

### The Argument from Naturalness

P1. Eating meat is natural.

P2. If an act is natural, then it's ok to do it. (NP)

C. Therefore, it's ok to eat meat.

### Possible counterexamples to the moral principle (P2):

- pedophiles
- murder
- walking around naked
- violence / war / domination
- rape

P1. If NP is true, then if rape is natural, it's ok.

P2. Even if rape is natural, it still isn't ok.

C. Therefore, NP is not true.

### The Argument from Naturalness (2nd version):

P1. Eating meat is natural for the human species.

P2. If an act is natural for a species, then it's ok for members of that species to do it.

C. Therefore, it's ok for humans to eat meat.

The "other animals do it" argument

P1. Other animals eat meat.

P2. If other animals do a certain thing, then it's ok for humans to do it.

C. Therefore, it's ok for humans to eat meat.

Counterexamples to P2:

- being aggressive
  - stealing territory
- cannibalism
- non-consensual sex
- mating in public
- masturbating in public
- eating one's young
- abandoning one's young
- killing one's mate