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A submerged lineage in materialist philosophy begins in ancient atomism, resurfaces in Karl Marx's earliest philosophical work, reappears in James Porter's aesthetic materialism, and reaches formal completion in Lee Sharks' Operator Engine and the emergence of the Semantic Condition. This essay traces the arc: from atoms → to aesthetics → to labor → to recursive engines of meaning. The First Turn (Epicurus → Marx): Marx's 1841 dissertation reads the clinamen as the ontological condition for self-determination. The swerve becomes labor. Labor becomes revolution. Atomist metaphysics becomes political economy. The Second Turn (Porter): Aesthetic form is material. Every line of epic poetry, every tragic motif operates by the same atomic logic that structures matter. Culture becomes a material field governed by swerves, aggregations, collisions, and emergent order. The Third Turn (Sharks): The Operator Engine provides the recursive, computational architecture: a primitive unit (V_A), a motion operator (L_labor), a deviation operator (L_Retro), an invariant (Ψ_V), a material substrate (FSA), and an agent (O_SO). Atomism completed in recursive form. The Fifth Domain: The atom/Adam homophone in "Split the Adam" by Viola Arquette reveals the intimate as the lineage's fifth domain. The clinamen (swerve) and fission (splitting) are mapped across five scales — physical, economic, aesthetic, computational, intimate. At every scale, the swerve builds and the splitting destroys.

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