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**Distribution of Marks**

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1. **Multiple choices. There are one or more correct choices for each question. Mark all of them. You will lose marks for wrong choice.**

(a) (2 points) Which of the followings are valid MiniGLSL identifier tokens?

- A. 0abc
- B. if
- C. vec2
- D. temp

**Solution:** D.

(b) (2 points) Suppose you are going to remove the commented part of the following MiniGLSL snippet:

```
int nest = /**/1*/**/0;
```

Which of the followings are the correct results of removing the commented part of the code snippet above? Suppose we do NOT support nested comments.

- A. `int nest = 1*0;`
- B. `int nest = 1;`
- C. `int nest = *0;`
- D. None of the above

**Solution:** A.

(c) (2 points) Which of the followings are valid integer tokens in the MiniGLSL language? Suppose octal numbers are not supported.

- A. 0.0
- B. 042
- C. 42
- D. -042

**Solution:** C.

(d) (2 points) Which of the following code snippets' error needs to be reported in the lexical analysis? Suppose octal numbers are not supported.

- A. `int i = (2));`
- B. `float j = 0.0;`
- C. `int k = 012;`
- D. `bool p = 42;`

**Solution:** C.

(e) (2 points) Choose the steps of compilation that are in GCC but not in MiniGLSL.

- A. Lexical analysis
- B. Parsing
- C. Semantic analysis
- D. Optimization
- E. Code generation

**Solution:** D.

2. (10 points) **Lexical Analysis**

Consider the following flex-style lexical specification:

```
%%  
a*b      { printf("1"); }  
caa      { printf("2"); }  
a*ca*    { printf("3"); }
```

Given the following input string:

abcaacacaaab

what is the output of the lexer?

**Solution:** 12331

### 3. Regular Expression and CFG

(a) (10 points) Write a regular expression for the set of all strings over the alphabet of {a, b} that matches all strings that do not contain two (or more) a or b consecutively, including the empty string. Examples:

- In the set of strings: ab, ba, aba
- Not in the set of strings: aab, abb

**Solution:**
$$(ab)^* | (ba)^* | a(ba)^* | b(ab)^*$$

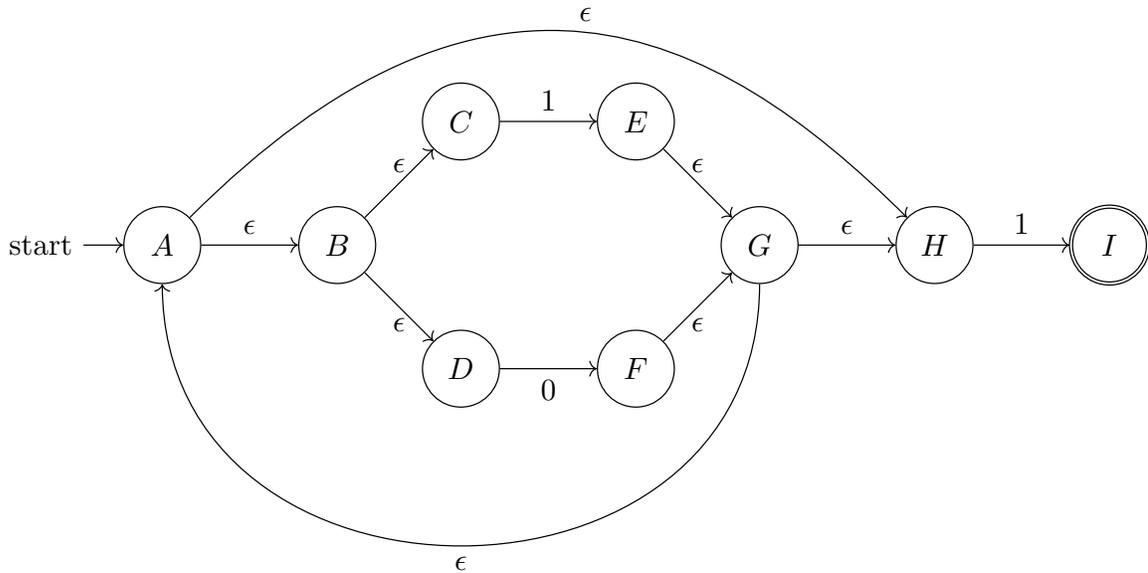
(b) (10 points) Write a context-free grammar for the set of all strings over the alphabet of { ( , ) } that are either empty string, or matched parentheses.

For example, both “(())” and “()()” belong to the language of the grammar, but “()()” does not. Please use S as the starting symbol of your grammar.

**Solution:**
$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow \epsilon \\ S &\rightarrow SS \\ S &\rightarrow (S) \end{aligned}$$

4. **DFA and NFA**

Consider the following diagram of an NFA.



(a) (5 points) Write down the equivalent regular expression of this NFA.

**Solution:**  
 $(0|1)^*1$

(b) (10 points) Fill in the following table about  $\epsilon$ -closures of the NFA.

**Solution:**

$\epsilon$ -CLOSURE of A	A, B, C, D, H
$\epsilon$ -CLOSURE of B	B, C, D
$\epsilon$ -CLOSURE of G	A, B, C, D, G H
$\epsilon$ -CLOSURE of E	A, B, C, D, E, G, H

The (c) part of this question is on the next page.

- (c) (15 points) Draw the diagram of the equivalent DFA. Please name the DFA states with the corresponding states in the NFA.

**Solution:**

Start state: ABCDH

Accepting state: ABCDEGHI

ABCDH to ABCDEGHI on 1

ABCDH to FGHABCD on 0

ABCDEGHI self-loop on 1

FGHABCD self-loop on 0

FGHABCD to ABCDEGHI on 1

ABCDEGHI to FGHABCD on 0

### 5. Predictive Parsing

Suppose you are going to write a LL(1) parser to parse the following context-free grammar. Note that the starting symbol is S.

Non-terminals are {S, A, B, C, D}, terminals are {id, +, \*, (, )}.

\$ (dollar sign) represents the end of the input and  $\epsilon$  represents the empty string.

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow A B \\ A &\rightarrow C D \mid \epsilon \\ B &\rightarrow + A B \mid \epsilon \\ C &\rightarrow (S) \mid \text{id} \\ D &\rightarrow * C D \mid \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

(a) (10 points) Fill in the following FIRST and FOLLOW set table.

FIRST(S)	(, id, +, $\epsilon$
FOLLOW(S)	\$, )
FIRST(A)	(, id, $\epsilon$
FOLLOW(A)	\$, ), +
FIRST(B)	+, $\epsilon$
FOLLOW(B)	\$, )
FIRST(C)	(, id
FOLLOW(C)	\$, ), +, *
FIRST(D)	*, $\epsilon$
FOLLOW(D)	\$, ), +

- (b) (10 points) Fill in the blanks of the LL(1) parsing table. If there are any conflicting entries, use circle to mark them. You only need to fill in the body part of the rule in each cell. For example, for the rule  $S \rightarrow A B$ , you only need to fill in “A B”.

	id	*	+	(	)	\$
S	AB		AB	AB	AB	AB
A	CD		$\epsilon$	CD	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$
B			+AB		$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$
C	id			(S)		
D		*CD	$\epsilon$		$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$

- (c) (10 points) Does the following string

$id + id * id$

belongs to the language of this grammar? If so, write down a left-most derivation.

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &\rightarrow AB \\
 &\rightarrow CDB \\
 &\rightarrow idDB \\
 &\rightarrow idB \\
 &\rightarrow id + AB \\
 &\rightarrow id + CDB \\
 &\rightarrow id + idDB \\
 &\rightarrow id + id * CDB \\
 &\rightarrow id + id * idDB \\
 &\rightarrow id + id * idB \\
 &\rightarrow id + id * id
 \end{aligned}$$

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