

Lemma 4.

*If a language  $L$  is accepted by a PDA, then  $L$  is context-free.*

Let  $M$  be the PDA  $(K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, S, \emptyset)$  that accepts by empty store.

We use  $Z_0$  to designate the symbol initially residing at the top of the stack.

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We will construct a context-free grammar  $G = (V, \Sigma, R, S)$

Let  $V = \{ \langle S \rangle \} \cup \{ \langle q, A, p \rangle \mid q, p \in K \text{ and } A \in T \}$

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The nonterminals  $\langle S \rangle$  and  $\langle q, A, p \rangle$   
represent elements of a lefthand derivation in  $G$   
which simulate the operation of  $M$ .

$\langle q, A, p \rangle$  responds to some string  $x$   
IFF  $x$  causes  $M$  to pop  $A$  from its stack  
and move from state  $q$  to  $p$ .

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Construction:

1. Foreach  $q \in K$  construct

$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle q_0, Z_0, q \rangle$

$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{nonterminal} \rangle$

where

$\langle \text{nonterminal} \rangle$  is of the form

(current\_state, stack, destination\_state)

$\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{initial\_state}, Z_0, \text{all\_other\_states} \rangle$

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For each new <nonterminal> state created,  
we must generate new productions.

Intuition: the goal is to move from the initial state  
to other states while emptying the stack ...

I.E., expand the “production tree” as much as possible,  
prune deadends later.

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2. For  $(q, a, A)(q_1, \beta_1 \cdots \beta_m)$  generate

$$\begin{aligned} \langle q, A, q_{m+1} \rangle &\longrightarrow a \langle q_1, \beta_1, q_2 \rangle, \\ &\langle q_2, \beta_2, q_3 \rangle, \dots \\ &\langle q_m, \beta_m, q_{m+1} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

where  $a$  is the symbol scanned

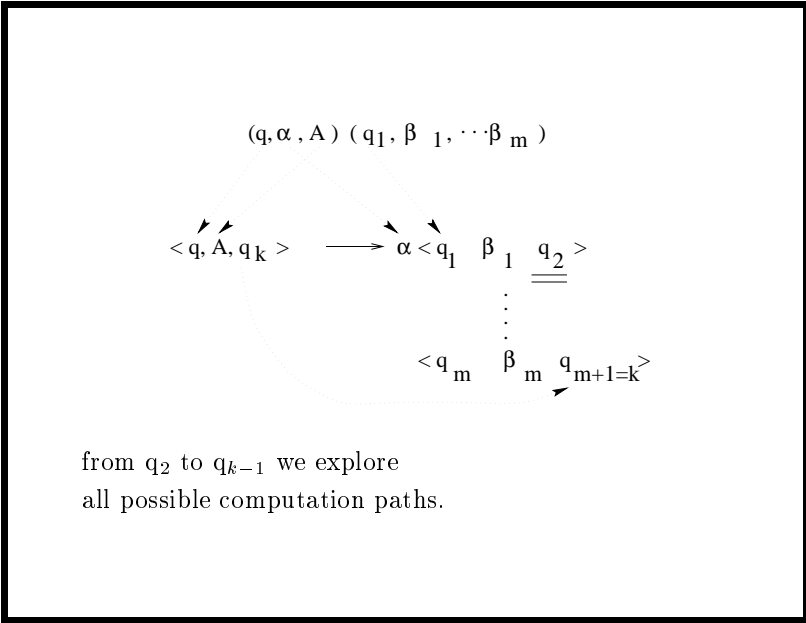
$\beta_1 \cdots \beta_m$  are stack symbols

$q, q_1, \dots, q_{m+1} \in K$

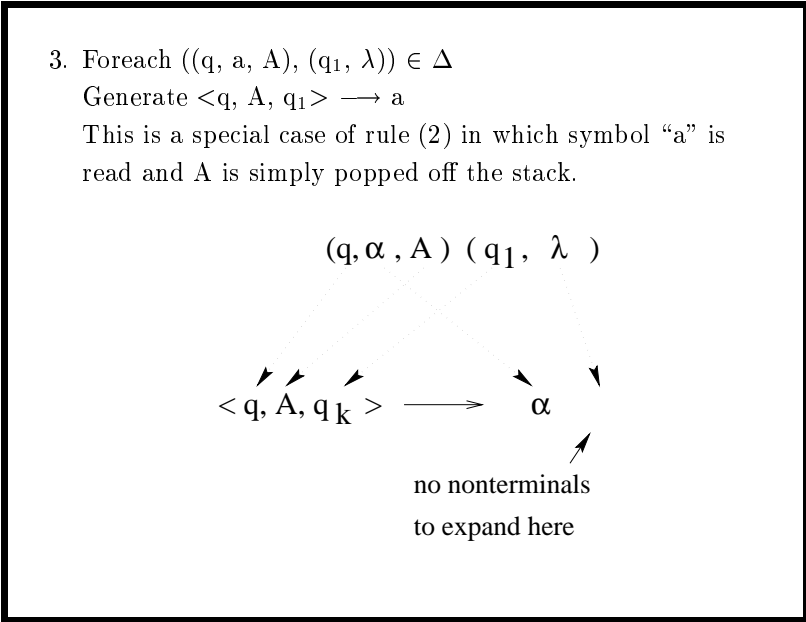
$A$  is a stack symbol

Each  $\beta_i$  will be expanded to a new nonterminal.

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Example 5.3, page 119 Hopcroft and Ullman

$$\begin{aligned}M &= (K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, q_0, \emptyset) \\K &= (q_0, q_1) \\ \Sigma &= (0, 1) \\ T &= (X, Z_0) \\ \Delta &= \{ ((q_0, 0, Z_0), (q_0, XZ_0)), \\ &\quad ((q_0, 0, X), (q_0, XX)), \\ &\quad ((q_0, 1, X), (q_1, \lambda)), \\ &\quad ((q_1, 1, X), (q_1, \lambda)), \\ &\quad ((q_1, \lambda, X), (q_1, \lambda)), \\ &\quad ((q_1, \lambda, Z_0), (q_1, \lambda)) \}\end{aligned}$$

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All possible nonterminals

$$\begin{aligned}<q_0, X, q_0> &<q_1, X, q_0> \\ <q_0, X, q_1> &<q_1, X, q_1> \\ <q_0, Z_0, q_0> &<q_1, Z_0, q_0> \\ <q_0, Z_0, q_1> &<q_1, Z_0, q_1> \\ &\text{and, of course, } <S>\end{aligned}$$

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1. Rules starting from the distinguished symbol

R1  $\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$

R2  $\langle S \rangle \rightarrow \langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$

Two new nonterminals now exist for which productions must be written.

$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle \dots N1$

$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle \dots N2$

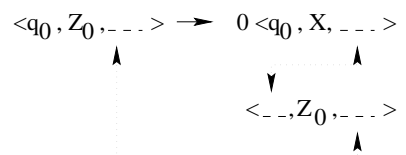
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Transitions that match  $q_0$  and  $Z_0$  are relevant:

In this case:

$(\underline{q}_0, 0, \underline{Z}_0) (q_0, XZ_0)$

General Form of Productions



$q_k$ : all possible states

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New Nonterminal N1  $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$

R3  $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$

R4  $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
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New Nonterminal N2  $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$

R5  $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$

R6  $\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_1, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$

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New Nonterminals Introduced:

$\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \dots N3$

$\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \dots N4$

$\langle q_1, Z_0, q_0 \rangle \dots N5$

$\langle q_1, Z_0, q_1 \rangle \dots N6$

No transitions matching nonterminal N5

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Nonterminal N3  $\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$   
Matches transition  $(q_0, 0, X), (q_0, XX)$

R7  $\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$

R8  $\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_1, X, q_0 \rangle$

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Nonterminal N4  $\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
Matches transition  $(q_0, 0, X), (q_0, XX)$

R9  $\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
R10  $\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow 0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
 $\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle$

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Nonterminal N4  $\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$   
Also matches transition  $((q_0, 1, X), (q_1, \lambda))$

R11  $\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow 1$

Nonterminal N6  $\langle q_1, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$   
Also matches transition  $((q_1, \lambda, Z_0), (q_1, \lambda))$

R12  $\langle q_1, Z_0, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow \lambda$

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New Nonterminals Introduced:

$\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle \dots N7$

$\langle q_1, X, q_0 \rangle \dots N8$

No transitions matching nonterminal N8

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Nonterminal N7  $\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle$   
Matches transition  $((q_1, 1, X), (q_1, \lambda))$

R13  $\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow 1$

Nonterminal N7  $\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle$   
Matches transition  $((q_1, \lambda, X), (q_1, \lambda))$

R14  $\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle \rightarrow \lambda$

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There are no more new nonterminals.  
 But not all of the productions are meaningful.

E.G., nonterminals  $\langle q_1, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$  (N5)  
 and  $\langle q_1, X, q_0 \rangle$  (N8) are undefined.

1. Remove productions containing undefined nonterminals.  
 this can cause other productions to be undefined.
2. We must also remove infinite recursions, since these will  
 never yield all terminals.

This is analogous to traps:  $C = 0C + 1C$

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R1	$\langle S \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$
R2	$\langle S \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$
R3	$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$
R4	$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \langle q_1, Z_0, q_0 \rangle$
R5	$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$
R6	$\langle q_0, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \langle q_1, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$
R7	$\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$
R8	$\langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle$	$\longrightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \langle q_1, X, q_0 \rangle$

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R9	$\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_0 \rangle \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$
R10	$\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$0 \langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle \langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle$
R11	$\langle q_0, X, q_1 \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$1$
R12	$\langle q_1, Z_0, q_1 \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$\lambda$
R13	$\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$1$
R14	$\langle q_1, X, q_1 \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$\lambda$

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Since we don't need this complex form of nonterminals,  
we can rewrite them as follows:

R1	$\langle S \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$N1$
R2	$\langle S \rangle$	$\rightarrow$	$N2$
R3	$N1$	$\rightarrow$	$0 N3 N1$
R4	$N1$	$\rightarrow$	$0 N4 N5$
R5	$N2$	$\rightarrow$	$0 N3 N2$
R6	$N2$	$\rightarrow$	$0 N4 N6$
R7	$N3$	$\rightarrow$	$0 N3 N3$

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R8 N3  $\rightarrow$  0 N4 N8

R9 N4  $\rightarrow$  0 N3 N4

R10 N4  $\rightarrow$  0 N4 N7

R11 N4  $\rightarrow$  1

R12 N6  $\rightarrow$   $\lambda$

R13 N7  $\rightarrow$  1

R14 N7  $\rightarrow$   $\lambda$

R4 references N5, which is undefined.

R8 references N8, which is undefined.

Drop these Rules

We now note that R7 is in an infinite loop.

Removing R7 makes N3 meaningless – remove R3, R5 and R9.

Since R3 and R4 are gone, N1 is meaningless, so remove R1.

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R2 <S>  $\rightarrow$  N2

R6 N2  $\rightarrow$  0 N4 N6

R10 N4  $\rightarrow$  0 N4 N7

R11 N4  $\rightarrow$  1

R12 N6  $\rightarrow$   $\lambda$

R13 N7  $\rightarrow$  1

R14 N7  $\rightarrow$   $\lambda$

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