

III B. Tech I Semester Regular Examinations, October/November - 2018

COMPILER DESIGN

(Computer Science and Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

- Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)
 2. Answer **ALL** the question in **Part-A**
 3. Answer any **FOUR** Questions from **Part-B**

PART -A

1. a) What is a preprocessor? Mention its objectives. [2M]
- b) What is recursive decent parsing? [2M]
- c) Define inherited and synthesized attributes. [2M]
- d) What is three-address code? Give an example. [3M]
- e) Draw the typical structure of an activation record. [3M]
- f) What is dead code? [2M]

PART -B

2. a) Write regular expressions for the following languages: [7M]
 - i) All strings of lowercase letters that contain the five vowels in order.
 - ii) All strings of lowercase letters in which the letters are in ascending lexicographic order.
 - iii) All strings of a's and b's with an even number of a's and an odd number of b's.
- b) Differentiate between static and dynamic scoping. [7M]
3. a) Present the formal definition and notational conventions of CFG. [7M]
- b) Explain the procedure for eliminating ambiguity from a grammar. Give an example. [7M]
4. a) Differentiate between LR(1), Canonical-LR and LALR parsing methods. [7M]
- b) Below grammar generates binary numbers with a "decimal" point: [7M]

$$S \rightarrow L . L \mid L$$

$$L \rightarrow LB \mid B$$

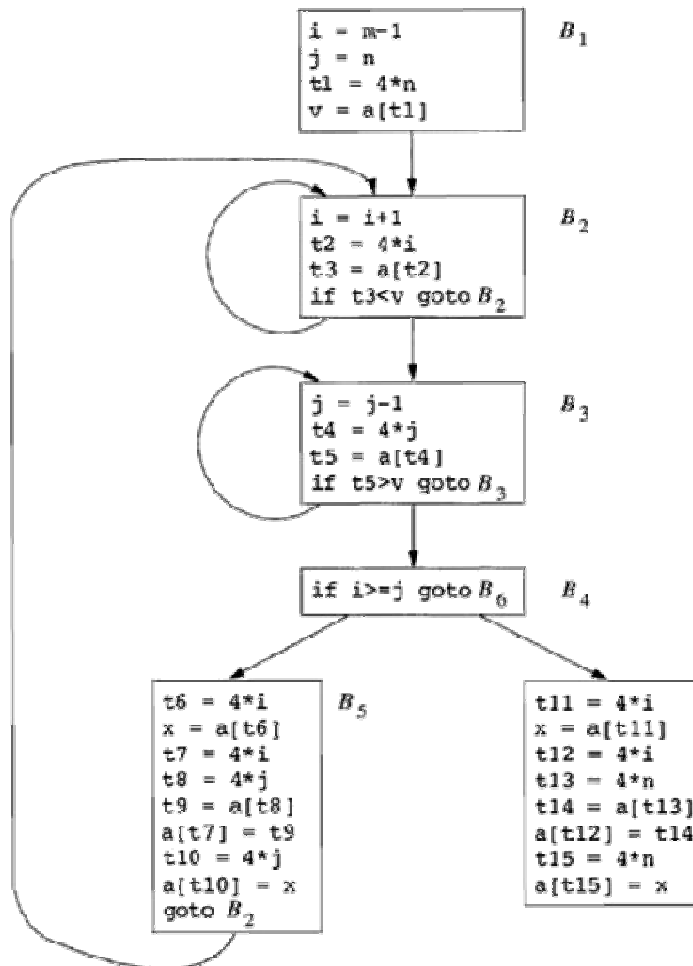
$$B \rightarrow 0 \mid 1$$
 Design an L-attributed SDD to compute S.val, the decimal-number value of an input string.
5. a) Give Three-Address Code and it's quadruple representation for the assignment: [6M]

$$a = b * - c + b * - c ;$$
- b) Discuss in detail about type synthesis and type inference. [8M]

6. a) What are the limitations of access links? How do they solve those issues? [7M]
Explain an example.
- b) Generate code for the following three-address statements assuming a and b are arrays whose elements are 4-byte values: [7M]
- ```

x = a [i]
y = b [j]
a [i] = y
b [j] = x

```
7. a) Identify and eliminate global common subexpressions in the flow graph below: [9M]



- b) Explain data-flow abstraction with an example. [5M]

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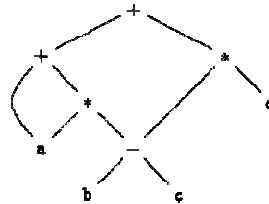
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**PART -A**

1. a) What happens in Analysis and Synthesis phases of compilation? [2M]
- b) Define an ambiguous grammar. [2M]
- c) What is lookahead-LR parsing? [2M]
- d) Compute three-address code for the DAG below: [3M]



- e) What does heap and stack areas of run-time memory store? [3M]
- f) Define a global common sub expression. [2M]

**PART -B**

2. a) How compilers can be used for optimization in parallel systems? [7M]
- b) With a suitable transition diagram, explain recognition of keywords and identifiers. [7M]
3. a) Consider the context-free grammar:  $S \rightarrow S S + \mid S S * \mid a$ . For the string  $aa + a^*$  give a leftmost derivation, rightmost derivation and a parse tree. [7M]
- b) Construct SLR parsing table for the grammar in above question. [7M]
4. a) Show that the following grammar: [7M]
 
$$S \rightarrow Aa \mid bAc \mid Bc \mid bBa$$

$$A \rightarrow d$$

$$B \rightarrow d$$
 is LR(1) but not LALR(1).
- b) Discuss in detail about dependency graphs with suitable examples. [7M]
5. a) Write about type inference for polymorphic functions. [7M]
- b) Translate the arithmetic expression  $a[i] = b*c - b*d$  into a syntax tree, quadruples and triples. [7M]
6. a) What are the principles associated with designing calling sequences and the layout of activation records? [7M]

- b) Generate code for the following three-address statements assuming stack allocation, where register SP points to the top of the stack. [7M]
- call p
  - call q
  - return
  - call r
  - return
  - return
7. a) Discuss about copy propagation and dead code elimination. [7M]
- b) With suitable examples, explain about live-variable analysis. [7M]

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**PART -A**

1. a) List any 4 compilers and 2 interpreters you know. [2M]
- b) What is the key difference between lexical analysis and parsing? [2M]
- c) What is syntax-directed definition? [2M]
- d) Give three-address code for the statement:  $do\ i = i + 1 ;\ while\ ( a [ i ] < v );$  [3M]
- e) What is an activation link? Give an example. [3M]
- f) Define a transfer function. [2M]

**PART -B**

2. a) What are program translators? Explain. [7M]
- b) Describe the languages denoted by the following regular expressions: [7M]
  - (i)  $(alb)^*a(alb)(alb)$ .
  - (ii)  $a^*ba^*ba^*ba^*$
3. a) Give an algorithm to eliminate productions containing useless symbols from a grammar. [7M]
- b) Compute FIRST and FOLLOW for the grammar:  $S \rightarrow S S + \setminus S S * \setminus a$  [7M]
4. a) Present the algorithm for LALR parsing table construction. [7M]
- b) For the grammar below: [7M]
 
$$E \rightarrow E + T \mid T$$

$$T \rightarrow num . num \mid num$$
 Give an SDD to determine the type of each term T and expression E.
5. a) Explain the value-number method for constructing the nodes of a DAG. [7M]
- b) Generate three-address code for the grammar below: (B is a Boolean expressing and S is a statement) [7M]
 
$$S \rightarrow if ( B ) S_1$$

$$S \rightarrow if ( B ) S_1\ else\ S_2$$

$$S \rightarrow while ( S ) S_1$$
6. a) List and explain different subdivisions of run-time memory. [4M]

- b) Construct flow graph for the three-address code equivalent of the below code: [10M]
- ```
for (i=0; i<n; i++)
  for (j=0; j<n; j++)
    c[i][j] = 0.0;
for (i=0; i<n; i++)
  for (j=0; j<n; j++)
    for (k=0; k<n; k++)
      c[i][j] = c[i][j] + a[i][k]*b[k][j];
```
7. a) Optimize the code given below, by eliminating common subexpressions, performing reduction in strength on induction variables, and eliminating all the induction variables. [7M]
- ```
dp = 0.
i = 0
L: t1 = i*8
 t2 = A[t1]
 t3 = i*8
 t4 = B[t3]
 t5 = t2*t4
 dp = dp+t5
 i = i+1
 if i<n goto L
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- b) Explain the procedures for elimination of unreachable code and algebraic simplifications in Peephole Optimization [7M]

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**PART -A**

1. a) What is the purpose of Loader/Linker in language processing? [2M]
- b) What are left-most and right-most derivations? [2M]
- c) What is an annotated parse tree? Give an example. [2M]
- d) Give directed acyclic graph for the expression:  $a + a * (b - c) + (b - c) * d$ . [3M]
- e) What are the basic functions of the memory manager? [3M]
- f) Define a semi lattice. [2M]

**PART -B**

2. a) List and explain in detail about different phases of compilation. [9M]
- b) What are the problems that might arise while recognizing tokens? [5M]
3. a) Design grammars for the following languages: [7M]
  - (i) The set of all strings of 0s and 1s, such that every 0 is immediately followed by at least one 1.
  - (ii) The set of all strings of 0s and 1s that are palindromes.
- b) Explain the structure of LR parsing table, with an example. [7M]
4. a) Discuss about the Dangling-Else ambiguity. [7M]
- b) Explain the procedure for eliminating left recursion from SDTs. [7M]
5. a) Explain about one-pass code generation using back patching. [7M]
- b) Construct parse trees for the types in t [2] [3] and char [10]. [7M]
6. a) The following C program computes Fibonacci numbers: [7M]
 

```

 int f (int n) {
 int t,s;
 if (n < 2) return 1;
 s = f(n-1);
 t = f(n-2);
 return s+t;
 }

```

Suppose that the activation record for f includes the following elements in order: return value, argument n, local s, and local t. Show the complete activation tree for the call f(5).
- b) Discuss the design issues of Code Generator. [7M]
7. a) Explain about the method of computing transfer equations for reaching definitions. [7M]
- b) Construct an algorithm that will perform redundant-instruction elimination in a sliding peephole on target machine code. [7M]

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