

'Reason' (pub. 18.03.18-12:12). Quote in M. Bergman & S. Paavola (Eds.), *The Commens Dictionary: Peirce's Terms in His Own Words. New Edition*. Retrieved from <http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-lecture-i-r-12>.

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**Term:** Reason

**Quote:** The very being of the General, of Reason, *consists* in its governing individual events. So, then, the essence of Reason is such that its being never can have been completely perfected. It always must be in a state of incipency, of growth.

**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (1903). *Lecture I [R]*. MS [R] 449.

**References:** MS [R] 449:45; EP 2:255

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