

# Homework 2: Operational Semantics for WHILE

CS 252: Advanced Programming Languages

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## 1 MY ASSIGNMENT

**Part 1:** Rewrite the operational semantic rules for WHILE in  $\text{\LaTeX}$  to use big-step operational semantics instead. Submit both your  $\text{\LaTeX}$  source and the generated PDF file.

Extend your semantics with features to handle boolean values. **Do not treat these as binary operators.** Specifically, add support for:

- `and`
- `or`
- `not`

The exact behavior of these new features is up to you, but should seem reasonable to most programmers.

**Part 2:** Once you have your semantics defined, download `WhileInterp.hs` and implement the `evaluate` function, as well as any additional functions you need. Your implementation must be consistent with your operational semantics, *including your extensions for `and`, `or`, and `not`*. Also, you may not change any type signatures provided in the file.

Finally, implement the interpreter to match your semantics.

**Zip all files together into `hw2.zip` and submit to Canvas.**

$e ::=$	$x$ $v$ $x := e$ $e; e$ $e \text{ op } e$ $\text{if } e \text{ then } e \text{ else } e$ $\text{while } (e) \ e$	<i>Expressions</i> variables/addresses values assignment sequential expressions binary operations conditional expressions while expressions
$v ::=$	$i$ $b$	<i>Values</i> integer values boolean values
$op ::=$	$+$   $-$   $*$   $/$   $>$   $>=$   $<$   $<=$	<i>Binary operators</i>

**Figure 1:** The WHILE language

<b>Evaluation Rules:</b>	$(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (e_1, \sigma_1)$
[BS-VALUE]	$\frac{}{(v, \sigma) \Downarrow (v, \sigma)}$
[BS-VAR]	$\frac{v = \sigma_0(x_0)}{(x_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v, \sigma_0)}$
[BS-ASSIGN]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_1) \quad \text{where } \sigma_2 = \sigma_1(x \mapsto v_0)}{(x := e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-SEQ]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_1) \quad (e_1, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (v_1, \sigma_2)}{(e_0; e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_1, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-OP]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (n_0, \sigma_1) \quad (e_1, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (n_1, \sigma_2) \quad n_2 = n_0 \text{ op } n_1}{(e_0 \text{ op } e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (n_2, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-IFTRUE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1) \quad (e_1, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_2)}{(\text{if } e_0 \text{ then } e_1 \text{ else } e_2, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-IFFALSE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1) \quad (e_2, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_2)}{(\text{if } e_0 \text{ then } e_1 \text{ else } e_2, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-WHILE-FALSE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1)}{(\text{while}(e_0)e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1)}$
[BS-WHILE-TRUE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1) \quad (e_1, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (v_0, \sigma_2) \quad (\text{while}(e_0)e_1, \sigma_2) \Downarrow (v_1, \sigma_3)}{(\text{while}(e_0)e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (v_1, \sigma_3)}$

**Figure 2:** Big-step semantics for WHILE

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[BS-AND-TRUE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1) \quad (e_1, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (b, \sigma_2) \quad   \quad b \in bool}{(AND \ e_0 \ e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (b, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-AND-FALSE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1)}{(AND \ e_0 \ e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1)}$
[BS-OR-TRUE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1)}{(OR \ e_0 \ e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1)}$
[BS-OR-FALSE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1) \quad (e_1, \sigma_1) \Downarrow (b, \sigma_2) \quad   \quad b \in bool}{(OR \ e_0 \ e_1, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (b, \sigma_2)}$
[BS-NOT-TRUE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1)}{(NOT \ e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1)}$
[BS-NOT-FALSE]	$\frac{(e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (False, \sigma_1)}{(NOT \ e_0, \sigma_0) \Downarrow (True, \sigma_1)}$

**Figure 3:** Big-step semantics for WHILE