# Analysis of Panchama Bhava (Mundane Astrology & Speculation)

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In Astrology, each bhava signifies several karakattwas both in natal and mundane astrology.

Fifth Bhava is known among other things for Children, Poorvapunya, speculation etc., in personal astrology and for national pleasures, enjoyments, entertainment, film industry, sports, racing, lotteries etc., in mundane astrology. This article discusses 5<sup>th</sup> Bhava in personal astrology in relation to speculation and gains or losses in relation thereto and for various aspects in mundane astrology.

# Fifth Bhava in Mundane Astrology:

In Mundane Astrology, the nature of a planet whether benefic or malefic has a greater role to play than in natal astrology.

The Fifth house has relation to all forms of national pleasures, enjoyments, entertainment, film, industry, film studios, theatres, cinema halls, public parks, high society, actors, all forms of speculation in their pleasurable aspects, sports, stadiums, racing, lotteries, children, birth rate, adopted children, boards of education, schools and colleges, stock exchanges, morals scandals arising from immortality, crime related to immortality, public investment, upper legislative house, public happiness, foreign diplomats, political funds and resources of political parties in opposition, gains from mining operations, mentality and policies of the ruler, public emotions, danger to the ruler etc.,

The lunation falling in the fifth house will activate the matters of the fifth house will activate the matters of the fifth house and bring them to the forefront. When well aspected it will bring benefits to the educational institutions, public investment, sports, mining industry etc., If the lunation is evilly aspected, then all results contrary to the above will come to pass.

The Sun in the fifth is favourable for educational matters, children, and theatres generally. If evilly aspected, it denotes losses to places of amusement, heavy expenses, and illness and death of noted artists.

The Moon in the fifth, well aspected, shows that the people generally will be inclined to amusements, Mercury shows activity in theatrical circles, ews plays, and ventures; is good for educational matters and those which affect children and their welfare. Venus in the fifth, well aspected, tends to increase the birth rate, benefits theatres and denotes honours to prominent artists. Mars in the fifth brings troubles to thetres, such as fires and disturbances, crime against women. Jupiter in the fifth benefits all matters coming under the rule of this house, is favourable for schools and education. Saturn in the fifth lowers birth rate, shows much troble of women and

children illness and high mortality from disease. Uranus in the fifth cases explosions in theatres, schools and aversely affects educational matters. Neptune in the fifth house denotes much vice and immortality, disturbs educational affairs and denotes a great increase in betting and gambling. If the above planets are afflicted of evilly aspected, the negative results would occur/magnified.

## **Fifth Bhava for Speculation in Natal Chart:**

Look to the Fifth house of the natal chart, which indicates money to be made through speculation Successful results will be obtained if the Sun, Moon, Venus, Jupiter or Neptune (the planet of speculation) are in the 5<sup>th</sup> house or on its cusp. Losses will occur if Mars, Saturn, Uranus or Pluto are involved.

However, an afflicted Jupiter or Neptune in the fifth house is indicative of bad judgement, due to overoptimism, while a well aspected Saturn in the fifth house would indicate caution.

The conservative investor will probably have Saturn in either the Second or Fifth house. Such an individual should put his or her surplus funds into fixed income securities.

A movable sign on 5<sup>th</sup> house, denotes quickness of execution and decision in all enterprises, even in all sales and purchases, as also the necessary dash for enterprise and speculation coupled with some amount of haste and lack of forethought, since the 5<sup>th</sup> house governs intellect and imagination (the strength of mind i.e., mental acumen).

A fixed sign on 5<sup>th</sup> does not give much incentive or love for speculation and it might give apathy and indifference to such, unless indicated by some planets in certain positions. But, when the interest is indicated through the planets and aspects between them, such may not leave in one's life.

A common sign denotes much vacillation and indecision in buying and selling. If watery and also Common (Pisces), it gives great hesitancy and indecision with even loss of opportunities, hence watery signs on the 5<sup>th</sup> are not usually strong unless well aspected by benefic planets but may give at best fritful imagination.

Fiery signs rinsing on the 1<sup>st</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> give Zeal, inthusiasm, energy, vigour, intellect and inspiration but lack of adjustment to the changing conditions. Native fares best in doing things himself believing in and relying upon self effort and personal execution. SSagittarius on the 1<sup>st</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> house being fiery and belonging to Jupiter gives an inordinate zeal and enthusiasm for spports and speculation, more so in the presence of other supporting indications of which an aspect of Mars is the most important to install the Confidence and even dash.

Earthy signs confer carefulness, methodicity, worldly wisdom, tact, practicality, plodding and persevaring nature with a thoroughly materialistic bent of mind. One can fare best in all matters concerning money, business, agriculture and dealings in commodities

Airy signs confer intellectuality, intuition, imagination, refinement, ingenuity, artistic and idealistic nature. They fare best as advisors and planners.

Watery signs confer changeability, inertial, indolence, dreamy and emotional nature, but excellent and fertile imagination, and the ability to visualize into the future prospects of any business proposition or scheme.

For Speculation, best combination is Fiery sign and Moveable sign to be on the 5<sup>th</sup>, which comes for Sagittarius ascendant natives where Aries, a moveable and fiery sign becomes the Fifth house. Sagittarius and Leo also being fiery signs offer good scope for speculation being common and fixed signs, Jupiter, being the planet of enterprise and dash make one take a plunge into speculation.

5<sup>th</sup> House, its lord and the planets therein denote the enterprising spirit and the love of taking hazards in speculation and in all games of chance. Consider the lord of a house and its strength by sign and aspects as well as the lord of the house wherein the former is situated in judging the affairs of that house

Jupiter and Mars have affinity with all kinds of speculation whether in stocks, commodities or racing. Mercury, Venus and the Moon are connected with cross words, card games etc., Venus has governance over all sports and amusements, Mercury, Jupiter, Moon govern trade and business. Planets in such signs that are harmonious to their nature are usually strong. E.g., Mars, a fiery planet in any fiery sign, Mercury, an intellectual planet in any airy sign.

# **Gains/Luck Through Speculation:**

Jupiter in the 5<sup>th</sup> house, unsuspected by other planet, especially by Mars, even when strong, does not of itself gives one the incentive to speculation but it confines one to moderation and economy in life. When well aspected, it promises gains in a steady and continual manner.

Venus in the 5<sup>th</sup> house gives inordinate interest in speculation, in all kinds of sports and in all pleasurable pursuits, and when strong, native gets immensely benefitted with the element of luck always assisting.

The Moon in the 5<sup>th</sup> house give the native the taste for speculation, and when strong, decent gains in cards and racing.

Mercury in the 5<sup>th</sup> house, especially when in advance of Sun, may give the native a speculative turn of mind, but Mercury being a vacillating planet and does not make one stick for long to any one line of speculation, it is beneficial for success in crosswords rather than other modes of speculation.

Uranus or even Neptune, in the 5<sup>th</sup> house when strong and well aspected makes one receive excellent windfall gains quite unexpectedly.

## **Loss/Ill Luck Through Speculation:**

When Venus is afflicted in the 5<sup>th</sup> House, native pursues diverse modes of speculation with little concentration on any, with inordinate zeal and meet with losses.

Jupiter in the 5<sup>th</sup> house, especially when afflicted by Mars, forebodes much ruin and waste not only through trustees and litigation but also through hazardous ventures underataken through bank overdrafts and other kinds of indebtedness and thus by overreaching one's financial resources.

Jupiter afflicted by Mars, even in any part of horoscope, when especially either planet is connected with 5<sup>th</sup> house by lordship or aspect, is the worst aspect in the whole gamut of inharmonious aspects and works out one's ruin. Mars is the bitterest enemy of Jupiter when in bad aspect. It makes one a violent gambler or a loser of fortune by undue, immoderate and reckless behavior and inordinate optimism.

Mars in the 5<sup>th</sup> house makes one a violent speculator with no mature foresight ebstlowed on the prospects of any schemes launched upon. One may suffer from lack of adherence to principles. But when Mars is strong, it may not give losses in speculation.

Saturn in 5<sup>th</sup> usually chills the enthusiasm for speculation, but when embarked upon, causes losses and persistent bad luck.

Uranus when afflicted brings about heavy losses unexpectedly.

# **Favourable Factors for Speculation:**

When ruler of the  $5^{th}$  or the  $2^{nd}$  house is located in the  $2^{nd}$ ,  $5^{th}$ , or  $9^{th}$  house or is angular, especially in the  $1^{st}$  or the  $10^{th}$  house and well aspected, or when he is in good aspect to the  $7^{th}$  or the  $5^{th}$  house much success and prosperity dawns on the native.

When the Lord of lagna is located in the 5<sup>th</sup> house, love of and even competence and success in speculation are indicated, the measure of success depending on the sign, strength and aspects.

Jupiter aspecting Venus harmoniously when ruling the 5<sup>th</sup> house or when situated therein promises immense success, both in speculation and business.

For the Money to be made in speculation, consider 8<sup>th</sup> house i.e., 2<sup>nd</sup> house of opponent, 8<sup>th</sup> Lord should have connection of Lord of 1 and 2 i.e., native or native's finance house. If such connection comes through conjuction, sextile and trines, success comes through delay or difficulty. Opposition shows success which comes with lot of effort and risk and it might not be worthwhile.

## **Conclusion:**

Analysis of any bhava is a matter of experience as certain favourable and unfavourable combinations exist in natal chart and only an experienced astrologer would be able to guide the native with the net effect of such combination based on transit, dasa etc., and suggest remedial measures for unfavourable combinations.

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