

Section 1

Sorted BNF

ACTION_annotation ::= synchronous asynchronous	<i>“ACTION annotation” section (3.6.3.7)</i>
alias ::= ALIAS identifier = identifier ;	<i>“Generic Objects” section (3.4.7)</i>
all_purpose_item ::= annotation annotation_container generic_object template_instantiation cell_instantiation	<i>“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)</i>
all_purpose_items ::= all_purpose_item { all_purpose_item }	<i>“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)</i>
analog measurement ::= CURRENT ENERGY FREQUENCY POWER TEMPERATURE TIME VOLTAGE	<i>“Models for interpolateable tables and equations” section (3.6.8.1)</i>
annotation ::= assignment annotation_assignment { all_purpose_items }	<i>“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)</i>
annotation_assignment ::= named_assignment_base unnamed_assignment_base	<i>“Assignments” section (3.4.1)</i>
annotation_container ::= context_sensitive_keyword { all_purpose_items }	<i>“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)</i>
any_character ::= reserved_character nonreserved_character escape_character whitespace	<i>“Reserved and Non-reserved Characters” section (3.2.4)</i>
arithmetic_binary_operator ::= + - * / ** %	<i>“Operators” section (3.4.5)</i>

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arithmetic_expression ::=                                "Expressions" section (3.4.2)
    [ arithmetic_unary_operator ] arithmetic_primary
  | arithmetic_expression arithmetic_binary_operator
    arithmetic_expression
  | arithmetic_function_operator ( arithmetic_expression
    { , arithmetic_expression } )

arithmetic_function_operator ::=                          "Operators" section (3.4.5)
    abs
  | exp
  | log
  | min
  | max

arithmetic_model ::=                                    "Arithmetic Model" section (3.4.15)
    context_sensitive_keyword [ identifier ]
    { [all_purpose_items] [header] bodies }
  | context_sensitive_keyword [identifier] = primary ;
  | context_sensitive_keyword [identifier] =
    primary { all_purpose_items }
  | arithmetic_model_template_instantiation

arithmetic_primary ::=                                  "Expressions" section (3.4.2)
    number
  | identifier
  | ( arithmetic_expression )

arithmetic_unary_operator ::=                            "Operators" section (3.4.5)
    + | -

assignment ::=                                           "Assignments" section (3.4.1)
    named_assignment
  | unnamed_assignment

assignments ::=                                           "Assignments" section (3.4.1)
    assignment { assignment }

attribute ::=                                             "Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
    ATTRIBUTE { attribute_items }

attribute_item ::=                                        "Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
    identifier [ { unnamed_assignments } ]

attribute_items ::=                                       "Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
    attribute_item { attribute_item }

based_literal ::=                                         "Based Literals" section (3.2.9)
    binary_base { _ | binary_digit }
  | octal_base { _ | octal_digit }
  | decimal_base { _ | decimal_digit }
  | hex_base { _ | hex_digit }

behavior ::=                                              "Function" section (3.4.16)
    BEHAVIOR [ identifier ] { behavior_body }

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behavior_body ::= primitives combinational_assignments sequential_assignments primitive_instantiations	“Function” section (3.4.16)
binary_arithmetic_operator ::= + - * / ** %	“Arithmetic operators” section (3.5.1)
binary_base ::= 'B 'b	“Based Literals” section (3.2.9)
binary_bitwise_operator ::= & ^ ~^	“Boolean operators on words” section (3.5.3)
binary_boolean_operator ::= && & == ~^ != ^	“Boolean operators on scalars” section (3.5.2)
binary_digit ::= bit_literal	“Based Literals” section (3.2.9)
binary_operator ::= << >> + - * / %	“Boolean operators on words” section (3.5.3)
binary_reduction_operator ::= > < >= <=	“Boolean operators on words” section (3.5.3)
binary_vector_operator ::= -> <-> &> <&>	“Vector operators” section (3.5.4)
bit_edge_literal ::= bit_literal bit_literal	“Edge Literals” section (3.2.10)
bit_literal ::= X Z L H U W ? 0 1 x z l h u w	“Boolean Literals” section (3.2.8)
bodies ::= body { body }	“Arithmetic Model” section (3.4.15)
body ::= table equation	“Arithmetic Model” section (3.4.15)
boolean_binary_operator ::= + - * / % && & ^ ~& ~ ~^ > < >= <= == !=	“Operators” section (3.4.5)
boolean_expression ::= [boolean_unary_operator] boolean_primary boolean_expression boolean_binary_operator boolean_expression boolean_expression ? boolean_expression : boolean_expression	“Expressions” section (3.4.2)

boolean_primary ::=	“Expressions” section (3.4.2)
logic_literal	
identifier [index]	
(boolean_expression)	
boolean_unary_operator ::=	“Operators” section (3.4.5)
! ~ & ~& ~ ^ ~^	
BUFFERTYPE_annotation ::=	“BUFFERTYPE annotation” section (3.6.5.2)
input	
output	
inout	
internal	
cell ::=	“Cell Object” section (3.4.8)
CELL cell_identifier [{ cell_items ; }]	
cell_template_instantiation	
cell_instantiation ::=	“Instantiations” section (3.4.3)
cell_identifier { primaries }	
cell_identifier { pin_assignments }	
cell_instantiations ::=	“Instantiations” section (3.4.3)
cell_instantiation { cell_instantiation }	
cell_item ::=	“Cell Object” section (3.4.8)
all_purpose_item	
pin	
primitive	
function	
arithmetic_model	
vector	
cell_items ::=	“Cell Object” section (3.4.8)
cell_item {cell_item}	
CELL_object_ATTRIBUTE ::=	“ATTRIBUTE within a CELL object” section (3.6.6.2)
RAM	
ROM	
CAM	
static	
dynamic	
asynchronous	
synchronous	
cells ::=	“Cell Object” section (3.4.8)
cell { cell }	
CELLTYPE_annotation ::=	“CELLTYPE annotation” section (3.6.5.1)
buffer	
combinational	
multiplexor	
flipflop	
latch	

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class ::=                                     "Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
    CLASS identifier ;
    CLASS identifier [ { generic_objects } ]

combinational_assignment ::=                 "Assignments" section (3.4.1)
    identifier [index] = boolean_expression ;

combinational_assignments ::=               "Assignments" section (3.4.1)
    combinational_assignment { combinational_assignment }

comment ::=                                "Comments" section (3.2.6)
    single_line_comment
    | block_comment

connect_class_annotation ::=                "CONNECT_CLASS annotation" section (3.6.3.12)
    CONNECT_CLASS_annotation = string ;

connectivity_data ::=                      "Models for non-interpolateable tables" section (3.6.8.2)
    CONNECTIVITY
    | DRIVER
    | RECEIVER

CONNECT_RULE_annotation ::=                "CONNECT_RULE annotation" section (3.6.7.4)
    must_short
    | can_short
    | cannot_short

constant ::=                              "Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
    CONSTANT identifier = number ;
    CONSTANT identifier = logic_literal ;

context_sensitive_keyword ::=              "Literals" section (3.4.4)
    nonescaped_identifier

DATATYPE_annotation ::=                   "DATATYPE annotation" section (3.6.3.13)
    signed
    | unsigned

decimal_base ::=                           "Based Literals" section (3.2.9)
    'D' | 'd

decimal_digit ::=                          "Based Literals" section (3.2.9)
    0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9

default_annotation ::=                     "DEFAULT annotation" section (3.6.7.1)
    DEFAULT_annotation = number ;

delimiter ::=                              "Delimiters" section (3.2.5)
    reserved_character
    | && | ~& | || | ~| | ~^ | == | != | ** | >= | <=
    | ?! | ?~ | ?- | ?? | -> | <-> | &> | <&> | >> | <<

DIRECTION_annotation ::=                  "DIRECTION annotation" section (3.6.3.5)
    input

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    | output
    | both
    | none

DRIVERTYPE_annotation ::=                                “DRIVERTYPE annotation” section (3.6.5.3)
    predriver
    | slotdriver
    | both

DRIVETYPE_annotation ::=                                “DRIVETYPE annotation” section (3.6.3.4)
    cmos
    | nmos
    | pmos
    | nmos_pass
    | pmos_pass
    | cmos_pass
    | ttl
    | open_drain
    | open_source

edge_literal ::=                                        “Edge Literals” section (3.2.10), “Literals” section (3.4.4)
    bit_edge_literal
    | word_edge_literal
    | symbolic_edge_literal

edge_literals ::=                                       “Literals” section (3.4.4)
    edge_literal { edge_literal }

enable_pin_annotation ::=                               “ENABLE_PIN annotation” section (3.6.3.9)
    ENABLE_PIN_annotation ::= string

equation ::=                                           “Arithmetic Model” section (3.4.15)
    EQUATION { arithmetic_expression }
    | equation_template_instantiation

escape_character ::=                                    “Reserved and Non-reserved Characters” section (3.2.4)
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escaped_identifier ::=                                  “Identifiers” section (3.2.12)
    escape_character { nonreserved_character | reserved_character }

extraction_data ::=                                    “Models for interpolateable tables and equations” section (3.6.8.1)
    CAPACITANCE
    | RESISTANCE

function ::=                                           “Function” section (3.4.16)
    FUNCTION [ identifier ] { [all_purpose_items] [primitives]
    [function_bodies] }
    | function_template_instantiation

function_arithmetic_operator ::=                       “Arithmetic operators” section (3.5.1)
    LOG | EXP | ABS | MIN | MAX

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function_bodies ::=	"Function" section (3.4.16)
function_body { function_body }	
function_body ::=	"Function" section (3.4.16)
behavior	
statetable	
functions ::=	"Function" section (3.4.16)
function { function }	
generic_object ::=	"Auxiliary Objects" section (3.4.6)
alias	
attribute	
constant	
class	
group	
include	
property	
template	
generic_objects ::=	"Auxiliary Objects" section (3.4.6)
generic_object { generic_object }	
group ::=	"Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
GROUP group_identifier { identifiers }	
GROUP group_identifier { numbers }	
GROUP group_identifier { edge_literals }	
GROUP group_identifier { logic_literals }	
GROUP group_identifier { indexed_identifiers }	
GROUP group_identifier { integer : integer }	
header ::=	"Arithmetic Model" section (3.4.15)
HEADER { header_items [body] }	
header_template_instantiation	
header_items ::=	"Arithmetic Model" section (3.4.15)
header_item { header_item }	
header_item ::=	"Arithmetic Model" section (3.4.15)
identifier	
all_purpose_item	
arithmetic_model	
hex_base ::=	"Based Literals" section (3.2.9)
' H ' ' h '	
hex_digit ::=	"Based Literals" section (3.2.9)
octal_digit 8 9 A B C D E F a b c d e f	
identifier ::=	"Literals" section (3.4.4)
nonescaped_identifier	
escaped_identifier	
placeholder_identifier	

`identifiers ::=` *“Literals” section (3.4.4)*
`identifier { identifier }`

`include ::=` *“Generic Objects” section (3.4.7)*
`INCLUDE quoted_string ;`

`index ::=` *“Literals” section (3.4.4)*
`[ index_primary ]`
`| [ index_primary : index_primary ]`

`indexed_identifier ::=` *“Literals” section (3.4.4)*
`identifier index`

`indexed_identifiers ::=` *“Literals” section (3.4.4)*
`indexed_identifier { indexed_identifier }`

`indexed_primary ::=` *“Literals” section (3.4.4)*
`unsigned`
`| identifier`

`information_annotation_container ::=` *“Information container” section (3.6.1.5)*
`VERSION`
`| TITLE`
`| PRODUCT`
`| AUTHOR`
`| DATETIME`

`integer_digit ::=` *“Number Literals” section (3.2.7)*
`0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9`

`integer ::=` *“Number Literals” section (3.2.7)*
`[ sign ] unsigned`

`label_annotation ::=` *“LABEL annotation” section (3.6.4.1)*
`LABEL_annotation= string ;`

`layout_data ::=` *“Models for interpolateable tables and equations” section (3.6.8.1)*
`AREA`
`| DISTANCE`
`| HEIGHT`
`| LENGTH`
`| WIDTH`

`libraries ::=` *“Library Object” section (3.4.9)*
`library { library }`

`library ::=` *“Library Object” section (3.4.9)*
`LIBRARY library_identifier { library_items [sublibraries] }`
`| library_template_instantiation`

`library_item ::=` *“Library Object” section (3.4.9)*
`all_purpose_item`
`| arithmetic_model`
`| cell`

primitive	
wire	
library_items ::=	“Library Object” section (3.4.9)
library_item { library_item }	
library_specific_object ::=	“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)
annotation	
annotation_container	
cell	
function	
library	
pin	
primitive	
sublibrary	
vector	
wire	
logic_literal ::=	“Literals” section (3.4.4)
bit_literal	
based_literal	
logic_literals ::=	“Literals” section (3.4.4)
logic_literal { logic_literal }	
logic_value ::=	“Literals” section (3.4.4)
logic_literal	
edge_literal	
([!] logic_variable)	
logic_values ::=	“Literals” section (3.4.4)
logic_value {logic_value}	
logic_variable ::=	“Literals” section (3.4.4)
pin_identifier [index]	
logic_variables ::=	“Literals” section (3.4.4)
logic_variable {logic_variable}	
MEASUREMENT_annotation ::=	“MEASUREMENT annotation” section (3.6.7.3)
transient	
static	
average	
rms	
peak	
named_assignment ::=	“Assignments” section (3.4.1)
named_assignment_base ;	
named_assignment_base ::=	“Assignments” section (3.4.1)
context_sensitive_keyword identifier = number	
context_sensitive_keyword identifier = string	

`named_assignments ::=` *“Assignments” section (3.4.1)*
`named_assignment { named_assignment }`

`nonescaped_identifier ::=` *“Identifiers” section (3.2.12)*
`nonreserved_character { nonreserved_character }`

`non_negative_number ::=` *“Number Literals” section (3.2.7)*
`unsigned [ . unsigned ]`
`| unsigned [ . unsigned ] E [ sign ] unsigned`

`nonreserved_character ::=` *“Reserved and Non-reserved Characters” section (3.2.4)*
`letter | digit | _ | $`

`number ::=` *“Number Literals” section (3.2.7)*
`[ sign ] non_negative_number`

`numbers ::=` *“Literals” section (3.4.4)*
`number { number }`

`object ::=` *“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)*
`generic_object`
`| library_specific_object`
`| arithmetic_model`
`| header`

`object_keyword ::=` *“Keywords for referencing objects used as annotation” section (3.6.2)*
`CELL`
`| PRIMITIVE`
`| PIN`
`| CLASS`

`objects ::=` *“Auxiliary Objects” section (3.4.6)*
`object { object }`

`octal_base ::=` *“Based Literals” section (3.2.9)*
`'0 | 'o`

`octal_digit ::=` *“Based Literals” section (3.2.9)*
`binary_digit | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7`

`OFF_STATE_annotation ::=` *“OFF_STATE annotation” section (3.6.3.16)*
`inverted`
`| non_inverted`

`ORIENTATION_annotation ::=` *“ORIENTATION annotation” section (3.6.3.11)*
`left`
`| right`
`| top`
`| bottom`

`pin ::=` *“Pin Object” section (3.4.10)*
`PIN [ index ] pin_identifier [ index ] [{ pin_items | ; }]`
`| pin_template_instantiation`

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pin_assignment ::=                                     "Assignments" section (3.4.1)
    identifier [index] = identifier [index] ;
    | identifier [index] = logic_literal ;
    | logic_literal = identifier [index] ;

pin_assignments ::=                                   "Assignments" section (3.4.1)
    pin_assignment { pin_assignment }

pin_item ::=                                           "Pin Object" section (3.4.10)
    all_purpose_item

pin_items ::=                                          "Pin Object" section (3.4.10)
    pin_item { pin_item }

PIN_object_ATTRIBUTE ::=                              "ATTRIBUTE within a PIN object" section (3.6.6.1)
    SCHMITT
    | TRISTATE
    | XTAL
    | PAD

pin_related_data ::=                                  "Models for interpolateable tables and equations" section (3.6.8.1)
    THRESHOLD
    | DRIVE_STRENGTH
    | SWITCHING_BITS
    | FANOUT
    | FANIN
    | CONNECTIONS

pins ::=                                               "Pin Object" section (3.4.10)
    pin { pin }

PINTYPE_annotation ::=                                "PINTYPE annotation" section (3.6.3.2)
    digital
    | analog
    | supply

placeholder_identifier ::=                             "Identifiers" section (3.2.12)
    < nonescaped_identifier >

POLARITY_annotation_attribute ::=                     "ATTRIBUTE within a PIN object" section (3.6.6.1)
    TIE
    | READ
    | WRITE

POLARITY_input_annotation ::=                          "POLARITY annotation" section (3.6.3.8)
    high
    | low
    | rising_edge
    | falling_edge
    | double_edge

POLARITY_output_annotation ::=                         "POLARITY annotation" section (3.6.3.8)
    inverted
    | non_inverted

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|, both
| none
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predefined_derating_case ::=      “Models for non-interpolateable tables and equations” section
(3.6.8.3)
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    bccom
| bcind
| bcmil
| wccom
| wcind
| wcmil
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predefined_process_name ::= “Models for non-interpolateable tables and equations” section (3.6.8.3)
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    snsp
| snwp
| wnsf
| wnwp
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primaries ::=                          “Literals” section (3.4.4)
    primary { primary }
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primary ::=                          “Literals” section (3.4.4)
    number
| identifier
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primitive ::=                          “Primitive Object” section (3.4.11)
    PRIMITIVE primitive_identifier { primitive_items }
| primitive_template_instantiation
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primitive_instantiation ::=            “Instantiations” section (3.4.3)
    primitive_identifier [ identifier ] { primaries }
| primitive_identifier [ identifier ]
    { combinational_assignments }
| primitive_identifier [ identifier ] { pin_assignments }
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primitive_instantiations ::=           “Instantiations” section (3.4.3)
    primitive_instantiation { primitive_instantiation }
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primitive_item ::=                     “Primitive Object” section (3.4.11)
    all_purpose_item
| pin
| function
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primitive_items ::=                     “Primitive Object” section (3.4.11)
    primitive_item { primitive_item }
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primitives ::=                         “Primitive Object” section (3.4.11)
    primitive { primitive }
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process_data ::=                       “Models for non-interpolateable tables and equations” section (3.6.8.3)
    DERATE_CASE
| PROCESS
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property ::= *“Generic Objects” section (3.4.7)*
PROPERTY [identifier] { unnamed_assignments }

PULL_annotation ::= *“PULL annotation” section (3.6.3.10)*
up
| down
| both
| none

quoted_string ::= *“Quoted Strings” section (3.2.11)*
" { any_character } "

reserved_character ::= *“Reserved and Non-reserved Characters” section (3.2.4)*
& | | ^ | ~ | + | - | * | / | % | ? | ! | = | < | > | :
| (|) | [|] | { | } | @ | ; | , | . | " | ' |

scan_position_annotation ::= *“SCAN_POSITION annotation” section (3.6.3.14)*
SCAN_POSITION_annotation= unsigned ;

SCAN_TYPE_annotation ::= *“SCAN_TYPE annotation” section (3.6.5.5)*
muxscan
| clocked
| lssd
| control_0
| control_1

SCAN_USAGE_annotation ::= *“SCAN_USAGE annotation” section (3.6.5.6)*
input
| output
| hold

SCOPE_annotation ::= *“SCOPE annotation” section (3.6.3.6)*
behavior
| measure
| both
| none

sequential_assignment ::= *“Assignments” section (3.4.1)*
@ (vector_boolean_expression) { combinational_assignments }
{ : (vector_boolean_expression) { combinational_assignments } }

sequential_assignments ::= *“Assignments” section (3.4.1)*
sequential_assignment { sequential_assignment }

sign ::= *“Number Literals” section (3.2.7)*
+ | -

SIGNALTYPE_annotation ::= *“SIGNALTYPE annotation” section (3.6.3.3)*
data
| scan_data
| control
| select
| enable

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| out_enable
| scan_enable
| scan_out_enable
| clear
| set
| write
| read
| scan_clock
| master_clock
| slave_clock

source_text ::=                                     "Auxiliary Objects" section (3.4.6)
    ALF_REVISION version_string library

statetable ::=                                     "Function" section (3.4.16)
    STATETABLE [ identifier ] { statetable_body }

statetable_body ::=                                "Function" section (3.4.16)
    logic_variables : logic_variables ;
    logic_values : logic_values ;
    { logic_values : logic_values ; }

string ::=                                         "Literals" section (3.4.4)
    quoted_string
    | identifier

STUCK_annotation ::=                               "STUCK annotation" section (3.6.3.15)
    stuck_at_0
    | stuck_at_1
    | both
    | none

sublibraries ::=                                  "Sublibrary Object" section (3.4.12)
    sublibrary { sublibrary }

sublibrary ::=                                    "Sublibrary Object" section (3.4.12)
    SUBLIBRARY library_identifier { library_items }
    | sublibrary_template_instantiation

symbolic_edge_literal ::=                         "Edge Literals" section (3.2.10)
    ?? | ?~ | ?! | ?-

table ::=                                         "Arithmetic Model" section (3.4.15)
    TABLE { primaries }
    | table_template_instantiation

template ::=                                      "Generic Objects" section (3.4.7)
    TEMPLATE template_identifier { objects }

template_instantiation ::=                       "Instantiations" section (3.4.3)
    template_identifier { primaries }
    | template_identifier { unnamed_assignments }

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template_instantiations ::=	<i>“Instantiations” section (3.4.3)</i>
template_instantiation { template_instantiation }	
ternary_operator ::=	<i>“Boolean operators on scalars” section (3.5.2)</i>
? :	
timing_measurement ::=	<i>“Models for interpolateable tables and equations” section (3.6.8.1)</i>
DELAY	
HOLD	
JITTER	
NOCHANGE	
PERIOD	
PULSEWIDTH	
RECOVERY	
REMOVAL	
SETUP	
SKEW	
SLEWRATE	
unary_arithmetic_operator ::=	<i>“Arithmetic operators” section (3.5.1)</i>
+ -	
unary_bitwise_operator ::=	<i>“Boolean operators on words” section (3.5.3)</i>
~	
unary_boolean_operator ::=	<i>“Boolean operators on scalars” section (3.5.2)</i>
!	
unary_reduction_operator ::=	<i>“Boolean operators on words” section (3.5.3)</i>
& ~& ~ ^ ~^	
unary_vector_bit_operator ::=	<i>“Vector operators” section (3.5.4)</i>
01 10 00 11 0? 1? ?0 ?1 ??	
unary_vector_bit_or_word_operator ::=	<i>“Vector operators” section (3.5.4)</i>
?- ?? ?! ?~	
UNIT_annotation ::=	<i>“UNIT annotation” section (3.6.7.2)</i>
f* F* p* P* n* N* u* U* m* M* 1*	
k* K* meg* MEG* g* G*	
unnamed_annotation_container ::=	<i>“Annotation containers” section (3.6.1)</i>
SCAN	
FROM	
TO	
LIMIT	
VIOLATION	
INFORMATION	
unnamed_assignment ::=	<i>“Assignments” section (3.4.1)</i>
unnamed_assignment_base ;	

`unnamed_assignment_base ::=` *“Assignments” section (3.4.1)*
`context_sensitive_keyword = number`
`| context_sensitive_keyword = string`

`unnamed_assignments ::=` *“Assignments” section (3.4.1)*
`unnamed_assignment { unnamed_assignment }`

`unsigned ::=` *“Number Literals” section (3.2.7)*
`integer_digit { _ | integer_digit }`

`wire ::=` *“Wire Object” section (3.4.14)*
`WIRE wire_identifier { wire_items }`
`| wire_template_instantiation`

`wire_item ::=` *“Wire Object” section (3.4.14)*
`all_purpose_item`
`| arithmetic_model`

`wire_items ::=` *“Wire Object” section (3.4.14)*
`wire_item { wire_item }`

`wires ::=` *“Wire Object” section (3.4.14)*
`wire { wire }`

`word_edge_literal ::=` *“Edge Literals” section (3.2.10)*
`based_literal based_literal`

`vector ::=` *“Vector Object” section (3.4.13)*
`VECTOR ( vector_boolean_expression ) { vector_items }`
`| vector_template_instantiation`

`vector_binary_operator ::=` *“Operators” section (3.4.5)*
`-> | <-> | &> | <&>`

`vector_boolean_expression ::=` *“Expressions” section (3.4.2)*
`vector_expression`
`| boolean_expression`

`vector_expression ::=` *“Expressions” section (3.4.2)*
`( vector_expression )`
`| vector_unary_operator boolean_expression`
`| vector_expression vector_binary_operator vector_expression`
`| vector_expression boolean_binary_operator vector_expression`
`| vector_expression && boolean_expression`
`| boolean_expression && vector_expression`
`| vector_expression & boolean_expression`
`| boolean_expression & vector_expression`
`| boolean_expression ? vector_expression : vector_expression`

`vector_item ::=` *“Vector Object” section (3.4.13)*
`all_purpose_item`
`| arithmetic_model`

<code>vector_items ::=</code> <code>vector_item { vector_item }</code>	<i>“Vector Object” section (3.4.13)</i>
<code>vectors ::=</code> <code>vector { vector }</code>	<i>“Vector Object” section (3.4.13)</i>
<code>vector_unary_operator ::=</code> <code>edge_literal</code>	<i>“Operators” section (3.4.5)</i>
<code>VIEW_annotation ::=</code> <code>functional</code> <code>physical</code> <code>both</code> <code>none</code>	<i>“VIEW annotation” section (3.6.3.1)</i>
<code>violation_annotation_container ::=</code> <code>MESSAGE_TYPE</code> <code>MESSAGE</code>	<i>“Violation container” section (3.6.1.4)</i>