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# **Compiler Construction Lab 4**

## Task 1

## **Update:**

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<, >, = are added in operator section as follows
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test25.l.txt:
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```
%%
(("if"|("then")|("begin")|("end")|("procedure")|("function"))) {printf("A keyword: "); ECHO;
printf("\n\n");}
([+-/*=<>]) {printf("An Operator: "); ECHO; printf("\n\n");}
([\n\t" "]) {}
(([0-9]+)(.[0-9]+)?) {printf("A number: "); ECHO; printf("\n\n");}
([a-z]+[0-9a-zA-Z]*) {printf("An id: "); ECHO; printf("\n\n");}
. {printf("Unrecognized character: "); ECHO; printf("\n\n");}
%%
int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
if(argc>1)
yyin=fopen(argv[1],"r");
else
yyin=stdin;
yylex();
}
```

#### **Output:**

```
scolopendra@scolopendra-bytes:~/Local Disk Egg/University/Debian Semester 7/Comp
iler Construction/Labs/Lab 4/Lab 4 Files$ flex test25.l.txt
scolopendra@scolopendra-bytes:~/Local Disk Egg/University/Debian Semester 7/Comp
iler Construction/Labs/Lab 4/Lab 4 Files$ gcc lex.yy.c -lfl
scolopendra@scolopendra-bytes:~/Local Disk Egg/University/Debian Semester 7/Comp
iler Construction/Labs/Lab 4/Lab 4 Files$ ./a.out
if 5 > 92
A keyword: if
A number: 5
An Operator: >
A number: 92
```

### Task 2

#### Improvement:

The flex specification are too simple, like the arithematic and relational operators are mentioned together in the recent update. Also even all the keywords weren't used in specifications, symbol table might be a good choice to keep all keywords in and then used the keywords from there to specify keyword label.