# UNNS Decomposing, Adopting, and Evaluating: A Higher-Order Triad Linked to the Tetrad and Octad

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#### Abstract

We extend the operational grammar of the Unbounded Nested Number Sequence (UNNS) framework by introducing a new Triad of operators: *Decomposing, Adopting,* and *Evaluating.* These complement the existing Tetrad (Inletting, Inlaying, Repair/Normalization, Trans–Sentifying) and integrate with the Octad expansion. We show that decomposition preserves recursive integrity, adoption grafts compatible nests, and evaluation provides admissibility testing. Together they form a cycle of analysis, judgment, and synthesis. We present formal definitions, a theorem on evaluation-driven admissibility, and a diagrammatic overview of the Triad as a feedback loop chained to the broader UNNS operator families.

### 1 Introduction

The UNNS substrate is structured around recursive operators that act on nested sequences. Earlier work identified a foundational Tetrad and an extended Octad of such operators. We propose here an additional Triad—Decomposing, Adopting, and Evaluating—that captures higher-order structural transformations. This triad embodies analysis (splitting), synthesis (grafting), and judgment (testing), and serves as a bridge between raw recursion and operator grammar.

## 2 Definitions

**Definition 2.1** (Decomposing). Decomposing is the operator  $\mathcal{D}$  that maps a nest  $\mathcal{N}$  to a collection  $\{\mathcal{N}_i\}$  such that each  $\mathcal{N}_i$  is itself a valid UNNS nest with preserved recurrence integrity. Arbitrary cutting is forbidden; decomposition must respect recurrence invariants (echo residues, spectral factors).

**Definition 2.2** (Adopting). Adopting is the operator  $\mathcal{A}$  that embeds a foreign nest  $\mathcal{N}_B$  into a host  $\mathcal{N}_A$ , yielding a grafted nest  $\widetilde{\mathcal{N}}$ . Adoption requires compatibility of coefficients, depth alignment, or repair adjustment.

**Definition 2.3** (Evaluating). Evaluating is the operator  $\mathcal{E}$  that assigns a stability and resonance profile to a nest  $\mathcal{N}$ :

$$\mathcal{E}(\mathcal{N}) = \{ \rho(C), \lambda_i, residue \ norms \},$$

where C is the companion matrix and  $\lambda_i$  the echo constants. Evaluation ensures admissibility of adopted or decomposed nests.

# 3 Formal properties

**Lemma 3.1** (Integrity of decomposition). If  $\mathcal{N}$  is a valid nest and  $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{N}) = {\mathcal{N}_i}$ , then each  $\mathcal{N}_i$  satisfies a recurrence rule with coefficients in the same admissible ring as  $\mathcal{N}$ .

**Proposition 3.2** (Adoption compatibility). If  $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{N}_A, \mathcal{N}_B) = \widetilde{\mathcal{N}}$  succeeds, then the recurrence coefficients of  $\widetilde{\mathcal{N}}$  lie in the closure of the union of coefficient rings of  $\mathcal{N}_A$  and  $\mathcal{N}_B$ .

**Theorem 3.3** (Evaluation ensures admissibility). Suppose  $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{N}_A, \mathcal{N}_B) = \widetilde{\mathcal{N}}$ . If  $\mathcal{E}(\widetilde{\mathcal{N}})$  satisfies

$$\rho(C_{\widetilde{\mathcal{N}}}) < 1 \quad and \quad residue \ norms < \tau,$$

for a stability threshold  $\tau$ , then  $\widetilde{\mathcal{N}}$  is admissible as a UNNS nest and remains stable under projection and repair.

*Proof.* Evaluation checks both spectral radius and residue norms. If  $\rho(C) < 1$ , iteration contracts. If residues lie below threshold  $\tau$ , repair operators need not trigger, so the nest evolves consistently. Hence admissibility follows.

# 4 Integration with Tetrad and Octad

### 4.1 Tetrad

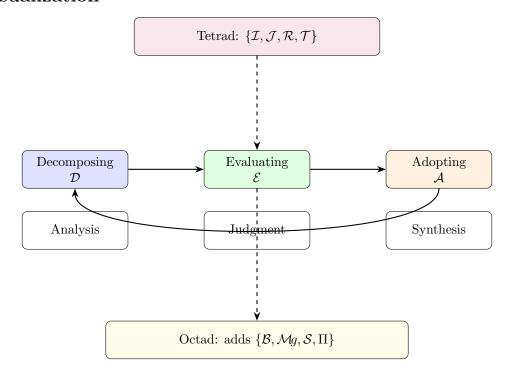
The Tetrad  $\{\mathcal{I}, \mathcal{J}, \mathcal{R}, \mathcal{T}\}$  introduces seeding (Inletting, Inlaying), stabilization (Repair), and perceptual mapping (Trans–Sentifying). The Triad  $\{\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{E}\}$  builds on this by restructuring nests.

### 4.2 Octad

The Octad adds Branching, Merging, Shadowing, Projection. Together with the Triad, the operator family expands to eleven members. These can be grouped as:

- Seed and Growth: Inletting, Inlaying, Branching.
- Stability: Repair, Merging, Projection.
- Perception and Masking: Trans–Sentifying, Shadowing.
- Higher-order Structuring: Decomposing, Adopting, Evaluating.

## 5 Visualization



# 6 Conclusion

Decomposing, Adopting, and Evaluating extend the UNNS operational grammar beyond the Tetrad and Octad. They provide a higher-order cycle of analysis, judgment, and synthesis that governs the restructuring of nests. By chaining the Triad to the earlier operator families, the grammar achieves a new level of expressive completeness, suitable for applications in logic, physics, and recursive system modeling.