



Lecture 9

Syntax Analysis

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considering the precedence of $*$ over $+$, this one is correct.

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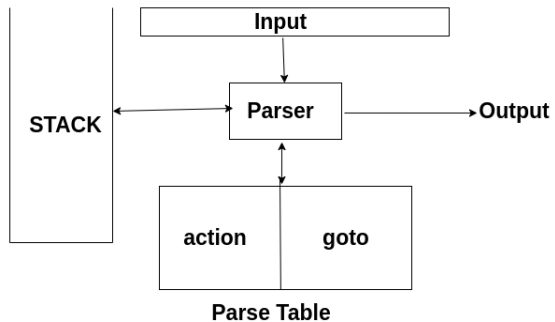
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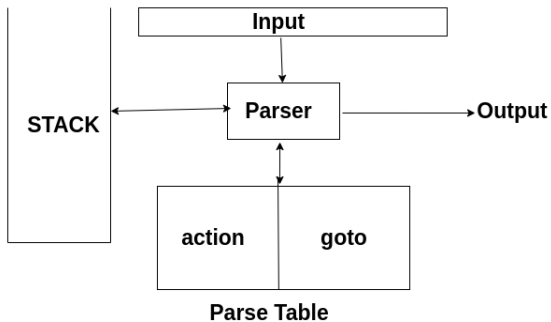
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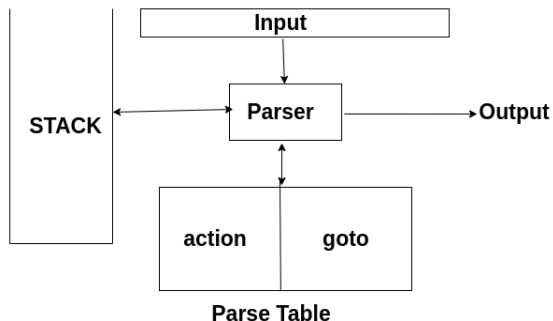


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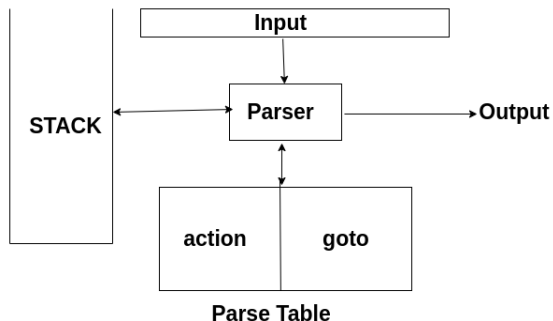
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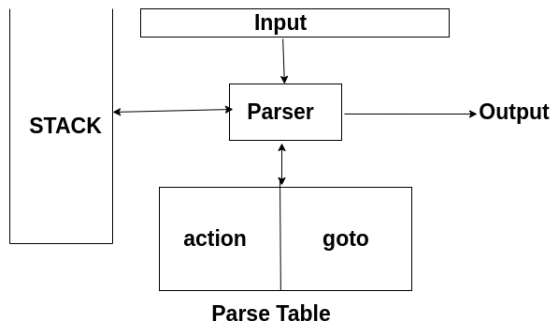
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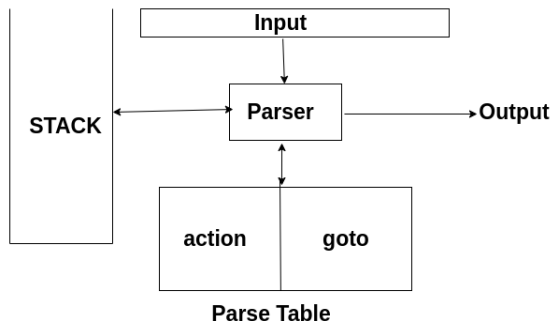
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Stack : $S_0X_1S_1\cdots S_{m-r}X_{m-r}S$ *Input* : $a_ia_{i+1}\cdots a_n\$$

Where $r = |\beta|$ and $S = \text{goto}[S_{m-r}, A]$

X_{m-r} will be A

- If $action[S_m, a_i] = \text{accept}$

Then parsing is completed. *HALT*

- If $action[S_m, a_i] = \text{error}$

Then invoke error recovery routine

No need to check anything when "accept" comes. Checks have been done during parse table creation.

LR parsing Algorithm

Algorithm $LR_{parsing_Algorithm}$

```
1: Initial State Stack :  $S_0$    Input :  $w\$$ 
2: for TRUE do
3:   if  $action[S, a] = shift$   $S'$  then
4:      $push(a); push(S'); ip++$ 
5:   else if  $action[S, a] = reduce$   $A \rightarrow \beta$  then
6:      $pop(2 * |\beta|)$  symbols;
7:      $push(A); push(goto[S'', A])$  { $S''$  is the state after popping symbols}
8:   else if  $action[S, a] = accept$  then
9:     exit
10:  else
11:    error()
12:  end if
13: end for
```

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- Consider the grammar $E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$ $T \rightarrow T * F \mid F$ $F \rightarrow (E) \mid id$

state	id	+	*	()	\$	E	T	F
0	s5			s4			1	2	3
1		s6				acc			
2		r2	s7		r2	r2			
3		r4	r4		r4	r4			
4	s5			s4			8	2	3
5		r6	r6		r6	r6			
6	s5			s4				9	3
7	s5			s4					10
8		s6			s11				
9		r1	s7		r1	r1			
10		r3	r3		r3	r3			
11		r5	r5		r5	r5			

Parse $\text{id} + \text{id} * \text{id}$

stack	input	action
0	$\text{id} + \text{id} * \text{id}\$$	s5
0id5	$+ \text{id} * \text{id}\$$	reduce $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
0F3	$+ \text{id} * \text{id}\$$	reduce $T \rightarrow F$
0T2	$+ \text{id} * \text{id}\$$	reduce $E \rightarrow T$
0E1	$+ \text{id} * \text{id}\$$	shift 6
0E1+6	$\text{id} * \text{id} \$$	shift 5
0E1+6id5	$* \text{id} \$$	reduce $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
0E1+6F3	$* \text{id} \$$	reduce $T \rightarrow F$
0E1+6T9	$* \text{id} \$$	shift 7
0E1+6T9*7	$\text{id} \$$	shift 5
0E1+6T9*7id5	$\$$	reduce $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
0E1+6T9*7F10	$\$$	reduce $T \rightarrow T * F$
0E1+6T9	$\$$	reduce $E \rightarrow E + T$
0E1	$\$$	acc