

CS438/2404

Lecture 3

- HW1 : DUE THIS FRIDAY!
- OFFICE HOURS TODAY 5-6
and Wednesday
- HW2 : OUT THIS FRIDAY, DUE OCT 18

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TODAY

- First Order Logic

Language / Syntax

Semantics : Models

- Sound + Complete Proof Systems for FO Logic

LK (extension of sequent calculus PK)

FO Resolution (extension of Resolution)

FIRST ORDER LOGIC

Underlying language \mathcal{L} specified by:

① $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ a set of n -ary function symbols (i.e., $f, g, h, +, \cdot$)

0-ary function symbols are called **constants**

② $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ a set of n -ary predicate symbols (i.e. $P, Q, R, <, \leq$)

Plus:

• Variables : $x, y, z, \dots a, b, c, \dots$

• $\neg, \vee, \wedge, \exists, \forall$

• parenthesis $(,)$

} Built in symbols

Example \mathcal{L}_A (language of arithmetic)

$$\mathcal{L}_A = \{ \underbrace{0, s, +, \cdot}_{\text{function symbols}} ; \underbrace{=}_{\text{relation symbols}} \}$$

0 constant (0-ary function symbol)

s unary function symbol

+, \cdot binary function symbols

= binary predicate symbol

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Examples of terms ($0, s, f, +, \cdot$)

0-ary \nearrow unary \nearrow binary \nearrow

$fossso, +x f y z, \cdot + ab sso$

$f(ossso, o)$ $x + f(y, z)$ $(a+b) * sso$

FIRST ORDER FORMULAS OVER \mathcal{L}

- (1) $Pt_1 \dots t_n$ is an atomic \mathcal{L} -formula, where P is an n -ary predicate in \mathcal{L} , and $t_1 \dots t_n$ are terms over \mathcal{L}
- (2) If A, B are \mathcal{L} -formulas, so are $\neg A$, $(A \wedge B)$, $(A \vee B)$, $\forall x A$, $\exists x A$

Example: FO Formulas over \mathcal{L}_A

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whole thing: $\forall x \exists y (*) \vee (**)$

Example: FO Formulas over \mathcal{L}_A

② Twin Prime Conjecture

There exists infinitely many pairs of numbers, (x, x') such that $x' = x + 2$ and both x and x' are prime

Example : FO Formulas in \mathcal{L}_A

③ Fermat's Last Theorem

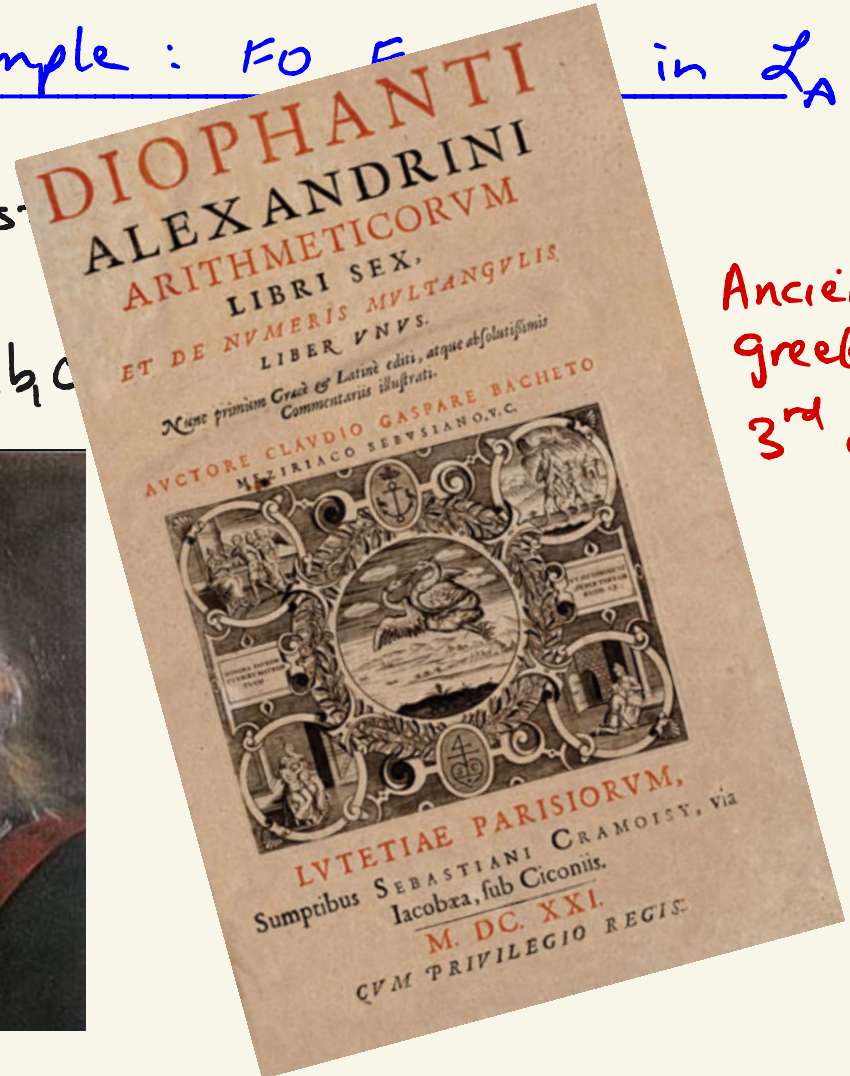
$$\forall n \geq 3 \forall a, b, c (n > 2 \rightarrow a^n + b^n \neq c^n)$$



Example: $F_0 F_1$ in L_A

③ Fermat's Last

$$x^n \geq 3 \quad x, y, z$$

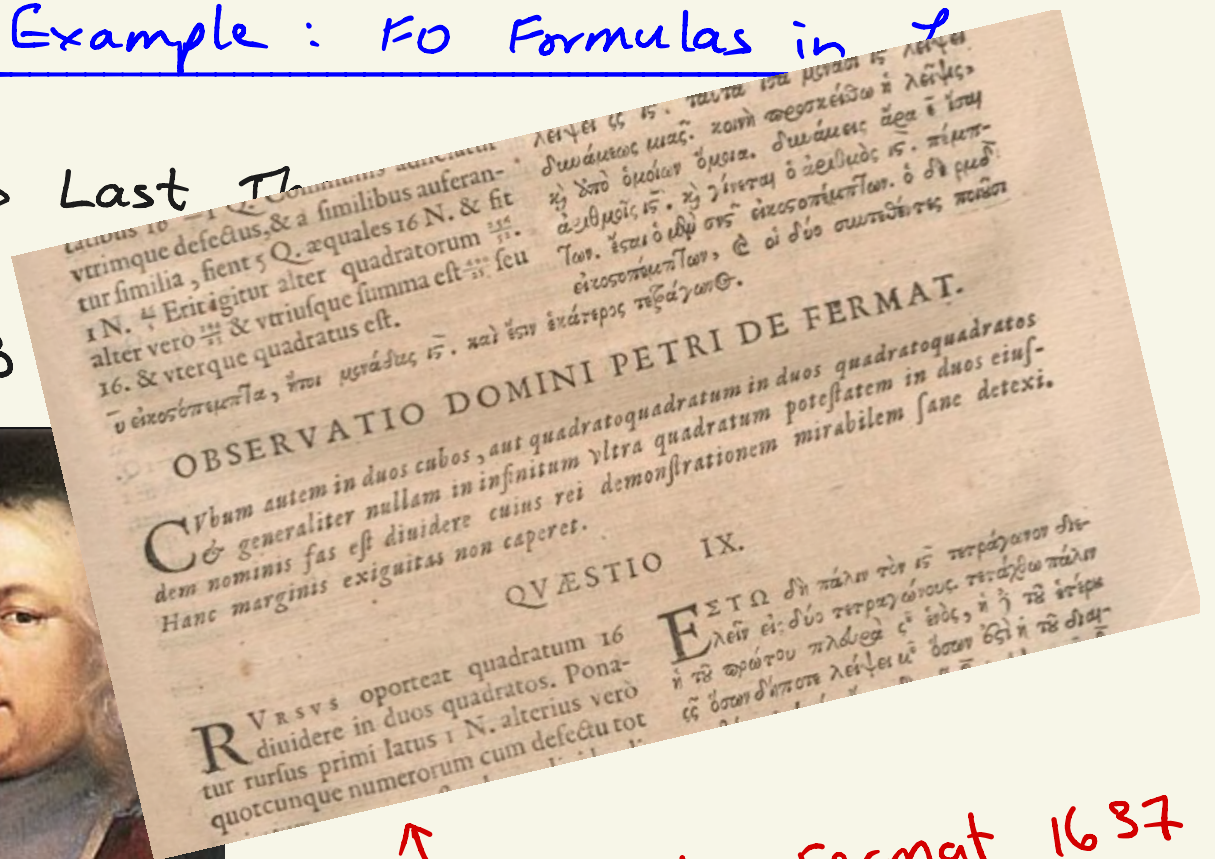


Ancient
greek text,
3rd century AD

Example : FO Formulas in \mathcal{L}

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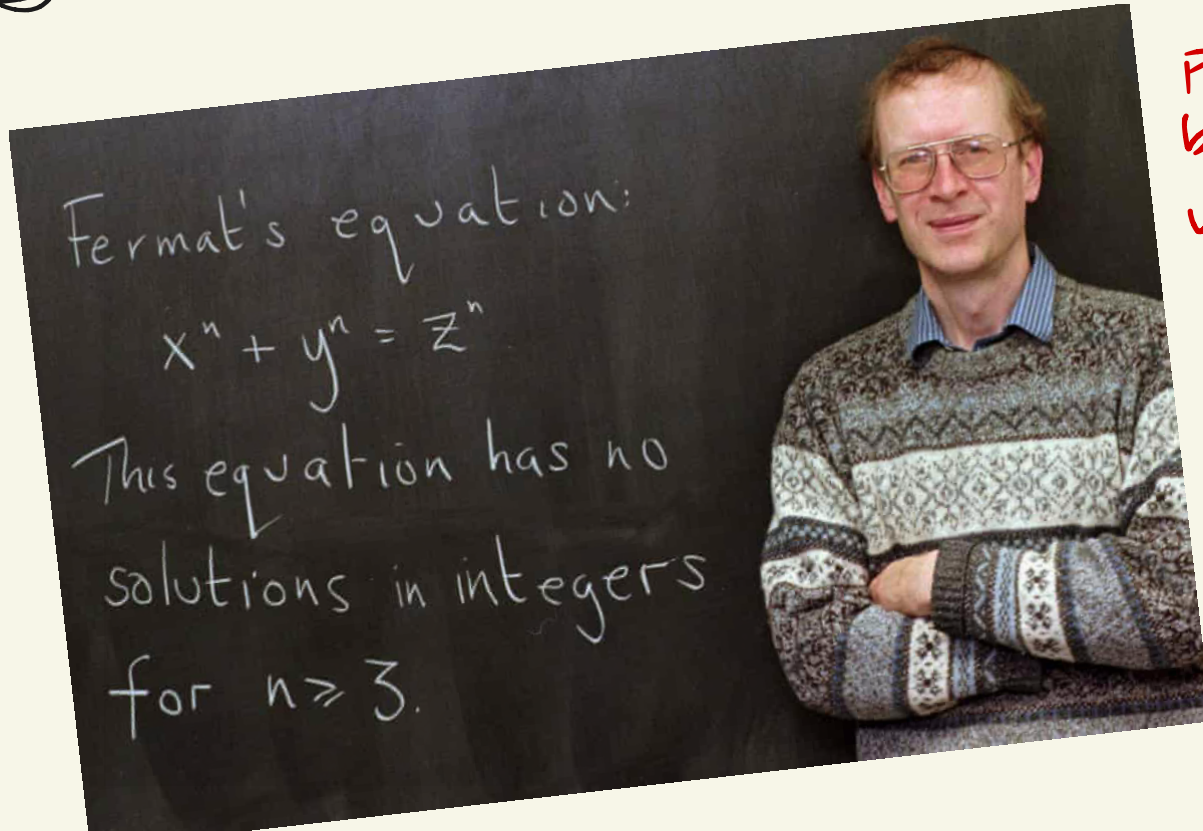
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↑
conjectured by Fermat 1637
in margin of his copy of
Arithmetica

Example : FO Formulas in \mathcal{L}_A

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Finally proven
by Andrew
Wiles

Example: FO Formulas in \mathcal{L}_A

③ Fermat's Last Theorem (actually Andrew Wiles' theorem)

$$\forall n \geq 3 \quad (\forall a, b, c \quad a^n + b^n \neq c^n)$$

Problem: How to say a^n ?

(we'll see later how to do this!)

FREE/BOUND VARIABLES

- An occurrence of x in A is **bound** if x is in a subformula of A of the form $\forall x B$, or $\exists x B$ (otherwise x is **free** in A)

Example $\exists y (x = y + y)$
 $Px \wedge \forall x (\neg(x + 5x = x))$

- A formula/term is **closed** if it contains no free variables
- A closed formula is called a **sentence**

SEMANTICS OF FO LOGIC

An \mathcal{L} -structure \mathcal{M} (or model) consists of:

- ① A nonempty set M called the **universe** (variables range over M)
- ② For every n -ary function symbol f in \mathcal{L} , an associated function $f^{\mathcal{M}} : M^n \rightarrow M$
- ③ For each n -ary relation symbol P in \mathcal{L} , an associated relation $P^{\mathcal{M}} \subseteq M^n$

* Equality predicate = is always true equality relation on M .

Example

$$\mathcal{L}_A = \{0, s, +, \cdot, =\}$$

① IN: standard model of \mathcal{L}_A

$$M = \mathbb{N}$$

$$0 = 0 \in \mathbb{N}$$

$+$, \cdot , s are usual plus, times, successor functions

Jumping ahead a bit: Evaluation of a formula in IN

$$\forall x \forall z \left(\exists z' (\neg(z'=0) \wedge z+z'=x) \rightarrow \exists z'' (s z + z'' = x) \right)$$

Example

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① $\mathcal{M} = \underline{\mathbb{N}}$,

$0 = 0 \in \mathbb{N}$

s : successor. i.e. $s(2) = 3, \dots$

$+$: plus. i.e. $+(0, i) = i, \quad +(2, 3) = 5, \text{ etc}$

\cdot : times

② $\mathcal{M} = \{ \square, \bullet, \star \}$ $0 = \square$

$s(\square) = \bullet$

$s(\bullet) = \square$

$s(\star) = \star$

$+$	\square	\bullet	\star
\square	\bullet	\bullet	\star
\bullet	\bullet	\bullet	\star
\star	\star	\star	\star

\bullet	\square	\bullet	\star
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\bullet	\square	\square	\star
\star	\star	\star	\square

How to evaluate formulas that contain free variables?

Defn An **object assignment** σ for a model \mathcal{M} is a mapping from variables to M

Definition: Evaluation of terms/formulas over \mathcal{M}, σ

Let \mathcal{M} be an \mathcal{L} -structure,

σ an object assignment for \mathcal{M}

Evaluation of terms over \mathcal{M}, σ

(a) $x^{\mathcal{M}}[\sigma]$ is $\sigma(x)$ for all variables x

(b) $(f t_1 \dots t_n)^{\mathcal{M}}[\sigma] = f^{\mathcal{M}}(t_1^{\mathcal{M}}[\sigma], \dots, t_n^{\mathcal{M}}[\sigma])$

Evaluation of formulas over \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{G}

Let A be an \mathcal{L} -formula. $\mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}]$

(\mathcal{M} satisfies A under \mathcal{G}) iff

(a) $\mathcal{M} \models Pt_1 \dots t_n[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $\langle t_1^{\mathcal{M}}[\mathcal{G}], \dots, t_n^{\mathcal{M}}[\mathcal{G}] \rangle \in P^{\mathcal{M}}$

(b) $\mathcal{M} \models (s = t)[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $s^{\mathcal{M}}[\mathcal{G}] = t^{\mathcal{M}}[\mathcal{G}]$

(c) $\mathcal{M} \models \neg A[\mathcal{G}]$ iff not $\mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}]$

(d) $\mathcal{M} \models (A \vee B)[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $\mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}]$ or $\mathcal{M} \models B[\mathcal{G}]$

(e) $\mathcal{M} \models (A \wedge B)[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $\mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}]$ and $\mathcal{M} \models B[\mathcal{G}]$

(f) $\mathcal{M} \models \forall x A[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $\forall m \in M \mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}(\frac{m}{x})]$

(g) $\mathcal{M} \models \exists x A[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $\exists m \in M \mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}(\frac{m}{x})]$

Example $\mathcal{L} = \{ ; R, = \}$

$\mathcal{M} = (\mathbb{N}; \leq, =)$
 $R^{\mathcal{M}}(m, n) \text{ iff } m \leq n$

Then $\mathcal{M} \stackrel{\text{yes}}{\models} \forall x \exists y R(x, y)$

satisfiable
by \mathcal{M}

$\mathcal{M} \stackrel{\text{no}}{\not\models} \exists y \forall x R(x, y)$

but
 $\exists y \forall x R(x, y)$
is also satisfiable

IMPORTANT DEFINITIONS

- ① A is **satisfiable** iff there exists a model \mathcal{M} and an object assignment σ such that $\mathcal{M} \models A[\sigma]$
- ② A set of formulas Φ is **satisfiable** iff $\exists \mathcal{M}, \sigma$ such that $\mathcal{M} \models \Phi[\sigma]$ $\left[\begin{array}{l} \mathcal{M} \models A[\sigma] \text{ for} \\ \text{all } A \in \Phi \end{array} \right]$
- ③ $\Phi \models A$ (A is a **logical consequence** of Φ)
iff $\forall \mathcal{M} \forall \sigma$ if $\mathcal{M} \models \Phi[\sigma]$ then $\mathcal{M} \models A[\sigma]$
- $\models A$ (A is **valid**) iff $\forall \mathcal{M}, \sigma \quad \mathcal{M} \models A[\sigma]$

④ $A \Leftrightarrow B$ (A and B are logically equivalent)
iff $\forall \mathcal{M} \forall \mathcal{G} \quad \mathcal{M} \models A[\mathcal{G}]$ iff $\mathcal{M} \models B[\mathcal{G}]$

Examples

①

$$\underbrace{(\forall x P_x \vee \forall x Q_x)}_{\text{+}} \stackrel{? \text{ Yes}}{=} \underbrace{\forall x (P_x \vee Q_x)}_{\text{+}}$$

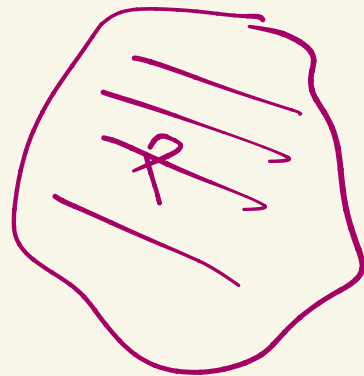
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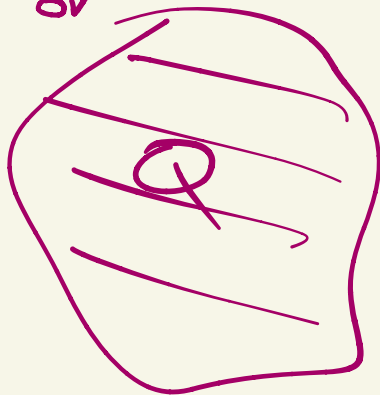
$$\mathcal{L} = \{ ; P, Q, A, B \}$$



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or



Example

Earlier formula A:

$$\forall x \forall z (\exists z' (\neg(z'=0) \wedge z+z'=x)) \supset \\ \exists z'' (z+z''=x)$$

says for every x, z if $x > z$ then
we can write x as $(z+1) + z''$ for some z''

• true when $\mathcal{M} = \underline{\mathbb{N}}$ so A is satisfiable

• false when $\mathcal{M} = (M = \{0, 1, 2\} \quad \begin{matrix} s_0 = 1 \\ s_1 = 2 \\ s_2 = 0 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 0+2 = 2 \\ \text{all others} \\ x+y=0 \end{matrix})$
 $x=2 \quad z=0 \quad z'=2$

Example

$$\forall x \forall y (f_x = f_y) \stackrel{?}{=} x = y$$

No

$$\text{Let } M = \{0, 1\}$$

$$m: f(0) = 0$$

$$f(1) = 0$$

$$\text{then } M \models \forall x \forall y (f_x = f_y)$$

$$\text{but } M \not\models x = y \quad (\text{since } 0 \neq 1)$$

Substitution

Let s, t be λ -terms.

$t(s/x)$: substitute x everywhere by s

$A(s/x)$: substitute all **free occurrences**
of x in A by s

$t = + s s 0 x$ ← $s s 0 + (x)$

$t\left(\frac{+ y z}{x}\right)$: $+ s s 0 + y z$
 $s s 0 + (y+z)$

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Lemma $(t(s/x))^{\mathcal{M}} [G] = t^{\mathcal{M}} [G(\frac{s^{\mathcal{M}}[G]}{x})]$

substitute x for s
to get t'
then evaluate
 t' under \mathcal{M}, G

obtain new object assignment
 G' where $G'(x) = s^{\mathcal{M}}$
Then evaluate t under \mathcal{M}, G'

Substitution Cont'd

Need to be more careful when making substitutions into formulas

Example: $A : \forall y \neg (x = y + y)$

$A(\frac{x+y}{x}) : \forall y \neg (x+y = y+y)$

Defn term t is freely substitutable for x in A

iff there is no subformula in A of the form $\forall y B$ or $\exists y B$ where y occurs in t

Substitution Theorem

If t is freely substitutable for x in A
then $\forall \mathcal{M} \forall G$

$$\mathcal{M} \models A(t/x)[G] \text{ iff } \mathcal{M} \models A[G(t^{\mathcal{M}}[G]/x)]$$

Easy way to avoid this problem
(of making a "bad" substitution):

2 types of variables

free variables a, b, c, \dots

bound variables x, y, z, \dots

Proper formula: every free variable occurrence
is of type free + every bound variable
occurrence of type bound

Proper term: no variables of type bound

FIRST ORDER SEQUENT CALCULUS LK

Lines are again **sequents**

$$A_1, \dots, A_k \rightarrow B_1, \dots, B_l \quad \} S$$

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$$A_S : A_1 \wedge A_2 \wedge \dots \wedge A_k \supset B_1 \vee \dots \vee B_l$$

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RULES

OLD RULES OF PK

PLUS NEW RULES FOR \forall, \exists

like a large
AND



Large OR

New Logical Rules for \forall, \exists

$$\forall\text{-left} \quad \frac{A(t), \Gamma \rightarrow \Delta}{\forall x A(x), \Gamma \rightarrow \Delta}$$

$$\forall\text{-Right} \quad \frac{\Gamma \rightarrow \Delta, A(b)}{\Gamma \rightarrow \Delta, \forall x A(x)}$$

$$\exists\text{-left} \quad \frac{A(b), \Gamma \rightarrow \Delta}{\exists x A(x), \Gamma \rightarrow \Delta}$$

$$\exists\text{-right} \quad \frac{\Gamma \rightarrow \Delta, A(t)}{\Gamma \rightarrow \Delta, \exists x A(x)}$$

* A, t are proper

* b is a free variable not appearing in lower sequent of rule

Example of an LK proof

$$Pa \rightarrow Pa$$

$$Pa, Qa \rightarrow Pa$$

$$Pa \wedge Qa \rightarrow Pa$$

\exists -rt

$$Pa \wedge Qa \rightarrow \exists x Px$$

\exists -left

$$\exists x (Px \wedge Qx) \rightarrow \exists x Px$$

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SOUNDNESS

Defn A first order sequent $A_1, \dots, A_k \rightarrow B_1, \dots, B_\ell$ is **valid** if and only if its associated formula $(A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge A_k) \supset (B_1 \vee \dots \vee B_\ell)$ is valid.

Soundness Theorem for LK Every sequent provable in LK is valid

Proof of Lemma

go through each rule

Example: \forall -right rule

$$\frac{\Gamma \rightarrow \Delta, A(a)}{\Gamma \rightarrow \Delta, \forall x A(x)} \leftarrow A_a$$

$$\text{Let } \Gamma = B_1 \dots B_n$$

$$\Delta = C_1 \dots C_m$$

$$A : B_1 \wedge \dots \wedge B_n \supset C_1 \vee \dots \vee C_m \vee A(a)$$

$$A_L : B_1 \wedge \dots \wedge B_n \supset C_1 \vee \dots \vee C_m \vee \forall x A(x)$$

Note: a cannot occur in lower sequent & thus a can't occur in any B_i, C_j

Theorem (LK soundness)

Every sequent provable in LK is valid

PF by induction on the number of sequents in proof.

Axiom $A \rightarrow A$ is valid

Induction step: use previous soundness lemma