

# **Predicate Logic**

**(first order logic)**

formula	intuitive meanings
$\exists x P(x)$	there is an x with property P
$\forall y P(y)$	?
$\forall x \exists y (x = 2y)$	?
$\forall \varepsilon (\varepsilon > 0 \rightarrow \exists n (1 < \varepsilon))$	?
$x < y \rightarrow \exists z (x < z \wedge z < y)$	?
$\forall x \exists y (x.y = 1)$	?

formula	intuitive meanings
$\exists x P(x)$	there is an x with property P
$\forall y P(y)$	for all y P holds (all y have the property P)
$\forall x \exists y (x = 2y)$	for all x there is a y such that x is two times y
$\forall \varepsilon (\varepsilon > 0 \rightarrow \exists n (1 < \varepsilon))$	for all positive $\varepsilon$ there is an n such that $1 < \varepsilon$
$x < y \rightarrow \exists z (x < z \wedge z < y)$	if $x < y$ , then there is a z such that $x < z$ and $z < y$
$\forall x \exists y (x \cdot y = 1)$	for each x there exists an inverse y

# **The semantics of predicate logics**

# Structure

$$\langle A, R_1, \dots, R_n, F_1, \dots, F_m, \{c_i | i \in I\} \rangle$$

# Structure

$$\mathfrak{U} = \langle A, R_1, \dots, R_n, F_1, \dots, F_m, \{c_i \mid i \in I\} \rangle$$

A non-empty set

relations on A

functions on A

elements of A

notation  $|\mathfrak{U}| = A$

$\langle \mathbb{R}, +, \cdot, ^{-1}, 0, 1 \rangle$  – the field of real numbers,

$\langle \mathbb{N}, < \rangle$  – the ordered set of natural numbers.

**Definition 2.2.2** *The similarity type of a structure  $\mathfrak{A} = \langle A, R_1, \dots, R_n, F_1, \dots, F_m, \{c_i | i \in I\} \rangle$  is a sequence,  $\langle r_1, \dots, r_n; a_1, \dots, a_m; \kappa \rangle$ , where  $R_i \subseteq A^{r_i}$ ,  $F_j : A^{a_j} \rightarrow A$ ,  $\kappa = |\{c_i \mid i \in I\}|$  (cardinality of  $I$ ).*

**what is  $A^0$  ?**

**what is  $f: A^0 \rightarrow A$  ?**



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**what is  $f: A^0 \rightarrow A$  ?**

**what is  $A^n$  ?**

**what is  $f: \emptyset \rightarrow A$  ?**

Write down the similarity type for the following structures:

- (i)  $\langle \mathbb{Q}, <, 0 \rangle$
- (ii)  $\langle \mathbb{N}, +, \cdot, S, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, n, \dots \rangle$ , where  $S(x) = x + 1$ ,
- (iii)  $\langle \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N}), \subseteq, \cup, \cap, ^c, \emptyset \rangle$ ,
- (iv)  $\langle \mathbb{Z}/(5), +, \cdot, -, ^{-1}, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 \rangle$ ,
- (v)  $\langle \{0, 1\}, \wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \neg, 0, 1 \rangle$ , where  $\wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \neg$  operate according to the ordinary truth tables,
- (vi)  $\langle \mathbb{R}, 1 \rangle$ ,
- (vii)  $\langle \mathbb{R} \rangle$ ,

Give structures with type  $\langle 1, 1; -; 3 \rangle, \langle 4; -; 0 \rangle$ .

## alphabet

$\langle r_1, \dots, r_n; a_1, \dots, a_m; \kappa \rangle$ , with  $r_i \geq 0, a_j > 0$ .

1. Predicate symbols: sequence  $P_1, \dots, P_n$ , plus  $=$ .
2. Function symbols: sequence  $f_1, \dots, f_m$
3. Constant symbols  $\mathbf{c}_i$  for  $i \in I$  with  $|I| = \kappa$
4. Variables:  $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots$  (countably many)
5. Connectives:  $\vee, \wedge, \rightarrow, \neg, \leftrightarrow, \perp, \forall, \exists$
6. auxiliary symbols:  $(, )$ ,

we write also  $\langle \langle P_1, \dots, P_n; f_1, \dots, f_m, \{\mathbf{c}_i\}_{i \in I} \rangle$  to relate with

$$\langle r_1, \dots, r_n; a_1, \dots, a_m; \kappa \rangle$$

$$\langle r_1, \dots, r_n; a_1, \dots, a_m; K \rangle, \text{ with } r_i \geq 0, a_j > 0.$$

**Definition** *TERM is the smallest set  $X$  with the properties*

- (i)  $\bar{c}_i \in X$  ( $i \in I$ ) and  $x_i \in X$  ( $i \in N$ ),
- (ii)  $t_1, \dots, t_{a_i} \in X \Rightarrow f_i(t_1, \dots, t_{a_i}) \in X$ , for  $1 \leq i \leq m$

*TERM is our set of terms.*

**Definition** *FORM is the smallest set  $X$  with the properties:*

- (i)  $\perp \in X$ ;  $P_i \in X$  if  $r_i = 0$ ;  $t_1, \dots, t_{r_i} \in TERM \Rightarrow$   
 $P_i(t_1, \dots, t_{r_i}) \in X$ ;  $t_1, t_2 \in TERM \Rightarrow t_1 = t_2 \in X$ ,
- (ii)  $\varphi, \psi \in X \Rightarrow (\varphi \square \psi) \in X$ , where  $\square \in \{\wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \leftrightarrow\}$ ,
- (iii)  $\varphi \in X \Rightarrow (\neg \varphi) \in X$ ,
- (iv)  $\varphi \in X \Rightarrow ((\forall x_i) \varphi), ((\exists x_i) \varphi) \in X$ .

# proof by induction

**Lemma**      *Let  $A(t)$  be a property of terms. If  $A(t)$  holds for  $t$  a variable or a constant, and if  $A(t_1), A(t_2), \dots, A(t_n) \Rightarrow A(f(t_1, \dots, t_n))$ , for all function symbols  $f$ , then  $A(t)$  holds for all  $t \in \text{TERM}$ .*

**Lemma**      *Let  $A(\varphi)$  be a property of formulas. If*

- (i)  $A(\varphi)$  for atomic  $\varphi$ ,*
- (ii)  $A(\varphi), A(\psi) \Rightarrow A(\varphi \Box \psi)$ ,*
- (iii)  $A(\varphi) \Rightarrow A(\neg \varphi)$ ,*
- (iv)  $A(\varphi) \Rightarrow A((\forall x_i)\varphi), A((\exists x_i)\varphi)$  for all  $i$ , then  $A(\varphi)$  holds for all  $\varphi \in \text{FORM}$ .*

Example of a language of type  $\langle 2;2,1;1 \rangle$ .

predicate symbols:  $L, =$

function symbols:  $p, i$

constant symbol:  $e$

**Definition by Recursion on TERM:** Let  $H_0 : Var \cup Const \rightarrow A$  (i.e.  $H_0$  is defined on variables and constants),  $H_i : A^{a_i} \rightarrow A$ , then there is a unique mapping  $H : TERM \rightarrow A$  such that

$$\begin{cases} H(t) = H_0(t) \text{ for } t \text{ a variable or a constant,} \\ H(f_i(t_1, \dots, t_{a_i})) = H_i(H(t_1), \dots, H(t_{a_i})). \end{cases}$$

**Definition by Recursion on FORM:**

Let  $H_{at} : At \rightarrow A$  (i.e.  $H_{at}$  is defined on atoms),

$$H_{\square} : A^2 \rightarrow A, \quad (\square \in \{\vee, \wedge, \rightarrow, \leftrightarrow\})$$

$$H_{\neg} : A \rightarrow A,$$

$$H_{\forall} : A \times N \rightarrow A,$$

$$H_{\exists} : A \times N \rightarrow A.$$

then there is a unique mapping  $H : FORM \rightarrow A$  such that

$$\begin{cases} H(\varphi) &= H_{at}(\varphi) \text{ for atomic } \varphi, \\ H(\varphi \square \psi) &= H_{\square}(H(\varphi), H(\psi)), \\ H(\neg \varphi) &= H_{\neg}(H(\varphi)), \\ H(\forall x_i \varphi) &= H_{\forall}(H(\varphi), i), \\ H(\exists x_i \varphi) &= H_{\exists}(H(\varphi), i). \end{cases}$$

# free variables

**Definition**      *The set  $FV(t)$  of free variables of  $t$  is defined by*

- (i)  $FV(x_i) \quad \quad \quad := \{x_i\},$   
     $FV(\bar{c}_i) \quad \quad \quad := \emptyset$
- (ii)  $FV(f(t_1, \dots, t_n)) := FV(t_1) \cup \dots \cup FV(t_n).$

**Definition**      *The set  $FV(\varphi)$  of free variables of  $\varphi$  is defined by*

- (i)  $FV(P(t_1, \dots, t_p)) \quad \quad \quad := FV(t_1) \cup \dots \cup FV(t_p),$   
     $FV(t_1 = t_2) \quad \quad \quad := FV(t_1) \cup FV(t_2),$   
     $FV(\perp) = FV(P) \quad \quad \quad := \emptyset$  for  $P$  a proposition symbol,
- (ii)  $FV(\varphi \Box \psi) \quad \quad \quad := FV(\varphi) \cup FV(\psi),$   
     $FV(\neg \varphi) \quad \quad \quad := FV(\varphi),$
- (iii)  $FV(\forall x_i \varphi) := FV(\exists x_i \varphi) := FV(\varphi) - \{x_i\}.$



- $t$  or  $\varphi$  is called closed if  $FV(t) = \emptyset$ , resp.  $FV(\varphi) = \emptyset$ .
- a closed formula is also called a sentence.
- a formula without quantifiers is called open.
- $TERM_c$  denotes the set of closed terms;
- $SENT$  denotes the set of sentences.

**Exercise:**

- define the set  $BV(\varphi)$  of bound variables of  $\varphi$
- $FV(\varphi) \cap BV(\varphi) = \emptyset$  ?

# The notion of SUBFORMULA

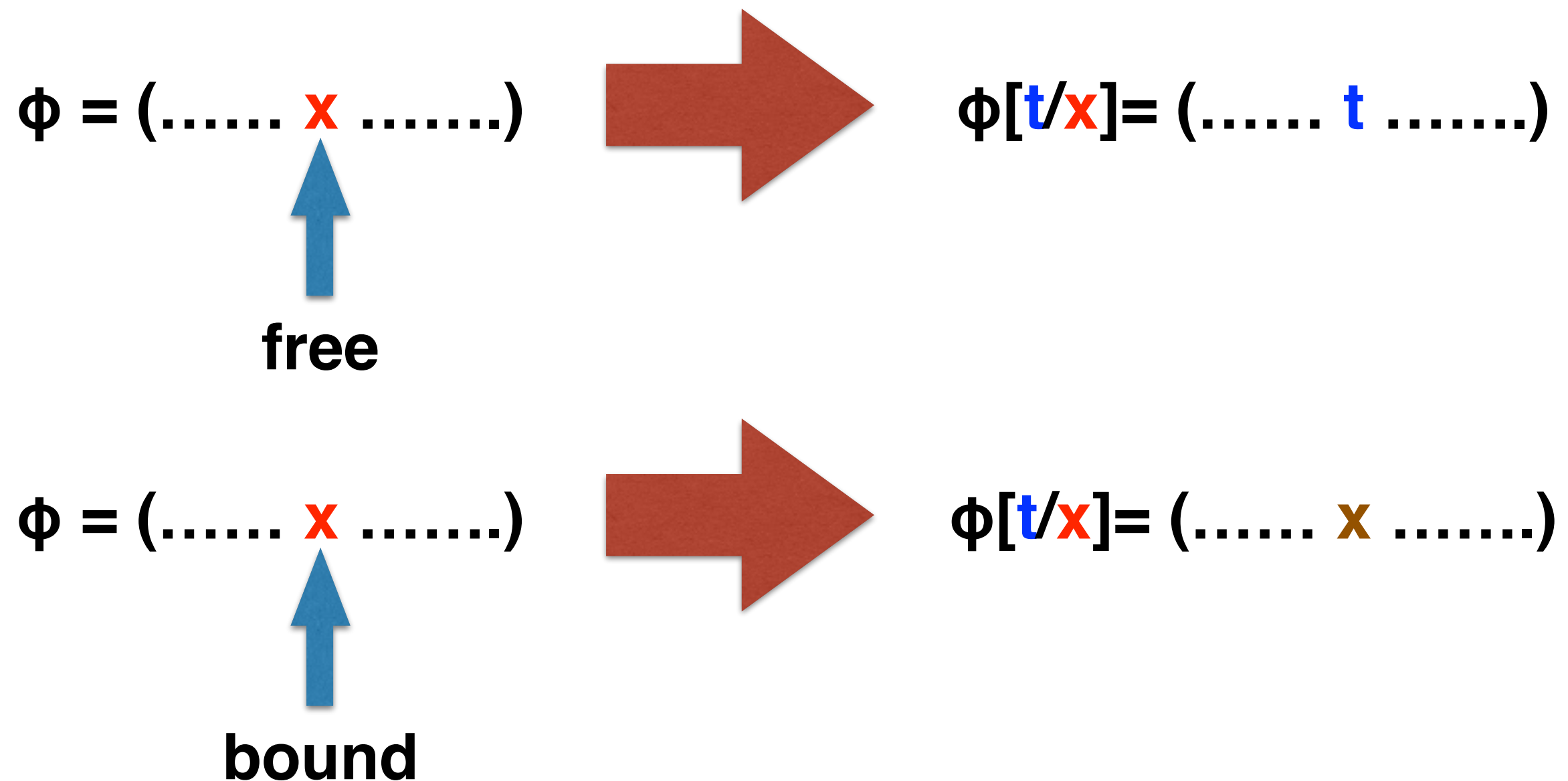
- $\text{Sub}(\varphi) = \{\varphi\}$  for atomic  $\varphi$
- $\text{Sub}(\varphi_1 \square \varphi_2) = \text{Sub}(\varphi_1) \cup \text{Sub}(\varphi_2) \cup \{\varphi_1 \square \varphi_2\}$  for  $\square \in \{\wedge, \vee, \rightarrow\}$
- $\text{Sub}^+(\neg\varphi) = \text{Sub}(\varphi) \cup \{\neg\varphi\}$
- $\text{Sub}^+(Qx.\varphi) = \text{Sub}(\varphi) \cup \{Qx.\varphi\}$  for  $Q \in \{\forall, \exists\}$

## Free and Bound occurrences of variables

- an occurrence of a variable  $x$  in  $\delta$  is BOUND, if  $x$  occurs in  $\varphi \in \text{SUB}\{\delta\}$  and  $\varphi \equiv \{Qx.\theta\}$  for  $Q \in \{\forall, \exists\}$
- an occurrence of a variable  $x$  in  $\delta$  is FREE, if  $x$  does not occur in any  $\varphi \in \text{SUB}\{\delta\}$  with  $\varphi \equiv \{Qx.\theta\}$  for  $Q \in \{\forall, \exists\}$

# SUBSTITUTION

$\phi[t/x]?$



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**Definition**      *Let  $s$  and  $t$  be terms, then  $s[t/x]$  is defined by:*

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \quad y[t/x] &:= \begin{cases} y & \text{if } y \not\equiv x \\ t & \text{if } y \equiv x \end{cases} \\ c[t/x] &:= c \\ (ii) \quad f(t_1, \dots, t_p)[t/x] &:= f(t_1[t/x], \dots, t_p[t/x]). \end{aligned}$$

**Definition**       *$\varphi[t/x]$  is defined by:*

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \quad \perp[t/x] &:= \perp, \\ P[t/x] &:= P \text{ for propositions } P, \\ P(t_1, \dots, t_p)[t/x] &:= P(t_1[t/x], \dots, t_p[t/x]), \\ (t_1 = t_2)[t/x] &:= t_1[t/x] = t_2[t/x], \\ (ii) \quad (\varphi \Box \psi)[t/x] &:= \varphi[t/x] \Box \psi[t/x], \\ (\neg \varphi)[t/x] &:= \neg \varphi[t/x] \\ (iii) \quad (\forall y \varphi)[t/x] &:= \begin{cases} \forall y \varphi[t/x] & \text{if } x \not\equiv y \\ \forall y \varphi & \text{if } x \equiv y \end{cases} \\ (\exists y \varphi)[t/x] &:= \begin{cases} \exists y \varphi[t/x] & \text{if } x \not\equiv y \\ \exists y \varphi & \text{if } x \equiv y \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Define simultaneous substitution  $\delta[t_1, \dots, t_n/x_1, \dots, x_n]$

$$\exists x (y < x) [x/y] = \exists x (x < x)$$

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**We must forbid dangerous substitutions**

$$t = (\dots y \dots) \quad \phi = (\dots (\exists y \dots x \dots) \dots)$$

$$\phi[t/x] = (\dots (\exists y \dots (\dots y \dots) \dots) \dots)$$

**y is now bound!**

## Definition

**t is free for x in  $\phi$**  if

- (i)  $\phi$  is atomic,
- (ii)  $\phi := \phi_1 \square \phi_2$  (or  $\phi := \neg \phi_1$ ) and t is free for x in  $\phi_1$  and  $\phi_2$  (resp.  $\phi_1$ ),
- (iii)  $\phi := \exists y \psi$  (or  $\phi := \forall y \psi$ ) and if  $x \in FV(\phi)$ , then  $y \notin FV(t)$  and t is free for x in  $\psi$ .

$$t = (\dots y \dots) \quad \phi = (\dots (\exists y \dots x \dots) \dots)$$

$$\phi[t/x] = (\dots (\exists y \dots (\dots y \dots) \dots) \dots)$$

**t is NOT free for x in  $\phi$**

**proposition**

$t$  is free for  $x$  in  $\varphi \Leftrightarrow$  the variables of  $t$  in  $\varphi[t/x]$  are not bound by a quantifier.

**proof by induction (exercise!)**



Check which terms are free in the following cases, and carry out the substitution:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| (a) $x$ for $x$ in $x = x$ ,                      | (f) $x + w$ for $z$ in $\forall w(x + z = \bar{0})$ ,      |
| (b) $y$ for $x$ in $x = x$ ,                      | (g) $x + y$ for $z$ in $\forall w(x + z = \bar{0}) \wedge$ |
| (c) $x + y$ for $y$ in $z = \bar{0}$ ,            | $\exists y(z = x)$ ,                                       |
| (d) $\bar{0} + y$ for $y$ in $\exists x(y = x)$ , | (h) $x + y$ for $z$ in $\forall u(u = v) \rightarrow$      |
| (e) $x + y$ for $z$ in                            | $\forall z(z = y)$ .                                       |
| $\exists w(w + x = \bar{0})$ ,                    |  |

# NATURAL DEDUCTION

Notation

in the same context  $\varphi(\mathbf{x})$  and  $\varphi(\mathbf{t})$  denote respectively  $\varphi$  and  $\varphi[\mathbf{t}/\mathbf{x}]$

**hp $\mathcal{D}$**

$$\forall I \frac{\mathcal{D} \quad \varphi(x)}{\forall x \varphi(x)}$$

**$x \notin \text{FV}(\text{hp}\mathcal{D})$**

$$\forall E \frac{\mathcal{D} \quad \forall x \varphi(x)}{\varphi(t)}$$

**$t$  free for  $x$  in  $\varphi$**

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{[x = 0]}{\forall x(x = 0)} \\
\hline
\frac{x = 0 \rightarrow \forall x(x = 0)}{\forall x(x = 0 \rightarrow \forall x(x = 0))} \\
\hline
0 = 0 \rightarrow \forall x(x = 0)
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{[x = 0]}{\forall x(x = 0)} \quad \text{NO!} \\
 \hline
 \frac{x = 0 \rightarrow \forall x(x = 0)}{\forall x(x = 0 \rightarrow \forall x(x = 0))} \\
 \hline
 0 = 0 \rightarrow \forall x(x = 0)
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 [x = 0] \\
 \hline
 \neg \forall x (x \neq 0) \\
 \hline
 x = 0 \rightarrow \forall x (x = 0) \\
 \hline
 \forall x (x = 0 \rightarrow \neg \forall x (x \neq 0)) \\
 \hline
 0 = 0 \rightarrow \forall x (x = 0)
 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{\frac{[\forall x \neg \forall y (x = y)]}{\neg \forall y (y = y)}}{\forall x \neg \forall y (x = y) \rightarrow \neg \forall y (y = y)}$$

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**NO!**

$$\frac{\frac{[\forall x \neg \forall y (x = y)]}{\neg \forall y (y = y)}}{\forall x \neg \forall y (x = y) \rightarrow \neg \forall y (y = y)}$$



$$\forall x \forall y \varphi(x, y) \longrightarrow \forall y \forall x \varphi(x, y)$$

$$\frac{[\forall x \forall y \varphi(x, y)]}{\forall y \varphi(x, y)} \forall E$$

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$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{[\forall x \forall y \varphi(x, y)]}{\forall y \varphi(x, y)} \forall E \\
 \frac{\forall y \varphi(x, y)}{\varphi(x, y)} \forall E \\
 \frac{\varphi(x, y)}{\forall x \varphi(x, y)} \forall I
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{[\forall x \forall y \varphi(x, y)]}{\forall y \varphi(x, y)} \forall E \\
\frac{\forall y \varphi(x, y)}{\varphi(x, y)} \forall E \\
\frac{\varphi(x, y)}{\forall x \varphi(x, y)} \forall I \\
\frac{\forall x \varphi(x, y)}{\forall y \forall x (\varphi(x, y))} \forall I
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{[\forall x \forall y \varphi(x, y)]}{\forall y \varphi(x, y)} \forall E \\
\frac{\forall y \varphi(x, y)}{\varphi(x, y)} \forall E \\
\frac{\varphi(x, y)}{\forall x \varphi(x, y)} \forall I \\
\frac{\forall x \varphi(x, y)}{\forall y \forall x (\varphi(x, y))} \forall I \\
\hline
\forall x \forall y \varphi(x, y) \rightarrow \forall y \forall x \varphi(x, y) \rightarrow I
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{[\forall x(\varphi(x) \wedge \psi(x))]}{\varphi(x) \wedge \psi(x)} \\
\frac{\varphi(x)}{\forall x\varphi(x)} \qquad \frac{\psi(x)}{\forall x\psi(x)} \\
\frac{\forall x\varphi(x) \wedge \forall x\psi(x)}{\forall x(\varphi \wedge \psi) \rightarrow \forall x\varphi \wedge \forall x\psi}
\end{array}$$

Let  $x \notin FV(\varphi)$

$$\forall x(\varphi \rightarrow \psi(x)) \rightarrow (\varphi \rightarrow \forall x(\psi(x)))$$



Let  $x \notin FV(\varphi)$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{[\forall x(\varphi \rightarrow \psi(x))]}{\varphi \rightarrow \psi(x)} \forall E \quad [\varphi] \\
 \hline
 \frac{\psi(x)}{\forall x \psi(x)} \forall I \quad \frac{\varphi \rightarrow \psi(x)}{\varphi \rightarrow \forall x \psi(x)} \rightarrow I \\
 \hline
 \forall x(\varphi \rightarrow \psi(x)) \rightarrow (\varphi \rightarrow \forall x(\psi(x)))
 \end{array}$$

$\Gamma \vdash \varphi(x) \Rightarrow \Gamma \vdash \forall x \varphi(x)$  if  $x \notin FV(\psi)$  for all  $\psi \in \Gamma$   
 $\Gamma \vdash \forall x \varphi(x) \Rightarrow \Gamma \vdash \varphi(t)$  if  $t$  is free for  $x$  in  $\varphi$ .

1. Show: (i)  $\vdash \forall x(\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi(x)) \rightarrow (\forall x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \forall x\psi(x))$ ,  
(ii)  $\vdash \forall x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \neg\forall x\neg\varphi(x)$ ,  
(iii)  $\vdash \forall x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \forall z\varphi(z)$  if  $z$  does not occur in  $\varphi(x)$ ,

# SEMANTICS

In describing a structure it is a great help to be able to refer to all elements of  $|U|$  individually, i.e. to have names for all the elements of  $|U|$

## extended language

The extended language,  $L(U)$ , of  $U$  is obtained from the language  $L$ , of the type of  $U$ , by adding constant symbols for all elements of  $U$ . We denote each constant symbol, corresponding to  $a \in |U|$ , by ***a***.

an interpretation of the closed terms of  $L(\mathfrak{U})$  in  $\mathfrak{U}$ , is a mapping

$\llbracket - \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} : \text{TERM}_C \rightarrow |\mathfrak{U}|$  satisfying:

(i)  $\llbracket \mathbf{c} \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = c$

(ii)  $\llbracket \mathbf{a} \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = a,$

(iii)  $\llbracket \mathbf{F}_i(t_1, \dots, t_k) \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = F_i(\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}}, \dots, \llbracket t_k \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}}),$  with  $k = a_i$

an interpretation of the sentences  $\varphi$  of  $L(\mathfrak{U})$  in  $\mathfrak{U}$ , is a mapping

$\llbracket - \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} : \text{SENT} \rightarrow \{0, 1\},$  satisfying:

i)  $\llbracket \perp \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 0$

ii)  $\llbracket \mathbf{P}_i(t_1, \dots, t_k) \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff (\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}}, \dots, \llbracket t_k \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}}) \in P_i \text{ (with } k = r_i)$

iii)  $\llbracket t_1 = t_e \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff$

iv)  $\llbracket \varphi \wedge \delta \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \textbf{ and } \llbracket \delta \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1$

v)  $\llbracket \varphi \vee \delta \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \textbf{ or } \llbracket \delta \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1$

vi)  $\llbracket \varphi \rightarrow \delta \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 0 \textbf{ or } \llbracket \delta \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1$

vii)  $\llbracket \forall x. \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff \textbf{for all } a \in |\mathfrak{U}| \llbracket \varphi[x/a] \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1$

viii)  $\llbracket \exists x. \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1 \iff \textbf{there exists } a \in |\mathfrak{U}| \text{ s.t. } \llbracket \varphi[x/a] \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}} = 1$

when there is no ambiguity we write  $\llbracket - \rrbracket$  instead of  $\llbracket - \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{U}}$

Given a fixed similarity type and a sentence  $\varphi$ :

$\mathfrak{U} \models \varphi$  stands for  $\llbracket \varphi \rrbracket \mathfrak{U} = 1$

$\models \varphi$  stands for **for each**  $\mathfrak{U}$  .  $\mathfrak{U} \models \varphi$

Let  $FV(\varphi) = \{z_1, \dots, z_k\}$ , then  $Cl(\varphi) := \forall z_1 \dots z_k \varphi$  is the universal closure of  $\varphi$

(we assume the order of variables  $z_i$  to be fixed in some way).

- $\mathfrak{U} \models \varphi$  ( $\mathfrak{U}$  is a model of  $\varphi$ )  $\Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models Cl(\varphi)$ ,
- $\models \varphi$  ( $\varphi$  is valid/true)  $\Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models \varphi$  for all  $\mathfrak{U}$  (of the appropriate type),
- $\mathfrak{U} \models \Gamma$  ( $\mathfrak{U}$  is a model of  $\Gamma$ )  $\Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models \psi$  for all  $\psi \in \Gamma$ ,
- $\Gamma \models \varphi$  ( $\varphi$  is consequence of  $\Gamma$ )  $\Leftrightarrow$   
for each  $\mathfrak{U} (\mathfrak{U} \models \Gamma \Rightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models \varphi)$ , where  $\Gamma \cup \{\varphi\}$  consists of sentences.

For the rest of the course let us suppose to fix an enumeration (without repetitions) of variables  $\{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}^*}$  ( $\mathbb{N}^* = \mathbb{N} - \{0\}$ )

When we write that  $FV(\varphi) = \{z_1, \dots, z_k\}$  we means that for each  $j \in [1, k]$   $z_j = x_{i_j}$  and for each  $m, n \in [1, k]$   $m < n \Rightarrow i_m < i_n$

If  $\varphi$  is a formula with  $FV(\varphi) = \{z_1, \dots, z_k\}$ , then we say that

- $\varphi$  is satisfied by  $a_1, \dots, a_k \in |\mathfrak{U}|$  if  $\mathfrak{U} \models \varphi[\mathbf{a}_1, \dots, \mathbf{a}_k / z_1, \dots, z_k]$
- $\varphi$  is called satisfiable in  $\mathfrak{U}$  if there are  $a_1, \dots, a_k \in |\mathfrak{U}|$  such that  $\varphi$  is satisfied by  $a_1, \dots, a_k \in |\mathfrak{U}|$
- $\varphi$  is called satisfiable if it is satisfiable in some  $\mathfrak{U}$ .

Note that  $\varphi$  is satisfiable in  $\mathfrak{U}$  iff  $\mathfrak{U} \models \exists z_1, \dots, z_k. \varphi$ .



If we restrict ourselves to sentences, we have

(i)  $\mathcal{U} \models \varphi \wedge \psi \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi$  and  $\mathcal{U} \models \psi$ ,

(ii)  $\mathcal{U} \models \varphi \vee \psi \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi$  or  $\mathcal{U} \models \psi$

(iii)  $\mathcal{U} \models \neg \varphi \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \not\models \varphi$ ,

(iv)  $\mathcal{U} \models \varphi \rightarrow \psi \Leftrightarrow (\mathcal{U} \models \varphi \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \psi)$ ,

(vi)  $\mathcal{U} \models \forall x \varphi \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi[\mathbf{a}/x]$ , for each  $a \in |\mathcal{U}|$ .

(vii)  $\mathcal{U} \models \exists x \varphi \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi[\mathbf{a}/x]$ , for some  $a \in |\mathcal{U}|$ .

$\mathfrak{U} \models \exists x \varphi \Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models \varphi[\mathbf{a}/x], \text{ for some } a \in |\mathfrak{U}|.$

$\mathcal{U} \models \exists x \varphi \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi[\mathbf{a}/x], \text{ for some } a \in |\mathcal{U}|.$

i)  $\llbracket \exists x. \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{U}} = 1 \iff \text{there exists } a \in |\mathcal{U}| \text{ s.t. } \llbracket \varphi[x/\mathbf{a}] \rrbracket_{\mathcal{U}} = 1$

## exercises

$$(i) \models \neg \forall x \varphi \leftrightarrow \exists x \neg \varphi$$

$$(ii) \models \neg \exists x \varphi \leftrightarrow \forall x \neg \varphi$$

$$(iii) \models \forall x \varphi \leftrightarrow \neg \exists x \neg \varphi$$

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(i) Let  $FV(\forall x \varphi) = \{z_1, \dots, z_k\}$ , then we must show

$\mathfrak{A} \models \forall z_1 \dots z_k (\neg \forall x \varphi(x, z_1, \dots, z_k) \leftrightarrow \exists x \neg \varphi(x, z_1, \dots, z_k))$ , for all  $\mathfrak{A}$ .

So we have to show  $\mathfrak{A} \models \neg \forall x \varphi(x, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k) \leftrightarrow \exists x \neg \varphi(x, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k)$  for arbitrary  $a_1, \dots, a_k \in |\mathfrak{A}|$ . We apply the properties of  $\models$  as listed in Lemma 2.4.5:

$\mathfrak{A} \models \neg \forall x \varphi(x, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k) \Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{A} \not\models \forall x \varphi(x, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k) \Leftrightarrow$  not for all  $b \in |\mathfrak{A}|$   $\mathfrak{A} \models \varphi(\bar{b}, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k) \Leftrightarrow$  there is a  $b \in |\mathfrak{A}|$  such that  $\mathfrak{A} \models \neg \varphi(\bar{b}, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k) \Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{A} \models \exists x \neg \varphi(x, \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_k)$ .

- (i)  $\models \forall x \forall y \varphi \leftrightarrow \forall y \forall x \varphi,$
- (ii)  $\models \exists x \exists y \varphi \leftrightarrow \exists y \exists x \varphi,$
- (iii)  $\models \forall x \varphi \leftrightarrow \varphi$  if  $x \notin FV(\varphi),$
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- (i)  $\models \forall x(\varphi \wedge \psi) \leftrightarrow \forall x \varphi \wedge \forall x \psi,$
- (ii)  $\models \exists x(\varphi \vee \psi) \leftrightarrow \exists x \varphi \vee \exists x \psi,$
- (iii)  $\models \forall x(\varphi(x) \vee \psi) \leftrightarrow \forall x \varphi(x) \vee \psi$  if  $x \notin FV(\psi),$
- (iv)  $\models \exists x(\varphi(x) \wedge \psi) \leftrightarrow \exists x \varphi(x) \wedge \psi$  if  $x \notin FV(\psi).$

$\forall x(\varphi(x) \vee \psi(x)) \rightarrow \forall x\varphi(x) \vee \forall x\psi(x)$ , and  
 $\exists x\varphi(x) \wedge \exists x\psi(x) \rightarrow \exists x(\varphi(x) \wedge \psi(x))$  are *not* true.

$$\forall x(\phi(x) \vee \psi(x)) \rightarrow \forall x\phi(x) \vee \forall x\psi(x),$$

similarity type: **<1,1;;0>**

alphabet: <p,q;;>

structure:  $\mathfrak{U} = \langle \{a,b\}, P, Q \rangle$

$P = \{a\}, Q = \{b\}$

$$\forall x(p(x) \vee q(x)) \rightarrow \forall xp(x) \vee \forall xq(x),$$

$$\mathfrak{U} \models \forall x(p(x) \vee q(x)) \rightarrow \forall xp(x) \vee \forall xq(x)$$



Let  $x$  and  $y$  be distinct variables such that  $x \notin FV(r)$ ,  
then  $(t[s/x])[r/y] = (t[r/y])[s[r/y]/x]$   
(classroom exercise)

let  $x$  and  $y$  be distinct variables such that  $x \notin FV(s)$   
and let  $t$  and  $s$  be free for  $x$  and  $y$  in  $\phi$ , then  $(\phi[t/x])[s/y] = (\phi[s/y])[t[s/y]/x]$ ,

Let  $x$  and  $y$  be distinct variables such that  $x \notin FV(r)$ ,  
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let  $x$  and  $y$  be distinct variables such that  $x \notin FV(s)$   
 and let  $t$  and  $s$  be free for  $x$  and  $y$  in  $\phi$ , then  $(\phi[t/x])[s/y] = (\phi[s/y])[t[s/y]/x]$ ,

- By induction on the length of  $t$
- $t = c$ , trivial.
- $t = x$ . Then  $t[s/x] = s$  and  $(t[s/x])[r/y] = s[r/y]$ ;  $(t[r/y])[s[r/y]/x] = x[s[r/y]/x] = s[r/y]$ .
- $t = y$ . Then  $(t[s/x])[r/y] = y[r/y] = r$  and  $(t[r/y])[s[r/y]/x] = r[s[r/y]/x] = r$ , since  $x \notin FV(r)$ .
- $t = z$ , where  $z \neq x, y$ , trivial.
- $t = f(t_1, \dots, t_n)$ . Then  $(t[s/x])[r/y] = (f(t_1[s/x], \dots))[r/y] =$  (by IH)  
 $= f((t_1[s/x])[r/y], \dots) = f((t_1[r/y])[s[r/y]/x], \dots) = f(t_1[r/y], \dots)[s[r/y]/x]$   
 $= (t[r/y])[s[r/y]/x]$ . <sup>1</sup>

(i) If  $z \notin FV(t)$ , then  $t[\mathbf{a}/x] = (t[z/x])[a/z]$ ,

(ii) If  $z \notin FV(\varphi)$  and  $z$  free for  $x$  in  $\varphi$ , then

$$\varphi[\mathbf{a}/z] = (\varphi[z/x])[\mathbf{a}/z]$$

## Change of Bound Variables

If  $x, y$  are free for  $z$  in  $\varphi$  and  $x, y \notin FV(\varphi)$ ,  
(or simply: if  $x$  and  $y$  does not occur in  $\varphi$ ) then

$$\models \exists x(\varphi[x/z]) \leftrightarrow \exists y(\varphi[y/z]),$$

$$\models \forall x(\varphi[x/z]) \leftrightarrow \forall y(\varphi[y/z]).$$

Every formula is equivalent to one in which no variable occurs both free and bound.

## Substitution Theorem

$$(i) \models t' = t'' \rightarrow s[t'/x] = s[t''/x]$$

$$(ii) \models t = t'' \rightarrow \varphi[t'/x] \leftrightarrow \varphi[t''/x]$$

**[[t]]** is the constant corresponding to  $\llbracket t \rrbracket$

$$\llbracket s[t/x] \rrbracket = \llbracket s[\mathbf{[[t]]}/x] \rrbracket$$

$$\llbracket \phi[t/x] \rrbracket = \llbracket \phi[\mathbf{[[t]]}/x] \rrbracket$$

# IDENTITY

1.  $\forall x(x = x),$
2.  $\forall xy(x=y \rightarrow y=x),$
3.  $\forall xyz(x=y \wedge y=z \rightarrow x=z),$
4.  $\forall x_1 \dots x_n y_1 \dots y_n (\bigwedge_{i=1,n} x_i = y_i \rightarrow t(x_1, \dots, x_n) = t(y_1, \dots, y_n))$
5.  $\forall x_1 \dots x_n y_1 \dots y_n (\bigwedge_{i=1,n} x_i = y_i \rightarrow (\phi(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rightarrow \phi(y_1, \dots, y_n)))$

exercise:

$$\models \forall x \exists y (x = y)$$

$\Gamma$  a set of formulas

let  $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots\}$  be the injective (and surjective) enumeration of all the variables)

$\rho = (a_1, a_2, \dots)$  a denumerable sequence of elements in  $|\mathcal{U}|$  i.e

$\rho: \mathbb{N}^* \rightarrow |\mathcal{U}|$  **(we do not require injectivity)**

$\Gamma(\rho)$  is obtained by replacing simultaneously in all formulas of  $\Gamma$  all the free occurrences of the  $x_j$ -s by the corresponding  $\mathbf{a}_j$ -s (for each  $j \geq 1$ )

$\Gamma(\rho) = \{\psi(\rho): \psi(\rho) \in \Gamma\} = \{\psi[\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \dots / \mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots]: \psi \in \Gamma\}$

(i)  $\mathcal{U} \models \Gamma(\rho)$  if  $\mathcal{U} \models \psi$  for all  $\psi \in \Gamma(\rho)$

(ii)  $\Gamma \models \sigma$  if for all  $\mathcal{U}, \rho$ .  $\mathcal{U} \models \Gamma(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \sigma(\rho)$

If  $\Gamma = \emptyset$ , we write  $\models \sigma$

$\rho[i \mapsto a]$  is the sequence obtained by replacing in  $\rho$  the  $i$ -th element with  $a$

# Soundness

$$\Gamma \vdash \sigma \Rightarrow \Gamma \models \sigma$$



$\mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D} \subseteq \Gamma$   $x \notin \text{FV}(\mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D})$  and  $x \equiv x_k$  in the enumeration

by Induction hypothesis

$\Gamma \models \varphi$  i.e. for each  $\mathcal{U}$  and for each  $\rho$ ,  $\mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi(\rho)$

$$\frac{\mathcal{D} \quad \varphi(x)}{\forall x \varphi(x)}$$

$\forall \rho, a \ (\mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho[k \mapsto a]) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi(\rho[k \mapsto a])) \Rightarrow$

$\Rightarrow \forall \rho, (\forall a \ \mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho[k \mapsto a])) \Rightarrow (\forall a \ \mathcal{U} \models \varphi(\rho[k \mapsto a])) \Rightarrow$

(because  $\mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho[k \mapsto a]) \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho)$ )

$\forall \rho \ (\mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho)) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \forall x. \varphi(\rho) \Rightarrow$

$\mathcal{U} \models \mathbf{hp}\mathcal{D}(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \forall x. \varphi(\rho) \Rightarrow$

$\mathcal{U} \models \Gamma(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \forall x. \varphi(\rho) \Rightarrow$

$\Gamma \models \forall x. \varphi$

$$(\forall E) \quad \frac{\mathcal{D} \quad \forall x \varphi(x)}{\varphi(t)}$$

**[t]** is the constant corresponding to  $\llbracket t \rrbracket$

$$\llbracket s[t/x] \rrbracket = \llbracket s[\mathbf{[t]}/x] \rrbracket$$

$$\llbracket \phi[t/x] \rrbracket = \llbracket \phi[\mathbf{[t]}/x] \rrbracket$$

let  $x \equiv x_k$  in the enumeration

by IH:  $\Gamma \models \forall x. \varphi$

i.e. for each  $\mathfrak{U}$  and for each  $\rho$ ,  $\mathfrak{U} \models \Gamma(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models \forall x. \varphi(\rho)$

$$\mathfrak{U} \models \forall x. \varphi(\rho) \Rightarrow \forall a \mathfrak{U} \models \varphi(\rho[k \mapsto a]) \Leftrightarrow \forall a \mathfrak{U} \models (\varphi[\mathbf{a}/x])(\rho) \Rightarrow$$

$$\forall t \mathfrak{U} \models (\varphi[\mathbf{[t(\rho)]}/x])(\rho) \Leftrightarrow \forall t \mathfrak{U} \models (\varphi[t/x])(\rho)$$

and therefore  $\forall t (\mathfrak{U} \models \forall x. \varphi(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathfrak{U} \models (\varphi[t/x])(\rho))$

# Adding the Existential Quantifier

$$\frac{\varphi(t)}{\exists x \varphi(x)} \exists I$$

**t free for x in  $\varphi$**

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} [\varphi] \\ \mathcal{D} \\ \exists x \varphi(x) \end{array} \quad \psi}{\psi} \exists E$$

**$x \notin \text{FV}(\text{hp}\mathcal{D} - \{\varphi\}) \cup \text{FV}(\psi)$**

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{[\forall x(\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi)]^3}{\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi} \forall E \quad \frac{[\varphi(x)]^1}{\psi} \rightarrow E \\
\frac{[\exists x\varphi(x)]^2}{\psi} \exists E_1 \\
\frac{\psi}{\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi} \rightarrow I_2 \\
\frac{}{\forall x(\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow (\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi)} \rightarrow I_3
\end{array}$$

$$\exists x(\varphi(x) \vee \psi(x)) \rightarrow \exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x) \quad \sim$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{[\varphi(x)]^1}{\exists x\varphi(x)} \quad \frac{[\psi(x)]^1}{\exists x\psi(x)} \\
\frac{[\varphi(x) \vee \psi(x)]^2 \quad \frac{\exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x) \quad \frac{\exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)}{\exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)} \vee E_1}{\exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)} \vee E_1 \\
\frac{[\exists x(\varphi(x) \vee \psi(x))]^3 \quad \exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)}{\exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)} \exists E_2 \\
\frac{\exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)}{\exists x(\varphi(x) \vee \psi(x)) \rightarrow \exists x\varphi(x) \vee \exists x\psi(x)} \rightarrow I_3
\end{array}$$

$$\vdash \exists x \varphi(x) \leftrightarrow \neg \forall x \neg \varphi(x).$$

$$\forall I \frac{\varphi}{\forall x \varphi}$$

$$\forall E \frac{\forall x \varphi}{\varphi[t/x]}$$

$[\varphi]$

.

.

$$\exists I \frac{\varphi[t/x]}{\exists x \varphi}$$

$$\exists E \frac{\exists x \varphi \quad \psi}{\psi}$$



$$\frac{\forall x(x = x)}{x = x} \forall E$$
$$\frac{x = x}{\exists y(x = y)} \exists I$$



$$\frac{\frac{\forall x(x = x)}{x = x} \forall E}{\exists y(x = y)} \exists I$$

yes!

$$\frac{\forall x.\phi}{\phi[t/x] \equiv \psi[u/y]}$$

$$\frac{\forall x(x = x)}{(x=x)[x/x]} \forall E$$

$$\frac{\forall x.\phi}{\phi[t/x] \equiv \psi[u/y]}$$

$$\frac{\forall x(x = x)}{(x=x)[x/x] \equiv (x=y)[x/y]}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\forall x.\phi}{\psi[u/y]}}{\exists y.\psi}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\forall x(x = x)}{(x=y)[x/y]} \forall E}{\exists y(x = y)} \exists I$$

1.  $\vdash \exists x(\varphi(x) \wedge \psi) \leftrightarrow \exists x\varphi(x) \wedge \psi$  if  $x \notin FV(\psi)$ ,
2.  $\vdash \forall x(\varphi(x) \vee \psi) \leftrightarrow \forall x\varphi(x) \vee \psi$  if  $x \notin FV(\psi)$ ,
3.  $\vdash \forall x\varphi(x) \leftrightarrow \neg\exists x\neg\varphi(x)$ ,
4.  $\vdash \neg\forall x\varphi(x) \leftrightarrow \exists x\neg\varphi(x)$ ,
5.  $\vdash \neg\exists x\varphi(x) \leftrightarrow \forall x\neg\varphi(x)$ ,
6.  $\vdash \exists x(\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi) \leftrightarrow (\forall x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \psi)$  if  $x \notin FV(\psi)$ ,
7.  $\vdash \exists x(\varphi \rightarrow \psi(x)) \leftrightarrow (\varphi \rightarrow \exists x\psi(x))$  if  $x \notin FV(\varphi)$ ,
8.  $\vdash \exists x\exists y\varphi \leftrightarrow \exists y\exists x\varphi$ ,
9.  $\vdash \exists x\varphi \leftrightarrow \varphi$  if  $x \notin FV(\varphi)$ .

# **Natural Deduction and Identity**

$$\frac{x = y}{y = x} \text{RI}_2$$

$$\frac{x = y \quad y = z}{x = z} \text{RI}_3$$

$$\frac{x_1 = y_1, \dots, x_n = y_n}{t(x_1, \dots, x_n) = t(y_1, \dots, y_n)} \text{RI}_4$$

$$\frac{x_1 = y_1, \dots, x_n = y_n \quad \varphi(x_1, \dots, x_n)}{\varphi(y_1, \dots, y_n)} \text{RI}_4$$

$$\frac{x_1 = y_1, \dots, x_n = y_n}{t[x_1, \dots, x_n / z_1, \dots, z_n] = t[y_1, \dots, y_n / z_1, \dots, z_n]}$$

$$\frac{x_1 = y_1, \dots, x_n = y_n \quad \varphi[x_1, \dots, x_n / z_1, \dots, z_n]}{\varphi[y_1, \dots, y_n / z_1, \dots, z_n]}$$

$$\frac{x = y \quad x^2 + y^2 > 12x}{2y^2 > 12x}$$

$$\frac{x = y \quad x^2 + y^2 > 12x}{x^2 + y^2 > 12y}$$

$$\frac{x = y \quad x^2 + y^2 > 12x}{2y^2 > 12y}$$



**Lemma 2.10.2** *Let  $L$  be of type  $\langle r_1, \dots, r_n; a_1, \dots, a_m; k \rangle$ . If the rules*

$$\frac{x_1 = y_1, \dots, x_{r_i} = y_{r_i} \quad P_i(x_1, \dots, x_{r_i})}{P_i(y_1, \dots, y_{r_i})} \text{ for all } i \leq n$$

*and*

$$\frac{x_1 = y_1, \dots, x_{a_j} = y_{a_j}}{f_j(x_1, \dots, x_{a_j}) = f_j(y_1, \dots, y_{a_j})} \text{ for all } j \leq m$$

*are given, then the rules  $RI_4$  are derivable.*

# Completeness

(Model Existence Lemma)

If  $\Gamma$  is a consistent set of sentences, then  $\Gamma$  has a model.

Let  $L$  be a language of cardinality  $\kappa$ . If  $\Gamma$  is a consistent set of sentences in  $L$ , then  $\Gamma$  has a model of cardinality  $\leq \kappa$

## Definition

- (i) A theory  $T$  is a collection of sentences s.t. for each sentence  $\varphi$ ,  $T \vdash \varphi \Rightarrow \varphi \in T$  (a theory is closed under derivability).
- (ii) Given a theory  $T$ , a set  $\Gamma$  (of sentences) such that  $T = \{\varphi : \Gamma \vdash \varphi \text{ and } \varphi \text{ is a sentence}\}$  is called an axiom set of the theory  $T$ . The elements of  $\Gamma$  are called axioms.
- (iii)  $T$  is called a Henkin theory if **for each sentence  $\exists x\varphi(x)$  there is a constant  $c$**  such that  $\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c) \in T$  (such a  $c$  is called a **witness** for  $\exists x\varphi(x)$ ).

## Definition

Let  $T$  and  $T'$  be theories in the languages  $L$  and  $L'$ .

- (i)  $T'$  is an extension of  $T$  if  $T \subseteq T'$ ,
- (ii)  $T'$  is a conservative extension of  $T$  if  $T' \cap L = T$  (i.e. all theorems of  $T'$  in the language  $L$  are already theorems of  $T$ ).

## Definition

Let  $T$  be a theory with language  $L$ .

The language  $L^*$  is obtained from  $L$  by adding a constant  $c_\varphi$  for each sentence of the form  $\exists x\varphi(x)$ .

$T^*$  is the theory with axiom set

$T \cup \{\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c_\varphi) \mid \exists x\varphi(x) \text{ closed, with witness } c_\varphi\}$

## Theorem[const-var]

Let  $x$  be a variable not occurring in  $\Gamma$  or  $\varphi$ . (i)  $\Gamma \vdash \varphi \Rightarrow \Gamma [x/c] \vdash \varphi[x/c]$ .

(ii) If  $c$  does not occur in  $\Gamma$ , then  $\Gamma \vdash \varphi(c) \Rightarrow \Gamma \vdash \forall x\varphi(x)$ .

## Lemma $T^*$ is conservative over $T$

(a) Let  $\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c)$  be one of the new axioms.

Suppose  $\Gamma, \exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c) \vdash \psi$ , where  $\psi$  does not contain  $c$  and where  $\Gamma$  is a set of sentences, none of which contains the constant  $c$ . We show  $\Gamma \vdash \psi$  in a number of steps.

1.  $\Gamma \vdash (\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c)) \rightarrow \psi$ ,

2.  $\Gamma \vdash (\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(y)) \rightarrow \psi$ , where  $y$  is a variable that does not occur in the associated derivation. 2 follows from 1 by Theorem *[const-var]*.

3.  $\Gamma \vdash \forall y[(\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(y)) \rightarrow \psi]$ . This application of  $(\forall I)$  is correct, since  $c$  did not occur in  $\Gamma$ .

4.  $\Gamma \vdash \exists y(\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(y)) \rightarrow \psi$

5.  $\Gamma \vdash (\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \exists y\varphi(y)) \rightarrow \psi$ ,

6.  $\vdash \exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \exists y\varphi(y)$ .

7.  $\Gamma \vdash \psi$ , (from 5,6).

(b) Let  $T^* \vdash \psi$  for a  $\psi \in L$ . By the definition of derivability  $T \cup \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n\} \vdash \psi$ , where the  $\sigma_i$  are new axioms of the form  $\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c)$ . We show  $T \vdash \psi$  by induction on  $n$ .

For  $n=0$  we are done.

Let us suppose that  $T \cup \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n\} \vdash \psi \Rightarrow T \vdash \psi$  we prove that  $T \cup \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{n+1}\} \vdash \psi \Rightarrow T \vdash \psi$

Let  $T \cup \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{n+1}\} \vdash \psi$ . Put  $\Gamma' = T \cup \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n\}$ , then  $\Gamma', \sigma_{n+1} \vdash \psi$  and we may apply (a).

Hence  $T \cup \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n\} \vdash \psi$ . By *induction hypothesis*  $T \vdash \psi$ .

## Lemma

Let  $T_0 := T$  ;  $T_{n+1} := (T_n)^*$ ;  $T_\omega := \bigcup \{T_n : n \geq 0\}$ .

Then  $T_\omega$  is a Henkin theory and it is conservative over  $T$ .

### Proof.

Call the language of  $T_n$  (resp.  $T_\omega$ )  $L_n$  (resp.  $L_\omega$ ).

(i)  **$T_n$  is conservative over  $T$**  . Induction on  $n$ .

(ii)  **$T_\omega$  is a theory**.

Suppose  $T_\omega \vdash \sigma$ , then  $\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_n \vdash \sigma$  for certain  $\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_n \in T_\omega$ .

$\forall i \leq n \exists m_i \varphi_i \in T_{m_i}$ .  $m = \max\{m_i : i \leq n\}$ .

Since  $\forall k T_k \subseteq T_{k+1}$ , we have  $T_{m_i} \subseteq T_m$  ( $i \leq n$ ).

Therefore  $T_m \vdash \sigma$ .  $T_m$  is (by definition) a theory, so  $\sigma \in T_m \subseteq T_\omega$ .

(iii)  **$T_\omega$  is a Henkin theory**.

Let  $\exists x \varphi(x) \in L_\omega$ , then  $\exists x \varphi(x) \in L_n$  for some  $n$ .

By definition  $\exists x \varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c) \in T_{n+1}$  for a certain  $c$ .

So  $\exists x \varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c) \in T_\omega$ .

(iv)  **$T_\omega$  is conservative over  $T$**  .

Observe that  $T_\omega \vdash \sigma$  if  $T_n \vdash \sigma$  for some  $n$  and apply (i).

**corollary**

if  $T$  is consistent then  $T_\omega$  is consistent.

**proof:**

For suppose  $T_\omega$  inconsistent, then  $T_\omega \vdash \perp$ . As  $T_\omega$  is conservative over  $T$  (and  $\perp \in L$ )  $T \vdash \perp$ . Contradiction.



## XORN'S LEMMA

If  $\langle P, \leq \rangle$  is PO set, and each chain  $C$  ( $C \subseteq P$  and  $C$  totally ordered by  $\leq$ ) has an upper bound in  $P$ . Then the set  $P$  contains at least one maximal element.

## Lindenbaum Lemma

Each consistent theory is contained in a maximally consistent theory.

Proof. We give a straightforward application of Zorn's Lemma. Let  $T$  be consistent.

Consider the PO  $\langle \mathbf{A}, \subseteq \rangle$  with  $\mathbf{A} = \{T' : T \text{ constant extension of } T\}$

**Claim:**  $\mathbf{A}$  has a maximal element.

1. Let  $\{T_i\}_{i \in I}$  be a chain. Then  $T' = \bigcup_{i \in I} T_i$  is a consistent extension of  $T$  containing all  $T_i$ 's (Exercise!). So  $T'$  is an upper bound.

2. by means of (1) and Zorn's lemma  $\mathbf{A}$  has a maximal element  $T_m$ .

3.  $T_m$  is a maximally consistent extension of  $T$  (i.e. if  $T_m \subseteq T'$  and  $T' \in \mathbf{A}$ , then  $T_m = T'$ )

**Lemma** An extension of a Henkin theory with the same language is again a Henkin theory.

**Proof**

For, the language remains fixed, so if for an existential statement  $\exists x\varphi(x)$  there is a witness  $c$  such that  $\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c) \in T$ , then trivially,  $\exists x\varphi(x) \rightarrow \varphi(c) \in T_m$

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## Proof of Model Existence Lemma

Let  $T = \{\sigma : \Gamma \vdash \sigma\}$  be the theory given by  $\Gamma$ .

Any model of  $T$  is, of course, a model of  $\Gamma$ .

Let  $\mathbf{T_m}$  be a maximally consistent Henkin extension of  $T$  (which exists by the preceding lemmas), with language  $L_m$ .

We will construct a model of  $\mathbf{T_m}$  using  $\mathbf{T_m}$  itself.

1.  $A = \{t \in L_m : t \text{ is closed}\}$ .
2. For each  $k$ -ary function symbol  $f$  we define a function  $\mathbf{f}^* : A^k \rightarrow A$  by

$$\mathbf{f}^*(t_1, \dots, t_k) \equiv f(t_1, \dots, t_k).$$

3. For each  $p$ -ary predicate symbol  $P$  we define a relation  $\mathbf{P}^* \subseteq A^p$  by

$$\langle t_1, \dots, t_p \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^* \Leftrightarrow T_m \vdash P(t_1, \dots, t_p) .$$

4. For each constant symbol  $c$  we define a constant

$$\mathbf{c}^* \equiv c.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
I_1 & \forall x(x = x), \\
I_2 & \forall xy(x = y \rightarrow y = x), \\
I_3 & \forall xyz(x = y \wedge y = z \rightarrow x = z), \\
I_4 & \forall x_1 \dots x_n y_1 \dots y_n \left( \bigwedge_{i \leq n} x_i = y_i \rightarrow t(x_1, \dots, x_n) = t(y_1, \dots, y_n) \right), \\
& \forall x_1 \dots x_n y_1 \dots y_n \left( \bigwedge_{i \leq n} x_i = y_i \rightarrow (\varphi(x_1, \dots, x_n) \rightarrow \varphi(y_1, \dots, y_n)) \right).
\end{aligned}$$

$\vdash I_1, \vdash I_2, \vdash I_3, \vdash I_4,$

**REMARK** '=' is not interpreted as the real equality.

We can only assert that:

(a) The relation  $\sim \subseteq \text{TERM} \times \text{TERM}$  defined by

$$t \sim s \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{Tm} \vdash t = s \text{ for } t, s \in A$$

is an **equivalence relation**.

$\mathbf{Tm} \vdash \forall x(x = x)$ , and hence  $\mathbf{Tm} \vdash t = t$ , namely  $t \sim t$ .

Symmetry and transitivity follow in the same way (use  $I_2$  and  $I_3$ )

(b)  $t_i \sim s_i$  ( $i \leq p$ ) and  $\langle t_1, \dots, t_p \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^* \Rightarrow \langle s_1, \dots, s_p \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^*$

$t_i \sim s_i$  ( $i \leq k$ )  $\Rightarrow \mathbf{f}^*(t_1, \dots, t_k) \sim \mathbf{f}^*(s_1, \dots, s_k)$  for all symbols  $P$  and  $f$ . (use  $I_4$ )

$[t]$  is the equivalence class of  $t$  under  $\sim$

Define

$$\mathcal{U} = \langle A/\sim, \mathbf{P}_1^\sim, \dots, \mathbf{P}_n^\sim, \mathbf{f}_1^\sim, \dots, \mathbf{f}_m^\sim, \{\mathbf{c}_i^\sim : i \in I\} \rangle,$$

where

$$\mathbf{P}_i^\sim := \{ \langle [t_1], \dots, [t_{r_i}] \rangle \mid \langle t_1, \dots, t_{r_i} \rangle \in \mathbf{P}_i^* \}$$

$$\mathbf{f}_j^\sim([t_1], \dots, [t_{r_j}]) = [\mathbf{f}_j^*(t_1, \dots, t_{r_j})]$$

$$\mathbf{c}_i^\sim := [\mathbf{c}_i^*]$$

$$\mathbf{f}^*(t_1, \dots, t_k) \equiv f(t_1, \dots, t_k).$$

$$\langle t_1, \dots, t_p \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^* \Leftrightarrow T_m \vdash P(t_1, \dots, t_p) .$$

$$\mathbf{c}^* \equiv c.$$

$$t^{\mathcal{U}} \equiv [[t]]_{\mathcal{U}}$$

**claim:**  $t^{\mathcal{U}} = [t]$

base:  $t = c$ , then  $t^{\mathcal{U}} = \mathbf{c}^\sim = [\mathbf{c}^*] = [c] = [t]$ ,

$t = f(t_1, \dots, t_k)$ , then

$$t^{\mathcal{U}} = \mathbf{f}^\sim(\mathbf{t}_1^{\mathcal{U}}, \dots, \mathbf{t}_k^{\mathcal{U}}) \stackrel{IH}{=} \mathbf{f}^\sim([t_1], \dots, [t_k]) = [\mathbf{f}^*(t_1, \dots, t_k)] = [f(t_1, \dots, t_k)]$$

**claim:**  $\mathcal{U} \models \varphi(t) \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \varphi([t])$  (exercise)

**Claim.**  $\mathcal{U} \models \varphi(t) \Leftrightarrow T_m \vdash \varphi(t)$  for all sentences in the language  $L_m$  of  $T_m$

(which, by the way, is also  $L(\mathcal{U})$ , since each element of  $\mathbf{A}/\sim$  has a name in  $L_m$ )

by induction on  $\varphi$ :

(i)  $\varphi$  is atomic.  $\mathcal{U} \models P(t_1^{\mathcal{U}}, \dots, t_p^{\mathcal{U}}) \Leftrightarrow \langle t_1^{\mathcal{U}}, \dots, t_p^{\mathcal{U}} \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^{\sim} \Leftrightarrow \langle [t_1], \dots, [t_p] \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^{\sim} \Leftrightarrow$

$\langle t_1, \dots, t_p \rangle \in \mathbf{P}^* \Leftrightarrow T_m \vdash P(t_1, \dots, t_p).$

The case  $\varphi = \perp$  is trivial.

(ii)  $\varphi = \sigma \rightarrow \tau.$

$T_m \vdash \sigma \rightarrow \tau \Leftrightarrow (T_m \vdash \sigma \Rightarrow T_m \vdash \tau)$  (by maximal consistency of  $T_m$ ).

$\mathcal{U} \models \sigma \rightarrow \tau \Leftrightarrow (\mathcal{U} \models \sigma \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \tau) \Leftrightarrow$  (by IH)  $(T_m \vdash \sigma \Rightarrow T_m \vdash \tau) \Leftrightarrow T_m \vdash \sigma \rightarrow \tau.$

Let  $\Gamma$  be maximally consistent;

a)  $\forall \phi$  either  $\phi \in \Gamma$ , or  $\neg \phi \in \Gamma$ ,

b)  $\forall \phi, \psi. \phi \rightarrow \psi \in \Gamma \Leftrightarrow (\phi \in \Gamma \Rightarrow \psi \in \Gamma).$

(iii)  $\varphi = \forall x\psi(x)$ .  $\mathfrak{U} \models \forall x\psi(x) \Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{U} \not\models \exists x\neg\psi(x) \Leftrightarrow$

$\mathfrak{U} \not\models \neg\psi(\mathbf{a})$  for all  $a \in |\mathfrak{U}| \Leftrightarrow$  for all  $a \in |\mathfrak{U}|$ .  $\mathfrak{U} \models \psi(\mathbf{a})$

Assuming  $\mathfrak{U} \models \forall x\psi(x)$ , we get in particular  $\mathfrak{U} \models \psi(c)$  for the witness  $c$  belonging to  $\exists x\neg\psi(x)$ .

By induction hypothesis:  $T_m \vdash \psi(c)$ .  $T_m \vdash \exists x\neg\psi(x) \rightarrow \neg\psi(c)$ , so

$T_m \vdash \psi(c) \rightarrow \neg\exists x\neg\psi(x)$ .

Hence  $T_m \vdash \forall x\psi(x)$ .

Conversely:  $T_m \vdash \forall x\psi(x) \Rightarrow T_m \vdash \psi(t)$ , so  $T_m \vdash \psi(t)$  for all closed  $t$ , and therefore by induction hypothesis,  $\mathfrak{U} \models \psi(t)$  for all closed  $t$ . Hence  $\mathfrak{U} \models \forall x\psi(x)$ .

Now we see that  $\mathfrak{U}$  is a model of  $\Gamma$ , as  $\Gamma \subseteq T_m$ .



## Model Existence Lemma

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### Corollary

$\Gamma \not\models \phi \Rightarrow \Gamma \not\vdash \phi.$

proof

$\Gamma \not\models \phi \Rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\neg\phi\} \not\models \perp \Rightarrow \exists \mathcal{U}$  such that  $\mathcal{U} \models \Gamma \cup \{\neg\phi\} \Rightarrow \Gamma \not\models \phi$

Theorem Let  $x$  be a variable not occurring in  $\Gamma$  or  $\phi$ . (i)  $\Gamma \vdash \phi \Rightarrow \Gamma [x/c] \vdash \phi[x/c].$

$\Gamma \models \sigma$  if for all  $\mathcal{U}, \rho$ .  $\mathcal{U} \models \Gamma(\rho) \Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \models \sigma(\rho) \Rightarrow$   
for all  $\rho$ .  $\Gamma(\rho) \models \sigma(\rho) \Rightarrow$  for all  $\rho$   $\Gamma(\rho) \vdash \sigma(\rho) \Rightarrow \Gamma \vdash \sigma$

$$\Gamma \vdash \phi \Leftrightarrow \Gamma \models \phi$$

From the Model Existence Lemma we get the following:

**Theorem (Compactness Theorem)**

**$\Gamma$  has a model  $\Leftrightarrow$  each finite subset  $\Delta$  of  $\Gamma$  has a model.**

An equivalent formulation is:

**$\Gamma$  has no model  $\Leftrightarrow$  some finite  $\Delta \subseteq \Gamma$  has no model.**

Proof. We consider the second version.

$\Leftarrow$  Trivial.

$\Rightarrow$  Suppose  $\Gamma$  has no model, then by the Model Existence Lemma  $\Gamma$  is inconsistent, i.e.  $\Gamma \vdash \perp$ . Therefore there are  $\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n \in \Gamma$  such that  $\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n \vdash \perp$ . This shows that  $\Delta = \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n\}$  has no model.

**Lemma If  $\Gamma$  has arbitrarily large finite models, then  $\Gamma$  has an infinite model.**

Proof. Put  $\Gamma^* = \Gamma \cup \{\lambda_n \mid n > 1\}$ , where  $\lambda_n$  expresses the sentence “there are at least  $n$  distinct elements” (**exercise**) Apply the Compactness Theorem. Let  $\Delta \subseteq \Gamma^*$  be finite, and let  $\lambda_m$  be the sentence  $\lambda_n$  in  $\Delta$  with the largest index  $n$ . Verify that  $\text{Mod}(\Delta) \supseteq \text{Mod}(\Gamma \cup \{\lambda_m\})$ .

Now  $\Gamma$  has arbitrarily large finite models, so  $\Gamma$  has a model  $\mathfrak{U}$  with at least  $m$  elements, i.e.  $\mathfrak{U} \in \text{Mod}(\Gamma \cup \{\lambda_m\})$ . So  $\text{Mod}(\Delta) \neq \emptyset$ .

By compactness  $\text{Mod}(\Gamma^*) \neq \emptyset$ , but in virtue of the axioms  $\lambda_m$ , a model of  $\Gamma^*$  is infinite. Hence  $\Gamma^*$ , and therefore  $\Gamma$ , has an infinite model.

$Mod(\Gamma) = \{\mathfrak{U} \mid \mathfrak{U} \models \sigma \text{ for all } \sigma \in \Gamma\}.$

For convenience we will often write  $\mathfrak{U} \models \sigma$  for  $\mathfrak{U} \in Mod(\Gamma).$

We write  $Mod(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n)$  instead of  $Mod(\{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n\}).$

In general  $Mod(\Gamma)$  is not a set (in the technical sense of set theory:  $Mod(\Gamma)$  is most of the time a proper class).

Conversely, let  $\mathcal{K}$  be a class of structures (we have fixed the similarity type), then  $Th(\mathcal{K}) = \{\sigma \mid \mathfrak{U} \models \sigma \text{ for all } \mathfrak{U} \in \mathcal{K}\}.$

$Mod(\forall xy(x \leq y \wedge y \leq x \leftrightarrow x = y), \forall xyz(x \leq y \wedge y \leq z \rightarrow x \leq z))$

is the class of posets.

### Lemma

$\Gamma$  is consistent  $\leftrightarrow \Gamma$  has a model of cardinality at most the cardinality of the language.

- If  $L$  has finitely many constants, then  $L$  is countable. –
- If  $L$  has  $\kappa \geq \aleph_0$  constants, then  $|L| = \kappa$ .

**Theorem (Downward Skolem-Löwenheim Theorem)** Let  $\Gamma$  be a set of sentences in a language of cardinality  $\kappa$ , and let  $\kappa < \lambda$ . If  $\Gamma$  has a model of cardinality  $\lambda$ , then  $\Gamma$  has a model of cardinality  $\kappa'$ , with  $\kappa \leq \kappa' < \lambda$ .

Examples.

1. The theory of real numbers,  $\text{Th}(\mathbb{R})$ , in the language of fields, has a countable model.

### **Upward Skolem-Löwenheim Theorem**

Let  $\Gamma$  have a language  $L$  of cardinality  $\kappa$ , and  $\mathfrak{U} \in \text{Mod}(\Gamma)$  with cardinality  $\lambda \geq \kappa$ .  
For each  $\mu > \lambda$   $\Gamma$  has a model of cardinality  $\mu$ .

# THEORIES

Let  $\Phi$  a Recursively Enumerable (RE) set of formulas (not necessarily sentences)

the ***natural deduction system with axioms  $\Phi$***  is obtained by adding to the standard natural deduction system, for each  $\sigma \in \Phi$ , a 0-ary rule (namely a rule without premises)

$$\frac{}{\sigma}$$

such a new rules are called **axioms**

Derivability in the natural deduction system with axioms  $\Phi$  is denoted with

$$\vdash_{\Phi}$$

Let  $\Phi$  a Recursively Enumerable (RE) set of formulas (not necessarily sentences)

$$Cl(\Phi), \Gamma \vdash \alpha \Leftrightarrow \Gamma \vdash_{\Phi} \alpha$$

In the following we will use both the concepts

$$\text{Cl}(\Phi), \Gamma \vdash \alpha \text{ and } \Gamma \vdash_{\Phi} \alpha$$

A theory T is called **axiomatizable** if:

there is a Recursively Enumerable (RE) set of formulas, called postulates or axioms,  $\Phi$  s.t.  
 $T = \{ \alpha \mid \vdash_{\Phi} \alpha \text{ and } \alpha \text{ is a sentence} \}$

or equivalently

there is a Recursively Enumerable (RE) set of sentences  $\Sigma$ , called postulates or axioms, s.t.  
 $T = \{ \alpha \mid \Sigma \vdash \alpha \text{ and } \alpha \text{ is a sentence} \}$

If the set of postulates for a theory T is actually given, we say that T is **axiomatic**