CPSC-354 Report

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Abstract

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2.1 Week 1

2.1.1 MU Puzzle

It is impossible to solve the MU puzzle. The only way to change the amount of I's is to double them with rule 2, or subtract 3 with rule 3. In order to get rid of all the I's you would have to have them in groups

of 3. A power of x is divisible by 3 only if x is a multiple of 3, because the prime factorization of a number must include the prime number 3 for the number to be divisible by 3. So, you would have to get an original group divisible by 3, which is impossible.

2.2 Week 2

2.2.1 Rewriting

1. A={}
Empty ARS
Terminating: Yes
Confluent: Yes
Has Unique Normal Forms: Yes

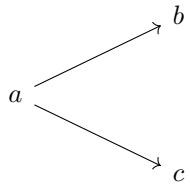
2. A={a} and R={}

Terminating: Yes
Confluent: Yes
Has Unique Normal Forms: Yes

3. A={a} and R={(a,a)}

Terminating: No
Confluent: Yes
Has Unique Normal Forms: No

4. A={a,b,c} and R={(a,b),(a,c)}

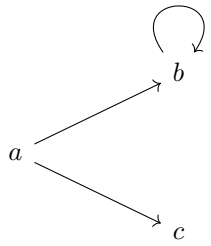


Terminating: Yes
Confluent: No
Has Unique Normal Forms: No

5. A={a,b} and R={(a,a),(a,b)}

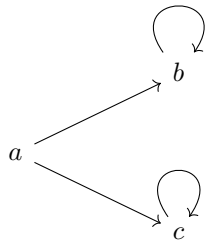
Terminating: No
Confluent: Yes
Has Unique Normal Forms: Yes

6. A={a,b,c} and R={(a,b),(b,b),(a,c)}



Terminating: No
Confluent: No
Has Unique Normal Forms: No

7. A={a,b,c} and R={(a,b),(b,b),(a,c),(c,c)}



Terminating: No
Confluent: No
Has Unique Normal Forms: No

confluent	terminating	has unique normal forms	example
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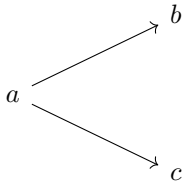
False	True	False	
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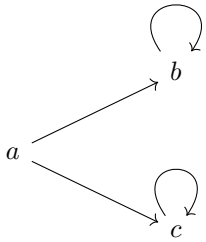
False	False	False	

2.3 Week 3

2.3.1 Homework

Exercise 5

ab → ba
ba → ab
aa →
b →

abba → aba → aa →
bababa → ababa → aaba → aaa → a

The ARS isn't terminating because it has the loop ab → ba, ba → ab.

In the above example, abba → , bababa → a, which makes them non-equivalent. There are infinitely many non-equivalent strings, because all strings with an even number of a's are only equivalent to each other, and all strings with an odd number of a's are only equivalent to each other.

There are 2 equivalence classes, all strings with an odd number of a's that have normal form a, and all strings with an even number of a's that have normal form of an empty string.

By getting rid of the first 2 rules, the ARS is terminating, with the same equivalence classes. There is no longer a loop, and you can still get rid of the same letters.

How would you have to modify the ARS so that there is only one equivalence class?

Exercise 5b

ab → ba
ba → ab
aa → a
b →

abba → aba → aa → a
bababa → ababa → aaba → aaa → aa → a

The ARS isn't terminating because it has the loop ab → ba, ba → ab.

bbb and aba are not equivalent. There are infinitely many non-equivalent strings, any string that has all b's is not equivalent to any string that has at least one a in it.

There are 2 equivalence classes, all strings that have no a's have the normal form of an empty string. All strings that have at least one a have the normal form a.

By getting rid of the first 2 rules, the ARS is terminating, with the same equivalence classes. There is no longer a loop, and you can still get rid of the same letters.

What would happen if aa → a was changed to aaa → a?

2.4 Week 4

2.4.1 Homework

4.1

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while b != 0:
    temp = b
    b = a mod b
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    a = temp
return a
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This algorithm always terminates under the condition that $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$.

We can define this ARS as: $A = (a, b)|a, b \in \mathbb{N}$, with transition, (a, b) $\rightarrow$ (b, a mod b).

A measure function is: $\phi(a, b) = b$.

Since a $\rightarrow$ b every iteration, if b is decreasing, so is a. In the transition, b $\rightarrow$ a mod b, a mod b will always be less than b, so, $\phi(a, b) > \phi$(b, a mod b). Since this algorithm has a measure function, it terminates.

4.2

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function merge_sort(arr, left, right):
    if left >= right:
        return
    mid = (left + right) / 2
    merge_sort(arr, left, mid)
    merge_sort(arr, mid+1, right)
    merge(arr, left, mid, right)
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Prove that $\phi(left, right) = right - left + 1$ is a measure function.

For recursive calls, $left \leq mid < right$.

For the left side recursive call:
merge sort(arr, left, mid) = mid - left + 1
right > mid, so, right - left + 1 > mid - left + 1
$\phi(left, right) > \phi(left, mid)$
This call terminates

For the right side recursive call:
merge sort(arr, mid + 1, right) = right - (mid + 1) + 1
$mid \geq left$, so, mid + 1 > left
right - left + 1 > right - (mid + 1) + 1
$\phi(left, right) > \phi(mid + 1, right)$
This call terminates

Since both calls terminate, $\phi(left, right) = right - left + 1$ is a measure function for merge sort.

2.5 Week 5

2.5.1 Homework

(λf.λx.f(f(x))) (λf.λx.(f(f(f x))))

alpha rule:
(λg.λy.g(g(y))) (λf.λx.(f(f(f x))))

beta rule:
(λy.(λf.λx.(f(f(f x)))) ((λf.λx.(f(f(f x))))(y)))

beta rule:
(λy.(λf.λx.(f(f(f x)))) (λx.(y(y(y x)))))

alpha rule:
(λy.(λf.λz.(f(f(f z)))) (λx.(y(y(y x)))))

beta rule:
(λy.(λz.((λx.(y(y(y x))))((λx.(y(y(y x))))((λx.(y(y(y x))))z)))))

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beta rule:
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2.6 Week 6

2.6.1 Homework

let rec fact = λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1) in fact 3

-> <def of let rec>
let fact = (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) in fact 3

-> <def of let>
(λfact. fact 3) (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)))

-> <beta rule: substitute fix F>
(fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) 3

-> <def of fix>
((λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)) (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)))) 3

-> <beta rule: substitute fix F>
(λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) (n-1)) 3

-> <beta rule: substitute 3>
if 3=0 then 1 else 3 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) (3-1)

-> <def of if>
3 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) 2

-> <def of fix>
3 * ((λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)) (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)))) 2

-> <beta rule>
3 * (λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) (n-1)) 2

-> <beta rule>
3 * (if 2=0 then 1 else 2 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) (2-1))

-> <def of if>
3 * (2 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) 1)

-> <def of fix>
3 * (2 * ((λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)) (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)))) 1)

-> <beta rule>
3 * (2 * (λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)))(n-1)) 1)

-> <beta rule>
3 * (2 * (if 1=0 then 1 else 1 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)))(1-1)))

-> <def of if>
3 * (2 * (1 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) 0))

-> <def of fix>
3 * (2 * (1 * ((λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1)) (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))))
0))

-> <beta rule>
3 * (2 * (1 * (λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) (n-1)) 0))

-> <beta rule>
3 * (2 * (1 * (if 0=0 then 1 else 0 * (fix (λfact. λn. if n=0 then 1 else n * fact (n-1))) (0-1))))

-> <def of if>
3 * (2 * (1 * (1)))

-> <multiplication>
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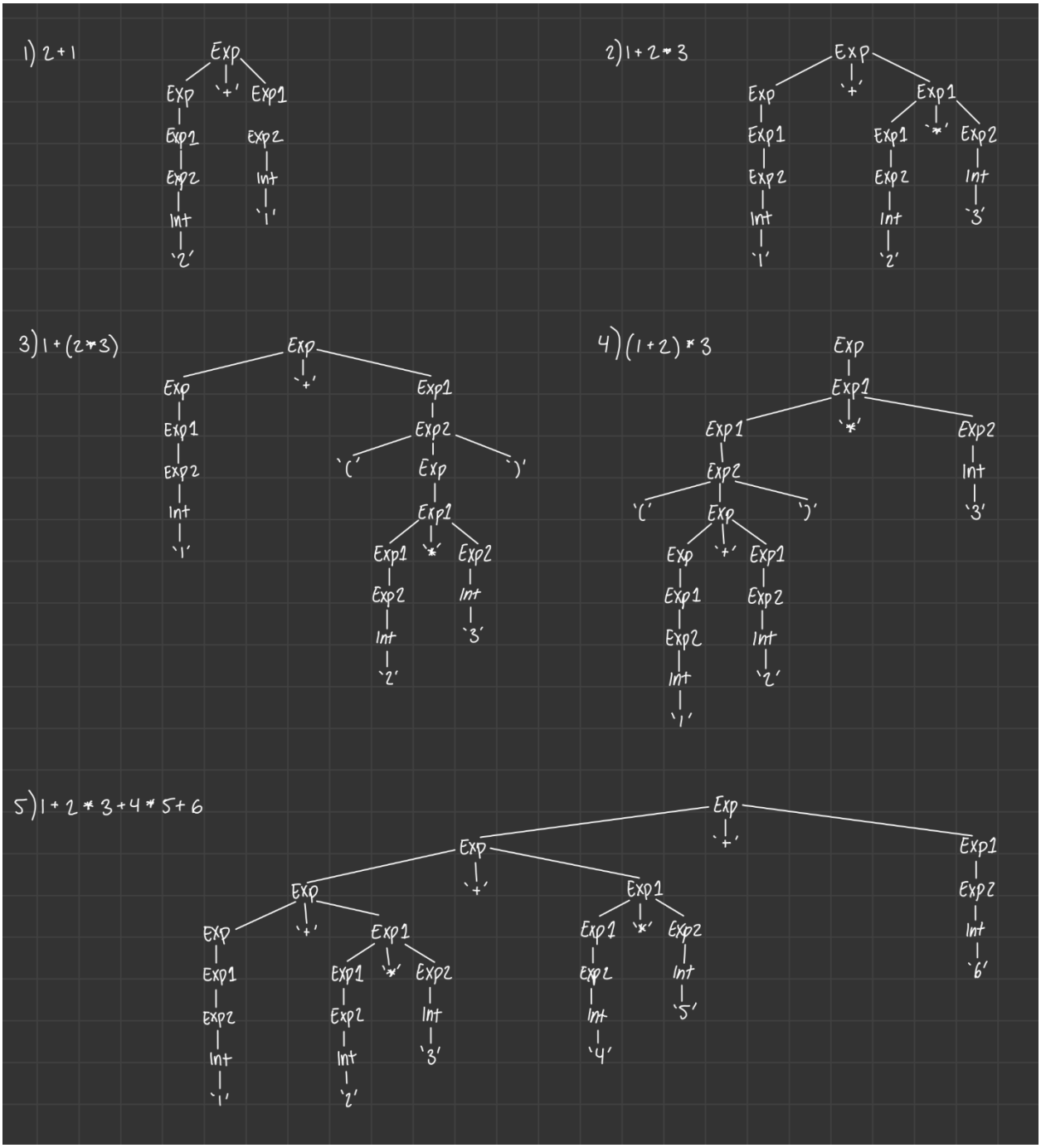
2.7 Week 7

2.7.1 Homework



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