

Mathematics and Computation
Exam like questions, October 24, 2004

Exams consist of three questions, but here you have four exam like questions.
I define

$$H(x) \doteq x < 0 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 1 \end{array} \right.$$

Exercise 1. (Too small for an exam question) Prove one of the following:

[Mac lemma L04.0.4A: $x \in B \rightarrow \text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$]

[Mac antilemma L04.0.4B: $x \in B \rightarrow \text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$]

Exercise 2. Prove one of the following:

[Mac lemma L04.0.5A: $x \in D \rightarrow H(x) \in N$]

[Mac antilemma L04.0.5B: $x \in D \rightarrow H(x) \in N$]

Exercise 3. Prove one of the following:

[Mac lemma L04.0.6A: $x \in B \rightarrow x \wedge x \equiv x$]

[Mac antilemma L04.0.6B: $x \in B \rightarrow x \wedge x \equiv x$]

Exercise 4. (Too large for an exam question) Prove one of the following:

[Mac lemma L04.0.7A: $\lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x) \equiv \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)$]

[Mac antilemma L04.0.7B: $\lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x) \equiv \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)$]

The following rules may be used:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{Mac rule Case1: } \text{case}(x, \text{case}(x, u, v), w) \equiv \text{case}(x, u, w) \\ \text{Mac rule Case2: } \text{case}(x, u, \text{case}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{case}(x, u, w) \end{bmatrix}$$

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A proof of

[Mac lemma L04.0.4A : $x \in B \rightarrow \text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$]

could be as follows:

[Mac proof of L04.0.4A:

L01 : Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L02 : Hypothesis \triangleright	$x \in T$;
L03 : IfT \triangleright L2 \triangleright	$\text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv u$;
L04 : IfT \triangleright L2 \triangleright	$\text{if}(x, u, w) \equiv u$;
L05 : Commutativity \triangleright L4 \triangleright	$u \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$;
L06 : Transitivity \triangleright L3 \triangleright L5 \triangleright	$\text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$;
L07 : Block \triangleright	End	;
L08 : Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L09 : Hypothesis \triangleright	$x \in F$;
L10 : Iff \triangleright L9 \triangleright	$\text{if}(x, v, w) \equiv w$;
L11 : Replace \triangleright L10 \triangleright	$\text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$;
L12 : Block \triangleright	End	;
L13 : Cases \triangleright L6 \triangleright L11 \triangleright	$x \in B \rightarrow \text{if}(x, u, \text{if}(x, v, w)) \equiv \text{if}(x, u, w)$]

Line 6 could also have argumentation [Reverse' \triangleright L4 \triangleright L3] in which case Line 5 can be omitted.

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A proof of

[Mac lemma L04.0.5A : $x \in D \rightarrow H(x) \in N$]

could be as follows:

[Mac proof of L04.0.5A:

L01 : Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L02 : Hypothesis \triangleright	$(x < 0) \in T$;
L03 : IfT \triangleright L2 \triangleright	if($x < 0, 0, 1$) $\equiv 0$;
L04 : TypeNumeralInN \triangleright	$0 \in N$;
L05 : Reverse' \triangleright L3 \triangleright L4 \triangleright	if($x < 0, 0, 1$) $\in N$;
L06 : Block \triangleright	End	;
L07 : Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L08 : Hypothesis \triangleright	$(x < 0) \in F$;
L09 : IfF \triangleright L8 \triangleright	if($x < 0, 0, 1$) $\equiv 1$;
L10 : TypeNumeralInN \triangleright	$1 \in N$;
L11 : Reverse' \triangleright L9 \triangleright L10 \triangleright	if($x < 0, 0, 1$) $\in N$;
L12 : Block \triangleright	End	;
L13 : Cases \triangleright L5 \triangleright L11 \triangleright	$(x < 0) \in B \rightarrow$ if($x < 0, 0, 1$) $\in N$;
L14 : Hypothesis \triangleright	$x \in D$;
L15 : TypeNumeralInD \triangleright	$0 \in D$;
L16 : TypeD<D \triangleright L14 \triangleright L15 \triangleright	$(x < 0) \in B$;
L17 : L13 \triangleright L16 \triangleright	if($x < 0, 0, 1$) $\in N$;
L18 : Definition \triangleright	$H(x) \equiv$ if($x < 0, 0, 1$)	;
L19 : Reverse' \triangleright L18 \triangleright L17 \triangleright	$H(x) \in N$]

[$H(x)$] was used by Oliver Heaviside for investigations of electronic circuits.

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A proof of

[Mac antilemma L04.0.6B : $x \in \mathbf{B} \rightarrow x \wedge x \equiv x$]

could use a non-standard representation $[F \equiv N :: (N :: N)]$ of falsehood. One may prove $[F \in \mathbf{B}]$ using the type function $[\overline{\mathbf{B}}]$ from page 336 in the text book and one may then combine $[F \in \mathbf{B}]$ with the antilemma to get $[F \wedge F \equiv F]$. On the other hand, we have $[F \wedge F \equiv F]$ (by Computation) so we get $[F \equiv F]$. Hence, by the definitions of $[F]$ and $[F]$ we get $[N :: N \equiv N :: (N :: N)]$. Taking the Tail of both sides gives $[N \equiv N :: N]$ which, by the definitions of $[T]$ and $[F]$ is the same as $[T \equiv F]$. CounterTF then yields the contradiction. The proof may look thus:

[Mac proof of L04.0.6B:

L01 :	Local \triangleright	$F \equiv N :: (N :: N)$;
L02 :	Computation \triangleright	$\overline{\mathbf{B}}' F$;
L03 :	Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L04 :	Algebra \triangleright	$\ell' F$;
L05 :	Replace \triangleright ClassicalPair \triangleright	$\ell' N \wedge \ell'(N :: N)$;
L06 :	Replace \triangleright ClassicalPair \triangleright	$\ell' N \wedge (\ell' N \wedge \ell' N)$;
L07 :	Replace \triangleright ClassicalNil \triangleright	$T \wedge (T \wedge T)$;
L08 :	Computation \triangleright	T	;
L09 :	Block \triangleright	End	;
L10 :	IntroB \triangleright L8 \triangleright L2 \triangleright	$F \in \mathbf{B}$;
L11 :	Antilemma \triangleright	$F \in \mathbf{B} \rightarrow F \wedge F \equiv F$;
L12 :	L11 \trianglerighteq L10 \triangleright	$F \wedge F \equiv F$;
L13 :	Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L14 :	Algebra \triangleright	T	;
L15 :	Computation \triangleright	$(F \wedge F) \text{ Tail}$;
L16 :	Replace \triangleright L12 \triangleright	$F \text{ Tail}$;
L17 :	Computation \triangleright	F	;
L18 :	Block \triangleright	End	;
L19 :	CounterTF \triangleright L17 \triangleright	\perp]

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A proof of

$$[\text{Mac lemma L04.0.7A} : Y' \lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x) \equiv \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)]$$

could be constructed as follows: First, define $[A]$ to be shorthand for $[Y' \lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x)]$ (Line 1 below). Then compute $[A]$ using Lemma L8.18.2 (Line 2–6 below). After Line 6 we know that $[A \equiv \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, A' x)]$ which makes it easy to prove $[\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp) \preceq A]$ (Line 7–10 below).

This proves half of the Lemma L04.0.7A: InfoAntiSymmetry says that if $[\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp) \preceq A]$ and $[A \preceq \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)]$ then the lemma holds (Line 18 below).

Hence, to prove the lemma, we have to prove $[A \preceq \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)]$ (Line 17 below). In other words, we have to prove that $[A]$ is less than a term that contains $[\perp]$. One of the very few rules that allows that is MinimalY on page 427 in the text book. That rule looks promising since $[A]$ contains the fixed point operator $[Y]$.

Applying MinimalY backwards to Line 17 gives

$$[\lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x) \preceq \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp) \equiv \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)]$$

which turns out to be easy to prove (Line 11–16 below). Line 15 uses Case2 which was provided together with the exercise.

[Mac proof of L04.0.7A:

L01 :	Local \triangleright	$A \equiv Y' \lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x)$;
L02 :	Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L03 :	Algebra \triangleright	A	;
L04 :	Replace \triangleright L8.18.2 \triangleright	$(\lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x))' A$;
L05 :	Replace \triangleright ApplyLambda \triangleright	$\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, A' x)$;
L06 :	Block \triangleright	End	;
L07 :	InfoBottom \triangleright	$\perp \preceq A'$;
L08 :	Monotonicity' \triangleright L7 \triangleright	$\text{case}(x, T, \perp) \preceq \text{case}(x, T, A' x)$;
L09 :	InfoLambda \triangleright L8 \triangleright	$\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp) \preceq \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, A' x)$;
L10 :	Reverse' \triangleright L5 \triangleright L9 \triangleright	$\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp) \preceq A$;
L11 :	Block \triangleright	Begin	;
L12 :	Algebra \triangleright	$\lambda f. \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, f' x)' \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)$;
L13 :	Replace \triangleright ApplyLambda \triangleright	$\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, (\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp))' x)$;
L14 :	Replace \triangleright ApplyLambda \triangleright	$\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \text{case}(x, T, \perp))$;
L15 :	Replace \triangleright Case2 \triangleright	$\lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)$;
L16 :	Block \triangleright	End	;
L17 :	MinimalY \triangleright L15 \triangleright	$A \preceq \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)$;
L18 :	InfoAntiSymmetry \triangleright	$A \equiv \lambda x. \text{case}(x, T, \perp)$]

[L04.0.7A] rule L04.0.7A