

Chapter 11 Exercise List SOLUTIONS

1. Prove,

(a) $\vdash x \in \{y\} \equiv x = y$.

Answer:

$$\begin{aligned} & x \in \{y\} \\ = & \langle \text{Notation} \rangle \\ & x \in \{x \mid x = y\} \\ = & \langle (11.7) \rangle \\ & x = y . \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\vdash \{u\} = \{x, y\} \Rightarrow x = y$.

Answer: Take v, w to be fresh variables.

$$\begin{aligned} & \{u\} = \{x, y\} \\ = & \langle \text{Notation, (11.4), } v \text{ d.n.o.f. in } \{u\}, \{x, y\} \rangle \\ & (\forall v \mid : v \in \{u\} \equiv v \in \{w \mid w = x \vee w = y : w\}) \\ = & \langle 4.(c), (11.3), w \text{ d.n.o.f. in } u \rangle \\ & (\forall v \mid : v = u \equiv (\exists w \mid w = x \vee w = y : v = w)) \\ = & \langle (8.18), (8.14) \text{ twice} \rangle \\ & (\forall v \mid : v = u \equiv (v = x \vee v = y)) \\ = & \langle (9.13) \text{ and (3.60) twice} \rangle \\ & (\forall v \mid : v = u \equiv (v = x \vee v = y)) \wedge (x = u \equiv (x = x \vee x = y)) \\ & \wedge (y = u \equiv (y = x \vee y = y)) \\ \Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\ & (x = u \equiv (x = x \vee x = y)) \wedge (y = u \equiv (y = x \vee y = y)) \\ = & \langle (1.2) \text{ and (3.29) twice} \rangle \\ & (x = u \equiv \text{true}) \wedge (y = u \equiv \text{true}) \\ = & \langle (3.3) \text{ twice} \rangle \\ & x = u \wedge y = u \\ = & \langle (3.84)(a) \rangle \\ & x = y \wedge y = u \\ \Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\ & x = y . \end{aligned}$$

(c) $\vdash \{x, y\} = \{x, z\} \Rightarrow y = z$.

Answer: Take w to be a fresh variable.

$$\{x, y\} = \{x, z\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \langle (11.4), \text{Notation} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall w | : w \in \{w | w = x \vee w = y\} \equiv w \in \{w | w = x \vee w = z\}) \\
&= \langle (11.7) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall w | : w = x \vee w = y \equiv w = x \vee w = z) \\
&= \langle (9.13), (3.60) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall w | : w = x \vee w = y \equiv w = x \vee w = z) \wedge (y = x \vee y = y \equiv y = x \vee y = z) \\
&\quad \wedge (z = x \vee z = y \equiv z = x \vee z = z) \\
&\Rightarrow \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\
&\quad (y = x \vee y = z) \wedge (z = x \vee y = z) \\
&= \langle (3.45) \rangle \\
&\quad (y = z) \vee (y = x \wedge z = x) \\
&= \langle (1.4), (3.60) \rangle \\
&\quad (y = z) \vee (y = x \wedge z = x \wedge y = z) \\
&= \langle (3.43) \rangle \\
&\quad y = z
\end{aligned}$$

2. (a) Prove, provided x does not have free occurrences in S or T ,

$$\vdash S \neq T \equiv (\exists x | x \in S : x \notin T) \vee (\exists x | x \in T : x \notin S) .$$

Answer:

$$\begin{aligned}
&S \neq T \\
&= \langle \text{Notation} \rangle \\
&\quad \neg(S = T) \\
&= \langle (11.4), x \text{ d.n.o.f. } S, T \rangle \\
&\quad \neg(\forall x | : x \in S \equiv x \in T) \\
&= \langle (3.80) \rangle \\
&\quad \neg(\forall x | : (x \in S \Rightarrow x \in T) \wedge (x \in T \Rightarrow x \in S)) \\
&= \langle (8.15) \rangle \\
&\quad \neg((\forall x | : x \in S \Rightarrow x \in T) \wedge (\forall x | : x \in T \Rightarrow x \in S)) \\
&= \langle (9.2) \rangle \\
&\quad \neg((\forall x | x \in S : x \in T) \wedge (\forall x | x \in T : x \in S)) \\
&= \langle (3.47)(a) \rangle \\
&\quad \neg(\forall x | x \in S : x \in T) \vee \neg(\forall x | x \in T : x \in S) \\
&= \langle 9.18(c) \rangle \\
&\quad (\exists x | x \in S : x \notin T) \vee (\exists x | x \in T : x \notin S)
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove,

$$\vdash S \neq T \equiv S \cap T \subset S \cup T .$$

Answer: Take x to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& S \cap T \subseteq S \cup T \\
= & \langle (11.14) \rangle \\
& S \cap T \subseteq S \cup T \wedge S \cap T \neq S \cup T \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash S \cap T \subseteq S \cup T \rangle \\
& \text{true} \wedge S \cap T \neq S \cup T \\
= & \langle (3.39) \rangle \\
& S \cap T \neq S \cup T \\
= & \langle \text{Part (a)} \rangle \\
& (\exists x | x \in S \cap T : x \notin S \cup T) \vee (\exists x | x \in S \cup T : x \notin S \cap T) \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash \neg(\exists x | x \in S \cap T : x \notin S \cup T) \rangle \\
& \text{false} \vee (\exists x | x \in S \cup T : x \notin S \cap T) \\
= & \langle (3.30) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | x \in S \cup T : x \notin S \cap T) \\
= & \langle (11.20), (11.21), (3.47)(a) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | x \in S \vee x \in T : x \notin S \vee x \notin T) \\
= & \langle (9.19) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | : (x \in S \vee x \in T) \wedge (x \notin S \vee x \notin T)) \\
= & \langle (3.46) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | : (x \in S \wedge x \notin S) \vee (x \in S \wedge x \notin T) \vee (x \in T \wedge x \notin S) \vee (x \in T \wedge x \notin T)) \\
= & \langle (3.42), (3.30) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | : (x \in S \wedge x \notin T) \vee (x \in T \wedge x \notin S)) \\
= & \langle (8.15) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | : x \in S \wedge x \notin T) \vee (\exists x | : x \in T \wedge x \notin S) \\
= & \langle (9.19) \rangle \\
& (\exists x | x \in S : x \notin T) \vee (\exists x | x \in T : x \notin S) \\
= & \langle \text{Part (a)} \rangle \\
& S \neq T
\end{aligned}$$

3. (a) Prove, $\vdash S = T \equiv S \subseteq T \wedge T \subseteq S$.

Answer: Take z to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& S = T \\
= & \langle (11.4), z \text{ d.n.o.f. } S, T \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : z \in S \equiv z \in T) \\
= & \langle (3.80) \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : (z \in S \Rightarrow z \in T) \wedge (z \in T \Rightarrow z \in S)) \\
= & \langle (8.15) \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : z \in S \Rightarrow z \in T) \wedge (\forall z | : z \in T \Rightarrow z \in S)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \langle (9.2) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in S : z \in T) \wedge (\forall z | z \in T : z \in S) \\
&= \langle (11.13), z \text{ d.n.o.f. } S, T \rangle \\
&\quad S \subseteq T \wedge T \subseteq S
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove, $\vdash S \subset T \Rightarrow T \not\subseteq S$.

Hint: $\vdash P \Rightarrow Q \equiv P \wedge \neg Q \equiv \text{false}$.

Answer: By the hint it suffices to prove

$$\vdash S \subset T \wedge \neg(T \subseteq S) \equiv \text{false} .$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&S \subset T \wedge \neg(T \subseteq S) \\
&= \langle (3.12) \rangle \\
&\quad S \subset T \wedge T \subseteq S \\
&= \langle (11.14) \rangle \\
&\quad S \subseteq T \wedge S \neq T \wedge T \subseteq S \\
&= \langle \text{Part (a)} \rangle \\
&\quad S = T \wedge S \neq T \\
&= \langle (3.42) \rangle \\
&\quad \text{false}
\end{aligned}$$

4. (a) Prove, $\vdash \{y\} \subseteq \{x | R\} \equiv R[x := y]$.

Answer: Choose z to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
&\{y\} \subseteq \{x | R\} \\
&= \langle (11.13), z \text{ d.n.o.f. } \{y\}, \{x | R\} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in \{y\} : z \in \{x | R\}) \\
&= \langle \text{Notation, Dummy renaming for set comprehensions, } z \text{ d.n.o.f. } x, R \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in \{z | z = y\} : z \in \{z | R[x := z]\}) \\
&= \langle (11.7) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z = y : R[x := z]) \\
&= \langle (8.14) \rangle \\
&\quad R[x := z][z := y] \\
&= \langle \text{Recursive definition of contextual substitution, (3.5)} \rangle \\
&\quad R[x := y]
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove, $\vdash S \subset \{x | R\} \Rightarrow (\exists x | : R)$.

Answer: By Contrapositive it suffices to prove $\vdash (\forall x | : \neg R) \Rightarrow S \not\subseteq \{x | R\}$. Assume

$(\forall x | : \neg R)$. Note that the variable x does not occur free in the assumption. By (9.13) and Strong Modus Ponens, $\neg R$ is a temporary theorem.

$$\begin{aligned}
& S \not\subseteq \{x|R\} \\
= & \langle \neg R, x \text{ d.n.o.f. Assumption} \rangle \\
& S \not\subseteq \{x|false\} \\
= & \langle \text{Definition of } \emptyset \rangle \\
& S \not\subseteq \emptyset \\
= & \langle (11.14) \rangle \\
& \neg(S \subseteq \emptyset \wedge S \neq \emptyset) \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash S \subseteq \emptyset \equiv S = \emptyset \rangle \\
& \neg(S = \emptyset \wedge S \neq \emptyset) \\
= & \langle (3.42) \rangle \\
& \neg false \\
= & \langle (3.13) \rangle \\
& true
\end{aligned}$$

5. (a) Prove, $\vdash \{x|false : E\} = \{x|false : F\}$.

Answer: Take z to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \{x|false : E\} = \{x|false : F\} \\
= & \langle (11.4), z \text{ d.n.o.f. } \{x|false : E\}, \{x|false : F\} \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : z \in \{x|false : E\} \equiv z \in \{x|false : F\}) \\
= & \langle (11.3), x \text{ d.n.o.f. } z \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : (\exists x|false : z = E) \equiv (\exists x|false : z = F)) \\
= & \langle (8.13) \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : false \equiv false) \\
= & \langle (3.3) \rangle \\
& (\forall z | : true) \\
= & \langle (9.8) \rangle \\
& true
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove, $\vdash z \in \{x|false : E\} \equiv false$.

Answer: Take y to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& z \in \{x|false : E\} \\
= & \langle \text{Dummy renaming for set comprehensions} \rangle \\
& z \in \{y|false : E[x := y]\} \\
= & \langle (11.3), y \text{ d.n.o.f. in } z \rangle \\
& (\exists y|false : z = E[x := y])
\end{aligned}$$

$$= \langle (8.13) \rangle \\ \text{false} .$$

(c) Prove that provided z d.n.o.f. in S or E ,

$$\vdash S = \{x \mid \text{false} : E\} \equiv (\forall z \mid : z \notin S) .$$

Answer:

$$\begin{aligned} & S = \{x \mid \text{false} : E\} \\ = & \langle (11.4), z \text{ d.n.o.f. } S, \{x \mid \text{false} : E\} \rangle \\ & (\forall z \mid : z \in S \equiv z \in \{x \mid \text{false} : E\}) \\ = & \langle (11.3), x \text{ d.n.o.f. } z \rangle \\ & (\forall z \mid : z \in S \equiv (\exists x \mid \text{false} : z = E)) \\ = & \langle (8.13) \rangle \\ & (\forall z \mid : z \in S \equiv \text{false}) \\ = & \langle (3.15) \rangle \\ & (\forall z \mid : z \notin S) \end{aligned}$$

(d) Prove that $\vdash S \subset \{x\} \Rightarrow S = \emptyset$.

Answer: Take z to be a fresh variable. We have

$$\begin{aligned} & S \subset \{x\} \Rightarrow S = \emptyset \\ = & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash S = \emptyset \equiv (\forall z \mid : z \notin S) \rangle \\ & S \subset \{x\} \Rightarrow (\forall z \mid : z \notin S) \\ = & \langle (3.61), (9.17) \rangle \\ & (\exists z \mid : z \in S) \Rightarrow s \notin \{x\} \end{aligned}$$

Take w to be a fresh variable. By (9.30), it suffices to prove that $\vdash w \in S \Rightarrow \neg(S \subset \{x\})$.

$$\begin{aligned} & w \in S \Rightarrow \neg(S \subset \{x\}) \\ = & \langle (3.59) \rangle \\ & \neg(w \in S) \vee \neg(S \subset \{x\}) \\ = & \langle (3.47)(a) \rangle \\ & \neg(w \in S \wedge S \subset \{x\}) \\ = & \langle (11.14) \rangle \\ & \neg(w \in S \wedge S \subseteq \{x\} \wedge S \neq \{x\}) \\ = & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash w \in S \wedge S \subseteq \{x\} \Rightarrow w \in \{x\}, (3.60) \rangle \\ & \neg(w \in S \wedge S \subseteq \{x\} \wedge w \in \{x\} \wedge S \neq \{x\}) \\ = & \langle \text{Problem 1(a)} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \neg(w \in S \wedge S \subseteq \{x\} \wedge w = x \wedge S \neq \{x\}) \\
= & \langle (3.84)(a) \rangle \\
& \neg(w \in S \wedge S \subseteq \{w\} \wedge w = x \wedge S \neq \{w\}) \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash w \in S \Rightarrow \{w\} \subseteq S, (3.60) \rangle \\
& \neg(w \in S \wedge \{w\} \subseteq S \wedge S \subseteq \{w\} \wedge w = x \wedge S \neq \{w\}) \\
= & \langle (11.57) \rangle \\
& \neg(w \in S \wedge S = \{w\} \wedge w = x \wedge S \neq \{w\}) \\
= & \langle (3.42) \rangle \\
& \neg(w \in S \wedge w = x \wedge \text{false}) \\
= & \langle (3.40) \rangle \\
& \neg \text{false} \\
= & \langle (3.13) \rangle \\
& \text{true}
\end{aligned}$$

6. (a) Prove that $\vdash (\exists y | : (\exists x | : S = \{x, y\})) \Rightarrow \#S \leq 1 + 1$.

(If you wish, in this problem you may use the following :

1. For any (“finite”) boolean expression R , $\vdash (\sum z | R : 1) \geq 0$.

2. $\vdash B \geq 0 \wedge B + C = D \Rightarrow C \leq D$.)

Answer: Take z and w to be fresh variables. By (9.30) for multiple quantifications, it suffices to prove $\vdash S = \{z, w\} \Rightarrow \#S \leq 1 + 1$. Take u to be a fresh variable. Assume $S = \{z, w\}$. We are using an extended proof form which exploits transitivity of $=$ and \leq for type \mathbb{N} .

$$\begin{aligned}
& \#S \\
= & \langle (11.12), u \text{ d.n.o.f. } S \rangle \\
& (+u | u \in S : 1) \\
= & \langle \text{Assumption, } u \text{ d.n.o.f. Assumption} \rangle \\
& (+u | u \in \{z, w\} : 1) \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash u \in \{z, w\} \equiv u = z \vee u = w \rangle \\
& (+u | u = z \vee u = w : 1) \\
= & \langle (8.17) \rangle \\
& (+u | u = z : 1) + (+u | u = w : 1) - (+u | u = v \wedge u = w : 1) \\
\leq & \langle \text{Arithmetic, Facts above} \rangle \\
& (+u | u = z : 1) + (+u | u = w : 1) \\
= & \langle (8.14) \rangle \\
& 1 + 1
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Is $(\exists y | : (\exists x | : S = \{x, y\})) \Rightarrow \#S = 1 + 1$ a theorem?
If so, prove it.

If not, explain in detail why it is not.

Answer: It is not a theorem. Consider $S = \{z\} = \{z, z\}$. By (9.28) for multiple quantifications, $\vdash S = \{z, z\} \Rightarrow (\exists y | : (\exists x | : S = \{x, y\}))$ but $\#S = 1$.

7. Interpret the symbols 1 , 3 , and $+$ in the usual way. Is there an interpretation such that

$$(+x | x \in \{x, y\} : 1) = 3$$

is satisfied (i.e., interprets as True)? If so, give a universe of discourse etc.

for such an interpretation. If not, explain in detail why not.

Answer: Yes. Take as universe of discourse $\{0, 1, 2\}$ or any other set with 3 elements. As $x \in \{x, y\}$ is True, the expression $(+x | x \in \{x, y\} : 1)$ has value the number of elements in the universe of discourse.

8. (a) Prove, $\vdash S \subseteq T \equiv \mathcal{P}S \subseteq \mathcal{P}T$.

Answer: Take y to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{P}S \subseteq \mathcal{P}T \\
= & \langle (11.13) \rangle \\
& (\forall y | y \in \mathcal{P}S : y \in \mathcal{P}T) \\
= & \langle (11.23) \rangle \\
& (\forall y | y \subseteq S : y \subseteq T) \\
= & \langle (9.2) \rangle \\
& (\forall y | : y \subseteq S \Rightarrow y \subseteq T) \\
= & \langle (9.13), (3.60) \rangle \\
& (\forall y | : y \subseteq S \Rightarrow y \subseteq T) \wedge (S \subseteq S \Rightarrow S \subseteq T) \\
= & \langle (11.58), (3.73) \rangle \\
& (\forall y | : y \subseteq S \Rightarrow y \subseteq T) \wedge (S \subseteq T) \\
= & \langle (9.7), \text{Lemma: } \vdash \neg(\forall x | : \neg true), \text{Modus Ponens} \rangle \\
& (\forall y | : S \subseteq T \wedge (y \subseteq S \Rightarrow y \subseteq T)) \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash S \subseteq T \Rightarrow (y \subseteq S \Rightarrow y \subseteq T), (3.60) \rangle \\
& (\forall y | : S \subseteq T) \\
= & \langle (3.39), (9.7), \text{Lemma: } \vdash \neg(\forall x | : \neg true), \text{Modus Ponens} \rangle \\
& (\forall y | : true) \wedge S \subseteq T \\
= & \langle (9.8), (3.39) \rangle \\
& S \subseteq T
\end{aligned}$$

- (b) Prove, $\vdash S \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}S \neq \{\emptyset\}$.

Answer: Take x to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& S \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}S \neq \{\emptyset\} \\
= & \langle \text{Definition of } \emptyset \rangle \\
& (\exists x | : x \in S) \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}S \neq \{\emptyset\}
\end{aligned}$$

Take w and y to be fresh variables. By (9.30) it suffices to prove $\vdash w \in S \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}S \neq \{\emptyset\}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
& w \in S \\
\Rightarrow & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash w \in S \Rightarrow \{w\} \subseteq S \rangle \\
& \{w\} \subseteq S \\
= & \langle (11.23) \rangle \\
& \{w\} \in \mathcal{P}S \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma: } \{s\} \neq \emptyset \rangle \\
& \{w\} \in \mathcal{P}S \wedge \{w\} \neq \emptyset \\
\Rightarrow & \langle (9.28) \rangle \\
& (\exists y \mid : y \in \mathcal{P}S \wedge y \neq \emptyset) \\
= & \langle (9.19) \rangle \\
& (\exists y \mid y \in \mathcal{P}S : y \neq \emptyset) \\
\Rightarrow & \langle \text{Lemma: } \vdash T = \{\emptyset\} \Rightarrow (\forall y \mid y \in T : y = \emptyset), (3.61) \rangle \\
& \mathcal{P}S \neq \{\emptyset\}
\end{aligned}$$

9. (a) Prove, $\vdash (\forall z \mid : \neg R) \Rightarrow (+z \mid R : 1) = 0$.

Answer: Assume $(\forall z \mid : \neg R)$, from which it follows that $R \equiv \text{false}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
& (+z \mid R : 1) = 0 \\
= & \langle \text{Strong Leibniz, } z \text{ d.n.o.f. in } (\forall z \mid : \neg R) \rangle \\
& (+z \mid \text{false} : 1) = 0
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove, $\vdash \#\{x, y\} = \#\{y\} \Rightarrow x = y$.

Answer: Choose z to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \#\{x, y\} = \#\{y\} \\
= & \langle (11.12), z \text{ d.n.o.f. } \{x, y\}, \{y\} \rangle \\
& (+z \mid z \in \{x, y\} : 1) = (+z \mid z \in \{y\} : 1) \\
= & \langle \text{Notation} \rangle \\
& (+z \mid z \in \{z \mid z = x \vee z = y\} : 1) = (+z \mid z \in \{z \mid z = y\} : 1) \\
= & \langle (11.7) \rangle \\
& (+z \mid z = x \vee z = y : 1) = (+z \mid z = y : 1) \\
= & \langle (8.17), \text{Algebra} \rangle \\
& (+z \mid z = x : 1) + (+z \mid z = y : 1) - (+z \mid z = x \wedge z = y : 1) = (+z \mid z = y : 1) \\
= & \langle \text{Algebra, (8.14)} \rangle \\
& (+z \mid z = x \wedge z = y : 1) = 1 \\
\Rightarrow & \langle \vdash 1 \neq 0, \text{Part (a), (3.61)} \rangle \\
& (\exists z \mid : z = x \wedge z = y) \\
= & \langle (3.84)(a) \rangle
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\exists z \mid : z = x \wedge x = y) \\
= & \langle (9.21) \rangle \\
& (\exists z \mid : z = x) \wedge x = y \\
\Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\
& x = y
\end{aligned}$$

10. (a) Prove, $\vdash w \in S \Rightarrow S = (S - \{w\}) \cup \{w\}$.

Answer: Assume $w \in S$.

Let x be a fresh variable.

We will prove $x \in (S - \{w\}) \cup \{w\} \equiv x \in S$.

$$\begin{aligned}
& x \in (S - \{w\}) \cup \{w\} \equiv x \in S \\
= & \langle (11.20) \rangle \\
& x \in (S - \{w\}) \vee x \in \{w\} \equiv x \in S \\
= & \langle (11.22) \rangle \\
& (x \in S \wedge x \notin \{w\}) \vee x \in \{w\} \equiv x \in S \\
= & \langle (3.45) \rangle \\
& (x \in S \vee x \in \{w\}) \wedge (x \notin \{w\} \vee x \in \{w\}) \equiv x \in S \\
= & \langle (3.28) \text{ Metatheorem: If } \vdash P \text{ then } \vdash P \equiv \text{true} . \rangle \\
& (x \in S \vee x \in \{w\}) \wedge \text{true} \equiv x \in S \\
= & \langle (3.39) \rangle \\
& (x \in S \vee x \in \{w\}) \equiv x \in S \\
= & \langle (3.57) \rangle \\
& x \in \{w\} \Rightarrow x \in S \\
= & \langle \text{Part (a)} \rangle \\
& x = w \Rightarrow x \in S \\
= & \langle (3.84)(b) \rangle \\
& x = w \Rightarrow w \in S \\
= & \langle \text{Assumption} \rangle \\
& x = w \Rightarrow \text{true} \\
= & \langle (3.72) \rangle \\
& \text{true}
\end{aligned}$$

- (b) i. Prove, $\vdash \#S = 0 \equiv S = \emptyset$.

Answer: Proceed by Mutual Implication. First prove

$$S = \emptyset \Rightarrow \#S = 0$$

using the Deduction Theorem.

Assume $S = \emptyset$. Take x to be a fresh variable. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
& \#S = 0 \\
= & \langle (11.12) \rangle \\
& (+x \mid x \in S : 1) = 0 \\
= & \langle \text{Assumption} \rangle \\
& (+x \mid \text{false} : 1) = 0 \\
= & \langle (8.13) \rangle \\
& 0 = 0 .
\end{aligned}$$

We prove

$$\#S = 0 \Rightarrow S = \emptyset$$

by contrapositive, i.e., by proving

$$S \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow \#S \neq 0.$$

For x a fresh variable

$$S \neq \emptyset \equiv (\exists x | : x \in S)$$

so that we can prove

$$(\exists x | : x \in S) \Rightarrow \#S \neq 0$$

or by Metatheorem Witness, where w is taken to be a fresh variable,

$$w \in S \Rightarrow \#S \neq 0 .$$

Assume $w \in S$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \#S \neq 0 \\ = & \langle (11.12) \rangle \\ & (+x | x \in S : 1) \neq 0 \\ = & \langle \text{Assumption, Question 3(a), Strong Modus Ponens} \rangle \\ & (+x | x \in (S - \{w\}) \cup \{w\} : 1) \neq 0 \\ = & \langle (11.20) \rangle \\ & (+x | x \in (S - \{w\}) \vee x \in \{w\} : 1) \neq 0 \\ = & \langle (8.16) \rangle \\ & (+x | x \in S - \{w\} : 1) + (+x | x \in \{w\} : 1) \neq 0 \\ = & \langle \text{Question 1(a)} \rangle \\ & (+x | x \in S - \{w\} : 1) + (+x | x = w : 1) \neq 0 \\ = & \langle (8.14) \rangle \\ & (+x | x \in S - \{w\} : 1) + 1 \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Domain reasoning gives that the last line is a theorem. Cardinality is a non-negative integer.

ii. Prove, $\vdash \#S = 1 \equiv (\exists x | : S = \{x\})$.

Answer: Proceed by Mutual Implication. To prove

$$(\exists x | : S = \{x\}) \Rightarrow \#S = 1$$

it suffices by Metatheorem Witness to prove

$$S = \{w\} \Rightarrow \#S = 1 .$$

Assume $S = \{w\}$. Take z to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned} & \#S = 1 \\ = & \langle (11.12) \rangle \\ & (+z | z \in S : 1) = 1 \\ = & \langle \text{Assumption} \rangle \\ & (+z | z \in \{w\} : 1) = 1 \\ = & \langle \text{Question 1(a)} \rangle \\ & (+z | z = w : 1) = 1 \\ = & \langle (8.14) \rangle \\ & 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

To prove

$$\#S = 1 \Rightarrow (\exists x | : S = \{x\})$$

observe that by (i), $\#S = 1 \Rightarrow S \neq \emptyset$, so that $\#S = 1 \Rightarrow (\exists z | : z \in S)$.

We will prove

$$\#S = 1 \wedge (\exists z | : z \in S) \Rightarrow (\exists x | : S = \{x\}) .$$

This follows if we prove

$$(\exists z | : z \in S) \Rightarrow (\#S = 1 \Rightarrow (\exists x | : S = \{x\}))$$

or by Metatheorem Witness with w taken to be a fresh variable,

$$w \in S \Rightarrow (\#S = 1 \Rightarrow (\exists x | : S = \{x\})) .$$

Assume $w \in S$. By Strong Modus Ponens $S = (S - \{s\}) \cup \{s\}$, from which by (8.16)

$$\#S = \#(S - \{s\}) + \#\{s\}.$$

Assume $\#S = 1$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \#S &= \#(S - \{w\}) + \#\{w\} \\ &= \langle \text{Previous part of proof} \rangle \\ 1 &= \#(S - \{w\}) + 1 \\ &= \langle \text{Arithmetic} \rangle \\ \#(S - \{w\}) &= 0 \\ &= \langle \text{Previous part} \rangle \\ S - \{w\} &= \emptyset \end{aligned}$$

Finally,

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \langle \text{Question 3(a)} \rangle \\ &= (S - \{w\}) \cup \{w\} \\ &= \langle \text{Previous part of proof} \rangle \\ &= \emptyset \cup \{w\} \\ &= \langle (11.30) \rangle \\ &= \{w\} . \end{aligned}$$

By (9.28) we have

$$\vdash S = \{w\} \Rightarrow (\exists x | : S = \{x\})$$

which by Strong Modus Ponens we gives $(\exists x | : S = \{x\})$ as required.

11. The following series of exercises identifies $\mathcal{P}\{E, F\}$ as $\{\emptyset, \{E\}, \{F\}, \{E, F\}\}$.

(a) Prove

$$\vdash E \in S \wedge F \in S \equiv \{E, F\} \subseteq S$$

Answer: Assume $E \in S$. Assume $F \in S$. Let z be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned} \{E, F\} &\subseteq S \\ &= \langle (11.13) \rangle \\ &= (\forall z | z \in \{E, F\} : z \in S) \\ &= \langle \text{Notation, (9.2)} \rangle \\ &= (\forall z | : z \in \{z | z = E \vee z = F\} \Rightarrow z \in S) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \langle (11.7) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : z = E \vee z = F \Rightarrow z \in S) \\
&= \langle \text{Lemma } \vdash (P \vee Q \Rightarrow R) \equiv (P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \Rightarrow R) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : (z = E \Rightarrow z \in S) \wedge (z = F \Rightarrow z \in S)) \\
&= \langle (3.84)(b) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : (z = E \Rightarrow E \in S) \wedge (z = F \Rightarrow F \in S)) \\
&= \langle \text{Assumption} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : (z = E \Rightarrow \text{true}) \wedge (z = F \Rightarrow \text{true})) \\
&= \langle (3.72) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : \text{true} \wedge \text{true}) \\
&= \langle (3.38) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : \text{true}) \\
&= \langle (9.8) \rangle \\
&\quad \text{true} .
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge F \notin S \Rightarrow S \subseteq \{E\} .$$

Answer: Let z be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
&S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge F \notin S \\
&= \langle (11.13) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in S : z \in \{E, F\}) \wedge F \notin S \\
&= \langle (11.3) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in S : z \in \{E, F\}) \wedge \neg(\exists z | z \in S : F = z) \\
&= \langle \text{Notation, (1.2), (9.18)(c)} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in S : z \in \{z | z = E \vee z = F\}) \wedge (\forall z | z \in S : z \neq F) \\
&= \langle (11.7), (9.2) \text{ twice} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : z \in S \Rightarrow z = E \vee z = F) \wedge (\forall z | : z \in S \Rightarrow z \neq F) \\
&= \langle (8.15) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : (z \in S \Rightarrow z = E \vee z = F) \wedge (z \in S \Rightarrow z \neq F)) \\
&= \langle \text{Lemma } \vdash (P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (P \Rightarrow Q) \equiv (P \Rightarrow Q \wedge R) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : z \in S \Rightarrow (z = E \vee z = F) \wedge (z \neq F)) \\
&= \langle (3.46), (3.42), (3.40) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : z \in S \Rightarrow z = E \wedge z \neq F) \\
&= \langle \text{Lemma } \vdash (P \Rightarrow Q \wedge R) \Rightarrow (P \Rightarrow Q), (9.12), \text{Modus Ponens} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | : z \in S \Rightarrow z = E) \\
&= \langle (9.2) \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z | z \in S : z = E)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \langle \text{Lemma } \vdash z = E \equiv z \in \{E\} \rangle \\
&\quad (\forall z \mid z \in S : z \in \{E\}) \\
&= \langle (11.13) \rangle \\
&\quad S \subseteq \{E\}
\end{aligned}$$

(c) Prove

$$\vdash w \in S \wedge S \subseteq T \Rightarrow w \in T .$$

Answer:

Choose x to be a fresh variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
&w \in S \wedge S \subseteq T \\
&= \langle (11.13) \rangle \\
&\quad w \in S \wedge (\forall x \mid x \in S : x \in T) \\
&= \langle (9.2) \rangle \\
&\quad w \in S \wedge (\forall x \mid : x \in S \Rightarrow x \in T) \\
&= \langle (9.13), (3.60) \rangle \\
&\quad w \in S \wedge (w \in S \Rightarrow w \in T) \wedge (\forall x \mid : x \in S \Rightarrow x \in T) \\
&= \langle (3.66) \rangle \\
&\quad w \in S \wedge w \in T \wedge (\forall x \mid : x \in S \Rightarrow x \in T) \\
&\Rightarrow \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\
&\quad w \in T .
\end{aligned}$$

(d) Prove

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S \Rightarrow w = E \vee w = F .$$

Answer:

$$\begin{aligned}
&S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S \\
&\Rightarrow \langle \text{Part (c)} \rangle \\
&\quad w \in \{E, F\} \\
&= \langle \text{Notation} \rangle \\
&\quad w \in \{w \mid w = E \vee w = F\} \\
&= \langle (11.7) \rangle \\
&\quad w = E \vee w = F .
\end{aligned}$$

(e) Prove

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x \mid : x \in S) \Rightarrow E \in S \vee F \in S .$$

Hint: Start by using Metatheorem Witness.

Answer: Take w to be a fresh variable. By (3.65) and (9.30) it suffices to prove

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S \Rightarrow E \in S \vee F \in S .$$

$$\begin{aligned} & S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S \\ = & \langle \text{Part (d), (3.60)} \rangle \\ & (S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S) \wedge (w = E \vee w = F) \\ = & \langle (3.46) \rangle \\ & (S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S \wedge w = E) \vee (S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge w \in S \wedge w = F) \\ = & \langle (3.84)(a) \text{ twice} \rangle \\ & (S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge E \in S \wedge w = E) \vee (S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge F \in S \wedge w = F) \\ \Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(d) \text{ twice} \rangle \\ & E \in S \vee F \in S . \end{aligned}$$

(f) Prove $\mathcal{P}\{E, F\} = \{\emptyset, \{E\}, \{F\}, \{E, F\}\}$.

Answer:

Hint: Prove

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | : x \in s) \Rightarrow S = \{E\} \vee S = \{F\} \vee S = \{E, F\}$$

using Case Analysis. The condition $E \in S \vee F \in S$ from Part (e) gives three cases.

Answer: As

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | x \in s) \Rightarrow E \in S \vee F \in S ,$$

it follows that

$$\vdash S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | x \in s) \equiv S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | x \in s) \wedge (E \in S \vee F \in S) .$$

We consider three cases.

$$S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | : x \in S) \wedge (E \in S \wedge F \in S) \Rightarrow S = \{E\} \vee S = \{F\} \vee S = \{E, F\} .$$

$$S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | : x \in S) \wedge (E \in S \wedge F \notin S) \Rightarrow S = \{E\} \vee S = \{F\} \vee S = \{E, F\} .$$

$$S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | : x \in S) \wedge (E \notin S \wedge F \in S) \Rightarrow S = \{E\} \vee S = \{F\} \vee S = \{E, F\} .$$

$$\begin{aligned} & S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | : x \in S) \wedge (E \in S \wedge F \in S) \\ \Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\ & S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge E \in S \wedge F \in S \\ = & \langle \text{Part (a)} \rangle \\ & S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge \{E, F\} \subseteq S \\ = & \langle (11.57) \rangle \\ & S = \{E, F\} \\ \Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(a) \rangle \\ & S = \{E\} \vee S = \{F\} \vee S = \{E, F\} . \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge (\exists x | : x \in S) \wedge (E \in S \wedge F \notin S) \\
\Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(b) \rangle \\
& S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge E \in S \wedge F \notin S \\
= & \langle (3.36) \rangle \\
& S \subseteq \{E, F\} \wedge F \notin S \wedge E \in S \\
\Rightarrow & \langle \text{Part (b), (4.3), Modus Ponens} \rangle \\
& S \subseteq \{E\} \wedge E \in S \\
= & \langle \text{Lemma } \vdash E \in S \equiv \{E\} \subseteq S \rangle \\
& S \subseteq \{E\} \wedge \{E\} \subseteq S \\
= & \langle (11.57) \rangle \\
& S = \{E\} \\
\Rightarrow & \langle (3.76)(a) \rangle \\
& S = \{E\} \vee S = \{F\} \vee S = \{E, F\} .
\end{aligned}$$

The proof for Case 3 is identical.