

Lab Three

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CRAFTING A COMPILER

EXERCISE 4.7

Grammar for infix expressions:

$$\begin{aligned}
 Start &\rightarrow E \$ \\
 E &\rightarrow T \textit{ plus } E \\
 &\quad | \quad T \\
 T &\rightarrow T \textit{ times } F \\
 &\quad | \quad F \\
 F &\rightarrow (E) \\
 &\quad | \quad \textit{num}
 \end{aligned}$$

A Show the leftmost derivation of the following string.

num plus num times num plus num \$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Start &\Rightarrow E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow T \textit{ plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow F \textit{ plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus } T \textit{ plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus } T \textit{ times } F \textit{ plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus } F \textit{ times } F \textit{ plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus num times } F \textit{ plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus num times num plus } E \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus num times num plus } T \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus num times num plus } F \$ \\
 &\Rightarrow \textit{num plus num times num plus num } \$
 \end{aligned}$$

B Show the rightmost derivation of the following string.

num times num plus num times num \$

Start $\Rightarrow E \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ plus } E \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ plus } T \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ plus } T \text{ times } F \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ plus } T \text{ times num } \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ plus } F \text{ times num } \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ plus num times num } \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ times } F \text{ plus num times num } \$$
 $\Rightarrow T \text{ times num plus num times num } \$$
 $\Rightarrow F \text{ times num plus num times num } \$$
 $\Rightarrow \text{num times num plus num times num } \$$

C Describe how this grammar structures expressions, in terms of the precedence and left- or right- associativity of operators.

This grammar ensures that "times" has a higher precedence than "plus." Different nonterminals are used for each precedence level. By placing the rewrite rule for "times" lower in the grammar, it ends up lower in the tree.

EXERCISE 5.2

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EXERCISE 4.2.1