

'Existence' (pub. 29.05.14-18:19). 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-fourth-curiosity-3>.

Term: Existence

Quote: All to which the senses normally testify without room for critical reasoning is usually and properly said to be "experienced"; and all that is truly experienced is, in the epistemological sense, *existent*. [—]

In the metaphysical sense, *existence* is that mode of being which consists in the resultant genuine dyadic relation of a strict individual with all the other such individuals of the same universe.

Source: Peirce, C. S. (1907). *The Fourth Curiosity*. MS [R] 200.

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