A "Sign is an End" (i.e., something of a category of body) which is not the recognition of anything of the same category of being of which it is an effect, but is the recognition of the end or product of producing it. Thus, a sign is an end or effect which, when observed, ensures certain conditions are fulfilled upon a person who fulfills certain conditions and is capable of producing its effects that another thing or a collection of other things are effects that another thing or a collection of other things would fulfill produce. These conditions being the possession by a person of a practical understanding of the system of corresponding.