Term: Sign

Quote: A sign is plainly a species of medium of communication, and medium of communication is a species of medium, and a medium is a species of third. [—]

A medium of communication is something, \( A \), which being acted upon by something else, \( N \), in its turn acts upon something, \( I \), in a manner involving its determination by \( N \), so that I shall thereby, through \( A \) and only through \( A \), be acted upon by \( N \).


References: EP 2:390-1

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