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Climate Change in Pakistan: Causes and Consequences

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"I don't want you to be hopeful. I want you to panic. And act as if the house was on fire." This statement of Greta Thunberg, an environmental activist, draws our attention towards the urgency of climate change. Climate change is a global issue and an ~~immediate~~^{imminent} threat which demands our immediate action. Pakistan is listed in top ten countries of the world which are the most vulnerable to climate crisis. Given the vulnerability, Pakistan should at least lay down ^{the} practical and achievable policies to lower the number of factors & their

intensity contributing towards climate change. Non-eco friendly practices must be replaced by eco-friendly practices like ban on usage of plastic, and use of zig-zag technology in brick kilns. Pakistan have witnessed the climate carnage back in 2022 when floods took lives of over 1500 people and displaced 33 million people. In 2015, Heat wave in Karachi took lives of hundreds of people. These two instances imply that climate change is not a distant threat, but we are already ~~feeling~~ suffering the consequences of it. However, we also cannot ~~absolve~~ ^{absolve} developed nations of climate change in Pakistan, G20 nations' 80 percent carbon footprint effect Pakistan which has only 1% carbon footprint. We suffer dire consequences of climate change in ~~shape~~ form of land degradation, natural disasters, and humanitarian economic, and social crises. Climate change is a non-traditional security threat, which has more adverse implications for humanity than any other threat ~~posed~~ ^{faced} by countries.