Definition 1 (LRA(G)). Let $G \triangleq (N, T, P, S)$ be a CFG.

- (i) $G' := (N', T', P', S') \triangleq (N \uplus \{S'\}, T \uplus \{\$\}, P \cup \{[S' \to S\$]\}, S').$
- (ii) $V \triangleq N \uplus T$. $V' \triangleq N' \uplus T'$.
- $(iii) \ \beta \xrightarrow[\mathbf{rm}]{P'} \gamma \xleftarrow{\operatorname{def}} (\beta, \gamma) \in \{(\alpha Az, \alpha \omega z) \mid [A \to \omega] \in P', \alpha \in V'^*, z \in T'^*\}.$
- (iv) $L(G') \triangleq \left\{ z \in T^* \mid S' \Longrightarrow_{P'}^* z\$ \right\}. \ L(G) = L(G').$
- (v) $I_{LR(0)} \triangleq \{ [A \to \alpha \cdot \beta] \mid [A \to \alpha \beta] \in P' \}.$
- (vi) $\operatorname{Cl}(q) =_{\mu} q \cup \{[A \to \varepsilon \cdot \omega] \mid [A \to \omega] \in P', [B \to \beta \cdot A\gamma] \in \operatorname{Cl}(q)\} \text{ for } q \in \mathcal{P}(I_{\operatorname{LR}(0)}).$
- (vii) $q_0 := \operatorname{Cl}(\{[S' \to \varepsilon \cdot S\$]\}).$
- (viii) $GOTO(q, X) := Cl(\{[A \to \alpha X \cdot \beta] \mid [A \to \alpha \cdot X\beta] \in q\}) \text{ for } q \in \mathcal{P}(I_{LR(0)}) \text{ and } X \in V'.$
- (ix) $Q \triangleq \operatorname{PT} \setminus \{\emptyset\}$ where $\operatorname{PT} =_{\mu} \{q_0\} \cup \{\operatorname{GOTO}(q, X) \mid q \in \operatorname{PT}, X \in V'\}$.
- (x) $\varepsilon: p \to q \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Longleftrightarrow} p \in Q \land p = q. \ X\alpha: p \to q \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Longleftrightarrow} p \in Q \land \alpha: \text{GOTO}(p, X) \to q.$
- (xi) Config $\triangleq \{(\alpha: p \to q, z) \mid \alpha \in V'^*, p \in Q, q \in Q, z \in T'^*, \alpha: p \to q\}.$
- (xii) $\delta(q, X) := \text{GOTO}(q, X)$ for $q \in Q$ and $X \in V'$.
- (xiii) $\mathbf{reduce}(q,t) := \{ [A \to \omega] \mid [A \to \omega \cdot \varepsilon] \in q \} \text{ for } q \in Q \text{ and } t \in T'.$
- (xiv) Let \vdash be a binary relation on the set Config with two introduction rules:

$$\frac{q'' = \delta(q', t)}{(\alpha : q \to q', tz) \vdash (\alpha t : q \to q'', z)} \text{ Shift } \frac{[A \to \omega] \in \mathbf{reduce}(q', t)}{(\alpha \omega : q \to q', tz) \vdash (\alpha A : q \to q'', tz)} \text{ Reduce}(A \to \omega)$$

- (xv) $q_f := \delta(\delta(q_0, S), \$).$
- (xvi) The language accepted by LRA(G) is defined as

$$L(LRA(G)) := \{ z \in T^* \mid (\varepsilon : q_0 \to q_0, z\$) \vdash^* (S\$: q_0 \to q_f, \varepsilon) \}.$$

Fact 2. It is known that L(G) = L(LRA(G)), where

$$L(G) \triangleq \{ z \in T^* \mid S \Rightarrow_P^* z \}$$

is the language generated by G.

Theorem 3. Define $\mathbf{LA}: \{(q, [A \to \omega]) \mid q \in Q, [A \to \omega \cdot \varepsilon] \in q\} \to \mathcal{P}(T')$ by

$$\mathbf{LA}(q, [A \to \omega]) := \left\{ t \in T' \mid S' \underset{\mathbf{rm}}{\Longrightarrow}^*_{P'} \alpha Atz, \alpha \omega : q_0 \to q, \alpha \in V'^*, z \in T'^* \right\}. \tag{1}$$

Then, overriding **reduce**: $Q \times T' \to \mathcal{P}(P')$ of the LR(0) parser LRA(G) with

$$(q,t) \mapsto \{[A \to \omega] \mid [A \to \omega \cdot \varepsilon] \in q, t \in \mathbf{LA}(q, [A \to \omega])\}$$

yields an LALR(1) parser if there are no conflicts.

Theorem 4. Letting $R! x \triangleq \{y \mid (x,y) \in R\}$, define relations **Read** and **Follow** from the set

$$\{(p,A)\mid p\in Q, A\in N', \delta(p,A)\neq\emptyset\}$$

to the set T' inductively as follows:

$$\frac{\delta(\delta(p,A),t)\neq\emptyset}{t\in\mathbf{Read}\,!\,(p,A)}\;\mathrm{DR}\qquad\qquad \frac{\delta(p,A)=r\quad C\Rightarrow_{P'}^*\varepsilon}{\mathbf{Read}\,!\,(r,C)\subseteq\mathbf{Read}\,!\,(p,A)}\;\mathrm{reads}$$

$$\frac{t \in \mathbf{Read} \,! \, (p,A)}{t \in \mathbf{Follow} \,! \, (p,A)} \,\, \mathrm{Read} \qquad \frac{[B \to \beta \cdot A \gamma] \in p \quad \beta : p' \to p \quad \gamma \Rightarrow_{p'}^* \varepsilon}{\mathbf{Follow} \,! \, (p',B) \subseteq \mathbf{Follow} \,! \, (p,A)} \,\, \mathrm{includes}$$

Then, whenever $q \in Q$ and $[A \to \omega \cdot \varepsilon] \in q$, we can compute $\mathbf{LA}(q, [A \to \omega])$ by

$$\mathbf{LA}(q, [A \to \omega]) = \{ t \in T' \mid p \in Q, \omega : p \to q, \delta(p, A) \neq \emptyset, t \in \mathbf{Follow} \,! \, (p, A) \}. \tag{2}$$