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# DEVELOP A LEXICAL ANALYZER TO RECOGNIZE TOKENS USING LEX TOOL

### AIM:

To implement the program to identify C keywords, identifiers, operators, end statements like [], {} using LEX tool.

#### **ALGORITHM:**

- Define patterns for C keywords, identifiers, operators, and end statements using regular expressions. Use %option noyywrap to disable the default behavior of yywrap.
- Utilize regular expressions to match patterns for C keywords, identifiers, operators, and end statements. Associate each pattern with an action to be executed when matched.
- Define actions to print corresponding token categories for matched patterns. Handle special cases like function declarations, numeric literals, and processor directives separately.
- Open the input file (sample.c in this case) for reading. Start lexical analysis using yylex() to scan the input and apply defined rules.
- Increment a counter (n) each time a newline character is encountered. Print the total number of lines at the end of the program execution.

#### **PROGRAM:**

```
%option noyywrap
letter [a-zA-Z]
digit [0-9]
id [\_|a-zA-Z|]
AO [+|-|/|%|*]
RO [<|>|<=|>=|==]
pp [#]
% {
int n=0;
%}
%%
"void"
                              printf("%s return type\n",yytext);
                              printf("%s Function\n",yytext);
{letter}*[(][)]
"int"|"float"|"if"|"else"
                              printf("%s keywords\n",yytext);
                                     printf("%s keywords\n",yytext);
"printf"
                              printf("%s Identifier\n",yytext);
{id}((id)|(digit))*
{digit}{digit}*
                                     printf("%d Numbers\n",yytext);
{AO}
                                     printf("%s Arithmetic Operators\n", yytext);
                                     printf("%s Relational Operators\n",yytext);
{pp}{letter}*[<]{letter}*[.]{letter}[>] printf("%s processor
                                                            Directive\n",yytext);
[n]
                                     n++;
```

```
"."|","|"}"|"{"|";" printf("%s others\n",yytext);
%%
int main()
{
         yyin=fopen("sample.c","r");
         yylex();
         printf("No of Lines %d\n",n);
}
```

# **OUTPUT:**

```
[root@fedora student]# vi 518_ex3.1 3
[root@fedora student]# lex 518_ex3.1 3
[root@fedora student]# cc lex.yy.c
[root@fedora student]# ./a.out
#include<stdio.h> void main() { int a,b; }
#include<stdio.h> processor Directive
   void return type
main() Function
{ others
   int keywords
   a Identifier
, others
   b Identifier
; others
   } others
}
```

## **RESULT:**