

Job No: 09

Job Name: Write a program to eliminate left factoring from a production of a grammar.

Theory:

Left Factoring is a grammar transformation technique. It consists in "factoring out" prefixes which are common to two or more productions.

For example, $A \rightarrow \alpha \beta \mid \alpha \gamma$

After left factoring:

$A \rightarrow \alpha A'$

$A' \rightarrow \beta \mid \gamma$

Code:

```
let nonTerminal = 'S';
let productions = 'iEtS|iEtSeS|a|iES';
console.log(`The given grammar is: ${nonTerminal} --> ${productions}`);

const LeftFactoring = (productions) => {
  let words = productions.split('|').filter(e => e !== '');
  if(words.length > 1){
    const counts = words.reduce((acc, w) => {
      prefix = ''
      for (i = 0; i < w.length; i++) {
        prefix += w[i]
        acc[prefix] = (acc[prefix] || 0) + 1;
      }
      return acc;
    }, {});

    try {
      const alpha = Object.entries(counts)
        .filter(([_ , v]) => v > words.length / 2.0)
        .sort((a, b) => b[0].length - a[0].length)[0][0];

      let nonTerminalPrime = '';
      words.filter(word => word.includes(alpha))
        .map(word => word.replace(alpha, ''))
        .filter(e => e !== '')
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        .forEach(e => nonTerminalPrime += e+'|');
let gama = words.filter(word => !word.includes(alpha));
console.log(`${nonTerminal} -->
    ${alpha}${nonTerminal}'${gama?'|${gama}':''}'`)
console.log(`${nonTerminal}' --> ${nonTerminalPrime}#`);

nonTerminal = `${nonTerminal}`;
LeftFactoring(nonTerminalPrime);
} catch {
    console.log('.....');
}
}
}

console.log(`After Left Factoring:`);
LeftFactoring(productions);

```

Input/Output:

```

The given grammer is: S --> iEtS|iEtSeS|a|iES
After Left Factoring:
S --> iES'|a
S' --> tS|tSeS|S|#
S' --> tSS''|S
S'' --> eS|#

```

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Left factoring is a process by which the grammar with common prefixes is transformed to make it useful for Top down parsers.

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After left factoring:

$A \rightarrow \alpha A'$

$A' \rightarrow \beta \mid \gamma$

Code:

```
let nonTerminal = "S";
let input = "bSSaaS|bSSaSb|a|bSb";
console.log(`The given grammar is: ${nonTerminal} --> ${input}`);

const DoLeftFactor = (input) => {
  let words = input.split("|").filter((e) => e !== "");
  if (words.length > 1) {
    const counts = words.reduce((acc, w) => {
      prefix = "";
      for (i = 0; i < w.length; i++) {
        prefix += w[i];
        acc[prefix] = (acc[prefix] || 0) + 1;
      }
      return acc;
    }, {});
    try {
      const alpha = Object.entries(counts)
        .filter(([, v]) => v > words.length / 2.0)
        .sort((a, b) => b[0].length - a[0].length)[0][0];
      let nonTerminalPrime = "";
      words
        .filter((word) => word.includes(alpha))
        .map((word) => word.replace(alpha, ""))
        .filter((e) => e !== "")
        .forEach((e) => (nonTerminalPrime += e + "|"));
      let gama = words.filter((word) => !word.includes(alpha));
```

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        console.log(`${nonTerminal} --> ${alpha}${nonTerminal}'${gama ?
        `|${gama}` : ""}`);
        console.log(`${nonTerminal}' --> ${nonTerminalPrime}#`);
        nonTerminal = `${nonTerminal}'`;
        DoLeftFactor(nonTerminalPrime);
    } catch {
        console.log(".....");
    }
}
};

console.log(`After Left Factoring:`);
DoLeftFactor(input);

```

Input/Output:

```

The given grammer is: S --> bSSaaS|bSSaSb|a|bSb
After Left Factoring:
S --> bSS'|a
S' --> SaaS|SaSb|b|#
S' --> SaS''|b
S'' --> aS|Sb|#
.....

```