

Dashas and Transits

Dasha & conducive Transits together are very important factor for fructification of results / events. It is a very common saying that Dasha shows the direction (Disha). According to the Parashari system, dasha at the time of birth (TOB) is calculated using the Janam Nakshatra which-in-turn determines from the Longitude of Moon. The Order of the Sequence of the Dasha's pertaining to 09 nos astrological planets is cyclic i.e. Ketu (07 Years); Venus (20 Years); Sun (06 Years); Moon (10 Years); Mars (07 Years); Rahu (18 Years); Jupiter (16 Years); Saturn (19 Years) and Mercury (17 Years). The total span of all the Dashas is 120 Years. Depending upon the Janam Nakshatra, the Order of Sequence is determined. Each Dasha system is unique in itself & having capability to give results or turn around the things in one's life depending upon its Lordships; Placement; PAC connections; Strength etc. There are different schools of thoughts regarding this total span but most common one is that in earlier times people used to live longer & used to experience all the above-mentioned Dasha's but now since the average life expectancy has been reduced due to various socio-economic (including environmental) factors, therefore, now it is not possible for any person (native) to experience all the Dasha's system.

As we know that all planets are rotating bodies that are constantly rotating / moving around the Zodiac in different Signs / Rashi's with different speed's. For instance, Saturn is considered to be as the planet having lowest speed & generally remains in one Sign / Rashi @ 2.5 Years. Similarly, rest of the planets also moves / remains in the Sign as per their respective speed's. This mechanism is called as **Transits**. Out of all the planets; transits of the outer planets namely Jupiter & Saturn have been given / assigned special powers to give their necessary clearance for any event(s) like birth; marriage; children etc to be happened or takes place. This process is called as "**Double Transits Clearance**". With the help of transits; usually timing / estimation of occurrence of an event is determined.

Illustration for determination of Dasha Pattern / Sequence as per Janam Nakshatra :-

Suppose at the time of birth, **Longitude of Moon** :- 1^s 01 degree (Taurus 01 Degree) = **31 degrees**.

Here, 1^s means One Sign Pass and 1 Sign / Rashi is equivalent to **30 degrees**. 1 degree = **60 minutes**

Now, Janam Nakshatra = $\frac{\text{Longitude of Moon}}{13 \text{ degree } 20 \text{ minutes}} = \frac{31}{13.333} = 2.325$ i.e. (Third Nakshatra, 2 Charan)

As per Order of Sequence of the Nakshatra's, 3rd **Nakshatra is "KRITTIKA"** whose lord is **Sun**. Therefore, prevailing Dasha at the time of birth (TOB) is of Sun, followed by Moon ; Mars; Rahu; Jupiter....so on & henceforth