

# A FORMULATION OF THE SIMPLE THEORY OF TYPES

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# HISTORY

From “A Challenge for Mechanized Deduction” [Benzmüller and Kerber 2001]

- Higher-order logic: a far more expressive language than first-order logic.
- Russell’s paradox [Russell 1902, 1903]: no self-reference.

When  $R = \{X \mid X \text{ in } X\}$ ,  $R \text{ in } R$ ?

- A type can be a solution [Russell 1908] by differentiating between objects and sets (functions).
- Formalization with a typed  $\lambda$ -calculus [Church 1940]
  - A basis formalism in modern higher-order theorem provers: TPS, HOL, PVS, LEO,  $\Omega$ MEGA,  $\lambda$  CL<sup>A</sup>M
  - Opens the propositions-as-types idea
  - Opens constructive type theory

# OVERVIEW

- Logical formulas are represented by  $\lambda$ -terms.
- Rules of inference:  $\lambda$ -conversion +  $\alpha$ .
- Axioms: propositional calculus, logical functional calculus, number theory
- Proof & Theorems
- Examples
  - Peano's arithmetic
  - Primitive recursion

# WELL-FORMED FORMULAS

- *Type symbols*
  - $o$  (propositions) and  $\iota$  (individuals)
  - $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$  for all  $\alpha, \beta$  (functions)
  - \*  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ : variable or undetermined type symbols  
 $\alpha': (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha)$
- A *formula* is a finite sequence of:
  - improper symbols:  $\lambda$  ( ) .
  - constants:  $\mathbf{N}_{o \rightarrow o}$   $\mathbf{A}_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o}$   $\mathbf{\Pi}_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o}$   $\iota_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow \alpha}$
  - variables:  $x_\alpha$   $y_\alpha$   $\dots$
- *Well-formed* formulas:
  - a single proper symbol (type: its subscript)
  - $\lambda x_\beta. M_\alpha$  for all well-formed  $M_\alpha$  (type:  $\beta \rightarrow \alpha$ )
  - $F_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha} A_\beta$  for all well-formed  $F_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}, A_\beta$  (type:  $\alpha$ )
  - \* capital letters: variable or undetermined well-formed formulas

# ABBREVIATIONS (I)

$\neg A$	$\longrightarrow$	$\mathbf{N}_{o \rightarrow o} A_o$
$A_o \vee B_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$\mathbf{A}_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} A_o B_o$
$A_o \wedge B_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$\neg(\neg A_o \vee \neg B_o)$
$A_o \supset B_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$\neg A_o \vee B_o$
$A_o \equiv B_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$(A_o \supset B_o) \wedge (B_o \supset A_o)$
$\forall x_\alpha. A_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$\Pi_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o} \lambda x_\alpha. A_o$
$\exists x_\alpha. A_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$\neg(\forall x_\alpha. \neg A_o)$
$\varepsilon x_\alpha. A_o$	$\longrightarrow$	$\iota_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow \alpha} \lambda x_\alpha. A_o$
$\mathbf{Q}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o}$	$\longrightarrow$	$\lambda x_\alpha. \lambda y_\alpha. \forall f_{\alpha \rightarrow o}. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha$
$A_\alpha = B_\alpha$	$\longrightarrow$	$\mathbf{Q}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o} A_\alpha B_\alpha$
$A_\alpha \neq B_\alpha$	$\longrightarrow$	$\neg(A_\alpha = B_\alpha)$

# ABBREVIATIONS (II)

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{I}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} &\longrightarrow \lambda x_{\alpha}.x_{\alpha} \\
\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \alpha} &\longrightarrow \lambda x_{\alpha}.\lambda y_{\beta}.x_{\alpha} \\
\mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} &\longrightarrow \lambda f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}.\lambda x_{\alpha}.x_{\alpha} \\
i_{\alpha'} &\longrightarrow \lambda f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}.\lambda x_{\alpha}.f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}^i x_{\alpha} \\
\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} &\longrightarrow \lambda n_{\alpha'}.\lambda f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}.\lambda x_{\alpha}.f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}(n_{\alpha'} f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} x_{\alpha}) \\
\mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} &\longrightarrow \lambda n_{\alpha'}.\forall f_{\alpha \rightarrow o}. \\
&\quad f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \supset (\forall x_{\alpha'}.f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})) \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha'} \\
\mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} &\longrightarrow \lambda x_{\alpha'}.\mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha'''}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})) \\
\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} &\longrightarrow \lambda x_{\alpha'}.\varepsilon x_{\alpha''}.\mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'} \\
&\quad \lambda n_{\alpha'''}.\lambda n_{\alpha'''} \left( \lambda p_{\alpha''}. \left\langle \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}(p_{\alpha''}(\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'})) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \right\rangle, \right. \\
&\quad \left. p_{\alpha''}(\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \right) \\
\mathbf{P}_{\alpha''' \rightarrow \alpha'} &\longrightarrow \langle \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}, \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \rangle \\
&\quad (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}) \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \\
\langle A_{\alpha'}, B_{\alpha'} \rangle &\longrightarrow \omega_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} A_{\alpha'} B_{\alpha'} \\
\omega_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} &\longrightarrow \lambda y_{\alpha'}.\lambda z_{\alpha'}.\lambda f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}.\lambda g_{\alpha'}.\lambda h_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}.\lambda x_{\alpha}. \\
&\quad y_{\alpha'}(f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} g_{\alpha'} h_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha})(z_{\alpha'}(g_{\alpha'} h_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha}) x_{\alpha})
\end{aligned}$$

# RULES OF INFERENCE

I\*.  $M_\alpha \longrightarrow M_\alpha\{y_\beta/x_\beta\}$

when  $x_\beta$  is not a free variable of  $M_\alpha$  and  $y_\beta$  does not occur in  $M_\alpha$ .  
( $\alpha$ -conversion)

II\*.  $(\lambda x_\beta.M_\alpha) N_\beta \longrightarrow M_\alpha\{N_\beta/x_\beta\}$

when the bound variables of  $M_\alpha$  are distinct both from  $x_\beta$  and from the free variables of  $N_\beta$ .  
( $\beta$ -conversion)

III\*.  $M_\alpha\{N_\beta/x_\beta\} \longrightarrow (\lambda x_\beta.M_\alpha) N_\beta$

when the bound variables of  $M_\alpha$  are distinct both from  $x_\beta$  and from the free variables of  $N_\beta$ .

IV.  $F_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \longrightarrow F_{\alpha \rightarrow o} A_\alpha$

when  $x_\alpha$  is not a free variable of  $F_{\alpha \rightarrow o}$ . (*substitution*)

V.  $A_o \supset B_o$  and  $A_o \longrightarrow B_o$

(*modus ponens*)

VI.  $F_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \longrightarrow \Pi_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o} F_{\alpha \rightarrow o}$

when  $x_\alpha$  is not a free variable of  $F_{\alpha \rightarrow o}$ . (*generalization*)

\* any part of a formula

## DERIVED RULES

IV'.  $M_o \longrightarrow M_o\{A_\alpha/\text{free } x_\alpha\}$  when the bound variables of  $M_o$  other than  $x_\alpha$  are distinct from the free variables of  $A_\alpha$ .

(by rule I–IV)

VI'.  $M_o \longrightarrow \forall x_\alpha.M_o$

(by rule I, III and VI)

- A derivation of VI'

$$\begin{aligned} M_o &\xrightarrow{\text{I}} M'_o \xrightarrow{\text{III}} (\lambda x_\alpha.M'_o)x_\alpha \\ &\xrightarrow{\text{VI}} \Pi_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o}(\lambda x_\alpha.M'_o) \xrightarrow{\text{I}} \Pi_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o}(\lambda x_\alpha.M_o) \end{aligned}$$

where  $M'_o$  is  $\alpha$ -equivalent to  $M_o$  and  $x_\alpha$  is not a bound variable of  $M_o$ .



# FORMAL AXIOMS

$$1. p \vee p \supset p$$

$$2. p \supset p \vee q$$

$$3. p \vee q \supset q \vee p$$

$$4. (p \supset q) \supset (r \vee p \supset r \vee q)$$

$$5^\alpha. \Pi_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o} f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha$$

$$6^\alpha. (\forall x_\alpha. p \vee f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha) \supset p \vee \Pi_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o} f_{\alpha \rightarrow o}$$

$$7. \exists x_l. \exists y_l. x_l \neq y_l$$

$$8. \mathbf{N}_{l' \rightarrow o} x_{l'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{l' \rightarrow o} y_{l'} \supset \mathbf{S}_{l' \rightarrow l'} x_{l'} = \mathbf{S}_{l' \rightarrow l'} y_{l'} \supset x_{l'} = y_{l'}$$

$$9^\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset (\forall y_\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha \supset x_\alpha = y_\alpha) \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} (\iota_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow \alpha} f_{\alpha \rightarrow o})$$

$$10^{\alpha\beta}. (\forall x_\beta. f_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha} x_\beta = g_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha} x_\beta) \supset f_{\alpha\beta} = g_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$11^\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} (\iota_{(\alpha \rightarrow o) \rightarrow \alpha} f_{\alpha \rightarrow o})$$

\* 1–4: propositional calculus, 1–6<sup>α</sup>: logical functional calculus, 7–9<sup>α</sup>: elementary number theory, 10<sup>αβ</sup>–11<sup>α</sup>: classical real number theory

# PROOF

- A *proof* of a formula  $B_o$  on the assumption of the formulas  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n$  is a finite sequence of formulas:
  - one of formulas  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n$ ,
  - a variant<sup>1</sup> of a formal axiom, or
  - obtainable from preceding formulas by a rule of inference,which ends with  $B_o$ .
- When  $B_o$  has a proof on the assumption  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n$ , we write:

$$A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n \vdash B_o$$

- Deduction theorem

VII. If  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n \vdash B_o$ , then  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^{n-1} \vdash A_o^n \supset B_o$ .

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<sup>1</sup>A formal theorem obtained by alphabetically changing variables by rules I and IV'.

# THEOREMS

$$12^\alpha. (\forall x_\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha) \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha$$

$$13^\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha \supset \exists x_\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha$$

$$14^\alpha. (\forall x_\alpha. p \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha) \supset p \supset \forall x_\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha$$

$$15^\alpha. (\forall x_\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset p) \supset (\exists x_\alpha. f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha) \supset p$$

$$16^\alpha. x_\alpha = x_\alpha$$

$$17^\alpha. x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha$$

$$18^{\beta\alpha}. x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} x_\alpha = f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} y_\alpha$$

$$19^\alpha. x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset y_\alpha = x_\alpha$$

$$20^\alpha. x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset y_\alpha = z_\alpha \supset x_\alpha = z_\alpha$$

$$21^{\alpha\beta}. f_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha} = \lambda x_\beta. f_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha} x_\beta$$

# PEANO'S AXIOMS

<http://mathworld.wolfram.com/PeanosAxioms.html>

- 0 is a number.
- If  $a$  is a number, the successor of  $a$  is a number.
- 0 is not the successor of a number.
- Two numbers of which the successors are equal are themselves equal.
- (induction axiom) If a set  $S$  of numbers contains 0 and also the successor of every number in  $S$ , then every number is in  $S$ .

# PEANO'S AXIOMS

- 0 is a number.

$$22^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

- If  $a$  is a number, the successor of  $a$  is a number.

$$23^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})$$

- 0 is not the successor of a number.

$$25^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

- Two numbers of which the successors are equal are themselves equal.

$$26^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} y_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} y_{\alpha'} \supset x_{\alpha'} = y_{\alpha'}$$

- (induction axiom) If a set  $S$  of numbers contains 0 and also the successor of every number in  $S$ , then every number is in  $S$ .

$$24^\alpha. f_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \supset (\forall x_{\alpha'}. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset f_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset f_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})) \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset f_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'}$$

# INDUCTION THEOREM

From  $24^\alpha$  and the deduction theorem VII, we have

VIII. If

1.  $x_{\alpha'}$  is not a free variable of  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n, F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o}$ ,
  2.  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n \vdash F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$ , and
  3.  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n, \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'}, F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \vdash F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})$ ,
- then  $A_o^1, A_o^2, \dots, A_o^n \vdash \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'}$ .

# PROOFS OF $25^\alpha$ AND $26^\alpha$

- For proving  $25^\alpha$ ,

$$25^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$27^\alpha. \exists x_\alpha. \exists y_\alpha. x_\alpha \neq y_\alpha$$

$$28^\alpha. \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

- For proving  $26^\alpha$ ,

$$26^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} y_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} y_{\alpha'} \supset x_{\alpha'} = y_{\alpha'}$$

(only when  $\alpha$  is either  $\iota, \iota', \iota'', \dots$ )

$$29^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} (n_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'})$$

$$30^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} m_{\alpha''} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha''} \supset m_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = n_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \supset m_{\alpha''} =$$

$n_{\alpha''}$

(only when  $\alpha$  is either  $\iota, \iota', \iota'', \dots$ )

$$17^{\circ}: x = y \supset f_{o \rightarrow o} x \supset f_{o \rightarrow o} y$$

$\{M/x, \neg M/y, \lambda z. \neg(M \supset \neg z)/f_{o \rightarrow o}\}$   
 where  $M = p \vee \neg p$

↓ Rule IV'

$$(M = \neg M) \supset \neg(M \supset \neg M) \supset \neg(M \supset \neg\neg M)$$

↓ Rule V  $(q \supset r \supset s) \supset (r \supset q \supset s)$

$$\neg(M \supset \neg M) \supset (M = \neg M) \supset \neg(M \supset \neg\neg M)$$

↓ Rule V  $\neg(M \supset \neg M)$

$$(M = \neg M) \supset \neg(M \supset \neg\neg M)$$

$$(M \supset \neg\neg M) \supset (M \neq \neg M)$$

↓ Rule V  $q \supset \neg\neg q$

$$M \neq \neg M$$

↓ Rule III

$$(\lambda x. \lambda y. x \neq y) M (\neg M)$$

↓ Rule V  $13^{\circ} : f_{o \rightarrow o} y \supset \exists x. f_{o \rightarrow o} x$

$$\exists x. \exists y. x \neq y$$

# Proof of 27<sup>o</sup>



$$z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{K}z_\alpha x_\beta \neq \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta$$

$$17^\alpha: x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{K}z_\alpha/x_\alpha, \mathbf{K}t_\alpha/y_\alpha, \\ \lambda w_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. w_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha} x_\beta \neq \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta / f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\mathbf{K}t_\alpha = \mathbf{K}z_\alpha \supset \mathbf{K}z_\alpha x_\beta \neq \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \supset \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \neq \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta$$

$$\begin{array}{l} z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha, \mathbf{K}t_\alpha = \mathbf{K}z_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \neq \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \\ z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{K}t_\alpha = \mathbf{K}z_\alpha \supset \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \neq \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \\ z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta = \mathbf{K}t_\alpha x_\beta \supset \mathbf{K}t_\alpha \neq \mathbf{K}z_\alpha \end{array}$$

$$z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{K}t_\alpha \neq \mathbf{K}z_\alpha$$

$$z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \supset \exists f_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. \exists g_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. f \neq g$$

$$(\exists z_\alpha. \exists t_\alpha. z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha) \supset \exists f_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. \exists g_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. f \neq g$$

$$\exists f_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. \exists g_{\beta \rightarrow \alpha}. f \neq g$$

**Proof of 27<sup>b</sup>! a  
under 27<sup>a</sup>**

$$z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha$$

$$17^\alpha: x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \vdash \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \\ \supset \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \\ z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \alpha} z_\alpha) t_\alpha \supset \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \\ z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \vdash \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \end{aligned}$$

$$\exists z_\alpha. \exists t_\alpha. z_\alpha \neq t_\alpha \supset \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \neq \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

**Proof of 28<sup>a</sup> and 25<sup>a</sup>**

# PROPERTIES OF $\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''}$

## • Theorems

$$31^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$32^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'}$$

$$33^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \exists x_{\alpha''}. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'}$$

$$34^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}) = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} (\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$35^\alpha. \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha''}$$

(31,32,34,35 only when  $\alpha$  is either  $\iota, \iota', \iota'', \dots$ )

$$F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} = \lambda w_{\alpha'}. \exists x_{\alpha''}. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = w_{\alpha'}$$

$$23^{\alpha'}: \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \vdash \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha''})$$

$$\mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha''} \wedge \mathbf{0}_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$\exists x_{\alpha''}. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$18^{\alpha' \alpha'}: x_{\alpha'} = y_{\alpha'} \supset f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} x_{\alpha'} = f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} y_{\alpha'}$$

$$x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'} \vdash \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} (x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}) = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}$$

$$x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'} \vdash \mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}$$

$$F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$\mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge \vdash \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha''}) \wedge$$

$$x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'} \quad \mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}$$

$$\exists x_{\alpha''}. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge \supset \exists x_{\alpha''}. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha''} \wedge$$

$$x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'} \quad x_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}$$

$$F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$\mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x \supset F_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'}$$

**Proof of 33<sup>a</sup>**

$$\boxed{N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'}}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} N_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'}) & N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}) \\ N_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})) & N_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})) \end{array}$$

$$\mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'}) \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}) \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}$$

$$\mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'}) \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}) = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}$$

$$\boxed{N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}) = \mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})}$$

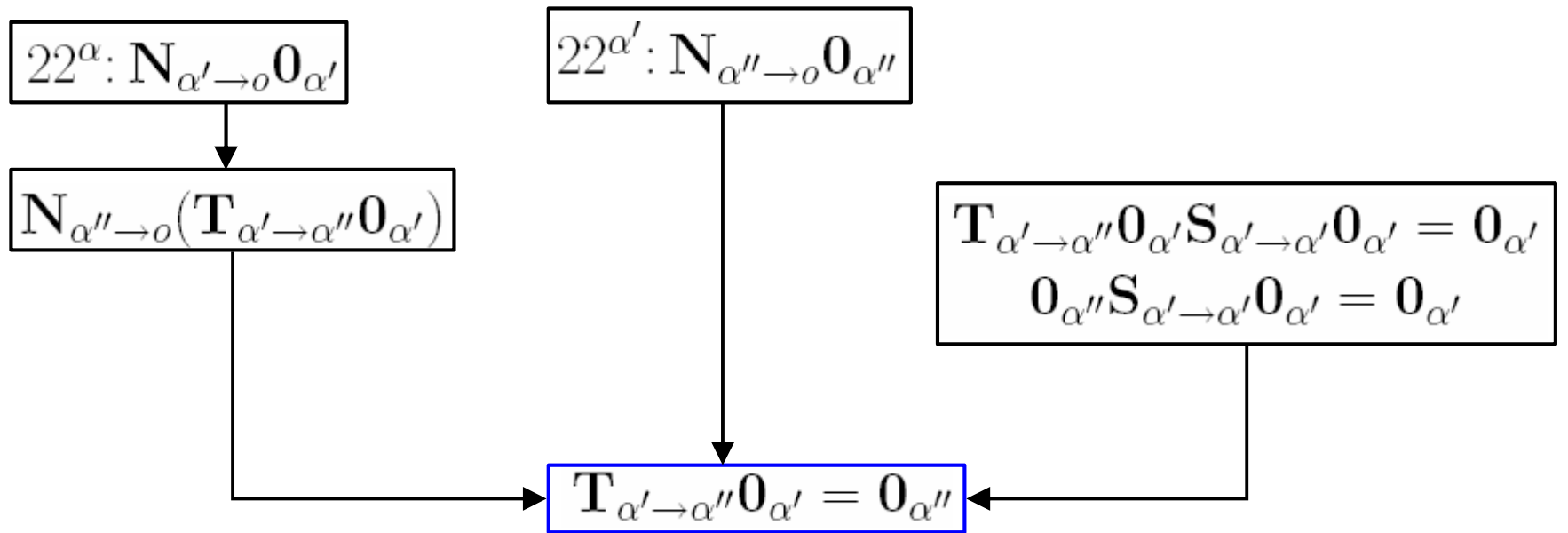
## Proof of 34<sup>a</sup>

$$23^{\alpha}: N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$31^{\alpha}: N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset N_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o}(\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$32^{\alpha}: N_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'}$$

$$30^{\alpha}: N_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} m_{\alpha''} \supset N_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha''} \supset m_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = n_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \supset m_{\alpha''} = n_{\alpha''}$$



## Proof of 35<sup>a</sup>

$$31^\alpha: \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$32^\alpha: \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} x_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = x_{\alpha'}$$

$$30^\alpha: \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} m_{\alpha''} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha''} \supset m_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = n_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \supset m_{\alpha''} = n_{\alpha''}$$

# PRIMITIVE RECURSION

- Given formulas  $A_{\alpha'}$  and  $B_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$ , there exists  $F_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$  such that

$$F_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = A_{\alpha'}$$

$$\mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} \supset F_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'}) = B_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'} (F_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} x_{\alpha'})$$

where  $x_{\alpha'}$  is not a free variable of  $A_{\alpha'}$ ,  $B_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$ , or  $F_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$ .

- $F_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$  is:

$$\lambda x_{\alpha'}. \mathbf{T}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha'''} (\mathbf{T}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha''} x_{\alpha'})$$

$$\left( \lambda y_{\alpha''}. \left\langle \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} (y_{\alpha''} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'})) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \\ B_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} (y_{\alpha''} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'})) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} (y_{\alpha''} (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'})) \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \end{array} \right\rangle \right)$$

$$\langle \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}, A_{\alpha'} \rangle (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'})$$

- $\mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$  is a primitive recursive function for the case that  $A_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$  and  $B_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} = \lambda y_{\alpha'}. \lambda z_{\alpha'}. y_{\alpha'}$ :

# PROOF FOR $\mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$

$$\mathbf{P}_{\alpha''' \rightarrow \alpha'} \rightarrow \lambda n_{\alpha'''} . n_{\alpha'''} \left( \lambda p_{\alpha''} . \left\langle \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}(p_{\alpha''}(\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}), \\ p_{\alpha''}(\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \end{array} \right\rangle \right) \\ \langle \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}, \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \rangle (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}) \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}$$

$$36^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha'} \supset \lambda f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} \lambda x_\alpha (n_{\alpha'} f_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} x_\alpha) = n_{\alpha'}$$

$$37^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} m_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha'} \supset \langle m_{\alpha'}, n_{\alpha'} \rangle (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = m_{\alpha'}$$

$$38^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} m_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha'} \supset \langle m_{\alpha'}, n_{\alpha'} \rangle (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}) \mathbf{I}_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha} = n_{\alpha'}$$

$$39^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha''' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha'''} \supset n_{\alpha'''} \left( \lambda p_{\alpha''} . \left\langle \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}(p_{\alpha''}(\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}), \\ p_{\alpha''}(\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \end{array} \right\rangle \right) \\ \langle \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}, \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \rangle (\mathbf{K}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{I}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'}) \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} \\ = n_{\alpha'} \alpha'' \mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$40^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} \alpha'' n_{\alpha'''} \supset \mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'''} (\alpha'' n_{\alpha'''}) = n_{\alpha'} \alpha'' \mathbf{S}_{\alpha'' \rightarrow \alpha''} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha''} \mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$41^\alpha. \mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'''} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'''} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$42^\alpha. \mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'} = \mathbf{0}_{\alpha'}$$

$$43^\alpha. \mathbf{N}_{\alpha' \rightarrow o} n_{\alpha'} \supset \mathbf{P}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} (\mathbf{S}_{\alpha' \rightarrow \alpha'} n_{\alpha'}) = n_{\alpha'}$$



## SUMMARY

- A typed higher-order logic system which incorporates  $\lambda$ -calculus.
  - Peano's arithmetic
  - Primitive recursion
- A basis formalism in modern higher-order theorem provers.