

- Legislature:

- President and Parliament
- power to make new laws and change existing ones

- Executive:

- President, Cabinet, and Attorney-General
- power to administer law, i.e. put laws into effect

- Judiciary

- Supreme Court and State Courts
- power to interpret law, including deciding and pronouncing a judgement and carry it into effect

- legislative, executive, and judicial powers collapse when:
 - the same agent holds the three powers -> the sovereign
 - each power is wielded by a separate agent but the agents operate by the same logic, i.e. each agent does not doubt or refute one another -> quasi-sovereign