

Here are preliminary subplane spectral norms conjectured to correlate to memes. Note:

- neither of the two lowest subplanes of the etheric or astral planes are conjectured as possible levels of polarisation in the 4th, 5th root races. I surmise this due to DK references and we recall the senses correlations to planes in TCF as not referencing any sense to the lowest two (subplane 6 or 7) of astral or etheric. This is not the case in the mental, which does not typically have senses assigned to the highest two, 1st or 2nd subplanes, which relate to spiritual telepathy or response to group vibration.
- The Spiral Dynamic referred 'second tier' memes, beginning with yellow, I suggest is the beginning of true mental polarisation.
- Thus, the PLANE polarisation (the 'racial consciousness' level) is indicated by the column being bolded: Furthest left in the following tables refer to etheric, middle to astral, and far right to mental. (i.e., in this preliminary proposal, Beige, Purple, and Red, below, are conjectured as etherically polarised, Blue, Orange, and Green, as emotional, and Yellow and Turquoise, Coral ...? As Mental, at this stage of investigation, I do not presume any polarisation of human racial consciousness can be above mental.
- If I recall (from LOM?) the plane of polarisation is determined by the plane which has highest subplane matter; thus, each meme's plane of polarisation will necessarily be the one with the highest subplane matter.
- We can note that not only can the following tables suggest racial typification of plane and subplane, but may also apply to any individual 'during an event', which may cause extreme experience into either 'survival' or 'peak spiritual' experience.

Beige – survival: or lowest possible for humanoid experience

Touch & feeling: sub diaphragmatic chakras		
	Clairaudience	
		Higher clairaudience

Purple – tribal magic animalistic

Sight (throat,creative)		
	Psychometry	
		Planetary psychometry

Red, power gods, violence, cradle of civilisation, impulsive, egocentric

Taste (heart)		
	Clairvoyance	
		Higher clairvoyance

Here we may have the shift into emotional polarisation ...

Blue, absolutist, one God, **one set of beliefs or higher authority that everyone must obey. Rewards and punishments inherent.** Red behaviour is kept in check through the fear of god or state and through guilt. Sacrifice for the higher purpose is expected. Highly moralistic.

Hearing (note, no chakric relation in body)	Clairaudience (Word of God)	
		Higher clairaudience

Orange, individualistic, materialistic and competitive. Instead of only one way to do things, many are accepted as valid, but 'my way' is still best. Orange is becoming aware of others' needs but their own are more important. Guilt is insufficient to maintain social cohesion. Orange is the entrepreneur, evident in the mercantile development of the Renaissance. It is in the Enlightenment and the corporate world.

touch, feeling (grounded)	Psychometry (all astral chakras)	
		Planetary psychometry

Green, is relativistic. The Orange materialist no longer answers life's questions. Personal spiritual beliefs emerge (vision). **Feelings are more important than reason. New Age beliefs are generally green. The environment is very important. Green can become rigid and 'Holier than thou', especially when attacked. Consensus decisions can be slow and group processes can be manipulative.**

Sight	Clairvoyance	
		High Clairvoyance

We note, at this stage of evolution, that the 5th or 3rd occult subplane is sufficient for 'mastery', thus, Green is 'good enough' to cause the shift into the next major meme/worldview shift into mental polarisation

Yellow, is systematic integrative. This marks the first of the second tier vMememes. The view point becomes global. Yellow does not have to be right. It appreciates other people's views and circumstances without personal biases intruding. Yellow can disagree with people, but still accept them as they are. In Green, a person is still susceptible to group

pressure, but in Yellow they will stand up for their own values. Yellow can operate through whichever of the previous vMememes is appropriate at the time.

Taste	Imagination	
		discrimination

Note, the astral inversion becomes obvious here; with discrimination, the mental higher level polarisation can work through the higher states of astral and etheric competencies which are already racially developed – even if not individually overtly experienced. (100th monkey?) We note that Discrimination, Imagination, and Taste are all 'equal' in terms of their relation to the 'harmonic' of taste – please see that table in TCF. Think page 188?

Turquoise, is global holistic, which weaves Yellow's flexibility back into the global community. Turquoise networks and collaborates with similar minds. The mind/body/spirit connection turns on and experiences oneness with all life. The Turquoise mind can grasp the complexities of human behaviour and work effectively with them as never before. What previously seemed contradictory is understood within a wider context. The need to control people and situations is gone. Turquoise can be a leader or blend into the background depending on what gets the job done.

Smell	Emotional idealism	
		Spiritual Discernment

This turquoise level is likely pure mastery, the first subplanes of the etheric and astral are established, and the key, 3rd or 5th plane required for mental master, allows the individual, or eventually, the race, to become what we now may be referring to passing the 3rd degree.

Coral ... conjecture ... transpersonal, hierarchical or non-dual levels ...

		Response to Group Vibration

Background on Memes
2.3 The Eight vMememes

The first vMeme, coloured Beige, describes instinctive, automatic physiological existence. This represents life at the level of basic survival. It is the totally dependent new born baby, our earliest human ancestors or a drowning person struggling for breath. Humans can nevertheless operate at this level.

The second vMeme, coloured Purple, is magical, mystical and animistic. It is found in a tribal or family group. Magic and ancestor worship maintain social cohesion. Genealogy and identity badges define who is a tribal member and who is not. There are many dangers lurking in the darkness for Purple. It is the small child afraid of monsters.

The third vMeme, coloured Red, is of power gods and egocentric behaviour. Red is heroic and courageous, freeing us from the constraints of Purple superstition. Here we find the heroes, Odysseus, Osiris, Gilgamesh or Maui. The world is full of gods, whose stories are told in myth. The Red is the brutal great empires of the Romans, Greeks and Egyptians. As violent as they were, they were the cradle of civilisation. Red is impulsive and will not allow anything to get in its way. Revenge is swift and violent. Red cannot yet see another person's point of view. This is the gangster or the child aged about seven.

The fourth vMeme, coloured Blue, is absolutist. There will be one God, one set of beliefs or a higher authority that everyone must obey. Rewards and punishments are inherent in the system. Impulsive red behaviour is kept in check through the fear of god or state and through guilt. Sacrifice for the higher purpose is expected. It is highly moralistic. The Catholic Church of the Middle Ages and Hitler's Nazi Germany were two examples of the Blue vMeme, albeit pathological examples.

The fifth vMeme, coloured Orange, is individualistic, materialistic and competitive. Instead of only one way to do things, many are accepted as valid, but 'my way' is still best. Orange is becoming aware of others' needs but their own are more important. Guilt is insufficient to maintain social cohesion. Orange is the entrepreneur, evident in the mercantile development of the Renaissance. It is in the Enlightenment and the corporate world.

The Sixth vMeme, coloured Green, is relativistic. The Orange materialist way of life no longer answers life's questions. Personal spiritual beliefs emerge. **Feelings are more important than reason. New Age beliefs are generally green. The environment is very important. Green can become rigid and 'Holier than thou', especially when attacked. Consensus decisions can be slow and group processes can be manipulative.**

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A ninth vMeme has been allocated the colour Coral, but little is written on this.

Practical Applications

Spiral Dynamics ® was used in South Africa (Beck & Lindscott 1994) to formulate strategies to recreate their nation after Apartheid. They found the conflict was of vMememes rather than race. People operating from Purple and Red clashed with Blue and Orange. A Yellow vMeme strategy was developed, synthesising the conflicting first tier v Mememes within a more embracing view, providing a more harmonious means of resolving issues. Don Beck is about to undertake a project through the United Nations to map the vMememes around the world as a means of reducing international tensions.