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Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions

PART – A

(10×2=20 Marks)

1. What is the usage of sentinel in lexical analyzer ? List its advantages.
2. Construct regular expression for the binary string that starts with 0 and has odd length or that starts with 1 and has even length.
3. Consider the following grammar and demonstrate that the grammar is ambiguous by showing two different parse trees for some string.
 $S \rightarrow AB \mid aaB$
 $A \rightarrow a \mid Aa$
 $B \rightarrow b$
4. Consider the following grammar :
 $S \rightarrow A$
 $A \rightarrow A + A \mid B++$
 $B \rightarrow y$
Show a leftmost and rightmost derivation for the string “y + + + y + +”.
5. Write the semantic action for the production rule of $E \rightarrow E1 \text{ OR } M E2$.
6. Translate the arithmetic expression $x = (a + b)^* - c/d$ into quadruples and triples.



7. How to perform register assignment for outer loops ?
8. Write the static single assignment form for the below code segment and write the minimum number of total variables required for the conversion.
- ```
x = u - t;
y = x * v;
x = y + w;
y = t - z;
y = x * y;
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9. Define static allocations and stack allocations.
10. Why are quadruples preferred over triples in an optimizing compiler ?

## PART – B

(5×13=65 Marks)

11. a) i) What are the different error recovery strategies in phases of a compiler ? (5)  
 ii) What are the tools used for constructing a compiler ? (8)
- (OR)
- b) What do you mean by passes and phases of a compiler ? Explain the various phases of a compilation with neat diagram. (13)
12. a) Draw an NFA and then an equivalent DFA for the regular expression :  $(10|01)^*|100$  and also construct optimized DFA using the subset construction followed by Hopcroft's minimization procedure. (13)
- (OR)
- b) i) Discuss the issues involved in designing lexical analyser. (8)  
 ii) Describe in detail about input buffering. (5)
13. a) i) Explain dangling-else problem with an example and give the unambiguous grammar for the same. (7)  
 ii) Consider the following grammar. Parse the input string "abbcd" using stack implementation of shift-reduce parser. (6)
- ```
S → aABe
A → Abc | b
B → d
```

(OR)



- b) Construct LL (1) parsing table for the following grammar using FIRST and FOLLOW set. (9)

$S \rightarrow UVW$

$U \rightarrow (S) \mid aSb \mid d$

$V \rightarrow aV \mid e$

$W \rightarrow cW \mid e$

Give the parsing actions for the input string “(dc)ac”. (4)

14. a) Below is a grammar for expressions involving operator + and integer or floating-point operands. Floating-point numbers are distinguished by having a decimal point.

$E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$

$T \rightarrow \text{num.num} \mid \text{num}$

- i) Give an Syntax Directed Definition (SDD) to determine the type of each term T and expression E. (4)
- ii) Extend your SDD of (i) to translate expressions into postfix notation. Use the binary operator intToFloat to turn an integer into an equivalent float. (4)
- iii) Give an SDD to differentiate expressions such as $x*(3*x + x*x)$ involving the operators + and *, the variable x, and constants. Assume that no simplification occurs, so that, for example, $3 * x$ will be translated into $3 * 1 + 0 * x$. Note : differentiation $(x * y) = (x * \text{differentiation}(y) + \text{differentiation}(x) * y)$ and $\text{differentiation}(x + y) = \text{differentiation}(x) + \text{differentiation}(y)$. (5)

(OR)

- b) Write the syntax directed translation scheme with backpatching to generate three address code for the given grammar. (13)

$S \rightarrow \text{while } E \text{ do } S \mid \text{begin } L \text{ end}$

$L \rightarrow L; S \mid S$

$E \rightarrow E \text{ or } E \mid E \text{ and } E \mid \text{not } E \mid \text{id}$

15. a) Discuss in detail the role of dead code elimination and loop optimization during code optimization of a compiler. (13)

(OR)

- b) Explain the issues in code generation phase of a compiler. (13)



PART – C

(1×15=15 Marks)

16. a) Construct CLR (1) parsing table for the following grammar. (15)

And prove that it is not SLR (1).

$S \rightarrow Aa$

$S \rightarrow dAb$

$S \rightarrow dca$

$S \rightarrow cb$

$A \rightarrow c$

(OR)

- b) i) Construct a Syntax-Directed Translation scheme that translates arithmetic expressions from infix into postfix notation. Your solution should include the context-free grammar, the semantic attributes for each of the grammar symbols and semantic rules. Show the application of your scheme to the input string “3 * 4 + 5 * 2”. (10)
- ii) Use the following code to identify the leader instructions and their corresponding basic blocks and draw the control flow graph below. (5)
- 1) $P := 0$
 - 2) $I := 1$
 - 3) $P := P + I$
 - 4) IF $P \leq 60$ GOTO (7)
 - 5) $P := 0$
 - 6) $I := 5$
 - 7) $T1 := I * 2$
 - 8) $I := T1 + 1$
 - 9) IF $I \leq 20$ GOTO (3)
 - 10) $K := P * 3$
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