

# CA10

## COMP 141: Parsers

**Instructions:** In this exercise, we are going to review parsers.

## 1 Recursive-descent parser

1. Consider the following grammar given in EBNF:

$$\begin{aligned} \textit{expr} &::= \textit{term} + \textit{term} \\ \textit{term} &::= \textit{factor} * \textit{factor} \\ \textit{factor} &::= (\textit{expr}) | \textit{number} \\ \textit{number} &::= \textit{NUMBER} \\ \textit{NUMBER} &= [0-9]^+ \end{aligned}$$

Give the pseudo-code for recursive-descent parser that implements this grammar.

```
PTNode ParseExpr(){
    PTNode* tree = parseTerm()
    while next_token is '+'
        consume_token()
        tree = new PTInteriorNode('+', tree, parseTerm())
    return tree
}

PTNode parseTerm() {
    PTNode tree = parseFactor()
    while next_token is '*'
        consume_token()
        tree = new PTInteriorNode('*', tree, parseFactor())
    return tree
}

PTNode parseFactor() {
    if next_token is '(' then
        consume_token()
        tree = parseExpr()
        if next_token is ')' then
            consume_token()
            return tree
        else throw exception
    else parseNum()
}
```

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}

PTNode parseNumber(){
    if next_token is not NUMBER:
        throw exception
    double n = next_token
    consume_token()
    return new PTLeafNode(n)
}

```

2. Consider the following grammar given in EBNF:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textit{expr} &::= \textit{term} [+ \textit{expr}] \\
 \textit{term} &::= \textit{factor} [* \textit{term}] \\
 \textit{factor} &::= (\textit{expr}) | \textit{number} \\
 \textit{number} &::= \textit{NUMBER} \\
 \textit{NUMBER} &= [0-9]^+
 \end{aligned}$$

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        tree = parseExpr()
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            return tree
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    else parseNum()
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}
```