

KINDS OF VALUE

Philosophers have discussed at length the kinds of value there are: biological, affective, conative-achievement, social, and even "prudential values" and "character values". The list is open ended and, as long as the nature of values and an ontological view are not clarified, there is no principle of classification in view. According to our own doctrine, the problem of distinguishing kinds of value and classing them is reduced to that of distinguishing kinds of factual item and classing these, because values are values of ~~rank~~ such.

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