



## *Al-Mantiq*

### Lesson 10

#### Divisions of the Assent - 2 (أقسام التصديق)

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#### **Divisions of the Assent:**

There are two divisions of the assent: certainty (*yaqīn*) and probability (*zann*).

In regards to a certain predicative proposition, there are four possible situations:

- **Certainty (*yaqīn*):** When there is no possibility of it being false. This is the highest form of the assent in credibility.

When both sides are probable, the Tasdiq is one of the following three:

- **Probability (*zann*):** This is the likelihood of the predicative proposition being true. This is the lowest form of the assent.
- **Estimation (*wahm*):** This is where one holds some possibility for the statement being true, but his belief falls on the side of its negation.
- **Doubt (*shakk*):** This is where the likelihood of the predicate's truth or falsehood is considered equal.

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