

Knowing Profession is an Art

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Abstract — Knowing profession is an art. Indian Astrology gives some ideas to determine a profession with the help of planetary significations along with suitable bhavas (cusp) and rasi karakas. Apart from this western astrology also gives some idea about profession with some sensitive zone. Hence here we are going to discuss both Indian and Western Astrology to know about profession.

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1. Introduction

The Meridian (M.C) is known as the tenth cusp, the point at right angles to the pole at the time of birth. The tenth house is prominently the house of profession. Profession is also depended on educational qualification and mental qualities of native, which needs examination of the fourth and fifth house in the horoscope. Profession can be classified as follows,

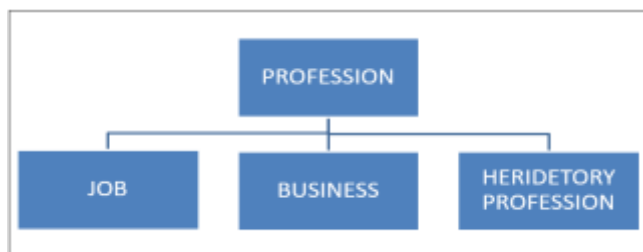


Fig.1: Classification of Profession

1.1 Job

The tenth cusp deals profession, second house signifies earning. Sixth house signifies services to do for some concern. If 10th lord is connected to 2nd, 6th and 11th by means of related planets, then the native can get a job. If the sun is strongly involved in these combinations, then the native may get Government job.

1.2 Business

The 5th cusp negates the sixth cusp activities. That means 5th cusp negates to do services. Hence, if 10th cusp strongly signify 2,5,7 and 11, then one can do business. Here 7th bhava signifies public and business partner.

1.3 Hereditary Profession

Ancestors' Profession: If 10,9 and 5th houses related to one another by their lords or planets posited in the above

cusps along with the Sun then the native can follow hereditary profession. *Cultivation or Agriculture:* India is an agricultural country. Hence 10,5,6 and 9th cusps are strongly connected to one another with the supporting planets, Mars, Saturn and Moon, then the native can do forming or cultivation.

2. Nature of Profession

The nature of profession can be studied from the 10th cusp, the planets posited in 10th cusp and the position of lord of 10th cusp. Traditional astrology takes the combined result of Bhava karakatwa, Graha karakatwa, Rasi karaktwas, planetary conjunction and aspect for prediction, whereas western astrology consider degree of cusp, additional planets Uranus, Neptune, Pluto and degree wise aspect like semi sextile 300, sextile 600 etc.,

2.1 Classifications of Signs

Twelve zodiac signs are classified into groups like (1) Movable, Fixed, and Common signs and (2) Fiery, land, airy, aquatic. These classifications of signs also give an idea about the nature of the profession. It may also play key role in judging the type of profession.

Table 1. Sign classifications

Sl. No.	Name of the Classified Sign	Signs Name	Nature of Profession
1	The Fiery	Aries, Leo, Sagittarius	Active work, fire, iron, metals, tools usage, army, police, weapons, lab, efficiency in work.
2	The Earthy	Taurus, Virgo, Capricorn	Manual work, hard work with patience, cultivation, employment in buildings, mining, any official work.
3	The Airy	Gemini, Libra, Aquarius	Intellectual, scientists, literary work, teaching, coaching, skill-based job, lawyer, argument, poet, communication, artistic pursuits, publishers, draftsmen, clerk, reporter.

4	The Watery	Cancer, Scorpio, Pisces	Motivation, dealers, soft and domestic goods, fabrics, painting, water and milk, chemical, wine, washing clothes like laundry.
5	Movable	Aries, cancer, Libra, Capricorn	Ability to take up pioneer work, new and innovative thoughts and presentation. Aspiring and Ambitious, never rest till own the mastering.
6	Fixed	Taurus, Leo, Scorpio, Aquarius	Ability to plod and work industriously, Patience, determination, diplomatic approach, civil services, run the business which is already established, stable and conventional, navy etc.
7	Common	Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius, Pisces	Better to do service or rendering services to any concern than master, an agent, marketing, mediating, counselling, clerk, travelling agency, teacher, professor, scholars, intellectuals, philosophers, public limited company job wearing uniforms, public relation

The nature of profession is depended on the above group in which native's ascendants, or tenth cusp, or their lord posited strongly. The nature or profession and traits of a native depends on majority of planets are placed in the above group.

Table 2. The sensitive zone and the probable professions

Sensitive degree	Aries & Libra	Taurus & Scorpio	Gemini & Sagittarius	Cancer & Capricorn	Leo & Aquarius	Virgo & Pisces
1 ⁰ to 3 ⁰	Police, detectives, explorers, discoverer	Mathematicians, Ethnologists	Publishers, Advertising, Agents, Mediators	Lawyers, smiths	Linguistics, Photographers, Fishing, pearls	Socialist
4 ⁰ to 6 ⁰	Boxers, Army, police, Teachers, Philosophers, spiritualists	Actors, Philosophers, Distillers	Glass, Actors, Manufacturer	Cultivation, Plumber, Geologist, Botany and Zoology	Astrologers, Palmists, Optician, Merchants	Zoologist, Astrologer
7 ⁰ to 9 ⁰	Philosophers, Mathematician, Jockey	Draftsman, Engravers, Architects, Painters, Surveyors, Sculptors, Civil	Scientists	Gold mine, God smith, Anthropology	Psychiatrists	Surgeons

		engineer		Ethnology		
10 ⁰ to 12 ⁰	General Actors, Diplomats	Opticians, Watch makers, Digital work, Mathematicians, Astronomers, Astrologers, Bankers, Writing and Publishing	Scholars, Musicians	Musicians, Silk merchant, Perfume seller	Manufacturer, Psychologist	Hair dresser, Zoologist, Botanists
13 ⁰ to 15 ⁰	Spirituals, Doctor, Soap & detergent, Seed merchant, Orators	Languages, Journalist, Grammarian, Literature, Book sellers	Army, Navy, Air force, Criminologist, Anatomists, Shipping, Brokerage, Banker, Pan broking	Skinners and Tanners, Lawyers, Judges, Philosphers	Musicians, Dancers, Chemists, Paper industry, Photography	Coal mining, Dentists, Sculpture, Soldiers, Sailors, Butcher, Gun factory
16 ⁰ to 18 ⁰	Coach, Musicians, Teachers, Sugar merchant, Astrologers, Architects, Civil engineering, Steel worker	Painters, Musicians, Perfume maker, And sellers, Furniture business, Dealers	Historians, Chronologist, Paper mill	Diplomats, States man, Chemist, Philosphers, Pathologists	Clothiers, Tailors, Launderers, Woolen, Theologics	Police, Railway, Gold smith, Cloth Manufacturer
19 ⁰ to 21 ⁰	Builder, Carpenters, Electricians, Stock broker	Lawyer, Orator, Chemists, Post man, Chauffer	Economists, Financiers, Bankers, Insurance, Mathematicians	Poets, Painters, Sculptors, Musicians, Actors & Grocers	Grain merchant, Actors, Investors, Engineers, Fisherman	Sports man, Hunter, Lawyer, Doctor, Banker

22 ⁰ to 24 ⁰	House agent Tobacco business Cultivation Painter Timber depot Rubber business	Reformers Interpreters Antigens	Philosophers Men of religions	Oil products Chemists Teachers Meteorologist	Sailors Historians Men of religion	Catering Dancer Musicians Poets Lawyers Directors
25 ⁰ to 27 ⁰	Gardener Engineers Bio tech Forest related Astronomy Botanists Nutrition	Orators Scholars Professor Carpenter Railway	Railway Tennis Cricket Game	Versatile and High minded Carriers	Shipping Builders Novelists Craft	Electrician Orators
28 ⁰ to 30 ⁰	Politician	Stock broker Scientist, Astrologers Composers Investors Grocer	Astrologers Palmists Soldiers Sailors	Comedians Nurse Veterinary Surgeons	Story writer Barber Painter	Active Carrier Work for others

The above tabular column refers the degree of 10th cusp, the position of 10th lord, Ascendant degree of zodiac sign which will give some idea of profession.

Table 3. Example Rasi of a Superintendent in judicial department

Ma18 ⁰ Mer11 ⁰ Ven06 ⁰			Asc 26 ⁰
Moon25 ⁰ Ket21 ⁰	Superintendent in judicial department 23-04-1979, 11-20 am, Bellary, Karnataka, India		Ju06 ⁰
			Sa 13 ⁰ Ra 21 ⁰

3. Analysis

- The degree of 10th cusp is Pisces 220-501. From the table given above we can see profession “Lawyer”. It means judicial. Common sign signifies rendering service.
- Jupiter, Mars, Saturn, Sun signify law and order, Judicial Department. Here we can see Jupiter is 10th

lord, Mars is leading planet placed in 10th cusp Pisces near to 190 (“Lawyer” given in the table).

- The 10th lord Jupiter is in Saturn star and Sun is trine to Saturn. Hence the native is working as Superintendent.

4. Conclusion

There are several methods of prediction in Astrology with which we can find one’s profession. The strongest planet, the planet leading with higher degree in the sign, the planetary position in Navamsa can also help to determine the profession. Similar results obtained through different methods help identify the right profession for a person. Hence, finding profession from a Horoscope is an art.

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