

A CLASSIFICATION OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SYSTEMS ON THE IDEOLOGICAL SPECTRUM

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AUTHORITARIAN SOCIALISM	DEMOCRATIC SOCIALISM	DEMOCRATIC CAPITALISM		LIBERAL CAPITALISM	AUTHORITARIAN CAPITALISM	GENTRY MERCANTILISM	FEUDALISM (OR FEUDAL CAPITALISM)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<p>Political monopoly of Communist Parties + Centrally planned Socialist economic system + command oriented economic philosophy IN (1) the USSR (1922-1990) and in (2) East bloc countries (+ 1945-1989) (3) China (1948-)</p>	<p>Democratic parliamentary system + Market orientated socialistic system but with large government intervention + Highly developed Welfare State IN (1) France - attempted by Mitterand in his first term and by some Italian government, (2) India after 1948 (3) but with low social spending) (3) Yugoslavia (2) (1948-</p>	<p>MODEL A Based on an organic notion of the State</p> <p>Democratic parliamentary system + Social market economy + Social Democracy as economic philosophy + Well-integrated "Developmental state" policy or "Social partnership" between private and public sectors + High social spending (± 25% of GDP) IN (1) West Germany (1948-) (2) France (2) since 1958 (3) Italy, Holland, Belgium, Spain, Portugal, (4) Sweden (5) Japan (after SWW) and other four dwarfs of Facific rim (In all five cases social spending is lower)</p>	<p>MODEL B Based on a mechanistic notion of the State</p> <p>Democratic parliamentary system + (Individualistic orientated) market economy + Free market approach as economic philosophy + Tension between Welfare and Liberal State ideas + Relatively high social spending (± 20% of GDP) IN (1) Britain - tendency towards bureaucratic welfare state (b) (1979-) → (2) USA (a) (1933-1980) New Deal + Great Society (b) Reaganomics (1980-) → (3) Canada, Australia, New Zealand, etc.</p>	<p>Bourgeoisie controlled parliament + Laissez-faire Capitalism IN (1) Britain during 19th century (2) USA (1789-1933) Rugged Individualism after civil war. (3) France (1830-1914)</p>	<p>An authoritarian political system + A kind of State Capitalism IN (1) Nazi-Germany (1933-1945) (2) Fascism in Italy (1920-1945) (3) Franco's Spain (1939-1975) (4) Salazar's Portugal (1928-1974) (5) A milder form of authoritarian capitalism (plus emerging welfare state spending) in German Empire (1871-1918)</p>	<p>Gentry controlled parliament + Mercantilism (or Commercial Capitalism) IN Britain (1688-1832)</p>	<p>Bourbon Absolutism + Colbertism (Commercial capitalism) + Feudalism IN France (1661-1789)</p>
<p>Possible Economic System for a Democratic New S.A.</p> <p>← (C) ANC → (A) ← (B) NMP →</p> <p>Preferred System</p>							
<p>South Africa (since 1910-)</p> <p>Limited (White) Democracy + "Mixed Capitalism" with liberal and authoritarian elements + Well-developed welfare state for Whites + bureaucratic patronage for "Uncle Tom" + Discrimination against people other than White</p>							
<p>Countries in Central and South America but in some cases with socialistic elements</p>							
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