

PHIL 176: Death (Spring, 2007)
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Lecture 17 – Figures

Figure 17.1

- (A) Something can be bad for you only if you exist.
- (B) When you are dead you don't exist.
- So (C) Death can't be bad for you.

Figure 17.2

2.5 billion women x 30 x 12 eggs x 2.5 billion men x 50 yrs. X 365 days/yr. x 40
million sperm = 1.5 million, billion, billion, billion (1.5×10^{33})

Figure 17.3

- Modest: (A) Something can be bad for you only if you exist at some time or the other
- Bold (B) Something can be bad for you only if you exist at the same time as that thing