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## Exercises for week 3

1. (a) Write down the definitions of the well-formedness conditions for configurations c:

$$tc - s(c), tc - p(c), p - targets(c), inv - pr(c), inv - rds(c)$$

on a single sheet of paper. You will need this in future lectures. It is the key to the speed, at which we can develop the material about C0. (10 credit points)

- (b) Illustrate the last 3 invariants with drawings (you can take them from the slides). (10 credit points)
- 2. Recall the following functions, which are used to define the semantics of statements in a C0-configuration c where e is an expression:
  - lv(e, c): the subvariable specified by e (only defined if e has a left value),
  - etype(e, f): the type of e,
  - va(e,c): the value of e.

Give definitions of lv(e,c), etype(e,f), and va(e,c) for the following expressions:

- (a) e = e'.n and n is a valid field of struct type etype(e', f),
  - (5 credit points)
- (b) e = false, (5 credit points)
- (c) e = null. (5 credit points)
- 3. Draw the derivation trees of the following statements and specify their semantics:
  - (a) e = e'! = e'', (10 credit points)
  - (b) e = e' > e''. (10 credit points)

Attention: in the second case the semantics depends on the types involved.

- 4. Specify the semantics of the following assignments:
  - (a) e = e' >= e'' && e' < 0, (5 credit points)
  - (b) e = e' \* e'' e''', (5 credit points)

(c) 
$$e = x[e' * e'']$$
. (5 credit points)

Assume that the types involved permit the evaluation.

5. Same as above for

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(a) e = e' \& *, (10 bonus credit points)
(b) e = e' * .n \&. (10 bonus credit points)
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6. Fill in the following program such that fc(x) returns  $(x! \mod 2^{32})$ .

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int fc(uint n)
{
...
return res
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}

(10 credit points)

- 7. Prove or disprove that  $hd(c.pr) \in L(St)$  is an invariant during statement execution. (10 credit points)
- 8. Show that for variable names  $X \in f$  with pointer type, i. e. etype(X, f) = t\* and configurations c obeying invariants tc(c) and p targets(c) the 5 invariants for expression evaluation hold. (10 bonus credit points)

Hint: you must use the hypothesis about the invariants obeyed by c.