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How does Pak foreign policy navigate the complex balance b/w economic growth, security concerns and regional influence?

Introduction

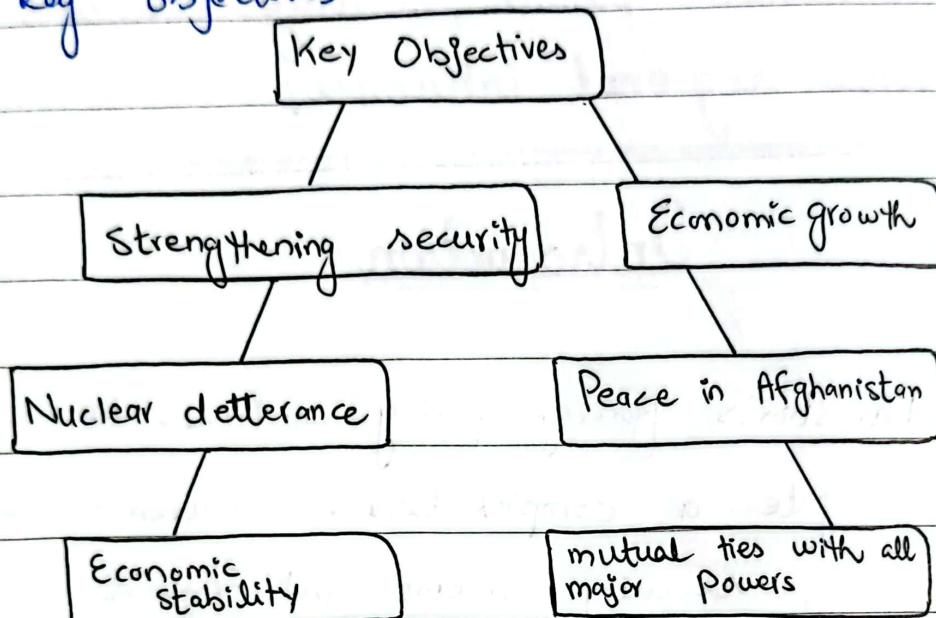
Pakistan's foreign policy continues to navigate a complex balance between economic growth, security concerns and regional influence. Its relations with neighbour countries and the big economic powers like China, US and Russia necessitate a delicate balancing act (in its relations). For this, Pakistan should develop strategies to counter these issues to increase her diplomatic power with these big players. This study examines the relations of Pakistan's neighbours and economic giants of the globe.

Historical context

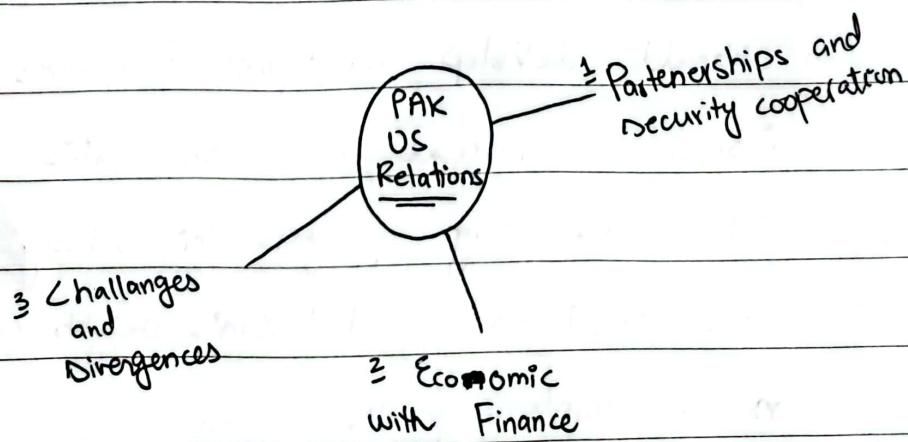
Foreign policy of Pakistan

Key Objectives

Every country has its own objectives for foreign policy. Pakistan also has key objectives.



Pakistan relations with USA

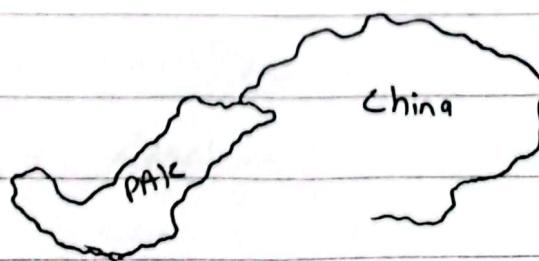


1- Pakistan and US are old allies in the perspective (to) with security in the region. For instance after 9/11 incident, they both tried their best to prevent terrorism in Afghanistan for US interest.

2- US is also providing aid for decades. She is also supporting Pakistan in education, health and infrastructure.

3. Challenges: Currently, the challenges relations are about security. US is blaming Pakistan that she has prepared missile for America. While Pakistan has sought greater recognition of its security concerns, particularly regarding India and Afghanistan.

Relations with China



1- All weather strategic Partnership

China Pak relation is also known as all weather strategic partnership. Its currently example is CPEC through BRI.

2 Economic help:

China is also investing money in Pakistan for better infrastructure and is always ready in providing aid. Although China has also concerns to invest in Pakistan, but due to this interest, the investment is blessing in disguise for Pakistan.

A friend in need, is a friend indeed

3- Current challenges

Pakistan is no doubt supporting China for its investment. But there are so many big players in the form of US and India who do not want this project to be succeeded. That's why China is threatened with terrorism in Pakistan many times. And it has stopped the

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Pakistan Afghan relations

