Lab Assignment Week 5: Compiler Design

Lexical Analysis

LEX/flex(): Lexical Analyzer generator Tool

LEXICAL ANALYSER FOR ENGLISH (Partial)

Q1. Prepare a Lexical analyzer which can read a text file containg valid English statements and produces tokens such as: Adjective, Article, Adverb, Conjunction, Interjection Noun Preposition Pronoun Verb

<u>ADJECTIVE</u> - Examples: yellow, pretty, useful, old, older, oldest

ARTICLE - Examples: a, an, the

ADVERB - Examples: very, extremely, carefully

CONJUNCTION - Examples: and, but, or

INTERJECTION - Examples: Oh!, Aha!

NOUN - Examples: mouse, fire, Michael

PREPOSITION - Examples: in, about, toward

PRONOUN - Examples: he, this

<u>VERB</u> - Examples: take, is, fire, go went gone

LEXICAL ANALYSER FOR C (Partial)

Q 2. Define patterns and generate lexical analyzer for C language using LEX/flex() to Tokanize -valid integer, valid floating point number, valid character/String Literal, valid identifier, valid Keyword, a valid Operator – Arithmetic, Relational, Assignment etc.

Input: A Program in C Output: Tokens