

CS 476 Homework #5 Due 10:45am on Wednesday 11/6

Note: Answers to the exercises listed below and all Maude code should be emailed to mesequer@illinois.edu.

1. Consider the following functional module defining several functions on lists:

```
set include BOOL off .

fmod NATURAL-LIST is
  sorts Boolean NzNatural Natural NeList List .
  subsorts NzNatural < Natural < NeList < List .
  op tt : -> Boolean [ctor] .
  op ff : -> Boolean [ctor] .
  op &_amp;_ : Boolean Boolean -> Boolean .   *** and
  op 0 : -> Natural [ctor] .
  op s : Natural -> NzNatural [ctor] .
  op +_ : Natural Natural -> Natural [assoc comm] .
  op nil : -> List [ctor] .
  op ;_ : Natural NeList -> NeList [ctor] .
  op ;_ : NeList NeList -> NeList .
  op ;_ : List List -> List .
  op length : List -> Natural .
  op rev : List -> List .           *** list reverse
  op .=._ : List List -> Boolean .  *** equality predicate
  op pal : List -> Boolean .       *** palindrome predicate

  vars n m : Natural .  vars L L1 L2 L3 : List .  vars P Q : NeList .
  vars A B : Boolean .

  eq A & tt = A .
  eq A & ff = ff .

  eq n + 0 = n .
  eq n + s(m) = s(n + m) .

  eq L ; nil = L .
  eq nil ; L = L .
  eq (n ; L1) ; L2 = n ; (L1 ; L2) .

  eq length(nil) = 0 .
  eq length(n) = s(0) .
  eq length(n ; L) = s(length(L)) .

  eq rev(nil) = nil .
  eq rev(n) = n .
  eq rev(n ; L) = rev(L) ; n .

  eq L .=. L = tt .
```

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eq 0 .=. s(n) = ff .
eq s(n) .=. 0 = ff .
eq s(n) .=. s(m) = n .=. m .
eq nil .=. Q = ff .
eq Q .=. nil = ff .
eq n .=. m ; Q = ff .
eq m ; Q .=. n = ff .
eq (n ; P) .=. (m ; Q) = (n .=. m) & (P .=. Q) .

eq pal(L) = L .=. rev(L) .
endfm

```

Something interesting about this module is that `_;_ : Natural NeList -> NeList` is a list *constructor*, but `_;_ : List List -> List` is actually the so-called list *append*, or list *concatenation* operator, which is defined by equations 5–7. This of course would be impossible in a many-sorted setting, were a differently named symbol such as, e.g., `_@_ : List List -> List` would have to be used for list append.

In Exercise 2 you will be asked to prove some inductive properties about this module. Before you do so, recall that the equations should be terminating, and that the NuITP expects users to: (1) Define a linear order on the function symbols and constants declared with the `op` keyword, just as explained in the MTA tool documentation available next to Lecture 10, i.e., you assign different numbers to different operators using the `metadata` attribute, but **warning**: all subsort-overloaded operators should have the same number assigned to them. For example, all the typings of the `_;_` operator should be assigned the same number. For example, if we wish to give them the value 4, you will add to each of them the attribute:

```

op _;_ : Natural NeList -> NeList [ctor metadata "4"] .
op _;_ : NeList NeList -> NeList [metadata "4"] .
op _;_ : List List -> List [metadata "4"] .

```

(2) Prove that the equations in the module are RPO-terminating according to the order that you have given to the operators. (3) You can automatically check the modules’s RPO termination in the NuITP itself; that is, there is no need for you to use the MTA tool, since the NuITP itself subsumes the RPO-termination checking capabilities of MTA as explained below.

In this exercise you are asked to check the RPO termination of the above module in the NuITP by doing the following:

- (a) adding numbers to each operator using the `metadata` attribute as explained above (so that $f > g$ iff the number assigned to f is bigger than that assigned to g).
- (b) enter the module `list-functions.maude` thus annotated with `metadata` information into Maude (please use the latest Maude 3.5 version, available in the Maude web page).
- (c) load into Maude the file `NuITP.maude` (alpha version 30), which you get from <https://nuitp.webs.upv.es/> together with its manual and examples. You will then be talking to the latest version of the NuITP tool.
- (d) Give to the NuITP the commands:

```

set module NATURAL-LIST .

check rpo .

```

With a suitable order on operators, the module can be shown RPO-terminating. Here is the reply you get from the NuITP with such an order:

```
Maude> load NuITP.maude
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NuITP
Inductive Theorem Prover
for Maude Equational Theories
(alpha 30 built May 6th 2024)

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```
NuITP> set module NATURAL-LIST .
```

```
Module NATURAL-LIST is now active.
```

```
NuITP> check rpo .
```

```
RPO order defined in module NATURAL-LIST appears to be consistent with the
equations.
```

```
NuITP>
```

The NuITP is then ready for you to enter goals that you wish to prove are inductive theorems of NATURAL-LIST. This is what you will do in Exercise 2 below.

2. You are asked to verify some useful properties of NATURAL-LIST. But first, consider the following generator set for NATURAL-LIST, which you can declare in the NuITP with the command:

```
genset LIND for List is nil ;; n:Natural ;; m:Natural ; Q:NeList .
```

After such a declaration you are then ready to prove the following five inductive theorems about the functions defined in NATURAL-LIST, listed in no particular order:

```
set goal pal(L:List ; rev(L:List)) = tt .
```

```
set goal length(L1:List ; L2:List) = length(L1:List) + length(L2:List) .
```

```
set goal rev(rev(L:List)) = L:List .
```

```
set goal (L1:List ; L2:List) ; L3:List = L1:List ; (L2:List ; L3:List) .
```

```
set goal rev(L1:List ; L2:List) = rev(L2:List) ; rev(L1:List) .
```

For Extra Credit. You can earn 5 more points (that is, you can get a total of 15 points) for this problem if you manage to prove each of these theorems by a single application of the `gsi!` command followed by the `internalize .` command. That is, if you manage to take advantage of the *internalize and conquer* methodology explained in Lecture 16.

Warning: The current alpha 30 version of the NuITP has a known, not yet corrected bug, which can sometimes leave the NuITP in a strange state after given the command:

```
internalize as assoc .
```

It would for example be natural to give such a command after proving the above goal:

```
(L1:List ; L2:List) ; L3:List = L1:List ; (L2:List ; L3:List) .
```

However, due to this known bug, after proving that goal you should instead give the command:

```
internalize .
```

This in no way impairs the possibility of proving each of the above goals by a single application of the `gsi!` command, if proved in a judicious order and internalized.

3. Consider the following dining philosophers example, that you can retrieve from the course web page:

```
fmod NAT/4 is
  protecting NAT .
  sort Nat/4 .
  op [_] : Nat -> Nat/4 .
  op _+_ : Nat/4 Nat/4 -> Nat/4 .
  op *__ : Nat/4 Nat/4 -> Nat/4 .
  op p : Nat/4 -> Nat/4 .
  vars N M : Nat .
  ceq [N] = [N rem 4] if N >= 4 .
  eq [N] + [M] = [N + M] .
  eq [N] * [M] = [N * M] .
  ceq p([0]) = [N] if s(N) := 4 .
  ceq p([s(N)]) = [N] if N < 4 .
endfm

mod DIN-PHIL is
  protecting NAT/4 .
  sorts Oid Cid Attribute AttributeSet Configuration Object Msg .
  sorts Phil Mode .
  subsort Nat/4 < Oid .
  subsort Attribute < AttributeSet .
  subsort Object < Configuration .
  subsort Msg < Configuration .
  subsort Phil < Cid .

  op __ : Configuration Configuration -> Configuration
                                         [ assoc comm id: none ] .
  op _',_ : AttributeSet AttributeSet -> AttributeSet
                                         [ assoc comm id: null ] .

  op null : -> AttributeSet .
  op none : -> Configuration .
  op mode':_ : Mode -> Attribute [ gather ( & ) ] .
  op holds':_ : Configuration -> Attribute [ gather ( & ) ] .
  op <_:_|_> : Oid Cid AttributeSet -> Object .
  op Phil : -> Phil .

  ops t h e : -> Mode .
  op chop : Nat/4 Nat/4 -> Msg [comm] .
  op init : -> Configuration .
  op make-init : Nat/4 -> Configuration .

  vars N M K : Nat .
  var C : Configuration .

  ceq init = make-init([N]) if s(N) := 4 .
  ceq make-init([s(N)])
```

```

= < [s(N)] : Phil | mode : t , holds : none > make-init([N]) (chop([s(N)], [N]))
if N < 4 .
ceq make-init([0]) =
  < [0] : Phil | mode : t , holds : none > chop([0], [N]) if s(N) := 4 .

rl [t2h] : < [N] : Phil | mode : t , holds : none > =>
  < [N] : Phil | mode : h , holds : none > .
cr1 [pickl] : < [N] : Phil | mode : h , holds : none > chop([N], [M])
  => < [N] : Phil | mode : h , holds : chop([N], [M]) > if [M] = [s(N)] .
rl [pickr] : < [N] : Phil | mode : h , holds : chop([N], [M]) >
  chop([N], [K]) =>
  < [N] : Phil | mode : h , holds : chop([N], [M]) chop([N], [K]) > .
rl [h2e] : < [N] : Phil | mode : h , holds : chop([N], [M])
  chop([N], [K]) > => < [N] : Phil | mode : e ,
  holds : chop([N], [M]) chop([N], [K]) > .
rl [e2t] : < [N] : Phil | mode : e , holds : chop([N], [M])
  chop([N], [K]) > => chop([N], [M]) chop([N], [K])
  < [N] : Phil | mode : t , holds : none > .
endm

```

There are four philosophers, that you can imagine eating in a circular table. Initially they are all in thinking mode (**t**), but they can go into hungry mode (**h**), and after picking the left and right chopsticks (they eat Chinese food) into eating mode (**e**), and then can return to thinking.

The identities of the philosophers are naturals modulo 4, with contiguous philosophers arranged in increasing order from left to right (but wrapping around to 0 at 4). The chopsticks are numbered, with each chopstick indicating the two philosophers next to it.

Prove, by giving appropriate search commands from the initial state `init`, the following properties:

- (contiguous mutual exclusion): it is never the case that two *contiguous* philosophers are eating simultaneously.
- (mutual non-exclusion): it is however possible for two philosophers to eat simultaneously.
- (three exclusion): it is impossible for three philosophers to eat simultaneously.
- (deadlock) the system can deadlock (this of course is a *bad* property: the violation of so-called *deadlock freedom*).