## Oat v. 1 Language Specification

## 1 Grammar

The following grammar defines the Oat syntax. All binary operations are *left associative* with precedence levels indicated numerically. Higher precedence operators bind tighter than lower precedence ones.

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retty
          ::=
                                               return types
                void
                t
bop
                                               (left associative) binary operations
                                                  multiplication (precedence 100)
                                                  addition (precedence 90)
                                                  subtraction (precedence 90)
                <<
                                                  shift left (precedence 80)
                >>
                                                  shift right logical (precedence 80)
                                                  shift right arithmetic (precedence 80)
                >>>
                                                  less-than (precedence 70)
                                                  less-than or equal (precedence 70)
                <=
                                                  greater-than (precedence 70)
                                                  greater-than or equal (precedence 70)
                >=
                                                  equal (precedence 60)
                                                  not equal (precedence 60)
                ! =
                &
                                                  logical and (precedence 50)
                                                  logical or (precedence 40)
                [&]
                                                  bit-wise and (precedence 30)
                [1]
                                                  bit-wise or (precedence 20)
иор
                                               unary operations
          ::=
                !
gexp
                                               global initializers
          ::=
                                                  64-bit integer literals
                integer
                string
                                                  C-style strings
                ref null
                true
                false
                new t[]{gexp_1,..,gexp_n}
lhs
          ::=
                                               lhs expressions
                id
                exp_1[exp_2]
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::=
                                                                    expressions
exp
                       id
                       integer
                                                                       64-bit integer literals
                       string
                                                                       C-style strings
                       ref null
                       true
                       false
                       exp_1[exp_2]
                       id(exp_1, .., exp_n)
                       \mathtt{new}\,t\,[\,]\,\{exp_1,\,..\,,exp_n\}
                                                                       Explicitly initialized array
                                                                       Default-initialize int array
                       new int [exp_1]
                                                                       Default-initialize bool array
                       newbool[exp_1]
                       exp_1 bop exp_2
                       иор ехр
                       (exp)
vdecl
                                                                    local declarations
                ::=
                       var id = exp
                                                                    decl list
vdecls
                ::=
                       vdecl_1, ..., vdecl_n
stmt
                ::=
                                                                    statements
                       lhs = exp;
                       vdecl;
                       return exp;
                       return;
                       id(exp_1, .., exp_n);
                       if_stmt
                       for(vdecls; exp<sub>opt</sub>; stmt<sub>opt</sub>) block
                       while (exp) block
if_stmt
                                                                    if statements
                ::=
                       if(exp) block else_stmt
else_stmt
                                                                    else
                       {\tt else}\ block
                       \verb"else" \textit{if\_stmt}
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## 2 Typing Rules

 $\vdash bop_1, ..., bop_i : F$  $\overline{\vdash +,*,-,<<,>>>,[\&],[|]:(\mathtt{int},\mathtt{int})\to\mathtt{int}}$  $\frac{}{\vdash ==,!=,<,<=,>,>=:(int,int)\rightarrow bool}$  $\overline{\vdash \texttt{\&,|:(bool,bool)} \rightarrow \texttt{bool}} \quad \texttt{TYP\_BOOLOPS}$ ⊢ *uop* : *F* TYP\_LOGNOT  $\overline{\vdash : (\texttt{bool}) \to \texttt{bool}}$ TYP\_BITNEG  $\overline{\vdash_{\sim}:(\mathtt{int}) \to \mathtt{int}}$ TYP\_NEG  $\vdash$  -: (int)  $\rightarrow$  int  $G; L \vdash exp: t$  $x:t\in L$ TYP\_LOCAL  $\overline{G;L\vdash x:t}$ TYP\_INT  $\overline{G; L \vdash n : int}$ TYP\_STRING  $\overline{G; L \vdash s : \text{string}}$ TYP\_NULLSTR  $\overline{G}$ ;  $L \vdash \text{string null} : \text{string}$ TYP\_NULLARR  $\overline{G; L \vdash t[] \text{ null} : t[]}$ TYP\_TRUE  $\overline{G;L\vdash \mathtt{true}:\mathtt{bool}}$ TYP\_FALSE  $\overline{G;L\vdash \mathtt{false:bool}}$  $G; L \vdash exp_1 : t[] \quad G; L \vdash exp_2 : int$ TYP\_INDEX  $G; L \vdash exp_1[exp_2] : t$  $f:(t_1,...,t_i) \rightarrow t \in G$   $G;L \vdash exp_1:t_1$  ..  $G;L \vdash exp_i:t_i$  TYP\_CALL  $G; L \vdash f(exp_1, ..., exp_i) : t$  $\frac{G; L \vdash exp_1 : t \quad .. \quad G; L \vdash exp_i : t}{G; L \vdash new t [] \{exp_1, .., exp_i\} \quad : t []}$ TYP\_ARRLIT  $G; L \vdash exp_1 : int$ TYP\_ARRZEROINT  $G; L \vdash \text{new int } [exp_1] : t[]$  $G; L \vdash exp_1 : int$ TYP\_ARRZEROBOOL  $\overline{G; L \vdash \text{new bool } [exp_1] : t[]}$  $\vdash bop: (t_1, t_2) \rightarrow t \quad G; \underline{L} \vdash exp_1: t_1 \quad G; \underline{L} \vdash exp_2: t_2$  $G; L \vdash exp_1 bop exp_2 : t$  $\vdash uop:(t) \rightarrow t \quad G; L \vdash exp:t$  TYP\_UOP  $G; L \vdash uop exp : t$ 

$$G; L_1 \vdash vdecl \Rightarrow L_2$$

$$\frac{G; L \vdash exp : t \quad x \notin L}{G; L \vdash var \ x = exp \Rightarrow L, x : t} \quad \text{TYP\_DECL}$$

 $G; L_0 \vdash vdecls \Rightarrow L_i$ 

$$\frac{G; L_0 \vdash vdecl_1 \Rightarrow L_1 \quad \dots \quad G; L_{i-1} \vdash vdecl_i \Rightarrow L_i}{G; L_0 \vdash vdecl_1, \dots, vdecl_i \Rightarrow L_i} \quad \text{TYP\_VDECLS}$$

 $G; L_1; retty \vdash stmt \Rightarrow L_2$ 

$$\begin{array}{c} G; L_1 \vdash vdecl \Rightarrow L_2 \\ \hline G; L_1; t \vdash vdecl; \Rightarrow L_2 \end{array} \quad \texttt{TYP\_SDECL} \\ \hline \frac{G; L \vdash lhs: t \quad G; L \vdash exp_2: t}{G; L; t \vdash lhs = exp_2; \Rightarrow L} \quad \texttt{TYP\_ASSN} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{f\!:\!(t_1,\ldots,t_i)\to \mathtt{void}\in G\quad G\!:\!L\vdash exp_1:t_1\quad \ldots\quad G\!:\!L\vdash exp_i:t_i}{G\!:\!L\!:\!t\vdash f(exp_1,\ldots,exp_i);\Rightarrow L}\quad \mathtt{TYP\_SCALL}$$

$$\frac{G; L \vdash exp : bool \quad G; L; t \vdash block_1 \quad G; L; t \vdash block_2}{G; L; t \vdash if(exp) \ block_1 \ else \ block_2 \Rightarrow L}$$
 TYP\_IF

$$\frac{G; L \vdash exp : bool \quad G; L; t \vdash block}{G; L; t \vdash while(exp) \ block \Rightarrow L} \quad \text{TYP\_WHILE}$$

$$G; L_1 \vdash vdecls \Rightarrow L_2 \quad G; L_2 \vdash exp : \texttt{bool} \quad G; L_2; t \vdash stmt \Rightarrow L_3 \quad G; L_2; t \vdash block$$

$$G; L_1; t \vdash \texttt{for}(vdecls; exp_{opt}; stmt_{opt}) \ block \Rightarrow L_1$$

$$TYP\_FOR$$

$$\frac{G; L \vdash exp : t}{G; L; t \vdash \texttt{return} \; exp; \; \Rightarrow L} \quad \texttt{TYP\_RETT}$$

$$\overline{G;L; \mathtt{void} \vdash \mathtt{return}; \Rightarrow L}$$
 TYP\_RETVOID

 $G;L;t \vdash block$ 

$$\frac{G; L_0; t \vdash stmt_1 .. stmt_i \Rightarrow L_i}{G; L_0; t \vdash \{stmt_1 .. stmt_i\}} \quad \text{TYP\_BLOCK}$$

 $G; L_0; t \vdash stmt_1 .. stmt_i \Rightarrow L_i$ 

$$\frac{G; L_0; t \vdash stmt_1 \Rightarrow L_1 \quad \dots \quad G; L_{i-1}; t \vdash stmt_i \Rightarrow L_i}{G; L_0; t \vdash stmt_1 \dots stmt_i \Rightarrow L_i} \quad \text{TYP\_STMTS}$$

$$G_0 \vdash decl \Rightarrow G_1$$

$$\frac{x \not\in G \quad \cdot \ ; \cdot \vdash \textit{gexp} : t}{G \vdash \texttt{global} \ x = \textit{gexp} \ ; \Rightarrow G, x : t} \quad \texttt{TYP\_VDECL}$$
 
$$\frac{f \not\in G}{G \vdash t \ f(t_1 \ x_1, \dots, t_i \ x_i) \ \textit{block} \Rightarrow G, f : (t_1, \dots, t_i) \rightarrow t} \quad \texttt{TYP\_FDECL}$$

 $G_0 \vdash decl_1 .. decl_i \Rightarrow G_i$ 

$$\frac{G_0 \vdash decl_1 \Rightarrow G_1 \quad \dots \quad G_{i-1} \vdash decl_i \Rightarrow G_i}{G_0 \vdash decl_1 \dots decl_i \Rightarrow G_i} \quad \text{TYP\_GLOBAL\_CTXT}$$

 $G \vdash decl$ 

$$\frac{G; x_1:t_1, ..., x_i:t_i; t \vdash block}{G \vdash t f(t_1 x_1, ..., t_i x_i) \ block} \quad \text{TYP\_GFUN}$$

$$\frac{\cdot; \cdot \vdash gexp: t}{G \vdash \text{global } x = gexp;} \quad \text{TYP\_GVAR}$$

 $\vdash prog$ 

$$\frac{G_0 \vdash decl_1 ... decl_i \Rightarrow G \quad G \vdash decl_1 \quad ... \quad G \vdash decl_i}{\vdash decl_1 ... decl_i} \quad \texttt{TYP\_PROG}$$