

Programming Languages: Imperative Program Construction

Practicals 10: Swaps in Arrays

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1. Prove that

$$\begin{aligned} & \{h[0] = 0 \wedge h[1] = 1\} \quad \text{-- hence } h[h[0]] = 0 \\ & \text{swap } h(h[0])(h[1]) \\ & \{h[h[1]] = 1\} \end{aligned}$$

2. Given $h : \text{array } [0..N] \text{ of } A$, prove the rule that when h does not occur free in E and F ,

$$\begin{aligned} & (\{\langle \forall i : 0 \leq i < N \wedge i \neq E \wedge i \neq F : h[i] = H \ i \rangle\} \wedge h[E] = X \wedge h[F] = Y) \\ & \text{swap } h \ E \ F \\ & (\{\langle \forall i : 0 \leq i < N \wedge i \neq E \wedge i \neq F : h[i] = H \ i \rangle\} \wedge h[E] = Y \wedge h[F] = X) . \end{aligned}$$

Notes:

- Recall that E and F are expressions, while X, Y, H are logical variables. It means that, for example, one can conclude immediately $X[z \setminus w] = X$ for $z \neq X$, while to determine whether $E[z \setminus w] = E$ we have to look into $E - E[z \setminus w] = E$ if z does not occur free in E .
- With $h[E] = X$, for example, we implicitly assume that $\text{def } (h[E])$ holds.

3. Derive the following program, where arrays are manipulated only by swapping.

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{con } N : \text{Int } \{0 \leq N\} \\ & \text{var } h : \text{array } [0..N] \text{ of } \text{Int} \\ & \text{var } p : \text{Int} \\ & ? \\ & \{0 \leq p \leq N \wedge \langle \forall i : 0 \leq i < p : h[i] \leq 0 \rangle \wedge \langle \forall i : p \leq i < N : 0 \leq h[i] \rangle\} . \end{aligned}$$

4. The following is a specification of sorting:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{con } N : \text{Int } \{0 \leq N\} \\ & \text{var } h : \text{array } [0..N] \text{ of } \text{Int} \\ & \text{sort} \\ & \{\langle \forall i \ j : 0 \leq i \leq j < N : h[i] \leq h[j] \rangle\} . \end{aligned}$$

where *sort* mutates the array h only by swapping. Derive a $O(N^2)$ algorithm for sorting. The algorithm will contain a loop within a loop. The outer loop uses as invariant $P_0 \wedge P_1$, where

$$\begin{aligned} P_0 & \equiv \langle \forall i : 0 \leq i < n : \langle \forall j : i \leq j < N : h[i] \leq h[j] \rangle \rangle , \\ P_1 & \equiv 0 \leq n \leq N . \end{aligned}$$

The inner loop uses Q as *part of* its invariant:

$$Q \equiv \langle \forall j : k \leq j < N : h[n] \leq h[j] \rangle .$$