

## Perception

### A. Compulsory Readings:

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### C. Essay Question

Must the notion of sense data play a role in our understanding of perception?