

# The Doomsday Argument and Hempel's Problem

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## Abstract

In this paper, I present firstly a solution to Hempel's Problem. I recall secondly the solution to the Doomsday Argument described in my previous *Une Solution pour l'Argument de l'Apocalypse* (Canadian Journal of Philosophy 1998-2) and remark that both solutions are based on a similar line of reasoning. I show thirdly that the Doomsday Argument can be reduced to the core of Hempel's Problem.

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