

KNOWLEDGE AND META POWER

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The old adage "knowledge is power" is actually based on an assumption of a standard civilisation in the background. The issue of Knowledge and Power is still wide open when *Meta Power* is considered.

Zulf posits statistical independence in this case, and that is a good null hypothesis. This is in contrast to Bill Gates who, absurdly claims, that Meta Power *implies* higher knowledge. This position is absurd. He, Bill Gates, does not have an undergraduate degree and is a college dropout and most of his self-promoting propaganda about how good of a reader and scholar he is pure fiction. He uses books to present an image to the public without any basis in reality. I won't go into details but he is an enormously ignorant man regarding many things of ordinary knowledge, such as whether non-white people are susceptible to pain; he believes they are not. I am non-white and I am by experience and even fish are. Bill Gates is the prototypical example of a man who has a lot of meta power but is extremely third rate in knowledge. His knowledge is not even freshman or sophomore college level outside of computers. He had literally said in meta that Rilke's poetry is a bunch of words thrown together and that scientific theories are purely arbitrary. These opinions are directly indicative of his seeing chaos in disciplines in which his initiation is nonexistent.

More generally the question does have interest. Meta power has gone to highly knowledgeable people in some respects. Interestingly Richard Nixon was quite intellectually adept in some ways. He was not ethical in Watergate and other issues. There are many examples I think of all cases of power/no power and knowledge/no knowledge. The actual statistics might one day be available.

Until that time, I propose we consider Meta Power to result from focus on and work on power itself as Bill Gates does 24/7 for this is his obsession without any moral compass or constraints – and therefore the most Evil man in history of human race as a result if you will.

Other obsessions such as pursuit of knowledge yield different talents, with or without any experience of rise of Meta Power.

Statistical independence is reasonable null although might not be absolutely best model of truth.