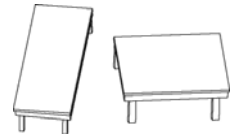


Shepard's Tables

A Cognitive Science Café



{sandwiches}

The Goodman Grill

Grilled cheese on white bread if ordered before 1pm, grilled eggplant on focaccia if ordered after 1pm.

The Aristotelian Concept

Cucumber, tomato, balsamic vinegar, feta, and pita are individually necessary and jointly sufficient for this Greek classic.

The California Connectionist

Munster, sprouts, and mustard on whole wheat with a hidden layer of avocado.

The Perceptron

Like the California Connectionist, but without the hidden layer.

The Quine Panini

This grilled fresh mozzarella, tomato, and basil panini eliminates the distinction between sandwich and pizza.

The Prototype

Peanut butter and jelly on white bread.

The Alex Special

Light layer of peanut butter and sliced apples on oat bread, sprinkled with sunflower seeds and coconut flakes – not just for parrots!

The Surlly Chinese Wrap

Tofu, sticky rice, and teriyaki sauce placed in a whole-wheat wrap along with instructions on how to be Chinese-tasting.

The Super Egg-o

Egg salad on wheat or white – the sandwich you *should* order.

The Turing Tester

Half Brie with apricot jam on a French roll, half vegan alternative – we bet you won't know which is which!

Simon's Herb Sandwich

Fresh mozzarella with pesto bounded by Rosemary focaccia.

The Spelke Surprise

If you're tired of the same sandwich over and over and over again, this open-faced veggie melt will give you something to look at! After following a continuous path to your mouth it will mysteriously disappear.

The Wason Cheese Selector

Grilled Portobello mushroom with cheese. If cheddar, then sesame bun. (Please check your order carefully.)

The Piageti an

A sandwich in four stages: sensational baguette, quantities of Swiss cheese that are anything but conservative, the concrete crunch of walnuts, and a dash of Cayenne pepper lead to this sandwich's formal elegance.

The Reverend Bayes Bagel

For those who watch their posterior: a thin layer of light cream cheese with cucumber and grated carrots on a honey whole-wheat bagel.

The Keil Transformation Sandwich

A prototype with the jelly and peanut butter surgically removed, cucumber and cream cheese injected, and wearing a costume of white bread.

The Rosch Sub(ordinate)

This grilled seitan sub with lettuce, tomatoes, caramelized onions and our special barbecue sauce goes beyond the basic sandwich. We hope you think it's super!

The A not-B Combo

Choose your first and second favorite sandwiches and we'll give you two halves of your first choice.

Miller's Magic

Any 5 to 9 ingredients on 7-grain bread.

Chomsky's Universal Sandwich

Sandwich → Bread Filling Bread
Filling → Filling Filling
Filling → Vegetable
Filling → Cheese
Filling → Fruit
Filling → Spread

Vegetable → {sprouts, cucumber, eggplant, pepper,
onion, carrots, lettuce}
Cheese → {cheddar, swiss, munster, brie}
Fruit → {tomato, avocado}
Spread → {mustard, mayonnaise, hummus}
Bread → {white, wheat, sourdough, focaccia, French roll}

Please provide a complete parse tree when ordering. Minimalists appreciated.

{dessert}

The Putnam Parfait

Layers of sweet, green lemon sorbet alternate with fresh berries. No need to consult experts to know this one's a winner!

The Carey Crepe

This Nutella crepe will revolutionize your concept of delicious. "Dessert" will never mean the same thing again.

Fodor's Feast

This chocolate brownie has a modular exterior of almonds, vanilla ice cream, and Oreo bits with a smooth, chocolaty interior. Also available, *mutatis mutandis*, with chocolate ice cream.

Savannah Bananas

A Pleistocene classic adapted to the modern palate: bananas and walnuts baked in a rum and brown sugar sauce, served with vanilla bean ice cream.

Linda's Soy Sundae

Vegan ice-cream topped with crunchy Berkeley granola. Be you a bank teller, a feminist, or their elusive conjunction, this one's for you!

The Stereo-Graham

Two graham crackers fused by a layer of dark chocolate.

Gödel's Chocolate Chip Cookie

No meal is complete without it!

For our daily Empiricist Special, consult the blank slate in the corner.

All sandwiches are available Skinner style: in a box.

Cater your events with Pinker Platters! We provide a beautiful arrangement of our most popular sandwiches in bite-sized portions.

Evolutionary psychologists have speculated that big tippers produce more offspring. Cheaters will not be tolerated.

Here's what the critics say about Shepard's Tables...

"Better than I could possibly imagine!"

Stephen Kosslyn

"From now on we'll associate cognitive science with delicious food!"

Rescorla & Wagner

"I encourage a positive stance towards Shepard's Tables!"

Dan Dennett

"What's with all the rabbit food?"

Early Hominid

"The best of all possible worlds... all it's missing is a Mad Martini Panini."

David Lewis

"My mind says no but my body says yes."

René Descartes

"More options than you can fit in your phonological loop!"

Alan Baddley

"Never been, but I often wonder what it's like..."

Thomas Nagel