

# GS1 Value Addition

## History & Culture

### MIH

- Ideals during FS laid the foundation for a NEW and VIBRANT India
- .. are still relevant today as we are in AMRIT KAAL and moving towards a SARVASRESTHA BHARAT by 2047
- FD - Art 51A(2) cherish ideals

### Art & Culture

- Initiatives like Bharat SHRI (Budget 23) will help rediscover past
- Ideals of the past are relevant now that we are in AMRIT KAAL
- Our cultural values and past will help us become a VISHWAGURU.
- Schemes like PRASAD, HRIDAY, Temples360 - preserve our rich heritage
- Cultural Pride is part of PANCH PRAN given by Hon'ble PM for Amrit Mahotsav
- Art 49 (DPSP) - protect culture
- FD Art 51A(6) - Heritage and culture

## Society

### Diversity, Uniqueness

- Neither Melting pot nor Salad Bowl
- "Miniature of World"; Pluralistic democr
- Languages
  - 122 Census; 22 8th; 1000 dialect
  - Art 351 = Promote Hindi
  - BG Kher, GB Pant, Mohapatra
- Art 29, 30
- **Emile Durkheim - Organic Solidarity**

- Robert Merton - Functionalism, functions
- Herbert Spencer - Social Darwinism
- **FD - Art 51A(5) - brotherhood etc**
- Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat

### Women

- Jaya Jaitley + Pam Rajput + JS Verma
- SDG 5, 10
- A14, 15, A39 (EPEW) + A42 (Maternity)
- Vishakha + Sabarimala + Sarla Mudgal
- IMF : GDP +25% if Women LFPR = men
- NFHS-5 : Improvement (1020, health)
- NFHS-5 : ½ women anaemic
- Gender Parity Index low
- LFPR 33% (Men = 55%)
- Mitani Initiative Chattisgarh
- Time Use Survey - Women unpaid work
- UN Women + UNICEF + MWCD + NCW
- Dowry Prohib Act, PCPNDT, Maternity Benefit Amend 2017, Domestic V 2005

### Tribal Population

- 8.6% of Ind popln; 700 tribes, 75 PVTGs
- Xaxa + Bhuria + Dhebar + Lokur
- 90% tribals rural; 40% BPL, 50% malnut
- Art 338 A + 46 + MoTA + 5th, 6th Sched
- Janjatiya Gaurav Divas
- Tribal Panscheel
- Tribal Empowerment - PANCH PRAN
- **FD - Art 51A(5) - brotherhood etc**

### Backward Sections / Classes

- Just Rohini + Ambasankar
- SDG 10 (Equality)
- Preamble (Equality) + A46 + A15,16 AA
- Protection of Civil Rights Act 1995
- 20% Minorities (Census 2011)
- **FD - Art 51A(5) - brotherhood etc**

## Vulnerable Sections

- NCRB 2021 crime
- Children : 400 million
- Elderly : 100 million (Census 2011)
  - Nat Policy for Senior Cit 2011
  - Japan Geriatric health model
- Specially-abled persons : 2.2% popln
  - Rights of PwD Act 2016
  - Incheon Commitment

## Regionalism, Caste System, Communalism

- G S Ghurye - Caste system - segmental and hierarchical
- Hong Kong Model - Relations Unit
- Rabat Action Plan (Hate - S Media)
- Shirur Mutt (Religious Essentiality)
- Amish Devgn, IPC 153, 295A (Hate Sp)
- Hadiya case - religious freedom
- Ranganath Mishra Commission
- Bommai + KSB (Secularism)
- 42nd CAA - Preamble
- Ministry of Minority Affairs
- Art 326 (UAF)

## Population

- 1.42 bil (World Popln Review)
- Eco Survey - DD by 2041 peak
- Lancet - 1.6 bil by 2060
- Youth in India Report 2022 (MOSPI)
- NFHS-5 : 1020 / 1000, TFR 2.0
- Bhore, Mukherjee Comm
- B'desh model Family Planning - SHGs

## Poverty, Inequalities

- SDG 1 + Art 39, 41, 42
- 22% BPL (Tendulkar) // new data?
- SDG 1,2,5,10

- Gini 0.36
- A38 (Welfare), 39(Ineq)

## Urbanization

- Urbanizn = 35% (World Bank)
- 2/3rd popln in Rural
- 2/3rd GDP is by Cities
- 20% urban popln in slums
- SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities)
- New York & Copenhagen Model of Urbanization
- Global Liveability Index

## Globalization

- LPG reforms 1991
- Art 51 (DPSP) - peace, cooperation
- Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, G20 EFF
- SDG 17 - Cooperation for goals

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# Geography

## Overall

- Article 48A - Conserve nature
- Fundamental duty - Art 51A(7)

## Himalayas

- 15% glacier melt
- IPCC report
- Kasturirangan Committee
- Chopra Committee on Dams
- NMSHE
- Isotope tech for Aquifer mapping
- Neeranchal - watershed
- Z-piling tech for Dams

## Western Ghats

- Kasturirangan + Gadgill Committee
- Biodiversity hotspot

## Water

- NITI Composite Water Mgmt Index 2.0
- Lisbon Declaration (Oceans)
- Marpol Convention (Pollution)
- Mihir Shah Committee
- UNCLOS
- SDG 6 + SDG 14
- Bunker Convention
- Neptune Convention (Seafarers)

## Desertification

- 30% land degraded
- Abijdan Declaration (UNCCD)

## Forests

- Seoul Declaration
- New York Declaration on Forests
- ISFR - 24% forest cover + tree

## Arctic

- Arctic Amplification
- Closed Loop Mechanism
- Arctic Council
- India Antarctic Act 2022

## Natural Phenomenon (Cyclones etc)

- INCOIS can help monitor
- Chopra Committee - Dams / floods

# GS2 Value Addition

## Constitution

- Doctrine of Harmonious Construction
  - NCRWC, Law Comm
  - KSB + Minerva + Bommai + NJAC
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## Fundamental Rights

- Speech and Expression
    - Freedom in the World Report
    - World Press Freedom Index
    - Sec 66 of IT Act (Shreya Singhal)
    - Reasonable Restrictions (19(2))
    - Doctrine of Proportionality
    - 200th Law Comm + Contempt
  - Liberty, Art 21
    - Maneka Gandhi (PEL -> DPL)
    - Puttaswamy (Privacy) - RTBF too
    - Olga Tellis (Shelter)
    - M C Mehta (Envmt)
    - Bandhua Mukti Morcha (Health)
  - Amendability
    - Shankari Prasad - yes
    - Golaknath - no
    - KSB - yes but Basic Struc D
  - Gandhiji - Rights due to performing duty
  - A V Dicey - Rule of Law
  - A K Gopalan - Narrow interpretn
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## DPSP

- Part IV, Welfare (38) + Governance (37)
  - Minerva Mills - DPSP & FRs bedrock
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## Duties

- AIIMS Students Union FDs = FR imp
  - Swaran Singh Committee + Verma
  - Law C - New Duties eg. accident victims
  - Gandhiji - Rights due to performing duty
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## Preamble

- Berubari - Preamble key but not part
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## Democracy / Systems

- Swedish IDEA report
  - Democracy Index (EIU)
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## Federalism

- K C Wheare - Quasi-Federal
- Doctrine of Pith and Substance
- Doctrine of Incident and Ancillary
- Doctrine of Colourable Legislatn
- Doctrine of Repugnancy
- Principle of Subsidiarity
- Democratic Decentralization
- NITI Aayog - Foster Cooperative Fed
- Punchhi Commission = Centre consult states

## Governor

- Art 164
- SR Bommai, Nabam Rebia (Governor Power from State Cabinet), B P Singhal
- Doctrine of Pleasure - TN issue

## Fiscal Federalism

- Art 268-293 in Part XII
  - CAG = 40% GST cess retained in CFI
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## Local Level (PRIs etc)

- Part IX : Art 243-243O + Sched 11, 12
  - Sumit Bose, Ashok + Balwant Rai Mehta
  - Mysuru Declaration
  - Principle of Subsidiarity
  - Democratic Decentralization
  - Bhuvan Gram Panchayat (ISRO) = GIS
  - 5% revenue self (Eco Survey 2017-18)
  - Art 243H State devolve taxn
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## Separation of Powers

- Montesquieu
  - Art 50, 121, 122, 211, 212
  - Basic Feature as per Kesavananda
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## Legislature

- Art 79-122
- 15 Point Reform Charter for Parliament
- NCRWC, Dinesh Goswami Committee
- 12% bills to committees in 17th LS

### Speaker

- Art 93-96
- V S Page case

### Rajya Sabha

- Art 80; Art 312 (AIS)

## Parliamentary Productivity

- Met for <50% time in monsoon session
- 12% bills to committees in 17th LS
- Max number of MP/MLA suspensions

### Anti-Defection

- 10th Sched (52nd CAA)
  - Venkatachaliah Comm - Decision by Hon'ble President / Governor not Speaker on EC advice
  - Dinesh Goswami, Indrasen Gupta
  - Kihoto Hollahan v/s Zachillhu
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## Executive

- Articles / Parts
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## Judiciary

- 195th, 200th Law C
- India Justice Report
  - 400 vacancies in HC
  - 5000 vacancies judicial officers
  - ~20 judges / million popln
- 3 crore + pendency of cases (NJDG)
- Legal Services Authorities Act 1987

### Tribunals

- Malimath, Swaran Singh Committee
- L Chandra Case

### AIJS

- Shetty Commission
- National Judicial Pay Commission
- Law Commission 116th Report

## ADR

- Arbitration and Conciliation Act
- Malimath : Mandatory ADR
- 129th Law C: Mediation Centre in district
- Justice BN Srikrishna committee

## Contempt of Court

- 200th Law Commission
  - Hira Lal Dixit case
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## Elections

- Part XV : Art 324 - 329A + RPA
  - 255th Law C = Elections issues
  - 170th Law C = reforms
  - Dinesh Goswami = State funding
  - Indrasen Gupta = State Funding
  - Jeevan Reddy, NCRWC
  - Sweden Model = Simult elections
  - Venezuela Model = Open elections
  - Vohra Comm
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## Institutions / Posts

### CAG

- Art 148-150

### Attorney General

- Art 76

### NHRC etc

- Yogyakarta Principles on Human Rights

### CBI, CVC, Lokpal

- Sanathanam Committee
  - Prevention of Corruption Act
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## Misc

### Police Reforms

- D K Basu + Prakash Singh Case
- Online Police Station (UP) for online FIR
- Digital tools (CCTV, e-registration) in RAJKOT = decline in crimes by 18%

### Prison Reforms

- Prison statistics India 2019
  - Amitav Roy + Prakash Singh
  - Mandela Rules
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## Governance overall

- Integrity Index of Transparency Intl
  - 179th Law C - Public Interest Disclosure
  - Good Governance Index (NITI)
  - World Governance Indicators (WB)
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## e-Governance

- 2nd ARC - G2G, G2C both
  - Hyderabad Declaration
  - Internet Penetration = 20% in rural areas
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## Citizens Charter

- Sevottam Model (2nd ARC)

- Model Panchayat CC
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## Civil Services

- Surendranath, Hota, Baswan Comm
  - TSR Subramania Case
  - Mission Karmyogi
  - Addio Pizzo Movmt Italy
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## Education & Skilling

- SDG 4 + Art 21A, 45 (ECCE), 51A(k)
- 3% of GDP (expend)
- ASER Report - fall in learning levels
- Anil Bordia, Kothari, TSR Comm
- Mohini Jain case (RTE)
- AISHE (Higher educ survey)
- Skill
  - Sharda Prasad (Skilling)
  - SDG 8 - Decent work
  - < 5% workforce skilled
  - Nat Policy Skill devlpt + Entrepreneurship 2015

## Health

- SDG 2 (Hunger) + SDG 3 (Health)
  - 2% of GDP (expend)
  - National Health Profile 2022
  - Astana + Alma Ata + Carbis Bay Decl
  - Bandhua Mukti Morcha - Art 21
  - Srinath Reddy
  - 30% of world's stunted children
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## Poverty and Hunger

- SDG 1 (Poverty), SDG 2 (Hunger)
  - Antyodaya Principle
  - NITI Multi-dim Poverty Index report
  - Global Hunger Index
  - FAO's State of Food Security + Nutrition
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## Social Justice

- Injeti Srinivas Committee on CSR
  - ICESR
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## NGOs, SHGs, etc

- Usha Thorat Comm (SHGs)
  - S Vijay Kumar Comm (NGOs)
  - SHG : Kudumbashree
  - Art 19(1)(c), Art 43
  - 1 crore SHGs; 90% excl by women
  - FCRA + FEMA
  - Bangladesh : NGOs -> family planning
  - SHG-Bank linkage program
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## International Relns

- Diaspora
  - 17.5 million (largest in world)
  - \$111 billion remittances 2022
- Trade
  - USA : \$180 billion
  - China : \$115 billion
  - ASEAN : \$100 billion
  - EU : \$80 billion
- "Not an era of war" - Hon'ble PM
- G20 leadership (EFF)





# GS3 Value Addition

## Economy

- GDP, Growth & Overall
  - SDG 8
  - GDP = 270 lakh crore (\$3.5 tril)
  - 7.2% growth in 22-23
  - Per capita Rs 2 lakh
  - Budget = 45 lakh crores
  - Shaktikanta Das, N K Singh, Bimal Jalan, Arun Goel
  - \$5 trillion + New India 2022
  - CMIE, IMF, WB, RBI, WTO
  - NITI Aayog Arth NITI report
- Poverty
  - Tendulkar, Rangarajan, Y K Alagh
  - NITI Aayog
- Labour
  - PLFS - 56 cr ppl
  - LFPR 55%, Women 33%
  - 10% formalization
  - Skilled workforce < 5%
  - 40% in Agric, 30% in services
  - ILO
  - Arjun Sengupta, Bhagwati Comm
- Manufacturing
  - MSMEs (U K Sinha) 30% GDP
- Inclusive Growth
  - Gini 0.35 + Palma ratio low
  - SDG 10 (Ineq)
  - SHGs (Usha Thorat), MSMEs
  - WEF Gender Gap #127
  - OXFAM World Inequality report
  - Nachiket Mor, Nandan Nilekani
  - Panchayat Banks (Jharkhand)
- Infrastructure, Investment
  - NIP (102 lakh crore)

- SEZ (Baba Kalyani) + DESH Act
- Kelkar, Debroy, Deepak Parekh
- SDG 9
- Logistics
  - Budget = 1% of GDP to MoRTH
  - Railways Operating Ratio 98.5%
  - LEADS Index + EoDB
  - Bibek Debroy, Kelkar Comm
- Taxation
  - Parthasarathi Shome + Akhilesh R
  - Tax/GDP 10%
- Other
  - FDI = \$50 billion
  - Forex = \$600 billion
  - Export/Import 25% of GDP each
  - Industry = SDG 9
  - Energy = 3rd largest consumption
  - Export preparedness Index Report

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## Agriculture

- Universal / Overall
  - 1.25 lakh crore to Agric (Budget)
  - 16% to GDP, 40% labour force
  - 1.08 Ha + 86% Small, marginal
  - Ashok Dalwai + Swaminathan + Mahesh Kumar Jain
  - IARI, NABARD, FAO, ICAR
  - Agric Census 2021-22
  - Growth 2% annual (NABARD)
- Irrigation
  - 70% of cost + 40% use efficiency
  - 90% of groundwater
  - 55% rainfed
  - Neeranchal (watershed)
  - Mission Kakatiya (Telangana)
- Cropping Pattern
  - NSA - 140 million ha
  - Cropping intensity 140%
- Storage, Transport and Marketing
  - 25% wastage in PHM
  - Exports : 2.5% world trade

- Shankar Guru
- Food Processing
  - 1/3rd food market of India
  - ~ Rs 1 lakh crore PHL annually
  - < 10% value addn
- Livestock / Animal husbandry
  - 5% of GDP; Fisheries 1.25%
  - Dairy is 70% of Livestock GDP
  - India largest livestock
- PDS and Food Security
  - SDG2 = No hunger
  - 330 MT foodgains
  - Shanta Kumar, Wadhwa, Dharia
  - AePDS (Aadhaar) + Arunachal e
- Farm Subsidies
  - Rs 2 lakh crore estimated
  - 85% -> Urea
  - 6% farmers have access (NSSO)
  - Hanumantha Rao (Fertilizers)
  - Arvind Panagriya (MSP)
  - 4:2:1 ideal; 6:2.5:1 NPK
- Technology
  - 40% farm mechniz (95% in USA)
  - Seed Replacement rate 20%
  - Yantradoot Villages (MP)
  - Renuka Chaudhary (GM)
- Land Reforms
  - Kumarappa + 2nd FYP
  - NSA 45%
  - 1.08 Ha + 86% Small
  - Land Pooling (Amravati)

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## Disaster Mgmt

- World Bank : Losses ~2% of GDP
- Sendai + Hyogo + Yokohama
- NDMA
- Mihir Shah + Kasturirangan (Ghats) + Shailesh Nayak
- Global Assessment Report on Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR)
- Vulnerability

- Drought -> 2/3 rd India
- Floods -> 50 mil Ha
- Earthquake -> 60%
- 80% districts : extreme weather
- 80% incr heatwaves in 2022

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## Environment

- Universal
  - **CEEW, CSE (DTE)**
  - SDG 13,14,15,7
  - 80% displacement - women
  - Kasturirangan, Mihir Shah, TSR, Shailesh Nayak
  - Global Envmt Perform Index
  - BRS Convention
- Pollution
  - Air (World Air Quality report)
  - Water (CWMI (Niti))
  - Largest groundwater extract
- Climate Change
  - IPCC, UNFCCC, UNEP (Emiss)
  - Talanoa, Kigali, Montreal
- Biodiversity
  - Nat Wildlife Action Plan (2017-31)
  - WWF, MoEFCCC, CITES, Bonn
- Conservation
  - Jal Shakti Minis 30% incr Budget
  - Land Degradation
  - Pani Panchayat (Odisha)
  - Neeranchal + Jal Dal (RJ)
- Forest
  - ISFR (< 25% cover)
- Renewable
  - Target : 50% of energy by 2030
  - World Energy Outlook Report
  - Solar

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## S&T

- Universal
  - Scientific Social Responsibility (SSR)
  - CSIR, TIFR, DRDO
  - 0.7% GDP in R&D
  - B N Srikrishna (Data)
- Biotech
  - DBT + BIRAC
  - Nat Biotech Dev Strategy
  - Renuka Choudhary comm (GM)
- Nanotech
  - National Nano Mission 2007
- IT
  - AJ Paulraj 5G, SC Garg (Fintech)
  - NITI Aayog Action Plan on AI
  - Asilomar Principles = AI
  - Presidio Principles = Blockchain
  - Nat Mission on Interdisciplinary Cyber-Physical Systems
  - Industry 4.0
- Computers
  - National Super Computing Mission
- Robotics
  - Eco Survey 2017-18 - Robotics
- Space
  - Space Situational Awareness
  - Kessler; Project NETRA
  - ISRO + NSIL + Antrix; IN-SPACe
- IPR
  - Nat IPR Policy 2016 + DPIIT
  - Article 27 of UNDRH
  - TM, GI, Patents, Copyrights, ID
  - TRIPS, WIPO = Paris + Bern
  - GII (WIPO + Cornell + INSEAD)
  - 'Pharmacy of the World'

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## Security

- Universal
  - Naresh Chandra, Madhukar G
  - Raisina Dialogue
  - 2nd largest def import (SIPRI)

- 2% GDP to Def (Rs 5.25 lakh cr)
- Terrorism
  - 12th in GTI (IEP) 2022
  - Christchurch Call to Action
  - Glob Internet Forum to Counter T
- LWE
  - 90 districts in 11 states (Red Corridor) = 90% violence (MHA)
  - SAMADHAN Strategy
  - Burkapal Case (Rights)
  - Greyhounds, Andhra Model
- Border Mgmt
  - 15k km land border; Maritime 7.5
  - Shekatkar, Madhukar Gupta
  - National Committee on Maritime and Coastal Security
  - NITI Forum for North-east
- Money Laundering
  - IMF - 2.5% global GDP / yr
  - B M Shah
  - Vienna Convention
  - 40+9 recommendations of FATF
- Cyber Security
  - +500% since COVID (NCRB)
  - Rajesh Pant + Gulshan Rai
  - Budapest, Paris Call
  - Meridian Process for CII
- Security Forces and Mandate
  - Shekatkar, Naresh Chandra
  - Civic Action Programme (CAP)
  - 144 police / 1 lakh popln
- Organized Crime
  - Vohra
- Defence
  - 2% GDP to Defence (Budget)
  - 2nd largest def import (SIPRI)
  - Shekatkar - def modernizn
- Misc
  - Fake News : Tehseen Poonawala
  - Mob Lynching = Rajeev Gauba

# GS4 Value Addition

## Administrators / Civil Servants

- Weberian Bureaucracy
- Karmyogi
- Steel Frame + Backbone
- Socio-economic transformation agent
- Fiduciary Duty + Bureaucratic Morality + Constitutional Morality
- Holistic Competence = Prof + Ethical
- Role Morality : "With great power comes great responsibility" - Voltaire
- All India Service Rules 1968
- Rousseau's Social Contract
- 'Publicity Test' - action if disclosed?
- Su-raj (Good governance) and Swaraj (Self-governance)

## Determinants and Role of Ethics

- "A man without ethics is a wild beast loosed upon this world" - Albert Camus
- Ethics as a 'Science of Moral Duty' (Rushworth Kidder)
- "Ethics is like electricity, cannot be seen but impact is clearly visible"
- "Primum Nil Nocere" = First of all, No harm (Hippocratic Oath)
- Bounded ethicality (Herbert Simon)
- James Rest's 4 component model of Moral Behaviour = ADIA
- "Life is a long journey between human being and being humane"
- Kohlberg's 6 stages of Moral devlpt
- Moral Myopia
- Kant's Categorical Imperatives guide

## Public Life

- "How you do anything -> everything"
- Constitutional Morality + Role Morality
- Maslow's hierarchy of needs (Social)
- Jeremy Bentham's Utilitarianism

- "Ships don't sink because of water around them, but the water that gets inside them"

## Emotional Intelligence

- Goleman - Awareness + Mgmt (x2)
- David Caruso = Emotional Intelligence as the intersection of intelligence and 'head over heart'
- "A man who is prey to his emotions is not his own master" - Spinoza
- "He is most powerful who has power over himself" - Seneca
- "Vinaash kaale vipreet buddhi" (In hard times, rationality stops working)
- 'Equanimity in the face of adversity'
- Intellectualization + Rationalization + Framing

## Attitude

- Daniel Katz - functions of attitude
- Pavlov's Classical Conditioning
- Social Psychology; Nature v/s Nurture
- Cognitive Dissonance
- "Attitude is a little thing that makes a big difference" - Winston Churchill
- "Your attitude, not your aptitude, determines your altitude" - Zig Ziglar

## Aptitude

- Holistic Competence
- Human Capital + Expert-culture
- Comprehensive National Power (CNP)

## Values

- "Value' comes from the Latin word 'valere', which means to be of worth
- "Values are not what humanity is, but what humanity ought to be"

## Social Influence + Persuasion

- Kelmen - Comply, Identify, Internalize
- Pavlov's Classical Conditioning
- "With great power comes great responsibility"
- 'Influencers' on Social Media
- Nudge Theory (eg. Richard Thaler)

## Ethical Dilemma (and Resolution)

- James Rest's 4 component model of Moral Behaviour = ADIA
- Moral earnestness + Bounded ethicality (Herbert Simon) + Moral Compass + Moral Myopia
- Crisis of Conscience
- Pygmalion Effect (ppl's expectations)
- Cognitive Dissonance
- 'Primary Law' > '2ndary Law' (Thomas Aquinas)
- Descarte's Wax Argument (Reason)

### Laws and Ethics

- Harm Principle (JS Mill) => Laws reqd
- Moral Compass
- 'Primary Law' > '2ndary Law' (Thomas Aquinas)
- Divine Command Theory
- Eg. Hitler - Legal but unethical (Jews)

### International Relations

- SDG17 + Article 51 (DPSP)
- Gujral Doctrine + PANSHEEL
- 'Just War' Doctrine
- UN Decl of Universal Human rights
- Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam
- Rabindranath Tagore's Vishwa Bharati University - Universal citizen, based on harmony and brotherhood
- Jeremy Bentham's Utilitarianism

### Transparency / RTI

- "Transparency is the antidote to hypocrisy"
- 2nd ARC - RTI as 'beacon of light'
- Eg. IAS Sagayam + RTI + MyGov

### Work Culture

- Simon Sinek says Work Culture decides everything abt future of the organization
- Eg. Toyota - Muda, Mura, Muri
- Eg. Google - allowed to sleep in b/w

### Corporate Governance

- "Capitalism with a Human Face"
- Commerce w/o Morality - 7 sins (MG)
- Stewardship and Trusteeship (Gandhiji)
- CSR (Companies Act 2013)

- "True rights flow from performance of one's duty" - Gandhiji

### Citizens Charter

- Sevottam Model (2nd ARC)
- Citizens Charter Bill 2011
- Eg. MoPR -> Model CC for Panchayats

### CoC and CoE

- All India Service Rules 1968
- Nolan Committee
- 2nd ARC 10th Report
- Moral Compass
- "A nation that values its privileges over its principles soon loses both"

### Corruption

- "The price of corruption is paid by the poor" - Pope Francis
- Rousseau's Social Contract
- Incrementalism + Slippery Slope
- Ethical Fading (miss out ethical aspects)
- Moral Muteness
- "Oh what a tangled web we weave, when we first practice to deceive"
- Lily Thomas Case + CVC, CBI, Lokpal
- PCA 1988 + Sanatham Comm
- Social Accountability, Audit

### Probity + Public Funds

- "The price of corruption is paid by the poor" - Pope Francis

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## PYQ-based themes

### Changing Values v/s Traditional (Time)

- Bentham Hedonism (Pleasure oriented)
- Moral Myopia (non-visionary)
- Moral Pluralism
- Moral Relativism v/s Absolutism
- Jeremy Bentham's Utilitarianism
- Eg. LGBTQ, Sec 377 (Naz), Beacons
- Eg. Women in STEM

## **Common v/s Differing Values (Space)**

- Kant's categorical imperatives declare that values are universal
- Moral Relativism v/s Absolutism
- Jeremy Bentham's Utilitarianism
- "Falsehood takes the place of truth when it results in unblemished common good." - Thirukkall
- Ingroup / GroupThink

## **Media Shaping Ethics/Values**

- Moral Agents + Role Morality
- Eg. Libel, Boycott movmt twitter
- Eg. Trial by Media, Sensationalism

## **Politics and Ethics**

- 'Politics w/o principles' - 7 sins Gandhiji
- Fiduciary Duty

## **Self-interest v/s Public Good**

- Aristotle Summum Bonum (Highest good)
- "If you want to walk fast, walk alone. If you want to walk far, walk together"
- Jeremy Bentham's Utilitarianism
- John Rawl's Veil of Ignorance to determine actions best for all
- "True rights flow from performance of one's duty" - Gandhiji
- Ethical Egoism (Self-interest priority)

## **Trust / Trustworthiness**

- Trust is a public good
- Social Capital = Mutual trust + harmony
- "Trust takes years to build, seconds to break and forever to repair"

## **Happiness / Good Life**

- Aristotle "Eudaimania" : having a good indwelling spirit; Living well
- Tamasic, Rajasik, Sattvik happiness
- Narrow Perception of Good Life
- Maslow's hierarchy of needs

## **Means v/s Ends**

- Consequentialism
- Deontology - Humans as ends

## **Anger / Hatred (Negative emotions)**

- "From the deepest desires often come the deadliest hate" - Socrates
- "Holding Anger is like drinking poison and expecting the other person to die"
- "Anger is one letter short of Danger"
- "Fear is the Pain arising from Anticipation of Evil" - Aristotle
- Eg. Hitler - Jews
- Eg. Pakistan - 'Bleed India 1000 cuts'

## **Conscience**

- "There is a court higher than the courts of law, that is the court of Conscience" - Gandhiji
- "Never do anything against the conscience even if the state demands it" - Albert Einstein
- Pleasure w/o Conscience - 7 sins
- Crisis of Conscience
- Moral Compass

## **Introspection**

- "An unexamined life is one not worth living" - Socrates
- Moral Myopia
- Moral Intellectualism (Socrates)

## **Utilitarian (Good + Bad)**

- Aristotle Summum Bonum (Highest good)
- Effective Altruism (EA) = Via Evidence and Reason for max benefit to max ppl
- Common Good Approach
- Trolley Problem - Let one person get harmed or three?
- "Falsehood takes the place of truth when it results in unblemished common good."
- Eg. Train problem - save 3 lives or 1

## **Intermingling of Good and Bad**

- Yin-Yang diagram (good in bad etc)

## **Integrity (and Competence Link)**

- "Honesty is the first chapter in the book of wisdom" - Gautam Buddha
- "Devotion to truth is the hallmark of Morality" - Ayn Rand

## **Ambition/Power + Character**

- "With great power comes great responsibility" - Voltaire
- "Nearly all men can withstand adversity, but if you want to test a man's character, give him power." - Lincoln
- "Where there is righteousness in the heart, there is beauty in the character" - Dr. A P J Abdul Kalam
- 'Sheelam Param Bhushanam' - Character is the highest virtue
- "Primum Nil Nocere" = First of all, No harm (Hippocratic Oath)
- "A virtuous life is a life worth living" - Socrates
- Eg. China UNCLOS, Napoleon, Hitler
- Eg. Ashoka - welfare

## **Greed**

- "Nature has enough for everyone's need but not for anyone's greed" - Gandhiji
- Moral Myopia
- Eg. Napoleon, China, Sustainable dev

## **Service of Others**

- Gandhiji Sarvodaya + Talisman
- Spirit of Service (Gandhiji)
- "In order to find yourself, lose yourself in the service of others" - Gandhiji
- 'Shiva Jnane Jiva Seva' (Swami Vivekananda) - Serve ppl as divine
- Swami Vivekananda's Karmyoga Philosophy : Selfless service
- Eg. Mother Teresa + Kailash Satyarthi + Gandhiji

## **Forgiveness**

- MG - "The weak can never forgive; forgiveness is the attribute of strong."
- Cycle / Chain of Hatred and Revenge

## **Undesirable traits in today's people**

- Hedonism + Ethical Egoism
- Materialism, Waste Culture
- Moral Myopia

## **Education**

- Nai Talim (Gandhiji)

- "Education is the kindling of a flame, not the filling of a vessel"
- "Educating the mind w/o educating the heart, is no education at all" - Aristotle
- Knowledge Without Character - 7 sins
- Swami Vivekananda's Vedanta Philosophy = emphasis on Education

## **Patriotism**

- "Ask not what your country can do for you – ask what you can do for your country" - John F Kennedy
- Eg. Bhagat Singh, SC Bose (INA)

## **Equity / Inclusive**

- Dr B R Ambedkar - devlpt for 'the LAST, the LOST and the LEAST'
- Sab ka Saath, Sab ka Vikas
- A39(b), 39(c)

## **Women**

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## **Rule-boundedness and Discipline**

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## **Courage**

- Moral Muteness
- Courage of Conviction (Gandhiji)

## **Public Interest**

- "Primum Nil Nocere" = First of all, No harm (Hippocratic Oath)
- "If you light a lamp for somebody, it will also brighten your path" - Buddha

## **Miscellaneous**

- Helsinki Declaration on Medical Ethics
- Descarte's Wax Argument (Reason)
- "Devotion to truth is the hallmark of Morality" - Ayn Rand
- Consequentialism
- Amartya Sen's Capability Approach
- "Waste no more time arguing about what a good man should be; BE ONE." - Marcus Aurelius
- G E Moore's 'Principia Ethicia'
- "GOLDEN RULE" - "Do not treat others in ways that you would not like to be treated"

- Science Without Humanity - 7 sins
- Bernard Gert 10 Moral rules - Do not kill/harm/cheat etc
- Swami Vivekananda's Vedanta Philosophy
- Pygmalion Effect (Expectations)
- Social Control (eg. Judgment)
- Societal Norms
- Asch Experiment (Influenced)
- Halo effect (Bias)
- Confirmation Bias
- Machiavellian
- Pavlov Classical Conditioning
- Tabula Rasa (John Locke)
- Loss Aversion theory
- In-group bias
- Anchoring bias (single dimension)
- Rationalization
- Intellectualization
- Status-Quoism
- Adhocism
- Bureaucratic Morality
- Democratic Morality
- Ethical Competence
- Plato's 4 cardinal = Temperance, Prudence, Justice, Fortitude
- Intellectual integrity
- Moral disengagement
- Moral Compass
- Moral courage
- Virtue Ethics (Aristotle)
- Moral Circle of Humanity



## Ethics Value Addition (Universal - Conclusions)

- Will help in achieving **SUMMUM BONUM** (Highest good - Aristotle)
- **Ques on CS / Gvernance**
  - ◆ **WEBERIAN Bureaucracy** guided by **Gandhian Ideals**
  - ◆ Will create a true **HOBBSIAN state** and **synergistic** society
  - ◆ **Karmyogis** who serve as agents of **socio-economic transformation**
- We may be guided by **G E Moore's PRINCIPIA ETHICIA**
- Must keep in mind **BERNARD GERT's 10 MORAL RULES**
- **JAMES REST'S 4 component model of Moral Behaviour** can be followed
- **SHEELAM PARAM BHUSHANAM** - **Character** is the highest virtue, hence must be prioritized
- Swami Vivekananda's **Practical VEDANTA Philosophy** can guide us
- Will help achieve **MASLOW's** goals & promote **SATTVIK** Happiness
- We may be guided by **Bentham's Utilitarianism / Kant's** categorical imperatives
- Must keep in mind the concept of **Bounded Ethicality (Herbert Simon)**
- Gandhiji's concept of **SARVODAYA** and **TALISMAN** can be followed
- We can follow the approach of **HIPPOCRATIC oath - PRIMUM NIL NOCERE**
- Principles laid down in **HELSINKI Declaration on Ethics** can be followed
- **Holistic** Competence (professional + ethical)
- Commitment to **Constitutional Ideals** and **Democratic Ethos** is a must
- **Crisis of Conscience** and **Crisis of Ethical values** must be prevented
- We can opt for the approach of **EFFECTIVE ALTRUISM** and **Common Good**
- "A **virtuous life** is a life worth living" - **Socrates** + Aristotle's **Virtue Ethics**
- We must have a **spirit of service (Gandhiji)** and serve ppl as **divine manifestations (Shiva Jnane Jiva Seva)** (Swami **Vivekananda**)
- **KOHLBERG'S 6 stages of Moral Devlpt** can help
- "**Waste no more time** arguing what a good man should be; BE ONE" - **Aurelius**
- The **moral circle of humanity** is expanding
- Keep in mind the **changing social landscape** and **evolving ethical awareness**
- **Democratic Morality** must replace the **Bureaucratic Morality**
- Can be led by **Plato's 4 CARDINAL Virtues** - Temp, Prudence, Justice, Fortitude
- "Devotion to truth is the hallmark of morality" - **Ayn Rand**
- Will help create Social Capital and **Comprehensive National Power (CNP)**