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One, Two, Three and Four – these small numbers are hardwired into us and probably guide our thinking about everything. We share them with the animals at an instinctual level. But to delve down into the primordial depths of these apparently simple numbers takes time and a mass of information.

They were the basis of John Bennett's system of thinking he called *Systematics*, in which every integer has a meaning in an unlimited progression: the first four 'elementary systems' set the stage for the discovery of deeper structures of meaning.

Anthony Blake, student of Bennett and author of 'The Intelligent Enneagram' and 'Gymnasium of Beliefs in Higher Intelligence' takes a fresh look at the first four systems. Based on a seminar held in 2014, this book draws together many threads and opens a way to embracing and appreciating the immense wealth of meaning to be found everywhere if we can allow ourselves to be simple in a precise way.

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