Q1 (Sol): Pumping Lemma for Context Free Language?

$$L = \{ a^{2^k} k \ge 0 \}$$

U	Λ	a^{2^p-p}	a^n	a^{2^p-p-n}
V	a^r	a^r	a^s	a^n
W	a^s	a^s	a^t	a^s
X	a^t	a^t	a^r	a^t
Y	a^{2^p-p}	Λ	a^{2^p-p-n}	a^r

4 Marks

Note: p = r + s + t

Selecting
$$i=2$$

$$= (a^{r})^{2}a^{s} (a^{t})^{2} a^{2^{p-p}}$$

$$= a^{2^{p}} a^{r+t}$$

$$= a^{2^{p}} a^{r+t} \le a^{2^{p}} a^{p} \le a^{2^{p}} a^{2^{p}} \le a^{2^{p+1}}$$
2 Marks

4 Marks

As new string does not belongs to Language hence Language does not belongs to CFL.

