
**Term:** Habit-taking  
**Quote:** Is this classification of “mental states” as feelings and thoughts sufficiently scientific? Is it not better to adopt the *logical* division not of “mental states” but of mental elements, into feeling-qualities, reactions (volition and experience), and habit-taking?  
**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (1891 [c.]). *Questions on William James's Principles of Psychology* 1. MS [R] 1099.  
**References:** CP 8.80  
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