

COEN 175

Phase 4 - Week 1

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Extra Help/Tutoring

- Tau Beta Pi Tutoring
- Link to Tutoring schedule
 - <https://sites.google.com/scu.edu/scutaubetapi/tutoring?authuser=1&pli=1>

Important Reminders

- Read the assignment carefully!
 - Too many of your questions can be answered by simply reading the assignment
- Follow our slides each week
 - Too many of you are not finishing week 1 objectives prior to week 2
- Stay the entire lab section and attend office hours
 - Do not depend on getting your questions answered via email on Saturday/Sunday

Phase 4 - Type Checking

Goal for this week

- Finish checker for all of expression
 - Next week we will do function calls, assignment, statements, and return
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1. Modify parser
 2. Modify primaryExpression
 3. Write additional Type.cpp functions
 4. Write checker functions for operators
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- Due February 21th 11:59PM


1. Modify Parser

- Return a Type from expression functions
- Each expression function takes an lvalue

Binary operator example

```
static void expression()
{
    logicalAndExpression();

    while (lookahead == OR) {
        match(OR);
        logicalAndExpression();
        cout << "or" << endl;
    }
}
```



```
static Type expression(bool &lvalue)
{
    Type left = logicalAndExpression(lvalue);

    while (lookahead == OR) {
        match(OR);
        Type right = logicalAndExpression(lvalue);
        cout << "or" << endl;
    }

    return left;
}
```

Unary operator example

```
static Type prefixExpression(bool &lvalue)
{
    Type expr;

    if (lookahead == '!') {
        match('!');
        expr = prefixExpression(lvalue);
        cout << "not" << endl;
    } ... {
    } else {
        expr = postfixExpression(lvalue);
    }

    return expr;
}
```

1. Modify Parser

- Update lvalue in expression functions
 - Initially declare **lvalue** in *statement()*, before you call *expression()*
 - Only update lvalue when an operator is matched
 - Always update lvalue last (see example below)
- Add print statements for type checking operations
 - These will be replaced by function calls to checker.cpp later

```
static Type expression(bool &lvalue)
{
    Type left = logicalAndExpression(lvalue);

    while (lookahead == OR) {
        match(OR);
        Type right = logicalAndExpression(lvalue);

        cout << "check ||" << endl;
        lvalue = false;
    }

    return left;
}
```

2. Modify primaryExpression

- Return a Type object for each scenario in primaryExpression()
- Example: if you match an integer, return an integer Type object
- If an identifier, return the type from its Symbol
 - checkIdentifier() returns a Symbol * and can retrieve type from there


At this point

Input

```
a + b > c * d - 3;
```

Output

```
check +  
check *  
check -  
check >
```



3. Write additional Type.cpp functions

- Helper functions for type checking
 - `Type promote() const;`
 - `bool isCompatibleWith(const Type &that) const;`
 - `bool isInteger() const;`
 - `bool isPointer() const;`
 - `bool isValue() const;`
- Read assignment carefully for these

4. Write checker functions for operators

- Follow lab guide closely for what to check
- Suggested implementation order (by difficulty)
 - Multiplicative, Equality, Relational
 - Logical
 - Postfix
 - Additive, Prefix
- Call checker functions from parser

```
static Type expression(bool &lvalue)
{
    Type left = logicalAndExpression(lvalue);

    while (lookahead == OR) {
        match(OR);
        Type right = logicalAndExpression(lvalue);

        // cout << "check ||" << endl;
        left = checkLogicalOr(left, right);
        lvalue = false;
    }

    return left;
}
```