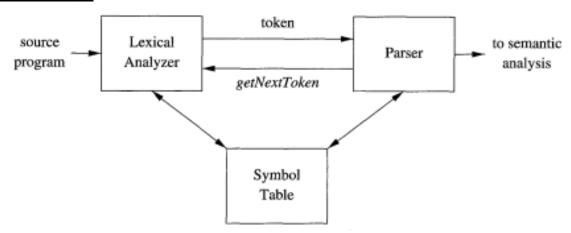
# **Compiler Design**

## **Lexical Analysis**



As the first phase of a compiler, the main task of the lexical analyser:

- a. read the input characters of the source program, for eg. i', n', i', n', i', i',
- b. group them into lexemes. For eg. int main() ...
- c. produce as output a sequence of tokens for each lexeme in the source program. For eg. <int>, <id,1>, ...
- d. The stream of tokens is sent to the parser for syntax analysis.
- e. the lexical analyzer may keep track of the number of newline characters seen, so it can associate a line number with each error message.
- f. If the source program uses a macro-preprocessor, the expansion of macros may also be performed by the lexical analyser. For eg.

#include<stdio.h> ===> File Inclusion #define x = 6; ===> macro expansion

#### Tokens, Patterns, and Lexemes

- **1.** A token is a pair consisting of a token name and an optional attribute value, i.e. <token-name, attribute-value>. The token name is an abstract symbol representing a kind of lexical unit, e.g., a particular keyword, or a sequence of input characters denoting an identifier. The token names are the input symbols that the parser processes. Eg. int x = a b + c
- **2.** A *lexeme* is a sequence of characters in the source program that matches the **pattern** for a token and is identified by the lexical analyzer as an instance of that token.
- **3.** A pattern is a description of the form that the lexemes of a token may take.
  - a. keywords: sequence of characters
  - **b.** identifiers: starts with any alphabet or an underscore followed by any number of alphanumeric characters. For eg. abc, \_abc123
  - **c.** numbers: any sequence of digits where each digit can be from 0 to 9.
- **d.** Operators: [+,-,\*,/....]

TOKEN	Informal Description Sample Lexen	
if	characters i, f	if
else	characters e, 1, s, e	else
comparison	< or > or <= or >= or == or !=	<=, !=
id	letter followed by letters and digits	pi, score, D2
$\mathbf{number}$	any numeric constant 3.14159, 0, 6.02	
literal	anything but ", surrounded by "'s	"core dumped"

Q1. Find the number of tokens in the following:

```
a. main(){
    printf("cd");
    // prints the message
}
main, (,), { , printf, (, "cd", ),;, } → 10 tokens
b. while(i>0){
    printf(i);
    i++;
    }
    while, (, i,>,0,),{,printf,(,i,), ;, i, ++,;, } → 16 tokens
c. char *(a+5) = "abcd"; → 10 Tokens
d. char a[5] = "abcd"; → char *(a+5) = "abcd";
e. int a[5][4]; → int *(*(a+5)+4);
```

#### **Input Buffering**

- a. lexemeBegin pointer: points to the beginning character of the current lexeme
- **b. forward pointer:** Initially points to the beginning of the current lexeme. Advances forward as the LA scans the source program.

For eg

int main() {}

Once the next lexeme is determined, forward is set to the character at its right end.

lexemeBegin

i n t m a i n ( ) { }

forward

After the lexeme is recorded as an attribute value of a token returned to the parser, lexemeBegin is set to the character immediately after the lexeme just found.



reading a character from hard disk/secondary memory → one system call entire source program → system calls will be as many as the number of characters in the source program

System calls are costly and put burden on the system.

#### **Buffering**

Instead of reading one character at a time, a block of characters is read into a buffer at a time using only one system call.

Buffering is implemented using:

- a. One buffer system: only one buffer is used. **Disadvantage**: Overwriting
- b. Two buffer system: Two buffers are used. If the first buffer is full, then only the second buffer will be used and filled. If fewer than N(size of buffer) character remains in the input, eof is used. eof marks the end of source file or end of input stream and it also specifies the end of the buffer. eof→sentinel character

```
switch (*forward++) {
    case eof:
        if (forward is at end of first buffer ) {
            reload second buffer;
            forward = beginning of second buffer;
        }
        else if (forward is at end of second buffer ) {
            reload first buffer;
            forward = beginning of first buffer;
        }
        else /* eof within a buffer marks the end of input */
            terminate lexical analysis;
        break;
        Cases for the other characters
}
```

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#### **Specification of Tokens**

- a. **Symbol**: Any character
- b. Alphabet: An alphabet is any finite set of symbols. Typical examples of symbols are

letters:{a,b,c,d}, digits:{1,2,3,4}, and

punctuation: {,.'}.

The set  $\{0,1\}$  is the binary alphabet

ASCII is an important example of an alphabet.

c. **Strings**: A string over an alphabet is a finite sequence of symbols drawn from that alphabet.

w1 = abcd

w2 = 123

|w| or  $|s| \rightarrow$  length of the string

The empty string, denoted  $\epsilon$ , is the string of length zero

d. Language: Any countable set of strings over some alphabets.

Denoted by,  $L = \{ \dots \}$  for eg.

Empty set, { <sup>€</sup>}

 $L = \{a,aa,ab,bb\} \rightarrow a+b^*$ 

Language with empty string,  $L=\{E\}$ ,  $E \rightarrow$  empty string

Set of syntactically well-formed C program

Set of grammatically correct English language

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### **Operations on Strings**

- 1. A **prefix** of string s is any string obtained by removing zero or more symbols from the end of s. For example, ban, banana, and E are prefixes of banana.
- 2. A **suffix** of string s is any string obtained by removing zero or more symbols from the beginning of s. For example, nana, banana, and E are suffixes of banana.
- 3. A **substring** of s is obtained by deleting any prefix and any suffix from s. For instance, banana, nan, and E are substrings of banana.
- 4. The proper prefixes, suffixes, and substrings of a string s are those, prefixes, suffixes, and substrings, respectively, of s that are not E or not equal to s itself.
- 5. A **subsequence** of s is any string formed by deleting zero or more not necessarily consecutive positions of s. For example, baan is a subsequence of banana
- 6. **Concatenation**: If x and y are strings, the concatenation of x and y is denoted by 'xy', i.e. the string y is appended after x. For eg.

```
x = PSIT, y = Kanpur
xy = PSITKanpur
```

Empty string is identity under concatenation, i.e. for any string s, E.s = s.E = s

7. **Exponentiation**: if  $S^0 = E$  & for all i>0, define  $S^i$  to be  $S^{i-1}$ .

$$S^1 = S^0.S = E.S = S$$
  
 $S^2 = S^1.S = SS$ 

$$S^3 = S^2.S = SSS$$

- 8. Reverse of a String: w = abc,  $w^R = cba$ ,  $w \rightarrow String$
- 9. Length of a String:  $|s| \rightarrow$  Length of String

Length of empty string is 0

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## **Operations on Languages**

OPERATION 1	DEFINITION AND NOTATION	
$Union  ext{ of } L  ext{ and } M$	$L \cup M = \{s \mid s \text{ is in } L \text{ or } s \text{ is in } M\}$	
$Concatenation  ext{ of } L  ext{ and } M$	$LM = \{ st \mid s \text{ is in } L \text{ and } t \text{ is in } M \}$	
Kleene closure of L	$L^* = \bigcup_{i=0}^{\infty} L^i$	
Positive closure of $L$	$L^+ = \cup_{i=1}^{\infty} L^i$	

a. Union:

$$L = \{a,b,c\} M = \{d,e,f\}$$

$$L U M = \{a,b,c,d,e,f\}$$

$$L = \{a,b,c\} M = \{a,d,e,f\}$$

$$L U M = \{a,b,c,d,e,f\}$$

b. Concatenation:

$$L = \{ a, b, ab, ba \} M = \{a, b\}$$

$$L.M = LM = \{ aa,ba,aba,baa,ab,bb,abb,bab \}$$

c. Kleene Closure:

 $L^0$  = Set of strings of length 0

 $L^1$  = Set of strings of length 1

 $L^2$  = Set of strings of length 2

Kleene Closure = 
$$L^0$$
 U  $L^1$  U  $L^2$  U  $L^3$  U  $L^4$  ...

$$L = \{a,b\}$$

$$L^* = \{E, a,b,aa,bb,ab,ba \dots\}$$

d. Positive Closure:

```
L^1 = Set of strings of length 1

L^2 = Set of strings of length 2

Positive Closure = L^1 U L^2 U L^3 U L^4 ...

L = \{a,b\}

L^+ = \{a,b,aa,bb,ab,ba ...\}
```

Eg.

Let L be the set of letters  $\{A, B, ..., Z, a, b, ..., z\}$  and let D be the set of digits  $\{0,1,...9\}$ 

- a. LUD is the set of letters and digits
- b. LD is the set of 520 strings of length two, each consisting of one letter followed by one digit
- c.  $L^4$  is the set of all 4-letter strings.
- d. L\* is the set of all strings of letters, including E, the empty string.
- e. L(LUD)\*: identifers(abc, abc123,..), int

#### **Regular Expression**

a. Ways to represent the regular language.

b. It is an expression of string and operators

Operations

i. \*: Kleene Closure

ii. +: Positive Closure

iii. .: Concatenation

iv. + or |: Union

**BASIS**: There are two rules that form the basis:

```
a. \varepsilon is RE, L(\varepsilon) = { \varepsilon }
b. a is RE, L = {a}
```

**Induction:** There are four parts to the induction whereby larger regular expressions are built from smaller ones. Suppose r and s are regular expressions denoting languages L(r) and L(s), respectively.

- 1. (r)|(s) is a regular expression denoting the language L(r) U L(s)
- 2. (r)(s) is a regular expression denoting the language L(r).L(s)
- 3. (r)\* is a regular expression denoting (L(r)) \*
- 4. (r) is a regular expression denoting L(r). This last rule says that we can add additional pairs of parentheses around expressions without changing the language they denote.

Eg.

Define language for given RE:

```
\begin{array}{lll} a. & (a|b) & : L(a) = \{a\}, L(b) = \{b\}; L(a) \ U \ L(b); L = \{a,b\} \\ b. & (a+b)(a+b) : & : L = \{aa,ab,bb,ba\} \\ c. & (a|b)(a|b)(a|b) & : L = \{aaaa, aaab,aabb,...\} \\ d. & (a|b)^* & : L = \{\epsilon, a,b,aa,bb,ab,ba,...\} \\ e. & (a^*b^*)^* & : L = \{\epsilon,a,b,aa,aab,...\} \\ f. & a|a^*b & : L = \{a,b,ab,aa,aab,...\} \end{array}
```

#### **Regular Definitions**

- a. It is the name given to a regular expression.
- b. regular definition is a sequence of definitions of the form:

optionalExponent  $\rightarrow$  (E sign digits) |  $\varepsilon$ 

```
d_i \rightarrow r_i
             roll_number → (Year_of_study).(college_code).(branch_code).(serial_number)
             phone_number → country_code.area_code.unique_number
i.
              letter_{-} \rightarrow |A|B|C|D...|Z|a|b|c|d|...|z|
                 digit \rightarrow 0/1/2/3/4/.../9
                   id → letter_(letter_ / digit)*
ii.
                        digit \rightarrow 0/1/2/3/4/.../9
                        digits → digit digit*
           optionalFraction \rightarrow .digits / \varepsilon
          optionalExponent \rightarrow (E(+/-/\varepsilon)digits) / \varepsilon
          unsignednumber → digits optionalFraction optionalExponent
iii.
                          sign \rightarrow +/-/\varepsilon
                        digit \rightarrow 0/1/2/3/4/.../9
                       digits → digit digit*
           optionalFraction \rightarrow .digits / \varepsilon
```

#### **Extension of Regular Expression**

a. One or more instances: positive closure of RE. If r is RE, then  $(r)^+$  denotes the language  $(L(r))^+$ 

signednumber → sign digits optionalFraction optionalExponent

$$r^+ = r.r^*;$$
 $r^* = r^+ / \varepsilon$ 

b. Zero or one instance: ?

$$r? = r/\varepsilon$$

c. Character classes: A regular expression  $a_1/a_2|\dots|a_n$ , where  $a_i$ 's are each symbols of the alphabet, can be written as the shorthand  $[a_1a_2...a_n]$ 

$$sign \rightarrow [+-]?$$

$$digit \rightarrow [0-9]$$

$$letter_{\rightarrow} [A-Za-z_{-}]$$

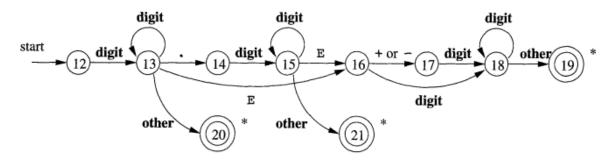
i. 
$$letter_{\rightarrow} [\_A-Za-z]$$
  
 $digit_{\rightarrow} [0-9]$   
 $id_{\rightarrow} letter_{\rightarrow} [digit]^*$ 

```
ii. digit \rightarrow [0-9]
digits \rightarrow digit^+
optionalFraction \rightarrow .digits?
optionalExponent \rightarrow (E[+-]?)digits)?
unsignednumber \rightarrow digits optionalFraction optionalExponent

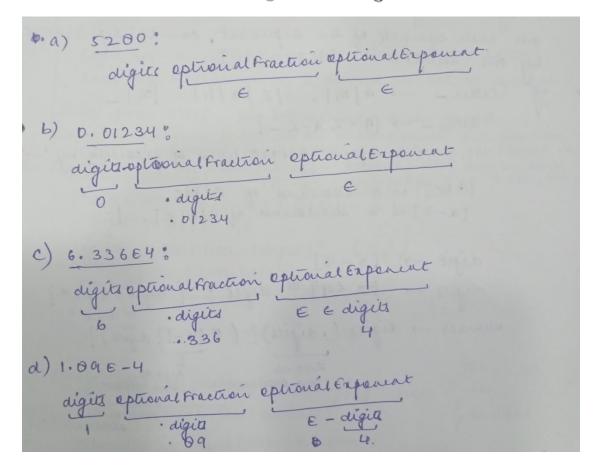
iii. sign \rightarrow [+-]?
digit \rightarrow [0-9]
digits \rightarrow digit^+
optionalFraction \rightarrow (.digits)?
```

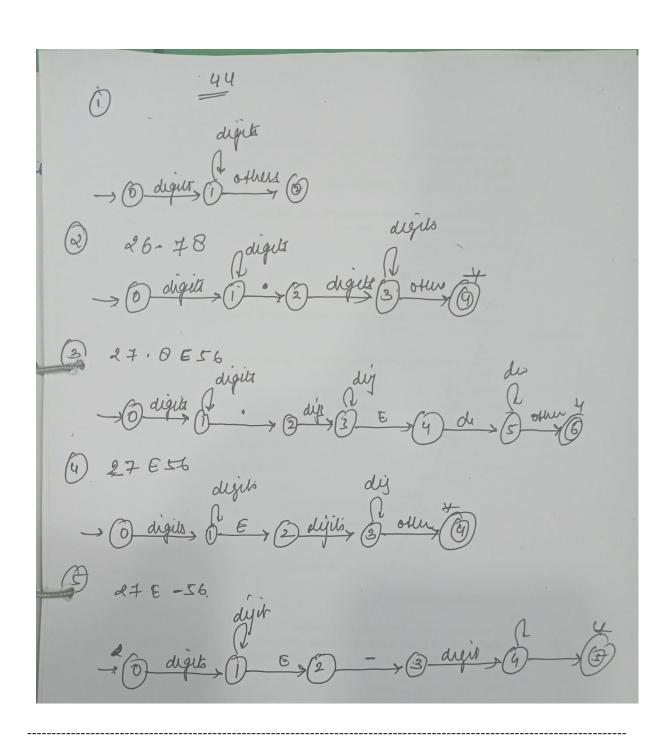
optionalExponent → (E sign digits)?

signednumber → digits optionalFraction optionalExponent



A transition diagram for unsigned numbers





## **Recognition of Tokens**

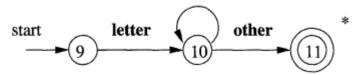
Transition diagrams: state, transitions

## a. Recognition of identifiers:

letter 
$$\rightarrow$$
 [\_A-Za-z]  
digit  $\rightarrow$  [0-9]  
id  $\rightarrow$  letter (letter | digits)\*

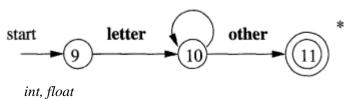
int no\_Of\_Books= 9

## letter or digit



## b. Recognition of an keywords/reserved words:

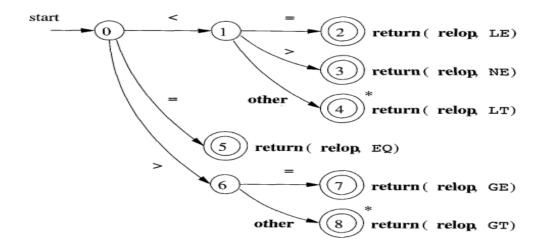
## letter or digit



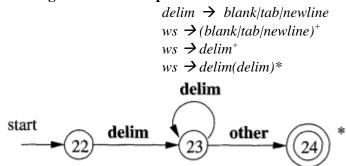


then else int

## c. Recognition of relational operators:



## d. Recognition of Whitespaces:



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## **Construction of NFA from Regular expression**

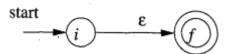
**Algorithm:** The McNaughton-Yamada-Thompson algorithm to convert a regular expression to an NFA

**INPUT:** A regular expression r over alphabet  $\sum$ .

**OUTPUT:** An NFA **N** accepting L(r).

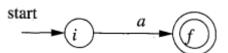
**BASIS:** For regular expression  $\varepsilon$ , construct the NFA

$$r = \varepsilon$$
; L(r) = {  $\varepsilon$  }



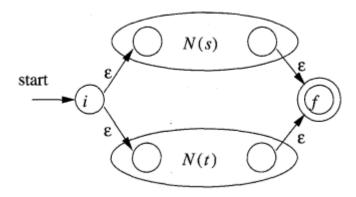
For any regular expression a in  $\Sigma$ , construct the NFA

$$r = a ; L(r) = \{a\}$$

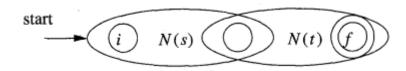


**INDUCTION**: Suppose N(s) and N(t) are NFA's for regular expressions s and t, respectively.

a. Suppose r = s / t



## b. Suppose r = st



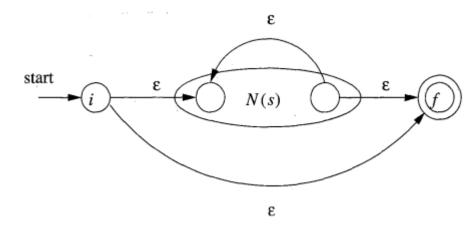
c. Suppose  $r = s^*$ 

$$3 = 3$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}$$

$$x. \epsilon. x = xx$$

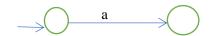
$$x. \epsilon . x. \epsilon. x = xxx$$

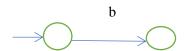


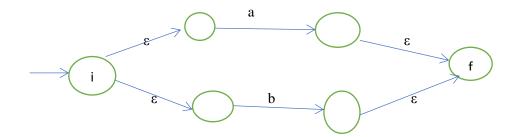
$$r = s^*$$
;  $L(r) = \{ \epsilon, s,ss,sss,... \}$ 

For eg.

i. 
$$(a|b); L(r)=\{a,b\}$$

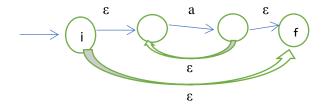


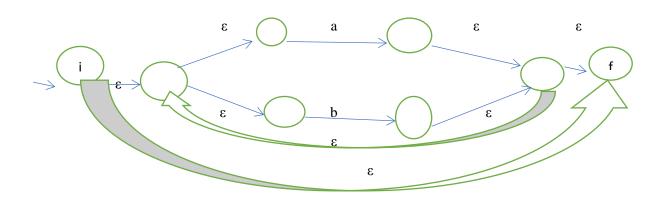




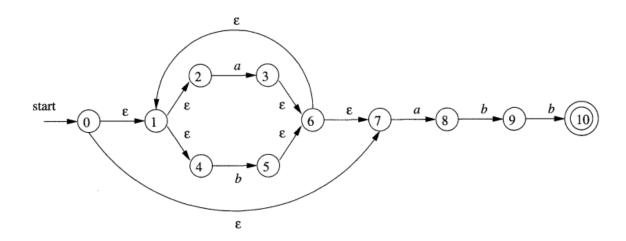


iii.  $a^*: L(r) = \{ \epsilon, a, aa, ... \}$ 





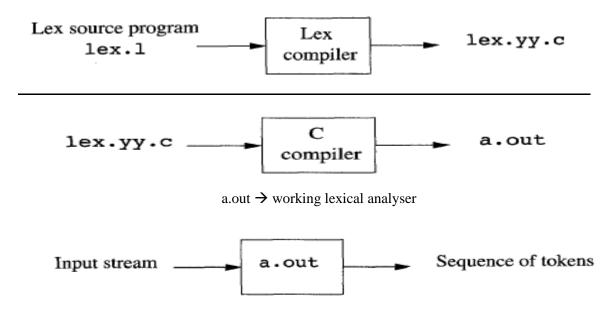
v. (a|b)\*abb



vi.(a|b) \*(abb)\*

### The Lexical-Analyzer Generator (Lex)

Lex Source Program: C code + regular definitions/regular expressions and the actions to be taken based on REs.



#### **Structure of Lex Source Program:**

- a. Declaration
- b. Translation rules
- c. Auxiliary Functions
- **Declarations**: includes:
  - C variables, constants
  - C header file Inclusion ii.
  - iii. Regular definitions
  - iv. Written as

% {

C language source program

%} regular definitions

Eg., % { #include<stdio.h> int a,b; const float count = 0; % } Letter [A-Za-z] Digit [0-9]

**Note:** Any code written within % { % } is directly copied into the lex.yy.c file and it is not treated as regular definition.

b. Translation Rules: It has the following form:

```
%%
Pattern {action}
Pattern1 {action1}
Pattern2 {action2}
Pattern3 {actions3}
%%

Pattern: regular expression/set of rules
Action: C language statement

Eg. [0-9] { printf("Digits found); }
```

**c. Auxiliary Functions:** additional functions and are compiled separately and loaded with lexical analyzer.

```
% { % } %% %% Auxiliary functions
```

Q1. Write a lex program for recognition of lowercase and uppercase letters in given word.

## Q2. Write a lex program to count vowels and consonants.

```
% {
        #include<stdio.h>
        int v=0, c=0;
% }
vow [aeiouAEIOU]
con \quad [a\text{-}zA\text{-}Z^{\wedge}a|e|i|o|u|A|E|I|O|U]
 %%
{vow} {v++;}
{con} {c++;}
%%
int main(){
printf("Enter the String");
yylex();
printf("%dTotal Vowels: ",v);
printf("%dTotal Consonants: ",c);
}
```

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#### **Converting ε-NFA to DFA Conversion**

A Deterministic Finite Automaton (DFA) has at most one edge from each state for a given symbol and is a suitable basis for a transition table. We need to eliminate the  $\varepsilon$ -transitions by subset construction.

#### **Definitions**

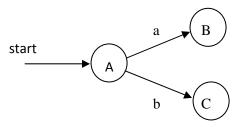
Consider a single state s. Consider a set of states T

Operation	Description	
ε-closure(s)	Set of NFA states reachable from NFA state s on ε-transitions alone	
ε-closure(T)	Set of NFA states reachable from set of states <b>T</b> on ε-transitions alone	
move(T,a)	Set of states to which there is a transition on input symbol <b>a</b> from some NFA state in <b>T</b>	

We have as input the set of N states. We generate as output a set of D states in a DFA. Theoretically an NFA with  $\bf n$  states can generate a DFA with  $\bf 2^n$  states.

#### **Start the Conversion**

- 1. Begin with the start state 0 and calculate  $\varepsilon$ -closure(0).
  - a. the set of states reachable by  $\varepsilon$ -transitions which includes 0 itself is { 0,1,2,4,7}. This defines a new state A in the DFA  $A = \{0,1,2,4,7\}$
- 2. We must now find the states that A connects to. There are two symbols in the language (a, b) so in the DFA we expect only two edges: from A on a and from A on b. Call these states B and C:



We find B and C in the following way:

#### Find the state B that has an edge on a from A

**a.** start with A $\{0,1,2,4,7\}$ . Find which states in A have states reachable by **a** transitions. This set is called move(A,a) The set is  $\{3,8\}$ :

$$move(A,a) = \{3,8\}$$

b. now do an ε-closure on **move(A,a)**. Find all the states in **move(A,a)** which are reachable with ε-transitions. We have 3 and 8 to consider. Starting with 3 we can get to 3 and 6 and from 6 to 1 and 7, and from 1 to 2 and 4. Starting with 8 we can get to

8 only. So the complete set is 
$$\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}$$
. So  $\varepsilon$ -
closure(move(A,a)) = **B** =  $\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}$ 

This defines the new state B that has an edge on a from A

#### Find the state C that has an edge on b from A

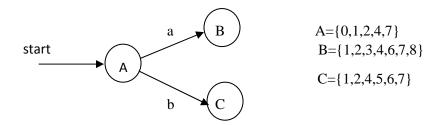
**C.** start with A $\{0,1,2,4,7\}$ . Find which states in A have states reachable by **b** transitions. This set is called move(A,b) The set is  $\{5\}$ :

$$move(A,b) = \{5\}$$

d. now do an  $\varepsilon$ -closure on  $\mathbf{move}(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{b})$ . Find all the states in  $\mathbf{move}(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{b})$  which are reachable with  $\varepsilon$ -transitions. We have only state 5 to consider. From 5 we can get to

5, 6, 7, 1, 2, 4. So the complete set is 
$$\{1,2,4,5,6,7\}$$
. So  $\varepsilon$ -
closure(move(A,a)) =  $\mathbf{C} = \{1,2,4,5,6,7\}$ 

This defines the new state C that has an edge on **b** from A

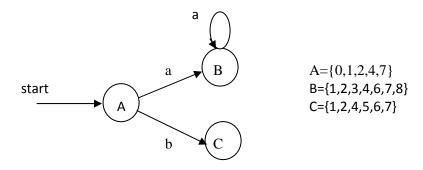


Now that we have B and C we can move on to find the states that have **a** and **b** transitions from B and C.

#### Find the state that has an edge on a from B

- **e.** start with B $\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}$ . Find which states in B have states reachable by **a** transitions. This set is called move(B,a) The set is  $\{3,8\}$ : **move**(B,a) =  $\{3,8\}$
- f. now do an ε-closure on **move**(**B**,**a**). Find all the states in **move**(**B**,**a**) which are reachable with ε-transitions. We have 3 and 8 to consider. Starting with 3 we can get to 3 and 6 and from 6 to 1 and 7, and from 1 to 2 and 4. Starting with 8 we can get to
- 8 only. So the complete set is {1,2,3,4,6,7,8}. So ε-closure(move(A,a)) = {1,2,3,4,6,7,8}

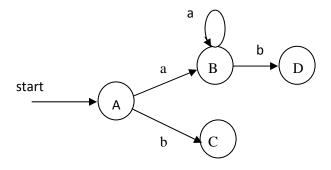
which is the same as the state B itself. In other words, we have a repeating edge to B:



#### Find the state D that has an edge on b from B

- g. start with B{1,2,3,4,6,7,8}. Find which states in B have states reachable by **b** transitions. This set is called move(B,b) The set is  $\{5,9\}$ : **move**(B,b) =  $\{5,9\}$
- h. now do an  $\varepsilon$ -closure on **move**(**B,b**). Find all the states in **move**(**B,b**) which are reachable with  $\varepsilon$ -transitions. From 5 we can get to 5, 6, 7, 1, 2, 4. From 9 we get to 9 itself. So the complete set is  $\{1,2,4,5,6,7,9\}$ . So  $\varepsilon$ -closure(move(B,a)) = **D** =  $\{1,2,4,5,6,7,9\}$  This defines the new state D that has an edge on **b** from B

$$A = \{0,1,2,4,7\}, B = \{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}, C = \{1,2,4,5,6,7\}, D\{1,2,4,5,6,7,9\}$$



#### Find the state that has an edge on a from D

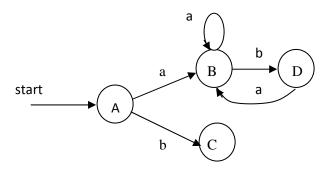
i. start with D{1,2,4,5,6,7,9}. Find which states in D have states reachable by a transitions. This set is called move(D,a) The set is {3,8}:  $move(D,a) = \{3,8\}$ 

j. now do an ε-closure on **move(D,a)**. Find all the states in **move(B,a)** which are reachable with ε-transitions. We have 3 and 8 to consider. Starting with 3 we can get to 3 and 6 and from 6 to 1 and 7, and from 1 to 2 and 4. Starting with 8 we can get to

8 only. So the complete set is  $\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}$ . So  $\epsilon$ -closure(move(D,a)) =  $\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}$  =B

This is a return edge to B:

 $A=\{0,1,2,4,7\}, B=\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}, C=\{1,2,4,5,6,7\}, D\{1,2,4,5,6,7,9\}$ 



#### Find the state E that has an edge on b from D

- **k.** start with D{1,2,4,5,6,7,9}. Find which states in D have states reachable by **b** transitions. This set is called move(B,b) The set is  $\{5,10\}$ : **move(D,b)** =  $\{5,10\}$
- I. now do an ε-closure on **move(D,b)**. Find all the states in **move(D,b)** which are reachable with ε-transitions. From 5 we can get to 5, 6, 7, 1, 2, 4. From 10 we get to

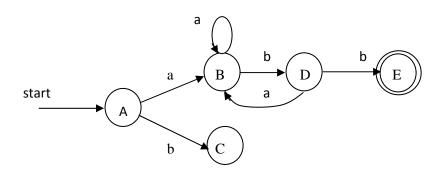
10 itself. So the complete set is  $\{1,2,4,5,6,7,10\}$ . So

 $\epsilon$ -closure(move(D,b) = **E** = {1,2,4,5,6,7,10}

This defines

the new state E that has an edge on **b** from D. **Since it contains an accepting state, it is also an accepting state**.

$$A=\{0,1,2,4,7\}, B=\{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}, C=\{1,2,4,5,6,7\}, D=\{1,2,4,5,6,7,9\}, E=\{1,2,4,5,6,7,10\}$$



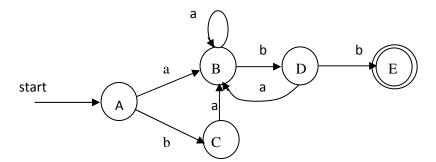
We should now examine state C

#### Find the state that has an edge on a from C

m. start with  $C\{1,2,4,5,6,7\}$ . Find which states in C have states reachable by a transition. This set is called move(C,a) The set is  $\{3,8\}$ : **move**(C,a) =  $\{3,8\}$ 

we have seen this before. It's the state B

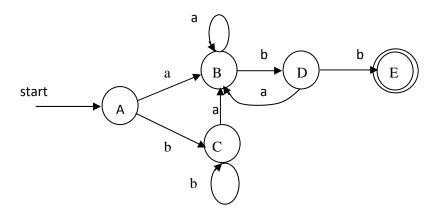
 $A = \{0,1,2,4,7\}, B = \{1,2,3,4,6,7,8\}, C = \{1,2,4,5,6,7\}, D = \{1,2,4,5,6,7,9\}, E = \{1,2,4,5,6,7,10\}$ 



#### Find the state that has an edge on b from C

- **n.** start with  $C\{1,2,4,5,6,7\}$ . Find which states in C have states reachable by **b** transitions. This set is called move(C,b) The set is  $\{5\}$ : **move**(C,b) =  $\{5\}$
- O. now do an ε-closure on **move**( $\mathbf{C}$ ,**b**). Find all the states in **move**( $\mathbf{C}$ ,**b**) which are reachable with ε-transitions. From 5 we can get to 5,6,7,1,2,4. which is C itself So ε-closure(move( $\mathbf{C}$ ,b)) =  $\mathbf{C}$

This defines a loop on C

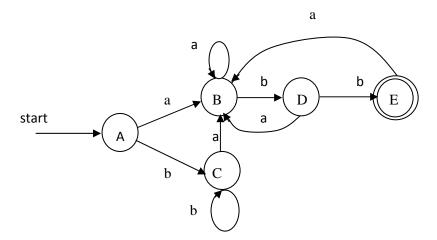


Finally, we need to look at E. Although this is an accepting state, the regular expression allows us to repeat adding in more a's and b's as long as we return to the accepting E state finally. So

## Find the state that has an edge on a from E

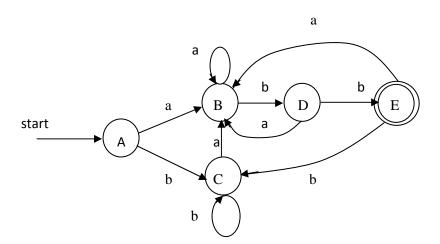
p. start with  $E\{1,2,4,5,6,7,10\}$ . Find which states in E have states reachable by **a** transitions. This set is called move(E,a) The set is  $\{3,8\}$ :

$$move(E,a) = \{3,8\}$$



### Find the state that has an edge on b from E

q. start with  $E\{1,2,4,5,6,7,10\}$ . Find which states in E have states reachable by **b** transitions. This set is called move(E,b) The set is  $\{5\}$ : **move**(**A,b**) =  $\{5\}$  We've seen this before. It's C. <u>Finally</u>



That's it! There is only one edge from each state for a given input character. It's a DFA. Disregard the fact that each of these states is actually a group of NFA states. We can regard them as single states in the DFA. In fact it also requires **other** as an edge beyond E leading to the ultimate accepting state. Also the DFA is not yet optimized (there can be less states).

However, we can make the transition table so far. Here it is:

State	Input a	Input <b>b</b>
A	В	С
В	В	D
С	В	C
D	В	Е
Е	В	С

#### **Minimization of DFA(Partitioning Method)**

Suppose p, q are two different states and are said to be equivalent iff,

- a. move(p,w) = s and s belongs to F and move(q,w) = t and t also belongs to F, where F is a set of final states
- b. move(p,w) = a and a does not belongs to F and move(q,w) = b and b also does not belongs to F, where F is a set of final states.

Suppose p, q are two different states and are said to be non-equivalent or distinguishable iff,

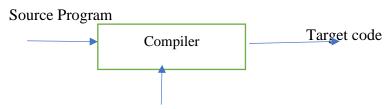
a. move(p,w) = n and n belongs to F and move(q,w) = m and m does not belongs to F, where F is a set of final states

Examples in separate PDF file

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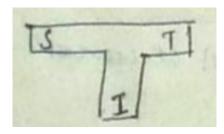
## **Bootstraping**

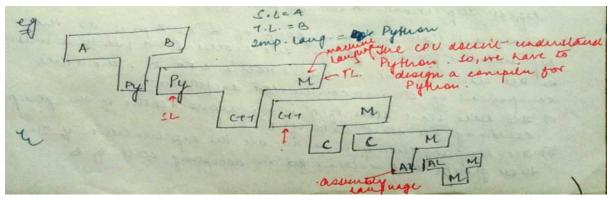
- It is a process for designing the compiler by which simple language is used to translate more complicated program which may than handle more complicated programs.
- Any compiler can be represented by three languages:
  - Source language
  - Target language
  - Implementation language



Implementation Language

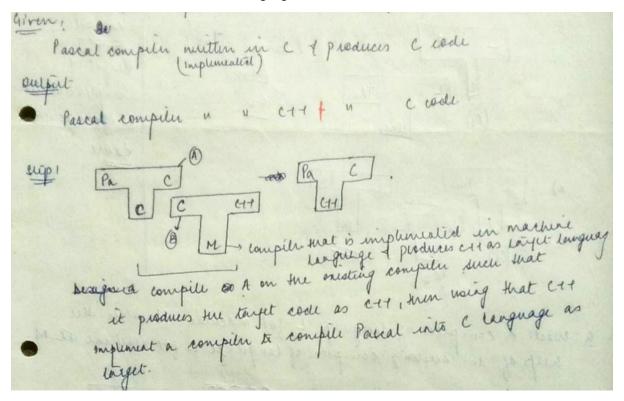
Compilation process can be represented using T-diagram:





#### **Types of Compilers**

- **Self-hosted compilers**: Source language and implementation language are same. Eg. C language
- Native compilers: target language and implementation language are same.
- Cross compilers: Run on one machine and produces target code of another machine.
- **Transcompiler**: A transcompiler, also called a source-to-source compiler or transpiler, is a special type of compiler that converts a program's source code into another language. It can also process a program written in an older version of a programming language, converting it to a newer version of the same language.



## **Chomsky's Classification of Grammars**

$$G=(V, T, P, S)$$

V = Set of variables or non-terminal

T= Set of Terminals

P= Set of production

S= Start symbol

## **Type 3 Grammar**

- a. Regular grammar.
- b. Generates regular language.
- c. Accepted by finite automata.
- d. It can be either right linear or left linear but not both.

$$A \rightarrow \alpha B | \beta$$

A,B € V

 $\alpha, \beta \in T$ 

 $A \rightarrow \alpha B | \beta$  [Right linear]

$$|A| = |B| = 1$$

 $A \rightarrow B\alpha | \beta$  [Left Linear]

## Eg.

- i. A→ aB|a
  - $B \rightarrow aB|bB|a|b$

Right Linear

- ii. A→ Ba|a
  - B→ Ba
  - $B \rightarrow bB |a|b$

Not a regular grammar because it is left as well as right linear.

#### **Type 2 Grammar:**

- a. Context Free Grammar
- b. Generates CFL
- c. Accepted by PDA
- d.  $A \rightarrow \alpha$ , |A| = 1 and  $A \in V$ ,  $\alpha \in (V \cup T)^*$

Eg.

 $A \rightarrow aAb \mid ab \mid \epsilon$ 

A == > aabb

A ==> ab

- e. CFG can be:
  - i. Ambiguous & Non-Ambiguous
  - ii. Left recursive & Right recursive
  - iii. Deterministic & Non-deterministic

## Type 1 Grammar:

- a. Context-Sensitive Grammar
- b. Generates CSL
- c. Accepted by Linear-Bound Automata
- d.  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ ,  $\alpha \in (VUT)^*V(VUT)^*$ ,  $\beta \in (VUT)^+$
- e. RHS cannot have  $\varepsilon$
- f.  $|\alpha| \leq |\beta|$ 
  - e.g. A $\rightarrow$   $\epsilon$

#### **Type 0 Grammar:**

- a. Unrestricted Grammar/Recursively Enumerable Grammar
- b. Generates REL
- c. Accepted by Turing machine
- d.  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ ,  $\alpha \in (VUT)^*V(VUT)^*$ ,  $\beta \in (VUT)^*$
- e. RHS can have  $\epsilon$

## **Context-Free Grammar**

1. **Ambiguous & Non-Ambiguous:** For a given string, if there is left-derivation tree as well as right-derivation tree then the grammar is ambiguous else non-ambiguous.

Or

For a given string, if there is left most derivation as well as right most derivation possible then the grammar is ambiguous else non-ambiguous.

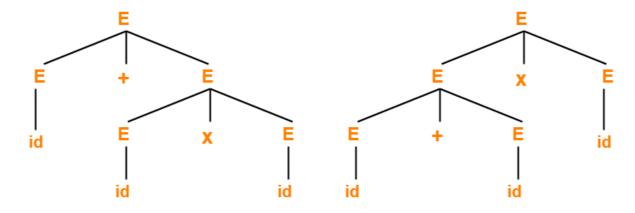
$$E \rightarrow E + E \mid E * E \mid id, w = id + id * id$$

#### Left Most Derivation

- $E \Longrightarrow E + E$
- E ==> id + E
- $E \Longrightarrow id + E * E$
- E ==> id + id \* E
- $E \Longrightarrow id + id * id$

#### Right Most Derivation

- E = > E + E
- E = > E + E \* E
- E ==> E + E \* id
- E ==> E + id \* id
- E ==> id + id \* id



Parse Tree-02

 $id + id \times id$ 

id + id + id

(2+3)+4

id + id - id

(2+3)-4

 $(2+3) \times 4 =$ 

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$id + id \times id$			
$2 + (3 \times 4) = 1$	4		

$$id + id + id$$

$$2 + (3 + 4)$$

$$id + id - id$$

$$2 + (3 - 4)$$

$$1d + 1d \times 1d$$

 $id + id \times id \rightarrow$  Precedence not taken under consideration id + id + id → Associativity not taken under consideration

#### Note:

- i. To construct a parser, we should first check if the grammar is ambiguous or not.
- ii. If the grammar is ambiguous, then the parser gets confused out of the two, which derivation tree should be used. So, we need to remove the ambiguity.
- iii. There is no algorithm for finding whether the grammar is ambiguous nor to convert the ambiguous grammar to non-ambiguous grammar. The only way is to use hit and trial approach.
- Q. Find whether the following grammar is ambiguous or not.

i. 
$$S \rightarrow aS|Sa|a, w = aa$$

ii. S 
$$\rightarrow$$
 aSbS|bSaS| $\epsilon$ , w= abab

iii. R 
$$\rightarrow$$
 R+R|RR|R\*|a|b|c, w= a + bc

#### **Disambiguity rules:**

Disambiguity rules are required because precedence and associativity of the operator is to be maintained.

To make the grammar unambiguous, we must take care of the associativity and precedence.

$$E \rightarrow E + id$$

$$E \rightarrow id$$

```
w = id + id + id + id
((id + id) + id) + id
```

For left associativity, the left most symbol of the RHS must be same as the LHS and the grammar is left recursive.

$$\mathbf{E} \rightarrow \mathbf{E} + \mathrm{id}$$

 $E \rightarrow id$ 

 $E \rightarrow id + E$ 

 $E \rightarrow id$ 

w = id + id + id + id

$$id + ((id + id) + id)$$

For right associativity, the right-most symbol of the RHS must be same as the LHS and the grammar is right recursive.

 $\mathbf{E} \rightarrow \mathrm{id} + \mathbf{E}$ 

 $E \rightarrow id$ 

 $E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$ 

 $T \rightarrow T * F | F$ 

 $F \rightarrow id$ 

w = id + id \* id or id \* id + id

E ==> E + T

 $E \Longrightarrow T + T$ 

 $E \Longrightarrow F + T$ 

 $E \Longrightarrow id + T$ 

E ==> id + T \* F

E ==> id + F \* F

 $E \Longrightarrow id + id * F$ 

 $E \Longrightarrow id + id * id$ 

The highest precedence operator must be farthest from the start symbol and the operator must be at last level

 $E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$ 

 $T \rightarrow T * F \mid F$ 

 $F \rightarrow G ** F \mid G$ 

 $G \rightarrow id$ 

 $E \rightarrow T + E \mid T$ 

 $T \rightarrow T * F | F$ 

 $F \rightarrow F ** G \mid G$ 

 $G \rightarrow id$ 

#### 2. Left-recursive & Right-recursive Grammar

If the grammar is left recursive, it takes the form  $A \rightarrow A\alpha \mid \beta$ 

If the grammar is right recursive, it takes the form A  $\rightarrow \alpha A \mid \beta$ 

Problem with left recursive grammar,

```
A \rightarrow A\alpha \mid \beta
A=> A\alpha
A=> A\alpha\alpha
A=> A\alpha\alpha\alpha
A=> A\alpha\alpha
A=> A\alpha
A=>
```

## **Removing Left Recursion**

Top-down parsers do not work on the grammar that is left recursive. It is important to remove left recursion without changing the grammar.

**Algorithm 4.19:** Eliminating left recursion.

**INPUT**: Grammar G with no cycles or  $\epsilon$ -productions.

**OUTPUT**: An equivalent grammar with no left recursion.

**METHOD**: Apply the algorithm in Fig. 4.11 to G. Note that the resulting non-left-recursive grammar may have  $\epsilon$ -productions.  $\square$ 

```
1)
          arrange the nonterminals in some order A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_n.
   2)
          for (each i from 1 to n) {
   3)
                   for (each j from 1 to i-1) {
                             replace each production of the form A_i \rightarrow A_j \gamma by the
   4)
                                 productions A_i \to \delta_1 \gamma \mid \delta_2 \gamma \mid \cdots \mid \delta_k \gamma, where
                                  A_j \to \delta_1 \mid \delta_2 \mid \cdots \mid \delta_k are all current A_j-productions
   5)
   6)
                   eliminate the immediate left recursion among the A_i-productions
   7)
A \rightarrow A\alpha \mid \beta
A \rightarrow \beta A'
A' \rightarrow \varepsilon \mid \alpha A'
```

```
Q1. E → E + T | T
       A: E
       α: +T
       β: T
       E \rightarrow TE'
       E' \rightarrow \epsilon \mid +TE'
Q2. S \rightarrow S0S1S
      S \rightarrow 01
      S \rightarrow 01S'
      S' \rightarrow \epsilon \mid 0S1SS'
Q3. S \rightarrow (L) \mid S
       L \rightarrow L,S|S
Q4. S→AaB
     A \rightarrow Aa|bB|a
      B \rightarrow bB|c
Q5.S \rightarrow Aa|b
     A \rightarrow Ac|Sd| \varepsilon
Q6. S→ AaB
     A \rightarrow SAc|a
     B→Ba|b
```

#### 3. Deterministic and Non-Deterministic Grammar

$$A \rightarrow \alpha \beta_1 | \alpha \beta_2 | \alpha \beta_3 \dots$$
  
 $w = \alpha \beta_3$ 

When  $\alpha$  is encountered, the compiler or the parser, may think that  $\alpha\beta_1$  is the right production. But, when  $\beta_1$  is encountered, it realises that  $\alpha\beta_1$  not the correct production. Hence, it backtracks. Same is the case with  $\alpha\beta_2$ . The main problem is **backtracking**. This is due to the **common prefixes**. Hence, it is also called **common prefixes problem**. That is, the decision of deriving  $\alpha\beta_3$  must be taken by  $\beta_3$ . This problem is resolved by **left factoring**, i.e., postponing the decision-making process until  $\beta$  is encountered.

$$A \rightarrow \alpha\beta_1 | \alpha\beta_2 | \alpha\beta_3$$

$$A \rightarrow \alpha A'$$

$$A' \rightarrow \beta_1 | \beta_2 | \beta_3$$

$$Q1. S \rightarrow iEtS | iEtSeS | a$$

$$E \rightarrow b$$

$$S \rightarrow iEtS' | a$$

$$S' \rightarrow S | SeS$$

$$E \rightarrow b$$

## Q2. S $\rightarrow$ **aS**SbS | **aS**aSb | abb | b

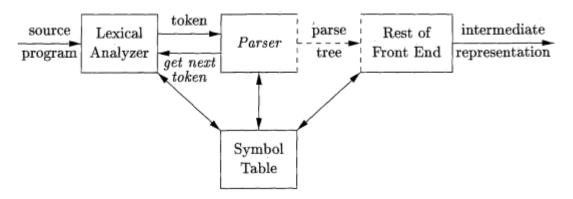
Taking aS as common prefix: S → aSS' | abb | b S'→ SbS | aSb

Taking a as common prefix  $S \rightarrow aSSbS \mid aSaSb \mid abb \mid b$   $S \rightarrow aS' \mid b$  $S' \rightarrow SSbS \mid SaSb \mid bb$ 

 $S' \rightarrow SS'' \mid bb$  $S'' \rightarrow SbS \mid aSb$ 

### **Syntax Analysis**

#### **Role of the Parser**



- a. the parser obtains a string of tokens from the lexical analyzer.
- b. verifies that the string of token names can be generated by the grammar for the source language.

$$E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$$
  
 $T \rightarrow T * F \mid F$   
 $F \rightarrow id$   
 $W = id + id * id or id * id + id or *id id ++$ 

- c. report any syntax errors in an intelligible fashion
- d. recover from commonly occurring errors to continue processing the remainder of the program.

#### **Parse Tree**

Pictorial representation of how a **start symbol** of a grammar derives a string in the language.

$$E \rightarrow E + E \mid E * E \mid - E \mid (E) \mid id$$

$$w = -(id+id)$$

#### **Derivation**

 $E \Longrightarrow -E$ 

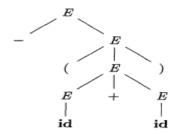
E = > -(E)

E ==> -(E+E)

E == > -(id + E)

E = > -(id + id)

#### **Parse Tree**



#### **Properties of a Parse Tree**

i. Root is always labelled with the start symbol

ii. Each leaf node is labelled with a terminal or token

iii. Each interior node must be labelled with non-terminals

#### **Yield of the Parse Tree**

The leaves of a parse tree when they are read from left to right form the yield.

#### **Types of Parsers**

**Universal Parser**: can parse any grammar. They are not used because they are very efficient. Algorithms used are

Cocke-Younger-Kasami (CYK) algorithm and Earley's algorithm

**Top-down Parser**: Build a parse tree from top(root) to the bottom(leave)

**Bottom-up Parser**: build the parse tree by starting from the bottom, i.e., leave and ends on top, i.e., root.

#### **Top-down parser:**

- a. Top-down parser with full backtracking: Brute force method, i.e., it checks all the combination
- b. Top-down parser without backtracking: do not support non-deterministic grammar and left-recursive grammar
  - a. Recursive descent parser
  - b. Non-recursive Descent Parser/Predictive Parser: LL(1)

## **Bottom-up Parsers**

a. Operator precedence parsers: allows ambiguous grammar

b. LR Parsers:

i. LR(0) parser

ii. SLR(1) Parser

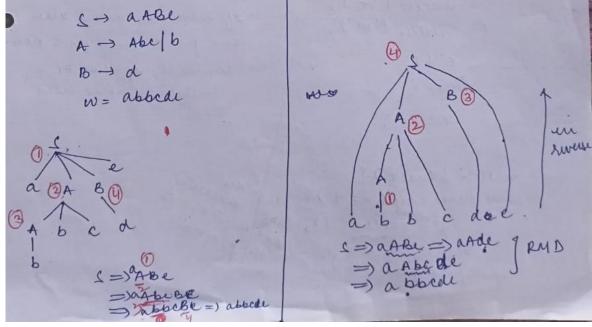
iii. CLR(1) Parser

iv. LALR(1) parser

#### Difference between Top-down Parser and Bottom-up Parsers

S.No	Top-down	Bottom-up
1	Constructs the parse tree for the input	Constructs the parse tree for the input string
	string, starting from the root & creating	beginning at the leaves (terminals) and
	the nodes of the tree in pre-order (root $\rightarrow$	working up towards the root(start symbol).

	left → right) manner.	
2	Equivalent to finding the left most	Equivalent to finding the right most
	derivation for the input string.	derivation for the input string in reverse.
3	S→ aABe	S→ aABe
	A→Abc b	A→Abc b
	B→d	B→d
	w = abbcde	w = abbcde
	S ==> aABe	S ==> aABe
	S ==> aAbcBe	S ==> aAde
	S ==> abbcBe	S ==> aAbcde
	S ==> abbcde	S ==> aabcde
4	Root to terminals	Terminals to root
5	What production to use while making the	When to reduce, i.e., which terminal can be
	decision to generate the string, i.e., if we	used to reduce
	have more than one alternative production	
	then which production must be used.	



# **Top-down parser with Full Backtracking**

 $A \rightarrow abC \mid aBd \mid aAD$ 

 $B \rightarrow bB | \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow d \mid \epsilon$ 

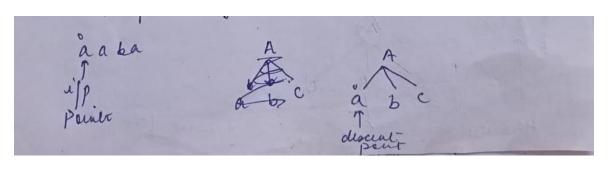
 $D \rightarrow a \mid b \mid \epsilon$ 

Input String: aaba

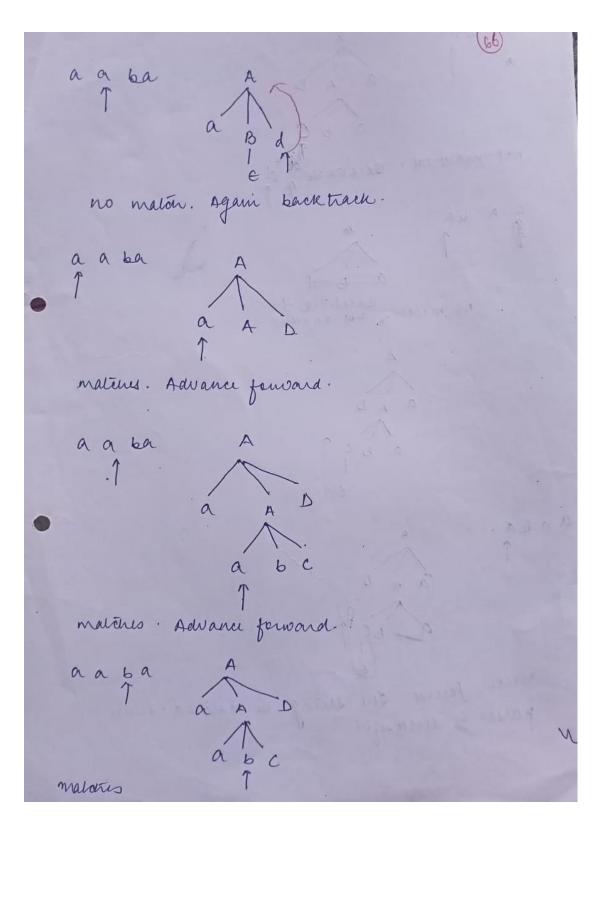
Two types of pointers are maintained:

**Input pointer**: points to the current symbol in the input string.

**Descent pointer**: points to the current symbol in the parse tree.



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#### **Recursive Descent Parser**

Non-terminal/Variable: define and call the corresponding procedures

Terminals: compared with the input symbol. If the match is found, input pointer is incremented.

If a non-terminal produces more than one production, then all the production code must be written in corresponding procedure.

#### **Algorithm**

```
void A() {
            Choose an A-production, A \to X_1 X_2 \cdots X_k;
1)
2)
            for (i = 1 \text{ to } k) {
                    if (X_i \text{ is a nonterminal})
3)
                           call procedure X_i();
4)
                    else if (X_i equals the current input symbol a)
5)
                           advance the input to the next symbol;
6)
                    else /* an error has occurred */;
7)
            }
     }
```

Step 1: Check for left recursion & non-determinism and eliminate them.

Step 2: For every production, write the corresponding procedure(function)

```
E→ TE'
E(){
    T();
    E'();
}
```

Step 3: If non-terminal is encountered, call the corresponding procedure. If the terminal is encountered, compare it with the current input symbol. If the match is found, input pointer is incremented.

```
E \rightarrow E+T \mid T

T \rightarrow T*F \mid F

F \rightarrow (E) \mid id
```

Step 1: Eliminate left recursion

```
E \rightarrow TE'

E' \rightarrow +TE' \mid \varepsilon

T \rightarrow FT'

T' \rightarrow *FT' \mid \varepsilon

F \rightarrow (E) \mid id

E \rightarrow TE'

E() \{

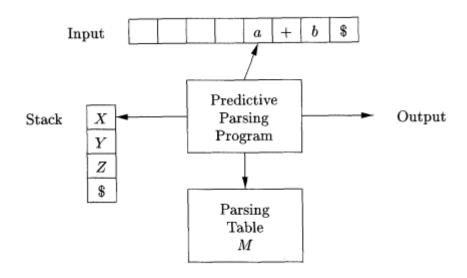
T();

E'();
```

```
}
T(){
F();
T'();
}
E'(){
if(input == '+'){
   input++;
  T();
  E'();
}else{
return; // E \rightarrow \epsilon
}
}
T'(){
 If( input == '*'){
    input ++ ;
    F();
    T'();
 }else{
return ; // T' \rightarrow \epsilon
 }
}
F(){
 if(input == '(' ) {
   input ++;
   E();
   if (input == ')' ) {
      input++;
    }
  }else if(input == 'id'){
  input++;
}
\Rightarrow input end marker; id + id * id$
main(){
  E();
 if (input == '$'){
     printf("Parsing Successful");
  }else{
```

```
printf("Parsing Unsuccessful");
 }
}
Q. Construct the recursive descent parser for
          E \rightarrow iE'
          E' → +iE' | ε
          w = i + i$
          S \rightarrow cAd
          A \rightarrow aA|D
          D→d
          w = caadd\$
          A \rightarrow abC \mid Abd \mid aAD
          B→ bB | ε
          C \rightarrow d \mid \epsilon
          D \rightarrow a \mid b \mid \epsilon
          w=ababbd\$
```

### Predictive Parser(LL(1) Parser)



**Model of Table-driven Predictive Parser** 

### **LL(1)**

L: Left-to-right

**L:** Left most derivation

1: Number of symbols to be seen while making the decision

**Input**: buffer that contains the input string

Stack: data structure used for the procedure of parsing

LL(1) Parsing table: data structure constructed using the given grammar

\$: is used to get to the decision, i.e., when to stop

#### FIRST() & FOLLOW()

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## FIRST(X)

Eg 1:

 $S \rightarrow aABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b$ 

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST (aABCD) = FIRST(a)	{a}
FIRST(A)	{b}
FIRST(B)	{c}
FIRST(C)	{d}
FIRST(D)	{e}

## **Eg 2:**

S	$\rightarrow$	ABCD
A	$\rightarrow$	b

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(ABCD) = FIRST(A)	{b}
FIRST(A) = FIRST(b)	{b}
FIRST(B) = FIRST(c)	{c}
FIRST(C) = FIRST(d)	{d}
FIRST(D) = FIRST(e)	{e}

# Eg 3:

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b \mid f$ 

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(ABCD) = FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(f)	{b, f}
FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(f)	{b, f}
FIRST(B) = FIRST(c)	{c}
FIRST(C) = FIRST(d)	{d}
FIRST(D) = FIRST(e)	{e}

# Eg 4:

 $S \to ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b | f | \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

w = cde\$

 $S \Longrightarrow ABCD \Longrightarrow BCD$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(ABCD) = FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(f) U	{b, f, c}
FIRST(B)	
$FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(f) U FIRST(\epsilon)$	$\{b, f, \epsilon\}$
FIRST(B) = FIRST(c)	{c}
FIRST(C) = FIRST(d)	{d}
FIRST(D) = FIRST(e)	{e}

# Eg 5:

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b \mid \varepsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow c \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(ABCD) = FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(B)	$\{b, c, d\}$
$FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	$\{b, \epsilon\}$
$FIRST(B) = FIRST(c) U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	$\{c, \varepsilon\}$
FIRST(C) = FIRST(d)	{d}
FIRST(D) = FIRST(e)	{e}

#### Eg 6:

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow c \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow d \mid \varepsilon$ 

 $D \rightarrow e \mid \epsilon$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(ABCD) = FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(B) U	$\{b, c, d, e, \epsilon\}$
FIRST(C) U FIRST(D)	
$FIRST(A) = FIRST(b) U FIRST(\epsilon)$	{b, ε}
$FIRST(B) = FIRST(c) \cup FIRST(\epsilon)$	$\{c, \varepsilon\}$
$FIRST(C) = FIRST(d) U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	{d, ε}
$FIRST(D) = FIRST(e) U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	$\{e, \varepsilon\}$

## **Rules for finding FIRST(X)**

- 1. If X is a terminal, then  $FIRST(X) = \{X\}$ .
- 2. If X is a nonterminal and  $X \to Y_1Y_2 \cdots Y_k$  is a production for some  $k \geq 1$ , then place a in FIRST(X) if for some i, a is in  $\text{FIRST}(Y_i)$ , and  $\epsilon$  is in all of  $\text{FIRST}(Y_1), \ldots, \text{FIRST}(Y_{i-1})$ ; that is,  $Y_1 \cdots Y_{i-1} \stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow} \epsilon$ . If  $\epsilon$  is in  $\text{FIRST}(Y_j)$  for all  $j = 1, 2, \ldots, k$ , then add  $\epsilon$  to FIRST(X). For example, everything in  $\text{FIRST}(Y_1)$  is surely in FIRST(X). If  $Y_1$  does not derive  $\epsilon$ , then we add nothing more to FIRST(X), but if  $Y_1 \stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow} \epsilon$ , then we add  $\text{FIRST}(Y_2)$ , and so on.
- 3. If  $X \to \epsilon$  is a production, then add  $\epsilon$  to FIRST(X).

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b$ 

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of Terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(A)	b
FIRST(A) = FIRST(b)	b
FIRST(B)	С
FIRST(C)	d
FIRST(D)	е

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow c \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow d \mid \varepsilon$ 

 $D \rightarrow e \mid \epsilon$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of Terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(A) U FIRST(B) U FIRST(C) U FIRST(D)	b, c, d, e, ε
FIRST(A)	b, ε
FIRST(B)	c, ε
FIRST(C)	d, ε
FIRST(D)	e, ε

**FOLLOW(X):** The terminal that follows a variable in the process of derivation. Every string is formed by the RHS of the production, so we need to take the RHS of the production & find out the FOLLOW(X).

Check whether the start symbol or any other variable is in the RHS of any production or not. If it is present, proceed with that variable else proceed with the next variable.

#### Eg1:

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow a$ 

 $B \rightarrow b$ 

 $C \rightarrow c$ 

 $D \rightarrow d$ 

w = abcd\$

S==>ABCD\$

S==> aBCD\$

S==> abCD\$

S==> abcD\$

S==> abcd\$

FOLLOW(X)	Set of terminals
FOLLOW(S)	<b>{\$}</b>
FOLLOW(A) = FIRST(BCD) = FIRST(B) = FIRST(b)	{b}
FOLLOW(B) = FIRST(CD) = FIRST(C)	{c}
FOLLOW(C) = FIRST(D)	{d}
FOLLOW(D) = FOLLOW(S)	{\$}

## Eg 2:

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow d$ 

 $D \rightarrow e$ 

FOLLOW(X)	Set of terminals
FOLLOW(S)	<b>{\$}</b>
FOLLOW(A) = FIRST(BCD) = FOLLOW(B)	{c}
FOLLOW(B) = FIRST(CD) = FIRST(C)	{d}
FOLLOW(C) = FIRST(D)	{e}
FOLLOW(D) = FOLLOW(S)	{\$}

### **Eg 3:**

 $S \rightarrow A$  $A \rightarrow BC$ 

 $B \rightarrow c$ 

 $C \rightarrow a$ 

FOLLOW(X)	Set of terminals
FOLLOW(S)	{\$}
FOLLOW(A) = FOLLOW(S)	{\$}
FOLLOW(B) = FIRST(C)	{a}
FOLLOW(C) = FOLLOW(A)	{\$}

#### **Rules for Finding FOLLOW(X)**

To compute FOLLOW(A) for all nonterminals A, apply the following rules until nothing can be added to any FOLLOW set.

- 1. Place  $\$  in FOLLOW(S), where S is the start symbol, and  $\$  is the input right endmarker.
- 2. If there is a production  $A \to \alpha B\beta$ , then everything in FIRST( $\beta$ ) except  $\epsilon$  is in FOLLOW(B).
- 3. If there is a production  $A \to \alpha B$ , or a production  $A \to \alpha B\beta$ , where FIRST( $\beta$ ) contains  $\epsilon$ , then everything in FOLLOW(A) is in FOLLOW(B).

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon . XYZ$$

 $A \rightarrow \alpha B\beta$ 

Rule 2:  $A \rightarrow \alpha B\beta$ FOLLOW(X)

A: S

B:X

α: ε

β: ΥΖ

FIRST(β)

**Rule 3:** A  $\rightarrow \alpha B$ 

FOLLOW(Z)

A: S

B: Z

or

 $A \rightarrow \alpha B\beta$ 

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow c \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow d \mid \varepsilon$ 

 $D \xrightarrow{} e \,|\, \epsilon$ 

# More Examples on FIRST(X) & FOLLOW(X)

# Eg 4:

 $S \rightarrow ABCD$ 

 $A \rightarrow a \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow CD \mid b$ 

 $C \rightarrow c \mid \epsilon$ 

 $D \rightarrow Aa \mid d \mid \epsilon$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(S) = FIRST(ABCD) = FIRST(A) U FIRST(B) U FIRST(C) U FIRST(D)	$\{a, b, c, d, \epsilon\}$
$FIRST(A) = FIRST(a) \cup FIRST(\epsilon)$	$\{a, \varepsilon\}$
FIRST(B) = FIRST(CD) U FIRST(b)	$\{a, b, c, d, \epsilon\}$
$FIRST(C) = FIRST(c) U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	$\{c, \epsilon\}$
$FIRST(D) = FIRST(Aa) U FIRST(d) U FIRST(\epsilon)$	$\{a, d, \epsilon\}$

FOLLOW(X)	Set of terminals
FOLLOW(S)	{\$}
FOLLOW(A) = FIRST(BCD) U FIRST(CD) U FIRST(D) U FOLLOW(S) U	${a, b, c, d, \$}$
FIRST(a)	
FOLLOW(B) = FIRST(CD) U FIRST(D) U FOLLOW(S)	{c, a, d, \$}
FOLLOW(C) = FIRST(D) U FOLLOW(S) U FOLLOW(B)	{a, d, c, \$}
FOLLOW(D) = FOLLOW(S) U FOLLOW(B)	(c, a, d, \$}

## Eg. 5

 $S \rightarrow ABCDE$ 

 $A \rightarrow a \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow c \mid \epsilon$ 

 $D \rightarrow d \mid \varepsilon$ 

 $E \rightarrow e \mid \epsilon$ 

## Eg. 6

 $S \rightarrow Bb \mid Cd$ 

 $B \rightarrow aB \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow cC \mid \epsilon$ 

# Eg. 7

 $S \rightarrow ABCDE$ 

 $A \rightarrow a \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$ 

 $C \rightarrow c$ 

 $D \rightarrow d \mid \epsilon$ 

 $E \rightarrow e \mid \epsilon$ 

#### Eg. 8:

 $S \rightarrow ACB \mid CbB \mid Ba$   $A \rightarrow da \mid BC$   $B \rightarrow g \mid \varepsilon$  $C \rightarrow h \mid \varepsilon$ 

## Eg 9:

 $S \rightarrow aABb$   $A \rightarrow C \mid \varepsilon$  $B \rightarrow d \mid \varepsilon$ 

#### Eg 10:

 $S \rightarrow aBDh$   $B \rightarrow cC$   $C \rightarrow bC \mid \epsilon$   $D \rightarrow EF$   $E \rightarrow g \mid \epsilon$   $F \rightarrow f \mid \epsilon$ 

### Construction of LL(1) / Predictive Parsing Table

Algorithm 4.31: Construction of a predictive parsing table.

INPUT: Grammar G.

**OUTPUT**: Parsing table M.

**METHOD**: For each production  $A \to \alpha$  of the grammar, do the following:

- 1. For each terminal a in FIRST(A), add  $A \to \alpha$  to M[A, a].
- 2. If  $\epsilon$  is in FIRST( $\alpha$ ), then for each terminal b in FOLLOW(A), add  $A \to \alpha$  to M[A,b]. If  $\epsilon$  is in FIRST( $\alpha$ ) and \$ is in FOLLOW(A), add  $A \to \alpha$  to M[A,\$] as well.

If, after performing the above, there is no production at all in M[A, a], then set M[A, a] to **error** (which we normally represent by an empty entry in the table).  $\square$ 

## Eg.

 $E \rightarrow TE'$   $E' \rightarrow +TE' \mid \varepsilon$   $T \rightarrow FT'$   $T' \rightarrow *FT' \mid \varepsilon$  $F \rightarrow id \mid (E)$ 

FIRST(X)	Set of terminals
FIRST(E) = FIRST(TE')	{id, (}
$FIRST(E') = FIRST(+TE') U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	$\{+, \epsilon\}$
FIRST(T) = FIRST(FT')	{id, (}
$FIRST(T') = FIRST(*FT') U FIRST(\varepsilon)$	$\{*, \epsilon\}$
FIRST(F) = FIRST (id) U FIRST((E))	{id, (}

FOLLOW(X)	Set of terminals
FOLLOW(E) = FIRST())	{), \$}
FOLLOW(E') = FOLLOW(E) U FOLLOW(E')	{), \$}
FOLLOW(T) = FIRST(E') U FOLLOW(E) U FOLLOW(E')	{+, ), \$}
FOLLOW(T') = FOLLOW(T) U FOLLOW(T')	{+, ), \$}
FOLLOW(F) = FIRST(T') U FOLLOW(T) U FOLLOW(T')	{*,+,),\$}

a) 
$$E \rightarrow TE'$$
  
FIRST(E) =FIRST(TE') = {id, (}  
 $M[E,id] = E \rightarrow TE'$   
 $M[E, (] = E \rightarrow TE'$ 

b) E' 
$$\rightarrow$$
 +TE' |  $\epsilon$   
i) E'  $\rightarrow$  +TE'  
FIRST(E) = FIRST(+TE') = {+}  
M[E', +] = E'  $\rightarrow$  +TE'

$$\begin{split} FIRST(E') &= FIRST(\epsilon) = \{\epsilon\} \\ Since & FIRST(RHS) \ contains \ \epsilon, \ therefore \ we \ must \ find \ FOLLOW(LHS), \\ & FOLLOW(E') = \{), \$ \} \end{split}$$

$$M[E',)] = E' \rightarrow \varepsilon$$
  
 $M[E',\$] = E' \rightarrow \varepsilon$ 

## c) T $\rightarrow$ FT'

FIRST(T) = FIRST(FT') = {id, (}  

$$M[T,id] = T \rightarrow FT'$$
  
 $M[T,(] = T \rightarrow FT'$ 

d) T' 
$$\rightarrow$$
 \*FT' |  $\epsilon$   
i) T'  $\rightarrow$  \*FT'  
FIRST(T') = FIRST(\*FT') = {\*}  
 $M[T',*] = T' \rightarrow$  \*FT'

FIRST(T') = FIRST(
$$\varepsilon$$
) = { $\varepsilon$ }  
FOLLOW(T') = {+,), \$}  
M[T', +] = T'  $\rightarrow \varepsilon$   
M[T',)] = T'  $\rightarrow \varepsilon$   
M[T', \$] = T'  $\rightarrow \varepsilon$ 

```
e) F → id | (E)
i) F → id
FIRST(F) = FIRST(id) = {id}
M[F,id] = F → id

ii) F → (E)
FIRST(F) = FIRST((E)) = {(}
M[F,(] = F → (E)
```

Non- Terminals/ Input Symbols	id	+	*	(	)	\$
E	$E \rightarrow TE$	error	error	$E \rightarrow TE$	error	error
Ε'	error	E, → +LE,	error	error	E' <b>→</b> ε	E' <b>→</b> ε
T	T → FT'	error	error	$T \rightarrow FT'$	error	error
T'	error	T' <b>→</b> ε	T' <b>→</b> *FT'	error	T' <b>→</b> ε	T' <b>→</b> ε
F	F → id	error	error	F <b>→</b> (E)	error	error

Algorithm 4.34: Table-driven predictive parsing.

**INPUT**: A string w and a parsing table M for grammar G.

**OUTPUT**: If w is in L(G), a leftmost derivation of w; otherwise, an error indication.

**METHOD**: Initially, the parser is in a configuration with w\$ in the input buffer and the start symbol S of G on top of the stack, above \$. The program in Fig. 4.20 uses the predictive parsing table M to produce a predictive parse for the input.  $\square$ 

```
set ip to point to the first symbol of w;

set X to the top stack symbol;

while (X \neq \$) { /* stack is not empty */

if (X \text{ is } a) pop the stack and advance ip;

else if (X \text{ is a terminal }) error();

else if (M[X,a] \text{ is an error entry }) error();

else if (M[X,a] = X \rightarrow Y_1Y_2 \cdots Y_k) {

output the production X \rightarrow Y_1Y_2 \cdots Y_k;

pop the stack;

push Y_k, Y_{k-1}, \dots, Y_1 onto the stack, with Y_1 on top;

}

set X to the top stack symbol;

}
```

Figure 4.20: Predictive parsing algorithm

w = id + id\$

MATCHED	STACK	INPUT	ACTION
	E\$	id+id\$	
	TE'\$	id+id\$	<b>O/P:</b> E <b>→</b> TE'
	FT'E'\$	id+id\$	<b>O/P:</b> T <b>→</b> FT'
	idT'E'\$	id+id\$	<b>O/P:</b> F→id
id	T'E'\$	+id\$	Match id
id	E'\$	+ <b>id</b> \$	<b>O/P:</b> T' <b>&gt;</b> ε
id	+TE'\$	+ <b>id</b> \$	<b>O/P:</b> E' <b>→</b> TE'
id+	TE'\$	id\$	Matched +
id+			

w = id + id \* id\$

MATCHED	STACK	INPUT	ACTION	
	E\$	id+id*id\$		
	TE'\$	id+id*id\$	O/P: E→TE'	
	FT'E'\$	id+id*id\$	O/P: T→FT'	
	idT'E'\$	id+id*id\$	O/P: F → id	
id	T'E'\$	+id*id\$	Matched id	
id	E'\$	+id*id\$	O/P: Τ' <b>→</b> ε	
id	+TE'\$	+id*id\$	O/P: E' → +TE'	
id+	TE'\$	id*id\$	Matched +	
id+	FT'E'\$	id*id\$	$O/P: T \rightarrow FT'$	
id+	idT'E'\$	id*id\$	$O/P: F \rightarrow id$	
id+id	T'E'\$	*id\$	Matched id	
id+id	*FT'E'\$	*id\$	O/P: T' <b>→</b> *FT'	
id+id*	FT'E'\$	id\$	Matched *	
id+id*	idT'E'\$	id\$	O/P: F→id	
id+id*id	T'E'\$	\$	Matched id	
id+id*id	E'\$	\$	O/P: T' <b>→</b> ε	
id+id*id	\$	\$	O/P: E' <b>→</b> ε	

## LL(1) Grammar

A grammar is said to be LL(1) iff

a.  $A \rightarrow \alpha_1 \mid \alpha_{2,} FIRST(\alpha_1) \land FIRST(\alpha_2) = \Phi$ 

b.  $A \rightarrow \alpha \mid \epsilon$ , FIRST( $\alpha$ )  $\Lambda$  FOLLOW(A) =  $\Phi$ 

## Eg.1

 $S \rightarrow AB$ 

 $A \rightarrow a \mid \epsilon$ 

 $B \rightarrow b \mid \varepsilon$ 

FIRST(a)  $\Lambda$  FOLLOW(A) {a}  $\Lambda$  {b, \$} =  $\Phi$ 

Grammar is LL(1)

$$S \rightarrow A \mid a$$

 $A \rightarrow a$ 

 $FIRST(\alpha_1) \land FIRST(\alpha_2) = \Phi$ 

{a} Λ

Λ

 $\{a\} \neq \Phi$ 

Grammar is not LL(1)

# Eg. 3

 $S \rightarrow iEtS \mid iEtSeS \mid a$ 

 $E \rightarrow b$ 

After performing left-factoring,

 $S \rightarrow iEtSS' | a$ 

 $S' \rightarrow eS \mid \varepsilon$ 

 $E \rightarrow b$ 

Non-terminal	FIRST	FOLLOW
S	{i, a}	{e, \$}
S'	{e, ε}	{e, \$}
E	{b}	{t}

Non- Terminals/ Input Symbols	a	b	e	i	t	\$
S	S→a			S→ iEtSS'		
S'			$S' \to eS$ $S' \to \varepsilon$			S' <b>→</b> ε
E		E <b>→</b> b				

The grammar is not LL(1)