

<https://github.com/917wiczniewskibianca/lftc> -> scanner.py

## 1. `__init__(self, file_info)`

Purpose: Initializes a Scanner object.

Parameters:

file\_info: The information about the file to be scanned.

Actions:

Initializes instance variables like `_lineCount`, `_file`, `_SymbolTable`, `_programInternalForm`, and `_tokens`.

Calls `readTokens()` and `scan()` methods.

Catches and prints a `ValueError` if it occurs during initialization.

## 2. `readTokens(self)`

Purpose: Reads tokens from the "token.in" file and stores them in the `_tokens` list.

Actions:

Opens the "token.in" file, reads each line, and appends the stripped line to the `_tokens` list.

## 3. `writeToFile(self)`

Purpose: Writes the Program Internal Form (PIF) and Symbol Table (ST) to respective output files.

Actions:

Writes the elements of `_programInternalForm` to "PIF.out".

Writes the Symbol Table as a string to "ST.out".

## 4. `scan(self)`

Purpose: Scans the file, tokenizes each line, classifies tokens, and updates the Program Internal Form and Symbol Table.

Actions:

Splits the file into lines, tokenizes each line, classifies tokens, and updates the Program Internal Form and Symbol Table accordingly.

Calls the `writeToFile()` method to save the results to output files.

## 5. `tokenizeLine(self, line_string)`

Purpose: Tokenizes a given line.

Parameters:

line\_string: The line to be tokenized.

Returns: A list of tokens.

Actions:

Uses regular expressions to split the line into tokens, filters out spaces, and processes special cases like `'=='` and `'<='`.

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(("[^"]+" | [a-zA-Z0-9]+|["^a-zA-Z0-9"\s]+) -> regex for splitting lines
"[^"]+" -> match a string between double quotes
[a-zA-Z0-9]+ -> match alphanumeric char
["^a-zA-Z0-9"\s]+ -> looks for one or more chars that are not alphanumeric or quotes
[^] – everything that is not
^" [] – must start with “
$ must end with
* 0 or more
```

## 6. classifyToken(self, token)

Purpose: Classifies a token as an identifier, constant, string constant, character, or integer.

Parameters:

token: The token to be classified.

`^[a-zA-Z][a-zA-Z0-9]*$` -> match a variable name that should start with a letter and can be followed by one or more alphanumeric values

`'^[a-zA-Z0-9\s]+$'` -> match a string constant

`^\'[a-zA-Z0-9\']$'` -> match a single char

`^0$|^(+|-)?[1-9][0-9]*$'` -> match a digit, either 0 or a +/- non zero digit

Returns:

- 1 for an identifier.
- 2 for a string constant.
- 3 for a character.
- 4 for an integer.
- 0 if the token cannot be classified.