

Argument for God

Cosmological Argument for God's Existence: Causal

Horizontal Form: Argues for a beginner of the Universe-*Original Cause*

1. Everything that had a beginning had a cause.
2. The universe had a beginning. (Infinite # of moments cannot be traversed)
3. Therefore, the universe had a Cause.

Vertical Form: Argues for a Sustainer of the Universe-*Current Cause*

4. If everything were contingent, then it would be possible that nothing existed.
5. But something does exist, and its existence is undeniable, for I have to exist in order to be able to affirm that I do not exist.
6. Thus, if some contingent *being* now exists, a Necessary Being must now exist, otherwise there would be no ground for the existence of this contingent being.