

'Rhema' (pub. 08.03.16-00:51). Quote in M. Bergman & S. Paavola (Eds.), *The Commens Dictionary: Peirce's Terms in His Own Words. New Edition*. Retrieved from <http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-basis-pragmatism-21>.

Term: Rhema

Quote: A *rheme* is a blank form of proposition, such that when each blank is filled with a proper name, the result is a proposition. The *valency* of a rheme is the number of proper names that have to be inserted in it to make a complete proposition.

Source: Peirce, C. S. (1905 [c.]). *The Basis of Pragmatism*. MS [R] 284.

References: MS [R] 284:36

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