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This study deals with a contemporary issue . It is about ethics values in contemporary western philosophy . Moral values is one of the most important bases of human construction , because they deal with all aspects of social and individual behavior . They control man and guide his behavior toward what may bring him good and motivate him to advance in the grades of perfection , and hard effort to highness and good deed . That it is social necessity which guarantee to them living peacefully , safely and cooperatively together . Moral values were not searched and discovered before contemporary period . This discovery is the greatest philosophical achievement in this age . Studying values was a basic principle in economics , that it is related with the matters of sale and purchase . However , some of them still deal with this moral action or that artistic work . This means that there are many values rather than economical values . We can name anything we wish and try to reach as “ value ” . Health is value , fortune is value and success is value etc, . Many theories appeared about the nature of values , but they were known scientifically only in nineteenth century as an original philosophical issue even though philosopher discussed issues such as goodness , truth , beauty , virtue and justice . The concept of value was not obvious except in contemporary philosophy . It had distinct rank among thinkers of various doctrines . They discuss the

issue of the nature of values , have they independent existence or they identifying attribute of things ? relative or absolute ? In addition to the source of values , are they of social origin or divine origin ? and so on .

The researcher selects this issue because it is related with reality , to understand this term and to specify the matters with which man is concerned in his everyday life .

The study is divided into prelude and two sections . The prelude deals with the philosophical development of moral values . The first section is divided into three chapters . The first chapter studies the philosophical development of values in Greek philosophy . The second chapter studies moral values in Hellenistic and medieval centuries . The third chapter studies moral values in seventeenth , eighteenth and nineteenth centuries . The second section is divided into two chapters . The first chapter studies ethics values in twentieth century , while the second chapter studies moral values in twenty-first century