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Question 1

Following Inductive Loop Invariants, we have:

$$\frac{n \geq 0 \ \land r = 0 \ \land i = 0 \ \land p = 1 \Rightarrow I[0/r, 0/i, 1/p]}{\{l \land i \neq n\}} \frac{l \land i \neq n \Rightarrow I[(r+p)/r, 2p/p, (i+1)/i]}{\{l \land i \neq n\} \ r = r - p; p = 2p; r = r + p; i = i + 1 \{l[(r+p)/r, 2p/p, (i+1)/i]\}}{\{n \geq 0 \ \land r = 0 \ \land i = 0 \ \land p = 1\} \ while \ i \neq n \ do \ P\{r = 2^n - 1\}}$$

Then we have the three constraints:

1.
$$n \ge 0 \land r = 0 \land i = 0 \land p = 1 \Longrightarrow I[0/r, 0/i, 1/p]$$

2.
$$I \wedge i \neq n \Rightarrow I[(r+p)/r, 2p/p, (i+1)/i]$$

3.
$$I \wedge i = n \Longrightarrow r = 2^n - 1$$

The program is correct if I is valid for the three constraints.

We can use $p = 2^i \land r = 2^i - 1 \land i \le n$ as I.

For the first constraint:

$$n \ge 0 \land r = 0 \land i = 0 \land p = 1 \Longrightarrow p = 1 \land r = 0 \land i = 0 \le n$$

For the second constraint:

$$p = 2^{i} \land r = 2^{i} - 1 \land i \le n \land i \ne n \Longrightarrow p = 2^{i} \land r = 2^{i} - 1 \land i < n \Longrightarrow r$$
$$= 2^{i} - 1 + 2^{i} = 2^{(i+1)} - 1 \land p = 2^{(i+1)} \land (i+1) \le n$$

For the third constraint:

$$p = 2^i \land r = 2^i - 1 \land i \le n \land i = n \Longrightarrow r = 2^n - 1$$

Thus, the three constraints are satisfied when we leverage $p = 2^i \land r = 2^i - 1 \land i \le n$ as I. Now we prove the program is valid.