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Research Publications Synthesis: Key Principles and Techniques

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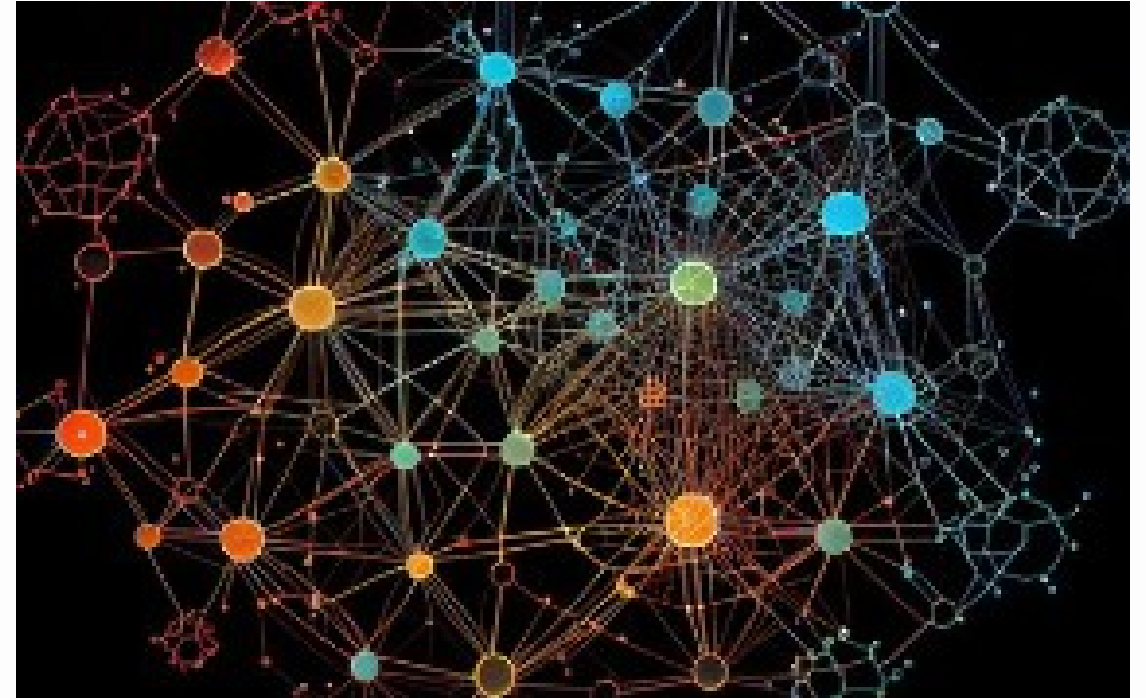
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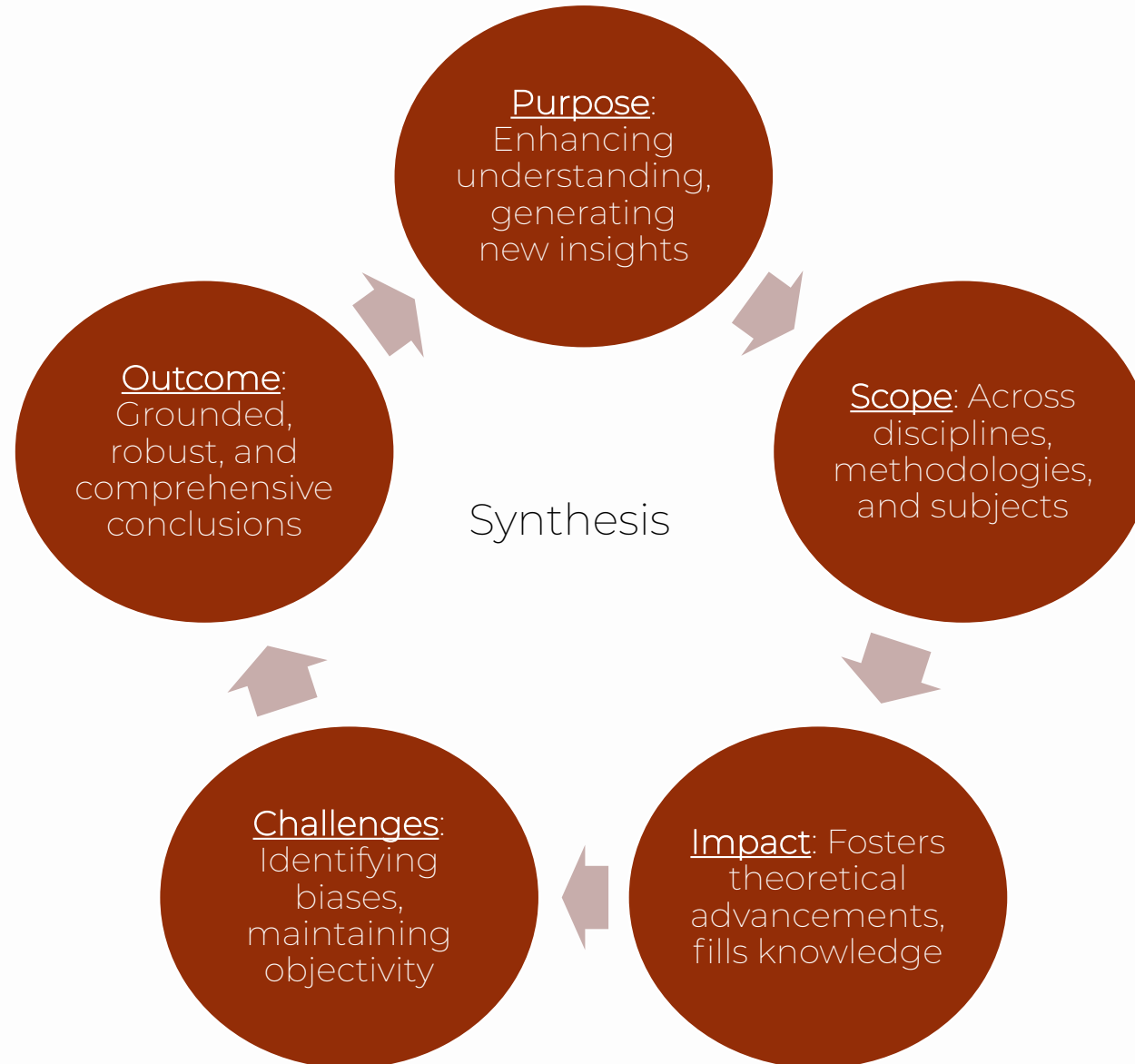
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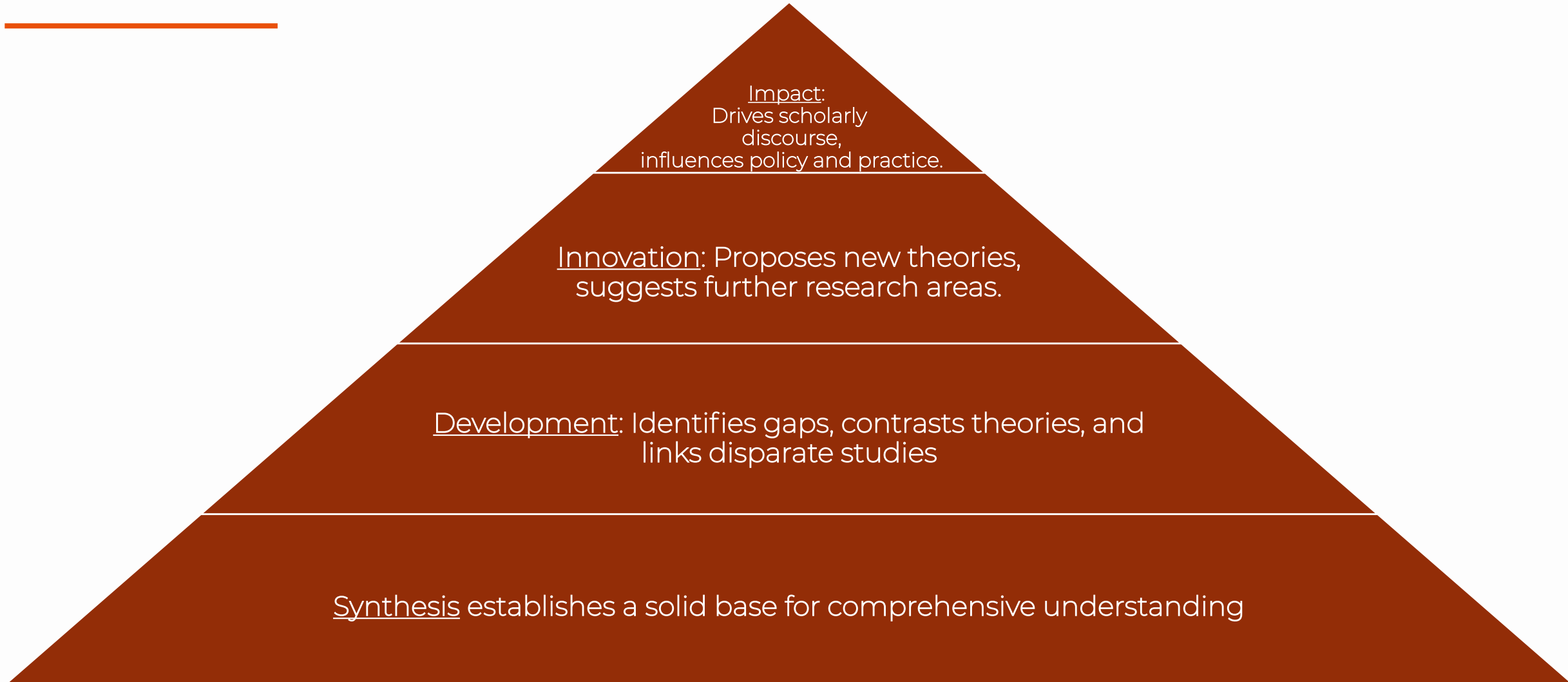
- Synthesizing simply means combining
- Synthesis integrates information from multiple sources, which shows that you have done the necessary research to engage with a topic more fully



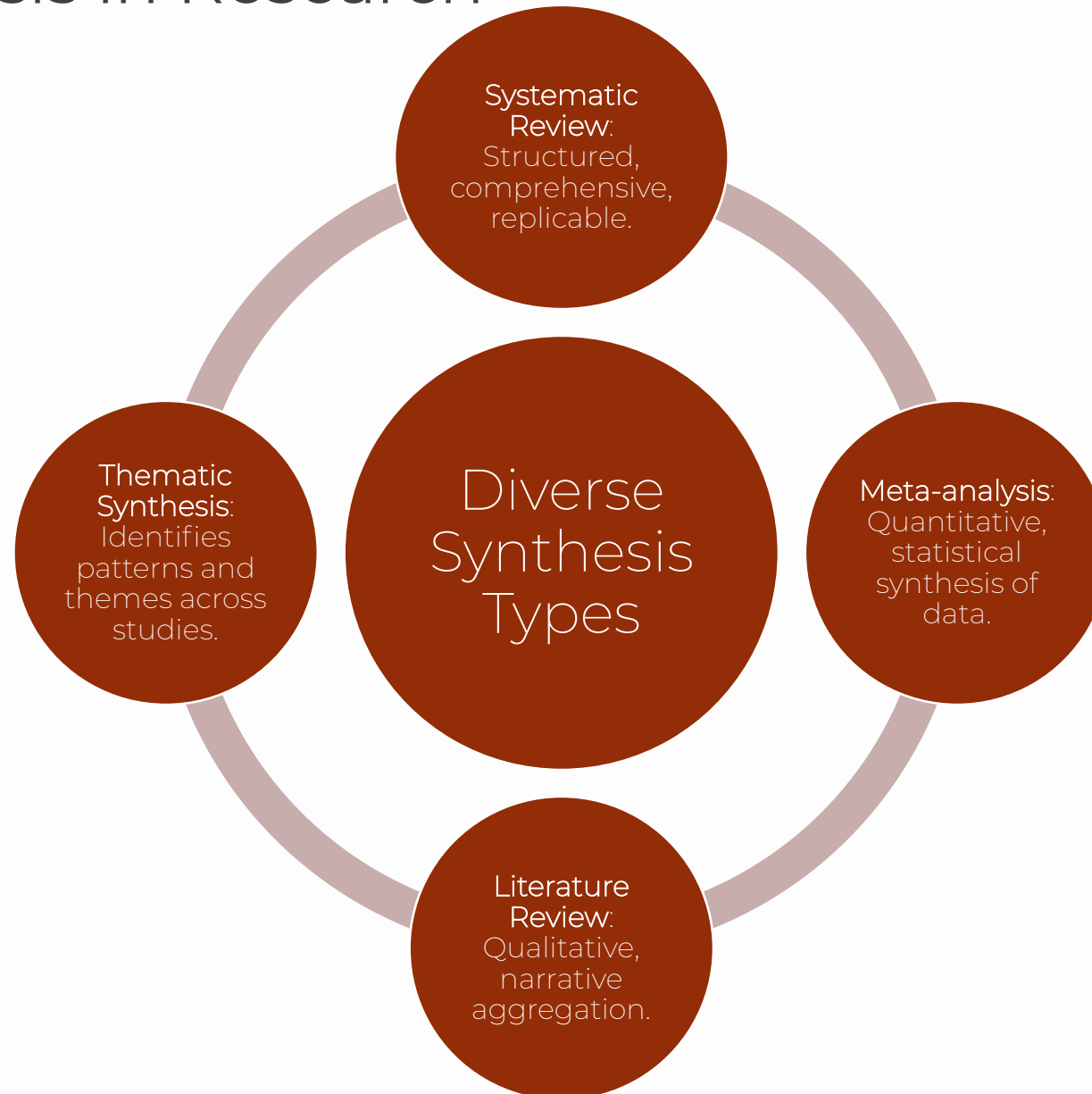
Synthesis in Research Publications



Significance of Synthesis in Research

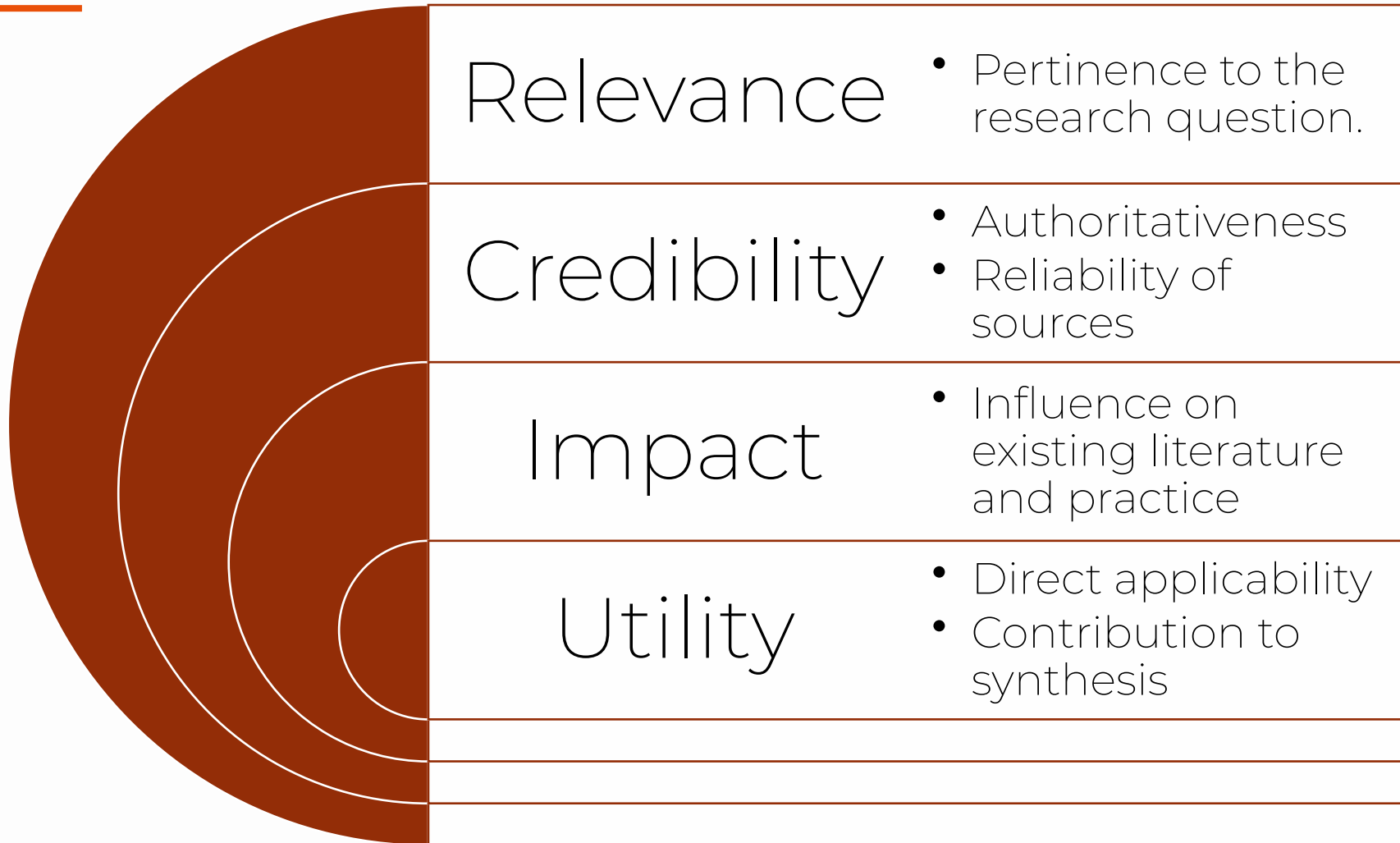


Types of Synthesis in Research

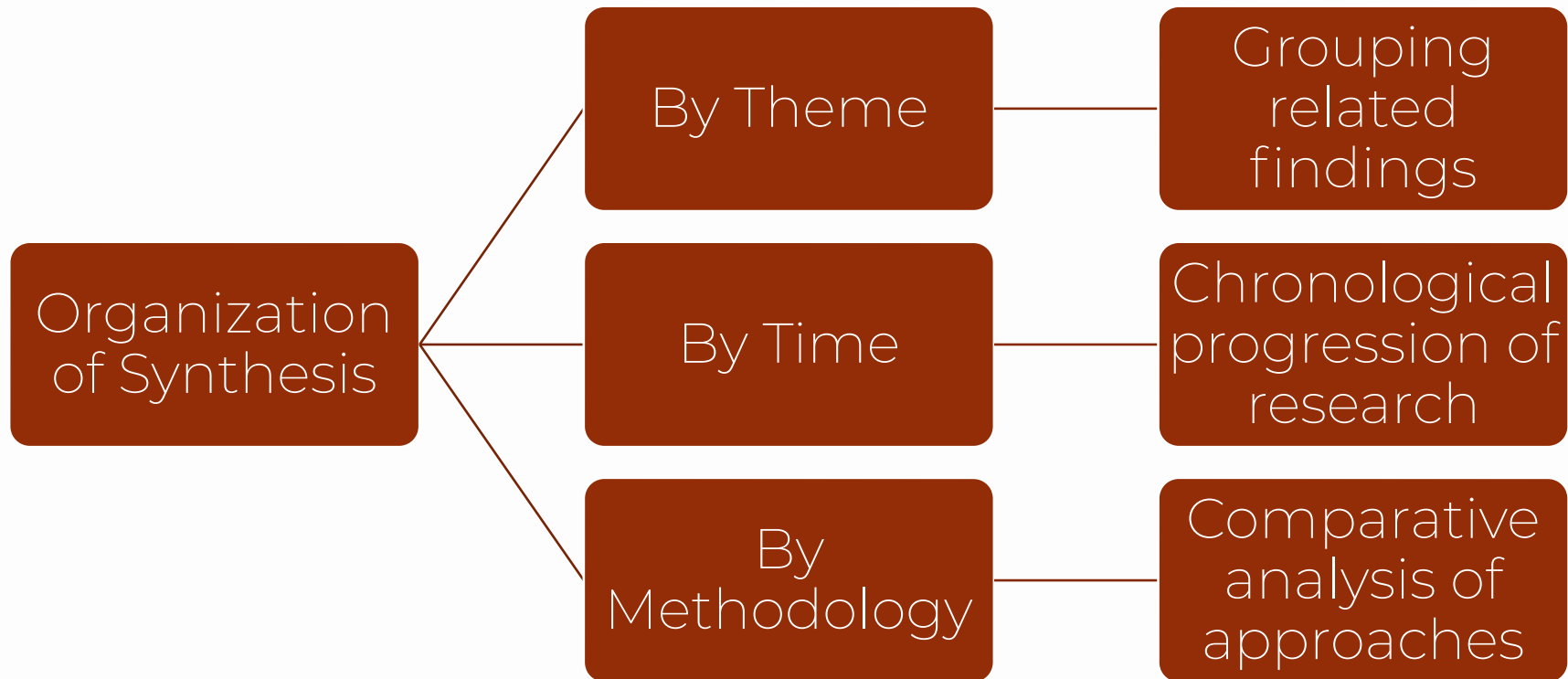


Evaluating Sources for Synthesis

Narrowing down from general to specific criteria



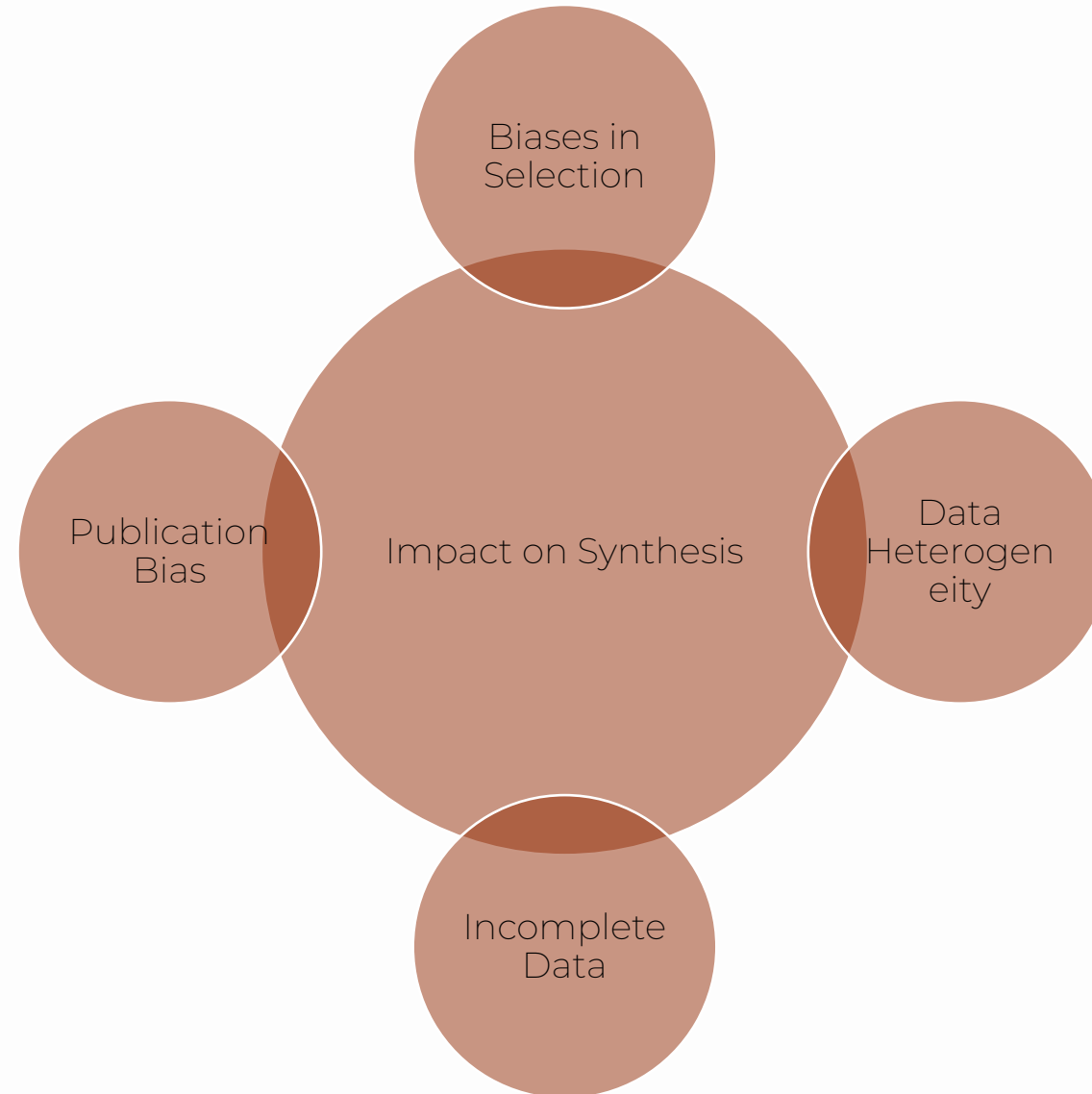
Structuring a Synthesis



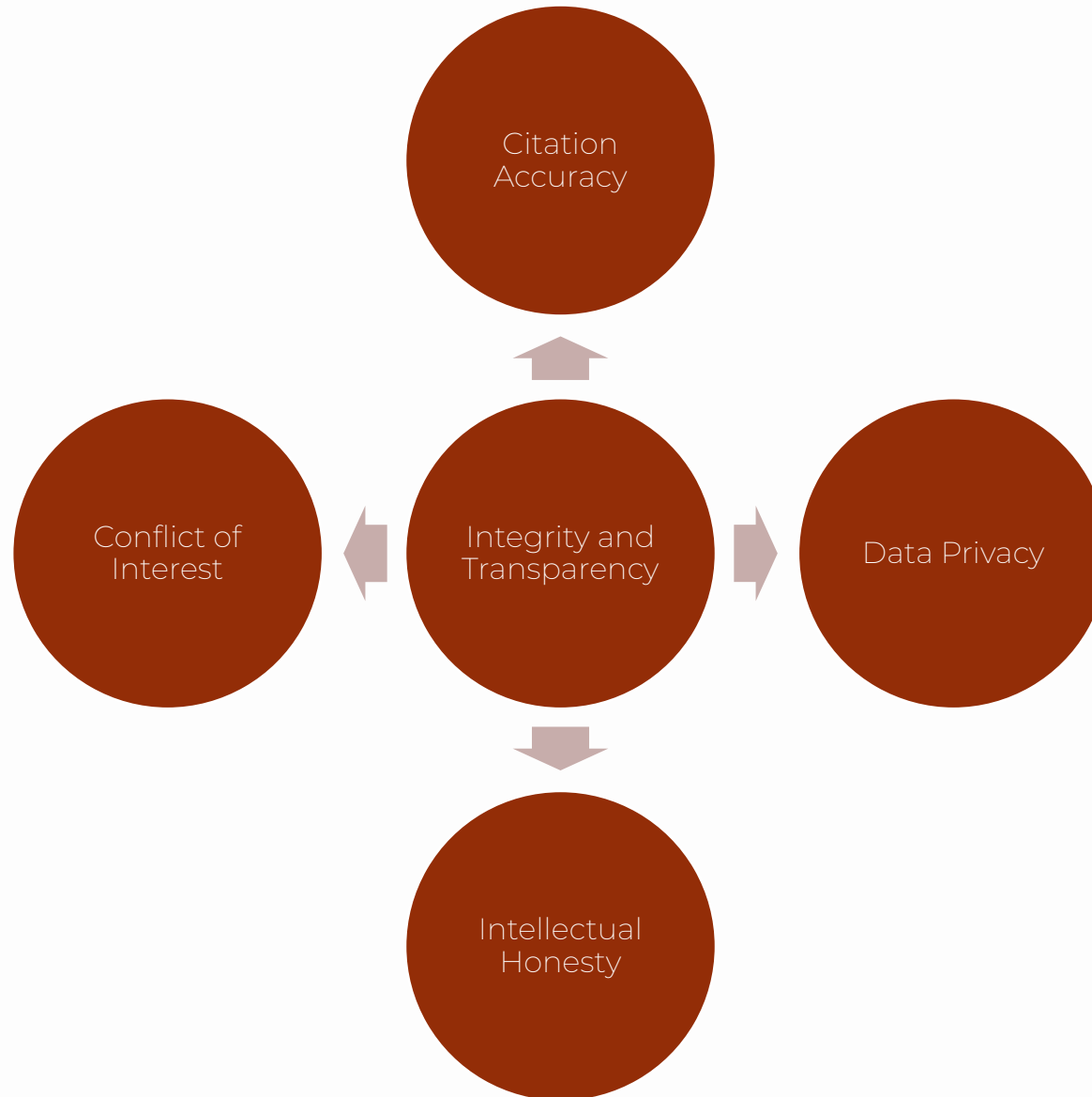
Synthesis Techniques



Challenges in Research Synthesis



Ethical Considerations in Synthesis



The Role of Technology in Synthesis

- Cycle of Technology



Impact of Synthesis on Academic Fields

Foundation

- Synthesis consolidates fragmented research, establishing a strong base.

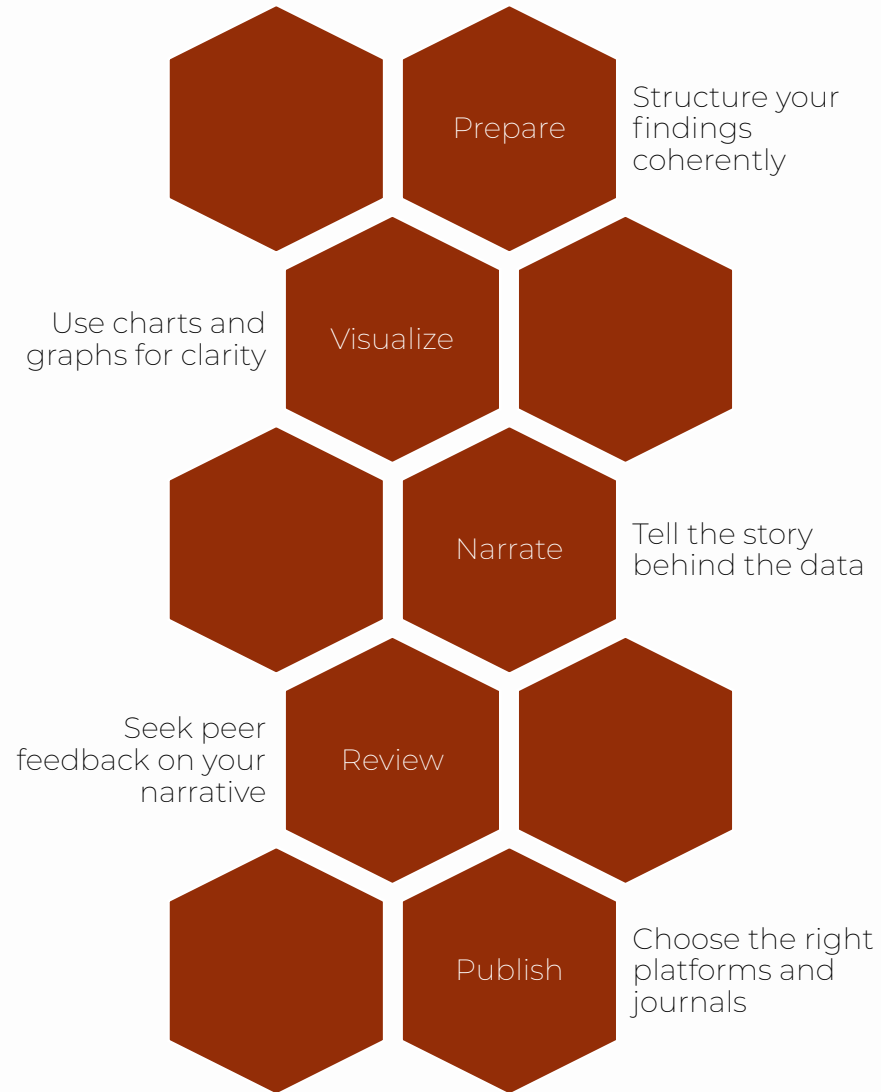
Advancement

- Drives development of new theories and models in academic disciplines.

Transformation

- Influences policy-making, professional practice, and societal norms

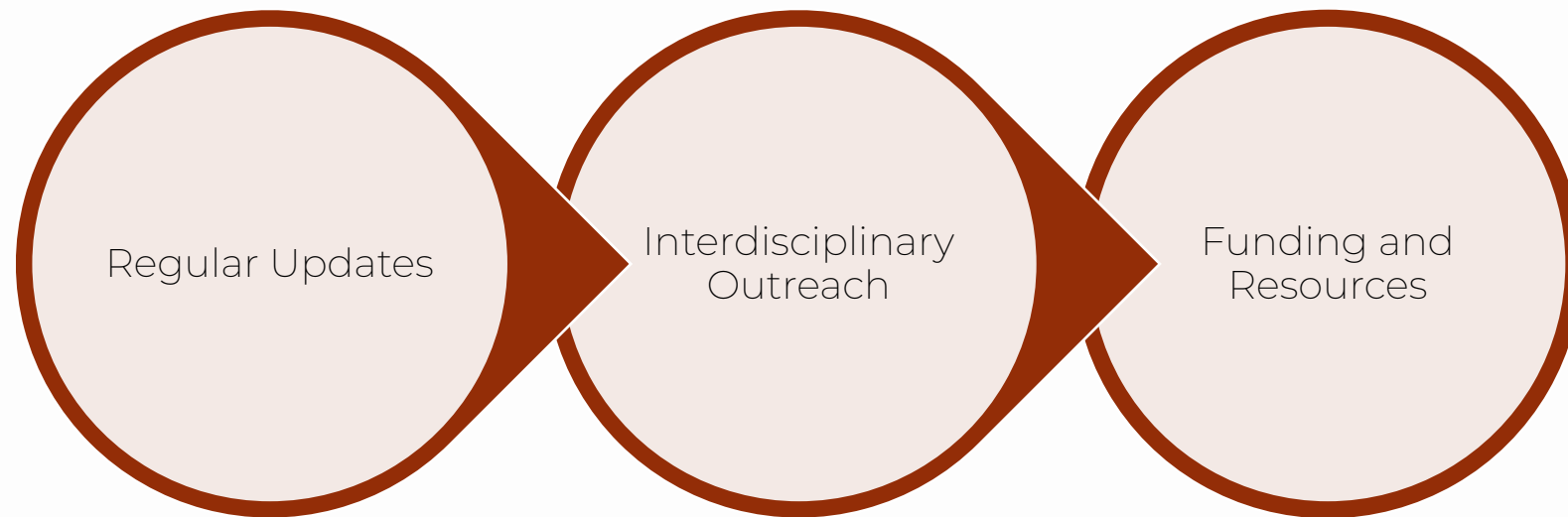
Communicating Synthesis Findings



Future Trends in Research Synthesis

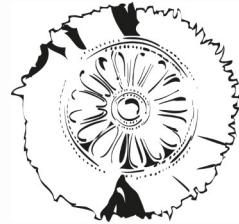
- **Interdisciplinary Approaches:** There is an increase in collaboration across diverse fields.
- **Machine Learning:** AI becomes an essential tool for automated data analysis.
- **Open Access:** Allows an expanding reach and engagement through freely accessible research

Sustaining Research Synthesis



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