

QUESTION # 05

The burgeoning population has led to water crisis in the Country. Explain how both

ANSWER

Introduction

The problem in Pakistan is not of water crisis, rather its non-Serious Governance and mismanagement

— Dr Ishtat Hussain, Governing the Ungovernables

If continuation with the statement of renowned author, it can be inferred how mismanagement has caused serious water crisis. Thus, the increasing population and water crisis, both are interconnected issues leaving the Country paint a grim picture; the manifestations include, Overpopulation results in theft of

water, uneven distribution of water resources and causing the acute shortage of water. All in all, the future discourse will shade light upon the nature of inter-connected of both concepts.

Making Sense of Relationship between Over-Population and Water Crisis

Water is distributed as per the average Population

When the population increases rapidly

It results in resources mismanagement

Causing unequal distribution of water

Water Crisis

Explaining How Over Population And The Water Crisis Are Interconnected

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Increasing population leads to poor distribution of water

In the recent Summit conducted by dawn in Islamabad, it was mainly declared that over-population causes the water mismanagement

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Burgeoning population without measure leads to shortage of water

Similarly, when the population increases without taking measures, it result in overall country's poor distribution of resources. Thus, causing tensions among masses.

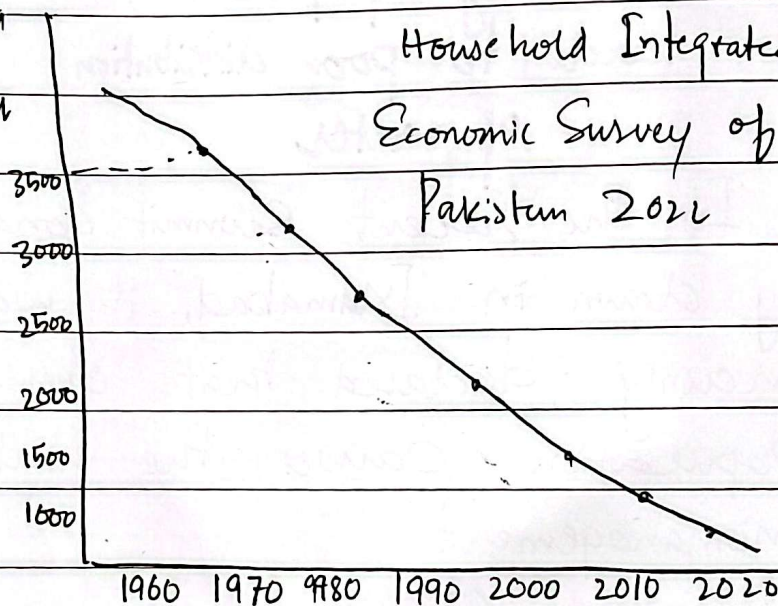
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Over-population has
resulted into severe
per cubic water

Per
Capita
Cubic
water

Resource:

Household Integrated
Economic Survey of
Pakistan 2021



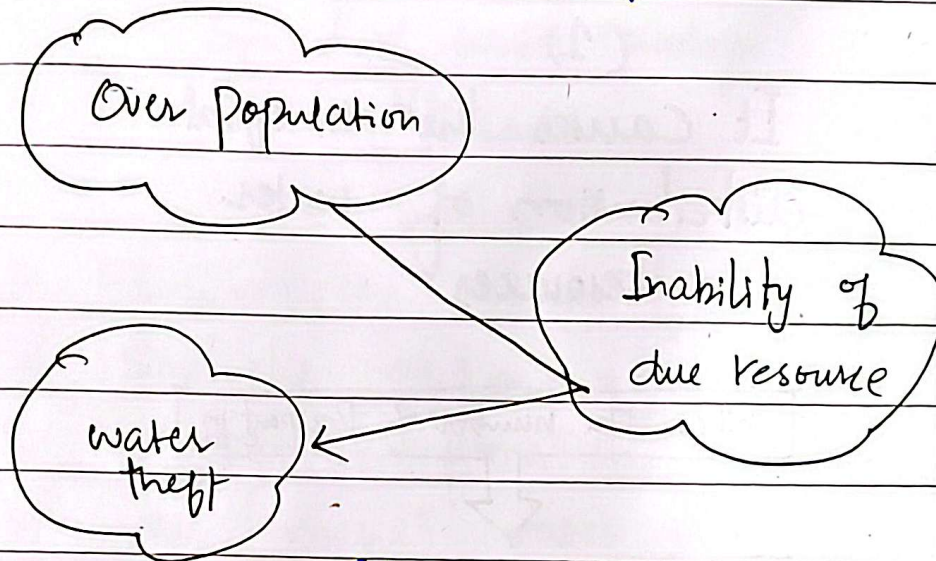
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Over population leads
to high urbanization
resulting in water
Shortages

According to Mifta Ismaeel,
overpopulation-backed urbanization
causing serious water shortages
specifically in urban centres such
as Karachi.

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Over-population-backed
water mismanagement
causes water theft



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Exponential increase in
Population demands
Sufficient water resulting
in illegal consumption
of resources

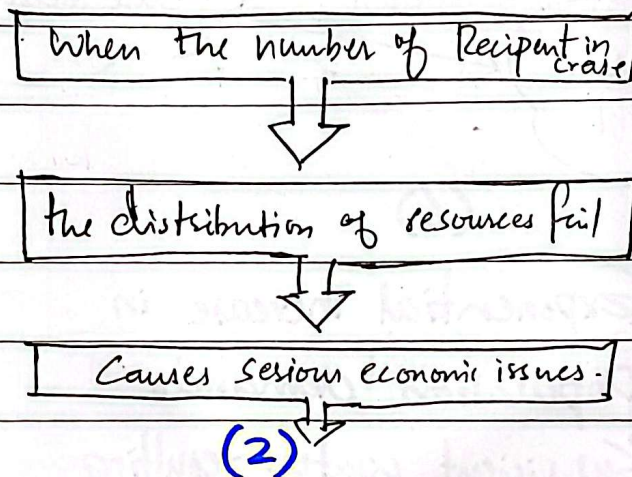
According to national water Policy;

The issue of water
Crisis Cannot be
handled Successfully
until the Proactive
measures for Population
are not taken

Impacts of Over Population - linked Water Crisis and their Impact on Socio-economic Prosperity

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It causes the unequal distribution of water resources



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It leads to uneven flow of water damaging the Crops

As per the recent floods in Panjab, it was evident how the mismanagement of water can be disastrous for prosperity of Country.

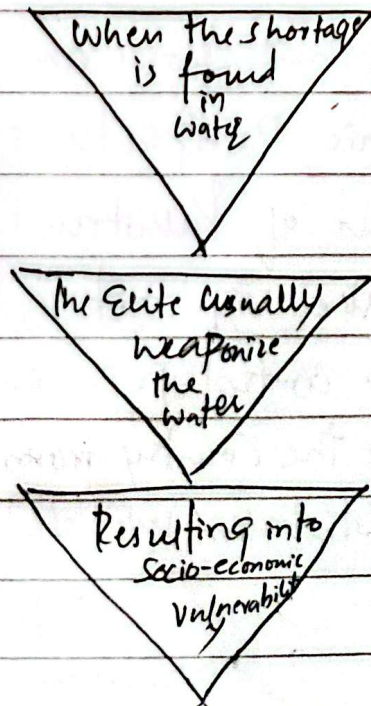
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It causes disturbances
in low-riparian areas
of country: Case
Study of water shortage
in Karachi

When the water crisis prevails,
the low-lying areas of the country
are severely affected, it can
be analyzed from the conditions
of Pak Karachi's water shortage.

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It leads to weaponization
of water by feudal
Elites of country



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It badly impacts the lower class of society with acute shortage of water

As per the report of Pakistan's Council of Research for water resources, mostly the lower class of society faces the worst of water crisis. due to unavailability of water

Conclusion

To cover up the whole discussion, this answer reflected the interconnectedness between over-population and water crisis. Hence it was proved that both are vulnerable to socio-economic prosperity of country

Government of Pakistan must take vigilant steps to control population and save the country from further distribution vulnerabilities

— Akbar Zaidi
in Economic Issues of Pakistan

QUESTION #07

In the world, deluged by disinformation, clarity is Power. Analyze this statement in the context

ANSWER

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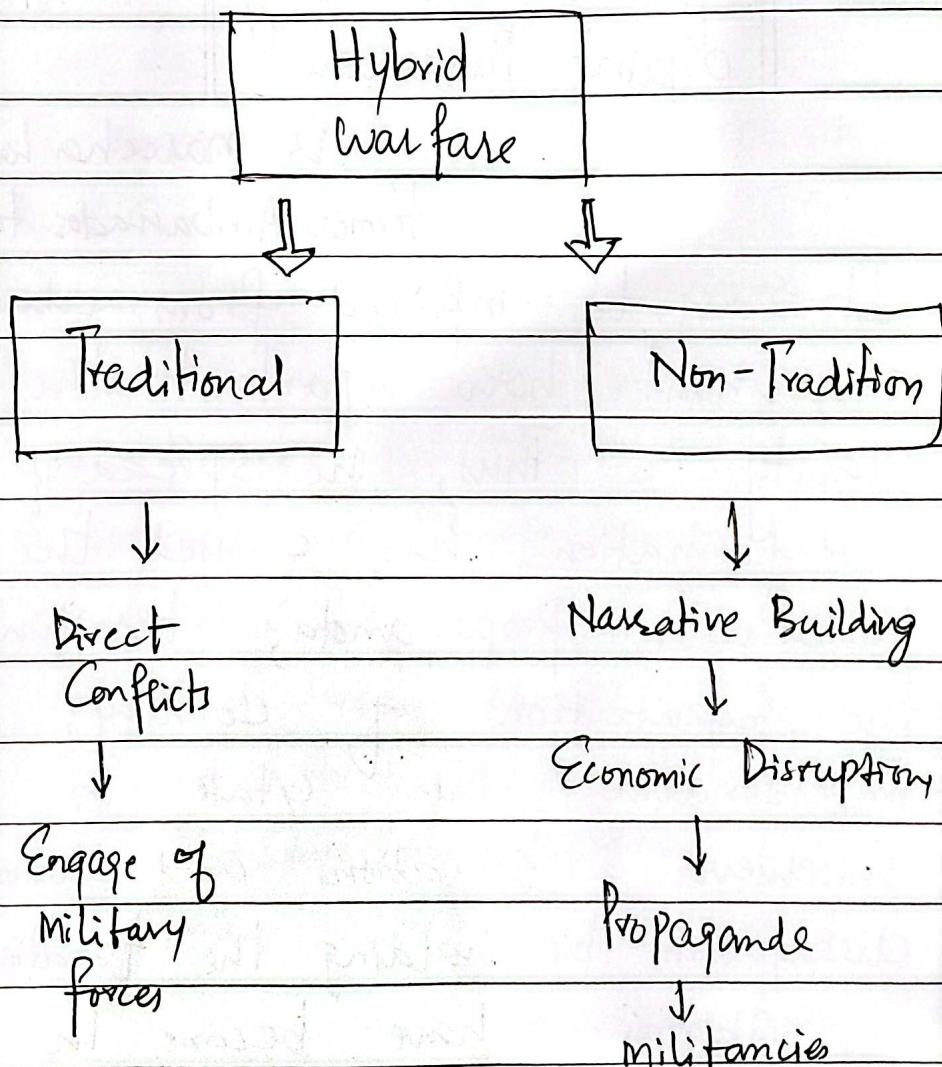
Government has to Play proactive role in tackling any kind of narrative building against Pakistan

— Dr Maleeha Lodhi
Former Ambassador to UN

It can be inferred from above statement how important the clarity is. Thus, the spread of disinformation has caused the increase in propaganda, tarnishing the reputation of country, impersonating the state in mischievous situations and economic disruption by holding the treaties in abeyance have become the

tools of hybrid warfare. Resultantly, Pakistan has been seriously exposed to such warfare, but preventive measure still stand. All in all, the future discourses will shade light upon the statement and response of Pakistan.

Understanding the Concept of Hybrid Warfare



Analysis of Statement in the Context of Hybrid warfare

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Spread of Propaganda
has caused severe
disinformation

The Spread of Propaganda for Pakistan has caused disinformation for the country. It can be seen in India when elections are on the line, BJP start campaigning with Anti-Pakistan rhetoric.

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Impersonating behavior
has resulted nations to
prove the truth

As per the national Security Policy of Pakistan;

majority of People
from Bordering Countries
are infiltrating to
Cause serious damage
to the state

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Element of narrative
war has tarnished
the diplomatic Image
of Countries

As per the analysis of Aljazeera
post-may conflict, it was
cleared that whosoever, be Pakistan
or India has engaged in narrative
war, both the countries have
faced serious diplomatic repercussions.

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Weaponization of Technology
has given birth to
engage in war without
battlefield

weaponization of Technology such as malware, and Cyber espionage has resulted in stealth of Sensitive Information

—ISSI

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Economic disruptions
emerge as a result
of Hybrid warfare

BJP government after may conflict
holded the Indus water treaty
in abeyance, it is a clear manifestation
of how countries engage non-traditional
warfares.

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Political Interventions
have become popular
slogas after advent
of Hybrid warfare

EU Disinfo Lad
Report



Reveals that
Indian Government
invest



Propagating Bad
Image of Pakistan

Country has become Unable
to Counter the threat

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Lack of relevant
infrastructure to curb
the Severity of Hybrid
Warfare

As per the opinion of Dr. Ahsan
Iqbal, Pakistan lacks in such
infrastructural development that
can purely uproot the occurrence
of hybrid war by any other
nation.

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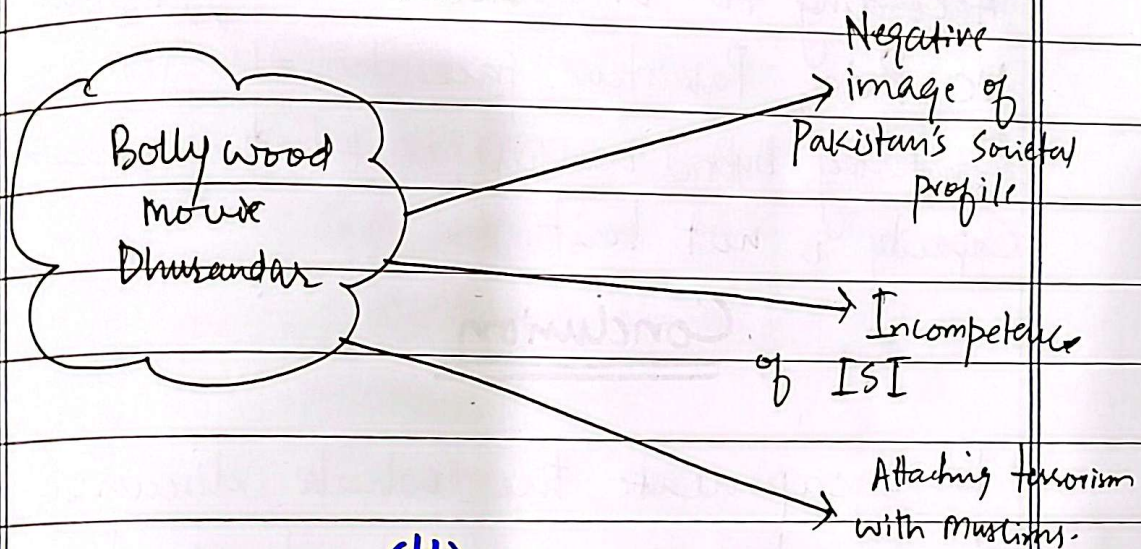
Continuous prey to militant
terror attacks has proved
Country's inability to
Counter

moreover, the prevalent exposition
to militant attacks by TTP at
the borders reflect Pakistan's inability
to control disinformation against
it.

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Rival Countries Spreading
Bad Image Globally has
Still not urged the
Country to take the case:

Case Study of Dhuandhar
Movie



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Uneven Counter to non-
traditional Security threats
manifest that country is
still at the brink of
Hybrid warfare

On the other hand, the recent
floods in Punjab, Cloud burst in
KPK are manifestation of exposition
to hybrid warfare in the shape non-
traditional Security threats.

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Pakistan's inability to
Capacity building for
Countering hybrid warfare
reveals that it is
Unable to Counter the threat

According to Dr Nadeem-ul-Haq, former
VC PIDE, Pakistan faces hurdles in
Countering hybrid warfare, until the current
Capacity is not built.

Conclusion

To encapsulate the whole discussion,
it can be concluded that clarity
is important phenomenon in the
Context of hybrid warfare. Thus, must
also take such measure to curb this
menace of hybrid warfare.

It is unavoidable
for Pakistan to tackle
hybrid warfare without
Infrastructure and Capacity
Building

— Dr Aysha Siddiq

QUESTION #02

Climate Change poses a Serious Security Threat to Pakistan. But it seems that Country has not ----

ANSWER

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Pakistan needs to take the issue of Climate on Priority for it leaves severe repercussions
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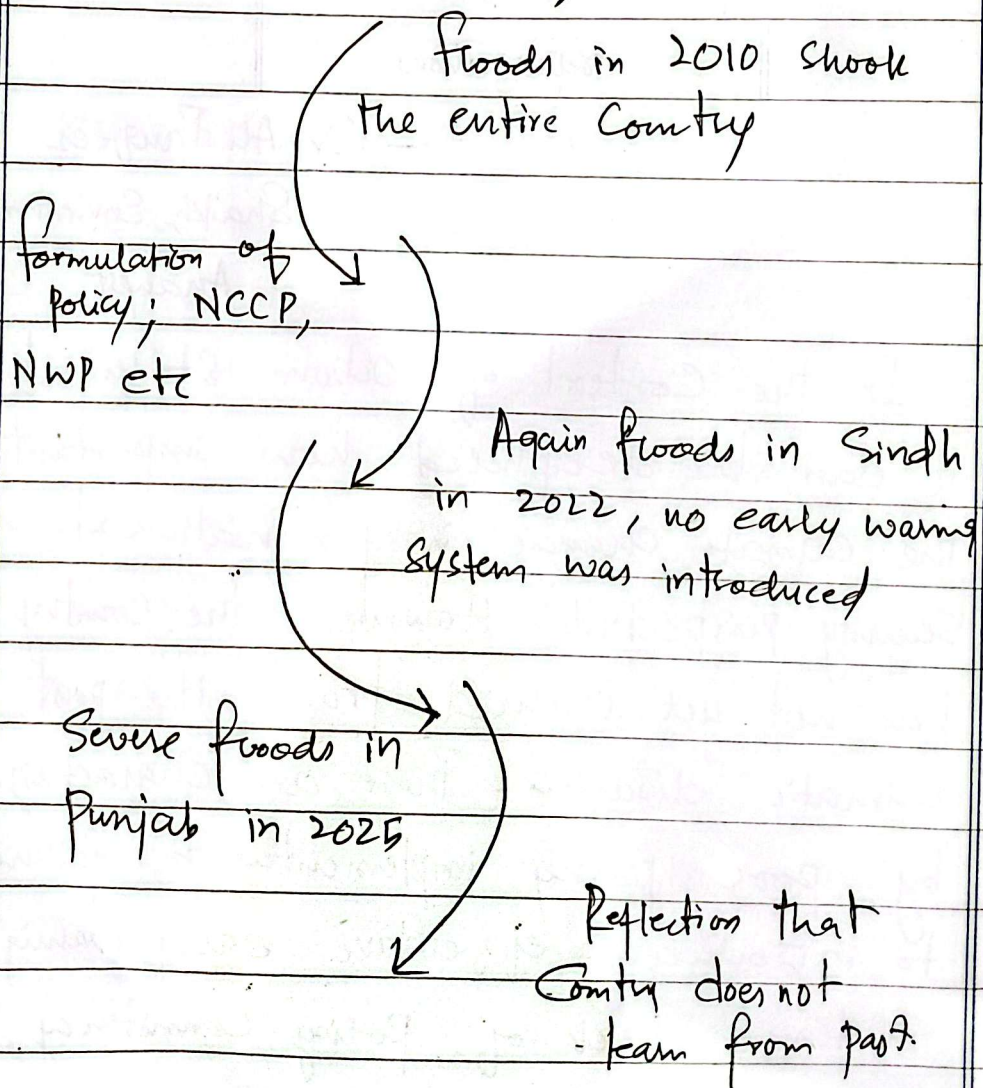
— Dr Ali Fargues

Shailkh, Environmental Analyst

In the Context of above Statment, it can be deciphered how important the Climate change is for national Security perspective. However, the Country has not yet learned from its past Climatic disaster. These are characterized by poor policy implementation, failure to introduce effective early warning Systems, lack of Policy consistency,

holding all the charters in abeyance and growing tensions between the federating units and between the Centre and provincial government with regard to blame game are the depiction of Pakistan's failure to learn from past. All this will be discussed in future discourse

Understand Topic from the lens of Recent History



Country has not learned from
its Past Climate Disasters

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Recent floods depict
the ineffective policy
implementation

The recent floods in Punjab
which has costed the deadly
loss of people's lives and
property is the manifestation
that all the policies are only
meant for formulation, not for implementation.

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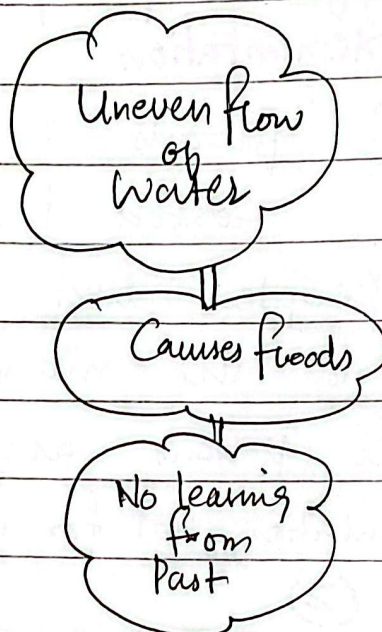
Pakistan has failed to
introduce the early
warning system

Pakistan needs to take serious early warning system measure to avoid further calamities
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→ World Bank
2025 report

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Uneven flow of water depicts the inefficient measures taken by the Government regarding water Conservation



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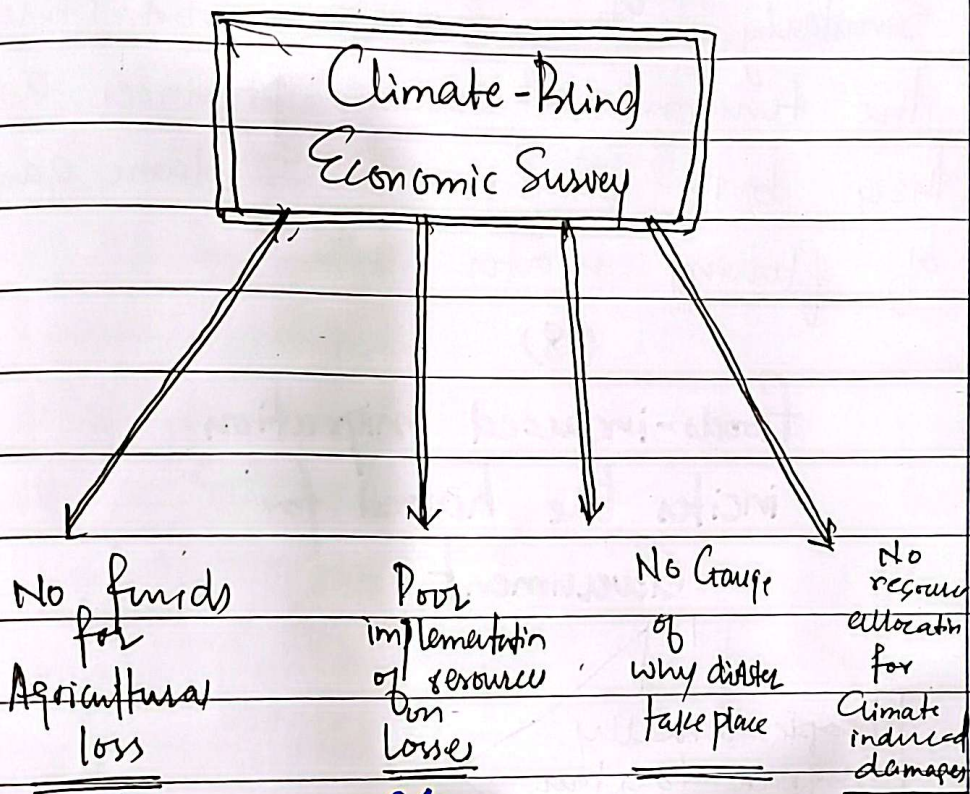
Lack of Policy Consistency has also caused the abrupt climatic disasters

According to Dr Ishrat Hussain, Pakistan has also not learned lessons from the past with regard to policy inconsistency; which has made the country to paint the grim picture.

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Climate-blinded economic
Survey seriously causes
Such disastrous repercussions

According to Ali Tauqeer in dawn,



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Pakistan's policy are meant
for only formulation,
instead of Promulgation

more over, as per the Analysis
of Faizal Bari, Pakistan is only
obsessed with policy formulation, the
implementation of such policies
are missing.

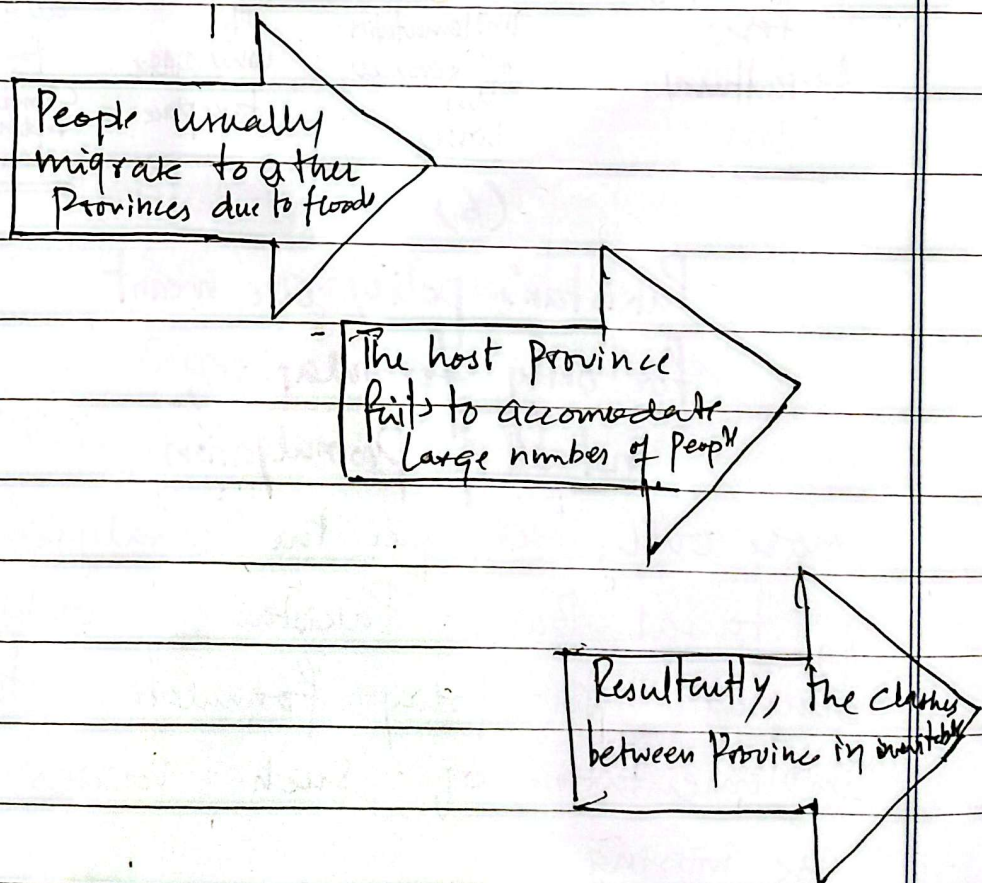
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Recent floods causing
inter-provincial tensions
due to uneven distribution
of water

Similarly, the recent flood emerges
the tensions between provinces as
they both engage in blame game
of flowing water

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floods-induced migration
incites the hatred for
Government



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Recent floods have resulted
in serious brain drain,
unwanted for economic
prosperity

Majority of People are
leaving the Country citing
the reason of unwanted
living conditions

→ Pakistan Bureau
of Emigration

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Recent floods causes
Security threat mainly
due to vulnerable
health of Human
Capital

According to the recent report
of World Bank, titled "Pakistan
Capital Outlook Review" the uneven
Climatic disasters in Pakistan in
the shape of floods have caused
serious Capital loss and the government
is reluctant to take required measures
due to unavailability of funds.

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The Country has caused
Severe violation of
fundamental right ultimately
resulting Security threat

As per the article 1-4 of
Universal declaration of Human Rights,
People of Punjab have been exposed
to serious human right violation as
their right to life and Property has
been Confiscated.

Conclusion

To encapsulate the whole discussion,
it can be concluded that the
Country has failed to learn from
past because all the blunders are
still repeated. So, Pakistan must be
prudent to take this monance

Government must
incorporate climate-
induced strategies
in its regulatory
framework

— Dr. Athiya Inayatullah