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## Study Guide – Nominalism

**Instructions:** Use your class notes to answer all the questions below. Please **explain each answer** in complete sentences.

1. What is the problem of Universals?
2. What is the difference between Realism and Nominalism?
3. How is Plato's idea of Universals different from other Realist?
4. What does Ockham have to say about Universals? What is his core argument?
5. What is the major difference between Hobbes' Material Nominalism and Ockham's Concept Nominalism?
6. What is Occam's Razor? Give me an example.