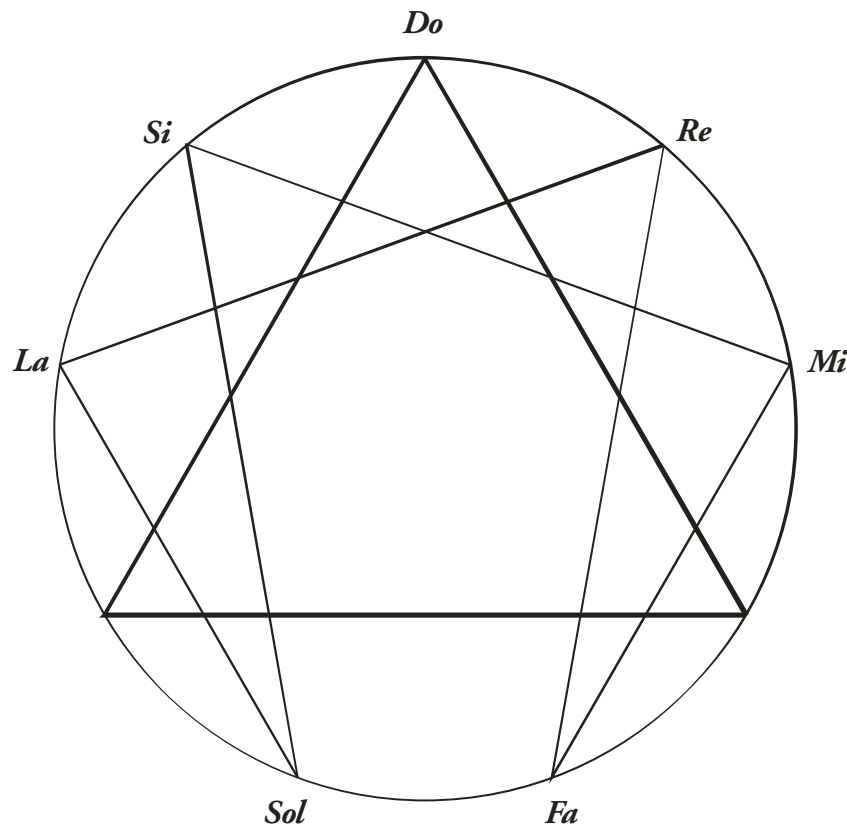


## THE ENNEAGRAM PART I

All the knowledge of the System, psychological and cosmological, is unified in a symbol known as the enneagram, or circle of nine points. The enneagram demonstrates the interaction of the laws of three and seven which together create all phenomena and their movement in space and time. It shows not only the nature of processes, how they start, develop, culminate and begin again, but also the hidden connections between the successive stages of every process.



An octave consists of seven tones and the eighth is a repetition of the first. Together with the two additional 'shocks' required to fill the intervals mi-fa and si-do there are nine elements.

The existence of any phenomenon is a recurring cyclical process represented by the circle. The separate points in the division of the circumference represent the stages of this process and the symbol as a whole represents an orderly and completed process—a completed circle.

Unity, one, divided by seven, produces a recurring decimal 0.142857. Connecting the points on the circumference in this order produces the complex figure which demonstrates the interactions between the notes of the octave. The remaining points, 3, 6 & 9 represent the free trinity or law of three which form the separate triangle. The apex of this triangle shows the Do, the start and completion of any octave and the points 3 & 6 correspond to the intervals in the octave. The separate triangle penetrates the period of the octave and these two figures in combination show the inner structure of the octave and its notes.

Each completed whole, each cosmos or individual organism etc. is an enneagram but not each of these enneagrams has an inner triangle. In one sense the triangle stands for the presence of higher elements, higher energies, which, by filling the intervals in the octave, by providing the necessary shocks,, complete the process and allow it to proceed to a higher level.

