



# CS347 Compilers Lab

## Assignment 2 (Part II)

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# 1 Introduction

We will create a grammar for a simple language which satisfies the following requirements:

- Global declarations for both functions and variables
- Arithmetic expressions (brackets, +, -, \*, /, %)
- Variable types - `int` and `bool`
- Loop construct - `while`
- Conditional statement - `if else`
- Nesting of loops and conditionals
- Type checking
- Input/Output commands - `print`, `read`
- Recursion

A context-free grammar  $G$  can be mathematically defined as:

$$G = (V, \Sigma, R, S)$$

where  $V$  = set of non-terminals,

$\Sigma$  = set of terminals,

$R$  = production rules, and

$S$  = start symbol.

We will describe each of these components to precisely describe our grammar.

## 2 Terminals ( $\Sigma$ )

The set of terminals consists of six types of elements:

1. alphabet =  $a \mid \dots \mid z \mid A \mid \dots \mid Z$
2. number =  $0 \mid \dots \mid 9$
3. arithmetic\_op =  $( \mid ) \mid + \mid - \mid * \mid /$
4. relational\_op =  $< \mid > \mid = \mid !$
5. logical\_op =  $\& \mid \mid$
6. whitespace (tabs or line breaks)

All lexemes of the grammar consist of combinations of these terminals. Hence, tokens of the grammar can be defined using these 4 sets.

## Tokens

The token classes are defined as follows:

1. **KEYWORD** = `static` | `int` | `bool` | `break` | `return` | `print` | `read` | `if` | `else` | `while`
2. **IDENTIFIER** = alphabet (alphabet | number)\*
3. **NUMCONST** = (number)+
4. **BOOLCONST** = `true` | `false`
5. **OPERATOR** = arithmetic\_op | relational\_op | logical\_op | {<=, >=, !=, ==}
6. **DELIMITER** = {//, ;, {, }, }

## 3 Production Rules

1.  $program \rightarrow declaration\_list$
2.  $declaration\_list \rightarrow declaration\_list\ declaration \mid declaration$
3.  $declaration \rightarrow variable\_dec \mid function\_dec$

Productions 1,2,3 define the global declaration for variables and functions.

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4.  $variable\_dec \rightarrow type\_specifier\ variable\_dec\_list$
5.  $scoped\_variable\_dec \rightarrow scoped\_type\_specifier\ variable\_dec\_list;$
6.  $variable\_dec\_list \rightarrow variable\_dec\_list; var\_dec\_id \mid var\_dec\_id$
7.  $var\_dec\_id \rightarrow \text{IDENTIFIER}$
8.  $scoped\_type\_specifier \rightarrow \text{static}\ type\_specifier \mid type\_specifier$
9.  $type\_specifier \rightarrow \text{int} \mid \text{bool}$

Productions 4 to 9 define the variable declaration as static or simple int or bool type.

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10.  $function\_dec \rightarrow type\_specifier\ \text{IDENTIFIER}\ (parameters)\ statement$
11.  $parameters \rightarrow parameter\_list \mid \epsilon$
12.  $parameter\_list \rightarrow parameter\_list,\ parameter\_type\_list \mid parameter\_type\_list$

13. *parameter\_type\_list*  $\rightarrow$  *type\_specifier IDENTIFIER*

Productions 10 to 13 define function declaration with parameters.

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14. *statement*  $\rightarrow$  *print\_stmt* | *expression\_stmt* | *compound\_stmt* | *conditional\_stmt* | *iteration\_stmt* | *return\_stmt* | **break**;

15. *print\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  **print** *expression*;

16. *compound\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  { *local\_declaration stmt\_list* }

17. *local\_declaration*  $\rightarrow$  *local\_declaration scoped\_variable\_dec* |  $\epsilon$

18. *stmt\_list*  $\rightarrow$  *stmt\_list statement* |  $\epsilon$

19. *expression\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  *expression*; | ;

20. *conditional\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  **if** (*simple\_expr*) *statement* | **if** (*simple\_expr*) *statement* **else** *statement*

21. *iteration\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  **while** (*simple\_expr*) *statement*

22. *return\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  **return** ; | **return** *expression* ;

23. *break\_stmt*  $\rightarrow$  **break**;

Productions 14 to 23 define print statement, loop construct (while), conditional statement (if-else) and all types of nesting and recursion.

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24. *expression*  $\rightarrow$  *read\_expr* | **IDENTIFIER** = *simple\_expr* | **IDENTIFIER** + = *simple\_expr* | **IDENTIFIER** - = *simple\_expr* | **IDENTIFIER** \* = *simple\_expr* | **IDENTIFIER** / = *simple\_expr* | *simple\_expr*

25. *read\_expr*  $\rightarrow$  **read IDENTIFIER**;

26. *simple\_expr*  $\rightarrow$  (*simple\_expr* | *and\_expr*) | *and\_expr*

27. *and\_expr*  $\rightarrow$  *and\_expr* & *unary\_rel\_expr* | *unary\_rel\_expr*

28. *unary\_rel\_expr*  $\rightarrow$  ! *unary\_rel\_expr* | *rel\_expr*

29. *rel\_expr*  $\rightarrow$  *sum\_expr relop sum\_expr* | *sum\_expr*

30. *relop*  $\rightarrow$  *relational\_op* | { <=, >=, ==, != }

31. *sum\_expr*  $\rightarrow$  *sum\_expr sumop term* | *term*

32. *sumop*  $\rightarrow$  + | -

33.  $term \rightarrow term\ mulop\ unary\_expr \mid unary\_expr$
34.  $mulop \rightarrow * \mid / \mid \%$
35.  $unary\_expr \rightarrow unaryop\ unary\_expr \mid factor$
36.  $unaryop \rightarrow * \mid /$
37.  $factor \rightarrow \mathbf{IDENTIFIER} \mid (expression) \mid call \mid constant$
38.  $call \rightarrow \mathbf{IDENTIFIER} (args)$
39.  $args \rightarrow arg\_list \mid \epsilon$
40.  $arg\_list \rightarrow arg\_list\ expression \mid expression$
41.  $constant \rightarrow \mathbf{NUMCONST} \mid \mathbf{true} \mid \mathbf{false}$

Productions 24 to 41 define read statement and arithmetic, logical and relational operators in expressions.

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## 4 Start Symbol

As is obvious from the production rules, the start symbol is *program*.

## 5 Language Specifications

- There are only two data types - `bool` and `int`. Correspondingly, constants can either take integer values or be `true` or `false`.
- Pre/post increment/decrement operators are not allowed.
- AND and OR are represented by `&` and `|` respectively.
- Function overloading is not allowed. Functions must have a return type, i.e., they cannot be void. However, they may/may not return a value.
- There is only `while` statement for loop construct.
- The `print` command prints the output of the expression which follows it.
- The `read` command gets input from the command line and assigns the value to the identifier which follows it.

## 6 Example Code

The following program takes an integer from user input. It checks if it is a perfect square. If yes, prints 1. Otherwise, it prints the factorial of the number. The program contains all the features listed in Section 1.

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1 static int fact = 1;
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3 int factorial(int n)
4 {
5     if (n == 1)
6         fact = fact * 1;
7     else
8         fact = n * factorial(n-1);
9     return;
10 }
11
12 bool checkPerfectSquare (int a)
13 {
14     bool res = false;
15     int i = 2;
16     while (i < a)
17     {
18         if (i*i == a)
19             res = true;
20         i = i + 1;
21     }
22     return res;
23 }
24
25 int main()
26 {
27     int n;
28     read n;
29     if (checkPerfectSquare(n) == true)
30         print 1;
31     else
32     {
33         factorial(n);
34         print fact;
35     }
36     return;
37 }
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