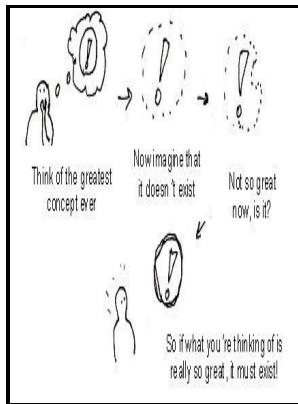


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Ontological Argument (Overview)

However, it is unclear how that traditional characterisation should be improved upon. Ontological arguments are arguments, for the conclusion that God exists, from premises which are supposed to derive from some source other than observation of the world—e. Otherwise put, then, the second key claim is that a being whose non-existence is logically impossible is greater than a being whose non-existence is logically possible.

Ontological belief in God: the idea that God exists because he exists

The ontological argument for the existence of God — Is a maximally great being possible? To see that this criticism is unfounded, it suffices to make two observations.

Graham Oppy, Ontological Arguments and Belief in God

If such a being does not exist, then we can conceive of a greater being—namely, one exactly like it which does exist.

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To borrow a famous example, on this definition a person who is essentially capable of only scratching his ear could count as omnipotent since other actions are logically impossible for him to do! God is not a contingent being, i.

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