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**Program Verification** 

Sheet 9

- Prepare your solutions on paper.
- Mark the exercises in OLAT before the deadline.
- If you use Isabelle for Exercise 2, then upload your Isabelle file in OLAT.
- Marking an exercise means that a significant part of that exercise has been treated.

## **Exercise 1** Contexts and Subterms

The set of contexts C can formally be defined as follows, where  $\Box$  represents the hole and types are ignored for simplicity.

$$\frac{t_1 \in \mathcal{T}(\Sigma, \mathcal{V}) \quad \dots \quad C \in \mathcal{C} \quad \dots \quad t_n \in \mathcal{T}(\Sigma, \mathcal{V})}{f(t_1, \dots, C, \dots, t_n)}$$

- 1. Provide a recursive definition of plugging a term t into the hole of a context C, i.e., define C[t]. (1 point)
- 2. Prove  $s \hookrightarrow t \longrightarrow C[s] \hookrightarrow C[t]$ . Which induction scheme are you using? (2 points)
- 3. Prove  $s \ge t \longrightarrow \exists C. \ s = C[t]$ . Which induction scheme are you using? (2 points)
- 4. Prove that  $SN(\hookrightarrow)$  implies  $SN(\hookrightarrow \circ \supseteq)$  where  $\circ$  here denotes relation composition. (4 points) Hint: You should start your proof with an infinite  $(\hookrightarrow \circ \supseteq)$ -sequence and then show that from this sequence one can construct an infinite  $\hookrightarrow$ -sequence with the help of the previous results.

Note that this is the main property to ensure that the induction rule wrt. algorithms (slide 5/56) is an instance of well-founded induction. The reason is that there we provide IHs which correspond to subterms of rhss. Therefore, for each equation  $\ell = r$  and subterm u of r that leads to an IH, we have  $\ell \hookrightarrow r \succeq u$ , so the subterm u of the rhs is smaller than the lhs  $\ell$  wrt. the strongly normalizing relation  $\hookrightarrow \circ \succeq$ .

## **Exercise 2** Equational Reasoning and Induction

Consider the following program.

 $\begin{aligned} \mathsf{plus}(\mathsf{Succ}(x), y) &= \mathsf{Succ}(\mathsf{plus}(x, y)) \\ \mathsf{plus}(\mathsf{Zero}, y) &= y \\ \mathsf{times}(\mathsf{Succ}(x), y) &= \mathsf{plus}(y, \mathsf{times}(x, y)) \\ \mathsf{times}(\mathsf{Zero}, y) &= \mathsf{Zero} \\ \mathsf{sum\_nums}(\mathsf{Zero}) &= \mathsf{Zero} \\ \mathsf{sum\_nums}(\mathsf{Succ}(x)) &= \mathsf{plus}(\mathsf{Succ}(x), \mathsf{sum\_nums}(x)) \end{aligned}$ 

1. Prove commutativity of multiplication, i.e.,

$$\forall x, y. \ \mathsf{times}(x, y) =_{\mathsf{Nat}} \mathsf{times}(y, x).$$

To solve this problem you will need to identify and prove several additional properties. You can assume that **plus** is commutative, as this property was already proven in the lecture. (6 points)

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2. Prove the Gaussian formula, i.e.,

 $\forall x. times(sum\_nums(x), Succ(Succ(Zero))) =_{Nat} times(x, Succ(x)).$ 

Also for this problem you will need to identify and prove some additional properties. (5 points)

You can perform the proofs on paper or by using Isabelle.

## https://isabelle.in.tum.de

In the former case, you do NOT have to specify every singleton simplification step, but just give some intermediate results in the simplification process.

In the latter case, a template file is available on the website. This contains some setup and guidelines on how to use Isabelle.