

## Proof of Theorem 109

The theorem to be proved is

$$x < Sy \rightarrow x \leq y$$

Suppose the theorem does not hold. Then, with the variables held fixed,

$$(H) \quad [[(x) < (Sy)] \ \& \ [\neg (x) \leq (y)]]$$

### Special cases of the hypothesis and previous results:

- 0:  $x < Sy$       from  $H:x:y$
- 1:  $\neg x \leq y$       from  $H:x:y$
- 2:  $\neg x < Sy \vee x + ((Sy) - x) = Sy$       from [108](#);x;Sy
- 3:  $\neg x < Sy \vee \neg (Sy) - x = 0$       from [108](#);x;Sy
- 4:  $(Sy) - x = 0 \vee S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x$       from [22](#);(Sy) - x
- 5:  $S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + (S(P((Sy) - x)))$       from [12](#);x;P((Sy) - x)
- 6:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy \vee x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y$       from [4](#);x+(P((Sy) - x));y
- 7:  $x \leq x + (P((Sy) - x))$       from [71](#);x;P((Sy) - x)

### Equality substitutions:

- 8:  $\neg x + ((Sy) - x) = Sy \vee \neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x) \vee S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy$
- 9:  $\neg S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x \vee \neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + (S(P((Sy) - x))) \vee S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x)$
- 10:  $\neg x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y \vee \neg x \leq x + (P((Sy) - x)) \vee x \leq y$

### Inferences:

- 11:  $x + ((Sy) - x) = Sy$       by
  - 0:  $x < Sy$
  - 2:  $\neg x < Sy \vee x + ((Sy) - x) = Sy$
- 12:  $\neg (Sy) - x = 0$       by
  - 0:  $x < Sy$
  - 3:  $\neg x < Sy \vee \neg (Sy) - x = 0$

- 13:  $\neg x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y \quad \vee \quad \neg x \leq x + (P((Sy) - x)) \quad \text{by}$   
1:  $\neg x \leq y$   
10:  $\neg x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y \quad \vee \quad \neg x \leq x + (P((Sy) - x)) \quad \vee \quad x \leq y$
- 14:  $\neg S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x \quad \vee \quad S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x) \quad \text{by}$   
5:  $S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + (S(P((Sy) - x)))$   
9:  $\neg S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x \quad \vee \quad \neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + (S(P((Sy) - x)))$   
 $\vee \quad S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x)$
- 15:  $\neg x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y \quad \text{by}$   
7:  $x \leq x + (P((Sy) - x))$   
13:  $\neg x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y \quad \vee \quad \neg x \leq x + (P((Sy) - x))$
- 16:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x) \quad \vee \quad S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy \quad \text{by}$   
11:  $x + ((Sy) - x) = Sy$   
8:  $\neg x + ((Sy) - x) = Sy \quad \vee \quad \neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x)$   
 $\vee \quad S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy$
- 17:  $S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x \quad \text{by}$   
12:  $\neg (Sy) - x = 0$   
4:  $(Sy) - x = 0 \quad \vee \quad S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x$
- 18:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy \quad \text{by}$   
15:  $\neg x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y$   
6:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy \quad \vee \quad x + (P((Sy) - x)) = y$
- 19:  $S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x) \quad \text{by}$   
17:  $S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x$   
14:  $\neg S(P((Sy) - x)) = (Sy) - x \quad \vee \quad S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x)$
- 20:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x) \quad \text{by}$   
18:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy$   
16:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x) \quad \vee \quad S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = Sy$
- 21: *QEA* by  
19:  $S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x)$   
20:  $\neg S(x + (P((Sy) - x))) = x + ((Sy) - x)$