

MATH 571: MATHEMATICAL LOGIC
HOMEWORK SET 8, DUE AT 8:50 ON FRIDAY, OCT. 30

BRING YOUR SOLUTIONS TO CLASS, OR SLIDE THEM UNDER THE DOOR OF
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1. Give proof trees which show the following:
 - a. $\vdash \forall x \forall y \varphi \rightarrow \forall y \forall x \varphi$.
 - b. $\vdash \exists x \exists y \varphi \rightarrow \exists y \exists x \varphi$.

2. Give proof trees which show the following:
 - a. $\vdash \forall x (\varphi \wedge \psi) \rightarrow ((\forall x \varphi) \wedge (\forall x \psi))$.
 - b. $\vdash ((\forall x \varphi) \wedge (\forall x \psi)) \rightarrow \forall x (\varphi \wedge \psi)$.

3. a. Give a proof tree which shows that $\vdash \exists x (\varphi \wedge \psi) \rightarrow ((\exists x \varphi) \wedge (\exists x \psi))$.
b. Show that $\not\vdash ((\exists x \varphi) \wedge (\exists x \psi)) \rightarrow \exists x (\varphi \wedge \psi)$. For this, you may use the completeness theorem, and therefore it is enough to give an example of two formulas φ, ψ and a model \mathcal{A} such that $\mathcal{A} \not\models ((\exists x \varphi) \wedge (\exists x \psi)) \rightarrow \exists x (\varphi \wedge \psi)$.

4. a. Give a proof tree which shows that $\vdash \exists x \forall y \varphi \rightarrow \forall y \exists x \varphi$.
b. Show that $\not\vdash \forall y \exists x \varphi \rightarrow \exists x \forall y \varphi$, again by giving an example of a formula φ and a model \mathcal{A} such that $\mathcal{A} \not\models \forall y \exists x \varphi \rightarrow \exists x \forall y \varphi$.