

2016 Midterm Exam for Compiler (Totally 4 pages)

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1. (10%) Manually execute the following program

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program parameter-passing;
  var i: integer;
      a: array [1..3] of integer;
  procedure mess(v : integer);
    var i: integer;
    begin
      i:= 3;
      v := v + 1;
      a[i] := a[i] + 12;
      i := 1;
      v := v +1;
    end;
  begin
    for i:= 1 to 3 do a[i] := 9;
    a[2] := 5;
    i := 2;
    mess(a[i]);
    ...
    <----- Observation Point 1
  end.
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- (a) if by assuming Call-by-Text, what's the value in the array a and the variable i in the observation point 1 of the program?
($a[1]=?, a[2]=?, a[3]=?, i=?$)
- (b) If by assuming Call-by-Need, what's the value in the array a and the variable i in the observation point 1 of the program?
($a[1]=?, a[2]=?, a[3]=?, i=?$)

2. (10%) (a) Is the following grammar a LL(1) grammar?
S, E, and F are nonterminals, and ``(``, ``)`", ``+``, and ``a`` are terminals in the grammar below.

$$\begin{array}{ll} S & \rightarrow E \\ E & \rightarrow (\quad a \quad a) \\ & | \\ & F \\ F & \rightarrow (\quad a \quad) \end{array}$$

(b) Convert the grammar in (a) into LL(1) if it's not a LL(1) yet.

3. (15%) Explain the following concepts?

- (a) Why is a left-recursion grammar not in LL(1)?
- (b) Discuss the difference among LL(0), LL(1), and LL(2).
- (c) Explain how to decide if a grammar is a LL(1) grammar.

4. (20%) If we use BNF form to write a grammar for an arithmetic expression includes ``*'' (multiplication), ``#'' (exponential operators), ``+'' (addition), and parenthesis. We get a grammar below:

$$\begin{array}{l} E \rightarrow E * E \\ E \rightarrow E \# E \\ E \rightarrow E + E \\ E \rightarrow (E) \\ E \rightarrow \text{Number} \end{array}$$

Assume the precedence order from the highest to the lowest is parenthesis, ``\#'', ``*'', ``+''. The exponential operation is right associate, and all other operators are left associate.

- (a) Re-Write the above grammar into an un-ambiguous grammar following the given precedence and associativity.

(b) Is the grammar generated in (a) a LL(1) grammar? If it's not a LL(1) grammar, try to convert it into a LL(1) grammar?

(c) To use the concept of selection set to explain why the grammar you generated in (b) is a LL(1) grammar.

(d) Write a C program for the top-down recursive parser of the LL(1) grammar generated in (b).

5. (12%) (a) To write a Lex-style regular expression to represent the syntax of the “Variable Name” in C language.

(b) Write a Lex Program that copies a C program, replacing all instance of int by double. In addition, please print out those replacements happen in which lines.

6. (8%) Please give two different strings which match the regular expression.

(1) [abc]d?

(2) x+y*z

(3) a{2,4}(b|c|d)a{2,4}

(4) [1-9]”. “[0-9]*[1-9]

7. (20%) (a) Describe the language denoted by the following regular expressions.



(b) Construct nondeterministic finite automata for the regular expression above.

- (c) Construct the DFA (deterministic finite state automata) for the machine generated in (b)?
- (d) Construct the minimum-state DFA for the DFA machine generated in (c).
8. (10%) Convert the following NFA to DFA.

