# **Documentation LEX**

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myscannerLab8.lxi file:
%{
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
void yyerror(char *msg);
%}
%option noyywrap
IDENTIFIER [a-zA-Z_][a-zA-Z0-9_]*
INT_CONST 0|[-]?[1-9][0-9]*
DOUBLE_CONST [-]?[1-9][0-9]*([.][0-9]+)|[-]?0[.][0-9]+
STRING_CONST [\"][a-zA-Z0-9]*[\"]
%%
"read"|"write"|"if"|"else"|"whileLoop"|"forLoop"|"boolean"|"int"|"double"|"string"
{printf("Reserved words: %s\n", yytext);}
"+"|"-"|"*"|"/"|"%"|"<"|"<="|"=="|"!="|">="|">="|">"|"="
                                                          {printf("Operator: %s\n", yytext);}
"{"|"}"|"["|"]"|"("|")"|","|";"
                                 {printf("Separator: %s\n", yytext);}
{IDENTIFIER} {printf("Identifier %s\n", yytext);}
{INT_CONST} {printf("Integer constant: %s\n", yytext);}
{STRING_CONST} {printf("String constant: %s\n", yytext);}
{DOUBLE_CONST} {printf("Double constant: %s\n", yytext);}
[\t]+ {}
[ \n]+ {}
%%
void yyerror(char *msg){
       fprintf(stderr,"%s\n",msg);
       exit(1);
}
void main(argc, argv)
int argc;
char** argv;
{
if(argc > 1)
        FILE *file;
       file = fopen(argv[1], "r");
       if(!file)
       {
```

# 1. Overview

The myscannerLab8.lxi file is a Lex (Flex) program designed to recognize and classify tokens in a simple programming language. It recognizes keywords, operators, separators, identifiers, integer constants, string constants, and character constants.

# 2. Preparation

Before compiling and running the program, ensure that you have a command prompt opened at the location of the myscannerLab8.lxi file. Navigate to the directory using the cd command:

\$ cd path/to/directory

Replace path/to/directory with the actual path where your myscannerLab8.lxi file is located. Once you are in the correct directory, proceed with the compilation and execution steps as described in the next sections.

# 3. Compilation

### Compliation:

To compile the Lex file, use the following command:

\$flex myscannerLab8.lxi

D:\FACULTATE\Materiale facultate 2023-2024\LFTC\Labs\Lab8>flex myscannerLab8.lxi

## Generate Executable:

After compiling, you will obtain the lex.yy.c file. Use the following command to generate the executable:

gcc lex.yy.c

D:\FACULTATE\Materiale facultate 2023-2024\LFTC\Labs\Lab8>gcc lex.yy.c

# Running the Program:

Run the compiled program by providing an input file as an argument:

```
a.exe p1.txt
Or
a.exe p2.txt
Or
a.exe p3.txt
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Replace p1.txt with the path to your desired input file.

# 4. Token Recognition

#### Reserved Words

Recognizes reserved keywords such as read, write, if, else, whileLoop, forLoop, boolean, int, double, string.

# **Operators**

Identifies arithmetic and relational operators: +, -, \*, /, %, <, <=, ==, !=, >=, >,=.

# Separators

Recognizes separators including {, }, [, ], (, ), ...:

#### **Identifiers**

Matches identifiers according to the regular expression [a-zA-Z\_][a-zA-Z0-9\_]\*.

## **Integer Constants**

Matches integer constants using the regular expression  $0|[-]?[1-9][0-9]^*$ .

## **String Constants**

Recognizes string constants enclosed in double quotes, e.g., "Hello, World!", using the regular expression [\"][a-zA-Z0-9]\*[\"]

#### **Double Constants**

Matches double constants using the regular expression [-]?[1-9][0-9]\*([.][0-9]+)|[-]?0[.][0-9]+

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deserved words: int
dentifier array
leparator: [
integer constant: 1
  parator: ,
iteger constant: 2
eparator: ,
nteger constant: 3
eparator: ,
nteger constant: 4
eparator: ,
nteger constant: 5
eparator: ]
eparator: ;
eserved words: int
dentifier i
eparator: ;
     erved words: int
entifier sum
   parator: ;
served words: int
entifier n
    parator: ;
served words: double
entifier average
     arator: ;
ntifier i
  perator: =
nteger constant: 0
eparator: ;
dentifier sum
 perator: =
nteger constant: 0
eparator: ;
  lentifier n
   erator: =
teger constant: 5
   parator: ;
served words: whileLoop
   parator: (
entifier i
erator: <
entifier n
   parator: )
parator: {
entifier sum
       rator: =
ntifier sum
    erator: +
entifier array
   entifier armay
parator: [
entifier i
erator: +
teger constant: 1
parator: ;
entifier i
entifier i
```