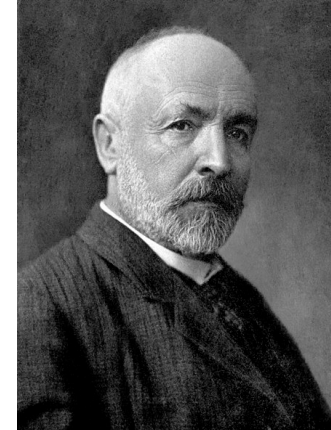


DEFINITIONS: SETS AND ELEMENTS



- A *set* is an **unordered** collection of objects.
 - Naïve set theory:
 - Georg Cantor (1845-1918) father of set theory
- The objects in a set are called the *elements*, or *members* of the set. A set is said to *contain* its elements.
- The notation **$a \in A$** denotes that a is an element of the set A .
- If a is not a member of A , write **$a \notin A$**
- Uppercase letters used for sets
 - Lowercase letters for elements
 - ZyBook Participation Activity 1.1.1

SOME IMPORTANT SETS

- \mathbb{N} = natural numbers = $\{ 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots \}$
- \mathbb{Z} = Integers = $\{ \dots, -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots \}$
- \mathbb{Z}^+ = Positive Integers = $\{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$
- \mathbb{Q} = rational numbers = $\{p/q : p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{Z}^+\}$
- \mathbb{R} = real numbers = any decimal number of arbitrary precision
- Irrational numbers = $\{ x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x \notin \mathbb{Q} \}$
 - (e.g., pi, e,)
- $\emptyset = \{ \}$ is the empty set

INTERVAL NOTATION

$$[a,b] = \{x \mid a \leq x \leq b\}$$

$$[a,b) = \{x \mid a \leq x < b\}$$

$$(a,b] = \{x \mid a < x \leq b\}$$

$$(a,b) = \{x \mid a < x < b\}$$

closed interval $[a,b]$

open interval (a,b)

(caution: ∞ can never have a square bracket)

SUBSETS

Definition: The set A is a *subset* of B , if and only if every element of A is also an element of B .

- The notation $A \subseteq B$ is used to indicate that A is a subset of the set B .
- $A \subseteq B$ holds if and only if
is true. $\forall x(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$
- ZyBook Exercises 1.1

SHOWING A SET IS OR IS NOT A SUBSET OF ANOTHER SET

- **Showing that A is a Subset of B :** To show that $A \subseteq B$, show that if x belongs to A , then x also belongs to B :

$$\forall x(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$$

- **Showing that A is not a Subset of B :** $A \not\subseteq B$

$$\neg \forall x(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$$

$$\exists x \neg(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$$

$$\exists x(x \in A \wedge x \notin B)$$

- To show that A is not a subset of B , $A \not\subseteq B$, find an element $x \in A$ with $x \notin B$. (Such an x is a counterexample to the claim that $x \in A$ implies $x \in B$.)

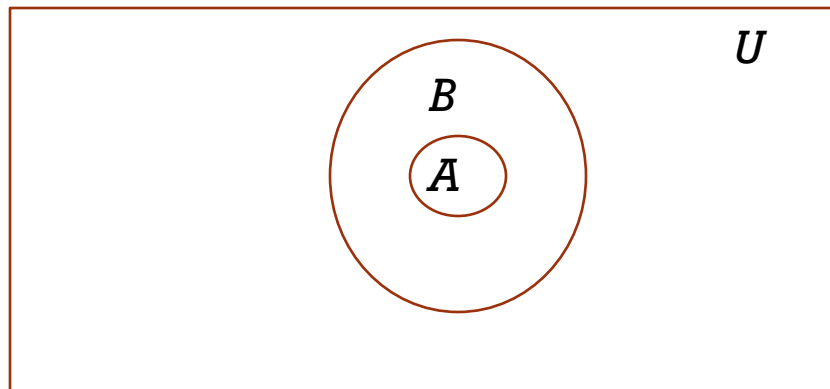
PROPER SUBSETS

Definition: If $A \subseteq B$, but $A \neq B$, then we say A is a *proper subset* of B , denoted by $A \subset B$. i.e.,:

$A \subset B$ **iff**

$$\forall x(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B) \wedge \exists x(x \in B \wedge x \notin A)$$

Venn Diagram



SET EQUALITY

Definition: Two sets are *equal* **if and only if (iff)** they have the same elements; (Definitions are “iff” even if they only say “if”)

If they have the same elements, then they are equal,

If they are equal, then they have the same elements.

- Therefore if A and B are sets, then A and B are equal if and only if

$$\forall x (x \in A \leftrightarrow x \in B)$$

- i.e.,

$$\forall x [(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B) \wedge (x \in B \rightarrow x \in A)]$$

- **We write $A = B$ if A and B are equal sets.**

$$\{1,3,5\} = \{3, 5, 1\}$$

$$\{1,5,5,5,3,3,1\} = \{1,3,5\}$$

ANOTHER LOOK AT EQUALITY OF SETS

- Recall that two sets A and B are *equal*, denoted by $A = B$, iff

$$\forall x (x \in A \leftrightarrow x \in B)$$

- Using logical equivalences we have that $A = B$ iff

$$\forall x [(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B) \wedge (x \in B \rightarrow x \in A)]$$

- This is equivalent to

$$A \subseteq B \quad \text{and} \quad B \subseteq A$$

POWER SETS

Definition: The set of all subsets of a set A , denoted $\mathcal{P}(A)$, is called the *power set* of A .

Example: If $A = \{a, b\}$ then

$$\mathcal{P}(A) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$$

- If a set has n elements, then the cardinality of the power set is 2^n .
- ZyBook Exercises 1.2

SUMMARY OF SET OPERATIONS

Operation	Notation	Description
Intersection	$A \cap B$	$\{x : x \in A \text{ and } x \in B\}$
Union	$A \cup B$	$\{x : x \in A \text{ or } x \in B \text{ or both}\}$
Difference	$A - B$	$\{x : x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B\}$
Symmetric difference	$A \oplus B$	$\{x : x \in A - B \text{ or } x \in B - A\}$
Complement	\bar{A}	$\{x : x \notin A\}$

SET IDENTITIES (ZYBOOK EXERCISE 1.6)

Name	Identities	
Idempotent laws	$A \cup A = A$	$A \cap A = A$
Associative laws	$(A \cup B) \cup C = A \cup (B \cup C)$	$(A \cap B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cap C)$
Commutative laws	$A \cup B = B \cup A$	$A \cap B = B \cap A$
Distributive laws	$A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$	$A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$
Identity laws	$A \cup \emptyset = A$	$A \cap U = A$
Domination laws	$A \cap \emptyset = \emptyset$	$A \cup U = U$
Double Complement law	$\overline{\overline{A}} = A$	
Complement laws	$A \cap \overline{A} = \emptyset$ $\overline{\overline{U}} = U$	$A \cup \overline{A} = U$ $\overline{\emptyset} = U$
De Morgan's laws	$\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cap \overline{B}$	$\overline{A \cap B} = \overline{A} \cup \overline{B}$
Absorption laws	$A \cup (A \cap B) = A$	$A \cap (A \cup B) = A$

N-TUPLES

(11, 12)

ordered pair

( ,  , )

a 3-tuple

( ,  ,  , 11, Leo)

a 5-tuple

- As opposed to sets, repetition and ordering do matter with n -tuples.

- (11, 11, 11, 12, 13) \neq (11, 12, 13)

- ( ,  , ) \neq ( ,  , )

CARTESIAN PRODUCT

Definition: The cartesian products of the sets A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n , denoted by $A_1 \times A_2 \times \dots \times A_n$, is the set of ordered n -tuples (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) where a_i belongs to A_i for $i = 1, \dots, n$.

$$A_1 \times A_2 \times \dots \times A_n = \{(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) \mid a_i \in A_i \text{ for } i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

Example: What is $A \times B \times C$ where $A = \{0,1\}$, $B = \{1,2\}$ and $C = \{0,1,2\}$

Solution: $A \times B \times C = \{(0,1,0), (0,1,1), (0,1,2), (0,2,0), (0,2,1), (0,2,2), (1,1,0), (1,1,1), (1,1,2), (1,2,0), (1,2,1), (1,2,2)\}$

ZyBook Exercises 1.3 (1.3.1-1.3.3)

Set Partitions

Two sets, A and B, are said to be **disjoint** if their intersection is empty ($A \cap B = \emptyset$). A sequence of sets, A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n , is **pairwise disjoint** if every pair of distinct sets in the sequence is disjoint (i.e., $A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$ for any i and j in the range from 1 through n where $i \neq j$).

A **partition** of a non-empty set A is a collection of non-empty subsets of A such that each element of A is in exactly one of the subsets. A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n is a partition for a non-empty set A if all of the following conditions hold:

- For all i , $A_i \subseteq A$.
- For all i , $A_i \neq \emptyset$
- A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n are pairwise disjoint.
- $A = A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n$

PROPOSITIONAL LOGIC

- Constructing Propositions
 - Propositional Variables: p, q, r, s, \dots
 - The proposition that is always true is denoted by **T** and the proposition that is always false is denoted by **F**.
 - Compound Propositions; constructed from logical connectives and other propositions
 - Negation \neg
 - Conjunction \wedge
 - Disjunction \vee
 - Implication \rightarrow
 - Biconditional \leftrightarrow

DIFFERENT WAYS OF EXPRESSING $P \rightarrow Q$

- **if p , then q**
- **if p , q**
- q **unless** $\neg p$
- **q if p**
- q **whenever** p
- q **follows from** p
- **p implies q**
- **p only if q**
- q **when** p
- **p is sufficient for q**
- **q is necessary for p**
- **a necessary condition for p is q**
- **a sufficient condition for q is p**
- *See also page 44 of Book of Proof and Table 2.3.2 in ZyBook*

EQUIVALENT STATEMENTS FOR $P \rightarrow Q$

- If $x > 2$ then $x^2 > 4$
- $x^2 > 4$ if $x > 2$
- $x > 2$ only if $x^2 > 4$
- $x > 2$ is sufficient for $x^2 > 4$
- $x^2 > 4$ is necessary for $x > 2$
- You will find any of the above statements in many math books when introducing theorems
 - You need to memorize the above equivalent statements to understand what the theorem is saying.

PROVING $P \rightarrow Q$ IS FALSE: $P \wedge \neg Q$

- Sometimes you want to prove a $p \rightarrow q$ assertion is false
- Recall this is a promise that if p is true, then q is true
- So I need to find an example where p is true and q is false:
 - $p \wedge \neg q$
- If $x^2 > 4$ then $x > 2$?
 - **False!**
 - **Consider $x = -3$.**
 - $x^2 = 9$ so p is true, and $x < 2$ so q is false.

CONVERSE AND INVERSE OF $P \rightarrow Q$

- From $p \rightarrow q$ we can form new conditional statements .
 - $q \rightarrow p$ is the **converse** of $p \rightarrow q$
 - $\neg p \rightarrow \neg q$ is the **inverse** of $p \rightarrow q$

Example: Find the converse, and inverse of “if you are a bird, then you have wings.”

Solution:

converse: If you have wings, then you are a bird

inverse: If you are not a bird, then you do not have wings.

- They are not equivalent to $p \rightarrow q$
 - If you are a bird you have wings, (assume this is true)
 - If you have wings then you are a bird (not necessarily true)
 - If you are not a bird, then you do not have wings (not necessarily true)

CONVERSE, CONTRAPOSITIVE, INVERSE

Proposition:	$p \rightarrow q$	Ex: If it is raining today, the game will be cancelled.
Converse:	$q \rightarrow p$	If the game is cancelled, it is raining today.
Contrapositive:	$\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$	If the game is not cancelled, then it is not raining today.
Inverse:	$\neg p \rightarrow \neg q$	If it is not raining today, the game will not be cancelled.

Only the contrapositive is equivalent to the original statement

$\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$ IS THE SAME AS $P \rightarrow Q$

- Two propositions are **equivalent** if they always have the same truth value.
- Example:** Show using a truth table that the conditional is equivalent to the contrapositive.

Solution:

p	q	$\neg p$	$\neg q$	$p \rightarrow q$	$\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$
T	T	F	F	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	T

You can also show the equivalence using “proofs”: ZyBook 2.5

BICONDITIONAL

- If p and q are propositions, then we can form the *biconditional* proposition $p \leftrightarrow q$, read as “ p **if and only if** q .” The biconditional $p \leftrightarrow q$ denotes the proposition with this truth table:

p	q	$p \leftrightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

- If p denotes “I am at home.” and q denotes “It is raining.” then $p \leftrightarrow q$ denotes “I am at home if and only if it is raining.”

EXPRESSING THE BICONDITIONAL

- Some alternative ways “ p if and only if q ” is expressed in English:
 - p is necessary and sufficient for q
 - if p then q , and conversely
 - p iff q

LOGICALLY EQUIVALENT

- Two compound propositions p and q are **logically equivalent** iff $p \leftrightarrow q$ is a tautology.
- We write this as $p \leftrightarrow q$ or as $p \equiv q$ where p and q are compound propositions.
- Two compound propositions p and q are equivalent if and only if the columns in a truth table giving their truth values agree.

■	T	p	q	$\neg p$	$\neg p \vee q$	$p \rightarrow q$
		T	T	F	T	T
		T	F	F	F	F
		F	T	T	T	T
		F	F	T	T	T

LAWS OF PROPOSITIONAL LOGIC

Idempotent laws:	$p \vee p \equiv p$	$p \wedge p \equiv p$
Associative laws:	$(p \vee q) \vee r \equiv p \vee (q \vee r)$	$(p \wedge q) \wedge r \equiv p \wedge (q \wedge r)$
Commutative laws:	$p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$	$p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$
Distributive laws:	$p \vee (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$	$p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$
Identity laws:	$p \vee F \equiv p$	$p \wedge T \equiv p$
Domination laws:	$p \wedge F \equiv F$	$p \vee T \equiv T$
Double negation law:	$\neg\neg p \equiv p$	
Complement laws:	$p \wedge \neg p \equiv F$ $\neg T \equiv F$	$p \vee \neg p \equiv T$ $\neg F \equiv T$
De Morgan's laws:	$\neg(p \vee q) \equiv \neg p \wedge \neg q$	$\neg(p \wedge q) \equiv \neg p \vee \neg q$
Absorption laws:	$p \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv p$	$p \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p$
Conditional identities:	$p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q$	$p \leftrightarrow q \equiv (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$

UNIVERSAL QUANTIFIER \forall

- $\forall x P(x)$ is read as “For all x , $P(x)$ ” or “For every x , $P(x)$ ”

Examples:

- 1) If $P(x)$ denotes “ $x > 0$ ” and U is the integers, then $\forall x P(x)$ is false.
- 2) If $P(x)$ denotes “ $x > 0$ ” and U is the positive integers, then $\forall x P(x)$ is true.
- 3) If $P(x)$ denotes “ x is even” and U is the integers, then $\forall x P(x)$ is false.

EXISTENTIAL QUANTIFIER \exists

- $\exists x P(x)$ is read as “For some x , $P(x)$ ”, or as “There is an x such that $P(x)$,” or “For at least one x , $P(x)$.”

Examples:

1. If $P(x)$ denotes “ $x > 0$ ” and U is the integers, then $\exists x P(x)$ is true. It is also true if U is the positive integers.
2. If $P(x)$ denotes “ $x < 0$ ” and U is the positive integers, then $\exists x P(x)$ is false.
3. If $P(x)$ denotes “ x is even” and U is the integers, then $\exists x P(x)$ is true.

UNIQUENESS QUANTIFIER $\exists!$

- $\exists!x P(x)$ means that $P(x)$ is true for one and only one x in the universe of discourse.
- This is commonly expressed in English in the following equivalent ways:
 - “There is a unique x such that $P(x)$.”
 - “There is one and only one x such that $P(x)$ ”
- Examples:
 1. If $P(x)$ denotes “ $x + 1 = 0$ ” and U is the integers, then $\exists!x P(x)$ is true.
 2. But if $P(x)$ denotes “ $x > 0$,” then $\exists!x P(x)$ is false.
- The uniqueness quantifier is not really needed as the restriction that there is a unique x such that $P(x)$ can be expressed as:

$$\exists x (P(x) \wedge \forall y (P(y) \rightarrow y=x))$$

Table 2.8.1: Summary of De Morgan's laws for quantified statements.

$$\neg \forall x P(x) \equiv \exists x \neg P(x)$$

$$\neg \exists x P(x) \equiv \forall x \neg P(x)$$

QUANTIFICATIONS OF TWO VARIABLES

Statement	When True?	When False
$\forall x \forall y P(x, y)$ $\forall y \forall x P(x, y)$	$P(x, y)$ is true for every pair x, y .	There is a pair x, y for which $P(x, y)$ is false.
$\forall x \exists y P(x, y)$	For every x there is a y for which $P(x, y)$ is true.	There is an x such that $P(x, y)$ is false for every y .
$\exists x \forall y P(x, y)$	There is an x for which $P(x, y)$ is true for every y .	For every x there is a y for which $P(x, y)$ is false.
$\exists x \exists y P(x, y)$ $\exists y \exists x P(x, y)$	There is a pair x, y for which $P(x, y)$ is true.	$P(x, y)$ is false for every pair x, y

Table 2.9.2: De Morgan's laws for nested quantified statements.

$$\neg \forall x \forall y P(x, y) \equiv \exists x \exists y \neg P(x, y)$$

$$\neg \forall x \exists y P(x, y) \equiv \exists x \forall y \neg P(x, y)$$

$$\neg \exists x \forall y P(x, y) \equiv \forall x \exists y \neg P(x, y)$$

$$\neg \exists x \exists y P(x, y) \equiv \forall x \forall y \neg P(x, y)$$

THEOREMS

- A theorem is any inference obtained from:
 - a set of premises: Γ
 - axioms or previously proved Theorems and
 - the rules of inference

- **Notation (Hilbert system):**

$$\Gamma \vdash \alpha$$

$$\vdash \alpha \quad \text{if } \Gamma \text{ is empty}$$

- (ZyBook Notation):**

$$\frac{\Gamma}{\alpha}$$

\vdash is called the (single) “Turnstile” symbol



EXAMPLE: HILBERT SYSTEM

- Small set of rules of inference and axioms from where all “theorems” can be derived
- Lukasiewicz Axioms and only Modus Ponens
- **3 fixed Axioms** (all truth tables are Tautologies) doc cam:

$$A1 \quad \alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \alpha)$$

$$A2 \quad (\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)) \rightarrow ((\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma))$$

$$A3 \quad (\neg\alpha \rightarrow \neg\beta) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \alpha)$$

- **Modus Ponens**

- $p, p \rightarrow q \vdash q$

- *Goal: Use only axioms and modus ponens (and previous results) to prove all theorems of propositional logic*

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO SPELL OUT THE REASON FOR EACH STEP

Theorem 2 $\alpha \rightarrow \beta, \beta \rightarrow \gamma \vdash \alpha \rightarrow \gamma$

Proof 1.	$\beta \rightarrow \gamma$	P
2.	$(\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma))$	$A1$
3.	$\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)$	$MP1, 2$
4.	$(\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)) \rightarrow ((\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma))$	$A2$
5.	$(\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma)$	$MP3, 4$
6.	$\alpha \rightarrow \beta$	P
7.	$\alpha \rightarrow \gamma$	$MP5, 6$

PROOF BY CONTRADICTION

Meta – Theorem Let Γ be a set of premises

$$\Gamma, \neg\alpha \vdash \beta, \neg\beta \implies \Gamma \vdash \alpha$$

Meta – Corollary (a) $\Gamma, \alpha \vdash \beta, \neg\beta \implies \Gamma \vdash \neg\alpha$

$$(b) \Gamma, \neg\alpha \vdash \alpha \implies \Gamma \vdash \alpha$$

USING PROOF BY CONTRADICTION

Theorem 6 $\alpha \rightarrow \beta, \neg\beta \vdash \neg\alpha$ (Modus Tollens)

Proof Assume $\alpha \rightarrow \beta, \neg\beta, \neg\neg\alpha$

1. $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$	P
2. $\neg\beta$	P
3. $\neg\neg\alpha$	P
4. α	$Thm4, 3$
5. β	$MP1, 4$

You get a contradiction with lines 2 and 5

Axioms, Rules, and Theorems that can be used to justify Proofs

You only need them when a question has this symbol: \vdash

Also if the question has the symbol \vdash you also do not need anything else from the other pages

A1	$\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \alpha)$	
A2	$(\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)) \rightarrow ((\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma))$	
A3	$(\neg\alpha \rightarrow \neg\beta) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \alpha)$	
A4	$(\alpha \wedge \beta) \rightarrow \alpha$	
A5	$(\alpha \wedge \beta) \rightarrow \beta$	
A6	$(\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow ((\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \wedge \gamma)))$	
A7	$\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \vee \beta)$	
A8	$\beta \rightarrow (\alpha \vee \beta)$	
A9	$(\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow ((\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow ((\alpha \vee \beta) \rightarrow \gamma))$	
Rule 1	$\alpha \vdash \beta \rightarrow \alpha$	
Rule 2	$(\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)) \rightarrow ((\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma))$	
Rule 3	$\neg\alpha \rightarrow \neg\beta \vdash \beta \rightarrow \alpha$	Contrapositive
Rule 4	$\alpha \wedge \beta \vdash \alpha$	Simplification
Rule 5	$\alpha \wedge \beta \vdash \beta$	Simplification
Rule 6	$(\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow ((\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \wedge \gamma)))$	
Rule 7	$\alpha \vdash \alpha \vee \beta$	Addition
Rule 8	$\beta \vdash \alpha \vee \beta$	Addition
Rule 9	$\alpha \rightarrow \gamma, \beta \rightarrow \gamma \vdash (\alpha \vee \beta) \rightarrow \gamma$	
Theorem 1	$\vdash \alpha \rightarrow \alpha$	
Theorem 2	$\alpha \rightarrow \beta, \beta \rightarrow \gamma \vdash \alpha \rightarrow \gamma$	Hypothetical Syllogism
Theorem 3	$\neg\alpha \vdash \alpha \rightarrow \beta$	
Theorem 4	$\neg\neg\alpha \vdash \alpha$	
Theorem 5	$\alpha, \neg\alpha \vdash \beta$	
Theorem 6	$\alpha \rightarrow \beta, \neg\beta \vdash \neg\alpha$	Modus Tollens
Theorem 7	$\alpha \rightarrow \beta, \neg\alpha \rightarrow \beta \vdash \beta$	
Theorem 8	$\alpha, \neg\beta \vdash \neg(\alpha \rightarrow \beta)$	
Theorem 9	$\alpha \rightarrow \gamma, \beta \rightarrow \gamma \vdash (\alpha \vee \beta) \rightarrow \gamma$	Conjunction
Theorem 10	$\alpha, \beta \vdash \alpha \wedge \beta$	
Theorem 11	$\alpha \vee \beta, \neg\alpha \vdash \beta$	Disjunctive Syllogism
Theorem 12	$\vdash \alpha \vee \neg\alpha$	
Theorem 13	$\neg\alpha, \neg\beta \vdash \neg(\alpha \vee \beta)$	De Morgan's Law
Theorem 14	$\neg\alpha \vdash \neg(\alpha \wedge \beta)$	
Theorem 15	$\neg\beta \vdash \neg(\alpha \wedge \beta)$	