

# BNF Grammar for the language “Lua”

Shivam Bhagat 2015B5A70460H

Abhinav Kumar 2015B5A70674H

Yashdeep Thorat 2015B5A70675H

Rohan Jain 2015B4A70676H

---

<Program> ::= <Statements>

---

## SEQUENTIAL STATEMENTS

<Statements> ::= <Statement> ';' <Statements> | <Statement>

<Statement> ::= <Conditional-statement> | <Loop-statement> | <Assign-statement> |  
<Function-statement> | <expression>

---

## CONDITIONAL STATEMENTS

<Conditional-statement> ::= 'if' ( <expression> ) <Statements> 'end' |  
'if' ( <expression> ) <Statements> 'else' <Statements> 'end'

---

## LOOP CONSTRUCTS

<Loop-statement> ::= <while-stmt> | <repeat-stmt>

<while-stmt> ::= 'while' '(' <expression> ')' 'do' <Statements> 'end'

<repeat-stmt> ::= 'repeat' <Statements> 'until' '(' <expression> ')'

---

## ASSIGNMENT STATEMENTS

<Assign-statement> ::= <identifier> '=' <expression>

---

## LOGICAL/ARITHMETIC EXPRESSIONS (operators according to precedence)

<expression> ::= <expression> 'or' <or-term> | <or-term>

<or-term> ::= <or-term> 'and' <and-term> | <and-term>

<and-term> ::= <and-term> '<' <rel-term> | <and-term> '>' <rel-term> |  
<and-term> '<=' <rel-term> | <and-term> '>=' <rel-term> |  
<and-term> '~=' <rel-term> | <and-term> '==' <rel-term> | <rel-term>

<rel-term> ::= <rel-term> '+' <term> | <rel-term> '-' <term> | <term>

<term> ::= <term> '\*' <factor> | <term> '/' <factor> | <term> '%' <factor> | <factor>

<factor> ::= 'not' <un-term> | '#' <un-term> | '-' <un-term> | <un-term>

<un-term> ::= <un-term> '^' <power-term> | <power-term>

<power-term> ::= '(' <expression> ')' | <identifier> | <literal> | <Function-call>

---

## FUNCTION DECLARATION

<Function-statement> ::= 'function' <identifier> <func\_body>

<func\_body> ::= '(' <arguments> ')' <Statements> <return-statement> 'end' |  
'(' ')' <Statements> <return-statement> 'end'

<arguments> ::= <identifier> ',' <arguments> | <identifier>

<return-statement> ::= 'return' <expression-list>

<expression-list> ::= <expression> ',' <expression-list> | <expression>

---

---

**FUNCTION CALL**

<Function-call> ::= <identifier> '(' <arguments> ')' | <identifier> '(' ' ' )'

---

**VARIABLE DECLARATION**

<identifier> ::= <letter> <word>

<word> ::= <letter> <word> | <digit> <word> |  $\epsilon$

<literal> ::= <number-literal> | 'true' | 'false'

<number-literal> ::= <digit> <number-literal> | <digit>

<letter> ::= 'a' | 'b' | 'c' | ..... | 'z' | 'A' | 'B' | 'C' | ..... | 'Z' | '\_'

<digit> ::= '0' | '1' | '2' | .... | '9'

---