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**Program Verification** 

Sheet 8

- Prepare your solutions on paper.
- Mark the exercises in OLAT before the deadline.
- Marking an exercise means that a significant part of that exercise has been treated.

## **Exercise 1** Innermost Evaluation and Subterm Relation

- 1. The soundness proof of the subterm criterion uses the fact that  $s \triangleright t$  and  $s \in NF(\hookrightarrow)$  implies  $t \in NF(\hookrightarrow)$ . Prove this fact. (2 points)
- 2. In the definition of  $\stackrel{i}{\to}$  there occurs the condition  $NF(\hookrightarrow)$ , and not  $NF(\stackrel{i}{\to})$ . Show that this makes no difference by proving  $NF(\stackrel{\leftarrow}{\hookrightarrow}) = NF(\stackrel{\leftarrow}{\hookrightarrow})$ . You can assume the obvious property  $\stackrel{\leftarrow}{\hookrightarrow} \subseteq \stackrel{\leftarrow}{\hookrightarrow}$ . (3 points)

## **Exercise 2** Termination Analysis on Paper

Write your favourite sorting algorithm as functional program and try to prove termination via the subterm criterion and size-change termination. If the proof is not completed, indicate which dependency pairs remain. Of course, here you also have to define a function for comparing natural numbers and other auxiliary functions. But you can assume that there are already datatypes Nat, List and Bool.

#### **Exercise 3** Size-Change Termination

In the lecture the set of multigraphs  $\mathcal{M}$  of a set of size-change graphs  $\mathcal{G}$  has essentially been defined as follows:

$$\frac{G \in \mathcal{G}}{G \in \mathcal{M}} \qquad \qquad \frac{G_1 \in \mathcal{M} \quad G_2 \in \mathcal{M}}{G_1 \cdot G_2 \in \mathcal{M}}$$

Now consider the following set of multigraphs  $\mathcal{N}$ , defined as:

$$\frac{G \in \mathcal{G}}{G \in \mathcal{N}} \qquad \qquad \frac{G_1 \in \mathcal{G} \quad G_2 \in \mathcal{N}}{G_1 \cdot G_2 \in \mathcal{N}}$$

In this exercise we will show that both definitions are equivalent and also compare the subterm criterion with size-change termination.

- 1. Think about the relation-ship between the subterm criterion and size-change termination. Does one criterion subsume the other one? For both directions, either give a proof of the subsumption or provide a concrete counter example. (3 points)
- 2. Prove  $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$ . (2 points)
- 3. Prove  $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$ . You can assume that is associative. Most likely, you will need to prove one auxiliary property. (4 points)
- 4. Think about an implementation: would it be faster to compute  $\mathcal{M}$  or  $\mathcal{N}$ ? Why? (2 points)

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