

TOC ASSIGNMENT-3

Ans 1) (a)

- $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$
- $V = \{S, A\}$
- Start symbol: S
- Productions (P):

$$S \rightarrow aas \mid aaA$$

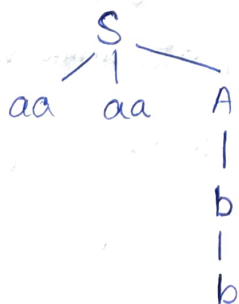
$$A \rightarrow bA \mid \epsilon$$

S generate an even number of a 's (at least 2), and
 A generates any number of b 's

(b) string: $aaaabb$
Leftmost Derivation:

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow aas \\ &\rightarrow aa \ aaA \\ &\rightarrow aa \ aabA \\ &\rightarrow aa \ aab \ bA \\ &\rightarrow aa \ aa \ bb \end{aligned}$$

(c) Derivation tree



leaves: $a \ a \ a \ b \ b \ b \rightarrow "aaaabb"$

(d) Regular expression for L :

$$(aa)^+ b^*$$

Since this RE exists, L is a regular language
And every regular language is also context-free.

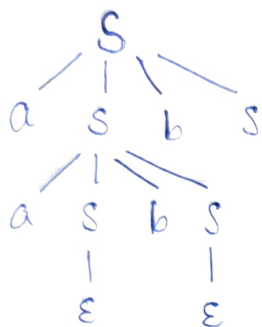
Ans 2)(a) Derive aabb

$$S \rightarrow aSbS$$

$$\rightarrow a(aSbS)bS$$

$$\rightarrow aa \epsilon b \epsilon b \epsilon = aabb$$

\Rightarrow Parse tree



Leaves (left-to-right): aabb \rightarrow aabb

b) Prove that the grammar is ambiguous using formal definitions.

A grammar is ambiguous if there exists at least one string in the language that has two distinct parse trees (equivalently two different leftmost or rightmost derivations).

Claim: The grammar $S \rightarrow aSbS / \epsilon$ is unambiguous.

Proof:

- Any nonempty string generated by this grammar must begin with a (because the only production introducing terminals start with a) and therefore must be produced by one application of $S \rightarrow aSbS$.
- In any derivation of a nonempty string w , the first a in w must match some b later in w . Let that matching b be at position k . The grammar forces that matching b to be the b produced in the same production as bb_2 that produced the first a , that uniquely splits w into three parts:
 - a (the first terminal)
 - substring generated by S_1 (between this and its matching b)
 - substring generated by S_2 (between this and its matching b)

- b (The matching b),
- Substring generated by S_2 (The remainder)
- The position k (first a 's matching b) is uniquely determined by the usual balance argument (count a 's minus b 's scanning from left) - it is the smallest index where balance returns to the level before the first a . Hence the split into parts for S_1 and S_2 is unique.
- by induction on string length, the derivations (and therefore parse tree) of each of the two substrings are unique.
- Therefore the whole parse is unique.

So no string has two different parse trees is unambiguous.

- (c) Construct a ~~non~~ non-ambiguous grammar that generates the same language.

The given grammar itself is already non-ambiguous
you can present an equivalent (one maybe clearer)
unambiguous grammar.

$$S \rightarrow TS/E$$

$$T \rightarrow asb$$

I generates one matched pair $a \dots b$ where the \dots is a balanced substring (generated by S) and then

$S \rightarrow TS$ allows concatenation of such matched blocks.

This grammar is the same as the original $S \rightarrow asbS/E$ but written to emphasize the unique decomposition

$S = (asb)S$ - hence unambiguous.

- Ques 3 PDA Construction for Balanced Expressions
Construct a PDA that accepts the language $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 0\}$

a) Define the PDA as a 7-tuple $(Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z_0, F)$

let $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z_0, F)$ where:

- $Q = \{q_0, q, q_f\}$
- $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$
- $\Gamma = \{Z_0, X\}$ - Z_0

Marker for each a

- q_0 is start state
- z_0 is initial stack symbol
- $F = \{q_f\}$ (accept by final state)

In q_0 push one x for each a . On seeing first b go to q_1 and pop one x per b . If input finished and stack has only z_0 , go to q_f .

b) Provide the complete transition table.

- 1) $S(q_0, a, z_0) = \{(q_0, xz_0)\}$
- 2) $S(q_0, a, x) = \{(q_0, xx)\}$
- 3) $S(q_0, b, x) = \{(q_1, E)\}$
- 4) $S(q_1, b, x) = \{(q_1, E)\}$
- 5) $S(q_1, E, z_0) = \{(q_f, z_0)\}$
- 6) $S(q_1, E, x) = \{(q_f, x)\}$

c) Show step-by-step instantiations descriptions (IDs) for the input $aaabbbb$.

Start: $(q_0, aaabbbb, z_0)$

1. $(q_0, aaabbbb, z_0)$
2. $\xrightarrow{a} (q_0, aabbbb, xz_0)$ "used $S(q_0, a, z_0)$ "
3. $\xrightarrow{a} (q_0, abb主, xxz_0)$ " $S(q_0, a, x)$ "
4. $\xrightarrow{a} (q_0, bbb, xxxz_0)$ " $S(q_0, a, x)$ "

On reading first b , move to q_1 and pop one x :

5. $\xrightarrow{b} (q_1, bb, xxz_0)$ " $S(q_0, b, x) \rightarrow (q_1, E)$ "

Consume remaining remaining two b 's in q_1 , popping x 's:

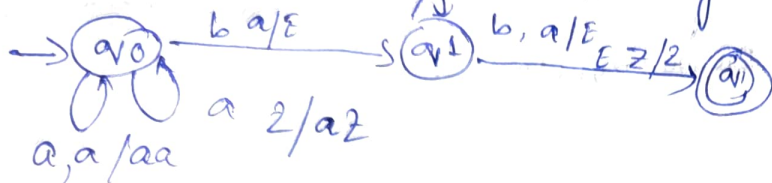
6. $\xrightarrow{b} (q_1, b, xz_0)$ " $S(q_1, b, x)$ "
7. $\xrightarrow{b} (q_1, E, z_0)$ " $S(q_1, b, x)$ "

Now empty and Stack has 20 - take ϵ - move to final

$$8. \Rightarrow (qf, \epsilon, 20) \parallel S(q^1, \epsilon, 20)$$

Since in final state qf with empty input. String accepted

d) Draw the State transition diagram.



Ques 4 Grammar Transformation and Normal forms

Given the CFG : $S \rightarrow a^A/bB$; $A \rightarrow a^A/\epsilon$; $B \rightarrow bB/\epsilon$

a) Eliminate - ϵ Production and Unit Productions

Step 1 - Find nullable non terminals:

A is nullable (Since $A \rightarrow \epsilon$)

B is nullable (Since $B \rightarrow \epsilon$) S is not nullable

Step 2 - add Productions obtained by omitting nullable occurrences.

- From $S \rightarrow a^A$: because A nullable add $S \rightarrow a$.
- From $S \rightarrow bB$: because B nullable add $S \rightarrow b$.
- From $A \rightarrow a^A$: because A nullable add $A \rightarrow a$.
- From $B \rightarrow bB$: because B nullable, add $B \rightarrow b$.

Step-3 - Remove original ϵ -Production; Remove $A \rightarrow \epsilon$ and $B \rightarrow \epsilon$

No unit Productions (of the form $x \rightarrow v$) are Present now

Resulting grammar (no ϵ , no unit):

$$S \rightarrow a^A/a/bB/b$$

$$A \rightarrow a^A/a$$

$$B \rightarrow bB/b$$

b) Convert the Resulting Grammar into Chomsky normal form (CNF)

CNF Requires Production of the form $X \rightarrow YZ$ (Two nonterminals) or $X \rightarrow a$ (Single terminal) Also introduce helper nonterminals for terminals when they appear in longer right-hand sides
Introduce terminal nonterminal:

$$X-a \rightarrow a$$

$$X-b \rightarrow b$$

Replace Terminals in mixed Production (Length 2 Where one Symbol Terminal)

From $S \rightarrow aA$ Replace a by $X-a$: $S \rightarrow X-aA$

From $S \rightarrow bB$ Replace b by $X-b$: $S \rightarrow X-bB$

From $A \rightarrow aA \rightarrow A \rightarrow X-aA$

From $B \rightarrow bB \rightarrow B \rightarrow X-bB$

Keep terminal only Production:

$S \rightarrow a$ and $S \rightarrow b$ and $A \rightarrow a$ and $B \rightarrow b$ are all allowed from
 \Rightarrow Final CNF Grammar.

$$S \rightarrow X-aA$$

$$S \rightarrow X-bB$$

$$S \rightarrow a$$

$$S \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow X-aA$$

$$A \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow X-bB$$

$$B \rightarrow b$$

$$X-a \rightarrow a$$

$$X-b \rightarrow b$$

c) Show ~~and~~ derivation of the String "aab" in both The original and CNF forms.

Given grammar:

$$S \rightarrow a^A / b^B$$

$$A \rightarrow a^A / \epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow b^B / \epsilon$$

This grammar generates strings of the form $a^+ b^+$ only (like 'a', 'aa', 'bbb' etc) Hence "aab" cannot be derived because it mixes both a's and b's. no rule allows switching from A (a's) to B (b's)

In both original & CNF the same limitation exists, so "aab" is not derivable.

d) Discuss how CNF simplifies PDA simulation & parsing.

- Uniform Structure: Every Production is either $A \rightarrow BC$ or $A \rightarrow a$ making parsing steps systematic.
- Simple PDA construction: Easier to simulate grammar as stack operations follow patterns.
- Efficient algorithms: CNF allows algorithms like CYK to check string membership efficiently ($O(n^3)$)
- Less ambiguity: Reduces complexity and non-determinism during parsing.

Ques 5 CFL membership via Pumping lemma prove using the Pumping lemma for CFLs that the language $L = \{a^n b^n c^n / n \geq 0\}$ is not context-free

a) State the Pumping lemma clearly.

There is a pumping length $P \geq 1$ such that for every string $S \in L$ with $|S| \geq P$, we can write

$$S = uvwxy$$

Satisfying

- 1) $|vwx| \leq P$.
- 2) $|vx| > 0$ (i.e. at least one of v, x , is non empty)
- 3) For all $i \geq 0$, the string $uv^i w x^i y \in L$

We will show this property fails for L . So L is not context-free.

Choose a string $s \in L$ where $|s| \geq P$ (Pumping length)

Let P be the Pumping length. Choose

$$s = a^p b^p c^p \in L,$$

$$|s| \geq 3P \geq P$$

Assume $s = UNWXY$ satisfies the Pumping-lemma

Conditions: $|NWx| \leq P$ and $|vx| > 0$

c) Show some pumped strings leaves L

Let $s = a^p b^p c^p$. Since $|vwx| \leq P$, the substring vwx lies fully inside one block (a 's / b 's / c 's) or at most.

- If vwx is within one block Pumping adds/removes symbols from only that block \rightarrow unequal a, b, c counts.
- If vwx spans two blocks Pumping disturbs this balance while the third block stays unchanged \rightarrow counts mismatch \rightarrow not in L .

Hence, for some $i \neq 1$ $uv^iwx^iy \notin L$

a) Conclude why L cannot be accepted by any PDA.

Because the Pumping lemma for CFLS is a necessary property of all context free languages and L violates it.

L is not context free by the equivalence of context-free languages and pushdown automata. no PDA can accept L .

$$\text{Given: } L(G) = \{a^m b^n \mid m > 0, n \geq 0\}$$

To Find: Context-Free grammar G that generates this language.

G Grammar.

Let $G = (V, E, P, S)$ where

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

$$E = \{a, b\}$$

S is the start symbol.

Productions P :

$$S \rightarrow aS / aT$$

$$T \rightarrow bT / \epsilon$$

⇒ Explanation

- S ensures at least one (a) is produced (since every derivation starts with a)
- T generates zero or more b's

Thus, all strings have one or more a's followed by one number of b's

⇒ Ex. derivation

$S \Rightarrow aS \Rightarrow a a T \Rightarrow a a b T \Rightarrow a a b b T \Rightarrow a a b b b$

Generated string: $a a b b b \in L(G)$

Hence, the grammar correctly generates

$$L(G) = \{a^m b^n \mid m \geq 1, n \geq 0\}$$

Ques 7 Is this grammar ambiguous? If so prove it and construct a non-ambiguous grammar that derives that same language

$S \rightarrow aS / aSbS / \epsilon$

Yes it is ambiguous. we show two different parse trees for this string.

Two different parse trees for ~~aa~~ aacbe

Derivation A

1. $S \Rightarrow aS$
2. $aS \Rightarrow a(aSbS)$
3. $a \Rightarrow (a^2b^2) \Rightarrow a(acbS)$
4. $a(acbS) \Rightarrow a(acbe) = aacbe$

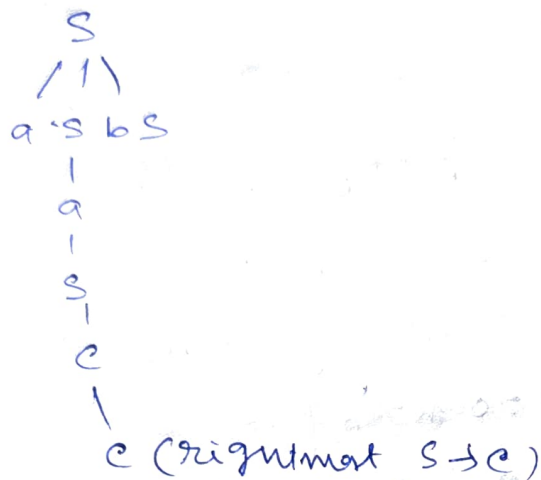
Parse tree A (shape)



Derivation B

1. $S \Rightarrow aSbS$
2. $aSbS \Rightarrow a(a^s)b^s$
3. $a(a^s)b^s \Rightarrow a(ae)b^s$
4. $a(ae)b^s \Rightarrow a(ae)be = aaebe$

Parse tree B (different shape):



\Rightarrow The Two Trees are structurally different (in A the left child of the root is 'a' then a ~~sub~~ subtree $asbs$; in B the root expands to $a^s b^s$ immediately) Therefore the grammar is ambiguous (exists a string with two distinct parse trees)

\Rightarrow A grammar is ambiguous if some string has two different parse trees. We exhibited two distinct parse trees for $aaeabe$. Hence the grammar is ambiguous.

Ques Give the CFG $G = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a\}, \{S \rightarrow A, A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow a\}, S)$. Remove unit production and rewrite the grammar.

Given CFG:

$G = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a\}, P, S)$ with

$P: S \rightarrow A, A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow a$

\Rightarrow Remove unit production:

We have unit chains $S \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow a$ and $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow a$.

Replace them by direct terminal production:

- From S follow chain to terminal $a \Rightarrow$ add $S \rightarrow a$
- From A follow chain to terminal $a \Rightarrow$ add $A \rightarrow a$
- Keep $B \rightarrow a$.

Remove unit rules $S \rightarrow A$ and $A \rightarrow B$

Resulting grammar (no unit production):

$S \rightarrow a$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

Note: all non terminals still generate a . The language is $\{a\}$

Ques 9 Give the CFG $G = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{S \rightarrow A, A \rightarrow aB, B \rightarrow c\}, S)$ Remove useless productions the updated grammar.

Given:

$G = (\{S, A, B\}, \{a, b, c\}, P, S)$ with

$P: S \rightarrow A, A \rightarrow aB, B \rightarrow c$

Step 1 - Find non Terminals that generate Terminals (useful for generating)

- $B \rightarrow c \Rightarrow B$ generates
- $A \rightarrow aB$ and B generates $\Rightarrow A$ generates
- $S \rightarrow A$ and A generates $\Rightarrow S$ generates

So all S, A, B are generative

Step 2 \rightarrow Find reachable non Terminals from start S :

- S is start (reachable)
- From $S \rightarrow A \Rightarrow A$ reachable
- From $A \rightarrow aB \Rightarrow B$ reachable

So all S, A, B are reachable

\Rightarrow There are no useless productions (non reachable or non-generating non terminals)

• Terminal grammar (after removing useless production)

$S \rightarrow A$

$A \rightarrow aB$

$B \rightarrow c$

Language Produced: Strings of the form a^n (Specifically any only " a^n ")

Ques 10 Convert the given CFG to CNF Consider the given grammar G_1 :

$$S \rightarrow a / aA / B$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB / E$$

$$B \rightarrow Aa / b$$

Step 1 - Remove ϵ - Production:

$A \rightarrow E$ is nullable \Rightarrow update others

$$S \rightarrow a / aA / B$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB$$

$$B \rightarrow Aa / a / b$$

Step 2 - Remove unit Production:

$S \rightarrow B \Rightarrow$ Replace with B's R.H.S.

$$S \rightarrow a / b / aA / Aa$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB$$

$$B \rightarrow Aa / a / b$$

Step-3 Convert to CNF from

Introduce $X - a \rightarrow a \quad X \rightarrow BB$

Replace Terminals in long R.H.S and make binary.

$$S \rightarrow a / b / X - a^4 / A X - a$$

$$A \rightarrow X - a Y$$

$$Y \rightarrow BB$$

$$B \rightarrow A X - a / a / b$$

$$X - a \rightarrow a$$

final CNF: all Rules are either $A \rightarrow Be$ or $A \rightarrow a$