

Question: Can you please help me check the correctness of those 2 programs: program1.txt and program2.txt that are written in my dsl that i attached: dsl_grammar.txt? Please check the symbol correctness and make a syntactical check. Please optimise the programs if you can.

I also attached the txt files to the prompt.

1. Analysis of program1.txt

Correctness Check

- **Symbol Correctness: Passed.** All tokens (INPUT, OUTPUT, IF, IDs, Strings) match the terminal definitions in the grammar.
- **Syntactical Check: Passed.**
 - The assignments arr = n A r and comb = n C r are valid. The grammar defines A and C as operators⁴, allowing them to be used in expressions (n A r).
 - The IF block structure follows the rule stmt -> IF condition THEN stmt_list else_part END.
 - Output statements are valid according to output_item_list.

Observations & Optimization

- **Grammar Usage:** The program correctly utilizes the custom operators A (likely permutation) and C (likely combination) defined in the DSL.
- **Text Logic:** There is a grammatical error in the English text strings: "then" is used instead of "than" in the comparison outputs.

Optimized program1.txt

Changes: Fixed English grammar in output strings.

Plaintext

INPUT n

INPUT r

OUTPUT "Computing arrangements and combinations..."

arr = n A r

comb = n C r

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OUTPUT "Arrangements: ", arr
OUTPUT "Combinations: ", comb

IF arr > comb THEN
    OUTPUT "There are more arrangements than combinations."
ELSE
    OUTPUT "There are more combinations than arrangements."
END

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2. Analysis of program2.txt

Correctness Check

- **Symbol Correctness: Failed.**
 - **Error:** In the definition of binomial_term, the token BEGINI is used⁵.
 - **Reason:** The grammar strictly defines the terminal as BEGIN⁶. BEGINI is not a valid keyword, and if interpreted as an identifier (ID), it violates the syntax rule DEF ID (params_opt) BEGIN ... which requires the BEGIN keyword immediately after the parameters.
- **Syntactical Check: Failed** (due to the symbol error above).
 - Additionally, the line RETURN 1 inside the ELSE block of the power function is **unreachable code** (Dead Code) because it follows an unconditional RETURN statement. While syntactically "valid" (a list of statements), it is logically redundant.

Logic & Optimization

- **Dead Code:** The power function has a double return in the ELSE block.


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Plaintext
ELSE
    RETURN base * power(base, exp - 1)
    RETURN 1 <-- This will never execute
END

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- **Math Simplification:** The recursive call in binomial_sum uses $i + 2 - 1$. This should be simplified to $i + 1$.
 - **Logical Ambiguity:** The function binomial_term calculates $(n C k) * \text{power}(n, i)$.
 - In the loop binomial_sum, k remains constant while i increments.
 - This sums: $(n C k) \cdot n^0 + (n C k) \cdot n^1 + \dots$
 - This does not appear to be the standard Binomial Theorem expansion (which usually varies the combination term nC_i as i changes). However, without specific

requirements for the math logic, I will assume the user intends this specific formula and only optimize the code structure.

Optimized program2.txt

Changes: Corrected BEGINI to BEGIN, removed dead code, and simplified math expression.

Plaintext

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DEF power(base, exp) BEGIN
    IF exp == 0 THEN
        RETURN 1
    ELSE
        RETURN base * power(base, exp - 1)
    END
END

DEF binomial_term(n, k, i) BEGIN
    RETURN (n C k) * power(n, i)
END

DEF binomial_sum(n, k, i) BEGIN
    IF i > k THEN
        RETURN 0
    ELSE
        RETURN binomial_term(n, k, i) + binomial_sum(n, k, i + 1)
    END
END

INPUT n
INPUT k

OUTPUT "n C 1 power of k using the Binomial Theorem: "
OUTPUT binomial_sum(n, k, 0)
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Summary of Repairs

1. **Program 1:** Valid syntax. Only text corrections needed.
2. **Program 2: Critical Syntax Error.** You **must** change BEGINI to BEGIN for the program to compile/interpret under your DSL grammar.

Would you like me to generate a Python script that implements a parser for this grammar to verify these programs automatically?