

Theoretical Computer Science

Week 1

TCS ↘ upper bound → algorithm $O(n^k) \rightarrow O(n \log n)$

TCS ↘ lower bound → hardness $\Omega(n^k) \rightarrow \Omega(n \log n)$ comparison-base

definition: problem, computing model, computation

computability, tractability, randomness

P, NP

important: definition, theorem

statement,
proof idea*,
proof

1. Problem

i. Given a weighted graph G , what is the MST? \nwarrow delete an edge, check whether the weight increases or not $O(E)$

{ what is the weight of its MST? \nwarrow binary search k $O(\log |E|)$
and an integer k , does G have a ST with weight at most k ? }

decision problem ↙ P

Given a string w , is $w \in L$?

ii. Given a string w , is $w \in L = \{ \text{encode}(G, k) : G \text{ is a graph that has a ST with weight at most } k \}$

Language $L = \{ \text{encoding of yes-instance of P} \}$

iii. An alphabet is a finite set of symbols.

$$\Sigma = \{0, 1\} \quad \Sigma = \{A, B, \dots, Y\} \quad \Sigma = \{\}\quad \Sigma = \{\Delta, \square, O, X\}$$

iv. A string over Σ is a finite sequence of symbols from Σ .

v. The length of a string w is symbols. $|w|$

vi. empty string e , $|e|=0$

vii. concatenation: $u = 010, v = 110, uv = 010110$

viii. exponentiation: $w^i = \underbrace{w \cdot w \cdot \dots \cdot w}_{i \text{ times}}, w^0 = e, w^2 = w \cdot w$

ix. reversal: $w = 0011, w^R = 1100$

x. A language over Σ is a set of strings over Σ

xi. concatenation: $AB = \{uv : u \in A \text{ and } v \in B\}, A \cdot e = A$

xii. exponentiation: $A^i = \underbrace{A \cdot A \cdot \dots \cdot A}_{i \text{ times}}, A^{i+1} = A \cdot A^i$

xiii. $A^+ = \bigcup_{i \geq 1} A^i, A^* = \bigcup_{i \geq 0} A^i = A^+ \cup \{e\}$

xiv. Σ^i : a set of strings of length i consisting of symbols in Σ

Σ^+, Σ^*

xv. reversal: $A^R = \{w^R : w \in A\}$

5. finite automata



>0: initial state (unique)

④: final state (several)

if stop at final state, accept the sequence

(b) def: A finite automaton $M = (K, \Sigma, \delta, S, F)$

K: a finite set of states

Σ : input alphabet

SEK: initial state

F&K: a set of final states

$\delta: K \times \Sigma \rightarrow K$ transition function

$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \nwarrow \\ \text{current} & \text{next} \\ \text{symbol} & \text{state} \end{matrix}$

A configuration is an element of $K \times \Sigma^*$

$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \nearrow \\ \text{current} & \text{removing} \\ \text{state} & \text{input} \end{matrix}$

(i) $(q, w) \xrightarrow{\delta} (q', w')$ if $w = aw'$ and $\delta(q, a) = q'$, for some $a \in \Sigma$.

goods in
one step

(ii) $(q, w) \xrightarrow{\delta} (q', w')$ if $(q, w) = (q', w')$ or $(q, w) \xrightarrow{\delta} (q'', w'')$ and $\delta(q'', w'') = q'$

feed w on M

$\begin{cases} (s, w) \xrightarrow{\delta} (q, e), q \in F \Rightarrow M \text{ accepts } w \\ (s, w) \xrightarrow{\delta} (q, e), q \notin F \Rightarrow M \text{ rejects } w \end{cases}$

M accepts a language L if M accepts all strings in L

unique M rejects all strings not in L

$$L(M) = \{w : M \text{ accepts } w\}$$

example: $q_0 \xrightarrow{a} q_1 \quad L(M) = \emptyset$

$q_0 \xrightarrow{a} q_1 \quad L(M) = \{a\}^*$

$\{w \in \{a\}^* : w \text{ contains } aa \text{ as a substring}\}$



(c) A language is regular if it is accepted by some finite automaton.

(d) Theorem: If A and B are regular, so is AUB.

Idea: $\overbrace{M_A}^w \cup \overbrace{M_B}$

Proof: $\exists M_A = (K_A, \Sigma, \delta_A, S_A, F_A), M_B = (K_B, \Sigma, \delta_B, S_B, F_B)$

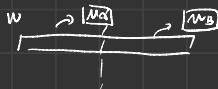
$$M_A = (K_A, \Sigma, \delta_A, S_A, F_A),$$

$$K_A = K_A \times K_B, S_A = (S_A, S_B), F_A = (F_A \times K_B) \cup (K_A \times F_B)$$

$$S_A (q_A, q_B, a) = (S_A (q_A, a), S_B (q_B, a))$$

for any $(q_A, q_B, a) \in K_A \times K_B$ and any $a \in \Sigma$

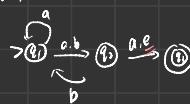
(e) Theorem: If A and B are regular, so is AB



Non-determinism

Week 2

1. NFA



(1) next state is not unique

(2) ϵ -transition

$$\begin{array}{l} (q_1, bb) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} q_2 \\ (q_1, bb) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} q_3 \\ (q_2, bb) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} q_3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (q_1, abbb) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} q_2 \\ (q_1, abbb) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} q_3 \\ (q_2, abbb) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} q_3 \end{array}$$

\curvearrowright transition relation:

$$\Delta \subseteq K \times (\Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}) \times K$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{current} & \text{symbol} & \text{next} \\ \text{state} & & \text{state} \end{array}$$

(d) A NFA is a 5-tuple $(K, \Sigma, \Delta, S, F)$

M on input w { reject otherwise

accept if $(s, w) \xrightarrow{\Delta} (q, \epsilon)$ for some $q \in F$

L(M) accepts every $w \in L$

M accepts a language L if { reject every $w \notin L$

$$\Delta = \{(q_1, a, q_2), (q_1, b, q_2), \dots, (q_1, c, q_2)\}$$

$$(q_1, b, q_2) \dots (q_1, c, q_2)\}$$

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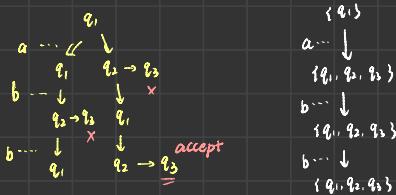
q_{202}

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(3) Theorem: given NFA $N \Rightarrow$ DFA M , $L(M) = L(N)$

\Leftarrow → this may be obvious

Idea: \Rightarrow DFA M simulates "tree-like" computation of NFA N .



$$\text{NFA } N = (K, \Sigma, \Delta, S, F)$$

$$\text{DFA } M = (K', \Sigma, \delta, S', F')$$

$$K' = 2^K = \{\varnothing, Q \subseteq K\}$$

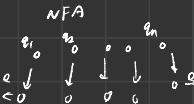
$$F' = \{Q \subseteq K : Q \cap F \neq \varnothing\}$$

$$\forall q \in K, E(q) = \{p \in K : (q, p) \in \delta\}$$

$$S' = E(K)$$

$$\delta(Q, a) = \bigcup_{q \in Q} \bigcup_{p: (q, ap) \in \Delta} E(p)$$

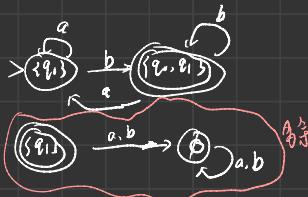
$$L(M) = L(N)$$



Example: NFA



DFA

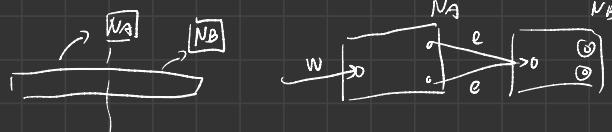


(4) Theorem:

A language is regular if and only if it is accepted by some NFA

(5) Theorem:

If A and B are regular, so is AB .



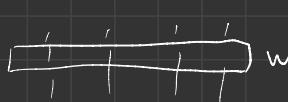
$$N_A = (K_A, \Sigma, \Delta_A, S_A, F_A) \quad N_B = (K_B, \Sigma, \Delta_B, S_B, F_B)$$

$$N_0 = (K_0, \Sigma, \Delta_0, S_0, F_0)$$

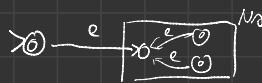
$$K_0 = K_A \cup K_B \quad S_0 = S_A \cup S_B \quad F_0 = F_A \cup F_B$$

$$\Delta_0 = \Delta_A \cup \Delta_B \cup \{(q, e, S_B) : q \in F_A\}$$

(6) Theorem: If A is regular, so is A^+ . $A^+ = A^1 \cup A^2 \cup A^3 \dots = \{w_1 w_2 \dots w_k : w_i \in A, k \geq 1\}$



(1) Theorem: If A is regular, so is A^*



2. Regular Expression (REx)

$$(1) R = a(aub)^*b$$

$L(R) = \{w \in \{a,b\}^*: w \text{ starts with } a \text{ and ends with } b\}$

$$a/Automatic: \emptyset, L(\emptyset) = \emptyset, e$$

e 表示空串， \emptyset 表示不包含任何字符串

$$a \in \Sigma, L(a) = \{a\}$$

Precedence: $* > \cup > \cdot$

Composite: $(\cdot, \cup, \cdot, *)$

$$ab^* \cup ba^* = (a(b^*)) \cup (b(a^*))$$

$$R_1 \cup R_2, L(R_1 \cup R_2) = L(R_1) \cup L(R_2)$$

$$R_1 R_2, L(R_1 R_2) = L(R_1) \cdot L(R_2)$$

$$R^*, L(R^*) = (L(R))^*$$

$$(3) \{w \in \{a,b\}^*: w \text{ has two occurrences of } ab\}$$

$$(aub)^*a(aub)^*a(aub)^*$$

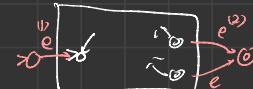
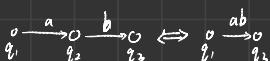
example: a^*b



Week 3

1. NFA \rightarrow REX

Idea: state elimination

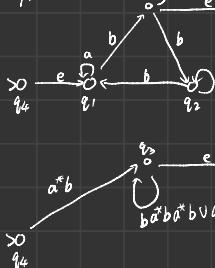


Simplify M so that

(1) no arc enters the initial state

(2) unique final state, and no arc leaves it

Example



delete q_1

delete q_3

delete q_2

delete q_4

delete q_5

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delete q_4

delete q_5

Goal:

$$R_{\phi \cup \Delta}^{n-2}$$

Base case $k=0$

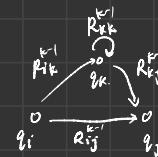
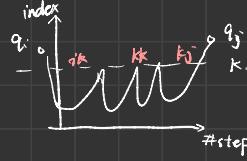
$$\text{if } i=j : R_{ij}^0 = \phi^\times \cup a_1 \cup a_2 \dots, (q_i, a_n, q_j) \in \Delta$$

$$\text{if } i \neq j : R_{ij}^0 = a_1 \cup a_2 \cup \dots, (q_i, a_n, q_j) \in \Delta$$

Recurrence

$$\{R_{ij}^k\}_{i,j} \rightarrow \{R_{ij}^k\}_{i,j}$$

$$R_{ij}^k = R_{ij}^{k-1} \cup R_{ik}^{k-1} (R_{kk}^{k-1})^* R_{kj}^{k-1}$$



Conclusion: To prove that L is regular:

DFA, NFA, REGEX

Closure property: $\cup, \cap, \circ, \bar{A}, *$

2. Pumping Theorem

Pumping length

Let L be regular language. There exists an integer $p \geq 1$ such that

$\forall w \in L$ which $|w| \geq p$ can be divided into three parts $w = xyz$, satisfying:

(1) $|y| > 0$

(2) for any $i \geq 0$, $xy^i z \in L$

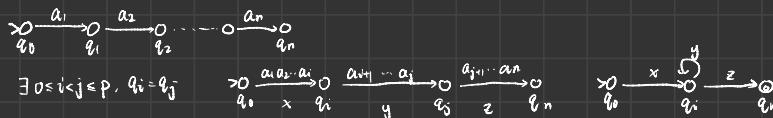
(3) $|xy| \leq p$

example: ab^*a , $p=3$

Proof: if L is finite, $p = \max_{w \in L} (|w| + 1)$

Assume L is infinite, \exists DFA M accepts L , $p = \# \text{ states of } M$

$\forall w \in L$ with $|w| \geq p$, $w = a_1 a_2 \dots a_n$, $n \geq p$



(1) $1 < j \Rightarrow |y| > 0$

(2) $i \geq 0$, $xy^i z \in L$

(3) $j = p \Rightarrow |xy| \leq p$

3. Prove $\{0^n 1^n : n \geq 0\}$ is not regular

Proof: Assume it is regular, let p be the pumping length

consider $w = 0^p 1^p$. By pumping theorem, $w = xyz$, s.t.

(1) $|y| > 0$ (2) $xy^i z \in L$, for any $i \geq 0$ (3) $|xy| \leq p$

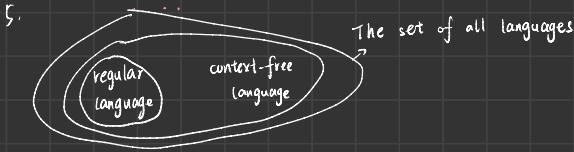
From (1), $y = 0^k$, for some $k > 1$, then $xy^p z = 0^{p-k} 1^p \notin L$

contradiction with (2)

4. Prove $\{w \in \{0,1\}^*: w \text{ has equal number of } 0's \text{ and } 1's\}$ is not regular

assume L is regular $\Rightarrow L \cap 0^* 1^*$ is regular $\Rightarrow \{0^n 1^n : n \geq 0\}$

Chapter 2



6. context-free grammar (CFG)

S : start symbol $S, A \in V$: non-terminals

$S \rightarrow aSb$ rules $a, b, c \in \Sigma$: terminals

$S \rightarrow A$ ↓
 non-terminal

$A \rightarrow c$

$A \rightarrow e$

$S \rightarrow aSb \rightarrow aaSbb \rightarrow aaAbb \rightarrow aacbb$

A context-free grammar $G = (V, \Sigma, S, R)$

V : a finite set of symbols

$\Sigma \subseteq V$: the set of terminals

$V - \Sigma$: the set of non-terminals

$S \in V - \Sigma$: start symbol

$R \subseteq (V - \Sigma) \times V^*$: a finite set of rule $(A, w) \in R, A \rightarrow w$

(1) for any $x, y, u \in V^*$, for any $A \in V - \Sigma$. $\underline{xAy} \Rightarrow xuy$ if $(A, w) \in R$.

↓
derive in one step

(2) for any $w, u \in V^*$, $w \xrightarrow{*} u$ if $w = u$ or $w \xrightarrow{\downarrow} \cdots \xrightarrow{\downarrow} u$

↑
terminal

a derivation from w to u of length n

(3) G generates $w \in \Sigma^*$ if $S \xrightarrow{*} w$

$L(G) = \{w \in \Sigma^* : G \text{ generates } w\}$, G generates $L(G)$

example: (1) $\{0^n 1^n, n \geq 0\}$

$S \rightarrow 0S1, S \rightarrow e$

(2) $\{w \in \{a, b\}^*, w = w^R\}$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow aSa \\ S \rightarrow bSb \\ S \rightarrow e \\ S \rightarrow a \\ S \rightarrow b \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow S \rightarrow aSa \mid bSb \mid e \mid a \mid b$

Week 4

- ↗ leftmost derivation
- $S \rightarrow SS \Rightarrow (S)S \Rightarrow ()S \Rightarrow ()() \Rightarrow ()()$
 - $S \rightarrow (S) \Rightarrow S(S) \Rightarrow S() \Rightarrow (S)() \Rightarrow ()()$
 - $S \rightarrow e$



(1): the yield of the parse tree

- $E \rightarrow E + E$
 - $E \rightarrow E \times E$
 - $E \rightarrow (E)$
 - $E \rightarrow a$
- $a + axa$
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- ↗ two different ambiguous
- ① grammar 故障  
② language 故障

- $E \rightarrow E + T$
  - $E \rightarrow T$
  - $T \rightarrow T \times F$
  - $T \rightarrow F$
  - $F \rightarrow (E)$
  - $F \rightarrow a$
- $a + axa$
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- E: Expression
T: term
F: factor

- $\{a^i b^j c^k : i=j \text{ or } j=k\}$ 所有生成此语言的CFG都有歧义

↳ inherent ambiguous

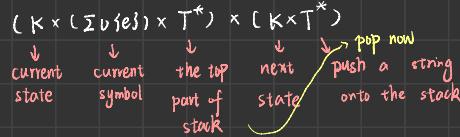
- Pushdown Automata \rightleftharpoons Context-free language

$$PDA = NFA + \text{stack}$$

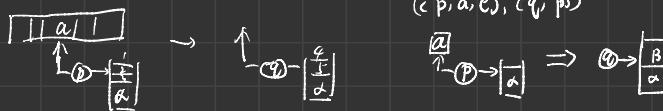


A PDA is 6-tuple $P = (K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, S, F)$

- K : a finite set of states
- Σ : tape alphabet
- T : stack alphabet
- S : initial state
- F : a set of final state
- Δ : transition relation, a finite subset of



example: $(\langle p, a, \alpha \rangle), (\langle q, b \rangle)$



6. A configuration of PDA p is a member of $K^* \times \Sigma^* \times T^*$ $\xrightarrow{\text{stack content}}$
 yields in one step
 $(p, x, \alpha) \xrightarrow{p} (q, y, \beta)$ if $\exists (p, a, \alpha), (q, b, \beta) \in \Delta$ st $x = ay$, $\alpha = rt$ and $\beta = yt$ for some $t \in T^*$

$(p, x, \alpha) \xrightarrow{p} (q, y, \beta)$ if $(p, x, \alpha) = (q, y, \beta)$ or $(p, x, \alpha) \xrightarrow{p} \dots \xrightarrow{p} (q, y, \beta)$

p accepts a string $w \in \Sigma^*$ if $(s, w, e) \xrightarrow{p} (q, e, e)$ for some $q \in F$

$L(p) = \{w \in \Sigma^* : p \text{ accepts } w\}$, p accepts $L(p)$

7. Ex. $L = \{w \in \{0,1\}^*: \#0s = \#1s \text{ in } w\}$

Idea: When read a 0 :

if stack is empty or the top is 0:

push(0)

else // top is 1:

pop(1)

When read a 1 :

Proof: Version 1:

$$K = \{s, q, f\}, S = s, F = \{f\}$$

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

$$\Delta = \{(s, e, e), (q, \$)\}, \{(q, 0, \$), (q, 0\$)\}, \{(q, 0, 0), (q, 00)\}, \{(q, 0, 1), (q, 01)\}$$

(回退) ... , $\{(q, 1, \$), (f, e)\}\}$

Version 2:

$$K = \{q\}, S = q, F = \{q\}$$

利用 PDA 可以猜 like NFA

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

$$\Delta = \{(q, 0, e), (q, 0), (q, 0, 0), (q, 00), (q, 0, 1), (q, 01), \dots\}$$

Version 3:



Week 5

for input $a|a|bb$

1. CFG \longrightarrow PDA

$$S \rightarrow asb$$

$$S \rightarrow e$$



Idea:

1. in stack, non-deterministically generate a string according CFG

2. compare it to input

3. accept it if they match

Given a CFG, $G = (V, \Sigma, R, S)$, construct a PDA, $P = (K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, S, F)$, such that $L(P) = L(G)$

$$K = \{S, F\}, \quad F = \{f\}, \quad T = V.$$

$$\Delta = \{(s, e, e), (f, s), \\ ((f, e, A), (f, u)), \forall (A, u) \in R \\ ((f, a, a), (f, e)), \forall a \in \Sigma\}$$

2. PDA \rightarrow CFG

\downarrow
simple PDA

① Def.

A PDA $P = (K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, S, F)$ is simple if

i) $|F| = 1$

ii) for each transition $((p, a, \alpha), (q, \beta)) \in \Delta$, either $\alpha = e$ and $|\beta| = 1$ // push a symbol
or $|\alpha| = 1$ and $\beta = e$ // pop a symbol

② PDA \rightarrow simple PDA

① if $|F| = 0$, $L(P)$ is empty, PDA \rightarrow CFG

② if $|F| > 1$, create a new state f'

for each $q \in F$

create a transition $((q, e, e), (f', e))$

③ 2.3.1 goal: $\alpha = e$ or $\beta = e$

for each $((p, a, \alpha), (q, \beta))$ with $\alpha \neq e$ and $\beta \neq e$

create a state r

replace it with

$((p, a, \alpha), (r, e))$ and $((r, e, e), (q, \beta))$

2.3.2 for each $((p, a, \alpha), (q, e))$ with $\alpha = c_1 \dots c_k$

create $k+1$ new states r_1, \dots, r_{k+1}

replace it with

$((p, a, q), (r_1, e))$ $((r_1, e, c_2), (r_2, e))$

⋮

$((r_{k+1}, e, c_k), (q, e))$

2.3.3 for each $((p, a, e), (q, \beta))$ with $\beta = c_1 \dots c_k$

注意: push c_k by $c_k, c_{k-1} \dots c_1$

2.3.4 for each $((p, a, e), (q, e)) \in \Delta$

create a new state r

let $b \in T$

replace it with

$((p, a, e), (r, b))$, $((r, e, b), (q, e))$

3) Simple PDA \rightarrow CFG

Given a simple PDA $P = (K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, S, F)$

construct a CFG $G = (V, \Sigma, S, R)$

subproblems

Non-terminal: $\{ A_{pq} : \text{for any } p, q \in K \}$

$A_{pq} \Rightarrow^* w \in \Sigma^*$ if and only if $(p, w, e) \xrightarrow{P}^* (q, e, e)$

so $S = A_{sf}$

stack height ↑

$A_p \Rightarrow e \quad A_p \in K$

有可能遇到死串
for any $p, q \in K$

如

$S \Rightarrow A$

$\leftarrow A_{pq} \Rightarrow A_{pr} A_{rq}, \text{ for any } r \in K$

$A \Rightarrow a$

$S \Rightarrow B$

$A_{pq} \Rightarrow a A_{p'q'} b$

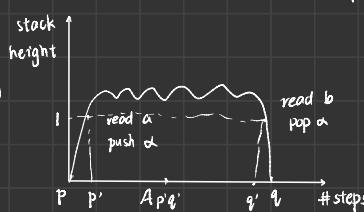
$L(G) = \{\alpha\}$

$B \in \text{No. of } \beta$

for any p', q', α, β satisfying

$((p, \alpha), (p', \alpha)) \in \Delta$

$((q', \beta), (q, \beta)) \in \Delta$



3. 推论: prove context-free 可用 PDA / CFG

4. $\{w \in \{a, b\}^*: \#a's = 2 \#b's \text{ in } w\}$

$2 \#b's - \#a's = ?$

$\uparrow: +1$

stack \rightarrow unary counter

$\downarrow: -1$

PDA = $(K, \Sigma, T, \Delta, S, F)$

$K = \{s\}, F = \{s\}, \Sigma = \{a, b\}, T = \{+, -\}$

$\Delta = \{(s, b, e), (s, +t)), ((s, b, -), (s, +)), ((s, b, --), (s, e)), ((s, a, e), (s, -)), ((s, a, +), (s, e))\}$

5. Theorem:

Every regular language is context-free. 反之, context-free 的不一定 regular

simply, NFA \rightarrow PDA

q_0

harder: DFA \rightarrow CFG $M = (K, \Sigma, \delta, s, F), G = (V, \Sigma, S, R)$

$\forall q_i \in K \Rightarrow Q_i \in (V - \bar{S})$

$Q_i \Rightarrow^* w \text{ iff } (q_i, w) \xrightarrow{M}^* (q, e) \text{ for } q \in F$

$S = Q_0$

$\forall q_i \in F, Q_i \rightarrow e$ base case

for any $q_i \in K$, if $\delta(q_i, a) = q_j, Q_i \rightarrow a Q_j$

6. The family of context-free languages is closed under $\cup \circ *$

but not closed under $\cap, -$

A, B context-free

$$G_A = (V_A, \Sigma, S_A, R_A), \quad G_B = (V_B, \Sigma, S_B, R_B)$$

(1) $A \cup B \quad S \rightarrow S_A \mid S_B$

(4) $A = \{a^i b^j c^k : i=j\}$

(2) $A \circ B \quad S \rightarrow S_A S_B$

B = $\{a^i b^j c^k : j=k\}$

(3) $A^* \quad S \rightarrow e$

$A \cap B = \{a^i b^j c^k : i=j=k\} \leftarrow \text{not context-free}$

$\begin{cases} S \rightarrow S S_A \\ S \rightarrow e \end{cases}$

(5) $A \cap B = \overline{A \cup B}$

Week 6

1. Pumping Theorem for CFL

Let L be a context-free language. There exists an integer p > 0, such that any w ∈ L with |w| ≥ p can be divided into five pieces w = uvxyz satisfying:

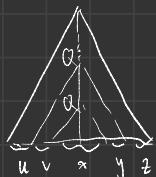
(1) $uv^i xy^i z \in L$ for any $i \geq 0$

(2) $|u| + |y| > 0$

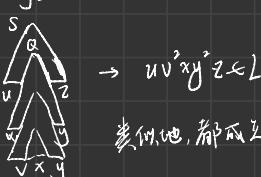
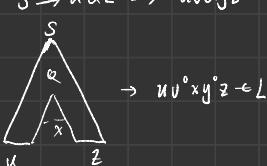
(3) $|vxy| \leq p$

example: $\{a^n b^n : n \geq 0\}$: p=2 . eaebe

Idea:



$$S \Rightarrow^* uQz \Rightarrow^* uvQyz \Rightarrow^* uxxyz$$



$$\rightarrow uv^i xy^i z \in L$$

类似地，都成立

Proof:

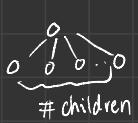
does not contain $A \Rightarrow A$

\exists a CFG, $G = (V, \Sigma, S, R)$ generate L

distinct non-terminals = $|V - \Sigma|$

contain leaf (terminal)

required tree height $\geq |V - \Sigma| + 2$



$$\text{fanout} \leq \max \{ |u| : (A, u) \in R \}$$

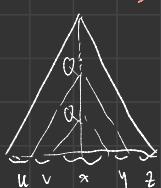
pick the smallest parse tree that yields w

children

So, let $p = b^{\lceil |V - \Sigma| + 1 \rceil}$. If a tree of n nodes has fanout $\geq b$

$$\Rightarrow \text{height} \geq \log_b n + 1$$

longest path has at least $|V - \Sigma| + 1$ non-terminals



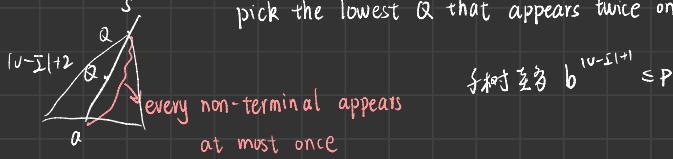
\Rightarrow some non-terminal appears at least twice then repeat the graph above



If $|v|+|y|=0$, then there exists smaller tree
contradictory!

so $|v|+|y|>0$

pick the lowest Q that appears twice on the path



$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot b^{\lfloor \frac{u-z+1}{2} \rfloor} \leq p$$

2. $\{a^n b^n c^n, n \geq 0\}$ is not context-free.

Let p be the pumping length given by the pumping theorem.

Pick $w = a^p b^p c^p \in L$

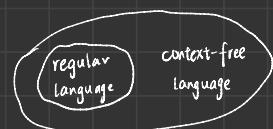
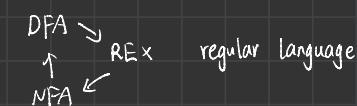
By pumping theorem. $w = u v x y z$. st

(1) $uv^ixy^iz \in L$, for any $i \geq 0$ (2) $|v|+|y| > 0$ (3) $|vxy| \leq p$

From (3), v and y contain either a or c , not both

$\Rightarrow uv^ixy^iz \notin L$, contradicting with (1)

Short Review



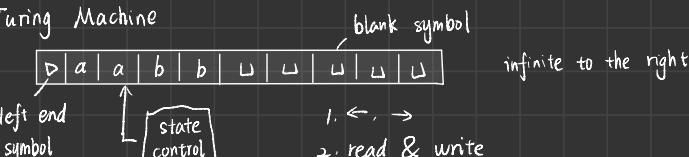
finite automaton



PDA



3. Turing Machine



1. \leftarrow, \rightarrow
2. read & write

A Turing Machine is a 5-tuple $M = (K, \Sigma, \delta, s, H)$

- K : a finite set of states

- Σ : an alphabet (containing Δ and \sqcup)

- s : initial state

- $H = \{y, n\} \subseteq K$. halting states

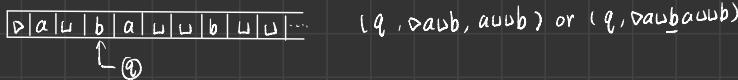
- $\delta: (K-H) \times \Sigma \rightarrow K \times (\Sigma \cup \{\leftarrow, \rightarrow\})$

\downarrow current state \downarrow next state \downarrow write moving

satisfying: (1) for any $q \in K - H$, $\delta(q, D) = (p, \rightarrow)$ for some $p \in K$

(2) for any $q \in K - H$, for any $a \in \Sigma$.
if $\delta(q, a) = (p, b)$, then $b \neq D$ ↑ left-end symbol via -

Configuration :



A configuration is a member of $K \times D(\Sigma - \{D\})^* \times ((\Sigma - \{D\})^* (\Sigma - \{D, u\} \cup \{\epsilon\}))^*$

We say $(q_1, D w_1 a_1 u_1) \xrightarrow{M} (q_2, D w_2 a_2 u_2)$ if

writing (1) $\delta(q_1, a_1) = (q_2, \leftarrow)$ and $a_2 \in \Sigma - \{D\}$ and $w_2 = w_1$ and $u_2 = u_1$

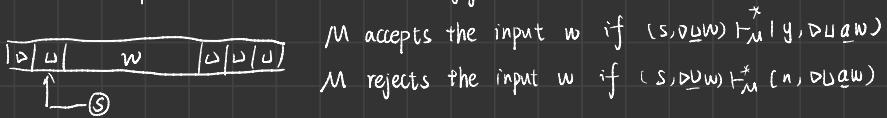


moving left (2) $\delta(q_1, a_1) = (q_2, \leftarrow)$ $w_1 = w_2 a_2$, $u_2 = a_1 u_1$



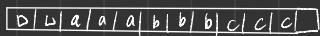
3) M halts whenever it reaches a halting configuration.

Given an input w initial configuration $(s, D w)$



accept Given a TM M. $L(M) = \{w \in (\Sigma - \{D, u\})^*\mid M \text{ accepts } w\}$
 reject M decides $L(M)$ if semidecides $L(M)$ if
 looping accept if $w \in L(M)$ accept if $w \in L(M)$ → recursively enumerable
 recursive language reject if $w \notin L(M)$ { accept if $w \notin L(M)$ reject or looping if $w \notin L(M)$ } language

4. TM decides $\{a^n b^n c^n : n \geq 0\}$



(1) check if it is the form $a^* b^* c^*$ ↑ if a,b,c

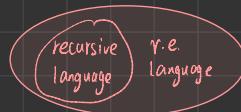
(2)

Week 7

1. Given M. $L(M) = \{w : M \text{ accepts } w\} \rightarrow M \text{ semidecides } L(M)$

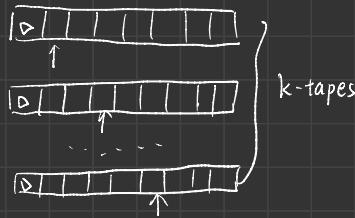
If M halts on every time, then M decides $L(M)$

Every recursive language must be recursively enumerable.



Extensions of TM

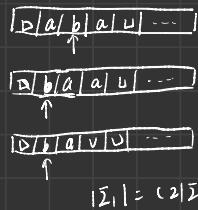
1. multiple tapes



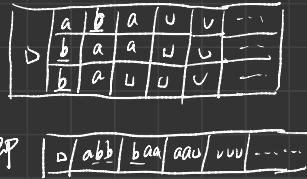
$$\delta: (K-H) \times \Sigma^k \rightarrow K \times ((\Sigma - \{\delta\}) \cup \{\leftarrow, \rightarrow\})$$

和原生的表达能力相同

Idea: 3-tape



single-tape

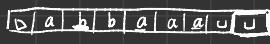


↳ 2行有下划线或天下划横

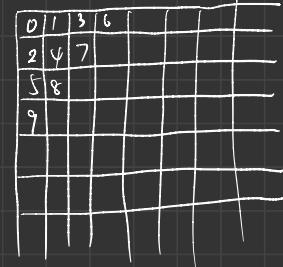
2. Two-way infinite tape



3. Multiple head

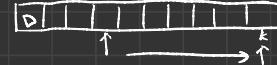


4. 2D-tape



可数无穷大

5. random access



6. Non-deterministic TM (NTM)

- K
- Σ
- S
- H

◦ Δ: a *finite* subset of $((K-H) \times \Sigma) \times (K \times ((\Sigma - \{\Delta\}) \cup \{\leftarrow, \rightarrow\}))$



M decides L if

(1) for any w, there is an integer N, depending on w and M such that

every branch halts with N steps

(2) if $w \in L$, \exists some branch accepts w.

if $w \notin L$, every branch rejects w.

M semidecides L if for any input w.

(1) if $w \in L$, \exists some branch accepts w.

(2) if $w \notin L$, no branch accepts w.

Example: Let $C = \{100, 110, 1000, \dots\}$ 为所有奇数的集合

| 0 | u | w | u | p | u | q | u |

non-deterministically
generate p and q

if $w=pq$, accept; otherwise, reject

7. Theorem: Every NTM can be simulated by a DTM.

Sketch: a NTM N semidecides $L \rightarrow$ a DTM M semidecides L

given input w, $w \in L$ iff some branch accepts w

(some node is in state y)



3-tape DTM:

| 0 | u | w | u |

store the input

| 0 |

simulate NTM

| 0 | * |

enumerate all possible choice

3

... ...

K

1

2

... K

K K

枚举每一层选择第K步后

8. Church-Turing Thesis

Intuition of Algorithm is equivalent to Turing Machine.

Fact 1: Any finite set can be encoded

$$\{a_1, \dots, a_n\} \Rightarrow a_00000|a_10000 \dots a_{\lceil \frac{n}{\log n} \rceil}$$

Fact 2: Any finite tuple whose elements are finite sets can be encoded

$$(A, B, C, D) \Rightarrow a_000|a_100 \dots a_{\lceil \frac{n}{\log n} } b_{\lceil \frac{n}{\log n} } c_{\lceil \frac{n}{\log n} } d_{\lceil \frac{n}{\log n} }$$

$$E.g. G=(V, E) \rightarrow "G" \quad M=(K, \Sigma, S, H) \rightarrow "M"$$

10. $L = \{ "G" : G \text{ is a connected graph} \}$

$M = \text{on input } "G"$

 a. if the input is illegal, reject (by default)

 1. select a node of G and mark it.

 2. repeat the following

 3. for each marked node

 4. mark all of its neighbors

 5. if all the nodes are marked
 accept

 6. else

 reject

11. Problems

(1) $R_1 : A_{DFA} = \{ "D" "w" : D \text{ is a DFA that accepts } w \}$

$M_{R_1} = \text{on input } "D" "w"$

 1. run D on w

 2. if D accepts w
 accepts " $D" "w$ "

 3. else D rejects w
 rejects " $D" "w$ "

A_{NFA}

" $D" "w$ "

\longrightarrow

A_{DFA}

1. " $N" "w" \in A_{NFA}$ if and only if " $D" "w" \in A_{DFA}$ "

2. the function is computable

(2) $R_2 : A_{NFA} = \{ "N" "w" : N \text{ is a NFA that accepts } w \}$

$M_{R_2} = \text{on input } "N" "w"$

 1. convert N to an equivalent DFA D

 2. run M_{R_1} on " $D" "w$ "

 3. return the result of M_{R_1}

(3) $R_3 : A_{REX} = \{ "R" "w" : R \text{ is a regular expression with } w \in f(R) \}$

$M_{R_3} = \text{on input } "R" "w"$

 1. convert R into an equivalent NFA N

 2. run M_{R_2} on " $R" "w"$ "

 3. return the result of M_{R_2}

到 \exists final

②

(4) $R_4 : E_{DFA} = \{ "D" : D \text{ is a DFA with } L(D) = \emptyset \}$

$M_{R_4} = \text{on input } "D"$

> 0

③

 1. run DFS on the state diagram of D

④

 2. 若有 path R : reject, \exists R : accept

(5) $R_5 : EQ_{DFA} = \{ "D_1" "D_2" : D_1 \text{ and } D_2 \text{ are two DFAs with } L(D_1) = L(D_2) \}$

Symmetric different



$$A \oplus B = (A \cup B) - (A \cap B)$$

1. $A = B$ if and only if $A \oplus B = \emptyset$

$$2. A \oplus B = (A \cup B) \cap (\overline{A} \cap B)$$

$$= (A \cup B) \cap (\overline{A} \cup \overline{B})$$

M_{\oplus} : on input " D_1 " " D_2 "

1. construct a DFA D^* with $L(D^*) = L(D_1) \oplus L(D_2)$
2. run M_{\oplus} on " D^* "

Week 8

$$1. A_{DFA} = \{ "D" "w" : D \text{ is a DFA that accepts } w \}$$

↑ 不同。第二个指定了 D

$$D \text{ is a DFA. } L(D) = \{w : D \text{ accepts } w\}$$

$$w \in L(D) \Leftrightarrow D \text{ accepts } w \Leftrightarrow "D" "w" \in A_{DFA}$$

$$A_{DFA} \text{ is recursive} \Leftrightarrow L(D) \text{ is recursive}$$

$$C_1 A_{CFG} = \{ "G" "w" : G \text{ is a CFG that generates } w \}$$

A CFG is in Chomsky normal form (CNF) if every rule is one of the following forms:

1. $S \rightarrow e$
2. $A \rightarrow BC \quad B, C \in V - \{S\}$ 可以证明所有 CFG 都可以被表示为 CNF
3. $A \rightarrow a$

generate $|w|=n \geq 1$, we need $2n-1$ times ($n \geq 2, n \geq 3$) in total, $(R)^{2n-1}$ strings

M_G : on input " $G" "w$ "

1. convert G to CNF, $G' = (V, S, R', S')$
2. enumerate all derivation of length at most $(R')^{2n-1}$
3. accept if any of these derivation generates w and reject otherwise

$$C_2 A_{PDA} = \{ "P" "w" : P \text{ is a PDA that accepts } w \}$$

M_G : on input " $P" "w$ "

1. convert P into an equivalent CFG G
2. run M_G on " $G" "w$ "
3. return the result of M_G

$$C_3 E_{CFG} = \{ "G" : G \text{ is a CFG with } L(G) = \emptyset \}$$

M_G : on input " G "

1. mark terminals and e
2. while there is a rule with all symbols on its right are marked but the symbol on its left is not marked:
at most (R) loops
mark the symbol on the left
3. if S is marked
reject
4. else
accept

$$C_4 E_{PDA} = \{ "P" : P \text{ is a PDA with } L(P) = \emptyset \}$$

transfer P into corresponding CFG



2. Countable

A set A is countable if it is finite or \exists bijection $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$, uncountable otherwise

(1) Lemma

A set A is countable if and only if \exists injection $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$

Proof

" \Rightarrow " obviously

" \Leftarrow " injection $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$, need to find bijection $g: A \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$

sort A in increasing order of $f(\cdot)$

$g(a) = \text{rank of } a$

(2) Corollary

$$A' \subset A$$

Any subset of a countable set is countable

Proof

\exists injection $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow \exists$ injection $f': A' \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow A'$ is countable

(3) Lemma

Any language is countable.

Proof

Let Σ be an alphabet, we only need to prove Σ^* is countable

Assume $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$, $\Sigma^* = \{e, 0, 1, 00, 01, 10, 11, 000, \dots\}$
map to their ranks $\begin{matrix} & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & \dots \end{matrix}$

(4) Corollary

$\{M : M \text{ is a TM}\}$ is countable.

Proof

encode $\{\tilde{m} : M \text{ is a TM}\}$. The corresponding language is countable.

so the original statement is true.

\Rightarrow \exists language is not recursively enumerable

(5) Lemma

Let Σ be an non-empty alphabet

Let L be the set of languages over Σ

L is uncountable.

Proof

Diagonalization

Suppose that L is countable. L_1, L_2, L_3, \dots

Since Σ^* is countable, the strings in Σ^* can be labeled as

s_1, s_2, s_3, \dots

$D = \{s_i : s_i \notin L_i\}$

for $i=1, 2, 3, \dots$ $s_i \in D$ if and only if $s_i \notin L_i \Leftrightarrow D \neq L_i, \forall i$

{ if $s_i \notin L_i$

But $D \in L$, contradictory!

add s_i to D

existing a
table

	s_1	s_2	s_3	s_4	\dots
L_1	1	0	0	1	
L_2	1	1	0	0	
L_3	0	1	1	0	
L_4	0	1	1	1	
\vdots	0	1	1	1	

找 $s_i \in L_i$

取对角线，若 L_i 中有 s_i ，则 s_i 不在 D 中，否则在

这样的 s_i 不与前面所有 L_i 相同，则不可数。

3. $A_{\text{TM}} = \{ \langle M, w \rangle : M \text{ is a TM that accepts } w \}$

Theorem:

A_{TM} is recursive enumerable

Proof: \rightarrow universal turing machine

U = on input " M, w "

1. run M on w

2. accept " M, w " if M accepts w

reject if M rejects w

U accepts " M, w " if and only if M accepts w

if and only if " M, w " $\in A_{\text{TM}}$

Theorem

A_{TM} is not recursive.

Proof

$A_d = \{ \langle M \rangle : M \text{ is a TM that does not accept } \langle M \rangle \}$

① if A_{TM} is recursive, A_d is recursive. $\Rightarrow A_{\text{TM}}$ is not recursive.

② A_d is not recursively enumerable.

① if A_{TM} is recursive $\Rightarrow \exists M_1$ decides A_{TM}

$M^* =$ on input " M "

1. run M_1 to check whether M accepts " M "

2. If M accepts " M "

reject

3. else // M rejects " M " or looping on " M "

accept

M^* decides $A_d \Rightarrow A_d$ is recursive

② A_d is not recursively enumerable

Suppose that A_d is r.e. $\Rightarrow \exists \text{TM } D$ semidecides A_d

D on input " M " = $\begin{cases} \text{accept} & \text{if } \langle M \rangle \in A_d \text{ (} M \text{ rejects } \langle M \rangle \text{ or looping on } \langle M \rangle \text{)} \\ \text{reject} & \text{if } \langle M \rangle \notin A_d \text{ (} M \text{ accepts } \langle M \rangle \text{)} \\ \text{looping} & \end{cases}$

D on input " D " = $\begin{cases} \text{accept} & \text{if } D \text{ rejects } \langle D \rangle \text{ or looping on } \langle D \rangle \\ \text{reject} & \text{if } D \text{ accepts } \langle D \rangle \\ \text{looping} & \end{cases}$

contradictory!

$\Rightarrow A_{\text{TM}}$ 也不可判定

Theorem

If L and \bar{L} is enumerable recursive, then L is recursive.

Proof

$\exists M$ semidecides L , $\exists M'$ semidecides \bar{L}

M^* = on input w ,

1. run M and M' on w in parallel
2. if M accepts w
accept w
3. if M' accepts w
reject w

A_{TM} is not recursive

but is recursively enumerable

$\Rightarrow \bar{A}_{TM}$ is not recursively enumerable

Week 9

1. $H_{TM} = \{\langle M, w \rangle : M \text{ is a TM that halts on } w\}$

$A_{TM} = \{\langle M, w \rangle : M \text{ is a TM that accepts } w\} \rightarrow \text{not recursive}$

(1) A_{TM}

" M " " w "

H_{TM}

M^* = on input x

1. run M on x
2. if M accepts x
 M^* accepts x
3. if M rejects x
 M^* looping
4. if M is looping
 M^* is looping

M accepts w if and only if

M^* halts on w

\rightarrow 以不写

Suppose that H_{TM} is recursive. $\exists M_H$ decides H_{TM} .

M_A = on input " M " " w " \rightarrow 相当于输入

1. construct M^* using M

相当于解决
problem for M^*

M^* = on input x

1. run M on x
2. if M accepts x
 M^* accepts x
3. if M rejects x
 M^* looping
4. if M is looping
 M^* is looping

2. run M_H on " M " " w "

3. if M_H accepts " M " " w "
(then we know M accepts w)
accept " M " " w "

4. else M_H reject " M " " w "
reject " M " " w "

M_A decides A_{TM} . 完成.

$\hookrightarrow L = \text{the set of all re language containing } e$

2. $L_1 = \{M : M \text{ is a TM that accepts } e\}$ 不可判定.

ATM

L_1

"M" "w"

M^*

We need M accepts w if and only if M^* accepts e

M^* = on input x

1. run M on w

3. if M rejects w

2. if M accepts w

reject x

accepts x

} 归约. 一种映射

if M accepts w , then M^* accepts all inputs, including e

if M rejects or loops on w , then M^* doesn't accept any input

Suppose that L_1 is recursive, $\exists M_1$ decides L_1

M_A = on input "M" "w":

1. construct M^* using "M" "w"

2. run M_1 on M^*

3. if M_1 rejects " M^* "

accepts "M" "w"

4. if M_1 accepts " M^* "

reject "M" "w"

M_A decides ATM, wrong

3. $L_2 = \{M : M \text{ is a TM that accepts all strings}\}$ 不可判定

ATM

L_2

"M" "w"

" M^* "

M accepts w if and only if M^* accepts all the strings.

之后与上一题类似.

4. $L_3 = \{M_1, M_2 : M_1 \text{ and } M_2 \text{ are the TMs that accept the same set of strings}\}$

Suppose L_3 is recursive. $\exists M_3$ decides L_3

use M_3 to construct M_2 decides L_2

M_2 = on input "M"

1. construct M_E as follows

M_E = on input x

1. accept

2. run M_3 on " M " " M_E " // check whether M and M_E accepts the same set of inputs
 3. if M_3 accepts " M " " M_E "
 accept " M "
 4. if M_3 rejects " M " " M_E "
 reject " M "

We know M_2 decides L_2 , so contradiction. $\boxed{\text{矛盾}}$

5. $E_1 = \{ "M" : M \text{ is a TM with } L(M) \text{ is regular} \}$

A_{TM}

" M " " w "

E_1

" M^* "

$M^* = \text{on input } x$

1. run M on w

2. if M accepts w

3. run U on x

4. accepts x if U accepts x

5. rejects x if U rejects x

6. if M rejects w

7. reject x

universal TM

U semidecides A_{TM}

$L(U) = A_{TM}$

$U = \text{on input } "M" "w"$

1. run M on w

2. if M accepts w

U accepts " M " " w "

3. else

U rejects " M " " w "

\swarrow M does not accept w , $L(M^*) = \emptyset$ regular / context-free
 \searrow M accepts w , $L(M^*) = A_{TM}$ not regular recursive
not context-free
not recursive

- $E_2 = \{ "M" : M \text{ is a TM with } L(M) \text{ is context-free} \}$

- $E_3 = \{ "M" : M \text{ is a TM with } L(M) \text{ is recursive} \}$

都有共同形式: Given a TM M , is $L(M) \in \bar{L}$?

\bar{L} is a proper, non-empty subset of the class of recursive enumerable language

6. $R = \{ "M" : M \text{ is a TM with } L(M) \in \bar{L} \}$ Rice's Theorem

Proof: Assume $\emptyset \notin \bar{L}$ (if $\emptyset \in \bar{L}$, $\bar{L} = \bar{L}$)

Let $A \in \bar{L}$, $\exists M_A$ semidecides A

A_{TM}

" M " " w "

R

" M^* "

$M^* = \text{on input } x$

1. run M on w

2. if M accepts w

3. run MA on x
 4. if MA accepts x $L(M^*) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{if } M \text{ does not accept } w, L(M^*) = \emptyset \notin L \\ \text{if } M \text{ accepts } w, L(M^*) = L(MA) = A \in L \end{array} \right.$
 5. accept x
 6. if MA rejects x
 7. reject x
 8. if M rejects w
 9. reject x
- 如果可判定 R , 那也可以判定 A_{TM} , 但 A_{TM} 不可判定.
- 矛盾.

Week 10

1. Given a TM M , does $L(M)$ have property P ?

\downarrow equiv $L(P) = \text{the set of all r.e language satisfying } P$

Given a TM M , is $L(M) \subset L(P)$? $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{if non-empty, proper subset} \\ \text{then undecidable} \end{array} \right.$

DFA	PDA	TM
A_{DFA}	A_{PDA}	A_{TM}
E_{DFA}	E_{PDA}	E_{TM}
EQ_{DFA}	{decidable}	{undecidable}
ALL_{DFA}	ALL_{PDA}	EQ_{TM}
	undecidable	H_{TM}
		ALL_{TM}

$ALL_{PDA} = \{ "p": p \text{ is a PDA with } L(p) = \Sigma^* \}$ is not recursive



$NOTALL_{PDA} = \{ "p": p \text{ is a PDA with } L(p) \neq \Sigma^* \}$ is not recursive

H_{TM}
 $"M" "w"$
 \Downarrow
 $"p"$

We want M halts on w if and only if $L(p) \neq \Sigma^*$

$(s, \Delta_{uw}) t_m \dots t_m (h, \Delta_{uhv})$

等价地表示成: $\Delta_{uw} t_m \dots t_m \Delta_{uhv} \rightarrow \text{state 放在读写头之后}$

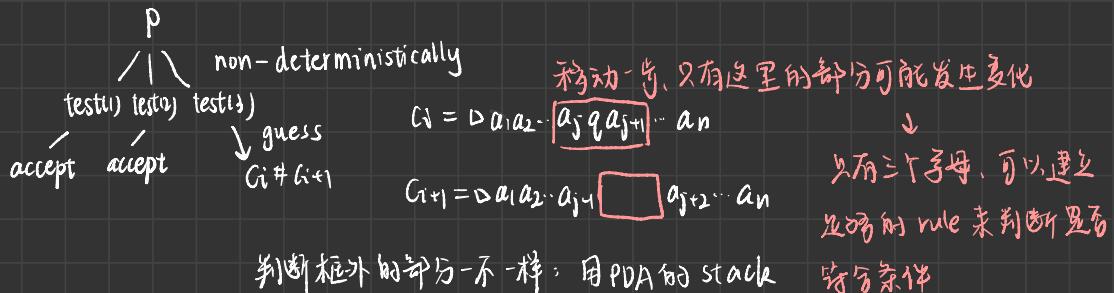
$\Rightarrow p \Delta_{uw} \# \dots \# \dots \# \Delta_{uhv}$ 于是构造出了一串 string

\hookrightarrow computing history of M that halts on w

P accepts all the strings that are not computing history of M that halts on w .

$c_1 \# c_2 \dots \# c_k$ c_i is a configuration

- (1) C_k is not in the form of $\Delta L S \Delta W$
- (2) C_k is not in the form of $\Delta U A H V$
- (3) $\exists i, C_i \neq C_{i+1}$



细节：若要判断入栈和出栈顺序，我们可以将偶数次的串反转

$$\text{RP } C_{ik}^l = C_{ik}^R$$

IF NOT ALL PDA is recursive, then H_TM is recursive. Contradiction

2. Reduction

Let A and B be two languages over Σ . A reduction from A to B is a computable function $f: \Sigma^* \rightarrow \Sigma^*$, such that for any $x \in \Sigma^*$

$$x \in A \text{ if and only if } f(x) \in B$$

Lemma

Suppose that \exists reduction from A to B

$$A \leq B$$

(1) if B is recursive, so is A.

B is recursive $\Rightarrow \exists M_B$ decides B

$\exists f: \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma^*$ such that

$x \in A$ if and only if $f(x) \in B$

M_A on input x

1. compute $f(x)$

2. run M_B on $f(x)$

3. return the result of B

(2) if A is not recursive, nor is B

Week 10

1. a TM M prints "M" on its tape

$A \rightarrow B$

"B" "A"

A: write "B" to the tape

B: write "A" to the tape and swap it with "B"

function $q: \Sigma^* \rightarrow \Sigma^*$ such that $q(w) = "Mw"$

Given any string w

M_w = on any input

1. construct M_w

1. print w on the tape

2. return " Mw "

B = on input w

1. compute $q(w)$

2. write it to the tape and swap it with w

A = on any input

1. write "B" to the tape

"B" "A"

get "A" "B"

2. Recursive Theorem

For any TM T, there is a TM R such that for any string w, the computation of T on " $R^k w$ " is equivalent to that R on w.

T = on input " $M^k w$ "

R = on input w

do something

1. run T on " $R^k w$ "

从哪里开始找：

M = on input x

legal

1. obtain its own coding " M "

T

R

$A \rightarrow B \rightarrow T$

w "B" "T" "A"
R
"A" "B" "T" w

A writes "B" "T"

B writes "A" and reorder the content of tape

3. $L(R) = \{ "R" \}$

R = an input x

1. obtain its own coding " R "

2. if " R " == x

3. accept

4. else

5. reject

4. ATM is not recursive.

\exists TM M_A decides ATM

M^* = on input x

1. obtain " M^* "

2. run M_A on " M^* " x

3. if M_A accepts " M^* " x

4. rejects x

5. else

6. accepts x

$T =$ on input " M^* " x

1. if " M^* " == x

2. accept

3. else

4. reject

M_A 的判断总是错误的，因此不存在这样的

那么 ATM 不可判定

5.哥德尔不完备性定理：

$$V(x,t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } t \text{ is a valid for } x \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

a statement x

a proof t

let \mathcal{Y} be a language (the set of true statements)

A proof system for \mathcal{Y} is a TM V such that:

(1) effectiveness, for $x, y \in \Sigma^*$, V either accepts or rejects (x, y)

(2) soundness, for $x \notin \mathcal{Y}$, $V(x, y) = 0$ for all y → provable

V is complete if for any $x \in \mathcal{Y}$, there is some y such that $V(x, y) = 1$

Theorem:

Some language \mathcal{Y} does not have a complete proof system.

Lemma:

A has a complete proof system if and only if A is recursively enumerable.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ complete proof system V

M = on input x

1. for $y \in \Sigma^*$ in increasing order of length

2. if $V(x, y) = 1$

3. accept x

$\Leftarrow \exists M$ semidecides A

V=on input (x, y)

1. run M on x for y steps

2. accepts (x, y) if M accepts x within y steps

① 一定会停机，满足 effectiveness ② $x \notin A$, 对 $\forall y$, M 不会接受, 满足 soundness

③ complete 显然满足

So \bar{A}_{TM} has no complete proof system

a proof system V for \bar{A}_{TM}

R = on input x

1. obtain "R"

2. for $y \in \Sigma^*$ in increasing order of length

3. if $V(R^y, x) = 1$

4. halt and accept x

If V is complete

R accepts $x \Leftrightarrow \exists y. s.t. V(R^y, x) = 1 \Leftrightarrow R^x \in \bar{A}_{TM}$

b. Enumerator

We say a TM M enumerates a language L if for some state q

$L = \{w : (s, \alpha) \xrightarrow{*} (q, \alpha w)\}$

↳ Turing enumerable

Theorem:

A is Turing enumerable if and only if A is recursively enumerable.

Proof:

Assume that A is a infinite set

\Rightarrow Obvious

$\Leftarrow \exists M$ semidecides A

for $s \in \Sigma^*$ in increasing order of length

run M on S

if M accepts S, \rightarrow 会出现 looping

accept S

for $i = 1, 2, 3, 4 \dots$

for $j = 1 \dots i$

run M on S_j for i steps

if M accepts S_j

output S_j

7. A TM M is minimal if $|N| < |M|$ implies $L(N) \neq L(M)$

$$\text{MIN}_{\text{TM}} = \{ "M" : M \text{ is a minimal TM} \}$$

R on input x

1. obtain " R "

2. enumerate MIN_{TM} until obtain " B " with $|B| \geq |R|$

3. run B on x

We know $L(R) = L(B)$, but $|R| < |B|$, contradictory with B is minimal.

So we can't enumerate MIN_{TM} , is not re.

Week 11

1. Let M be a standard DTM that halts on every input

The running time of M is a function $f: N \xrightarrow{\text{+}} N$
input length \nwarrow # steps

On any input of length n , M halts within $f(n)$ steps.

2. $\text{DTIME}(t(n)) = \{ L : L \text{ can be decided by some standard DTM within running time } O(t(n)) \}$

① $\{0^k, k \geq 0\}$:
1) 扫描一遍，确定长度
2) 之后每次，对 $(0^k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ ，每隔一个删一个。
3) 究竟和 1 是否同时满足
 $\text{DTIME}(n \lg n)$

if use two-tape, we only need $O(n)$ steps

1) -1 tape 0 2) -1 tape 1

② If k -tape TM in $t(n)$ time, then for single tape

one step $\rightarrow O(t(n))$ steps (at most $2t(n)$ steps?)

$t(n)$ step $\rightarrow O(t(n))$ steps

3. The Cobham-Edmond Thesis

Any "reasonable" and "general" deterministic model of computation
is polynomially related.

4. $P = \{ L : L \text{ can be decided by some standard DTM with } \text{poly}(n) \text{ running time} \}$

$$P = \bigcup_{k \geq 0} \text{DTIME}(n^k)$$

5. Theorem

Every context-free language is in P .

Proof:

Chomsky norm form

$$\begin{cases} S \rightarrow \epsilon \\ A \rightarrow BC \\ A \rightarrow a \\ |R|^{2n-1} \end{cases}$$

Dynamic Programming

$a_1 a_2 \dots a_n \quad S \xrightarrow{*} a_1 a_2 \dots a_n$

subproblems

for $1 \leq i \leq j \leq n$ define

$$T_{i,j} = \{ A \in V - \Sigma : A \xrightarrow{*} a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_j \}$$

Goal: $T_{1,n}$

Base case: for $1 \leq i \leq n$, $T_{i,i} = \{ A \in V - \Sigma : A \xrightarrow{*} a_i \}$

Recurrence

for $1 \leq i < j \leq n$

$$T_{i,j} = \bigcup_{k=i}^{j-1} \{ A : A \rightarrow BC, B \in T_{i,k}, C \in T_{k+1,j} \}$$

subproblems: n^2 判断 B, C 是否在时延集中

cost per subproblem: $n \cdot |R| \cdot (|V| - |\Sigma|)^2$

total: $n^3 \cdot |R| \cdot (|V| - |\Sigma|)^2 = O(n^3)$

$$\begin{array}{c} a_i = \overbrace{a_k a_{k+1} \dots a_j}^{\overbrace{B}^{\overbrace{C}}} \\ A \rightarrow BC \end{array}$$

6. SAT (satisfiability) Problem

Let $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ be a set of boolean variable

$x_1, \dots, x_n, \bar{x}_1, \dots, \bar{x}_n$: literals

a clause is like $x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_3 \vee \bar{x}_4 \vee x_5$

a boolean formula is like $(x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_3) \wedge (x_3 \vee x_4) \wedge (x_1 \vee \bar{x}_4 \vee x_5)$

A truth assignment of X is $T: X \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$

T satisfies F if F is true under T .

SAT: given a boolean formula F , is F satisfiable?

{ "F": F is a satisfiable boolean formula }

SAT in P? unknown

7. Let M be a NTM. The running time of M is a function $f: N \rightarrow N$.

For any input of length n , every branch of M halts within $f(n)$ steps.

M = on input F

1. non-deterministically generate a truth assignment T

2. if T satisfies F

3. accept

4. else

5. reject

8. $NP = \{L \mid L \text{ can be decided by some NTM within } \text{poly}(n) \text{ running time}\}$

$P \subseteq NP$ $P = NP?$ unknown $P \neq NP$ is widely believed

9. Theorem

$P = NP$ if and only if $SAT \in P$

10. language $A \vdash_{\text{DTM}} V$ 满足这三个条件的证明系统必然存在

1) for any $x \in \Sigma^*$, any $y \in \Sigma^*$

$$V(x,y) = \begin{cases} \text{accept} & \text{effectiveness} \\ \text{reject} & \end{cases}$$

and V has polynomial running time

2) for any $x \notin A$, $V(x,y) = \text{reject}$ for any $y \in \Sigma^*$ soundness

3) for any $x \in A$, $\exists y \in \Sigma^*$, $V(x,y) = \text{accept}$ completeness
with $|y| \leq \text{poly}(|x|)$

11. SAT is polynomial-time verifiable.

V = on input F and T

1. evaluate F using T

2. if T satisfies F

3. accept

4. else

5. reject

12. Theorem:

L is polynomial-time verifiable $\Leftrightarrow L \in NP$

Proof:

$\Rightarrow \exists V \dots$

M = on input x (decide $x \in L$ in $\text{poly}(|x|)$ time)

1. non-deterministically generate a proof y with $|y| \leq \text{poly}(|x|)$

2. run V on x and y

3. if V accepts x and y

4. accept x

5. else

6. reject

$\Leftarrow \exists \text{NTM } M \text{ decides } L \text{ in } \text{poly}(n) \text{ time}$



V = on input x and y

1. run M on x following y deterministically

2. if M accepts x

3. accept x and y

可以验证 V 符合要求

4. else

5. reject x and y

Week 13

1. Theorem: SAT $\in P$ if and only if $P = NP \Leftrightarrow$ SAT is NP-complete

2. Polynomial time reduction

computable $\Leftrightarrow f: \Sigma^* \rightarrow \Sigma^*$ s.t. ② $x \in A \text{ iff } f(x) \in B$

① Given x, $f(x)$ can be computed in $\text{poly}(|x|)$ time

if $A \leq_p B$

(i) Lemma: If $A \leq_p B$ and $B \in P$, then $A \in P$

Proof: $x \in A \Rightarrow f(x) \in f(A) \in B$?

time: $\text{poly}(|x|)$ $\text{poly}(|f(x)|)$ time

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x)| &= \text{poly}(|x|) \\ \text{poly}(|f(x)|) &= \text{poly}(\text{poly}(|x|)) = \text{poly}(|x|) \end{aligned}$$

□

(ii) A is NP-complete if ① $A \in NP$ ② $\forall B \in NP, B \leq_p A$

3. Cook-Levin Theorem: SAT is NP-complete. $x \xrightarrow{f} F$ \leftarrow boolean formula

Proof: Let $B \in NP$, then we need to prove $B \leq_p SAT \quad x \in B \text{ iff } F$ is satisfiable

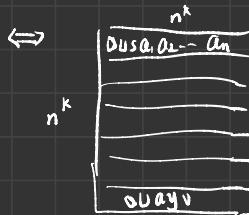
Cause $B \in NP, \exists \text{NTM } N \text{ decides } B$ in $\text{poly}(n)$ time

$$a_1 a_2 \dots a_n \in B \Leftrightarrow (\exists s, \Delta) a_1 a_2 \dots a_n \vdash_N \dots \vdash_N \Delta \vdash_N (y, \Delta \Delta y)$$

用状态标记读写头位置

$\leq n^k$ configurations of length n^k

$$\Leftrightarrow \exists s, \Delta a_1 a_2 \dots a_n \vdash_N \dots \vdash_N \Delta \vdash_N y \Leftrightarrow F = (x_1 \vee x_2 \vee y_1) \wedge \dots \wedge (x_{n^k} \vee y_{n^k})$$



每一个 x_{ijc} 表示 i 行 j 列 c 位置

for $1 \leq i \leq n^k, 1 \leq j \leq n^k, c \in \Sigma$

$x_{ijc} \rightarrow$ 第 i 行 j 列是否是 c

① every cell contains a character $c \in \Sigma$

$$\sum_{c \in \Sigma} x_{ijc} = 1 \quad \Leftrightarrow \bigwedge_{c \in \Sigma} \overline{x_{ijc} \wedge x_{ijc}}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \sum_{c \in \Sigma} x_{ijc} \geq 1 \\ \sum_{c \in \Sigma} x_{ijc} \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

② first raw contains initial configurations

$$x_{110} \wedge x_{111} \wedge x_{112} \wedge x_{113} \wedge x_{114} \wedge \dots \wedge$$

③ some cell contains

$$\sum_{i,j} x_{ijy} \geq 1 \Leftrightarrow y_j x_{ijy}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow i: z_1 \dots z_k b_1 b_2 \dots b_2 b_3 \dots \dots k \times (2+I)$$

$$z_1: b_1 b_2 \dots b_{k-1} \boxed{\dots} b_{k+2} b_{k+3} \dots$$

b1	b2	b3
z1	z2	z3

$$x_{ij}, x_{imj}$$

$$(\vee (x_{ijc} \wedge x_{imc})) \wedge (j \neq i) \wedge (j \neq m)$$

$$c \in \Sigma$$

b2	b3	b4
b2	b3	?

$$q$$

$$(\dots \wedge (\dots \wedge (x_{ijc} \vee x_{imc} \dots \vee$$

$$k_1 \dots k_m)$$

↓ 留给 rule, 对 (q, bk, p, c) , 则 $?_1$ 可能是 c

bk_1	bk	q	
bk_1	?	?	

bk_1	q	bk	
?	?	?	

类似

因此, 存在上述的 table 可以用一个 bool 函数表示

同时我们验证的过程也是多项式时间的

这样我们就完成了证明

4. Lemma: Let A be a NP-complete. Let B be language. If

- (1) $B \in \text{NP}$ (2) $A \leq_p B$

then B is NP-complete.

Proof: If $C \leq_p A$ and $A \leq_p B$, then $C \leq_p B$

$$\Rightarrow \forall C \in \text{NP}, C \leq_p A + (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall C \in \text{NP}, C \leq_p B + (1)$$

$\Rightarrow B$ is NP-complete \square

5. 3SAT: $(x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_4) \wedge (\dots \vee \dots \vee \dots) \wedge (\dots \vee \dots \vee \dots) \dots$

each clause has three literals 不能重复

① 3SAT $\in \text{NP}$, simple.

$$\text{② } \text{SAT} \leq_p \text{3SAT} \quad \text{SAT} \quad \text{3SAT}$$

$$() \wedge () \wedge () \rightarrow (v v) \wedge \dots \wedge (v v)$$

$$x_1 \rightarrow (x_1 \vee y) \wedge (x_1 \vee \bar{y}) \quad \rightarrow 3 \text{倍长度 常数}$$

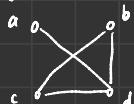
$$x_1 \vee x_2 \rightarrow (x_1 \vee x_2 \vee y) \wedge (x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{y})$$

$$x_1 \vee x_2 \vee x_3 \vee \bar{x}_4 \vee x_5 \rightarrow (x_1 \vee x_2 \vee y) \wedge (\bar{y} \vee x_3 \vee \bar{x}_4 \vee x_5)$$

k 次 $\rightarrow k \cdot 3^k$, 生成 $k+2$ 次, 即 3^{k+2} 次, 多项式

\square

6. Clique



$$G = (V, E)$$

$$\{b, c, d\} \subset V$$

$$\{a, b, c\} \times$$

Clique = $\{ "G", k : G \text{ has a clique with at least } k \text{ nodes} \}$

① Clique $\in \text{NP}$ \square

② 3SAT \leq_p Clique 3SAT

$$(x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_3) \wedge (\dots \vee \dots \vee \dots) \dots$$

m clauses

$$(x_1 \vee x_2 \vee \bar{x}_3) \wedge (\bar{x}_1 \vee x_2 \vee x_3)$$



Clique

$$G, k$$

m groups of nodes

$$3m \text{ nodes} \leq 9m^3 \text{ edges}$$

我们只在不同组之间连边, 连接所有不冲突节点,
冲突: x_1 与 \bar{x}_1 这种情况

F is satisfiable $\Leftrightarrow G_1$ has a clique at least m nodes

\hookrightarrow 至少存在 m 个互不冲突的点 $\rightarrow m$ 个点的团

可满足 \leftarrow 直接让这 m 个点对应变量为真

7. Vertex Cover



$$G = (V, E)$$

一组顶点，使得所有边至少有一个顶点在其中

$$\{a, b\} \vee \{a\} \times$$

$$VC = \{ "G", "k" : G \text{ has a vertex cover with at most } k \text{ nodes} \}$$

① $VC \in NP$

② $3SAT \leq_p VC$

$3SAT$

VC

$$F = () \wedge () \wedge ()$$

n variables

m clauses

① $2n$ nodes



② $3m$ nodes



... m groups

③ 在不同颜色的同名顶点连一条边

覆盖白边和红边，至少需要 $n+2m$ nodes

可以证明： F is satisfiable $\Leftrightarrow G$ has a vertex cover with at most

$$k = n + 2m \text{ nodes}$$

\hookrightarrow 每个 group，要是为真连白点，为假连红点，

Week 14

1. Let M be a standard DTM. M runs in $f(n)$ space if for any input of length n , M uses at most $f(n)$ tape cells.

(1) $PSPACE = \{ A : A \text{ can be decided by some DTM that runs in } \text{poly}(n) \text{ space} \}$

DTM

time

$f(n)$

\Rightarrow

space

$O(f(n))$

$(Q, D, _, \uparrow _)$

configuration

$$|Q| \cdot f(n) \cdot \sum f(n) = 2^{O(f(n))}$$

该节点位置

由于保证停机

因此遍历过程不会出现重复的 configuration

$$2^{O(f(n))} \leftarrow \begin{matrix} f(n) \\ \text{always halt} \end{matrix}$$

So, $P \subseteq PSPACE \subseteq EXP$

$EXP = \{ A : A \text{ can be decided by some DTM within } 2^{\text{poly}(n)} \text{ time} \}$

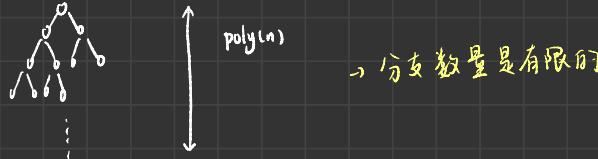
2. Let N be a standard NTM, N runs in $f(n)$ space if for any input of length n , every branch uses at most $f(n)$ tape cells.

$\text{NPSPACE} = \{A : A \text{ can be decided by some NTM in } \text{poly}(n) \text{ space}\}$

$\text{NP} \subseteq \text{NPSPACE}$ $\text{PSPACE} \subseteq \text{NPSPACE}$

(1) $\text{NP} \subseteq \text{PSPACE}$

$A \in \text{NP} \Rightarrow \exists \text{NTM decides } A \text{ in } \text{poly}(n) \text{ time}$

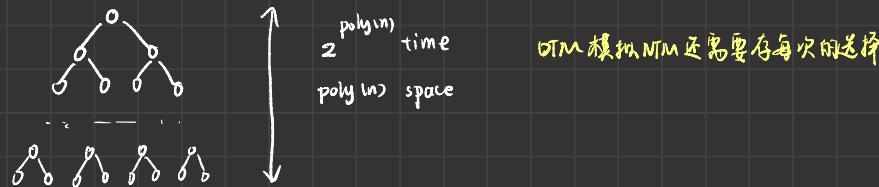


$\Rightarrow \exists \text{DTM } M. \text{ poly}(n) + \text{poly}(n) = \text{poly}(n)$

(2) $\text{PSPACE} = \text{NPSPACE}$

$A \in \text{NPSPACE}$

$\Rightarrow \exists \text{NTM } N \text{ decides } A \text{ in } \text{poly}(n) \text{ space}$



$\Rightarrow \text{DTM } M \text{ decides } A \text{ in } \text{poly}(n) \text{ space}$

N has $2^{\text{poly}(n)}$ distinct configurations

accept: $\exists C_{\text{initial}} \longrightarrow C_{\text{accept}}$ in $2^{\text{poly}(n)}$ time and $\text{poly}(n)$ space

$\Longleftrightarrow \exists c', C_{\text{initial}} \rightarrow c' \text{ in } 2^{\text{poly}(n)-1} \text{ time and } \text{poly}(n) \text{ space}$

$c' \rightarrow C_{\text{accept}}$ in $2^{\text{poly}(n)-1}$ time and $\text{poly}(n)$ space

$M = \text{on input } G_1, G_2, t \quad C_N \quad c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \text{ in time } t$

1. if $t=1$
2. if $G_1=G_2$ or $G_1 \vdash_N G_2$
3. accept
4. else
5. reject
6. for each c' using at most $\text{poly}(n)$ space
7. run M on $G_1, c', t/2$
8. run M on $c', G_2, t/2$

9. if both accept
 10. accept
 11. reject

$S(t)$ represents the space with input t .

$$\text{空间 } \begin{cases} S(1) = \text{poly}(n) \\ S(t) = S(t/2) + \text{poly}(n) \end{cases} \Rightarrow S(t) = \text{poly}(n) \cdot \log t$$

可以复用

run M on Cinitial, Caccept, $2^{poly(n)}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{poly}(n) \cdot \text{poly}(m) = \text{poly}(n)$$

(3) $P \subseteq NP \subseteq PSPACE \subseteq EXP$ We can prove $P \not\subseteq EXP$

3. Hierarchy Theorem

$f(n)$ can be computed in $O(f(n))$ space
↑

(1) Space : for any $f: N \rightarrow N$ satisfying certain technical conditions

there is a language A such that

(1) A can be decided by some DTM in $O(f(n))$ space

(2) A cannot be decided by any DTM in $O(f(n))$ space

construct DTM D

(1) D decides some language A in $O(\text{fini})$ space.

(2) for any DTM M that runs in ofun space,

D and M differ on at least one input.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & "M_1" & "M_2" & "M_3" \\
 M_1 & + & & & \\
 M_2 & & - & & \\
 M_3 & & & o & \\
 \vdots & & & & \\
 D & - & + & +/- &
 \end{array}$$

D= on input "M"

1. let $n = |\text{M}|$, $f(n)$ can be computed in $O(f(n))$ space

2. compute fun

3. run M on "M"

ψ. If M accepts ".

t. reject

lake

b. else

7. accept

D runs in $O(n^3)$ space and D decides some language.

And we easily know D satisfies (2)

(2) Time : For any $f: N \rightarrow N$ satisfying $f(m) \leq m$ there is a language A such that A can be computed in $O(f(n))$ time.

(1) A can be decided by some DTM in $O(f(n))$ time

(2) A cannot be decided by any DTM in $\Omega(\frac{f(n)}{\log f(n)})$ time

D = on input ' M '

1. let $n = |M|$
2. compute $f(n)$
3. run M on " M " for $\frac{f(n)}{\log f(n)}$ steps 需要时间更新 counter
4. If M accepts " M " within $\frac{f(n)}{\log f(n)}$ steps
5. reject
6. else
7. accept

Week 15

$$1. F(x) = \prod_{i=1}^d (x - c_i) \quad G(x) = \sum_{i=0}^d c_i x^i$$

We need to judge whether $G(x) = F(x)$

$$\text{直接比: } O\left(\sum_{i=1}^d i\right) = O(d^2)$$

随机 sample $r \in \{1, \dots, 100d\}$

if $F(r) = G(r)$
 yes $O(d)$ time
 else
 no

"Fail" if and only if $F(x) \neq G(x)$ but $F(r) = G(r)$

$$\Pr[F(r) = G(r) \mid F(x) \neq G(x)] \quad \text{define } H(x) = F(x) - G(x)$$

$$= \Pr[H(r) = 0 \mid H(x) = \sum_{i=0}^d c_i x^i \text{ and } \exists c_i \neq 0]$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{100} \quad (H(x) \text{ 至多 } d \text{ 个根}) \quad \text{in RP}$$

if $F(x) = G(x)$, always correct
if $F(x) \neq G(x)$, "fail" probability $\leq \frac{1}{100}$ ↑ sample 数
↓ 降低错误率
重跑算法

Algorithm B:

run A for k times
if $F(x) \neq G(x)$ in some execution of A
 no
 else
 yes if $k = \log d$

$$\text{"Fail" probability} \leq (\frac{1}{100})^k \leq \frac{1}{d}$$

2. Given three $n \times n$ matrices A, B, C , whether $A \cdot B = C$

不用随机 $O(n^{2+8})$

sample $(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_n) \in \{0,1\}^n$

If $A(B \cdot \vec{r}) = C \cdot \vec{r}$

yes

$O(n^2)$ time

else

no

"fail" probability

$$\Pr(AB\vec{r} = C\vec{r} \mid AB \neq C) \quad D = AB - C$$

$$= \Pr(D\vec{r} = 0 \mid D \neq 0) \quad \text{Assume } d_{11} \neq 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} & \cdots & d_{1n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ d_{n1} & d_{n2} & \cdots & d_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\Pr(d_{11}r_1 + d_{12}r_2 + \cdots + d_{1n}r_n = 0 \mid r_2, \dots, r_n)}{\Pr(d_{11}r_1 + d_{12}r_2 + \cdots + d_{1n}r_n = 0)}$$

$$= \sum_{(r_2, \dots, r_n)} \Pr(d_{11}r_1 + d_{12}r_2 + \cdots + d_{1n}r_n = 0 \mid r_2, \dots, r_n) \cdot \Pr(r_2, \dots, r_n)$$

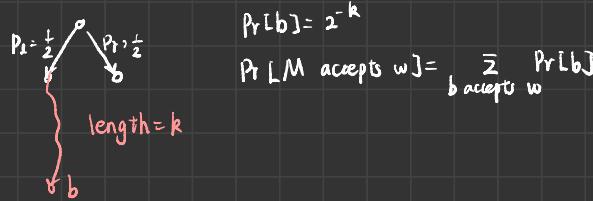
$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sum_{(r_2, \dots, r_n)} \Pr(r_2, \dots, r_n) \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

repeat $\log n$ time \Rightarrow fail probability $\rightarrow \frac{1}{n}$

3. Probabilistic Turing Machine

Non-deterministic TM

每一步可选择的至多有 k 个，并以等概率选择其中一个



M decides a language A with error probability δ if

(1) for any $w \in A$, $\Pr[M \text{ accepts } w] \geq 1 - \delta$

(2) for any $w \notin A$, $\Pr[M \text{ rejects } w] \geq 1 - \delta$

BPP: the class of languages that can be decided by probabilistic polynomial-time

TM with error probability at most $1/3 \Rightarrow$ can be replaced by any $c < \frac{1}{2}$

bj run exp 0

Amplication Lemma

Let δ be a constant with $0 < \delta < 1/2$, Let M be a probabilistic poly-time TM

with err prob δ . Then for any poly $p(n)$, there is a prob poly-time TM M' with error probability $2^{-p(n)}$

$M' = \text{on input } x$

1. run M on x independently for $2k$ times

2. If most runs of M accepts x
accept

3. Else

reject

wrong correct
 $2k$: w c

$$\Pr[M' \text{ fails}] = \Pr[M' \text{ fails for } w \text{ times for } w > k]$$

$$= \sum_{w=k+1}^{2k} \Pr[M' \text{ fails for } w \text{ times}]$$

$$= \sum_{w=k+1}^{2k} C_{2k}^w \underbrace{\delta^w (1-\delta)^{2k-w}}_{\leq \delta^k (1-\delta)^k} \quad \delta < \frac{1}{2}, w > k$$

$$\leq \delta^k (1-\delta)^k \cdot \sum_{w=k+1}^{2k} C_{2k}^w$$

$$\leq \delta^k (1-\delta)^k 2^{2k} \leq (4\delta(1-\delta))^k < 2^{-p(n)}$$

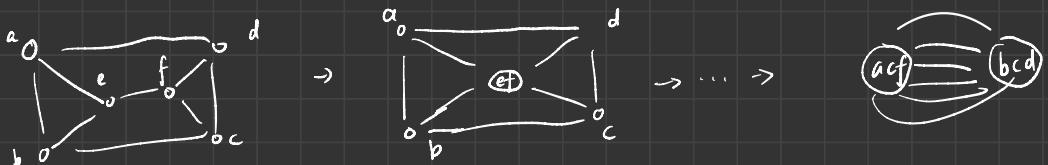
$$k \cdot \log 4\delta(1-\delta) < -p(n)$$

$$k > \frac{-p(n)}{\log 4\delta(1-\delta)}$$

So $P \subseteq BPP$ $P = BPP$? Unknown $\exists A \in BPP, A \in P$? Unknown

4. Min-cut 使图不连通，最少需要删多少边

undirected graph, $G = (V, E)$ 做成最小割边集 C^*



合并到只剩两个顶点，这时剩下的边就是一个割边集（注意到会有重边）

如果每一次合并的边都不在 C^* 中，那么最后剩的就是 C^*

Lemma

If the min-cut of G has at least k edges, then G has at least $\frac{kn}{2}$ edges.

Proof

一个顶点连着的所有边必然构成割边集，则由 min-cut $> k$, 每个点度数也大于 k

因此一共至少 $\frac{kn}{2}$ 边.



Assume $G_0 = G \rightarrow G_1 \rightarrow G_2 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow G_{n-2}$

$$\Pr[C^* \leq E(G_{n-2})]$$

$$\Pr[C^* \leq E(G_1)] \geq 1 - \frac{k}{kn/2} = \frac{n-2}{n}$$

$$\Pr[C^* \leq E(G_2)] = \Pr[C^* \leq E(G_2) | C^* \leq E(G_1)] \cdot \Pr[C^* \leq E(G_1)] \quad |E(G_1)| \geq \frac{kn-1}{2}$$

$$\geq (1 - \frac{k}{kn-1/2}) \cdot \frac{n-2}{n} = \frac{n-3}{n-1} \cdot \frac{n-2}{n}$$

So,

$$\Pr[C^* \leq E(G_{n-2})] \geq \frac{n-2}{n} \cdot \frac{n-3}{n-1} \cdots \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{n(n-1)}$$

repeat $n(n-1)n$ times, return best

$$\text{fail: } (1 - \frac{2}{n(n-1)})^{n(n-1)n} \leq e^{-2\ln n} \leq \frac{1}{n^2}$$

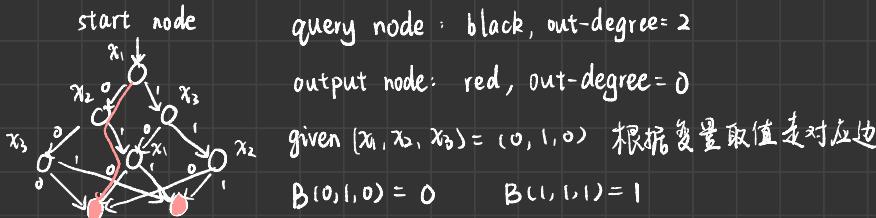
5. another error 单边 对应复杂类: RP

(1) $w \in A$, $\Pr[M \text{ accepts } w] \geq 1 - \delta$

(2) $w \notin A$, $\Pr[M \text{ rejects } w] = 1$

Week 16

1. Read Once Branching Program



Read-Once: 在 output node 的路上没有重复的变量

$B_1 \equiv B_2$ if x_1, \dots, x_n , A assignment $(x_1=y_1, x_2=y_2, \dots, x_n=y_n)$

$$B_1(y_1, \dots, y_n) = B_2(y_1, \dots, y_n)$$

$$EQ_{rop} = \{(B_1, B_2) : B_1 \text{ and } B_2 \text{ are read once branching program, such that } B_1 \equiv B_2\}$$

$$F = (x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_3) \vee$$

$$(\bar{x}_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_3) \vee$$

$$(x_1 \wedge \bar{x}_2 \wedge x_3) \vee$$

$$(\bar{x}_1 \wedge \bar{x}_2 \wedge x_3)$$

$$B(1, 1, 1) = F(1, 1, 1) = 1$$

$$1. \text{ randomly sample an assignment of } x_1, \dots, x_n$$

$$2. \text{ if } B_1(y_1, \dots, y_n) = B_2(y_1, \dots, y_n)$$

$$\text{return } B_1 \equiv B_2$$

$$3. \text{ else}$$

$$\text{return } B_1 \neq B_2$$

$$\Pr[B_1(y_1, \dots, y_n) \neq B_2(y_1, \dots, y_n) = B_1 \neq B_2] = \frac{1}{2^n}$$

read-once branching program	B_1	B_2	$x_1 \vee x_2$	$x_1 + x_2$
boolean function:	F_1	F_2	$x_1 \wedge x_2$	$x_1 \cdot x_2$
polynomial	P_1	P_2	$x_1 \wedge \overline{x_2}$	$x_1(1-x_2)$

judge two polynomial with n variables

$P_1(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ of degree $d \xrightarrow{\text{path length}} P_2(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ of degree d

$$P_1(4, 5, b) = b \quad F(4, 5, b) = b$$

1. randomly sample x_1, \dots, x_n from field F of k elements

2. If $P_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) = P_2(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

return $B_1 \approx B_2$

3. else

return $B_1 \neq B_2$

$$\mathbb{Z}_p = \{0, 1, \dots, p-1\}, p \text{ is a prime}$$

$$2+p-1 \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

$$2 \times (p-1) \equiv p-2 \pmod{p}$$

$$P_1 \neq P_2 \quad P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = P_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

$$P^* = P_1 - P_2 \quad P^*(x_1, \dots, x_n) = 0$$

Lemma

$$\Pr[P^*(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \neq 0] \leq \frac{nd}{p}$$

Proof

If $n=1$, trivially holds

Assume $n \leq k$, \dots holds

when $n=k+1$

$$P^*(\underbrace{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{k+1}}_{\text{assume } k+1 \text{ sample } t \in \mathbb{F}^k}) \Rightarrow P'(x_{k+1})$$

case 1: $P_0 = P_1 = \dots = P_d = 0 \quad \Pr[\dots] \leq \frac{kd}{p}$

$$P'(x_{k+1}) = P_0 + P_1 x_{k+1} + P_2 x_{k+1}^2 + \dots + P_d x_{k+1}^d$$

$P_0, P_1, \dots, P_d \xleftarrow{\text{decide}} x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k$

$$\text{case 2: } \exists P_i \neq 0, \Pr[P'(x_{k+1}) \neq 0] \leq \frac{d}{p}$$

$$\Pr[\text{failure}] \leq \frac{kd}{p} + \frac{d}{p} = \frac{(k+1)d}{p}$$

如何等概率地 sample:

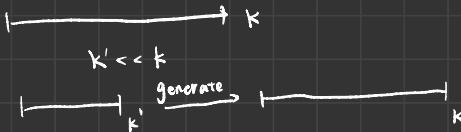
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$$S = \{1, 2, \dots, m\} \quad m = 2^n \quad b_1, b_2, \dots, b_{\log m} \quad \text{每一位都可以抽梗中奖或不中奖}$$

$$p > \frac{1}{2} \cdot \lceil \log m \rceil \quad b_1 b_2 \cdots b_{\lceil \log m \rceil} \quad \Pr[i \text{ is sampled}] = \frac{p}{m} \text{ for every } i \in S$$

$D(I, r)$
random tape
If $|r| \leq \log |I|$ 放弃 n 次去随机

$BPP = P \rightarrow$ 是否可以通过某种算法降低随机化程度



$P \subseteq NP \subseteq EXP \subseteq BPP$

$P \subseteq BPP \subseteq EXP$

Conjecture

$P \neq NP \quad P = BPP$

Lemma

If $P = NP$, then $BPP = P$