

**The search for truth can lead us into labyrinths, but not into illusion.**

**Boutout Mohamed**

Dear friends of the I Ching,  
I briefly present you the hexagrams received for the 11th question. This graphic invites us to persevere in the search for the exit of the labyrinth!

Several participants asked me to distribute a small graph for each question, which quickly explains the answer obtained, without having to read the whole report. The most significant graph is the one that shows the distribution of the situation hexagrams. I also offer an interpretation of the meaning of the most predominant hexagram in the context of the question.

**What does the I Ching suggest to the **YOUNG GENERATION** about the challenges it will face?**

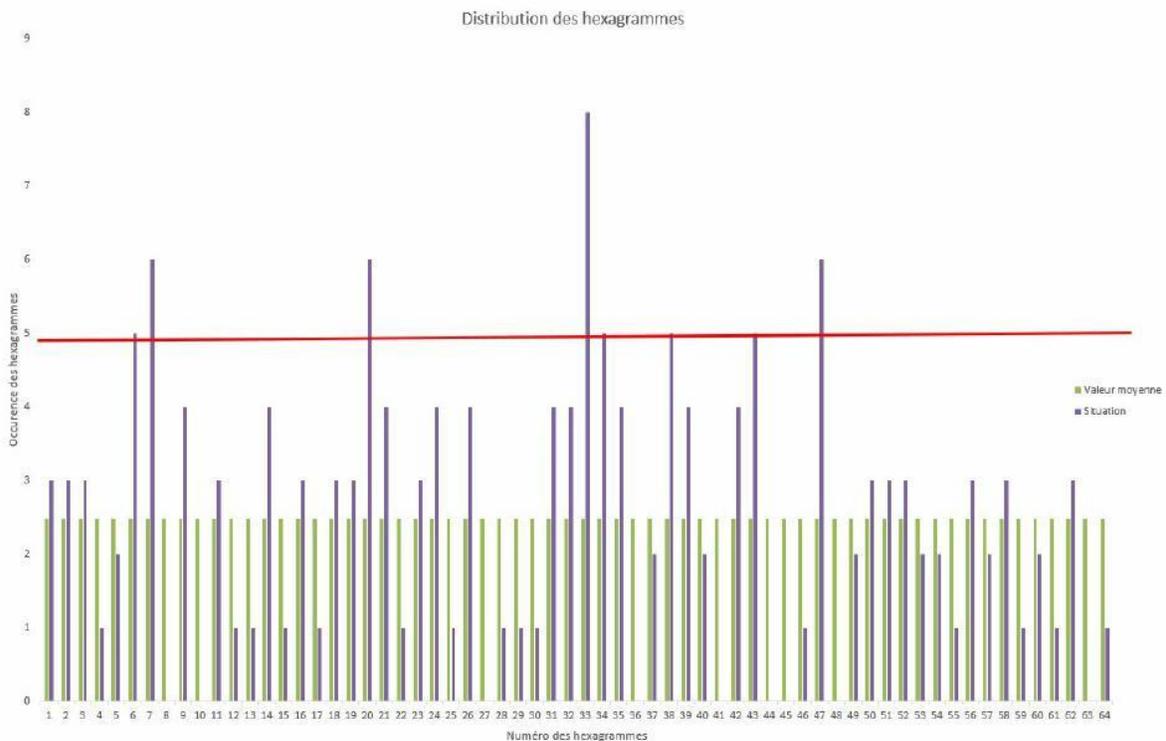


Figure 1 Distribution of the hexagrams. In blue the hexagrams of situation, green the average value, the red line indicates the double of the average value.

| Hex # |                   | Occurrences<br>absolues | Occurrences<br>% | Occurrences<br>accumulées |
|-------|-------------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| 33    | Faire Retraite    | 8                       | 5.03%            | 5.03%                     |
| 7     | Armée             | 6                       | 3.77%            | 8.81%                     |
| 20    | Regarder          | 6                       | 3.77%            | 12.58%                    |
| 47    | Epuisement        | 6                       | 3.77%            | 16.35%                    |
| 6     | Plaider sa Cause  | 5                       | 3.14%            | 19.50%                    |
| 34    | Grand Force       | 5                       | 3.14%            | 22.64%                    |
| 38    | Divergence        | 5                       | 3.14%            | 25.79%                    |
| 43    | Se Montrer Résolu | 5                       | 3.14%            | 28.93%                    |

Table 1 The occurrences of the predominant hexagrams. The eight hexagrams represent almost 30 % of all the hexagrams whereas according to the laws of the statistics they should correspond to only 12.5 %.

Hexagram 33, Retirement, is the most predominant. It deals with the way to leave a situation that has completely decayed. It is about knowing how to organize one's departure without regret because nothing is more profitable.

Disengaging from a situation that has run its course is only a success if one proceeds step by step, without constraint or haste: a properly accomplished retirement is not a precipitous escape but an organized withdrawal. To do this, it is advisable to favor flexibility and adaptability, qualities characteristic of the Yin behavior evoked by the Little One. It is also advisable not to let oneself be disconcerted by the changes and remodeling involved in withdrawing from what has been achieved.

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To have extracted oneself without hesitation from unfavorable situations in order to keep control of them is neither an escape nor a defeat. Let us experience the detachment necessary to break with useless and dangerous moorings. The time has come to step back calmly, with wisdom and firmness. Let us find the strength to give up what we have invested without ever regretting it.

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Two comments that strongly converge on the necessity for the YOUNG GENERATION to abandon the values that have prevailed until now and to look for other more fruitful solutions capable of integrating all the dimensions necessary for a sustainable development, whether it is at the level of catching up with the climatic disturbances or of the organization of society.

The predominance of this hexagram, which suggests that we turn the page to write another, more promising one, seems to me very appropriate for this question. Let us note that hexagrams 34 and 43 are also present in the predominant class, two hexagrams that speak to us about the management of the deployment of Yang energy. A more detailed study of the predominant and silent hexagrams will certainly reveal even more strategies to answer the question. With this little report, I wanted to give a quick overview of the accuracy of our experiences and thus motivate you to persevere in this study.

Best wishes to all of you!

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