

## WEEK 11: Lecture Notes

### Deterministic PDA:

A PDA  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$  is deterministic if

i)  $\delta(q, a, z)$  is either empty or a singleton set for each  $q \in Q$ ,  $a \in \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}$  and  $z \in \Gamma$

ii)  $\delta(q, \epsilon, z) \neq \emptyset$  implies  $\delta(q, a, z) = \emptyset \ \forall a \in \Sigma$

- DFA, NFA are equivalent with respect to the languages accepted
- Same is not true for PDA
- $ww^R$  is accepted by non-deterministic PDA, but is not accepted by any deterministic PDA

### Example

Consider the PDA

$$M = (\{q_0, q_1, q_f\}, \{a, b, z_0\}, \delta, q_0, z_0, \{q_f\})$$

where  $\delta$  is defined by:

$$\delta(q_0, a, z_0) = \{(q_0, az_0)\}, \quad \delta(q_0, b, z_0) = \{(q_0, bz_0)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, a) = \{q_0, aa\}, \quad \delta(q_0, b, a) = \{(q_0, ba)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, b) = \{q_0, ab\}, \quad \delta(q_0, b, b) = \{(q_0, bb)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, c, a) = \{(q_1, a)\}, \quad \delta(q_0, c, b) = \{(q_1, b)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, c, z_0) = \{(q_1, z_0)\}, \quad \delta(q_1, a, a) = \delta(q_1, b, b)$$

$$\delta(q_1, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_f, z_0)\} = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_f, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_f, \epsilon)\}$$

Then,

$$N(M) = \{wcw^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^*\}$$

## Pushdown Automata and Context-free languages

- Class of languages accepted by PDA's are precisely the class of CFLs.

language accepted by PDAs final state are exactly the languages accepted by PDA's by empty stack, i.e.  $N(M_1) = L$  iff  $L(M_2) = L$ , where  $M_1, M_2$  are accepted

languages accepted by empty state are exactly the CFLs i.e.  $N(M) = L$  iff  $L$  is a CFL

### Equivalence of acceptance by final state and empty state

#### Theorem:

If  $L$  is  $L(M_2)$  for some PDA  $M_2$  then  $L$  is  $N(M_1)$  for some PDA  $M_1$ .

#### Proof:

Let  $M_2 = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$  be a PDA such that  $L = L(M_2)$

Let  $M_1 = (Q \cup \{q_e, q_0'\}, \Sigma, \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}, \delta', q_0,$

where  $\delta'$  is defined as follows:

$$R_1: \delta'(q_0', \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_0, z_0 x_0)\}$$

$$R_2: \delta'(q, a, z) = \delta(q, a, z) \cup \{(q, a, z) \in Q \times \{\epsilon\} \times \Gamma\}$$

$$R_3: \delta'(q, \epsilon, z) \text{ contains } (q_e, \epsilon) \forall q \in F \text{ and } z \in \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}$$

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- $R_1$  causes  $M_1$  to enter the initial ID of  $M_2$ , except that  $M_1$  will have its own bottom of the stack marker which is below the symbol of  $M_2$ 's stack.
- $R_2$  allow  $M_1$  to simulate  $M_2$
- Should  $M_2$  ever enter a final state  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  allow  $M_1$  the choice of entering state  $q_e$  and erasing its stack

Note:  $M_2$  may possibly erase its entire stack for some input  $x$  not in  $L(M_2)$  (i.e. without entering to a final state of  $F$ )

This is why  $M_1$  has its own special bottom-of-stack marker  $X_0$

Otherwise,  $M_1$  in simulating  $M_2$  would also erase its entire stack, thereby accepting  $x$  when it should not.

To prove  $L(M_2) \subseteq N(M_1)$

Let  $x \in L(M_2)$

Then  $(q_0, x, z_0) \xrightarrow{*}_{M_2} (q, \epsilon, r)$  for some  $q \in F$

Now consider  $M_1$  with input  $x$

By  $R_1$ ,

$$(q'_0, x, X_0) \xrightarrow{M_1} (q_0, x, z_0 X_0)$$

By  $R_2$ , every move of  $M_2$  is a legal move of  $M_1$ , thus

$$(q_0, x, z_0) \xrightarrow{*}_{M_1} (q, \epsilon, r)$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned}(q_0', x, x_0) &\xrightarrow{M_1} (q_0, x, z_0 x_0) \\ &\xrightarrow{M_1^*} (q, \varepsilon, \gamma x_0) \\ &\xrightarrow{M_1^*} (q_e, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)\end{aligned}$$

By  $R_3$  and  $R_4$

and  $M_1$  accepts  $x$  by empty stack.

Thus  $x \in N(M_1)$

To prove  $N(M_1) \subseteq L(M_2)$

If  $M_1$  accepts  $x$  by empty stack, it is easy to show that the sequence of moves must be

- i. one move by  $R_1$
- ii. then a sequence of moves by  $R_2$  in which  $M_1$  simulates acceptance of  $x$  by  $M_2$  followed by the erasing of  $M_1$ 's stack using  $R_3$  and  $R_4$

Thus

$$x \in L(M_2)$$



## Theorem

If  $L$  is  $N(M_1)$  for some PDA  $M_1$ , then  $L$  is  $L(M_2)$  for some PDA  $M_2$

Proof:

Let  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, \phi)$  be a PDA such that

$$L = N(M_1)$$

Let  $M_2 = (Q \cup \{q_0', q_f\}, \Sigma, \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}, \delta', q_0', x_0, \{q_f\})$

where  $\delta'$  is defined as:

$$R_1: \delta'(q_0', \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_0, z_0 x_0)\}$$

$$R_2: \delta'(q, a, z) = \delta(q, a, z) \quad \forall q \in Q, a \in \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}, z \in \Gamma$$

$$R_3: \delta'(q, \epsilon, x_0) \text{ contains } (q_f, \epsilon) \quad \forall q \in Q$$

- $R_1$  causes  $M_2$  to enter the initial ID of  $M_1$ , except that  $M_2$  will have its own **bottom-of-stack** marker  $x_0$ .
- $R_2$  allows  $M_2$  to simulate  $M_1$ ,  
should  $M_1$  ever erase its entire stack, then  $M_2$ , when simulating  $M_1$ , will erase its entire stack except the symbol  $x_0$  at the bottom.
- $R_3$  causes  $M_2$ , when  $x_0$  appears, to enter a final state thereby accepting the input  $w$ .

The proof that  $L(M_2) = N(M_1)$  is similar to the previous proof.

Example: Consider the PDA  $M_1$  given by

$$M_1 = (\{q_0, q_1\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, z_0\}, \delta, q_0, z_0, \phi)$$

where  $\delta$  is given by

$$R_1: \delta(q_0, a, z_0) = \{(q_0, az_0)\}$$

$$R_2: \delta(q_0, a, a) = \{(q_0, aa)\}$$

$$R_3: \delta(q_0, b, a) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$R_4: \delta(q_1, b, a) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$R_5: \delta(q_1, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

Determine  $N(M_1)$ . Also construct a PDA  $M_2$  such that  $L(M_2) = N(M_1)$

Soln:

- $R_1$  stores  $a$  in PDS
- $R_2$  repeatedly stores  $a$  in PDS (thus string  $a^n$  in PDS)
- $R_3$  is used to erase  $a$  from PDS when  $b$  is encountered for the first time and PDA transits to state  $q$
- $R_4$  repeatedly erases  $a$  from PDS when  $b$  is encountered and PDA remain in the same state  $q$
- $R_5$  empties PDS if  $z_0$  remains in stack after processing the entire input.

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Thus, } (q_0, a^n b^n, z_0) &\vdash^* (q_0, b^n, a^n z_0) \\
&\vdash (q_1, b^{n-1}, a^{n-1} z_0) \text{ by } R_1 \text{ and } R_2 \\
&\vdash^* (q_1, \varepsilon, z_0) \text{ by } R_3 \text{ and } R_4 \\
&\vdash (q_1, \varepsilon \varepsilon) \text{ by } R_5
\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $a^n b^n \in N(M)$

$$\text{i.e. } \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\} \subseteq N(M)$$

To prove  $N(M) \subseteq \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$

• Let  $w \in N(M)$

→ Then  $(q_0, w, z_0) \vdash_M^* (q_1, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)$

(Note: PDS can be emptied only when  $M$  is in state  $q_1$ .)

- Also  $w$  must start with  $a$ , otherwise we cannot make any move.
- We store  $a$  in PDS if current input symbol is  $a$  and the topmost symbol of PDS is either  $a$  or  $z_0$ .
- PDA erases  $a$  in PDS if current input symbol is  $b$ .
- PDA enters ID  $(q_1, \varepsilon, \varepsilon)$  only by  $R_5$ .
- PDA can reach ID  $(q_1, \varepsilon, z_0)$  only by erasing  $a$ 's in PDS, which is possible.
- When # of  $b$ 's = # of  $a$ 's and so  $w = a^n b^n$

Thus  $N(M) = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$

Construction of  $M_2$  such that  $L(M_2) = N(M_1)$

$$M_1 = (\{q_0, q_1\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, z_0\}, \delta, q_0, z_0, +)$$

↓ construct

$$M_2 = (\{q_0, q_1, q_0', q_1'\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, z_0, x_0\}, \delta', q_0', x_0, \{q_1'\})$$

where  $\delta'$  is defined by

added rule  $\rightarrow \delta'(q_0', \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_0, z_0 x_0)\}$

follow given rules

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta'(q_0, a, z_0) = \delta(q_0, a, z_0) = \{(q_0, a z_0)\} \\ \delta'(q_0, a, a) = \{(q_0, a a)\} \\ \delta'(q_0, b, a) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \\ \delta'(q_1, b, a) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \\ \delta'(q_1, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \end{array} \right.$$

added rules

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta'(q_0, \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_1', \epsilon)\} \\ \delta'(q_1, \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_1', \epsilon)\} \end{array} \right.$$

Thus

$$L(M_2) = N(M_1)$$



## Equivalence of PDA's and CFL's

Theorem:

If  $L$  is a CFL, then there exists a PDA  $M$  such that  
 $L = N(M)$

Proof:

Assume that  $\epsilon \notin L(G)$

(The construction can be modified if  $\epsilon \in L(G)$ )

Let  $G = (V, T, P, s)$  be a CFG in GNF generation  $L$

Let  $M = (\{q\}, T, v, \delta, q, s, \phi)$

where  $\delta(q, a, A)$  contains  $(q, r)$  whenever  $A \rightarrow ar$  is in  $P$ .

Claim:

$s \xRightarrow{*} \alpha$  by a leftmost derivation iff

$$(q, \alpha, s) \vdash_M^* (q, \epsilon, \alpha)$$

where  $\alpha \in T^*, \epsilon \in V^*$

Example:

Construct a PDA  $M$  equivalent to the following CFG:  
 $s \rightarrow 0BB, B \rightarrow 0s | 1s | 0$

Test whether  $010^4$  is in  $N(M)$ .

Soln:

$M = (\{q\}, \{0, 1\}, \{s, B\}, \delta, q, s, \phi)$  where  $\delta$  is defined by

$$\delta(q, 0, s) = \{(q, BB)\}, \quad \delta(q, 1, B) = \{(q, B)\}$$

$$\delta(q, 0, B) = \{(q, s), (q, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{So, } (q, 010^4, s) &\vdash (q, 10^4, BBB) \\
&\vdash (q, 0^4, sB) \\
&\vdash (q, 0^3, BBBB) \\
&\vdash (q, 0^2, BBB) \\
&\vdash (q, 0, BB) \\
&\vdash (q, \epsilon, B) \\
&\vdash (q, \epsilon, \epsilon) \\
&\text{accept}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $010^4 \in N(M)$

Claim:

$$\begin{aligned}
s &\stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow} x\alpha, \quad x \in T^*, \alpha \in V^* \\
&\text{iff } (q, x, s) \vdash_m^* (q, \epsilon, \alpha) \quad \text{--- (1)}
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

if part

Let  $(q, x, s) \vdash^i (q, \epsilon, \alpha)$  and show by induction on  $i$  that  $s \stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow} x\alpha$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Base: } i=0: & \quad (q, x, s) \vdash^0 (q, \epsilon, \alpha) \\
& \text{i.e. } x = \epsilon, \alpha = s \text{ and} \\
& \quad s \stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow} s (= x\alpha) \text{ holds}
\end{aligned}$$

Induction step

Let  $i > 0$  and  $x = ya, y \in T^*, a \in T$

Consider next to last step:

$$\begin{aligned}
(q, ya, s) &\vdash^{i-1} (q, a, \beta) \vdash (q, \epsilon, \alpha), \quad \beta \in V^* \\
&\underbrace{\hspace{10em}} \\
&(q, y, s) \vdash^{i-1} (q, \epsilon, \beta)
\end{aligned}$$

By induction hypothesis

$$S \xRightarrow{*} \gamma\beta, \quad \gamma \in T^*, \beta \in V^*$$

Also, the last move

$$(q, a, \beta) \vdash (q, \varepsilon, \alpha)$$

implies

$$\beta = A\gamma \text{ for some } A \in V$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} (q, a, A\gamma) \vdash (q, \varepsilon, \eta\gamma) \text{ if } \delta(q, a, A) \text{ contains } (q, \eta) \\ \quad = (q, \varepsilon, \alpha) \text{ i.e. if } A \rightarrow a\eta \text{ is in } P \\ \text{implies } \alpha = \eta\gamma \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{Thus, } S \xRightarrow{*} \gamma\beta \Rightarrow \gamma a\eta\gamma = \gamma\alpha = \alpha$$

and we conclude the 'if' part of (1)

only if part:

Let  $S \xRightarrow{i} \alpha\alpha, \alpha \in T^*, \alpha \in V^*$  by a leftmost derivation.

We show by induction on  $i$  that

$$(q, \alpha, S) \vdash^* (q, \varepsilon, \alpha)$$

Base:  $i=0$

$$\alpha = \varepsilon, \alpha = S \text{ as } S \xRightarrow{0} \alpha\alpha$$

$$\therefore (q, \alpha, S) = (q, \varepsilon, S) \vdash^0 (q, \varepsilon, \alpha)$$

Inductive step:

Let  $i > 0$  and suppose  $S \xRightarrow{i-1} \gamma A\gamma \Rightarrow \gamma a\eta\gamma$

where  $\alpha = \gamma a, \alpha = \eta\gamma$  and  $A \rightarrow a\eta$  is in  $P$  as  $G$  is in GNF

By induction hypothesis

$$(q, y, s) \vdash_M^* (q, \epsilon, Ar)$$

and thus  $(q, ya, s) \vdash_M^* (q, a, Ar)$

Since  $A \rightarrow a\eta$  is in  $P$ , it follows that  $\delta(q, a, A)$  contains  $(q, \eta)$ .

$$\text{Thus } (q, x, s) \vdash_M^* (q, a, Ar)$$

$$\vdash_M (q, \epsilon, \eta r) = (q, \epsilon, \alpha)$$

and the 'only if' part of ① follows.

### Alternative construction

If  $G$  is **not** in GNF, set PDA  $M$  to be

$$M = (\{q\}, T, V \cup T, \delta, q, s, \phi)$$

where  $\delta$  is defined as follows:

1.  $\delta(q, \epsilon, A) = \{(q, \alpha) \mid A \rightarrow \alpha \text{ is in } P\}$
2.  $\delta(q, a, a) = \{(q, \epsilon)\}$  for every  $a \in T$

Example: Convert the CFG  $G$  given below to a PDA.

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

$$I \rightarrow a \mid b \mid Ia \mid Ib \mid Io \mid II$$

Soln:

$$M = (\{q\}, \underbrace{\{a, b, o, l, +, *, (, )\}}_T, \{I, E\} \cup T, \delta, q, s, \phi)$$

where  $\delta$  is defined as

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, E) = \{(q, I), (q, E + E), (q, E * E), (q, (E))\}$$

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, I) = \{(q, a), (q, b), (q, Ia), (q, Ib), (q, Io), (q, II)\}$$

$$\delta(q, c, c) = \{(q, \epsilon)\} \quad \forall c \in T$$



Example:

$G$  is a CFG with productions

$$S \rightarrow 0BB, \quad B \rightarrow 0S \mid 1S \mid 0$$

Convert it to PDA  $M$  such that

$$N(M) = L(G)$$

Sol<sup>n</sup>:

$$M = (\{q\}, \{0, 1\}, \{s, B, 0, 1\}, \delta, q, s, \phi)$$

$\quad \quad \quad \text{"T"} \quad \quad \quad \text{"VUT"}$

where  $\delta$  is defined as

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, s) = \{(q, 0BB)\}$$

$$\delta(q, \epsilon, B) = \{(q, 0s), (q, 1s), (q, 0)\}$$

$$\delta(q, 0, 0) = \{(q, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q, 1, 1) = \{(q, \epsilon)\}$$

Check  $010^4 \in N(M)$  or not.

$$(q, 010^4, s) \vdash (q, 010^4, 0BB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 10^4, BB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 10^4, 1sB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0^4, sB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0^4, 0BBB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0^3, BBB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0^3, 0BB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0^2, BB)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0^2, 0B)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0, B)$$

$$\vdash (q, 0, 0)$$

$$\vdash (q, \epsilon, \epsilon)$$

accept

## Theorem

The following three statements are equivalent

1.  $L$  is a CFL
2.  $L = N(M_1)$  for some PDA  $M_1$
3.  $L = L(M_2)$  for some PDA  $M_2$

(Proofs skipped, only constructions are given)

•  $(3) \Rightarrow (2)$

$$M_2 = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, F)$$

such that  $L = L(M_2)$

↓ Construct  $M_1$  s.t.  $L = N(M_1)$

$$M_1 = (Q, \cup \{q_e, q_0'\}, \Sigma, \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}, \delta', q_0', x_0, \Phi)$$

where  $\delta'$  is defined as follows

$$R_1: \delta'(q_0', \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_0, z_0 x_0)\}$$

$$\delta'(q, a, z) = \delta(q, a, z) \quad \forall q \in Q, a \in \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}, z \in \Gamma$$

$$\delta'(q, \epsilon, z) \text{ contains } (q_e, \epsilon) \quad \forall q \in F, z \in \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}$$

$$\delta'(q_e, \epsilon, z) \text{ contains } (q_e, \epsilon) \quad \forall z \in \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}$$

• (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3)

$M_1 = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, \phi)$  such that  $L = N(M_1)$

$\downarrow$  construct  $M_2$  s.t.  $L = L(M_2)$

$M_2 = (Q \cup \{q_0', q_f\}, \Sigma, \Gamma \cup \{x_0\}, \delta', q_0', x_0, \{q_f\})$

where  $\delta'$  is defined as follows:

$$R_1: \delta'(q_0', \epsilon, x_0) = \{(q_0, z_0 x_0)\}$$

$$R_2: \delta'(q, a, z) = \delta(q, a, z) \quad \forall q \in Q, a \in \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\} \text{ and } z \in \Gamma$$

$$R_3: \delta'(q, \epsilon, x_0) \text{ contains } (q_f, \epsilon) \quad \forall q \in Q$$

• (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)

$G = (V, T, P, S)$  such that  $L = L(G)$

$\downarrow$  construct  $M_1$  s.t.  $L = N(M_1)$

$M_1 = (\{q\}, T, V, \delta, q, S, \phi)$

where  $\delta(q, a, A)$  contains  $(q, r)$

whenever  $A \rightarrow ar$  is in  $P$ .

Alternative construction of  $M_1$  from  $G$

$G = (V, T, P, S)$  not in GNF with  $L = L(G)$

$\downarrow$  construct  $M_1$  s.t.  $L = N(M_1)$

$M_1 = (\{q\}, T, V \cup T, \delta, q, S, \phi)$

where  $\delta$  is defined as

$$(i) \quad \delta(q, \epsilon, A) = \{(q, \alpha) \mid A \rightarrow \alpha \text{ is in } P\}$$

$$(ii) \quad \delta(q, a, a) = \{(q, \epsilon)\} \text{ for every } a \in T$$

• (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1)

$M_1 = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, \Phi)$  such that  $L = N(M_1)$

$\downarrow$  construct  $G = (V, T, P, S)$  s.t.  $L = L(G)$

$G = (V, T, P, S)$ ,  $T = \Sigma$ ,  $V = S \cup \{[q, z, p] \mid q, p \in Q, z \in \Gamma\}$

and  $P$  is set of following productions

i.  $S \rightarrow [q_0, z_0, p] \quad \forall p \in Q$

ii.  $(q_1, \epsilon) \in \delta(q, a, z)$  induces production  
 $[q, z, q_1] \rightarrow a$

iii.  $(q, z, z_2 \dots z_m) \in \delta(q, a, z)$  yields productions

$$[q, z, q_{m+1}] \rightarrow a [q_1, z_1, q_2] [q_2, z_2, q_3] \dots$$
$$\dots [q_m, z_m, q_{m+1}]$$

for each  $q_1, q_2 \dots q_{m+1} \in Q$

$z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m \in \Gamma$

and  $a \in \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}$



## Theorem

If  $L$  is  $N(M)$  for some PDA  $M$ , then  $L$  is a CFL.

Proof:

Let  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z_0, \#)$

(construction of  $G$ )

We define  $G = (V, \Sigma, P, S)$  where

$$V = \{S\} \cup \{[q, z, p] \mid q, p \in Q, z \in \Gamma\}$$

$P$  is the set of productions:

1.  $S \rightarrow [q_0, z_0, q]$  for each  $q \in Q$

2a.  $[q, z, q_{m+1}] \rightarrow a [q_1, z_1, q_2] [q_2, z_2, q_3] \dots [q_m, z_m, q_{m+1}]$

for each  $q, q_1, q_2, \dots, q_{m+1} \in Q$

each  $a \in \Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}$  and

$z_1, z_2, \dots, z_m \in \Gamma$  such that

$$(q_1, z_1, z_2 \dots z_m) \in \delta(q, a, z)$$

2b. if  $m=0$ , then the production is

$$[q, z, q_1] \rightarrow a \text{ induced by } (q_1, \epsilon) \in \delta(q, a, z)$$

↓

corresponding to  
move erasing a  
pushdown symbol

$$\therefore L(G) = N(M)$$

Example: Construct a CFG  $G$  which accepts  $N(M)$  where

$$M = (\{q_0, q_1\}, \{a, b\}, \{z_0, z\}, \delta, q_0, z_0, \phi)$$

and  $\delta$  is given by

$$\delta(q_0, b, z_0) = \{(q_0, \cancel{z} z_0)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, \varepsilon, z_0) = \{(q_0, z)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, b, z) = \{(q_0, zz)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, a, z) = \{(q_1, z)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, b, z) = \{(q_1, \varepsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, a, z_0) = \{(q_0, z_0)\}$$

Sol<sup>n</sup>:

Let

$$G = (V, T, P, S) \text{ generating } N(M)$$

$$T = \{a, b\}$$

$$V = S \cup \{[q_0, z_0, q_0], [q_0, z, q_0], [q_0, z_0, q_1], [q_0, z, q_1], [q_1, z_0, q_0], [q_1, z, q_0], [q_1, z_0, q_1], [q_1, z, q_1]\}$$

The productions are:

S-productions:

$$1. S \rightarrow [q_0, z_0, q_0] \mid [q_0, z_0, q_1]$$

Other productions:

$$2. \delta(q_0, b, z_0) = \{(q_0, \cancel{z} z_0)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_0] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_0][q_0, z_0, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_0] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_1][q_1, z_0, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_1] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_0][q_0, z_0, q_1]$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_1] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_1][q_1, z_0, q_1]$$

$$3. \delta(q_0, \varepsilon, z_0) = \{(q_0, \varepsilon)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_0] \rightarrow \varepsilon$$

$$4. \delta(q_0, b, z) = \{(q_0, zz)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_0, z, q_0] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_0][q_0, z, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, z, q_0] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_1][q_1, z, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, z, q_1] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_0][q_0, z, q_1]$$

$$[q_0, z, q_1] \rightarrow b[q_0, z, q_1][q_1, z, q_1]$$

$$5. \delta(q_0, a, z) = \{(q_1, z)\} \text{ yields.}$$

$$[q_0, z, q_0] \rightarrow a[q_1, z, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, z, q_1] \rightarrow a[q_1, z, q_1]$$

$$6. \delta(q_1, a, z_0) = \{(q_0, z)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_1, z_0, q_0] \rightarrow a[q_0, z_0, q_0]$$

$$[q_1, z_0, q_1] \rightarrow a[q_0, z_0, q_1]$$

$$7. \delta(q_1, b, z) = \{(q_1, \varepsilon)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_1, z, q_1] \rightarrow b$$

Example:

Construct a CFG  $G$  which accepts  $N(M)$  where

$$M = (\{q\}, \{0,1\}, \{z, A, B\}, \delta, q, z)$$

where  $\delta$  is defined by

$$\delta(q, 0, z) = \{(q, Az)\}, \quad \delta(q, 1, z) = \{(q, Bz)\},$$

$$\delta(q, 0, A) = \{(q, AA)\}, \quad \delta(q, 1, A) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\},$$

$$\delta(q, 0, B) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}, \quad \delta(q, 1, B) = \{(q, BB)\}$$

$$\delta(q, \varepsilon, z) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}$$

Sol<sup>n</sup>:

$$G = (V, T, P, S), \quad T = \{0, 1\}$$

$$V = S \cup \{[q, z, q], [q, A, q], [q, B, q]\}$$

Productions:

• S-productions:

$$S \rightarrow [q, z, q]$$

•  $\delta(q, 0, z) = \{(q, Az)\}$  yields

$$[q, z, q] \rightarrow 0[q, A, q][q, z, q]$$

•  $\delta(q, 1, z) = \{(q, Bz)\}$  yields

$$[q, z, q] \rightarrow 1[q, B, q][q, z, q]$$

•  $\delta(q, 0, A) = \{(q, AA)\}$  yields

$$[q, A, q] \rightarrow 0[q, A, q][q, A, q]$$

•  $\delta(q, 1, A) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}$  yields

$$[q, A, q] \rightarrow 1$$

•  $\delta(q, 0, B) = \{(q, \varepsilon)\}$  yields

$$[q, B, q] \rightarrow 0$$



- $\delta(q, 1, B) = \{ (q, BB) \}$  yields

$$[q, B, q] \rightarrow 1 [q, B, q] [q, B, q]$$

- $\delta(q, \epsilon, z) = \{ (q, \epsilon) \}$  yields

$$[q, z, q] \rightarrow \epsilon$$

Let

$$X = [q, z, q], C = [q, A, q], D = [q, B, q]$$

Then the productions are:

$$S \rightarrow X$$

$$X \rightarrow 0CX$$

$$X \rightarrow 1DX$$

$$C \rightarrow 0CC$$

$$C \rightarrow 1$$

$$D \rightarrow 0$$

$$D \rightarrow 1DD$$

$$X \rightarrow \epsilon$$

Thus,

$$G = (\{ S, C, D \}, \{ 0, 1 \}, \{ S \rightarrow 0CS \mid 1DS \mid \epsilon, C \rightarrow 0CC \mid 1 \\ D \rightarrow 1DD \mid 0 \mid S \})$$

Example:

Let  $M = (\{q_0, q_1\}, \{0, 1\}, \{x, z_0\}, \delta, q_0, z_0, \Phi)$

where  $\delta$  is given by

$$\delta(q_0, 0, z_0) = \{(q_0, x, z_0)\}, \delta(q_1, 1, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 0, x) = \{(q_0, x, x)\}, \delta(q_1, \epsilon, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

$$\delta(q_0, 1, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}, \delta(q_1, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\}$$

To construct a CFG  $G = (V, T, P, S)$  generating  $N(M)$

Sol<sup>n</sup>:

$$T = \{0, 1\}$$

$$V = S \cup \{[q_0, z_0, q_0], [q_0, z_0, q_1], \\ [q_0, x, q_0], [q_0, x, q_1], \\ [q_1, z_0, q_0], [q_1, z_0, q_1], \\ [q_1, x, q_0], [q_1, x, q_1]\}$$

Productions in P

$$1. S \rightarrow [q_0, z_0, q_0] \mid [q_0, z_0, q_1]$$

$$2. \delta(q_0, 0, z_0) = \{(q_0, x, z_0)\} \text{ induces}$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_0] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_0][q_0, z_0, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_0] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_1][q_1, z_0, q_0]$$

$$\cancel{\delta(q_1, 1, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \text{ yields}}$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_1] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_0][q_0, z_0, q_1]$$

$$[q_0, z_0, q_1] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_1][q_1, z_0, q_1]$$

$$3. \delta(q_1, 1, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \text{ induces}$$

$$[q_1, x, q_1] \rightarrow 1$$

$$4. \delta(q_0, 0, x) = \{(q_0, xx)\} \text{ induces}$$

$$[q_0, x, q_0] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_0][q_0, x, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, x, q_0] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_1][q_1, x, q_0]$$

$$[q_0, x, q_1] \rightarrow 0[q_0, x, q_0][q_0, x, q_1]$$

$$[q_0, x, q_1] \rightarrow 0[q_1, x, q_1][q_1, x, q_1]$$

$$5. \delta(q_1, \epsilon, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_1, x, q_1] \rightarrow \epsilon$$

$$6. \delta(q_0, 1, x) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_0, x, q_1] \rightarrow 1$$

$$7. \delta(q_1, \epsilon, z_0) = \{(q_1, \epsilon)\} \text{ yields}$$

$$[q_1, z_0, q_1] \rightarrow \epsilon$$