Syntax

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1 Syntax of our language

This language will be a domain specific language specialising in the manipulation of tiles.

1.1 Language specification in Backus-Naur form

```
1
 2
 3
   <statement> ::= <comment>
 4
                | <tile-definition>
 5
                | <variable-declaration>
 6
                | <operation>
 7
                | <iteration>
 8
                | <print>
 9
                | <if-statement>
10
   <comment> ::= "//" {<character>}
11
12
   <tile-definition> ::= "tile" <identifier> <matrix>
13
14
15
   <matrix> ::= "[" {<row>} "]"
16
   <row> ::= "[" {<cell-value>} "]"
17
18
   <cell-value> ::= "0" | "1"
19
```

```
20
    <variable-declaration> ::= "let" <identifier> [":" <tile-type>] "=" <expression>
21
22
23
   <tile-type> ::= "Tile" <positive-integer> "x" <positive-integer>
24
25
   <operation> ::= <rotate>
26
                 | <hjoin>
27
                 | <vjoin>
28
                 | <equality>
29
                 | <not-equal>
30
                 | <greater-than>
31
                 | <less-than>
32
                 | <greater-than-or-equal-to>
33
                 | <less-than-or-equal-to>
34
                 | <add>
                 | <subtract>
35
                 | <multiply>
36
37
                 | <divide>
                 | <modulus>
38
39
                 | <and>
40
                 | <or>
41
42
   <rotate> ::= "rotate(" <expression> "," <angle> ")"
43
    <angle> ::= "90" | "180" | "270"
44
45
46
    <hjoin> ::= "hjoin(" <expression> "," <expression> ")"
47
   <vjoin> ::= "vjoin(" <expression> "," <expression> ")"
48
49
50
    <equality> ::= <expression> "==" <expression>
51
52
    <not-equal> ::= <expression> "!=" <expression>
53
54
   <greater-than> ::= <expression> ">" <expression>
55
56
   <less-than> ::= <expression> "<" <expression>
57
58
   <greater-than-or-equal-to> ::= <expression> ">=" <expression>
59
   <less-than-or-equal-to> ::= <expression> "<=" <expression>
60
61
62 <add> ::= <expression> "+" <expression>
63
64
    <subtract> ::= <expression> "-" <expression>
65
66
    <multiply> ::= <expression> "*" <expression>
67
68
    <divide> ::= <expression> "/" <expression>
69
   <modulus> ::= <expression> "%" <expression>
70
71
72
   <and> ::= <expression> "&&" <expression>
```

```
73
     <or> ::= <expression> "||" <expression>
 74
 75
     <iteration> ::= "for" <identifier> "in" <range> "{" {<statement>} "}"
 76
 77
     <range> ::= <positive-integer> ".." <positive-integer>
 78
 79
     <print> ::= "print(" <expression> ")"
 80
 81
     <if-statement> ::= "if" "(" <expression> ")" "{" {<statement>} "}" ["else" "{" {<statement>} "}"]
 82
 83
     <expression> ::= <identifier>
 84
 85
                   | <operation>
 86
                   | <matrix>
 87
                   | <positive-integer>
 88
                   | <true>
                   | <false>
 89
 90
                   | <not>
 91
 92
     <identifier> ::= <letter> {<letter> | <digit>}
 93
     <letter> ::= "a" | ... | "z" | "A" | ... | "Z"
 94
 95
     <digit> ::= "0" | ... | "9"
 96
 97
 98
     <positive-integer> ::= <digit> {<digit>}
 99
     <true> ::= "true"
100
101
102
     <false> ::= "false"
103
104
     <not> ::= "!" <expression>
1.2
     Examples
1.2.1 Defining tiles
tile T1 [
```

```
[1, 0],
  [0, 1]
]
```

1.2.2 Variables

let myTile = T1

1.2.3Types

There are two variations of the types of tiles you can use. You can use the type that was defined above, or you can use a fixed size tile:

```
let myTile : Tile2x2 = T1
```

This represents the size of the tile, so this one is 2 by 2.

1.2.4 Operations (rotation, vertical and horizontal joining) let rotatedTile = rotate(T1, 90)

1.2.5 Iteration

```
for i in 1..4 {
  let newTile = rotate(myTile, i * 90)
  // Do something with newTile
}
```

let combinedTile = hjoin(T1, rotatedTile)
let stackedTile = vjoin(T1, rotatedTile)

1.2.6 Example dummy program

```
// Define a 2x2 tile
tile T1 [
  [1, 0],
  [0, 1]
// Define another 2x2 tile
tile T2 [
  [0, 1],
  [1, 0]
1
// Declare a variable and store T1 in it
let myTile: Tile2x2 = T1
// Rotate T1 by 90 degrees
let rotatedTile = rotate(T1, 90)
// Join T1 and rotatedTile horizontally
let combinedTile = hjoin(T1, rotatedTile)
// Join T1 and rotatedTile vertically
let stackedTile = vjoin(T1, rotatedTile)
// Iterate over rotations of T2 and join them horizontally
let finalTile = T2
for i in 1..3 {
  let newTile = rotate(T2, i * 90)
  finalTile = hjoin(finalTile, newTile)
// Print the final result
print(finalTile)
```

2 Problems Solutions

2.1 Problem 1

// Declare A and B tiles

```
tile A [ [1] ]
tile B [ [0] ]
// Declare variable to store the checkerboard
let checkerboard: Tile64x64 = []
// Create the 64x64 checkerboard
for i in 1..32 {
    let tempRow: Tile64x1 = []
    for j in 1..32 {
        if (i % 2 == j % 2) {
            tempRow = hjoin(tempRow, A)
        } else {
            tempRow = hjoin(tempRow, B)
        }
    }
    checkerboard = vjoin(checkerboard, tempRow)
}
    // Done
2.2 Problem 2
2.2.1 Part 1
// Declare the input tile (tile1)
tile tile1 [
    [0, 0, 0, 1],
    [0, 0, 1, 1],
    [0, 1, 1, 1],
    [1, 1, 1, 1]
]
// Rotate tile1 in different directions
let tile1_90: Tile4x4 = rotate(tile1, 90)
let tile1_180: Tile4x4 = rotate(tile1, 180)
let tile1_270: Tile4x4 = rotate(tile1, 270)
// Create the output pattern
let topRow: Tile8x4 = hjoin(tile1, tile1_90)
let bottomRow: Tile8x4 = hjoin(tile1_270, tile1_180)
let output: Tile8x8 = vjoin(topRow, bottomRow)
    // Done
```