COMP 4161
NICTA Advanced Course

Advanced Topics in Software Verification

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- ➜ Foundations & Principles
  - Lambda Calculus, natural deduction [1,2]
  - Higher Order Logic [3[a]]
  - Term rewriting [4]
- ➜ Proof & Specification Techniques
  - Isar [5]
  - Inductively defined sets, rule induction [6[b]]
  - Datatypes, recursion, induction [7[c], 8]
  - Calculational reasoning, code generation [9]
  - Hoare logic, proofs about programs [10[d],11,12]

[a] a1 due; [b] a2 due; [c] session break; [d] a3 due

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DATATYPES IN ISAR

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Datatype case distinction

proof (cases $term$)
  case Constructor$_1$
  ⋮
next
⋮
next
  case (Constructor$_k$ $\vec{x}$)
  $\ldots$ $\vec{x}$ $\ldots$
qed

case (Constructor$_i$ $\vec{x}$) $\equiv$
fix $\vec{x}$ **assume** Constructor$_i$: "$term$ = Constructor$_i$ $\vec{x}$"

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Structural induction for type nat

show $P\ n$
proof (induct n)
  case 0 ≡ **let** $?case = P\ 0$
  ...
  show $?case$
next
  case (Suc n) ≡ **fix** n **assume** Suc: $P\ n$
  ... **let** $?case = P\ (\text{Suc}\ n)$
  ... n ...
  show $?case$
qed

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Structural induction with $\Longrightarrow$ and $\bigwedge$

show "$\bigwedge x.\ A\ n \Longrightarrow P\ n$"
proof (induct n)
  case 0 ≡ **fix** x **assume** 0: "$A\ 0$"
  ... **let** $?case$ = "$P\ 0$"
  show $?case$
next
  case (Suc n) ≡ **fix** n and x
  ... **assume** Suc: "$\bigwedge x.\ A\ n \Longrightarrow P\ n$"
  ... n ... "$A\ (\text{Suc}\ n)$"
  ... **let** $?case$ = "$P\ (\text{Suc}\ n)$"
  show $?case$
qed

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DEMO: DATATYPES IN ISAR

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DEMO: REGULAR EXPRESSIONS

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We have seen today ...

- Datatypes in Isar
- Defining regular wxpressions as a data type
- Playing with recursion and induction

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