

"Is Pakistan ready for digital Revolution" (2020).

Outline

- 1) Introduction.
- 2) Pakistan is ready for digital revolution;
 - 2.1) Government is spending on IT.
 - 2.2) More than half of people is young.
 - 2.3) Having Great potential in IT field.
- 3) Pakistan is not ready for digital revolution;
 - 3.1) Only 30% people have the access of internet.
(World Bank's report).
 - 3.2) Illiteracy rate is high.
 - 3.3) Chances of fraud and scams are high due to lack of knowledge.

3.4) No proper Internet access in rural areas.

3.5) Electricity and Internet speed issues

3.6) Issue of data protection.

3.7) Low Female participate in digital economy.

3.8) Brain Drain of technology talent.

3.9) Government's blockade of Internet.
(Ongoing Blockade in Balochistan).

u) conclusion.

After the Second World War, countries had started investing in technology. The new race had been started within countries. The reason behind this is that, they wanted to achieve dominance. After several decades, they invented new type of technology i.e. Internet. Slowly Internet has started spreading in all over the world and Pakistan is one of them. Some experts in Pakistan are arguing that, this is the right time to convert Pakistan into digital form because they believe that the government of Pakistan is expanding information technology. Pakistan's more than 60% population is young and they are capable to enhance this transformation. However, these skeptics are unaware of real facts and figures because in Pakistan 70% people do not have Internet access. The literacy rate is very low due to which the chances of fraud and scams are high. Further in rural areas there is no proper Internet access and the electricity and the speed of Internet is also very slow. The issue of data protection, low female participation in digital

economy, brain drain of technology, and government's blockade of Internet is the main hurdles behind digital revolution. This essay will highlight in detail why Pakistan is not ready for digital revolution.

In conclusion, this essay concluded that in Pakistan some people had belief that Pakistan is ready for digital revolution because Pakistan's government is expanding in form of technology. However, in reality Pakistan is not ready for digital revolution because 30% people only have access of Internet. The chances of fraud and scams are high due to illiteracy and lack of knowledge regarding IT. Further, in rural areas there is no proper system of Internet and electricity. Most importantly, issue of data protection, Brain drain of technology talent, low female participation are major reasons behind digital revolution. In short, Pakistan is not ready for digital revolution.