

Theory of Computation

MIEIC, 2nd Year

João M. P. Cardoso

Email: jmpc@acm.org

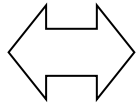
Outline

- ▶ Push Down Automata (PDAs)
- ▶ From CFGs to PDAs
- ▶ From PDAs to CFGs

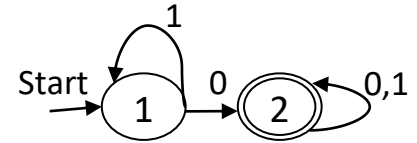
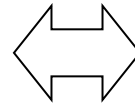
Automata with Stack

- ▶ The automata with stack are to the CFLs as the DFA, NFA, and ε -NFA automata are to RLs

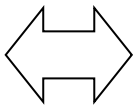
Regular
Languages (RLs)



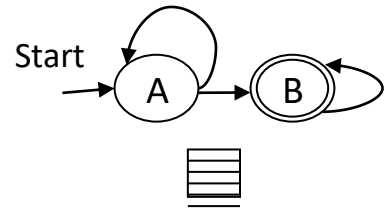
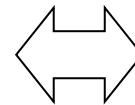
$1^*0(1+0)^*$



Context-Free
Languages (CFLs)



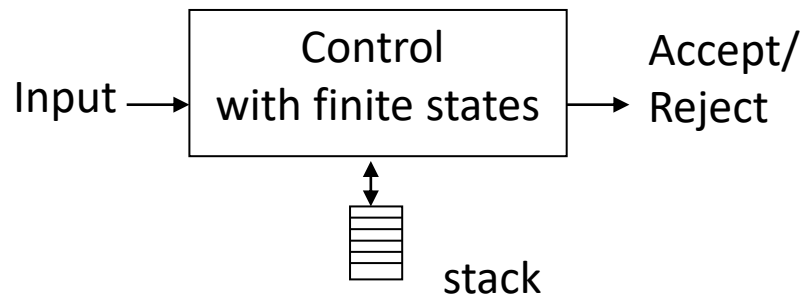
$E \rightarrow I \mid E+E \mid E \times E \mid (E)$
 $I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid I0 \mid I1$



Idea

- ▶ The pushdown automata (PDA) is a ε -NFA with a stack of symbols
 - ▶ Add the possibility to memorize an infinite quantity of information
 - ▶ The PDA only has access to the top of the stack (LIFO) [no random access memory]

- How it works:
 - The control unit reads and consumes the input symbols
 - Transition to a new state based on the current state, input symbol, and symbol in the top of the stack
 - Spontaneous transitions with ε
 - Top of the stack substituted by symbols



Example of the Palindromes

► $L_{ww^R} = \{ww^R \mid w \in (0+1)^*\}$ palindromes of even length

► CFG of the Language:

► $P \rightarrow \varepsilon \mid 0P0 \mid 1P1$

► Build a PDA

► Initial state q_0 means that the PDA didn't reach the middle of ww^R ; store in stack the symbols of w

► At every moment we assume that we may have reached the middle (end of w) and we follow a transition ε to q_1 ; the stack contains w , beginning in the bottom and finishing in the top; the non-determinism is simulated by the maintenance of the two states

► In q_1 the PDA compares the input symbol with the top of the stack; if there is not a match, the prediction was wrong and this Computing branch dies; other branch might succeed

► If the stack gets empty (and the input is finished) the PDA discovered w and w^R

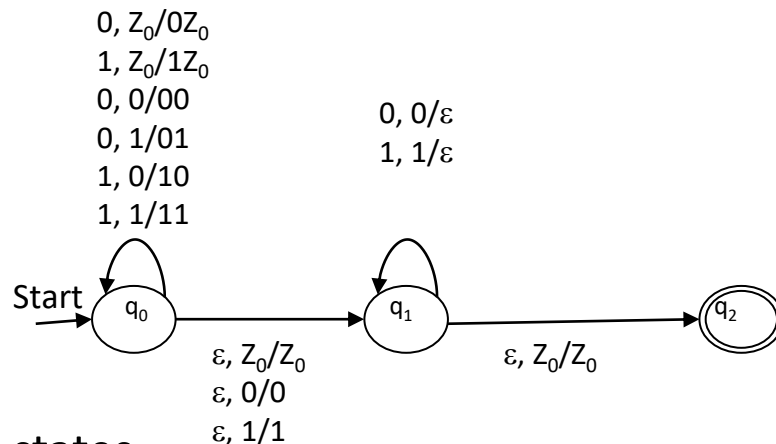
Formal Definition of PDA

- ▶ Pushdown Automaton (PDA) $P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z_0, F)$
 - ▶ Q : finite set of states
 - ▶ Σ : finite set of input symbols
 - ▶ Γ : finite alphabet of the Stack
 - ▶ δ : transition function $\delta(q, a, X) = \{(p_1, \gamma_1), \dots\}$ finite
 - ▶ q is a state, a is an input symbol or ε , X is a stack symbol
 - ▶ p_1 is a new state, γ_1 is the sequence of symbols that substituted X in the top of the stack
 - ▶ $\gamma_1 = \varepsilon$ pop of the top of the stack
 - ▶ $\gamma_1 = X$ stack is not changed
 - ▶ $\gamma_1 = YZ$ X substituted by Z followed by a push of Y
 - ▶ q_0 : initial state
 - ▶ Z_0 : initial symbol in the stack (initial content of the stack)
 - ▶ F : set of accept/final states

Back to the Palindrome Example

- ▶ PDA of L_{ww^R} $P = (\{q_0, q_1, q_2\}, \{0, 1\}, \{0, 1, Z_0\}, \delta, q_0, Z_0, \{q_2\})$
 - ▶ Z_0 is used to mark the bottom of the stack and allows in the end of the Reading of ww^R to move the PDA to the accept state q_2
 - ▶ $\delta(q_0, 0, Z_0) = \{(q_0, 0Z_0)\}$ e $\delta(q_0, 1, Z_0) = \{(q_0, 1Z_0)\}$ top of the stack on the right
 - ▶ $\delta(q_0, 0, 0) = \{(q_0, 00)\}$, $\delta(q_0, 0, 1) = \{(q_0, 01)\}$, $\delta(q_0, 1, 0) = \{(q_0, 10)\}$, $\delta(q_0, 1, 1) = \{(q_0, 11)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(q_0, \varepsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_1, Z_0)\}$, $\delta(q_0, \varepsilon, 0) = \{(q_1, 0)\}$, $\delta(q_0, \varepsilon, 1) = \{(q_1, 1)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(q_1, 0, 0) = \{(q_1, \varepsilon)\}$ and $\delta(q_1, 1, 1) = \{(q_1, \varepsilon)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(q_1, \varepsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_2, Z_0)\}$

Transition Diagram



- ▶ Nodes are states
- ▶ Arrow Start indicates the initial state
- ▶ Edges correspond to transitions
 - ▶ Label $a, X/\alpha$ from q to p means that $\delta(q, a, X)$ contains (p, α)
 - ▶ The edge indicate the input and the top of the stack before and after the transition

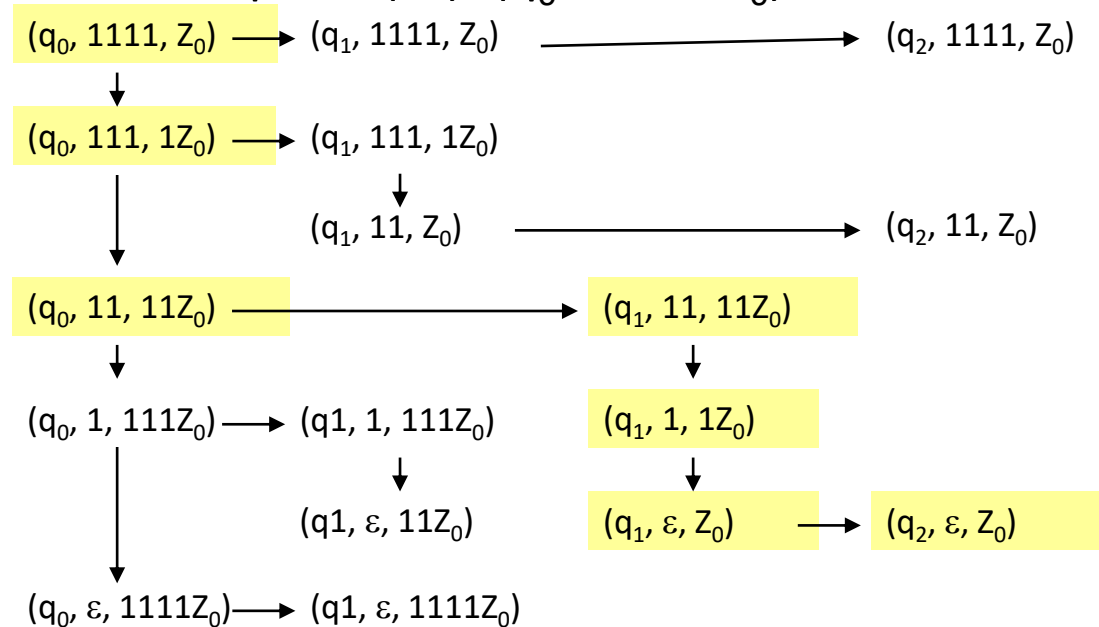
Instantaneous Description (ID)

- ▶ Computation of a PDA
 - ▶ Evolves from configuration to configuration, in response to input symbols (or ε) and modifying the stack
 - ▶ In a DFA: all the Information in the state;
 - ▶ In a PDA: state + stack
- ▶ Instantaneous description (q, w, γ)
 - ▶ q : state
 - ▶ w : input reminiscent
 - ▶ γ : stack content (top at the left)
- ▶ Step of a PDA $(Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z_0, F)$
 - ▶ If $\delta(q, a, X)$ contains (p, α) , for all strings w in Σ^* and β in Γ^*
 - ▶ $(q, aw, X\beta) \vdash_p (p, w, \alpha\beta)$
 - ▶ We use \vdash^* for zero or more steps (**computation**)

The Palindrome Example

► Input $w=1111$

► Initial Instantaneous Description (ID): $(q_0, 1111, Z_0)$



Exercise 1

- ▶ Given the PDA $P = (\{q, p\}, \{0, 1\}, \{Z_0, X\}, \delta, q, Z_0, \{p\})$ with
 - ▶ $\delta(q, 0, Z_0) = \{(q, XZ_0)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(q, 0, X) = \{(q, XX)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(q, 1, X) = \{(q, X)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(q, \varepsilon, X) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(p, \varepsilon, X) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(p, 1, X) = \{(p, XX)\}$
 - ▶ $\delta(p, 1, Z_0) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$
- ▶ Starting with the initial instantaneous description (ID), (q, w, Z_0) , show all the IDs reachable when the input is:
 - ▶ a) 01 b) 0011 c) 010

Principles Related to IDs

- ▶ If a sequence IDs (computations) is legal for a PDA P then the computations that result of adding any string w to the input in each ID is also legal
- ▶ If a computation is legal for a PDA P then the computations that result of adding any set of symbols below the bottom of the stack in each ID is also legal
 - ▶ Theorem 1: If $(q, x, \alpha) \vdash^* (p, y, \beta)$ then $(q, xw, \alpha\gamma) \vdash^* (p, yw, \beta\gamma)$
- ▶ If a computation is legal for a PDA P and a tail of the input is not consumed, then the computation that results of removing that tail from the input in each ID is also legal
 - ▶ Theorem 2: If $(q, xw, \alpha) \vdash^* (p, yw, \beta)$ then $(q, x, \alpha) \vdash^* (p, y, \beta)$

Comments

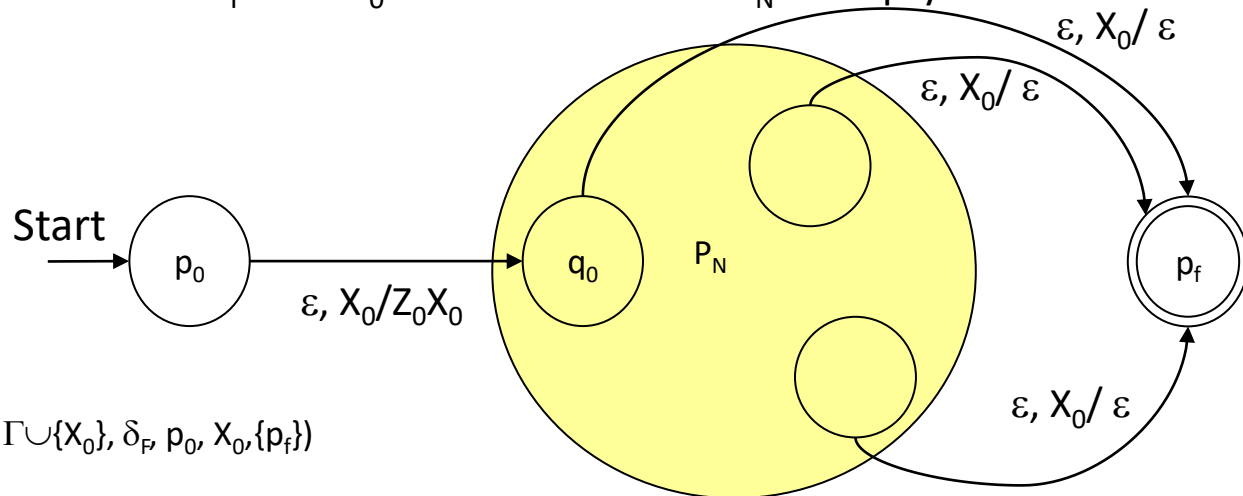
- ▶ Symbols for which P never looks cannot affect its computations
- ▶ Similar concept to the notion of context-free language:
 - ▶ What is in the sides does not affect the computation
- ▶ Theorem 2 is not the inverse of 1 because what is in the stack can influence the computation even if it is not discarded
 - ▶ For example, it can remove from the stack one symbol in each step and in the last step to add everything that was removed

Language of a PDA

- ▶ Accepting by final state
 - ▶ Given the PDA $P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, Z_0, F)$
 - ▶ Language of P accepted by final state
 - ▶ $L(P) = \{w \mid (q_0, w, Z_0) \vdash^* (q, \varepsilon, \alpha)\}$ and $q \in F$
 - ▶ Final content of the stack is irrelevant
- ▶ Example:
 - ▶ $(q_0, ww^R, Z_0) \vdash^* (q_0, w^R, w^R Z_0) \vdash (q_1, w^R, w^R Z_0) \vdash^* (q_1, \varepsilon, Z_0) \vdash (q_2, \varepsilon, Z_0)$
- ▶ Accepting by empty stack
 - ▶ $N(P) = \{w \mid (q_0, w, Z_0) \vdash^* (q, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)\}$
 - ▶ Language accepted by empty stack, set of input w consumed by P emptying at the same time the stack ($N(P) = \text{stack null}$)
- ▶ Same example: modifications to empty the stack and to obtain $N(P_N) = L(P)$
 - ▶ $\delta(q_1, \varepsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_2, Z_0)\}$ becomes $\delta(q_1, \varepsilon, Z_0) = \{(q_2, \varepsilon)\}$
 - ▶ $(q_0, ww^R, Z_0) \vdash^* (q_0, w^R, w^R Z_0) \vdash (q_1, w^R, w^R Z_0) \vdash^* (q_1, \varepsilon, Z_0) \vdash (q_2, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)$

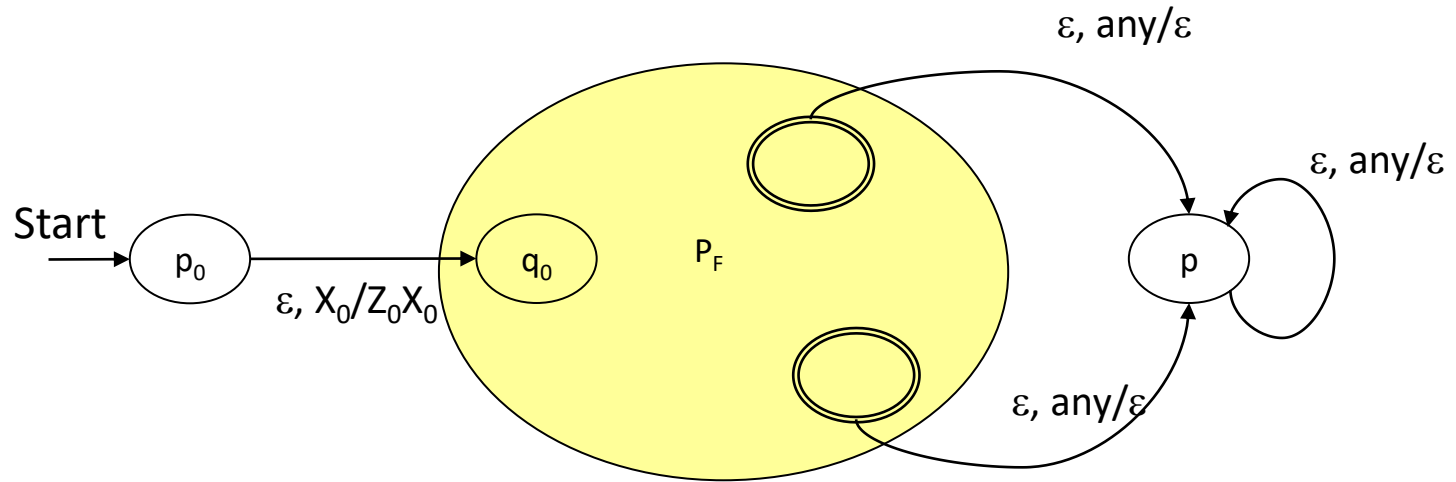
From the Empty Stack to the Final State

- ▶ Theorem: If $L = N(P_N)$ for a PDA $P_N = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta_N, q_0, Z_0)$ then there exists a PDA P_F such that $L = L(P_F)$
 - ▶ Two equivalent methods for accepting an input
 - ▶ While for a PDA P we can have $L(P) \neq N(P)$
 - ▶ Starting from P_N , use a new $X_0 \notin \Gamma$ as initial symbol of P_F and as a mark of the bottom of the stack: P_F sees X_0 when the stack of P_N is empty



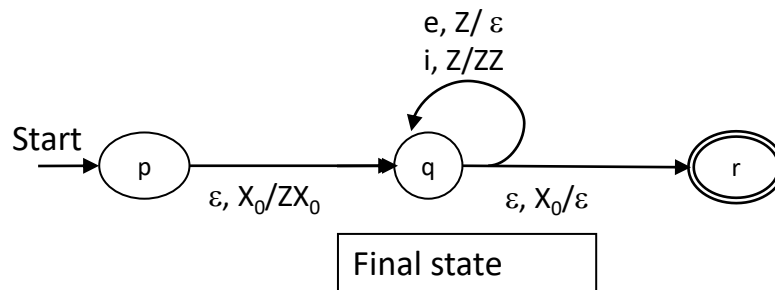
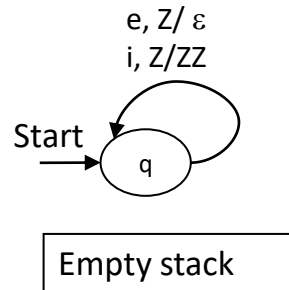
$$P_F = (Q \cup \{p_0, p_f\}, \Sigma, \Gamma \cup \{X_0\}, \delta_F, p_0, X_0, \{p_f\})$$

From the Final State to the Empty Stack



Example of Conversion

- ▶ Define a PDA which processes sequences formed with “i” and “e”, meaning the *if* and *else*, constructions present in many programming languages, detecting invalid sequences (i.e., sequences with more “e’s” than “i’s” in a prefix)
 - ▶ Initial symbol: Z; stack with Z^n means that no. of i’s – no. e’s = n-1
 - ▶ Accept by empty stack
 - ▶ Conversion to final state



Equivalence between PDAs and CFGs

- ▶ It is proved that the CFLs defined by a CFG are the languages accepted by a PDA by empty stack and thus also accepted by a PDA by final state
- ▶ Idea: given a CFG G build a PDA that simulates the leftmost derivations of G
 - ▶ Any left syntax form non-terminal can be written as $xA\alpha$,
 - ▶ Where A is the leftmost variable,
 - ▶ x are the terminals in the left of A ,
 - ▶ and α is the sequence of terminals and variables in the right of A .
 - ▶ $A\alpha$ is named tail
 - ▶ CFG $G = (V, T, Q, S)$
 - ▶ PDA that accepts $L(G)$ by empty stack: $P = (\{q\}, T, V \cup T, \delta, q, S)$
 - ▶ For each variable A :
 - ▶ $\delta(q, \epsilon, A) = \{(q, \beta) \mid A \rightarrow \beta \text{ is a production in } G\}$
 - ▶ For each terminal a :
 - ▶ $\delta(q, a, a) = \{(q, \epsilon)\}$

From CFGs to PDAs

- ▶ Given the CFG

$$\begin{array}{l} E \rightarrow I \mid E+E \mid E \times E \mid (E) \\ I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid I0 \mid I1 \end{array}$$

- ▶ Obtain a PDA for accepting the same language by empty stack

- ▶ $P_N = (\{q\}, \{a,b,0,1,(,),+, \times\}, \{a,b,0,1,(,),+, \times, E, I\}, \delta, q, E)$
- ▶ $\delta(q, \varepsilon, I) = \{(q, a), (q, b), (q, Ia), (q, Ib), (q, I0), (q, I1)\}$
- ▶ $\delta(q, \varepsilon, E) = \{(q, I), (q, E+E), (q, E \times E), (q, (E))\}$
- ▶ $\delta(q, a, a) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q, b, b) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q, 0, 0) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q, 1, 1) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q, (, () = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q,),) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q, +, +) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}; \delta(q, \times, \times) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}$

- ▶ Only one state
- ▶ Processing of variables is spontaneous
- ▶ Only the terminals consume inputs

Exercise 2

► Using a CFG and the PDA for the language of expressions

a) Obtain a leftmost derivation for $a \times (a + b00)$

b) Obtain the computing trace for the PDA, i.e., the sequence of the instantaneous descriptions

► a)

► $E \Rightarrow E \times E \Rightarrow I \times E \Rightarrow a \times E \Rightarrow a \times (E) \Rightarrow a \times (E + E) \Rightarrow a \times (I + E) \Rightarrow$

► $a \times (a + E) \Rightarrow a \times (a + I) \Rightarrow a \times (a + I0) \Rightarrow a \times (a + I00) \Rightarrow a \times (a + b00)$

$$\begin{array}{l} E \rightarrow I \mid E + E \mid E \times E \mid (E) \\ I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid I0 \mid I1 \end{array}$$

► b)

► $(q, a \times (a + b00), E) \vdash (q, a \times (a + b00), E \times E) \vdash (q, a \times (a + b00), I \times E) \vdash$

► $(q, a \times (a + b00), a \times E) \vdash (q, \times(a + b00), \times E) \vdash (q, (a + b00), E) \vdash$

► $(q, (a + b00), (E)) \vdash (q, a + b00, E) \vdash (q, a + b00, E + E) \vdash$

► $(q, a + b00, I + E) \vdash (q, a + b00, a + E) \vdash (q, +b00, +E) \vdash$

► $(q, b00, E) \vdash (q, b00, I) \vdash (q, b00, I0) \vdash (q, b00, I00) \vdash$

► $(q, b00, b00) \vdash (q, 00, 00) \vdash (q, 0, 0) \vdash (q, ,) \vdash (q, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)$

Exercise 3

► Convert the CFG below to a PDA:

1. $S \rightarrow aAA$

2. $A \rightarrow aS/bS/a$

Exercise 4

► Convert to PDA, the CFG with the following productions:

1. $A \rightarrow aAA$
2. $A \rightarrow aS \mid bS \mid a$
3. $S \rightarrow SS \mid (S) \mid \varepsilon$
4. $S \rightarrow aAS \mid bAB \mid aB$
5. $A \rightarrow bBB \mid aS \mid a$
6. $B \rightarrow bA \mid a$

From PDAs to CFGs

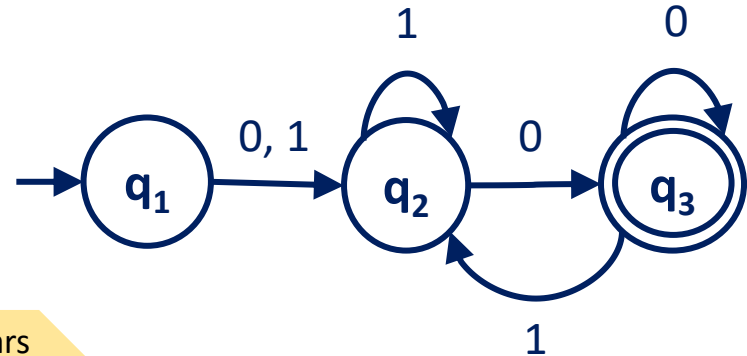
Let's Start by Converting FAs to CFGs

- ▶ One CFG variable for each FA state (e.g., q_i represented by L_i)
- ▶ One CFG rule for each transition
- ▶ For each accept state q_j we include $L_j \rightarrow \varepsilon$
- ▶ Example:

$$L_1 \rightarrow 0L_2 \mid 1L_2$$

$$L_2 \rightarrow 1L_2 \mid 0L_3$$

$$L_3 \rightarrow 1L_2 \mid 0L_3 \mid \varepsilon$$



The CFG obtained is usually identified as right-linear or right regular grammars (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Linear_grammar)

From PDAs to CFGs

► Idea:

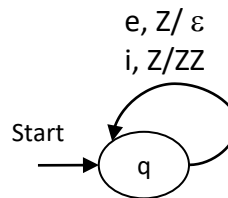
- Recognizing that the main event of the PDA processing is the pop of a symbol while consuming the input
- Add variables to the grammar for
 - Each elimination of a stack symbol X
 - Each state transition from p to q eliminating X , represented by a compound symbol $[pXq]$
- From PDA $P = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta_N, q_0, Z_0)$ build CFG $G = (V, \Sigma, R, S)$
 - Variables V : contain S and the compound symbols $[pXq]$

From PDAs to CFGs (cont.)

► Productions R:

- For all states p , G contains $S \rightarrow [q_0 Z_0 p]$ (q_0 is the start state of the PDA)
 - Symbol $[q_0 Z_0 p]$ generates all the strings w that pop Z_0 from the stack while going from state q_0 to state p , $(q_0, w, Z_0) \vdash^* (p, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)$
 - Hence S generates all the strings w that empty the stack
- If $\delta(q, a, X)$ contains $(r, Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_k)$, $k \geq 0$, $a \in \Sigma$ or $a = \varepsilon$, then for all the lists of states r_1, r_2, \dots, r_k , G contains (when $k=0$, the pair is (r, ε))
 $[q X r_k] \rightarrow a[r Y_1 r_1][r_1 Y_2 r_2] \dots [r_{k-1} Y_k r_k]$
 - A way to pop X and to go from q to r_k is to read a (it can be ε) and use some input to pop Y_1 while going from r to r_1 , etc.

PDA to CFG Example 1



- ▶ Convert the PDA $P_N = (\{q\}, \{i, e\}, \{Z\}, \delta_N, q, Z)$ to a CFG
 - ▶ Accept strings that for the first time don't follow that each "e" needs to correspond to a previous "i"
- ▶ Solution:
 - ▶ Only a state q and a stack symbol Z
 - ▶ Two variables: S , start symbol; $[qZq]$, unique symbol from the states and symbols of P_N
 - ▶ Production:
 - ▶ $S \rightarrow [qZq]$ (if there were more states p and r we would have $S \rightarrow [qZp]$ and $S \rightarrow [qZr]$)
 - ▶ From $\delta_N(q, i, Z) = \{(q, ZZ)\}$ obtain $[qZq] \rightarrow i[qZq] [qZq]$ (if there were more states p and r we would have $[qZp] \rightarrow i[qZr] [rZp]$)
 - ▶ From $\delta_N(q, e, Z) = \{(q, \epsilon)\}$ obtain $[qZq] \rightarrow e$ (Z is substituted by nothing)
 - ▶ Naming A to $[qZq]$ we obtain $S \rightarrow A \mid e \quad A \rightarrow iAA \mid e$

PDA to CFG Example 2

► $P_N = (\{q, r\}, \{0, 1\}, \{X, Z\}, \delta_N, q, Z)$

1. $\delta(q, 0, Z) = \{(q, XZ)\}$
2. $\delta(q, 0, X) = \{(q, XX)\}$
3. $\delta(q, 1, X) = \{(r, \varepsilon)\}$
4. $\delta(r, 1, X) = \{(r, \varepsilon)\}$
5. $\delta(r, \varepsilon, Z) = \{(r, \varepsilon)\}$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ε
r	1	X	r	ε
r	ε	Z	r	ε

PDA to CFG Example 2

- ▶ $P_N = (\{q, r\}, \{0, 1\}, \{X, Z\}, \delta_N, q, Z)$
- ▶ Possible variables $V = \{S, [qZq], [qZr], [qXq], [qXr], [rZq], [rZr], [rXq], [rXr]\}$.
- ▶ Variables $V = \{S, [qZq], [qXq], [qXr], [rXr], [rZr]\}$
- ▶ $S \rightarrow [qZq] \mid [qZr]$
- ▶ $[qZq] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qZq] \mid 0[qXr][rZq]$
- ▶ $[qXq] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qXq] \mid 0[qXr][rXq]$
- ▶ $[qXr] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qXr] \mid 0[qXr][rXr]$
- ▶ $[rZq] \rightarrow$
- ▶ $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rZr] \mid 0[qXq][qZr]$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ϵ
r	1	X	r	ϵ
r	ϵ	Z	r	ϵ

- ▶ $[rXq] \rightarrow$
- ▶ $[rZr] \rightarrow \epsilon$
- ▶ $[rXr] \rightarrow 1$
- ▶ $[qXr] \rightarrow 1$

PDA to CFG Example 2

► $V = \{S, \underline{[qZq]}, [qZr], \underline{[qXq]}, \underline{[qXr]}, [rZq], \underline{[rZr]}, [rXq], \underline{[rXr]}\}.$

► $[qZq], [qXq], [qXr], [rXr], [rZr]$

► $S \rightarrow [qZq] \mid [qZr]$

► $[qZq] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qZq]$

► $[qXq] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qXq]$

► $[qXr] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qXr] \mid 0[qXr][rXr] \mid 1$

► $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rZr] \mid 0[qXq][qZr]$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ϵ
r	1	X	r	ϵ
r	ϵ	Z	r	ϵ

► $[rZr] \rightarrow \epsilon$

► $[rXr] \rightarrow 1$

PDA to CFG Example 2

► $V = \{S, [qZq], [qZr], [qXq], [qXr], [rZq], [rZr], [rXq], [rXr]\}$.

► $[qZq], [qXq], [qXr], [rXr], [rZr]$

► $S \rightarrow [qZq] \mid [qZr]$

► $[qZq] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qZq]$

► $[qXq] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qXq]$

► $[qXr] \rightarrow 0[qXq][qXr] \mid 0[qXr][rXr] \mid 1$

► $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rZr] \mid 0[qXq][qZr]$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ϵ
r	1	X	r	ϵ
r	ϵ	Z	r	ϵ

► $[rZr] \rightarrow \epsilon$

► $[rXr] \rightarrow 1$

PDA to CFG Example 2

► $V = \{S, \underline{[qZq]}, [qZr], \underline{[qXq]}, \underline{[qXr]}, [rZq], \underline{[rZr]}, [rXq], \underline{[rXr]}\}.$

► $[qZq], [qXq], [qXr], [rXr], [rZr]$

► $S \rightarrow [qZq] \mid [qZr]$

► $[qXr] \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{0[qXq][qXr]} \mid 0[qXr][rXr] \mid 1$

► $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rZr] \mid \textcolor{red}{0[qXq][qZr]}$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ε
r	1	X	r	ε
r	ε	Z	r	ε

► $[rZr] \rightarrow \varepsilon$

► $[rXr] \rightarrow 1$

PDA to CFG Example 2

► $V = \{S, \underline{[qZq]}, [qZr], \underline{[qXq]}, \underline{[qXr]}, [rZq], \underline{[rZr]}, [rXq], \underline{[rXr]}\}.$

► $[qZq], [qXq], [qXr], [rXr], [rZr]$

► $S \rightarrow [qZr]$

► $[qXr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rXr] \mid 1$

► $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rZr]$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ε
r	1	X	r	ε
r	ε	Z	r	ε

► $[rZr] \rightarrow \varepsilon$

► $[rXr] \rightarrow 1$

PDA to CFG Example 2

► $V = \{S, \underline{[qZq]}, [qZr], \underline{[qXq]}, \underline{[qXr]}, [rZq], \underline{[rZr]}, [rXq], \underline{[rXr]}\}.$

► $[qZq], [qXq], [qXr], [rXr], [rZr]$

► $S \rightarrow [qZr]$

► $[qXr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rXr] \mid 1$

► $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr][rZr]$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ε
r	1	X	r	ε
r	ε	Z	r	ε

► $[rZr] \rightarrow \varepsilon$

► $[rXr] \rightarrow 1$

PDA to CFG Example 2

CFG:

- ▶ $S \rightarrow [qZr]$
- ▶ $[qXr] \rightarrow 0[qXr]1 \mid 1$
- ▶ $[qZr] \rightarrow 0[qXr]$

Substituting $[qZr]$ by A and $[qXr]$ by B :

- ▶ $S \rightarrow A$
- ▶ $B \rightarrow 0B1 \mid 1$
- ▶ $A \rightarrow 0B$

State	input	stack	New state	stack
q	0	Z	q	XZ
q	0	X	q	XX
q	1	X	r	ϵ
r	1	X	r	ϵ
r	ϵ	Z	r	ϵ

Exercise 5

► PDA $P = (\{p,q\}, \{0,1\}, \{X,Z\}, \delta, q, Z)$, with the following transition function:

1. $\delta(q, 1, Z) = \{(q, XZ)\}$
2. $\delta(q, 1, X) = \{(q, XX)\}$
3. $\delta(q, 0, X) = \{(p, X)\}$
4. $\delta(q, \varepsilon, X) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}$
5. $\delta(p, 1, X) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$
6. $\delta(p, 0, Z) = \{(q, Z)\}$

► Convert it to a CFG

Exercise 5

► PDA $P = (\{p,q\}, \{0,1\}, \{X,Z\}, \delta, q, Z)$, with the following transition function:

1. $\delta(q, 1, Z) = \{(q, XZ)\}$
2. $\delta(q, 1, X) = \{(q, XX)\}$
3. $\delta(q, 0, X) = \{(p, X)\}$
4. $\delta(q, \varepsilon, X) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}$
5. $\delta(p, 1, X) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$
6. $\delta(p, 0, Z) = \{(q, Z)\}$

► Convert it to a CFG

S is the start symbol:

$S \rightarrow [qZq] \mid [qZp]$

From rule (1):

$[qZq] \rightarrow 1[qXq][qZq]$

$[qZq] \rightarrow 1[qXp][pZq]$

$[qZp] \rightarrow 1[qXq][qZp]$

$[qZp] \rightarrow 1[qXp][pZp]$

From rule (2):

$[qXq] \rightarrow 1[qXq][qXq]$

$[qXq] \rightarrow 1[qXp][pXq]$

$[qXp] \rightarrow 1[qXq][qXp]$

$[qXp] \rightarrow 1[qXp][pXp]$

From rule (3):

$[qXq] \rightarrow 0[pXq]$

$[qXp] \rightarrow 0[pXp]$

From rule (4):

$[qXq] \rightarrow \varepsilon$

From rule (5):

$[pXp] \rightarrow 1$

From rule (6):

$[pZq] \rightarrow 0[qZq]$

$[pZp] \rightarrow 0[qZp]$

Exercise 6

► PDA $P = (\{q, p\}, \{0, 1\}, \{Z_0, X\}, \delta, q, Z_0, \{p\})$ with transition function

► $\delta(q, 0, Z_0) = \{(q, XZ_0)\}$

► $\delta(q, 0, X) = \{(q, XX)\}$

► $\delta(q, 1, X) = \{(q, X)\}$

► $\delta(q, \varepsilon, X) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$

► $\delta(p, \varepsilon, X) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$

► $\delta(p, 1, X) = \{(p, XX)\}$

► $\delta(p, 1, Z_0) = \{(p, \varepsilon)\}$

► Obtain a CFG