

Tuesday 12/04/2022

Midterm Exam

Duration: 90 minutes

Name:

Student No:

P1 [25 points]

1. Compute the weakest precondition for each of the following sequences of assignment statements and their postconditions: (5p each)

(a) $a = 2 * b + 1;$ $b < 1$ (5)
 $b = a - 3$ $a < 3$
 $\{b < 0\}$

(b) $a = 3 * (2 * b + a);$ $2b + a > 1$ (5)
 $b = 2 * a - 1$ $a > 3$
 $\{b > 5\}$

2. Write a single regular expression for numbers including integers (5, 0, -3, etc.) and floating numbers (7.2, -0.3, etc.). (5p) $-?([1-9][0-9]^+|0)[. [0-9]^+]? (5)$

3. Do regular expressions $b^+a^+b^+$ and $b^+a^+b^+$ generate the same language? (2p) Justify your answer. (5p)

No. $ba \in b^+a^+b^+$ but $ba \notin b^+a^+b^+$ (3)

4. Do regular expressions $a^+b^+a^+b^+a^+$ and $a^+b^+a^+b^+a^+$ generate the same language? (2p) Justify your answer. (5p)

Yes because if \exists two b series $\Rightarrow a^+b^+a^+b^+a^+ \subseteq \text{both}$
 if \exists one " " $\Rightarrow a^+b^+a^+ \subseteq \text{both, too.}$ (3)

P2 [20 points] Consider the following grammar and find out which of the following strings are in the language generated by this grammar? (Circle correct options.)

$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle A \rangle a \langle B \rangle b$

$\langle A \rangle \rightarrow \langle A \rangle a \mid b$

$\langle B \rangle \rightarrow \langle B \rangle b \mid a$

ababbbab

Yes

No (5)

abab

Yes

No (5)

baba

Yes

No (5)

baaaabb

Yes

No

has to start with b.
 always end with b.

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P3 [30 points] Consider the following grammar:

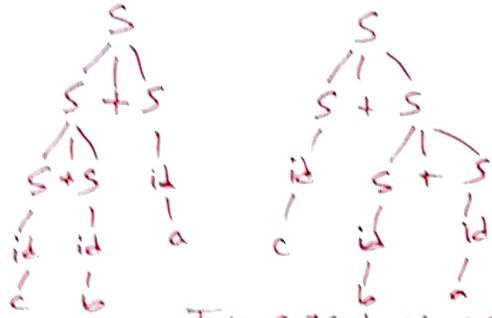
$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle S \rangle + \langle S \rangle \mid \langle id \rangle$

$\langle id \rangle \rightarrow a \mid b \mid c$

a. Write a leftmost derivation for the string $c+b+a$

$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle S \rangle + \langle S \rangle$
 $\rightarrow \langle S \rangle + \langle S \rangle + \langle S \rangle$
 $\rightarrow \langle id \rangle + \langle S \rangle + \langle S \rangle$
 $\rightarrow c + \langle S \rangle + \langle S \rangle$
 $\rightarrow c + \langle id \rangle + \langle S \rangle$
 $\rightarrow c + b + \langle S \rangle$
 $\rightarrow c + b + \langle id \rangle$
 $\rightarrow c + b + a$

b. Prove that the grammar is ambiguous.



Two parse trees possible \Rightarrow ambiguous.

c. Modify this grammar so that it is no longer ambiguous.

$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle S \rangle + \langle id \rangle \mid \langle id \rangle$
 $\langle id \rangle \rightarrow a \mid b \mid c$

P4 [25 points] Consider the grammar and the corresponding LR parsing table from the textbook. Write the trace of a parse of the string $id+(id)$

1. $E \rightarrow E + T$
2. $E \rightarrow T$
3. $T \rightarrow (E)$
4. $T \rightarrow id$

State	Action					GoTo	
	id	+	()	\$	E	T
0	S4		S3			1	2
1		S5			accept		
2	R2	R2	R2	R2	R2		
3	S4		S3			6	2
4	R4	R4	R4	R4	R4		
5	S4		S3				8
6		S5		S7			
7	R3	R3	R3	R3	R3		
8	R1	R1	R1	R1	R1		

Stack	Input	Action	
0	id+(id)\$	S4	2
0 id 4	+(id)\$	R4	2
0 T 2	+(id)\$	R2	2
0 E 1	+(id)\$	S5	2
0 E 1 + 5	(id)\$	S3	2
0 E 1 + 5 (3	id)\$	S4	2
0 E 1 + 5 (3 id 4)\$	R4	2
0 E 1 + 5 (3 T 2)\$	R2	2
0 E 1 + 5 (3 E 6)\$	S7	2
0 E 1 + 5 (3 E 6) 7	\$	R3	2
0 E 1 + 5 T 8	\$	R1	2
0 E 1	\$	accept	2

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