

Homework 1

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Due: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 by noon. **No late homeworks!**

Part I: Work the following problems in Schecter & Gintis:

- **1.14.1 Congress vs. the President.** pp. 27-28.
- **1.14.2 Battle of the Chain Stores.** pp. 28-29.
- **1.14.5 Three Pirates.** p. 32.

Part II: Grice's maxims tend to contain many redundancies. That is, implicatures can be derived in multiple ways. We briefly showed that we could derive Quantity implicatures using only the Maxims of Quantity. Show a different derivation that doesn't use Quantity. You may need to appeal to a combination of maxims.

Remember: Neatness counts.