

# Compiler Design

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# LALR(1) Grammar

حالات	action				goto		
	a	b	d	\$	E	T	S
0	s2		s3,10		1	4,9	13
1	r2			r2			
2		s5		r6			
3,10	s7		s3,10		6,11	4,9	
4,9		r5		r5			
5				r3			
6,11		s8,12					
7		r6					
8,12				r4			
13				accept			

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0	dab\$
0d3,10	ab\$
0d3,10a7	b\$
0d3,10a7	b\$
0d3,10T	b\$
0d3,10T4,9	b\$
0d3,10T4,9	b\$
0d3,10E	b\$
0d3,10E6,11	b\$
0d3,10E6,11b8,12	\$
0E	\$
0E1	\$
0S	\$
0S13 (accept)	\$

- 1-  $A \rightarrow S$
- 2-  $S \rightarrow E$
- 3-  $S \rightarrow ab$
- 4-  $E \rightarrow dEb$
- 5-  $E \rightarrow T$
- 6-  $T \rightarrow a$

# LALR(1) Grammar

**Exercise 4.7.4:** Show that the following grammar

$$\begin{array}{lcl} S & \rightarrow & A\ a \mid b\ A\ c \mid d\ c \mid b\ d\ a \\ A & \rightarrow & d \end{array}$$

is LALR(1) but not SLR(1).

# Ambiguous Grammars

- *Every ambiguous grammar fails to be LR*
- *Every LR grammar is not ambiguous*
- **However, certain types of ambiguous grammars are quite useful in the specification and implementation of languages**
  - We can specify dis-ambiguating rules that allow only one parse tree for each sentence
- *Compilers usually use precedence and associativity to resolve conflicts*

# Ambiguous Grammars

- Precedence and Associativity to Resolve Conflicts

- **Example**  $E \rightarrow E + E \mid E * E \mid (E) \mid \text{id}$

- *This grammar is ambiguous because it does not specify the associativity or precedence of the operators + and \**

- This grammar is equivalent to the above grammar, which is not ambiguous
- |     |               |                        |
|-----|---------------|------------------------|
| $E$ | $\rightarrow$ | $E + T \mid T$         |
| $T$ | $\rightarrow$ | $T * F \mid F$         |
| $F$ | $\rightarrow$ | $( E ) \mid \text{id}$ |

- **There are two reasons why we might prefer to use the ambiguous grammar**
  - We can easily change the associativity and precedence of the operators without disturbing the productions or the number of states in the resulting parser
  - The parser for the ambiguous grammar will not waste time reducing by single productions

# Ambiguous Grammar

- Assuming + and \* are left associative and \* takes precedence over +

STATE	ACTION						GOTO
	id	+	*	(	)	\$	<i>E</i>
0	s3			s2			1
1		s4	s5			acc	
2	s3			s2			6
3		r4	r4			r4 r4	
4	s3			s2			7
5	s3			s2			8
6		s4	s5		s9		
7		r1	s5		r1	r1	
8		r2	r2		r2	r2	
9		r3	r3		r3	r3	

$I_0:$   $E' \rightarrow \cdot E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E + E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E * E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot (E)$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot \text{id}$

$I_1:$   $E' \rightarrow E \cdot$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot + E$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot * E$

$I_2:$   $E \rightarrow (\cdot E)$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E + E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E * E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot (E)$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot \text{id}$

$I_3:$   $E \rightarrow \text{id} \cdot$

$I_4:$   $E \rightarrow E + \cdot E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E + E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E * E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot (E)$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot \text{id}$

$I_5:$   $E \rightarrow E * \cdot E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E + E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot E * E$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot (E)$   
 $E \rightarrow \cdot \text{id}$

$I_6:$   $E \rightarrow (E \cdot)$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot + E$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot * E$

$I_7:$   $E \rightarrow E + E \cdot$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot + E$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot * E$

$I_8:$   $E \rightarrow E * E \cdot$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot + E$   
 $E \rightarrow E \cdot * E$

$I_9:$   $E \rightarrow (E) \cdot$

# Ambiguous Grammars

- The "Dangling-Else" Ambiguity

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stmt → if expr then stmt else stmt
      | if expr then stmt
      | other
    
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S' → S
S  → i S e S | i S | a
    
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$I_0:$   $S' \rightarrow \cdot S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot i S e S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot i S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot a$

$I_1:$   $S' \rightarrow S \cdot$

$I_2:$   $S \rightarrow i \cdot S e S$   
 $S \rightarrow i \cdot S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot i S e S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot i S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot a$

$I_3:$   $S \rightarrow a \cdot$

$I_4:$   $S \rightarrow i S \cdot e S$   
 $S \rightarrow i S \cdot$

$I_5:$   $S \rightarrow i S e \cdot S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot i S e S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot i S$   
 $S \rightarrow \cdot a$

$I_6:$   $S \rightarrow i S e S \cdot$

- We should shift else, because it is "associated" with the previous then*

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	<i>i</i>	<i>e</i>	<i>a</i>	\$	<i>S</i>
0	s2		s3		1
1				acc	
2	s2		s3		4
3		r3		r3	
4		s5		r2	
5	s2		s3		6
6		r1		r1	

	STACK	SYMBOLS	INPUT	ACTION
(1)	0		<i>i i a e a</i> \$	shift
(2)	0 2	<i>i</i>	<i>i a e a</i> \$	shift
(3)	0 2 2	<i>i i</i>	<i>a e a</i> \$	shift
(4)	0 2 2 3	<i>i i a</i>	<i>e a</i> \$	shift
(5)	0 2 2 4	<i>i i S</i>	<i>e a</i> \$	reduce by $S \rightarrow a$
(6)	0 2 2 4 5	<i>i i S e</i>	<i>a</i> \$	shift
(7)	0 2 2 4 5 3	<i>i i S e a</i>	\$	reduce by $S \rightarrow a$
(8)	0 2 2 4 5 6	<i>i i S e S</i>	\$	reduce by $S \rightarrow i S e S$
(9)	0 2 4	<i>i S</i>	\$	reduce by $S \rightarrow i S$
(10)	0 1	<i>S</i>	\$	accept



# Ambiguous Grammars

**Exercise 4.8.1:** The following is an ambiguous grammar for expressions with  $n$  binary, infix operators, at  $n$  different levels of precedence:

$$E \rightarrow E \theta_1 E \mid E \theta_2 E \mid \cdots \mid E \theta_n E \mid ( E ) \mid \mathbf{id}$$

- a) As a function of  $n$ , what are the SLR sets of items?
- b) How would you resolve the conflicts in the SLR items so that all operators are left associative, and  $\theta_n$  takes precedence over  $\theta_{n-1}$ , which takes precedence over  $\theta_{n-2}$ , and so on?
- c) Show the SLR parsing table that results from your decisions in part (b).

# Error Recovery in LR Parsing

- An LR parser will detect an error when it consults the parsing **action table** and finds an error entry
  - All empty entries in the action table are error entries
- A **canonical LR parser (LR(1) parser)** will never make even a single reduction before announcing an error
- The **SLR and LALR parsers may make several reductions before announcing an error**
- But, all LR parsers (LR(1), LALR and SLR parsers) will never shift an erroneous input symbol onto the stack

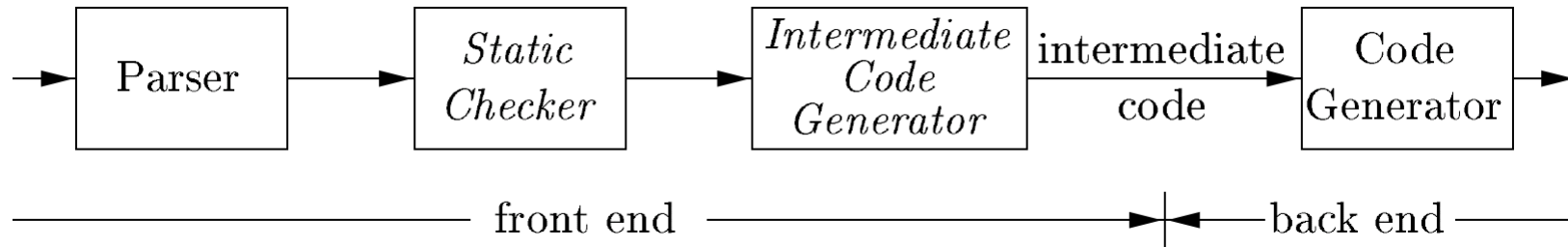
# Panic Mode Error Recovery in LR Parsing

- In LR parsing, we can implement panic-mode error recovery as follows:
  - Scan down the stack until a **state  $s$**  with a goto on a particular **non-terminal  $A$**  is found
  - Discard zero or more input symbols until a **symbol  $a$**  is found that can legitimately follow  **$A$**
  - The **symbol  $a$**  is simply in  **$FOLLOW(A)$** , but this may not work for all situations
  - The parser stacks the **non-terminal  $A$**  and the state  **$goto[s, A]$** , and it resumes the normal parsing

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- $m * n$  compilers can be built by writing just  $m$  front ends and  $n$  back ends



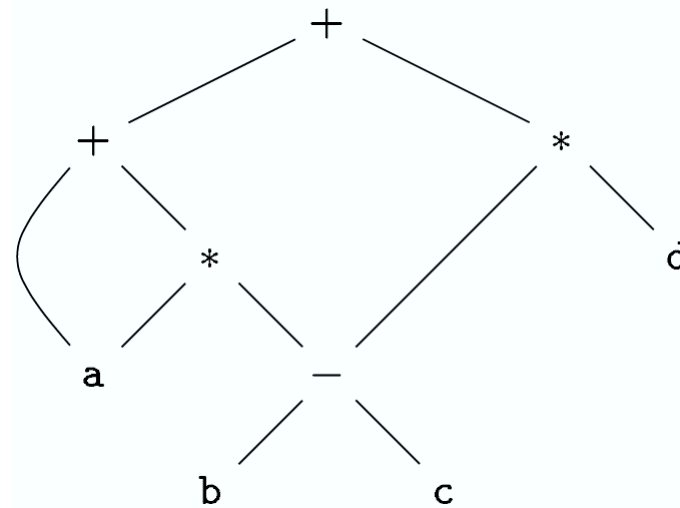
- An intermediate representation may either be an actual language
- C is a programming language, yet it is often used as an intermediate form because **it is flexible, it compiles into efficient machine code, and its compilers are widely available**
  - The original C++ compiler consisted of a front end that generated C, treating a C compiler as a back end

# Directed Acyclic Graph

- A directed acyclic graph (DAG) for an expression identifies the common subexpressions of the expression
- DAGs can be constructed by using the same techniques that construct syntax trees
  - A DAG has leaves corresponding to atomic operands and interior nodes corresponding to operators
  - A node  $N$  in a DAG has more than one parent if  $N$  represents a common subexpression

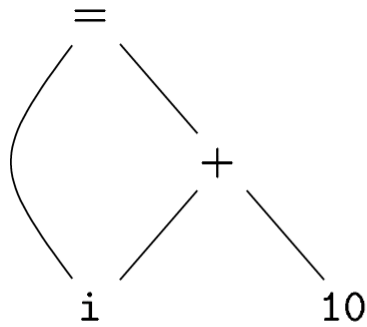
- **Example**

- $a + a * (b - c) + (b - c) * d$



# The Value-Number Method for Constructing DAGs

- Often, the nodes of a syntax tree or DAG are stored in an array of records



(a) DAG

1	id			to entry for i
2	num		10	
3	+	1	2	
4	=	1	3	
5		...		

(b) Array.

- In this array, we refer to nodes by giving the **integer index of the record for that node within the array**, which called the **value number** for the node or for the expression represented by the node