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Type Systems

Exercises

6.1 Type Rule 6.2 expanded: All declared variables must have unique names and each one must have a type taken from the set {int, bool, char, float }.

6.2 The following Java method extends the code on page 139.

```
public static void V (Declarations d) {
    for (int i=0; i<d.size() - 1; i++) {
        Declaration di = d.get(i);
        for (int j=i+1; j<d.size(); j++) {
            Declaration dj = d.get(j);
            check( ! (di.v.equals(dj.v)),
                  "duplicate declaration: " + dj.v);
        }
        check( di.t.equals("int") || di.t.equals("bool") ||
              di.t.equals("float") || di.t.equals("char"),
              "invalid declared type: " + di.t);
    }
}
```

6.3 Each time through the outer loop, the *i*th declaration (*di*) is checked for type correctness. When the inner loop is entered, *di*'s name (*di.v*) is checked to be sure that it is different from every subsequent declaration's name (*dj.v*). This strategy guarantees uniqueness among declared names without making any unnecessary checks (i.e., if *di.v* != *dj.v*, then *dj.v* != *di.v* doesn't need to be checked).

6.4 An imaginative student will run the *Clite* interpreter with each of these assignments to obtain an abstract syntax tree. After type checking, the

interpreter will discover a mixed mode assignment to *i* in part (g) of this question.

The Clite code for this problem is given in the file `ex64.cpp` in the `ch06code` directory. The interpreter output for that run is shown in the file `ex64.output`.

6.5 Students will need to obtain the sources for the Clite interpreter to answer this question.

6.6 Type Rule 6.5 would be modified as follows:

3(b) If its *BinaryOp* is arithmetic, then each of its *Expressions* must be either char, int, or float.

4(c) If op is - then term must be char, int, or float.

For 3(b), the four lines that begin with `if (b.op.ArithmeticOp())` in Fig. 6.3 would be changed as follows:

```
if (b.op.ArithmeticOp())
    check ( (typ1 == Type.INT || typ1 == Type.FLOAT || typ1 == Type.CHAR) &&
            (typ2 == Type.INT || typ2 == Type.FLOAT || typ2 == Type.CHAR)
            , "type error for " + b.op);
```

The conversions themselves would be accomplished by the type transformer discussed in Section 6.2 (see Exercise 6.9).

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6.9 The needed modifications for the type transformer in Fig. 6.6 are substantial, since each one of the different combinations of argument types for a *Binary* will generate a different transformed subtree.

6.10 Change the last two lines on the bottom of p 149 and the first two lines on the top of p 150 as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= V(e.term1, tm) \wedge V(e.term2, tm) \\
 &\quad \wedge typeOf(e.term1, tm) \in \{\text{float}, \text{int}, \text{char}\} \wedge typeOf(e.term2, tm) \in \{\text{float}, \text{int}, \text{char}\} \\
 &\quad \text{if } e \text{ is a } Binary \wedge e.op \in \{ArithmeticOp\}
 \end{aligned}$$

6.11 Type Rule 6.5, part 2 should be modified as follows:

A *Variable* or an *ArrayRef* is valid if its `id` appears in the type map. Also, if it is an *ArrayRef* its `index` must be valid and have type `int`.

6.12 Type Rule 6.6, part 2 should be modified as follows:

If the *Expression* is a *Variable* or *ArrayRef*, its result type is the type of that *Variable* or *ArrayRef*.

6.13 The *V* method in Fig. 6.2 needs no changes. The only two places a Clite *ArrayRef* can appear are in an *Expression* or as the **target** in an *Assignment*. The extended *V* and **typeof** methods (see below) will cover an *ArrayRef* in either of these two contexts.

The *V* method in Fig.6.3 needs the following code inserted before the third **if** statement:

```
if (e instanceof ArrayRef) {
    ArrayRef a = (ArrayRef) e;
    check(tm.containsKey(a), "undefined array reference. " + a);
    return;
}
```

The **typeof** method in Fig. 6.4 needs the following code inserted before the third **if** statement:

```
if (e instanceof ArrayRef) {
    ArrayRef a = (ArrayRef) e;
    check(tm.containsKey(a), "undefined array reference. " + a);
    return (Type) tm.get(a);
}
```