

## B.Tech 6th Semester Exam., 2016

## COMPILER DESIGN

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (i) The marks are indicated in the right-hand margin.
- (ii) There are **NINE** questions in this paper.
- (iii) Attempt **FIVE** questions in all.
- (iv) Question No. 1 is compulsory.

1. Choose the correct answer from the following

(any seven) :

2×7=14

(a) Right side of three-address code has how many numbers of operator at most?

- Right ans
- (i) 1
  - (ii) 2
  - (iii) 4
  - (iv) 3

(b) Token is

Right ans a logically cohesive sequence of characters

- (ii) always same as lexeme
- (iii) non-terminal
- (iv) just string

(c) The regular expression for the language of all strings that have zero or more  $a$ 's followed by zero or more  $b$ 's is

(i)  $(a+b)$ (ii)  $ab$ (iii)  $a^*b^*$ (iv)  $(ab)^+$ 

(d) Cross-compiler is a compiler

(i) which is written in a language that is different from the source language

(ii) that generates object code for its host machine

(iii) which is written in a language that is same as the source language

(iv) that runs on the machine but produces object code for another machine

(e) A dangling reference is a

(i) pointer pointing to storage which freed

(ii) pointer pointing to nothing

(iii) pointer pointing to storage which is still in use

(iv) pointer pointing to uninitialized storage

(f) If a grammar is LALR(1), then it is necessarily

(i) SLR(1)

(ii) LR(1)

(iii) LL(1)

(iv) None of the above

(g) After removing left recursion from  $A \rightarrow A\alpha / \beta$ , the resulting grammar will be

(i)  $A \rightarrow \beta A'$

(ii)  $A \rightarrow \alpha A'$

(iii)  $A \rightarrow \alpha \beta A'$

(iv)  $A \rightarrow \beta \alpha A'$

(h) The traversal method translation schema adapted to execute the action is

(i) depth first search

(ii) breath first search

(iii) depth breath first search

(iv) long first search

(i) Consider the following grammar :

$S \rightarrow cAd$

$A \rightarrow ab|ac|a$

For input string cad, how many times the recursive descent parser will backtrack?

(i) 2

(ii) 3

(iii) 4

(iv) 5

(j) Activation of procedures can be implemented by run-time storage. The part of run-time storage that is responsible for this is

(i) data object

(ii) target code

(iii) stack pointer

(iv) control stack

2. (a) With suitable example, explain the different phases of a compiler.

(b) Define left recursive grammar. Propose an algorithm to remove left recursion and apply that algorithm on the following grammar :

$E \rightarrow E + T | T$

$T \rightarrow T * F | F$

$F \rightarrow id$

- (c) Explain the parameter-passing mechanism in the following cases :
- (i) Call by value
  - (ii) Call by reference
  - (iii) Copy restore
  - (iv) Call by name 5+5+4

3. A grammar is given below :

$S \rightarrow A$   
 $A \rightarrow aB \mid Ad$   
 $B \rightarrow bBC \mid f$   
 $C \rightarrow g$

- (a) Find the FIRST and FOLLOW set.
- (b) Construct a predictive parsing table.
- (c) Trace whether the string "abbfgg" is accepted or not. 6+6+2

4. Consider the following grammar :

$S \rightarrow 0S0 \mid 1S1 \mid 10$

- (a) Find LR(0) collection of items for the above grammar.
- (b) Construct SLR parsing table.
- (c) Trace whether the string "01100" is accepted or not. 6+6+2

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5. Consider the following grammar :

$S \rightarrow aSbS \mid bSaS \mid \epsilon$

- (a) Find LR(1) collection of items for the above grammar.
- (b) Construct LALR parsing table.
- (c) Trace whether the string "01100" is accepted or not. 6+6+2

6. What are intermediate codes in compilers? Why is it needed in compiler design? Discuss different types of intermediate codes generated by intermediate code generation phase. 14

7. (a) Define a basic block.

(b) Write an algorithm to partition, a given sequence of three-address codes into basic blocks.

(c) Apply the above algorithm to find out the basic blocks in the following code fragment :

- (i) prod=0
- (ii) i=1
- (iii) t1=4\*i

(iv)  $t2 = a[t1]$ (v)  $t3 = 4 * i$ (vi)  $t4 = b[t3]$ (vii)  $t5 = t2 * t4$ (viii)  $t6 = \text{prod} + t5$ (ix)  $\text{prod} = t6$ (x)  $t7 = i + 1$ (xi)  $i = t7$ (xii) If  $i \leq 20$  goto (iii) 2+5+7

8. (a) What is the advantage of using machine independent intermediate representation during translation process?

(b) Explain, with examples, what three address codes are. Give some common three-address statements.

(c) Find the three-address code of the following program. There are four bytes per word :

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sum=0
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for (i=1; i<=20; i++)
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sum=sum+a[i]+b[i];
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2+4+8

9. (a) What is activation record? Explain its purpose in compilers.

(b) Write down the algorithm to find the FIRST and FOLLOW set of a grammar. Use that find FIRST and FOLLOW of the following grammar :

$$S \rightarrow ACB \mid CbB \mid Ba$$

$$A \rightarrow da \mid BC$$

$$B \rightarrow g \mid \epsilon$$

$$C \rightarrow h \mid \epsilon$$

(c) What do you mean by left factoring a grammar? Explain with the help of an example.

(d) Explain the difference between syntax-directed definition and translation schemes. 3+6+2+3

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