

	Pluralist	Elite	Marxist	Power-Resource	State-Centred
How is power distributed?	Dispersed	Concentrated	Concentrated	Concentrated	Concentrated
Who are the main power holders?	Various groups	Elites	Ruling class	Upper class	State officials
On what is their power based?	Holding political office	Controlling major institutions	Owning substantial capital	Owning substantial capital	Holding political office
What is the main basis of public policy?	The will of all citizens	The interests of major elites	Capitalist interests	The balance of power among classes, etc.	The influence of state structures
Do lower classes have much influence on politics?	Yes	No	Rarely	Sometimes	Sometimes