

'Class' (pub. 26.07.15-15:49). 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-grand-logic-book-i-reasoning-general-introduction-association-ideas-1>.

Term: Class

Quote: As experience clusters certain ideas into *sets*, so does the mind too, by its occult nature, cluster certain ideas into *sets*. These sets have various forms of connection. The simplest are sets of things all on one footing and agreeing in each belonging to the set. Such a set is a *class*. The clustering of ideas into *classes* is the simplest form which the association of ideas by the occult nature of ideas, or of the mind, can take.

Source: Peirce, C. S. (1893 [c.]). *Grand Logic: Book I. Of Reasoning in General. Introduction. The Association of Ideas*. MS [R] 400.

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