

UNIT-5

PDA-Acceptance by Final State

1. A push down automaton employs _____ data structure.

- a) Queue
- b) Linked List
- c) Hash Table
- d) Stack

Answer: d

2. State true or false:

Statement: The operations of PDA never work on elements, other than the top.

- a) true
- b) false

Answer: a

3. Which of the following allows stacked values to be sub-stacks rather than just finite symbols?

- a) Push Down Automaton
- b) Turing Machine
- c) Nested Stack Automaton
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

4. A non deterministic two way, nested stack automaton has n-tuple definition. State the value of n.

- a) 5
- b) 8
- c) 4
- d) 10

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Answer: d

5. Push down automata accepts _____ languages.

- a) Type 3
- b) Type 2
- c) Type 1
- d) Type 0

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Answer: b

6. The class of languages not accepted by non deterministic, nonerasing stack automata is _____

- a) NSPACE(n^2)

- b) NL
- c) CSL
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

7. A push down automaton with only symbol allowed on the stack along with fixed symbol.

- a) Embedded PDA
- b) Nested Stack automata
- c) DPDA
- d) Counter Automaton

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Answer: d

8. Which of the operations are eligible in PDA?

- a) Push
- b) Delete
- c) Insert
- d) Add

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Answer: a

9. A string is accepted by a PDA when

- a) Stack is not empty
- b) Acceptance state
- c) All of the mentioned
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

10. The following move of a PDA is on the basis of:

- a) Present state
- b) Input Symbol
- c) Present state and Input Symbol
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

PDA-acceptance by Empty Stack

1. If two sets, R and T has no elements in common i.e. $R \cap T = \emptyset$, then the sets are called

- a) Complement
- b) Union
- c) Disjoint
- d) Connected

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Answer: c

2. Which among the following is not a part of the Context free grammar tuple?

- a) End symbol
- b) Start symbol
- c) Variable
- d) Production

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Answer: a

3. A context free grammar is a _____

- a) English grammar
- b) Regular grammar
- c) Context sensitive grammar
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

4. The closure property of context free grammar includes :

- a) Kleene
- b) Concatenation
- c) Union
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

5. Which of the following automata takes stack as auxiliary storage?

- a) Finite automata
- b) Push down automata
- c) Turing machine
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: b

6. Which of the following automata takes queue as an auxiliary storage?

- a) Finite automata
- b) Push down automata
- c) Turing machine
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: c

7. A context free grammar can be recognized by
- a) Push down automata
 - b) 2 way linearly bounded automata
 - c) Push down automata & 2 way linearly bounded automata
 - d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

8. A null production can be referred to as:

- a) String
- b) Symbol
- c) Word
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: a

9. The context free grammar which generates a Regular Language is termed as:

- a) Context Regular Grammar
- b) Regular Grammar
- c) Context Sensitive Grammar
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

10. NPDA stands for

- a) Non-Deterministic Push Down Automata
- b) Null-Push Down Automata
- c) Nested Push Down Automata
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: a

From Grammars to Push Down Automata

1. The production of the form $A \rightarrow B$, where A and B are non terminals is called

- a) Null production
- b) Unit production
- c) Greibach Normal Form
- d) Chomsky Normal Form

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Answer: b

2. Halting states are of two types. They are:

- a) Accept and Reject
- b) Reject and Allow
- c) Start and Reject

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

3. A push down automata can be represented as:

PDA= ϵ -NFA +[stack] State true or false:

a) true

b) false

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Answer: a

4. A pushdown automata can be defined as: $(Q, \Sigma, G, q_0, z_0, A, \delta)$

What does the symbol z_0 represents?

a) an element of G

b) initial stack symbol

c) top stack alphabet

d) all of the mentioned

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Answer: d

5. Which of the following correctly recognize the symbol ' δ ' in context to PDA?

a) Moves

b) transition function

c) or/not symbol

d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: a

6. Which among the following is true for the given statement?

Statement :If there are strings R and T in a language L so that R is prefix of T and R is not equivalent to T .

a) No DPDA can accept L by empty stack

b) DPDA can accept L by an empty stack

c) L is regular

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

7. Which of the following can be accepted by a DPDA?

a) The set of even length palindrome over $\{a,b\}$

b) The set of odd length palindrome over $\{a,b\}$

- c) $\{xx^c \mid \text{where } c \text{ stands for the complement, } \{0,1\}\}$
d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: d

8. For a counter automaton, with the symbols A and Z0, the string on the stack is always in the form of _____

- a) A
b) $A^n Z0, n \geq 0$
c) $Z0A^n, n \geq 0$
d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

9. State true or false:

Statement: Counter Automaton can exist for the language $L = \{0^i 1^i \mid i \geq 0\}$

- a) true
b) false

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Answer: a

10. Let $\Sigma = \{0,1\}^*$ and the grammar G be:

$S \rightarrow \epsilon$

$S \rightarrow SS$

$S \rightarrow 0S1 \mid 1S0$

State which of the following is true for the given

- a) Language of all and only Balanced strings
b) It contains equal number of 0's and 1's
c) Ambiguous Grammar
d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

From PDA to Grammars

1. The instantaneous PDA is has the following elements

- a) State
b) Unconsumed input
c) Stack content
d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

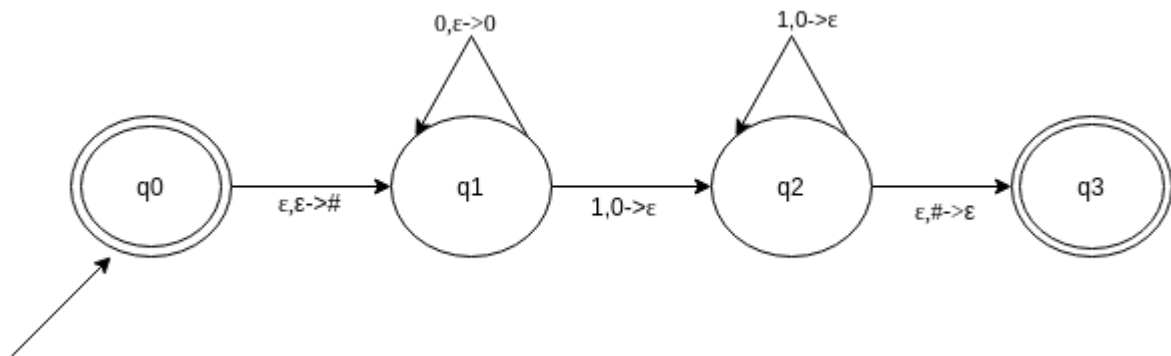
2. The moves in the PDA is technically termed as:

- a) Turnstile
- b) Shifter
- c) Router
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

3. Which of the following option resembles the given PDA?

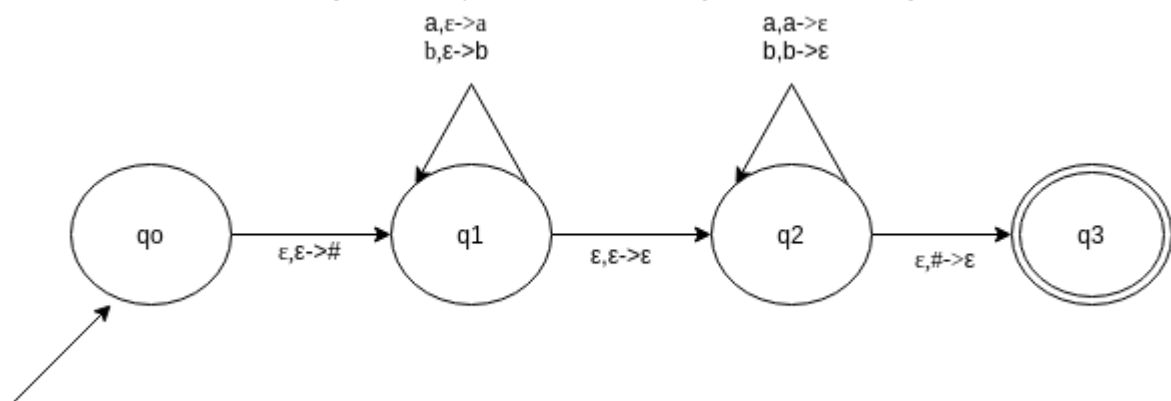


- a) $\{0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 0\}$
- b) $\{0^n 1^{2n} \mid n \geq 0\}$
- c) $\{0^{2n} 1^n \mid n \geq 0\}$
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

4. Which of the following correctly resembles the given state diagram?



- a) $\{ww^r \mid w = (a+b)^*\}$
- b) ϵ is called the initial stack symbol
- c) All of the mentioned
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

5. Which of the following assertion is false?

- a) If L is a language accepted by PDA1 by final state, there exist a PDA2 that accepts

L by empty stack i.e. $L=L(PDA1)=L(PDA2)$

b) If L is a CFL then there exists a push down automata P accepting CF; by empty stack i.e. $L=M(P)$

c) Let L is a language accepted by PDA1 then there exist a CFG X such that $L(X)=M(P)$

d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

6. A push down automata can represented using:

a) Transition graph

b) Transition table

c) ID

d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

7. State true or false:

Statement: Every context free grammar can be transformed into an equivalent non deterministic push down automata.

a) true

b) false

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Answer: a

8. Which of the following statement is false?

a) For non deterministic PDA, equivalence is undecidable

b) For deterministic PDA, equivalence is decidable

c) For deterministic PDA, equivalence is undecidable

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

9. Which of the following are the actions that operates on stack top?

a) Pushing

b) Popping

c) Replacing

d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

10. A push down automata is said to be _____ if it has atmost one transition around all configurations.

a) Finite

- b) Non regular
- c) Non-deterministic
- d) Deterministic

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Answer: d

Deterministic PDA

1. The transition a Push down automaton makes is additionally dependent upon the:

- a) stack
- b) input tape
- c) terminals
- d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: a

2. A PDA machine configuration (p, w, y) can be correctly represented as:

- a) (current state, unprocessed input, stack content)
- b) (unprocessed input, stack content, current state)
- c) (current state, stack content, unprocessed input)
- d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: a

3. $|^*|$ is the _____ closure of $|$ -

- a) symmetric and reflexive
- b) transitive and reflexive
- c) symmetric and transitive
- d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: b

4. With reference of a DPDA, which among the following do we perform from the start state with an empty stack?

- a) process the whole string
- b) end in final state
- c) end with an empty stack
- d) all of the mentioned

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Answer: d

5. A DPDA is a PDA in which:

- a) No state p has two outgoing transitions
- b) More than one state can have two or more outgoing transitions
- c) Atleast one state has more than one transitions
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

6. State true or false:

Statement: For every CFL, G , there exists a PDA M such that $L(G) = L(M)$ and vice versa.

- a) true
- b) false

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Answer: a

7. If the PDA does not stop on an accepting state and the stack is not empty, the string is:

- a) rejected
- b) goes into loop forever
- c) all of the mentioned
- d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: a

8. A language accepted by Deterministic Push down automata is closed under which of the following?

- a) Complement
- b) Union
- c) All of the mentioned
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

9. Which of the following is a simulator for non deterministic automata?

- a) JFLAP
- b) Gedit
- c) FAUTO
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

10. Finite-state acceptors for the nested words can be:

- a) nested word automata
- b) push down automata
- c) ndfa

d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: a

Regular Languages and D-PDA

1. Which of the following is analogous to the following?

:NFA and NPDA

- a) Regular language and Context Free language
- b) Regular language and Context Sensitive language
- c) Context free language and Context Sensitive language
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

2. Let $T = \{p, q, r, s, t\}$. The number of strings in S^* of length 4 such that no symbols can be repeated.

- a) 120
- b) 625
- c) 360
- d) 36

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Answer: b

3. Which of the following relates to Chomsky hierarchy?

- a) Regular < CFL < CSL < Unrestricted
- b) CFL < CSL < Unrestricted < Regular
- c) CSL < Unrestricted < CF < Regular
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

4. A language is accepted by a push down automata if it is:

- a) regular
- b) context free
- c) regular and context free
- d) none of the mentioned

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Answer: c

5. Which of the following is an incorrect regular expression identity?

- a) $R+f=R$
- b) $eR=e$
- c) $Rf=f$
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

6. Which of the following strings do not belong the given regular expression?

$(a)^*(a+cba)$

- a) aa
- b) aaa
- c) acba
- d) acbacba

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Answer: d

7. Which of the following regular expression allows strings on $\{a,b\}^*$ with length n where n is a multiple of 4.

- a) $(a+b+ab+ba+aa+bb+aba+bab+abab+baba)^*$
- b) $(bbbb+aaaa)^*$
- c) $((a+b)(a+b)(a+b)(a+b))^*$
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

8. Which of the following strings is not generated by the given grammar:

$S \rightarrow SaSbS \mid e$

- a) aabb
- b) abab
- c) abaabb
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: d

9. abb^*c denotes which of the following?

- a) $\{abnc \mid n=0\}$
- b) $\{abnc \mid n=1\}$
- c) $\{anbc \mid n=0\}$
- d) $\{abcn \mid n>0\}$

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Answer: b

10. The following denotation belongs to which type of language:

$G=(V, T, P, S)$

- a) Regular grammar
- b) Context free grammar
- c) Context Sensitive grammar
- d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: b

DPDA and Context Free Languages

1. Context free grammar is called Type 2 grammar because of _____ hierarchy.

- a) Greibach
- b) Backus
- c) Chomsky
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: c

2. $a \rightarrow b$

Restriction: Length of b must be atleast as much length of a.

Which of the following is correct for the given assertion?

- a) Greibach Normal form
- b) Context Sensitive Language
- c) Chomsky Normal form
- d) Recursively Enumerable language

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Answer: b

3. From the definition of context free grammars,

$G=(V, T, P, S)$

What is the solution of $V \rightarrow T$?

- a) Null
- b) Not Null
- c) Cannot be determined, depends on the language
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

4. If P is the production, for the given statement, state true or false.

P: $V \rightarrow (V \cup T)^*$ represents that the left hand side production rule has no right or left context.

- a) true

b) false

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Answer: a

5. There exists a Context free grammar such that:

$X \rightarrow aX$

Which among the following is correct with respect to the given assertion?

- a) Left Recursive Grammar
- b) Right Recursive Grammar
- c) Non Recursive Grammar
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

6. If the partial derivation tree contains the root as the starting variable, the form is known as:

- a) Chomsky hierarchy
- b) Sentential form
- c) Root form
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

7. Find a regular expression for a grammar which generates a language which states :

L contains a set of strings starting with an a and ending with a b, with something in the middle.

- a) $a(a^*Ub^*)b$
- b) $a^*(aUb)b^*$
- c) $a(a^*b^*)b$
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

8. Which of the following is the correct representation of grammar for the given regular expression?

$a(aUb)^*b$

a)

(1) $S \rightarrow aMb$

(2) $M \rightarrow e$

(3) $M \rightarrow aM$

(4) $M \rightarrow bM$

b)

(1) $S \rightarrow aMb$

(2) $M \rightarrow Mab$

(3) $M \rightarrow aM$

(4) $M \rightarrow bM$

c)

(1) $S \rightarrow aMb$

(2) $M \rightarrow e$

(3) $M \rightarrow aMb$

(4) $M \rightarrow bMa$

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

9. A CFG consist of the following elements:

- a) a set of terminal symbols
- b) a set of non terminal symbols
- c) a set of productions
- d) all of the mentioned

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Answer: d

10. A CFG for a program describing strings of letters with the word "main" somewhere in the string:

a)

-> m a i n

-> | epsilon

-> A | B | ... | Z | a | b ... | z

b)

--> m a i n

-->

--> A | B | ... | Z | a | b ... | z

c)

--> m a i n

--> | epsilon

--> A | B | ... | Z | a | b ... | z

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: a

DPDA and Ambiguous Grammars

1. CFGs are more powerful than:

a) DFA

b) NDFA

c) Mealy Machine

d) All of the mentioned

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Answer: d

2. State true or false:

S-> 0S1 | 01

Statement: No regular expression exists for the given grammar.

a) true

b) false

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Answer: a

3. For the given set of code, the grammar representing real numbers in Pascal has error in one of the six lines. Fetch the error.

(1) ->

(2) -> | epsilon

(3) -> | epsilon

(4) -> 'E' | epsilon

(5) -> + | - | epsilon

(6) -> 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9

a) 3

b) 4

c) 2

d) No errors

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4. Which among the following is incorrect with reference to a derivation tree?

a) Every vertex has a label which is a terminal or a variable.

b) The root has a label which can be a terminal.

c) The label of the internal vertex is a variable.

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

5. Let $G=(V, T, P, S)$

where a production can be written as:

$S \rightarrow aAS \mid a$

$A \rightarrow SbA \mid ba \mid SS$

Which of the following string is produced by the grammar?

a) aabbaab

b) aabbaa

c) baabab

d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: b

6. Statement 1: Ambiguity is the property of grammar but not the language.

Statement 2: Same language can have more than one grammar.

Which of the following options are correct with respect to the given statements?

a) Statement 1 is true but statement 2 is false

b) Statement 1 is false but statement 2 is true

c) Both the statements are true

d) Both the statements are false

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Answer: c

7. Which of the following are non essential while simplifying a grammar?

- a) Removal of useless symbols
- b) Removal of unit productions
- c) Removal of null production
- d) None of the mentioned

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Answer: d

8. Which of the following are context free language?

- a) $L = \{a^i b^i \mid i \geq 0\}$
- b) $L = \{ww^r \mid w \text{ is a string and } r \text{ represents reverse}\}$
- c) All of the mentioned
- d) one of the mentioned

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Answer: a

9. The language $L = \{a^i 2b^i \mid i \geq 0\}$ is:

- a) recursive
- b) deterministic CFL
- c) regular
- d) Two of the mentioned is correct

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Answer: d

10. $L \rightarrow rLt \mid tLr \mid t \mid r$

The given grammar produces a language which is:

- a) All palindrome
- b) All even palindromes
- c) All odd palindromes
- d) Strings with same begin and end symbols

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Answer: c

