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GS3: Tapasya

Economy, S&T, Environment & Security

Master answer writing for GS3 the way toppers did: **One-pager notes** + **Daily Answer Writing** + (Bonus: **Test Series + Mentorship**)

WHAT TO STUDY

One-pager notes

62 GS3 Anchor Sheets, one per main topic of the syllabus.

3 QUESTIONS A DAY

Topper copies + handwritten PYQs + a new question

The new question comes with the **best model answer**.

FEEDBACK

Instant topper-copy based AI evaluation + human evaluation

AI on every answer; your tests checked by **interview-given top scorers**.

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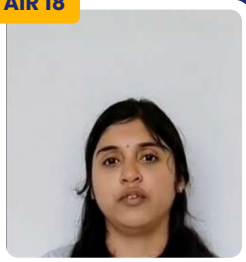
Day by day, with revision days

A **revision day** after every writing day. Finish one and the next opens.

TEST SERIES + MENTORSHIP

2 sectional tests + 1 Full-Length Test, evaluated by **candidates who have faced the UPSC interview**. The tests are open from day one. After a test, get it **discussed with a ranker** or the best top mentor available.

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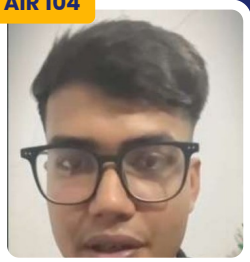
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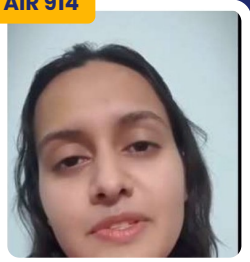
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WHY TAPASYA FOR GS3

GS3 rewards answers with data, diagrams and recent examples.



GS3 asks about economy, agriculture, science, environment, disasters and security, all in one three-hour paper. Most aspirants read it well and still score average. Their answers have **no data, no diagram and no recent example**.

Tapasya fixes that one syllabus heading at a time. You write three answers, see how a topper wrote it, and get feedback the same day. **Finish a day and the next one opens.** Nothing to plan.

Rudresh Chandra Suman · Co-founder, Aspirants Hub

01

PYQ · WHAT TO STUDY

A past question with our handwritten model answer

Written by hand, at a length you can **actually write in the hall**.

02

TOPPER COPY · HOW TO WRITE

A question a topper answered

Write it first. Then open the **real topper copy** and see how it was done.

03

NEW QUESTION · PRACTISE

A fresh question, with the best model answer

It is not a past question, so you learn to handle **something new under time**. It **may appear in Mains 2027**.

Instant AI evaluation on every answer

The AI is built on topper copies. It shows **what to fix** in content, structure and examples, the same day. It runs on your Aspirants Hub dashboard.

Then a revision day

Put your evaluation next to the model answer and the topper copy. Note what you missed. Then revise **the Anchor Sheets listed** for the next day.

62

ANCHOR SHEETS

GS3 one-pager notes, included. 25 sheets for Economy and Agriculture, **22** for Science, Environment and Disaster Management, and **15** for Internal Security. Each sheet has the **definitions that score**, the dimensions to build an answer on, data with its year and source, and recent examples. Read the sheet, then write.

Mentorship by Rank Holders

After each test, **a ranker goes through your copy with you**. You see where you lost marks and **what to change next time**. If no ranker is free, the best top mentor available does it.

REAL PAGES · QUESTION 02 OF A WRITING DAY

The topper copy, exactly as you get it.

This is the topper-copy question from **Day 1, growth, development and employment**. First you see what to notice. Then you see the topper's own sheets.

Topper copy of the day

SUBJECT 3 · GS3 ECONOMY & AGRICULTURE · ANSWER WRITING 1 OF 7

Planning, mobilisation of resources, growth, development and employment.

THE TOPPER COPY QUESTION

To fully exploit its demographic dividend and accelerate economic growth, India needs to adopt a manufacturing-led growth model. Discuss.

GS3 ECONOMY · GROWTH AND EMPLOYMENT · 150 WORDS · 10 MARKS

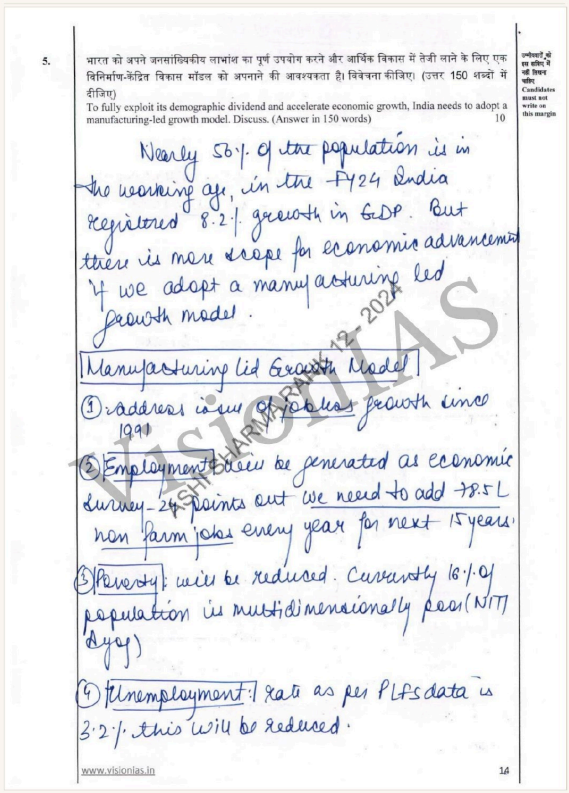
WHAT TO NOTICE IN THIS COPY

1. **Two figures open the answer, then the thesis.** Nearly **56% of the population** is of working age; India registered **8.2% GDP growth** in FY24; and there is more scope if a manufacturing-led model is adopted. Three lines, two numbers, no wind-up. This is the data-first opener the Economy examiner rewards.
2. **One boxed heading, then eight numbered gains, each with its keyword boxed and its own statistic. Jobless growth** since 1991; **Employment** (Economic Survey 2024: 78.5 lakh non-farm jobs a year for fifteen years); **Poverty** (16% multidimensionally poor, NITI Aayog); **Unemployment** (PLFS 3.2%); **GDP**; **Exports** (65% of Indian exports come from manufacturing); **Skilling** (only 5% formally skilled); **Agricultural distress** (disguised unemployment eased). No gain is asserted without a number beside it.
3. **The bar graph does the comparative work.** Manufacturing share of GDP: **India 13%, Vietnam 25%, China 28%**, labelled **World Bank data**. Three bars and one source line replace forty words of prose, and the source line is what separates a chart that scores from a doodle.
4. **Solutions as a small three-arm fan**: ease of doing business and Make in India, attracting FDI, policy support through **PLI**. Short, but it means a "discuss" answer does not end on the problem.
5. **The conclusion is a target. Viksit Bharat** and a **$30 trillion economy by 2047** need a manufacturing-led model. A dated national goal is the Economy paper's signature close.
6. **Economy of space.** A 150-word answer on two sheets still carries eight points, a sourced graph, a solutions fan and a target close, because every point is one or two lines and the number does the elaborating.

THE QUESTION + WHAT TO NOTICE

Five things in this copy that earn marks.

THE TOPPER ANSWER, AS WRITTEN · SHEET 1 OF 2


5. भारत को अपने जनसांख्यिकीय लाभांश का पूर्ण उपयोग करने और आर्थिक विकास में तेजी लाने के लिए एक विनिर्माण-केंद्रित विकास मॉडल को अपनाने की आवश्यकता है। विवेचना कीजिए। (उत्तर 150 शब्दों में दीजिए)
To fully exploit its demographic dividend and accelerate economic growth, India needs to adopt a manufacturing-led growth model. Discuss. (Answer in 150 words) 10

Nearly 56% of the population is in the working age, in the FY24 India registered 8.2% growth in GDP. But there is more scope for economic advancement if we adopt a manufacturing led growth model.

Manufacturing led Growth Model

① address is on Jobless growth since 1991

② Employment: Can be generated as economic survey-24 points out we need to add 78.5L non farm jobs every year for next 15 years.

③ Poverty: will be reduced. Currently 16% of population is multidimensionally poor (NITI Ayog)

④ Unemployment: rate as per PLFS data is 3.2% this will be reduced.

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THE TOPPER'S ANSWER

Sheet 1 of 2. Two figures open the answer.

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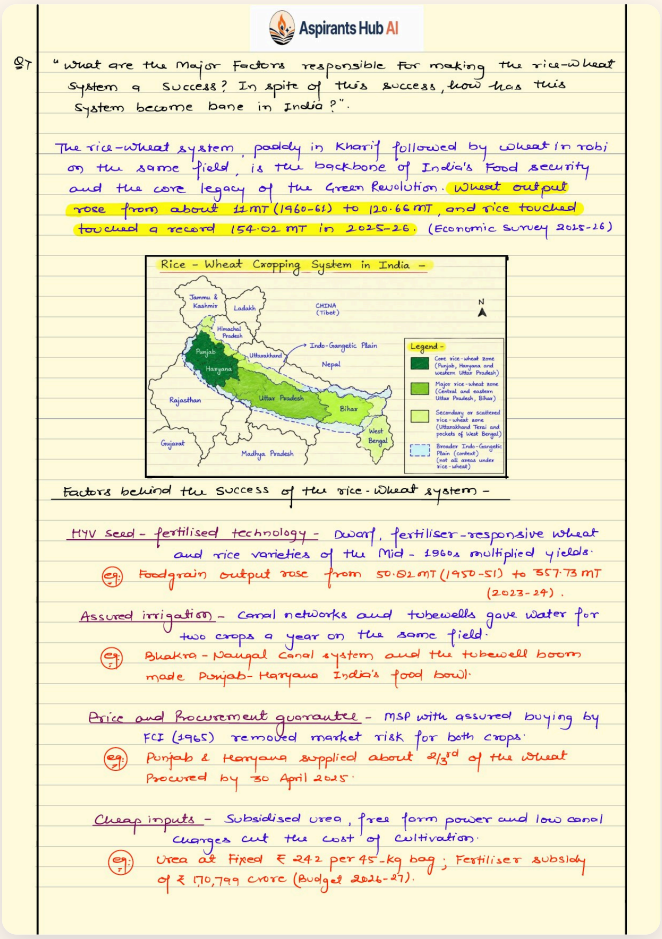
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SUMAN SUMIT SOREN · on our GS3 workbook, to Shubham on Telegram

REAL PAGES · MODEL ANSWER + ANCHOR SHEET

Read one page. Write one answer.

On the left, our **handwritten model answer** to a PYQ on the rice-wheat system. On the right, the first **GS3 Anchor Sheet**, on growth and development.



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Q7 "What are the major factors responsible for making the rice-wheat system a success? In spite of this success, how has this system become bane in India?".

The rice-wheat system, paddy in Kharif followed by wheat in rabi on the same field, is the backbone of India's food security and the core legacy of the Green Revolution. Wheat output rose from about 11 MT (1960-61) to 120.66 MT, and rice touched touched a record 154.02 MT in 2025-26. (Economic Survey 2025-26)

Rice – Wheat Cropping System in India –

Factors behind the success of the rice-wheat system –

HYV seed – fertilised technology – Dwarf, fertiliser-responsive wheat and rice varieties of the Mid-1960s multiplied yields.
Eg. Foodgrain output rose from 50.82 MT (1950-51) to 357.73 MT (2023-24).

Assured irrigation – canal networks and tubewells gave water for two crops a year on the same field.
Eg. Bhakra-Nangal canal system and the tubewell boom made Punjab-Haryana India's food bowl.

Price and Procurement guarantee – MSP with assured buying by FCI (1965) removed market risk for both crops.
Eg. Punjab & Haryana supplied about 2/3rd of the wheat Procured by 30 April 2025.

Cheap inputs – Subsidised urea, free farm power and low canal charges cut the cost of cultivation.
Eg. Urea at Fixed ₹ 242 per 45-kg bag; Fertiliser subsidy of ₹ 170,799 crore (Budget 2026-27).

01 · PYQ, HANDWRITTEN

Page 1 of 3. A hand-drawn map sits inside the answer.



ASPIRANTS HUB · GS3 CAPSULE — BLOCK 1 · GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT I

ANCHOR SHEET ONE-PAGER NOTES: REVISE THIS, MANY TIMES

What it is. **growth** is a rise in real GDP; **development** is better lives. Capital, labour and TFP set **potential GDP**; the new **2022-23 base** sets how it is measured.

Definitions that score · attributed, for your first line

GDP at market prices	GVA at basic prices plus product taxes minus product subsidies · MoSPI national accounts
Potential GDP	the output an economy can sustain at full capacity without rising inflation · plain definition, safe unattributed
Middle-income trap	a middle-income country stalls, squeezed between low-wage and high-tech rivals · ADB
Development	widening people's capabilities: what they are able to be and do · Amartya Sen

Dimensions · structure the answer on these

Measurement	GDP, GVA, GNI; real versus nominal; deflator; base year 2022-23; double deflation
Drivers	capital (saving, investment), labour (demographic dividend), TFP (technology, reforms)
Quality of growth	jobs intensity, regional spread, formalisation, sustainability (Green GDP)
Development	HDI, MPI, capability approach; per capita income; Viksit Bharat 2047

Data line · the figures a topper quotes, with year and source

Real GDP growth 7.6% in FY26 on the new 2022-23 base	MoSPI, Feb 2026
Potential growth raised to 7% from 6.5% (FY26 to FY30)	Economic Survey 2025-26
Private consumption 61.5% of GDP; GFCF 30.0%; CPI 1.7% (Apr-Dec)	Economic Survey 2025-26
TFP about 20% of India's GDP growth, 2011 to 2019	RBI KLEMS database
HDI rank 130 of 193; about 30% of HDI lost to inequality	UNDP HDR 2025

Schemes and committees

- **New GDP series** (2026): base 2022-23; GST data; double deflation
- **2015 revision**: base 2011-12; GVA; MCA-21 company data
- **Standing Committee on Finance** (27th Report): a statutory National Statistical Commission
- **ANRF** (R&D); **Quantum Mission**; **Viksit Bharat 2047**

Keywords · the vocabulary of depth

potential GDP · output gap · double deflation · GDP deflator · TFP · capability approach · middle-income trap · premature deindustrialisation · employment elasticity · Goldilocks moment

Examples · short, named, attached to a point

New GDP series (2026)	nominal GDP 3.3% smaller, fiscal deficit 4.36% to 4.51%: the base moves every ratio
South Korea, Thailand	Korea spent its demographic window on skills, Thailand did not: the trap is a choice
DPI	the Survey 2025-26 counts TFP gains from digital public infrastructure in the new 7% potential

Debates and trade-offs · X versus Y

GDP vs welfare	GDP misses unpaid work and nature (Kuznets); HDI, MPI and Green GDP fill the gap but are slower and coarser
Consumption-led vs investment-led	consumption at 61.5% of GDP is resilient demand; Viksit Bharat needs a higher investment rate
Productivity vs jobs	employment elasticity about 0.1 (Survey 2024-25): output rises, hiring barely moves

"The welfare of a nation can scarcely be inferred from national income." (Simon Kuznets, as reported)
Open: Real GDP grew 7.6% in FY26 on the new 2022-23 base; the Survey puts potential growth at 7%.
Close: Growth that is job-rich, honestly measured and widens capabilities is what Viksit Bharat 2047 actually needs.

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ANCHOR SHEET · GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Definitions, dimensions and data with its source.



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SHRUTHI · AIR 18, CSE 2025 · our student

THE PLAN · DAY 1 TO DAY 7

Every day planned, every sheet named.

Each writing day has **three questions**, and a **revision day** follows it. Before you write, revise the Anchor Sheets in the last column. **The next day opens as soon as you finish the current one.**

☐ Writing day ☐ Revision day

DAY	WHAT YOU WRITE (3 QUESTIONS)	REVISE FIRST: ANCHOR SHEETS
ECONOMY AND AGRICULTURE · 25 SHEETS		
Day 1	Planning, mobilisation of resources, growth, development and employment	**Growth and development I, Planning, Mobilisation of resources, Employment · 6 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 1 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 2 sheets.	
Day 2	Inclusive growth and issues arising from it; government budgeting	**Inclusive growth, Government budgeting · 3 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 2 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 3 sheets.	
Day 3	Effects of liberalisation; industrial policy and industrial growth	**Growth and development II · 3 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 3 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 4 sheets.	
Day 4	Infrastructure: energy, ports, roads, airports, railways; investment models	**Infrastructure · 4 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 4 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 5 sheets.	
Day 5	Cropping patterns, irrigation, storage, transport and marketing of produce; e-technology for farmers	**Crops, water and inputs; Markets · 4 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 5 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 6 sheets.	
Day 6	Subsidies and MSP; PDS; buffer stocks and food security; technology missions; economics of animal rearing	**Farm support, Food security, Livestock · 3 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 6 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 7 sheets.	
Day 7	Food processing and related industries: scope, location, upstream and downstream needs, supply chain; land reforms	**Food processing, Land reforms · 2 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 7 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 8 sheets.	

THE PLAN · DAY 8 TO DAY 12

Science, environment and disasters.

The tests are open all through. Write them whenever you feel ready.

☐ Writing day ☐ Revision day

DAY	WHAT YOU WRITE (3 QUESTIONS)	REVISE FIRST: ANCHOR SHEETS
SCIENCE, ENVIRONMENT AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT · 22 SHEETS		
Day 8	Science and technology in everyday life; achievements of Indians; indigenisation and new technology	**Science and innovation, Nuclear and materials · 2 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 8 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 9 sheets.	
Day 9	IT, space, computers, robotics, nano-technology, bio-technology; IPR issues	**IT and AI, Biotech and nanotech, Space, IPR · 8 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 9 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 10 sheets.	
Day 10	Conservation and biodiversity; environmental pollution and degradation	**Ecology and biodiversity, Pollution · 5 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 10 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 11 sheets.	
Day 11	Environmental impact assessment and environmental governance; climate action	**Climate change, Governance and EIA · 4 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 11 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 12 sheets.	
Day 12	Disasters and disaster management	**Disaster risk, Hazards · 3 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 12 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 13 sheets.	

THE PLAN · DAY 13 TO DAY 16

Then internal security.

☐ Writing day ☐ Revision day

DAY	WHAT YOU WRITE (3 QUESTIONS)	REVISE FIRST: ANCHOR SHEETS
INTERNAL SECURITY · 15 SHEETS		
Day 13	Linkages between development and the spread of extremism	**Foundations, Development and extremism · 4 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 13 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 14 sheets.	
Day 14	External state and non-state actors; security challenges in border areas; organised crime and terrorism	**Terrorism and external actors, Borders and the sea, Terror financing · 5 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 14 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 15 sheets.	
Day 15	Communication networks, media and social networking sites; cyber security; money laundering	**Media and cyber security, Money laundering · 4 sheets**
Revision	**Revision day** · check Day 15 answers against the model answer and topper copy. Revise the Day 16 sheets.	
Day 16	Security forces and agencies and their mandate	**The security machine, New-age threats · 2 sheets**
Day 16 · GS3 complete: every heading of the syllabus written and evaluated.		
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BLOCK 2 · DEVELOPMENT AND EXTREMISM

ANCHOR SHEET ONE-PAGER NOTES: REVISE THIS, MANY TIMES

What it is: armed Maoist insurgency to seize State power, rooted in tribal land and forest grievance, met by security plus development plus rights.

Definitions that score · attributed, for your first line

Maoism	"a doctrine to capture State power through a combination of armed insurgency, mass mobilisation and strategic alliances" MHA, LWE FAQ
Front organisation	an outfit of the CPI (Maoist) that "professes a separate existence to escape legal liability" MHA, LWE FAQ
SAMADHAN	MHA's eight-point "operational strategy" against LWE PIB, 8 May 2017
Legacy & Thrust district	"no longer LWE affected", but support continues "for consolidating the gains and preventing relapse" MHA, Lok Sabha, 3 Feb 2026

Dimensions · structure the answer on these

Roots	Jal-Jangal-Jameen; land alienation, displacement; Fifth Schedule, PESA unenforced
Spread	Naxalbari 1967; CPI (Maoist) 2004; Red Corridor; levy economy; fronts; tribals as victims
Response	Action Plan 2015; SAMADHAN; SRE, SCA; roads, towers, EMRS; surrender package
Consolidation	Legacy & Thrust; DDR; police and services in cleared areas; forest and land rights

Data line · the figures a topper quotes, with year and source

No district "categorized as LWE affected"; 37 Legacy & Thrust, 1 District of Concern	MHA, Rajya Sabha, 29 Jul 2026
Districts 126 to 90 (Apr 2018), 38 (Apr 2024), 6 (Dec 2025)	MHA, Rajya Sabha, 29 Jul 2026
Incidents 1,936 (2010) to 314 (2025); 33 in 2026 till 31 Jul	MHA (PIB), 2026
Deaths of civilians and forces 1,005 (2010) to 100 (2025)	MHA, Lok Sabha, 3 Feb 2026
15,189 km roads; 9,497 towers; 21,26,268 title deeds	MHA, Rajya Sabha, 29 Jul 2026

Schemes and committees

- National Policy and Action Plan (2015): security, development, rights
- SAMADHAN (2017): SRE, SIS, SCA (2017)
- RCPLWEA (2016): roads; mobile tower projects; EMRS
- Surrender-cum-rehabilitation: ₹5 or 2.5 lakh, ₹10,000 a month

Keywords · the vocabulary of depth

Red Corridor | Jal-Jangal-Jameen | protracted people's war | front organisation | levy economy | clear-hold-build | Legacy & Thrust | SAMADHAN | Fifth Schedule | PESA

Examples · short, named, attached to a point

Karreguttalu hills	21 days, 31 killed, no security-force deaths (May 2025); force clears
Operation Double Bull	Gumla, Lohardaga, Latehar made Naxal-free (Feb 2022); joint, intelligence-led
Gunda Dhur Seva Dera	about 70 camps turned into service centres (May 2026); development holds

Debates and trade-offs · X versus Y

Deficit vs ideology	grievance explains recruits; ideology and terrain, the gun
Security vs rights	tribals died as "police informers"; operations must respect PESA, FRA
Closed vs resolved	zero-affected districts is a category; 37 watched overs say relapse is possible

"Naxalism did not spread because of poverty; rather, poverty spread because of Naxalism." (Home Minister, Lok Sabha, 30 Mar 2026)
Open: From 126 districts to none in MHA's "LWE-affected" category (Jul 2026): force cleared the ground.
Close: SAMADHAN cleared it; Legacy & Thrust support, forest rights and a police station that stays must hold it.

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ANCHOR SHEET · LEFT-WING EXTREMISM

One page before Day 13: what the threat is, why it spread, and how the State responds, with data and its source. Every main GS3 topic has a sheet like this.

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