#### 1. \*\*Regular Expressions:\*\*

- 'digit [0-9]\*': This defines a regular expression for matching zero or more digits.
- `letter [a-zA-Z]`: This defines a regular expression for matching a single letter.
- 'id {letter}({letter}|{digit})\*': This defines a regular expression for matching identifiers. An identifier starts with a letter and can be followed by zero or more letters or digits.
- `int\_num {digit}+`, `uint\_num 0|({int\_num})`: These regular expressions define signed and unsigned integers. An unsigned integer can be either 0 or a sequence of one or more digits.

# 2. \*\*Floating-Point Numbers: \*\*

- `float\_num ({int\_num}\.\digit}+)|({int\_num}\.)|(\.\digit}+)`: This regular expression matches different forms of floating-point numbers. It can be an integer part followed by a decimal point and one or more digits (`{int\_num}\.\digit}+`), an integer part followed by just a decimal point (`{int\_num}\.`), or just a decimal point followed by one or more digits (`\.\digit}+`).

# 3. \*\*Exponential Notation:\*\*

- `exp\_num ({int\_num})[float\_num})[eE][+-]?{int\_num}`: This regular expression matches numbers in exponential notation. It can be an integer or float part followed by `e` or `E`, an optional `+` or `-`, and then one or more digits.

### 4. \*\*Tokens and Actions:\*\*

- The section after the '%%' delimiter contains rules for recognizing various tokens.
- For example, `"//"` is a pattern to match a double forward slash, and the action `{scom=1;}` sets the single-line comment flag to 1.
- Keywords, relational operators, assignment operator, etc. are recognized based on the provided patterns.

# 5. \*\*Ignoring Comments:\*\*

- '/\* ... \*/' style comments are ignored using the rules for '"/\*" and '"\*/".
- Single-line comments are ignored using the rule for `"//"`.

# 6. \*\*Printing and Storing:\*\*

- When a token is recognized, it prints a message to the output file ('yyout') indicating the type of the token.
  - Identifiers are also stored in the symbol table ('st') if they haven't been encountered before.

#### 7. \*\*Main Function:\*\*

- `main()` opens the input and output files, calls `yylex()` to start the lexical analysis, and then prints the contents of the symbol table.

### 8. \*\*`look up` Function:\*\*

- This function checks if a given identifier ('id') is already in the symbol table.

# 9. \*\*'yywrap' Function:\*\*

- This function is used to indicate the end of input.

# 10. \*\*File Handling:\*\*

- The program reads from a file named `x.txt` and writes to a file named `y.txt`.

This Lex program will tokenize the input based on the specified rules and print the results to `y.txt`. The program also maintains a symbol table and handles different types of numeric constants and identifiers as per the provided regular expressions.

# Commands to run the program:

