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**Term:** Argument

**Quote:** An Argument is a sign whose interpretant represents its object as being an ulterior sign through a law, namely, the law that the passage from all such premisses to such conclusions tends to the truth. Manifestly, then, its object must be general; that is, the Argument must be a Symbol. As a Symbol it must, further, be a Legisign. Its Replica is a Dicent Sinsign.

**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (1903). *A Syllabus of Certain Topics of Logic*. Boston: Alfred Mudge & Son.

**References:** EP 2:296

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