6SENG001W Reasoning about Programs

Tutorial 4: Logic Exercises

Introduction

These tutorial exercises refer to the notes for Lecture 4: Logic.

In this tutorial you are required to use the two B tools *Atelier B & ProB* to evaluate logical formula, create & extend B machines.

Exercise 4.1

- 1. Read the Lecture 4: Logic notes.
- 2. Read & familiarise yourself with the **AMN versions of the Logical symbols**. See ProB's "Help" menu & the lecture notes.

Exercise 4.2

Copy & complete the **truth table** on slide 16 of the **Lecture 4: Logic** notes, for the propositional logic formula in AMN:

$$((P \& Q) \text{ or } not(R)) \Rightarrow P$$

Exercise 4.3

Copy & complete the **truth table** on slide 22 of the **Lecture 4: Logic** notes, for the propositional logic formula in AMN:

$$(P \& Q) \Rightarrow R$$

Exercise 4.4

See Lecture 4: Logic notes slide 32.

Create a B machine called Logic & add the following to it:

- definition of the sets AA & BB, (Hint: define AA & BB as a CONSTANT & set its value under the PROPERTIES clause.)
- the universally quantified formula (1) & the existentially quantified formula (2) as ASSERTIONS

Once these are type correct animate it in ProB & use the ASSERTIONS terminal to check what their truth value is.

Exercise 4.5

See Lecture 4: Logic notes slide 37.

Add the first two quantified formula on the slide to your Logic machine.

Once they are type correct animate it in ProB & use the ASSERTIONS terminal to check what their truth value is.

Exercise 4.6

See Lecture 4: Logic notes slide 38.

Type the two set comprehensions into ProB's "Eval" terminal to evaluate the sets correspond to their values given on the slide.

Try each set comprehension using different values:

- In the "squares" one replace the "5" by other numbers, e.g. 10, 15, 20, ...
- In the "primes" one replace the "50" by other numbers, e.g. 100, 150, 200, ...

ProB can only fully list sets up to a maximum size, try different values (especially in the "primes" case) to try to find the maximum set size it can deal with.

Exercise 4.7

Give a plain English explanation, i.e. write a sentence, of the four predicates given on slide 42 of the Lecture 4: Logic notes.

Exercise 4.8

See Lecture 4: Logic notes slide 44.

Add the following to your Logic machine:

- ullet the four DEFINITIONS: even, odd, smallPrime & ascending,
- the query operation areAscending.

Once these are type correct, animate it in ProB & execute the areAscending operation for different values of xx, yy & zz.

Define a second alternative version of the areAscending operation that returns the truth value of the ascending(xx, yy, zz) definition using the bool function:

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truthValue <-- areAscending( xx, yy, zz )</pre>
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In addition, define operation versions of even(nn) and odd(nn) called isEven(nn) and isOdd(nn) in a similar style to the new version of the areAscending operation.

Exercise 4.9

See Lecture 4: Logic notes slides 45 - 50.

Copy the <u>logic lecture machine</u> example in to Atelier B, type check it & then animate & analyse it in ProB.

Verify that the ASSERTIONS listed on slide 48, do FAIL.

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