

Quiz 3

Gettier, "Is Justified True Belief Knowledge?"

1. If Gettier's counter-example to the traditional analysis of knowledge succeeds it shows that justified true belief is not _____ for knowledge.

- a. necessary
- b. sufficient
- c. necessary and sufficient.
- d. necessary or sufficient

2. One of Gettier's main assumptions is that:

- a. a justified belief must be true.
- b. a justified belief can be true.
- c. justified belief is not preserved by deduction.
- d. justified belief is preserved by deduction.

3. In Gettier's example, if it is false but justified for Smith that Jones owns a Ford, then :

- a. Smith is not justified in believing that Jones owns a Ford or Brown is in Barcelona.
- b. it is false that Jones owns a Ford or Brown is in Barcelona.
- c. if it is true that Jones owns a Ford or Brown is in Barcelona then Smith knows it.
- d. Smith does not know that Jones owns a Ford or Brown is in Barcelona.

[Answers: 1. B 2. D 3. D]