

HW - 15/5/21



## CH-2 - SECTORS OF THE INDIAN ECONOMY

① TABLE-2.1

EXAMPLE .

- ① Imagine what would happen to cotton cultivation if companies decide not to buy from the Indian Market and import all cotton they need from other countries. Indian cotton cultivation will become less profitable.

Ans - This is an example of primary sector which is dependent on secondary sector.

- ② Farmers buy many goods such as tractors, pumps etc, electricity, pesticides and fertilizers.

Imagine what would happen if the price of fertilizers or pumps go up. Cost of cultivation of the farmers will rise and their profits will be reduced.

Ans. This is an example on the primary sector, i.e. - Agriculture being dependent on the secondary sector.

③ People working in industrial and service sectors need food. Imagine what would happen if there is a strike by transporters and loaders refuse to take vegetables, milk etc.

Ans. This is an example of the primary of the primary sector being dependent on the tertiary sector.

2. Differentiate btw primary, secondary & tertiary sectors.

Ans. (a) Primary sector: It is connected with extraction & production of natural resources.

(b) Secondary sector :- It is concerned with the processing of material which have already been extracted at the primary stage.  
e.g - Making jewellery from gold

(c) Tertiary sector - It is concerned with providing support services to primary & secondary sector.  
e.g - Insurance

(2) Classify the following list of occupation under primary, secondary & tertiary sectors.

Ans -	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	TERTIARY
*	Flower cultivator	Basket weaver	Tailor
*	Fishermen Gardener	workers in match factory	Milk vendor, Priest, cook etc
*	Potter	Bee-keeper	Money lender, Astronaut, Call centre Employee

4. Students in a school are often classified into primary & secondary or junior & senior. What is the criterion that is used? Do you think that this is a useful classification? Discuss.

Ans- Students are often classified into primary and secondary or junior & senior. They are classified on the basis of the class in which they study. Yes, I think this is a useful classification because we cannot classify all of them on the basis of age.

5. Make a long list of all kind of work that you find adults around you doing for a living.

Ans- Primary sector - A farmer working in his field, a dairy owner selling dairy products and milk, a fisherman selling fish.

Secondary sector: An Engineer working in a factory, a foreman working in a factory.

Tertiary sector: A chartered accountant, a transporter, a banker, a teacher etc.