

→ Introduction

It may help to think of this less as a 'rule', and more as a *procedure*. If you know you want to derive a conditional (i.e., you know you want to *introduce* an arrow), then you'll need to do the following

- i. Establish the *antecedent* of your target conditional as an **assumption** (in other words, assume the antecedent)
- ii. Arrive at the *consequent* of your target conditional at any other line (in other words, derive the consequent)
- iii. Conclude your target conditional. ***Cite the line number where the consequent occurs, and discharge the assumption where the antecedent occurs***

Ex: $P \vee Q \vdash \sim P \rightarrow Q$

1	(1)	$P \vee Q$	A	
2	(2)	$\sim P$	A	<i>Notice that this is the antecedent of your target conditional</i>
1,2	(3)	Q	1,2 $\vee E$	
1	(4)	$\sim P \rightarrow Q$	2 $\rightarrow I$ (1)	

RAA

It may help to think of this less as a 'rule', and more as a *procedure*. RAA allows you to either introduce a \sim , or take one away. It's like $\sim I$ and $\sim E$ rolled into a single rule. To do it, you'll typically begin by identifying your target sentence. Consider the following sequent:

$P \vdash \sim\sim P$

We know what our target sentence is pretty quickly here: It's the conclusion $\sim\sim P$. Given this, we can use RAA by following a three-step procedure:

- i. Assume the *denial* of the target sentence (in this case, $\sim P$)
- ii. Derive a *contradiction* (any two sentences where one is the denial of the other)
- iii. Conclude the target sentence. **Cite** the two contradicting lines, and **discharge** the assumption from step (i.)

Ex: $P \vdash \sim\sim P$

1	(1)	P		
2	(2)	$\sim P$	A	<i>Notice that this is the denial of your target sentence</i>
1	(3)	$\sim\sim P$	1,2 RAA (2)	<i>Notice that this sentence is the denial of the assumption that we're discharging</i>