

The Pluto - Neptune sextile through the houses of your birth chart.

This sextile began in 1943 and will last till 2032 approx. Everyone alive today either has this in their birth chart or, if they were born before 1943, they grew up very much under the influence of this sextile.

So this influence is universal in our world today.

What you need to know about your birth chart in order to make use of this video.

If you don't already know how to calculate your chart go to [Astro.com](https://astro.com) which is free and very user-friendly. Enter your birth data. Click on the “All free horoscopes option” and scroll down to “Astroclick Portrait”. Click on the icons for Neptune and Pluto to learn which house they were in at your birth.

Mild warning about my whimsical use of language here and there.

- You might find my expressions a bit flippant now and then. My apologies if you do, I am trying to amuse myself and hopefully the reader too, as we plough through 107 slides.
- I overuse the words “deep”, “nebulous”, “confused” and “kind” as they fit Pluto and Neptune so well.

What is a sextile?

A sextile is one sixth of a circle. A circle has 360 degrees, so a sextile is 60 degrees. When 2 or more planets fall about 60 degrees apart we say they sextile each other.

This means they relate to each in a helpful and harmonious way. However you do have to make a bit of an effort to take advantage of this helpful harmony.

You can use a sextile aspect to improve your life.

What I mean will become obvious as we continue with the interpretations, if you do not already understand this.

Write down which houses your Pluto and Neptune are in. They will be 2 houses apart, like 1 - 3rd house or 2 to 4th house and so on.

The Houses:

These show us which areas of life are important to us, whether these are easy or difficult or neutral areas for us.

- For example relationships might be more important to you than career success, or vice versa. You might be a homebody or a traveller. Your family could be more important than your friends, or vice versa. Etc etc.

We are using the Whole Sign House System here

- This means your Ascendant sign is also your first house. The Ascending degree may fall anywhere in the 30 degrees of that sign but the entire sign is your first house.
- If you prefer to use any of the other dozens of house systems (Placidus being the most common), feel free. You could then compare the results with the Whole sign system, which I find the most interesting and accurate, but you may not. I'd love to hear the results of this experiment if you do it.

The Pluto Neptune 500-year cycle.

- A Neptune Cycle is roughly 164 years, about two-thirds of a 244-year Pluto Cycle. Each conjunction (Ψ ♄) occurs about 500 years apart in the same sign for a roughly 2,500-year period. The most recent conjunction occurred in 1891 at 07° Gemini ♊, the next one will occur in 2385AD at 12° ♊. (thanks to Palden Jenkins. His amazing work on astrological cycles is kept here: <http://cura.free.fr/xx/20palden.html>).
- Pluto spends about between 12 and 30 years in each sign. Neptune takes about 12 years to go through each sign. The sign positions of these two show us generational, social trends because you share that sign position with all the people around your age.
- The houses Pluto and Neptune fall in show us how these trends affect us more personally because the houses are defined by your personal time and place of birth.
- When Pluto moves into Leo and Neptune into Libra they always begin this long, slow sextile dance because at that point Pluto begins to move at around the same speed as Neptune, i.e. about 12 years per sign. This ends slowly when Pluto goes into Aquarius and Neptune into Aries. That is where we are now.

Very important point! (IMO).

This is THE FIRST sextile period since Pluto and Neptune were identified by telescope in 1850 and 1930 respectively. This makes their symbolism stronger than ever before because, theoretically, we are now more consciously aware of their effect upon us.

Susan and I have talked at length about this in previous videos.

The astrological symbolism of Pluto. He was the king of the underworld where the greatest material riches are found.

- So Pluto rules the Plutocrats, the powerful super-rich mafias, both legal and illegal.
- He wore a helmet of invisibility so we say that Plutonic power is mostly invisible, like the riches of the Plutocrats.

The Plutonic path to self knowledge

- In whichever house Pluto falls in our charts we may be forced to learn about our own power through experiencing powerlessness and loss.
- We may have to dig deep inside ourselves to find real power as Plutos lesson is that true power does not reside in the external world.
- This does not mean that if you have a difficult time during a hard Pluto transit that it is somehow your fault because you do enough self-exploration or therapy or something like that. Difficult, awful things happen to us all. They cannot be avoided in this world.
- The real superpower Pluto offers, imo, is that we grow through lifes difficulties, mostly because Pluto gives us no choice! With that growth comes personal freedom.
- It is extremely important to own ones Pluto power. If we don't own it we project it, thus we give away our power to other people or ideas or things.

Pluto rules deep transformation

- The most complete transformation is Death itself.
- Everyone dies, no exceptions.
- Therefore we understand that Pluto rules not only individual physical death but the transformation of the masses of humanity, because everyone transforms, willingly or unwillingly. We go through many deaths and rebirths in one lifetime, before final physical death. These are deep mass movements that we are only beginning to understand.
- Some of these transformations are a part of natural evolution. But we are beginning to realise how many, seemingly natural evolutionary changes are invisibly manipulated by Plutonic or Plutocratic forces.
- Rosie Finns work is recommended. She has explored Plutos movements over centuries in a very original and interesting way.

Neptunes' astrological symbolism

- Neptune rules dreams, confusion, illusion and delusion, deceit, hypnosis, idealism, empathy, self-sacrifice, victimhood, refugees and much, much more. But this short list of his qualities will do us for now.
- Importantly for our present investigation, he rules advertising, propaganda and cinema which feed on our dreams and ideals.

When Neptune and Pluto relate to each other by easy sextile.

- It doesn't take a genius to see that Pluto can enable invisible powers-that-be to easily manipulate the masses via Neptunes illusions and hypnosis.
- They seem to have gained more power than usual to sell us dreams that make the the Plutocrats even richer.
- The benefits of a sextile are only available to us through effort. If we lazily accept that leaders always act out for concern for our welfare this sextile turns into an easy channel for deception the powerful.

Our aim here is:

- To see if we can figure out where in our lives and character structure we are susceptible to the Pluto-Neptune sextiles' negative manipulations.
- Awareness and understanding of this susceptibility might help us channel our own power (Pluto) to achieve our dreams (Neptune) rather than have our dreams and our power used against us in unhealthy ways.

Complexity warning...

- We are attempting to combine two houses and two planets and treat them as one single influence in our lives. It might seem complicated because it is! So have patience with us and yourself. We'll get there and it is well worth the effort.
- This is why I haven't included the two Zodiac signs as well as the two houses where the 2 planets fall. We tried to do that and it was fascinating and accurate but very time-consuming.
- Maybe we'll try that as a webinar at a later date.

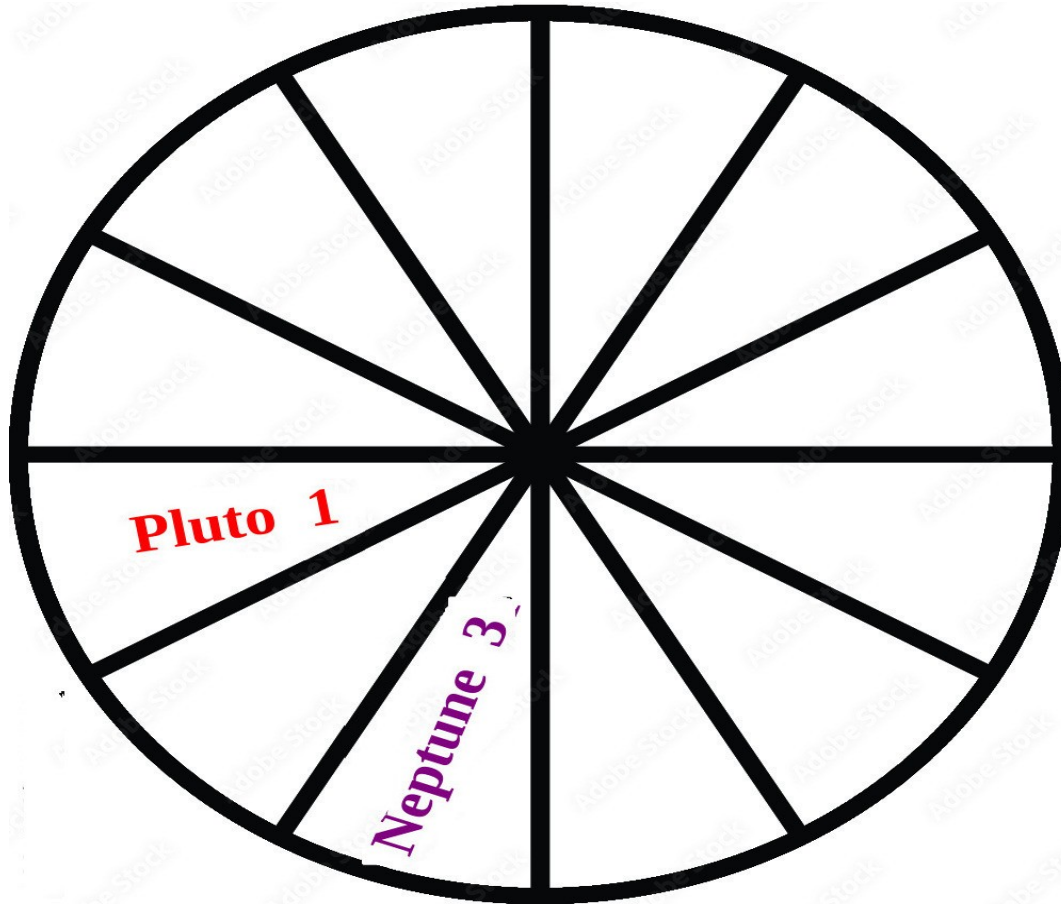
If you want a deeper understanding

- Listen to this complete podcast and Susans previous podcasts on Pluto-Neptune.
- Give yourself an astrology lesson by looking up the signs and the houses where this sextile falls in your chart.
- Try combining the influence of the signs and the houses and the two planets. This process might break your brain – it did ours! but it will also expand your brains ability to hold many concepts at once.
- This is how we learn to think astrologically, by analysing several different concepts and then synthesising them in a way that is clear and helpful.

The 12 simple charts that you will come across in these slides:

- These are simplified representations of a chart divided into the 12 houses, like an apple pie sliced into 12 portions. These house divisions are decided by your time and place of birth.
- When you look at your astrology chart you will see Pluto and Neptune in the positions represented by one of these 12 charts.

Pluto in the 1st house sextile Neptune in the 3rd house



The First House

- The first house shows how we present ourselves to the world, consciously or unconsciously. It shows how people may perceive us and it tells us something about our vitality levels.
- To understand this position it is worth looking up your own chart if you don't already know your ascendant. The first house and the Ascendant will be the same as I explained in slide 6.

Pluto in the first house

- This position gives you a naturally powerful presence. People may feel Plutos power in your aura. Their reactions might confuse you until you gain self-knowledge through experience and repeated feedback about your effect on others.
- People may be wary of you because they feel the investigative, x-ray-eyes Plutonic vibe that is part of your presence.
- You won't go unnoticed

The 3rd house

- The 3rd house shows how we interact with our immediate environment, our siblings when we are young, our neighbours in later years. How we give and receive in conversation, in business, in simply breathing in and out. How our early education formed our thinking processes. How our day-to-day thinking mind works. The third house rules the info-sphere, the media, advertising and propaganda.

Neptune in the 3rd house

- Confusing, trusting, idealistic Neptune in the 3rd means clear communication is an essential life-skill to learn. You may say one thing but mean another. You may have difficulties in business deals. You may wonder why people misinterpret your words. You probably think intuitively more than logically, Feelings might be more important than facts.
- There can be an strong desire to communicate in a kindly and empathetic manner rather than be 100% truthful. If you want to be kind to everyone around you might find you've restricted your freedom to be yourself.

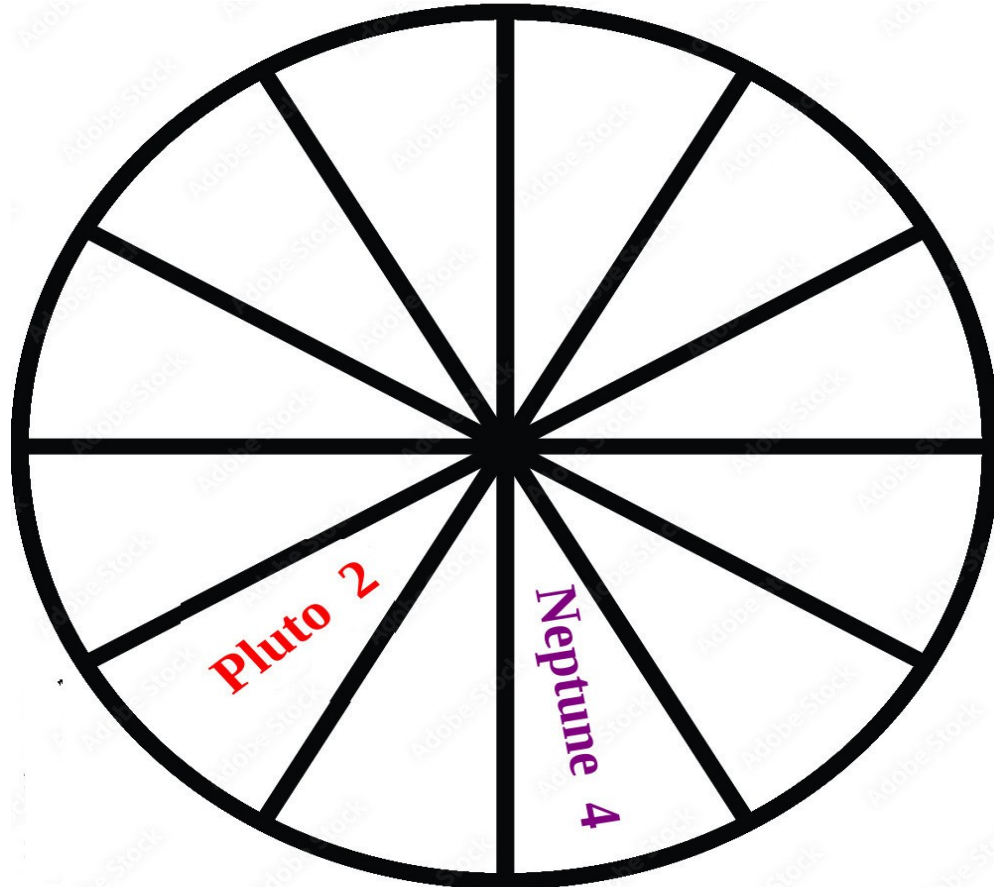
Combo of Pluto 1st and Neptune 3rd

- When you combine the almost obsessive need to be who you are without frills or bows and the right use of personal power of Pluto in the first house, and then you add in the sensitive, kind, confusing, people-pleasing tendencies of Neptune in the third house, the resulting mixture is clearly going to be problematic in some way.

How Pluto 1st and Neptune 3rd might escape the Matrix

- Accept that the path to self knowledge and healthy personal power has little to do with being nice to everyone all the time.
- Avoid the white lies you may be tempted to tell for the sake of kindness, by living the truth in your way of being in the world.
- Communicate kindly from a position of ruthless self-knowledge, warts and all.
- People with this combo may seek to feel more confident and empowered by espousing dubious ideas that agreeing with the current thing/narrative. These dodgy messages can be backed up by the forceful presence that Pluto in the first house gives.

Pluto in the 2nd House sextile Neptune in the 4th House



The 2nd house

- The 2nd house shows our relationship to the material world, our resources and talents, our body, our families, our values, our stuff.
- This is often easiest to perceive via our attitudes to the money we make to live.

Pluto in the Second House

- This might mean we relate to the Stuff in our lives somewhat obsessively or possessively.
- We might be extreme hoarders or declutterers in some area, or determined to have lots of money and property to feel secure.
- We may learn about our 2nd house Pluto obsessions through losing money and stuff, or through a feeling of scarcity or an unsatisfied material desire that makes us unhappy.

The 4th house

- The 4th house informs us about the conditions of our very early life and very late life, the cradle and the grave.
- What makes us feel safe and secure, our relationship to mother.
- It's the part of the sky that was on the opposite side of the world when we were being born. That was beneath our feet at that moment so it draws us down to earth. Therefore astrology says it represents our relationship to our homeland.

Neptune in the 4th house

- We may have a wobbly, nebulous sense of basic security. A solid feeling of home may be hard to find. We may suffer from a kind of divine nostalgia about our early life, our homeland, our mother.
- We may have been very lucky to have had a very spiritual home. Or maybe the religion/spirituality of our home or homeland nourished confused us.

How people with Pluto in the 2nd House and Neptune in the 4th House might manage the Matrix

- Examine how the modern religion of materialism is affecting your sense of safety and home.
- What are your dreams about what makes a home?
- The WEF UN plan that you will own nothing and be happy must be anathema to people with this combo, yet perhaps there is something here to be accepted.

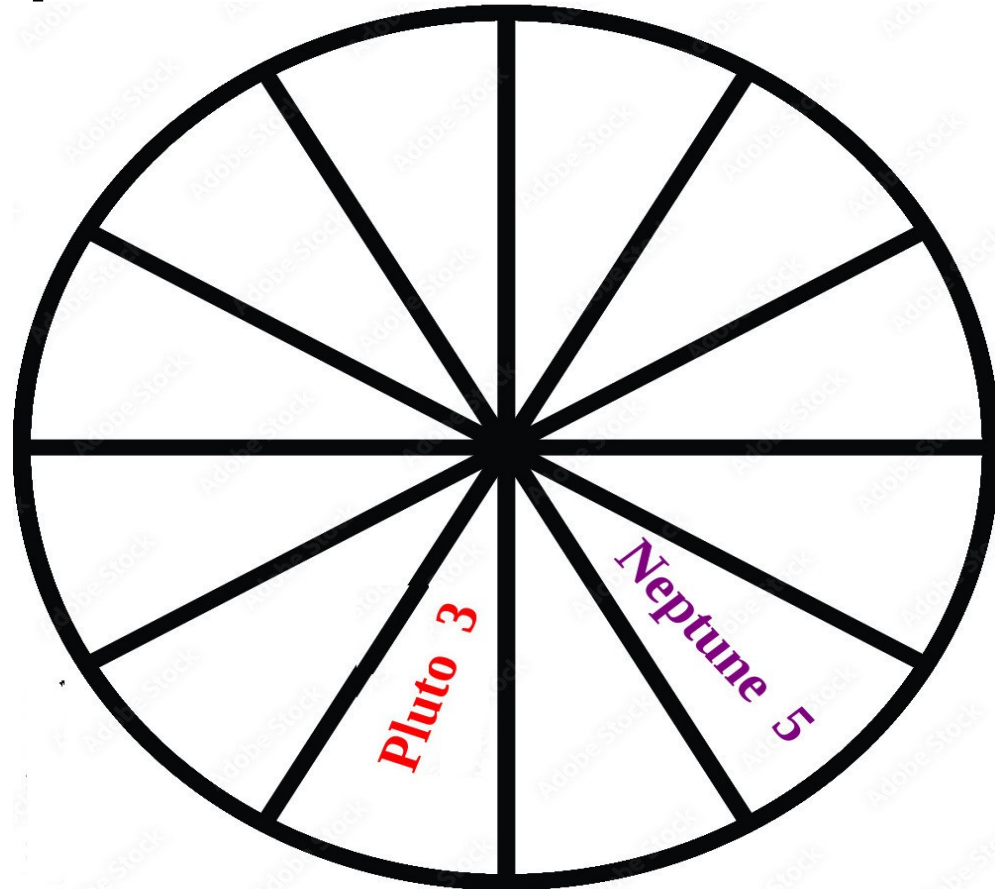
Pluto in the 2nd sextile Neptune 4th combined

- We may be determined to have Lots of Stuff or we may be afraid to gather possessions or even to value our bodies because of something absent or unsure in early family life.
- The path of healing of these positions may take us through material loss and a sense of homelessness to a deep faith that the Universe provides when we follow our spiritual path.
- Security comes from deep spiritual beliefs and combined with acceptance that stuff comes and goes.

Pluto 2nd and Neptune 4th cont'd

- Pluto in the 2nd can give a deep understanding of the material realm.
- Letting things go and accepting material loss is not the end of your world.
- Understanding the powers of death and regeneration within our own body might help us to create a very spiritual experience in our old age.
- I call this the Sextile of Alchemy. Alchemy is based on the transforming powers of raw earthly substances. For alchemists even the most humble objects in this world are magical. (Alchemy is not about turning lead into gold, except in a metaphorical sense).

- Pluto in the 3rd house sextile Neptune in the 5th house



• ▪ Third house meanings

- This is the short version of third house meanings because it holds such a multitude of meanings.
- It shows how we interact with our immediate environment, our siblings when we are young, our neighbours in later years. These are people we do not choose to live near as we would choose our friends and lovers. They are simply part of the environment where we learn about ourselves by interacting with what- and whoever is around us..
- How we give and receive in conversation, in business, in simply breathing the air around us in and out. How our early education formed our thinking processes. How our day-to-day thinking mind works.
- The third house rules the media, advertising and propaganda.

Pluto in the 3rd house

- Obsessive thoughts and ideas.
- Obsessive info gathering and news cycle addiction.
- Mental energies can get scattered by eternal busyness.
- Power-tripping siblings or neighbours.
- Destructive gossip

The 5th house

- The 5th house shows how we enjoy of ourselves and the results of how we enjoy ourselves.
- It shows how, and maybe why we fall in love with certain people and not with others.
- It rules sex and its results, children.
- It rules gambling, entertainment, creativity, our projects which we birth, like our children.
- Entrepreneurship which is the creative aspect of business.

Neptune in the 5th House

- A need to examine illusions about your attitude to luck, lovers, kids, risk-taking, pleasure, fun, entertainment.
- Does your enjoyment of all these areas improve your well-being or leave you feeling disappointed?

The life-lessons of Pluto in the 3rd sextile Neptune in the 5th

- One might waste mental energy on illusory pleasures, entertainment or lovers.
- Illusions or deception by a lover could bring a radical reappraisal of how one communicates and how ones mind works.
- This is a very extrovert combo where there might be a need to discipline your mind and your communication skills to achieve the creativity you dream of.

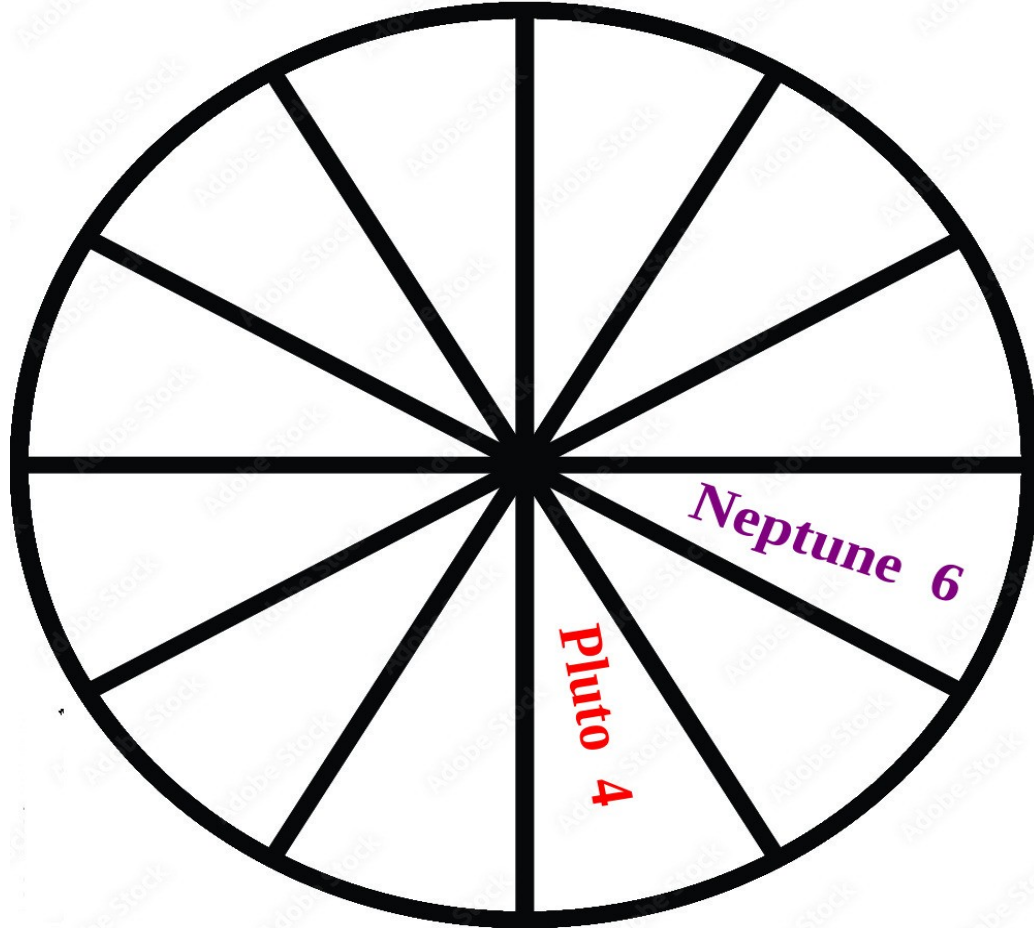
How the Matrix might deceive you if you have Pluto 3rd and Neptune 5th

- Easy entertainment that does not challenge your depth of mind
- Hyper-busy-ness and overthinking are very much encouraged by modern working practices.
- Too much social media that drains the desire to create rather than just talk about it and watch others doing it.

Suggestions for how to exit the matrix and have fun re-owning your creative mind

- Creative writing and using your imagination.
- Get to know how your mind works, what colours your thoughts, what pleasures trigger obsessive thinking.
- Does your day-to-day environment encourage your creative enjoyment?
- Cultivate pleasurable ways to engage your mind deeply, through activities like creative visualization. Your mind is a deep rich place.
- You may have a sibling or neighbour with whom you can develop creative projects.
- Dance and music that bring you into your deep mind zone.
- A business project that helps others tune into creative spirituality.

Pluto in the 4th House sextile Neptune in the 6th House



The 4th house

The 4th house is the part of the sky that was below our feet on the other side of the Earth when we were born. It shows us about the conditions of our very early life and very late life, the cradle and the grave. It helps us get to know what makes us feel safe and secure. It tells us about our relationship to mother and homeland.

Pluto in the 4th house

- The feeling of home and safety may have been so deeply absent in early life that it is hard to even grasp the extent of this absence.
- When it comes to building a secure foundation psychically and physically, you probably have to do it for yourself.
- Not easy!

The 6th house

- This is the house of our daily habits and routines, our attitudes to work and food, and how all these details add up to a healthy life, or don't.
- It is the house of service, where we help others and where we might look after small creatures and pets.
- In Vedic astrology it is considered the house of enemies.

Neptune in the 6th house

Difficulty in creating a routine and long-term habits that benefit our health. So we have to consciously develop healthy habits and routines.

- The need to create clear boundaries re self-sacrifice in serving others. Explore how to help others in ways that improve your own health. Learn when to say no.
- Alcohol, drugs, escapism could damage health.
- Spiritual development through service, spiritual healing.

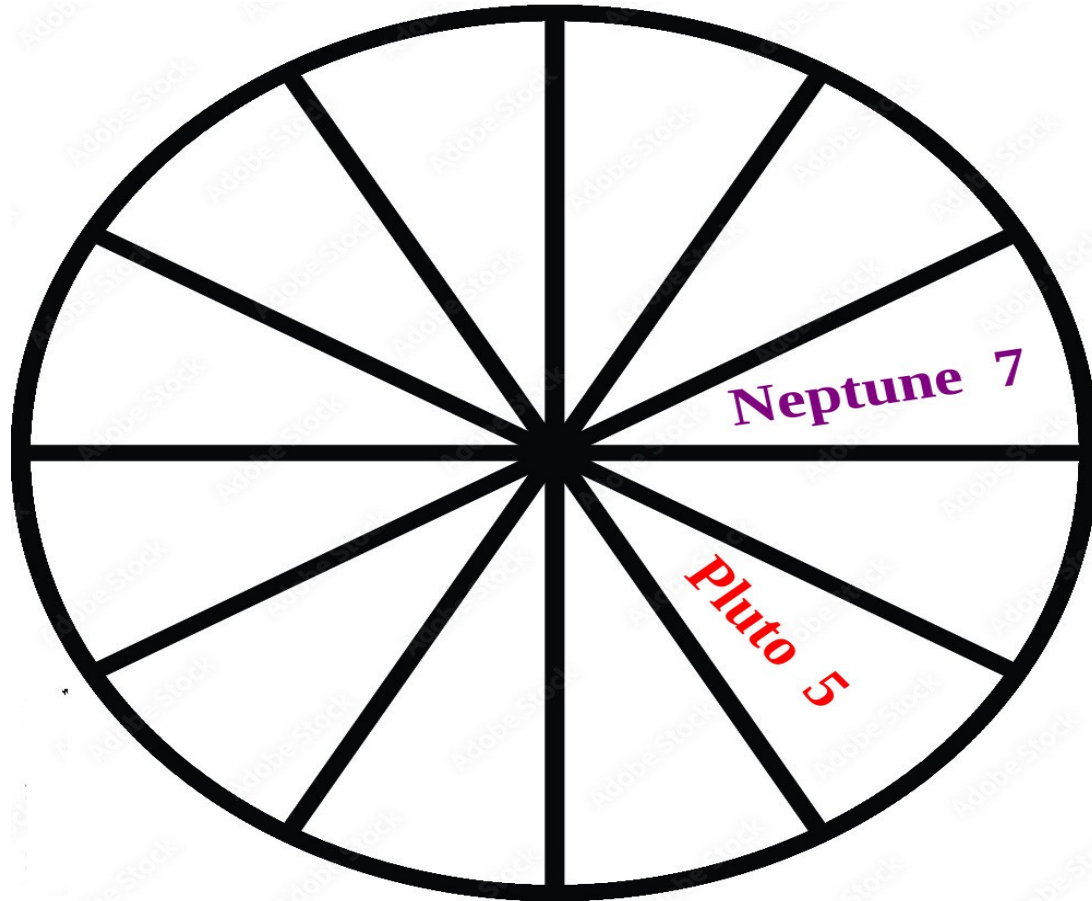
How the matrix might try to mess with your health and security and how to fight back.

- The lack of a home or even a country are enormous issues of our times. So are the confusion and misinformation about lifestyles that keep us secure, sane and healthy. You may go through experiences related to these themes and then help others through similar situations.
- Practical voluntary work with later-life institutions, victims, refugees, homelessness, Remember the 6th house is a place where we develop good boundaries so don't overdo it or make a martyr of yourself.
- With time and work you will end up with a sense of home inside yourself that no-one can take away.

How to deal with 4th house Pluto sextile 6th house Neptune

- Work on early life issues where insecurity might have its roots. Explore your relationship to your culture and homeland.
- If you lose your home, give thanks for the lesson...yes I know it's really hard, if not impossible, but all Pluto lessons are like that. Pluto often takes the things we feel we can't live without and then we find that we can. Through that process you start building real security.
- Yes, this is a tough combo but one where real spiritual progress is possible.

Pluto in the 5th House and Neptune in the 7th house



The 5th house

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- It shows how, and maybe why we fall in love with certain people and not with others.
- It rules gambling, entertainment, creativity, our projects which we birth and love almost like our children.
- Entrepreneurship which is the creative aspect of business.

Pluto in the 5th house

- Falling in love is no light-hearted process for you, it may feel like a life-and-death experience when you have Pluto in the 5th.
- There may be crises around children or your kids might be very strong and determined people.
- Obsessions with gambling, risky investments, going to extremes “for fun”.
- Creativity is a deep well-spring that has transformative powers. You are not superficial in your aesthetic tastes. Your aesthetic tastes might be a bit dark.

The 7th house

- The 7th house rules our commitment in long-term relationships.
- It shows the people who are important to us over time.
- These can be marriage or business or professional relationships, like with your doctor or your lawyer.
- People who oppose you openly, your open enemies. Worthy opponents are often our best teachers.

Neptune in the 7th house

- Neptune in this house can symbolise difficulties in forming long-term relationships with reliable, trustworthy people.
- There is a tendency to idealise The Other.
- You can be conned, watch out for scams.

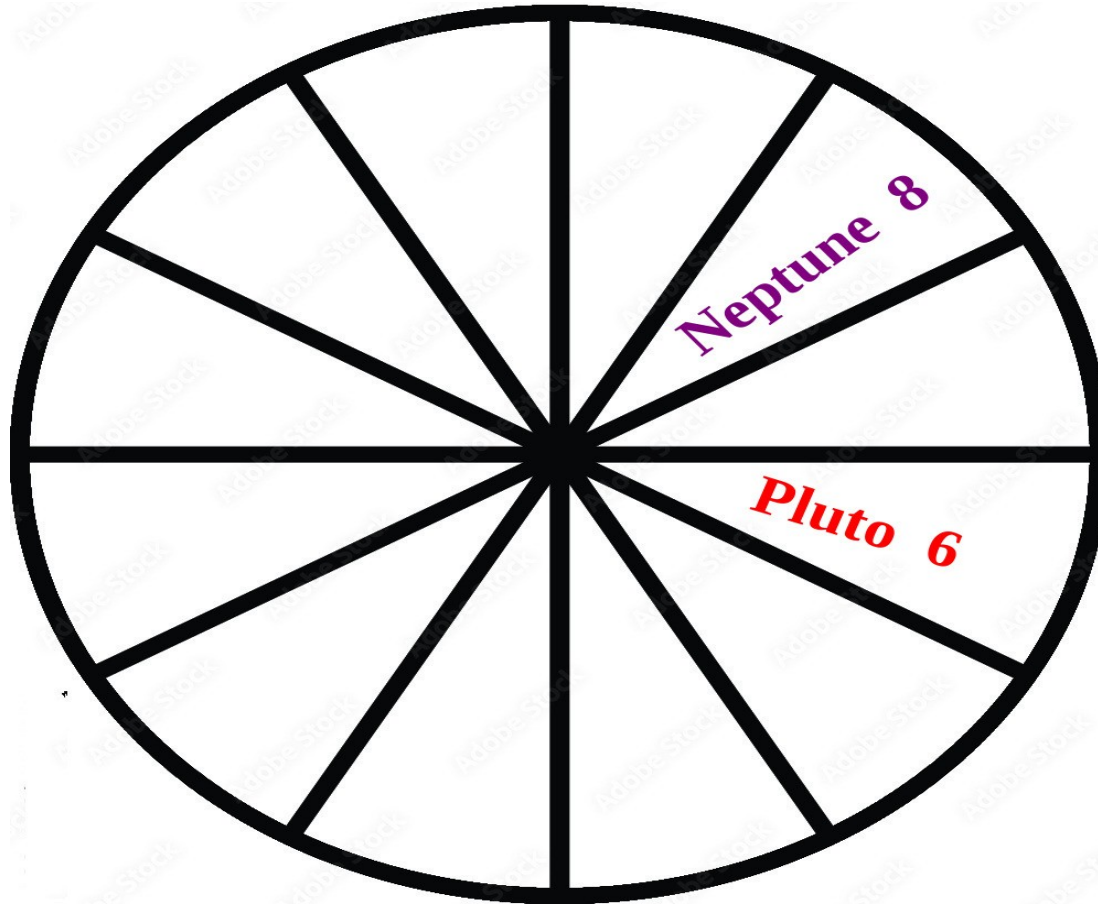
Dealing with the sextile from Pluto in 5th to Neptune in 7th

- Clearly this combo can affect relationships. Obsessive love affairs are not conducive to stable commitment. Neither is gambling nor exaggerated risk-taking.
- With Neptune in the 7th house illusions can cloud our realistic judgment of the Important Others in your life, so finding reliable advice from a discerning person you trust is invaluable
- If you are really lucky and evolved you might fall passionately in love with someone who becomes an ideal and spiritual partner to you.
- If that kind of relationship constitutes your hopes and dreams then taking off those rose-coloured glasses and learning to discern is essential.

How the current zeitgeist or matrix uses Pluto 5th-Neptune 7th sextile

- Hollywood refined its social control ambitions under the Pluto-Neptune sextile. Hollywood teaches us that romantic love solves everything - ignore the politics and just find that perfect other and you'll live happily ever after. Almost all films promote this anti-political fallacy.
- On the other hand Pluto in the 5th means we really do seek transformation through romantic love or having kids or other risky undertakings! So if you have this placement forget the unreal fluff and rainbows of Hollywood romance. Get real about the bloody battleground of commitment, love and sex, and the hard work it takes to manifest your dream relationships.
- Neptune in the 7th might make you especially susceptible to the cultural over-emphasis on empathy for others. Kindness that ignores ones own needs leads to passive aggression. Treating others as victims can damage their self-respect and puncture their mojo. Learn when tough love is more appropriate than tea and sympathy.
- You have the chance to learn to combine love and long-term commitment. But Pluto in the 5th demands you risk love constantly by being very honestly your naked self. And Neptune in the 7th asks you to see the soul in the Other but without illusions or false empathy.

Pluto in the 6th House sextile Neptune in the 8th House



The 6th House

- This is the house of our daily habits and routines, our attitudes to work and food, and how all these things add up to a healthy life, or don't.
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Pluto in the 6th house

- We might get obsessed about health, even suffer from hypochondria.
- Issues around food and digestion.
- Workaholic and perfectionist
- Yo may be manipulated or manipulate others through being extremely helpful and useful and self-sacrificing.

The 8th house

- The place of transformation through crises.
- Loss, physical death
- Taxes, inheritance, loans, debts and grants. Other peoples money in general.
- Shared resources with a partner, whether in love or business.
- Deep intimacy or the fear of intimacy. Sharing your soul through joining with another creates change, depth and power.

Neptune in the 8th house

- Confusion or false hopes or lies in any area that concerns other peoples money or shared resources or financial institutions.
- A very spiritual, accepting attitude to death and loss
- Great psychic abilities.
- Great hopes or unreal expectations about how to achieve lasting intimacy with a partner

Where to use the depths of Pluto in the 6th sextile Neptune in the 8th

- This is a very spiritual placement for this sextile.
- You have the ability to help people through crises, both physical and psychological.
- Beautiful talent for understanding lifes' deep currents and for helping people find the silver lining in loss, even in death itself.
- You can build towards a sense of deep meaningful sharing with a partner through the mundane tasks of daily life.

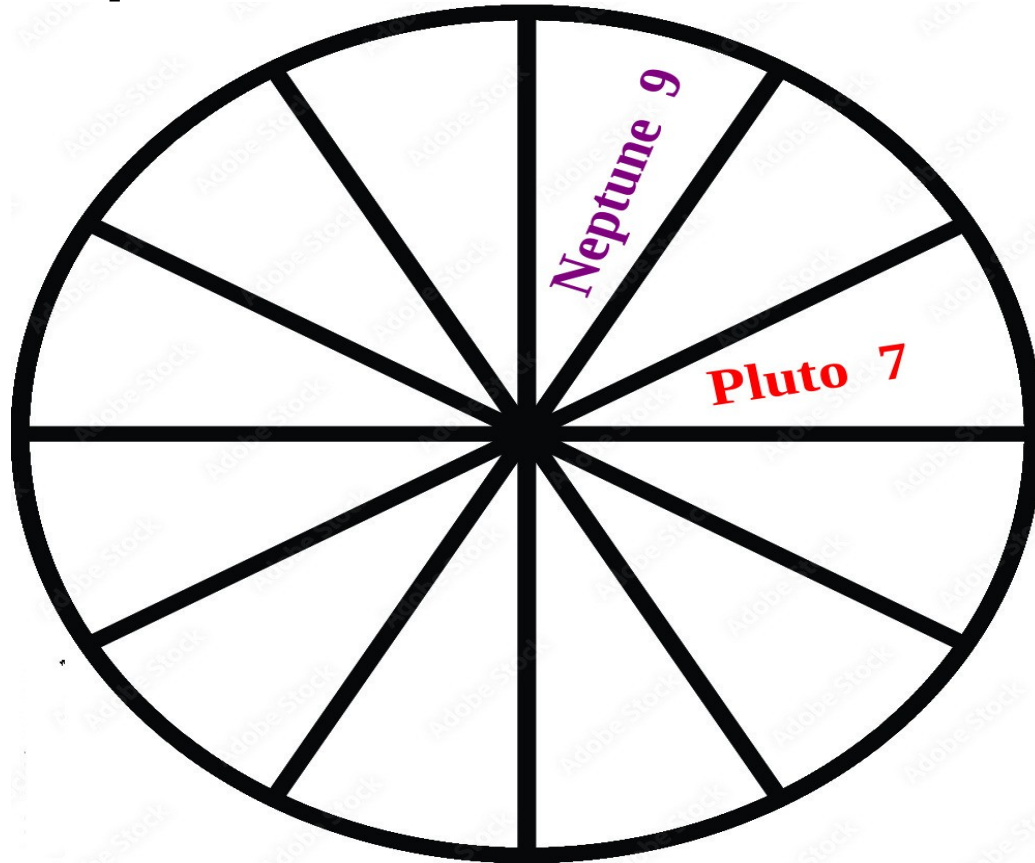
Where you might need to be wary of the matrix with Pluto 6th and Neptune 8th

- The 6th house refers to health and disease. Pluto represents plutocratic financial interests like Big Pharma.
- The 8th house refers to death. Neptune can show where we may have fears of death, than can be imaginary and magnified.
- It's easy to synthesize these two things. Advertising and propaganda can convince you that you'll die if you don't take that medicine (that will make someone else a huge profit).
- You can apply this metaphor to any influence that attempts to confuse you about what constitutes a healthy lifestyle and a healthy acceptance of death.

Handling Pluto 6th house to Neptune 8th house sextile cont'd

- Beware of ads that offer solutions to health and lifestyle problems. They abound in the media these days - take this supplement, eat this, don't eat that etc. They promise that if you buy the thing they're selling you will be perfect and beautiful and all your problems will be solved. This is very tempting to Pluto in the 6th house.
- On the other hand Pluto-in-the-6th people have a deep, passionate interest in helping and healing and can radically change how they eat and work to become healthier.
- Combined with the understanding of transformational process that Neptune in the 8th can give there is a great talent to heal both body and soul.
- The key to getting the best out of this position is probably common sense. If a promise to do with medicine and health seems too good to be true it probably is.

Pluto in the 7th House sextile Neptune in the 9th house



The 7th House

- Important Others, life partners, business associates. Professional advisors. Your doctor, lawyer, accountant. Opponents and enemies who openly oppose you.
- What traits you look for in your life partners to complement you.
- What you project onto partners. Talents and characteristics you don't believe you have so you seek first them in others before you learn that you have these qualities in yourself.

Pluto in the 7th house

- Obsessed with how others see you, giving the opinions of others too much power over your concept of yourself.
- Marriage and commitment may feel like a life-or-death issue to you.
- Possessiveness, control and manipulation.
- You seek a soul bond in a partner, a connection beyond this lifetime.
- You are attracted to powerful people.
- You may have deep fears about commitment.
- Crises come through commitment and separation

The 9th house

- Philosophical and religious beliefs
- Higher education.
- Travel and contact with foreign cultures and philosophies that broaden your mind.
- Teaching, teachers, gurus.
- Sports

Neptune in the 9th

- Great faith and optimism.
- A Pollyanna-ish philosophical or religious outlook where everything is always lovely.
- Attracted to water sports.
- Spiritual experiences on drugs or alcohol or in foreign places.
- Inspiring teachers

Handling the Pluto in 7th house – Neptune in 9th house combo

- Meaningful relating is a deep part of your belief system, almost like a religion. Respect it and get to know this part of yourself so that this desire can lead to healthy partnerships and a satisfying faith or philosophy.
- Clarify where you might give away your power in all kinds of relationships. Get to know your favourite way to project power onto others. You can avoid being bullied by learning about your habits of projection.
- Have you taken on your partner's way of thinking or philosophical outlook. Does it suit you?
- Do you trust the professional advisors in your life? Do you give them too much control?
- Do you have an exaggerated fear of the power of your opponents?
- Neptune in the 9th house has an amazing talent for sharing spiritual knowledge and living with faith and optimism in a kind and generous cosmos. Just don't squander your power by projecting it away.

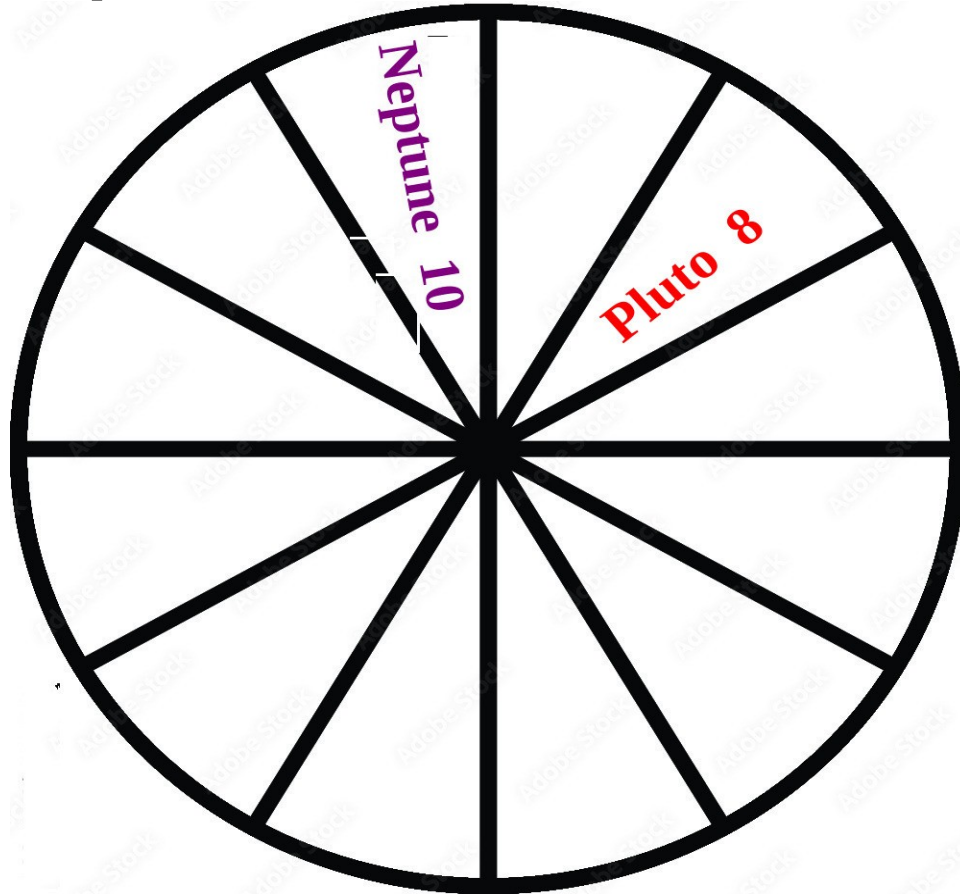
How the Matrix might Manipulate Pluto 7th sextile Neptune 9th

- Beware of fear or paranoia towards others. Just watch the news to see how fear of our fellow human is encouraged on an hourly basis on every media device.
- Investigate the current emphasis on empathy and feeling sorry for others, which is becoming a kind of religion, designed to disempower both ourselves and others. It's part of the school curriculum in many countries now.
- With this combo understand why you believe what you believe. The 7th and 9th are where we meet the cultural beliefs that colour all our relationships. This area of life is complicated enough already and the Matrix attempts to complicate it even more.

Pluto 7th sextile Neptune 9th cont'd

- If you have this combo you likely have a strong desire to relate to others through education and/or philosophy and belief, to learn and to teach.
- Find your teachers/gurus without giving away your power to think for yourself. If, in the past you have fallen for false teachers or romantic partners who preached and pontificated at you, pat yourself on the back because that was the lesson you were looking for! Just make sure you get all the learning you can out of the experience so you don't have to repeat it.

Pluto in the 8th house sextile
Neptune in the 10th house



The 8th House

- Crises, deaths, transformations, rebirth.
- The magical process that turns useless rubbish into rich fertile compost. Deep recycling. Shedding old skin.
- Intimacy that transforms us. Tantric energy.
- Taxes, inheritance, loans, debts and grants. Other peoples money in general.
- Shared resources with a partner, whether in love or business.

Pluto in the 8th house

- You are fascinated by all the issues we just mentioned. They might scare you but you won't ignore them. Even if you try to, Life won't allow it.
- Strong psychic powers that are so natural to you that you mightn't even notice them.
- Natural detective.
- A connection to other peoples money, maybe via your work or inheritance, Lending and borrowing can be important. Your partners resources are important.
- The power of intimacy with another is primal to you. Or it might be scary because you know how powerful and transformative intimacy can be.

The 10th house

- Your public life
- This area of your chart is about career, ambitions, profession, reputation. How others see and respect you, even after your death. Your legacy.
- Your father. Authorities like the state, the church and government. How you relate to hierarchies.

Neptune in the 10th house

- Charisma, image, illusion, deception in the realm of profession and public life.
- Recognition and fame may happen even without you seeking it.
- False reputation.
- Success for artists and musicians
- Film and photography as profession.
- Spiritual authority. Guru-ship.

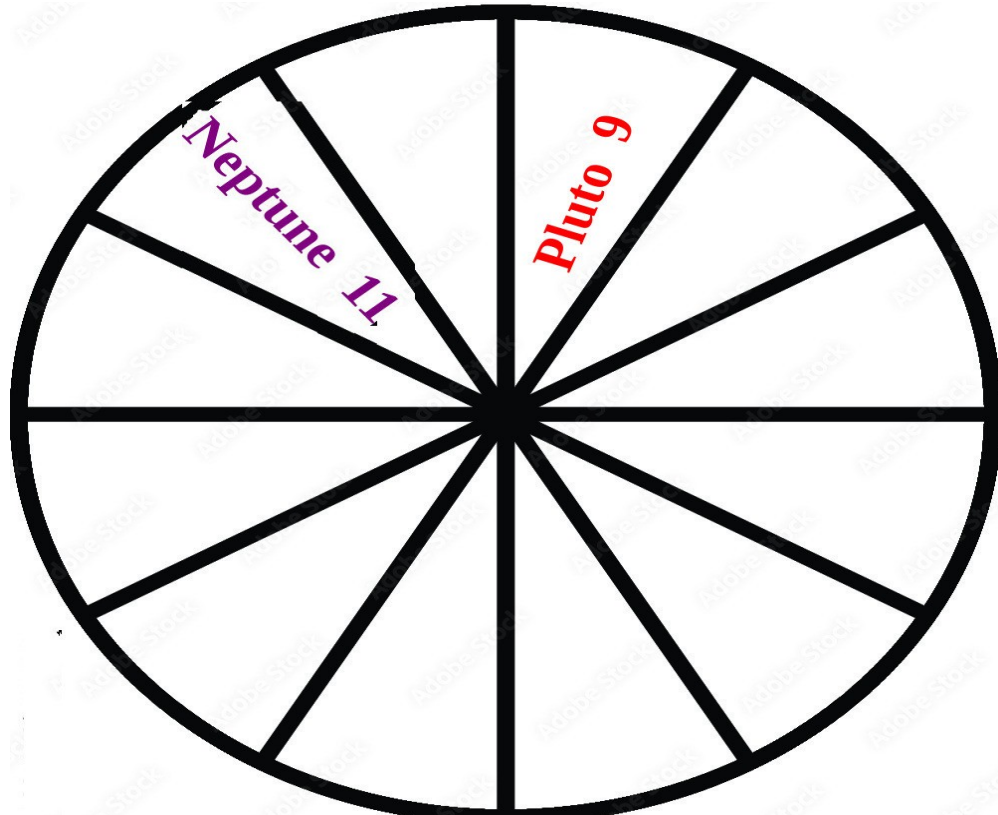
The Pluto 8th sextile Neptune 10th combo in your chart

- Your success in the 10th house may rely on others people money from the 8th house. Neptune is an unreliable influence on your wordly ambitions so utter clarity about other peoples resources that you may rely on, is essential.
- Treat the revenue office well! Avoid lack of clarity as much as you can when dealing with worldly authorities.
- To learn to control of your own resources you may have to sort out confusion inherited from your fathers way of working or handling money.
- You could be known as a mafioso swindler! Or a spiritual authority on how to share resources in order to regenerate peoples lives. These are clearly extremes. There are many nuances in between.
- This combo is great for working in psychology and therapy and end-of-life situations.
- A talent for finding ways to handle shared resources for the good of all.

The Matrix and your Pluto in the 8th sextile Neptune in the 10th

- The influences of invisible big money, power and riches on public life and governments may affect your career more than most.
- Beware of your natural charm and leadership being used by powerful forces to secretly manipulate.

Pluto 9th House sextile Neptune 11th house



The 9th house

- Philosophical and religious beliefs
- Faith
- Higher education.
- Travel, education and contact with foreign cultures and philosophies that broaden your mind, as opposed to short term tourism.
- Teaching and teachers.
- Sports
- How you search for the pattern and the meaning behind the everyday trivia of life.
- Where you might be a bit fanatical.

Pluto in the 9th house

- The search for higher meaning may feel existential to you.
- Travel can be life-changing.
- Beliefs are deeply held and may change radically over your lifetime.
- Possible crises of faith.
- Beware of fanaticism in yourself, in religion, in teachers.
- Higher education may seem like a life-or-death issue.

The 11th house

- Our visions for our future, our hopes and dreams.
- Friendship
- How we work with groups that have some kind of purpose.
- How we cooperate to better our world.
- Philanthropy.

Neptune in the 11th house

- We may be very idealistic about our friends and the groups we get involved in.
- Our extreme disappointment may be exaggerated if our faith in friendship turns out to be unrealistic or misplaced.
- We may be a groups' scapegoat or victim.
- We may be super-sensitive to the psychic currents within a group.
- Great vision and dreams for the future, that can be ungrounded.
- True philanthropy.

Pluto 9th sextile Neptune 11th in your chart.

- You may search for meaning and purpose within idealistic groups.
- Philosophies and religions from different cultures bring you new friends and groups.
- If your naive idealism leads to disappointment with groups or friends this may trigger a transformative crisis in your trust or beliefs.
- You may have beautiful experiences within groups and with friends who share your faith and your search for meaning.

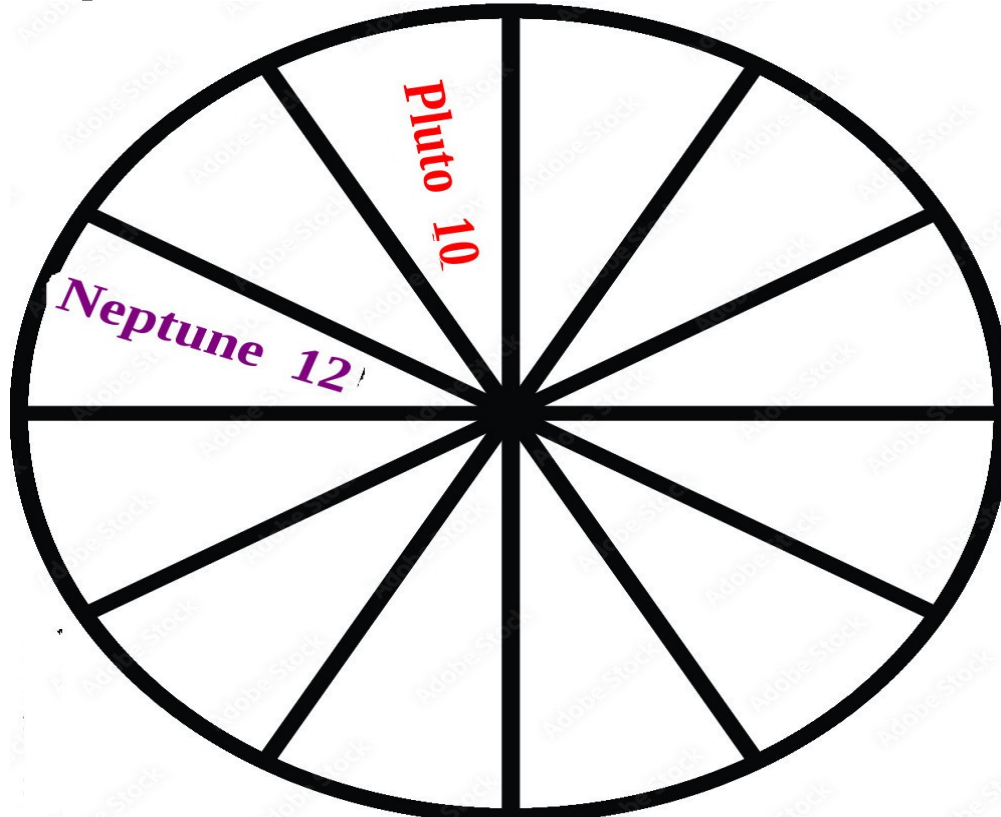
How to prevent the Matrix feeding off your Pluto 9th and Neptune 11th

- The title to this section is somewhat dramatic because the 9th House and the 11th house are extrovert, collective houses where social engineering operates easily.
- The 11th house is where we want to belong to the tribe and the 9th house shows our beliefs which tend to be collective i.e. we like finding people who share our beliefs or at least we like to think they do! This makes us susceptible to social pressure to conform.
- Our 9th house education can help Neptune delude us that 11th house group-think is a Plutonic matter of life or death.
- By identifying the dreams we hope to fulfil through our friends and groups we perhaps can personalise and refine our belief system to suit us better in order to avoid mass psychosis

Pluto 9th to Neptune 11th and the Matrix cont'd

- Educational travel to sacred places with purposefully spiritual groups may be satisfying.
- Although the matrix operates easily in these house areas of life they are also areas where you can have a lot of fun, learning and travelling with friends who expand your mind.
- You can transform yourself through philosophical education and find your spiritual tribe in the process. Learning about your psychic boundaries with your friends to avoid falling into group-think and explore the roots of why you believe what you believe.
- If you are looking for a course or a teacher or a guru try to involve your rational logical mind and judgement in this process.

Pluto in the 10th House sextile Neptune in the 12th House



The 10th House

- Success and ambition
- Career, profession
- Reputation, fame, recognition
- Your legacy
- Father
- Structure
- Authority
- State and government
- The Boss

Pluto in the 10th house

- Your career may bring you into the sphere of worldly power, money, politics, even in a small way.
- Be wary of corruption and manipulation in your profession.
- Manipulative boss.
- Success is very important to you. There may be crises in this area.
- Others see you as wielding power, even if you don't consciously seek it.

12th house

- The 12th house is the deepest.
- The 9/10ths of our minds that we supposedly don't use are probably in our 12th house!
- Dreams, the sub-conscious, hidden motivations, self deception, self undoing though lack of self knowledge.
- Privacy, sleep, the bedroom and its pleasures
- Travel that can feel like exile
- Institutions that are hidden: ashrams, monasteries, prisons, psychiatric hospital, secret locations.
- Activities that soften the harsh glare of reality, music, art, dance, meditation, drinking, taking drugs, over-sleeping, hiding away.
- Selfless service to society.

Neptune in the 12th house

- Clearly the 12th is a comfortable home-place for Neptune who shares many of the spiritual, private, dream-like qualities found in the 12th house. So it can be hard to separate the significations of the 12th house from those of Neptune.
- This can be an influence of peace, prayer and intuition.
- Or a tendency to indulge in escapism via drugs etc
- One way or another, hyper-sensitivity to the harshness of the world must be dealt with, hopefully in the healthiest way possible.
- Free-floating guilt feelings need to be analysed.
- Victimhood, whether real or imagined, can be an issue.

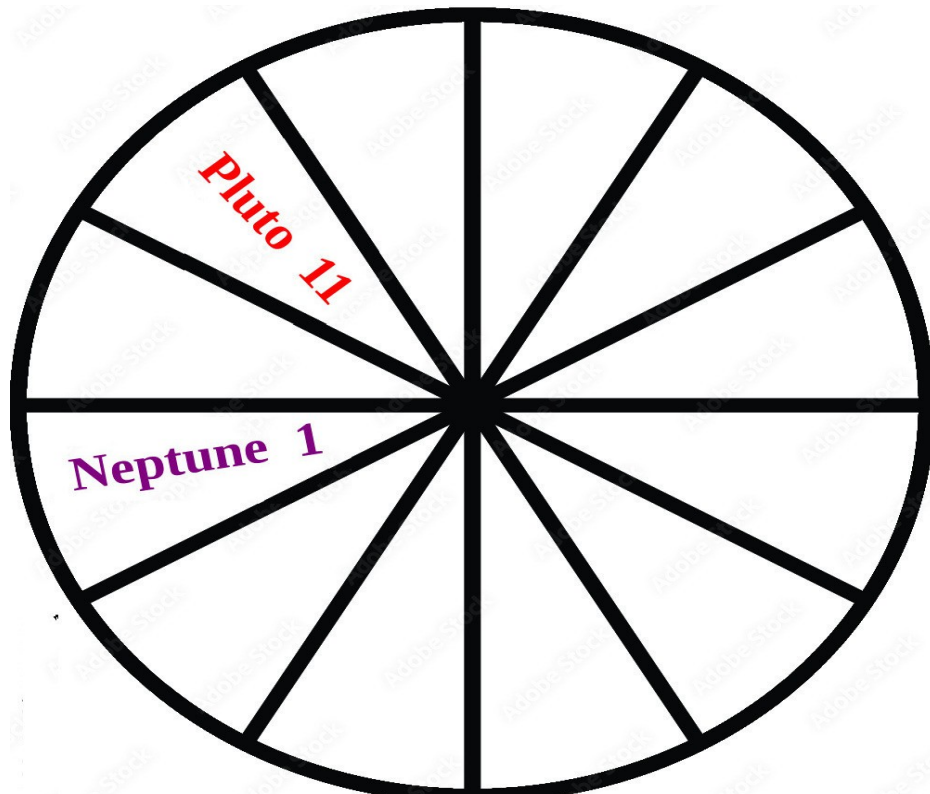
Tools for Pluto in the 10th house sextile Neptune in the 12th house.

- There is a search to combine power in the external world and sensitivity in the internal world. The challenge of this difficult combo can have very positive outcomes.
- Tool no 1: the development of clear limits and boundaries, learn to say NO and not feel guilty.
- Tool no 2: Take a clear look at how you yourself use power without hiding behind a victim facade.
- Tool no 3: Make sure you have your own quiet asylum where you can recuperate in peace when the world gets too much.
- Tool 4: Don't use your asylum to try to completely avoid dealing with worldly powers, authorities etc because with Pluto in the 10th it's not what you were born for.
- Beware of drugs etc

Your sensitivities to the Matrix

- To what extent are your dreams your own? Neptune in the 12th is deeply suggestible. If you avoid exerting your own leadership, Pluto in the 10th can make you over-subservient and fearful of authorities. Explore whether you might be dreaming the dreams of your overlords more than your own!
- The matrix encourages us to think of power in terms of external ego-driven structures, big car, big job etc. Pluto doesn't allow this kind of thing in the long-term and will bring us to crisis points until we learn to use our power for the greater good.
- If we concentrate on external success at the expense of quiet devotion to the spiritual side, compensation for this imbalance may arrive in the form of addictions.

Pluto in the 11th House sextile Neptune in the 1st House



The 11th House

- Our visions for our future, our hopes and dreams.
- Friendship
- How we work with groups that have some kind of common social, community or political purpose.
- How we cooperate with others to better our world.
- Philanthropy.

Pluto in the 11th house

- Friendship and being accepted as part of a group, staying in with the in-crowd, these may seem like life-or-death issues.
- Rejection by, or loss of, a dearly-held group or friend can bring the lesson you need to take power back to yourself.
- One likes to have friends in high places – or low, underground places!
- This points to the deep, slow, unseen movements of the masses of humanity, how and where real changes evolve invisibly over time in human society. These issues are of interest to you.

The first house

- The first house is how we present ourselves to the world, consciously or unconsciously. It shows how people may perceive us. Our vitality and health.
- Pluto in the first house gives you a naturally powerful presence. People may feel Plutos power in your aura which you might not be aware of. This might confuse you before you gain self-knowledge through experience and repeated feedback from people and from events.

Neptune in the 1st house

- Very attractive, charismatic personal presence.
- Your way of being and embodiment is magnified and glamourised through no conscious intention of your own.
- You are seen as empathetic and kind.
- The changeableness, kindness and the porous boundaries of Neptune can lead to ups and downs in vitality and health.

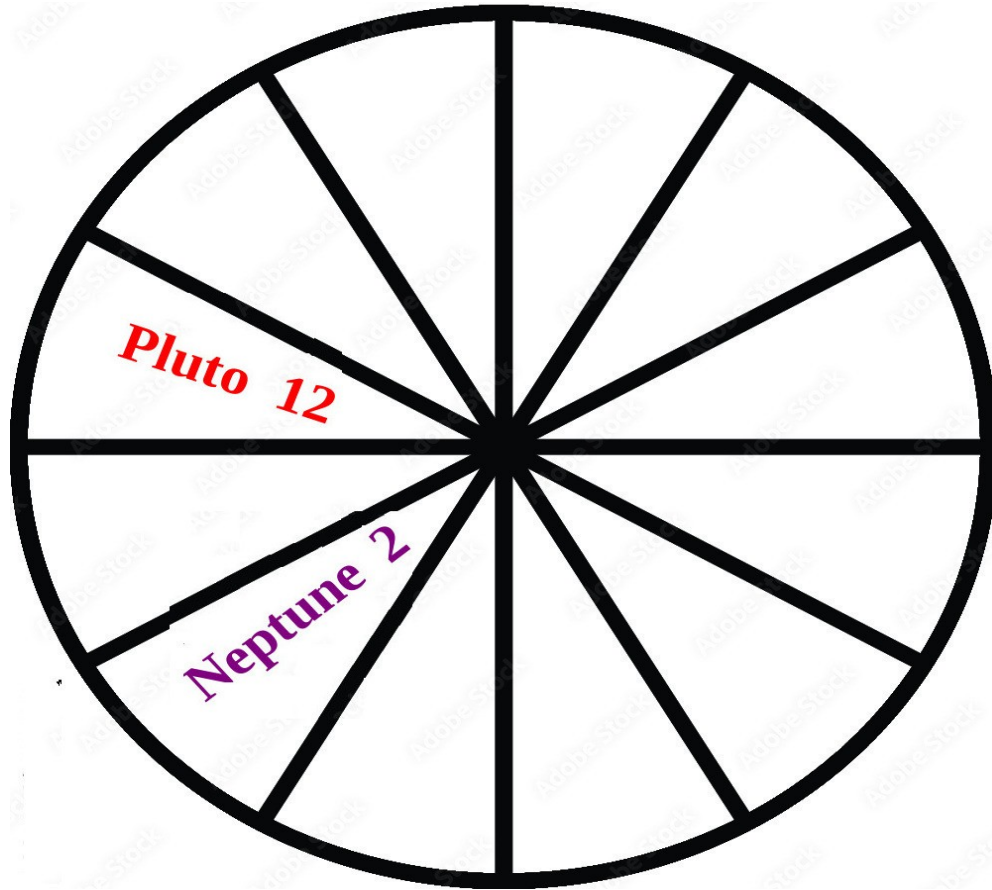
Pluto 11th to Neptune 1st. How to deal with this combo?

- You can be a victim of friends, groups and movements or find ways to use your power well in these areas.
- The first step may be to recognise the strength and subtlety of this combo because Neptune can make you humble and self-effacing with friends and groups.
- So you could be used by others as a mascot, or a figurehead or a scapegoat/victim for their own ends.

How in the Matrix loves Pluto 11th sextile Neptune 1st.

- This is an aspect for social influencers, or people who are paid by powerful groups to project a false image. You may easily fall victim to this kind of influence.
- Fame and charisma used for political aims
- Manipulative pressure by social groups or by our friends, along with our fearful desire to fit into a group or tribe ,can weaken our sense of self, it can even affect our energy and health.
- Explore how your friendships affect you. Can you be your sensitive self within them?
- Potentially this is a combo for developing friendships and spiritual, political power that serves everyone. You don't have to run for president, this can happen in your everyday ordinary life.

Pluto 12th to Neptune 2nd



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Pluto in the 12th House

Now we are really going to overuse the already-overused word “deep”!

- This placement gives deep Pluto great hidden strength
- Secrets. Invisible power
- Hidden motivations.
- Ruthless investigator of the subconscious who will leave no stone unturned to get at the truth.
- Deep fears deeply hidden that require excavation.
- Fearlessness in the face of unpalatable facts.
- Periods of isolation are essential so it's best to organise your withdrawal from people rather than waiting for events to force solitude upon you.

The 2nd House

- The 2nd house shows our relationship to the material world, our stuff, our resources and talents, our body, our families, our values.
- Our attitude to the money we make to live.

Neptune in the 2nd House

- Transcendent Neptune and the solid material world of the 2nd house are an awkward combination.
- The illusion that material possession will bring you divine satisfaction ain't gonna work, at least not for long.
- You can be kind and unselfish in sharing what you have but this trait can make you impractical about giving away too much.
- Your material kindness could make you a scammers dream.
- You know that dream of winning the lottery and solving all your problems...??

Dealing with the Pluto 12th – Neptune 2nd combo.

- Study how your psychic energy, deep emotions, fears and obsessions affect your basic material well-being. Feelings and dreams manifest as things here, more than anywhere else, and can even affect our bodies.
- The more we understand how we are swayed by strong, hidden motivations the more boundaried, realistic and satisfied we can become in our material realm.

How the Matrix loves your Pluto 12th and Neptune 2nd .

- You're an easy target for Plutocratic con-artists and Neptunian sellers of pipe dreams.
- Your economic status may take a hit, more than most, from the hidden machinations of banksters etc.
- The powerfully hypnotic and hidden propaganda that you deserve to be poor while others steal your resources and hide away fabulous riches might be worth exploring. This can manifest in something as simple as not charging enough for your work and skills.
- Once you develop your x-ray Plutonic 12th house talents you can probably spot a scam easily.

Epilogue 1:

Did Neptune and Pluto fool us?

- This sextile kicked off in the early 1940s when Pluto moved into Leo and Neptune into Libra. Leo and Libra are signs that want to see the world as a nice, fair, collaborative, positive, creative, colourful place where they are loved and admired for their creativity, beauty and charm. They are ruled by the Sun and Venus, attractive planets that gave rise to hope and optimism.
- This was reflected in astrology, in the new psychological, non-fatalistic outlook of psychotherapeutic astrology that defied destiny. This went along with the new notions that we can dominate nature, and maybe our own natures too by being creative, fair and positive and getting enough therapy.
- So, in early modern astrology this sextile was seen as benefic, spiritual and interested in the welfare of the masses. This is true, of course, but only partly so.
- The sextile has since progressed through to the present point when Pluto is in Aquarius and Neptune is in Aries. Aquarius and Aries are ruled by Saturn and Mars, harder, more war-like, dogmatic, self-centred, realistic planets. Now we're beginning to see how we have ignored reality and have allowed the wool to be pulled over our eyes en masse.
- The negativity and realism here are my attempts to balance the overly optimistic interpretations that modern psychotherapeutic astrology has applied to the sextile. This is a not criticism of modern astrology because this positive outlook was just a sign of the times we were in as we learned about this sextile.
- That is why this little talk concentrates more on the difficulties than the positives of Neptune sextile Pluto.

Epilogue 2

- If you get any use out of this astrological experiment, please let me know.
- Ditto if it seems not to fit your chart and character at all.
- And please, please take astrology and other methods of prediction with a grain of salt.
- Remember! YOU are the expert on YOUR chart. You may not understand astrology yet, but you've been living with that chart since you were born.
- That's why we astrologers call what we do an astrological INTERPRETATION.
- A birth chart is but a simplified sky map of the moment you were born in a certain place. It is not YOU.
- YOU are a part of something much huger and much more mysterious than an astrology chart.

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