

Python Compiler - Milestone 2

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1 Compilation Instructions

To build this repository follow the following steps:

```
cd src          # Go the the source code directory
make all        # Run the Makefile to compile the toolchain
./cs335 --help  # Get information about the functioning of the compiler
./cs335 --input <path to input file>
make clean      # Clean all the compiled binaries
```

For more specific output you can also run the following commands:

```
# Give input directly from the terminal. Use --verbose or --full to display debug output.
./cs335

# Redirect debug outputs to the output file.
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --output <path to output file> --verbose
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --output <path to output file> --full

# Generate Symbol Table dump for the input program
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --symbol <path to directory of symbol table dump>

# Generate 3AC text file for the input program
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --3ac <path to store 3AC text file>

# Generate AST pdf and DOT script for the input program
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --dot <path to store dot script>
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --ast <path to store pdf file for AST>
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --dot <path to store dot script> --ast
<path to store pdf file for AST>

# Generate Parse Tree pdf for the input program
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --parse <path to store pdf file for parse tree>
```

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NOTE:

- We have provided some testcases in the *tests* subdirectory. To test the *./cs335* binary on these testcases, use the command:

```
./cs335 --input ../tests/test1.py
```

- The following condition should be met by every testcase: **Input test cases will use two spaces for indentation and will have a final newline.**
- While using **–ast** and **–dot** flags, the path to store this files should at the very least include filename. For example, if you want to generate the file **ast.pdf** in the same directory as the binary, use the command:

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --ast ./ast.pdf
```

- The use of **–ast** flag generates the AST pdf and **halts** further phases of compilation, like semantic analysis or 3AC generation. To generate symbol table dump, directly use the **–symbol** flag. To generate the 3AC text file, directly use the **–3ac** flag.
- When you set the **–3ac** flag, the flags **–ast** and **–parse** are ignored.
- Symbol table for **each function and class** would be dumped in a **separate csv file**.
- We recommend that you store all the outputs in specific folders in the **milestone2/output** subdirectory.
- For example, use the following command for generating symbol table for *test1.py*:

```
./cs335 --input <../tests/test1.py> --symbol <../output/symboltable>
```

- For example, use the following command for generating 3AC for *test1.py*:

```
./cs335 --input <../tests/test1.py> --3ac <../output/3ac/test1.txt>
```

2 Different flag functionalities

2.1 help

```
./cs335 --help
```

Display of information about the compiler flags.

2.2 input

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file>
```

Adds the path of the input file. By default it is the standard input. The next argument after **–input** flag should correspond to the location where the input file is present.

2.3 output

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --output <path to output file>
```

Adds the path of the output file. By default compiler output is displayed at the standard output. The next argument after `-output` flag should correspond to the location where the output is to be stored.

2.4 verbose

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --verbose
```

Prints detailed compilation log and debug outputs.

2.5 full

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --full
```

Prints the complete debug output.

2.6 error

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --error <path to error file>
```

Adds the path of the error file. By default it is the standard error. The next argument after `-error` flag should correspond to the location where the error is redirected.

2.7 debug

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --debug <path to debug file>
```

Adds the path of the debug output file. By default it is the standard output. The next argument after `-debug` flag should correspond to the location where the debug output is redirected.

2.8 ast

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --ast <path to store pdf file for AST>
```

Configures the compiler to output Abstract Syntax Tree of the input program in a PDF. The next argument after `-ast` flag should correspond to the location where the ast file is to be stored.

2.9 dot

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --dot <path to store dot script>
```

Configures the compiler to output the DOT script corresponding to input program in a .dot file. The next argument after `-dot` flag should correspond to the location where the dot file is to be stored.

2.10 parse

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --parse <path to store pdf file for Parse Tree>
```

Configures the compiler to output the Parse tree of the input program in a PDF. The next argument after `-parse` flag should correspond to the location where the parse tree file is to be stored.

2.11 symbol

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --symbol <path to directory of symbol table dump>
```

Configures the compiler to dump details of information stored in symbol table in form of .csv file outputs. The next argument after `--symbol` flag should correspond to the directory where the symbol table is to be dumped.

2.12 3ac

```
./cs335 --input <path to input file> --3ac <path to store text file for 3AC>
```

Configures the compiler to print the output 3AC IR of the source program in a text file. When this flag is set the flags `-ast` and `-parse` will be ignored. The next argument after `--3ac` flag should correspond to the location where the 3AC IR text file is to be stored.