Spring 2014

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Write all of your responses on the exam paper or on the extra paper provided. Turn in all work and this exam paper.

1. (20 Points) Construct a Context-Free Grammar for the language

 $L = \{a^{n}b^{m}c^{k} \mid k = |n - m|, n \ge 0, m \ge 0\}$ 

2. (15 Points) Show that the following grammar is ambiguous.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} S & \rightarrow & abAAB \mid BaCbB \mid \lambda \\ A & \rightarrow & aaA \mid AbbAC \mid b \\ B & \rightarrow & AaA \mid bb \\ C & \rightarrow & CAB \mid bB \mid \lambda \end{array}$$

3. (25 Points) Convert the following grammar to Chomsky Normal Form.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} S & \rightarrow & AAB \mid BaCbD \mid B \\ A & \rightarrow & aA \mid bbAC \mid b \\ B & \rightarrow & AaA \mid b \mid a \mid \lambda \\ C & \rightarrow & AB \mid bB \\ D & \rightarrow & CaB \mid a \end{array}$$

4. (20 Points) Construct a Nondeterministic Push-Down Automaton for the following language. Use it to test the words *abaabaaa* and *ababaa* for acceptance.

$$L = \{ w \mid n_a(w) = 3n_b(w) \}$$

5. (20 Points) Convert the following Context-Free Grammar into a Nondeterministic Push-Down Automaton.

$$S \rightarrow AAB | BaCbD | B$$

$$A \rightarrow aA | bbAC | b$$

$$B \rightarrow AaA | b | a$$

$$C \rightarrow AB | bB$$

$$D \rightarrow CaB | a$$

6. (10 Points) Show that every regular language is a deterministic context-free language.