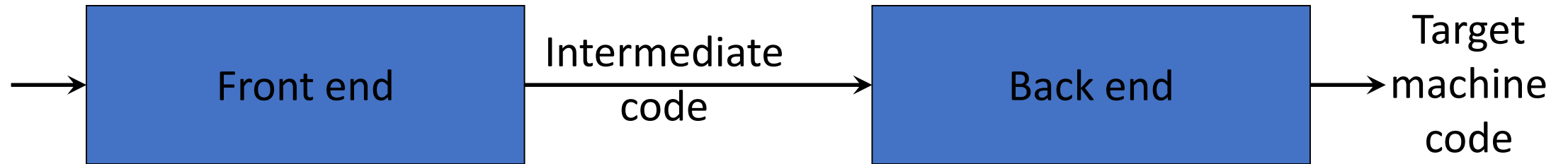


# Intermediate Code Generation - Types of Three address code, Representation, Declarations

# Intermediate Code Generation

- Facilitates retargeting: enables attaching a back end for the new machine to an existing front end



- Enables machine-independent code optimization

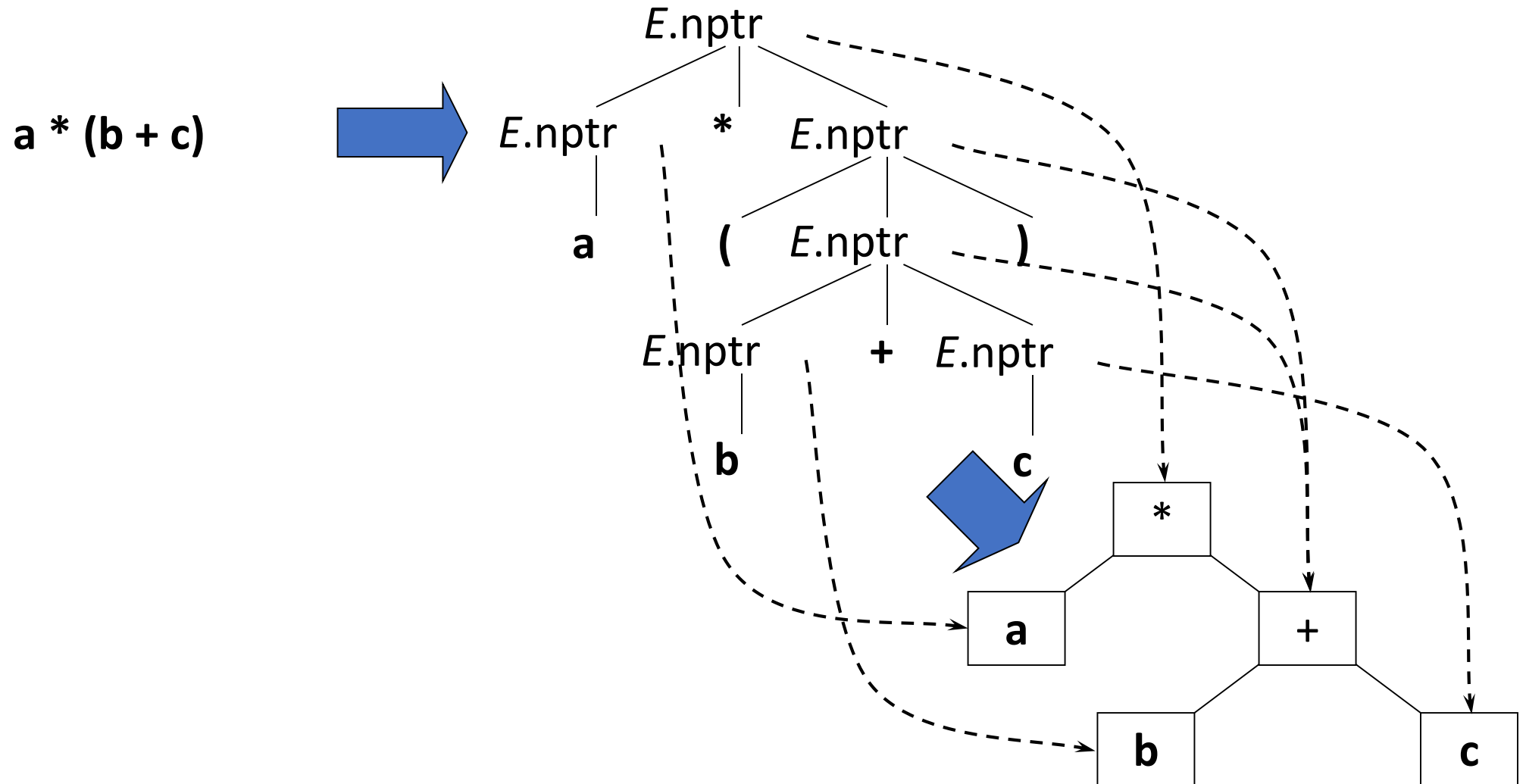
# Intermediate Representations

- Graphical representations
  - AST
- Postfix notation: operations on values stored on operand stack
  - JVM bytecode
- Three-address code:  $x := y \text{ op } z$ 
  - Variation of three address code - two-address code:  $x := \text{op } y$

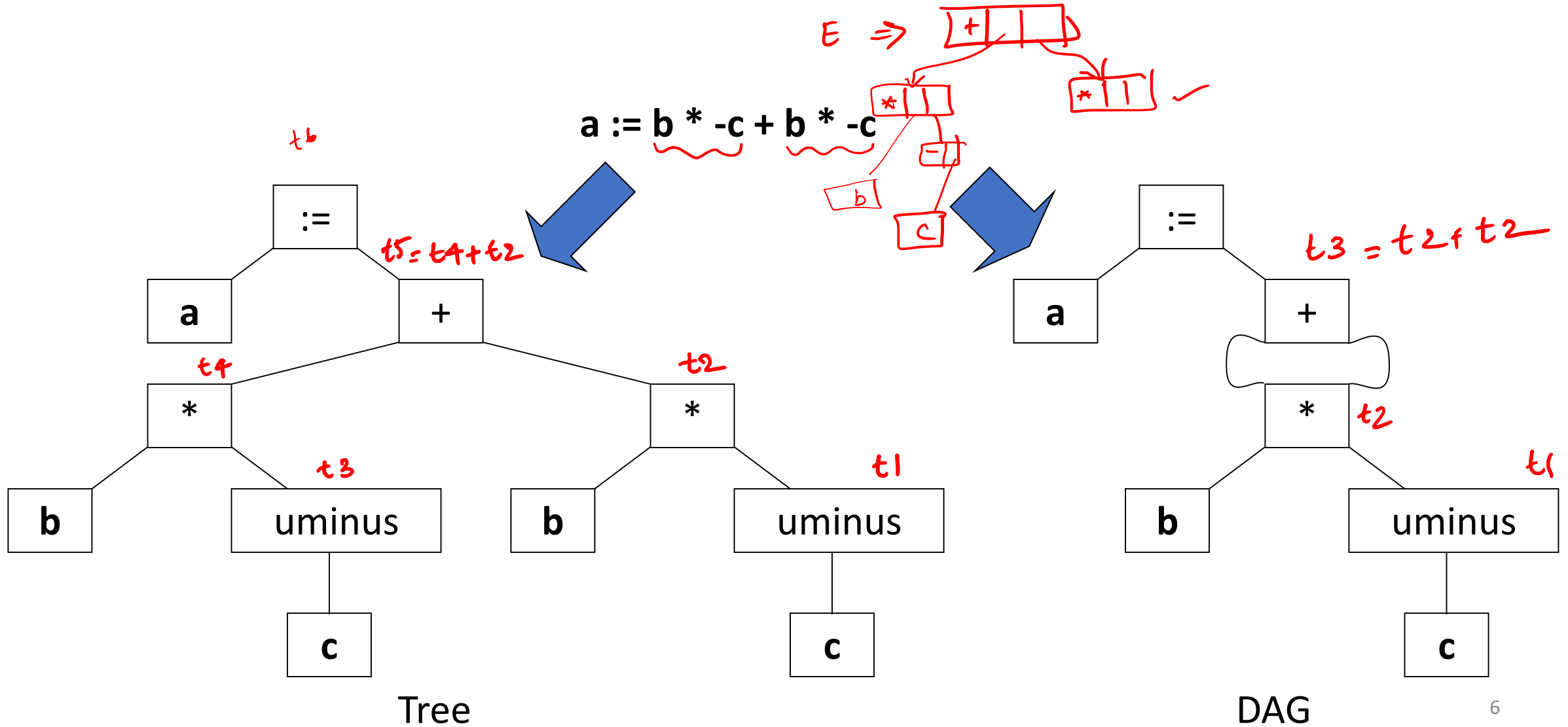
# Syntax-Directed Translation of Abstract Syntax Trees

| Production                       | Semantic Rule   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| $S \rightarrow \mathbf{id} := E$ | $S.\text{nptr} := \text{mknode}(':=', \text{mkleaf}(\mathbf{id}, \mathbf{id}.\text{entry}), E.\text{nptr})$ |
| $E \rightarrow E_1 + E_2$        | $E.\text{nptr} := \text{mknode}('+', E_1.\text{nptr}, E_2.\text{nptr})$                                     |
| $E \rightarrow E_1 * E_2$        | $E.\text{nptr} := \text{mknode}('*', E_1.\text{nptr}, E_2.\text{nptr})$                                     |
| $E \rightarrow - E_1$            | $E.\text{nptr} := \text{mknode}(\text{'uminus'}, E_1.\text{nptr})$  |
| $E \rightarrow ( E_1 )$          | $E.\text{nptr} := E_1.\text{nptr}$  |
| $E \rightarrow \mathbf{id}$      | $E.\text{nptr} := \text{mkleaf}(\mathbf{id}, \mathbf{id}.\text{entry})$                                     |

# Abstract Syntax Trees



# Abstract Syntax Trees versus DAGs



# SDD for creating DAG's

## Production

- 1)  $E \rightarrow E1 + T$
- 2)  $E \rightarrow E1 - T$
- 3)  $E \rightarrow T$
- 4)  $T \rightarrow (E)$
- 5)  $T \rightarrow id$
- 6)  $T \rightarrow num$

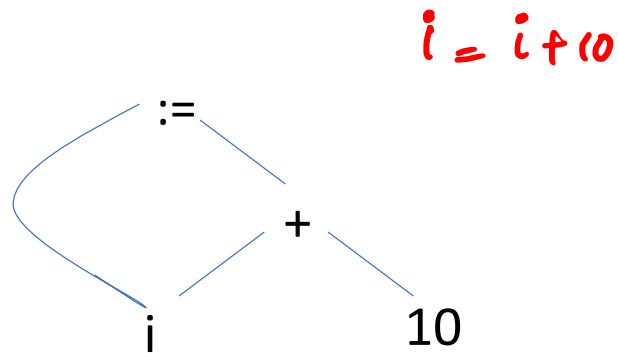
## Semantic Rules

- $E.node = \text{new Node}('+', E1.node, T.node)$   
 $E.node = \text{new Node}('-', E1.node, T.node)$   
 $E.node = T.node$   
 $T.node = E.node$   
 $T.node = \text{new Leaf}(id, id.entry)$   
 $T.node = \text{new Leaf}(num, num.val)$

Example:  **$a + a * (b - c) + (b - c) * d$**

- 1)  $p1 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}a)$
- 2)  $p2 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}a) = p1$
- 3)  $p3 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}b)$
- 4)  $p4 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}c)$
- 5)  $p5 = \text{Node}('-', p3, p4)$
- 6)  $p6 = \text{Node}('*', p2, p5)$
- 7)  $p7 = \text{Node}('+', p1, p6)$
- 8)  $p8 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}b) = p3$
- 9)  $p9 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}c) = p4$
- 10)  $p10 = \text{Node}('-', p8, p9) = p5$
- 11)  $p11 = \text{Leaf}(id, \text{entry-}d)$
- 12)  $p12 = \text{Node}('*', p10, p11)$
- 13)  $p13 = \text{Node}('+', p7, p12)$

# Value-number method for constructing DAG's



|   |     |   |    |                 |
|---|-----|---|----|-----------------|
| 1 | id  |   |    | → To entry of i |
| 2 | num |   | 10 |                 |
| 3 | +   | 1 | 2  |                 |
| 4 | :=  | 1 | 3  |                 |
|   |     |   |    |                 |


- Algorithm

- Search the array for a node M with label op, left child l and right child r
- If there is such a node, return the value number M
- If not create in the array a new node N with label op, left child l, and right child r and return its value

- We may use a hash table



# Postfix Notation

 **a := b \* -c + b \* -c**  
**a b c uminus \* b c uminus \* + assign**

Postfix notation represents  
operations on a stack

 Bytecode (for example)

```
iload 2    // push b
iload 3    // push c
ineg       // uminus
imul       // *
iload 2    // push b
iload 3    // push c
ineg       // uminus
imul       // *
iadd       // +
istore 1   // store a
```

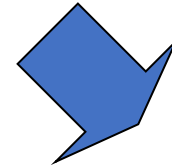
# Three-Address Code

**$a := b * -c + b * -c$**



```
t1 := - c
t2 := b * t1
t3 := - c
t4 := b * t3
t5 := t2 + t4
a  := t5
```

Linearized representation  
of a syntax tree

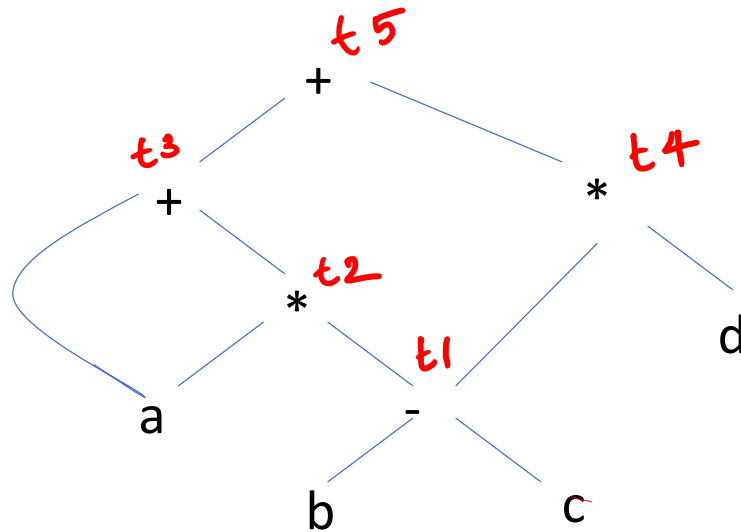


```
t1 := - c
t2 := b * t1
t5 := t2 + t2
a  := t5
```

Linearized representation  
of a syntax DAG

# Three address code

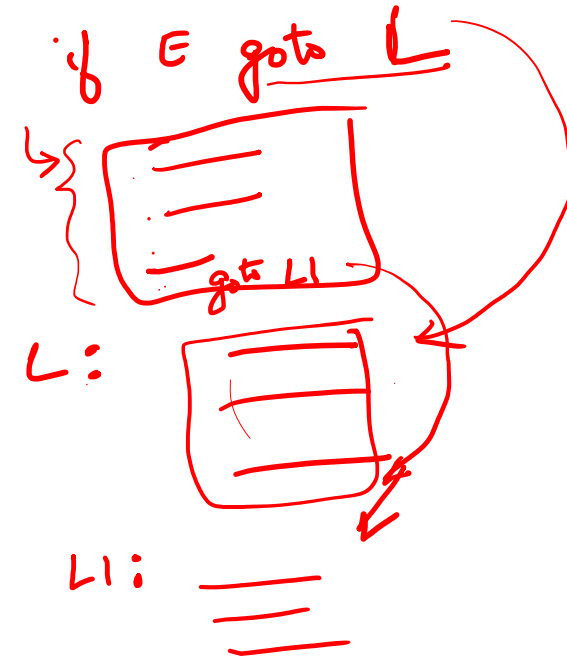
- In a three address code there is at most one operator at the right side of an instruction
- Example:



$t1 = b - c$   
 $t2 = a * t1$   
 $t3 = a + t2$   
 $t4 = t1 * d$   
 $t5 = t3 + t4$

# Types of three address codes

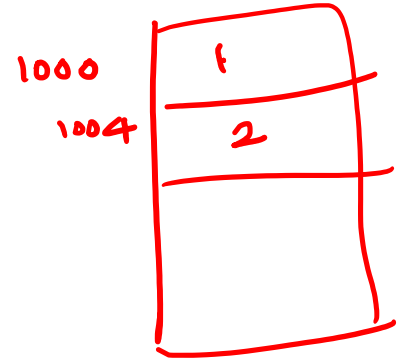
- $x = y \text{ op } z$
- $x = \text{op } y$
- $x = y$
- goto L
- if <sup>1</sup>x goto <sup>2</sup>L and if (false x) goto <sup>3</sup>L1
- if x relop y goto L



# Types of three address code

- Procedure calls using:
  - param x
  - call p,n
  - y = call p,n
- $x = y[i]$  and  $x[i] = y$
- $x = \&y$
- $x = *y$  and  $*x = y$

param  $x_1$   
param  $x_2$   
param  $x_3$   
 $y = \text{call } p, 3$



$x := y[i] + a$  ✓  
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$\begin{matrix} (1) & (2) & (3) \\ x & := & y[i] \end{matrix}$

$t1 = y[i]$   
 $x := t1 + a$

# Example

- do  $i = i + 1$ ; while ( $a[i] < v$ );

```
L:    t1 = i + 1  
      i = t1  
      t2 = i * 8  
      t3 = a[t2]  
      if t3 < v goto L
```

Symbolic labels

```
100:  t1 = i + 1  
101:  i = t1  
102:  t2 = i * 8  
103:  t3 = a[t2]  
104:  if t3 < v goto 100
```

Position numbers

# Representing three address codes

- Quadruples
  - Has four fields: op, arg1, arg2 and result
- Example:  $a := b * -c + b * -c$

# Three address code

**Example:  $a := b * -c + b * -c$**

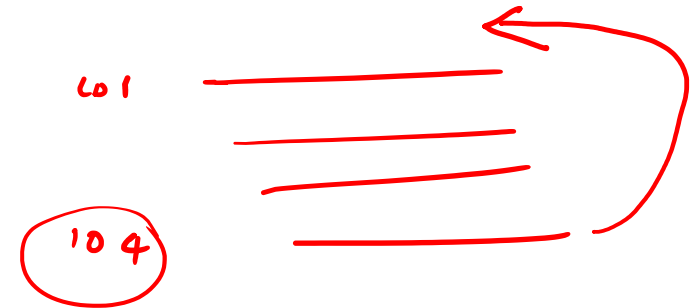
- $t1 := -c$
- $t2 := b * t1$
- $t3 := -c$
- $t4 := b * t3$
- $t5 := t2 + t4$
- $a := t5$

|     | Op     | Arg1 | Arg2 | result |
|-----|--------|------|------|--------|
| (0) | uminus | c    |      | t1     |
| (1) | *      | b    | t1   | t2     |
| (2) | uminus | c    |      | t3     |
| (3) | *      | b    | t3   | t4     |
| (4) | +      | t2   | t4   | t5     |
| (5) | :=     | t5   |      | a      |



# Representing three address codes

- Triples
  - Field corresponding to temporary results are not used and references to instructions are available



# Example

|     | Op     | Arg1 | Arg2 |
|-----|--------|------|------|
| (0) | uminus | c    |      |
| (1) | *      | b    | (0)  |
| (2) | uminus | c    |      |
| (3) | *      | b    | (2)  |
| (4) | +      | (1)  | (3)  |
| (5) | :=     | a    | (4)  |

# Triples for arrays

$x[i] := y$

|     | op     | arg1 | arg2 |
|-----|--------|------|------|
| (0) | []=    | x    | i    |
| (1) | assign | (0)  | y    |

$x := y[i]$

|     | op     | arg1 | arg2 |
|-----|--------|------|------|
| (0) | =[]    | y    | i    |
| (1) | assign | x    | (0)  |

# Representing three address codes

- Indirect triples
  - In addition to triples we use a list of pointers to triples

# Example

|     | Statement |
|-----|-----------|
| (0) | (10)      |
| (1) | (11)      |
| (2) | (12)      |
| (3) | (13)      |
| (4) | (14)      |
| (5) | (15)      |

|      | Op     | Arg1 | Arg2 |
|------|--------|------|------|
| (10) | uminus | c    |      |
| (11) | *      | b    | (0)  |
| (12) | uminus | c    |      |
| (13) | *      | b    | (2)  |
| (14) | +      | (1)  | (3)  |
| (15) | :=     | a    | (4)  |

# SDT into Three address code

- Three address code is constructed based on the grammar construct
- Attributes
  - Code
  - Place - Address
  - Value

*gen*  $\Rightarrow$  writing 3-address  
*emit*  $\Rightarrow$  file.

# Three address code for expression

| Production               | Semantic Rules   |
|--------------------------|--|
| $S \rightarrow id := E;$ | $S.code = E.code \parallel \text{gen} (top.get(id.lexeme) '=' E.address)$  |
| $E \rightarrow E1 + E2$  | $E.addr = \text{new Temp}()$<br>$E.code = E1.code \parallel E2.code \parallel \text{gen} (E.addr '=' E1.addr '+' E2.addr)$ |
| $E \rightarrow - E1$     | $E.addr = \text{new Temp}()$<br>$E.code = E1.code \parallel \text{gen} (E.addr '=' \text{'uminus'} E1.addr)$               |
| $E \rightarrow (E1)$     | $E.addr = E1.addr$<br>$E.code = E1.code$   |

# Three address code

| Production              | Semantic Rules   |
|-------------------------|--|
| $E \rightarrow E1 * E2$ | <pre>E.addr = new Temp()<br/>E.code = E1.code    E2.code    gen (E.addr '=' E1.addr '*' E2.addr)</pre> |
| $E \rightarrow id$      | <pre>E.addr = top.get(id.lexeme)<br/>E.code = ''</pre>   |



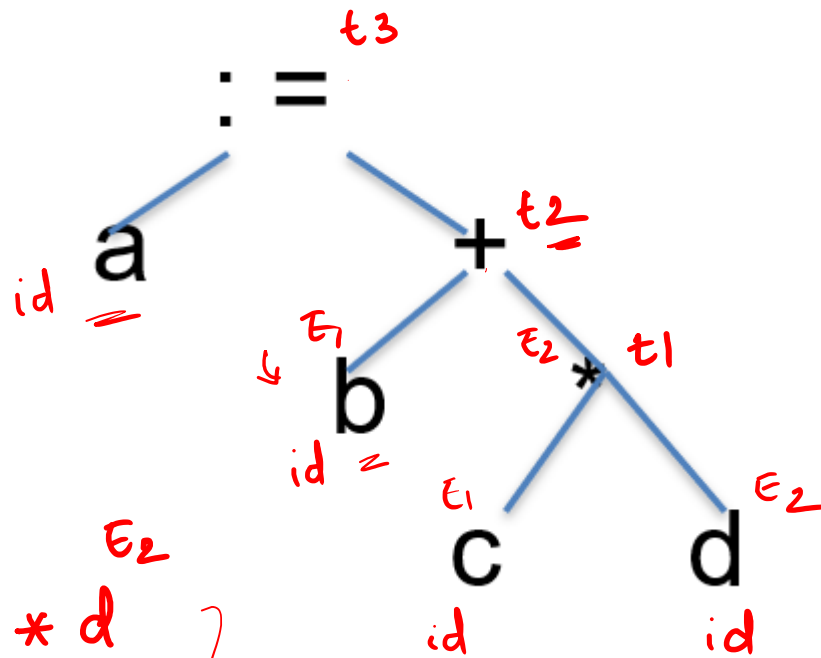
# Example

- $a := b + c * d$

$S \rightarrow id := E \Rightarrow E + E \Rightarrow E + E * E \Rightarrow id + id * id$

The corresponding syntax tree would be

# Example



1.  $t_1 = c * d$
2.  $t_2 = b + t_1$
3.  $a = t_2$

• Node – New temp

$t_1 = c * d$

+ Node – New temp

$t_2 = b + t_1$

~~Root node – New temp~~

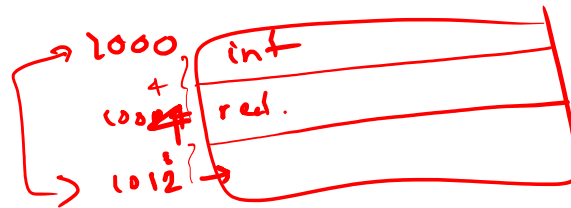
$t_3 = t_2$

Finally

$a = t_3$

# Declarations – Three address code

- Can be in a procedure – need to track scope of variable's and need symbol table
- Computing the address of variables and other is done by semantic rules related to three address code
  - Type, width, offset



# Declarations

| Production                                | Semantic rules  |
|---|---|
| $P \rightarrow D$                         | {offset = 0}  |
| $D \rightarrow D ; D$                     |   |
| $D \rightarrow id ; T$                    | {enter (id.name, T.type, offset);<br>offset = offset + T.width; |
| $T \rightarrow integer$                   | T.type = integer;<br>T.width = 4;                               |
| $T \rightarrow real$                      | T.type = real;<br>T.width = 8;                                  |
| $T \rightarrow array[num] \text{ of } T1$ | T.type = array(num.val, T1.type)<br>T.width = num * T1.width;   |

# Declarations

| Production                  | Semantic rules                              |
|-----------------------------|---|
| $T \rightarrow \uparrow T1$ | T.type = pointer (T1.type);<br>T.width = 4; |

# Declarations

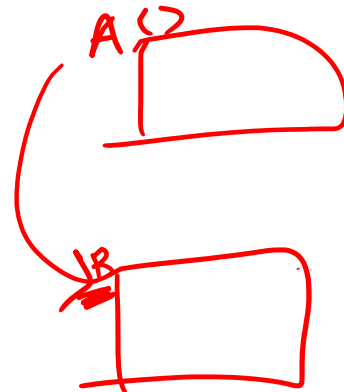
- $P \rightarrow D$
- $D \rightarrow D ; D \mid id \leftarrow T \mid \text{proc } id ; D ; S$

A new symbol table is created when `proc id; D;S` is encountered

# Symbol Table Functions

- `mktable(previous)` returns a pointer to a new table that is linked to a previous table in the outer scope
- `enter(table, name, type, offset)` creates a new entry in table
  - table – address of the current table, variable name, type and offset
- `addwidth(table, width)` accumulates the total width of all entries in table

```
A ( )  
{        }  
  B ( - )  
}
```



# Symbol Table functions

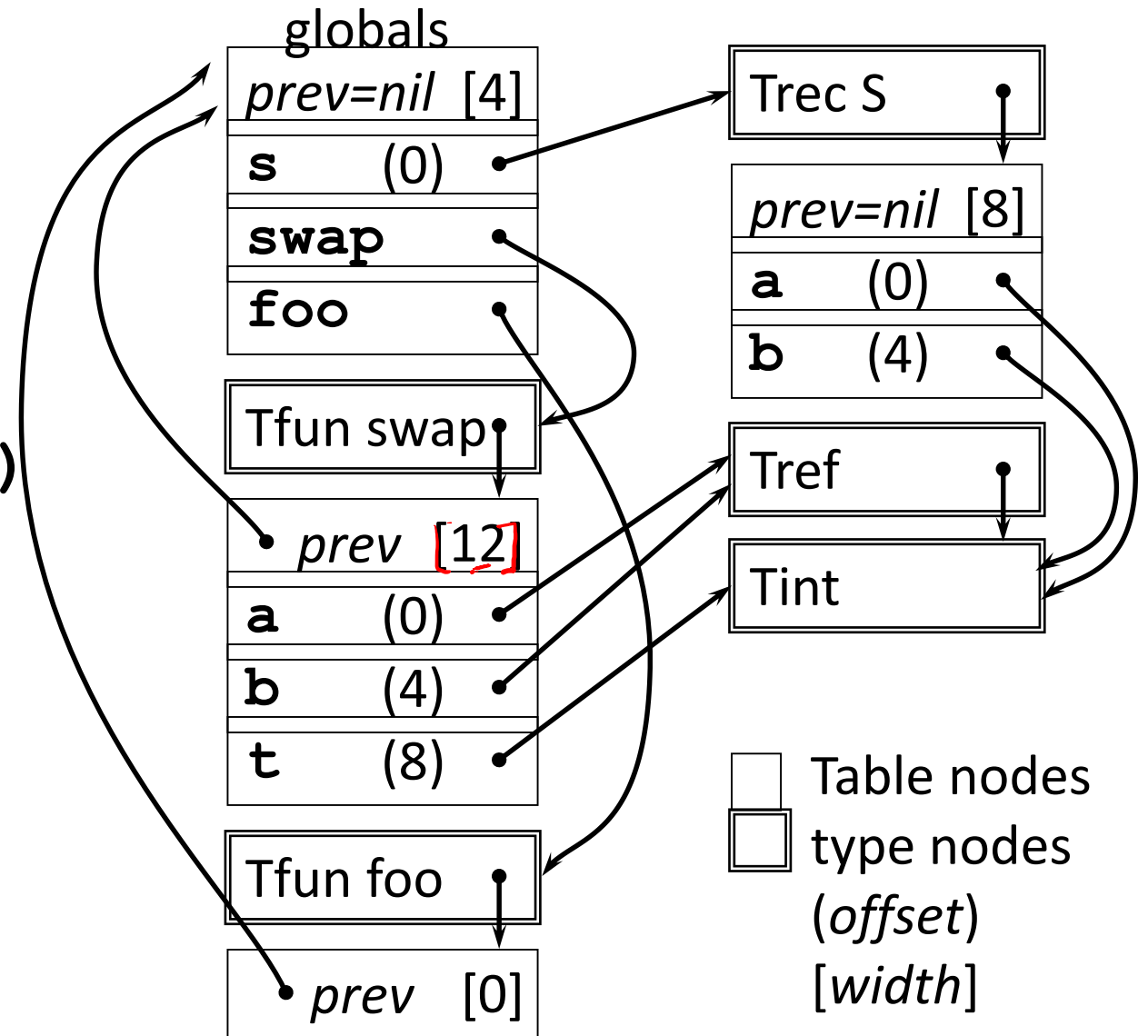
- `enterproc(table, name, newtable)` creates a new entry in table for procedure with local scope newtable
  - table – existing table, name of the newtable, address of the new table
- `lookup(table, name)` returns a pointer to the entry in the table for name by following linked tables



# Example

```
struct S
{ int a;
  int b;
} s;
```

```
void swap(int& a, int& b)
{ int t;
  t = a;
  a = b;
  b = t;
}
```



# Example

```
void foo()  
{ ...  
    swap(s.a, s.b) ;  
    ...  
}
```

# Example function call



Void foo( )

```
{  
  call A()  
  call B()  
  call C()  
}
```

Void A()

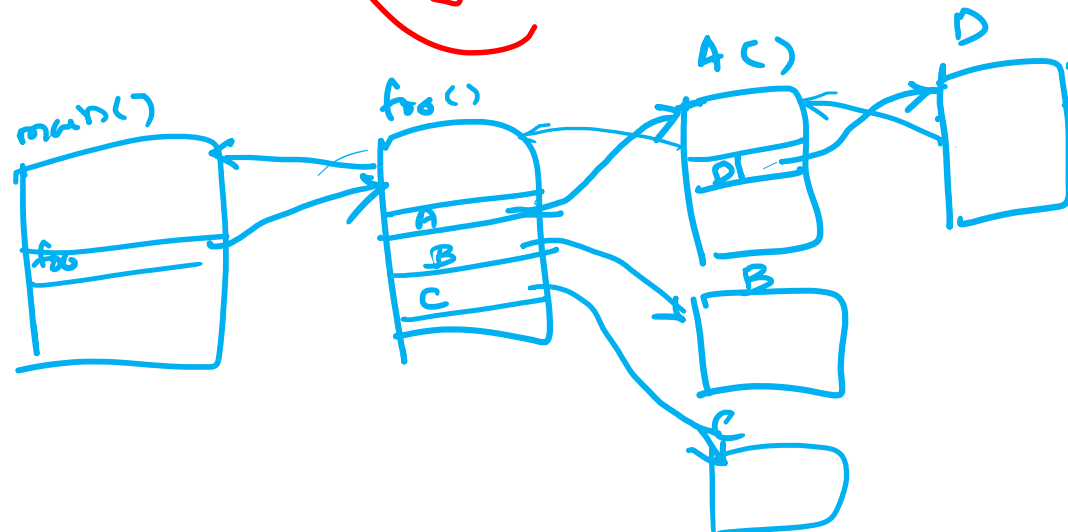
```
{  
  call D()  
}
```

void D()  
{  
 =  
 =  
}

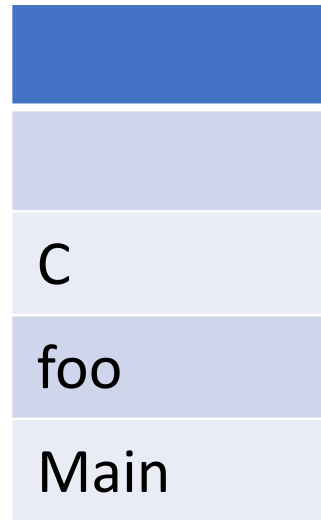
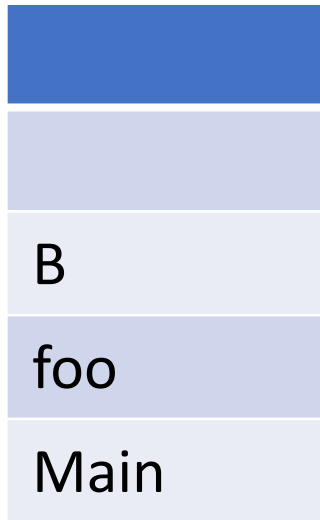
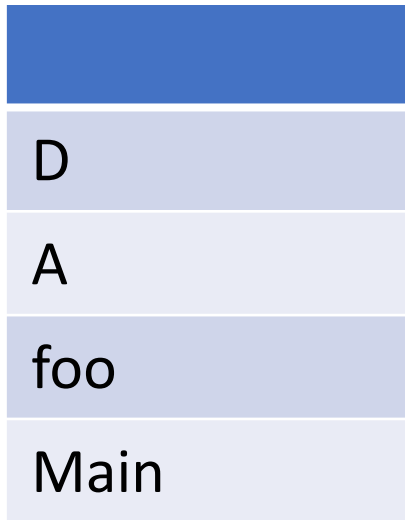


main ( )

```
{  
  foo()  
}
```



# Calling stack

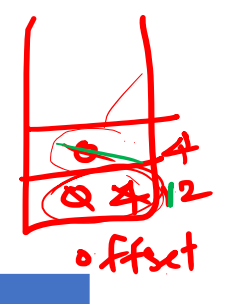


# Symbol Table semantic rules

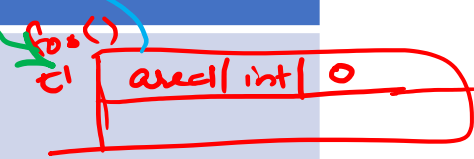
*foo()*  
§  
7 area: int

*main()*  
L  
area: int 8  
length: real - 8

*main*  
t := mktable()  
*main()*  
area | int | 0  
length | real | 4  
foo() | — | —



| Productions  | Semantic Rule  |
|--|--|
| $P \rightarrow M D ; S$                            | {addwidth (top(tblptr), top(offset));<br>pop(tblptr); pop(offset)}   |
| $M \rightarrow \varepsilon$                        | { t := mktable(nil); push(t, tblptr); push(0, offset) }  |
| $D \rightarrow \text{id} : T$                      | { enter(top(tblptr), <b>id</b> .name, T.type, top(offset));<br>top(offset) := top(offset) + T.width }                      |
| $D \rightarrow \text{proc } \text{id} ; N D_1 ; S$ | { t := top(tblptr); addwidth(t, top(offset));<br>pop(tblptr); pop(offset);<br>enterproc(top(tblptr), <b>id</b> .name, t) } |



$t_i := \text{mktable}(t)$

# Symbol Table creation

| Productions                                  | Semantic Rule   |
|--|---|
| $N \rightarrow \varepsilon$                  | { $t_i := \text{mktable}(\text{top}(\text{tblptr}))$ ; $\text{push}(t_i, \text{tblptr})$ ; $\text{push}(0, \text{offset})$ }    |
| $D \rightarrow D_1 ; D_2$                    |   |
| $T \rightarrow \text{integer}$               | { $T.\text{type} := \text{'integer'}$ ; $T.\text{width} := 4$ }   |
| $T \rightarrow \text{real}$                  | { $T.\text{type} := \text{'real'}$ ; $T.\text{width} := 8$ }  |
| $T \rightarrow \text{array [ num ] of } T_1$ | { $T.\text{type} := \text{array}(\text{num.val}, T_1.\text{type})$ ;<br>$T.\text{width} := \text{num.val} * T_1.\text{width}$ } |
| $T \rightarrow \wedge T_1$                   | { $T.\text{type} := \text{pointer}(T_1.\text{type})$ ; $T.\text{width} := 4$ }  |

# Symbol table tracking

- Stack of `tblptr` is available to keep track of the available symbol table
- When a new procedure is called a symbol table is created and its pointer pushed to this stack with offset
- When the call terminates this `tblptr` is popped

# Declarations and Records in Pascal

| Production                                     | Semantic rule  |
|--|--|
| $T \rightarrow \text{record } L D \text{ end}$ | <pre>{ T.type := record(top(tblptr)); T.width := top(offset);<br/>  addwidth(top(tblptr), top(offset)); pop(tblptr); pop(offset)<br/>}</pre> |
| $L \rightarrow \varepsilon$                    | <pre>{ t := mktable(nil); push(t, tblptr); push(0, offset) }</pre>   |



# SDT's of Statements

- $S \rightarrow S ; S$
- $S \rightarrow \mathbf{id} := E$ 
  - $\{ p := \text{lookup}(\text{top}(\text{tblptr}), \mathbf{id}.\text{name});$
  - if**  $p = \text{nil}$  **then**
  - $\text{error}()$
  - else if**  $p.\text{level} = 0$  **then** *// global variable*
  - $\text{emit}(\mathbf{id}.\text{place} \text{ '}' E.\text{place})$
  - else** *// local variable in subroutine frame*
  - $\text{emit}(\text{fp}[p.\text{offset}] \text{ '}' E.\text{place}) \}$

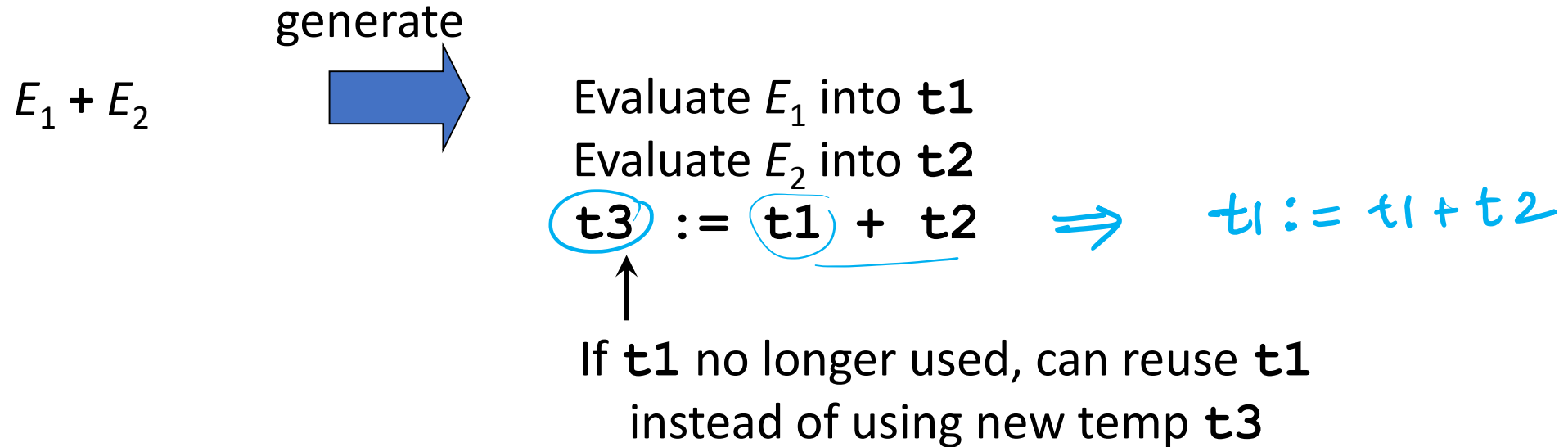
# Assignment statements

- Names in the symbol table
  - Variables referred to addresses
  - Lookup(id.name) identifies variable id in symbol table
    - Emit – used to emit three address statements to output file

# Translation scheme

| Production               | Semantic Rules  |
|--------------------------|---|
| $S \rightarrow id := E;$ | {p = lookup(id.name);<br>If p $\neq$ nil then emit (p $:=$ E.place) else error} |
| $E \rightarrow E1 + E2$  | {E.place = newtemp();<br>emit (E.place $:=$ E1.place $+$ E2.place)}             |
| $E \rightarrow E1 * E2$  | {E.place = newtemp();<br>emit (E.place $:=$ E1.place $*$ E2.place)}             |
| $E \rightarrow - E1$     | {E. place = newtemp();<br>emit(E.place $:=$ 'uminus' E1.place)}                 |
| $E \rightarrow (E1)$     | {E.place = E1. place}   |
| $E \rightarrow id$       | {p := lookp(id.name); if p $\neq$ nil then E.place :=p else error}              |

# Reusing Temporary Names



Modify *newtemp()* to use a “stack”:

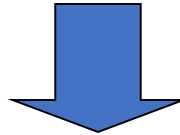
Keep a counter  $c$ , initialized to 0

*newtemp()* increments  $c$  and returns temporary  $\$c$

Decrement counter on each use of a  $\$i$  in a three-address statement

# Reusing temporary name

**$x := a * b + c * d - e * f$**



| <i>Statement</i>                        | <i>c</i> |
|---|----------|
|   | 0        |
| <b><math>\\$0 := a * b</math></b>       | 1        |
| <b><math>\\$1 := c * d</math></b>       | 2        |
| <b><math>\\$0 := \\$0 + \\$1</math></b> | 1        |
| <b><math>\\$1 := e * f</math></b>       | 2        |
| <b><math>\\$0 := \\$0 - \\$1</math></b> | 1        |
| <b><math>x := \\$0</math></b>           | 0        |