

Part-II

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Answer:-

Introduction

"Indo-US strategic partnership is a threat to position of China."

(-F.S. Moody's)

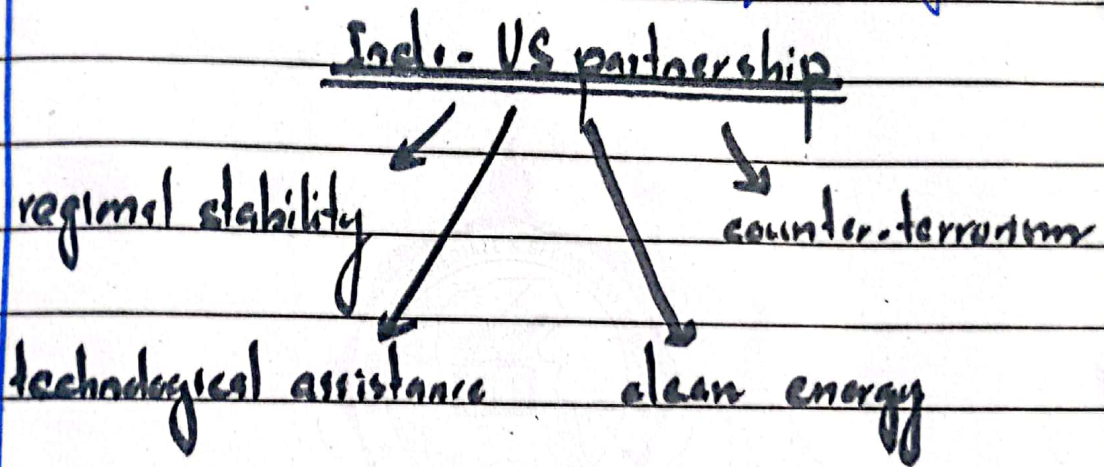
US-India growing strategic partnership is primarily to contain China. But unfortunately, it also has impacts on Pakistan. In fact, Indo-US partnership is growing threat to both, China and Pakistan. Therefore Pakistan should follow recommended measures to curtail its interests.

2- A bird's eyeriew on Indo-US strategic partnership

"China is going to be the world's leader."

(-Fitch, S.P, Moody's)

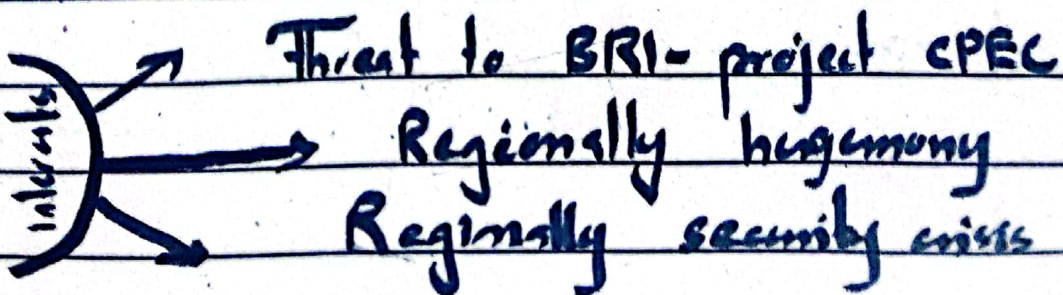
Indo-US strategic partnership is mainly to curtail growing power of China. The US wants to make India as a regional leader. Moreover, Indo-US partnership highlights following dynamics:



Thus, Indo-US strategic partnership is mainly to curtail China.

3- Indo-US strategic partnership with respect to China

Following are interests with China:



a) Threat to BRI-Project CPEC
Indo-US strategic partnership is a threat to CPEC. In fact, the US is under tension due to growing influence of China.

"BRI is a Chinese master plan to be dominant."

(- The US secretary)

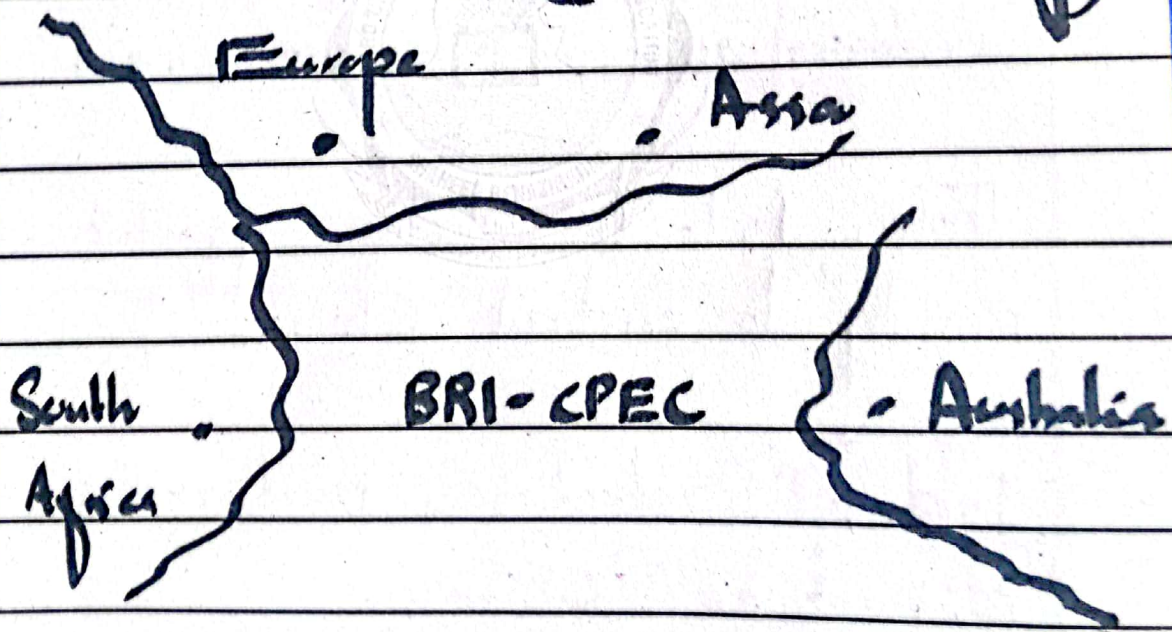


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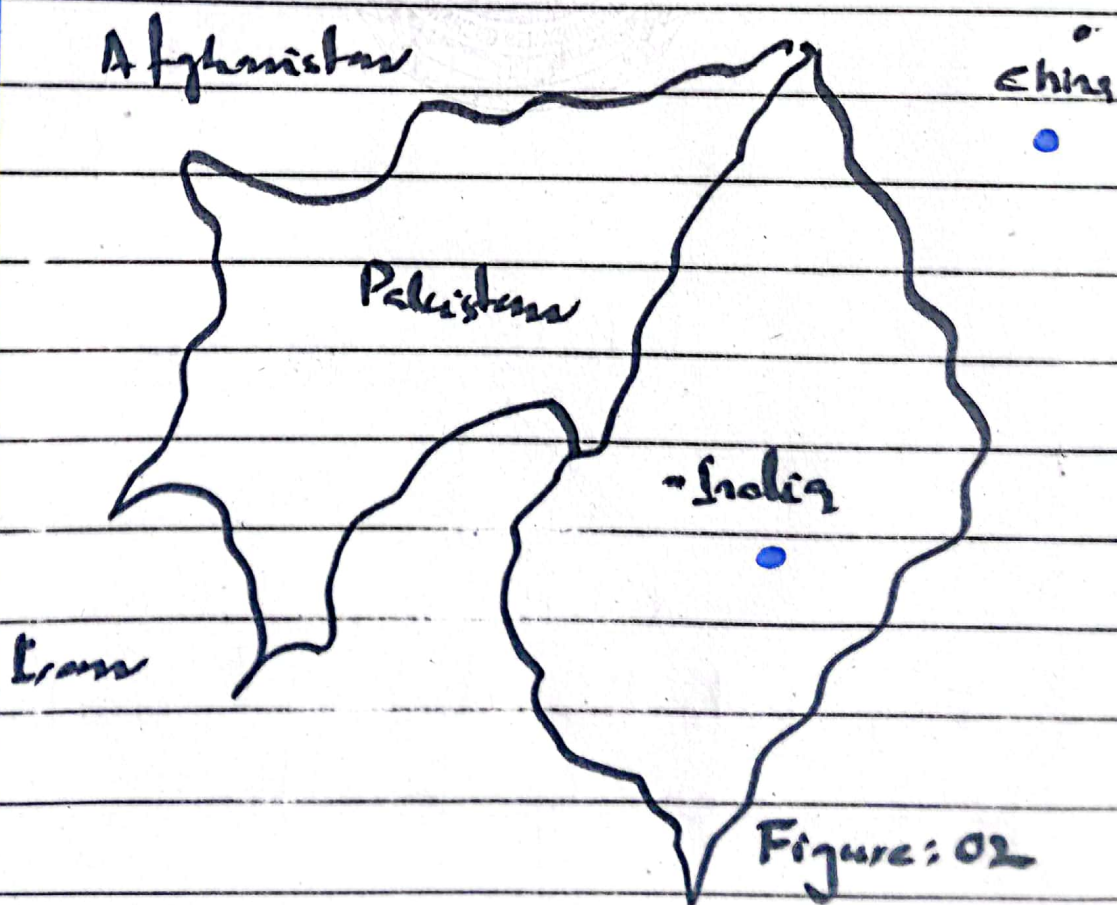
Hence, Indo-US wants to curtail CPEC- BRI project.

b) Making India as a regional leader

Moreover, the ind-US strategic partnership is making India as a regional leader. In fact, the US wants to fulfill its interests in containing China.

"China is become the world's second largest economy after the US."

(Fitch, S.P, Macleys)

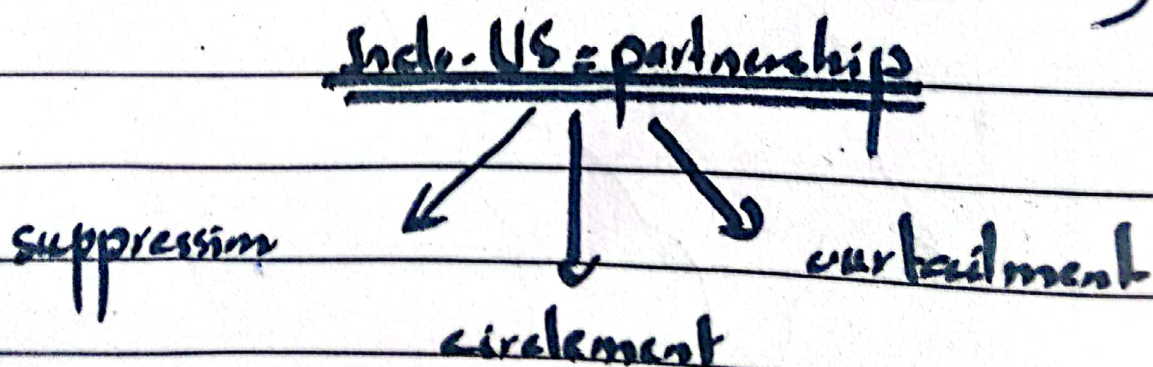


Thus, Indo-US strategic partnership leads to Indian hegemony.

2) Threat to regional security: price
Further, Indo-US strategic partnership is a threat to regional security. In fact, growing US interests hurt Chinese factors.

According to China,
China is observing
curtailment, circlement,
and
suppression of the
US."

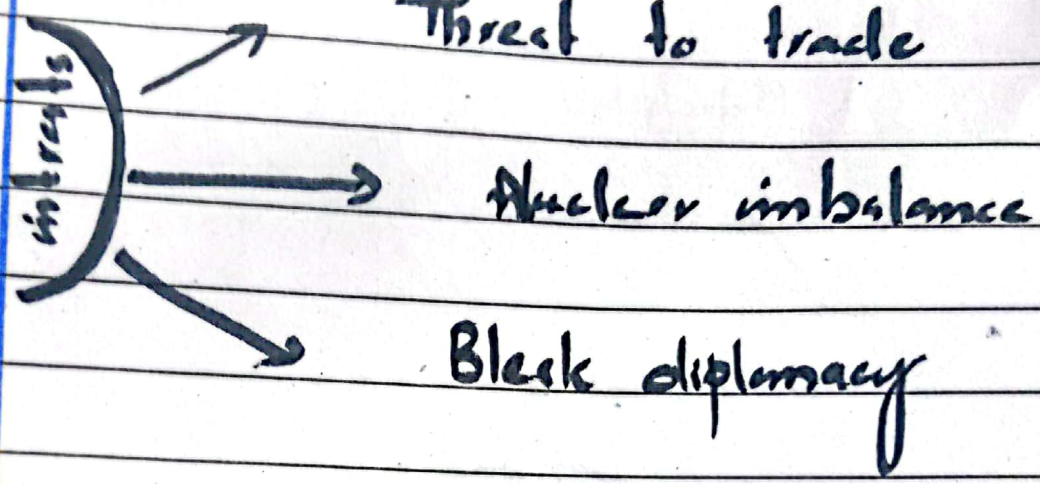
(- Chinese Media
2023)



Thus, Indo-US strategic partnership poses security threats.

4- Indo-US strategic partnership with respect to Pakistan

Following are interests with Pakistan:



a) Threat to trade in the region Indo-US strategic partnership will pose threat to trade of Pakistan. In fact, Pakistan is imported base economy.

"About 95pc of trade is done through the Arabian Sea."

(Pakistan Bureau of statistics, 2012)

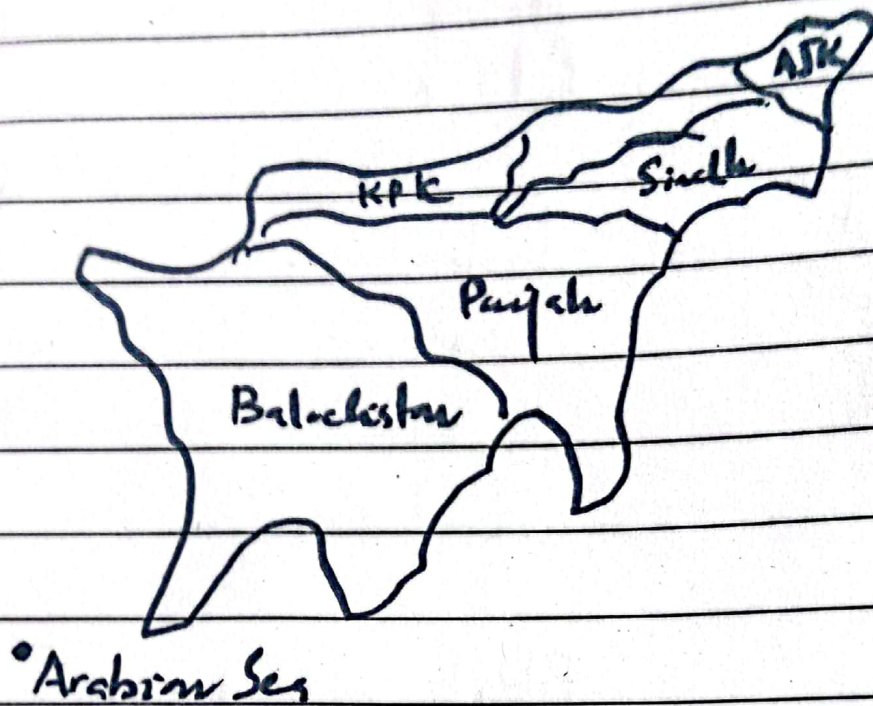


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Thus, it impacts trade of Pakistan.

b) Nuclear imbalance: Strategic insecurity

Moreover, Indo-US strategic partnership leads to nuclear imbalance. Resultantly, strategic insecurity increases between Pakistan and India.

Indo US strategic partnership will make Pakistan

vulnerable to strategic
position..

(Analysts' view 2019)

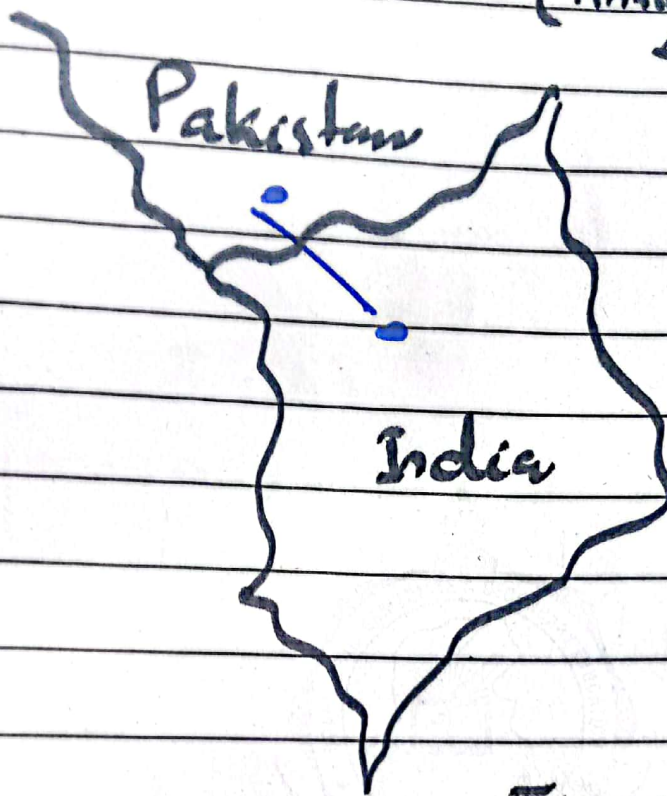


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Thus, Indo-US strategic partnership
will create security crisis.

c) A driving force of bleak
diplomacy between India and
Pakistan

Indo-US strategic
partnership will lead to bleak
diplomacy. As Pakistan and India

a are already in deep-roots of bleak diplomacy.

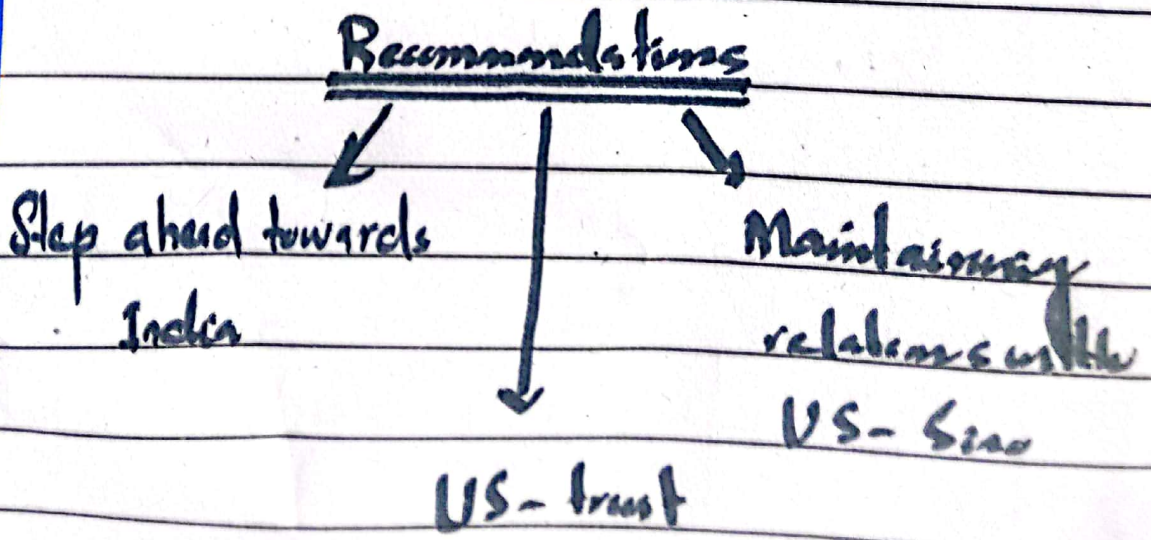
" Indo-US strategic partnership will create distance between India and Pakistan's relations."

(AI-Jazeera - Indian hegemony, 2022)

Thus, it will pose threat to diplomatic relations.

5- Recommended measures to follow by Pakistan

Following are recommended measures:



a) Pakistan's step ahead towards
Indo-Pak relationship

Pakistan needs
to increase relationship with India.
Pakistan and India, unfortunately,
are in bleak ties.

• Pakistan's joining in
FMs SCO is an

evidence of the
future relationship

(Bilawal Bhutto Zardari)

Thus, Pakistan should improve relationship with India.

b) A balance between US-Sino relationship
circle

Further, Pakistan
also attempt to maintain balance
of relations with US-Sino. In fact,
Pakistan is remained in
long relations with both.

"We need a balanced
foreign relations,
not independent."

(Toqeer Hussain,
Foreign policy dynamics,
2022)

Thus, Pakistan should maintain a
balance in relations.

c) To win the US-trust

Moreover Pakistan
needs to win the US-trust. Pak-
istan has been remaining an imp-
ortant ally since its inception.

"The US decided to
sell the spare parts
of F-16 to
Pakistan"

(Al-Jazeera, 2023)

Thus, Pakistan needs to win the
US trust.

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Conclusion

'Indo-US strategic partnership is a containment cycle of Chinese influence'

(Analysts' view)

US-India growing strategic partnership is primarily to contain China. But, unfortunately, it also has interests with Pakistan. Therefore, Pakistan should follow the recommended measures to cope with growing partnership.

Q 3.
Answer:

Introduction

"Pakistan is caught in a vicious cycle of energy crisis."

(Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, 2022)

Pakistan has been suffering problems in the power sector. Resultantly, an unimaginably expensive electricity has several negative impacts on economy, society, and political position of Pakistan. In these phenomena, Pakistan should follow recommended measures to cope problems in the power sector.

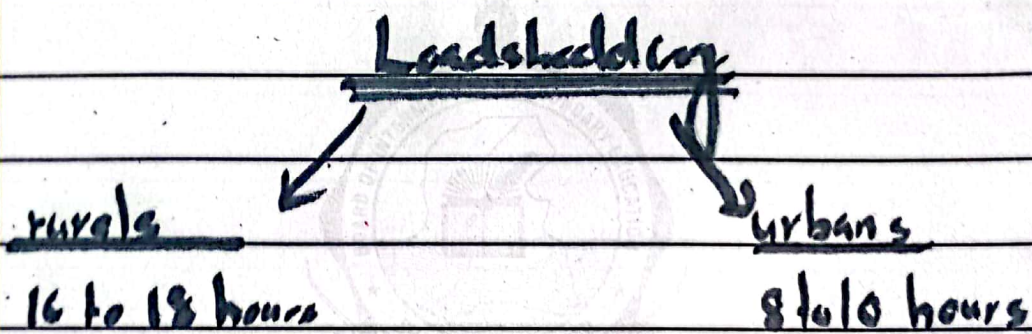
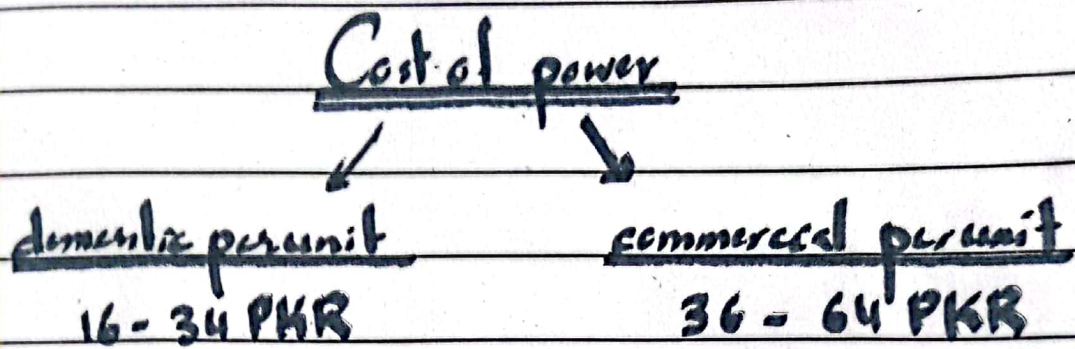
2- Power sector crisis: An overview

"Pakistan is full of crisis of energy."

(— Ismail Geladiz)

Pakistan, unfortunately,

faces energy crisis since 2007. The cost and loadshedding is reached at peak.



(- Pakistan Bureau of statistics, 2022)

Therefore, Pakistan is caught in a vicious cycle of power crisis.

3- Problems in the power sector of Pakistan
Following are

problems:

a) Dependency on imported hydrocarbon

Dependency on imported hydrocarbon is a chief problem. In fact, Pakistan generates about 60pc of energy from it.

In fiscal year 2022,

Pakistan imported hydrocarbon of PKR

12 billion //

(Economic Survey, 2022)

Thus, dependency on imported hydrocarbon is a problem.

b) Loss in transmission lines

Power loss in transmission lines is also one issue.

Pakistan, unfortunately has outdated lines - system.

“ Pakistan loses 17pc of power in

transmission loss //

(Pakistan Bureau
of Statistics, 2022)

Hence, loss in transmission is one
more issue.

c) A huge energy theft in Pakistan

Moreover, energy
theft is a huge issue in Pakis-
tan. Unfortunately, energy is in
theft cycle.

"About whole Sindh and
Balochistan are
involved in energy
theft."

(Al-Jazeera, energy
crisis, 2021)

Thus, energy theft is also a
problem of power sector.

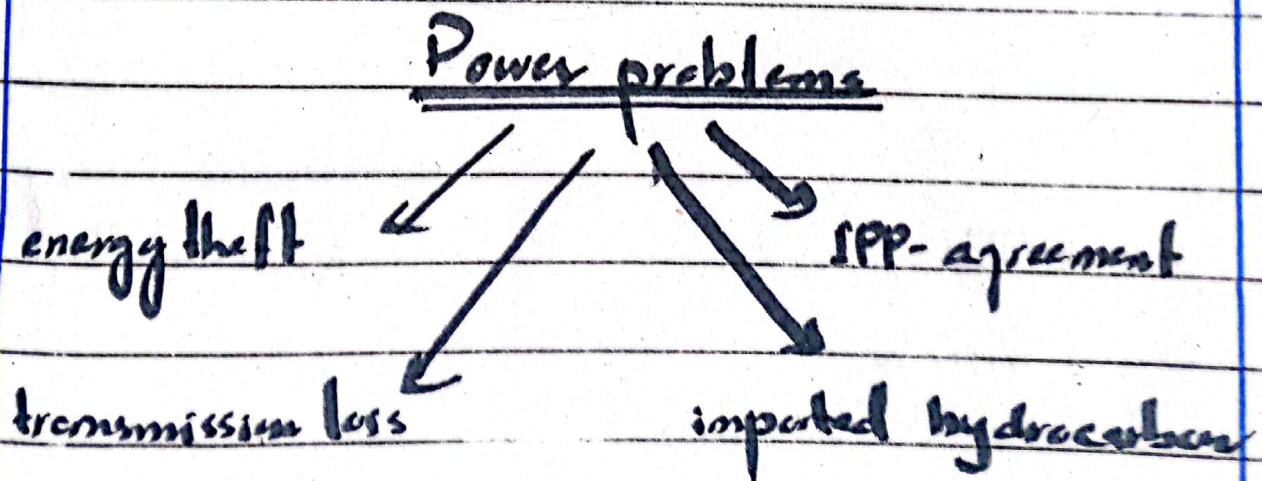
d) Expensive agreements with IPPC
Pakistan also

faces consequences of expensive agreements. In fact, agreements with IPP has led to power crisis.

"Pakistan has to pay about 35 pc of amount every year to IPP - due to agreement policy"

(-Touqeer Hussain,
IPP- deal with Pakistan, 2012)

Hence, expensive agreements also cause power crisis.



4- Implications on economy of Pakistan
Economy of

Pakistan suffer the worst impacts due to power crisis. Unfortunately, Pakistan is caught in a tremendous circular debt.

"Pakistan has debt of about PKR 2.3 trillion as circular debt"

(Bardays Report 2022)

Moreover,

"Pakistan has about 25% of trade deficit due to hydrocarbon."

(Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, 2022)

Thus, economy of Pakistan suffers much.

5- Social implications on Pakistan

Along with economic, Pakistan also suffer social

implications. Social turbulences are growing today.

"About 543 women are kidnaped in Sindh."

(The Sustainable Organization Report, 2023)

Moreover,

"Theft and robbery is growing in Karachi."

(Al-Jazeera, Social disorganization, 2023)

Thus Pakistan is also caught in social failure.

6- Political turmoil in Pakistan

Further, Pakistan also suffer political instability. In fact, power problems led to mislead public movement.

"Failure of political elite"

led to turmoil in politics."

(Faisal Bari, life style recalibration, 2018)

Moreover,

"Growing power prices pushed political leaders

against each other."

(Faisal Bari, life style recalibration, 2018)

Thus, Pakistan also suffer political turmoil.

7- Recommended measures to cope growing power problems

Following are recommended measures:

a) Re-negotiate agreements with IPP
Pakistan should renegotiate IPP agreements. In fact,

in 2020, the PTI government did so.

"'Give and take' policy of IPP agreements will save PKR 100 to 150 billions annually."

(Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, 2022)

Therefore, Pakistan should renegotiate agreements.

b) Renewable energy generation from local sources

Pakistan should generate energy from local sources. In fact, Pakistan has tremendous potential to generate renewable energy.

• Pakistan can generate 60% of energy from its local

since by 2030."
(Economic Survey, 2022)

Hence, Pakistan should rush towards local sources.

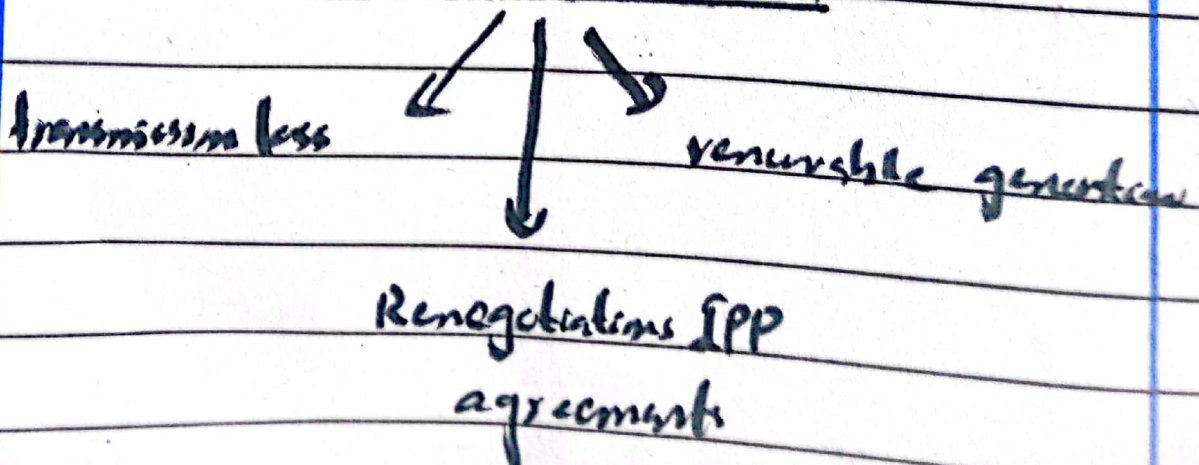
c) Improve transmission loss in wires
Pakistan should change transmission wires. Pakistan has done so.

' Lahore to Malir transmission lines save 3pc of power "

(Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, 2022)

Thus, Pakistan should fix new transmission system.

Recommendations



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Conclusion

'Pakistan is become
a country of concern'

(The World Bank,
2022)

Pakistan has been suffering problems in power sector. As a result, it has several impacts on economic, social, and political position of Pakistan. Therefore, Pakistan should follow recommended steps to cope with problems in power sectors.

Q:4

Answer to

Introduction

1 Taiwan is become
a mouth-piece in
between US - Sino
rivalry. "

(Fitch, S.P, Moody)

Taiwan crisis in general and semiconductors industry in particular has become the new clash point between US and China. Both super powers are in tug of war over Taiwan territory and relations. Thus, both countries need to be in good way with respect to Taiwan crisis.

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Taiwan's importance; An Overview

1 Taiwan is become
the world's 17th
largest economy. "

(Fitch S.P, Moody)

Taiwan is become the mouth-piece due to its growing economic importance. The US-China tug of conflict is also over Taiwan.

"China and US are the greatest importers of Taiwan's semiconductors."

(Al-Jazeera, Taiwan's economy, 2023)

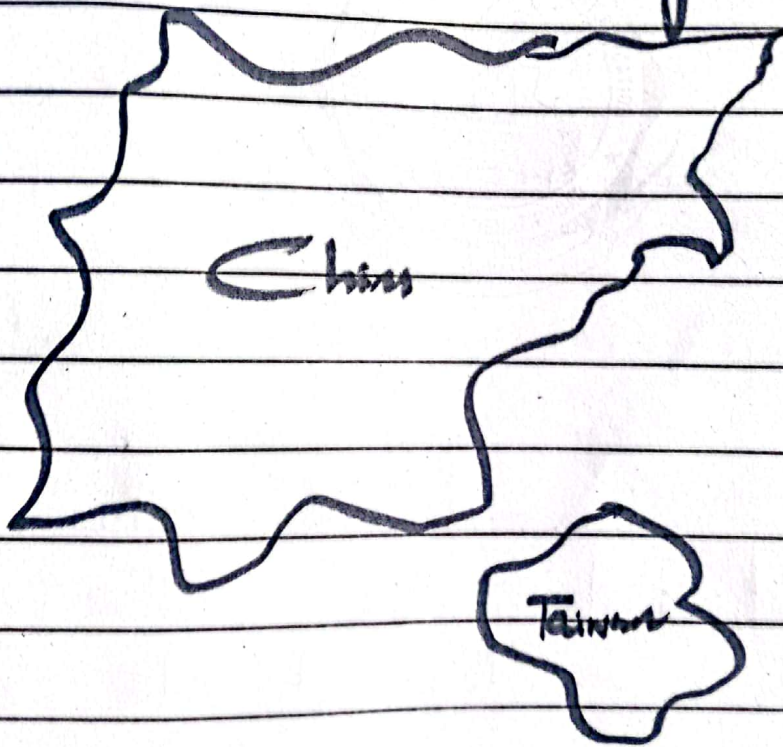


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Thus, Taiwan has a growing importance.

3- China policy over Taiwan
China has following

policy:

a) One China policy system
China focus on one-China policy. In fact, it gives a message as Taiwan a part of China.

'China regards Taiwan as its territory'

(- Chinese Media)

Thus, China has one policy system.

b) A historic version of nine dashed lines

Moreover, China has exposed 9 dash-lines. This represent China has dominant role over Taiwan.

'9-Dash lines means, Taiwan was, is, and



will be part of
China

(Xi-Jinping)

Thus, China has introduced
9- dash-lines.

4- US role in Taiwan relationship

The US has following role:

a) Technological development and institution in Taiwan

The US has opened technological institution in Taiwan. In fact, the US has vast interests in the US-Taiwan relationship.

"Trump Administration
led to foundation
of technological
institution of America
in Taiwan."

(The CNN- 2021)



Thus, US had technological development in Taiwan.

b) Democratic movement in Taiwan

Moreover, the US also attempt to lead to strong democratic roots in Taiwan. It is also clear from the following evidence:

'The US invited Taiwan in Democratic Summit of 2023, while ignored China.'

(Al-Jazeera, 2023)

Thus, the US leads to democratic foundations in Taiwan.

5- Recommended measures to diffuse tensions between two-global powers

Following are measures:

a) Giving supremacy to Taiwan
Supremacy should

be given to Taiwan. In fact, both global powers need to play their role for peace in Taiwan.

• US-Sino rivalry will pose threat to Taiwan.

(Analysts' view)

Thus, both need to give supreme authority to Taiwan.

b) Friendly input relations between US-Sin

Moreover, both countries need to input friendly relations. In fact, both are global leaders that need to be friends.

• For global peace, US-Sin rivalry should be ended.

(Analysts' view)

Thus, both countries should input positive relations.



Conclusion

Taiwan is a major economy of the globe.

(AI-Jazera, 2022)

Taiwan crisis in general and semiconductors industry has become a clash between US and China. In fact, both are growing in tug of conflict over Taiwan policy. Thus, recommended steps should be followed to diffuse relations between US - Sino.

Q17

Answer

Introduction

"The US must end
its rest holidays"

(Fitch, S-P, Moody's)

In the increasingly multi-polar world there is the rise of the rest. But, the US hegemony is going to be down. Despite this, the US is still a global leader. Thus, in multipolarity rise, the US is still as a global leader.

2.

An overview of the US rise as a global leader

"The US is leading
to the globe"

(The US secretary,
2022)

After the fall of the global leaders during the two great wars, WWI and WWII, the

US maintained its position. In fact, war was not on the land of the US. This, as a result, led to the US the world's superpower.

WWI - WWII = Collapse of the world
(Superpower: US)

3- US as still a global leader
Following are evidences:

a) The rise of international monetary policy of the US

The US leads to the international monetary policy. In fact, global trade is fixed in dollars.

'In 1997, the US had surplus of \$ 3trillion'
(CNN Report, 2022)



Hence, US has raised its international policy.

b) Control over global trade routes

Moreover, the US has control over global trade routes. Almost global routes are under the US control.

'Indian ocean, Pacific ocean and others are under the US influence.'

(- The US secretary)

Thus, the US has control over global trade routes.

c) Strong defence system of the US

Further, strong defence system of the US is one of evidences. In fact, the US has the world's best strategic



system.

"The US is the most spender of strategic position in the world."

(The NATO Secretary)

Thus, the US has the strong defence system.

d) Superpower in technology

Furthermore, the US is superpower in technology. The world's best technology is in hands of the US.

As long as, the US is leading to technological academia, none should think of global leadership.

(- Obama)

Thus, the US is also leading to technological world.

3) Modernization of military

The US has modernized its military position. In fact, it would be true to say that the US is a base of modern military.

“The US has F-16, 35, 52 and others, black hawk like military goods.”

(- At Jinnah, 2022)

Thus, the US has modernized military.

4- Conclusion

“The US was, is, and will be a global leader.”

(- Fukuyama)

In the increasingly multipolar world there is rise of the rest. But, the US hegemony is still at peak. Several arguments

are evidences of the US-hegemony.
Therefore, the US is still a global leader.