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SOEN442 - Assignment 3

Section 1 - Attribute Grammar

The following is the attribute grammar

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```
<START> -> <PROG> 'endoffile'

<ADDOP> -> 'plus' !makeAdditionOperation
<ADDOP> -> 'minus' !makeSubtractionOperation
<ADDOP> -> 'or'

<APARAMS> -> <EXPR> <REPTAPARAMS1>
<APARAMS> -> EPSILON

<APARAMSTAIL> -> 'comma' <EXPR>

<ARITHEXPR> -> <TERM> <RIGHTRECARITHEXPR>

<ARRAYSIZE> -> 'opensqbr' <ARRAYSIZE2>

<ARRAYSIZE2> -> 'intnum' !addIntToTop 'closesqbr'
<ARRAYSIZE2> -> 'closesqbr'

<EXPR> -> <ARITHEXPR> <EXPR2>

<EXPR2> -> <RELOP> <ARITHEXPR>
<EXPR2> -> EPSILON

<FACTOR> -> 'id' !makeIdentifier <FACTOR2>
    <REPTVARIABLEORFUNCTIONCALL>
<FACTOR> -> 'intnum' !makeInt
<FACTOR> -> 'floatnum'
<FACTOR> -> 'openpar' <ARITHEXPR> 'closepar'
<FACTOR> -> 'not' <FACTOR>
<FACTOR> -> <SIGN> <FACTOR>

<FACTOR2> -> 'openpar' <APARAMS> 'closepar'
<FACTOR2> -> <REPTIDNEST1>

<FPARAMS> -> 'id' !makeIdentifier 'colon' <TYPE> !makeType
    !makeVariableDeclaration <REPTFPARAMS3> !closeDims
    <REPTFPARAMS4>
<FPARAMS> -> EPSILON

<FPARAMSTAIL> -> 'comma' 'id' !makeIdentifier 'colon' <TYPE>
    !makeType !makeVariableDeclaration <REPTFPARAMSTAIL4>
    !closeDims

<FUNCBODY> -> !makeStatementBlock 'opencurbr'
    <REPTLOCALVARORSTAT> 'closecurbr'
```

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```
<MEMBERFUNCDECL> -> <MEMBERFUNCHEAD> !makeFunctionDeclaration
    'semi'

<MEMBERFUNCHEAD> -> 'function' 'id' !makeIdentifier
    !makeParameterList 'colon' 'openpar' <FPARAMS> 'closepar'
    'arrow' <RETURNTYPE> !makeType
<MEMBERFUNCHEAD> -> 'constructorkeyword' 'colon' 'openpar'
    <FPARAMS> 'closepar'

<FUNCDEF> -> <FUNCHEAD> <FUNCBODY> !makeFunctionDefinition

<FUNCHEAD> -> 'function' 'id' !makeIdentifier <FUNCHEADTAIL>
<FUNCHEADTAIL> -> 'sr' <FUNCHEADMEMBERTAIL>
<FUNCHEADTAIL> -> 'openpar' !makeEmptyScopeSpecification
    !makeParameterList <FPARAMS> 'closepar' 'arrow' <RETURNTYPE>
    !makeType
<FUNCHEADMEMBERTAIL> -> 'id' !makeScopeSpecification 'openpar'
    !makeParameterList <FPARAMS> 'closepar' 'arrow' <RETURNTYPE>
    !makeType
<FUNCHEADMEMBERTAIL> -> 'constructorkeyword'
    !makeScopeSpecification 'openpar' !makeParameterList
    <FPARAMS> 'closepar'

<STATEMENT> -> 'id' !makeIdentifier <STATEMENTIDNEST> 'semi'
<STATEMENT> -> 'if' 'openpar' <RELEXPR> 'closepar' 'then'
    <STATBLOCK> 'else' <STATBLOCK> !makeIfStatement 'semi'
<STATEMENT> -> 'while' 'openpar' <RELEXPR> 'closepar'
    <STATBLOCK> 'semi'
<STATEMENT> -> 'read' 'openpar' <VARIABLE> 'closepar' 'semi'
<STATEMENT> -> 'write' 'openpar' <EXPR> 'closepar' 'semi'
<STATEMENT> -> 'return' 'openpar' <EXPR> 'closepar' 'semi'

<STATEMENTIDNEST> -> 'dot' 'id' <STATEMENTIDNEST>
<STATEMENTIDNEST> -> 'openpar' <APARAMS> 'closepar'
    <STATEMENTIDNEST2>
<STATEMENTIDNEST> -> <INDICE> <REPTIDNEST1> <STATEMENTIDNEST3>
<STATEMENTIDNEST> -> 'assign' <EXPR> !makeAssExpr

<STATEMENTIDNEST2> -> EPSILON
<STATEMENTIDNEST2> -> 'dot' 'id' <STATEMENTIDNEST>

<STATEMENTIDNEST3> -> 'assign' <EXPR>
<STATEMENTIDNEST3> -> 'dot' 'id' <STATEMENTIDNEST>

<REPTIDNEST1> -> <INDICE> <REPTIDNEST1>
<REPTIDNEST1> -> EPSILON
```

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```
<REPTVARIABLEORFUNCTIONCALL> -> <IDNEST>
    <REPTVARIABLEORFUNCTIONCALL>
<REPTVARIABLEORFUNCTIONCALL> -> EPSILON

<IDNEST> -> 'dot' 'id' <IDNEST2>
<IDNEST2> -> 'openpar' <APARAMS> 'closepar'
<IDNEST2> -> <REPTIDNEST1>

<INDICE> -> 'opensqbr' <ARITHEXPR> 'closesqbr'

<MEMBERDECL> -> <MEMBERFUNCDECL>
<MEMBERDECL> -> <MEMBERVARDECL>

<MEMBERVARDECL> -> 'attribute' 'id' !makeIdentifier 'colon'
    <TYPE> !makeType !makeVariableDeclaration <REPTARRAYSIZE>
    !closeDims 'semi'

<MULTOP> -> 'mult' !makeMultiplyOperation
<MULTOP> -> 'div' !makeDivisionOperation
<MULTOP> -> 'and'

<OPTINHERITS> -> 'isa' 'id' !makeIdentifier !consume
    <REPTINHERITSLIST>
<OPTINHERITS> -> EPSILON

<REPTINHERITSLIST> -> 'comma' 'id' !makeIdentifier !consume
    <REPTINHERITSLIST>
<REPTINHERITSLIST> -> EPSILON

<PROG> -> <REPTPROG0> !makeProgram

<RELEXPR> -> <ARITHEXPR> <RELOP> !makeRelativeOperator
    <ARITHEXPR> !makeRelativeExpression

<RELOP> -> 'eq'
<RELOP> -> 'neq'
<RELOP> -> 'lt'
<RELOP> -> 'gt'
<RELOP> -> 'leq'
<RELOP> -> 'geq'

<REPTAPARAMS1> -> <APARAMSTAIL> <REPTAPARAMS1>
<REPTAPARAMS1> -> EPSILON

<REPTFPARAMS3> -> <ARRAYSIZE> <REPTFPARAMS3>
<REPTFPARAMS3> -> EPSILON
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<REPTFPARAMS4> -> <FPARAMSTAIL> <REPTFPARAMS4>

<REPTFPARAMS4> -> EPSILON

<REPTFPARAMSTAIL4> -> <ARRAYSIZE> <REPTFPARAMSTAIL4>

<REPTFPARAMSTAIL4> -> EPSILON

<REPTPROG0> -> <CLASSDECLORFUNCDEF> <REPTPROG0>

<REPTPROG0> -> EPSILON

<CLASSDECLORFUNCDEF> -> <CLASSDECL>

<CLASSDECLORFUNCDEF> -> <FUNCDEF>

<REPTSTATBLOCK1> -> <STATEMENT> <REPTSTATBLOCK1>

<REPTSTATBLOCK1> -> EPSILON

<REPTMEMBERDECL> -> <VISIBILITY> <MEMBERDECL> <REPTMEMBERDECL>

<REPTMEMBERDECL> -> EPSILON

<REPTARRAYSIZE> -> <ARRAYSIZE> <REPTARRAYSIZE>

<REPTARRAYSIZE> -> EPSILON

<RETURNRTYPE> -> <TYPE>

<RETURNRTYPE> -> 'void'

<RIGHTRECARITHEXPR> -> <ADDOP> <TERM> !addFactorToOp

<RIGHTRECARITHEXPR>

<RIGHTRECARITHEXPR> -> EPSILON

<RIGHTRECTERM> -> <MULTOP> <FACTOR> !addFactorToOp

<RIGHTRECTERM>

<RIGHTRECTERM> -> EPSILON

<SIGN> -> 'plus'

<SIGN> -> 'minus'

<STATBLOCK> -> 'opencurbr' !makeStatementBlock <REPTSTATBLOCK1>
'closecurbr'

<STATBLOCK> -> <STATEMENT>

<STATBLOCK> -> EPSILON

<CLASSDECL> -> 'class' 'id' !makeIdentifier !makeInheritanceList

<OPTINHERITS> 'opencurbr' !makeMemberList <REPTMEMBERDECL>

'closecurbr' !makeClassDeclaration 'semi'

<TERM> -> <FACTOR> <RIGHTRECTERM>

<TYPE> -> 'integer'

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```
<TYPE> -> 'float'
<TYPE> -> 'id'

<LOCALVARDECL> -> 'localvar' 'id' !makeIdentifier 'colon' <TYPE>
    !makeType !makeVariableDeclaration <ARRAYOROBJECT> !closeDims
    'semi'
<ARRAYOROBJECT> -> <REPTARRAYSIZE>
<ARRAYOROBJECT> -> 'openpar' <APARAMS> 'closepar'

<REPTLOCALVARORSTAT> -> <LOCALVARORSTAT> <REPTLOCALVARORSTAT>
<REPTLOCALVARORSTAT> -> EPSILON

<LOCALVARORSTAT> -> <LOCALVARDECL>
<LOCALVARORSTAT> -> <STATEMENT>

<VARIABLE> -> 'id' <VARIABLE2>

<VARIABLE2> -> <REPTIDNEST1> <REPTVARIABLE>
<VARIABLE2> -> 'openpar' <APARAMS> 'closepar' <VARIDNEST>

<REPTVARIABLE> -> <VARIDNEST> <REPTVARIABLE>
<REPTVARIABLE> -> EPSILON

<VARIDNEST> -> 'dot' 'id' <VARIDNEST2>
<VARIDNEST2> -> 'openpar' <APARAMS> 'closepar' <VARIDNEST>
<VARIDNEST2> -> <REPTIDNEST1>

<VISIBILITY> -> 'public'
<VISIBILITY> -> 'private'
```

Note that the non-terminals are surrounded by pointy brackets (< >). Terminals are surrounded by single quotation marks (' '). The semantic actions are prefaced with the exclamation mark (!) symbol.

As mentioned in the design document for Assignment 2, my parser works by generating the first and follow sets in code by reading the grammar file (located in grammar/grammar.grm). So I added code to ignore these words in the grammar only for the first and follow set generation steps. But they are present in the cells of the final grammar table.

A detailed description in code of what each semantic action does can be found from line 80 onwards in the Parser.java file. The below image is a screenshot of this file. The switch statement continues down for a lot more cases than is included in this screenshot.

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```
79 String semanticAction = top.substring(1, top.length());
80 switch (semanticAction) {
81     case "makeProgram": // todo: temp implementation
82         while (!semanticStack.isEmpty())
83             program.addChild(semanticStack.pop());
84         break;
85     case "makeIdentifier":
86         SemanticConcept identifier = new Identifier(lastToken);
87         semanticStack.add(identifier);
88         break;
89     case "makeAssExpr":
90         AssignmentStatement assignmentStatement = new AssignmentStatement(semanticStack.pop(), semanticStack.pop());
91         semanticStack.peek().addChild(assignmentStatement);
92         break;
93     case "makeInt":
94         Num number = new Num(lastToken);
95         semanticStack.push(number);
96         break;
97     case "makeMultiplyOperation":
98         semanticStack.push(new MultiplyOperation(semanticStack.pop()));
99         break;
100    case "addFactorToOp":
101        SemanticConcept factor = semanticStack.pop();
102        semanticStack.peek().addChild(factor);
103        break;
104    case "makeAdditionOperation":
105        semanticStack.push(new AdditionOperation(semanticStack.pop()));
106        break;
107    case "makeSubtractionOperation":
108        semanticStack.push(new SubtractionOperation(semanticStack.pop()));
109        break;
110    case "makeDivisionOperation":
111        semanticStack.push(new DivisionOperation(semanticStack.pop()));
112        break;
113    case "makeType":
```

The vast majority of these semantic actions are intuitively described by their names. They simply *make* a node of a particular semantic concept and push it to the semantic stack. Often, this semantic concept node will be passed other semantic concepts in its constructor by repeatedly calling `pop()` on the semantic stack. This is a means of propagating information up the tree. See “makeDivisionOperation” for an example of this.

Other times the last processed token is given in the constructor and stored in the semantic concept node. See “makeInt” for an example of this.

Another *hacky* technique I used is that in some semantic actions, instead of adding the newly created semantic concept node to the semantic stack, I add it to the top node of the stack’s children. This allows me to avoid complicated logic involved with special tokens added to the stack as seen in the slide sets. See “makeFunctionDeclaration” for an example of this.

Section 2 - Design

The following attributes were added to the Parser class.

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```
29      7 usages
      private FoundToken lastToken;
      5 usages
30      private Program program;
      3 usages
31      private FunctionDefinitionList functionDefinitionList;
      3 usages
32      private ClassDeclarationList classDeclarationList;
      54 usages
33      private Stack<SemanticConcept> semanticStack;
```

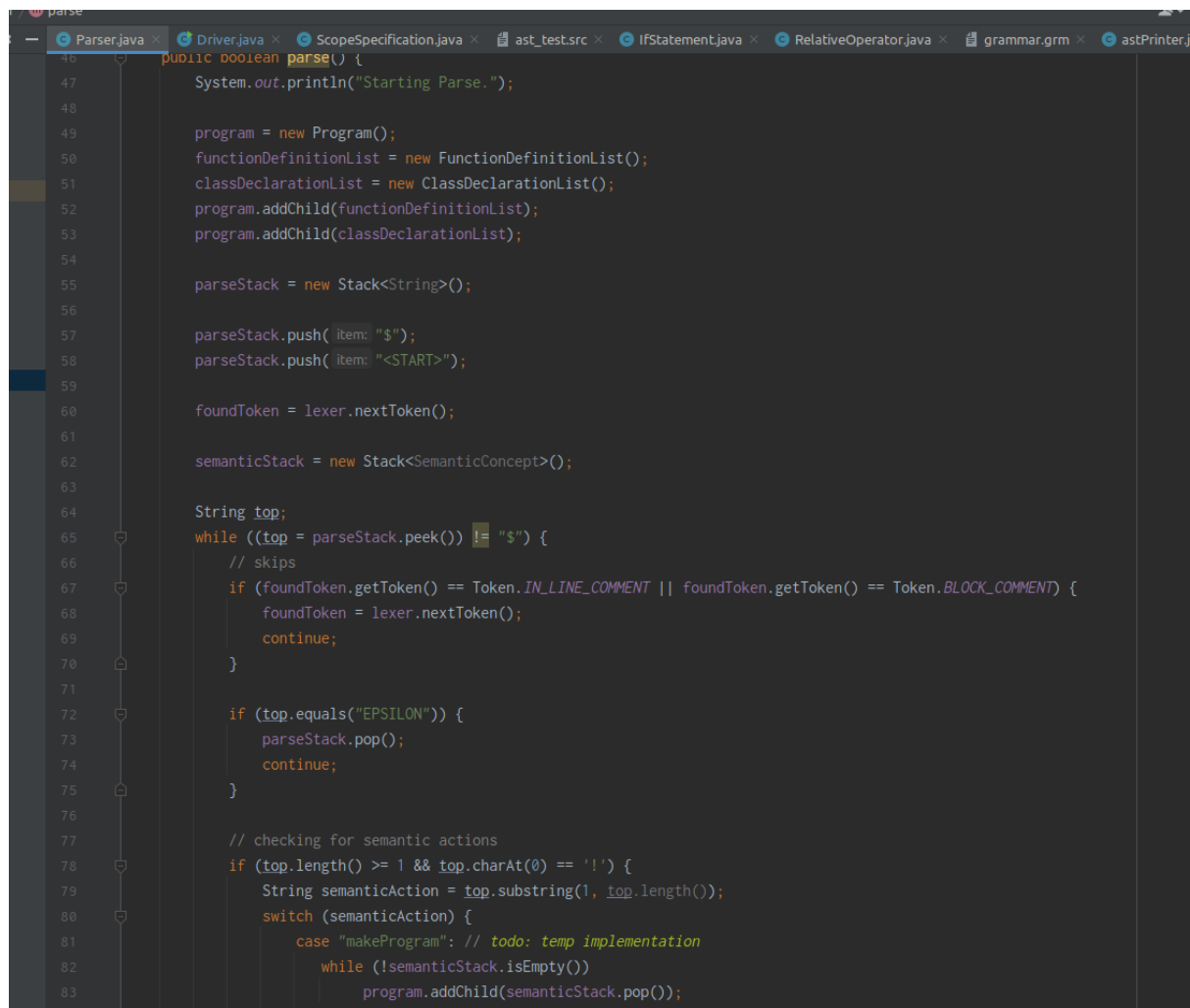
lastToken is simply used to store the last seen token and is updated whenever *Lexer.nextToken()* is called. *Program*, *FunctionDefinitionList*, and *ClassDeclarationList* are all semantic concept objects. *Program* is maintained to keep root of the tree. The reason why variables for the *functionDefinition* and *classDeclarationList* are maintained is because in the grammar any sequence of these can be added in any order to the program. So when one of these is encountered, it is manually added to these semantic concept nodes. This was the simplest way I found to implement this behavior. See the below as an example:

```
case "makeFunctionDefinition":
    functionDefinitionList.addChild(new FunctionDefinition(semanticStack.pop(), semanticStack.pop(), semanticStack.pop(), semanticStack.pop(), semanticStack.pop()));
    break;
```

And then finally *semanticStack* represents the semantic stack for the the ast generation.

Below is a screenshot of the top of the *parse()* method of the *Parse* class. *Program*, *functionDefinitionList*, and *program*, and the *semanticStack*. The major addition to this method is starting on line 78 there is an if block that checks if the item in the *parseStack* is a semantic action. If so, then it is processed and then popped. The processing of the semantic actions consists of one giant switch statement as previously explained.

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```
46: public boolean parse() {
47:     System.out.println("Starting Parse.");
48:
49:     program = new Program();
50:     functionDefinitionList = new FunctionDefinitionList();
51:     classDeclarationList = new ClassDeclarationList();
52:     program.addChild(functionDefinitionList);
53:     program.addChild(classDeclarationList);
54:
55:     parseStack = new Stack<String>();
56:
57:     parseStack.push(item: "$");
58:     parseStack.push(item: "<START>");
59:
60:     foundToken = lexer.nextToken();
61:
62:     semanticStack = new Stack<SemanticConcept>();
63:
64:     String top;
65:     while ((top = parseStack.peek()) != "$") {
66:         // skips
67:         if (foundToken.getToken() == Token.IN_LINE_COMMENT || foundToken.getToken() == Token.BLOCK_COMMENT) {
68:             foundToken = lexer.nextToken();
69:             continue;
70:         }
71:
72:         if (top.equals("EPSILON")) {
73:             parseStack.pop();
74:             continue;
75:         }
76:
77:         // checking for semantic actions
78:         if (top.length() >= 1 && top.charAt(0) == '!') {
79:             String semanticAction = top.substring(1, top.length());
80:             switch (semanticAction) {
81:                 case "makeProgram": // todo: temp implementation
82:                     while (!semanticStack.isEmpty())
83:                         program.addChild(semanticStack.pop());
```

Below is a picture of the abstract SemanticConcept class that represents a node in the AST. All of semantic concept classes extend it. It contains a set of children and neighbors. As well as an option member attribute that holds a found Token.

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```
24 inheritors  👤 Adrien Tremblay
8  ⚙️ public abstract class SemanticConcept {
    3 usages
9      private Set<SemanticConcept> children;
    2 usages
10     private Set<SemanticConcept> neighbors;
    6 usages
11     protected FoundToken member = null;
12
    👤 Adrien Tremblay
13     public SemanticConcept() {
14         children = new HashSet<SemanticConcept>();
15         neighbors = new HashSet<SemanticConcept>();
16     }
17
    24 implementations  👤 Adrien Tremblay
18     public abstract String getName();
19
    3 usages  👤 Adrien Tremblay
20     public FoundToken getMember() {
21         return member;
22     }
23
    1 usage  👤 Adrien Tremblay
24     public Set<SemanticConcept> getChildren() {
25         return children;
26     }
27
    👤 Adrien Tremblay
28     public Set<SemanticConcept> getNeighbors() {
29         return neighbors;
30     }
31
    👤 Adrien Tremblay
32     public void addChild(SemanticConcept child) { children.add(child); }
35 }
```

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Another new class I added in the AstPrinter class that takes the root of the completed AST and prints it to a .dot.outast file.

```
1 usage  ▲ Adrien Tremblay
34  public void writeTree(SemanticConcept root) {
35      writeNode(root);
36      cleanup();
37  }
38
2 usage  ▲ Adrien Tremblay
39  private int writeNode(SemanticConcept node) {
40      int myId = nextNodeId;
41      try {
42          if (node.getMember() == null)
43              dotFileWriter.write( str: (nextNodeId++) + "[label=\"\" + node.getName() + "\"];\n");
44          else
45              dotFileWriter.write( str: (nextNodeId++) + "[label=\"\" + node.getName() + \" | \" + ((!(node instanceof RelativeOperator)) ? node.getMember().getLexeme() : node.getMember().
46
47          for (SemanticConcept child : node.getChildren())
48              dotFileWriter.write( str: myId + "->" + writeNode(child) + "\n");
49      } catch (IOException e) {
50          e.printStackTrace();
51      }
52      return myId;
53  }
```

There are minor changes of note in the GrammarTableGenerator class to ignore the semantic actions which are present in the grammar for the generation of the first and follow sets.

Section 3 - Use of Tools

Only one tool was used for this assignment, albeit indirectly. The [xdot](#) program was used to visualize the .dot.outast Abstract Syntax Tree files.