$$(((\mathbf{f} \circ \mathbf{g})) \circ \mathbf{h})(a^*, \mathbf{d}) = \bigvee_{c \in \mathbf{C}} \left(\bigvee_{b \in \mathbf{B}} \mathbf{f}(a^*, \mathbf{b}) \wedge \mathbf{g}(b^*, \mathbf{c}) \right) \wedge \mathbf{h}(c^*, \mathbf{d})$$
$$= \bigvee_{c \in \mathbf{C}} \left(\bigvee_{b \in B} \mathbf{f}(a^*, \mathbf{b}) \wedge \mathbf{g}(b^*, \mathbf{c}) \wedge \mathbf{h}(c^*, \mathbf{d}) \right)$$

 $= (\mathbf{f} \circ (\mathbf{g} \circ \mathbf{h}))(a^*, \mathbf{d}).$

 $= \bigvee_{b \in \mathbf{B}} \mathbf{f}(a^*, b) \wedge \left(\bigvee_{c \in \mathbf{C}} \mathbf{g}(b^*, c) \wedge \mathbf{h}(c^*, d) \right)$