

Example 2.4

Given  $L$  = Context free, Show that  $L^2$  is also context free.

Answer: If  $S$  derives  $L$  then  $S_1 \rightarrow SS$  derives  $L^2$

Example 2.5

What language is generated by  $S \rightarrow aSbb|a$ ? is it CF

keep in mind  
a in the  
"|a" therefore  
must be an extra  
a ... +1

$$L = \{ a^n b^{n*2} ; n \geq 1 \}$$

$$L = \{ a^{n+1} b^{2n} ; n \geq 0 \}$$

a  
aSbb  
aaSbbbb  
aaaSbbbbbb

DFA  $\rightarrow$  CFG

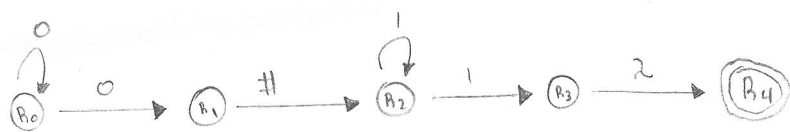
How to convert DFA to CFG:

Not sure..

1. Make a variable  $R_i$  for each state  $q_i$  of the DFA.
2. Add the rule  $R_i \rightarrow aR_j$  to the CFG if  $S(q_i, a) = q_j$  is a transition in the DFA
3. Add the rule  $R_i \rightarrow \epsilon$  if  $q_i$  is an accept state of the DFA
4. Make  $R_0$  the start variable of the grammar where  $q_0$  is the start state of the machine

Lastly, verify on your own that the resulting CFG generates the same language

Ex:  $L(G) = \{ 0^n \# 1^n \mid n \geq 0 \}$



$$S(R_0, 0, 00, 000, \dots) \rightarrow S(R_1, \#) \rightarrow S(R_2, 1, 11, 111, \dots) \rightarrow S(R_3, \epsilon) \rightarrow S(R_4, \text{accept})$$

$S(R_4, \text{accept})$

Is this correct?

What does step 2  
mean?

My implementation  
of #3 is correct?

# Chapter 6b (Push down Automata ie: PDA)

## Example 2.9

The following is the formal description of the PDA that recognizes the language

$$\{0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 0\}$$

Let  $M$  be  $(Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q, \$, F)$  where

$$Q = \{q_1, q_2, q_3, q_4\}$$

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$$

$$\Gamma = \{0, \$\}$$

$$F = \{q_1, q_4\}$$

input:	0			1			2		
Stack:	0	\$	2	0	\$	2	0	\$	2
$q_1$									$\{(q_1, \$)\}$
$q_2$			$\{(q_2, 0)\}$	$\{(q_3, 2)\}$					
$q_3$				$\{(q_3, 2)\}$					
$q_4$							$\{(q_4, 2)\}$		

$1, 0 \rightarrow 2$



Variable	Description
$Q$	A finite set of states, like the states of a finite automaton
$\Sigma$	Is a finite input alphabet analogous to the corresponding component of FA
$\Gamma$	Is the stack alphabet. The finite set of symbols that we are allowed to push onto the stack
$F$	A set of accepting states or final states

PDA do not start at 0 ( $q_0$ )

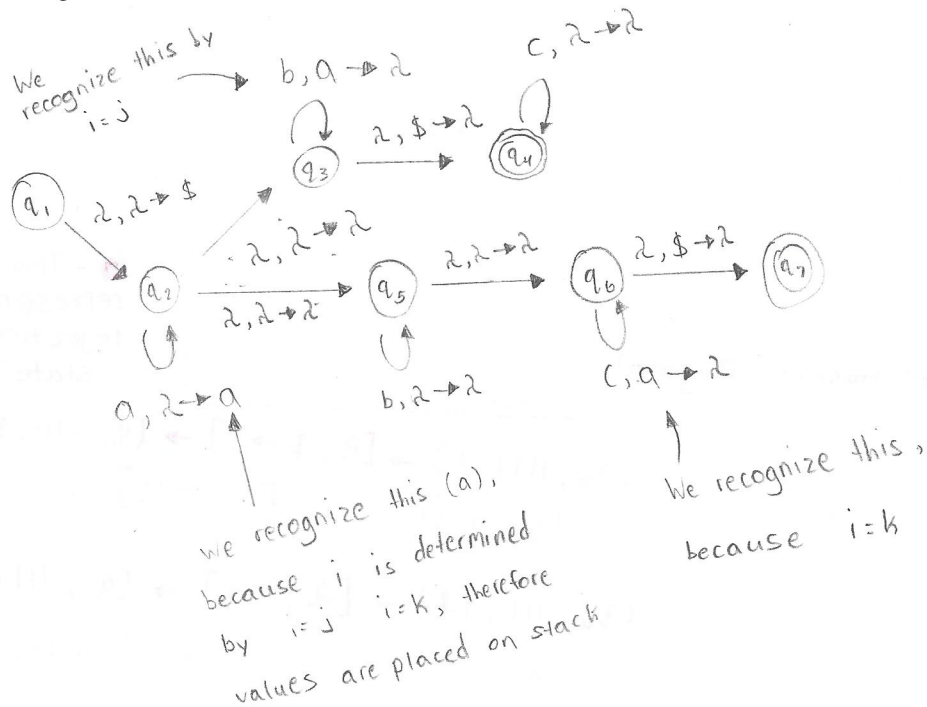
Example 2.10

$L = \{a^i b^j c^k \mid i, j, k \geq 0 \text{ and } i=j \text{ or } i=k\}$

$i=1$   
abc



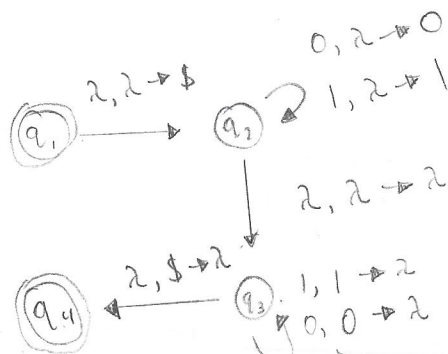
$\delta(q_2, abc, a)$



Example 2.11

$\{ww^R \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$

$w = 01101$



Deterministic Vs Non-deterministic

□ Deterministic

- Starts with  $q_1$
- Does NOT contain  $\$$  (stack not implemented)

□ Non-deterministic

- Starts with  $q_0$

## Example 2.11 A (A second solution to problem 2.11)

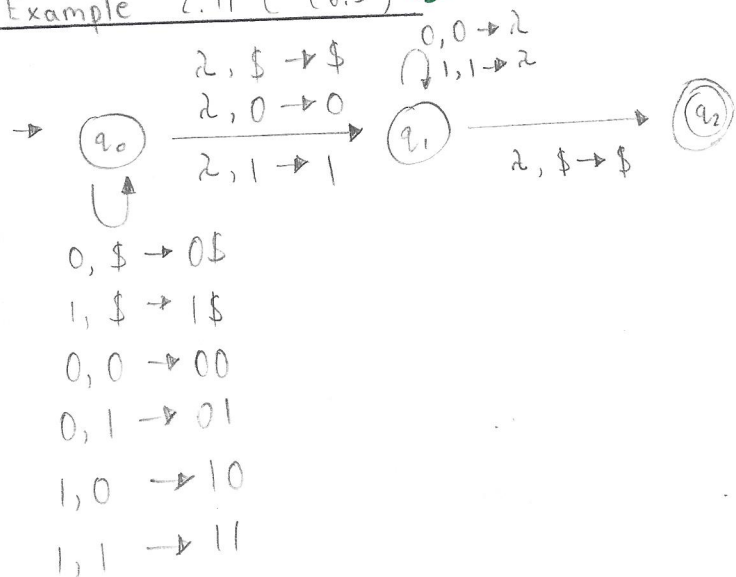
$L_{ww} = \{ ww^R \mid w \in \{0,1\}^* \}$   $\longrightarrow$  It is a CFL, generated by the grammar

$P \rightarrow OPD \mid IPI \mid \lambda$   $\longleftarrow$  \*

### \* Designing informal PDA

1. Start in a state  $q_0$ , we stack all values of  $w$  while on stack  $q_0$ .
2. This time,  $w$  will be on the stack, with the right end  $w$  at the top and the left end at the bottom
3. ...

## Example 2.11 C (6.3) (Generalized transition Diagram)



■ - This represents rejecting state

Initial ID:  $(q_0, 111, \$)$  (My Attempt)

- (1)  $(q_0, 111, \$) \rightarrow [1, \$ \rightarrow 1\$]$
- (2)  $(q_0, 11, 1\$) \rightarrow [1, 1 \rightarrow 11]$
- (3)  $(q_0, 1, 11\$) \rightarrow [2, 1 \rightarrow 1]$
- (4)  $(q_1, 1, 11\$) \rightarrow [1, 1 \rightarrow 2]$
- (5)  $(q_1, 2, 1\$) \rightarrow$  Reject! Cannot continue iterating, the input has been exhausted

TM read write

"We read an a or the left then

"We write an x under the a"

We restore then start over

□ Any Regular language is context free

Pumping Lemma Theorem

①  $uv^ixy^iz \in L$

②  $|v| > 0$

③  $|xvy| \leq m$

✗ Pumping Lemma used to show that C is not CFL

Question:

Show that the language  $L = \{a^n b^n : n > 0, n \neq 100\}$  is CF

Answer:

Let  $L_1 = \{a^{100} b^{100}\}$ , which is regular (finite). Also  $(L_1)^c$  is regular

$$L = \{a^n b^n : n > 0\} \cap (L_1)^c$$

Therefore it is Context Free

Additional:

(a)  $\{0^n 1^n 0^n 1^n ; n \geq 0\}$

Let  $A = \{0^n 1^n 0^n 1^n ; n \geq 0\}$ . Let  $m$  be the length of the pumping lemma. We show that  $s = 0^m 1^m 0^m 1^m$  cannot be pumped. Let  $s = uvxyz$ . If either  $v$  or  $y$  contain more than one type of alphabet symbol,  $uv^2xy^2z$  does not contain the symbols in the correct order. Hence it cannot be member of  $A$ . Because  $s$  cannot be pumped without violating the pumping lemma conditions,  $A$  is not context Free



## Extra Exercise

$$(A \cup B)^c = (A^c) \cap (B^c)$$

Compliment of context free is not context free.

## Context Free Languages

- Union
- Con
- \*
- Intersection
- Reverse ( $L^R$ )

### 8.7 Linz (Redo)

Show that language  $L = \{a^n b^n : n \neq 100, n \geq 0\}$  is CF.

$$L_1 = a^{100} b^{100}$$

Details

$$L = \{a^1 b^1, a^2 b^2, a^3 b^3, \dots\}$$

$$L = \{a^{98} b^{98}, a^{99} b^{99}, a^{101} b^{101}, \dots\}$$

$$(L \cup L_1)^c = L^c \cap L_1^c = L = \{a^n b^n : n \geq 0\} \cap (L_1)^c$$

L is CF

### Example 2.20

Use the pumping lemma to show that the language  $B = \{a^n b^n c^n : n \geq 0\}$  is not CF

Answer: Suppose that  $B$  is a CFL and thus  $B = L(G)$  for some CFG. Let  $\underline{m}$  be the constant specified by the pumping lemma (PL).

- Then  $w = a^N b^N c^N$  with  $N \geq m/3$  is in  $L(G)$  and has the representative  $w = uvxyz$  such that  $v$  or  $y$  is not the empty string  $\lambda$  (Note that  $|w| \geq m$ ).
- Since  $B$  is a CFL  $uv^i xy^i z \in L(G)$  for each  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ .
- Since  $|vxy| \leq m$ ,  $vxy$  can contain at most 2 of the 3 symbols from  $\{a, b, c\}$ .
- Since  $|vy| > 0$ ,  $v$  and  $y$  together contain at least one symbol.
- Consider the string  $uv^2 xy^2 z$ .
- This string