





- The tree is not potentially house. It is not actually a house.
- The stacked timber is potentially a house only in the sense that it can be turned into a house. It is not actually a house; no house exists when there is mere timber in the yard.
- The assembled timber is potentially and actually a house. It is potentially a house in that it **can** perform the function of the house. It is actually a house in the sense that is currently performing the house.