

## Mock Exam

Compiler, 2022, Term 2

1. Consider the context-free grammar:

$S \rightarrow SS + \mid SS^* \mid a$

and the string  $aa + a^*$ .

1. Give a leftmost derivation for the string.

**S =leftmost**

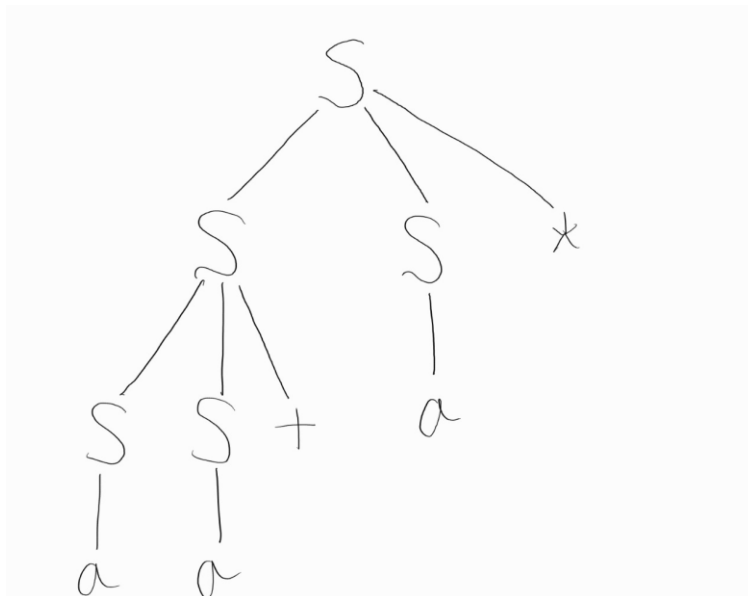
$\Rightarrow SS^* \Rightarrow SS+S^* \Rightarrow aS+S^* \Rightarrow aa+S^* \Rightarrow aa+a^*$

2. Give a right most derivation for the string.

**S =rightmost**

$\Rightarrow SS^* \Rightarrow Sa^* \Rightarrow SS+a^* \Rightarrow Sa+a^* \Rightarrow aa+a^*$

3. Give a parse tree for the string.



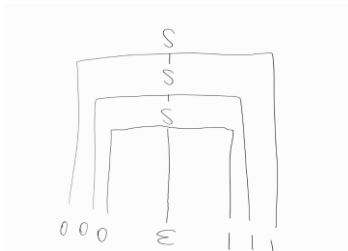
2. Repeat 1 above for each of the following grammars and strings

1.  $S \rightarrow 0S1 \mid 01$  with string 000111.

- $S = \text{leftmost} \Rightarrow 0S1 \Rightarrow 00S11 \Rightarrow 000111$

- $S = \text{rightmost} \Rightarrow 0S1 \Rightarrow 00S11 \Rightarrow 000111$

- **Parse tree**

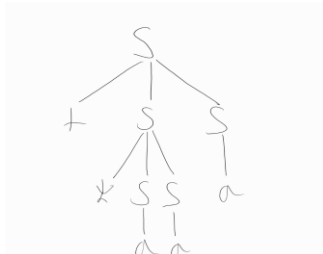


2.  $S \rightarrow + S S \mid * S S \mid a$  with string  $+^*aaa$ .

- $S = \text{leftmost} \Rightarrow +SS \Rightarrow +*SSS \Rightarrow +*aSS \Rightarrow +*aaS \Rightarrow +*aaa$

- **S =rightmost=> +SS => +Sa => +\*SSa => +\*Saa => +\*aaa**

- **Parse tree**



3. Answer 1,2,3, & 5

1. The set of all strings of 0s and 1s such that every 0 is immediately followed by at least one 1.
2. ! The set of all strings of 0s and 1s that are palindromes; that is, the string reads the same backward as forward.
3. ! The set of all strings of 0s and 1s with an equal number of 0s and 1s.
4. !! The set of all strings of 0s and 1s with an unequal number of 0s and 1s.
5. ! The set of all strings of 0s and 1s in which 011 does not appear as a substring.
6. !! The set of all strings of 0s and 1s of the form  $xy$ , where  $|x| > |y|$  and  $x$  and  $y$  are of the same length

1.  $S \rightarrow (0?1)^*$

2.  $S \rightarrow 0S0 \mid 1S1 \mid 0 \mid 1 \mid \epsilon$

3.  $S \rightarrow 0S1S \mid 1S0S \mid \epsilon$

5.  $S \rightarrow 1^*(0+1?)^*$

4. There is an extended grammar notation in common use. In this notation, square and curly braces in production bodies are metasympols (like  $\rightarrow$  or  $|$ ) with the following meanings:
1. Square braces around a grammar symbol or symbols denotes that these constructs are optional. Thus, production  $A \rightarrow X[Y]Z$  has the same effect as the two productions  $A \rightarrow XYZ$  and  $A \rightarrow XZ$ .
  2. Curly braces around a grammar symbol or symbols says that these symbols may be repeated any number of times, including zero times. Thus,  $A \rightarrow X\{YZ\}$  has the same effect as the infinite sequence of productions  $A \rightarrow X$ ,  $A \rightarrow XYZ$ ,  $A \rightarrow XYZYZ$ , and so on.

Show that these two extensions do not add power to grammars; that is, any language that can be generated by a grammar with these extensions can be generated by a grammar without the extensions.

Extended grammar	Not extended grammar
$A \rightarrow X[Y]Z$	$A \rightarrow XZ \mid XYZ$
$A \rightarrow X\{YZ\}$	$A \rightarrow XB$ $B \rightarrow YZB \mid \epsilon$

5. Use the braces described in Exercise 4.2.4 to simplify the following grammar for statement blocks and conditional statements:

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stmt -> if expr then stmt else stmt
      | if stmt then stmt
      | begin stmtList end
stmtList -> stmt; stmtList | stmt
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stmt -> if expr then stmt [else stmt]
      | begin stmtList end
stmtList -> stmt [; stmtList]
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