- **4.** Four or five people can carry out this advanced project over the course of a term. The aim is to implement a proof layer in a multi-agent environment that is, requests and proof parts will be exchanged between agents. Additional aspects to be considered include the following:
  - (a) Choose and familiarize yourselves with a multi-agent system. We have had good experience with JADE.<sup>13</sup>
  - (b) Represent proofs in an XML language, ideally by extending RuleML.
  - (c) Decide on the precise messages to be exchanged between agents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup>jade.tilab.com/.