

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \{x \geq 2\} \quad x := x - y + 3 \quad \{x + y \geq 0\}$$

$$\equiv \{\text{assignment axiom}\}$$

$$x \geq 2 \Rightarrow x - y + y + 3 \geq 0$$

$$\equiv \{-y + y = 0\}$$

$$x \geq 2 \Rightarrow x + 3 \geq 0$$

$$\equiv \{x + 3 \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \geq -3\}$$

$$x \geq 2 \Rightarrow x \geq -3$$

$$\equiv \{2 \geq -3\}$$

true

Q.E.D.

② Constants:

$$a) \quad \{\text{false}\} \text{ next } \{Q\}$$

$$\equiv \{\text{definition of next}\}$$

$$(\forall a :: \{\text{false}\} a \{Q\})$$

$$\equiv \{\text{definition of a Hoare triple}\}$$

$$(\forall a :: \text{false} \Rightarrow Q_a)$$

$$\equiv \{\text{definition of } \Rightarrow\}$$

$$(\forall a :: \text{true})$$

$$\equiv \{\text{definition of } \forall\}$$

true

②

b)

Similar to a):

$$\begin{aligned} & \{P\} \text{ next true} \\ \equiv & \{ \text{def. of next, Hoare triple} \} \\ & (\forall a :: P \Rightarrow \text{true}) \\ \equiv & \{ \text{def. of } \Rightarrow, \forall \} \\ & \text{true} \end{aligned}$$

c)

Similar to a), b):

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{true next false} \\ \equiv & \{ \text{Def. of next, Hoare triple} \} \\ & (\forall a :: \text{true} \Rightarrow \text{false}) \\ \equiv & \{ \text{Def. of } \Rightarrow, \forall \} \\ & \text{false} \end{aligned}$$

\exists unctivity

a)

$$\begin{aligned} & (P_1 \text{ next } Q_1) \wedge (P_2 \text{ next } Q_2) \\ \equiv & \{ \text{def. of next twice} \} \\ & (\forall a :: \{P_1\} a \{Q_1\}) \wedge (\forall a :: \{P_2\} a \{Q_2\}) \\ \equiv & \{ \text{def. of } \forall, \text{ associativity and commutativity of } \wedge \} \\ & (\forall a :: (\{P_1\} a \{Q_1\}) \wedge (\{P_2\} a \{Q_2\})) \\ \Rightarrow & \{ \text{conjunction rule} \} \\ & (\forall a :: \{P_1 \wedge P_2\} a \{Q_1 \wedge Q_2\}) \\ \equiv & \{ \text{def. of next} \} \\ & \{P_1 \wedge P_2\} \text{ next } (Q_1 \wedge Q_2) \quad \text{Q.E.D} \end{aligned}$$

② cont. b) Similar to a):

$$\begin{aligned} & (P_1 \text{ next } Q_1) \wedge (P_2 \text{ next } Q_2) \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def of next twice, def of } \forall, \wedge \} \\ & (\forall a :: (\{P_1\} a \{Q_1\}) \wedge (\{P_2\} a \{Q_2\})) \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \{ \text{disjunction rule} \} \\ & (\forall a :: \{P_1 \vee P_2\} a \{Q_1 \vee Q_2\}) \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def. of next} \} \\ & (P_1 \vee P_2) \text{ next } (Q_1 \vee Q_2) \quad \text{Q.E.D.} \end{aligned}$$

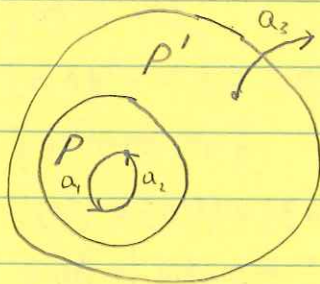
weakening:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a)} & (P \text{ next } Q) \wedge [Q \Rightarrow Q'] \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def. of next} \} \\ & (\forall a :: \{P\} a \{Q\}) \wedge [Q \Rightarrow Q'] \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def. of } \forall, \wedge \} \\ & (\forall a :: (\{P\} a \{Q\}) \wedge [Q \Rightarrow Q']) \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def. of Hoare triple, } \Rightarrow \} \\ & (\forall a :: (\neg P \vee Q_a) \wedge [Q \Rightarrow Q']) \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{distribution law} \} \\ & (\forall a :: (\neg P \wedge [Q \Rightarrow Q']) \vee (Q_a \wedge [Q \Rightarrow Q'])) \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \{ \text{predicate calculus, modus ponens} \} \\ & (\forall a :: \neg P \vee Q'_a) \\ \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def of } \Rightarrow, \text{Hoare triple, next} \} \\ & P \text{ next } Q' \quad \text{Q.E.D.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \textcircled{3} \quad a) \quad \text{stable}(P) \wedge \text{stable}(Q) \\
 & \equiv \quad \{ \text{def. of stable and next twice} \} \\
 & \quad (\forall a :: \{P\} a \{P\}) \wedge (\forall a :: \{Q\} a \{Q\}) \\
 & \equiv \quad \{ \text{def of } \forall \text{ twice, def of } \wedge, \text{ def of } \forall \text{ in reverse} \} \\
 & \quad (\forall a :: (\{P\} a \{P\}) \wedge (\{Q\} a \{Q\})) \\
 & \Rightarrow \quad \{ \text{conjunction rule} \} \\
 & \quad (\forall a :: \{P \wedge Q\} a \{P \wedge Q\}) \\
 & \equiv \quad \{ \text{def. of next, stable} \} \\
 & \quad \text{stable}(P \wedge Q) \quad \text{Q.E.D}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & b) \quad \text{Similar to a):} \\
 & \quad \text{stable}(P) \wedge \text{stable}(Q) \\
 & \equiv \quad \{ \text{see above} \} \\
 & \quad (\forall a :: (\{P\} a \{P\}) \wedge (\{Q\} a \{Q\})) \\
 & \Rightarrow \quad \{ \text{disjunction rule} \} \\
 & \quad (\forall a :: \{P \vee Q\} a \{P \vee Q\}) \\
 & \equiv \quad \{ \text{def of next, stable} \} \\
 & \quad \text{stable}(P \vee Q) \quad \text{Q.E.D}
 \end{aligned}$$

c) False, consider the following example:



Clearly P is stable and $P \Rightarrow P'$,
but a_2 would take us out of P'
so P' is not stable.

(4)

Notation: p' is the new value of p after application of the current action.

a) Recall that:
$$V = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (x_i - A)^2}{N-1} = \frac{(x_0 - A)^2 + (x_1 - A)^2 + \sum_{i=2}^{N-1} (x_i - A)^2}{N-1}$$

where
$$A = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i}{N} = \frac{x_0 + x_1 + \sum_{i=2}^{N-1} x_i}{N}$$

Note that in both cases the order of summation doesn't matter, so x_0 and x_1 could represent any 2 distinct x_i 's.

Let $x'_0 = x'_1 = \frac{x_0 + x_1}{2}$, then
$$A' = \frac{x'_0 + x'_1 + \sum_{i=2}^{N-1} x_i}{N}$$
$$= \frac{2\left(\frac{x_0 + x_1}{2}\right) + \sum_{i=2}^{N-1} x_i}{N}$$
$$= \frac{x_0 + x_1 + \sum_{i=2}^{N-1} x_i}{N}$$
$$= A \quad \textcircled{I}$$

$\therefore A' = A$, i.e. average is unchanged after application

Formally:

of our iteration action.

* Note: K is arbitrary,

$\{A=K\} \xrightarrow{x_i, x_j \rightarrow \frac{x_i+x_j}{2}, \frac{x_j+x_i}{2}} \{A'=K\}$

not related to K
in the next part.

$$\equiv \frac{x_0 + x_j + \sum_{p=2}^{N-1} x_p}{N} = K \Rightarrow \frac{2\left(\frac{x_0 + x_j}{2}\right) + \sum_{p=2}^{N-1} x_p}{N} = K$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Using result } \textcircled{I} \}$$

$$\equiv A = K \Rightarrow A = K$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Def. of } \Rightarrow \}$$

true

follows

$$\text{stable } \{A=K\}$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{def. of stable, next} \}$$

$$(\forall a :: \{A=K\} \alpha \{A=K\})$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{proof earlier, def of } \forall \}$$

true

(4) a) cont.

Note that $(x_j - A)^2 = x_j^2 - 2Ax_j + A^2$

Hence $(x_0 - A)^2 + (x_1 - A)^2 = x_0^2 - 2Ax_0 + A^2 + x_1^2 - 2Ax_1 + A^2$
 $= (x_0^2 + x_1^2) - 2A(x_0 + x_1) + 2A^2$

Let $x'_0 = x'_1 = \frac{x_0 + x_1}{2}$

Then $(x'_0 - A)^2 + (x'_1 - A)^2 = 2 \left(\frac{x_1 + x_0}{2} \right)^2 - 2A \left(2 \left(\frac{x_0 + x_1}{2} \right) \right) + 2A^2$
 $= \frac{(x_0 + x_1)^2}{2} - 2A(x_0 + x_1) + 2A^2$

Hence $V - V' = \underbrace{(x_0^2 + x_1^2)}_a - \underbrace{\frac{(x_0 + x_1)^2}{2}}_b$

Note that both a and b are increasing functions but a grows faster than b , hence $(x_0^2 + x_1^2) \geq \frac{(x_0 + x_1)^2}{2}$ with equality iff. $x_0 = x_1$

$\therefore V' \leq V$, i.e. variance never increases. (II)

Formally:

stable ($V \leq K$)

\equiv {Def of stable, next}

$(\forall a :: \{V \leq K\} a \{V \leq K\})$

\equiv {Def. of program}

$\{V \leq K\} x_i, x_j := \frac{(x_i + x_j)}{2}, \frac{(x_i + x_j)}{2} \{V \leq K\}$

\equiv {Assignment axiom, def of V and V' }

$V \leq K \Rightarrow V' \leq K$

\equiv $\{V' \leq V$ by result (II), predicate calculus}

true

$$\textcircled{4} \quad b) \quad \{x_i \neq x_j \wedge V=K\} \quad x_i, x_j := \frac{(x_i + x_j)}{2}, \frac{(x_i - x_j)}{2} \quad \{V < K\}$$

$\equiv \{ \text{assignment axiom, definition of } V' \}$

$$\{x_i \neq x_j \wedge V=K \Rightarrow V' < K\}$$

$\equiv \{ \text{Result } \textcircled{\text{II}}, \text{ predicate calculus} \}$

true

$$\textcircled{5} \quad a) \quad \text{Notation: To make the notation easier to read I will define } \ell: \mathbb{R}^+ \times \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$$

$$\text{s.t. } \ell(\underbrace{D[j,k]}_{\text{any } \mathbb{R}}, j, k) = \begin{cases} \text{true} & \text{if } \exists \text{ path from } j \text{ to } k \text{ of length } D[j,k] \\ \text{false} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Additionally, let:

$$E \equiv (\forall j, k :: D[j,k] \leq W[j,k])$$

$$L \equiv (\forall j, k :: \ell(D[j,k], j, k))$$

Need to prove: invariant $(E \wedge L)$

initially $(E \wedge L)$:

$$D = W$$

$\Rightarrow \{ D[j,k] = W[j,k] \text{ and } \ell(W[j,k], j, k) \text{ holds by definition of } W \}$

$$E \wedge L$$

⑤ a) cont.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{stable}(E) \\
 \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def. of stable and next} \} \\
 & (\forall a :: \{E\} a \{E\}) \\
 \equiv & \quad \{ \text{def. of program} \} \\
 & \{E\} D[i, k] > D[i, j] + D[j, k] \longrightarrow D[i, k] := D[i, j] + D[j, k] \{E\} \\
 \equiv & \quad \{ \text{assignment axiom} \} \\
 & (E \wedge (D[i, k] > D[i, j] + D[j, k]) \Rightarrow E_{D[i, j] + D[j, k]}^{D[i, k]}) \wedge (E \wedge \neg(D[i, k] > D[i, j] + D[j, k]) \Rightarrow E) \\
 \Leftarrow & \quad \{ \text{Antecedent strengthening of } \Rightarrow \} \\
 & (E \wedge (D[i, k] > D[i, j] + D[j, k]) \Rightarrow E_{D[i, j] + D[j, k]}^{D[i, k]}) \wedge (E \Rightarrow E) \\
 \equiv & \quad \{ \text{Def of } \Rightarrow \text{ and } \wedge \} \\
 & E \wedge (D[i, k] > D[i, j] + D[j, k]) \Rightarrow E_{D[i, j] + D[j, k]}^{D[i, k]} \\
 \equiv & \quad \{ \text{Old value of } D[i, k] \text{ was } \leq W[i, k], \text{ and new value is smaller than old one} \\
 & \quad \text{so by predicate calculus } E \text{ holds with new value} \} \\
 & \text{true}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{stable}(L) \\
 \Leftarrow & \quad \{ \text{Follow steps from stable}(E) \text{ proof replacing } E \text{ with } L \} \\
 & L \wedge (D[i, k] > D[i, j] + D[j, k]) \Rightarrow L_{D[i, j] + D[j, k]}^{D[i, k]} \\
 \equiv & \quad \{ \text{Since } \ell(D[i, j], i, j) \text{ and } \ell(D[j, k], j, k) \text{ hold, and } i \rightarrow j \text{ ends} \\
 & \quad \text{where } j \rightarrow k \text{ starts, } \ell(D[i, j] + D[j, k], j, k) \text{ must also hold, hence implication holds} \} \\
 & \text{true}
 \end{aligned}$$

By result in ③ a), $\text{stable}(E) \wedge \text{stable}(L) \Rightarrow \text{stable}(E \wedge L)$

$\therefore \text{Invariant}(E \wedge L) \quad \text{Q.E.D}$

⑤ 6)

The program will be in a fixed point when for all actions either the guard is deactivated or assignment doesn't change the state.

From def. of our program we can conclude that for any i, j, k if $D[i, k] \leq D[i, j] + D[j, k]$ holds we'll be in a fixed point.

$$\text{Let } F \equiv (D[i, k] \leq D[i, j] + D[j, k])$$

$$\text{stable}(F)$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Def. of stable, next} \}$$

$$(\forall a :: \{F\} a \{F\})$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Def. of program, def of } F \}$$
$$\{F\} \rightarrow F \rightarrow D[i, k] := D[i, j] + D[j, k] \{F\}$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Assignment axiom} \}$$
$$(F \wedge \neg F \Rightarrow F_{D[i, k]}^{D[i, j] + D[j, k]}) \wedge (F \wedge F \Rightarrow F)$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Def. of } \wedge \text{ twice} \}$$
$$(false \Rightarrow F_{D[i, k]}^{D[i, j] + D[j, k]}) \wedge (F \Rightarrow F)$$

$$\equiv \{ \text{Def. of } \Rightarrow \text{ and } \wedge \}$$

true

