

# Solution to the Model Exam for G52DOA, 2009

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## Question 1

(a) If we translate the premises and the conclusion in terms of nodes and edges of a graph, we obtain:

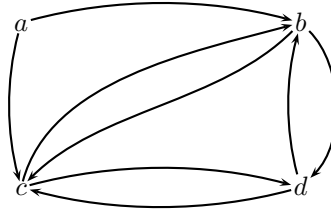
$$\forall x, \forall y, (\mathbf{E}(x, y) \rightarrow \exists z, (z \neq x \wedge z \neq y \wedge \mathbf{E}(x, z) \wedge \mathbf{E}(y, z)))$$

For every edge with source  $x$  and target  $y$ , there is a third node  $z$ , different from  $x$  and  $y$ , with edges pointing from  $x$  and  $y$  to it.

$$\forall x, \forall y, (\mathbf{E}(x, y) \rightarrow \mathbf{E}(y, x))$$

For every edge there is another edge between the same nodes going in the opposite direction.

(b) The proposition is not a tautology. The following graph satisfies the assumption and falsifies the conclusion:



Here is the truth table for  $\mathbf{E}$  in the counterexample:

$x$	$y$	$\mathbf{E}(x, y)$	$x$	$y$	$\mathbf{E}(x, y)$
$a$	$a$	$\perp$	$c$	$a$	$\perp$
	$b$	$\top$		$b$	$\top$
	$c$	$\top$		$c$	$\perp$
	$d$	$\perp$		$d$	$\top$
$b$	$a$	$\perp$	$d$	$a$	$\perp$
	$b$	$\perp$		$b$	$\top$
	$c$	$\top$		$c$	$\top$
	$d$	$\top$		$d$	$\perp$

## Question 2

The proposition is a tautology. Here is its derivation:

1		$\forall x, ((G(x) \rightarrow \exists y, E(x, y)) \rightarrow G(x))$	assumption
		$a$	eigenvariable
2		$(G(x) \rightarrow \exists y, E(x, y)) \rightarrow G(x)$	$\forall_e 1$
3		$\neg G(a)$	assumption
4		$G(a)$	assumption
5		$\perp$	$\neg_e 3, 4$
6		$\exists y, E(x, y)$	$\perp_e 5$
7		$G(a) \rightarrow \exists y, E(x, y)$	$\rightarrow_i 4 - 6$
8		$G(a)$	$\rightarrow_e 2, 7$
9		$\perp$	$\neg_e 3, 8$
10		$\neg \neg G(a)$	$\neg_i 3 - 9$
11		$G(a)$	$\neg \neg_e 10$
12		$\forall z, G(z)$	$\forall_i 2 - 11$
13		$\forall x, ((G(x) \rightarrow \exists y, E(x, y)) \rightarrow G(x)) \rightarrow \forall z, G(z)$	$\rightarrow_i 1 - 12$

## Question 3

**Base case:**  $n = 1$

$$3 \cdot \sum_{i=0}^0 i(i+1) + 0 = 3 \cdot 0(0+1) = 0 = 0^3.$$

**Induction step:** Induction Hypothesis:

$$3 \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i(i+1) + n = n^3.$$

To prove:

$$3 \cdot \sum_{i=0}^n i(i+1) + n + 1 = (n+1)^3.$$

In fact:

$$\begin{aligned}
 3 \cdot \sum_{i=0}^n i(i+1) + n + 1 &= 3 \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i(i+1) + 3 \cdot n(n+1) + n + 1 \\
 &\stackrel{\text{I.H.}}{=} n^3 + 3 \cdot n(n+1) + 1 = n^3 + 3n^2 + 3n + 1 \\
 &= (n+1)^3.
 \end{aligned}$$

## Question 4

(a)

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c}
 \{P\} & \mathbf{z} := \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}; & \\
 \{(x < y \rightarrow R_1) \wedge (\neg x < y \rightarrow R_2)\} & \mathbf{if } x < y \mathbf{ then} & \\
 \{R_1\} & \mathbf{x} := y - x & \{(x + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0)\} \\
 & \mathbf{else} & \\
 \{R_2\} & \mathbf{x} := x - y & \{(x + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0)\} \\
 & ; & \\
 \{(x + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0)\} & \mathbf{y} := (x + z)/2 & \{y = \max(x_0, y_0)\}
 \end{array}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &\equiv ((x + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0))[y - x/x] \\
 &\equiv (y - x + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0) \\
 R_2 &\equiv ((x + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0))[x - y/x] \\
 &\equiv (x - y + z)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0) \\
 P &\equiv ((x < y \rightarrow R_1) \wedge (\neg x < y \rightarrow R_2))[x + y/z] \\
 &\equiv (x < y \rightarrow (y - x + x + y)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0)) \wedge (\neg x < y \rightarrow (x - y + x + y)/2 = \max(x_0, y_0)) \\
 &\equiv (x < y \rightarrow y = \max(x_0, y_0)) \wedge (\neg x < y \rightarrow x = \max(x_0, y_0))
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Assume that  $x = x_0 \wedge y = y_0$ . Then  $P$  becomes, by substitution of equals for equals (equality elimination):

$$(x_0 < y_0 \rightarrow y_0 = \max(x_0, y_0)) \wedge (\neg x_0 < y_0 \rightarrow x_0 = \max(x_0, y_0))$$

which is true by definition of max.

## Question 5

(a)

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c}
 \{0 = 0^2 \wedge 0 \leq x\} & \mathbf{z} := 0; & \{x \geq 0\} \\
 \{0 = z^2 \wedge z \leq x\} & \mathbf{y} := 0; & \{y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x\} \\
 \{\mathbf{invariant} : y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x\} & \mathbf{while } z < x \mathbf{ do } ( & \{y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x \wedge z < x\} \\
 \{y + 2z + 1 = (z + 1)^2 \wedge z + 1 \leq x\} & \mathbf{y} := y + z; & \\
 \{y + z + 1 = (z + 1)^2 \wedge z + 1 \leq x\} & \mathbf{z} := z + 1; & \\
 \{y + z = z^2 \wedge z \leq x\} & \mathbf{y} := y + z & \{y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x\} \\
 & ) & \{y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x \wedge \neg z < x\} \\
 & & \{y = x^2\}
 \end{array}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 &x \geq 0 \rightarrow 0 = 0^2 \wedge 0 \leq x \\
 &y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x \wedge z < x \rightarrow y + 2z + 1 = (z + 1)^2 \wedge z + 1 \leq x \\
 &y = z^2 \wedge z \leq x \wedge \neg z < x \rightarrow y = x^2
 \end{aligned}$$

- (c) The variant expression is  $x - z$ . To prove termination we need to prove two facts:
1. If the loop condition is true, then the variant expression is strictly positive:  $z < x \rightarrow x - z > 0$ , which is true.
  2. The value of the variant expression decreases during the execution of the loop body: if  $x - z = e_0$  at the beginning of the loop body, then  $x - z < e_0$  at the end. (The question doesn't ask you to provide this proof but only to explain that it is what you have to do.)

## Question 6

- (a) The program is:

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if n = 0 then skip
else (
  k := 1;
  b[0] := a[0];
  while k < n do (
    b[k] := min(b[k - 1], a[k]);
    k := k + 1
  )
)

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- (b)

invariant :  $(\forall i, 0 \leq i < k \rightarrow b[i] = \min\{a[0], \dots, a[i]\}) \wedge k \leq n$   
 variant :  $n - k$