

AAA528: Computational Logic

Lecture 8 — Partial Correctness Proof: Exercises

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Example 1: BinarySearchWhile

```
predicate sorted(a: array<int>, l: int, u: int) {
  forall j, k :: 0 <= l <= j <= k <= u < a.Length ==> a[j] <= a[k]
}

method BinarySearchWhile(a: array<int>, value: int) returns (index : int)
  requires 0 <= a.Length && sorted(a, 0, a.Length - 1)
  ensures (0 <= index ==> index < a.Length && a[index] == value)
  ensures (index < 0 ==> forall k :: 0 <= k && k < a.Length ==> a[k] != value) {
    var low : int := 0;
    var high : int := a.Length;
    var mid : int;
    while (low < high)
      invariant sorted(a, 0, a.Length - 1)
      invariant 0 <= low <= high <= a.Length
      invariant forall i :: 0 <= i < low ==> a[i] != value
      invariant forall i :: high <= i < a.Length ==> a[i] != value
    {
      mid := (low + high) / 2;
      if (a[mid] < value) { low := mid + 1; }
      else if (value < a[mid]) { high := mid; }
      else { return mid; }
    }
  }
  return -1;
}
```

Example 2: FindMax

```
method FindMax (a: array<int>) returns (r: int)
  requires 0 < a.Length
  ensures forall k :: 0 <= k < a.Length ==> a[k] <= r
  ensures exists k :: 0 <= k < a.Length && a[k] == r
{
  var i : int := 0;
  r := a[0];

  while (i < a.Length)
    invariant a.Length > 0
    invariant 0 <= i <= a.Length
    invariant forall k :: 0 <= k < i ==> r >= a[k]
    invariant (a[0] == r || exists k :: 0 <= k < i && a[k] == r)
  {
    if(a[i] > r) { r := a[i]; }
    i := i + 1;
  }
}
```

Example 3: ReverseUptoK

```
method ReverseUptoK (s_in: array<int>, k: int) returns (s : array<int>)
  requires 2 <= k <= s_in.Length
  ensures forall i :: 0 <= i < k ==> s[i] == s_in[k - 1 - i]
  ensures forall i :: k <= i < s.Length ==> s[i] == s_in[i]
{
  var l : int := k - 1;
  var i : int := 0;
  var tmp : int;
  s := s_in;

  while (i < l - i)
    invariant 0 <= i <= (l + 1) / 2
    invariant forall p :: (0 <= p < i) || (l - i < p && p <= l) ==> s[p] == s_in[l-p]
    invariant forall p :: i <= p <= l - i ==> s[p] == s_in[p]
    invariant forall p :: k <= p < s.Length ==> s[p] == s_in[p]
    invariant l == k - 1
  {
    tmp := s[i];
    s[i] := s[l - i];
    s[l - i] := tmp;
    i := i + 1;
  }
}
```

Example 4: SelectionSort

```
predicate sorted(a: array<int>, l: int, u: int) {  
  forall j, k :: 0 <= l <= j <= k <= u < a.Length ==> a[j] <= a[k]  
}
```

```
predicate partitioned(a: array<int>, l1: int, u1: int, l2: int, u2: int) {  
  forall x, y :: 0 <= l1 <= x <= u1 < l2 <= y <= u2 < a.Length ==> a[x] <= a[y]  
}
```

```
method SelectionSort (a0: array<int>) returns (a: array<int>)  
  requires a0.Length >= 0  
  ensures sorted(a, 0, a.Length - 1)  
{  
  var i : int := 0;  
  var tmp : int;  
  var m : int;  
  var j : int;  
  a := a0;  
  i := 0;
```

```

while (i < a.Length)
  invariant 0 <= i <= a.Length
  invariant partitioned(a, 0, i-1, i, a.Length-1)
  invariant sorted(a, 0, i - 1)
{
  m := i;
  j := i;

  while(j < a.Length)
    invariant 0 <= i <= a.Length
    invariant partitioned(a, 0, i-1, i, a.Length-1)
    invariant sorted(a, 0, i-1)
    invariant i <= j <= a.Length
    invariant i <= m < a.Length
    invariant forall k :: i <= k < j ==> a[k] >= a[m]
  {
    if(a[j] < a[m]) { m := j; }
    j := j + 1;
  }
  tmp := a[m];
  a[m] := a[i];
  a[i] := tmp;
  i := i + 1;
}
}

```

Example 5: MergeSort

```
predicate sorted(a: array<int>, l: int, u: int)
{
  forall j, k :: 0 <= l <= j <= k <= u < a.Length ==> a[j] <= a[k]
}

predicate beq(a: array<int>, b: array<int>, k1: int, k2: int)
{
  forall i :: 0 <= k1 <= i <= k2 < a.Length && k2 < b.Length ==> a[i] == b[i]
}

method MergeSort(a0: array<int>) returns (a: array<int>)
  requires 6 >= a0.Length && a0.Length >= 0
  ensures sorted(a, 0, a.Length - 1)
{
  a := ms(a0, 0, a0.Length - 1);
}
```

```

method ms(a0: array<int>, l : int, u : int) returns (a : array<int>)
    requires 0 <= l && u < a0.Length && 6 >= a0.Length && a0.Length >= 0
    ensures a.Length == a0.Length
    ensures beq(a, a0, 0, l - 1)
    ensures beq(a, a0, u + 1, a0.Length - 1)
    ensures sorted(a, l, u)
{
    var m : int;
    a := a0;
    if (l >= u) { return a; }
    else {
        m := (l + u) / 2;
        a := ms(a, l, m);
        a := ms(a, m + 1, u);
        a := merge(a, l, m, u);
        return a;
    }
}

```

```

method merge(a0 : array<int>, l : int, m : int, u : int) returns (a : array<int>)
  requires 6 >= a0.Length >= 0 && 0 <= l <= u < a0.Length && m == (l + u) / 2
  requires sorted (a0, l, m)
  requires sorted (a0, m + 1, u)
  ensures a.Length == a0.Length
  ensures sorted (a, l, u)
  ensures beq(a, a0, 0, l - 1)
  ensures beq(a, a0, u + 1, a0.Length - 1)
{
  var i : int;
  var j : int;
  var k : int;
  var buf: array<int>;

  a := a0;
  buf := new [u - l + 1];
  i := l;
  j := m + 1;
  k := 0;

```

```

while (k < buf.Length)
  invariant l <= i <= m + 1
  invariant m + 1 <= j <= u + 1
  invariant 0 <= k <= buf.Length
  invariant k == (i - 1) + (j - (m + 1))
  invariant forall x:: 0 <= x < k && i <= m ==> buf[x] <= a[i]
  invariant forall x:: 0 <= x < k && j <= u ==> buf[x] <= a[j]
  invariant sorted (buf, 0, k - 1)

  invariant buf.Length == u - l + 1
  invariant a.Length == a0.Length
  invariant beq (a, a0, 0, a.Length - 1)

  invariant 6 >= a0.Length >= 0
  invariant 0 <= l <= u < a0.Length && m == (l + u) / 2
  invariant sorted (a0, l, m)
  invariant sorted (a0, m + 1, u)

```

```
{
  if (i > m) {
    buf[k] := a[j];
    j := j + 1;
  } else if (j > u) {
    buf[k] := a[i];
    i := i + 1;
  } else if (a[i] <= a[j]) {
    buf[k] := a[i];
    i := i + 1;
  } else {
    buf[k] := a[j];
    j := j + 1;
  }
  k := k + 1;
}

k := 0;
```

```

while (k < buf.Length)
    invariant 0 <= k && k <= buf.Length
    invariant beq(a, a0, 0, l - 1)
    invariant beq(a, a0, u + 1, a0.Length - 1)
    invariant forall x :: 0 <= x < k ==> a[l + x] == buf[x]
    invariant sorted(a, l, l + k - 1)
    invariant sorted (buf, 0, buf.Length - 1) //

    invariant buf.Length == u - l + 1
    invariant a.Length == a0.Length

    invariant 6 >= a0.Length >= 0
    invariant 0 <= l <= u < a0.Length && m == (l + u) / 2
    invariant sorted (a0, l, m)
    invariant sorted (a0, m + 1, u)
{
    a[l + k] := buf[k];
    k := k + 1;
}

return a;
}

```

Example 6: Partition

```
predicate partitioned(a: array<int>, l1: int, u1: int, l2: int, u2: int)
{
  forall x, y ::
    0 <= l1 <= x <= u1 < l2 <= y <= u2 < a.Length ==> a[x] <= a[y]
}
```

```
predicate beq(a: array<int>, b: array<int>, k1: int, k2: int)
{
  forall i :: k1 <= i <= k2 ==> a[i] == b[i]
}
```

```
function random (l: int, u: int) : int
{
  1
}
```

```

method Partition(a0: array<int>, l: int, u: int) returns (pivot: int, a: array<int>)
  requires 0 <= l <= u < a0.Length < 5
  requires partitioned(a0, 0, l - 1, l, u)
  requires partitioned(a0, l, u, u + 1, a0.Length - 1)
  ensures a.Length == a0.Length
  ensures beq(a, a0, 0, l - 1)
  ensures beq(a, a0, u + 1, a0.Length - 1)
  ensures l <= pivot <= u
  ensures partitioned(a, l, pivot - 1, pivot, pivot)
  ensures partitioned(a, pivot, pivot, pivot + 1, u)
{
  var pi : int := random(l, u);
  var pv : int;
  var i : int := l - 1;
  var j : int := l;

  a := a0;
  pv := a[pi];
  a[pi] := a[u];
  a[u] := pv;
}

```

```

while (j < u)
  invariant a[u] == pv
  invariant a.Length == a0.Length && a0.Length < 5
  invariant beq(a, a0, 0, l - 1)
  invariant beq(a, a0, u + 1, a0.Length - 1)
  invariant l - 1 <= i < j <= u
  invariant forall k :: l <= k <= i ==> a[k] <= pv
  invariant forall k :: i + 1 <= k < j ==> a[k] > pv
{
  if (a[j] <= pv) {
    i := i + 1;
    a[i], a[j] := a[j], a[i];
  }
  j := j + 1;
}

a[i+1], a[u] := a[u], a[i+1];
return i+1, a;
}

```

Exercise Set 1

- ① InsertionSort
- ② InvertArray
- ③ IsPalindrome
- ④ PartitionOddEven
- ⑤ Union

Exercise Set 2

- 1 FindFirstRepeatedInt
- 2 FirstEvenOddDifference
- 3 LucidNumbers
- 4 mContained
- 5 TwoSum