



Tree Manipulation Language

(TML)

Motivation

- Designing a language that simplifies programming trees
- Focuses more on tree operation rather than underlying data structures
- Provide simple operators for frequently used operations
- Precisely simple for programmers

Comparison

Insert into BST using C

```
/* insert a tnode into the binary tree */
struct tnode *tnode_insert(struct tnode *p, int value) {
    struct tnode *tmp_one = NULL;
    struct tnode *tmp_two = NULL;

    if(p == NULL) {
        /* insert [new] tnode as root node */
        p = (struct tnode *)malloc(sizeof(struct tnode));
        p->data = value;
        p->left = p->right = NULL;
    } else {
        tmp_one = p;
        /* Traverse the tree to get a pointer to the specific tnode */
        /* The child of this tnode will be the [new] tnode */
        while(tmp_one != NULL) {
            tmp_two = tmp_one;
            if(tmp_one->data > value)
                tmp_one = tmp_one->left;
            else
                tmp_one = tmp_one->right;
        }
    }
}
```

TML Style

As simple as

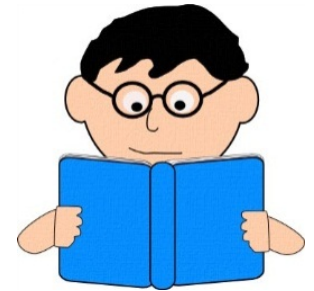
`alloc(a, b);`

`a->(b:~)` or `a->(~:b)` depending
on which child b is of a.

Language takes care of
checking at compile time
errors that you are thinking
about

(Smart...huh.?)

Tutorial to TML

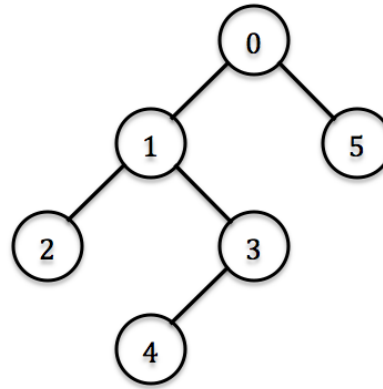


```
treetype <2> MyTree_t
{
    int val = 0;
}
void main ()
{
    int i = 0;
    MyTree_t a, b, c, d, e, f;
    alloc(a, b, c, d, e, f);

    a -> (b -> (d : e -> (f : ~)): c);

    foreach node in a by preorder
    {
        node.val = i;
        i = i + 1;
    }

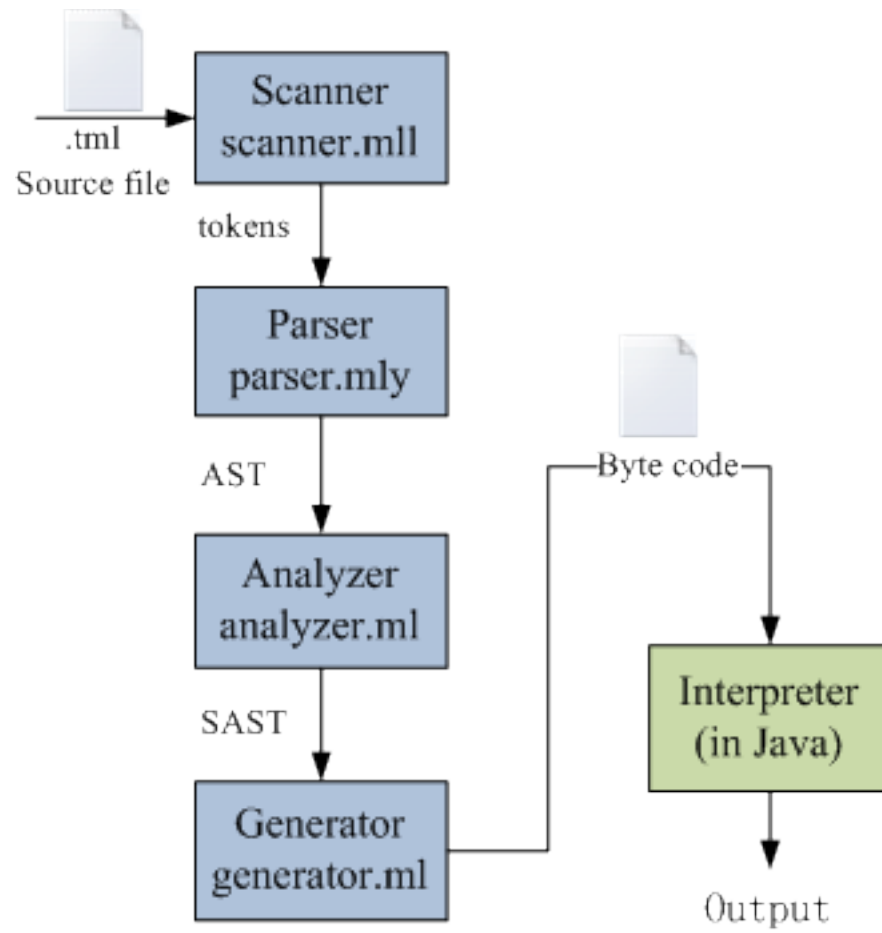
    foreach node in a by inorder
    {
        print (node.val);
        print (" ");
    }
}
```



Inorder: 2 1 4 3 0 5

```
// other tree operators
#ta; // order among siblings
ta[left]; // get child
ta.val; // get field
&ta; // get degree
^ta; // get parent
tb = @ta; // copy the node only
tc = $ta; // copy the whole tree
```

Implementation



Implementation

```
treetype <2, [left, right]> binary_tree  
{  
    int a;  
    float b;  
}
```

```
162 Ent 0  
163 Lfp -2  
164 Alc 2  
165 Fld i  
166 Fld f  
167 Pop 1
```

- Symbol table

- parent

- variables

- functions

- treetypes

- type name
- degree
- aliases
- members

Lessons learnt



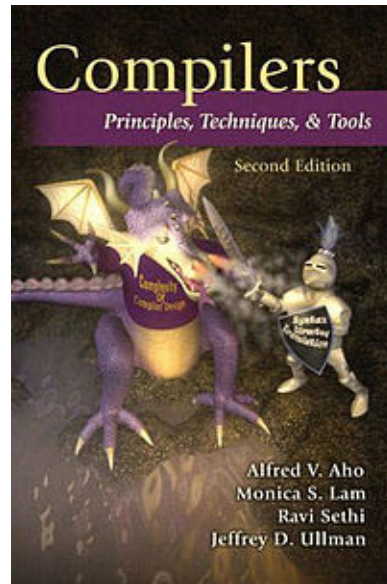
- SVN was a necessary to keep all member with a working version.
- Compromising when team had different opinions. Sometimes, vote to get it finalized.
- Designing was hard. But once it made sense, it benefits implementation.
- Testing suite kept record of what had done and what to do.
- Ask immediately via email if puzzled, rather than wait until meeting.

Conclusion

- Compiler
 - 586 ./analyzer.ml
 - 167 ./analyzer_test.ml
 - 56 ./ast.mli
 - 31 ./bytecode.mli
 - 427 ./generator.ml
 - 216 ./parser.mly
 - 50 ./sast.mli
 - 149 ./scanner.mli
 - 84 ./scanner_test.ml
 - 27 ./tml.ml
 - 45 ./type.mli
- 1838 subtotal
- Interpreter
 - 43 ./InorderIterator.java
 - 55 ./Instruction.java
 - 39 ./LevelorderIterator.java
 - 134 ./Main.java
 - 39 ./PostorderIterator.java
 - 39 ./PreorderIterator.java
 - 425 ./Program.java
 - 135 ./TMLTree.java
 - 10 ./TreelIterator.java
- 919 subtotal
- Total: 2757 lines of code

Conclusion

- Learning
- Contributing
- Enthusiastic
- More Learning
- More Contributing
- More Enthusiastic
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- Enjoying



Edo period of Minamoto Yoshitsune, 18" high, circa 1820

