

Phil. 102 Introduction to Philosophy

Quiz: Varieties of Determinism

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Directions: Match the premisses in *Column 2* with the most appropriate arguments in *Column 1* by placing the number or numbers in the blank spaces provided.

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>
----- hard determinism	1. Some events are not determined by past events, and some events might be caused.
----- soft determinism	2. Some of our choices are uncaused and effective.
----- free will	3. Some specific events are fixed in advance; there might be some free play in minor events.
----- predeterminism	4. Each event (including each mental event) has a cause.
----- fatalism	5. Events from the beginning of time have been causally created by God.
----- predestination	6. Some of our ideas are free; events in the world are caused.
----- indeterminism	7. The probability of an event is known from the experience of similar events.
----- <i>a priori</i> chance	8. A violation of a law of nature.
----- <i>a posteriori</i> chance	9. All events are made to happen by God: none by causality in nature.
----- miracle	10. The probability of an event is known from mathematical calculation.

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