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## Exercise 1 (3 points)

Consider the language  $L = \{a^* a^n c^n | n > 0\} \cup \{a^k c^k a^* | k > 0\}.$ 

Write a non-ambiguous grammar that generates language L; try to write a grammar of lowest level in the Chomsky classification (intending level 3 as minimum and 0 as maximum).

Classify the grammar according to the Chomsky hierarchy.

If possible, show the derivation tree for the string *aaaccc*.

## Exercise 2 (6 points)

Consider the grammar  $G = \langle \{a, b, d\}, \{S, A, B, C\}, P, S \rangle$ , where

$$P = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \ \rightarrow \ aAB \mid BAC. \\ A \ \rightarrow \ aAdA \mid \epsilon \\ B \ \rightarrow \ bAd \mid dCb \\ C \ \rightarrow \ dS \mid \epsilon \end{array} \right.$$

1. Classify the grammar according to the Chomsky hierarchy.

- 2. Is the grammar LL(1)? If so, write the parsing table of the recognizer PDA. If it is not LL(1), explain why.
- 3. If in the previous bullet you were able to obtain an automaton, write how such automaton recognizes the strings *ddabdb* and *aadadb* showing the evolution of the stack.

## Esercizio 3 (4 punti)

Consider the language L generate by the regular expression

$$(a(b^*)+b)^*a$$

Show an automaton for language L.

Is the automaton deterministic? If it is not, draw an equivalent deterministic automaton.