## CS 310, Assignment 6

## Answers

Verify the validity of the following correctness statements by adding all the intermediate assertions and so producing the proof tableau. State all the mathematical facts used. All variables are of type int.

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1. ASSERT(x == y*(y+1)/2)
   y = y + 1;
   x = x + y;
   ASSERT(x == y*(y+1)/2)
  ANSWER:
  ASSERT(x == y*(y+1)/2)
                                     // (3) simple math, qed
  ASSERT(x == (y+1)*(y/2+2/2-1))
  ASSERT(x == (y+1)*((y+2)/2-1))
  ASSERT(x == (y+1)*(y+2)/2)-(y+1)
  ASSERT(x+y+1 == (y+1)*(y+2)/2)
  ASSERT(x+y+1 == (y+1)*(y+1+1)/2)
                                     // (2) assignment
  y = y + 1;
  ASSERT(x+y == y*(y+1)/2)
                                     // (1) assignment
  x = x + y;
  ASSERT(x == y*(y+1)/2)
                                     // start here
2. ASSERT(true)
   if (x \ge y) x = y - 1; else y = y + 1;
   z = y + 1;
   ASSERT(x < y < z)
  ANSWER:
     ASSERT( true )
                                            // (12) if, qed
     if (x \ge y)
         ASSERT( true && x \ge y )
                                           // (11) strengthening
                                            // (10) math
         ASSERT( true )
         FACT(y - 1 < y)
         ASSERT(y - 1 < y)
                                            // (9) assignment axiom
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x = y - 1;
   ASSERT(x < y)
                                    // (3) if
else
   ASSERT( true && !(x \ge y) )
                                      // (8)
                                              math
   ASSERT( !(x \ge y) )
                                      // (7)
                                              strengthening
   ASSERT( !(x \ge y + 1) )
                                      // (6) math
   FACT( !(x < y + 1) == x >= y + 1)
   ASSERT( !!(x < y + 1) )
                                      // (5) math
   FACT( ForAll(s) !!s == s )
   ASSERT( x < y + 1)
                                      // (4)
                                             assignment axiom
   y = y + 1;
   ASSERT( x < y )
                                      // (3)
                                             if
                                      // (2) math
ASSERT(x < y)
FACT(y < y + 1)
ASSERT( x < y < y + 1)
                                      // (1) assignment axiom
z = y + 1;
ASSERT( x < y < z)
                                      //
                                              start here
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3. ASSERT(x == x0)
  int sign = 1;
  if (x < 0) sign = -1;
  x = x * sign;
  ASSERT(|x| == |x0| && x >= 0)
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The notation |x| denotes as usual the absolute value of x.

## ANSWER:

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ASSERT(x == x0)
                                                        // (15) strengthen, qed
FACT(x == x0 => |x| == |x0|
ASSERT(|x| == |x0|)
                                                        // (14) math
ASSERT(|x| == |x0| \&\& 1 == 1)
                                                        // (13) assignment
int sign = 1;
ASSERT(|x| == |x0| \&\& sign == 1)
                                                        // (12) if
if (x < 0)
    ASSERT(|x| == |x0| \&\& sign == 1 \&\& x < 0)
                                                        // (11) strengthen
    ASSERT(|x| == |x0| \&\& x < 0)
                                                        // (6) strengthen
    FACT(|x| == |x0| iff |-x| == |x0|)
    ASSERT(|x*-1|==|x0| && x < 0)
                                                        // (5) strengthen
    ASSERT(|x*-1|==|x0| && x <= 0)
                                                        // (4) math
    ASSERT(|x*-1| == |x0| \&\& x*-1 >= 0)
                                                        // (3) assignment
    sign = -1;
    ASSERT(|x*sign| == |x0| \&\& x*sign >= 0)
                                                      // (2) if
else
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