Construction and Verification of Software – 2017/2018

Open Answer Questions

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Q-1 Complete the code below with the strongest post-conditions, the weakest pre-conditions possible, and the needed invariants so that Dafny verifies the code without errors.

```
method IsPalindrome(a:array<int>, n:int) returns (b:bool)
                                                                                            ]
 requires [
                                                                                            ]
 ensures [
 var i := 0;
 while i < n
   decreases n-i
   invariant [
                                                                                            ]
                                                                                            ]
   invariant [
   if a[i] != a[n-i-1]
   { return false; }
   i := i + 1;
 return true;
```

Q-2 Consider an ADT representing the control mechanism for a 3D printer head. It controls the movement of the printer head in a 2D space depositing a thread of melted plastic.

For the safety of the hardware during transport, the printer head has a state called Parked, which can be reached by method Park and a state called Online which can be reached by method Init. The remaining operations can only be called in the state Online.

The printer head can only start melting plastic if it is not moving and the temperature is above a given threshold. The temperature control is not accessible through this interface.

The maximum distance that can be reached when melting is also bound by a Maximum amount (consider some constant in the code). No maximum distance is set for non-melting movements.

Complete the specification of the class by adding field declarations and functions that help define all needed TypeStates and conditions. You do not need to implement the methods.

class PrinterHead {

```
constructor()
                                                                                              ]
  requires [
                                                                                              ]
  ensures [
{ ... }
method Init()
  requires [
                                                                                              ]
                                                                                              ]
  ensures [
{ ... }
method Park()
  requires [
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                                                                                              ]
  ensures [
{ ... }
method MoveTo(x:int, y:int)
  requires [
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                                                                                              ]
  ensures [
{ ... }
method StartMelting()
  requires [
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  ensures [
{ ... }
method StopMelting()
  requires [
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  ensures [
                                                                                              ]
{ ... }
```

Q-3 [5 points]

Consider an ADT that representing a local replica of a user directory with the following interface.

```
interface Directory {
 User getUserByName(String name);
 //@ requires DirInv(this) &*& name != null;
 //@ ensures DirInv(this);
 User[] findUsers(String query);
 //@ requires DirInv(this) &*& query != null;
 //@ ensures DirInv(this)
 int addUser(String name, String email);
 //@ requires InSync(this) &*& name != null &*& email != null;
 //@ ensures DirtyInv(this) &*& result > 0;
 void sync();
 //@ requires DirtyInv(this);
 //@ ensures InSync();
 boolean isDirty():
 //@ requires true;
  //@ ensures result ? DirtyInv(this) : InSync(this);
```

Notice that predicates <code>DirtyInv</code> and <code>InSync</code> both imply the ADT invariant <code>DirInv</code>. **Implement a concurrent ADT** that uses an instance of the (sequential) ADT interface <code>Directory</code> and uses a monitor and related conditions to establish the preconditions of the operations above.

Note: You do not need to write verifast close and open operations, but should state what is the shared state and the predicates ensured by each condition.

Q-4 [3 points]

Consider the following implementation for function maxEven

- 1. **Present the control flow graph** of the function that supports the design of glass-box tests (unrolling loops).
- 2. **Identify what are the paths** that should be tested in a glass-box testing approach.
- 3. **Produce a test** for each identified path