Complier Design Assignment

on Semantic Analysis

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Question 1):- What is an attribute ? Explain the various types of Attributes and their uses.

Attributes grammer is a special form of context-free grammer where some additional information are appended to one or more of its non-terminals in order to provide content. Sensetive information values, such as integer., float, Character, String and expressions.

There are two types of Attributes:—

① Inherited :→ An attribute is said to be inherited attribute if its parse tree node value is determined by the attributes value at parent or sebling's node. The Production must have non-terminal as a symbol in its body. An inherited attribute at Node N defined only in terms of attributes value N's parent, N itself and N's sebling's.

② Synthesized :→

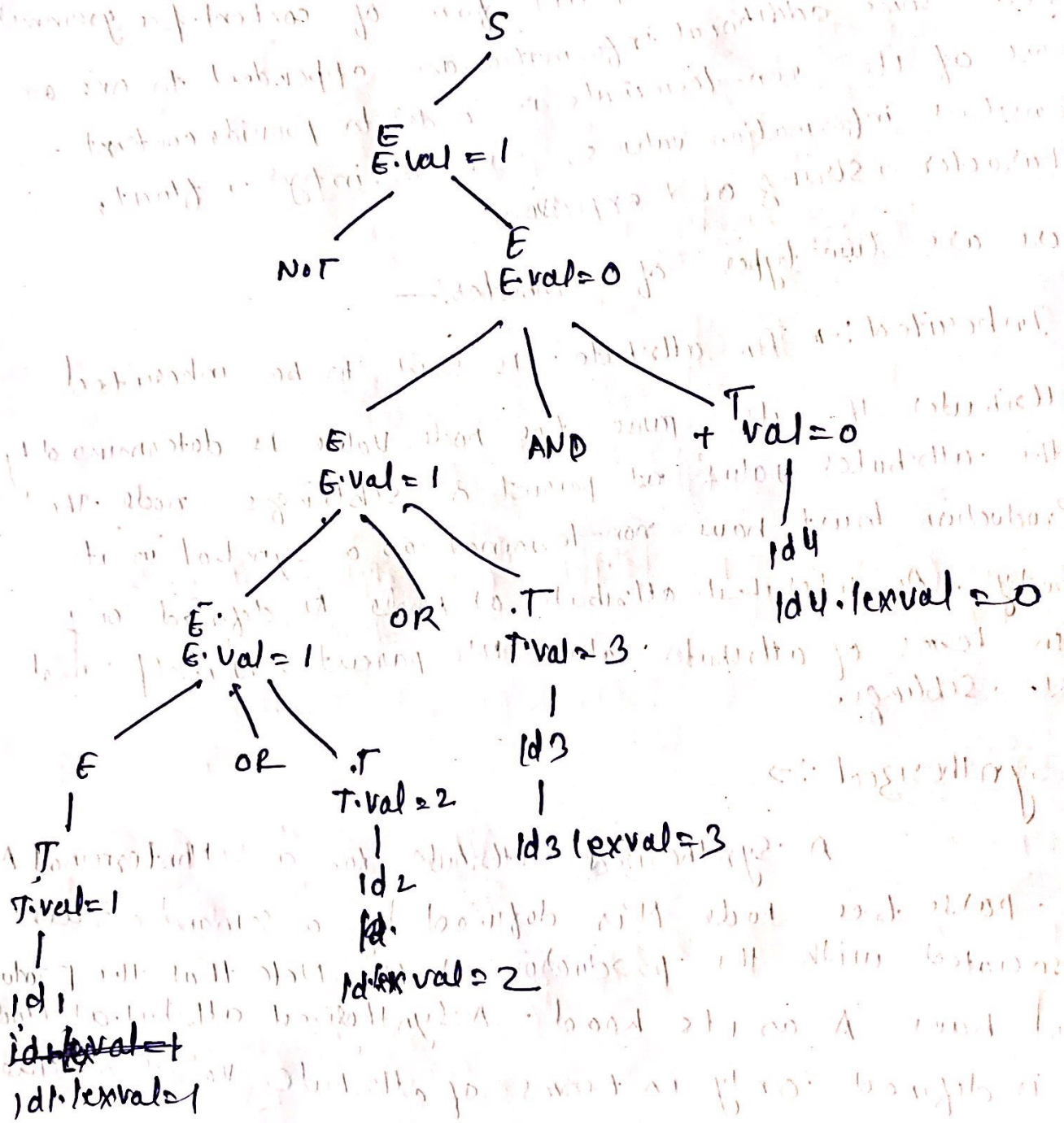
A Synthesized attribute for a Nonterminal A at a parse tree node N is defined by a semantic rule associated with the production at N. Note that the production must have A as its head. A Synthesized attribut at Node N is defined only in terms of attribute values at the children of N and at itself.

Production	Semantic Rules
S → E	check (E.val)
E → E₁ OR T	E.val = E₁.val 'OR' T.val
E → E₁ AND T	E.val = E₁.val 'AND' T.val
E → T	E.val = T.val
T → id	T.val = id.lexval

$E \rightarrow NOT\ E$ $\quad E.val = \sim E.val$;

Example :- NOT (id_1 OR id_2 OR id_3 AND id_4)

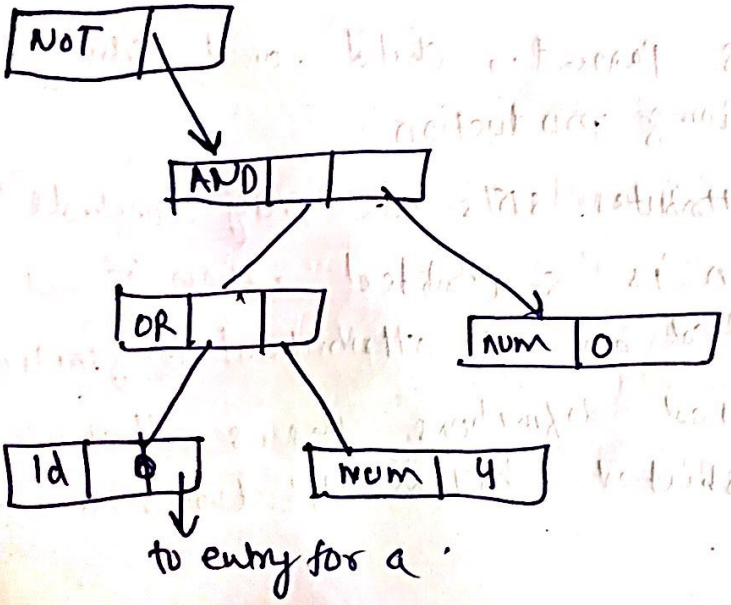
NOT (1 OR 2 OR 3 AND 0)



Q2:- Design the syntax Directed Definition for the constructing syntax tree for the boolean expressions use suitable examples to create a tree for any boolean expression from their selected CFG.

$E \rightarrow E_1$ OR T	E.nptr = mknode("OR", E_1.nptr, T.nptr)
$E \rightarrow E_1$ AND T	mknode("AND", E_1.nptr, T.nptr)
E → NOT E	mknode("NOT", E_1.nptr)
E → T	T.nptr
T → id	mkleaf(id, id.lexval)
T → num	mkleaf(num, num.val)

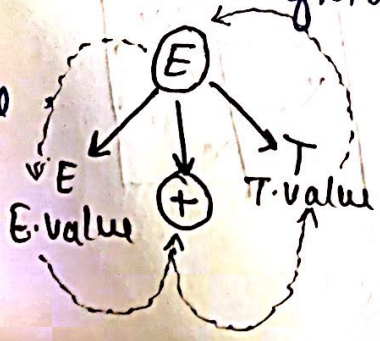
NOT (a OR 4 AND 0)



Question 3:- Difference b/w S- Attributes Definition & L attributes Definition Also explain how Semantic rule are.

Synthesized attributes it is called S- attributed SDT. These attributes are evaluated using S- attributed SDTs that have their semantic actions written after the production.

E.val = E.value + T.value



attributes in S-attributed SDTs are evaluated in bottom up parsing as values of the parse node depend upon the values of the child nodes.

L-attributed SDT :— This form of SDT uses inherited attributes with restriction of not taking value from right siblings.

In L-attributed SDTs, a non-terminal can get values from its parent, child and sibling nodes. as in the following production.

L-attributes SDTs we may conclude that if a definition is S-attributed, then it is also L-attributed as L-attributed definition encloses S-attributed definitions the S attributed definition are also L-attributed bottom up Evaluation of S-attributed definition.

(1) Maintain the values of the synthesized attributes of the grammar symbols into a parallel stack.

(2) The evaluation of values of the attributes are done during reduction operation.

Z	Z.Z
Y	Y.Y
X	X.X
x	x

IF $A \rightarrow XYZ$

After Reduction

A	A.a
X	X.

Q:-4:- Along with mentioning appropiate rules and annoted parse tree perform type checking on the given expression :-

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if ( a != b)
  {
    if (i = j)
      {
        a = b + c ;
      }
  }
// Note a, b, c , i and j are of integer
// type.
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S → if (E) ∈ | S | ∃ S.type = (if t.type = Bodean then S1.type else type_error)

S → id := E S.type = (if id.type = E.type then void else typeerror)

S → S1 ; S2 S.type = (if S1.type = void and S2.type = void then void else type_error)

E → E1 + E2 E.type = (if E1.type = E2.type then E1.type else type-error)

E → F != E E.type = if (E1.type = E.type then Boolean else typeerror)

E → F == E E.type = (if E1.type = F.type then Boolean else type error)

E → F

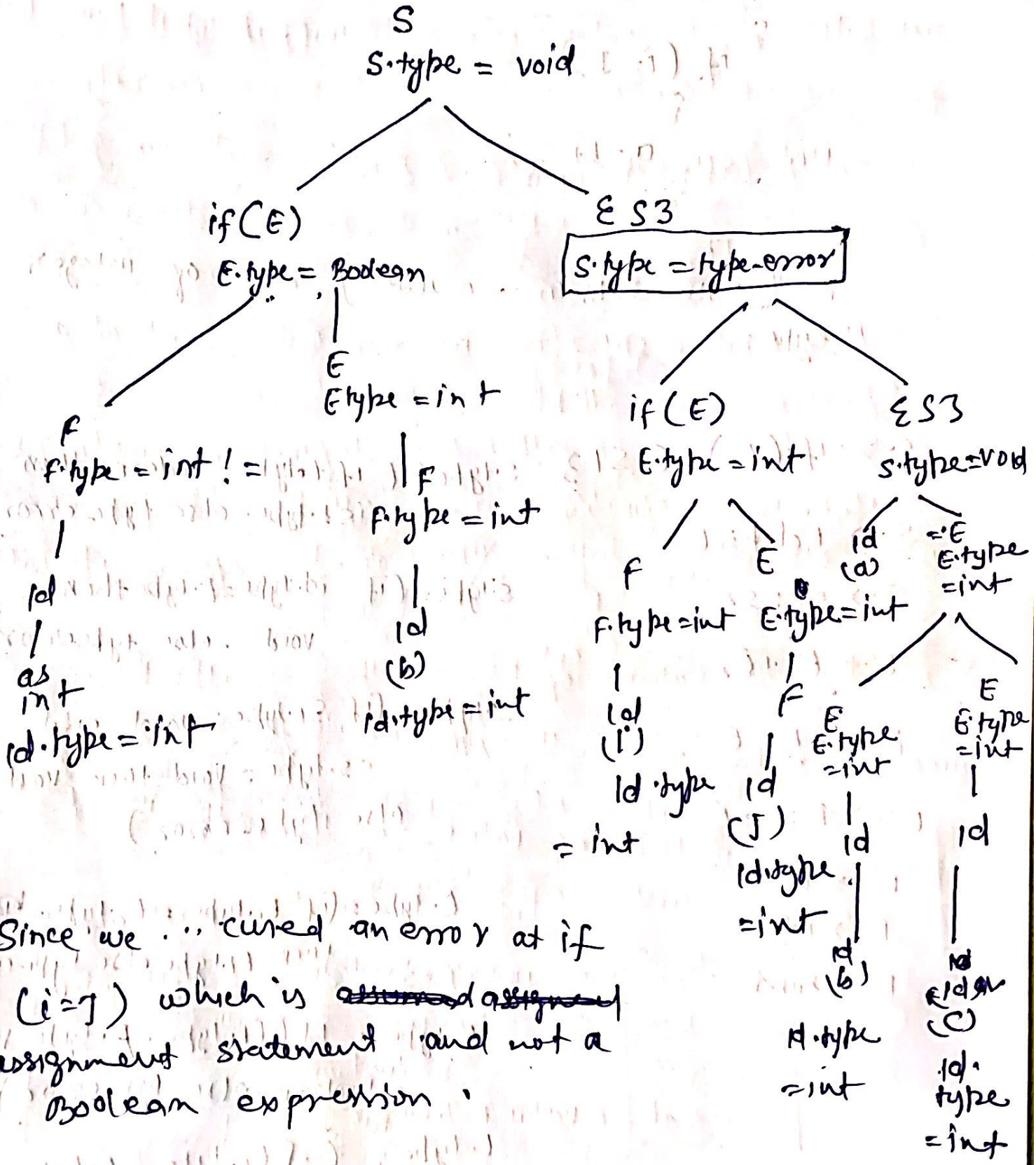
F → id

F → num

E = F.type

F.type = lookup (id.entry)

F.type = integer.



Since we ... cured an error at if (i=7) which is ~~assumed~~ assigned assignment statement and not a Boolean expression.