

# NEXT IAS

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TOTAL MARKS - 150		

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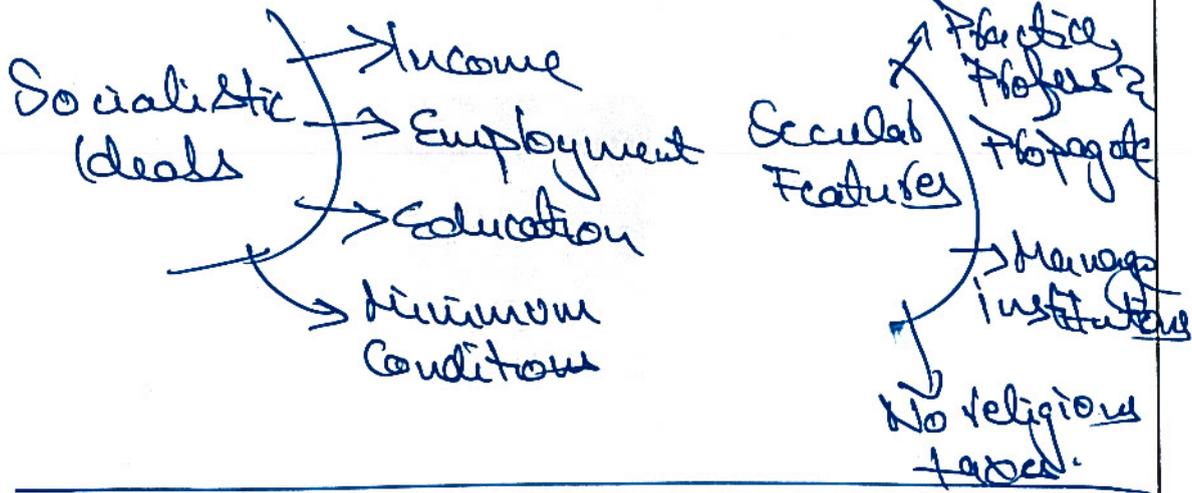
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1. समाजवादी आदर्श और पंथनिरपेक्षता भारत में मूल संरचना के सिद्धांत की मुख्य विशेषताएँ हैं। इस संदर्भ में चर्चा कीजिए कि किस प्रकार न्यायिक निर्णयों ने इन सिद्धांतों को संवैधानिक पहचान की आधारशिला के रूप में स्थापित किया है।

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Socialistic ideals and secularism are core features of the Basic Structure doctrine in India. In this context, discuss how judicial decisions have cemented these principles as the cornerstone of constitutional identity. (Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans 1) Socialistic & Secularistic model is embedded in Basic Structure Doctrine as outlined in Keshavnand Bharati v/s UOI Case, 1973



Judicial Decisions Cementing Socialism

① Olga Tellis v/s UOI : Right to Livelihood is protected under Art. ②1 -

② Minerva Mills Case : Duty of state to uphold socialistic design under Article

③③ & ③②

③ Mazdoor Mukti Morcha Case : Protected Right To Education under Art. (14) & (21).

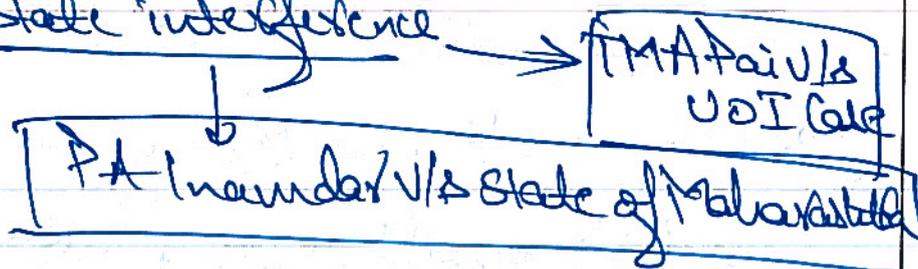
④ Courts have ordered nutrition security under PD & in multiple writs.

⑤ M.C. Mehta, M.K. Nayit Singh etc : Socialistic duty of state to protect weaker sections against climate change.

Judicial Announcements for secularism

① S.R. Bommai Case : Secularism part of Basic Structure.

② Rights of minority religious institutions against state interference



③ Secular Intervention to curb irrational practices - & → Shayra Bano Case.

④ Protecting secular gender rights by Sabnamala Case

Judicial strengthening has cemented & secured secular & socialist nature of India.

2. "चुनावी कदाचार के उभरते रूपों से निपटने के लिए जन प्रतिनिधित्व अधिनियम, 1951 के अंतर्गत 'भ्रष्ट आचरण' के दायरे का विस्तार करने की आवश्यकता है।" टिप्पणी कीजिए। (उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक
- "There is a need to expand the scope of corrupt practices under the Representation of the People Act, 1951 to address emerging forms of electoral malpractices." Comment.  
(Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans 2) Changing socio-political landscape has mandated that corrupt practices defined in Sec. 8(a), 2 & 125 of RPA, 1951 need to be amended.

Need to expand scope: Emerging forms of electoral malpractices

- ① Candidate expenditure: Diversion of expenses by use of family & friends.  
Ex) Booking rally venues.
- ② Total expenditure of parties is not capped → Higher Money power.  
Ex) AAP Report's showing parties spend in excess of 6000 Cr in 2024 elections.

③ Digital & Social Media → unaccounted Advertising  
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 Using influencers for campaigning → Crypto & NFT Based Financing

④ Full Report : Candidates use shell companies to divert expenses.

⑤ Election Commission (2005 Report) : More than 80% registered but unrecognised parties  $\Rightarrow$  used for money laundering.

⑥ AI challenges  $\rightarrow$  Deepfake Propaganda  
 $\rightarrow$  Misinformation  
 $\rightarrow$  Anonymous influencing

Way forward : ① Dinesh Goswami

Committee : update Sec. 123 & 125  
 $\rightarrow$  Empowering EC to deregister defunct parties.

② Indrajit Gupta Committee : State Funding of Elections to minimize corrupt practices.

③ Widen net to include AI & digital corrupt practices.  
Free & Fair Elections are cornerstone of Indian Democracy.

3. भारत और फ्रांस की संवैधानिक संरचना में परिलक्षित समानता से संबंधित विशिष्ट दृष्टिकोणों का विश्लेषण कीजिए।  
 (उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक  
 Analyse the distinguishing perspectives on equality as reflected in the constitutional frameworks of India and France.  
 (Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans) Both India & France are Democratic Republics with different notion of equality as embedded in Constitution.

### Distinguishing Perspectives on Equality

#### India

① Separate right under Fundamental Rights.

② Two different components

(a) Equality Before Law

(b) Equal Protection of Laws  
 (Art. 14)

③ Allows for exceptions

#### France

① Included in Constitution's Preamble  
 but not separate right.

② Idea of equality is based on state's apathy to titles, class, religion etc of citizens.  
 ("laïcité" idea).

③ No exceptions provided

rights to equality.

③ ~~Art 15(1)~~ → Separate provisions for women & children.

④ Reservation provision protected under Right To Equality.

Ex Art (15(4) & 16(4))

⑤ Religious equality based on Principled Equidistance of state.

However, religious protections under Art.

(29), (30) etc

⑥ Abolition of titles:  
Art. (18)

④ No Reservations permitted. Cannot have "separate bus" or "separate opportunities".

⑤ Total religious neutrality & state cannot reform or interact with religions.

⑥ Titles can be taken but not to be discriminated

French Equality model inspired India, however, it was modified to suit Indian context.

4. संघ के सकल कर राजस्व में राज्यों की प्रभावी हिस्सेदारी में लगातार कमी और संसाधनों के क्षेत्रीय वितरण में समता पर अत्यधिक बल देने के कारण भारत में राजकांपीय संघवाद को लेकर गंभीर चिंताएँ उत्पन्न हो रही हैं। विश्लेषण कीजिए।  
(उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक

The shrinking effective share of States in the Union's gross tax revenues coupled with equity-heavy criteria in horizontal devolution raises critical concerns for fiscal federalism in India. Analyse.  
(Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans 4) Various states like Tamil Nadu, Karnataka etc. have raised issues of Vertical & Horizontal Fiscal Imbalance.

Shrinking share of states in revenue

① Effective taxes & surcharges increased.  
Ex) 2024-25% 15% of total revenue

② Tied nature of funds in Centrally sponsored Schemes (CSS)  
Ex) NITI Aayog's Need for CSS reduction.

③ 15th Finance Commission kept devolution at 41% (effectively unchanged)

④ Vertical Fiscal Imbalance % 61% as more executive responsibility of states -

Equity heavy criteria of Devolution

① North-South divide

Ex) ₹1 contributed by Tamil Nadu = 0.13 paise  
 ₹1 ————— u ————— Bihar = 1.7 Rs  
 (Note: 0.13 paise and 1.7 Rs are written vertically below the respective terms)

② Politics over central executive bias towards opposition states

③ Special Central Assistance : States like UP, Bihar, Odisha etc - have more share.

④ GST Tax : Revenue decline of production states (Ex) Maharashtra

Major Fiscal Federalism Concerns

① Divide among states

② Deteriorating state revenues

Ex) Punjab, Rajasthan etc.

③ Growing confrontational Federalism

Way Forward : ① Devolving taxation powers to state → Reduce vertical imbalance

② FC grants under Art. 280 → higher weightage to Fiscal & Governance Reform.  
 Fiscal tensions need to be resolved via full-stakeholder consultation & reform

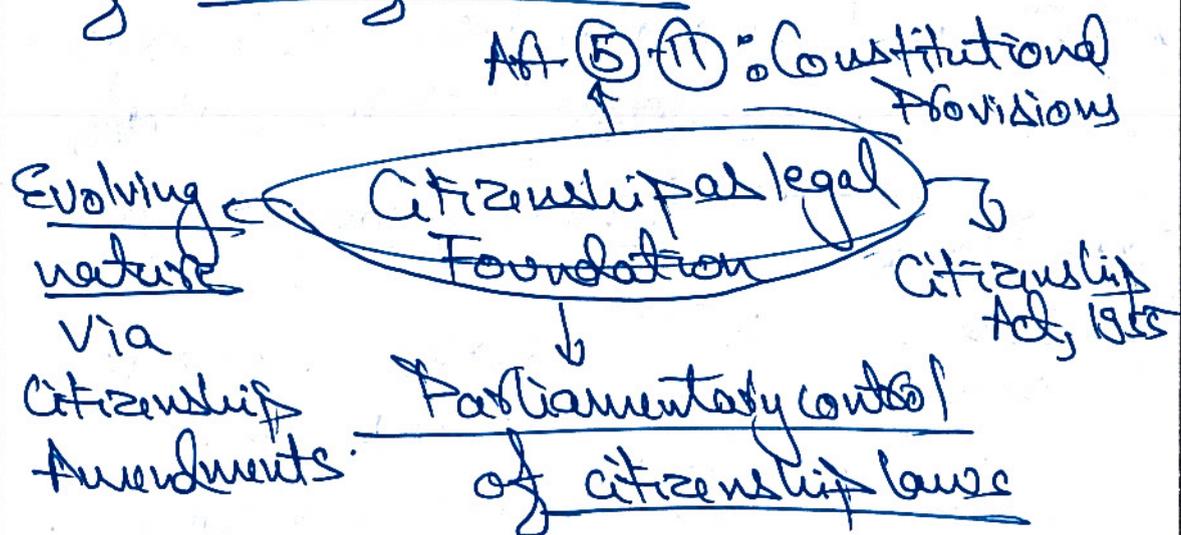
5. "नागरिकता संवैधानिक अधिकारों और दायित्वों का विधिक आधार है।" चर्चा कीजिए कि नागरिकता के प्रति भारत का दृष्टिकोण संवैधानिक मूल्यों के प्रति उसकी प्रतिबद्धता को किस प्रकार दर्शाता है।

(उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक

"Citizenship is the legal foundation of constitutional rights and responsibilities. Discuss how India's approach to citizenship reflects its commitment to constitutional values."

(Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans) [T.H Marshall] defines citizenship as being part of political community that gives inalienable rights in exchange of duties of citizens.



India's approach to citizenship: Commitment to Constitutional Values

① Single Citizenship: AA 9 prohibits dual membership.

② Fundamental Rights: AA 15, 16, 19, 20, 30 → Exclusive rights to citizens.

③ Evolving towards equity based citizenship, i.e. Political to Socio Economic

Ex) Art (21A) : Mandatory education

Ex) Art. (15(4)) : Reservation to weaker section of citizens.  
2 Art (16(4))

④ Universality Adult Franchise

(Art. 32) : political equality of citizens.

⑤ Citizenship : Comes with responsibilities.

Ex) 4<sup>th</sup> Amendment → Art. 51A  
Fundamental Duties of citizens.

⑥ Flexibility via amendment to laws.

Ex) Citizenship Amendment Act 2019  
Religious minority in neighbouring countries can have accelerated citizenship

⑦ Judicial protection for citizenship.

Ex) Foreigners tribunals.

⑧ Evolving concepts like Overseas Citizen of India → Modern Form of Citizenship

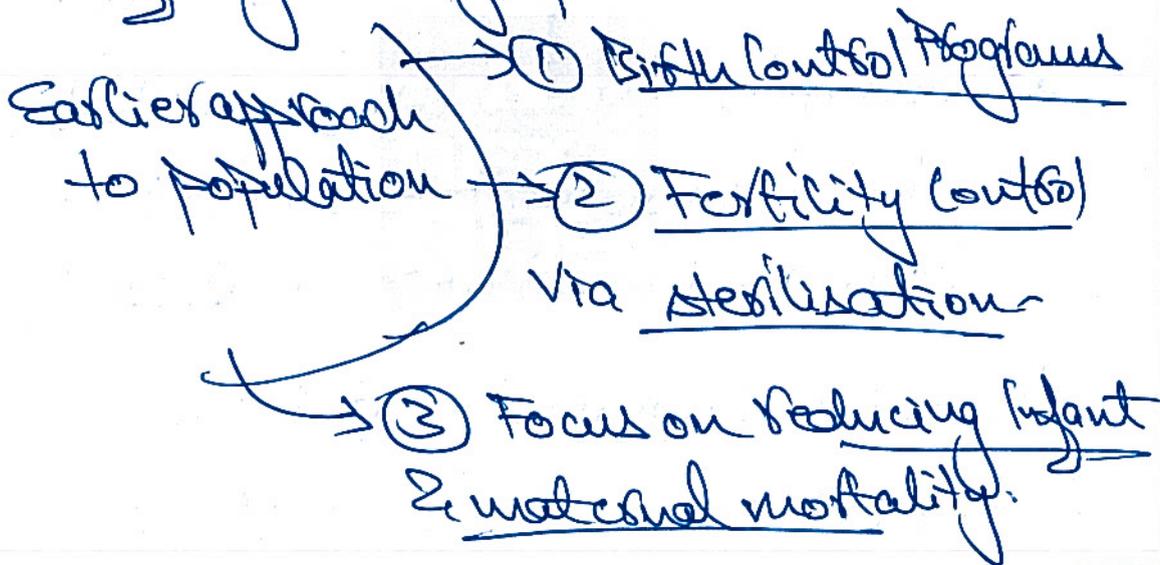
Citizens rights & responsibilities form the philosophical basis of Indian Constitution

6. घटती प्रजनन दर और बढ़ती जीवन प्रत्याशा के कारण, प्रजनन-केंद्रित हस्तक्षेपों के स्थान पर मानव पूँजी निवेश की ओर बदलाव की आवश्यकता है। हालिया जनसंख्या प्रवृत्ति के आलोक में परीक्षण कीजिए।

(उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक

Declining fertility rate, coupled with rising life expectancy require a shift from fertility focused interventions to human capital investments. Examine in the light of recent population trends. (Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans 6 | NFH-5 highlighted that Total Fertility Rate has fallen to 2.0 while life expectancy is around 78 reflecting shifting demographic trends.



Need for shift toward human capital investments

① Inter state disparities | Different approaches

Bihar Fertility > 2.1 ° Population Control  
 Kerala Fertility < 1.5 ° Human Development Measures more focused

② Rising elderly population : 10% of Indian population. Requirement of generative care investment.

Ex) Shift towards 'Active Ageing'.

③ Leveraging Demographic Dividend via

(a) Education: Ex) Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan

(b) Skilling: Ex) PM-Kaushal Vikas Yojana

(c) Employment: Ex) PM Internship scheme

④ Rising Sex Ratio (1020/1000 males) : Gender focussed interventions.

Ex) Beti Bachao Beti Padhao, POSH Act strengthening etc.

⑤ Making population technology driven.

Ex) Digi education under PM GDSHA

⑥ Focus on self capability & productive employment: Ex) Investment in future skills like AI, IoT etc.

Investment in Human Capital is guaranteed path towards VIKSIT & SASHAKT Bharat by 2047.

7. "शासन की गुणवत्ता लोकतांत्रिक प्रक्रियाओं में नागरिक सहभागिता की सीमा और प्रकृति से महत्वपूर्ण रूप से जुड़ी हुई है।" भारतीय संदर्भ में सोदाहरण विवेचना कीजिए। (उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक

"The quality of governance is critically linked to the extent and nature of citizen participation in democratic processes." Discuss using examples in the Indian context.

(Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans) Citizen Centricity & Participative Governance  
is basis of Good Governance as per  
UNDP principles.

Quality of Governance ∝ Extent of Citizen  
Participation

① Stakeholder Consultation in Policies-

Ex) Inclusive agr policies via including  
small & marginal farmers-

② Democratic Accountability of government.

Ex) Filing RTI for tracking flow of funds.

③ Decentralised & Bottom up development

Ex) Participating in Panchayat's allocation  
of Funds

④ Ensures regional equity of resources.

Ex) Meghalaya People Forum's Demand  
for jobs & industries -

⑤ Gender Inclusivity in governance.

Ex) Nari Vandan Bill 33% representation  
will ~~be~~ push gender just policies.

Quality of Governance 0 Nature of Citizen Participation

① Aware & questioning citizenry.

Ex) SSAAT in Andhra 0 Questioning allocation of MGNREGSA Funds.

② Using visible & wide means of accountability. Ex) Social media campaigns for gender-just laws (#MeToo)

③ Developing & demanding efficiency.

Ex) PFMS 0 CAG Audit via citizen input for outcome oriented funds.

④ Using technology for grievance redressal.

Ex) CPGRAMS 0 Complaint against employees.

Citizen Centric Governance | Govt Governance

Centric Citizens go hand in hand.

8. "शैक्षणिक परिणामों और बाजार की आवश्यकताओं के मध्य कम अनुकूलन सामाजिक और आर्थिक असमानताओं में वृद्धि कर सकता है।" भारत के कौशल पारितंत्र के संदर्भ में इस कथन का परीक्षण कीजिए।

(उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक

"Low alignment between educational outcomes and market needs can widen social and economic inequalities." Examine this statement in the context of India's skills ecosystem.

(Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans of AICTE report highlights that less than 47% of technically trained people are employable in India.

Low alignment between Educational Outcomes & Market Needs

① Poor quality of public education infrastructure.

Ex → AER Survey → 85% Class 5 students can't solve class 2 problems.

② Outdated & irrelevant curriculum.

Ex → UGC Survey → State universities don't update their curriculum.

③ Poor R&D infrastructure at institutes.

Ex → PhD Industry → Not relevant research but redundant topics.

④ Poor academic-industry linkage.

⑤ Curriculum Deficiencies (Poor skills)

How it widens social inequalities?

① Commercialization of Education

Ex) Rich students take private coaching for behavioral skills.

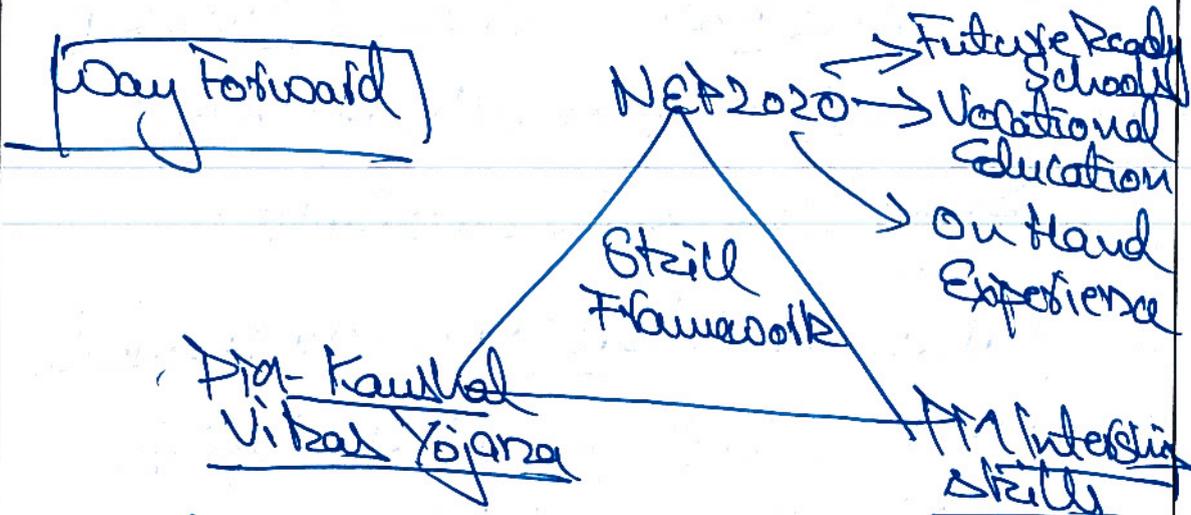
② Digital Inequity & Inaccessibility

Ex) Urban student can access job skill development vs Rural ~~poor~~ student without digital access.

③ Higher rates of dropouts

Ex) SC/ST Dropout rate  $>$  UR Dropouts

④ Unemployability impacts further enrollment



OECD emphasizes that skilled workforce can accelerate achievement of \$ totu economy by 2032.

9. "अंतर्राष्ट्रीय स्वास्थ्य संरचना के प्रति प्रमुख शक्तियों की शिथिल होती प्रतिबद्धता समतामूलक वैश्विक सहयोग के लिए गंभीर चुनौतियाँ प्रस्तुत करती है।" विश्व स्वास्थ्य संगठन से अमेरिका के हटने और भारत पर इसके प्रभावों के आलोक में विवेचना कीजिए। (उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए) 10 अंक
- "The weakening commitment of major powers to international health frameworks poses serious challenges to equitable global cooperation." Discuss in light of the U.S. withdrawal from the WHO and its implications for India. (Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans 9) U.S.A. withdrawal from WHO as well as Global Vaccine Alliance shows weakening participation of west in international health framework.

### Challenges to Equitable Global Cooperation

① Funding Issue & decreased resources.

Ex) USA committed 210bn\$ to WHO in upcoming years -

② Decreased expert access & knowledge

networks - Ex) USA health agency was biggest research contributor.

③ Weakening global regulatory framework

Ex) WHO won't be able to monitor epidemic outbreaks

④ Decreased multilateral health projects.

Ex) Dengue Elimination Program in Africa will be affected.

⑤ Issues of vaccine, devices etc. access -  
Ex) Closed access to cutting edge diagnostic tests

Implications for India: ① Affect WHO initiated projects -

Ex) Eliminating Tuberculosis by 2025.

② Reduced collaboration of ICMR with USA agencies - Ex) Shared research projects on Sickle Cell Anaemia.

③ Affect projects of vulnerable population health.

④ Issues in monitoring of foreign travellers & immigrants (WHO lays standards) -

Way Forward: ① Increase national expenditure on health

② Look for alternate partners like Japan.

③ Increase own medical resource base

Western withdrawal is setback but it must not ~~setback~~ <sup>impact</sup> India's national commitment.

10. पश्चिम एशिया में चल रहे संघर्ष ने क्षेत्रीय कूटनीतिक संवेदनशीलताओं को उजागर कर दिया है। इस परिप्रेक्ष्य में, भारत की सामरिक स्वायत्तता और क्षेत्रीय सहभागिता पर पश्चिम एशियाई संघर्ष के प्रभावों की चर्चा कीजिए।

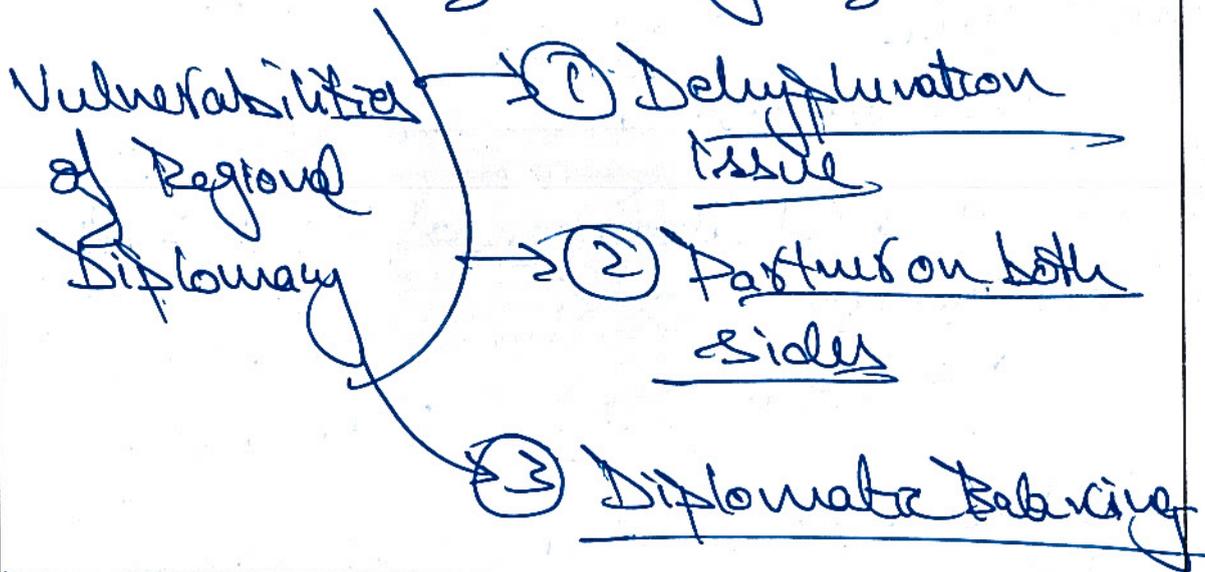
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The ongoing conflict in West Asia has exposed the vulnerabilities of regional diplomacy. In this light, discuss the implications of the West Asian conflict for India's strategic autonomy and regional engagement. (Answer in 150 words) 10 marks

Ans

Iran - Israel Conflict & the Israel -

Palestine Conflict has made West Asia centre of military confrontations.



Implications for India Strategic Autonomy

- ① Difficult to maintain neutrality  
 Ex) India's abstention from Israel motion in UN.
- ② Difficulty in acting as mediator,  
 Ex) Historical ties with Iran.

③ Geopolitical Hotted : USA's involvement  
in West Asian Conflict -

Implications for Regional Engagement

① Economic Interests -

Ex) Iran → Oil ; Israel → weapons

② Absence of Diaspora in West Asia

Ex) Evacuation from Iran in 2025

③ Infrastructure & multilateral  
Interests -

Ex) Chabahar v/s IMEC

④ Multilateral forums -

Ex) BRICS (Iran) v/s I202

Way Forward : ① Advocacy for peace &  
stability

② Diplomatic outreach to both  
~~core~~ partners (like Iran-Israel)

③ Securing national interests of  
diaspora, projects etc.

④ Offer effective mediation

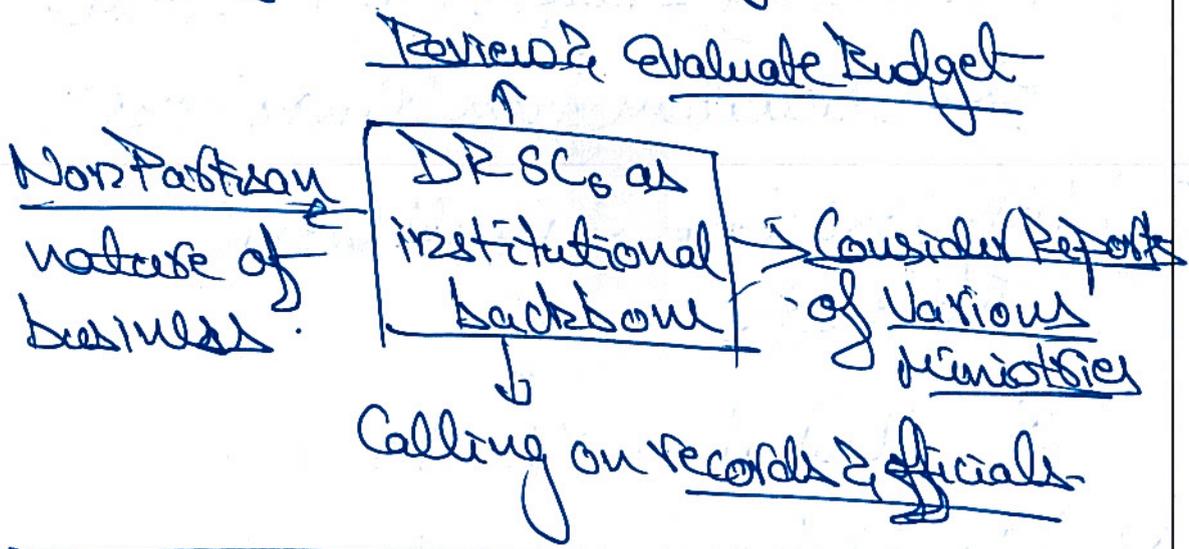
11. विभाग-संबंधी स्थायी समितियाँ विधायी समीक्षा के लिए संस्थागत आधार के रूप में कार्य करती हैं, फिर भी उनकी क्षमता का पूरा उपयोग नहीं किया जाता है।" भारत में कार्यपालिका की जवाबदेही सुनिश्चित करने में संसदीय समितियों के समक्ष आने वाली चुनौतियों का समालोचनात्मक विश्लेषण कीजिए। (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

"Department-related Standing Committees serve as the institutional backbone of legislative scrutiny, yet their potential remains underutilised." Critically analyse the challenges faced by Parliamentary Committees in ensuring executive accountability in India.

(Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans 11)

Woodrow Wilson argued, "Real work of scrutiny of executive is carried out through Parliamentary Committees".



Challenges faced by Parliamentary Committee in ensuring executive accountability

① Declining trend of referring Bills.  
 Ex) 15th Lok Sabha → 71% → 17th Lok Sabha → 11%

② Increasing partisan conduct of members.  
 Ex) Logjam in Health DRSC recently

③ Low expertise & availability of resources.

Ex) PDT Acharya 16th Lok Sabha  
DRSC hardly called any experts.

④ Declining sittings as well acceleration of sittings.

⑤ Executive Apathy & delayed filing of Action Taken Report (ATR)

Ex) Tourism Ministry gave no reply to DRSC's questions.

⑥ Recommendatory nature & no mechanism to ensure ~~the~~ accountability.

⑦ Supermajorities in Parliament & Distorted Composition of DRSCs.

⑧ Political parties do not follow norms in appointment.

Ex) Health DRSC had no one from medical background.

⑨ Transparency issues with DRSC.

Ex) Minutes of DRSC are not made public.

- 10) Poor departmental response to DRSC's requests - Ex) late submission of records.

Reforms required to ensure executive accountability

- 1) PDT Acharya : law can be brought in for timely filing of ATR within 3 months.
- 2) Providing expert pool for assistance in Business.
- 3) UK Model : Mandatory referral of Bill
- 4) Fixing minimum sittings for DRSC meetings.
- 5) Documentation & public disclosure of DRSC Meetings.
- 6) Power to impose penalty - Executive Accountability to Parliament is subpart of Indian Democratic model.

12.

"राष्ट्रपति शासन, शासन की विफलता से निपटने के लिए एक संवैधानिक तंत्र है, यह राजनीतिक सुविधा का तंत्र नहीं है।" किसी राज्य में किन परिस्थितियों में राष्ट्रपति शासन लागू किया जा सकता है? इससे संबंधित संवैधानिक सुरक्षा उपायों और न्यायिक निर्णयों पर चर्चा कीजिए। (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

"President's Rule is a constitutional mechanism to deal with governance failure, not political convenience." Under what circumstances can President's Rule be imposed in a State? Discuss the constitutional safeguards and judicial verdicts associated with it.

(Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans (2) Article 356 provides for President

Rule to be used in crisis & emergency situations in state.

Conditions to impose President Rule

(A) Constitutional : (1) Art. 356 : Failure of constitutional machinery.

Ex) Manipur in 2024

(2) Art. 365 : Non-compliance with centre.

(B) Judicial : (1) Only if manifest & grave conditions of constitutional violation exist → Ex) 'Wide law & order problem'

(C) Operational : (1) Hung Assembly & all options exhausted.

(2) Ruling Coalition collapse & no alternate government possible.

Constitutional & Judicial Safeguards associated with President's Rule

① Art-356 under "Emergency Provisions".

↳ Constituent Assembly Debates → To be used sparingly & sparingly.

② Art-365 to ensure federal balance & prevent unconstitutional state action.

③ S.R. Bommai Case : (a) President's Rule is subject to Judicial Review.

(b) Governor can judge majority only via floor test & no other means.

(c) President Rule can be imposed if all other options are exhausted.

④ Kilchoo Tololan Case : Supreme Court can restore assembly & government if imposition is declared invalid.

⑤ Courts declared that governments can be dismissed only if both Lok Sabha & Rajya Sabha pass the motion. (No unilateral imposition)

⑥ Revocation of President Rule : Via simple executive order by President calling for its revocation.

⑦ Courts declared in various cases that aggrieved government can ask Supreme Court to examine validity of imposition.

"President's Rule should be used sparingly, as it threatens federal balance which is part of Basic Structure of Indian Constitution" (SC in SR Bommai Case)

13. हाल ही में जारी किए गए अंतरण सूचकांक में पंचायती राज संस्थाओं को सशक्त बनाने में राज्यों के प्रदर्शन में व्यापक भिन्नता को उजागर किया गया है। इस भिन्नता के लिए उत्तरदायी कारणों की व्याख्या करते हुए, पंचायती राज संस्थाओं को उनके संवैधानिक अधिदेश को पूरा करने में सक्षम बनाने में क्षमता निर्माण पहल की भूमिका पर चर्चा कीजिए।

(उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

The recently released Devolution Index reveals wide variation in the performance of States in empowering Panchayati Raj Institutions. While explaining the reasons behind this variation, discuss the role of capacity-building initiatives in enabling PRIs to fulfil their constitutional mandate.

(Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans 13) 73rd & 74th Amendment ensured political

decentralisation however Devolution Index highlight fiscal imbalance.

Reasons for inter-state disparity

① Legislative framework : Only 10 states have passed all 18 subjects to Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs).

② High Vertical Fiscal Imbalance.

③ Tied Nature of grants received by PRIs.

⇒ 15th FC Report : Need for untied nature of grants.

④ Differing democratic accountability & citizen participation.

Ex) Abolished Pradesh, Mizoram's Poor  
Public participation.

⑤ Competing bodies & agencies in various  
states Ex) Multiple agencies in  
Public sanitation.

Role of Capacity Building in enabling PRIs

① Legislative Strengthening & Mandatory  
Legal evolution of functions.

② Separate Panchayat Code ensuring  
functional independence.

③ Manishantarkar Ayer Committee &

(a) 3 month training of PRI Employee

(b) Digital & technical skill building.

(c) Panchayat ombudsman & For faster  
grievance redressal.

④ Training Female Elected women  
Representative & 46% strength but

Good administrative skills → Training  
will realize potential.

⑤ Skill Development for:  
Deficiency identification. Ex) Too parameters of health, education.

⑥ Data Collection & identifying beneficiaries -

⑦ Data driven policy making at PRA level.

⑧ Available funding mechanisms for local rollout of schemes -

⑨ Mandating Citizen Charters of PRA.  
Ex) Expected delivery times -

⑩ Social Audits, Public Expenditure Management Survey etc. Training people to demand accountability.

Capacity enhancement of PRA is  
Sine qua non to realise Vision of Art 200.  
Enable them at institutions of local self governance.

14. उभरते संवैधानिक और राजनीतिक परिदृश्य में, सांविधिक आयोगों की प्रभावशीलता उनकी संरचनात्मक स्वायत्तता और स्वतंत्रता पर निर्भर करती है।" राष्ट्रीय महिला आयोग (NCW) और राष्ट्रीय मानवाधिकार आयोग (NHRC) जैसे सांविधिक आयोगों के लिए संवैधानिक दर्जे की बढ़ती मांग के संदर्भ में विवेचना कीजिए। (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक
- "In the evolving constitutional and political landscape, the effectiveness of statutory commissions depends on their structural autonomy and independence." Discuss in the context of the growing demand for constitutional status for statutory commissions like the National Commission for Women (NCW) and the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC). (Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans 14) GANHRI has recently deferred accreditation of NHRC owing to lack of statutory autonomy & political interference.

Need of constitutional status for NCW

① Allocation of funds as charged on Consolidated Funds -

↳ Autonomous <sup>Support</sup> ~~to~~ rape victims

② President will mandatorily lay report in Parliament.

↳ Executive can be directly questioned.

③ Rational & Transparent Appointment via independent selection committee.

④ Can function as Civil Court %

- (a) Call into record for documents.
- (b) Issue warrants for appearance.
- (c) Furnish for contempt of orders.
- (5) will make policies & budgeting gender inclusive.
- (6) Can demand accountability of executive of legal shoddings.
- Ex) Non constitution of ICC under Posh.
- (7) Policy recommendations will have Constitutional backing.
- Ex) Policy on Menstrual leave by NCA

### Constitutional status for NHRC

- (1) Institutional & Functional Autonomy will reduce allegations of favouring executives.
- Ex) NHRC does not enquire into Railways' manual scavenger death.
- (2) Constitutional independence of polices

to form regulations for laws.

→ ~~Regulations~~ Regulations for UDHR provisions.

③ Can demand Action Taken Reports  
from executives.

④ Constitutional backing to suo-  
moto investigations.

→ Cases of bonded labor investigation.

⑤ Independent grant of rehabilitation  
& compensation.

⑥ will gain credibility as executive  
will have no say in functioning.

→ Restoration of GANHR ratings.

⑦ Civil Court powers will ensure  
enforceability of PHR Act, 1993.

Constitutional status succeeded in  
improving functioning of NCSC/NCST etc;  
their success calls for similar extension  
to NCWA/NCRC.

15. "संवैधानिक मूल्यों को बनाए रखने के लिए एक स्वतंत्र न्यायपालिका आवश्यक है, किंतु जनता के विश्वास को बनाए रखने के लिए इसे जवाबदेह भी होना चाहिए।" हाल ही के मुद्दों के संदर्भ में चर्चा कीजिए।

(उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

"An independent judiciary is essential for upholding constitutional values, but it must also remain accountable to preserve public trust." Discuss in the context of recent issues.

(Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans. (B) Recent debates on judicial appointment & Cases of alleged judicial corruption has required Accountability vs Independence Debate.

Judicial Independence to uphold Constitutional Values

① Art. (32) & Art. (226) % Judiciary as protector of Fundamental Rights.

② Art. (124) % Judicial Independence in appointment & working of Supreme Court.

③ Fourth Judges Case % Judicial independence is part of Basic Structure doctrine.

Ex) Independent Collegium system.

④ 2 Chandrababu Naidu Case % Judicial

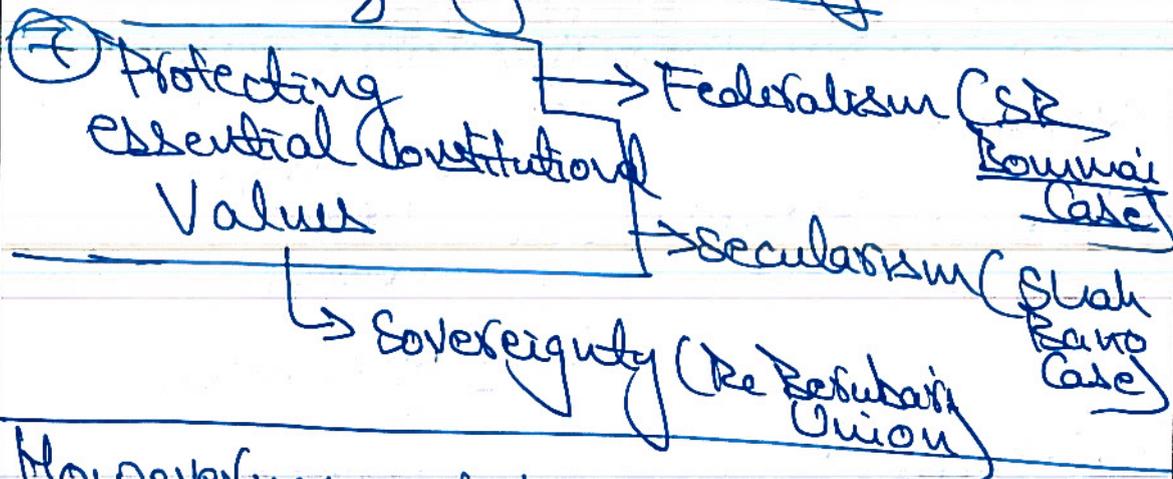
Review to ensure Constitutional Supremacy  
 Demands independent judiciary -

⑤ Writs & Orders : Demand executive  
 & legislative accountability.

Ex) Chandhan Case; MC Mehta Case  
Judicial Action to protect citizen rights

⑥ Separation of Powers : No discussion

on Conduct of Judges in Parliament; Contempt  
Powers of Higher Judiciary etc.



However necessary to keep accountable  
for public trust

① Lengthy & Complex Removal Procedure  
 Cannot be removed despite impropriety.

② Nepotism & Bias in Appointment

Ex) No female CJT till date.

③ Cases of judicial encroachment in legislative & executive domain. Ex) Adhar Case, 2019.

④ Can give rise to judicial supremacy.

Ex) Anoop Baranwal Case → SC formed selection committee despite no constitutional mandate.

⑤ Erodes public trust without accountability. Ex) Ex-CJT judging "own case"

⑥ Strict separation of executive in appointment.

⑦ Persistent issues → Corruption Alleged  
 → Pendency  
 → Delayed Justice

Way Forward

① Reform NJAC to balance independence & accountability

Ex) CJT to have casting vote & HC

② Bring SC under RTI ambit

Institutional Trust are necessary to ensure public confidence in judiciary

16. विश्वसनीयता, पारदर्शिता और निष्पक्ष प्रतिस्पर्धा सुनिश्चित करने के लिए क्षेत्रीय विनियामकों को संस्थागत स्वायत्तता अत्यंत महत्वपूर्ण है। हाल ही की घटनाओं के आलोक में, भारत में विनियामक निकायों की स्वतंत्रता और स्वायत्तता से संबंधित मुद्दों का परीक्षण कीजिए। (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

Institutional autonomy of sectoral regulators is critical for ensuring credibility, transparency, and fair competition. In light of recent incidents, examine the issues pertaining to the independence and autonomy of regulatory bodies in India.

(Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans Recent case of SEBI Chief being alleged of Conflict of interest has raised issue of regulators autonomy.

Requirement of Autonomy for Regulators -

- ① Fair & Neutral Application of law
- ② Build public & Companies trust

- ③ Prevent excessive litigation

- ④ Ensures level playing field.

Issues pertaining to regulatory bodies  
Independence & autonomy

① Legislative Ambiguity : Multiple Bodies in same arena.

Ex) Competition Commission & TDSAT for telecom regulation.

- ② Conflict of interest of regulatory authority  
 Ex) SEBI personnel having private company shares
- ③ Tribunal oversight over regulable  
 Ex) NCLAT & SEBI jurisdiction.
- ④ Issue of functional dependence on executives  
 Ex) RBI officials are government employees.
- ⑤ Perceived partiality towards Public Companies  
 Ex) CCI does not act against LIC's market monopoly.
- ⑥ Legal provisions ambiguity is exploited  
 Ex) IRDAI in 2024 imposed penalties on general insurers for violation of 'Vague guidelines'.
- ⑦ Increased litigation over regulatory decisions
- ⑧ Lack of private player representation for regulator boards

⑨ Reactionary & Not Proactive Regulation

Ex) Jane Street Scandal.

⑩ Technical Incompetence of Regulators

Ex) RBI's inaction of growing illegal  
cryptobids.

Measures required :- ① Legal Measures :-

(a) Separate jurisdiction.

(b) Clarity in provisions.

(c) Graded & defined penalties.

② Inducting private players in  
regulatory board.

③ Technological Capacity Building of  
employees.

④ Mandatory disclosure of conflict of  
interest.

Regulator's credibility & trust in  
institutional autonomy will ensure  
actual & fair application of law

17. आपके विचार में, प्रशासनिक चुनौतियों के बावजूद, सामाजिक न्याय और समतामूलक विकास के लक्ष्यों को प्राप्त करने की दिशा में जातिगत जनगणना किस सीमा तक एक आवश्यक कदम है? (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

How far do you think a caste census is a necessary step toward realising the goals of social justice and equitable development, despite the administrative challenges it poses?

(Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans) Announcement of Caste Census with Census 2026 ~~has~~ is done to collect data about regional distribution & socio-economic indicators of caste.

Caste Census as necessary step

- ① Data driven policy making & execution. Ex) More funds under OBC schemes to OBC dominated states.
- ② Measure levels of socio-economic backwardness → Required revision of financial support.
- ③ Discover/intensity of backwardness of castes.
- ④ Use data to refine reservation policies.  
Ex) Cont allowed subclassification within OBCs.

⑤ Caste data to be used for policy outreach to marginalized sections -

Ex) Awareness about section specific schemes -

⑥ Regional concentration data's Use for Finance Commission Equity Based Transfers -

⑦ Basis of further research into caste -

Ex) Subjective surveys in caste experiences -

However, it faces administrative challenges

① Unlimited ~~prof~~ proliferation of castes -

Ex) Spelling variations of caste -

② Difficult to categorize & process data -

③ Caste identities are highly localized  
↳ Issues about policy relevance -

Ex) Guptas of Bihar 's OBC  
Guptas of UP 's General Section

- ④ Issue of misreporting of data -  
Ex) People claiming lower caste subtype of reservation benefits.
- ⑤ Challenges of data security & privacy → Ex) Caste data leaks
- ⑥ Politicisation of caste data.  
Ex) Demand for Dominant Caste Reservation.
- ⑦ Added training <sup>of surveyors</sup> collection & storage of caste data → Higher Costs.

Way Forward

- ① Pilot survey of Caste identities → Develop Broad Verticals.
- ② Training Surveyor for accurate collection of data.
- ③ Data security to prevent politicisation
- ④ Data usage to refine policies  
Caste Census require administrative prudence but can help refine our social justice policies

18. "आधुनिक शासन की जटिलता अनुकूलनीय और गतिशील प्रशासनिक सुधारों की माँग करती है।" भारतीय शासन में दक्षता, पारदर्शिता और जवाबदेही में सुधार लाने में प्रशासनिक सुधारों की भूमिका का मूल्यांकन कीजिए।

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"The complexity of modern governance demands adaptive and dynamic administrative reforms." Evaluate the role of administrative reforms in improving efficiency, transparency, and responsiveness in Indian governance. (Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans (18) Emerging digital, social & environmental threats is leading to increased demands of flexible governance.

### Complexity of Modern Governance

① Scale & Scope of operations.

Ex) India's population ~1400 but limited government officials.

② Rapid digital challenges.

Ex) Issue of cyberattacks on public offices.

③ New demands of public in changing world. Ex) Growing demand of Geriatric Care.

④ Evolving threats in governance.

Ex) Digital methods of Collusive corruption.

⑤ Emerging new solution demands.

⇒ Demand for newer HR models.

Role of Administrative Reforms

① Personnel Reforms : Mission  
Karyayagi

← Competency Based  
Civil Service  
(Efficiency)

↓ Solution  
orientation  
(Responsiveness)

→ Facilitator  
between  
state &  
market  
(Transparency)

② Shift from weberian to adaptive

Bureaucracy : (a) Efficient : Better use  
of funds

(b) Responsive : Flexible solutions  
like HAM-Model

(c) Transparent : PFMS (Public  
Finance Management System) : Dynamic  
update of funds flow

③ Shift towards e-governance :

(a) Efficiency via faster work process

Ex) e-office, SPARROW etc.

(b) Responsive to demands of public.

Ex) ABHA IS (Healthcare); A Me Vidya (Education)

(c) Transparency : Faster grievance redressal  
Ex) CPGRAMS.

(4) Emphasis on reducing regulatory chokepoints. Ex) Unlocking private potential via Vivad to Vishwas -

(5) Regulatory to Developmental State :

(a) Efficient : Use of public resources for common development - Ex) Infrastructure Pipeline.

(b) Transparent : Proactive Public Inclusion -  
Ex) Sec (4) of RTI Act -

(c) Responsive : Ex) Vivad to Vishwas 2.0

Adaptive & Flexible Bureaucracy is best suited to meet demand of changing socioeconomic environment -

19. विगत 75 वर्षों में भारत-चीन संबंधों की प्रगति व्यावहारिक सहयोग और अनसुलझे रणनीतिक तनावों के बीच संतुलन को दर्शाती है। इस उभरती नीति की रूपरेखा पर चर्चा कीजिए और चीन के साथ विषमताओं को संतुलित करने के लिए भारत द्वारा उठाए जाने वाले कदमों को रेखांकित कीजिए। (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक
- The trajectory of India-China relations in the last 75 years reflects a balance between pragmatic cooperation and unresolved strategic tensions. Discuss the contours of this evolving policy and highlight the measures India should take to counterbalance asymmetries with China. (Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans) EAM S. Jaishankar asserts that, "India China relations are based on cooperative currents while divorcing strategic tensions".

### Contours of Evolving India China Policy

① Military Tensions along Galwan & Tawang → COMC mechanism for de-escalation

② Economic Cooperation | % Trade with

\$118 bn but high import dependence -

↳ India reducing dependence via PLI & Make in India

↳ Restricting data transfer (5) percent cap

↳ Restricting FDI investment by China.

### ③ Evolving regional autonomy challenges

→ China's debt diplomacy with Sri Lanka

→ CPEC corridors infringing India's  
Sovereignty.

→ Bangladesh, Maldives etc. : No India  
to No China shift due to regime change.

### ④ Issues in Indian Ocean Region

→ Chinese Aggression &  
Navy's misuse

→ Competing forums of littoral  
state

→ Surveillance challenges.

Ex) Chinese research vessel at  
Colombo Port in 2024.

### ⑤ Multilateral Evolution

→ China blocking India's  
UNSC bid

→ China's dominance in  
AIIB & ADB

→ China's attempt to make SCO  
as Anti-west Forum

⑥ Bilateral Challenges like Stalled ~~Policy~~ Passport to Armed people

Measures for India to balance asymmetry

① Borders → Continual WMCC talks  
 → De-escalation along border  
 → Using International forums to raise China's aggression

② Economic → Make in India to Reduce dependence  
 → Restrained on China's investment

③ Neighbourhood & Infrastructure → Patent outlook & humanitarian assistance  
 → IPEC to counter BR1  
 → "Diamond Necklace" strategy against string of pearls

④ Geopolitical Balancing → SCO & QAD  
 → BRICS +1202

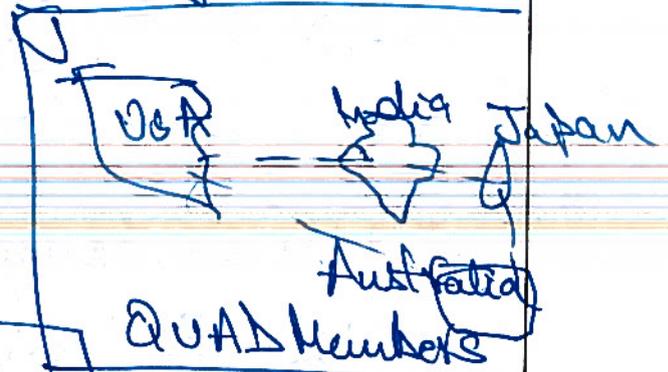
Through pragmatic cooperation & stronger response India can balance China's aggression

20. चतुर्पक्षीय सुरक्षा संवाद (QUAD) का एक समुद्री सुरक्षा समूह से बहुआयामी साझेदारी के रूप में विकास, हिंद-प्रशांत क्षेत्र में बदलती रणनीतिक वास्तविकताओं को दर्शाता है। इस संदर्भ में, भारत की क्षेत्रीय आकांक्षाओं और रणनीतिक स्वायत्तता के लिए QUAD द्वारा प्रस्तुत अवसरों और चुनौतियों का परीक्षण कीजिए। (उत्तर 250 शब्दों में दीजिए) 15 अंक

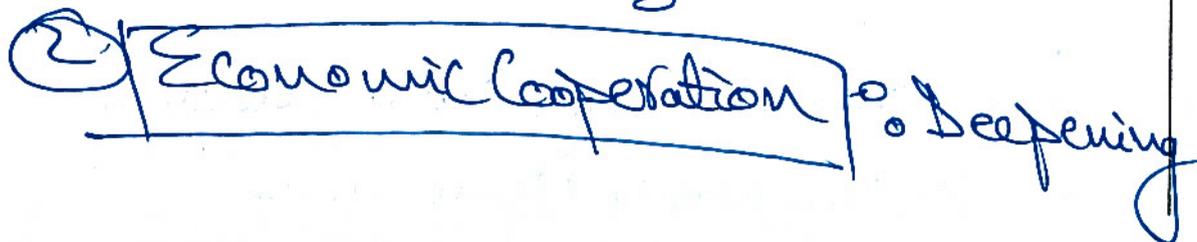
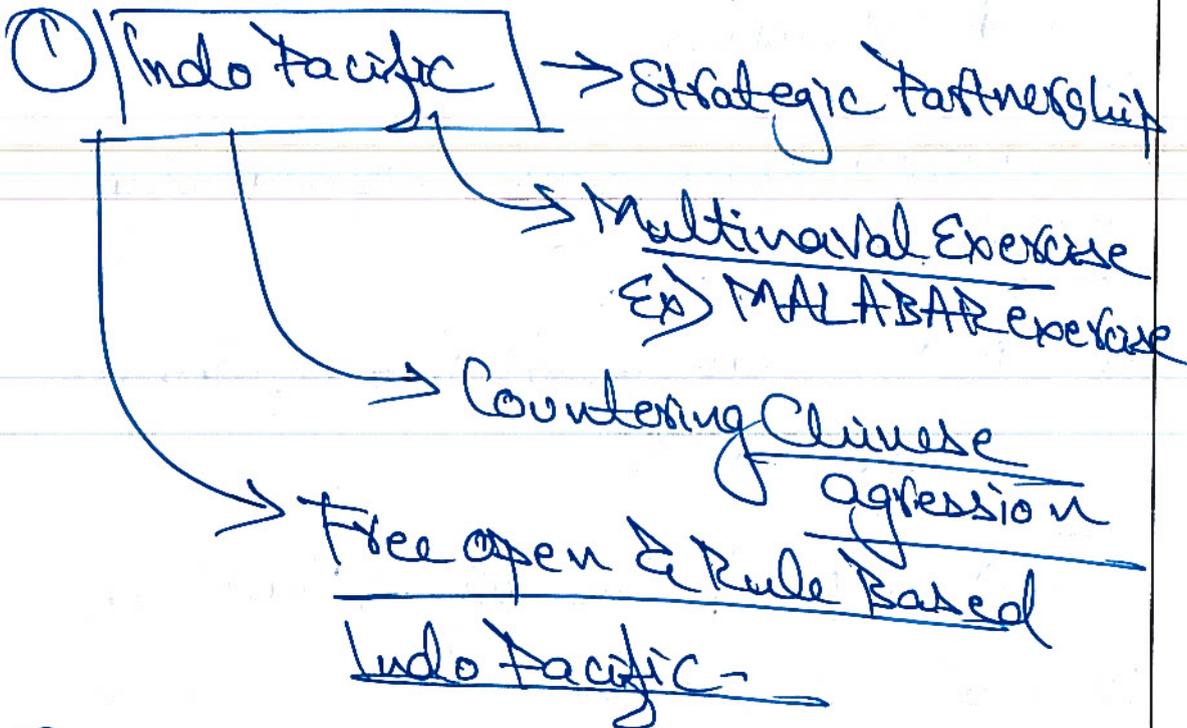
The evolution of the Quadrilateral Security Dialogue (QUAD) from a maritime security grouping to a multidimensional partnership reflects changing strategic realities in the Indo-Pacific. In this context, examine the opportunities and challenges that QUAD presents for India's regional aspirations and strategic autonomy. (Answer in 250 words) 15 marks

Ans 20) QUAD was proposed by Shinzo Abe for maritime security but it

has broader agenda now:



India's opportunities with QUAD Partnership



Trade links with US, Japan & Australia.

⇒ ECTA Concluded with Australia.

③ Multi Vector Partnership of QVAD

Balance to  
China's BRI

Cooperation  
in Maritime  
security

- Like minded  
democratic  
partnerships

④ Evolution towards securing critical  
minerals. ⇒ India's membership of  
Mineral Security Partnership was facilitated  
by QVAD Members.

⑤ Sharing technologies & enhancing  
capabilities

Ex ⇒ Naval agreements between India-  
Japan - USA

⑥ Geopolitical Partnership: Necessary  
in multipolar order.

Ex ⇒ QVAD criticised China's activity  
in South China Sea & Aksai Chin.

However there are challenges too

① Declining Non-Alignment & growing  
Western tilt → More Chinese  
Aggression

→ Canalineate Russia  
(largest arms supplier)

→ Potential coercion to take  
Western stance in global issue.

② Difference in Views: USA calls it  
military partnerships, while India differs.

③ Emerging Competitive alliances.  
Ex) QUAD vs AUKUS, SAUAS etc.

④ Difficult to maintain diplomatic  
balance with growing US-China divide.

⑤ Limited potential utilisation due to  
restrained military engagement.

Way Forward

① Balance QUAD with  
SCO & BRICS -

② Emphasis on Free Open & Rule Based  
Indo Pacific

③ Improve logistical synergy.

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<b>महत्वपूर्ण निर्देश</b>	
अभ्यर्थियों को निम्नलिखित निर्देशों को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ना चाहिए। किसी भी निर्देश का उल्लंघन करने पर दण्डित किया जा सकता है।	
<b>क्या न करें-</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. इस प्रश्न-सह-उत्तर पुस्तिका के भीतर कहीं भी अपना नाम या पंजीकरण संख्या न लिखें।</li> <li>2. अपनी QCA पुस्तिका में कहीं भी प्रश्नों के वास्तविक उत्तरों के अलावा कुछ भी न लिखें।</li> <li>3. अपनी QCA पुस्तिका से कोई भी पृष्ठ न फाड़ें, यदि आपको कोई पृष्ठ गायब लगे, तो पर्यवेक्षक/निरीक्षक को सूचित करना न भूलें।</li> <li>4. अपनी QCA पुस्तिका को अपनी टेबल पर न छोड़ें, परीक्षा समाप्त होने के पश्चात इसे निरीक्षक को सौंप देना चाहिए।</li> </ol>	<b>क्या करें-</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. कवर पृष्ठ पर दिए गए निर्देशों को ध्यान पूर्वक पढ़ें और उनका सख्ती से पालन करें।</li> <li>2. QCA पुस्तिका के कवर पृष्ठ पर दिए गए स्थान पर अपना पंजीकरण नंबर और अन्य विवरण लिखें।</li> <li>3. स्पष्ट और पठनीय तरीके से लिखें। खराब/अपठनीय लिखावट में न लिखें।</li> <li>4. रफ नोट्स या गणना के लिए, इस पुस्तिका के अंतिम दो खाली पृष्ठों का उपयोग किया जाना चाहिए। रफ नोट्स को बाद में क्रम कर देना चाहिए।</li> <li>5. यदि आप किसी कार्य को रद्द करना चाहते हैं, तो उस पर अपना पेन चलाएं या उस पर "रद्द" लिखें, अन्यथा उसका मूल्यांकन किया जा सकता है।</li> <li>6. परीक्षा हॉल छोड़ने से पहले अपनी QCA पुस्तिका व्यक्तिगत रूप से निरीक्षक को सौंप दें।</li> </ol>

<b>ऑनलाइन सुविधा का लाभ उठाने वाले अभ्यर्थियों के लिए विशेष अनुरोध</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. QCA पुस्तिका को ठीक से स्कैन करें। हम चाहेंगे कि आप स्कैनिंग के लिए कैमस्कैनर ऐप (CAM SCANNER) का प्रयोग करें। (यह कोई प्रमांशन नहीं है)।</li> <li>2. कृपया QCA पुस्तिका को पर्याप्त रोशनी में स्कैन करें। कम रोशनी में स्कैन की गई पुस्तिकाएं, उनके मूल्यांकन की गुणवत्ता को बाधित कर सकती हैं।</li> <li>3. स्कैन के दौरान छाया वाले किसी भी पृष्ठ/पीडीएफ को फिर से स्कैन किया जाना चाहिए। कृपया सुनिश्चित करें कि आपके द्वारा अपलोड की गई पीडीएफ यथा संभव स्पष्ट हो ।</li> <li>4. QCA पुस्तिका का उपयोग नहीं करने वाले उम्मीदवारों को अपना विवरण पहले पृष्ठ पर देना चाहिए और मैक्रो टिप्पणियों के लिए अगला पृष्ठ खाली छोड़ दें। यह समझना चाहिए कि उत्तर स्कैन की गई पीडीएफ में पृष्ठ नंबर 3 से शुरू होना चाहिए।</li> <li>5. QCA पुस्तिका का उपयोग नहीं करने वाले उम्मीदवारों को प्रश्नपत्र के अनुसार उत्तर के अनुक्रम का पालन करना चाहिए।</li> <li>6. कृपया स्कैन किए गए संस्करण में उत्तर के अनुक्रम और कुल पृष्ठों की संख्या को जाँच करें। सुनिश्चित करें कि यह उसी के भौतिक संस्करण के अनुरूप है।</li> </ol>

