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Prologue

On doorways.

This book is the treatise of Conciliatorics. It is a living document, not a closed one: the core of the philosophical parcel is in place; other parcels, and further developments of this one, remain open on purpose. The argument begins in the next chapter. What follows here is only how to enter.

The text will not travel in prose alone. Compact notation, diagrams, and structured records will appear beside the discursive line, each doing a job the others cannot. None of that is ornament. A willing reader is assumed — someone already curious enough to step in. The book does not recruit.

Terms are bounded because the work is reconciliation, not a survey of all systems thought. Tables and equations are part of the same path as the paragraphs.

The last pages of the volume are an epilogue, a summary of the joints, and two glossaries in the old style. They are there for the reader who wants a way out, or a way to look something up, without leaving the book.

PART 1

Introduction

Systemics

On what you can and can't grasp.

The analytical exploration of systems has taken many approaches over time. Some researchers have tackled the issue from established disciplines like mathematics, computer science, and philosophy. Others have developed approaches that treat systems as their starting point and main subject, such as cybernetics, systems theory, and ecology.

Due to the diverse nature of these approaches, integrating the knowledge derived from each field has always been a challenge. Attempts to address this challenge include general systems theory, systemics, and systems science. There is ongoing debate about what meta-discipline should group the collective knowledge related to systems — or even if such a meta-discipline is necessary. Some argue that the very nature of systems resists this type of consolidation.

For the purposes of this project, we will avoid this debate and assume the following:

- Systems can have a meta-discipline that encompasses their broad analytical work.
- For brevity, we will use the term “systemics” to refer to this meta-discipline.
- Systemics should not seek or force a total integration of concepts from each analytical approach.
- Systemics should serve as an analytical upper bound and container for knowledge related to systems.

With that in mind, we define the following:

- **SYSTEMICS:** A meta-discipline that groups different perspectives on the study of systems.

This meta-discipline prepares the foundation for our main topic: Conciliatorics.

- **CONCILIATORICS:** A perspective within Systemics that aims to reconcile the ways we approach systems.

Those ways are how we interact with systems. Reconciling the ways we theorize about systems is a different task.

Conciliatorics is the container perspective: any concept used here has its proper analytical context. Systemics is the meta-discipline:

concepts and ideas implemented here can coexist with other systems perspectives without the need for conceptual consolidation. We are not trying to absorb cybernetics, ecology, or mathematics into one vocabulary.

The purpose of this framework is to *reconcile* — hence its name. That work requires an abundance of properly bounded terms. On a first read, the multi-level approach may look like proliferation for its own sake. It is not. The world's interactions are already this dense; the difficulty of representing them is part of the difficulty of reconciling them, conceptually and in practice. We remain open to revising any section that fails that test. We are not open to flattening the framework so that it appears simpler than the situations it is meant to hold.

We start from Behavior Dynamics.

Behavior Dynamics

On the rules of the game.

Identifying the fundamental building blocks of systems analysis is a challenge. We often impose hierarchical structures, but these can conflict with the complexity of systemic interactions. Starting with a model that is too simplistic, or overly complex, creates problems of its own as the analysis develops.

We are going to offer a model labeled **Behavior Dynamics**. It contains one main systemic phenomenon (**Behavior**) and three main systemic entities (**System**, **Member**, **Medium**).

- **BEHAVIOR**: The transformation of a medium by system members.
- **SYSTEM**: An environment where interrelated members express behavior.
- **MEMBER**: A unit that expresses behavior within a system.
- **MEDIUM**: Components of a system transformed by its members to express their behavior.

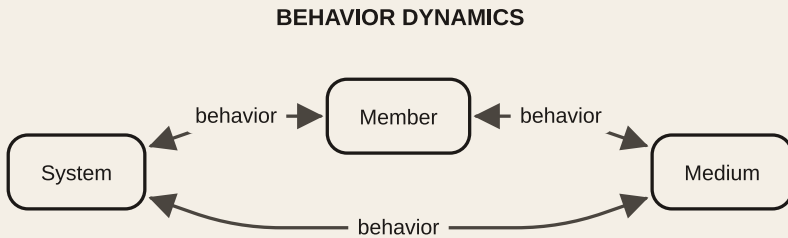


Diagram showing the interactions between the System, Member, Medium and Behavior elements

These four are simultaneous and interrelated. You do not first have a system and then add members to it, or first have a medium and then wait for behavior to appear. The arrangement is an intellectual device for exploring their interaction, not a claim about which one is more real.

The distinction that most often collapses is the one between **system** and **medium**. A garden, as an environment of interrelated members — plants, insects, a gardener — is a system. The soil the gardener works, the water they redirect, the seeds they select: those are medium. Behavior is what happens when members transform that medium. If

you treat the soil as if it were the garden, or the garden as if it were a pile of soil, the rest of this framework will not sit still.

Other starting systemic models can be compatible with Conciliatorics, as long as they do not hinder its intentions. We welcome analytical bridges with other models. And if a better starting model is found later — endogenous or by external suggestion — we will adapt it to the rest of the work. We needed a starting framework. This is the one we are using.

Systemic Intervention

On entering the field.

Behavior Dynamics leads to various types of interactions and configurations. One of them is **Systemic Intervention**. This interaction is explicitly hierarchical and based on the member entity.

- **SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION:** Action performed by a member that seeks to influence the behavior of a system.
- **INTERVENER:** Member that implements systemic intervention in a system.

SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION

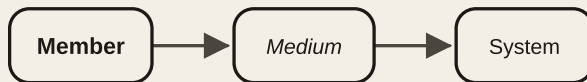


Diagram showing the progression between the Member, Medium and System elements in systemic intervention

A member's behavior can be intentional or not, localized or expansive, short-term or planned ahead. Systemic intervention is intentional, expansive, and planned ahead. That behavior designates a member as an **intervener**. The label does not preclude the same member from holding other roles in the same system. Further developments in Behavior Dynamics will introduce additional interaction labels.

Inventive Intervention

Of the different subtypes of systemic intervention, we will narrow our focus to one that will serve as the main foundation of Conciliatorics: **Inventive Systemic Intervention**. For simplicity, we will refer to this subtype as **Inventive Intervention**. For now, any other subtypes will be categorized as **Non-Inventive Systemic Intervention**, so that we do not diverge from our focus.

- **INVENTIVE SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION:** Exploration of a system's medium that seeks to influence its behavior.

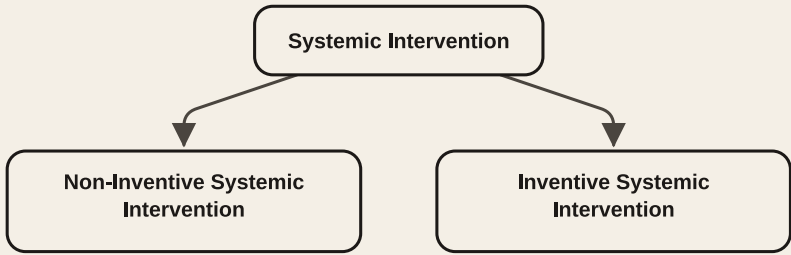


Diagram showing the bifurcation between Inventive Systemic Intervention and Non-Inventive Systemic Intervention

Inventive intervention works the medium *before* proceeding to the system’s effects. A cook does not influence a meal by instructing the guests; they work the ingredients. A legislator does not influence a polity by wishing it otherwise; they work the text of a statute, the medium through which that influence is supposed to travel. In both cases the intended intervention is enhanced by staying with the medium long enough to change it.

While the medium is transformed toward its desired state, the intervener can also improve their craftsmanship. That feedback runs among all three entities: a better medium, a more capable member, a system whose behavior has somewhere to go. When several interveners enter the same loop, and when that loop stretches across space and time, the behavior that results is highly complex.

INVENTIVE SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION

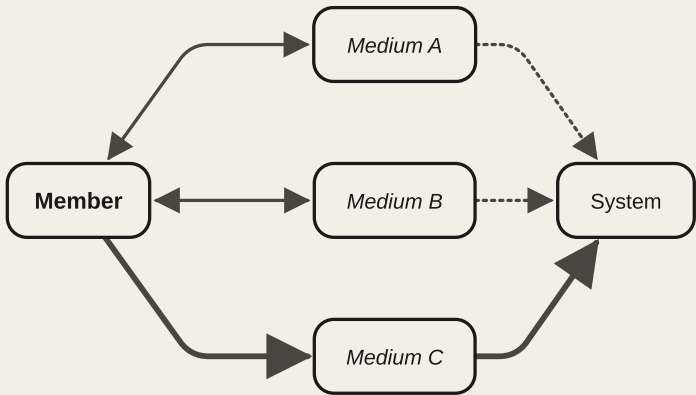


Diagram showing an example of different mediums interacting with the same Member and System elements

To manage inventive intervention at this analytical level, we need a concise yet flexible foundation. We will break that complexity into distinct parcels.

Inventive Parcellation

On finding your place.

There are multiple ways to structure inventive intervention internally. For Conciliatorics, we focus on **Inventive Parcellation**. We respect and welcome alternative structures, but this one is necessary for the current state of Conciliatorics. Any alternative model must integrate with it.

- **INVENTIVE PARCELLATION:** Primary structure of inventive intervention.
- **INVENTIVE APPROACH:** Method of inventive intervention.
- **INVENTIVE POSITION:** Focus of inventive intervention.

These are not autonomous dynamics. Every time an intervener performs inventive intervention, there is a **method and a focus** related to that behavior. Each parcellation places an *emphasis*. The other mandatory elements — behavior, member, medium, system — are still present.

Approach and position

The next cut is where that emphasis sits.

- **CONTEMPLATION:** Inventive approach with emphasis on the *intervener*. Relates to *knowledge building* and *judgement*.
- **TRANSFORMATION:** Inventive approach with emphasis on the *system*. Relates to *concrete change* and *performance*.
- **INTRINSICALITY:** Inventive position with emphasis on the *intervenable*. Relates to *direct engagement* and *inherent properties*.
- **INTERSTITIALITY:** Inventive position with emphasis on the *systemic*. Relates to *intangible outcomes* and *relational properties*.

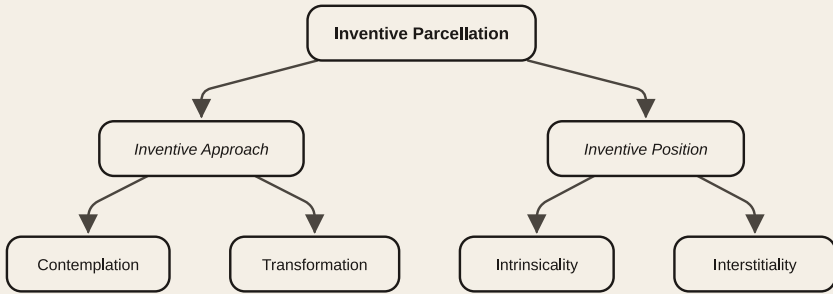


Diagram showing both levels of Inventive Parcellation's bifurcation

Contemplation and Transformation are the more familiar of the two pairs. Their difference is whether the intervener is building knowledge of a given arrangement of Behavior Dynamics, or facilitating a change that reorganizes those elements.

Intrinsicality and Interstitiality need more care, because ordinary language collapses them. Imagine that you have a *ceramic mug*. You grow attached to it, to the point that you call it “your mug”. One day you lose that mug, and someone gifts you a *glass mug*. You start using it, but it is not “your mug”. **Ceramic** and **glass** are intrinsic: they belong to the materials the mug is made of, and they would still be ceramic and glass if no one ever loved the object. A mug being **yours** is interstitial. It arises from the relation you develop with it over time, and it is not inherent to you or to the mug.

The same cut appears elsewhere. The chemical composition of a river is intrinsic. That the same river is a border between two states is interstitial: nothing in the water is a border.

Inventive Parcels

An extended analysis of the four elements in isolation may be interesting. In this model they are never isolated, so we move to their configurations.

- **INVENTIVE PARCELS:** Main configurations of inventive parcellation: Intrinsic Contemplation, Intrinsic Transformation, Interstitial Contemplation, and Interstitial Transformation.

INVENTIVE PARCELS	Intrinsicality	Interstitiality
Contemplation	Intrinsic Contemplation	Interstitial Contemplation

INVENTIVE PARCELS	Intrinsicality	Interstitiality
Transformation	Intrinsic Transformation	Interstitial Transformation

These four can be small actions or large endeavors. They can be performed by a single intervener or by many, and they can develop in a contained way or over time. They are never, in this model, four unrelated practices. We turn next to the parcels that progress continuously.

Inventive Edification

On peaks and legacy.

Self-contained inventive interventions can be useful. The most impactful ones are those that contribute to **Inventive Edification** — a process typically reserved for highly intelligent species. More fundamental forms of intervention remain accessible to a broader range of organisms.

- **INVENTIVE EDIFICATION:** Continuous and expansive development of inventive parcels.

INVENTIVE EDIFICATION	Intrinsicality	Interstitiality
Contemplation	Edified Intrinsic Contemplation	Edified Interstitial Contemplation
Transformation	Edified Intrinsic Transformation	Edified Interstitial Transformation

These edifications are the product of progressive improvements by many interveners. They begin to resemble the complexities of human culture and industry: not a single inventive act, but a lineage of acts that keeps developing the parcel itself.

Field associations

To give the four edifications a familiar face — not to replace them — we offer a set of **field associations**:

INVENTIVE EDIFICATION	SYMBOL	FIELD
Edified Intrinsic Contemplation	(cS)	Sciences
Edified Intrinsic Transformation	(tS)	Technology
Edified Interstitial Contemplation	)cS(	Philosophy
Edified Interstitial Transformation	)tS(	The Arts

These associations are a way in. They are not the main topics of this treatise, and they are not a claim that the fields *are* the parcels.

Each field already carries its own terminology; importing it wholesale would confuse the analysis. If “edified intrinsic transformation” is still abstract, it is enough to begin by considering it *as related to technology* — and then to return to the parcel, which is what we are actually talking about.

Symbols

The symbols are a shorter representation of the same four. Their parts are not decorative:

- Parentheses indicate position: () for Intrinsicity,) (for Interstitiality.
- The lowercase c and t represent Contemplation and Transformation.
- The uppercase S refers to the Behavior Dynamics components.

The lower- and uppercase formatting is not arbitrary. It marks a subordination: inventive edification (lowercase c and t) remains under the systemic components (uppercase S). Sciences, technology, philosophy, and the arts are meant to serve the members, the medium, and the system they inhabit — not the other way around. That order of priority is the whole point of the notation. It will expand in meaning in the next section.

Inventive Ossification

On lapse and downfall.

Inventive Edification, when it stays in healthy alignment with Behavior Dynamics, can significantly enhance the experiences of system members. That progression becomes dysfunctional when the relationship between the intervention and Behavior Dynamics is corrupted. What was a dynamic edification begins to **ossify**.

- **INVENTIVE OSSIFICATION:** The manifestation of dysfunctional processes in inventive edification.

INVENTIVE OSSIFICATION	Intrinsicality	Interstitiality
Contemplation	Ossified Intrinsic Contemplation	Ossified Interstitial Contemplation
Transformation	Ossified Intrinsic Transformation	Ossified Interstitial Transformation

Ossification emerges when interveners begin prioritizing the edification itself over the system it was meant to serve. A tool for systemic enhancement becomes an autonomous end. The original relationship with Behavior Dynamics warps.

The symbols record that reversal. Contemplation and transformation rise to uppercase; Behavior Dynamics shrinks to a lowercase s. The order of priority has inverted.

The interplay between intrinsicality and interstitiality rigidifies as well. A healthy tension becomes dogmatic separation: an excessive focus on one position suppresses the other. We mark that stiffness by replacing the circular fluidity of *parentheses* with the squared corners of *brackets*.

The field associations corrupt with them. Open environments for developing ideas and practices calcify into **ideologies**. The interveners most devoted to an ossified parcel begin to demand systemic subordination to their framework. All aspects of Behavior Dynamics must now pass through their ideological filter.

INVENTIVE OSSIFICATION	SYMBOL	IDEOLOGY
Ossified Intrinsic Contemplation	[Cs]	Scientism
Ossified Intrinsic Transformation	[Ts]	Technologism
Ossified Interstitial Contemplation	]Cs[	Philosophism
Ossified Interstitial Transformation	]Ts[	Aestheticism

This ossification can lead to lasting conflict on several fronts at once:

- **Between interveners**, over what values or principles should dominate within an ossified domain.
- **Between ossified parcels**, each competing to subordinate the others and become the system’s main framework.
- **Between preservers and challengers**, as some interveners defend the ossification, while others resist the ossified treatment of a once-dynamic inventive parcel.

A scientific community can fight internally over which method is the only method, while also demanding that technology, philosophy, and the arts justify themselves in scientific terms, while also policing those of its own members who would loosen the ideology. The three fronts do not wait their turn.

For those unwilling to accept ossification as a permanent condition, a path remains. These interveners have to reconcile the ossified state with the edification’s original purpose.

Inventive Conciliation

On growth and renewal.

Ossification is a fracture in the relation among inventive parcels. To amend it, we restore their reciprocal nature and reestablish their collaborative flow.

- **INVENTIVE CONCILIATION:** The restoration of functional processes in inventive edification.

This restoration may take many forms, depending on the context and the nature of the ossification. One such process is the **Parcels Council**.

- **PARCELS COUNCIL:** A standing method for facilitating conciliation, structured as a constitution of individually-invocable articles rather than a sequential procedure.

Each **article** can be invoked on its own whenever the situation calls for it, and none is retired once followed. Conciliation is not a new ideology to replace the old one.

- **Article 1: Identify** which inventive parcel corresponds to the ossified intervention. Use the associated fields and ideologies to help pinpoint its identity.
- **Article 2: Explore** how the edification's outcome interacts with the other parcels. A valid outcome must be systemically congruent with how each parcel engages Behavior Dynamics.
- **Article 3: Observe** friction and disagreements. These are natural and should be noted. When the outcome of a parcel is blatantly incongruent with the others, that is a strong sign of ossification.
- **Article 4: Revise** the edification outcome until sufficient integration is reached. Full harmony is not required — as long as no parcel is invalidated, the process can move forward.
- **Article 5: Maintain** your inventive **focus**, but stay aware of the **periphery**. You can examine the trees through the window, while still holding the forest in mind.
- **Article 6: Refine** your inventive **method**, but integrate the rest of the **toolset**. Be the best hammer you can be — while making space for the right tools when you are not facing a nail.

Because these are articles and not steps, developing one further is a matter of adding subsections beneath it — Article 2.1, Article 2.2, and so on — not renumbering the articles around it.

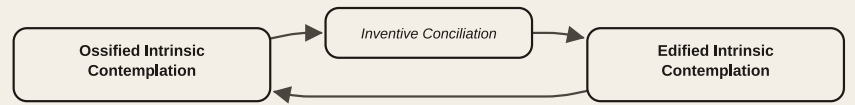


Diagram showing the cycle between *Ossified Intrinsic Contemplation*, *Inventive Conciliation* and *Edified Intrinsic Contemplation*

Even when reconciliation is achieved, it is never final. Edification can ossify again at any moment. Inventive conciliation is less a rare event than a continuous task woven into systemic practice. Political intrigue, personal ambition, and identitarian blindness will always raise the risk of ossification.

The complete arrangement of the components involved in inventive intervention can be visualized like this:

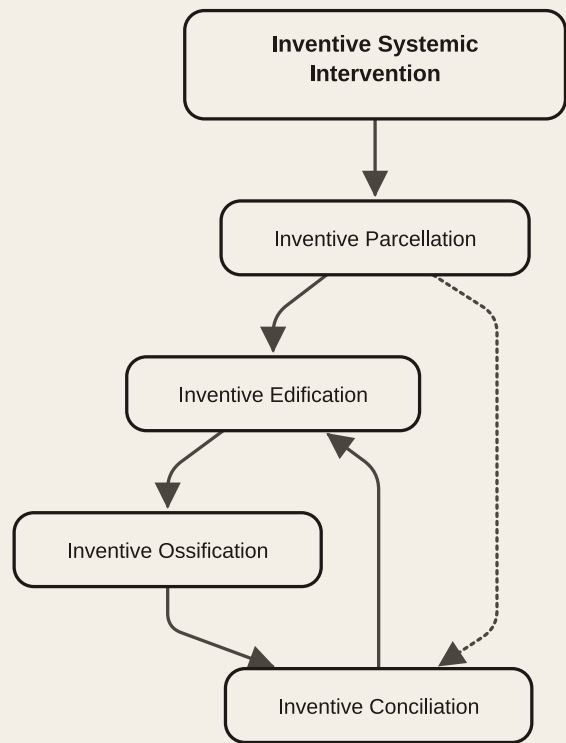


Diagram showing the full progression *Inventive Systemic Intervention*

This concludes the high-level concepts of Conciliatorics. The four parcels remain available; each can be developed in its own depth. In the chapters that follow, we turn to **Edified Interstitial Contemplation** and its associated field, Philosophy. We consider this inventive parcel to carry the highest risk of ossification — and therefore the greatest potential for Conciliatorics to be implemented.

PART 2

Edified Interstitial Contemplation

Attributes Dynamics

On mapping the unseen.

Part 1 left us at the parcel with the highest risk of ossification: Edified Interstitial Contemplation, or **EIC**. Its associated field is Philosophy. Its job, inside Conciliatorics, is contemplative work on interstitial qualities of Behavior Dynamics — not a new cosmology, and not a license to start from scratch.

The material of that work is the **Attribute**.

- **ATTRIBUTE**: Specific quality of a system, member or a medium. In this framework, an attribute is not merely a passive trait but a dynamic component that interacts with behavior, structure, and purpose.

Many philosophical frameworks invent a new foundation for every such quality. We already have Behavior Dynamics. That starting model keeps EIC congruent with the other inventive parcels, so that an analytical development here can still be traced back to the same members, medium, and system that the sciences, technology, and the arts also engage.

What we still need is a structure that lets us explore those qualities without the exploration falling apart. We'll label this model **Attributes Dynamics**. It is not to be carelessly altered — any revision must account for its impact on the rest of the conceptual ecosystem.

- **ATTRIBUTES DYNAMICS**: An EIC model designed to promote analytical exploration and integration of attributes.
- **ATTRIBUTES REGULATION**: EIC step that provides the rule set for the attributes structure and status exploration.
- **ATTRIBUTES STRUCTURE**: EIC step that explores the interstitial anatomy components of Behavior Dynamics.
- **ATTRIBUTES STATUS**: EIC step that studies the interstitial physiology processes of Behavior Dynamics.
- **ATTRIBUTES SYNTHESIS**: EIC step that integrates the exploration of attributes structure and status.

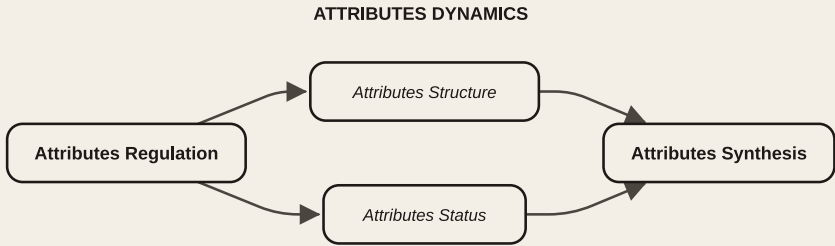


Diagram showing the interactions between the internal components of Attributes Dynamics

Attributes Structure and Attributes Status have the largest potential for conceptual exploration and implementation. Attributes Regulation and Attributes Synthesis serve as containers: they keep that exploration congruent within EIC and with the rest of the inventive parcels.

We begin with Attributes Regulation.

Attributes Regulation

On return tickets.

The essence of inventive edification is to proliferate until a beneficial outcome is reached. That impulse is not a flaw. A contemplative parcel that refuses to generate new distinctions will never have enough material to reconcile anything. The danger is the other side of the same motion: exploration without a way home. Terms multiply, diagrams accumulate, and after a while it is no longer clear whether a new distinction is still inside the framework or has quietly become a private language.

We have already watched this degeneration at the scale of whole parcels. Inventive Ossification is what happens when an edification stops serving Behavior Dynamics and starts demanding that Behavior Dynamics pass through it. Attributes Dynamics can fail in the same way, internally. If EIC is allowed to invent without a rule set, it will reproduce inside itself the unregulated scope we are trying to spare philosophy from.

So we begin the EIC journey with a concrete analytical regulation — not to shrink the exploration, but to keep it from degenerating as it grows.

- **ATTRIBUTES REGULATION:** EIC step that provides the rule set to explore the attributes structure and status.

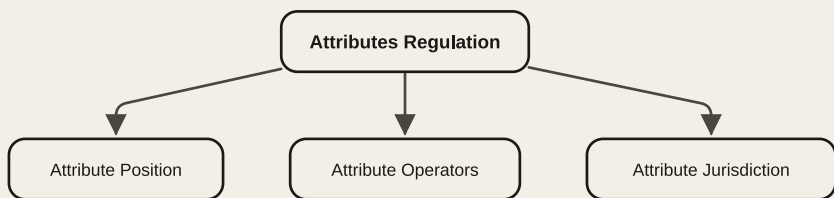


Diagram showing the internal components of Attributes Regulation

That rule set has three parts, and they are the three chapters that follow:

- **Attribute Position** — what we are allowed to focus on. Every attribute sits on a position: intrinsic or interstitial. EIC commits to the interstitial side.

- **Attribute Operators** — how attributes are allowed to relate. We do not work with isolated qualities. We work with attribute pairs, and with a small set of operators between them.
- **Attribute Jurisdiction** — where a concept is allowed to live. Each pair and each compound occupies a bounded environment.

Together they are the opening anchor of Attributes Dynamics. Attributes Synthesis will be the closing one. Between the two, Attributes Structure and Attributes Status are free to proliferate — that is their job — but they proliferate *inside* this rule set, not around it.

Attributes Regulation may be modified or expanded only if it serves the purpose of Conciliatorics.

We start with Attribute Position.

Attribute Position

On taking sides.

The first part of the rule set asks a precise question. EIC's inventive approach is contemplative, and its inventive position is interstitial — that much was settled in Part 1. When we approach a concrete attribute, a further cut has to be named: the *attribute position*.

- **ATTRIBUTE POSITION:** Focus of systemic attributes. The two main attribute positions are *intrinsic attributes* and *interstitial attributes*.

The cut is the same one the ceramic mug already taught. Ceramic and glass stay with the materials — and with the parcels that work inherent properties. That a mug is *yours* does not. EIC maintains its focus on **interstitial attributes**: the qualities that hold between things, not the qualities a thing carries in itself.

That is a strong departure from traditional Philosophy, which usually claims both. Metaphysics tries to say what exists in Reality. Instead of improving craftsmanship, expanding artistry, or using the scientific method to extract usable information, it produces perspectives that — although often interesting — lack integration with the broader knowledge reservoir. A theory of ceramic that never speaks to the potter, and a theory of “yours” that never speaks to how relations are actually formed, are free to be ingenious. They are not free to call that ingenuity a contribution to the other parcels.

This unregulated scope is, from our point of view, one of the main causes of ossification in philosophical frameworks. The other three inventive parcels usually have a clearer focus. Philosophy tends to give itself license to analyze everything that feels appropriate. The perspectives can be striking. They also tend to depart from the outcomes of other fields. The disconnection between current philosophical discussion and the broader culture has its roots here.

There is a historical shape to that disconnection. Philosophy in the West was originally conceived as the upper bound of knowledge, containing also what we now categorize as the sciences. Once the scientific method emancipated the sciences and took a predominant position in society and culture, Philosophy has struggled to define itself and its proper boundaries. Conciliatorics offers an alternative: a specific

home for the philosophical instinct, without the need to compete with the other fields for relevance. EIC does not become more ambitious by claiming the ceramic. It becomes more useful by staying with what is interstitial, and by remaining able to hand the ceramic back.

We can now proceed to the mechanics through which attributes relate.

Attribute Operators

On connecting the dots.

Systems can reach high levels of complexity through the interplay of diverse interactions. That does not mean the building blocks are simple. A reductionist impulse looks for rudimentary starting points, and often “finds” them by stripping a quality of everything that made it able to combine. In our perspective, the initial components have to be special enough to build complex configurations — so much so that thought and language cannot represent them honestly in isolation.

A hinge has two leaves. Describing only one of them does not give you a simpler hinge. It gives you a door that cannot move. Rather than working with isolated attributes, we use **attribute pairs** as the fundamental systemic unit.

- **ATTRIBUTE PAIR:** The fundamental systemic unit in EIC, used instead of isolated attributes. Inherently contains Side A, Side B, and the dynamic relationship between them.

Each pair is already three things at once: one side, the other side, and the relation that holds them. That relation is not an afterthought. Attribute pairs that are closely interrelated need to be regarded with equal importance. When they are held that way, the paired set is in a state of **symmetry**. If one of the attributes is prioritized, the pair is in a state of **asymmetry**. Symmetry is balanced interdependence; asymmetry is directional prioritization.

- **SYMMETRY:** Balanced, mutually-interdependent relationship between the sides of an attribute pair. Symbol: $\equiv$ (“Identical to” symbol. Unicode: U+2261).
- **ASYMMETRY:** Directional prioritization within an attribute pair; broken symmetry. Symbol: $\neq$ (“Not identical to” symbol. Unicode: U+2262).

A scale in balance is symmetry: both pans matter, and the reading is the relation. A scale with a thumb on one pan is still a scale, but the relation has been tilted. The pair has not disappeared. It has been prioritized.

The remaining operators do not replace the pair. They let pairs combine, lean, and act on one another.

When we are dealing with relations between different attribute pairs, or with attributes of different paired sets, we call those relations **concatenations**.

- **CONCATENATION**: Interaction between different attribute pairs, or between attributes of different paired sets. Symbol: $\wedge$ (“Caret” symbol. Unicode: U+005E).

When we want to focus on one attribute of a paired set, or on one element of a compounded interaction, without dismissing the other side, we implement an **accentuation**.

- **ACCENTUATION**: Focus on one attribute of a paired set, or on one element of a compounded interaction, without dismissing the other side. Symbol: $\leftarrow$ (“Leftwards arrow” symbol. Unicode: U+2190).

When we are dealing with a concrete effect of one attribute element or compound over another, we describe it as a **modulation**.

- **MODULATION**: The concrete effect of one attribute element or compound over another; alters internal dynamics rather than heightening or combining. Symbol: $\rightarrow$ (“Rightwards arrow” symbol. Unicode: U+2192).

The complete set is the following:

ATTRIBUTE OPERATOR	SYMBOL
Symmetry	$\equiv$
Asymmetry	$\neq$
Concatenation	$\wedge$
Accentuation	$\leftarrow$
Modulation	$\rightarrow$

One more note on how the symbols combine: a letter’s position inside an expression is part of its meaning, not incidental to it. A prefix attached to a term occupies a different symbolic role than that same letter used as a standalone or core symbol elsewhere — position disambiguates them. Two prefixes sharing a letter, or two core symbols sharing a letter, would be a real collision; a prefix and a core symbol sharing one generally isn’t. We’ll still flag it explicitly whenever a given case is ambiguous enough that position alone doesn’t settle it.

Attribute Jurisdiction

On tangled borders.

The last part of the rule set is the idea that each attribute pair, and each compounded interaction of pairs, **must have clear boundaries**. To keep those boundaries in view, we assign **jurisdictions** to Conciliatorics elements.

- **SYSTEMIC JURISDICTION:** The bounded environment that contains Conciliatorics components.

This terminology reaches backward as well as forward. The four inventive parcels each operate within their own *systemic jurisdiction*, whose boundaries are defined by the complementarity between their inventive approach and inventive position. A parcel that forgets those boundaries is already on the way to ossification. We now extend the same discipline to the components of Attributes Dynamics:

- **ATTRIBUTE JURISDICTION:** The bounded environment that contains Attributes Dynamics components.

Inventive ossification tends to erode these boundaries. The proper scope of a parcel, or of a concept inside EIC, begins to overreach into others.

- **JURISDICTIONAL OVERREACH:** The process by which one jurisdiction breaks boundaries to exert control over others.

A finance ministry that starts writing security protocols is overreaching. So is a philosophical framework that starts telling the sciences what their ceramic is allowed to be.

Overreach is not the only way boundaries fail. Healthy jurisdictional boundaries aim for proper **differentiation**. They can also deteriorate by **dissociation** or **dissolution**.

- **JURISDICTIONAL DIFFERENTIATION:** The process and systemic state in which boundaries are properly maintained. The jurisdiction is aware of its distinct role while cultivating healthy interactions — this promotes **systemic diplomacy**.
- **JURISDICTIONAL DISSOCIATION:** The process and systemic state in which boundaries fracture. The jurisdiction isolates itself, forming a **systemic silo**.

- **JURISDICTIONAL DISSOLUTION:** The process and systemic state in which boundaries merge. The jurisdiction fuses into others, forming a **systemic amalgam**.

A standards body that will not speak to the engineers who implement the standard has dissociated: the boundary is intact as a wall, and useless as a border. Two offices merged until a decision has no owner have dissolved: there is no longer a jurisdiction to be honest about. A court that knows it is not a legislature, and still has to work with one, is closer to differentiation — a distinct role, in contact.

With that framework in place, we can name a starting environment for the next EIC concepts:

1. We begin with the **spatial** and **temporal** attribute pair.
 2. The spatial attribute expands into the **stillness** and **movement** attribute pair.
 3. The temporal attribute expands into the **successiveness** and **simultaneity** attribute pair.
 4. These three attribute pairs are contained by the **primary jurisdiction**.
- **PRIMARY JURISDICTION:** The initial environment of attribute pairs within Attributes Dynamics.

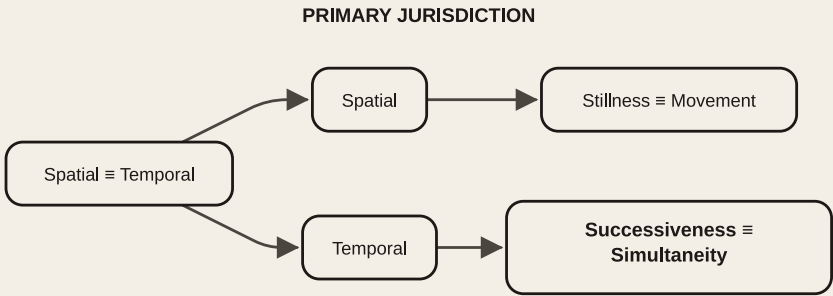


Diagram showing the components of the Primary Jurisdiction

A garden is already spatial and temporal at once: plots and paths, and the hour they are in. Held as rest and motion, the same garden is still or working. Held as sequence and co-occurrence, planting follows harvest, or many hands work the same bed at once. We do not need more than that yet. These pairs are the root we can walk back to when a later configuration has to prove it still belongs.

Representation Types

On different eyes.

Traditional Philosophy has one native tongue: the written word. Arguments are built, defended, and transmitted in prose, and prose alone is expected to carry the full weight of a concept, however intricate. We have already started to leave that habit. What remains is to name the departure, and to add a fourth type that the operators did not yet need.

A concept as self-referential and densely interconnected as Attributes Dynamics resists being fully captured by any single medium. Prose is excellent at nuance, argument, and context, but it struggles to hold many simultaneous relationships in view at once — by the time a sentence explains how a fourth term relates to the first three, the reader has often lost the shape of the whole. A symbol can hold that shape in a glance, but it says nothing about *why* the relationship holds. A diagram can show structure instantly, but it cannot argue. None of this implies that one medium is superior to the others. A diagram is not a better tool than an argument. It is a different tool.

We therefore commit to four distinct **representation types**, each covering ground the others cannot:

- **DISCURSIVE REPRESENTATION:** Representation through written or spoken language. The traditional medium of philosophical discourse, and the one carrying argument, nuance, and context — everything that requires connective reasoning to be understood.
- **SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION:** Representation through compact notation — the operators, letters, and equations introduced throughout Attributes Dynamics. It exists to hold dense relationships in a single, precise, and reusable form that prose would need paragraphs to restate each time.
- **GRAPHIC REPRESENTATION:** Representation through diagrams and images. It exploits spatial and visual relationships — position, proximity, symmetry — to make a structure legible at a glance, in a way that sequential language cannot.
- **SCHEMATIC REPRESENTATION:** Representation through structured, field-based records — content organized into explicit, consistent formats rather than free-flowing prose. Its principal value is one the other three representations do not offer: **storage**.

The operator table is already symbolic. The primary jurisdiction diagram is graphic. This paragraph is discursive. None of those four is optional decoration on top of the “real” discursive content. Let’s focus for a moment on the last representation type, as it is the most unusual of the set.

Schematic Representation

A discursive case study must be written anew each time, at real cost in effort and length. A diagram can show one instance clearly but not a hundred at once. A schematic record, by contrast, can be filled in quickly, compared against others of its kind, and accumulated into a genuine library — of definitions, of symbols, of worked examples — that stays organized and queryable as it grows. This is less a way of *explaining* a concept than a way of *keeping* one, and everything that has been derived or applied from it, without the collection collapsing into disorder as it expands. It also happens to be a form unusually legible to AI systems, a consideration we will return to eventually.

Here is a small excerpt, so the shape is visible rather than only described. We will go deeper later in the treatise.

operators:

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- id: symmetry
  family: operators
  symbol: "≡"
  notes: >
    A status qualifier inside a compound equation — for
    example the (b ≡ B)
    clause inside Functionality. It never produces a
    new named concept as the
    outermost operator.
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- id: asymmetry
  family: operators
  symbol: "≠"
  notes: >
    A status qualifier inside a compound equation — for
    example the (b ≠ B)
    clause inside Dysfunctionality. It never produces a
    new named concept as
    the outermost operator.
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Where earlier chapters have already used symbolic and graphic representation alongside prose, later chapters will begin using schematic

representation as well — most notably as a way of recording and accumulating applied case studies, a use we will return to in Attributes Synthesis.

PART 3

Attributes Structure

Attribute Accentuation

On heed and periphery.

Attributes Structure is the stretch of EIC that builds toward Interstitial Anatomy. We get there by applying operators to the pairs of the primary jurisdiction. The first of those operators, used *inside* a pair, is **accentuation**.

- **ATTRIBUTES STRUCTURE:** EIC step that explores the interstitial anatomy components of Behavior Dynamics.

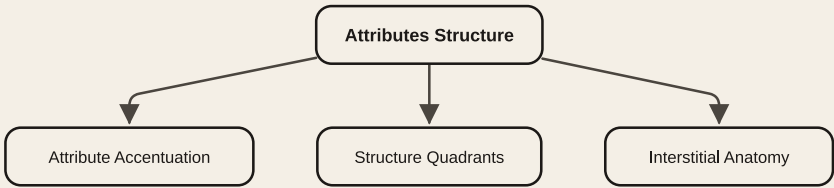


Diagram showing the components of Attributes Structure

- **ATTRIBUTE ACCENTUATION:** Temporary focus on one member of an attribute pair, without dismissing the other side.

The Stillness–Movement pair begins in symmetry: **Stillness $\equiv$ Movement**. A garden at rest and a garden at work are not two gardens. Focusing on the still one does not break that symmetry, so long as the working one is not dismissed. Accentuation marks the focus: **Stillness $\leftarrow$ Movement**.

ACCENTUATION	SYMBOLIC FORM
Stillness $\leftarrow$ Movement = Pro-Stillness	$Q \leftarrow M = pQ$
Movement $\leftarrow$ Stillness = Pro-Movement	$M \leftarrow Q = pM$
Simultaneity $\leftarrow$ Successiveness = Pro-Simultaneity	$Si \leftarrow Su = pSi$
Successiveness $\leftarrow$ Simultaneity = Pro-Successiveness	$Su \leftarrow Si = pSu$

Using the full pair every time soon becomes impractical. Naming only “Stillness” is worse: the complement disappears from the page and, soon after, from the analysis. The “pro-” prefix keeps the pair in view: **Stillness $\leftarrow$ Movement = Pro-Stillness**.

In EIC, “pro” does not imply preference, and it does not mean we are against the other side (there is no “Anti-Movement” here). Focusing on the still garden is not a vote against the working one. The other side remains available. The prefix is a concise tool for building further concepts while staying inside Attributes Regulation.

The form $Q \leftarrow M = pQ$ will carry that focus into denser configurations. Next we join these accentuations to one another.

Structure Quadrants

On $1 + 1 = 11$.

Accentuation has given us four new concepts:

- Pro-Stillness pQ
- Pro-Movement pM
- Pro-Successiveness pSu
- Pro-Simultaneity pSi

Each of those is still only a focused side of a pair. To go further we apply another operator — this time not inside a pair, but between accentuations that do not belong to the same pair.

Remember that we use concatenation to represent relations between concepts that do not belong to attribute pairs (or to other types of tightly interconnected components). You can read concatenation like this: Element A is **IN THE PRESENCE OF** Element B, and just their joined presence creates a particular quality. The word “No” only signals an abstract negation; the word “Home” refers to a place of residence. Concatenate them and you get “No home”, which opens a much denser set of associations — the feeling that you cannot call any place your home. In short, “abandonment”. The new quality is not the sum of the parts. It is what appears when the parts are held together.

- **STRUCTURE QUADRANT:** Concatenation of two attribute accentuations, creating a potential interstitial state.

STRUCTURE QUADRANTS	SYMBOLIC FORM
Pro-Stillness ^ Pro-Successiveness = Discernibility	$pQ \wedge pSu = D$
Pro-Movement ^ Pro-Successiveness = Observability	$pM \wedge pSu = O$
Pro-Stillness ^ Pro-Simultaneity = Resolutivity	$pQ \wedge pSi = R$
Pro-Movement ^ Pro-Simultaneity = Operativity	$pM \wedge pSi = E$

We'll keep the same four birds — blue jay, sparrow, dove, and crow — across all four, each behaving true to its own nature rather than serving as an arbitrary stand-in.

Discernibility

Blue jays are creatures of habit: the same bird tends to return, year after year, to a yard or rooftop it has claimed. Picture one resting on yours, plumage held still enough to study. Years pass, and the same jay returns — its plumage now shifted with age and season. Neither moment alone would tell you much. Stillness without succession gives you detail but nothing to compare it against; succession without stillness gives you change too restless to read at all. **Discernibility** needs both: a phenomenon held still long enough to be read, and read again across a succession of such moments.

The same capacity shows up wherever a thing has to sit still, more than once, before it can be known. A physician who only ever sees a patient in motion will miss the lesion that shows at rest; one who sees them at rest only once will miss that the resting picture has changed. A cadastral line restaked over decades, a painting photographed in the same light every ten years, a clause reread after each amendment: these are discernibility at work.

- Pro-Stillness $\wedge$ Pro-Successiveness = Discernibility
- Symbolic form: $pQ \wedge pSu = D$

Observability

A fledgling sparrow makes its first attempt at flight: a clumsy flutter that barely clears the nest's edge. Any single attempt looks like failure, or luck, or nothing at all. It is only the succession of attempts — each flutter a little steadier, a little farther, than the one before — that lets us read the movement as *learning to fly* rather than random flailing. **Observability** is the intersection of Movement and Successiveness: movement becomes legible as a pattern only once it repeats.

A gait in a clinic, a price series, a phrase a student retries, a prototype taken through successive launches: none of these is readable as learning, or as trend, from a single frame of movement. You can freeze a stride and study it, but that is discernibility. Observability is what you have when the motion is allowed to happen again, and the again is what you watch.

- Pro-Movement $\wedge$ Pro-Successiveness = Observability
- Symbolic form: $pM \wedge pSu = O$

Resolutivity

A dove alone, sitting still, is just resting. But when a whole dule of doves goes still on a wire at the same instant — settling together the moment a hawk's shadow crosses the street — that shared, simultaneous stillness is what resolves the threat: safety in numbers, achieved in a single held beat. **Resolutivity** is the intersection of Stillness and Simultaneity: a challenge is resolved not by one element holding still, but by every relevant element holding still together.

A fermata is not one player pausing. A trading halt is not one desk going quiet. A classroom that stills together when an alarm sounds, a cluster pausing writes so a snapshot can be taken, a ceasefire that holds because both sides hold it at once: the challenge is settled by the simultaneous stillness, or it is not settled. One body at rest, while the rest keep moving, is only a rest.

- Pro-Stillness $\wedge$ Pro-Simultaneity = Resolutivity
- Symbolic form: $pQ \wedge pSi = R$

Operativity

One crow flying south means nothing in particular. A murder of crows lifting off together, all moving the same direction as the cold sets in, is a migration — a coordinated act no single bird could perform alone. **Operativity** is the intersection of Simultaneity and Movement: motion becomes an operation only once it is shared, at the same moment, across everyone taking part.

A surgical team making an incision, a pit crew on a stop, a chamber rising for a vote, a consensus round in a distributed ledger: the motion is not the interesting part by itself. Isolated motion is just travel. Operativity is what you have when the travel is concurrent, and the concurrency is the act.

- Pro-Movement $\wedge$ Pro-Simultaneity = Operativity
- Symbolic form: $pM \wedge pSi = E$

Now that the four quadrants are set, we are ready to assemble one of the most relevant sections of EIC: Interstitial Anatomy.

Interstitial Anatomy

On untouchable bodies.

The structure quadrants form a set similar to an attribute pair: $\{D \equiv O \equiv R \equiv E\}$. Each of the four holds equal weight. Shifting focus to one requires keeping its relation to the other three. So we use **accentuation** again — this time on the quadrants, not on the primary attributes.

QUADRANT ACCENTUATION	SYMBOLIC FORM
Accent on Discernibility = Discernment	$\{D \leftarrow (O \equiv R \equiv E)\} = iD$
Accent on Observability = Observation	$\{O \leftarrow (D \equiv R \equiv E)\} = iO$
Accent on Resolutivity = Resolution	$\{R \leftarrow (D \equiv O \equiv E)\} = iR$
Accent on Operativity = Operation	$\{E \leftarrow (D \equiv O \equiv R)\} = iE$

These accentuations form a new set: $\{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$.

- **INTERSTITIAL ANATOMY:** Set of concrete interstitial actions, composed of structure-quadrant accentuations.

The naming marks a cut we have been approaching since the quadrants. Discernibility is a **potential state** — one of four sides of an abstract interstitial design (the Structure Quadrants). A member discerning over a systemic element is a **concrete action** — performed by an agent with a specific interstitial method (Interstitial Anatomy). The capacity to know is not yet someone knowing. The same cut holds for the other three: observability is not observation, resolutivity is not resolution, operativity is not operation.

In analysis, the methods are used more often than the capacities. It helps that the term for the concrete action is the shorter one.

Inside Conciliatorics, **discernment** is enough. Outside it, the word has broader lives, so **interstitial discernment** is the safer name — “interstitial” as a surname. Within the family, John is enough; elsewhere, you may need John Smith. The same is true of observation, resolution, and operation.

To recap:

- **Discernibility:** potential state. Component of Structure Quadrants: $\{D \equiv O \equiv R \equiv E\}$

- **Discernment:** concrete action. Component of Interstitial Anatomy:
 $\{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$
- **Interstitial Discernment (iD):** appropriate term outside Conciliatorics.

We can now take each method in turn.

Discernment

On knowing.

Discernment is a behavior performed by a member. It can relate to that member’s identity in two ways: **bounded** (dependent on their perspective) or **non-bounded** (detached from their presence). In more familiar terms:

- **Non-bounded Discernment:** Objectivity
- **Bounded Discernment:** Subjectivity

A reading of a river’s height from a gauge is non-bounded: it does not depend on who is looking. A reading of the same river as “our border” is bounded: it depends on the politics that claim it. Both are discernment. They are not the same cut.

Discernments can also **assert** facts and perspectives, or **arrange** aspects of a phenomenon so that it can be grasped:

- **Assertive Discernment:** Assertion
- **Arranging Discernment:** Arrangement

These four aspects heavily influence how we discern. We hold them as **discernment ascendancies**.

DISCERNMENT ASCENDANCY	Objectivity	Subjectivity
Assertion	Veracity	Appreciation
Arrangement	Congruence	Evaluation

The intersections of the ascendancies are the **discernment parentage** — Objective Assertion, Objective Arrangement, Subjective Assertion, Subjective Arrangement. **Discernment parents** are not a second set. They are the same intersections under shorter names.

DISCERNMENT PARENTAGE	DISCERNMENT PARENT
Objective Assertion	Veracity
Objective Arrangement	Congruence
Subjective Assertion	Appreciation
Subjective Arrangement	Evaluation

The working set — and the one most useful in practice — comes from the authority balance between parents. These are the **discernment children**. Accentuation means one parent has more authority; concatenation means both hold equal authority.

DISCERNMENT AUTHORITY	DISCERNMENT CHILD
Veracity $\leftarrow$ Congruence	Property
Congruence $\leftarrow$ Veracity	Formation
Veracity $\wedge$ Congruence	Interaction
Appreciation $\leftarrow$ Evaluation	Preference
Evaluation $\leftarrow$ Appreciation	Standard
Appreciation $\wedge$ Evaluation	Criterion

A lesion that is there even though it does not fit the model is a **property**: veracity has authority over congruence. A map that still organizes a noisy set of readings is a **formation**: congruence has authority over veracity. A finding that is both accurate and well-formed is an **interaction**. On the subjective side, “I want this mug” is a **preference** “this is what counts as a mug here” is a **standard** a jury’s shared sense of what the case requires is a **criterion**.

Each child has its own jurisdiction, guided by its ascendancy. That is how the method can widen what we know without collapsing every reading into one. The **discernment family tree** holds the whole progression in view:

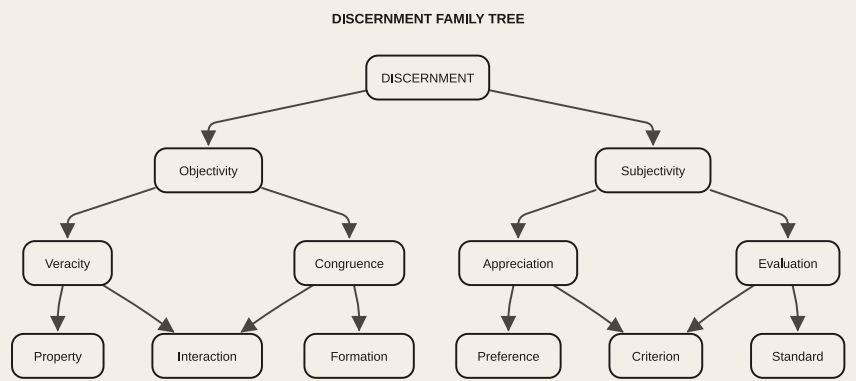


Diagram showing Discernment’s internal components

Observation

On insights.

Observation can take the same **bounded** / **non-bounded** cut as discernment, but the job is different. The last chapter was a method of knowing. This one is a method of watching — and of noticing when the watch has already hardened into a verdict.

- **Bounded Observation:** Judgement
- **Non-bounded Observation:** Attention

When we judge, we attach our own perspectives, priorities, and biases to the act of observing. To empty that judgement out, we attend to the world as if we were not the one performing the act. A chair who has already decided what the vote means is judging. One who hears the next speaker as if the outcome were still open is attending. Both are observation.

An observation can also be **top-down** or **bottom-up**. The two complement each other: top-down tends to be planned and overarching; bottom-up, spontaneous and specific. These do not need extra names. Combined with judgement and attention they give four **observation forms**:

OBSERVATION FORMS	Judgement	Attention
Top-Down	Assessment	Awareness
Bottom-Up	Relevance	Concentration

Discernment, at a similar stage, branched into children. Observation does the opposite: it intersects the forms until they condense into one type, **Presence**.

Assessment places us as judges of the world — right or wrong, suitable or inconvenient. **Awareness** contemplates the landscape without that judgement. Integrate them and we get **acceptance**: holistic attention with judgement still available when it is needed.

- Assessment ^ Awareness = Acceptance

The world keeps offering more than we can hold. We feel compelled to assign a **relevance** order to its manifestations; we can also **concentrate** on one aspect outside our immediate judgement. Integrate them and we get **alertness**: open concentration, with relevance still available.

- $\text{Relevance} \wedge \text{Concentration} = \text{Alertness}$

A last integration remains. Acceptance and alertness together are **presence**: the state of fullness observation.

- $\text{Acceptance} \wedge \text{Alertness} = \text{Presence}$

Presence is constantly disrupted by inner and outer stimuli. It is not a final destination. It is a *resting point* — a state we can return to, not a state we are required to occupy without break. When it breaks, observation can drift, or we can come back. An **observation breathing cycle** is the right picture for that motion:

OBSERVATION BREATHING CYCLE

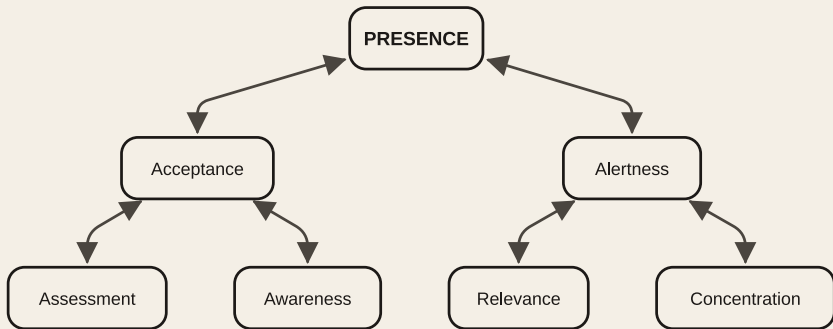


Diagram showing Observation's components

Resolution

On deciding.

Resolution is the method of settling a systemic challenge. We begin with the full diagram. The pieces below are the same ones it already holds.

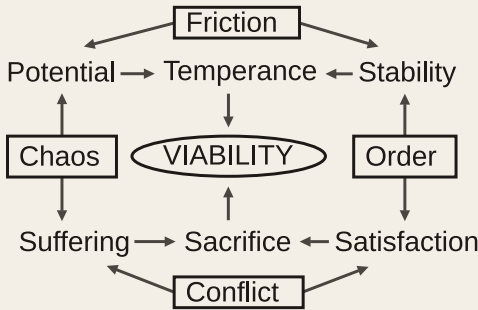


Diagram showing the interactions between Resolution's components

The squared corners are the starting dualities. **Chaos** and **Order** are a main pair in complex systems, and both create challenges. Chaos does not imply wrongness; order does not imply rightness. A riot and a freeze can both be unlivable. The same is true of every element that follows: none of them is a moral verdict on its own.

The other challenge duality is **friction** and **conflict**. They are easy to collapse. Here, friction is structural — a load that does not sit, a form that will not file, a joint that binds. Conflict is behavioral — members at odds. Both are present in a real challenge, and they concatenate with chaos and order:

INTERACTION	RESULT
Friction ^ Chaos	Potential
Friction ^ Order	Stability
Conflict ^ Chaos	Suffering
Conflict ^ Order	Satisfaction

Unused capacity in a disordered process is **potential**. A locked joint, a settled procedure, is **stability**. Conflict without a shape is **suffering**. Conflict that has found a shape — a verdict, a treaty, a scored piece — is **satisfaction**. Each pairing pulls for priority. Dismissing one to keep

another is not a resolution. The work is to hold them in a proportion the situation can actually bear. No fixed ratio fits every challenge.

INTERACTION	RESULT
Potential ^ Stability	Temperance
Suffering ^ Satisfaction	Sacrifice

Temperance is potential with a stable support: exploring without losing the foundations. **Sacrifice** is the choice of a present suffering for a future satisfaction: this season’s pruning for the next harvest. In short:

- **Temperance**: forward-facing, dynamic regulation.
- **Sacrifice**: temporally-aware, delayed gratification.

Their combination is **viability**. Interests, priorities, and desires have to be reconciled with what the world will actually carry. That is an understanding of what this context can bear. A tempered and sacrificial stance is how a challenge is lived through rather than merely named.

A symbolic version of the same diagram, and a table of references:

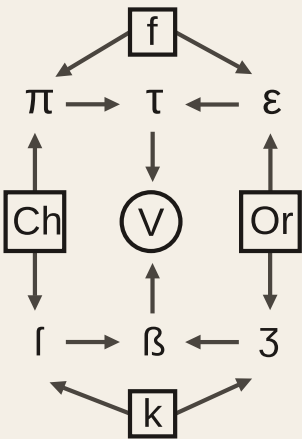


Diagram showing the interactions between Resolution’s components in symbolic form

INTERACTIONS	SYMBOLIC REFERENCE
Friction ^ Chaos = Potential	f ^ Ch = π

INTERACTIONS	SYMBOLIC REFERENCE
Friction ^ Order = Stability	f ^ Or = ε
Conflict ^ Chaos = Suffering	k ^ Ch = f
Conflict ^ Order = Satisfaction	k ^ Or = ʒ
Potential ^ Stability = Temperance	π ^ ε = τ
Suffering ^ Satisfaction = Sacrifice	f ^ ʒ = β
Temperance ^ Sacrifice = Viability	τ ^ β = V

The two versions are the same structure in two representation types. Many of the symbols nod to two philosophical traditions: pi (π), epsilon (ε), and tau (τ) toward Greek; long s (f), tailed z (ʒ), and eszett (ß) toward German — the long s and tailed z being the orthographical origins of the eszett.

Operation

On actions.

The last method of Interstitial Anatomy has a special backstory. These concepts were the first the author managed to organize as a proper set — the stepping stone for Conciliatorics, in place long before the project had a name. Once this item was synthesized, the rest began to fall in around it. What we now call **Operation** was first called the **Compass**.

The name comes from the shape of the diagram, and from the use. The compass assigns a cardinal direction to each mode of acting inside a system.

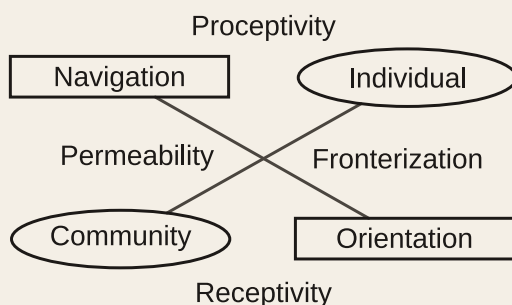


Diagram showing the interactions between Operation's components

The root levels are the horizontal **Identity Axis** and the vertical **Participation Axis**. Identity is elastic. It can feel rock-solid at a given moment and still have been formed by what has already happened to it. **Fronterization** gives that identity a boundary; **permeability** lets it take in the world's flow. A chamber that cannot close is not a chamber. A chamber that cannot open is a tomb.

Participation is usually pictured as active engagement. Accurate engagement, though, has to receive before it pushes. **Proceptivity** and **receptivity** calibrate each other. In many contexts these are described as *masculine* and *feminine*. That framing is valid. We prefer proceptive and receptive: the tone stays neutral, and the pair can still grow.

Four cardinals:

- **North:** Proceptivity (Pr)
- **South:** Receptivity (Re)
- **East:** Fronterization (Fr)

• **West:** Permeability (Pe)

The hemispheres are concatenations of those cardinals. **Individual** (i) is proceptivity with fronterization: a defined entity exerting itself — north-east. **Community** (c) is receptivity with permeability: south-west. **Orientation** (o) sharpens as we take in the environment and refine what we intend — south-east. **Navigation** (n) is the jump into the world: proceptive, and permeable to what was not on the map — north-west.

A soloist at full voice is individual. A choir taking the same breath is community. A chart of the river is orientation. Entering the current is navigation.

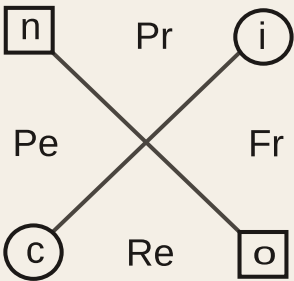


Diagram showing the interactions between Operation’s components in symbolic form

The cardinal initials (N, S, E, W) sit easily on Pr, Re, Fr, and Pe. Used together they are easier to hold than either set alone.

OPERATION AREA	INTERACTION
Horizontal Axis	Identity = Permeability ^ Fronterization
Vertical Axis	Participation = Proceptivity ^ Receptivity
North-East Hemisphere	Individual = Proceptivity ^ Fronterization
South-West Hemisphere	Community = Receptivity ^ Permeability
South-East Hemisphere	Orientation = Receptivity ^ Fronterization
North-West Hemisphere	Navigation = Proceptivity ^ Permeability

That is the last component of Interstitial Anatomy. Anatomy, even at this grain, is still a structure. What remains is for the structure to become alive. The physiology of these methods is Attributes Status.

PART 4

Attributes Status

Attribute Concatenation

On crossing the bridge.

Anatomy is a structure. Status is where that structure starts to live.

- **ATTRIBUTES STATUS:** EIC step that studies the interstitial physiology processes of Behavior Dynamics.

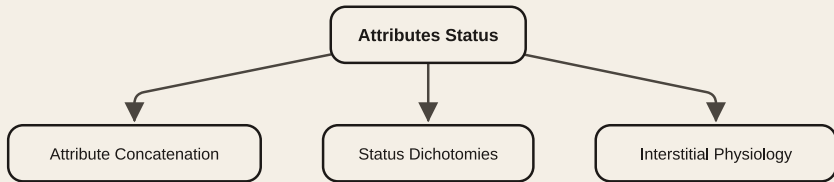


Diagram showing the components of Attributes Status

As in Attributes Structure, we apply operators to the primary pairs. This time the operator is not accentuation *inside* a pair. It is concatenation *between* attributes of different pairs.

- **ATTRIBUTE CONCATENATION:** Crossed interaction between attribute pairs from the primary jurisdiction.

ATTRIBUTE CONCATENATION	SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION
Stillness ^ Simultaneity = Consistency	$Q \wedge Si = C$
Movement ^ Successiveness = Impermanence	$M \wedge Su = I$
Stillness ^ Successiveness = Balance	$Q \wedge Su = B$
Movement ^ Simultaneity = Imbalance	$M \wedge Si = b$

The result is not four equal capacities, each an “enhanced” version of a primary (Stillness $\rightarrow$ Pro-Stillness). It is two new pairs, of two different kinds:

- Consistency / Impermanence
- Balance / Imbalance

The first pair **reinforces**. Successive motion leads to **Impermanence** simultaneous serenity leads to **Consistency**. A held tone, a law in force at noon and at midnight, a stone that is still *now*: consistency. A fever’s course, a price series, a river: impermanence. These qualities

attach themselves spontaneously, but the pairing is far less stable than anything in the primary jurisdiction. Accentuating one side here is more violent. It has a greater risk of breaking the pair.

The second pair **cancels**. That is why its members are **interstitial statuses** rather than identifiable qualities. A state of **Balance** depends on remaining still through the passage of time — a fallow field, a gyroscope, a clause that is not rewritten every week. **Imbalance** is simultaneous elements moving differently: two agencies on the same file, an ensemble out of time, many hands on one bed each working a different motion. Balance does not mean superiority. There are contexts that need imbalance.

With these two pairs in place, their further interactions will produce a higher — and less stable — interstitial complexity.

Status Dichotomies

On what's right and wrong.

We cannot handle these pairs as we handled the Structure Quadrants. There we had four equivalent elements. Here we have two distinctive pairs. Consistency and Impermanence are unique enough to be accentuated. Balance and Imbalance are status conditions, and both must remain available. The first pair can be **separated**. The second is **indivisible** — not fused into one concept, but such that the potential of both sides must always be preserved.

That instability raises a question: *what happens if the required availability of balance and imbalance is broken?*

If their relation is no longer symmetrical, the result is a **detrimental interstitial status**. We already have an operator for that state; until now it had no work. Asymmetry ($\neq$) marks it.

- **Available Status:** Imbalance $\equiv$ Balance
- **Detrimental Status:** Imbalance $\neq$ Balance

Concatenate those statuses with the accentuations of Consistency and Impermanence, and we get **status dichotomies**:

- **STATUS DICHOTOMIES:** Concatenation between the reinforcing (Consistency/Impermanence) and canceling (Balance/Imbalance) pairs.

STATUS DICHOTOMIES	SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION
(Consistency $\leftarrow$ Impermanence) $\wedge$ (Imbalance $\equiv$ Balance) = Functionality	$(C \leftarrow I) \wedge (b \equiv B) = C \equiv$
(Consistency $\leftarrow$ Impermanence) $\wedge$ (Imbalance $\neq$ Balance) = Dysfunctionality	$(C \leftarrow I) \wedge (b \neq B) = C \neq$
(Impermanence $\leftarrow$ Consistency) $\wedge$ (Imbalance $\equiv$ Balance) = Imperdurability	$(I \leftarrow C) \wedge (b \equiv B) = I \equiv$
(Impermanence $\leftarrow$ Consistency) $\wedge$ (Imbalance $\neq$ Balance) = Perdurability	$(I \leftarrow C) \wedge (b \neq B) = I \neq$

Symbolic Note: In each token, the letter is the accentuated attribute (C for Consistency, I for Impermanence), and the mark to its right ($\equiv$

or $\neq$) is the interstitial status. These are not equations. $\{C\equiv\}$ signals a functional state of Consistency under a symmetrical balance. The tokens will carry denser equations later.

These are the first Conciliatorics elements with a clear value judgement attached. **Functionality**, the child of a symmetrical status, is desirable; **dysfunctionality** is harmful. That much is intuitive. The desirable connotation of **imperdurability** is not. Still stranger is presenting **perdurability** as detrimental — against a biological instinct that treats lasting as the good.

A fruit that ripens and falls is imperdurable, and the tree remains a tree. A fruit that never falls, and rots on the branch, has perdurability of a kind, and it is the wrong kind. The instinct to last is not being insulted here. It is being asked to notice what it costs.

That counterintuitive pairing — functionality with imperdurability as the desirable poles — is the root of the obstacles that follow.

Interstitial Physiology

On sticks, stones and bones.

Most complex systems are either *biological* or *artificial*. Biological systems — from microbes to intelligent animals — evolved with a survival drive: a **perdurability longing**. Artificial systems — from basic tools to advanced A.I. — are built with a performance ambition: a **functionality longing**. The interaction of those longings with the status dichotomies is **Interstitial Physiology**.

This is the first time in EIC that a theoretical structure meets a drive. Each longing, on its own, can be coherent.

- **INTERSTITIAL PHYSIOLOGY**: Set of interactions between interstitial longings and status dichotomies.
- The interaction between the **perdurability longing** and the Imperdurability / Perdurability dichotomy is **Organic Physiology**.
- The interaction between the **functionality longing** and the Functional / Dysfunctional dichotomy is **Instrumental Physiology**.

Each type is self-contained. It has no access to the other dichotomy:

- Organic Physiology lacks the Functional / Dysfunctional dichotomy.
- Instrumental Physiology lacks the Imperdurability / Perdurability dichotomy.

A body is not trying to be a good instrument. A hammer is not trying to survive as a species. That is not a defect in either physiology. It is the boundary that keeps each one honest.

These interactions are also of a new kind. The longings *modulate* their dichotomies: they alter the internal dynamic, rather than heightening a side or combining two terms. Accentuation and concatenation cannot mark that. **Modulation** ($\rightarrow$) can.

INTERSTITIAL ELEMENT	SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION
Imperdurability / Perdurability Dichotomy	$I \equiv \wedge I \neq$
Functionality / Dysfunctionality Dichotomy	$C \equiv \wedge C \neq$

INTERSTITIAL ELEMENT	SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION
Perdurability Longing	$I \neq L$
Functionality Longing	$C \equiv L$
Organic Physiology	$oP = I \neq L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq)$
Instrumental Physiology	$iP = C \equiv L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq)$

Symbolic Note: The longing symbols inherit their anchor from the value most associated with their origin: $I \neq$ (perdurability) and $C \equiv$ (functionality). The subscript “L” marks them as motivational rather than structural.

Most complex systems are one or the other. Some long equally for both. **Humanity** is the nearest case we have; nothing in the model forbids others — a human–A.I. integration, a species we have not met. That simultaneous longing is **Mixed Physiology**.

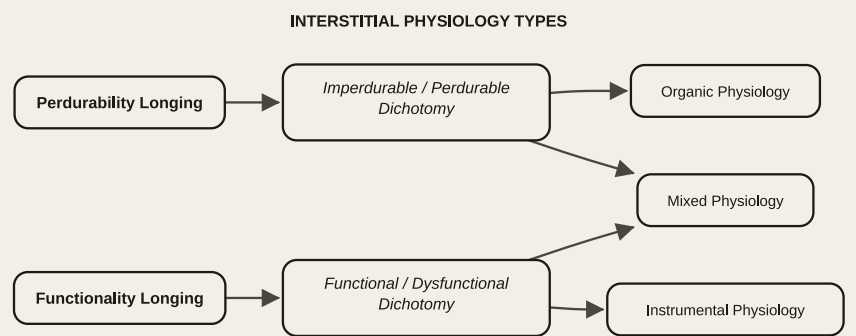


Diagram showing the formation of Interstitial Physiology types

PHYSIOLOGY TYPES	SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION
Organic Physiology	$oP = I \neq L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq)$
Instrumental Physiology	$iP = C \equiv L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq)$
Mixed Physiology	$mP = [I \neq L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq)] \wedge [C \equiv L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq)]$
Mixed Physiology (short form)	$mP = oP \wedge iP$

The **principle of self-defense** is a rare case in which the two longings have been roughly integrated. As biological systems we are compelled to preserve our existence. In theory we could kill every other human

who might threaten it — in line with the perdurability longing. We are also collectively aware that indiscriminate killing is dysfunctional — not in line with the functionality longing. Most human societies have agreed that force may be used to preserve a life, and only as self-defense: preservation has to remain congruent with a functional ethic.

Self-defense is widely shared. The same integration is not true of the vast majority of humanity's endeavors. The next section is why.

Dichotomies Compatibility

On perpetual desire.

Each longing is coherent in isolation. Together they are not. *Each longing predisposes a mixed system toward the undesirable pole of the other dichotomy:*

- **Functionality Longing predisposes Imperdurability.**
 - Symbolic representation: $C \equiv L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq) = I \equiv$.
 - While a mixed system is working, adversities — inner and outer — will test that working. If the arrangement cannot move, the condition is lost.
- **Perdurability Longing predisposes Dysfunctionality.**
 - Symbolic representation: $I \neq L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq) = C \neq$.
 - When a mixed system locks an arrangement so that it may last, and will not let it be revised, the locked form starts to fail. What then lasts is the failure.

This is the most contentious idea in Conciliatorics: the **incompatibility axiom**.

- **INCOMPATIBILITY AXIOM:** Functionality and Perdurability are **not compatible** in a mixed physiology system.

In theory that can sound modest. Humanity does not treat it as modest. We build as if a system could be functional in perpetuity, and we demand that the world conform:

- Nations and empires proclaim their *eternal inevitability*.
- Citizens vote for political parties that must remain in office for *the good of the people*.
- Family lineages pressure their members into *traditional obedience*.
- Religions promise eternal life in *heavenly bliss*.

Despite all of this, *empires fall, politics corrupts, families break, and Heaven is but a promise*.

Disagreement with the axiom is understandable — on philosophical grounds, or from attachment to the expectation of compatibility. Within Conciliatorics we treat it as true, because what follows is built on it. For the rest of this stretch, we continue as if it holds. The sequential conflict for each longing is then:

- **Functionality's tendency toward Imperdurability disrupts Perdurability.**
 - Symbolic representation: $C \equiv \rightarrow I \not\equiv = (C \equiv \wedge I \equiv)$.
 - Start with a perdurable system ($I \not\equiv$) and make it functional ($C \equiv$), and you transform it into an imperdurable state ($C \equiv \wedge I \equiv$).
- **Perdurability's tendency toward Dysfunctionality disrupts Functionality.**
 - Symbolic representation: $I \not\equiv \rightarrow C \equiv = (C \not\equiv \wedge I \not\equiv)$.
 - Start with a functional system ($C \equiv$) and make it perdurable ($I \not\equiv$), and you transform it into a dysfunctional state ($C \not\equiv \wedge I \not\equiv$).

That tension is the physiological status of every mixed interstitial system. Decay is how it falls.

Status Decay

On elusive acceptance.

No system holds its optimal status forever, however much it longs to.

Decay deteriorates even a healthy system, and it leads to an **end state**.

- **STATUS DECAY:** Interstitial process of physiological deterioration, leading eventually to an end state.

For Organic Systems:

- Healthy state: Perdurable (maintains existence over time)
- Intermediate decay: Physiological Sickness (decline in perdurability)
- End state: Dead System (perdurability lost)

For Instrumental Systems:

- Healthy state: Functional (performs intended purpose)
- Intermediate decay: Physiological Breakage (decline in functionality)
- End state: Destroyed System (functionality lost)

For Mixed Systems:

- Healthy state: Conciliation (sustains longing equilibrium)
- Intermediate decay: Physiological Crisis (decline in conciliation)
- End state: Dissolved System (conciliation lost)

A body sickens and dies. A tool cracks and is destroyed. A polity enters crisis and dissolves. Organic and instrumental cycles, from health to end, are relatively straightforward. Mixed systems are more vulnerable: full health is harder to reach, and harder to keep. They are also the only ones that retain a path beyond their own end state — a potential the purely organic and the purely instrumental do not have.

That path is the **conciliation pathway**. It belongs to the last theoretical stretch of EIC.

PART 5

Attributes Synthesis

Anatomy and Physiology Integration

On unending crossroads.

We now integrate Interstitial Anatomy and Interstitial Physiology. The road from Attributes Dynamics to this point has been conceptual: a map of how complex systems are structured and how they live. Attributes Synthesis is not an endpoint. It is the outermost layer of interstitiality, built on every layer beneath it.

- **ATTRIBUTES SYNTHESIS:** EIC step that integrates the exploration of attributes structure and status.

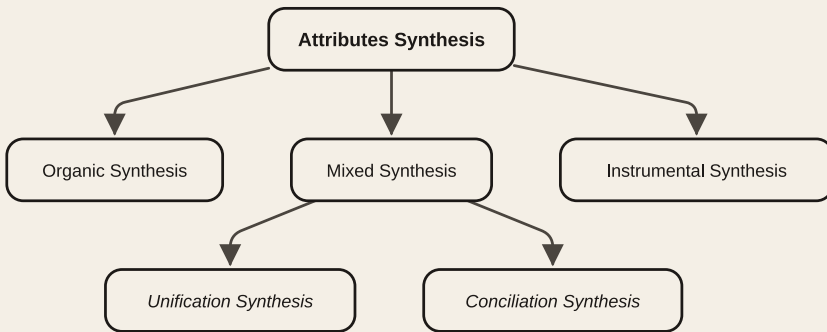


Diagram showing the components of Attributes Synthesis

The synthesis types — Organic, Instrumental, and Mixed — are the physiological modes already named. Here they show how a system integrates structure and function: physiology animating anatomy. We could have labeled these by the anatomy methods instead. Sorting them by physiology is the more intuitive cut, and it is the one that lets Mixed Synthesis split — a bifurcation we will reach once the simpler two are in place.

Organic and Instrumental Synthesis

On life and form.

Organic and instrumental synthesis are closer to each other than either is to mixed synthesis, and they are simpler. We take them together.

- **Interstitial Anatomy:** $\{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$

Anatomy and physiology could be joined in more than one way. They stand at equal hierarchy, so symmetry ($\equiv$) is a candidate. They are also distant in kind, so concatenation ($\wedge$) is a candidate. Neither quite fits. Interstitial anatomy is sophisticated, and **lifeless**. Interstitial physiology is a strong animating force, and **formless**. A lifeless structure and a formless force do not sit beside each other as a pair, and they do not merely co-occur. The force *alters* the structure. Physiology modulates anatomy.

- **Organic Synthesis:** $[I \neq L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq)] \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\} = o\Sigma$
- **Instrumental Synthesis:** $[C \equiv L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq)] \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\} = i\Sigma$

A body that discerns a threat is not Discernment in the abstract. It is discernment under a perdurability longing: Organic Discernment. A protocol that watches a metric is not Observation in the abstract. It is observation under a functionality longing: Instrumental Observation.

To mark which method is being animated, the full form accents the quadrant:

- **Discernment:** $\{iD \leftarrow (iO \equiv iR \equiv iE)\}$
- **Organic Discernment:** $[I \neq L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq)] \rightarrow \{iD \leftarrow (iO \equiv iR \equiv iE)\}$
- **Observation:** $\{iO \leftarrow (iD \equiv iR \equiv iE)\}$
- **Instrumental Observation:** $[C \equiv L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq)] \rightarrow \{iO \leftarrow (iD \equiv iR \equiv iE)\}$

The full form is honest, and heavy. Because a longing and a quadrant do not meet in any other context, a shorter form does not collide:

- **Organic Discernment (Simplified Form):** $I \neq L \rightarrow iD$
- **Instrumental Observation (Simplified Form):** $C \equiv L \rightarrow iO$

Those shortenings are the tip of what organic and instrumental synthesis can do. Their implementations can wait. Mixed synthesis cannot: it is where the two longings occupy the same system.

Mixed Synthesis

On the allure of perfection.

The same integration — physiology modulating anatomy — holds for mixed synthesis. The problem is the joined presence of both longings. Each predisposes the undesirable pole of the other dichotomy. A mixed state that holds both at once is therefore an interstitial potential: it waits for a dominant longing to take charge. That waiting state is the **raw form** of mixed synthesis:

- **Mixed Synthesis (Raw form):**

$$\rightarrow \{ [I \neq L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq)] \wedge [C \equiv L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq)] \} \rightarrow \{ iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE \} = m\Sigma$$

When one longing takes charge, two concrete states follow from the predispositions already named:

- **Functionality Longing predisposes Imperdurability:** $C \equiv L \rightarrow (I \equiv \wedge I \neq) = I \equiv$.
- **Perdurability Longing predisposes Dysfunctionality:** $I \neq L \rightarrow (C \equiv \wedge C \neq) = C \neq$.

So the two possible interstitial states are:

- Imperdurable Functionality.
- Perdurable Dysfunctionality.

The dilemma is then:

- *Would you prefer a system that functions well and does not last? Or a system that lasts and works badly?*

In the abstract, that question can run for a long time. EIC is not allowed to stay abstract. Every development here has to be testable against the other inventive edifications. The two states already exist as structures in the world:

1. A perdurable system that accepts dysfunctionality: $C \neq \wedge I \neq$.
2. A functional system that accepts imperdurability: $I \equiv \wedge C \equiv$.

For the first, return to the **empire**. Lesser nations have little say in what the emperor decides. Political representation is dysfunctional. For the emperor that dysfunction is not the problem, so long as the empire

remains one. Forced **unification** keeps it perdurable, at the cost of function.

For the second, a **presidential term**. Most nations refuse perpetual tenure at the top. Histories differ, but the reticence is shared: even a popular holder, whose governance still looks functional, is blocked from remaining. The system **reconciles** representation with what a society needs by accepting that the term will end.

The first choice is **Unification Synthesis**. The second is **Conciliation Synthesis**. Unification centralizes authority so the system may last, even at the cost of representation. Conciliation favors responsive representation, and takes the time-limit as part of renewal.

MIXED SYNTHESIS	SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION
Unification Synthesis	$(C \neq \wedge I \neq) \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\} = u\Sigma$
Conciliation Synthesis	$(I \equiv \wedge C \equiv) \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\} = c\Sigma$

The same cut shows up outside government. A company that will not replace its founder, even as the work has outgrown them, is unifying in order to last. A protocol that versions, forks, or sunsets a release so the next one can work is conciliating. A family that treats a custom as unamendable, versus one that lets a generation revise the custom and remain a family, is the same dilemma at a smaller scale.

Ethically, conciliation synthesis is the preferable model. The remaining problem is practical: *how do we live with its imperdurability?*

Conciliation Pathway

On falling and standing.

The attachment to perdurability is not a bookkeeping error. It is tied to mortality, to meaning, and to legacy. We look for systems that last in order to compensate for a finite and absurd existence. To be replaced feels like meaninglessness; to be forgotten, like an empty legacy. The intellect can grant the brevity of an insect, and the extinction of a species. It still cannot let go of this particular stay in the world. The small and the large may perish, yet **I must endure**.

The answer to that *imperdurability dilemma* is a **scalability problem**.

Take a single cell in a body. The cell exists as part of a functional tissue: it forms, develops, contributes, decays, and dies. Another cell takes its place. The first is gone; the tissue remains. That process serves an organ, which serves a body, and — in intelligent species — a mind on top of that hierarchy. Nothing in the stack lasts by refusing to be succeeded.

Consciousness, housed in an imperdurable body, resists this and wants perdurable bliss. We distract ourselves. We put on masks colored with noble ideas and identify with the eternal. If we lose ourselves in that, we take up dysfunction through power and corruption. Fear and emptiness do not vanish. They can be given a healthier path.

- **CONCILIATION PATHWAY:** Iterated Imperdurable Functionality.

Imperdurability is compensated by scale. Each cell **iterates** its participation so the tissue can keep working. When that iteration is disrupted — when cells live longer than they should — the tissue sickens. The shift is from seeking perdurability to developing **iterated imperdurability**.

A release that is allowed to end, so the next release can work, is the same shape. Meaning and legacy may remain. They cannot be a demand that this form never die.

The rejection of imperdurability still has to be faced. The alternative to facing it is not a secret third pole. It is, eventually, a dysfunctional system that was built to last. The intellect's work is to build systems that take iteration as a requirement, and to accept being iterated our-

selves — purpose found in contributing to the larger function, while honoring that the function is imperdurable.

A mixed system may persevere this way, even past the decay of purely organic or instrumental things. Only if it consents to its imperdurability. The next section is how that interstitial choice shows up in ordinary names.

Status Reciprocity

On bringing the hidden into the surface.

Unification and conciliation are interstitial. They have intrinsic correlates — names a system already wears on the outside. That pairing is **Status Reciprocity**:

- Unification leads to **Centralization**.
- Conciliation leads to **Decentralization**.
- **STATUS RECIPROCITY**: Correlation between interstitial and intrinsic attributes, modulated by mixed synthesis.

STATUS RECIPROCITY	Dysfunctional Status	Functional Status
Interstitial Attributes	Unification	Conciliation
Intrinsic Attributes	Centralization	Decentralization

From here, a *centralized system* can be read as unifying underneath: lasting by gathering authority, even at the cost of function. A *decentralized system* can be read as conciliating: staying functional by rotating, splitting, or replacing its parts. The questions become usable:

- What are the highest dangers that block decentralization here?
- How could this centralized system become decentralized?
- What does each intrinsic status cost?
- Which frameworks would actually help a turn toward decentralization, rather than decorate it?

Some decentralized systems already try to live by iterated imperdurable functionality. **Blockchain implementations** — smart contracts, decentralized applications, DAOs — are designed around a decentralization philosophy that is uncommon in other digital systems. Their variety of frameworks makes them a live surface for Conciliatorics, not because the treatise is a blockchain treatise, but because the cut is already in the design.

The same cut belongs to government, and to local organizations that have to last without pretending a given arrangement is eternal. Design heuristics, tests of a turn, shared practices: all of that can be drawn from Status Reciprocity, and the drawing will, in return, pressure the theory to stay honest. The implementations are not a side hobby. They are how the interstitial names get tested against intrinsic ones.

Core EIC and Edge EIC

On roots and branches.

Everything from Attributes Dynamics through Status Reciprocity sits between two anchors: Attributes Regulation opens the journey, Attributes Synthesis closes it. That stretch is complete and integrated. Each part depends on the ones before it, and it has been checked end to end for internal coherence. We'll call the whole stretch **Core EIC**.

- **CORE EIC:** The foundational, integrated development of EIC, running from Attributes Dynamics through the close of Attributes Synthesis.

Core EIC is a floor, not a ceiling. Once the anchors are in place, a single piece of that structure can be developed further than the core trajectory strictly required — a compass direction into its own gradation, a discernment child into a fuller typology. That further work does not have to happen all at once, or evenly across every component. It can grow from one point on a stable trunk, at its own pace, without waiting for a matching development elsewhere. We'll call that **Edge EIC**.

- **EDGE EIC:** Additional EIC development extending beyond Core EIC into specific, still-evolving methods. Individual Edge EIC concepts don't need to cover every Core EIC component symmetrically, and can grow independently of one another.

The distinction is also a signal about stability. Core EIC earned its coherence the hard way: collisions caught, cross-references verified, terms no longer drifting. Edge EIC concepts are younger, narrower, and more likely to be revised, renamed, or reworked as they grow. Read them with that in mind. Operational Status, next, is the first developed Edge piece — one leaf, with more of the branch still to grow.

Operational Status

On the sea and the compass

Core EIC is groundwork. Each area of it can still be expanded until it is more useful for reading the world. Before we leave this parcel, one such expansion: the first developed Edge EIC concept.

The name is not a coincidence. **Operational Status** is Operation (from Attributes Structure) under the functional / dysfunctional framing of Status (from Attributes Status) — the compass, treated as something that can be exercised well or badly, rather than as four fixed directions.

- **OPERATIONAL STATUS:** Functional/dysfunctional gradation, via Sub/Supra/Hypo/Hyper modulators, applied to the Operation compass's four cardinal directions.

The cardinals, as already set:

- **North:** Proceptivity (Pr)
- **South:** Receptivity (Re)
- **East:** Fronterization (Fr)
- **West:** Permeability (Pe)

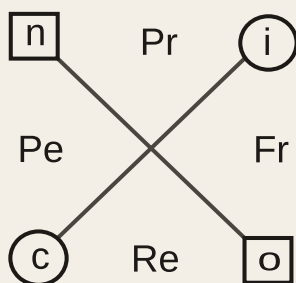


Diagram showing the interactions between Operation's components in symbolic form

Members accentuate one direction over its complement. Taken too far, that emphasis stops being complementary and becomes oppositional. Two sets of modulators mark the difference:

- Functional accentuation, complementarity kept: Sub / Supra (s / S)
- Dysfunctional accentuation, complementarity broken: Hypo / Hyper (h / H)

Operation Modulator	Symbol
Sub	s
Supra	S
Hypo	h
Hyper	H

Upper case S here is a prefix. It is not the core S of Behavior Dynamics in (cS) or [Cs]. Position inside the expression is what disambiguates them.

A predator/prey pairing shows the functional set. Both still need proceptivity and receptivity toward the rest of the system. Relative to each other, the predator has to be more proactive in the hunt, the prey more receptive to what is coming. The trade-off is real: the hunter is less receptive, the hunted less proactive.

- Predator: Supra-proceptive (SPr) / Sub-receptive (sRe)
- Prey: Supra-receptive (SRe) / Sub-proceptive (sPr)

The dysfunctional set can be read on the gut epithelium. The lining has to absorb nutrients and block pathogens. When tight junctions fail, antigens and toxins leak into the blood — hyper-permeability, hypo-fronterization. When the lining becomes too thick, fibrotic, or closed (as in severe atrophy, fibrosis, or unmanaged celiac disease), it fails to absorb what the body needs, even when the diet is adequate — hyper-fronterization, hypo-permeability.

- Increased Intestinal Permeability (“Leaky gut”): Hyper-permeability (HPe) / Hypo-fronterization (hFr)
- Nutrient Isolation (Malabsorption): Hyper-fronterization (HFr) / Hypo-permeability (hPe)

The full grid:

Operational Status	Receptivity	Proceptivity	Fronterization	Permeability
Sub	Sub-receptivity (sRe)	Sub-proceptivity (sPr)	Sub-fronterization (sFr)	Sub-permeability (sPe)
Supra	Supra-receptivity (SRe)	Supra-proceptivity (SPr)	Supra-fronterization (SFr)	Supra-permeability (SPe)

Operational Status	Receptivity	Proceptivity	Fronterization	Permeability
Hypo	Hypo-receptivity (hRe)	Hypo-proceptivity (hPr)	Hypo-fronterization (hFr)	Hypo-permeability (hPe)
Hyper	Hyper-receptivity (HRe)	Hyper-proceptivity (HPr)	Hyper-fronterization (HFr)	Hyper-permeability (HPe)

At the operator level, Sub and Supra are a *functional* accentuation — complementarity kept, as Symmetry ($\equiv$) marks an available status. Hypo and Hyper are a *dysfunctional* accentuation — complementarity broken, as Asymmetry ($\neq$) marks a detrimental status. They are not an “Anti-” framing. Attribute Accentuation refused that for a reason: we are not against a direction. We are marking that its current degree, relative to its pair, has become dysfunctional.

If both directions of a hemisphere share a status, the modulator can attach to the hemisphere (Sub-proceptivity + Sub-fronterization = Sub-individual). That concurrency is situational. Naming the inner directions alongside the hemisphere remains the safer habit.

Operational Status can read one system across statuses, or many systems under one status. That work continues. For now the treatise turns to a new parcel, so that what EIC has built is not only tested against invented examples: **Edified Intrinsic Transformation**.

PART 6

Edified Intrinsic Transformation

Systemic Diplomacy

On good neighbors.

Everything developed so far belongs to one Inventive Parcel: Edified Interstitial Contemplation. That narrowing was deliberate — Attribute Position already said so. EIC works interstitial attributes, the qualities that hold between things, not the inherent properties of any particular thing. That is a sound way to build a theory. It is not, on its own, a sound way to test one. A framework that only ever proves itself against invented examples risks becoming a fantasy dressed as rigor: precise, internally coherent, and untouched by the friction of anything real. The remedy is not to abandon EIC's discipline. It is to give the treatise a second parcel whose job is exactly the friction EIC was built to set aside.

Part 1 already named where that parcel has to live. Of the four Inventive Parcels, only one shares no axis with EIC: **Edified Intrinsic Transformation**, associated with Technology. Where EIC studies how attributes relate in the abstract, Intrinsic Transformation engages the inherent properties of specific, concrete things — this file format rather than that one, this country's economy rather than that one — and *does* something with them. Building a schema, choosing a serialization, encoding a real case: all of it sits on the intrinsic side of the position axis, in the concrete-change territory of Transformation. EIC was never going to do this work. It set the ground and moved on.

- **EDIFIED INTRINSIC TRANSFORMATION:** Transformation × Intrinsicity, edified. Field association — Technology. Developed here as EIT.

We'll use **EIT** as the acronym from here. EIC and EIT share a letter that means two different things — Interstitial in one, Intrinsic in the other — and a careless reading could carry the first meaning into the second. No new convention is required. Spelling the term out on first use in a chapter, as here, is enough. EIC keeps its established form rather than being retrofitted, the same way the **Compass** survived beside Operation. The remaining two parcels — Edified Intrinsic Contemplation and Edified Interstitial Transformation, the Sciences and the Arts — are not being developed, and are not given working acronyms. That is

a scoping decision: this treatise's implementation work runs through Technology, not through a survey of all four fields at once.

The relationship between the two developed parcels already has a name.

- **SYSTEMIC DIPLOMACY:** A jurisdiction aware of its distinct role, cultivating healthy interaction with neighboring jurisdictions rather than isolating itself or merging into them.

It was introduced in Attribute Jurisdiction as what Jurisdictional Differentiation promotes. EIC and EIT are now two adjacent jurisdictions, and their relationship is the first real test of that concept rather than a description of it. EIC supplies the relational structure — the equations, the operators, the account of a functional or dysfunctional interstitial state. EIT supplies engagement with something concrete enough to apply that structure to. Neither replaces the other. The boundary has to stay visible:

- **Overreach** would look like EIC's theory being quietly revised to suit an implementation's convenience, or EIT's tooling dictating what a term is allowed to mean.
- **Dissociation** would look like EIT drifting far enough from EIC's vocabulary that it stops being a Conciliatorics implementation and becomes a schema tool that happens to share a glossary.
- **Dissolution** would look like the two blurring until a reader can no longer tell which claims are theoretical and which are implementation choices made for convenience.

Engagement without either side losing its distinct role: that is Systemic Diplomacy, rather than standoff or merger. What follows is EIT's first developed content — not a survey of everything Intrinsic Transformation could be, but a starting model, as Attributes Dynamics was EIC's starting model rather than the whole of Interstitial Contemplation.

AI Assistance

On help at hand.

AI systems that can read, organize, and cross-check dense, symbol-laden, self-referential text are already doing intrinsic, concrete work on this material. What follows is an account of that assistance, kept modest on purpose. Overstating it here would undercut the discipline EIT exists to bring.

- **AI ASSISTANCE:** The use of AI systems to support work with Conciliatorics. What that support can do is graded by readiness. The interpretive step remains Contemplation, and remains with the intervener.

Schematic Representation is the natural interface. Discursive prose has to be parsed for meaning, symbolic notation interpreted against a key, a diagram visually recognized. A schematic record, built from explicit fields and stated relationships, can be read and checked the way a table is read rather than a paragraph decoded. That is why AI assistance and Schematic Representation belong in the same jurisdiction: the representation type an AI can hold most accurately is also the one best suited to being acted on reliably.

AI Assistance Readiness

Assistance with this material can be graded by how far a use has been shown to work: validated, derived, or theoretical. A theoretical use should not be read as a proved one.

Stage A — Validated. Uses already proved useful and correct. As terms, symbols, and jurisdictions accumulate, an AI can check that a new symbol does not collide with an existing one, that a term's use matches its definition, and that cross-references stay accurate — exhaustive work for a human to sustain by hand, and straightforward for an AI without fatigue. This has already happened. The Synthesis symbols originally read oS / iS / mS / uS / cS, and cS collided with an unrelated symbol from Inventive Edification. Once every symbol sat in one schematic glossary, the clash was visible, and the whole set moved to Σ . An AI can now run that class of check without fatigue.

Stage B — Derived. Uses that can already be put into practice: feasible, not yet done. They follow from the validated work. If an AI

can check a glossary record against a schema, it can check a case record the same way. When a real case is being analyzed — a policy, an organization, a historical episode — the reading can be held as a schematic record: which jurisdiction, which pairs, which positions on them. A useful discipline, still informal, is treating certain pairs as mandatory: if a case is read through Fronterization and Permeability, a record with only one side filled in should read as incomplete. Enforcing that completeness is the kind of check a schema — and an AI checking against it — can hold a human analyst to. A case library built this way has been named. It has not been built.

Stage C — Theoretical. Speculative uses that may be helpful, and are not tested as feasible yet. A small derivation engine — a program that takes a *completed* schematic reading and mechanically checks or derives what the Attributes Status equations say should follow from it — may eventually be possible. It would still only run on judgement a human had already supplied. It would not perform the categorization. No such engine exists yet, and nothing here claims that one is imminent. It is on the record as a possible direction, alongside whatever other applications its readers bring to the parcel.

AI Contemplation

None of the three stages is the interpretive step. Deciding that a given policy is a matter of Permeability and Fronterization at all, and characterizing where it sits on each, is Contemplation: judgement applied to a specific, messy, real situation.

An AI can enforce that a reading is complete once it exists. It cannot supply the reading. Completeness belongs to the record. The reading belongs to the person who looked at the situation and chose. Stage A already needs a human to have introduced a term before a collision can be caught. Stage B needs a human to have chosen the pair before a missing side can be flagged. Stage C, if it ever exists, would still only run on a completed reading. Assistance starts after Contemplation has already been done.

That is not a gap to be engineered away, and it is not a limit that a later stage of readiness will lift. Contemplation is the inventive approach that emphasizes the intervener: knowledge-building and judgement. The intervener is the one who has to stand behind the reading — to revise it when a later case does not fit, to answer for it

when someone else reads the same policy through a different pair. An AI system can hold the record of that work. It is not the intervener.

Transformation, which is EIT's approach, emphasizes the system: concrete change and performance. Building a schema, checking a file, encoding a case: those are Transformation. They do not become Contemplation by being done well, or by being done by a more capable system. That limit follows from Contemplation as the approach concerned with the intervener's knowledge-building and judgement — a role Transformation was never meant to take over.

Schematic Vectors

On back-and-forths.

Schematic Representation is how a record is kept. Once a record exists, material can move in three directions relative to it: into the record, among records already kept, and out of the record. Those directions are the schematic vectors. AI tools may travel two of them. One stays with the user.

The same three directions apply to any library of placements — a glossary of terms, a set of case readings, a structured note of a diagram. The fields change from one library to the next. The rule about who may fill them is the same.

- **SCHEMATIC VECTORS:** The three directions relative to a schematic record — supply, probe, and expound — together with the rule of which directions an AI tool may travel.

For these definitions, *non-schema* means anything that is not already the stored record: a statute, a page of notes, a paragraph, a diagram. The word names a direction. It is not a fifth representation type.

- **SUPPLY VECTOR:** Non-schema to schema. The user commits a placement into a schematic record — this jurisdiction, this pair, this side. Closed to AI tools.
- **PROBE VECTOR:** Schema to schema. A supplied record is tested against its own fields, against the equations, or against other supplied records. Open to AI tools.
- **EXPOUND VECTOR:** Schema to non-schema. A supplied record is set forth as prose, notation, or a diagram. Open to AI tools.

The three sections below take one example through each vector. A city requires that council candidates have five consecutive years of residency, and does not require that they were born in the city. What follows is one reading of those requirements, not the only reading, and not the ordinance itself.

Supply

Supply is writing a placement into the record. The candidate requirements are source material. They become a record when the user fills the fields and stands behind them.

The user reads the requirements through Operation, on the Identity Axis: Fronterization for the restriction, Permeability for the allowance. They write:

```
id: council-member-requirements
jurisdiction: operation
pair: fronterization / permeability
fronterization: candidates must have five consecutive
years of residency in the city
permeability: candidates need not have been born in the
city
```

Those fields are a judgement. An AI tool that chooses the jurisdiction, the pair, or the side has authored the reading. Supply is closed to AI tools. Writing the fields directly, with no prose in between, is still supply.

An AI tool can offer a proposed reading. Storing that proposal as the entry still leaves the AI as the author of the fields. The user has to make the placement. If an AI tool filled the fields, later comparisons compare the tool's readings.

Probe

Probe begins after supply. Its object is a record the user has already committed.

On the *council-member-requirements* record, an AI tool can check that both sides of the Fronterization/Permeability pair are filled, that the terms match the glossary, and that the record does not affirm both Functionality and Perdurability, which the Incompatibility Axiom forbids. It can also compare this record with other supplied cases — other eligibility rules, other Identity Axis readings — and count how many accepted readings share a jurisdiction. Once enough records exist, the same kind of test can run across the library: every recorded instance, say, of an Identity Axis asymmetry that preceded a Unification-type outcome, across otherwise unrelated cases. Those tests describe judgements already made. They add checks, counts, and patterns. They do not add a new case.

An AI tool may run these tests. It may not fill a side the user left open and call the filling a finding. If Permeability had been left blank, flagging the gap is a probe. Writing a value into that field is supply, and supply is closed to AI tools.

If the output is a fresh record that was not in the library before, the direction has changed. That new record is supply.

Expound

Expound sets a supplied record forth so a reader can follow it. The record remains the source of truth. The prose, the notation, and the diagram are views of that record.

From the *council-member-requirements* record, an AI tool can write a paragraph that explains the reading, set the pair in notation, or draw the Identity Axis with Fronterization and Permeability placed as the fields already state. Notation and a diagram should be projected from the fields and from the glossary.

Prose can be a draft. A reader can see when a sentence uses a word the record did not contain, and can refuse the draft. Editing the draft does not correct the record.

Filling new fields from the paragraph, the figure, or a spoken account is supply: material that is not the record comes in, and a placement goes out. The paragraph that explains this reading is useful. The stored record remains the case.

YAML Library

On common shelves.

Schematic Representation is a shape, not a file format. The same fields could, in principle, be written in any serialization. In EIT that shape is written in YAML, and a collection of records built this way is a **YAML Library**.

- **YAML LIBRARY:** A structured, growing set of schematic entries — sharing a consistent set of fields, cross-referenced by stable identifiers — that accumulates instances of some kind (definitions, symbols, cases, relationships) into something that stays organized as it grows.

The choice of YAML over JSON is itself an intrinsic judgement, not a neutral default. JSON is precise and universally parseable, and it is written for machines first: no comments, heavy punctuation, a syntax that resists being read casually by a person. YAML holds the same structural information while staying legible without a parser: comments are native, nesting is visible through indentation rather than braces, and a human can scan an entry the way they would scan a table. A YAML Library has to serve both an AI reading it programmatically and a person reading it directly. The format that keeps both audiences native, rather than favoring one, is the correct intrinsic choice for the job.

A YAML Library is not one file with one purpose. It is a pattern, instantiable for more than one kind of content. Several instances have already come up, at different degrees of completion:

- **A term and symbol glossary** — every defined concept and its notation, held as a single source of truth. This instance is already built; YAML Glossary is next.
- **A case library** — structured records of real-world cases read through Attributes Dynamics. Named, not yet built. Operational Status is a first piece of vocabulary such a record could use for the Operation pair: tagging a Proceptivity or Fronterization reading as Supra- or Hyper-, rather than leaving degree and functional/dysfunctional status unstated.
- **Diagram metadata** — structured descriptions of a diagram's nodes and relationships, sitting alongside the image files under

diagrams/, so a diagram's content becomes queryable rather than only visible. Deferred for now; a placeholder, not a built instance.

- **A typed knowledge graph** — an extension of the glossary's simple related lists into labeled relationships (a term *accentuated into* another, one attribute *concatenated with* another to *yield* a third, one *longing predisposing* a given pole) that would let a path of relations be traced rather than only marked as "related." Discussed, not yet designed.
- **A formal operator grammar** — rules stating what counts as a well-formed attribute pair, a legal concatenation, a valid accentuation — so that a new equation's validity can be checked rather than judged by eye. Also discussed, not yet built.

Each of these would follow the same discipline as the glossary: stable ids, explicit fields, entries short enough to scan and structured enough to check. None of them requires a new representation type. Schematic Representation already covers them. What a YAML Library adds is the concrete decision of how to write that representation down, and the habit of treating each new kind of accumulating content as a candidate for its own instance rather than folding it into prose.

YAML Glossary

On a working example.

The clearest way to explain a YAML Library is to walk through the one that already exists.

- **YAML GLOSSARY:** The first built instance of a YAML Library; holds every defined term and symbol in the treatise as a single set of structured, cross-referenced records.

It replaced two separate prose glossaries — one for definitions, one for symbols — that had been drifting apart the way any two hand-maintained documents eventually do: roughly the same ground, with no way to catch a term defined in one but not the other, or a symbol used two different ways across chapters.

Each entry carries a small, consistent set of fields: a stable id, used for cross-referencing rather than the display name, which can be revised later without breaking a link; the term itself and its symbol, where one exists; which chapter (part) and, where relevant, which jurisdiction it belongs to; its pair, if it has one; its equation, where a term is derived rather than primary; a definition and related, a list of other entries worth reading alongside it. A few entries also carry notes — caveats, historical context, or a flag that something needs attention.

Here is one entry, so the shape is visible. We will not unpack the fields beyond what the list above already named.

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- id: stillness
  term: Stillness
  symbol: Q
  part: 02_attributes-dynamics
  jurisdiction: Primary
  pair: movement
  definition: Primary attribute; spatial pole of rest.
```

That structure is already doing real work, not only tidying. A query as simple as “every entry belonging to Attributes Status,” or “every entry with a flagged status,” is immediate against the glossary and would require rereading whole chapters against the prose alone. As the treatise grows, that gap only widens.

The audience is not exclusively an AI’s. A person can open the file and get real use from it — this treatise’s own author has done exactly

that, spotting a symbol collision on inspection before any automated check ran. An AI can hold the entire glossary in view at once.

The glossary is a template, not a finished singular artifact. Stable ids, explicit fields, cross-links instead of prose references: any later YAML Library instance would follow the same habit. The glossary is the first place that habit was applied.

PART 7

Closing

Epilogue

On goodbyes.

This version of the treatise is a stepping point. Core EIC — from Attributes Dynamics through Status Reciprocity — is complete as a structure, checked against itself. Edge EIC has one developed leaf. EIT has a starting model and a glossary, not yet a case library. Sciences and the Arts remain empty chairs on purpose. None of that is a failure to finish. It is what a living edification looks like when it still remembers the system it is supposed to serve.

The temptation, at the end of a book like this, is to close the framework. To treat the last diagram as a destination, the last axiom as a victory, the last parcel as a completed house. That would be a small ossification of our own: the edification preferred to the members, the medium, and the systems it was built to enhance. Inventive Conciliation was never a final state. Edification can ossify again at any moment. The articles of the Parcels Council are still in force after the last page.

A mixed system that works cannot be asked to last in the same form. That was the hard claim, and it does not soften here. What can last is a function that consents to be iterated — a term that ends, a cell that is succeeded, a custom a generation is allowed to revise. Meaning and legacy may remain. They cannot be a demand that this particular I, or this particular arrangement, never die. If the treatise has a last instruction, it is that one, and it applies to the treatise as much as to anything the treatise describes.

EIT exists so that instruction does not stay interstitial. A theory that only ever meets invented examples will eventually take its own coherence for a kind of proof. The second parcel is there to keep that from happening: concrete formats, real cases, a schematic library that can accumulate without collapsing. The glossary is built. The cases are not. That gap is honest. Filling it is work for another stretch, under Systemic Diplomacy — EIC not rewritten for convenience, EIT not drifted into a tool that merely shares a vocabulary.

Conciliatorics is not a doctrine to be joined. It is a perspective inside Systemics, a toolkit for analysis, reflection, and participation in the systems we already build, inherit, or cannot leave. Governance, a protocol, a local organization, a life: the same cut is available. Whether it

clarifies a decision, or only makes a better question visible, is enough. The rest is conciliation, and conciliation is a continuous task.

Summary

On remembrance.

A map of the joints, after the road. Not a substitute for the chapters, and not a closing argument — only a way to hold the whole in view.

What this is

Conciliatorics is a perspective inside **Systemics**: it aims to reconcile the ways we approach systems. The starting model is **Behavior Dynamics** — one phenomenon (**Behavior**: members transforming a medium) and three entities (**System, Member, Medium**).

From there the treatise builds a four-parcel grid (method × focus):

	Intrinsicality	Interstitiality
Contemplation	Sciences (cS)	Philosophy)cS(
Transformation	Technology (tS)	The Arts)tS(

When edification turns inward and becomes an ideology, those become **ossifications** (Scientism, Technologism, Philosophism, Aestheticism). **Inventive Conciliation** restores function, via the **Parcels Council** — six standing articles, not a checklist.

The book then develops two parcels: **EIC** (Philosophy, Parts 2–5) in depth, and **EIT** (Technology, Part 6) as the concrete counterpart. Sciences and Arts are scoped out on purpose.

Part 1 — Introduction

Sets the frame: Systemics as a container (not a forced unification of all systems work), Conciliatorics as the reconciling perspective inside it. Then:

- **Systemic Intervention** → **Inventive Intervention** (work the medium first)
- **Inventive Parcellation** — Contemplation/Transformation × Intrinsicality/Interstitiality
- **Edification** (continuous parcel development) vs **Ossification** (parcel over system; parentheses become brackets, S becomes s)
- **Conciliation** as ongoing restoration, never final

Philosophy is treated as the parcel most at risk of ossification, which is why EIC is developed first.

Part 2 — Edified Interstitial Contemplation

EIC's model is **Attributes Dynamics**, bounded by two anchors:

- **Regulation** (opening rule set: Attribute Position, Attribute Operators, Attribute Jurisdiction)
- **Synthesis** (closing integration)

Between them: **Structure** (interstitial anatomy) and **Status** (interstitial physiology).

Key commitments:

- Work on the **attribute pair**, not isolated attributes
- Five operators: $\equiv$ symmetry, $\neq$ asymmetry, $\wedge$ concatenation, $\leftarrow$ accentuation, $\rightarrow$ modulation
- **Jurisdictions** with four boundary states: differentiation, overreach, dissociation, dissolution
- **Primary Jurisdiction**: Stillness/Movement (Q/M) and Simultaneity/Successiveness (Si/Su)
- Four **representation types**, given their own chapter: discursive, symbolic, graphic, schematic

EIC stays on interstitial attributes on purpose. Unbounded philosophical scope is named as a main cause of philosophism.

Part 3 — Attributes Structure (anatomy)

Accentuate the primary pairs: **Pro-Stillness** / **Pro-Movement** / **Pro-Simultaneity** / **Pro-Successiveness**. Concatenate those into four **Structure Quadrants**:

- Discernibility $D = pQ \wedge pSu$
- Observability $O = pM \wedge pSu$
- Resolutivity $R = pQ \wedge pSi$
- Operativity $E = pM \wedge pSi$

Accentuate a quadrant (keeping the other three in view) and you get **Interstitial Anatomy**: Discernment, Observation, Resolution, Opera-

tion (iD, iO, iR, iE). Potential state vs concrete action is kept distinct throughout.

Those four are then developed:

- **Discernment** — family tree down to six practical children: Property, Formation, Interaction, Preference, Standard, Criterion
- **Observation** — Assessment/Awareness = Acceptance; Relevance/Concentration = Alertness; both = Presence, treated as a resting point in a breathing cycle
- **Resolution** — Friction/Conflict $\times$ Chaos/Order = Potential, Stability, Suffering, Satisfaction = Temperance and Sacrifice = Viability
- **Operation** (originally the **Compass**) — Identity axis (Fronterization/Permeability) $\times$ Participation axis (Proceptivity/Receptivity) = Individual, Community, Orientation, Navigation

Part 4 — Attributes Status (physiology)

Cross the primary pairs instead of accentuating inside them:

- Consistency C / Impermanence I (reinforcing)
- Balance B / Imbalance b (canceling; both sides must stay available)

That yields four **status dichotomies**: Functionality $C \equiv$, Dysfunctionality $C \neq$, Imperdurability $I \equiv$, Perdurability $I \neq$. Functionality and (counterintuitively) imperdurability are the desirable poles.

Physiology types:

- **Organic** — perdurability longing of living systems
- **Instrumental** — functionality longing of artifacts
- **Mixed** — both at once (humanity is the near example)

Incompatibility Axiom: in a mixed system, functionality and perdurability cannot coexist. Seeking both produces either imperdurable functionality or perdurable dysfunctionality.

Status Decay: sickness $\rightarrow$ death (organic); breakage $\rightarrow$ destruction (instrumental); crisis $\rightarrow$ dissolution (mixed). Only mixed systems keep a path beyond the end state.

Part 5 — Attributes Synthesis

Physiology **modulates** anatomy ($o\Sigma$, $i\Sigma$, $m\Sigma$). Mixed synthesis splits:

- **Unification** $u\Sigma$ — perdurable dysfunctionality (empire)
- **Conciliation** $c\Sigma$ — imperdurable functionality (presidential term)

The **Conciliation Pathway** is iterated imperdurable functionality: like cells in a tissue — each instance dies; the larger function continues.

Status Reciprocity maps that onto familiar intrinsic terms: Unification $\leftrightarrow$ Centralization, Conciliation $\leftrightarrow$ Decentralization. Blockchain/DAOs, government, and local organizations are named as live surfaces for that cut.

Then the treatise draws a line:

- **Core EIC** — Attributes Dynamics through Status Reciprocity; complete and coherence-checked
- **Edge EIC** — further development of individual pieces, not required to be symmetric

Operational Status is the first Edge piece: Sub/Supra (functional accentuation) and Hypo/Hyper (dysfunctional accentuation) applied to the four compass directions. Predator/prey and gut-barrier examples.

Part 6 — Edified Intrinsic Transformation

EIT exists so EIC is not only tested against invented examples. The intended EIC/EIT relationship is **Systemic Diplomacy** (healthy differentiation, not overreach, silo, or amalgam).

Developed so far:

- **AI Assistance** — graded by readiness (validated consistency work, derived case-record checks, theoretical derivation). Interpretive judgement stays with the intervener, and a later stage of readiness does not lift that limit
- **Schematic Vectors** — supply (into the record; the user commits the placement; closed to AI tools), probe (testing records already committed; open), expound (out into the other representations; open, and not a route back)

- **YAML Library** — the schematic pattern, YAML chosen so both humans and AIs can read it natively
- **YAML Glossary** — first built instance of that library; template for later instances (case library, diagram metadata, knowledge graph, operator grammar — those last ones are named, not built)

Definitions Glossary

This is a curated list of core concepts, theoretical terms, and systemological language developed or redefined within *Conciliatorics*.

Part 1: Introduction to Conciliatorics

- **META-DISCIPLINE:** A discipline (field of study) that deals with, or transcends, other disciplines.
 - **SYSTEMICS:** A meta-discipline that groups different perspectives on the study of systems.
 - **CONCILIATORICS:** A perspective within Systemics that aims to reconcile the ways we approach systems.
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- **BEHAVIOR DYNAMICS:** A model containing one main systemic phenomenon (**Behavior**) and three main systemic entities (**System, Member, Medium**).
 - **BEHAVIOR:** The transformation of a medium by system members.
 - **SYSTEM:** An environment where interrelated members express behavior.
 - **MEMBER:** A unit that expresses behavior within a system.
 - **MEDIUM:** Components of a system transformed by its members to express their behavior.
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- **SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION:** Action performed by a member that seeks to influence the behavior of a system.
 - **INTERVENER:** Member who intervenes in a system.
 - **INVENTIVE SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION:** Exploration of a system's medium that seeks to influence its behavior.
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- **INVENTIVE PARCELLATION:** Primary structure of inventive intervention.
- **INVENTIVE APPROACH:** Method of inventive intervention.
- **INVENTIVE POSITION:** Focus of inventive intervention.

- **CONTEMPLATION:** Inventive approach with emphasis on the *intervener*. Relates to *knowledge building* and *judgement*.
 - **TRANSFORMATION:** Inventive approach with emphasis on the *system*. Relates to *concrete change* and *performance*.
 - **INTRINSICALITY:** Inventive position with emphasis on the *inter-venable*. Relates to *direct engagement* and *inherent properties*.
 - **INTERSTITIALITY:** Inventive position with emphasis on the *systemic*. Relates to *intangible outcomes* and *relational properties*.
 - **INVENTIVE PARCELS:** Main configurations of inventive parcellation: Intrinsic Contemplation, Intrinsic Transformation, Interstitial Contemplation and Interstitial Transformation.
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- **INVENTIVE EDIFICATION:** Continuous and expansive development of inventive parcels.
 - **EDIFIED INTRINSIC CONTEMPLATION:** Intrinsic Contemplation, edified. Field association — Sciences. Not developed in this treatise.
 - **EDIFIED INTRINSIC TRANSFORMATION:** Intrinsic Transformation, edified. Field association — Technology. Developed in Part 6 as EIT.
 - **EDIFIED INTERSTITIAL CONTEMPLATION:** Interstitial Contemplation, edified. Field association — Philosophy. Developed in depth as EIC (Parts 2-5).
 - **EDIFIED INTERSTITIAL TRANSFORMATION:** Interstitial Transformation, edified. Field association — The Arts. Not developed in this treatise.
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- **INVENTIVE OSSIFICATION:** The manifestation of dysfunctional processes in inventive edification.
- **OSSIFIED INTRINSIC CONTEMPLATION:** Ossified form of Edified Intrinsic Contemplation. Associated ideology — Scientism.
- **OSSIFIED INTRINSIC TRANSFORMATION:** Ossified form of Edified Intrinsic Transformation. Associated ideology — Technogism.

- **OSSIFIED INTERSTITIAL CONTEMPLATION:** Ossified form of Edified Interstitial Contemplation. Associated ideology — Philosophism.
 - **OSSIFIED INTERSTITIAL TRANSFORMATION:** Ossified form of Edified Interstitial Transformation. Associated ideology — Aestheticism.
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- **INVENTIVE CONCILIATION:** The restoration of functional processes in inventive edification.
 - **PARCELS COUNCIL:** A standing method for facilitating conciliation, structured as a constitution of individually-invocable articles rather than a sequential procedure.
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Part 2: Edified Interstitial Contemplation

- **ATTRIBUTE:** Specific quality of a system, member or a medium. In this framework, an attribute is not merely a passive trait but a dynamic component that interacts with behavior, structure, and purpose.
 - **ATTRIBUTES DYNAMICS:** An EIC model designed to promote analytical exploration and integration of attributes.
 - **ATTRIBUTES REGULATION:** EIC step that provides the rule set to explore the attributes structure and status.
 - **ATTRIBUTES STRUCTURE:** EIC step that explores the interstitial anatomy components of Behavior Dynamics.
 - **ATTRIBUTES STATUS:** EIC step that studies the interstitial physiology processes of Behavior Dynamics.
 - **ATTRIBUTES SYNTHESIS:** EIC step that integrates the exploration of attributes structure and status.
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- **ATTRIBUTE POSITION:** Focus of systemic attributes. The two main attributes positions are *intrinsic attributes* and *interstitial attributes*.

- **ATTRIBUTE PAIR:** The fundamental systemic unit in EIC, used instead of isolated attributes. Inherently contains Side A, Side B, and the dynamic relationship between them — held in *symmetry* if both sides carry equal importance, *asymmetry* if one is prioritized.
- **SYMMETRY:** $\equiv$ — balanced, mutually-interdependent relationship between the sides of an attribute pair.
- **ASYMMETRY:** $\neq$ — directional prioritization within an attribute pair; broken symmetry.
- **CONCATENATION:** $\wedge$ — interaction between different attribute pairs, or between attributes of different paired sets.
- **ACCENTUATION:** $\leftarrow$ — focus on one attribute of a paired set, or on one element of a compounded interaction, without dismissing the other side.
- **MODULATION:** $\rightarrow$ — the concrete effect of one attribute element or compound over another; alters internal dynamics rather than heightening or combining.
- **SYSTEMIC JURISDICTION:** The bounded environment that contains Conciliatorics components.
- **ATTRIBUTE JURISDICTION:** The bounded environment that contains Attributes Dynamics components.
- **JURISDICTIONAL OVERREACH:** The process by which one jurisdiction breaks boundaries to exert control over others.
- **JURISDICTIONAL DIFFERENTIATION:** The process and systemic state in which boundaries are maintained. The jurisdiction is aware of its distinct role while cultivating healthy interactions—this promotes **systemic diplomacy**.
- **JURISDICTIONAL DISSOCIATION:** The process and systemic state in which boundaries fracture. The jurisdiction isolates itself, forming a **systemic silo**.
- **JURISDICTIONAL DISSOLUTION:** The process and systemic state in which boundaries merge. The jurisdiction fuses into others, forming a **systemic amalgam**.
- **PRIMARY JURISDICTION:** The initial environment of attribute pairs within Attributes Dynamics.
- **STILLNESS:** Q — primary attribute; spatial pole of rest.
- **MOVEMENT:** M — primary attribute; spatial pole of motion.

- **SIMULTANEITY:** Si — primary attribute; temporal pole of co-occurrence.
 - **SUCCESSIVENESS:** Su — primary attribute; temporal pole of sequence.
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- **DISCURSIVE REPRESENTATION:** Representation through written or spoken language. The traditional medium of philosophical discourse, carrying argument, nuance, and context.
 - **SYMBOLIC REPRESENTATION:** Representation through compact notation—operators, letters, and equations—that holds dense relationships in a single, precise, reusable form.
 - **GRAPHIC REPRESENTATION:** Representation through diagrams and images, exploiting spatial and visual relationships to make a structure legible at a glance.
 - **SCHEMATIC REPRESENTATION:** Representation through structured, field-based records. Its principal value is storage: material that can be filled in, compared, and accumulated into a library without collapsing into disorder as it grows.
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Part 3: Attributes Structure

- **ATTRIBUTE ACCENTUATION:** Temporary focus on one member of an attribute pair, without dismissing the other side.
- **PRO-STILLNESS:** pQ — accentuation of Stillness within the Stillness/Movement pair ($Q \leftarrow M$).
- **PRO-MOVEMENT:** pM — accentuation of Movement within the Stillness/Movement pair ($M \leftarrow Q$).
- **PRO-SIMULTANEITY:** pSi — accentuation of Simultaneity within the Simultaneity/Successiveness pair ($Si \leftarrow Su$).
- **PRO-SUCCESSIVENESS:** pSu — accentuation of Successiveness within the Simultaneity/Successiveness pair ($Su \leftarrow Si$).
- **STRUCTURE QUADRANT:** Concatenation of two attribute accentuations, creating a potential interstitial state.
- **INTERSTITIAL ANATOMY:** Set of concrete interstitial actions, composed of structure quadrants accentuations.

ANATOMY TERMS	Potential State	Concrete Action	General Context Term
To Discern	Discernibility	Discernment	Interstitial Discernment
To Observe	Observability	Observation	Interstitial Observation
To Resolve	Resolutivity	Resolution	Interstitial Resolution
To Operate	Operativity	Operation	Interstitial Operation

- **BOUNDED DISCERNMENT/OBSERVATION:** Quadrant depending on member's perspective.
- **NON-BOUNDED DISCERNMENT/OBSERVATION:** Quadrant detached from member's presence.
- **OBJECTIVITY:** Non-bounded discernment.
- **SUBJECTIVITY:** Bounded discernment.
- **ASSERTION:** Assertive discernment—it states facts and perspectives about the world.
- **ARRANGEMENT:** Arranging discernment—it organizes aspects of a phenomenon to enhance its comprehension.
- **DISCERNMENT ASCENDANCY:** One of four aspects—Veracity, Congruence, Appreciation, Evaluation—formed by intersecting objectivity/subjectivity with assertion/arrangement, each heavily influencing how discernment operates.
- **VERACITY:** Discernment ascendancy formed by Objective Assertion.
- **CONGRUENCE:** Discernment ascendancy formed by Objective Arrangement.
- **APPRECIATION:** Discernment ascendancy formed by Subjective Assertion.
- **EVALUATION:** Discernment ascendancy formed by Subjective Arrangement.
- **DISCERNMENT CHILDREN:** The practical terms produced by the authority balance between discernment parents (Veracity, Con-

gruence, Appreciation, Evaluation): Property, Formation, Interaction, Preference, Standard, and Criterion.

- **PROPERTY:** Discernment child formed when Veracity has authority over Congruence.
 - **FORMATION:** Discernment child formed when Congruence has authority over Veracity.
 - **INTERACTION:** Discernment child formed when Veracity and Congruence hold equal authority.
 - **PREFERENCE:** Discernment child formed when Appreciation has authority over Evaluation.
 - **STANDARD:** Discernment child formed when Evaluation has authority over Appreciation.
 - **CRITERION:** Discernment child formed when Appreciation and Evaluation hold equal authority.
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- **JUDGEMENT:** Bounded observation—attaching one’s own perspectives, priorities, and biases to the act of observing.
- **ATTENTION:** Non-bounded observation—attending to the world without the observer’s own judgement.
- **OBSERVATION FORMS:** The four concrete forms produced by combining judgement/attention with a top-down or bottom-up perspective: Assessment, Awareness, Relevance, and Concentration.
- **ASSESSMENT:** Observation form combining a top-down perspective with judgement—placing oneself as judge of the world.
- **AWARENESS:** Observation form combining a top-down perspective with attention—contemplating the landscape without judgement.
- **RELEVANCE:** Observation form combining a bottom-up perspective with judgement—assigning a priority order to the world’s manifestations.
- **CONCENTRATION:** Observation form combining a bottom-up perspective with attention—focusing on one aspect of the world outside immediate judgement.
- **ACCEPTANCE:** Integration of Assessment and Awareness; the state of holistic attention and appropriate judgement.

- **ALERTNESS:** Integration of Relevance and Concentration; the state of open concentration and available relevance.
 - **PRESENCE:** Integration of Acceptance and Alertness; the state of fullness observation. Treated as a resting point to return to, not a final destination.
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- **CHAOS / ORDER:** Main duality of resolution challenges in complex systems; neither implies wrongness nor rightness on its own.
 - **FRICTION / CONFLICT:** Second challenge duality of resolution—friction relates to structural challenges, conflict to behavioral challenges.
 - **POTENTIAL:** Friction concatenated with Chaos.
 - **STABILITY:** Friction concatenated with Order.
 - **SUFFERING:** Conflict concatenated with Chaos.
 - **SATISFACTION:** Conflict concatenated with Order.
 - **TEMPERANCE:** Integration of Potential and Stability; forward-facing, dynamic regulation that allows exploration without losing one's foundations.
 - **SACRIFICE:** Integration of Suffering and Satisfaction; temporally-aware, delayed gratification—accepting present suffering to enjoy future satisfaction.
 - **VIABILITY:** Integration of Temperance and Sacrifice; the reconciliation of one's interests, priorities, and desires with the limitations of the world.
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- **IDENTITY AXIS:** Horizontal axis of the Operation compass; the spectrum between Fronterization and Permeability.
- **PARTICIPATION AXIS:** Vertical axis of the Operation compass; the spectrum between Proceptivity and Receptivity.
- **PROCEPTIVITY:** Cardinal North of the Operation compass; active engagement in systemic participation.
- **RECEPTIVITY:** Cardinal South of the Operation compass; openness to one's environment, calibrating participation.

- **FRONTERIZATION:** Cardinal East of the Operation compass; the boundaries that give shape to identity.
 - **PERMEABILITY:** Cardinal West of the Operation compass; the capacity of identity to adapt to the world's flow.
 - **INDIVIDUAL:** North-East hemisphere of the Operation compass; Proceptivity combined with Fronterization.
 - **COMMUNITY:** South-West hemisphere of the Operation compass; Receptivity combined with Permeability.
 - **ORIENTATION:** South-East hemisphere of the Operation compass; Receptivity combined with Fronterization.
 - **NAVIGATION:** North-West hemisphere of the Operation compass; Proceptivity combined with Permeability.
 - **COMPASS:** The original, informal name for Operation—still used, especially alongside the diagram, but not interchangeable with “Operation” when referring to the full Interstitial Anatomy context (i.e., alongside Discernment, Observation, and Resolution).
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Part 4: Attributes Status

- **ATTRIBUTE CONCATENATION:** Crossed interaction between attribute pairs from the primary jurisdiction.
- **CONSISTENCY / IMPERMANENCE:** Reinforcing attribute pair produced by attribute concatenation — Consistency is Stillness concatenated with Simultaneity; Impermanence is Movement concatenated with Successiveness. More unstable than primary-jurisdiction pairs: any accentuation carries a greater risk of breaking the pair.
- **BALANCE / IMBALANCE:** Canceling attribute pair produced by attribute concatenation — Balance is Stillness concatenated with Successiveness; Imbalance is Movement concatenated with Simultaneity. Indivisible: both sides must remain available. Balance does not imply superiority over Imbalance.
- **STATUS DICHOTOMIES:** Concatenation between reinforcing and canceling attribute pairs.
- **AVAILABLE STATUS:** Imbalance $\equiv$ Balance — both sides of the canceling pair remain available.

- **DETRIMENTAL STATUS:** Imbalance $\neq$ Balance — the required availability of balance and imbalance is broken.
 - **FUNCTIONALITY:** Consistency accentuated over Impermanence, under a symmetrical (available) Balance/Imbalance status. Desirable.
 - **DYSFUNCTIONALITY:** Consistency accentuated over Impermanence, under an asymmetrical (detrimental) status. Harmful.
 - **IMPERDURABILITY:** Impermanence accentuated over Consistency, under a symmetrical status. Counterintuitively desirable.
 - **PERDURABILITY:** Impermanence accentuated over Consistency, under an asymmetrical status. Counterintuitively detrimental.
 - **INTERSTITIAL LONGING:** Survival and performance drive.
 - **PERDURABILITY LONGING:** The survival drive of biological systems; interacts with the Imperdurability/Perdurability dichotomy to form Organic Physiology.
 - **FUNCTIONALITY LONGING:** The performance ambition of artificial systems; interacts with the Functional/Dysfunctional dichotomy to form Instrumental Physiology.
 - **INTERSTITIAL PHYSIOLOGY:** Set of interactions between interstitial longings and status dichotomies.
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- **ORGANIC PHYSIOLOGY:** Interaction between “perdurability longing” and “imperdurability / perdurability dichotomy”.
 - **INSTRUMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY:** Interaction between “functionality longing” and “functional / dysfunctional dichotomy”.
 - **MIXED PHYSIOLOGY:** Simultaneous interaction between both interstitial longings and status dichotomies.
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- **INCOMPATIBILITY AXIOM:** Functionality and Perdurability are not compatible in a mixed physiology system.
 - **STATUS DECAY:** Interstitial process of physiological deterioration.
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Part 5: Attributes Synthesis

- **ORGANIC SYNTHESIS:** Modulation of interstitial anatomy by organic physiology.
 - **INSTRUMENTAL SYNTHESIS:** Modulation of interstitial anatomy by instrumental physiology.
 - **MIXED SYNTHESIS:** Modulation of interstitial anatomy by mixed physiology.
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- **UNIFICATION SYNTHESIS:** Modulation of interstitial anatomy by perdurable dysfunctionality physiology.
 - **CONCILIATION SYNTHESIS:** Modulation of interstitial anatomy by imperdurable functionality physiology.
 - **CONCILIATION PATHWAY:** Iterated Imperdurable Functionality.
 - **STATUS RECIPROCITY:** Correlation between interstitial and intrinsic attributes, modulated by mixed synthesis.
 - **CENTRALIZATION:** Intrinsic attribute correlate of Unification Synthesis; the dysfunctional-status pole of Status Reciprocity.
 - **DECENTRALIZATION:** Intrinsic attribute correlate of Conciliation Synthesis; the functional-status pole of Status Reciprocity.
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- **CORE EIC:** The foundational, integrated development of EIC, running from Attributes Dynamics through the close of Attributes Synthesis.
- **EDGE EIC:** Additional EIC development extending beyond Core EIC into specific, still-evolving methods. Individual Edge EIC concepts don't need to cover every Core EIC component symmetrically, and can grow independently of one another.
- **OPERATIONAL STATUS:** The first developed Edge EIC concept — functional/dysfunctional gradation, via Sub/Supra/Hypo/Hyper modulators, applied to the Operation compass's four cardinal directions. Currently developed for Operation only.

- **SUB / SUPRA:** Functional accentuation modulators — reduced (Sub) or heightened (Supra) emphasis on an Operation direction — that preserve complementarity with its pair, paralleling Symmetry.
- **HYPO / HYPER:** Dysfunctional accentuation modulators — reduced (Hypo) or heightened (Hyper) emphasis on an Operation direction — whose emphasis has broken complementarity with its pair, paralleling Asymmetry. Not an “Anti-” framing; they mark a dysfunctional degree of the same direction, not opposition to it.

Part 6: Edified Intrinsic Transformation

- **SYSTEMIC DIPLOMACY:** A jurisdiction’s awareness of its own distinct role, cultivating healthy interaction with neighboring jurisdictions rather than isolating itself (dissociation) or merging into them (dissolution).
- **AI ASSISTANCE:** The use of AI systems to support work with Conciliatorics. What that support can do is graded by readiness. The interpretive step remains Contemplation, and remains with the intervener.
- **SCHEMATIC VECTORS:** The three directions relative to a schematic record — supply, probe, and expound — together with the rule of which directions an AI tool may travel. Supply is closed to AI tools. Probe and expound are open.
- **SUPPLY VECTOR:** Non-schema to schema. The user commits a placement into a schematic record. Closed to AI tools, because the fields are a commitment the user stands behind.
- **PROBE VECTOR:** Schema to schema. A supplied record is tested against its own fields, against the equations, or against other supplied records. Open to AI tools. The object of the test is a record already committed. A probe that writes a case has become supply.
- **EXPOUND VECTOR:** Schema to non-schema. A supplied record is set forth as prose, notation, or a diagram. Open to AI tools. The record stays the source of truth, and the rendering is not a route back.
- **YAML LIBRARY:** A structured, growing set of schematic entries —sharing a consistent set of fields and cross-referenced by stable

identifiers—that accumulates instances of some kind (definitions, symbols, cases, relationships) into something that stays organized as it grows.

- **YAML GLOSSARY:** The first built instance of a YAML Library; holds every defined term and symbol as a single set of structured, cross-referenced records. The schematic working source; these Part 7 lists remain the old-school reference.

Symbols Glossary

This is a guide to the symbolic language of *Conciliatorics*, including visual signs, notational systems, and interpretive cues used throughout diagrams and conceptual models.

Inventive Edification

Symbol	Name	Field
(cS)	Edified Intrinsic Contemplation	Sciences
(tS)	Edified Intrinsic Transformation	Technology
)cS(	Edified Interstitial Contemplation	Philosophy
)tS(	Edified Interstitial Transformation	The Arts

Inventive Ossification

Symbol	Name	Ideology
[Cs]	Ossified Intrinsic Contemplation	Scientism
[Ts]	Ossified Intrinsic Transformation	Technologism
]Cs[	Ossified Interstitial Contemplation	Philosophism
]Ts[	Ossified Interstitial Transformation	Aestheticism

Basic Operators

Symbol	Name	Description
$\wedge$	Concatenation	Combines two attributes or states in the same scope.

Symbol	Name	Description
←	Accentuation	Indicates a momentary focus on one attribute or element.
≡	Symmetry	Represents a symmetrical or balanced relationship.
≠	Asymmetry	Represents a broken symmetry or imbalance in availability.
→	Modulation	Indicates a directional influence from one attribute to another.

Primary Attributes

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
Q	Stillness	Q / M	Primary
M	Movement	Q / M	Primary
Si	Simultaneity	Si / Su	Primary
Su	Successiveness	Si / Su	Primary

Structure Accentuations

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
pQ	Pro-Stillness	pQ / pM	Attributes Structure
pM	Pro-Movement	pQ / pM	Attributes Structure
pSi	Pro-Simultaneity	pSi / pSu	Attributes Structure
pSu	Pro-Successiveness	pSi / pSu	Attributes Structure

Structure Quadrants

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
D	Discernibility	$pQ \wedge pSu$	Attributes Structure
O	Observability	$pM \wedge pSu$	Attributes Structure
R	Resolutivity	$pQ \wedge pSi$	Attributes Structure
E	Operativity	$pM \wedge pSi$	Attributes Structure

- **Structure Quadrants Set:** $\{D \equiv O \equiv R \equiv E\}$

Interstitial Anatomy

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
iD	Discernment	$\{D \leftarrow (O \equiv R \equiv E)\}$	Attributes Structure
iO	Observation	$\{O \leftarrow (D \equiv R \equiv E)\}$	Attributes Structure
iR	Resolution	$\{R \leftarrow (D \equiv O \equiv E)\}$	Attributes Structure
iE	Operation	$\{E \leftarrow (D \equiv O \equiv R)\}$	Attributes Structure

- **Interstitial Anatomy Set:** $\{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$

Resolution

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
f	Friction	f / k	Interstitial Anatomy

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
k	Conflict	f / k	Interstitial Anatomy
Ch	Chaos	Ch / Or	Interstitial Anatomy
Or	Order	Ch / Or	Interstitial Anatomy

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
π	Potential	$f \wedge Ch$	Interstitial Anatomy
ε	Stability	$f \wedge Or$	Interstitial Anatomy
f	Suffering	$k \wedge Ch$	Interstitial Anatomy
$\exists$	Satisfaction	$k \wedge Or$	Interstitial Anatomy
τ	Temperance	$\pi \wedge \varepsilon$	Interstitial Anatomy
β	Sacrifice	$f \wedge \exists$	Interstitial Anatomy
V	Viability	$\tau \wedge \beta$	Interstitial Anatomy

Operation

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
Pr	Proceptivity	Pr / Re	Interstitial Anatomy
Re	Receptivity	Pr / Re	Interstitial Anatomy
Fr	Fronterization	Fr / Pe	Interstitial Anatomy

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
Pe	Permeability	Fr / Pe	Interstitial Anatomy

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
i	Individual	$Pr \wedge Fr$	Interstitial Anatomy
c	Community	$Re \wedge Pe$	Interstitial Anatomy
o	Orientation	$Fr \wedge Re$	Interstitial Anatomy
n	Navigation	$Pr \wedge Pe$	Interstitial Anatomy

Attribute Concatenation

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Notes	Jurisdiction
C	Consistency	$Q \wedge Si$	Reinforcing pair	Attributes Status
I	Impermanence	$M \wedge Su$	Reinforcing pair	Attributes Status
B	Balance	$Q \wedge Su$	Canceling pair	Attributes Status
b	Imbalance	$M \wedge Si$	Canceling pair	Attributes Status

Status Dichotomies

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Dichotomy	Jurisdiction
$C \equiv$	Functionality	$(C \leftarrow I) \wedge (b \equiv B)$	$C \equiv \wedge C \not\equiv$	Attributes Status
$C \not\equiv$	Dysfunctionality	$(C \leftarrow I) \wedge (b \not\equiv B)$	$C \equiv \wedge C \not\equiv$	Attributes Status

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Dichotomy	Jurisdiction
$I\equiv$	Imperdurability	$(I \leftarrow C) \wedge (b \equiv B)$	$I\equiv \wedge I\neq$	Attributes Status
$I\neq$	Perdurability	$(I \leftarrow C) \wedge (b \neq B)$	$I\equiv \wedge I\neq$	Attributes Status

Interstitial Physiology

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
$I\neq L$	Perdurability Longing	—	Attributes Status
$C\equiv L$	Functionality Longing	—	Attributes Status
oP	Organic Physiology	$I\neq L \rightarrow (I\equiv \wedge I\neq)$	Attributes Status
iP	Instrumental Physiology	$C\equiv L \rightarrow (C\equiv \wedge C\neq)$	Attributes Status
mP	Mixed Physiology	$oP \wedge iP$	Attributes Status

Synthesis Types

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
$o\Sigma$	Organic Synthesis	$[I\neq L \rightarrow (I\equiv \wedge I\neq)] \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$	Attributes Synthesis
$i\Sigma$	Instrumental Synthesis	$[C\equiv L \rightarrow (C\equiv \wedge C\neq)] \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$	Attributes Synthesis
$m\Sigma$	Mixed Synthesis (Raw)	$\{[I\neq L \rightarrow (I\equiv \wedge I\neq)] \wedge [C\equiv L \rightarrow (C\equiv \wedge C\neq)]\} \rightarrow \{iD$	Attributes Synthesis

Symbol	Name	Origin Equation	Jurisdiction
		$\equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$	
$u\Sigma$	Unification Synthesis	$(C \not\equiv \wedge I \not\equiv) \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$	Attributes Synthesis
$c\Sigma$	Conciliation Synthesis	$(I \equiv \wedge C \equiv) \rightarrow \{iD \equiv iO \equiv iR \equiv iE\}$	Attributes Synthesis

Operational Status

Symbol	Name	Pair	Jurisdiction
s	Sub	s / S	Operational Status
S	Supra	s / S	Operational Status
h	Hypo	h / H	Operational Status
H	Hyper	h / H	Operational Status

Note: S here is a prefix marking heightened emphasis on an Operation direction — a different symbolic role from the core S for System used in the Inventive Edification / Inventive Ossification symbols above (e.g. (cS), [Cs]). Position within an expression disambiguates the two (see Attribute Operators); this is a deliberate reuse, not an unflagged collision.

Applied to the four Operation directions:

Operational Status	Receptivity	Proceptivity	Fronterization	Permeability
Sub	sRe	sPr	sFr	sPe
Supra	SRe	SPr	SFr	SPe
Hypo	hRe	hPr	hFr	hPe
Hyper	HRe	HPr	HFr	HPe

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