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Section 6.1 #9, #11
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Section 6.1

9. (2pts) Eliminate all λ -productions from

$S \rightarrow AaB \mid aaB,$
 $A \rightarrow \lambda,$
 $B \rightarrow bbA \mid \lambda.$

Answer

$S \rightarrow aB \mid aaB \mid a \mid aa$
 $B \rightarrow bb$

11. (3pts) Eliminate all unit-productions from the grammar in Exercise 7.

From Exercise 7:

$S \rightarrow a \mid aA \mid B \mid C,$
 $A \rightarrow aB \mid \lambda,$
 $B \rightarrow Aa,$
 $C \rightarrow cCD,$
 $D \rightarrow ddd \mid Cd.$

Answer

$S \rightarrow a \mid aA \mid Aa \mid cCD$
 $A \rightarrow aB \mid \lambda$
 $B \rightarrow Aa$
 $C \rightarrow cCD$
 $D \rightarrow ddd \mid Cd$

Section 6.2

4. (5pts) Convert the following grammar to Chomsky Normal Form:

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow baAB, \\ A &\rightarrow bAB \mid \lambda, \\ B &\rightarrow BAa \mid A \mid \lambda. \end{aligned}$$

Answer

Step 1: Remove λ productions.

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow baAB \mid baB \mid baA \mid ba \\ A &\rightarrow bAB \mid bB \mid bA \mid b, \\ B &\rightarrow BAa \mid A \mid Ba \mid Aa \mid a. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2: Remove unit/useless productions

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow baAB \mid baB \mid baA \mid ba \\ A &\rightarrow bAB \mid bB \mid bA \mid b, \\ B &\rightarrow BAa \mid Ba \mid Aa \mid a \mid bAB \mid bB \mid bA \mid b. \end{aligned}$$

Step 3: Add intermediate variables

$$\begin{aligned} T_a &\rightarrow a \\ T_b &\rightarrow b \\ V_1 &\rightarrow T_b T_a \text{ (represents } ba) \\ V_2 &\rightarrow AB \\ V_3 &\rightarrow BA \\ S &\rightarrow V_1 V_2 \mid V_1 B \mid V_1 A \mid T_b T_a \\ A &\rightarrow T_b V_2 \mid T_b B \mid T_b A \mid b, \\ B &\rightarrow V_3 T_a \mid B T_a \mid A T_a \mid a \mid T_b V_2 \mid T_b B \mid T_b A \mid b. \end{aligned}$$

As long as the final answer is correct, it is OK. Results of first 2 steps are not required.