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Compiler Design and Construction (Model Question)

Course Title: Compiler Design and Construction Full Marks: 60
Course No: CSC365 Pass Marks: 24
Semester: VI Time: 3 Hrs.

Section A

Attempt any TWO questions. (2 × 10 = 20)

1. Differentiate between top-down and bottom-up parsing methods. Construct SLR parse table for the following grammar.

S->aETe
E->Ebc
E->b
T->d

2. What are static and dynamic type checking? Write SDD to carry out type checking for the following expression.

E->id | E1 op E2 | E1 relop E2 | E1[E2] | E1↑

3. What is the role of intermediate code generation in the entire compilation process? Convert the following into three address code.

a+(b-c)*d

Section B

Attempt any EIGHT questions. (8 × 5 = 40)

- 4. Define compiler. Explain analysis phase of compiler.
- 5. “Symbol table is a necessary component of compiler”, justify this statement with examples.
- 6. Given a regular expression $(\epsilon + 0)^*10$. Construct the DFA recognizing the pattern described by this regular expression using syntax tree based reduction.
- 7. Define the terms token, pattern and lexeme. How input buffer can be used for scanner. Explain.
- 8. Find first and follow of all the non terminals in the following grammar.
 $E \rightarrow TA ; A \rightarrow +TA | \epsilon ; T \rightarrow FB ; B \rightarrow *FB | \epsilon ; F \rightarrow (E) | id$
- 9. What is Syntax Directed Definition? Define synthesized and inherited attributes with example.
- 10. What do you mean by runtime storage allocation? Differentiate static and dynamic allocation.
- 11. Why is it necessary to optimize code? Explain any two code optimization techniques with example.
- 12. Explain about the factors affecting code generation.

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Section A

Attempt all questions.

What are the task performed in lexical analysis. Define DFA. Given regular expression:

$(a+b)^*a(a+b)$

1

Difference between LR(0) and LR(1) algorithm. Construct LR(1) parse table for $s \rightarrow AA, A \rightarrow aA/b$

2

Type checking is the process of verifying that the types of expressions and variables used in a program are consistent and adhere to languages type system rules. The primary goal of type checking is to identify and prevent type-related errors before the program is executed.

3

Difference between compiler and interpreter.



5 What are the typical entries made in symbol table? Explain.

Define Left recursive grammar. Remove left recursion from the following grammar.

$S \rightarrow SB \mid Ca$

6 $B \rightarrow Bb \mid c$

$C \rightarrow aB \mid a$

What are the disadvantages of shift reduce parsing?

7 $w = (x-x) - (x/x)$ for grammar

$E = E - E \mid E / E \mid (E) \mid x$

8 Define attribute grammar with example of inherited and synthesized attributes

9 Define three address code. Write down Quadruples for $a = -b * (c + d) / e$

10 List out the different types of runtime storage management techniques.

11 What are the advantages of code optimization. Define Dead-code elimination.

12 Factors affecting (target code generator) code generator/code generator design issues



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Section A

Attempt all question.

- 1 Explain briefly about different phases involved in compiler, with a block diagram.

- 2 Given a regular expression $(\epsilon + 0)^*10$. Construct the DFA recognizing the pattern described by this regular expression using syntax tree based reduction.

- 3 What is shift reduce parsing techniques? Show shift reduce parsing action for the string $(x+x)^*a$, given the grammar

- 4 Construct SLR parsing table for the following grammar.
 $S \rightarrow aAa \mid bAb \mid ba$

Define Syntax directed definition. Construct annotated parse tree for the input expression $(5*3+2)*5$ according to the following syntax directed definition.



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| Production | Semantic Rule |
|------------------------------|---|
| $L \rightarrow En$ | Print E.val |
| $E \rightarrow E_1 + T$ | $E.val \rightarrow E_1.val + T.val$ |
| $E \rightarrow T$ | $E.val \rightarrow T.val$ |
| $T \rightarrow T_1 * F$ | $T.val \rightarrow T_1.val * F.val$ |
| $T \rightarrow F$ | $T.val \rightarrow F.val$ |
| $F \rightarrow (E)$ | $F.val \rightarrow (E.val)$ |
| $F \rightarrow \text{digit}$ | $F.val \rightarrow \text{digit.lexval}$ |

Write Syntax Directed Definition to carry out type checking for the following expression.

6

$E \rightarrow \text{id} \mid E_1 \text{ op } E_2 \mid E_1 \text{ relop } E_2 \mid E_1[E_2] \mid E_1 \uparrow$

7

Explain with example about different methods of intermediate code representation.

8

What is the purpose of code optimization? Explain different types of loop optimization techniques with example.

9

Discuss about different factors affecting the process of target code generation.

10

Discuss the importance of error handler in compiler. How is it manipulated in the different phases of compilation?

