

ITSC 3153 Homework 3

8.1)

a)

- I. Syntactically invalid and therefore meaningless
- II. Correctly expresses the sentence
- III. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence

b)

- I. Correctly expresses the sentence
- II. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence
- III. Syntactically invalid and therefore meaningless
- IV. Syntactically invalid and therefore meaningless

c)

- I. Correctly expresses the sentence
- II. Correctly expresses the sentence
- III. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence
- IV. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence

d)

- I. Correctly expresses the sentence
- II. Correctly expresses the sentence
- III. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence
- IV. Correctly expresses the sentence

e)

- I. Correctly expresses the sentence
- II. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence
- III. Syntactically valid but does not express the meaning of sentence
- IV. Syntactically invalid and therefore meaningless

9.10)

In this riddle, that man is my son.

That man = T

So for Brothers and sisters I have none:

$\text{Father}(x, y) \wedge y \neq \text{me} \rightarrow \text{false}$

$\text{Father}(x, y) \wedge y = \text{me} \rightarrow \text{true}$

That man's father is my father's son:

$\exists x \exists y \text{Father}(x, T) \wedge \text{Father}(y, \text{me}) \wedge \text{Son}(x, y)$

$\text{Father}(A, T)$

$\text{Father}(B, \text{me})$

$\text{Son}(A, B)$

This shows that "that man" is MY son.