

# The Incomplete Lojban Language

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# Chapter 1 Formal grammars



### 1.1 YACC Grammar of Lojban

The following two listings constitute the formal grammar of Lojban. The first version is written in the YACC language, which is used to describe parsers, and has been used to create a parser for Lojban texts. This parser is available from the Logical Language Group. The second listing is in Extended Backus-Naur Form (EBNF) and represents the same grammar in a more human-readable form. (In case of discrepancies, the YACC version is official.) There is a cross-reference listing for each format that shows, for each selma'o and rule, which rules refer to it.

The Lojban machine parsing algorithm is a multi-step process. The YACC machine grammar presented here is an amalgam of those steps, concatenated so as to allow YACC to verify the syntactic ambiguity of the grammar. YACC is used to generate a parser for a portion of the grammar, which is LALR1 (the type of grammar that YACC is designed to identify and process successfully), but most of the rest of the grammar must be parsed using some language-coded processing.

## Step 1 – Lexing

From phonemes, stress, and pause, it is possible to resolve Lojban unambiguously into a stream of words. Any machine processing of speech will have to have some way to deal with "non-Lojban" failures of fluent speech, of course. The resolved words can be expressed as a text file using Lojban's phonetic spelling rules.

The following steps assume that there is the possibility of non-Lojban text within the Lojban text (delimited appropriately). Such non-Lojban text may not be reducible from speech phonetically. However, step 2 allows the filtering of a phonetically transcribed text stream, to recognize such portions of non-Lojban text where properly delimited, without interference with the parsing algorithm.

## Step 2 – Filtering

From start to end, performing the following filtering and lexing tasks using the given order of precedence in case of conflict:

i. If the Lojban word *zoi* (selma'o ZOI) is identified, take the following Lojban word (which should be end delimited with a pause for separation from the following non-Lojban text) as an opening delimiter. Treat all text following that delimiter, until that delimiter recurs *after a pause*, as

grammatically a single token (labelled "YACC rule #699 (p. 8)" in this grammar). There is no need for processing within this text except as necessary to find the closing delimiter.

- ii. If the Lojban word *zo* (selma'o ZO) is identified, treat the following Lojban word as a token labelled "YACC rule #698 (p. 8)", instead of lexing it by its normal grammatical function.
- iii. If the Lojban word *lo'u* (selma'o LOhU) is identified, search for the closing delimiter *le'u* (selma'o LEhU), ignoring any such closing delimiters absorbed by the previous two steps. The text between the delimiters should be treated as the single token "YACC rule #697 (p. 8)".
- iv. Categorize all remaining words into their Lojban selma'o category, including the various delimiters mentioned in the previous steps. In all steps after step 2, only the selma'o token type is significant for each word.
- v. If the word *si* (selma'o SI) is identified, erase it and the previous word (or token, if the previous text has been condensed into a single token by one of the above rules).
- vi. If the word *sa* (selma'o SA) is identified, erase it and all preceding text as far back as necessary to make what follows attach to what precedes. (This rule is hard to formalize and may receive further definition later.)
- vii. If the word *su* (selma'o SU) is identified, erase it and all preceding text back to and including the first preceding token word which is in one of the selma'o: NIhO, LU, TUhE, and TO. However, if speaker identification is available, a SU shall only erase to the beginning of a speaker's discourse, unless it occurs at the beginning of a speaker's discourse. (Thus, if the speaker has said something, two adjacent uses of *su* are required to erase the entire conversation.

# **Step 3 – Termination**

If the text contains a FAhO, treat that as the end-of-text and ignore everything that follows it.

# Step 4 – Absorption of Grammar-Free Tokens

In a new pass, perform the following absorptions (absorption means that the token is removed from the grammar for processing in following steps, and optionally reinserted, grouped with the absorbing token after parsing is completed).

- i. Token sequences of the form any (ZEI any) ..., where there may be any number of ZEIs, are merged into a single token of selma'o BRIVLA.
- ii. Absorb all selma'o BAhE tokens into the following token. If they occur at the end of text, leave them alone (they are errors).
- iii. Absorb all selma'o BU tokens into the previous token. Relabel the previous token as selma'o BY.
- iv. If selma'o NAI occurs immediately following any of tokens UI or CAI, absorb the NAI into the previous token.
- v. Absorb all members of selma'o DAhO, FUhO, FUhE, UI, Y, and CAI into the previous token. All of these null grammar tokens are permitted following any word of the grammar, without interfering with that word's grammatical function, or causing any effect on the grammatical interpretation of any other token in the text. Indicators at the beginning of text are explicitly handled by the grammar.

# Step 5 - Insertion of Lexer Lexemes

Lojban is not in itself LALR1. There are words whose grammatical function is determined by following tokens. As a result, parsing of the YACC grammar must take place in two steps. In the first step, certain strings of tokens with defined grammars are identified, and either

i. are replaced by a single specified "lexer token" for step 6, or

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ii. the lexer token is inserted in front of the token string to identify it uniquely.

The YACC grammar included herein is written to make YACC generation of a step 6 parser easy regardless of whether a. or b. is used. The strings of tokens to be labelled with lexer tokens are found in rule terminals labelled with numbers between 900 and 1099. These rules are defined with the lexer tokens inserted, with the result that it can be verified that the language is LALR1 under option b. after steps 1 through 4 have been performed. Alternatively, if option a. is to be used, these rules are commented out, and the rule terminals labelled from 800 to 900 refer to the lexer tokens *without* the strings of defining tokens. Two sets of lexer tokens are defined in the token set so as to be compatible with either option.

In this step, the strings must be labelled with the appropriate lexer tokens. Order of inserting lexer tokens *IS* significant, since some shorter strings that would be marked with a lexer token may be found inside longer strings. If the tokens are inserted before or in place of the shorter strings, the longer strings cannot be identified.

If option a. is chosen, the following order of insertion works correctly (it is not the only possible order): A, C, D, B, U, E, H, I, J, K, M, N, G, O, V, W, F, P, R, T, S, Y, L, Q. This ensures that the longest rules will be processed first; a PA+MAI will not be seen as a PA with a dangling MAI at the end, for example.

## Step 6 - YACC Parsing

YACC should now be able to parse the Lojban text in accordance with the rule terminals labelled from 1 to 899 under option 5a, or 1 to 1099 under option 5b. Comment out the rules beyond 900 if option 5a is used, and comment out the 700-series of lexer-tokens, while restoring the series of lexer tokens numbered from 900 up.

%token A 501 %token BAI 502 %token BAhE 503 %token BE\_504 %token BEI 505 %token BEh0 506 %token BIhI 507 %token B0 508 %token BRIVLA 509 %token BU 511 %token BY 513 %token CAhA 514 %token CAI 515 %token CEI 516 %token CEhE 517 %token CMENE 518 %token CO\_519 %token COI 520 %token CU 521 %token CUhE 522 %token DAh0 524 %token DOI\_525 %token D0hU 526 %token FA 527 %token FAhA\_528 %token FAh0 529 %token FEhE 530 %token FEhU 531 %token FIh0 532 %token FOI\_533 %token FUhE 535 %token FUh0 536 %token GA\_537 %token GEhU 538 %token GI\_539 %token GIhA 541 %token GOI 542 %token G0hA\_543 %token GUhA 544 %token I\_545 %token JA\_546 %token JAI 547 %token JOI\_548 %token KEhE 550 %token KE\_551 %token KEI 552 %token KI 554 %token K0hA\_555 %token KU 556 %token KUh0 557 %token LA\_558 %token LAU 559 %token LAhE 561 %token LE\_562

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eks; basic afterthought logical connectives modal operators next word intensifier sumti link to attach sumti to a selbri multiple sumti separator between BE, BEI terminates BE/BEI specified descriptors interval component of JOI ioins two units with shortest scope any brivla turns any word into a BY lerfu word individual lerfu words specifies actuality/potentiality of tense afterthought intensity marker pro-bridi assignment operator afterthought term list connective Lojbanized names; require consonant end, as well as tanru inversion vocative marker permitted inside cmevla; must always separator between head sumti and selbri tense/modal question cancel anaphora/cataphora assignments vocative marker terminator for DOI-marked vocatives modifier head generic case tag superdirections in space normally elided "done pause" to indicate end of utte space interval mod flag ends bridi to modal conversion marks bridi to modal conversion end compound lerfu open long scope for indicator close long scope for indicator geks; forethought logical connectives marker ending GOI relative clauses forethought medial marker logical connectives for bridi-tails attaches a sumti modifier to a sumti pro-bridi GEK for tanru units, corresponds to JEKs sentence link jeks; logical connectives within tanru modal conversion flag non-logical connectives right terminator for KE groups left long scope marker right terminator, NU abstractions multiple utterance scope for tenses sumti anaphora right terminator for descriptions, etc. right terminator, NOI relative clauses name descriptors lerfu prefixes sumti qualifiers sumti descriptors

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%token LEhU 565 %token LI 566 %token LIhU 567 %token L0h0\_568 %token L0hU 569 %token LU 571 %token LUhU 573 %token ME 574 %token MEhU 575 %token MOhI 577 %token NA 578 %token NAI 581 %token NAhE 583 %token NIh0\_584 %token NOI 585 %token NU 586 %token NUhI 587 %token NUhU\_588 %token PEhE 591 %token PU 592 %token RAh0 593 %token ROI\_594 %token SA 595 %token SE 596 %token SEI\_597 %token SEhU 598 %token SI 601 %token SOI 602 %token SU 603 %token TAhE\_604 %token TEI 605 %token T0 606 %token TOI\_607 %token TUhE 610 %token TUhU\_611 %token UI 612 %token VA 613 %token VAU\_614 %token VEhA 615 %token VIhA\_616 %token VUh0\_617 %token XI 618 %token Y 619 %token ZAh0 621 %token ZEhA\_622 %token ZEI\_623 %token ZI 624 %token ZIhE\_625 %token Z0  $6\overline{2}6$ %token ZOI 627 %token ZOhU 628 %token BIhE 650 %token BOI 651 %token FUhA 655

possibly ungrammatical text right quote convert number to sumti grammatical text right quote elidable terminator for LI possibly ungrammatical text left quote grammatical text left quote LAhE close delimiter converts a sumti into a tanru unit terminator for ME motion tense marker bridi negation attached to words to negate them scalar negation new paragraph; change of subject attaches a subordinate clause to a sumti abstraction marks the start of a termset marks the middle and end of a termset afterthought termset connective prefix directions in time flag for modified interpretation of GOhI converts number to extensional tense metalinguistic eraser to the beginning of the current conversions metalinguistic bridi insert marker metalinguistic bridi end marker metalinguistic single word eraser reciprocal sumti marker metalinguistic eraser of the entire text tense interval properties start compound lerfu left discursive parenthesis right discursive parenthesis multiple utterance scope mark multiple utterance end scope mark attitudinals, observationals, discursives distance in space-time end simple bridi or bridi-tail space-time interval size space-time dimensionality marker glue between logically connected sumti and relative subscripting operator hesitation event properties - prospective, etc. time interval size tense lujvo glue time distance tense conjoins relative clauses single word metalinguistic quote marker delimited quote marker prenex terminator (not elidable) prefix for high-priority MEX operator number or lerfu-string terminator reverse Polish flag

%token GAh0 656 open/closed interval markers for BIhI %token JOhI 657 flags an array operand %token KUhE 658 MEX forethought delimiter %token MAI 661 change numbers to utterance ordinals %token MAh0 662 change MEX expressions to MEX operators %token MOI 663 change number to selbri %token MOhE 664 change sumti to operand, inverse of LI change a selbri into an operator %token NAhU 665 %token NIhE\_666 change selbri to operand; inverse of MOI %token NUhA 667 change operator to selbri; inverse of MOhE %token PA 672 numbers and numeric punctuation %token PEh0 673 forethought (Polish) flag %token TEhU 675 closing gap for MEX constructs %token VEI  $\overline{6}77$ left MEX bracket %token VEh0 678 right MEX bracket %token VUhU 679 MEX operator %token any\_words 697 a string of lexable Lojban words %token any word 698 any single lexable Lojban words %token anything 699 a possibly unlexable phoneme string The following tokens are the actual lexer tokens. The \_900 series tokens are %token lexer A 701 flags a MAI utterance ordinal %token lexer\_ B\_702
%token lexer\_ C\_703
%token lexer\_ D\_704 flags an EK unless EK BO, EK KE flags an EK BO flags an EK KE %token lexer\_ E\_705 flags a JEK %token lexer F 706 flags a JOIK %token lexer\_ G\_707
%token lexer\_ H\_708 flags a GEK flags a GUhEK %token lexer I 709 flags a NAhE BO %token lexer\_ J\_710 flags a NA KŪ %token lexer\_ K\_711 flags an I BO (option. JOIK/JEK lexer tags) %token lexer\_ L\_712 flags a PA, unless MAI (then lexer A) %token lexer M\_713 flags a GIhEK BO %token lexer N 714 flags a GIhEK KE %token lexer 0\_715 flags a modal operator BAI or compound %token lexer P 716 flags a GIK %token lexer\_ Q\_717 flags a lerfu string unless MAI (then lexer A) %token lexer\_ R\_718 flags a GIhEK, not BO or KE %token lexer 5 719 flags simple I %token lexer\_ T\_720
%token lexer\_ U\_721 flags I JEK flags a JEK BO %token lexer\_ V\_722 flags a JOIK BO %token lexer\_ W\_723
%token lexer\_ X\_724 flags a JOIK KE null %token lexer\_ Y\_725 flags a PA\_MOI %token lexer\_A\_905 lexer\_A\_701 : utt\_ordinal\_root\_906 %token lexer B 910 lexer B 702 EK root 911 : %token lexer\_C\_915 : lexer\_C\_703 EK\_root\_911 B0\_508 %token lexer D 916 lexer D 704 EK root 911 : KE 551 %token lexer E 925 lexer E 705 : JEK root 926 lexer\_F\_706 J0IK\_root\_931 lexer\_G\_707 GA\_537 %token lexer\_F\_930 : %token lexer G 935 : %token lexer H 940 lexer H 708 GUhA 544 : %token lexer\_I\_945 lexer<sup>I</sup>709 NAhE<sup>583</sup> : B0 508 8

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%token lexer J 950 lexer J 710 NA 578 KU 556 : %token lexer K 955 lexer K 711 I 432 B0 508 : %token lexer L 960 lexer L 712 number root 961 : %token lexer M 965 lexer M 713 GIhEK\_root\_991 : BO 508 %token lexer N 966 lexer N 714 GIhEK root 991 KE 551 : %token lexer 0 970 lexer\_0\_715 : simple tense modal 972 %token lexer P 980 lexer P 716 GIK root 981 : %token lexer Q 985 : lexer\_Q\_717 lerfu string root 986 %token lexer R 990 lexer R 718 GIhEK root 991 : %token lexer S 995 lexer S 719 I 545 : %token lexer\_T\_1000 lexer T 720 I\_545 simple\_JOIK\_JEK\_957 : %token lexer\_U\_1005 : lexer\_U\_721 JEK\_root\_926 B0 508 lexer V\_722 %token lexer V 1010 JOIK root 931 B0 508 : %token lexer W 1015 lexer W 723 : JOIK root 931 KE 551 %token lexer X 1020 null number\_root 961 MOI 663 %token lexer Y 1025 : lexer Y 725 %startYACC rule #0 (p. 9) %% text 0 : YACC rule #1 (p. 9) I YACC rule #411 (p. 26) YACC rule #1 (p. 9) I YACC rule #32 (p. 12) YACC rule #1 (p. 9) I YACC rule #404 (p. 26) YACC rule #1 (p. 9) I YACC rule #411 (p. 26) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) YACC rule #1 (p. 9) I YACC rule #581 (p. 7) YACC rule #0 (p. 9) ; text A 1 : YACC rule #422 (p. 27) YACC rule #2 (p. 9) incomplete JOIK JEK without preceding I compare note on YACC rule #10 (p. 10) I YACC rule #2 (p. 9) text B 2 : YACC rule #819 (p. 39) YACC rule #2 (p. 9) I YACC rule #820 (p. 39) YACC rule #2 (p. 9) I YACC rule #811 (p. 38) YACC rule #2 (p. 9)

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I YACC rule #410 (p. 26) YACC rule #3 (p. 10) YACC rule #3 (p. 10) ; text C 3 : YACC rule #4 (p. 10) Only indicators which follow certain selma'o: cmevla. YACC rule #607 (p. 7), YACC rule #571 (p. 7), and the lexer\_K and lexer\_S I\_roots and compounds, and at the start of text( 0), will survive the lexer; all other valid on will be absorbed. The only strings for which indicators generate a potential ambiguity are those which contain NAI. An indicator cannot be inserted in between a token and its negating NAI, else you can't tell whether it is the indicator or the original token being negated. emptv An empty text is legal; formerly this was handled by the explicit appearance of YACC rule #529 (p. 6), but this is now absorbed by the preparser. paragraphs 4 : YACC rule  $\#\overline{10}$  (p. 10) I YACC rule #10 (p. 10) YACC rule #410 (p. 26) YACC rule #4 (p. 10) ; paragraph 10 : YACC rule #11 (p. 10) I YACC rule #20 (p. 11) I YACC rule #10 (p. 10) YACC rule #819 (p. 39) YACC rule #11 (p. 10) I YACC rule #10 (p. 10) YACC rule #819 (p. 39) YACC rule #20 (p. 11) I YACC rule #10 (p. 10) YACC rule #819 (p. 39) this last fixes an erroneous start to a sentence, and permits incomplete JOIK JEK after I, as well in answer to questions on those connectives ; statement 11 1 YACC rule #12 (p. 11) L YACC rule #30 (p. 12) YACC rule #11 (p. 10) 10

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YACC rule #499 (p. 37) YACC rule #121 (p. 19) YACC rule #404 (p. 26)	
YACC rule #489 (p. 36) YACC rule #310 (p. 22)	17

YACC rule #472 (p. 34) L YACC rule #110 (p. 18) I YACC rule #432 (p. 29) ; description 110 . YACC rule #499 (p. 37) YACC rule #111 (p. 18) YACC rule #450 (p. 31) L YACC rule #488 (p. 36) YACC rule #111 (p. 18) YACC rule #450 (p. 31) ; sumti tail 111 1 YACC rule #112 (p. 18) inner-quantified sumti relative clause I YACC rule #121 (p. 19) YACC rule #112 (p. 18) pseudo-possessive (an abbreviated inner restriction); note that sumti cannot be quantified I YACC rule #97 (p. 17) YACC rule #112 (p. 18) pseudo-possessive with outer restriction I YACC rule #97 (p. 17) YACC rule #121 (p. 19) YACC rule #112 (p. 18) ; sumti tail A 112 1 YACC rule #130 (p. 19) L YACC rule #130 (p. 19) YACC rule #121 (p. 19) explicit inner quantifier L YACC rule #300 (p. 21) YACC rule #130 (p. 19) quantifier both internal to a description, and external to a sumti thereby made specific I YACC rule #300 (p. 21) YACC rule #130 (p. 19) YACC rule #121 (p. 19) I 18

YACC rule #300 (p. 21) YACC rule #90 (p. 16) relative clauses 121 : YACC rule #122 (p. 19) L YACC rule #121 (p. 19) YACC rule #487 (p. 36) YACC rule #122 (p. 19) : relative clause 122 : YACC rule #485 (p. 36) YACC rule #83 (p. 15) YACC rule #464 (p. 33) L YACC rule #484 (p. 36) YACC rule #41 (p. 14) YACC rule #469 (p. 34) ; selbri 130 : YACC rule #491 (p. 36) YACC rule #131 (p. 19) I YACC rule #131 (p. 19) ; selbri A 131 : YACC rule #132 (p. 19) I YACC rule #445 (p. 31) YACC rule #130 (p. 19) ; selbri B 132 : YACC rule #133 (p. 19) I YACC rule #133 (p. 19) YACC rule #443 (p. 31) YACC rule #132 (p. 19) ; selbri C 133 1 YACC rule #134 (p. 19) L YACC rule #133 (p. 19) YACC rule #134 (p. 19) selbri D 134 : YACC rule #135 (p. 20) L YACC rule #134 (p. 19) YACC rule #422 (p. 27) YACC rule #135 (p. 20) I YACC rule #134 (p. 19) YACC rule #823 (p. 40)

YACC rule #133 (p. 19) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; selbri E 135 1 YACC rule #136 (p. 20) I YACC rule #136 (p. 20) YACC rule #821 (p. 40) YACC rule #135 (p. 20) I YACC rule #136 (p. 20) YACC rule #822 (p. 40) YACC rule #135 (p. 20) ; selbri F 136 1 YACC rule #150 (p. 20) I YACC rule #150 (p. 20) YACC rule #479 (p. 35) YACC rule #136 (p. 20) I YACC rule #137 (p. 20) I YACC rule #482 (p. 35) YACC rule #137 (p. 20) ; GUhEK selbri 137 : YACC rule #808 (p. 38) YACC rule #130 (p. 19) YACC rule #816 (p. 39) YACC rule #136 (p. 20) ; tanru unit 150 3 YACC rule #151 (p. 20) L YACC rule #150 (p. 20) YACC rule #444 (p. 31) YACC rule #151 (p. 20) ; tanru unit A 151 : YACC rule #152 (p. 20) I YACC rule #152 (p. 20) YACC rule #160 (p. 21) ; tanru\_unit\_B\_152 1 YACC rule #407 (p. 26) L YACC rule #493 (p. 37) YACC rule #133 (p. 19) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) L 20

YACC rule #480 (p. 35) YACC rule #152 (p. 20) I YACC rule #478 (p. 35) YACC rule #491 (p. 36) YACC rule #152 (p. 20) I YACC rule #478 (p. 35) YACC rule #152 (p. 20) L YACC rule #477 (p. 35) YACC rule #90 (p. 16) YACC rule #465 (p. 33) I YACC rule #477 (p. 35) YACC rule #90 (p. 16) YACC rule #465 (p. 33) YACC rule #476 (p. 35) I YACC rule #475 (p. 35) YACC rule #374 (p. 24) I YACC rule #482 (p. 35) YACC rule #152 (p. 20) I YACC rule #425 (p. 28) YACC rule #41 (p. 14) YACC rule #453 (p. 32) ; linkargs 160 YACC rule #446 (p. 31) YACC rule #83 (p. 15) YACC rule #467 (p. 34) I YACC rule #446 (p. 31) YACC rule #83 (p. 15) YACC rule #161 (p. 21) YACC rule #467 (p. 34) ; links 161 1 YACC rule #442 (p. 31) YACC rule #83 (p. 15) I YACC rule #442 (p. 31) YACC rule #83 (p. 15) YACC rule #161 (p. 21) ;

Main entry point for MEX; everything but a number must be in parens. quantifier\_300 : YACC rule #812 (p. 39) YACC rule #461 (p. 33) I

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YACC rule #470 (p. 34) YACC rule #310 (p. 22) YACC rule #471 (p. 34)

Entry point for MEX used after LI; no parens needed, but LI now has an elidable terminator. (This allows us to express the difference between "the expression a + b" and "the expression (a + b)")

This rule supports left-grouping infix expressions and reverse Polish

expressions. To handle infix monadic, use a null operand; to handle

infix with more than two operands (whatever that means) use an extra operator or an array operand. MEX 310 :

YACC	rule	#311	(p.	22)	
YACC	rule	#310	(p.	22)	
YACC	rule	#370	(p.	23)	
		#311			
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YACC	rule	#441	(p.	31)	'
		#330			
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Support for right-grouping (short scope) infix expressions with BIhE.

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	_A_31				
YACC	rule	#312	(p.	22)	
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YACC	rule	#312	(p.	22)	
YACC	rule	#439	(p.	30)	
		#370			
		#311			
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Support for forethought (Polish) expressions. These begin with a forethought flag, then the operator and then the argument(s). MEX\_B\_312 : YACC rule #381 (p. 24) // YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #313 (p. 23) YACC rule #452 (p. 32) // YACC rule #438 (p. 30) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #313 (p. 23) YACC rule #452 (p. 32) ; MEX\_C\_313 : YACC rule #312 (p. 22) YACC rule #313 (p. 23) YACC rule #312 (p. 22) ;

Reverse Polish expressions always have exactly two operands. To handle one operand, use a null operand;

to handle more than two operands, use a null operator.

rp\_expression\_330 : YACC rule #332 (p. 23) YACC rule #332 (p. 23) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) ; rp\_operand\_332 : YACC rule #381 (p. 24) YACC rule #330 (p. 23);

operator_370 : YACC rule #371 (p. 23) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #422 (p. 27) YACC rule #371 (p. 23) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 ; YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #422 (p. 27) YACC rule #371 (p. 23) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 ; YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #422 (p. 27) YACC rule #371 (p. 23) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 ; YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #371 (p. 23) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 : YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 ; YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 : YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 : YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operator_A_371 : YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
; operator_A_371 : YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
operator_A_371 : YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
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YACC rule #808 (p. 38)
YACC rule #371 (p. 23)
YACC rule #816 (p. 39)
YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #822 (p. 40)
YACC rule #371 (p. 23)
YACC rule #372 (p. 24)
YACC rule #821 (p. 40)
YACC rule #371 (p. 23)

; operator B 372 : YACC rule #374 (p. 24) I YACC rule #493 (p. 37) YACC rule #370 (p. 23) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; MEX operator 374 1 YACC rule #679 (p. 8) I YACC rule #679 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) I YACC rule #480 (p. 35) YACC rule #374 (p. 24) changes argument order L YACC rule #482 (p. 35) YACC rule #374 (p. 24) scalar negation I YACC rule #430 (p. 28) YACC rule #310 (p. 22) YACC rule #473 (p. 34) L YACC rule #429 (p. 28) YACC rule #130 (p. 19) YACC rule #473 (p. 34) ; operand 381 3 YACC rule #382 (p. 24) L YACC rule #382 (p. 24) YACC rule #804 (p. 38) YACC rule #381 (p. 24) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) I YACC rule #382 (p. 24) YACC rule #823 (p. 40) YACC rule #381 (p. 24) YACC rule #466 (p. 33) ; operand\_A\_382 : YACC rule #383 (p. 24) I YACC rule #382 (p. 24) YACC rule #421 (p. 27) YACC rule #383 (p. 24) ; operand B 383 1 YACC rule #385 (p. 25) L

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YACC rule #385 (p. 25)
YACC rule #803 (p. 38)
YACC rule #383 (p. 24)
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YACC rule #385 (p. 25)
YACC rule #822 (p. 40)
YACC rule #383 (p. 24)
 operand C 385
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YACC rule #300 (p. 21)
YACC rule #817 (p. 39)
YACC rule #461 (p. 33)
    lerfu string as operand - classic math variable
YACC rule #428 (p. 28)
YACC rule #130 (p. 19)
YACC rule #473 (p. 34)
    quantifies a bridi - inverse of -MOI
YACC rule #427 (p. 28)
YACC rule #90 (p. 16)
YACC rule #473 (p. 34)
    quantifies a sumti - inverse of LI
YACC rule #431 (p. 29)
YACC rule #313 (p. 23)
YACC rule #473 (p. 34)
                         L
YACC rule #807 (p. 38)
YACC rule #381 (p. 24)
YACC rule #816 (p. 39)
YACC rule #385 (p. 25)
                         L
YACC rule #483 (p. 35)
YACC rule #381 (p. 24)
YACC rule #463 (p. 33)
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\_400 series constructs are mostly specific strings, some of which may also be used by the lexer; the lexer should not use any reference to terminals numbered less than \_400, as they have grammars composed on non-deterministic strings of selma'o. Some above \_400 also are this way, so care should be taken; this is especially true for those that reference

YACC rule #32 (p. 12).

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anaphora_400
YACC rule #555 (p. 6)
YACC rule #555 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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YACC rule #817 (p. 39)
YACC rule #461 (p. 33)
                         ;
 cmevla 404
                           1
YACC rule #405 (p. 26)
                         I
YACC rule #405 (p. 26)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                         ;
 cmevla A 405
                           :
YACC rule #518 (p. 6)
                         pause
                         L
YACC rule #405 (p. 26)
YACC rule #518 (p. 6)
                         pause
 multiple CMEVLA are identified morphologically (by the lexer) - - separated
   consonant & pause
                         ;
 bridi valsi 407
                          1
YACC rule #408 (p. 26)
                         I
YACC rule #408 (p. 26)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                         ;
 bridi valsi A 408
                          :
YACC rule #509 (p. 6)
                         L
YACC rule #824 (p. 40)
                         I
YACC rule #543 (p. 6)
                         L
YACC rule #543 (p. 6)
YACC rule #593 (p. 7)
                         ;
para mark 410
                          1
YACC rule #584 (p. 7)
                         L
YACC rule #584 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                         L
YACC rule #584 (p. 7)
YACC rule #410 (p. 26)
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 indicators 411
                          1
YACC rule #412 (p. 26)
                         I
YACC rule #535 (p. 6)
YACC rule #412 (p. 26)
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 indicators A 412
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YACC rule #413 (p. 27)
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		#412 #413			
	lcato rule	^_413 #612	(p.	7)	;
YACC	rule	#515	(p.	6)	1
YACC YACC	rule rule	#612 #581	(p. (p.	7) 7)	1
YACC YACC	rule rule	#515 #581	(p. (p.	6) 7)	
YACC	rule	#619	(p.	7)	
YACC	rule	#524	(p.	6)	
YACC	rule	#536	(p.	6)	;
DOI_ YACC		#525	(p.	6)	': I
YACC	rule	#416	(p.	27)	
		#416 #525			;
COI_ YACC		#417	(p.	27)	': I
		#416 #417			;
	A_417 rule	7 #520	(p.	6)	': I
YACC YACC	rule rule	#520 #581	(p. (p.	6) 7)	;
	K_EK_4 rule	121 #802	(p.	38)	:
YACC	rule	#806	(p.	38)	I
		#806 #32 (			I
	K_JEK_ rule	_422 #806	(p.	38)	;
YACC YACC	rule rule	#806 #32 (	(p.	38) 12)	I

I YACC rule #805 (p. 38) I YACC rule #805 (p. 38) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; XI 424 : YACC rule #618 (p. 7) I YACC rule #618 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; NU 425 : YACC rule #426 (p. 28) L YACC rule #425 (p. 28) YACC rule #422 (p. 27) YACC rule #426 (p. 28) ; NU A 426 1 YACC rule #586 (p. 7) L YACC rule #586 (p. 7) YACC rule #581 (p. 7) I YACC rule #586 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) L YACC rule #586 (p. 7) YACC rule #581 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; MOhE 427 : YACC rule #664 (p. 8) I YACC rule #664 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; NIhE 428 : YACC rule #666 (p. 8) L YACC rule #666 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) NAhU 429 1 YACC rule #665 (p. 8) L YACC rule #665 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; MAh0 430 1 YACC rule #662 (p. 8) L 28

YACC rule #662 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; J0hI 431 1 YACC rule #657 (p. 8) I YACC rule #657 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; quote arg 432 1 YACC rule #433 (p. 29) L YACC rule #433 (p. 29) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; quote\_arg\_A\_433 : YACC rule #434 (p. 29) L YACC rule #435 (p. 29) L YACC rule #436 (p. 29) I YACC rule #571 (p. 7) YACC rule #0 (p. 9) YACC rule #448 (p. 31) ; The guoted material in the following three terminals must be identified by the lexer, but no additional lexer processing is needed. ZOI\_quote\_434 : YACC rule #627 (p. 7) YACC rule #698 (p. 8) pause YACC rule #699 (p. 8) pause YACC rule #698 (p. 8) ; "pause" is morphemic, represented by . The lexer assembles YACC rule #699 (p. 8) Z0\_quote\_435 : YAC $\overline{C}$  rule #626 (p. 7) YACC rule #698 (p. 8) ; "word" may not be a compound; but it can be any valid Lojban selma'o value, including ZO, ZOI, SI, SA, SU. The preparser will not lex the word per it: normal selma'o. LOhU\_quote\_436 : YACC rule #569 (p. 7) YACC rule #697 (p. 8) YACC rule #565 (p. 7) ; "words" may be any Lojban words, with no claim of grammaticality; the

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preparser will not lex the individual words per their normal selma'o; used to quote ungrammatical Lojban, equivalent to the \* or ? writing convention for such text.

- The preparser needs one bit of sophistication for this rule. A quoted string should be able to contain other quoted strings this is only a problem for a LOhU quote itself, since the LEhU clossing this quote would otherwise close the outer quotes, which is incorrect. For this purpose, we will cheat on the use of ZO in such a quote (since this is ungrammatical text, it is a sign ignored by the parser). Use ZO to mark any nested quotation LOhU. The preparser then will absorb it by the ZO rule, before testing for LOhU. This is obviously not the standard usage for ZO, which would otherwise cause the result to be a sumti. But, since the result will be part of an unparsed string anyway, it doesn't matter.
- It may be seen that any of the ZO/ZOI/LOhU trio of quotation markers may contain the powerful metalinguistic erasers. Since these quotations

are not parsed internally, these operators are ignored within the quote. To erase a ZO, then, two SI's are needed after giving a quoted word of any type. ZOI takes four SI's, with the ENTIRE BODY OF THE QUOTE treated as a single "word" since it is one selma'o. Thus one for the quote body, two for the single word delimiters, and one for the ZOI. In LOhU, the entire body is treated as a single word, so three SI's can erase it.

All rule terminator names with "gap" in them are potentially elidable, where such elision does not cause an ambiguity. This is implemented through use of the YACC "error" token, which effectively recovers from an elision.

FIhC	) 437				:
YACC	rule	#532 (	p.	6)	
		#532 (			I
YACC	rule	#32 (p	). 1	.2)	;
PEh(	)_438				<i>.</i> :
YACC	rule	#673 (	р.	8)	
YACC	rule	#673 (	р.	8)	I
		#32 (p			
BIhE	E 439				;
	_	#650 (	p.	7)	
YACC	rule	#650 (	p.	7)	I
		#32 (p			
SEI	440				;
		#597 (	p.	7)	
YACC	rule	#597 (	'n.	7)	I
		#32 (p			
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			;
	A_441 rule	#655 (p. 7)	, : 
		#655 (p. 7) #32 (p. 12)	
BEI_ YACC		#505 (p. 6)	;
YACC YACC	rule rule	#505 (p. 6) #32 (p. 12)	
CO_4 YACC		#519 (p. 6)	;
YACC YACC	rule rule	#519 (p. 6) #32 (p. 12)	
CEI_ YACC		#516 (p. 6)	;
YACC YACC	rule rule	#516 (p. 6) #32 (p. 12)	
NA_4 YACC		#578 (p. 7)	;
		#578 (p. 7) #32 (p. 12)	
BE_4 YACC		#504 (p. 6)	;
		#504 (p. 6) #32 (p. 12)	
	E_447 rule	#610 (p. 7)	;
		#610 (p. 7) #32 (p. 12)	
	J_gap rule	_448 #567 (p. 7)	; :   error ;
gap_ YACC		#556 (p. 6)	:
YACC YACC	rule rule	#556 (p. 6) #32 (p. 12)	I

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	error
front_gap_451 YACC rule #521 (p. 6)	;
YACC rule #521 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
MEX_gap_452 YACC rule #658 (p. 8)	; ; 1
YACC rule #658 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	'   error
KEI_gap_453 YACC rule #552 (p. 6)	;
YACC rule #552 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	   error
TUhU_gap_454 YACC rule #611 (p. 7)	:
YACC rule #611 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
	error :
VAU_gap_456 YACC rule #614 (p. 7)	· :
YACC rule #614 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
	error ;
redundant to attach a f D0hU_gap_457	ree modifier on the following :
YACC rule #526 (p. 6)	error
FEhU_gap_458 YACC rule #531 (p. 6)	,
YACC rule #531 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	'   error
SEhU_gap_459 YACC rule #598 (p. 7)	; :
a free modifier on a di See 32	error scursive should be somewhere within the discursive.

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YACC rule #440 (p. 30)
                          ;
 NUhU gap 460
                           :
YACC rule #588 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #588 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          L
                             error
                          ;
 BOI_gap_461
                           :
YACC rule #651 (p. 7)
                          L
YACC rule #651 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          L
                             error
                          ;
 sub_gap_462
                           :
YACC rule #651 (p. 7)
                          L
                             error
                          ;
 LUhU gap 463
                           1
YACC rule #573 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #573 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          I
                             error
                          ;
 GEhU gap 464
                           3
YACC rule #538 (p. 6)
                          I
YACC rule #538 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          L
                             error
                          ;
 MEhU gap 465
                           :
YACC rule #575 (p. 7)
                          L
YACC rule #575 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                             error
                          I
                          ;
 KEhE gap 466
                           3
YACC rule #550 (p. 6)
                          L
YACC rule #550 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          L
                             error
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BEh0_gap_467 YACC rule #506 (p. 6)	:
YACC rule #506 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	error ;
TOI_gap_468 YACC rule #607 (p. 7)	:   error ;
KUhO_gap_469 YACC rule #557 (p. 6)	:
YACC rule #557 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	error ;
left_bracket_470 YACC rule #677 (p. 8)	:
YACC rule #677 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
right_bracket_gap_471 YACC rule #678 (p. 8)	,
YACC rule #678 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	   error
LOhO_gap_472 YACC rule #568 (p. 7)	; : 
YACC rule #568 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	error
TEhU_gap_473 YACC rule #675 (p. 8)	, :
YACC rule #675 (p. 8) YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	   error ;
right_br_no_free_474 YACC rule #678 (p. 8)	;   error ;

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NUhA 475
YACC rule #667 (p. 8)
                          I
YACC rule #667 (p. 8)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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MOI 476
                           :
YACC rule #663 (p. 8)
                          I
YACC rule #663 (p. 8)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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ME 477
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YACC rule #574 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #574 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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 JAI 478
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YACC rule #547 (p. 6)
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YACC rule #547 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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B0 479
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YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
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YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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 SE 480
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YAC\overline{C} rule #596 (p. 7)
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YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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 FA 481
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YACC rule #527 (p. 6)
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YACC rule #527 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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 NAhE 482
                           1
YACC rule #583 (p. 7)
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YACC rule #583 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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qualifier 483
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YACC rule \overline{\#}561 (p. 6)
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YACC rule #561 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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I YACC rule #809 (p. 38) ; NOI 484 1 YACC rule #585 (p. 7) I YACC rule #585 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; GOI 485 1 YACC rule #542 (p. 6) I YACC rule #542 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; subscript 486 1 YACC rule #424 (p. 28) YACC rule #812 (p. 39) YACC rule #462 (p. 33) I YACC rule #424 (p. 28) YACC rule #470 (p. 34) YACC rule #310 (p. 22) YACC rule #474 (p. 34) I YACC rule #424 (p. 28) YACC rule #817 (p. 39) YACC rule #462 (p. 33) ; ZIhE 487 : YACC rule #625 (p. 7) L YACC rule #625 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; LE 488 1 YACC rule #562 (p. 6) L YACC rule #562 (p. 6) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; LI 489 1 YACC rule #566 (p. 7) I YACC rule #566 (p. 7) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; mod head 490 : YACC rule #491 (p. 36) L YACC rule #481 (p. 35) ; tag\_491 : 36

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YACC rule #815 (p. 39)
                          L
YACC rule #491 (p. 36)
YACC rule #422 (p. 27)
YACC rule #815 (p. 39)
                          ;
 Z0hU 492
                          :
YACC rule #628 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #628 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          ;
 KE 493
                          1
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                          L
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          ;
 PEhE 494
                          :
YACC rule #591 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #591 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          ;
CEhE 495
                          :
YACC rule #517 (p. 6)
                          L
YACC rule #517 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          ;
 NUhI 496
                          1
YACC rule #587 (p. 7)
                          L
YACC rule #587 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          ;
 VUh0 497
                          1
YACC rule #617 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #617 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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 SOI 498
                          :
YACC rule #602 (p. 7)
                          I
YACC rule #602 (p. 7)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                          ;
LA 499
                          :
YACC rule #558 (p. 6)
                          I
YACC rule #558 (p. 6)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
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utterance ordinal 801 : YACC rule #905 (p. 40) ; EK 802 : YACC rule #910 (p. 40) L YACC rule #910 (p. 40) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; EK BO 803 1 YACC rule #915 (p. 41) L YACC rule #915 (p. 41) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; EK KE\_804 1 YACC rule #916 (p. 41) L YACC rule #916 (p. 41) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; JEK 805 : YACC rule #925 (p. 41) ; JOIK 806 : YACC rule #930 (p. 42) ; GEK 807 1 YACC rule #935 (p. 43) I YACC rule #935 (p. 43) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; GUhEK 808 1 YACC rule #940 (p. 43) I YACC rule #940 (p. 43) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; NAhE B0 809 : YACC rule #945 (p. 44) l YACC rule #945 (p. 44) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; NA KU 810 : YACC rule #950 (p. 44) L YACC rule #950 (p. 44) YACC rule #32 (p. 12) ; I BO 811 : YACC rule #955 (p. 44) 38

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YACC rule #955 (p. 44 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
number_812 YACC rule #960 (p. 44	-
GIhEK_B0_813 YACC rule #965 (p. 45	; ; ) 
YACC rule #965 (p. 45 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	)
GIhEK_KE_814 YACC rule #966 (p. 45	; ; )
YACC rule #966 (p. 45 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	)
tense_modal_815 YACC rule #970 (p. 45	
YACC rule #970 (p. 45 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
YACC rule #437 (p. 30 YACC rule #130 (p. 19 YACC rule #458 (p. 32	)
GIK_816 YACC rule #980 (p. 47	; ; ) 
YACC rule #980 (p. 47 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	)
lerfu_string_817 YACC rule #985 (p. 47	; ;
GIhEK_818 YACC rule #990 (p. 47	;
YACC rule #990 (p. 47 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
I_819 YACC rule #995 (p. 48	
YACC rule #995 (p. 48 YACC rule #32 (p. 12)	
I_JEK_820 YACC rule #1000 (p. 4	; : 8) 

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YACC rule #1000 (p. 48)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                         ;
 JEK BO 821
                          1
YACC rule #1005 (p. 48)
YACC rule #1005 (p. 48)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
 JOIK B0 822
                          1
YACC rule #1010 (p. 48)
                         L
YACC rule #1010 (p. 48)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                         ;
 J0IK KE 823
                          :
YACC rule #1015 (p. 48)
                         L
YACC rule #1015 (p. 48)
YACC rule #32 (p. 12)
                         ;
 PA MOI 824
                          :
YACC rule #1025 (p. 49)
                         ;
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The following rules are used only in lexer processing. They have been tested for ambiguity at various levels in the YACC grammar, but are in

the recursive descent lexer in the current parser. The lexer inserts the lexer tokens before the processed strings, but leaves the original tokens. lexer\_A\_905 : YACC rule #701 (p. 8) YACC rule #906 (p. 40) ; utt\_ordinal\_root\_906 : YACC\_rule #986 (p. 47) YACC rule #661 (p. 8) I YACC rule #961 (p. 44) YACC rule #661 (p. 8) ; lexer\_B\_910 : YACC rule #702 (p. 8) YACC rule #911 (p. 40) ; EK root 911 : YACC rule #501 (p. 6) I

YACC rule #596 (p. 7) YACC rule #501 (p. 6)

L

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YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #501 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #501 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         L
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #501 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #501 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #501 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #501 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         ;
 lexer_C_915
                          :
YACC rule #703 (p. 8)
YACC rule #911 (p. 40)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #703 (p. 8)
YACC rule #911 (p. 40)
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer D 916
                          :
YACC rule #704 (p. 8)
YACC rule #911 (p. 40)
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #704 (p. 8)
YACC rule #911 (p. 40)
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer E 925
                          3
YACC rule #705 (p. 8)
YACC rule #926 (p. 41)
 JEK root 926
                          1
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
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YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         L
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #546 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         ;
 lexer F 930
                          :
YACC rule #706 (p. 8)
YACC rule #931 (p. 42)
                         ;
 JOIK root 931
                          1
YACC rule #548 (p. 6)
                         L
YACC rule #548 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #548 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #548 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #932 (p. 42)
                         I
YACC rule #656 (p. 8)
YACC rule #932 (p. 42)
YACC rule #656 (p. 8)
                         ;
 interval 932
                          1
YACC rule #507 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #507 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
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YACC YACC	rule rule		(p. (p.	7) 6)		
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule	#507	(p. (p. (p.	7) 6) 7)	;	
lexe YACC YACC	er_G_9 rule rule		(p. (p.	8) 6)		:
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule	#596	(p. (p. (p.	8) 7) 6)		
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule	#537	(p. (p. (p.	8) 6) 7)		
YACC YACC YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule rule	#596 #537	(p. (p. (p. (p.	8) 7) 6) 7)		
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule	#971	(p. (p. (p.	8) 45) 47)		
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule		(p. (p. (p.	8) 42) 6)	;	
	er_H_9 rule rule		(p. (p.	8) 6)	I	:
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule	#708 #596 #544	(p. (p. (p.	8) 7) 6)	1	
YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule	#708 #544 #581	(p. (p. (p.	8) 6) 7)	1	
YACC YACC YACC YACC YACC	rule rule rule rule	#708 #596 #544 #581	(p. (p. (p. (p.	8) 7) 6) 7)	I	
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lexer I 945
                          :
YACC rule #709 (p. 8)
YACC rule #583 (p. 7)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer J 950
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YACC rule #710 (p. 8)
YACC rule #578 (p. 7)
YACC rule #556 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer K 955
                          :
YACC rule #711 (p. 8)
YACC rule #956 (p. 44)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #711 (p. 8)
YACC rule #956 (p. 44)
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         ;
 I root 956
                          :
YACC rule #545 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #545 (p. 6)
YACC rule #957 (p. 44)
                         ;
 simple JOIK JEK 957
                          :
YACC rule #806 (p. 38)
                         I
YACC rule #805 (p. 38)
                          no freemod in this version; cf.
YACC rule #422 (p. 27)
                          this reference to a version of JOIK and JEK
                            which already have the lexer tokens attached
                            prevents shift/reduce errors. The problem is
                            resolved in a hard-coded parser implementation
                            which builds lexer K, before lexer S, before
                            lexer_E and lexer_F.
 lexer_L_960
                          3
YACC rule #712 (p. 8)
YACC rule #961 (p. 44)
                         ;
 number_root_961
                          1
YACC rule #672 (p. 8)
                         I
YACC rule #961 (p. 44)
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YACC rule #672 (p. 8)
                         L
YACC rule #961 (p. 44)
YACC rule #987 (p. 47)
                         ;
 lexer M 965
                          :
YACC rule #713 (p. 8)
YACC rule #991 (p. 47)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #713 (p. 8)
YACC rule #991 (p. 47)
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #508 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer N 966
                          :
YACC rule #714 (p. 8)
YACC rule #991 (p. 47)
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #714 (p. 8)
YACC rule #991 (p. 47)
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer 0 970
                          3
YACC rule #715 (p. 8)
YACC rule #972 (p. 45)
 the following rule is a lexer version of non-terminal 815 for compounding
   PU/modals; it disallows the lexer picking out FIhO clauses, which would
   require it to have knowledge of the main parser grammar
 simple tag 971
                          :
YACC rule #972 (p. 45)
                         L
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #957 (p. 44)
YACC rule #972 (p. 45)
 simple tense modal 972 :
YACC rule #973 (p. 45)
                         I
YACC rule #583 (p. 7)
YACC rule #973 (p. 45)
                         I
YACC rule #554 (p. 6)
YACC rule #522 (p. 6)
 simple tense modal A 973:
YACC rule #974 (p. 46)
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I
YACC rule #974 (p. 46)
YACC rule #554 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #977 (p. 46)
                         ;
 modal 974
                          1
YACC rule #975 (p. 46)
                         I
YACC rule #975 (p. 46)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         ;
 modal A 975
                          :
YACC rule #502 (p. 6)
                         L
YACC rule #596 (p. 7)
YACC rule #502 (p. 6)
                         ;
 tense A 977
                          :
YACC rule #978 (p. 46)
                         L
YACC rule #978 (p. 46)
YACC rule #554 (p. 6)
 tense B 978
                          :
YACC rule #979 (p. 46)
                         I
YACC rule #514 (p. 6)
                         L
YACC rule #979 (p. 46)
YACC rule #514 (p. 6)
 specifies actuality/potentiality of the bridi
 puca'a = actually was
 baca'a = actually will be
 bapu'i = can and will have
 banu'o = can, but won't have yet
 canu'ojebapu'i = can, hasn't yet, but will
 tense C 979
                          3
YACC rule #1030 (p. 49)
    time-only
    space defaults to time-space reference space
YACC rule #1040 (p. 50)
    can include time if specified with VIhA; otherwise time defaults to the
      time-space reference time
YACC rule #1030 (p. 49)
YACC rule #1040 (p. 50)
    time and space - If
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YACC rule #1040 (p. 50) is marked with VIhA for space-time the tense may be self-contradictory interval prop before space time is for time distribution YACC rule #1040 (p. 50) YACC rule #1030 (p. 49) ; lexer P 980 : YACC rule #716 (p. 8) YACC rule #981 (p. 47) ; GIK root 981 1 YACC rule #539 (p. 6) L YACC rule #539 (p. 6) YACC rule #581 (p. 7) ; lexer Q 985 : YACC rule #717 (p. 8) YACC rule #986 (p. 47) ; lerfu string root 986 : YACC rule #987 (p. 47) L YACC rule #986 (p. 47) YACC rule #987 (p. 47) L YACC rule #986 (p. 47) YACC rule #672 (p. 8) ; lerfu word 987 1 YACC rule #513 (p. 6) I YACC rule #559 (p. 6) YACC rule #987 (p. 47) I YACC rule #605 (p. 7) YACC rule #986 (p. 47) YACC rule #533 (p. 6) ; lexer R 990 : YACC rule #718 (p. 8) YACC rule #991 (p. 47) ; GIhEK root 991 3 YACC rule #541 (p. 6) L YACC rule #596 (p. 7) YACC rule #541 (p. 6) I YACC rule #578 (p. 7) YACC rule #541 (p. 6)

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YACC YACC		#541 #581	(p. (p.	6) 7)	
YACC YACC YACC	rule	#596 #541 #581	(p. (p. (p.	7) 6) 7)	
YACC YACC YACC	rule	#578 #541 #581	(p. (p. (p.	7) 6) 7)	
YACC YACC YACC	rule	#578 #596 #541	(p. (p. (p.	7) 7) 6)	
YACC YACC YACC YACC YACC	rule rule	#578 #596 #541 #581	(p. (p. (p. (p.	7) 7) 6) 7)	;
YACC	er_S_9 rule rule	#719	(p. (p.	8) 6)	:
			(p. (p. (p.	8) 6) 44)	; :
YACC YACC	er_U_1 rule rule rule	#721 #926	(p. (p. (p.	8) 41) 6)	:
YACC YACC		#926 #971	(p. (p. (p. (p.	8) 41) 45) 6)	I
YACC YACC	er_V_1 rule rule rule	#722 #931	(p. (p. (p.	8) 42) 6)	;
YACC YACC	rule rule rule rule	#722 #931 #971 #508	(p. (p. (p. (p.	8) 42) 45) 6)	I
	er_W_1 rule	1015 #723	(p.	8)	;

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YACC rule #931 (p. 42)
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #723 (p. 8)
YACC rule #931 (p. 42)
YACC rule #971 (p. 45)
YACC rule #551 (p. 6)
                         ;
 lexer Y 1025
                          1
YACC rule #725 (p. 8)
YACC rule #961 (p. 44)
YACC rule #663 (p. 8)
                         I
YACC rule #725 (p. 8)
YACC rule #986 (p. 47)
YACC rule #663 (p. 8)
                         ;
 time 1030
                          3
YACC rule #624 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #624 (p. 7)
YACC rule #1031 (p. 49)
                         I
YACC rule #1031 (p. 49)
                         ;
time A 1031
                          1
YACC rule #1032 (p. 49)
YACC rule #1034 (p. 49)
                         L
YACC rule #1032 (p. 49)
YACC rule #1034 (p. 49)
 time B 1032
                          :
YACC rule #1033 (p. 49)
                         L
YACC rule #1032 (p. 49)
YACC rule #1033 (p. 49)
                         ;
 time offset 1033
                          1
YACC rule #1035 (p. 50)
                         I
YACC rule #1035 (p. 50)
YACC rule #624 (p. 7)
                         ;
 time interval 1034
                          :
YACC rule #622 (p. 7)
                         L
YACC rule #622 (p. 7)
YACC rule #1035 (p. 50)
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I
YACC rule #1036 (p. 50)
                         I
YACC rule #622 (p. 7)
YACC rule #1036 (p. 50)
YACC rule #622 (p. 7)
YACC rule #1035 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1036 (p. 50)
                         ;
 time direction 1035
                          :
YACC rule #592 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #592 (p. 7)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         ;
 time int props 1036
                          :
YACC rule #1051 (p. 52)
                         I
YACC rule #1036 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1051 (p. 52)
                         ;
 space 1040
YACC rule #1042 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1041 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1042 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1041 (p. 50)
                         ;
 space_motion_1041
                          :
YACC rule #577 (p. 7)
YACC rule #1045 (p. 51)
                         ;
 space_A_1042
                          :
YACC rule #613 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #613 (p. 7)
YACC rule #1043 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1043 (p. 50)
                         ;
 space_B_1043
                          1
YACC rule #1044 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1046 (p. 51)
                         L
YACC rule #1044 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1046 (p. 51)
                         ;
 space C 1044
                          3
YACC rule #1045 (p. 51)
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L
YACC rule #1044 (p. 50)
YACC rule #1045 (p. 51)
 space offset 1045
                          1
YACC rule #1048 (p. 51)
                         I
YACC rule #1048 (p. 51)
YACC rule #613 (p. 7)
                         ;
 space intval 1046
                          1
YACC rule #1047 (p. 51)
                         L
YACC rule #1047 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1048 (p. 51)
                         L
YACC rule #1049 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1047 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1049 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1047 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1048 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1049 (p. 51)
                         ;
 space intval A 1047
                          1
YACC rule #615 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #616 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #615 (p. 7)
YACC rule #616 (p. 7)
                         ;
 space_direction_1048
                          :
YACC rule #528 (p. 6)
                         I
YACC rule #528 (p. 6)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
 space_int_props_1049
                          :
YACC rule #1050 (p. 51)
                         L
YACC rule #1049 (p. 51)
YACC rule #1050 (p. 51)
 space int props A 1050
                         1
YACC rule #530 (p. 6)
YACC rule #1051 (p. 52)
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This terminal gives an interval size in space-time (VEhA), and possibly a

dimensionality of the interval. The dimensionality may also be used with the interval size left unspecified. When this terminal is used for spacetime origin, then barring any overriding VIhA, a VIhA here defines the dimensionality of the space-time being discussed.

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interval property 1051
                         - :
YACC rule #961 (p. 44)
YACC rule #594 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #961 (p. 44)
YACC rule #594 (p. 7)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #604 (p. 7)
                         L
YACC rule #604 (p. 7)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         L
YACC rule #621 (p. 7)
                         I
YACC rule #621 (p. 7)
YACC rule #581 (p. 7)
                         ;
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extensional/intensional interval parameters These may be appended to any defined interval, or may stand in place of either time or space tenses. If no other tense is present, this terminal stands for the time-space interval parameter with an unspecified interval roroi = always and everywhere roroiku'avi = always here (ku'a = intersection) puroroi = always in the past paroi = once upon a time (somewhere) paroiku'avi = once upon a time here

The following are "Lexer-only rules", covered by steps 1-4 described at the beginning. The grammar of these constructs is nonexistent, except possibly in cases where they interact with each other. Even there, however, the effects are semantic rather than grammatical. Where it is believed possible that conflicts could exist, the grammar of these constructs has been put in the above grammar, even though the lexer/Preparser will actually prevent these from being passed thru to the parse routine. (Otherwise we have to put unacceptably fancy code in

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the PreParser to determine just when these can be passed thru, and when they can't.) Constructs in this category include quotes and indicators as defined above. (The above grammar handles utterance scope (free\_modifier) and clause scope (gap) applications of the latter, however, and indicators should be allowed to be absorbed into almost any word without changing its grammar.

YACC rule #601 (p. 7), YACC rule #595 (p. 7), and YACC rule #603 (p. 7) are metalinguistic erasers. token 1100 1 YACC rule #698 (p. 8) I YACC rule #503 (p. 6) YACC rule #698 (p. 8) I YACC rule #699 (p. 8) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #511 (p. 6) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #524 (p. 6) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #536 (p. 6) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #535 (p. 6) L YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #612 (p. 7) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #612 (p. 7) YACC rule #581 (p. 7) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #619 (p. 7) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #515 (p. 6) I YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #515 (p. 6) YACC rule #581 (p. 7) L YACC rule #612 (p. 7) YACC rule #581 (p. 7) I YACC rule #515 (p. 6) YACC rule #581 (p. 7)

null_1101 YACC rule #698 (p. 8) YACC rule #601 (p. 7) YACC rule #601 (p. 7) YACC rule #20 (p. 11) YACC rule #595 (p. 7)	; :   possibly_unlexable_word (PAUSE) 
YACC rule #595 (p. 7)	<pre>possibly unlexable string (PAUSE) erases back to the last individual token I or NIhO or start of text, ignoring the insides of ZOI, ZO, and LOhU/LEhU quotes. Start of text is defined for SU below.</pre>
YACC rule #3 (p. 10) YACC rule #603 (p. 7) YACC rule #603 (p. 7)	<pre> possibly unparsable text (PAUSE) erases back to start of text which is the beginning of a speaker's statement, a parenthesis (TO/TOI), a LU/LIhU quote, or a TUhE/TUhU utterance string. ;</pre>

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#### 1.2 EBNF grammar of Lojban

Lojban Machine Grammar, EBNF Version, Final Baseline

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Explanation of notation: All rules have the form:

name number = bnf-expression

which means that the grammatical construct "name" is defined by "bnf-expression".

- 1. Names in lower case are grammatical constructs.
- 2. Names in UPPER CASE are selma'o (lexeme) names, and are terminals.
- 3. Concatenation is expressed by juxtaposition with no operator symbol.
- 4. | represents alternation (choice).
- 5. [] represents an optional element.
- & represents and/or. "A & B" is the same as "A | B | A B" but not "B A". Furthermore, "A & B & C & D" permits one or more of A, B, C, and/or D, but only in that order.
- 7. ... represents optional repetition of the construct to the left. Left-grouping is implied; rightgrouping is shown by explicit self-referential recursion with no "..."
- 8. () serves to indicate the grouping of the other operators. Otherwise, "…" binds closer than &, which binds closer than |.
- 9. # is shorthand for "[free ...]" , a construct which appears in many places.
- 10. // encloses an elidable terminator, which may be omitted (without change of meaning) if no grammatical ambiguity results.

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text _0 =
      [NAI ...] [CMEVLA ... # | (indicators & free ...)] [joik-jek] text-1
text-1_2 =
      [(I [jek | joik] [[stag] BO] #) ... | NIhO ... #] [paragraphs]
paragraphs _4 =
      paragraph [NIhO ... # paragraphs]
paragraph 10 =
      (statement | fragment) [I # [statement | fragment]] ...
statement 11 =
      statement-1 | prenex statement
statement-1 12 =
      statement-2 [I joik-jek [statement-2]] ...
statement-2 13 =
      statement-3 [I [jek | joik] [stag] BO # [statement-2]]
statement-3 14 =
      sentence | [tag] TUhE # text-1 /TUhU#/
fragment 20 =
      ek # | gihek # | quantifier | NA # | terms /VAU#/ | prenex | relative-clauses | links | linkargs
prenex 30 =
      terms ZOhU #
sentence 40 =
      [terms [CU #]] bridi-tail
subsentence 41 =
      sentence | prenex subsentence
bridi-tail 50 =
      bridi-tail-1 [gihek [stag] KE # bridi-tail /KEhE#/ tail-terms]
bridi-tail-1 51 =
      bridi-tail-2 [gihek # bridi-tail-2 tail-terms] ...
bridi-tail-2 52 =
      bridi-tail-3 [gihek [stag] BO # bridi-tail-2 tail-terms]
bridi-tail-3 53 =
      selbri tail-terms | gek-sentence
gek-sentence 54 =
      gek subsentence gik subsentence tail-terms | [tag] KE # gek-sentence /KEhE#/ | NA # gek-
      sentence
tail-terms 71 =
      [terms] /VAU#/
terms 80 =
      terms-1 ...
terms-1 81 =
      terms-2 [PEhE # joik-jek terms-2] ...
terms-2 82 =
      term [CEhE # term] ...
term 83 =
      sumti | (tag | FA #) (sumti | /KU#/) | termset | NA KU #
termset 85 =
      NUhI # gek terms /NUhU#/ gik terms /NUhU#/ | NUhI # terms /NUhU#/
sumti 90 =
      sumti-1 [VUhO # relative-clauses]
sumti-1 91 =
      sumti-2 [(ek | joik) [stag] KE # sumti /KEhE#/]
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sumti-2 92 =
      sumti-3 [joik-ek sumti-3] ...
sumti-3 93 =
      sumti-4 [(ek | joik) [stag] BO # sumti-3]
sumti-4 94 =
      sumti-5 | gek sumti gik sumti-4
sumti-5 95 =
      [quantifier] sumti-6 [relative-clauses] | quantifier selbri /KU#/ [relative-clauses]
sumti-6 97 =
      (LAhE # | NAhE BO #) [relative-clauses] sumti /LUhU#/ | KOhA # | lerfu-string /BOI#/ | LA #
      [relative-clauses] CMEVLA ... # | (LA | LE) # sumti-tail /KU#/ | LI # mex /LOhO#/ | ZO any-word
      # | LU text /LIhU#/ | LOhU any-word ... LEhU # | ZOI any-word anything any-word #
sumti-tail 111 =
      [sumti-6 [relative-clauses]] sumti-tail-1 | relative-clauses sumti-tail-1
sumti-tail-1 112 =
      [quantifier] selbri [relative-clauses] | quantifier sumti
relative-clauses 121 =
      relative-clause [ZIhE # relative-clause] ...
relative-clause 122 =
      GOI # term /GEhU#/ | NOI # subsentence /KUhO#/
selbri 130 =
      [tag] selbri-1
selbri-1 131 =
      selbri-2 | NA # selbri
selbri-2 132 =
      selbri-3 [CO # selbri-2]
selbri-3 133 =
      selbri-4 ...
selbri-4 134 =
      selbri-5 [joik-jek selbri-5 | joik [stag] KE # selbri-3 /KEhE#/] ...
selbri-5 135 =
      selbri-6 [(jek | joik) [stag] BO # selbri-5]
selbri-6 136 =
      tanru-unit [BO # selbri-6] | [NAhE #] guhek selbri gik selbri-6
tanru-unit 150 =
      tanru-unit-1 [CEI # tanru-unit-1] ...
tanru-unit-1 151 =
      tanru-unit-2 [linkargs]
tanru-unit-2 152 =
      BRIVLA # | GOhA [RAhO] # | KE # selbri-3 /KEhE#/ | ME # sumti /MEhU#/ [MOI #] | (number |
      lerfu-string) MOI # | NUhA # mex-operator | SE # tanru-unit-2 | JAI # [tag] tanru-unit-2 | any-
      word (ZEI any-word) ... | NAhE # tanru-unit-2 | NU [NAI] # [joik-jek NU [NAI] #] ...
      subsentence /KEI#/
linkargs 160 =
      BE # term [links] /BEhO#/
links 161 =
      BEI # term [links]
quantifier 300 =
      number /BOI#/ | VEI # mex /VEhO#/
mex_{310} =
      mex-1 [operator mex-1] ... | FUhA # rp-expression
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mex-1 311 =
      mex-2 [BIhE # operator mex-1]
mex-2_{312} =
      operand | [PEhO #] operator mex-2 ... /KUhE#/
rp-expression 330 =
      rp-operand rp-operand operator
rp-operand 332 =
      operand | rp-expression
operator 370 =
      operator-1 [joik-jek operator-1 | joik [stag] KE # operator /KEhE#/] ...
operator-1 371 =
      operator-2 | guhek operator-1 gik operator-2 | operator-2 (jek | joik) [stag] BO # operator-1
operator-2 372 =
      mex-operator | KE # operator /KEhE#/
mex-operator 374 =
      SE # mex-operator | NAhE # mex-operator | MAhO # mex /TEhU#/ | NAhU # selbri /TEhU#/ |
      VUhU #
operand 381 =
      operand-1 [(ek | joik) [stag] KE # operand /KEhE#/]
operand-1 382 =
      operand-2 [joik-ek operand-2] ...
operand-2 383 =
      operand-3 [(ek | joik) [stag] BO # operand-2]
operand-3 385 =
      quantifier | lerfu-string /BOI#/ | NIhE # selbri /TEhU#/ | MOhE # sumti /TEhU#/ | JOhI # mex-2 ...
      /TEhU#/ | gek operand gik operand-3 | (LAhE # | NAhE BO #) operand /LUhU#/
number 812 =
      PA [PA | lerfu-word] ...
lerfu-string 817 =
      lerfu-word [PA | lerfu-word] ...
lerfu-word 987 =
      BY | any-word BU | LAU lerfu-word | TEI lerfu-string FOI
ek 802 =
      [NA] [SE] A [NAI]
gihek 818 =
      [NA] [SE] GIhA [NAI]
jek 805 =
      [NA] [SE] JA [NAI]
joik 806 =
      [SE] JOI [NAI] | interval | GAhO interval GAhO
interval 932 =
      [SE] BIhI [NAI]
joik-ek 421 =
      joik # | ek #
joik-jek 422 =
      joik # | jek #
gek 807 =
      [SE] GA [NAI] # | joik GI # | stag gik
guhek 808 =
      [SE] GUhA [NAI] #
gik 816 =
      GI [NAI] #
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tag 491 =
      tense-modal [joik-jek tense-modal] ...
stag 971 =
      simple-tense-modal [(jek | joik) simple-tense-modal] ...
tense-modal 815 =
      simple-tense-modal # | FIhO # selbri /FEhU#/
simple-tense-modal 972 =
      [NAhE] [SE] BAI [NAI] [KI] | [NAhE] (time [space] | space [time]) & CAhA [KI] | KI | CUhE
time 1030 =
      ZI & time-offset ... & (ZEhA [PU [NAI]]) & interval-property ...
time-offset 1033 =
      PU [NAI] [ZI]
space 1040 =
      VA & space-offset ... & space-interval & (MOhI space-offset)
space-offset 1045 =
      FAhA [NAI] [VA]
space-interval 1046 =
      ((VEhA & VIhA) [FAhA [NAI]]) & space-int-props
space-int-props 1049 =
      (FEhE interval-property) ...
interval-property 1051 =
      number ROI [NAI] | TAhE [NAI] | ZAhO [NAI]
free 32 =
      SEI # [terms [CU #]] selbri /SEhU/ | SOI # sumti [sumti] /SEhU/ | vocative [relative-clauses]
      selbri [relative-clauses] /DOhU/ | vocative [relative-clauses] CMEVLA ... # [relative-clauses]
      /DOhU/ | vocative [sumti] /DOhU/ | (number | lerfu-string) MAI | TO text /TOI/ | XI # (number |
      lerfu-string) /BOI/ | XI # VEI # mex /VEhO/
vocative 415 =
      (COI [NAI]) ... & DOI
indicators 411 =
      [FUhE] indicator ...
indicator 413 =
      (UI | CAI) [NAI] | Y | DAhO | FUhO
  The following rules are non-formal:
word 1100 =
      [BAhE] any-word [indicators]
any-word =
      "any single word (no compound cmavo)"
anything =
      "any text at all, whether Lojban or not"
null 1101 =
      any-word SI | utterance SA | text SU
  FAhO is a universal terminator and signals the end of parsable input.
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