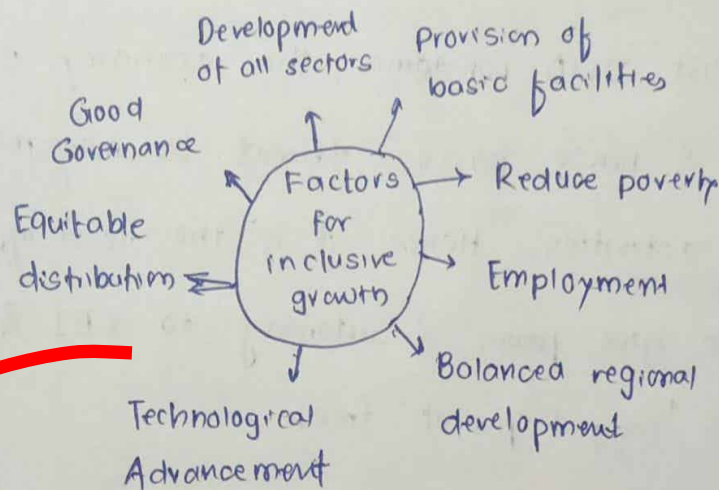


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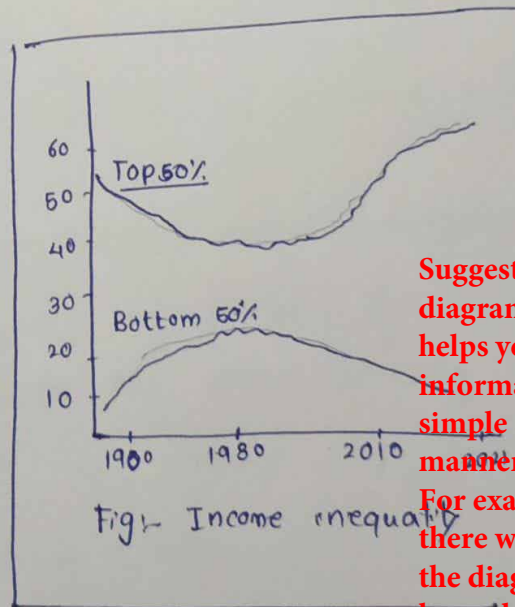
What do you mean by Inclusive Growth? Discuss various constraints & challenges in promoting inclusive growth in India. (250 words)

According to UNDP, inclusive growth is economic growth across all the sectors of society & it creates opportunities for all.



Good use of diagram

- Recently, World Inequality report has highlighted that 'India is a very inequal country as :-
Top 10% earn 57% income
Whereas bottom 50% earns 13% income



Suggestion - draw diagram only when it helps you provide information in more simple and lucid manner or saves time. For example here there was no need for the diagram as you have already substantiated lack inclusive growth by using report.

- This same inequality is also seen in wealth holding in India.

Challenges for inclusive growth

1) Poor implementation of govt. programmes:

- There are problems like lack of identification, ghost beneficiaries, poor distribution, etc

- Shanto Kumar committee → 46% of food grains do not reach the beneficiaries under PDS.

2) Employment Generation: poor quality as well as quantity of jobs. The employment elasticity is very low of about 0.1.

3) Gender disparity: The female LFPR has decreased from 45% (1900s) to 25% (2017-18)

4) Regional disparity: There are pockets of undeveloped region at both:

a) Inter-state → Maharashtra, Gujarat, Kerala v.s Bihar, Uttar Pradesh

b) Intra-state : Saurashtra (Gujarat),
Ktho Vidharabha (Maharashtra)

5) Disparity among various sectors: According to

Ashok Dalwai committee → The farmers

income is 3 times lower than non-farmer sector

You have covered this well. I like your use of committees and reports. This helps to enrich quality of your answers.

2) Fiscal policy :- Tax evasion, black marketing.

Steps taken by Govt :-

- 1) Employment generation :- MGNREGA,
- 2) Agriculture & livestock :- PM Kisan, Krishi Schemes
Yojana
- 3) Livelihood :- Awa Awas Yojana
- 4) Digitization :- Digital India Mission,

- World Economic forum has suggested 3 steps for inclusive growth :-

- 1) increase public private partnership (PPP) with citizenry capacity
- 2) reforming work laws with help of worker's organization.
- 3) increasing PPP in labour intensive sectors.

India is blessed with demographic dividend which will be fruitful if it developed equally. Otherwise the same blessing will become a **Bane**. ∴, timely steps must be taken for inclusive growth.

There was no need to mention the government Schemes simply you should have ended with what steps could be taken for providing inclusive growth.