

इस हाशिप में केवल प्रश्न संख्या लिखें।

Specimen Booklet

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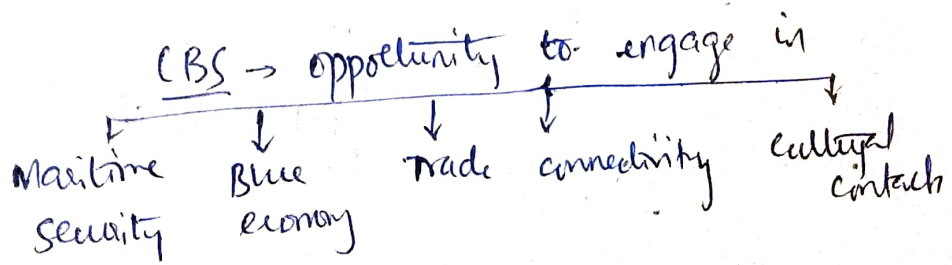
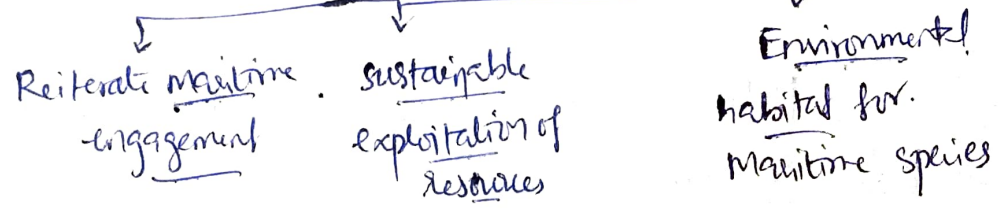
1. The century of Bay of Bengal study can enhance India's overall framework of maritime engagement. Discuss.

Bay of Bengal region ^{has} significance of geo politics, geo economical & geo culture, in changing maritime order in Asia.

~~BOB~~ Rediscover bay

BIMSTEC - 4th summit - PM Modi introduced

Centre for BOB study (CBS) at Malabar



Predominant factor

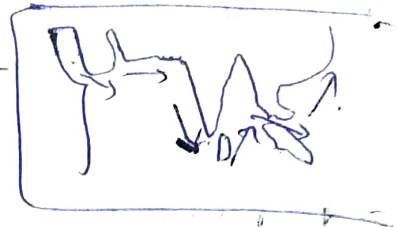
1. Bay - seen as commercial hub
2. Act as conduit between West and East
~~for~~ due to Indo-pacific orientation, trade etc.
3. Life line for many countries →

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Sea Lanes of communication - for trade, ~~ecology~~ logistics
(Maritime route)



4. Non-traditional threat

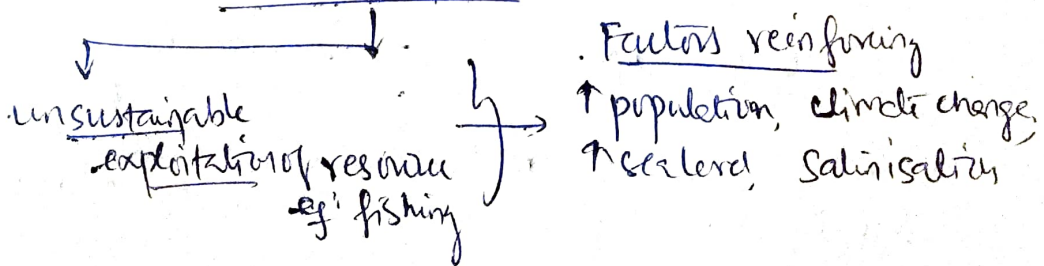
Climatichange Terrorism } becoming predominant

5. world's largest rivers anywhere eg: Brahmaputra, Irrawaddy

6. Environment - geological structure → Mangroves
eg: Sundarbans : fishing - habitat.

Distruction at Bay

1. political and cultural commitment ⇒ used for economic competition



Over coming challenges

1. CBS initiative already done preliminary engagement.

2. Maritime connectivity, security, investment in Maritime connectivity sectors - to faster transit.

3. cooperation of littoral states, for skilling training.

Shared cooperation is necessary as countries share common concern & complex maritime environment