



BOTTOM UP PARSING

CONFLICTS IN SHIFT REDUCE PARSER

- Shift reduce conflict
- Reduce reduce conflict

SHIFT REDUCE CONFLICT

$$\begin{array}{lcl} stmt & \rightarrow & \text{if } expr \text{ then } stmt \\ & & | \text{ if } expr \text{ then } stmt \text{ else } stmt \\ & & | \text{ other} \end{array}$$

If we have a shift-reduce parser in configuration

STACK
... **if** *expr* **then** *stmt*

INPUT
else ... \$

- We can resolve above conflict by giving preference to shift

REDUCE REDUCE CONFLICT

- (1) $stmt \rightarrow id (parameter_list)$
- (2) $stmt \rightarrow expr := expr$
- (3) $parameter_list \rightarrow parameter_list , parameter$
- (4) $parameter_list \rightarrow parameter$
- (5) $parameter \rightarrow id$
- (6) $expr \rightarrow id (expr_list)$
- (7) $expr \rightarrow id$
- (8) $expr_list \rightarrow expr_list , expr$
- (9) $expr_list \rightarrow expr$

STACK

... **id** (**id**

INPUT

, **id**) ...

- Same syntax for function name and array
- LA returns **id** function name and array element.

REDUCE REDUCE CONFLICT[CONTD..]

Change this to `procid`

- (1) *stmt* → **id** (*parameter_list*)
- (2) *stmt* → *expr* := *expr*
- (3) *parameter_list* → *parameter_list* , *parameter*
- (4) *parameter_list* → *parameter*
- (5) *parameter* → **id**
- (6) *expr* → **id** (*expr_list*)
- (7) *expr* → **id**
- (8) *expr_list* → *expr_list* , *expr*
- (9) *expr_list* → *expr*

STACK

... **procid** (**id**

INPUT

, **id**) ...

LR PARSER

- Shift reduce parser is general class of bottom up parser.
- One level down in hierarchy , LR parser.
- Types of LR parsers
 - SLR parser : simple LR – basic
 - Canonical LR parser
 - LALR : lookahead LR parser
- More complex
- So difficult to construct in hand
- LR parser generator is usually used.

WHY LR PARSERS?

- LR parser can be constructed to recognize most of the programming languages for which CFG can be written.
- LR parser works using non backtracking shift reduce technique.
- LR parser can detect a syntactic error as soon as it is possible.
- Class of grammar that can be parsed by LR parser is a superset of class of grammars that can be parsed using predictive parsing

ITEMS AND LR(0) AUTOMATON

- How does a shift reduce parser know when to shift and when to reduce?

Ex -

STACK	INPUT	ACTION
\$	$\text{id}_1 * \text{id}_2 \$$	shift
$\$ \text{id}_1$	$* \text{id}_2 \$$	reduce by $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
$\$ F$	$* \text{id}_2 \$$	reduce by $T \rightarrow F$
$\$ T$	$* \text{id}_2 \$$	shift
$\$ T *$	$\text{id}_2 \$$	shift
$\$ T * \text{id}_2$	$\$$	reduce by $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
$\$ T * F$	$\$$	reduce by $T \rightarrow T * F$
$\$ T$	$\$$	reduce by $E \rightarrow T$
$\$ E$	$\$$	accept

Reduce
to E or
shift

ITEMS AND LR(0) AUTOMATON[CONTD..]

- An LR parser make this decision by maintaining states to keep track of where are we in a parse.
- States represent set of “items”.
- An LR(0) item of a grammar G is a prodn of G with a dot at some position of the body.
- An item indicates how much of a prodn we have seen at given point in the parsing process.

ITEMS AND LR(0) AUTOMATON[CONTD..]

- Production $A \rightarrow XYZ$

Items are

$A \rightarrow \bullet XYZ$

$A \rightarrow X \bullet YZ$

$A \rightarrow XY \bullet Z$

$A \rightarrow XYZ \bullet$

- $A \rightarrow X \bullet YZ$ indicates that we have just parsed input string derivable from X and YZ are yet to be parsed.

ITEMS AND LR(0) AUTOMATON[CONTD..]

- An item indicates how much of a prodn we have seen at given point in the parsing process.
- $A \rightarrow XYZ \bullet$
time to reduce XYZ to A .
- So, there is a prodn $A \rightarrow \epsilon$. what is the item?
 $A \rightarrow \bullet$

ITEMS AND LR(0) AUTOMATON[CONTD..]

○ Ex 2: $S' \rightarrow S$

$S \rightarrow (S) S \mid \epsilon$

- The grammar has 3 production choices.
- The grammar has 8 items

○ $S' \rightarrow .S$

$S' \rightarrow S.$

○ $S \rightarrow .(S) S$

$S \rightarrow (. S) S$

○ $S \rightarrow (S .) S$

$S \rightarrow (S) . S$

○ $S \rightarrow (S) S.$

$S \rightarrow .$

ITEMS AND LR(0) AUTOMATON[CONTD..]

○ Ex 3: $E' \rightarrow E$

$E \rightarrow E + n \mid n$

- The grammar has 3 production choices.
- The grammar has 8 items.

○ $E' \rightarrow .E$

$E' \rightarrow E.$

○ $E \rightarrow .E + n$

$E \rightarrow E . + n$

○ $E \rightarrow E + .n$

$E \rightarrow E + n .$

○ $E \rightarrow .n$

$E \rightarrow n .$

TERMS RELATED

- Canonical LR(0) collection
- LR(0) automaton
- Augmented grammar
- Kernel : $S' \rightarrow .S$ + all items without dot at leftmost of RHS
- Non kernel : All items with dot at left end except $S' \rightarrow .S$

CLOSURE OF ITEM SETS

- [closure.pdf](#)
- I – set of items for G
- $\text{Closure}(I)$ – 2 rules
- Initially add every item in I to $\text{closure}(I)$.
- If $A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \beta$ is in $\text{closure}(I)$ and $B \rightarrow \gamma$ is a production then add item $B \rightarrow \bullet \gamma$

GOTO FUNCTION

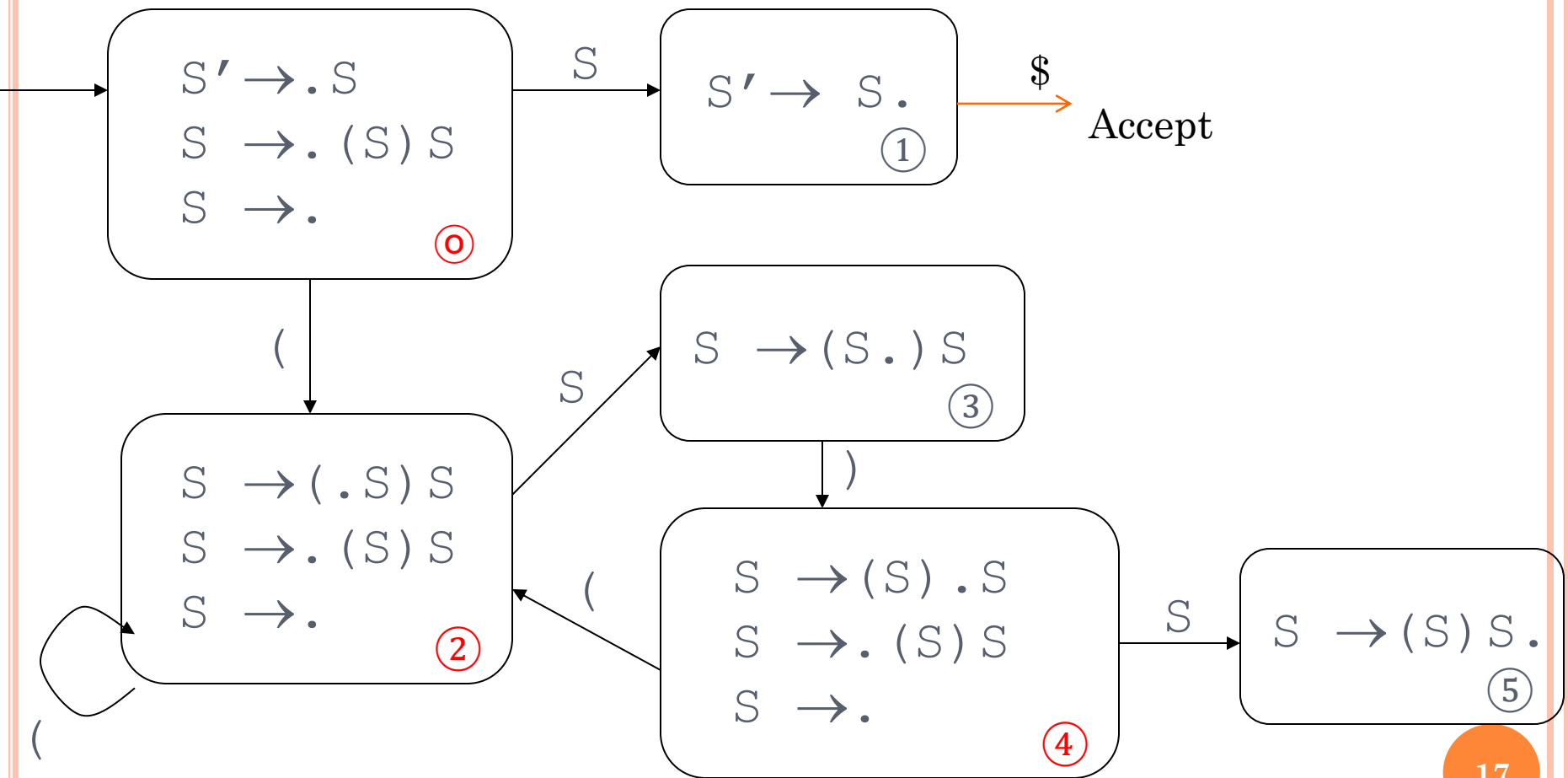
o [goto.pdf](#)

Definition : $\text{Goto}(I, X)$ is closure of the set of all items $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet X \beta]$ such that $[A \rightarrow \alpha X \bullet \beta]$ is in I .

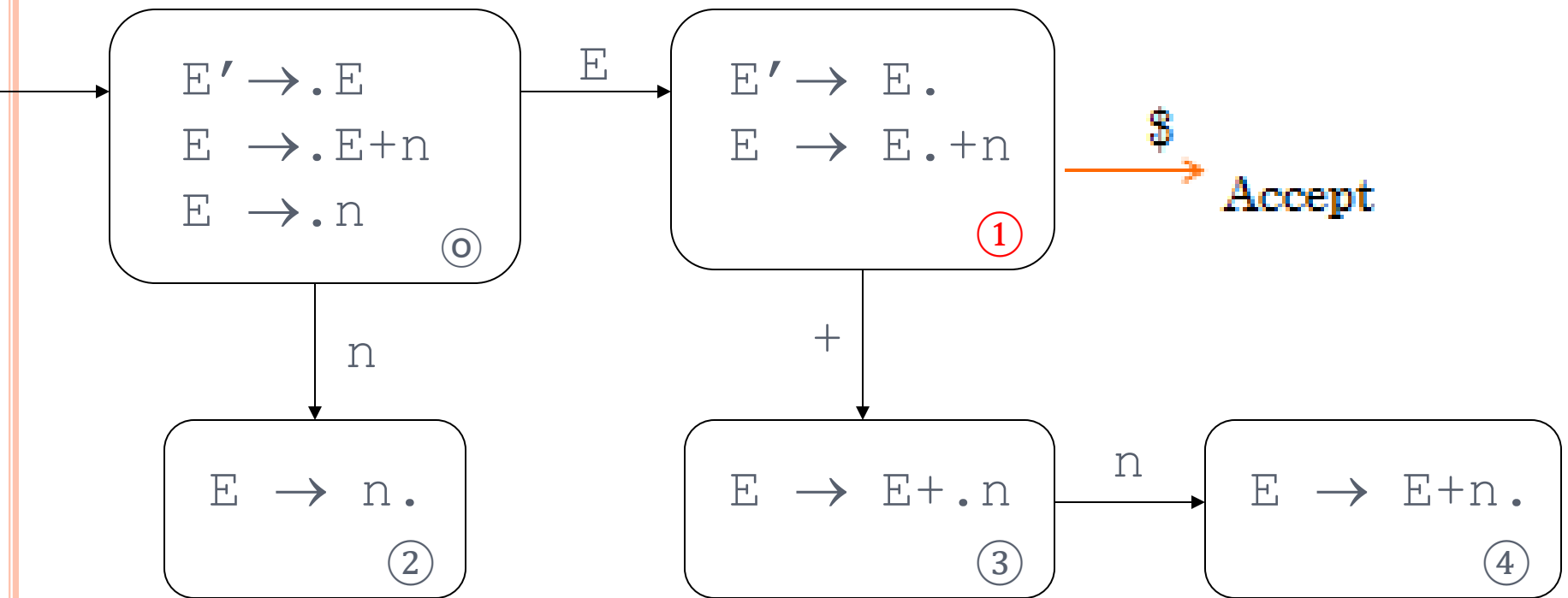
I – set of items

X – grammar symbol

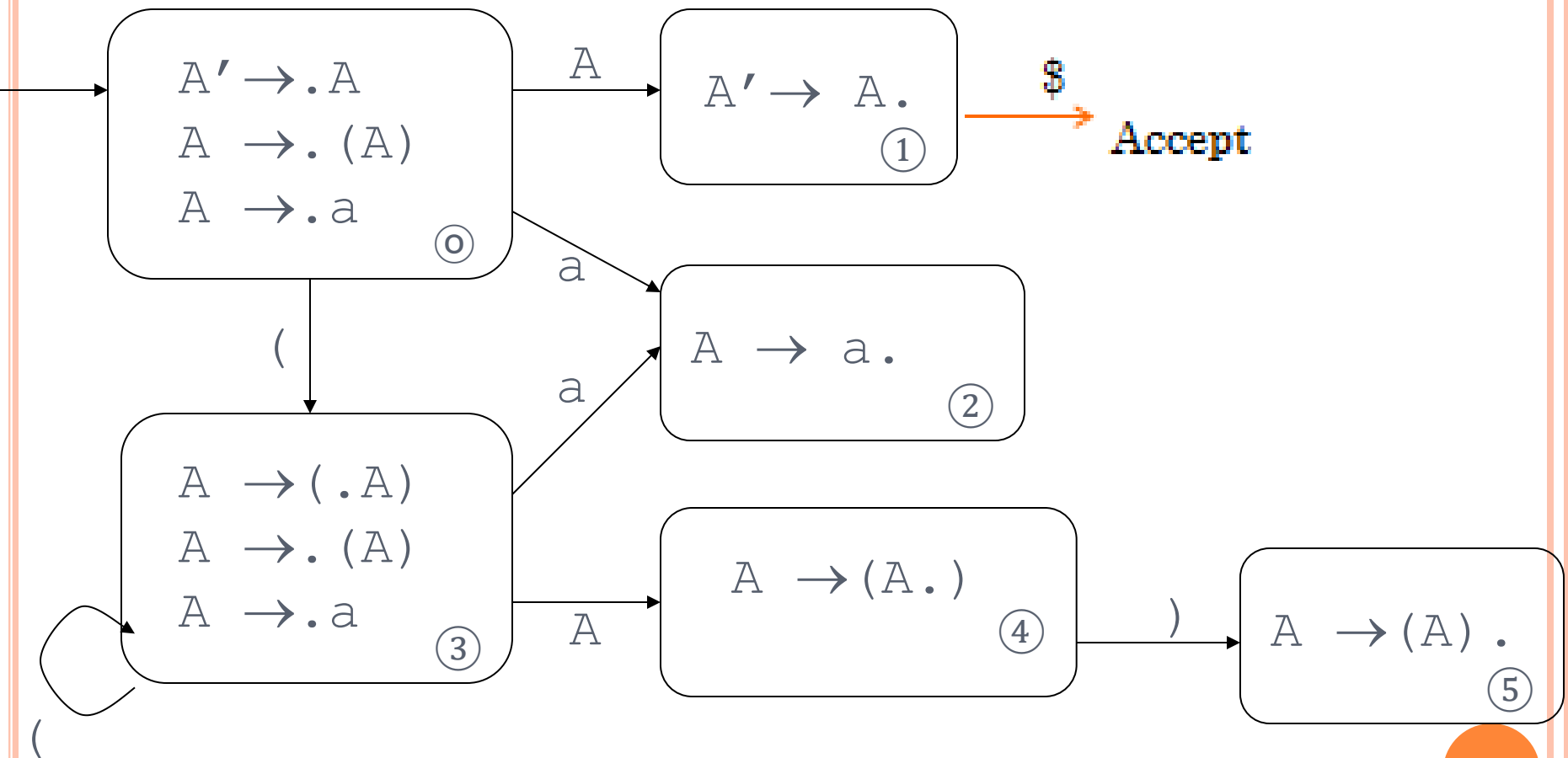
EXAMPLE 1: DFA OF LR(0) ITEMS



EXAMPLE 2: DFA OF LR(0) ITEMS



Example 3: DFA of LR(0) Items



CONSTRUCT LR(0) AUTOMATON

- For grammar

$$\begin{array}{lcl} E' & \rightarrow & E \\ E & \rightarrow & E + T \mid T \\ T & \rightarrow & T * F \mid F \\ F & \rightarrow & (E) \mid \mathbf{id} \end{array}$$

SOLUTION

- Closure($E' \rightarrow E$)

$E' \rightarrow .E$

$E \rightarrow .E+T$

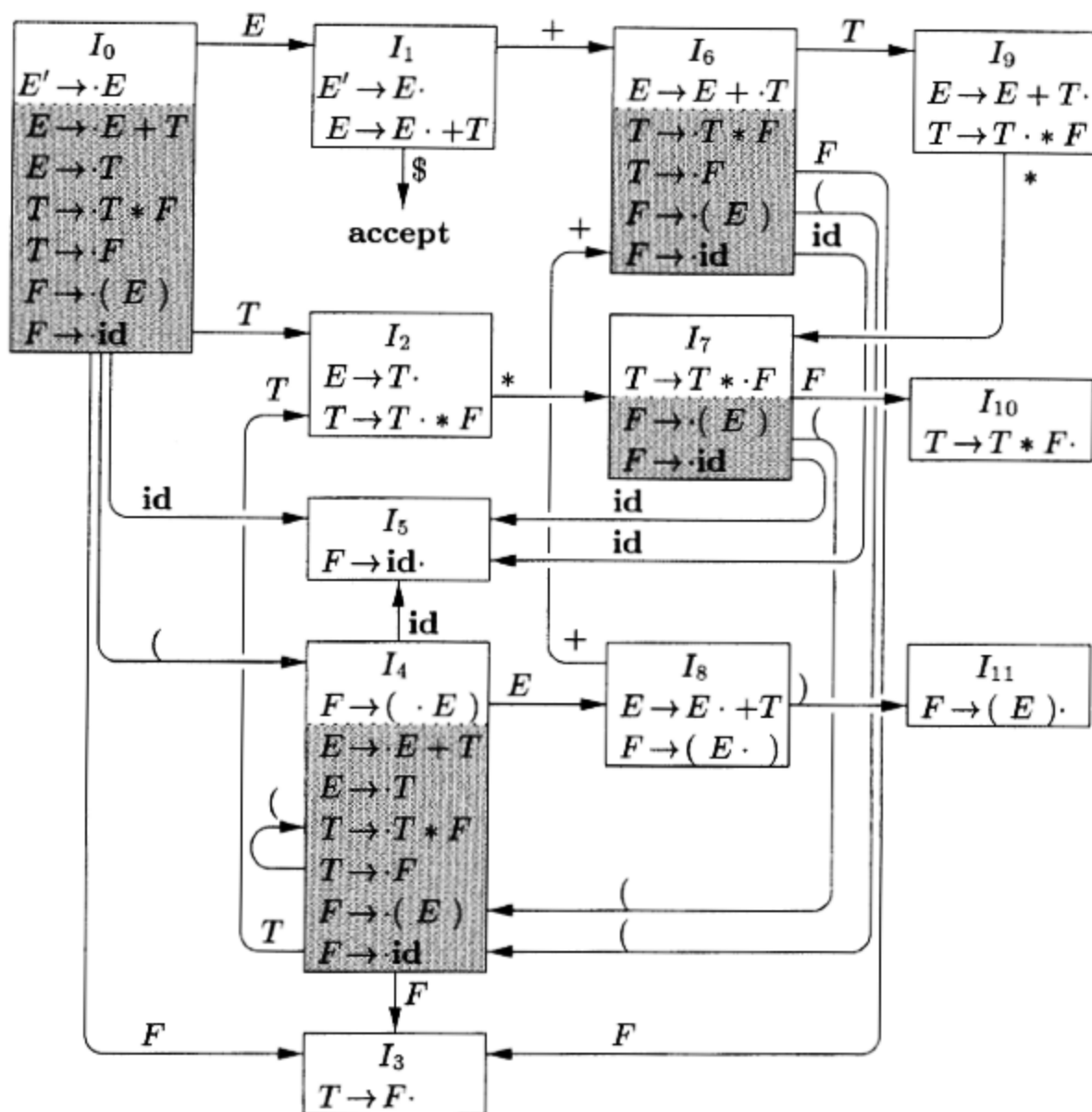
$E \rightarrow .T$

$T \rightarrow .T * F$

$T \rightarrow .F$

$F \rightarrow .(E)$

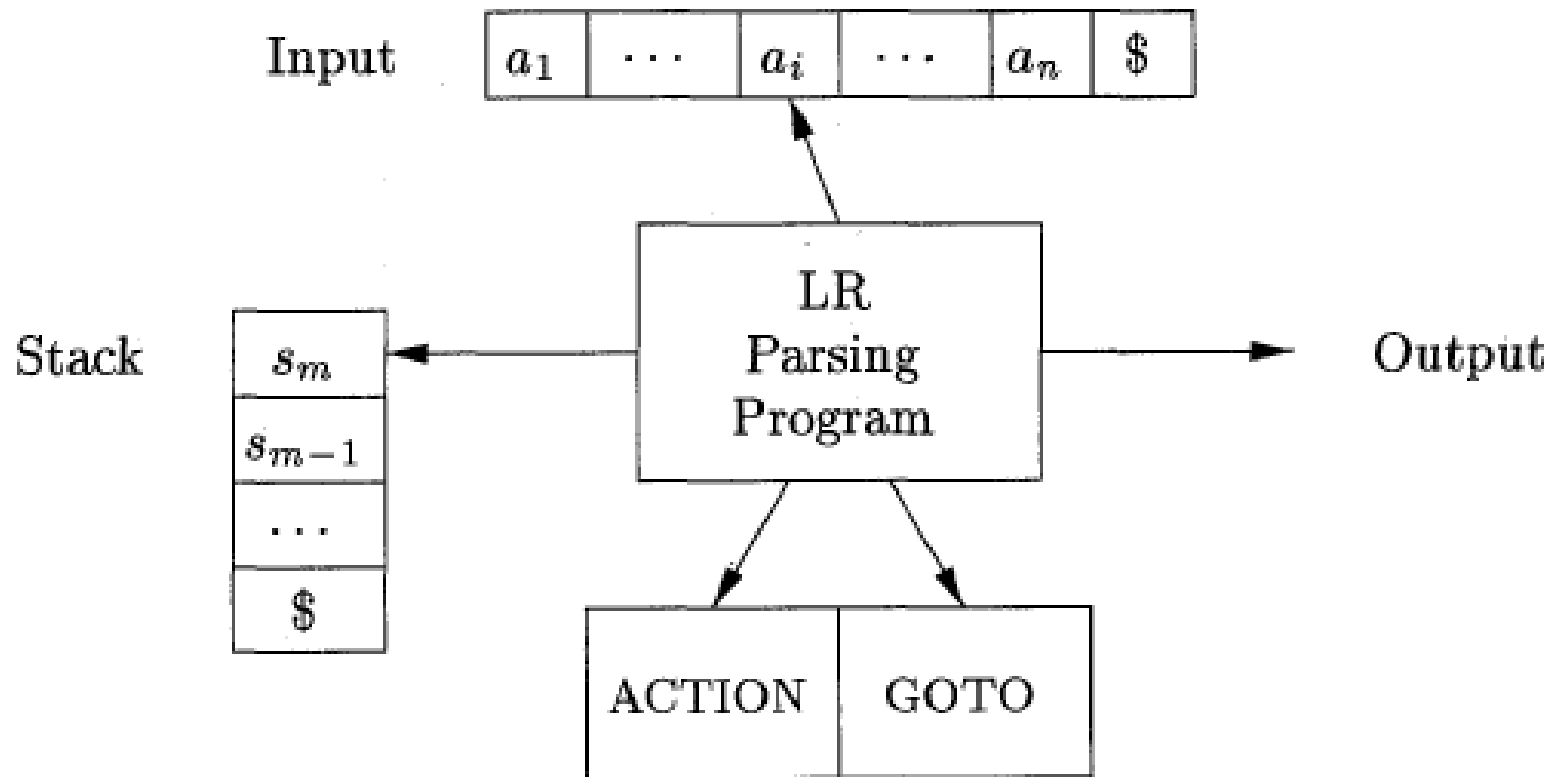
$F \rightarrow .id$



SLR(1)

- Simple LR parser
- Lookahead 1 - uses follow in construction of parse table
- Uses LR(0) items and DFA
- Parse table and parsing

LR PARSING ALGORITHM



- Stack maintains states rather than symbols.
- LR parser pushes states not symbols.

CONSTRUCTION OF PARSE TABLE FOR SLR(1)

- Write states of DFA as rows
- Has two parts – **action and goto**
- Under **action**, make columns for all **terminals**
- Under **goto**, make columns for all **Non terminals**
- For each state, refer DFA and fill table
 - Shift
 - Reduce
 - Accept
 - error
 - Goto entries



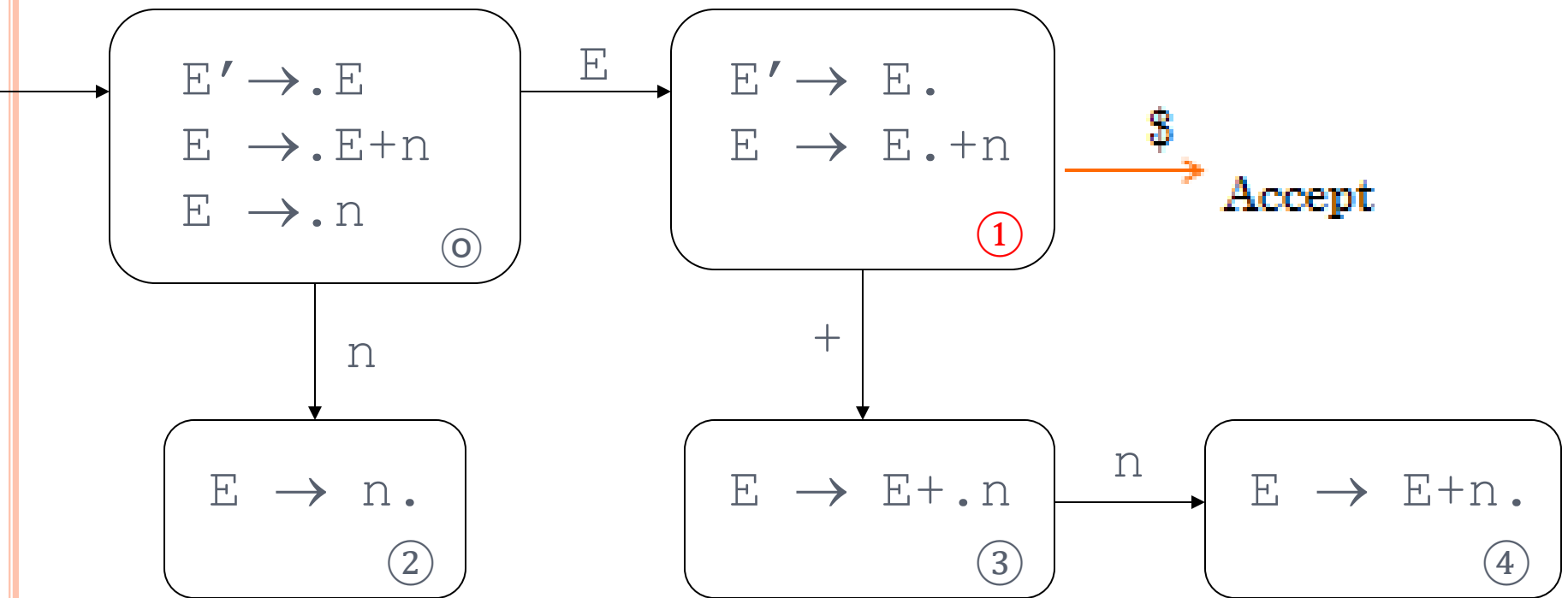
Basic function

LR PARSING

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let  $a$  be the first symbol of  $w\$$ ;  
while(1) { /* repeat forever */  
    let  $s$  be the state on top of the stack;  
    if ( ACTION[ $s, a$ ] = shift  $t$  ) {  
        push  $t$  onto the stack;  
        let  $a$  be the next input symbol;  
    } else if ( ACTION[ $s, a$ ] = reduce  $A \rightarrow \beta$  ) {  
        pop  $|\beta|$  symbols off the stack;  
        let state  $t$  now be on top of the stack;  
        push GOTO[ $t, A$ ] onto the stack;  
        output the production  $A \rightarrow \beta$ ;  
    } else if ( ACTION[ $s, a$ ] = accept ) break; /*  
    else call error-recovery routine;  
}
```

EXAMPLE 2: DFA OF LR(0) ITEMS

- 0) $E' \rightarrow E$
- 1) $E \rightarrow E+n$
- 2) $E \rightarrow n$



SLR PARSE TABLE

0. $E^1 \rightarrow E$

1. $E \rightarrow E+n$

2. $E \rightarrow n$

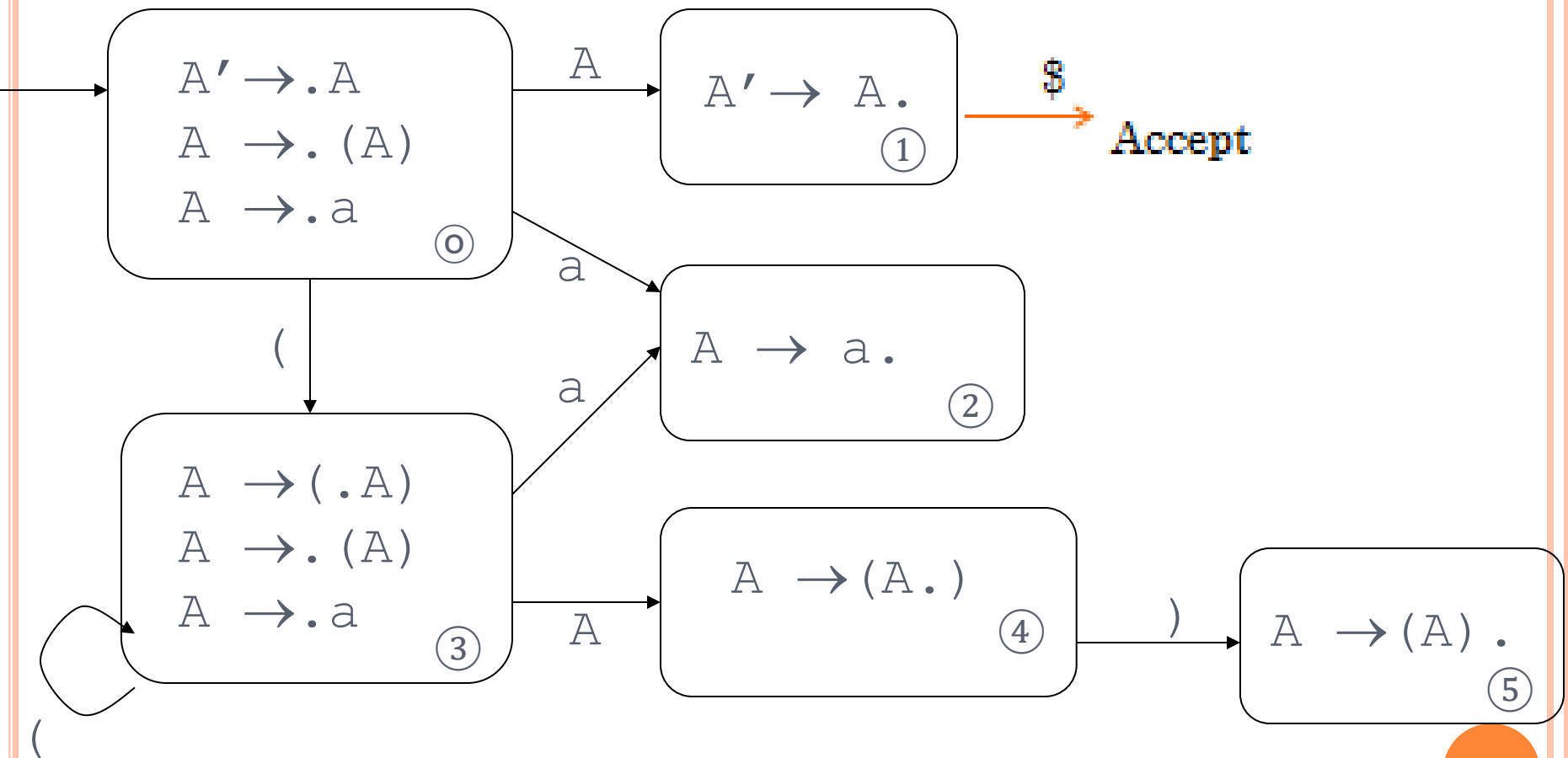
$\text{Follow}(E) = \{+, \$\}$

State	ACTION			GOTO
	n	+	\$	E
0	s2			1
1		s3	Accept	
2		r2	r2	
3	s4			
4		r1	r1	

PARSING ACTION

Stack	symbols	input	action
\$0		n+n+n\$	

Example 3: DFA of LR(0) Items



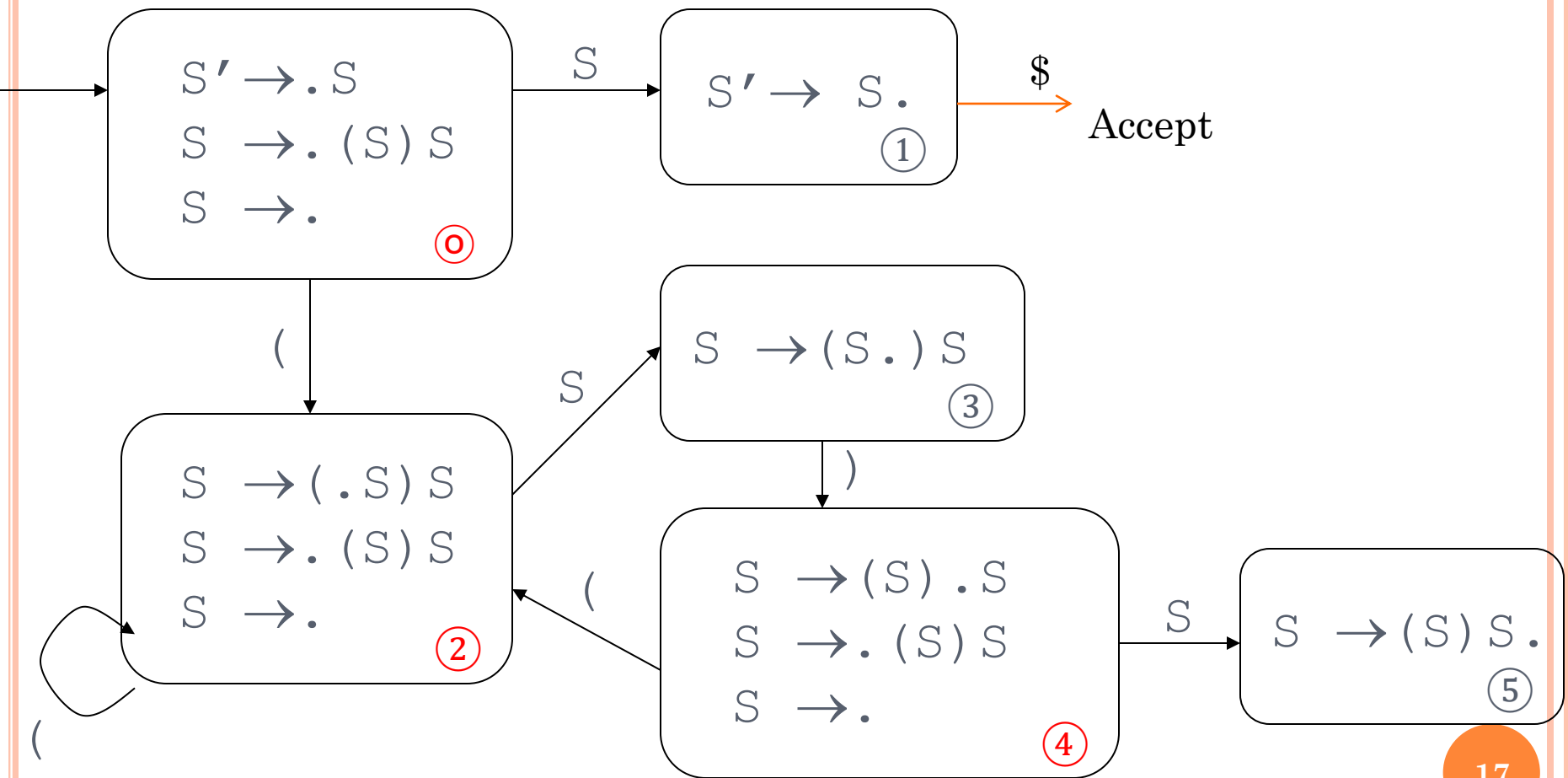
0 .A' → .A

1 .A → . (A)

2 .A → .a

State	ACTION				GOTO
	()	a	\$	
0	s3		s2		1
1				Accept	
2		r2		r2	
3	s3		s2		4
4		s5			
5		r1		r1	

EXAMPLE 1: DFA OF LR(0) ITEMS



0. $S' \rightarrow .S$
1. $S \rightarrow .(S)S$
2. $S \rightarrow .$

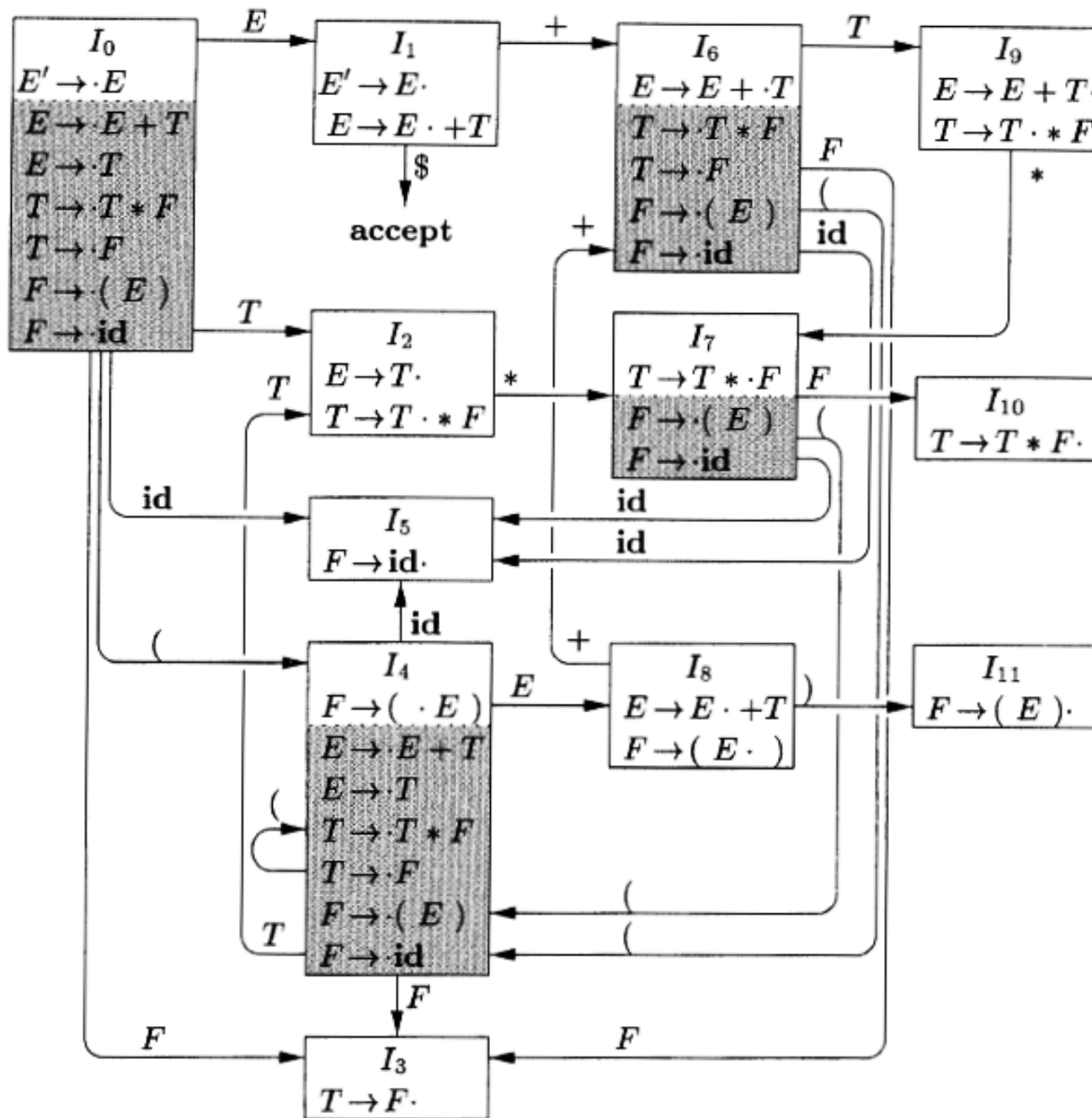
State	ACTION			GOTO
	()	\$	S
0	s2	r2	r2	1
1			Accept	
2	s2	r2	r2	3
3		s4		
4	s2	r2	r2	5
5		r1	r1	

Input : $(())$

WHY TO AUGMENT GRAMMAR

- To indicate parser when it should stop parsing and announce acceptance of the input.
- Single node
- Start symbol of the given grammar may have more than one definition.
- It may be difficult to judge whether whole string is parsed.
- May also be part of other production

$$\begin{aligned}
E' &\rightarrow E \\
E &\rightarrow E + T \mid T \\
T &\rightarrow T * F \mid F \\
\bar{E} &\rightarrow (E) \mid \mathbf{id}
\end{aligned}$$



SLR PARSE TABLE CONSTRUCTION

State	action						goto		
	id	+	*	()	\$	E	T	F
0	S5			S4					
1		S6							
2			S7						
3									
4	S5			S4					
5									
6	S5			S4					
7	S5			S4					
8		S6			S11				
9			S7						
10									
11									

SLR PARSE TABLE CONSTRUCTION

State	action						goto		
	id	+	*	()	\$	E	T	F
0	S5			S4					
1		S6				Accept			
2		r2	S7		r2	r2			
3		r4	r4		r4	r4			
4	S5			S4					
5		r6	r6		r6	r6			
6	S5			S4					
7	S5			S4					
8		S6			S11				
9		r1	S7		r1	r1			
10		r3	r3		r3	r3			
11		r5	r5		r5	r5			

SLR PARSE TABLE CONSTRUCTION

STATE	ACTION						GOTO		
	id	+	*	()	\$	<i>E</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>F</i>
0	s5			s4			1	2	3
1		s6				acc			
2		r2	s7		r2	r2			
3		r4	r4		r4	r4			
4	s5			s4			8	2	3
5		r6	r6		r6	r6			
6	s5			s4				9	3
7	s5			s4					10
8		s6			s11				
9		r1	s7		r1	r1			
10		r3	r3		r3	r3			
11		r5	r5		r5	r5			

Input : id*id+id

MOVES OF LR PARSER

	STACK	SYMBOLS	INPUT	ACTION
(1)	0		id * id + id \$	shift
(2)	0 5	id	* id + id \$	reduce by $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
(3)	0 3	F	* id + id \$	reduce by $T \rightarrow F$
(4)	0 2	T	* id + id \$	shift
(5)	0 2 7	$T *$	id + id \$	shift
(6)	0 2 7 5	$T * \text{id}$	+ id \$	reduce by $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
(7)	0 2 7 10	$T * F$	+ id \$	reduce by $T \rightarrow T * F$
(8)	0 2	T	+ id \$	reduce by $E \rightarrow T$
(9)	0 1	E	+ id \$	shift
(10)	0 1 6	$E +$	id \$	shift
(11)	0 1 6 5	$E + \text{id}$	\$	reduce by $F \rightarrow \text{id}$
(12)	0 1 6 3	$E + F$	\$	reduce by $T \rightarrow F$
(13)	0 1 6 9	$E + T$	\$	reduce by $E \rightarrow E + T$
(14)	0 1	E	\$	accept

EX4:

$S \rightarrow Aa \mid bAc \mid dc \mid bda$

$A \rightarrow d$

Step 1: Augment Grammar

Step 2: Find start state of DFA

$S^1 \rightarrow \bullet S$

$S \rightarrow \bullet Aa$

$S \rightarrow \bullet bAc$

$S \rightarrow \bullet dc$

$S \rightarrow \bullet bda$

$A \rightarrow \bullet d$

Step 3: Draw DFA

Step 4: construct Parse table

Step 5: Show parsing action

EX 5:

$S \rightarrow L=R \mid R$

$L \rightarrow *R \mid \text{id}$

$R \rightarrow L$

Ex 6:

$S \rightarrow a \mid \uparrow \mid (T)$

$T \rightarrow T, S \mid S$

LIMITATIONS OF SLR(1)

- Applies lookaheads after the construction of the DFA of LR(0) items
- **The construction of DFA ignores lookaheads**
- The general LR(1) method:
 - **Using a new DFA with the lookaheads built into its construction**

The DFA items are an extension of LR(0) items
LR(1) items include a single lookahead token in each item.
 - A pair consisting of an LR(0) item and a lookahead token.

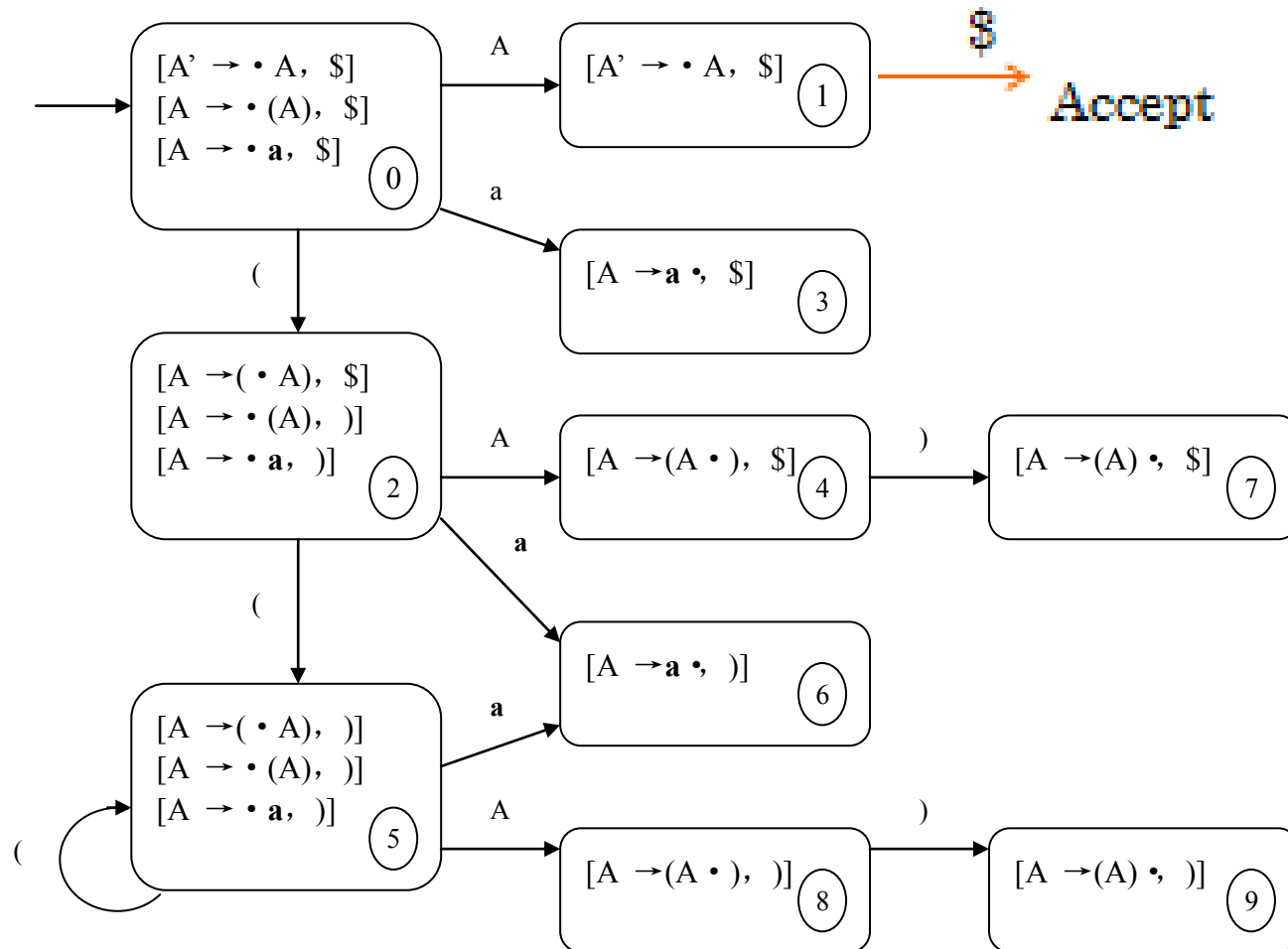
LR(1) items using square brackets as $[A \rightarrow \alpha \cdot \beta, a]$
where $A \rightarrow \alpha \cdot \beta$ is an LR(0) item and a is a lookahead token

CLR(1)

The Grammar:

(1) $A \rightarrow (A)$

(2) $A \rightarrow a$



The Grammar:

(1) $A \rightarrow (A)$

(2) $A \rightarrow a$

State	Input				Goto
	(a)	\$	
0	s2	s3			1
1				accept	
2	s5	s6			4
3				r2	
4			s7		
5	S5	S6			8
6			r2		
7				r1	
8			s9		
9			r1		