

- **Theorem:** PCP is undecidable.
  - From any TM  $M$  and input  $w$ , we can construct an instance  $P$  where a match is an accepting of  $M$  on  $w$ .
  - Dominos  $P'$ : (1)  $\left[\frac{\#}{\#q_0w_1\dots w_n\#}\right]$ ; (2)  $\left[\frac{qa}{br}\right]$  if  $\delta(q, a) = (r, b, R)$ ; (3)  $\left[\frac{cqa}{rcb}\right]$  if  $\delta(q, a) = (r, b, L)$ ; (4)  $\left[\frac{a}{a}\right]$  for every  $a \in \Gamma$ ; (5)  $\left[\frac{\#}{\#}\right]$  and  $\left[\frac{\#}{\sqcup\#}\right]$ ; (6)  $\left[\frac{aq_{\text{accept}}}{q_{\text{accept}}}\right]$  and  $\left[\frac{q_{\text{accept}}a}{q_{\text{accept}}}\right]$  for every  $a \in \Gamma$ ; (7)  $\left[\frac{q_{\text{accept}}\#\#}{\#}\right]$ .
  - Define  $*u$ ,  $u*$ , and  $*u*$  to be the three strings: (1)  $*u = *u1\dots *u_n$ ; (2)  $u* = u1\dots *u_n$ ; (3)  $*u* = *u1\dots *u_n*$ .
  - Dominos  $P'$ :  $\left[\frac{t_1}{b_1}\right] = \left[\frac{\#}{\#q_0w_1\dots w_n\#}\right], \dots, \left[\frac{t_k}{b_k}\right]$ .
  - Dominos  $P$ :  $\left[\frac{*t_1}{*b_1*}\right], \left[\frac{*t_1}{b_1*}\right], \dots, \left[\frac{*t_k}{b_k*}\right], \left[\frac{*@}{@}\right]$ .
- **Theorem:** CFL-Intersection is undecidable. (Intuition:  $\text{PCP} \leq_T \text{CFL-Intersection}$ )
  - Let a decider for CFL-Intersection be  $H$ : On input  $(G_1, G_2)$ : Accept if  $L(G_1) \cap L(G_2) \neq \emptyset$ . Reject if  $L(G_1) \cap L(G_2) = \emptyset$ .
  - Define  $G'_1((u_1, v_1), \dots, (u_n, v_n))$ : Let  $\Sigma$  be the set of alphabets used in  $((u_1, v_1), \dots, (u_n, v_n))$ .  $L(G'_1) = \{w\#w^R \mid w \in \Sigma^*\}$ .
  - Define  $G'_2((u_1, v_1), \dots, (u_n, v_n))$ :  $S \rightarrow u_i S v_i^R \mid \#$  for  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .
  - Construct a decider  $D$ : On input  $((u_1, v_1), \dots, (u_n, v_n))$ : Construct  $G'_1((u_1, v_1), \dots, (u_n, v_n))$  and  $G'_2((u_1, v_1), \dots, (u_n, v_n))$ . Run  $H$  on  $(G'_1, G'_2)$ . Accept if  $H$  accepts  $(G'_1, G'_2)$ . Reject if  $H$  rejects  $(G'_1, G'_2)$ .
  - If  $H$  decides CFL-Intersection, then  $D$  decides PCP. PCP is undecidable, so CFL-Intersection is undecidable.
- **Theorem:** CFL-Universality ( $\text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$ ) is undecidable. (Intuition:  $A_{\text{TM}} \leq_T \text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$ )
  - Let a decider for  $\text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$  be  $H$ : On input  $[G]$ : Accept if  $L(G) = \Sigma^*$ . Reject if  $L(G) \neq \Sigma^*$ .
  - Define  $G'(M, w)$ :  $L(G') = \{C_0\#C_1\#\dots\#C_n\}$  which satisfies any one of the following:
    - $C_0$  is not the initial configuration.
    - $C_n$  is not an accepting configuration.
    - There exists  $0 \leq i < n$  such that  $C_i \vdash C_{i+1}$  does not obey the transition functions for  $M$ .
  - Construct a decider  $D$ : On input  $(M, w)$ : Construct  $G'(M, w)$ . Run  $H$  on  $[G']$ . Accept if  $H$  rejects  $[G']$ . Reject if  $H$  accepts  $[G']$ .
  - If  $H$  decides  $\text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$ , then  $D$  decides  $A_{\text{TM}}$ .  $A_{\text{TM}}$  is undecidable, so  $\text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$  is undecidable.
- **Theorem:** CFL-Subset is undecidable.
  - Let a decider for CFL-Subset be  $H$ : On input  $(G_1, G_2)$ : Accept if  $L(G_1) \subseteq L(G_2)$ . Reject if  $L(G_1) \not\subseteq L(G_2)$ .
  - Construct a decider  $D$ : On input  $[G]$ : Run  $H$  on  $(G'_1, G)$  where  $L(G'_1) = \Sigma^*$ . Accept if  $H$  accepts  $(G'_1, G)$ . Reject if  $H$  rejects  $(G'_1, G)$ .
  - If  $H$  decides CFL-Subset, then  $D$  decides  $\text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$ .  $\text{ALL}_{\text{CFG}}$  is undecidable, so CFL-Subset is undecidable.