

Software Engineering Principles

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Mandatory Exercise 4

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Verification

Problems

- (1) What kind of verification is best suited for the microwave oven?
- (2) The following program fragment occurs in the software of the microwave oven:

```
{
    assert m == m0;
    int i;
    for(i=0; i<k; i++) {
        m = m + x;
    }
    assert m == m0 + (x * k);
}
```

- (a) Verify the program.
- (b) Will the program always work correctly?
If not, provide a counterexample.
- (c) Use the assertions to generate a unit test case for the “inner program”:

```
{
    int i;
    for(i=0; i<k; i++) {
        m = m + x;
    }
}
```

- (d) What could be gained by combined testing and proving?