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### FFC's

# DAILY WEATHER & FLOOD SITUATION REPORT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2024

All major rivers of the Indus River System (the Indus, Jhelum, Chenab, Ravi and Sutlej) exhibit normal flows, hence there is no flood situation in any part of the country. For detailed information on the discharge of these rivers at designated control structures, as well as the current storage levels of the country's major reservoirs and the temperature in Skardu, **Annexure-I** is referred.

2. Water level at Tarbela Reservoir which had maintained its Maximum Conservation Level (MCL) of 1550.00 feet for 25 days (i.e. from 19<sup>th</sup> August to 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024) has now been reduced to 1548.02 feet. This decline is due to reduced inflows and increase in outflow to meet irrigation requirements. Meanwhile, the water level at Mangla Reservoir is stable at 1228.50 feet which is 13.50 feet below its MCL of 1242 feet. The combined live storage of the country's major reservoirs (Tarbela, Chashma, and Mangla) stands at 12.069 MAF, which is 90.38 % of the total available live storage capacity of 13.354 MAF.

3. According to the FFD, Lahore, Yesterday's trough of Westerly Wave over Northeastern Afghanistan today lies over Northern parts of Pakistan. Moderate moist currents from the Arabian Sea are penetrating the upper half of Pakistan up to 5000 feet. Seasonal Low lies over Northeastern Balochistan. A fresh depression has developed over western Bangladesh and adjoining West Bengal.

4. For the ensuing 24 hours, FFD Lahore, has predicted scattered thunderstorm rain of **Moderate Intensity** over **Islamabad**, **Punjab** (**Rawalpindi**, **Sargodha**, **Gujranwala & D.G Khan Divisions**) and **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa** (**Peshawar**, **Kohat**, **Bannu**, **D.I Khan & Zhob Divisions**) including the upper catchments of rivers Indus, Kabul and Jhelum. **Isolated Thunderstorm rain** is also expected over **Lahore and Multan Divisions** alongwith the upper catchments of rivers Chenab, Ravi and Sutlej.

5. As per FFD Lahore, Monsoon activity and Wet spell are likely to decrease significantly from **15<sup>th</sup>** September 2024. The Significant rainfall events reported during the past 24 hours may be seen at Annexure-II.

6. Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD), Islamabad through FFD Lahore is closely monitoring the prevailing weather system and is keeping all concerned organizations fully cognizant of the situation.

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## **Rivers and Reservoir Positions** September 14, 2024 at 0600 Hours

A. River Flow Structures	Designed Capacity	Historic Peak Floods experienced to-date		Last Year Flow		(Discharge in Cusecs) 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	1,500,000	604,000	30-7-2010	124,000	115,000	108,000	150,000	Normal	650,000
• Kalabagh	950,000	950,000	14-7-1942	130,000	122,000	147,000	140,000	Normal	650,000
Chashma Reservoir	950,000	1,036,673	01-8-2010	155,000	150,000	160,000	150,000	Normal	650,000
• Taunsa	1,000,000	959,991	02-8-2010	141,000	122,000	142,000	115,000	Normal	650,000
• Guddu	1,200,000	1,199,672	15-8-1976	135,000	103,000	147,000	122,000	Normal	700,000
• Sukkur	900,000	1,161,000	16-8-1976	100,000	47,000	115,000	71,000	Normal	700,000
• Kotri	875,000	981,000	14-8-1956	42,000	1,000	152,000	152,000	Normal	650,000
River Kabul	1								1
• Warsak	540,000				16,000		16,000	Normal	200,000
• Nowshera					22,000		24,000	Normal	200,000
River Swat									1
• Chakdara Bridge					4,000		5,000	Normal	150,000
• Munda( H. Works)					2,000		16,000	Normal	150,000
• Charsadda Road	150,000				2,000		18,000	Normal	100,000
River Jhelum									
Mangla Reservoir	1,060,000	1,090,000	10-9-1992	13,000	37,000	31,000	31,000	Normal	225,000
Rasul	850,000	952,170	10-9-1992	36,000	16,000	18,000	NIL	Normal	225,000
River Chenab	050,000	,52,170	10-7-1772	50,000	10,000	10,000		1101mai	223,000
Marala	1,100,000	1,100,000	26-8-1957	69,000	38,000	28,000	5,000	Normal	400,000
• Khanki	1,100,000	1,086,460	27-8-1959	47,000	38,000	15,000	9,000	Normal	400.000
Ananki     Oadirabad	1,100,000 900,000	948,530	11-9-1992	47,000	23,000	13,000 24,000	9,000	Normal	400,000
• Qaairabaa • Trimmu	900,000 875,000	948,550 943,225	08-7-1959	43,000 21,000	23,000	24,000 25,000	12,000	Normal	400,000
	875,000 865,000	943,223 802,516	17-8-1973	21,000 34,000	17,000	<i>23,000</i> <i>47,000</i>	33,000	Normal	450,000
Panjnad	803,000	602,510	1/-0-19/3	54,000	17,000	47,000	55,000	Inormai	450,000
River Ravi	275,000	680,000	05-10-1955		5,000		1.000	Normal	150,000
• Jassar	275,000 250,000	680,000 680,000	05-10-1955 22-9-1988		5,000 27,000		4,000	Normal Normal	
Shahdara	250,000 380,000	336,200	22-9-1988	39,000	27,000	34,000	17,000		135,000 135,000
• Balloki		,	28-9-1988 02-10-1988	22,000	4,000		14,000	Normal Normal	
• Sidhnai	150,000	330,210	02-10-1988	22,000	4,000	22,000	7,000	Normal	90,000
River Sutlej			00 40 40 5	10.000	1.000	14000			
• Suleimanki	325,000	598,872	08-10-1955	19,000	4,000	14,000	2,000	Normal	175,000
• Islam B. Reservoir S	332,000	492,581	11-10-1955	4,000	1,000	4,000	2,000	Normal	175,000

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

р .	Maximum	Minimum Operating Level (Ft-AMSL)	Water Level ( Feet-AMSL)			Live Storage (MAF)			Present Storage
Reservoir	servoir Conservation Level (Ft-AMSL)		2022	2023	2024	Maximum	Last Year	Today	(%age of total storage)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Tarbela	1550.00	1402.00	1550.00	1545.04	1548.02	5.766	5.524	5.652	98.02 %
Chashma	649.00	638.15	648.60	644.80	646.40	0.311	0.120	0.189	60.77 %
Mangla	1242.00	1050.00	1192.80	1236.70	1228.50	7.277	6.937	6.228	85.58 %
Total Live Storage					13.354	12.581	12.069	90.38 %	

### C. Skardu Temperature:

Skardu Temperature	Last year 2023	Today 2024	<b>Difference</b> ( + /- )	
Maximum	31.6 °C	<b>29.4</b> °C	- 2.2 °C	
Minimum	12.2 °C	13.4 °C	+ <b>1.2</b> °C	

NOTE-1: "Mild" Categories

Low Flood: Medium Flood:

High Flood:

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

River almost fully submerging islands/belas and flowing upto high banks/bunds but without encroachment on the freeboard

NOTE-2: "Danger" Categories Very High Flood (VHF):

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 inundated NOTE-3: \* 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.

NOTE-4: Maximum Live Storage Capacity has increased from 13.321 MAF to 13.354 MAF due to de-silting of Chashma Barrage causing increase in its Live Storage Capacity from 0.278 MAF to 0.311 MAF.

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## Significant Rainfall Events reported during the Past 24 Hours

Sr. No.	City/Observatory	Rainfall (mm)					
Α	Punjab						
1.	Islamabad	38					
2.	Kallar	25					
3.	Mangla	24					
4.	Attock	18					
5.	Kamra	11					
6.	Murree	06					
7.	Chakwal & Gujrat	05 each					
С	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa						
8.	Takht Bai	23					
9.	Mardan	17					
10.	Bosak Bridge & Tarbela	14 each					
11.	Saidu Sharif	11					
12.	Kakul Malam Jabba Kalam & Kohat Airbase	08 each					
13.	Mirkhani & Dir	07 each					
14.	Landi Kotal	06					
15.	Oghi & Domel	05 each					
F	AJ&K						
16.	Garhi Dopatta	40					
17.	Balakot	06					
18.	Muzaffarabad	05					

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