

Homework 2 - Inductive Proof

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Problem 1. (30 points)

- (a) Please look at page 21 in slide "inductive-proof". In the proof of the second case $\frac{n \text{ nat}}{S(n) \text{ nat}}$, what is the assumption in this case and what is the difference between assumption and I.H.?
- (b) We define a judgment form $IsNat\ x\ a$.

$$\frac{x \text{ nat}}{IsNat\ x\ true} NatRule \quad \frac{x \text{ list}}{IsNat\ x\ false} ListRule \quad \frac{x \text{ tree}}{IsNat\ x\ false} TreeRule$$

For which rule we can use its inversion rule? If there exists such rule, point it out and give an explanation. If no rules can be inverted, give an explanation.

- (c) We define a judgment form $add'\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$ (another definition for addition):

$$\frac{}{add'\ Z\ Z\ Z} add'Z \quad \frac{add'\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3}{add'\ (Sn_1)\ n_2\ (Sn_3)} add'-l \quad \frac{add'\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3}{add'\ n_1\ (Sn_2)\ (Sn_3)} add'-r$$

For which rule we can use its inversion rule? If there exists such rule, point it out and give an explanation. If no rules can be inverted, give an explanation.

Solution.

- (a) "n nat" is assumption. Assumption includes the judgments which are already given. I.H. means we can assume that the property P which we want to prove holds for a particular instance.
- (b) We can only use the inversion rule of NatRule. Because the judgment "IsNat x true" can only come from NatRule while "IsNat x false" can come from ListRule or TreeRule.
- (c) No inversion rule of these rules can be used.

$add'Z$ is an axiom and we can derive nothing.

For $add'-l$ and $add'-r$, consider the judgement " $add'\ (Sn_1)\ (Sn_2)\ (Sn_3)$ ". It can either come from " $add'\ n_1\ (Sn_2)\ n_3$ " with $add'-l$ or from " $add'\ (Sn_1)\ n_2\ n_3$ " with $add'-r$.

Problem 2. (30 points)

- (a) (15 points) Give an inductive definition of the judgment form $\max\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$, which indicates the max number between n_1 and n_2 is n_3 .

(b) (15 points) Prove by induction: if $\max n_1 n_2 n_3$, then $\max n_2 n_1 n_3$.

Solution.

(a) **define** $\max n_1 n_2 n_3$

$$\frac{}{\max Z n n} \max Z N \quad \frac{}{\max n Z n} \max N Z$$

$$\frac{\max n_1 n_2 n_3}{\max S(n_1) S(n_2) S(n_3)} \max S$$

(In $\max Z N$, you can define it as $\frac{n \text{ nat}}{\max Z n n}$. Type check is not necessary.)

(b) **Proof:** By induction on the derivation of $\max n_1 n_2 n_3$

1. **Case:** $\frac{}{\max Z n n} \max Z N$

Need to Prove: if $\max Z n n$, then $\max n Z n$.

$$(1) \max n Z n \quad (\text{By } \max N Z)$$

2. **Case:** $\frac{}{\max Z n n} \max Z N$

Similar to the previous case.

3. **Case:** $\frac{\max n_1 n_2 n_3}{\max S(n_1) S(n_2) S(n_3)} \max S$

Need to Prove: if $\max S(n_1) S(n_2) S(n_3)$ then $\max S(n_2) S(n_1) S(n_3)$

$$(1) \max n_1 n_2 n_3 \quad (\text{By assumption})$$

$$(2) \max n_2 n_1 n_3 \quad (\text{By (1) and I.H.})$$

$$(3) \max S(n_2) S(n_1) S(n_3) \quad (\text{By (2) and } \max S)$$

(Usually we can omit "let $xx=...$ ")

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Problem 3. (20 points)

(a) Recall the definition of addition by $\text{add } n_1 n_2 n_3$ judgment taught in the lecture.

(b) (15 points) Prove by induction: If $\text{add } n_1 n_2 n_3$, then $\text{add } n_2 n_1 n_3$ (Commutative law of add).

(**Hint:** You can begin with proof of this lemma: If $n \text{ nat}$, then $\text{add } n Z n$.)

Solution.

(a) **define** $add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$

$$\frac{}{add\ Z\ n\ n}AddZ \quad \frac{add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3}{add\ S(n_1)\ n_2\ S(n_3)}AddS$$

(b) **Proof:** We first prove the following lemmas.

Lemma 1. *If n nat, then $add\ n\ Z\ n$*

Proof: By induction on the derivation of n nat

1. **Case:** $\frac{}{Z\ nat}Z$

Need to Prove: $add\ Z\ Z\ Z$

$$(1)\ add\ Z\ Z\ Z \quad (By\ AddZ\ and\ let\ n = Z)$$

2. **Case:** $\frac{n\ nat}{S(n)\ nat}S$

Need to Prove: $add\ S(n)\ Z\ S(n)$

$$(1)\ add\ n\ Z\ n \quad (By\ I.H.)$$

$$(2)\ add\ S(n)\ Z\ S(n) \quad (By\ (1)\ and\ AddS)$$

Lemma 2. *If $add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$, then $add\ n_1\ S(n_2)\ S(n_3)$*

Proof: By induction on the derivation of $add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$

1. **Case:** $\frac{}{add\ Z\ n\ n}AddZ$

Need to Prove: If $add\ Z\ n\ n$, then $add\ Z\ S(n)\ S(n)$

$$(1)\ add\ Z\ S(n)\ S(n) \quad (By\ AddZ)$$

2. **Case:** $\frac{add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3}{add\ S(n_1)\ n_2\ S(n_3)}AddS$

Need to Prove: If $add\ S(n_1)\ n_2\ S(n_3)$, then $add\ S(n_1)\ S(n_2)\ S(S(n_3))$

$$(1)\ add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3 \quad (By\ assumption)$$

$$(2)\ add\ n_1\ S(n_2)\ S(n_3) \quad (By\ (1)\ and\ I.H.)$$

$$(3)\ add\ S(n_1)\ S(n_2)\ S(S(n_3)) \quad (By\ (2)\ and\ AddS)$$

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Then we prove the commutative law of add:

(Commutative law) If $add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$, then $add\ n_2\ n_1\ n_3$

Proof: By induction on the derivation of $add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3$

1. **Case:** $\frac{}{add\ Z\ n\ n}AddZ$

Need to Prove: If $add\ Z\ n\ n$, then $add\ n\ Z\ n$

$$(1)\ add\ n\ Z\ n \qquad (By\ lemma\ 1)$$

2. **Case:** $\frac{add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3}{add\ S(n_1)\ n_2\ S(n_3)}AddS$

Need to Prove: If $add\ S(n_1)\ n_2\ S(n_3)$, then $add\ n_2\ S(n_1)\ S(n_3)$

$$(1)\ add\ n_1\ n_2\ n_3 \qquad (By\ assumption)$$

$$(2)\ add\ n_2\ n_1\ n_3 \qquad (By\ (1)\ and\ I.H.)$$

$$(3)\ add\ n_2\ S(n_1)\ S(n_3) \qquad (By\ (2)\ and\ lemma\ 2)$$

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Problem 4. (30 points) Recall the definition of natural numbers by $n\ nat$ judgment taught in the lecture.

(a) (10 points) Give an inductive definition of the judgment form $fib\ n_1\ n_2$, which indicates the n_1^{th} Fibonacci number is n_2 .

(b) (10 points) Give an inductive definition of the judgment form $fibsum\ n_1\ n_2$, which indicates the sum of the first n_1 Fibonacci numbers is n_2 .

(c) (10 points) Prove by induction: If $fibsum\ n\ m$ then $fib\ succ(succ(n))\ succ(m)$, that is

$$F_{n+2} = \sum_{i=1}^n F_i + 1.$$

Solution.

(a) **Define** $fib\ n_1\ n_2$

$$\frac{}{fib\ Z\ Z}fibZ \qquad \frac{}{fib\ S(Z)\ S(Z)}fibSZ$$

$$\frac{fib\ n_1\ n_2\ fib\ S(n_1)\ n_3\ add\ n_2\ n_3\ n_4}{fib\ S(S(n_1))\ n_4}fibS$$

You can reuse previously defined add here, or define it again. And you can assume fib numbers starts with 1 instead of 0, and the definition should be a little bit. That is also ok.

(b) **Define** $fibsum\ n_1\ n_2$

$$\frac{}{fibsum\ Z\ Z}fibsumZ \qquad \frac{fibsum\ n_1\ n_2\ fib\ S(n_1)\ n_3\ add\ n_2\ n_3\ n_4}{fibsum\ S(n_1)\ n_4}fibsumS$$

(c) **Proof:** By induction on the derivation of $fibsum\ n_1\ n_2$

1. **Case:** $\frac{}{fibsum\ Z\ Z} fibsum\ Z$

Need to Prove: If $fibsum\ Z\ Z$, then $fib\ S(S(Z))\ S(Z)$

- (1) $fib\ Z\ Z$ (By $fibZ$)
- (2) $fib\ S(Z)\ S(Z)$ (By $fibSZ$)
- (3) $add\ Z\ S(Z)\ S(Z)$ (By $AddZ$)
- (4) $fib\ S(S(Z))\ S(Z)$ (By (1), (2), (3) and $fibS$)

2. **Case:** $\frac{fibsum\ n_1\ n_2\ fib\ S(n_1)\ n_3\ add\ n_2\ n_3\ n_4}{fibsum\ S(n_1)\ n_4} fibsum\ S$

Need to Prove: If $fibsum\ S(n_1)\ n_4$, then $fib\ S(S(S(n_1)))\ S(n_4)$

- (1) $fibsum\ n_1\ n_2$ (By *assumption*)
- (2) $fib\ S(S(n_1))\ S(n_2)$ (By (1) and *I.H.*)
- (3) $fib\ S(n_1)\ n_3$ (By *assumption*)
- (4) $add\ n_2\ n_3\ n_4$ (By *assumption*)
- (5) $add\ S(n_2)\ n_3\ S(n_4)$ (By (4) and $AddS$)
- (6) $add\ n_3\ S(n_2)\ S(n_4)$ (By (5) and *commutative law of add*)
- (7) $fib\ S(S(S(n_1)))\ S(n_4)$ (By (2), (3), (6) and $fibS$)

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