

"THE FUTURE OF SOUTH ASIAN REGION

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AND OPTIONS FOR PAKISTAN"

1- Introduction

Thesis Statement: South Asia has the potential to dominate global order because of its vast natural and human resources. But terrorism, ideological differences among states, territorial issues, and religious extremism have hampered the growth of this region. Pakistan should adopt cooperative win-win policy and strict internal and security and political measures to lead South Asian region.

2- The South Asian region and its historical significance

3- The probable future of South Asian region

- a- Largest human capital resource
- b- Control over global trade through warm waters
- c- Greatest tourism destination
- d- Largest global market and foreign direct investment centre
- e- Centre of global trade routes
- f- Dominance in online market places

4- Challenges faced by South Asian region

- a- Centre of terrorism
- b- Religious extremism and nationalistic tendencies
- c- Economic woes of South Asian states

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d- Territorial conflicts among states

e- Overpopulation and underdeveloped human resource

5- Options for Pakistan in the future of South Asia

a- Economic revival through trade

b- Developing tourism destination

c- Eradicating terrorism to

attract foreign investment

d- Reducing political instability

e- Engage neighbour states over

bilateral issues

f- Human resource development

6- Conclusion