

**Exercises.**

1.0 Study Lecture 1 in the book

1.1 Consider the set

$$L := \{ \#b_k(0)\#b_k(1)\#b_k(2)\#\dots\#b_k(2^k - 1)\# \mid k \geq 0 \} .$$

Show that  $L$  is not regular.

- 1.2
- a) Define what is to be understood by a *time-bounded* Turing machine.
  - b) Give a one-tape deterministic  $O(n \log n)$ -time-bounded Turing machine accepting a nonregular set.
  - c) Show that any set accepted by a one-tape deterministic TM in time  $o(n \log n)$  is regular.