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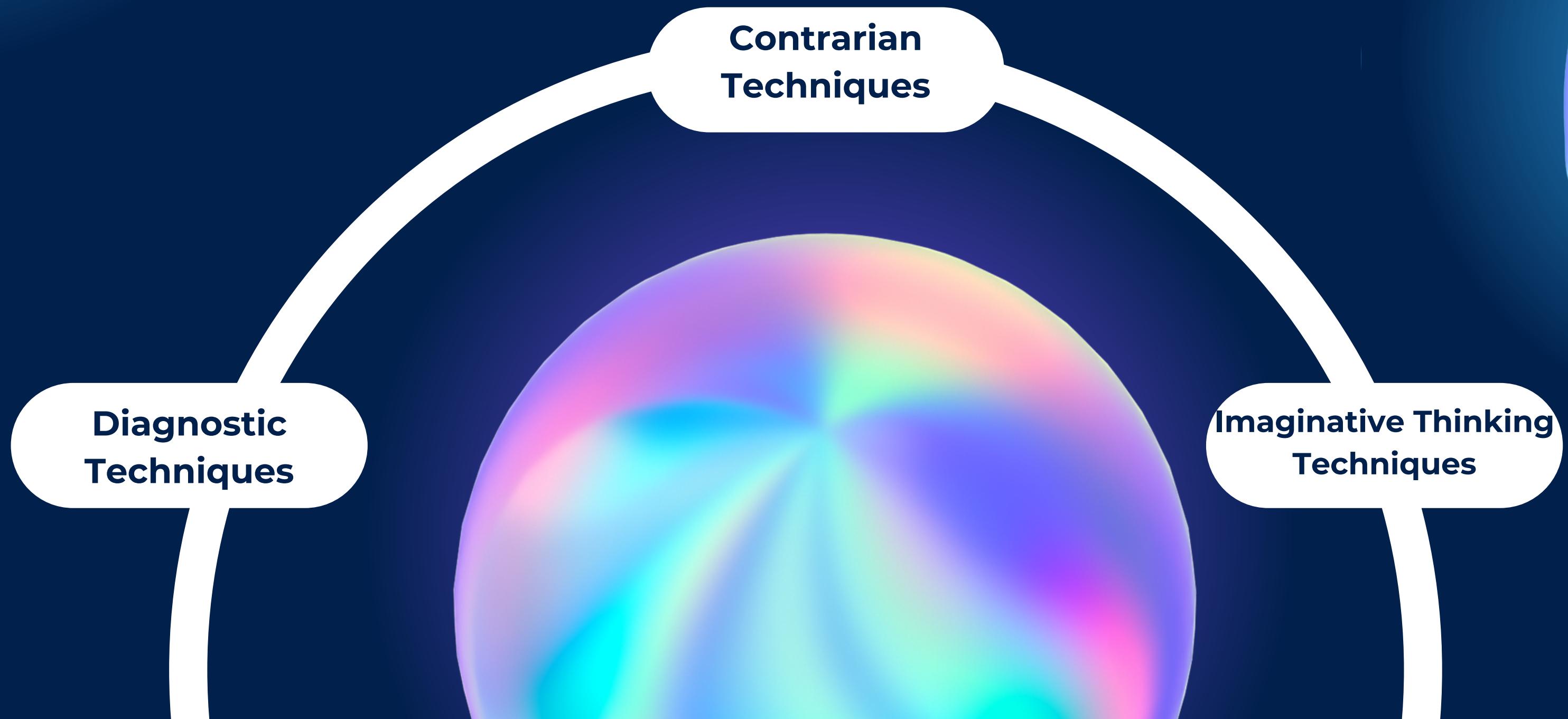
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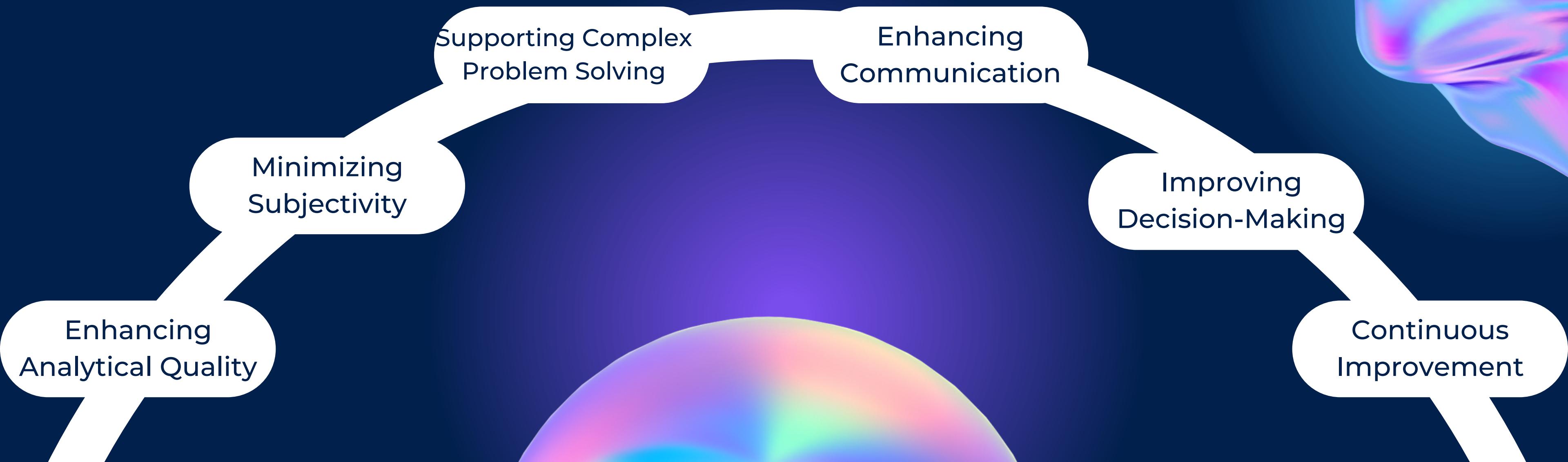
What are Structured Analytic Techniques ?

Structured analytic techniques (SATs) are methods for analyzing intelligence and reaching conclusions. SATs are simply a "box of tools" to help the analyst mitigate the adverse impact on analysis of one's cognitive limitations and pitfalls.

Types of SATs



PURPOSE AND SIGNIFICANCE OF STRUCTURED ANALYTIC TECHNIQUES



Commonly Used SATs:

1. Analysis of Competing Hypothesis
2. Benefits of SATs
3. Integration into Analytic Tradecraft
4. Case-Specific Applications
5. Ongoing Research and Development

SATs are tools that the CIA uses to make sure their intelligence analysis is smart, unbiased, and dependable

Heuer's grouping is as follows:

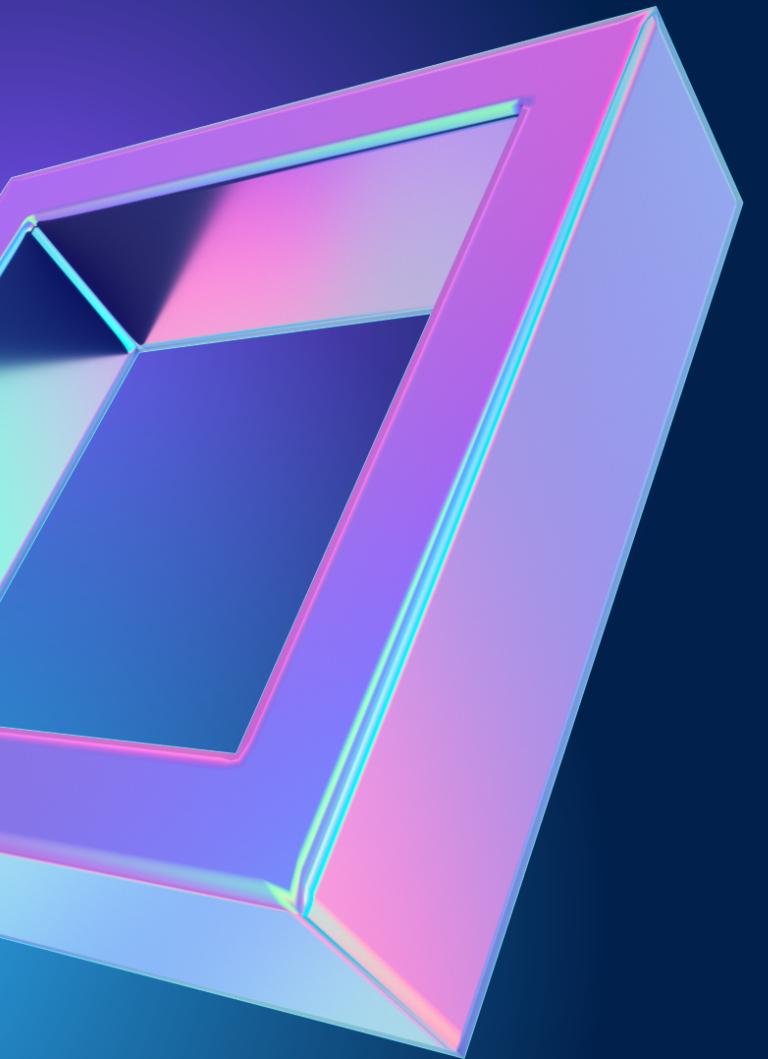


Heuer categorized structured techniques by how they help analysts overcome human cognitive limitations or pitfalls to analysis.

Conclusion

Structured Analytic Techniques (SATs) serve as a critical cornerstone in the CIA's intelligence analysis toolkit.





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