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The strictly logical presentation of the value-form categories (in Chapters 6–13; 15–16) is organised in paragraph numbers that reflect the logical level of the categories concerned. Because the logic has a triadic movement, the numbers concerned naturally run in threes. However, the logical level of the category concerned is indicated also by the addition of a further number (thus, by adding 1, 2, and 3, ‘§ 1’ divides into ‘§ 11’, ‘§ 12’, ‘§ 13’; ‘§ 2’ divides into ‘§ 21’, ‘§ 22’, ‘§ 23’; and so on); where the system becomes very fine-grained the more extended number is broken up with points (‘.’) and slashes (‘/’) (e.g. the category of ‘monetary medium’ is placed at ‘§ 23.31/32’); these points and slashes have no substantive significance; they are used simply as an aid to scrutiny.

Interpolated into the presentation are 'Remarks' not strictly necessary to the argument. Note that the format rule followed is that a Remark is one paragraph, and only one paragraph, long, before the main text resumes. In very rare cases a longer interpolation is headed 'Remark on ...'.
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   § 1.1.1 Being Present in Exchange
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   § 1.1.2 Exchangeableness: Something and Other; Spurious Infinity; True Infinity
   § 1.1.3 An Exchangeable
   One; Many; (Relative) Totality (Attraction / Repulsion)

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§ 12.1 Pure Quantity (Infinite Unity of All Exchangeables)
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§ 13 Exchange-Value as the (Specifying) Measure
§ 13.1 Rule of Pro-rata Exchange
§ 13.2 Series of Exchange-Values (i.e. of Specific Measures)
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§ 2 Money
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      § 21.1.1 Positing Reflection
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      § 21.2.2 Difference (Value Is Not in the Commodity but Different from It)
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   § 22.1.1 Value as (Relational) Property of a ‘Thing’
   § 22.1.2 Form and Content
   § 22.1.3 Value as Law-like in Its Appearance
§ 22.2 Forms of Appearance of Value:
   § 22.2.1 Form I Simple Form
§ 22.22 Form II Expanded Form
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§ 22.3 Correlation of Immediate and Reflected Totalities of Value

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§ 23.2 Money as Absolute Form of Value

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§ 23.22 Immediate Exchangeability; Form vi: Laying-out of Money

§ 23.23 Reciprocity of Form-Determinations of Money

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§ 23.31 Value as Substance in Immediacy

§ 23.31/1 Substance-in-Itself; Its Oneness (Its Self-Identity)

§ 23.31/2 Substance-for-Itself as a Dimensionally Extended Body of Value

§ 23.31/3 Money as Finite Mode of Value:

§ 23.31/31 Immanent Magnitude

§ 23.31/32 Monetary Medium

§ 23.31/33 Measure Proper Is Given in Units of Money

§ 23.32 Value Substance Actualised in a Realm of Finitude: Commodities

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§ 31 Price (Subjectivity of Value)

§ 31.1 Value as Notion

§ 31.11 Infinite Value Notion

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§ 31.32 Syllogism of Equality: If A = B, and B = C, Then A = C

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If A = B & B = C Then A = C;

If C = A & A = B Then C = B;

If B = C & C = A Then B = A (the System Is Closed).

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