

1.(5 points) What is the language generated by the following CFG:

$$\begin{aligned}S &\rightarrow AB \\ A &\rightarrow aA \mid a \\ B &\rightarrow bAB\end{aligned}$$

2. For the following CFG:

$$\begin{aligned}S &\rightarrow AB \\ A &\rightarrow AA \mid a \\ B &\rightarrow bA\end{aligned}$$

- (a) (5 points) Give a parse tree.
- (b) (5 points) Show a leftmost derivation.
- (c) (5 points) Show a rightmost derivation.

3. Give context-free grammars generating the following languages

- (a) (5 points) The complement of the language  $\{a^n b^n : n \geq 0\}$ .
- (b) (5 points)  $\{x_1 \# x_2 \# \dots \# x_k : k \geq 1, \text{ each } x_i \in \{a, b\}^*, \text{ and for some } i \text{ and } j, x_i = x_j^R.\}$

4. Let

- $G = (V, \Sigma, R, S)$  be a grammar;
- $V = \{S, T, U\}$ ;
- $\Sigma = \{0, \#\}$ ; and
- $R$  is the set of production rules:

$$\begin{aligned}S &\rightarrow T^*T \mid U \\ T &\rightarrow 0T \mid T0 \mid \# \\ U &\rightarrow 0U00 \mid \#\end{aligned}$$

- (a) (10 points) Describe  $L(G)$  in plain language.
- (b) (10 points) Is  $L(G)$  regular? Prove (yes/no).

5. (10 points) Convert the following CFG to Chomsky Normal Form:

$$\begin{aligned}A &\rightarrow BAB \mid B \mid \epsilon \\ B &\rightarrow 00 \mid \epsilon\end{aligned}$$

6. Give “algorithmic” (i.e., steps) descriptions of Turing machines that decide the following languages over the alphabet  $\{0,1\}$ .

- (a) (10 points)  $\{w : w \text{ contains twice as many 0s as 1s}\}$ .
- (b) (10 points)  $\{w : w \text{ does not contain twice as many 0s as 1s}\}$ .

7. The Turing machine  $M$  has start state  $q_s$ , state  $q_1$ ; tape symbols 0, 1, and B; and the following transitions:

$$\delta(q_s, 0) = (q_s, 0, R) \quad \delta(q_s, 1) = (q_1, 1, L) \quad \delta(q_s, B) = \text{HALT}$$

$$\delta(q_1, 0) = (q_1, 1, R) \quad \delta(q_1, 1) = (q_s, 0, R) \quad \delta(q_1, B) = (q_1, B, L)$$

$M$  halts on the following input (2 points each):

000111	TRUE FALSE
10001	TRUE FALSE
0101	TRUE FALSE
0000	TRUE FALSE
B	TRUE FALSE

(2 points each) What is on the tape after  $M$  runs through the following input ?

(a) 0110011

(b) 001110

(c) 100100

(4 points) What does  $M$  do?

8. One of these languages is Turing-recognizable, the other is not. Which is which? For the recognizable one, describe briefly an algorithm that recognizes it. For the other one, explain.

(a) (5 points)  $\{ \langle M \rangle : M \text{ is a TM that accepts 3 or more different inputs} \}$ .

(b) (5 points)  $\{ \langle M \rangle : M \text{ is a TM that accepts 3 or fewer different inputs} \}$ .

9. (a) (12 points) Construct a Turing machine to do the following: The machine is started on the left of a tape that contains nothing but a string of \$ signs. The machine is to divide the length of the string by three and leave on the tape result#remainder. No other symbol should be found on the tape at the end. In constructing the TM, show its formal description (states, transition function, etc.), and a few instantaneous descriptions (IDs) of its running.

(b) (12 points) What if we want to generalize to any arbitrary symbol (instead of \$)? I.e., whenever any arbitrary symbol is repeated more than three times.

(c) (12 points) What if we want to generalize the division “by three” to any value?

10. Under what operations - if any - are the following closed? In each case justify.

(a) (5 points) P

(b) (5 points) NP

(c) (5 points) NPC

11. (10 points) Let  $L_{\text{not-prime}} = \{x : x \text{ is not a prime number} \}$ . Is  $L_{\text{not-prime}}$  recursive, recursively-enumerable, or otherwise? Explain your answer.