

14F-1 Bookkeeping

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do-while loop is essentially a regular while loop but we perform the command c first.

So we have

$$\text{do } c \text{ while } b \equiv c ; \text{ while } b \text{ do } c.$$

therefore, we can build upon the Hoare Logic for while loop as shown in class for do-while:

$$\frac{\vdash \{A\} c \{B\} \quad \vdash \{B \wedge b\} c \{B\}}{\vdash \{A\} \text{do } c \text{ while } b \{B \wedge \neg b\}}$$

4 4F-4 Axiomatic Do-While

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