# The Temperament

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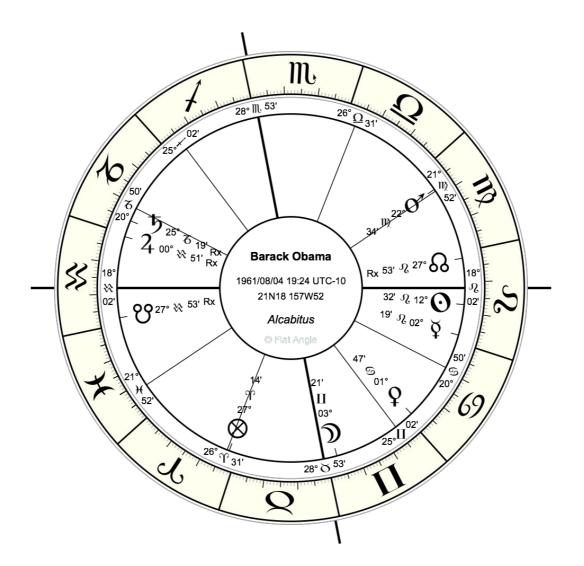
for

Barack Obama

born on 04 August 1961 Honolulu – USA

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#### **Planetary Positions**

ancer 01°ව47	' Direct
ˈɡo 22° <sup>11</sup> ໓34	' Direct
juarius 00°%51	Retrograde
apricorn 25°719	Retrograde
	emini 03°II21' o 02°&19 Incer 01°@47 go 22° <sup>II</sup> \34 Juarius 00°\\$51

## Introduction to the Temperament

The Temperament is a Traditional Astrology technique which tries to describe your character and deeper personality traits using the positions of the Sun, the Moon, the Ascendant and of any related planet. The Temperament can be seen as the most basic part of your psychological make-up since it reveals the underlying structure on which your personality builds upon. It synthesizes the behaviors, motivations and all dynamics that characterizes you. In addition to psychological components, the Temperament can also used to determine some aspects of your physical appearance.

The Temperament is related to the four basic humours – Choleric, Sanguine, Melancholic and Phlegmatic – which are the expressions of the elements of Fire, Air, Earth and Water. Although all the four elements can be present at the same time in your Temperament, every human being has a predominant temperament that underlies most of his/her actions and motivations. However, in many cases a secondary temperament can also be present.

The following describe your deeper personality traits as seen through the calculation of the Temperament.

# **Calculation of the Temperament**

The following table shows the parameters that are used to calculate your primary and secondary temperaments which will be described in the following sections.

		Hot	Cold	Humid	Dry
Ascendant Sign	*	Х		Х	
Ascendant Ruler	5		Х		Х
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Planets in House 1	-				
Planets aspecting Asc.	હ હ	Х			Х
Moon sign	П	Х		Х	
Moon phase	$\mathfrak{D}$ (4rd quarter)		Х	Х	
Moon dispositor sign	ş N	Х			Х
Planets aspecting Moon	હ હ	Х			Х
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	ş N	Х			Х
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Sun season	હ હ	Х			Х
Total	•	8	4	4	8

Choleric	5
Sanguine	3
Melancholic	3
Phlegmatic	1

## **Main Temperament**

Your main temperament is Choleric, which combines the Hot and Dry qualities and is related to the element of Fire.

On a general level, people with this temperament are very enthusiastic and energic. Personally, this may mean that you are a very brave and ambicious person. The presence of the Hot quality provides you with the energy for action and you are a quite entrepeneur person with a tendency for leadership roles.

Intelectually, you are a very extroverted person and you have the tendency and energy to start multiple projects. Your focus is mainly on pushing things forward and details rarely hold you back. However, because of your tendency to change directions quite often and your general lack of patience, you are usually not very fond of studies and research. You don't care much about the little details and that can make you look inconsistent.

On a emotional level you are very enthusiastic and full of energy, but somewhat dry and insensible. Your lack of patience can make you seem rude and hostile. You tend to reack intensily to emotional threats or external challenges to the point of being conflitous or violent. But on a general level, you are a very interesting person and fun to be with.

On physical terms, people with this temperament tend to be lean and muscular. They are usually of medium or low height, with rough, warm, and reddish skin.

## **Secondary Temperament**

Your secondary temperament is Sanguine, which brings the Air element and the Hot and Humid qualities to your main temperament.

The Sanguine as secondary temperament brings the Humid element which restrains the excess of dryness of the choleric temperament. It gives the person more lightness, sociability and adaptability. However, since both temperaments share the Hot element, it emphasizes the agitation and inconsistency.

### **Secondary Temperament**

Your secondary temperament is also Melancholic, which brings the Earth element and the Cold and Dry qualities to your main temperament.

The Cold element moderates the Hot element of the main temperament which manifests itself as a personality more moderated in his actions. It restrains the tendency for inconstancy and increases the curiosity and the ability to follow deeper studies. On the other hand, the highlight on the Dry element can manifest itself as a person with the tendency to be stubborn, somewhat suspicious and moody.