

CST IB 2000. Paper 5, q 9
Semantics of Programming Languages

(↓ skip) skip, s ↓ 0, s

(↓ seq1) $\frac{C, s \downarrow 0, s' \quad C', s' \downarrow n', s''}{(C; C'), s \downarrow n', s''}$

(↓ seq2) $\frac{C, s \downarrow n, s'}{(C; C'), s \downarrow n, s'} \quad \text{if } n \neq 0$

(↓ if1) $\frac{C, s \downarrow n, s'}{(\text{if } B \text{ then } C \text{ else } C'), s \downarrow n, s'} \quad \text{if } B, s \downarrow \text{true}$

(↓ if2) $\frac{C', s \downarrow n, s'}{(\text{if } B \text{ then } C \text{ else } C'), s \downarrow n, s'} \quad \text{if } B, s \downarrow \text{false}$

(↓ ret1) (if B return n), s ↓ n, s if B, s ↓ true

(↓ ret2) (if B return n), s ↓ 0, s if B, s ↓ false

(↓ han1) $\frac{C, s \downarrow n, s' \quad C', s' \downarrow n', s''}{(C \text{ handle } n \text{ with } C'), s \downarrow n', s''}$

(↓ han2) $\frac{C, s \downarrow n', s'}{(C \text{ handle } n \text{ with } C'), s \downarrow n', s'} \quad \text{if } n' \neq n$

(a) $C_1 \triangleq \text{if true return } 0$

Note that $C_1, s \Downarrow n, s'$ holds iff it was deduced from $(\Downarrow \text{ret } 1)$ [we assume true, ~~s~~ false!] with $n=0$ and $s'=s$.

Similarly $\text{skip}, s \Downarrow n, s'$ holds iff $n=0$ & $s'=s$.

Thus $C_1 \cong \text{skip}$.

(2)

(b) $C_2 \triangleq C \text{ handle } 0 \text{ with } C'$

Have to prove

$$(1) \quad C_2, s \Downarrow n, s' \Rightarrow (C; C'), s \Downarrow n, s'$$

$$(2) \quad (C; C'), s \Downarrow n, s' \Rightarrow C_2, s \Downarrow n, s'.$$

For (1), Suppose

$$(3) \quad C_2, s \Downarrow n, s'$$

holds. Must have been deduced using either $(\Downarrow \text{han } 1)$ or $(\Downarrow \text{han } 2)$.

Case $(\Downarrow \text{han } 1)$: so we have

$$(4) \quad C, s \Downarrow 0, s''$$

$$(5) \quad C', s'' \Downarrow n, s'$$

for some s'' . Applying $(\Downarrow \text{seq } 1)$ to (4) & (5) yields

$$(6) \quad (C; C'), s \Downarrow n, s'$$

Case $(\Downarrow \text{han } 2)$: so we have

$$(7) \quad C, s \Downarrow n, s' \text{ with } n \neq 0$$

Applying $(\Downarrow \text{seq } 2)$ to (7) yields (6).

So in either case $(3) \Rightarrow (6)$, as required for (1).

For (2), suppose (6) holds. It was deduced using either ($\Downarrow_{seq,1}$) or ($\Downarrow_{seq,2}$).

Case ($\Downarrow_{seq,1}$): so (4) & (5) hold; and applying ($\Downarrow_{han,1}$) to them, we get (3).

Case ($\Downarrow_{seq,2}$): so (7) holds; and applying ($\Downarrow_{han,2}$) we get (3) again.

Thus (6) \Rightarrow (3), as required for (2).

All in all, we have proved $C_2 \cong \text{map } C; C'$.

(3)

(c) Choose some integer $m \neq 0$ which does not occur in C' and define

$$C_3 \triangleq ((\text{if } B \text{ return } m) \text{ handle } 0 \text{ with } C') \\ \text{handle } m \text{ with } C$$

We have to prove (8) \Leftrightarrow (9) where

$$(8) \quad C_3, s \Downarrow n, s'$$

$$(9) \quad (\text{if } B \text{ then } C \text{ else } C'), s \Downarrow n, s'.$$

But

$$(8) \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \text{either } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} ((\text{if } B \text{ return } m) \text{ handle } 0 \text{ with } C'), s \Downarrow m, s'' \\ C, s'' \Downarrow n, s' \end{array} \right. & (\text{some } s'') \\ \text{or } ((\text{if } B \text{ return } m) \text{ handle } 0 \text{ with } C'), s \Downarrow n, s' \\ \text{with } n \neq m \end{cases}$$

by (b)

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \text{either } (10) (\text{if } B \text{ return } m); C', s \Downarrow m, s'' (\text{some } s'') \\ (11) C, s'' \Downarrow n, s' \\ \text{or } (12) (\text{if } B \text{ return } m); C', s \Downarrow n, s' \ \& \ n \neq m. \end{cases}$$

Since m does not occur in C' & $m \neq 0$
 (10) $\Leftrightarrow B, s \Downarrow \text{true} \ \& \ s'' = s$

(12) $\Leftrightarrow B, s \Downarrow \text{false} \ \& \ C', s \Downarrow n, s'$

Hence
 (8) $\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \text{either } B, s \Downarrow \text{true} \ \& \ C, s \Downarrow n, s' \\ \text{or } B, s \Downarrow \text{false} \ \& \ C', s \Downarrow n, s' \end{cases}$

$\Leftrightarrow (9)$ by (\Downarrow if 1) & (\Downarrow if 2).

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(6)

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