

CS 60–231
Solution to Assignment #2

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2.1.(f) Evaluate $(\exists x)((\forall y) \sim Q(y, x) \wedge (P(x) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, x) \wedge Q(z, z))))$.

Solution:

Let $x = 1$, we obtain $(\forall y) \sim Q(y, 1) \wedge (P(1) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, 1) \wedge Q(z, z)))$

In $(P(1) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, 1) \wedge Q(z, z)))$, since $P(1) \equiv \text{T}$, we must evaluate $(\exists z)(Q(z, 1) \wedge Q(z, z))$.

Let $z = 1$. We obtain $Q(1, 1) \wedge Q(1, 1) \equiv \text{F} \wedge \text{F} \equiv \text{F}$,

Let $z = 2$. We obtain $Q(2, 1) \wedge Q(2, 2) \equiv \text{F} \wedge \text{T} \equiv \text{F}$,

Therefore, $(\exists z)(Q(z, 1) \wedge Q(z, z))$ is evaluated to *false*

which implies that $(P(1) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, 1) \wedge Q(z, z)))$ is evaluated to *false*.

Hence, $(\forall y) \sim Q(y, 1) \wedge (P(1) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, 1) \wedge Q(z, z)))$ is evaluated to *false*.

Let $x = 2$, we obtain $(\forall y) \sim Q(y, 2) \wedge (P(2) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, 2) \wedge Q(z, z)))$.

In $(\forall y) \sim Q(y, 2)$, let $y = 1$, we obtain $\sim Q(1, 2) \equiv \sim \text{T} \equiv \text{F}$

which implies that $(\forall y) \sim Q(y, 2)$ is evaluated to *false*.

Hence, $(\forall y) \sim Q(y, 2) \wedge (P(2) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, 2) \wedge Q(z, z)))$ is evaluated to *false*.

We thus have $(\exists x)((\forall y) \sim Q(y, x) \wedge (P(x) \Rightarrow (\exists z)(Q(z, x) \wedge Q(z, z))))$ is evaluated to *false*. ■

2.2.(e): Prove $\vdash (\forall x)(\alpha(x) \Rightarrow \beta) \Leftrightarrow ((\exists x)\alpha(x) \Rightarrow \beta)$ where x is not free in β .

Solution: (Bidirectional Proof)

\Rightarrow (Direct proof)

1. $(\forall x)(\alpha(x) \Rightarrow \beta)$ hypothesis
2. $(\forall x)(\sim \alpha(x) \vee \beta)$ 1, E18
3. $(\forall x)\sim \alpha(x) \vee \beta$ 2, FE3 (β contains no free occurrence of x)
4. $\sim (\exists x)\alpha(x) \vee \beta$ 3, FE8
5. $(\exists x)\alpha(x) \Rightarrow \beta$ 4, E18

\Leftarrow The above proof in reversed order.

2.2.(g): Prove $\vdash (\forall x)(\alpha(x) \vee \beta(x)) \Rightarrow (\forall x)\alpha(x) \vee (\exists x)\beta(x)$.

Solution: (Proof by contradiction)

1. $(\forall x)(\alpha(x) \vee \beta(x)) \wedge \sim ((\forall x)\alpha(x) \vee (\exists x)\beta(x))$ hypothesis
2. $(\forall x)(\alpha(x) \vee \beta(x))$ 1, I2
3. $\sim ((\forall x)\alpha(x) \vee (\exists x)\beta(x)) \wedge (\forall x)(\alpha(x) \vee \beta(x))$ 1, E9
4. $\sim ((\forall x)\alpha(x) \vee (\exists x)\beta(x))$ 3, I2
5. $\sim (\forall x)\alpha(x) \wedge \sim (\exists x)\beta(x)$ 4, E17
6. $\sim (\forall x)\alpha(x)$ 5, I2
7. $\sim (\exists x)\beta(x) \wedge \sim (\forall x)\alpha(x)$ 5, E9
8. $\sim (\exists x)\beta(x)$ 7, I2
9. $(\exists x) \sim \alpha(x)$ 6, FE7
10. $(\forall x) \sim \beta(x)$ 8, FE8
11. $\sim \alpha(k)$ 9, EI, k is a constant
12. $\sim \beta(k)$ 10, UI
13. $\sim \alpha(k) \wedge \sim \beta(k)$ 11, 12, I6
14. $\sim (\alpha(k) \vee \beta(k))$ 13, E17
15. $(\alpha(k) \vee \beta(k))$ 2, UI
16. $(\alpha(k) \vee \beta(k)) \wedge \sim (\alpha(k) \vee \beta(k))$ 14, 15, I6

17. *false*

16, E1

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2.3 (a).

Solution:

1. $(\exists x)(\forall y)(P(x) \wedge (Q(y) \Rightarrow R(x, y)))$ from Γ
2. $(\forall x)(\forall y)((P(x) \wedge S(y)) \Rightarrow \sim R(x, y))$ from Γ
3. $(\forall y)(P(k) \wedge (Q(y) \Rightarrow R(k, y)))$ 1, EI, k is a constant
4. $P(k) \wedge (Q(y) \Rightarrow R(k, y))$ 3, UI
5. $(\forall y)((P(k) \wedge S(y)) \Rightarrow \sim R(k, y))$ 2, UI
6. $(P(k) \wedge S(y)) \Rightarrow \sim R(k, y)$ 5, UI
7. $P(k)$ 4, I2
8. $(Q(y) \Rightarrow R(k, y)) \wedge P(k)$ 4, E9
9. $Q(y) \Rightarrow R(k, y)$ 8, I2
10. $\sim R(k, y) \Rightarrow \sim Q(y)$ 9, E19
11. $(P(k) \wedge S(y)) \Rightarrow \sim Q(y)$ 6, 10, I5
12. $\sim(P(k) \wedge S(y)) \vee \sim Q(y)$ 11, E18
13. $(\sim P(k) \vee \sim S(y)) \vee \sim Q(y)$ 12, E16
14. $\sim P(k) \vee (\sim S(y) \vee \sim Q(y))$ 13, E12
15. $P(k) \Rightarrow (\sim S(y) \vee \sim Q(y))$ 14, E18
16. $(\sim S(y) \vee \sim Q(y))$ 7, 15, I3
17. $(\sim Q(y) \vee \sim S(y))$ 16, E10
18. $(Q(y) \Rightarrow \sim S(y))$ 17, E18
19. $(\forall x)(Q(x) \Rightarrow \sim S(x))$ 18, Gen ■

2.3 (d).

Solution:

1. $(\exists x)(P(x) \wedge (\forall y)((R(y) \wedge S(x, y)) \Rightarrow Z(x, y)))$ from Γ
2. $(\forall x)(P(x) \Rightarrow (\exists y)(R(y) \wedge \sim U(x, y) \wedge T(x, y)))$ from Γ
3. $(\forall x)(\forall y)((P(x) \wedge R(y) \wedge T(x, y)) \Rightarrow S(x, y))$ from Γ
4. $P(k) \wedge (\forall y)((R(y) \wedge S(k, y)) \Rightarrow Z(k, y))$ 1, EI, k is a new constant
5. $P(k)$ 4, I2
6. $(\forall y)((R(y) \wedge S(k, y)) \Rightarrow Z(k, y)) \wedge P(k)$ 4, E9
7. $(\forall y)((R(y) \wedge S(k, y)) \Rightarrow Z(k, y))$ 6, I2
8. $P(k) \Rightarrow (\exists y)(R(y) \wedge \sim U(k, y) \wedge T(k, y))$ 2, UI
9. $(\exists y)(R(y) \wedge \sim U(k, y) \wedge T(k, y))$ 5, 8, I3
10. $((R(c) \wedge \sim U(k, c)) \wedge T(k, c))$ 9, EI, c is a new constant
11. $(R(c) \wedge S(k, c)) \Rightarrow Z(k, c)$ 7, UI
12. $(\forall y)((P(k) \wedge R(y) \wedge T(k, y)) \Rightarrow S(k, y))$ 3, UI
13. $((P(k) \wedge R(c)) \wedge T(k, c)) \Rightarrow S(k, c)$ 12, UI
14. $(\sim U(k, c) \wedge R(c)) \wedge T(k, c)$ 10, E9
15. $\sim U(k, c) \wedge (R(c) \wedge T(k, c))$ 14, E11
16. $(R(c) \wedge T(k, c)) \wedge \sim U(k, c)$ 15, E9
17. $R(c) \wedge T(k, c)$ 16, I2
18. $P(k) \wedge (R(c) \wedge T(k, c))$ 5, 17, I6
19. $(P(k) \wedge R(c)) \wedge T(k, c)$ 18, E11
20. $S(k, c)$ 19, 13, I3
21. $R(c)$ 17, I2
22. $R(c) \wedge S(k, c)$ 21, 20, I6
23. $Z(k, c)$ 22, 11, I3
24. $P(k) \wedge R(c)$ 19, I2
25. $(P(k) \wedge R(c)) \wedge Z(k, c)$ 24, 23, I6
26. $\sim U(k, c)$ 15, I2
27. $P(k) \wedge R(c) \wedge Z(k, c) \wedge \sim U(k, c)$ 25, 26, I6

28. $(\exists y)(P(k) \wedge R(y) \wedge Z(k, y) \wedge \sim U(k, y))$ 27, EQ
 29. $(\exists x)(\exists y)(P(x) \wedge R(y) \wedge Z(x, y) \wedge \sim U(x, y))$ 28, EQ ■

2.4 (h). Let U be the set of all animals. .

- $K(x)$: x kicks;
 $E(x)$: x is excitable;
 $D(x)$: x is a donkey;
 $B(x)$: x is a buffalo;
 $H(x)$: x has horns;
 $T(x)$: x can toss one over a gate;
 $S(x)$: x is easy to swallow.

- P1: $(\forall x)(\sim K(x) \Rightarrow \sim E(x))$
 P2: $(\forall x)(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim H(x))$
 P3: $(\forall x)(B(x) \Rightarrow T(x))$
 P4: $\sim (\exists x)(K(x) \wedge S(x))$
 P5: $\sim (\exists x)(\sim H(x) \wedge T(x))$
 P6: $(\forall x)(\sim B(x) \Leftrightarrow E(x))$
 C: $(\forall x)(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim S(x))$

(Direct Proof)

1. $(\forall x)(\sim K(x) \Rightarrow \sim E(x))$ from Γ
2. $(\forall x)(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim H(x))$ from Γ
3. $(\forall x)(B(x) \Rightarrow T(x))$ from Γ
4. $\sim (\exists x)(K(x) \wedge S(x))$ from Γ
5. $\sim (\exists x)(\sim H(x) \wedge T(x))$ from Γ
6. $(\forall x)(\sim B(x) \Leftrightarrow E(x))$ from Γ
7. $(\forall x) \sim (K(x) \wedge S(x))$ 4, FE8
8. $\sim (K(x) \wedge S(x))$ 7, UI
9. $(\sim K(x) \vee \sim S(x))$ 8, E16
10. $K(x) \Rightarrow \sim S(x)$ 9, E18
11. $(\forall x) \sim (\sim H(x) \wedge T(x))$ 5, FE8
12. $\sim (\sim H(x) \wedge T(x))$ 11, UI
13. $\sim \sim H(x) \vee \sim T(x)$ 12, E16
14. $\sim H(x) \Rightarrow \sim T(x)$ 13, E18
15. $(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim H(x))$ 2, UI
16. $(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim T(x))$ 15, 14, I5
17. $(B(x) \Rightarrow T(x))$ 3, UI
18. $(\sim T(x) \Rightarrow \sim B(x))$ 17, E19
19. $(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim B(x))$ 16, 18, I5
20. $(\sim B(x) \Leftrightarrow E(x))$ 6, UI
21. $(\sim B(x) \Rightarrow E(x)) \wedge (E(x) \Rightarrow \sim B(x))$ 20, E20
22. $(\sim B(x) \Rightarrow E(x))$ 21, I2
23. $(D(x) \Rightarrow E(x))$ 19, 22, I5
24. $(\sim K(x) \Rightarrow \sim E(x))$ 1, UI
25. $(E(x) \Rightarrow K(x))$ 24, E19
26. $(D(x) \Rightarrow K(x))$ 23, 25, I5
27. $(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim S(x))$ 26, 10, I5
28. $(\forall x)(D(x) \Rightarrow \sim S(x))$ 27, Gen ■