EA 2024/2025 PL exercises

Exercise 1 Show by induction:

a)
$$1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

b) For any $n \geq 7$, we have that $n! > 3^n$

Exercise 2 Show that the following recursive algorithm computes correctly the factorial of a number. Assume that $n \geq 0$.

Function F(n)

if
$$n = 0$$
 then
 $s = 1$
else
 $s = n \cdot F(n - 1)$
return s

Exercise 3 Show that the following insertion sort algorithm is able to sort a list A of nnumbers in nondecreasing order.

Function IS(n, A)

$$\begin{array}{l} \textbf{if } n \geq 2 \textbf{ then} \\ IS(n-1,A) \\ i = n-1 \\ \textbf{while } i \geq 1 \text{ and } A[n] < A[i] \textbf{ do} \\ i = i-1 \\ i = i+1 \\ p = A[n] \\ j = n-1 \\ \textbf{while } j \geq i \textbf{ do} \\ A[j+1] = A[j] \\ j = j-1 \\ A[i] = p \end{array}$$

Exercise 4 Read the problem A new chess game in Mooshak. Consider a recursive approach to solve it.

Bose (ose (n=0)) Inductive Hypothesis

O! = 1 \int \text{Lets assume the algorithm properly calculates the factorial of (K-1) $(k-1) \cdot F(k-2) = (k-1)!$

[t]=k(K-1)]=k(K-1)F(K-1)=KF(K-1) C.g.od

(a)
$$1^{2}+2^{2}+...+n^{2} = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{(2n+1)}$$
 $2k^{2}+k+2k+1$
Caso Bole $(n=1)$: $2k^{2}+3k+1$
 $k^{2}=1$ $k^{2}=1$

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$$7) k(k+1) = k(k+1)$$

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=> k (k+1)(2k+1) = k(k+1) (2k+1) egol

(b) For any 17,7: n!>3n 7×6=42×5=210 Bale lose (n=7): 71, >37 5040 > 2187 × 3 X 2 X 3 $\frac{\times 3}{729}$ $\frac{x}{2187}$ Inductive Aypothesis: Lets assume (for K-1) that: $(k-1)! > 3^{(k-1)}$ Industrie 5dep: k! = 1 (k-1)! given 1 positive: $k(k-1)!, > k 3^{k-1}$ Temos que K>7 em porticular: kl >3 K $k3^{k-1} > 73^{k-1}$ K! > K3K-1 >, 73K-1 > 33K-1 = 3K egd