

Properties & Confinement.

1. Binary Predicate Properties.

1) Symmetry: anything stands in a relationship of the predicate stands in the opposite as well.

i.e. π^2 is symmetry iff $\forall \alpha \forall \beta (\pi(\alpha\beta) \leftrightarrow \pi(\beta\alpha))$

e.g. a loves b; b loves a. (not symmetry)

a touches b \leftrightarrow b touches a (symmetry).

2) Transitivity:

π^2 is transitive iff $\forall \alpha \forall \beta \forall \gamma (\pi(\alpha\beta) \wedge \pi(\beta\gamma) \rightarrow \pi(\alpha\gamma))$

e.g. a is taller than b, b is taller than c \rightarrow a is taller than c.

3) Reflexivity: anything stands in a relationship of itself.

i.e. π^2 is reflexive iff $\forall \alpha \pi(\alpha\alpha)$.

e.g. red is the same color of red.

e.g. $\exists x \exists y (R(xy) \wedge x \neq y)$. $\forall x \forall y (R(xy) \rightarrow R(yx))$. $\forall x \forall y \forall z (R(xy) \wedge R(yz) \rightarrow R(xz))$

$\therefore \forall x R(xx)$ Invalid.

Pr1: some pair in R and the member in pair are not the same.

Pr2: if (x,y) in R then (y,x) in R. (Symmetry).

Pr3: if (x,y) and (y,z) in R, then (x,z) in R. (Transitive).

$\neg C: \sim \forall x R(xx)$ (not reflexive) $= \exists x \sim R(xx)$.

There is sth. in UD that not (x,x) .

UD: $\{0, 1, 2\}$

R: $\{(0,1), (1,0), (0,0), (1,1)\}$

① noting since it's 'for all', x might be same as z.

② $(0,1), (1,0)$ follows Pr3; don't forget $(1,0)$.

2. Prenex Form.

1) All quantifiers in the front (Confinement).

① Conjunctions & Disjunctions: Directly take to the front.

(restriction: α can't be free in ϕ).

$$(\forall \alpha \pi \alpha \wedge \phi) \leftrightarrow \forall \alpha (\pi \alpha \wedge \phi) \quad (\exists \alpha \pi \alpha \wedge \phi) \leftrightarrow \exists \alpha (\pi \alpha \wedge \phi).$$

$$(\forall \alpha \pi \alpha \vee \phi) \leftrightarrow \forall \alpha (\pi \alpha \vee \phi) \quad (\exists \alpha \pi \alpha \vee \phi) \leftrightarrow \exists \alpha (\pi \alpha \vee \phi).$$

$$\text{e.g. } \exists x (\neg x \wedge \forall y (\neg y \rightarrow \phi y)) \equiv \exists x \forall y (\neg x \wedge (\neg y \rightarrow \phi y)).$$

② Conditionals. (restriction: α can't be free in ϕ).

→ In consequence: Directly take to the front.

$$(\phi \rightarrow \exists \alpha \pi \alpha) \leftrightarrow \exists \alpha (\phi \rightarrow \pi \alpha); (\phi \rightarrow \forall \alpha \pi \alpha) \leftrightarrow \forall \alpha (\phi \rightarrow \pi \alpha).$$

→ In antecedent: When taking out, the quantifier changes.

$$(\exists \alpha \pi \alpha \rightarrow \phi) \leftrightarrow \forall \alpha (\pi \alpha \rightarrow \phi); (\forall \alpha \pi \alpha \rightarrow \phi) \leftrightarrow \exists \alpha (\pi \alpha \rightarrow \phi).$$

③ Biconditional (Use the rules above).

$$(\phi \leftrightarrow \psi) \equiv (\phi \rightarrow \psi) \wedge (\psi \rightarrow \phi).$$

2) Each quantifier has a different letter.

3) No biconditionals.

e.g. $\exists x \neg x \rightarrow \forall x Hx \wedge \sim \forall y \phi y$ into Prenex Form.

$$\equiv \exists x \neg x \rightarrow \forall x Hx \wedge \exists y \sim \phi y.$$

$$\equiv \exists x \neg x \rightarrow \forall x \exists y (Hx \wedge \sim \phi y)$$

$$\equiv \exists x \neg x \rightarrow \forall x \exists y (Hz \wedge \sim \phi y).$$

$$\equiv \forall x \forall z \exists y (\neg x \rightarrow (Hz \wedge \sim \phi y)).$$

In single predicate it doesn't matter because one doesn't relate to other. (change the consequence of quantifiers)

However, in multiple, $\forall x \exists y f(x,y)$

$$\neq \exists y \forall x f(x,y)$$

↓ specific

generic.

there exists $\forall y$
 $\exists y \forall y \rightarrow \forall x (\neg x \wedge \phi x)$

\neq

$\exists y (\forall y \rightarrow \forall x (\neg x \wedge \phi x))$

if there is $\forall y$.

