

Ma2201/CS2022 Quiz 0110

Foundations of C.S.

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1. (4 pts) Write a regular grammar for the set of all strings on $\{a, b, c\}$ which either contain c^2 or are of even length.

2. (6 pts) Consider the grammar given by

$$\begin{array}{cccc} G:S & \rightarrow & BABCB \mid BCBAB \mid \lambda \\ & A & \rightarrow & a \mid \lambda \\ & B & \rightarrow & BABCB \mid BCBAB \mid \lambda \end{array}.$$

$$C & \rightarrow & b \mid c$$

a) Prove by induction on the number of rules applied that all sentential forms w satisfy $n_b(w) + n_c(w) + n_c(w) \geq n_a(w) + n_A(w)$.

b) What does this allow us to conclude about L(G)?