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**Term:** External

**Quote:** An external object is anything that is not affected by any of man's cognitions (whether about it or about anything else) to whom it is external.

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