

EDK II VFR Programming Language Specification

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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Overview

Internal Forms Representation (IFR) is a binary encoding. This encoding is designed to be comparatively easy to parse and to manipulate programmatically.

To simplify the creation of IFR, a high-level Visual Forms Representation (VFR) language is defined below. Using this language syntax, a compiler can be designed to take an ordinary text file containing VFR as an input, and output IFR for use in a user's program. There are various methods to define the VFR language. This document sets out a method and describes it using BNF-style syntax.

1.2 Assumed Knowledge

Afull understanding of the UEFI Specification is assumed throughout this document.

This document is a reference manual for developers adopting the VFR language to create products compliant with current UEFI Specification. It offers enough material to create infrastructure files for the user interface, and to create a driver to export setup- related information to the Human Interface Infrastructure programming interface.

1.3 Related Information

Unified Extensible Firmware Interface Specification, Unified EFI, Inc., http://www.uefi.org

1.4 Terms

The following terms are used throughout this document to describe varying aspects of input localization:

BNF

BNF is an acronym for "Backus Naur Form". John Backus and Peter Naur introduced for the first time a formal notation to describe the syntax of a given language.

HII

Human Interface Infrastructure. This generally refers to the database that contains string, font, and IFR information along with other pieces that use one of the database components.

IFR

Internal Forms Representation. This is the binary encoding that is used for the representation of user interface pages.

VFR

Visual Forms Representation. This is the source code format that is used by developers to create a user interface with varying pieces of data or questions. This is later compiled into a binary encoding

2 VFR DESCRIPTION IN BNF

This section describes a language for developers to use when writing forms. This language is compiled into an architectural form (i.e., IFR) described in the *UEFI Specification*. Each section describes a different language terminal or non-terminal.

Note: The text formatting of the VFR statements and examples in this document are consistent with BNF-style conventions rather than with EFI or UEFI conventions.

VFR forms consist of a series of VFR statements. The subsections in this chapter designate the base definitions of the different VFR statements by specifying the keyword "Statement" in the section title, followed by the BNF non-terminal name enclosed in parentheses.

Subsections without the "Statement" keyword in the title are non-terminal definitions referenced by one or more of the VFR statement definitions.

The VFR language uses BNF-style syntax:

• For the BNF-style syntax used here, literal characters and terms are in bold and marked with quotation mark. **Example:** "formset" is composed of literal characters:

```
"formset"
```

• Terms are case-sensitive. VFR comments start with "//" and end at the end of the line. **Example:** a comment line:

```
// this is a typical comment marker
```

Optional terms are enclosed in non-bolded braces {}. Example: "classguid" definition is optional for formset:

```
{ "classguid" "=" classguidDefinition "," }
```

• Terms enclosed in parentheses, "()", and followed by an asterisk, "" may be specified in the input VFR zero or more times. *Example: ", vfrStatementStatTagList:

```
vfrStatementStatTagList ::=
  vfrStatementStatTag ( "," vfrStatementStatTag )*
```

• If the parenthesis is followed by a plus "+" sign, then the term must be present one or more times. **Example:** one or more numbers could be used in ideqvallist expression:

```
ideqvallistExp ::=
  "ideqvallist"
  vfrQuestionDataFieldName "==" ( Number )+
```

• Groups of terms are sometimes enclosed in parentheses. The character "|" between the two terms indicates that either term has acceptable syntax. **Example:** either "push" or "pop" is acceptable for vfrPragmaPackType:

```
vfrPragmaPackType ::=
{
    "show"
    | ( "push" | "pop" ) { "," StringIdentifier } { "," Number }
    | { Number }
}
```

• Asuperscript number, "n", followed by a comma "," and another number, "m", such as item{n, m} is used to indicate that the number of occurrences can be from n to m occurrences of the item, inclusive. **Example:** there could be 1 to 8 hexadecimal characters in "Hex8":

```
Hex8 ::= "0x"["0"-"9""A"-"F""a"-"f"]{1,8}
```

2.1 VFR Programming Keywords

The following keywords constitute the working set of commands for the VFR language. An example line of VFR code follows each keyword description to help programmers understand how a sample such code should look.

// (comment marker)

This allows a programmer to leave comments in the VFR file. They have no effect on the IFR binary that is generated. **Example:**

// this is a typical comment marker

#define

This command is used to assign a meaningful name to a constant, and is very similar in function to the 'C' style. **Example:**

#define FORMSET_GUID {0xA04A27f4,0xDF00,0x4D42,0xB5,0x52,0x39,0x51,0x13,0x02,0x11,0x3D}

#include

This command tells the VFR compiler to use the contents of a file as part of the source to compile. **Example:**

#include "C:\Source\DriverSampleStrDefs.h"

2.2 VFR Program

Acomplete VFR program takes the following form:

```
vfrProgram ::=
(
    vfrPragmaPackDefinition
    | vfrDataStructDefinition
)*
vfrFormSetDefinition

vfrPragmaPackDefinition ::=
    "#pragma" "pack" "(" vfrPragmaPackType ")"

vfrPragmaPackType ::=
    {
        "show"
        | ( "push" | "pop" ) { "," StringIdentifier } { "," Number }
        | { Number }
}
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

The data structure must be defined before formset statements. The pragma pack number must be the second power of 2.

Example

None.

2.3 VFR Data Struct Definition

```
vfrDataStructDefinition ::=
{ "typedef" } "struct"
 { StringIdentifier }
 "{" vfrDataStructFields "}"
 { StringIdentifier } ";"
vfrDataStructDefinition ::=
{ "typedef" } "union"
 { StringIdentifier }
 "{" vfrDataStructFields "}"
 { StringIdentifier } ";"
vfrDataStructFields ::=
      dataStructField64
    | dataStructField32
    | dataStructField16
   | dataStructField8
   | dataStructFieldBool
    | dataStructFieldString
    | dataStructFieldDate
   | dataStructFieldTime
   | dataStructFieldRef
   | dataStructFieldUser
   | dataStructBitField64
    | dataStructBitField32
   | dataStructBitField16
    | dataStructBitField8
dataStructField64 ::=
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructField32 ::=
  "UINT32"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructField16 ::=
  "UINT16"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructField8 ::=
  "UINT8"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructFieldBool ::=
  "BOOLEAN"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructFieldString ::=
  "EFI_STRING_ID"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructFieldDate ::=
  "EFI_HII_DATE"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructFieldTime ::=
  "EFI_HII_TIME"
  StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
dataStructFieldRef ::=
```

```
"EFI_HII_REF"
   StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
 dataStructFieldUser ::=
   StringIdentifier
   StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" } ";"
 dataStructBitField64 ::=
   "UTNT64"
   { StringIdentifier } ":" Number ";"
 dataStructBitField32 ::=
   "UTNT32"
   { StringIdentifier } ":" Number ";"
 dataStructBitField16 ::=
   "UINT16"
   { StringIdentifier } ":" Number ";"
 dataStructBitField8 ::=
   "UINT8"
   { StringIdentifier } ":" Number ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

The data structure definition is in C-style language. enum type is not supported. The keyword of the fields' type must be a user defined data structure or one of these types: UINT8, UINT32, UINT32, UINT64, BOOLEAN, EFI_STRING_ID, EFI_HII_DATA, EFI_HII_TIME EFI_HII_REF, and at most one-dimensional array is permitted. Note: for the bit field, the number of the bit width could not exceed 32.

Example

```
typedef struct {
  UINT8 mU8;
  UINT16 mU16;
 UINT32 mU32[10];
 UINT64 mU64;
} MyData;
typedef union {
 UINT16 Field16;
  UINT8 Field8;
} MyUnionData;
typedef struct {
 UINT16 Field16;
  UINT8     MyBits1 : 1;
 UINT8 MyBits2 : 3;
 UINT8 MyBits3 : 3;
UINT16 MyBits4 : 4;
} MyBitsData;
```

Unsupported Example of enum type:

```
typedef enum {
  MyEnumValue1,
  MyEnumValue2,
  MyEnumValueMax
} MyEnum;
```

Unsupported Example of two dimensional arrays in data structure:

```
typedef struct {
  UINT8   mU8;
  UINT32   mU32[10][20];
} MyUnsupportedData;
```

2.4 VFR FormSet Definition

```
vfrFormSetDefinition ::=
 "formset"
 "guid" "=" guidDefinition ","
 "title" "=" getStringId ","
 "help" "=" getStringId ","
 { "classguid" "=" classguidDefinition "," }
 { "class" "=" classDefinition "," }
 { "subclass" "=" subclassDefinition "," }
 vfrFormSetList
 "endformset" ";"
classguidDefinition ::=
 guidDefinition { "|" guidDefinition } { "|" guidDefinition }
classDefinition ::=
 validClassNames ( "|" validClassNames )*
validClassNames ::=
   "NON DEVICE"
 | "DISK_DEVICE"
 | "VIDEO_DEVICE"
 "NETWORK_DEVICE"
 | "INPUT_DEVICE"
 "ONBOARD_DEVICE"
 | "OTHER_DEVICE"
 Number
subclassDefinition ::=
   "SETUP_APPLICATION"
 "GENERAL_APPLICATION"
 "FRONT PAGE"
 "SINGLE_USE"
 Number
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.5 VFR FormSet List Definition

```
vfrFormSetList ::=
  (
    vfrFormDefinition
  | vfrFormMapDefinition
  | vfrStatementImage
  | vfrStatementVarStoreLinear
  | vfrStatementVarStoreEfi
  | vfrStatementVarStoreNameValue
  | vfrStatementDefaultStore
  | vfrStatementDisableIfFormSet
  | vfrStatementSuppressIfFormSet
  | vfrStatementExtension
  )*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

In the formset, there can be more than one form of variable stores and default stores. The formset can control whether to process an individual form by nesting it inside of an <code>EFI_IFR_DISABLE_IF</code> expression.

The variable stores and default stores must be defined before being referenced.

Example

None.

2.6 VFR Default Stores Definition

```
vfrStatementDefaultStore ::=
  "defaultstore" StringIdentifier ","
  "prompt" "=" getStringId
  { "," "attribute" "=" Number } ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: attribute is used to specify the default ID.

It is optional. The Standard Defaults Identifier, <code>efi_HII_Default_class_standard</code>, is used if the attribute is not defined. The Manufacturing Defaults Identifier, <code>efi_HII_Default_class_manufacturing</code>, and the Safe Defaults Identifier, <code>efi_HII_Default_class_standard</code>, and the Safe Defaults Identifier, <code>efi_HII_Default_class_standard</code>.

Example

defaultstore MyStandard, prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_STANDARD_DEFAULT);

2.7 VFR Variable Store Definition

2.7.1 VFR Buffer Store Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: The StringIdentifier following varstore is the referred data structure name. The StringIdentifier of name is the varstore name.

Note: name and guid are used jointly to specify the variable store.

Example

```
varstore MyData, name = RefName, guid = FORMSET_GUID;
```

2.7.2 VFR EFI Variable Store Definition

```
vfrStatementVarStoreEfi ::=
   "efivarstore"
(
        StringIdentifier ","
        | "UINT8" ","
        | "UINT16" ","
        | "UINT32" ","
        | "UINT64" ","
        | "EFI_HII_DATE" ","
        | "EFI_HII_TIME" ","
        | "EFI_HII_REF" ","
)
{   "varid" "=" Number ( "|" Number )* ","
   "name" "=" StringIdentifier ","
   "guid" "=" guidDefinition ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: The stringIdentifier following efivarstore is the referred data structure name. The stringIdentifier of name is the varstore name.

Note: name and guid are used jointly to specify the efi variable store.

Example

```
efivarstore EfiDataStructure
  attribute = EFI_VARIABLE_BOOTSERVICE_ACCESS,
  name = EfiData,
  guid = GUID;
```

2.7.3 VFR Variable Name Store Definition

```
vfrStatementVarStoreNameValue ::=
  "namevaluevarstore" StringIdentifier ","
  { "varid" "=" Number "," }
  ( "name" "=" getStringId "," )+
  "guid" "=" guidDefinition ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Example

```
namevaluevarstore NameValueVarStore,
name = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NAMEVALUE_TABLE_ITEM1),
name = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NAMEVALUE_TABLE_ITEM2),
name = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NAMEVALUE_TABLE_ITEM3),
guid = GUID;
```

2.8 VFR FormSet Disablelf Definition

```
vfrStatementDisableIfFormSet ::=
  "disableif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
    vfrFormSetList
  "endif" ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.9 VFR FormSet SuppressIf Definition

```
vfrStatementSuppressIfFormSet ::=
   "suppressif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
   vfrFormSetList
   "endif" ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.10 VFR General Token Definition

2.10.1 GUID Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

In practice, the VFR only supports GUIDs in a C-style language structure. It is defined as two 32-bit values, followed by two 16-bit values, followed by eight 1-byte values.

2.10.2 String & String Identifier Definition

```
StringIdentifier ::=
   ["A"-"Z""a"-"Z""a"-"z""_""0"-"9"]*

getStringId ::=
   "STRING_TOKEN" "(" Number ")"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.10.3 Number Definition

```
Number ::=
( "0x"["0"-"9""A"-"F""a"-"f"]+ ) | ["0"-"9"]+
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.10.4 VFR Statement Header Definition

```
vfrStatementHeader ::=
  "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
  "help"    "=" getStringId ","
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.10.5 VFR Question Header Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: questionid is used to specify the question ID. If it is not defined, the compiler automatically assigns a unique ID

Note: name is used to specify the reference name, which is optional.

Note: The first stringIdentifier defined in vfrStorageVarId is the varstore name or the structure name referred by varstore. When the same structure is referred to by more than one varstore statement, only the varstore name can be used here. If it is not defined, this question has no storage.

Example

None.

2.10.6 VFR Constant Value Definition

```
vfrConstantValueField ::=
    Number
| "TRUE"
| "FALSE"
| "ONE"
| "ONES"
| "ZERO"
| Number ":" Number ":" Number
| Number "/" Number "/" Number
| "STRING_TOKEN" "(" Number ")"
| { Number ("," Number)* }
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.10.7 VFR Statement Image & Locked Tag Definition

```
vfrImageTag ::=
    "image" "=" "IMAGE_TOKEN" "(" Number ")"

vfrLockedTag ::=
    "locked"

vfrStatementStatTag ::=
    vfrImageTag | vfrLockedTag

vfrStatementStatTagList ::=
    vfrStatementStatTag ( ", " vfrStatementStatTag )*
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11 VFR Form Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: formid must be unique for each form statement in a given formset.

Example

None.

2.11.1 VFR Form Map Definition

```
vfrFormMapDefinition ::=
 "formmap" "formid" "=" Number ","
   "maptitle" "=" getStringId ";"
   "mapguid" "=" guidDefinition ";"
     vfrStatementImage
  | vfrStatementLocked
  | vfrStatementRules
  | vfrStatementDefault
   | vfrStatementStat
   | vfrStatementQuestions
   | vfrStatementConditional
   | vfrStatementLabel
   | vfrStatementBanner
   | vfrStatementExtension
   | vfrStatementModal
 )*
  "endform" ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: formid must be unique for each form statement in a given formset.

Example

None.

2.11.2 VFR Image Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementImage ::=
  vfrImageTag ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.3 VFR Locked Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementLocked ::=
  vfrLockedTag ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.4 VFR Rule Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementRules ::=
  "rule" StringIdentifier ","
  vfrStatementExpression
  "endrule" ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS:

StringIdentifier is the name that can be referenced by a question. It should be unique in the formset.

Example

```
rule MyRule, 1 + 2
endrule;
```

2.11.5 VFR Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementStat ::=
   vfrStatementSubTitle
| vfrStatementStaticText
| vfrStatementCrossReference
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.5.1 VFR SubTitle Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional, and the default value is 0.

Example

```
subtitle
  text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_SUBTITLE_TEXT),
  flags = HORIZONTAL;

subtitle
  text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_SUBTITLE_TEXT),

text
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT_TEXT),
  text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT_TEXT);
  flags = RESET_REQUIRED,
  key = 0x0001;

endsubtitle;
```

2.11.5.2 VFR Text Definition

```
vfrStatementStaticText ::=
   "text"
   "help" "=" getStringId ","
   "text" "=" getStringId {
        "," "text" "=" getStringId }
   {
        "," "flags" "=" staticTextFlagsField ( "|" staticTextFlagsField )*
        "," "key" "=" Number
}
   {       "," vfrStatementStatTagList } ";"

staticTextFlagsField ::=
        Number
   | questionheaderFlagsField
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional. The default value is 0.

If EFI_IFR_FLAGS_CALLBACK is set in flags then it will generate an EFI_IFR_ACTION op-code. Otherwise, it generates the EFI_IFR_TEXT op-code.

The value of key will be used as a question ID.

Example

Generates EFI_IFR_TEXT:

```
text
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT_TEXT),
text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT_TEXT);
```

Generates EFI_IFR_ACTION:

```
text
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT_TEXT),
text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT_TEXT);
flags = RESET_REQUIRED,
key = 0x0001;
```

2.11.5.3 VFR Cross Reference Type Statements Definition

```
vfrStatementCrossReference ::=
    vfrStatementGoto
    | vfrStatementResetButton
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.5.3.1 VFR Goto Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementGoto ::=
 "goto"
  {
      "devicePath" "=" getStringId ","
     "formsetguid" "=" guidDefinition ","
     "formid" "=" Number ","
     "question" "=" Number ","
     "formsetguid" "=" guidDefinition ","
     "formid" "=" Number ","
     "question" "=" Number ","
    (
      "formid" "=" Number ","
      "question" "="
         StringIdentifier ","
       | Number ","
      )
    )
   (
     Number ","
   )
 vfrQuestionHeader
 { "," "flags" "=" vfrGotoFlags }
 { "," "key" "=" Number }
 { "," vfrStatementQuestionOptionList }
vfrGotoFlags ::=
 gotoFlagsField ( "|" gotoFlagsField )*
gotoFlagsField ::=
    Number
  | questionheaderFlagsField
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

The value of key is used as a question ID.

Example

Generate EFI_IFR_REF without key

```
goto 1,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP);
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF with key

```
goto 1,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP);
key = 0x1234;
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF2

```
goto
formid = 1,
question = QuesttionRef,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP);
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF3

```
goto
formsetguid = FORMSET_GUID,
formid = 1,
question = QuesttionRef,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP);
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF4

```
goto

devicepath = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DEVICE_PATH),
formsetguid = FORMSET_GUID,
formid = 1,
question = QuesttionRef,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP);
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF5 without varid

```
goto
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP);
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF5 with varid

```
goto
varid = MySTestData.mFieldRef,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN STR_GOTO_HELP);
default = FID;QID;GuidValue;STRING_TOKEN(STR_DEVICE_PATH),
;
```

Generate EFI_IFR_REF with option code

```
goto 1,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_GOTO_HELP),
refresh interval = 3
;
```

2.11.5.3.2 VFR ResetButton Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementResetButton ::=
   "resetbutton"
   "defaultStore" "=" StringIdentifier ","
   vfrStatementHeader ","
   { vfrStatementStatTagList "," }
   "endresetbutton" ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: defaultStore should point to the default store defined before.

Example

```
resetbutton
  defaultstore = DefaultStoreRef,
  prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_RESET_BUTTON_PROMPT),
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_RESET_BUTTON_HELP),
  endresetbutton;
```

2.11.6 VFR Question Type Statements Definition

```
vfrStatementQuestions ::=
    vfrStatementBooleanType
| vfrStatementDate
| vfrStatementNumericType
| vfrStatementStringType
| vfrStatementOrderedList
| vfrStatementTime
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.1 VFR Question Tag Definition

```
vfrStatementQuestionTag ::=
    vfrStatementStatTag ","
    vfrStatementInconsistentIf
    vfrStatementNoSubmitIf
    vfrStatementDisableIfQuest
    vfrStatementRefresh
    vfrStatementVarstoreDevice
    vfrStatementExtension
    vfrStatementRefreshEvent
    vfrStatementWarningIf
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.1.1 VFR Question Tag InconsistentIf Definition

```
vfrStatementInconsistentIf ::=
   "inconsistentif"
   "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
   vfrStatementExpression
   "endif"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in questions.

Example

```
checkbox
name = MyCheckBox,
varid = MySTestData.mField1,
questionid = 0xcb,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_HELP),
flags = CHECKBOX_DEFAULT | INTERACTIVE,

inconsistentif
   prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_INCONSISTENT_IF),
   ideqval MySTestData.mField1 == 2007
endif
endcheckbox;
```

2.11.6.1.2 VFR Question Tag NoSubmitlf Definition

```
vfrStatementNoSubmitIf ::=
   "nosubmitif"
   "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
   vfrStatementExpression
   "endif"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in questions.

Example

```
checkbox
name = MyCheckBox,
varid = MySTestData.mField1,
questionid = 0xcb,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_HELP),
flags = CHECKBOX_DEFAULT | INTERACTIVE,

nosubmitif prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NOSUBMIT_IF),
   ideqval MySTestData.mField1 == 2007
endif
endcheckbox;
```

2.11.6.1.3 VFR Question Tag DisableIf Definition

```
vfrStatementDisableIfQuest ::=
  "disableif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
  vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
  "endif"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

None.

Example

```
checkbox
name = MyCheckBox,
varid = MySTestData.mField1,
questionid = 0xcb,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_HELP),
flags = CHECKBOX_DEFAULT | INTERACTIVE,

disableif
  ideqvallist MySTestData.mField1 == 1 3 5 7;
  refresh interval = 1
endif
endcheckbox;
```

2.11.6.1.4 VFR Question Tag Refresh Definition

```
vfrStatementRefresh ::=
  "refresh" "interval" "=" Number
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in questions.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 0xff,
    refresh interval = 3
endnumeric;
```

2.11.6.1.5 VFR Question Tag VarstoreDevice Definition

```
vfrStatementVarstoreDevice ::=
  "varstoredevice" "=" getStringId ","
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in questions.

Example

```
checkbox
name = MyCheckBox,
varid = MySTestData.mField1,
questionid = Oxcb,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_HELP),
flags = CHECKBOX_DEFAULT | INTERACTIVE,

varstoredevice = STRING_TOKEN(STR_VARSTOREDEVICE),
endcheckbox;
```

2.11.6.1.6 VFR Question Tag RefreshEvent Definition

```
vfrStatementRefreshEvent ::=
   "refreshguid" "=" guidDefinition ","
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in questions.

Example

```
numeric
varid = MySTestData.mField2,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NUMERIC_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NUMERIC_HELP),
flags = DISPLAY_UINT_HEX,
minimum = 0,
maximum = 300,
step = 0,
refreshguid = EFI_IFR_REFRESH_ID_OP_GUID,
default = 175,
endnumeric;
```

2.11.6.1.7 VFR Question Tag Warninglf Definition vfrStatement

```
WarningIf ::=
  "warningif" "prompt" "=" getStringId "," {"timeout" "=" Number ","}
vfrStatementExpression
  "endif"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in questions.

Example

```
checkbox
name = MyCheckBox,
varid = MySTestData.mField1,
questionid = 0xcb,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_HELP),
flags = CHECKBOX_DEFAULT | INTERACTIVE,

warningif prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_INCONSISTENT_IF), timeout = 5,
    ideqval MySTestData.mField1 == 2007
endif
endcheckbox;
```

2.11.6.2 VFR Question Tag List Definition

```
vfrStatementQuestionTagList ::=
  ( vfrStatementQuestionTag )*
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.3 VFR Question Option Tag Definition

```
vfrStatementQuestionOptionTag ::=
    vfrStatementSuppressIfQuest
| vfrStatementValue
| vfrStatementDefault
| vfrStatementOptions
| vfrStatementRead
| vfrStatementWrite
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.3.1 VFR Question SuppressIf Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementSuppressIfQuest ::=
   "suppressif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
   vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
   "endif"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.3.2 VFR Default Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementDefault ::=
  "default"
(
    (
        vfrStatementValue ","
        | "=" vfrConstantValueField ","
    )
        { "defaultstore" "=" StringIdentifier "," }
)
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It can only be used in a question definition.

Note: defaultstore is optional and it points to the default store defined previously. If defaultstore is not defined, the EFIHII_DEFAULT_CLASS_STANDARD is assigned.

Example

```
default = 1,
default value = 1 + 2,
default = {1,2,3},
```

2.11.6.3.3 VFR Value Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementValue ::=
  "value" "=" vfrStatementExpression ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

None.

Example

```
Value = 0;
```

2.11.6.3.4 VFR Option Type Statements Definition

```
vfrStatementOptions ::=
   vfrStatementOneOfOption
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.3.5 VFR OneOf Option Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementOneOfOption ::=
   "option"
   "text"    "=" getStringId    ","
   "value"    "=" vfrConstantValueField    ","
   "flags"    "=" vfrOneOfOptionFlags
   (    "," vfrImageTag   )*
   ";"

vfrOneOfOptionFlags ::=
   oneofoptionFlagsField (    "|" oneofoptionFlagsField )*

oneofoptionFlagsField ::=
   Number
   | "OPTION_DEFAULT"
   | "OPTION_DEFAULT"
   | "INTERACTIVE"
   | "RESET_REQUIRED"
   | "DEFAULT"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

An option statement is special; it is used to embellish or describe questions.

These statements can be used to give the possible value and set the default value for questions. In other words, they are not questions, but they influence the questions they embellish. Therefore, the options' flags are treated as question flags and can accept all values of question flags.

Options with the DEFAULT flags can be used to set the default value for questions.

Example

```
option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ONE_OF_TEXT), value = 0x2, flags = DEFAULT | RESET_REQUIRED;
```

2.11.6.3.6 VFR Read Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementRead ::=
   "read" vfrStatementExpression ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

None.

Example

None

2.11.6.3.7 VFR Write Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementWrite ::=
   "write" vfrStatementExpression ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

None.

Example

None

2.11.6.4 VFR Question Tag List Definition

```
vfrStatementQuestionOptionList ::=
  (
    vfrStatementQuestionTag
    | vfrStatementQuestionOptionTag
)*
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.5 VFR Boolean Type Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementBooleanType ::=
   vfrStatementCheckBox
   | vfrStatementAction
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.5.1 VFR CheckBox Statement Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

The value of key is used as question ID.

Note: flags is optional, and the default value is 0.

Example

```
checkbox
name = MyCheckBox,
varid = MySTestData.mField1,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK_BOX_HELP),
flags = CHECKBOX_DEFAULT | INTERACTIVE,
default = TRUE,
endcheckbox;
```

2.11.6.5.2 VFR Action Statement Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional, and the default value is 0.

Example

```
action
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ACTION_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ACTION_HELP),
flags = INTERACTIVE,
config = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ACTION_CONFIG),
endaction;
```

2.11.6.6 VFR Numeric Type Statements Definition

```
vfrStatementNumericType ::=
    vfrStatementNumeric
    | vfrStatementOneOf
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.6.1 VFR Numeric Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementNumeric ::=
  "numeric"
 vfrQuestionHeader ,
 { "flags" "=" vfrNumericFlags "," }
 { "key" "=" Number "," }
 vfrSetMinMaxStep
 vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
  "endnumeric" ";"
vfrSetMinMaxStep ::=
  "minimum" "=" Number ","
 "maximum" "=" Number ","
 { "step" "=" Number "," }
vfrNumericFlags ::=
 numericFlagsField ( "|" numericFlagsField )*
numericFlagsField ::=
   Number
 "NUMERIC_SIZE_1"
 "NUMERIC_SIZE_2"
 "NUMERIC_SIZE_4"
 "NUMERIC_SIZE_8"
 "DISPLAY_INT_DEC"
 | "DISPLAY UINT DEC"
 | "DISPLAY UINT HEX"
  | questionheaderFlagsField
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional, and the default value partly depends on the size of varid defined in vfrQuestionHeader.

The default display format is <code>display_uint_dec</code> .

Example

```
numeric
  varid = STestData.mField2,
  prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NUMERIC_PROMPT),
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_NUMERIC_HELP),
  flags = DISPLAY_UINT_HEX,
  minimum = 0,
  maximum = 300,
  step = 0,
  default = 175,
endnumeric;
```

2.11.6.6.2 VFR OneOf Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementOneOf ::=
   "oneof"
   vfrQuestionHeader,
   { "flags" "=" vfrOneofFlagsField "," }
   { vfrSetMinMaxStep }
   vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
   "endoneof" ";"

vfrOneofFlagsField ::=
   numericFlagsField ( "|" numericFlagsField )*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional, and the default value partly depends on the size of varid defined in vfrQuestionHeader syntax.

The flag is defined in the VFR Numeric Statement Definition.

Example

```
oneof
  varid = STestData.mField3[0],
  prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ONE_OF_PROMPT),
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ONE_OF_HELP),
  flags = DISPLAY_UINT_DEC,

option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ONE_OF_TEXT1), value = 0x0, flags = 0;
  option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ONE_OF_TEXT2), value = 0x1, flags = 0;
  option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_ONE_OF_TEXT3), value = 0x2, flags = DEFAULT;
endoneof;
```

2.11.6.7 VFR String Type Statements Definition

```
vfrStatementStringType ::=
   vfrStatementString
   | vfrStatementPassword
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.6.7.1 VFR String Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementString ::=
   "string"

vfrQuestionHeader ","
{ "flags" "=" vfrStringFlagsField "," }
{ "key" "=" Number "," }
   "minsize" "=" Number ","
   "maxsize" "=" Number ","
   vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
   "endstring" ";"

vfrStringFlagsField ::=
   stringFlagsField ( "|" stringFlagsField )*

stringFlagsField ::=
   Number
| "MULTI_LINE"
| questionheaderFlagsField
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional, and the default value is 0.

Example

```
string
varid = STestData.mField1,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_MY_STRING_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_MY_STRING_HELP),
flags = MULTI_LINE,
minsize = 6,
maxsize = 0x14,
endstring;
```

2.11.6.7.2 VFR Password Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementPassword ::=
   "password"
vfrQuestionHeader ,
   { "flags" "=" vfrPasswordFlagsField "," }
   { "key" "=" Number "," }
   "minsize" "=" Number ","
   "maxsize" "=" Number ","
   vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
   "endpasswordFlagsField ::=
    passwordFlagsField ( "|" passwordFlagsField )*

passwordFlagsField ::=
   Number
   | questionheaderFlagsField
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: flags is optional, and the default value is 0.

The value of key is used as a question ID.

Example

```
password
varid = STestData.mPrivate.mField2,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PASSWORD_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PASSWORD_HELP),
minsize = 6,
maxsize = 20,
endpassword;
```

2.11.6.8 VFR OrderedList Statement Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Note: maxcontainers is optional, and the default value depends on the variable size defined by varid in vfrQuestionHeader .

Note: flags is optional, and the default value is 0.

```
orderedlist
varid = STestPriData.mField3,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTIONS),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTIONS),

option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTION2), value = 2, flags = RESET_REQUIRED;
option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTION1), value = 1, flags = RESET_REQUIRED;
option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTION3), value = 3, flags = RESET_REQUIRED;
option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTION4), value = 4, flags = RESET_REQUIRED;
option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BOOT_OPTION4), value = 4, flags = RESET_REQUIRED;
option text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_EMPTY_STRING), value = {1, 2, 3, 4}, flags = DEFAULT;
endlist;
```

2.11.6.9 VFR Date Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementDate ::=
  "date"
     vfrQuestionHeader ,
     { "flags" "=" vfrDateFlags "," }
     vfrStatementQuestionOptionList
      "year" "varid" "=" StringIdentifier "." StringIdentifier ","
      "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
      "help" "=" getStringId ","
      {\tt minMaxDateStepDefault}
      "month" "varid" "=" StringIdentifier "." StringIdentifier ","
      "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
      "help" "=" getStringId ","
      {\tt minMaxDateStepDefault}
      "day" "varid" "=" StringIdentifier "." StringIdentifier ","
      "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
      "help" "=" getStringId ","
     minMaxDateStepDefault
      ( vfrStatementInconsistentIf )*
   )
 )
  "enddate" ";"
minMaxDateStepDefault ::=
  "minimum" "=" Number ","
 "maximum" "=" Number ","
 { "step" "=" Number "," }
 { "default" "=" Number "," }
vfrDateFlags ::=
 dateFlagsField ( "|" dateFlagsField )*
dateFlagsField ::=
  "YEAR_SUPPRESS"
 "MONTH_SUPPRESS"
  | "DAY_SUPPRESS"
  "STORAGE_NORMAL"
  | "STORAGE_TIME"
  "STORAGE WAKEUP"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

There are old and new syntax of the VFR Date statement, but they are incompatible. The old VFR Date only uses EFI Date/Time Storage, instead of normal question value storage. The new VFR Date can use either the normal question value storage or EFI Date/Time Storage.

For the new syntax of VFR, flags is optional, and the default value is 0 Examples follow.

New syntax of VFR Date:

```
date
  varid = STestData.mDate,
  prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_PROMPT),
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_PROMPT),
  flags = STORAGE_NORMAL,
  default = 2007/08/26,
  enddate;
```

Old syntax of VFR Date:

```
varid = Date.Year,
prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_HELP),
date year varid
          minimum = 2003,
          maximum = 2100,
                      = 1,
          step
          default = 2003,
           month varid = Date.Month
                    = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_PROMPT),
= STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_HELP),
           prompt
           help
          minimum = 1,
          maximum = 12,
                     = 1,
           step
          default = 1,
           day varid = Date.Day,
          prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_PROMPT),
help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_DATE_HELP),
           minimum = 1,
           maximum = 31,
           step
                     = 0x1,
           default = 1,
enddate:
```

2.11.6.10 VFR Time Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementTime :
  (
     vfrQuestionHeader ","
     { "flags" "=" vfrTimeFlags "," }
     {\tt vfrStatementQuestionOptionList}
    (
     "hour" "varid" "=" StringIdentifier "." StringIdentifier ","
     "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
     "help" "=" getStringId ","
     minMaxTimeStepDefault
     "minute" "varid" "=" StringIdentifier "." StringIdentifier ","
     "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
     "help" "=" getStringId ","
     minMaxTimeStepDefault
     "second" "varid" "=" StringIdentifier "." StringIdentifier ","
     "prompt" "=" getStringId ","
     "help" "=" getStringId ","
     minMaxTimeStepDefault
     ( vfrStatementInconsistentIf )*
  "endtime" ";"
minMaxTimeStepDefault ::=
 { "default" "=" Number "," }
vfrTimeFlags ::=
 timeFlagsField ( "|" timeFlagsField )*
timeFlagsField ::=
 | "HOUR_SUPPRESS"
 "MINUTE SUPPRESS"
 "SECOND_SUPPRESS"
 "STORAGE_NORMAL"
 "STORAGE_TIME"
 "STORAGE_WAKEUP"
```

There are old and new syntax of VFR Time statements. They are incompatible.

- New: VFR Time can use either the normal question value storage or EFI Date/Time Storage.
- Old: VFR Date can use only EFI Date/Time Storage, instead of normal question value storage.

In the new syntax of VFR, flags is optional, and the default value is 0

Example

New Time Syntax:

```
name = MyTime,
  varid = STestData.mTime,
  prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TIME_PROMPT),
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TIME_PROMPT),
  flags = STORAGE_NORMAL,
  default = 15:33:33,
endtime;
```

Old Time Syntax:

2.11.7 VFR Conditional Type Statements Definition

```
vfrStatementConditional ::=
    vfrStatementDisableIfStat
| vfrStatementSuppressIfStat
| vfrStatementGrayOutIfStat
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTION or an Example for this section.

2.11.7.1 VFR Statement List Definition

```
vfrStatementStatList ::=
    vfrStatementStat
| vfrStatementQuestions
| vfrStatementConditional
| vfrStatementLabel
| vfrStatementExtension
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.7.2 VFR Statement Disalbelf Definition

```
vfrStatementDisableIfStat ::=
  "disableif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
  ( vfrStatementStatList )*
  "endif" ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.7.3 VFR Statement SuppressIf Definition

```
vfrStatementSuppressIfStat ::=
   "suppressif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
   ( vfrStatementStatList )*
   "endif" ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.7.4 VFR Statement GrayOutlf Definition

```
vfrStatementGrayOutIfStat ::=
   "grayoutif" vfrStatementExpression ";"
   ( vfrStatementStatList )*
   "endif" ";"
```

Note: There are no BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS or an Example for this section.

2.11.8 VFR GUID Statement Definition

2.11.8.1 VFR Label Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementLabel ::=
   "label" Number ";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It is an extended EFI_IFR_GUID op-code.

It should be paired in the VFR program.

Note: label is used to insert op-codes at runtime.

Example

```
label LABEL_START;
label LABEL_END;
```

2.11.8.2 VFR Banner Statement Definition

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It is an extended EFI_IFR_GUID op-code.

Example

```
banner
title = STRING_TOKEN(STR_BANNER_TITLE),
line 1,
align center;
```

2.11.8.3 VFR GUID Extension Definition

```
vfrStatementExtension ::=
 "guidop"
  "guid" "=" guidDefinition
   "," "datatype" "="
   (
       "UINT64" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "UINT32" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "UINT16" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "UINT8" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "BOOLEAN" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "EFI_STRING_ID" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "EFI HII DATE" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "EFI_HII_TIME" { "[" Number "]" }
    | "EFI_HII_REF" { "[" Number "]" }
     | StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" }
   vfrExtensionData
 }
   "," ( vfrStatementExtension )*
   "endguidop"
 }
vfrExtensionData ::=
   "," "data" { "[" Number "]" }
     "." StringIdentifier { "[" Number "]" }
   )*
   "=" Number
```

The generic guidop statement is used to specify user extension opcodes. By default, unassigned byte will be zero. The array number in the "data" part cannot be equal to or larger than the one in the "datatype" part. That is, the array index starts from zero.

Example

```
guidop
guid = GUID,
datatype = UINT32,
data = 0x12345678;
```

2.11.9 VFR Modal Statement Definition

```
vfrStatementModal ::=
modal";"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

It is only used in a form.

modal;

2.12 VFR Expression Statement Definition

The VFR expression is defined in C-style language.

The syntax of VFR expression is defined as a tree. The positions in the tree are determined according to the priority of the operator (for example: + - */). At the root of it are the terms of $_{OR}$, followed by the terms of $_{AND}$, because the priority of operator $_{OR}$ is lower than the operator $_{AND}$ (s). The leaves of the tree are sub- expressions of built-infunctions, unary operators, ternary operators, and constants.

2.12.1 OR

```
vfrStatementExpression ::=
andTerm ( "OR" andTerm )*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_OR op-codes.

2.12.2 AND

```
andTerm ::=
bitwiseorTerm ( "AND" bitwiseorTerm )*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_AND op-codes.

2.12.3 bitwiseor

```
bitwiseorTerm ::=
  bitwiseandTerm ( "|" bitwiseandTerm )*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_BITWISE_OR op-codes.

2.12.4 bitwiseand

```
bitwiseandTerm ::=
equalTerm ( "&" equalTerm )*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_BITWISE_AND op-codes.

2.12.5 equal

```
equalTerm ::=
  compareTerm
(
    "==" compareTerm
    | "!=" compareTerm
)*
```

Generates EFI_IFR_EQUAL or EFI_IFR_NOT_EQUAL op-codes.

2.12.6 compare

```
compareTerm ::=
    shiftTerm
(
        "<" shiftTerm
        | "<=" shiftTerm
        | ">" shiftTerm
        | ">=" shiftTerm
        | ">=" shiftTerm
        | ">=" shiftTerm
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_LESS_THAN EFI_IFR_LESS_EQUAL, EFI_IFR_IFR_GREATER_EQUAL, or EFI_IFR_GREATER_THAN op-codes.

2.12.7 shift

```
shiftTerm ::=
addMinusTerm
(
    "<<" addMinusTerm
    | ">>" addMinusTerm
)*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates <code>efi_ifr_shift_left</code> or <code>efi_ifr_shift_right</code> op-codes.

2.12.8 add/minus

```
addMinusTerm ::=
multdivmodTerm
(
    "+" multdivmodTerm
    | "-" multdivmodTerm
)*
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates ${\tt EFI_IFR_ADD}$ or ${\tt EFI_IFR_SUBTRACT}$ op-codes.

2.12.9 multiply/divide/modulo

```
multdivmodTerm ::=
    castTerm
(
        "*" castTerm
        | "/" castTerm
        | "%" castTerm
        | "%" castTerm
```

Generates EFI_IFR_MULTIPLY EFI_IFR_MODULO or EFI_IFR_DIVIDE op-codes.

2.12.10 cast terms

```
castTerm ::=
  (
    "("
    (
        "BOOLEAN"
        | "UINT64"
        | "UINT32"
        | "UINT16"
        | "UINT8"
    )
    ")"
)*
atomTerm
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

The VFR supports the C-style type conversion. The values can be converted into one of the following types: BOOLEAN, UINT64, UINT32, UINT16, UINT32, UINT16, UINT32.

2.12.11 atom terms

```
atomTerm ::=
    vfrExpressionCatenate
| vfrExpressionMatch
| vfrExpressionParen
| vfrExpressionBuildInFunction
| vfrExpressionConstant
| vfrExpressionUnaryOp
| vfrExpressionTernaryOp
| vfrExpressionMap
| ( "NOT" atomTerm )
| vfrExpressionMatch2
```

2.12.11.1 catenate

```
vfrExpressionCatenate ::=
   "catenate"
   "(" vfrStatementExpression "," vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_CATENATE op-codes.

Example

2.12.11.2 match

```
vfrExpressionMatch ::=
   "match"
   "(" vfrStatementExpression "," vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_MATCH op-codes.

Example

2.12.11.3 parenthesis

```
vfrExpressionParen ::=
  "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Changes the order of the calculation.

2.12.11.4 build-in functions

```
vfrExpressionBuildInFunction ::=
    dupExp
| ideqvalExp
| ideqidExp
| ideqvallistExp
| questionref1Exp
| rulerefExp
| stringref1Exp
| pushthisExp
| getExp
```

2.12.11.4.1 dup

```
dupExp ::=
  "dup"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_DUP op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 0xf0,
    default value = 2 + dup,
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.4.2 ideqval

```
ideqvalExp ::=
  "ideqval"
  vfrQuestionDataFieldName "==" Number
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_EQ_ID_VAL op-codes.

Example

```
grayoutif ideqval MyData.Data1 == 99;
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 0xf0,
endnumeric;
endif;
```

2.12.11.4.3 ideqid

```
ideqidExp ::=
   "ideqid"
   vfrQuestionDataFieldName "==" vfrQuestionDataFieldName
```

Generates EFI_IFR_EQ_ID_ID op-codes.

Example

```
grayoutif ideqid MyData.Data2 == MyData.Data3;
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 0xf0,
endnumeric;
endif;
```

2.12.11.4.4 ideqvallist

```
ideqvallistExp ::=
  "ideqvallist"
  vfrQuestionDataFieldName "==" ( Number )+
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_EQ_ID_LIST op-codes.

```
grayoutif ideqvallist MyData.Data1 == 1 3;
numeric name = MyNumeric,
    varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 0xf0,
endnumeric;
endif;
```

2.12.11.4.5 questionref

```
questionref1Exp ::=
  "questionref"
  "(" StringIdentifier | Number ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_QUESTION_REF1 op-codes.

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 0xf0,
    default value = questionref(MyNumeric),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.4.6 ruleref

```
rulerefExp ::=
   "ruleref" "(" StringIdentifier ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_RULE_REF op-codes.

Example

```
grayoutif ruleref(MyRule) == 1;
string varid = MyData.String,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minsize = 6,
    maxsize = 40,
endstring;
endif;
```

2.12.11.4.7 stringref

```
stringref1Exp ::=
  "stringref" "(" getStringId ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_STRING_REF1 op-codes.

Example

```
grayoutif stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING)) == 1;
string varid = MyData.String,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minsize = 6,
    maxsize = 40,
endstring;
endif;
```

2.12.11.4.8 pushthis

```
pushthisExp ::=
   "pushthis"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_THIS op-codes.

Example

```
string varid = MyData.String,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT), help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minsize = 6,
    maxsize = 40,
    inconsistentif prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_CHECK),
        pushthis != stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING))
    endif
endstring;
```

2.12.11.4.9 security

```
securityExp ::=
  "security" "(" guidDefinition ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_SECURITY op-codes.

Example

```
grayoutif NOT security(EFI_GUID);
  text
  help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
  text = STRING_TOKEN(STR_TEXT);
endif;
```

2.12.11.4.10 get

```
getExp ::=
  "get" "(" vfrStorageVarId { "|" "flags" "=" vfrNumericFlags } ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_GET op-codes.

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    read get(MyData.Data1);
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.5 constant

```
vfrExpressionConstant ::=
    "TRUE"
    | "FALSE" | "ONE"
    | "ONES"
    | "ZERO"
    | "UNDEFINED"
    | "VERSION"
    | Number
```

Generates <code>efi_ifr_true efi_ifr_false</code>, <code>efi_ifr_one efi_ifr_ones</code>, <code>efi_ifr_zero</code>, <code>efi_ifr_undefined</code>, <code>or efi_ifr_version op-codes</code>.

2.12.11.6 unary operators

```
vfrExpressionUnaryOp ::=
   lengthExp
| bitwisenotExp
| question23refExp
| stringref2Exp
| toboolExp
| tostringExp
| unintExp
| toupperExp
| tolwerExp
```

2.12.11.6.1 length

```
lengthExp ::=
  "length" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_LENGTH op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = length(stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING))),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.2 bitwisenot

```
bitwisenotExp ::=
  "~" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_BITWISENOT op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = ~(length(stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING)))),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.3 questionrefval

```
question23refExp ::=
  "questionrefval"
  "("
    {
        DevicePath "=" "STRING_TOKEN" "\(" S:Number "\)" ","
    }
    {
        Uuid "=" guidDefinition[Guid] ","
    }
    vfrStatementExpression
  ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_QUESTION_REF2 or EFI_IFR_QUESTION_REF3 op-codes.

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = questionrefval(QuestionID),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.4 stringrefval

```
stringref2Exp ::=
  "stringrefval" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates ${\tt EFI_IFR_STRING_REF2}$ op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = length(stringrefval(STR_STRING)),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.5 boolval

```
toboolExp ::=
  "boolval" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

Generates EFI_IFR_TO_BOOLEAN op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255, default value = boolval(12),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.6 stringval

```
tostringExp ::=
  "stringval" { "format" "=" Number "," }
  "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_TO_STRING op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = length(stringval(format = 8, 12)),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.7 unintval

```
unintExp ::=
  "unintval" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_TO_UINT op-codes.

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = unintval(12 * 3),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.6.8 toupper

```
toupperExp ::=
  "toupper" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_TO_UPPER op-codes.

Example

```
grayoutif length(toupper(stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING))))==1;
string varid = MyData.String,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minsize = 6,
    maxsize = 40,
endstring;
endif;
```

2.12.11.6.9 tolower

```
tolwerExp ::=
  "tolower" "(" vfrStatementExpression ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_TO_LOWER op-codes.

```
grayoutif length(tolower(stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING))))==2;
string varid = MyData.String,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minsize = 6,
    maxsize = 40,
endstring;
endif;
```

2.12.11.6.10 set

```
setExp ::=
   "set"
   "("
   vfrStorageVarId { "|" "flags" "=" vfrNumericFlags } ","
   vfrStatementExpression
   ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_SET op-codes.

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    write set(MyData.Data1,10);
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.7 ternary operators

```
vfrExpressionTernaryOp ::=
   conditionalExp
| findExp
| midExp
| tokenExp
| spanExp
```

2.12.11.7.1 cond

```
conditionalExp ::=
   "cond"
   "("
   vfrStatementExpression1
   ";"
   vfrStatementExpression2
   ":"
   vfrStatementExpression3
   ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

```
If (Expr1) then x = Expr3 else Expr2
```

Generates EFI_IFR_CONDITIONAL op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = cond(2 == 1 ? 5 : 10),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.7.2 find

```
findExp ::=
    "find"
    "("
    findFormat ( "|" findFormat )*
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ")"

findFormat ::=
    "SENSITIVE"
    | "INSENSITIVE"
```

Generates EFI_IFR_FIND op-codes.

Example

2.12.11.7.3 mid

```
midExp ::=
    "mid"
    "("
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_MID op-codes.

```
grayoutif length(mid(stringref(STRING_TOKEN(STR_STRING)),6,8))==1;
string varid = MyData.String,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minsize = 6,
    maxsize = 40,
endstring;
endif;
```

2.12.11.7.4 tok

```
tokenExp ::=
  "token"
  "("
  vfrStatementExpression
  ","
  vfrStatementExpression
  ","
  vfrStatementExpression
  ","
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_TOKEN op-codes.

Example

2.12.11.7.5 span

```
spanExp ::=
    "span"
    "("
    "flags" "=" spanFlags ( "|" spanFlags )*
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ","
    vfrStatementExpression
    ")"

spanFlags ::=
    Number
    | "LAST_NON_MATCH"
    | "FIRST_NON_MATCH"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_SPAN op-codes.

2.12.11.8 map

```
vfrExpressionMap ::=
    "map"
    "("
    vfrStatementExpression
    ":"
    (
        vfrStatementExpression
        ","
        vfrStatementExpression
        ";"
        vfrStatementExpression
        ";"
        )*
        ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_MAP op-codes.

Example

```
numeric varid = MyData.Data,
    prompt = STRING_TOKEN(STR_PROMPT),
    help = STRING_TOKEN(STR_HELP),
    minimum = 0,
    maximum = 255,
    default value = map(pushthis:0,10;1,2;3,5;6,8;),
endnumeric;
```

2.12.11.9 match2

```
vfrExpressionMatch ::=
   "match2"
   "("
   vfrStatementExpressionPattern
   ","
   vfrStatementExpressionString
   ","
   guidDefinition[Guid]
   ")"
```

BEHAVIORS AND RESTRICTIONS

Generates EFI_IFR_MATCH2 op-codes.