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# FFC's DAILY WEATHER & FLOOD SITUATION REPORT WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2023

Subdued Monsson activity over upper catchments of Rivers Jhelum & Chenab coupled with colder temperature in the upper catchments of River Indus (Skardu) resulted low inflows in Rivers Indus, Jhelum & Chenab as compared to corresponding period of last year (Column-5 Vs 7, Annexure-I). Hence, all the major rivers of Indus River System (IRS) are discharging normal flows and there is "No Flood Situation in the Country". Present storage of Tarbela, Chashma & Mangla is 11.991 MAF which is 89.20% of available maximum live storage capacity of 13.443 MAF.

- 2. According to FFD, Lahore, trough of Westerly Wave is persisting over Northern parts of Afghanistan with Weak Seasonal Low prevailing over Northeastern Balochistan. As a result, mainly dry weather is expected over most parts of Pakistan during the next 24 hours.
- 3. No rainfall event has been experienced during the past 24 hours over Pakistan.
- 4. For the further 72 hours, FFD, Lahore has predicted **Scattered Wind Thunderstorm/Rain** of **Moderate Intensity** with **Isolated Heavy Falls** over **Islamabad, Rawalpindi Division** of **Punjab** and **Kohat & Bannu Divisions** of **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa** including upper catchments of rivers Kabul, Indus & Jhelum.
- 5. Pakistan Meteorological Department through FFD, Lahore, continues to monitor the prevailing weather condition and is keeping all concerned organizations fully cognizant of the situation.

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# **Rivers and Reservoir Positions September 27, 2023 at 0600 Hours**

# A. River Flow Situation:

(Discharge in Cusecs)

| Structures                            | Designed<br>Capacity | Historic Peak Floods<br>experienced to-date |              | Last Year Flow |         | Today Actual Flow with Flood 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    | 73,000         | 77,000  | 70,000                                      | 78,000      | Normal                   | 650,000                 |
| <ul> <li>Kalabagh</li> </ul>          | 950,000              | 950,000                                     | 14-7-1942    | 92,000         | 84,000  | 116,000                                     | 108,000     | Normal                   | 650,000                 |
| <ul> <li>Chashma Reservoir</li> </ul> | 950,000              | 1,036,673                                   | 01-8-2010    | 108,000        | 87,000  | 124,000                                     | 119,000     | Normal                   | 650,000                 |
| • Taunsa                              | 1,000,000            | 959,991                                     | 02-8-2010    | 82,000         | 61,000  | 123,000                                     | 103,000     | Normal                   | 650,000                 |
| <ul> <li>Guddu</li> </ul>             | 1,200,000            | 1,199,672                                   | 15-8-1976    | 60,000         | 44,000  | 133,000                                     | 105,000     | Normal                   | 700,000                 |
| <ul> <li>Sukkur</li> </ul>            | 900,000              | 1,161,000                                   | 16-8-1976    | 57,000         | 48,000  | 100,000                                     | 48,000      | Normal                   | 700,000                 |
| • Kotri                               | 875,000              | 981,000                                     | 14-8-1956    | 198,000        | 167,000 | 39,000                                      | 1,000       | Normal                   | 650,000                 |
| River Kabul                           |                      |   |              |                |         |   |             |                          |                         |
| • Warsak                              | 540,000              |   |              |                | 11,000  |   | 12,000      | Normal                   | 200,000                 |
| <ul> <li>Nowshera</li> </ul>          |                      |   |              |                | 20,000  |   | 20,000      | Normal                   | 200,000                 |
| River Swat                            |                      |   |              |                |         |   |             |                          |                         |
| • Chakdara Bridge                     |                      |   |              |                | 6,000   |   | 4,000       | Normal                   | 150,000                 |
| • Munda( H. Works)                    | !                    |   |              |                | 7,000   |   | 2,000       | Normal                   | 150,000                 |
| Charsadda Road                        | 150,000              |   |              |                | 6,000   |   | 1,000       | Normal                   | 100,000                 |
| River Jhelum                          | <del>-</del>         |   |              |                |         | <del> </del>                                |             |                          |                         |
| Mangla Reservoir                      | 1,060,000            | 1,090,000                                   | 10-9-1992    | 18,000         | 20,000  | 13,000                                      | 28,000      | Normal                   | 225,000                 |
| g .                                   | 850.000              | 952,170                                     | 10-9-1992    | 30,000         | 8,000   | 28,000                                      | 8.000       | Normal                   | 225,000                 |
| Rasul     River Chenab                | 030,000              | 952,170                                     | 10-9-1992    | 30,000         | 8,000   | 20,000                                      | 0,000       | Normai                   | 223,000                 |
| Marala                                |                      | 1,100,000                                   | 26-8-1957    | 45,000         | 18,000  | 26,000                                      | 4,000       | Normal                   | 400,000                 |
|                                       | 1,100,000            |   |              | 1              | -       |   | · · · · · · |                          | 1 ′                     |
| • Khanki                              | 1,100,000            | 1,086,460                                   | 27-8-1959    | 34,000         | 26,000  | 8,000                                       | 1,000       | Normal                   | 400,000                 |
| • Qadirabad                           | 900,000              | 948,530                                     | 11-9-1992    | 32,000         | 12,000  | 18,000                                      | NIL         | Normal                   | 400,000                 |
| • Trimmu                              | 875,000              | 943,225                                     | 08-7-1959    | 23,000         | 5,000   | 24,000                                      | 11,000      | Normal                   | 450,000                 |
| • Panjnad                             | 865,000              | 802,516                                     | 17-8-1973    | 13,000         | NIL     | 41,000                                      | 23,000      | Normal                   | 450,000                 |
| River Ravi                            |                      |   | 0.5.10.10.5- |                |         |   |             |                          |                         |
| • Jassar                              | 275,000              | 680,000                                     | 05-10-1955   | l              | 13,000  |   | 5,000       | Normal                   | 150,000                 |
| <ul> <li>Shahdara</li> </ul>          | 250,000              | 680,000                                     | 22-9-1988    |                | 15,000  |   | 21,000      | Normal                   | 135,000                 |
| • Balloki                             | 380,000              | 336,200                                     | 28-9-1988    | 30,000         | 1,000   | 41,000                                      | 12,000      | Normal                   | 135,000                 |
| • Sidhnai                             | 150,000              | 330,210                                     | 02-10-1988   | 16,000         | NIL     | 31,000                                      | 13,000      | Normal                   | 90,000                  |
| River Sutlej                          |                      |   |              |                |         |   |             |                          |                         |
| • G.S. Wala                           |                      |   |              |                |         |   | 18,000      | Normal                   |                         |
| <ul> <li>Suleimanki</li> </ul>        | 325,000              | 598,872                                     | 08-10-1955   | 18,000         | 5,000   | 27,000                                      | 14,000      | Normal                   | 175,000                 |
| • Islam                               | 332,000              | 492,581                                     | 11-10-1955   | 1,000          | NIL     | 14,000                                      | 12,000      | Normal                   | 175,000                 |

# **B. Reservoir Storage Position:**

| Reservoir | Maximum<br>Conservation<br>Level (Ft-AMSL) | Minimum<br>Operating<br>Level (Ft-AMSL) | Water Level ( Feet-AMSL) |         |         | Live Storage (MAF) |           |        | Present Storage         |
|-----------|--|---|--------------------------|---------|---------|--------------------|-----------|--------|-------------------------|
|           |  |   | 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                                 | 1515.72                  | 1550.00 | 1544.91 | 5.809              | 5.827     | 5.516  | 94.96 %                 |
| Chashma   | 649.00                                     | 638.15                                  | 647.00                   | 648.10  | 646.00  | 0.278              | 0.232     | 0.153  | 55.04 %                 |
| Mangla    | 1242.00                                    | 1050.00                                 | 1188.85                  | 1190.85 | 1228.70 | 7.356              | 3.779     | 6.322  | 85.94 %                 |
|           | Total Live Storage                         |   |                          |         |         | 13.443             | 9.838     | 11.991 | 89.20 %                 |

# C. Skardu Temperature:

| Skardu Temperature | Last year 2022 | <b>Today 2023</b> | Difference ( + /- ) |  |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|--|
| Maximum            | 23.0 °C        | 20.2 °C           | - 2.8 °C            |  |
| Minimum            | 8.4 °C         | 6.8 °C            | - 1.6 °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:  $River\ almost\ fully\ submerging\ is lands/belas\ and\ flowing\ up to\ high\ banks/bunds\ but\ without\ encroachment\ on\ the\ freeboard$ 

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