

pg. 86 #2 (translate to symbols)

Premises:  $\left[ \begin{array}{l} (\forall x)(Bx \rightarrow Sx) \\ (\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx) \end{array} \right.$

conclu:  $(\exists x)(Px \wedge Bx)$

pg. 86 #2 | Show that an argument that claims to deduce  
 $(\exists x)(Px \wedge Bx)$

from Premises

$(\forall x)(Bx \rightarrow Sx)$  and

$(\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx)$

is not valid.

Solu: We define an interpretation:

$\mathcal{U} = \{-1, 0, 1\}$

$Bx = "x = -1"$

$Sx = "x \neq 1"$

$Px = "x = 0"$

Then premises

$(\forall x)(Bx \rightarrow Sx) \rightsquigarrow (\forall x)(x = -1 \rightarrow x \neq 1)$

and

$(\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx) \rightsquigarrow (\exists x)(x = 0 \wedge x \neq 1)$

are true while the conclusion

$(\exists x)(Px \wedge Bx) \rightsquigarrow (\exists x)(x = 0 \wedge x = -1)$

is false.

pg. 86 | #6 (translate)

$$\text{premises } \begin{cases} (\exists x)(Sx \wedge Hx) \\ (\exists x)(Sx \wedge \neg Bx) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{conclusion: } (\exists x)(Hx \wedge \neg Bx)$$

pg. 86 #6 | Show that an argument that claims to deduce

$$(\exists x)(Hx \wedge \neg Bx)$$

from the premises

$$(\exists x)(Sx \wedge Hx) \quad \text{and}$$

$$(\exists x)(Sx \wedge \neg Bx)$$

is not valid.

Soln: We define an interpretation:

$$U = \{0, 1\}$$

$$Hx = "x=1"$$

$$Bx = "x=1"$$

$$Sx = "x \neq 0"$$

Then the premises

$(\exists x)(Sx \wedge Hx)$  is true (let  $x=1$ ) and

$(\exists x)(Sx \wedge \neg Bx)$  is true (let  $x=0$ ), but

the conclusion  $(\exists x)(Hx \wedge \neg Bx)$  is false.

pg. 86 #7 (translate)

$$\text{premises } \begin{cases} (\forall x)(Nx \rightarrow -Lx) \\ (\exists x)(Lx \wedge Cx) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{conclusion} = (\exists x)(Cx \wedge -Nx)$$

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From the premises

$$(\forall x)(Nx \rightarrow -Lx) \quad \text{and}$$

$$(\exists x)(Lx \wedge Cx)$$

prove

$$(\exists x)(Cx \wedge -Nx).$$

Soln:

|         |  |  |
|---------|--|--|
| {1}     | (1) $(\forall x)(Nx \rightarrow -Lx)$  | Premise                                    |
| {2}     | (2) $(\exists x)(Lx \wedge Cx)$        | Premise                                    |
| {2,3}   | (3) $L\alpha \wedge C\alpha$           | 2 ES                                       |
| {1}     | (4) $N\alpha \rightarrow -L\alpha$     | 1 US                                       |
| {1,3}   | (5) $-(-L\alpha) \rightarrow -N\alpha$ | 4 Contraposition                           |
| {2}     | (6) $L\alpha$                          | 3 Simplification                           |
| {2}     | (7) $-(-L\alpha)$                      | 6 Double Negative                          |
| {1,2,3} | (8) $-N\alpha$                         | 5 7 Detachment                             |
| {2}     | (9) $C\alpha$                          | 3 Comm. Law of $\wedge$ and Simplification |
| {1,2,3} | (10) $C\alpha \wedge -N\alpha$         | 8 9 Adjunction                             |
| {1,2}   | (11) $(\exists x)(Cx \wedge -Nx)$      | 10 EG                                      |

86 #8 | (translate)

premises:  $\begin{cases} (\forall x)(P_x \rightarrow R_x) \\ (\exists x)(T_x \wedge \neg R_x) \end{cases}$

conclusion:  $(\exists x)(T_x \wedge \neg P_x)$

Pg. 86 #8

From the premises

$(\forall x)(P_x \rightarrow R_x)$  and

$(\exists x)(T_x \wedge \neg R_x)$

prove

$(\exists x)(T_x \wedge \neg P_x)$ .

Solution:

|       |   |  |
|-------|---|--|
| {1}   | (1) $(\forall x)(P_x \rightarrow R_x)$        | Premise                                    |
| {2}   | (2) $(\exists x)(T_x \wedge \neg R_x)$        | Premise                                    |
| {2}   | (3) $T_\alpha \wedge \neg R_\alpha$           | 2 ES                                       |
| {1}   | (4) $P_\alpha \rightarrow R_\alpha$           | 1 US                                       |
| {1}   | (5) $\neg R_\alpha \rightarrow \neg P_\alpha$ | 4 Contraposition                           |
| {2}   | (6) $\neg R_\alpha$                           | 3 Comm. law of $\wedge$ and Simplification |
| {1,2} | (7) $\neg P_\alpha$                           | 5 6 Detachment                             |
| {2}   | (8) $T_\alpha$                                | 3 Simplification                           |
| {1,2} | (9) $T_\alpha \wedge \neg P_\alpha$           | 7 8 Adjunction                             |
| {1,2} | (10) $(\exists x)(T_x \wedge \neg P_x)$       | 9 EG                                       |