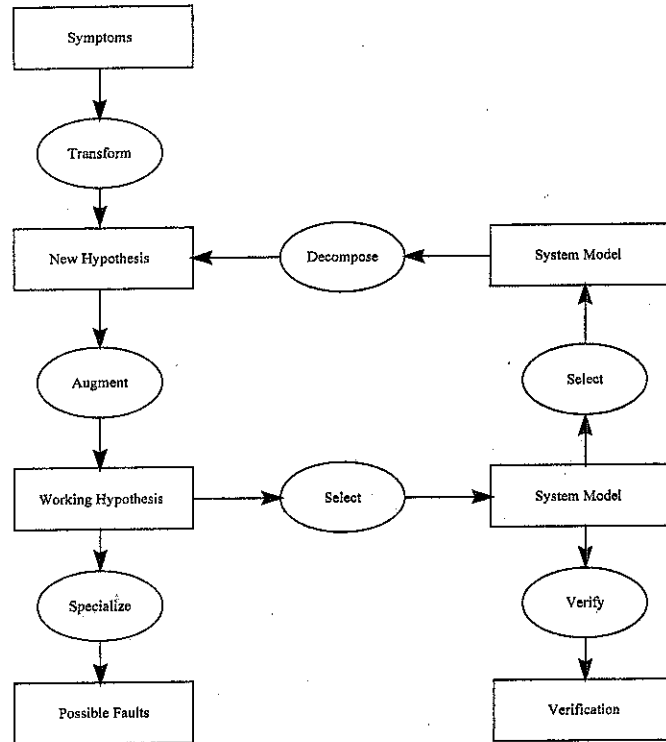
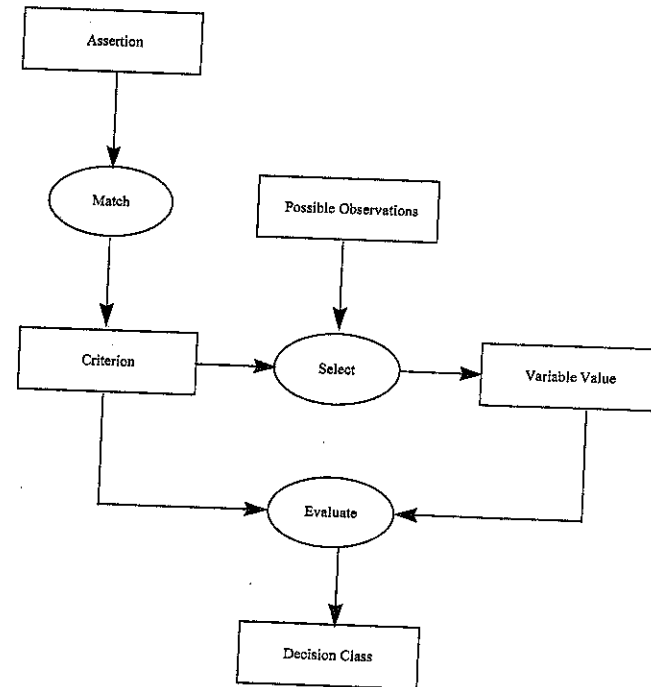


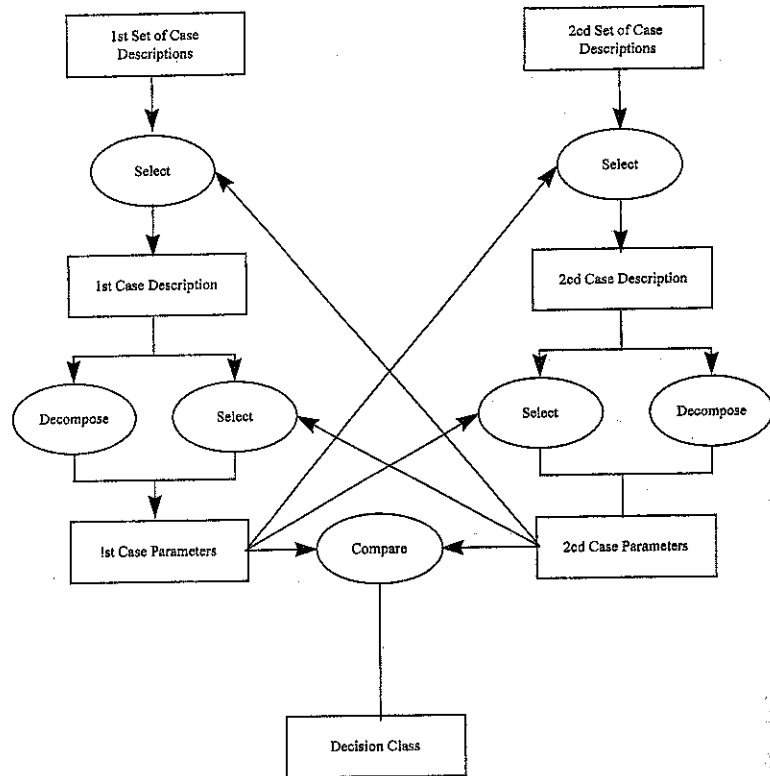
Name: Mixed Mode Diagnosis: (Identification - Diagnosis)
Definition: Identifying faults with a system, given a set of complaints, using a combination of the essence of the Localization and Causal Tracing tasks, together with Heuristic Classification.
Strategies: Attempt to capture and separate out the different ways of operating the task.
Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993



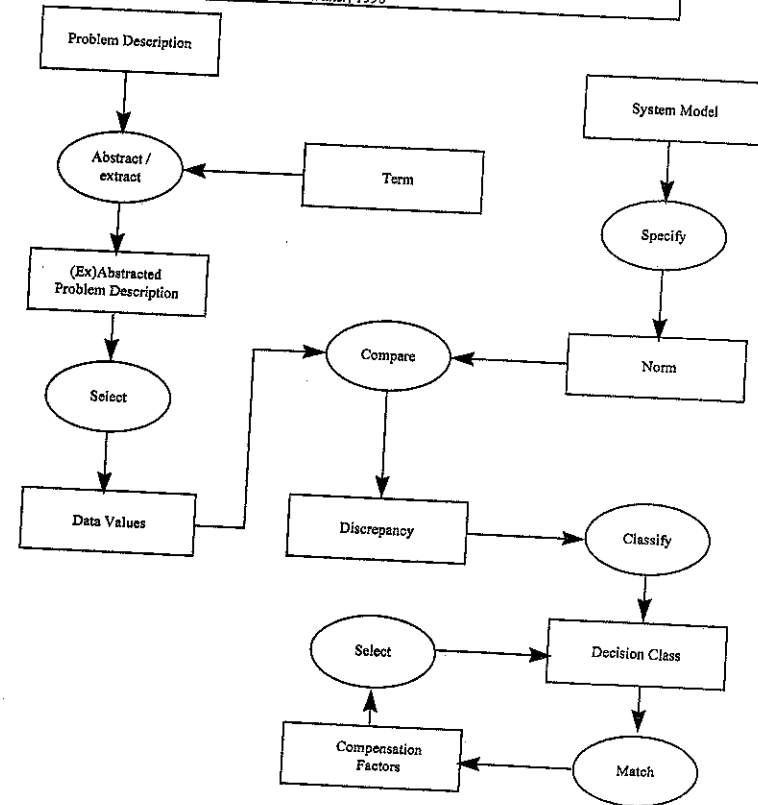
Name: Verification: (Identification - Verification)
Definition: Determining whether an assertion made about a system is consistent with (at least some of) the actual values of the observables of the system.
Strategies: Describe how to choose between a goal-driven, data-driven, or mixed-initiative approach to verification, if needed. Otherwise, use a fixed approach.
Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993



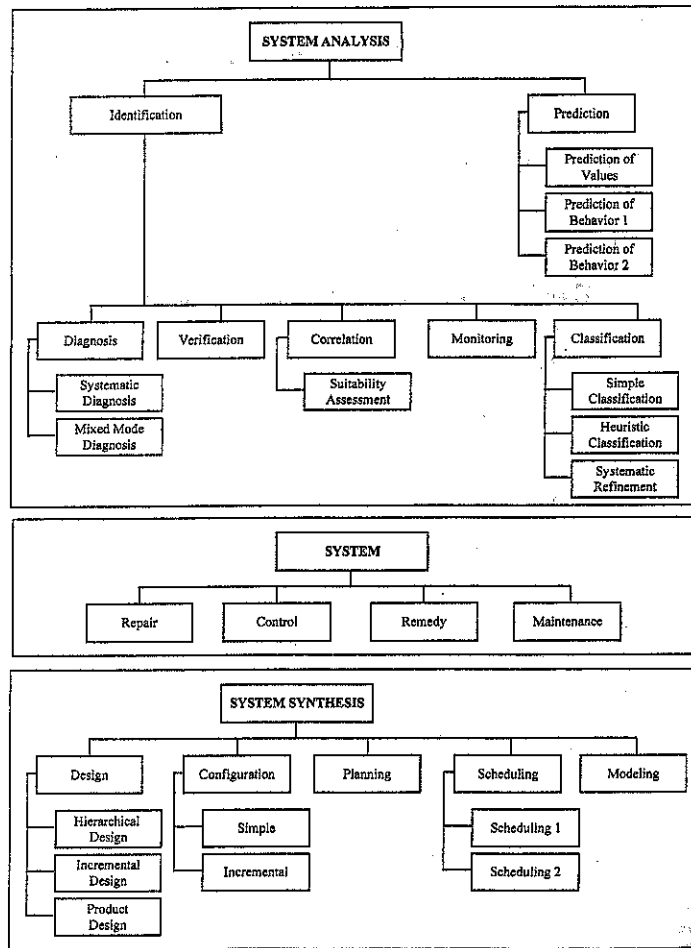
Name: Correlation: (Identification - Correlation)
Definition: Comparing two entities (systems) and producing some result on the basis of that comparison. *Assessment* is a specialization.
Strategies: Correlation typically has a lot of strategic information. Base it on availability of data, format or structure of data, level of abstraction, changes over time.
Source: *Tansley & Hayball, 1993*



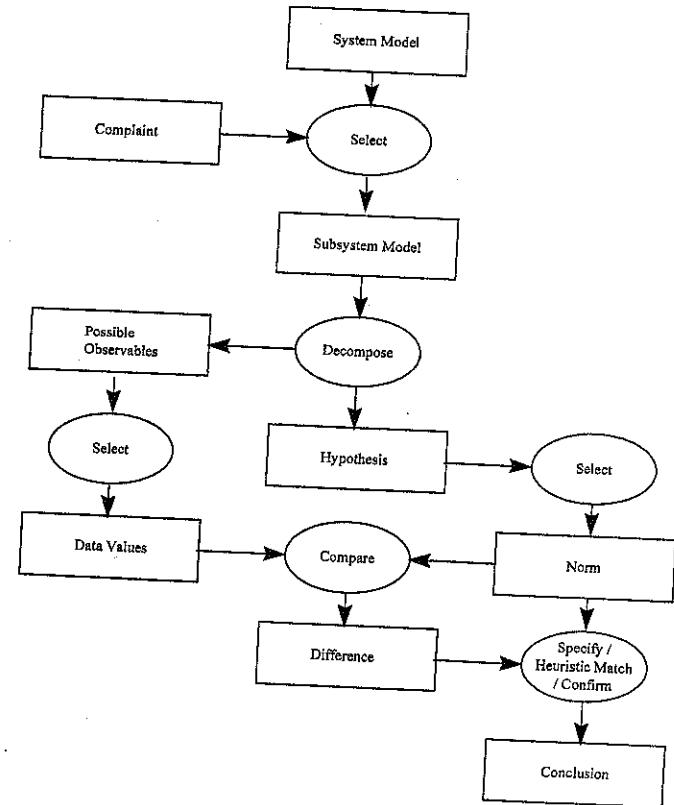
Name: Suitability Assessment: (Identification - Correlation)
Definition: The process of comparing an expected value with an abstracted or extracted data value, resulting in a (usually) binary decision, and where the decision may be subject to compensating factors.
Strategies: Need for pre-assessment abstraction of data, top-down vs. bottom-down approach to working through the system model. How long to continue in the Compensation Loop.
Source: *Gardner, 1996*



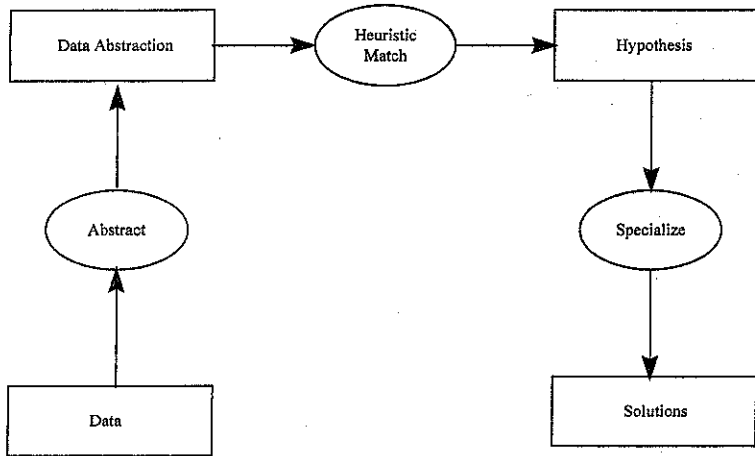
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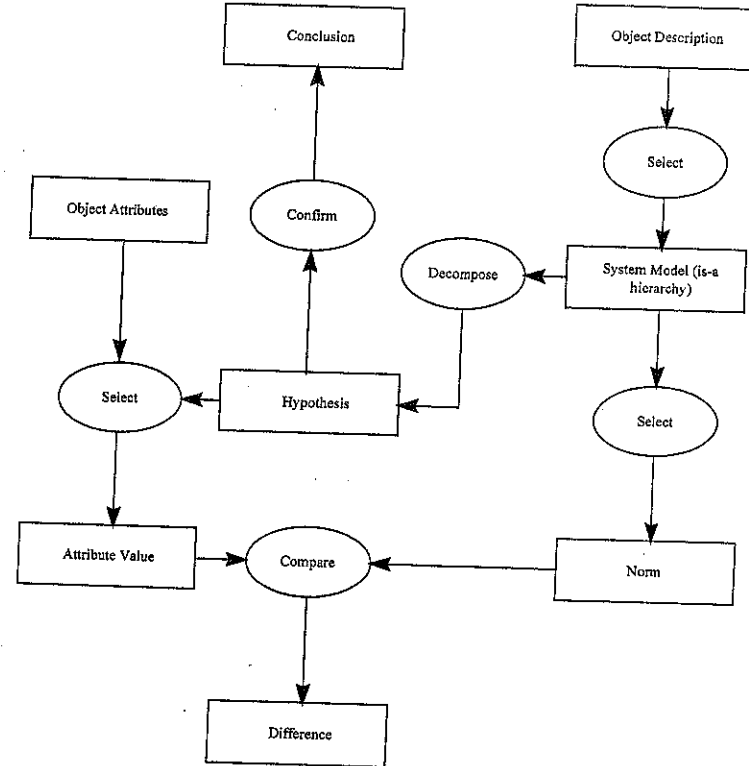
Name: **Systematic Diagnosis: (Identification - Diagnosis)**
 Definition: Determining the cause and location of a problem by the use of hypothesis and tests.
 Strategies: Traverse a *consists-of* or *causes* knowledge structure.
 Source: *Tansley & Hayball, 1993*

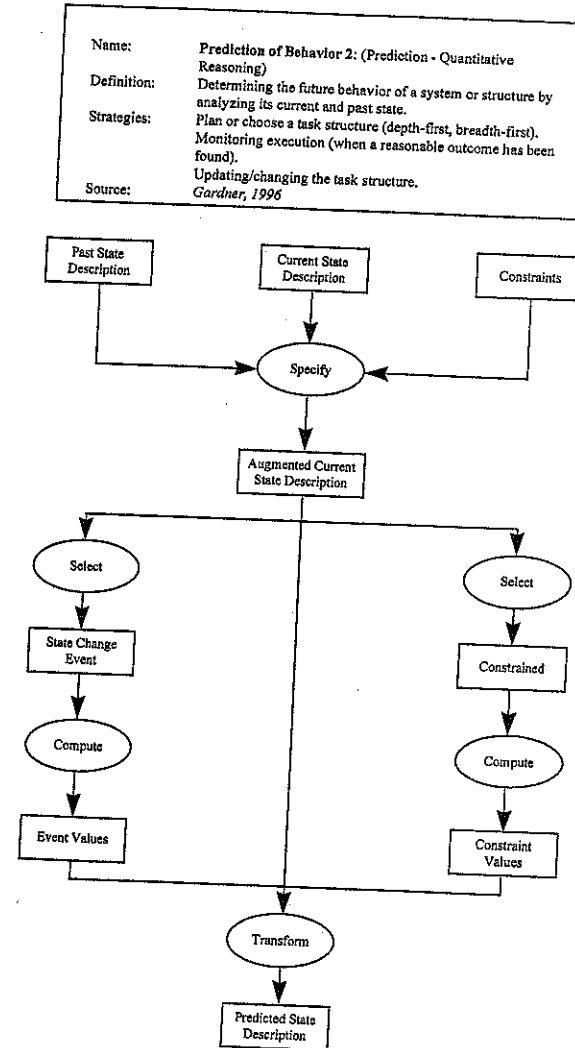
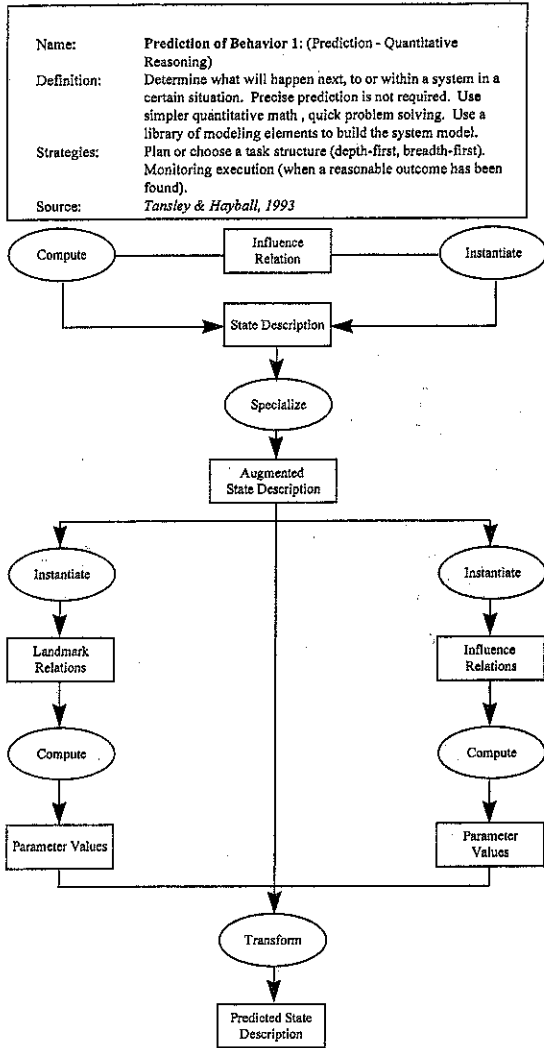


Name: Heuristic Classification: (Identification - Classification)
Definition: The process of hypothesizing and reaching a conclusion using heuristic knowledge.
Strategies: If cost of obtaining data is high, choose backward-reasoning approach; else use a more forward-reasoning approach. How accurate must the solution be, to what level of classification? Which level of "specialize" is needed?
Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993; Gardner, 1996

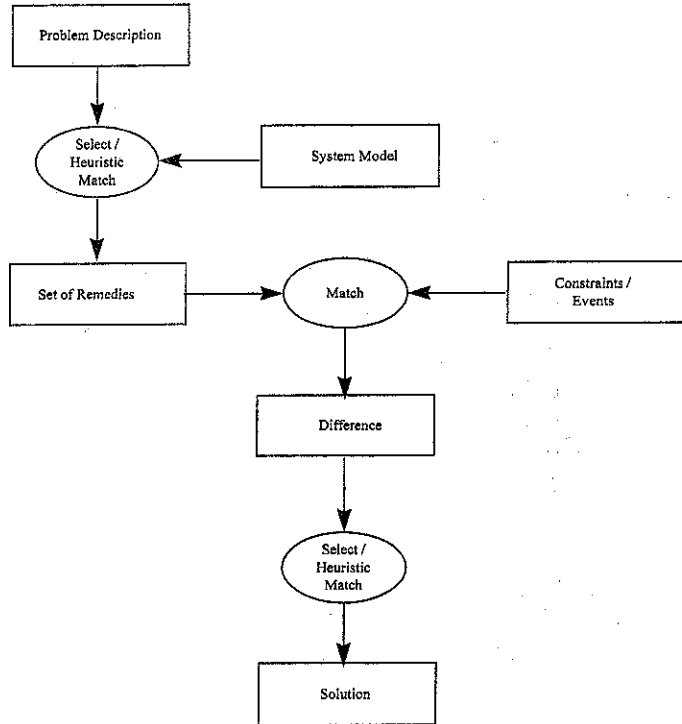


Name: Systematic Refinement: (Identification - Classification)
Definition: Traversal of a is-a knowledge structure in order to determine a refinement of an existing system.
Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993

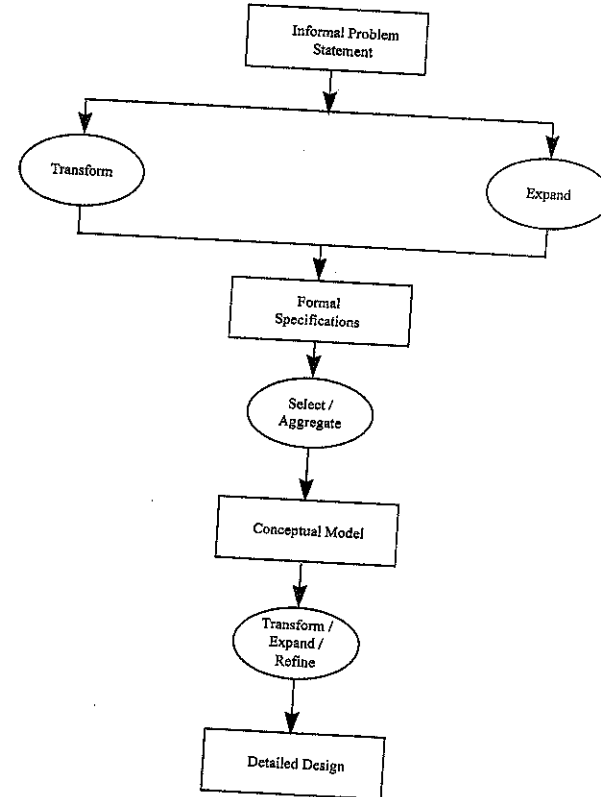




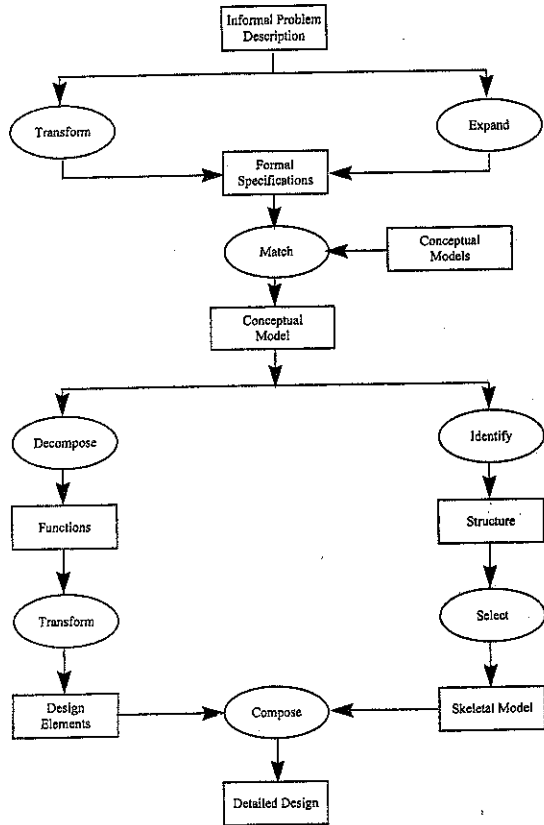
Name: Repair: (Modification)
 Definition: Changing the characteristics of a "system" or structure with the goal of changing its behavior. This is an area of growth in KADS.
 Source: Gardner, 1996



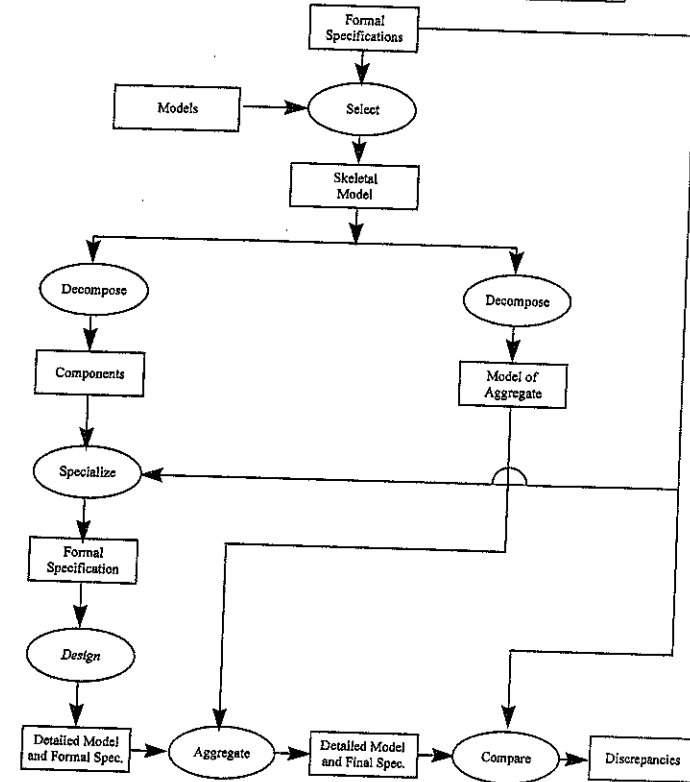
Name: Generic Design: (Synthesis - Design)
 Definition: Specifying the components and architecture of some artifact, given a statement of the role that that artifact must fulfill.
 Strategies: Control of degree of overlap between inference. Could be based on externally arising constraints and/or constraints from design guidelines or paradigms.
 Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993



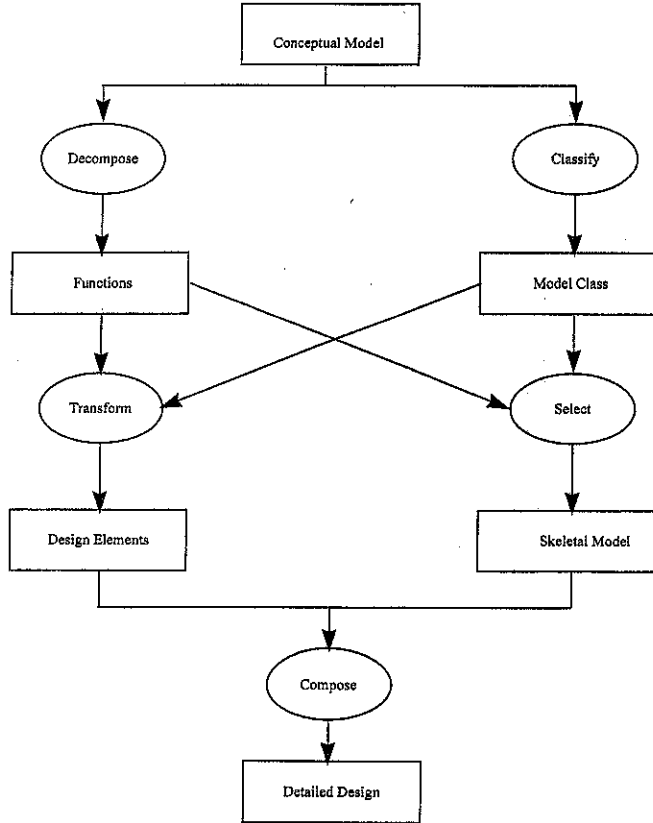
Name: Product Design: (Synthesis - Design)
 Definition: Specifying the components, the structure and the function of a product, given a statement of the problem the product will solve.
 Source: Gardner, 1996



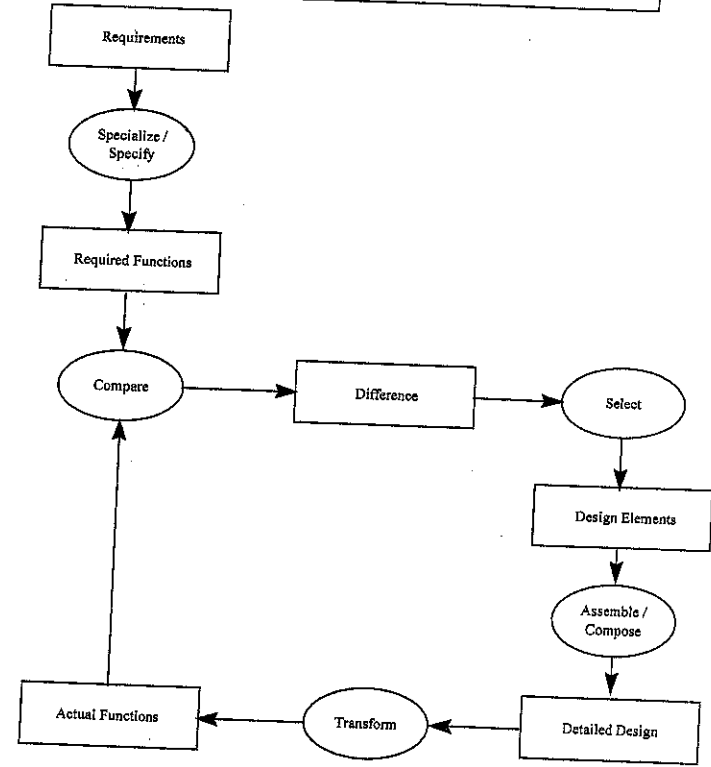
Name: Hierarchical Design: (Synthesis - Design)
 Definition: A design task in which a model of the artifact is first built and then modified: the design works at different levels of abstraction by recursion. *This is a special case of the Generic Design and is not fully refined.*
 Strategies: If well understood, follow a structured task approach. Otherwise, fill in skeletal models. How long to recurse. *Note: recursive steps shown in italics.*
 Source: Tansey & Hayball, 1993



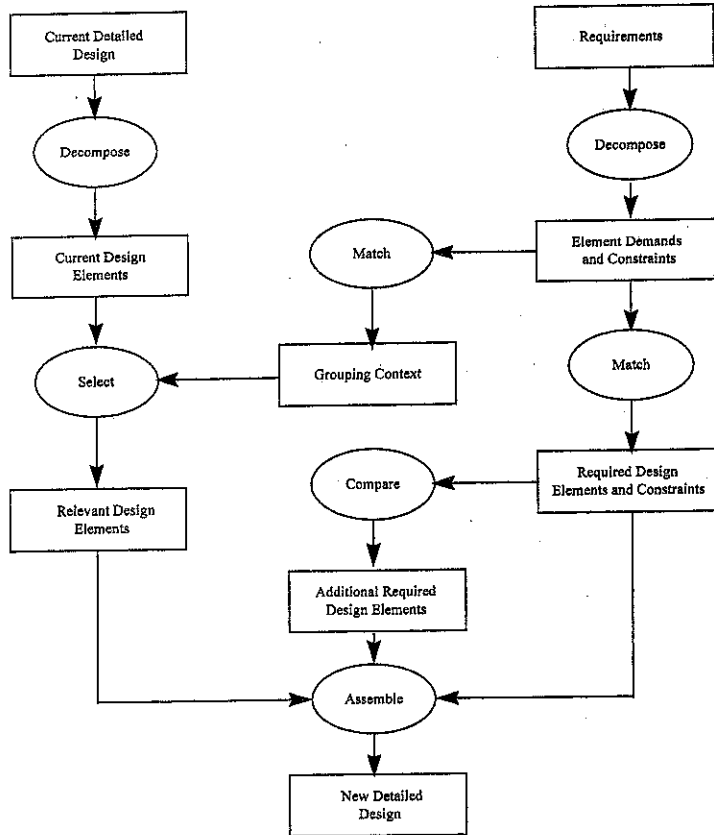
Name: Incremental Design: (Synthesis Design)
Definition: Expansion of the Transform/Expand/Refine inference found in generic design. *Special case of Generic Design and not fully refined.*
Strategies: Describe if and how to combine functional decomposition-driven vs. conceptual model class-driven approaches.
 Are inferences carried out in parallel.
Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993



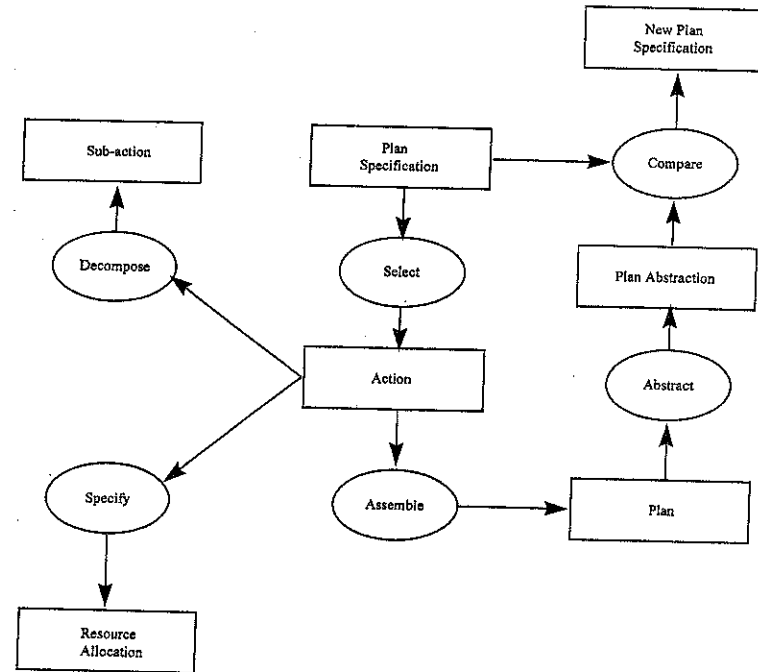
Name: Simple Configuration: (Synthesis - Configuration)
Definition: Assembling elements of a system together such that spatial or logical constraints are not violated in the case when there are no common resources that can help satisfy several types of functions.
Strategies: Use pure nominate, pure verify, or mixture of the two. Control of overlap between inferences in nominate and verify.
Source: Tansley & Hayball, 1993



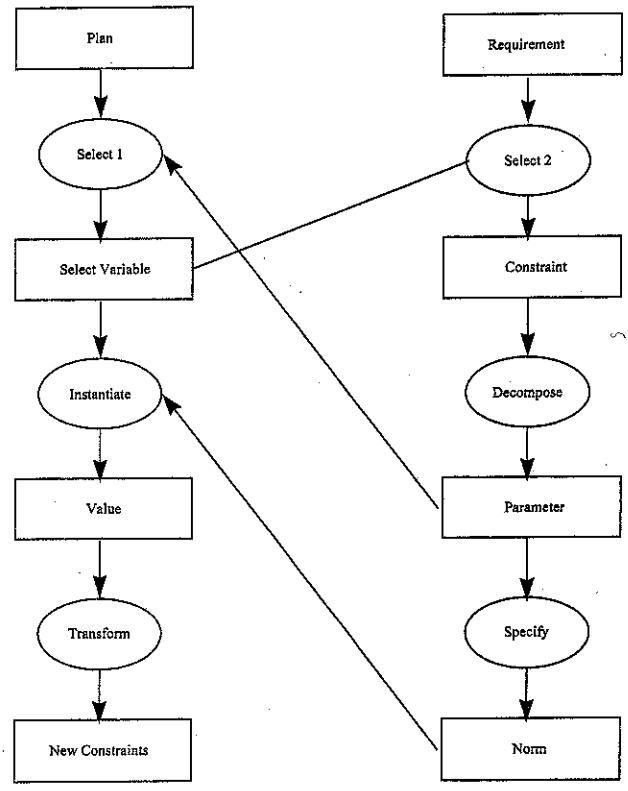
Name: Incremental Configuration: (Synthesis - Configuration)
Definition: Assembling elements of a system together such that spatial or logical constraints are not violated in the case when common resources can help satisfy several types of functions.
Strategies: How to iterate over the "grouping contexts" and increase the coverage of the configuration.
Source: Ordering of the matches and decompositions.
Tansley & Hayball, 1993



Name: Planning: (Synthesis - Planning)
Definition: Taking an initial state and determining the actions required to meet a final goal (and sub-goal) within a set of constraints. Output is a refined version of the original plan with some or all of its actions decomposed. Optionally, a resource allocation can be output.
Strategies: Identification of and resolution of conflict between goals. Importance of meta-goals.
Source: *Tansley & Hayball, 1993*



Name: Scheduling 1: (Synthesis - Planning)
 Definition: Take a plan and determine the temporal ordering of groups of actions within that plan according to a set of minimizing constraints.
 Strategies: Take into account a data-driven or constraint-driven approach or mixture of the two.
 Source: *Tansley & Hayball, 1993*



Name: Scheduling 2: (Synthesis - Planning)
 Definition: Arriving at a schedule, given resources, planning steps, and planning periods.
 Source: *Gardner, 1996*

