

source file. At this stage, the Java class files contain all the information that will allow the client to check if the bytecode does not violate his requirements. In particular, the client will generate proof obligations from the untrusted annotated bytecode

internal array `list` contains the object referenced by the argument `obj` in its postcondition(ensures). The method `loop` is also specified by its invariant (`loop_invariant`) which basically says that whenever the loop entry is reached the elements inspected already by the loop are all different from `obj`.

```
public class ListArray {  
    Object[] list;  
    //@requires list != null;  
    //@ensures -Tj 6st ==
```

the instruction at which the loop invariant must hold (the loop entry instruction). this is different from JML where loop invariants are written at the beginning of the declaration of the loop statement, while the BCSL specifications are separated from the bytecode

predicates from first order logic

expressions from the programming language, like `field`

1. compile the Java source file. This can be done by any Java source-to-bytecode compiler, such as the `javac` compiler supplied with the Java Development Kit (JDK) [7], or almost all standard non-optimizing source-to-bytecode compilers. The Line

presence in the Java source file of the `_Va` and `_Ta` attributes. The format of these attributes is as follows:

`_Number_Ta` describes the link between the source line and the bytecode of a source method. The

ants, assertions at particular program point among which loop invariants (if there is no explicit specification)

function update when assigning a value to a field reference as, for instance in [3]. In Fig. 5 the rule for `putField` substitutes the corresponding field function `Cl.f` with `Cl.f` updated for object `o`, in case the dereferenced object is not null. The definition of update function is given in figure 6.

4.0.2 Method calls

Method calls are handled by using their specification. A method specification is a contract betw

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wp( invoke m; ; exc ) =
  pre(m) ^
  8j=1::sej:(
    post(m)[ v[i] st(c + i - numArgs( m) ) ]_{i=0}^{numArgs( m) }
    [ nresult fresh_var ]
  ) [ c c numArgs(m) ][ st(c) fresh_var ] ^

```

compilers perform mod-
ulo the generated by the standard library. Another issue is that the generated proof obli-
attention is that generated by our implementation over the corresponding bytecode
produced by a non

Hypothesis on bytecode:	Hypothesis on source level:
lv[2]_at_ins_20 len(#19(lv[0]))	i_at_ins_26 len(ListArray:list(thi s))
#19(

