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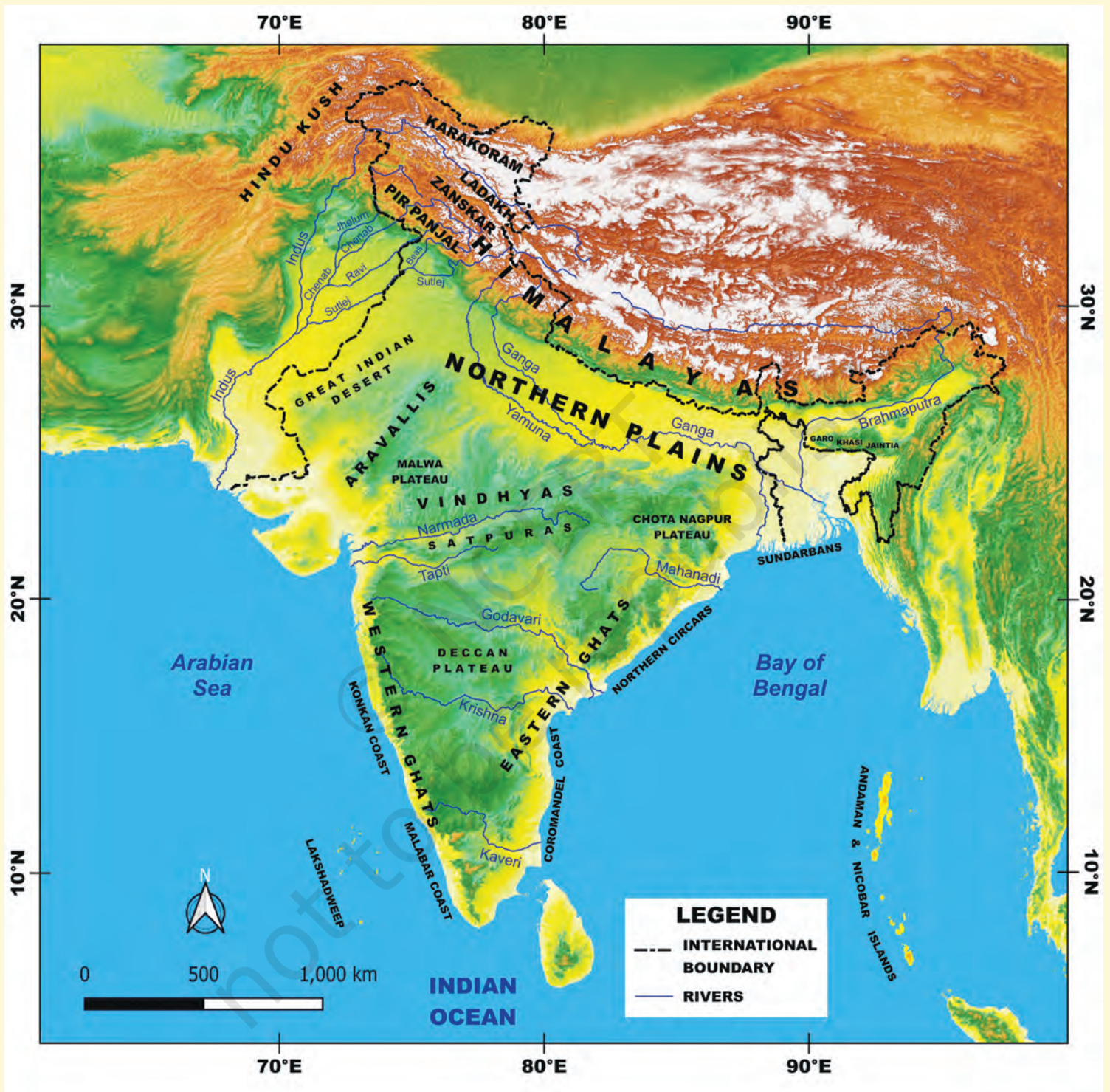
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*'Noodles' is our abbreviation for 'Notes and Doodles'!





Political Map of India



Physical Map of India

Glossary

Aesthetics: Principles behind the appreciation of beauty

Allude: Hint at or suggest

Annihilate: Destroy completely

Antecedent: Something that came before

Apiculture: Beekeeping for collecting honey

Arbitrary: Random, without reason

Bilateral: Involving two parties, especially countries

Bodhisattva: A person who is on the path to enlightenment (in Buddhism)

Buffer state: A small country located between two larger, more powerful countries

Caravan: A group of traders or pilgrims travelling together

Cargo: Goods carried by ships, planes, trains, or trucks

Celestial: Relating to the sky or heaven (depending on the usage)

Clearing (financial): Ensuring accuracy of payment details between banks for safe transfer

Decrypt / Decryption: A computer process that reads a secret or coded message so it can be understood.

Defacing: Damaging or spoiling something

Diaspora: People from one country who live in many different countries around the world

Doctrine: Belief or set of beliefs held by a group, usually a religious group

Ethnicity: Cultural background

Expatriate: A person who lives outside their native country

Furrow: A narrow long ditch made in the earth usually with a plough

Humanitarian aid: Help given to people in emergencies or disasters

Inextricably: Closely connected and impossible to separate

Landlocked: A country that is completely surrounded by land and has no coast

Laudatory: Expressing praise

Meander: Follow a winding path

MICR code: A special printed number and line on a cheque that banks use to read and process cheques quickly by machine

Mulching: Covering soil with dry leaves, straw, or crop remains to keep it moist and protect it

Ordained: Made (someone) a priest

Patent: The legal right given to an inventor so only they can make or sell their invention.

Pisciculture: Fish farming

Point of Sale (POS) machine: A device a shop uses to accept card or digital payments from customers

Profusely: In large amounts

Punitive expedition: A military action taken to punish a political entity or group for a perceived offence

Regime: A particular government or a system or method of government

Resurgence: A return or rise after a fall

Samagra Shiksha: A central government programme to support and improve school education across the country.

Stilts: Poles that help a building or a person to stand at a height above land or water

Strategic: Plan with a particular purpose in mind

Sukanya Samriddhi Account: A government savings scheme aimed at saving money for a girl's education and future

Sustainable infrastructure: Infrastructure that uses eco-friendly methods and materials

Teller: A person who deals with customers' transactions in a bank

Trajectory: The path or progress of something over time

Transboundary (as in transboundary river system): Something (like a river) that crosses or is shared by more than one country

Transplant: To move a sapling from one place (like a nursery) to another (like a field)

Tumultuous: Involving strong emotions

Unremitting: Without relaxing or slowing down

Vigilance Commission: A government body that looks into complaints about misuse of power or corruption by officials

Vigour: Energy, enthusiasm, effort

VB-G RAM G- Viksit Bharat-Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission (Gramin):

A government scheme that promises work (paid jobs) to rural families so that they can earn wages.

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