

# CS 314 Principles of Programming Languages

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## Lecture 9: LL(1) Parsing & Syntax Directed Translation

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# Class Information

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- Homework 3 due this Sunday, 2/18 11:55 pm EST.
- Project 1 will be posted after homework 3 is due.

# FIRST and FOLLOW Sets

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## **FOLLOW(A):**

For  $A \in \mathbf{NT}$  , define **FOLLOW(A)** as the set of tokens that can occur immediately after  $A$  in a valid sentential form.

**FOLLOW** set is defined over the set of non-terminal symbols (**NT**)

# Back to Our Example

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Start ::= S eof

S ::= a S b |  
ε

$FOLLOW(S) = \{ eof, b \}$

# Follow Set Construction

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Given a rule  $p$  in the grammar:

$$A \rightarrow B_1B_2\dots B_iB_{i+1}\dots B_k$$

If  $B_i$  is a non-terminal, FOLLOW( $B_i$ ) includes

- FIRST( $B_{i+1}\dots B_k$ ) -  $\{\epsilon\}$  U FOLLOW( $A$ ), if  $\epsilon \in \text{FIRST}(B_{i+1}\dots B_k)$
- FIRST( $B_{i+1}\dots B_k$ ) otherwise

Relationship between FOLLOW sets and FIRST sets of different symbols

# Follow Set Construction

To Build FOLLOW( $X$ ) for non-terminal  $X$ :

- Place EOF in FOLLOW(<start>)
- For each  $X$  as a non-terminal, initialize FOLLOW( $X$ ) to  $\emptyset$

Iterate until no more terminals can be added to any FOLLOW( $X$ ):

For each rule  $p$  in the grammar

If  $p$  is of the form  $A ::= \alpha B \beta$ , then

if  $\varepsilon \in FIRST(\beta)$

Place  $\{FIRST(\beta) - \varepsilon, FOLLOW(A)\}$  in FOLLOW( $B$ )

else

Place  $\{FIRST(\beta)\}$  in FOLLOW( $B$ )

If  $p$  is of the form  $A ::= \alpha B$ , then

Place FOLLOW( $A$ ) in FOLLOW( $B$ )

End iterate

# Pseudocode for Computing *FOLLOW* Sets

for each  $A \in \mathbf{NT}$

$\mathbf{FOLLOW}(A) \leftarrow \emptyset$

$\mathbf{FOLLOW}(S) \leftarrow \{ \mathbf{EOF} \}$

while (*FOLLOW* sets are still changing) do

for each  $p \in P$ , of the form  $A \rightarrow B_1B_2\dots B_k$  do

Don't add  $\epsilon$

TRAILER  $\leftarrow \mathbf{FOLLOW}(A)$

for  $i \leftarrow k$  down to 1

if  $B_i \in \mathbf{NT}$  then // domain checking

$\mathbf{FOLLOW}(B_i) \leftarrow \mathbf{FOLLOW}(B_i) \cup \text{TRAILER}$

if  $\epsilon \in \mathbf{FIRST}(B_i)$  // add right context

TRAILER  $\leftarrow \text{TRAILER} \cup (\mathbf{FIRST}(B_i) - \{ \epsilon \})$

else TRAILER  $\leftarrow \mathbf{FIRST}(B_i)$  // no  $\epsilon \Rightarrow$  truncate the right context

else TRAILER  $\leftarrow \{ B_i \}$  //  $B_i \in \mathbf{T} \Rightarrow$  only 1 symbol

To build *FOLLOW* sets, we need *FIRST* sets

# Computing *FOLLOW* Sets

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For a production  $A \rightarrow B_1 B_2 \dots B_k$  :

- The pseudocode works its way backward through the production:  
 $B_k, B_{k-1}, \dots B_1$
- It builds the *FOLLOW* sets for the rhs symbols,  
 $B_1, B_2, \dots B_k$ , not  $A$
- If  $\epsilon$  does not belong to  $FIRST(B_{i+1})$ ,  $FOLLOW(B_i)$  is just  $FIRST(B_{i+1})$

To handle  $\epsilon$ , the algorithm in the previous slide keeps track of the first token in the trailing right context as it works its way back through rhs:  $B_k, B_{k-1}, \dots B_1$

# An Example

Consider the simplest parentheses grammar

1	Goal ::= List
2	List ::= Pair List
3	$\epsilon$
4	Pair ::= <u>LP</u> List <u>RP</u>

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Initial</i>
Goal	<b>EOF</b>
List	$\emptyset$
Pair	$\emptyset$

*Initial Values:*

- Goal, List and Pair are set to  $\emptyset$
- Goal is then set to { **EOF** }

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in order 1, 2, 3, 4

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**Pair ::= LP List RP**

- Add FIRST(RP) to FOLLOW(List)

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Pair ::= LP List RP

- ~~• Add FIRST(RP) to~~
- ~~— FOLLOW(List) —~~

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Iteration 2:

- Production 1 adds nothing new
- Production 2 adds RP to *FOLLOW*(Pair)  
from *FOLLOW*(List),  $\epsilon \in \mathbf{FIRST}$ (List)
- Production 3 does nothing
- Production 4 adds nothing new

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Iteration 3 produces the same result  $\Rightarrow$  reached a fixed point

# Building Top-down Parsers

## Building the *FIRST+* set

- Need a *FIRST+* set for every rule

Define  $FIRST^+(A ::= \delta)$  for rule  $A ::= \delta$

- $FIRST(\delta) - \{ \epsilon \} \cup Follow(A)$ , if  $\epsilon \in FIRST(\delta)$
- $FIRST(\delta)$  otherwise

- 1 Goal ::= List
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- 3 List ::=  $\epsilon$
- 4 Pair ::= LP List RP



Symbol	<i>FIRST</i>	<i>FOLLOW</i>
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List	<u>LP</u> , $\epsilon$	<b>EOF, RP</b>
Pair	<u>LP</u>	<b>EOF, RP, LP</b>
LP	<u>LP</u>	-
RP	<u>RP</u>	-
EOF	EOF	-

Rule	<i>FIRST+</i>
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3	<b>EOF, RP</b>
4	<b>LP</b>

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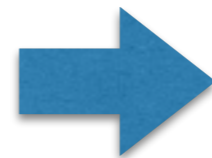
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EOF	EOF	-

Rule	<i>FIRST+</i>
1	EOF, LP
2	<b>LP</b> ← FIRST(Pair List)
3	<b>EOF, RP</b> ← FOLLOW(List)
4	LP

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## Building the complete parse table

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2	List ::= Pair List	2	<b>LP</b>	List		
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2	List ::= Pair List	<b>2</b>	<b>LP</b>	List	2	3	3
3	List ::= $\epsilon$	<b>3</b>	<b>EOF, RP</b>				
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# Review: Table Driven LL(1) Parsing

*Input:* a string  $w$  and a parsing table  $M$  for  $G$

push eof

push *Start* Symbol

token  $\leftarrow$  *next\_token*()

$X \leftarrow$  top-of-stack

repeat

if  $X$  is a terminal then

if  $X ==$  token then

pop  $X$

token  $\leftarrow$  *next\_token*()

else error()

else /\*  $X$  is a non-terminal \*/

if  $M[X, \text{token}] == X \rightarrow Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_k$  then

pop  $X$

push  $Y_k, Y_{k-1}, \dots, Y_1$

else error()

$X \leftarrow$  top-of-stack

until  $X = \text{EOF}$

if token  $\neq$  EOF then error()

	<i>LP</i>	<i>RP</i>	<i>EOF</i>
Goal	1		1
List	2	3	3
Pair	4		

$M$  is the parse table

# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$

S

	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= a S b$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

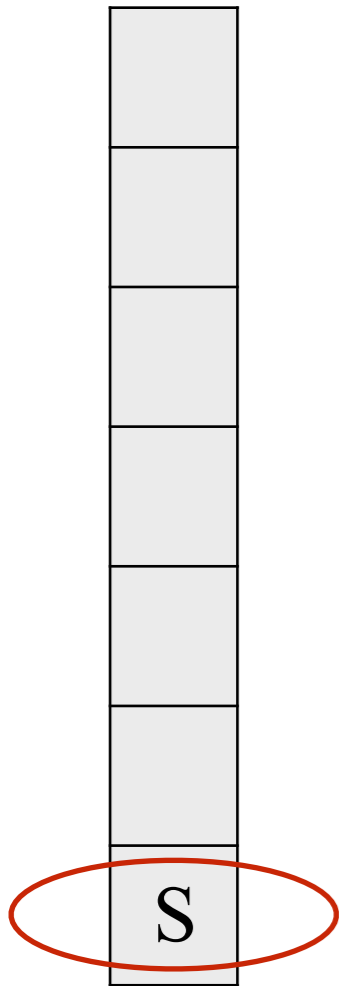
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Sentential Form:

S

Applied Production:



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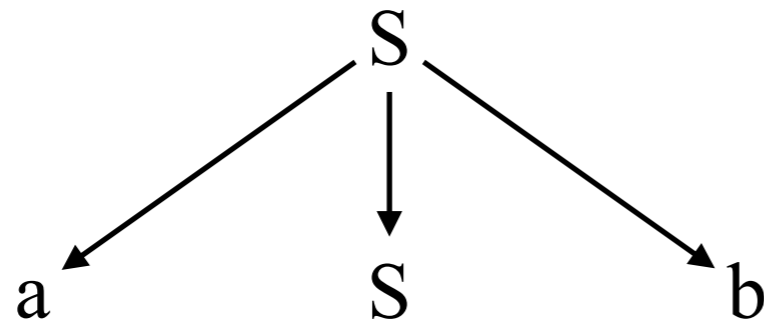
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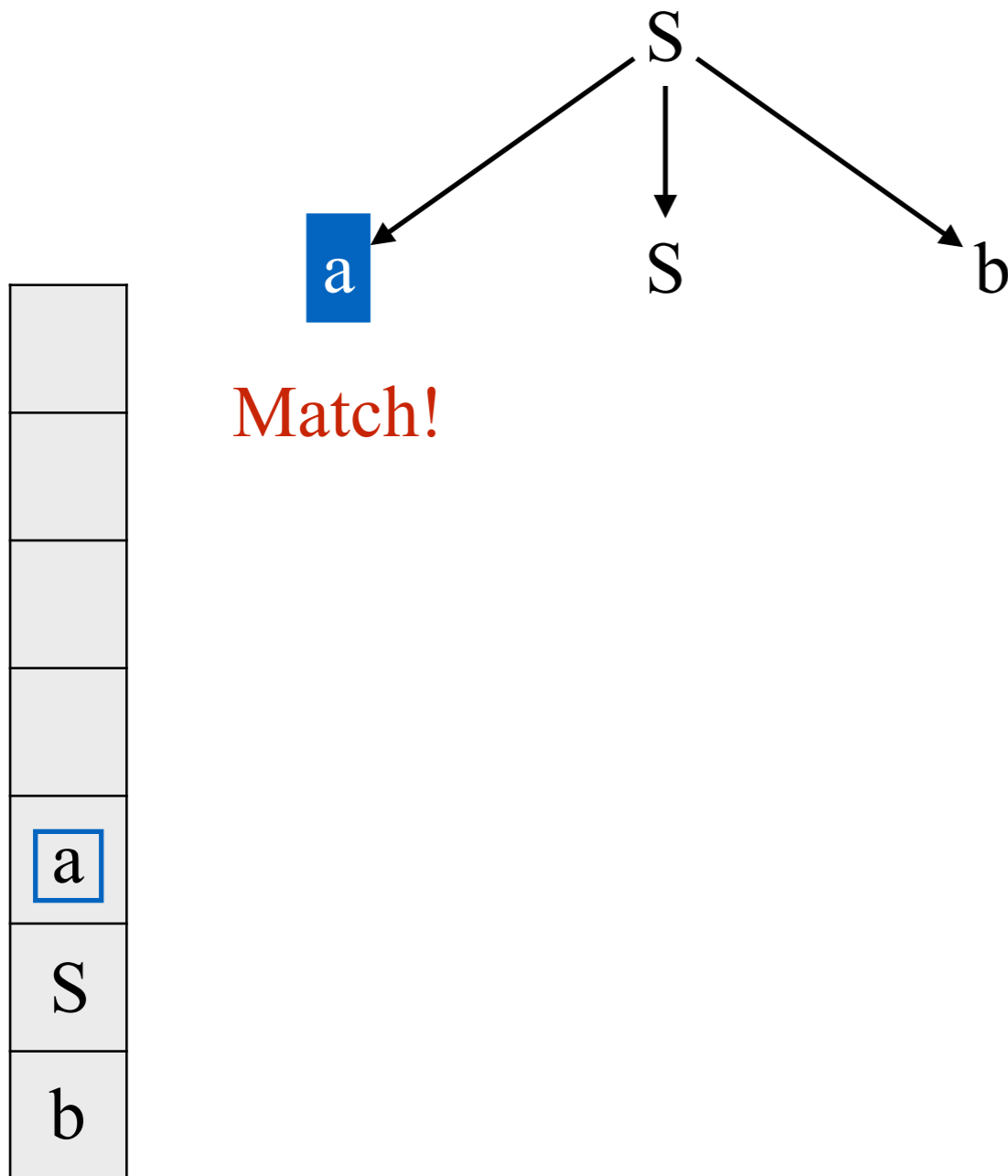
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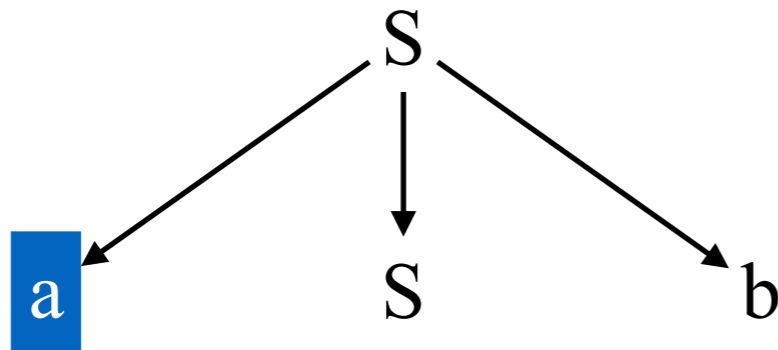
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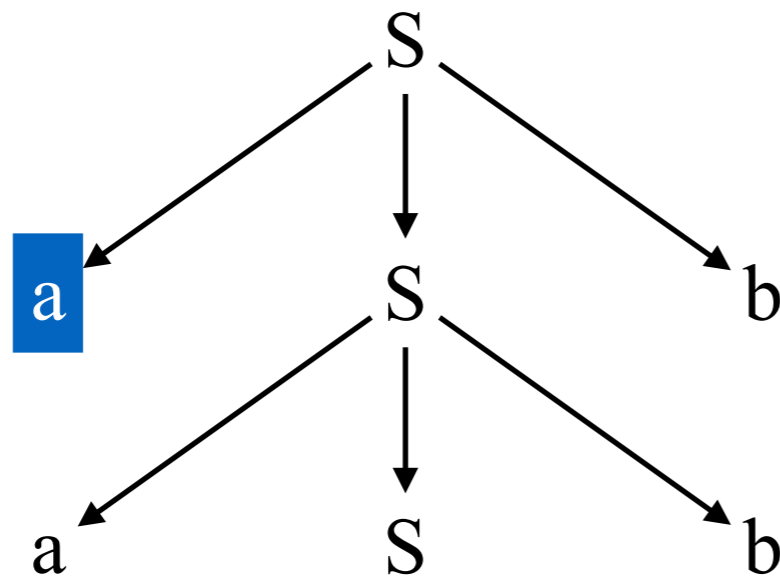
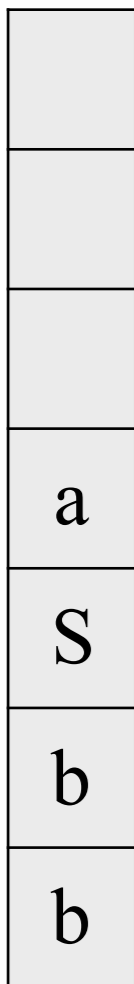
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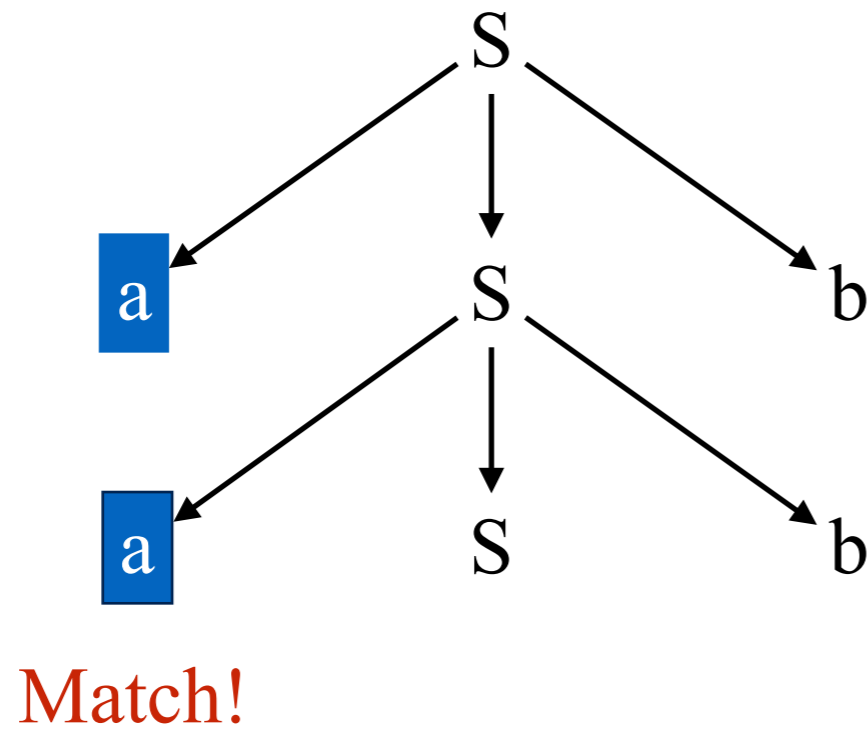
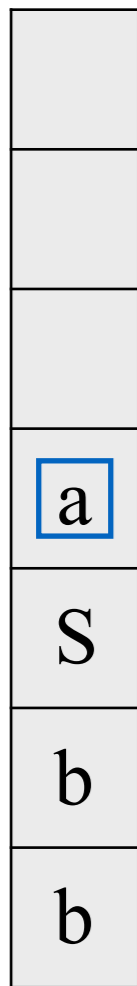
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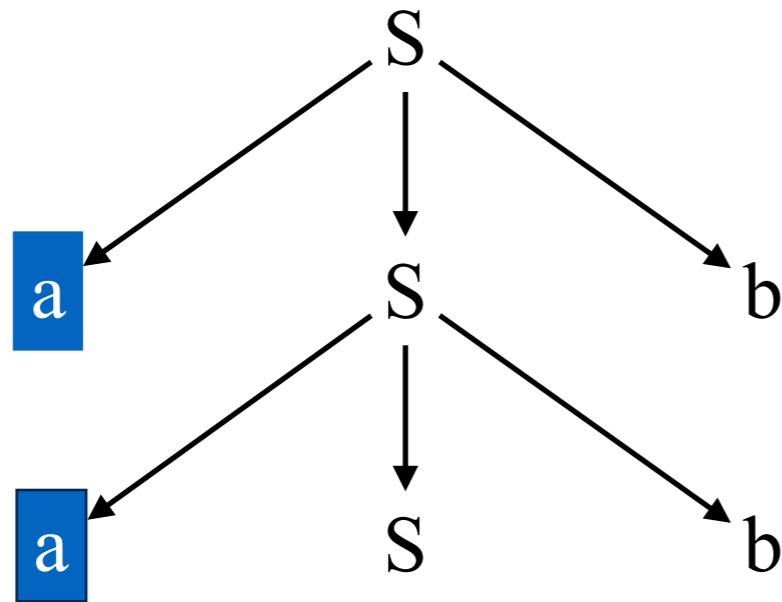
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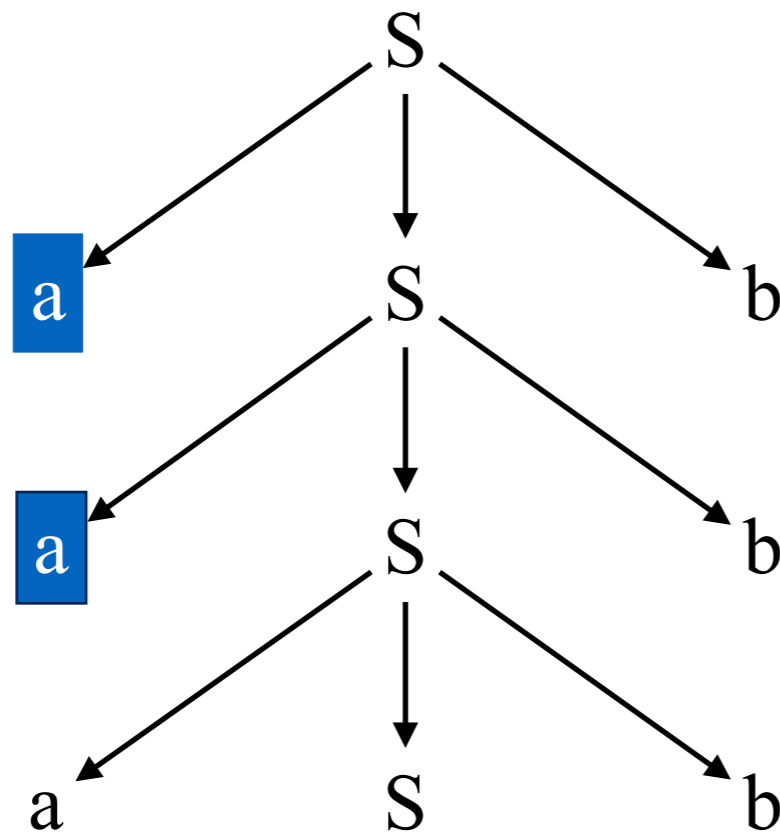
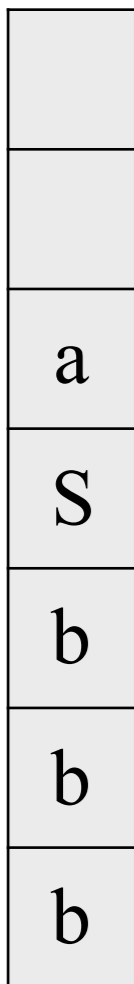
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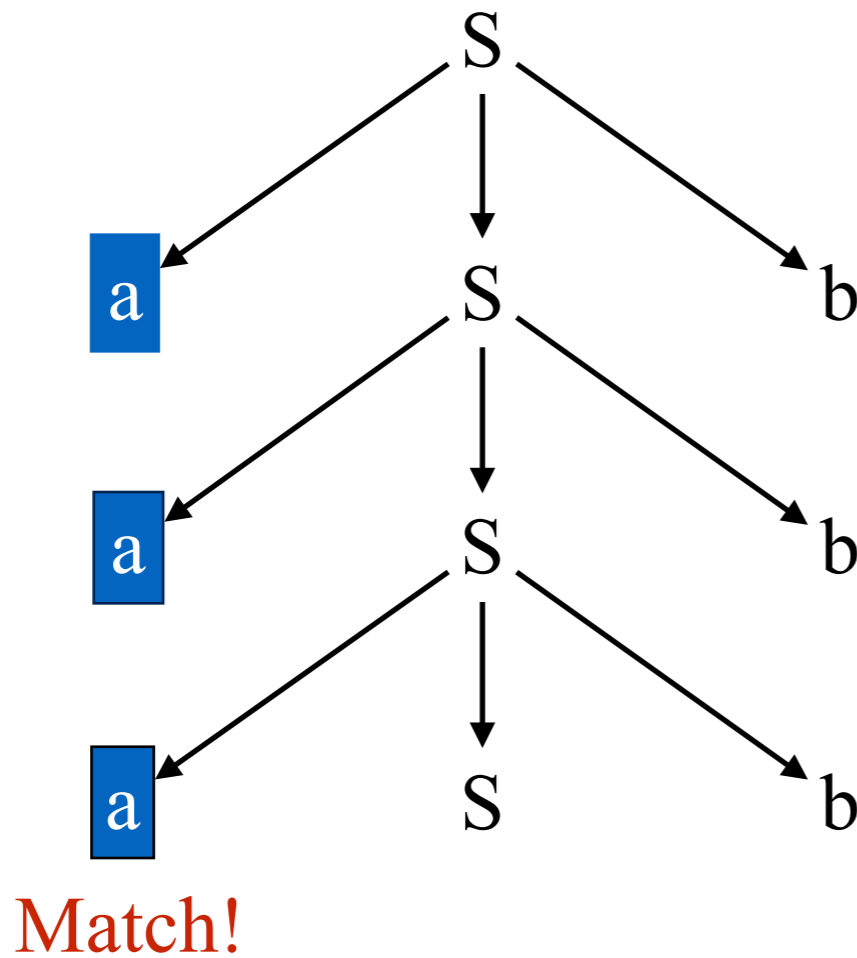
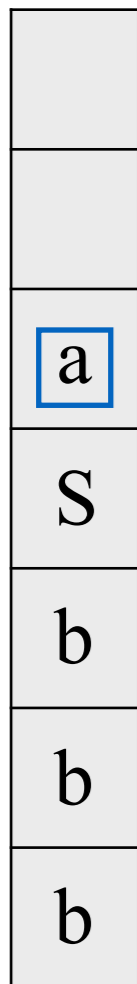
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a b b b

Sentential Form:

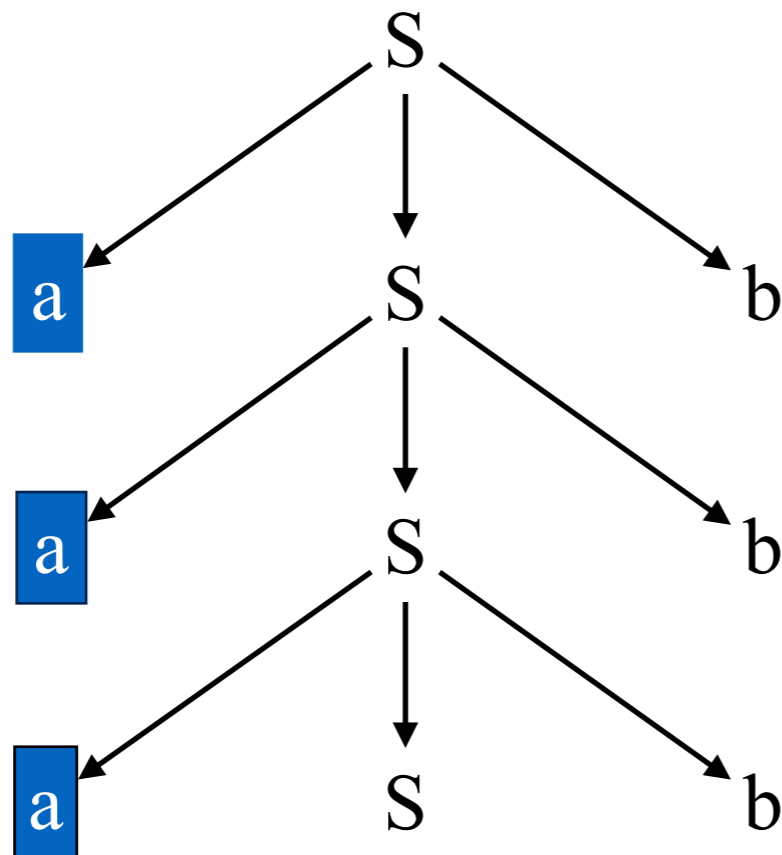
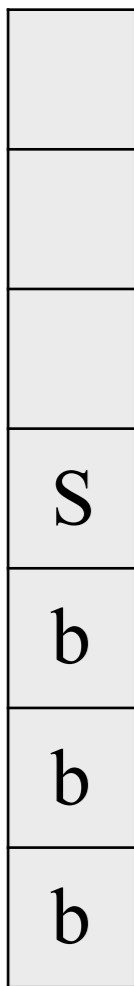
a a a S b b b

Applied Production:



# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$



	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= aSb$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

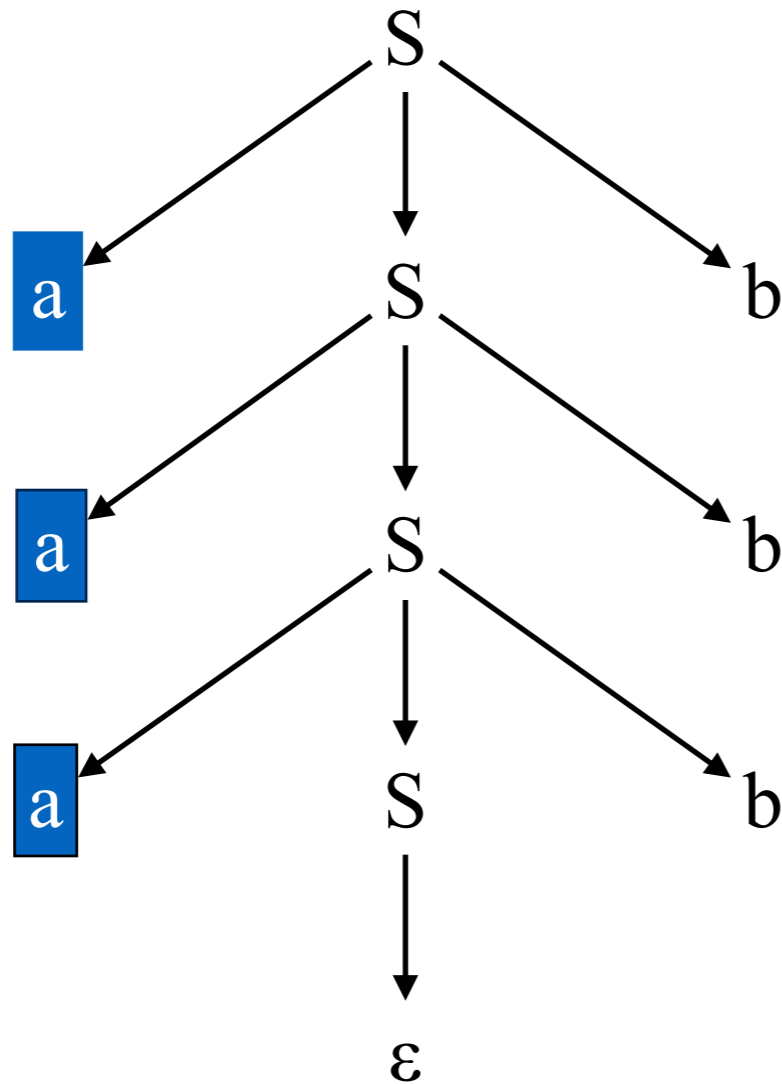
Remaining Input:  
b b b

Sentential Form:  
a a a S b b b

Applied Production:

# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$



	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= aSb$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

Remaining Input:  
b b b

Sentential Form:  
a a a b b b

Applied Production:  
 $S ::= \epsilon$

# LL(1) Parsing Example

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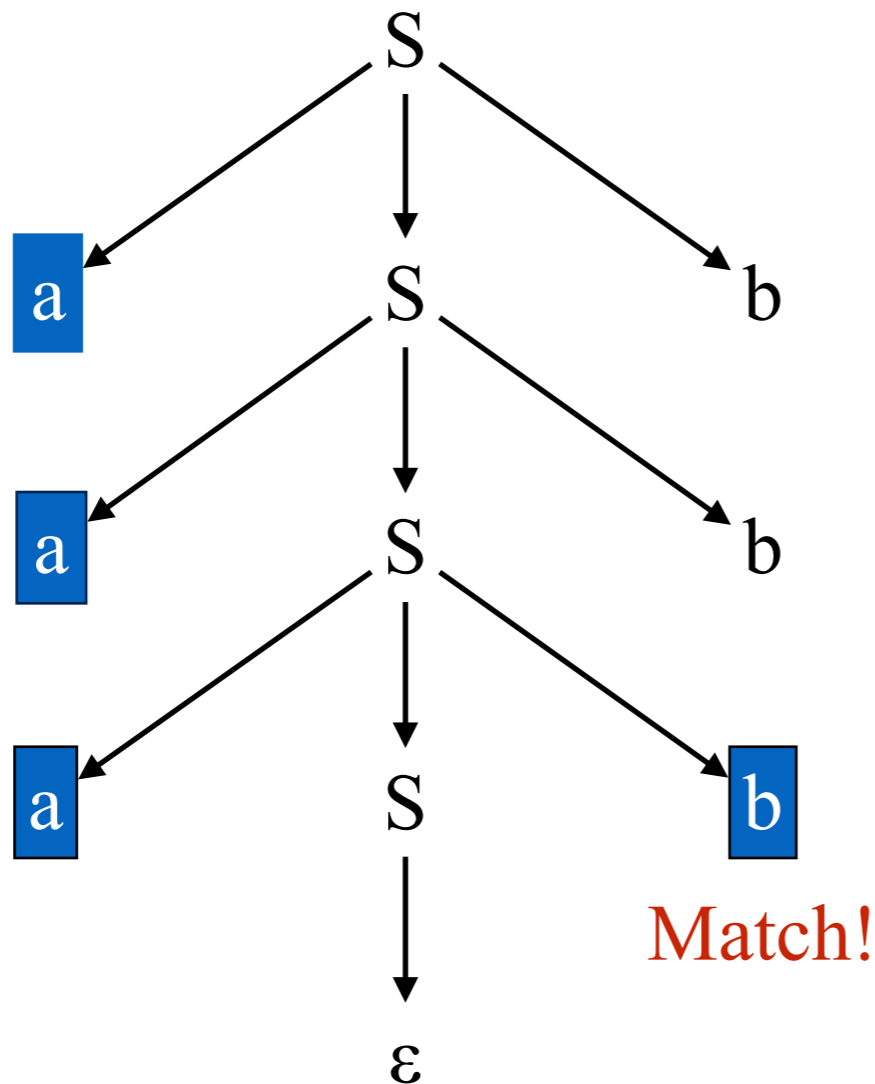
Remaining Input:

b b b

Sentential Form:

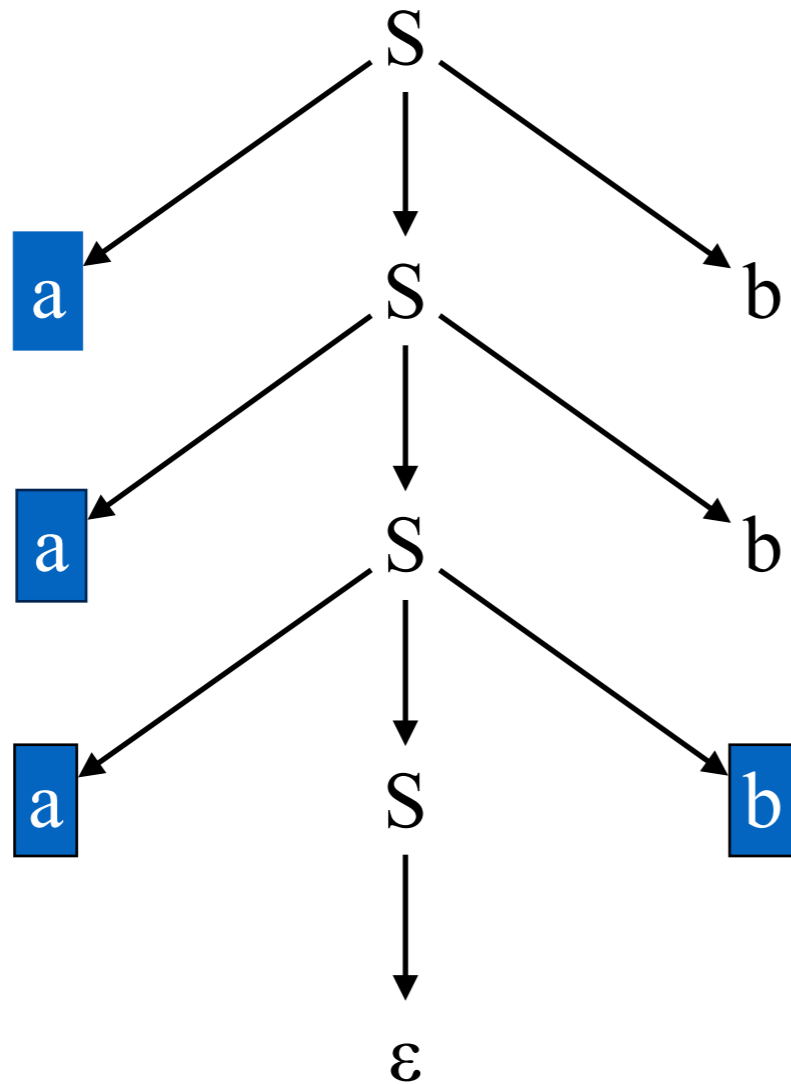
a a a b b b

Applied Production:



# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$



	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= aSb$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

Remaining Input:  
b b

Sentential Form:  
a a a b b b

Applied Production:

# LL(1) Parsing Example

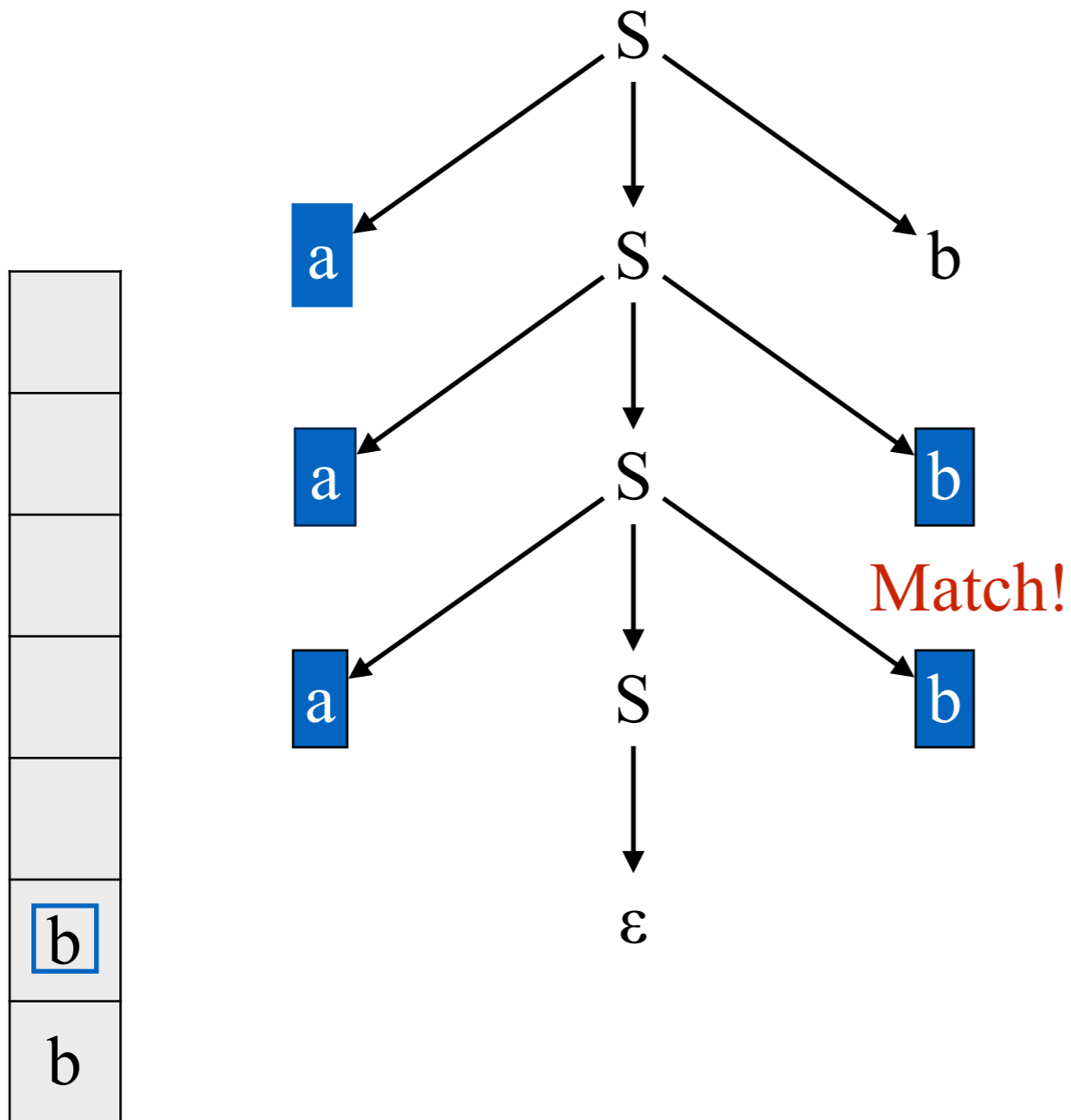
$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$

	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= aSb$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

Remaining Input:  
bb

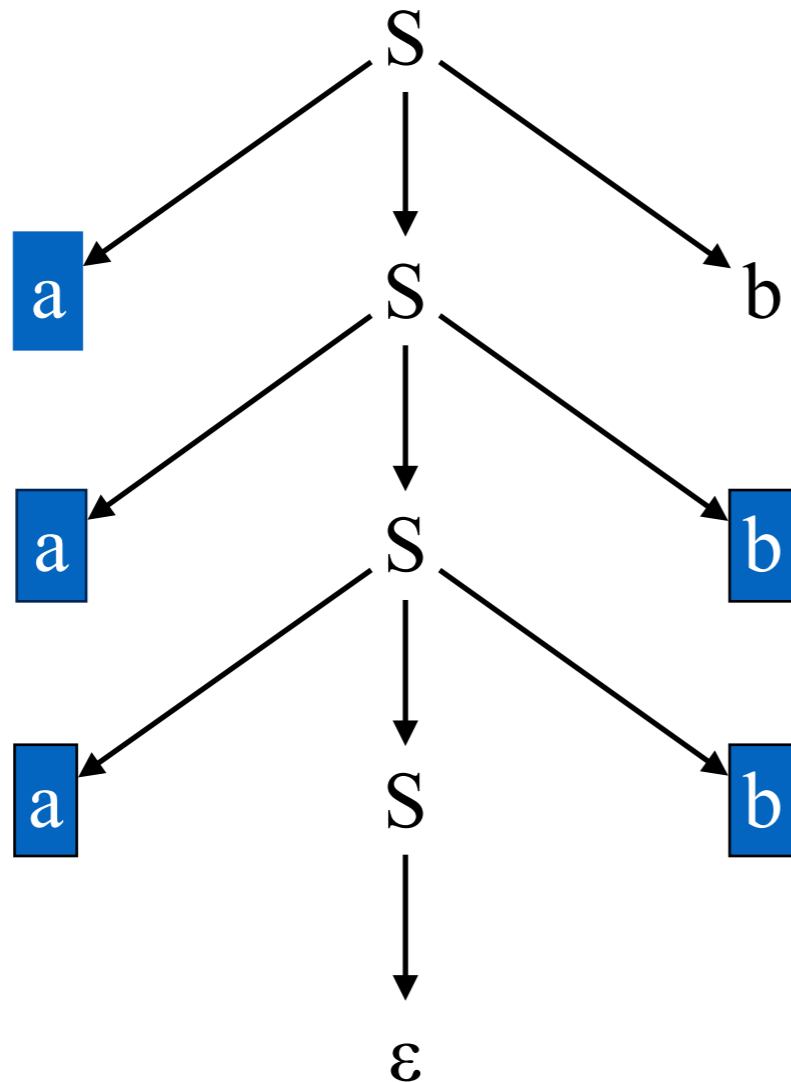
Sentential Form:  
 a a a b b b

Applied Production:



# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$



	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= aSb$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

Remaining Input:  
b

Sentential Form:  
a a a b b b

Applied Production:

# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$

	a	b	eof	other
S	$S ::= aSb$	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

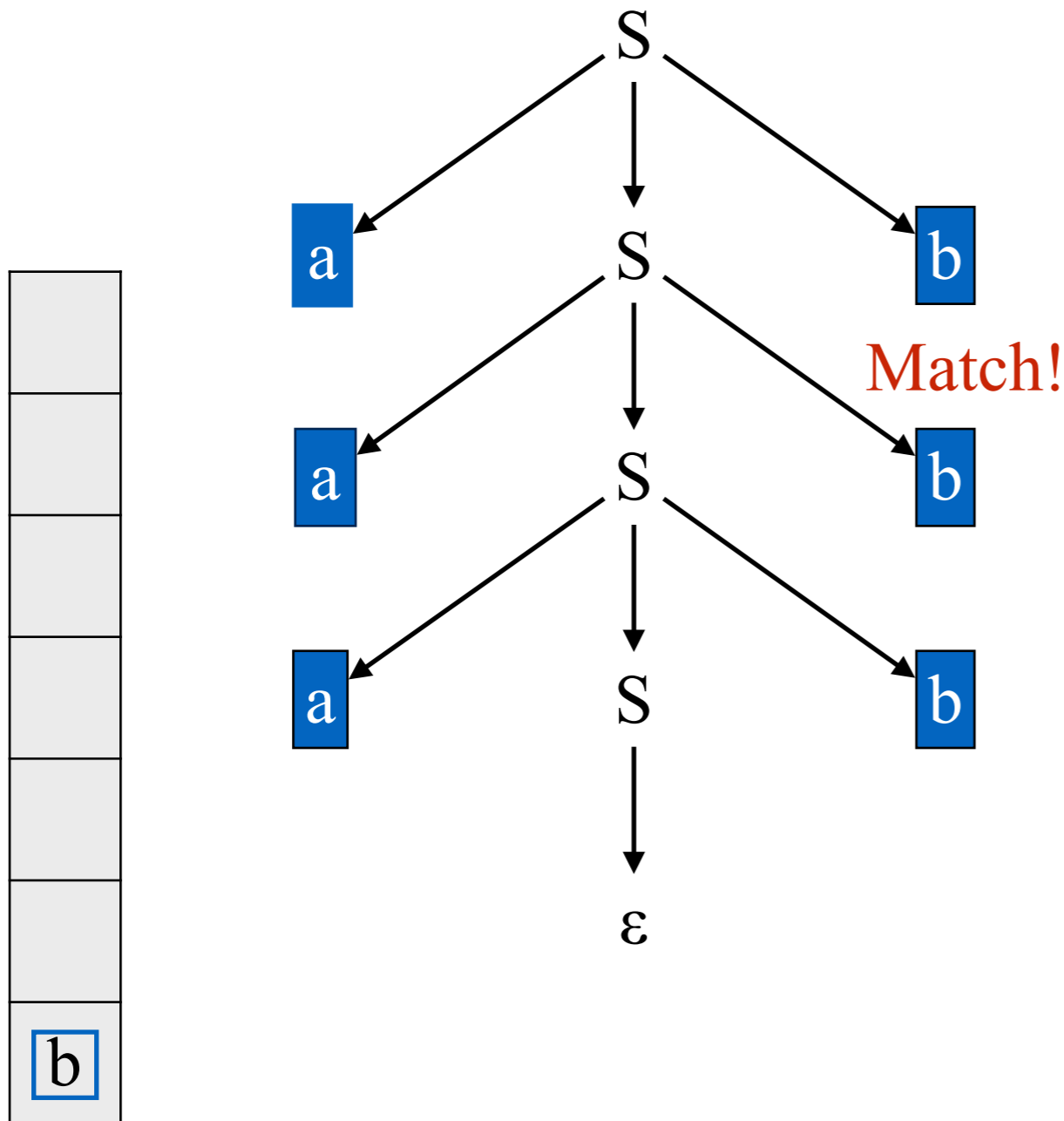
Remaining Input:

**b**

Sentential Form:

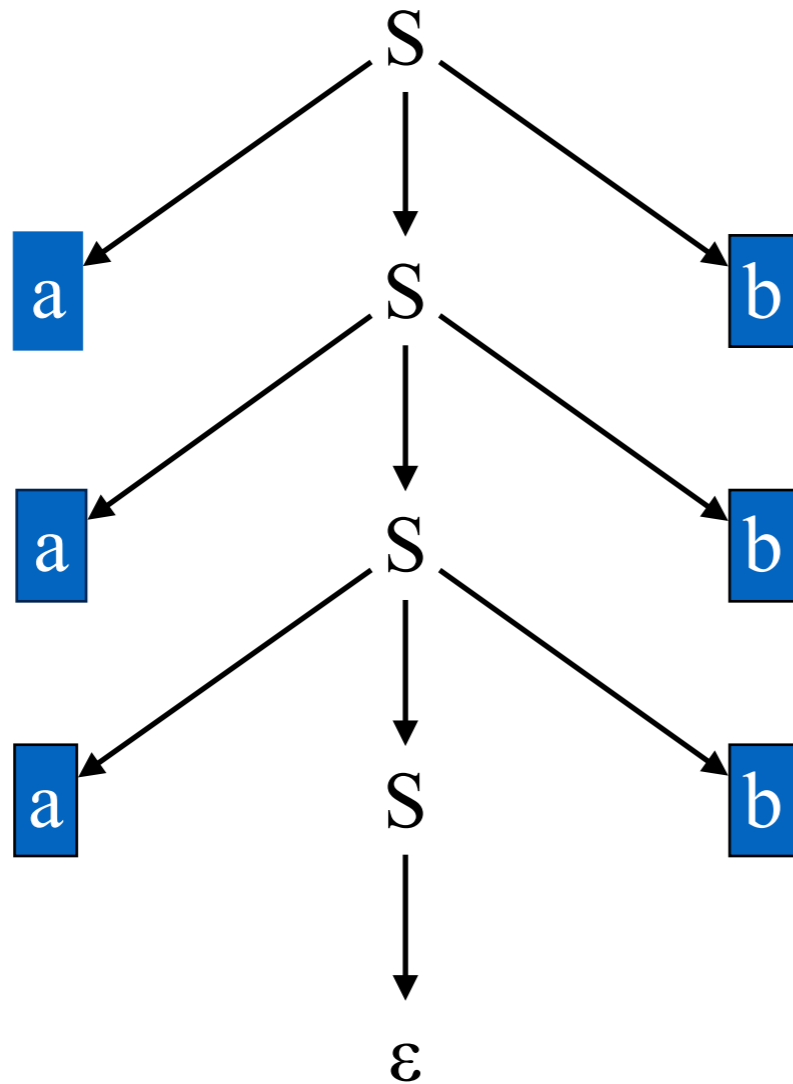
a a a b b b

Applied Production:



# LL(1) Parsing Example

$S ::= a S b \mid \epsilon$



Remaining Input:

Sentential Form:  
a a a b b b

Applied Production:

# Recursive Descent Parsing

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## Recursive descent parser for LL(1)

- Each **non-terminal** has an associated parsing procedure that can recognize any sequence of tokens generated by that **non-terminal**
- There is a main routine to initialize all globals (e.g:the *token variable* in previous code example) and call the start symbol. On return, check whether `token==EOF`, and whether errors occurred.
- Within a parsing procedure, both **non-terminals** and **terminals** can be matched:
  - ➔ Non-terminal A: call procedure for A
  - ➔ Token t: compare t with current input token;  
if matched, **consume input**, otherwise, ERROR
- Parsing procedure may contain code that performs some useful “computations” (*syntax directed translation*)

# Recursive Descent Parsing (pseudo code)

	a	b	eof	other
S	aSb	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

“token” is a global variable that stores the first terminal in the remaining input

```
main: {  
    token := next_token( );  
    if (S( ) and token == eof) print “accept” else print “error”;  
}
```

# Recursive Descent Parsing (pseudo code)

	a	b	eof	other
S	aSb	$\epsilon$	$\epsilon$	error

```
bool S: {
    switch token {
        case a: token := next_token( );
                call S( );
                if (token == b) {
                    token := next_token( );
                    return true;
                }
                else
                    return false;
                break;
        case b:
        case eof: return true;
                 break;
        default: return false;
    }
}
```

“token” is a global variable that stores the first terminal in the remaining input

# Recursive Descent Parsing (pseudo code)

	<i>LP</i>	<i>RP</i>	<i>EOF</i>
Goal	1		1
List	2	3	3
Pair	4		

```
1 Goal ::= List
2 List ::= Pair List
3       | ε
4 Pair ::= LP List RP
```

```
main: {
    token := next_token( );
    if ( List( ) and token == EOF) print “accept” else print “error”;
}
```

# Recursive Descent Parsing (pseudo code)

	<i>LP</i>	<i>RP</i>	<i>EOF</i>
Goal	1		1
List	2	3	3
Pair	4		

```
1 Goal ::= List
2 List ::= Pair List
3       | ε
4 Pair ::= LP List RP
```

```
bool List( ): {
  switch token {
    case LP:
      call Pair( );
      call List( );
      break;
    case RP:
    case EOF: return true;
              break;
    default: return false;
  }
}
```

```
bool Pair( ): {
  switch token {
    case LP: token := next_token( );
              call List( );
              if ( token == RP ) {
                token := next_token( );
                return true;
              }
              else
                return false;
              break;
    default: return false;
  }
}
```

# Another Example: Classic Expression Grammar

0	Goal ::= Expr
1	Expo ::= Term Expr'
2	Expr' ::= + Term Expr'
3	- Term Expr'
4	ε
5	Term ::= Factor Term'
6	Term' ::= * Factor Term'
7	/ Factor Term'
8	ε
9	Factor ::= ( Expr )
10	num
11	id

Symbol	<i>FIRST</i>	<i>FOLLOW</i>
num	num	∅
id	id	∅
+	+	∅
-	-	∅
*	*	∅
/	/	∅
(	(	∅
)	)	∅
eof	eof	∅
ε	ε	∅
Goal	(, id, num	eof
Expr	(, id, num	), eof
Expr'	+, -, ε	), eof
Term	(, id, num	+, -, ), eof
Term'	*, /, ε	+, -, ), eof
Factor	(, id, num	+, -, *, ), eof

$FIRST^+(A ::= \beta)$  is identical to  $FIRST(\beta)$  except for productions 4 and 8

$FIRST^+(Expr' ::= \epsilon)$  is  $\{), eof\}$

$FIRST^+(Term' ::= \epsilon)$  is  $\{+, -, ), eof\}$

# More Examples: Classic Expression Grammar

	Prod'n	<i>FIRST</i> <sup>+</sup>
0	Goal ::= Expr	
1	Expr ::= Term Expr'	(, id, num
2	Expr' ::= + Term Expr'	(, id, num
3	- Term Expr'	
4	ε	+
5	Term ::= Factor Term'	-
6	Term' ::= * Factor Term'	), eof
7	/ Factor Term'	
8	ε	(, id, num
9	Factor ::= ( Expr )	*
10	num	/
11	id	+, -, ), eof
		(
		num
		id

# Syntax Directed Translation

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Examples:

- Interpreter
- Code generator
- Type checker
- Performance estimator

Use hand-written recursive descent LL(1) parser

# Example: the Original Parser

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:                    $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0..9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	rule 1	rule 2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	rule 3	error

```
void expr( ): // return value of the expression
    int val1, val2; // two values
    switch token {
        case +:    token := next_token( );
                  expr( );
                  expr( );
        case 0..9: digit( );
        ...
    }
```

```
void digit( ): // return value of constant
    switch token {
        case 1: token := next_token( );
        case 2: token := next_token( );
        ...
    }
```

# Example: Interpreter

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0..9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	r1	r2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	r3	error

```
int expr( ): // return value of the expression
    int val1, val2; // two values
    switch token {
        case +:  token := next_token( );
                 val1 = expr( );
                 val2 = expr( );
                 return val1 + val2;
        case 0..9:
                 return digit( );
        ...
    }
```

```
int digit( ): // return value of constant
    switch token {
        case 1: token := next_token( ); return 1;
        case 2: token := next_token( ); return 2;
        ...
    }
```

What happens when you parse expression  
“ + 2 + 1 2 ”

The parsing produces:  
?

# Example: Code Generator

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0..9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	rule 1	rule 2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	rule 3	error

```
int expr: // return target register of operation
    int target_reg; // "fresh" register
    int reg1, reg2; // other registers
    switch token {
        case +: token := next_token ();
                target_reg = next_register ();
                reg1 = expr ();
                reg2 = expr ();
                CodeGen(ADD, reg1, reg2, target_reg);
                return target_reg;
        case 0..9:
                return digit ();
        ...
    }
```

ADD rReg1, rReg2 => rTarget

# Example: Code Generator (cont.)

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0...9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	rule 1	rule 2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	rule 3	error

```
int digit: // return target register of operation
```

```
    int target_reg; // "fresh" register
```

```
    switch token {
```

```
        case 1: token := next_token ();
```

```
                target_reg = next_register ();
```

```
                CodeGen(LOADI, 1, target_reg);
```

```
                return target_reg;
```

```
        case 2: token := next_token ();
```

```
                target_reg = next_register ();
```

```
                CodeGen(LOADI, 2, target_reg);
```

```
                return target_reg;
```

```
        ...
```

```
    }
```

LOADI 1 => rTarget

## Example: Code Generator (cont.)

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What happens when you parse subprogram  
“ + 2 + 1 2 ” ?

Assumption:

First call to next\_register() will return 1

The parsing produces:

LOADI 2 => r2

LOADI 1 => r4

LOADI 2 => r5

ADD r4, r5 => r3

ADD r2, r3 => r1

# Example: Type Checker

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0..9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	rule 1	rule 2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	rule 3	error

```
string expr: // returns type expression
string type1, type2; // other type expressions
switch token {
    case +: token := next_token ( )
           type1 = expr ( );
           type2 = expr ( );
           if (type1 == "int" and type2 == "int"){
               return "int";
           } else{
               return "error";
           }
    case 0..9:
           return digit ( );
    ...
}
```

# Example: Type Checker (cont.)

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- 1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$
- 2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$
- 3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

```
string digit: // returns type expression
  switch token {
    case 1:  token := next_token ( );
             return "int";
    case 2:  token := next_token ( );
             return "int";
    ...
  }
```

# Example: Type Checker (cont.)

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What happens when you parse subprogram  
“ + 2 + 1 2 ” ?

The parsing produces:

“int”

# Example: Basic Performance Predictor

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0..9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	rule 1	rule 2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	rule 3	error

```
int expr: // returns cycles needed to compute expression
  int cyc1, cyc2; // subexpression cycles
  switch token {
    case +: token := next_token ( )
           cyc1 = expr ( );
           cyc2 = expr ( );
           return cyc1 + cyc2 + 2; // ADD takes 2 cycles
    case 0..9:
           return digit ( );
    ...
  }
```

# Example: Basic Performance Predictor (cont.)

1:  $\langle \text{expr} \rangle ::= + \langle \text{expr} \rangle \langle \text{expr} \rangle \mid$   
2:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle$   
3:  $\langle \text{digit} \rangle ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid 2 \mid 3 \mid \dots \mid 9$

	+	0...9	other
$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$	rule 1	rule 2	error
$\langle \text{digit} \rangle$	error	rule 3	error

```
int digit: // returns cycles
  switch token {
    case 1:  token := next_token ();
             return 1; // LOADI takes 1 cycle
    case 2:  token := next_token ();
             return 1; // LOADI takes 1 cycle
    ...
  }
```

# Example: Basic Performance Predictor (cont.)

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What happens when you parse subprogram  
“ + 2 + 1 2” ?

The parsing produces:

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# Next Lecture

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Things to do:

- Start programming in C.
- Read Scott, Chapter 3.1 - 3.3; ALSU 7.1
- Read Scott, Chapter 8.1 - 8.2; ALSU 7.1 - 7.3