

SPECIAL AREA PLANNING - 18PLN5.6

Mod 1

1. Define a special area? Pick a special area and explain in detail?
A - certain regions across and within States have for historical and special reasons called for a focused area development approach.
To pick any special area and explain the programme details. Ex: HADP
2. What is SEZ, explain in detail?
A - Govt giving provision for SEZ development. Ex: Mangalore and explanation in detail

Mod 2

3. Give short notes on:
 - a) Physiography of Special Area
A - The Western Ghat Mountain Range or Sahyadri Range is the India's largest mountain range after the Himalayas, which extend from the Tapi river valley to the Nilgiri. It is divided into two parts- the North Sahyadri and the south Sahyadri. This range is the home of many hill stations like Matheran, Lonavala-Khandala, Mahabaleshwar, Panchgani, Amboli Ghat, Kudremukh and Kodagu. **HADP** is a hill area development programme given by the government for such special areas.
 - b) Socio-economic character of special area
A - the principal thrust of the Programme was changed to development of human resources, particularly, education — school, technical and vocational in the Community Development Blocks adjoining the border. In its final form, the Programme comprised four elements: issue of photo identity cards to the population in the target areas; education; irrigation and research studies on socio-economic development of these areas.
4. Write characteristics of a special area?
A - Socio economic characteristics, physiographic features, geographic and political features of special areas.

Mod 3

5. What is land management, explain in detail?
A - Land management in the hill areas, example - himalayan regions how the marginal land is converted to better use.
6. What are the government sponsored programmes for a special area and explain their purpose?
A - SEZ programme or HADP or WGDP or any special area programme, explained in detail with finance, infrastructure provision etc.

Mod 4

7. Elaborate the unique infrastructure for Border area development?

A - Ex: Laying roads for the border area and other infrastructure facilities explanation

8. What is an extremist area and give the list of infrastructure facilities?

A - groups that try to bring change through violent revolution. They are against democratic institutions and use violence to subvert the democratic processes at ground level. Link roads, ropeways, foot bridges etc

Mod 5

9. Bring out the schemes of govt for special area development?

A- any one schemes from the program explained in detail. Ex: Special Plan Assistance – Multi Facility Centres (MFC) in Rural Meghalaya.

10. Explain in detail the programme - HADP/WGDP in detail?

A - Hill area dev prog, details of five year plan, approaches for development.

Western ghats development prog, approaches for development