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# DAILY WEATHER & FLOOD SITUATION REPORT TUESDAY, JULY 11, 2023

Except for **River Chenab** which is flowing in "Low Flood" at **Qadirabad** (Khanki downstream), all other major rivers i.e. Indus, Jhelum, Ravi & Sutlej are flowing under "Normal Flow Condition" at reporting time today (0600 hrs). Inflows/ Outflows of major rivers at important control structures, storage position of reservoirs including Skardu temperature may be seen Annexure-I. Combined Live Storage of the country's major reservoirs (Tarbela, Mangla & Chashma) as of today is **8.359 MAF** (62.18% of Maximum Live Storage Capacity of 13.443 MAF). It was just 3.163 MAF last year on the same date.

2. Yesterday's deep trough of Westerly Wave over Kashmir and adjoining areas has moved away Eastwards. Moist currents both from Arabian Sea and Bay of Bengal have temporarily been cut off. Also at present, Weak Seasonal Low lies over Northwestern Balochistan (Source: FFD Lahore).

3. For the ensuing 24 hours, FFD, Lahore has predicted Scattered Thunderstorm/Rain over the upper catchment of river Sutlej. Isolated Thunderstorm/Rain may also occur over upper catchments of other major rivers of IRS (except river Sutlej) besides, dry weather over rest of the country during the same period. For the next 72 hours, Medium to High Level Flooding is expected in river Sutlej at Ganda Singh Wala (First Control Station in Pakistan on river Sutlej).

4. During the period from 14<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2023, Scattered to widespread thunderstorm/rain with Heavy Falls at Scattered Places and Very Heavy Falls at Isolated Places are expected over the upper catchments of rivers Kabul, Indus & Jhelum resulting into increased flows in these rivers including tributaries of rivers Indus & Kabul. No significant rainfall event has been experienced during the past 24 hours except for GB (Bagrote =05 mm).

5. In view of the above, <u>all concerned organizations including PDMAs/ DDMAs</u> (especially **Punjab**) are strictly advised to remain **Fully Alert & Vigilant**, take timely actions on warnings issued by the concerned organizations (especially in the context of flood generating discharges in eastern rivers) to ensure safety of communities living in low lying areas, public & private property besides irrigation, drainage, flood protection & river training infrastructure etc.

6. PMD Islamabad through FFD, Lahore the main **Apex Flood Forecasting body at the national level** is closely monitoring the present weather system and is keeping all concerned organizations fully cognizant of the situation.

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## U.O. No. FC-I (31)/2023, dated 11-07-2023

#### **Rivers and Reservoir Positions** July 11, 2023 at 0600 Hours

A. River Flow S	Situation:	0			, and the second se		(Dischar	ge in Cusecs)	1
Structures	Designed Capacity	Historic Peak Floods experienced to-date		Last Year Flow		Today Actual Flow with Flood Classification			Comparative Danger
		Discharge	Date	Inflow	Outflow	Inflow	Outflow	Flood Classification*	(VHF) Classification
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
River Indus • Tarbela Reservoir • Kalabagh • Chashma Reservoir • Taunsa • Guddu • Sukkur • Kotri River Kabul	1,500,000 950,000 1,000,000 1,200,000 900,000 875,000	604,000 950,000 1,036,673 959,991 1,199,672 1,161,000 981,000	30-7-2010 14-7-1942 01-8-2010 02-8-2010 15-8-1976 16-8-1976 14-8-1956	283,000 183,000 203,000 216,000 143,000 82,000 21,000	157,000 176,000 177,000 210,000 111,000 44,000 NIL	155,000 199,000 230,000 223,000 189,000 145,000 73,000	113,000 192,000 225,000 197,000 149,000 90,000 33,000	Normal Normal Normal Normal Normal Normal	650,000 650,000 650,000 650,000 700,000 700,000 650,000
<ul><li>Warsak</li><li>Nowshera</li></ul>	540,000				44,000 65,000		31,000 51,000	Normal Normal	200,000 200,000
River Swat • Chakdara Bridge • Munda( H. Works) • Charsadda Road River Jhelum	150,000				21,000 12,000 13,000		13,000 15,000 14,000	Normal Normal Normal	150,000 150,000 100,000
<ul> <li>Mangla Reservoir</li> <li>Rasul</li> </ul>	1,060,000 850,000	1,090,000 952,170	10-9-1992 10-9-1992	27,000 14,000	12,000 NIL	50,000 3,000	10,000 NIL	Normal Normal	225,000 225,000
River Chenab • Marala • Khanki • Qadirabad • Trimmu • Panjnad	1,100,000 1,100,000 900,000 875,000 865,000	1,100,000 1,086,460 948,530 943,225 802,516	26-8-1957 27-8-1959 11-9-1992 08-7-1959 17-8-1973	87,000 65,000 72,000 46,000 20,000	61,000 59,000 50,000 28,000 13,000	101,000 94,000 129,000 32,000 22,000	84,000 86,000 114,000 18,000 8,000	Normal Normal Low Flood (F) Normal Normal	400,000 400,000 400,000 450,000 450,000
River Ravi • Jassar • Shahdara • Balloki • Sidhnai	275,000 250,000 380,000 150,000	680,000 680,000 336,200 330,210	05-10-1955 22-9-1988 28-9-1988 02-10-1988	33,000 15,000	4,000 13,000 6,000 5,000	35,000 23,000	36,000 28,000 8,000 7,000	Normal Normal Normal Normal	150,000 135,000 135,000 90,000
River Sutlej • Suleimanki • Islam	325,000 332,000	598,872 492,581	08-10-1955 11-10-1955	14,000 NIL	3,000 NIL	24,000 2,000	12,000 1,000	Normal Normal	175,000 175,000

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

	Maximum Conservation Level (Ft-AMSL)	Minimum Operating Level (Ft-AMSL)	Water Level ( Feet-AMSL)			Live Storage (MAF)			Present Storage
Reservoir			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	1438.45	1477.00	1517.21	5.809	2.179	4.014	<b>69.10</b> %
Chashma	649.00	638.15	643.20	646.30	646.80	0.278	0.163	0.179	64.39 %
Mangla	1242.00	1050.00	1155.30	1122.35	1197.30	7.356	0.821	4.166	56.63 %
Total Live Storage						13.443	3.163	8.359	62.18 %

#### C. Skardu Temperature:

Skardu Temperature	Last year 2022	<b>Today 2023</b>	<b>Difference</b> ( + /- )	
Maximum	30.8 °C	25.6 °C	- 5.2 °C	
Minimum	19.4 °C	15.4 °C	- 4.0 °C	

#### NOTES: "Mild" Categories Low Flood: Medium Flood:

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

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 or 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.