

# Formalization in Isabelle/HOL of Types, Tableaus and Gödel's God

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## 1 Embedding of an Intensional Higher-Order Modal Logic

The following embedding of HOML in Isabelle/HOL is inspired by the work of [?]. We expand this approach to allow for intensional types and actualist quantifiers as exposed in the book ([?]).

### 1.1 Declarations

**typedec1**  $i$  — Type for possible worlds  
**type-synonym**  $io = (i \Rightarrow bool)$  — Type for formulas whose truth-value is world-dependent  
**typedec1**  $e$  ( $0$ ) — Type for individuals

Aliases for common unary predicate types:

**type-synonym**  $ie = (i \Rightarrow 0)$  ( $\uparrow 0$ )  
**type-synonym**  $se = (0 \Rightarrow bool)$  ( $\langle 0 \rangle$ )  
**type-synonym**  $ise = (0 \Rightarrow io)$  ( $\uparrow \langle 0 \rangle$ )  
**type-synonym**  $sie = (\uparrow 0 \Rightarrow bool)$  ( $\langle \uparrow 0 \rangle$ )  
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**type-synonym**  $isisise = (\uparrow \langle \uparrow \langle 0 \rangle \rangle \Rightarrow io)$  ( $\uparrow \langle \uparrow \langle \uparrow \langle 0 \rangle \rangle \rangle$ )  
**type-synonym**  $sse = \langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow bool$  ( $\langle \langle 0 \rangle \rangle$ )  
**type-synonym**  $isse = \langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow io$  ( $\uparrow \langle \langle 0 \rangle \rangle$ )

Aliases for common binary relation types:

**type-synonym**  $see = (0 \Rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow bool)$  ( $\langle \langle 0, 0 \rangle \rangle$ )

**type-synonym**  $isee = (\mathbf{0} \Rightarrow \mathbf{0} \Rightarrow io) \quad (\uparrow \langle \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{0} \rangle)$   
**type-synonym**  $sieie = (\uparrow \mathbf{0} \Rightarrow \uparrow \mathbf{0} \Rightarrow bool) \quad (\langle \uparrow \mathbf{0}, \uparrow \mathbf{0} \rangle)$   
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**consts**  $aRel :: i \Rightarrow i \Rightarrow bool$  (**infixr**  $r$  70) — Accessibility relation

## 1.2 Definition of Logical Operators

**abbreviation**  $mnot :: io \Rightarrow io$  ( $\neg$ -[52]53)  
**where**  $\neg \varphi \equiv \lambda w. \neg(\varphi w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mand :: io \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow io$  (**infixr**  $\wedge$  51)  
**where**  $\varphi \wedge \psi \equiv \lambda w. (\varphi w) \wedge (\psi w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mor :: io \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow io$  (**infixr**  $\vee$  50)  
**where**  $\varphi \vee \psi \equiv \lambda w. (\varphi w) \vee (\psi w)$   
**abbreviation**  $xor :: bool \Rightarrow bool \Rightarrow bool$  (**infixr**  $\oplus$  50)  
**where**  $\varphi \oplus \psi \equiv (\varphi \vee \psi) \wedge \neg(\varphi \wedge \psi)$   
**abbreviation**  $mxor :: io \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow io$  (**infixr**  $\oplus$  50)  
**where**  $\varphi \oplus \psi \equiv \lambda w. (\varphi w) \oplus (\psi w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mimp :: io \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow io$  (**infixr**  $\rightarrow$  49)  
**where**  $\varphi \rightarrow \psi \equiv \lambda w. (\varphi w) \rightarrow (\psi w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mequ :: io \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow io$  (**infixr**  $\leftrightarrow$  48)  
**where**  $\varphi \leftrightarrow \psi \equiv \lambda w. (\varphi w) \leftrightarrow (\psi w)$

Possibilist quantifiers:

**abbreviation**  $mforall :: (t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  ( $\forall$ )  
**where**  $\forall \Phi \equiv \lambda w. \forall x. (\Phi x w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mexists :: (t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  ( $\exists$ )  
**where**  $\exists \Phi \equiv \lambda w. \exists x. (\Phi x w)$

Binder notation for quantifies:

**abbreviation**  $mforallB :: (t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  (**binder**  $\forall$  [8]9)  
**where**  $\forall x. \varphi(x) \equiv \forall \varphi$   
**abbreviation**  $mexistsB :: (t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  (**binder**  $\exists$  [8]9)  
**where**  $\exists x. \varphi(x) \equiv \exists \varphi$

## 1.3 Definition of Actualist Quantifiers

No polymorphic types are needed in the definitions since actualist quantification only makes sense for individuals.

The following predicate is used to model actualist quantifiers by restricting domains of quantification. Note that since this is a meta-logical concept we

never use it in our object language.

**consts**  $Exists::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  ( $existsAt$ )

Actualist quantifiers

**abbreviation**  $mforallAct :: \uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle (\forall^E)$   
**where**  $\forall^E \Phi \equiv \lambda w. \forall x. (existsAt\ x\ w) \longrightarrow (\Phi\ x\ w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mexistsAct :: \uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle (\exists^E)$   
**where**  $\exists^E \Phi \equiv \lambda w. \exists x. (existsAt\ x\ w) \wedge (\Phi\ x\ w)$

Binder notation for quantifiers:

**abbreviation**  $mforallActB :: \uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle (\text{binder}\forall^E[8]9)$   
**where**  $\forall^E x. \varphi(x) \equiv \forall^E \varphi$   
**abbreviation**  $mexistsActB :: \uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle (\text{binder}\exists^E[8]9)$   
**where**  $\exists^E x. \varphi(x) \equiv \exists^E \varphi$

## 1.4 Definition of Modal Operators

**abbreviation**  $mbox :: io \Rightarrow io$  ( $\Box$ -[52]53)  
**where**  $\Box \varphi \equiv \lambda w. \forall v. (w\ r\ v) \longrightarrow (\varphi\ v)$   
**abbreviation**  $mdia :: io \Rightarrow io$  ( $\Diamond$ -[52]53)  
**where**  $\Diamond \varphi \equiv \lambda w. \exists v. (w\ r\ v) \wedge (\varphi\ v)$

## 1.5 Definition of the *extension-of* Operator

In contrast to the approach taken in the book (p. 88), the  $\downarrow$  operator is embedded as a binary operator applying to (world-dependent) atomic formulas whose first argument is a ‘relativized’ term (preceded by  $\downarrow$ ). Depending on the types involved we need to define this operator differently to ensure type correctness.

(a) Predicate  $\varphi$  takes an (intensional) individual concept as argument:

**abbreviation**  $mextIndiv::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow io$  (**infix**  $\downarrow$  60)  
**where**  $\varphi \downarrow c \equiv \lambda w. \varphi\ (c\ w)\ w$

(b) Predicate  $\varphi$  takes an intensional predicate as argument:

**abbreviation**  $mextPredArg::('t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow ('t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  (**infix**  $\downarrow$  60)  
**where**  $\varphi \downarrow P \equiv \lambda w. \varphi\ (\lambda x\ u. P\ x\ w)\ w$

(c) Predicate  $\varphi$  takes an extensional predicate as argument:

**abbreviation**  $extPredArg::('t \Rightarrow bool) \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow ('t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  (**infix**  $\downarrow$  60)  
**where**  $\varphi \downarrow P \equiv \lambda w. \varphi\ (\lambda x. P\ x\ w)\ w$

(d) Predicate  $\varphi$  takes an extensional predicate as first argument:

**abbreviation**  $extPredArg1::('t \Rightarrow bool) \Rightarrow 'b \Rightarrow io \Rightarrow ('t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow 'b \Rightarrow io$  (**infix**  $\downarrow_1$  60)  
**where**  $\varphi \downarrow_1 P \equiv \lambda z. \lambda w. \varphi\ (\lambda x. P\ x\ w)\ z\ w$

## 1.6 Definition of Equality

**abbreviation**  $meq :: 't \Rightarrow 't \Rightarrow io$  (**infix**  $\approx 60$ ) — normal equality (for all types)  
**where**  $x \approx y \equiv \lambda w. x = y$   
**abbreviation**  $meqC :: \uparrow\langle 0, \uparrow 0 \rangle$  (**infixr**  $\approx^C 52$ ) — eq. for individual concepts  
**where**  $x \approx^C y \equiv \lambda w. \forall v. (x\ v) = (y\ v)$   
**abbreviation**  $meqL :: \uparrow\langle 0, 0 \rangle$  (**infixr**  $\approx^L 52$ ) — Leibniz eq. for individuals  
**where**  $x \approx^L y \equiv \forall \varphi. \varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(y)$

## 1.7 Miscellaneous

**abbreviation**  $negpred :: \langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \langle 0 \rangle$  ( $\rightarrow$   $-[52]53$ )  
**where**  $\rightarrow \Phi \equiv \lambda x. \neg(\Phi\ x)$   
**abbreviation**  $mnegpred :: \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  ( $\rightarrow$   $-[52]53$ )  
**where**  $\rightarrow \Phi \equiv \lambda x. \lambda w. \neg(\Phi\ x\ w)$   
**abbreviation**  $mandpred :: \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  (**infix**  $\& 53$ )  
**where**  $\Phi\ \&\ \varphi \equiv \lambda x. \lambda w. (\Phi\ x\ w) \wedge (\varphi\ x\ w)$

## 1.8 Meta-logical Predicates

**abbreviation**  $valid :: io \Rightarrow bool$  ( $[ \_ ]\ [8]$ ) **where**  $[\psi] \equiv \forall w. (\psi\ w)$   
**abbreviation**  $satisfiable :: io \Rightarrow bool$  ( $[ \_ ]^{sat}\ [8]$ ) **where**  $[\psi]^{sat} \equiv \exists w. (\psi\ w)$   
**abbreviation**  $countersat :: io \Rightarrow bool$  ( $[ \_ ]^{csat}\ [8]$ ) **where**  $[\psi]^{csat} \equiv \exists w. \neg(\psi\ w)$   
**abbreviation**  $invalid :: io \Rightarrow bool$  ( $[ \_ ]^{inv}\ [8]$ ) **where**  $[\psi]^{inv} \equiv \forall w. \neg(\psi\ w)$

## 1.9 Verifying the Embedding

Verifying K Principle and Necessitation:

**lemma**  $K: [(\Box(\varphi \rightarrow \psi)) \rightarrow (\Box\varphi \rightarrow \Box\psi)]$  **by** *simp* — K Schema  
**lemma**  $NEC: [\varphi] \Rightarrow [\Box\varphi]$  **by** *simp* — Necessitation

Barcan and Converse Barcan Formulas are satisfied for standard (possibilist) quantifiers:

**lemma**  $[(\forall x. \Box(\varphi\ x)) \rightarrow \Box(\forall x. (\varphi\ x))]$  **by** *simp*  
**lemma**  $[\Box(\forall x. (\varphi\ x)) \rightarrow (\forall x. \Box(\varphi\ x))]$  **by** *simp*

(Converse) Barcan Formulas not satisfied for actualist quantifiers:

**lemma**  $[(\forall^E x. \Box(\varphi\ x)) \rightarrow \Box(\forall^E x. (\varphi\ x))]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[\Box(\forall^E x. (\varphi\ x)) \rightarrow (\forall^E x. \Box(\varphi\ x))]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable

Well known relations between meta-logical notions:

**lemma**  $[\varphi] \longleftrightarrow \neg[\varphi]^{csat}$  **by** *simp*  
**lemma**  $[\varphi]^{sat} \longleftrightarrow \neg[\varphi]^{inv}$  **by** *simp*

Contingent truth does not allow for necessitation:

**lemma**  $[\Diamond\varphi] \rightarrow [\Box\varphi]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[\Box\varphi]^{sat} \rightarrow [\Box\varphi]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable

Modal Collapse is countersatisfiable:

**lemma**  $[\varphi \rightarrow \Box\varphi]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable

## 1.10 Useful Definitions for Axiomatization of Further Logics

The best known logics ( $K4$ ,  $K5$ ,  $KB$ ,  $K45$ ,  $KB5$ ,  $D$ ,  $D4$ ,  $D5$ ,  $D45$ , ...) are obtained through axiomatization of combinations of the following:

**abbreviation  $M$**

**where**  $M \equiv \forall \varphi. \Box \varphi \rightarrow \varphi$

**abbreviation  $B$**

**where**  $B \equiv \forall \varphi. \varphi \rightarrow \Box \Diamond \varphi$

**abbreviation  $D$**

**where**  $D \equiv \forall \varphi. \Box \varphi \rightarrow \Diamond \varphi$

**abbreviation  $IV$**

**where**  $IV \equiv \forall \varphi. \Box \varphi \rightarrow \Box \Box \varphi$

**abbreviation  $V$**

**where**  $V \equiv \forall \varphi. \Diamond \varphi \rightarrow \Box \Diamond \varphi$

Because the embedding is of a semantic nature, it is more efficient to instead make use of the well-known *Sahlqvist correspondence*, which links axioms to constraints on a model's accessibility relation: axioms  $M, B, D, IV, V$  impose reflexivity, symmetry, seriality, transitivity and euclideaness respectively.

**lemma** *reflexive aRel*  $\implies \lfloor M \rfloor$  **by** *blast* — aka T

**lemma** *symmetric aRel*  $\implies \lfloor B \rfloor$  **by** *blast*

**lemma** *serial aRel*  $\implies \lfloor D \rfloor$  **by** *blast*

**lemma** *preorder aRel*  $\implies \lfloor M \rfloor \wedge \lfloor IV \rfloor$  **by** *blast* — S4 - reflexive + transitive

**lemma** *equivalence aRel*  $\implies \lfloor M \rfloor \wedge \lfloor V \rfloor$  **by** *blast* — S5 - preorder + symmetric

**lemma** *reflexive aRel*  $\wedge$  *euclidean aRel*  $\implies \lfloor M \rfloor \wedge \lfloor V \rfloor$  **by** *blast* — S5

Using these definitions, we can derive axioms for the most common modal logics. Thereby we are free to use either the semantic constraints or the related *Sahlqvist* axioms. Here we provide both versions. In what follows we use the semantic constraints for improved performance.

## 2 Book Examples

In this section we verify that our embedded logic works as intended by proving the examples provided in the book. In many cases, for good measure, we consider further theorems derived from the original ones. We were able to confirm that all results (proves or counterexamples) agree with our expectations.

### 2.1 Modal Logic - Syntax and Semantics (Chapter 7)

#### 2.1.1 Considerations Regarding $\beta\eta$ -redex (p. 94)

$\beta\eta$ -redex is valid for non-relativized (intensional or extensional) terms (because they designate rigidly):

**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \varphi \alpha) (\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\varphi \tau)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \varphi \alpha) (\tau::\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\varphi \tau)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \Box\varphi \alpha) (\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\Box\varphi \tau)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \Box\varphi \alpha) (\tau::\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\Box\varphi \tau)]$  **by simp**

$\beta\eta$ -redex is valid for relativized terms as long as no modal operators occur inside the predicate abstract:

**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \varphi \alpha) \downarrow(\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\varphi \downarrow\tau)]$  **by simp**

$\beta\eta$ -redex is non-valid for relativized terms when modal operators are present:

**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \Box\varphi \alpha) \downarrow(\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\Box\varphi \downarrow\tau)]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[((\lambda\alpha. \Diamond\varphi \alpha) \downarrow(\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow (\Diamond\varphi \downarrow\tau)]$  **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable

Example 7.13, p. 96:

**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) P)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P)]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — nitpick finds same counterexample as book

with other types for  $P$ :

**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) P)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P)]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) P)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P)]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) P)]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow \Diamond((\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P)]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable

Example 7.14, p. 98:

**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) P]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable

with other types for  $P$ :

**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) P]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) P]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) \downarrow(P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) \downarrow P]$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists X) (P::\uparrow\langle\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle) \rightarrow (\lambda X. \exists X) P]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable

Example 7.15, p. 99:

**lemma**  $[\Box(P (c::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \rightarrow (\exists x::\uparrow\mathbf{0}. \Box(P x))]$  **by auto**

with other types for  $P$ :

**lemma**  $\llbracket \Box(P (c::\mathbf{0})) \rightarrow (\exists x::\mathbf{0}. \Box(P x)) \rrbracket$  **by** *auto*

**lemma**  $\llbracket \Box(P (c::\langle \mathbf{0} \rangle)) \rightarrow (\exists x::\langle \mathbf{0} \rangle. \Box(P x)) \rrbracket$  **by** *auto*

Example 7.16, p. 100:

**lemma**  $\llbracket \Box(P \downarrow (c::\uparrow \mathbf{0})) \rightarrow (\exists x::\mathbf{0}. \Box(P x)) \rrbracket$

**nitpick** $[card \ 't=2, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — counterexample with two worlds found

Example 7.17, p. 101:

**lemma**  $\llbracket \forall Z::\uparrow \mathbf{0}. (\lambda x::\mathbf{0}. \Box((\lambda y::\mathbf{0}. x \approx y) \downarrow Z)) \downarrow Z \rrbracket$

**nitpick** $[card \ 't=2, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable

**lemma**  $\llbracket \forall z::\mathbf{0}. (\lambda x::\mathbf{0}. \Box((\lambda y::\mathbf{0}. x \approx y) \ z)) \ z \rrbracket$  **by** *simp*

**lemma**  $\llbracket \forall Z::\uparrow \mathbf{0}. (\lambda X::\uparrow \mathbf{0}. \Box((\lambda Y::\uparrow \mathbf{0}. X \approx Y) \ Z)) \ Z \rrbracket$  **by** *simp*

### 2.1.2 Exercises (p. 101)

For Exercises 7.1 and 7.2 see variations on Examples 7.13 and 7.14 above.

Exercise 7.3:

**lemma**  $\llbracket \Diamond \exists (P::\uparrow \langle \mathbf{0} \rangle) \rightarrow (\exists X::\uparrow \mathbf{0}. \Diamond(P \downarrow X)) \rrbracket$  **by** *auto*

**lemma**  $\llbracket \Diamond \exists (P::\uparrow \langle \uparrow \langle \mathbf{0} \rangle \rangle) \rightarrow (\exists X::\uparrow \langle \mathbf{0} \rangle. \Diamond(P \downarrow X)) \rrbracket$

**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable

Exercise 7.4:

**lemma**  $\llbracket \Diamond (\exists x::\mathbf{0}. (\lambda Y. Y x) \downarrow (P::\uparrow \langle \mathbf{0} \rangle)) \rightarrow (\exists x. (\lambda Y. \Diamond(Y x)) \downarrow P) \rrbracket$

**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable

For Exercise 7.5 see Example 7.17 above.

## 2.2 Miscellaneous Matters (Chapter 9)

### 2.2.1 Equality Axioms (Subsection 1.1)

Example 9.1:

**lemma**  $\llbracket ((\lambda X. \Box(X \downarrow (p::\uparrow \mathbf{0}))) \downarrow (\lambda x. \Diamond(\lambda z. z \approx x) \downarrow p)) \rrbracket$

**by** *auto* — using normal equality

**lemma**  $\llbracket ((\lambda X. \Box(X \downarrow (p::\uparrow \mathbf{0}))) \downarrow (\lambda x. \Diamond(\lambda z. z \approx^L x) \downarrow p)) \rrbracket$

**by** *auto* — using Leibniz equality

**lemma**  $\llbracket ((\lambda X. \Box(X \downarrow (p::\uparrow \mathbf{0}))) \downarrow (\lambda x. \Diamond(\lambda z. z \approx^C x) \downarrow p)) \rrbracket$

**by** *simp* — using equality as defined for individual concepts

### 2.2.2 Extensionality (Subsection 1.2)

In the book, extensionality is assumed (globally) for extensional terms. Extensionality is however already implicit in Isabelle/HOL as we can see:

**lemma** *EXT*:  $\forall \alpha::\langle \mathbf{0} \rangle. \forall \beta::\langle \mathbf{0} \rangle. (\forall \gamma::\mathbf{0}. (\alpha \gamma \longleftrightarrow \beta \gamma)) \longrightarrow (\alpha = \beta)$  **by** *auto*



**lemma** *EXT-set*:  $\forall \alpha::\langle\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle. \forall \beta::\langle\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle\rangle. (\forall \gamma::\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle. (\alpha \gamma \longleftrightarrow \beta \gamma)) \longrightarrow (\alpha = \beta)$   
**by** *auto*

Extensionality for intensional terms is also already implicit in the HOL embedding:

**lemma** *EXT-int*:  $\lfloor (\lambda x. ((\lambda y. x \approx y) \downarrow (\alpha::\uparrow\mathbf{0}))) \downarrow (\beta::\uparrow\mathbf{0}) \rfloor \longrightarrow \alpha = \beta$  **by** *auto*

**lemma** *EXT-int-pred*:  $\lfloor (\lambda x. ((\lambda y. x \approx y) \downarrow (\alpha::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle))) \downarrow (\beta::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rfloor \longrightarrow \alpha = \beta$   
**using** *ext* **by** *metis*

### 2.2.3 De Re and De Dicto (Subsection 2)

*De re* is equivalent to *de dicto* for non-relativized (extensional or intensional) terms:

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) (\tau::\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \tau) \rfloor$  **by** *simp*

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) (\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \tau) \rfloor$  **by** *simp*

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) (\tau::\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle)) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \tau) \rfloor$  **by** *simp*

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle)) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \tau) \rfloor$  **by** *simp*

*De re* is not equivalent to *de dicto* for relativized (intensional) terms:

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow (\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0})) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \rfloor$

**nitpick**[*card 't=2, card i=2*] **oops** — countersatisfiable

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle)) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \rfloor$

**nitpick**[*card 't=1, card i=2*] **oops** — countersatisfiable

Proposition 9.6 - Equivalences between *de dicto* and *de re*:

**abbreviation** *deDictoEquDeRe*:: $\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle$

**where** *deDictoEquDeRe*  $\tau \equiv \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau)$

**abbreviation** *deDictoImplDeRe*:: $\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle$

**where** *deDictoImplDeRe*  $\tau \equiv \forall \alpha. \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \rightarrow ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau)$

**abbreviation** *deReImplDeDicto*:: $\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle$

**where** *deReImplDeDicto*  $\tau \equiv \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \rightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau)$

**abbreviation** *deDictoEquDeRe-pred*:: $(t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$

**where** *deDictoEquDeRe-pred*  $\tau \equiv \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \leftrightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau)$

**abbreviation** *deDictoImplDeRe-pred*:: $(t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$

**where** *deDictoImplDeRe-pred*  $\tau \equiv \forall \alpha. \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \rightarrow ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau)$

**abbreviation** *deReImplDeDicto-pred*:: $(t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$

**where** *deReImplDeDicto-pred*  $\tau \equiv \forall \alpha. ((\lambda \beta. \Box(\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau) \rightarrow \Box((\lambda \beta. (\alpha \beta)) \downarrow \tau)$

### 2.2.4 Rigidity (Subsection 3)

Rigidity for intensional individuals:

**abbreviation** *rigidIndiv*:: $\uparrow\langle\uparrow\mathbf{0}\rangle$  **where**

*rigidIndiv*  $\tau \equiv (\lambda \beta. \Box((\lambda z. \beta \approx z) \downarrow \tau)) \downarrow \tau$

Rigidity for intensional predicates:

**abbreviation** *rigidPred*:: $(t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  **where**

$$\text{rigidPred } \tau \equiv (\lambda\beta. \Box((\lambda z. \beta \approx z) \downarrow \tau)) \downarrow \tau$$

Proposition 9.8 - We can prove it using local consequence (global consequence follows directly).

**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{rigidIndiv } (\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0}) \rightarrow \text{deReImplDeDicto } \tau \rfloor$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{deReImplDeDicto } (\tau::\uparrow\mathbf{0}) \rightarrow \text{rigidIndiv } \tau \rfloor$  **by auto**  
**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{rigidPred } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \text{deReImplDeDicto-pred } \tau \rfloor$  **by simp**  
**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{deReImplDeDicto-pred } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \text{rigidPred } \tau \rfloor$  **by auto**

### 2.2.5 Stability Conditions (Subsection 4)

**axiomatization where**

*S5: equivalence aRel* — We use the Sahlqvist correspondence for improved performance

Definition 9.10 - Stability:

**abbreviation**  $\text{stabilityA}::('t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  **where**  $\text{stabilityA } \tau \equiv \forall \alpha. (\tau \alpha) \rightarrow \Box(\tau \alpha)$

**abbreviation**  $\text{stabilityB}::('t \Rightarrow io) \Rightarrow io$  **where**  $\text{stabilityB } \tau \equiv \forall \alpha. \Diamond(\tau \alpha) \rightarrow (\tau \alpha)$

Proposition 9.10 - Note it is valid only for global consequence.

**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{stabilityA } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rfloor \longrightarrow \lfloor \text{stabilityB } \tau \rfloor$  **using S5 by blast**  
**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{stabilityA } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \text{stabilityB } \tau \rfloor$   
**nitpick** $[\text{card } 't=1, \text{card } i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable for local consequence

**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{stabilityB } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rfloor \longrightarrow \lfloor \text{stabilityA } \tau \rfloor$  **using S5 by blast**  
**lemma**  $\lfloor \text{stabilityB } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \rightarrow \text{stabilityA } \tau \rfloor$   
**nitpick** $[\text{card } 't=1, \text{card } i=2]$  **oops** — countersatisfiable for local consequence

Theorem 9.11 - Note that we can prove even local consequence.

**theorem**  $\lfloor \text{rigidPred } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \leftrightarrow (\text{stabilityA } \tau \wedge \text{stabilityB } \tau) \rfloor$  **by meson**  
**theorem**  $\lfloor \text{rigidPred } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \leftrightarrow (\text{stabilityA } \tau \wedge \text{stabilityB } \tau) \rfloor$  **by meson**  
**theorem**  $\lfloor \text{rigidPred } (\tau::\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle) \leftrightarrow (\text{stabilityA } \tau \wedge \text{stabilityB } \tau) \rfloor$  **by meson**

## 3 Gödel's Argument, Formally (Chapter 11)

"Gödel's particular version of the argument is a direct descendent of that of Leibniz, which in turn derives from one of Descartes. These arguments all have a two-part structure: prove God's existence is necessary, if possible; and prove God's existence is possible." [?] p. 138.

### 3.1 Part I - God's Existence is Possible

We divide Gödel's Argument as presented in the book in two parts. For the first one, while Leibniz provides some kind of proof for the compatibility of all perfections, Gödel goes on to prove an analogous result: (T1) "Every

positive property is possibly instantiated”, which together with (T2) ”God is a positive property” directly implies the conclusion. In order to prove T1 Gödel assumes A2: ”Any property entailed by a positive property is positive”.

We are currently contemplating a follow-up analysis of the philosophical implications of these axioms, which may encompass some criticism of the notion of property entailment used by Gödel throughout the argument.

### 3.1.1 General Definitions

**abbreviation** *existencePredicate*:: $\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  (*E!*)

**where**  $E! x \equiv \lambda w. (\exists^E y. y \approx x) w$  — existence predicate in the object-language

**lemma**  $E! x w \longleftrightarrow \text{existsAt } x w$

**by** *simp* — safety check: correctly matches its meta-logical counterpart

**consts** *positiveProperty*:: $\uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle$  (*P*) — Positiveness/Perfection

Definitions of God (later shown to be equivalent under axiom A1b):

**abbreviation** *God*:: $\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  (*G*) **where**  $G \equiv (\lambda x. \forall Y. \mathcal{P} Y \rightarrow Y x)$

**abbreviation** *God-star*:: $\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  (*G\**) **where**  $G* \equiv (\lambda x. \forall Y. \mathcal{P} Y \leftrightarrow Y x)$

Definitions needed to formalize A3:

**abbreviation** *appliesToPositiveProps*:: $\uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle \rangle$  (*pos*) **where**

$\text{pos } Z \equiv \forall X. Z X \rightarrow \mathcal{P} X$

**abbreviation** *intersectionOf*:: $\uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle, \uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle \rangle$  (*intersec*) **where**

$\text{intersec } X Z \equiv \Box(\forall x. (X x \leftrightarrow (\forall Y. (Z Y) \rightarrow (Y x))))$  — quantifier is possibilist

**abbreviation** *Entailment*:: $\uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle, \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle$  (**infix**  $\Rightarrow$  60) **where**

$X \Rightarrow Y \equiv \Box(\forall^E z. X z \rightarrow Y z)$

### 3.1.2 Axioms

**axiomatization where**

A1a:  $[\forall X. \mathcal{P} (\neg X) \rightarrow \neg(\mathcal{P} X)]$  **and** — Axiom 11.3A

A1b:  $[\forall X. \neg(\mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\neg X)]$  **and** — Axiom 11.3B

A2:  $[\forall X Y. (\mathcal{P} X \wedge (X \Rightarrow Y)) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} Y]$  **and** — Axiom 11.5

A3:  $[\forall Z X. (\text{pos } Z \wedge \text{intersec } X Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} X]$  — Axiom 11.10

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: axioms are consistent

**lemma**  $[D]$  **using** A1a A1b A2 **by** *blast* — axioms already imply *D* axiom

**lemma**  $[D]$  **using** A1a A3 **by** *metis*

### 3.1.3 Theorems

**lemma**  $[\exists X. \mathcal{P} X]$  **using** A1b **by** *auto*

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X \wedge \Diamond^E X)]$  **using** *A1a A1b A2* **by** *metis*

Being self-identical is a positive property:

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X \wedge \Diamond^E X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\lambda x w. x = x)]$  **using** *A2* **by** *fastforce*

Proposition 11.6

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\lambda x w. x = x)]$  **using** *A2* **by** *fastforce*

**lemma**  $[\mathcal{P} (\lambda x w. x = x)]$  **using** *A1b A2* **by** *blast*

**lemma**  $[\mathcal{P} (\lambda x w. x = x)]$  **using** *A3* **by** *metis*

Being non-self-identical is a negative property:

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X \wedge \Diamond^E X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\neg (\lambda x w. \neg x = x))]$   
**using** *A2* **by** *fastforce*

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\neg (\lambda x w. \neg x = x))]$  **using** *A2* **by** *fastforce*

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\neg (\lambda x w. \neg x = x))]$  **using** *A3* **by** *metis*

Proposition 11.7

**lemma**  $[(\exists X. \mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \neg \mathcal{P} ((\lambda x w. \neg x = x))]$  **using** *A1a A2* **by** *blast*

**lemma**  $[\neg \mathcal{P} (\lambda x w. \neg x = x)]$  **using** *A1a A2* **by** *blast*

Proposition 11.8 (Informal Proposition 1) - Positive properties are possibly instantiated:

**theorem** *T1*:  $[\forall X. \mathcal{P} X \rightarrow \Diamond^E X]$  **using** *A1a A2* **by** *blast*

Proposition 11.14 - Both defs (*God*/*God\**) are equivalent. For improved performance we may prefer to use one or the other:

**lemma** *GodDefsAreEquivalent*:  $[\forall x. G x \leftrightarrow G^* x]$  **using** *A1b* **by** *force*

Proposition 11.15 - Possibilist existence of *God\** directly implies *A1b*:

**lemma**  $[\exists G^* \rightarrow (\forall X. \neg(\mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\neg X))]$  **by** *meson*

Proposition 11.16 - *A3* implies *P(G)* (local consequence):

**lemma** *A3implT2-local*:  $[(\forall Z X. (pos Z \wedge intersec X Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} G]$

**proof** –

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**fix** *w*

**have** *1*: *pos P w* **by** *simp*

**have** *2*: *intersec G P w* **by** *simp*

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**assume**  $(\forall Z X. (pos Z \wedge intersec X Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} X)$  *w*

**hence**  $(\forall X. ((pos \mathcal{P}) \wedge (intersec X \mathcal{P})) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} X)$  *w* **by** (*rule allE*)

**hence**  $((pos \mathcal{P}) \wedge (intersec G \mathcal{P})) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} G$  *w* **by** (*rule allE*)

**hence** *3*:  $((pos \mathcal{P} \wedge intersec G \mathcal{P}) w) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} G w$  **by** *simp*

**hence** *4*:  $((pos \mathcal{P}) \wedge (intersec G \mathcal{P})) w$  **using** *1 2* **by** *simp*

**from** *3 4* **have**  $\mathcal{P} G w$  **by** (*rule mp*)

$\}$   
**hence**  $(\forall Z X. (pos\ Z \wedge intersec\ X\ Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}\ X) w \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}\ G\ w$  **by**  $(rule\ impI)$   
 $\}$   
**thus**  $?thesis$  **by**  $(rule\ allI)$   
**qed**

$A3$  implies  $P(G)$  (as global consequence):

**lemma**  $A3implT2\text{-}global$ :  $[\forall Z X. (pos\ Z \wedge intersec\ X\ Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}\ X] \longrightarrow [\mathcal{P}\ G]$   
**using**  $A3implT2\text{-}local$  **by**  $smt$

God is a positive property. Note that this theorem can be axiomatized directly (as proposed by Dana Scott according to [?] p. 152). We will do so for the second part.

**theorem**  $T2$ :  $[\mathcal{P}\ G]$  **using**  $A3implT2\text{-}global\ A3$  **by**  $simp$

Theorem 11.17 (Informal Proposition 3) - Possibly God exists:

**theorem**  $T3$ :  $[\Diamond \exists^E G]$  **using**  $T1\ T2$  **by**  $simp$

## 3.2 Part II - God's Existence is Necessary if Possible

We show here that God's necessary existence follows from its possible existence by adding some additional (potentially controversial) assumptions including, among others, an essentialist premise and the S5 axioms. A more detailed analysis of these rather philosophical issues is foreseen as follow-up work.

### 3.2.1 General Definitions

**abbreviation**  $existencePredicate::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle (E!)$  **where**

$E!\ x \equiv (\lambda w. (\exists^E y. y \approx x)\ w)$

**consts**  $positiveProperty::\uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle (\mathcal{P})$

**abbreviation**  $God::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle (G)$  **where**  $G \equiv (\lambda x. \forall Y. \mathcal{P}\ Y \rightarrow Y\ x)$

**abbreviation**  $God\text{-}star::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle (G*)$  **where**

$G* \equiv (\lambda x. \forall Y. \mathcal{P}\ Y \leftrightarrow Y\ x)$

**abbreviation**  $Entailment::\uparrow\langle \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle, \uparrow\langle 0 \rangle \rangle$  (**infix**  $\Rightarrow 60$ ) **where**

$X \Rightarrow Y \equiv \Box(\forall^E z. X\ z \rightarrow Y\ z)$

### 3.2.2 Axioms from Part I

Note that the only use Gdel makes of axiom A3 is to show that being Godlike is a positive property ( $T2$ ). We follow therefore Scott's proposal and take ( $T2$ ) directly as an axiom ([?] p. 152):

**axiomatization where**

$A1a: [\forall X. \mathcal{P}\ (\neg X) \rightarrow \neg(\mathcal{P}\ X)]$  **and** — Axiom 11.3A

$A1b: [\forall X. \neg(\mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} (\neg X)]$  **and** — Axiom 11.3B  
 $A2: [\forall X Y. (\mathcal{P} X \wedge (X \Rightarrow Y)) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} Y]$  **and** — Axiom 11.5  
 $T2: [\mathcal{P} G]$  — Proposition 11.16

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: axioms are consistent

### 3.2.3 Useful Results from Part I

**lemma** *GodDefsAreEquivalent*:  $[\forall x. G x \leftrightarrow G^* x]$  **using** *A1b* **by** *fastforce*

**theorem** *T1*:  $[\forall X. \mathcal{P} X \rightarrow \Diamond \exists^E X]$

**using** *A1a A2* **by** *blast* — Positive properties are possibly instantiated

**theorem** *T3*:  $[\Diamond \exists^E G]$  **using** *T1 T2* **by** *simp* — God exists possibly

### 3.2.4 Axioms for Part II

$\mathcal{P}$  satisfies so-called stability conditions (p. 124). This means it designates rigidly (an essentialist assumption).

**axiomatization where**

$A4a: [\forall X. \mathcal{P} X \rightarrow \Box(\mathcal{P} X)]$  — Axiom 11.11

**lemma** *A4b*:  $[\forall X. \neg(\mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \Box \neg(\mathcal{P} X)]$  **using** *A1a A1b A4a* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: so far all axioms consistent

### 3.2.5 Theorems

**abbreviation** *essenceOf*:: $\uparrow\langle\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle, \mathbf{0}\rangle (\mathcal{E})$  **where**

$\mathcal{E} Y x \equiv (Y x) \wedge (\forall Z. Z x \rightarrow Y \Rightarrow Z)$

**abbreviation** *beingIdenticalTo*:: $\mathbf{0} \Rightarrow \uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle (id)$  **where**

$id x \equiv (\lambda y. y \approx x)$  — note that *id* is a rigid predicate

Theorem 11.20 - Informal Proposition 5

**theorem** *GodIsEssential*:  $[\forall x. G x \rightarrow (\mathcal{E} G x)]$  **using** *A1b A4a* **by** *metis*

Theorem 11.21

**theorem**  $[\forall x. G^* x \rightarrow (\mathcal{E} G^* x)]$  **using** *A4a* **by** *meson*

Theorem 11.22 - Something can have only one essence:

**theorem**  $[\forall X Y z. (\mathcal{E} X z \wedge \mathcal{E} Y z) \rightarrow (X \Rightarrow Y)]$  **by** *meson*

Theorem 11.23 - An essence is a complete characterization of an individual:

**theorem** *EssencesCharacterizeCompletely*:  $[\forall X y. \mathcal{E} X y \rightarrow (X \Rightarrow (id y))]$

**proof** (*rule ccontr*)

**assume**  $\neg [\forall X y. \mathcal{E} X y \rightarrow (X \Rightarrow (id y))]$

**hence**  $\exists w. \neg((\forall X y. \mathcal{E} X y \rightarrow X \Rightarrow id y) w)$  **by** *simp*

**then obtain** *w* **where**  $\neg((\forall X y. \mathcal{E} X y \rightarrow X \Rightarrow id y) w)$  **..**

**hence**  $(\exists X y. \mathcal{E} X y \wedge \neg(X \Rightarrow id y)) w$  **by** *simp*

**hence**  $\exists X y. \mathcal{E} X y w \wedge (\neg(X \Rightarrow id y)) w$  **by** *simp*

then obtain  $P$  where  $\exists y. \mathcal{E} P y w \wedge (\neg(P \Rightarrow id y)) w ..$   
 then obtain  $a$  where  $1: \mathcal{E} P a w \wedge (\neg(P \Rightarrow id a)) w ..$   
 hence  $2: \mathcal{E} P a w$  by (rule conjunct1)  
 from  $1$  have  $(\neg(P \Rightarrow id a)) w$  by (rule conjunct2)  
 hence  $\exists x. \exists z. w r x \wedge existsAt z x \wedge P z x \wedge \neg(a = z)$  by blast  
 then obtain  $w1$  where  $\exists z. w r w1 \wedge existsAt z w1 \wedge P z w1 \wedge \neg(a = z) ..$   
 then obtain  $b$  where  $3: w r w1 \wedge existsAt b w1 \wedge P b w1 \wedge \neg(a = b) ..$   
 hence  $w r w1$  by simp  
 from  $3$  have  $existsAt b w1$  by simp  
 from  $3$  have  $P b w1$  by simp  
 from  $3$  have  $4: \neg(a = b)$  by simp  
 from  $2$  have  $P a w$  by simp  
 from  $2$  have  $\forall Y. Y a w \longrightarrow ((P \Rightarrow Y) w)$  by auto  
 hence  $(\neg(id b)) a w \longrightarrow (P \Rightarrow (\neg(id b))) w$  by (rule allE)  
 hence  $\neg(\neg(id b)) a w \vee ((P \Rightarrow (\neg(id b))) w)$  by blast  
 then show *False* proof  
 assume  $\neg(\neg(id b)) a w$   
 hence  $a = b$  by simp  
 thus *False* using  $4$  by auto  
 next  
 assume  $((P \Rightarrow (\neg(id b))) w)$   
 hence  $\forall x. \forall z. (w r x \wedge existsAt z x \wedge P z x) \longrightarrow (\neg(id b)) z x$  by blast  
 hence  $\forall z. (w r w1 \wedge existsAt z w1 \wedge P z w1) \longrightarrow (\neg(id b)) z w1$   
 by (rule allE)  
 hence  $(w r w1 \wedge existsAt b w1 \wedge P b w1) \longrightarrow (\neg(id b)) b w1$  by (rule allE)  
 hence  $\neg(w r w1 \wedge existsAt b w1 \wedge P b w1) \vee (\neg(id b)) b w1$  by simp  
 hence  $(\neg(id b)) b w$  using  $3$  by simp  
 hence  $\neg(b=b)$  by simp  
 thus *False* by simp  
 qed  
 qed

Definition 11.24 - Necessary Existence (Informal Definition 6):

**abbreviation** *necessaryExistencePred*:: $\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  (*NE*)  
 where  $NE x \equiv (\lambda w. (\forall Y. \mathcal{E} Y x \rightarrow \Box \exists^E Y) w)$

Axiom 11.25 (Informal Axiom 5)

**axiomatization where**

$A5: [\mathcal{P} NE]$

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: so far all axioms consistent

Theorem 11.26 (Informal Proposition 7) - Possibilist existence of God implies necessary actualist existence:

**theorem** *GodExistenceImpliesNecExistence*:  $[\exists G \rightarrow \Box \exists^E G]$

**proof** –

{

  fix  $w$

  {

```

assume  $\exists x. G x w$ 
then obtain  $g$  where  $1: G g w ..$ 
hence  $NE g w$  using A5 by auto — Axiom 11.25
hence  $\forall Y. (\mathcal{E} Y g w) \longrightarrow (\Box \exists^E Y) w$  by simp
hence  $2: (\mathcal{E} G g w) \longrightarrow (\Box \exists^E G) w$  by (rule allE)
have  $(\forall x. G x \longrightarrow (\mathcal{E} G x)) w$  using GodIsEssential
  by (rule allE) — GodIsEssential follows from Axioms 11.11 and 11.3B
hence  $(G g \longrightarrow (\mathcal{E} G g)) w$  by (rule allE)
hence  $G g w \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} G g w$  by simp
from this 1 have  $3: \mathcal{E} G g w$  by (rule mp)
from 2 3 have  $(\Box \exists^E G) w$  by (rule mp)
}
hence  $(\exists x. G x w) \longrightarrow (\Box \exists^E G) w$  by (rule impI)
hence  $((\exists x. G x) \longrightarrow \Box \exists^E G) w$  by simp
}
thus ?thesis by (rule allI)
qed

```

Modal Collapse is countersatisfiable until we introduce S5 axioms:

**lemma**  $\lfloor \forall \Phi. (\Phi \longrightarrow (\Box \Phi)) \rfloor$  **nitpick** **oops**

Axiomatizing semantic frame conditions for different modal logics. All axioms together imply an S5 logic:

**axiomatization where**

*refl*: *reflexive aRel* **and**

*tran*: *transitive aRel* **and**

*symm*: *symmetric aRel*

**lemma** *True* **nitpick**[*satisfy*] **oops** — Model found: axioms still consistent

Using an S5 logic modal collapse ( $\lfloor \forall \Phi. (\Phi \longrightarrow (\Box \Phi)) \rfloor$ ) is actually valid (see proof below)

Some useful rules:

**lemma** *modal-distr*:  $\lfloor \Box(\varphi \longrightarrow \psi) \rfloor \Longrightarrow \lfloor (\Diamond \varphi \longrightarrow \Diamond \psi) \rfloor$  **by** *blast*

**lemma** *modal-trans*:  $(\lfloor \varphi \longrightarrow \psi \rfloor \wedge \lfloor \psi \longrightarrow \chi \rfloor) \Longrightarrow \lfloor \varphi \longrightarrow \chi \rfloor$  **by** *simp*

Theorem 11.27 - Informal Proposition 8

**theorem** *possExistenceImpliesNecEx*:  $\lfloor \Diamond \exists G \longrightarrow \Box \exists^E G \rfloor$  — local consequence

**proof** —

**have**  $\lfloor \exists G \longrightarrow \Box \exists^E G \rfloor$  **using** *GodExistenceImpliesNecExistence*

**by** *simp* — follows from Axioms 11.11, 11.25 and 11.3B

**hence**  $\lfloor \Box(\exists G \longrightarrow \Box \exists^E G) \rfloor$  **using** *NEC* **by** *simp*

**hence**  $1: \lfloor \Diamond \exists G \longrightarrow \Diamond \Box \exists^E G \rfloor$  **by** (*rule modal-distr*)

**have**  $2: \lfloor \Diamond \Box \exists^E G \longrightarrow \Box \exists^E G \rfloor$  **using** *symm tran* **by** *metis*

**from 1 2 have**  $\lfloor \Diamond \exists G \longrightarrow \Diamond \Box \exists^E G \rfloor \wedge \lfloor \Diamond \Box \exists^E G \longrightarrow \Box \exists^E G \rfloor$  **by** *simp*

**thus** *?thesis* **by** (*rule modal-trans*)

**qed**



**lemma**  $T_4$ :  $[\Diamond \exists G] \longrightarrow [\Box \exists^E G]$  **using** *possExistenceImpliesNecEx*  
**by** *simp* — global consequence

Corollary 11.28 - Necessary (actualist) existence of God (for both definitions):

**lemma** *GodNecExists*:  $[\Box \exists^E G]$  **using**  $T_3 T_4$  **by** *metis*

**lemma** *God-starNecExists*:  $[\Box \exists^E G^*]$   
**using** *GodNecExists GodDefsAreEquivalent* **by** *simp*

### 3.2.6 Monotheism

Monotheism for non-normal models (with Leibniz equality) follows directly from God having all and only positive properties:

**theorem** *Monotheism-LeibnizEq*:  $[\forall x. G x \longrightarrow (\forall y. G y \longrightarrow (x \approx^L y))]$   
**using** *GodDefsAreEquivalent* **by** *simp*

Monotheism for normal models is trickier. We need to consider some previous results (p. 162):

**lemma** *GodExistenceIsValid*:  $[\exists^E G]$  **using** *GodNecExists refl*  
**by** *auto* — Note that we hadn't needed frame reflexivity until now

Proposition 11.29

**theorem** *Monotheism-normalModel*:  $[\exists x. \forall y. G y \leftrightarrow x \approx y]$

**proof** —

{  
**fix**  $w$   
**have**  $[\exists^E G]$  **using** *GodExistenceIsValid* **by** *simp* — follows from corollary 11.28  
  
**hence**  $(\exists^E G) w$  **by** (*rule allE*)  
**then obtain**  $g$  **where**  $1: \text{existsAt } g \ w \wedge G \ g \ w$  ..  
**hence**  $2: \mathcal{E} \ G \ g \ w$  **using** *GodIsEssential* **by** *blast* — follows from ax. 11.11/11.3B

{  
**fix**  $y$   
**have**  $G \ y \ w \longleftrightarrow (g \approx y) \ w$  **proof**  
**assume**  $G \ y \ w$   
**hence**  $3: \mathcal{E} \ G \ y \ w$  **using** *GodIsEssential* **by** *blast*  
**have**  $(\mathcal{E} \ G \ y \longrightarrow (G \Rightarrow \text{id } y)) \ w$  **using** *EssencesCharacterizeCompletely*  
**by** *simp* — follows from theorem 11.23  
**hence**  $\mathcal{E} \ G \ y \ w \longrightarrow ((G \Rightarrow \text{id } y) \ w)$  **by** *simp*  
**from this 3 have**  $(G \Rightarrow \text{id } y) \ w$  **by** (*rule mp*)  
**hence**  $(\Box(\forall^E z. G \ z \longrightarrow z \approx y)) \ w$  **by** *simp*  
**hence**  $\forall x. w \ r \ x \longrightarrow ((\forall z. (\text{existsAt } z \ x \wedge G \ z \ x) \longrightarrow z = y))$  **by** *auto*  
**hence**  $w \ r \ w \longrightarrow ((\forall z. (\text{existsAt } z \ w \wedge G \ z \ w) \longrightarrow z = y))$  **by** (*rule allE*)  
**hence**  $\forall z. (w \ r \ w \wedge \text{existsAt } z \ w \wedge G \ z \ w) \longrightarrow z = y$  **by** *auto*  
**hence**  $4: (w \ r \ w \wedge \text{existsAt } g \ w \wedge G \ g \ w) \longrightarrow g = y$  **by** (*rule allE*)  
**have**  $w \ r \ w$  **using** *refl*

```

    by simp — note that we rely explicitly on frame reflexivity (Axiom M)
    hence  $w r w \wedge (\text{existsAt } g \ w \wedge G \ g \ w)$  using 1 by (rule conjI)
    from 4 this have  $g = y$  by (rule mp)
    thus  $(g \approx y) \ w$  by simp
  next
    assume  $(g \approx y) \ w$ 
    from this 2 have  $\mathcal{E} \ G \ y \ w$  by simp
    thus  $G \ y \ w$  by (rule conjunct1)
  qed
}
hence  $\forall y. G \ y \ w \longleftrightarrow (g \approx y) \ w$  by (rule allI)
hence  $\exists x. (\forall y. G \ y \ w \longleftrightarrow (x \approx y) \ w)$  by (rule exI)
hence  $(\exists x. (\forall y. G \ y \leftrightarrow (x \approx y))) \ w$  by simp
}
thus ?thesis by (rule allI)
qed

```

Corollary 11.30

```

lemma GodImpliesExistence:  $[\forall x. G \ x \rightarrow E! \ x]$ 
  using GodExistenceIsValid Monotheism-normalModel by metis

```

### 3.2.7 Positive Properties are Necessarily Instantiated

```

lemma PosPropertiesNecExist:  $[\forall Y. \mathcal{P} \ Y \rightarrow \Box \exists^E \ Y]$  using GodNecExists A4a
  by meson — Proposition 11.31: follows from corollary 11.28 and axiom A4a

```

### 3.2.8 Objections and Criticism

```

lemma useful:  $(\forall x. \varphi \ x \rightarrow \psi) \implies ((\exists x. \varphi \ x) \rightarrow \psi)$  by simp

```

After introducing the S5 axioms Modal Collapse becomes valid (pp. 163-4):

```

lemma ModalCollapse:  $[\forall \Phi. (\Phi \rightarrow (\Box \Phi))]$ 
proof –
  {
    fix w
    {
      fix Q
      have  $(\forall x. G \ x \rightarrow (\mathcal{E} \ G \ x)) \ w$  using GodIsEssential
        by (rule allE) — follows from Axioms 11.11 and 11.3B
      hence  $\forall x. G \ x \ w \rightarrow \mathcal{E} \ G \ x \ w$  by simp
      hence  $\forall x. G \ x \ w \rightarrow (\forall Z. Z \ x \rightarrow \Box(\forall^{Ez}. G \ z \rightarrow Z \ z)) \ w$  by force
      hence  $\forall x. G \ x \ w \rightarrow ((\lambda y. Q) \ x \rightarrow \Box(\forall^{Ez}. G \ z \rightarrow (\lambda y. Q) \ z)) \ w$  by force
      hence  $\forall x. G \ x \ w \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow \Box(\forall^{Ez}. G \ z \rightarrow Q)) \ w$  by simp
      hence 1:  $(\exists x. G \ x \ w) \rightarrow ((Q \rightarrow \Box(\forall^{Ez}. G \ z \rightarrow Q)) \ w)$  by (rule useful)
      have  $\exists x. G \ x \ w$  using GodExistenceIsValid by auto
      from 1 this have  $(Q \rightarrow \Box(\forall^{Ez}. G \ z \rightarrow Q)) \ w$  by (rule mp)
      hence  $(Q \rightarrow \Box((\exists^{Ez}. G \ z) \rightarrow Q)) \ w$  using useful by blast
      hence  $(Q \rightarrow (\Box(\exists^{Ez}. G \ z) \rightarrow \Box Q)) \ w$  by simp
      hence  $(Q \rightarrow \Box Q) \ w$  using GodNecExists by simp
    }
  }

```

$\}$   
 hence  $(\forall \Phi. \Phi \rightarrow \Box \Phi) w$  by (rule allI)  
 $\}$   
 thus *?thesis* by (rule allI)  
 qed

## 4 Fitting's Solution

In this section we tackle Fitting's solution to the objections raised in his previous discussion of Gödel's Argument (pp. 164-9), especially the problem of Modal Collapse, which has been metaphysically interpreted as implying a rejection of free will. Since we are generally committed to the existence of free will (in a pre-theoretical sense), such a result is philosophically unappealing and rather seen as a problem in the argument's formalization.

This part of the book still leaves several details unspecified and the reader is thus compelled to fill in the gaps. As a result, we came across some premises and theorems allowing for different formalizations and therefore leading to disparate implications. Only some of those cases are shown here for illustrative purposes. The options chosen were those better suiting argument's validity.

### 4.1 Implicit Extensionality Assumptions

Since Isabelle/HOL is extensional, extensionality principles are valid directly out of the box:

**lemma** *EXT*:  $\forall \alpha::\langle 0 \rangle. \forall \beta::\langle 0 \rangle. (\forall \gamma::0. (\alpha \gamma \longleftrightarrow \beta \gamma)) \longrightarrow (\alpha = \beta)$  by *auto*

**lemma** *EXT-set*:  $\forall \alpha::\langle \langle 0 \rangle \rangle. \forall \beta::\langle \langle 0 \rangle \rangle. (\forall \gamma::\langle 0 \rangle. (\alpha \gamma \longleftrightarrow \beta \gamma)) \longrightarrow (\alpha = \beta)$  by *auto*

**lemma** *EXT-intensional*:  $\lfloor (\lambda x. ((\lambda y. x \approx y) \downarrow (\alpha::\uparrow 0))) \downarrow (\beta::\uparrow 0) \rfloor \longrightarrow \alpha = \beta$  by *auto*

**lemma** *EXT-int-pred*:  $\lfloor (\lambda x. ((\lambda y. x \approx y) \downarrow (\alpha::\uparrow \langle 0 \rangle))) \downarrow (\beta::\uparrow \langle 0 \rangle) \rfloor \longrightarrow \alpha = \beta$  using *ext* by *metis*

### 4.2 General Definitions

The following technical definitions are needed only for type correctness. They are used to convert extensional objects into rigid intensional ones.

**abbreviation** *trivialExpansion*::*bool* $\Rightarrow$ *io* ( $\llbracket - \rrbracket$ ) **where**  $\llbracket \varphi \rrbracket \equiv \lambda w. \varphi$

**abbreviation** *existencePredicate*:: $\uparrow \langle 0 \rangle$  (*E!*) **where**  
 $E! x \equiv (\lambda w. (\exists {}^E y. y \approx x) w)$

**consts** *positiveProperty*:: $\uparrow \langle \langle 0 \rangle \rangle$  (*P*)

**abbreviation** *God*:: $\uparrow \langle 0 \rangle$  (*G*) **where**  $G \equiv (\lambda x. \forall Y. \mathcal{P} Y \rightarrow \llbracket Y x \rrbracket)$

**abbreviation** *God-star*:: $\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle$  ( $G^*$ ) **where**  $G^* \equiv (\lambda x. \forall Y. \mathcal{P} \ Y \leftrightarrow (\downarrow Y \ x))$

**abbreviation** *Entailment*:: $\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle, \langle 0 \rangle$  (**infix**  $\Rightarrow 60$ ) **where**  
 $X \Rightarrow Y \equiv \Box(\forall^E z. (\downarrow X \ z) \rightarrow (\downarrow Y \ z))$

### 4.3 Part I - God's Existence is Possible

**axiomatization where**

*A1a*:  $\downarrow\forall X. \mathcal{P} \ (\neg X) \rightarrow \neg(\mathcal{P} \ X)$  ] **and** — Axiom 11.3A  
*A1b*:  $\downarrow\forall X. \neg(\mathcal{P} \ X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \ (\neg X)$  ] **and** — Axiom 11.3B  
*A2*:  $\downarrow\forall X \ Y. (\mathcal{P} \ X \wedge (X \Rightarrow Y)) \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \ Y$  ] **and** — Axiom 11.5  
*T2*:  $\downarrow\mathcal{P} \ \downarrow G$  — Proposition 11.16 (modified)

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: axioms are consistent

**lemma** *GodDefsAreEquivalent*:  $\downarrow\forall x. G \ x \leftrightarrow G^* \ x$  ] **using** *A1b* **by** *fastforce*

*T1* (Positive properties are possibly instantiated) can be formalized in two different ways:

**theorem** *T1a*:  $\downarrow\forall X::\langle 0 \rangle. \mathcal{P} \ X \rightarrow \Diamond(\exists^E z. (\downarrow X \ z))$  ]  
**using** *A1a A2* **by** *blast* — this is the one used in the book  
**theorem** *T1b*:  $\downarrow\forall X::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle. \mathcal{P} \ \downarrow X \rightarrow \Diamond(\exists^E z. X \ z)$  ]  
**nitpick oops** — this one is also possible but not valid so we won't use it

Some interesting (non-) equivalences:

**lemma**  $\downarrow\Box\exists^E (Q::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle) \leftrightarrow \Box(\exists^E \downarrow Q)$  ] **by** *simp*  
**lemma**  $\downarrow\Box\exists^E (Q::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle) \leftrightarrow ((\lambda X. \Box\exists^E X) \ Q)$  ] **by** *simp*  
**lemma**  $\downarrow\Box\exists^E (Q::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle) \leftrightarrow ((\lambda X. \Box\exists^E \downarrow X) \ Q)$  ] **by** *simp*  
**lemma**  $\downarrow\Box\exists^E (Q::\uparrow\langle 0 \rangle) \leftrightarrow ((\lambda X. \Box\exists^E X) \ \downarrow Q)$  ] **nitpick oops** — not equivalent!

*T3* (God exists possibly) can be formalized in two different ways, using a *de re* or a *de dicto* reading.

**theorem** *T3-deRe*:  $\downarrow(\lambda X. \Diamond\exists^E X) \ \downarrow G$  ] **using** *T1a T2* **by** *simp*  
**theorem** *T3-deDicto*:  $\downarrow\Diamond\exists^E \downarrow G$  ] **nitpick oops** — countersatisfiable

From the last two theorems, we think *T3-deRe* should be the version originally implied in the book, since *T3-deDicto* is not valid (unless *T1b* were valid but it isn't)

**lemma assumes** *T1b*:  $\downarrow\forall X. \mathcal{P} \ \downarrow X \rightarrow \Diamond(\exists^E z. X \ z)$  ]  
**shows** *T3-deDicto*:  $\downarrow\Diamond\exists^E \downarrow G$  ] **using** *assms T2* **by** *simp*

### 4.4 Part II - God's Existence is Necessary if Possible

In this variant  $\mathcal{P}$  also designates rigidly.

**axiomatization where**

*A4a*:  $\downarrow\forall X. \mathcal{P} \ X \rightarrow \Box(\mathcal{P} \ X)$  ] — Axiom 11.11

**lemma** *A4b*:  $[\forall X. \neg(\mathcal{P} X) \rightarrow \Box \neg(\mathcal{P} X)]$  **using** *A1a A1b A4a* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: so far all axioms consistent

**abbreviation** *essenceOf*:: $\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle, \mathbf{0}\rangle (\mathcal{E})$  **where**  
 $\mathcal{E} Y x \equiv (\downarrow Y x) \wedge (\forall Z::\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle. (\downarrow Z x) \rightarrow Y \Rightarrow Z)$

Theorem 11.20 - Informal Proposition 5

**theorem** *GodIsEssential*:  $[\forall x. G x \rightarrow ((\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G) x)]$  **using** *A1b* **by** *metis*

Theorem 11.21

**theorem** *God-starIsEssential*:  $[\forall x. G* x \rightarrow ((\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G*) x)]$  **by** *meson*

**abbreviation** *necExistencePred*:: $\uparrow\langle\mathbf{0}\rangle (NE)$  **where**  
 $NE x \equiv \lambda w. (\forall Y. \mathcal{E} Y x \rightarrow \Box(\exists^E z. (\downarrow Y z))) w$

Informal Axiom 5

**axiomatization where**

*A5*:  $[\mathcal{P} \downarrow NE]$

**lemma** *True nitpick[satisfy] oops* — Model found: so far all axioms consistent

Reminder: We use the down-arrow notation because it is more explicit. See (non-) equivalences above.

**lemma**  $[\exists G \leftrightarrow \exists \downarrow G]$  **by** *simp*

**lemma**  $[\exists^E G \leftrightarrow \exists^E \downarrow G]$  **by** *simp*

**lemma**  $[\Box \exists^E G \leftrightarrow \Box \exists^E \downarrow G]$  **by** *simp*

Theorem 11.26 (Informal Proposition 7) - (possibilist) existence of God implies necessary (actualist) existence.

There are two different ways of formalizing this theorem. Both of them are proven valid:

First version:

**theorem** *GodExImpliesNecEx-v1*:  $[\exists \downarrow G \rightarrow \Box \exists^E \downarrow G]$

**proof** –

```
{
  fix w
  {
    assume  $\exists x. G x w$ 
    then obtain g where 1:  $G g w$  ..
    hence  $NE g w$  using A5 by auto
    hence  $\forall Y. (\mathcal{E} Y g w) \longrightarrow (\Box(\exists^E z. (\downarrow Y z))) w$  by simp
    hence  $(\mathcal{E} (\lambda x. G x w) g w) \longrightarrow (\Box(\exists^E z. (\downarrow(\lambda x. G x w) z))) w$  by (rule allE)
    hence 2:  $((\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G) g w) \longrightarrow (\Box(\exists^E G)) w$  using A4b by meson
    have  $(\forall x. G x \rightarrow ((\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G) x)) w$  using GodIsEssential by (rule allE)
    hence  $(G g \rightarrow ((\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G) g)) w$  by (rule allE)
  }
}
```

hence  $G \ g \ w \longrightarrow (\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G) \ g \ w$  **by** *simp*  
 from *this 1* **have**  $\exists: (\mathcal{E} \downarrow_1 G) \ g \ w$  **by** (*rule mp*)  
 from *2 3* **have**  $(\Box \exists^E G) \ w$  **by** (*rule mp*)  
 }  
 hence  $(\exists x. G \ x \ w) \longrightarrow (\Box \exists^E G) \ w$  **by** (*rule impI*)  
 hence  $((\exists x. G \ x) \rightarrow \Box \exists^E G) \ w$  **by** *simp*  
 }  
 thus *?thesis* **by** (*rule allI*)  
 qed

Second version (which can be proven directly by automated tools using last version):

**theorem** *GodExImpliesNecEx-v2*:  $[\exists \downarrow G \rightarrow ((\lambda X. \Box \exists^E X) \downarrow G)]$   
 using *A4a GodExImpliesNecEx-v1* **by** *metis*

Compared to Goedel's argument, the following theorems can be proven in  $K$  logic (note that S5 no longer needed):

Theorem 11.27 - Informal Proposition 8

**theorem** *possExImpliesNecEx-v1*:  $[\Diamond \exists \downarrow G \rightarrow \Box \exists^E \downarrow G]$   
 using *GodExImpliesNecEx-v1 T3-deRe* **by** *metis*  
**theorem** *possExImpliesNecEx-v2*:  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond \exists^E X) \downarrow G \rightarrow ((\lambda X. \Box \exists^E X) \downarrow G)]$   
 using *GodExImpliesNecEx-v2* **by** *blast*

Corollaries:

**lemma** *T4-v1*:  $[\Diamond \exists \downarrow G] \longrightarrow [\Box \exists^E \downarrow G]$   
 using *possExImpliesNecEx-v1* **by** *simp*  
**lemma** *T4-v2*:  $[(\lambda X. \Diamond \exists^E X) \downarrow G] \longrightarrow [(\lambda X. \Box \exists^E X) \downarrow G]$   
 using *possExImpliesNecEx-v2* **by** *simp*

## 4.5 Conclusion - Necessary Existence of God

Version I - *de dicto* reading:

**lemma** *GodNecExists-v1*:  $[\Box \exists^E \downarrow G]$   
 using *GodExImpliesNecEx-v1 T3-deRe* **by** *fastforce* — Corollary 11.28  
**lemma** *God-starNecExists-v1*:  $[\Box \exists^E \downarrow G^*]$   
 using *GodNecExists-v1 GodDefsAreEquivalent* **by** *simp*  
**lemma**  $[\Box (\lambda X. \exists^E X) \downarrow G^*]$   
 using *God-starNecExists-v1* **by** *simp* — *de dicto* shown here explicitly

Version II - *de re* reading:

**lemma** *GodNecExists-v2*:  $[(\lambda X. \Box \exists^E X) \downarrow G]$   
 using *T3-deRe T4-v2* **by** *blast*  
**lemma** *God-starNecExists-v2*:  $[(\lambda X. \Box \exists^E X) \downarrow G^*]$   
 using *GodNecExists-v2 GodDefsAreEquivalent* **by** *simp*

## 4.6 Modal Collapse

Modal Collapse is countersatisfiable even in  $S5$ . Note that countermodels with a cardinality of one for the domain of ground-level objects are found by Nitpick (the countermodel shown in the book has cardinality of two).

**lemma**  $[\forall \Phi.(\Phi \rightarrow (\Box \Phi))]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countermodel found in  $K$

**axiomatization where**

$S5$ : *equivalence aRel* — assume accesibility relation is an equivalence

**lemma**  $[\forall \Phi.(\Phi \rightarrow (\Box \Phi))]$   
**nitpick** $[card \ 't=1, card \ i=2]$  **oops** — countermodel found in  $S5$