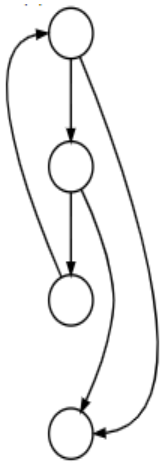

Program Analysis

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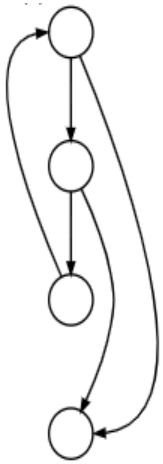
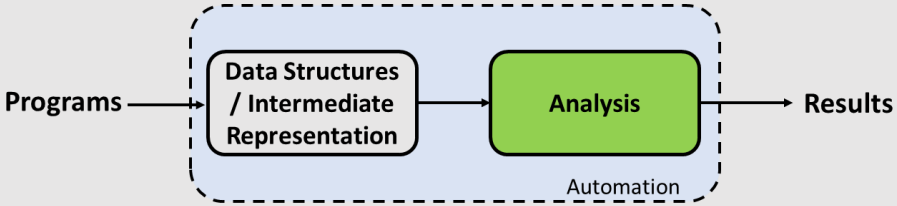


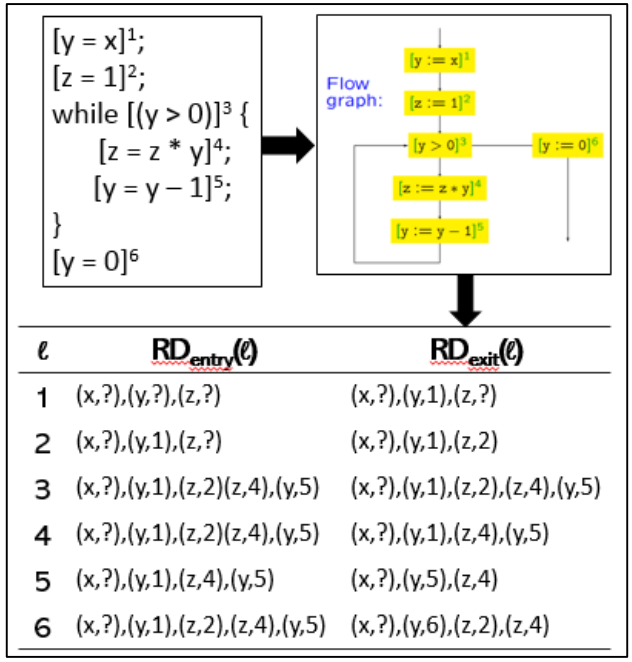
"The supply of grand challenges … shows little sign of drying up."

– Harman and O'Hearn in "Opportunities and Open Problems for Static and Dynamic Program Analysis", Madrid, Spain, 2018.

Quick Review

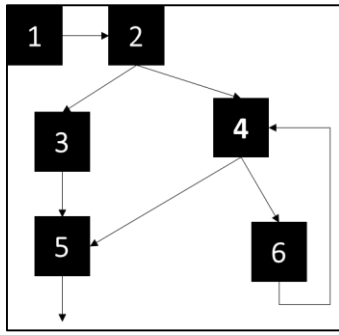


Types
- Static
- Dynamic
- Hybrid



ℓ	$RD_{entry}(\ell)$	$RD_{exit}(\ell)$
1	(x,?),(y,?),(z,?)	(x,?),(y,1),(z,?)
2	(x,?),(y,1),(z,?)	(x,?),(y,1),(z,2)
3	(x,?),(y,1),(z,2)(z,4),(y,5)	(x,?),(y,1),(z,2),(z,4),(y,5)
4	(x,?),(y,1),(z,2)(z,4),(y,5)	(x,?),(y,1),(z,4),(y,5)
5	(x,?),(y,1),(z,4),(y,5)	(x,?),(y,5),(z,4)
6	(x,?),(y,1),(z,2),(z,4),(y,5)	(x,?),(y,6),(z,2),(z,4)

Static Analysis



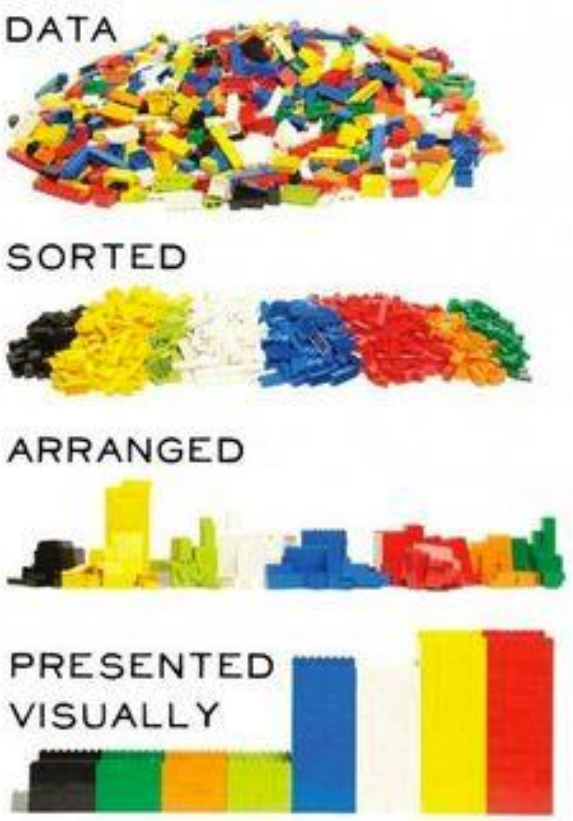
Path	Frequency
1 2 3 5	100
1 2 4 6 4 5	2000
1 2 4 6 4 6 4 5	10

Dynamic Analysis

Program Representations

Partially covered in *Sections 1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 6.2.1 and 6.2.4 of Dragon Book.*

Finding Order in Chaos



Source: https://visual.ly/community/infographic/how/what-infographic by Hot Butter Studio.

Agenda

- Anatomy of a Program
  - Lexemes
  - Tokens
  - Abstract Syntax Trees (AST)
  - Intermediate Representations
- AST and CFG
  - Hands-On Session
- Popular Program Representations

Identify a Java Program

1

```
public class Fibonacci {

   public static void main(String[] args) {

      int n = 10, t1 = 0, t2 = 1;
      System.out.print("First " + n + " terms: ");

      for (int i = 1; i <= n; ++i)
      {
         System.out.print(t1 + " + ");

         int sum = t1 + t2;
         t1 = t2;
         t2 = sum;
      }
   }
}
```

2

java.lang

Class Object

java.lang.Object

`public class Object`

Class `Object` is the root of the class hierarchy. Every class has `Object` as a superclass. All objects, including arrays, implement the methods of this class.

Since:

JDK1.0

See Also:

`Class`

3

A Simple Grammar

Our programs are usually defined by a simple grammar…

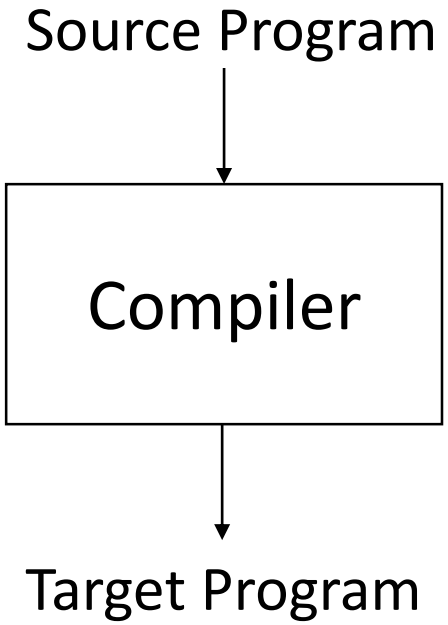
$a ::= x \mid n \mid a_1\ op_a\ a_2$

$b ::= true \mid false \mid not\ b \mid b_1\ op_b\ b_2 \mid a_1\ op_r\ a_2$

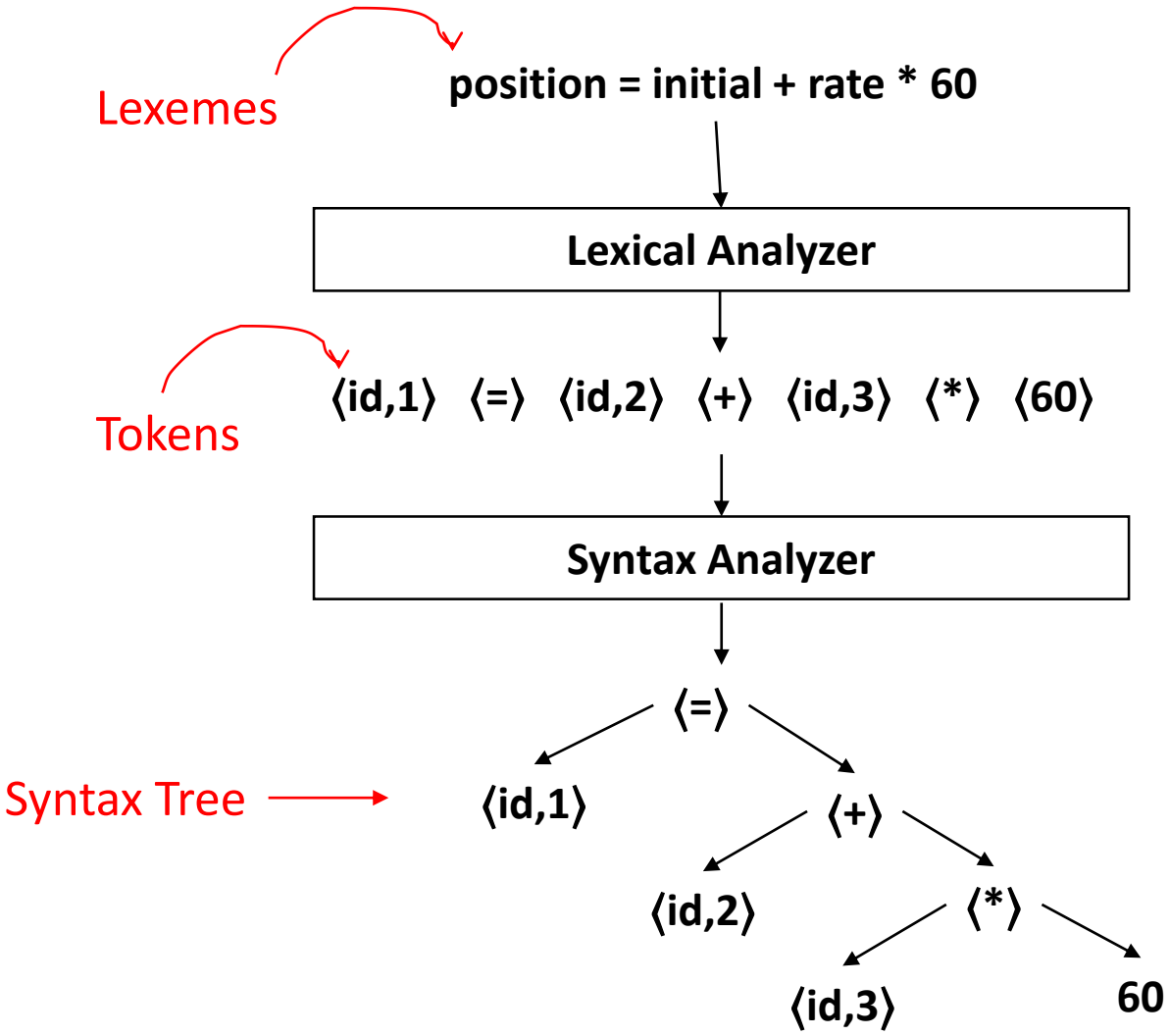
$S ::= x := a \mid skip \mid S_1; S_2 \mid$
$\quad if\ (b)\ then\ S_1\ else\ S_2 \mid while\ (b)\ do\ S$

S refers to Statements, **a** is an Arithmetic Expression, and **b** is a Boolean Expression

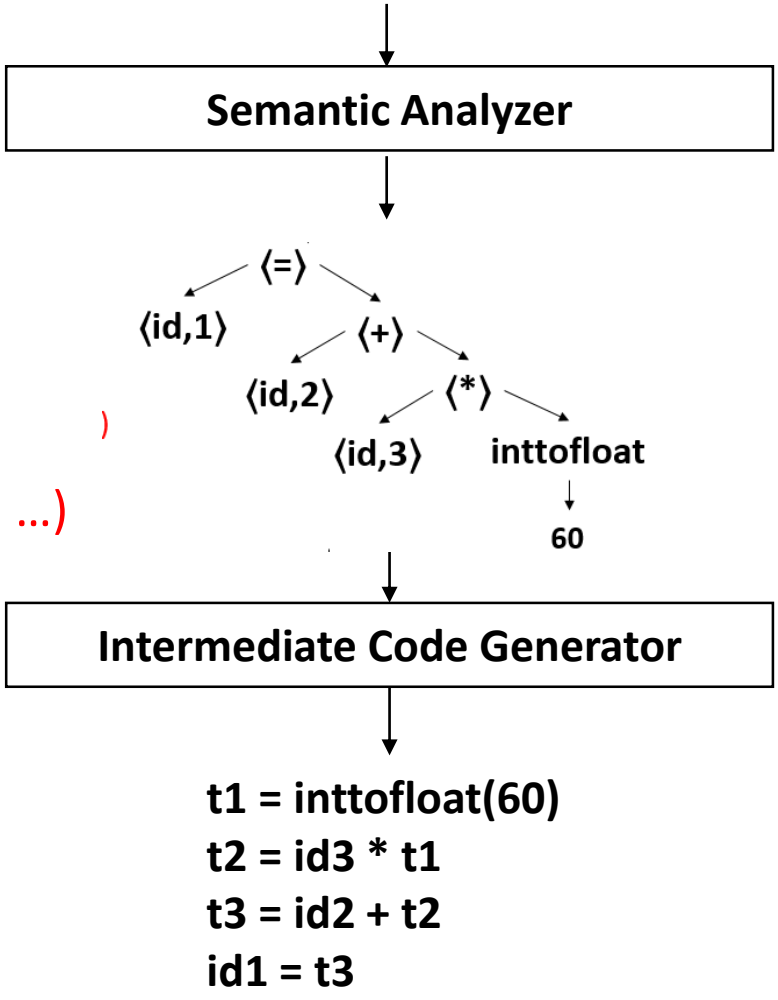
Compiler



Structure of a Compiler



Structure of a Compiler…

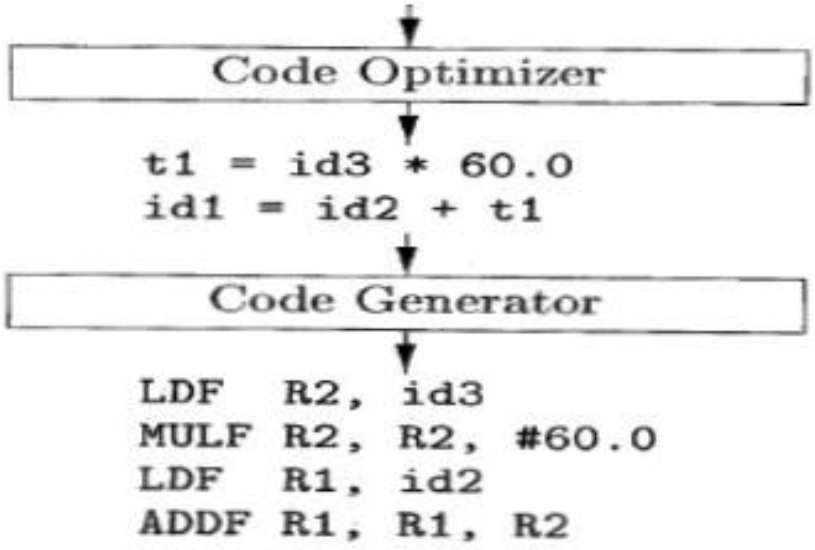


Type Checking
(Undeclared variables,
Reserved Identifier Usage, …)

TAC and SSA

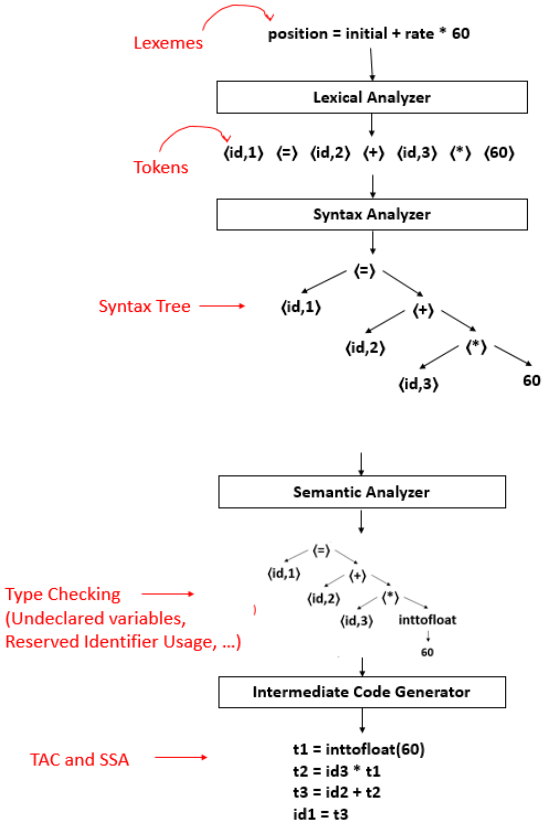
Structure of a Compiler

Program Analysis →



"Structure of a Compiler", taken from the dragon book.

Phases



Present day compilers take multiple passes

They enrich the IR in each pass.

Our Interests

1. **Can we leverage the compiler infrastructure to analyze programs?**
2. **Can we improve compiler optimizations?**

What is the Output?

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] args)
  {
      String str = "CMI";
      StringBuilder sb = new StringBuilder();
      for(int i = str.length() - 1; i >= 0; i--)
      {
        if (i == 0) sb.append('S');
        sb.append(str.charAt(i));
      }
      System.out.println(sb.toString());
  }
}
```

Graded Quiz: Parsing

- Is this grammar ambiguous? Why or Why not?

$S \rightarrow AS \mid \epsilon$
$A \rightarrow A1 \mid 0A1 \mid 01$

Our First Analysis

using Eclipse JDT

Source Code as a Tree

- Abstract Syntax Tree

Code Snippet

```
while b ≠ 0
if a > b
a := a − b
else
b := b − a
return a
```

AST

- **while**
  - Op: **≠**
    - Var: **b**
    - Constant: **0**
  - Body
    - Branch
      - …
- Return
  - Var: **a**

AST for Java Code

- Install Eclipse
- Install the Eclipse plugin AST View (from https://www.eclipse.org/jdt/ui/astview/index.php)
- Write any Java Code
- Follow the instruction in the AST View web page to view the AST.

An Example

```
1  public class VariableValueAnalysis {
2      public static void main(String[] args) {
3          int x = 10;
4          while(x > 5) {
5              x--;
6          }
7          System.out.println(x);
8      }
9  }
```