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Term: Sign

Quote: I define a Sign as anything which on the one hand is so determined by an

Object and on the other hand so determines an idea in a person's mind, that this latter determination, which I term the *Interpretant* of the sign, is thereby mediately determined by that Object. A sign, therefore, has a triadic relation to

its Object and to its Interpretant.

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