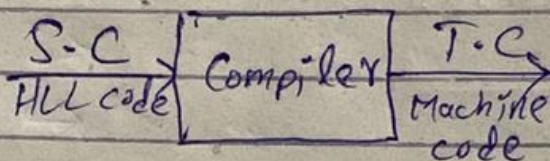


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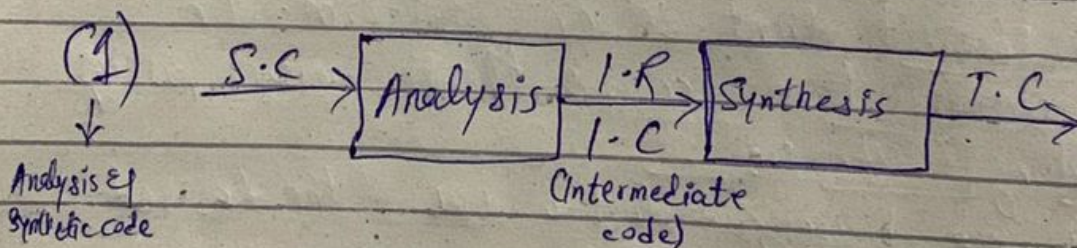
## Compiler

(Def)  
Compiler: Compiler is a system software that takes some source code as input, analyze it and translate/convert it into some target code (machine code).



### Decomposition of compiler

- 1) Analysis-Synthesis Model (Diagram B incomplete in notes)
- 2) Logical Phases
- 3) Front-end & back-end
- 4) Pass



→ Lexical Analysis: only done if reserved words, punctuation marks are all checked. Words are checked against lexicon (vocabulary) of language.

→ Syntax Analysis: checking the syntax.

(sense/meaning)

→ Semantic Analysis: Checking that the ~~code~~ <sup>syntax</sup> you have written, does it make sense or not.

Hamid is reading the book (✓)  
Book is reading the Hamid (X)



$5/3 (✓)$  but  $5/0 (X)$

$x = y + z$  is semantically correct  
but  $z + y = x$  is semantically incorrect as calculation  
is supposed to be done on RHS, not on LHS.

In analysis-synthesis phase,

The compiler is decomposed into two phases,  
analysis phase & synthesis phase.

- 1) Analysis Phase: The analysis phase takes the S.C as input and perform lexical analysis, syntax analysis and semantic analysis and convert the S.C into I.C (intermediate code).
- 2) Synthesis Phase: The synthesis phase takes the I.C as input and translate it into machine code/ target code (T.C).