

A BINARY RELATION R HAS THE EXTENSION PROPERTY IF, WHENEVER R_{xy} AND R_{xz} , THEN R_{yz} . PROVE, USING RESOLUTION, THAT IF RELATION IS SYMMETRIC AND HAS THE EXTENSION PROPERTY, THEN SERIALITY OF THE RELATION IMPLIES REFLEXIVITY. PROVE, BY SEMANTICAL MEANS, THAT THE ASSUMPTION ON SYMMETRY IS NEEDED

$$\forall x \forall y (R_{xy} \rightarrow R_{yx}), \forall x \forall y \forall z (R_{xy} \wedge R_{xz} \rightarrow R_{yz}) \vdash \forall x \exists y R_{xy} \rightarrow \forall x R_{xx}$$

$$\Gamma = \{ \forall x \forall y (R_{xy} \rightarrow R_{yx}), \forall x \forall y \forall z (R_{xy} \wedge R_{xz} \rightarrow R_{yz}), \neg (\forall x \exists y R_{xy} \rightarrow \forall x R_{xx}) \}$$

HERBRAND MODEL

STEP

FORMULA

REASON

1

$$\{\forall x \forall y (R_{xy} \rightarrow R_{yx})\}$$

ASSUMPTION

2

$$\{\forall x \forall y \forall z (R_{xy} \wedge R_{xz} \rightarrow R_{yz})\}$$

ASSUMPTION

3

$$\{\neg (\forall x \exists y R_{xy} \rightarrow \forall x R_{xx})\}$$

ASSUMPTION

4

$$\{\forall y (R_{ay} \rightarrow R_{ya})\}$$

1, 8-EXPANSION

5

$$\{R_{ab} \rightarrow R_{ba}\}$$

4, 8-EXPANSION

6

$$\{\neg R_{ab}, R_{ba}\}$$

5, B-EXPANSION

7

$$\{\forall y \forall z (R_{by} \wedge R_{bz} \rightarrow R_{yz})\}$$

2, 8-EXPANSION

8

$$\{\forall z (R_{ba} \wedge R_{az} \rightarrow R_{az})\}$$

7, 8-EXPANSION

9

$$\{R_{ba} \wedge R_{ba} \rightarrow R_{aa}\}$$

8, 8-EXPANSION

10

$$\{\neg (R_{ba} \wedge R_{ba}), R_{aa}\}$$

9, B-EXPANSION

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 $\{\neg Rba, Ra\alpha\}$

10, P-EXPANSION

12

 $\{\neg(\forall x \exists y Rxy \rightarrow Ra\alpha)\}$

3, Y-EXPANSION

13

 $\{\neg(\exists x Ra\alpha \rightarrow Ra\alpha)\}$

12, Y-EXPANSION

14

 $\{\neg(Rab \rightarrow Ra\alpha)\}$

13, S-EXPANSION

15

 $\{Rab\}$

14, d-EXPANSION

16

 $\{\neg Ra\alpha\}$

14, d-EXPANSION

17

 $\{Rba\}$

6, 15 RESOLUTION

18

 $\{Ra\alpha\}$

17, 11 RESOLUTION

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UNIFICATION

18, 16 RESOLUTION

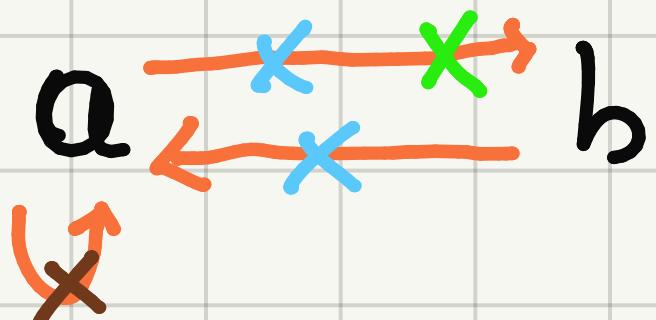
- $\{\forall x y (Rxy \rightarrow Ryx)\} \vdash \{\neg Rxy, Ryx\}$
- $\{\forall x y z (Rxy \wedge Rxz \rightarrow Ryz)\} \vdash \{\neg Rxy, \neg Ryz, Rxz\}$
- $\{\neg(\forall x \exists y Rx\alpha \rightarrow \forall x Rxx)\} \vdash \{\forall x \exists y Rxy, \neg \forall x Rxx\} \vdash \{\neg Rx\alpha x, \neg Ra\alpha\}$

$$CC(F) = \{\neg Rxy, Ryx, \neg Ryz, Rxz, \neg Rx\alpha x, \neg Ra\alpha\}$$

 $\{\neg Rxy, Ryx\}$ $\{Rx\alpha x\}$

 $\{Rx\alpha x\}$ $\{\neg Rxy, \neg Ryz, Rxz\}$

 $\{\neg Rx\alpha x, Rxz\}$ $\{Rx\alpha x\}$



EXTENSION

SERIALITY

REFLEXIVITY

NEED

FOR

SYMMETRY

 $\{Rxz\}$ $\{\neg Ra\alpha\}$ $\{\neg Ra\alpha\}$ \emptyset

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LET R BE A REFLEXIVE BINARY RELATION SATISFYING THE FORMULA

$\forall u \forall v \forall x (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx)$. USE RESOLUTION (BOTH HERBRAND MODEL AND UNIFICATION) TO PROVE THAT R IS TRANSITIVE

$$\forall x Rx, \forall u \forall v \forall x (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx) \vdash$$

$$\vdash \forall e \forall f \forall g (eRf \wedge fRg \rightarrow eRg)$$

$$M = \{ \forall x Rx, \forall u \forall v \forall x (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx),$$

$$\neg \forall e \forall f \forall g (eRf \wedge fRg \rightarrow eRg) \} =$$

$$= \{ \forall x Rx, \forall u \forall v \forall x (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx),$$

$$[\exists e \forall f \forall g. \neg (eRf \wedge fRg \rightarrow eRg)]$$

HERBRAND MODEL

STEP	FORMULA	REASON
1	$\{\forall x Rx\}$	ASSUMPTION
2	$\{\forall u \forall v \forall x (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx)\}$	ASSUMPTION
3	$[\exists e \forall f \forall g. \neg (eRf \wedge fRg \rightarrow eRg)]$	ASSUMPTION
4	$\{\exists a Ra\}$	1, F-EXPANSION
5	$\{\forall u \forall v \forall x (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx)\}$	2, Y-EXPANSION
6	$\{\forall x \forall y (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx)\}$	5, F-EXPANSION
7	$\{\forall y (xRu \wedge xRv \wedge yRu \wedge yRv \rightarrow yRx)\}$	6, Y-EXPANSION