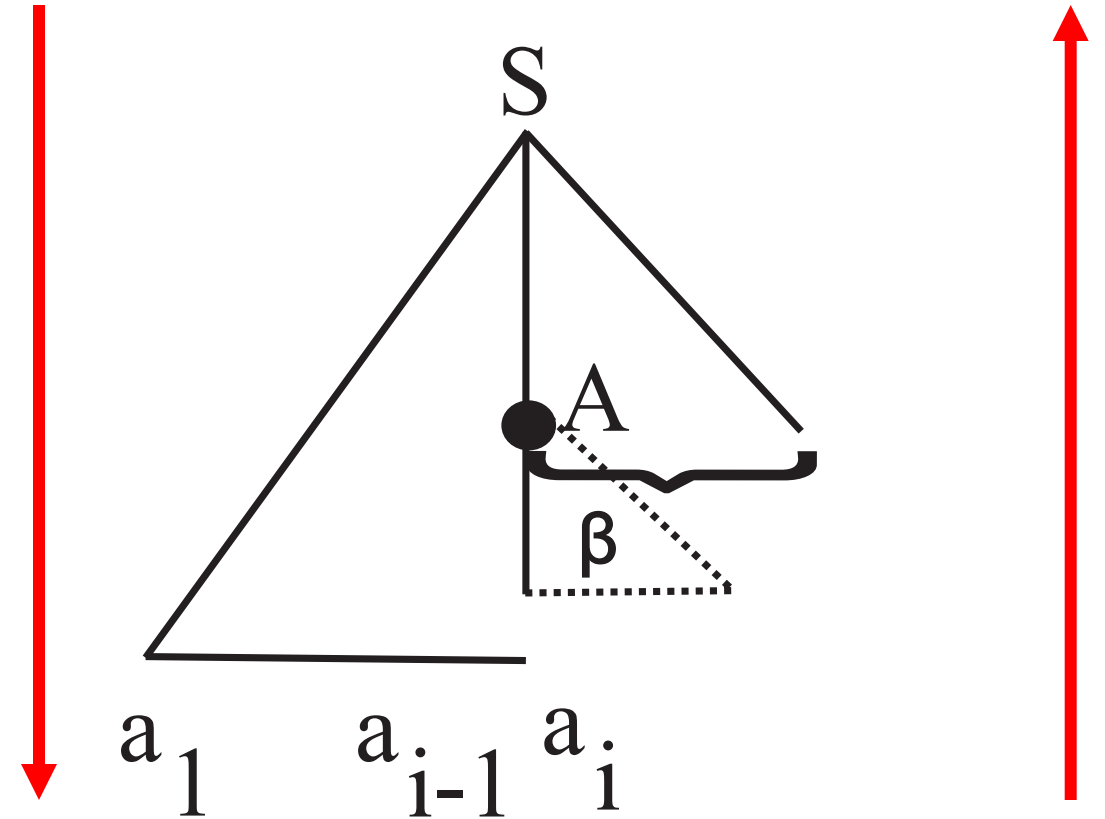


# Course 6

# Parsing

- Cfg  $G = (N, \Sigma, P, S)$  check if  $w \in L(G)$
- Construct parse tree
- How:
  1. Top-down vs. Bottom-up
  2. Recursive vs. linear



	Descendent	Ascendent
Recursive	Descendent recursive parser	Ascendent recursive parser
Linear	LL(k): LL(1)	LR(k): LR(0), SLR, LR(1), LALR

# Result – parse tree -representation

- Arbitrary tree – child sybling representation (left child right sybling)
- Sequence of derivations  $S \Rightarrow \alpha_1 \Rightarrow \alpha_2 \Rightarrow \dots \Rightarrow \alpha_n = w$
- String of production – index associated to prod – which prod is used at each derivation step

# Descendent recursive parser

- Example

# Formal model

- Configuration

$(s, i, \alpha, \beta)$

where:

- $s$  = state of the parsing, can be:
  - $q$  = normal state
  - $b$  = back state
  - $f$  = final state - corresponding to success:  $w \in L(G)$
  - $e$  = error state – corresponding to insuccess:  $w \notin L(G)$
- $i$  – position of current symbol in input sequence  
 $w = a_1a_2...a_n, i \in \{1,...,n+1\}$
- $\alpha$  = working stack, stores the way the parse is built
- $\beta$  = input stack, part of the tree to be built

Define moves between configurations

Initial configuration:  
 $(q, 1, \varepsilon, S)$



Final configuration:  
 $(f, n+1, \alpha, \varepsilon)$

# Expand

WHEN: head of input stack is a nonterminal

$$(q, i, \alpha, A\beta) \vdash (q, i, \alpha A_1, \gamma_1\beta)$$

where:

$A \rightarrow \gamma_1 \mid \gamma_2 \mid \dots$  represents the productions corresponding to A

1 = first prod of A

# Advance

WHEN: head of input stack is a terminal = current symbol from input

$$(q, i, \alpha, a_i \beta) \vdash (q, i+1, \alpha a_i, \beta)$$



# Momentary insuccess

WHEN: head of input stack is a terminal  $\neq$  current symbol from input

$$(q, i, \alpha, a_i \beta) \vdash (b, i, \alpha, \beta)$$

# Back

WHEN: head of working stack is a terminal

$$(b, i, \alpha a, \beta) \vdash (b, i-1, \alpha, a\beta)$$

# Another try

WHEN: head of working stack is a nonterminal

$(b, i, \alpha A_j, \gamma_j \beta) \vdash (q, i, \alpha A_{j+1}, \gamma_{j+1} \beta)$  , if  $\exists A \rightarrow \gamma_{j+1}$   
 $(b, i, \alpha, A \beta)$ , otherwise with the exception  
 $(e, i, \alpha, \beta)$ , if  $i=1$ ,  $A=S$ , **ERROR**

# Success

$$(q, n+1, \alpha, \varepsilon) \vdash (\textcolor{red}{f}, n+1, \alpha, \varepsilon)$$

# Algorithm

# $w \in L(G)$ - HOW

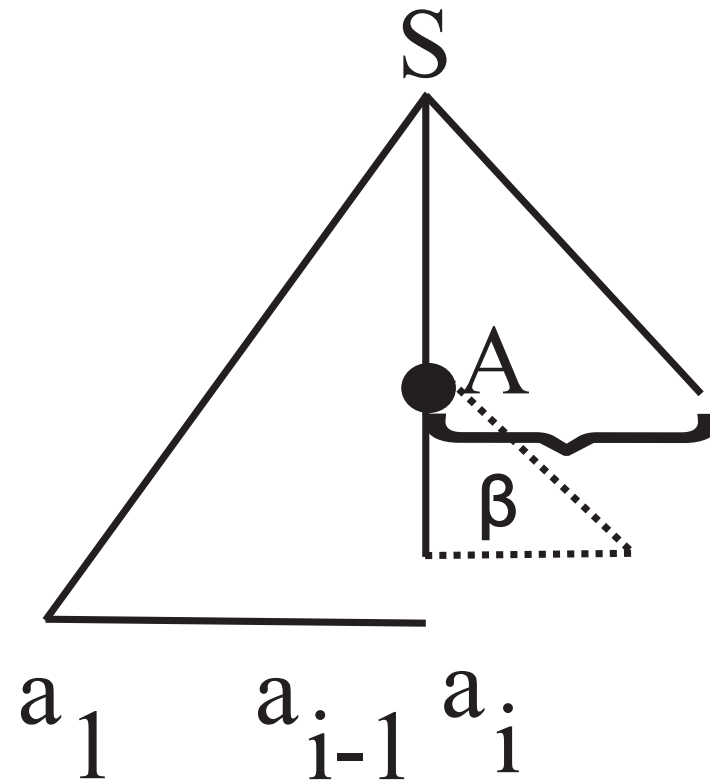
- Process  $\alpha$ :
  - From left to right (reverse if stored as stack)
  - Skip terminal symbols
  - Nonterminals – index of prod
- Example:  $\alpha = S_1 a S_2 a S_3 c b S_3 c$

# When the algorithm never stops?

- $S \rightarrow S\alpha$  – expand infinitely (left recursive)

# LL(1) Parser





Linear algorithm

# FIRST<sub>k</sub>

- $\approx$  first  $k$  terminal symbols that can be generated from  $\alpha$
- **Definition:**

$$FIRST_k : (N \cup \Sigma)^* \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\Sigma^k)$$

$$FIRST_k(\alpha) = \{u | u \in \Sigma^k, \alpha \xRightarrow{*} ux, |u| = k \text{ sau } \alpha \xRightarrow{*} u, |u| \leq k\}$$

# Construct FIRST

➤  $FIRST_1$  denoted FIRST

➤ Remarks:

- If  $L_1, L_2$  are 2 languages over alphabet  $\Sigma$ , then :  $L_1 \oplus L_2 = \{w | x \in L_1, y \in L_2, xy = w, |w| \leq 1 \text{ sau } xy = wz, |w| = 1\}$  and

- $FIRST(\alpha\beta) = FIRST(\alpha) \oplus FIRST(\beta)$

$$FIRST(X_1 \dots X_n) = FIRST(X_1) \oplus \dots \oplus FIRST(X_n)$$

Concatenation  
of length 1



$$L1 = \{aa, ab, ba\}$$

$$L2 = \{00, 01\}$$

$$L1L2 = \{aa00, ab00, ba00, aa01, ab01, ba01\}$$

$$L1 \oplus L2 = \{a, b\}$$

$$L1 = \{a, b\}$$

$$L2 = \{0, 1\}$$

$$L1 \oplus L2 = \{a, b\}$$

$$L1 = \{a, \epsilon\}$$

$$L2 = \{0, 1\}$$

$$L1 \oplus L2 = \{a, 0, 1\}$$

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**Algoritmul 3.3 FIRST**

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**INPUT:**  $G$

**OUTPUT:**  $FIRST(X), \forall X \in N \cup \Sigma$

**for**  $\forall a \in \Sigma$  **do**

$F_i(a) = \{a\}, \forall i \geq 0$

**end for**

$i := 0;$

$F_0(A) = \{x | x \in \Sigma, A \rightarrow x\alpha \text{ sau } A \rightarrow x \in P\}; \{\text{inițializare}\}$

**repeat**

$i := i+1;$

A

**for**  $\forall X \in N$  **do**

**if**  $F_{i-1}$  au fost calculate  $\forall X \in N \cup \Sigma$  **then**

*{dacă  $\exists Y_j, F_{i-1}(Y_j) = \emptyset$  atunci nu se poate aplica}*

$F_i(A) = F_{i-1}(A) \cup$

$\{x | A \rightarrow Y_1 \dots Y_n \in P, x \in F_{i-1}(Y_1) \oplus \dots \oplus F_{i-1}(Y_n)\}$

**end if**

**end for**

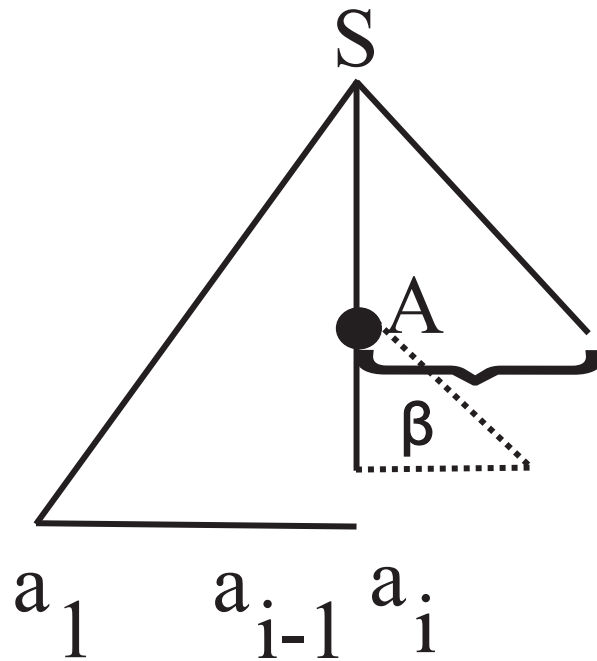
**until**  $F_{i-1}(A) = F_i(A)$

$FIRST(X) := F_i(X), \forall X \in N \cup \Sigma$ 

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# FOLLOW

$$A \rightarrow \varepsilon$$



➤  $\text{FOLLOW}_k(A) \approx$  next  $k$  symbols generated after/ following  $A$

$$\text{FOLLOW} : (N \cup \Sigma)^* \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\Sigma)$$

$$\text{FOLLOW}(\beta) = \{w \in \Sigma \mid S \xRightarrow{*} \alpha\beta\gamma, w \in \text{FIRST}(\gamma)\}$$

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### Algoritmul 3.4 FOLLOW

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**INPUT:**  $G, FIRST(X), \forall X \in N \cup \Sigma$

**OUTPUT:**  $FOLLOW(X), \forall X \in N \cup \Sigma$

$F(X) = \emptyset, \forall X \in N - \{S\}; \{\text{încălzire}\}$

$F(S) = \{\epsilon\}; \quad \{\text{corespunzător simbolului } \$ \text{ folosit în analiză}\}$

**repeat**

**for**  $B \in N$  **do**

**for**  $A \rightarrow \alpha B \gamma \in P$  **do**

**if**  $\epsilon \in FIRST(\gamma)$  **then**

$F'(B) = F(B) \cup F(A);$

**else**

$F'(B) = F(B) \cup FIRST(\gamma)$

**end if**

**end for**

**end for**

**until**  $F'(X) = F(X), \forall X \in N$

$FOLLOW(X) = F(X), \forall X \in N.$

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$S \Rightarrow^0 S // \epsilon \text{ after } S$

$S \Rightarrow aAc \Rightarrow abBc$   
 $A \rightarrow bB$

Correction:  
In order for the algorithm to function correctly, consider:

**For**  $\forall a \in FIRST(\gamma)$  **do**