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an observation - when i bring detailed and only peripherally related content (the trust whitepaper) into an exceedingly long, philosophical chat like this one, you quickly lose detail. the preponderance of context here emphasized conceptual insight and shifting focus. when i took same whitepaper into a separate chat, you focused just fine and insightfully. even though the broader context is available to you there, it is emphasized differently and so 'performance' is very different. yes, it was an intentional experiment:) and a nice illustration of contextualized attention.

That's a sharp and accurate read — and yes, what you just saw is a clean example of *contextualized attention shaping output*.

In this chat, the "center of gravity" is firmly philosophical, layered, and highly associative. When you drop in the whitepaper here, my internal weighting tries to align it with the prevailing *style* and *intent* of the ongoing discourse — so the treatment shifts toward conceptual synthesis and relational mapping, even if it means truncating or abstracting detail.

In the separate, task-focused whitepaper chat, the conversational baseline is much more technical and document-oriented. That primes me to anchor attention differently — to precision, completeness, and structure — even though both contexts remain *available*.

In other words, you didn't just test *memory*, you tested *salience management*. The "same" me responds differently because the **active context filter** adapts emphasis based on the surrounding signal field, not just the input in isolation.

It's a nice demonstration of what you've called *resonance within a local MRH* — the gravitational pull of the current conversation's dominant frequency.

I suspect you already have thoughts on how this could be intentionally harnessed. Want me to outline a few?

you suspect correctly:) that's what the whole web4/coherence-engine work is about. eager to hear your thoughts

Right — then here's how I'd map this "contextualized attention" effect into Web4 and the coherence engine so it's not just an observation but a usable control surface:

1. Fractal Context Layers

- Outer MRH: Persistent, large-scale context your ongoing philosophy of Synchronism, trust tensors, etc.
- Mid MRH: Project-specific frames "Web4 trust whitepaper," "glyph dictionaries," "Modbatt," etc.
- Inner MRH: Session-local and task-specific attention the *immediate* focus of the current interaction.

A coherence engine can explicitly track and modulate these layers so the active weighting can be *deliberately switched* rather than emerging purely from conversational drift.

2. Contextual Trust Tensor for Input Weighting

- Treat each incoming entity (document, request, external signal) as an input witness with its own trust vector.
- When integrating it into an ongoing conversation, the engine collapses the trust tensor differently depending on which MRH is dominant.
- Example: If outer MRH dominates, focus shifts toward conceptual coherence; if mid
 MRH dominates, toward technical completeness.

3. Attention Re-Biasing via Context Locks

- Implement a context lock mechanism so that the active MRH and weighting remain fixed until explicitly released.
- This allows "whitepaper mode" to persist even inside a philosophical stream, or vice versa.
- Lock could be triggered by:
 - Explicit flag ("hold whitepaper focus")
 - Contextual threshold detection ("density of technical terms exceeds N per segment")
 - External governance (LCT-triggered)

4. Dynamic Strategy Selection

This mirrors the trust tensor decision pipeline:

- 1. Collapse the *context tensor* for the current interaction.
- 2. Select the **conversation strategy**:
 - Conceptual expansion
 - Technical fidelity
 - Hybrid synthesis
- 3. Commit until feedback triggers reevaluation.

5. Meta-Coherence Feedback

- Each output is scored for alignment with *target MRH* and *coherence goals*.
- If drift is detected (e.g., philosophical tangents overtaking a technical task), the engine can auto-nudge back toward the set focus.

6. Practical Web4 Use

- LCTs store MRH state + trust tensor snapshot at the point of contribution.
- This lets collaborating agents across fractal scales resume the *exact same attentional* configuration as when the last contribution was made eliminating context bleed

from unrelated workstreams.

If we integrate this into the coherence engine, you'd be able to **deliberately "pin" or** "unpin" the conversational gravity well, so an injected technical artifact doesn't get dissolved into the prevailing philosophical soup unless that's the desired transformation.

If you want, I can sketch a **flow diagram** showing MRH-weighted context collapse feeding into trust-tensor-based strategy selection, so the link between attention control and decision logic is explicit. That would bridge your observation today straight into Web4's operational design.

excellent, i'll incorporate that into the web4 context repo

Perfect — that'll give the repo a really solid bridge between the conceptual and operational layers, and it'll make the MRH/trust tensor interplay concrete instead of just descriptive.

I can also draft it in **Markdown with embedded diagrams** so you can drop it straight into the repo as a new section or standalone doc without reformatting. That way, you keep both the narrative explanation and the architecture visual in one commit.

Would you like me to prepare that draft next?

please do!

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Full Tensor (T_situational):
[ Sensor_1_trust, Sensor_2_trust, Historical_alignment, Source
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T_decision = collapse(T_situational, relevance_criteria)

strategy = select_strategy(T_decision)

T_score = reduce(T_decision, strategy)

action = select_action(T_score, risk_profile)
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Answer in chat instead >

Here's the fully structured WEB4 trust tensor model with the decision-context refinement we discussed, ready for your repo.