

Proof of Theorem 156i

The theorem to be proved is

$$\exists q \leq Sx[p_{150}(q, x)] \rightarrow \exists q_1 \leq SSx[p_{150}(q_1, Sx)]$$

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

$$(H) \quad \forall q_1[(q) \leq (Sx)] \quad \& \quad [p_{150}((qx))] \quad \& \quad [\neg(q_1) \leq (S(Sx)) \quad \vee \quad \neg p_{150}((q_1 Sx))]$$

Special cases of the hypothesis and previous results:

- 0: $p_{150}((qx))$ from $H:x:q$
- 1: $\neg p_{150}((qx)) \vee q_1 \leq S(Sx)$ from 155; $q;x:q_1$
- 2: $\neg p_{150}((qx)) \vee p_{150}((q_1 Sx))$ from 155; $q;x:q_1$
- ^A $\forall q_1[(q) \leq (Sx)] \quad \& \quad [p_{150}((qx))] \quad \& \quad [\neg(q_1) \leq (S(Sx)) \quad \vee \quad \neg p_{150}((q_1 Sx))]$ remnant from $H:x:q$
- 3: $\neg q_1 \leq S(Sx) \vee \neg p_{150}((q_1 Sx))$ from ^A; q_1

Inferences:

- 4: $q_1 \leq S(Sx)$ by
- 0: $\text{p150}((qx))$
- 1: $\neg \text{p150}((qx)) \vee q_1 \leq S(Sx)$
- 5: $p_{150}((q_1 Sx))$ by
- 0: $\text{p150}((qx))$
- 2: $\neg \text{p150}((qx)) \vee p_{150}((q_1 Sx))$
- 6: $\neg p_{150}((q_1 Sx))$ by
- 4: $q_1 \leq S(Sx)$
- 3: $\neg q_1 \leq S(Sx) \vee \neg p_{150}((q_1 Sx))$
- 7: QEA by
- 5: $\text{p150}((q_1 Sx))$
- 6: $\neg \text{p150}((q_1 Sx))$