

System Type: *atis* ClosedSystem

(*System type* is part of the metatheory and describes configurations and properties that characterize a specific system.)

Closed system, $\sim_O \mathfrak{S}$, =_{df} a system that has no feedin; that is, that is not open.

$${}_C \mathfrak{S} =_{df} \sim({}_O \mathfrak{S})$$

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Examples: There are probably no truly closed social systems. Even communities existing in mountains, remote areas, rain forests, jungles, etc. will probably have contact with other such communities, making each one an open system. However, certain schools may strive to be closed. Religious or certain paramilitary schools attempt to indoctrinate their students with certain beliefs and block all influences that could “corrupt” the desired vision or instruction. Such schools are selectively closed.