

Evolving Brains in Quadrants¹
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Triune brain:

Physical brain: 5 senses

Emotional brain: interpersonal info and pattern recognition

Intellectual brain: time and space, abstract concepts

Colors ²	Levels	Levels of Evolving Brain Development
● 3 rd tier	Unitive	Physical brain actually perceives formation of thoughts
● Turquoise	Global	Emotional brain <i>feels</i> patterns of relationships and empathy Right brain with data/intellect Fully actualized and healthy social brain emotional brain bonds and establishes caring relationships
●/● Yellow/ Teal	Integral	Emotional brain <i>sees</i> patterns of relationships Left brain with feelings
↑ 2 nd tier →	Includes both Yellow/Teal & Turquoise	Integral thinking Abstract concepts and pattern recognition Emotional brain takes the outputs of the higher brain (thoughts & concepts) as inputs for further processing of concepts Sense of self shifts from intellect to emotional
● Green	Pluralism (group ³)	Intellectual brain dominates and is seat of sense of self w/interbrain dynamics Integrates feelings and emotional intelligence Culture
● Orange	Mental Science (individual)	Intellectual brain (left brain) Logic and reason
●/● Blue/Amber	Membership Mythic (group)	Emotional brain (right brain) Social layer: happy, sad <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • relationships, attachment • storytelling and imaging Morality and voice of God <i>Development of guilt</i> ↓
● Red	Power (individual)	Emotional brain (right brain) Survival layer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st layer is anger • then 2nd layer is fear Individual assertion and concept of “other”
● Magenta	Magical (group)	Magical causality explains observed relationships
● Infrared	Archaic Instincts (individual)	Physical brain; senses



¹ http://integraltheoryconference.org/sites/default/files/itc-2010-papers/Tataryn_ITC%202010.pdf

² Ken Wilber's & Don Beck's (Spiral Dynamics) color schemes

³ group orientation versus individual orientation