logic pset2

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Resources: Lecture 2 and Chapter 3 (pp 25-50) of *How Logic Works*.

A.

Use Conditional Proof (and possibly the previous rules) to prove the following sequents. A proof should have four columns: dependencies, line number, formula, and justification.

1. $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R) \vdash Q \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$

2. $\neg P \vdash \neg(P \wedge Q)$

3. $P \vdash (P \rightarrow \neg P) \rightarrow \neg P$

4. $Q \vdash \neg(Q \rightarrow \neg Q)$

B.

Use $\vee$-elimination (and possibly the previous rules) to prove the following sequents. Do *not* use reductio ad absurdum for any of these proofs.

1. $P \wedge (Q \vee R) \vdash (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R)$

2. $P \vee Q, \neg P \vdash Q$