

Indian Institute of Information Technology Sri City, Chittoor

Theory of Computation – Spring 2024

Mid 2 Examination

Duration: 90 Minutes

Maximum Marks : 60

- It is a closed book exam.
- No electronic devices, books, any kind of material is allowed.

1. Consider the CFG:  $S \rightarrow SbS/a$ . Show that this CFG is ambiguous by giving (a) two parse trees for the string *abababa* (b) also give two leftmost derivations for the string (c) also give two rightmost derivations for the string. Note, you should use proper notation. [10 Marks]
2. Design a PDA by empty stack to accept each of the following languages.

- a.  $\{0^n 1^m 0^n \mid m, n \geq 1\}$   
b.  $\{0^n 1^m 0^n 1^n \mid m, n \geq 1\}$

[10 Marks]

3. Convert the following CFG to Chomsky Normal Form (CNF)

[10 Marks]

$$S \rightarrow aXbX, X \rightarrow aY \mid bY \mid \epsilon, Y \rightarrow X \mid c$$

Do all preprocessing steps (like elimination of unit productions etc)

4. Prove that the given CFG is in CNF, then any string of length  $n$  can be derived using  $2n-1$  steps. [10 Marks]

5. For the given CFG apply CYK algorithm to find whether the strings (i) *baaba* and (ii) *abba* are in the language of the CFG or not

[10 Mark]

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid BC, A \rightarrow BA \mid a, B \rightarrow CC \mid b, C \rightarrow AB \mid a$$

6. Prove that  $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 0\}$  is not a Context Free Language using Pumping Lemma Theorem. [10 Marks]