Three acts of the mind

Mental Act:
• Simple Apprehension
• Judgment
• Deductive Inference

Verbal Expression:
• Term
• Proposition
• Syllogism

Simple Apprehension

Sense Perception
Mental Image
Concept
**Sense perception** is the act of seeing or hearing or smelling or tasting or touching.

**Mental image** is the image of an object formed in the mind as a result of a sense perception of that object.
The concept of a thing is an abstract idea in the mind which signifies (or “stands for”) the thing itself.

Simple apprehension is the act by which the mind grasps the concept or general meaning of an object without affirming or denying anything about it.