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1 Syntax

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Instruction Fields f_i ::= f_{i_1} | \cdots | f_{i_k}
Result Fields f_r ::= f_{r_1} | \cdots | f_{r_k}
                      Fields
Instructions
Results
Predicates a, b := 0
                                  Identity
                                     False
                         f = n Test
                           a+b Sum
                           a \cdot b Product
                                 Negation
Policies p, q ::=
                                  Test
                      act(p) Slice Actions
                    | res(p) | Slice Results
| inj_i | Injection Act
                       inj_i Injection Action inj_r Injection Result f \leftarrow n Update
                                  Choice
                                  Sequential Concatenation
                       p \cdot q
                                  Kleene Star
```

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2 Semantics

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3 Applications

3.1 No Writes To R_0

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\begin{array}{cccc} \textit{Instruction Fields } f_i & ::= & \mathsf{R}_{\mathsf{dest}} \\ \textit{Result Fields } f_r & ::= & (*\mathsf{empty*}) \\ & \mathsf{WritesToZero} & \triangleq & \mathsf{R}_{\mathsf{dest}} = \mathsf{R}_0 \\ & \mathsf{NoWritesToZero} & \triangleq & \mathit{act}(\neg \mathsf{WritesToZero}) \end{array}
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Prove that

- if [NoWritesZero](is, rs) = (is', rs')
- then
 - 1. rs = rs' and
 - 2. for all $i \in is'$, $i.R_{dest} \neq R_0$.

3.2 Secure Memory Access

Prove

- the results of secure instructions are unchanged, and
- the results of insecure instructions accessing insecure areas are unchanged.

3.3 Lock Bits

Each instruction is associated with a lock bit. Only the monitor can update lock bits. Certain operations like writing to a particular part of the address space require that the lock bit be set.