

111 Without using the Bounding Laws, prove

(a) $\forall i \cdot L i \leq m = \uparrow L \leq m$

(b) $\exists i \cdot L i \leq m = \downarrow L \leq m$

After trying the question, scroll down to the solution.

(a) $\forall i \cdot Li \leq m = \uparrow L \leq m$

§ If $\#L=0$ then \forall has an empty domain and $\uparrow L = -\infty$, so the theorem is obvious. Now assume $\#L>0$. We prove the equation by proving two implications.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \forall i \cdot Li \leq m && \text{Extreme Law} \\
 = & (\forall i \cdot Li \leq m) \wedge (\exists j \cdot Lj = \uparrow L) && \text{distribution} \\
 = & \exists j \cdot (\forall i \cdot Li \leq m) \wedge Lj = \uparrow L && \text{specialization and monotonicity} \\
 \Rightarrow & \exists j \cdot Lj \leq m \wedge Lj = \uparrow L \\
 = & \exists j \cdot \uparrow L \leq m \wedge Lj = \uparrow L \\
 \Rightarrow & \uparrow L \leq m
 \end{aligned}$$

Now the other way: $\forall i \cdot Li \leq m \Leftarrow \uparrow L \leq m$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \forall m \cdot \uparrow L \leq m \Rightarrow \forall i \cdot Li \leq m && \text{distribution} \\
 = & \forall i \cdot \forall m \cdot \uparrow L \leq m \Rightarrow Li \leq m && \text{Connection Law (Galois)} \\
 = & \forall i \cdot Li \leq \uparrow L && \text{Extreme Law} \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\exists i \cdot Li \leq m = \downarrow L \leq m$

§ The proof is just like part (a).