

Crafting a Compiler:

Exercise 5.5 and 6.51(challenge question)

5. Transform the following grammar into LL(1) form using the techniques presented in Section 5.5:

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1 DeclList      → DeclList ; Decl
2               | Decl
3 Decl          → IdList : Type
4 IdList        → IdList , id
5               | id
6 Type          → ScalarType
7               | array ( ScalarTypeList ) of Type
8 ScalarType    → id
9               | Bound .. Bound
10 Bound        → Sign intconstant
11              | id
12 Sign         → +
13              | -
14              | λ
15 ScalarTypeList → ScalarTypeList , ScalarType
16              | ScalarType

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Rule	Left	Transformation
1	DeclList	Decl DeclList'
	DeclList'	; DeclList
		ϵ
3	Decl	IdList : Type
4	IdList	id IdList'
	IdList'	, IdList
		ϵ
5		
6	Type	ScalarType
7		Array (ScalarTypeList) of Type

8	ScalarType	id
9		Bound .. Bound
10	Bound	Sign intconstant
11		id
12	Sign	+
13		-
14		ϵ
15	ScalarTypeList	ScalarType ScalarTypeList'
	ScalarTypeList'	, ScalarTypeList
		ϵ
16		

51. The bottom-up parsing techniques given in this chapter are more powerful than top-down techniques given in Chapter 5.

Using the alphabet $\{a, b\}$, devise a language that is not $LL(k)$ for any k but is $LR(k)$ for some k . What property of $LR(k)$ parsing allows such a grammar to be constructed?

Dragon:

Do exercise 4.5.3 and 4.6.5

Exercise 4.5.1: For the grammar $S \rightarrow 0 S 1 \mid 0 1$ of Exercise 4.2.2(a), indicate the handle in each of the following right-sentential forms:

Exercise 4.5.2: Repeat Exercise 4.5.1 for the grammar $S \rightarrow S S + \mid S S * \mid a$ of Exercise 4.2.1 and the following right-sentential forms:

Exercise 4.5.3: Give bottom-up parses for the following input strings and grammars:

a) The input 000111 according to the grammar of Exercise 4.5.1.

b) The input $aaa * a + +$ according to the grammar of Exercise 4.5.2.

a.

0

00
000
0001
00S
00S1
0S
0S1
S

b.
first

a
S
Sa
SS
SSa
SSS
SSS*
SS
SSa
SSS
SSS+
SS
SS+
S

last

Exercise 4.6.5: Show that the following grammar:

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow A a A b \mid B b B a \\ A &\rightarrow \epsilon \\ B &\rightarrow \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

is LL(1) but not SLR(1).

First	Symbols	a	b
{a,b}	S	1	2
{}	A		
{}	B		
a	a		
b	b		

Every row and column intersection only points to one production and is therefore atomic.

