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DAILY WEATHER & FLOOD SITUATION REPORT WEDNESDAY JULY 28, 2021

Good monsoon rains are being experienced particularly in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Punjab and AJ&K over the last 48 to 72 hours. At present, all main rivers of the Indus River System are flowing Normal with no riverine flood situation. Annexure-I is referred for main river's inflows & outflows alongwith reservoir's storage position at 0600 hours today. Owing to healthier rainfall in the catchment areas of the Western Rivers (Indus, Jhelum & Chenab), appreciable increase in the storage of country's major reservoirs during last 2 weeks is being experienced. Today's Combined Live Storage of major reservoirs (Tarbela, Mangla & Chashma) is 6.832 MAF (i.e. 50.54% of the total value of 13.516 MAF).

- 2. According to FFD, Lahore, a fresh Monsoon Low has developed over Northern Bay of Bengal (India) with moderate moist currents from Arabian Sea & Bay of Bengal are penetrating into upper parts of the country up to 5000 feet. Yesterday's trough of Westerly Wave over Northern parts of Afghanistan is now prevailing over Northern parts of Pakistan with Seasonal Low continues to persist over Northern Balochistan
- 3. For the ensuing 24 hours, fairly widespread thunderstorm/rain of **Moderate to Heavy Intensity** with isolated **Very Heavy Falls** has been predicted by the FFD, Lahore over Rawalpindi, Gujranwala, Sargodha & Lahore Divisions of Punjab Province including upper catchments of all main rivers. For the same period, scattered thunderstorm/rain with one or two **Heavy Falls** may also occur over Faisalabad, Sahiwal, Multan, Bahawalpur & D.G. Khan Divisions (Punjab) and Peshawar, Kohat, Bannu & D.I. Khan Divisions of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. As a consequence, **Low to Medium** level Flood is expected in the Nullahs of **rivers Chenab & Ravi**. During the last 24 hours Islamabad City has experienced heavy rains (123 mm). Details of prominent rainfall events for the past 24 hours may be seen at **Annexure-II**.

Lai Nullah Flood Situation

- 4. Owing to heavy rainfall in the twin cities of Islamabad-Rawalpindi, **High Flood Flows were generated** in Lai Nullah and water level at Kattarian Bridge was 21 feet at 0810 hours (Evacuation Level) and 17 feet at Gawal Mandi Bridge at 0910 hours (Evacuation Level) this morning. WASA and District Administration with the help of Pak Army and Rescue-1122 are engaged in ensuring all precautionary measures.
- 5. All concerned authorities are strictly advised to remain **ALERT** on **ROUND-THE-CLOCK BASIS**, closely monitor the weather and flood situation and ensure fool proof precautionary measures well in time to avoid any loss of precious human lives and damage to important installations including public & private properties.
- 6. Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) is monitoring the present weather system on Round-the-Clock basis and keeping all the concerned informed through FFD, Lahore.

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Rivers and Reservoir Positions July 28, 2021 at 0600 Hours

A. River Flow Situation:

Structures	Designed Capacity	Last Year Flow		Today Actual Flow		Comparative Danger	Flood Classification*
		Inflow	Out Flow	In Flow	Out Flow	(VHF) Classification	(Based on today's Outflow)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
River Indus							
 Tarbela Reservoir 	1,500,000	172,000	134,000	273,000	142,000	650,000	Normal
 Kalabagh 	950,000	203,000	195,000	171,000	163,000	650,000	Normal
 Chashma Reservoir 	950,000	194,000	187,000	214,000	201,000	650,000	Normal
Taunsa	1,000,000	197,000	174,000	172,000	151,000	650,000	Normal
Guddu	1,200,000	159,000	121,000	161,000	118,000	700,000	Normal
Sukkur	900,000	116,000	59,000	112,000	56,000	700,000	Normal
Kotri	875,000	68,000	33,000	44,000	3,000	650,000	Normal
River Kabul							
Warsak	540,000		32,000		31,000	200,000	Normal
Nowshera	<i>'</i>		47,000		48,000	200,000	Normal
River Swat (Tributary of Kabul)							
• Chakdara Bridge			14,000		20,000	150,000	Normal
Munda Head Works	150,000		10,000		13,000	150,000	Normal
Charsadda Road Bridge	150,000		8,000		9,000	100,000	Normal
River Jhelum			0,000		2,000	100,000	110111111
Mangla Reservoir	1,060,000	28,000	21,000	45,000	11,000	225,000	Normal
Rasul	850,000	24,000	16,000	7,000	NIL	225,000	Normal
River Chenab	020,000	2 1,000	10,000	7,000	1112	222,000	110111111
■ Marala	1,100,000	61,000	30,000	107,000	74,000	400,000	Normal
Khanki	1,100,000	27,000	19,000	79,000	73,000	400,000	Normal
Qadirabad	900,000	33,000	11,000	81,000	61,000	400,000	Normal
■ Trimmu	875,000	14,000	NIL	27,000	11,000	450.000	Normal
Panjnad	865,000	32,000	17,000	44,000	28,000	450,000	Normal
River Ravi	002,000	32,000	17,000	77,000	20,000	420,000	110111111
Jassar	275,000		9,000		15,000	150,000	Normal
Shahdara	250,000		25,000		36,000	135,000	Normal
Balloki	380,000	42,000	12,000	39,000	10,000	135,000	Normal
Sidhnai	150,000	19,000	7,000	28,000	12,000	90,000	Normal
River Sutlej	150,000	17,000	7,000	20,000	12,000	70,000	110111141
Suleimanki	325,000	16,000	3,000	14,000	2,000	175,000	Normal
- Sulemianki - Islam	332,000	8,000	5,000	2,000	1,000	175,000	Normal Normal
- Islaili	334,000	0,000	3,000	2,000	1,000	1/5,000	rormal

B. Reservoir Storage Position:

Maximum		Minimum	Water Level (Feet-AMSL)			Live Storage (MAF)			Present Storage
Reservoir	Conservation Level (Ft-AMSL)	Operating Level (Ft-AMSL)	2019	2020	2021	Maximum	Last Year	Today	(%age of total storage)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Tarbela	1550.00	1392.00	1522.75	1460.74	1502.36	5.882	1.633	3.363	57.17 %
Chashma	649.00	638.15	641.00	648.50	643.80	0.278	0.253	0.096	34.53 %
Mangla	1242.00	1050.00	1184.75	1228.90	1183.60	7.356	6.336	3.373	46.00 %
Total Live Storage					13.516	8.222	6.832	50.54 %	

C. Skardu Temperature:

Skardu Temperature	Last year 2020	Today 2021
Maximum	28.8 °C	38.6 °C
Minimum	14.2 °C	20.3 °C

NOTES: "Mild" Categories

Low Flood: River flowing within deep (winter) channel(s) but about to spill threatening only river islands/belas
Medium Flood: River partly inundating river islands/belas High Flood: $River\ almost\ fully\ submerging\ is lands/belas\ and\ flowing\ up to\ high\ banks/bunds\ but\ without\ encroachment\ on\ the\ freeboard$

"Danger" Categories Very High Flood (VHF): Exceptionally High Flood (EHF): River flowing between high banks/bunds with encroachment on the freeboard Imminent danger of overtopping/breaching, or the high bank areas have become inundated

^{*} Flood Classification: (applied on downstream discharge/Outflow)
* (R) Signifies "Rising" Flood, (F) Signifies "Falling" Flood, (S) Signifies "Stable" Flow Condition & NR stands for "Not Received"

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Significant Rainfall Events during the Past 24 Hours

Sr. No.	City/Observatory	Rainfall (mm)				
	, ,	Kaman (mm)				
A 1	Punjab Islamabad	123				
1. 2.	Sialkot	103				
3.	Gujrat	63				
4.	Daulatnagar	58				
5.	Narowal	54				
6.	Murree	34				
7.	Jhelum & Mangla	22 each				
8.	Zafarwal	20				
9.	Marala	18				
10.	Gujranwala	12				
11.	Shadiwal	11				
	Kotnain, Mandibahauddin &	06 each				
12.	Rohtas					
В	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa					
13.	Tarbela	69				
14.	Mardan	37				
15.	Balakot	30				
16.	Kakul	18				
17.	Malam Jabba	16				
18.	Besham	13				
19.	Takht Bai	12				
20.	Oghi	08				
21.	Phulra & Daggar	06 each				
C	AJ & K					
22.	Kotli	63				
23.	Panjera	38				
24.	Bandi Abbaspur	28				
25.	Chakothi	27				
26.	Rawalakot	20				
27.	Brarkot	15				
28.	Barnala	14				
29.	Palote	11				
30.	Muzaffarabad. Tandali & Hajira	10 each				
31.	Garhi Dopatta	07				
	Domel & Chattar Kallas	05 each				

Source: FFD, Lahore (Phone No. 042 99200139)