

(* The start of a nix expression *)

Expression →

(*ExpressionNoAssignment* | *Assignment*)

ExpressionNoAssignment →

(*Attrset* | *Function* | *Arithmetic*)

(* A let .. in or with *)

AssignmentPreamble →

{ (*let-in* | *with*) }⁺,

(* Let in *)

(* (* **let** *a* = 5; **in** ... *) *)

let-in →

`let` { *AssignmentNoPreamble* }⁺ `in`

with →

`with`

(*Attrset* | ? Identifier of *Attrset* ?) ` ; `

Inherit →

`inherit` [{ (? Identifier of *Attrset* ? | *Attrset*) }⁺] ` ; `

(* Expression of an attrset *)

Attrset →

[*AssignmentPreamble*] `{ { (*Assignment* | *Inherit*) }⁺ } `

(* An assignment *)

(* (* **let** *x* = 5; **in** *a* = *x*; *) *)

Assignment →

[*AssignmentPreamble*] *AssignmentNoPreamble*

(* An assignment without the preamble *)

(* (* *a* = 5; *) *)

AssignmentNoPreamble →

? someIdentifier ? ` = ` *ExpressionNoAssignment* ` ; `

(* A string, integer or float *)

Primary →

(? string ? | ? integer ? | ? float ? | `true` | `false` | *List* | (`(` *ExpressionNoAssignment* `)`))

List →

`[` { *ExpressionNoAssignment* } `] `

(* A function *)

(* (* input: output *) , *)

Function →

[*AssignmentPreamble*] ? InputIdentifier ? ` : ` [*AssignmentPreamble*] *ExpressionNoAssignment* ` ; `

Arithmetic →

ArithmeticMul { (` - ` | ` + `) *ArithmeticMul* }

ArithmeticMul →

PrimaryOrIdentifier { (` * ` | ` / `) *PrimaryOrIdentifier* }

PrimaryOrIdentifier →

(*Primary* | *Identifier*)