

Concepts of Context-Free Languages (CFLs) and Context-Free Grammars (CFGs)

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1. A Context-Free Language (CFL) is a language that:
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- ☐ can be represented by a Context-Free Grammar (CFG)
- ☐ can only be represented by a Context-Free Grammar (CFG)

2. The language of the strings with sequences of 0's followed by sequences of 1's and with the same number of 0's and 1's is:
(1 Point)

- ☐ a Context-Free Language (CFL), but can be represented by a regular expression
- ☐ a Context-Free Language (CFL) and cannot be represented by a regular expression

3. Consider the following CFG:

$A \rightarrow AB \mid B$

$B \rightarrow b$

What is the leftmost derivation for the input string bbb:

(1 Point)

☐ $A \Rightarrow AB \Rightarrow ABB \Rightarrow BBB \Rightarrow bBB \Rightarrow bbB \Rightarrow bbb$

☐ $A \Rightarrow AB \Rightarrow Ab \Rightarrow ABb \Rightarrow Abb \Rightarrow Bbb \Rightarrow bbb$

4. A CFG G is said to be ambiguous when:

(1 Point)

☐ its CFL, $L(G)$, is ambiguous

☐ there is at least one string in $L(G)$ that has two or more syntax trees

☐ there are leftmost and rightmost derivations of each string w in $L(G)$

☐ there is a doubt about if a string w is in $L(G)$

5. Is the following CFG:

$A \rightarrow AB \mid B$

$B \rightarrow b$

ambiguous?

(1 Point)

☐ YES

☐ NO

6. Suppose the ambiguous grammar G1:

$E \rightarrow I \mid E+E \mid E \times E \mid (E)$

$I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid I0 \mid I1$

and the following non-ambiguous grammar G2:

$E \rightarrow I \mid E+I \mid E \times I \mid (E)$

$I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid I0 \mid I1$

Is $L(G1) = L(G2)$?

(1 Point)

☐ YES

☐ NO

7. Suppose the ambiguous grammar G1:

$E \rightarrow I \mid E+E \mid E \times E \mid (E)$

$I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid I0 \mid I1$

and the following non-ambiguous grammar G3:

$E \rightarrow J \mid E \times J$

$J \rightarrow I \mid J+I$

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

Is $L(G1) = L(G3)$?

(1 Point)

☐ TRUE

☐ FALSE

8. Any ambiguous CFG can be modified to a non-ambiguous CFG (representing the same language):
(1 Point)

- ☐ Only if the language of the ambiguous CFG is not an ambiguous language
- ☐ Always

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