CMPS 253 Software Engineering — Fall 2010–11 Section 1 MIDTERM EXAM 50 minutes December 8, 2010

Please draw a horizontal line across the page between the answers to each question

You may refer to the following during the exam:

- the course textbook
- the course lecture notes
- your homework solutions
- any notes that you have taken in class

You may **not** refer to any other materials. Good luck!

1. (40 points) You will receive no credit if you do not show intermediate assertions.

(a, 10 points) Find a nontrivial (i.e., not identical to false) precondition P so that the following is valid, where x, y are integer variables. Show all intermediate assersions.

$$P$$

$$y = x;$$

$$x = y;$$

$$\{x + y = 0\}$$

(b, 10 points) Find a nontrivial (i.e., not identical to true) postcondition Q so that the following is valid, where x, y are integer variables. Show all intermediate assersions.

$$\begin{aligned} \{x+y=0\} \\ x=-x; \\ y=x; \\ \{Q\} \end{aligned}$$

(c, 20 points) Find a nontrivial (i.e., not identical to false) precondition P so that the following is valid, where x, y, z are integer variables. Show all intermediate assersions.

2. (60 points) Write an instance method union for the IntSet data abstraction that satisfies the following specification (where U denotes the set union operator):

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public void union(IntSet s)
    //REQUIRES: s != null
    //EFFECTS: AF(els,top)_post = AF(els,top) U AF(s.els, s.top)
    //MODIFIES: els, top
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Your method is to be implemented within the IntSetNoDupSort implementation.

You earn the 60 points for this question as follows:

- (a, 20 points) Write code that is correct.
- (b, 20 points) Annotate the code with assertions, and use these to show that the code is correct, i.e., that the postcondition (EFFECTS clause) holds upon termination provided that the precondition $s \neq \text{null}$ holds initially.
- (c, 20 points) Show that your implementation runs in time O(top + s.top).