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Maths & Logic (360-124)

More quantifier exercises

Construct derivations for the following entailments. In questions 8, 9 and 10, where I've explicitly indicated "not the converse", find a model or situation which shows the converse is not valid.

1. $\forall x\forall yP(x, y) \vdash P(\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{a})$
2. $\forall x\forall yP(x, y) \vdash \forall xP(x, x)$
3. $\forall x(P(x) \wedge Q(x) \rightarrow R(x)), Q(\mathbf{a}) \wedge \forall zP(z) \vdash P(\mathbf{a}) \wedge R(\mathbf{a})$
4. $\exists xP(x) \vdash \forall xQ(x) \rightarrow \exists x(P(x) \wedge Q(x))$
5. $\forall x\forall y(R(x, y) \rightarrow (P(x) \wedge \neg P(y))), \exists x\exists y(R(x, y) \wedge R(y, x)) \vdash \exists x(P(x) \wedge \neg P(x))$ (and hence Q6:)
6. $\forall x\forall y(R(x, y) \rightarrow (P(x) \wedge \neg P(y))), \exists x\exists y(R(x, y) \wedge R(y, x)) \vdash \perp$
7. $\exists zR(z, z), \exists y\forall xS(y, x) \vdash \exists y\exists z(S(z, y) \rightarrow R(y, y))$
8. $\exists x(P(x) \wedge Q(x)) \vdash \exists xP(x) \wedge \exists xQ(x)$ (but not the converse!)
9. $\forall xP(x) \vee \forall xQ(x) \vdash \forall x(P(x) \vee Q(x))$ (but not the converse!)
10. $\exists x\forall yR(x, y) \vdash \forall y\exists xR(x, y)$ (but not the converse!)
11. $\exists x\exists yR(x, y) \vdash \exists y\exists xR(x, y)$ and $\exists y\exists xR(x, y) \vdash \exists x\exists yR(x, y)$
12. $\forall x\forall yR(x, y) \vdash \forall y\forall xR(x, y)$ and $\forall y\forall xR(x, y) \vdash \forall x\forall yR(x, y)$
13. $\neg\exists x(P(x) \wedge Q(x)) \vdash \forall x(P(x) \rightarrow \neg Q(x))$
14. $\forall x(P(x) \rightarrow \neg Q(x)) \vdash \neg\exists x(P(x) \wedge Q(x))$
15. $\exists x(P(x) \vee Q(x)) \vdash \exists xP(x) \vee \exists xQ(x)$
16. $\exists xP(x) \vee \exists xQ(x) \vdash \exists x(P(x) \vee Q(x))$
17. $\forall x(P(x) \wedge Q(x)) \vdash \forall xP(x) \wedge \forall xQ(x)$
18. $\forall xP(x) \wedge \forall xQ(x) \vdash \forall x(P(x) \wedge Q(x))$
19. $\forall x(P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)), \exists x(P(x) \wedge R(x)) \vdash \exists x(Q(x) \wedge R(x))$
20. $\forall x(P(x) \vee Q(x)), \exists x\neg P(x) \vdash \exists xQ(x)$