

Descriptive Complexity of Some Regulated Rewriting Grammars

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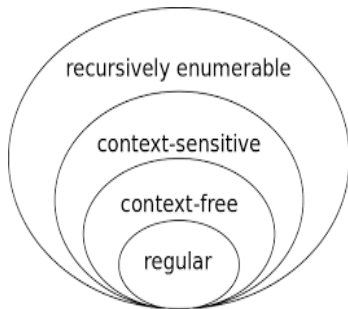
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Chomsky hierarchy

Class	Grammars	Languages	Automaton
Type-0	Unrestricted	Recursive Enumerable	Turing Machine
Type-1	Context Sensitive	Context Sensitive	Linear- Bound
Type-2	Context Free	Context Free	Pushdown
Type-3	Regular	Regular	Finite

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- **Question:** What and how much resources are required for grammars to generate RE? Is that **optimal/succinct?**
- resources meant the **component size** that require to describe the system, thus, called **descriptive complexity measures**.

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- A rule is applied based on the presence of the permitting string and the absence of the forbidden string in the current sentential form.
- As usual, $w \in T^*$ is collected for languages.

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A Forbidding Rule: $(A \rightarrow x, \beta)$

- $A \rightarrow x$ is a context-free rule,
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An Example of Simple Random Context Grammar

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$G = (\{S, A, X, C, Y, a, b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, S, P)$ where P is :

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Language and Degree

- $L(G) = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 1\}$: a context-sensitive language.
- #Conditional Productions =6.
- #Non-terminals=5, Degree = (1, 1).

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Usual Technique to show $SC(i, j; n; c) = RE$: Consider a type-0 grammar for RE in one of the variants of Geffert Normal Form; produce SCG rules of prescribed size to simulate the assumed GNF.

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where S is the initial nonterminal and A, B, C, D are nonterminals and $u \in \{A, C\}, v \in \{B, D\}^*$.

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A type-0 grammar G is said to be in **Special Geffert Normal Form** if all of its production rules are of the form

- $X \rightarrow bY, X \rightarrow Yb, S' \rightarrow \lambda,$
- $AB \rightarrow \lambda, CD \rightarrow \lambda.$

where $N = N_1 \cup N_2,$

$\{X, Y, S, S'\} \subseteq N_1,$

$\{A, B, C, D\} = N_2$ and

$b \in N_2 \cup T.$

control on the length of the RHS of CF rule; length is 2 only.

Variants of GNF($S \rightarrow v, AB \rightarrow \lambda, CD \rightarrow \lambda$)

(4, 1)-GNF

If $\phi_1(A) = AB$, $\phi_1(B) = C$,
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(3, 2)-GNF

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SSC(2, 1; 9)=RE : MCU 2018

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Sample Simulation for $ABC \rightarrow \lambda$

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 $\Rightarrow_4 \#\$\$B'B'C'\#\$ \Rightarrow_5$
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 $\Rightarrow_7 \#\$\#\#\$ \Rightarrow_8 \#\^4 \Rightarrow_9 \lambda$

SSC(3, 1; 9, 8)=RE : Okubo, IPL, 2009

Okubo's rules

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Unintended Simulation for $AC \rightarrow \lambda$

$AC \Rightarrow_{1,3} A'C' \Rightarrow_5 C' \Rightarrow_6 \lambda$

SSC(3, 1; 7, 7)=RE

Recall Okubo's rules

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Avoiding $B', \$$ (MCU'18)

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- 4 $C' \rightarrow \#, A'A'C', 0$
- 5 $A' \rightarrow \lambda, A'A'\#, 0$
- 6 $A' \rightarrow \lambda, \#A'\#, 0$
- 7 $\# \rightarrow \lambda, 0, A'$

SSC(3, 1; 7, 7) = RE

Recall Okubo's rules

- 1 $A \rightarrow A', 0, A'$
- 2 $B \rightarrow B', 0, B'$
- 3 $C \rightarrow C', 0, C'$
- 4 $A' \rightarrow \$, A'B'C', 0$
- 5 $C' \rightarrow \#, \$B'C', 0$
- 6 $B' \rightarrow \lambda, \$B'\#, 0$
- 7 $\$ \rightarrow \lambda, \$\#, 0$
- 8 $\# \rightarrow \lambda, 0, \#$

Avoiding $B', \$$ (MCU'18)

- 1 $A \rightarrow \#A', 0, \#$
- 2 $B \rightarrow A', 0, A'$
- 3 $C \rightarrow C', 0, C'$
- 4 $C' \rightarrow \#, A'A'C', 0$
- 5 $A' \rightarrow \lambda, A'A'\#, 0$
- 6 $A' \rightarrow \lambda, \#A'\#, 0$
- 7 $\# \rightarrow \lambda, 0, A'$

Intended Simulation for $ABC \rightarrow \lambda$

$ABC \Rightarrow_2 AA'C \Rightarrow_{1,3} \#A'A'C' \Rightarrow_4$

Generalized Forbidding Grammar

- Introduced by Meduna in 1990. Its a context-free rule, where each rule is regulated with **finitely many forbidding strings**.
- A nonterminal is rewritten by a rule only if none of the **forbidding strings of the rule occur** in the sentential form.
- GFG is a quadruple $G = (V, T, P, S)$ where
 - V is the total alphabet, $T \subset V$ is the terminal alphabet,
 - $S \in V \setminus T$ is the start symbol and P is a set of rules
 - Rule Form: $(A \rightarrow x, F)$, where $A \in V \setminus T$, $x \in V^*$,
 $F \subseteq (N \cup T)^+ \rightarrow$ a finite set of **forbidding** words
- Every RE language can be generated by some GF grammar whose **forbidding strings have length (degree)** at most two but not one.
- i.e., $GF(2)=RE$ but, $GF(1) =$ Fordibben random context gr.
 $= \subsetneq RE$.

GF(d, i, n, c): The resources

The language family GF(d, i, n, c) is defined as follows:

$L \in \text{GF}(d, i, n, c)$ iff there is a GFG, $G = (V, T, P, S)$ such that:

- 1 $L = L(G)$,
- 2 $d \geq d(G) := \max_{(A \rightarrow x, F) \in P} \max_{f \in F} |f|$,

Informally: d is maximum length of the strings in a forbidding set, called degree

- 3 $i \geq i(G) := \max_{(A \rightarrow x, F) \in P} |F|$,

Informally: i is maximum number of elements of a forbidding set, called index

- 4 $n \geq |V \setminus T|$, the number or nonterminals in G ,
- 5 $c \geq |P_c|$, the number of conditional rules in G .

Describing RE by GF(d, i, n, c)

Generalized Forbidding Grammars and RE

(d, i)	# Non-Terminals n	# Conditional Productions c	References
(2, 6)	9	10	Masopust, Meduna, 2007
	8	6	We, submitted to DAM
(2, 5)	8	8	We, @ CALDAM 2019
	9	7	We, submitted to DAM
(2, 4)	10	11	Masopust, Meduna, 2007
	9	9	We, @ CALDAM 2019
	8	8	We, submitted to DAM
(2, 3)	20	18	We, submitted to DAM

Simulation technique

- Consider a type-0 grammar (in some GNF) starting with S .
- Consider a new starting variable S' (in G') such that $S' \rightarrow \sigma S \sigma$
- $S \rightarrow g(x)$ whenever $S \rightarrow x$ (unconditional rules).
- $$g(\gamma) = \begin{cases} \sigma \gamma \sigma & \text{if } \gamma \in T \\ \gamma & \text{if } \gamma \in V \end{cases}$$
- By induction, $S' \Rightarrow^* \sigma u \alpha v \sigma t \sigma$ where $t \in (T \cup \{\sigma\})^*$ and
- If the grammar is in (4, 1)-GNF, then
 - $u \in \{A, AB\}^*$, $v \in \{BC, C\}^*$,
 - $\alpha \in \{AC, ABBC, ABC\}$ (the central part),
- If the grammar is in (5, 2)-GNF, then
 - $u \in \{A, C\}^*$, $v \in \{B, D\}^*$,
 - $\alpha \in \{AB, CD, AD, CB\}$ (the central part).

GF(2, 6, 8, 6)=RE

Simulating rules for $ABC \rightarrow \lambda$

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|---|---|
| 1: ($B \rightarrow \$$, { $S, AC, BB, \$, \#$ }) | 4: ($\$ \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A\$, \$C, \$\sigma, \sigma\$, B\$, \B }) |
| 2: ($A \rightarrow \#\$,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#$ }) | 5: ($\# \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\$, \#A, C\#$ }) |
| 3: ($C \rightarrow \$\#,$ { $S, AC, BB, \$\#, C\#, \#C$ }) | 6: ($\sigma \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A, B, C, \#, \$, S$ }) |

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| 3: ($C \rightarrow \$\#,$ { $S, AC, BB, \$\#, C\#, \#C$ }) | 6: ($\sigma \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A, B, C, \#, \$, S$ }) |

Simulating $ABC \rightarrow \lambda$

$$\sigma uABCv\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_1 \sigma uA\$Cv\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_2 \sigma u\#\$\$Cv\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_3$$

$$\sigma u\#\$\$\#\vphantom{C}v\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_4 \sigma u\#\#\vphantom{C}v\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_5 \sigma uv\sigma\tau.$$

- $ABA \Rightarrow_1 A\$A \Rightarrow_2 \#\$\$A \Rightarrow_4 \#A \not\Rightarrow_5$
- $ABB \not\Rightarrow_{1,2,3}$
- $BBC \not\Rightarrow_{1,2,3}$
- $CBC \Rightarrow_1 C\$C \Rightarrow_3 \#\$\$C \not\Rightarrow_4$

GF(2, 5, 9, 7)=RE

Recalling simulating rules of GF(2, 6, 8, 6)=RE

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|---|---|
| 1: ($B \rightarrow \$$, { $S, AC, BB, \$, \#$ }) | 4: ($\$ \rightarrow \lambda$, { A, $C, \$\sigma, \sigma$, B, B }) |
| 2: ($A \rightarrow \#\$,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#$ }) | 5: ($\# \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\$, \#A, C\#$ }) |
| 3: ($C \rightarrow \$\#,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#\#, C\#, \#C$ }) | 6: ($\sigma \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A, B, C, \#, \$, S$ }) |

Simulating rules of GF(2, 5, 9, 7)=RE

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|---|--|
| 1: ($B \rightarrow \dagger$, { $S, AC, BB, \dagger, \#$ }) | 5: ($\$ \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\dagger, \$A, B, B, $C$$ }) |
| 2: ($A \rightarrow \#\$,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#$ }) | 6: ($\# \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\$, \dagger, \#\sigma, \sigma\#$ }) |
| 3: ($C \rightarrow \$\#,$ { $S, AC, BB, \$\#, \#C$ }) | 7: ($\sigma \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A, B, C, \#, S$ }) |
| 4: ($\dagger \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A\dagger, \dagger C, C\dagger, \dagger\sigma, \sigma\dagger$ }) | |

GF(2, 5, 9, 7)=RE

Recalling simulating rules of GF(2, 6, 8, 6)=RE

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|---|---|
| 1: ($B \rightarrow \$$, { $S, AC, BB, \$, \#$ }) | 4: ($\$ \rightarrow \lambda$, { A, $C, \$\sigma, \sigma$, B, B }) |
| 2: ($A \rightarrow \#\$,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#$ }) | 5: ($\# \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\$, \#A, C\#$ }) |
| 3: ($C \rightarrow \$\#,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#\#, C\#, \#C$ }) | 6: ($\sigma \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A, B, C, \#, \$, S$ }) |

Simulating rules of GF(2, 5, 9, 7)=RE

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|---|--|
| 1: ($B \rightarrow \dagger$, { $S, AC, BB, \dagger, \#$ }) | 5: ($\$ \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\dagger, \$A, B, B, C }) |
| 2: ($A \rightarrow \#\$,$ { $S, AC, BB, \#$ }) | 6: ($\# \rightarrow \lambda$, { $\$, \dagger, \#\sigma, \sigma\#$ }) |
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| 4: ($\dagger \rightarrow \lambda$, { $A\dagger, \dagger C, C\dagger, \dagger\sigma, \sigma\dagger$ }) | |

Simulating $ABC \rightarrow \lambda$

$\sigma uABC v\sigma \Rightarrow_{1,2,3} \sigma u\#\$\dagger\#\$ v\sigma \Rightarrow_4 \sigma u\#\$\$\#\ v\sigma \Rightarrow_5^2$
 $\sigma u\#\#\ v\sigma \Rightarrow_2^2 \sigma u v\sigma$

GF(2, 5, 9, 7)=RE

A dooming set of rules of GF(2, 5, 9, 7)=RE

- 1: ($B \rightarrow \$$, {AC, BB, \$, #, †}) 5: ($\# \rightarrow \lambda$, {\$, # σ , #B, #A})
 2: ($A \rightarrow \#$, {S, AC, BB, #, A†}) 6: ($\dagger \rightarrow \lambda$, {\$, #, B†, C†})
 3: ($C \rightarrow \dagger$, {S, AC, BB, †, σC }) 7: ($\sigma \rightarrow \lambda$, {A, C, †, #, S})
 4: ($\$ \rightarrow \lambda$, {S, A\$, \$C, σ \$, \$ σ })

(Not) simulating $ABC \rightarrow \lambda$ but simulating $BC \rightarrow B$

$\sigma uABC\nu\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_{1,2,3} \sigma u\#\$\dagger\nu\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_4 \sigma u\#\dagger\nu\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_5 \sigma u\dagger\nu\sigma\tau = \sigma u'B\dagger\nu\sigma\tau$ (if $u = u'B$) $\not\Rightarrow_6$ since $B\dagger$ is forbidden.

If $B\dagger$ is not there in rule 6, then

$\sigma BC\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_3 \sigma B\dagger\sigma\tau \Rightarrow_6 \sigma B\sigma\tau$.

Masopust, Meduna Normal Form

Let G be a $(5, 2)$ – GNF.

Let $h : \{A, B, C, D\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$ be a homomorphism defined by

$h(A) = 00$, $h(B) = 00$,

$h(C) = 01$, and $h(D) = 10$,

then the unconditional rules are

- $S \rightarrow h(u)Sa$, if $S \rightarrow uSa$,
- $S \rightarrow h(u)Sh(v)$, if $S \rightarrow uSv$,
- $S \rightarrow h(u)h(v)$, if $S \rightarrow uv$,

and the non-context-free rules are of the form

- $0\$0 \rightarrow \$$, $1\$1 \rightarrow \$$ and
- the context-free rule $\$ \rightarrow \lambda$.

Future Research

- **Mathematical:** Investigate further possibilities to shrink the resources
- We have given the upper bound and finding lower bound is open. Would it be $GF(2, 2, *, *) \neq RE$? Recall, $GF(2) = RE$
- Impose the regulation of forbidding sets on
 - 1 P systems (membrane Computing)
 - 2 Lindenmayer systems
 - 3 Insertion-deletion systemand study the computational completeness of these systems.
- If not RE, then can we at least simulate regular grammars, or context-free grammars? **especially, with $d = 1$?**

THANK YOU (Děkuji)
Questions are welcome.