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A.1. Definitions and notation for basic concepts

Most deductive properties or relation concerns a set or some specific number of *assumptions* and a set or some specific number of *alternatives*. When there is only one alternative, it is a *conclusion*. This is shown in the following table, where cells are labeled in boldface by the concept expressed as a noun, with the verbal or adjectival form shown in italics.

		<i>alternatives</i>			
		<i>set</i> Σ	<i>two</i> ψ_1, ψ_2	<i>one</i> (concl.) ψ	<i>none</i>
<i>assumptions</i>	<i>set</i> Γ	relative exhaustiveness Γ renders Σ exhaustive		entailment Γ entails ψ	inconsistency Γ is inconsistent
	<i>two</i> ϕ_1, ϕ_2				mutual exclusiveness ϕ_1 and ϕ_2 are mutually exclusive
	<i>one</i> ϕ			implication ϕ implies ψ	absurdity ϕ is absurd
	<i>none</i>	exhaustiveness Σ is exhaustive	(joint) exhaustiveness ψ_1 and ψ_2 are (jointly) exhaustive	tautologousness ψ is tautologous (or is a tautology)	

Not appearing in the table are two relations that each abbreviate conjunctions of two claims drawn from the ones above.

<i>conjunctive relation</i>	<i>component relations</i>	
(logical) equivalence ϕ and ψ are (logically) equivalent	ϕ implies ψ	ψ implies ϕ
contradictoriness ϕ and ψ are contradictory	ϕ and ψ are mutually exclusive	ϕ and ψ are jointly exhaustive

There are also two alternative ways of applying the concept of inconsistency:

<i>alternative statements</i> (for assumptions Γ and ϕ)		
exclusion Γ excludes ϕ	relative inconsistency ϕ is inconsistent with Γ	inconsistency of the union Γ with ϕ added is inconsistent

Note that in this case all sentences involved count as assumptions.

All concepts appearing in the first table can be defined in the same way, as saying that their assumptions cannot be separated from their alternatives. This idea can be stated more specifically in two ways:

NEGATIVE DEFINITION: there is no possible world in which the assumptions (if any) are all true while the alternatives (if any) are all false.

POSITIVE DEFINITION: in each possible world in which the assumptions (if any) are all true, at least one alternative is true.

When there are no assumptions or no alternatives, the corresponding clause may be dropped from the negative form. The same is true for the clause regarding assumptions in the positive form; and, if there are no alternatives, that definition can be restated as: *in each possible world, the assumptions are not all true (i.e., at least one is false).*

The following table gives an explicit definition for each of these concepts and also indicates compact notation for the concept.

concept	negative definition	positive definition
φ is a <i>tautology</i> $\models \varphi$	There is no possible world in which φ is false.	φ is true in every possible world.
φ is <i>absurd</i> $\varphi \models$	There is no possible world in which φ is true.	φ is false in every possible world.
φ <i>implies</i> ψ $\varphi \models \psi$	There is no possible world in which φ is true and ψ is false.	ψ is true in every possible world in which φ is true.
φ and ψ are <i>mutually exclusive</i> $\varphi \Delta \psi$	There is no possible world in which φ and ψ are both true.	In each possible world, at least one of φ and ψ is false.
φ and ψ are <i>(jointly) exhaustive</i> $\varphi \nabla \psi$	There is no possible world in which φ and ψ are both false.	In each possible world, at least one of φ and ψ is true.
φ and ψ are <i>(logically) equivalent</i> $\varphi \simeq \psi$	There is no possible world in which φ and ψ have different truth values.	In each possible world, φ and ψ have the same truth value as each other.
φ and ψ are <i>contradictory</i> $\varphi \bowtie \psi$	There is no possible world in which φ and ψ have the same truth value.	In each possible world, φ and ψ have opposite truth values.
Γ is <i>inconsistent</i> $\Gamma \models$	There is no possible world in which all members of Γ are true.	In each possible world, at least one member of Γ is false.
Γ is <i>exhaustive</i> $\models \Gamma$	There is no possible world in which all members of Γ are false.	In each possible world, at least one member of Γ is true.
Γ <i>entails</i> φ $\Gamma \models \varphi$	There is no possible world in which φ is false while all members of Γ are true.	φ is true in every possible world in which all members of Γ are true.
Γ <i>excludes</i> φ $\Gamma, \varphi \models$	There is no possible world in which φ is true while all members of Γ are true.	φ is false in every possible world in which all members of Γ are true.
Γ <i>renders</i> Σ <i>exhaustive</i> $\Gamma \models \Sigma$	There is no possible world in which all members of Γ are true while all members of Σ are false.	In each possible world in which all members of Γ are true, at least one member of Σ is true.

All these concepts can be expressed in terms of relative exhaustiveness and also in terms of entailment. To express them in terms of relative exhaustiveness, simply list the assumptions (if any) to the left of \models and list the alternatives (if any) to its right. The ex-

pression in terms of entailment for the concepts in the first table is shown below.

		alternatives			
		Σ	ψ_1, ψ_2	ψ	none
assumptions	Γ	$\Gamma, \Sigma^{\bowtie} \models \perp$		$\Gamma \models \psi$	$\Gamma \models \perp$
	φ_1, φ_2				$\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \models \perp$
	φ			$\varphi \models \psi$	$\varphi \models \perp$
	none	$\Sigma^{\bowtie} \models \perp$	$\psi_1^{\bowtie} \models \psi_2$	$\models \psi$	

Here θ^{\bowtie} is any sentence contradictory to θ (such as its negation); and Σ^{\bowtie} is any result of replacing each member of Σ by a sentence that is contradictory to it. The joint exhaustiveness of ψ_1 and ψ_2 may also be expressed by $\psi_2^{\bowtie} \models \psi_1$ and by $\psi_1^{\bowtie}, \psi_2^{\bowtie} \models \perp$. The general rule is that alternatives can be dropped if their contradictories are made assumptions (and vice versa) and that \perp may be used as a conclusion if there are no alternatives already.

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A.2. Logical forms

Forms for which there is symbolic notation

	Symbolic notation	English notation or English reading
Negation	$\neg \phi$	not ϕ
Conjunction	$\phi \wedge \psi$	both ϕ and ψ (ϕ and ψ)
Disjunction	$\phi \vee \psi$	either ϕ or ψ (ϕ or ψ)
The conditional	$\phi \rightarrow \psi$ $\psi \leftarrow \phi$	if ϕ then ψ (ϕ implies ψ) yes ψ if ϕ (ψ if ϕ)
Identity	$\tau = \upsilon$	τ is υ
Predication	$\theta \tau_1 \dots \tau_n$	θ fits τ_1, \dots, τ_n A series of terms τ_1, \dots, τ_n can be read (series) τ_1, \dots, τ_n (using the expression on to distinguish this use of and from its use in conjunction and adding series when necessary to avoid ambiguity)
Compound term	$\gamma \tau_1 \dots \tau_n$	γ of τ_1, \dots, τ_n γ applied to τ_1, \dots, τ_n
Predicate abstract	$[\phi]_{x_1 \dots x_n}$	what ϕ says of $x_1 \dots x_n$
Functor abstract	$[\tau]_{x_1 \dots x_n}$	τ for $x_1 \dots x_n$
Universal quantification	$\forall x \theta x$	forall x θx everything, x , is such that θx
Restricted universal	$(\forall x: \rho x) \theta x$	forall x st ρx θx everything, x , such that ρx is such that θx
Existential quantification	$\exists x \theta x$	forsome x θx something, x , is such that θx
Restricted existential	$(\exists x: \rho x) \theta x$	forsome x st ρx θx something, x , such that ρx is such that θx
Definite description	$!x \rho x$	the x st ρx the thing, x , such that ρx

Some paraphrases of other forms

Truth-functional compounds

neither ϕ nor ψ	$\neg (\phi \vee \psi)$
	$\neg \phi \wedge \neg \psi$

ψ only if ϕ	$\neg \psi \leftarrow \neg \phi$
ψ unless ϕ	$\psi \leftarrow \neg \phi$

Generalizations

All Cs are such that (... they ...)	$(\forall x: x \text{ is a } C) \dots x \dots$
No Cs are such that (... they ...)	$(\forall x: x \text{ is a } C) \neg \dots x \dots$
Only Cs are such that (... they ...)	$(\forall x: \neg x \text{ is a } C) \neg \dots x \dots$
with: among Bs	add to the restriction: $x \text{ is a } B$
except Es	$\neg x \text{ is an } E$
other than τ	$\neg x = \tau$

Numerical quantifier phrases

At least 1 C is such that (... it ...)	$(\exists x: x \text{ is a } C) \dots x \dots$
At least 2 Cs are such that (... they ...)	$(\exists x: x \text{ is a } C) (\exists y: y \text{ is a } C \wedge \neg y = x) (\dots x \dots \wedge \dots y \dots)$
Exactly 1 C is such that (... it ...)	$(\exists x: x \text{ is a } C) (\dots x \dots \wedge (\forall y: y \text{ is a } C \wedge \neg y = x) \neg \dots y \dots)$ or $(\exists x: x \text{ is a } C) (\dots x \dots \wedge (\forall y: y \text{ is a } C \wedge \dots y \dots) x = y)$

Definite descriptions (on Russell's analysis)

The C is such that (... it ...)	$(\exists x: x \text{ is a } C \wedge (\forall y: \neg y = x) \neg y \text{ is a } C) \dots x \dots$ or $(\exists x: x \text{ is a } C \wedge (\forall y: y \text{ is a } C) x = y) \dots x \dots$
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A.3. Truth tables

Tautology

$$\frac{\top}{\top}$$

Absurdity

$$\frac{\perp}{\text{F}}$$

Negation

$$\frac{\varphi \quad \neg \varphi}{\text{F}} \quad \frac{\text{F}}{\text{T}}$$

Conjunction

φ	ψ	$\varphi \wedge \psi$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	F

Disjunction

φ	ψ	$\varphi \vee \psi$
T	T	T
T	F	T
F	T	T
F	F	F

Conditional

φ	ψ	$\varphi \rightarrow \psi$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

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A.4. Derivation rules

Basic system

<i>Rules for developing gaps</i>		
<i>logical form</i>	<i>as a resource</i>	<i>as a goal</i>
atomic sentence		IP
negation $\neg \varphi$ (if φ not atomic & goal is \perp)	CR	RAA
conjunction $\varphi \wedge \psi$	Ext	Cnj
disjunction $\varphi \vee \psi$	PC	PE
conditional $\varphi \rightarrow \psi$ (if goal is \perp)	RC	CP
universal $\forall x \theta x$	UI	UG
existential $\exists x \theta x$	PCh	NcP

<i>Rules for closing gaps</i>			
<i>when to close</i>			<i>rule</i>
<i>co-aliases</i>	<i>resources</i>	<i>goal</i>	
	φ	φ	QED
	φ and $\neg \varphi$	\perp	Nc
		\top	ENV
		\perp	EFQ
$\tau \multimap \upsilon$		$\tau = \upsilon$	EC
$\tau \multimap \upsilon$	$\neg \tau = \upsilon$	\perp	DC
$\tau_1 \multimap \upsilon_1, \dots, \tau_n \multimap \upsilon_n$	$P\tau_1 \dots \tau_n$	$P\upsilon_1 \dots \upsilon_n$	QED=
$\tau_1 \multimap \upsilon_1, \dots, \tau_n \multimap \upsilon_n$	$P\tau_1 \dots \tau_n$	\perp	Nc=
		$\neg P\upsilon_1 \dots \upsilon_n$	

In addition, if the conditions for applying a rule are met except for differences between co-aliases, then the rule can be applied and is notated by adding "="; QED= and Nc= are examples of this.

<i>Detachment rules (optional)</i>		
<i>required resources</i>		<i>rule</i>
<i>main</i>	<i>auxiliary</i>	
$\varphi \rightarrow \psi$	φ	MPP
	$\neg^{\neq} \psi$	MTT
$\varphi \vee \psi$	$\neg^{\neq} \varphi$ or $\neg^{\neq} \psi$	MTP
$\neg(\varphi \wedge \psi)$	φ or ψ	MPT

Additional rules (not guaranteed to be progressive)

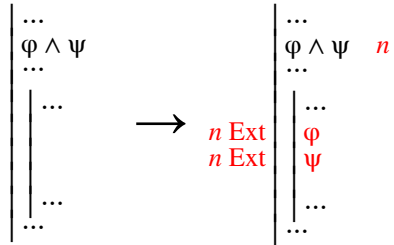
<i>Attachment rules</i>	
<i>added resource</i>	<i>rule</i>
$\varphi \wedge \psi$	Adj
$\varphi \rightarrow \psi$	Wk
$\varphi \vee \psi$	Wk
$\neg(\varphi \wedge \psi)$	Wk
$\tau = \upsilon$	CE
$\theta \upsilon_1 \dots \upsilon_n$	Cng
$\exists x \theta x$	EG

Rule for lemmas
prerequisite rule
the goal is \perp LFR

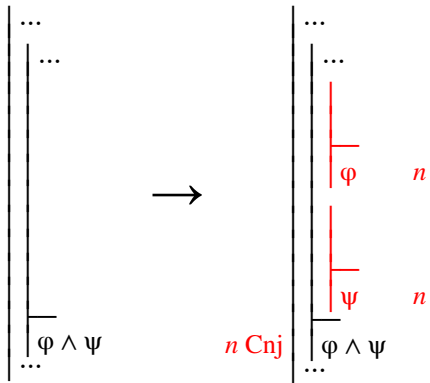
Rules from chapter 2

Diagrams

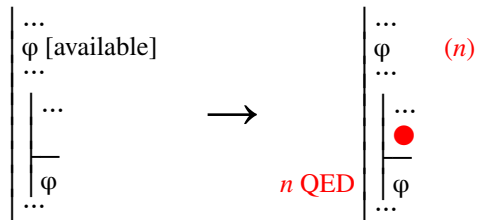
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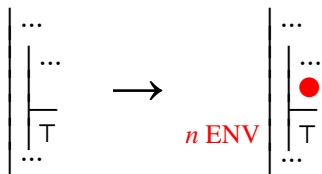
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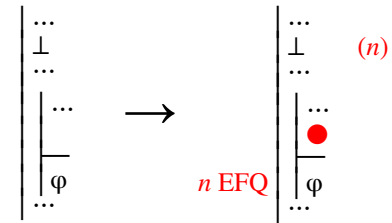
Quod Erat Demonstrandum (QED)



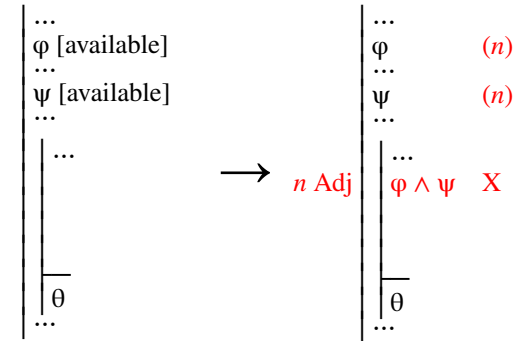
Ex Nihilo Verum (ENV)



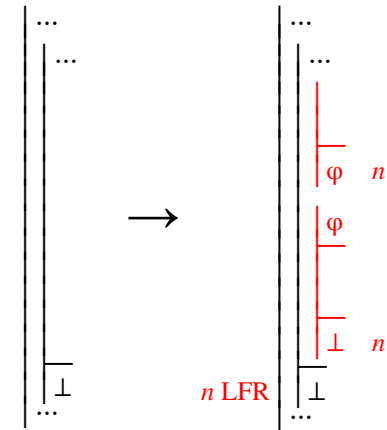
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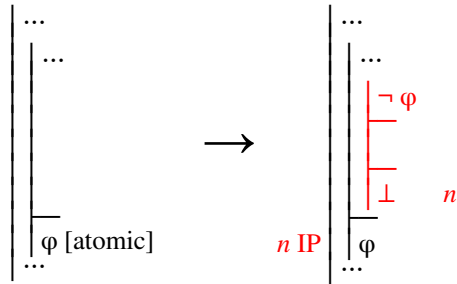
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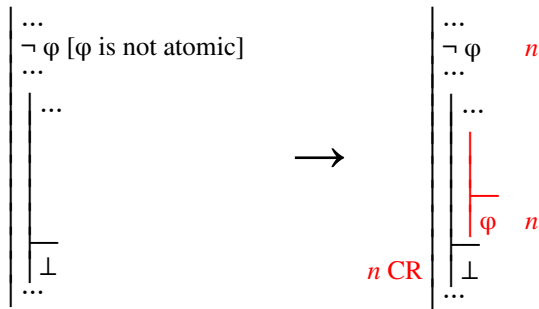
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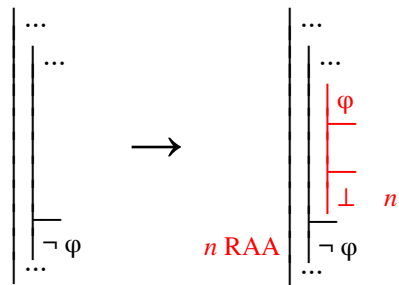
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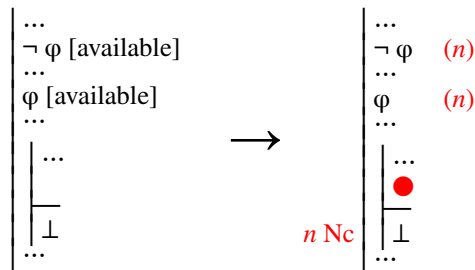
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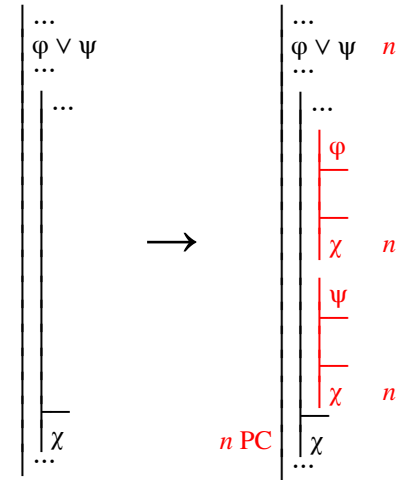
Reductio ad Absurdum (RAA)



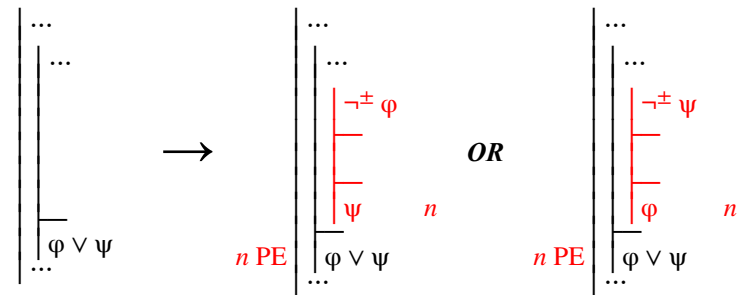
Non-contradiction (Nc)



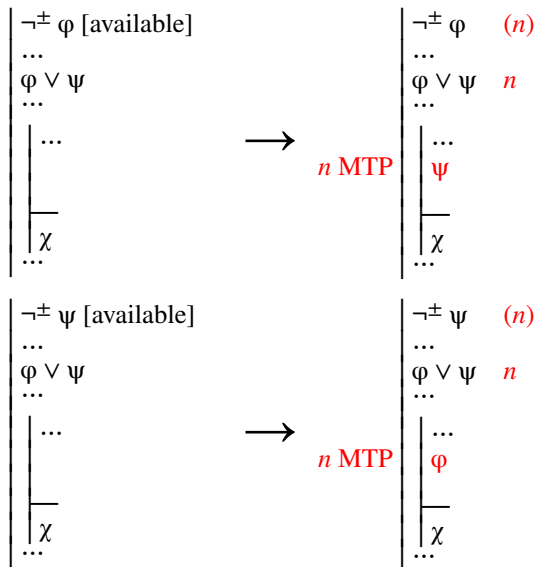
Proof by Cases (PC)



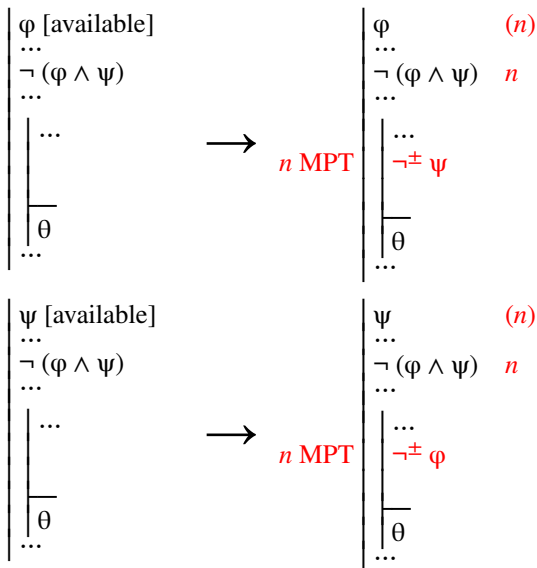
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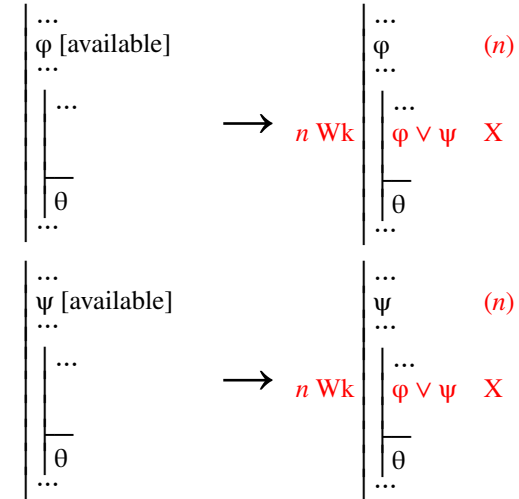
Modus Tollendo Ponens (MTP)



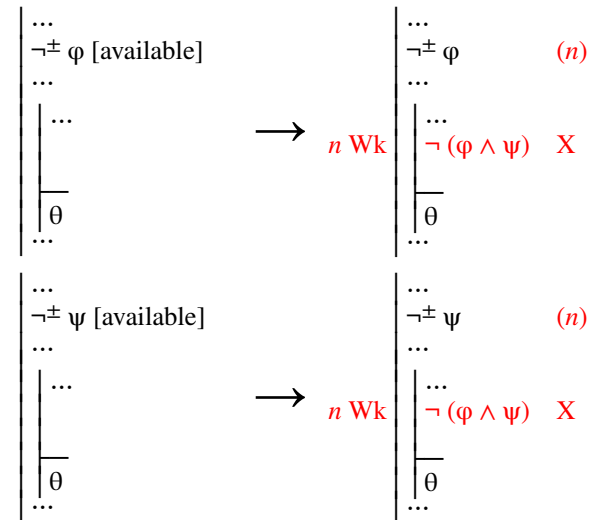
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Weakening (Wk)

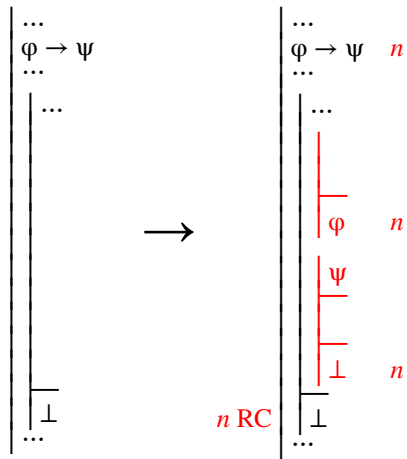


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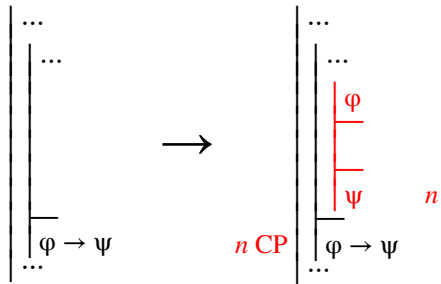


Rules from chapter 5

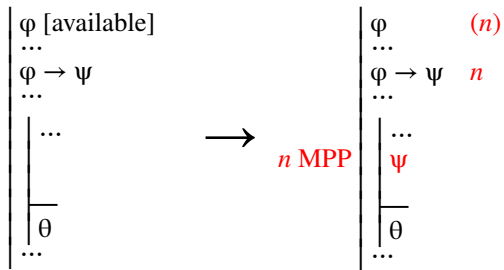
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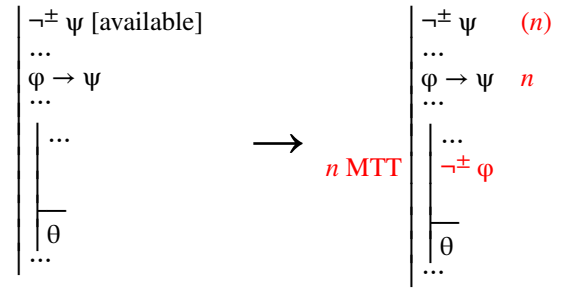
Conditional Proof (CP)



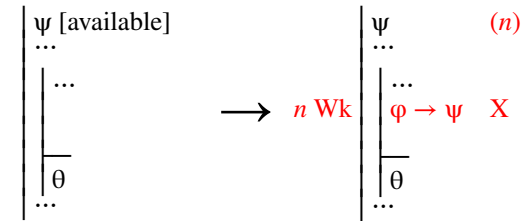
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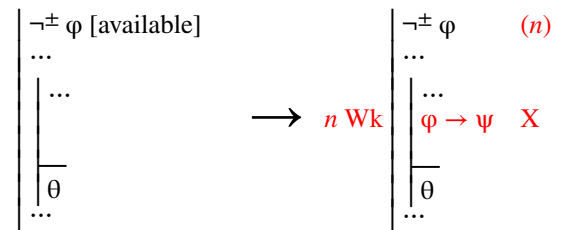
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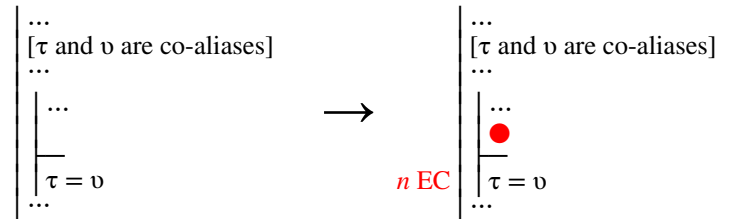


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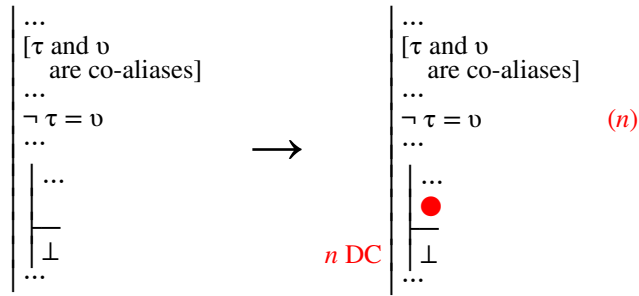


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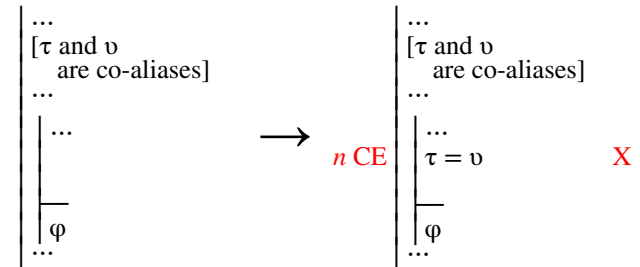
Equated Co-aliases (EC)



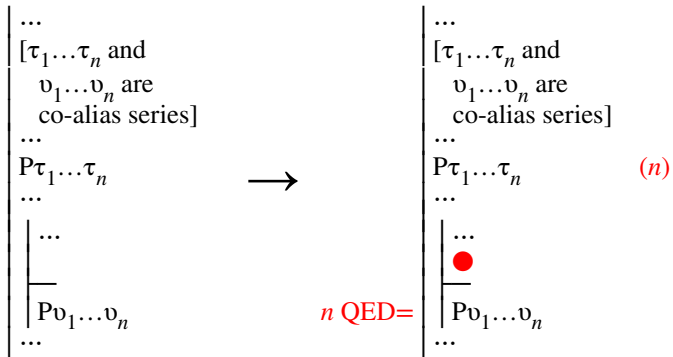
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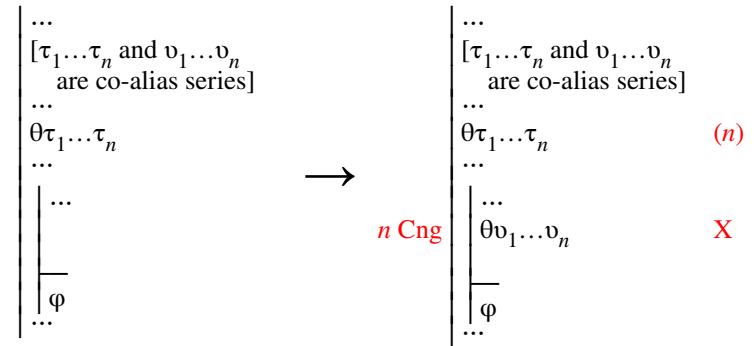
Co-alias Equation (CE)



QED given equations (QED=)



Congruence (Cng)

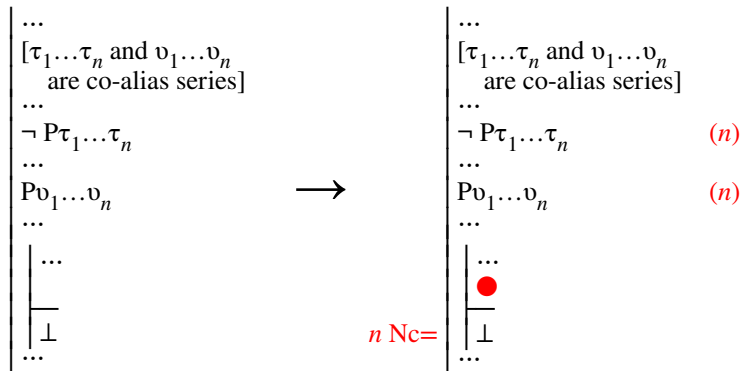


Note: Two series of terms are co-alias series when their corresponding members are co-aliases.

Note: θ can be an abstract, so $\theta\tau_1 \dots \tau_n$ and $\theta\upsilon_1 \dots \upsilon_n$ are any formulas that differ only in the occurrence of terms and in which the corresponding terms are co-aliases.

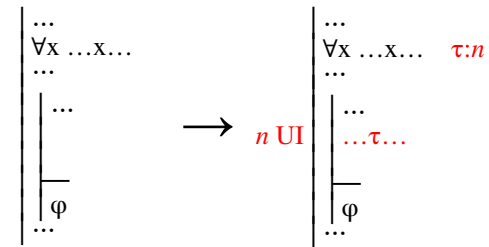
Rules from chapter 7

Non-contradiction given equations (Nc=)

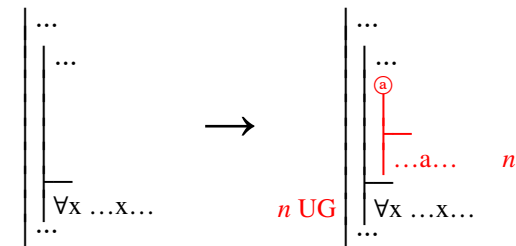


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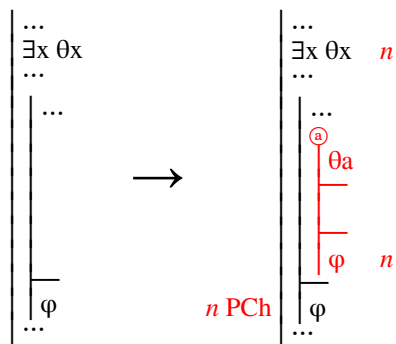
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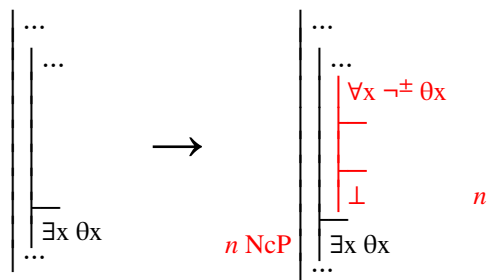
Universal Generalization (UG)



Proof by Choice (PCh)



Non-constructive Proof (NcP)



Existential Generalization (EG)

