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IR - II

General Instructions for attaining good marks in International Relations

MCQs: PART-I

1 Add IR theories and approaches as much as you can

2 (d) Russia

3 use IR jargons to differentiate it from Current affairs paper

4 (a) Uzbekistan and Liechtenstein
(b) Ukraine

5 try reflecting IR concepts or words in your heading

6 (a) Agreement of disengagements regarding of forces
7 (a) Naeem Qasim

8 no need to apply all theories in one question but one or two that may justify your arguments

9 (a) Residual asylum
10 (c) HENRY THOMAS CLAUSE

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11 Justify your arguments with at least 8-9 headings

12 (a) Openheimer
13 (a) Collective Security
14 (c) Two state solution

15 Add current developments as an examples to support arguments

16 (a) all of these
17 (b) The protection of interests of the power elite
18 (c) UNCTAD

19 add IR philosophers e.g. Morganthue, Mearcheimer etc and their philosophies

20 (b) Peace and diplomacy
21 (a) Al Aqsa flood

22 add graphs charts and critical analysis for bonus marks

+ each question has 2 or 3 parts, give equal weightage to all parts

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KEY ISSUES POST WORLD WAR-I : ONSET OF WORLD WAR II.

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INTRODUCTION:

The world has witnessed two great damages that violated humanity and human rights. The one was world war I, and second is world war II. Although, this war was fought in Europe, but their repercussions went beyond the borders. The world war I gave birth to multiple conflicts and key events which ultimately led to another destruction world war II.

2:

KEY ISSUES POST WORLD WAR-1:

World war I, raised a serious concern for humanity as it caused million of deaths of human lives. This had changed the dynamics of global arena. Here are prominent issues raised after world war I, and

resulted in onset of world war II.

2.1: Great Depression Era:

After world war I ending, the allied powers penalized Germany for this heinous destruction. Germany was penalized with bunch of amount. Although, Germany was fully destroyed and pushed back to decades. America offered Germany for its penalty payments with a conditions to access in german market, as it was completely destabilized. Germany, came into dependency syndrome. However, the production of commodities had tremendously increased, but the demand was not sufficient. It has affected the American economy. American market crashed. Simultaneously, the Germany return installment time came and US withdrawn its money from Germany banks. October, 1929, this issue raised across Europe,

which badly affected the Europe in general and particularly Germany. This caused great depression across Europe. This event has promoted hate against US in the Europe which later on led to civil wars, and authoritarian regimes:

2.2: Spain Civil War:

The great depression era caused serious affects across Europe. The crisis began in most parts of Europe. The ideology of communism was in surroundings, and aiming to expand across world. which also causes the division of groups, few were in favour and few against. Everyone was defining itself based on their rationality. "Nationalism" was prevailing ahead of this situation. Civil war in Spain escalated and caused a major loss of humanity.

2.3: FASCISM RISE:

Fascism is an authoritarian type of government. Post world war, gave birth to this types of regimes. This also strengthen the realism perspective, which believes in military muscles. The fascist regime of musolini in Italy and Hitler in Germany promoted the Realist perspective. According to realism theorist human is egoistic in nature and international system is anarchic. The Fascism led the world to another disastrous event.

2.4: Nazism and Hitler:

Nazism prevails in Germany at the time of fascist regimes. Hitler hate towards jews shown his egoistic nature. This was considered as the key issue among list of events which led to the disastrous world war 2. Hitler egoistic nature and nature

and rational of military muscles, as realists believe, led to the millions of death of human lives, ignited the fire of world war II.

2.5: Rise Of Nationalism:

Among all these key events, the rise of nationalism prevailed. Nationalism is basically refers to the superiority belief. The great depression era sparked the nationalism and later on, fascism and Nazism escalated this into a global war, world war 2.

3. CONCLUSION:

World war I and world war II are two major events in human history. These caused million of human lives losses. The world war 1, raised a several issues and events which ultimately resulted in onset of world war 2.

Q404:

REVIVAL OF MULTIPOLARITY: IT WAS REALITY OR A MYTH?

1 INTRODUCTION:

The world witnessed dark ages to enlightenment, from stone ages to modernization, agriculture to technological society. The shifts in global order occurred as per needs of the international society. After world war I, U.S.A emerged as single sole power in Europe. World war II led the world to a bipolar world. Along with that, the shift in global order emerged after cold war. Post cold war, US emerged as single sole power in global order and world shifts to a unipolar order. This reflects the global order is not a static phenomenon, rather it is a dynamic one. Contemporary developments leading the world to multipolar world. This includes, multiple key events, dedollarization to multiple institution building and regional cooperation leading to a multipolar world.

2: CONCEPT OF POLARITY IN IR:

is defined as the "number of power poles/centers in the global order" at any time:

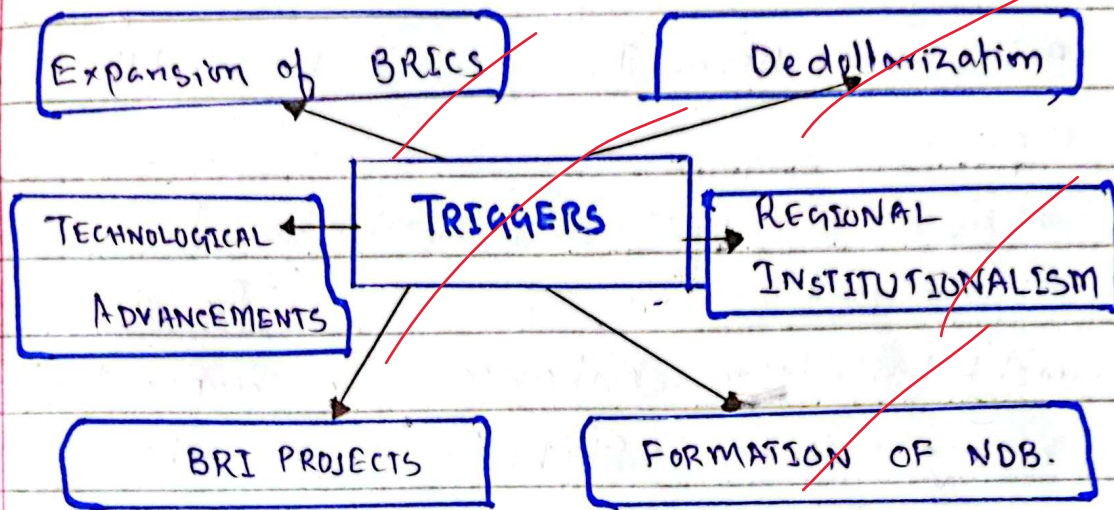
According to neo-realism; "on the basis of nature of power, there shall be a power hierarchy and that will be essentially anarchic, due to different capabilities of each state, that will lead to unequal distribution of resources, and the situation push state toward polar system to create a balance of power."

For instance; Pakistan went to CENTO, and SEATO agreements with U.S.A, to create a balance of power in the region:

Polarity can be in the form of Unipolar; where the epicenter of power is a single state. Bipolar; in which two state or blocs hold the epicenter of power. Multipolar; multiple states as per capabilities

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TRIGGERS OF REVIVAL OF MULTI POLARITY:



Revival of multipolarity could be traced through multiple developments. few predominant factors are discussed below.

1: Expansion of BRICS: Dedollarization.

Boazil, Russia, India, China and South African countries. This BRICS alliance has significantly got immense promotion in global arena. The recent BRICS summit further aimed to expand world wide. The BRICS leading the theme of mutual cooperation among states issues. BRICS alliance basically countering the western

captured world. Led by China and Russia. The recent 16th summit, affirmed the establishment of a new currency for BRICS members. This lead to dedollarization regime.

2: REGIONAL INSTITUTIONALISM:

The regional institutionalism enhances the cooperation among states. Shanghai cooperation organization, and ASEAN are key examples. According to Kantian perpetual peace triangle; institutionalism significantly influence on cooperation among states

3: ~~GLOBAL~~ TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENTS:

The world is transformed from agriculture society to technological space. In this contemporary arena no state can afford a unipolar global order. Every state in transition zone of transformation and upgration of tech sector.

4: Regional Connectivity Projects:

Regional connectivity projects, like BRI, IMEEC, and other key projects are leading the world to multipolarity. This promotes the interdependency among each other. BRI, Belt Road Initiative, by china is leading the massive transformation in the world.

5: FORMATION OF NDB:

To counter the western led IMF and World Bank type institutions, the initiative of new development Bank greatly got acceptance, specially in global south. The divide of global south and global north created a disparity among states.

6: Rise of Nationalism:

Nationalism belief become prevailing ideology in modern global arena. Idea of superiority belief could not accept the unipolar dominance. BREXIT is a key example of this ideology.

4: REALITY OF REVIVAL OF MULTI-POLARITY:

It can not be negated, that world very soon witnessing the revival of multipolarity. Here are few key example discussed below: The world has divided into different poles as per capabilities:

China; Becoming the Ecomic Super power

USA: Remained a military power.

Japan: Becoming a technological super power.

5: CONCLUSION:

The world which has witnessed, unipolarity, bipolarity and now going to transform into multipolarity.

The BRICS expansion, regional institutionalism and dedollarization are prominent triggers of this transformation. Power division in the world is proving the reality of revival of multipolarity.

Q. No. 7:

UN Failure and Necessary Reforms:

INTRODUCTION:

United Nations, UN, supposed to be the guardian of humanity. established after very early of ending of world war II, in 1945. 80 years passed but still lacks the strengthening reforms, from Kashmir issue to Russia-ukraine and now the Gaza genocide which is a new inclusion in the failure list of United nations. However, key reformative measures could strengthen the United nation and make it more effective. Veto powers to voting rights, united nations not fulfilling the democratic principles. Many of resolution could not get enforced due to a veto by international Big powers.

2:

FAILURES OF UN.

There are a big list of failures of united nations, which can not be completely discussed in a few minutes. However, a few key failures are mentioned and described below;

• KASHMIR ISSUE: RIGHT TO SELF DETERMINATION.

Modern

nation state system emphasise on nations right of self determination. However, United nations failed to provide right to self determination to Kashmiri people in more than 75 years.

• RUSSIA - UKRAINE WAR:

Although, there are few other factors also involved in Russia Ukraine issue. But this is a failure of UN as international body.

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GAZA GENOCIDE : AN ADDITION TO THE UN FAILURE:

• Gaza genocide is another in list to the failure of United nations. Most of resolution vetoed by U.S.A, even after passing with a major number of votes in general assembly. Despite violation of UN charter, UN is failed to stop the heinous genocide.

4:

Necessary Reforms:

Pragmatic and holistic reforms are needed to strengthen the United nation: key suggestions are mentioned below.

- (1) Democratize the voting rights in UN security council, instead of veto powers.
- (2) Increase the number of members in security council.

Work on your headings

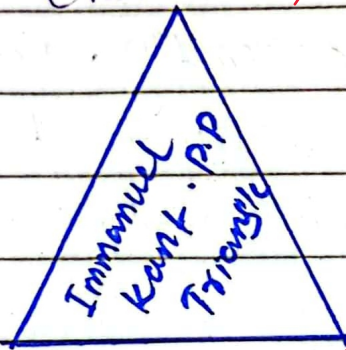
(3) Strengthen the justice system.

by ICJ and ICC.

(4) Transform into Kantian perpetual peace Triangle.

6. KANTIAN PERPETUAL PEACE TRIANGLE:

1: Create institutions



2: Democratize institutions.

3: Promote inter-dependency

4) CONCLUSION:

United nations is an international body supposed to protect the rights of nations. But, it is failed to perform. Gaza genocide is another addition to the list. Necessary reforms can strengthen the UN body.