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Q1) Describe various phases of a compiler.

1) Lexical Analysis: Input: Source program
Output: Sequence of tokens.

Group character into tokens.

2) Syntax Analysis: checks whether tokens follow grammar rules of the language

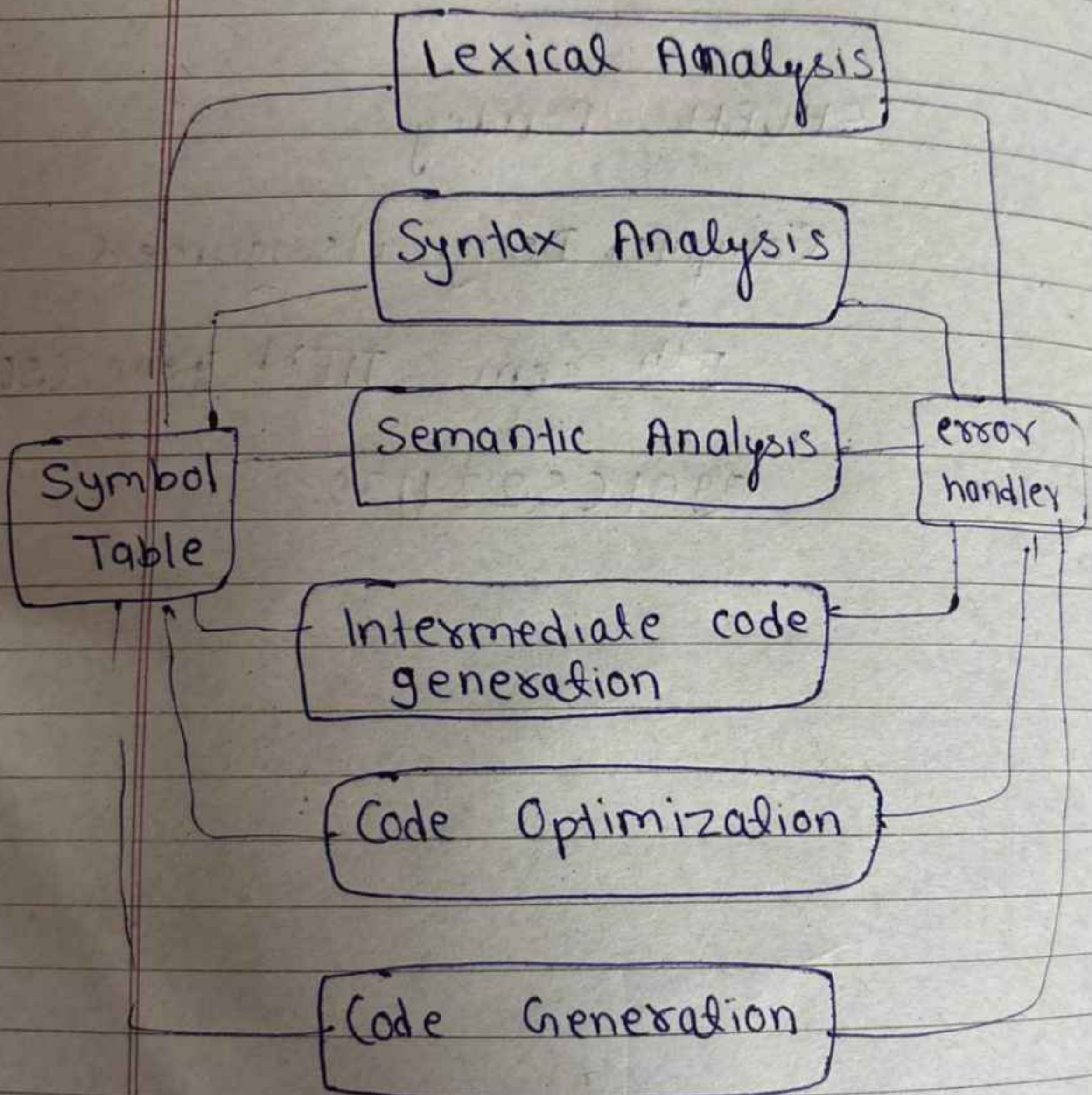
ex) $x = a + b * c;$

3) Semantic Analysis: checks semantic consistency, Type checking, etc.

4) Intermediate Code Generation: converts source code into a machine independent form.

5) Code Optimization: Improves code efficiency, eliminates redundancy, reduces memory usage etc.

Source Code



Q Describe bootstrapping & Porting

Bootstrapping: means writing a compiler for a programming lang in the same lang.

It is of 3 steps

- 1) Minimal Compiler
- 2) Self-Compiler
- 3) Full-Compiler

Porting: means adapting software to run on diff machine. ex Java Programm.

Q] Compare Single & multipass compiler.

~~Ans~~ Single Pass

- ① Single Scan is done
- ② Faster compilation
- ③ less memory needed
- ④ Simple to implement

⑤ ex: Pascal

Multipass

Multi Scan is done
Slower compilation
More memory needed
more complex,
modern.

ex C, C++.

Q Write Short notes on

① Cross Compiler: It is a compiler that runs on one machine but generate code for a diff machine.

ex: GCC can act as cross compiler.

② Incremental Compiler: It compiler only the changed parts of a program instead of recompiling the source code. Reduce compilatⁿ time.

ex : Eclipse, VS code

③ Major Data Structures : Symbol Table, Syntax Tree, Intermediate Representation, Error Log Table, Other Supporting Structures.

④ Interpreter: An interpreter directly executes source code instruction line by line, without converting the whole ~~int~~ program into machine code.

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Q Explain input buffering in detail.

Ans During lexical analysis, the source program is read char by char. If every char is read one by one, it becomes very slow because disk I/O is expensive. Input buffering solves this. Chars are read into a buffer in larger blocks & L.A. fetches character from this buffer.

Q Explain how tokens are recognized.

Ans A token is the smallest meaningful unit in a program. The L.A. reads the source code as a stream of characters & group them into Lexemes.

- ① Input Buffering
- ② Finite Automata
- ③ Pattern Matching
- ④ Token Creation

Q1

Write Short Notes on:

① Regular Grammar: A regular grammar that can be expressed using regular expressions & accepted by finite automata.

Two types of Grammar:

- ① Right linear Grammar.
- ② Left linear Grammar.

② Error Reporting: During compilation, the compiler detects errors & reports them to the user.

Types of errors:

- ① Lexical error
- ② Syntax error
- ③ Semantic error
- ④ Runtime error.

③ Role of Lexical Analysis

It is 1st phase of compiler.

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- ① Converts input character
- ② Removes whitespaces & comments
- ③ Maintains the symbol table
- ④ Provides error reporting for illegal token
- ⑤ Simplifies parsing by providing for illegal stream of tokens.

④ Token, Pattern, Lexeme

These are basic terms in Lexical Analysis

Token : A category of symbols with meaning.

Pattern : A rule that describes how tokens are formed.

Lexeme : The actual substring of the source program that matches a pattern.

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Q1)

$S \rightarrow ABBA|bCA$

$A \rightarrow \epsilon | BCDE$

$B \rightarrow CD|A|cd$

$C \rightarrow e|c|e$

$D \rightarrow b|S|F|a$

	S	A	B	C	D
First	b, ϵ , c, e	e, c, e	b, ϵ , a, c, e, e, ϵ	e, ϵ	b, a
Follow	\$	e, b, a, c	e, b, a, c	e, b, a, b	e, b, a, c

Q2] Construct LR parsing Table for the following Grammar.

$S \rightarrow aACl bB$

$A \rightarrow eD$

$B \rightarrow f i g$

$C \rightarrow h i i$

$D \rightarrow b e l e$

$E \rightarrow e D l d D$

Ans

Compute First & follow

	S	A	B	C	D	E
First	a, b	e	f, i, g	h, i, i	b, e	e, i, d
Follow	\$	h, i, i	\$	\$	h, i, i	h, i, i

$M[S, a]$	$= 1$	$S \rightarrow aAC$	-2
$M[S, b]$		$S \rightarrow bB$	-1
$M[A, e]$		$S \rightarrow eD$	-3
$M[B, f]$		$B \rightarrow f$	-3
$M[B, g]$		$B \rightarrow g$	-3
$M[C, h]$		$C \rightarrow h$	
$M[C, i]$		$C \rightarrow i$	
$M[D, b]$		$D \rightarrow bE$	
$M[D, h]$		$D \rightarrow E$	
$M[D, i]$		$D \rightarrow E$	
$M[E, e]$		$E \rightarrow eD$	
$M[E, d]$		$E \rightarrow dD$	

Q]

Construct LR(0) parsing table
for the following Grammar

$S \rightarrow CA | cCB$

$A \rightarrow CA | a$

$B \rightarrow cCB | b$

Ans

Create Augmented Grammar

$S' \rightarrow \epsilon A \cdot S$

$S \rightarrow \epsilon \cdot CA$

$S \rightarrow \epsilon \cdot cCB$

$A \rightarrow \epsilon \cdot CA$

$A \rightarrow a$ $B \rightarrow \cdot CC B$ $B \rightarrow b$

$I_0 : S \rightarrow \cdot S$
 $S \rightarrow \cdot CA$
 $S \rightarrow \cdot CC B$

 $I_1 \Rightarrow S \rightarrow S \cdot$ $I_3 \quad S \rightarrow CA \cdot$ I_2

$S \rightarrow C \cdot A$
 $S \rightarrow C \cdot CB$
 $A \rightarrow \cdot CA$
 $A \rightarrow \cdot a$

 $I_4 \quad A \rightarrow a \cdot$ I_5

$S \rightarrow CC \cdot B$
 $A \rightarrow C \cdot A$
 $A \rightarrow \cdot CA$
 $A \rightarrow \cdot a$
 $B \rightarrow \cdot CC B$
 $B \rightarrow \cdot b$

 I_6 $A \rightarrow CA \cdot$ I_7 $B \rightarrow b \cdot$ I_8

$B \rightarrow CC \cdot B$
 $A \rightarrow C \cdot A$
 $A \rightarrow \cdot CA$
 $B \rightarrow \cdot CC B$
 $B \rightarrow \cdot b$

Action

(a) b c \$

0

- - S2 -

1

- - - acc

2

S4 - S5 acc

3

r1 r1 r1 r1

4

r4 r4 r4 r4

5

S4 S7 S8 -

6

r3 r3 r3 r3

7

r6 r6 r6 r6

8

S4 - S10 -

9

r2 r2 r2 r2

10

S4 S7 S8 -

11

r5 r5 r5 r5

Q Construct LR(1) parsing Table for the following Grammar

$$S \rightarrow aSbS \mid bSaS \mid \epsilon$$

Ans Augmented Grammar:

$$S' \rightarrow S$$

$$S \rightarrow aSbS$$

$$S \rightarrow bSaS$$

$$S \rightarrow \epsilon$$

Item (I0, a) : $S \rightarrow a \cdot SbS, \$$

LI contain

$$S \rightarrow a \cdot SbS, \$$$

$$S \rightarrow \cdot aSbS, b$$

$$S \rightarrow \cdot bSaS, b$$

$$S \rightarrow \cdot \epsilon, b$$

I2:

$$S \rightarrow b \cdot SaS, \$$$

$$S \rightarrow \cdot aSbS, a$$

$$S \rightarrow \cdot bSaS, a$$

$$S \rightarrow \cdot \epsilon, a$$

I3:

$$S' \rightarrow S \cdot \$$$

State	a	b	\$	Goto (s)
0	S1	S2	r3	3
1	S1	S5	-	4
2	S6	S2	-	7
3	-	-	acc	-
4	S1	S5	r3	6
5	S6	S2	r3	8
6	r1	r1	r1	-
7	r2	r2	r2	-
8	r2	r2	r2	-

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Q Explain various storage allocation techniques on symbol Table.

1) Static Allocation: A symbol table stores info about identifiers during compilation. Fixed size & Location. Lifetime for entire program.

2) Stack Allocation: memory is allocated in stack segment at runtime when a function is called.

Local variables & function parameters are stored this way.

3) Heap Allocation.

memory allocated at runtime as needed.

Q2 Explain in brief various data structures that can be used in symbol table.

Ans Array / List

Simple array of records with one entry per identifier

Search: Linear ($O(n)$)

Simple but inefficient for large programs.

Linked List:

Each symbol is a node in a linked list

Support dynamic growth

Search: Linear in List length

can implement separate

chaining in hash tables

Hash Table:

Most commonly used in modern compilers

Symbols hashed into table entries.

Search / Insert / Delete: Average $O(1)$, worst $O(n)$ if collisions.

Collision handled via chaining.

Binary Search Tree:

Ordered structure of symbol

search / insert / delete: $O(\log n)$

Useful if ordered traversal of symbols is needed.

Stack :

- Useful to handle scopes in nested blocks
- Push Symbols when entering scope, pop when leaving scope.
- Often combined with hash tables for fast Lookup with scope awareness.

Q Differentiate Static & Dynamic binding.

Static Binding	Dynamic Binding
The variable or function to memory is determined at compile time	The binding is determined at runtime.
Compile time	Runtime

Less flexible

More flexible

Faster

Slower

Static variables

Objects in OOP Languages

Q Write Short Note on

① Activation Record

A data structure that stores information about a single function call during program execution

manages memory for local variables parameters return address & control information.

- ① Return address
- ② Parameters
- ③ Local variable
- ④ Saved Registers

⑤ Dynamic Link.

② Syntax & Semantic
Errors

Violation of programming
Language grammar.

Detected at compile time
by the parser.

Semantic Errors:

Errors related to meaning
of program rather than
structure.

Detected at compile time
or runtime depending on
runtime.

- Ex Type mismatch, undeclared variables, incompatible operations.