

Below is the polished site copy plus a rigorous, reproducible blueprint for how **each score** can be measured and computed in practice — designed to meet the standard of a PhD-level implementation team (statistics, epidemiology, econometrics, ML). It includes formulas, data pipelines, normalization choices, validation checks, and notes on uncertainty, fairness, and privacy.

Overview — what HDI 2.0 measures

HDI 2.0 is a composite index of *health*, *education*, *happiness*, and *environmental impact*. Each dimension produces a score in $[0, 1]$. The overall HDI 2.0 is the geometric mean of the four scores:

$$\text{HDI}_{2.0} = (S_H \times S_E \times S_{Hp} \times S_{Env})^{1/4}$$

We recommend implementing a fully reproducible pipeline: **Data collection → Preprocessing → Normalization → Indicator scoring → Domain aggregation → Composite aggregation → Validation & reporting.**

1) AarogyaShree Score (Health) — practical calculation

Purpose

Measure physical, mental, preventive and lifestyle health using objective diagnostics + validated subjective scales.

Inputs (examples & data sources)

- Biomarkers: HbA1c, fasting glucose, LDL, HDL, blood pressure, BMI, CRP, eGFR (lab data).
- Preventive checks: frequency of screenings (mammogram, BP checks), vaccination status (admin records).
- Psychosomatic: PHQ-9, GAD-7, Perceived Stress Scale (self-report).
- End-of-life quality expectancy: predicted QALYs from survival model (EHR + cohort life tables).
- Genetic risk: polygenic risk scores (if available), converted to relative risk.
- Lifestyle adherence: steps/day (wearable), minutes/week of moderate-vigorous activity, diet score (food frequency questionnaire), yoga/meditation minutes.

Step-by-step scoring

1. Preprocess & transform each raw indicator

- Continuous biomarkers: winsorize at 1st/99th percentiles, log transform highly skewed variables (e.g., CRP).
- Questionnaire scales: convert to 0–100 raw then invert where needed so higher = better.
- Genetic risk: convert PRS into a percentile and then map to a protective score: $g = 1 - \text{scaled_PRS}$ (so higher is better).

2. Normalize to [0,1] (per indicator)

Two robust options — choose based on distribution & interpretability:

- **Min–max (bounded contexts):**

$$x' = \frac{x - x_{\min}}{x_{\max} - x_{\min}}$$

where x_{\min}, x_{\max} are chosen from healthy/target bounds (not raw extremes).

- **Sigmoid mapping (robust to outliers):**

$$x' = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\alpha(x - \mu))}$$

Choose α s.t. clinically meaningful differences map sensibly.

Use min–max for simple lab values with known clinical bounds; use logistic for skewed or non-linear relationships.

3. Indicator sub-scores and weights

The AarogyaShree Score S_H is a weighted average of five indicator groups:

$$S_H = \sum_{i=1}^5 w_i \cdot I_i, \quad \sum w_i = 1$$

Using your design: $w_i = 0.20$ for each group. Each I_i is itself a weighted mean of normalized subindicators (e.g., biomarkers group may have HbA1c weight 0.3, BP 0.25, LDL 0.2, etc.)

4. Handle zero/edge cases

Use a small epsilon to avoid zeroing the geometric mean later:

$$S_H := \max(\epsilon, S_H), \quad \epsilon = 10^{-4}$$

5. Uncertainty & CI

- Bootstrap individual-level data to compute 95% CI for S_H .
- Propagate measurement error from lab tests where known.

Example (toy formula)

If biomarkers produce normalized composite I_{bio} , psychosomatic I_{psy} , end-of-life I_{eol} , genetics I_{gen} , lifestyle I_{life} :

$$S_H = 0.2 \cdot I_{bio} + 0.2 \cdot I_{psy} + 0.2 \cdot I_{eol} + 0.2 \cdot I_{gen} + 0.2 \cdot I_{life}$$

Notes (research tips)

- For I_{eol} use Cox or parametric survival models trained on representative cohorts to predict remaining QALYs, then scale predicted QALYs to [0,1] relative to local reference.
- Validate S_H against hard outcomes (hospitalization, mortality) via ROC/AUC and survival analysis.

2) Education Score — practical calculation

Purpose

Measure literacy, skills, critical thinking, domain mastery (*ikigai*), and entrepreneurial capacity — focus on *competencies* not just years of schooling.

Inputs

- Standardized tests: reading comprehension in mother tongue & English, numeracy.
- Cognitive assessments: Raven's matrices, reasoning tests.
- Growth-mindset survey items (validated scales).
- Design thinking & critical thinking assessment (project rubric scores, capstone evaluation).
- Practical experience: documented apprenticeships, verified certificates, hours of supervised practice.
- Income proxy / earning potential: current income percentile within cohort, probability of sustained income from labor-market models.

Step-by-step scoring

- 1. Create validated instruments**
 - Short adaptive tests for literacy and numeracy (e.g., computer adaptive).
 - Rubrics for project-based assessments (0–100).
- 2. Normalize individual indicators to [0,1]** (same mapping rules as health). For aptitude and attitude, combine cognitive test percentile with validated attitude index:

$$I_{\text{Apt} \times \text{Att}} = 0.6 \cdot \text{cog_pctile} + 0.4 \cdot \text{attitude_score}$$

- 3. Weighting & aggregation**

Education score S_E :

$$S_E = \sum_{j=1}^5 v_j \cdot J_j, \quad v_j = 0.2$$

where each J_j is normalized.

- 4. Earning potential modelling**

- Train a local wage prediction model (e.g., gradient boosting + local features). Convert predicted income to percentile and map to 0–1 with logistic scaling to reduce influence of extreme incomes.

- 5. Robustness & fairness**

- Adjust for socio-economic inputs (SES) when comparing individuals across vastly different environments. Report both raw S_E and SES-adjusted S_E^{adj} .

- 6. Validation**

- Predictive validity: S_E should predict employment outcomes, job retention, or entrepreneurship survival using out-of-sample tests.

3) Happiness Score — practical calculation

Purpose

Capture subjective well-being across 9 domains (33 indicators) using a mixed-methods approach: surveys, time-use diaries, administrative proxies, and community metrics.

Inputs

- Psychological well-being: Life satisfaction (Cantril ladder), PANAS, scaled to 0–100.
- Health & education: from prior domain scores or mapped subcomponents.
- Time use: time diaries or smartphone sensor estimates of activity balance.
- Cultural participation: event attendance, survey items.
- Governance & community vitality: civic participation rates, perceived trust scales.
- Ecological connection: self-report + local green space per capita.
- Living standards: income, housing quality metrics.

Step-by-step scoring

1. Domain construction

For domain d , compute normalized domain score D_d as the weighted average of its indicators. Use psychometric techniques (factor analysis / IRT) to check that grouped indicators measure a single latent construct.

2. Weights inside domain

Use expert elicitation or data-driven weights (principal component analysis) — but keep interpretability. Example: Psychological (15%), Living standards (15%), others as specified.

3. Construct the Happiness Score

$$S_{Hp} = \sum_{d=1}^9 \omega_d \cdot D_d$$

with $\sum \omega_d = 1$ and domain weights per your spec.

4. Survey design & sampling

- Use stratified sampling within populations for representativeness.
- Use short cognitive interviews to validate translated instruments.

5. Handling subjectivity

- Anchor vignettes can be used to adjust for cross-cultural differences in response scales.
- Time stability: measure at multiple time points; report rolling averages.

6. Psychometric validation

- Cronbach's alpha / McDonald's omega for internal consistency.
- Confirmatory factor analysis to validate the 9 domain structure.

4) Net Impact on Environment — practical calculation

Purpose

Measure environmental footprint (negative) and positive contributions (restorative actions) at personal and group levels.

Inputs

- Personal carbon footprint estimate (travel, energy use, diet) — computed from activity logs or modeled from consumption data.
- Personal water/land use proxies.
- Corporate/group emissions: workplace or community scope 1–3 data.
- Positive actions: verified tree planting, renewable energy installations, recycling rates, contributions to local restoration.

Step-by-step scoring

1. Estimate emissions & impacts

- Convert activities to CO₂e using standard conversion tables (transport: gCO₂/passenger-km; energy: kWh × grid factor).
- For diet: use average emission factors per food type.

2. Normalize & invert footprint

- Personal Net Emissions indicator E_p : map emissions per capita to [0,1] where lower emissions → higher E_p .
- Use a transformation such as:

$$E_p = 1 - \frac{\log(1 + \text{CO}2\text{e}) - \log(1 + L)}{\log(1 + U) - \log(1 + L)}$$

where L and U are chosen lower/upper bounds (local targets and 99th percentile).

3. Group/corporate emissions

- Allocate workplace emissions to individuals via full-time equivalent (FTE) or activity share.
Normalize similarly.

4. Positive impact

- Translate actions (trees planted, kWh renewable used, tonnes CO₂ sequestered) into CO₂e reductions or ecosystem restoration units and normalize to [0,1].

5. Aggregate Net Impact score

$$S_{Env} = 0.3 \cdot PBA + 0.2 \cdot E_p + 0.2 \cdot E_{group} + 0.3 \cdot I_{pos}$$

where PBA = planetary boundaries adherence score (composite of multiple metrics; see Rockström framework mapping).

6. Counterfactual & double-counting

- Require verifiable evidence for positive claims (satellite, receipts, third-party verification). Avoid double counting (e.g., tree plantings claimed by both employer and individual).

Aggregation details — how to compute the final HDI robustly

Geometric mean with floor

Compute domain scores S_1, S_2, S_3, S_4 with each in $[0, 1]$. To avoid zeros:

$$\text{HDI}_{2.0} = \left(\prod_{k=1}^4 \max(\epsilon, S_k) \right)^{1/4}, \quad \epsilon = 10^{-4}$$

Sensitivity analysis

- Vary domain weights and compute elasticity: percentage change in HDI given a 1% change in a domain score.
- Report sensitivity plots and Tornado charts.

Uncertainty propagation

- Use bootstrap sampling of individuals to estimate variance and 95% CI of HDI.
- If indicators have measurement variance, propagate via Monte Carlo simulation.

Practical implementation pipeline (engineering + analytics)

1. Data ingestion
 - APIs for wearables, labs, administrative records, surveys (mobile/web).
2. ETL & cleaning
 - Standardize units, handle missingness, apply winsorization/log transforms.
3. Normalization module
 - Implement selectable mapping functions (min–max, logistic, percentiles).
4. Indicator engine
 - Compute normalized indicators, subindices, domain scores.
5. Aggregation & reporting
 - Compute CI, sensitivity, and produce dashboards.
6. Storage & reproducibility
 - Versioned datasets, schema registry, unit tests for scoring logic.
7. Auth & privacy
 - Strong encryption in transit/at rest, differential access, consent management, GDPR/India PDP alignment.

Suggested tech stack: PostgreSQL / data lake, Python (pandas, scikit-learn, lifelines), R for psychometrics, Airflow for pipelines, Metabase / Superset / Tableau for dashboards.

Statistical & ethical safeguards

- **Missing data:** multiple imputation (MICE) or Bayesian hierarchical imputation. Report share of imputed values.
- **Bias & fairness:** test for systematic bias by gender, caste, income; provide SES-adjusted scores and raw scores.
- **Transparency:** publish codebook, scoring algorithms, thresholds and clinical references.
- **Privacy:** apply deidentification and limit raw data retention; require user consent for genomic data; use aggregation for public reporting.
- **Third-party verification:** allow external audits, especially for environmental claims.

Validation & calibration (research protocol)

1. **Internal psychometrics:** factor analysis, item response theory for survey-based indicators.
 2. **External validity:** correlate domain scores with objective outcomes (mortality, employment, ecosystem health).
 3. **Predictive tests:** train models to predict downstream outcomes (1–5 year horizons).
 4. **Cross-country comparability:** use anchoring vignettes and local calibration sets.
 5. **Pilot & refine:** run pilot studies ($N \geq 1,000$) in diverse settings, recalibrate min/max bounds, retrain any predictive models.
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Reporting & user experience (website / dashboard copy)

On the site, show:

- **Hero metric:** current HDI 2.0 value with 95% CI.
 - **Domain cards:** each shows domain score, top 3 strengths, top 3 improvement actions.
 - **Drilldowns:** indicator-level numbers, raw units, and how the normalized score was computed (transparency modal).
 - **Policy levers:** what changes (e.g., +0.05 in AarogyaShree via improved preventive screening) would do to the composite HDI — show counterfactual simulations.
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Short summary (for website readers)

HDI 2.0 is a scientifically rigorous, transparent, and actionable index that measures well-being across health, education, happiness and environment. Each dimension is computed from validated indicators, normalized to a 0–1 scale using robust transforms, aggregated with carefully justified weights, and combined via a geometric mean to produce a single, interpretable number. We provide uncertainty estimates, fairness adjustments, and a reproducible pipeline so individuals, communities and policymakers can trust and act on the result.