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 Dept. of Computer Science and Software Engineering
 COMP 335 – Introduction to Theoretical Computer Science
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Assignment 4

Submission through Moodle due on Tuesday November 21 at 23:55

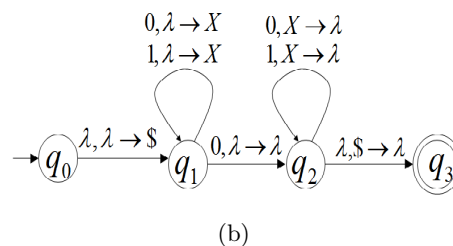
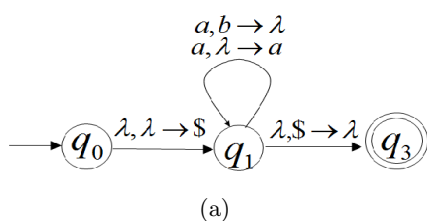
1. (10 points) Construct an NPDA that accepts the language generated by the following grammar.

$$S \rightarrow aABB \mid aAA$$

$$A \rightarrow aBB \mid a$$

$$B \rightarrow bBB \mid A$$

2. (10 points) Give concise descriptions of the languages accepted by each of the following PDAs. (Note: \$ is the bottom of stack marker/stack start symbol.)



3. (15 points) Construct PDAs that accept the following languages.

(a) $\{a^n b^m : m \geq n\}$

(b) $\{a^i b^j a^k d^l : i + j = k + l\}$

(c) $\{a^i w c^k : i \geq 0, w \in \{a, b\}^* \text{ and } k = n_a(w)\}$

4. (15 points) For each of the following languages, say whether it is a DCFL. Justify your answers.

(a) $\{a^n b^m : n \leq m \leq 2n\}$

(b) $\{a^n b^n : n \geq 1\} \cup \{b\}$

(c) $\{a^m b^n c^p : m < n \text{ or } n < p\}$