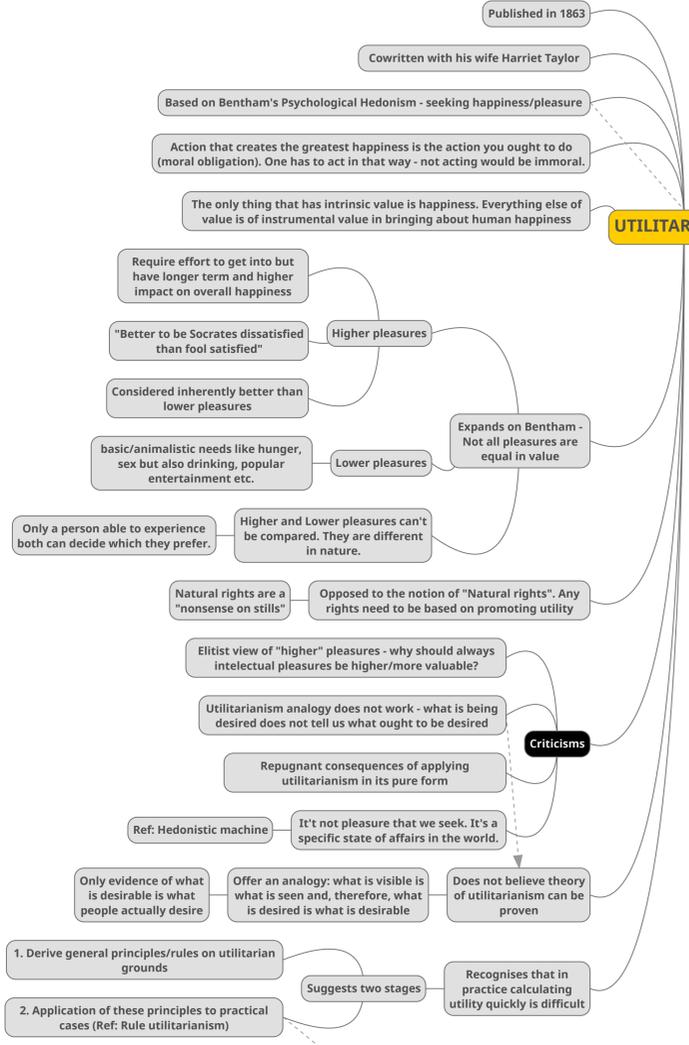


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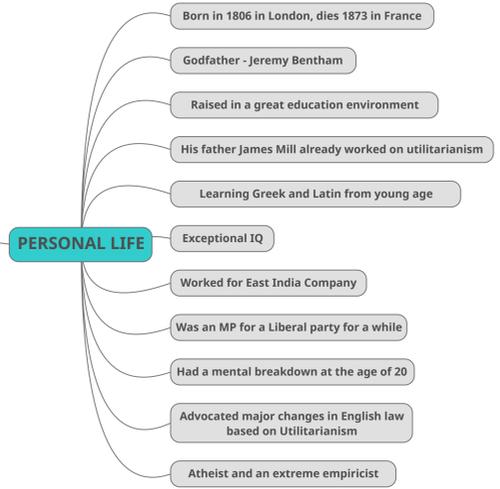
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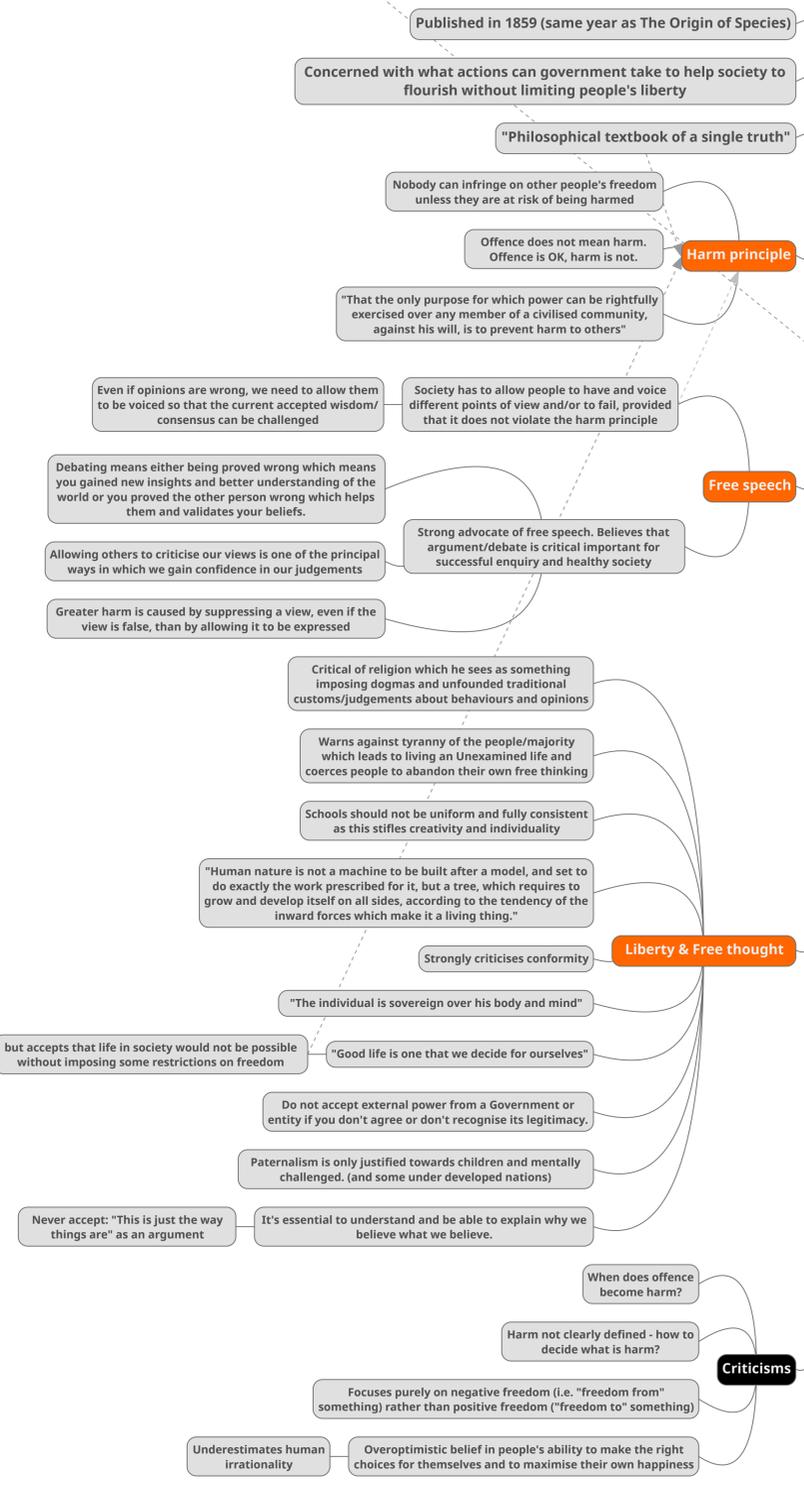


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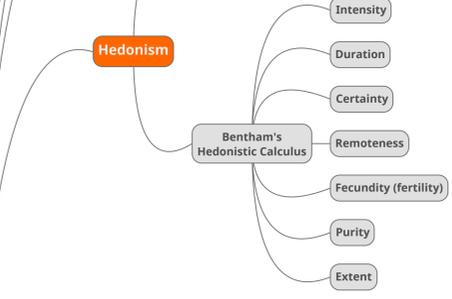
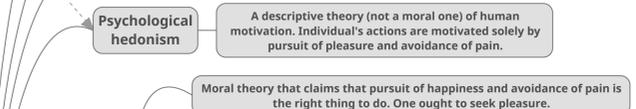
## ON LIBERTY



Jeremy Bentham's merit is not in the doctrine of utilitarianism but in his vigorous application of it to various practical problems.

Utilitarianism originally advocated by Hutcheson already in 1725

Utilitarian ethic is democratic and anti-romantic



A moral theory that the right action is that one that maximises general (aggregate) happiness.

Utilitarians deny the importance of motives as they believe actions are anyway always motivated by pursuit of pleasure

Criticism: (especially act) utilitarianism does not allow a "line in a sand" to protect individual's integrity.

