

Transitive Mirror Theorems

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In this paper I present three transitive mirror theorems found in Path Semantical Logic.

Similar to Normal^[1] and Abstract^[2] Implication Theorems, there are two Transitive Mirror Theorems, which are proofs in Path Semantical Logic^[3]:

(a, b) (C, D): (a => b), b(C), b(D) => (C = D)	Normal Transitive Mirror Theorem
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(a, b) (C, D): (a => b), b(C)=b(D) => (C = D)	Abstract Transitive Mirror Theorem
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(a, b) (C, D): (a => b), b(C)=>b(D) => (C => D)	Transitive One-Way Mirror Theorem
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Here, the tuple `(a, b)` has level 0 and the tuple `(C, D)` has level 1.

The notation `b(C)` means `b=>C` where `C` is at a higher level.

Notice that these levels follow the new standard order^[4].

There is no corresponding analogue of the Constrained Implication Theorem^[5].

However, there is a related “one-way mirror” version that has `C => D` instead.

The Normal Transitive Mirror Theorem written in an alternative notation:

(a, b) (c, d):
a => b
b => c
b => d

c = d

The “mirror” happens by `a => b` being transported into `c = d`, despite `a => b` being directional. Since `b` implies both `c` and `d`, by transitivity `a` also implies both `c` and `d`.

This can be interpreted as `c` and `d` being mirrored or swapped at each end-point of `a => b`:

(a => c) ^ (b => d)	(a => d) ^ (b => c)
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