

Module 3. Context free Grammar

• CFG is a formal grammar which is used to generate all possible patterns of strings in a given formal language.

$$G = \{ V, T, P, S \}$$

It consists of set of production rules

$S \rightarrow A B$
 Non-terminal combination of variables & Terminal

N is the final set of non-terminal symbol. It is denoted by capital letter.

e.g:-

$$\text{e.g:- } A = \{ s, a, b, p, S \}$$

$s \rightarrow$ starting symbol

$a, b \rightarrow$ terminals represented by small characters

$p \rightarrow$ variable along with s .

Uses: for defining programming languages.

Q:- construct the CFG for language having any number of a 's over the set $\Sigma = \{ a \}$.

→ As we know the regular expression for the above lang. is

$$R.E = a^*$$

Production rule for R.E is:

$$S \rightarrow aS \quad \text{rule 1}$$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon \quad \text{rule 2}$$

Here, $S \rightarrow aS$

$$S = \epsilon$$

$$S \rightarrow aS$$

$$aS$$

rule 1

$$aaS$$

rule 2

$$aaaS$$

rule 3

$$aaaaS$$

rule 4

aaaaas - rule 1

aaaaaae - rule 2

aaaaaa.

- Q: Construct CFG for language $L = \{wcc^8\}$ where $w \in \{a, b\}^*$

→ The string that can be generated for the give language is $\{aaaaca, bcd, abcab, bacab, abbcbb\}$

The grammar could be

$$S \rightarrow aSa \quad \text{rule 1}$$

$$S \rightarrow bsb \quad \text{rule 2}$$

$$S \rightarrow C \quad \text{rule 3}$$

Q: $\begin{array}{l} S \xrightarrow{a} aSa \\ S \xrightarrow{b} bsb \\ S \xrightarrow{C} C \end{array}$

* abbcbb

$$S \rightarrow aSa \quad \text{rule 1}$$

$$abbsa \quad \text{rule 2}$$

$$abbssba \quad \text{rule 2}$$

$$abbcbb \quad \text{rule 3}$$

- Q: Construct CFG for language $L = a^n b^{2n}$ where $n \geq 1$

→ $L = \{abb, aabb, aaabb, aaabb, \dots\}$

The grammar could be:

$$S \rightarrow asbb$$

$$S \rightarrow abb$$

Now if we want to derive a string "aabbbb", we can start with

$$S \rightarrow asbb$$

$$S \rightarrow aabb$$

$$S \rightarrow aaabb$$

* Derivation :- sequences of production rules

- Q: Derive the string "abbb" for leftmost derivation & rightmost derivation

$$S \rightarrow AB \quad \text{rule 1}$$

$$A \rightarrow aB$$

$$B \rightarrow sb$$

→ S0Pⁿ :-

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$\alpha S \rightarrow AB$ RD

rule 2 $a' B B$

-II-3 $a \downarrow b B$

-II-1 $a e \downarrow b B$

-II-3 $a b \downarrow B$

-II-1 $a b s \downarrow b$

$\alpha b \cdot e \downarrow b$

$\alpha b b$

A S $\rightarrow A B$

A S b 3 rule

A E b 1 -II-

A b

a B b 2 -II-

a S' b b 3 -II-

a E b b 1 -II-

abb

- Q: Derive the string "00101" for leftmost derivation and rightmost derivation using a CFG given by

$$S \rightarrow AIB$$

$$A \rightarrow OA | \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow OB | IB | \epsilon$$

→ LD

S

$$A' B$$

$$OA' B$$

$$OOA' B$$

$$OOI' B$$

$$OOI O B$$

$$OOI O I B$$

$$OOI O I$$

RD

S

$$A' B$$

$$AOI B$$

$$AOI O I$$

$$AOI O I B$$

$$AOI O I$$

$$AOI O I$$

$$OOI O I$$

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* Derivation tree

- Parse tree properties
- 1. The root node is always a node indicating start symbol.
- 2. The derivation is read from left to right.
- 3. The leaf node is always terminal nodes.
- 4. The interior nodes are always the non-terminal nodes.

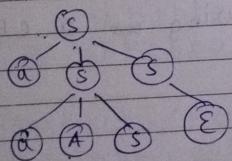
Root vertex : Must be labelled by S.

Left Most DT

obtained by applying production to the leftmost variable in each step.

Right Most DT

e.g:-



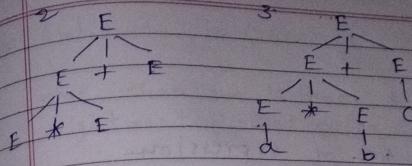
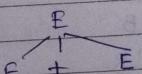
① Production rules:-

$$\begin{aligned} F &= F + E \\ &= F * E \end{aligned}$$

$$F = a \mid b \mid c$$

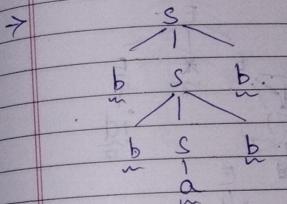
Input is
 $a * b + c$

step 1:



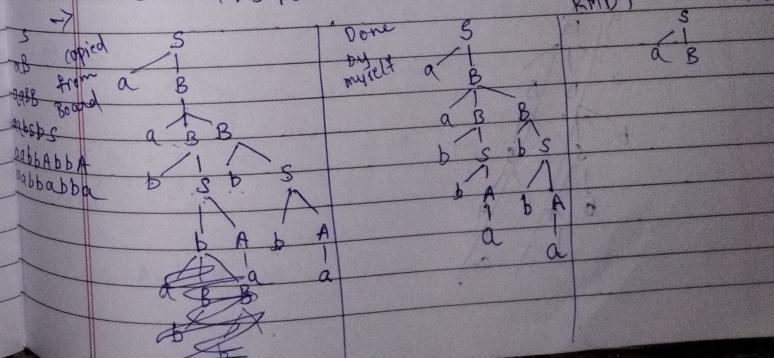
- ② Draw a derivation tree for string "bbabb" from the CFG given by

$$S \rightarrow bSb \mid a \mid b$$



∴ bbabb

③ aabbabba ...
 $S \rightarrow aB \mid bA$
 $A \rightarrow a \mid ab \mid bAA$
 $B \rightarrow b \mid bS \mid aBB$

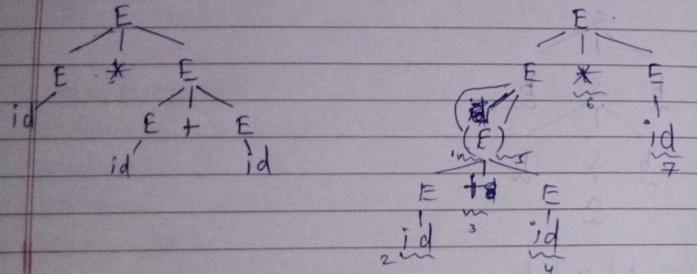


$$\begin{aligned} ④ \quad E &= E + E \\ E &= E * E \\ E &= (E) \\ E &= id \end{aligned}$$

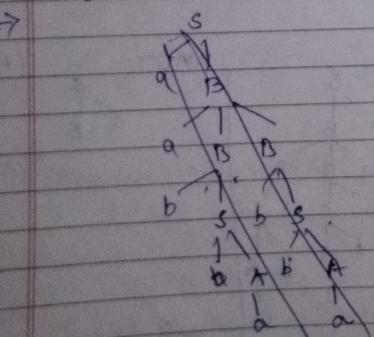
obtain derivation tree of expression.

- a. $id * id + id$
- b. $(id + id) * id$

$$\rightarrow id * id + id$$



$$\begin{aligned} ⑤ \quad S &\rightarrow AB | \epsilon \\ A &\rightarrow aB \\ B &\rightarrow sb \end{aligned}$$



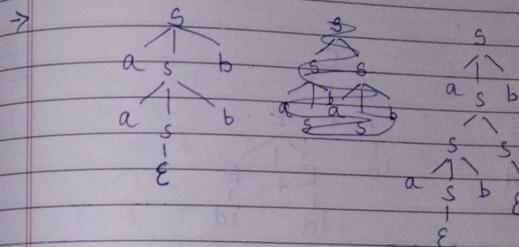
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* Ambiguity in Grammar.

more than one leftmost derivation or more than one rightmost derivation or more than one parse tree.

$$\begin{aligned} ① \quad F &= + \\ F &= - \\ F &= * \\ F &= / \\ F &= E \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S &= aSb | ss \\ S &\rightarrow C \\ (aa)bb &. \end{aligned}$$

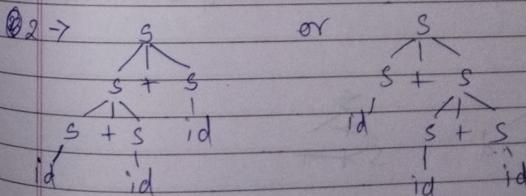


Since there are 2 trees \therefore It is ambiguous.

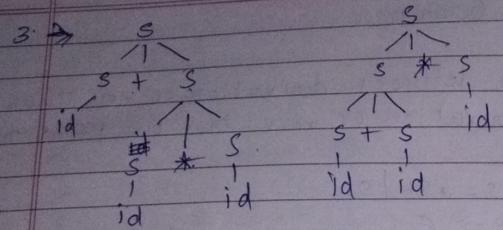
$$② \quad S \rightarrow S + S, S \rightarrow id, I/p = 'id + id + id'$$

$$③ \quad S \rightarrow S + S, S \rightarrow S * S, S \rightarrow id, I/p = 'id + id * id'$$

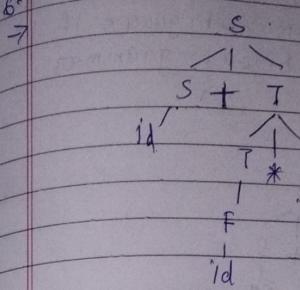
$$④ \quad E \rightarrow E + E / id \quad I/p = 'id + id + id'$$



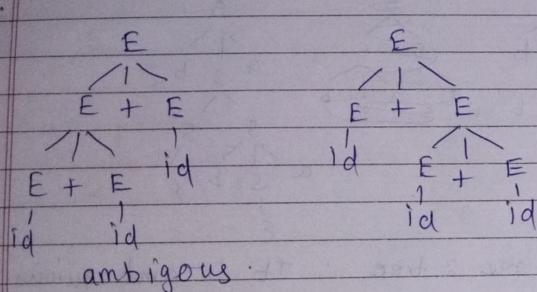
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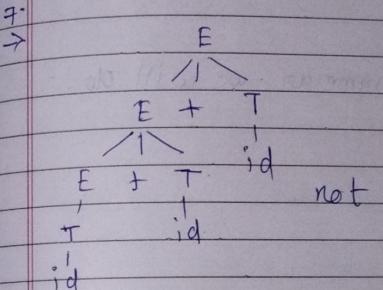
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not.



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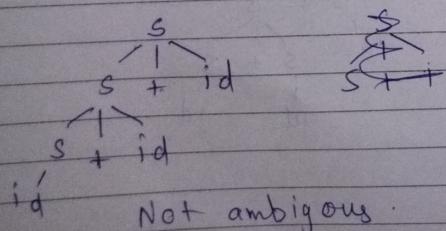
not.

- * convert ambiguous to non-ambiguous
- 1. eg :- $X \rightarrow Xa$
- 2. eg :- $X \rightarrow aX$

⑤ $S \rightarrow S + id, S \rightarrow id, I/p \rightarrow 'id + id + id'$.

⑥ $S \rightarrow S + T, S \rightarrow T, T \rightarrow T * F, T \rightarrow F, F \rightarrow id$
 $I/p = 'id + id * id'$

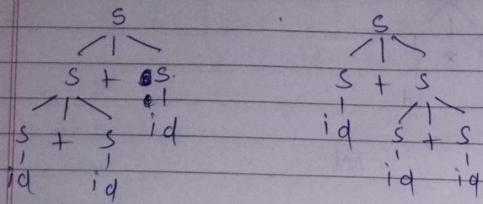
⑦ $E \rightarrow E + T, E \rightarrow T, T \rightarrow id, I/p = 'id + id + id'$.



Not ambiguous.

- Q. Consider a Grammar $s \rightarrow ss$, $s \rightarrow id$, $I/p = 'id+id+id'$. Determine whether grammar is ambiguous if it is ambiguous construct unambiguous grammar.

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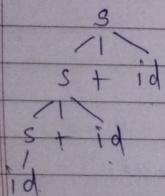


It is ambiguous.

For unambiguous grammar we will do:-

$$S \rightarrow S + id$$

$$S \rightarrow id$$

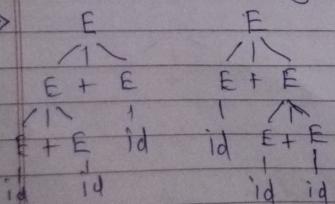


- Q. check if ambiguous or not - If ambiguous make it as unambiguous.

④

$$E \rightarrow E + E \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} I/p = 'id+id+id' \\ E \rightarrow id \end{array} \right.$$

→



ambiguous.

To make ambiguous :-

$$E \rightarrow E + T$$

$$E \rightarrow T$$

$$T \rightarrow id$$

* Chomsky Hierarchy.

It represents the class of language that are accepted by the diff. machine. The category of language in CH is as given :-

Type 0 Known as Unrestricted Grammar.

→ 1-1 → 1- Context Sensitive ~ 1-1

→ 1-2 → 1- Free → 1-

→ 1-3 Regular grammar.

- Type 0 :- There is no restriction on grammar
for eg

$$b A a \rightarrow aa$$

$$S \rightarrow s$$

Type 1 :- $S \rightarrow AT$	Grammar	Language	Automata
T $\rightarrow xy$	Type	Accepted	Accepted
A $\rightarrow a$			
Type-0 Unrestricted Grammar	Recursively Enumerable	Turing Machine	

- Type 2 :-
eg :- $A \rightarrow a$

- Type 3 :- $A \rightarrow xy$

Type-1 context sensitive grammar	Context sensitive language	Linear bounded automata
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Type-2 context free grammar	Context free language	Pushdown automata
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Type-3 Regular Grammar	Regular Language	Finite state automata
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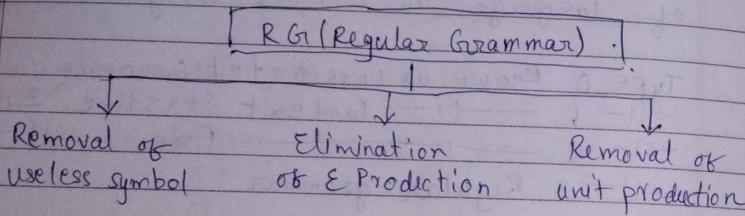
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* Simplification of CFG

1. each variable (i.e non-terminal) & each terminal of G appears in the derivation of some word in L.
2. There should not be any production as $x \rightarrow Y$ where X and Y are non-terminal.
3. If ϵ is not in lang.



(1) Removal of useless symbol

If it does not appear on the right hand side of Prod. rule

for eg:-

$$T \rightarrow aaB \mid abA \mid aaT$$

$$A \rightarrow aA$$

$$B \rightarrow ab \mid b$$

C \rightarrow ad (useless symbol) (becoz it is not in right side of T)

aA is also useless becoz there is no way to terminate it. If it never terminates, then it can never produce a string. Hence this prod. can never take part in any derivation we can not replace A with small letter. we need to replace all capital letters.

$$T \rightarrow aaB \mid aaT \quad \leftarrow \text{final}$$

$$B \rightarrow ab \mid b$$

(2) Elimination of ϵ Production

1. First Find out all nullable non-terminal variable which derives ϵ .
2. for each prod. $A \rightarrow a$, construct all production $A \rightarrow x$, where x is obtained from a by removing one or more non-terminal from step 1.

eg:- Remove the prod. from the foll. CFG by preserving the meaning of it.

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow X Y X \\ X &\rightarrow O X \mid \epsilon \Rightarrow X \rightarrow OX \Rightarrow X \rightarrow OX \\ Y &\rightarrow Y Y \mid \epsilon \quad X \rightarrow \epsilon \quad X \rightarrow \epsilon \\ &\quad Y \rightarrow YY \\ &\quad Y \rightarrow \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

(2) Removing unit production :-

To remove $X \rightarrow Y$, add production $X \rightarrow a$ to the grammar rule whenever $Y \rightarrow a$ occurs ~~in grammar~~

2. Now delete $X \rightarrow Y$ from the grammar

3. repeat step 1 & step 3 until all unit production are removed

eg:-

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow 0A \mid 1B \mid C \\ A &\rightarrow 0S \mid 00 \\ B &\rightarrow 1A \\ C &\rightarrow 01 \end{aligned}$$

* we can write:

$$\begin{array}{llll} S \rightarrow 0A & A \rightarrow 0S & B \rightarrow 1 & C \rightarrow 01 \\ S \rightarrow 1B & A \rightarrow 00 & B \rightarrow A & \\ S \rightarrow C & & & \end{array}$$

.. New production rule

$$S \rightarrow 0A12B101$$

$$A \rightarrow 0S100$$

$$B \rightarrow 0S10011$$

$$C \rightarrow 01$$

* Chomsky's Normal Form (CNF).
CFG is in CNF if all prod. rules satisfy one of
the foll. cond'n:

- start symbol generating ϵ .
For eg, $A \rightarrow \epsilon$
- A non-terminal generating two non-terminals.
For eg, $S \rightarrow AB$
- A non-terminal generating a terminal
For eg, $S \rightarrow a$.

① $G1 = \{ S \rightarrow AB, S \rightarrow c, A \rightarrow a, B \rightarrow b \}$

$G1$ satisfies the rules specified for CNF, so
the grammar $G1$ is in CNF.

② $G2 = \{ S \rightarrow aA, A \rightarrow a, B \rightarrow c \}$

CNF as $S \rightarrow aA$ contains terminal followed by
non-terminal.

∴ $G2$ Not in CNF.

* Step's of CFG to CNF.

→ new start symbol.

1. $S_1 \rightarrow S$ (eliminate start symbol from RHS).

2. Remove null, unit & useless prod.

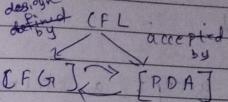
3. $S \rightarrow aA$ (decomposed as ' ')
 $S \rightarrow RA$

$$R \rightarrow a$$

4. $S \rightarrow ASB$ (can be decomposed as ' ')
 $S \rightarrow RS$ or $S \rightarrow RB$
 $R \rightarrow AB$ $R \rightarrow AS$

7/7/24 * Equivalence : PDA & CFG

i) convert CFG to PDA



Q. Design a equivalent PDA for the given grammar.

$$S \rightarrow OS1 | O01 | 11 \quad \begin{matrix} \text{variables} \\ \text{terminals} \end{matrix}$$

$$\rightarrow S(q, \epsilon, S) = (q, OS1), (q, O0), (q, 11) \quad \left. \begin{matrix} \left\{ \text{rule 1} \right. \\ \left. \begin{matrix} S(q, \epsilon, A) = \\ (q, B) \end{matrix} \right. \end{matrix} \right\} \quad \text{①}$$

$$S(q, O, O) = (q, \epsilon) \quad \text{②} \quad \text{Rule 2}$$

$$S(q, 1, 1) = (q, \epsilon) \quad \text{③} \quad \left. \begin{matrix} \left\{ S(q, \alpha, \alpha) = (q, \epsilon) \right. \\ \left. \right. \end{matrix} \right\}$$

PDA is designed.

NOW, we have to accept a string '0111'

- 1) $S(q, 0111, S)$ using 1.
- 2) $S(q, 0111, OS1)$ Rule 2 ($P_o P$)
- 3) $S(q, 111, S1)$ Rule 1
- 4) $S(q, 111, 111)$ Rule 3
- 5) $S(q, 11, 11)$ Rule 3
- 6) $S(q, 1, 1)$ Rule 3
- 7) $S(q, \epsilon, \epsilon)$ Accept

Q. Design a equivalent PDA for the given grammar.

$$S \rightarrow OBB$$

$$B \rightarrow OS1 | s | OBB$$

$$\rightarrow S(q, \epsilon, S) = (q, OBB) \quad \text{--- ①} \quad \left. \begin{matrix} \text{string: } \{010000\} \\ \left\{ \text{Rule 1} \right. \end{matrix} \right\}$$

$$\rightarrow S(q, \epsilon, \boxed{B}) = (q, \boxed{O}, OS), (q, \boxed{s}), (q, OOB) \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$S(q, O, O) = (q, \epsilon) \quad \text{--- ③} \quad \left\{ \text{Rule 2} \right.$$

$$S(q, 1, 1) = (q, \epsilon) \quad \text{--- ④}$$

PDA is designed

Now, we have to accept a string '010000'

- 1) $S(q, 010000, S)$ using 1
- 2) $S(q, 010000, OBB)$ using 2
- 3) $S(q, 10000, BB)$ using 3
- 4) $S(q, 10000, 1SB)$ using 4
- 5) $S(q, 00001, SB)$ using 1
- 6) $S(q, 00001, OBBB)$ using 2
- 7) $S(q, 000, BBB)$ using 3
- 8) $S(q, 000, OBB)$ or $S(q, 000, OSB)$
- 9) $S(q, 00, BB)$ $S(q, 00, SB)$
- 10) $S(q, 00, B)$ $S(q, 00, BBB)$
- 11) $S(q, 0, B)$ $S(q, 0, BBB)$
- 12) $S(q, \epsilon, O)$ $S(q, \epsilon, BS)$
- 13) $S(q, \epsilon, O)$ $S(q, \epsilon, BB)$
- 14) $S(q, \epsilon, \epsilon)$ $S(q, \epsilon, BS)$

Q. $S = AA | a$ $abbabb$

$$A = SA | b$$

$$\rightarrow S(q, \epsilon, \boxed{\frac{S}{A}}) = (q, A, A), (q, a)$$

2) Conversion PDA to CFG

$$M = \{q, p\}, \{z_0, 1, x\}, \{x, z\}, S, q, z \leftarrow \text{initial stack symbol.}$$

- 1) $s(q, 1, z) \Rightarrow (q, xz)$ Push
- 2) $s(q, 1, x) \Rightarrow (q, xx)$ Push
- 3) $s(q, \epsilon, x) \Rightarrow (q, \epsilon)$ Pop
- 4) $s(q, 0, x) \Rightarrow (p, x)$ Nop
- 5) $s(p, 1, x) \Rightarrow (p, \epsilon)$ Pop
- 6) $s(p, 0, z) \Rightarrow (q, z)$ Nop

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} s \rightarrow [q, z, q] \\ s \rightarrow [q, z, p] \end{cases} \rightarrow [z_0, z_0, p]$$

Step 1 $s(q, 1, z) \Rightarrow (q, xz)$ Push

$$[q, z, q] = 1 [q, x, q] [q, z, q]$$

$$[q, z, q] = 1 [q, z, p] [p, z, q]$$

$$[q, z, p] = 1 [q, x, q] [q, z, p]$$

$$[q, z, p] = [q, 4, p] [p, z, p]$$

\rightarrow 1) write down the all combination of state * stack

symbol:

$$V = \{s, [q \times q][q \times p][p \times q][p \times p][p \geq q][q \geq p]\}$$

$$[q \geq p][p \geq q]$$

2) Write down the Grammar $\{q, z, p\}$.

$$S \rightarrow [q \geq q]$$

$$S \rightarrow [q \geq p]$$

3) solve for each transition

a) $s(q, 1, z) \Rightarrow (q, xz)$ push $(z^2 = 4)$

$$[q, z, q] = 1 [q, x, q] [q, z, q]$$

$$[q, z, q] = 1 [q, x, p] [p, z, q]$$

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b) $s(q, 1, z) \Rightarrow (q, xx)$ push $(z^2 = 4)$

$$[q, x, q] \rightarrow 1 [q, x, q] [p, x, q]$$

$$[q, x, q] \rightarrow 1 [q, x, p] [p, x, q]$$

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c) $s(q, \epsilon, x) \Rightarrow (q, \epsilon)$ pop

d) $s(q, 0, z) \Rightarrow (p, z)$ Nop

$$[q, x, q] \rightarrow o [p, x, p]$$

$$[q, x, p] \rightarrow o [p, x, p]$$

e) $\delta(p, a_1, \infty) \Rightarrow (p, \epsilon)$ POP

f) $\delta(p, 0, z) \Rightarrow (q, z)$ Nop

$[p, z, q] \Rightarrow [q, z, q]$

$[p, z, p] \Rightarrow [q, z, p]$

Original Name | New name

$[q, z, q]$

A

$[q, z, p]$

B

$[p, z, q]$

C

$[p, z, p]$

D

$[q, x, q]$

E

$[q, x, p]$

F

$[p, x, q]$

G

$[p, x, p]$

H

- 1) $A \rightarrow 1FA$
- 2) $E \rightarrow 1EE$
- 3) $E \rightarrow e$
- $A \rightarrow 1EC$
- $B \rightarrow 1EB$
- $B \rightarrow 1FD$
- $E \rightarrow 1EF$
- $F \rightarrow 1FH$

- 4) $E \rightarrow OG$
- 5) $H \rightarrow 1$
- $C \rightarrow OA$
- $F \rightarrow OH$
- $D \rightarrow OB$

$S \rightarrow AIB$

$A \rightarrow 1EA / IFc$

$B \rightarrow 1EB / 1FD$

$F \rightarrow 1EE / 1FG / 1E / OG$

$F \rightarrow 1EF / 1FH / OH$

$H \rightarrow 1$

$C \rightarrow OA$

$D \rightarrow OB$

* PDA to CFG.

1. $\delta(q_0, a, z_0) \Rightarrow (q_0, a z_0)$

2. $\delta(q_0, a, a) \Rightarrow (q_0, aa)$

3. $\delta(q_0, 1, a) \Rightarrow (q_1, a)$

4. $\delta(q_1, b, a) \Rightarrow (q_1, a)$

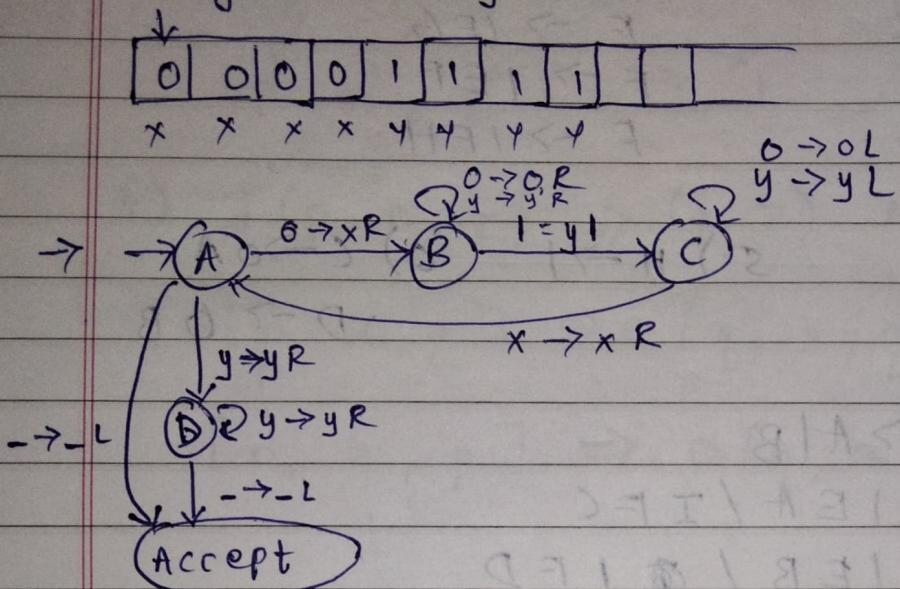
5. $\delta(q_1, a, a) \Rightarrow (q_1, n)$

6. $\delta(q_1, n, z_0) \Rightarrow (q_1, n)$

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Module 5 and 6

- Q. Design a turing Machine which represents $L = 0^N 1^N$



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- Q. construct a DFA for the foll.

- i. All strings that accept contains exactly 4 0's
- ii All strings that does not contain '110'

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