gramex - a tool for extracting grammar rules from typeset documents

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Abstract

In the C language community there is a tradition of using a minimalist grammar specification format that is easy for humans to read, but not directly suitable for input to common parser generators. gramex is a tool that reads plain-ASCII versions of these grammar specifications and outputs a more familiar Bison-like version. gramex has been used to extract grammars from the Kernighan and Ritchie ANSI-C book, the ANSI C++ standard and the Java Language Specification; and a special *Pascal* mode can be used to extract rules from the Pascal standards documents. An accompanying tool gramconv can be used to convert gramex generated files into other formats, and to perform certain grammar translations such as converting extended BNF into plain BNF.

gramex been built, run and tested using the Free Software Foundation's GNU g++ compiler version 3.3.3 running under Cygwin on Windows-XP.

Typographical conventions

We use this font to represent literal input fragments and this font to represent input fragments which should be substituted with an application specific literal text.

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1 Introduction

In the C language community there is a tradition of using a minimalist grammar specification format that is easy for humans to read, but not directly suitable for input to common parser generators. In standards documents and some text books, different fonts are used to distinguish terminals and nonterminals, but this formatting information is lost in plain-ASCII versions of the documents. In addition, plain-English comments are sometimes used to specify hard-tocapture constraints on valid character and terminal sequences.

gramex is a tool that reads plain-ASCII versions of these grammar specifications and outputs a Bison-like [?] version. gramex has been used to extract grammars from the Kernighan and Ritchie ANSI-C book, the ANSI C++ standard and the Java Language Specification. An accompanying tool gramconv [?] can be used to convert gramex generated files into other formats, and to perform certain grammar translations such converting extended BNF into plain BNF.

2 **Downloading and using gramex**

The gramex source code is a single file gramex.c which may be downloaded from the RHUL Compiler Group's website under http://www.cs.rhul.ac.uk. gramex is written in ANSI-C and compiles under the Free Software Foundation's GNU g++ compiler using

```
g++ -ansi -pedantic gramex.c
```

Input to gramex should be an ASCII file containing the plain text version of the rules. Run the tool with a command like:

```
gramex options sourcefile
```

where sourcefile is the name of the plain ASCII input, and options may be zero or more of:

- -c suppress comment (non-rule) lines
- -e treat [] and {} as EBNF meta symbols
- -i treat productions indented by more than four spaces
- -p process Pascal standard file (implies -e) as continuations

The translated output is sent to the console: use the output redirection operator (>) to capture it to a file:

```
gramex -c myfile.raw > myfile.gex
```

3 Rule extraction

Here is a fragment from the grammar included in the ANSI C++ standard.

```
exponent-part:
     e sign_{opt} digit-sequence
     E signopt digit-sequence
sign: one of
      +
```

In this grammar format:

- grammar elements are delimited by whitespace;
- ♦ grammar elements representing terminals are written in a teletype font;
- ♦ grammar elements representing nonterminals are written in an *italic* font;
- the first line of a new grammar rule contains a nonterminal name concatenated with a colon: as its first element, which may optionally be followed by the elements one of (no other elements may appear on the line);
- ♦ the ordinary rules, each successive line is a production;
- ♦ for rules using the one of construction, each element is a production;
- ♦ a rule is terminated by either a blank line or the start of a new rule;
- \diamond elements may be suffixed by $_{opt}$ in which case they are optional; the production containing the optional element is intended to be duplicated once with the optional element and once without.

It is not hard to manually construct source files for, say, YACC from these kinds of typeset grammars, but in practice the process is rather error prone as humans are not very good at accurately transcribing punctuation-like characters. Recently produced standards are usually available in electronic form as either Adobe Acrobat or HTML files, and we can use the appropriate viewers to select and copy grammar rules into a conventional text editor. The resulting ASCII files retain character values and indentation, but suppress font information. Here is the plain-ASCII version of the above extract.

```
exponent-part:
    e signopt digit-sequence
    E signopt digit-sequence
sign: one of
```

gramex converts such fragments into a Bison-like format in which

- terminals are stropped with "characters,
- ♦ nonterminals are written with underscore (_) characters instead of hyphens,
- ⋄ productions are separated by vertical bars | and terminated with semicolons, and
- ⋄ optional parts are suffixed with the ? optional regular operator. (Bison does not support regular expressions, but the accompanying tool gramconv may be used to translate regular expressions into plain BNF rules.)

The gramex output for this example is:

```
exponent_part:
  "e" sign? digit_sequence |
  "E" sign? digit_sequence ;
sign:
  "+" | "-" ;
```

4 Other text

Grammar rules are often embedded in other text, and some standards use plain-English commands with the grammar to specify tricky constructs.

Within rules, plain-English embedded commands are treated as productions which will generate unhelpful results that must be manually corrected.

Lines which gramex does not think are part of valid grammar rules are copied to the output as comment lines prefixed by a double slash //.

Occasionally, gramex will encounter a comment line that has the general form of a rule start. The C++ standard contains several instances of text paragraphs that begin 'Thus:', for instance. These lines are highlighted by being prefixed with //?? It is important to review the whole output of a gramex run before submitting it to further processing: lines preceded with //?? are particularly likely to need attention.

The -c option causes gramex to suppress all comment and blank lines from the output leaving a single blank line between the rules.

5 **Extensions for the Java Language Specification**

The Java Language Specification documents include two grammars: a 'pedagogic' grammar sprinkled throughout the text which is intended to support a topic-led description of the language and the 'development' grammar summarised in a late chapter which is intended to form the basis of development tools.

The development grammar uses two extensions to the basic scheme employed in the ANSI C and ANSI C++ standards documents.

1. The [] and {} brackets stand for the optional and Kleene-closure (zeroor-many) operations.

The -e option forces gramex to treat these [,], { and } characters as EBNF meta-characters instead of tokens. This of course leaves the problem of how to recognise literal brackets and braces in the grammar. The work-around is to preface these literals with some unusual prefix such as @!@. gramex will treat @!@[as just another terminal, outputting "@!@[". A global search and replace may then be used in your favourite editor to convert the "@!@[" tokens to "[".

2. Long productions are split over multiple lines by indenting the continuation lines.

The -i options causes gramex to treat productions that are indented by more than four characters as continuation lines.

Extracting rules from Pascal standards

7 Limitations

Since gramex is dealing with plain-ASCII grammar rules which have been stripped of their formatting, some unavoidable ambiguities arise. In this section we have tried to list known problems which should be manually checked for.

- 1. When processing C-style standards gramex decides whether an alphanumeric grammar element is a nonterminal or a terminal by looking at its list of valid left hand sides. In the ANSI C++ grammar, for instance, there is a rule for nonterminal operator:, but operator is also a keyword of C so grammar element operator will always be interpreted as a nonterminal. For Pascal standards, the stropping conventions allow terminal and nonterminals to be directly recognised, so this problem does not arise.
- 2. When extracting grammars using the -e option, instances of [,], { and } elements will always be treated as EBNF meta-characters.
- 3. When extracting grammars using the -i option, productions that are indented more than four spaces will be treated as continuation lines.
- 4. When extracting grammars using the -i option, a maximum of one continuation line is allowed per production, that is, no production may span more than two lines.

Implementation

gramex is written in ANSI-C and may be compiled with standard C and C++ compilers. The main data structures are the input buffer (declared line 26 and initialised in lines 215–249) and the lines array which is declared on lines 28–34 and created at line 256.

The basic approach is to load the entire input into buffer, count the number of lines in linecount and then create lines, initialising the start fields to point to the first character in each line.

Each line is annotated with a kind, such as blank, comment, rule start and so on. Kinds are represented by elements of the enum declared in lines 23–24.

Line kinds are computed in lines 271–350 in a series of passes. The output is produced by walking the lines array and outputting each line of input under the control of a switch statement that tests the line kind at lines 358-416.

```
1
 2
3
    * gramex version 2.2 by Adrian Johnstone (A.Johnstone@rhul.ac.uk)
 4
5
    * Created 21 August 2006.
6
    * V2.0 added Pascal functionality 12 January 2007
     * V2.1 added indentation for Pascal 19 January 2007
    * V2.2 added support for ... metasymbol in the C# standards
9
10
    * gramex.c - extract grammar rules from plain text version of standards.
11
12
    * A conversion tool that reads raw text versions of the ANSI C,
13
    * ANSI C++, Java and Pascal standards and extracts EBNF rules.
14
15
    * The output may be further processed by gramconv to give rules files in
16
    * various formats, and to convert between BNF and EBNF.
17
18
    * This file may be freely distributed.
19
20
    * Please mail improvements to the author.
21
22
     23
    #include<stdio.h>
24
    #include<string.h>
25
    #include<stdlib.h>
26
    #include<ctype.h>
27
28
    enum {K_COMMENT, K_MAYBE_TYPO, K_PASCAL_START_RULE, K_PASCAL_START_END_RULE,
29
          K_PASCAL_CONTINUATION, K_PASCAL_END_RULE, K_START_RULE,
30
          K_START_RULE_ONE_OF, K_END_RULE, K_PRODUCTION, K_PRODUCTION_CONTINUED,
31
          K_SECTION_HEADING, K_BLANK};
32
33
    char *buffer;
    unsigned linecount = 0;
35
    struct line_struct {
36
      char *start;
37
      char *lhs_start;
38
      char *lhs_end;
39
      int kind;
40
      char* lhs_nonterminal;
41
   } *lines;
42
43
    int suppress_comments = 0;
44
    int use_dots = 0;
45
    int use_ebnf = 0;
46
    int use_indentation_as_continuation = 0;
47
     int pascal_mode = 0;
```

```
48
      int suppress_section_numbers = 0;
49
      char *scan_start, *scan_end;
50
     int first_production_indent;
51
52
     void scan(void)
53
54
       while (*scan_end != '\n' && isspace(*scan_end))
55
          scan_end++;
56
57
       scan_start = scan_end;
58
59
       while (!isspace(*scan_end))
60
          scan_end++;
61
      }
62
63
      int rest_of_line_empty(void)
64
65
       char *temp = scan_end;
66
       int return_value = 1;
67
68
       while (*temp != '\n')
69
70
          if (!isspace(*temp))
71
            return_value = 0;
72
          temp++;
73
74
75
       return return_value;
76
77
78
      int has_opt_suffix(void)
79
80
       return *(scan_end - 1) == 't' &&
81
               *(scan_end - 2) == 'p' &&
82
               *(scan\_end - 3) == 'o';
83
      }
84
85
      int initial_alpha_has_colon_suffix(void)
87
       return isalpha(*scan_start) && *(scan_end - 1) == ':';
88
89
90
      int is_section_number(void)
91
92
       int return_value = 1;
93
94
       char * temp;
95
96
       for (temp = scan_start; temp < scan_end; temp++)</pre>
97
          if (!(isdigit(*temp) || *temp == '.'))
98
            return_value = 0;
99
100
       return return_value;
101
102
103
      int is_valid_pascal_nonterminal(void)
104
```

```
105
        int return_value = 1;
106
107
        char * temp;
108
109
        for (temp = scan_start; temp < scan_end; temp++)</pre>
110
          if (!(isalpha(*temp) || *temp == '_'))
111
            return_value = 0;
112
113
        return return_value;
      }
114
115
116
117
      int line_ends_with_period(int line_number)
118
119
        char *temp = lines[line_number + 1].start - 1;
120
121
        while (isspace(*temp))
122
          temp--;
123
124
        return *temp == '.';
125
126
127
      int line_ends_with_equals(int line_number)
128
129
        char *temp = lines[line_number + 1].start - 1;
130
131
        while (isspace(*temp))
132
          temp--;
133
134
        return *temp == '=';
135
      }
136
137
      int line_starts_with_bar(int line_number)
138
139
        char *temp = lines[line_number].start;
140
141
        while (isspace(*temp))
142
          temp--;
143
144
        return *temp == '|';
145
146
147
      void indent_pascal(int line_number, int pascal_indent)
148
149
        int local_indent;
150
        for (local_indent = 0; local_indent < pascal_indent; local_indent++)</pre>
151
          printf(" ");
152
153
        if (!line_starts_with_bar(line_number))
154
          printf(" ");
155
156
157
      void write_to_end_of_line(char *start)
158
159
        while (*start != '\n')
160
          printf("%c", *start++);
161
      }
```

```
162
163
      int write_pattern(int is_nonterminal)
164
165
        int printed = 0;
166
167
        if (use_ebnf && scan_end - scan_start == 1 &&
            ( *scan_start == '[' ||
168
              *scan_start == ']' ||
169
170
              *scan_start == '{' ||
              *scan_start == '}' ||
171
172
              *scan_start == '(' ||
173
              *scan_start == ')' ||
174
              *scan_start == '|'
175
            ))
176
          printed += printf("%c ", *scan_start);
177
        else if (use_dots && *scan_start == '.' && *(scan_start+1) == '.' && *(scan_start+2) == '.')
178
          printed += printf("... ");
179
        else
180
181
          char *c;
182
          int drop = has_opt_suffix();
183
184
          if (drop)
185
            scan_end -= 3;
186
187
          if (!is_nonterminal)
188
            printed += printf("\"");
189
190
          for (c = scan_start; c < scan_end; c++)</pre>
191
            if (is_nonterminal && *c == '-')
192
              printed += printf("_");
            else if (isprint(*c)&& *c != '\"' && *c != '\'' && *c != '\'')
193
194
              printed += printf("%c", *c);
195
            else
196
            {
197
              printed += printf("\\");
198
              switch (*c)
199
200
                case'\a': printed += printf("a"); break;
201
                case'\b': printed += printf("b"); break;
202
                case'\f': printed += printf("f"); break;
203
                case'\n': printed += printf("n"); break;
204
                case'\r': printed += printf("r"); break;
205
                case'\t': printed += printf("t"); break;
206
                case'\v': printed += printf("v"); break;
207
                case'\\': printed += printf("\\"); break;
208
                case'\'': printed += printf("\'"); break;
209
                case'\"': printed += printf("\""); break;
210
                default: printed += printf("X%.2X", *c); break;
211
              }
212
            }
213
214
          if (!is_nonterminal)
215
            printed += printf("\"");
216
217
          if (drop)
218
            scan_end += 3;
```

```
219
        }
220
221
        return printed;
222
223
224
      int pattern_compare(int index)
225
226
        char *left_start = scan_start;
227
        char *left_end = scan_end;
228
        char *right_start = lines[index].lhs_start;
229
        char *right_end = lines[index].lhs_end;
230
231
        for (;
232
             left_start < left_end && right_start < right_end;</pre>
233
             left_start++, right_start++)
234
235
          if (*left_start != *right_start)
236
            return 0;
237
238
239
        if (left_start == left_end && right_start == right_end)
240
          return 1;
241
        else
242
          return 0;
243
244
245
      void write_production(char *start, int in_one_of_rule)
246
247
        int first = 1;
248
249
        printf(" ");
250
        scan_end = start;
251
        scan();
252
        while (*scan_start != '\n')
253
254
          int is_nonterminal = 0;
255
          int drop = has_opt_suffix();
256
          int temp;
257
258
          if (!first && in_one_of_rule)
259
            printf("| ");
260
261
          first = 0;
262
263
          if (drop)
264
            scan_end -=3;
265
266
          /* Now look to see if this appears as a LHS nonterminal anywhere */
267
          for (temp = 0; temp < linecount; temp++)</pre>
268
269
            if (lines[temp].kind == K_START_RULE ||
270
                lines[temp].kind == K_START_RULE_ONE_OF)
271
              is_nonterminal |= pattern_compare(temp);
272
          }
273
274
          if (drop)
275
            scan_end +=3;
```

```
276
277
          write_pattern(is_nonterminal);
278
279
          if (drop)
280
           printf("?");
281
282
          printf(" ");
283
          scan();
284
285
      }
286
287
      int white_prefix_length(int index)
288
289
        int prefix_length = 0;
290
        char *c = lines[index].start;
291
292
        while (isspace(*c++))
293
          prefix_length++;
294
295
        return prefix_length;
296
297
298
      void help(void)
299
300
        printf("gramex V2.1 (c) Adrian Johnstone 2006, 2007\n\n"
301
               "Usage: gramex [options] source\n\n"
302
               "-c suppress comment (non-rule) lines\n"
303
               "-d treat ... as meta symbol\n"
304
               "-e treat ( ) [ ] { } | as EBNF meta symbols \n"
305
               "-i treat production lines indented or outdented by two or more"
               " spaces as continuation lines\n"
306
               "-p
307
                     process Pascal standard file (implies -e)\n"
308
               "-s
                     suppress section numbers at start of line\n"
309
              );
310
      }
311
312
      void test_and_replace(char *current, char *substring, char*replacement)
313
314
        if (strlen(substring) != strlen(replacement))
315
316
          printf("Internal programming error:"
317
                 " substring '%s' and replacement string '%s' lengths differ\n",
318
                 substring, replacement);
319
          exit(1);
320
        }
321
322
        if (strncmp(current, substring, strlen(substring)) == 0)
323
          memcpy(current, replacement, strlen(replacement));
324
325
326
      void process_pascal(void)
327
328
        int line_number;
329
        char *a_i_string_10206 = "6.1.9 apostrophe_image = ''', .";
330
        char *a_i_string_7185 = "6.1.7 apostrophe_image = ''', .";
331
332
        /* Inplace translations to ASCII */
```

```
333
334
        for (line_number = 0; line_number < linecount - 1; line_number++)</pre>
335
336
          char *current = lines[line_number].start;
337
338
            printf("\n*** %i ***\n", line_number);
339
340
          while (*current != '\n')
341
342
              printf("%c (%i)", *current, *current);
343
344
            if (*current == -83)
345
              *current = '_';
346
            else if (*current == ''')
347
348
              *current = '\'';
349
350
              if ((strncmp(lines[line_number].start, a_i_string_7185, strlen(a_i_string_7185)) == 0 )||
351
                   (strncmp(lines[line_number].start, a_i_string_10206, strlen(a_i_string_10206)) == 0) )
                test_and_replace(current, "'',", "'\"' ");
352
353
              else
354
                test_and_replace(current, "'',", "'^', ");
355
356
              test_and_replace(current, "'\\Gamma'", "'-'
                                                                ");
              test_and_replace(current, "'!', "'<'");</pre>
357
358
              test_and_replace(current, "'?'", "'>'");
359
              test_and_replace(current, "'!='", "'<='");</pre>
360
              test_and_replace(current, "'?='", "'>='");
              test_and_replace(current, "'=?'", "'=>'");
361
              test_and_replace(current, "'!?'", "'<>'");
362
              test_and_replace(current, "'?!'", "'><'");</pre>
363
              test_and_replace(current-1, " ''', "'\\''');
364
365
              test_and_replace(current, "', '", "', '');
              test_and_replace(current, "'and then'", "'and_then'");
366
              test_and_replace(current, "'or else'", "'or_else'");
367
              test_and_replace(current, "'or else', "'or_else');
368
369
370
            else if (isspace(*(current - 1)) && isspace(*(current + 1)))
371
372
              if (*current == 'f')
373
                *current = '{';
374
              else if (*current == 'g')
375
                *current = '}';
376
              else if (*current == 'j')
377
                *current = '|';
378
              else if (*current == '?')
379
                *current = '>';
380
            }
381
382
            current++;
383
          }
384
        }
385
386
        /* Annotate production start lines */
387
        for (line_number = 0; line_number < linecount - 1; line_number++)</pre>
388
389
          scan_end = lines[line_number].start;
```

```
390
391
          scan();
392
393
          if (is_section_number())
394
395
            scan();
396
397
            if (is_valid_pascal_nonterminal())
398
399
              char *temp_scan_start = scan_start;
400
              char *temp_scan_end = scan_end;
401
402
              scan();
403
404
              if ((*scan_start == '=' || *scan_start == '>') && (*(scan_start+1) == '\', || isspace(*(scan_start
405
406
                lines[line_number].kind = K_PASCAL_START_RULE;
407
                lines[line_number].lhs_start = temp_scan_start;
408
                lines[line_number].lhs_end = temp_scan_end;
409
410
                if (line_ends_with_period(line_number))
411
                  lines[line_number].kind = K_PASCAL_START_END_RULE;
412
413
            }
414
          }
415
        }
416
417
        /* Annotate continuation lines */
418
        for (line_number = 1; line_number < linecount - 1; line_number++)</pre>
419
420
          if (lines[line_number].kind == K_COMMENT) /* presently unlabelled */
421
422
            if (lines[line_number - 1].kind == K_PASCAL_START_RULE ||
423
                lines[line_number - 1].kind == K_PASCAL_CONTINUATION)
424
425
              if (line_ends_with_period(line_number))
426
                lines[line_number].kind = K_PASCAL_END_RULE;
427
428
                lines[line_number].kind = K_PASCAL_CONTINUATION;
429
430
          }
431
432
433
434
      void process_c(void)
435
436
        int in_rule = 0;
437
        int temp;
438
439
        /* Annotate start lines */
440
        for (temp = 0; temp < linecount - 1; temp++)</pre>
441
442
          scan_end = lines[temp].start;
443
```

446

scan();

if (initial_alpha_has_colon_suffix())

```
447
          {
448
            lines[temp].kind = K_START_RULE;
449
            lines[temp].lhs_start = scan_start;
450
            lines[temp].lhs_end = scan_end - 1; /* drop trailing colon */
451
452
            scan();
453
454
              /* Check for 'one of' */
455
              if (((scan_end - scan_start) == 3) && *(scan_start) == 'o' &&
                                                     *(scan_start+1) == 'n' &&
456
457
                                                     *(scan_start+2) == 'e')
458
              {
459
                scan();
460
                if (((scan_end - scan_start) == 2) && *(scan_start) == 'o' &&
461
                                                       *(scan_start+1) == 'f')
462
                  lines[temp].kind = K_START_RULE_ONE_OF;
463
                scan();
464
              }
465
466
              if (*scan_start != '\n')
467
                lines[temp].kind = K_MAYBE_TYPO;
468
            }
469
            else
470
471
              scan();
472
              if ((scan_end - scan_start == 1) && *scan_start == ':')
473
                lines[temp].kind = K_MAYBE_TYPO;
474
475
        }
476
477
        /* Annotate productions */
478
        for (temp = 0; temp < linecount - 1; temp++)</pre>
479
480
481
          if (lines[temp].kind == K_START_RULE ||
482
              lines[temp].kind == K_START_RULE_ONE_OF)
483
            in_rule = 1;
484
485
          if (lines[temp].kind == K_BLANK)
486
            in_rule = 0;
487
488
          if (in_rule && (lines[temp].kind == K_COMMENT ||
489
              lines[temp].kind == K_MAYBE_TYPO))
490
491
            lines[temp].kind = K_PRODUCTION;
492
493
            if (lines[temp - 1].kind == K_START_RULE)
494
              first_production_indent = white_prefix_length(temp);
495
496
            if (use_indentation_as_continuation &&
497
                ((white_prefix_length(temp) > (first_production_indent + 1)) |
498
                 (white_prefix_length(temp) < (first_production_indent - 1))</pre>
499
500
              lines[temp - 1].kind = K_PRODUCTION_CONTINUED;
501
          }
502
        }
503
```

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504
        /* Annotate final productions */
505
        for (temp = 0; temp < linecount - 1; temp++)</pre>
506
          if (lines[temp].kind == K_PRODUCTION &&
507
              !(lines[temp+1].kind == K_PRODUCTION ||
508
                lines[temp+1].kind == K_PRODUCTION_CONTINUED
509
               )
510
              )
511
            lines[temp].kind = K_END_RULE;
512
      }
513
514
      int main(int argc, char *argv[])
515
     {
516
        FILE *f;
517
        char *filename;
518
        unsigned temp;
519
        char *tempstring;
520
        int in_one_of_rule = 0;
521
        unsigned charcount;
522
        int pascal_indent;
523
        int nonterminal_length;
524
525
        if (argc < 2)
526
527
          help();
528
          return 1;
529
530
531
        for (temp = 1; temp < argc; temp++)</pre>
532
533
          if (*argv[temp] == '-') /* option */
534
            switch (*(argv[temp] + 1))
535
536
              case 'c': suppress_comments = 1; break;
537
              case 'd': use_dots = 1; break;
538
              case 'e': use_ebnf = 1; break;
539
              case 'i': use_indentation_as_continuation = 1; break;
540
              case 'p': pascal_mode = 1; use_ebnf = 1; break;
541
              case 's': suppress_section_numbers = 1; break;
542
              default:
543
                printf("Unknown option -%c\n\n", *(argv[temp] + 1));
544
                help();
545
                return 1;
546
            }
547
          else
548
            filename = argv[temp];
549
550
551
        if ((f = fopen(filename, "r")) == NULL)
552
553
          printf("Unable to open input file '%s' for read\n\n", filename);
554
          help();
555
          return 0;
556
557
558
        /* Size the file and allocate the buffer */
559
        charcount = 0;
560
        while (charcount++, getc(f) != EOF)
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561
562
        rewind(f);
563
564
        if ((buffer = (char*) malloc(charcount+2)) == NULL)
565
566
          printf("Unable to allocate buffer\n");
567
          return 0;
568
569
570
        /* Load input buffer */
571
        charcount = 0;
572
        while (1)
573
574
          int ch = getc(f);
575
576
          if (ch == EOF)
577
578
            if (buffer[charcount - 1] != '\n')
579
              buffer[charcount++] = '\n'; /* tack on a trailing \n if missing */
580
            break;
581
          }
582
          else
583
            buffer[charcount++] = (char) ch;
584
585
586
        /* Count lines */
587
        for (temp = 0; temp < charcount; temp++)</pre>
588
          if (buffer[temp] == '\n')
589
            linecount++;
590
591
        /* Allocate lines buffer */
592
        lines = (struct line_struct*)
593
                calloc(linecount + 2, sizeof(struct line_struct));
594
595
        if (lines == NULL)
596
597
          printf("Unable to allocate lines buffer\n");
598
          return 1;
599
600
601
        /* Load lines start entries */
602
        linecount = 0;
603
        lines[linecount++].start = &buffer[0];
604
605
        for (temp = 0; temp < charcount; temp++)</pre>
606
          if (buffer[temp] == '\n')
607
            lines[linecount++].start = &buffer[temp+1];
608
609
        /* Annotate blank lines */
610
        for (temp = 0; temp < linecount - 1; temp++)</pre>
611
612
          int is_blank = 1;
613
614
          for (tempstring = lines[temp].start; *tempstring != '\n'; tempstring++)
615
            if (!isspace(*tempstring))
616
              is_blank = 0;
617
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618
          if (is_blank)
619
            lines[temp].kind = K_BLANK;
620
621
622
        if (suppress_section_numbers)
623
        for (temp = 0; temp < linecount - 1; temp++)</pre>
624
625
          scan_end = lines[temp].start;
626
627
          scan();
628
629
          if (is_section_number())
630
            lines[temp].kind = K_SECTION_HEADING;
631
632
633
634
        if (pascal_mode)
635
          process_pascal();
636
         else
637
           process_c();
638
639
        /* Output lines */
640
        printf("// Generated by gramex V2.1 from '%s' on "
641
               __DATE__ " at " __TIME__ "\n",
642
               filename);
643
        printf("// Command line:");
644
        for (temp = 0; temp < argc; temp++)</pre>
645
          printf(" %s", argv[temp]);
646
647
        printf("\n\n");
648
649
        for (temp = 0; temp < linecount - 1; temp++)</pre>
650
        {
651
          char *c;
652
653
          scan_end = lines[temp].start;
654
655
          switch (lines[temp].kind)
656
          {
657
            case K_COMMENT:
658
              if (!suppress_comments)
659
              {
660
                printf("// ");
661
                for (c = lines[temp].start; *c != '\n'; c++)
662
                  printf("%c", *c);
663
                printf("\n");
664
665
              break;
666
667
            case K_MAYBE_TYPO:
668
              if (!suppress_comments)
669
670
                printf("//?? ");
671
                for (c = lines[temp].start; *c != '\n'; c++)
672
                  printf("%c", *c);
673
                printf("\n");
674
```

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675
              break;
676
677
            case K_START_RULE:
678
              scan();
679
              write_pattern(1);
680
              printf("\n");
681
              in_one_of_rule = 0;
682
              break;
683
684
            case K_PASCAL_START_END_RULE:
685
            case K_PASCAL_START_RULE:
686
              pascal_indent = 0;
687
688
              printf("\n");
689
690
              scan();
691
692
              if (!suppress_section_numbers)
693
694
                pascal_indent += printf("(*");
695
                pascal_indent += write_pattern(1);
696
                pascal_indent += printf("*) ");
697
698
                while (pascal_indent < 14)
699
                  pascal_indent += printf(" ");
700
701
702
              scan();
703
              nonterminal_length = write_pattern(1);
704
              pascal_indent += nonterminal_length;
705
706
              pascal_indent += 1; /* allow for position of = in rule */
707
708
              in_one_of_rule = 0;
709
710
              if (line_ends_with_equals(temp))
711
                pascal_indent = pascal_indent - nonterminal_length + 2;
712
713
              write_to_end_of_line(scan_end);
714
              printf("\n");
715
716
              break;
717
718
            case K_PASCAL_CONTINUATION:
719
720
              indent_pascal(temp, pascal_indent);
721
              write_to_end_of_line(scan_end);
722
              printf("\n");
723
              break;
724
725
            case K_PASCAL_END_RULE:
726
              indent_pascal(temp, pascal_indent);
727
              write_to_end_of_line(scan_end);
728
              printf("\n");
729
              break;
730
731
            case K_START_RULE_ONE_OF:
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```
732
              scan();
733
              write_pattern(1);
734
              printf("\n");
735
              in_one_of_rule = 1;
736
              break;
737
738
            case K_END_RULE:
739
              write_production(lines[temp].start, in_one_of_rule);
740
              printf(";\n");
741
              if (suppress_comments)
742
                printf("\n");
743
              break;
744
745
            case K_PRODUCTION:
746
              write_production(lines[temp].start, in_one_of_rule);
747
              printf("|\n");
748
              break;
749
750
            case K_PRODUCTION_CONTINUED:
751
              write_production(lines[temp].start, in_one_of_rule);
752
              printf("\n");
753
              break;
754
755
            case K_BLANK:
756
              if (!suppress_comments)
757
               printf("\n");
758
              break;
759
         }
       }
760
761
762
       return 0;
     }
763
764
```