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A. Modified specification

```
character
     = ? any Unicode non-control character ?;
2
     = ? any Unicode alphabetic character ?;
   digit
     = ? any Unicode numeric character ?;
   whitespace
     = ? any Unicode whitespace character ?;
   comment
     = '(*', {comment | character}, '*)';
10
11
     = (whitespace | comment), {whitespace}, {{comment}, {whitespace}};
12
   identifier
13
     = letter, {{whitespace}, letter | digit};
14
    factor
15
     = [[gap], digit, {{whitespace}, digit}, [gap], '*'],
16
        [gap], [(identifier
17
          | ('[' | '(/'), alternative, (']' | '/)')
18
          | ('{' | '(:'), alternative, ('}' | ':)')
19
          | '(', alternative, ')'
20
          | "'", character - "'", {character - "'"}, "'"
21
           '"', character - '"', {character - '"'}, '"'
22
          '?', {{whitespace}, character - '?'}, '?'), [gap]];
23
   term
24
     = factor,
25
        ['-', ? a factor that could be replaced
26
          by a factor containing no identifiers ?];
27
   sequence
     = term, {',', term};
29
   alternative
30
     = sequence, {('|' | '/' | '!'), sequence};
31
   production
32
     = [gap], identifier, [gap], '=', alternative, (';' | '.'), [gap];
33
34
     = production, {production};
35
```

Listing A.1: Modified version of the EBNF language specification defined in [1]