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- 1. Let predicate  $p \equiv w * x \neq 0 \land z \leq 2 \rightarrow f(w) > 0 \land \forall x. \exists y. 0 \leq y \leq x \land f(w \div x) + y > f(z)$ . Here, w, x, y and z are integer variables. Finish the following syntactic substitutions and show your work.
  - a. p[y + z / x]
  - b. p[x + z / w]
  - c. p[x+y/z]
- 2. Let x and y be two different integer variables. A student gave the following conjecture:

$$(x * y)[e / x][e' / y] \equiv (x * y)[e' / y][e / x]$$

- a. Show an example (with some e and some e') in which the above conjecture works.
- b. Disprove the above conjecture with a counterexample (with some e and some e').
- 3. Answer the following questions about the relationship between wlp and sp.
  - a. Prove that "If  $p \Leftrightarrow wlp(S,q)$ , then  $sp(p,S) \Rightarrow q$ ".
  - b. Disprove that "If  $p \Leftrightarrow wlp(S,q)$ , then  $q \Rightarrow sp(p,S)$ " with a counterexample.
- 4. For predicate p and statement S, let  $s \Leftrightarrow sp(p,S)$ . For each of the following, decide whether it is true or false then justify your answer briefly.
  - a.  $\vDash_{tot} \{p\} S \{s\}$
  - b. There exists some  $\sigma \vDash p$  such that  $\sigma \not\vDash \{p\} S \{s\}$ .
  - c. For each state  $\sigma \vDash p$ , we have that  $M(S, \sigma) \vDash s$ .
  - d. If  $M(S, \sigma) \bot \models s$ , then  $\sigma \models p$ .
  - e. If  $\sigma \vDash \neg p$ , then  $\sigma \vDash \{\neg p\} S \{\neg s\}$

Questions 5 and 6 are about calculating the strongest postconditions. You don't have to logically simplify your solutions to questions 5 and 6.

- 5. Calculate  $sp(x = y, \mathbf{if} \ x \ge 0 \to x \coloneqq y + 1; z \coloneqq x \square x \le 0 \to y \coloneqq x 1; z \coloneqq y \mathbf{fi})$ .
- 6. Calculate sp(y = x + 1, y := y + 1; if x < 0 then y := -y fi).
- 7. Under partial correctness, show a formal proof of Conditional Rule 1 given all other rules. In other word, given provable triples  $\{p \land B\} S_1 \{q_1\}$  and  $\{p \land \neg B\} S_2 \{q_2\}$ , prove that  $\vdash \{p\}$  if B then  $S_1$  else  $S_2$  fi  $\{q_1 \lor q_2\}$ ; and you cannot use Conditional Rule 1 itself in your proof.
  - Hint: Remind that, in Lecture 11 we have seen that  $(B \to p) \land (\neg B \to q) \Leftrightarrow (B \land p) \lor (\neg B \land q)$ ; this logically equivalence can be useful here.
- 8. Given that  $S \equiv x := x * x$ ; y := 2 \* y, calculate wlp(S, x = y) and then show a formal proof for  $\vdash \{p\} S \{x = y\}$  where  $p \Leftrightarrow wlp(S, x = y)$ .

9. Let  $p \equiv x = 2^k \land k \leq n$ . Complete the following formal proof by calculating predicates  $p_1$  to  $p_4$ , and completing the rule references  $R_1$  to  $R_5$ . ("2 $^k$ " means "2 to the power of k".)

1. 
$$\{p_1\} x := x * 2 \{p_2\}$$
 $R_1$ 

 2.  $\{p_2\} k := k + 1 \{p_3\}$ 
 $R_2$ 

 3.  $\{p_1\} x := x * 2; k := k + 1 \{p_3\}$ 
 $R_3$ 

 4.  $p_3 \to p$ 
 predicate logic

 5.  $\{p_1\} x := x * 2; k := k + 1 \{p\}$ 
 $R_4$ 

 6.  $\{\mathbf{inv} p\}$  while  $k < n$  do  $x := x * 2; k := k + 1$  od  $\{p_4\}$ 
 $R_5$ 

10. Complete the following formal proof by completing the rule references  $R_1$  to  $R_{11}$ .

14.  $\{n > 0\}$  k := n - 1;  $x := n \{ \text{inv } p \} W \{ x = n ! \}$ 

1. 
$$\{n > 0\} \ k \coloneqq n - 1 \ \{n > 0 \land k = n - 1\}$$
2.  $\{n > 0 \land k = n - 1\} \ x \coloneqq n \ \{n > 0 \land k = n - 1 \land x = n\}$ 
3.  $n > 0 \land k = n - 1 \land x = n \Rightarrow p$  predicate logic # Where  $p \equiv 1 \le k \le n \land x = n! \ / k!$ 

4.  $\{n > 0 \land k = n - 1\} \ x \coloneqq n \ \{p\}$ 
5.  $\{n > 0\} \ k \coloneqq n - 1; \ x \coloneqq n \ \{p\}$ 
6.  $\{p \ [x * k \ / x]\} \ x \coloneqq x * k \ \{p\}$ 
7.  $\{p \ [x * k \ / x] \ [k - 1 \ / k]\} \ k \coloneqq k - 1 \ \{p \ [x * k \ / x]\}$ 
8.  $p \land k > 1 \Rightarrow p \ [x * k \ / x] \ [k - 1 \ / k]$  predicate logic  $\{p \land k > 1\} \ k \coloneqq k - 1; \ p \ [x * k \ / x]\}$ 
7.  $\{p \ [x * k \ / x] \ [k - 1 \ / k]\} \ k \coloneqq k - 1 \ \{p \ [x * k \ / x]\}\}$ 
8.  $\{p \land k > 1\} \ k \coloneqq k - 1; \ x \coloneqq x * k \ \{p\}\}$ 
9.  $\{p \land k > 1\} \ k \coloneqq k - 1; \ x \coloneqq x * k \ \{p\}\}$ 
11.  $\{inv \ p\} \ W \ \{p \land k \le 1\}$ 
# Where  $W \equiv while \ k > 1 \ do \ k \coloneqq k - 1; \ x \coloneqq x * k \ od$ 
12.  $\{n > 0\} \ k \coloneqq n - 1; \ x \coloneqq n \ \{inv \ p\} \ W \ \{p \land k \le 1\}$ 
13.  $p \land k \le 1 \Rightarrow x = n$ !

 $R_{11}$