

fn make_privacy_filter

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This proof resides in “**contrib**” because it has not completed the vetting process.

Proves soundness of `fn make_privacy_filter`.

1 Hoare Triple

Precondition

Compiler-verified

- Argument `odometer` of type `Odometer<DI, MI, MO, Q, A>`.
- Argument `d_in` of type `MI_Distance`, the associated distance type of `MI`.
- Argument `d_out` of type `MO_Distance`, the associated distance type of `MO`.
- Generic `DI` implements `Domain`.
- Generic `MI` implements `Metric`.
- Generic `MO` implements `Measure`.
- `MI_Distance` implements `ProductOrd`.
- `MO_Distance` implements `ProductOrd`.
- `(DI, MI)` implements `MetricSpace`.

User-verified

None

Pseudocode

```
1 def make_privacy_filter(  
2     odometer: Odometer[DI, MI, MO, Q, A],  
3     d_in: MI_Distance,  
4     d_out: MO_Distance,  
5 ) -> Measurement[DI, MI, MO, OdometerQueryable[MI, MO, Q, A]]:  
6     odo_function = odometer.function  
7     continuation_rule = new_continuation_rule( #  
8         d_in, d_out, Q, A, MI_Distance, MO_Distance  
9     )  
10  
11     def function(arg: DI_Carrier) -> OdometerQueryable[MI, MO, Q, A]:  
12         return wrap(continuation_rule, lambda: odo_function.eval(arg)) #  
13
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14 def privacy_map(d_in_p: MI_Distance) -> MO_Distance:
15     if d_in_p.total_gt(d_in):
16         raise "input distance must not be greater than d_in"
17
18     return d_out
19
20 return Measurement.new(
21     odometer.input_domain,
22     odometer.input_metric,
23     odometer.output_measure,
24     Function.new_interactive(function),
25     PrivacyMap.new_fallible(privacy_map),
26 )

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Postcondition

For every setting of the input parameters (odometer, d_out, DI, MI, MO, Q, A) to `make_privacy_filter` such that the given preconditions hold, `make_privacy_filter` raises an error (at compile time or run time) or returns a valid odometer. A valid odometer has the following properties:

1. (Data-independent runtime errors). For every pair of members x and x' in `input_domain`, `invoke(x)` and `invoke(x')` either both return the same error or neither return an error.
2. (Valid odometer queryable). For every member x in `input_domain`, where `function(x)` does not raise an error, `function(x)` returns a valid odometer queryable.

Proof of data-independent errors. `Function.eval` on line 12 has data-independent exceptions, because the function is from `odometer`, which is a valid odometer. Since this is the only location where an exception can be raised, the data-independent errors property holds. □

Proof of privacy guarantee. By the definition of a valid odometer queryable, the output of `make_privacy_filter` upholds the privacy guarantee. □