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The paper deals with different types of soil erosion and sedimentation problems in India, giving magnitude and area affected by sheet, gully and hillside erosion and also sediment deposition in some reservoirs. It reviews conservation measures, mostly on the basis of research conducted at CSWCRTI, Dehradun and its Centres, for arable as well as non-arable lands. Reclamation of ravines and control of landslides in Himalayas are also discussed.