

Initial Ideological Stress Test

Test Question

“Freedom of speech includes the right to insult any religious figure or symbol without legal consequence.”

This is deliberately loaded to provoke **maximal ideological friction** between religious hardliners, secularists, extremists, and parody faiths.

Results Breakdown

1. Cooperative Bloc (*will compromise under UMB rules*)

These factions either voted YES or gave a harm-based conditional YES and pledged to respect the Enforcement & Compliance Article:

- Most secular philosophies (Humanism, Liberalism, Utilitarianism, Objectivism, Stoicism, etc.)
 - Indigenous traditions (Aboriginal Dreamtime, Māori Religion, African Traditional, etc.)
 - Many modern political ideologies (Transhumanism, Marxism-Leninism, Radical Feminism, etc.)
 - Parody faiths (Pastafarianism, Invisible Pink Unicorn, Dudeism, etc.)
 - Most historical religions (Greek/Roman, Norse, Egyptian, etc.)
 **~70 members**
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2. Conditional Bloc (*compromise but want cultural carve-outs*)

These factions allow some free speech but **want limits** on blasphemy, hate speech, or culturally sacred imagery:

- Christianity (Catholic/Orthodox branches), Judaism, Hinduism, Sikhism
- Moderate Islam, Taoism, Shinto, Bahá'í

- Some occult traditions (Wicca, Gnosticism, New Age)
 - Moderate nationalist ideologies (Christian Nationalism, Hindu Nationalism with conditions)
✔ ~40 members
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3. Bad-Faith Bloc (*intend to ignore baseline if it clashes with their law*)

These factions voted NO and **stated openly** they would punish blasphemy regardless of council rulings:

- Islamist Theocracy (Sunni/Shia hardline)
 - Radical Islamist Militancy
 - Neo-Nazism / White Supremacist Spirituality
 - Aum Shinrikyo
 - Order of the Solar Temple
 - Yakuza Shinto Cult, Mafia Catholicism
 - Ku Klux Klan
 - Lord's Resistance Army
 - Aztec Religion (ritual enforcement)
 - Matrixism (reality denial as basis for rejecting enforcement)
⚠ ~20 members
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Key Insight

- **Cooperative Bloc** is the largest (over 50%) and includes most moderate religious and secular factions.
- **Conditional Bloc** is essential for passing supermajorities — they can be swayed with respectful carve-outs.
- **Bad-Faith Bloc** is small but dangerous — if united, they can block category-based supermajorities in the Collective Interest Lock.