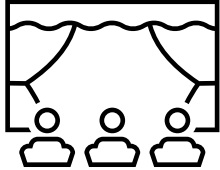


# Guide to Human Design Profile Lines

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## What is Human Design Profile?



All the world is a stage, and your Human Design Profile is like the costume you wear that helps distinguish your part and place in life. In your design, your Profile is a 2-digit number (formatted X/X), one of 12 possible combinations of the 6 total Lines. Now, brace yourself for the technical jargon...

Profile is a synthesis of your unconscious and conscious hexagram line definition at your Sun Gate definition. These are the little numbers shown next to each Gate number at the first planet (Sun) under your unconscious Design side (red) and the conscious Personality side (black). For example, your conscious Sun is 49.2 and your unconscious Sun is 4.4—that means you have a 2/4 Profile.

Profile highlights the duality that exists in all of us. This duality is what helps make you complex. Tapping into the natural themes of your Profile gives you another way to harmonize all your individual characteristics, and helps you live as your authentic self. Stepping into your Profile brings more ease through your life when used correctly with your Strategy + Authority, so you can experience your Signature of alignment more consistently.

Use this Guide to the Profile Lines to have a foundational understanding of the 6 Lines and to begin to explore your individual Profile. For example, if you have a 2/4 Profile, then read both the 2<sup>nd</sup> Line and 4<sup>th</sup> Line and reflect on how the two lines can work together and how they may feel conflicting. You may identify more with your conscious personality (the first number) than your unconscious body side. This is ok! Can you build more awareness to recognize when the unconscious side of your Profile is being expressed? How can you step into either Line, and both, using your Strategy and Authority to guide you?

## ||| The Six Lines |||

### Line 1 – Investigator

Moderne Archetype: the Researcher

Line 1 is introspective and is easily self-absorbed in their own process of research and discovery. They love going deep into their investigating, so they can build a solid and safe foundation for their wisdom. They feel most nourished with freedom and control over their environment, clarity through details, and independent time for creativity + study.

Line 1 Motto: I am free to learn. Diving deep is my superpower.

### Line 2 – Hermit

Moderne Archetype: the Natural

Line 2 is introspective and is easily self-absorbed in their own natural talents, interests, and individual process; they may not be able to see these as gifts outside of themselves. They love time alone so they can practice mastering their gifts and building their wisdom without projection from others. They feel most nourished with pressure-free encouragement from others, control over their own time + space, and permission for unlimited creativity, rest + play through their process.

Line 2 Motto: I am free to be who I am. Aligned sharing is my superpower.

### Line 3 – Martyr

Moderne Archetype: the Scientist

Line 3 is introspective and is easily excited by their own process of trial-and-error through personal experience. They love jumping in “to do”, so they can experiment and find out what does and doesn’t work. They feel most nourished with freedom to explore and try new things, expectation-free encouragement, and some time to reflect on their “mistakes” and anchor in the lessons.

Line 3 Motto: I am free to experiment. My process is my superpower.

Line 4 – Opportunist  
Moderne Archetype: the Networker

Line 4 has a more external perspective and is focused on their transpersonal interactions. They love connecting with others and forming friendships to create opportunity for them to influence, be influenced and impact from within their network. They feel most nourished when they can cultivate warm relationships without expectation, focus on the quality of their network over quantity, and set boundaries to balance their time with others with time alone.

Line 4 Motto: I am free to support + connect. My relationships are my superpower.

Line 5 – Heretic  
Moderne Archetype: the Fixer; the Savior

Line 5 has a more external perspective and is focused on their transpersonal interactions. They love being able to guide others and help them through challenges with practical solutions. Others naturally project their problems onto them, so it's important for Line 5's to set clear boundaries when ending and forming new relationships. They feel most nourished when they can use their magnetic persona in healthy ways to form correct relationships, have control over their privacy/private life, and feel free to make and break bonds as they reevaluate their alignment with others.

Line 5 Motto: I am free to make it work or walk away. My strategic wisdom is my superpower.

Line 6 – Role Model  
Moderne Archetype: the Butterfly

Line 6 has a more complex perspective, as their focus shifts from personal to transpersonal over a 3-phase life cycle. During the first phase, from birth until around the age of 30, they operate as a Line 3 (caterpillar). During the second phase, from about age 30 – 50, they take a step back from the extreme trial-and-error process to analyze, reflect, nurture close relationships, and ground in their wisdom (chrysalis). In the final stage, after about age 50, they will be called out by others as the "role model," and if they're living in alignment, may experience an even deeper level of fulfillment...

Line 6 contd... Throughout all stages of life, they love being able to externalize their experience, and share their wisdom and lessons with others. They feel most nourished when they are aware of their current phase, relax into the timing of their life, and are able to experience their process freely and appreciate the beauty that's available in all stages.

Line 6 Motto: I am free to create + receive abundance in all cycles.  
Transformation is my superpower.

To dive deeper into your individual design, including a personalized discussion of your Profile, check out [Human Design Sessions](#) with Libby Hoffmann.

