Philosophy 134 Spring, 2007 Homework 1

Due: April 11, 2007, in class

1. Complete Case 4 in the argument from mathematical induction for Bivalence in SI.

2. Prove that if α and β are semantically equivalent, then $\{\alpha\} \models_{SI} \beta$ and $\{\beta\} \models_{SI} \alpha$.

3. Prove the following meta-theorem for $SD: \{\alpha\} \vdash_{SD} \beta$ if and only if $\vdash_{SD} \alpha \supset \beta$.

4. Suppose you had the rules for SI, including Negation Introduction- \perp and Negation Elimination- \perp , but not the rule *Falsum* Elimination. Show how *Falsum* Elimination could be added as a derived rule.

5. Using the definitions on page 34 as a guide, re-formulate the axioms of SA using \sim and \lor as primitive operators.