

Calculator Implementation with Visitor

- Let's implement the calculator using the Visitor Pattern

⇒ `$ antlr4 -no-listener -visitor LabeledExpr.g4`

First, ANTLR generates a visitor interface with a method for each labeled alternative name.

```
public interface LabeledExprVisitor<T> {  
    T visitId(LabeledExprParser.IdContext ctx);           # from label id  
    T visitAssign(LabeledExprParser.AssignContext ctx); # from label assign  
    T visitMulDiv(LabeledExprParser.MulDivContext ctx); # from label MulDiv  
    ...  
}
```

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- Subclass `LabeledExprBaseVisitor<T>` with `T` as `Integer`
- Redefine the behaviour of the visit methods
- Create a class with a main that creates a visitor object and visits a parse tree
- See Code...

Translator from Java classes to Java interfaces

- Let's implement a translator that can parse Java files!
- We are given a Java grammar specification `Java.g4`
- The translator has to transform the code of a Java class into a code for a Java interface containing the same methods without implementation
- Any comment appearing within the method signature must be retained

tour/Java.g4

```
classDeclaration
:   'class' Identifier typeParameters? ('extends' type)?
    ('implements' typeList)?
    classBody
;

```

tour/Java.g4

```
methodDeclaration
:   type Identifier formalParameters ('[' ']')* methodDeclarationRest
|   'void' Identifier formalParameters methodDeclarationRest
;

```

Translator from Java classes to Java interfaces

```
tour/Demo.java
import java.util.List;
import java.util.Map;
public class Demo {
    void f(int x, String y) { }
    int[ ] g(/*no args*/) { return null; }
    List<Map<String, Integer>>[] h() { return null; }
}
```

must produce (see code):

```
tour/IDemo.java
interface IDemo {
    void f(int x, String y);
    int[ ] g(/*no args*/);
    List<Map<String, Integer>>[] h();
}
```

Implementing an SDT in ANTLR4

- Let's implement a translator that parses a csv text file with tab as separator
- We want to select the data values of a particular column

```
tour/t.rows
parrt  Terence Parr    101
tombu  Tom Burns           020
bke    Kevin Edgar       008
```

Base grammar:

```
file : (row NL)+ ; // NL is newline token: '\r'? '\n'
row  : STUFF+ ;
```

Implementing an SDT in ANTLR4

- Enriched grammar with code

```
tour/Rows.g4
grammar Rows;

@parser::members { // add members to generated RowsParser
    int col;
    public RowsParser(TokenStream input, int col) { // custom constructor
        this(input);
        this.col = col;
    }
}

file: (row NL)+ ;

row
locals [int i=0]
: ( STUFF
  {
    $i++;
    if ( $i == col ) System.out.println($STUFF.text);
  }
)+
;

TAB : '\t' -> skip ; // match but don't pass to the parser
NL  : '\r'? '\n' ; // match and pass to the parser
STUFF: ~[\t\r\n]+ ; // match any chars except tab, newline
```

Implementing an SDT in ANTLR4

- Running the parser (see code)

tour/Col.java

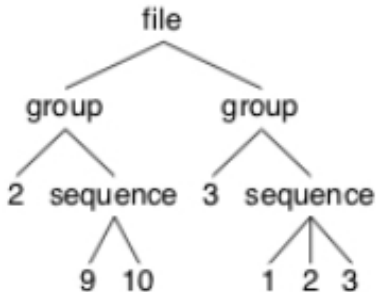
```
RowsLexer lexer = new RowsLexer(input);
CommonTokenStream tokens = new CommonTokenStream(lexer);
int col = Integer.valueOf(args[0]);
RowsParser parser = new RowsParser(tokens, col); // pass column number!
parser.setBuildParseTree(false); // don't waste time bulding a tree
parser.file(); // parse
```

Adaptive Parsing in ANTLR4

- With ANTLR4 it is possible to modify the behaviour of the parser at runtime, depending on the parsed input
- Technically this is realised through **semantic predicates**, which are boolean expressions enclosed in curly braces followed by a question mark, e.g. `{ $i \leq n$ }?`
- Suppose we want to parse a sequence of integers such that some of them tells how to group them: 2 9 10 3 1 2 3
- the first 2 means that we want to group the following two numbers
- then the following 3 means that we want to group the following three numbers

Adaptive Parsing in ANTLR4

- We want that the parsing of 2 9 10 3 1 2 3 produces the following parse tree



Adaptive Parsing in ANTLR4

- The grammar to produce this result is the following

```
tour/Data.g4
grammar Data;

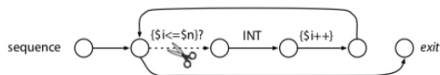
file : group+ ;

group: INT sequence[$INT.int] ;

sequence[int n]
locals [int i = 1;]
      : ( {$i<=$n}? INT {$i++;} )* // match n integers
      ;

INT : [0-9]+ ; // match integers
WS : [ \t\n\r]+ -> skip ; // toss out all whitespace
```

- Visual representation of the effect of the semantic predicate



- See produced code in the parser class