

QUESTIONS

- Construct a syntax tree for the Arithmetic Expression:  $(a+b) * (c-d) / e$ .
- How does an S-attributed definition differ from an L-attributed definition? Construct the grammar for both L and S attribute.
- Construct the annotated parse tree for the following Expression  $(2-3) * (4-2)$  and give the Syntax directed definition below:

$$L \rightarrow E$$

$$E \rightarrow T$$

$$E \rightarrow E1 + T$$

$$T \rightarrow F$$

$$T \rightarrow T1 * F$$

$$F \rightarrow (E)$$

$$F \rightarrow \text{digit}$$

## Answers

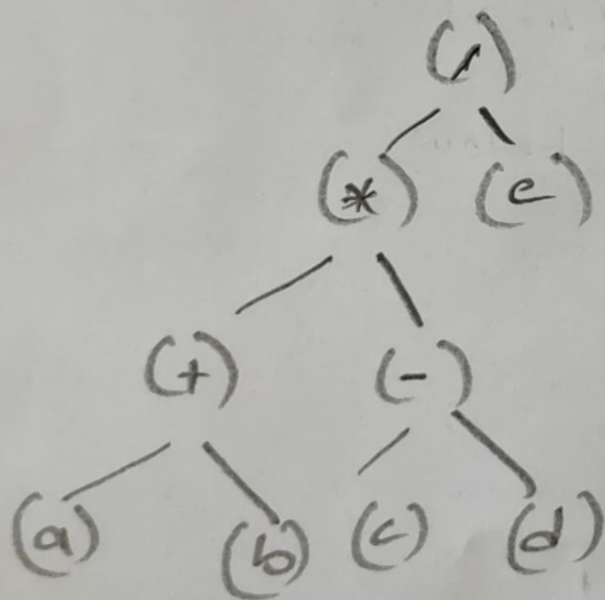
### 1. Operator Precedence and Associativity

1. Parenthesis
2. Multiplication
3. Division

### Syntax tree Construction

1.  $a + b$  and  $c - d$  form two subtrees.
2. These two results are multiplied.
3. The multiplication result is then divided by  $e$ .

### Syntax tree Representation.





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### S - Attribute:

- \* It uses only synthesized attributes.
- \* values are computed bottom-up in the parse tree.
- \* Suitable for bottom-up parsing.
- \* Requires a postorder traversal.
- \* used in evaluating Expression (E) where only synthesized values are needed.

### L - Attribute:

- \* Uses Both synthesized and inherited attributes.
- \* values are computed left to right, allowing inherited attributes.
- \* Suitable for top-down parsing.
- \* Requires a pre-order traversal.

\* Used in semantic rules like type checking, where inherited attributes influence children.

### S - attributed Grammar:

$$E \rightarrow E_1 + T \quad \& \quad E.val = E_1.val + T.val$$

$$E \rightarrow T \quad \& \quad E.val = T.val$$

$$T \rightarrow T_1 * F \quad \& \quad T.val = T_1.val * F.val$$

$$T \rightarrow F \quad \& \quad T.val = F.val$$

$$F \rightarrow (E) \quad \& \quad F.val = E.val$$

$$F \rightarrow num \quad \& \quad F.val = num.val$$

### L - Attributed Grammar:

$$E \rightarrow TE'$$

$$E' \rightarrow + T \quad \& \quad E'.inh = E.inh + T.val$$

$$E' \rightarrow \epsilon \quad \& \quad E'.val = E.inh$$

$$E' \rightarrow E \quad \& \quad E'.val = E.inh$$

$$T \rightarrow FT'$$

$$T' \rightarrow * F \quad \& \quad T'.inh = T.inh * F.val$$

$$T' \rightarrow \epsilon$$

$$T' \rightarrow E \quad \& \quad T'.val = T.inh$$

$$F \rightarrow (E) \quad \& \quad F.val = E.val$$

$$F \rightarrow num \quad \& \quad F.val = num.val$$



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Given Grammar:

$$E \rightarrow E + T$$

$$E \rightarrow E - T$$

$$E \rightarrow T$$

$$T \rightarrow T * F$$

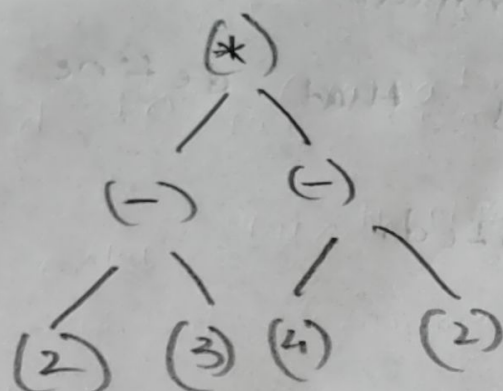
$$T \rightarrow T / F$$

$$T \rightarrow F$$

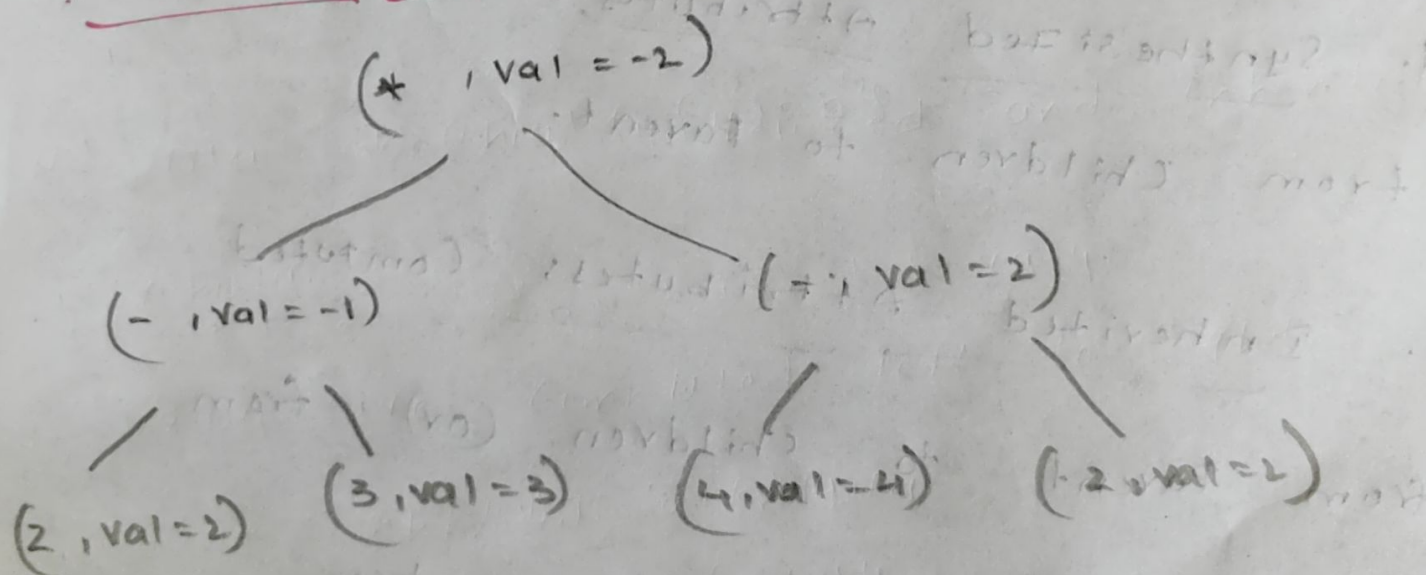
$$F \rightarrow (E)$$

$$F \rightarrow \text{digit}$$

Parse tree for  $(2-3) * (4-2)!$



With Computed values:



## Step - by - Step Evaluation:

1.  $2 - 3 = -1$

2.  $4 - 2 = 2$

3.  $(-1) * 2 = -2$

So the final Result = -2

\* A Syntax-directed Definition (SDD) is a Context free grammar augmented with Semantic Rules that define how attributes are Computed.

## Types of Attributes:

1. Synthesized Attributes: Computed from Children to Parent.

2. Inherited Attributes: Computed from Parent to children (or) from left siblings in a Parse tree.