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LEXICAL ANALYZER

Build Scanner



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Introduction

This document provides an overview of the implementation of a Lexical which is a ,Analyzer the ,It covers the phases of a compiler .fundamental phase in compiler design role of a lexical analyzer, software tools used, and the implementation details

Phases of Compiler

including: ,A compiler consists of several phases
Tokenizing the input code. :Lexical Analysis .1
Checking grammatical structure. :Syntax Analysis .2
Ensuring meaningful statements. :Semantic Analysis .3
Creating an intermediate representation. :Intermediate Code Generation .4
Improving performance and efficiency. :Optimization .5

Lexical Analyzer

A Lexical Analyzer is responsible for scanning the source code and converting it into tokens.

It identifies keywords, operators, identifiers, and other elements

Software Tools

Various software tools are used in compiler construction.

.Producing machine code :Code Generation .6

• Computer Program

It .A compiler is a special type of program that translates source code into machine code ensures the correctness of syntax and semanti



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Programming Language

Lexical analyzers are often implemented using programming languages like Python, C, or Java. The implementation in this document is in Python.

• Implementation of a Lexical Analyzer

Below is the Python implementation of a lexical analyzer:

import string

Character classes

LETTER = 0

DIGIT = 1

UNKNOWN = 99

EOF = -1

Token codes

INT LIT = 10

IDENT = 11

ASSIGN_OP = 20

ADD OP = 21

SUB OP = 22

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MULT_OP = 23
DIV OP = 24
LEFT PAREN = 25
RIGHT PAREN = 26
class LexicalAnalyzer:
  def __init__(self, input_string):
    self.input string = input string
    self.index = 0
    self.char_class = None
    self.lexeme = ""
    self.next char = ""
    self.next_token = None
    self.get_char()
  def add_char(self):
    self.lexeme += self.next char
  def get_char(self):
    if self.index < len(self.input_string):
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self.next_char = self.input_string[self.index]
    self.index += 1
    if self.next char.isalpha():
      self.char class = LETTER
    elif self.next_char.isdigit():
      self.char class = DIGIT
    else:
      self.char class = UNKNOWN
  else:
    self.char_class = EOF
def get non blank(self):
  while self.next_char.isspace():
    self.get char()
def lookup(self, char):
  if char == '(': return LEFT PAREN
  if char == ')': return RIGHT_PAREN
  if char == '+': return ADD OP
  if char == '-': return SUB OP
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if char == '*': return MULT_OP
  if char == '/': return DIV OP
  return EOF
def lex(self):
  self.lexeme = ""
  self.get_non_blank()
  if self.char class == LETTER:
    self.add_char()
    self.get_char()
    while self.char_class in {LETTER, DIGIT}:
      self.add char()
      self.get_char()
    self.next_token = IDENT
  elif self.char_class == DIGIT:
    self.add_char()
    self.get_char()
    while self.char_class == DIGIT:
      self.add_char()
      self.get_char()
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self.next_token = INT_LIT
    elif self.char class == UNKNOWN:
      self.next token = self.lookup(self.next char)
      self.add char()
      self.get_char()
    elif self.char class == EOF:
      self.next_token = EOF
      self.lexeme = "EOF"
    print(f"Next token is: {self.next_token}, Next lexeme is
{self.lexeme}")
    return self.next token
# Example usage
expression = "(sum + 47) / total"
lexer = LexicalAnalyzer(expression)
while lexer.next token != EOF:
  lexer.lex()
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code description: -

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Token Types

The lexer recognizes the following token types:

Identifiers: Represented by IDENT (code: 11)

Integer Literals: Represented by INT_LIT (code: 10)

Operators:

Assignment Operator: ASSIGN_OP (code: 20)

Addition Operator: ADD_OP (code: 21)

Subtraction Operator: SUB_OP (code: 22)

Multiplication Operator: MULT_OP (code: 23)

Division Operator: DIV_OP (code: 24)

Parentheses:

Left Parenthesis: LEFT_PAREN (code: 25)

Right Parenthesis: RIGHT_PAREN (code: 26)

End of File: Represented by EOF (code: -1)

Class Documentation

LexicalAnalyzer

The LexicalAnalyzer class is responsible for tokenizing the input string.

Constructor

def __init__(self, input_string: str)

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Parameters:

input_string: A string containing the expression to be tokenized.

Methods

add_char()

Appends the current character to the lexeme.

get_char()

Reads the next character from the input string and updates the character class.

get_non_blank()

Skips any whitespace characters in the input string.

lookup(char: str) -> int

Looks up the token code for a given character.

Parameters:

char: A single character to look up.

Returns: The token code corresponding to the character.

lex() -> **int**

Analyzes the input string and returns the next token.

Returns: The token code of the next token.

Prints: The next token and its corresponding lexeme.

Example Usage

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To see the lexer in action, you can run the provided example code. It will tokenize the expression (sum + 47) / total and print each token along with its lexeme.

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