

CS-303

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Que 1:

- (a) $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$, $L = \{w \mid w \text{ contains an even number of 0's or } w \text{ contains exactly two 1's}\}$

Ans:

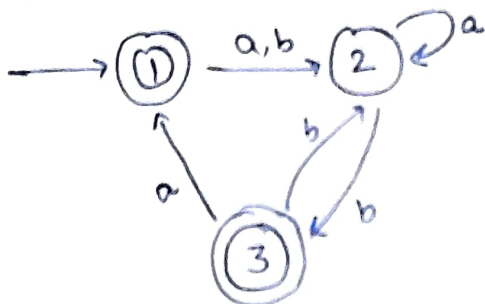
$$1^*(01^*01^*) + (0^*10^*10^*)$$

- (b) $L = \{\epsilon, 0\}$

Ans:

$$0 + \epsilon$$

- (c)



Language generated by DFA

Ans:

Here we have two accepting states: $\{1, 3\}$, therefore we need to reach either of them starting from 1.

Now, we will make RE $r_{1,3}$ to reach state 3 starting from state 1.

$$\therefore r_{1,3} = (a+b)(a^*(b^*)^*)^*b$$

to move to
state 2 from state 1

to move to state 3 from state 2

We can reach state 1 again ~~from~~ by making a cycle via

$$RE (r_{1,3} \cdot a)$$

So, if ^{we} want to finally end up at state 1, we can do that by $r_{13} \cdot a + 1 \rightarrow$ by not moving anywhere.

\therefore

Ans: -

$$r = (r_{13}a)^* (1 + r_{13}), \text{ where}$$

$$r_{13} = (a+b)(a^*(bb)^*)^* b$$

(d) $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$, $L = \{w \mid w \text{ has an odd number of } a's \text{ and ends with } ab\}$

Ans:

$$b^* (ab^* ab^*)^* ab$$

(e) $L = \{w \mid w \text{ is any string except } 11 \text{ and } 111\}$, $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$

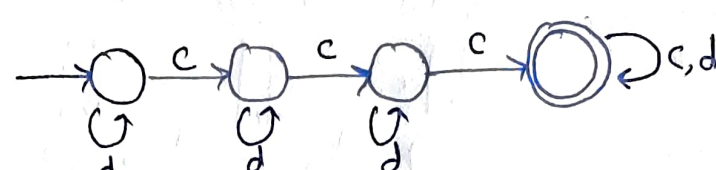
Ans:

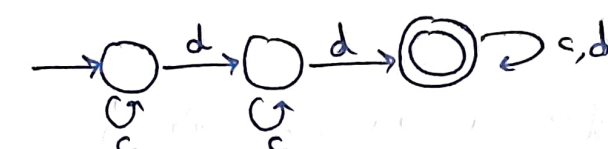
$$(\Sigma^+ 1) + (0 + 10 + 110 + 1110 + 1111) (0 + 1)^*$$

Que 2:-

Give DFA for the following language in $\Sigma\{c, d\}^*$

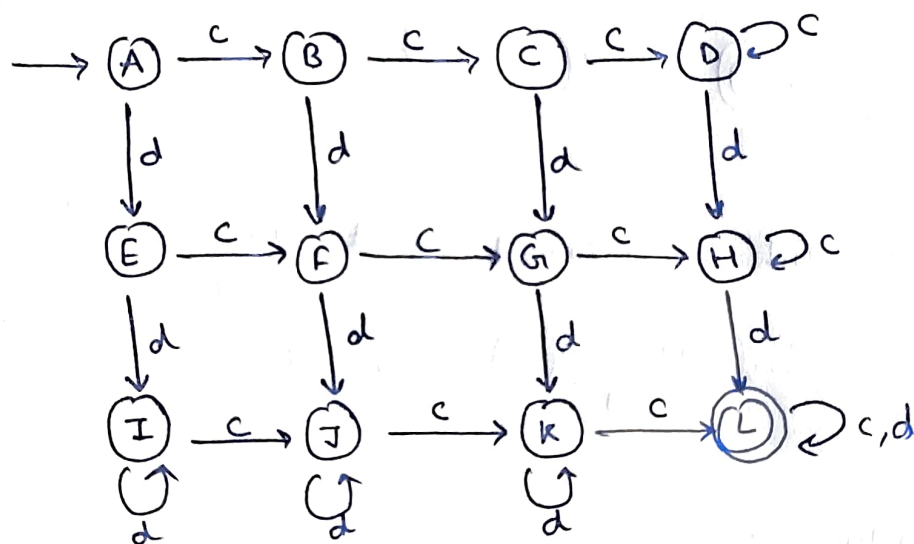
(a) $\{w \mid w \text{ has at least three } c's \text{ and at least two } d's\}$

Ans: DFA for at least 3 c's 

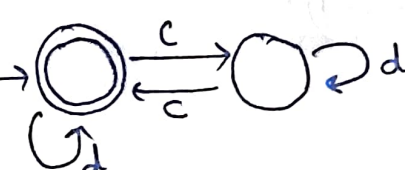
DFA for at least 2 d's 

On taking intersection

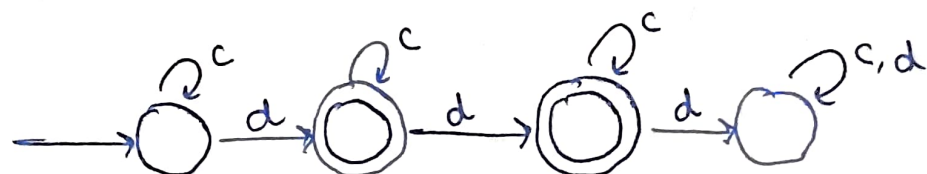
DFA \Rightarrow



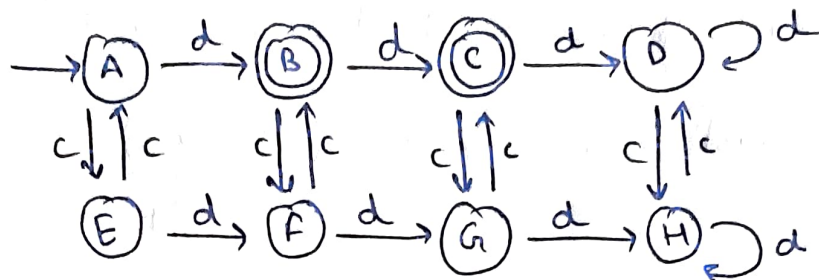
(b) $\{w \mid w \text{ has even no. of } c's \text{ and one or two } d's\}$

Ans: DFA for even c's 

DFA for one or two d

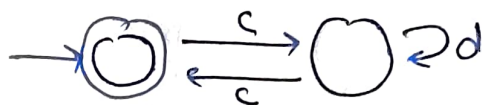


Intersection \Rightarrow

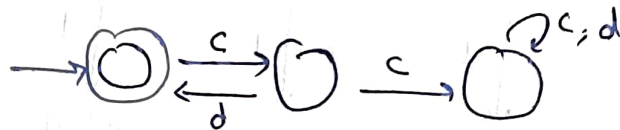


- (c) $\{w \mid w \text{ has an even no. of } c\text{'s and each } c \text{ is followed by at least one } d.\}$

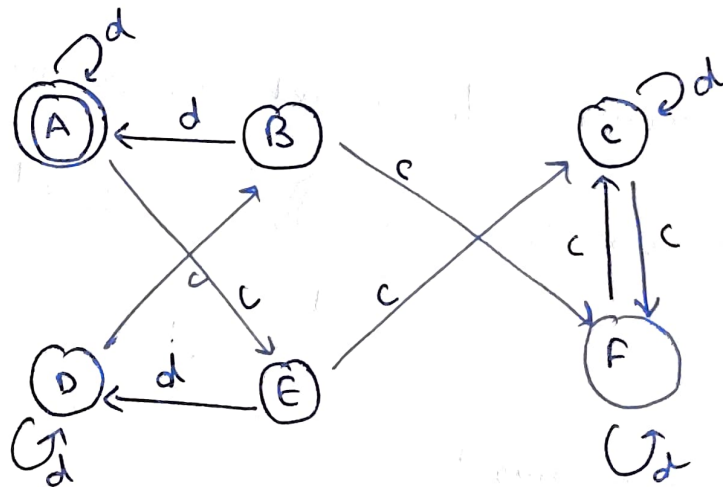
DFA for even c 's



DFA for each c followed by at least one d

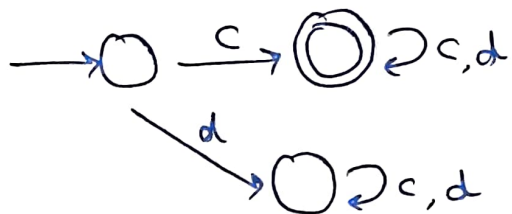


Intersection \Rightarrow

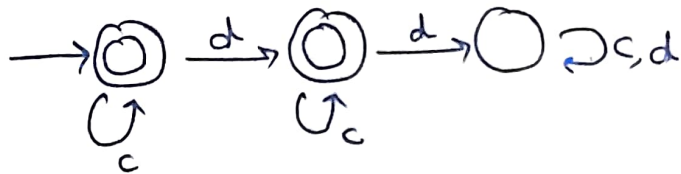


(d) $\{w \mid w \text{ start with an } c \text{ and has at most one } d\}$

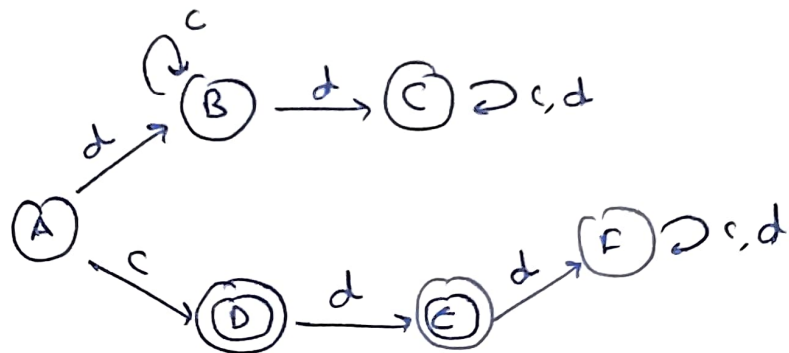
DFA for start with c.



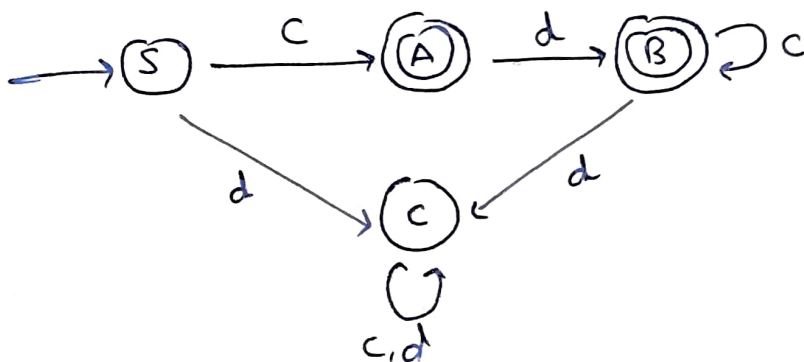
DFA for at most one d.



Intersection:



Reduced:



Que 3:

For any language A over Σ , consider the language of strings obtained by deleting a single character from any string in A .

$$\text{Delete}(A) = \{xz \mid x, z \in \Sigma^* \text{ and } xy \in A \text{ for some } y \in \Sigma\}$$

Show that if A is regular, then $\text{Delete}(A)$ is regular.

Ans:

Let A be regular language and D a DFA that recognizes it.

Now, we will construct an NFA N that recognizes $\text{Delete}(A)$ (let it be $P(N)$)

Now the basic idea of our NFA N is to have a second set of states, because they are matching to DFA, D .

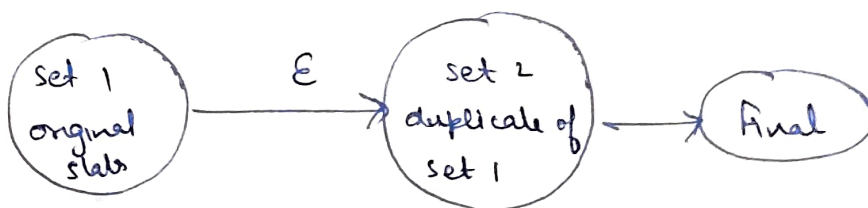
Here also it has an option to choose a λ transition, effectively guessing as to what the deleted characters might while there will be no λ transition in second set of states indicating that one character has already been deleted.

$$\text{Let } D = (Q, \Sigma, S, q_0, F)$$

$$N = (Q \cup Q', \Sigma, S', q_0, F')$$

$$\text{here, } Q' = \{q' \mid \text{where } \forall q \in Q \ (q)' = q'\}$$

$$F' = \{q' \mid \text{where } \forall q \in F \ (q)' = q'\}$$



Schematic view of NFA

→ S' is given by $S'(q, c) = \{S(q, c)\}$

$$S'(q', c) = (S(q, c))'$$

$$S(q, \epsilon) = \{(S(q, a))' \mid a \in \Sigma\}$$

$$S'(q', \epsilon) = p$$

Now all we have to do is that prove $P(N) = \text{delete}(A)$.

(i) $P(N) \subseteq \text{Delete}(A)$

Let $s \in P(N)$, then by definition we know that, $s = s_1 s_2 s_3 \dots s_n$ where $s_i \in \Sigma_\epsilon$ and we have $t_0 \dots t_n$, where $t_0 = q_0 = \text{start state of DFA, } D$ and $t_n \in F'$ and each $t_{i+1} \in S^1(t_i, s_{i+1})$.

Now, $t_n \in F' \subseteq Q'$, we will choose the smallest k such that $t_k \in Q'$. Thus $t_i \in Q' \forall i \geq k$.

Since there is no transition from set Q' to set Q .

The following inferences can be deduced.

a) $s_i \neq \epsilon$ for $i > k$, since no $S^1(t_j, s_{j+1})$ can be empty of $0 \leq j < n$

b) $s_i \neq \epsilon$ for $i < k$ (minimality of k) $\therefore t_{k-1} \in Q$ & $t_k \in Q'$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{s_k = \epsilon}$$

For some $q_{k-1} \in S'(q_{k-1}, \varepsilon)$, keeping in mind S' , there must be some $a \in \Sigma$ such that $S(q_{k-1}, a) = q_k$. Further we have $t_{i+1} \in S'(t_i, s_i) = \{S(t_i, s_i)\}$ and thus $t_{i+1} = S(t_i, s_i)$ for $0 \leq i < k-1$. // by for $i \geq k$, we have $t_i \in Q'$. say $(t_i) = (t_i)'$ and then $t_{i+1} = S(t_i, s_{i+1})$.

Let,

$s' = s_0 \dots s_{k+1} a s_k \dots s_n \in \Sigma^*$ and consider to

$t_0 \dots t_{k+1} t_k \dots t_n$. We have every $t_i \in Q$, $t_0 = q_0$, $t_n \in F$ and

$$S(t_i, s_{i+1}) = t_{i+1} \quad 0 \leq i < k-1$$

$$S(t_{k-1}, a) = t_k$$

$$S(t_i, s_{i+1}) = t_{i+1} \quad k \leq i < n$$

By the definition, D accepts s' , so $s' \in L$. Further we have

$s \in \text{Delete}(A)$ with $s = xyz$, $x = s_0 s_1 \dots s_{k-1}$, $y = a$,

$z = s_{k+1} \dots s_n$.

$\Rightarrow N$ accepts only strings in $\text{Delete}(A)$

$$L(N) \supseteq \text{Delete}(A)$$

Let $s \in \text{Delete}(A)$ and let x, y, z be such that $x, z \in \Sigma^*$ and $y \in \Sigma$ and $xz = s$ and $s' = xyz \in A$. Then D accepts xyz , So we have $s' = s'_0 \dots s'_n$ and a sequence of states $t_0 \dots t_n$ where $t_i \in F$ and $S(t_i, s'_{i+1}) = t_{i+1}$ for $0 \leq i < n$.

Let $k = |a|$, so (s_k would be y) and $s = s'_0 \dots s'_{k-1} \in s'_{k+1} \dots s'_n$.

and let $q_0 \dots q_n = t_0 \dots t_{k-1} t'_k t'_{k+1} \dots t'_n$. We have

q_0 = start state of Q and $q_n \in F'$ so q_n = final state of F' .

Now, for each $0 \leq i < k-1$, $q_{i+1} = t_{i+1} \in \{t_{i+1}\} = S'(t_i, s_i)$

for $i = k-1$

$$q_{i+1} = t'_k \in \{S(t_i, a)' \mid a \in \Sigma\} = S'(t_i, \epsilon) = S'(q_i, s_{i+1})$$

Now since,

$$S(t_i, y) = t_k$$

and for $i \leq k-1$

$$q_{i+1} = t'_{i+1} \in \{t'_{i+1}\} = S'(t'_i, s_i) = S'(q_i, s_i)$$

Thus by definition, N accepts s .

$\Rightarrow N$ accepts every string of $\text{Delete}(A)$.

Hence $\text{Delete}(A)$ is regular if A is regular

Hence Proved.

Que 4:-

(a) Consider the language of all binary strings with twice as many 0's and 1's. Give a CFG and a PDA for the language.

Ans:

Considering the CFG

$G = (V, T, S, P) \Rightarrow$ It will generate the required language.

$\Rightarrow G = \{ \underbrace{\{0,1\}}_{\text{Terminals}}, \underbrace{\{0,1\}}_{\text{Terminals}}, \underbrace{\{S\}}_{\text{Start Symbol}}, \underbrace{P}_{\text{Production Rules}} \}$

$P =$ Production Rules, which are defined as.

$$S \rightarrow SS$$

$$S \rightarrow 1500$$

$$S \rightarrow 00S1$$

$$S \rightarrow 0S1S0$$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon$$

$$\text{or } S \rightarrow SS | 1500 | 00S1 | 0S1S0 | \epsilon$$

Now, every rule of the above CFG produces string with twice as many 0's as 1's. Therefore this is the required CFG.

PROOF

→ In our language empty string is valid which can be derived by $S \rightarrow \epsilon$

→ Defining a function $\text{func}(\text{string}) = \text{no. of zeros} - (2 \times \text{no. of ones})$
i.e. $\text{func}(\text{string}) = \text{no. of zeros} - 2 \times \text{no. of ones (in that string)}$

So,

for all the strings in our language $\text{func}(\text{string}) = 0$.

PROVING BY INDUCTION

→ Assuming that for all the strings $|s| < n$ can be produced for some $n > 0$

→ Let $|s| = n$ be any string present in our language.

(i) If s can be written as a combination of 2 strings $s = ab$ such that $\text{func}(a) = 0$, then $\text{func}(b) = 0$ because $\text{func}(a) + \text{func}(b) = 0$ as s belongs in our language. Thus the strings can be derived using $\boxed{S \rightarrow SS}$.

(ii) Considering all possible proper non-trivial prefixes p of string s such that $\text{func}(p) > 0$, then they must begin with 00 .

Since $\text{func}(s) = 0$ and score of $\text{func}(s_1, s_2 \dots s_{n-1})$ is negative if $s_n = 0$, where $(n = \text{length of } s)$ thus s_n must be 1.

Therefore this string could be written as $00s'1$ and can be generated using $\boxed{S \rightarrow 00S1}$.

(iii) Also, if we consider proper non trivial suffixes p of s such that $\text{func}(p) < 0$, then these types can be made by $S \rightarrow 1500$.

(iv) Considering some i such that $\text{func}(s_1 s_2 \dots s_i) > 0$ and $\text{func}(s_1 s_2 \dots s_{i+1}) \leq 0$ and no nontrivial prefix a exists such that $\text{func}(a) = 0$, then the following three inferences can be made.

1) $s_{i+1} = 1$

2) $\text{func}(s_1 s_2 \dots s_i) = 1$

3) string s start with 0

||ly. for string $(s_{i+2} s_{i+3} \dots s_n)$

$$\begin{aligned} 1) \text{func}(s_{i+2} s_{i+3} \dots s_n) &= \text{func}(w) - \text{func}(s_{i+1}) - \text{func}(s_1 s_2 \dots s_i) \\ &= 0 - (-2) - 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

2) string $s_{i+2} s_{i+3} \dots s_n$ must end in 0.

Therefore; $s_1 s_2 \dots s_i = s_{i+2} s_{i+3} \dots s_{n-1} = 0$. Such strings can be easily derived using. $S \rightarrow 0S1S0$

\Rightarrow Our CFG covers all the types of strings in our language and hence it is valid and therefore it is the required CFG.

$$PDA \Rightarrow M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z, f)$$

$$M = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4, q_5\}, \{0, 1\}, \{0, 1, z\}, \delta, q_0, z, q_0)$$

$$\delta \Rightarrow \delta(q_0, 1, 1) = (q_1, z)$$

$$\delta(q_1, 1, z) = (q_0, 1)$$

$$\delta(q_1, 0, 1) = (q_2, 0)$$

$$\delta(q_1, 1, 1) = (q_5, 0)$$

$$\delta(q_2, 1, z) = (q_1, z)$$

$$\delta(q_2, 0, 1) = (q_2, 0)$$

$$\delta(q_2, 1, 0) = (q_4, 1)$$

$$\delta(q_3, 1, z) = (q_1, z)$$

$$\delta(q_3, 0, 0) = (q_3, 1)$$

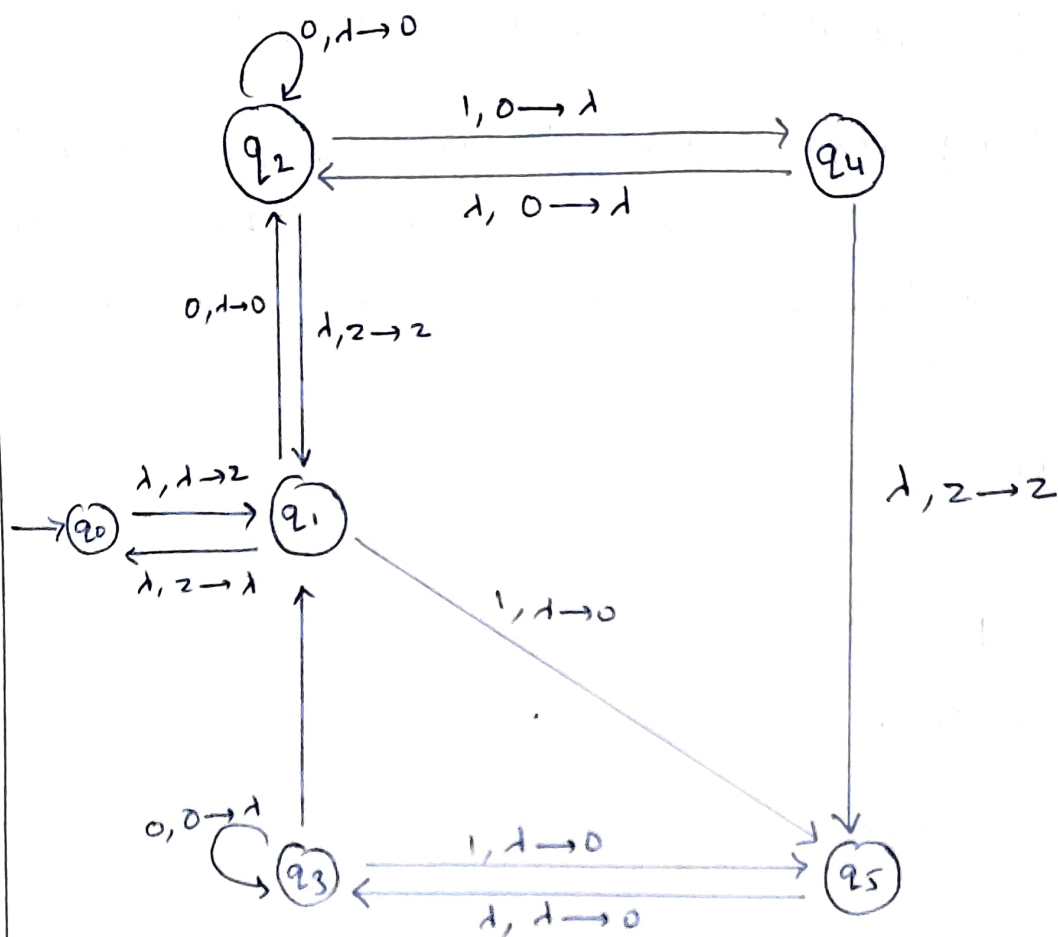
$$\delta(q_3, 1, 1) = (q_5, 0)$$

$$\delta(q_4, 1, 0) = (q_2, 1)$$

$$\delta(q_4, 1, z) = (q_5, z)$$

$$\delta(q_5, 1, 1) = (q_3, 0)$$

Required PDA



The above PDA accepts a string if it reaches q_0 with an empty stack or with the start symbol z at q_1 .

- (b) Prove that the following language is context free.
 $L = \{s_1 s_2 \dots s_n t_1 t_2 \dots t_n \mid s_i \in L_1, t_i \in L_2, n \in \mathbb{N}\}$
 L_1, L_2 are context free languages.

Ans: Assuming the grammar of $L_1 = \{V_1, T, S_1, P_1\}$ and
 the grammar of $L_2 = \{V_2, T, S_2, P_2\}$

Considering a CFG given by $\{V, T, S, P\}$

$$V = V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \{S\}$$

$$T = T_1 \cup T_2$$

$S \rightarrow$ new start state

$$P = P_1 \cup P_2 \cup \{S \rightarrow S_1 S_2 \mid \epsilon\}$$

In this there is one new rule that is introduced that is

$$S \rightarrow S_1 S S_2 \mid \epsilon$$

└ S_2 derives a string in L_2
└ S_1 derives a string in L_1

- Due to the structure the order S_1 and then S_2 is maintained in any subsequent productions.
- Since this is the only source of production in $S_1 S S_2$ then the no. of strings from each languages are also equal to some $n \in \mathbb{N}$
- This rule will either give an empty string ϵ or $S_1 S S_2$.
Therefore the strings produced by the CFG are exactly those contained in the given language.
- As $(S \rightarrow S_1 S S_2 \mid \epsilon)$ is correct and ~~full~~ rules for S_1 and S_2 are already context free it follows ~~that~~ all the rules of CFG

└ This is also a CFG

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