

# Example

$$\frac{\{ * P * \} \ X, Y := \underline{x}, \underline{y} \ ; \ \text{Pr}(\underline{x}, \text{OUT } \underline{y}) \ \{ * Q * \}}{\{ * P \wedge (Q \Rightarrow Q') \ [y' / y] \ [\underline{x}, \underline{y} / X, Y] \ * \} \ \text{Pr}(\underline{x}, \underline{y}) \ \{ * Q' * \}}$$

Given specification:

```
{* size > 0 *}
A := a;
sort(size, OUT a);
{* ∀i : 0 ≤ i < size : (∀j: i < j < size : a[i] ≤ a[j]) ∧
  ∀i : 0 ≤ i < size : (∃j: 0 ≤ j < size : A[i] = a[j]) *}
```

Program:

```
{* size > 0 *}
A := a;
sort(size, OUT a);
{* a[size - 1] = MAX A[0..size) *}
```

$(Q \Rightarrow Q')$ :

need to prove for all arrays  $a'$

[A1]  $\forall i : 0 \leq i < \text{size} : (\forall j: i < j < \text{size} : a'[i] \leq a'[j])$

[A2]  $\forall i : 0 \leq i < \text{size} : (\exists j: 0 \leq j < \text{size} : a[i] = a'[j])$

[G]  $a'[\text{size} - 1] = \text{MAX } a[0..\text{size})$

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Given specification:

```

{* (∃k : k>i : a[k] ≠ a[i]) *}
Iold := i;
findOther(a, OUT i)
{* i>Iold ∧ a[i] ≠ a[Iold] *}

```

## Program:

```

{* P0 : (∀i::(∃k:i<k:a[i]<a[k])) *} =
{* P1 *}
x:=a[2i+1]; i:=2i+1;
{* P2 *}
findOther(a,i)
{* P3 : a[i] ≠ x *}

```

## Calculating $P_2$ :

```
{* P2 *}

Iold := i;

findOther(a,i)

{*P3 : a[i] ≠ x*}
```

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{P} \\
& \{ * (\exists k : k > i : a[k] \neq a[i]) \wedge \\
& \quad (i > \text{Iold} \wedge a[i] \neq a[\text{Iold}] \Rightarrow a[i] \neq x) * \} [i' / i] [i / \text{Iold}] \\
& = \\
& \text{Q} \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{Q}' \\
& \{ * (\exists k : k > i : a[k] \neq a[i]) \wedge \\
& \quad (i' > \text{Iold} \wedge a[i'] \neq a[\text{Iold}] \Rightarrow a[i'] \neq x) * \} [i / \text{Iold}] \\
& = \\
& \{ * (\exists k : k > i : a[k] \neq a[i]) \wedge \\
& \quad (i' > i \wedge a[i'] \neq a[i] \Rightarrow a[i'] \neq x) * \}
\end{aligned}$$

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{* P1 *}
x:=a[2i+1]; i:=2i+1;
{* P2 *}
findOther(a,i)
{* P3 : a[i] ≠ x*}
```

Calculating P<sub>1</sub>:

```
{* (∃k : k>i : a[k] ≠ a[i]) ∧
(i'>i ∧ a[i'] ≠ a[i] => a[i'] ≠ x) *}
```

```
{* (∃k : k>2i+1 : a[k] ≠ a[2i+1]) ∧
(i'>2*i +1 ∧ a[i'] ≠ a[2*i +1] => a[i'] ≠ a[2i + 1]) *}

x:=a[2i+1];

{* (∃k : k>2i+1 : a[k] ≠ a[2i+1]) ∧
(i'>2*i +1 ∧ a[i'] ≠ a[2*i +1] => a[i'] ≠ x) *}

i:=2i+1;

{* (∃k : k>i : a[k] ≠ a[i]) ∧ (i'>i ∧ a[i'] ≠ a[i] => a[i'] ≠ x) *}
```

# Example

$\{*(\forall i::(\exists k:i < k:a[i] < a[k]))*\}$

implies

$\{*(\exists k : k > 2i+1 : a[k] \neq a[2i+1]) \wedge$

$(i' > 2*i + 1 \wedge a[i'] \neq a[2i + 1] \Rightarrow a[i'] \neq a[2i + 1]) *\}$

[A1]  $(\forall i::(\exists k:i < k:a[i] < a[k]))$

[G1]  $(\exists k : k > 2i+1 : a[k] \neq a[2i+1])$

PROOF

1. {forall-elim}  $(\exists k:2i+1 < k:a[2i+1] < a[k])$

2. {1.}  $(\exists k:2i+1 < k:a[2i+1] \neq a[k])$

[A1]  $(\forall i::(\exists k:i < k:a[i] < a[k]))$

[A2]  $i' > 2*i + 1$

[A3]  $a[i'] \neq a[2*i + 1]$

[G2]  $a[i'] \neq a[2i + 1]$

PROOF

1. {A3}

# Revision

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- Termination metrics with conditionals
  - how to find them
  - how to prove them correct

# Finding a termination metric

```
{* 0 < x < y *}
while x < y do {
  if y-x=1
    then y:=y+1
    else y:=y-2
}
```

$$m = (y-x=1) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y-x)$$

x	y
10	18
	16
	14
	12
	10
	∪

x	y	(y-x)	2(y-x)
10	15	5	10
	13	3	6
	11	1	<del>2</del> 5
	12	2	4
	10	0	0

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    else y:=y-2  
}
```

$$m = (y-x=1) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y-x)$$

Prove that

$$\{ * I \wedge g * \} \quad C := m; S \quad \{ * m < C * \}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & wp(\text{if} \dots) (m < C) \\ &= (y-x=1 \Rightarrow ((y+1-x=1) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y+1-x) < (y-x=1) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y-x)) \wedge \\ & \quad (y-x \neq 1 \Rightarrow ((y-2-x=1) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y-2-x) < (y-x=1) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y-x)))) \\ &= ( \quad \quad \quad 2 * 2 \quad \quad \quad < 5) \wedge \\ & \quad (y-x \neq 1 \Rightarrow (y-x=3) \rightarrow 5 \mid 2(y-2-x) < 2(y-x)) \\ &= (y-x \neq 1 \Rightarrow (y-x=3) \rightarrow 5 < 2(y-x) \mid 2(y-2-x) < 2(y-x)) \\ &= (y-x \neq 1 \Rightarrow (y-x=3) \rightarrow 5 < 6 \mid -4 < 0) \\ &= \text{true} \end{aligned}$$

# Finding a termination metric

```
{* 0 < x < y *}  
while x < y do {  
  if y-x=1  
    then y:=y+1  
    else y:=y-2  
}
```

$wp(\text{if} \dots) (m < C)$   
 $= (y-x=1 \Rightarrow (\text{odd } (y+1-x) \rightarrow 2(y+1) \mid y+1) < (\text{odd } (y-x) \rightarrow 2y \mid y)) \wedge$   
 $(y-x \neq 1 \Rightarrow (\text{odd } (y-2-x) \rightarrow 2(y-2) \mid y-2) < (\text{odd } (y-x) \rightarrow 2y \mid y))$   
 $= y+1 < 2y \wedge$   
 $2(y-2) < 2y$   
 $\wedge$   
 $(y-2) < y,$

$m = (\text{odd } (y-x) \rightarrow 2y \mid y)$

Prove that

$\{ * I \wedge g * \} \quad C := m; S \quad \{ * m < C * \}$

*we need  $y > 1$  as invariant!*



# Exam

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- (Almost) most importantly: don't forget to bring a print out of the LN appendix!
- What to expect in the exam

# Exam

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- Part 1:
  - multiple choice questions
  - 40% of the overall marks
  - what do we test there?



(c) PROOF

[A1:]  $\neg(\forall x :: P\ x)$

[A2:]  $\neg P\ a \Rightarrow Q\ a$

[G:]  $Q\ a$

1. {  $\forall$ -elimination on A1 }  $\neg P\ a$

2. { Modus Ponens on A2 using 1 }  $Q\ a$

END

(d) PROOF

[A1:]  $\neg(\exists x :: P\ x)$

[A2:]  $P\ a \vee Q\ a$

[G:]  $Q\ a$

1. { rewrite A1 with negate- $\exists$  }  $(\forall x :: \neg P\ x)$

2. {  $\forall$ -elimination on 1 }  $\neg P\ a$

3. { rewriting A2 with 2 } **false**  $\vee Q\ a$

4. { simplifying 3 }  $Q\ a$

END

- Do you understand the meaning of Hoare-triples, weakest preconditions, partial correctness?

The specification  $\{ * Q * \} S \{ * \text{true} * \}$  is known to be valid under **total correctness**. Which of the following conclusions is correct?

- (a)  $S$  will terminate when executed in any state.
- (b) If the implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  is valid, then  $S$  will terminate when executed in any state satisfying  $P$ .
- (c) The specification  $\{ * Q * \} S \{ * Q \Rightarrow R * \}$  is also valid under partial correctness.
- (d) The specification  $\{ * P \Rightarrow Q * \} S \{ * \text{true} * \}$  is also valid under total correctness.

Which of the following statements about weakest pre-condition is correct?

- (a)  $\{ * \mathbf{wp} S Q * \} S \{ * Q * \}$  is always a valid specification.
- (b)  $\{ * P \Rightarrow (\mathbf{wp} S Q) * \} S \{ * Q * \}$  is always a valid specification.
- (c)  $\{ * Q * \} S \{ * \mathbf{wp} S Q * \}$  is always a valid specification.
- (d)  $\{ * P * \} S \{ * Q * \}$  is valid if and only if the predicate  $\mathbf{wp} S (P \Rightarrow Q)$  is valid.

- Do you know how to calculate weakest preconditions?

What is the **weakest** pre-condition of the following statement with respect to the given post-condition?

$$\{ * ? * \} \quad \{ \text{if } x=y \text{ then } x := x+1 \text{ else skip } \} ; x := x+y \quad \{ * x = y * \}$$

- (a)  $((x=y) \wedge x=-1) \vee ((x \neq y) \wedge x=0)$
- (b)  $x=-1 \wedge y=-1$
- (c)  $(x=y) \rightarrow x+1+x+y=y \mid x+y=y$
- (d)  $(x=y \Rightarrow x+1+y=y) \vee (x \neq y \Rightarrow x+y=y)$

What is the **weakest** pre-condition of the following statement with respect to the given post-condition?

$$\{ * ? * \} \quad a[k] := a[0] + a[k] \quad \{ * a[0] = a[k] * \}$$

- (a)  $a[0] = a[0] + a[k]$
- (b)  $a(0 \text{ repby } a[0] + a[k])[0] = a[0] + a[k]$
- (c)  $a(k \text{ repby } a[0] + a[k])[0] = a[0] + a[k]$
- (d)  $a[0] \text{ repby } a[0] + a[k] = a[k] \text{ repby } a[0] + a[k]$



- Do you understand loop invariants and termination metrics?

Consider the following program, with the given specification.

**{\* true \*}**

```
while  $x > y$  do{  
    if ( $\text{odd}(x)$ ) then  $x := x + 1$  else  $y := y + 2$   
}
```

**{\* true \*}**

Which pair of invariant  $I$  and termination metric  $m$  is consistent and good enough to prove that the program above terminates?

- (a) invariant: **true**, termination metric:  $x - y + 2 * (x \bmod 2)$
- (b) invariant: **even**( $x$ ), termination metric:  $x - y$
- (c) invariant: **true**, termination metric:  $x - 2 * y$
- (d) invariant: **true**, termination metric:  $x - y - (x \bmod 2)$

- Do you understand how to verify imperative programs against a functional specification?

$$\begin{aligned}\text{val } v [] &= v \\ \text{val } v (x : z) &= \text{val } (10*v + x) z\end{aligned}$$

Below is an imperative implementation of the function. The specification is given.

```
{* true *}
v := 0 ; t := s ;
while t ≠ [] do {
  v := 10*v + head(t) ;
  t := tail(t)
}

{* v = val 0 s *}
```

Which of the following is a consistent and good enough invariant to prove the correctness of the above specification?

- (a)  $v = \text{val } 0 \ t$
- (b)  $\text{val } v \ t = \text{val } v \ s$
- (c)  $\text{val } v \ t = \text{val } 0 \ s$
- (d)  $v = \text{sum}[s_i * 10^i \mid 0 \leq i < \text{length}(s)]$



# Exam

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- Part 2:
  - 60% of the overall marks
  - three subquestions
  - what do we test there?
    - can you prove program properties for functional programs and/or imperative programs
    - for functional programs: equational reasoning, induction
    - for imperative programs:
      - can you find invariants for partial and total correctness, metrics for termination
      - can you prove correctness with given invariant
      - can you apply rules like black box,
  - `find0th` and conditional termination metric were from Part II of exams

# Example

## 1. [4 pt] **Loop**

Consider the following program and its specification. The program checks if every  $k$ -th element of an integer array  $\mathbf{a}$  does not exceed  $x^k$ .

$\{ * \quad 0 \leq N \wedge 0 < x \quad * \}$     // pre-condition

```
y := 1 ;  
k := 0 ;  
ok := true ;  
while  $k \neq N \wedge \text{ok}$  do {  
    ok :=  $\text{ok} \wedge \mathbf{a}[k] \leq y$  ;  
    y :=  $y * x$  ;  
    k :=  $k + 1$  ;  
}
```

$\{ * \quad \text{ok} = (\forall j : 0 \leq j < N : \mathbf{a}[j] \leq x^j) \quad * \}$     // post-condition

Give a **formal proof** that the program satisfies its specification, under *partial correctness*.