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# The Connotation Characteristics of Common Prosperity in the New Era

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### Abstract

*The common prosperity in the new era is rich in connotation, obvious in characteristics and close in logic, which is mainly summarized as “six aspects”. The connotation characteristics of common prosperity in the new era are all-round prosperity, all-round prosperity, gradual prosperity, differential prosperity, co-construction and sharing, and hard work and innovation. In terms of common prosperity in the new era, the realization of universal prosperity is its primary connotation, the realization of comprehensive prosperity is its development requirement, the gradual prosperity is its only way, the differential prosperity is its realistic attribution, the co-construction and sharing is its remarkable feature, and the hard work and innovation is its important principle.*

### Keywords

*national prosperity, full prosperity, gradual prosperity, co-construction and sharing, diligent innovation to get rich*

### 1. Introduction

The connotation characteristics of common prosperity in the new era are national prosperity, overall prosperity, gradual prosperity, differential prosperity, co-construction and sharing, and hard work and innovation. The fundamental meaning and primary feature of common prosperity in the new era is to enhance the well-being of all people and achieve national prosperity. Common prosperity in the new era requires all fields and all aspects to work together to build and coordinate development. It is a good state of development in all fields and all aspects of the whole society that is thriving, orderly and mutually reinforcing. The common prosperity in the new era emphasizes that all the people realize the prosperity of the same direction, which has strict time difference, logical difference and degree difference with simultaneous prosperity, simultaneous prosperity and equal prosperity. Common prosperity in the new

era has important characteristics of long-term and phased nature. It is a process that can only be gradually promoted and progressed steadily. It is a process that needs to be adhered to for a considerable period of time and cannot be achieved overnight. To achieve shared development is an important goal of socialism. To achieve common prosperity in the new era, it is based on the people's joint construction and shared by the people. In order to achieve common prosperity in the new era, we must refuse to "raise the lazy man" and "lie flat". Only through the joint labor of all the people can we create the production and living materials that meet the needs of the people. Hard work and innovation is an important way to achieve common prosperity in the new era.

## **2. Common Prosperity in the New Era Means Prosperity for All**

The fundamental essence and primary feature of common prosperity in the new era is to achieve common prosperity for all the people, not to achieve prosperity for only a part of the people, and the opposite of "all" is "most", "most", "small", "minority", and "part". Marx pointed out that the essence of man is "the product of relations". "People" is an important category of Marxism, the poverty of a single person is not the content of Marxism, the essence of human beings can only be understood as "class". "Every people" and "all the people" are the main object and main driving force for common prosperity in the new era, which stipulates that all the people of the Chinese nation cannot be left out or forgotten. "People" is the core word and keyword that the centennial has always emphasized, and common prosperity in the new era should benefit all the people, "solidly promote common prosperity, to better satisfy people's yearning for a better life is the unswerving goal".

Common prosperity in the new era is the fundamental direction of promoting the realization of the second centenary goal, and the connotation and characteristics of common prosperity in the new era can be understood as that under the new historical orientation, the Central Committee has organically integrated the development concept of shared development and the value concept of the people first. It should be emphasized that although common prosperity in the new era is a new achievement of the Sinicization of the Marxist theory of common prosperity, with the proposal of the "community of human destiny", the Central Committee has extended the main body of common prosperity in the new era from all the people of the Chinese nation to the people of the whole world. "The development we pursue is development that benefits the people, and the prosperity we pursue is common prosperity for all the people", the president said. The people are the main body of common prosperity in the new era, and the process of advancing common prosperity in the new era is to realize common prosperity that puts people first and upholds the value of people first. This process needs to give full play to people's subjective initiative, and the people are the leading force in sharing and achieving common prosperity. All the people are the main body and main force in the process of achieving solid common prosperity in the new era, and they are the beneficiaries of the fruits of common prosperity development in the

new era.

### **3. Common Prosperity in the New Era is All-round Prosperity**

Based on the realization of the aspirations and needs of all people for social life, and based on the joint contribution and sharing of development achievements by all people, the President placed the solid promotion of common prosperity in the strategic position of the country, pointing out: “We must focus on solving the needs and urgent aspirations of the people, so that the people can share the fruits of economic, political, cultural, social and ecological development”. Common prosperity in the new era does not only focus on material prosperity, but requires the overall development of economic development, democracy and the rule of law, ideology and culture, fairness and justice, social governance, and environmental protection. The Central Committee has made strategic plans from the overall plan of “five-in-one”. It is emphasized that the coordinated, high and unified development of material civilization, political civilization, spiritual civilization, social civilization and ecological civilization is the essential feature of common prosperity in the new era, which expands the extension of the realization of material prosperity and spiritual prosperity, and the Central Committee ensures that the tall buildings are erected at the same time, but also ensure that the spiritual buildings stand side by side.

“All-round prosperity” is to realize the comprehensive progress of social civilization and the free and all-round development of all the people, and it is the value requirement of showing the core socialist values at the national, social and individual levels. “All-round prosperity” means that the core competitiveness is among the best in the world, the realization of high-quality development in all fields, the realization of a high degree of material civilization, and the building of a strong and prosperous socialist country; It means the formation of a democratic socialist country with both centralism and democracy, discipline and freedom, and full protection of the rights and interests of the people. It means that the whole society will vigorously carry forward the mainstream consciousness, and all the people will realize a peaceful and happy life, social fairness and justice will be fully demonstrated, and a harmonious socialist country will be built. It means that a beautiful ecological environment with blue sky, green land and clear water has become a common norm, and harmonious coexistence between man and nature will build a beautiful socialist country.

### **4. Common Prosperity in the New Era Means Gradual Prosperity**

Marxism points out that the development of things is a spiral and a wave of progress, which indicates that the realization of common prosperity in the new era must be a gradual process. “Promoting common prosperity for all people is a long-term task”, the president said. Based on the late start time of development, large population base and other reasons, although it’s rapid economic development and

good momentum of development, but it's basic national conditions will not change for a long time, urban and rural development gap, industrial development gap and personal income distribution gap is still large, different people not only achieve high or low levels of prosperity, Time will also have the first and the second, which determines that the realization of common prosperity in the new era is not an overnight achievement, but a very long and arduous process. With the development of society and the changes in people's needs for a better life in all aspects, common prosperity in the new era is not something that can be achieved once and for all, but a process of dynamic development, which requires all people to work tirelessly to move forward and abandon the rush for quick success.

Common prosperity is not "walking in step" at the same time of prosperity, time will have first and then, with non-synchronicity. China is still in the primary stage of socialism, which determines that the road to common prosperity in the new era is long, time is tight, and the task is heavy, which requires all the people to work steadily, according to its ability, and complete it step by step. On the journey of steadily promoting common prosperity, the Central Committee has set three time nodes: the first key point is to take solid steps to achieve common prosperity for all the people by 2020, the second key point is to achieve more tangible progress in achieving common prosperity for all people by 2035, the third key point is that by the middle of this century, common prosperity for all people will be basically realized. These strategic arrangements are not only a major plan for the development of socialist modernization with Chinese characteristics, but also the only way to gradually achieve common prosperity for all the people.

### **5. Common Prosperity in the New Era is Differential Prosperity**

"Common prosperity" is different from "equal prosperity", "synchronous prosperity" and "simultaneous prosperity". Whether it is "equal prosperity", "simultaneous prosperity" or "simultaneous prosperity", it is not in line with the actual situation of current social development. "Simultaneous prosperity" means that all people achieve prosperity at the same time, "simultaneous prosperity" means that all people achieve common prosperity at the same stage in step, and "equal prosperity" means that all people have the same material and spiritual wealth. Common prosperity in the new era is not egalitarianism, it is not killing the rich to help the poor, it is not the same level of prosperity and the same speed of prosperity for all people, but on the basis of universal prosperity for all people, common prosperity with differences. Differential prosperity is determined by the laws and characteristics of the socialist economy. Due to the differences in regional development, industrial development and individual development, it is determined that the only way to get rich is to realize the "first rich" to drive the "later rich", and finally realize the common prosperity of all the people.

Common prosperity in the new era requires both general prosperity and recognition of differential prosperity. Differential affluence is the differential affluence based on the general affluence of the new

era, and the general affluence is the general affluence that recognizes the differential affluence. Differential prosperity is a certain reflection of unbalanced social and economic development, and it requires that distribution must be adhered to according to work. To achieve common prosperity in the new era, adhere to efficiency and fairness, first of all, to curb polarization, polarization is not common prosperity in the new era, encouraging some people to get rich first, some people get rich first, will play a demonstration and leading role in other people, and then effectively stimulate people's enterprising spirit and spirit of struggle; secondly, the people who have become rich first take the initiative to help poor households catch up as soon as possible with the advantages of their experience, technology and capital, forming a harmonious and good situation in which the advanced help the backward and catch up with the advanced.

#### **6. Common Prosperity in the New Era is a Matter of Joint Efforts and Shared Benefits**

Common prosperity in the new era adheres to the inherent unity of building by all the people as the path and method and sharing by all the people as the value destination, which reflects that common prosperity in the new era is an organic unity of co-creation and shared development fruits. "Joint contribution" means that everyone contributes, helps each other and builds together. "Joint contribution" is both a requirement and a means to achieve common prosperity in the new era. Workers, farmers, self-employed people, entrepreneurs, civil servants and freelancers are all important forces actively participating in the realization of common prosperity in the new era. The main body of common prosperity in the new era is the people, and common prosperity in the new era is the crystallization of the people's joint cooperation, joint creation and common wisdom.

"Shared development" is the value concept and path guiding the realization of "common prosperity in the new era". "Common prosperity in the new era" is the goal and essence of "shared development". The realization of common prosperity needs to be guided by the concept of shared development, and the fruits of development should be shared by all people from the institutional level, so as to lay a solid institutional foundation for the realization of common prosperity. Shared development is the means and goal of the new development concept and the interpretation of Marxist distributive justice thought in a new era. The essence of the sharing issue is the issue of distribution. In the process of promoting "common prosperity in the new era" through "shared development", we must adhere to the principle of distribution according to work, fairness and justice, and the dominant position of public ownership. We will strive to achieve the sound development of "making the cake bigger" and "dividing the cake well", and promote the coordinated development of primary distribution, redistribution and tertiary distribution. To achieve a transition from shared prosperity for all, we must rely on the people and share the fruits of development with the people, and take the realization of human freedom and all-round development as the guiding value.

## 7. Common Prosperity in the New Era is Prosperity through Hard Work and Innovation

To achieve common prosperity in the new era encourages all the people to get rich through hard work and innovation. “To solidly promote common prosperity, we must adhere to the working people as the main body. Rely on labor creation as the fundamental means.” To achieve common prosperity in the new era, only through the hard hands of all the people, united, hard work, and arduous struggle can all the people finally get rid of poverty and achieve common prosperity. “Labor is the only way to success”, the president said. All the people should use their industrious hands to sow the seeds of common prosperity in the new era, and use their hard work to water the seedlings of common prosperity in the new era, so that they can germinate and grow, and finally grow into towering trees, and ultimately benefit the people.

“Common prosperity depends on hard work and wisdom”, the president said. Common prosperity in the new era requires all the people to carry forward the spirit of innovation with diligence as the top priority, and to fully develop the spirit of hard work, unity, hard work and innovation. Only by working diligently, promoting hard work and simplicity, guarding against arrogance and impediuousness, and being down-to-earth can we all make the basic preparations for achieving common prosperity in the new era. Only by forging ahead in spite of difficulties and hardships can we overcome difficulties and obstacles in the process of promoting common prosperity. All people should respond to the call, be bold and innovative, and pool their wisdom, bearing in mind that the strategy of innovation-driven development provides a driving force for the solid advancement of common prosperity. All the people should continue to increase the enthusiasm for innovation, become leaders who dare to innovate and start businesses for prosperity, accelerate the transformation of traditional industries into new and high-tech industries, and constantly stimulate the innovation vitality of enterprises, so as to provide a steady source of driving force for the realization of common prosperity in the new era.

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