CSCI 301 - Assignment 8, Fall 2024

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- 1. (5 points) Prove that the language $L_1 = \{a^n b^{n+2} : n \ge 0\}$ is context-free by giving a context-free grammar for L_1 .
- 2. (5 points) Prove that the language $L_2 = \{a^i b^j c^k : (i, j, k \ge 0) \land (i = j \lor j = k)\}$ is context-free by constructing a context-free grammar for L_2 .
- 3. (10 points) Consider the grammar $S \to S(S)S \mid \epsilon$.
 - (a) (2 points) Give a leftmost derivation for the string (()()).
 - (b) (3 points) Prove that the grammar is ambiguous.
 - (c) (2 points) Compute FIRST(S).
 - (d) (3 points) An LL(1) parse table for the above grammar would have the following form: $\begin{array}{c|c} (&) & \\ \hline S \rightarrow & \\ \hline \end{array}$

Give a correct LL(1) parse table for this grammar, or explain why one does not exist.