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Chapter 1

Introduction

A compiler is a program that translates code written in one programming language into another language, while keeping the meaning of the original program intact. The main goal of a compiler is to produce target code that is efficient in terms of time and memory usage.

The process of compilation is divided into several steps, each of which builds upon the previous one. Each phase takes the output of the previous phase as its input, processes it, and then passes it on to the next phase. The first step is the analysis phase, where the compiler examines the source code, breaks it into smaller parts, and checks for errors such as incorrect words (lexical errors), wrong sentence structure (grammatical errors), and invalid syntax (syntax errors).

This analysis phase creates an intermediate code, which is also called assembly language code. This intermediate code is designed to be independent of any specific machine, making it easier to optimize and convert into assembly code in the later stages of compilation.

The compiler described in this report focuses on taking C++ source code as input and transforming it into intermediate code. This transformation represents the "front end" of the compiler's design, where the code is analyzed and prepared for further processing.

The intermediate code generated during this process plays a vital role in ensuring that the compiler can work across different types of machines. The subsequent stages of compilation focus on further optimizing this intermediate representation and converting it into machine-specific assembly code, completing the "back end" of the compiler process.

This report provides an in-depth exploration of the various phases of compiler construction, including their implementation in C++, the results achieved, and the additional functionalities introduced.

Chapter 2

Language Description

2.1 Language

This chapter provides the details of the language specifications.

2.1.1 Identifier Rules

The following rules define valid identifiers in the language:

1. Identifiers can be of any length.
2. Identifiers are case-sensitive.
3. Identifiers may only contain alphanumeric characters (a-z, A-Z, 0-9) and the underscore (_).
4. Reserved keywords cannot be used as identifiers.
5. Special characters such as semicolons, periods, whitespaces, slashes, or commas are not allowed within or as part of identifiers.
6. Special characters are treated as separate tokens and are not permitted inside identifiers.

2.1.2 Data Types

The language supports the following data types:

- Integer
- Float
- Double
- String
- Character
- Boolean

2.1.3 Expressions

The language supports the following types of expressions:

1. Arithmetic operations: `+`, `-`, `*`, `/`
2. Use of parentheses for grouping operations
3. Various types of numbers, including integers, floats, doubles, and scientific notation
4. String manipulation
5. Relational expressions: `>`, `<`, `>=`, `<=`, `==`, `!=`

2.1.4 Preprocessor Directives

The language supports preprocessor directives and comments:

- Single-line comments: `// Example of a single-line comment`
- Multi-line comments: `/* Example of a multi-line comment */`

2.1.5 Statements

The language allows the following types of statements:

1. Declaration statements: `int a;`
2. Assignment statements: `a = 6;`
3. Conditional statements, including:
 - Simple `if` statements
 - Nested `if` statements
 - Custom conditional statements using custom syntax
4. Iterative statements:
 - `for` loops, including nested `for` loops
 - `while` loops, including nested `while` loops
5. Increment and decrement operations: `a++` and `a--`
6. Return statements
7. Block statements

2.1.6 Examples of Conditional and Loop Statements

- **If Statement:**

```
if (x > y) {  
    // Do nothing  
} else {  
    // Do something  
}
```

- **Nested If Statement:**

```
if (x > y) {  
    if (x > sum) {  
        // Do nothing  
    } else {  
        // Do something  
    }  
}
```

- **While Loop:**

```
while (sum > 5) {  
    x = 30;  
}
```

- **For Loop:**

```
for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {  
    // Some Code  
}
```

- **Nested For Loop:**

```
for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {  
    for (int j = i; j < 7; j++) {  
        // Do something  
    }  
}
```

- **Nested While Loop:**

```
while (x > y) {  
    while (y > sum) {  
        // Do something  
    }  
}
```

This chapter outlines the foundational rules and capabilities of the language, providing a structured overview for implementation.

Chapter 3

Phases of Compiler

3.1 Description

The compiler's analysis phase dissects the source program into its core components and establishes a grammatical framework for them. This framework is then utilized to generate an intermediate representation of the original program. This stage is often referred to as the compiler's front end.

3.2 Lexical Analysis

The lexical analysis phase, also known as the scanner, reads the source code and breaks it into tokens. Tokens are the smallest units of a program, such as keywords, identifiers, and symbols.

- Input: Source code
- Output: Tokens

3.3 Syntax Analysis

The syntax analysis phase, or parser, checks the grammatical structure of the token sequence against the language's grammar. It generates a parse tree or abstract syntax tree (AST).

- Input: Tokens
- Output: Parse Tree or AST

3.4 Semantic Analysis

In this phase, the compiler ensures that the program's semantics are correct. It checks for type mismatches, undeclared variables, and other semantic errors.

- Input: Parse Tree or AST
- Output: Annotated Parse Tree

3.5 Intermediate Code Generation

The intermediate code generation phase converts the annotated parse tree into an intermediate representation (IR), which is a platform-independent code.

- Input: Annotated Parse Tree
- Output: Intermediate Representation (IR)

3.6 Code Optimization

This phase improves the intermediate code by optimizing it for better performance or reduced resource usage. It eliminates redundant code and simplifies expressions.

- Input: Intermediate Representation
- Output: Optimized Intermediate Representation

3.7 Code Generation

The code generation phase translates the optimized intermediate representation into target machine code. It produces the final executable code.

- Input: Optimized Intermediate Representation
- Output: Machine Code

3.8 Symbol Table Management

Throughout the compilation process, a symbol table is maintained. It stores information about variables, functions, and other entities for quick lookup.

3.9 Assembly Code Generation

The Assembly Code Generation phase translates the optimized intermediate code into low-level assembly language instructions. These instructions are specific to the target machine's architecture and act as an intermediate step between intermediate code and machine code. This phase ensures that the generated assembly code is correct, efficient, and ready for further processing by the assembler.

- **Input:** Optimized Intermediate Code
- **Output:** Assembly Language Instructions
- **Key Tasks:**
 - Register allocation and management.
 - Translation of intermediate operations to assembly instructions.
 - Handling of function calls, memory access, and control flow.

Chapter 4

Lexical Analyzer

4.1 Description

The **Lexical Analysis** phase is the first step in the compilation process. The source code is read character by character, and meaningful sequences of characters (called *lexemes*) are grouped into tokens. These tokens represent the smallest units of syntax, such as:

- Keywords (`int`, `return`)
- Operators (+, -, =)
- Identifiers (`x`, `main`)
- Literals (`10`, `3.14`)
- Punctuation (`;`, `(`, `)`)

Errors in this phase include unrecognized characters or malformed tokens.

4.2 How to Implement in C++

1. Use regular expressions to define patterns for tokens.
2. Implement a finite state automaton to recognize token boundaries.
3. Scan the source code line by line or character by character.

4.3 Outcomes

- A structured list of tokens.
- Errors for invalid tokens, such as unrecognized symbols.

4.4 Functionalities Added

The lexer in the provided code performs several key functionalities that are crucial for lexical analysis. Each functionality is responsible for recognizing specific patterns or tokens in the source code. Below are the details of each functionality implemented in the lexer:

4.4.1 Token Types

The lexer recognizes the following categories of tokens:

Data Types

- `T_INT`: Represents integer data types.
- `T_FLOAT`: Represents floating-point data types.
- `T_DOUBLE`: Represents double-precision floating-point data types.
- `T_STRING`: Represents string data types.
- `T_BOOL`: Represents boolean data types.
- `T_CHAR`: Represents character data types.

Identifiers and Literals

- `T_ID`: Represents variable or function names.
- `T_NUM`: Represents numeric constants.

Control Flow

- `T_IF`, `T_ELSE`: Represent conditional statements.
- `T_RETURN`: Represents the return statement.
- `T_AGAR`, `T_MAGAR`: Alternative representations for `T_IF` and `T_ELSE`.
- `T_WHILE`, `T_FOR`: Represent loops.
- `T_SWITCH`: Represents a switch-case statement.

Logical and Relational Operators

- `T_GT`: Greater than.
- `T_LT`: Less than.
- `T_EQ`: Equal to.
- `T_NE`: Not equal to.
- `T_LE`: Less than or equal to.

- `T_GE`: Greater than or equal to.
- `T_LOGICAL_AND`, `T_LOGICAL_OR`: Logical AND and OR operators.

Arithmetic Operators

- `T_PLUS`: Addition operator.
- `T_MINUS`: Subtraction operator.
- `T_MUL`: Multiplication operator.
- `T_DIV`: Division operator.

Punctuation

- `T_LPAREN`, `T_RPAREN`: Left and right parentheses.
- `T_LBRACE`, `T_RBRACE`: Left and right braces.
- `T_SEMICOLON`: Semicolon for statement termination.
- `T_COLON`: Colon used in switch-case statements.

Stream Operators and I/O Tokens

- `T_STREAM_INSERTION_OPERATOR`: Represents the `<<` operator.
- `T_STANDARD_OUTPUT_STREAM`: Represents `cout`.
- `T_EXTRACTION_OPERATOR`: Represents the `>>` operator.
- `T_STANDARD_INPUT_STREAM`: Represents `cin`.

Other Tokens

- `T_PREPROCESSOR`: Represents preprocessor directives starting with `#`.
- `T_TRUE`, `T_FALSE`: Boolean values.
- `T_UNKNOWN`: Represents unknown or invalid tokens.
- `T_EOF`: End-of-file token.

4.4.2 Helper Functions

The lexical analyzer includes various helper functions to process and generate tokens:

`consumeNumber`

Processes numeric literals and determines whether they are integers or floating-point numbers using the `isFloat` flag.

`consumeWord`

Processes keywords and identifiers by reading sequences of alphabetic characters.

`consumeString`

Processes string literals enclosed in quotation marks.

`skipComments`

Skips over single-line and multi-line comments to avoid tokenizing them.

`tokenTypeToString`

Converts a token type into its string representation for debugging and display purposes.

`printTokenizer`

Prints all tokens generated by the lexer for debugging and verification purposes.

4.4.3 End of File (EOF) Handling

Finally, the lexer adds a special `T_EOF` token to indicate the end of the source code. This marks the end of the tokenization process and signifies that the lexer has processed all the input.

4.5 Code



```
14 enum TokenType
15 {
16     T_INT,
17     T_FLOAT,
18     T_DOUBLE,
19     T_STRING,
20     T_BOOL,
21     T_CHAR,
22     T_ID,
23     T_NUM,
24     T_IF,
25     T_ELSE,
26     T_RETURN,
27     T_ASSIGN,
28     T_PLUS,
29     T_MINUS,
30     T_MUL,
31     T_DIV,
32     T_LPAREN,
33     T_RPAREN,
34     T_LBRACE,
35     T_RBRACE,
36     T_SEMICOLON,
37     T_GT,
38     T_LT,
39     T_EOF,
40     T_AGAR,
41     T_MAGAR,
42     T_WHILE,
43     T_EQ,
44     T_NE,
45     T_LE,
46     T_GE,
47     T_FOR,
48     T_SWITCH,
49     T_CASE,
50     T_RRFAK.

```

```
14 enum tokentype
67
68 struct Token
69 {
70     TokenType type;
71     string value;
72     int lineNumber;
73 };
74
75 class Lexer
76 {
77 private:
78     string src;
79     size_t pos;
80     int lineNumber;
81
82 public:
83     Lexer(const string &src) : src(src), pos(0),
84         lineNumber(1) {}
85
86     vector<Token> tokenize()
87     {
88         vector<Token> tokens;
89         while (pos < src.size())
90         {
91             char current = src[pos];
92             // Handle new line
93             if (current == '\n')
94             {
95                 lineNumber++;
96                 pos++;
97                 continue;
98             }
99             // Handle spaces
100             if (isspace(current))
101             {
102                 pos++;

```

Chapter 5

Syntax Analyzer

5.1 Description

The **Syntax Analysis** phase checks whether the sequence of tokens conforms to the grammar rules of the programming language. It constructs a **parse tree** or an **Abstract Syntax Tree (AST)** to represent the hierarchical structure of the source code.

5.2 How to Implement in C++

1. Define grammar rules, such as:

```
<assignment> ::= <identifier> '=' <expression> ';' ;
```

2. Implement a parser using:

- Recursive descent parsing (top-down parsing).
- Shift-reduce parsing (bottom-up parsing).

5.3 Outcomes

- A structured representation of the source code in the form of an AST.
- Errors for misplaced tokens, missing semicolons, etc.

5.4 Functionalities Added

5.4.1 Single-Line Declaration and Initialization Handling

The compiler efficiently processes single-line declarations and assignments. The `parseDeclarationOr DeclarationAssignment()` function identifies whether a token corresponds to a variable declaration or a combined declaration and initialization, ensuring proper syntax validation and intermediate code generation.

5.4.2 Parsing void Functions

Functions with a `void` return type are parsed and processed using the `parseVoidFunction()` function. This functionality ensures that `void` functions are correctly identified and their syntax is validated. The parser handles the function definition and ensures compatibility with the overall program structure.

5.4.3 Parsing break Statements

The compiler supports the parsing and handling of `break` statements using the `parseBreakStatement()` function. These statements are typically used to exit loops or `switch` cases, and the system ensures they are correctly placed and translated into appropriate intermediate and target code.

5.4.4 Parsing if Statements

Conditional constructs, such as `if` statements, are processed by the `parseIfStatement()` function. This functionality validates the condition's syntax and generates the necessary branching logic for execution.

5.4.5 Parsing switch Statements

The `parseSwitchStatement()` function enables the compiler to process `switch` statements. It handles the parsing of `case` labels, the `default` label, and ensures the generation of proper branching logic.

5.4.6 Parsing return Statements

The `parseReturnStatement()` function processes `return` statements. These statements are used to return control from a function to the calling function, and the compiler ensures proper syntax validation and code generation.

5.4.7 Parsing Blocks of Code

Using the `parseBlock()` function, the compiler processes blocks of code enclosed in braces (`{}`). This ensures that scoped code is parsed and analyzed correctly for both syntax and semantics.

5.4.8 Parsing while Loops

`while` loops are parsed using the `parseWhileStatement()` function. The lexer identifies the `while` keyword, and the parser validates the loop condition and body, generating the necessary intermediate code.

5.4.9 Parsing for Loops

The `parseForStatement()` function handles the parsing of `for` loops. It processes initialization, condition, and iteration expressions to ensure proper validation and intermediate code generation.

5.4.10 Parsing do-while Loops

The `parseDoWhileStatement()` function supports the handling of **do-while** loops. The parser validates the loop body and ensures the loop condition is correctly checked at the end of each iteration.

5.4.11 Parsing Input Statements

The `parseInputStatement()` function processes standard input stream statements (`cin`) in the source code. It validates syntax involving the extraction operator (`>>`) and generates intermediate code for runtime execution.

5.4.12 Parsing Output Statements

The `parsePrintStatement()` function handles standard output stream statements (`cout`). The lexer identifies the `cout` keyword and the insertion operator (`<<`), while the parser ensures syntax validation and generates intermediate code.

5.4.13 Parsing agar Statements

The `parseAgarStatement()` function processes **agar** statements, a non-standard construct. The parser validates its syntax and ensures proper integration with the program logic.

5.5 Code

```
743 class Parser
744 {
745 public:
746     // Constructor
747     Parser(const vector<Token> &tokens, SymbolTable &
748           symTable, IntermediateCodeGenerator &icg)
749         : tokens(tokens), pos(0), symTable(symTable), icg
750         (icg) {}
751     // here the private member of this class are being
752     // initialized with the arguments passed to this
753     // constructor
754     void parseProgram()
755     {
756         while (tokens[pos].type != T_EOF)
757         {
758             parseStatement();
759         }
760     }
761 private:
762     vector<Token> tokens;
763     size_t pos;
764     SymbolTable &symTable;
765     IntermediateCodeGenerator &icg;
766     void parseStatement()
767     {
768         if (tokens[pos].type == T_INT || tokens[pos].type
769             == T_FLOAT ||
770             tokens[pos].type == T_DOUBLE || tokens[pos].
771             type == T_STRING ||
772             tokens[pos].type == T_CHAR || tokens[pos].
773             type == T_BOOL)
774         {
775             parseDeclarationOrDeclarationAssignment();
776         }
777         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_ID)
778         {
779             parseAssignment();
780         }
781         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_VOID)
782         {
783             parseVoidFunction();
784         }
785         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_IF)
786         {
787             parseIfStatement();
788         }
789         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_SWITCH)
790         {
791             parseSwitchStatement();
792         }
793         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_RETURN)
794         {
795             parseReturnStatement();
796         }
797         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_LBRACE)
798         {
799             parseBlock();
800         }
801         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_AGAR)
802         {
803             parseAgarStatement();
804         }
805         else if (tokens[pos].type == T_WHILE)
806         {
807             parseWhileStatement();
808         }
809     }
810 }
```

Chapter 6

Semantic Analyzer

6.1 Description

The **Semantic Analysis** phase ensures that the code makes sense semantically:

- Type checking: Ensures type compatibility (e.g., assigning an `int` to a `float`).
- Variable scope: Checks if variables are declared before use.
- Function calls: Validates argument types and counts.

6.2 How to Implement in C++

1. Use a symbol table to track variable names, types, and scope.
2. Validate each statement for semantic correctness.

6.3 Outcomes

- Detects errors like:
 - Using undeclared variables.
 - Assigning incompatible types.
 - Invalid function calls.
- Outputs a semantically valid intermediate representation.

6.4 Functionalities Added

The `SymbolTable` class is a key component in managing the variables within a compiler or interpreter. It ensures that variables are declared before use, allows for type retrieval, and maintains the integrity of the program's semantic structure. The class is built to handle variable declarations, type checking, and symbol management throughout the program's analysis phase.

6.4.1 Variable Declaration

Functionality: The `declareVariable` function is used to declare a new variable and add it to the symbol table. Each variable has a name and a type, which are both stored in the symbol table. Before adding the variable, the function checks if a variable with the same name already exists in the symbol table. If the variable is already declared, a runtime error is thrown, ensuring that duplicate declarations are prevented.

Function Prototype:

```
void declareVariable(const string &name, const string &type);
```

Description: This function checks the symbol table to ensure that the variable is not already declared. If the variable already exists, it throws an error, indicating a semantic mistake in the program. Otherwise, it adds the variable to the symbol table with its corresponding type. This helps in maintaining the uniqueness of variables in the scope of the program.

Usage Example:

```
symbolTable.declareVariable("x", "int"); % Declares 'x' as an integer
```

The variable `x` is successfully declared as an integer if it doesn't already exist in the symbol table. Otherwise, an error message will be triggered.

6.4.2 Variable Type Retrieval

Functionality: The `getVariableType` function retrieves the type of a variable given its name. It checks whether the variable is present in the symbol table and returns the type associated with the variable. If the variable is not declared, an error is thrown, indicating that the requested variable doesn't exist.

Function Prototype:

```
string getVariableType(const string &name);
```

Description: This function is used during semantic analysis when the compiler or interpreter needs to verify the type of a variable before performing operations on it. It ensures that any variable used in an expression has been declared and its type is correctly assigned. If the variable has not been declared, an error is raised.

Usage Example:

```
string type = symbolTable.getVariableType("x"); % Retrieves the type of 'x'
```

In this example, the type of the variable `x` is fetched from the symbol table. If `x` is declared, its type (e.g., `"int"`) will be returned. If not, a runtime error will occur.

6.4.3 Check if Variable is Declared

Functionality: The `isDeclared` function checks if a variable has already been declared in the symbol table. It returns `true` if the variable exists in the symbol table, and `false` otherwise. This function is useful for preventing the use of undeclared variables in the program.

Function Prototype:

```
bool isDeclared(const string &name) const;
```

Description: This function is used to determine if a variable has been previously declared, which is important for both syntactic and semantic checks. If the variable exists in the symbol table, it returns `true`, otherwise `false`. This can be used to avoid errors such as using an undeclared variable, which would otherwise cause compilation or runtime failures.

Usage Example:

```
bool exists = symbolTable.isDeclared("x"); % Checks if 'x' is declared
```

Here, the function checks if `x` exists in the symbol table. It returns a boolean value indicating whether the variable `x` is declared or not.

6.4.4 Print Symbol Table

Functionality: The `printSymbolTable` function displays the contents of the symbol table, showing all the declared variables and their types. The symbol table is printed in a structured tabular format, making it easy to read and verify the variables declared within the program. If no variables are declared, it prints a message indicating that the symbol table is empty.

Function Prototype:

```
void printSymbolTable() const;
```

Description: This function provides a visual representation of the symbol table, listing all the variables that have been declared along with their respective types. It helps in debugging and verifying that the program's variables are being correctly managed. If the table is empty (no variables are declared), it outputs a message stating "No symbols declared." The function uses a well-defined table format to make it easier to read the data.

Usage Example:

```
symbolTable.printSymbolTable(); % Prints the entire symbol table
```

The output will display a neatly formatted table with the names and types of all declared variables. If no variables are declared, it will print a message such as:

```
+-----+-----+
| Variable Name      | Type          |
+-----+-----+
| x                  | int           |
+-----+-----+
```

In this case, `x` is declared as an integer. The table layout makes it easy to visually inspect the list of variables and their types.

6.5 Code

```

624 */
625 class SymbolTable
626 {
627 public:
628     void declareVariable(const string &name, const
        string &type)
629     {
630         if (symbolTable.find(name) != symbolTable.end())
631         {
632             throw runtime_error("Semantic error: Variable
                " + name + " is already declared.");
633         }
634         symbolTable[name] = type;
635     }
636
637     string getVariableType(const string &name)
638     {
639         if (symbolTable.find(name) == symbolTable.end())
640         {
641             throw runtime_error("Semantic error: Variable
                " + name + " is not declared.");
642         }
643         return symbolTable[name];
644     }
645
646     bool isDeclared(const string &name) const
647     {
648         return symbolTable.find(name) != symbolTable.end
            ();
649     }
650
651     void printSymbolTable() const
652     {
653         // Clear the screen
654         // system("cls");
    
```

```

651 void printSymbolTable() const
652 {
653     // Clear the screen
654     // system("cls");
655
656     // Define column widths
657     const int nameWidth = 25;
658     const int typeWidth = 20;
659
660     // Print top border
661     cout << "+" << string(nameWidth + 2, '-') << "+"
        << string(typeWidth + 2, '-') << "+" << endl;
662
663     // Print header row
664     cout << "|" << left << setw(nameWidth) <<
        "Variable Name"
665         << " | " << left << setw(typeWidth) << "Type"
666         << " | " << endl;
667
668     // Print header separator
669     cout << "+" << string(nameWidth + 2, '-') << "+"
        << string(typeWidth + 2, '-') << "+" << endl;
670
671     // Check if the symbol table is empty
672     if (symbolTable.empty())
673     {
674         cout << " | " << setw(nameWidth + typeWidth +
            3) << "No symbols declared." << " | " << endl;
675     }
676     else
677     {
678         // Print each symbol
679         for (const auto &entry : symbolTable)
680         {
681             cout << "|" << left << setw(nameWidth)
                << entry.first
    
```


Chapter 7

Intermediate Code Generation

7.1 Description

The **Intermediate Code Generation** phase translates the source program into an intermediate representation (IR). This IR is a simplified and platform-independent version of the source code, often in the form of three-address code or abstract syntax trees.

7.2 How to Implement in C++

1. Traverse the Abstract Syntax Tree (AST) created during the syntax analysis phase.
2. Generate platform-independent code, such as:

```
t1 = a + b
t2 = t1 * c
t3 = t2 / d
```

7.3 Outcomes

- An intermediate representation of the source code.
- Errors related to invalid expressions or undefined behavior.

7.4 Functionalities Added

The `IntermediateCodeGenerator` class is a crucial component in a compiler that generates intermediate code from source code. This intermediate code serves as a bridge between the high-level source code and the machine code. The class includes functions for creating temporary variables, adding instructions, printing intermediate code to the console, and saving the generated code to a file.

7.4.1 Generate New Temporary Variable

Functionality: The `newTemp` function is responsible for generating new temporary variables with a unique identifier. These temporary variables are used to store intermediate values during the compilation process. Each time `newTemp` is called, it generates a new temporary variable (e.g., `t0`, `t1`, `t2`, etc.) by appending an incremented counter value to the base name "t".

Function Prototype:

```
string newTemp();
```

Description: The function keeps track of the number of temporary variables created through the `tempCount` variable, which is incremented every time a new temporary variable is generated. The function returns the name of the temporary variable as a string.

Usage Example:

```
string tempVar = codeGen.newTemp();  
% Generates a new temporary variable like 't0'
```

In this example, calling `newTemp` generates a new temporary variable (e.g., `t0`) and returns it as a string.

7.4.2 Add Instruction

Functionality: The `addInstruction` function adds a new instruction to the list of intermediate code instructions. This is used to generate the intermediate representation of the program during the compilation process.

Function Prototype:

```
void addInstruction(const string &instr);
```

Description: The function takes an instruction (in string format) and appends it to the `instructions` vector. This helps in building a sequence of intermediate code that represents the program's behavior.

Usage Example:

```
codeGen.addInstruction("t0 = x + y");  
% Adds the instruction to the list of intermediate code
```

Here, the instruction `"t0 = x + y"` is added to the intermediate code list. Each call to `addInstruction` appends a new instruction to the vector, creating the intermediate code representation of the program.

7.4.3 Print Instructions

Functionality: The `printInstructions` function is used to print the list of intermediate code instructions to the console. It iterates over all instructions stored in the `instructions` vector and outputs them line by line.

Function Prototype:

```
void printInstructions();
```

Description: This function allows the user to view the generated intermediate code directly in the console for debugging or inspection purposes. It is helpful during the compilation process to ensure that the intermediate code is being generated correctly.

Usage Example:

```
codeGen.printInstructions();  
% Prints all the generated instructions to the console
```

When invoked, this function outputs all the intermediate code instructions line by line in the console.

7.4.4 Save Instructions to File

Functionality: The `saveInstructionsToFile` function saves the intermediate code instructions to a file. This is particularly useful for storing the intermediate code in a file format that can be further processed by subsequent stages of the compiler or for later analysis.

Function Prototype:

```
void saveInstructionsToFile(const string &filename);
```

Description: The function opens a file in text mode using the provided filename and writes all the instructions stored in the `instructions` vector to the file. After writing, the file is closed, ensuring the intermediate code is saved properly. If the file cannot be opened, an error message is displayed.

Usage Example:

```
codeGen.saveInstructionsToFile("intermediate_code.obj");  
% Saves the intermediate code to a file
```

This example saves all the generated intermediate code instructions to a file named `intermediate_code.obj`. If the file cannot be opened, an error message is displayed.

File Output: The intermediate code is saved in a text format. For example, the contents of `intermediate_code.obj` might look like:

```
t0 = x + y  
t1 = t0 * z  
t2 = t1 - w
```

7.5 Code

```

694
695 class IntermediateCodeGenerator
696 {
697 public:
698     vector<string> instructions;
699     int tempCount = 0;
700
701     string newTemp()
702     {
703         return "t" + to_string(tempCount++);
704     }
705
706     void addInstruction(const string &instr)
707     {
708         instructions.push_back(instr);
709     }
710
711     void printInstructions()
712     {
713         // file open
714         for (const auto &instr : instructions)
715         {
716             // write in file
717             cout << instr << endl;
718         }
719     }
720
721     void saveInstructionsToFile(const string &filename)
722     {
723         // Open a .obj file in text mode
724         ofstream outFile(filename);
725         if (!outFile.is_open())
726         {
727             cerr << "Error: Unable to open file for
728             writing!" << endl;
729             return;
730         }
731
732         // Write each instruction to the file
733         for (const auto &instr : instructions)
734         {
735             outFile << instr << endl;
736         }
737
738         // Close the file
739         outFile.close();
740         cout << "Generated Intermediate Code is saved to
741         file: " << filename << endl;
742     }
743 };
744
745 class Parser
746 {
747 public:
748     // Constructor
749     Parser(const vector<Token> &tokens, SymbolTable &
750     symTable, IntermediateCodeGenerator &icg)
751     : tokens(tokens), pos(0), symTable(symTable), icg
752     (icg) {}
753
754     // here the private member of this class are being
755     initialized with the arguments passed to this
756     constructor
757
758     void parseProgram()
759     {
760         while (tokens[pos].type != T_EOF)
761         {
762             parseStatement();
763         }
764     }
765
766     void saveInstructionsToFile(const string &filename)
767     {
768         if (!outFile.is_open())
769         {
770             return;
771         }
772
773         // Write each instruction to the file
774         for (const auto &instr : instructions)
775         {
776             outFile << instr << endl;
777         }
778
779         // Close the file
780         outFile.close();
781         cout << "Generated Intermediate Code is saved to
782         file: " << filename << endl;
783     }
784 };

```

Chapter 8

Assembly Code Generation

8.1 Description

The **Code Generation** phase translates the optimized intermediate code into machine-level code or assembly code. This is the final step where the platform-specific instructions are created.

8.2 How to Implement in C++

1. Map IR instructions to machine-level instructions using a code generator.
2. Handle platform-specific details like instruction set architecture (ISA) and registers.
3. Allocate registers and memory efficiently.

8.3 Outcomes

- Platform-specific assembly or machine code.
- Errors related to unsupported operations or overflow.

8.4 Functionalities Added

8.4.1 Main Functions

- `generateAssembly(const vector<string> &tacInstructions)`: This function processes the TAC instructions and generates the corresponding assembly code. It does so by categorizing the instructions (assignment, conditional, goto, labels) and handling each type accordingly.
- `printAssembly() const`: This function prints the generated assembly code to the standard output, line by line.
- `saveInstructionsToFile(const string &filename)`: This function saves the generated assembly code to a specified file. If the file cannot be opened, an error message is displayed.

- `collectVariables(const vector<string> &instructions)`: This private function collects and declares all the variables used in the TAC instructions. It ensures that variables are declared in the `.data` section of the assembly code.
- `extractVariablesFromInstruction(const string &instr)`: This private function extracts variable names from each TAC instruction. It adds variables to the `definedVariables` set, skipping numeric constants and operators.
- `isNumeric(const string &str)`: This private function checks if a given string is a numeric value. It is used to differentiate between numeric constants and variable names.
- `processAssignment(const string &instr)`: This private function processes assignment instructions (e.g., `a = b + c`) and generates the corresponding assembly code. It handles binary operations such as addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.
- `translateBinaryOp(const string &lhs, const string &rhs, const string &op)`: This private function translates binary operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division) into the corresponding assembly instructions. It handles the operand extraction and performs the operation using registers.
- `processConditional(const string &instr)`: This private function processes conditional instructions, supporting both `if` and `agar` (if in Urdu) conditions. It generates assembly code that compares values and performs conditional jumps (e.g., `if (a > b) goto label`).
- `processLabel(const string &instr)`: This private function processes label instructions (e.g., `label:`). It adds the label to the assembly code.
- `processGoto(const string &instr)`: This private function processes `goto` instructions (e.g., `goto label`). It generates a jump instruction in the assembly code.
- `addProgramExit()`: This private function adds a program exit section to the assembly code. It uses a system call to exit the program gracefully.

8.4.2 Key Concepts and Instruction Types

- **Assignment**: `a = b + c` is translated into assembly code where values of `b` and `c` are loaded into registers, the operation is performed, and the result is stored back into `a`.
- **Binary Operations**: Operations like addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division are handled by generating the corresponding assembly instructions such as `add`, `sub`, `imul`, and `idiv`.
- **Conditionals and Goto**: The `if` and `agar` (conditional) instructions are translated into comparison and jump instructions, such as `cmp`, `je`, `jg`, `jle`, etc., to control the flow based on conditions.

- **Labels:** Labels are inserted into the assembly code to mark specific points in the code that can be targeted by jump instructions.

In summary, the `AssemblyCodeGenerator` class is designed to translate high-level TAC instructions into low-level assembly code, ensuring that all variables are declared and used properly, while also generating the necessary control flow instructions for the program's logic.

8.5 Code

```

743 class Parser
1480
1481 class AssemblyCodeGenerator
1482 {
1483 public:
1484     vector<string> assemblyCode;
1485     unordered_set<string> definedVariables;
1486
1487     void generateAssembly(const vector<string> &
1488                           tacInstructions)
1489     {
1490         // Start with necessary assembly directives
1491         // assemblyCode.push_back("%include 'syscall.
1492         asm' ; Include system call definitions");
1493         assemblyCode.push_back("section .data");
1494         // assemblyCode.push_back("    SYS_EXIT equ 1");
1495         // assemblyCode.push_back("    SYS_WRITE equ 4");
1496         // assemblyCode.push_back("    STDOUT equ 1");
1497
1498         // Collect and declare variables
1499         collectVariables(tacInstructions);
1500
1501         // Start text section
1502         assemblyCode.push_back("\nsection .text");
1503         assemblyCode.push_back("    global _start");
1504         assemblyCode.push_back("_start:");
1505
1506         // Process each TAC instruction
1507         for (const auto &instr : tacInstructions)
1508         {
1509             if (instr.find(" = ") != string::npos)
1510             {
1511                 processAssignment(instr);
1512             }
1513             else if (instr.find("if ") != string::npos ||
1514                    instr.find("agar ") != string::npos)
1515             {
1516                 processConditional(instr);
1517             }
1518             else if (instr.find("goto") != string::npos)
1519             {
1520                 processGoto(instr);
1521             }
1522             else if (instr.find(":") != string::npos)
1523             {
1524                 processLabel(instr);
1525             }
1526             else if (!instr.empty())
1527             {
1528                 cerr << "Unsupported TAC instruction: "
1529                     << instr << endl;
1530             }
1531         }
1532
1533         // Add program exit
1534         addProgramExit();
1535     }
1536
1537     void printAssembly() const
1538     {
1539         for (const auto &line : assemblyCode)
1540         {
1541             cout << line << endl;
1542         }
1543     }
1544 }

```

Chapter 9

Output Screenshots of Each Phase

9.1 Test File

≡ samia.txt

```
1  int x = 10;
2  int y = 20;
3  // Handle Int datatype
4  int sum = 40;
5  // Handle Float Datatype
6  float price;
7  price = 20.09774;
8  // Handle Double datatype
9  double pi;
10 pi = 3.14e+2;
11 // Handling Single Line Comment
12 string name = "Samia Liaqat";
13 // Handling Boolean Datatype
14 bool flag = false;
15 // Handle Multi Line Comment
16 /*
17 This is the compiler constrction lab.
18 And I am working on the Multi line
19 Comments
20 */
21 // Handle EQ Operator
22 if( x == 10){
23     y = 999;
24 }
25 // Handle Not Equal Operator
26 if( x != y){
27     price = price * price;
28 }
29 // Handle Less Than Or Equal
30 if(price <= 12){
31     name = "Samia Liaqat";
32 }
33 // Handle Greater Than Or Equal
34 int count = 25;
35 int a = 10;
36 int b = 20;
37 // If - Else Statements
```

≡ samia.txt

≡ samia.txt

```
41 else{
42     sum = x + y + 3;
43 }
44 // Agar Magar Statements
45 if(x > y){
46     x = 20 + sum;
47 }
48 if(magar{
49     sum = y;
50 }
51 while(sum > 5){
52     x = x + 30;
53     sum = sum + 1;
54 }
55 // FOR LOOP
56 for(int i = 0; i > 5; i = i + 1){
57     // return 0;
58 }
59 bool result;
60 switch (x) {
61     case 1:
62         result = true;
63         break;
64     case 2:
65         result = false;
66         break;
67     default:
68         result = x > 0;
69 }
70 do {
71     x = x + 1;
72     y = y * 2;
73 } while (x < 10);
74 //Handles cout
75 cout <<"Samia Here";
76 //Handles cin
77 cin >> x ;
```


9.2 Phase 1: Lexical Analyzer

PS D:\7th Semester\CC\Lab\CompilerProject> ./Compiler.exe samia.txt

Token Type	Token Value	Line No.
INT	"int"	1
IDENTIFIER	"x"	1
ASSIGN	"="	1
NUMBER	"10"	1
SEMICOLON	";"	1
INT	"int"	2
IDENTIFIER	"y"	2
ASSIGN	"="	2
NUMBER	"20"	2
SEMICOLON	";"	2
INT	"int"	5
IDENTIFIER	"sum"	5
ASSIGN	"="	5
NUMBER	"40"	5
SEMICOLON	";"	5
FLOAT	"float"	8
IDENTIFIER	"price"	8
SEMICOLON	";"	8
IDENTIFIER	"price"	9
ASSIGN	"="	9
FLOAT	"20.09774"	9
SEMICOLON	";"	9
DOUBLE	"double"	12
IDENTIFIER	"pi"	12
SEMICOLON	";"	12
IDENTIFIER	"pi"	13
IDENTIFIER	"x"	94
ASSIGN	"="	94
IDENTIFIER	"x"	94
PLUS	"+"	94
NUMBER	"1"	94
SEMICOLON	";"	94
IDENTIFIER	"y"	95
ASSIGN	"="	95
IDENTIFIER	"y"	95
MULTIPLY	"*"	95
NUMBER	"2"	95
SEMICOLON	";"	95
RIGHT_BRACE	"}"	96
WHILE	"while"	96
LEFT_PAREN	"("	96
IDENTIFIER	"x"	96
LESS_THAN	"<"	96
NUMBER	"10"	96
RIGHT_PAREN	")"	96

9.3 Phase 3: Semantic Analyzer(Symbol Table)

Variable Name	Type
a	int
b	int
count	int
flag	bool
i	int
name	string
pi	double
price	float
result	bool
sum	int
x	int
y	int

9.4 Phase 4: Intermediate Code Generation

ASM assembly.asm

```

1      section .data
2      t35_do_while_start dd 0
3      !t40 dd 0
4      t40 dd 0
5      t39 dd 0
6      t37 dd 0
7      t36 dd 0
8      t34 dd 0
9      true dd 0
10     t33_next_case dd 0
11     t30_next_case dd 0
12     !t29 dd 0
13     t29 dd 0
14     L22 dd 0
15     t26 dd 0
16     t4 dd 0
17     t13 dd 0
18     t2 dd 0
19     L1 dd 0
20     t41_do_while_end dd 0
21     Samia dd 0
22     count dd 0
23     result dd 0
24     t8 dd 0
25     == dd 0
26     !t32 dd 0
27     > dd 0
28     t21 dd 0
29     false dd 0
30     <= dd 0
31     20.09774 dd 0
32     != dd 0
33     x dd 0
34     t6 dd 0
35     t3 dd 0
36     L17 dd 0
37     Liaqat dd 0
--

```


icg.obj

```

36     goto L2
37     L1:
38     t9 = a + b
39     t10 = t9 + sum
40     sum = t10
41     goto L3
42     L2:
43     t11 = x + y
44     t12 = t11 + 3
45     sum = t12
46     L3:
47     t13 = x > y
48     t14 = t13
49     agar t14 goto L1
50     goto L2
51     L1:
52     t15 = 20 + sum
53     x = t15
54     goto L3
55     L2:
56     sum = y
57     L3:
58     goto L16
59     L16:
60     t18 = sum > 5
61     t19 = t18
62     if t19 goto L17
63     goto L16
64     t20 = x + 30
65     x = t20
66     t21 = sum + 1
67     sum = t21
68     goto L16
69     L17:
70     i = 0
71     L22:
72     t25 = i > 5
73     if t25 goto L24

```

9.5 Phase 5: Assembly Code Generation

<pre> ASM assembly.asm 1 section .data 2 t35_do_while_start dd 0 3 !t40 dd 0 4 t40 dd 0 5 t39 dd 0 6 t37 dd 0 7 t36 dd 0 8 t34 dd 0 9 true dd 0 10 t33_next_case dd 0 11 t30_next_case dd 0 12 !t29 dd 0 13 t29 dd 0 14 L22 dd 0 15 t26 dd 0 16 t4 dd 0 17 t13 dd 0 18 t2 dd 0 19 L1 dd 0 20 t41_do_while_end dd 0 21 Samia dd 0 22 count dd 0 23 result dd 0 24 t8 dd 0 25 == dd 0 26 !t32 dd 0 27 > dd 0 28 t21 dd 0 29 false dd 0 30 <= dd 0 31 20.09774 dd 0 32 != dd 0 33 x dd 0 34 t6 dd 0 35 t3 dd 0 36 L17 dd 0 37 Liaqat dd 0 </pre>		<pre> ASM assembly.asm 1 section .data 27 L17 dd 0 37 Liaqat dd 0 38 < dd 0 39 b dd 0 40 t20 dd 0 41 t1 dd 0 42 y dd 0 43 pi dd 0 44 name dd 0 45 t25 dd 0 46 t12 dd 0 47 t5 dd 0 48 flag dd 0 49 L24 dd 0 50 sum dd 0 51 price dd 0 52 a dd 0 53 t10 dd 0 54 3.14e+2 dd 0 55 L2 dd 0 56 t7 dd 0 57 t9 dd 0 58 t11 dd 0 59 t27_switch_end dd 0 60 t0 dd 0 61 t14 dd 0 62 L3 dd 0 63 t15 dd 0 64 t19 dd 0 65 L16 dd 0 66 t18 dd 0 67 t32 dd 0 68 i dd 0 69 70 section .text 71 global _start 72 start: </pre>
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Chapter 10

Feasibility and Future Scope

The development of new programming languages is increasingly leaning towards greater similarity with natural languages to enhance user-friendliness. With the advancement of technology, languages like Python and Ruby are designed to require fewer lines of code compared to C and C++. Platforms such as Android Studio and Qt facilitate easy graphical user interface (GUI) creation while using languages like Java and C++. This project has the potential to evolve into a user-friendly, efficient, and feature-rich programming language with the attributes of an excellent coding tool.

A compiler is a software tool that automatically converts source code into machine code that can be executed by a computer. The input language is typically human-readable and not directly executable, while the output language is machine code, which the computer can understand. Although compilers are not necessary for program execution, they act as intermediaries to convert high-level programs into machine-executable code.

As technology progresses, the role of compilers is evolving to optimize code performance, scalability, and portability. They will continue to play a critical role in adapting to new programming paradigms and hardware configurations, paving the way for more efficient and powerful applications.

Chapter 11

Conclusion

In compiler design, the generation of intermediate code is a machine-independent process, ensuring that the compiler can work across various hardware platforms. This is crucial as it decouples the source code from the specific characteristics of the target machine. The subsequent transformation of intermediate code into target code is language-independent, meaning it abstracts away the complexities of the specific programming language syntax or semantics, focusing on the target architecture.

This process marks the completion of the compilation's front end, which encompasses three main stages: lexical analysis, syntax analysis, and semantic analysis. Each of these stages plays a critical role in ensuring the correctness and efficiency of the compiled code. Lexical analysis breaks down the source code into tokens, syntax analysis verifies the structure of these tokens, and semantic analysis checks for meaningfulness within the context of the programming language.

Following these analyses, intermediate code is generated, which serves as a bridge between the high-level source code and the low-level assembly code. The final stage involves converting this intermediate code into assembly code, which is platform-specific. This entire compilation process, from source code to object code, involves translating high-level language constructs into machine-readable instructions that can be executed by the computer.

This document has provided an overview of the analysis phase in compiler construction, elaborating on how the source language is methodically converted into assembly-level language during implementation. This stage ensures that all logical and syntactic constructs of the source code are preserved while making them suitable for efficient execution on target machines. By breaking down the compilation process into these distinct yet interrelated phases, we gain a deeper understanding of how complex programming languages are ultimately translated into executable programs.

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