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with the studies and IPCC reports warning about more destructive floods the country must boost investment in disaster management systems. Discuss. (200 words).

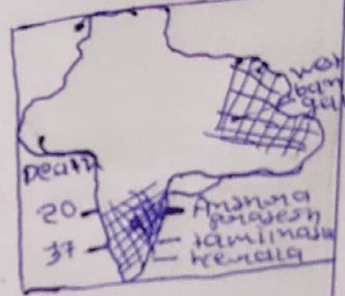
Ans.

this monsoon season has given ample evidence of extreme weather, events, climate change. ex. flooding, landslides, rise in sea level etc.

Flooding issue in most parts of states facing is due to climate change. recently tamilnadu, Kerala, Andhra Pradesh facing the issues.

why it is happening :-

- (1) climate change
- (2) hydroelectricity projects,
- (3) mining.



how to prevent :-

(1) NDRE :-

we have NDRE (national disaster response force) for the extreme situation if occurs. but only relying for surviving it will not work. yes we can prepare in advance for natural catastrophe.

(2) COMMITTEES :-

We have committee for disaster management like madhav gargi committee. We must work whatever suggestion they gave. For ex. In 2011 they recommend 1,30,00 sq km of Arabian coast in Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu be declared an environmentally sensitive zone. But state government denied.

(3) Scheme or Policy :-

We have different act like NDM 2005, NCRMP, MBPO etc. Plus government policy of disaster which help us to prepare in advance for any natural catastrophe.

way forward :-

Yes, we need to invest in disaster management but if we follow strictly suggestion given by agencies or committees we may face less climate or disaster. act.