
**Term:** Analogy

**Quote:** Among probable inferences of mixed character, there are many forms of great importance. The most interesting, perhaps, is the argument from Analogy, in which, from a few instances of objects agreeing in a few well-defined respects, inference is made that another object, known to agree with the others in all but one of those respects, agrees in that respect also.


**References:** CP 2.787

**Date of Quote:** 1902

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