

## Formal Language Selected Homework Chapter 6.2

5. Convert the grammar

$$S \rightarrow AB|aB,$$

$$A \rightarrow aab|\lambda,$$

$$B \rightarrow bbA$$

into Chomsky normal form.

12. Convert the grammar

$$S \rightarrow ab|aS|aaS$$

into Greibach normal form.

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5. First we must eliminate  $\lambda$ -productions. This gives

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid B \mid aB,$$

$$A \rightarrow aab,$$

$$B \rightarrow bbA \mid bb.$$

This has introduced a unit-production, which is not acceptable in the construction of Theorem 6.6. Removal of this unit-production is easy.

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid bbA \mid aB \mid bb,$$

$$A \rightarrow aab,$$

$$B \rightarrow bbA \mid bb.$$

We can now apply the construction and get

$$S \rightarrow AB | V_b V_b A | V_a B | V_b V_b,$$

$$A \rightarrow V_a V_a V_b,$$

$$B \rightarrow V_b V_b A | V_b V_b,$$

and

$$S \rightarrow AB | V_c A | V_a B | V_b V_b,$$

$$A \rightarrow V_d V_b,$$

$$B \rightarrow V_c A | V_b V_b,$$

$$V_c \rightarrow V_b V_b,$$

$$V_d \rightarrow V_a V_b,$$

$$V_a \rightarrow a,$$

$$V_b \rightarrow b.$$

So!

12. Solutions:  $S \rightarrow aV_b |aS| aV_aS$ ,  $V_a \rightarrow a$ ,  $V_b \rightarrow b$ .