

Name: _____

1. [2.5 points] Verify the correctness of the following program segment.

$\{x \leq y\}$ if $y > 10$ then $x = 4$ else $y = 12$ end if $\{x \leq 10\}$
--

2. [2.5 points] The loop inference rule of program correctness only ensures that the loop statement is “partially correct”. Which crucial property of a working program is not guaranteed by the loop inference rule?
3. [2.5 points] Use Euclid’s algorithm to compute $\text{gcd}(15708, 1870)$. You may use a calculator for arithmetic, but show all other work involved in executing the algorithm.

4. [2.5 points] Use induction to prove that $\frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n \cdot (n+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$ for every positive integer n .