

Mid-conditions: Tutorial sheet 4

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PMT Exercise 10: Questions 1(c) and 3 are assessed and are due in to the SAO by 4.30pm on **8 February 2005**. This is a hardcopy submission but you still need to register your submission using CATE which will also provide you with your submission cover sheet: <https://sparrow.doc.ic.ac.uk/~cate/>

1. For the `intMax` program below:

```
int intMax(int x, int y) {
    // pre: none
    // post: (res == x_0 || res == y_0)
    //       && (res >= x_0 && res >= y_0))

    int res;
    if (x >= y)
[1]         res = x;
    // mid (a): (res == x_0) && (res >= y_0)
    else
[2]         res = y;
    // mid (b): (res == y_0) && (res >= x_0)
    return res;
}
```

Construct the following:

- (a) The combined mid-condition
- (b) A natural deduction proof from the pre-condition to the combined mid-condition
- (c) (**Assessed**) A natural deduction proof from mid-condition (b) to the post-condition

2. For the method `weird`, a specification would take the form: $\vdash x = 7$

```
int weird (int x) {  
    // pre: none  
    // post: x == 7  
[1]    x = x * 2;  
[2]    x = 7;  
    return x;  
}
```

Using extra variables where necessary, prove the specification is satisfied by the method.

[continued...]

3. (Assessed) As in the notes, the class `Point` is defined with methods `up` and `right` as follows.

```
class Point {
    int xc;
    int yc;

    Point (int i, int j) {
        xc = i;
        yc = j;
    }

    public void up (int n) {
        // Pre: none
        // Post: xc == xc_0 && yc == yc_0 + n
        yc = yc + n;
    }
    public void right (int n) {
        // Pre: none
        // Post: xc == xc_0 + n && yc == yc_0
        xc = xc + n;
    }
}

class Square {
    public static upleft (Point P, int n) {
        // Pre: none
        // Post: xc == xc_0 - n && yc == yc_0 + n

        [1]    P.up(n);
        [2]    P.right(-n);
    }
}
```

Assuming that the post-conditions of `Point.up` and `Point.right` are true. Show, by natural deduction, that the pre-condition entails the post-condition for the method, `Square.upleft`.

4. Given the following definition of a `Sphere` class which also calculates the volume and surface area:

```
class Sphere {
    int r; \\ sphere radius

    double volume () {
        // Pre: r_0 >= 0
        // Post: res == 4/3 * PI * r_0^3 && r == r_0
[1]    double res = r / 3;
[2]    res = res * this.area();
        return res;
    }

    double area () {
        // Pre: r_0 >= 0
        // Post: res == 4 * PI * r_0^2 && r == r_0
        double res = 4 * PI * r * r;
        return res;
    }
}
```

- (a) State the specification of `Sphere.volume` from the pre- and post-condition comments
- (b) Use natural deduction to justify that `Sphere.volume` meets its specification, given that `Sphere.area` has been validated.