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① India's participation in [I₂U₂] summit shows a new orientation of foreign policy towards west Asia?

I₂U₂ -

As part of I₂U₂, India, Israel, UAE, USA are the members of this initiative which was formed in 2021 following the Abraham Accords.

I₂U₂ also called International forum for economic cooperation, so they referred to as West Asian Quad.

India's take on I₂U₂ -

This initiative indicates that new political will in delhi to break the old taboos on West Asian engagement.

when we take Israel, India ~~was~~ one of the first countries to recognize the Israel in 1950 by then prime minister Nehru but

he didn't establish diplomatic relations with the Jewish state. PV Rao

reversed this policy in 1992 but ~~it was~~ UPA govt hesitant to have a full fledged relation. This was seen throughout its political time [2004-14] as there were no prime ministerial visit on either side.

But PM modi ~~he~~ started an open pursuit relation with Israel ties. His effort in engaging israel parallelly deepened the India's ties with the Arab world. This has transformed the India's relations with Gulf Kingdoms, especially UAE & Saudi.

This improved relations can be seen in negotiating FTA with UAE & plans for improving bilateral relations. even UAE backed India's 2019 constitutional changes in Kashmir and agreed to invest in UT.

USA already a member of QUAD initiative with India and ties blew this

countries improving steadily which can be seen through their initiatives like

- ⊙ LEMOA
- ⊙ Defence deal
- ⊙ Trade relations (↑).

significants for IND from this foreign policy:-

* IND will get advantages of the ~~Abraham~~ Abraham accords thereby improving its ties with Israel without risking ties with Arab world.

* helps in building India's Alliances

Conclusion-

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political Alliance
is
social Alliances.