

Milestone 1 - Spring 2023 Group 3

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Name - Hamlet Code

Design

Design Tools : DCG, Prolog, Python (for tokenization), bash/executable to run the program
Data Structures: List

Flow :

1. Bash code that takes program file as cli argument (eg. hamlet program.hamlet)
2. Internally it will run the following programs
 - a. Python code to read the program file and generate tokens
 - b. Prolog code that takes these tokens to create parse tree
 - c. Prolog code that takes the parse tree to evaluate the output

Inspiration :

The aim to bring the worlds of computer programming and software development closer together inspired the creation of a programming language like HamletCode. It is an attempt to combine the creativity of language with the logic of code in order to make programming more fun and interesting to a broader audience. It may also be used to study and teach programming principles in an interesting and enjoyable way.

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| Data types | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Boolean -<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. bool<ol style="list-style-type: none">i. aye(True)ii. nay(False)2. String -<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. verse3. Numeric -<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. numeral |
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| Assignment operator | be (=) |
| Ternary operator | <condition>?<statement>:<statement> |
| if-then-else | If it be <condition> thee shall <scene_declaration>, otherwise <scene_declaration> |
| for | forsooth <assignment variable_declaration> . <expression> . <assignment> doth <scene_declaration> . |
| while | whilst it be <expression> doth <scene_declaration> . |
| range-for | forsooth, let <identifier> be <number> to <number> by step size of <number> . doth <scene_declaration> . |
| print | sayeth <identifier string boolean>. |
| addition | + |
| subtraction | - |
| multiplication | * |
| division | / |
| not | naught |
| and | and |
| or | or |
| Less than / equal to | < / <= |
| Greater than / equal to | > / >= |
| equality | == |

Grammar

program ::= act_declaration

act_declaration ::= "act" scene_declaration "end act"

scene_declaration ::= "scene" statement_list "end scene"

statement_list ::= statement | statement statement_list | scene_declaration

statement ::= variable_declaration

- | assignment
- | print
- | conditional
- | ternary
- | traditional-for
- | traditional-while
- | range-for

variable_declaration ::= datatype identifier " be " expression "."

assignment ::= identifier " be " expression "."

datatype ::= "numeral" | "verse" | "bool"

expression ::= arithmetic_expression | boolean_expression

arithmetic_expression ::= arithmetic_term

| arithmetic_expression add_sub_operator arithmetic_term

arithmetic_term ::= arithmetic_factor

| arithmetic_term mul_div_operator arithmetic_factor

arithmetic_factor ::= identifier

- | number
- | "(" arithmetic_expression ")"

boolean_expression ::= arithmetic_expression comparison_operator arithmetic_expression

- | bool_literal
- | "(" boolean_expression ")"

bool_literal ::= "aye" | "nay"

print ::= "sayeth" (identifier | string | bool_literal) "."

conditional ::= "if it be" boolean_expression "then thee shall" scene_declaration "otherwise"
scene_declaration "."

ternary ::= boolean_expression "?" statement_list ":" statement_list "."

traditional-for ::= “forsooth” (assignment | variable_declaration) “.” boolean_expression “.”
assignment “doth” scene_declaration “.”

traditional-while ::= "whilst it be" boolean_expression "doth" scene_declaration "."

range-for ::= "forsooth, let" identifier "be" number "to" number "by step size of" number ". doth"
scene_declaration "."

identifier ::= letter | letter identifier

number ::= digit | digit number

string ::= “ letters_or_digit “

letters_or_digit ::= letter | digit | letter letters_or_digit | digit letters_or_digit

add_sub_operator ::= "+" | "-"

mul_div_operator ::= "*" | "/"

comparison_operator ::= "<" | ">" | "<=" | ">=" | "=="

letter ::= a" | "b" | "c" | "d" | "e" | "f" | "g" | "h" | "i" | "j" | "k" | "l" | "m" | "n" | "o" | "p" | "q" | "r" | "s" |
"t" | "u" | "v" | "w" | "x" | "y" | "z" | "A" | "B" | "C" | "D" | "E" | "F" | "G" | "H" | "I" | "J" | "K" | "L" | "M" |
"N" | "O" | "P" | "Q" | "R" | "S" | "T" | "U" | "V" | "W" | "X" | "Y" | "Z"

digit ::= "0" | "1" | "2" | "3" | "4" | "5" | "6" | "7" | "8" | "9"

Example Program

act

scene

let numeral a be 10.

let verse b be "Hello, world!".

let bool c be a > 5.

sayeth a.

sayeth b.

sayeth c.

if it be c then thee shall

sayeth "The condition is true".

otherwise

sayeth "The condition is false".

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end scene
scene
  forsooth, let i be 1 to 5 by step size of 1. doth
    sayeth i.
  end scene
scene
  whilst it be  $i \leq 5$  doth
    sayeth i.
    let i be  $i + 1$ .
  end scene
end act
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