

Appendix C

Answers to Select Exercises

Answer to Exercise 2.34

Yes, provided it also crashes your program. For example, by the equation

```
assert true, CandyCrushScore == 50 =  
CandyCrushScore == 50
```

we know that *if* we start with a score of 50 and *if* the program terminates without crashing, then the score remains 50. However, the equation says nothing about the post-state if the statement crashes and does not tell us when a statement crashes.

Answer to Exercise 2.35

```
x := E, P =  
true  
[assert E, P] =  
P ==> E  
S;T, P =  
S, P && T, S, P  
if B { S } else { T }, P =  
S, P && B && T, P && !B
```

Answer to Exercise 3.10

- a) $x \ x - 2$
- b) $x - 2 < x \ \&\& \ 0 \leq x$

Answer to Exercise 3.13

For Outer, use **decreases** a.

For Inner, use **decreases** a, b.

Answer to Exercise 4.1

```
function ReverseColors(t: BYTree): BYTree {  
  
match t  
  
case BlueLeaf => YellowLeaf  
  
case YellowLeaf => BlueLeaf  
  
case Node(left, right) => Node(ReverseColors(left), ReverseColors(right))  
  
}
```

Answer to Exercise 4.5

The precondition of the destructor can be met using either an **if-then-else** expression:

```
if t.Node? then t.left == u else false
```

or using the short-circuit boolean operator **&&**:

```
t.Node? && t.left == u
```

Note that `t.Node?` must be checked before using the destructor; it would be an error to write

```
t.left == u && t.Node? // error
```

Answer to Exercise 5.6

```
lemma Ack1(n: nat)
ensures Ack(1, n) == n + 2
{
  if n == 0 {
    // trivial
  } else {
    calc {
      Ack(1, n);
      == // def. Ack
      Ack(0, Ack(1, n - 1));
      == // def. Ack(0, _)
      Ack(1, n - 1) + 1;
      == { Ack1(n - 1); } // induction hypothesis
      (n - 1) + 2 + 1;
      == // arithmetic
      n + 2;
    }
  }
}
```

Answer to Exercise 5.13

The following proof spells out each case in detail:

```
lemma { :induction false } OceanizeIdempotent(t: BYTree)
```

```

ensures Oceanize(Oceanize(t)) == Oceanize(t)

{
match t
case BlueLeaf =>
calc {
  Oceanize(Oceanize(BlueLeaf));
  == // def. Oceanize
  Oceanize(BlueLeaf);
}
case YellowLeaf =>
calc {
  Oceanize(Oceanize(YellowLeaf));
  == // def. Oceanize
  Oceanize(BlueLeaf);
  == // def. Oceanize
  BlueLeaf;
  == // def. Oceanize
  Oceanize(YellowLeaf);
}
case Node(left, right) =>
calc {
  Oceanize(Oceanize(Node(left, right)));
  == // def. Oceanize
  Oceanize(Node(Oceanize(left), Oceanize(right)));
  == // def. Oceanize
  Node(Oceanize(Oceanize(left)), Oceanize(Oceanize(right)));
  == { OceanizeIdempotent(left); }
  Node(Oceanize(left), Oceanize(Oceanize(right)));
  == { OceanizeIdempotent(right); }
  Node(Oceanize(left), Oceanize(right));
  == // def. Oceanize
  Oceanize(Node(left, right));
}

```

```
}
```

Answer to Exercise 5.14

```
lemma {:induction false} OceanizeUpsBlueCount(t: BYTree)
ensures BlueCount(t) <= BlueCount(Oceanize(t))
{
match t
case BlueLeaf =>
case YellowLeaf =>
case Node(left, right) =>
calc {
  BlueCount(Node(left, right));
  == // def. BlueCount
  BlueCount(left) + BlueCount(right);
  <= { OceanizeUpsBlueCount(left); }
  BlueCount(Oceanize(left)) + BlueCount(right);
  <= { OceanizeUpsBlueCount(right); }
  BlueCount(Oceanize(left)) + BlueCount(Oceanize(right));
  == // def. BlueCount
  BlueCount(Node(Oceanize(left), Oceanize(right)));
  == // def. Oceanize
  BlueCount(Oceanize(Node(left, right)));
}
}
```

Answer to Exercise 5.15

Here is the **calc** statement for the **Cons** case:

```
calc {
  EvalList(SubstituteList(args, n, c), op, env);
  == // args == Cons(e, tail)
  EvalList(SubstituteList(Cons(e, tail), n, c), op, env);
  == // def. SubstituteList
  EvalList(Cons(Substitute(e, n, c),
    SubstituteList(tail, n, c)), op, env);
}
```

```

== // def. EvalList

var v0, v1 :=
  Eval(Substitute(e, n, c), env),
  EvalList(SubstituteList(tail, n, c), op, env);

match op

case Add => v0 + v1

case Mul => v0 * v1;

== { EvalSubstitute(e, n, c, env); }

var v0, v1 :=
  Eval(e, env[n := c]),
  EvalList(SubstituteList(tail, n, c), op, env);

match op

case Add => v0 + v1

case Mul => v0 * v1;

== { EvalSubstituteList(tail, op, n, c, env); }

var v0, v1 :=
  Eval(e, env[n := c]),
  EvalList(tail, op, env[n := c]);

match op

case Add => v0 + v1

case Mul => v0 * v1;

== // def. EvalList

EvalList(Cons(e, tail), op, env[n := c]);

== // args == Cons(e, tail)

EvalList(args, op, env[n := c]);

}

```

Answer to Exercise 5.16

```

lemma EvalEnv(e: Expr, n: string, env: map<string, nat>)

requires n in env.Keys

ensures Eval(e, env) == Eval(Substitute(e, n, env[n]), env)

{

  EvalSubstitute(e, n, env[n], env);

assert env == env[n := env[n]]; // needed for extensionality

```

```
}
```

Answer to Exercise 6.0

```
function Length'<T>(xs: List<T>): nat {  
  if xs == Nil then 0 else 1 + Length'(xs.tail)  
}
```

```
lemma LengthLength'<T>(xs: List<T>)  
ensures Length(xs) == Length'(xs)  
{  
}
```

This lemma is proved automatically by Dafny—you only need to write the empty lemma body: {}.

Answer to Exercise 6.3

```
lemma {:induction false} AppendNil<T>(xs: List<T>)  
ensures Append(xs, Nil) == xs  
{  
  match xs  
  case Nil =>  
  case Cons(x, tail) =>  
    calc {  
      Append(xs, Nil);  
      == // def. Append  
      Cons(x, Append(tail, Nil));  
      == { AppendNil(tail); }  
      Cons(x, tail);  
      ==  
      xs;  
    }  
}
```

Answer to Exercise 6.6

```
lemma UnitsAreTheSame()  
ensures L == R
```

```

{
calc {
L;
== { RightUnit(L); }
F(L, R);
== { LeftUnit(R); }
R;
}
}

```

Answer to Exercise 6.8

```

function LiberalTake<T>(xs: List<T>, n: nat): List<T>
{
if n == 0 || xs == Nil then
Nil
else
Cons(xs.head, LiberalTake(xs.tail, n - 1))
}

```

```

function LiberalDrop<T>(xs: List<T>, n: nat): List<T>
{
if n == 0 || xs == Nil then
xs
else
LiberalDrop(xs.tail, n - 1)
}

```

```

lemma TakesDrops<T>(xs: List<T>, n: nat)
requires n <= Length(xs)
ensures Take(xs, n) == LiberalTake(xs, n)
ensures Drop(xs, n) == LiberalDrop(xs, n)
{
}

```

Answer to Exercise 6.14

In the postcondition of `AtFind`, the second argument to `At` is `Find(xs, y)`. The intrinsic specification of `Find` tells us that `Find(xs, y)` does not exceed `Length(xs)`. Moreover, since `||` is a short-circuit operator, `At` is called only if the first disjunct (`Find(xs, y) == Length(xs)`) does not hold. These facts imply the precondition of the call to `At`.

For `BeforeFind`, the second argument to `At` is `i`. Since `==>` is a short-circuit operator, `At` is called only if the antecedent `i < Find(xs, y)` holds. The intrinsic specification of `Find` thus lets us establish the precondition of the call to `At`.

Answer to Exercise 7.2

```
predicate Less(x: Unary, y: Unary) {  
  y != Zero && (x == Zero || Less(x.pred, y.pred))  
}
```

Answer to Exercise 7.3

```
lemma LessTrichotomous(x: Unary, y: Unary)  
  // 1 or 3 of them are true:  
ensures Less(x, y) <==> x == y <==> Less(y, x)  
  
  // not all 3 are true:  
ensures !(Less(x, y) && x == y && Less(y, x))  
{  
}  
}
```

Note that this solution uses the fact that `<==>` is associative, not chaining. That is,

```
Less(x, y) <==> x == y <==> Less(y, x)
```

can for example be parenthesized as

```
Less(x, y) <==> (x == y <==> Less(y, x))
```

Answer to Exercise 7.5

```
lemma {:induction false} AddCorrect(x: Unary, y: Unary)  
ensures UnaryToNat(Add(x, y)) == UnaryToNat(x) + UnaryToNat(y)  
{  
match y  
case Zero =>  
case Suc(y') =>  
calc {
```



```

UnaryToNat(Add(x, y));

== // y == Suc(y')

UnaryToNat(Add(x, Suc(y')));

== // def. Add

UnaryToNat(Suc(Add(x, y')));

== // def. UnaryToNat

1 + UnaryToNat(Add(x, y'));

== { AddCorrect(x, y'); }

1 + UnaryToNat(x) + UnaryToNat(y');

== // def. UnaryToNat

UnaryToNat(x) + UnaryToNat(Suc(y'));

== // y == Suc(y')

UnaryToNat(x) + UnaryToNat(y);
}
}

lemma {:induction false} SucAdd(x: Unary, y: Unary)

ensures Suc(Add(x, y)) == Add(Suc(x), y)

{
match y
case Zero =>
case Suc(y') =>
calc {
  Suc(Add(x, Suc(y')));
  == // def. Add
  Suc(Suc(Add(x, y')));
  == { SucAdd(x, y'); }
  Suc(Add(Suc(x), y'));
  == // def. Add
  Add(Suc(x), Suc(y'));
}
}

```

```

lemma {:induction false} AddZero(x: Unary)
ensures Add(Zero, x) == x
{
match x
case Zero =>
case Suc(x') =>
calc {
Add(Zero, Suc(x'));
== // def. Add
Suc(Add(Zero, x'));
== { AddZero(x'); }
Suc(x');
}
}

```

Answer to Exercise 9.0

```

module ImmutableQueue {
import LL = ListLibrary

type Queue<A>

function Empty(): Queue

function Enqueue<A>(q: Queue, a: A): Queue

function Dequeue<A>(q: Queue): (A, Queue)

requires q != Empty<A>()

ghost function Length(q: Queue): nat

lemma EmptyCorrect<A>()

ensures Length(Empty<A>()) == 0

lemma EnqueueCorrect<A>(q: Queue, x: A)

ensures Length(Enqueue(q, x)) == Length(q) + 1

lemma DequeueCorrect(q: Queue)

requires q != Empty()

```

```

ensures Length(Dequeue(q).1) == Length(q) - 1
}

```

Answer to Exercise 9.5

In `Client()`, we wrote that equality in an **assert**, which is a ghost statement. In ghost contexts, Dafny supports equality for all types.

Answer to Exercise 9.6

```

module QueueExtender {
import IQ = ImmutableQueue

function TryDequeue<A>(q: IQ.Queue, default: A): (A, IQ.Queue)
{
if IQ.IsEmpty(q) then (default, q) else IQ.Dequeue(q)
}
}

```

Answer to Exercise 10.0

To prove this program correct, we need an auxiliary assertion that reminds the verifier of what it knows about `Elements(pq)` after the two insertions.

```

module PriorityQueueTestHarness {
import PQ = PriorityQueue

method Test(x: int, y: int) {
PQ.EmptyCorrect(); var pq := PQ.Empty();
PQ.InsertCorrect(pq, x); pq := PQ.Insert(pq, x);
PQ.InsertCorrect(pq, y); pq := PQ.Insert(pq, y);
assert PQ.Elements(pq) == multiset{x,y};
PQ.IsEmptyCorrect(pq); PQ.RemoveMinCorrect(pq);
var (a, pq') := PQ.RemoveMin(pq);
PQ.IsEmptyCorrect(pq'); PQ.RemoveMinCorrect(pq');
var (b, pq'') := PQ.RemoveMin(pq');
assert {a,b} == {x,y} && a <= b;
}
}

```

With all these lemmas, we get the work done, but the result ain't pretty. We'll work on prettifying the situation in Section 10.3.

Answer to Exercise 10.2

```
lemma {:induction false} BinaryHeapStoresMinimum(pq: PQueue, y: int)
requires IsBinaryHeap(pq) && y in Elements(pq)
ensures pq.x <= y
{
  // By the definition of Elements, we consider the three
  // cases that "y in Elements(pq)" gives rise to.
  if
  case y == pq.x =>
    // trivial
  case y in Elements(pq.left) =>
    calc {
      pq.x;
      <= // def. IsBinaryHeap
      pq.left.x;
      <= { BinaryHeapStoresMinimum(pq.left, y); }
      y;
    }
  case y in Elements(pq.right) =>
    calc {
      pq.x;
      <= // def. IsBinaryHeap
      pq.right.x;
      <= { BinaryHeapStoresMinimum(pq.right, y); }
      y;
    }
}
```

Answer to Exercise 10.3

See Section 10.3.0.

Answer to Exercise 10.4

```
lemma BalanceConsequence(pq: PQueue)
```

```

requires !IsEmpty(pq) && IsBalanced(pq)

ensures pq.left == Leaf ==> pq.right == Leaf

{

}

```

Answer to Exercise 11.7

```

UpWhileLess:

invariant i <= N

decreases N - i

```

```

UpWhileNotEqual:

invariant i <= N

decreases N - i

```

```

DownWhileNotEqual:

invariant 0 <= i

decreases i

```

```

DownWhileGreater:

invariant 0 <= i

decreases i

```

Answer to Exercise 12.5

```

method FastExp(b: nat, n: nat) returns (p: nat)

ensures p == Exp(b, n)

{

p := 1;

var d, k := b, n;

while k != 0

invariant p * Exp(d, k) == Exp(b, n)

{

calc {

Exp(d, k);

```

```

== { assert k == 2 * (k / 2) + k % 2; }

Exp(d, 2 * (k / 2) + k % 2);

== { ExpAddExponent(d, k / 2 * 2, k % 2); }

Exp(d, 2 * (k / 2)) * Exp(d, k % 2);

== { ExpSquareBase(d, k / 2); }

Exp(d * d, k / 2) * Exp(d, k % 2);

}

if k % 2 == 1 {

assert Exp(d, k % 2) == d;

p := p * d;

}

d, k := d * d, k / 2;

}

}

```

Answer to Exercise 12.8

```

lemma {:induction false} AppendSumUp(lo: int, hi: int)

requires lo < hi

ensures SumUp(lo, hi - 1) + F(hi - 1) == SumUp(lo, hi)

decreases hi - lo

{

if lo == hi - 1 {

} else {

AppendSumUp(lo + 1, hi);

}

}

```

Answer to Exercise 13.3

```

forall i, j :: 0 <= i < j < a.Length ==> a[i] < a[j]

```

Answer to Exercise 13.14

Add a case:

```

case a[m] == b[n] =>

return 0;

```

and (optionally) change the `<=` in each of the other guards to `<`.

Answer to Exercise 13.19

Because `lo` and `hi` are known to be at least 0, you can write

```
mid := lo + (hi - lo) / 2;
```

Answer to Exercise 14.0

Add

```
requires a.Length == 1 ==> left == right
```

Answer to Exercise 14.2

The following postcondition makes the method verify:

```
ensures a[i] == old(a[i]) + 1
```

Answer to Exercise 14.3

The following assignment implements the specification of `OldVsParameters`:

```
y := 25 - a[i];
```

Answer to Exercise 14.8

Hint: Method `DoubleArray` is like `CopyArray`, with two differences. One difference is to insert `2 *` in front of the `src` term in the method specification, loop specification, and loop body. The other difference is that the invariant that talks about elements of `src` being unchanged must only quantify over the indices in the range `n <= i < src.Length`.

Answer to Exercise 14.13

```
method CopyMatrix<T>(src: array2<T>, dst: array2<T>)  
requires src.Length0 == dst.Length0  
requires src.Length1 == dst.Length1  
modifies dst  
ensures forall i, j :: 0 <= i < dst.Length0 && 0 <= j < dst.Length1 ==>  
dst[i, j] == old(src[i, j])  
{  
  forall i, j | 0 <= i < dst.Length0 && 0 <= j < dst.Length1 {  
    dst[i, j] := src[i, j];  
  }  
}
```

```
}
```

```
method TestHarness() {  
    var m := new int[2, 1];  
    m[0, 0], m[1, 0] := 5, 7;  
    CopyMatrix(m, m);  
    // the following assertion will not hold if you forget  
    // 'old' in the specification of CopyMatrix  
    assert m[1, 0] == 7;  
    var n := new int[2, 1];  
    CopyMatrix(m, n);  
    assert m[1, 0] == n[1, 0] == 7;  
}
```

Answer to Exercise 15.5

Insert the following code before the assignment to `pivot`:

```
var p0, p1, p2 := a[lo], a[(lo + hi) / 2], a[hi - 1];  
if {  
    case p0 <= p1 <= p2 || p2 <= p1 <= p0 =>  
        a[(lo + hi) / 2], a[lo] := a[lo], a[(lo + hi) / 2];  
    case p1 <= p2 <= p0 || p0 <= p2 <= p1 =>  
        a[hi - 1], a[lo] := a[lo], a[hi - 1];  
    case p2 <= p0 <= p1 || p1 <= p0 <= p2 =>  
        // nothing to do  
}
```

Answer to Exercise 15.7

Here are three hints. First, here is a good specification:

```
requires IsSorted(a, 0, a.Length) && IsSorted(b, 0, b.Length)  
ensures fresh(c) && c.Length == a.Length + b.Length  
ensures IsSorted(c, 0, c.Length)  
ensures multiset(c[..]) == multiset(a[..]) + multiset(b[..])
```

You'll have to define the predicate `IsSorted`. The postcondition `fresh(c)` lets the caller know that the

returned array is independent of any array that the caller may have already had. The condition `c.Length == a.Length + b.Length` follows from the last postcondition, but the proof requires induction, so callers will probably appreciate the condition being stated directly in the postcondition.

Second, for the implementation, use the *replace constant by variable* Loop Design Technique 12.0 to replace the implicit upper-bound constants `a.Length`, `b.Length`, and `c.Length` in `a[..]`, `b[..]`, and `c[..]` by variables, say, `i`, `j`, and `k`. As the last line of your implementation, you will need to help the verifier with the hint

```
assert a[..i] == a[..] && b[..j] == b[..] && c[..k] == c[..];
```

Third, in your loop invariant, you will need a condition similar to the `SplitPoint` predicate we used for Selection Sort and Quicksort. I suggest something like

```
predicate Below(a: seq<int>, b: seq<int>) {  
forall i, j :: 0 <= i < |a| && 0 <= j < |b| ==> a[i] <= b[j]  
}
```

Good luck!

Answer to Exercise 16.8

```
method RemoveGrinder() returns (grinder: Grinder)  
requires Valid()  
modifies Repr  
ensures Valid() && fresh(Repr - old(Repr))  
ensures grinder.Valid() && grinder in old(Repr) - Repr  
{  
  grinder := g;  
  g := new Grinder();  
  Repr := Repr + {g} - {grinder};  
}
```

Answer to Exercise 17.0

Here is a good export set for the module:

```
export  
reveals LazyArray  
provides LazyArray.Elements, LazyArray.Repr  
provides LazyArray.Valid  
provides LazyArray.Get, LazyArray.Update
```

Answer to Exercise 17.3

The body of the constructor is

```
M, Repr, root := map[], {this}, null;
```

Answer to Exercise 17.7

The body of `BinarySearchTree.Add` is

```
if root == null {  
  root := new Node(key, value);  
} else {  
  root.Add(key, value);  
}  
  
M := root.M;  
  
Repr := Repr + root.Repr;
```

Answer to Exercise 17.10

Without knowing the node is valid, nothing would be known about the relation between the fields of `this` (which is needed, for example, to prove the postcondition `k in M.Keys`), or the relation between the fields of `this` and the fields of `left` (which is needed, for example, to prove termination of the recursive call).

References