

Proving correctness of constructions

L = set of balanced paranthesis

$$S \rightarrow [S] / SS / \epsilon \quad : G$$

Thm: $L(G) = L$

$$(i) \quad l(w) = r(w)$$

$$(ii) \quad \nexists \text{ prefix } y, \quad l(y) \geq r(y)$$

Proof: (i) $L(G) \subseteq L$

for any $\beta \in (S \cup \{[,]\})^*$ s.t. $S \xrightarrow{*} \beta$
 β satisfies (i) & (ii)

Base case: $S \xrightarrow{o} \beta$. Then $w = S$

and the condition is satisfied

Induction step: $S \xrightarrow{n+1} \beta$

$$\exists \alpha \quad \text{s.t.} \quad S \xrightarrow{n} \alpha \rightarrow \beta$$

Induction
Hypothesis

α satisfies (i) & (ii)

$$\alpha = \alpha_1 S \alpha_2 \rightarrow \beta$$

$$(i) \quad \alpha_1 S \alpha_2 \rightarrow \alpha_1 \alpha_2 \quad (\text{deleted } S - \text{does not contain } [\text{ or }])$$

$$(ii) \quad \alpha_1 S \alpha_2 \rightarrow \alpha_1 SS \alpha_2 \quad (\text{added } SS - \text{does not contain } [\text{ or }])$$

$$(iii) \quad \alpha_1 S \alpha_2 \rightarrow \alpha_1 [S] \alpha_2 \quad (\text{try out all prefixes})$$

(ii) $L \subseteq L(G)$: induction on the length of $w \in L$

Base case: $w = \varepsilon \quad S \rightarrow \varepsilon$

Induction step $w = w_1 w_2 \dots w_{n+1}$

find the smallest j s.t. $w = xy$, $x = w_1 \dots w_j$
satisfies (i) & (ii)

* $j \neq n+1 \Rightarrow y$ satisfies (i) & (ii)

$$- \#1(x) + \#1(y) = \#0(x) + \#0(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \#1(y) = \#0(y)$$

- for a prefix z of y

$$\#1(x) + \#1(z) \geq \#0(x) + \#0(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow \#1(z) \geq \#0(z)$$

By I.H. $S \xrightarrow{*} x$, $S \xrightarrow{*} y$

$$\Rightarrow S \rightarrow SS \xrightarrow{*} xS \xrightarrow{*} xy$$

* $j = n+1 \Rightarrow w = [x]$ & $x \in L$

$$S \rightarrow [S] \xrightarrow{*} [x] \quad (\text{why?})$$

Regular languages are context-free

If L is regular, then \exists CFG G such that

$$L(G) = L$$

Let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \delta, q_0, F)$ be the DFA such that

$$L(M) = L$$

Constructing the grammar G :

N = correspond to the states of M

S = correspond to q_0

$$N = \{S_i \mid q_i \in Q\} \quad S = S_0$$

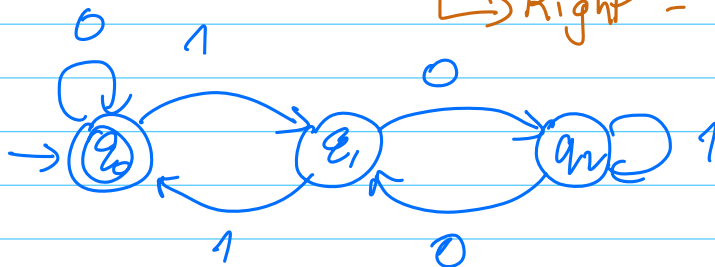
if $\delta(q_i, \sigma) = q_j$ add a production rule

$$S_i \rightarrow \sigma S_j$$

For each $q_i \in F$, add $S_i \rightarrow \epsilon$

\hookrightarrow Right-linear grammar

Eg:



$$S_0 \rightarrow 0S_0 \mid 1S_1 \mid \epsilon$$

$$S_1 \rightarrow 0S_2 \mid 1S_0$$

$$S_2 \rightarrow 0S_1 \mid 1S_2$$

Proof: (i) $L(M) \subseteq L(G)$

* If $\hat{\delta}(q_i, w) = q_j$ then $S_i \xrightarrow{*} w S_j$

Base case: $\hat{\delta}(q_i, \epsilon) = q_i$ $S_i \xrightarrow{\epsilon} S_i$

$\hat{\delta}(q_i, \sigma) = q_j$, then \exists production
 $S_i \rightarrow \sigma S_j$

Induction step: $\hat{\delta}(q_i, w\sigma) = \hat{\delta}(\hat{\delta}(q_i, w), \sigma)$
 $= \hat{\delta}(q_j, \sigma)$

I. H. $S_i \xrightarrow{*} w S_i \rightarrow w\sigma S_j$

(ii) $L(G) \subseteq L(M)$

* If $S_i \xrightarrow{*} w S_j$ then $\hat{\delta}(q_i, w) = q_j$

Induction on the length of the derivation