

## Proof of Theorem 254

The theorem to be proved is

$$y \neq \epsilon \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{Chop}(x \oplus y) = x \oplus \text{Chop } y \quad \star$$

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

$$(H) \quad [[\neg (y) = (\epsilon)] \quad \& \quad [\neg (\text{Chop}(x \oplus y)) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y))]]$$

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

- 0:  $\neg \epsilon = y$       from     $H:y:x$
- 1:  $\neg \text{Chop}(x \oplus y) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$       from     $H:y:x$
- 2:  $\epsilon = y \quad \vee \quad (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y \quad \vee \quad (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$       from    [253](#);y
- 3:  $x \oplus ((\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0}) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0}$       from    [183](#);x;Chop;y;0
- 4:  $x \oplus ((\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1}) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{1}$       from    [183](#);x;Chop;y;1
- 5:  $\text{Chop}((x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0}) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$       from    [243](#);x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)
- 6:  $\text{Chop}((x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{1}) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$       from    [244](#);x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)

### Equality substitutions:

- 7:  $\neg (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y \quad \vee \quad \neg x \oplus ((\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0}) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0} \quad \vee \quad x \oplus (y) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0}$
- 8:  $\neg (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1} = y \quad \vee \quad \neg x \oplus ((\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1}) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{1} \quad \vee \quad x \oplus (y) = (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{1}$
- 9:  $\neg (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0} = x \oplus y \quad \vee \quad \neg \text{Chop}((x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0}) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$   
 $\vee \quad \text{Chop}(x \oplus y) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$
- 10:  $\neg (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{1} = x \oplus y \quad \vee \quad \neg \text{Chop}((x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{1}) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$   
 $\vee \quad \text{Chop}(x \oplus y) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$

### Inferences:

- 11:  $(\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y \quad \vee \quad (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$       by
  - 0:  $\neg \epsilon = y$
  - 2:  $\epsilon = y \quad \vee \quad (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y \quad \vee \quad (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$

- 12:  $\neg (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0} = x \oplus y \quad \vee \quad \neg \text{Chop}((x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0}) = x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)$  by  
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- 14:  $\neg (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y \quad \vee \quad (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0} = x \oplus y$  by  
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- 16:  $\neg (x \oplus (\text{Chop}y)) \oplus \underline{0} = x \oplus y$  by  
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- 20:  $(\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$  by  
18:  $\neg (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y$   
11:  $(\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{0} = y \quad \vee \quad (\text{Chop}y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$
- 21: *QEA* by

$$19: \neg (\text{Chop } y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$$

$$20: (\text{Chop } y) \oplus \underline{1} = y$$