

Answer

Take *Input* to be $\{n_1, \dots, n_k\}$. The correctness of algorithm *SetEuclid* implies that it has some reachable state in which the gcd of *Input* is an element of S . Since an invariant is true for all reachable states, the result follows from this invariant: Every element of S equals $i_1 * n_1 + \dots + i_k * n_k$, for some integers i_1, \dots, i_k . It's easy to show that this is an invariant of the algorithm.

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