Test 2

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Remark: Each of the following four problems is valued max. 2 pts. Totally max. 8 pts.

Let φ denote the following formula where P, R are binary relation symbols.

 $(\exists x)((\exists y)P(x,y) \to R(y,z)) \to ((\forall x)(\exists y)P(x,y) \to R(y,z))$

- 1. Underline free occurrences of variables in φ and determine whether the following terms are substitutable. Write the instance obtained by the substitution or explain why it is not possible to substitute.
 - (a) the term y + z for the variable z.
 - (b) the term x + z for the variable y.
- 2. Let φ' denote a general closure of the formula φ . Prove by tableau method that

 $\models \varphi'$

- 3. Convert φ' into prenex normal form.
- 4. Write a Skolem variant of the obtained formula in PNF and based on this, write an open formula that is equisatisfiable with φ .