

### Homework assignment #3

#### Page 144, Prob# 3.

$$L = \{a^n b^{n+1} : n \geq 2\}$$

$$w = aa(ab)^*bbb$$

So we can find the s-grammar as follows:

$$S \rightarrow aA_1$$

$$A_1 \rightarrow aA_2$$

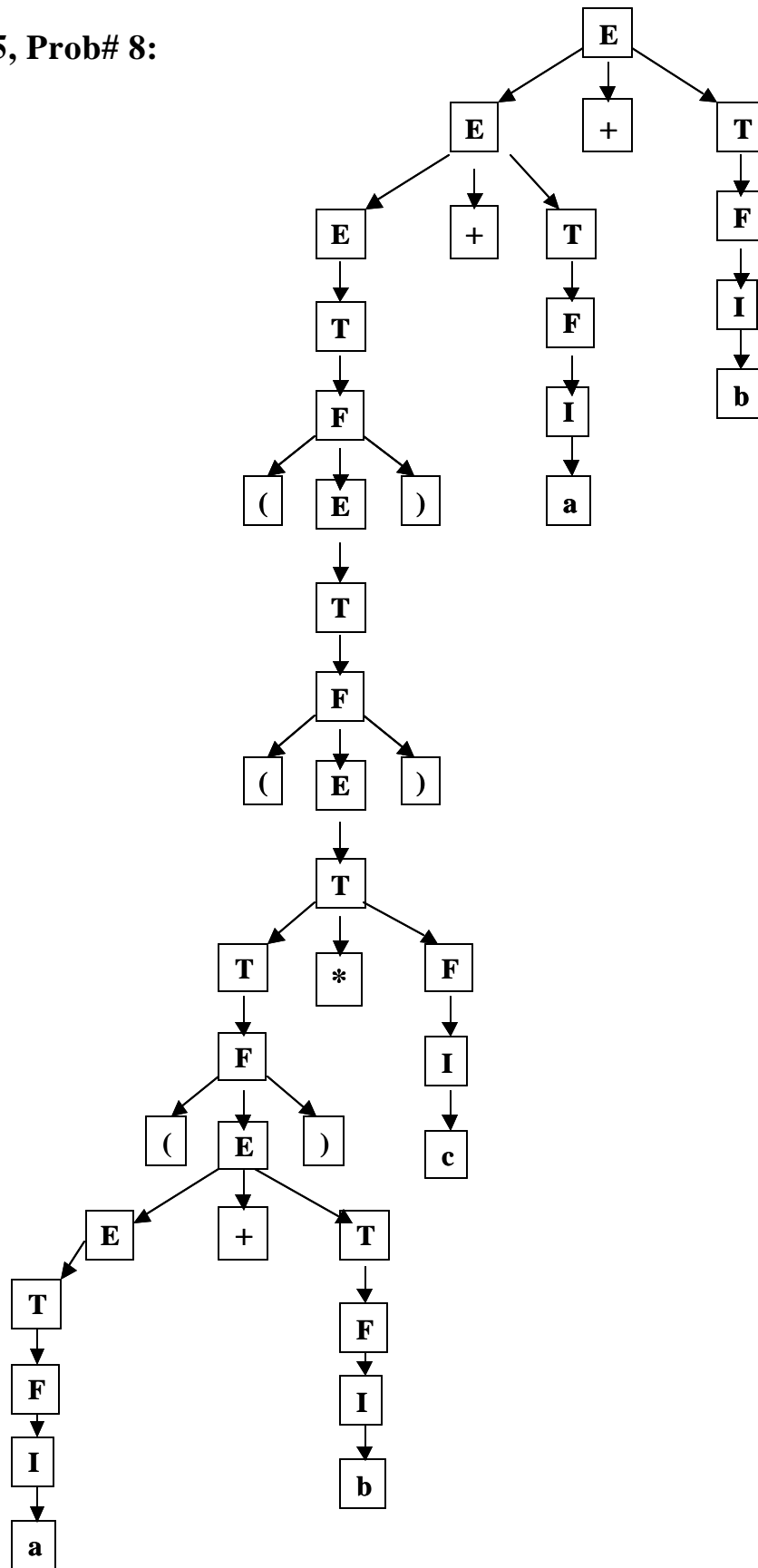
$$A_2 \rightarrow aA_2B_1 \mid bB_2$$

$$B_1 \rightarrow b$$

$$B_2 \rightarrow bB_3$$

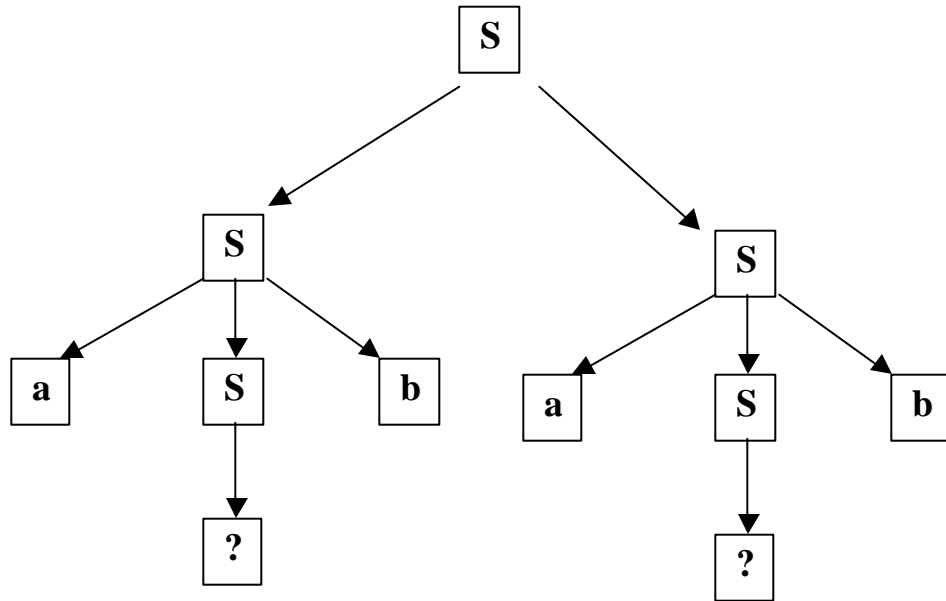
$$B_3 \rightarrow b$$

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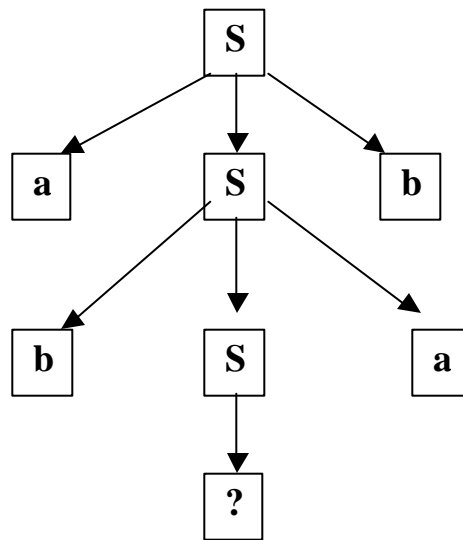


**Page 145, Prob#15.** The string  $w = abab$  has two derivations as shown below. So the grammar is ambiguous.

**Derivation 1:**



**Derivation 2:**



**Page 145, #16.**

Given Grammar with productions:

$S \rightarrow aAB,$

$A \rightarrow bBb,$

$B \rightarrow A|\lambda$

This grammar is actually ambiguous:

$S \rightarrow aAB \rightarrow abBbB \rightarrow abbB \rightarrow abbbBb \rightarrow abbbb$

$S \rightarrow aAB \rightarrow abBbB \rightarrow abbBbbB \rightarrow abbbbB \rightarrow abbbb$

**Page 169, Prob# 4.**

Given  $S \rightarrow abAB$   
 $A \rightarrow bAB | \lambda$   
 $B \rightarrow BAa | A | \lambda$

**Step 1 :**

New start variable to get:

$S_0 \rightarrow S, S \rightarrow abAB, A \rightarrow bAB | \lambda, B \rightarrow BAa | A | \lambda$

**Step 2:**

1. Remove  $B \rightarrow \lambda$

$S_0 \rightarrow S$

$S \rightarrow abA | abAB$

$A \rightarrow bA | bAB | \lambda$

$B \rightarrow Aa | BAa | A$

2. Remove  $A \rightarrow \lambda$

$S_0 \rightarrow S$

$S \rightarrow ab | abA | abB | abAB$

$A \rightarrow b | bA | bB | bAB$

$B \rightarrow a | Aa | Ba | BAa | A$

**Step 3:**

Remove unit production

1. Remove  $B \rightarrow A$

$S_0 \rightarrow S$

$S \rightarrow ab | abA | abB | abAB$

$A \rightarrow b | bA | bB | bAB$

$B \rightarrow a | Aa | Ba | BAa | b | bA | bB | bAB$

2. Remove  $S_0 \rightarrow S$

$S_0 \rightarrow ab | abA | abB | abAB$

$S \rightarrow ab|abA|abB|abAB$   
 $A \rightarrow b|bA|bB|bAB$   
 $B \rightarrow a|Aa|Ba|BAa|b|bA|bB|bAB$

**Step 4:** Split –up rule with  $|RHS| > 2$

$S_0 \rightarrow ab|aC_1|aC_2|aC_3, C_1 \rightarrow bA, C_2 \rightarrow bB, C_3 \rightarrow bC_4, C_4 \rightarrow AB$

$S \rightarrow ab|aD_1|aD_2|aD_3, D_1 \rightarrow bA, D_2 \rightarrow bB, D_3 \rightarrow bD_4, D_4 \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow b|bA|bB|bE, E \rightarrow AB$

$B \rightarrow a|Aa|Ba|BF_1|b|bA|bB|bF_2, F_1 \rightarrow aA, F_2 \rightarrow AB$

**Step 5 :** Put in correct format to obtain Chomsky normal form

$S_0 \rightarrow A_1B_1|A_2C_1|A_3C_2|A_4C_3, C_1 \rightarrow B_2A, C_2 \rightarrow B_3B, C_3 \rightarrow B_4C_4, C_4 \rightarrow AB$   
 $A_1 \rightarrow a, B_1 \rightarrow b, A_2 \rightarrow a, A_3 \rightarrow a, A_4 \rightarrow a, B_2 \rightarrow b, B_3 \rightarrow b, B_4 \rightarrow b$

$S \rightarrow A_5B_5|A_6D_1|A_7D_2|A_8D_3, D_1 \rightarrow B_6A, D_2 \rightarrow B_7B, D_3 \rightarrow B_8D_4, D_4 \rightarrow AB$   
 $A_5 \rightarrow a, B_5 \rightarrow b, A_6 \rightarrow a, A_7 \rightarrow a, A_8 \rightarrow a, B_6 \rightarrow b, B_7 \rightarrow b, B_8 \rightarrow b$

$A \rightarrow b|B_9A|B_{10}B|B_{11}E, E \rightarrow AB, B_9 \rightarrow b, B_{10} \rightarrow b, B_{11} \rightarrow b$

$B \rightarrow a|AA_9|BA_{10}|BF_1|b|B_{12}A|B_{13}B|B_{14}F_2, F_1 \rightarrow A_{11}A, F_2 \rightarrow AB$   
 $A_9 \rightarrow a, A_{10} \rightarrow a, B_{12} \rightarrow b, B_{13} \rightarrow b, B_{14} \rightarrow b, A_{11} \rightarrow a$

**Page 170 # Prob# 13.**

Given the grammar

$$S \rightarrow ABb|a$$

$$A \rightarrow aaA|B$$

$$B \rightarrow bAb$$

Step 1:

Introduce new variable C with rule  $C \rightarrow b$  and use it where 'b' is not at 1<sup>st</sup> position. We get

$$S \rightarrow ABC|a$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow aaA|B$$

$$B \rightarrow bAC$$

Step 2:

Introduce new variable D with rule  $D \rightarrow a$  and use it where 'a' is not at 1<sup>st</sup> position. We get

$$S \rightarrow ABC|a$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$$A \rightarrow aDA|bAC$$

$$D \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow bAC$$

Step 3:

Use  $A \rightarrow aDA|bAC$  in  $S \rightarrow ABC$  to obtain

$$S \rightarrow aDABC|bACBC|a$$

$$A \rightarrow aDA|bAC$$

$$C \rightarrow b$$

$$D \rightarrow a$$

$$B \rightarrow bAC$$

The grammar is now in Greibach form.

**Page 172 Prob#1.**

Given, language L with grammar G, where

G:  $S \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow BB|a$

$B \rightarrow AB|b$

**Part1:**

$w = aabb$

Step1:

$V_{11} = \{A : A \rightarrow a\} = \{A\}$

$V_{22} = \{A : A \rightarrow a\} = \{A\}$

$V_{33} = \{A : A \rightarrow b\} = \{B\}$

$V_{44} = \{A : A \rightarrow b\} = \{B\}$

Step 2:

$V_{12} = \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{22}\} = \Phi$

$V_{23} = \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{22}, C \in V_{33}\} = \{S, B\}$

$V_{34} = \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{33}, C \in V_{44}\} = \{A\}$

Step 3:

$V_{13} = \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{23}\}$

$U \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{12}, C \in V_{33}\} = \{S, B\}$

$V_{24} = \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{22}, C \in V_{34}\}$

$U \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{23}, C \in V_{44}\} = \{A\}$

Step 4:

$V_{14} = \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{24}\}$

$U \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{12}, C \in V_{34}\}$

$U \{A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{13}, C \in V_{44}\} = \{A\}$

Since  $V_{14}$  does not have S, therefore,  $w \notin L(G)$



**Page #172, prob#1, part2.**

w = aabba

Step1.

$$V11 = \{A\}$$

$$V22 = \{A\}$$

$$V33 = \{B\}$$

$$V44 = \{B\}$$

$$V55 = \{A\}$$

Step 2:

$$V12 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V11, C \in V22\} = \Phi$$

$$V23 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V22, C \in V33\} = \{S, B\}$$

$$V34 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V33, C \in V44\} = \{A\}$$

$$V45 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V44, C \in V55\} = \Phi$$

Step 3:

$$V13 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V11, C \in V23\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V12, C \in V33\}$$

$$= \{S, B\}$$

$$V24 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V22, C \in V34\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V23, C \in V44\}$$

$$= \{A\}$$

$$V35 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V33, C \in V45\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V34, C \in V55\}$$

$$= \Phi$$

Step 4:

$$V14 = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V11, C \in V24\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V12, C \in V34\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V13, C \in V44\}$$

$$= \{A\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{25} &= \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{22}, C \in V_{35} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{23}, C \in V_{45} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{24}, C \in V_{55} \} \\ &= \Phi \end{aligned}$$

Step 5:

$$\begin{aligned} V_{15} &= \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{25} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{12}, C \in V_{35} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{13}, C \in V_{45} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{14}, C \in V_{55} \} \\ &= \Phi \end{aligned}$$

Since  $V_{15}$  does not have  $S$ , therefore,  $w \notin L(G)$

**Page #172, prob#1, part3.**

w = abbbb

Step1.

$$V_{11} = \{A\}$$

$$V_{22} = \{B\}$$

$$V_{33} = \{B\}$$

$$V_{44} = \{B\}$$

$$V_{55} = \{B\}$$

Step 2:

$$V_{12} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{22}\} = \{S, B\}$$

$$V_{23} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{22}, C \in V_{33}\} = \{A\}$$

$$V_{34} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{33}, C \in V_{44}\} = \{A\}$$

$$V_{45} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{44}, C \in V_{55}\} = \{A\}$$

Step 3:

$$V_{13} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{23}\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{12}, C \in V_{33}\}$$

$$= \{A\}$$

$$V_{24} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{22}, C \in V_{34}\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{23}, C \in V_{44}\}$$

$$= \{S, B\}$$

$$V_{35} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{33}, C \in V_{45}\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{34}, C \in V_{55}\}$$

$$= \{S, B\}$$

Step 4:

$$V_{14} = \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{24}\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{12}, C \in V_{34}\}$$

$$U \{A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{13}, C \in V_{44}\}$$

$$= \{S, B\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{25} &= \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{22}, C \in V_{35} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{23}, C \in V_{45} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{24}, C \in V_{55} \} \\ &= \{A\} \end{aligned}$$

Step 5:

$$\begin{aligned} V_{15} &= \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{11}, C \in V_{25} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{12}, C \in V_{35} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{13}, C \in V_{45} \} \\ &\cup \{ A: A \rightarrow BC, B \in V_{14}, C \in V_{55} \} \\ &= \{A\} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $V_{15}$  does not have  $S$ , therefore,  $w \notin L(G)$

## JFLAP Pumping Lemma Screen Shots:

The screenshot shows the JFLAP Pumping Lemma interface for the language  $L = \{a^n b^n : n \geq 0\}$ . The interface is titled "Pumping Lemma" and contains the following sections:

- Messages:** A message box stating "I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular? I have selected i to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4. Click 'Step' in Box 5 to step the animation."
- 1. Select integer m:** A text input field containing the value "2" and a "Start over" button.
- 2. Given integer m, here's string w such that  $|w| \geq m$ :** A text input field containing the string "aabb".
- 3. Select decomposition of w into xyz:** A visual representation of the string "aabb" with three segments: "x: a", "y: a", and "z: bb". The lengths are indicated as  $|x|: 1$ ,  $|y|: 1$ , and  $|z|: 2$ . A "Set xyz" button is located to the right.
- 4. A choice of i to give contradiction:** A text input field containing "i: 2" and a "pumped string: aaabb".
- 5. Animation:** A display showing the decomposition  $w = a a b b$  with  $x$  over the first 'a',  $y$  over the second 'a', and  $z$  over the two 'b's.

At the bottom, the text states:  $x^2 z = a^3 b^2 = aaabb$  is NOT in the language: CONTRADICTION. There are "Step" and "Restart" buttons at the bottom right.

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File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma Pumping Lemma

$L = \{w \in \{a, b\}^* : n_a(w) < n_b(w)\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

**I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?**  
 I have selected  $i$  to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer  $m$

3 Start over

2. Given integer  $m$ , here's string  $w$  such that  $|w| \geq m$

aaabbbb

3. Select decomposition of  $w$  into  $xyz$

x: aa |x|: 2

y: a |y|: 1 Set xyz

z: bbbb |z|: 4

a a a b b b b

4. A choice of  $i$  to give contradiction

$i$ : 2 pumped string: aaaabbbb

5. Animation

$x \quad y \quad z$   
 $w = aa \ a \ bbbb$

$xy^2z = a^4b^4 = aaaabbbb$  is NOT in the language: CONTRADICTION. Step Restart

JFLAP : <untitled1>

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma Pumping Lemma

$L = \{ww^R : w \in \{a, b\}^+\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

**I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?**  
 I have selected  $i$  to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer  $m$

Start over

2. Given integer  $m$ , here's string  $w$  such that  $|w| \geq m$

3. Select decomposition of  $w$  into  $xyz$

$x$ :  |x|:

$y$ :  |y|:  Set xyz

$z$ :  |z|:

a | a | a | b | b | b | b | b | b | a | a | a

4. A choice of  $i$  to give contradiction

$i$ :  pumped string:

5. Animation

$x$     $y$     $z$   
 $w = aa \ a \ bbbbbaaa$

$xy^2z = a^4b^6a^3 = aaaabbbbbaaa$  is NOT in the language: CONTRADICTION

Step Restart

JFLAP : <untitled2>

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma Pumping Lemma

$L = \{a^{n^2} : n \geq 0\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?  
 I have selected i to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer m

3 Start over

2. Given integer m, here's string w such that  $|w| \geq m$

aaaaaa

3. Select decomposition of w into xyz

x: aa |x|: 2

y: a |y|: 1

z: aaa |z|: 3

a a a a a a

Set xyz

4. A choice of i to give contradiction

i: 0 pumped string: aaaaa

5. Animation

$x \quad y \quad z$   
 $w = aa \ a \ aaa$

$xy^0z = a^5 = aaaaa$  is NOT in the language. CONTRADICTION.

Step Restart



JFLAP: <untitled2>

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma **Pumping Lemma**

$L = \{(ab)^n a^k : n > k, k \geq 0\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

**I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?**  
 I have selected  $i$  to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer  $m$

4 Start over

2. Given integer  $m$ , here's string  $w$  such that  $|w| \geq m$

ababababaaaa

3. Select decomposition of  $w$  into  $xyz$

x: aba |x|: 3

y: b |y|: 1 Set xyz

z: abababaaaa |z|: 10

a | b | a | b | a | b | a | b | a | b | a | a | a | a

4. A choice of  $i$  to give contradiction

$i$ : 0 pumped string: abaabababaaaa

5. Animation

$x$     $y$     $z$   
 $w =$     $aba$     $b$     $abababaaaa$

$xy^0z = aba^2bababa^4 = abaabababaaaa$  is NOT in the language. CONTRADICTION. Step Restart

JFLAP : <untitled2>

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma **Pumping Lemma**

$L = \{a^n b^k c^{n+k} : n \geq 0, k \geq 0\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

**I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?**  
 I have selected  $i$  to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer  $m$

5 Start over

2. Given integer  $m$ , here's string  $w$  such that  $|w| \geq m$

aaaaabbbbcccccccccc

3. Select decomposition of  $w$  into  $xyz$

$x$ : aaa  $|x|$ : 3

$y$ : aa  $|y|$ : 2

$z$ : bbbbcccccccccc  $|z|$ : 15

a a a a a b b b b b c c c c c c c c c c c

4. A choice of  $i$  to give contradiction

$k$ : 2 pumped string: aaaaaabbbbcccccccccc

5. Animation

$x$     $y$     $z$   
 $w =$    a a a   a a   b b b b c c c c c c c c c c c

$xy^2z = a^7 b^5 c^{10} =$  aaaaaabbbbcccccccccc is NOT in the language.  
 CONTRADICTION.

Step Restart

JFLAP: <untitled2>

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma **Pumping Lemma**

$L = \{a^n b^l a^k : n > 5, l > 3, k \leq l\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?  
 I have selected  $l$  to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer  $m$

Start over

2. Given integer  $m$ , here's string  $w$  such that  $|w| \geq m$

aaaaabbbbbbaaaaaa

3. Select decomposition of  $w$  into  $xyz$

$x$ : aaaa |x|: 4

$y$ : a |y|: 1 Set xyz

$z$ : abbbbbbaaaaaa |z|: 15

a | a | a | a | a | a | b | b | b | b | b | b | a | a | a | a | a | a

4. A choice of  $l$  to give contradiction

$l$ : 0 pumped string: aaaaabbbbbbaaaaaa

5. Animation

$x$     $y$     $z$

$w =$  aaaa a abbbbbbaaaaaa

$xy^0z = a^5b^7a^7 =$  aaaaabbbbbbaaaaaa is NOT in the language. CONTRADICTION. Step Restart

JFLAP : <untitled1 >

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma Pumping Lemma

$L = \{a^n : n \geq 2, n \text{ is a prime number}\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?  
 I have selected i to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer m

5 Start over

2. Given integer m, here's string w such that  $|w| \geq m$

aaaaa

3. Select decomposition of w into xyz

x: a |x|: 1

y: a |y|: 1 Set xyz

z: aaa |z|: 3

a | a | a | a | a

4. A choice of i to give contradiction

i: 6 pumped string: aaaaaaaaaa

5. Animation

$x \quad y \quad z$   
 $w = a \quad a \quad aaa$

$xy^6z = a^{10} = aaaaaaaaaa$  is NOT in the language: CONTRADICTION. Step Restart

JFLAP : <untitled2>

File Help

Select a Pumping Lemma Pumping Lemma

$L = \{a^n : n \text{ is even}\}$  Regular Pumping Lemma

Messages

**I WIN. Do you want to play again or concede that the language is not regular?**  
 I have selected  $i$  to give a contradiction. It is displayed in Box 4.  
 Click "Step" in Box 5 to step the animation.

1. Select integer  $m$

16 Start over

2. Given integer  $m$ , here's string  $w$  such that  $|w| >= m$

aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa

3. Select decomposition of  $w$  into  $xyz$

x: aaaaaaa |x|: 8

y: a |y|: 1

z: aaaaaaa |z|: 7

Set xyz

4. A choice of  $i$  to give contradiction

$i$ : 2 pumped string: aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa

5. Animation

$x$        $y$        $z$   
 $w =$  aaaaaaaa a aaaaaaa

$xy^2z = a^{17} =$  aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa is NOT in the language. CONTRADICTION. Step Restart