

UNIT-5

Structure of Lex Program

- 1) Definition section
- 2) Rules "
- 3) User-subroutine section

Simple LEX pgm

% %

→ file.l

• ECHO ;

% %

Prints whatever is given as input

Compilation & Execution of LEX pgm.

file.l

\$\$ lex file.l <

\$\$ cc lex.yy.c -ll <

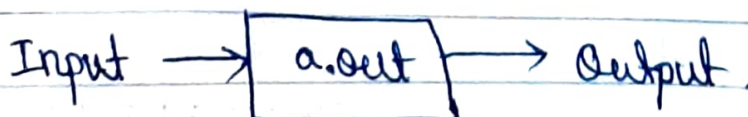
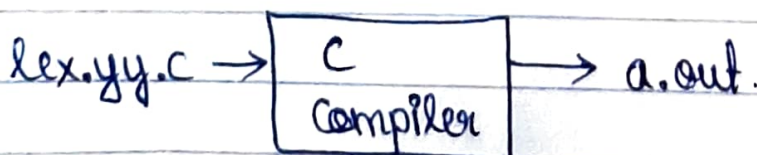
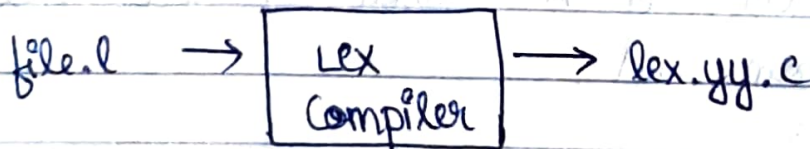
\$\$./a.out <

Belagavi <

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→ Command line argument

→ Output



Eg: % {

% }

% %

is | am | are { printf("%s is a verb\n", yytext); }

[a-z]+ { printf("%s is not a verb\n", yytext); }

% %

main()

{

yylex()

}

Regular Expression

^ → if used outside the square brackets, it starts matching from the beginning.

[^0-9] → Inside [] it acts as negation i.e. except 0-9 other nos.

\$ → similar to ^ outside [] but starts matching from end.

| → or

→ ~~Write a~~
Imp Q) Write a lex pgm to count the no. of words, characters & lines from a given input file.

→ % {

~~#~~ #include <stdio.h>

int w=0, c=0, l=0;

% }

% %

[\n] { l++ ; c++ ; }

Space → [^ \t \n] + { w++ ; c = c + yyleng ; }

{ c++ ; }

% %

main (int argc, char *argv [])

{

FILE *fp ;

~~fp = fopen~~ fp = fopen ("argv[1]", "r") ;

yypin = fp ;

yylex () ;

printf ("No. of words are : %d \n", w) ;

" (" " " lines " " , l) ;

" (" " " characters " " , c) ;

}

main ()

{

yylex () ;

printf (- - - -) ;

}

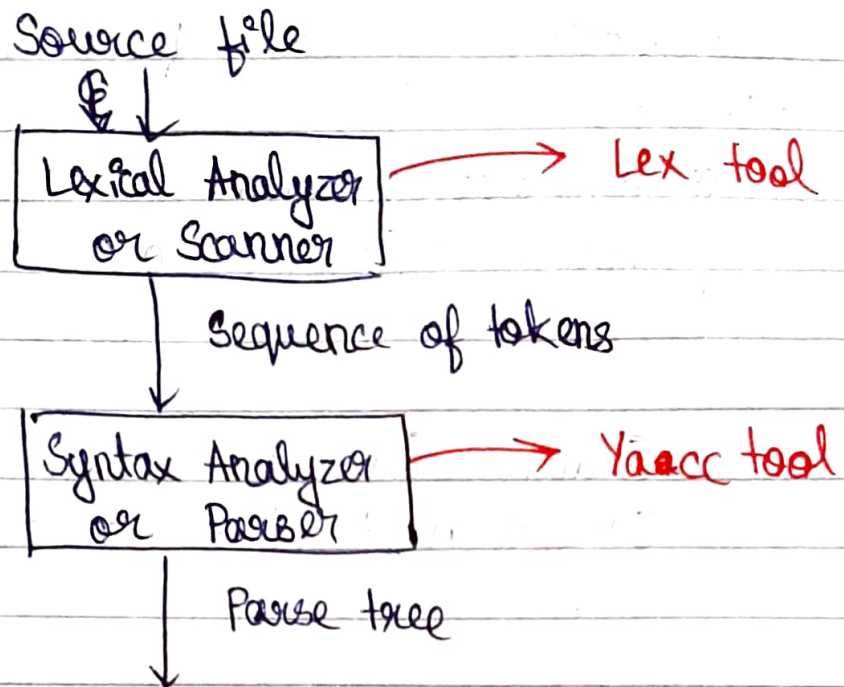
Built in variable that contains length of the word

or write filename.

From a file

Without file

Structure of Compiler



YACC → Yet Another Compiler Compiler

Structure of YACC pgm

- 1) Definition section
 - 2) Rules " → RE (for Lex)
 - 3) Sub-routine " → rule action
- Grammar (for YACC)

% E

% }

%% token

~~%% token~~

%%

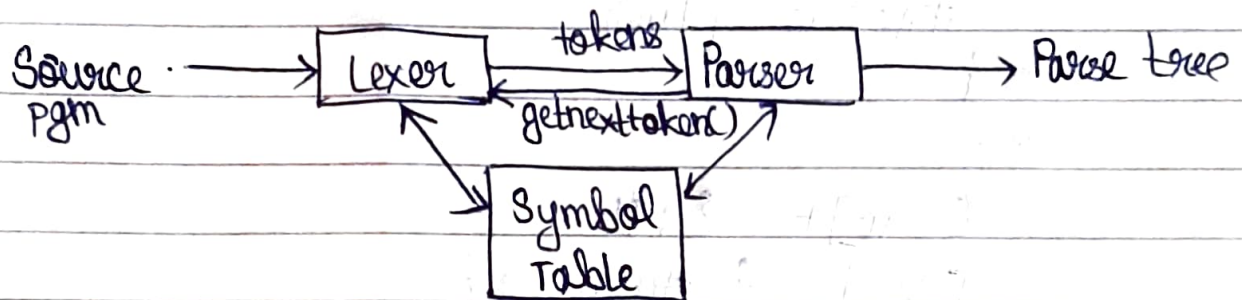
%%

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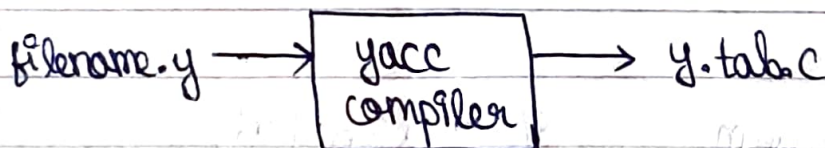
main()
{
    yyparse();
}

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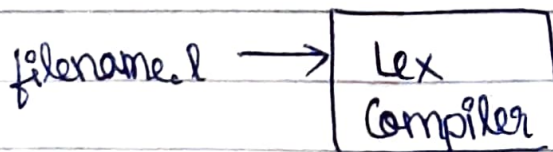
Parser Lexer Communication



whenever a new token is encountered it is added to the symbol table.



y.tab.h — is a header file that contains all the tokens & their defⁿ.



Tokens are same as terminals.

1) Write a YACC pgm to recognize the language $L = \{ a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1 \}$
→ $S \rightarrow a S b \mid a b$

Lex program

```
%{  
#include <stdio.h>  
#include "y.tab.h"  
%}  
%%  
[ \t ]+ { ; }  
[ \n ] { return 0; }  
[ a ] { return A; }  
[ b ] { return B; }  
%%
```

yacc program

yacc program $S \rightarrow a S b \mid a b$

```
%{  
%}  
% token A B  
%%  
S : A S B  
  | A B  
  ;  
%%  
yyerror(  
{  
printf("Invalid\n");
```



```
exit(0);
```

```
}
```

```
main()
```

```
{
```

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printf("Enter the input\n");
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yyparse(); → It will internally call yylex.
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printf("Valid\n");
```

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}
```

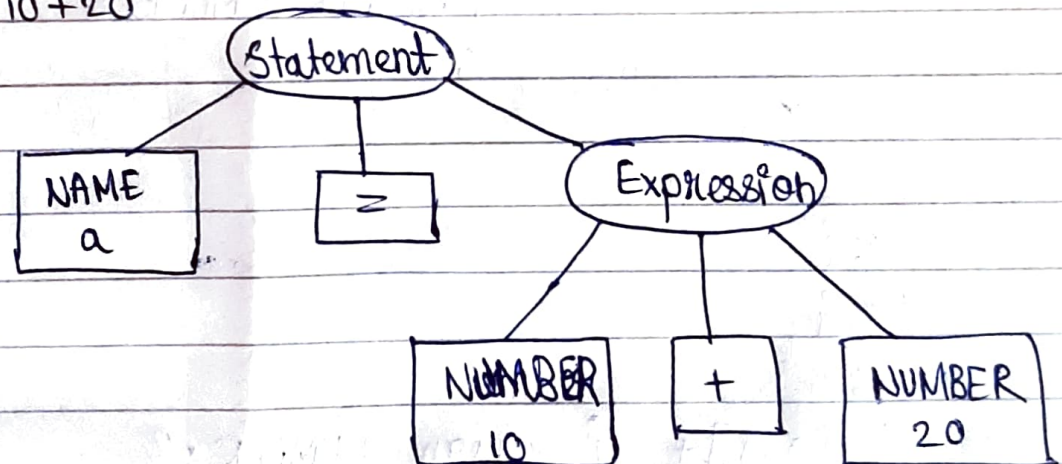
If error occurs then it will call yyperror funcⁿ.

Grammars (CFG)

Statement \rightarrow NAME = expression

expression \rightarrow NUMBER + NUMBER | NUMBER - NUMBER.

Eg: $a = 10 + 20$



Recursive { expression \rightarrow expression + NUMBER
 | expression - NUMBER
 | NUMBER

~~Imp~~ #

Shift / Reduce Parsing

No. of symbols are reduced.

Eg $a = 10 + 20$
 $a = \text{expression}$

YACC Parser

% token A B

Eg : % token NAME NUMBER

%%

Statement : NAME '=' expression
;

expression : NUMBER '+' NUMBER
| NUMBER '-' NUMBER
;

%%

{

}

%%

[0-9]+ { return NUMBER; }

[a-z]+ { return NAME; }

[\t]+ { ; }

{

{ return yytext[0]; }

%%

Tokens if used directly in YACC, they should be in ""