

Grammars

1)

$T = \{\$, \#, *, @, X\}$

$N = \{\langle \text{expr} \rangle, \langle \text{term} \rangle, \langle \text{factor} \rangle\}$

$S = \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

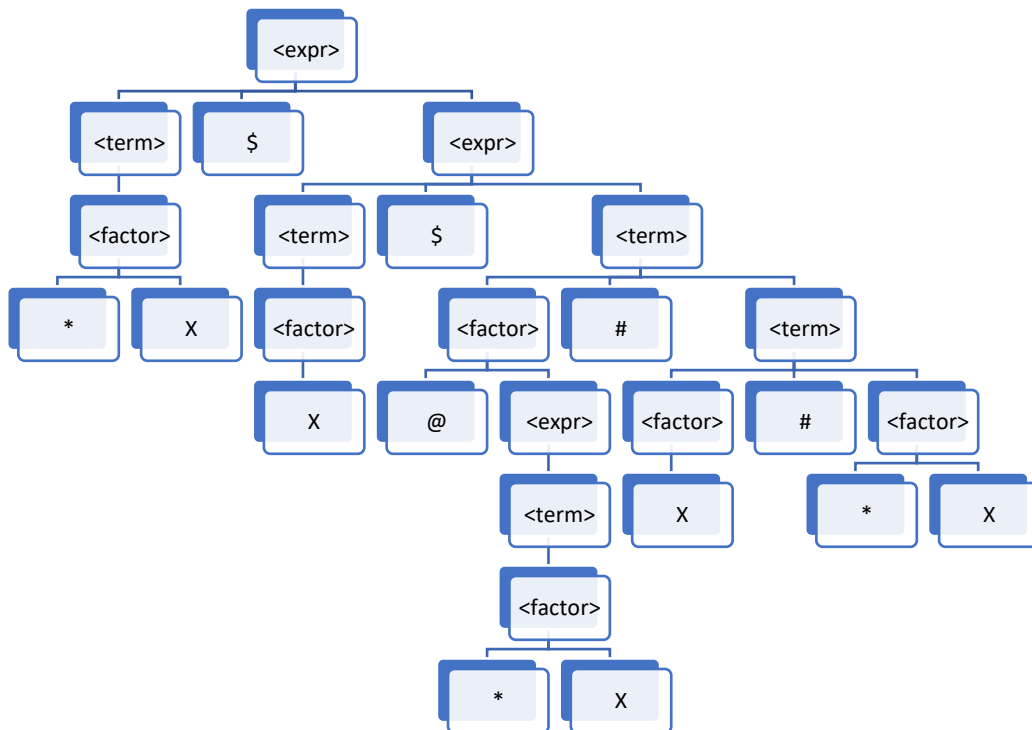
$P = \{ \langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= \langle \text{term} \rangle$
 $\quad \quad \quad \langle \text{term} \rangle \$ \langle \text{term} \rangle$
 $\quad \quad \quad \langle \text{term} \rangle \$ \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
 $\langle \text{term} \rangle ::= \langle \text{factor} \rangle$
 $\quad \quad \quad \langle \text{factor} \rangle \# \langle \text{factor} \rangle$
 $\quad \quad \quad \langle \text{factor} \rangle \# \langle \text{term} \rangle$
 $\langle \text{factor} \rangle ::= X$
 $\quad \quad \quad *X$
 $\quad \quad \quad @X$
 $\quad \quad \quad \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
 $\quad \quad \quad * \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
 $\quad \quad \quad @ \langle \text{expr} \rangle \}$

$\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= \langle \text{term} \rangle \{ \$ \langle \text{term} \rangle \}$
 $\langle \text{term} \rangle ::= \langle \text{factor} \rangle \{ \# \langle \text{factor} \rangle \}$
 $\langle \text{factor} \rangle ::= [@ | *] (X \mid \langle \text{expr} \rangle)$

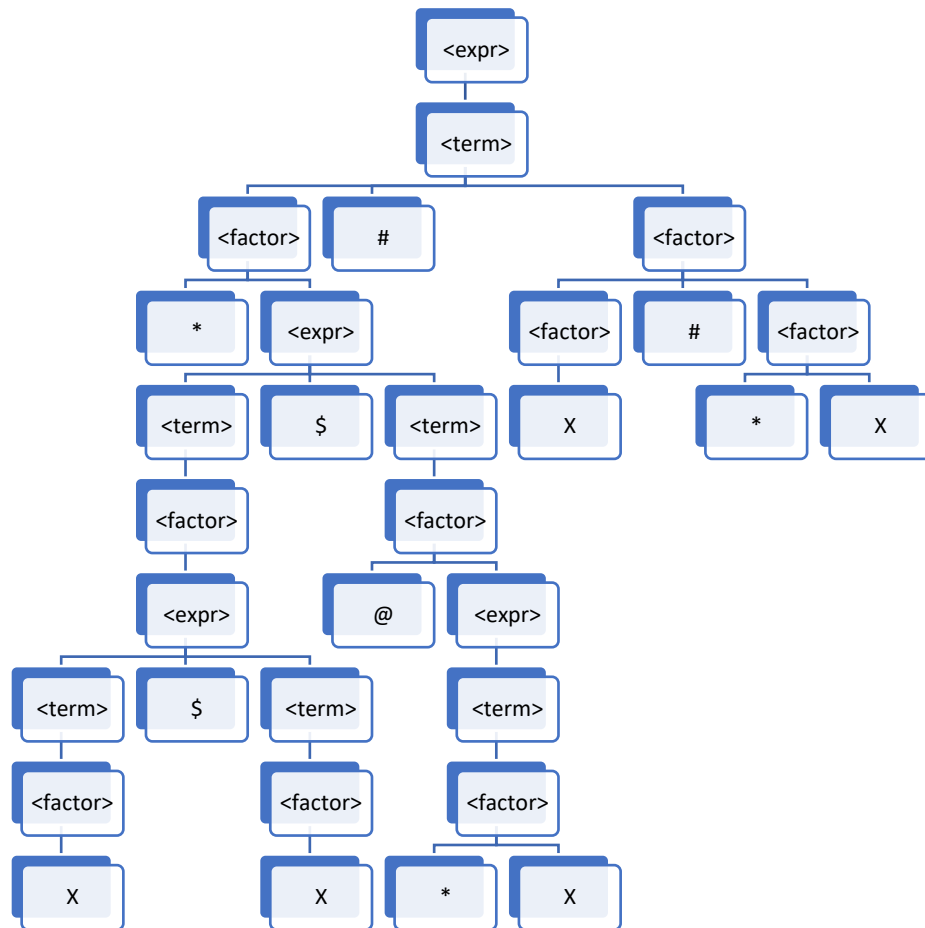
2) \$ and # are both right associative.

@	*
#	
\$	

4) Parse tree for $*X\$X\$@*X\#X\#*X$



5) This language is ambiguous. I will prove this by finding 2 different parse trees for $*X\$X\$@*X\#X\#*X$. I already found one parse tree for it in #4 so here I will find a different one.



Syntax Charts

Chart A EBNF

$T = \{0, 1\}$

$N = \{<A>\}$

$S = <A>$

$P = \{<A> ::= 0 \{00\} 1 \{0 \{00\} 1\}^*\}$

Justification: An $<A>$ is a least 0 followed by a 1. There can be any even number of zeros between the 0 and 1. This can be followed by any number of repetitions of a 0 followed by a 1 with any even number of zeros between the zero and one

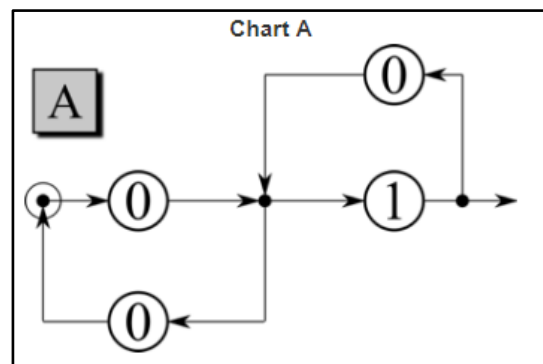


Chart B EBNF

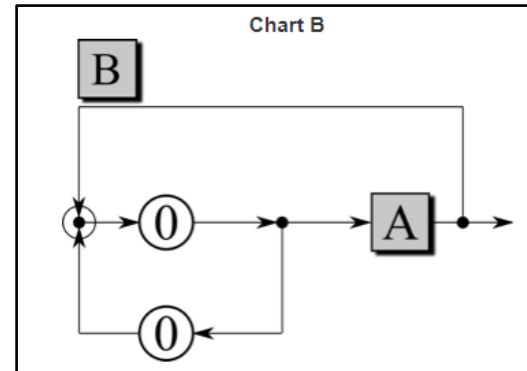
$T = \{0, 1\}$

$N = \{<A>, \}$

$S = $

$P = \{<A> ::= 0\{00\}1\{0\{00\}1\}$
 $::= 0\{00\}\{<A>0\{00\}\}^*<A>\}$

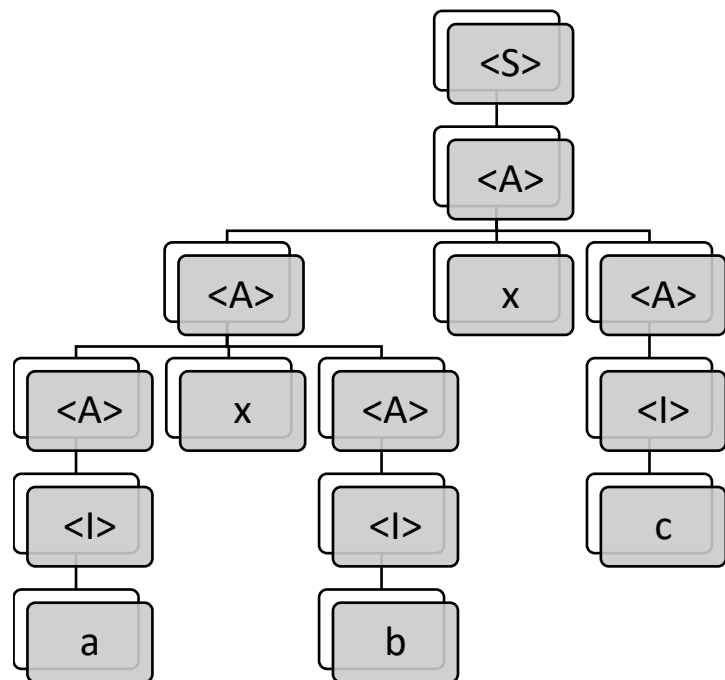
Justification: I justified $<A>$ in the previous chart. $$ is at least a 0 followed by an $<A>$. Between them can be any even number of zeros followed by any number of repetitions of $<A>$ followed by 0 with any even number of zeros after it.



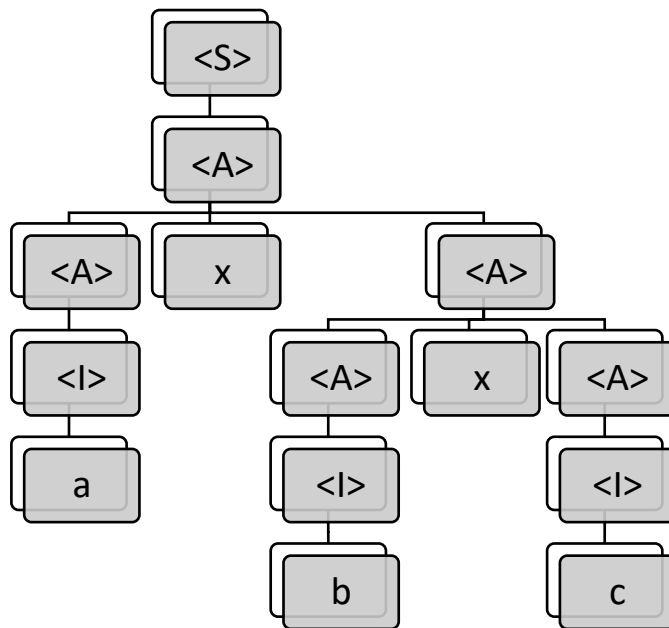
Syntactic Ambiguity

$N = \{<S>, <A>, <I>\}$
 $T = \{a, b, c, x\}$
 $P = \{<S> ::= <A>$
 $<A> ::= <A>x<A>$
 $<A> ::= <I>$
 $<I> ::= a$
 $<I> ::= b$
 $<I> ::= c\}$
 $S = <S>$

Syntax Tree 1 for "a x b x c"



Syntax Tree 2 for "a x b x c"



There are 2 different syntax trees for the same expression "a x b x c" in this BNF grammar. This proves that this BNF grammar is ambiguous.