

# Lab Mid Exam

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#### **QUESTION NO 1:**

Briefly describe the regex library of C#

#### **Answer:**

The theoretical aspects of regular expressions and how they are implemented in the C# Regex library:

# **Regular Expressions (Regex):**

- Regular expressions are a powerful tool for pattern matching and string manipulation.
- They provide a concise and flexible means for describing text patterns.
- Regex patterns consist of a combination of literal characters, metacharacters, and quantifiers.
- Metacharacters such as ^, \$, ., \*, +, ?, [, ], {, }, (, ), \, etc., have special meanings within a regex pattern.
- Quantifiers like \*, +, ?, {n}, {n,}, {n,m} specify the number of occurrences of a preceding element.

#### **Regex Class in C#:**

- The Regex class in C# encapsulates a compiled representation of a regular expression pattern.
- It provides methods for pattern matching, searching, replacing, and splitting strings based on regex patterns.
- The System.Text.RegularExpressions namespace contains this class and related types.
- The RegexOptions enum allows specifying various options like case insensitivity, multiline mode, and more.
- Example: Regex regex = new Regex(@"\b\d{3}\b", RegexOptions.IgnoreCase);

# Match and MatchCollection:

- The Match class represents a single match of a regex pattern within a string.
- It provides properties to access the matched value and captured groups within the match.
- The MatchCollection class represents a collection of matches found within a string.
- It allows iterating over multiple matches found in a single string.

# **Groups and Capturing:**

- Parentheses () in a regex pattern create capturing groups.
- Capturing groups allow extracting portions of the matched string.
- Each capturing group can be accessed using the Groups property of a Match object.

#### **Constructors:**

The Regex class has various constructors for initializing instances with different parameters.

#### **Example:**

- Regex regex1 = new Regex(@"\b[A-Z0-9.\_%+-]+@[A-Z0-9.-]+\.[A-Z]{2,}\b", RegexOptions.IgnoreCase);
- Regex regex2 = new Regex(@"\b[A-Z0-9.\_\%+-]+@[A-Z0-9.-]+\.[A-Z] $\{2,\}$ \b", RegexOptions.IgnoreCase | RegexOptions.Compiled);

#### **Properties:**

- Options: Gets the options passed into the Regex constructor.
- MatchTimeout: Gets the time-out interval for pattern matching.

#### **Example:**

- Regex regex = new Regex(@"\b\d{3}\b", RegexOptions.IgnoreCase);
- RegexOptions options = regex.Options; // Returns RegexOptions.IgnoreCase

#### **Methods:**

- Match: Searches the specified input string for the first occurrence of the regular expression.
- **Matches:** Searches the specified input string for all occurrences of the regular expression.
- **Replace:** Replaces all occurrences of the regular expression pattern with a specified replacement string.

#### **Example:**

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string input = "The price is $100 and $200.";

string pattern = @"\$\d+";

string result = Regex.Replace(input, pattern, "[$&]");

// Output: "The price is [$100] and [$200]."
```

# **Performance Considerations:**

- Regular expressions can be computationally expensive, especially for complex patterns or large input strings.
- Compiling a regex pattern can improve performance for multiple uses of the same pattern.
- The RegexOptions.Compiled option compiles the regex pattern for improved performance.

## **Use Cases:**

- Validation: Validate email addresses, phone numbers, etc.
- Manipulation: Replace or extract substrings based on patterns.
- Search and Extraction: Find and extract specific information from text.

Regular expressions are powerful tools for string manipulation and text processing tasks, and the C# Regex class provides a convenient way to work with them in your applications.

### **Question No 02:**

Make recursive descent or LL1 parser or recursive descent parser for the following grammar:

 $S \rightarrow X$ \$

X -> X % Y | Y

 $Y \rightarrow Y & Z | Z$ 

 $Z \rightarrow k X k \mid g$ 

#### **Answer:**

Making the above grammar right recursive to implement recursive descent or LL1 parser or recursive descent parser Hence, resulted grammar is

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### **Right Recursive Grammer:**

S -> X\$

X -> YX'

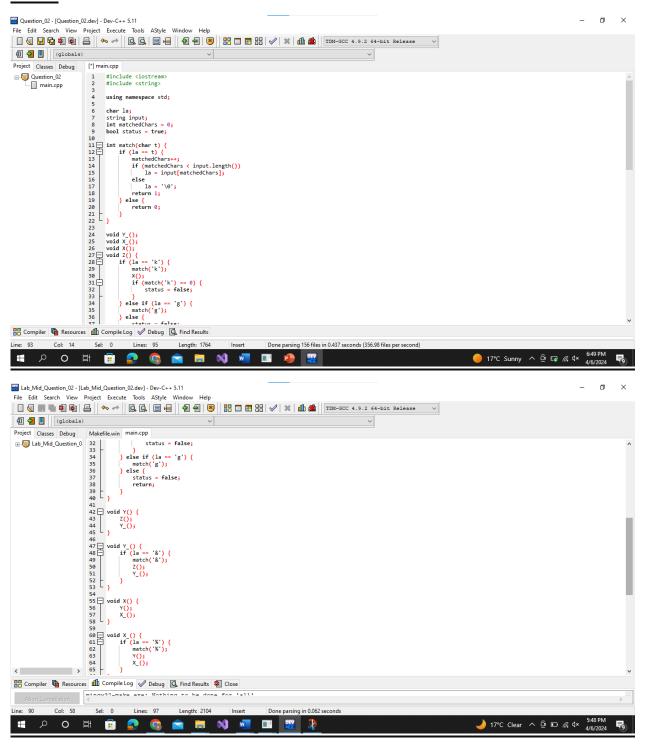
X' -> %ΥΧ' | ε

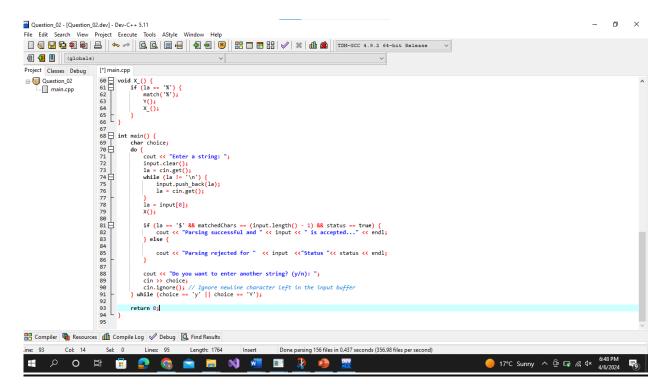
 $Y \rightarrow ZY'$ 

Y' -> &ZY' | ε

 $Z \rightarrow kXk \mid g$ 

### **Code:**





# **Output:**

The are the inputs that are checked:

- g\$
- g&g&g\$

The are the inputs that are checked:

- g%g&kgk\$
- g%g&kk\$

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Enter a string: g%g&kgk$
iparsing successful and g%g&kgk$ is accepted...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): y
Enter a string: g%g&kk$
Parsing failed and g%g&kk$ is rejected...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): n

Process exited after 74.74 seconds with return value 0
Press any key to continue . . .
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The are the inputs that are checked:

- g%g&kkgkk\$
- kgk\$
- kg&gk%\$
- kg&gk%g\$

```
Inter a string: g%g&kkgkk$

Parsing successful and g%g&kkgkk$ is accepted...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): y
Enter a string: kgk$

Parsing successful and kgk$ is accepted...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): y
Enter a string: kgk$

Parsing successful and kgk$ is accepted...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): y
Enter a string: kg&gk%$

Parsing failed and kg&gk%$ is rejected...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): y
Enter a string: kg&gk%$

Parsing successful and kg&gk%g$ is accepted...

Do you want to enter another string? (y/n): n

Process exited after 103.9 seconds with return value 0

Press any key to continue . . . _
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The are the inputs that are checked:

- kg&gk\$
- kg&gk\$%g\$

### **Question No 03:**

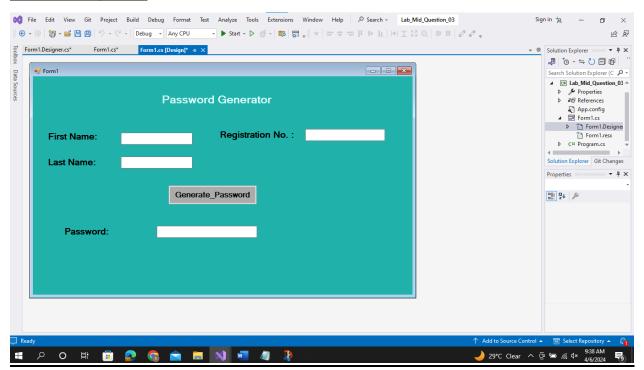
Make a Password generator according the following rules:

- (a) Atleast one uppercase alphabet
- (b) Atleast 4 numbers, two numbers must be your registration numbers
- (c) Atleast 2 special characters
- (d) Must contain initials of first and last name
- (e) Must contain all odd letters of your first name.
- (f) Must contain all even letters of your last name.
- (g) maximum length of 16

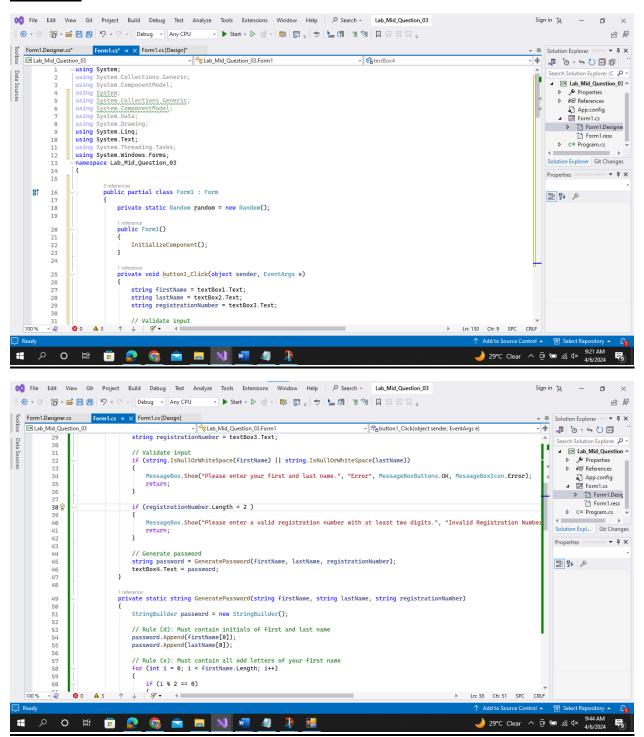
#### **Answer:**

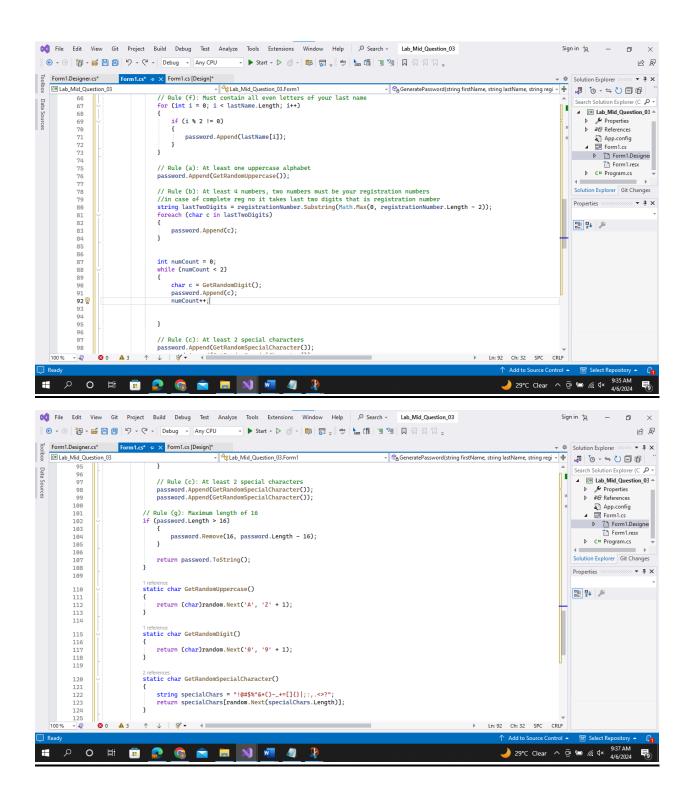
### It's a Windows Form Application Hence,

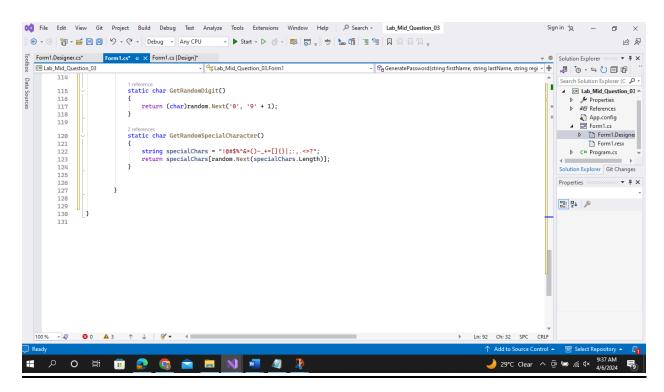
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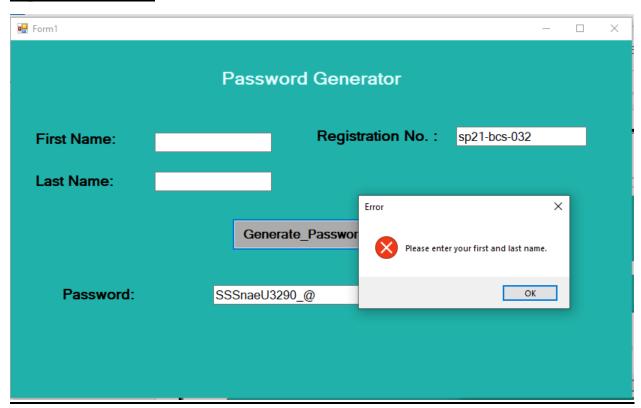


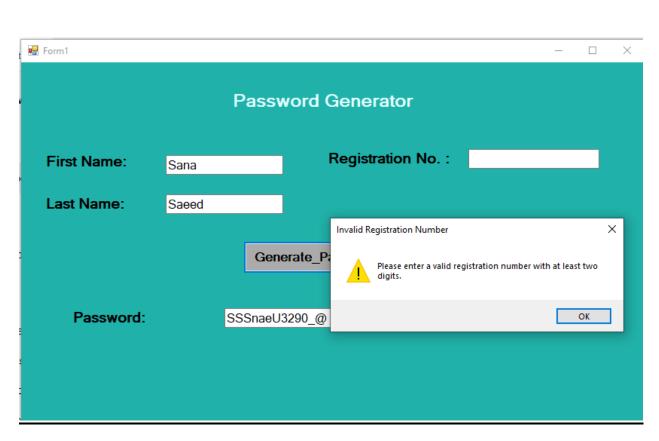




# **Output:**

## **Input Validations:**





# **Generated Passwords:**

