

CIS 530 Final Project:  
Prototype Abstract Formal Semantics Module

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## 4 Reflections

I am confident that the abstract semantics module I have developed is versatile enough to be applicable in a variety of situations. Unfortunately, it is also somewhat trivial. The portion of the effort in this project that went into the abstract semantics module, measured in terms of either of time or of code size, was negligible. The abstract semantics module did make the development of the example semantics go somewhat faster, both by doing a little work for it, and by providing some helpful structural discipline. On the other hand, some of these benefits were offset by the fact that the abstract semantics module required the development of a module that such a compensation is hardly worth the effort.