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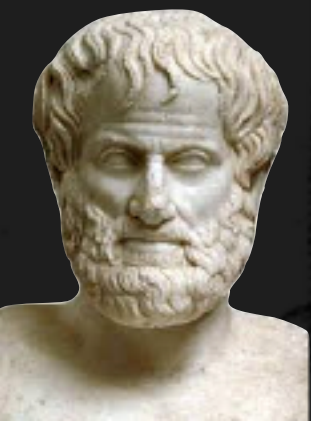
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# PARTICULAR AND TOTAL IDEOLOGY

- A **total ideology** refers to an entire worldview, while a **particular ideology** concerns only certain beliefs or positions.
- A **particular ideology** is determined almost completely through a psychological lens.
- Even when we describe the **particular** ideology of groups, we're ultimately dealing with the level of the individual because we're using psychology as our major analytical lens.
- In contrast, a **total ideology** is a complete thought-system, and opposing total ideologies rarely share the same basic frames of reference.





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