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Philosophy and cognitive sciences: problems of integration and interconnection

Cognitive science is an interdisciplinary field that studies the most complex processes of obtaining, transforming, storing, representing, and reproducing knowledge. It is noted that the variety of problems solved by cognitive science, the breadth of the subject field and the variety of scientific methods used necessitate a deep philosophical analysis of cognitive science, which is the only one and can contribute to a holistic understanding and identification of its features as a unique interdisciplinary or even transdisciplinary area of modern science. Philosophical analysis provides the necessary meta-theoretical approach to the study of cognitive science and cognitive sciences. Such an analysis makes it possible to identify philosophical, including epistemological, problems within the framework of cognitive science related to the peculiarities of the subject, epistemological and axiological attitudes, methodology, and the nature of interdisciplinary interactions. In conclusion, it is concluded that the philosophical approach to the analysis of cognitive science is important for philosophy itself, including for determining its place and significance in the system of cognitive sciences, which are far from unambiguously evaluated.

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