$$X \otimes^{\mathbf{L}} (Y \otimes^{\mathbf{L}} Z) \xleftarrow{c_{1}} \rho X \otimes (Y \otimes^{\mathbf{L}} Z) \xleftarrow{\rho X \otimes c_{2}} \rho X \otimes (Y \otimes \rho Z)$$

$$\cong \downarrow^{\alpha}$$

$$(X \otimes^{\mathbf{L}} Y) \otimes^{\mathbf{L}} Z \xleftarrow{c_{2}} (X \otimes^{\mathbf{L}} Y) \otimes \rho Z \xleftarrow{c_{1} \otimes \rho Z} (\rho X \otimes Y) \otimes \rho Z$$