

Homework 4

1. (a) Consider the following LR grammar:

$$E \rightarrow E + T \mid E - T \mid T$$

$$T \rightarrow T * F \mid T / F \mid F$$

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

Give a rightmost derivation and parse tree for the following expression:

$(\text{id} * \text{id}) + (\text{id} - \text{id}) / \text{id}$

- (b) Now consider an equivalent LL grammar:

$$E \rightarrow TE'$$

$$E' \rightarrow +TE' \mid -TE' \mid \epsilon$$

$$T \rightarrow FT'$$

$$T' \rightarrow *FT' \mid /FT' \mid \epsilon$$

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

Give a leftmost derivation and parse tree for the same expression:

$(\text{id} * \text{id}) + (\text{id} - \text{id}) / \text{id}$

2. Consider the following LL grammar:

$$S \rightarrow aB \mid bA \mid \epsilon$$

$$A \rightarrow bAA \mid aS$$

$$B \rightarrow aBB \mid bS$$

- (a) Compute the FIRST and FOLLOW sets for each nonterminal.
- (b) Using the FIRST and FOLLOW sets, generate the predictive parsing table.
- (c) Show the parsing action (including the matches, stack, input and action columns) for the string: baaabb. Note that your parsing will not actually accept this one; you should simply show the parsing action up to the point where it gets stuck.
- (d) Extra credit: Show a string (with at least 5 characters in it) that IS accepted by some parsing action for the table you generated in part (b).

3. Show that the following grammar is not LL:

$$A \rightarrow Ac \mid Aad \mid bd \mid \epsilon$$