

[GS-2] - IR.

- 3 A tailored Indian foreign policy is needed to address the concerns of different regions and regional politics within developing world. Explain.

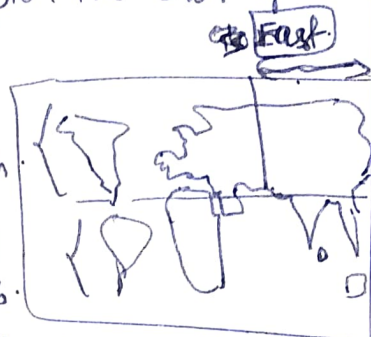
India recently assumed G20 presidency has unveiled plans to champion the cause of global south.

certain apprehensions raised.

Questions were raised,

Global north.

Global south.



regarding, whether India is shifting to non-Alignment, grouping against west, undermining multilateralism, going against Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam.

India's Approach.

"one cannot step on same river twice".

Today's geopolitics is different from the one in middle of 20th C.

changing geopolitics.

1. china's rise

china - 2nd largest economic and military power, has seen the global south as potential opportunity to tap via Belt and Road Initiative.

China's hegemonic rise in this area, has prevented west to gain ground. (t) Also west could not mobilise global south ~~to~~ against Russia's new.

TO counter this west is taking amendments like summit with Latin America; Europe's Build back better world as counter to Belt & Road Initiative.

India's quest to Global South.

1. India today → rise higher in International

hierarchy.

2. Potential to become 3rd largest economy

3. make space for International activism -

balance between west (USA & Europe) & global south.

way forward

India today has immense p material resources & political will to engage global south But

today's global south is more differentiated

(heterogenous) SO, India must follow

tailored foreign policy to champion

the cause of global south.