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FFC's DAILY WEATHER & FLOOD SITUATION REPORT MONDAY, JULY 21, 2025

River and Reservoir Position at 06:00 PST

River Indus is flowing in Medium Flood at Taunsa. It is also flowing in Low Flood in Tarbela-Kalabagh-Chashma reaches and at Guddu barrage. All other major rivers of IRS i.e. Rivers Jhelum, Chenab, Ravi, and Sutlej are discharging normal flows. Annexure-I shows major rivers discharges including reservoirs storage positions. The combined live storage of Tarbela, Chashma, and Mangla reservoirs stands at 8.338 MAF, which is about 62.62% of the total live storage capacity of 13.316 MAF.

Current Meteorological Situation

- 2. FFD, Lahore has forecasted following meteorological conditions:
 - A prominent trough at sea level is positioned along the foothills of the Himalayas.
 - Yesterday's well-marked low pressure area over northeastern Sindh and adjoining areas has become
 insignificant resulting to Strong Moisture Influx from the Arabian Sea towards the upper
 catchments of the eastern rivers particularly with some influence on the Rivers Jhelum and Indus.
 - Trough of Westerly Wave persists over northeastern Afghanistan.
 - Moderate to strong monsoon currents from the Arabian Sea are penetrating into upper parts of Pakistan.
 - Well-marked Seasonal Low persists over northwest Balochistan with its trough extending northeastwards.

Forecast for the Next 24 hours

3. For the ensuing 24 hours, FFD, Lahore has predicted scattered to widespread thunderstorm/rain with isolated Heavy falls and Very Heavy Falls at few places over Islamabad, Punjab (Rawalpindi, Gujranwala, and Lahore Divisions) including the upper catchment of all major rivers. Scattered thunderstorm/rain with isolated Heavy falls may also occur over Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Peshawar, Kohat and Bannu Divisions) besides isolated thunderstorm/rain over Punjab (Sargodha Division). The current wet spell is expected to persist for the next 48 hours.

Rainfall during the Past 24 hours

4. Rainfall reported for the past 24 hours may be seen at Annexure-II.

Flood Forecast (July 21 to July 24, 2025)

- 5. Under the prevailing meteorological conditions, FFD, Lahore has predicted the following flood situation:
 - Medium to high flows are expected in rivers Chenab and Jhelum along with nullahs of rivers Ravi, Chenab and Jhelum from 21st to 23rd July 2025.
 - Flows are also likely to increase in river Sutlej at G.S Wala and in the tributaries of river Kabul from 22nd to 24th July 2025.
 - Urban flooding is anticipated in Rawalpindi, Gujranwala, Sialkot and Lahore.

Advisory

- 6. All concerned organizations are advised to remain **Fully Alert & Vigilant** and take prompt actions in response to warnings issued by the relevant authorities to ensure safety of communities living in low lying areas, public & private property besides irrigation, drainage network & flood protection infrastructure etc.
- 7. Pakistan Meteorological Department through FFD, Lahore is monitoring the present weather system on round-the-clock basis and keeping all concerned organizations fully cognizant of the developing situation.

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- 36. General Manager, Mangla Dam Organization (MDO), WAPDA, Mangla.

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- 51. Chief Executive Officer, National Disaster Risk Management Fund (NDRMF), Islamabad. U.O. No. FC-I (31)/2025, dated 21-07-2025

Rivers and Reservoir Positions July 21, 2025 at 0600 Hours

(Discharge in Cusecs) A. River Flow Situation: Today Actual Flow with Flood Historic Peak Floods Last Year Flow Classification Danger (VIIF) experienced to-date Designed Flood Structures Outflow Classification Capacity Inflow Outflow Inflow Classification* Date Discharge 10 8 6 4 5 3 River Indus 650,000 302,300 Low Flood (R) 187,000 300,000 168,000 1,500,000 604,000 30-7-2010 · Tarbela Reservolr 650,000 Low Flood (R) 276,252 284,201 219,000 227,000 14-7-1942 950,000 950,000 · Kalabach 650,000 Low Flood (F) 280,768 302,968 235,000 246,000 1,036,673 01-8-2010 950,000 · Chashma Reservoir 650,000 Medium Flood (R) 423,200 205,000 429,200 225,000 02-8-2010 1,000,000 959,991 • Taunya 700,000 Low Flood (R) 206,943 227,264 140,000 178,000 1,200,000 1,199,672 15-8-1976 · Guddu Normal 700,000 124,290 169,560 75,000 125,000 1,161,000 16-8-1976 900,000 · Sukkur 650,000 172,805 136,300 Normal 981,000 45,000 14-8-1956 85,000 875,000 · Kotri River Kabul 200,000 29,000 Normal 39,000 540,000 · Warsak 200,000 Normal 55,000 29,900 Nowshera River Swat 150,000 7,954 Normal 8,000 · Chakdara Bridge 150,000 7,098 Normal 9,000 · Munda(H. Works) Normal 100,000 6,636 10,000 · Charsadda Road 150,000 River Thelam 225,000 40,000 8,000 Normal 15,000 22,000 1,060,000 1,090,000 10-9-1992 · Mangla Reservoir 225,000 NIL Normal 10,000 NIL 7,341 850,000 952,170 10-9-1992 · Rasul River Chenab 400,000 38,000 70.518 47,218 Normal 66,000 1,100,000 1,100,000 26-8-1957 · Marala 400,000 12,120 Normal 46,401 27-8-1959 38,000 30,000 1.086,460 1.100.000 · Khanki 39,090 Normal 400,000 38,000 20.000 53.376 · Qadirabad 900,000 948,530 11-9-1992 450,000 40,271 19,000 4,000 51,271 Normal 08-7-1959 943,225 875,000 . Trimmu Normal 450,000 32,270 18,810 6,000 865,000 802,516 17-8-1973 20,000 · Panjnad River Ray 9,000 1,009 Normal 150,000 05-10-1955 275,000 680,000 · Jassar 8,912 Normal 135,000 27-9-1988 18,000 250,000 576,000 · Shahdara 135,000 10,465 Normal 28-9-1988 31,000 6,000 32.465 380,000 336,200 · Balloki 02-10-1988 13,000 NIL 37,405 26,555 Normal 90,000 330,210 150,000 · Sidhnai River State 1.014 2,324 Normal · G.S Wala 12,339 175,000 20,143 14,000 3.000 Normal 325,000 598,872 08-10-1955 · Sulemanki NIL 175,000 2,000 13,642 12,142 Normal 11-10-1955 492,581 · Islam 332,000

B. Reservoir Storage Position:

| Reservoir | Maximum Conservation Level (FI-AMSL) | Minimum Operating Level (FI-AMSL) | Water Level (Feet-AMSL) | | | Live Storage (MAF) | | | Present Storage |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|--------------------|-----------|---------|----------------------------|
| | | | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | Maximum | Last Year | Today | (%age of total storage) |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| Tarbela | 1550.00 | 1402.00 | 1521.73 | 1516.72 | 1530.00 | 5.728 | 3.965 | 4.603 | 80.36 % |
| Chashma | 649.00 | 638.15 | 645.20 | 644.50 | 641.00 | 0.311 | 0,113 | 0.043 | 13.83 % |
| Mangla | 1242.00 | 1050.00 | 1211.85 | 1196.95 | 1190.70 | 7.277 | 4.067 | 3.692 | 50.74 % |
| Total Live Storage | | | | | 13.316 | 8.145 | 8.338 | 62.62 % | |

C. Skardu Temperature:

| Skardu Temperature | Last year 2024 | Today 2025 | Difference (+/-) | |
|--------------------|----------------|------------|--------------------|--|
| Maximum | + 32.7 °C | + 35.7 °C | + 3.0 °C | |
| Minimum | + 17.5 °C | + 19.4 °C | + 1,9 °C | |

NOTE-1: "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

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.

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Significant Rainfall Events during the Past 24 Hours

| Sr. No. | City/Observatory | Rainfall (mm) | | | | |
|---------|--------------------|---------------|--|--|--|--|
| A | ICT | | | | | |
| 1. | Islamabad | 46 | | | | |
| В | Sindh | | | | | |
| 2, | Larkana | 72 | | | | |
| 3. | Moin-Jo-Daro | 35 | | | | |
| 4. | Khairpur | 14 | | | | |
| 5. | Sukkur | 13 | | | | |
| 6. | Rohri | 12 | | | | |
| 7. | Thatta | 07 | | | | |
| C | Khyber Pakhtunkhwa | | | | | |
| 8. | Balakot | 54 | | | | |
| 9, | Shinkiari | 07 | | | | |
| D | Balochistan | | | | | |
| 10. | Khuzdar | 14 | | | | |
| E | AJ&K | | | | | |
| 11. | Palandri | 59 | | | | |
| 12. | Kotli | 06 | | | | |

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