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AFFIRMATIVE

POINTS

Oakwood AK,

Abhi Karthikeyan

29.2

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Young Genius GH

Grace Huang

26.

The better debating was done by the AFF from Oakwood AK
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Signed: clm

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

well presented.

why doesn't say
your ga under
page is supercede?

what is your contention
2e:

are excess / poor developing countries?
a Not strong re questioning ←

found a rock that is about 1
Co2.

money can be used to save
environment.

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Young Genius AS

Anish Sundar

27.8

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Young Genius AnAg

Animesh Agrawal

28.0

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Signed: Chitrang Seshadri

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

The Aff case was based on the point that by not doing resource extraction there would be better social welfare and prevention of deaths due to accidents. The Neg case made the point that technological advancement has addressed safety issues. I would have liked to see stronger, irrefutable evidence on the Aff side. The Aff case could have also insisted on stronger evidence of technological advancements addressing safety issues.

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Young Genius ST

Soumya Turumella

25

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Silver Creek BB

Bhargavi Bhatt

27

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION: Topic: Development Country Value Environmental Protection over resource extraction

AFF (1:4 min) (2:15)
Value: Societal welfare

Criterion: ESI

C1: Environ Protect Δ Social welfare

Pollution $\rightarrow$ economic loss $\checkmark$
 $\rightarrow$ 7.7-110.3% economic loss

C2: Environmental Health $\rightarrow$ Health Δ
 $\rightarrow$ reduced childhood mortality
agricultural produce $\rightarrow$ healthy environ
pesticides

C2: Survival Report on global warming
 Δ 2°C rise = elisive

Facebook link
Destruction of human/art system
 $\rightarrow$ food destruction
Ext reliance on fossil fuel
cut law action

Environmental Protection
protects for quality of
life

fossil fuel
all resource
used in combustion

Prioritize Environ $\rightarrow$ Resource Extraction

Environmental Degradation
hurts the poor

Better Environment $\rightarrow$ Better world

No water Road directly
lower cost

Econ Δ
Cost

TAR SANDS

bad

do not
raise

Neg (4 min) - 1:45

Value = Morality = upholding human rights
Criterion = quality of life

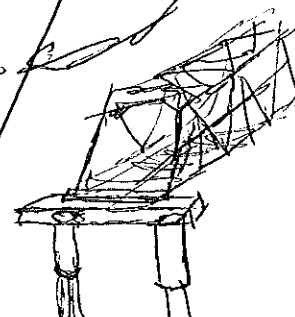
Environment Degradation on huge scale
 $\rightarrow$ Safe extraction tech needed
Continued by development of global
tech
Oil Price $\rightarrow$ all prices $\uparrow$

Environmental Protection Acts shift resource
extraction, not resource
extraction

Natural Resource Extraction allow for
rapid infrastructural development
 $\rightarrow$ economy Δ

Global Warming is a big problem

not by
developing
countries



REF:
Neg never opposed Aff
claiming both values: Criterion
met by Environment helping
Econ

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Harker CZ

Catherine Zhao

27

Young Genius SM

Satvik Mojnidar

26

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Topic: Dea. Countries Intense Enviro Protection Resource Extraction
Star Utilitarianism
Affirmative Value morality value morality
Resource Extraction gets GDP
falls 1.15%/yr due to
resource extraction dependence
corruption
No continuous growth
Global Warming
CO₂ ΔT
Deconstruction key to green growth
4SD ppm CO₂ reaches = apocalyptic
by 2050
Mitigation = requires up to \$20 trillion
ocean acidification -
cannot be solved
water = undrinkable
no resource = no economy
Resource Extraction = 100% collapse of
Econ collapse by long term
despite short term gain
Prioritize & exclude other
Emissions Cuts
solve for
global
warming
Extinction
in future
Extinction
VS
No point
good environment
over if want
it.
poison & drinking
water
Resource
Extraction
= ΔT
solve for
shortly
like quality now
Resource extraction causes more
harm than
than solve for later
2. Reason - Extraction key to developing green tech
can't be extracted to get green tech
solve for health now
solve for
Global warming
contributes global
warming
extract resource
for green tech
and global resource
tech solve for
global warming,
tech only possible
w/ some resource
extraction
Resource extraction causes more
harm than
than solve for later
Criticisms $\neq$ GIVE
Resource Extraction = goal
Criticisms $\neq$ dramatic impact of interference ΔT by electricity
by fossil fuels
solve for health now
solve for
Global warming
contributes global
warming
extract resource
for green tech
and global resource
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tech only possible
w/ some resource
extraction
Resource extraction causes more
harm than
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Young Genius AmWa

Amisha Wadhwa

29.6

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Lynbrook MD

Murugan Dhanushkodi

27

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Signed: YGenius

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Curse of numbers +	- Reports
Utilitarian question	- Questions
- benefit	- Govt legitimacy
- who wrote the credible piece	political stability
evidence ✓	- utilitarianism
- 3 countries → what authority?	- poor people benefit.
- 12 years old fact.	→ benefits ✓
<u>Rebuttal</u>	→ not a good response
→ specific vs general	→ not " " " "
+++	→ not going to change in 12 years
	- no evidence for that.
	<u>Rebuttal</u>
	- Terrorism
	- mentions U.S.

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~~BE Kannappan, Ka~~ ✓

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Harker AH

Young Genius RS

Alan Hughes

27.1

Radhika Shina

26.9

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Signed: E. Neighan (RAGHU SAKLESHPUR) Brooks Acad

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

The AFF debater won this round off the debate for the following reasons:

- 1) The neg debater did not utilize her time correctly to rebut the aff cases.
- 2) The aff made the case better that prioritizing resource extraction is better globally and for mankind.
- 3) The NEG debater did not make a solid case of how resource extraction should be paramount to global welfare.

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Palo Alto CA

Young Genius SP

Chirag Akella

28

Sohil Pokharna

27

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Good points. re. all kinds of pollution and the impact of extraction on the loss of life.

3 solid contentions. (Inc. civil wars due to resource extraction) (Extraction ~~uses~~ life)

Good counter arguments.

Example of metal extraction for computer production was weak and was not counter-argued by Neg

- Good cross-exam and narrowing of the Contentions.

- weak counter argument (Cross X). Need to stress more on the fact that fracking/mining is only one way to extract resources but there are other environmentally safer ways to do this.

- Need to be better prepared with material, flow and time management.

- Need to be more forceful during cross X

- Don't get sucked into opponents points; Forcefully argue for your own with additional data

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Young Genius MA

Silver Creek RK

Mohul Aggarwal

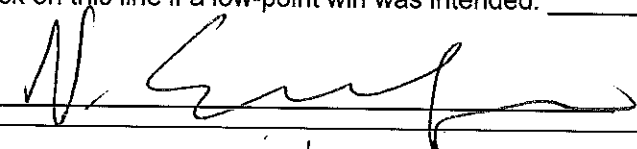
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Ryan Karim

28

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Mohul (AFF).

- Mention what IPCC report said;
- Would benefit from more practice.

- Good asking for evidence;

- Need to be more forceful during Cross X.

- Need to focus on opponent's weak points and ask for "causal relationships (gender equality has nothing to do w/ resource extraction)

- Use of Russian invasion of Crimea as an argument was weak (and irrelevant).

Ryan (NEG).

- Good presentation;
- Well prepared

- weak correlation b/w gender equality and development and resource consumption/ extraction (and assigning it to GK is a weak argument)

- Was benefited by soft Cross-exam.

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Alice Xu ✓

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POINTS

Young Genius JC

John Case

NO SHOW

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Young Genius RN

Ram Nadula

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from

TEAM OR CONTESTANT NAME

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Chitrang Seshadri

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

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Harker AM

Young Genius AnCh

Annie Ma

26.5

Angela Chu

27.8

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

- Highly dependent oil consumption
- Air pollution
- Pollution causes global warming raising ocean levels people dying (2 ur)
- Pakistan only example
- Only one ~~negative~~ example provided
- no used time for rebuttal argu
- Example with evidence & data points
- Impact not recalled of 2 ur

- Stability
- Economic growth by resources
- Dev is only long term strategy of eco growth
- Poverty is major cause of
- Example of Gandhi's quote
- Opponents provided the alternative
- Development is only brought for climate pollution
- Dev is only cause

Decision basis: Negative team won this round because of better argument & refuting aff points & giving more example & with data points to support their argument.

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Saratoga GS

Genghis Shyy

27.5

Valey Christian EN

Eddy Nassif

28.2

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Aff
AFF or NEG

from

Genghis Shyy
TEAM OR CONTESTANT NAME

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

- Resource extraction harms environment
- China oil tech
- Mining pollutes the climate
- Human rights protection linked to environmental protection

- Human rights. life, liberty & happiness
- Env Protection helps strong economy
- Nigeria, Congo & other African countries, has not seen help for poor people
- Planning doesn't work always
- Corrupt govt with steal money generated from resource extraction

- Developing country depends on IMF
- Good planning can minimize environmental harm
- Issue of Hockeuse example
- Strong economy helps protect environment

- Utilitarianism includes promotion of human rights
- Resource extraction brings money for poor people & economy to grow
- Opponent accepted my values & should decide the winner

Decision basis: Affirmative team won the argument because better contention & refutation of Neg points. Although Neg team had good points & even aff team agreed with value proposition

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BH Zhao, George

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Young Genius AW

Austin Wang

26

Young Genius BM

Benjamin Macdonald

28

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Austin: Too many statistics

You have a good case, but you need better answers to 'what's dirty resource extraction' and 'how would you test for pollution'

You also can't say 'any pollution'... Also
Also understand that US EPA laws do not impact global leaders.

You need to use your cross more effectively. You let Ben fill in much

Ben: Your case needs more structure, more
You need to opponent's case w/ more structure
Stop w/ the blanket statements "can't stop
dirty resource extraction"
Your response should have been better. more defined responses
Sign post during your speech. You drop a lot of points

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Harker Ramachand ✓

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Young Genius AZ

Allan Zhang

25

Young Genius RA

Rithvik Agastya

27

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Neg: Don't say "I don't see how environmental protection stops global warming." Not a tenable statement.

Aff: practice speaking without reading from the screen.
If you forget something important, leave the value criterion, keep going and stay confident.

Aff - forgot value.

Neg - better delivery and arguments.

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BD Bhardwaj, Sun

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Valey Christian OA

Omeed Askary

26.5

Young Genius SD

Sharanya Das

28.75

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Signed: Vardansheel

20-30 speech

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Envir. protection over resource extraction.

Value
point.

~~Negative~~ Affirmative Yes envir protection.

Developing nations debt
not helped.
Climate change
Economic criteria.

Negative no envir protection.

Laws have loopholes.
Resource extraction causes economic destruction / poverty.
Eg of China - dictator

Negative points stronger and counter questioning

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Palo Alto SY

Young Genius NH

Samuel Yun

28

Nicolas Hernandez

29

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Signed: Vandave Steel

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Affirmative - yes
Good summary, 4 points of contention.
morality is issue
↳ not quite strong
Preventative measure
Fails to point out that this is lacking a place
in developing countries where infrastructure is
questionable.

Negative - No.
- Technology can be used better in other ways.
Spend on people.
issue is quality of life
If economic slowdown, enviro & all else fall apart.
- Good convincing points
- Good legs of developing countries.

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Harker SS

Palo Alto ET

Sachin Shah

26

Ethan Teo

27

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Signed: Due M. J.

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Both good speakers.

Aff speaks much too fast & garbles many words making it difficult to understand and follow the arguments. I never heard or understood the definition of "green growth" and "green tech", so that argument didn't mean anything to me.

Neg did an excellent cross and defended his argument very clearly and in an organized manner. He also pointed out many dropped contentions of the Aff, and "won" ~~many rounds~~ the disagreement on utilitarian vs. consequentialism.

10 Debates in one room simultaneously!?!
Unbelievably difficult for everyone! Not acceptable!

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Palo Alto CW

Candace Wang

26

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Young Genius KL

Katrina LE

28

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Signed: Due M. J.

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Both are good speakers but both need to slow down and enunciate clearly.

Aff - good debate but you lost me on the utilitarianism vs. societal welfare.

Neg - Excellent rebuttal! You won the round by this - what a great way to set your point across and criticize the aff argument in a clear & concise way.

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Difficult for everyone! Not acceptable!

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Young Genius AK

Lynbrook EI

Aparna Kumar

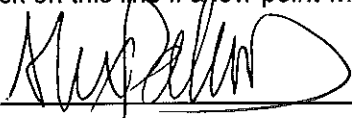
24.5

Emil Irimpan

27.5

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Signed: 

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Dislosed

Both sides had good arguments and spoke well.

Aff's case was primarily evidence with little analysis, especially in rebuttals. Also would have liked to see more analysis in 1st speech in place of spreading evidence on global warming harms.

NEG did very well in both cross-exs: good question regarding envl. protection, global warming, good response regarding claims of biased evidence. Also: good job dealing with values/value criteria, and good job linking arguments to Net Benefits.

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Young Genius TL

Silver Creek DV

Ted Lee

26

Deepti Valliappan

27

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Aff could have covered neg responses better, especially in 1st rebuttal
Key points were: lack of response to
shifting of resource extraction, no
response to resource dependent countries. argument
Neg should have linked better for comparison
of poverty, damage and environment deaths,
but Aff didn't question the link so
it stood.

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BP Wang, Shih-Ta

Harris, Michael

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Young Genius AA

Abhay Aggarwal

n/a

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Young Genius AG

Anusha Ghosh

n/a

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AFF or NEG

from

Young Genius
TEAM OR CONTESTANT NAME

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COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

No show

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Young Genius AD

Andrew Dong

21.5

Milpitas AD

Aman Dosanjh

26.5

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Signed: _____

Younellough

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Andy

Pro

Large scale irreparable damage

1. Ennui protect \$4.5 trilli

2. Disrespect value of life ex
mangrove minus weeks run dry
rice

impaired air quality

3. Environ - Air/H2O Bio diversity
@ Health safety, fees, dust
H2O born disease

③ spread disease
C deforestation

4. death - coal mining
3,242 death.

Dev Countries - radio active materials

62mil deaths:

Armed violence → mangrove

Con Aman
had very little source a/p
for rebuttal

Priority Protect vs. Extraction
Extraction over Protection when 2 is conflict

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Young Genius VC

Palo Alto CF

Vivian Chiang

25/15

Colin Fee

28/18

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Signed: Yvonne Hahn

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Developing Countries should Prioritize
Environ prot over resource extract when 2 are in conflict
AFF

Vivian made comments w/o
re source info, mostly by
hearsay.

NEG
Was able to crush every
Contention.

Even though I disagree
w/ his facts. The kid
killed :)

Exp said H₂O pollution from
extraction does not cause
diarrhea or cancer

The AFFirm had no
argument against this.

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Young Genius RC

Rohan Cutinha

24

NEGATIVE

POINTS

Harker AG

Avi Gulati

26

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Signed: Chi-hui Young

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Affirmative:
(+) 1. Good introduction speech with detail examples & easy to follow
(=) 2. A little bit soft in cross-examination
(-) 3. Can look more professional if holding the paper & avoid playing the pen, constantly watching timer

Negative:
(+) 1. Excellent body gesture and good voice volume. But the speed can be slower
(+) 2. Answer questions confidently.
(+) 3. Excellent closing statement with abundant evidence

In developing countries, environmental protection ought to take precedent over resource extraction when the 2 are in conflict.

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Harker AA

Young Genius NA

Arjun Akkiraju

26

Natasha Aji

28

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Signed: Chir Young

COMMENTS & REASON FOR DECISION:

Affirmative:
(+) 1. Speech clearly with good voice volume, content is rich with abundant evidence and easy to follow.
(=) 2. A little bit weak in closing statement by repeating corrupt government.
(-) 3. When answering questions, increasing volume with more body gesture will look more professional.

Negative:
(+) 1. Excellent closing statement with detail explanation
(++) 2. Excellent performance in cross-examination both in raising & answering questions → very naturally!!
(-) 3. When speech, having more eye contact & minimizing body swing will look more professional

Both are excellent as novice debater!!