

"Necessarily, experience occurs" cannot be coherently denied—any more than I can deny, "I exist." But unless psychicalism is true—which is just the question: is it true, or even can it be true?—"Necessarily, something exists" does *not* imply "Necessarily, experience occurs."

Otherwise put: metaphysics in a strict sense does not include "Necessarily, experience occurs." Metaphysics in a broad sense, however, does include "Necessarily, experience—indeed, understanding, thoughtful experience—occurs."

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