

# Philosophical Questions

# 3 categories of philosophical question:

- Metaphysics
- Epistemology
- Value

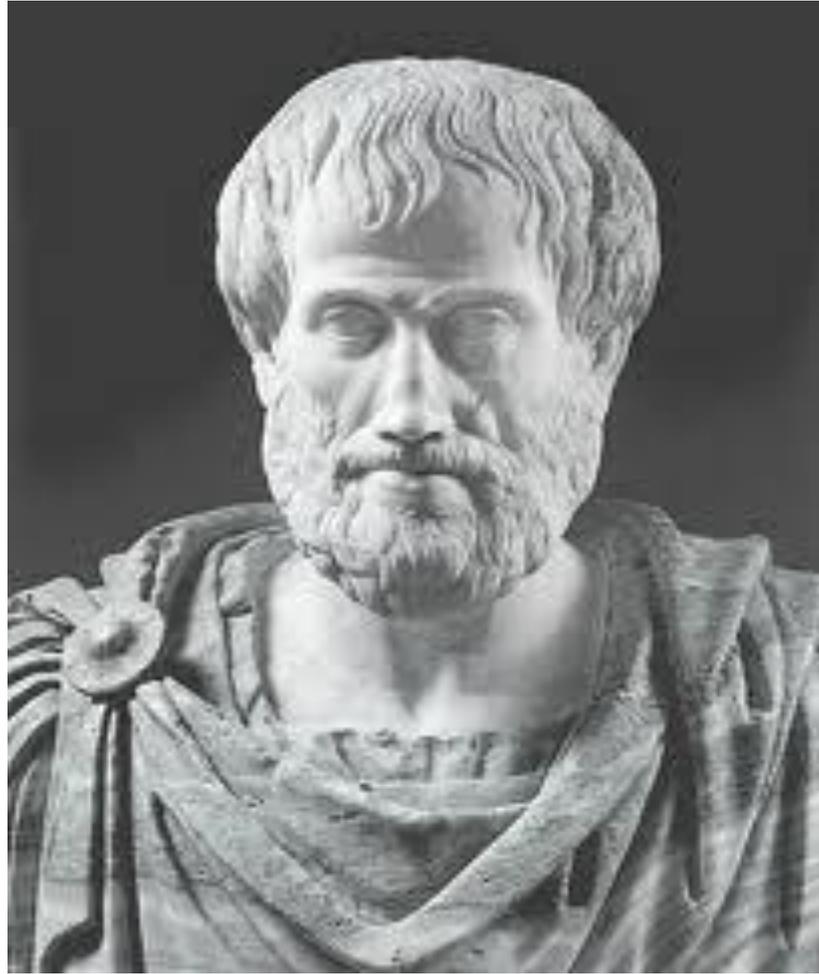
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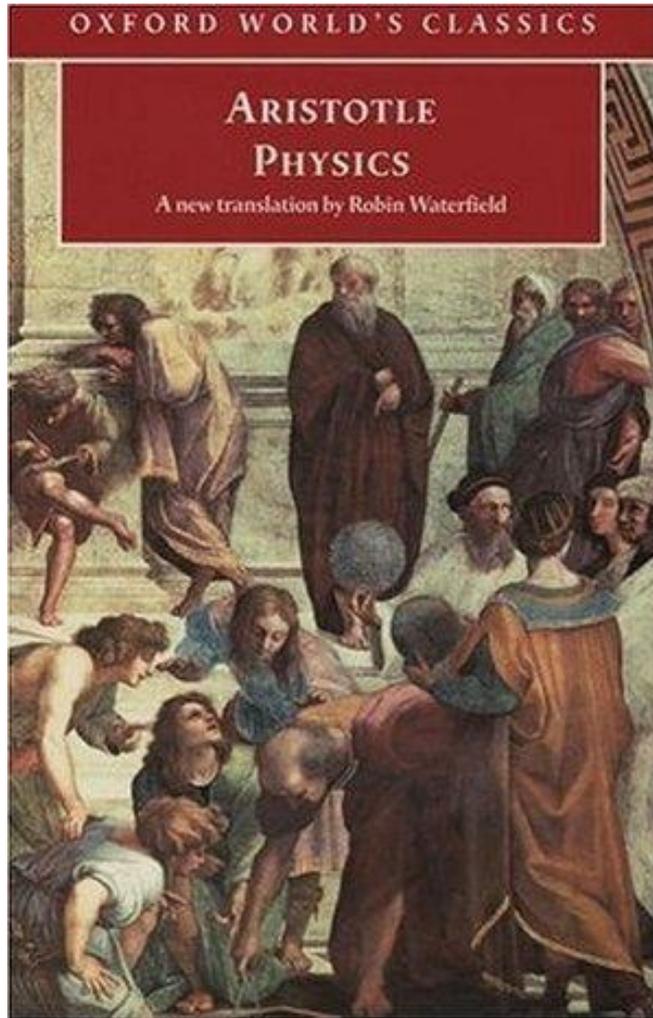
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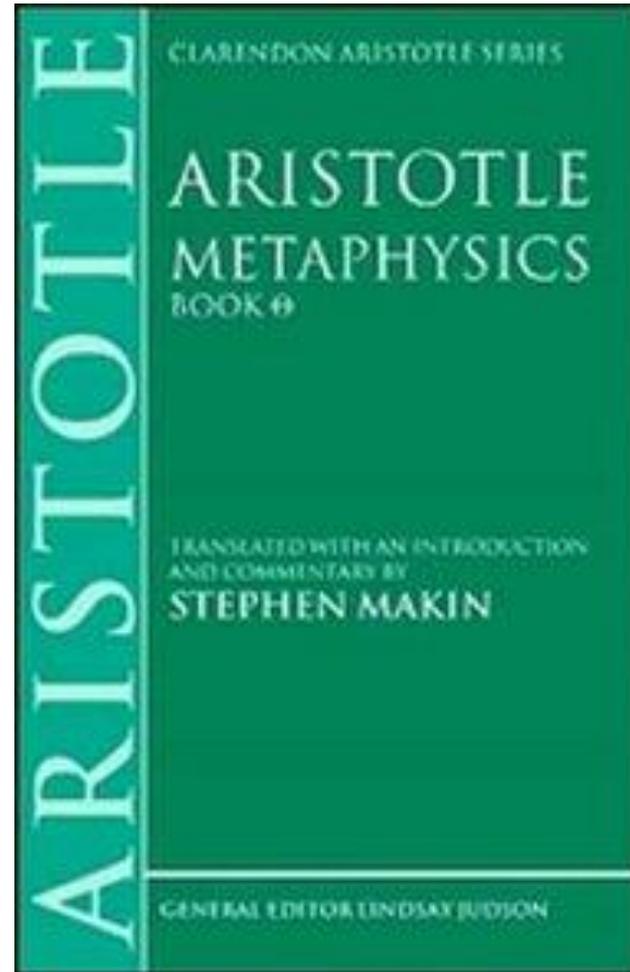
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- Topics included:
  - Causes
  - Nature
  - Motion
  - What things are made of
  - Senses

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- Meta (after) physics
- Topics included:
  - Reality
  - Order vs chaos
  - Origin of world
  - Priority
  - Change



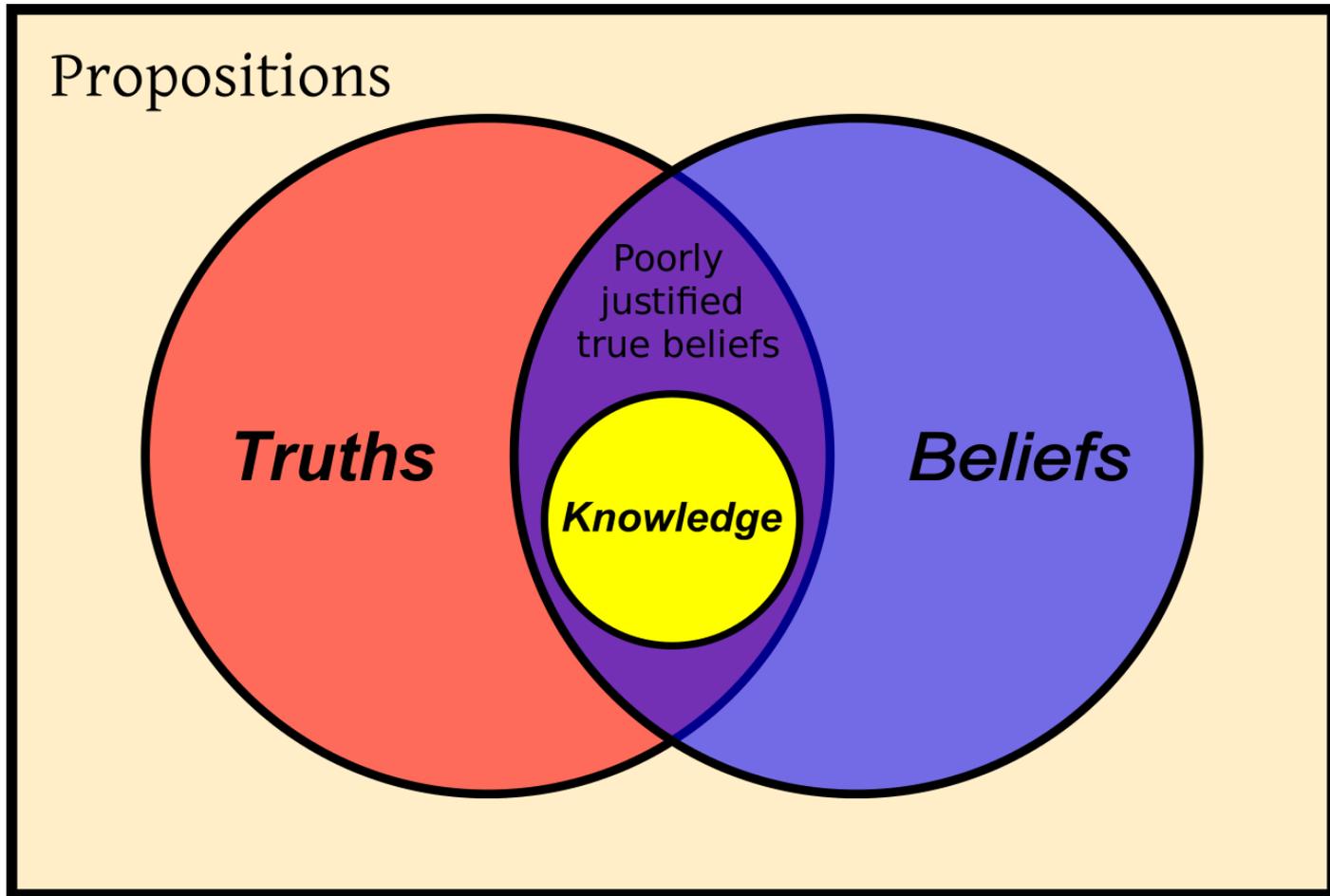
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- Concerns questions about existence, essence, and meaning.
  - Existence: What exists? Why is there something rather than nothing?
  - Essence: What is the nature of \_\_\_\_\_? Why is \_\_\_\_\_ the way it is and not some other way?
  - Meaning: What does the word \_\_\_\_\_ mean?

# Epistemology

- Epistemology is concerned with knowledge and understanding.
- To know something is to have a **justified true belief.**

# Epistemology



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- Justice (Social and Political Philosophy)
- Beauty (Aesthetics)



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