Logic and Computability SS24, Assignment 2

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1 Natural Deduction for Propositional Logic

For each of the following sequents, either provide a natural deduction proof, or a counterexample that proves the sequent invalid.

For proofs, clearly indicate which rule, and what assumptions/premises/ intermediate results you are using in each step. Also clearly indicate the scope of any boxes you use.

For counterexamples, give a complete model. Show that the model satisfies the premise(s) of the sequent in question, but does not satisfy the respective conclusion.

- 1. [2 points] $x \land (y \land z) \vdash (x \land y) \land z$
- 2. [3 points] $p \land q \lor r \vdash (p \lor r) \land (q \lor r)$
- 3. [3 points]

(a)
$$\vdash \neg(\neg p \lor q) \lor p$$

- (b) $\vdash \neg p \lor (\neg q \lor p)$
- 4. [3 points] $(p \rightarrow q) \land (q \rightarrow r), p \vdash \neg \neg r \land \neg p$
- 5. [4 points] $\neg(q \land p) \vdash \neg q \lor \neg p$