**Term:** Singular

**Quote:** (1) Applicable, as a sign, to a single individual.

(2) In mathematics: a singular place upon a continuum is a place whose properties differ from those of all other places in the vicinity, so as to constitute in one aspect a discontinuity.

**Source:** Peirce, C. S. (1902). Singular. In J. M. Baldwin (Ed.), *Dictionary of Philosophy and Psychology, Vol. II* (pp. 533). London: Macmillan and Co.

**References:** DPP 2:533

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