

THE COMPOUND BELL CURVE that accommodates gender

This is offered with the hope that it provokes needed scholarship and understanding of this phenomenon.

The phenomenon of incident of frequency of occurrence of any particular human characteristic along a continuum from one extreme to the other extreme as it produces a Bell Curve is well understood among those who must deal with human characteristics. However, the incidence of occurrence of some particular human characteristics when applied separately to or sorted by males or females does not create a Bell Curve. When dealing with this phenomenon of human characteristics as it is applied to or sorted by gender, develops two separate curves and each is skewed by gender in opposite directions. When combined, they produce the Bell Curve. I have labeled this phenomenon “THE COMPOUND BELL CURVE that accommodates gender”.

Each gender appears on the continuum at every point but at different incident. Therefore, there are males at every point that is dominated by females and females at every point that is dominated by males.

THE COMPOUND BELL CURVE that accommodates gender allows a better understanding of behavior when allocating it by or applying to gender. There is great disagreement and misunderstanding when dealing with some issues between genders. In as much as any two or group of us of either gender dealing with such issues finds each of us located at different points on the continuum or spectrum. Therefore, each of us views each such issue differently. Some of us from only slightly different points on the continuum from which we can find agreement to those of us who are at vastly different points on the continuum where agreement is difficult to seemly impossible. Perhaps this might be compared to the colorblind test where the colorblind see an entirely different numeral from those who are not colorblind.

THE COMPOUND BELL CURVE that accommodates gender allows a better understanding of behavior when allocating it by or applying to gender. It honors the human evolution of each gender over some ten thousand generations. The freeing of women after thousands of generations of male dominance has created muddle in the thinking about this new role for women. The evolution over thousands of generation of male dominance; the biological role of women; the role of each gender in the family – the human incubator; the social structure that has survived and the vastly different experience of each gender has imprinted the DNA of each gender. Discovering the Compound Bell Curve may be a tool which will enable clearer thinking of this subject. Why and how these characteristics are disbursed across the continuum is the challenge of our future.

But with an understanding and acceptance of THE COMPOUND BELL CURVE that accommodates gender, we might better locate ourselves on the continuum and reduce disagreement about specific conditions that are influenced by gender as they impact each of us as we try to deal with each.

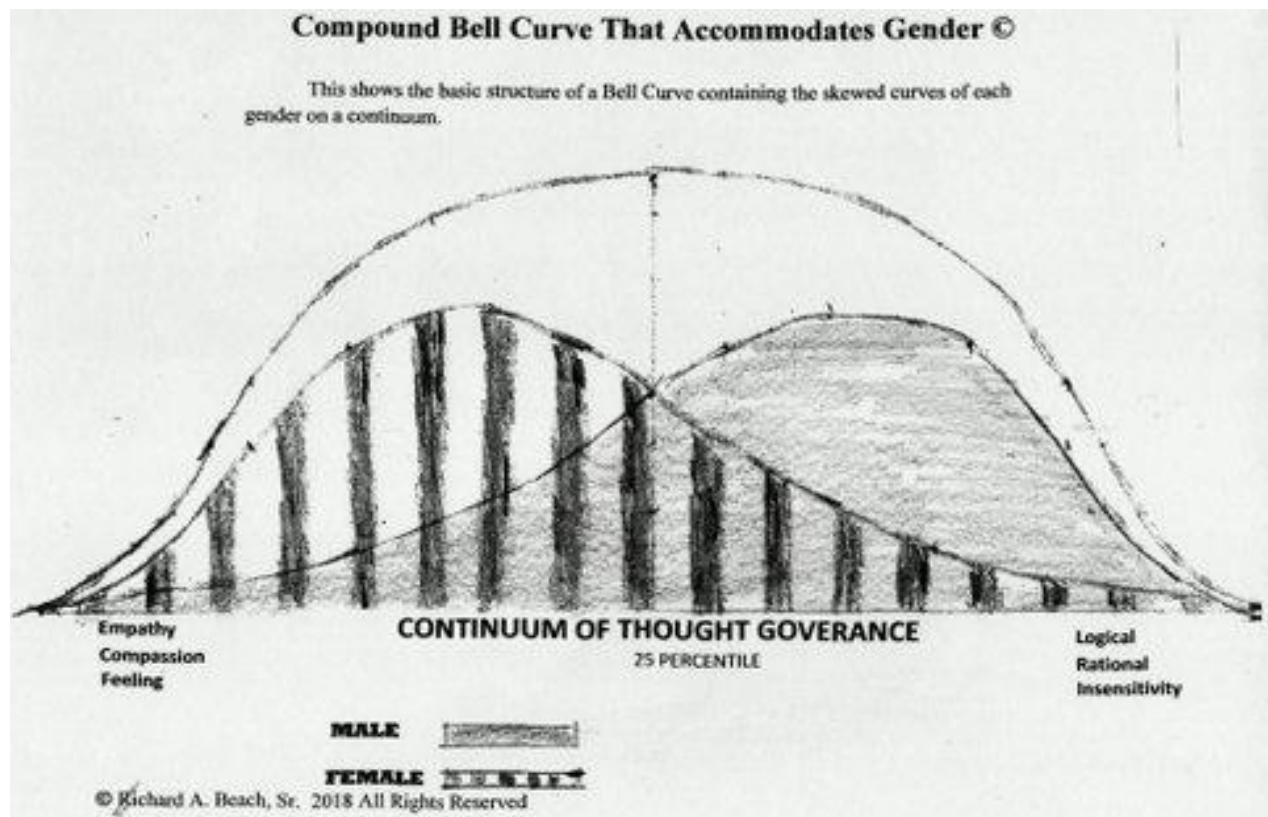
Examples of a graphic and applications of this concept appear in the following:

The Beach Gender Difference Continuum Analysis

A Gender Difference Continuum Analysis applied to difference between the manner in which males and females process information and concepts. Because everyone views the world from different positions of this continuum, communication consensus about this concept is difficult.

This analysis shows that those at the twenty-five percentile –both females and males – process information and concepts essentially the same. Those below the twenty-five percentile process information and concepts ever more in the manner of the opposite gender. Those above the twenty- five percentile process information and concepts ever more in the manner that is characteristic of their gender. Men are more inclined to process

information logically, rationally and insensitively while women are more inclined to process information empathetically, compassionately and with feeling. This is understandable when viewing the role of each in our evolution.



This analysis can help one better find one's self on the spectrum or continuum and better understand why other's view of the world differs from their own.

This can help the understanding of "inequalities" in the societal fabric. It is easily recognized that there is a gender distinction in the National Football League and in the Maternity Ward. But when it comes to thought processes, the distinction become murky and difficult to apply fairly. However murky it may be, denial of the *intrinsic difference* is not tenable. And yet, this analysis shows that from the perspective of any one person on the continuum, denial can seem very tenable.

THE CONTINUUM OF PERSONAL GOVERNANCE

It is self evident that human behavior is governed by both conscious reasoning and subconscious instinct.

Reasoning can be tested for validity by logic, statistical consistency of results and consistency with "Known." Instincts come from the subconscious with no mechanism for testing their validity. To the individual each Instinct enjoys the same validity. Validity of an Instinct, when done, is done on the conscious level by reasoning. When validated by reasoning an Instinct is deemed intuitive. Accepting that each of us possesses and use both Instincts and Reason some will possess more of one than the other. This will produce a continuum that when sorted by gender each will be skewed in opposite directions – males toward conscious Reason and females toward subconscious Instinct. This will produce a Compound Bell Curve. It must be noted that the mid-point of a compound bell Curve may be above the twenty-five percentile.

Instinctive vs. Reasoning and Compassion vs. Mercilessness

To demonstrate a Continuum having Compassion at one end and Mercilessness at the other, in 2017 a group of Americans, both men and women, traveled to Korea and purchased many dogs from a meat processing plant in order to save the lives of the dogs. Here is a prime example of compassion devoid of Reason. At the other end of the continuum we have people, predominately men, training to be snipers with the intent of killing human being. This is mercilessness devoid of Compassion manifestly governed by Reason.

Here 99% of us, of both gender, are somewhere on the continuum between these two extremes. It is between these two extremes you will find those who think it is appropriate to spend one to two million dollars in order to spare a murder's life opposing the death penalty and those who heartily approve of President Harry Truman's decision to drop two atomic bombs on Japan knowing that it would result in the death of a couple hundred thousand innocent women and children.

At any event, if those on the continuum were sorted by gender, we would find that each gender would be skewed in opposite direction demonstrating a consistency with our roles through ten thousand generations of evolution. The genes of successful males were those of the cold calculated killing of the warrior and the artful calculations of the successful hunter. On the other hand, the successful females' genes were those of the most caring, compassionate, empathetic, nurturing mothers and wives.

Out of this concept, an Instinct Quotient (InQ) and a Reasoning Quotient (RQ) continuum as well as a Compassion Quotient (CQ) and a Merciless Quotient (MQ) continuum can be developed to fairly measure these two aptitudes without regard to gender but which all of us have.

Compounding that which governs Personal Behavior along with our instinctive "Hard-wire" DNA programming we carry, to varying degrees, subconscious "soft-ware" implanted by repression and other means some suggested by Ron Hubbard. The resulting behavior commonly bewilders those trying to comprehend it through reasoning.

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