

Exercise 3.2.1b

Explain why "Fa" does not entail " $\forall xFx$ ".

Consider an interpretation under which "Fa" is true but "Fb" is false. Under this interpretation, " $\forall xFx$ " is false (because there exists an element in the domain to which the predicate F does not apply). Since there is an interpretation under which "Fa" is true and " $\forall xFx$ " is false, "Fa" does not entail " $\forall xFx$ ".

Exercise 3.2.1c

Explain why line 3 in the last example violates Rule $\forall I$.

Rule $\forall I$ says that for any variable v and constant c , if you have derived $\phi v/c$, and c does not occur in ϕ , and c does not occur in anything $\phi v/c$ depends on, and $\forall v\phi$ is a well-formed formula of MPL, then you can write down $\forall v\phi$, depending on everything $\phi v/c$ depends on. In the example, ϕ is " $(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$ ", v is " x ", c is " a ", and $\phi v/c$ is " $(Fa \rightarrow Fa)$ ". The formula on line 3 is " $\forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$ " which violates the restriction that c does not occur in ϕ , because clearly, " a " does occur in " $(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$ ".

Exercise 3.2.1d

Show that it is not the case that $\models \forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$.

If $\models \forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$, then " $\forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$ " is true under all interpretations. Consider an interpretation in which "Fa" is true but "Fb" is false. Under this interpretation, " $(Fa \rightarrow Fb)$ " is false. So " $\forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$ " is false under this interpretation as well. So " $\forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$ " is not true under all interpretations, and hence it is not the case that $\models \forall x(Fa \rightarrow Fx)$.

Exercise 3.2.2a

What restriction of the rule is violated on line 3 of the last example?

The rule says that for any variable v and constant c , if you have derived $\exists v\phi$, assumed $\phi v/c$, and derived ψ , and c does not occur in ψ , ϕ , or anything ψ depends on (except $\phi v/c$), then you can write down ψ a second time, depending on everything $\exists v\phi$ and the first ψ depend on, except the assumption $\phi v/c$. In this example, ϕ is " Fx ", v is " x ", c is " a ", $\phi v/c$ is " Fa ", and ψ is " Fa ". Line 3 violates the restriction that c does not occur in ψ – because " a " does occur in " Fa ".

Exercise 3.2.3a

Show that " $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$ " is valid in two different ways.

" $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$ " is true under every interpretation. So " $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$ " is valid.

" $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$ " is derivable using MPL natural deduction:

1	1. Fa	A
	2. $(Fa \rightarrow Fa)$	1, $\rightarrow I$
	3. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$	2, $\forall I$

Since " $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$ " is derivable with no dependencies, and the system is sound, " $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Fx)$ " is valid.

Exercise 3.2.3b

Suppose you try to find a derivation of a certain MPL formula, but you do not succeed in finding a derivation. Does it follow that that formula is not valid?

No. If there is no derivation, the formula is not valid. But not succeeding in finding a derivation does not mean that there isn't a derivation.

Exercise 3.2.4a

$\forall xHx \vdash Ha$

1	1) $\forall xHx$	A
1	2) Ha	1 $\forall E$

$\forall xHx, (Hc \rightarrow \exists xGx) \vdash \exists xGx$

1	1) $\forall xHx$	A
2	2) $(Hc \rightarrow \exists xGx)$	A
1	3) Hc	1 $\forall E$
1, 2	4) $\exists xGx$	2, 3 $\rightarrow E$

$\forall x(Hx \rightarrow Mx), \forall xHx \vdash \forall xMx$

1	1) $\forall x(Hx \rightarrow Mx)$	A
2	2) $\forall xHx$	A
1	3) $(Ha \rightarrow Ma)$	1 $\forall E$
2	4) Ha	2 $\forall E$
1, 2	5) Ma	3, 4 $\rightarrow E$
1, 2	6) $\forall xMx$	5 $\forall I$

$Ha \vdash \exists yHy$

1	1) Ha	A
2	2) $\exists yHy$	1 $\exists I$

$(Ab \rightarrow Dc) \vdash (Ab \rightarrow \exists xDx)$

1	1) $(Ab \rightarrow Dc)$	A
2	2) Ab	A

1, 2	3) Dc	1, 2 \rightarrow E
1, 2	4) $\exists xDx$	3 \exists I
1	5) $(Ab \rightarrow \exists xDx)$	2, 4 \rightarrow I

$\exists x(Fx \& Gx) \vdash \exists xFx$

1	1) $\exists x(Fx \& Gx)$	A
2	2) $(Fa \& Ga)$	A
2	3) Fa	2 &E
2	4) $\exists xFx$	3 \exists I
1	5) $\exists xFx$	1, 2, 4 \exists E

$\forall x(Fx \rightarrow \forall yGy) \vdash \forall x\forall y(Fx \rightarrow Gy)$

1	1) $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow \forall yGy)$	A
1	2) $(Fa \rightarrow \forall yGy)$	1 \forall E
3	3) Fa	A
1, 3	4) $\forall yGy$	2, 3 \rightarrow E
1, 3	5) Gb	4 \forall E
1	6) $(Fa \rightarrow Gb)$	3, 5 \rightarrow I
1	7) $\forall y(Fa \rightarrow Gy)$	6 \forall I
1	8) $\forall x\forall y(Fx \rightarrow Gy)$	7 \forall I

$\forall x(Px \rightarrow Qx), \forall x(Qx \rightarrow Px) \vdash \forall x(Px \leftrightarrow Qx)$

1	1) $\forall x(Px \rightarrow Qx)$	A
2	2) $\forall x(Qx \rightarrow Px)$	A
1	3) $(Pa \rightarrow Qa)$	1 \forall E
2	4) $(Qa \rightarrow Pa)$	2 \forall E
1, 2	5) $((Pa \rightarrow Qa) \& (Qa \rightarrow Pa))$	3, 4 &I
1, 2	6) $(Pa \leftrightarrow Qa)$	5 \leftrightarrow I
1, 2	7) $\forall x(Px \leftrightarrow Qx)$	6 \forall I

$\exists x\neg Px \vdash \neg\forall xPx$

1	1) $\exists x\neg Px$	A
2	2) $\forall xPx$	A
3	3) $\neg Pa$	A
2	4) Pa	2 \forall E
5	5) $\neg(Qb \& \neg Qb)$	A
2, 3	6) $(Pa \& \neg Pa)$	3, 4 &I
2, 3	7) $(Qb \& \neg Qb)$	5, 6 \neg E
1, 2	8) $(Qb \& \neg Qb)$	1, 3, 7 \exists E
1	9) $\neg\forall xPx$	2, 8 \neg I

$(\exists xPx \rightarrow \forall x(Qx \rightarrow Rx)), (Pa \& Qa) \vdash Ra$

1	1) $(\exists xPx \rightarrow \forall x(Qx \rightarrow Rx))$	A
2	2) $(Pa \& Qa)$	A
2	3) Pa	2 &E
2	4) $\exists xPx$	3 \exists I
1, 2	5) $\forall x(Qx \rightarrow Rx)$	1, 4 \rightarrow E
2	6) Qa	2 &E
1, 2	7) $(Qa \rightarrow Ra)$	5 \forall E
1, 2	8) Ra	6, 7 \rightarrow E

$(\forall x(Px \rightarrow Qx) \rightarrow \exists x(Rx \& Sx)), (\forall x(Px \rightarrow Sx) \& \forall x(Sx \rightarrow Qx)) \vdash \exists xSx$

1	1) $(\forall x(Px \rightarrow Qx) \rightarrow \exists x(Rx \& Sx))$	A
2	2) $(\forall x(Px \rightarrow Sx) \& \forall x(Sx \rightarrow Qx))$	A
2	3) $\forall x(Px \rightarrow Sx)$	2 &E
2	4) $\forall x(Sx \rightarrow Qx)$	2 &E
5	5) Pa	A
2	6) $(Pa \rightarrow Sa)$	3 \forall E
2, 5	7) Sa	5, 6 \rightarrow E
2	8) $(Sa \rightarrow Qa)$	4 \forall E
2, 5	9) Qa	7, 8 \rightarrow E
2	10) $(Pa \rightarrow Qa)$	5, 9 \rightarrow I
2	11) $\forall x(Px \rightarrow Qx)$	10 \forall I
1, 2	12) $\exists x(Rx \& Sx)$	1, 11 \rightarrow E
13	13) $(Rb \& Sb)$	A
13	14) Sb	13 &E
13	15) $\exists xSx$	14 \exists I
1, 2	16) $\exists xSx$	12, 13, 15 \exists E

$(\forall x(Px \& \neg Qx) \rightarrow \exists xRx), \neg\exists x(Qx \vee Rx) \vdash \neg\forall xPx$

1	1) $(\forall x(Px \& \neg Qx) \rightarrow \exists xRx)$	A
2	2) $\neg\exists x(Qx \vee Rx)$	A
3	3) $\forall xPx$	A
4	4) Qa	A
4	5) $(Qa \vee Ra)$	4 \vee I
4	6) $\exists x(Qx \vee Rx)$	5 \exists I
2, 4	7) $(\exists x(Qx \vee Rx) \& \neg\exists x(Qx \vee Rx))$	2, 6 &I
2	8) $\neg Qa$	4, 7 \neg I
3	9) Pa	3 \forall E
2, 3	10) $(Pa \& \neg Qa)$	8, 9 &I

2, 3	11) $\forall x(Px \& \sim Qx)$	10 $\forall I$
1, 2, 3	12) $\exists xRx$	1, 11 $\rightarrow E$
13	13) Rb	A
13	14) $(QbvRb)$	13 vI
13	15) $\exists x(QxvRx)$	14 $\exists I$
1, 2, 3	16) $\exists x(QxvRx)$	12, 13, 15 $\exists E$
1, 2, 3	17) $(\exists x(QxvRx) \& \sim \exists x(QxvRx))$	2, 16 $\&I$
1, 2	18) $\sim \forall xPx$	3, 17 $\sim I$

$(\exists x \sim Px \rightarrow \forall x \sim Qx), (\exists x \sim Px \rightarrow \exists x Qx), \forall x(Px \rightarrow Rx) \vdash \forall x Rx$

1	1) $(\exists x \sim Px \rightarrow \forall x \sim Qx)$	A
2	2) $(\exists x \sim Px \rightarrow \exists x Qx)$	A
3	3) $\forall x(Px \rightarrow Rx)$	A
4	4) $\sim Pa$	A
4	5) $\exists x \sim Px$	4 $\exists I$
1, 4	6) $\forall x \sim Qx$	1, 5 $\rightarrow E$
2, 4	7) $\exists x Qx$	2, 5 $\rightarrow E$
8	8) Qa	A
9	9) $\sim (Sb \& \sim Sb)$	A
1, 4	10) $\sim Qa$	6 $\forall E$
1, 4, 8	11) $(Qa \& \sim Qa)$	8, 10 $\&I$
1, 4, 8	12) $(Sb \& \sim Sb)$	9, 11 $\sim E$
1, 2, 4	13) $(Sb \& \sim Sb)$	7, 8, 12 $\exists E$
1, 2	14) Pa	4, 13 $\sim E$
3	15) $(Pa \rightarrow Ra)$	3 $\forall E$
1, 2, 3	16) Ra	14, 15 $\rightarrow E$
1, 2, 3	17) $\forall x Rx$	16 $\forall E$

$\sim \exists x(PxvQx), (\exists x Rx \rightarrow \exists x Px), (\exists x Sx \rightarrow \exists x Qx) \vdash \sim \exists x(RxvSx)$

1	1) $\sim \exists x(PxvQx)$	A
2	2) $(\exists x Rx \rightarrow \exists x Px)$	A
3	3) $(\exists x Sx \rightarrow \exists x Qx)$	A
4	4) $\exists x(RxvSx)$	A
5	5) Ra	A
5	6) $\exists x Rx$	5 $\exists I$
2, 5	7) $\exists x Px$	2, 6 $\rightarrow E$
8	8) Pb	A
8	9) $(PbvQb)$	8 vI
8	10) $\exists x(PxvQx)$	9 $\exists I$
2, 5	11) $\exists x(PxvQx)$	7, 8, 10 $\exists E$
1, 2, 5	12) $(\exists x(PxvQx) \& \sim \exists x(PxvQx))$	1, 11 $\&I$
1, 2	13) $\sim Ra$	5, 12 $\sim I$
14	14) Sa	A
14	15) $\exists x Sx$	14 $\exists I$
3, 14	16) $\exists x Qx$	3, 15 $\rightarrow E$
17	17) Qa	A
17	18) $(PavQa)$	17 vI
17	19) $\exists x(PxvQx)$	18 $\exists I$
3, 14	20) $\exists x(PxvQx)$	16, 17, 19 $\exists E$
1, 3, 14	21) $(\exists x(PxvQx) \& \sim \exists x(PxvQx))$	1, 20 $\&I$
1, 3	22) $\sim Sa$	14, 21 $\sim I$
23	23) $(RavSa)$	A
24	24) $\sim (Tb \& \sim Tb)$	A
1, 2, 23	25) Sa	13, 23 vE
1, 2, 3, 23	26) $(Sa \& \sim Sa)$	22, 25 $\&I$
1, 2, 3, 23	27) $(Tb \& \sim Tb)$	24, 26 $\sim E$
1, 2, 3, 4	28) $(Tb \& \sim Tb)$	4, 23, 27 $\exists E$
1, 2, 3	29) $\sim \exists x(RxvSx)$	4, 28 $\sim I$