# **Project 2 Report**

### Introduction

We started the project with the Project 1 Scanner codebase with some minor fixes to return both the tokens and their values from our test cases. We stuck to recursive descent systematically to ensure an all encompassing top-down approach. The heaviest data structures we used were arrays because the recursion was the bulk of the project. When we needed to look forward we did so with fail states to ensure that nothing gets printed or modified that shouldn't be there, and if it did it errored out the entire program.

### Pseudo Code

#### Parser:

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constructor(self):
     tokens[]
     tokenValues[]
parse(self):
     called in from main.py
     program(0)
program(self, tabs):
     print('program>', tabs)
     stmt list(tabs + 1)
     print(', tabs)
stmt list(self, tabs):
     print('<stmt list>', tabs)
     if there is still something left to read:
          stmt(tabs + 1)
          stmt list(tabs + 1)
     print('</stmt list>', tabs)
stmt(self, tabs):
     print('<stmt>', tabs)
     if current token is 'id'
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print id with tags
          increment token index
          if current token is ':='
               print assign with tags
          else:
               throw exception
          expr(level)
     elif current token is 'read'
          print read with tags
          increment token index
          if current token is an id
               print id with tags
               increment token position
          else:
               throw exception
     elif current token is 'write'
          print 'write' with tags
          increment token position
          else:
               throw exception
     print('</stmt>', tabs)
expr(self, tabs):
     print('<expr>', tabs)
     term(level + 1)
     term tail(level + 1)
     print('</expr>', tabs>
term(self, tabs):
     print('<term>', tabs)
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factor(tabs + 1)
     fact tail (tabs + 1)
     print('</term>', tabs)
     return True
term tail(self, tabs):
     print('<term tail>', tabs)
     if add op is successful
          and if termis successful
               term tail(tabs + 1)
          else
               throw exception
    print('</term tail>', tabs>
factor(self, tabs):
     if current token is 'lparen'
          print lparen with tags
          increment token position
          expr(tabs + 1)
          ensure token after is 'rparen'
     elif current token is 'id'
          print id with tags
          increment token position
     elif current token is 'number'
          print number with tags
          increment token position
fact tail(self, tabs):
    print('<fact tail>', tabs)
     if mult op is successful
          and if factor is successful
               recur
          else
               throw exception
    print('</fact tail>', tabs>
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add op(self, tabs):
     if current token is 'plus'
          print plus with tags
          increment token position
     elif current token is 'minus'
          print minus with tags
          increment token position
mult op(self, tabs):
     if current token is 'mult'
          print mult with tags
          increment token position
     elif current token is 'div'
          print div with tags
          increment token position
match(self, value):
     return current token == value
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## **Test Cases**

Test Case file	Test Case
BadAssignment.txt	y = 7 /* this should throw an error */
GoodAssignment.txt	x := 7
Read.txt	Read A
WithComments.txt	/**  * With some kind of comment  */ Write x + 5 + y
Write.txt	Write 1 + 2

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