

Proof of Theorem 151a

The theorem to be proved is

$$p_{150}(q, x) \ \& \ p_{150}(q', x) \ \rightarrow \ \neg q < q'$$

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

$$(H) \ '[p_{150}((qx))] \ \& \ [p_{150}((q'x))] \ \& \ [(q) < (q')]$$

Special cases of the hypothesis and previous results:

- 0: $p_{150}((qx))$ from $H:q:x:q'$
- 1: $p_{150}((q'x))$ from $H:q:x:q'$
- 2: $q < q'$ from $H:q:x:q'$
- 3: $\neg p_{150}((qx)) \vee q$ is a power of two from [150](#)[>];q;x
- 4: $\neg p_{150}((qx)) \vee Sx < 2 \cdot q$ from [150](#)[>];q;x
- 5: $\neg p_{150}((q'x)) \vee q'$ is a power of two from [150](#)[>];q';x
- 6: $\neg p_{150}((q'x)) \vee q' \leq Sx$ from [150](#)[>];q';x
- 7: $\neg q$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q'$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q < q' \vee \neg q' < 2 \cdot q$
from [149](#);q;q'
- 8: $\neg q' \leq Sx \vee \neg Sx < 2 \cdot q \vee q' < 2 \cdot q$ from [122](#);q';Sx;2 · q

Inferences:

- 9: q is a power of two by
 - 0: $p_{150}((qx))$
 - 3: $\neg p_{150}((qx)) \vee q$ is a power of two
- 10: $Sx < 2 \cdot q$ by
 - 0: $p_{150}((qx))$
 - 4: $\neg p_{150}((qx)) \vee Sx < 2 \cdot q$
- 11: q' is a power of two by
 - 1: $p_{150}((q'x))$
 - 5: $\neg p_{150}((q'x)) \vee q'$ is a power of two
- 12: $q' \leq Sx$ by
 - 1: $p_{150}((q'x))$
 - 6: $\neg p_{150}((q'x)) \vee q' \leq Sx$

- 13: $\neg q$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q'$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q' < 2 \cdot q$ by
 2: $q < q'$
 7: $\neg q$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q'$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q < q' \vee \neg q' < 2 \cdot q$
- 14: $\neg q'$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q' < 2 \cdot q$ by
 9: q is a power of two
 13: $\neg q$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q'$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q' < 2 \cdot q$
- 15: $\neg q' \leq Sx \vee q' < 2 \cdot q$ by
 10: $Sx < 2 \cdot q$
 8: $\neg q' \leq Sx \vee \neg Sx < 2 \cdot q \vee q' < 2 \cdot q$
- 16: $\neg q' < 2 \cdot q$ by
 11: q' is a power of two
 14: $\neg q'$ is a power of two $\vee \neg q' < 2 \cdot q$
- 17: $q' < 2 \cdot q$ by
 12: $q' \leq Sx$
 15: $\neg q' \leq Sx \vee q' < 2 \cdot q$
- 18: *QEA* by
 16: $\neg q' < 2 \cdot q$
 17: $q' < 2 \cdot q$