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• ***“SYNTAX ANALYSIS CFG”***

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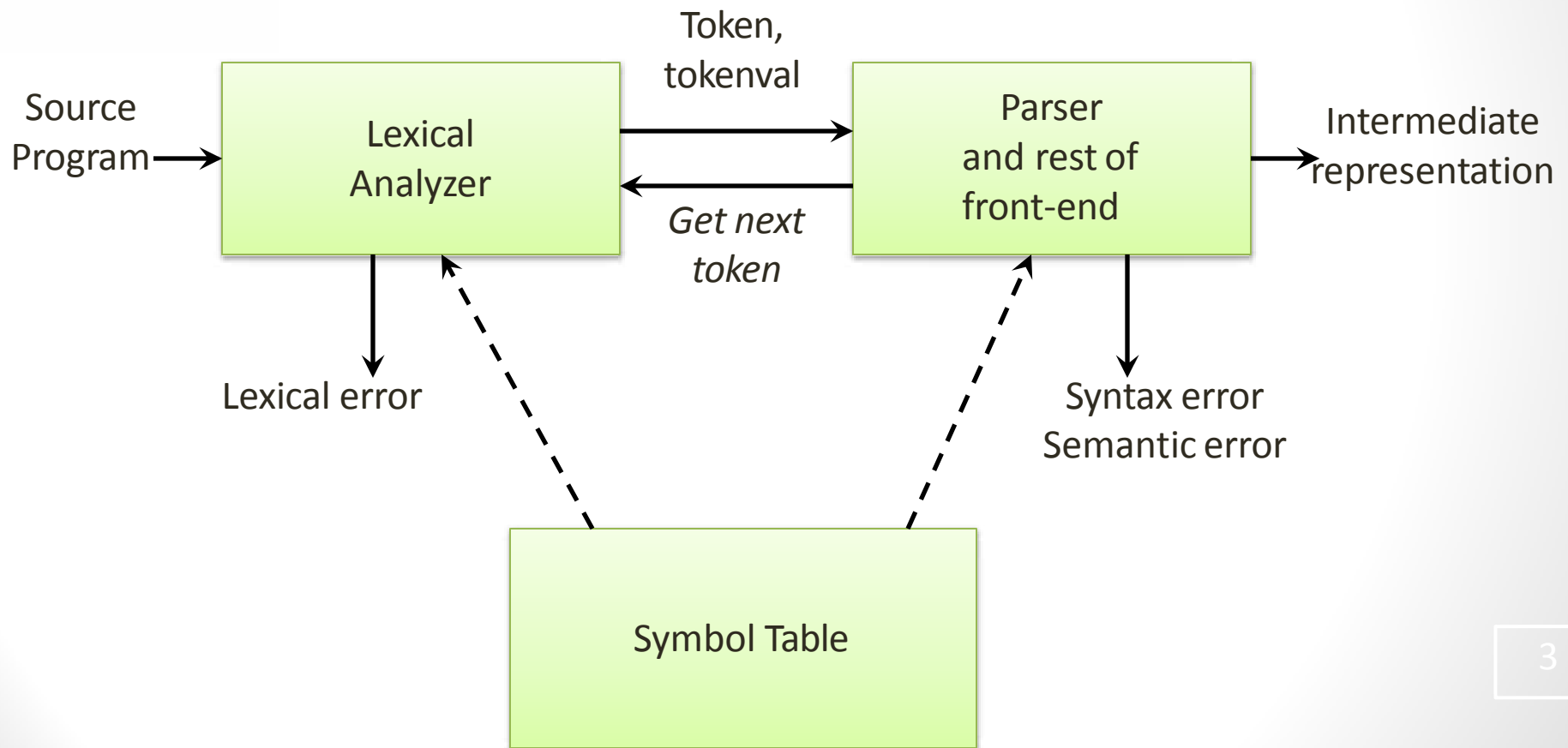
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# Syntax Analysis

# Position of a Parser in the Compiler Model



# The Role Of Parser

- A parser implements a C-F grammar
- The role of the parser is two fold:
  1. To check syntax (= string recognizer)
    - And to report syntax errors accurately
  2. To invoke semantic actions
    - For static semantics checking, e.g. type checking of expressions, functions, etc.
    - For syntax-directed translation of the source code to an intermediate representation

# Syntax-Directed Translation

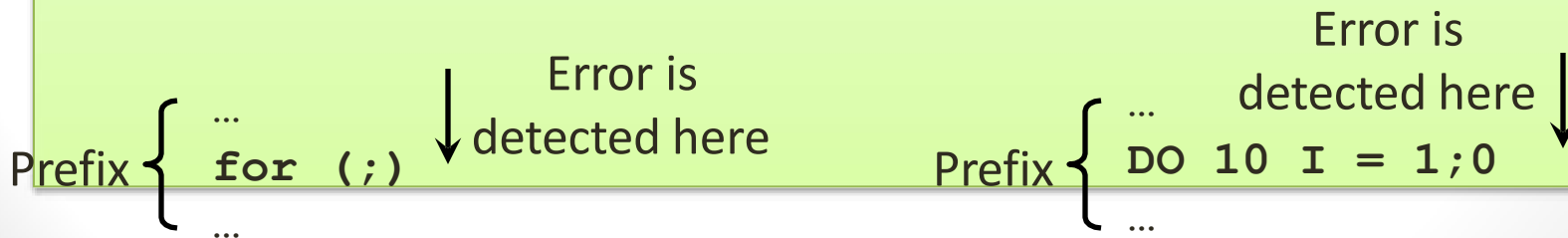
- One of the major roles of the parser is to produce an intermediate representation (IR) of the source program using syntax-directed translation methods
- Possible IR output:
  - Abstract syntax trees (ASTs)
  - Control-flow graphs (CFGs) with triples, three-address code, or register transfer list notation
  - WHIRL (SGI Pro64 compiler) has 5 IR levels!

# Error Handling

- A good compiler should assist in identifying and locating errors
  - *Lexical errors*: important, compiler can easily recover and continue
  - *Syntax errors*: most important for compiler, can almost always recover
  - *Static semantic errors*: important, can sometimes recover
  - *Dynamic semantic errors*: hard or impossible to detect at compile time, runtime checks are required
  - *Logical errors*: hard or impossible to detect

# Viable-Prefix Property

- The *viable-prefix property* of LL/LR parsers allows early detection of syntax errors
  - Goal: detection of an error *as soon as possible* without further consuming unnecessary input
  - How: detect an error as soon as the prefix of the input does not match a prefix of any string in the language



# Error Recovery Strategies

- *Panic mode*
  - Discard input until a token in a set of designated synchronizing tokens is found
- *Phrase-level recovery*
  - Perform local correction on the input to repair the error
- *Error productions*
  - Augment grammar with productions for erroneous constructs
- *Global correction*
  - Choose a minimal sequence of changes to obtain a global least-cost correction



# Grammars (Recap)

- Context-free grammar is a 4-tuple  $G = (N, T, P, S)$  where
  - $T$  is a finite set of tokens (*terminal symbols*)
  - $N$  is a finite set of *nonterminals*
  - $P$  is a finite set of *productions* of the form
$$\alpha \rightarrow \beta$$
where  $\alpha \in (N \cup T)^* N (N \cup T)^*$  and  $\beta \in (N \cup T)^*$
  - $S \in N$  is a designated *start symbol*

# Notational Conventions Used

- Terminals  
 $a, b, c, \dots \in T$   
specific terminals: **0**, **1**, **id**, **+**
- Nonterminals  
 $A, B, C, \dots \in N$   
specific nonterminals: *expr*, *term*, *stmt*
- Grammar symbols  
 $X, Y, Z \in (N \cup T)$
- Strings of terminals  
 $u, v, w, x, y, z \in T^*$
- Strings of grammar symbols  
 $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in (N \cup T)^*$

# Derivations (Recap)

- The *one-step derivation* is defined by
$$\alpha A \beta \Rightarrow \alpha \gamma \beta$$
where  $A \rightarrow \gamma$  is a production in the grammar
- In addition, we define
  - $\Rightarrow$  is *leftmost*  $\Rightarrow_{lm}$  if  $\alpha$  does not contain a nonterminal
  - $\Rightarrow$  is *rightmost*  $\Rightarrow_{rm}$  if  $\beta$  does not contain a nonterminal
  - Transitive closure  $\Rightarrow^*$  (zero or more steps)
  - Positive closure  $\Rightarrow^+$  (one or more steps)
- The *language generated by G* is defined by
$$L(G) = \{w \in T^* \mid S \Rightarrow^+ w\}$$

# Derivation (Example)

Grammar  $G = (\{E\}, \{+, *, (, ), -, \text{id}\}, P, E)$  with productions  $P =$

$$E \rightarrow E + E$$

$$E \rightarrow E * E$$

$$E \rightarrow ( E )$$

$$E \rightarrow - E$$

$$E \rightarrow \text{id}$$

Example derivations:

$$E \Rightarrow - E \Rightarrow - \text{id}$$

$$E \Rightarrow_{rm} E + E \Rightarrow_{rm} E + \text{id} \Rightarrow_{rm} \text{id} + \text{id}$$

$$E \Rightarrow^* E$$

$$E \Rightarrow^* \text{id} + \text{id}$$

$$E \Rightarrow^+ \text{id} * \text{id} + \text{id}$$

# Chomsky Hierarchy: Language Classification

- A grammar  $G$  is said to be
  - *Regular* if it is *right linear* where each production is of the form
$$A \rightarrow w B \quad \text{or} \quad A \rightarrow w$$
or *left linear* where each production is of the form
$$A \rightarrow B w \quad \text{or} \quad A \rightarrow w$$
  - *Context free* if each production is of the form
$$A \rightarrow \alpha$$
where  $A \in N$  and  $\alpha \in (N \cup T)^*$
  - *Context sensitive* if each production is of the form
$$\alpha A \beta \rightarrow \alpha \gamma \beta$$
where  $A \in N$ ,  $\alpha, \gamma, \beta \in (N \cup T)^*$ ,  $|\gamma| > 0$
  - *Unrestricted*

# Chomsky Hierarchy

$L(\text{regular}) \subset L(\text{context free}) \subset L(\text{context sensitive}) \subset L(\text{unrestricted})$

Where  $L(T) = \{ L(G) \mid G \text{ is of type } T \}$   
That is: the set of all languages  
generated by grammars  $G$  of type  $T$

Examples:

Every *finite language* is regular! (construct a FSA for strings in  $L(G)$ )

$L_1 = \{ \mathbf{a^n b^n} \mid n \geq 1 \}$  is context free

$L_2 = \{ \mathbf{a^n b^n c^n} \mid n \geq 1 \}$  is context sensitive

# Parsin

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Parser	Top-Down	BackTrack	Recursive Descent
		Non-BackTrack	(Predictive/(Non-Recursive Descent/LL(1)))
	Bottom-Up	Operator Precedence	
		Shift Reduce	SLR/LR(0) Canonical LR or LR(1) LALR

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# Down...Recursive

# Descent...BackTrack

- Recursive descent parsing is a top-down method of syntax analysis in which a set **recursive procedures** to process the input **is executed**.
- **A procedure is associated with each nonterminal of a grammar.**
- Top-down parsing can be viewed as an attempt to find a leftmost derivation for an input string.
- Equivalently, it attempts to construct a parse tree for the input starting from the root and creating the nodes of the parse tree in preorder.
- **Recursive descent parsing involves backtracking.**



# Top-Down Parsing...Non-Recursive

- LL methods (Left-to-right, Leftmost derivation)

Grammar:

$E \rightarrow T + T$

$T \rightarrow ( E )$

$T \rightarrow - E$

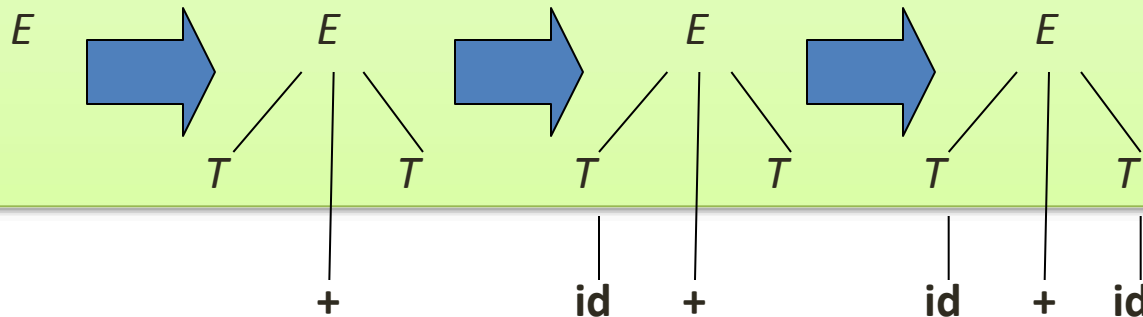
$T \rightarrow \text{id}$

Leftmost derivation:

$E \Rightarrow_{lm} T + T$

$\Rightarrow_{lm} \text{id} + T$

$\Rightarrow_{lm} \text{id} + \text{id}$



# Predictive Parsing...LL(1) Parser

- Eliminate left recursion from grammar
- Left factor the grammar
- Compute FIRST and FOLLOW
- Two variants:
  - Recursive (recursive calls)
  - Non-recursive (table-driven)

# Left Recursion (Recap)

- Productions of the form

$$A \rightarrow A \alpha$$

$$/ \beta$$

$$| \gamma$$

are left recursive

- When one of the productions in a grammar is left recursive then a predictive parser loops forever on certain inputs

# General Left Recursion Elimination Method

Arrange the nonterminals in some order  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$

**for**  $i = 1, \dots, n$  **do**

**for**  $j = 1, \dots, i-1$  **do**

        replace each

$$A_i \rightarrow A_j \gamma$$

        with

$$A_i \rightarrow \delta_1 \gamma \mid \delta_2 \gamma \mid \dots \mid \delta_k \gamma$$

        where

$$A_j \rightarrow \delta_1 \mid \delta_2 \mid \dots \mid \delta_k$$

**enddo**

    eliminate the *immediate left recursion* in  $A_i$

**enddo**

# Immediate Left-Recursion Elimination Method

Rewrite every left-recursive production

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow A \alpha \\ \quad / \beta \\ \quad | \gamma \\ \quad | A \delta \end{array}$$

into a right-recursive production:

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow \beta A_R \\ \quad / \gamma A_R \\ A_R \rightarrow \alpha A_R \\ \quad / \delta A_R \\ \quad / \varepsilon \end{array}$$

# Example Left Recursion Elim.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 A \rightarrow BC \mid a \\
 B \rightarrow CA \mid Ab \\
 C \rightarrow AB \mid CC \mid a
 \end{array}$$

Choose arrangement: A, B, C

$i = 1:$

nothing to do

$i = 2, j = 1:$

$B \rightarrow CA \mid \underline{A}b$

$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow CA \mid \underline{BC}b \mid \underline{a}b$

$\Rightarrow_{(\text{imm})} B \rightarrow CAB_R \mid \underline{a}bB_R$

$B_R \rightarrow CbB_R \mid \varepsilon$

$i = 3, j = 1:$

$C \rightarrow \underline{A}B \mid CC \mid a$

$\Rightarrow C \rightarrow \underline{BC}B \mid \underline{a}B \mid CC \mid a$

$i = 3, j = 2:$

$C \rightarrow \underline{B}CB \mid \underline{a}B \mid CC \mid a$

$\Rightarrow C \rightarrow \underline{CAB}_R CB \mid \underline{a}b\underline{B}_R CB \mid \underline{a}B \mid CC \mid a$

$\Rightarrow_{(\text{imm})} C \rightarrow \underline{a}bB_R CBC_R \mid \underline{a}BC_R \mid \underline{a}C_R$

$C_R \rightarrow AB_R CBC_R \mid CC_R \mid \varepsilon$

# Left Factoring

- When a nonterminal has two or more productions whose right-hand sides start with the same grammar symbols, the grammar is not LL(1) and cannot be used for predictive parsing

- Replace productions

$$A \rightarrow \alpha \beta_1 / \alpha \beta_2 / \dots / \alpha \beta_n / \gamma$$

with

$$A \rightarrow \alpha A_R / \gamma$$

$$A_R \rightarrow \beta_1 / \beta_2 / \dots / \beta_n$$

# FIRST (Revisited)

- $\text{FIRST}(\alpha) = \{ \text{the set of terminals that begin all strings derived from } \alpha \}$

$$\text{FIRST}(a) = \{a\} \quad \text{if } a \in T$$

$$\text{FIRST}(\varepsilon) = \{\varepsilon\}$$

$$\text{FIRST}(A) = \cup_{A \rightarrow \alpha \in P} \text{FIRST}(\alpha) \quad \text{for } A \rightarrow \alpha \in P$$

$$\text{FIRST}(X_1 X_2 \dots X_k) =$$

**if** for all  $j = 1, \dots, i-1 : \varepsilon \in \text{FIRST}(X_j)$  **then**  
add non- $\varepsilon$  in  $\text{FIRST}(X_i)$  to  $\text{FIRST}(X_1 X_2 \dots X_k)$

**if** for all  $j = 1, \dots, k : \varepsilon \in \text{FIRST}(X_j)$  **then**  
add  $\varepsilon$  to  $\text{FIRST}(X_1 X_2 \dots X_k)$



# FOLLOW

- $\text{FOLLOW}(A) = \{ \text{the set of terminals that can immediately follow nonterminal } A \}$

$\text{FOLLOW}(A) =$

**for all**  $(B \rightarrow \alpha A \beta) \in P$  **do**

    add  $\text{FIRST}(\beta) \setminus \{\epsilon\}$  to  $\text{FOLLOW}(A)$

**for all**  $(B \rightarrow \alpha A \beta) \in P$  and  $\epsilon \in \text{FIRST}(\beta)$  **do**

    add  $\text{FOLLOW}(B)$  to  $\text{FOLLOW}(A)$

**for all**  $(B \rightarrow \alpha A) \in P$  **do**

    add  $\text{FOLLOW}(B)$  to  $\text{FOLLOW}(A)$

**if**  $A$  is the start symbol  $S$  **then**

    add  $\$$  to  $\text{FOLLOW}(A)$

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Red : A   Blue :  $\beta$

$G_0$

$S \rightarrow aSe$   
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If no more change...  
The first set of a terminal symbol is itself

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Another Example....

$$\text{First}(\alpha=A\beta) = \begin{cases} \text{First}(A), & \text{if } \lambda \notin \text{First}(A) \\ \text{First}(A) - \{\lambda\} \cup \text{First}(\beta), & \text{if } \lambda \in \text{First}(A) \end{cases}$$

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$G_0$

$S \rightarrow ABc$

$A \rightarrow a$

$A \rightarrow \lambda$

$B \rightarrow b$

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$S \rightarrow ABc$   
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 $A \rightarrow \lambda$   
 $B \rightarrow b$   
 $B \rightarrow \lambda$

Step 1:

- $\text{First}(S \rightarrow ABc) = \text{First}(ABc)$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow a\lambda) = \text{First}(a)$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \text{First}(\lambda) \cup \text{First}(\lambda)$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow b\lambda) = \text{First}(b)$
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$$G_0 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow ABc \\ A \rightarrow a \\ A \rightarrow \lambda \\ B \rightarrow b \\ B \rightarrow \lambda \end{array} \right.$$

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Step 1:

- $\text{First}(S \rightarrow ABc) = \text{First}(ABc)$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow a\lambda) = \{a\}$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow b\lambda) = \{b\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$

Step	First Set					
	S	A	B	a	b	c
Step 1	$\text{First}(ABc)$	$\{a, \lambda\}$	$\{b, \lambda\}$			

$$\text{First}(\alpha=A\beta) = \begin{cases} \text{First}(A), & \text{if } \lambda \notin \text{First}(A) \\ \text{First}(A) - \{\lambda\} \cup \text{First}(\beta), & \text{if } \lambda \in \text{First}(A) \end{cases}$$

Red : A   Blue :  $\beta$

$$G_0 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow ABc \\ A \rightarrow a \\ A \rightarrow \lambda \\ B \rightarrow b \\ B \rightarrow \lambda \end{array} \right.$$

Step 2:

- $\text{First}(S \rightarrow ABc) = \text{First}(ABc) = \{a, \lambda\}$   
 $= \{a, \lambda\} - \{\lambda\} \cup \text{First}(Bc)$   
 $= \{a\} \cup \text{First}(Bc)$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow a\lambda) = \{a\}$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow b\lambda) = \{b\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$

Step	First Set					
	S	A	B	a	b	c
Step 1	$\text{First}(ABc)$	$\{a, \lambda\}$	$\{b, \lambda\}$			
Step 2	$\{a\} \cup \text{First}(Bc)$	$\{a, \lambda\}$	$\{b, \lambda\}$			



$$\text{First}(\alpha=A\beta) = \begin{cases} \text{First}(A), & \text{if } \lambda \notin \text{First}(A) \\ \text{First}(A) - \{\lambda\} \cup \text{First}(\beta), & \text{if } \lambda \in \text{First}(A) \end{cases}$$

$$G_0 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow ABc \\ A \rightarrow a \\ A \rightarrow \lambda \\ B \rightarrow b \\ B \rightarrow \lambda \end{array} \right.$$

Red : A    Blue :  $\beta$

Step 3:

- $\text{First}(S \rightarrow A\beta c) = \{a\} \cup \text{First}(\beta c)$   
 $= \{a\} \cup \{b, \lambda\}$   
 $= \{a\} \cup \{b, \lambda\} - \{\lambda\} \cup \text{First}(c)$   
 $= \{a\} \cup \{b, c\}$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow a\lambda) = \{a\}$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow b\lambda) = \{b\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$

Step	First Set					
	S	A	B	a	b	c
Step 1	$\text{First}(A\beta c)$	{a, $\lambda$ }	{b, $\lambda$ }			
Step 2	$\{a\} \cup \text{First}(\beta c)$	{a, $\lambda$ }	{b, $\lambda$ }			
Step 3	$\{a\} \cup \{b, c\} = \{a, b, c\}$	{a, $\lambda$ }	{b, $\lambda$ }			

$$\text{First}(\alpha=A\beta) = \begin{cases} \text{First}(A), & \text{if } \lambda \notin \text{First}(A) \\ \text{First}(A) - \{\lambda\} \cup \text{First}(\beta), & \text{if } \lambda \in \text{First}(A) \end{cases}$$

$$G_0 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \rightarrow ABc \\ A \rightarrow a \\ A \rightarrow \lambda \\ B \rightarrow b \\ B \rightarrow \lambda \end{array} \right.$$

Red : A    Blue :  $\beta$

Step 3:

- $\text{First}(S \rightarrow ABc) = \{a, b, c\}$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow a\lambda) = \{a\}$
- $\text{First}(A \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow b\lambda) = \{b\}$
- $\text{First}(B \rightarrow \lambda\lambda) = \{\lambda\}$

If no more change...  
The first set of a terminal symbol is itself

Step	First Set					
	S	A	B	a	b	c
Step 1	$\text{First}(ABc)$	$\{a, \lambda\}$	$\{b, \lambda\}$			
Step 2	$\{a\} \cup \text{First}(Bc)$	$\{a, \lambda\}$	$\{b, \lambda\}$			
Step 3	$\{a\} \cup \{b, c\} = \{a, b, c\}$	$\{a, \lambda\}$	$\{b, \lambda\}$	$\{a\}$	$\{b\}$	$\{c\}$

# LL(1) Grammar

- A grammar  $G$  is LL(1) if it is not left recursive and for each collection of productions

$$A \rightarrow \alpha_1 \mid \alpha_2 \mid \dots \mid \alpha_n$$

for nonterminal  $A$  the following holds:

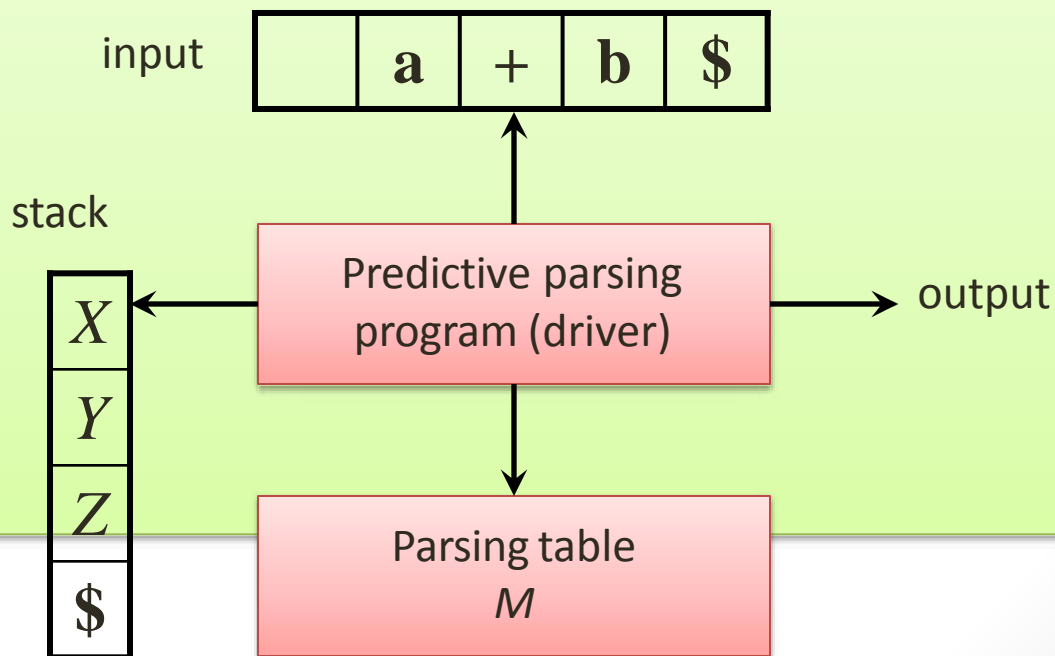
1.  $\text{FIRST}(\alpha_i) \cap \text{FIRST}(\alpha_j) = \emptyset$  for all  $i \neq j$
2. if  $\alpha_j \Rightarrow^* \varepsilon$  then
  - 2.a.  $\alpha_j \not\Rightarrow^* \varepsilon$  for all  $i \neq j$
  - 2.b.  $\text{FIRST}(\alpha_j) \cap \text{FOLLOW}(A) = \emptyset$   
for all  $i \neq j$

# Non-LL(1) Examples

Grammar	Not LL(1) because:
$S \rightarrow S a \mid a$	Left recursive
$S \rightarrow a S \mid a$	$\text{FIRST}(a S) \cap \text{FIRST}(a) \neq \emptyset$
$S \rightarrow a R \mid \varepsilon$ $R \rightarrow S \mid \varepsilon$	For R: $S \Rightarrow^* \varepsilon$ and $\varepsilon \Rightarrow^* \varepsilon$
$S \rightarrow a R a$ $R \rightarrow S \mid \varepsilon$	For R: $\text{FIRST}(S) \cap \text{FOLLOW}(R) \neq \emptyset$

# Non-Recursive Predictive Parsing: Table-Driven

- Given an LL(1) grammar  $G = (N, T, P, S)$  construct a table  $M[A, a]$  for  $A \in N, a \in T$  and use a *driver program* with a *stack*



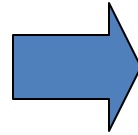
# Constructing an LL(1)

## Predictive Parsing Table

```
for each production  $A \rightarrow \alpha$  do  
    for each  $a \in \text{FIRST}(\alpha)$  do  
        add  $A \rightarrow \alpha$  to  $M[A,a]$   
    enddo  
    if  $\epsilon \in \text{FIRST}(\alpha)$  then  
        for each  $b \in \text{FOLLOW}(A)$  do  
            add  $A \rightarrow \alpha$  to  $M[A,b]$   
        enddo  
    endif  
enddo  
Mark each undefined entry in  $M$  error
```

# Example Table

$E \rightarrow TE_R$   
 $E_R \rightarrow +TE_R \mid \varepsilon$   
 $T \rightarrow FT_R$   
 $T_R \rightarrow *FT_R \mid \varepsilon$   
 $F \rightarrow (E) \mid id$

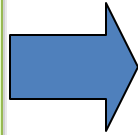


$A \rightarrow \alpha$	FIRST( $\alpha$ )	FOLLOW(A)
$E \rightarrow TE_R$	( id	\$ )
$E_R \rightarrow +TE_R$	+	\$ )
$E_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$\varepsilon$	\$ )
$T \rightarrow FT_R$	( id	+ \$ )
$T_R \rightarrow *FT_R$	*	+ \$ )
$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$\varepsilon$	+ \$ )
$F \rightarrow (E)$	(	* + \$ )
$F \rightarrow id$	id	* + \$ )

	id	+	*	(	)	\$
E	$E \rightarrow TE_R$			$E \rightarrow TE_R$		
$E_R$		$E_R \rightarrow +TE_R$			$E_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$E_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
T	$T \rightarrow FT_R$			$T \rightarrow FT_R$		
$T_R$		$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow *FT_R$		$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
F	$F \rightarrow id$			$F \rightarrow (E)$		

# LL(1) Grammars are Unambiguous

Ambiguous grammar  
 $S \rightarrow iEtSS_R | a$   
 $S_R \rightarrow eS | \epsilon$   
 $E \rightarrow b$



$A \rightarrow \alpha$	FIRST( $\alpha$ )	FOLLOW(A)
$S \rightarrow iEtSS_R$	i	e\$
$S \rightarrow a$	a	e\$
$S_R \rightarrow eS$	e	e\$
$S_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$\epsilon$	e\$
$E \rightarrow b$	b	t



Error: duplicate table entry

	a	b	e	i	t	\$
S	$S \rightarrow a$			$S \rightarrow iEtSS_R$		
$S_R$			$S_R \rightarrow \epsilon$ $S_R \rightarrow eS$			$S_R \rightarrow \epsilon$
E		$E \rightarrow b$				



# Predictive Parsing Program (Driver)

```
push($)  
push(S)  
a := lookahead  
repeat  
     $X := \text{pop}()$   
    if  $X$  is a terminal or  $X = \$$  then  
        match(X) // moves to next token and a := lookahead  
    else if  $M[X,a] = X \rightarrow Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_k$  then  
        push( $Y_k, Y_{k-1}, \dots, Y_2, Y_1$ ) // such that  $Y_1$  is on top  
        ... invoke actions and/or produce IR output ...  
    else error()  
    endif  
until  $X = \$$ 
```

# Example Table-Driven Parsing

Stack	Input	Production applied
$\$E$	$\underline{id}+id*id\$$	$E \rightarrow TE_R$
$\$E_R I$	$\underline{id}+id*id\$$	$T \rightarrow FT_R$
$\$E_R T_R E$	$\underline{id}+id*id\$$	$F \rightarrow id$
$\$E_R T_R \underline{id}$	$\underline{id}+id*id\$$	
$\$E_R T_R$	$\pm id*id\$$	$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
$\$E_R$	$\pm id*id\$$	$E_R \rightarrow + TE_R$
$\$E_R T \pm$	$\pm id*id\$$	
$\$E_R I$	$\underline{id}*id\$$	$T \rightarrow FT_R$
$\$E_R T_R E$	$\underline{id}*id\$$	$F \rightarrow id$
$\$E_R T_R \underline{id}$	$\underline{id}*id\$$	
$\$E_R T_R$	$\underline{*}id\$$	$T_R \rightarrow * FT_R$
$\$E_R T_R F \underline{*}$	$\underline{*}id\$$	
$\$E_R T_R E$	$\underline{id}\$$	$F \rightarrow id$
$\$E_R T_R \underline{id}$	$\underline{id}\$$	
$\$E_R T_R$	$\underline{\$}$	$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
$\$E_R$	$\underline{\$}$	$E_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
$\underline{\$}$	$\underline{\$}$	

# Panic Mode Recovery

Add synchronizing actions to undefined entries based on FOLLOW

Pro: Can be automated  
 Cons: Error messages are needed

$\text{FOLLOW}(E) = \{ ) \$ \}$   
 $\text{FOLLOW}(E_R) = \{ ) \$ \}$   
 $\text{FOLLOW}(T) = \{ + ) \$ \}$   
 $\text{FOLLOW}(T_R) = \{ + ) \$ \}$   
 $\text{FOLLOW}(F) = \{ + * ) \$ \}$

	id	+	*	(	)	\$
E	$E \rightarrow T E_R$			$E \rightarrow T E_R$	synch	synch
$E_R$		$E_R \rightarrow + T E_R$			$E_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$E_R \rightarrow \epsilon$
T	$T \rightarrow F T_R$	synch		$T \rightarrow F T_R$	synch	synch
$T_R$		$T_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow * F T_R$		$T_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow \epsilon$
F	$F \rightarrow \text{id}$	synch	synch	$F \rightarrow ( E )$	synch	synch

**synch:** the driver pops current nonterminal  $A$  and skips input till synch token or skips input until one of  $\text{FIRST}(A)$  is found

# Phrase-Level Recovery

Change input stream by inserting missing tokens  
 For example: **id id** is changed into **id \* id**

Pro: Can be automated  
 Cons: Recovery not always intuitive

Can then continue here

	id	+	*	(	)	\$
E	$E \rightarrow T E_R$			$E \rightarrow T E_R$	synch	synch
$E_R$		$E_R \rightarrow + T E_R$			$E_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$E_R \rightarrow \epsilon$
T	$T \rightarrow F T_R$	synch		$T \rightarrow F T_R$	synch	synch
$T_R$	insert *	$T_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow * F T_R$		$T_R \rightarrow \epsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow \epsilon$
F	$F \rightarrow id$	synch	synch	$F \rightarrow ( E )$	synch	synch

**insert \***: driver inserts missing \* and retries the production

# Error Productions

$$E \rightarrow TE_R$$

$$E_R \rightarrow +TE_R \mid \varepsilon$$

$$T \rightarrow FT_R$$

$$T_R \rightarrow *FT_R \mid \varepsilon$$

$$F \rightarrow (E) \mid \text{id}$$

Add "error production":

$$T_R \rightarrow FT_R$$

to ignore missing \*, e.g.: **id id**

Pro: Powerful recovery method

Cons: Cannot be automated

	id	+	*	(	)	\$
E	$E \rightarrow TE_R$			$E \rightarrow TE_R$	synch	synch
$E_R$		$E_R \rightarrow +TE_R$			$E_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$E_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
T	$T \rightarrow FT_R$	synch		$T \rightarrow FT_R$	synch	synch
$T_R$	$T_R \rightarrow FT_R$	$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow *FT_R$		$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$	$T_R \rightarrow \varepsilon$
F	$F \rightarrow \text{id}$	synch	synch	$F \rightarrow (E)$	synch	synch

# Bottom-Up Parsing

- LR methods (Left-to-right, Rightmost derivation)
  - SLR, Canonical LR, LALR
- Other special cases:
  - Shift-reduce parsing
  - Operator-precedence parsing

# Operator-Precedence Parsing

- Special case of shift-reduce parsing
- We will not further discuss (you can skip textbook section 4.6)

# Shift-Reduce Parsing

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow a A B e$

$A \rightarrow A b c \mid b$

$B \rightarrow d$

Reducing a sentence:

a b b c d e

a A b c d e

a A d e

a A B e

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Shift-reduce corresponds to a rightmost derivation:

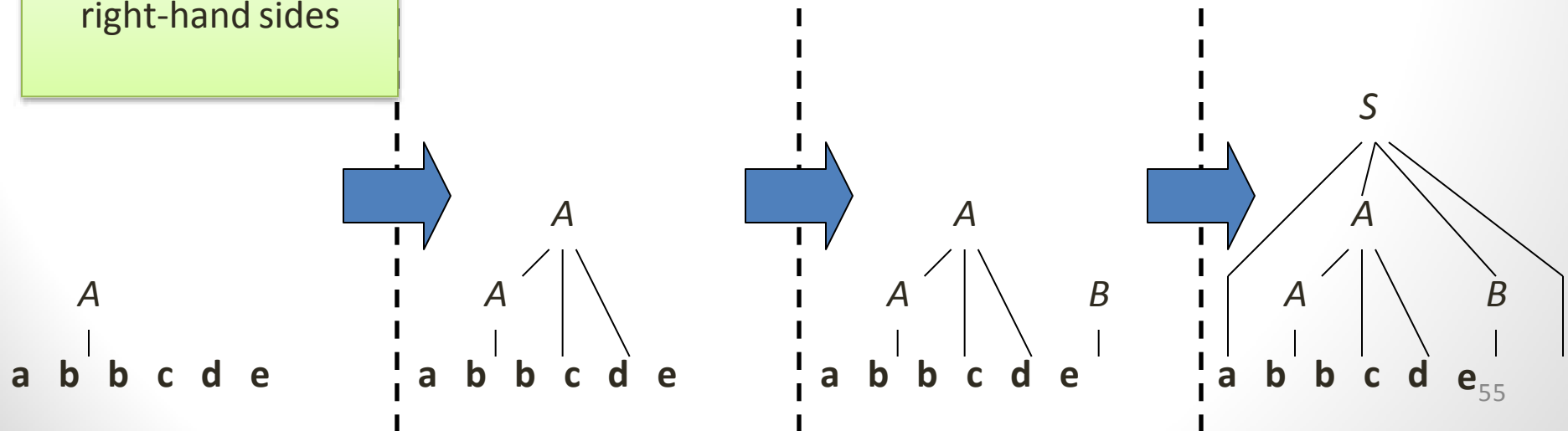
$S \Rightarrow_{rm} a A B e$

$\Rightarrow_{rm} a A d e$

$\Rightarrow_{rm} a A b c d e$

$\Rightarrow_{rm} a b b c d e$

These match production's right-hand sides





# Handles

*A handle is a substring of grammar symbols in a right-sentential form that matches a right-hand side of a production*

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow a A B e$

$A \rightarrow A b c \mid b$

$B \rightarrow d$

a b b c d e

a A b c d e

a A d e

a A B e

S

Handle

a b b c d e

a A b c d e

a A A e

... ?

NOT a handle, because further reductions will fail (result is not a sentential form)

# Implementation of Shift-Reduce Parsing

Grammar:

$E \rightarrow E + E$

$E \rightarrow E * E$

$E \rightarrow ( E )$

$E \rightarrow id$

Find handles to reduce

Stack	Input	Action
\$	id+id*id\$	shift
<u>\$id</u>	+id*id\$	reduce $E \rightarrow id$
\$E	+id*id\$	shift
\$E+	id*id\$	shift
<u>\$E+id</u>	*id\$	reduce $E \rightarrow id$
\$E+E	*id\$	shift (or reduce?)
\$E+E*	id\$	shift
<u>\$E+E*id</u>	\$	reduce $E \rightarrow id$
<u>\$E+E*E</u>	\$	reduce $E \rightarrow E * E$
<u>\$E+E</u>	\$	reduce $E \rightarrow E + E$
\$E	\$	accept

How to resolve conflicts?

# Conflicts

- *Shift-reduce* and *reduce-reduce* conflicts are caused by
  - The limitations of the LR parsing method (even when the grammar is unambiguous)
  - Ambiguity of the grammar

# Shift-Reduce Parsing: Shift- Reduce Conflicts

Ambiguous grammar:  
 $S \rightarrow$  **if**  $E$  **then**  $S$   
| **if**  $E$  **then**  $S$  **else**  $S$   
| **other**

Resolve in favor  
of shift, so **else**  
matches closest **if**

Stack	Input	Action
$\$ \dots$ $\$ \dots$ <b>if</b> $E$ <b>then</b> $S$	$\dots \$$ <b>else</b> $\dots \$$	$\dots$ shift or reduce?

# Shift-Reduce Parsing: Reduce- Reduce Conflicts

Grammar:

$C \rightarrow A B$

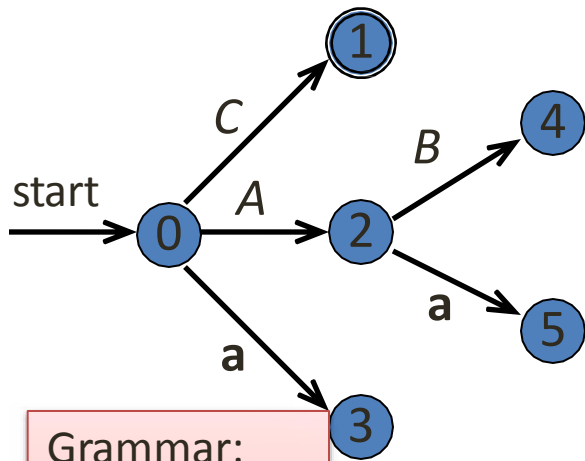
$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

Resolve in favor  
of reduce  $A \rightarrow a$ ,  
otherwise we're stuck!

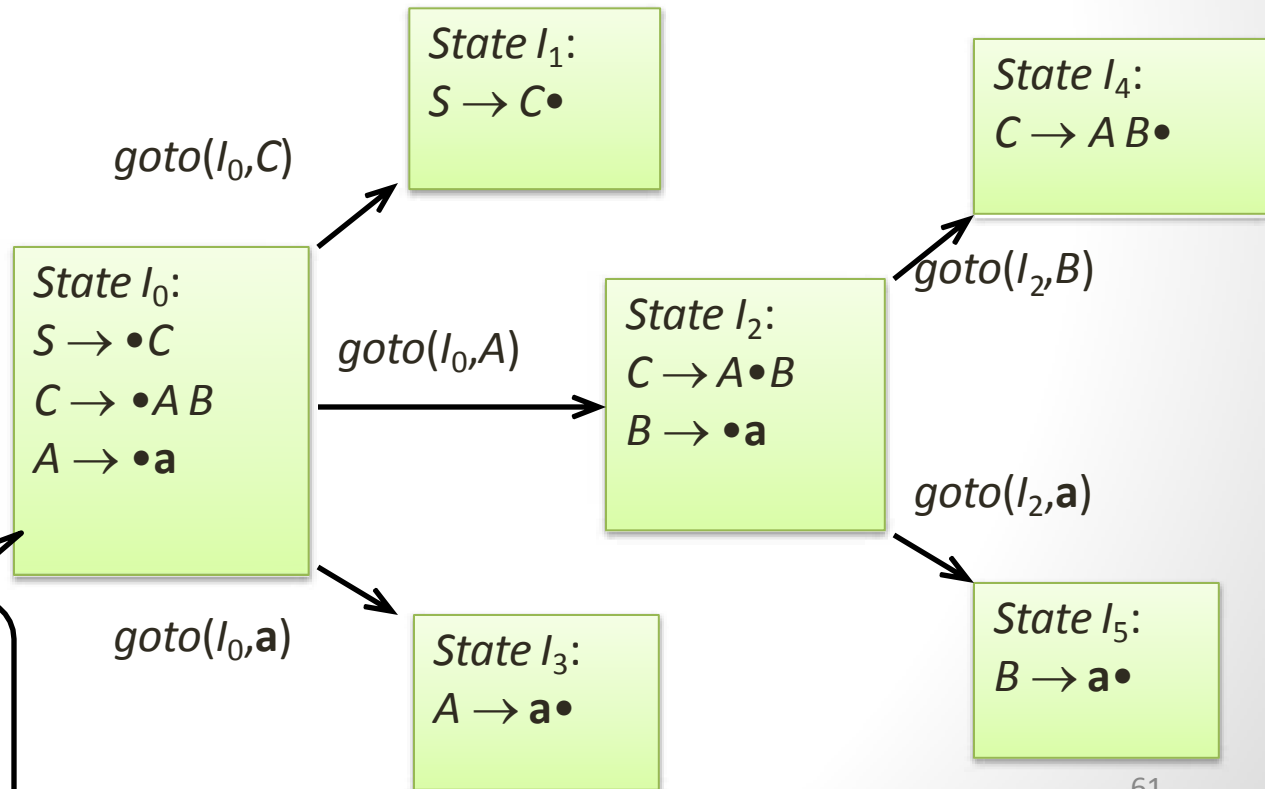
Stack	Input	Action
\$	aa\$	shift
\$ <u>a</u>	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ <u>or</u> $B \rightarrow a$ ?

# LR( $k$ ) Parsers: Use a DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions



Grammar:  
 $S \rightarrow C$   
 $C \rightarrow AB$   
 $A \rightarrow a$   
 $B \rightarrow a$

Can only reduce  $A \rightarrow a$   
 (not  $B \rightarrow a$ )



# DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

The states of the DFA are used to determine if a handle is on top of the stack

State  $I_0$ :

$S \rightarrow \bullet C$

$C \rightarrow \bullet AB$

$A \rightarrow \bullet a$

$goto(I_0, a)$

State  $I_3$ :

$A \rightarrow a \bullet$

Stack	Input	Action
\$ 0	aa\$	start in state 0
\$ <u>0</u>	<u>aa</u> \$	shift (and goto state 3)
\$ 0 a 3	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ (goto 2)
\$ 0 A 2	a\$	shift (goto 5)
\$ 0 A 2 a 5	\$	reduce $B \rightarrow a$ (goto 4)
\$ 0 A 2 B 4	\$	reduce $C \rightarrow AB$ (goto 1)
\$ 0 C 1	\$	accept ( $S \rightarrow C$ )

# DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

The states of the DFA are used to determine if a handle is on top of the stack

State  $I_0$ :

$S \rightarrow \bullet C$

$C \rightarrow \bullet AB$

$A \rightarrow \bullet a$

$\text{goto}(I_0, A)$

State  $I_2$ :

$C \rightarrow A \bullet B$

$B \rightarrow \bullet a$

Stack	Input	Action
\$ 0	aa\$	start in state 0
\$ 0	aa\$	shift (and goto state 3)
\$ 0 a 3	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ (goto 2)
\$ 0 A 2	a\$	shift (goto 5)
\$ 0 A 2 a 5	\$	reduce $B \rightarrow a$ (goto 4)
\$ 0 A 2 B 4	\$	reduce $C \rightarrow AB$ (goto 1)
\$ 0 C 1	\$	accept ( $S \rightarrow C$ )



# DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

The states of the DFA are used to determine if a handle is on top of the stack

Stack	Input	Action
\$ 0	aa\$	start in state 0
\$ 0	aa\$	shift (and goto state 3)
\$ 0 a 3	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ (goto 2)
\$ 0 A <u>2</u>	<u>a</u> \$	shift (goto 5)
\$ 0 A 2 a 5	\$	reduce $B \rightarrow a$ (goto 4)
\$ 0 A 2 B 4	\$	reduce $C \rightarrow AB$ (goto 1)
\$ 0 C 1	\$	accept ( $S \rightarrow C$ )

State  $I_2$ :

$C \rightarrow A \bullet B$

$B \rightarrow \bullet a$

goto( $I_2, a$ )

State  $I_5$ :

$B \rightarrow a \bullet$

# DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

The states of the DFA are used to determine if a handle is on top of the stack

Stack	Input	Action
\$ 0	aa\$	start in state 0
\$ 0	aa\$	shift (and goto state 3)
\$ 0 a 3	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ (goto 2)
\$ 0 A 2	a\$	shift (goto 5)
\$ 0 A <u>2</u> a 5	\$	reduce $B \rightarrow a$ (goto 4)
\$ 0 A 2 B 4	\$	reduce $C \rightarrow AB$ (goto 1)
\$ 0 C 1	\$	accept ( $S \rightarrow C$ )

State  $I_2$ :

$C \rightarrow A \bullet B$

$B \rightarrow \bullet a$

goto( $I_2, B$ )

State  $I_4$ :

$C \rightarrow AB \bullet$

# DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

The states of the DFA are used to determine if a handle is on top of the stack

Stack	Input	Action
\$ 0	aa\$	start in state 0
\$ 0	aa\$	shift (and goto state 3)
\$ 0 a 3	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ (goto 2)
\$ 0 A 2	a\$	shift (goto 5)
\$ 0 A 2 a 5	\$	reduce $B \rightarrow a$ (goto 4)
\$ 0 A 2 B 4	\$	reduce $C \rightarrow AB$ (goto 1)
\$ 0 C 1	\$	accept ( $S \rightarrow C$ )

State  $I_0$ :

$S \rightarrow \bullet C$

$C \rightarrow \bullet AB$

$A \rightarrow \bullet a$

goto( $I_0, C$ )

State  $I_1$ :

$S \rightarrow C \bullet$

# DFA for Shift/Reduce Decisions

Grammar:

$S \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow a$

$B \rightarrow a$

The states of the DFA are used to determine if a handle is on top of the stack

Stack	Input	Action
\$ 0	aa\$	start in state 0
\$ 0	aa\$	shift (and goto state 3)
\$ 0 a 3	a\$	reduce $A \rightarrow a$ (goto 2)
\$ 0 A 2	a\$	shift (goto 5)
\$ 0 A 2 a 5	\$	reduce $B \rightarrow a$ (goto 4)
\$ 0 A 2 B 4	\$	reduce $C \rightarrow AB$ (goto 1)
\$ 0 C <u>1</u>	<u>\$</u>	accept ( $S \rightarrow C$ )

State  $I_0$ :

$S \rightarrow \bullet C$

$C \rightarrow \bullet AB$

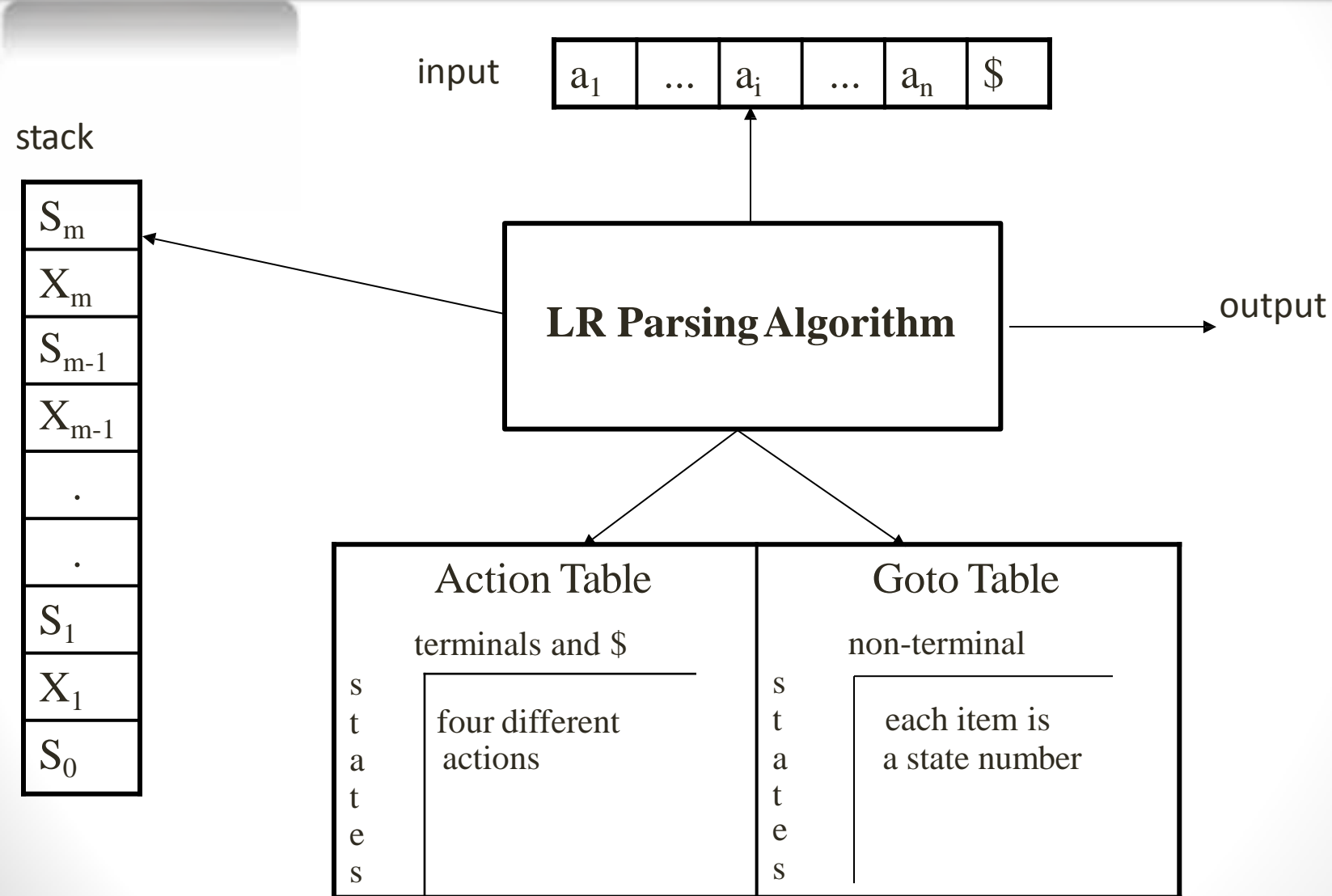
$A \rightarrow \bullet a$

$goto(I_0, C)$

State  $I_1$ :

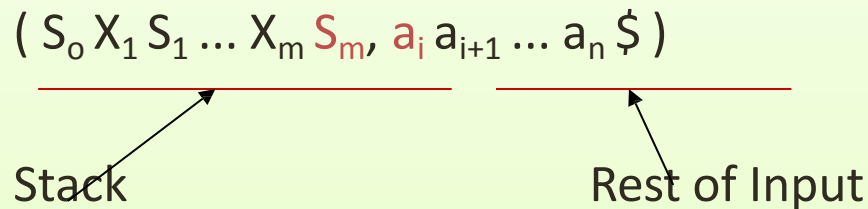
$S \rightarrow C \bullet$

# Model of an LR Parser



# A Configuration of LR Parsing Algorithm

- A configuration of a LR parsing is:



- $S_m$  and  $a_i$  decides the parser action by consulting the parsing action table.  
(*Initial Stack* contains just  $S_0$ )
- A configuration of a LR parsing represents the right sentential form:

$$X_1 \dots X_m a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_n \$$$

# Actions of A LR-Parser

1. **shift s** -- shifts the next input symbol and the state **s** onto the stack

$( S_0 X_1 S_1 \dots X_m S_m, a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_n \$ ) \rightarrow ( S_0 X_1 S_1 \dots X_m S_m a_i s, a_{i+1} \dots a_n \$ )$

2. **reduce  $A \rightarrow \beta$**  (or **rn** where n is a production number)

– pop  $2|\beta| (=r)$  items from the stack;

– then push **A** and **s** where **s=goto[s<sub>m-r</sub>,A]**

$( S_0 X_1 S_1 \dots X_m S_m, a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_n \$ ) \rightarrow ( S_0 X_1 S_1 \dots X_{m-r} S_{m-r} A s, a_i \dots a_n \$ )$

– Output is the reducing production reduce  $A \rightarrow \beta$

2. **Accept** – Parsing successfully completed

3. **Error** -- Parser detected an error (an empty entry in the action table)

# Reduce Action

- pop  $2|\beta|$  ( $=r$ ) items from the stack; let us assume that  $\beta = Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_r$
- then push  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{s}$  where  $\mathbf{s} = \text{goto}[\mathbf{s}_{m-r}, \mathbf{A}]$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & ( S_0 X_1 S_1 \dots X_{m-r} S_{m-r} Y_1 S_{m-r+1} \dots Y_r S_m, a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_n \$ ) \\
 & \quad \rightarrow ( S_0 X_1 S_1 \dots X_{m-r} S_{m-r} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{s}, a_i \dots a_n \$ )
 \end{aligned}$$

- In fact,  $Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_r$  is a handle.

$$X_1 \dots X_{m-r} \mathbf{A} a_i \dots a_n \$ \Rightarrow X_1 \dots X_m Y_1 \dots Y_r a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_n \$$$



# (SLR) Parsing Tables for Expression Grammar

Action Table

Goto Table

- 1)  $E \rightarrow E+T$
- 2)  $E \rightarrow T$
- 3)  $T \rightarrow T * F$
- 4)  $T \rightarrow F$  5)  $F \rightarrow (E)$
- 6)  $F \rightarrow id$

state	id	+	*	(	)	\$		E	T	F
0	s5			s4				1	2	3
1		s6				acc				
2		r2	s7		r2	r2				
3		r4	r4		r4	r4				
4	s5			s4				8	2	3
5		r6	r6		r6	r6				
6	s5			s4					9	3
7	s5			s4						10
8		s6			s11					
9		r1	s7		r1	r1				
10		r3	r3		r3	r3				
11		r5	r5		r5	r5				

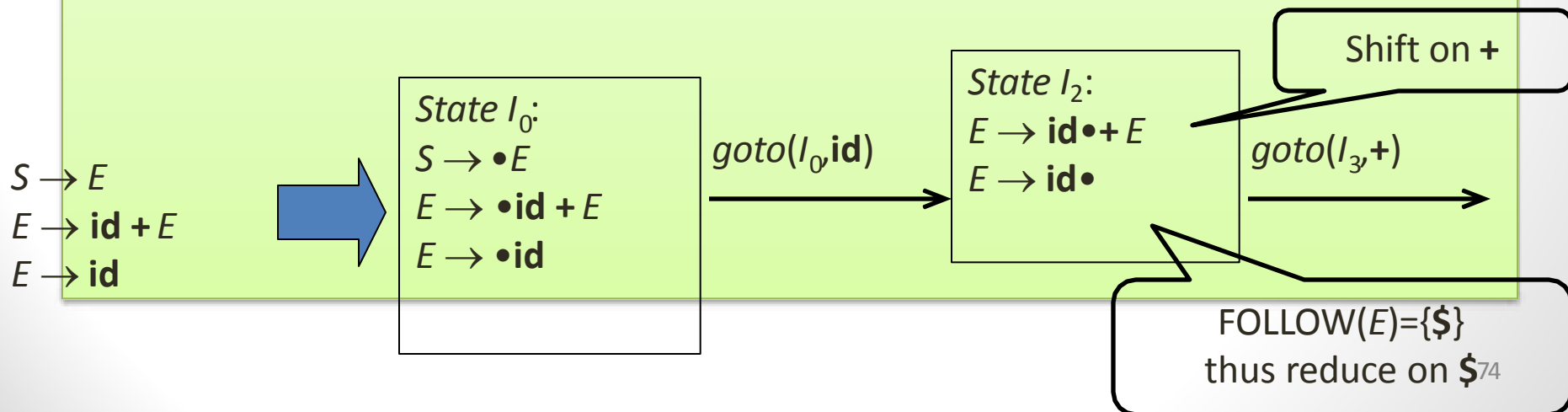
# Actions of A (S)LR-Parser --

## Example

<u>stack</u>	<u>input</u>	<u>action</u>	<u>output</u>
0	id*id+id\$	shift 5	
0id5	*id+id\$	reduce by $F \rightarrow id$	$F \rightarrow id$
0F3	*id+id\$	reduce by $T \rightarrow F$	$T \rightarrow F$
0T2	*id+id\$	shift 7	
0T2*7	id+id\$	shift 5	
0T2*7id5	+id\$	reduce by $F \rightarrow id$	$F \rightarrow id$
0T2*7F10	+id\$	reduce by $T \rightarrow T*FT \rightarrow T*F$	
0T2	+id\$	reduce by $E \rightarrow T$	$E \rightarrow T$
0E1	+id\$	shift 6	
0E1+6	id\$	shift 5	
0E1+6id5	\$	reduce by $F \rightarrow id$	$F \rightarrow id$
0E1+6F3\$		reduce by $T \rightarrow F$	$T \rightarrow F$
0E1+6T9\$		reduce by $E \rightarrow E+T$	$E \rightarrow E+T$
0E1	\$	accept	

# SLR Grammars

- SLR (Simple LR): a simple extension of LR(0) shift-reduce parsing
- SLR eliminates some conflicts by populating the parsing table with reductions  $A \rightarrow \alpha$  on symbols in  $\text{FOLLOW}(A)$



# SLR Parsing Table

- Reductions do not fill entire rows
- Otherwise the same as LR(0)

1.  $S \rightarrow E$
2.  $E \rightarrow \text{id} + E$
3.  $E \rightarrow \text{id}$

	id	+	\$	$E$
0	s2			1
1			acc	
2		s3	r3	
3	s2			4
4			r2	

Shift on +

FOLLOW( $E$ )={ $\$$ }  
thus reduce on  $\$$

# SLR Parsing

- An LR(0) state is a set of LR(0) items
- An LR(0) item is a production with a • (dot) in the right-hand side
- Build the LR(0) DFA by
  - *Closure operation* to construct LR(0) items
  - *Goto operation* to determine transitions
- Construct the SLR parsing table from the DFA
- LR parser program uses the SLR parsing table to determine shift/reduce operations

# LR(0) Items of a Grammar

- An *LR(0) item* of a grammar  $G$  is a production of  $G$  with a  $\bullet$  at some position of the right-hand side
- Thus, a production
$$A \rightarrow X Y Z$$
has four items:
$$[A \rightarrow \bullet X Y Z]$$
$$[A \rightarrow X \bullet Y Z]$$
$$[A \rightarrow X Y \bullet Z]$$
$$[A \rightarrow X Y Z \bullet]$$
- Note that production  $A \rightarrow \varepsilon$  has one item  $[A \rightarrow \bullet]$

# Constructing the set of LR(0)

## Items of a

## Grammar

1. The grammar is augmented with a new start symbol  $S'$  and production  $S' \rightarrow S$
2. Initially, set  $C = \text{closure}(\{[S' \rightarrow \bullet S]\})$   
(this is the start state of the DFA)
3. For each set of items  $I \in C$  and each grammar symbol  $X \in (N \cup T)$  such that  $\text{goto}(I, X) \notin C$  and  $\text{goto}(I, X) \neq \emptyset$ , add the set of items  $\text{goto}(I, X)$  to  $C$
4. Repeat 3 until no more sets can be added to  $C$

# The Closure Operation for LR(0) Items

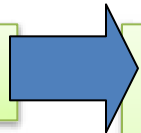
1. Initially, every LR(0) item in  $I$  is added to  $\text{closure}(I)$
2. If  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \beta] \in \text{closure}(I)$  then for each production  $B \rightarrow \gamma$  in the grammar, add the item  $[B \rightarrow \bullet \gamma]$  to  $I$  if not already in  $I$
3. Repeat 2 until no new items can be added



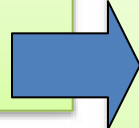
# The Closure Operation (Example)

$\text{closure}(\{[E' \rightarrow \bullet E]\}) =$

$\{[E' \rightarrow \bullet E]\}$



$\{[E' \rightarrow \bullet E]$   
 $[E \rightarrow \bullet E + T]$   
 $[E \rightarrow \bullet T]\}$



$\{[E' \rightarrow \bullet E]$   
 $[E \rightarrow \bullet E + T]$   
 $[E \rightarrow \bullet T]$   
 $[T \rightarrow \bullet T * F]$   
 $[T \rightarrow \bullet F]\}$



$\{[E' \rightarrow \bullet E]$   
 $[E \rightarrow \bullet E + T]$   
 $[E \rightarrow \bullet T]$   
 $[T \rightarrow \bullet T * F]$   
 $[T \rightarrow \bullet F]$   
 $[F \rightarrow \bullet (E)]$   
 $[F \rightarrow \bullet \text{id}]\}$

Add  $[E \rightarrow \bullet \gamma]$

Add  $[T \rightarrow \bullet \gamma]$

Add  $[F \rightarrow \bullet \gamma]$

Grammar:

$E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$

$T \rightarrow T * F \mid F$

$F \rightarrow ( E )$

$F \rightarrow \text{id}$

# The Goto Operation for LR(0) Items

1. For each item  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet X \beta] \in I$ , add the set of items  $\text{closure}(\{[A \rightarrow \alpha X \bullet \beta]\})$  to  $\text{goto}(I, X)$  if not already there
2. Repeat step 1 until no more items can be added to  $\text{goto}(I, X)$
3. Intuitively,  $\text{goto}(I, X)$  is the set of items that are valid for the viable prefix  $\gamma X$  when  $I$  is the set of items that are valid for  $\gamma$

# The Goto Operation (Example 1)

Suppose  $I =$

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{ [E' → • E]
  [E → • E + T]
  [E → • T]
  [T → • T * F]
  [T → • F]
  [F → • ( E )]
  [F → • id] }
```

Then  $goto(I, E)$   
 $= closure(\{[E' \rightarrow E \bullet, E \rightarrow E \bullet + T]\})$

```
= { [E' → E •]
    [E → E • + T] }
```

Grammar:

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E → E + T | T
T → T * F | F
F → ( E )
F → id
```

# The Goto Operation (Example 2)

Suppose  $I = \{ [E' \rightarrow E \bullet], [E \rightarrow E \bullet + T] \}$

Then  $goto(I, +) = closure(\{[E \rightarrow E + \bullet T]\}) =$

Grammar:

$E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$

$T \rightarrow T * F \mid F$

$F \rightarrow ( E )$

$F \rightarrow id$

$\{ [E \rightarrow E + \bullet T]$   
 $[T \rightarrow \bullet T * F]$   
 $[T \rightarrow \bullet F]$   
 $[F \rightarrow \bullet ( E )]$   
 $[F \rightarrow \bullet id] \}$

# Constructing SLR Parsing Tables

1. Augment the grammar with  $S' \rightarrow S$
2. Construct the set  $C = \{I_0, I_1, \dots, I_n\}$  of LR(0) items
3. If  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet a \beta] \in I_i$  and  $goto(I_i, a) = I_j$  then set  $action[i, a] = \text{shift } j$
4. If  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet] \in I_i$  then set  $action[i, a] = \text{reduce } A \rightarrow \alpha$  for all  $a \in FOLLOW(A)$  (apply only if  $A \neq S'$ )
5. If  $[S' \rightarrow S \bullet]$  is in  $I_i$  then set  $action[i, \$] = \text{accept}$
6. If  $goto(I_i, A) = I_j$  then set  $goto[i, A] = j$
7. Repeat 3-6 until no more entries added
8. The initial state  $i$  is the  $I_i$  holding item  $[S' \rightarrow \bullet S]$

# The Canonical LR(0)

## Collection --

### Example

$I_0: E' \rightarrow .E$

$E \rightarrow .E+T$

$E \rightarrow .T$

$T \rightarrow .T^*F$

$T \rightarrow .F$

$F \rightarrow .(E)$

$F \rightarrow .id$

$I_1: E' \rightarrow E.$

$E \rightarrow E.+T$

$I_2: E \rightarrow T.$

$T \rightarrow T.^*F$

$I_3: T \rightarrow F.$

$I_4: F \rightarrow (.E)$

$E \rightarrow .E+T$

$E \rightarrow .T$

$T \rightarrow .T^*F$

$T \rightarrow .F$

$F \rightarrow .(E)$

$F \rightarrow .id$

$I_6: E \rightarrow E+.T$

$T \rightarrow .T^*F$

$T \rightarrow .F$

$F \rightarrow .(E)$

$F \rightarrow .id$

$I_7: T \rightarrow T^*.F$

$F \rightarrow .(E)$

$F \rightarrow .id$

$I_8: F \rightarrow (E.)$

$E \rightarrow E.+T$

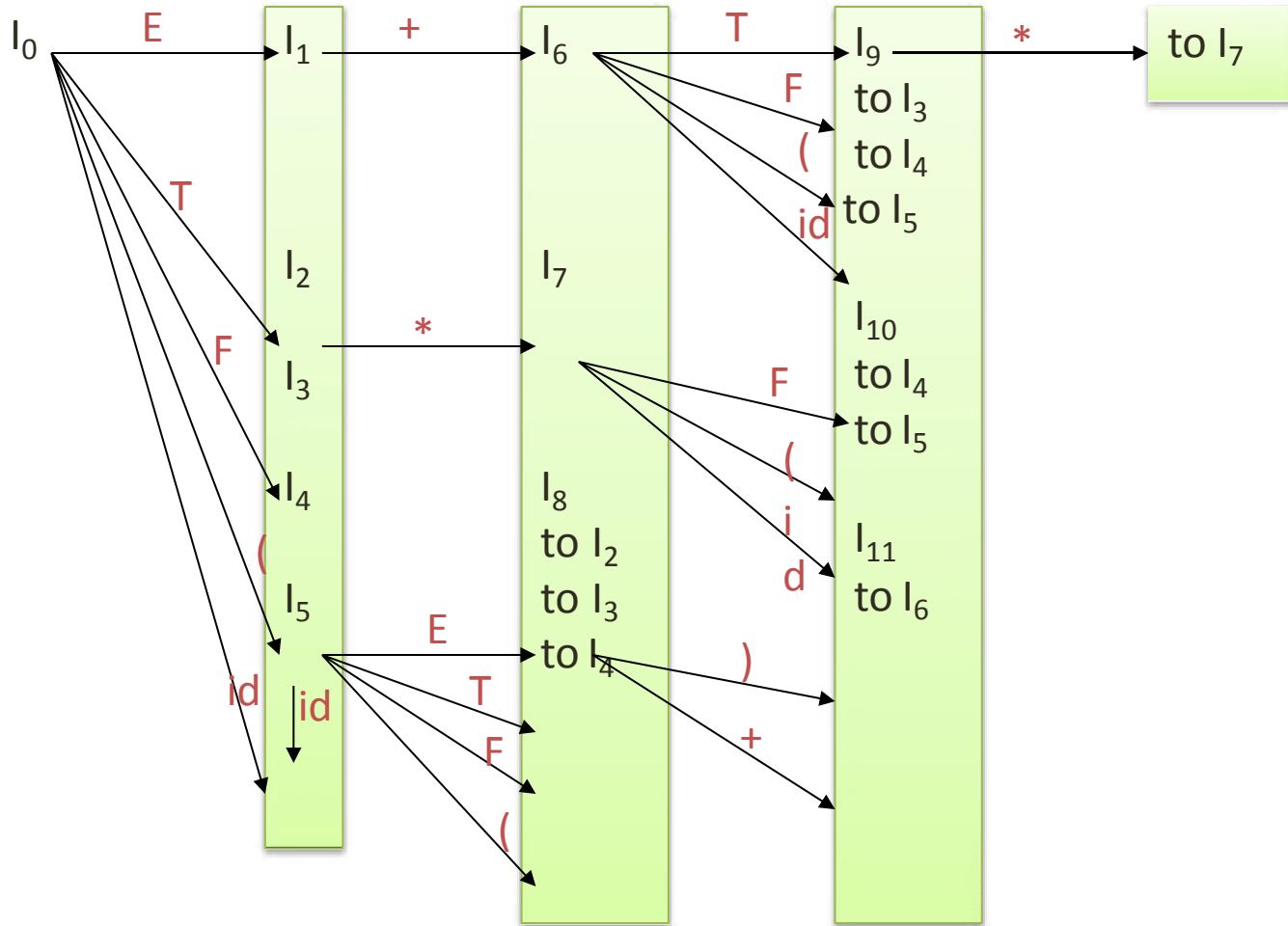
$I_9: E \rightarrow E+T.$

$T \rightarrow T.^*F$

$I_{10}: T \rightarrow T^*F.$

$I_{11}: F \rightarrow (E).$

# Transition Diagram (DFA) of Goto Function



# Example SLR Grammar and LR(0) Items

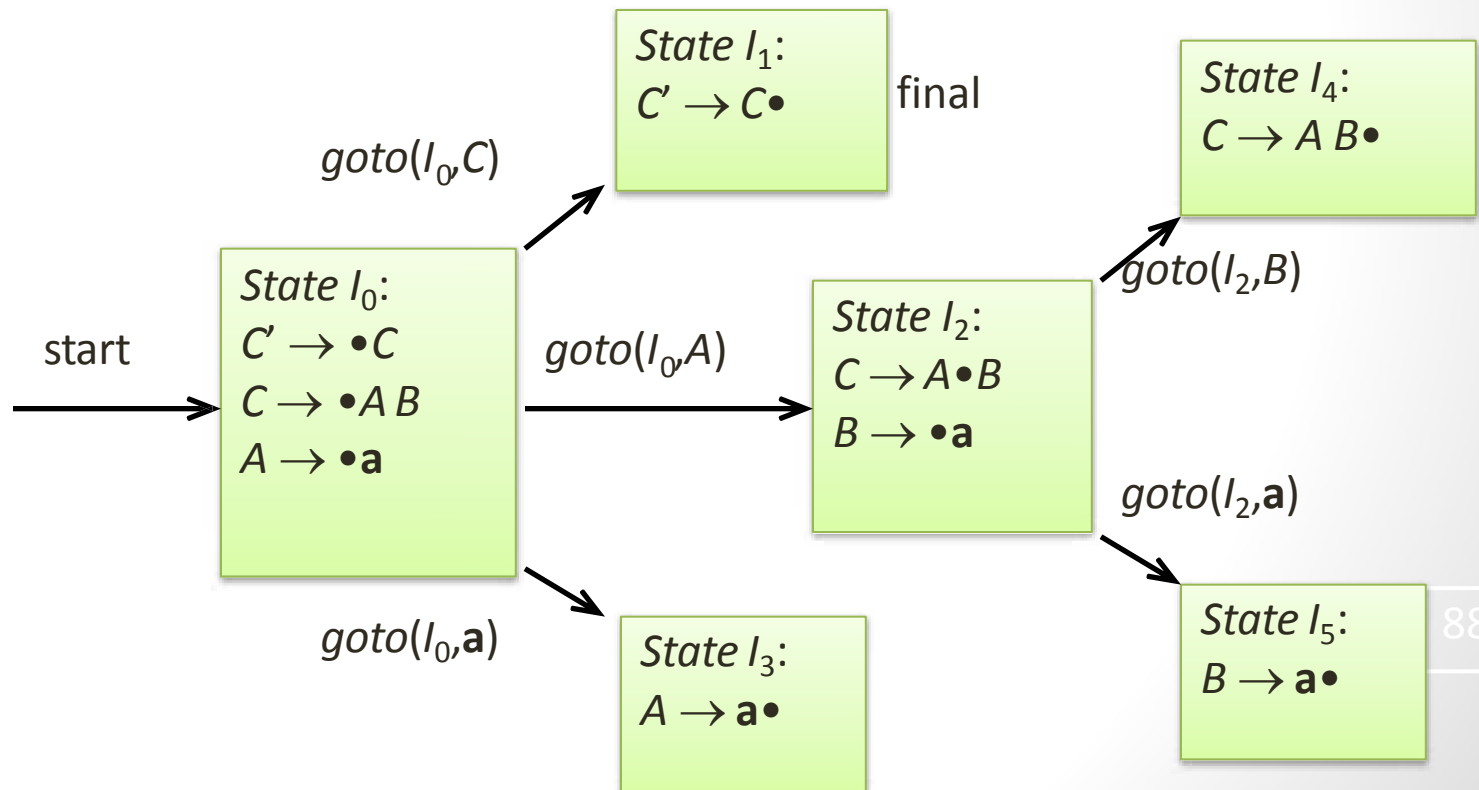
Augmented grammar:

1.  $C' \rightarrow C$
2.  $C \rightarrow AB$
3.  $A \rightarrow a$
4.  $B \rightarrow a$

$$I_0 = \text{closure}(\{[C' \rightarrow \bullet C]\})$$

$$I_1 = \text{goto}(I_0, C) = \text{closure}(\{[C' \rightarrow C \bullet]\})$$

...





# Example SLR Parsing Table

State  $I_0$ :  
 $C' \rightarrow \bullet C$   
 $C \rightarrow \bullet AB$   
 $A \rightarrow \bullet a$

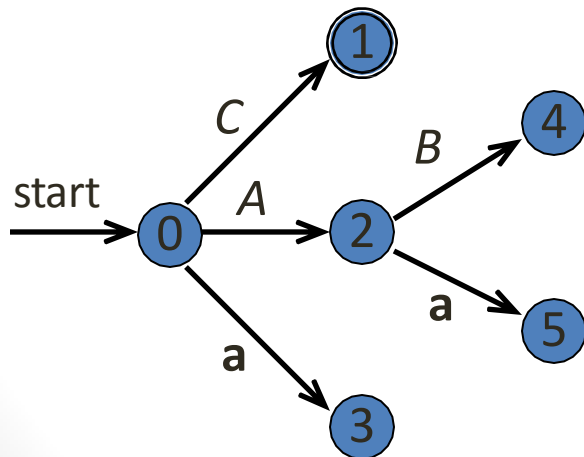
State  $I_1$ :  
 $C' \rightarrow C \bullet$

State  $I_2$ :  
 $C \rightarrow A \bullet B$   
 $B \rightarrow \bullet a$

State  $I_3$ :  
 $A \rightarrow a \bullet$

State  $I_4$ :  
 $C \rightarrow AB \bullet$

State  $I_5$ :  
 $B \rightarrow a \bullet$



	a	\$	C	A	B
0	s3		1	2	
1		acc			
2	s5				4
3	r3				
4		r2			
5		r4			

Grammar:  
 1.  $C' \rightarrow C$   
 2.  $C \rightarrow AB$   
 3.  $A \rightarrow a$   
 4.  $B \rightarrow a$

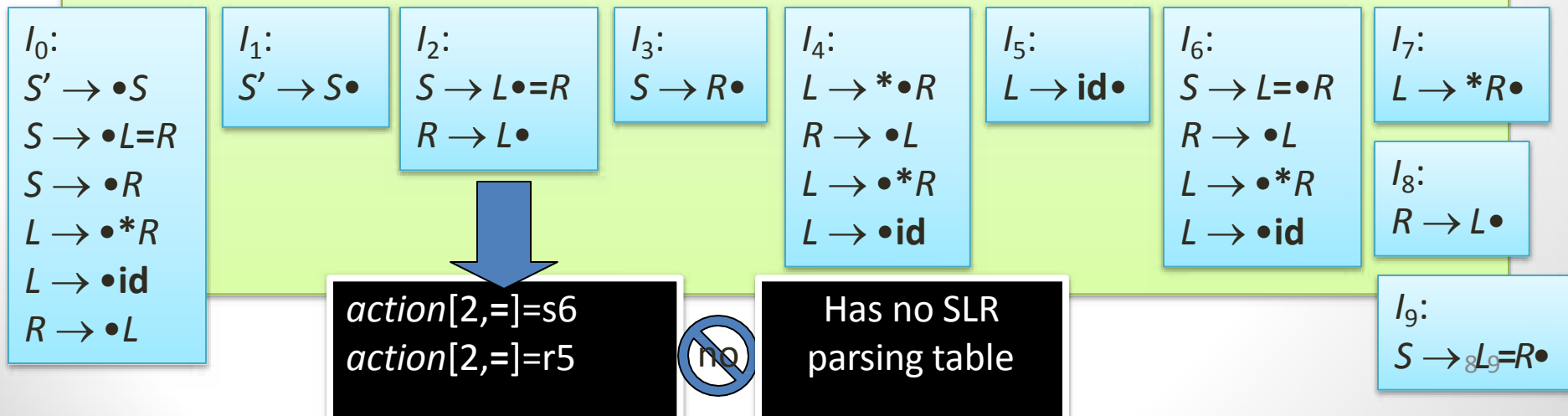
# SLR and Ambiguity

- Every SLR grammar is unambiguous, but **not** every unambiguous grammar is SLR
- Consider for example the unambiguous grammar

$$S \rightarrow L = R \mid R$$

$$L \rightarrow * R \mid \text{id}$$

$$R \rightarrow L$$



# LR(1) Grammars

- SLR too simple
- LR(1) parsing uses lookahead to avoid unnecessary conflicts in parsing table
- LR(1) item = LR(0) item + lookahead

LR(0) item:  
 $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet \beta]$

LR(1) item:  
 $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet \beta, a]$

# SLR Versus LR(1)

- Split the SLR states by adding LR(1) lookahead
- Unambiguous grammar

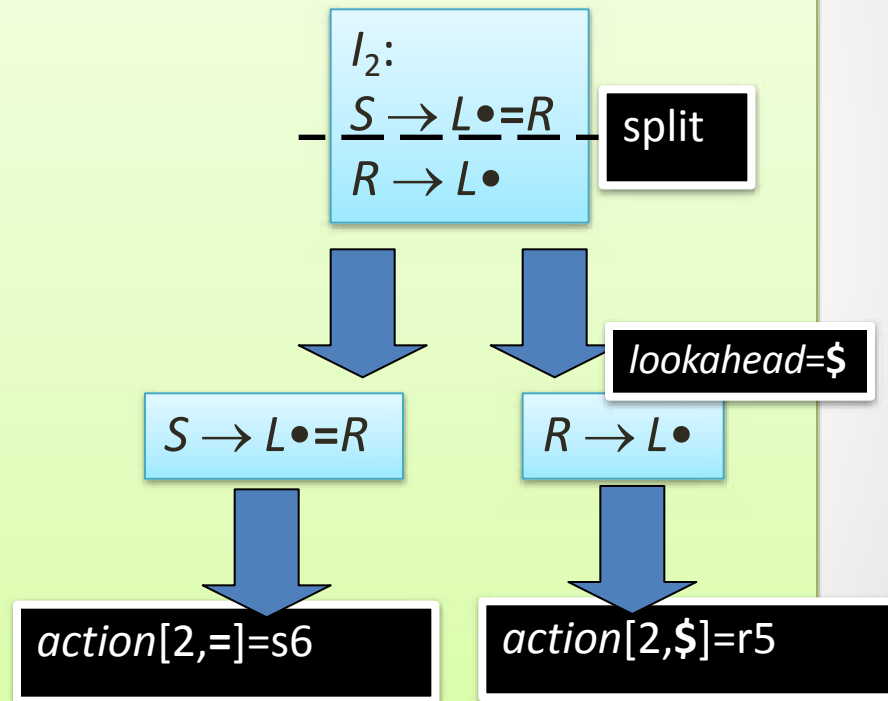
1.  $S \rightarrow L = R$

2.     |  $R$

3.  $L \rightarrow * R$

4.     |  $id$

5.  $R \rightarrow L$



Should not reduce on =, because no right-sentential form begins with  $R=$

# LR(1) Items

- An *LR(1) item*  
 $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet \beta, a]$   
contains a *lookahead* terminal  $a$ , meaning  $\alpha$  already on top of the stack, expect to see  $\beta a$
- For items of the form  
 $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet, a]$   
the lookahead  $a$  is used to reduce  $A \rightarrow \alpha$  only if the next input is  $a$
- For items of the form  
 $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet \beta, a]$   
with  $\beta \neq \varepsilon$  the lookahead has no effect

# The Closure Operation for LR(1) Items

1. Start with  $\text{closure}(I) = I$
2. If  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \beta, a] \in \text{closure}(I)$  then for each production  $B \rightarrow \gamma$  in the grammar and each terminal  $b \in \text{FIRST}(\beta a)$ , add the item  $[B \rightarrow \bullet \gamma, b]$  to  $I$  if not already in  $I$
3. Repeat 2 until no new items can be added

# The Goto Operation for LR(1) Items

1. For each item  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet X \beta, a] \in I$ , add the set of items  $\text{closure}(\{[A \rightarrow \alpha X \bullet \beta, a]\})$  to  $\text{goto}(I, X)$  if not already there
2. Repeat step 1 until no more items can be added to  $\text{goto}(I, X)$

# Constructing the set of LR(1)

## Items of a

## Grammar

1. Augment the grammar with a new start symbol  $S'$  and production  $S' \rightarrow S$
2. Initially, set  $C = \text{closure}(\{[S' \rightarrow \bullet S, \$]\})$   
(this is the start state of the DFA)
3. For each set of items  $I \in C$  and each grammar symbol  $X \in (N \cup T)$  such that  $\text{goto}(I, X) \notin C$  and  $\text{goto}(I, X) \neq \emptyset$ , add the set of items  $\text{goto}(I, X)$  to  $C$
4. Repeat 3 until no more sets can be added to  $C$



# Example Grammar and LR(1) Items

- Unambiguous LR(1) grammar:

$$S \rightarrow L = R$$

$$| R$$

$$L \rightarrow * R$$

$$| \mathbf{id}$$

$$R \rightarrow L$$

- Augment with  $S' \rightarrow S$
- LR(1) items (next slide)

$l_0$ :  $[S' \rightarrow \bullet S,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_0, S$ )= $l_1$   
 $[S \rightarrow \bullet L=R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_0, L$ )= $l_2$   
 $[S \rightarrow \bullet R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_0, R$ )= $l_3$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R,$        $=/\$]$  goto( $l_0, *$ )= $l_4$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id,$        $=/\$]$  goto( $l_0, id$ )= $l_5$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_0, L$ )= $l_2$

$l_1$ :  $[S' \rightarrow S\bullet,$        $\$]$

$l_2$ :  $[S \rightarrow L\bullet=R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_0, =$ )= $l_6$   
 $[R \rightarrow L\bullet,$        $\$]$

$l_3$ :  $[S \rightarrow R\bullet,$        $\$]$

$l_4$ :  $[L \rightarrow *\bullet R,$        $=/\$]$  goto( $l_4, R$ )= $l_7$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L,$        $=/\$]$  goto( $l_4, L$ )= $l_8$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R,$        $=/\$]$  goto( $l_4, *$ )= $l_4$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id,$        $=/\$]$  goto( $l_4, id$ )= $l_5$

$l_5$ :  $[L \rightarrow id\bullet,$        $=/\$]$

$l_6$ :  $[S \rightarrow L=\bullet R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_6, R$ )= $l_9$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_6, L$ )= $l_{10}$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_6, *$ )= $l_{11}$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_6, id$ )= $l_{12}$

$l_7$ :  $[L \rightarrow *R\bullet,$        $=/\$]$

$l_8$ :  $[R \rightarrow L\bullet,$        $=/\$]$

$l_9$ :  $[S \rightarrow L=R\bullet,$        $\$]$

$l_{10}$ :  $[R \rightarrow L\bullet,$        $\$]$

$l_{11}$ :  $[L \rightarrow *\bullet R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_{11}, R$ )= $l_{13}$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_{11}, L$ )= $l_{10}$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_{11}, *$ )= $l_{11}$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id,$        $\$]$  goto( $l_{11}, id$ )= $l_{12}$

$l_{12}$ :  $[L \rightarrow id\bullet,$        $\$]$

$l_{13}$ :  $[L \rightarrow *R\bullet,$        $\$]$

# Constructing Canonical LR(1) Parsing Tables

1. Augment the grammar with  $S' \rightarrow S$
2. Construct the set  $C = \{I_0, I_1, \dots, I_n\}$  of LR(1) items
3. If  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet a \beta, b] \in I_i$  and  $goto(I_i, a) = I_j$  then set  $action[i, a] = \text{shift } j$
4. If  $[A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet, a] \in I_i$  then set  $action[i, a] = \text{reduce } A \rightarrow \alpha$  (apply only if  $A \neq S'$ )
5. If  $[S' \rightarrow S \bullet, \$]$  is in  $I_i$  then set  $action[i, \$] = \text{accept}$
6. If  $goto(I_i, A) = I_j$  then set  $goto[i, A] = j$
7. Repeat 3-6 until no more entries added
8. The initial state  $i$  is the  $I_i$  holding item  $[S' \rightarrow \bullet S, \$]$

# Example LR(1) Parsing Table

Grammar:

1.  $S' \rightarrow S$
2.  $S \rightarrow L = R$
3.  $S \rightarrow R$
4.  $L \rightarrow * R$
5.  $L \rightarrow \mathbf{id}$
6.  $R \rightarrow L$

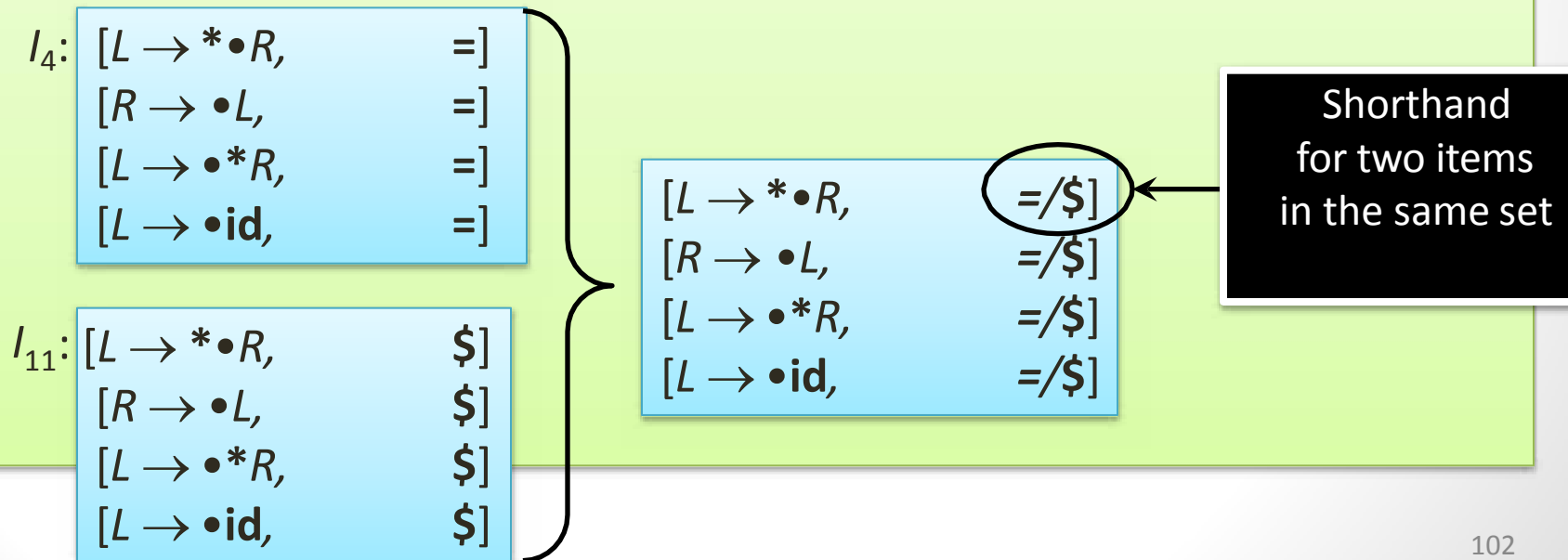
	id	*	=	\$	<i>S</i>	<i>L</i>	<i>R</i>
0	s5	s4			1	2	3
1				acc			
2			s6	r6			
3				r3			
4	s5	s4				8	7
5			r5	r5			
6	s12	s11				10	4
7			r4	r4			
8			r6	r6			
9				r2			
10				r6			
11	s12	s11				10	13
12				r5			
13				r4			

# LALR(1) Grammars

- LR(1) parsing tables have many states
- LALR(1) parsing (Look-Ahead LR) combines LR(1) states to reduce table size
- Less powerful than LR(1)
  - Will not introduce shift-reduce conflicts, because shifts do not use lookaheads
  - May introduce reduce-reduce conflicts, but seldom do so for grammars of programming languages

# Constructing LALR(1) Parsing Tables

1. Construct sets of LR(1) items
2. Combine LR(1) sets with sets of items that share the same first part



# Example LALR(1) Grammar

- Unambiguous LR(1) grammar:

$$S \rightarrow L = R$$
$$| R$$
$$L \rightarrow * R$$
$$| \mathbf{id}$$
$$R \rightarrow L$$

- Augment with  $S' \rightarrow S$
- LALR(1) items (next slide)

$I_0: [S' \rightarrow \bullet S, \$]$  goto( $I_0, S$ )= $I_1$   
 $[S \rightarrow \bullet L=R, \$]$  goto( $I_0, L$ )= $I_2$   
 $[S \rightarrow \bullet R, \$]$  goto( $I_0, R$ )= $I_3$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R, =/\$]$  goto( $I_0, *$ )= $I_4$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id, =/\$]$  goto( $I_0, id$ )= $I_5$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L, \$]$  goto( $I_0, L$ )= $I_2$   
goto( $I_0, =$ )= $I_6$

$I_1: [S' \rightarrow S \bullet, \$]$

$I_2: [S \rightarrow L \bullet =R, \$]$   
 $[R \rightarrow L \bullet, \$]$

$I_3: [S \rightarrow R \bullet, \$]$

$I_4: [L \rightarrow * \bullet R, =/\$]$  goto( $I_4, R$ )= $I_7$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L, =/\$]$  goto( $I_4, L$ )= $I_9$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R, =/\$]$  goto( $I_4, *$ )= $I_4$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id, =/\$]$  goto( $I_4, id$ )= $I_5$

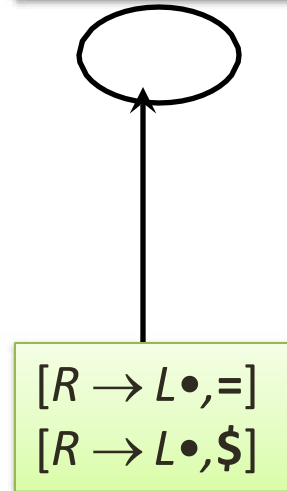
$I_5: [L \rightarrow id \bullet, =/\$]$

$I_6: [S \rightarrow L = \bullet R, \$]$  goto( $I_6, R$ )= $I_8$   
 $[R \rightarrow \bullet L, \$]$  goto( $I_6, L$ )= $I_9$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet *R, \$]$  goto( $I_6, *$ )= $I_4$   
 $[L \rightarrow \bullet id, \$]$  goto( $I_6, id$ )= $I_5$

$I_7: [L \rightarrow *R \bullet, =/\$]$

$I_8: [S \rightarrow L = R \bullet, \$]$

$I_9: [R \rightarrow L \bullet, =/\$]$





# Example LALR(1) Parsing Table

Grammar:

1.  $S' \rightarrow S$
2.  $S \rightarrow L = R$
3.  $S \rightarrow R$
4.  $L \rightarrow * R$
5.  $L \rightarrow \mathbf{id}$
6.  $R \rightarrow L$

	<b>id</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>\$</b>	<i>S</i>	<i>L</i>	<i>R</i>
0	s5	s4			1	2	3
1				acc			
2			s6	r6			
3				r3			
4	s5	s4				9	7
5			r5	r5			
6	s5	s4				9	8
7			r4	r4			
8				r2			
9			r6	r6			

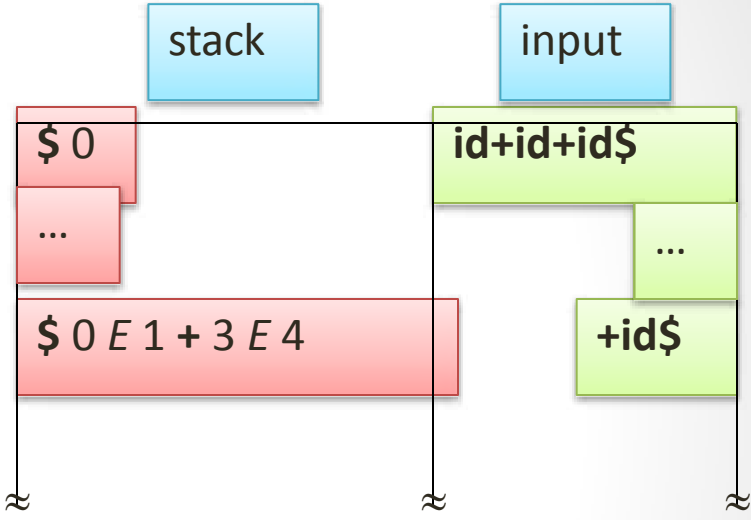
# LL, SLR, LR, LALR Summary

- LL parse tables computed using FIRST/FOLLOW
  - Nonterminals  $\times$  terminals  $\rightarrow$  productions
  - Computed using FIRST/FOLLOW
- LR parsing tables computed using closure/goto
  - LR states  $\times$  terminals  $\rightarrow$  shift/reduce actions
  - LR states  $\times$  nonterminals  $\rightarrow$  goto state transitions
- A grammar is
  - LL(1) if its LL(1) parse table has no conflicts
  - SLR if its SLR parse table has no conflicts
  - LALR(1) if its LALR(1) parse table has no conflicts
  - LR(1) if its LR(1) parse table has no conflicts

# Dealing with Ambiguous Grammars

- 1.  $S' \rightarrow E$
- 2.  $E \rightarrow E + E$
- 3.  $E \rightarrow id$

	id	+	\$	$E$
0	s2			1
1		s3	acc	
2		r3	r3	
3	s2			4
4		s3/r2	r2	



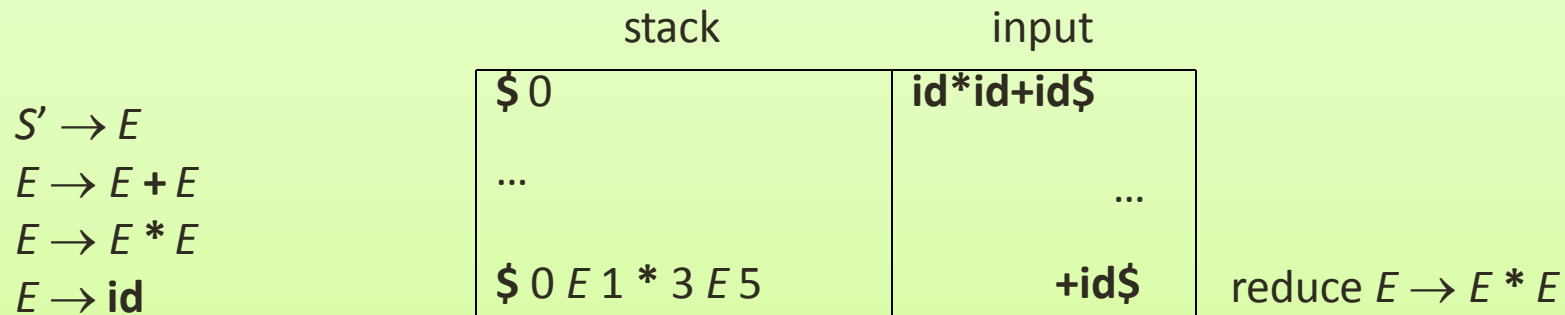
Shift/reduce conflict:  
 $action[4,+]$  = shift 4  
 $action[4,+]$  = reduce  $E \rightarrow E + E$

When shifting on +:  
 yields right associativity  
**id+(id+id)**

When reducing on +:  
 yields left associativity  
**(id+id)+id**

# Using Associativity and Precedence to Resolve Conflicts

- Left-associative operators: reduce
- Right-associative operators: shift
- Operator of higher precedence on stack: reduce
- Operator of lower precedence on stack: shift



# Error Detection in LR Parsing

- Canonical LR parser uses full LR(1) parse tables and will never make a single reduction before recognizing the error when a syntax error occurs on the input
- SLR and LALR may still reduce when a syntax error occurs on the input, but will never shift the erroneous input symbol

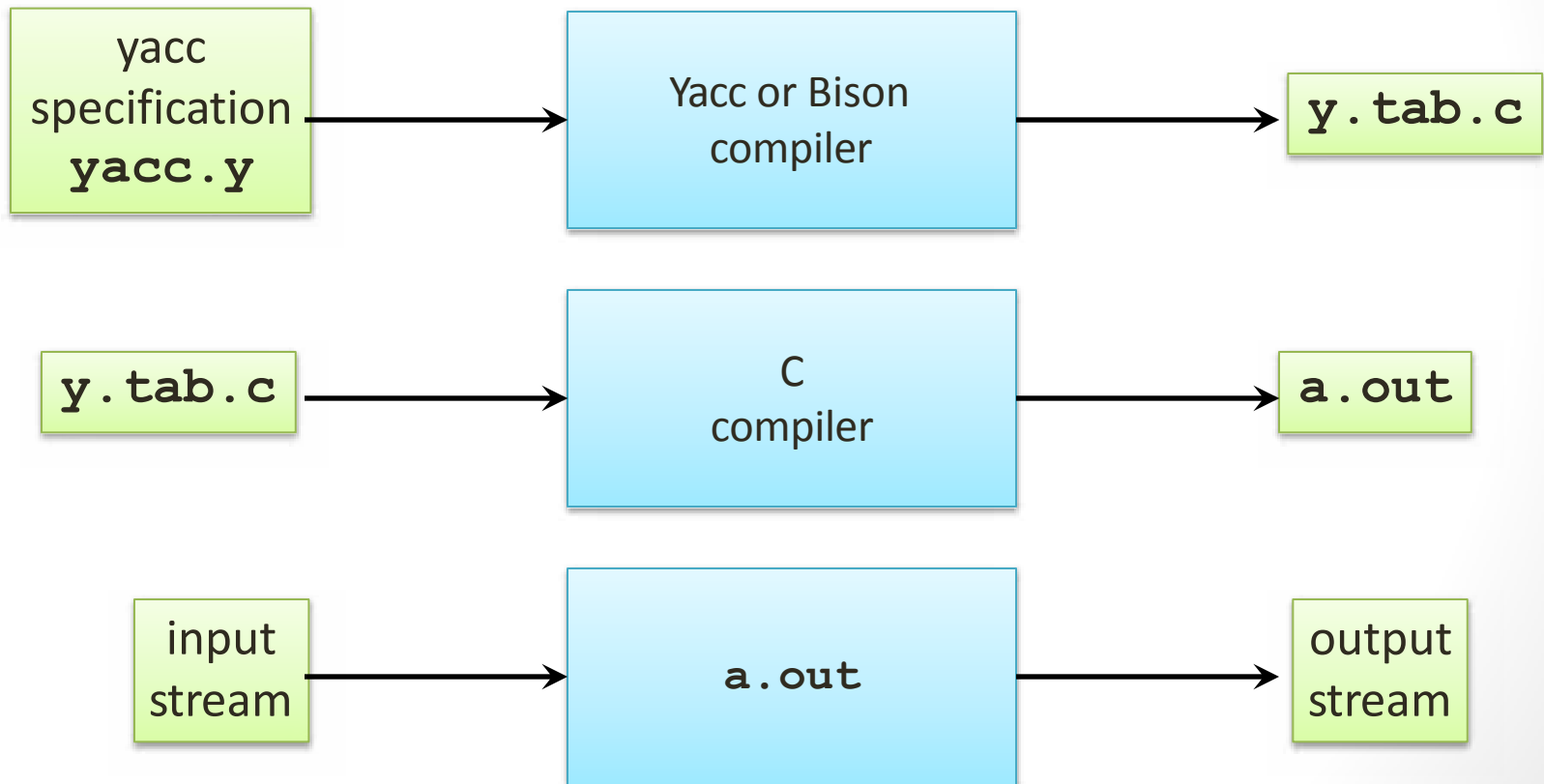
# Error Recovery in LR Parsing

- Panic mode
  - Pop until state with a goto on a nonterminal  $A$  is found, (where  $A$  represents a major programming construct), push  $A$
  - Discard input symbols until one is found in the FOLLOW set of  $A$
- Phrase-level recovery
  - Implement error routines for every error entry in table
- Error productions
  - Pop until state has error production, then shift on stack
  - Discard input until symbol is encountered that allows parsing to continue

# ANTLR, Yacc, and Bison

- *ANTLR* tool
  - Generates LL( $k$ ) parsers
- *Yacc* (Yet Another Compiler Compiler)
  - Generates LALR(1) parsers
- *Bison*
  - Improved version of Yacc

# Creating an LALR(1) Parser with Yacc/Bison





# Yacc Specification

- A *yacc specification* consists of three parts:
  - yacc declarations, and C declarations within* `% { % }`  
`%%`
  - translation rules*  
`%%`
  - user-defined auxiliary procedures*
- The *translation rules* are productions with actions:
  - production*<sub>1</sub> { *semantic action*<sub>1</sub> }
  - production*<sub>2</sub> { *semantic action*<sub>2</sub> }
  - ...
  - production*<sub>n</sub> { *semantic action*<sub>n</sub> }

# Writing a Grammar in Yacc

- Productions in Yacc are of the form

```
Nonterminal: tokens/nonterminals { action }
            | tokens/nonterminals { action }
            ...
            ;
```
- Tokens that are single characters can be used directly within productions, e.g. ``+'``
- Named tokens must be declared first in the declaration part using

```
%token TokenName
```

# Synthesized Attributes

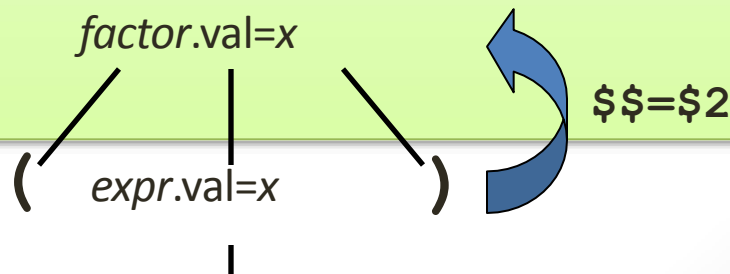
- Semantic actions may refer to values of the *synthesized attributes* of terminals and nonterminals in a production:

$$X : Y_1 Y_2 Y_3 \dots Y_n \quad \{ \textit{action} \}$$

- $\$\$$  refers to the value of the attribute of  $X$
- $\$i$  refers to the value of the attribute of  $Y_i$

- For example

**factor** : `' ( ' expr ' ) ' {  $\$\$=\$2$ ; }`



# Example 1

```
%{ #include <ctype.h> %}
```

```
%token DIGIT
```

```
%%
```

```
line      : expr '\n'          { printf("%d\n", $1); }  
          ;
```

```
expr      : expr '+' term     { $$ = $1 + $3; }  
          | term              { $$ = $1; }  
          ;
```

```
term      : term '*' factor   { $$ = $1 * $3; }  
          | factor            { $$ = $1; }  
          ;
```

```
factor    : '(' expr ')'     { $$ = $2; }  
          | DIGIT             { $$ = $1; }  
          ;
```

```
%%
```

```
int yylex()
```

```
{ int c = getchar();
```

```
  if (isdigit(c))
```

```
  { yylval = c - '0';
```

```
    return DIGIT;
```

```
  }
```

```
  return c;
```

```
}
```

Also results in definition of  
**#define DIGIT xxx**

Attribute of  
**term** (parent)

Attribute of **factor** (child)

Attribute of token  
(stored in **yylval**)

Example of a very crude lexical  
analyzer invoked by the parser

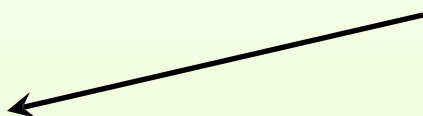
# Dealing With Ambiguous Grammars



# Example 2

```
%{
#include <ctype.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#define YYSTYPE double
%}
%token NUMBER
%left '+' '-'
%left '*' '/'
%right UMINUS
%%
lines  : lines expr '\n'      { printf("%g\n", $2); }
      | lines '\n'
      | /* empty */
      ;
expr   : expr '+' expr       { $$ = $1 + $3; }
      | expr '-' expr       { $$ = $1 - $3; }
      | expr '*' expr       { $$ = $1 * $3; }
      | expr '/' expr       { $$ = $1 / $3; }
      | '(' expr ')'        { $$ = $2; }
      | '-' expr %prec UMINUS { $$ = -$2; }
      | NUMBER
      ;
%%
```

Double type for attributes  
and `yylval`



# Example 2 (cont'd)

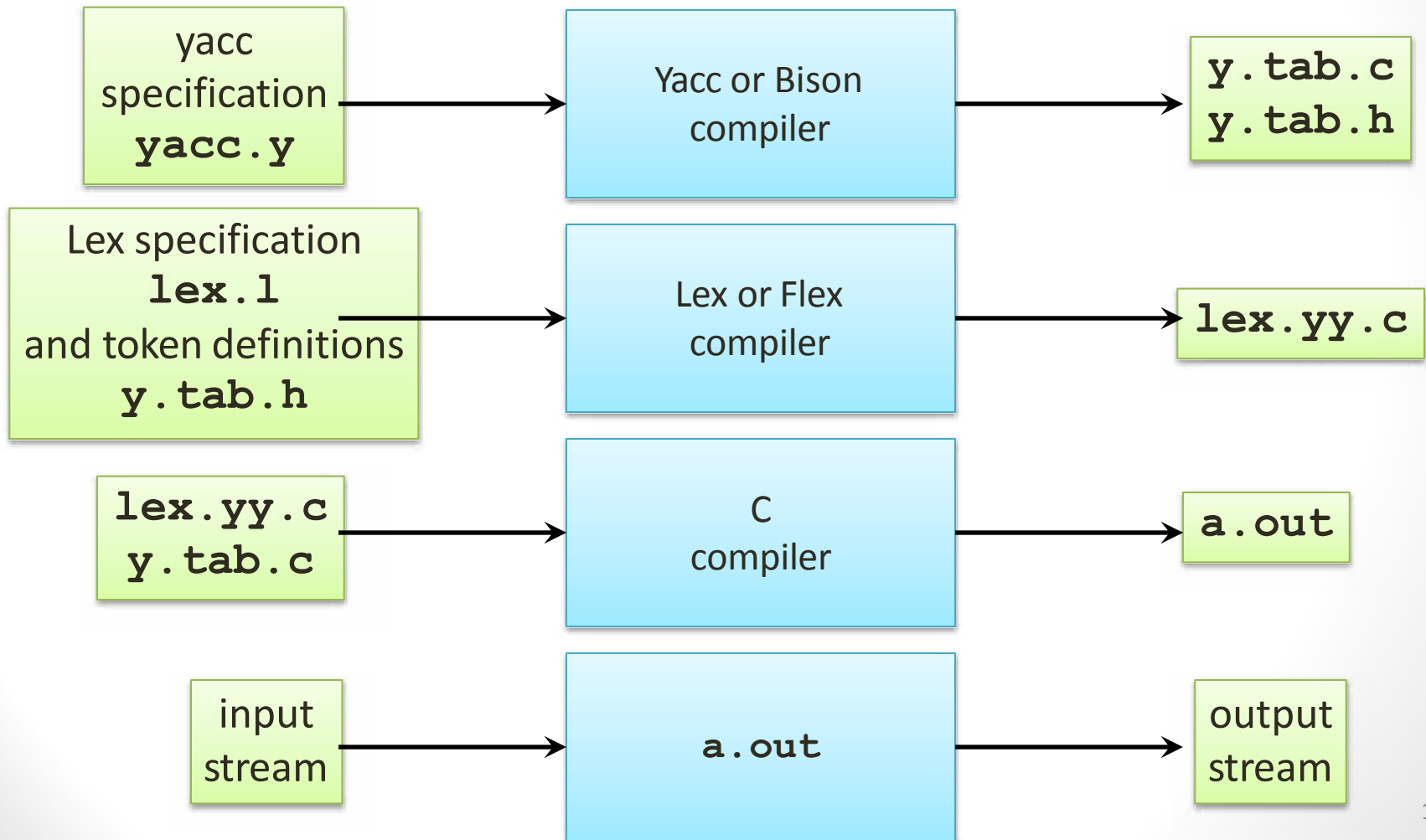
```
%%  
int yylex()  
{ int c;  
  while ((c = getchar()) == ' ')  
    ;  
  if ((c == '.') || isdigit(c))  
  { ungetc(c, stdin);  
    scanf("%lf", &yylval);  
    return NUMBER;  
  }  
  return c;  
}  
int main()  
{ if (yyparse() != 0)  
  fprintf(stderr, "Abnormal exit\n");  
  return 0;  
}  
int yyerror(char *s)  
{ fprintf(stderr, "Error: %s\n", s);  
}
```

Crude lexical analyzer for  
fp doubles and arithmetic  
operators

Run the parser

Invoked by parser  
to report parse errors

# Combining Lex/Flex with Yacc/Bison





# Lex Specification for Example 2

```
%option noyywrap
%{
#include "y.tab.h"

extern double yylval;
}%
number [0-9]+\.[0-9]*\.[0-9]+
%%
[ ]          { /* skip blanks */ }
{number}    { sscanf(yytext, "%lf", &yylval);
              return NUMBER;
            }
\n|.        { return yytext[0]; }
```

Generated by Yacc, contains  
**#define NUMBER xxx**

Defined in **y.tab.c**

```
yacc-d example2.y
lex example2.l
gcc y.tab.c lex.yy.c
./a.out
```

```
bison-d -y example2.y
flex example2.l
gcc y.tab.c lex.yy.c
./a.out
```

# Error Recovery in Yacc

```
%{  
...  
%}  
...  
%%  
lines : lines expr '\n'      { printf("%g\n", $2; }  
      | lines '\n'  
      | /* empty */  
      | error '\n'  
      ;  
...  
      { yyerror("reenter last line: ");  
        yyerrok;  
      }
```

Error production:  
set error mode and  
skip input until newline

Reset parser to normal mode

# Semantic Analysis

# The Compiler So Far

- Lexical analysis
  - Detects inputs with illegal tokens
- Parsing
  - Detects inputs with ill-formed parse trees
- Semantic analysis
  - Last “front end” phase
  - Catches all remaining errors

# What's Wrong?

- Example 1

```
int y = x + 3;
```

- Example 2

```
String y = "abc" ;
```

```
y ++ ;
```

# Why a Separate Semantic Analysis?

- Parsing cannot catch some errors
- Some language constructs are not context-free
  - Example: All used variables must have been declared (i.e. **scoping**)
  - ex: `{ int x { .. { .. x .. } .. } .. }`
  - Example: A method must be invoked with arguments of proper type (i.e. **typing**)
  - ex: `int f(int, int) {...}` called by `f('a', 2.3, 1)`

# More problems require semantic analysis

1. Is x a scalar, an array, or a function?
2. Is x declared before it is used?
3. Is x defined before it is used?
4. Are any names declared but not used?
5. Which declaration of x does this reference?
6. Is an expression *type-consistent*?
7. Does the dimension of a reference match the declaration?
8. Where can x be stored? (*heap, stack, . . .*)
9. Does \*p reference the result of a malloc()?
10. Is an array reference *in bounds*?
11. Does function foo produce a constant value?

# Why is semantic analysis hard?

- need non-local information
- answers depend on values, not on syntax
- answers may involve computation



# How can we answer these questions?

1. use **context-sensitive grammars (CSG)**
  - general problem is P-space complete
2. use **attribute grammars (AG)**
  - augment context-free grammar with rules
  - calculate **attributes** for grammar symbols
3. use ***ad hoc* techniques**
  - augment grammar with arbitrary code
  - execute code at corresponding reduction
  - **store information in attributes, symbol tables**

# Types

- What is a type?
  - The notion varies from language to language
- Consensus
  - A set of values
  - A set of operations on those values
- **Classes** are one instantiation of the modern notion of type

# Why Do We Need Type Systems?

Consider the assembly language fragment

```
addi r1, r2, r3
```

What are the types of **r1, r2, r3**?

# Types and Operations

- Certain operations are legal for values of each type
  - It doesn't make sense to add a function pointer and an integer in C
  - It does make sense to add two integers
  - But both have the same assembly language implementation!

# Type Systems

- A language's type system specifies which operations are valid for which types
- The goal of **type checking** is to ensure that operations are used with the correct types
  - Enforces intended interpretation of values, because nothing else will!
- **Type systems provide a concise formalization of the semantic checking rules**

# What Can Types do For Us?

- Can detect certain kinds of errors :
  - `"abc" ++ ; x = ar[ "abc" ] ; int x = "abc" ;`
- Memory errors:
  - Reading from an invalid pointer, etc.
  - `int x[50] ; x[50] = 3;`
- expressiveness (**overloading**, **polymorphism**)
  - help determine which methods/constructors would be invoked.
  - Ex: `add(Complex, Complex)`, `add(int,int)`, `add(String,String),...`
  - `add(23,14) => add(int, int)` invoked
- provide information for code generation
  - ex: memory size

# Type Checking Overview

## Three kinds of languages:

*Statically typed:* All or almost all checking of types is done as part of compilation (C, Java, Cool)

*Dynamically typed:* Almost all checking of types is done as part of program execution (Scheme)

*Untyped:* No type checking (machine code)

# Pros and cons

## Static typing:

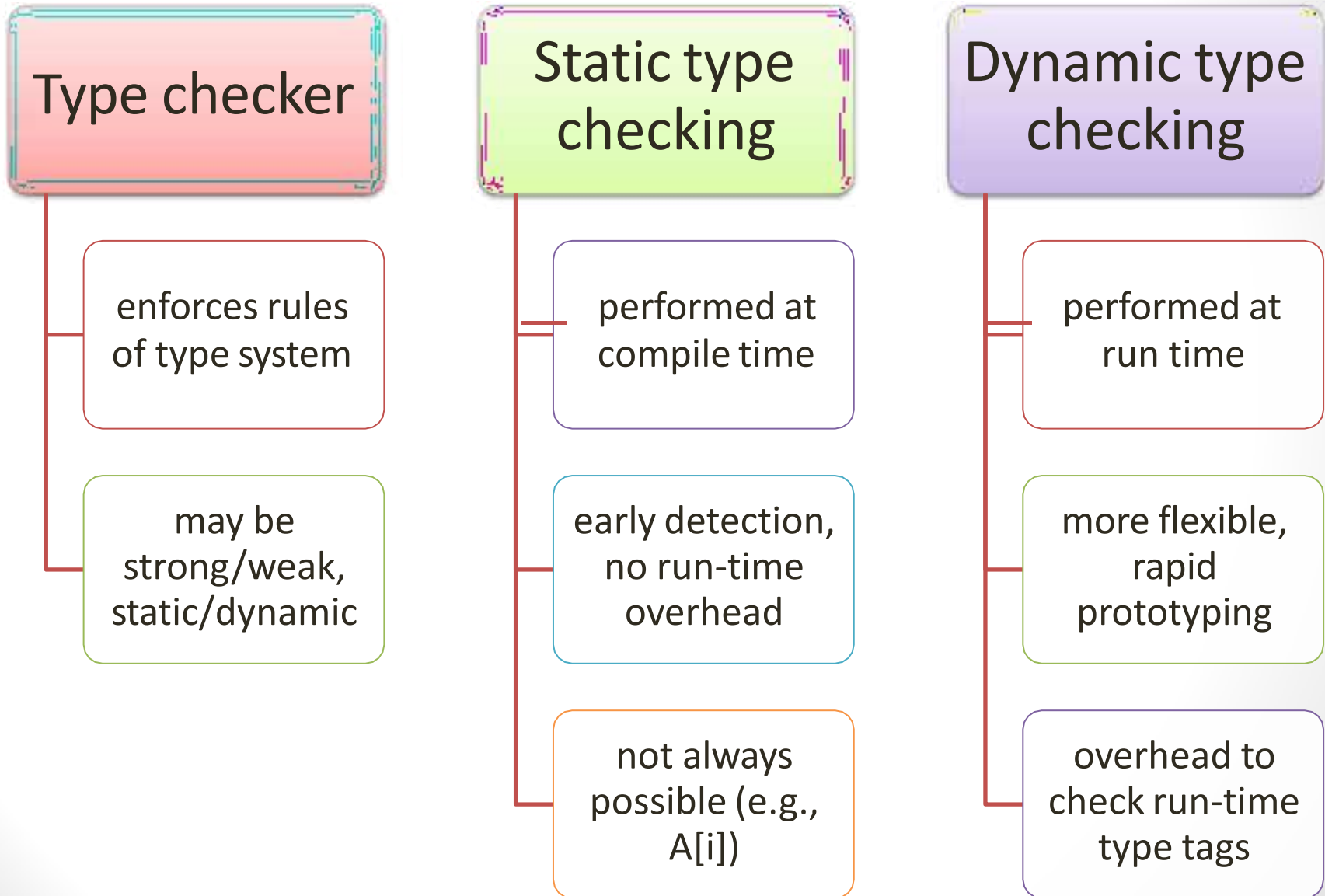
- catches many programming errors at compile time
- Avoids overhead of runtime type checks

## Dynamic typing:

- Static type systems are restrictive
- Rapid prototyping easier in a dynamic type system



# Type checking





# Type checking for expressions

Once the identifiers and their types have been inserted into the symbol table, we can check the type of the elements of an expression:

- $E \rightarrow \text{literal}$                     { E.type := char }
- $E \rightarrow \text{num}$                         { E.type := integer }
- $E \rightarrow \text{id}$                             { E.type := lookup(id.entry) }
- $E \rightarrow E_1 \text{ mod } E_2$             { if  $E_1.type = \text{integer}$  and  $E_2.type = \text{integer}$   
  **then** E.type := integer  
  **else** E.type := type\_error }
- $E \rightarrow E_1 [ E_2 ]$                 { if  $E_2.type = \text{integer}$  and  $E_1.type = \text{array}(s,t)$   
  **then** E.type := t **else** E.type := type\_error }
- $E \rightarrow E_1 \uparrow$                     { if  $E_1.type = \text{pointer}(t)$   
  **then** E.type := t **else** E.type := type-error }

# How about boolean types?

- Try adding
  - $T \rightarrow \text{boolean}$
  - Relational operators  $<$   $\leq$   $=$   $\geq$   $>$   $<>$
  - Logical connectives **and or not**
- to the grammar, then add appropriate type checking semantic actions.

# Type checking for statements

- Usually we assign the type VOID to statements.
- If a type error is found during type checking, though, we should set the type to type\_error
- Let's change our grammar allow statements:
  - $P \rightarrow D ; S$
- i.e., a program is a sequence of declarations followed by a sequence of statements.



# Type checking for function calls

- Suppose we add a production  $E \rightarrow E ( E )$
- Then we need productions for function declarations:

$T \rightarrow T1 \rightarrow T2$                       {  $T.type := T1.type \rightarrow T2.type$  }

and function calls:

$E \rightarrow E1 ( E2 )$                       { **if**  $E2.type = s$  **and**  $E1.type = s \rightarrow t$   
  **then**  $E.type := t$   
  **else**  $E.type := type\_error$  }

# Type checking for function calls

- Multiple-argument functions, however, can be modeled as functions that take a single PRODUCT argument.

$\text{root} : ( \text{real} \rightarrow \text{real} ) \times \text{real} \rightarrow \text{real}$

- this would model a function that takes a real function over the reals, and a real, and returns a real.
- In C: `float root( float (*f)(float), float x );`



# Type conversion

- Suppose we encounter an expression  $x+i$  where  $x$  has type float and  $i$  has type int.
- CPU instructions for addition could take EITHER float OR int as operands, but not a mix.
- This means the compiler must sometimes convert the operands of arithmetic expressions to ensure that operands are consistent with operators.
- With postfix as an intermediate language for expressions, we could express the conversion as follows:

$x \ i \ \text{inttoeal float}+$

where  $\text{real}+$  is the floating point addition operation.

# Type coercion

- If type conversion is **done by the compiler** without the programmer requesting it, it is called **IMPLICIT** conversion or type **COERCION**.
- **EXPLICIT** conversions are those that the **programmer specifies**, (**CASTING**) e.g.

```
x = (int)y * 2;
```

- Implicit conversion of **CONSTANT** expressions should be done at compile time.

# Type checking example with coercion

<u>Production</u>	<u>Semantic Rule</u>
$E \rightarrow \text{num}$	$E.\text{type} := \text{integer}$
$E \rightarrow \text{num} . \text{num}$	$E.\text{type} := \text{real}$
$E \rightarrow \text{id}$	$E.\text{type} := \text{lookup}(\text{id}.\text{entry})$
$E \rightarrow E_1 \text{ op } E_2$	$E.\text{type} :=$ if $E_1.\text{type} == \text{integer}$ and $E_2.\text{type} == \text{integer}$ then integer else if $E_1.\text{type} == \text{integer}$ and $E_2.\text{type} == \text{real}$ then real else if $E_1.\text{type} == \text{real}$ and $E_2.\text{type} == \text{integer}$ then real else if $E_1.\text{type} == \text{real}$ and $E_2.\text{type} == \text{real}$ then real else type_error

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