

How To Use Mention, Or Where (Not) To Put Quotation Marks

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According to tradition, speakers designate expressions by mentioning them, that is, at least in the austere language of written academic philosophy, by enclosing them within quotation marks. I present some evidence that seems difficult to incorporate within the standard use/mention distinction, and I informally discuss some possible analyses and their theoretical commitments.