

## LECTURE 23: THE CARNAP-QUINE DEBATE

1. Carnap's fork
  - (a) synthetic truth = factual truths
  - (b) analytic truth = truth by convention = framework truths = empty truths
2. Quine's argument against truth by convention
  - (a) Reducing mathematics to logic
  - (b) Two kinds of definitions
  - (c) The parity argument
3. Two dogmas
  - (a) Analytic-Synthetic distinction
  - (b) Reducibility to the given
  - (c) The problem with semantic characterizations of analyticity