

Compiler Design

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Evaluating an SDD at the Nodes of a Parse Tree

- **Example**

- In the following SDD, the top-down parse of input $3 * 5$ begins with the production $T \rightarrow FT'$
- F generates the digit 3, but the operator $*$ is generated by T'
- Thus, the left operand 3 appears in a different subtree of the parse tree from $*$
- An inherited attribute will therefore be used to pass the operand to the operator

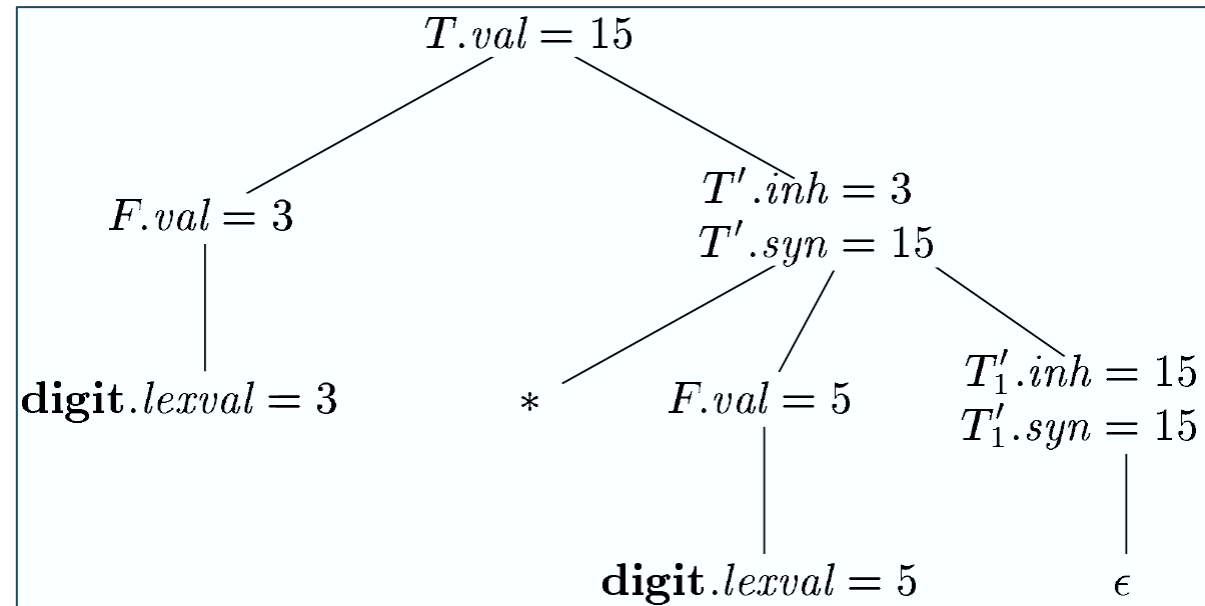
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- The semantic rules are based on the idea that the left operand of the operator $*$ is inherited
- Given a term $x * y * z$, the root of the subtree for $* y * z$ inherits x
- Then, the root of the subtree for $* z$ inherits the value of $x * y$, and so on
- Once all the factors have been accumulated, the result is passed back up the tree using synthesized attributes

- **Annotated parse tree for $3 * 5$**



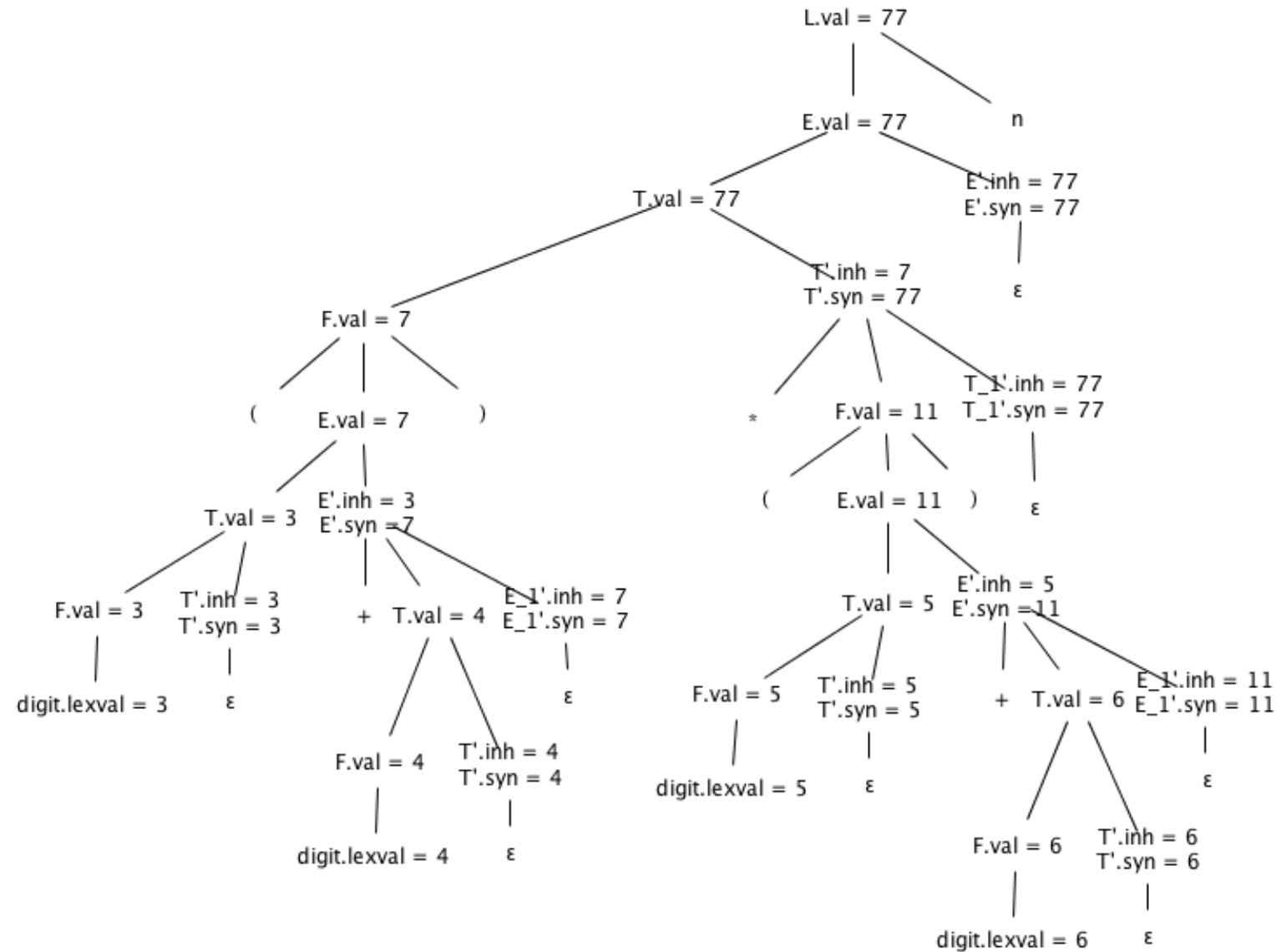
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- **Exercise**

- | • | Production | Semantic rules |
|------|------------------------------|--|
| • 1) | $L \rightarrow E \mathbf{n}$ | $L.val = E.val$ |
| • 2) | $E \rightarrow TE'$ | $E'.inh = T.val$
$E.val = E'.syn$ |
| • 3) | $E' \rightarrow +TE'_1$ | $E'_1.inh = E'.inh + T.val$
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| • 4) | $E' \rightarrow \varepsilon$ | $E'.syn = E'.inh$ |
| • 5) | $T \rightarrow FT'$ | $T'.inh = F.val$
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| • 6) | $T' \rightarrow *FT'_1$ | $T'_1.inh = T'.inh * F.val$
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| • 7) | $T' \rightarrow \varepsilon$ | $T'.syn = T'.inh$ |
| • 8) | $F \rightarrow (E)$ | $F.val = E.val$ |
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- **Exercise (Cont.)**

- Annotated parse tree for the following expression, using the previous SDD
 - $(3 + 4) * (5 + 6) n$



Dependency Graphs

- **Dependency graphs** are a useful tool for determining an evaluation order for the attribute instances in a given parse tree
- *While an annotated parse tree shows the values of attributes, a dependency graph helps us determine how those values can be computed*
- A dependency graph depicts the flow of information among the attribute instances in a particular parse tree
- An edge from one attribute instance to another means that the value of the first is needed to compute the second
- Edges express constraints implied by the semantic rules

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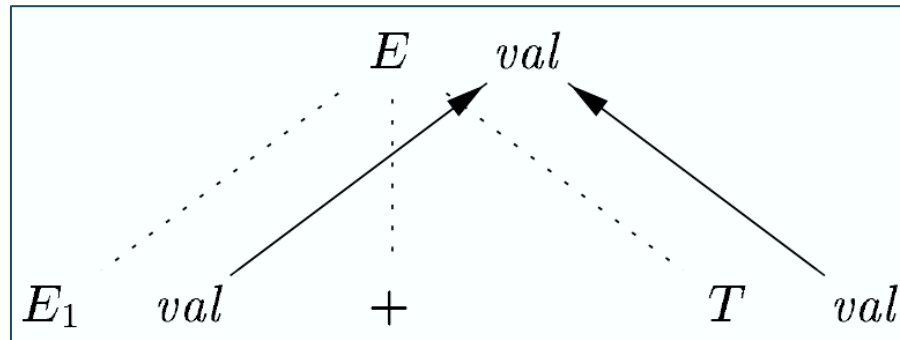
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$E \rightarrow E_1 + T$

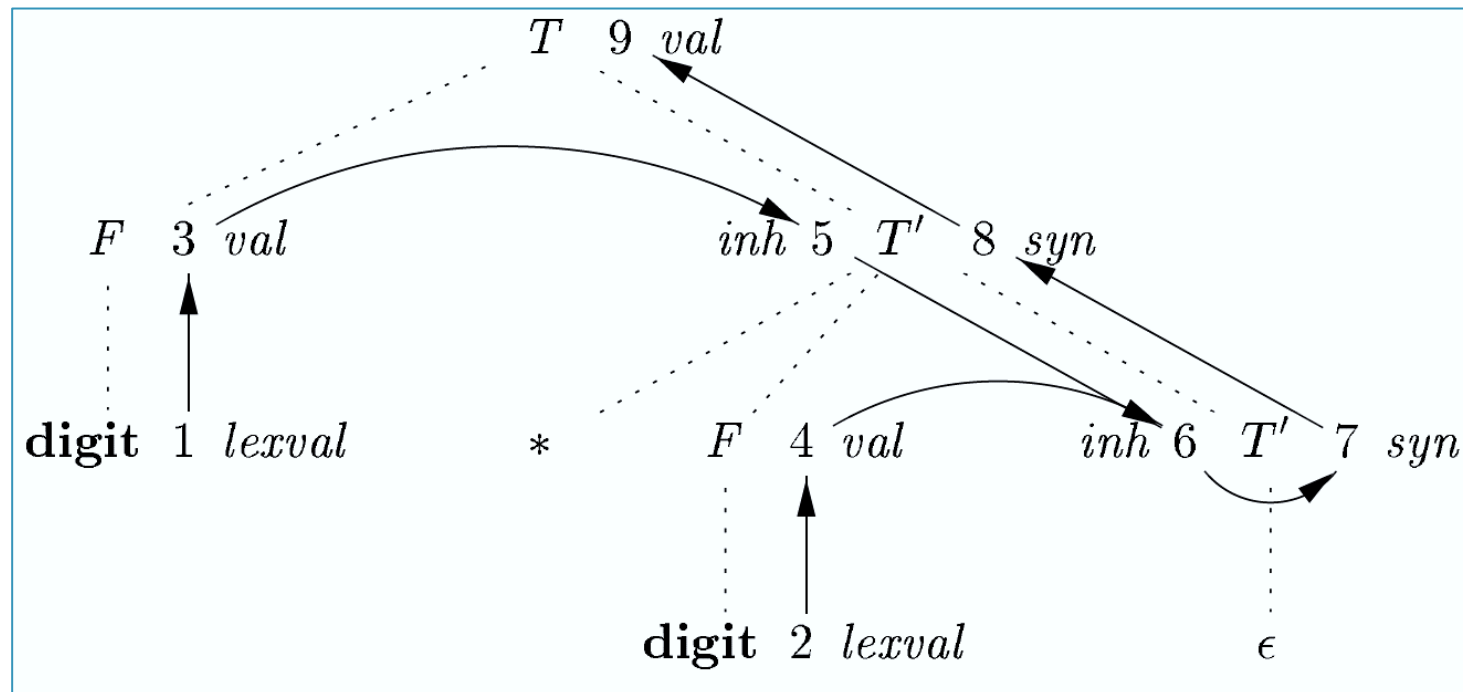
SEMANTIC RULE

$E.val = E_1.val + T.val$



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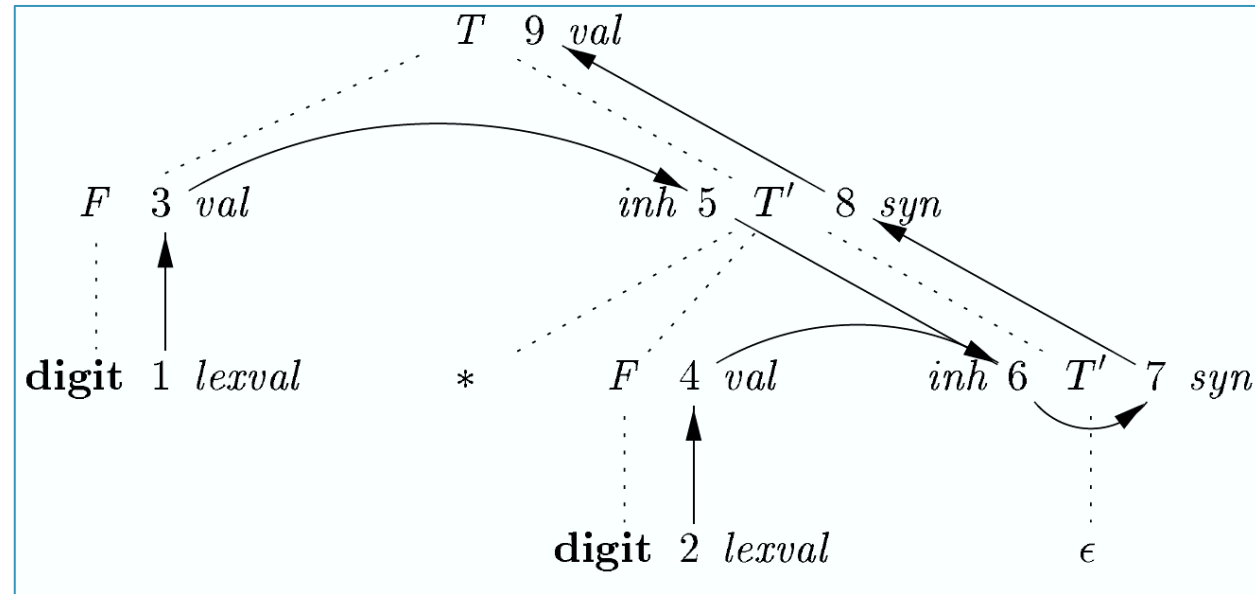


Ordering the Evaluation of Attributes

- The dependency graph characterizes the possible orders in which we can evaluate the attributes at the various nodes of a parse tree
- **Topological sorts**
 - *Sequences of nodes N_1, N_2, \dots, N_k such that if there is an edge of the dependency graph from N_i to N_j , then $i < j$*
- **If there is any cycle in the graph**, then there are no topological sorts; that is, there is no way to evaluate the SDD on this parse tree

- **Example:** All topological sorts of the following dependency graph

- [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]
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- بنابراین وقتی برای تعریف S-attributed از روش تجزیه پایین به بالا استفاده می‌کنیم، ترجمه می‌تواند در حین عمل تجزیه در طی یک گذر انجام شود و سرعت کامپایل افزایش یابد
- با توجه به اینکه تجزیه پایین به بالا دقیقاً بر اساس پیمایش پسوندی عمل می‌کند، بنابراین ترتیب ارزیابی خصیصه‌ها از قبل مشخص است و نیازی به گراف وابستگی برای تعیین ترتیب ارزیابی خصیصه‌ها نیست
- **نکته: تعاریف S-attributed می‌تواند برای تمام گرامرهای LR(1) استفاده شود**
- برای این کار می‌توان یک فیلد اضافی به پشته تجزیه جهت نگهداری مقدار خصیصه‌های synthesized اضافه کرد یا کنار پشته تجزیه یک پشته مقدار جهت نگهداری مقدار خصیصه‌ها داشت

L-Attributed Definitions

- The idea behind this class is that, between the attributes associated with a production body, dependency-graph edges can go from left to right, but not from right to left
- **An SDD is L-attributed if every attribute is**
 1. Synthesized, or
 2. Inherited, but with the rules limited as follows. Suppose that there is a production $A \rightarrow X_1 X_2 \cdots X_n$, and that there is an inherited attribute $X_i.a$ computed by a rule associated with this production. Then the rule may use only:
 - (a) Inherited attributes associated with the head A .
 - (b) Either inherited or synthesized attributes associated with the occurrences of symbols X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{i-1} located to the left of X_i .

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- This SDD is L-attributed

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