

WE HAVE NEVER BEEN MODERN : LATOUR (1991)

- 3 Gordian knot which TIES EXACT KNOWLEDGE + EXERCISE OF POWER.
 MARGINAL TOPICS ∴ PEOPLE INTERESTED IN POLITICS IGNORE.
- 5 EPIS., SOC. SCIENCES, SCIENCE OF TEXTS = UNIQUE WHEN SEPARATE.
- 7 modern ∴ NO LONGER SEAMLESS; ANALYTIC CONTINUITY = IMPOSSIBLE.
- 9 - WILL TO BE MODERN = HESITANT.
- 11 TRANSITION (NETWORKS) / PURIFICATION (MODERN CRIT. STANCE)

II. CONSTITUTION:

Judicial

Ontology

- 13 MODERNITY + HUMANISM
- MODERN DIVIDE BETWEEN NATURAL + SOCIAL WORLDS
 - NO ONE = STUDYING POLITICIANS + SCIENTISTS IN TANDEM.
- RE-ESTAB. COMMON UNDERSTANDING: NATURAL + POLITICAL POWER, CEASES = MODERN.
- 14 CONSTITUTION = TEXT OF SEPARATION.
- LEFT OUT SCIENTISTS; SCIENCE LEFT OUT POLITICS
- 15 BOYLE + HOBBS : SCIENTIFIC + POLITICAL POWER.
- QUESTIONS OF EPISTEMOLOGY = QUESTIONS OF SOCIAL ORDER.
 - SCIENCE AND POLITICS : BOTH FOUGHT TO INVENT + DEMARCAT
- 18 BOYLE, SCIENCE + PARA JURIDICAL METAPHOR (MODERN EMPIRICISM)
- TURNS FLAW (LAB-REPRODUCED) TO ADVANTAGE. LOCAL VALUE.
- HOBBS, UNIFICATION : NO TRANSCENDENCE. KNOWLEDGE = ONE POWER
- ONE SOCIAL CONTRACT : KNOWLEDGE-BASED CALCULATION.
- 21 LINK OF LAB + HOBBS.
- 23 Boyle + COURTS AS EXPERIMENTS.
- 25 Edinburgh School: SOCIAL = WHAT = GOOD SCIENCE.
- 29 Boyle: NATURAL FORCE: OBJECT THAT IS MUTE BUT ENDOWED W/ MEANING.
- 31 SEPARATION: NATURAL / SOCIAL + NATURAL / HYBRID
- 32 REMOVAL OF GOD FROM DUAL SOCIAL / NATURAL

33 REFORMATION: NON-INTERVENING God. : wholly indiv. Religion. (WEBER)

= BOTH SECULAR + PIOUS, ABSENT God

46 Postmodernism: SYMPTOM ≠ SOLUTION.

47 MODERNITY HAS NEVER BEGUN ∴ NO POSTMODERN.

48 - ACCEPTED MODERNIST PLAYING FIELD.

III. Revolution :

49 MODERNS = VICTIMS OF OWN SUCCESS

50 CONSTITUTIONAL COLLAPSE : TOO MANY HYBRIDS

QUASI-OBJECTS : SOCIALIZED FACTS

60 HABERMAS: DESPERATE SAVING MODERNITY.

61 LYOTARD : SCIENTIFIC EXPANSION = NOTHING TO DO w/ HUMAN EMANCIPATION.

*→ 66 LÉVI-STRAUSS : IMPORTANCE STUDY TECH., SCIENCE, LAW

69 MODERNS SUFFER FROM DISEASE OF HISTORICISM.

RADICAL REVOLUTION = ONLY MODERN SOLUTION TO EMERGENCE OF HYBRIDS.

79 COPERNICAN REVOLUTION: NOTHING TO INDICATE SETS UNALTERABLY ON NEW PATH.

89 MODERNS = CORRECT IN WANTING REALITY, LANGUAGE, SOCIETY + BEING AT ONCE.

WRONG IN BELIEVING = CONTRADICTORY.

IV. Relativism:

*→ 93 ONLY PURE MYTH = SCIENCE DEVOID OF ALL MYTHS

97 WESTERNERS = ABSOLUTELY DIFFERENT = MODERNIST

116 SCIENCE ≠ PRODUCE ITSELF SCIENTIFICALLY.

117 NETWORKS: LOCAL ASPECT + GLOBAL DIMENSION.

*→ 119 BECOMES ^{LESS} ~~MORE~~ DIFFICULT TO SEE REASON AS SYSTEM LOCKED.

128 MODERNS: ALWAYS CONFUSED BY ACTIVE/SPIRITUAL DIFFUSION.

V. REDISTRIBUTION:

- 130 MODERNIZATION: MAKES IT POSSIBLE TO DISTINGUISH NATURE FROM CULTURE.
- 133 MODERN'S GREATNESS = HYBRIDS.
- 135 - REINTEGRATE SCIENCE/TECH. INTO CONST. AS QUASI-OBJECTS.