#### Growth sustainable—provides incentive for preservation.

Cudd 11—Ann E., Professor of Philosophy, Associate Dean for Humanities, University of Kansas, “Capitalism, For and Against - A Feminist Debate,” Cambridge University Press, Section 3

I agree with Professor Holmstrom that we should be very concerned with pollution, and

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from the more scarce, and therefore more expensive, privately owned good.

#### Price predictions fail because of volatility—but current price is unsustainably low.

Palti-Guzman and Korin 12—Leslie Palti-Guzman is an analyst with the global energy and natural-resources consulting group Eurasia Group and Anne Korin is an adviser to the U.S. Energy Security Council and co-director of the Institute for the Analysis of Global Security, an energy-security think tank. “Should the U.S. Export Natural Gas?” 9-13-12, <http://online.wsj.com/article/SB10000872396390444226904577561300198957854.html>, Accessed date: 9-26-12 y2k

MS. PALTI-GUZMAN: There is no question that LNG exports could have

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BTUs. It's the same situation today, possibly with the reverse trajectory.

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#### Linear prediction is possible and sufficient—acting within the system reduces uncertainty.

David Levy 4 is University of Massachusetts Chair of Management. “Applications and Limitations of Complexity Theory in Organization Theory and Strategy,” November 19, 2004, http://www.faculty.umb.edu/david\_levy/complex00.pdf, Accessed date: 10-31-12 y2k

Despite its attractions, the application of complexity theory to the social sciences is still

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1990), ensure that behavior is nonchaotic by reducing variability throughout the system.

#### Borders key to peace.

Mark **Zacher**, Professor of Political Science, University of British Columbia, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION, Spring **2001**, p.241. (MHSOLT2354)

Liberal states were clearly influenced to support the right of self-determination for juridical

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have achieved the strength it has if both factors had not been present.

#### Hegemony solves great power conflict---even if decline is inevitable, delaying the collapse is critical to global peace.

Robert Kagan 12 is a senior fellow in foreign policy at the Brookings Institution and a columnist for The Washington Post. “Not Fade Away: The myth of American decline,” January 11, 2012, <http://www.tnr.com/print/article/politics/magazine/99521/america-world-power-declinism>, Accessed date: 11-8-12 y2k

BUT THERE IS a danger. It is that in the meantime, while the

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both to Americans and to the nature of the world they live in.

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#### Perm do both—engagement with science and tech solves their meditation alt while preserving the potential of the technology.

Gilliland 2—Rex Gilliland is Associate Professor of Philosophy @ Southern Connecticut State University. “The Destiny of Technology: Modern Science and Human Freedom in the Later Heidegger,” In Heidegger Studies vol. 18 (2002), 115-128. <http://home.southernct.edu/~gillilandr1/jobs/DestinyofTechnology.htm>, Accessed date: 10/8/12 y2k

Ultimately, the question of the free relationship to destiny is a question for us

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and not by turning our backs on science or naively trumpeting its advancement.

#### AND- Calculation needs to be balanced by contemplative thoughts—solve the impacts of the k.

Carnevale 5—Franco A. Carnevale has PhD in philosophy. “The Palliation of Dying: A Heideggerian Analysis of the “Technologization” of Death,” p. 5, Indo-Pacific Journal of Phenomenology

Heidegger’s analysis of technology outlines two distinctive forms of thought: calculative and contemplative (

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one form of thought, while arguing for a leap toward contemplative thought.

#### Management is good—they collapse the world.

Zizek 7—Slavoj Zizek is a senior researcher at the Institute for Sociology and Philosophy @ University of Ljubljana, Slovenia, and a professor @ European Graduate School. “Zizek: Ecology as a New Opium for the Masses,” 11-26-7, http://kasamaproject.org/2008/12/28/zizek-ecology-as-a-new-opium-for-the-masse/

The lesson to be fully endorsed is thus that of another environmental scientist who came

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the nearby city Pripyat which was abandoned, left the way it was.

**Ontology/Epistemology not prior question**

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David, Reader of Political Theory at the Univ. of Southampton, Millennium Vol 31 No 3 p. 655-7

Commenting on the ‚Äòphilosophical turn‚Äô in IR, W√¶ver remarks

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the first and second dangers, and so a potentially vicious circle arises.

#### Ontological focus precludes politics—causes inaction

Wolin 90—Richard Wolin, Professor of Modern European Intellectual History at Rice, 1990, The Politics of Being, pg. 117-118

Moreover, as Harries indicates, Heidegger's theory of the state as a "work

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up stifling the inner logic of politics as an independent sphere of human action

#### Extinction

Krauthammer 11—Charles Krauthammer is Pulitzer Prize–winning syndicated columnist, political commentator, and physician. “Are we alone in the universe?”  Dec 30, 2011, <http://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/are-we-alone-in-the-universe/2011/12/29/gIQA2wSOPP_story.html>, Accessed date: 10/9/12 y2k

Modern satellite data, applied to the Drake Equation, suggest that the number

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By them, the few — the only — who got it right.

#### War turns any root cause

Goldstein, professor of IR – American University, ‘1

(Joshua S, War and Gender: How Gender Shapes the War System and Vice Versa, pg. 412)

First, peace activists face a dilemma in thinking about causes of war and working

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injustice as the main cause of war seems to be empirically inadequate.10

#### Death outweighs ontology.

Paterson 3—Craig Paterson, Department of Philosophy, Providence College, Rhode Island ,“A Life Not Worth Living?”, Studies in Christian Ethics, SAGEPub.

Contrary to those accounts, I would argue that it is death per se that

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the person, the very source and condition of all human possibility.82

#### Prefer consequentialism even if our epistemology is suspect.

Cowen 4—Tyler Cowen, Department of Economics @ George Mason University, "The Epistemic Problem Does Not Refute Consequentialism," November 2, http://www.gmu.edu/jbc/Tyler/Epistemic2.pdf, p. 14-15

The epistemic critique relies heavily on a complete lack of information about initial circumstances.

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uncertainty should not stop us from pursuing large upfront benefits of obvious importance.

#### Technological existence is inevitable—active engagement is key

Sheenan 2—Thomas Sheena is Professor of Philosophy @ Loyola University, “Heidegger and Practical Philosophy”, Ed. Raffoul and Pettigrew, p. 286-287

Thus we would be doing “being” no favors if we just let entities

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the ontological nihil (the open), which cannot be overcome at all.

#### Calculations stop the zero-point and violence.

Williams 5 (Michael, Professor of International Politics – University of Wales-Aberystwyth, The Realist Tradition and the Limits of International Relations, p. 165-166)

Yet it is my claim that the willful Realist tradition does not lack an understanding

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be addressed by retreating yet again into further reversals of the same old dichotomies

#### Alternative results in fascist violence.

Grange 91—Joseph Grange is Professor of Philosophy department of the University of Southern Maine Heidegger as Nazi: A postmodern Scandal, 1991, Philosophy East and West 41 (4):515-522.)

I was told that Heidegger's involvement with the Nazis was an unfortunate, short-

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, and a host of other issues get tossed on the metaphysical junkpile.

**Calculation is good – it’s key to economic rationality which is key to sound policymaking.**

**Zilberman and Heiman 4** David Zilberman (professor at UCLA) and Amir Heiman (Assistant Professor at the Hebrew University, Jerusalem) “The Value of Economics Research” in What’s Economics Worth? Valuing Policy Research eds. Philip J. Pardey and Vincent H. Smith. Johns Hopkins University Press p. 302-304

Implicitly, Krueger's account of the import substitution imbroglio highlights another vital role for economists

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, and economics research directly addresses the efficiency with which those choices are made

**The impact to abandoning economic rationality is extinction**

**Reisman 96** George, Pepperdine University Professor Emeritus of Economics, Capitalism: A Treatise on Economics, http://www.capitalism.net/Capitalism/Economics%20and%20Capitalism.htm

In the absence of a widespread, serious understanding of the principles of economics,

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be unable to survive in the absence of Western food and medical supplies.