

### 5.3.1. Semantic Problems: Names, Predicates, and Models

A. For each of the formal sentences below, decide if that sentence is **true** or **false** in the following model.

$\mathbb{D}$ : {**2**, **3**}

a: **2**

b: **3**

G: {**2**}

H: {**3**}

I: {**2**, **3**}

J: { }

1.  $(Ga \wedge Ha)$
2.  $((Ga \wedge Ha) \vee (Gb \wedge Hb))$
3.  $((Ga \vee Ha) \rightarrow Ja)$
4.  $(Ja \rightarrow (Ga \vee Ha))$
5.  $(Ga \rightarrow Ia)$
6.  $(Ga \leftrightarrow Ia)$
7.  $(Ha \leftrightarrow Ja)$

**B. Translate** the following English argument into the formal language; then decide, for each of the models below, whether that model is a **validity counterexample** for the argument.

**Argument:**

1. Rex isn't a fat cat, but Neko is.

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∴ Rex isn't fat, but Neko is.

**Translation Key:**

**a:** Rex

**b:** Neko

**G:** \_\_ is fat

**H:** \_\_ is a cat

**Model A**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **REX**, **NEKO** }

**a:** **REX** **b:** **NEKO**

**G:** { **REX** } **H:** { **NEKO** }

**Model B**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **REX**, **NEKO** }

**a:** **REX** **b:** **NEKO**

**G:** { **REX**, **NEKO** } **H:** { **NEKO** }

**Model C**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **REX**, **NEKO** }

**a:** **REX** **b:** **NEKO**

**G:** { } **H:** { **NEKO** }

**Model D**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **REX**, **NEKO** }

**a:** **REX** **b:** **NEKO**

**G:** { **REX**, **NEKO** } **H:** { **REX**, **NEKO** }

**C. Translate** the following English argument into the formal language; then decide, for each of the models below, whether that model is a **validity counterexample** for the argument.

**Argument:**

1. Kitty isn't a cigar-smoking gambler.

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∴ Kitty isn't a gambler.

**Translation Key:**

**a:** Kitty

**G:** \_\_smokes cigars / (is) cigar-smoking

**H:** \_\_is a gambler

**Model A**

**D:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** }

**a:** **KITTY** **b:** **ELVIS**

**G:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** }

**H:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** }

**Model B**

**D:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** }

**a:** **KITTY** **b:** **ELVIS**

**G:** { **KITTY** } **H:** { }

**Model C**

**D:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** }

**a:** **KITTY** **b:** **ELVIS**

**G:** { **ELVIS** } **H:** { **ELVIS** }

**Model D**

**D:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** }

**a:** **KITTY** **b:** **ELVIS**

**G:** { **KITTY**, **ELVIS** } **H:** { **ELVIS** }

**D. Translate** the following English argument into the formal language; then decide, for each of the models below, whether that model is a **validity counterexample** for the argument.

**Argument:**

1. Either Neko is a cat who both eats fish and picks locks, or either Barbie or Jack left the refrigerator unlocked.

2. Jack didn't leave the refrigerator unlocked.

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∴ Neko is a lock-picking fish-eater.

**Translation Key:**

**a:** Neko      **c:** Jack

**b:** Barbie

**G:** \_\_ is a cat

**H:** \_\_ eats fish

**I:** \_\_ picks locks

**J:** \_\_ left the refrigerator unlocked

**Model A**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **NEKO**, **BARBIE**, **JACK** }

**a:** **NEKO** **b:** **BARBIE** **c:** **JACK**

**G:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** } **I:** { **BARBIE** }

**H:** { **BARBIE** } **J:** { **NEKO**, **BARBIE** }

**Model B**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **NEKO**, **BARBIE**, **JACK** }

**a:** **NEKO** **b:** **BARBIE** **c:** **JACK**

**G:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** } **I:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** }

**H:** { **NEKO**, **BARBIE**, **JACK** } **J:** { }

**Model C**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **NEKO**, **BARBIE**, **JACK** }

**a:** **NEKO** **b:** **BARBIE** **c:** **JACK**

**G:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** } **I:** { **JACK** }

**H:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** } **J:** { **NEKO**, **BARBIE** }

**Model D**

$\mathbb{D}$ : { **NEKO**, **BARBIE**, **JACK** }

**a:** **NEKO** **b:** **BARBIE** **c:** **JACK**

**G:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** } **I:** { **NEKO**, **BARBIE**, **JACK** }

**H:** { **NEKO**, **JACK** } **J:** { **BARBIE** }