

# LADY OR THE TIGER?

(PUZZLE BOOK BY RAYMUND SMULLYAN)

There are two doors. Behind each is a lady or a tiger (not both). Each door has a statement on it. If a lady is in room 1, that door's statement is true, otherwise it is false. If a lady is in room 2, that door's statement is false, otherwise it is true. - Try to figure out which door has the lady (to save her!)

## Door 1

It makes no  
difference  
which door  
you pick

## Door 2

There is a  
lady in the  
other room

# PRACTICE USING TAUT CON

Monday, 3 March

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Or get rid of any particular connectives that we don't like



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(Disjunctive Syllogism)

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- On future homeworks (homeworks 6-9) I will allow you to use Taut Con for any step I consider to be sufficiently obvious. It will be useful to use for the following cases:

$$\begin{array}{l} | \quad 1. P \rightarrow Q \\ | \quad 2. \neg Q \\ \hline | \quad 3. \neg P \end{array} \quad \text{Modus Tollens}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} | \quad 1. P \vee Q \\ | \quad 2. \neg Q \\ \hline | \quad 3. P \end{array} \quad \text{DS}$$

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6.  $\neg R \rightarrow P$             $\rightarrow$ Intro 3-5



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5.  $\text{Cube}(b)$   $\wedge$  Elim 4

6.  $\text{Cube}(a)$  Taut Con 3,5 (DS)

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4.  $P \wedge \neg Q$  TautCon 3 (NegCon)  
5.  $P$   $\wedge$  Elim 4  
6.  $\perp$   $\perp$  Intro 2,5  
  
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4.  $\neg P \wedge \neg(Q \rightarrow R)$  DeMorgans 3

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7.  $Q \wedge \neg R$  NegCon 6

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7.  $Q \wedge \neg R$  NegCon 6

8.  $Q$   $\wedge$ Elim 7

9.  $\neg R$   $\wedge$ Elim 7

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7.  $Q \wedge \neg R$  NegCon 6

8.  $Q$   $\wedge$ Elim 7

9.  $\neg R$   $\wedge$ Elim 7

10.  $\neg S$  Modus Tollens 2,9

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11.  $P \leftrightarrow Q$  Disjunctive Syllogism 1,10

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5.  $\neg P$   $\wedge$ Elim 4

6.  $\neg(Q \rightarrow R)$   $\wedge$ Elim 4

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12.  $P$   $\leftrightarrow$ Elim 8,11

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6.  $\neg(Q \rightarrow R)$   $\wedge$ Elim 4

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12.  $P$   $\leftrightarrow$ Elim 8,11

13.  $\perp$   $\perp$  Intro 5,12

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2.  $S \rightarrow R$

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3.  $\neg(P \vee (Q \rightarrow R))$  for  $\neg I$

4.  $\neg P \wedge \neg(Q \rightarrow R)$  Taut Con 3 DeMorgans 3

5.  $\neg P$   $\wedge$ Elim 4

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7.  $Q \wedge \neg R$  Taut Con 6 NegCon 6

8.  $Q$   $\wedge$ Elim 7

9.  $\neg R$   $\wedge$ Elim 7

10.  $\neg S$  Taut Con 2,9 Modus Tollens 2,9

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12.  $P$   $\leftrightarrow$ Elim 11,12

13.  $\perp$   $\perp$  Intro 5,12

14.  $P \vee (Q \rightarrow R)$   $\neg$ Intro 3-13

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