**Term:** Monad  
**Quote:** ...let a number of the proper designations of individual subjects be omitted, so that the assertion becomes a mere blank form for an assertion which can be reconverted into an assertion by filling all the blanks with proper names. I term such a blank form a *rheme*. [—] If the number of blanks is one, I term the rheme a *monad*.

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