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ERRATA et ADDENDA

p.4, l4 : replace "systemizing" by "systematizing" .
l21: replace "in [8]" by "here" .
p.5, l6 : "standard" should read "fixed" .
p.6, l14: underline "productive" .
l16: underline "reductive" .
p.10, l21: replace curly braces {} by parentheses () .
p.p, 110: dito

l11: dito

l18: add the following sentence:
(as an alternative notation for $x_c$ we will use $x$.)
p.13, l3 : replace {}, by (,) respectively .
p-15, l11: after "$U \to x$" insert "where" .
l14: insert a space after the first $z$; ...$z \to y \to z$....
l17: dito
p.16, l2 : underline the word "sentence" .
l4 : underline "simple phrase structure language" .
p.26, l9 : the third symbol to the right of the vertical line should be "::" instead of ";" .
p.37, l17: change "enumerate" into "enumerate" .
p.38, l31: underline the letter V .
l34: (bottom line) dito.

p.41 : the horizontal line should be between IDENT and DIGIT instead of between DIGIT and NUMBER.
p-48, l23: "a[1]" instead of "a[1]" .
122: "will" instead of "would".

16: add a semicolon (;) to the right.

18: dito, also underline label

111: add a semicolon to the right.

12: "P[V[j][2] ← k + 1" should be "P[V[j][2]] ← k + 1".

150: "isn var" should be "isb var"

157: change the two occurrences of "isn" into "isu".

114: change "blockhead" into "blockhead"

16: change the colon at the right into a semicolon.

113: add the symbol "†" underneath mod.

112: "At i ← i - 1" should be "A: i ← i - 1".

14: change "string" into "symbol".

129: add a semicolon at the right.

114: dito

14: insert a semicolon in front of "x ← s[1]".

125: change "is a number" into "is not a number".

122: "RESULTS" should read "RESULTS".

117: change "13" at the left into "28".

117: add to the right: "S[SP].ADR ← FP; COMMENT A NULL LIST;"
Abstract:

A method for defining programming languages is developed which introduces a rigorous relationship between structure and meaning. The structure of a language is defined by a phrase structure syntax, the meaning in terms of the effects which the execution of a sequence of interpretation rules exerts upon a fixed set of variables, called the Environment. There exists a one-to-one correspondence between syntactic rules and interpretation rules, and the sequence of executed interpretation rules is determined by the sequence of corresponding syntactic reductions which constitute a parse. The individual interpretation rules are explained in terms of an elementary and obvious algorithmic notation. A constructive method for evaluating a text is provided, and for certain decidable classes of languages their unambiguity is proven. As an example, a generalization of ALGOL is described in full detail to demonstrate that concepts like block-structure, procedures, parameters etc. can be defined adequately and precisely by this method.

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It is the character of mathematics of modern times that through our language of signs and nomenclature we possess a tool whereby the most complicated arguments are reduced to a certain mechanism. Science has thereby gained infinitely, but in beauty and solidity, as the business is usually carried on, has lost so much. How often that tool is applied only mechanically, although the authorization for it in most cases implied certain silent hypotheses! I demand that in all use of calculation, in all uses of concepts, one is to remain always conscious of the original conditions.

Gauss

(in a letter to Schumacher, Sept. 1, 1850)
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I. Introduction and Summary

When devising a new programming language, one inevitably becomes confronted with the question of how to define it. The necessity of a formal definition is twofold: the users of this language need to know its precise meaning, and also need to be assured that the automatic processing systems, i.e. the implementations of the language on computers, reflect this same meaning equally precisely. ALGOL 60 represented the first serious effort to give a formal definition of a programming language [1]. The structure of the language was defined in a formal and concise way (which, however, was not in all cases unambiguous), such that for every string of symbols it can be determined whether it belongs to the language ALGOL 60 or not.

The meaning of the sentences, i.e. their effect on the computational process, was defined in terms of ordinary English with its unavoidable lack of precision. But probably the greater deficiency than certain known imprecise definitions was the incompleteness of the specifications. By this no reference is made to certain intentional omissions (like specification of real arithmetic), but to situations and constructs which simply were not anticipated and therefore not explained (e.g. dynamic own arrays or conflicts of names upon procedure calls). A method for defining a language should therefore be found which guarantees that no unintentional omissions may occur.

How should meaning be defined? It can only be explained in terms of another language which is already well understood. The method of formally deriving the meaning of one language from another makes sense, if and only if the latter is simpler in structure than the former. By a sequence of such derivations a language will ultimately be reached where it would not
be sensible to define it in terms of anything else. Recent efforts have been conducted with this principle in mind.

Böhm [3] and Landin [4][5] have chosen the h-calculus as the fundamental notation [6],[7], whose basic element is the function, i.e. a well-established concept. The motivation for representing a program in functional form is to avoid a commitment to a detailed sequence of basic steps representing the algorithm, and instead to define the meaning or effect of a program by the equivalence class of algorithms represented by the indicated function. Whether it is worth while to achieve such an abstract definition of meaning in the case of programming languages shall not be discussed here. The fact that a program consists basically of single steps remains, and it cannot even be hidden by a transliteration into a functional notation: the sequence is represented by the evaluations of nests of functions and their parameters. An unpleasant side-effect of this translation of ordinary programming languages into h-calculus is that simple computer concepts such as assignment and jumps transform into quite complicated constructs, this being in obvious conflict with the stated requirement that the fundamental notation should be simple.

Van Wijngaarden describes in [8] and [9] a more dynamic approach to the problem: the fundamental notation is governed by only half a dozen rules which are obvious. It is in fact so simple that it is far from being a useful programming notation whatsoever, but just capable enough to provide for the mechanism of accepting additional rules and thus expanding into any desirable programming system. This method of defining the meaning
(or, since the meaning is imperative: effect) of a language is clearly distinct from the method using functional notations, in that it explicitly makes use of algorithmic action, and thus guarantees that an evaluating algorithm exists for any sentence of the language. The essence of this algorithm consists of first scanning the ordered set of rules defining the structure of the language, and determining the applicable structural designations, i.e. performing an 'applicability scan', and then scanning the set of rules for evaluating the determined structural units, i.e. performing an 'evaluation scan'. The rules are such that they may invoke application of other rules or even themselves. The entire mechanism is highly recursive and the question remains, whether a basically subtle and intricate concept such as recursion should be used to explain other programming languages, including possibly very simple ones.

The methods described so far have in common that their basic set of fundamental semantic entities does not resemble the elementary operations performed by any computational device presently known. Since the chief aim of programming languages is their use as communication media with computers, it would seem only natural to use a basic set of semantic definitions closely reflecting the computer's elementary operators. The invaluable advantage of such an approach is that the language definition is itself a processing system and that implementations of the language on actual machines are merely adaptations to particular environmental conditions of the language definition itself. The question of correctness of an implementation will no longer be undecidable or controversial, but can be directly based on the correctness of the individual substitutions of the elementary semantic units by the elementary machine operations.
It has elsewhere been proposed (e.g. [10]) to let the processing systems themselves be the definition of the language. Considering the complexity of known compiler-systems this seems to be an unreasonable suggestion, but if it is understood as a call for systemizing such processing systems and representing them in a notation independent from any particular computer, then the suggestion appears in a different light.

The present paper reports on efforts undertaken in this direction. It seems obvious that the definition of the structure, i.e. the syntax, and the definition of the meaning should be interconnected, since structural orderings are merely an aid for understanding a sentence. In the presented proposal the analysis of a sentence proceeds in parallel with its evaluation: whenever a _structural unit_ is discovered, a corresponding _interpretation rule_ is found and obeyed. The syntactic aspects are defined by a Phrase Structure System (cf. [11], [12], [2]) which is augmented by the set of interpretation rules defining the semantic aspects. Such an augmented Phrase Structure Language is subsequently called a Phrase Structure Programming Language, implying that its meaning is strictly imperative and can thus be expressed in terms of a _basic algorithmic notation_ whose constituents are, e.g., the fundamental operations of a computer.

Although in [8] the processes of syntactic analysis and semantic evaluation are more clearly separated, the analogies to the van Wijngaarden proposal are apparent. The parsing corresponds to the applicability scan, the execution of an interpretation rule to the evaluation scan. However, this proposal advocates the strict separation between the rules which define the language, i.e. its analysis and evaluation mechanisms, and the
rules produced by the particular program under evaluation, while the van Wijngaarden proposal does not distinguish between language definition and program. Whether the elimination of this distinction which enables—and forces—the programmer to supply his own language defining rules, is desirable or not must be left unanswered here. The original aim of this contribution being the development of a proposal for a standard language, it would have been meaningless to eliminate it.

Chapter II contains the descriptions of an algorithmic notation considered intuitively obvious enough not to necessitate further explanation in terms of more primitive concepts. This notation will subsequently be used for the definition of algorithms and interpretation rules, thus playing a similar role for the semantic aspects as did BNF for the syntactic aspects of ALGOL 60. The function of this notation is twofold: 1. It serves to precisely describe the analysis and evaluation mechanisms, and 2. It serves to define the basic constituents of the higher level language. E.g., this basic notation contains the elementary operators for arithmetic, and therefore the specifications of the higher level language defer their definition to the basic algorithmic notation. It is in fact assumed that the definition of integer arithmetic is below the level of what a programming language designer is concerned with, while real arithmetic shall very intentionally not be defined at all in a language standard. The concepts which are missing in the basic notation and thus will have to be defined by the evaluation mechanisms are manifold: the sequencing of operations and operands in expressions, the storage allocation, the block structure, procedure structure, recursivity, value- and name-parameters, etc.
Chapter III starts out with a list of basic formal definitions leading to the terms 'Phrase Structure System', 'Phrase Structure Programming Language' and 'Meaning'. The notation and terminology of [12] is adopted here as far as possible. The fact that the nature of meaning of a programming language is imperative, allows the meaning of a sentence to be explained in terms of the changes which are affected on a certain set of variables by obeying the sentence. This set of variables is called the Environment of the Programming Language. The definition of the meaning with the aid of the structure, and the definition of the evaluation algorithm in terms of structural analysis of a sentence demand that emphasis be put on the development of a constructive algorithm for a syntactic analysis. Chapter III is mainly devoted to this topic. It could have been entirely avoided, had a reductive instead of a productive definition of the syntax been chosen. By a productive syntactic definition is meant a set of rules illustrating the various constructs which can be generated by a given syntactic entity. By a reductive syntactic definition is meant a set of rules directly illustrating the reductions which apply to a given sentence. A reductive syntax therefore directly describes the analyser, and recently some compilers have been constructed directly relying on a reductive syntactic description of the language. [13]. A language definition, however, is not primarily directed toward the reader (human or artificial), but toward the writer or creative user. His aim is to construct sentences to express certain concepts or ideas. The productive definition allows him to derive directly structural entities which conform to his concepts. In short, his use of the language is primarily synthetic and not analytic in nature. The reader then must apply an analytic process, which
in turn one should be able to specify given the productive syntactic definitions. One might call this a transformation of a productive into a reductive form, a synthetic into an analytic form.

The transformation method derived subsequently is largely based on earlier work by R. W. Floyd described in [14]. The grammars to which this transformation applies are called Precedence Grammars. The term 'Precedence Syntax' is, however, redefined, because the class of precedence grammars described in [14] was considered to be too restrictive, and even unnecessarily so. In particular, there is no need to define the class of precedence grammars as a subclass of the 'Operator grammars'. Several classes of precedence grammars are defined here, the order of a precedence grammar being determined by the amount of context the analysis has to recognize and memorize in order to make decisions. This classification relates to the definition of 'Structural Connectedness' described in [15], and provides a means to effectively determine the amount of connectedness for a given grammar.

Also in Chapter III, an algorithm is described which decides whether a given grammar is a precedence grammar, and if so, performs the desired transformation into data representing the reductive form of the grammar.

A proof is then provided of the unambiguity of precedence grammars, in the sense that the sequence of syntactic reductions applied to a sentence is unique for every sentence in the language. Because the sequence of interpretation rules to be obeyed is determined by the sequence of syntactic reductions, this uniqueness also guarantees the unambiguity of meaning, a crucial property for a programming language. Furthermore, the fact that all possible reductions are described exhaustively by the syntax,
and that to every syntactic rule there exists a corresponding interpretation (semantic) rule, guarantees that the definition of meaning is exhaustive. In other words, every sentence has one and only one meaning, which is well defined, if the sentence belongs to the language. Chapter III ends with a short example: The formal definition of a simple programming language containing expressions, assignment statements, declarations and block-structure.

A formal definition of an extension and generalization of ALGOL 60 is presented in Chapter IV. It will demonstrate that the described methods are powerful enough to define adequately and concisely all features of a programming language of the scope of ALGOL 60. This generalization is a further development of earlier work presented in [16].
II. An Elementary Notation for Algorithms.

This notation will in subsequent chapters be used as basis for the definitions of the meaning of more complicated programming languages.

A program is a sequence of imperative statements. In the following paragraphs the forms of a statement written in this elementary notation are defined and rules are given which explain its meaning. There exist two different kinds of statements:

A. the Assignment Statement, and

B. the Branching Statement.

The Assignment Statement serves to assign a new value to a variable whose old value is thereby lost. The successor of an Assignment Statement is the next statement in the sequence. The Branching Statement serves to designate a successor explicitly. Statements may for this purpose be labelled.

A. The Assignment Statement

The (direct) Assignment Statement is of the form

\[ v \leftarrow E \]

\( v \) stands for a variable and \( E \) for an expression. The meaning of this statement is that the current value of \( v \) is to be replaced by the current value of \( E \).

An expression is a construct of either one of the following forms:

\[ x, o \ x, x \Theta y, r \]

where \( x, y \) stand for either variables, literals or lists, \( o \) stands for a unary operator, \( \Theta \) stands for a binary operator and \( r \) stands for a reference. The value of an expression involving an operator is obtained by applying the operator to the current value(s) of the operand(s).
A reference is written as $@v$, where $v$ is the referenced variable.

The _indirect_ Assignment Statement is written as

$$v \leftarrow E$$

and is meant to assign the current value of the expression $E$ to the variable, whose reference is currently assigned to the variable $v$.

1. **Literals**

   A literal is an entity characterized by the property that its value is always the literal itself. There may exist several kinds of literals, e.g.'

   - **Numbers**
   - **Logical constants (Boolean)**

   **Symbols**

   Furthermore there exists the literal $\Omega$ with the meaning "undefined".

   Numeric constants shall be denoted in standard decimal form. The logical constants are _true_ and _false*_.

   A symbol or character is denoted by the symbol itself enclosed in quote marks ("'). A list of _symbols_ is usually called a _string_. Other types of literals may arbitrarily be introduced.

2. **Lists**

   A list is an entity denoted by'

   $$\{E, F, \ldots, G\}$$

   whose value is the ordered set of the current values of the expressions $E, F, \ldots, G$, called the elements of the list. A list can have any _number_ of elements (including 0), and the elements are numbered with the natural numbers starting with 1.

   * the underlined (boldface) letters have to be understood as one single symbol.
3. **Variables**

A variable is an entity uniquely identified within a program by a name to which a value can be assigned (and reassigned) during the execution of a program. Before the first assignment to a variable, its value shall be $\Omega$.

If the value of a variable consists of a sequence of elements, any one element may be designated by the variable name and a subscript, and thus is called a subscripted variable. The subscript is an expression, whose current value is the ordinal number of the element to be designated. Thus, after $a \leftarrow \{1,2,\{3,4,5\},6\}$, $a[1]$ designates the element "1", $a[3]$ designates the element $\{3,4,5\}$, and therefore $a[3][2]$ designates the second element of $a[3]$, i.e. "4". The notation $a_i$ shall be understood equivalent to $a[i]$, $a_{i,j}$ equivalent to $a[i][j]$ etc.

4. **Unary Operators**

Examples of unary operators are:

- $-x$, yields the negative of $x$
- $\neg x$, yields the value of the variable whose reference is currently assigned to $x$
- $\text{abs } x$, yields the absolute value of $x$
- $\text{integer } x$, yields $x$ rounded to the nearest integer
- $\text{tail } x$, yields the list $x$ with its first element deleted;
- $\text{isli } x$, yields true, if $x$ is a list, false otherwise

A further set of unary operators is the set of $\text{typetest}$ operators which determine whether the current value of a variable is a member of a certain set of literals. The resulting value is true, if the test is affirmative, false otherwise.
Examples:

- real \( x \) yields the number corresponding to the logical value \( x \).
- logical \( x \) yields the inverse of \( x \), denoting the number corresponding to the logical value \( x \).
- \( +x \), \( -x \), \( \times \), \( \div \), \( \neg \), \( \land \), \( \lor \), \( \Rightarrow \), \( \Leftarrow \), \( \equiv \), \( \circ \) are symbols.

A further set of operators is the set of conversion operators which produce values of a certain type from a value of another type.

5. Binary Operators

Examples of binary operators are:

- \( + \) denoting addition, subtraction and multiplication in the usual sense. The accuracy of the result is not defined here. In case of the denominator being zero, the result is \( 0 \).
- \( \div \) denoting division in the usual sense. The accuracy of the result is not defined here. In case of the denominator being zero, the result is \( R \).
- \( \neg \) denoting division between the rounded operands with the result being truncated to its integral value.
mod yields the remainder of the division denoted by \( \div \).

\& yields the concatenation of two lists, i.e.

\[ \{x\} \& \{y\} = \{x,y\} \]

\(=\) yields true, if the two scalar operands are equal, false otherwise.

\(\uparrow\) denoting exponentiation, i.e. \(x \uparrow y\) stands for \(x^y\).

The classes of unary and binary operators listed here may be extended and new types of literals may be introduced along with corresponding typetest and conversion operators.

B. The Branching Statement

There are Simple and Conditional Branching Statements.

1. The Simple Branching Statement

It is of the form

\[ \text{goto } l \]

where \(l\) stands for a label. The meaning is that the successor of this statement is the statement with the label \(l\). Labelling of a statement is achieved by preceding it with the label and a colon (\(:\)) in program. The label is a unique name (within a program) and designates exactly one statement of the program.

2. The Conditional Branching Statement

It is of the form

\[ \text{if } E \text{ then goto } l \]

where \(l\) is a label uniquely defined in the program and \(E\) is an expression. The meaning is to select as the successor to the
Branching Statement the statement with the label \( l \), if the current value of \( E \) is true, or the next statement in the sequence, if it is false. For notational convenience a statement of the form

\[
\text{if } \neg E \text{ then goto } l
\]

\((\neg = \text{not})\)

shall be admitted and understood in the obvious sense.

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Notational standards shall not be fixed here. Thus the sequence of statements can be established by separating statements by delimiters, or by beginning a new line for every statement. The Branching Statement and the labelling of statements may be replaced by explicit arrows, thus yielding block diagrams or flow-charts.
A. Notation, Terminology, Basic Definitions

Let $\mathcal{V}$ be a given set: the vocabulary. Elements of $\mathcal{V}$ are called symbols and will be denoted by capital Latin letters, $S$, $T$, $U$ etc. Finite sequences of symbols -- including the empty sequence $(\lambda)$ -- are called strings and will be denoted by small Latin letters -- $x$, $y$, $z$, etc. The set of all strings over $\mathcal{V}$ is denoted by $\mathcal{V}^*$. Clearly $\mathcal{V} \subset \mathcal{V}^*$.

A simple phrase structure system is an ordered pair $(\mathcal{V}, \Phi)$, where $\mathcal{V}$ is a vocabulary and $\Phi$ is a finite set of syntactic rules $\gamma$ of the form

$$U \rightarrow x \neq \emptyset \text{ U } \in \mathcal{V}, x \in \mathcal{V}^*.$$ 

For $\gamma = U \rightarrow x$, $U$ is called the left part and $x$ the right part of $\gamma$.

$y$ directly produces $z(y \rightarrow z)$ and conversely $z$ directly reduces into $y$, if and only if there exist strings $u$, $v$ such that $y = uuv$ and $z = uxv$, and the rule $U \rightarrow x$ is an element of $\Phi$.

$y$ produces $z(y \rightarrow z)$ and conversely $z$ reduces into $y$, if and only if there exist a sequence of strings $x_0, \ldots, x_n$ such that $y = x_0, x_n = z$, and $x_{i-1} \rightarrow x_i$ $(i = 1, \ldots, n; n > 1)$.

A simple phrase structure syntax is an ordered quadruple $\mathcal{S} = (\mathcal{V}, \Phi, \mathcal{B}, A)$, where $\mathcal{V}$ and $\Phi$ form a phrase structure system; $\mathcal{B}$ is the subset of $\mathcal{V}$ such that none of the elements of $\mathcal{B}$ (called basic symbols) occurs as the left part of any rule of $\Phi$, while all elements of $\mathcal{V} - \mathcal{B}$ occur as left part of at least one rule; $A$ is the symbol which occurs in no right part of any rule of $\Phi$.  

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The letter U shall always denote some symbol $U \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{F}$.

$x$ is a sentence of $\mathcal{L}$, if $x \in \mathcal{V}^*$ (i.e. $x$ is a string of basic symbols) and $A \xrightarrow{*} x$.

A simple phrase structure language $\mathcal{L}$ is the set of all strings $x$ which can be produced by $(\mathcal{V}, \phi)$ from $A$:

$$\mathcal{L} = \{ x | A \xrightarrow{*} x \wedge x \in \mathcal{V}^* \}.$$ 

Let $U \in \mathcal{V}$. A parse of the string $z$ into the symbol $U$ is a sequence of syntactic rules $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \ldots, \varphi_n$, such that $\varphi_j$ directly reduces $z_{j-1}$ into $z_j$ ($j = 1 \ldots n$), and $z = z_0, z_n = U$.

Assume $z_k = U_1 U_2 \ldots U_m$ (for some $1 < k < n$). Then $z_i$ ($i < k$) must be of the form $z_i = u_1 u_2 \ldots u_m$, where for each $l = 1 \ldots m$ either $U_l \not\xrightarrow{\varphi_i} u_l$, or $U_l = u_l$. Then the canonical form of the section of the parse reducing $z_i$ into $z_k$ shall be $\{ \varphi_1 \} \{ \varphi_2 \} \ldots \{ \varphi_m \}$, where the sequence $\{ \varphi_i \}$ is the canonical form of the section of the parse reducing $u_l$ into $U_l$. Clearly $\{ \varphi_i \}$ is empty, if $U_l = u_l$, and is canonical, if it consists of 1 element only.

The canonical parse is the parse which proceeds strictly from left to right in a sentence, and reduces a leftmost part of a sentence as far as possible before proceeding further to the right. In general, there may exist several canonical parses for a sentence, but every parse has only one canonical form.

An unambiguous syntax is a phrase structure syntax with the property that for every string $x \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{L})$ there exists exactly one canonical parse.

It has been shown that there exists no algorithm which decides the ambiguity problem for any arbitrary syntax. However, a sufficient condition for a syntax to be unambiguous will subsequently be derived. A method will be explained to determine whether a given syntax satisfies
An **environment** \( \mathcal{E} \) is a set of variables whose values define the meaning of a sentence.

An **interpretation rule** \( \psi \) defines an action (or a sequence of actions) involving the variables of an environment \( \mathcal{E} \).

A **phrase structure programming language** \( \mathcal{L}_p(\mathcal{G}, \Psi, \mathcal{E}) \) is a phrase structure language \( \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{G}) \), where \( \mathcal{G}(\mathcal{V}, \phi, \mathcal{B}, A) \) is a phrase structure syntax, \( \Psi \) is a set of (possibly empty) interpretation rules such that a unique one to one mapping exists between elements of \( \Psi \) and \( \phi \), and \( \mathcal{E} \) is an environment for the elements of \( \Psi \). Instead of \( \mathcal{L}_p(\mathcal{G}, \Psi, \mathcal{E}) \) we also write \( \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{V}, \phi, \mathcal{B}, A, \Psi, \mathcal{E}) \).

The **meaning** \( m \) of a sentence \( x \in \mathcal{L}_p \) is the effect of the execution of the sequence of interpretation rules \( \psi_1 \psi_2 \ldots \psi_n \) on the environment \( \mathcal{E} \), where \( \varphi_1 \varphi_2 \ldots \varphi_n \) is a parse of the sentence \( x \) into the symbol \( A \) and \( \psi_i \) corresponds to \( \varphi_i \) for all \( i \).

It follows immediately that a programming language will have an unambiguous meaning, if and only if its underlying syntax is unambiguous. As a consequence, every sentence of the language has a well-defined meaning.

A sentence \( x_1 \in \mathcal{L}_p(\mathcal{G}_1, \Psi_1, \mathcal{E}) \) is called **equivalent** to a sentence \( x_2 \in \mathcal{L}_p(\mathcal{G}_2, \Psi_2, \mathcal{E}) \) (possibly \( \mathcal{G}_1 = \mathcal{G}_2, \Psi_1 = \Psi_2 \)), if and only if \( m(x_1) \) is equal to \( m(x_2) \).

A **programming language** \( \mathcal{L}_p(\mathcal{G}_1, \Psi_1, \mathcal{E}) \) is called **equivalent** to \( \mathcal{L}_p(\mathcal{G}_2, \Psi_2, \mathcal{E}) \), if and only if \( \mathcal{L}_p = \mathcal{L}_p \) and for every sentence \( x \), \( m_1(x) \) according to \( (\mathcal{G}_1, \Psi_1) \) is equal to \( m_2(x) \) according to \( (\mathcal{G}_2, \Psi_2) \).
B. Precedence Phrase Structure Systems

The definition of the meaning of a sentence requires that a sentence must be parsed in order to be evaluated or obeyed. Our prime attention will therefore be directed toward a constructive method for parsing. In the present chapter, a parsing algorithm will be described. It relies on certain relations between symbols. These relations can be determined for any given syntax. A syntax for which the relation between any two symbols is unique, is called a simple precedence syntax. Obviously, the parsing algorithm only applies to precedence phrase structure systems. It will then be shown that any parse in such a system is unique. The class of precedence phrase structure systems is only a restricted subset among all phrase structure systems. The definition of precedence relations will subsequently be generalized with the effect that the class of precedence phrase structure systems will be considerably enlarged.

1. The Parsing Algorithm for Simple Precedence Phrase Structure Languages.

In accordance with the definition of the canonical form of a generation tree or of a parse, a parsing algorithm must first detect the leftmost substring of the sentence to which a reduction is applicable. Then the reduction is to be performed and the same principle is applied to the new sentence. In order to detect the leftmost reducible substring, the algorithm to be presented here makes use of previously established noncommutative relations between symbols of which are chosen according to the following criteria:

   a. The relation \( \preceq \) holds between all adjacent symbols within a string which is directly reducible;
b. The relation \(<\) holds between the symbol immediately preceding a reducible string and the leftmost symbol of that string; 

c. The relation \(\geq\) holds between the rightmost symbol of a reducible string and the symbol immediately following that string.

The process of detecting the leftmost reducible substring now consists of scanning the sentence from left to right until the first symbol pair is found so that \(S_{i} \geq S_{i+1}\), then to retreat back to the last symbol pair for which \(S_{j-1} < S_{j}\) holds. \(S_{j} \ldots S_{i}\) is then the sought substring; it is replaced by the symbol resulting from the reduction. The process then repeats itself. At this point it must be noted that it is not necessary to start scanning at the beginning of the sentence, since all symbols \(S_{k}\) for \(k < j\) have not been altered, but that the search for the next \(\geq\) can start at the place of the previous reduction.

In the following formal description of the algorithm the original sentence is denoted by \(P_{1} \ldots P_{n}\). \(k\) is the index of the last symbol scanned. For practical reasons, all scanned symbols are copied and renamed \(S_{j} \ldots S_{i}\). The reducible substring therefore will always be \(S_{1} \ldots S_{i}\) for some \(j\). Internal to the algorithm, there exists a symbol \(\bot\) initializing and terminating the process. To any symbol \(S\) of \(\mathcal{V}\) it has the relations \(\bot < S\) and \(S \geq \bot\).

We assume that \(P_{0} = P_{n+1} = \bot\).
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Comments to the Algorithm:

1. Copy the string P into S and advance until a relation $\Rightarrow$ is encountered;
2. Retreat backward across the reducible substring;
3. A reduction has been made. Resume the search for $\Rightarrow$.

The step denoted by "Reduce $S_j \ldots S_i$" requires that the reducible substring is identified in order to obtain the symbol resulting from the reduction. If the parsed sentence is to be evaluated, then the interpretation rule $\Psi_i$ corresponding to the syntactic rule $\varphi_i$: $u \rightarrow S_j \ldots S_i$ is identified and obeyed.

2. An Algorithm to Determine the Precedence Relations.

The definition of the precedence relations can be formalized in the following way:

a. For any ordered pair of symbols $(S_i, S_j)$, $S_i \Rightarrow S_j$, if and only if there exists a syntactic rule of the form $u \rightarrow xS_iS_jy$, for some symbol $U$ and some (possibly empty) strings $x$, $y$.

b. For any ordered pair of symbols $(S_i, S_j)$, $S_i \Rightarrow S_j$, if and only if there exists a syntactic rule of the form $u \rightarrow xS_iU_jy$, for some $U$, $x$, $y$, $U_j$, and there exists a generation $U_j \rightarrow S_jz$, for some string $z$.

c. For any ordered pair of symbols $(S_i, S_j)$, $S_i \Rightarrow S_j$, if and only if

1. there exists a syntactic rule of the form $U \rightarrow xU_jS_jy$, for some $U$, $x$, $y$, $U_j$, and there exists a generation $U_j \rightarrow zS_i$, for some string $z$, or
2. there exists a syntactic rule of the form \( U \rightarrow xU_k U_l y \), for some \( U, x, y, U_k, U_l \), and there exist generations \( U_k \Rightarrow zS_i \) and \( U_l \Rightarrow S_j w \) for some strings \( z, w \).

We now introduce the sets of leftmost and rightmost symbols of a non-basic symbol \( U \) by the following definitions:

\[
\mathcal{L}(U) = \{ S \mid \exists z(U \Rightarrow zS) \} \\
\mathcal{R}(U) = \{ S \mid \exists z(U \Rightarrow zS) \}
\]

Now the definitions a. b. c. can be reformulated as:

a. \( S_i \Rightarrow S_j \iff \exists \varphi(U \rightarrow xS_i S_j y) \)

b. \( S_i \Rightarrow S_j \iff \exists \varphi(U \rightarrow xS_i S_j y) \land S_j \in \mathcal{L}(U_l) \)

c. \( S_i \Rightarrow S_j \iff \exists \varphi(U \rightarrow xS_i S_j y) \land S_j \in \mathcal{R}(U_k) \lor \exists \varphi(U \rightarrow xS_i S_j y) \land S_i \in \mathcal{L}(U_k) \land S_j \in \mathcal{R}(U_l) \)

These definitions are equivalent to the definitions of the precedence relations, if \( \varnothing \) does not contain any rules of the form \( U \rightarrow \Lambda \), where \( \Lambda \) denotes the empty string.

The definition of the sets \( \mathcal{L} \) and \( \mathcal{R} \) is such that an algorithm for effectively creating the sets is evident. A symbol \( S \) is a member of \( \mathcal{L}(U) \), if

a. There exists a syntactic rule \( \varphi : U \Rightarrow S x \), for some \( x \), or

b. There exists a syntactic rule \( \varphi : U \Rightarrow U_l x \), and \( S \in \mathcal{L}(U_l) \);

e.g.

\[
\mathcal{L}(U) = \{ S \mid \exists \varphi : U \Rightarrow S x \lor \exists \varphi : U \Rightarrow U_l x \land S \in \mathcal{L}(U_l) \}
\]

Analogously:

\[
\mathcal{R}(U) = \{ S \mid \exists \varphi : U \Rightarrow S x \lor \exists \varphi : U \Rightarrow U_l x \land S \in \mathcal{R}(U_l) \}
\]
The algorithm for finding $\mathcal{L}$ and $\mathcal{R}$ for all symbols $U \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{B}$ involves searching $\phi$ for appropriate syntactic rules. In practice, this turns out to be a rather intricate affair, because precautions must be taken when recursive definitions are used. An algorithm is presented in Appendix I as part of an Extended ALGOL program for the Burroughs B5500 computer.

The precedence relations can be represented by a matrix $M$ with elements $M_{i,j}$ representing the relation between the ordered symbol pair $(S_i, S_j)$. The matrix clearly has as many rows and columns as there are symbols in the vocabulary $\mathcal{V}$.

Assuming that an arbitrary ordering of the symbols of $\mathcal{V}$ has been made ($\mathcal{V} = \{S_1, S_2, \ldots, S_n\}$), an algorithm for the determination of the precedence matrix $M$ can be indicated as follows:

For every element $\phi$ of $\phi$ which is of the form $U \rightarrow S_1 S_2 \ldots S_m$
and for every pair $S_i, S_{i+1}$ ($i = 1 \ldots m - 1$) assign
a. $\rightarrow$ to $M_{i,i+1}$
b. $\leftarrow$ to all $M_{i,k}$ with row index $k$ such that $S_k \in \mathcal{L}(S_{i+1})$
c. $\rightarrow$ to all $M_{k,i+1}$ with column index $k$ such that $S_k \in \mathcal{R}(S_i)$
d. $\leftarrow$ to all $M_{l,k}$ with indices $l, k$ such that $S_l \in \mathcal{R}(S_i)$ and $S_k \in \mathcal{L}(S_{i+1})$.

Assignments under b. occur only if $S_{i+1} \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{B}$, under c. only if $S_i \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{B}$, and under d. only if both $S_i, S_{i+1} \in \mathcal{V} - \mathcal{B}$, because $\mathcal{L}(S)$ and $\mathcal{R}(S)$ are empty sets for all $S \in \mathcal{B}$.

This algorithm appears as part of the ALGOL program listed in Appendix I.

A syntax is a simple precedence syntax, if and only if at most one relation holds between any ordered pair of symbols.
3. **Examples**

a. $\mathcal{C}_1 = (\mathcal{V}_1, \phi_1, \mathcal{B}_1, S)$

$\mathcal{V}_1 = \{S, H, \lambda, "\}$

$\mathcal{B}_1 = \text{CA, "}"

$\phi_1 : S \rightarrow H "$

$H \rightarrow "$

$H \rightarrow H \lambda$

$H \rightarrow H S$

Assume that $S$ stands for 'string' and $H$ for 'head', then this phrase structure system would define a string as consisting of a sequence of string elements enclosed in quote-marks, where an element is either $\lambda$ or another (nested) string.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>U</th>
<th>$\mathcal{L}(U)$</th>
<th>$\mathcal{R}(U)$</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>S</td>
<td>&quot; H &quot;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>H</td>
<td>&quot; H &quot; $\lambda$ S</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Since both $H \geq "$ and $H < "$, $\mathcal{C}_1$ is not a precedence syntax. It is intuitively clear that either nested strings should be delineated by distinct opening and closing marks ($\mathcal{C}_2$), or that no nested strings should be allowed ($\mathcal{C}_3$).
\[
\begin{array}{c|c}
\chi & H \\
\hline
H & S \\
\end{array}
\]

\[
\vdash \chi \leftarrow H \\
\vdash H \leftarrow \mathcal{S} : \exists \phi
\]

\[
\Gamma \vdash \chi \leftarrow H \\
\Gamma \vdash H \leftarrow \mathcal{S} : \exists \phi
\]

\[
s \vdash \mathcal{E} \exists \phi \leftarrow \mathcal{N} = \exists F : \mathcal{Q}
\]

\[
\begin{array}{c}
\preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \\
\preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \chi \\
\preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \chi \\
\natural \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \chi \\
\natural \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \preceq \mathcal{S} \\
\end{array}
\]

\[
\begin{array}{c}
S \chi, H, \\
\chi, H, \\
\hline
\phi
\end{array}
\]

\[
\begin{array}{c|c}
\phi \phi & \text{SH} \leftarrow H \\
\varepsilon \phi & \chi H \leftarrow H \\
\varepsilon \phi & \chi H \leftarrow H \\
\varepsilon \phi & \chi H \leftarrow \mathcal{S} : \exists \phi \\
\varepsilon \phi & \chi H \leftarrow \mathcal{S} : \exists \phi \\
\{\varepsilon, \chi\} = \mathcal{E} \\
\{\varepsilon, \chi, H, \mathcal{S}\} = \mathcal{N} \\
\mathcal{S} \mathcal{E} \mathcal{F} \leftarrow \mathcal{E} \mathcal{F} \leftarrow \mathcal{N} = \exists F : \mathcal{Q}
\end{array}
\]
$\mathcal{L}_3$ is a precedence syntax.

As an illustration for the parsing algorithm, we choose the parsing of a sentence of $\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{L}_2)$:

4. **The Uniqueness of a Parse.**

The three previous examples suggest that the property of unique precedence relationship between all symbol pairs be connected with uniqueness of a parse for any sentence of a language. This relationship is established by the following theorem:

**Theorem:** The given parsing algorithm yields the canonical form of the parse for any sentence of a precedence phrase structure language, if there exist no two syntactic rules with the same right part. Furthermore, this canonical parse is unique.
This theorem is proven, if it can be shown that in any sentence its directly reducible parts are disjoint. Then the algorithm, proceeding strictly from left to right, produces the canonical parse, which is unique, because no reducible substring can apply to more than one syntactic rule.

The proof that all directly reducible substrings are disjoint is achieved indirectly: Suppose that the string $S_1 \ldots S_n$ contain two directly reducible substrings $S_{l} \ldots S_{k}$ (a.) and $S_{j} \ldots S_{l}$ (b.), where $1 \leq i \leq j \leq k \leq l \leq n$. Then because of (a.) it follows from the definition of the precedence relations that $S_{j-1} \leq S_{j}$ and $S_{k} \geq S_{k+1}$, and because of (b.) $S_{j-1} \leq S_{j}$ and $S_{k} \geq S_{k+1}$. Therefore this sentence cannot belong to a precedence grammar.

Since in particular the leftmost reducible substring is unique, the syntactic rule to be applied is unique. Because the new sentence again belongs to the precedence language, the next reduction is unique again. It can be shown by induction, that therefore the entire parse must be unique.

From the definition of the meaning of a phrase structure programming language it follows that its meaning is unambiguous for all sentences, if the underlying syntax is a precedence syntax.

5. Precedence Functions.

The given parsing algorithm refers to a matrix of precedence relations with $n^2$ elements, where $n$ is the number of symbols in the language. For practical compilers this would in most cases require an extensive amount of storage space. Often the precedence relations are such that two numeric functions $(f, g)$ ranging over the set of symbols can
be found, such that for all ordered pairs \((S_i, S_j)\)

a. \(f(S_i) = g(S_j) \leftrightarrow S_i \preceq S_j\)

b. \(f(S_i) < g(S_j) \leftrightarrow S_i < S_j\)

c. \(f(S_i) > g(S_j) \leftrightarrow S_i > S_j\)

If these functions exist and the parsing algorithm is adjusted appropriately, then the amount of elements needed to represent the precedence information reduces from \(n^2\) to \(2n\). An algorithm for deciding whether the functions exist and for finding the functions if they exist is given as part of the ALGOL program in Appendix-1.

In example 2, e.g. the precedence matrix can be represented by the two functions \(f\) and \(g\), where

\[
\begin{array}{c|cccc}
S & s & h & \lambda & \cdot \\
\hline
f(S) & 3 & 1 & 3 & 3 & 3 \\
g(s) & 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\
\end{array}
\]

A precedence phrase structure syntax for which these precedence functions do not exist is given presently:

\[\mathcal{U} = \{A, B, C, \lambda, [,]\}\]
\[\mathcal{B} = \{\lambda, [,]\}\]

\[\phi: A \rightarrow C B \]
\[A \rightarrow [\ ]\]
\[B \rightarrow \lambda\]
\[B \rightarrow \lambda A\]
\[B \rightarrow A\]
\[C \rightarrow [\ ]\]

It can be verified that this is a precedence syntax and in particular the following precedence relations can be derived:
Precedence functions \( f \) and \( g \) would thus have to satisfy
\[
f(\lambda) < g(\lambda) < f([] = g([]) < f(\lambda)
\]
which clearly is a contradiction. Precedence functions therefore do not exist for this precedence syntax.


It is the purpose of this chapter to redefine the precedence relationships more generally, thus enlarging the class of precedence phrase structure systems. This is desirable, since for precedence languages a constructive parsing algorithm has been presented which is instrumental in the definition of the meaning of the language. The motivation for the manner in which the precedence relationships will be generalized is first illustrated in an informal way by means of examples. These examples are phrase structure systems which for one or another reason might be likely to occur in the definition of a language, but which also violate the rules for simple precedence syntax.

Example 1.

\( \mathcal{V} = \{ A, B, ;, S, D \} \)

\( \mathcal{B} = \{ ;, S, D \} \)

\( \phi: A \to B \)
\( A \to D ; A \)
\( B \to S \)
\( B \to B ; S \)

\( S \in \sigma(A) \), thus ; \( \preceq S \), and also ; \( \preceq S \).

This syntax produces sequences of D's separated by ";", followed by a sequence of symbols S, also separated by ";". A parse is constructed as follows:
The sequence of S's is defined using a left-recursive definition, while the sequence of D's is defined using a right-recursive definition. The precedence violation occurs, because for both sequences the same separator symbol is used.

The difficulty arises when the symbol sequence ";S" occurs. It is then not clear whether both symbols should be included in the same substring or not. The decision can be made, if the immediately preceding symbol is investigated.

In other words, not only two single symbols should be related, but a symbol and the string consisting of the two previously obtained symbols. Thus:

\[ B; \not\in S \quad \text{and} \quad D; \not\in S.\]

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**Example 2:**

\[ \hat{\Sigma} = \{A, B, ;, S, D\}, \]

\[ \hat{\mathcal{R}} = \{; , S , D\} \]

\[ \Phi: \]

\[ A \rightarrow B \]

\[ A \rightarrow A ; S \]

\[ B \rightarrow D \]

\[ B \rightarrow D ; B \]
D ∈ R(A), thus D ∗ ; and also D ≈ ;

This syntax produces the same strings as the preceding one, but with a different syntactic structure:

```
D ; ....... ; D ; D ; S ; S ; ....... ; S
```

Here the same difficulty arises upon encountering the symbol sequence "D;". The decision whether to include both symbols in the same syntactic category or not can be reached upon investigating the following symbol. Explicitly, a symbol should be related to the subsequent string of 2 symbols, i.e.

```
D ≈ ; D and D ∗ ; S .
```

Example 3:

```
U = {A , B , λ , ; , [ , ]}
B = {λ , ; , [ , ]}
ϕ : A → B ; B
B → [ A ]
B → [ λ ]
B → λ
```

Since λ ∈ L(A) and A ∈ % (A) : [ ≈ λ and λ ∗ ]. But also [ ≈ λ and λ ≈ ].

In this case the following relations must be established to resolve the ambiguity.

```
[ ≈ λ] , [ ≈ λ; ;; λ ∗ ] and [ λ ≈ ] .
```
This syntax therefore combines the situations arising in Examples 1 and 2. Obviously, examples could be created where the strings to be related would be of length greater than 2. We will therefore call a precedence phrase structure system to be of order \((m, n)\), if unique precedence relations can be established between strings of length \(\leq m\) and strings of length \(<n\). Subsequently, a more precise definition will be stated. A set of extended rules must be found which define the generalized precedence relations. The parsing algorithm, however, remains the same, with the exception that not only the symbols \(S_i\) and \(P_k\) be related, but possibly the strings \(S_i \ldots S_i\) and \(P_k \ldots P_{k+n}\).

The definitions of the relations \(<\sim, \succ\>\) is as follows: Let \(x = s_{-m} \ldots s_{-1}, y = s_{1} \ldots s_{n}\), let \(u, v, u', v' \in \mathcal{V}^*\) and \(U, U_1, U_2 \in \mathcal{T}_{\mathcal{B}}\), then

a. \(x \sim y\), if and only if there exists a syntactic rule
\[
\begin{align*}
    u \rightarrow u S_{-1} S_1 v, & \quad \text{and} \\
    u S_{-1} \not\rightarrow u' x, & \quad s_1 v \not\rightarrow y - v';
\end{align*}
\]

b. \(x \prec y\), if and only if there exists a syntactic rule
\[
\begin{align*}
    u \rightarrow u S_{-1} U_1 v, & \quad \text{and} \\
    u S_{-1} \not\rightarrow u' x, U_1 v \not\rightarrow y v';
\end{align*}
\]

c. \(x \succ y\), if and only if there exists a syntactic rule
\[
\begin{align*}
    U \rightarrow u U_1 S_1 v, & \quad \text{and} \\
    u U_1 \not\rightarrow u' x, S_1 v \not\rightarrow y v', & \quad \text{or there exists a syntactic rule} \\
    U \rightarrow u U_1 U_2 v \quad \text{and} \quad u U_1 \not\rightarrow u' x, U_2 v \not\rightarrow y v'.
\end{align*}
\]

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A syntax is said to be a **precedence syntax of order** \((m,n)\), if and only if

a. it is not a precedence syntax of degree \((m', n')\) for \(m' < m\) or \(n' < n\), and

b. for any ordered pair of strings \(S_{-m} \ldots S_{-1}, S_1 \ldots S_n\), where \(m' < m\) and \(n' < n\) either at most one of the 3 relations

\(< \quad \not\in \quad >\) holds or otherwise b. is satisfied for the pair

\(S_{-(m'+1)} \ldots S_1 \ldots S_{n'+1}\).

A precedence syntax of order \((1,1)\) is called a **simple precedence syntax**.

With the help of the sets of leftmost and rightmost strings, the definitions of the precedence relations can be reformulated analogously to their counterparts in section 2b, subject to the condition that there exists no rule \(U \rightarrow A\).

a. \(x \triangleq y \leftrightarrow \exists \phi (\psi : U \rightarrow uS_{-1}S_1v)\)

\(\land (u'S_{-m'} \ldots S_{-2} = u \lor S_{-m} \ldots S_{-2} \in \mathcal{R}^{(m-1)}(u))\)

\(\land (S_2 \ldots S_n' = v \lor S_2 \ldots S_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n-1)}(v))\)

b. \(x \prec y \leftrightarrow \exists \phi (\psi : u \rightarrow uS_{-1}U_1v)\)

\(\land (u'S_{-m'} \ldots S_{-2} = u \lor S_{-m} \ldots S_{-2} \in \mathcal{R}^{(m-1)}(u))\)

\(\land (S_1 \ldots S_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n)}(U_1v))\)

c. \(x \triangleright y \leftrightarrow \exists \phi (\psi : u \rightarrow uU_1S_1v)\)

\(\land (S_{-m} \ldots S_{-1} \in \mathcal{R}^{(m)}(uU_1))\)

\(\land (S_1 \ldots S_n' = v \lor S_2 \ldots S_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n-1)}(v))\)

or \(\exists \phi (\psi : u \rightarrow uU_1U_2v)\)

\(\land (S_{-m} \ldots S_{-1} \in \mathcal{R}^{(m)}(uU_1) \land (S_1 \ldots S_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n)}(U_2v))\)
\( \mathcal{L}^{(n)}(s) \) and \( \mathcal{R}^{(n)}(s) \) are then defined as follows:

1. \( z = Z_1 \ldots Z_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n)}(U \cup) \leftrightarrow \exists k \leq n \text{ such that } (Z_1 \ldots Z_k \in \mathcal{L}^{(k)}(U)) A (Z_{k+1} \ldots Z_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n-k)}(U)) \)

1a. \( z = z_1 \ldots z_n \in \mathcal{L}^{(n)}(U) \leftrightarrow \exists k \leq n \text{ such that } (U \rightarrow z_1 \ldots z_k \in \mathcal{L}^{(n-k)}(U)) \)

2. \( z = Z_1 \ldots Z_n \in \mathcal{R}^{(n)}(U \cup) \leftrightarrow \exists k \leq n \text{ such that } (Z_1 \ldots Z_k \in \mathcal{R}^{(k)}(U)) \Lambda (Z_{k+1} \ldots Z_n \in \mathcal{R}^{(n-k)}(U)) \)

2a. \( z = z_1 \ldots z_n \in \mathcal{R}^{(n)}(U) \leftrightarrow \exists k \leq n \text{ such that } (U \rightarrow z_1 \ldots z_k \in \mathcal{R}^{(n-k)}(U)) \)

These formulae indicate the method for effectively finding the sets \( \mathcal{L} \) and \( \mathcal{R} \) for all symbols in \( V-B \). In particular, we obtain for \( \mathcal{L}^{(1)} \) and \( \mathcal{R}^{(1)} \) the definitions for \( \mathcal{L} \) and \( \mathcal{R} \) without superscript as defined in section 2b.

Although for practical purposes such as the construction of a useful programming language no precedence syntax of order greater than \((2,2)\) or even \((2,1)\) will be necessary, a general approach for the determination of the precedence relations of any order shall be outlined subsequently:

First it is to be determined whether a given syntax is a precedence syntax of order \((1,1)\). If it is not, then for all pairs of symbols \((S_i, S_k)\), between which the relationship is not unique, it has to be determined whether all relations will be unique between either \((S_j S_i, S_k)\) or \((S_i S_k S_j)\), where \(S_j\) ranges over the entire vocabulary. According to the outcome, one obtains a precedence syntax of order \((2,1),(1,2)\) or \((2,2)\), or if some relations are still not unique, one has to try for even higher orders. If at some stage it is not possible to determine relations
between the strings with the appended symbol \( s_j \) ranging over the entire vocabulary, then the given syntax is no precedence syntax at all.

Example:

\[
\mathcal{V} = \{A, B, \lambda, [, ]\}
\]

\[
\mathcal{B} = \{\lambda, [, ]\}
\]

\[
\Phi : A \rightarrow B
\]

\[
A \rightarrow [B]
\]

\[
B \rightarrow \lambda
\]

\[
B \rightarrow [, ]
\]

The conflicting relations are \( [< \lambda, [ \ldots \lambda, \ldots ] and \lambda >] \). But a relation between \( (S[, , \lambda]) \) or \( (A, [S]) \) can be established for no symbol \( S \) whatsoever, and between \( ([, \lambda S_1]) \) and \( (S_2, \lambda, ]) \) only for \( S_1 = ] \) and \( S_2 = [, ] \). Thus this is no precedence syntax.

Clearly there exist two different parses for the string \([A]\), namely

\[
[ \lambda ] \\
B
\]

\[
[ \lambda ] \\
B
\]

\[
A
\]

\[
A
\]

The underlying phrase structure systems in section III.3 and chapter IV will be simple precedence phrase structure systems.

C. An Example

A simple phrase structure programming language shall serve as an illustration of the presented concepts. This language contains the following constructs which are well-known from ALGOL60: Variables, arithmetic expressions, assignment statements, declarations and the block structure. The meaning of the language is explained in terms of an array of variables,
called the 'value stack', which has to be understood as being associated with the array \( S \) which is instrumental in the parsing algorithm. The variable \( V_i \) represents the 'value' associated with the symbol \( S_i \).

E.g., the interpretation rule \( \psi_{11} \) corresponding to the syntactic rule \( \phi_{11} \) determines the value of the resulting symbol \( \text{expr-} \) as the sum of the values of the symbols \( \text{expr-} \) and \( \text{term} \) belonging to the string to be reduced.

\[
\phi_{11} : \text{expr-} \rightarrow \text{expr-} + \text{term}
\]

\[
\psi_{11} : V_j \leftarrow V_j + V_i, \ [V(\text{expr-}) \leftarrow V(\text{expr-}) + V(\text{term})]
\]

Note that the string to be reduced has been denoted by \( S_i \ldots S_1 \) in the parsing algorithm of section III.2a. Instead of thus making explicit reference to a particular parsing algorithm, \( V_i \ldots V_i \), the values of the symbols \( S_i \ldots S_j \), can be denoted explicitly, i.e. instead of \( V_i \) and \( V_j \) in \( \psi_{11} \) one might write \( V(\text{term}) \) and \( V(\text{expr-}) \) respectively.

For the sake of brevity, the subscripts \( i \) and \( j \) have been preferred here.

A second set of variables is called the 'name stack'. It serves to represent a second value of certain symbols, which can be considered as a 'name'. The symbol \( \text{decl} \) is actually the only symbol with two values; it represents a variable of the program in execution which has a name (namely its associated identifier) and a value (namely the value last assigned to it by the program). The syntax of the language is such that the symbol \( \text{decl} \) remains in the parse-stack \( S \) as long as the declaration is valid, i.e. until the block to which the declaration belongs is closed.

This is achieved by defining the sequence of declarations in the head of a block by the right-recursive syntactic rule \( \phi_4 \). The
parse of a sequence of declarations illustrates that the declarations can only be involved in a reduction together with a `body-` symbol after a symbol `body-` has originated through some other syntactic reduction. This, in turn, is only possibly when the symbol `end` is encountered. The `end` symbol then initiates a whole sequence of reductions which result in the collapsing of the part of the stack which represented the closing block. On the other hand, the sequence of statements which constitutes the imperative part of a block, is defined by the left-recursive syntactic formula \( \ast_6 \). Thus a statement reduces with a preceding statement-list into a statement-list immediately, because there is no need to retain information about the executed statement in the value-stack.

This is a typical example where the syntax is engaged in the definition of not only the structure but also the meaning of a language. The consequence is that in constructing a syntax one has to be fully aware of the meaning of a constituent of the language and its interaction with other constituents. Many other such examples will be found in chapter IV of this article. It is, however, not possible to enumerate and discuss every particular consideration which had to be made during the construction of the language. 'Only a detailed study and analysis of the language can usually reveal the reasons for the many decisions which were taken in its design.

Subsequently the formal definition of the simple phrase structure language is given:

\[
\mathcal{L}_p = (\mathcal{V}, \mathcal{B}, \text{program}, \emptyset, \ast)
\]

\[
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\end{align*} \]

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\psi_3 : & \quad \land \\
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\psi_8 : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_1 \\
\psi_9 : & \quad \land \\
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\psi_{13} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_1 \\
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\psi_{15} : & \quad \land \\
\psi_{16} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_j \times \text{v}_1 \\
\psi_{17} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_j / \text{v}_1 \\
\psi_{18} : & \quad \land \\
\psi_{19} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_j \\
\psi_{20} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_j + 1 \\
\psi_{21} : & \quad \land \\
\psi_{22} : & \quad \text{t} \to \text{j} \\
\text{if } \text{t} = 0 \text{ then } \text{ERROR} \\
\text{if } \text{w}_j \neq \text{v}_j \text{ then } \text{v}_j \to \text{t} \\
\psi_{23} : & \quad \land \\
\psi_{24} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_j \times 10 \\
\psi_{25} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to \text{v}_j + \text{v}_1 \\
\psi_{26} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to 0 \\
\psi_{27} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to 1 \\
\psi_{28} : & \quad \text{v}_j \to 9 \\
\end{align*} \]

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Notes:

1. The branch in rule $\psi_{22}$ labelled with ERROR is an example for the indication of a 'semantic error' in $\mathcal{D}$. By 'semantic error' is in general meant a reaction of an interpretation rule which is not explicitly defined. In the example of $\psi_{22}$ the labelled branch is followed when no identifier equal to $S_i$ is found in the W stack, i.e. when an 'undeclared' identifier is encountered.

2. The basic symbol $\lambda$ in $\mathcal{V}$ is here meant to act as a representative of the class of all identifiers. Nothing will be said about the representation of identifiers.

On the subsequent pages follow the sets of leftmost and rightmost symbols $\mathfrak{L}$ and $\mathfrak{R}$, the matrix $M$ of precedence relations, and the precedence functions $f$ and $g$, all of which were determined by the syntax-processor program listed in Appendix I.
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IV. EULER: An Extension and Generalization of ALGOL 60

In this chapter the algorithmic language EULER is described first informally and then formally by its syntax and semantics. An attempt has been made to generalize and extend some of the concepts of ALGOL thus creating a language which is simpler yet more flexible than ALGOL 60. A second objective in developing this language was to show that a useful programming language which can be processed with reasonable efficiency can be defined in rigorous formality.

A. An Informal Description of EULER:

1. Variables and Constants

In ALGOL the following kinds of quantities are distinguished: simple variables, arrays, labels, switches and procedures. Some of these quantities 'possess values' and these values can be of certain types, integer, real and Boolean. These quantities are declared and named by identifiers in the head of blocks. Since these declarations fix some of the properties of the quantities involved, ALGOL is rather restrictive with respect to dynamic changes. The variables are the most flexible quantities, because values can be assigned dynamically to them. But the type of these values always remains the same. The other quantities are even less flexible. An array identifier will always designate a quantity with a fixed dimension, fixed subscript bounds and a fixed type of all elements. A procedure identifier will always designate a fixed procedure body, with a fixed number of parameters with fixed type specification (when given) and with fixed decision on whether the parameters are to be called by name or by value. A switch identifier always designates a list with a fixed number of fixed elements. We may call arrays, procedures, and switches 'semistatic',...
because some of their properties may be fixed by their declarations.

In order to lift these restrictions, EULER employs a general type concept. Arrays, procedures, and switches are not quantities which are declared and named by identifiers*, i.e. they are not as in ALGOL quantities which are on the same level as variables. In EULER these quantities are on the level of numeric and Boolean constants. EULER therefore introduces besides the number and logical constant

the following additional types of constants:

| reference, label, symbol list (array), procedure, undefined. |

These constants can be assigned to variables, which assume the same form as in ALGOL, but for which no fixed types are specified. This dynamic principle of type handling requires of course that each operator has to make a type test at execution time to insure that the operands involved are appropriate.

The generality goes one step further: A procedure when executed can produce a value of any type (and can of course also act by side effects), and this type can vary from one call of this procedure to the next. The elements of a list can have values of any type and the type can be different from element to element within the same list. If the list elements are labels then we have a switch, if the elements are procedures then we have a procedure list, a construct which is not available in ALGOL 60 at all. If the elements of a list are lists themselves then we have a general tree structure.

* identifiers are defined in EULER exactly as in ALGOL 60.
EULER provides general type-test operators and some type conversion operators.

a) Numbers and Logical Constants

Numbers in EULER are essentially defined like unsigned numbers in ALGOL 60.

The logical constants are true and false.

b) References

A reference to a variable in EULER is a value of type Reference. It designates the identity of this particular variable rather than the value assigned to it. We can form a reference by applying the operator @ to a variable:

@<variable>

The inverse of the reference operator is the evaluation operator (.)

If a certain variable x has been assigned the reference to a variable y, then

x.

represents the variable y. Therefore the form

<variable>.

is also considered to be a variable.

c) Labels

A label is like in ALGOL a designation of an entry point into a statement sequence. It is a 'Program Reference'. A label is symbolically represented by an identifier. In contrast to ALGOL 60 each label has to be declared in the head of the block where it is defined. In the paragraph on declarations it is explained why this is so.
d) **Symbols**

A symbol (or character) in **EULER** is an entity denoted in a distinguishable manner as a literal symbol. A list of symbols is called a string.

e) **Lists**

Lists in **EULER** take the place of arrays in **ALGOL**. But they are more general than arrays in **ALGOL** in several respects. Lists can be assigned to variables, and are not restricted to a rectangular format; they can display a general tree structure. Furthermore, the structure of lists can be changed dynamically by list operators.

Basically a list is a linear array of a number of elements (possibly zero). A list element is a variable: to it can be assigned a constant of any type (in particular, it can itself be a list), and its identity can be specified by a reference.

A list can be written explicitly as

```
(<expression>, <expression>, ...)
```

The expressions are evaluated in sequence and the results are the elements of the created list.

A second way to specify a list literally is by means of the list operator `list`

```
<expression>
```

where the expression has to deliver a value of type Number, and the result is a list with as many elements (initialized to 0) as specified by the expression.

The elements of a list are numbered with the natural numbers beginning with 1. A list element can be referenced by subscripting
a variable (or a list element) to which a list is assigned. If the subscript is not an integer then its value rounded to the nearest integer is used for subscripting. An attempt to subscript with \( i \), where \( i < 0 \) or \( i > \) length of the list, results in an error indication. An example for specifying a list structure is

\[(1,2,(3,(4,5)),6,())\]

This is a list with three elements, the first two elements being numbers, the third element being a list itself. This sublist has four elements, a number, another sublist, again a number and last another sublist with 0 elements. If this list would have been assigned to the variable \( a \), then \( a[2] \) would be the number 2, \( a[3][2] \) would be the list \((4,5)\).

In order to manipulate lists, list operators are introduced into EULER. There are a type-test operator (\texttt{isli}), an operator to determine the current number of elements (\texttt{length}), a concatenation operator (\texttt{&}), and an operator to delete the first element of a list (\texttt{tail}). Here are some examples for the use of these operators:

(assuming the list given above assigned to \( a \))

\[
\begin{align*}
isli \ a[2] & \text{ gives a value } false \\
\texttt{length} \ a[3][4] & \text{ gives a value } 0 \\
(2,3) \ & \ a[3][2] & \text{ gives the list } (2,3,4,5) \\
(a[2]) \ & \ \text{tail} \ \text{tail} \ a[3] & \text{ gives the list } (2,6,())
\end{align*}
\]

From the formal description of EULER it can be seen what rules have to be observed in applying list operators, and in what sequence these operators are executed when they appear together in an expression (like in the last example).

Only a minimal set of list operators is provided in EULER. This set can, however, easily be expanded. The introduction of list
manipulation facilities into EULER makes it possible to express with this language certain problems of processing symbolic expressions which can not be handled in ALGOL but required special list processing languages like LISP or IPL.

f) Procedures

Similar to ALGOL, a procedure is an expression which is defined once (possibly using formal parameters), and which can be evaluated at various places in the program (after substituting actual parameters). The notion of a procedure in EULER is, however, in several respects more general than in ALGOL. A procedure, i.e. the text representing it, is considered a constant, and can therefore be assigned to a variable. An evaluation of this variable's effects an evaluation of this procedure, which always results in a value. In this respect every EULER procedure acts like a type-procedure in ALGOL. The number and type of parameters specified may vary from one call of a procedure to the next call of this same procedure.

Formally parameters are always called 'by value'. However, since an actual parameter can again be a procedure, the equivalent of a "call by name" in ALGOL can be accomplished. Furthermore an actual parameter being a reference establishes a third kind of call: "call by reference". It must be noted that the type of the call of a parameter is determined on the calling side. For example, assuming \( i = 1 \) and \( a[i] = 2 \),

\[
\begin{align*}
p(a[i]) & \quad \text{is a call by value,} \\
p('a[i]') & \quad \text{is a call by procedure (name),} \\
p(@a[i]) & \quad \text{is a call by reference.}
\end{align*}
\]
In the first case the value of the parameter is 2, in the second case it is \(a[i]\), in the third case it is the reference to \(a[l]\).

A procedure is written as

\[
'\langle\text{expression}\rangle' \quad \text{or} \quad 's;s;...;s; \langle\text{expression}\rangle'
\]

where \(s\) represents a formal declaration. The evaluation of a procedure yields the expression enclosed in the quote marks.

A formal declaration is written as

\[
\text{formal} <\text{identifier}> .
\]

The scope of a formal variable is the procedure and the value assigned to it is the value of the actual parameter if there exists one, \(\Omega\) otherwise. When a formal variable is used in the body of the procedure, an evaluation of it is implied. For instance in

\[
p \leftarrow '\text{formal} \ x; \ x \leftarrow 5';\ldots;p(@a);
\]

the reference to \(a\) is assigned to the formal variable \(x\), and the implied evaluation of \(x\) causes the number 5 to be assigned to the variable \(a\) (and not to the formal variable \(x\)). As a consequence, the call \(p(1)\) would imply that an assignment should be made to the constant 1. This is not allowed and will result in an error indication.

\[g) \quad \text{The Value 'Undefined'}\]

The constant \(\Omega\) means 'undefined? Variables are automatically initialized to this value by declarations. Also, a formal parameter is assigned this value when a procedure is called and no corresponding actual parameter is specified in the calling sequence.
2. **Expressions**

In ALGOL an expression is a rule for obtaining a value by applying certain operators to certain operands, which have themselves values. A statement in ALGOL is the basic unit to prescribe actions. In EULER these two entities are combined and called 'expression', while the term 'statement' is reserved for an expression which is possibly labelled. An expression in EULER, with the exception of a **goto-expression**, produces a value by applying certain operators to certain operands, and at the same time may cause side effects. The basic operands which enter into expressions are constants of the various types as presented in paragraph 1, variables and list elements, values read in from input devices, values delivered by the execution of procedures and values of expressions enclosed in brackets. Operators are in general defined selectively to operate on operands of a certain type and producing values of a certain type. Since the type of a value assigned to a variable can vary, type-tests have to be made by the operators at execution time. If a type test is unsuccessful, an error indication is given. Expressions are generally executed from left to right unless the hierarchy between operators demands execution in a different sequence. The hierarchy is implicitly given by the syntax.

Operators with the highest precedence are the following type test operators:

- `isb <variable>` (is logical?)
- `isn <variable>` (is number?)
- `isr <variable>` (is reference?)
- `isl <variable>` (is label?)
- `isy <variable>` (is symbol?)
- `isl <variable>` (is list?)
- `isp <variable>` (is procedure?)
- `isu <variable>` (is undefined?)
These operators, when applied to a variable, yield true or false, depending upon the type of the value currently assigned to the variable. At the same level are the numeric unary operators: abs (forming the absolute value of an operand of type Number), integer (rounding an operand of type Number to its nearest integer), the list reservation operator list, the length operator length (yielding the number of elements in a list), the tail operator, and type conversion operators like real, which converts a logical value into a number, logical which converts a number into a logical value, conversion operators from numbers to symbols and from symbols to numbers, etc.

The next lower precedence levels contain in this sequence: Exponentiation operator, multiplication operators \((x, /, \div, \mod)\), addition operators \((+, -)\), extremal operators \((\max, \min)\). Operands and results are of type Number.

The next lower precedence levels contain the relational and logical operators in this sequence: relational operators \((=, \neq, <, \leq, >, \geq)\), negation operator \(\neg\), conjunction operator \(\land\), disjunction operator \(\lor\). The relational operators require that their operands are of type Number and they form a logical value. The operators \(\land\) and \(\lor\) are executed differently from their ALGOL counterparts: If the result is already determined by the value of the first operand, then the second operand is not evaluated at all. Thus, \(\text{false} \land x \rightarrow \text{false}\), \(\text{true} \lor x \rightarrow \text{true}\) for all \(x\).

The next lower precedence level contains the concatenation operator &.

Operators of the lowest level are the sequential operators goto,
If, then, and else, the assignment operator $\leftarrow$, the output operator *out* and the bracketing symbols begin and end. According to their occurrence we distinguish between the following types of expressions: *goto-expression*, assignment expression, output expression, conditional expression, and block. As it was already mentioned, all expressions except the goto-expression produce a value, while in addition they may or may not cause a side effect.

The go-to-expression is of the form

$$<\text{expression}>$$

If the value of the expression following the goto-operator is of the type *Label*, then control is transferred to the point in the program which this label represents. If this expression produces a value of a different type, then an error indication is given.

The assignment expression assigns a value to a variable. It is of the form

$$<\text{variable}> \leftarrow <\text{expression}>$$

In contrast to ALGOL an assignment expression produces a value, namely the value of the expression following the assignment operator. This general nature of the EULER assignment operator allows assignment of intermediate results of an expression. For example:

$$a \leftarrow b + [c \leftarrow d + e]$$

would compute $d + e$, assign this result to $c$, and then add $b$, and assign the total to $a$.

The output expression is of the form

$$\text{out} <\text{expression}>$$

The value of the expression following the output operator is transmitted
to an output medium. The value of the output expression is the value of
the expression following the output operator.

A conditional expression is of the form

\[
\text{if } <\text{expression}> \text{ then } <\text{expression}> \text{ else } <\text{expression}>
\]

The meaning is the same as in ALGOL.

The construct

\[
\text{if } <\text{expression}> \text{ then } <\text{expression}>
\]

is not allowed in EULER, because this expression would not produce a
value, if the value of the first expression is false.

An expression can also be a block.

### 3. Statements and Blocks

A statement in EULER is an expression which may be preceded by
one or more label definition(s). If a statement is followed by another
statement, then the two statements are separated by a semicolon. A semi-
colon discards the value produced by the previous statement. Since a
goto-expression leads into the evaluation of a statement without encoun-
tering a semicolon, the goto operator also has to discard the value of
the statement in which it appears.

A block in EULER is like in ALGOL a device to delineate the scope
of identifiers used for variables and labels, and to group statements
into statement sequences. A block is of the form

\[
\text{begin } \sigma;\sigma;\ldots;\sigma \text{ end } \quad \text{or}
\]
\[
\text{begin } \delta;\delta;\ldots;\delta;\sigma;\sigma;\ldots;\sigma \text{ end}
\]

where \(\sigma\) represents a statement and \(\delta\) represents a declaration. The last
statement of a block is not followed by a semicolon, therefore its value
becomes the value of the block.
Since procedures, labels, and references in EULER are quantities which can be dynamically assigned to variables, there is a problem which is unknown to ALGOL: These quantities can be assigned to variables which in turn can be evaluated in places where these quantities or parts of them are undefined. Situations like this are defined as semantic errors, i.e. the language definition is such that occurrences of these situations are detected.

4. Declarations

There are two types of declarations in EULER, variable-declarations and label-declarations:

new <identifier> and

label <identifier>

A variable declaration defines a variable for this block and all inner blocks, to be referenced by this identifier as long as this same identifier is not used to redefine a variable or a label in an inner block. A variable declaration also assigns the initial value 0 to the variable. As discussed in paragraph 1, no fixed type is associated with a variable.

A label declaration serves a different purpose. It is not a definition like the variable declaration; it is only an announcement that there is going to be a definition of a label in this block of the form

<identifier> :

prefixing a statement.

Although the label declaration is dispensable it is introduced into EULER to make it easier to handle forward references. A situation like

begin...L:...begin...goto L;...L:...end;...end
makes it necessary to detect that the identifier L following the \texttt{goto}
operator is supposed to designate the label defined in the inner block.
Without label'declarations it is impossible to decide, whether an identifier
(not declared in the same block) refers to a variable declared in an outer
block, or to a label to be defined later in this block, unless the whole
block is scanned. With a label declaration every identifier is known
upon encounter.
B. The Formal Definition of EULER

EULER was to be a language which can be concisely defined in such a way that the language is guaranteed to be unambiguous, and that from the language definition a processing system can be derived mechanically, with the additional requirement that this processing system should run with reasonable efficiency. A method to perform this transformation mechanically, and to accomplish parsing efficiently, has been developed and is given in Chapter III for languages which are simple precedence phrase structure languages. Therefore, it appeared to be highly desirable to define EULER as a simple precedence language with precedence functions. It was possible to do this and still include in EULER the main features of ALGOL and generalize and extend ALGOL as described.

The definition of EULER is given in two 'steps' to insure that the language definition itself forms a reasonably efficient processing system for EULER texts. The definition of the compiling system consists of the parsing algorithm, given in paragraph III.B.1., a set of syntactic rules, and a set of corresponding interpretation rules by which an EULER text is transformed into a polish string. The definition of the executing system consists of a basic interpreting mechanism with a rule to interpret each symbol in the polish string. Both descriptions use the basic notation of chapter II. If the definition of EULER would have been given in one step like the definition of the example in chapter III C, it would have been necessary to transform it into a two phase system in order to obtain an efficient processing system. Furthermore, a one phase definition requires the introduction of certain concepts (e.g. a passive mode, where a text is only parsed but not evaluated) which are without consequence for
practical systems, because they take on an entirely different appearance when transformed into a two phase system.

The form of the syntactic definition of EULER is influenced by the requirement that EULER be an unambiguous simple precedence phrase structure language. This involves that:

a) there must be exactly one interpretation rule (possible empty) for each syntactic rule,

b) the parsing algorithm has to find reducible substrings in exactly the same sequence in which the corresponding interpretation rules have to be obeyed,

c) extra syntactic classes (with empty interpretation rules) have to be introduced to insure that at most one precedence relation holds between any two symbols,

d) no two syntactic rules can have the same right part.

For an illustration of the requirements a) and b) consider the syntactic definition of an arithmetic expression in ALGOL 60:

\[
\text{<arithmetic expression> ::= } \text{<simple arithmetic expression> | <if clause> <simple arithmetic expression> else <arithmetic expression>}
\]

If the text

\[
\text{if } b \text{ then } a + c \text{ else } d + e
\]

is parsed, then \(d + e\) is reduced to \(<\text{arithmetic expression}>\) and accordingly evaluated, before it has been taken into account that the preceding \(<\text{if clause}>\) may prevent \(d + e\) to be evaluated at all. In this example, the syntax of ALGOL 60 fails to reflect the sequence of evaluation properly, as it does e.g. in the formulations of simple expressions.

To correct this default, the corresponding syntactic definitions in EULER are as follows: (BNF is adopted here to obviate the analogies)
In the example above, the operator else will be recognized as occurring in true part before the expression \( d + e \) is parsed. Through the interpretation rule for true part the necessary code can be generated.

A similar situation holds for the ALGOL definition

\[
\langle \text{basic statement} \rangle ::= \langle \text{label} \rangle : \langle \text{basic statement} \rangle
\]

The colon, denoting the definition of a label, is included in a reduction only after basic statement was parsed and evaluated. In EULER the corresponding definitions read:

\[
\langle \text{statement} \rangle ::= \langle \text{label definition} \rangle \langle \text{statement} \rangle
\langle \text{label definition} \rangle ::= \langle \text{identifier} \rangle :
\]

Thus the parsing algorithm detects the label definition before parsing the statement.

As a third example, we give the EULER definition of disjunction

\[
\langle \text{disjunction} \rangle ::= \langle \text{disjunction head} \rangle \langle \text{disjunction} \rangle
\langle \text{disjunction head} \rangle ::= \langle \text{conjunction} \rangle \lor
\]

Thus, \( \lor \) is included in a syntactic reduction, before disjunction is parsed and evaluated; code can be generated which allows conditional skipping of the following part of program corresponding to disjunction.

The corresponding ALGOL syntax

\[
\langle \text{Boolean term} \rangle ::= \langle \text{Boolean term} \rangle \lor \langle \text{Boolean factor} \rangle
\]

reflects the fact that both \( \langle \text{Boolean term} \rangle \) and \( \langle \text{Boolean factor} \rangle \) are to be evaluated before the logical operation is performed. This interpretation of the logical operators \( \land \) and \( \lor \) was deliberately discarded as being undesirable.

According to requirement c) the language definition of EULER contains certain auxiliary nonbasic symbols like
<variable>, <integer> etc. to insure that EULER is a simple precedence language. Without these nonbasic symbols the reducible sub-
strings in a sentence are not disjoint, as the following example taken from ALGOL shows:

\[
x \ x \ y \ \uparrow \ z , \ x \ x \ y \ \uparrow \ z
\]

Therefore one obtains the contradicting precedence relations \( x \not\subseteq \langle \text{factor} \rangle \) and \( X \not\subseteq \langle \text{factor} \rangle \).

The requirement d) together with the precedence property is a suffi-
cient condition for the language to be unambiguous. Requirement d)
has far reaching consequences on the form of the language definition,
because it forces the syntax to be written in a sort of linear arrangement
rather than a net. Two examples will be given.

A label unlike in ALGOL can in EULER not be defined as \(<\text{identifier}\rangle\),
because we already have

\[
<\text{variable}> ::= <\text{identifier}>
\]

This suggests that the best thing to do would be to introduce two different forms of identifiers for the two different entities variable and label.
It was felt, however, that tradition dictates that the same kind of iden-
tifiers be used for variables and labels. It was possible to do this in EULER although the solution might not be considered clean. In the text

\textit{goto L}

the identifier \( L \) is categorized by the parsing algorithm into the syn-
tactic class \(<\text{variable}>\rangle\), but the corresponding interpretation rule ex-
amines the table of declared identifiers and discovers that this identifier
designates a label (defined or undefined at this time). Therefore, a label is inserted into the polish string instead of a variable.

A second example for the specific arrangement of the syntax chosen to fulfill requirement d) is the following: The concatenation operator (&) is introduced into the syntax in the syntactic class <catena>, which is defined as

\[
\text{<catena> ::= <catena> \& <primary> | <disjunction>}
\]

This looks as if \& had a lower precedence than the logical and arithmetic operators. But this is of no consequence, since an operand of \& must be a quantity of type List and a <disjunction> can only be of type List if it is a <primary>, i.e. not containing any logical or arithmetic operators.

But we cannot write

\[
\text{<catena> ::= <primary> ,}
\]

because this would violate requirement d). Therefore <catena> appears in the syntax at a rather arbitrary place between <primary> and <expression>.

Looking at the requirements made upon the language definition and observing the careful choices that had to be made in drawing up the language definition in line-with these requirements, the criticism will probably be raised, that the difficulties usually encountered in deriving syntax directed compilers for given languages are not avoided in EULER but merely 'sneaked' into the definition of the language itself. This point is well taken, but we think that nobody is likely to create something as complicated as a processing system for an algorithmic language like ALGOL without encountering some difficulties somewhere. We think
it is the merit of this method of language definition to bring these difficulties into the open, so that the basic concepts involved can be recognized and systematically dealt with. It is no longer possible to draft an 'ad hoc syntax' and call it a programming language, because the natural relationship between structure and meaning must be established.

Subsequently follows the formal definition of EULER. It has been programmed as an Extended ALGOL program for the Burroughs B5500 computer. This program is listed in Appendix II.
Phase I (Translator)

The vocabulary $\mathcal{V}$:

The set of basic symbols $\mathcal{B}$:

$$0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|\,|\,;|:\,@|\text{new}|\text{formal}|\text{label}|\lambda|[]|\text{begin}|\text{end}|\quad \begin{array}{l}
(())|'\,|\text{goto}|\text{out}|\leftarrow|\text{if}|\text{then}|\text{else}|\&|\vee|\neg|\neq|\leq|\geq|\text{min}|\text{max}|\pm|\times|\div|\text{mod}|\text{abs}|\text{length}|\text{integer}|\text{real}|\text{logical}|
\end{array}$$

$$\text{list}|\text{tail}|\text{in}|\text{isl}|\text{isn}|\text{isr}|\text{isl}|\text{isy}|\text{isp}|\text{isu}|\text{a}|\Omega$$

$\lambda := \text{true}|\text{false}$

The set of non-basic symbols $\mathcal{U} - \mathcal{B}$:

$$\text{program}|\text{block}|\text{blokhead}|\text{blokbody}|\text{labdef}|\text{stat}|\text{stat-}|\quad \begin{array}{l}
\text{expr}|\text{expr-}|\text{ifclause}|\text{truepart}|\text{catena}|\text{disj}|\text{disjhead}|
\end{array}$$

$$\text{conj}|\text{conj-}|\text{conjhead}|\text{negation}|\text{relation}|\text{choice}|\text{choice-}$$

$$\text{sum}|\text{sum-}|\text{term}|\text{term-}|\text{factor}|\text{factor-}|\text{primary}|\text{procref}$$

$$\text{prochead}|\text{list*}|\text{reference}|\text{number}|\text{real*}$$

$$\text{integer*}|\text{integer-}|\text{digit}|\text{logval}|\text{var}|\text{var-}|\text{vardoct}$$

$$\text{labdecl}|\text{fordecl}$$

The environment $\mathcal{E}_1$:

$$\begin{array}{l}
S \quad \text{(stack used by the parsing algorithm)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
V \quad \text{(index to S and V)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
J \quad \text{(index to S and V)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
P \quad \text{(program produced by Phase I)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
k \quad \text{(index to P)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
N \quad \text{(list of identifiers and associated data)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
n \quad \text{(index to N)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
m \quad \text{(index to N)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
bn \quad \text{(block number)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
on \quad \text{(ordinal number)}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
scale \quad \text{(scale factor for integers)}
\end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{E}_1 = (S, V, i, j, P, k, N, n, m, bn, on, scale)$$

* $\lambda$ and $\sigma$ are representatives for identifiers and symbols respectively.
1: vardecl → new λ
   k ← k+1; P[k] ← ('new'); on ← on +1;
   n ← n+1; N[n] ← (V[i], bn, on, 'new')

2: fordecl → formal λ
   k ← k+1; P[k] ← ('formal'); on ton +1;
   n ← n+1; N[n] ← (V[i], bn, on, 'formal')

3: labdecl → label λ
   n ← n+1; N[n] ← (V[i], bn, Ω, Ω)

4: var → λ

L41: if t < 1 then goto Error:
    if N[t][1] = V[i] then goto L42;
    t ← t-1; goto L41;
L42: if N[t][4] ≠ 'new' then goto L44;
    P[k] ← ('@', N[t][3], N[t][21]); goto L46
L43: if N[t][4] ≠ 'label' then goto L44;
    P[k] ← ('label', N[t][3], N[t][21]); goto L46
L44: if N[t][4] ≠ 'formal' then goto L45;
    P[k] ← ('@', N[t][3], N[t][21]);
    k ← k+1; P[k] ← ('value'); goto L46
L45: P[k] ← ('label', N[t][3], N[t][21]);
    N[t][3] t-k; goto L46;
L46: k ← k+1; P[k] ← ('[]')

5: var → [expr]

6: var → var .

7: var → var

8: logval → true
   V[j] ← true

9: logval → false
   V[j] ← false

10: digit → 0

11: digit → 9

12: integer → digit

13: integer + integer digit
   t ← 10 × V[j]; V[j] ← V[i] + t;
   scale ← scale * 1

14: integer → integer

15: integer* → digit

16: integer* + integer digit

17: integer* → integer

18: integer* → integer

19: real → integer

20: real → integer

21: real* → integer

22: real* → integer

23: real → integer

24: real* → integer

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25: number → real*  
26: number → real* 10 integer*  
27: number → 10 integer*  
28: number → 10 integer*  
29: number → 10 − integer*  
30: reference → @var  
31: listhead → listhead expr  
32: listhead → (  
33: list* → listhead expr)  
34: list* → listhead  
35: prochead → prochead fordecl ;  
36: prochead → ’  
37: procdef → prochead expr  
38: primary → var  
39: primary → var list*  
40: primary → logval  
41: primary → number  
42: primary → σ  
43: primary → reference  
44: primary → list*  
45: primary → tail primary  
46: primary → procdef  
47: primary → Ω
48: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \left[ \texttt{expr} \right]
\begin{equation*}
\wedge
\end{equation*}
49: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{in}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('in')}
\end{equation*}
50: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isn \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isn')}
\end{equation*}
51: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isn \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isn')}
\end{equation*}
52: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isr \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isr')}
\end{equation*}
53: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isl \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isl')}
\end{equation*}
54: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isl \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isl')}
\end{equation*}
55: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isy \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isy')}
\end{equation*}
56: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isp \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isp')}
\end{equation*}
57: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{isn \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('isn')}
\end{equation*}
58: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{abs \ primary}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('abs')}
\end{equation*}
59: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{length \ var}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('length')}
\end{equation*}
60: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{integer \ primary}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('integer')}
\end{equation*}
61: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{real \ primary}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('real')}
\end{equation*}
62: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{logical \ primary}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('logical')}
\end{equation*}
63: \texttt{primary} \rightarrow \texttt{list \ primary}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('list')}
\end{equation*}
64: \texttt{factor-} \rightarrow \texttt{primary}
\begin{equation*}
\wedge
\end{equation*}
65: \texttt{factor-} \rightarrow \texttt{factor- \ up \ primary}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('up')}
\end{equation*}
66: \texttt{factor} \rightarrow \texttt{factor-}
\begin{equation*}
\wedge
\end{equation*}
67: \texttt{term-} \rightarrow \texttt{factor}
\begin{equation*}
\wedge
\end{equation*}
68: \texttt{term-} \rightarrow \texttt{term- \ X \ factor}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('X')}
\end{equation*}
69: \texttt{term-} \rightarrow \texttt{term- \ / \ factor}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('/')}
\end{equation*}
70: \texttt{term-} \rightarrow \texttt{term- \ \div \ factor}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('\div')}
\end{equation*}
71: \texttt{term-} \rightarrow \texttt{term- \ \mod \ factor}
\begin{equation*}
k \leftarrow k + 1; P[k] \leftarrow \texttt{('\mod')}
\end{equation*}
72: \texttt{term} \rightarrow \texttt{term-}
\begin{equation*}
\wedge
\end{equation*}
73: \texttt{sum-} \rightarrow \texttt{term}
\begin{equation*}
\wedge
\end{equation*}
74: `sum+` `term` `^`
75: `sum-` `--term` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`-`)`
76: `sum-` \to `sum-` `+` `term` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`+`)`
77: `sum-` \to `sum-` `-term` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`-`)`
78: `sum` \to `sum-` `^`
79: `choice-` `+` `sum` `^`
80: `choice-` \to `choice-` `min` `sum` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`min`)`
81: `choice-` \to `choice-` `max` `sum` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`max`)`
82: `choice` \to `choice-` `^`
83: `relation` \to `choice` `^`
84: `relation` \to `choice` `=` `choice` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`=`)`
85: `relation` \to `choice` `\neq` `choice` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`\neq`)`
86: `relation` \to `choice` `<` `choice` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`<`)`
87: `relation` \to `choice` `\leq` `choice` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`\leq`)`
88: `relation` \to `choice` `\geq` `choice` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`\geq`)`
89: `relation` \to `choice` `>` `choice` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`>`)`
90: `negation` \to `relation` `^`
91: `negation` `\neg` `relation` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`\neg`)`
92: `conjhead` \to `negation` `A` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`A`, `\Omega`)`; `V[j] \leftarrow k`
93: `conj-` \to `conjhead` `conj` `P[V[j]][2] \leftarrow k+1`
94: `conj-` \to `negation` `^`
95: `conj` \to `conj-` `^`
96: `disjhead` \to `conj` `\lor` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`\lor`, `\Omega`)`; `V[j] \leftarrow k`
97: `disj` \to `disjhead` `disj` `P[V[j]][2] \leftarrow k+1`
98: `disj` \to `conj` `^`
99: `catena` `3` `catena` `&` `primary` `k \leftarrow k+1; P[k] \leftarrow (^{`&`)`
100: `catena` → `disj`
101: `truepart` 3 `expr` `else`
102: `ifclause` → `if` `expr` `then`
103: `expr-` → `'Block`
104: `expr-` → `ifclause` `truepart` `expr-`
105: `expr-` → `var` → `expr-`
106: `expr-` → `goto` `mary`
107: `expr-` → `out` `expr-`
108: `expr-` → `catena`
109: `expr` → `expr-`
110: `stat-` → `labdef` `stat-`
111: `stat-` → `expr`
112: `stat` → `stat-`
113: `labdef` → λ:
114: `blockhead` → `begin`
115: `blockhead` → `blockhead` `vardecl;`
116: `blockhead` → `blockhead` `labdecl;`
117: `blockbody` → `blockhead` `''`
118: `blockbody` → `blockbody` `stat;`
119: `block` → `blockbody` `stat` `end`
120: `program` → `⊥` `block` `⊥`
Phase II (Interpreter)

The following is the definition of the execution code produced by Phase I.

The variables involved are:

\[ S, \ i, \ A, \ B, \ C \] (variables and labels local to any interpretation rule)

\[ \mathcal{E}_2 = \{ S, i, mp, P, k, fct \} \]

The following types of quantities are introduced, which were not mentioned in Chapter II:

- labels (i.e. program references)
- procedures (i.e. procedure descriptors)

with the accompanying type-test operators \(isl, isp\) and the following type-conversion operators:

- \(procref\) converting the two integers \(pa\) and \(bn\) into the program-reference with address \(pa\) defined in the block with number \(bn\).

- \(proc\) converting three integers (block-number, Mark-index, program-address) into a uniquely defined procedure-descriptor,

- \(bln\) converting a procedure-descriptor into its block-number,

- \(mix\) converting a procedure-descriptor or a label into the index of the Mark belonging to the block in which the procedure-descriptor or label is defined (Mark-index),
adr        converting a procedure-descriptor or a label into its
program address.

Also, there exists an operator

reference        converting the two integers on and bn, into the
reference of the variable with ordinal number on in the
variable-list of the block with number bn.

The detailed description of these operators depends on the particular
scheme of referencing used in an implementation, for which an example is
given in Appendix II. It should be noted, however, that a reference,
label or procedure-descriptor, may become undefined if it is assigned
to any variable which is not in its scope. Since procedures and blocks
may be activated recursively, the actual identity of a reference, label
or procedure-descriptor can only be established in Phase II, which makes
it necessary for Phase I to describe them in terms of more than one quan-
tity. The sufficient and necessary amount of information to establish
these identities is contained in the 'Marks' stored in S. Marks are
created upon entry into a block (or procedure) and deleted upon exit.

A Mark contains the following data:

1. a block-number
2. a link to its dynamically enclosing block
3. a link to its statically enclosing block
4. a list of its variables
5. a program return address

By 'link' is meant the index of the Mark of the indicated block.

The following list indicates to the left the operator $P[k][l]$ currently
to be executed, and to the right the corresponding interpretation
algorithm. At the end of each rule a transfer to the Cycle routine has
to be implicitly understood. This basic fetch cycle is represented
as follows:
Initialize: $i \leftarrow 0; \text{mp} \leftarrow 0; k \leftarrow 0;
$
Cycle: $k \leftarrow k+1; 
$
T: Obey the Rule designated
by $P[k][l]; \text{goto Cycle}

Operators Interpretation Rules ($\Psi_2$)

+ \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } \neg \text{ isn } S[i-1] \text{ then goto ERROR:} \\
\text{if } \neg \text{ isn } S[i] \text{ then goto ERROR;}
\end{array} \right\}
S[i-1] \leftarrow S[i-1] + S[i]; i \leftarrow i-1

- \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

* \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

/ \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

x \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

mod \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } \neg \text{ isn } S[i] \text{ then goto ERROR;}
\end{array} \right\}
S[i] \leftarrow - S[i]

abs \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

integer \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

logical \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to +}
\end{array} \right\}

real \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } \neg \text{ isb } S[i] \text{ then goto ERROR;}
\end{array} \right\}
S[i] \leftarrow \text{real } S[i]

min \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } \neg \text{ isn } S[i-1] \text{ then goto ERROR;}
\end{array} \right\}
\left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } \neg \text{ isn } S[i] \text{ then goto ERROR;}
\end{array} \right\}
i \leftarrow i-1;
\left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } S[i] < S[i+1] \text{ then goto A;}
\end{array} \right\}
S[i] \leftarrow S[i+1]; A:

max \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to min}
\end{array} \right\}

isn \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{if } \neg \text{ isn } S[i] \text{ then goto A;}
\end{array} \right\}
S[i] \leftarrow S[i]; A: S[i] \leftarrow \text{isn } S[i]

isb \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}

isr \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}

isl \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}

isli \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}

isy \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}

isp \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}

isu \quad \left. \begin{array}{l}
\text{defined analogously to isn}
\end{array} \right\}
< 
if \( i \) is \( S[i-1] \) then goto ERROR;
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
\( S[i-1] \leftarrow S[i-1] < S[i] \); \( i \leftarrow i - 1 \)

\( \lor \)

defined analogously to <

\( \land \)
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
if \( S[i] \) then goto A;
k \leftarrow P[k][2]; goto T;
A: \( i \leftarrow i - 1 \)

\( \lor \)
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
if \( S[i] \) then goto A;
k \leftarrow P[k][2]; goto T;    .
A: \( i \leftarrow i - 1 \)

then
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
i \leftarrow i - 1;
if \( S[i+1] \) then goto A;
k \leftarrow P[k][2]; goto T ;
A: 

else
k \leftarrow P[k][2]; goto T

length
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto A;
\( S[i] \leftarrow S[i] \).
A: if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
\( S[i] \leftarrow \text{length} \ S[i] \)

tail
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
\( S[i] \leftarrow \text{tail} \ S[i] \)

&
if \( i \) is \( S[i-1] \) then goto A;
if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
\( S[i-1] \leftarrow S[i-1] \& S[i] \); \( i \leftarrow i - 1 \)

list
A: if \( i \) is \( S[i] \) then goto ERROR;
t \leftarrow S[i]; S[i] \leftarrow (\text{ })
B: if \( t \leq 0 \) then goto C;
\( S[i] \leftarrow S[i] \& (\text{ }) \); t \leftarrow t - 1;
goto B; C:
number \( i \leftarrow i+1; S[i] \leftarrow P[k][2] \)

logval \( i \leftarrow i+1; S[i] \leftarrow P[k][2] \)

\( \Omega \) \( i \leftarrow i+1; S[i] \leftarrow \Omega \)

string \( i \leftarrow i+1; S[i] \leftarrow P[k][2] \)

label \( i \leftarrow i+1; S[i] \leftarrow \text{progre}(P[k][2], P[k][3]) \)

\( \odot \) \( i \leftarrow i+1; S[i] \leftarrow \text{referen}(P[k][2], P[k][3]) \)

new \( S[mp][4] \leftarrow S[mp][4] & (\Omega) \)

formal \( \text{fct} \leftarrow \text{fct}+1; \)

\[ \text{if fct} < \text{length} \ S[mp][4] \text{ then goto A; } \]
\[ S[mp][4] \leftarrow S[mp][4] & (\Omega); \]
A:

\[ \text{if } 1 \text{ isr } S[i-1] \text{ then goto ERROR; } \]
\[ S[i-1]. \leftarrow S[i]; S[i-1] \leftarrow S[i] \]
\[ i \leftarrow i-1; \]

\[ i \leftarrow i - 1 \]

\[ \text{if } 1 \text{ isn } S[i] \text{ then goto ERROR; } \]
\[ \text{if } S[i] \leq 0 \text{ then goto ERROR; } i \leftarrow i-1; \]
\[ S[i] \leftarrow S[i]; \]
\[ \text{if } 1 \text{ isni } S[i] \text{ then goto ERROR; } \]
\[ t \leftarrow \text{length } S[i]; \]
\[ \text{if } S[i+1] > t \text{ then goto R; } \]
\[ S[i] \leftarrow \odot S[i][S[i+1]] \]

begin \( i \leftarrow i+1; \)
\[ S[i] \leftarrow (S[mp][1]+1, mp, mp, ()); \]
\[ \text{mp} \leftarrow i \]

end \( t \leftarrow S[mp][2]; S[mp] \leftarrow S[i]; \)
\[ \text{itmp; mp} \leftarrow t \]

\( i \leftarrow i+1; \)
\[ S[i] \leftarrow \text{proc}(S[mp][1]+1, S[mp][3], k) \]
\[ k \leftarrow P[k][2]; \text{goto } T \]

value \( \text{if } 1 \text{ isr } S[i] \text{ then goto A; } \]
\[ S[i] \leftarrow S[i]; . \]
A: \( \text{if } 1 \text{ isn } S[i] \text{ then goto B; } \]
\[ \text{fct} \leftarrow 0; t \leftarrow S[i]; \]
\[ S[i] \leftarrow (bln t, mix t, mp, (), k); \]
\[ \text{mp} \leftarrow i; k \leftarrow \text{adr} t; \]
B:
call

    i ← i-1;
    if isr S[i] then goto A;
    S[i] ← S[i].;

A: if lisp S[i] then goto ERROR;
    fct ← 0; t ← S[i];
    S[i] ← (bln t, mix t, mp, S[i+1], k);
    mp ti; k ← adr t

k ← S[mp][5]; t ← S[mp][2];
    S[mp] ← S[i];
    itmp; mp ← t

got0

if lisp S[i] then goto ERROR;
    mp ← mix S[i]; pp ← adr S[i];
    i ← mp; goto T

) t ← P[k][2]; s ← ()

A: if t = 0 then goto B;
    t ← t-1; s ← s & (S[i-t]); goto A;
B: i ← i+1; i ← i - P[k][2];
    S[i] ← s
Certain features of ALGOL are not included in EULER, because they were thought to be non basic (or not necessary), or because they did not fit easily into the EULER definition, or both.

Examples are

the empty statement, allowing an extra semicolon before end,
the declaration list, avoiding the necessity of repeating the declarator in front of each identifier,
the conditional statement without else,
the for-statement,
the own type.

It is felt that these features could be included in a somewhat 'fancier' EULER+ language, which is transformed into EULER by a prepass to the EULER processing system. This prepass might include other features - like 'macros' or 'clichés', it would take care of the proper deletion of comments, etc. Certain standard macros or procedures might be known to this prepass and could thus be used in EULER+ without having been declared, like the standard functions in ALGOL. The set of these procedures would necessarily have to include a complete set of practical input-output procedures. It should be noted, however, that in contrast to ALGOL, they can be described in EULER itself, assuming the existence of appropriate operators in and Truth (reading and editing characters) of strings and lists (formats are lists of symbols), of type-test- and conversion-operators are of course instrumental in the design of these procedures. A few other useful 'standard procedures' are given as programming examples in the following paragraph. (cf. 'for', 'equal' and 'array')
C. Examples of Programs

A list can contain elements of various types, here numbers and procedures:

```
begin new x; new s;
s ← (2, 'begin x ← x+1; s[x] end', 'out x') x ← s[1]; s[x]
end
```

A reference can be used to designate a sublist. Thus repeated double indexing is avoided:

```
begin new a; new r;
a ← (1,(2,3),4);
    The output is: 2, 3
r ← @a[2];
    out r[1]; out r[2];
r[1] ← Ω
end
```

A procedure assigned to a variable (here p) is replaced by a constant, as soon as further execution of the test n < 100 is no longer needed:

```
begin new p; new n; new f;
n ← 0;
p ← 'n ← n+1; if n < 100 then f(n) else p ← f(n)';
f ← 'formal x; ................';
end
```

If a parameter is a 'value-parameter', the value is established at call time. In the case of a 'name-parameter', no evaluation takes place at call time. Thus the output of the following program is 4,16,3
begin new p; new a; new i;
p ← 'formal x; formal k;
    begin k ← k+1; out x end';
i ← 1;
a ← (4, 9, 16);
p(a[i], @i); p('a[i]', @i); out i
end

begin new p; new a; new i;
p ← 'formal x; formal k;
    begin k ← k+1; x ← k end';
a ← list 3; i ← 1;
p(@a[i], @i); p('@a[i]', @i)
end

Here the final value of a is (2, 0, 3).

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A for statement is not provided in EULER. It can, however, easily be programmed as a procedure and adapted to the particular needs. Two examples are given below, the latter corresponding to the ALGOL for:

for ← 'formal v; formal n; formal s;
    begin label k; v ← 1;
        k: if v ≤ n then
            begin s; v ← v+1; goto k end
        else Ω
    end'
algolfor ← 'formal v; formal l; formal step; formal u; formal s;
    begin label k; v ← l;
        k: if (v-u) X step ≤ 0 then
            begin s; v ← v + step; goto k end
        else Ω
    end'
It should be noted that the decision whether the iterated statement should be able to alter the values of the increment and limit is made in each call for 'for' individually by either enclosing the actual parameters in quotes (name-parameter), or omitting the quotes (value-parameter).

E.g. 

a) \( n \leftarrow 5; \text{for } (@i, n, \text{begin } n \leftarrow n-1; \text{out } n \text{ end}) \) 

b) \( n \leftarrow 5; \text{for } (@i, 'n', \text{begin } n \text{ tn-1; out } n \text{ end}) \)

a) yields 4,3,2,1,0, while b) yields 4,3,2.

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There is no provision for an operator comparing lists in EULER. But list comparisons can easily be programmed. The given example uses the 'for' defined above:

```euler
\text{equal } \leftarrow \text{'formal x; formal y; begin new t; new i; label k; t } \leftarrow \text{false; if isli x } \land \text{ isli y } \land \text{ length x } = \text{ length y then begin for } (@i, \text{ length x, if } \neg \text{equal (@x[i], @y[i]) then goto k else } \Omega '); \text{ t } \leftarrow \text{true; end else } \text{ t } \leftarrow \text{t isn x } \land \text{ isn y } \land x=y; k: t; end' }
```

It should be noted that the definition of \( \Omega \) deviates from ALGOL and thus makes this program possible; therefore in

```
\text{t } \leftarrow \text{t isn x } \land \text{ isn y } \land x=y
```

the relation \( x=y \) is never evaluated if either \( x \) or \( y \) is a number.

If the list elements may also be logical values or symbols, then the above statement must be expanded into:
There is no direct provision for an array declaration (or rather array 'reservation') either. It can be programmed by the following procedure:

```
array ← 'formal t; formal x;
    begin new t; new a; new b; new i;
    b ← l; t ← list b[1];
    a ← if length b > 1 then array (tail b, x) else x;
    for (@i, b[1], 't[i] ← a');
    t
end'
```

The statement \( a ← \text{array} ((x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n)) \) would then correspond to the ALGOL array declaration

\[
\text{array } a[l \ldots 1 : x_1, 1 : x_2, \ldots, 1 : x_n],
\]

while the statement \( a ← \text{array} ((x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n), a) \) would additionally 'initialize all elements with \( a \).

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The following is an example of a summation procedure, using what is in ALGOL known as 'Jensen's device'. The statement \( \text{sum} (\ 't' , @i, I, u) \) has the meaning of \( \sum_{i=I}^{u} t \).

```
begin new k; new I; new sum; new a; new b;
    sum ← 'formal t; formal i; formal l; formal u;
    begin i ← l;
        if \( l > u \) then \( l+l \) else \( t + \text{sum} (\ 't' , @i, \)
    end';
    a ← (1, 4, 9, 16);
    b ← ((1, 4), (9, 16));
```
\begin{verbatim}
out sum ('a[k]', @k, 1, 4);
out sum ('a[k] x a[5-k]', @k, 1, 4);
out sum ('sum (b[k][l]', @l, 1, 2)', @k, 1, 2)
end

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begin new x; new sqrt; new elliptic; label K;
elliptic 'formal a; formal b;
  if abs (a-b) ≤ \sqrt[10]{6} then \quad l.570796326/a else
  elliptic ([a+b]/2, sqrt (a*b))';
sqrt 'formal a;
  begin label L; new x; x ← a/2;
    L: if abs [x^2 - a] < \sqrt[10]{8} then x else
    begin x ← [x+a/x]/2; goto L
  end
  end'

x ← 0.7;
K: out x; out sqrt(x); out elliptic (1,x);
  x ← x+0.1; if x < 1.3 then goto K else Ω
end

This program contains a square-root procedure using Newton's method
iteratively, and a procedure computing the elliptic integral
\[ \int_0^\pi 2 dt \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{a \cos^2 t + b \sin^2 t}} \]
using the Gaussian method of the arithmetic-geometric mean recursively.

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As a final example, a permutation generator is programmed in EULER, so
that the value of
perm (1, l)
\end{verbatim}
is the list of all permutations of the elements of list \( l \), i.e. a list with 
\[ 1 \times 2 \times 3 \times \ldots \times \text{length} \ l \] 

\begin{verbatim}
begin new perm; new a; new k; label f;
   perm ← 'formal k; formal y';
   begin new rot; new exch; new x;
      x ← y;
      rot ← 'formal k; formal m';
      if m > length x then () else
         perm (k+1, exch (k, m, @x)) & rot (k, m+1)';
      exch ← 'formal k; formal m; formal x';
      begin new b; new t;
         t tx;
         b ← t[k]; t[k] ← t[m]; t[m] ← b; t
      end';
      if length x = k then (x) else rot (k, k)
   end';
   a ← 0;
   f: out perm (1, a); a ← a & (length a); goto f
end
\end{verbatim}

This program generates the following lists:

\[
\begin{align*}
() \\
((0)) \\
((0,1), (1,0)) \\
((0,0,2), (0,2,1), (1,0,2), (1,2,0), (2,1,0), (2,0,1))
\end{align*}
\]
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Appendix I

The following is a listing of the syntax-processor programmed in Extended ALGOL* for the Burroughs B5500 computer. The organization of this program is summarized as follows:

Input lists of non-basic symbols, basic symbols and productions

A.

B1.


B3. Build tables to be used by the parsing algorithm of the EULER processor. (punch cards)

Most of the program is written in ALGOL proper. Often used extensions of ALGOL are:

1. READ and WRITE statements
   (symbol strings enclosed in < and > denote a format)

2. DEFINE declarations, being macros to be literally expanded by the ALGOL compiler.

3. STREAM procedures, being B5500 machine-code procedures, allowing the use of the B5500 character mode.

BEGIN COMMENT SYNTAX=PROCESSOR, NIKLAUS WIRTH DEC. 1964.
DEFINE NSY #150J; COMMENT MAX. NO. OF SYMBOLS.
DEFINE NPH #150J; COMMENT MAX. NO. OF PRODUCTIONS.
DEFINE UP = STEP 1 UNTIL #.
DEFINE LS = "" "", EQ = "" "", GR = "" "", NULL = "" "".
FILE OUT PCH 0 (2,10); COMMENT PUNCH FILE.
INTEGER LTI; COMMENT NUMBER OF LAST NONBASIC SYMBOL.
INTEGER MAXN, MAX, OLDN; BOOLEAN ERRORFLAG.
ALPHA ARRAY READBUFFER[0:19]; WRITEBUFFER[0:14];
ALPHA ARRAY SYB [0:NSY]; COMMENT SYMBOL TABLE.
INTEGER ARRAY SREP, NPS, O:S; COMMENT SYNTAX REFERENCE TABLE.
LABEL START, EXIT.
LABEL ABS, CE, F, G;

STREAM PROCEDURE CLEAR (D) VALUE N.
BEGIN 01 + DJ OS + 8 LIT "" SI + DJ OS + D WD S.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE MARK (D) VALUES.
BEGIN DI + DJ SI = LOC SJ SI + SJ+1 DJ ST C H R.
END J.

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE FINISH(S).
BEGIN TALLY +1 SI = SJ IF SC = "" THEN FINISH + TALLY.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE EDIT (D) VALUE N.
BEGIN DI + DJ SI + NOS + 3 ECI SI + SJ DS + 9 WD S.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE MOVE (S).
BEGIN SI + SJ 01 + DJ OS + WD S.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE MOVE (S) VALUE N.
BEGIN DI + DJ SI + NOS + ND WD S.
END J.

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE EQUAL (S).
BEGIN SI + SJ 01 + DJ OS + 3 DEC SI + SJ DS + 9 WD S.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE SCAN (S)
BEGIN LABEL A B C D E F.
SI + SJ DI + ODI OS + 48 LIT "" SI + SJ+1.
IF SC = "" THEN DI + DI + DJ.
IF SC = "" THEN BEGIN SI + SJ+1 GOTO; END J.
IF SC = "" THEN GO TO DJ.
8 (IF SC = "" THEN BEGIN DS + DJ + 1 GOTO; END J.
SI + SJ+1 GOTO A).
DI + DJ SI + NOS + 3 C T.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE EDITTEXT (S) VALUE N.
BEGIN SI + SJ 01 + DJOS + DI + 10J NCDI + DJ + 2J DS + 8 CHR.
END J.

STREAM PROCEDURE SETTEXT (A B C D E F Z).
BEGIN 01 + ZJ 01 + DJ + DI + DJ SI + AJ DS + 3 DEC SI + DJ DS + WD S.
DI + DI + SJ SI + C + DJ + 3OEC SI + DJ DS + 3 DEC.
01 + DI + DJ SI + EJ OS + 3 OEC.
END
STREAM PROCEDURE PCHTX(S:N,D:N) VALUE N
BEGIN SI + S) DI + OJDI + DI + 1
N(OS + LI8 ""D + 8 CHR; DS + LI8 ""D + LI8 "")
END
PROCEDURE INPUT)
READ(CARDFILE, 10, REAOBUFFER[*]) [ EXIT ]
PROCEDURE OUTPUT)
BEGIN WHITE (PRINFILE, 15, WRITEBUFFER[*])
CLEAR (WRITEBUFFER[0], 14)
END
INTEGER PROCEDURE IN%(X), REAL X)
BEGIN INTEGER II LABEL
FOR I + 0 UPTO M DO
IF EQUAL (SYTBI, X) THEN GO TO F
WRITE("UNDEFINED SYMBOL") ERRORFLAG + TRUE
F: INX + II
END
START
FOR N + 0 UPTO 5 DO
FOR M + 0 UPTO NPR DO REP [M, N] + O
M + N + MAX + ULDM + O ERRORFLAG + FALSE
CLEAR (WRITEBUFFER[0], 14)
COMMENT READ LIST OF SYMBOLS, ONE SYMBOL MUST APPEAR PER CARD.
STARTING IN COL. 9 (8 CHARs. ARE SIGNIFICANT). THE LIST OF NON-
BASIC SYMBOLS IS FOLLOWED BY AN ENDCARD ("**" IN COL. 1). THEN
FOLLOWS THE LIST OF BASIC SYMBOLS AND AGAIN AN ENDCARD
WRITE (< "NONBASIC SYMBOLS"))
A: INPUT)
IF FINISH (REAOBUFFER[0]) THEN GO TO E
M + M + 1
MOVE (REAOBUFFER[1], SYTB [M];
EDIT (REAOBUFFER[0], WRITEBUFFER[1], M))
OUTPUT) GO TO A
E: WRITE (<"BASIC SYMBOLS") LT + M
F: INPUT)
IF FINISH (REAOBUFFER[0]) THEN GO TO D;
M + M + 1
MOVE (REAOBUFFER[1], SYTB [M]);
EDIT (REAOBUFFER[0], WRITEBUFFER[1], M))
OUTPUT) GO TO F
COMMENT READ THE LIST OF PRODUCTIONS, ONE PER CARD.
THE LEFTPART IS A NONBASIC SYMBOL STARTING IN COL. 2, NO FORMAT IS PRESCRIBED
FOR THE RIGHT PART, ONE OR MORE BLANKS ACT AS SYMBOL SEPARATORS.
IF COL. 2 IS BLANK, THE SAME LEFTPART AS IN THE PREVIOUS PRODUCTION
IS SUBSTITUTED, THE MAX. LENGTH OF A PRODUCTION IS 6 SYMBOLS.
G: WRITE (<"SYNTAX")
B: INPUT)
IF FINISH (REAOBUFFER[0]) THEN GO TO C;
MOVETEXT (READBUFFER[0], WRITEBUFFER[1], 10); OUTPUT;
MARK (READBUFFER[9], 12); SCAN (READBUFFER[0], TEXT[0], N)
IF N = O OR N > NPR OR REP([N,M] # 0 THEN
BEGIN WRITE (<"UNACCEPTABLE TAG") ERRORFLAG + TRUE
GO TO B
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IF N > MAX THEN MAX = N

COMMENT THE SYNTAX IS STORED IN REF, EACH SYMBOL REPRESENTED BY
ITS INDEX IN THE SYMBOL-TABLE.

FOR k = 0 UPTO M-1 DO REF [N, k] = INX (TEXT[k])

IF REF [N, O] = 0 THEN REF [N, O] = REF [OLDN, O] ELSE,

IF REF [N, O] > LT THEN
BEGIN WHITE ("ILLEGAL PRODUCTION") ERRORFLAG = TRUE END

OLDN = NJ GOTO B

IF ERRORFLAG THEN GOTO EXIT

N = MAX;

COMMENT M IS THE LENGTH OF THE SYMBOL-TABLE, N OF THE REF-TABLE

BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK AJ
INTEGER ARRAY H[0..M, 0..M] COMMENT PRECEDENCE MATRIX;
INTEGER ARRAY F[0..G[0..M]] COMMENT PRECEDENCE FUNCTIONS;

BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK BJ
INTEGER ARRAY L[N], R[N] COMMENT LEFT / RIGHT INDICES;
INTEGER ARRAY LEFTLIST, RIGHTLIST [0..1022]

BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK CI, BUILD LEFT- AND RIGHT-SYMBOL LISTS
INTEGER I, J;
INTEGER SP, RSP COMMENT STACK- AND RECURSTACK-POINTER;
INTEGER LP, RP COMMENT LEFT/RIGHT LIST POINTERS;
INTEGER ARRAY INSTACK [0..M];
BOOLEAN ARRAY DONE, ACTIVE [0..LT];
INTEGER RECURSTACK, STACKMARK [0..LT+1];
INTEGER ARRAY STACK, [0..1022] COMMENT HERE THE LISTS ARE BUILT

PROCEDURE PRINTLIST (L, L) ARRAY L, L [0]
BEGIN INTEGER I, J, K;
FOR I = 1 UPTO LT DO IF DONE[I] THEN
BEGIN J = O;
MOVE (SYTBI), WRITEBUFFER[O])
FOR J = L[I]..J+1 WHILE L[J] # 0 DO
BEGIN MOVE (SYTBI), TEXT[K]), K = K+J
IF K # 10 THEN
BEGIN EDITTEXT (TEXT[K], WRITEBUFFER[O], 10)) OUTPUT)
K = 0;
END J
END J
IF K > 0 THEN
BEGIN EDITTEXT(TEXT, WRITEBUFFER[O], K)) OUTPUT END J
END

PROCEDURE DUMPITJ
BEGIN INTEGER I, J, K, L;
WRITE ([PAGE]);
WRITE (<X9>"DONE ACTIVE LINX RINX");
WRITE (<5I6>, FOR I = 1 UPTO LT DO
[I], DONE[I], ACTIVE[I], LINX[I], RINX[I]);
WRITE (<"STACKI", se = "", I = SP));
WRITE (<"100", "1016"), FOR I = 0 STEP 10 UNTIL SP DO
[I, FOR J = 1 UPTO I+9 DO STACK[J]]);
WRITE (<"RECURSTACK!");
WRITE (<3I6>, FOR I = 1 UPTO RSP DO
[I], RECURSTACK[I], STACKMARK[I]))

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PROCEDURE RESET (X); VALUE X; INTEGER X;
BEGIN INTEGER I;
FOR I + X UPTO RSP DO STACKMARK [I] = STACKMARK [X] END;
PROCEDURE PUTINTOSTACK (X); VALUE X; INTEGER X;
COMMENT X is PUT INTO THE WORKSTACK. DUPLICATION IS AVOIDED!
BEGIN IF INSTACK [X] = 0 THEN
BEGIN SP = SP + 1; STACK [SP] = X; INSTACK [X] = SP END
ELSE IF INSTACK [X] < STACKMARK [RSP] THEN
BEGIN SP = SP + 1; STACK [SP] = X; STACK [INSTACK [X]] = SP END
END;
IF SP > 1020 THEN
BEGIN WRITE ('STACK OVERFLOW'); DUMPIT; GO TO EXIT END;
PROCEDURE COPYLEFTSYMBOLS (X); VALUE X; INTEGER X;
COMMENT COPY THE LIST OF LEFTSYMBOLS OF X INTO THE STACK
BEGIN FOR X + LINX, X + 1 WHILE LEFTLIST[X] # 0 DO
PUTINTOSTACK (LEFTLIST[X]) END;
PROCEDURE COPYRIGHTSYMBOLS (X); VALUE X; INTEGER X;
COMMENT COPY THE LIST OF RIGHTSYMBOLS OF X INTO THE STACK
BEGIN FOR X + RINX, X + 1 WHILE RIGHTLIST[X] # 0 DO
PUTINTOSTACK (RIGHTLIST[X]) END;
PROCEDURE SAVELEFTSYMBOLS (X); VALUE X; INTEGER X;
COMMENT THE LEFTSYMBOLS OF ALL SYMBOLS IN THE RECURSTACK
WITH INDEX > X HAVE BEEN BUILT AND MUST NOW BE REMOVED, THEY ARE
COPIED INTO "LEFTLIST" AND THE SYMBOLS ARE MARKED "DONE"
BEGIN INTEGER I, J, U
LABEL L, EX1
IF STACKMARK CXJ = STACKMARK [X + 1] THEN
BEGIN X = X + 1; IF X * RSP THEN GO TO L ELSE GO TO EX END;
STACKMARK [RSP + 1] = SP + 1;
FOR I + X + 1 UPTO RSP DO BEGIN LINX [RECURSTACK[I]] = LP + 1;
ACTIVE [RECURSTACK[I]] = FALSE; DONE [RECURSTACK[I]] = TRUE;
FOR J + STACKMARK[I] UPTO STACKMARK[I + 1] = 1 DO
IF STACK [J] # 0 THEN
BEGIN LP = LP + 1; LEFTLIST [LP] = STACK [J] END;
IF LP > 1020 THEN
BEGIN WRITE ('LEFTLIST OVERFLOW'); DUMPIT; PRINTLIST (LINX, LEFTLIST); GO TO EXIT END;
END;
END;
END;
LP = LP + 1; LEFTLIST [LP] = 0;
EXIT; RSP = X;
PROCEDURE SAVERIGHTSYMBOLS (X); VALUE X; INTEGER X;
COMMENT ANALOG TO "SAVELEFTSYMBOLS";
BEGIN INTEGER I, J, U
LABEL L, EX1
IF STACKMARK CXJ = STACKMARK [X + 1] THEN
BEGIN X = X + 1; IF X * RSP THEN GO TO L ELSE GO TO EX END;
STACKMARK [RSP + 1] = SP + 1;
FOR I + X TO RSP DO
BEGIN
  RSP ++ 1
  IF RSP > STACKMARK THEN
    BEGIN
      WRITE ("RIGHTLIST OVERFLOW")
      DUMPIT
      GO TO EXIT
    END
  END
END

PROCEDURE BUILDLEFTLIST (X) VALUE X: INTEGER
COMMENT THE LEFTLIST OF THE SYMBOL X IS BUILT BY SCANNING THE
SYNTAX FOR PRODUCTIONS WITH LEFTPART = X, THE LEFTMOST SYMBOL IN
THE RIGHTPART IS THEN INSPECTED: IF IT IS NONBASIC AND NOT MARKED
DONE, ITS LEFTLIST IS BUILT FIRST, WHILE A SYMBOL IS BEING INSPECTED
IT IS MARKED ACTIVE;
BEGIN INTEGER I, R, OWNRSP;
ACTIVE[X] = TRUE;
RSP ++ OWNRSP + LINX + RSP + 1;
RECURSTACK[CRSP] ++ XI STACKMARK[RSP] ++ SP + 1;
FOR I ++ 1 UPTO N DO
  IF REF[I, 0] = X THEN
    BEGIN
      IF OWNRSP < RSP THEN SAVELEFTSYMBOLS(OWNRSP);
      R + REF[I, 1] ++ PUTINTOSTACK(R);
      IF R < LT THEN
        BEGIN
          IF DONE[R] THEN COPYLEFTSYMBOLS(R) ELSE
            IF ACTIVE[R] THEN RESET{LINX[R]} ELSE
              BUILDLEFTLIST(R);
        END;
      END;
    END;
END

PROCEDURE BUILDRIGHTLIST(X) VALUE X: INTEGER
COMMENT ANALOG TO "BUILDLEFTLIST";
BEGIN
  INTEGER I, R, OWNRSP;
  LABEL QQ;
  ACTIVE[X] = TRUE;
  RSP ++ OWNRSP + LINX + RSP + 1;
  RECURSTACK[CRSP] ++ XI STACKMARK[RSP] ++ SP + 1;
  FOR I ++ 1 UPTO N DO
    IF REF[I, 0] = X THEN
      BEGIN
        IF OWNRSP < RSP THEN SAVERIGHTSYMBOLS(OWNRSP);
        R + REF[I, 1] ++ PUTINTOSTACK(R);
        IF R < LT THEN
          BEGIN
            IF DONE[R] THEN COPYRIGHTSYMBOLS(R) ELSE
              IF ACTIVE[R] THEN RESET{LINX[R]} ELSE
                BUILDRIGHTLIST(R);
          END;
        END;
      END;
  END
END
BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK C1, BUILD PRECEDENCE RELATIONS;

INTEGER J,K,P,Q,R;L,T
LABEL NEXTPRODUCTION
PROCEDURE ENTER (X,Y,S); VALUE X,Y,S; INTEGER X,Y,S;
COMMENT ENTER THE RELATION S INTO POSITION [X,Y], CHECK FOR DOUBLE-
OCCUPATION OF THIS POSITION;
BEGIN T = HC[X,Y] IF T ≠ NULL AND T ≠ S THEN
BEGIN ERRORFLAG = THUE;
WRITE ("PRECEDENCE VIOLATED BY ",2Alr" FOR PAIR",PIQ,
"BY PRODUCTION",14>, T, S, X, Y, J); END J
H[X,Y] = St
END J
BEGIN Comment Block C2, Build Precedence Relations;
FOR K + 1 UPTO M DO
FOR J + 1 UPTO M DO H[K+J] = NULL;
BEGIN FUR K + 2,3,4,5 DO IF REF [J,K] ≠ 0 THEN BEGIN P + REP [J,K+1] Q + REF [J,K] END P = ENTER (P,Q,EQ) IF P ≤ LT THEN BEGIN FOR R+RIN[X,P], R+1 WHILE RIGHTLIST [R] ≠ 0 DO BEGIN (RIGHTLIST[R],Q,GR) IF Q ≤ LT THEN FOR L+LIN[X,Q], L+1 WHILE LEFTLIST [L] ≠ 0 DO BEGIN (P, LEFTLIST[L], LS) IF R+RIN[X,P], R+1 WHILE RIGHTLIST [R] ≠ 0 DO BEGIN (RIGHTLIST[R],LEFTLIST[L],GR)
END END IF Q ≤ LT THEN FOR L+LIN[X,Q], L+1 WHILE LEFTLIST [L] ≠ 0 DO BEGIN (P, LEFTLIST[L], LS)
END END
ELSE GO TO NEXTPRODUCTION;
NEXTPRODUCTION: END J;
WRITE (<\%/3913/\>, FOR J = 1 UPTO M 00 J);
FOR K = 1 UPTO M DO
WRITE (<\%/39(X2>A1)/\>, K, FOR J = 1 UPTO M DO H(K,J));
END BLOCK C2;
END BLOCK B1;
IF ERROH_FLAG THEN GO TO EXIT;
WRITE (<"SYNTAX IS A PRECEDENCE GRAMMAR"/>);
BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK B2. BUILD F AND G PRECEDENCE FUNCTIONS1
INTEGER I, J, K*1, N, FM1, GM1, T1
PROCEDURE THRU (I,J,X) VALUE [J,I] INTEGER [I,J,X] INTEGER [I,J,X]
BEGIN WRITE (<"NO PRIORITY FUNCTIONS EXIST "/>);
END BLOCK C2;
END BLOCK B1;
IF ERROH_FLAG THEN GO TO EXIT;
WRITE (<"SYNTAX IS A PRECEDENCE GRAMMAR"/>);
BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK B2. BUILD F AND G PRECEDENCE FUNCTIONS1
INTEGER I, J, K*1, N, FM1, GM1, T1
PROCEDURE THRU (I,J,X) VALUE [J,I] INTEGER [I,J,X] INTEGER [I,J,X]
BEGIN WRITE (<"NO PRIORITY FUNCTIONS EXIST "/>);
END BLOCK C2;
END BLOCK B1;
IF ERROH_FLAG THEN GO TO EXIT;
WRITE (<"SYNTAX IS A PRECEDENCE GRAMMAR"/>);
BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK B2. BUILD F AND G PRECEDENCE FUNCTIONS1
INTEGER I, J, K*1, N, FM1, GM1, T1
PROCEDURE THRU (I,J,X) VALUE [J,I] INTEGER [I,J,X] INTEGER [I,J,X]
BEGIN WRITE (<"NO PRIORITY FUNCTIONS EXIST "/>);
END BLOCK C2;
END BLOCK B1;
IF ERROH_FLAG THEN GO TO EXIT;
WRITE (<"SYNTAX IS A PRECEDENCE GRAMMAR"/>);
BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK B2. BUILD F AND G PRECEDENCE FUNCTIONS1
INTEGER I, J, K*1, N, FM1, GM1, T1
PROCEDURE THRU (I,J,X) VALUE [J,I] INTEGER [I,J,X] INTEGER [I,J,X]
BEGIN WRITE (<"NO PRIORITY FUNCTIONS EXIST "/>);
END BLOCK C2;
END BLOCK B1;
IF ERROH_FLAG THEN GO TO EXIT;
WRITE (<"SYNTAX IS A PRECEDENCE GRAMMAR"/>);
IF H[I,K] = GR AND F[I] ≤ GMIN THEN FIXUPROW(I,K,1))
END K
END BLOCK B2
WRITE ("PAGE")

BEGIN COMMENT BLOCK B3. BUILD TABLES OF PRODUCTION REFERENCES
INTEGER I,J,K,L;
INTEGER ARRAY MTB [0..M]; COMMENT MASTER TABLE
INTEGER ARRAY PRTB [0..2211] COMMENT PRODUCTION TABLE
L = 0;
FOR I = 1 UPTO M DO
BEGIN MTB[I]=L+1;
FOR J = 1 UPTO N DO
IF REF[I,J] = 1 THEN
BEGIN FOR K = 2,3,4,5 DO
IF REF[I,K] ≠ 0 THEN
BEGIN
L = L+1;
PRTB[I] = REF[I,K]
END
END
L = L+1;
PRTB[I] = 0
END
END
BEGIN COMMENT PRINT AND PUNCH THE RESULTS:
SYMBOLTABLE, PRECEDENCE FUNCTIONS, SYNTAX REFERENCE TABLES
FOR I = 1 UPTO M DO
BEGIN SETTEXT(I,SYTB[I],F[I],G[I],MTB[I],WRITEBUFFER[0]);
OUTPUT
END
WRITE ("/<""PRODUCTION TABLE1"">")
FOR I = 0 STEP 10 UNTIL L DO
WRITE ("<I9X2,10I6>", FOR J = 1 UPTO I+9 DO PRTB[J]);
WRITE ("/>");
BEGIN PCHTX (SYTB[I],WRITEBUFFER[0], IF M = I+6 THEN 6 ELSE M-I+1);
WRITE (PCH,WRITEBUFFER[0]); CLEAR (WRITEBUFFER[0],9)
END
WRITE (PCH, <X4,12(I4,"",")>", FOR I = 1 UPTO 100 F[I]);
WRITE (PCH, <X4,12(I4,"",")>", FOR I = 1 UPTO M DO G[I]);
WRITE (PCH, <X4,12(I4,"",")>", FOR I = 1 UPTO M DO MTB[I]);
WRITE (PCH, <X4,12(I4,"",")>", FOR I = 1 UPTO L DO PRTB[I]);
END BLOCK B3
END BLOCK A
EXIT
END.
Appendix II

The following is a listing of the EULER processing system programmed in Extended ALGOL for the Burroughs B5500 computer. The organization of this program is summarized as follows:

**EULER Translator**

Declarations including the procedure INSYSMBOL and the code-generating procedures P1, P2, P3, FIXUP,

Initialization of tables with data produced by the syntax-processor,

The parsing algorithm,

The interpretation rules (their labels correspond to their numbering in IV B)

**EULER Interpreter**

Declarations including the procedures DUMPOUT (used for outputting results) and FREE (used to recover no longer used storage space when memory space becomes scarce)

The interpretation rules for the individual instructions

The source program is punched on cards (col. 1-72) in free field format. Blank spaces are ignored, but may not occur within identifiers or word-delimiters.

An identifier is any sequence of letters and digits (starting with a letter), which is not a word-delimiter. Only the first 8 characters are significant; the remaining characters are ignored.
A word-delimiter is a sequence of letters corresponding to a single EULER symbol, which in the reference-language is expressed by the same sequence of underlined or boldface letters. E.g., begin → BEGIN, end → END etc. Note: ' → LQ, ' → RQ, → TEN, → UNDEFINED.

A symbol is any BCL-character* (or sequence of up to 5 XL-characters) enclosed between characters "". E.g. "*"

An example of an EULER program is listed at the end of this Appendix.

BEGIN COMMENT EULER IV SYSTEM MARCH 1965
INTEGER FT, LT, IP, NTPR, TSCALE
ARRAY PKOGKAM C01012211
DEFINE AFIELD = [39:9], BFIELD = [9:30], CFIELD = [118:]
LABEL EXIT
FT = 45; LT = 119; LP = 465; COMMENT DATA GENERATED BY SY-PR.
BEGIN COMMENT EULER IV TRANSLATOR WIRTH
DEFINE MARK = 119, IODSYM = 63, REFSYM = 59, LABSYM = 62
DEFINE VALSYM = 56, CALLSYM = 55, UNDEF = 0, NEWSYM = 60
DEFINE UNARYMINUS = 116, NUMSYM = 68, BOOLSYM = 64
DEFINE LISTSYM = 1028, SYMSYM = 113, FORSYM = 61
DEFINE NAME = VCO
INTEGER IPJ, ON, N, SCALE
COMMENT BLOCK- AND ORDER-NUMBER
INTEGER NP, CP, CC, CB, CN, CS, CC1;
COMMENT INPUT POINTERS;
ALPHA ARRAY READBUFFER, WRITEBUFFER(0114)
ALPHA ARRAY SYTB [0:127] COMMENT TABLE OF BASIC SYMBOLS
INTEGER ARRAY F, G [0:127] COMMENT PRIORITY FUNCTIONS
INTEGER ARRAY MTB [0:127] COMMENT SYNTAX MASTER TABLE
INTEGER ARRAY PRB [0:LP] COMMENT PRODUCTION TABLE
INTEGER ARRAY S [0:127] COMMENT STACK
REAL ARRAY V [0:127] COMMENT VALUE STACK
ALPHA ARRAY NL1 [0:63] COMMENT NAME LIST
INTEGER ARRAY NL2, NL3
LABEL A0, A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, A7, A8, A9
LABEL A0, A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, A7, A8, A9
BEGIN
END
END
STREAM PROCEDURE MOVE (S,D)
BEGIN SI = SJ DI = DJ DS WDS END;

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE EQUAL (X,Y)
BEGIN TALLY = 1; SI = X; DI = Y; IF 8SC = DC THEN EQUAL = TALLY END;

INTEGER PROCEDURE INSYMBOL;
COMMENT "INSYMBOL" READS THE NEXT EULER-SYMBOL FROM INPUT.4 STRINGS OF LETTERS AND DIGITS ARE RECOGNIZED AS IDENTIFIERS, IF THEY ARE NOT EQUAL TO AN EULER-IVWORD-DELLIMITER. A CHARACTER-SEQUENCE ENCLOSED IN " IS RECOGNIZED AS A SYMBOL;
BEGIN INTEGER IJ LABEL AIJ AII0 IJEJ
STREAM PROCEDURE TRCH (S,M,D,N)J VALUE M,NJ
BEGIN SI = S J SJ = SI+MJ DI = DJ DI = DI+NJ OS = CHR END;

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE BLANK (S,N)J VALUE NJ
BEGIN TALLY = 1; SI = S J SI = SI+NJ IF SC = " " THEN BLANK = TALLY END;

STREAM PROCEDURE BLANKOUT (0);
BEGIN DI = DJ DS = 8 LIT ";"
END;

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE QUOTE (S,N)J VALUE NJ
BEGIN TALLY = 1; SI = S J SI = SI+NJ IF SC = ":" THEN QUOTE = TALLY END;

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE LETTER (S,N)J VALUE NJ
BEGIN TALLY = 1; SI = S J SI = SI+NJ IF SC = "A" THEN LETTER = TALLY END;

BOOLEAN STREAM PROCEDURE LETTERORDIGIT (S,N)J VALUE NJ
BEGIN TALLY = 1; SI = S J SI = SI+NJ IF SC = "A" THEN LETTERORDIGIT = TALLY END;

STREAM PROCEDURE EDIT (N,S,0); VALUE NJ
BEGIN SI = LOC N DI = DJ OS = 3 OECJ SI = S J 01 = 0 13 = 13 DS = 10 WDS END;

PROCEDURE ADVANCE;
COMMENT ADVANCES THE INPUT POINTER BY 1 CHARACTER POSITION;
BEGIN IF CC = 7 THEN
BEGIN IF WC = 8 THEN
BEGIN READ (CARDFIL,10,READBUFFER[*]) (EXIT)
EOIT (PHP+1,READBUFFER[*],WRITEBUFFER[*]) WRITE (PRINFILE,15,WRITEBUFFER[*]) WC = 0 END ELSE WC = WC+1;
cc = 0;
END ELSE CC = CC+1;
END ADVANCE;

PROCEDURE ADVANCE J;
BEGIN IF BLANK (READBUFFER[WC], CC) THEN
BEGIN ADVANCE; GO TO A END;
END ADVANCE;

BLANKOUT (NAME);
A, IF BLANK (READBUFFER[WC], CC) THEN
BEGIN ADVANCE; GO TO A END;
IF LETTER (READBUFFER[WC], CC) THEN
BEGIN FOR I = 0 STEP 1 UNTIL 7 00
BEGIN TRCH (READBUFFER [WC], CC, NAME, 1); AOVANCE;
IF NOT LETTERORDIGIT (READBUFFER [WC], CC) THEN GO TO C
END;
AOVANCE;
IF LETTERORDIGIT (READBUFFER [WC], CC) THEN GO TO B;

C:
END ELSE
IF QUOTE (READBUFFER [WC], CC) THEN
BEGIN TRCH (READBUFFER [WC], CC, 1); AOVANCE;
IF I ≠ 4 THEN
BEGIN NAME = I*[4216] & NAME [18124124] GO TO E END;
ELSE I ≠ SYMSYM J GO TO 0;
END ELSE
BEGIN TRCH (READBUFFER [WC], CC, NAME, 0); AOVANCE;
END
FOR I ≠ FT STEP 1 UNTIL LT DO
II:_EQUAL (SYMB [I], NAME) THEN BEGIN ZERO (NAME) GO TO 0;
END;
I ≠ IDSYM
DI: INSYMBOL ≠ I
END INSYMBOL

PROCEDURE P1(X,J VALUE X; INTEGER X)
BEGIN PRP = PRP + 1; PROGRAM (PRP) = X
END;
PROCEDURE P2(X,J VALUE X, Y; INTEGER X, REAL Y)
BEGIN PRP = PRP + 1; PROGRAM (PRP) = X; PROGRAM (PRP) = Y
END;
PROCEDURE P3(X,J VALUE X, Y, Z; INTEGER X, Y, Z)
BEGIN PHP = PHP + 1; PROGRAM (PHP) = X; PROGRAM (PHP) = Y; PROGRAM (PHP) = Z
END;
PROCEDURE FIXUP(I,J VALUE I, X; INTEGER I, X)
PROCEDURE ERROR (N,J VALUE N; INTEGER N)
BEGIN SWITCH FORMAT ERR ≠
("UNDECLARED IDENTIFIER"),
("NUMBER TOO LARGE"),
("LABEL IS DEFINEDTWICE"),
("A LABEL IS NOT DECLARED"),
("LABEL DECLARED BUT NOT DEFINED"),
("PROGRAM SYNTACTICALLY INCORRECT"); ERRORFLAG ≠ TRUE;
WRITE (END ERROR (N)); WRITE (<X40, "COL", 13>, WCX8 + CC + 1)
END ERROR;

PROCEDURE PROGRAMDUMP;
BEGIN REAL T; INTEGER 1; LABEL L;
STREAM PROCEDURE NUM (N,J) VALUE N;
BEGIN 01 = DJ SI = LOC N; OS = 3; 0; E; C
END;
READ (<A4>, T, L) IF T ≠ "DUMP" THEN GO TO LJ;
WRITE(<"PROGRAM DUMP">);
FOR I ≠ 1 STEP 1 UNTIL PRP 00
BEGIN CLEAR (WRITEBUFFER[0])
COMMENT INITIALISE THE SYMBOLOFILE, THE PRIORITY FUNCTIONS AND THE
PRODUCTION TABLES WITH DATA GENERATED BY THE SYNTAX-PROCESSOR)
FILL SYB[*] WITH ON
"PROGRAM", "BLOCK", "BL0KHEAD", "BL0KBODY", "LAB0DEF", "STAT ",
"STAT-", "EXPR", "EXPR-", "IFCLAUSE", "TRUEPART", "CATE0A",
"DISJ-", "DISJHEAD", "CONJ", "CONJ-", "CONJHEAD", "NEGATION",
"RELATION", "CH0ICE", "SUM", "SUM-", "TERM",
"TERMN-", "FACT0R", "FACT0R-", "PR0RARY", "PR0CEDF", "PR0CEHEAD",
"LIST", "LISTHEAD", "REFENDER", "NUMBER", "REAL", "INTEGRER",
"INTEGER-", "DIGIT", "LOGVAL", "VAR", "VAR-", "VARDEO ",
"FORDEO", "LABODECL", "Q", "1", "2", "3", "4",
",",",
"FOKAL", "LABEL", "IDENT", "[", "]", "BEGIN",
"END", "{", "}", "IF", "THEN", "ELSE",
"OR", "AND", "NOT", "MIN", "MAX",
"<", ",", "="
"ABS", "LENGTH", "INTEGER", "REAL"
"TAIL", "IN", "ISB", "ISN", "ISR", "ISL",
"ISL", "ISY", "ISP", "ISU", "SYMBOL", "UNDEFINE",
"TEN", "", "", "TRUE", "FALSE", "S"
FILL F[*] WITH 00
1, 40 190 1, 20 1, 28 30 4, 1, 40 4,
58 50 50 6, 60 60 7, 7, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11,
11, 12, 12, 13, 13, 13, 3, 13, 3, 13, 13, 13, 13,
17, 190 130 130 150 10 10 1, 190 190 190,
190 1, 19, 13, 19, 19 190 190 190 190 190 190,
140 140 160 3, 16, 218 58 190 13, 19, 13, 13,
48 48 30 19, 19 120 190 190 11, 80 8, 8,
80 80 80 90 90 10, 10, 1, 118 11, 12,
13, 13, 13, 13, 13, 13, 13,
FILL G[*] WITH 00 13, 13,
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5, 13, 5, 3, 3, 40 50 60 7, 7, 7, 7,
7, 70 7, 8, 80 10, 10, 11, 110 110 11, 12,
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130 13, 13, 13, 13, 130 130 160 130 130 4,
COMMENT ALGORITHM FOR SYNTACTIC ANALYSIS:

COMPARE THE PRIORTIES OF THE SYMBOL R AND OF THE
SYMBOL ON TOP OF THE STACK S. IF S[J], S[I] CONSTITUTE A RIGHT-
PART OF A PRODUCTION, THEN REPLACE THIS SEQUENCE BY THE
CORRESPONDING LEFT-PART AND BRANCH TO THE INTERPRETATION-RULE
BELONGING TO THE PERFORMED PRODUCTION;

AO: R ← INSMBOLJ
A1: IF F[S[I]] > G[R] THEN GO TO A2J
A2: IF R = MARK THEN GO TO A9J
A3: IF P[R][M] = 0 THEN BEGIN ERROR(S) GO TO EXIT END
A4: N ← N + 1J
A5: IF P[RBM][M] < 0 THEN GO TO A8J
A6: M ← M + 2J GOTO A3J
A7: IF P[RBM][M] ≥ 0 THEN GO TO A5J
A8: IF N ≤ I THEN GO TO A6J
A9: GO TO BRANCH (= PRBM(M));

COMMENT THE FOLLOWING ARE THE INTERPRETATION-RULES;

L1: P1(S[I]) = NP ← NP+1J MOVE (V[I], NL1[NP]) ELSE ZERO (V[I])
L2: NL2[NP] + BN ← NL3[NP] + ON ← ON+1J NL4[NP] + S[I] GO TO L0
L3: NL2[NP] + BN ← NL3[NP] + NL4[NP] ELSE UNDEF GO TO L0
L4: FOR T ← NP STEP = 1 UNTIL 1 DO IF EQUAL (NL1[T], V[I]) THEN GO TO NAMEFOUND1
NAMEFOUND1:
IF NL4[T] = NEWSYM THEN P3(REFSYM, NL3[T], NL2[T]) ELSE
IF NL4[T] = LABSYM THEN P3(LABSYM, NL3[T], NL2[T]) ELSE
IF NL4[T] = FORSYM THEN BEGIN P3(REFSYM, NL3[T], NL2[T]) = P1(VALSYM) END ELSE BEGIN P3(LABSYM, NL3[T], NL2[T]) + PRP END
GO TO L0
L5: P1(S[I]) = GO TO L0
L6: P1(VALSYM) = GO TO L0
L10:
L9: V[I] = 0J GO TO L0
L11:
L8: V[I] = 1J GO TO L0
L2: V[I] + 2J GO TO L0
L13: V[I] = 3J GO TO L0
L14: V[I] = 4J GO TO L0
L15: V[I] = 5J GO TO L0
L16: V[I] = 6J GO TO L0
L17: V(J) = 7; GO TO LOJ
L18: V(J) = 8; GO TO LOJ
L19: V(J) = 9; GO TO LOJ
L20: SCALE +1; GO TO LOJ
L21: V(J) * V(J) + 1 * SCALE = SCALE +1
   IF SCALE > 11 THEN ERROR (1); GO TO LOJ
L23: V(J) * V(J) + 10 + 1 * SCALE = V(J); GO TO LOJ
L26: V(J) = 10 + V(J); GO TO LOJ
L27: V(J) * V(J) + 11 * V(J); GO TO LOJ
L28: V(J) = 11 + V(J); GO TO LOJ
L31: V(J) * V(J) + 11; GO TO LOJ
L32: V(J) = 12; GO TO LOJ
L33: P2(S[I]); GO TO LOJ
L34: P2(S[I]); GO TO LOJ
L36: BN + BN+1; UN+O; P2(S[I]); UNDEF; V(J) + PRPJ
   NP + NP+1; ZERO (NL1[NP]); NL2[NP] + MP; MP + NPJ; GO TO LOJ
L37: P1(S[I]); FIXUP (V[J] + PRPJ); NP + NP+1; MP + NL2[NP];
   BN + BN+1; GO TO LOJ
L38: P1(VALSYM); GO TO LOJ
L39: P1(CALLSYM); GO TO LOJ
L40: P2(COOLLSTMV[I]); GO TO LOJ
L41: P1(NUMSYM); PHP + PRPJ; PROGRAM (PRPJ) + V(I); GO TO LOJ
L42: P2(S[I]); V[I]; GO TO LOJ
L43: P1(UNARYMINUS); GO TO LOJ
L44: L96: L101; L102: P2(S[I]); UNDEF; V(J) + PRPJ; GO TO LOJ
L45: L97; FIXUP (V(J) + PRPJ); GO TO LOJ
L49: FIXUP (V(J) + V(J)+1); FIXUP (V(J)+1, PRPJ); GO TO LOJ
L113: FOR T = NP STEP -1 UNTIL MP+1 DO
   IF EQUAL (NL1[NP], V(J)) THEN
      BEGIN IF NL4[T] # UNDEF THEN ERROR (2);
         TI + NL3[T] = NL3[T] + PRPJ; NL4[T] = LABSYM; ZERO (V[J]);
      \L113: IF TI # UNDEF THEN
         BEGIN T = PROGRAM (T); BFIELDJ; FIXUP (T; PRPJ);
            TI + T; GO TO L1131
      \END J; GO TO LOJ
   END;
   \ERROR (3); GO TO LOJ
L114: \BN = BN+1; UN = N; P1(S[I]);
   NP + NP+1; ZERO (NL1[NP]); NL2[NP] + MP; MP + NPJ; GO TO LOJ
L116: P1(S[I]); GO TO LOJ
L119: FOR T = MP +1 STEP 1 UNTIL NP DO IF NL4[T] = UNDEF THEN ERROR (4);
   NP + NP+1; MP + NL2[NP]; P1(S[I]); BN + BN+1; GO TO LOJ
END +
BEGIN COMMENT EULER IV INTERPRETER MCKEEMAN & WIRTH
HEAL ARRAY S, SI, F, FI [O:1022] COMMENT STACK
INTEGER II, I2, LVL, FuHMAIiCOUNTj
INTEGER SIj COMMENT TOP-STACK POINTER
INTEGER FI COMMENT FREE STORAGE SPACE POINTER;
INTEGER MP; COMMENT BLOCK- OR PROCEDURE-MARK POINTER;
INTEGER PP; COMMENT PROGRAM POINTER
LABEL ADD, SUB, MUL, DIV, IDIV, REMAINDER, POWER, NEG, ABSV,
INTEGERIZE, REAL, LOGICAL, MIN, MAX, EQ, NEQ, LSS, LEQ, GGT, GTR,
LENGTH, ILOGICAL, ISNUMBER, ISREFERENCE, ISLABEL, ISSYMBOL,
ISLIST, ISPACEDURE, ISUNDEFINED, LAND, LOR, LNOT, LEFTQUOTE,
RIGHTQUOTE, RIGHTPAREN, REFERENCE, PROCEDURECALL, VALUEOPERATOR,
GOTO, NEW, FORMAL, BEGIN, END, STORE, THEN, ELSE, NUMBER, LOGVAL,
LABEL, SUBSCRIPT, SEMICOLON, UNDEF, OUTPUT, INPUT, TAIL,
CATENATE, LIST, SYMBOL, DONE, UNDEFINEDOPERATOR, NEXT, TRANSFER;
COMMENT SI AND FI FIELD DEFINITIONS
NUMBER TYPE VALUE
BOOLEAN TYPE VALUE
SYMBOL TYPE VALUE
UNDEFINED TYPE
LIST TYPE LENGTH ADDRESS
REFERENCE TYPE MARK ADDRESS
LABEL TYPE MARK ADDRESS
PROCEDURE TYPE BLOCK NO, MARK ADDRESS
BLOCKMARK TYPE DYNAMIC BLOCK NO, STATIC ADDRESS LIST
- DEFINE
TYPE=[114]#,
MCT=[28:10]#,
ADDRESS=[38:10]#,STATIC=[28:10]#,DYNAMIC=[18:10]#,BLN=[18:10]#,NSA=[18:10]#, COMMENT NEW STARTING ADDRESS FOR FREE
UNDEFINED=0#,
NUMBERTYPE=1#,
SYMBOLTYPE=2#,
BOOLEAN=3#,
LABELTYPE=4#,
REFERENCE=5#,
PROCEDURE=6#,
LISTTYPE=7#,
BLOCKMARK=8#
STREAM PROCEDURE MOVE(F1, T1, W);
BEGIN LOCAL RI, R2;
SI + W, SI + SI + 6;
DI + LOC R1, DI + DI + 7, DS + CHR;
DI + LOC R2, DI + 01 + 7, DS + CHR;
SI + FI, DI + T1;
R1(2(DS + 32 MD$)) DS + R2 MD$;
END
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PROCEDURE DUMPOUT(XI, X); VALUE XI, X; REAL XI, X;
BEGIN INTEGER T, N;
PROCEDURE LISTOUT(XI); VALUE XI; REAL XI;
BEGIN COMMENT RECURSIVE LIST OUTPUT;
INTEGER I, N;
SWITCH FORMAT LPAR +
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"STACK OVERFLOW DURING GARBAGE COLLECTION",  
"ASSIGNMENT TO ANON-VARIABLE ATTEMPTED",  
"FREE STORAGE AREA IS TOO SMALL";
WRITE (DBLJ, ERM(N));
SP, FP, PP, HP, PROGRAM[PP].AFIELD);
FOR I = 1 STEP 1 UNTIL S END DO
BEGIN WRITE(<NO>, <I4>, I)) DUMPOUT (SI[I], SI[I]) END } 
GO TO DONE
END ERROR;

PROCEDURE FREE(NEED); VALUE NEED; INTEGER NEED;
COMMENT "FREE" IS A "GARBAGE COLLECTION" PROCEDURE. IT IS CALLED 
WHEN FREE STORAGE IS USED UP, AND MORE SPACE IS NEEDED.
GARBAGE COLLECTION TAKES THE FOLLOWING STEPS:
1. ALL BLOCKMARKS, LIST DESCRIPTORS AND REFERENCES IN STACK 
POINT TO VALID INFORMATION IN FREE STORAGE. SIMILARLY, ALL 
LIST DESCRIPTORS AND REFERENCES THAT ARE POINTED TO ARE VALID, 
ENTER INTO THE STACK ALL SUCH ENTITIES;
2. THE GARBAGE COLLECTOR MUST KNOW IN WHICH ORDER TO COLLAPSE THE 
FREE STORAGE, THUS SORT THE LIST BY FREE STORAGE ADDRESS;
3. MOVE EACH BLOCK DOWN IF NECESSARY;
4. NOW THE ADDRESSES ARE WRONG—MAKE ONE MORE PASS THROUGH THE 
SORTED LIST TO UPDATE ALL ADDRESSES;
BEGIN OWN INTEGER G, H, I, J; OWN REAL T;

INTEGER PROCEDURE FIND(W); VALUE W; REAL W;
BEGIN COMMENT BINARY SEARCH THROUGH ORDERED TABLE;
INTEGER T, N, B, KEY, K;
LABEL FOUND, BINARY;
T = G+1; B = SP + 1;
KEY = W.ADDRESS;
BINARY: N = (B+T)/2;
K = SI[N].ADDRESS;
IF K = KEY THEN GO TO FOUND;
IF K < KEY THEN B = N ELSE T = N;
GO TO BINARY;
FOUND: FIND * SI[N].NSA
END FIND;

PROCEDURE RESET(W, Z); REAL W, Z;
BEGIN INTEGER TY;
TY = W.TYPE;
IF TY = REFERENCETYPE OR TY = LISTTYPE THEN W.ADDRESS = FIND(W) ELSE
IF TY = BLOCKMARK THEN Z.ADDRESS = FIND(Z)
END RESET;

PROCEDURE VALIDATE(P); VALUE P; REAL P;
BEGIN COMMENT TREE SEARCH FOR ACTIVE LIST STORAGE;
INTEGER I = U;
G = G + 1;
IF G > 1022 THEN ERROR(12);
SI[I] = P;
U = P.ADDRESS + P.WCT - 1;
IF P.TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN FOR I = P.ADDRESS STEP 1 UNTIL U DO
IF $F[I].TYPE = LISTTYPE$ OR $F[I].TYPE = REFERENCETYPE$ THEN

VALIDATE($F[I])$

END VALIDATION

PROCEDURE SURT(LB, UB) VALUE LB, UB INTEGER LB, UB
BEGIN

COMMENT BINARY SORT

INTEGER MJ

PROCEDURE MERGE(LB, M, UB) VALUE LB, M, UB INTEGER LB, M, UB
BEGIN INTEGER K, U*K1, K2 LABEL A, B

K + UB = LB

MOVE($S[L],S[LB], K)\$

L * K + LB, U = MJ GO TO B

At K1 = S[L].ADDRESS, K2 = S[U].ADDRESS

IF K1 < K2 OR (K1 = K2 AND S[L].TYPE = LISTTYPE) THEN

BEGIN

S[I(K1) + S[L]].L = L+1

END ELSE

BEGIN

S[I(K) + S[U]].U = U+1

END

K = K + 1

B: IF L = M THEN ELSE IF U = UB THEN

BEGIN

K * M-LJ MOVE(S[L],S[UB-K], K)

END ELSE GO TO A

END MERGE

IF LB < UB THEN

BEGIN

M = (LB+UB) DIV 2

SORT(LB, M) SORT(M+1, UB) MERGE(LB, M+1, UB+1)

END

END SORT

INTEGER LLAI, LLWI

G + SP

FOR H + 1 STEP 1 UNTIL SP DO

BEGIN

COMMENT LOCATE ALL ACTIVE LISTS AND REFERENCES

IF $S[H].TYPE = LISTTYPE$ OR $S[H].TYPE = REFERENCETYPE$ THEN

VALIDATE($S[H])$ ELSE

IF $S[H].TYPE = BLOCKMARK$ THEN VALIDATE($S[H])$

END

COMMENT SORT THEM IN ORDER OF INCREASING ADDRESS

SORT(SP+1, G)

I t 1

COMMENT COLLAPSE THE FREE STORAGE

FOR J + SP + 1 STEP 1 UNTIL G DO

IF $S[I(J)].TYPE = LISTTYPE$ THEN

BEGIN

COMMENT IF G.C. OCCURS DURING "COPY" THEN WE MUST AVOID

THE CREATION OF DOUBLE LIST ENTRIES FROM DUPLICATED DESCRIPTORS

IF $S[I(J)].TYPE = S[I(J+1)].TYPE = S[I(J+1)].TYPE = UNDEFINED$ THEN

LLA = S[I(J)].ADDRESS, LLW = S[I(J)].WCT

IF LLA $\neq$ I THEN

BEGIN

MOVE($F[LLA], F[I], LLW)\$

MOVE($F[LLA], F[I], LLW)\$

END

S[I(J), NSA + I]

I = I + LLW

END ELSE S[I(J), NSA + I] = LLW + S[I(J)].ADDRESS = LLAI
PROCEDURE MOVESEG(LD) REAL LD
    INTEGER W, X;
    W = LD, WCTJ
    IF FP + W > 1022 THEN FREE(W)
    X = LD, ADDRESSJ
    MOVE(F[X], F[FP], W)
    MOVE(F[X], F[FP], W)
    LD, ADDRESS + FP)
    FP + FP + W;
END MOVE SEGMENT;

PROCEDURE COPY(LD) REAL LD
    BEGIN INTEGER I, J;
        COMMENT RECURSIVE LIST COPY;
        MOVESEG(LD)
        I = LD, WCTJ
        FOR I = 0 STEP 1 UNTIL J DO
            IF FI[I+LD, ADDRESS].TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN COPY(F[I+LD, ADDRESS])
        END COPY;

PROCEDURE BOOLTEST IF SI[SP].TYPE # BOOLEANTYPE THEN ERROR(l);

INTEGER PROCEDURE ROUND(X) VALUE X REAL X ROUND + X;

PROCEDURE BARITH;
BEGIN IF SI[SP].TYPE # NUMBERTYPE OR SI[SP-1].TYPE # NUMBERTYPE THEN
    ERROR(l) ELSE SP + SP-1
END BARITH;

PROCEDURE FETCH;
BEGIN INTEGER I;
    IF SI[SP].TYPE # REFERENCETYPE THEN
        BEGIN I + SI[SP], ADDRESS) SI[SP] + FI[I]) SI[SP] + F[I] END
    END FETCH;

INTEGER PROCEDURE MARKINDEX(Bl) VALUE Bl, INTEGER BlJ
    BEGIN INTEGER Bl, Bl;
        COMMENT MARKINDEX IS THE INDEX OF THE MARK WITH BLOCKNUMBER BlJ
        LABEL U1 INTEGER I;
        I = MPJ
        U1 IF SI[I].BLN > BL THEN
            BEGIN I + SI[I].STATIC) GO TO U1 END;
        IF SI[I].BLN < BL THEN ERROR(4);
        MARKINDEX + I
    END MARKINDEX;

PROCEDURE LEVELCHECK(X, Y) VALUE Y INTEGER Y REAL X;
BEGIN INTEGER T, 18 tab U1 T + X, TYPE;

IF T = REFERENCETYPE OR T = LABELTYPE THEN
    BEGIN IF X.STATIC > Y THEN ERROR(5) END ELSE
    IF T = PROCEDURETYPE THEN X.STATIC = Y ELSE
    IF T = LISTTYPE THEN
    BEGIN L = X.ADDRESS + L + X.NEXT = 13
    FOR I = L STEP 1 UNTIL U DO LEVELCHECK(RI II, Y)
    END
END LEVEL CHECKS

PROCEDURE SPUPJ IF SP ≥ 1022 THEN ERROR(11) ELSE SP = SP + 13

PROCEDURE SETIS(VJ, VALUE VJ, INTEGER VJ)
BEGIN FETCHJ
    S[SP] = REAL(SI[SP].TYPE = VJ)
    S[SP].TYPE = BOOLEANTYPE
END SET ISJ

SWITCH EXECUTE +
    PROCEDURE CALL, VALUEOPERATOR, SEMICOLON, UNDEFINEDOPERATOR,
    REFERENCE8 NEW8, FORMAL8, LABEL8, UNDEFINEDOPERATOR, LOGVAL,
    SUBSCRIPT8, BEGIN8, ENDF8, NUMBER8, RIGHTPAREN8, LEFTQUOTE8, RIGHTQUOTE8,
    GOT8, OUTPUT8, STORE8, UNDEFINEDOPERATOR, THENV8, ELSEV8, CATENATE8
    LOR8, LAND8, NOT8, EQL8, NEQL8, LESS8, GREQL8, GTR8, MIN8, MAX8
    ADD8, SUB8, MUL8, DIV8, IDIV8, REMAINDER8, POWER8, ABS8, LENGTH8,
    INTEGERIZE8, REAL8, LOGICAL8, LIST8, TAIL8, INPUT8,
    ISLOGICAL8, ISNUMBER8, ISREFERENCE8, ISLABEL8, ISLIST8, ISSYMBOL8,
    ISPROCEDURE8 ISUNDEFINED8, SYMBOL8 UNDEF8, UNDEFINEDOPERATOR, NEG8,
    UNDEFINEDOPERATOR, UNDEFINEDOPERATOR, DONE8

WRITE S(PAGEJ)
SP = MP = PP = 0J, FP = 13, FT = FT+9)

NEXT1 PP = PP+1J
TRANSFER1 GO TO EXECUTE [PROGRAM[PP].AFIELD = FTJ)

UNDEFINEDOPERATOR1
    ERROR(OJ)
    SEMICOLON:
    se = SP = 13 GO TO NEXTJ
    UNDEF8 = SPUPJ
    SI[SP].TYPE = UNDEFINEDJ GO TO NEXTJ
    NUMBER8:
    PP = PP + 1J, SPUPJ.
    SI[SP].TYPE = NUMBERTYPEJ SCSPJ = PROGRAM[PP]J GO TO NEXTJ
    SYMBOL8 SPUPJ
    SI[SP].TYPE = SYMBOLTYPEJ SCSPJ = PROGRAM[PP].BFIELDJ GO TO NEXTJ
    LOGVAL8 SPUPJ
    SI[SP].TYPE =BOOLEANTYPEJ SCSPJ = PROGRAM[PP].BFIELDJ GO TO NEXTJ
    REFERENCE8 SPUPJ
    SI[SP] = OJ
    SI[SP].TYPE = REFERENCETYPEJ
    SI[SP].STATIC = 11 = MARKINDEX(PROGRAM[PP].CFIELDJ)
    GO TO NEXTJ

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LABEL1: SPUPJ
SI[SP].TYPE + LABELTYPEJ
SI[SP].STATIC + MARKINDEX(PROGRAM[PP].CFILE));
SI[SP].ADDRESS + PROGRAM[PP].BFILEJ GO TO NEXT;
CATENATE;
IF SI[SP].TYPE + LISTTYPE OR SI[SP+1].TYPE + LISTTYPE THEN ERROR(1); IF SI[SP+1].ADDRESS + SI[SP].ADDRESS THEN BEGIN CUMMENT MUST HAVE CONTIGUOUS LISTS;
MOVESEG(SI[SP+1]));
MOVESEG(SI[SP]));
END;
SP + SP = 1;
SI[SP].WCT + SI[SP].WCT + SI[SP+1].WCT
GO TO NEXT)
END;
SI[SP] + HEAL(NOT BOOLEAN(S[SP])); GO TO NEXT;
LESS  BATHJ
SI[SP] + HEAL(S[SP] < SI[SP+1]));
SI[SP].TYPE + BDOLEANTYPE J GO TO NEXT;
EQL  BARTHJ
SI[SP] + HEAL(S[SP] = SI[SP+1]));
SI[SP].TYPE + BDOLEANTYPE J GO TO NEXT;
NEQ  BARTHJ
SI[SP] + HEAL(S[SP] # SI[SP+1]));
SI[SP].TYPE + BDOLEANTYPE J GO TO NEXT;
GEQ  BARTHJ
SI[SP] + HEAL(S[SP] >= SI[SP+1]));
SI[SP].TYPE + BDOLEANTYPE J GO TO NEXT;
GTR  BARTHJ
SI[SP] + HEAL(S[SP] > SI[SP+1]));
SI[SP].TYPE + BDOLEANTYPE J GO TO NEXT;
MINI  BARTHJ
IF SI[SP+1] < SI[SP] THEN SCSPJ + SI[SP+1]}; GO TO NEXT;
MAX  BARTHJ
IF SI[SP+1] > SCSPJ THEN SI[SP]+ SI[SP+1]}; GO TO NEXT;
ADDI  BARTHJ
SCSPJ + SI[SP]+ SI[SP+1]}; GO TO NEXT;
SUS  BARTHJ
SCSPJ + SI[SP] = SI[SP+1]}; GO TO NEXT;
NEGI  IF SI[SP].TYPE + NUMBERTYPE THEN ERROR(1);
SI[SP] + SI[SP] GO TO NEXT;
MULI  BARTHJ
SI[SP] + SI[SP] * SI[SP+1]}; GO TO NEXT;
DIVIDE  BARTHJ
IF SI[SP+1] = 0 THEN ERROR(2);
SI[SP] + SI[SP] / SI[SP+1]}; GO TO NEXT;
IDIV: BARITH:
  IF ROUND(S(SP+1)) = 0 THEN ERROR(2);
  S(SP) = ROUND(S(SP)) GOTO NEXT:

REMAINDER: BARITH:
  IF S(SP+1) = 0 THEN ERROR(2);
  S(SP) = S(SP) MOD S(SP+1) GOTO NEXT:

POWER: BARITH:
  S(SP) = S(SP) * S(SP+1) GOTO NEXT:

ABS: IF S(SP).TYPE = NUMBERTYPE THEN ERROR(1);
  S(SP) = ABS(S(SP)) GOTO NEXT;

INTEGERIZE:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = BOOLEANFUNCTION THEN ERROR(1);
  S(SP) = ROUND(S(SP)) GOTO NEXT;

REAL:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = BOOLEANFUNCTION THEN ERROR(1);
  S(SP).TYPE = NUMBERTYPE GOTO NEXT;

LOGICAL:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = NULLFUNCTION THEN ERROR(1);
  IF S(SP) = 0 OR S(SP) = 1 THEN S(SP).TYPE = BOOLEANFUNCTION ELSE
  S(SP).TYPE = UNDEFINEO) GOTO NEXT;

LIST:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = NUMBERFUNCTION THEN ERROR(1);
  1 2 + S(SP))
  IF 12 + SP > 1022 THEN FREE(I2)
  FOR 11 = 12 STEP 1 UNTIL FP+12 = DO FI[I1,TYPE = UNDEFINEO)
  S(SP).TYPE = LISTTYPE S(SP).WCT = 12 S(SP).ADDRESS = FP)
  FP = FP + 12) GOTO NEXT;

ISLOGICAL: SETIS(BOOLEANFUNCTION)) GOTO NEXT;

ISNUMBER: SETIS(NUMBERFUNCTION)) GOTO NEXT;

ISREFERENCE: SETIS(REFERENCEFUNCTION)) GOTO NEXT;

ISLIST: SETIS(LISTFUNCTION)) GOTO NEXT;

ISSYMBOL: SETIS(SYMBOLFUNCTION)) GOTO NEXT;

ISPROCEDURE: SETIS(PROCEDUREFUNCTION)) GOTO NEXT;

ISUNDEFINER: SETIS(UNDEFINEO)) GOTO NEXT;

TAIL:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN ERROR(1);
  IF S(SP).WCT = 0 THEN ERROR(10);
  S(SP).WCT = S(SP).WCT - 1 I
  S(SP).ADDRESS + S(SP).ADDRESS + 1) GOTO NEXT;

THENV:
  BOOLEAN(S(SP+1)) THEN GOTO NEXT;
  PP + PROGRAM[PP],8FIELD) GOTO TRANSFER;

ELSEV:
  PP + PROGRAM[PP],8FIELD) GOTO TRANSFER;

LENGTH:
  FETCH:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN ERROR(1);
  S(SP).TYPE = NUMBERFUNCTION S(SP) = S(SP).WCT) GOTO NEXT;

GOTO:
  IF S(SP).TYPE = LABELFUNCTION THEN ERROR(1))

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MP + SIC[SP], STATIC;
COMMENT WE MUST RETURN TO THE BLOCK WHERE THE LABEL IS DEFINED;
PP + SIC[SP], ADDRESS; SP + MP; GO TO TRANSFER;

FORMAL;
FORMAL COUNT + FORMAL COUNT + 1;
IF FORMAL COUNT <> S[M P], WCT THEN GO TO NEXT ELSE GO TO NEW;
NEW I
S[MP], WCT + S[MP], WCT + 1;
FII[FP], TYPE + UNDEFINED;
FP + FP + 1;
IF FP > 102 THEN FREE(1);
GO TO NEXT;
STORE I
IF SIC[SP]+1, TYPE # REFERENCETYPE THEN ERROR(13);
LEVELCHECK(SIC[SP], SIC[SP]+1, STATIC)
SP + SP - 1;
COMMENT NON-DESTRUCTIVE STORE;
I1 + SIC[SP], ADDRESS;
COMMENT THE NON-DESTRUCTIVE STORE IS NOT APPLICABLE TO LISTS;
IF SIC[SP]. TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN SIC[SP]. TYPE + UNDEFINED;
GO TO NEXT;
SUBSCRIPT I
IF SIC[SP]. TYPE = NUMBERTYPE THEN ERROR(6);
SP + SP - 1;
IF SIC[SP]. TYPE # REFERENCETYPE THEN ERROR(7);
I1 + SIC[SP]. STATIC; SIC[SP] + FII[SIC[SP]. ADDRESS]
IF SIC[SP]. TYPE # LISTTYPE THEN ERROR(8);
- IF SIC[SP] < 1 OR SI[SP]+1 > SIC[SP]. WCT THEN ERROR(9);
SIC[SP]. ADDRESS + SIC[SP]. ADDRESS + SIC[SP]+1 - 1;
SIC[SP]. TYPE = REFERENCETYPE;
COMMENT MUST CREATE A REFERENCE;
SIC[SP]. STATIC + 1; GO TO NEXT;
BEGINVI SPUPJ
SIC[SP]+OJ
SIC[SP]. TYPE = BLOCKMARK;
SIC[SP]. BLN + SIC[MP]. BLN + 1;
SIC[SP]. DYNAMIC + MP;
SIC[SP]. STATIC + MP;
SIC[SP]. TYPE = LISTTYPE;
SIC[SP]. ADDRESS + FP;
SIC[SP]. WCT + O;
COMMENT A NULL LIST;
MP + SP; GO TO NEXT;
ENDVI
I1 + SIC[MP]. DYNAMIC;
LEVELCHECK(SIC[SP], SIC[MP], STATIC);
SIC[MP] + SIC[SP]+1; SIC[MP] + SIC[SP];
SP + MP; MP + II; GO TO NEXT;
LEFTQUOTE I
COMMENT PROCEDURE DECLARATION;
SPUPJ
SIC[SP]. TYPE = PROCEDURETYPE;
SIC[SP]. ADDRESS + PPJ;
COMMENT THE PROCEDURE DESCRIPTOR MUST SAVE ITS OWN LEXICOGRAPHICAL
LEVEL AS WELL AS THE STACK MARKER FOR UPLEVEL ADDRESSED VARIABLES;
SIC[SP]. BLN + SIC[MP]. BLN + 1;
SIC[SP]. STATIC + MP;
PP + PROGRAM[PP]. BFIELD; GO TO TRANSFER)
RIGHTQUOTES:
  PP + SI[MP].ADDRESS); COMMENT A PROCEDURE RETURN;
  1 + SI[MP].DYNAMIC;
  LEVELCHECK(SI[SP], SI[MP].STATIC);
  SI[MP] = SI[SP]; SI[MP] = SCSPJ);
  SP + MP; MP + SI[MP] GO TO NEXT;
VALUEOPERATOR:
  IF SI[SP].TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN GO TO NEXT)
  FETCH;
  IF SI[SP].TYPE = PROCEDURETYPE THEN
  BEGIN FORMALCOUNT + OJ
    1 + SI[SP].ADDRESS;
    SI[SP].TYPE + BLOCKMARK;
    SI[SP].ADDRESS + PP;
    SI[SP].DYNAMIC + MP;
    SI[SP].TYPE + LISTTYPE;
    SI[SP].MCT + OJ;
    MP + SP; PP + SI[MP] GO TO NEXT;
  END ELSE IF SI[SP].TYPE = LISTTYPE THEN COPY(SI[SP])
  GO TO NEXT;
PROCEDURECALL:
  SP = SP - I1; FETCH;
  IF SI[SP].TYPE = PROCEDURETYPE THEN ERROR(3))
  FORMALCOUNT + OJ
  1 + SI[SP].ADDRESS;
  SI[SP].TYPE + BLOCKMARK;
  SI[SP].ADDRESS + PP;
  SI[SP].DYNAMIC + MP;
  SI[SP] = SI[SP+1];
  SP = SI[SP+1]; GO TO NEXT;
RIGHTPARENS:
  1 + PROGRAM[PP], 8FIELD;
  IF 11 + FP = 1022 THEN FREE(I1);
  SP + SP - I1 + I1;
  MOVE(SI[SP], (FFP), I1); MOVESI[SP], FF[FP], I1);
  SI[SP].TYPE = LISTTYPE;
  SI[SP].MCT + I1;
  SI[SP].ADDRESS + FP;
  FP + FP = FREE(I1) GO TO NEXT;
INPUT:
  SPUPJ;
  READ(SI[SP])(EXIT); SI[SP].TYPE + NUMBERTYPE) GO TO NEXT;
OUTPUT:
  DUMPOUT(SI[SP], SI[SP])) GO TO NEXT;
DONE #
END INTERPRETER;

EXIT #
END.
BEGIN NEW FORi NEW MAKEj NEW Tj NEW AI
FOR+ LO FORMAL CVj FORMAL L Bj FORMAL STEPi FORMAL UBj FORMAL Sj
BEGIN
LABEL Lj LABEL Kj
CV + L Bj
Ki IF CV S UB THEN S ELSE: GOTO Lj
CV + CV + STEPi
GOTO KC
051 Lj 0
END RQj
057
BEGIN NEW Tj NEW It NEW Fj NEW Lj
067
F + IF LENGTH L # 1 THEN MAKE(TAIL L, X) ELSE XI
FOR(i, 1, I, L(i), LQ T[i] + FRQ) j T
END RQj
103
A *( X)
FOR (;T, 1, 1, 4, LO BEGIN A + A & (T)) OUT MAKE(*A, T) ENDRQ)
165

PROGRAM DUMP
001 BEGIN 030...
002 NEW 031...
003 NEW 032.
004 NEW 033 LABEL 052 003
005 NEW 034...
006 001 001 035 GOTO
007 LQ 056 036...
008 FORMAL 037...
009 FORMAL 038...
010 FORMAL 039...
011 FORMAL 040...
012 FORMA4 041...
013 BEGIN 042...
014 001 002 043...
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016 002 002 044...
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021 001 002 045...
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