## Godel's Mathematical Proof of God's Existence

Axiom 1. (Dichotomy) A property is positive if and only if its negation is negative.

Axiom 2, (Closure) A property is positive if it necessarily contains a positive property.

*Theorem 1* A positive property is logically consistent (i.e., possibly it has some instance.)

*Definition*. Something is God-like if and only if it possesses all positive properties.

Axiom 3. Being God-like is a positive property.

Axiom 4. Being a positive property is (logical, hence) necessary.

Definition. A property P is the essence of x if and only if x has P and P is necessarily minimal.

*Theorem 2* If x is God-like, then being God-like is the essence of x

Definition. NE(x): x necessarily exists if it has an essential property.

Axiom 5. Being NEis God-like.

*Theorem 3.* Necessarily there is some *x* such that *x* is God-like.