## **CS 460**

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#### **Course Administration**

- Exercise 1 Redo
- Exercise 2 Preliminary Exercise

#### **Regular Expressions**



- Alphabet the symbols that actually appear in the lexeme
- Special symbols to define the regular expression
  - (): grouping
  - \*: 0 or more occurrences of a pattern
  - +: 1 or more occurrences of a pattern
  - | : indicates alternatives
  - λ : indicates nothing (lambda)



#### **Regular Expression Examples**

- Alphabet = {a,b,c}
- Examples
  - a (b | c) a →
  - a⁺ (b | c) a⁺ -->
  - a (b | c)\* a →
  - abc\*ba →
  - (a|b|c|λ)((ab\*c)|(cb\*a))<sup>+</sup> →

#### **Regular Expression for User Defined Names**



#### A regular expression for unsigned integer numeric literals



# A regular expression for signed integer numeric literals





#### **Deterministic Finite Automata**

- States 5
- Transitions —<sup>a</sup> →
- Start state



• Final state





### **DFAs for Examples**

- a (b | c) a
- a+ (b | c) a+
- a (b | c)\* a
- abc\*ba
- (a|b|c|λ)((ab\*c)|(cb\*a))<sup>+</sup>

#### **Regular Expression for Numeric Literals**

- Regular expression for general class of numeric literals signed/unsigned and integer/real
- Alphabet = {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, -, +, .}
- Regular Expression
- How do you recognize the end of a numeric literal?



#### Things to think about

- What does the g++ compiler do with
  - int i = "Hello"; ?
- What about
  - char c = 'H'; ?
  - char c = 'H'; ?
- What does the g++ compiler do with
  - int i = -000; ?
  - out << i << endl;</pre>

