

[Examrace: Downloaded from examrace.com \[https://www.examrace.com/\]](https://www.examrace.com/)

For solved question bank visit [doorsteptutor.com \[https://www.doorsteptutor.com\]](https://www.doorsteptutor.com) and for free video lectures visit

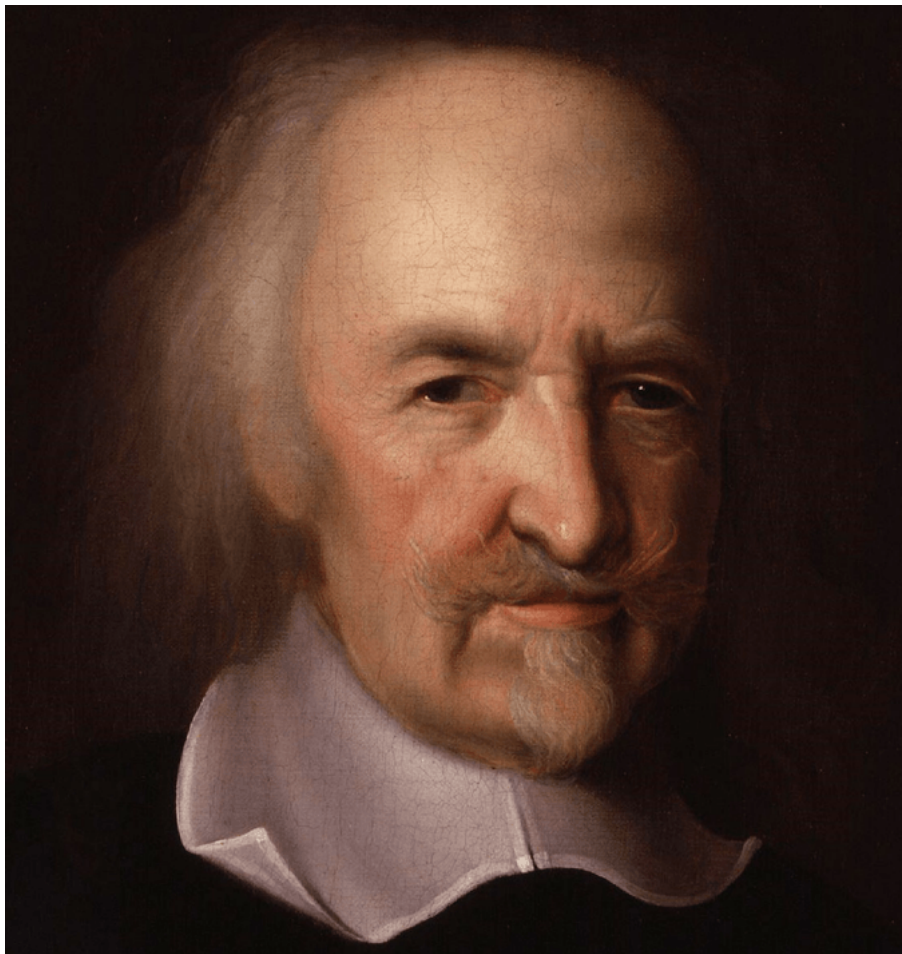
[Examrace YouTube Channel \[https://youtube.com/c/Examrace/\]](https://youtube.com/c/Examrace/)

Thomes Hobbes Western Political Thoughts for NET, IAS, State-SET (KSET, WBSET, MPSET, etc.), GATE, CUET, Olympiads etc. (2023)

Get top class preparation for competitive exams right from your home: [get questions, notes, tests, video lectures and more \[https://www.doorsteptutor.com/\]](https://www.doorsteptutor.com/) - for all subjects of your exam.

[Thomes Hobbes: Western Political Thought Its Nature, Analysis, Social Contract \(Political Science\) \[https://youtu.be/_gCG9hKSkv4\]](https://youtu.be/_gCG9hKSkv4)

First Social contract philosopher



Important Concepts

- State of Nature
- Analysis of human nature

- Social contract
- Sovereignty
- Natural Law
- Natural Right

State of Nature

- A hypothetical condition .
- People living in before coming in contract.
- A condition of perpetual peace and fear.
- Might is right.
- War of all against all.
- There were no state controls and regulations.
- Every individual is the competitor of the other.
- Living in conflictual condition.
- Every one is potential enemy of the other.

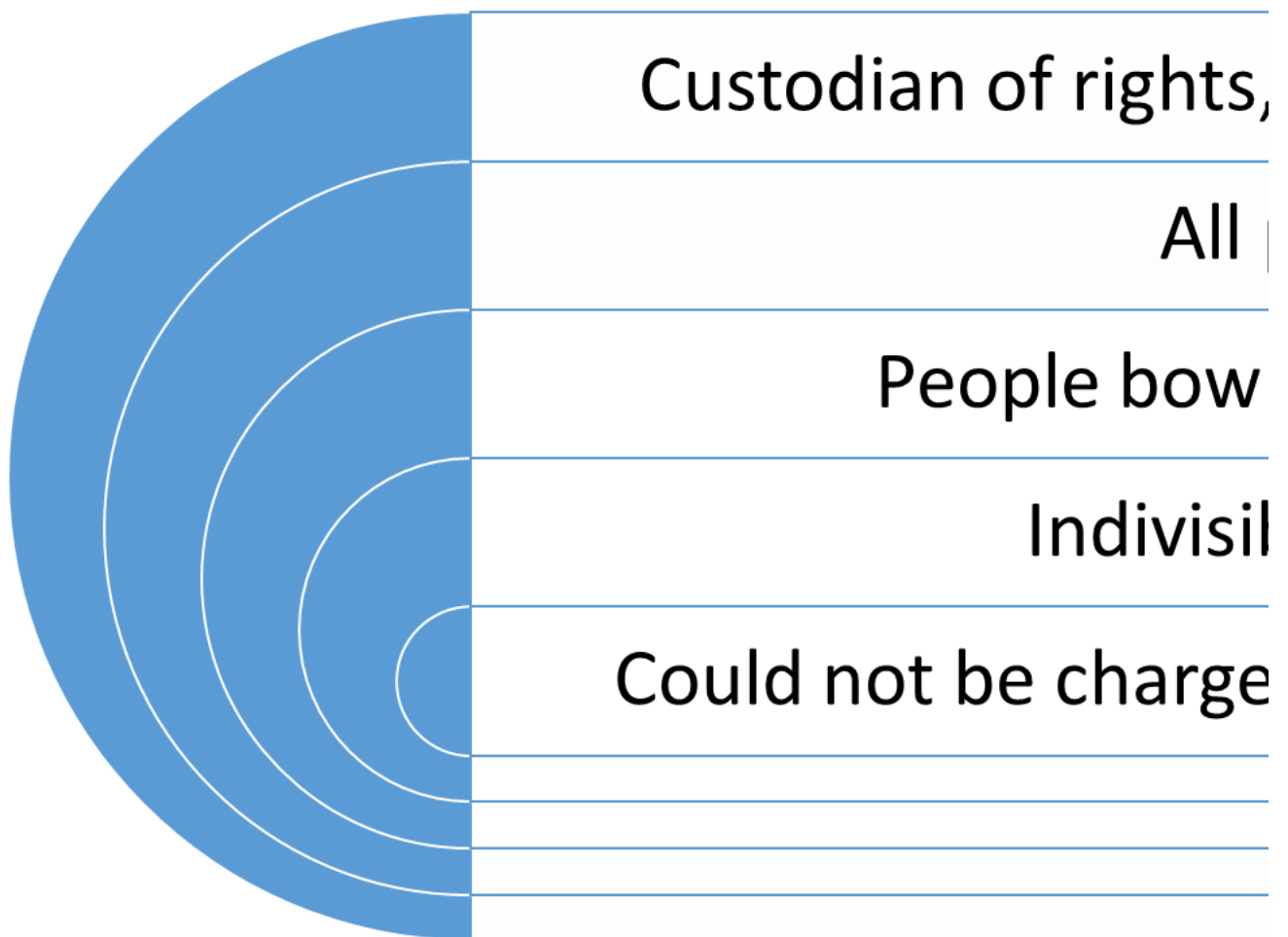
Analysis of Human Nature

- Man is poor , nasty, brutish, savage and solitary.
- Self – centered.
- Has his own concept of pleasure-pain, good- bad.
- An uncivilized creature.
- Presents a dark picture of human nature.

Social Contract

- The life of state of nature forced to enter into contract.
- For perseverance or protection of rights they contract.
- Arrived at through covenants.
- Contract is one way.
- People surrender their rights to sovereign.
- People are the only party to contract.

Sovereignty



- Sovereign can not be unjust.
- Final authority to approve all contract.
- Should not be disobeyed.
- Accountable to none for his actions.
- This makes Hobbes an absolutist.

Natural Law

Natural laws are- 'im
and eternal'

That every man mus
according to others

That none by his actio
hate anybody

That all men who me
peace be allowed safe

Natural Rights

