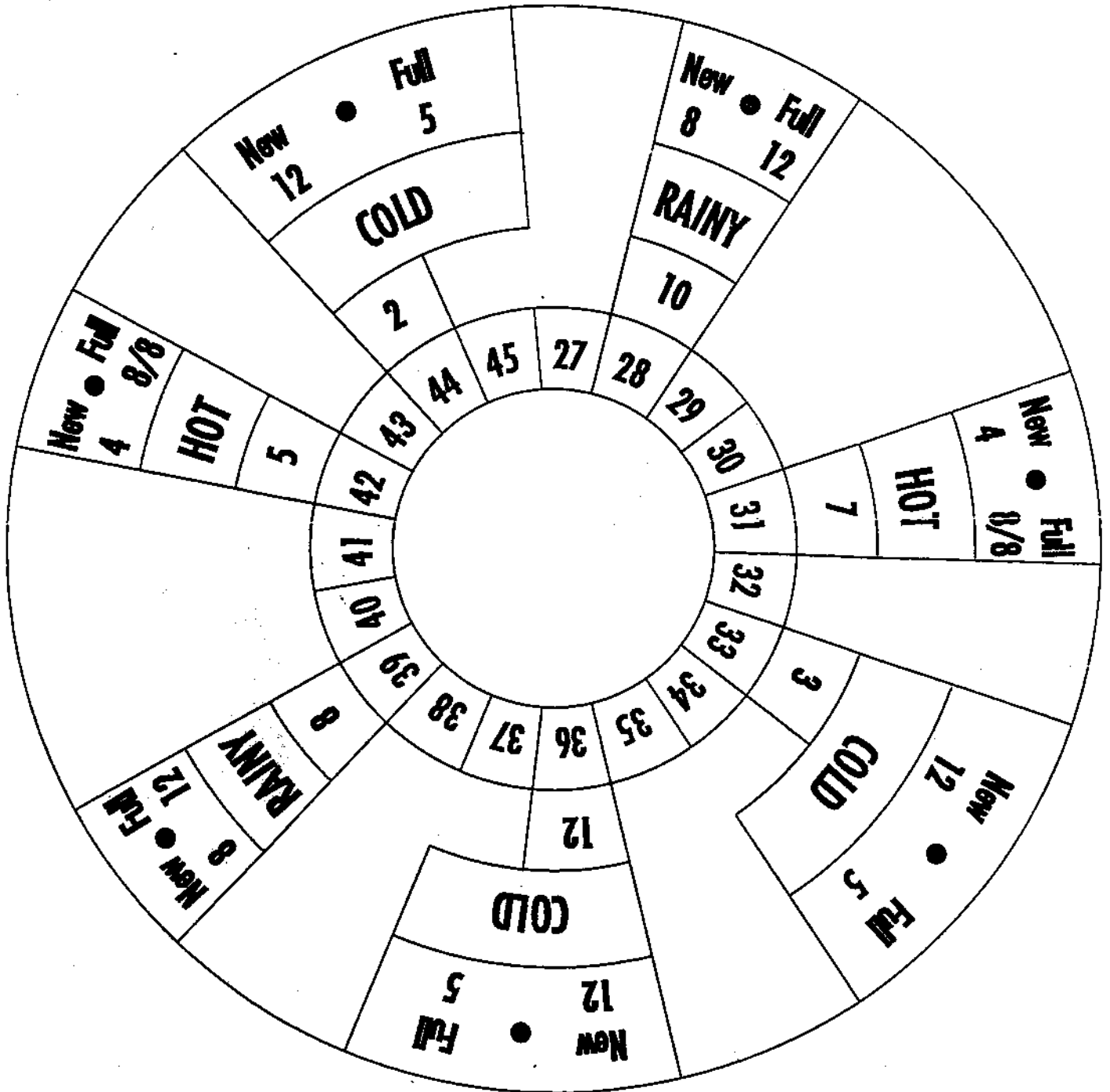


# ADHIKAMĀSA



1. Inner circle shows 19 year cycle from B.E. 2527-B.E. 2545.
2. The number out from the B.E. is the Thai lunar month in which the adhikamasa is inserted.
3. The words HOT, COLD, RAINY are the seasons in which the adhikamāsa falls in that particular year.
4. Outer most circle tells the first and last uposatha of the 5 month season in which the adhikamāsa falls.

Note if the adhikamāsa falls on the 2nd, 3rd or 12th Thai lunar month, there will be two eight months (8/8) the following.

e.g. In B.E. 2525 the adhikamāsa comes on the 2nd lunar month, so the following year, 2526 has two 8th months (8 - 8/8). There will thus be ten uposothas in the cold season. The first being the new moon of the 12th lunar month (2525) the last being the full moon of the 5th lunar month (2526).