

Instructions to Secure Good Marks in the Current Affairs Paper

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Important Note: Marks will be awarded strictly on the following parameters: **Content 60%, References 15%, Subject-specific language 15%, Graphs, charts & diagrams 10%.**

Subjective Part

Q#05

Gaza peace plan and the

claims of its success — Islamabad

valley and possible fallout in Pak.

Key Guidelines: Each question should be attempted with 12–13 clear headings. The answer must be 8–9 pages (sides) in length to score above 15 marks per question. Questions usually contain 3–4 parts; each part carries equal weightage, so all parts must be discussed equally and proportionately.

Introduction:

Content & Argumentation: Always use examples from current and ongoing events to justify your arguments. Demonstrate strong analytical depth, not mere narration of facts. Support arguments with relevant data, reports, international indices, treaties, and recent developments.

US president Donald Trump proposed

a peace plan for Gaza to end

the bloody conflict between Israel

and Palestine ongoing after 70 years

2025 incident: creating a new plan

6. Regional Arabization Force (RSF)

Structure & Presentation: Begin every answer with an attractive, content-setting introduction. End with a forward-looking, well-linked conclusion that ties back to the question. Use headings directly derived from the question statement — pick words and phrases from the question itself.

should establish to run Gaza's

day to day affairs. It is recommended

that Pakistan will provide military

force to establish RSF in addition

to other muslim state's forces to

territory of Palestine. However, watched

by USA and Israel and RSF will

be answerable to them. Many muslim

states gave consent over this peace

proposal except to disarm the Hamas.

Alignment with the Question: Each argument must be explicitly linked to the specific part of the question being asked. If your heading is not aligned with the demand of the question, the content — no matter how accurate — will not be rewarded. Avoid generic or unrelated headings; precision is key.

Language & Visuals: Use subject-specific terminology relevant to international relations, geopolitics, economics, and security studies. Incorporate simple graphs, flowcharts, tables, or maps wherever relevant to enhance clarity and scoring potential.

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Disarmament is a Constituent factor of this Gaza peace plan by using Regional Stabilization force. Islamabad shows the agreement over this plan but take a clear stance to not participate in Hamas disarmament. This thing spread chaos not only at national level but also disturb the relations of Pakistan with other muslim state as this peace plan is ambiguous over "Two state solution".

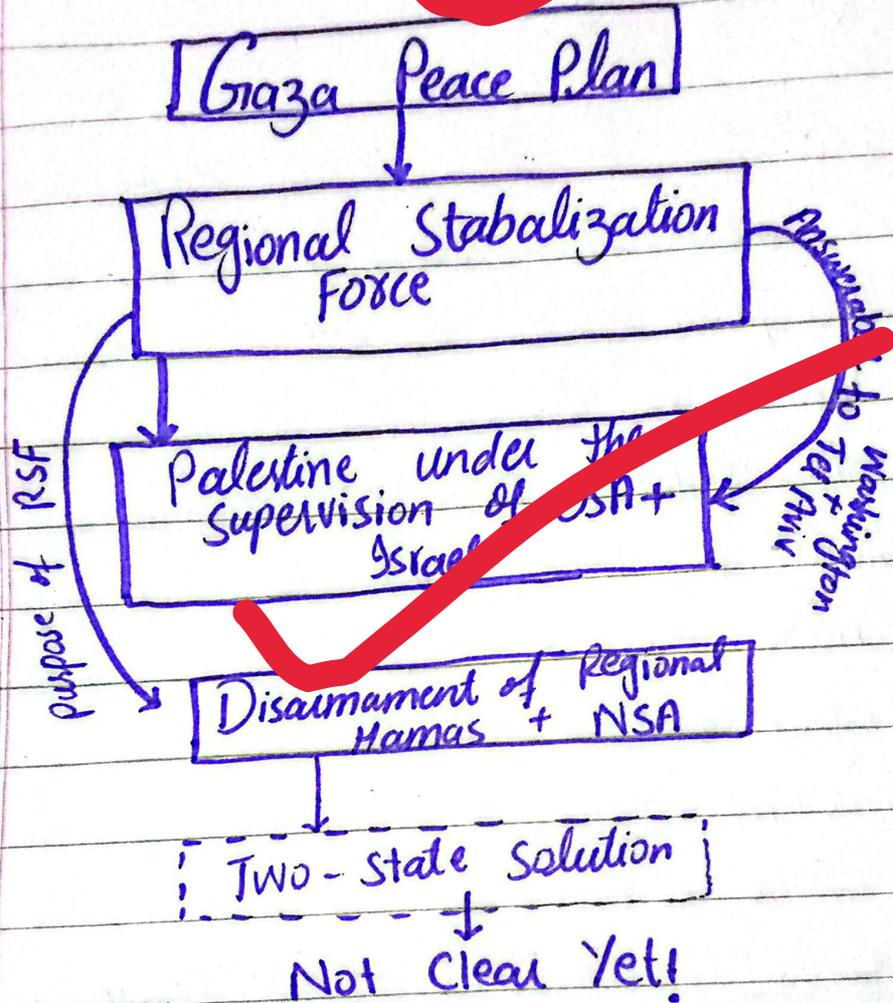
Gaza Peace Plan:

After a truce brokered by USA, Donald Trump proposed a peace plan for Gaza. Regional Stabilization force RSF with the collaboration of Islamic military forces e.g. Pakistan and to watch Palestine's affairs, it will be a responsibility of USA and Israel. This peace plan clearly define to disarm the Hamas and other non-state actors but ambiguous

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about "Two state solution" between Israel and Hamas.



→ Critical Evaluation Over Gaza plan

No chances of Two-State Solution:-

According to this plan, there is no any chance of two-state solution that provide sovereignty to Palestinian people and guard their territorial integrity. Although, **UNSC** clearly

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mentioned, **48%** Palestinian territory,
51% for Israel and **1%** independent
region of **Jerusalem**.

Muslim forces against Hamas and other NSA:

This peace plan suggest a muslim
force to disarm the Hamas and
other regional Non-State actors. This
thing will rise the hostility and spread
chaos across the region as a conflict
begin between muslims ^{forces} against
muslims Jihadist.

Disarmament — Not possible:

The ultimate goal of Hamas is
a "Free Palestine" and this peace
plan has no clue of two state
solution. Therefore, it is not easily
possible for **RSF** or any other
forces to disarm Hamas. As a
result this peace plan will
never bring the desired results
for muslims or Palestine.

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Fragile Truce - Violation by Israel :-

The existing truce between Israel and Palestine is extremely fragile as the world witnessed it has been violating by Israel since the Cease Fire occurred in October 2025. More than 500 people were killed after this truce in different skirmishes between Hamas and Israel.

Trump - Netanyahu - Dec 2025 meeting :-

In December 2025, Trump gave a warm welcome to Israeli prime-minister Netanyahu. After this meeting according to International Media, Trump announced to adopt hard policy against Hamas if Hamas show any resistance to disarm itself. USA's Coercive policy further escalate the tension in the Middle East.

Policy of Islamabad:

Support the RSF development:

Pakistan align its policy as to support the development of regional development force and announce to provide military support to stabilize peace in the region.

Against to Disarm the Hamas:

Foreign minister of Pakistan Khwaja Asif reiterated as: "It is not our duty to disarm the Hamas and other NSA."

Force to implement UN Resolution:

Pakistan reminds the world there is only — UN resolution of "Two state Solution" — way to develop peace in the hostile region. An independent, autonomous and sovereign, self govern Palestine will end this bloody war permanently.

Possible fallouts on Pak:

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A Step towards the recognition of Israel:

If Pakistan will join RSF in its present conditions, it will be a step towards to join **Abraham accord**.

Therefore, it is necessary for Islamabad to reject this peace plan or RSF plan.

According to **M-Ali Jinnah**:

"Pakistan will never recognize Israel until, a Free Palestinian State emerge over the world map."

Relation's with Muslim States:

Since it is against the objectives of an autonomous Palestine, therefore, the relations between Pakistan and other muslim states should be strained.

National Instability:

As the people of Pakistan consider Palestine as a Holy Land and attach with it emotionally and spiritually. Therefore any stance or action against

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The fighting groups for Free Palestine should spread chaos, hostility, in the region and hurt the prestige of national stability.

Conclusion:

Gaza peace plan to ensure stability in the Middle East and end a despicable, dehumanizing and bloody war in Palestine. Proposed suggestions, in this regard, by USA to develop RSF is another tactic by USA and Israel to control the Palestine through muslims community. It will have negative consequences over Pakistan's regional stability if it ready to join RSF in present conditions. Therefore, Islamabad align its policy accordingly and denied to assist or join the Hamas. But ready to provide any military assistance to develop peace in the region for other peaceful purposes. such as rebuild the Gaza

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Pak-KSA Defence
pact — Geopolitical achievement
for both — Economic achievement
for Pak:

Introduction:

Pakistan and Saudi-Arabia signed a defence pact in **September 2025** aiming to strengthen their defence system under the umbrella of Pakistan's nuclear capabilities. **International media** i.e. **Al-Jazeera, BBC, CNN** termed this defence pact as a **Muslim NATO**. Pakistan's Prime minister invited other muslim states to join this defence pact. It's a great **geopolitical achievement** for both states as this pact undermines the sole hegemony of **Israel** in Middle-East as a nuclear power. Similarly, it's an alarming

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Situation for New Delhi significantly after 10 May stand off. Pakistan through deal become the part of KSA 2030 vision as said by **Muhammad Bin Suleman**. Saudi Arabia will provide assistance militarily and technologically to Pakistan to strengthen the bi-lateral cooperations.

Pak-Saudi Defence Pact:

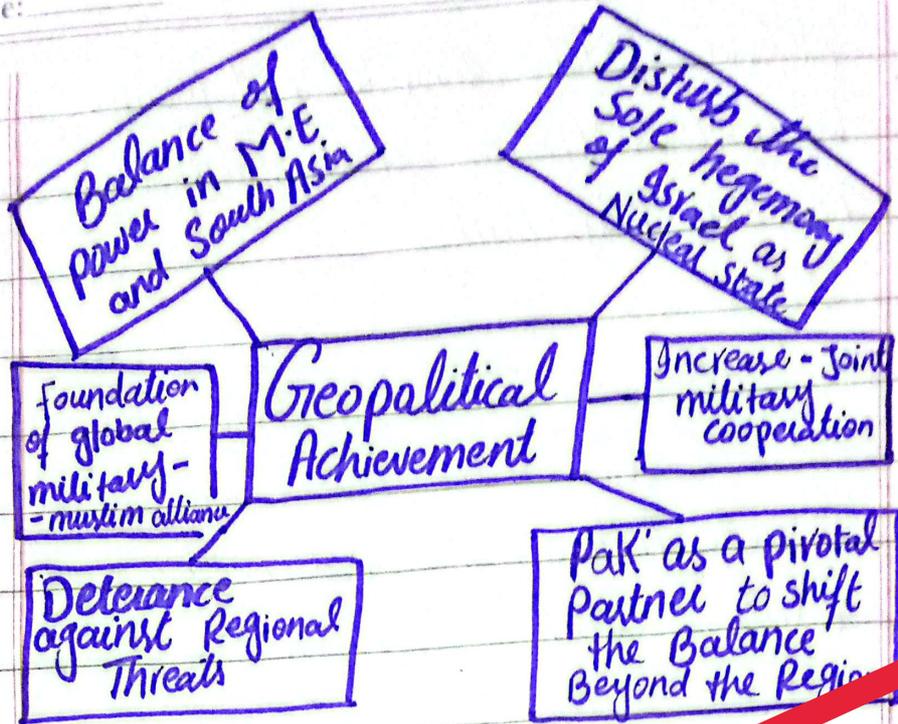
Pakistan and Saudi Arabia signed a defence pact in September 2015. According to this pact, both states reiterated as:

"Attack on one state should consider as an attack on another state."

Therefore it is a significant achievement for both states. Under this agreement both KSA and Pakistan disturb the **"Balance of power" (BOP)** in their respective region.

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→ Geopolitical Achievement for Islamabad and Riyadh:

Balance of Power in M.E

Israeli aggression after Oct 7 2023 spread a chaos and hostile environment in Middle-East. **Expansionist policy of Israel** in Palestine, Syria, stand off with Iran, skirmishes with Yaman and Lebanon. Set a fire across the region. Moreover, Israeli attack on Qatar for Hamas leader hit the prestige of a sovereign state. Therefore, this

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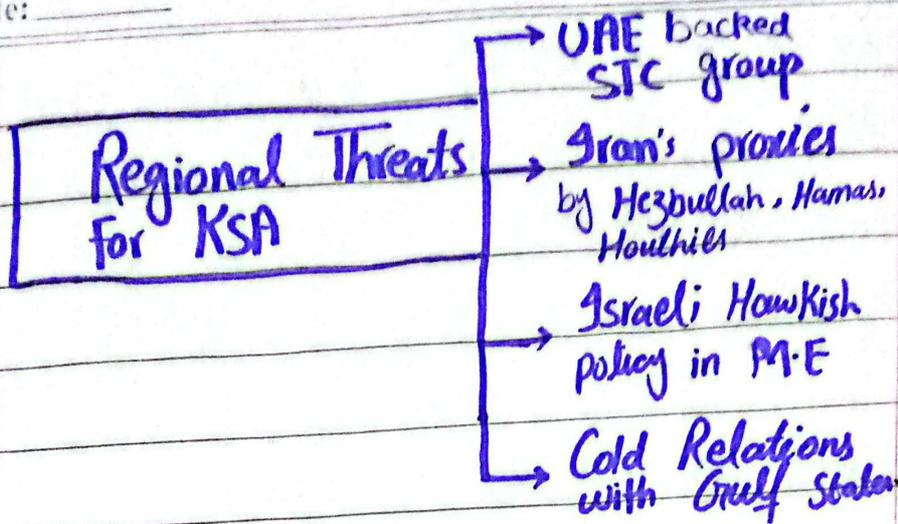
defence pact provide a deterrence to Saudi Arabia, under Pakistan's nuclear capability.

Deterrence Against Regional Threat : (For KSA)

Saudi Arabia has not cordial relations with Gulf states especially UAE. Similarly Iran's support to Non-state actors in Middle-East e.g. Houthies, Hamas, develop a strain relations of KSA with Tehran. UAE Support to Southern Transitional Council (STC) in Yaman, is a security threat across the Southern border of Saudi Arabia. KSA never wants to spread the Shia's influence by Iran in Arabian peninsula. Against all these regional threats, this pact act as a deterrence for Saudi Arabia.

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Deterrence against Regional Threats (For Pak)

For Pakistan, this defence pact is provide defence against regional threats. After Pakistan - India May 10 conflict the situation in South Asia develop a hostile environment. As India's PM said:

“It is Just a pause of Operation Sindor and the conflict may arise at any time”

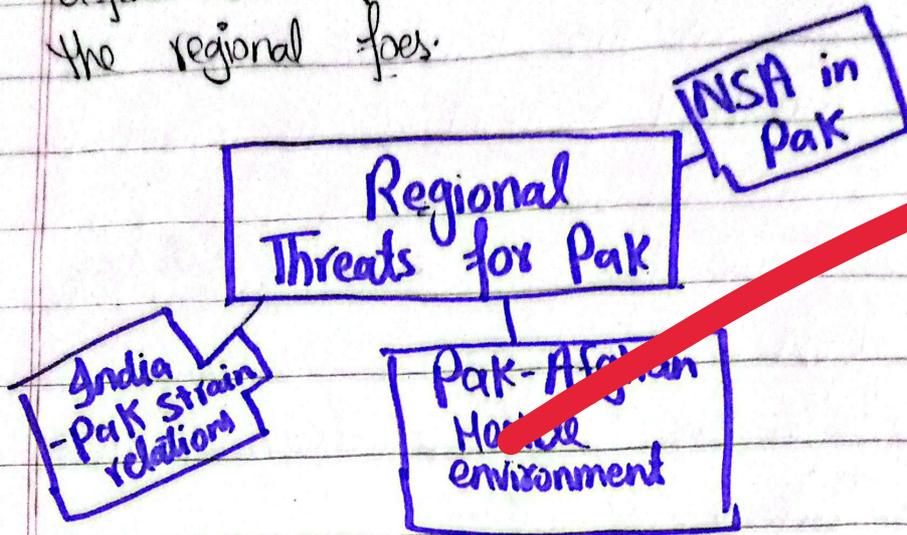
Similarly, at Western border, Pakistan faces a wave of militant insurgency in the Year 2025.

Institution of Security Strategy
declared 2025 as a Lethal Year

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for Pakistan. Therefore, this Pak-Saudi defence deal provide strength against the regional foes.



⇒ Economic Opportunities for Pak

Pakistan get a great achievement after signing this pact in terms of economy. Saudi Arabia agreed on the following deals with Pakistan:

Saudi-Vision of 2030

Saudi Arabia added Pakistan in its vision of 2030. According to this vision, Saudi Arabia will spread its economic influence by increasing trade across the region. Moreover,

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it is a pathway to attain a sustainable development in ~~the~~ irrespective to solely depending on Oil reserves. and now Pakistan is getting support for development in the **Joint Military Cooperation:**

Saudi Arabia provide intelligence and military assistance to Pakistan under this pact. Joint military exercises, weapons supply, finance trading in various military sectors, Pakistan's military force allocation for the protection of two muslim's Holy cities e.g. Makkah and Madinat an all under this deal that is an excellent economic achievements for Pakistan.

Conclusion:

Pakistan and Saudi Arabia's defence pact act as a great geopolitical achievement for both states and economic achievement for Pakistan. It act as a deterrence against regional threats for Saudi Arabia in

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Middle East and in South Asia for Pakistan. Pakistan's nuclear capabilities turn the table and shift the balance of power in the favour of KSA. This thing also undermine or challenge the sole hegemony of Israel and USA in the region as a Nuclear power. Moreover, this deal act as a great economic achievement for Pakistan as KSA will provide intelligence and military assistance to Pakistan, along with joint military exercises, enhancing trade in various sectors and become the part of Saudi 2030 vision. So, it's a strong foundation for muslim military alliance against the Western hegemony and act as a Muslim NATO.

O#04.

Russia and NATO have opposite stance over end of Ukraine's War — USA has different stance

Introduction:

Russia and NATO have opposite stance over the end of Ukraine's War as Russia's motives are to never allow Ukraine to join NATO, never return the annexed land to Ukraine, and stop the supply of military arsenals from **NATO** to Ukraine. But on the other hand NATO has strong motive to forbid the Russian presence at their door steps. Therefore they are using **Coercive approaches** i.e. freezing the Russian assets and use them to provide military aids to Ukraine, Sanctions on Russian oil to force it for a longlasting Truce. Moreover, They are demanding a withdrawal of Russian forces from the annexed 20%.

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Territory of Ukraine. In this complex situation USA - leader of NATO Alliance take a different stance that is mostly supporting the Russia. By keeping in view the present circumstances, there is a dire need to stop this war as ISW warns the intensity of war has been accelerating since last year after the Russian 2022-Feb invasion.

Context: Russia-Ukraine War

Russian Stance	NATO/Ukrainian Stance	USA's Stance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ukraine will never join NATO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Freeze Russian Assets to support Ukraine. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support Russian stance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Never Return the annexed regions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Force/coercive diplomacy for long term Truce. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Warn - Ukraine against
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stop the embargo supply from NATO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Withdrawal of Russian Forces from their neighbours. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Russia's military capabilities

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Critical evaluation over this Complex Regional Instability:

Ukraine - Buffer territory for Russia:

For Russia, Ukrainian territory act as a buffer that protect Russia from the Western expansion or influence over it's region. Russia's claim over this territory has a prolonged complex history while Ukraine wants an autonomy by Western support.

Black Sea - Trade Route:

Black sea is a choke point for Russian trade to access the Western market. but Ukraine has control over this trade route according to maritime trade rules of International law. Therefore, the situation is going to worse over Russia and NATO different strategic interests.

NATO view as: Russias Expansion-
-ist policy

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NATO alliance considered Russia's invasion in Ukraine as its expansionist policy. Therefore, they wanted to protect Russia, Ukraine and provide military joint assistance against Russia.

Bold stance of Russia - due to Russia - China Alliance:

USA and European countries put sanctions on Russian oil. But Russia's close relations with China to make their war machine stronger against Russia. Trade between China and Russia.