

Two Problems for a Truth-centered Ontology
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Abstract

A more informative, if rather unwieldy, title for this paper would have been “Two Problems for a Truth-and-Falsity-Centered Ontology of Abstract Objects: Sets and Asymmetrical Relations.” I begin by explaining what I mean by a truth (-and-falsity)-centered ontology of abstract objects. I next give an outline of one truth-centered ontology, and say something about why I find this ontology attractive. Finally, I will discuss two problems that face truth-centered ontologies, namely:

— They are incompatible with the existence of sets

—It is doubtful whether they are compatible with the existence of asymmetrical relations.