

Fatal Flaws. The following vulnerabilities reflect imbedded flaws in CCP's mentality and model. The integral nature of these for CCP's success, constitutes a system ultimately organized against itself. This means long-term, sustainable success cannot happen. CCP's exclusionist model is not repeatable by others. USA's is.

1. Out of Step. CCP authoritarianism crushes humanity, society and the concept of the nation state. It cannot divorce itself from its conspiratorial, repressive beginnings. As the saying goes: "What got you here, won't get you there."
2. A One-Shot Gamble. Based on lies and deceptions, CCP's model of governance, economics and diplomacy is a unilaterally narrow approach per the persona of China's President. This lacks back-up options and natural resilience. A house of cards.
3. Bad Timing. CCP's COVID-19 could not have happened at a worse time. In an already cooling economy, the virus became the pin prick that popped CCP's hopes and dreams.
4. No Trust. Authoritarianism is antagonistic to trust-based globalization and the natural instincts of man.
5. Internal Resistance. Chinese history, legend and literature have bred cultural respect, if not adoration, for secret societies. These have been an internal hedge against abuses by power elites.
6. Unsustainable. CCP's overall model is built on lies, deception, currency manipulation, hidden debt, coerced allegiances, borrowed expertise and more artificialities.
7. Fake Growth. CCP's extraordinary economic rise and global influence is based on growth and strengths which are often contrived. Statistics and perceptions are not reality. Economic, as well as societal stagnation, are realities.
8. Reach vs Grasp. CCP cannot secure and hold (Grasp), let alone protect and exploit all that is within its Reach.
9. No Vacuum. CCP's overall strategy is based on its ability sustain a near perfect vacuum of control on power elites, information, and economics, while preventing the exposure of its people to outside ideas. An impossibility in the Information Age.
10. Friction. CCP's leadership, strategy and model are generally not designed to handle crisis, resistance, revolution, unconventional warfare and terrorism, let alone competitive methods that are near-peer or superior to CCP's. This has to do with the inability to take hard punches by CCP leaders, the CCP, their strategy, and China.
11. Blindness. CCP's fear-driven mental, cultural, moral and systemic norms are generally devoid of the ability to completely and accurately assess reality. Objectivity and candor threaten CCP's control. This chills analysis, while promoting and perpetuating self-delusion.
12. Perception as Reality. After many decades, the mass of propaganda, deceptive diplomacy, disinformation, deceptions and manipulative marketing has taken a toll on CCP's grasp of reality. For example, the professed competencies, capabilities, capacities, and experience of the Peoples' Liberation Army greatly vary from the actual. The effective integration of PLA's stove-piped components is yet to be proven as a credible norm. Lack of honest, authentic, objective information travelling back up the chain of command, denies decision makers of essential facts. Messengers perish in this "Not too much reality, please" context.
13. Non-Resilience. CCP's currency manipulation, erasure of debt, total dependency on centralized authoritarian controls, and reliance on disinformation and deception, combine to make China less than resilient.