PERVASIVE FOUNDATION OF COMPUTER S- ENCE. IT INTRODUCES THE FUNDAMENTAL NOTIONS, MODELS, TECHNIQUES, AND RESULTS THAT FORM THE BASIC PARADIGMS OF COMPUTING. IT GIVES AN INTRODUCTION TO THE CONCEPTS AND MATHEMATICS THAT COMPUTER SCIENTISTS OF OUR DAY USE TO MODEL, TO ARGUE ABOUT, AND TO PREDICT THE BEHAVIOR OF ALGORITHMS AND COMPUTATION. THE TOPICS CHOSEN HERE HAVE SHOWN REMARKABLE PERSISTENCE OVER THE YEARS AND ARE VERY MUCH IN CURRENT USE.

**THEORIES OF COMPUTABILITY** - NICHOLAS PIPPENGER 1997-05-28

A MATHEMATICALLY SOPHISTICATED INTRODUCTION TO TURING'S THEORY, BOOLEAN FUNCTIONS, AUTOMATA, AND FORMAL LANGUAGES.

**THEORY OF COMPUTER SCIENCE** - K. L. P. MISHRA 2006-01-01

THIS THIRD EDITION, IN RESPONSE TO THE ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION GIVEN BY ACADEMIA AND STUDENTS TO THE PREVIOUS EDITION, OFFERS A COHESIVE PRESENTATION OF ALL ASPECTS OF THEORETICAL COMPUTER SCIENCE, NAMELY AUTOMATA, FORMAL LANGUAGES, COMPUTABILITY, AND COMPLEXITY. BESIDES, IT INCLUDES COVERAGE OF MATHEMATICAL PRELIMINARIES. NEW TO THIS EDITION • EXPANDED SECTIONS ON PIGEONHOLE PRINCIPLE AND THE PRINCIPLE OF INDUCTION (BOTH IN CHAPTER 2) • A RIGOROUS PROOF OF KLEENE'S THEOREM (CHAPTER 5) • MAJOR CHANGES IN THE CHAPTER ON TURING MACHINES (TMs) – A NEW SECTION ON HIGH-LEVEL DESCRIPTION OF TMs – TECHNIQUES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF TMs – MULTITAPE TM AND NONDETERMINISTIC TM • A NEW CHAPTER (CHAPTER 10) ON DECIDABILITY AND RECURSIVELY ENUMERABLE LANGUAGES • A NEW CHAPTER (CHAPTER 12) ON COMPLEXITY THEORY AND NP-COMPLETE PROBLEMS • A SECTION ON QUANTUM COMPUTATION IN CHAPTER 12. • KEY FEATURES • OBJECTIVE-TYPE QUESTIONS IN EACH CHAPTER—WITH ANSWERS PROVIDED AT THE END OF THE BOOK. • EIGHTY-THREE ADDITIONAL SOLVED EXAMPLES—ADDED AS SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMPLES IN EACH CHAPTER. • DETAILED SOLUTIONS AT THE END OF THE BOOK TO CHAPTER-END EXERCISES. THE BOOK IS DESIGNED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING AS WELL AS THOSE OF THE STUDENTS OFFERING COURSES IN COMPUTER APPLICATIONS.

*A COURSE IN FORMAL LANGUAGES, AUTOMATA AND GROUPS* - IAN M. CHISWELL 2008-11-14

THIS BOOK IS BASED ON NOTES FOR A MASTER'S COURSE GIVEN AT QUEEN MARY, UNIVERSITY OF LONDON, IN THE 1998/9 SESSION. SUCH COURSES IN LONDON ARE QUITE SHORT, AND THE COURSE CONSISTED ESSENTIALLY OF THE MATERIAL IN THE FIRST THREE CHAPTERS, TOGETHER WITH A TWO-HOUR LECTURE ON CONNECTIONS WITH GROUP THEORY. CHAPTER 5 IS A CONSIDERABLY EXPANDED VERSION OF THIS. FOR THE COURSE, THE MAIN SOURCES WERE THE BOOKS BY

HOPCROFT AND ULLMAN ([20]), BY COHEN ([4]), AND BY EPSTEIN ET AL. ([7]). SOME USE WAS ALSO MADE OF A LATER BOOK BY HOPCROFT AND ULLMAN ([21]). THE ULTIMATE MOTIVE IN THE FIRST THREE CHAPTERS IS TO GIVE A RIGOROUS PROOF THAT VARIOUS NOTIONS OF RECURSIVELY ENUMERABLE LANGUAGE ARE EQUIVALENT. THREE SUCH NOTIONS ARE CONSIDERED. THESE ARE: GENERATED BY A TYPE 0 GRAMMAR, RECOGNISED BY A TURING MACHINE (DETERMINISTIC OR NOT) AND DEFINED BY MEANS OF A GODEL NUMBERING, HAVING DEFINED "RECURSIVELY ENUMERABLE" FOR SETS OF NATURAL NUMBERS. IT IS HOPED THAT THIS HAS BEEN ACHIEVED WITHOUT TOO MANY ARTIFICIAL NOTATIONS USING COMPLICATED NOTATION. THIS IS A PROBLEM WITH THE ENTIRE SUBJECT, AND IT IS IMPORTANT TO UNDERSTAND THE IDEA OF THE PROOF, WHICH IS OFTEN QUITE SIMPLE. TWO PARTICULAR PLACES THAT ARE HEAVY GOING ARE THE PROOF AT THE END OF CHAPTER 1 THAT A LANGUAGE RECOGNISED BY

A TURING MACHINE IS TYPE 0, AND THE PROOF IN CHAPTER 2 THAT A TURING MACHINE COMPUTABLE FUNCTION IS PARTIAL RECURSIVE.

**INTRODUCING THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION - GODDARD 2010-01-01**

INTRODUCING THE THEORY OF COMPUTATION IS THE IDEAL TEXT FOR ANY UNDERGRADUATE, INTRODUCTORY COURSE ON FORMAL LANGUAGES, AUTOMATA, AND COMPUTABILITY. THE AUTHOR PROVIDES A CONCISE, YET COMPLETE INTRODUCTION TO THE IMPORTANT MODELS OF FINITE AUTOMATA, GRAMMARS, AND TURING MACHINES, AS WELL AS UNDECIDABILITY AND THE BASICS OF COMPLEXITY THEORY. NUMEROUS PROBLEMS AND PROGRAMMING EXERCISES, VARYING IN LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY, ROUND OUT EACH CHAPTER AND ALLOW STUDENTS TO TEST THEMSELVES ON KEY TOPICS. ANSWERS TO SELECTED EXERCISES ARE INCLUDED AS AN APPENDIX AND A COMPLETE INSTRUCTOR'S SOLUTIONS MANUAL IS AVAILABLE ON THE TEXT'S WEB SITE.