

Homework 4

2.3 :

2. There are exactly two elements in the universe.

3. (a) $\exists x \exists y \exists z (\neg x = y \wedge \neg x = z \wedge \neg y = z \wedge \forall w (w = x \vee w = y \vee w = z))$.

(b) $\exists x \exists y \exists z \forall w (w = x \vee w = y \vee w = z)$

(c) No such sentence exists. Predicate logic can't express the concept of "finite number of elements."

4. (a)

1.	$\phi \rightarrow q_1 \wedge q_2$	premise
2.	ϕ	assumption
3.	$q_1 \wedge q_2$	MP 1,2
4.	q_1	$\wedge e$ 3
5.	$\phi \rightarrow q_1$	$\rightarrow i$ 2-4
6.	ϕ	assumption
7.	$q_1 \wedge q_2$	MP 1,6
8.	q_2	$\wedge e$ 7
9.	$\phi \rightarrow q_2$	$\rightarrow i$ 6-8
10.	$(\phi \rightarrow q_1) \wedge (\phi \rightarrow q_2)$	$\wedge i$ 5,9

(b)

1.	$\phi \rightarrow \forall x Q(x)$	premise
2.	x_0	
3.	ϕ	assumption
4.	$\forall x Q(x)$	MP 1,3
5.	$Q(x_0)$	$\forall x e$ 4
6.	$\phi \rightarrow Q(x_0)$	$\rightarrow i$ 3-5
7.	$\forall x (\phi \rightarrow Q(x))$	$\forall x i$ 2-6

(c)

1.	$\forall x(P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$	premise
2.	$\forall xP(x)$	assumption
3.	$x_0 P(x_0)$	$\forall xe$ 2
4.	$P(x_0) \rightarrow Q(x_0)$	$\forall xe$ 1
5.	$Q(x_0)$	MP 3,4
6.	$\forall xQ(x)$	$\forall xi$ 3–5
7.	$\forall xP(x) \rightarrow \forall xQ(x)$	$\rightarrow i$ 2–6

9. (e)

1.	$\forall x(P(x) \vee Q(x))$	premise
2.	$\exists xQ(x) \vee \neg\exists xQ(x)$	LEM
3.	$\exists xQ(x)$	assumption
4.	$\forall xP(x) \vee \exists xQ(x)$	$\forall i$ 3
5.	$\neg\exists xQ(x)$	assumption
6.	$x_0 P(x_0) \vee Q(x_0)$	$\forall xe$ 1
7.	$P(x_0)$	assumption
8.	$Q(x_0)$	assumption
9.	$\exists xQ(x)$	$\exists xi$ 8
10.	\perp	$\neg e$ 5,9
11.	$P(x_0)$	$\perp e$ 10
12.	$P(x_0)$	$\vee e$ 6, 7, 8–11
13.	$\forall xP(x)$	$\forall xi$ 6–12
14.	$\forall xP(x) \vee \exists xQ(x)$	$\forall i$ 13
15.	$\forall xP(x) \vee \exists xQ(x)$	$\vee e$ 2, 3–4, 5–14

10. (a)

1.	$p \vee q$	premise
2.	$\neg p \wedge \neg q$	assumption
3.	p	assumption
4.	$\neg p$	$\wedge e$ 2
5.	\perp	$\neg e$ 3,4
6.	q	assumption
7.	$\neg q$	$\wedge e$ 2
8.	\perp	$\neg e$ 6,7
9.	\perp	$\vee e$ 1, 3-5, 6-8
10.	$\neg(\neg p \wedge \neg q)$	$\neg i$ 2-9

(b)

1.	$\exists x P(x)$	premise
2.	$\forall x \neg P(x)$	assumption
3.	$x_0 P(x_0)$	assumption
4.	$\neg P(x_0)$	$\forall x e$ 2
5.	\perp	$\neg e$ 3,4
6.	\perp	$\exists x e$ 1, 3-5
7.	$\neg \forall x \neg P(x)$	$\neg i$ 2-6

(c)

1.	$\neg(\neg p \wedge \neg q)$	premise
2.	$\neg(p \vee q)$	assumption
3.	p	assumption
4.	$p \vee q$	$\vee i$ 3
5.	\perp	$\neg e$ 2,4
6.	$\neg p$	$\neg i$ 3-5
7.	q	assumption
8.	$p \vee q$	$\vee i$ 7
9.	\perp	$\neg e$ 2,8
10.	$\neg q$	$\neg i$ 7-9
11.	$\neg p \wedge \neg q$	$\wedge i$ 6,10
12.	\perp	$\neg e$ 1,11
13.	$\neg \neg(p \vee q)$	$\neg i$ 2-12
14.	$p \vee q$	$\neg \neg e$ 13

(d) $\neg\forall x\neg P(x) \vdash \exists P(x)$, by analogy to parts (a) and (b).

1.	$\neg\forall x\neg P(x)$	premise
2.	$\neg\exists xP(x)$	assumption
3.	x_0	
4.	$P(x_0)$ assumption	
5.	$\exists xP(x)$	$\exists xi$ 4
6.	\perp	$\neg e$ 2,4
7.	$\neg P(x_0)$	$\neg i$ 4-6
8.	$\forall x\neg P(x)$	$\forall xi$ 3-7
9.	\perp	$\neg e$ 1,8
10.	$\neg\neg\exists xP(x)$	$\neg i$ 2-9
11.	$\exists xP(x)$	$\neg\neg e$ 10

11. (d)

1.	$\forall x(P(x) \leftrightarrow x = b)$	premise
2.	$P(b) \leftrightarrow b = b$	$\forall xe$ 1
3.	$b = b \rightarrow P(b)$	$\wedge e$ 2
4.	$b = b$	$= i$
5.	$P(b)$	MP 3,4
6.	$x_0 P(x_0) \leftrightarrow x_0 = b$ $\forall xe$ 1	
7.	$y_0 P(y_0) \leftrightarrow y_0 = b$ $\forall xe$ 1	
8.	$P(x_0) \wedge P(y_0)$ assumption	
9.	$P(x_0)$	$\wedge e$ 8
10.	$P(x_0) \rightarrow x_0 = b$	$\wedge e$ 6
11.	$x_0 = b$	MP 9,10
12.	$P(y_0)$	$\wedge e$ 8
13.	$P(y_0) \rightarrow y_0 = b$	$\wedge e$ 7
14.	$y_0 = b$	MP 12,13
15.	$x_0 = y_0$	symmetry (2.6), transitivity (2.7) 11,14
16.	$P(x_0) \wedge P(y_0) \rightarrow x_0 = y_0$	$\rightarrow i$ 8-15
17.	$\forall y(P(x_0) \wedge P(y) \rightarrow x_0 = y)$	$\forall yi$ 7-16
18.	$\forall x\forall y(P(x) \wedge P(y) \rightarrow x = y)$	$\forall xi$ 6-17
19.	$P(b) \wedge \forall x\forall y(P(x) \wedge P(y) \rightarrow x = y)$	$\wedge i$ 5,18