

# Introduction to Human Sciences (HS8.102)

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## **Arguments**

An argument is made up of premises and a conclusion. Arguments are of two types – deductive and non-deductive.

A valid deductive argument is one whose premises guarantee its conclusion.

A sound deductive argument is one which is valid and which has true premises.

For non-deductive arguments, the analogy of validity is cogency.

## **Knowledge and Understanding**