



DUBLIN CITY UNIVERSITY

SAMPLE PAPER

MODULE: CA4003 - Compiler Construction

PROGRAMME(S): CASE - BSc in Computer Applications (Sft.Eng.)

YEAR OF STUDY: 4

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TIME ALLOWED: 3 hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer 10 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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Requirements for this paper (Please mark (X) as appropriate)

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Note: In the following questions, non-terminal symbols are represented by strings starting with an upper case letter and terminal symbols by strings starting with a lower case letter. The ϵ symbol represents an empty symbol or null string as appropriate. The \$ symbol represents the end-of-file.

QUESTION 1

[Total marks: 10]

1(a) [4 Marks]

Given a binary alphabet $\{0,1\}$, write a regular expression that recognises all words that have at least two consecutive '1's, for example 0100110, 0111, 00010011001.

1(b) [6 Marks]

Use the subset construction method to derive a deterministic finite state automaton that recognises the language from part (a).

[End Question 1]

QUESTION 2

[Total marks: 10]

[10 Marks]

Calculate the FIRST and FOLLOW sets for the following grammar..

$S \rightarrow u B D z$

$B \rightarrow B v$

$B \rightarrow w$

$D \rightarrow E F$

$E \rightarrow y$

$E \rightarrow \epsilon$

$F \rightarrow x$

$F \rightarrow \epsilon$

[End Question 2]

QUESTION 3**[Total marks: 10]**

[10 Marks]

Construct the LL(1) parse table for the following grammar, and using this table determine whether or not it is an LL(1) grammar.

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow A \\ A &\rightarrow Ba \mid C \\ B &\rightarrow aC \mid b \\ C &\rightarrow B \end{aligned}$$
[End Question 3]**QUESTION 4****[Total marks: 10]**

[10 Marks]

Construct the SLR parse table for the grammar in Question 3, and using this table determine whether or not it is an SLR grammar.

[End Question 4]**QUESTION 5****[Total marks: 10]**

[10 Marks]

Construct the LR(1) parse table for the following grammar and use it to determine whether or not the following grammar is LR(1).

$$\begin{aligned} S' &\rightarrow S\$ \\ S &\rightarrow A \\ S &\rightarrow xb \\ A &\rightarrow aAb \\ A &\rightarrow B \\ B &\rightarrow x \end{aligned}$$
[End Question 5]**QUESTION 6****[Total marks: 10]**

[10 Marks]

Construct the LALR(1) parse table for the grammar in question 5 and use it to determine whether or not the grammar is LALR(1).

[End Question 6]

QUESTION 7**[Total marks: 10]**

7(a)

[7 Marks]

Convert the following source code into intermediate code using the syntax-directed approach given in the appendix. Assume that all variables are stored in 4 bytes.

```
max = -999;
i = 0;
while (i < 10)
{
    if (a[i] > max)
    {
        max = a[i]
    }
    i = i + 1;
}
```

7(b)

[3 Marks]

Generate a *Control Flow Graph* from the intermediate code generated in part (a). Clearly describe the rules used to generate the *Control Flow Graph*.

[End Question 7]**QUESTION 8****[Total marks: 10]**

8(a)

[5 Marks]

Describe how *Data Flow Analysis* is used to calculate *reaching definitions*. Briefly indicate how this can be used to detect if undefined variable are passed into functions.

8(b)

[5 Marks]

For the following intermediate code, construct the *control flow graph* and calculate the *reaching definitions*.

```
    a = 10
    b = 11
    if e == 1 goto L1
    a = 1
    b = 2
    goto L2
L1:  c = a
    a = 4
L2:
```

[End Question 8]

QUESTION 9**[Total marks: 10]**

[10 Marks]

Construct a directed acyclic graph for the following code fragment which identifies all common sub-expressions.

```
G := C * (A + B) + (A + B);  
C := A + B;  
A := (C * D) + (E - F);
```

[End Question 9]**QUESTION 10****[Total marks: 10]**

10(a) [5 Marks]

Describe the design of a symbol table that efficiently handles scope. Clearly describe and justify the data structures used.

10(b) [5 Marks]

Describe how target code is generated from (optimised) intermediate code.

[End Question 10]**[END OF EXAM]**

[APPENDICES]

Syntax-directed definition approach to build the 3-address code

Production	Semantic Rule
$S \rightarrow \mathbf{id} = E;$	$gen(get(\mathbf{id.lexeme}) '=' E.addr);$
$S \rightarrow L = E;$	$gen(L.addr.base '[' L.addr ']' '=' E.addr);$
$E \rightarrow E_1 + E_2$	$E.addr = \mathbf{newTemp}();$ $gen(E.addr '=' E_1.addr '+' E_2.addr);$
$E \rightarrow \mathbf{id}$	$E.addr = get(\mathbf{id.lexeme});$
$E \rightarrow L$	$E.addr = \mathbf{newTemp}();$ $gen(E.addr '=' L.array.base '[' L.addr ']);$
$L \rightarrow \mathbf{id}[E]$	$L.array = get(\mathbf{id.lexeme});$ $L.type = L.array.type.elem;$ $L.addr = \mathbf{newTemp}();$ $gen(L.addr '=' E.addr '*' L.type.width);$
$L \rightarrow L_1[E]$	$L.array = L_1.array;$ $L.type = L_1.type.elem$ $t = \mathbf{newTemp}();$ $L.addr = \mathbf{newTemp}();$ $gen(t '=' E.addr '*' L.type.width);$ $gen(L.addr '=' L_1.addr '+' t);$
$B \rightarrow B_1 B_2$	$B_1.true = B.true$ $B_1.false = \mathbf{newlabel}()$ $B_2.true = B.true$ $B_2.false = B.false$ $B_1.code \mathbf{label}(B_1.false) B_2.code$
$B \rightarrow B_1 \& B_2$	$B_1.true = \mathbf{newlabel}()$ $B_1.false = B.false$ $B_2.true = B.true$ $B_2.false = B.false$ $B_1.code \mathbf{label}(B_1.true) B_2.code$
$B \rightarrow !B_1$	$B_1.true = B.false$ $B_1.false = B.true$ $B.code = B_1.code$
$B \rightarrow E_1 \mathbf{rel} E_2$	$B.code = E_1.code E_2.code$ $ gen('if' E_1.addr \mathbf{rel} E_2.addr 'goto' B.true)$ $ gen('goto' B.false)$
$B \rightarrow \mathbf{true}$	$B.code = gen('goto' B.true)$
$B \rightarrow \mathbf{false}$	$B.code = gen('goto' B.false)$

Production	Semantic Rule
$P \rightarrow S$	$S.next = newlabel()$ $P.code = S.code label(S.next)$
$S \rightarrow \text{assign}$	$S.code = \text{assign}.code$
$S \rightarrow \text{if } (B) S_1$	$B.true = newlabel()$ $B.false = S_1.next = S.next$ $S.code = B.code label(B.true) S_1.code$
$S \rightarrow \text{if } (B) S_1 \text{ else } S_2$	$B.true = newlabel()$ $B.false = newlabel()$ $S_1.next = S_2.next = S.next$ $S.code = B.code label(B.true) S_1.code$ $gen('goto' S.next) label(B.false) S_2.code$
$S \rightarrow \text{while } (B) S_1$	$begin = newlabel()$ $B.true = newlabel()$ $B.false = S.next$ $S_1.next = begin$ $S.code = label(begin) B.code$ $ label(B.true) S_1.code gen('goto' begin)$
$S \rightarrow S_1 S_2$	$S_1.next = newlabel$ $S_2.next = S.next$ $S_1.code label(S_1.next) S_2.code$

[END OF APPENDICES]