

*4.1.1 "Universality & Right"*

ABSOLUTE IDEA, Miller tr. pp. 824-844

p. 824

1st #--identity of Th. & Fr. Idea--each one sided by itself; each a synthesis of ~~endeavor~~ (strebens)--fixed in contrad., transcended this form of immediacy substituted aufgehoben, and den höchsten Gegensatz in sich.

"THE NOTION IS NOT MERELY SOUL BUT FREE SUBJ. NOTION THAT IS FOR ITSELF & THEREFORE POSSESSES PERSONALITY --the practical & obj. determined in & for itself which, as person, is impenetrable... but not exclusive individuality, but explicitly universality & cognition & in its other has its own obj-ity for its obj. All else is gloom...."

2nd # Sole subj. matter & content of which contains all determinateness, appears in various shapes--Nature, Spirit, Art, Religion

*Hegel's Logic* *Method* *Middle* *Absolute*  
logic = self-movement of AI only as the original word - outwardizing vanished // \*\*\* (J&S TR., p. 467--THE S\_D IN WHICH ALONE THE IDEA IS. IS TO HEAR ITSELF SPEAK.) \*\*\* Ger. original, 1/323, l. 1. SICH-ZU-VERNEHMEN \*\*\*\*\*  
"Thus the logical idea has itself as the infinite form for its content."

Content is form-determination; is its own completed totality, the pure Notion; an existence of its own; wholly as form absolutely universal idea/THEREFORE what remains to be considered is not a content as such, i.e., method."

3rd# METHOD not merely modality, since modality of cognition is posited by the Notion--for is soul of all obj-ity

the SELF-KNOWING NOTION THAT HAS ITSELF as abs., BOTH subj. & obj.-subj./matter =pure correspondence of Notion & reality, concrete existence

4th# Accordingly method = movement of Notion itself 1st significance is everything, & its movement is absolutely activity, the SELF-determining & SELF-realizing movement. soul & substance proper to EVERY subj. matter because its activity is the Notion. --soul & abs. force of reason, --supreme,

*difference of*  
the method from the Notion as such, the particular aspect of the

*beginning* *middle* *absolute*  
on the contrary is not merely an aggregate....NOTION IS MERELY MIDDLE TERM ONLY BECAUSE IT HAS EQUALLY THE SIGNIFICANCE OF OBJ. & is posited in its identity with the subj. Notion.

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1. "Thus what constitutes the method are the determinations of the Notion itself... we must 1st begin with the BEGINNING, of the BEGINNING we have already spoken at the BEGINNING of the Logic itself & ALSO, above, when dealing with SUBJ. cognition--not made arbitrarily... BECAUSE it is the BEGINNING, its content immediate (J&S)--abstract & inner intuition. "But cognition is thinking by means of notions"...

1.1 6th# Hence beginning has for the method no other determination than that of being simple & U.

Since, however, it is the obj. immanent form, the immediate of the must be in its own self deficient & endowed with the urge of self-dev. (J&S) (carry itself forward AVM) THERE IS NOTHING XIX THOUGHT, WHETHER IN ACTUALITY or in THOUGHT that is as abstract as is commonly imagined... Only in its consummation is it absolute.

ABS. METHOD...

AI - p.2.

p.829, 7th# It is to be recalled that the BEGINNING which is in itself concrete totality may as BEGINNING also be free... external existence & SUBJ-END & THEREFORE both are urges

8th#

THE CONCRETE TOTALITY WHICH MAKES THE BEGINNING..

AS SUBJ. is also unity of diverse determinations.... ABS.METHOD..  
Plato demanded of cognition consider things in & for themselves ...  
ABS.METHOD to this extent analytic... also no less synthetic since...  
exhibits itself as an Other...

its own Other... this no less synthetic than analytic MOMENT  
of the Judgment... is the DIAL.MOMENT... Kant's merit & limitation

10th#, ABS.NEGATION.. Eleatics applied against motion; Plato against  
contemporary ideas & concepts of Sophists-- later by sceptics  
nullity of assertions... But (1)--obj. that world is contrad.or(2)  
cognition is definitive, Diogenes the cynic but also sometimes flies  
into rage

"an outrage that tries to unsettle what is essentially est'd. &  
teaches how to supply wickedness with grounds".

11th# Fundamental prejudice is that dial. has only negative result, Kant's  
merit to draw attention to the uncritical procedure....

NOW THIS IS THE VERY STANDPOINT INDICATED ABOVE FROM WHICH A  
U ist, considered in & for itself shows itself to be the Other of  
itself what is at first immediate now appears as mediated, related  
to an Other, or that the U appears as P. Hence 2nd term is negative  
not an empty negative; rather the Other of the 1st, negative  
or immediate CONSEQUENTLY TO HOLD FAST TO POSITIVE IN ITS NEGATIVE...  
--the whole Logic consists of "exs." of this-- its proof...

13th# THE MEDIATED... In treatment of the judgment.

14th# 1.1.) 2nd determination, the negative or mediated is at the  
same time mediating determination, a relation

p.835 negative of the positive & incl. latter... therefore it is not an Other  
to which it can be indifferent....

--the dialectic moment us the  
positing of the unity which is contained in it/

"BUT FORMAL THINKING MAKES IDENTITY ITS LAW & ALLOWS THE CONTRADIC-  
TORY COMPLEX BEFORE IT GETS INTO THE SPHERE OF ORDINARY CONCEPTION"

15th# 2nd negativity is -- innermost source of all activity ; ; ;

FOR ON THIS SUBJ.ALONE RESTS THE SUBLATING (TRAN-  
SCENDENCE) OF OPP. BETWEEN NOTION & REALITY & THE UNITY THAT IS  
TRUTH. J&S tr: for the transcendence of the opp.bet. Notion \*

Reality & that unity which is the truth, rests upon this subj-ity  
alone."

+GER.ORIGINAL  
p.342 denn aus dieser Subjectivität allein russt das Ausheben des  
Gegensatz zwischen Begriff und Realität und die Einheit, welche  
die Wahrheit ist.

2nd negative, the negative of the negative.  
not external but the innermost, most obj life & spirit, through  
which a subject, a person, a freebeing, ~~exists~~  
THE SELF RELATION OF THE NEGATIVE MUST BE CONSIDERED the 2nd  
premise of the WHOLE SYLLOGISM--

16th# T.P. of the method .. the negative of the negative is immediately  
the positive-- this 2nd immediate is the 3rd term to 1st immediate  
\*\*\*\*\* Also 3rd term to 1st negative & TO ABS.NEGATIVITY --quadruplicity  
"the negative or the diff. is counted as a duality"

p.837 infinite merit of Kant.. Syllogism which is also 3-fold has been  
recognized as the U form of reason.

A.G. - p.3.

Content  
to left

Effect  
to right

P.837, 17th# Now more precisely the 3rd is the immediate, but immediate resulting from transcendence of mediation... equally immediacy & mediation ...self-mediating movement & actity --Undiv., concrete, subj.

1st 2 moments are abstract, untry.

P.838, 18th# It is same thing as the starting point... On the NEW FOUNDATION CONSTITUTED BY THE RESULT AS THE FRESH SUBJ. // deduced & proved..

19th# It is here that the content as such 1st enters into circle of consideration.--now belongs to the method. "THE METHOD ITSELF BY MEANS OF THIS MOMENT EXPANDS ITSELF INTO A SYSTEM."

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P.\*\*# P.839 - 20th# just as from fresh BEGINNING that has been obtained, a result likewise emerges.

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21st# ABS. METHOD WHICH HAS NOTION FOR ITS SOUL.. Result is not beginning of new mode as to content "For since the abs. form, the Notion that knows itself & everything as Notion, there is no content that could stand over against it & determine it to be a 1-sided external form. CONSEQUENTLY...it is through the determinateness that this mediation of the method runs its course...This it accomplishes as system of totality."

in the Abs. method the Notion maintains itself in its otherness..

"richer & more concrete...greater extension is also higher intensity." "the richest is the before the most concrete

p.841: & most subjective...The highest concentrated point is the pure personality/// makes itself supremely free..

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p.841, 24th# The method which thus winds itself in a circle

"the impatience that insists merely on getting behind the determinates the mediation of the science itself"

pcd#

25th# By virtue of the nature of the method just indicated, the science exhibits itself as a circle, returning upon itself, THE END BEING WOUND BACK INTO THE BEGINNING.. circle of circles ..L.inks of chain..

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26th# THUS THEN LOGIC TOO IN THE A.I. HAS WITHDRAWN INTO THAT SIMPLE UNITY WHICH ITS BEGINNING IS... The method is the pure notion in Being. the beginning of its content, its Notion appears as a knowing in subj. reflection. But in the IDEA ~~OR ABS. COGNITION~~ THE NOTION has become the Idea's own content. 2ndly Idea is still logical Because the pure Idea of cognition is so far confined within subjectivity it is impulse to transced & PURE TRUTH AS THE LAST RESULT BECOMES ALSO THE BEGINNING OF ANOTHER SPHERE & SCIENCE

The Idea as abs. unity of pure Notion & its Reality --immediacy of Being=NATURE. (VIL stopsphere) BUT THIS DETERMINATION HAS NOT ISSUED FROM A PROCESS OF BECOMING, nor is it a transition as when above the subj. notion its its totality becomes obi-it the subj. end becomes life. "

ON THE CONTRARY.... pure Idea when raised to Notion is an ABS. LIBERATION .....equally posited & Notion-- & IN THIS FREEDOM NO TRANSITION...

The passage THEREFORE = Idea freely releases itself ....

externality of space & time existing absolute on its own acc't. without the moment of subj-ity.

NUT IN THIS NEXT RESOLVE (ENTSCHLUSSE) of the pure Idea to determine itself as external Idea. it posits for itself the MEDIATION out of which the Notion ascends as free Existence....completes its

SELF LIBERATION in <sup>the</sup> Wissenschaft des Geistes & finds supreme Notion of itself in the logical science as SELF-comprehending pure Notion

G 8/16 AI

Movement of Logic is U --immediate unity of opposites,  
indefinite, abstract  
P --Mediation of opposites, 1st  
negation, determination  
I --negation of negation in which  
SUBJ. is an immediate which has overcome mediation

IN PREPARATION FOR REV.

U-given situation, result of previous  
P-cr.per.--MEDIATION & NEGATION

I --rev. itself.

U -Being P--Essence --I--Motion --All revs...etc.

There is also polemical movement: Prior to every leap into subj. freedom  
H deals with "Reformists":  
II, p.67--Infinity.., is contrad.  
as it appears in sphere of Being.

After leap, I,p.175 against Leibniz  
I,p.171--the avsikyebess if abstract individuality..monads..

PETRY  
+ Vol.I,p.92--Syllogism 3rd, Idea of philosophy--SELF-KNOWING REASON  
absolutely U for its middle terms, a middle which vivifies into  
Spirit & Nature, making Spirit presupposition as process of SUBJ.  
#577 (#574) inaccurately tr.& has made Br. regard Logic as such  
as constituting middle term of final syllogism. HEGEL MAKES NO  
MENTION WHATSOEVER OF "THE LOGICAL SYSTEM FABRICATED BY WALLACE"  
What H really says is "THIS NOTION OF PHIL. IS SELF THINKING IDEA  
truth-aware-of-itself (#236--logical in sense that it is universally  
verified with concrete content). It is NOT A.I. of the Logic  
(#236-244) but the self-thinking idea of Spirit which is presented  
by H as exhibit UNITY OF THE WHOLE CYCLE OF KNOWLEDGE

H refers not to the Idea but to the Notion, specifically UPI  
3rd is singularity meaning REELECTION INTO SELE OF SPECIFIC  
charters of UPI--the negative self unity

INDIV. & ACTUAL ARE SAME

THING #163.

SILENT rev. such as precede GREAT UPHEAVALS. Hypolite  
Hypolite also claims H rejects notion of transcendence; remains  
on ground of immanence: There is no ques. of another world;  
there is no thing-in-itself. AND YET FINITE HUMAN THOUGHT IS  
NOT TRAPPED IN ITS OWN FINITUDE it surpasses itself.

#572=577-572--unity of Art & religion

573--recognition of Other

574 refers back to AI (#236)

1st Syl. 575 --Logic -Nature - Mind--(rd NOT Logic, but Nature is Middle)

2nd Syl. #576 --Nature-Mind-Logic

3rd Syl #577--Idea of phil. Self-Knowing Reason--Abs-ly U MIDDLE term  
constitutes FOCAL POINT OF ENCYCL.--It should be noted it is not AI