

**Directions:** This exam has 13 questions, for a total of 100 points and 10 bonus points. Place your name on the answersheet (last page). Place proofs on the blank space on the answersheet. Good luck!

**Directions:** Writing the abbreviation (e.g.,  $\forall I$ ) for the single derivation rule that is represented in the following:

1. (2 points) Starting from  $(\exists x)Fx$ , suppose  $Fa$  is assumed. Next, suppose  $\phi$  is derived in the subproof starting with  $Fa$ . Finally, suppose  $\phi$  is deprived using  $(\exists x)Fx$  and the entire subproof.
2. (2 points)  $\neg Qab \wedge Pa \vdash (\exists z)(\neg Qzb \wedge Pz)$
3. (2 points)  $(\forall z)(Fz \wedge \neg Fz) \vdash Fd \rightarrow \neg Fd$
4. (2 points) From  $Qc \wedge Fc$  to  $(\forall y)(Qy \wedge Fy)$  provided (1)  $c$  is not in a premise or in an assumption of an active subproof and (2)  $c$  is not in  $(\forall y)(Qy \wedge Fy)$ ?
5. (2 points)  $\neg(\forall z)Fz \vdash (\exists z)\neg Fz$

**Directions:** Provide proofs for the following:

6. (15 points)  $(\exists x)Fx \rightarrow (\forall y)By, Fa \vdash Ba$
7. (15 points)  $Faa, (\forall x)(\forall y)Lxy \vdash (\exists z)(\exists x)Lzx$
8. (15 points)  $(\exists x)\neg Mx \vdash (\exists y)(My \vee \neg Py)$
9. (15 points)  $\vdash (\forall x)(Lxx \rightarrow (Gx \rightarrow Lxx))$
10. (15 points)  $\vdash (\forall x)(Lxx \rightarrow (Gx \rightarrow Lxx))$

**Directions:** Translate the following arguments and then provide a proof of the conclusion from the premises. In some cases, part of the argument will be provided for you.

11. (15 points) Some Penn State students are good logicians  $((\exists x)(Px \wedge Gx))$ . All good logicians are smart. Therefore, some Penn State students are smart.

**Directions:** Bonus questions. Totally optional.

12. (9 points (bonus)) Let  $=$  be a new operator in QL such that  $\alpha = \alpha$  is a wff, where  $\alpha$  is a QL name. Now let  $= E$  be a derivation rule such that from  $\alpha = \beta$  and a wff  $\phi$  containing  $\alpha$  (or  $\beta$ ), you may substitute  $\alpha$  for  $\beta$  in  $\phi$  or  $\beta$  for  $\alpha$ . In other words,  $a = b, \phi \vdash \phi(a/b)$  or  $a = b, \phi \vdash \phi(b/a)$ . With this in mind, prove  $a = b, b = c, Pa \vdash Pc$ .
13. (1 point (bonus)) Free point. If you are reading this, it was very nice to have you in my class.



## Derivation rules

Definition 0.0: Conjunction Introduction ( $\wedge I$ )

$\phi, \psi \vdash \phi \wedge \psi$  or  $\phi, \psi \vdash \psi \wedge \phi$

Definition 0.0: Conjunction Elimination ( $\wedge E$ )

$\phi \wedge \psi \vdash \phi$  or  $\phi \wedge \psi \vdash \psi$

Definition 0.0: Conditional Introduction ( $\rightarrow I$ )

$n$	$\phi$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$m$	$\psi$	
$m+1$	$\phi \rightarrow \psi$	$\rightarrow I \ n-m$

Definition 0.0: Conditional Elimination ( $\rightarrow E$ )

$\phi \rightarrow \psi, \phi \vdash \psi$

Definition 0.0: Reiteration (R)

$\phi \vdash \phi$

Definition 0.0: Negation Introduction ( $\neg I$ )

$k$	$\phi$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$n$	$\psi$	
$n+1$	$\neg(\psi)$	
$n+2$	$\neg(\phi)$	$\neg I \ k-(n+1)$

Definition 0.0: Negation Elimination ( $\neg E$ )

$k$	$\neg(\phi)$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$n$	$\psi$	
$n+1$	$\neg(\psi)$	
$n+2$	$\phi$	$\neg E \ k-(n+1)$

Definition 0.0: Disjunction Introduction ( $\vee I$ )

$\phi \vdash \phi \vee \psi$  or  $\phi \vdash \psi \vee \phi$

Definition 0.0: Disjunction Elimination ( $\vee E$ )

$n$	$\phi \vee \psi$	$P$
$k$	$\psi$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$k+i$	$\chi$	
$j$	$\psi$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$j+1$	$\chi$	
$m$	$\chi$	$\vee E \ n, k-(k+i), j-(j+1)$

Definition 0.0: Biconditional Introduction ( $\leftrightarrow I$ )

$n$	$\phi$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$n+i$	$\psi$	
$k$	$\psi$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$k+j$	$\phi$	
$m$	$\phi \leftrightarrow \psi$	$\leftrightarrow I \ n+1, k+j$

Definition 0.0: Biconditional Elimination ( $\leftrightarrow E$ )

$\phi \leftrightarrow \psi, \phi \vdash \psi$  or  $\phi \leftrightarrow \psi, \psi \vdash \phi$

Definition 0.0: Disjunctive Syllogism (DS)

$\phi \vee \psi, \neg(\psi) \vdash \phi$  or  $\phi \vee \psi, \neg(\phi) \vdash \psi$

Definition 0.0: Modus Tollens (MT)

$\phi \rightarrow \psi, \neg(\psi) \vdash \neg(\phi)$

Definition 0.0: Hypothetical Syllogism (HS)

$\phi \rightarrow \psi, \psi \rightarrow \chi \vdash \phi \rightarrow \chi$

Definition 0.0: Double Negation (DN)

$\phi \dashv\vdash \neg\neg(\phi)$



Definition 0.0: De Morgan's Laws (DeM)

$\neg(\phi \vee \psi) \dashv\vdash \neg(\phi) \wedge \neg(\psi)$  or  $\neg(\phi \wedge \psi) \dashv\vdash \neg(\phi) \vee \neg(\psi)$

Definition 0.0: Implication (IMP)

$\phi \rightarrow \psi \dashv\vdash \neg(\phi) \vee \psi$

Definition 0.0: Universal Elimination ( $\forall E$ )

$(\forall x)\phi(x_1 \dots x_n) \vdash \phi(\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n/x_1 \dots x_n)$   
where  $x$  is not in  $\phi(\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n)$

Definition 0.0: Existential Introduction ( $\exists I$ )

$\phi(\alpha_i) \vdash (\exists x)\phi(x_n/\alpha_n)$  where  $x$  is not in  $\phi(\alpha_i)$

Definition 0.0: Universal Introduction ( $\forall I$ )

$\phi(\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n) \vdash (\forall x)\phi(x_1 \dots x_n/\alpha_1, \dots \alpha_n)$   
where the name  $\alpha$  does not occur as premise,  
as an assumption in an open subproof, or in  
 $(\forall x)\phi(x_1 \dots x_n/\alpha_1, \dots \alpha_n)$  and where  $x$  is not  
in  $\phi(\alpha_1 \dots \alpha_n)$

Definition 0.0: Existential Elimination ( $\exists E$ )

$n$	$(\exists x)\phi x$	$P$
$j$	$\phi(\alpha/x)$	$A$
	$\vdots$	
$j+i$	$\psi$	
$j+(i+1)$	$\psi$	$\exists E, n, j-(j+1)$

Definition 0.0: Quantifier Negation ( $QN$ )

$\neg(\forall x)\phi \dashv\vdash (\exists x)\neg\phi$  or  $\neg(\exists x)\phi \dashv\vdash (\forall x)\neg\phi$



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## Solutions for qlproofs/su26a

1.  $\exists E$
2.  $\exists I$
3.  $\forall E$
4.  $\forall I$
5.  $QN$
6.  $(\exists x)Fx \rightarrow (\forall y)By, Fa \vdash Ba$ 
  - 1  $(\exists x)Fx \rightarrow (\forall y)By$  P
  - 2  $Fa$  P
  - 3  $(\exists x)Fx$  2  $\exists I$
  - 4  $(\forall y)By$  1,3  $\rightarrow E$
  - 5  $Ba$  4  $\forall E$
7.  $Faa, (\forall x)(\forall y)Lxy \vdash (\exists z)(\exists x)Lzx$ 
  - 1  $Faa$  P
  - 2  $(\forall x)(\forall y)Lxy$  P
  - 3  $(\forall y)Lay$  2  $\forall E$
  - 4  $Laa$  3  $\forall E$
  - 5  $(\exists x)Lax$  4  $\exists I$
  - 6  $(\exists z)(\exists x)Lzx$  5  $\exists I$
8.  $(\exists x)\neg Mx \vdash (\exists y)(My \vee \neg Py)$ 
  - 1  $(\exists x)\neg Mx$  P
  - 2  $\neg Ma$  A
  - 3  $\neg Ma \vee \neg Pa$  2  $\vee I$
  - 4  $(\exists y)(My \vee \neg Py)$  3  $\exists I$
  - 5  $(\exists y)(My \vee \neg Py)$  1, 2-4  $\exists E$
9.  $\vdash (\forall x)(Lxx \rightarrow (Gx \rightarrow Lxx))$ 
  - 1  $Pa$  A
  - 2  $Pa$  1 R
  - 3  $Pa \rightarrow Pa$  1-2  $\rightarrow I$
  - 4  $(\forall x)(Px \rightarrow Px)$  3  $\forall I$
10.  $\vdash (\forall x)(Lxx \rightarrow (Gx \rightarrow Lxx))$ 
  - 1  $Laa$  A
  - 2  $Ga$  A



3			$Laa$	1 R
4			$Ga \rightarrow Laa$	2-3 $\rightarrow I$
5			$Laa \rightarrow (Ga \rightarrow Laa)$	1-4 $\rightarrow I$
6			$(\forall x)(Lxx \rightarrow (Gx \rightarrow Lxx))$	5 $\forall I$

11. Translation:  $(\exists x)(Px \wedge Gx), (\forall x)(Gx \rightarrow Sx) \vdash (\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx)$

1			$(\exists x)(Px \wedge Gx)$	P
2			$(\forall x)(Gx \rightarrow Sx)$	P, $(\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx)$
3			$Pa \wedge Ga$	A
4			$Ga \rightarrow Sa$	2 $\forall E$
5			$Pa$	3 $\wedge E$
6			$Ga$	3 $\wedge E$
7			$Sa$	5,6 $\rightarrow E$
8			$Pa \wedge Sa$	5,7 $\wedge I$
9			$(\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx)$	8 $\exists I$
10			$(\exists x)(Px \wedge Sx)$	1, 3-9 $\exists E$

