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# RECOGNIZE AN ARITHMETIC EXPRESSION USING LEX AND YACC

### AIM:

To check whether the arithmetic expression using lex and yacc tool.

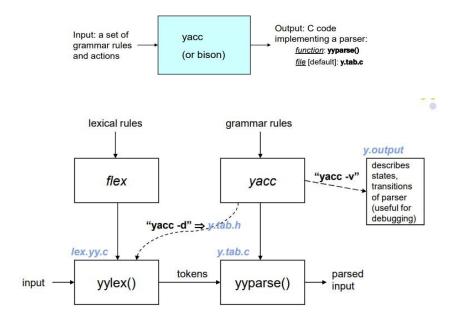
#### **ALGORITHM:**

- Using the flex tool, create lex and yacc files.
- In the C include section define the header files required.
- In the rules section define the REGEX expressions along with proper definitions.
- In the user defined section define yywrap() function.
- Declare the yacc file inside it in the C definitions section declare the header files required along with an integer variable valid with value assigned as 1.
- In the Yacc declarations declare the format token num id op.
- In the grammar rules section if the starting string is followed by assigning operator or identifier or number or operator followed by a number or open parenthesis followed by an identifier. The x could be an operator followed by an identifier or operator or no operator then declare that as valid expressions by making the valid stay in 1 itself.
- In the user definition section if the valid is 0 print as Invalid expression in yyerror() and define the main function.

# **LEX AND YACC WORKING:**

Parser generator:

• Takes a specification for a context-free grammar. • Produces code for a parser.



## **PROGRAM:**

```
validexp.l:
%{
#include<stdio.h>
#include "y.tab.h"
%}
%%
[a-zA-Z]+ return VARIABLE;
[0-9]+ return NUMBER;
[\t];
[\n] return 0;
. return yytext[0];
%%
int yywrap()
{ return 1;
validexp.y:
%{
  #include<stdio.h>
%}
%token NUMBER
%token VARIABLE
%left '+' '-'
%left '*' '/' '%'
%left '(' ')'
%%
S: VARIABLE'='E {
    printf("\nEntered arithmetic expression is Valid\n\n");
return 0;
E:E'+'E
|E'-'E
|E'*'E
|E'/'E
|E'%'E
|'('E')'
| NUMBER
| VARIABLE
```

```
;
%%%

void main()
{
    printf("\nEnter Any Arithmetic Expression which can have operations Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Divison, Modulus and Round brackets:\n");
yyparse();
}

void yyerror()
{
    printf("\nEntered arithmetic expression is Invalid\n\n");
}
```

# **OUTPUT:**

```
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# vi exp5.c
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# vi exp5.l
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# vi exp5.y
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# yzec -d exp5.y
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# zec -d exp5.y
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# zec -d exp5.y
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# ./a.out

Enter any Arithmetic Expression which can have operations Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Division, Modulus and Round brackets:
14+27

Entered arithmetic expression is Invalid
[root@localhost-live 210701515]# ./a.out

Enter any Arithmetic Expression which can have operations Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Division, Modulus and Round brackets:
a=2*3

Entered arithmetic expression is Valid
```

## **RESULT:**

Thus to check whether the arithmetic expression using lex and yacc tool has been verified.

