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## FFC's DAILY WEATHER & FLOOD SITUATION REPORT TUESDAY, AUGUST 01, 2023

Tarbela Dam Management is maintaining good reservoir inflow/ outflow regime aligned to SOPs. Resultantly discharges downstream at various control structures are being effectively regulated.

- 2. **Medium Flood** at **Guddu & Sukkur** on **River Indus** is being experienced since **26**<sup>th</sup> and **30**<sup>th</sup> **July 2023** respectively, besides **Low Flood** at **Taunsa Barrage** (upstream **Guddu**). Eastern rivers i.e. **Ravi** at **Head Sidhnai** and **Sutlej** at **Suleimanki & Islam** are also experiencing **Low Flood**. Rest of the major rivers (Jhelum & Chenab) are flowing with normal flows. Inflows/ Outflows of major rivers and reservoir live storage position may be seen at **Annexure-I**.
- 3. **Tarbela Reservoir** has attained water level of **1537.79 feet** (**12% storage space still available**) whereas, **Mangla Reservoir** is at an elevation of **1229.35 feet** (**13.4% storage space still available**). Tarbela Dam Management and Flood Mitigation Committee (FMC) of Mangla Dam are ensuring reservoirs filling well in accordance with approved SOPs.
- 4. A **Well-Marked Monsoon Low** has developed over Northeastern Bay of Bengal (India) with a fresh trough of Westerly Wave presently prevailing over Northern parts of Afghanistan. Seasonal Low earlier over Northwestern Balochistan now lies over Northern Balochistan resulting into penetration of mild moist currents into upper parts of Pakistan up to 3000 feet.
- 5. For the ensuing 24 hours, mainly dry weather has been predicted by FFD, Lahore over most parts of the country. However **isolated wind thunderstorm/rain** of **light** to **moderate intensity** may occur over **Islamabad, Punjab** (**Rawalpindi, Gujranwala, Sargodha, Lahore & D.G. Khan Divisions), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (D.I. Khan Division**) and **Northeastern Balochistan** including upper catchments of all the major rivers of IRS during the same period of 24 hours.
- 6. During the next 48 hours, rainfall activity is likely to increase slightly over Northern & Northeastern Punjab including upper catchments of all the major rivers. Further a fresh wet spell of **moderate intensity** with **heavy falls** at scattered places may occur over upper catchments of all the major rivers of IRS from 5<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> August 2023. Few rainfall events have been experienced during the past 24 hours. Annexure-II is referred for details.
- 7. Tarbela and Mangla dam management organizations including all other related departments are advised to remain **Alert & Vigilant**. Prompt response on warnings issued be ensured including safety of communities living in low lying areas, the public & private property, irrigation, drainage, flood protection & river training infrastructure etc.
- 8. Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) is monitoring the prevailing weather system on Round-the-Clock basis through FFD, Lahore and is keeping all concerned organizations fully cognizant of the situation.

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#### **Rivers and Reservoir Positions** August 01, 2023 at 0600 Hours

#### A. River Flow Situation:

| (Discharge in Cu | usecs) |
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| 71. MITCH FIOW SIGNATION.             |                      |   |            | (Discharge in Cusees) |         |  |         |                          |                         |  |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---|------------|-----------------------|---------|--|---------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Structures                            | Designed<br>Capacity | Historic Peak Floods<br>experienced to-date |            | Last Year Flow        |         | Today Actual Flow with Flood<br>Classification |         |                          | Comparative<br>Danger   |  |
|                                       |                      | Discharge                                   | Date       | Inflow                | Outflow | Inflow   | Outflow | Flood<br>Classification* | (VHF)<br>Classification |  |
| 1                                     | 2                    | 3   | 4          | 5                     | 6       | 7  | 8       | 9                        | 10                      |  |
| River Indus                           |                      |   |            |                       |         |  |         |                          |                         |  |
| <ul> <li>Tarbela Reservoir</li> </ul> | 1,500,000            | 604,000                                     | 30-7-2010  | 295,000               | 240,000 | 211,000  | 159,000 | Normal                   | 650,000                 |  |
| <ul> <li>Kalabagh</li> </ul>          | 950,000              | 950,000                                     | 14-7-1942  | 287,000               | 283,000 | 207,000  | 179,000 | Normal                   | 650,000                 |  |
| <ul> <li>Chashma Reservoir</li> </ul> | 950,000              | 1,036,673                                   | 01-8-2010  | 381,000               | 373,000 | 234,000  | 229,000 | Normal                   | 650,000                 |  |
| • Taunsa                              | 1,000,000            | 959,991                                     | 02-8-2010  | 336,000               | 329,000 | 357,000  | 357,000 | Low Flood (F)            | 650,000                 |  |
| • Guddu                               | 1,200,000            | 1,199,672                                   | 15-8-1976  | 324,000               | 304,000 | 470,000  | 443,000 | Med Flood (F)            | 700,000                 |  |
| • Sukkur                              | 900,000              | 1,161,000                                   | 16-8-1976  | 278,000               | 237,000 | 444,000  | 406,000 | Med Flood (R)            | 700,000                 |  |
| • Kotri                               | 875,000              | 981,000                                     | 14-8-1956  | 154,000               | 127,000 | 182,000  | 145,000 | Normal                   | 650,000                 |  |
| River Kabul                           |                      |   |            |                       |         |  |         |                          |                         |  |
| <ul> <li>Warsak</li> </ul>            | 540,000              |   |            |                       | 40,000  |  | 27,000  | Normal                   | 200,000                 |  |
| <ul> <li>Nowshera</li> </ul>          |                      |   |            |                       | 75,000  |  | 48,000  | Normal                   | 200,000                 |  |
| River Swat                            | T                    |   |            |                       |         |  |         |                          |                         |  |
| <ul> <li>Chakdara Bridge</li> </ul>   |                      |   |            |                       | 18,000  |  | 13,000  | Normal                   | 150,000                 |  |
| • Munda( H. Works)                    |                      |   |            |                       | 17,000  |  | 14,000  | Normal                   | 150,000                 |  |
| • Charsadda Road                      | 150,000              |   |            |                       | 15,000  |  | 14,000  | Normal                   | 100,000                 |  |
| River Jhelum                          | †                    |   |            |                       |         | <b> </b>                                       |         |                          |                         |  |
| • Mangla Reservoir                    | 1,060,000            | 1,090,000                                   | 10-9-1992  | 60,000                | 13,000  | 52,000   | 10,000  | Normal                   | 225,000                 |  |
| • Rasul                               | 850,000              | 952,170                                     | 10-9-1992  | 14,000                | NIL     | 3,000  | NIL     | Normal                   | 225,000                 |  |
| River Chenab                          |                      |   |            |                       |         |  |         |                          |                         |  |
| • Marala                              | 1.100.000            | 1,100,000                                   | 26-8-1957  | 94,000                | 77,000  | 76,000   | 54,000  | Normal                   | 400,000                 |  |
| Khanki                                | 1,100,000            | 1,086,460                                   | 27-8-1959  | 96,000                | 90,000  | 69,000   | 62,000  | Normal                   | 400,000                 |  |
| Oadirabad                             | 900,000              | 948,530                                     | 11-9-1992  | 91,000                | 72,000  | 61,000   | 51,000  | Normal                   | 400,000                 |  |
| • Trimmu                              | 875,000              | 943,225                                     | 08-7-1959  | 112,000               | 104,000 | 101,000  | 96,000  | Normal                   | 450,000                 |  |
| • Panjnad                             | 865,000              | 802,516                                     | 17-8-1973  | 104,000               | 96,000  | 106,000  | 94,000  | Normal                   | 450,000                 |  |
| River Ravi                            | <del> </del>         | }   |            |                       |         |  |         | <br>                     |                         |  |
| • Jassar                              | 275,000              | 680,000                                     | 05-10-1955 |                       | 34,000  |  | 35,000  | Normal                   | 150,000                 |  |
| • Shahdara                            | 250,000              | 680,000                                     | 22-9-1988  |                       | 21,000  |  | 29,000  | Normal                   | 135,000                 |  |
| Balloki                               | 380,000              | 336,200                                     | 28-9-1988  | 47,000                | 30,000  | 57,000   | 35,000  | Normal                   | 135,000                 |  |
| • Sidhnai                             | 150,000              | 330,210                                     | 02-10-1988 | 18,000                | 14,000  | 52,000   | 40,000  | Low Flood (F)            | 90,000                  |  |
| River Sutlej                          | +                    |   |            |                       |         |  |         |                          |                         |  |
| • G.S. Wala                           |                      |   |            |                       |         | Gauge 19.10                                    | 57,000  | Normal                   |                         |  |
| Suleimanki                            | 325,000              | 598,872                                     | 08-10-1955 | 14,000                | 8,000   | 71,000   | 63,000  | Low Flood (F)            | 175,000                 |  |
| • Islam                               | 332,000              | 492,581                                     | 11-10-1955 | 5,000                 | 5,000   | 54,000   | 54,000  | Low Flood (R)            | 175,000                 |  |
| 20.0011                               | 332,000              | 772,001                                     | 11-10-1/33 | 3,000                 | 2,000   | 54,000   | 34,000  | Low I took (II)          | 175,000                 |  |

#### **B. Reservoir Storage Position:**

|                    | Maximum Minimum                 |                              | Water Level ( Feet-AMSL) |         |         | Live Storage (MAF) |           |         | Present Storage         |  |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|---------|--------------------|-----------|---------|-------------------------|--|
| Reservoir          | Conservation<br>Level (Ft-AMSL) | Operating<br>Level (Ft-AMSL) | 2021                     | 2022    | 2023    | Maximum            | Last Year | Today   | (%age of total storage) |  |
| 1                  | 2                               | 3                            | 4                        | 5       | 6       | 7                  | 8         | 9       | 10                      |  |
| Tarbela            | 1550.00                         | 1402.00                      | 1521.00                  | 1531.00 | 1537.79 | 5.809              | 4.761     | 5.112   | 88.00 %                 |  |
| Chashma            | 649.00                          | 638.15                       | 639.50                   | 639.00  | 638.50  | 0.278              | 0.010     | 0.004   | 01.44 %                 |  |
| Mangla             | 1242.00                         | 1050.00                      | 1190.80                  | 1153.30 | 1229.35 | 7.356              | 1.913     | 6.370   | 86.60 %                 |  |
| Total Live Storage |                                 |                              |                          |         | 13.443  | 6.684              | 11.486    | 85.44 % |                         |  |

#### C. Skardu Temperature:

| Skardu Temperature | Last year 2022 | <b>Today 2023</b> | Difference ( + /- ) |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Maximum            | 24.0 °C        | 28.6 °C           | 4.6 °C              |
| Minimum            | 15.0 °C        | 16.4 °C           | 1.4 °C              |

NOTES: "Mild" Categories

Categories
River flowing within deep (winter) channel(s) but about to spill threatening only river islands/belas
River partly inundating river islands/belas Low Flood: Medium Flood:

High Flood: River almost fully submerging islands/belas and flowing upto 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"

\* Flood Classification for today is w.r.t. yesterday's Flood Classification at 0600 hours.

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### Significant Rainfall Events during the Past 24 Hours

| Sr. No. | City/Observatory                     | Rainfall (mm) |  |  |  |  |
|---------|--------------------------------------|---------------|--|--|--|--|
| A       | Punjab                               |               |  |  |  |  |
| 1.      | Joharabad                            | 50            |  |  |  |  |
| 2.      | Kallar                               | 18            |  |  |  |  |
| 3.      | Islamabad & Murree                   | 09 each       |  |  |  |  |
| 4.      | Attock                               | 08            |  |  |  |  |
| 5.      | Mangla                               | 06            |  |  |  |  |
| В       | Khyber Pakhtunkhwa                   |               |  |  |  |  |
| 6.      | Cherat                               | 21            |  |  |  |  |
| 7.      | Kakul                                | 17            |  |  |  |  |
| 8.      | Malam Jabba                          | 10            |  |  |  |  |
| 9.      | Dir, Kamra (Airbase) & Pashat-Bajaur | 05 each       |  |  |  |  |
| C       | Sindh                                |               |  |  |  |  |
| 10.     | Dadu                                 | 15            |  |  |  |  |
| D       | Balochistan                          |               |  |  |  |  |
| 11.     | Ziarat                               | 11            |  |  |  |  |
| E       | AJ&K                                 |               |  |  |  |  |
| 12.     | Kotli                                | 17            |  |  |  |  |
| 13.     | Palandri                             | 09            |  |  |  |  |

Source: FFD, Lahor (042-99200139)