

Logic in Computer Science Assignment 6

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1 Prove

1.1 Prove the following program **MAX** is partial correctness.

$$\{n > 0 \wedge \text{dom}(f) = [0 \dots n - 1] \wedge \text{ran}(f) \in N\}$$

Max

$$\{y = \text{max}(\text{ran}(f))\}$$

Proof:

First we add an empty else statement and a pair of brace for the original code to make it more clear in the process of proving. So the refined version of the **MAX** program would be:

```
y = f[0]
i = 1
while (i < n)
{
    if (y < f[i])
    {
        y = f[i]
    }
    else
    {
    }
    i = i + 1
}
```

Then analysing the algorithm, we assume the loop invariant to be $y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0:i]))$.
Now we can proof its partial correctness as follows:

$\langle n > 0 \wedge \text{dom}(f) = [0 \dots n - 1] \wedge \text{ran}(f) \in N \rangle$	
$\langle \top \rangle$	Implied
$\langle f[0] = \max(f[0]) \rangle$	Implied
$\langle f[0] = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : 1])) \rangle$	Implied
y = f[0]	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : 1])) \rangle$	Assignment
i = 1	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \rangle$	Assignment
while (i < n)	
{	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \wedge i < n \rangle$	Invariant Hyp. \wedge Guard
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \rangle$	Implied
$\langle (y < f[i] \rightarrow \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) < f[i]) \wedge$ $\neg(y < f[i]) \rightarrow y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \rangle$	Implied
if (y < f[i])	
{	
$\langle \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) < f[i] \rangle$	If-Statement
$\langle f[i] = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i]), f[i]) \rangle$	Implied
y = f[i]	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i]), f[i]) \rangle$	Assignment
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i + 1])) \rangle$	Implied
}	
else	
{	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \rangle$	If-Statement
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i + 1])) \rangle$	Implied
}	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i + 1])) \rangle$	If-Statement
i = i + 1	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \rangle$	Assignment
}	
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \wedge \neg(i < n) \rangle$	Partial-While
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : i])) \wedge i \geq n \rangle$	Implied
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f[0 : n])) \rangle$	Implied
$\langle y = \max(\text{ran}(f)) \rangle$	Implied