

# Automatic Deduction — Introduction to Isabelle

## LVA 703522

### 1 Isar

#### 1.1 Propositional Logic

▷ Provide Isar proof texts that prove the following lemmas. You may only use the methods `rule` and `-`.

```
lemma "(A ∨ A) = (A ∧ A)"  
proof  
  assume "A ∨ A"  
  show "A ∧ A" sorry  
next  
  assume "A ∧ A"  
  show "A ∨ A" sorry  
qed
```

```
lemma "(A ∨ B) ∨ C → A ∨ (B ∨ C)"  
oops
```

#### 1.2 Predicate Logic

▷ Provide Isar proof texts that prove the following lemmas. Again, you may not use automation.

```
lemma "((∀ x. P x) ∧ (∀ x. Q x)) = (∀ x. (P x ∧ Q x))"  
oops
```

```
lemma "((∃ x. P x) ∨ (∃ x. Q x)) = (∃ x. (P x ∨ Q x))"  
oops
```

The following lemma also requires `classical`:  $(\neg P \implies P) \implies P$  (or an equivalent theorem) in order to be proved. You need to invoke this explicitly with `proof` rule `classical` or similar.

```
lemma "(\neg (∀ x. P x)) = (∃ x. \neg P x)"  
oops
```

*Hint:* it may be useful to study the natural deduction proofs of these lemmas before attempting to provide Isar proofs.

## 2 Rich Grandfather

Recall the “Rich Grandfather” riddle (Exercises 2).

*If every poor man has a rich father,  
then there is a rich man who has a rich grandfather.*

▷ Give an Isar proof of the theorem. You may use automated tactics, but the general proof structure should resemble your informal pen-and-paper proof of the theorem.

**theorem**

```
" $\forall x. \neg \text{rich } x \longrightarrow \text{rich } (\text{father } x) \implies$   
   $\exists x. \text{rich } (\text{father } (\text{father } x)) \wedge \text{rich } x$ "
```

**oops**