

CIS 6930: Foundations of Software Security
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Assignment 1

Write a formal, two-column proof of the following theorem:

$$\forall s, s' : (s \mapsto^* s') \iff (\exists n : (\vdash n : nat) \wedge (s \mapsto^n s'))$$

Hint: Structure your proof as two subproofs, one for the *if* direction (\implies), and the other for the *only-if* direction (\impliedby), of the theorem.

Complete the assignment by yourself. At the end of your proof, write the following: “I pledge my Honor that I have not cheated on this assignment.” Sign your name after your pledge.