

Instructions: The first part of the exam is comprised of 14 multiple choice and 3 true/false questions. Provide your answer to each question (circle only one entry per question) using the scantron sheet that has your name on it. No phones/calculators/laptops are permitted during the exam. You have 75 minutes to complete both parts of the exam.

- Which of the following languages is **not** context-free? Assume m is a positive integer and $\Sigma = \{0,1,2\}$.
 A) $\{0^m 1^m 2^m\}$ B) $\{0^m 1^m\}$ C) $\{01^m 2^m\}$ D) $\{0^m 1^m 2\}$
- A Turing machine is a **decider** if it ...
 A) halts on all inputs except the empty string
 B) halts on all inputs
 C) rejects a reasonable number of strings not in the language
 D) never needs to read the entire input to reject an input string
- Which of the following is **not** a property of a Turing machine?
 A) finite length tape
 B) can read from and write to the tape
 C) finite number of states
 D) can reject without reading entire input
- Suppose you have a Turing machine with the following δ transitions for $\Sigma = \{0\}$. Assume $\Gamma = \{0, A, B, x\}$ and $Q = \{r, s, t, u, v, w\}$ with β representing a blank character.

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(r, 0) &= \langle s, A, R \rangle \\ \delta(s, 0) &= \langle u, x, R \rangle \\ \delta(t, \beta) &= \langle w, \beta, L \rangle \\ \delta(v, B) &= \langle r, A, R \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Which of the following is the next machine configuration after $s000$?

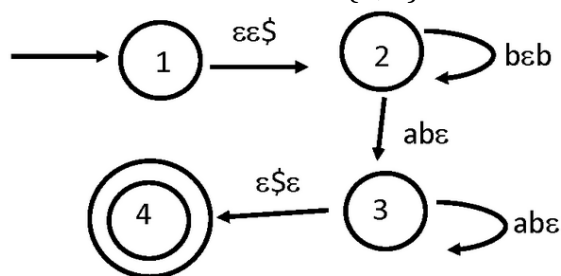
- A) $Axso$
- B) $xu00$
- C) $xsu0$
- D) $As00$

- For the same Turing machine from **Question 4**, which of the following is the next machine configuration after $ABr0$?
 A) $Axwx$
 B) $ABxs$
 C) $Axxu$
 D) $ABAs$

- For the same Turing machine from **Question 4**, which of the following is the next machine configuration after $AAxt$?
 A) $Axwx$
 B) $Arx0$
 C) $Axxu$
 D) $AAwx$

- For the same Turing machine from **Question 4**, which of the following is the next machine configuration after $xvB0$?
 A) $Axwx$
 B) $xArx$
 C) $xAr0$
 D) $Ar00$

- Which string below would **not** be recognized by the PDA below? Assume $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$.



- A) bba B) ba C) $bbaa$ D) $bbbbaa$

- Which machine below **cannot** recognize or generate the language $\{1^n 0^n \mid n \geq 0\}$ for terminals 0 and 1?

- A) CFG B) PDA C) DFA D) Turing Machine

- (True/False) A Turing machine for a *Turing-recognizable* language is **not** guaranteed to halt on all inputs.

- A) true B) false

11. (True/False) The PDAs for non-regular languages **cannot** exploit nondeterminism to recognize words in the languages.

- A) true
- B) false

12. Which of the following sequences of PDA stack operations will execute the grammar rule

$$S \rightarrow 0A1,$$

where 0 and 1 are terminals and S and A are variables?

- A) $\epsilon S1, \epsilon \epsilon A, \epsilon \epsilon 0$
- B) $\epsilon S0, \epsilon \epsilon A, \epsilon \epsilon 1$
- C) $\epsilon S0, \epsilon A \epsilon, \epsilon 1 \epsilon$
- D) $\epsilon 0S, \epsilon \epsilon A, \epsilon 1 \epsilon$

13. Assuming $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$, how many grammar rules in the CFG below are **not** in CNF format?

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow a S b \mid b Y \\ Y &\rightarrow b Y \mid a Y \mid a \end{aligned}$$

- A) 1
- B) 2
- C) 3
- D) 4

14. Consider the language $A = \{0^n 1^n 0^n 1^n \mid 0 \leq n \leq 4\}$. Suppose A is a CFL with pumping length 4. Choose the string $s = 0^3 1^3 0^3 1^3$ from A and partition it into $uvxyz$ so that all three conditions of the Lemma for CFLs hold. Let ϵ represent the empty string and assume that the statement $y = 0$ means that a single zero occupies the partition y. Which of the following is an **incorrect assumption** that follows according to Conditions 2 and 3 of the Pumping Lemma for CFLs?

- A) if $y=0$, v could not be ϵ
- B) both v and y could not contain different symbols (i.e., only one of them can have both 0's and 1's)
- C) if $u = \epsilon$, y could not contain more than one 1
- D) if $v = 1$, x and y could contain different symbols (i.e., one could have 0s and the other has 1s or vice-versa)

15. Consider the language $B = \{ww^R \mid w \in \{0,1\}^*\}$. Suppose B is a CFL with pumping length p . Choose the string $s = 01^p 1^p 0$ from B and partition it into $uvxyz$ so that all three conditions of the Pumping Lemma for CLFs hold. Let ϵ represent the empty string and assume that the statement $y = 0$ means that a single zero occupies the partition y. Which of the following is an **incorrect assumption** that follows according to Condition 1 of the Pumping Lemma for CFLs?

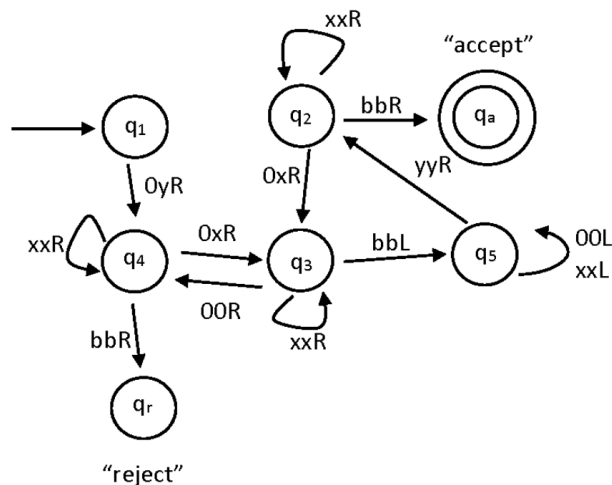
- A) if $x = \epsilon$, there is a way that s can be pumped up (i.e., $s = uv^2xy^2z$ is in B)
- B) if vxy straddles the midpoint of s in anyway, then s can be pumped up (i.e., $s = uv^2xy^2z$ is in B)
- C) if $x = \epsilon$, there is a way that s can be pumped down (i.e., $s = uv^0xy^0z$ is in B)
- D) if $u = \epsilon$, then $s = uv^2xy^2z$ cannot be in B

16. (True/False) Any CFG for a CFL (Context-Free Language) can be used to construct a PDA that recognizes the CFL.

- A) true
- B) false

17. Consider the 7-state Turing Machine below that decides a particular language L. The only symbols that can be read from or written to the tape are x, y, 0, or b (where **b** denotes a blank). The only symbol in the language L is 0 (i.e., zero).

Which of the following is the final machine configuration for the initial machine configuration $q_1 0000$?



- A) $yxb0xq_r$
- B) $yxxx bq_a$
- C) $yyxx q_a$
- D) $yxx0bq_r$