



COMPILER DESIGN

Module 2 Part 2

CST302

Q. Define LL (1) grammar.

A grammar whose parsing table has no multiply defined entries is Said to be LL (1). To become a grammar LL (1) following conditions are to be satisfied.

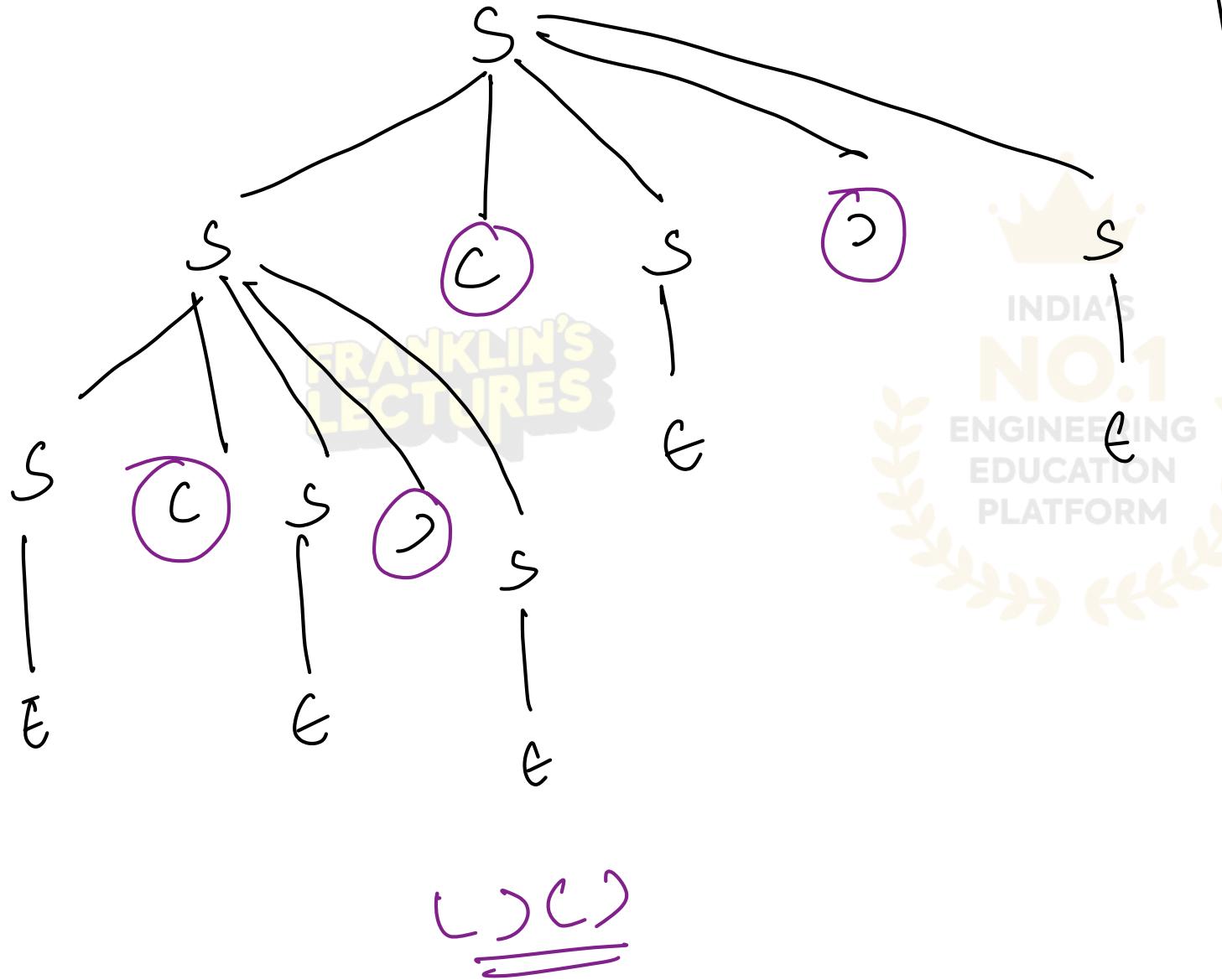
- The grammar should not be ambiguous
- The grammar should not be left recursive
- The grammar should be deterministic
- The parsing table should not contain multiply defined entries.

Q. Is the grammar $S \rightarrow S(S)S/\epsilon$ ambiguous? Justify your answer.

A grammar is said to ambiguous if there exist a string 'w' in that language which can produce more than one parse tree or more than one leftmost derivation or more than one right most derivations.

$$S \rightarrow SCS>S \mid e$$

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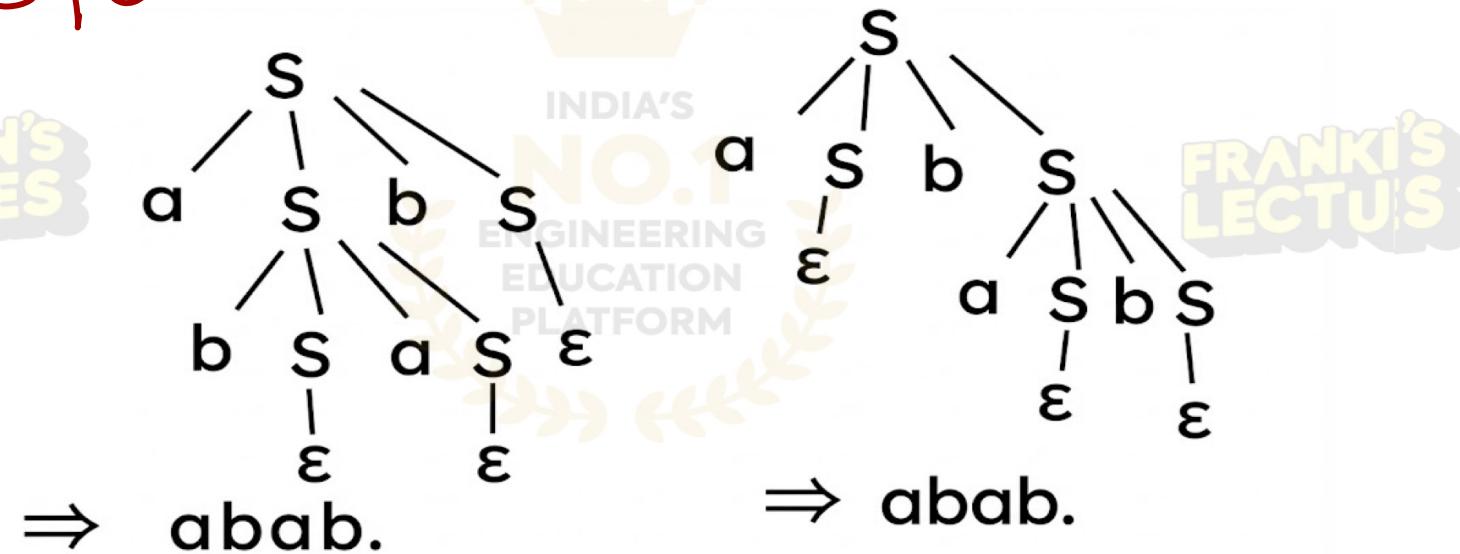
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- Here we can generate two different parse trees for the string ()(). so the gives grammar is ambiguous 

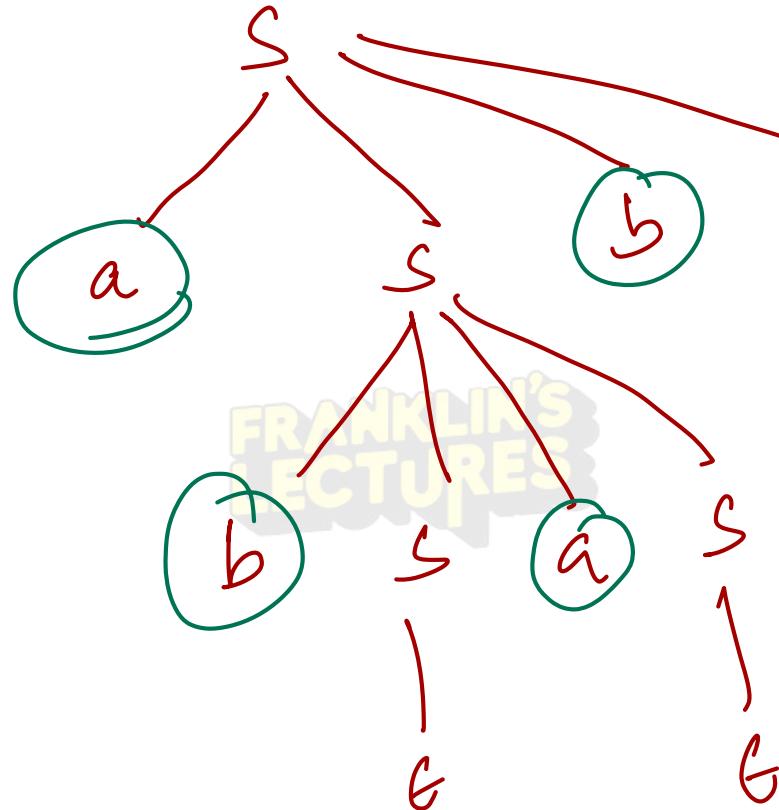
Q. Consider the context free grammar

- $S \rightarrow aSbS/bSaS/\epsilon$. Check whether the grammar is ambiguous or not.
 $S \rightarrow aSbS/bSaS/\epsilon$
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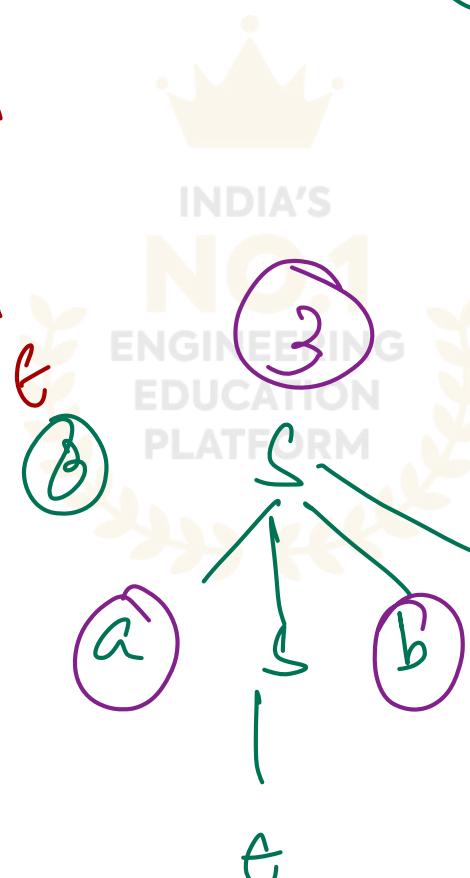


$S \rightarrow aSbs \mid bSaSt \mid t$

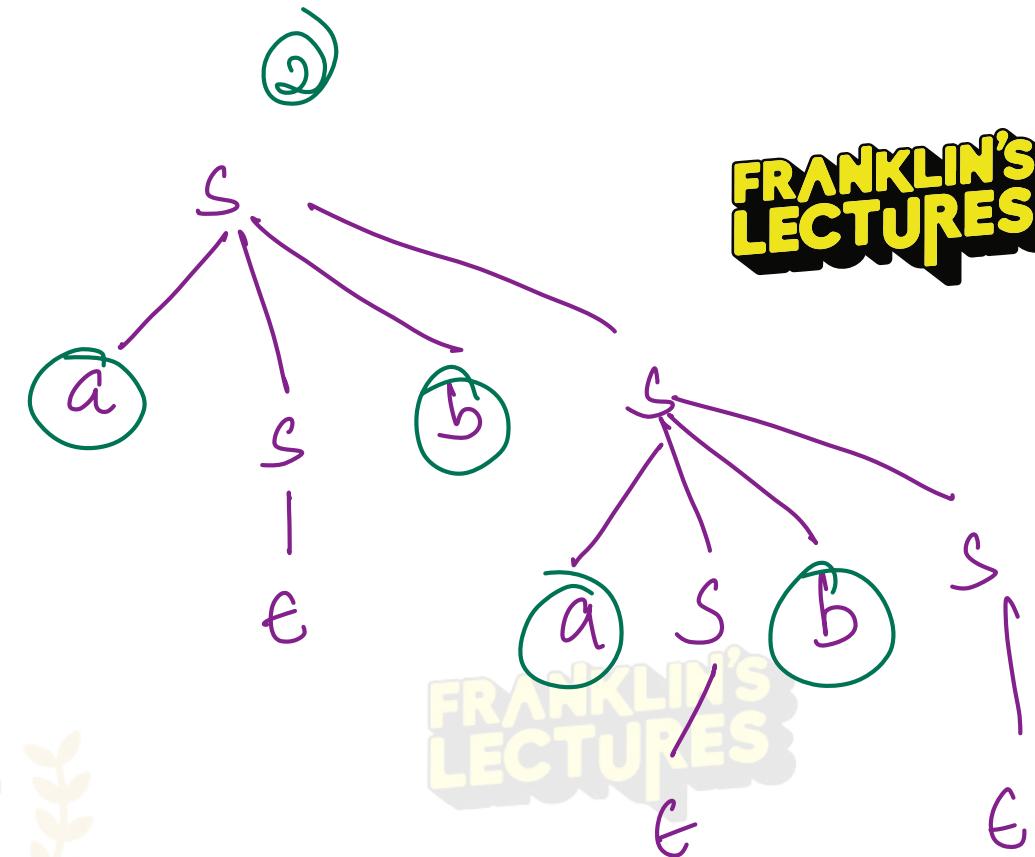
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abab

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- Here we can generate two different parse trees for the string abab. Hence the given grammar is ambiguous.

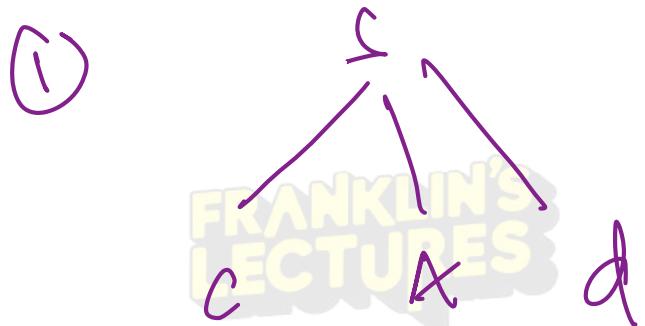


Q. What is recursive descend parsing? List the problems faced in designing such a parser.

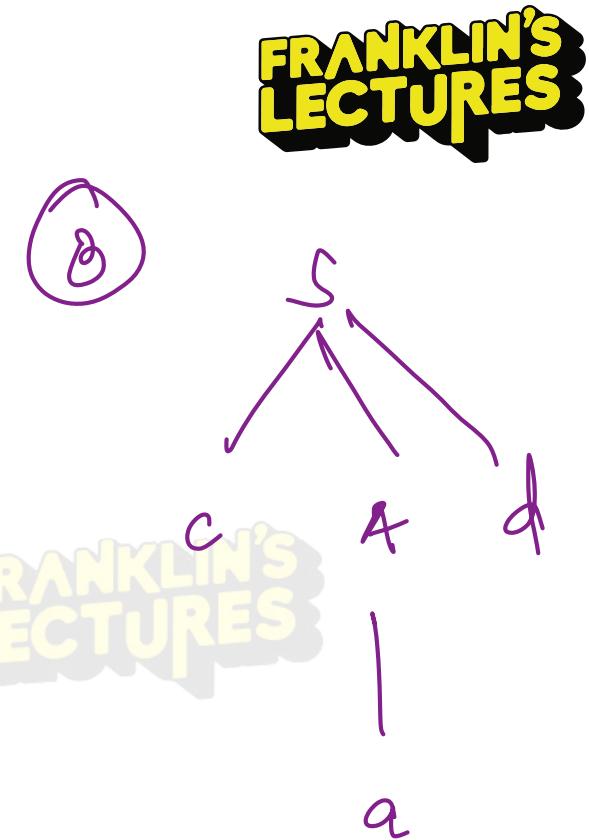
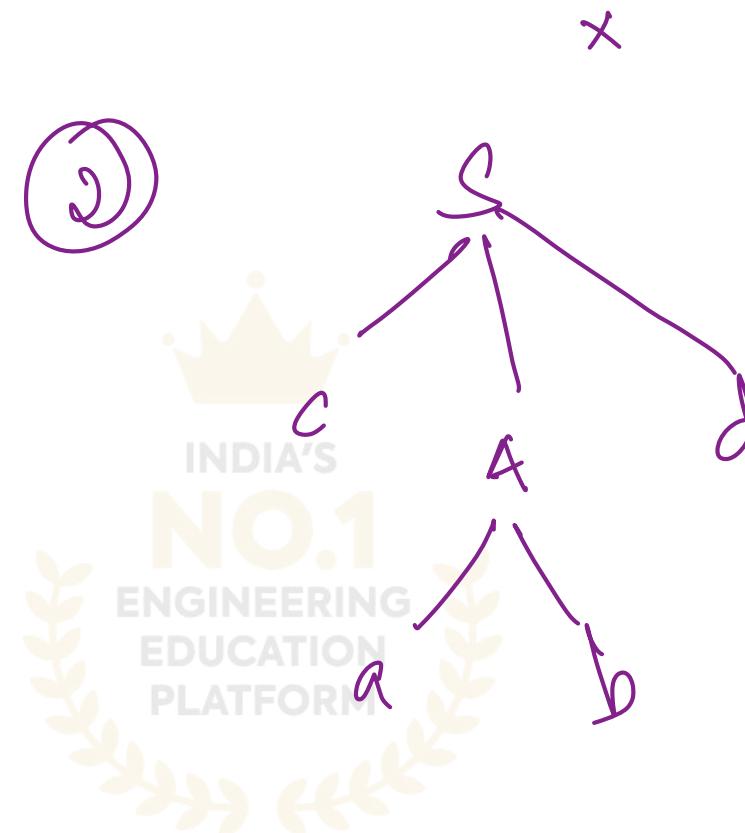
Recursive descend parsing is a top down parsing that finds a leftmost derivation from the input string. It constructs a parse tree for the input String starting from the root and creating the nodes of parse tree in pre order. Recursive descend parsing is the general form of top down parsing that involve back tracking, ie, making repeated scans of the input.

problems in recursive descent parsing

$S \rightarrow C A d$
 $A \rightarrow ab | a$



$w = cad$



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Problems :-



- 1) **Left recursion:** If a grammar contains left recursion. Recursive descent parser does not work. A grammar is left recursive if it contains production of the forms $A \rightarrow A\alpha/\beta$.
- 2) **Back tracking:** It occurs when there are more than one alternative in the productions while parsing the input String.
- 3) **It is very difficult to identify the position of the errors.**

Q. Differentiates left most derivation & right most derivation. Show an example for each.

Leftmost derivation :- In this at each Step of derivation we replace left most variable by one of its rules.

eg:- consider the grammar

$S \rightarrow aSbS \mid a$ leftmost derivation for the string aaba is

$S \rightarrow a\underline{S}bS \rightarrow aab\underline{S} \rightarrow aaba$

$\rightarrow aab\underline{S}$

$\rightarrow aaba$

Right most derivation: - In this at each step of derivation we replace right most variable by one of its production rules by right most derivation for the string aaba is

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow aSb\underline{S} \\ S &\rightarrow a\underline{S}ba \\ &\rightarrow a\underline{ab}a \end{aligned}$$

$S \rightarrow aSbS$

$\rightarrow a\cancel{S}b$

$\rightarrow aaba$



Q. Find out context free of language for the grammar given below.

$$S \rightarrow abB$$

$$A \rightarrow aaBb/\epsilon$$

$$B \rightarrow bbAa$$

1) $S \rightarrow abB$

$$abb\underline{A}a$$

abba

① $\vdash \rightarrow abb \underline{B} \rightarrow abbb \underline{A} a \rightarrow abbb a$

② $\vdash \rightarrow ab \underline{B} \rightarrow abbb \underline{A} a \rightarrow abbbaa \underline{B} b a$

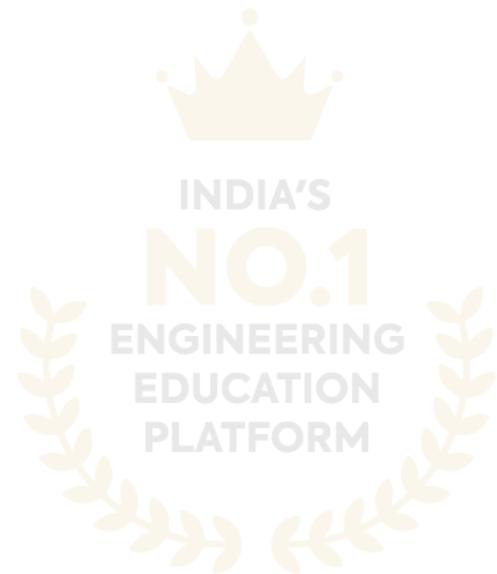
2) $S \rightarrow ab\bar{B}$

$\rightarrow abbb\bar{A}a.$

$\rightarrow abbaa\bar{B}ba$

$\rightarrow abbaabb\bar{A}aba$

$\rightarrow \cancel{abbb\bar{A}abbaba}$



3) $S \rightarrow abB.$

abbbAa

aabbbaaBba.

aabbaabbAaba.

abbbaabbaaBbaba.

abbbaabbaaBbaba.

abbbaabbaabbAababa

abbbbaabbaabbababa

Language is $L(G) = \{ab (bbaa)^n bba (ba)^m; n, m \geq 0\}$



Q. For what type of grammar, recursive descent parser cannot be constructed? Show the steps involved in recursive descent Parsing with backtracking for the string 'cad' with the given grammar:

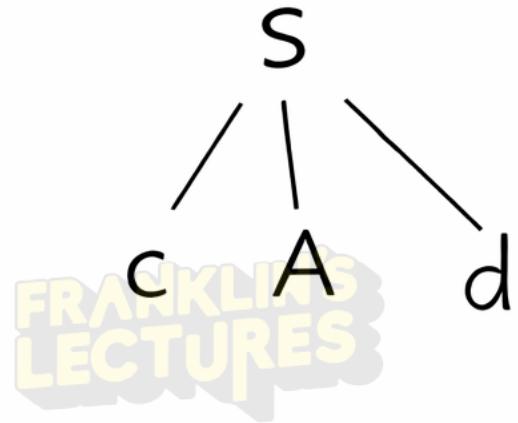
$S \rightarrow cAd$ $A \rightarrow ab|a.$

Recursive descent parser cannot be constructed for the following type of grammars

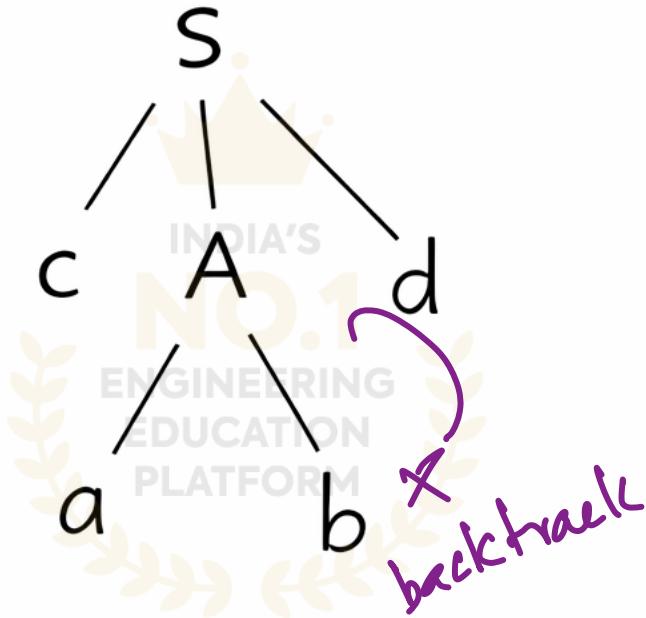
- 1) Left recursive grammar
- 2) Ambiguous grammar.
- 3) Non-left factored grammar.

steps involved in recursive descent parsing

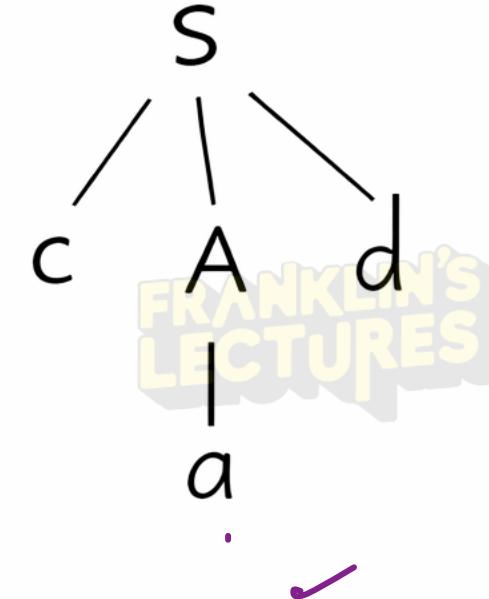
Step 1:



Step 2:



Step 3:



Step 1:

Step 2:

Step 3:

Q. Eliminate the ambiguity from the given grammar.

$E \rightarrow E^*E \mid E-E \mid E^{\wedge}E \mid E|E \mid E+E \mid (E) \mid id$

The associativity of the grammar is as given below. The operators are listed in the decreasing order of precedence.

- (i) ()
- (ii) | and + are right associative
- (iii) '^' is left associative
- (iv) * and - are left associative.



$E \rightarrow E^* P | E - P | P.$

$P \rightarrow P^* T | T$

$T \rightarrow F + T | F | T | F$

$F \rightarrow (E) | id.$



$E^* E$

$E^* E$

$E^* P$

$P^* E$

$$\begin{array}{c} E \rightarrow E^* E = | E - E = \\ E \rightarrow E^* P | E - P | P \\ P \rightarrow P^* T | T \\ T \rightarrow F + T | F | T | F \\ F \rightarrow (E) | id \end{array}$$

$\Delta \rightarrow \Delta$
 $\Delta \rightarrow \Delta$
 $E \nearrow E$



Q. Consider the following grammar.

E → E or T|T

T → T and F|F

F → not F (E) |true|false.

- (i) Remove left recursion from the grammar
- (ii) Construct predictive parsing table
- (iii) Justify the statement “ The grammar is LL(1)”.

$$A \rightarrow \alpha\beta_1 \mid \alpha\beta_2$$

(i) Remove left recursion.

$$E \rightarrow E \text{ or } T|T$$

T → T and F|F are left recursive.

Grammar after left recursion elimination is,

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} E \rightarrow TE' \\ E' \rightarrow \underline{\text{or}} \underline{TE'} | \epsilon \\ T \rightarrow FT' \\ T' \rightarrow \underline{\text{and}} \underline{FT'} | \epsilon \\ F \rightarrow \underline{\text{not}} \underline{F} | (E) \mid \underline{\text{true}} \underline{\text{false}} \end{array}}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow A\alpha \mid \beta \\ A \rightarrow \beta A' \\ A' \rightarrow \alpha A' \mid \epsilon \end{array}}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} E \rightarrow E \mid \alpha T \mid T & E \rightarrow \underline{\text{or}} \underline{TE'} \mid \epsilon \\ E \rightarrow TR' \mid T & T \rightarrow T \mid \underline{\text{and}} \underline{F} \mid F \\ T \rightarrow FT' & F \rightarrow \underline{\text{not}} \underline{F} \mid (E) \\ T' \rightarrow \underline{\text{and}} \underline{FT'} \mid \epsilon & T' \rightarrow \underline{\text{and}} \underline{FT'} \mid \epsilon \end{array}$$

(ii) Compute FIRST and FOLLOW and then construct predictive parsing table

$\text{FIRST}(E) = \text{FIRST}(T) = \text{FIRST}(F) = \{ \text{not}, (, \text{true}, \text{false} \}$

$\text{FIRST}(E') = \{\text{or}, \epsilon\}$

$\text{FIRST}(T') = \{\text{and}, \epsilon\}$

$\text{FOLLOW}(E) = \{\$,)\}$

$\text{FOLLOW}(E') = \text{FOLLOW}(E) = \{\$\}$

	E	E'	T	T'	F
FIRST	$\{\text{not}, (, \text{true}, \text{false}\}$	$\{\text{or}, \epsilon\}$	$\{\text{not}, (, \text{true}, \text{false}\}$	$\{\text{and}, \epsilon\}$	$\{\text{not}, (, \text{true}, \text{false}\}$
FOLLOW	$\{), \$\}$	$\{\$,)\}$	$\{\text{or},), \$\}$	$\{\text{or},), \$\}$	$\{\text{and}, \text{or},), \$\}$



FOLLOW(T) = FIRST(E') = {or, \$,)}

FOLLOW (T') = FOLLOW(T) = {or, \$,)}

FOLLOW (F) = FIRST (T') = {and, or,\$,)}



Predictive parsing table

	or	and	not	()	true	false	\$
E			$E \rightarrow T E'$	$E \rightarrow T E'$		$E \rightarrow T E'$	$E \rightarrow T E'$	
E'	$E' \rightarrow \text{or } T E'$					$E' \rightarrow \epsilon$		$E' \rightarrow \epsilon$
T			$T \rightarrow F T'$	$T \rightarrow F T'$		$T \rightarrow F T'$	$T \rightarrow F T'$	
T'	$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$	$T' \rightarrow \text{and } F T'$				$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$		$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$
F			$F \rightarrow \text{not } F$	$F \rightarrow (E)$		$F \rightarrow \text{true}$	$F \rightarrow \text{false}$	

$E \rightarrow T E'$
 $E' \rightarrow \text{or } T E' \mid \epsilon$

$T \rightarrow F T'$
 $T' \rightarrow \text{and } F T' \mid \epsilon$
 $F \rightarrow \text{not } F \mid (E) \mid \text{true} \mid \text{false}$

$F \rightarrow \text{not } F$
 $f \rightarrow (E)$
 $f \rightarrow \text{true}$
 $f \rightarrow \text{false}$

iii) In the above predictive parsing table, there is no multiply defined entries & three conditions for LL(1) grammar holds. Hence the grammar is an LL(1) grammar.



Q. Find the FIRST & FOLLOW of the non-terminals in the grammar,

$$S \rightarrow aABe$$

$$A \rightarrow Abc|b$$

$$B \rightarrow d$$

ANS: FIRST (S) = {a}

FIRST(A) = {b}

FIRST (B)= {d}

FOLLOW(S) ={\$}

FOLLOW (A) = {b, d}

FOLLOW (B) = {e}



$$S \rightarrow ABe$$

$$A \rightarrow AbC \mid b$$

$$B \rightarrow d$$

$$\text{FIRST}(S) = \{a\}$$

$$\text{FIRST}(A) = \{b\}$$

$$\text{FIRST}(B) = \{d\}$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(S) = \{\$\}$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(A) = \{d, b\}$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(B) = \{e\}$$

Q. what is left recursive grammar? Give an example. What are steps in removing left recursion.

A grammar which contains the production of the form $A \rightarrow A\alpha|\beta$ are called left recursive grammar. Left recursion can be eliminated by the following production

$$\begin{aligned} A &\rightarrow \beta A' \\ A' &\rightarrow \alpha A' \mid \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

Eg:- consider the grammar.

$$\begin{aligned} E &\rightarrow E + T \mid T \\ T &\rightarrow T^* F \mid F \\ F &\rightarrow (E) \mid \text{id.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} E \xrightarrow{\quad} TE' \\ T \xrightarrow{\quad} FT' \\ F \xrightarrow{\quad} *FT' \\ E' \xrightarrow{\quad} +TE' \\ \epsilon \xrightarrow{\quad} +TE' \end{array}$$

This grammar is a left recursive grammar. Grammar after left recursion elimination is,

$$\begin{aligned} E &\rightarrow TE' \\ E' &\rightarrow +TE' \mid \epsilon \\ T &\rightarrow FT' \\ T' &\rightarrow *FT' \mid \epsilon \\ F &\rightarrow (E) \mid \text{id.} \end{aligned}$$

Q. Given a grammar:

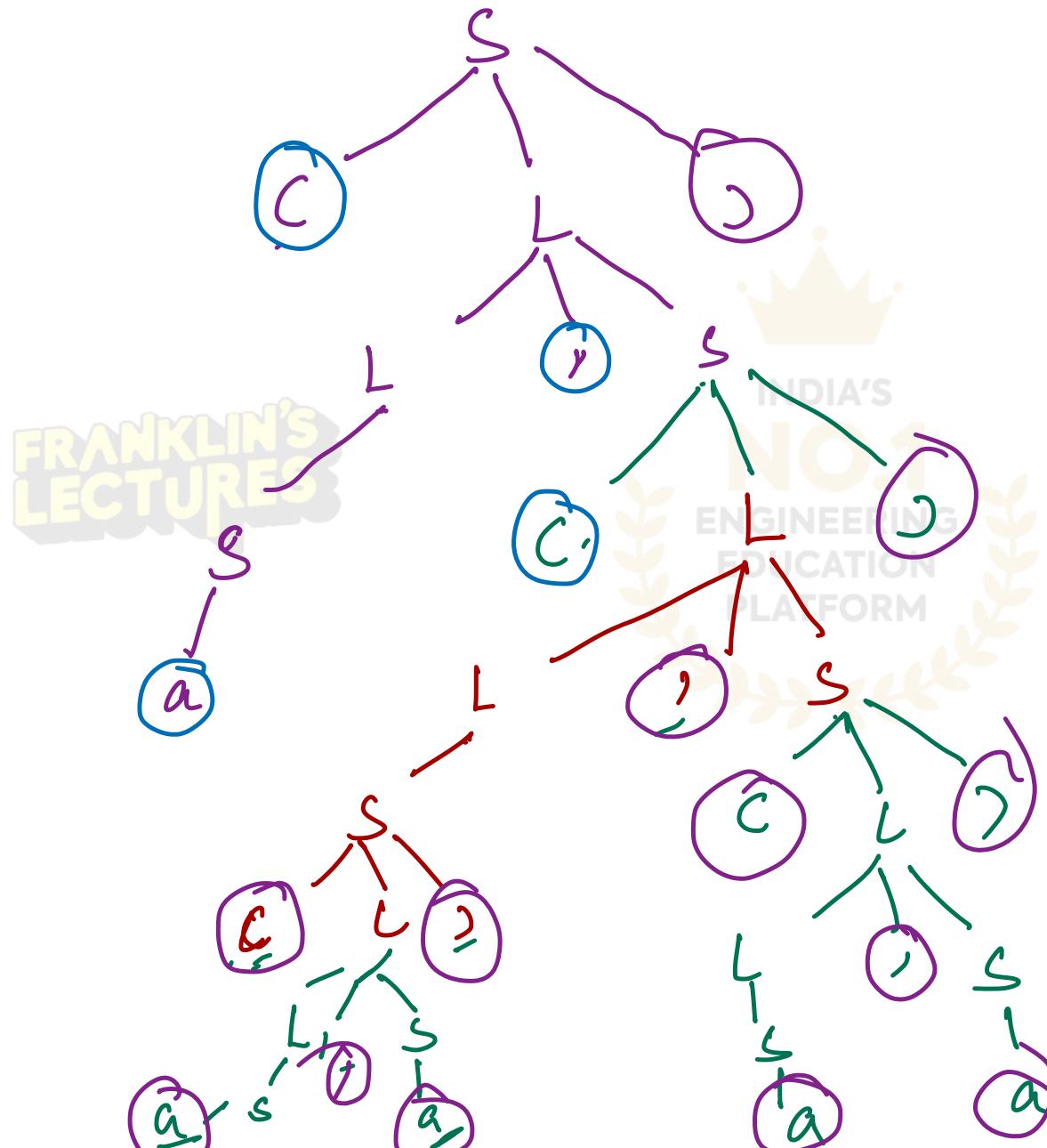
$$S \rightarrow (L) | a$$

$$L \rightarrow L, S | S$$

- (i) Is the grammar ambiguous? Justify.**
- (ii) Give the parse tree for the string
 $(a, ((a,a), (a,a)))$**

A grammar is ambiguous if there exist more than one parse tree for the string 'w' in that language.

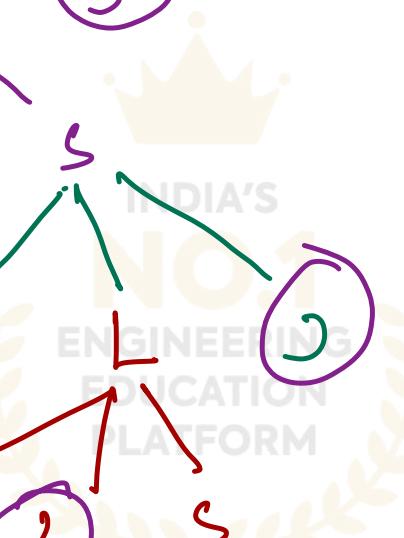
- (i) The given grammar is not an ambiguous grammar because there is no String 'w' in L which can produce more than one parse tree.

$S \rightarrow CL | a$ $L \rightarrow L_1 S | S$ 

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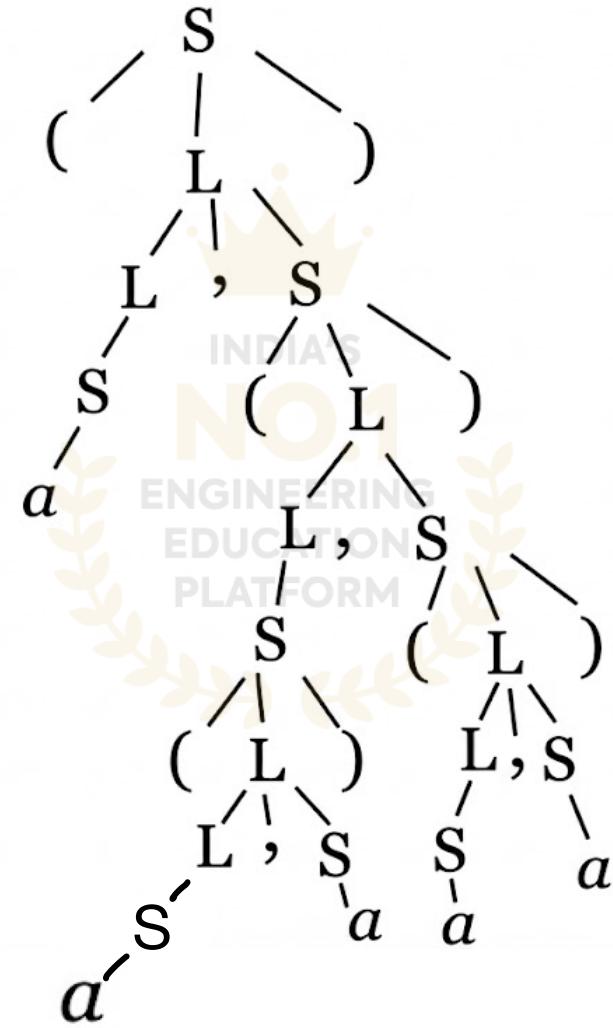
(a / (a,a) / (a,a))

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(ii)



Q. Construct predictive parsing table for the following grammar.

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow (L) | a \\ L &\rightarrow L, S | S \end{aligned}$$

Step1: Remove left recursion

$$S \rightarrow (L) | a.$$

$$L \rightarrow SL'$$

$$L \rightarrow , SL' | \epsilon$$

$$\begin{aligned} L &\rightarrow L, L' | L' \\ L' &\rightarrow SL' \\ L' &\rightarrow , SL' | \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

Step 2: Do left factoring. Here there is no need of left factoring.

Step3: Find FIRST and FOLLOW.

$$\begin{aligned} A &\rightarrow A\alpha | \beta \\ A &\rightarrow \beta A' \\ A' &\rightarrow \alpha A' | \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

$$S \rightarrow CL \mid a \quad L \xrightarrow{L} \underline{SL} \mid \epsilon$$

$$\text{FIRST}(S) = \{ (, a \}$$

$$\text{FIRST}(L) = \text{FIRST}(S) = \{(, a\}.$$

$$\text{FIRST}(L') = \{ , , \epsilon \}$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(S) = \{ \$, , ,) \}$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(L) = \{ \}$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(L') = \text{FOLLOW}(L) = \{ \}.$$

	S	L	L'
FIRST	$\{ (, a \}$	$\{ (, a \}$	$\{ , , \epsilon \}$
FOLLOW	$\{ \$, , ,) \}$	$\{) \}$	$\{) \}.$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{FOLLOW}(S) &= \text{FIRST}(L') \cup \{ \$ \} \\ &= \{ , , \$ \} \cup \text{FOLLOW}(L) \\ &= \{ , , \$,) \}\end{aligned}$$

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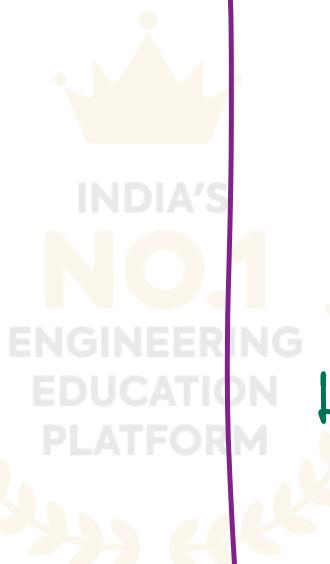
- Step 4: construct predictive parsing table

Non terminals	γ_p Symbol				
L'	()	,	a	\$
L	$L' \rightarrow \epsilon$	$L' \rightarrow S L'$		$L \rightarrow S L'$	
S	$S \rightarrow (L)$			$S \rightarrow a$	

Up $(a, a, a) \$$ - moves.

STACK	INPUT	OUTPUT
$\$ S$	$(a, a, a) \$$	$S \rightarrow CL$
$\$ \rightarrow L C$	$\underline{a}, a, a) \$$	$L \rightarrow SL'$
$\$ \rightarrow L'S$	$a, \underline{a}, a) \$$	$S \rightarrow a$
$\$ \rightarrow L'a$	$\underline{a}, a, a) \$$	$L' \rightarrow , SL'$
$\$ \rightarrow L'S,$	$\underline{a}, a, a) \$$	$S \rightarrow a$
$\$ \rightarrow L'a$	$\underline{a}, a) \$$	$\gamma_1 \gamma_2 \gamma_3$
$\$ \rightarrow L'$	$, a) \$$	$\gamma_3 \gamma_2 \gamma_1$
$\$ \rightarrow L's,$	$, a) \$$	$L' \rightarrow JSL'$

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S → a

L' → e

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Q. Compute FIRST and FOLLOW of the following grammar.

$$S \rightarrow SS^+ | SS^* | a$$

FIRST(S)

FIRST (S) = {a}

FOLLOW (S) = {\$, +, *, a}

$$S \rightarrow \overset{a}{SS}^+ | \overset{a}{SS}^* | \overset{a}{a}$$

FIRST(S) = {a}

FOLLOW(S) = { \$, +, *, a }

Q. Design a recursive descent parser for the grammar,

S → cAd, A → ab|a

**construction of recursive descent Parser using procedures is given below:
(with backtracking)**

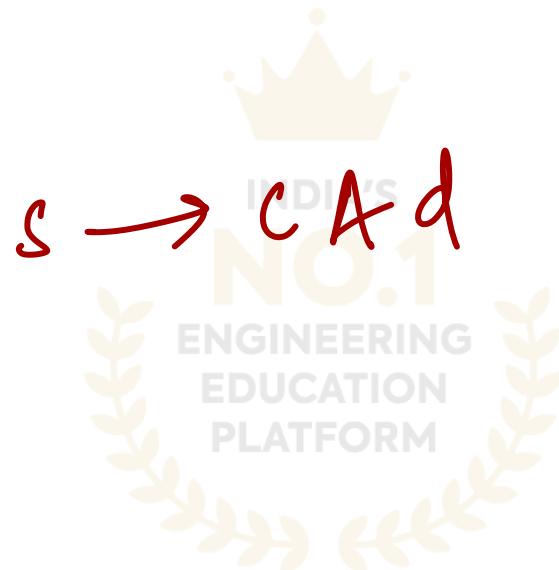
Procedure S()

```
{  
    if input='c'
```

```
{  
    Advance()  
    A();  
    if input='d'
```

```
{  
    Advance();  
    return true;}  
else  
return false;
```

$$\begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow c A d \\ \cdot \quad A \rightarrow ab \mid b \end{array}$$

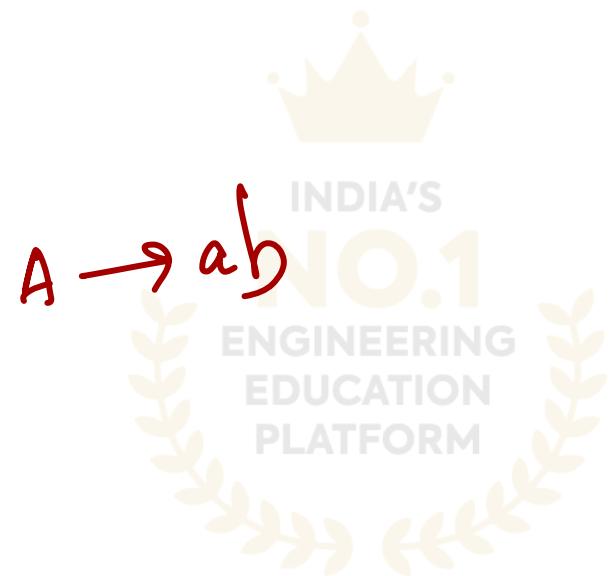


```
    }  
else  
return false;  
}
```



Procedure A()

```
{  
i save=in-ptr;  
if input='a'  
{  
    Advance();  
if input = 'b'  
{
```


$$A \rightarrow ab$$
$$A \rightarrow a$$

```
Advance();  
    return true; } }  
  
in->ptr=isave  
if input = 'a'  
{  
    Advance ();  
    return true;  
}  
return false;  
}
```

A → a



Q. Design recursive descent parser for the following grammar. (without backtracking)

$$\begin{array}{l} E \rightarrow E+T|T \\ T \rightarrow \underline{T^*F|F} \\ F \rightarrow (E) | id. \end{array}$$

E' $\rightarrow TE'$
E' $\rightarrow TTE'| \epsilon$

T $\rightarrow FT'$
T $\rightarrow *FT'$

After elimination of left recursion is

- $E \rightarrow TE'$
- $E \rightarrow +TE'|E$
- $T \rightarrow FT'$
- ~~$E' \rightarrow *FT'|E$~~
- $F \rightarrow (E)|id.$

Procedure E()

{

.T();

EPRIME();

}

procedureT()

{

$$E \rightarrow \underline{T} E'$$

Procedure E()

{

T();

EPRIME();

}

$$T \rightarrow FT'$$

Procedure T

{

F();

TPRIME();

}

$$E' \rightarrow EPRIME()$$

```

F();
TPRIME();
}
Procedure EPRIME()
{
if input=="+"  

{
    Advance();
    T();
    EPRIME();
    return true;
}

```

$+TE'$

$E' \rightarrow +TE' \mid \epsilon$

Procedure EPRIME()

{

 if input == "+"

 {

 Advance();

 T();

 EPRIME();

 return true;

 }

 else

 return false;



```
return false  
}  
procedure TPRIME()  
{  
if input = "*" ]
```

$$T' \rightarrow *FT' \mid e$$

procedure TPRIME()

{ if input = "*"]

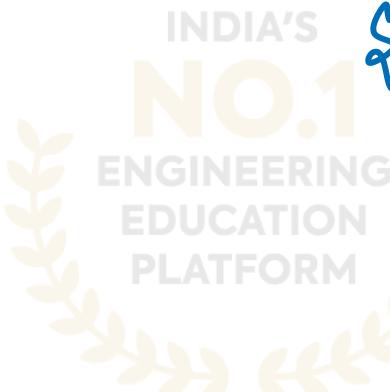
Advance () ;
F () ;

TPRIME () :

return true ;

} else return false ;

}



```

Advance();
F();
TPRIME();
return true;
}
return false
}
Procedure F()
if input = "("
Advance ();
E();

```

T → *FT¹

T → ε

F → Cε)



F → Cε) | id

Procedure F() {

 if input = "C"

 Advance();

 F();

 if input = ")"

 return true;

 else false;

 if input = "id"

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```
if input == ")"
    return true
else
    return false;
}
```



```
else if input = "id"  
{  
    Advance();  
    return true;  
}  
return false  
}
```



Q. Left factor the following grammar and then obtain LL (1) parsing table (predictive passing table).

$$E \rightarrow T + E | T \quad \begin{cases} E \rightarrow T E' \\ E' \rightarrow + E | \epsilon \end{cases}$$

$$T \rightarrow \underline{\text{float}} | \text{float} * T | (E)$$

Grammar after left factoring is

$$E \rightarrow TE'$$

$$E' \rightarrow +E | \epsilon$$

$$T \rightarrow \underline{\text{float}} T'$$

$$T' \rightarrow * \bar{T} | \epsilon$$

$$\bar{T} \rightarrow (E)$$

$$A \rightarrow \alpha \beta_1 \quad \alpha \beta_2$$



$$A \rightarrow \alpha A'$$

$$A' \rightarrow \beta_1 \quad \beta_2$$

$$E \rightarrow T + E \mid T$$

$$T \rightarrow \text{float} \mid \text{float} * T \mid (E)$$

$$T \rightarrow \text{float} T'$$

$$T' \rightarrow * T \mid \epsilon$$
 ~~$T' \rightarrow (E)$~~

$$E \rightarrow T E'$$

$$E' \rightarrow + E \mid - E$$


step1: find FIRST and FOLLOW.

FIRST (E') = FIRST(T) = {float, ()}

FIRST (E') = {+, ϵ }

FIRST (T') = {*}, ϵ }

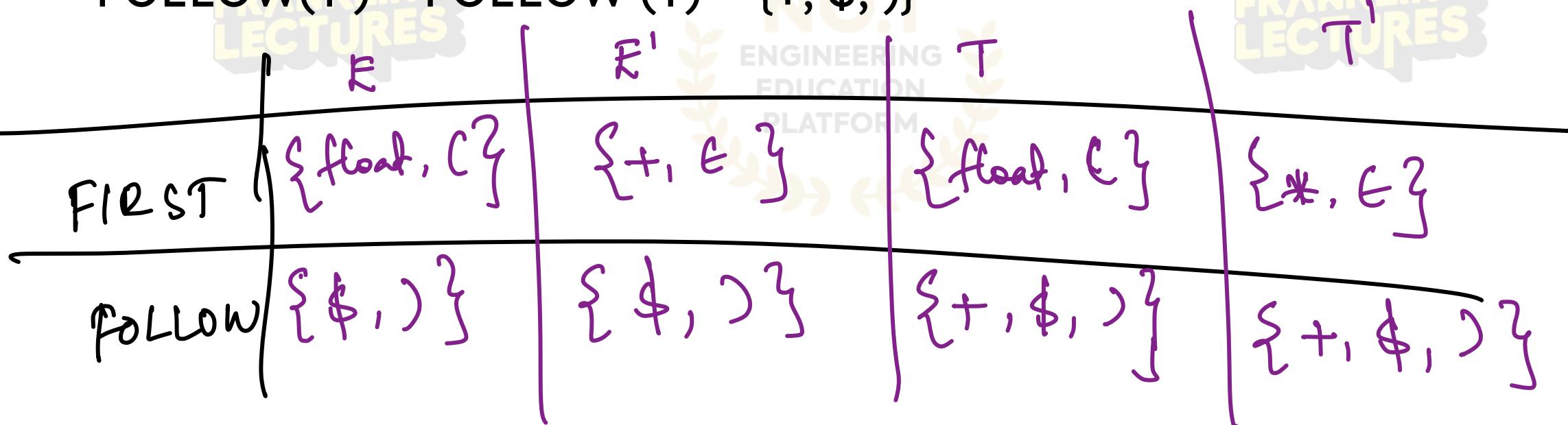


$\text{FOLLOW}(E) = \{\$,)\}$

$\text{FOLLOW}(E') = \text{FOLLOW}(E) = \{\$,)\}$

$\text{FOLLOW}(T) = \text{FIRST}(E') \cup \text{FOLLOW}(E)$
 $= \{+, \$,)\}$

$\text{FOLLOW}(T') = \text{FOLLOW}(T) = \{+, \$,)\}$



qp symbols :

Non-terminal	+	*	()	float	\$
E	-	-	$E \rightarrow T E'$	-	$E \rightarrow T E'$	-
E'	$E' \rightarrow + E$	-	-	$E' \rightarrow \epsilon$	-	$E' \rightarrow \epsilon$
T	-	-	$T \rightarrow (E')$	-	$T \rightarrow \text{float } T'$	-
T'	$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$	$T' \rightarrow * T$	$T' \rightarrow (E)$	$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$	-	$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$

Q. Write non- recursive predictive parsing algorithm.

Algorithm:-

Input: A string ' w ' and a parsing table M is for grammar G .

Output: If w is in $L(G)$, a left most derivation of ' w ', otherwise an error indication.

Method: Initially the parser is in a configuration in which it has $\$S$ on the stack with ' S ' the Start symbol of ' G ' on

top and w\$ in the I/p buffer.

Set ip (i/p pointer) to point to the first Symbol of w\$

Repeat

Let 'X' be the top stack symbol and 'a' the Symbol pointed to by ip.

If , 'X' is a terminal or \$ then

If X = a then

Pop 'X' from stack and advance ip

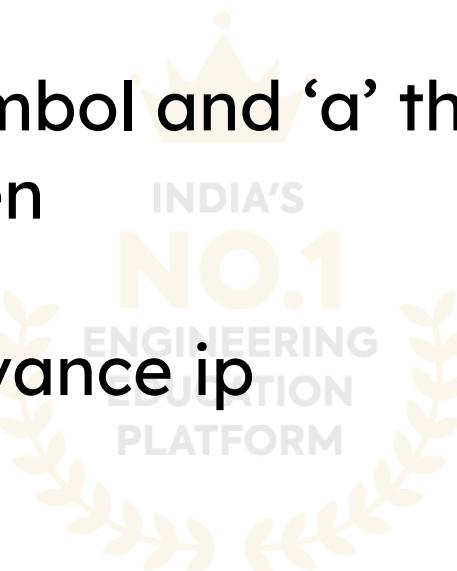
else

error()

else / * X is a terminal */

if M [A,a] = $X \rightarrow Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_k$ then.

begin



pop X from stack

Push y_k, y_{k-1}, \dots, Y_1 , onto the stack with Y_1 on top of the stack.

output the production $X \rightarrow \underline{Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_k}$.

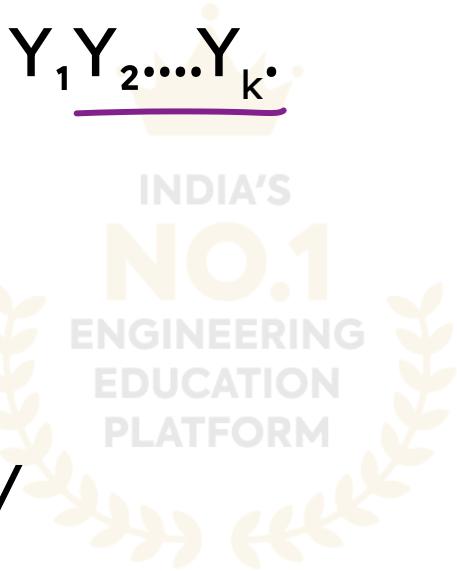
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until $X = \$$ /* Stack empty */

OR

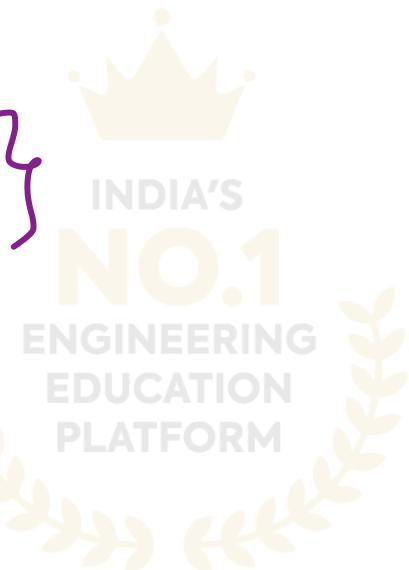


Algorithm

Let 'X' be the stack top Symbol & 'a' be the current input symbol. Then,

- 1) If $X = a = \$$, then parser halts & announces successful completion of parsing.
- 2) If $X = a \neq \$$ the parser pops 'X' from the stack & advances i/p pointer
- 3) Else if 'X' is a non terminal, then consult the parsing table entry. $M[X, a]$. This entry will be either an 'X' production of the grammar or an error entry.
- 4) else error

$$E \rightarrow E \underline{A} E \quad | \quad C \underline{R} \underline{E} | = R \underline{id} \quad A \rightarrow + \mid \#.$$

$$\text{FIRST}(E) = \{ -, +, \text{id} \}$$
$$\text{FIRST}(A) = \{ +, \# \}$$
$$\text{FOLLOW}(E) = \{ \$,) , +, \# \}$$
$$\text{FOLLOW}(A) = \{ -, \text{id} \}$$




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