





Problem 2

b) Prove Correctness of Selection Sort

Loop Invariant: Before the Start of each loop arr [min] <= arr [i...j-1].

First I teration or Base Case: Lets consider the Subarray of Sorted numbers # arr [i...j-1]. Since j=i+1 and i=0 in the first iteration So j=1.

Therefore our Stalement (int min=arr [i];) is true because we only have one element in

true because we only have one element in the Sorkel Subarray. So our loop Invariant is True.

Maintenance or Induction Step:

Our ing iteration j we have an if Statement with two cases (if A [j] < min) if the Statement is false nothing is excuted. But if its true its going to swap A [j] with the position of min and so putting A [j] in the Sorted Subarray. This process is repeated n times, so that the whole array is sorted.

Termination or Final Iteration:

At he last iteration min indexes the last element of the array at position (arr[n];].

Also j=n+1 which means that we will not enter the Second for loop. So the last element in the consorted Subarray \$\subsetex\$ [j...n] is going to be left at the end which is the correct better at the end which is the correct.

This confirms our loop Invariant and therefore the Algorithm is correct.

