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Words to know:

inert (*unmoving*), static (*unchanging*)

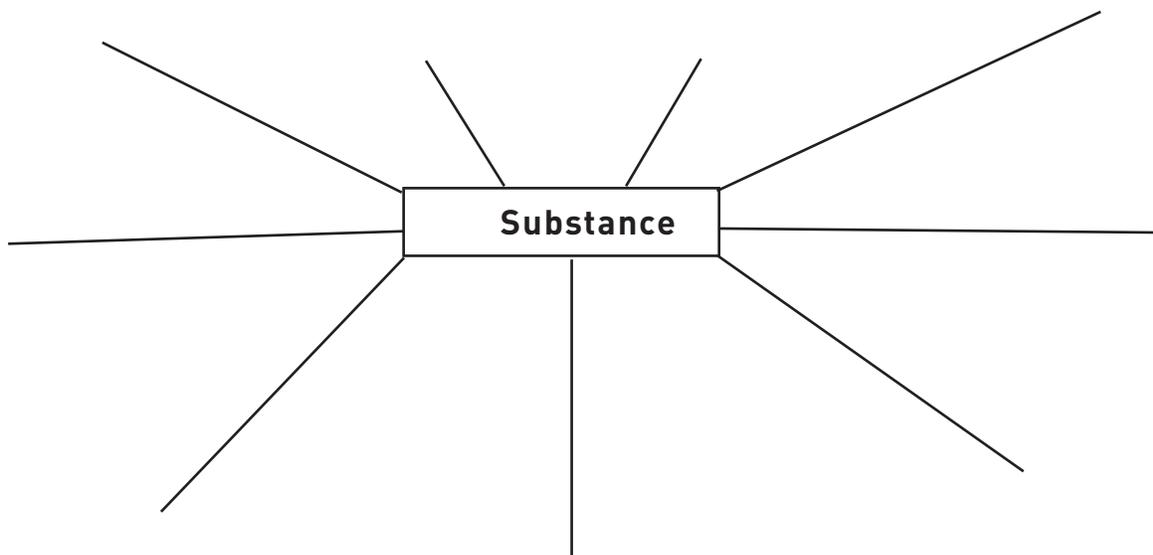
For St. Thomas, **substance** may refer either to a particular existing _____ or to the substantial _____ of a particular existing thing.

Accidents are the _____ or _____ of substances.
 _____ do not exist except in various substances.
 _____ do not exist in other things but exist on their own.

Aquinas has a metaphysics of _____ which tells us that all _____ other than God participate in the very being of God.

Whatever exists is _____ and the more being a thing has, the more _____ it is.

The world is not a place of static individuals, but of _____.



The substance plus all the nine accidents together are famously called the _____
_____. Every finite being whatsoever belongs to one of these ten categories, but
_____ transcends them all since he is infinite.

Comprehension question: Choose a substance around you (desk, chair, person, etc.) and then list as many of its accidents as you can think of. See if you can describe that thing using all 10 categories.