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Lexical Errors

Type of errors for Lexical analysis

Lexical errors include misspellings of identifiers, keywords, or operators... Etc.

Ex:

fi (a == f(x))

Problem of lexical analyzer cannot tell:

- **Whether fi is a misspelling of the keyword if .**
- **Or fi is an undeclared function identifier .**

Terms Tokens, Patterns, and Lexemes

Source program

Ex.:

```
if ( x > y )
   x = 10 ;
while …
```

Lexical analyzer phase

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Lexemes
if
(
x
>
y
)
x
=
10
;
while

(1) Lexeme:

A lexeme: is one character or a sequence of characters in the source program that denotes the meaning a basic lexical unit of the source program and is identified (breaks up) by the lexical analyzer.

Tokens, Patterns, and Lexemes

Source program

Ex.:

if (x > y)
    x = 10 ;
while …

2 Lexical analyzer phase 3

Token table	
Token-Name	Token-Attribute
if	Kw
(	Pun
x	ID
>	Op
y	ID
)	Pun
x	ID
=	Op
10	Num
;	Pun
while	K.w

Symbol table		
Sq.	Token -name	type
1	x	
2	y	

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Token stream:

<if,k.w> <(,pun> <Id,1>
<>,Op_GT> <Id,2>
<),pun> <Id,1>
<=,Op_Ass.> <10,Num>
<;,pun> < while,k.w>

(2) Token:

A token: is a pair consisting of a token name and an optional attribute value (token-name; attribute-value). The first component token-name is an abstract symbol that is used during syntax analysis, and the second component points to a kind of lexical unit, e.g., a particular keyword, or a sequence of input characters denoting an identifier.

Tokens, Patterns, and Lexemes

Source program

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(3) Patterns:

Patterns: Each token has a pattern that describes which sequences of characters can form the lexemes corresponding to that token. The set of words, or strings of characters, that match a given pattern is called a language.

Pattern: is a description of a grammar of language that the tokens may take.

<Statement> → if (<Expression>) <Statement>
| if (<Expression>) <Statement> else <Statement>
| ε

<Expression> → <Term> relop <Term> | <Term>

<Term> → id | number

<relop> → < | > | <= | >= | == | !=

<Id> → L (L | D)*

<L> → A | B |… | Z | a | b | …| z | _

<D> → 0 |…| 9

Number → digits OptionalFraction OptionalExponent

<Ds> → DD*

OptionalFraction → . Ds | ε

OptionalExponent → (E (+ | - | ε) Ds) | ε

ملاحظة: القاعدة النحوية لتعريف if سوف يولد مشكلة التداخل من اليسار لذلك يجب ان تكتب بالصيغة التالية:

stmt → if (*expr*) *stmt* [else *stmt*]? | ε

Specification of Tokens

Alphabet, Strings and Languages

1. Alphabet: is any finite set of symbols.

- Binary alphabet ⟶ {0,1}
- Digit alphabet ⟶ {0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9}
- Letter alphabet ⟶ {a,b,c,…,z, A,B,C,…,Z}
- ASCII alphabet: a set of digital codes (0 , 1) is used in many software systems.
- Unicode alphabet include 100000 characters.

ASCII: American Standard Code for Information Interchange, a set of digital codes (0 , 1) representing letters, numerals, and other symbols, widely used as a standard format in the transfer of text between computers.

Unicode: an international encoding standard for use with different languages and scripts, by which each letter, digit, or symbol is assigned a unique numeric value.

Specification of Tokens

Alphabet, Strings and Languages

2. String ("Sentence" and "Word"): A string over an alphabet is a finite sequence of symbols drawn from the alphabet.

- **The length of a string s, usually written |s|, is the number of occurrences of symbols in s.**

010111011100 is string from the binary alphabet. The string of length 12.

01 is string from the binary alphabet. The string of length 2.

0 is string from the binary alphabet. The string of length 1.

banana is string from the Letter alphabet. The string of length 6.

εthe empty string , the string of length zero.

Specification of Tokens

Alphabet, Strings and Languages

3. Language: is any countable set of strings over some fixed alphabet.

Strings	Language
010111011100 01 0	Ex1: This is machine Language.

{
if (x==y)
x = x + 1;
for (int i =0 ; i<10; i++)
y = y + I ;
}
	Ex2: This is source program of C++ Language.

<{,Pun> <if,k.w> <(, Pun > <Id,1 pointer to symbol-table entry for x> <==,Op> <Id,2 pointer to symbol-table entry for y) <(, Pun > … < , >	Ex3: This is Language of token stream by C++.
The empty set, or {ε}, the set containing only the empty string.	Abstract languages like Ø .
The set of all grammatically correct English sentences.	English Language.

Terms for Parts of Strings

1. A **prefix** of string **s** is any string obtained by removing zero or more symbols from the end of **s**.

   Ex: **ban, banana,** and **ε** are prefixes of **banana.**

- ✓ اي جزء من السلسلة من البداية.
- ✓ السلسلة نفسها.
- ✓ ε.

2. A **suffix** of string **s** is any string obtained by removing zero or more symbols from the beginning of **s**.

   Ex: **nana, banana,** and **ε** are suffixes of **banana.**

- ✓ اي جزء من السلسلة من النهاية.
- ✓ السلسلة نفسها.
- ✓ ε.

3. A **substring** of **s** is obtained by deleting any prefix and any suffix from **s**.

   Ex: **banana, anan, nan,** and **ε** are substrings of **banana.**

- ✓ اي جزء من السلسلة من أي مكان بعد حذف رمز البداية والنهاية.
- ✓ والسلسلة نفسها.
- ✓ و ε.

Terms for Parts of Strings

4. The proper prefixes, suffixes, and substrings of a string s are those, prefixes, suffixes, and substrings, respectively, of s that are not ε or not equal to s itself.
   Ex: ba, ban, and banan are proper prefixes of banana.
   Ex: na, nana and anana are proper suffixes of banana.
   Ex: anan, nan are proper substrings of banana.

- ✓ اي جزء من السلسلة من أي مكان بشرط ان تكون رموز متعاقبة.
- ✓ لا يشمل السلسلة نفسها.
- ✓ لا يشمل ε.

5. A subsequence of s is any string formed by deleting zero or more not necessary consecutive positions of s.

Ex: baan is a subsequence of banana.

- ✓ اي جزء من السلسلة ليس من الضروري متعاقب.
- ✓ يشمل السلسلة نفسها.
- ✓ يشمل ε.

Specification of Tokens

Concatenation: التتابع

- If x and y are strings,
- Then the concatenation of x and y, denoted xy,
- is the string formed by appending y to x.
- Ex: if x = dog and y = house, then xy = doghouse.

- The empty string is concatenation.
- Any string s, εs
  = sε = s.

Exponentiation : التسلسل

Exponentiation of strings is a product of concatenation.

Since:

$s^0 = \varepsilon$

$\varepsilon s = s\varepsilon = s$

} define: s^0 to be ε

$s^1 = s$

$s^2 = ss$

$s^3 = sss$

} $i > 0$, define s^i to be $s^{i-1}s$.

الأس في السلاسل
هي
انتاج من تسلسل

Operations on Languages

Operation	Definition and Notation
Union of L and M	$L \cup M = \{s \mid s \text{ is in } L \text{ or } s \text{ is in } M\}$
Concatenation of L and M	$LM = \{st \mid s \text{ is in } L \text{ and } t \text{ is in } M\}$
Kleene closure of L	$L^* = \cup_{i=0}^{\infty} L^i$
Positive closure of L	$L^+ = \cup_{i=1}^{\infty} L^i$

Figure 3.6: Definitions of operations on languages

Operations on Languages

1. L U D is the set of letters and digits. 62 strings of length one.

A | B | …| Z | a | b | …| z = 52

0 | 1| …| 9 = 10

} **62**

2. LD is the set of 520 strings of length two.

A0	B0	…	Z0	a0	b0	…	z0
A1	B1	…	Z1	a1	b1	…	z1
A2	B2	…	Z2	a2	b2	…	z2
…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
A9	B9	…	Z9	a9	b9	…	z9
Total 520							

Operations on Languages

3. L^4 is the set of all 4 -letter strings.
4. L* is the set of all strings of letters, including ε, the empty string.
5. L (L U D)* is the set of all strings of letters and digits beginning with a letter.
6. D^+ is the set of all strings of one or more digits.
7. ? Zero or one instance.

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