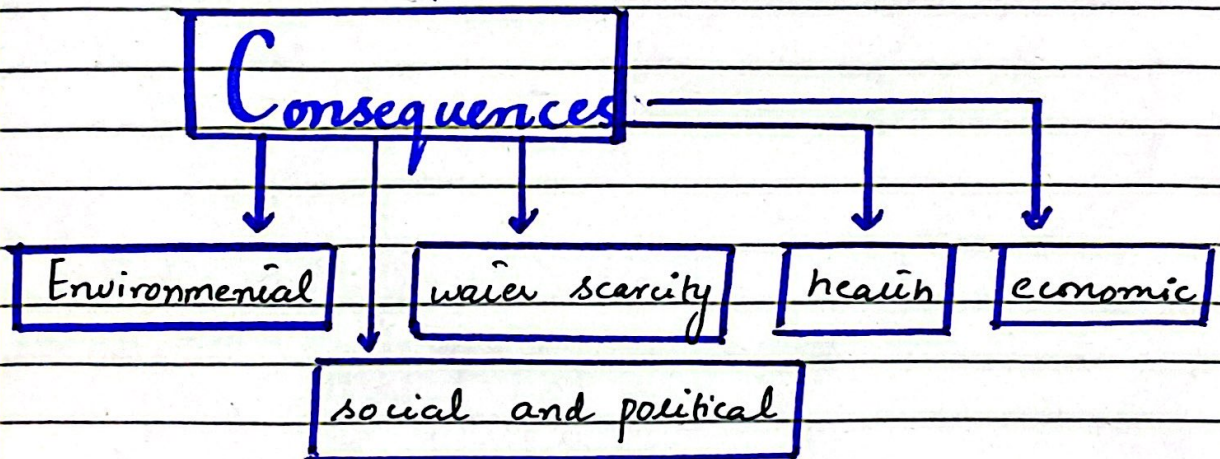
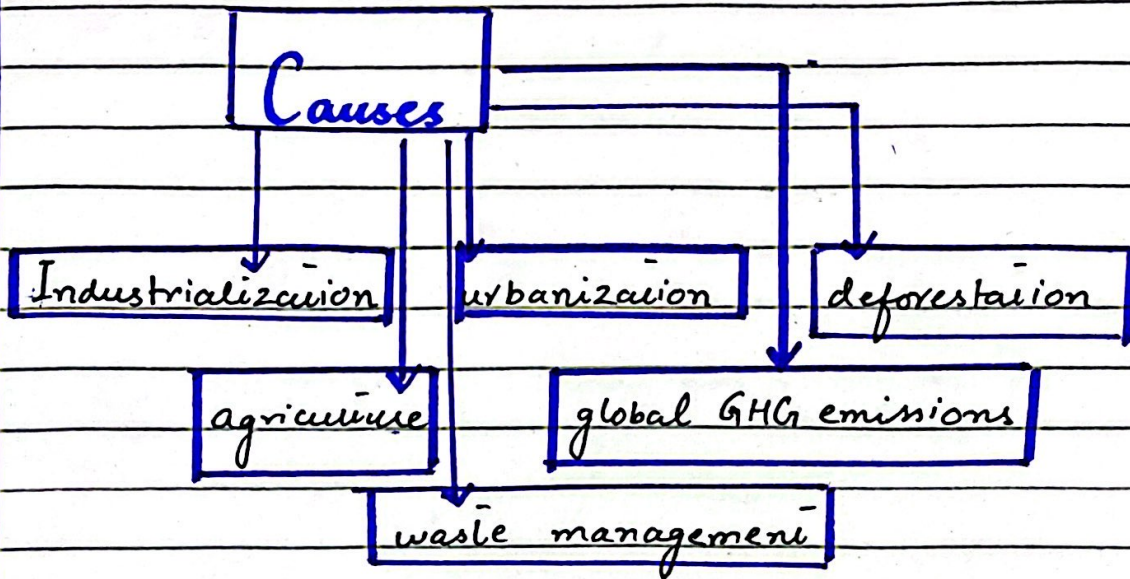


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Climate Change in Pakistan: Causes and Consequences

1. Introduction

1.1.

1.2. General Statements

1.3. Thesis statement

2. Main Body:

(A) Causes:

2.1 Industrialization

2.1.1. Unregulated emissions

2.1.2. Energy consumption

2.1.3. Outdated technologies

2.2 Urbanization

2.2.1. city expansion

2.2.2. Pollution increase

2.2.3. Strain on resources

2.3 Deforestation

2.3.1. Illegal logging

- 2.3.2. Agriculture clearing
- 2.3.3. Loss of biodiversity.

2.4. Agriculture

- 2.4.1. Methane from livestock
- 2.4.2. Overuse of fertilizers
- 2.4.3. unsustainable practices

2.5 Global Emissions

- 2.5.1. Role of developed countries in global emissions.
- 2.5.2. Pakistan's disproportionate vulnerability

2.6. Waste Management

- 2.6.1. Open burning
- 2.6.2. lack of recycling
- 2.6.3. Poor waste disposal.

8) Consequences

2.1. Environmental

- 2.1.1. Rising temperatures
- 2.1.2. glacier melting
- 2.1.3. Increased natural disasters
- 2.1.4. soil degradation

2.2. Agricultural

- 2.2.1. Reduced productivity
- 2.2.2. Food insecurity
- 2.2.3. Crop failures
- 2.2.4. Livestock at risk.

2.3. Water Scarcity

- 2.3.1. Depleting water resources
- 2.3.2. Irrigation challenges
- 2.3.3. Drinking water shortage

2.4. Health

- 2.4.1. Heat related illness
- 2.4.2. Spread of diseases
- 2.4.3. Malnutrition
- 2.4.4. Impact on vulnerable groups.

2.5. Economic

- 2.5.1. Infrastructure damage
- 2.5.2. Loss of income
- 2.5.3. Increased costs for disaster management
- 2.5.4. Impact on rural economies.

2.6. Social and Political

- 2.6.1. Displacement of communities
- 2.6.2. Migration to urban centers
- 2.6.3. Pressure on urban infrastructure
- 2.6.4. Social unrest and conflicts

The Essay

"The Earth is what we all have in common."

(Wendell Berry) This poignant reminder emphasizes our collective responsibility in confronting climate change, a challenge that transcends borders. Climate change is neither a new issue nor a fully scouted one. While developed countries are making strides in addressing its impacts, underdeveloped and developing nations, like Pakistan, continue to struggle. In Pakistan, the stakes are particularly high, as the nation grapples with the severe repercussions of climate change despite contributing only a small fraction to global greenhouse gas emissions.

As a developing country, Pakistan faces severe challenges posed by climate change, driven by factors such as industrialization, deforestation, ~~and~~ unsustainable agricultural practices, global greenhouse gas emissions and poor waste management. The consequences of these causes are far-reaching, resulting in environmental degradation, economic instability and social upheaval. This essay will explore the primary causes of climate change in Pakistan, along with the dire consequences that arise from these factors.

It is crucial that immediate and collective efforts are made to address this escalating

crisis before its consequences become
irreversible