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Three kinds of knowledge

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Three kinds of knowledge

Acquaintance knowledgeI know Ram.

Three kinds of knowledge

Ability knowledgeI know how to ride bycicle.

Three kinds of knowledge

Propositional knowledge
I know that Planet Earth is moving around sun.

'I know that p':
The proposition 'p' is true;

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'I know that p':
I believe that p;
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'I know that p':

My belief that p is justified (I have sufficient evidence for it).

- Each condition is *necessary* for knowledge.
- > The three conditions together are sufficient for knowledge.

