

# Chapter 1

Oblig 2

Course "Compiler Construction" Martin Steffen Spring 2020

#### Goal



- 1. semantic analysis, as far as
  - typing is concerned ("static semantics")
  - other coditions (no duplicate declaration etc)
- 2. code generation for compila20 (ish) programs

# Last time (O1)



#### Syntactic analysis

- lexer (scanner)
- parser
- abstract syntax tree

this time: continue with your previous deliv. (and repos)

### Learning outcome



- understand type checking, implementing a simple variant
- understand (simple form of) bytecode and how to generate it from "source code" (as AST)
- extend an existing compiler code base with new functionality

# Semantic analysis & type checking



- parser / context-free grammars
  - not powerful enough
  - cannot check all (static) properties of a language spec
- => extend the front-end by a type checker
  - use the AST classes of last time
  - add type checking code
  - allowed to make changes or adaptations if advantagous.

# Another glance at compila20



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```
program MyProgram begin
                                                          Real and Imag are of the (built-in)
class Complex begin
                                                                      float type.
  var Real : float:
                                                            Complex defines a new (user-
  var Imag : float;
                                                                    defined) type.
 end;
 proc Add(a: Complex, b: Complex): Complex
                                                             Check that the + operator is
 begin
                                                            compatible with its operands'
  var retval : Complex:
                                                           types, and that the assignment is
  retval := new Complex;
  retval.Real := a.Real + b.Real:
                                                                        legal.
  retval.Imag := a.Imag + b.Imag;
  return retval:
 end;
                                                          Check that the actual parameters
proc Main()
 begin
                                                          to Add(...) are of the correct type.
  var c1 : Complex:
                                                               according to the formal
                                                               parameters, and that the
  var c2 : Complex:
                                                             assignment to result is legal.
  var result : Complex:
  result := Add ( c1, c2 ):
  return:
end; end;
```

NB: 2020: structs, not classes

#### Type checking for conditionals

as "inspiration", details may vary

```
class IfStatement extends Statement {
...
  public void typeCheck() {
    String condType = condition.get.Type ();
    if (condType != "bool") {
        throw new TypeException("condition in an if
            statement must be of type bool")
    }
}
```

### Type checking: assignments

```
class Assignment extends Statement {
 public void typeCheck() {
    String varType = var.getType();
    String expType = exp.getType();
    if (varType != expType &&
       !isAssigmentCompatible(varType, expType) {
                  throw new TypeException ("Cannot assignment)
                  " from " + expType);
```

### **Code generation**



- byte code API and operations are described in the document "Interpreter and bytecode for INF5110"
- Task: add bytecode generation methods to your AST classes for instance

```
Ast.Node.GenerateCode(...)
```

- again: if adaptations of the AST are called for or useful, go for it...
- some people did visitors for ast-printing, one can also (re-)use the visitor pattern

# **Code generation: limitations**



- interpreter and byte code library somewhat limited
  - cannot express full compila 20
  - no block structure
  - no reference types
- your delivery should support generating correct bytecode for the compila 20 source code file runme.cmp

### Code generation: creating a procedure

```
CodeFile codeFile = new CodeFile();
// add the procedure by name first
codeFile.addProcedure("Main")
// then define it
CodeProcedure main = new
    CodeProcedure("Main", VoidType, TYPE, codeFile);
main.addInstruction( new RETURN());
//then update it in the code file
codeFile.updateProcedure(main);
```

### Code generation: assignment



#### **Testing**



- bunch of test files, for testing the type checker
- preferable: make ant test workable
- test files inside
  - ./tests/semanticanalysis/errors/ (and with fail in the filename) contain a syntactically correct but erronous program (erroneous as the type system or generally the semantic phase is concerned)
- => compiler returns error code 2 for semantic failure

### Provided source code (patch)



#### https://github.uio.no/msteffen/compila

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### Provided documentation (patch)

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#### Java

- compiler: updated compiler class
- test: some code for performing tests
- bytecode: classes for constructing bytecode
- runtime: rte for executing the byte code

#### Compila

tests: some test files (including runme.cmp)

#### **Deadline**

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#### 12th May 2020



Note: end of semester, and I need to report the ones passing the oblig some time before the exam.

#### delivs

- working type checker
- code generator (test with runme.cmp)
- report (including your name(s) etc.
  - discussion of your solution, choices you made, assumptions you rely on
  - printout of a test run (can be also checked in into the repos, but it needs to be mentioned where it is)
  - printout of the bytecode from runme.cmp (with a target like ant list-runme)
  - solution must "build" and be "testable" (typically via ant)