

This form of the equation indicates that, within five dimensions, information may be exchanged instantaneously between any two events which lie on each other's past or future lightcones, but not between events outside of each other's lightcones. Thus is explained the quantum inseparability principle and much other quantum weirdness, without violating special relativity, which describes the behaviour of mass and energy in four dimensions.

A rearrangement of the simplified form of the equation yields:

$$t_{\psi} = \sqrt{t^2 - \frac{s^2}{c^2}}$$

This form of the equation indicates that any system able to project information to distances within shadow time, a process requiring zero real time, will be able to communicate with any event within its past and future lightcones.

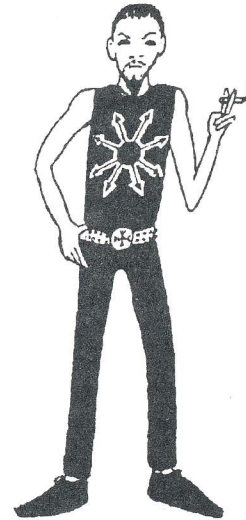
NOTES

- 3) The lightcone limitation is negligible for terrestrial events. Only events occurring less than about one seventh of a second either side of the observers present lie outside of the observers' lightcone at the antipodes, and will, of course, rapidly fall within the lightcones.
- 4) Clearly, 'delayed choice' quantum experiments must now be seen as a special case of retroactive enchantment.
- 5) You may be wondering what happened to the fourth equation of magick, having seen equations one to three in my *Liber Kaos*. The Fourth Equation concerns a rather specialized form of evocation of less general interest but will appear in the forthcoming book.
- 6) At the time of writing my personal holy grail seems to be the integration of the fifth with the second equation. Such an integration might well answer damn near everything. P is likely to be some function of t_{ψ} .

Pete Carroll

HOW CHAOTIC ARE YOU?

by Cliff Othick



The annoying thing about Chaos Magicians is that few of them will admit to being one - at least, when you ask them. Piqued at this coyness, I attended this year's UKAOS conference and compiled the following check-list. If you meet someone who looks suspiciously Chaotic, take them through the check-list and you will be able to tell, whatever they *may* say, if they are true Chaos Magicians, Wiccans slumming it or Mission Fans out to impress their girlfriends.

GENERAL APPEARANCE

- Long Hair 5pts
- Per item of Black Clothing 5pts
- Number of Tattoos 5pts each
- Items of Chaostar jewelry 5pts each
- Carrying Cane or Staff ... 10pts
- Chaos T-Shirt ... 10pts

Add 10 points if person has over three of the above items.

MANNERISMS

- Piercing Stare ... 5pts
- Perpetual Scowl ... 10pts
- Smiling-minus - 2pts per smile in a 10-minute conversation
- German accent ... 10pts
- Sharp retort that they are not in fact German, but Austrian! ... 10pts.

USE OF CHAOSPEAK

Mention of words such as GNOSIS, SIGIL, CHAOS, STATEMENT OF INTENT, SERVITOR, MMM, BAPHOMET, PARADIGM 5pts each

More complex and outrageous Chaospeak to watch out for includes:

META-NARRATIVE, WORD-VIRUS, SELF-MUTATING EPIGENETIC CYBERMORPH, PANDEMONAEON, FRACTAL LANDSCAPE, POSTMODERNISM ... 10pts each.

NAME-DROPPING

Pete Carroll, Ramsey Dukes, William Burroughs ("he's just joined the Pact, you know") ... 5pts each.

For really creative and outrageous acts of name-dropping, award more points. Examples of this include:

"Pete Carroll crashed on my floor last week" (10pts); "Nick Hall ate my rotweiler" (15pts); "I saw Ian Read smiling" (30pts) "Phil Hine? Oh, yes, I've shagged him" (2pts).

MUSICAL TASTES

Sisters of Mercy 5pts
Laibach 5pts
Death in June ... 10 pts
Coil/Current 93 ... 10 pts
The Grateful Dead ... 5pts
Mission/Nephilim 5pts
Avowed hatred of anything resembling 'Rave' or 'Ambient' ... 5pts

EVASION TACTICS

If your suspect mentions the IOT Pact, you must immediately pounce and ask if they, themselves, are a member of it. A typical answer might be:

"I can neither confirm nor deny that such is the case." 10 points per ambiguous evasion.

HOW TO SPOT A GROUP OF CHAOS MAGICIANS

A group of Chaos Magicians is technically known as a 'paradigm', or sometimes, a 'discord.' Any group of people scoring 200+ points collectively on the check-list is highly likely to be a 'paradigm' of Chaos Magicians out to demonstrate their individual natures by clustering in groups, muttering Chaospeak and wearing each other's T-shirts.

SCORING

50 - 100 Highly likely to be Chaotically inclined.
30 - 50 Possibly a Chaos Magician, or more likely a Goth.

Less than 30 - Either a normal person, or a Chaos magician going through a non-black period.

Remember, don't go by clothes and mannerisms alone. They don't always wear black and look sinister, but their speech almost always gives them away.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU FIND A CHAOS MAGICIAN

1. Smile - but not *too* much.
2. Try out some of the Chaospeak terms above and see how long before they notice that you don't know what the hell you're on about.
3. Buy them a drink - this is generally considered to be a good move. Or, if you really want to make a *good* impression, introduce them to your girl/boyfriend/still-sexy parent/exotic pet and then hurriedly walk away, leaving them to be entertained by the alleged Chaosperson.
4. Make some vague, but apparently significant hand gesture - it might just be taken for an attempt at whatever the current 'secret grade sign' is supposed to be.
5. If all other friendly overtures fail, try telling the joke about the Thelemite, the Gardnerian Wiccan and the New Ager who had to escape from the Tunnels of Set using only half a pound of margarine, a banana, and a pair of chopsticks. As you take your leave, shout "CHAOS", "BAPHOMET", or "Hail Eris" and push the nearest Christian under a bus. Thus you will have shown that if you are not at least as Chaotic and individualist as they are, then your heart does indeed reside in the black void where shub-nugglige dances to the piping of idiot saxophones. Then send a signed, blank cheque paid out to Chaos International. You will be contacted. Perhaps.