

### Predicate Logic Tutorial 3

1.

i) Which of the following are correct formalisations of the following statement:  
“Bankers and estate agents are unpopular”?

- a.  $\forall X (\text{banker}(X) \wedge \text{estate\_agent}(X) \rightarrow \text{unpopular}(X))$
- b.  $\forall X (\text{banker}(X)) \vee (\text{estate\_agent}(X) \rightarrow \text{unpopular}(X))$
- c.  $\forall X (\text{banker}(X) \vee \text{estate\_agent}(X) \rightarrow \text{unpopular}(X))$
- d.  $\forall X (\text{banker}(X) \rightarrow \text{unpopular}(X)) \wedge \forall X (\text{estate\_agent}(X) \rightarrow \text{unpopular}(X))$

ii) Show  $\vdash c \leftrightarrow d$ , where c and d refer to the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> wffs above.

2. Prove the following:

- a.  $\forall X (p(X) \rightarrow q(X) \wedge r(X)) \vdash \forall X (p(X) \rightarrow q(X)) \wedge \forall X (p(X) \rightarrow r(X))$
- b.  $\forall X (p(X) \rightarrow (q(X) \rightarrow r(X))) \vdash \forall X (p(X) \wedge q(X) \rightarrow r(X))$
- c.  $\forall X (p(X) \rightarrow \neg q(X)), p(a), \forall Y (q(Y) \vee s(Y)) \vdash s(a)$
- d.  $\forall X (p(X) \rightarrow m(X) \vee n(X)), \forall X (m(X) \rightarrow \exists Y q(X, Y)), \forall X (n(X) \rightarrow \exists Y q(X, Y)), p(a) \vdash \exists Y q(a, Y)$