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Arguments

Highlight the phrase which expresses the conclusion of each of these arguments:

- 1. It is sunny. So I should take my sunglasses.
- 2. It must have been sunny. I did wear my sunglasses, after all.
- 3. No one but you has had their hands in the cookie-jar. And the scene of the crime is littered with cookie-crumbs. You're the culprit!
- 4. Miss Scarlett and Professor Plum were in the study at the time of the murder. And Reverend Green had the candlestick in the ballroom, and we know that there is no blood on his hands. Hence Colonel Mustard did it in the kitchen with the lead-piping. Recall, after all, that the gun had not been fired.

Valid arguments

A. W	hich of the following arguments is valid? Which is invalid?
2.	Socrates is a man. All men are carrots. Therefore, Socrates is a carrot. Valid
2.	Abe Lincoln was either born in Illinois or he was once president. Abe Lincoln was never president. Abe Lincoln was born in Illinois. Valid
2.	If I pull the trigger, Abe Lincoln will die. I do not pull the trigger. Abe Lincoln will not die. Abe Lincoln might die for some other reason: someone else might pull the trigger; he might die of old age.
2.	Abe Lincoln was either from France or from Luxemborg.Abe Lincoln was not from Luxemborg.Abe Lincoln was from France.Valid
2.	If the world were to end today, then I would not need to get up tomorrow morning. I will need to get up tomorrow morning. The world will not end today.
2.	Joe is now 19 years old. Joe is now 87 years old. Bob is now 20 years old. An argument is valid if and only if it is impossible for all the premises to be true and the conclusion false. It is impossible for all the premises to be true; so it is certainly impossible that the premises are all true and the conclusion is false.
B. Co	uld there be:
	A valid argument that has one false premise and one true premise? Yes. Example: the first argument, above. A valid argument that has only false premises? Yes. Example: Socrates is a frog, all frogs are excellent pianists, therefore Socrates is an excellent pianist.

3. A valid argument with only false premises and a false conclusion? Yes. The same example will suffice.

- 4. A sound argument with a false conclusion? No. By definition, a sound argument has true premises. And a valid argument is one where it is impossible for the premises to be true and the conclusion false. So the conclusion of a sound argument is certainly true.
- 5. An invalid argument that can be made valid by the addition of a new premise? Yes. Plenty of examples, but let me offer a more general observation. We can *always* make an invalid argument valid, by adding a contradiction into the premises. For an argument is valid if and only if it is impossible for all the premises to be true and the conclusion false. If the premises are contradictory, then it is impossible for them all to be true (and the conclusion false).
- 6. A valid argument that can be made invalid by the addition of a new premise? No. An argument is valid if and only if it is impossible for all the premises to be true and the conclusion false. Adding another premise will only make it harder for the premises all to be true together.

In each case: if so, give an example; if not, explain why not.

Other logical notions

A. For each of the following: Is it necessarily true, necessarily false, or contingent?

1.	Caesar crossed the Rubicon.	Contingent
2.	Someone once crossed the Rubicon.	Contingent
3.	No one has ever crossed the Rubicon.	Contingent
4.	If Caesar crossed the Rubicon, then someone has.	Necessarily true
5.	Even though Caesar crossed the Rubicon, no one has ever crossed	the Rubicon. Nec-
	essarily false	
6.	If anyone has ever crossed the Rubicon, it was Caesar.	Contingent

B. Look back at the sentences G1–G4 in this section (about giraffes, gorillas and martians in the wild animal park), and consider each of the following:

1. G2, G3, and G4	Jointly consistent
2. G1, G3, and G4	Jointly inconsistent
3. G1, G2, and G4	Jointly consistent
4. G1, G2, and G3	Jointly consistent

Which are jointly consistent? Which are jointly inconsistent?

C. Could there be:

- 1. A valid argument, the conclusion of which is necessarily false? Yes: '1 + 1 = 3. So 1 + 2 = 4.'
- 2. An invalid argument, the conclusion of which is necessarily true? No. If the conclusion is necessarily true, then there is no way to make it false, and hence no way to make it false whilst making all the premises true.
- Jointly consistent sentences, one of which is necessarily false?
 No. If a sentence is necessarily false, there is no way to make it true, let alone it along with all the other sentences.
- 4. Jointly inconsistent sentences, one of which is necessarily true? Yes. '1 + 1 = 4' and '1 + 1 = 2'.

In each case: if so, give an example; if not, explain why not.

Connectives

A. Using the symbolisation key given, symbolise each English sentence in TFL.

- *M*: Those creatures are men in suits.
- *C*: Those creatures are chimpanzees.
- *G*: Those creatures are gorillas.
- 1. Those creatures are not men in suits.
- $\neg M$
- 2. Those creatures are men in suits, or they are not. $(M \lor \neg M)$
- 3. Those creatures are either gorillas or chimpanzees. $(G \lor C)$
- 4. Those creatures are neither gorillas nor chimpanzees. $\neg(C \lor G)$
- 5. If those creatures are chimpanzees, then they are neither gorillas nor men in suits. $(C \rightarrow \neg(G \lor M))$
- 6. Unless those creatures are men in suits, they are either chimpanzees or they are gorillas.

 $(M \lor (C \lor G))$

- B. Using the symbolisation key given, symbolise each English sentence in TFL.
 - A: Mister Ace was murdered.
 - *B*: The butler did it.
 - *C*: The cook did it.
 - D: The Duchess is lying.
 - *E*: Mister Edge was murdered.
 - *F*: The murder weapon was a frying pan.
 - 1. Either Mister Ace or Mister Edge was murdered. $(A \lor E)$
 - 2. If Mister Ace was murdered, then the cook did it. $(A \rightarrow C)$
 - 3. If Mister Edge was murdered, then the cook did not do it. $(E \rightarrow \neg C)$
 - 4. Either the butler did it, or the Duchess is lying. $(B \lor D)$
 - 5. The cook did it only if the Duchess is lying. $(C \rightarrow D)$

- 6. If the murder weapon was a frying pan, then the culprit must have been the cook. $(F \rightarrow C)$
- 7. If the murder weapon was not a frying pan, then the culprit was either the cook or the butler.

 $(\neg F \to (C \lor B))$

- 8. Mister Ace was murdered if and only if Mister Edge was not murdered. $(A \leftrightarrow \neg E)$
- 9. The Duchess is lying, unless it was Mister Edge who was murdered. $(D \lor E)$
- 10. If Mister Ace was murdered, he was done in with a frying pan. $(A \rightarrow F)$
- 11. Since the cook did it, the butler did not. $(C \land \neg B)$
- 12. Of course the Duchess is lying!
 - D
- C. Using the symbolisation key given, symbolise each English sentence in TFL.
 - E_1 : Ava is an electrician.
 - E_2 : Harrison is an electrician.
 - F_1 : Ava is a firefighter.
 - *F*₂: Harrison is a firefighter.
 - S_1 : Ava is satisfied with her career.
 - S_2 : Harrison is satisfied with his career.
 - 1. Ava and Harrison are both electricians. $(E_1 \wedge E_2)$
 - 2. If Ava is a firefighter, then she is satisfied with her career. $(F_1 \rightarrow S_1)$
 - 3. Ava is a firefighter, unless she is an electrician. $(F_1 \lor E_1)$
 - 4. Harrison is an unsatisfied electrician. $(E_2 \land \neg S_2)$
 - 5. Neither Ava nor Harrison is an electrician. $\neg(E_1 \lor E_2)$
 - 6. Both Ava and Harrison are electricians, but neither of them find it satisfying. $((E_1 \land E_2) \land \neg(S_1 \lor S_2))$
 - 7. Harrison is satisfied only if he is a firefighter. $(S_2 \rightarrow F_2)$
 - 8. If Ava is not an electrician, then neither is Harrison, but if she is, then he is too. $((\neg E_1 \rightarrow \neg E_2) \land (E_1 \rightarrow E_2))$
 - 9. Ava is satisfied with her career if and only if Harrison is not satisfied with his. $(S_1 \leftrightarrow \neg S_2)$
 - 10. If Harrison is both an electrician and a firefighter, then he must be satisfied with his work.

 $((E_2 \wedge F_2) \to S_2)$

- 11. It cannot be that Harrison is both an electrician and a firefighter. $\neg(E_2 \land F_2)$
- 12. Harrison and Ava are both firefighters if and only if neither of them is an electrician.

 $((F_2 \wedge F_1) \leftrightarrow \neg (E_2 \vee E_1))$

D. Give a symbolisation key and symbolise the following English sentences in TFL.

- A: Alice is a spy.
- *B*: Bob is a spy.
- *C*: The code has been broken.
- G: The German embassy will be in an uproar.
- 1. Alice and Bob are both spies. $(A \land B)$
- 2. If either Alice or Bob is a spy, then the code has been broken. $((A \lor B) \to C)$
- 3. If neither Alice nor Bob is a spy, then the code remains unbroken. $(\neg(A \lor B) \rightarrow \neg C)$
- 4. The German embassy will be in an uproar, unless someone has broken the code. $(G \lor C)$
- 5. Either the code has been broken or it has not, but the German embassy will be in an uproar regardless.

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((C \lor \neg C) \land G)
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- 6. Either Alice or Bob is a spy, but not both. $((A \lor B) \land \neg(A \land B))$
- E. Give a symbolisation key and symbolise the following English sentences in TFL.
 - *F*: There is food to be found in the pridelands.
 - *R*: Rafiki will talk about squashed bananas.
 - A: Simba is alive.
 - *K*: Scar will remain as king.
 - 1. If there is food to be found in the pridelands, then Rafiki will talk about squashed bananas.

 $(F \rightarrow R)$

- 2. Rafiki will talk about squashed bananas unless Simba is alive. $(R \lor A)$
- Rafiki will either talk about squashed bananas or he won't, but there is food to be found in the pridelands regardless.
 ((R ∨ ¬R) ∧ F)
- 4. Scar will remain as king if and only if there is food to be found in the pridelands. $(K \leftrightarrow F)$
- 5. If Simba is alive, then Scar will not remain as king. $(A \rightarrow \neg K)$

F. For each argument, write a symbolisation key and symbolise all of the sentences of the argument in TFL.

1. If Dorothy plays the piano in the morning, then Roger wakes up cranky. Dorothy plays piano in the morning unless she is distracted. So if Roger does not wake up cranky, then Dorothy must be distracted.

- *P*: Dorothy plays the Piano in the morning.
- C: Roger wakes up cranky.
- *D*: Dorothy is distracted.

 $(P \rightarrow C), (P \lor D), (\neg C \rightarrow D)$

- 2. It will either rain or snow on Tuesday. If it rains, Neville will be sad. If it snows, Neville will be cold. Therefore, Neville will either be sad or cold on Tuesday.
 - T_1 : It rains on Tuesday
 - T_2 : It snows on Tuesday
 - S: Neville is sad on Tuesday
 - *C*: Neville is cold on Tuesday

 $(T_1 \lor T_2), (T_1 \to S), (T_2 \to C), (S \lor C)$

- 3. If Zoog remembered to do his chores, then things are clean but not neat. If he forgot, then things are neat but not clean. Therefore, things are either neat or clean; but not both.
 - *Z*: Zoog remembered to do his chores
 - C: Things are clean
 - N: Things are neat

$$(Z \to (C \land \neg N)), (\neg Z \to (N \land \neg C)), ((N \lor C) \land \neg (N \land C))$$

G. We symbolised an *exclusive or* using ' \lor ', ' \land ', and ' \neg '. How could you symbolise an *exclusive or* using only two connectives? Is there any way to symbolise an *exclusive or* using only one connective?

For two connectives, we could offer any of the following:

$$\neg (A \leftrightarrow B) (\neg A \leftrightarrow B) (\neg (\neg A \land \neg B) \land \neg (A \land B))$$

But if we wanted to symbolise it using only one connective, we would have to introduce a new primitive connective.

Sentences of TFL

A. For each of the following: (a) Is it a sentence of TFL, strictly speaking? (b) Is it a sentence of TFL, allowing for our relaxed bracketing conventions?

1. (A)	(a) no (b) no
2. $\mathcal{J}_{374} \vee \neg \mathcal{J}_{374}$	(a) no (b) yes
3. $\neg \neg \neg \neg F$	(a) yes (b) yes
4. $\neg \land S$	(a) no (b) no
5. $(G \land \neg G)$	(a) yes (b) yes
6. $(A \to (A \land \neg F)) \lor (D \leftrightarrow E)$	(a) no (b) yes
7. $[(Z \leftrightarrow S) \to W] \land [\mathcal{J} \lor X]$	(a) no (b) yes
8. $(F \leftrightarrow \neg D \rightarrow \mathcal{J}) \lor (C \land D)$	(a) no (b) no

B. Are there any sentences of TFL that contain no atomic sentences? Explain your answer. No. Atomic sentences contain atomic sentences (trivially). And every more complicated sentence is built up out of less complicated sentences, that were in turn built out of less complicated sentences, ..., that were ultimately built out of atomic sentences.

C. What is the scope of each connective in the sentence

$$\left[(H \to I) \lor (I \to H) \right] \land (\mathcal{J} \lor K)$$

The scope of the left-most instance of ' \rightarrow ' is ' $(H \rightarrow I)$ '. The scope of the right-most instance of ' \rightarrow ' is ' $(I \rightarrow H)$ '. The scope of the left-most instance of ' \lor is ' $[(H \rightarrow I) \lor (I \rightarrow H)]$ ' The scope of the right-most instance of ' \lor ' is ' $(\mathcal{J} \lor K)$ ' The scope of the conjunction is the entire sentence; so conjunction is the main logical connective of the sentence.

Complete truth tables

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A. Complete truth tables for each of the following:

1	e
1. $A \rightarrow A$	
	$A A \to A$
	$\begin{array}{c c} A & A \rightarrow A \\ \hline T & T & T & T \\ \hline \end{array}$
	$\mathbf{F} \mid \mathbf{F} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{F}$
2. $C \rightarrow \neg C$	
	$\begin{array}{c c} C & C \to \neg C \\ \hline T & T & F F T \end{array}$
3. $(A \leftrightarrow B) \leftrightarrow \neg (A \leftrightarrow \neg B)$	
$\mathbf{J} \cdot (A \leftrightarrow D) \leftrightarrow \neg (A \leftrightarrow \neg D)$	
	$\begin{array}{c c} A & B & (A \leftrightarrow B) \leftrightarrow \neg (A \leftrightarrow \neg B) \\ \hline T & T & T & T & T & T & T & F & F & T \end{array}$
	T F T F F T F T T T F
	F T F F T T F F T F T F F F T F T F T F
	F F F T F T T F F T F
4. $(A \rightarrow B) \lor (B \rightarrow A)$	
	$A B \mid (A \rightarrow B) \lor (B \rightarrow A)$
	$\begin{array}{c c} A & B & (A \rightarrow B) \lor (B \rightarrow A) \\ \hline T & T & T & T & T & T & T & T \\ \end{array}$
	T F TFFTT
	F T F T T T T F F F F F T F T F T F T F
5. $(A \land B) \rightarrow (B \lor A)$	
	$\begin{array}{c c} A & B & (A \land B) \to (B \lor A) \\ \hline T & T & T T T T T T T T \\ \end{array}$
	T F TFFTFTT
	F T FFTTTTF
	F F F F F F F F F F
6. $\neg (A \lor B) \leftrightarrow (\neg A \land \neg B)$	
	$A B \mid \neg (A \lor B) \leftrightarrow (\neg A \land \neg B)$
	$\begin{array}{c c} A & B & \neg (A \lor B) \leftrightarrow (\neg A \land \neg B) \\ \hline T & T & F T T T T F T F F T \end{array}$
	T F FTTFTFTFTF
	F T FFTT TTFFFT F F TFFF TTFTTF
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7. $[(A \land B) \land \neg (A \land B)] \land C$ $C \mid \left[(A \land B) \land \neg (A \land B) \right] \land C$ A T В Т T T T F F T T T FT Т Т Т F T T T F F T T T F F Т F Т T F F F T T F F FT T F F F F T F F F T T F F FF Т Т F F T F T F T F T T F F F T F T F F T FF F F T F F F F T F F F F T F F F

8. $[(A \land B) \land C] \rightarrow B$

Α	В	С	$[(A \land B) \land C] \to B$
Т	Т	Т	Τ Τ Τ Τ Τ ΤΤ
Т	Т	F	T T T F F TT
Т	F	Т	T F F F T TF
Т	F	F	T F F F F T F
F	Т	Т	F F T F T T T
F	Т	F	F F T F F T T
F	F	Т	F F F F T T F
F	F	F	F F F F F T F

9.
$$\neg [(C \lor A) \lor B]$$

Α	В	С	$\neg [(C \lor A) \lor B]$
Т	Т	Т	FTTTTT
Т	Т	F	FFTTTT
Т	F	Т	FTTTF
Т	F	F	FFTTTF
F	Т	Т	F TT F T T
F	Т	F	FFFFTT
F	F	Т	FTTFTF
F	F	F	TFFFFF

B. Check all the claims made in introducing the new notational conventions in §10.3, i.e. show that:

1. '($(A \land B) \land C$)' and ' $(A \land (B \land C))$ ' have the same truth table

Α	В	С	$(A \wedge B) \wedge C$	$A \wedge (B \wedge C)$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤ
Т	Т	F	TTT FF	ΤΓΓΓ
Т	F	Т	TFF FT	TFFFT
Т	F	F	TFF FF	TFFFF
F	Т	Т	FFT FT	FFTTT
F	Т	F	FFT FF	FFTFF
F	F	Т	FFFFT	FFFFT
F	F	F	FFFFF	FFFFF

2. '($(A \lor B) \lor C$)' and ' $(A \lor (B \lor C))$ ' have the same truth table

Α	В	С	$(A \lor B) \lor C$	$A \lor (B \lor C)$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤ
Т	Т	F	ΤΤΤ ΤΓ	ΤΤΤΤΓ
Т	F	Т	ΤΤΕΤΤ	ΤΤΓΤΤ
Т	F	F	TTF TF	ΤΤΓΓΓ
F	Т	Т	FTT TT	FTTTT
F	Т	F	FTT TF	FTTTF
F	F	Т	FFFTT	FTFTT
F	F	F	FFFFF	FFFFF

3. '(($A \lor B$) \land C)' and '($A \lor (B \land C)$)' do not have the same truth table

Α	В	С	$(A \lor B) \land C$	$A \lor (B \land C)$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤ
Т	Т	F	TTT FF	ΤΤΤΕΕ
Т	F	Т	ΤΤΓΤΤ	ΤΤΓΓΤ
Т	F	F	TTF FF	TTFFF
F	Т	Т	FTT TT	FTTTT
F	Т	F	FTT FF	FFTFF
F	F	Т	FFFFT	FFFFT
F	F	F	FFFFF	FFFFF

4. $((A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow C)$ and $(A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow C))$ do not have the same truth table

A	В	С	$(A \to B) \to C$	$A \to (B \to C)$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤ
Т	Т	F	TTTFF	TFTFF
Т	F	Т	TFFTT	ТТГТТ
Т	F	F	TFFTF	ТТГТГ
F	Т	Т	FTTTT	FTTT
F	Т	F	FTTFF	FTTFF
F	F	Т	FTFTT	FTFTT
F	F	F	FTFFF	FTFTF

Also, check whether:

5. '($(A \leftrightarrow B) \leftrightarrow C$)' and ' $(A \leftrightarrow (B \leftrightarrow C))$ ' have the same truth table Indeed they do:

Α	В	С	$(A \leftrightarrow B) \leftrightarrow C$	$A \leftrightarrow (B \leftrightarrow C)$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤ
Т	Т	F	TTTFF	TFTFF
Т	F	Т	TFFFT	TFFFT
Т	F	F	TFFTF	ΤΤΓΤΓ
F	Т	Т	FFTFT	FFTTT
F	Т	F	FFTTF	FTTFF
F	F	Т	FTFTT	FTFFT
F	F	F	FTFFF	FFFTF

Semantic concepts

A. Revisit your answers to §10A. Determine which sentences were tautologies, which were contradictions, and which were neither tautologies nor contradictions.

1. $A \rightarrow A$	Tautology
2. $C \rightarrow \neg C$	Neither
3. $(A \leftrightarrow B) \leftrightarrow \neg (A \leftrightarrow \neg B)$	Tautology
4. $(A \rightarrow B) \lor (B \rightarrow A)$	Tautology
5. $(A \land B) \to (B \lor A)$	Tautology
6. $\neg (A \lor B) \leftrightarrow (\neg A \land \neg B)$	Tautology
7. $\left[(A \land B) \land \neg (A \land B) \right] \land C$	Contradiction
8. $[(A \land B) \land C] \rightarrow B$	Tautology
9. $\neg [(C \lor A) \lor B]$	Neither

B. Use truth tables to determine whether these sentences are jointly consistent, or jointly inconsistent:

1. $A \rightarrow A, \neg A \rightarrow \neg A, A$	$\wedge A, A$	$A \lor A$				Jointly consistent (see line 1)
	T	$\frac{A \to A}{\Gamma \ T T}$ F T F		$\neg A \rightarrow \neg A$ FT TFT TF TTF	T T T	T TT
2. $A \lor B, A \to C, B \to C$						Jointly consistent (see line 1)
	A T T T F F F F	B T F F T T F F F	C T F T F T F T F	$A \lor B$ $T TT$ $T TT$ $T TT$ $T TF$ $F TF$ $F TT$ $F FF$ $F FF$ $F FF$	$A \rightarrow C$ T TT T FF T TT T FF F TT F TF F TT F TF F TF F TF	$B \rightarrow C$ T TT T FF F TT F TF T TT T FF F TT F TF

3. $B \land (C \lor A), A \to B, \neg (B \lor C)$

Jointly inconsistent

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Α	В	С	$B \wedge (C \lor A)$	$A \rightarrow B$	$\neg (B \lor C)$
Т	Т	Т	ТТТТТ	ТТТ	FTTT
Т	Т	F	ТТГТТ	т тт	FTTF
Т	F	Т	FFTTT	TFF	FFTT
Т	F	F	FFFTT	TFF	TFFF
F	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΓ	F TT	F T T T
F	Т	F	TFFFF	F TT	FTTF
F	F	Т	FFTTF	FTF	FFTT
F	F	F	FFFFF	FTF	TFFF

4.
$$A \leftrightarrow (B \lor C), C \rightarrow \neg A, A \rightarrow \neg B$$

Jointly consistent (see line 8)

Α	В	С	$A \leftrightarrow (B \lor C)$	$C \rightarrow \neg A$	$A \to \neg B$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	T FFT	T FFT
Т	Т	F	ΤΤΤΤΓ	FTFT	T FFT
Т	F	Т	ΤΤΓΤ	T FFT	T TTF
Т	F	F	TFFFF	FTFT	T TTF
F	Т	Т	FFTTT	ΤΤΤΓ	F TFT
F	Т	F	FFTTF	FTTF	F TFT
F	F	Т	FFFTT	ΤΤΤΓ	F TTF
F	F	F	FTFFF	FTTF	F TTF

C. Use truth tables to determine whether each argument is valid or invalid.

2.	$A \rightarrow$	$(A \land \neg A)$	$) \therefore \neg A$
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1. $A \rightarrow A \therefore A$

Α	$A \to (A \land \neg A)$	$\neg A$
Т	TFTFFT	FT
F	FTFFTF	TF

3. $A \lor (B \to A) \therefore \neg A \to \neg B$

Α	В	$A \lor (B \rightarrow A)$	$\neg A \rightarrow \neg B$
Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤ	FT TFT
Т	F	ΤΤΓΤ	FT TTF
F	Т	FFTFF	TF FFT
F	F	FTFTF	TF TTF

4. $A \lor B, B \lor C, \neg A \therefore B \land C$

Invalid (see line 6)

Invalid (see line 2)

Valid

Valid

Α	В	С	$A \lor B$	$B \lor C$	$\neg A$	$B \wedge C$
Т	Т	Т	ТТТ	ТТТ	FΤ	TTT
Т	Т	F	ТТТ	ΤTF	FΤ	ΤFF
Т	F	Т	ΤTF	FTT	FΤ	FFΤ
Т	F	F	ΤTF	FFF	FΤ	FFF
Т	Т	Т	F TT	ТТТ	ΤF	ТТТ
Т	Т	F	F TT	ΤTF	ΤF	ΤFF
Т	F	Т	FFF	F TT	ΤF	FFΤ
Т	F	F	FFF	FFF	TF	FFF

5.
$$(B \land A) \rightarrow C, (C \land A) \rightarrow B \therefore (C \land B) \rightarrow A$$

Invalid (see line 5)

Α	В	С	$(B \wedge A) \to C$	$(C \wedge A) \to B$	$(C \wedge B) \rightarrow A$
Т	Т	Т	ΤΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤΤ	ΤΤΤΤΤΤ
Т	Т	F	TTT FF	FFTTT	FFTTT
Т	F	Т	FFT TT	TTT FF	ΤΓΓΤ
Т	F	F	FFT TF	FFT TF	FFFTT
F	Т	Т	TFF TT	TFFTT	TTT FF
F	Т	F	TFF TF	FFFTT	FFTTF
F	F	Т	FFFTT	TFFTF	TFF TF
F	F	F	FFFTF	FFFTF	FFFTF

D. Answer each of the questions below and justify your answer.

- Suppose that *A* and *B* are tautologically equivalent. What can you say about *A* ↔ *B*?
 A and *B* have the same truth value on every line of a complete truth table, so *A* ↔ *B* is true on every line. It is a tautology.
- 2. Suppose that $(A \land B) \rightarrow C$ is neither a tautology nor a contradiction. What can you say about this: $A, B \models C$? Since the sentence $(A \land B) \rightarrow C$ is not a tautology, there is some line on which it is

false. Since it is a conditional, on that line, *A* and *B* are true and *C* is false. So in fact $A, B \not\models C$.

3. Suppose that *A*, *B* and *C* are jointly tautologically inconsistent. What can you say about $(A \land B \land C)$?

Since the sentences are jointly tautologically inconsistent, there is no valuation on which they are all true. So their conjunction is false on every valuation. It is a contradiction

- Suppose that *A* is a contradiction. What can you say about this: *A*, *B* ⊨ *C*? Since *A* is false on every line of a complete truth table, there is no line on which *A* and *B* are true and *C* is false. So the entailment holds.
- 5. Suppose that *C* is a tautology. What can you say about this: $A, B \models C$? Since *C* is true on every line of a complete truth table, there is no line on which *A* and *B* are true and *C* is false. So the entailment holds.
- 6. Suppose that A and B are tautologically equivalent. What can you say about $(A \lor B)$? Not much! Since A and B are true on exactly the same lines of the truth table, their disjunction is true on exactly the same lines. So, their disjunction is tautologically equivalent to them.
- 7. Suppose that A and B are *not* tautologically equivalent. What can you say about $(A \lor B)$?

A and *B* have different truth values on at least one line of a complete truth table, and $(A \lor B)$ will be true on that line. On other lines, it might be true or false. So $(A \lor B)$ is either a tautology or it is contingent; it is *not* a contradiction.

E. Consider the following principle:

• Suppose *A* and *B* are tautologically equivalent. Suppose an argument contains *A* (either as a premise, or as the conclusion). The validity of the argument would be unaffected, if we replaced *A* with *B*.

Is this principle correct? Explain your answer.

The principle is correct. Since A and B are tautologically equivalent, they have the same truth table. So every valuation that makes A true also makes B true, and every valuation that makes A false also makes B false. So if no valuation makes all the premises true and the conclusion false, when A was among the premises or the conclusion, then no valuation makes all the premises true and the conclusion false, when A was among the premises or the conclusion, then no valuation makes all the premises true and the conclusion false, when we replace A with B.

Truth table shortcuts

A. Using shortcuts, determine whether each sentence is a tautology, a contradiction, or neither.

1. $\neg B \land B$		Contradiction
	$ \begin{array}{c c} B & \neg B \land B \\ \hline T & F & F \\ F & F \\ \end{array} $	
2. $\neg D \lor D$		Tautology
	$ \begin{array}{c c} D & \neg D \lor D \\ \hline T & T \\ F & T & T \end{array} $	
3. $(A \land B) \lor (B \land A)$		Neither
	AB $(A \land B) \lor (B \land A)$ TTTTFFFTFFTFFFFFFF	
4. $\neg [A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow A)]$		Contradiction
	$\begin{array}{c ccc} A & B & \neg [A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow A)] \\ \hline T & T & F & T & T \\ T & F & F & T & T \\ F & T & F & T \\ F & T & F & T \\ F & F & F & T \\ \end{array}$	
5. $A \leftrightarrow [A \rightarrow (B \land \neg B)]$		Contradiction
	AB $A \leftrightarrow [A \rightarrow (B \land \neg B)]$ TTFFTFFFFTFFFTFTFFFT	
6. $\neg(A \land B) \leftrightarrow A$		Neither

A	В	¬($A \wedge B$	$) \leftrightarrow A$
Т	Т	F	Т	F
Т	F	Т	F	Т
F	Т	Т	F	F
F	F	Т	T F F F	F

7. $A \rightarrow (B \lor C)$

A	В	С	$A \!\rightarrow\! (B \!\vee\! C)$
Т	Т	Т	ТТ
Т	Т	F	ТТ
Т	F	Т	ТТ
Т	F	F	FF
F	Т	Т	Т
F	Т	F	Т
F	F	Т	Т
F	F	F	Т

8. $(A \land \neg A) \rightarrow (B \lor C)$

Tautology

Α	В	С	$(A \wedge \neg A)$	$) \rightarrow (B \lor C)$
Т	Т	Т	FF	Т
Т	Т	F	FF	Т
Т	F	Т	FF	Т
Т	F	F	FF	Т
F	Т	Т	F	Т
F	Т	F	F	Т
F	F	Т	F	Т
F	F	F	F	Т

9.
$$(B \land D) \leftrightarrow [A \leftrightarrow (A \lor C)]$$

A	В	С	D	$(B \wedge D)$)↔[.	$A \leftrightarrow ($	$A \lor C)$]
Т	Т	Т	Т	Т	Т	Т	Т
Т	Т	Т	F	F	F	Т	Т
Т	Т	F	Т	Т	Τ	Т	Т
Т	Т	F	F	F	F	Т	Т
Т	F	Т	Т	F	F	Т	Т
Т	F	Т	F	F	F	Т	Т
Т	F	F	Т	F	F	Т	Т
Т	F	F	F	F	F	Т	Т
F	Т	Т	Т	Т	F	F	Т
F	Т	Т	F	F	Τ	F	Т
F	Т	F	Т	Т	Τ	Т	F
F	Т	F	F	F	F	Т	F
F	F	Т	Т	F	Т	F	Т
F	F	Т	F	F	Τ	F	Т
F	F	F	Т	F	F	Т	F
F	F	F	F	F	F	Т	F

Neither

Neither

Partial truth tables

A. Use complete or partial truth tables (as appropriate) to determine whether these pairs of sentences are tautologically equivalent:

1. <i>A</i> , ¬ <i>A</i>	Not tautologically equivalent
	$ \begin{array}{c cc} A & A & \neg A \\ \hline T & T & F \end{array} $
2. $A, A \lor A$	Tautologically equivalent
	$\begin{array}{c c c} A & A & A \lor A \\ \hline T & T & T \\ T & T & T \\ \end{array}$
3. $A \rightarrow A, A \leftrightarrow A$	Tautologically equivalent
	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $
4. $A \lor \neg B, A \rightarrow B$	Not tautologically equivalent
	$\begin{array}{c cccc} A & B & A \lor \neg B & A \to B \\ \hline T & F & T & F \\ \end{array}$
5. $A \land \neg A, \neg B \leftrightarrow B$	Tautologically equivalent
	AB $A \land \neg A$ $\neg B \leftrightarrow B$ TTFFFTFFFTFTFFFTFFFFFTFFFT
6. $\neg (A \land B), \neg A \lor \neg B$	Tautologically equivalent
	AB \neg ($A \land B$) $\neg A \lor \neg B$ TTFTFFFTFTFFTTFTTFTTFFFTFTTTFFTFTTT

7. $\neg (A \rightarrow B), \neg A \rightarrow \neg B$

Not tautologically equivalent

8. $(A \rightarrow B), (\neg B \rightarrow \neg A)$

A	В	_ _ (.	$A \rightarrow B$)	¬ <i>1</i>	$A \rightarrow \neg B$
Т	Т	F	Т	F	TF

Tautologically equivalent

Α	В	$(A \rightarrow B)$	(¬1	$B \rightarrow \neg A)$
T	Т	T F T T T	F	Т
Т	F	F	Т	FF
F	Т	Т	F	Т
F	F	Т	Т	TT
		'		
B . Use complete or partial truth ta	ables	(as approp	riate)) to determine whether these sen-
tences are jointly tautologically co	nsist	ent, or join	tly ta	utologically inconsistent:

1.
$$A \land B, C \rightarrow \neg B, C$$

Jointly tautologically inconsistent

Α	В	С	$A \wedge B$	$C \rightarrow \neg B$	C
Т	Т	Т	Т	FF	Т
Т	Т	F	Т	Т	F
Т	F	Т	F	ТТ	Т
Т	F	F	F	Т	F
F	Т	Т	F	FF	Т
F	Т	F	F	Т	F
F	F	Т	F	ТТ	Т
F	F	F	F	Т	F

2. $A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A, \neg C$

Jointly tautologically inconsistent

Α	В	С	$A \rightarrow B$	$B \rightarrow C$	A	$\neg C$
Т	Т	Т	Т	Т	Т	F
Т	Т	F	Т	F	Т	Т
Т	F	Т	F	Т	Т	F
Т	F	F	F	Т	Т	Т
F	Т	Т	Т	Т	F	F
F	Т	F	Т	F	F	Т
F	F	Т	Т	Т	F	F
F	F	F	Т	Т	F	Т

3. $A \lor B, B \lor C, C \to \neg A$

Jointly tautologically consistent

4. $A, B, C, \neg D, \neg E, F$

Jointly tautologically consistent

C. Use complete or partial truth tables (as appropriate) to determine whether each argument is valid or invalid:

1. $A \lor [A \to (A \leftrightarrow A)] \therefore A$ Invalid

2. $A \leftrightarrow \neg (B \leftrightarrow A) \therefore A$

$$\begin{array}{c|ccc} A & B & A \leftrightarrow \neg (B \leftrightarrow A) & A \\ \hline F & F & T F & T & F \end{array}$$

3. $A \rightarrow B, B \therefore A$

Α	В	$A \rightarrow B$	B	A
F	Т	Т	Т	F

4. $A \lor B, B \lor C, \neg B \therefore A \land C$

Α	В	С	$A \lor B$	$B \lor C$	$\neg B$	$A \wedge C$
Т	Т	Т				Т
Т	Т	F			F	F
Т	F	Т				Т
Т	F	F	Т	F	Т	F
F	Т	Т			F	F
F	Т	F			F	F
F	F	Т	F		Т	F
F	F	F	F		Т	F

5.
$$A \leftrightarrow B, B \leftrightarrow C \therefore A \leftrightarrow C$$

C					
Α	В	С	$A \leftrightarrow B$	$B \leftrightarrow C$	$A \leftrightarrow C$
Т	Т	Т			Т
Т	Т	F	Т	F	F
Т	F	Т			Т
Т	F	F	F		F
F	Т	Т	F		F
F	Т	F			Т
F	F	Т	Т	F	F
F	F	F			Т

Valid

Invalid

Valid

Sentences with one quantifier

A. Here are the syllogistic figures identified by Aristotle and his successors, along with their medieval names:

- **Barbara**. All G are F. All H are G. So: All H are F $\forall x(Gx \rightarrow Fx), \forall x(Hx \rightarrow Gx) \therefore \forall x(Hx \rightarrow Fx)$
- Celarent. No G are F. All H are G. So: No H are F $\forall x(Gx \rightarrow \neg Fx), \forall x(Hx \rightarrow Gx) \therefore \forall x(Hx \rightarrow \neg Fx)$
- Ferio. No G are F. Some H is G. So: Some H is not F $\forall x(Gx \rightarrow \neg Fx), \exists x(Hx \land Gx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
- **Darii**. All G are H. Some H is G. So: Some H is F. $\forall x(Gx \rightarrow Fx), \exists x(Hx \land Gx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land Fx)$
- Camestres. All F are G. No H are G. So: No H are F. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Gx), \forall x(Hx \rightarrow \neg Gx) \therefore \forall x(Hx \rightarrow \neg Fx)$
- Cesare. No F are G. All H are G. So: No H are F. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx), \forall x(Hx \rightarrow Gx) \therefore \forall x(Hx \rightarrow \neg Fx)$
- **Baroko**. All F are G. Some H is not G. So: Some H is not F. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Gx), \exists x(Hx \land \neg Gx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
- Festino. No F are G. Some H are G. So: Some H is not F. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx), \exists x(Hx \land Gx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
- Datisi. All G are F. Some G is H. So: Some H is F. $\forall x(Gx \rightarrow Fx), \exists x(Gx \land Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land Fx)$
- **Disamis.** Some G is F. All G are H. So: Some H is F. $\exists x(Gx \land Fx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land Fx)$
- Ferison. No G are F. Some G is H. So: Some H is not F. $\forall x(Gx \rightarrow \neg Fx), \exists x(Gx \land Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
- Bokardo. Some G is not F. All G are H. So: Some H is not F. $\exists x(Gx \land \neg Fx), \forall x(Gx \to Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
- **Camenes.** All F are G. No G are H So: No H is F. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Gx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow \neg Hx) \therefore \forall x(Hx \rightarrow \neg Fx)$
- **Dimaris**. Some F is G. All G are H. So: Some H is F. $\exists x(Fx \land Gx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land Fx)$
- Fresison. No F are G. Some G is H. So: Some H is not F. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx), \exists x(Gx \land Hx) \therefore \exists (Hx \land \neg Fx)$

Symbolise each argument in FOL.

B. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: people

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S: _____1 is a spy

- h: Hofthor
- *i*: Ingmar

symbolise the following sentences in FOL:

- 1. Neither Hofthor nor Ingmar is a vegetarian. $\neg Vh \land \neg Vi$
- 2. No spy knows the combination to the safe. $\forall x(Sx \rightarrow \neg Kx)$
- 3. No one knows the combination to the safe unless Ingmar does. $\forall x \neg Kx \lor Ki$
- 4. Hofthor is a spy, but no vegetarian is a spy. $Sh \land \forall x(Vx \rightarrow \neg Sx)$
- C. Using this symbolisation key:

domain: all animals

- Z: ______1 lives at the zoo.
- a: Amos
- *b*: Bouncer
- c: Cleo

symbolise each of the following sentences in FOL:

- 1. Amos, Bouncer, and Cleo all live at the zoo. $Za \wedge Zb \wedge Zc$
- 2. Bouncer is a reptile, but not an alligator. $Rb \land \neg Ab$
- 3. Some reptile lives at the zoo. $\exists x(Rx \land Zx)$
- 4. Every alligator is a reptile. $\forall x(Ax \rightarrow Rx)$
- 5. Any animal that lives at the zoo is either a monkey or an alligator. $\forall x(Zx \rightarrow (Mx \lor Ax))$
- 6. There are reptiles which are not alligators. $\exists x(Rx \land \neg Ax)$
- 7. If any animal is an reptile, then Amos is. $\exists xRx \rightarrow Ra$
- 8. If any animal is an alligator, then it is a reptile. $\forall x(Ax \rightarrow Rx)$

D. For each argument, write a symbolisation key and symbolise the argument in FOL.

1. Willard is a logician. All logicians wear funny hats. So Willard wears a funny hat

domain: people

H: _____1 wears a funny hat

i: Willard

 $Li, \forall x(Lx \to Hx) \therefore Hi$

2. Nothing on my desk escapes my attention. There is a computer on my desk. As such, there is a computer that does not escape my attention.

domain: physical things

 $D: ___1$ is on my desk

E: ______1 escapes my attention

 $C: __1$ is a computer

 $\forall x(Dx \to \neg Ex), \exists x(Dx \land Cx) \therefore \exists x(Cx \land \neg Ex)$

3. All my dreams are black and white. Old TV shows are in black and white. Therefore, some of my dreams are old TV shows.

domain: episodes (psychological and televised)

- $D: __1$ is one of my dreams
- $O: __1$ is an old TV show

 $\forall x(Dx \to Bx), \forall x(Ox \to Bx) \therefore \exists x(Dx \land Ox).$

Comment: generic statements are tricky to deal with. Does the second sentence mean that *all* old TV shows are in black and white; or that most of them are; or that most of the things which are in black and white are old TV shows? I have gone with the former, but it is not clear that FOL deals with these well.

4. Neither Holmes nor Watson has been to Australia. A person could see a kangaroo only if they had been to Australia or to a zoo. Although Watson has not seen a kangaroo, Holmes has. Therefore, Holmes has been to a zoo.

domain: people

- A: ______1 has been to Australia
- *K*: ______1 has seen a kangaroo
- *h*: Holmes
- a: Watson

 $\neg Ah \land \neg Aa, \forall x(Kx \rightarrow (Ax \lor Zx)), \neg Ka \land Kh \therefore Zh$

5. No one expects the Spanish Inquisition. No one knows the troubles I've seen. Therefore, anyone who expects the Spanish Inquisition knows the troubles I've seen.

domain: people

- *S*: _____1 expects the Spanish Inquisition
- h: Holmes
- a: Watson

 $\forall x \neg Sx, \forall x \neg Tx \therefore \forall x (Sx \rightarrow Tx)$

6. All babies are illogical. Nobody who is illogical can manage a crocodile. Berthold is a baby. Therefore, Berthold is unable to manage a crocodile.

domain: people

B: _____1 is a baby I: ______1 is illogical C: ______1 can manage a crocodile b: Berthold $\forall x(Bx \rightarrow Ix), \forall x(Ix \rightarrow \neg Cx), Bb ∴ \neg Cb$

Multiple generality

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A. Using this symbolisation key:

domain: all animals

- *Z*: ______1 lives at the zoo
- $L: __1 loves __2$
- a: Amos
- *b*: Bouncer
- c: Cleo

symbolise each of the following sentences in FOL:

- 1. If Cleo loves Bouncer, then Bouncer is a monkey. $Lcb \rightarrow Mb$
- 2. If both Bouncer and Cleo are alligators, then Amos loves them both. $(Ab \land Ac) \rightarrow (Lab \land Lac)$
- 3. Cleo loves a reptile. $\exists x(Rx \land Lcx)$ Comment: this English expression is ambiguous; in some contexts, it can be read as a generic, along the lines of 'Cleo loves reptiles'. (Compare 'I do love a good pint'.)
- 4. Bouncer loves all the monkeys that live at the zoo. $\forall x((Mx \land Zx) \rightarrow Lbx)$
- 5. All the monkeys that Amos loves love him back. $\forall x((Mx \land Lax) \rightarrow Lxa)$
- 6. Every monkey that Cleo loves is also loved by Amos. $\forall x((Mx \land Lcx) \rightarrow Lax)$
- 7. There is a monkey that loves Bouncer, but sadly Bouncer does not reciprocate this love.

 $\exists x(Mx \wedge Lxb \wedge \neg Lbx)$

B. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: all animals

 $D: ___1 \text{ is a dog}$ $S: ___1 \text{ likes samurai movies}$ $L: ___1 \text{ is larger than }__2$ b: Bertie e: Emerson

f: Fergis

symbolise the following sentences in FOL:

- 1. Bertie is a dog who likes samurai movies. $Db \wedge Sb$
- 2. Bertie, Emerson, and Fergis are all dogs. $Db \wedge De \wedge Df$
- 3. Emerson is larger than Bertie, and Fergis is larger than Emerson. Leb \wedge Lfe
- 4. All dogs like samurai movies. $\forall x(Dx \rightarrow Sx)$
- 5. Only dogs like samurai movies. $\forall x(Sx \rightarrow Dx)$

Comment: the FOL sentence just written does not require that anyone likes samurai movies. The English sentence might suggest that at least some dogs *do* like samurai movies?

- 6. There is a dog that is larger than Emerson. $\exists x(Dx \land Lxe)$
- 7. If there is a dog larger than Fergis, then there is a dog larger than Emerson. $\exists x(Dx \land Lxf) \rightarrow \exists x(Dx \land Lxe)$
- 8. No animal that likes samurai movies is larger than Emerson. $\forall x(Sx \rightarrow \neg Lxe)$
- 9. No dog is larger than Fergis. $\forall x(Dx \rightarrow \neg Lxf)$
- 10. Any animal that dislikes samurai movies is larger than Bertie. $\forall x(\neg Sx \rightarrow Lxb)$ Comment: this is very poor, though! For 'dislikes' does not mean the same as 'does not like'.
- 11. There is an animal that is between Bertie and Emerson in size. $\exists x((Lbx \land Lxe) \lor (Lex \land Lxb))$
- 12. There is no dog that is between Bertie and Emerson in size. $\forall x (Dx \rightarrow \neg [(Lbx \land Lxe) \lor (Lex \land Lxb)])$
- 13. No dog is larger than itself. $\forall x(Dx \rightarrow \neg Lxx)$
- 14. Every dog is larger than some dog. $\forall x(Dx \rightarrow \exists y(Dy \land Lxy))$

Comment: the English sentence is potentially ambiguous here. I have resolved the ambiguity by assuming it should be paraphrased by 'for every dog, there is a dog smaller than it'.

- 15. There is an animal that is smaller than every dog. $\exists x \forall y (Dy \rightarrow Lyx)$
- 16. If there is an animal that is larger than any dog, then that animal does not like samurai movies.

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\forall x (\forall y (Dy \to Lxy) \to \neg Sx)
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Comment: I have assumed that 'larger than any dog' here means 'larger than every dog'.

C. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: people and dishes at a potluck

- R: _____1 has run out.

- *L*: _____1 likes _____2.
- e: Eli
- *f*: Francesca
- g: the guacamole

symbolise the following English sentences in FOL:

- 1. All the food is on the table. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Tx)$
- 2. If the guacamole has not run out, then it is on the table. $\neg Rg \rightarrow Tg$
- 3. Everyone likes the guacamole. $\forall x(Px \rightarrow Lxg)$
- 4. If anyone likes the guacamole, then Eli does. $\exists x(Px \land Lxg) \rightarrow Leg$
- 5. Francesca only likes the dishes that have run out. $\forall x \left[(Lfx \land Fx) \rightarrow Rx \right]$
- 6. Francesca likes no one, and no one likes Francesca. $\forall x \left[Px \rightarrow (\neg Lfx \land \neg Lxf) \right]$
- 7. Eli likes anyone who likes the guacamole. $\forall x((Px \land Lxg) \rightarrow Lex)$
- 8. Eli likes anyone who likes the people that he likes. $\forall x [(Px \land \forall y [(Py \land Ley) \rightarrow Lxy]) \rightarrow Lex]$
- 9. If there is a person on the table already, then all of the food must have run out. $\exists x(Px \land Tx) \rightarrow \forall x(Fx \rightarrow Rx)$

D. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: people

- $D: __1$ dances ballet.
- *F*: ______1 is female.
- $C: __1 \text{ is a child of } __2.$
- *S*: ______1 is a sibling of _____2.
- e: Elmer
- *j*: Jane
- p: Patrick

symbolise the following arguments in FOL:

- 1. All of Patrick's children are ballet dancers. $\forall x(Cxp \rightarrow Dx)$
- 2. Jane is Patrick's daughter. $Cjp \wedge Fj$
- 3. Patrick has a daughter.

 $\exists x (Cxp \land Fx)$ 4. Jane is an only child.

- ¬∃*xSxj* 5. All of Patrick's sons dance ballet.
- $\forall x \big[(Cxp \land Mx) \to Dx \big]$
- 6. Patrick has no sons. $\neg \exists x (Cxp \land Mx)$
- 7. Jane is Elmer's niece. $\exists x (Sxe \land Cjx \land Fj)$
- 8. Patrick is Elmer's brother. $Spe \wedge Mp$
- 9. Patrick's brothers have no children. $\forall x [(Spx \land Mx) \rightarrow \neg \exists y Cyx]$
- 10. Jane is an aunt. $Fj \land \exists x(Sxj \land \exists yCyx)$
- 11. Everyone who dances ballet has a brother who also dances ballet. $\forall x [Dx \rightarrow \exists y (My \land Syx \land Dy)]$
- 12. Every woman who dances ballet is the child of someone who dances ballet. $\forall x \Big[(Fx \land Dx) \rightarrow \exists y (Cxy \land Dy) \Big]$

Identity

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A. Explain why:

- $(\exists x \forall y (Ay \leftrightarrow x = y))$ is a good symbolisation of 'there is exactly one apple'. We might naturally read this in English thus:
 - There is something, x, such that, if you choose any object at all, if you chose an apple then you chose x itself, and if you chose x itself then you chose an apple.

The x in question must therefore be the one and only thing which is an apple.

• $\exists x \exists y [\neg x = y \land \forall z (Az \leftrightarrow (x = z \lor y = z)]$ ' is a good symbolisation of 'there are exactly two apples'.

Similarly to the above, we might naturally read this in English thus:

• There are two distinct things, x and y, such that if you choose any object at all, if you chose an apple then you either chose x or y, and if you chose either x or y then you chose an apple.

The x and y in question must therefore be the only things which are apples, and since they are distinct, there are two of them.

Definite descriptions

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A. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: people

- *S*: ______1 is a spy.
- *V*: ______1 is a vegetarian.
- *T*: _____1 trusts _____2.
- *h*: Hofthor
- i: Ingmar

symbolise the following sentences in FOL:

- 1. Hofthor trusts a vegetarian. $\exists x(Vx \land Thx)$
- 2. Everyone who trusts Ingmar trusts a vegetarian. $\forall x [Txi \rightarrow \exists y (Txy \land Vy)]$
- 3. Everyone who trusts Ingmar trusts someone who trusts a vegetarian. $\forall x [Txi \rightarrow \exists y (Txy \land \exists z (Tyz \land Vz))]$
- 4. Only Ingmar knows the combination to the safe.
 ∀x(Ki → x = i)
 Comment: does the English claim entail that Ingmar *does* know the combination to the safe? If so, then we should formalise this with a '↔'.
- 5. Ingmar trusts Hofthor, but no one else. $\forall x (Tix \leftrightarrow x = h)$
- 6. The person who knows the combination to the safe is a vegetarian. $\exists x [Kx \land \forall y (Ky \rightarrow x = y) \land Vx]$
- 7. The person who knows the combination to the safe is not a spy. $\exists x [Kx \land \forall y (Ky \rightarrow x = y) \land \neg Sx]$ Comment: the scope of negation is potentially ambiguous here; I have read it as *inner* negation.
- B. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: cards in a standard deck

 B:
 __1 is black.

 C:
 __1 is a club.

 D:
 __1 is a deuce.

 f:
 __1 is a jack.

 M:
 __1 is a man with an axe.

 O:
 __1 is one-eyed.

W: _______1 is wild.

symbolise each sentence in FOL:

- 1. All clubs are black cards. $\forall x(Cx \rightarrow Bx)$
- 2. There are no wild cards. $\neg \exists x W x$
- 3. There are at least two clubs. $\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land Cx \land Cy)$
- 4. There is more than one one-eyed jack. $\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land \exists x \land Ox \land \exists y \land Oy)$
- 5. There are at most two one-eyed jacks. $\forall x \forall y \forall z \left[(\Im x \land Ox \land \Im y \land Oy \land \Im z \land Oz) \rightarrow (x = y \lor x = z \lor y = z) \right]$
- 6. There are two black jacks.

 $\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land Bx \land Jx \land By \land Jy)$ Comment: I am reading this as 'there are *at least* two...'. If the suggestion was that there are *exactly* two, then a different FOL sentence would be required, namely: $\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land Bx \land Jx \land By \land Jy \land \forall z [(Bz \land Jz) \rightarrow (x = z \lor y = z)])$

7. There are four deuces.

 $\exists w \exists x \exists y \exists z (\neg w = x \land \neg w = y \land \neg w = z \land \neg x = y \land \neg x = z \land \neg y = z \land Dw \land Dx \land Dy \land Dz)$ Comment: I am reading this as 'there are *at least* four...'. If the suggestion is that there are *exactly* four, then we should offer instead:

 $\exists w \exists x \exists y \exists z (\neg w = x \land \neg w = y \land \neg w = z \land \neg x = y \land \neg x = z \land \neg y = z \land Dw \land Dx \land Dy \land Dz \land \forall v [Dv \rightarrow (v = w \lor v = x \lor v = y \lor v = z)])$

- 8. The deuce of clubs is a black card. $\exists x [Dx \land Cx \land \forall y ((Dy \land Cy) \rightarrow x = y) \land Bx]$
- 9. One-eyed jacks and the man with the axe are wild. $\forall x \left[(\Im x \land Ox) \rightarrow Wx \right] \land \exists x \left[Mx \land \forall y (My \rightarrow x = y) \land Wx \right]$
- 10. If the deuce of clubs is wild, then there is exactly one wild card. $\exists x (Dx \land Cx \land \forall y [(Dy \land Cy) \rightarrow x = y] \land Wx) \rightarrow \exists x (Wx \land \forall y (Wy \rightarrow x = y))$ Comment: if there is not exactly one deuce of clubs, then the above sentence is true. Maybe that's the wrong verdict. Perhaps the sentence should definitely be taken to imply that there is one and only one deuce of clubs, and then express a conditional about wildness. If so, then we might symbolise it thus: $\exists x (Dx \land Cx \land \forall y [(Dy \land Cy) \rightarrow x = y] \land [Wx \rightarrow \forall y (Wy \rightarrow x = y)])$
- 11. The man with the axe is not a jack. $\exists x [Mx \land \forall y (My \to x = y) \land \neg jx]$
- 12. The deuce of clubs is not the man with the axe. $\exists x \exists y (Dx \land Cx \land \forall z [(Dz \land Cz) \rightarrow x = z] \land My \land \forall z (Mz \rightarrow y = z) \land \neg x = y)$

C. Using the following symbolisation key:

domain: animals in the world

- *B*: ______1 is in Farmer Brown's field.
- $P: ___1$ is a Pegasus.
- *W*: _____1 has wings.

symbolise the following sentences in FOL:

- 1. There are at least three horses in the world. $\exists x \exists y \exists z (\neg x = y \land \neg x = z \land \neg y = z \land Hx \land Hy \land Hz)$
- 2. There are at least three animals in the world. $\exists x \exists y \exists z (\neg x = y \land \neg x = z \land \neg y = z)$
- 3. There is more than one horse in Farmer Brown's field. $\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land Hx \land Hy \land Bx \land By)$
- 4. There are three horses in Farmer Brown's field.
 ∃x∃y∃z(¬x = y ∧ ¬x = z ∧ ¬y = z ∧ Hx ∧ Hy ∧ Hz ∧ Bx ∧ By ∧ Bz)
 Comment: I have read this as 'there are *at least* three...'. If the suggestion was that there are *exactly* three, then a different FOL sentence would be required.
- 5. There is a single winged creature in Farmer Brown's field; any other creatures in the field must be wingless.

 $\exists x [Wx \land Bx \land \forall y ((Wy \land By) \to x = y)]$

- 6. The Pegasus is a winged horse. $\exists x \Big[Px \land \forall y (Py \rightarrow x = y) \land Wx \land Hx \Big]$
- 7. The animal in Farmer Brown's field is not a horse.
 ∃x[Bx ∧ ∀y(By → x = y) ∧ ¬Hx]
 Comment: the scope of negation might be ambiguous here; I have read it as *inner* negation.
- 8. The horse in Farmer Brown's field does not have wings.
 ∃x[Hx ∧ Bx ∧ ∀y((Hy ∧ By) → x = y) ∧ ¬Wx]
 Comment: the scope of negation might be ambiguous here; I have read it as *inner* negation.

D. In this section, I symbolised 'Nick is the traitor' by ' $\exists x(Tx \land \forall y(Ty \rightarrow x = y) \land x = n)$ '. Explain why these would be equally good symbolisations:

• $Tn \land \forall y (Ty \rightarrow n = y)$

This sentence requires that Nick is a traitor, and that Nick alone is a traitor. Otherwise put, there is one and only one traitor, namely, Nick. Otherwise put: Nick is the traitor.

• $\forall y(Ty \leftrightarrow y = n)$

This sentence can be understood thus: Take anything you like; now, if you chose a traitor, you chose Nick, and if you chose Nick, you chose a traitor. So there is one and only one traitor, namely, Nick, as required.
Sentences of FOL

A. Identify which variables are bound and which are free. I shall underline the bound variables, and put free variables in blue.

- 1. $\exists x L \underline{x} y \land \forall y L \underline{y} x$
- 2. $\forall xA\underline{x} \wedge B\underline{x}$
- 3. $\forall x (A\underline{x} \land B\underline{x}) \land \forall y (Cx \land Dy)$
- 4. $\forall x \exists y [Rxy \rightarrow (Jz \land K\underline{x})] \lor \overline{Ryx}$
- 5. $\forall x_1(Mx_2 \leftrightarrow Lx_2x_1) \land \exists x_2Lx_3x_2$

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Truth in FOL

A. Consider the following interpretation:

- The domain comprises only Corwin and Benedict
- '*Ax*' is to be true of both Corwin and Benedict
- '*Bx*' is to be true of Benedict only
- *Nx* is to be true of no one
- '*c*' is to refer to Corwin

Determine whether each of the following sentences is true or false in that interpretation:

1. Bc	False
2. $Ac \leftrightarrow \neg Nc$	True
3. $Nc \rightarrow (Ac \lor Bc)$	True
4. $\forall xAx$	True
5. $\forall x \neg Bx$	False
6. $\exists x(Ax \land Bx)$	True
7. $\exists x (Ax \rightarrow Nx)$	False
8. $\forall x(Nx \lor \neg Nx)$	True
9. $\exists xBx \rightarrow \forall xAx$	True

B. Consider the following interpretation:

- The domain comprises only Lemmy, Courtney and Eddy
- '*Gx*' is to be true of Lemmy, Courtney and Eddy.
- *'Hx'* is to be true of and only of Courtney
- *'Mx'* is to be true of and only of Lemmy and Eddy
- *'c'* is to refer to Courtney
- *'e'* is to refer to Eddy

Determine whether each of the following sentences is true or false in that interpretation:

1. <i>Hc</i>	True
2. <i>He</i>	False
3. $Mc \lor Me$	True
4. $Gc \lor \neg Gc$	True
5. $Mc \rightarrow Gc$	True
6. $\exists x H x$	True
7. $\forall xHx$	False
8. $\exists x \neg Mx$	True
9. $\exists x(Hx \land Gx)$	True

10. $\exists x(Mx \land Gx)$	True
11. $\forall x(Hx \lor Mx)$	True
12. $\exists x Hx \land \exists x Mx$	True
13. $\forall x(Hx \leftrightarrow \neg Mx)$	True
14. $\exists x G x \land \exists x \neg G x$	False
15. $\forall x \exists y (Gx \land Hy)$	True

C. Following the diagram conventions introduced at the end of §23, consider the following interpretation:



Determine whether each of the following sentences is true or false in that interpretation:

1.	$\exists xRxx$	True
2.	$\forall xRxx$	False
3.	$\exists x \forall y R x y$	True
4.	$\exists x \forall y R y x$	False
5.	$\forall x \forall y \forall z ((Rxy \land Ryz) \to Rxz)$	False
6.	$\forall x \forall y \forall z ((Rxy \land Rxz) \to Ryz)$	False
7.	$\exists x \forall y \neg Rxy$	True
8.	$\forall x (\exists y R x y \to \exists y R y x)$	True
9.	$\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land Rxy \land Ryx)$	True
10.	$\exists x \forall y (Rxy \leftrightarrow x = y)$	True
11.	$\exists x \forall y (Ryx \leftrightarrow x = y)$	False
12.	$\exists x \exists y (\neg x = y \land Rxy \land \forall z (Rzx \leftrightarrow y = z))$	True

Basic rules for TFL

A. The following two 'proofs' are *incorrect*. Explain the mistakes they make.

1	$\neg L$	$L \to (A \wedge L)$		1	$A \wedge (B \wedge C)$	
2		$\neg L$		2	$(B \lor C) \to D$	
3		A	→E 1, 2	3	В	∧E 1
4		L		4	$B \lor C$	∨I 3
5		1	¬E 4, 2	5	D	→E 4, 2
6		A	X 5		ı	
7	A	'	TND 2-3, 4-6			

→E on line 3 should yield ' $A \wedge L$ '. 'A' could then be obtained by $\wedge E$. ⊥I on line 5 illicitly refers to a line from a closed subproof (line 2).

 \wedge E on line 3 should yield ' $B \wedge C$ '. 'B' could then be obtained by \wedge E again. The citation for line 5 is the wrong way round: it should be ' \rightarrow E 2, 4'.

B. The following three proofs are missing their citations (rule and line numbers). Add them, to turn them into bona fide proofs. Additionally, write down the argument that corresponds to each proof.

1	$P \wedge S$		1	A	$\rightarrow D$	
2	$S \rightarrow R$		2		$A \wedge B$	
3	Р	∧E 1	3		A	∧E 2
4	S	∧E 1	4		D	→E 1, 3
5	R	→E 2, 4	5		$D \lor E$	∨I 4
6	$R \lor E$	∨I 5	6	(A	$(\wedge B) \rightarrow (D \vee E)$	→I 2-5
Corr	espondin	ig argument:	Corr	esp	onding argument:	
$P \wedge S$	$S, S \to R \therefore$	$R \lor E$	$A \rightarrow$	D.	$(A \land B) \rightarrow (D \lor B)$	()

1	$\neg L \to (\mathcal{J} \lor L)$		Corresponding argument:
2	$\neg L$		$\neg L \to (\tilde{\jmath} \lor L), \neg L \stackrel{\cdot}{\cdot} \tilde{\jmath}$
3	$\mathcal{J} \lor L$	→E 1, 2	
4	I		
5	$\mathcal{J} \wedge \mathcal{J}$	∧I 4, 4	
6	I	∧E 5	
7	L		
8	T	¬E 7, 2	
9	I	X 8	
10	J	∨E 3, 4–6, 7–9	

C. Give a proof for each of the following arguments:

1.
$$\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \neg \mathcal{J} \therefore \neg \mathcal{J}$$

1 $\mathcal{J} \rightarrow \neg \mathcal{J}$
2 \mathcal{J}
3 $\neg \mathcal{J} \rightarrow E 1, 2$
4 $\bot \neg E 2, 3$
5 $\neg \mathcal{J} \rightarrow I 2 - 4$
2. $Q \rightarrow (Q \land \neg Q) \therefore \neg Q$
1 $Q \rightarrow (Q \land \neg Q)$
2 Q
3 $Q \land \neg Q \rightarrow E 1, 2$
4 $\neg Q \land E 3$
5 $\bot \neg E 2, 4$
6 $\neg Q \rightarrow I 2 - 6$
3. $A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow C) \therefore (A \land B) \rightarrow C$
1 $A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow C)$
2 $A \land B$
3 $A \rightarrow E 2$
4 $B \rightarrow C \rightarrow E 1, 3$
5 $B \land E 2$
6 $C \rightarrow E 4, 5$
7 $(A \land B) \rightarrow C \rightarrow I 2 - 6$

4.
$$K \land L \therefore K \leftrightarrow L$$

1 $K \land L$
2 K
3 $L \land E 1$
4 L
5 $K \land E 1$
6 $K \leftrightarrow L \rightarrow I 2-3, 4-5$
5. $(C \land D) \lor E \therefore E \lor D$
1 $(C \land D) \lor E$
2 $C \land D$
3 $D \land E 2$
4 $E \lor D \lor I 3$
5 E
6 $E \lor D \lor I 5$
7 $E \lor D \lor I 5$
7 $E \lor D \lor E 1, 2-4, 5-6$
6. $A \leftrightarrow B, B \leftrightarrow C \therefore A \leftrightarrow C$
1 $A \leftrightarrow B$
2 $B \leftrightarrow C$
3 A
4 $B \leftrightarrow E 1, 3$
5 $C \leftrightarrow E 2, 4$
6 C
7 $B \leftrightarrow E 2, 6$
8 $A \leftrightarrow E 1, 7$
9 $A \leftrightarrow C \leftrightarrow I 3-5, 6-8$
7. $\neg F \rightarrow G, F \rightarrow H \therefore G \lor H$
1 $\neg F \rightarrow G$
2 $F \rightarrow H$
3 F
4 $H \rightarrow E 2, 3$
5 $G \lor H \lor I 4$
6 $-F$
7 $G \rightarrow E 1, 6$
8 $G \lor H \lor I 7$
9 $G \lor H \ TND 3-5, 6-8$

8. $(Z \wedge K) \vee (K \wedge M), K \rightarrow D \therefore D$						
1	$(Z \wedge K) \vee (K \wedge M)$					
2	$K \rightarrow D$					
3	$Z \wedge K$					
4	$\frac{Z \wedge K}{K}$	∧E 3				
5	$K \wedge M$					
6	K	∧E 5				
7	K	∨E 1, 3−4, 5−6				
8	D	→E 2, 7				
9. <i>P</i> ∧($Q \lor R$, $P \to \neg R$	$\therefore Q \lor E$				
1	$P \land (Q \lor R)$ $P \to \neg R$					
2	$P \rightarrow \neg R$					
3	Р	∧E 1				
4	$\neg R$	→E 2, 3				
5	$Q \lor R$	∧E 1				
6	Q					
7	$Q \lor E$	∨I 6				
8	R					
9	L	¬E 8, 4				
10	$Q \lor E$	X 9				
11	$Q \lor E$	∨E 5, 6−7, 8−10				
10. $S \leftrightarrow$	$T \therefore S \leftrightarrow (T \lor S)$)				
1	$S \leftrightarrow T$					
2	S					
3	Т	↔E 1, 2				
4	$T \lor S$	∨I 3				
5	$T \lor S$					
6	T					
7	S	↔E 1, 6				
8	S					
9	$S \wedge S$	∧I 8, 8				
10	S	∧E 9				
11	S	∨E 5, 6−7, 8−10				
12	$S \leftrightarrow (T \lor S)$	↔I 2-4, 5-11				

11.	$\neg (P \cdot$	$\neg (P \to Q) \therefore \neg Q$					
	1	$\neg (F$	$P \rightarrow Q$)				
	2		Q				
	3		$ \begin{array}{c} P \\ Q \land Q \\ Q \\ P \rightarrow Q \end{array} $				
	4		$Q \wedge Q$	• ∧I 2, 2			
	5		Q	∧E 4			
	6		$P \rightarrow Q$	→I 3-5			
	7		T	¬E 6, 1			
	8	$\neg Q$		¬I 2−7			
12.	$\neg (P$	$\rightarrow Q$	$) \therefore P$				
	1	¬($P \rightarrow Q$)				
	2		P				
	3		$\begin{array}{c} P \\ \hline P \land P \\ \hline \end{array}$	∧I 2, 2			
	4		Р	∧E 3			
	5		$\neg P$				
	6		P				
	7		T	¬E 6, 5			
	8		Q	X 7			
	9		$P \rightarrow Q$	→I 6-8			
	10		$P \rightarrow Q$ \perp	¬E 9, 1			
	11		Р	X 10			
	12	P		TND 2-4, 5-11			

Additional rules for TFL

A. The following proofs are missing their citations (rule and line numbers). Add them wherever they are required:

1	$W \rightarrow \neg B$		1	$ Z \rightarrow ($	$(C \land \neg N)$	
2	$A \wedge W$		2	$\neg Z \rightarrow$	$(C \land \neg N)$ $(N \land \neg C)$	
3	$B \lor (\mathcal{J} \land K)$		3	-	$(N \lor C)$	
4	W	∧E 2	4		$\frac{(N \lor C)}{N \land \neg C}$	DeM 3
5	$\neg B$	→E 1, 4	5		Ν	∧E 4
6	$\mathcal{J} \wedge K$	DS 3, 5	6	¬	С	∧E 4
7	K	∧E 6	7			
			8		$C \land \neg N$ C	→E 1, 7
1	$L \leftrightarrow \neg O$		9		С	∧E 8
2	$ \begin{array}{c} L \leftrightarrow \neg O \\ L \lor \neg O \end{array} $		10		T	¬E 9, 6
3	$\neg L$		11		Ζ	¬I 7−10
4	$\neg O$	DS 2, 3	12		$I \wedge \neg C$	→E 2, 11
5	L	↔E 1, 4	13		T	∧E 12
6	T	¬E 5, 3	14	L		¬E 13, 5
7	$\neg \neg L$	¬I 3-6	15	$\neg \neg (N N \lor C)$	$V \lor C$)	¬I 3−14
8	L	DNE 7	16	$N \lor C$		DNE 15

B. Give a proof for each of these arguments:

1. $E \lor F, F \lor G, \neg F \because E \land G$ $E \lor F$ $F \lor G$ 3 $\neg F$ E DS 1, 3 G DS 2, 3 $E \land G$ \land I 4, 5

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2.	$M \vee$	$\vee (N \rightarrow M) \therefore \neg M \rightarrow \neg N$					
	1	$M \vee$	$(N \rightarrow M)$				
	2		$\neg M$	-			
	3		$ \neg M N \rightarrow M \neg N $	DS 1	l, 2		
	4		$\neg N$	MT	3, 2		
	5	$\neg M$	$\rightarrow \neg N$	→I 2	2-4		
3.	$(M \lor$	' N)	$\land (O \lor P),$	$N \rightarrow P, -$	$P \colon M \wedge O$		
	1	(<i>M</i>	$\vee N) \wedge (O)$	∨ P)			
	2	<i>N</i> –	$\rightarrow P$				
	3	$\neg P$					
	4	$\neg N$	-		MT 2, 3		
	5	$M \vee$	' N		∧E 1		
	6	М			DS 5, 4		
	7	0v	Р		∧E 1		
	8	0			DS 7, 3		
	9	M٨	<i>. O</i>		∧I 6, 8		
4.	$(X \wedge$	Y) v	$(X \wedge Z),$	$\neg (X \land D)$), $D \lor M \stackrel{.}{\cdot} M$		
	1	()	$(X \wedge Y) \vee (X)$	$\land Z$)			
	2	¬($(\land Y) \lor (X$ $(X \land D)$				
	3		$\lor M$				
	4		$X \wedge Y$				
	5		X		∧E 4		
	6		$X \wedge Z$				
	7		X		∧E 6		
	8	X			∨E 1, 4−5, 6−7		
	9		D				
	10		D $X \wedge D$ \bot		∧I 8, 9		
	11		T		¬E 10, 2		
	12))		¬I 9−11		
	13	$\neg I$ M			DS 3, 12		

Proof-theoretic concepts

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A. Show that each of the following sentences is a theorem:

1.
$$O \rightarrow O$$

1 $\begin{vmatrix} O \\ O \\ R 1 \\ 3 \\ O \rightarrow O \rightarrow I 1-2 \\ 2. N \lor \neg N$
1 $\begin{vmatrix} N \\ N \lor \neg N \\ V \neg N \\ V$

4.
$$((A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow A) \rightarrow A$$

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
1
 $(A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow A$
 $\neg (A \rightarrow B)$ MT 1, 2
 A
 A
 $\neg (A \rightarrow B)$ MT 1, 2
 A
 B
 $A \rightarrow B$
 $\neg E 4, 2$
 B
 $A \rightarrow B$
 $\neg E 7, 3$
 9
 $\neg \neg A$
 $-E 7, 3$
 9
 1
 $-E 7, 3$
 9
 1
 $(A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow A$
 $\neg A$
 $-E 7, 3$
 $-E 7, 4$
 $-E 7,$

B. Provide proofs to show each of the following:

1.
$$C \rightarrow (E \land G), \neg C \rightarrow G \vdash G$$

1 $C \rightarrow (E \land G)$
2 $\neg C \rightarrow G$
3 C
4 $E \land G \rightarrow E 1, 3$
5 $G \land E 4$
6 $\neg C$
7 $G \rightarrow E 2, 6$
8 $G \text{ TND } 3-5, 6-7$
2. $M \land (\neg N \rightarrow \neg M) \vdash (N \land M) \lor \neg M$
1 $M \land (\neg N \rightarrow \neg M)$
2 $M \land E 1$
3 $\neg N \rightarrow \neg M \land E 1$
4 $-N$
5 $-N$
5 $-M$
5 $-N$
7 $\neg M$ $\land E 1$
4 $-N$
5 $-M$
5 $-N$
7 $\neg N$ $\neg H - E 3, 4$
1 $-F 2, 5$
7 $\neg \neg N$ $-1 4-6$
8 N DNE 7
9 $N \land M$ $\land I 8, 2$
10 $(N \land M) \lor \neg M$ $\lor I 9$

3.
$$(Z \land K) \leftrightarrow (Y \land M), D \land (D \rightarrow M) \vdash Y \rightarrow Z$$

1 $(Z \land K) \leftrightarrow (Y \land M)$
2 $D \land (D \rightarrow M)$
3 D $\land E 2$
4 $D \rightarrow M$ $\land E 2$
5 M $\rightarrow E 4, 3$
6 Y
7 $Y \land M$ $\land I 6, 5$
8 $Z \land K$ $\leftrightarrow E 1, 7$
9 Z $\land E 8$
10 $Y \rightarrow Z$ $\rightarrow I 6 - 9$
4. $(W \lor X) \lor (Y \lor Z), X \rightarrow Y, \neg Z \vdash W \lor Y$
1 $(W \lor X) \lor (Y \lor Z)$
2 $X \rightarrow Y$
3 $\neg Z$
4 $W \lor X$
5 M $W \lor X$
5 $X \land Y$
6 Y $Y \land V I 5$
7 X Y $\rightarrow E 2, 7$
9 $W \lor Y$ $\lor I 8$
10 $W \lor Y$ $\lor I 8$
10 $W \lor Y$ $\lor I 8$
10 $W \lor Y$ $\lor I 12$
11 $Y \lor Z$
12 Y DS 11, 3
13 $W \lor Y$ $\lor I 12$
14 $W \lor Y$ $\lor I 1-13$

C. Show that each of the following pairs of sentences are provably equivalent:

1.
$$R \leftrightarrow E, E \leftrightarrow R$$
1 $E \leftrightarrow R$ 1 $R \leftrightarrow E$ 1 $E \leftrightarrow R$ 2 E 2 E 3 R $\leftrightarrow E 1, 2$ 34 R 4 R 5 E $\leftrightarrow E 1, 4$ 56 $E \leftrightarrow R$ $\leftrightarrow I 2 - 3, 4 - 5$ 6

2. <i>G</i> , ¬¬¬¬ <i>G</i>						
1	G					
2		$\neg \neg \neg G$				
3		$\neg G$	DNE 2			
4		T	¬E 1, 3			
5		$\neg \neg G$	¬I 2−4			

1	$\neg \neg \neg \neg G$	
2	$\neg \neg G$	DNE 1
3	G	DNE 2

3.
$$T \rightarrow S, \neg S \rightarrow \neg T$$

1	$T \rightarrow S$	
2	$\neg S$	
3	$\neg T$	MT 1, 2
4	$\neg S \rightarrow \neg T$	→I 2-3

4.
$$U \rightarrow I, \neg (U \land \neg I)$$

1	$U \rightarrow I$	
2	$U \wedge \neg I$	
3	U	∧E 2
4	$\neg I$	∧E 2
5	Ι	→E 1, 3
6	T	¬E 5, 4
7	$\neg (U \land \neg I)$	¬I 2−6

1	$\neg(U \land \neg I)$	
2		
3		
4	$U \land \neg I$	∧I 2, 3
5	T	¬E 4, 1
6	$\neg \neg I$	¬I 3−5
7	Ι	DNE 6
8	$U \rightarrow I$	→I 2-7
	1	

5.
$$\neg (C \rightarrow D), C \land \neg D$$

1 $C \land \neg D$
2 $C \land E 1$
3 $\neg D \land E 1$
4 $C \rightarrow D$
5 $D \rightarrow E 4, 2$
6 \bot $\neg (C \rightarrow D)$ $\neg I 4-6$

$$1 \quad \neg (C \rightarrow D)$$

$$2 \quad D$$

$$3 \quad C$$

$$4 \quad D$$

$$5 \quad C \rightarrow D$$

$$3 \quad C \rightarrow C$$

$$4 \quad 1 \quad -E 5, 1$$

$$7 \quad -D \quad -I 2-6$$

$$8 \quad -C$$

$$9 \quad C$$

$$10 \quad 1 \quad -E 9, 8$$

$$11 \quad D \quad X 10$$

$$12 \quad C \rightarrow D \quad -I 9-11$$

$$13 \quad 1 \quad -E 12, 1$$

$$14 \quad \neg -C \quad -I 8-13$$

$$15 \quad C \quad DNE 14$$

$$16 \quad C \land -D \quad \land I 15, 7$$

6.
$$\neg G \leftrightarrow H, \neg (G \leftrightarrow H)$$

1
$$\neg G \leftrightarrow H$$

2 $G \leftrightarrow H$
3 $G \leftrightarrow H$
3 $H \leftrightarrow E 2, 3$
5 $H \leftrightarrow E 2, 3$
5 $\neg G \leftrightarrow E 1, 4$
6 $\downarrow I \neg E 3, 5$
7 $G \leftrightarrow E 2, 8$
1 $-G$
8 $H \leftrightarrow E 1, 7$
9 $G \leftrightarrow E 2, 8$
1 $-F 9, 7$
11 $\downarrow -F 9, 7$
11 $\downarrow -TND 3-6, 7-10$
12 $\neg(G \leftrightarrow H) \neg I 2-11$

1	$\neg(G \leftrightarrow H)$	
2	$\neg G$	
3	$\neg H$	
4	G	
5	L	¬E 4, 2
6	H	X 5
7	H	
8	L	¬E 7, 3
9	G	X 8
10	$G \leftrightarrow H$	↔I 4-6, 7-9
11	T	¬E 10, 1
12	$\neg \neg H$	¬I 3–11
13	Н	DNE 12
14	H	
15	G	
16	G	
17	Н	R 14
18	H	
19	G	R 15
20	$G \leftrightarrow H$	↔I 16-17, 18-19
21	T	¬E 20, 1
22	$\neg G$	¬I 15−21
23	$\neg G \leftrightarrow H$	↔I 2-13, 14-22

D. If you know that $A \vdash B$, what can you say about $(A \land C) \vdash B$? What about $(A \lor C) \vdash B$? Explain your answers.

If $A \vdash B$, then $(A \land C) \vdash B$. After all, if $A \vdash B$, then there is some proof with assumption A that ends with B, and no undischarged assumptions other than A. Now, if we start a proof with assumption $(A \land C)$, we can obtain A by $\land E$. We can now copy and paste the original proof of B from A, adding 1 to every line number and line number citation. The result will be a proof of B from assumption A.

However, we cannot prove much from $(A \lor C)$. After all, it might be impossible to prove *B* from *C*.

E. In this section, I claimed that it is just as hard to show that two sentences are not provably equivalent, as it is to show that a sentence is not a theorem. Why did I claim this? (*Hint*: think of a sentence that would be a theorem iff A and B were provably equivalent.) Consider the sentence $A \leftrightarrow B$. Suppose we can show that this is a theorem. So we can

prove it, with no assumptions, in *m* lines, say. Then if we assume *A* and copy and paste the proof of $A \leftrightarrow B$ (changing the line numbering), we will have a deduction of this shape:

This will show that $A \vdash B$. In exactly the same way, we can show that $B \vdash A$. So if we can show that $A \leftrightarrow B$ is a theorem, we can show that A and B are provably equivalent.

Conversely, suppose we can show that A and B are provably equivalent. Then we can prove B from the assumption of A in m lines, say, and prove A from the assumption of B in n lines, say. Copying and pasting these proofs together (changing the line numbering where appropriate), we obtain:

1	A	
m	В	
<i>m</i> + 1	B	
m + n	A	
m + n + 1	$A \leftrightarrow B$	$\leftrightarrow I \ 1-m, \ m+1-m+n$

Thus showing that $A \leftrightarrow B$ is a theorem.

There was nothing special about A and B in this. So what this shows is that the problem of showing that two sentences are provably equivalent is, essentially, the same problem as showing that a certain kind of sentence (a biconditional) is a theorem.

Derived rules

A. Provide proof schemes that justify the addition of the third and fourth De Morgan rules as derived rules.

Third ru	ıle:	
m	$\neg A \land \neg B$	
k	$\neg A$	$\wedge E m$
<i>k</i> + 1	¬ B	$\wedge E m$
<i>k</i> + 2	$A \lor B$	
<i>k</i> + 3	A	
<i>k</i> +4	T	$\neg E k + 3, k$
<i>k</i> + 5	B	
<i>k</i> + 6	L	$\neg E \ k + 5, \ k + 1$
<i>k</i> + 7	ι. Γ	\vee E k + 2, k + 3-k + 4, k + 5-k + 6
<i>k</i> + 8	$\neg(A \lor B)$	\neg I $k + 2 - k + 7$
Fourth	rule:	
т	$\neg(A \lor B)$	
k	A	
<i>k</i> + 1	$A \lor B$	\vee I k
<i>k</i> + 2	T	$\neg E k + 1, m$
<i>k</i> +3	¬ A	\neg I $k-k+2$
<i>k</i> + 4	B	
<i>k</i> + 5	$A \lor B$	\vee I <i>k</i> + 4
<i>k</i> + 6	T	$\neg E k + 5, m$
<i>k</i> + 7	$\neg B$	$\neg \mathbf{I} \ k + 4 - k + 6$
<i>k</i> + 8	$\neg A \land \neg B$	\wedge I k + 3, k + 7

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Basic rules for FOL

A. Explain why these two 'proofs' are incorrect. Also, provide interpretations which would invalidate the fallacious argument forms the 'proofs' enshrine:

 $\begin{array}{c|c}1 & \forall xRxx\\ 2 & Raa \end{array}$

2	Raa	∀E 1
3	∀yRay	$\forall I 2$
4	$\forall x \forall y R x y$	∀I 3

When using \forall I, you must replace *all* names with the new variable. So line 3 is bogus. As a counterinterpretation, consider the following:



1 $\forall x \exists y Rxy$ 2 $\exists y Ray$ $\forall E 1$ 3 $\begin{vmatrix} Raa \\ \exists x Rxx & \exists I 3 \\ 5 & \exists x Rxx & \exists E 2, 3-4 \end{vmatrix}$

The instantiating constant, 'a', occurs in the line (line 2) to which $\exists E$ is to be applied on line 5. So the use of $\exists E$ on line 5 is bogus. As a counterinterpretation, consider the following:

1 ←

 $\rightarrow 2$

∀I 10

B. The following three proofs are missing their citations (rule and line numbers). Add them, to turn them into bona fide proofs.

1	$\forall x \exists y (Rxy \lor Ryx)$		1	$\forall x (\exists y L x y \to \forall z L z x)$		
2	∀x	$c\neg Rmx$		2	Lab	
3	∃y	$(Rmy \lor Rym)$	∀E 1	3	$\exists y Lay \to \forall z Lza$	∀E 1
4		Rma∨ Ram		4	$\exists y Lay$	∃I 2
5		$\neg Rma$	∀E 2	5	∀zLza	→E 3, 4
6		Ram	DS 4, 5	6	Lca	∀E 5
7		$\exists xRxm$	∃I 6	7	$\exists y L c y \to \forall z L z c$	∀E 1
8	∃x	Rxm	∃E 3, 4−7	8	$\exists y L c y$	∃I 6
	I			9	$\forall zLzc$	→E 7, 8
				10	Lcc	∀E 9

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 $\forall xLxx$

1	$\forall x (\Im x \to Kx)$		
2	$\exists x \forall y L x y$		
3	$\forall x J x$		
4	∀yLay		
5	Laa	∀E 4	
6	Ja	∀E 3	
7	$Ja \to Ka$	∀E 1	
8	Ka	→E 7, 6	
9	$Ka \wedge Laa$	∧I 8, 5	
10	$\exists x(Kx \wedge Lxx)$	∃I 9	
11	$\exists x(Kx \wedge Lxx)$	∃E 2, 4–10	

C. In §15 problem part A, we considered fifteen syllogistic figures of Aristotelian logic. Provide proofs for each of the argument forms. NB: You will find it *much* easier if you symbolise (for example) 'No F is G' as ' $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx)$ '.

I shall prove the four Figure I syllogisms; the rest are *extremely* similar.

Barbara				
1	$\forall x (Gx \to Fx)$			
2	$\forall x (Gx \to Fx)$ $\forall x (Hx \to Gx)$			
3	$Ga \rightarrow Fa$	∀E 1		
4	Ha → Ga	∀E 2		
5	На			
6	Ga	→E 4, 5		
7	Fa	→E 3, 6		
8	$Ha \rightarrow Fa$	→I 5-7		
9	$\forall x(Hx \to Fx)$	∀I 8		

Ferio		
1	$\forall x (Gx \to \neg Fx)$	
2	$\exists x(Hx \wedge Gx)$	
3	$Ha \wedge Ga$	
4	На	∧E 3
5	Ga	∧E 3
6	$Ga \rightarrow \neg Fa$	∀E 1
7	$\neg Fa$	→E 6, 5
8	$Ha \wedge \neg Fa$	∧I 4, 7
9	$\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$	3I 8
10	$\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$	∃E 2, 3–9

Celerant is exactly as Barbara, replacing 'F with ' $\neg F$ throughout.

Darii is exactly as Ferio, replacing $\neg F$ with F throughout.

D. Aristotle and his successors identified other syllogistic forms which depended upon 'existential import'. Symbolise each of the following argument forms in FOL and offer proofs.

- Barbari. Something is H. All G are F. All H are G. So: Some H is F $\exists x Hx, \forall x (Gx \to Fx), \forall x (Hx \to Gx) \therefore \exists x (Hx \land Fx)$
 - 1 $\exists x H x$
 - $\forall x (Gx \rightarrow Fx)$ 2
 - 3 $\forall x (Hx \to Gx)$
 - 4 На
 - $Ha \rightarrow Ga$ 5 ∀E 3 Ga $\rightarrow E 5, 4$ 6 7 $Ga \rightarrow Fa$ ∀E 2 Fa 8 →E 7, 6 9 $Ha \wedge Fa$ ∧I 4, 8 $\exists x(Hx \wedge Fx)$ E IE 10 $\exists x(Hx \wedge Fx)$ ∃E 1, 4–10 11
- Celaront. Something is H. No G are F. All H are G. So: Some H is not F $\exists x H x, \forall x (Gx \rightarrow \neg Fx), \forall x (Hx \rightarrow Gx) \therefore \exists x (Hx \land \neg Fx)$ Proof is exactly as for Barbari, replacing '*F*' with ' \neg *F*' throughout.
- Cesaro. Something is H. No F are G. All H are G. So: Some H is not F. $\exists x H x, \forall x (F x \to \neg G x), \forall x (H x \to G x) \therefore \exists x (H x \land \neg F x)$
 - 1 $\exists xHx$
 - $\forall x (Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx)$ 2
 - $\forall x (Hx \to Gx)$ 3
 - 4
 - Ha
 - 5 $Ha \rightarrow Ga$ ∀E 3 6 Ga $\rightarrow E 5, 4$ $Fa \rightarrow \neg Ga$ ∀E 2 7 Fa 8 →E 7, 8 9 $\neg Ga$ ¬E 6, 9 10 \bot $\neg Fa$ ¬I 8-10 11 12 $Ha \wedge \neg Fa$ ∧I 4, 11 $\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$ 13 ∃I 12 $\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$ ∃E 1, 4–13 14

- **Camestros**. Something is H. All F are G. No H are G. So: Some H is not F. $\exists xHx, \forall x(Fx \rightarrow Gx), \forall x(Hx \rightarrow \neg Gx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
 - 1 $\exists x H x$ $\forall x (Fx \rightarrow Gx)$ 2 3 $\forall x (Hx \rightarrow \neg Gx)$ 4 На $Ha \rightarrow \neg Ga$ 5 ∀E 3 $\neg Ga$ →E 5, 4 6 7 $Fa \rightarrow Ga$ $\forall E 2$ $\neg Fa$ 8 MT 7, 6 9 $Ha \wedge \neg Fa$ ∧I 4, 8 $\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$ E IE 10 11 $\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$ ∃E 1, 4–10
- Felapton. Something is G. No G are F. All G are H. So: Some H is not F. $\exists xGx, \forall x(Gx \rightarrow \neg Fx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$

	,(),()				
1	$\exists xGx$					
2	$\forall x (Gx \to \neg Fx)$					
3	$\forall x (Gx \to Hx)$					
4	Ga					
5	$Ga \rightarrow Ha$	∀E 3				
6	На	→E 5, 4				
7	$Ga \rightarrow \neg Fa$	∀E 2				
8	$\neg Fa$	→E 7, 4				
9	$Ha \wedge \neg Fa$	∧I 6, 8				
10	$\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$	∃I 9				
11	$\exists x(Hx \wedge Fx)$	∃E 1, 4–10				

- Darapti. Something is G. All G are F. All G are H. So: Some H is F. $\exists xGx, \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Fx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land Fx)$ Proof is exactly as for Felanton replacing '-F' with 'F' throughout
 - Proof is exactly as for Felapton, replacing ' $\neg F$ with 'F throughout.

- Calemos. Something is H. All F are G. No G are H. So: Some H is not F. $\exists xHx, \forall x(Fx \rightarrow Gx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow \neg Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
 - 1 $\exists xHx$
 - $2 \qquad \forall x(Fx \to Gx)$
 - $3 \qquad \forall x (Gx \to \neg Hx)$
 - 4 *Ha*
 - $Ga \rightarrow \neg Ha$ 5 ∀E 3 Ga 6 $\neg Ha$ →E 5, 6 7 8 ¬E 4, 7 \bot 9 $\neg Ga$ ¬I 6−8 $Fa \rightarrow Ga$ ∀E 2 10 $\neg Fa$ MT 10, 9 11 12 $Ha \wedge \neg Fa$ ∧I 4, 11 $\exists x(Hx \wedge Fx)$ 13 ∃I 12
 - 14 $\exists x(Hx \land Fx)$ $\exists E 1, 4-13$
- Fesapo. Something is G. No F is G. All G are H. So: Some H is not F. $\exists xGx, \forall x(Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$
 - 1 $\exists xGx$ 2 $\forall x (Fx \rightarrow \neg Gx)$ 3 $\forall x (Gx \rightarrow Hx)$ 4 Ga 5 $Ga \rightarrow Ha$ ∀E 3 На 6 →E 5, 4 $Fa \rightarrow \neg Ga$ 7 ∀E 2 Fa 8 $\neg Ga$ →E 7, 8 9 ¬E 4, 9 T 10 $\neg Fa$ $\neg I 8-10$ 11 12 $Ha \wedge \neg Fa$ ∧I 6, 11 $\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$ 13 ∃I 12 14 $\exists x(Hx \land \neg Fx)$ ∃E 1, 4–13

- **Bamalip**. Something is F. All F are G. All G are H. So: Some H are F. $\exists xFx, \forall x(Fx \rightarrow Gx), \forall x(Gx \rightarrow Hx) \therefore \exists x(Hx \land Fx)$
 - 1 $\exists xFx$ $\forall x (Fx \to Gx)$ 2 3 $\forall x (Gx \rightarrow Hx)$ 4 Fa $Fa \rightarrow Ga$ $\forall E 2$ 5 Ga →E 5, 4 6 7 $Ga \rightarrow Ha$ ∀E 3
 - 8 Ha \rightarrow E 7, 6 9 Ha \wedge Fa \wedge I 8, 4 10 $\exists x(Hx \wedge Fx)$ \exists I 9 11 $\exists x(Hx \wedge Fx)$ \exists E 1, 4–10

E. Provide a proof of each claim.

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1. \vdash \forall xFx \lor \neg \forall xFx
                      \forall xFx
       1
                      \forall xFx \lor \neg \forall xFx
       2
                                                      ∨I 1
       3
                      \neg \forall xFx
       4
                      \forall xFx \lor \neg \forall xFx
                                                      ∨I 3
       5
               \forall xFx \lor \neg \forall xFx
                                                      TND 1-2, 3-4
2. \vdash \forall z (Pz \lor \neg Pz)
                     Pa
       1
       2
                     Pa \lor \neg Pa
                                               \vee I 1
       3
                     \neg Pa
       4
                     Pa \lor \neg Pa
                                               ∨I 3
               Pa \lor \neg Pa
                                               TND 1-2, 3-4
       5
               \forall x (Px \vee \neg Px)
       6
                                               ∀I 5
3. \forall x(Ax \rightarrow Bx), \exists xAx \vdash \exists xBx
               \forall x (Ax \rightarrow Bx)
       1
       2
               \exists xAx
       3
                     Aa
                     Aa \rightarrow Ba
                                               ∀E 1
       4
       5
                     Ba
                                               →E 4, 3
       6
                      \exists xBx
                                               ∃I 5
               \exists xBx
                                               ∃E 2, 3–6
       7
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4. $\forall x(Mx \leftrightarrow Nx), Ma \land \exists xRxa \vdash \exists xNx$ $\forall x (Mx \leftrightarrow Nx)$ 1 2 $Ma \wedge \exists xRxa$ 3 Ma ∧E 2 4 $Ma \leftrightarrow Na$ $\forall E 1$ 5 Na ↔E 4, 3 $\exists x N x$ 6 ∃I 5 5. $\forall x \forall y G x y \vdash \exists x G x x$ $\forall x \forall y G x y$ 1 2 ∀*yGay* $\forall E 1$ 3 Gaa ∀E 2 $\exists xGxx$ **∃I 3** 4 6. $\vdash \forall xRxx \rightarrow \exists x \exists yRxy$ $\forall xRxx$ 1 2 Raa $\forall E \ 1$ 3 ∃I 2 $\exists y Ray$ 4 $\exists x \exists y R x y$ ∃I 3 5 $\forall xRxx \rightarrow \exists x\exists yRxy$ \rightarrow I 1-4 7. $\vdash \forall y \exists x (Qy \rightarrow Qx)$ 1 Qa 2 Qa R 1 3 \rightarrow I 1–2 $Qa \rightarrow Qa$ $\exists x (Qa \to Qx)$ 4 **∃I 3** 5 $\forall y \exists x (Qy \to Qx)$ $\forall I 4$ 8. $Na \rightarrow \forall x(Mx \leftrightarrow Ma), Ma, \neg Mb \vdash \neg Na$ $Na \rightarrow \forall x(Mx \leftrightarrow Ma)$ 1 2 Ma 3 $\neg Mb$ 4 Na $\forall x(Mx \leftrightarrow Ma)$ →E 1, 4 5 $Mb \leftrightarrow Ma$ ∀E 5 6 7 Mb ↔E 6, 2 8 ¬E 7, 3 T 9 $\neg I 4-8$ $\neg Na$

9. $\forall x \forall y (Gxy \rightarrow Gyx) \vdash \forall x \forall y (Gxy \leftrightarrow Gyx)$ 1 $\forall x \forall y (Gxy \rightarrow Gyx)$ 2 Gab $\forall y (Gay \rightarrow Gya)$ 3 $\forall E 1$ $Gab \rightarrow Gba$ 4 ∀E 3 5 Gba →E 4, 2 6 Gba $\forall y (Gby \rightarrow Gyb)$ ∀E 1 7 $Gba \rightarrow Gab$ 8 ∀E 7 9 Gab →E 8, 6 10 $Gab \leftrightarrow Gba$ ↔I 2-5, 6-9 $\forall y(Gay \leftrightarrow Gya)$ ∀I 10 11 12 $\forall x \forall y (Gxy \leftrightarrow Gyx)$ ∀I 11 10. $\forall x(\neg Mx \lor Ljx), \forall x(Bx \to Ljx), \forall x(Mx \lor Bx) \vdash \forall xLjx$ $\forall x(\neg Mx \lor Ljx)$ 1 $\forall x (Bx \rightarrow Ljx)$ 2 3 $\forall x(Mx \lor Bx)$ 4 $\neg Ma \lor Ljx$ ∀E 1 5 $Ba \rightarrow Lja$ ∀E 2 $Ma \vee Ba$ 6 ∀E 3 7 $\neg Ma$ Ba DS 6, 7 8 9 Lja →E 5, 8 10 Lja Lja R 10 11 12 Lja ∨E 4, 7–9, 10–11 $\forall xLjx$ ∀I 12 13

F. Write a symbolisation key for the following argument, symbolise it, and prove it:

There is someone who likes everyone who likes everyone that she likes. Therefore, there is someone who likes herself.

Symbolisation key:

domain: all people L: _____1 likes _____2 $\exists x \forall y (\forall z (Lxz \rightarrow Lyz) \rightarrow Lxy) \therefore \exists x Lxx$

1	$\exists x \forall y (\forall z (Lxz \to Lyz) \to Lxy)$	
2	$\forall y (\forall z (Laz \rightarrow Lyz) \rightarrow Lay)$	
3	$\forall z(Laz \rightarrow Laz) \rightarrow Laa$	∀E 2
4	Lac	
5	Lac	R 4
6	$Lac \rightarrow Lac$	→I 4-5
7	$\forall z(Laz \rightarrow Laz)$	∀I 6
8	Laa	→E 3, 7
9	$\exists x L x x$	3I 8
10	$\exists x L x x$	∃E 1, 29

G. For each of the following pairs of sentences: If they are provably equivalent, give proofs to show this. If they are not, construct an interpretation to show that they are not logically equivalent.

- 1. $\forall x Px \rightarrow Qc, \forall x (Px \rightarrow Qc)$ Counter-interpretation: let the domain be the numbers 1 and 2. Let '*c*' name 1. Let '*Px*' be true of and only of 1. Let '*Qx*' be true of, and only of, 2.
- 2. $\forall x \forall y \forall zBxyz$, $\forall xBxxx$ Not logically equivalent Counter-interpretation: let the domain be the numbers 1 and 2. Let '*Bxyz*' be true of, and only of, $\langle 1,1,1 \rangle$ and $\langle 2,2,2 \rangle$.
- 3. $\forall x \forall y Dxy, \forall y \forall x Dxy$

Provably equivalent

	$\forall x \forall y D x y$		1	$\forall y \forall x D x y$	
2	∀yDay	∀E 1	2	∀xDxa	∀E 1
3	Dab	∀E 2	3	Dba	∀E 2
4	∀ <i>xDxb</i>	∀I 3	4	∀ yDby	∀I 3
5	∀yDay Dab ∀xDxb ∀y∀xDxy	∀I 4	5	∀xDxa Dba ∀yDby ∀x∀yDxy	∀I 4

4. $\exists x \forall y Dxy, \forall y \exists x Dxy$

Not logically equivalent

Counter-interpretation: let the domain be the numbers 1 and 2. Let 'Dxy' hold of and only of (1,2) and (2,1). This is depicted thus:



5. $\forall x(Rca \leftrightarrow Rxa), Rca \leftrightarrow \forall xRxa$ Not logically equivalent Counter-interpretation, consider the following diagram, allowing 'a' to name 1 and 'c' to name 2:



H. For each of the following arguments: If it is valid in FOL, give a proof. If it is invalid, construct an interpretation to show that it is invalid.

1. $\exists y \forall x R x y \therefore \forall x \exists y R x y$

1
$$\exists y \forall x Rxy$$

2 $\forall x Rxa$
3 Rba $\forall E 2$
4 $\exists y Rby$ $\exists I 3$
5 $\exists y Rby$ $\exists E 1, 2-4$
6 $\forall x \exists y Rxy$ $\forall I 5$

2. $\exists x(Px \land \neg Qx) \therefore \forall x(Px \rightarrow \neg Qx)$ Not valid Counter interpretation: let the domain be the numbers 1 and 2. Let 'Px' be true of everything in the domain. Let Qx be true of, and only of, 2.

3.
$$\forall x(Sx \rightarrow Ta), Sd \therefore Ta$$

Valid

$$1 \quad \forall x(Sx \rightarrow Ia)$$

$$2 \quad Sd$$

$$3 \quad Sd \rightarrow Ta \qquad \forall E 1$$

$$4 \quad Ta \qquad \rightarrow E 3, 2$$

- 4. $\forall x (Ax \rightarrow Bx), \forall x (Bx \rightarrow Cx) \therefore \forall x (Ax \rightarrow Cx)$
 - $\forall x (Ax \rightarrow Bx)$ 1 $\forall x (Bx \rightarrow Cx)$ 2 3 $Aa \rightarrow Ba$ $\forall E \ 1$ $Ba \rightarrow Ca$ ∀E 2 4 5 Aa Ba →E 3, 5 6 7 Са →E 4, 6 $Aa \rightarrow Ca$ 8 →I 5-7 9 $\forall x (Ax \rightarrow Cx)$ ∀I 8
- 5. $\exists x(Dx \lor Ex), \forall x(Dx \to Fx) \therefore \exists x(Dx \land Fx)$ Invalid Counter-interpretation: let the domain be the number 1 . Let 'Dx' hold of nothing. Let both '*Ex*' and '*Fx*' hold of everything. Valid
- 6. $\forall x \forall y (Rxy \lor Ryx) \therefore Rjj$

Valid

Valid

1	$\forall x \forall y (Rxy \lor Ryx)$	
2	$\forall y(Rjy \lor Ryj)$	∀E 1
3	$Rjj \lor Rjj$	∀E 2
4	Rjj	
5	Rjj	R 4
6	Rjj	
7	Rjj	R 6
8	Rjj	∨E 3, 4−5, 6−7

7. $\exists x \exists y (Rxy \lor Ryx) \therefore Rjj$ Invalid Counter-interpretation: consider the following diagram, allowing 'j' to name 2.



8. $\forall xPx \rightarrow \forall xQx, \exists x \neg Px \therefore \exists x \neg Qx$ Invalid Counter-interpretation: let the domain be the number 1. Let '*Px*' be true of nothing. Let '*Qx*' be true of everything.

Conversion of quantifiers

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1. $Sa \rightarrow Tm, Tm \rightarrow Sa, Tm \land \neg Sa$ $Sa \rightarrow Tm$ 1 2 $Tm \rightarrow Sa$ 3 $Tm \wedge \neg Sa$ Tm ∧E 3 4 5 $\neg Sa$ ∧E 3 →E 2, 4 6 Sa 7 T ¬E 5, 6 2. $\neg \exists x R x a, \forall x \forall y R y x$ $\neg \exists x R x a$ 1 2 $\forall x \forall y R y x$ $\forall x \neg Rxa$ 3 CQ 1 $\neg Rba$ ∀E 3 4 ∀ yRya ∀E 2 5 Rba ∀E 5 6 7 ¬E 6, 4 T 3. $\neg \exists x \exists y L x y, L a a$ 1 $\neg \exists x \exists y L x y$ 2 Laa $\forall x \neg \exists y L x y$ 3 CQ 1 $\neg \exists y Lay$ ∀E 3 4 $\forall y \neg Lay$ 5 CQ 4 $\neg Laa$ ∀E 5 6 7 T ¬E 2, 6

A. Show that the following are jointly contrary:

4.	$\forall x(l)$	$Px \to Qx), \forall z(I)$	$Pz \rightarrow Rz$), $\forall yPy, \neg Qa \land \neg Rb$
	1	$\forall x (Px \to Qx)$	
	2	$\forall z (Pz \rightarrow Rz)$	
	3	∀ yPy	
	4	$\forall x(Px \to Qx)$ $\forall z(Pz \to Rz)$ $\forall yPy$ $\neg Qa \land \neg Rb$	
	5	$\neg Qa$ $Pa \rightarrow Qa$ $\neg Pa$ Pa	∧E 4
	6	$Pa \rightarrow Qa$	$\forall E 1$
	7	¬Pa	MT 6, 5
	8	Ра	∀E 3
	9	T	¬E 8, 7

B. Show that each pair of sentences is provably equivalent:

1.
$$\forall x(Ax \rightarrow \neg Bx), \neg \exists x(Ax \land Bx)$$

1	$\forall x(A)$	$x \to \neg Bx)$	
2	E	$x(Ax \wedge Bx)$	
3		$Aa \wedge Ba$	
4		Aa	∧E 3
5		Ва	∧E 3
6		$Aa \rightarrow \neg Ba$	∀E 1
7		$\neg Ba$	→E 6, 4
8		Т	¬E 5, 7
9	ι		∃E 2, 3–8
10	¬∃x(.	$Ax \wedge Bx$)	¬I 2−9
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1	$\neg \exists x (Ax \land Bx)$			
2	$\forall x \neg (Ax \land Bx)$			CQ 1
3	¬(Aa	$\wedge Ba)$	∀E 2
4		Ad	ı	
5			Ba	
6			$Aa \wedge Ba$	∧I 4, 5
7			Т	¬E 6, 3
8	$\neg Ba$			¬I 5−7
9	$Aa \rightarrow \neg Ba$		→I 4-8	
10	$\forall x (Ax \rightarrow \neg Bx)$		∀I 9	
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2.
$$\forall x(\neg Ax \rightarrow Bd), \forall xAx \lor Bd$$

1	$\forall x(\neg Ax \rightarrow Bd)$	
2	$\neg Aa \rightarrow Bd$	∀E 1
3	Bd	
4	$\forall xAx \lor Bd$	∨I 6
5	$\neg Bd$	
6	$\neg \neg Aa$	MT 2, 5
7	Aa	DNE 6
8	$\forall xAx$	∀E 7
9	$\forall xAx \lor Bd$	∨I 8
10	$\forall xAx \lor Bd$	TND 3-4, 5-
	'	

	1	∀x	Ax	√ Bd	
	2		¬-/	<i>Aa</i>	
	3			$\forall xAx$	
	4			Aa	∀E 3
	5			T	¬E 4, 2
	6		٦,	/xAx	¬I 3−5
	7		Ba	!	DS 1, 6
	8	¬./	Aa →	Bd	→I 2-7
	9	∀x	c(Ax	$Bd \to Bd$	∀I 8
5-9		•			

C. In §15, I considered what happens when we move quantifiers 'across' various logical operators. Show that each pair of sentences is provably equivalent:

1. $\forall x(Fx \wedge Ga), \forall xFx \wedge Ga$				
1	$\forall x(Fx \wedge Ga)$			
2	Fb ^ Ga	∀E 1		
3	Fb	∧E 2		
4	Ga	∧E 6		
5	∀xFx	∀I 3		
6	$\forall xFx \wedge Ga$	∧I 5, 4		
	•			

1	$\forall xFx \wedge Ga$	
2	$\forall xFx$	∧E 1
3	Ga	∧E 1
4	Fb	∀E 2
5	$Fb \wedge Ga$	∧I 4, 3
6	$\forall x(Fx \wedge Ga)$	∀I 5

2. $\exists x(Fx \lor Ga), \exists xFx \lor Ga$



1	$\exists xFx$	√ Ga	
2	E:	xFx	
3		Fb	
4		Fb∨ Ga	∨I 3
5		$Fb \lor Ga$ $\exists x (Fx \lor Ga)$	∃I 4
6	Э:	$x(Fx \lor Ga)$	∃E 2, 3−5
7	G	а	
8	Fl	b∨ Ga	∨I 7
9	Э:	$x(Fx \lor Ga)$	3 IE
10	$\exists x(Fx)$	$: \lor Ga)$	∨E 1, 2−6, 7−9

3. $\forall x (Ga \rightarrow Fx), Ga \rightarrow \forall xFx$

1	$\forall x (Ga \rightarrow Fx)$	
2	$Ga \rightarrow Fb$	∀E 1
3	Ga	
4	Fb	→E 2, 3
5	$\forall xFx$	∀I 4
6	$Ga \rightarrow \forall xFx$	→I 3-5

1	$Ga \rightarrow \forall xFx$	
2	Ga	
3	$\forall xFx$	→E 1, 2
4	Fb	∀E 3
5	$Ga \rightarrow Fb$	→I 2-4
6	$\forall x (Ga \to Fx)$	∀I 5

4. $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Ga), \exists xFx \rightarrow Ga$

1
$$\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Ga)$$

2 $\exists xFx$
3 Fb
4 $Fb \rightarrow Ga$ $\forall E 1$
5 Ga $\rightarrow E 4, 3$
6 Ga $\exists E 2, 3-5$
7 $\exists xFx \rightarrow Ga$ $\rightarrow I 2-6$

5. $\exists x (Ga \rightarrow Fx), Ga \rightarrow \exists xFx$

1
$$\exists xFx \rightarrow Ga$$

2 Fb
3 $\exists xFx$ $\exists I 2$
4 Ga $\rightarrow E 1, 3$
5 $Fb \rightarrow Ga$ $\rightarrow I 2-4$
6 $\forall x(Fx \rightarrow Ga)$ $\forall I 5$

1
$$\exists x(Ga \rightarrow Fx)$$

2 Ga
3 $Ga \rightarrow Fb$
4 $Fb \rightarrow E 3, 2$
5 $\exists xFx \qquad \exists I 4$
6 $\exists xFx \qquad \exists E 1, 3-5$
7 $Ga \rightarrow \exists xFx \qquad \rightarrow I 2-6$

1	$Ga \to \exists xFx$	
2	Ga	
3	$\exists xFx$	
4	Fb	
5	Ga	
6	Fb	R 4
7	$Ga \rightarrow Fb$	→I 5-6
8	$ \begin{array}{c} Ga \to Fb \\ \exists x(Ga \to Fx) \\ \exists x(Ga \to Fx) \end{array} $	∃I 7
9	$\exists x (Ga \to Fx)$	∃E 3, 4–8
10	$\neg Ga$	
11	Ga	
12	L	¬E 11, 10
13	Fb	X 12
14	$Ga \rightarrow Fb$	→E 11-13
15	$Ga \to Fb$ $\exists x (Ga \to Fx)$ $\exists x (Ga \to Fx)$	∃I 14
16	$\exists x (Ga \to Fx)$	TND 2-9, 10-15

6. $\exists x(Fx \rightarrow Ga), \forall xFx \rightarrow Ga$

$\exists x(Fx)$	$\rightarrow Ga)$		1	(∀x	$cFx \to Ga$	
لا∀	xFx		2		$\forall xFx$	
	$Fb \rightarrow Ga$		3		Ga	→E 1, 2
	Fb	∀E 2	4		Fb	
	Ga	→E 3, 4	5		Ga	R 3
Ga	ı	∃E 1, 3−5	6		$Fb \rightarrow Ga$	→I 4-5
$\forall xFx -$	→ Ga	→I 2-6	7		$\exists x(Fx \to Ga)$	E 6
			8		$\neg \forall xFx$	
			9		$\exists x \neg Fx$	CQ 8
			10		$\neg Fb$	
			11		Fb	
			12		T	¬E 11, 10
			13		Ga	X 12
			14		$Fb \rightarrow Ga$	→I 11-13
			15		$ Fb \rightarrow Ga \exists x(Fx \rightarrow Ga) \exists x(Fx \rightarrow Ga) f(Fx \rightarrow Ga) $	∃I 14
			16		$\exists x (Fx \to Ga)$	∃E 9, 10–15
			17	∃x	$F(Fx \to Ga)$	TND 2-7, 8-16

NB: the variable '*x*' does not occur in '*Ga*'. When all the quantifiers occur at the beginning of a sentence, that sentence is said to be in *prenex normal form*. These equivalences are sometimes called *prenexing rules*, since they give us a means for putting any sentence into prenex normal form.

Rules for identity

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A. Provide a proof of each claim.

1.
$$Pa \lor Qb, Qb \rightarrow b = c, \neg Pa \vdash Qc$$

1 $Pa \lor Qb$
2 $Qb \rightarrow b = c$
3 $\neg Pa$
4 Qb DS 1, 3
5 $b = c$ $\rightarrow E 2, 4$
6 Qc $=E 5, 4$
2. $m = n \lor n = o, An \vdash Am \lor Ao$
1 $m = n \lor n = o$
2 An
3 $m = n$
4 Am $=E 3, 2$
5 $Am \lor Ao$ $\lor I 4$
6 $n = o$
7 Ao $=E 6, 7$
8 $Am \lor Ao$ $\lor I 7$
9 $Am \lor Ao$ $\lor I 7$
9 $Am \lor Ao$ $\lor E 1, 3-5, 6-8$
3. $\forall x x = m, Rma \vdash \exists xRxx$
1 $\forall x x = m$
2 Rma
3 $a = m$ $\forall E 1$
4 Raa $=E 3, 2$

5 $\exists xRxx$ $\exists I 4$

4.	$\forall x \forall$	$\forall x \forall y (Rxy \to x = y) \vdash Rab \to Rba$		
	1	$\forall x \forall y (Rxy \rightarrow x = y)$		
	2	Rab		
	3	$\forall y(Ray \rightarrow a = y)$	∀E 1	
	4	$Rab \rightarrow a = b$	∀E 3	
	5	a = b	→E 4, 2	
	6	Raa	=E 5, 2	
	7	Rba	=E 5, 6	
	8	$Rab \rightarrow Rba$	→I 2-7	
5.	$\neg \exists x$	$\exists x \neg x = m \vdash \forall x \forall y (Px \rightarrow Py)$		
	1	$\neg \exists x \neg x = m$		
	2	$\forall x \neg \neg x = m$	CQ 1	
	3	$\neg \neg a = m$	∀E 2	
	4	a = m	DNE 3	
	5	$\neg \neg b = m$	∀E 2	
	6	b = m	DNE 5	
	7	Pa		
	8	Pm	=E 3, 7	
	9	Pb	=E 5, 8	
	10	$Pa \rightarrow Pb$	→I 7-9	
	11	$\forall y(Pa \rightarrow Py)$	∀I 10	
	12	$\forall x \forall y (Px \to Py)$	∀I 11	
6.	$6. \exists x \mathcal{J}x, \exists x \neg \mathcal{J}x \vdash \exists x \exists y \neg x = y$			

1	$\exists x J x$	
2	$\exists x \neg \Im x$	
3	Ja	
4	$\neg \mathcal{J}b$	
5	a = b	
6	Jb	=E 5, 3
7	L	¬E 6, 4
8	$\neg a = b$	¬I 5-7
9	$\exists y \neg a = y$	∃I 8
10	$\exists x \exists y \neg x = y$	∃I 9
11	$\exists x \exists y \neg x = y$	∃E 2, 4–10
12	$\exists x \exists y \neg x = y$	∃E 1, 3–11

7.
$$\forall x(x = n \leftrightarrow Mx), \forall x(Ox \lor \neg Mx) \vdash On$$

$$1 \quad \forall x(x = n \leftrightarrow Mx)$$

$$2 \quad \forall x(Ox \lor \neg Mx)$$

$$3 \quad n = n \leftrightarrow Mn \quad \forall E 1$$

$$4 \quad n = n \qquad =I$$

$$5 \quad Mn \qquad \leftrightarrow E 3, 4$$

$$6 \quad On \lor \neg Mn \qquad \forall E 2$$

$$7 \quad \qquad -On \qquad \qquad \forall E 2$$

$$7 \quad \qquad -On \qquad \qquad -I7 \rightarrow 9$$

$$1 \quad On \qquad DNE 10$$

$$8. \quad \exists xDx, \forall x(x = p \leftrightarrow Dx) \vdash Dp$$

$$1 \quad \quad \exists xDx$$

$$2 \quad \forall x(x = p \leftrightarrow Dx) \vdash Dp$$

$$1 \quad \quad \exists xDx$$

$$2 \quad \forall x(x = p \leftrightarrow Dx) \vdash Dp$$

$$1 \quad \quad \exists xCx$$

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$$1 \quad \quad \exists xCx$$

$$2 \quad \forall x(x = p \leftrightarrow Dx) \vdash Dp$$

$$1 \quad \quad \exists xCx$$

$$4 \quad C = p \quad \leftrightarrow E 4, 3$$

$$6 \quad Dp \quad =E 5, 3$$

$$7 \quad Dp \quad \exists E 1, 3 - 6$$

$$9. \quad \exists x[(Kx \land \forall y(Ky \rightarrow x = y)) \land Bx], Kd \vdash Bd$$

$$1 \quad \quad \exists x[(Kx \land \forall y(Ky \rightarrow x = y)) \land Bx]$$

$$2 \quad Kd$$

$$3 \quad (Ka \land \forall y(Ky \rightarrow a = y) \quad \land E 3$$

$$5 \quad Ka \quad \land E 4$$

$$6 \quad \forall y(Ky \rightarrow a = y) \quad \land E 4$$

$$6 \quad \forall y(Ky \rightarrow a = y) \quad \land E 4$$

$$7 \quad Kd \rightarrow a = d \quad \forall E 6$$

$$8 \quad a = d \quad \rightarrow E 7, 2$$

$$9 \quad Ba \quad \land E 3$$

$$10 \quad Bd \quad =E 8, 9$$

$$11 \quad Bd \quad \exists E 1, 3 - 10$$

B. Show that the following are provably equivalent:

• $\exists x ([Fx \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow x = y)] \land x = n)$ • $Fn \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow n = y)$

And hence that both have a decent claim to symbolise the English sentence 'Nick is the F'. In one direction:

1
$$\exists x ([Fx \land \forall y(Fy \rightarrow x = y)] \land x = n)$$
2
$$[Fa \land \forall y(Fy \rightarrow a = y)] \land a = n$$
3
$$a = n \land E 2$$
4
$$Fa \land \forall y(Fy \rightarrow a = y) \land E 2$$
5
$$Fa \land E 4$$
6
$$Fn = E 3, 5$$
7
$$\forall y(Fy \rightarrow a = y) \land E 4$$
8
$$\forall y(Fy \rightarrow n = y) = E 3, 7$$
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$$Fn \land \forall y(Fy \rightarrow n = y) = F 3, 7$$

C. In §17, I claimed that the following are logically equivalent symbolisations of the English sentence 'there is exactly one F':

• $\exists xFx \land \forall x \forall y [(Fx \land Fy) \rightarrow x = y]$ • $\exists x [Fx \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow x = y)]$ • $\exists x \forall y (Fy \leftrightarrow x = y)$

•
$$\exists x \mid Fx \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow x = y)$$

Show that they are all provably equivalent. (*Hint*: to show that three claims are provably equivalent, it suffices to show that the first proves the second, the second proves the third and the third proves the first; think about why.)

It suffices to show that the first proves the second, the second proves the third and the third proves the first, for we can then show that any of them prove any others, just by chaining the proofs together (numbering lines, where necessary. Armed with this, we start on the first proof:

1	$\exists xFx \land \forall x \forall y \big[(Fx \land Fy) \to x = y \big]$	
2	$\exists xFx$	∧E 1
3	$\forall x \forall y \big[(Fx \land Fy) \to x = y \big]$	∧E 1
4	Fa	
5	$\forall y \big[(Fa \wedge Fy) \rightarrow a = y \big]$	∀E 3
6	$(Fa \wedge Fb) \rightarrow a = b$	∀E 5
7	Fb	
8	$Fa \wedge Fb$ $a = b$	∧I 4, 7
9	a = b	→E 6, 8
10	$Fb \rightarrow a = b$	→I 7-9
11	$\forall y(Fy \to a = y)$	∀I 10
12	$Fa \land \forall y(Fy \rightarrow a = y))$	∧I 4, 11
13	$Fa \land \forall y(Fy \to a = y))$ $\exists x [Fx \land \forall y(Fy \to x = y)]$	∃I 12
14	$\exists x \Big[Fx \land \forall y (Fy \to x = y) \Big]$	∃E 2, 4–13
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1
$$\exists x [Fx \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow x = y)]$$
2
$$Fa \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow a = y)$$
3
$$Fa \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow a = y)$$
4
$$\forall y (Fy \rightarrow a = y) \land E 2$$
5
$$|Fb \\ Fb \rightarrow a = b \\ \forall E 4$$
7
$$|a = b \\ Fb \\ a = b \\ Fb \\ Fb \\ a = b \\ Fb \\ a = b \\ Fb \\ a = b \\ Fb \\ a = y \\$$

And finally, the third proof:

1	$\exists x \forall y (Fy \leftrightarrow x = y)$	
2	$\forall y(Fy \leftrightarrow a = y)$	
3	$Fa \leftrightarrow a = a$	∀E 2
4	<i>a</i> = <i>a</i>	=I
5	Fa	↔E 3, 4
6	$\exists xFx$	∃I 5
7	$Fb \wedge Fc$	
8	Fb	∧E 7
9	$Fb \leftrightarrow a = b$	∀E 2
10	a = b	↔E 9, 8
11	Fc	∧E 7
12	$Fc \leftrightarrow a = c$	∀E 2
13	a = c $b = c$	↔E 12, 11
14	b = c	=E 10, 13
15	$(Fb \wedge Fc) \rightarrow b = c$	→I 8-14
16	$\forall y \big[(Fb \land Fy) \to b = y \big]$	∀I 15
17	$\forall x \forall y \big[(Fx \land Fy) \to x = y \big]$	∀I 16
18	$\exists xFx \land \forall x \forall y \big[(Fx \land Fy) \to x = y \big]$	∧I 6, 17
19	$\exists x F x \land \forall x \forall y [(F x \land F y) \to x = y]$	∃E 1, 2–18

D. Symbolise the following argument

There is exactly one F. There is exactly one G. Nothing is both F and G. So: there are exactly two things that are either F or G.

And offer a proof of it.

Here's the symbolisation, the proof will come over the page: $\exists x [Fx \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow x = y)],$ $\exists x [Gx \land \forall y (Gy \rightarrow x = y)],$ $\forall x (\neg Fx \lor \neg Gx) \therefore$ $\exists x \exists y [\neg x = y \land \forall z ((Fz \lor Gz) \rightarrow (x = z \lor y = z))]$

1	$\exists x \big[Fx \land \forall y (Fy \to x = y) \big]$				
2	$\exists x \Big[Gx \land \forall y (Gy \to x = y) \Big]$				
3	$\forall x(\neg Fx \lor \neg Gx)$				
4	$Fa \land \forall y (Fy \rightarrow a = y)$				
5	Fa	∧E 4			
6	$\forall y(Fy \rightarrow a = y)$	∧E 4			
7	$\neg Fa \lor \neg Ga$	∀E 3			
8	$\neg Ga$	DS 7, 5			
9	$Gb \land \forall y (Gy \rightarrow b = y)$				
10	Gb	∧E 9			
11	$\forall y (Gy \to b = y)$	∧E 9			
12	a = b				
13	Ga	=E 12, 10			
14	1 I	¬E 13, 8			
15	$\neg a = b$	¬I 12–14			
16	$Fc \lor Gc$				
17	Fc				
18	$Fc \rightarrow a = c$	∀E 6			
19	a = c	→E 18, 17			
20	$a = c \lor b = c$	∨I 19			
21	Gc				
22	$Gc \rightarrow b = c$	∀E 11			
23	b = c	→E 22, 21			
24	$a = c \lor b = c$	∨I 23			
25	$a = c \lor b = c$	∨E 16, 17–20, 21–24			
26	$(Fc \lor Gc) \to (a = c \lor b = c)$	→I 16-25			
27	$\forall z((Fz \lor Gz) \to (a = z \lor b = z))$	∀I 26			
28	$\neg a = b \land \forall z ((Fz \lor Gz) \to (a = z \lor b = z))$	∧I 15, 27			
29	$\exists y [\neg a = y \land \forall z ((Fz \lor Gz) \to (a = z \lor y = z))]$	∃I 28			
30	$\exists x \exists y \Big[\neg x = y \land \forall z ((Fz \lor Gz) \to (x = z \lor y = z)) \Big]$	∃I 29			
31	$\exists x \exists y [\neg x = y \land \forall z ((Fz \lor Gz) \to (x = z \lor y = z))]$	∃E 2, 9–30			
32	$\exists x \exists y \Big[\neg x = y \land \forall z ((Fz \lor Gz) \to (x = z \lor y = z)) \Big]$	∃E 1, 4–31			

Derived rules

A. Offer proofs which justify the addition of the third and fourth CQ rules as derived rules. Justification for the third rule:



Justification for the fourth rule:

