CS340400 Compiler Design Homework 1

Deadline

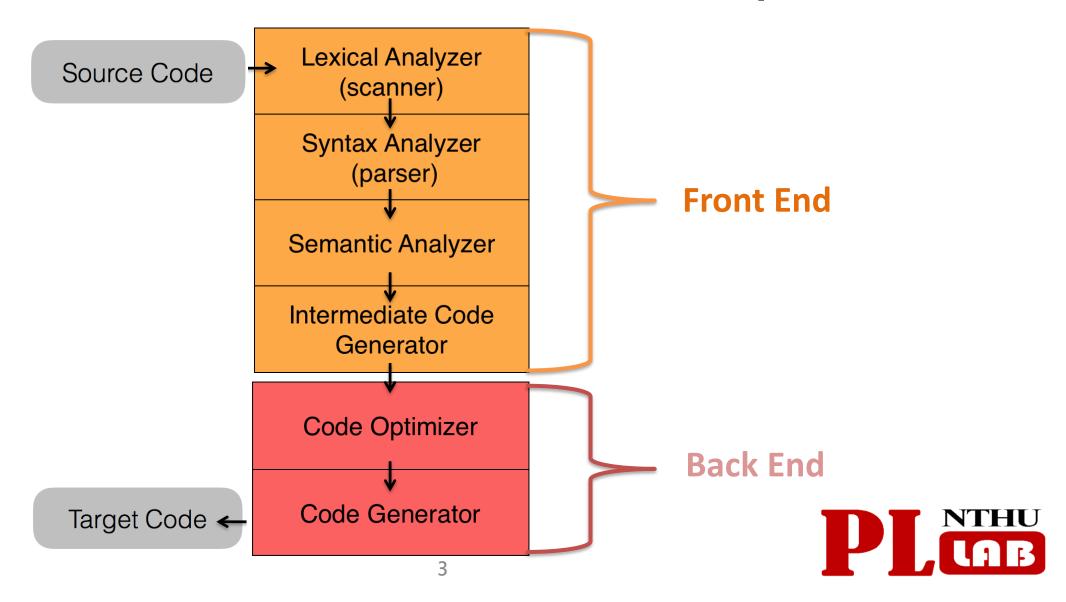
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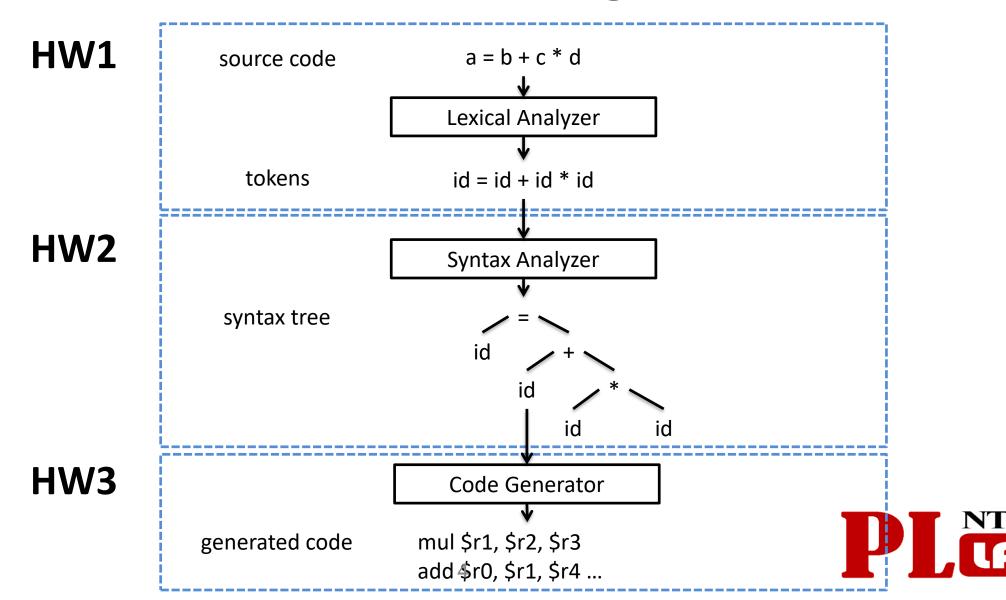
Overview



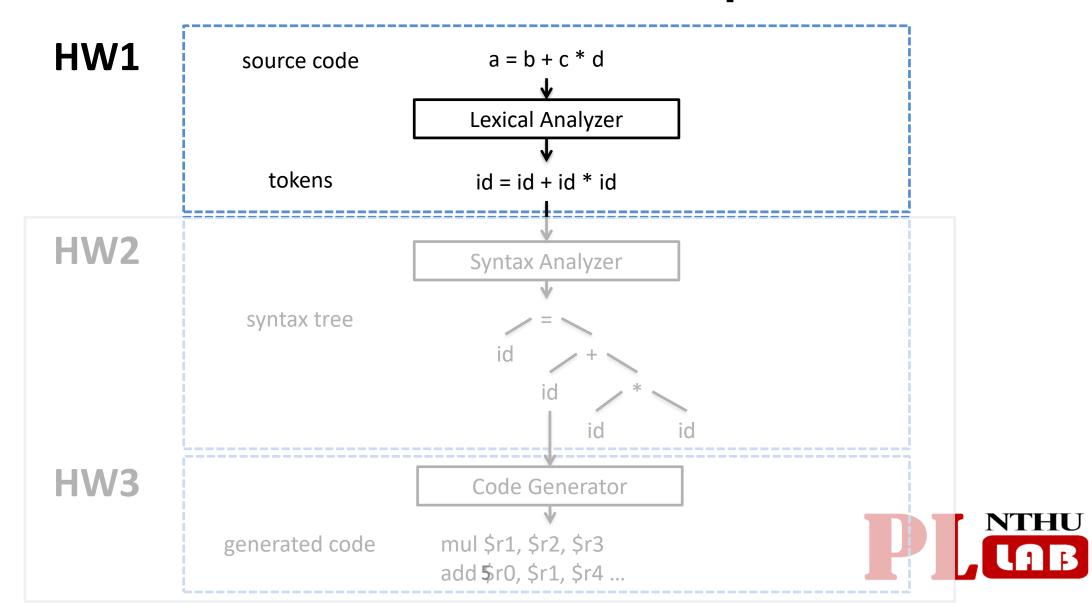
The Structure of a Modern Compiler



What are we Going to do?



The Structure of Compiler



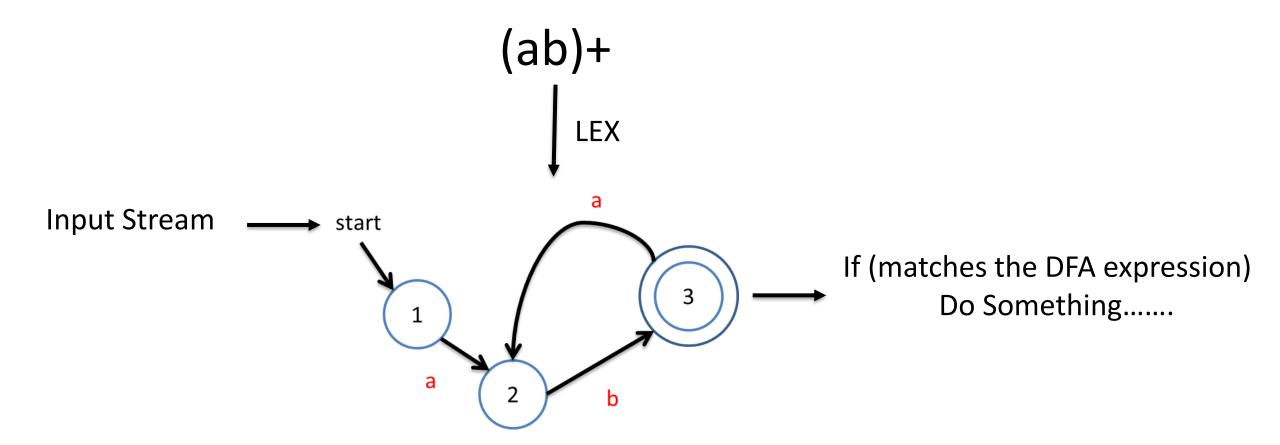
Lex - lexical analyser generator



What is Lex?

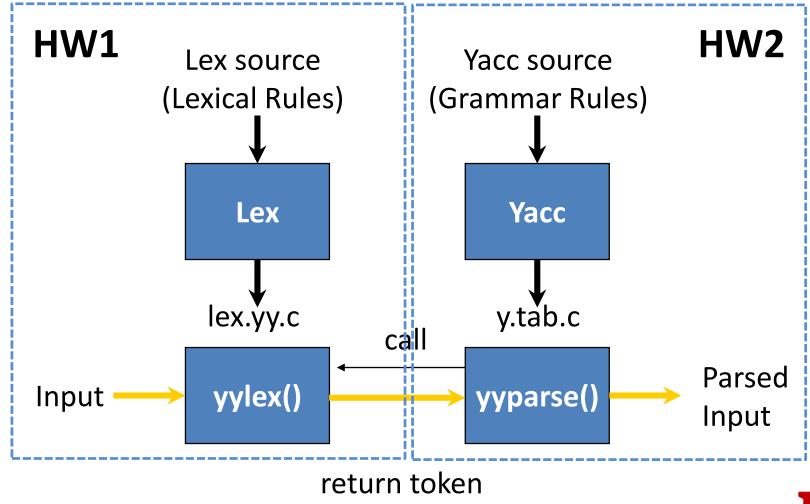
- Lex is a program generator designed for lexical processing of character input streams. It accepts a high-level, problem oriented specification for character string matching, and produces a program in a general purpose language which recognizes regular expressions.
- The regular expressions are specified by the user in the source specifications given to Lex.
- Lex generates a deterministic finite automaton (DFA) from the regular expressions in the source.
- The Lex written code recognizes these expressions in an input stream and partitions the input stream into strings matching the expressions.

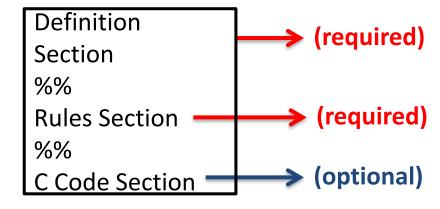






Lex with Yacc







Definition
Section
%%
Rules Section
%%
C Code Section

```
%{
#include <stdio.h>
int lineCount=0;
%}
```

The Definition Section will be copied to the top of generated C program. Include header files, declare variables.



Definition
Section
%%
Rules Section
%%
C Code Section

```
\n { lineCount++;
    printf("line:%d\n", lineCount); }
```

The Rules Section is for writing regular expression to recognize tokens. When **pattern** is matched, then execute **action**

[Regular expression rule] { The things you want to do; }



Definition
Section
%%
Rules Section
%%
C Code Section

```
int main(void) {
  yylex();
  return 0;
}
int yywrap() {
  return 1;
}
// Other function you defined.
```

The C Code Section will be copied to the bottom of generated C program.



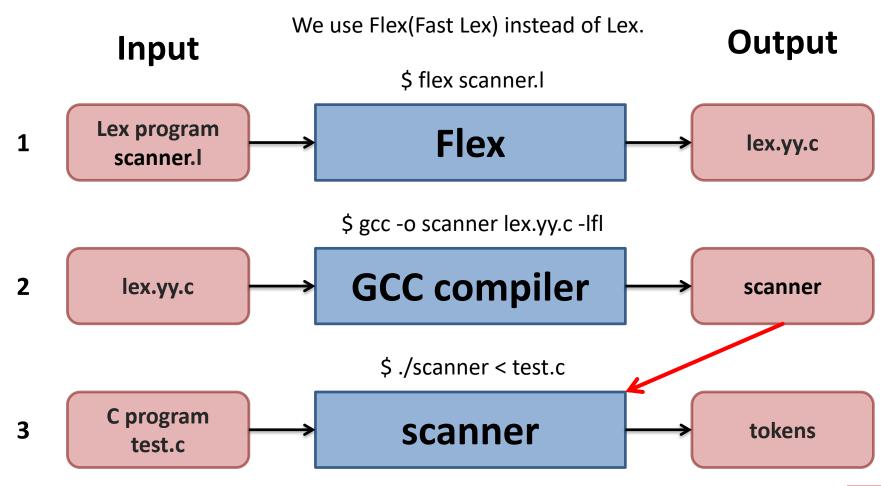
A completed Lex program

Definition
Section
%%
Rules Section
%%
C Code Section

```
%{
#include <stdio.h>
int
         lineCount=0;
%}
%%
\n
         { lineCount++;
          printf("line:%d\n", lineCount); }
%%
int main(void){
 yylex();
 return 0;
} ......
```



Compilation Flow





Flex: the Fast Lexical Analyser Generator

```
3 Introduction
*****
'flex' is a tool for generating "scanners". A scanner is a program
which recognizes lexical patterns in text. The 'flex' program reads the
given input files, or its standard input if no file names are given, for
a description of a scanner to generate. The description is in the form
of pairs of regular expressions and C code, called "rules". 'flex'
generates as output a C source file, 'lex.yy.c' by default, which
defines a routine 'yylex()'. This file can be compiled and linked with
the flex runtime library to produce an executable. When the executable
is run, it analyzes its input for occurrences of the regular
expressions. Whenever it finds one, it executes the corresponding C
code.
The 'flex' input file consists of three sections, separated by a line
                                                             Link with
containing only '%%'.
```

definitions 0000 rules 0/0/ user code

library libfl.a



Flex Example:

Count Number of Lines and Number of Characters

count_line.l

```
1 % {
                                                              [imsl@linux count_line]$ ./a.out
                                                              This is a book
 3 #include <stdio.h>
                                                                               — Press Enter
                                                              byebye 🕶
 4 int num lines = 0, num chars = 0;
                                                              # of lines = 2, # of chars = 22
                                                              [imsl@linux count line]$
 6 % }
 8 88
                                                   Press Ctrl+D
      { ++num lines ; ++ num chars ; }
      { ++num chars ; }
12
13 %%
                                                                                 9 10 11 12 13 14 15
14
15 int main(int argc, char* argv[])
                                                                                 a
                                                                                         b
16 {
17 yylex();
    printf("# of lines = %d, # of chars = %d\n",
                                                     b
                                                                       e
                                                                          \n
                                                            е
                                                               b
                                                                   У
19
        num lines, num chars );
20
    return 0 ;
21 }
```

```
[imsl@linux count_line] flex count_line Generate source C-code lex.yy.c [imsl@linux count_line] ls count_line. lex.yy.c [imsl@linux count_line] fls gcc lex.yy.c -lfl [imsl@linux count_line] fls a.out count_line. lex.yy.c [imsl@linux count_line] flx.yy.c [imsl@linux count_line] flx.yy.c Library libfl.a 17
```



Grammar of Input file of Flex

Lex copy data enclosed by %{ and %} into C source file

```
pattern action

\n { ++num_lines ; ++ num_chars ; }

• { ++ num_chars ; }

wild card character, represent any character expect line feed \n User code
```

grammar of input file



Can we Compile lex.yy.c without -lfl?

We want to use **lex.yy.c** on different platforms (Linux and windows), to avoid specific library is lesson one.

```
[imsl@linux count_line]$ gcc lex.yy.c
/tmp/ccgm0gZ8.o(.text+0x30d): In function `yylex':
: undefined reference to `yywrap'
/tmp/ccgm0gZ8.o(.text+0xa4f): In function `input':
: undefined reference to `yywrap'
collect2: ld returned l exit status
[imsl@linux count_line]$
```

Library **libfl.a** contains function *yywrap()*

-IfI means "include library libfl.a", this library locates in /usr/lib

```
[imsl@linux lib]$ pwd
/usr/lib
[imsl@linux lib]$ ls libf*
libfam.a
            libfam.so.0.0.0
                                libfortconfig.so.1.0 libform.so.5.3 libfreetype.so.6
                                                     libfreetype.a libfreetype.so.6.3.2
libfam.la
            libfl.a
                                libform.a
libfam.so
           libfontconfig.so
                                libform.so
                                                     libfreetype.la
libfam.so.0 libfontconfig.so.1
                               libform.so.5
                                                     libfreetype.so
[imsl@linux lib] ar -t libfl.a
libmain.o
libyywrap.o
[imsl@linux lib]$
```

contains function main() and yywrap()

From: http://oz.nthu.edu.tw/~d947207/chap10_lex.ppt 19



Can we Compile lex.yy.c without -lfl?

count_line.l

```
*{
#include <stdio.h>
int num lines = 0, num chars = 0;
*}
44
        { ++num lines ; ++ num chars ; }
\n
        { ++num chars ; }
44
int main(int argc, char* argv[])
 yylex();
 printf("# of lines = %d, # of chars = %d\n",
     num lines, num chars );
  return 0 ;
/* when yylex() read a EOF, then it call yywrap().
 * Return value of yywrap() is either 0 or 1.
 * if return value is 1, then it means NO any input,
       program is end ( yylex() return 0 )
 * if return value is 0, then tells yylex() that
       new file is ready, it can go on to process new token.
 * Hence if we have multiple files to be parsed, then we can use yywrap() to
 * open file one by one
int yywrap()
   return 1 ; /* eof */
```

Implement function yywrap explicitly



How to Process a file?

count line.l

```
l۱n
           ++num_lines ;
           ++ num_chars ;
           ++num chars ;
int main(int argc, char* argv[])
  --argc ; /* skip over program name*/
    yyin = fopen( argv[0], "r");
  }else{
    vvin = stdin ;
  yylex();
  printf("# of lines = %d, # of chars = %d\n",
      num lines, num chars );
  return 0 ;
* Return value of yywrap() is either 0 or 1.
   if return value is 1, then it means NO any input,
```

lex.yy.c

```
/* Translate the current start state into a value that can b
 * to BEGIN to return to the state. The YYSTATE alias is fo
 * compatibility.
 */
#define YY_START ((yy_start - 1) / 2)
#define YYSTATE YY START
/* Action number for EOF rule of a given start state. */
#define YY STATE EOF(state) (YY END OF BUFFER + state + 1)
/* Special action meaning "start processing a new file". */
#define YY NEW FILE yyrestart( yyin )
#define YY END OF BUFFER CHAR O
/* Size of default input buffer. */
#define YY BUF SIZE 16384
typedef struct yy_buffer_state *YY_BUFFER_STATE;
extern int yyleng;
extern FILE *yyin, *yyout;
#define EOB_ACT_CONTINUE_SCAN O
#define EOB ACT END OF FILE 1
#define EOB ACT LAST MATCH 2
```

yyin is a file pointer in lex, function yylex() read characters from yyin



Lex Predefined Variables

Name	Function
char *yytext	Pointer to matched string.
int yyleng	Length of matched string.
int yylex(void)	Function call to invoke lexer and return token.
int yywrap(void)	Return 1 if no more files to be read.
char *yymore(void)	Return the next token.
int yyless(int n)	Retain the first n characters in yytext and (sort of) return the rest back to the input stream.
FILE *yyin	Input stream pointer.
FILE *yyout	Output stream pointer.
ECHO	Print out the yytext.
BEGIN	Condition switch.
REJECT	Go to the next alternative rule.

Regular Expressions

•	Any character excepts '\n'.	. = {a, b, c, d,}
*	Zero or more.	ab* = {a, ab, abb, abbb,}
+	One or more.	ab+ = {ab, abb, abbb,}
?	Zero or one.	a? = {ε, a}
I	Or.	a b = {a, b}
[]	Any character of the character set.	[abc] = {a, b, c}
()	To group characters.	(ab)* = {ε, ab, abab,}
\	For escape character.	* = {*}, \\ = {\}
""	Literally.	"a*" = {a*}
{n,N}	Repeat n to N times.	a{1,3} = {a, aa, aaa}
[^]	Not these characters. (Opposite of [])	[^abc] = {d, e, f,}
^/\$	Head/End of line.	^a = a // line starts with a
/	Followed by specific character. ₂₃	a/b = {ab} // but only returns a

Regular Expressions

```
Input
                                      she
String
                 %%
                           { printf("she\t"); }
                 she
                           { printf("another she\t"); }
 Rule
                 [sS]he
Section
                 he
                           { printf("he\t"); }
                           { printf("s\t"); }
                 %%
```

- The output result is "she".
- Always choose the longest matching pattern.
- If the length are the same, shoose the first met rule.

More Elegant Way to Write Regular Expressions

```
%{
#include <stdio.h>
        lineCount=0;
int
%}
        [a-z]
ch
%%
        { lineCount++;
\n
        printf("line:%d\n", lineCount);}
{ch}+
        { ECHO; }
```



More Elegant Way to Write Regular Expressions

```
%{
#include <stdio.h>
int
        lineCount=0;
%}
%%
        { lineCount++;
\n
        printf("line:%d\n", lineCount); }
[[:alpha:]]+
                 { ECHO; }
```



Regular Expressions

Regular Expression	Meaning
[a-zA-Z]	Any character of a ~ z and A ~ Z.
[0-9]	Any character of 0 ~ 9.
[:lower:]	[[:lower:]] = [a-z]
[:upper:]	[[:upper:]] = [A-Z]
[:alpha:]	[[:alpha:]] = [a-zA-Z]
[:digit:]	[[:digit:]] = [0-9]
[:alnum:]	[[:alnum:]] = [a-zA-Z0-9]



What if you encounter the string like this?

```
/* int count
is for counting line number */

Input
String

printf( "int is 32-bit" );
```



%{
...
%}
%x COMMENT
%%

- Declare at Definition Section
- %s STATE_NAME inclusive
 - If the start condition is *inclusive*, then rules with no start conditions at all will also be active.
- %x STATE_NAME exclusive
 - If it is exclusive, then only rules qualified with the start condition will be active.



```
Input /*int
```

```
%{
•••
%}
    COMMENT
/* Exclusive */
%%
"/*"
                  { BEGIN COMMENT; }
                  { printf("normal\n");}
int
                  { printf("special\n");
<COMMENT>int
                   BEGIN 0; }
%%
```



```
Input /*int
```

```
%{
•••
%}
    COMMENT
/* Inclusive */
%%
"/*"
                  { BEGIN COMMENT; }
                  { printf("normal\n");}
int
                  { printf("special\n");
<COMMENT>int
                   BEGIN 0; }
%%
```



Versions of Lex

- AT&T: lex http://www.combo.org/lex_yacc_page/lex.html
- GNU: flex http://www.gnu.org/manual/flex-2.5.4/flex.html
- a Win32 version of flex http://www.monmouth.com/~wstreett/lex-yacc/lex-yacc.html

or Cygwin

http://sources.redhat.com/cygwin/

• Lex on different machines is not created equal.



Homework1 - Requirements



Subset of C Language

- Character Set of Testcases
 - ASCII characters
 - Only those in the right image
 - '\n' and '\t'

二進位	十進位	十六進位	圖形	二進位	十進位	十六進位	圖形	二進位	十進位	十六進位	圖形
0010 0000	32	20	(space)	0100 0000	64	40	@	0110 0000	96	60	•
0010 0001	33	21	į.	0100 0001	65	41	Α	0110 0001	97	61	а
0010 0010	34	22	"	0100 0010	66	42	В	0110 0010	98	62	b
0010 0011	35	23	#	0100 0011	67	43	С	0110 0011	99	63	С
0010 0100	36	24	\$	0100 0100	68	44	D	0110 0100	100	64	d
0010 0101	37	25	%	0100 0101	69	45	Е	0110 0101	101	65	е
0010 0110	38	26	&	0100 0110	70	46	F	0110 0110	102	66	f
0010 0111	39	27		0100 0111	71	47	G	0110 0111	103	67	g
0010 1000	40	28	(0100 1000	72	48	Н	0110 1000	104	68	h
0010 1001	41	29)	0100 1001	73	49	- 1	0110 1001	105	69	i
0010 1010	42	2A	*	0100 1010	74	4A	J	0110 1010	106	6A	j
0010 1011	43	2B	+	0100 1011	75	4B	К	0110 1011	107	6B	k
0010 1100	44	2C	,	0100 1100	76	4C	L	0110 1100	108	6C	- 1
0010 1101	45	2D	-	0100 1101	77	4D	М	0110 1101	109	6D	m
0010 1110	46	2E		0100 1110	78	4E	N	0110 1110	110	6E	n
0010 1111	47	2F	1	0100 1111	79	4F	0	0110 1111	111	6F	0
0011 0000	48	30	0	0101 0000	80	50	Р	0111 0000	112	70	р
0011 0001	49	31	1	0101 0001	81	51	Q	0111 0001	113	71	q
0011 0010	50	32	2	0101 0010	82	52	R	0111 0010	114	72	r
0011 0011	51	33	3	0101 0011	83	53	S	0111 0011	115	73	S
0011 0100	52	34	4	0101 0100	84	54	Т	0111 0100	116	74	t
0011 0101	53	35	5	0101 0101	85	55	U	0111 0101	117	75	u
0011 0110	54	36	6	0101 0110	86	56	V	0111 0110	118	76	v
0011 0111	55	37	7	0101 0111	87	57	W	0111 0111	119	77	w
0011 1000	56	38	8	0101 1000	88	58	Х	0111 1000	120	78	х
0011 1001	57	39	9	0101 1001	89	59	Υ	0111 1001	121	79	у
0011 1010	58	3A	:	0101 1010	90	5A	Z	0111 1010	122	7A	z
0011 1011	59	3B		0101 1011	91	5B	[0111 1011	123	7B	{
0011 1100	60	3C	<	0101 1100	92	5C	١	0111 1100	124	7C	1
0011 1101	61	3D	=	0101 1101	93	5D]	0111 1101	125	7D	}
0011 1110	62	3E	>	0101 1110	94	5E	٨	0111 1110	126	7E	~
0011 1111	63	3F	?	0101 1111	95	5F	_				

Subset of C Language

- Implement: Keywords
 - void, const, NULL, for, do, while, break, continue, if, else, return, struct, switch, case, default
 - C Primitive Types (e.g. int, double, float, char)
 - Names of library functions in
 https://www.tutorialspoint.com/c_standard_library/stdio_h.htm
 (41 of these as of 20200328)



Subset of C Language

- Implement: Identifiers (case-sensitive)
 - Follow the standard C variable naming rule
- Implement: Operators

```
• + - * / % ++ -- < <= > >= == != = && || ! & |
```

Implement: Punctuation characters

```
• : ; , . [ ] ( ) { }
```



• Implement:

- Integer constants (e.g. 0, -0, 1, 123, 45, -2131)
 - There can be a deliberate '+' preceding positive numbers
 - Note: "- 0" is "-" (op) and "0" (integer), while "-0" is an integer
- Simple form floating point constants (e.g. 0.0, 0.1234, 123.456, -0.0, -0.1234)
 - There can be a deliberate '+' preceding positive numbers
 - Note: "- 0." is "-" (op) and "0." (double), while "-0." is a double
 - Numbers before or after the decimal point can be missing if it equals to 0



Implement:

- String constants (e.g. "This is a string")
 - Take particular note of the escaped characters ou~
- Character constants (e.g. 'a', 'b', '\t', '\0')
 - Also take particular note of the escaped characters ou~
- C Comments
 - both the // ... and /* ... */ syntax



- Implement: Pragma directives
 - #pragma source on
 - #pragma source off
 - #pragma token on
 - #pragma token off
 - Note: These pragmas could have spaces and '\t' on the same line and between words in them



- Note
 - Always parse with the rule that matches the longest input



Output Format

Token type

- Keyword (key): Refer to slide page 35
- Identifier (id): Refer to slide page 36
- Operator (op): Refer to slide page 36
- Punctuation Character (punc): Refer to slide page 36
- Integer (integer): E.g. 10, 234
- Floating Point (double): E.g. 0.9, 34.56, +.123, -.222, -0.1
- Char (char): E.g. 's', 'a'
- String (string): E.g. "apple", "ddef"

One must print the token types with the type names designated in the parentheses once a token of these types is encountered.



Output Format

- One must print the result in this format
 - For each line of input
 - If the extracted token is a **pragma directive** or part of a **comment**, print nothing except the line information (see below)
 - Otherwise, print "#token " first, then the token type and token content (`#token \$\{token_type\}:\\$\{token_content\}`)
 - Quotes of strings and characters should be retained
 - Finally, print the line number and content at the end of each input line (`\${line_number}:\${line_content}`)
 - #token token_type1:token_content1
 - #token token_type2:token_content2
 - ...
 - line_number:line_content



Output Format Examples: Testcase0 Line1

char a = 'i';

Output Format Examples: Result

```
#token key:char
#token id:a
#token op:=
#token char:'i'
#token punc:;
1:char a = 'i';
// note an empty line is here
```



Output Format Examples: Testcase1

```
//This test case is only for homework explanation
2.
     int main () {
3.
          double a = 6.0;
4.
          int i;
5.
         int b[2];
6.
          for (i = 0; i < 2; i++) {
7.
              b[i] = i;
8.
9.
          printf("b[1]=%d\n", b[1]);
          if (b[0] > 1){
10.
              a = a * 1.23;
11.
12.
13.
          return 0;
14.
15. }
```



Output Format Examples: Result

```
1://This test case is only for homework explanation
#token key:int
#token id:main
#token punc:(
#token punc:)
#token punc:{
2:int main () {
#token key:double
#token id:a
#token op:=
#token double:6.0
#token punc:;
      double a = 6.0;
#token key:int
#token id:i
#token punc:;
      int i;
```



```
#token id:b
#token punc:[
#token integer:2
#token punc:]
#token punc:;
5:
      int b[2];
#token key:for
#token punc:(
#token id:i
#token op:=
#token integer:0
#token punc:;
#token id:i
#token op:<
#token integer:2
#token punc:;
#token id:i
#token op:++
#token punc:)
#token punc:{
      for (i = 0; i < 2; i++) {
6:
```



```
#token id:b
#token punc:[
#token id:i
#token punc:]
#token op:=
#token id:i
#token punc:;
          b[i] = i;
7:
#token punc:}
8:
#token key:printf
#token punc:(
#token string:"b[1]=%d\n"
#token punc:,
#token id:b
#token punc:[
#token integer:1
#token punc:]
#token punc:)
#token punc:;
      printf("b[1]=%d\n", b[1]);
9:
```



```
#token key:if
#token punc:(
#token id:b
#token punc:[
#token integer:0
#token punc:]
#token op:>
#token integer:1
#token punc:)
#token punc:{
10:
       if (b[0] > 1){
#token id:a
#token op:=
#token id:a
#token op:*
#token double:1.23
#token punc:;
11:
           a = a * 1.23;
#token punc:}
12:
```



#token key:return
#token integer:0
#token punc:;
13: return 0;
14: #token punc:}
15:}

Please use diff command to check whether your output format is correct or not!



Pragma Directives: Source

```
default
                                   #pragma source off
#pragma source on
char a = 'i';
                                   char a = 'i';
                                   #key:char
1:#pragma source on
#key:char
                                   #id:a
#id:a
                                   #op:=
                                   #char:'i'
#op:=
#char:'i'
                                   #punc:;
#punc:;
2:char a = 'i';
```

Pragma Directives: Token

default

#pragma token on

char a = 'i';

#pragma token off
char a = 'i';

1:#pragma token on

#key:char

#id:a

#op:=

#char:'i'

#punc:;

2:char a = 'i';

1:#pragma token off

2:char a = 'i';



Grading Policies

For all homeworks

- Any warning during compilation: -20 points penalty
- Late Submission: -10 points penalty/day
- Not Complying to Rules (including wrong output format, not following the submission rules, and failure to submit an executable): A flat grade of 30 points if you turn in your codes and report (late submission penalty applies)
- Cheating: You will receive zero credit!



Grading Policies

- If your scanner can classify and print the token
 - Keywords, Identifiers: +15
 - Operators, Punctuation Characters: +15
 - Integers, Floating Points, Characters: +15
 - Pragma Directives: +15
 - Strings: +10
 - Comments: +20
 - Hidden Testcases: +10

```
/* Passing "testcase_basic" will get you score in the red box. */
```



Report

- For students who cannot finish his homework
 - Describe the features of your scanner
 - Describe the difficulties you faced
 - Describe the methods you tried to solve your problems
- For those who successfully passes at least 1 testcase, no report is required



Submission

- Server: Source Code
 - You must submit 2 items: your source code and a makefile in the server, or you will get zero credit!
 - Must create `hw1` directory under your home directory
 - E.g. If your home directory is `/home/104062634`, you should have `/home/104062634/hw1`
 - In your `hw1` directory, you must provide
 - A lex source code file named 'scanner.l'
 - A makefile to compile your code
 - We'll `make` in a copy of your `hw1` directory, so make sure you use relative paths in your makefile
 - The compiled output must be named `scanner` and marked as an executable
 - Make sure your program work correctly in the server environment
- iLMS: Report (if you can't finish your homework)
 - Upload your code and report in PDF format to iLMS
 - File format is `\${Student_ID}_HW1.zip`
 - `Report.pdf`, `hw1` (just like how it's on the server) at the root of the zip file



How to Connect to our Server?

SSH Protocol

• IP: 140.114.88.201

Port: 8787

Username: Student ID

- Default Password: Email registered on iLMS
 - One can change password by entering `passwd`

Clients

- Windows: PuTTY, MobaXterm, ...
- Linux, Mac OS: Built-in ssh



Linux Materials

Linux Command

http://linux.vbird.org/linux_basic/0220filemanager.php

Vim

http://linux.vbird.org/linux_basic/0310vi.php

Shell Script

http://linux.vbird.org/linux_basic/0320bash.php

Makefile

- http://www.cprogramming.com/tutorial/makefiles.html
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