

## Exp 8b : YACC – VALID EXPRESSION ( C )

### LEX

1. Start
2. [0-9]+ : matches one or more digits and convert value of yylval to the integer representation of the matched text and returns the token type NUM
3. [a-zA-Z][a-zA-Z0-9]\* : matches an identifier and returns the token type ID
4. [ \t\n] : skips whitespaces
5. . : matches any other character and returns it as a single character token
6. yywrap() indicate the end of input
7. Stop

### YACC

1. Start
2. Token Declarations (%token) : NUM and ID
3. Grammar Rules Section  
S -> ID = E ;  
E -> E+E | E-E | E\*E | E/E | E%E | (E) | ID | NUM | ( ID ) | ( NUM )
4. yyerror() to handle
5. main() prompts the user to enter an arithmetic expression and calls yyparse() to parse it
6. Stop

### Valid C Expression ( Lex )

```
%{  
    #include "y.tab.h"  
}%  
  
%%  
[a-zA-Z][a-zA-Z0-9]* { return ID; }  
[0-9]+ { return NUM; }  
[ \t\n] {;}  
. { return yytext[0]; }  
%%  
  
int yywrap(){  
    return 1;  
}
```

### Valid C Expression ( YACC )

```
%{  
    #include<stdio.h>  
    int flag = 0;  
}%  
  
%token NUM ID  
  
%%  
start : ID '=' E ';' ;  
nid : ID | NUM ;  
E : E '+' E  
  | E '-' E  
  | E '*' E  
  | E '/' E  
  | nid  
  | '(' nid ')'  
;  
%%  
  
int yyerror(){  
    flag = 1;  
    printf("Invalid expression\n");  
    return 0;  
}  
  
int main(){  
    printf("Enter the expression : ");  
    yyparse();  
    if(flag == 0){  
        printf("Valid expression\n");  
    }  
    return 0;  
}
```

Note : if output is not printed then press ctrl+D

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● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ flex validity_c.l
● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ yacc -d validity_c.y
validity_c.y: warning: 16 shift/reduce conflicts [-Wconflicts-sr]
validity_c.y: note: rerun with option '-Wcounterexamples' to generate conflict counterexamples
● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ gcc lex.yy.c y.tab.c -o exp
y.tab.c: In function 'yyparse':
y.tab.c:1036:16: warning: implicit declaration of function 'yylex' [-Wimplicit-function-declaration]
1036 |         yychar = yylex ();
      |                  ^~~~~
y.tab.c:1171:7: warning: implicit declaration of function 'yyerror'; did you mean 'yyerrok'? [-Wimplicit-function-declaration]
1171 |         yyerror (YY_("syntax error"));
      |         ^~~~~~
      |         yyerrok
● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ ./exp
Enter the expression : a = b + c ;
Valid expression
● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ ./exp
Enter the expression : p + q = r * s ;
Invalid expression
● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ ./exp
Enter the expression : u = v * w / y - (x) + z
Invalid expression
● deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ ./exp
Enter the expression : u = v * w / y - (x) + z ;
Valid expression
○ deadpool@daredevil:~/Desktop/s7-CD/03 YACC/1 Valid or Invalid/02 Valid Expression ( C )$ █
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