



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
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PAKISTAN METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT
FLOOD FORECASTING DIVISION
46-JAIL ROAD LAHORE-54000



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SUBJECT: RIVERS SITUATION AND QUALITATIVE FLOOD FORECAST.

I. HYDROLOGICAL SITUATION AT 0600 PST AND OUTLOOK:

The River Indus at Guddu and the River Sutlej at Ganda Singh Wala are at high flood level, while the River Indus at Sukkur and the River Sutlej at Sulemanki are at medium flood level. The River Indus at Tarbela is at low flood level. All other major rivers are flowing within their normal ranges.

Warning:

- River Chenab at **Marala, Khanki** and **Qadirabad** is also expected to attain **High Flood** level during next 24-hours.
- River flow at Sutlej (Ganda Singh Wala) is at **High Flood** level and will continue for next few days, subject to releases from Indian reservoirs.
- **Flash flooding** is also expected in the Nullahs of DG Khan and northeast Balochistan, while Medium to high level flows are expected in the nullahs of river Ravi and Chenab during next 48-hours.
- **Urban flooding** is expected in Lahore, Gujranwala and Rawalpindi within next two days.
- River Indus at Sukkur is expected to attain **High Flood** level during next 24-hours.

II. METEOROLOGICAL FEATURES:

1. Yesterday's low-pressure area over northeast Rajasthan persists.
2. Yesterday's trough of westerly wave over northern parts of the country persists.
3. Strong Monsoon currents from Arabian sea and Bay of Bengal are penetrating into the country.
4. Seasonal low lies over Northeast Balochistan.

III. WEATHER FORECAST FOR 24-HOURS:

Warning: Widespread thunderstorm/rain with isolated **Heavy to Very Heavy Falls/Torrential rain** is expected over upper catchments of rivers Jhelum, Chenab, Ravi and Sutlej along with Islamabad, Rawalpindi, Gujrat, Gujranwala, Lahore, Sargodha, Faisalabad and Sahiwal divisions.

Scattered thunderstorm/rain with isolated **Heavy Falls** is also expected over upper catchments of river Indus and Kabul along with Peshawar, Bannu, DI Khan, DG Khan, Bahawalnagar (district), Mardan, Malakand and Kohat divisions.

Isolated thunderstorm/rain is expected over northeast Balochistan, Multan, Bahawalpur and DG Khan divisions.

IV. WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR NEXT 48-HOURS:

Widespread thunderstorm/rain with Scattered heavy to very heavy falls/ torrential rains is expected over the upper catchments of river Sutlej, Ravi, Chenab and Jhelum along with north and northeast Punjab during the period.

Scattered thunderstorm/rain moderate to heavy intensity is also expected over the upper catchments of rivers Kabul and Indus during the period.

V. RIVERS CATCHMENTS RAINFALL RECORDED (MM) DURING LAST 24-HRS > 10 (UPTO 0800 PST):

Indus	Takht Bai=79,Islamabad(New Airport=70, Saidpur=64, Golra=55, PMD H.Q=43,Chaklala (Airbase)=34,New Kattarian= 33, Pirwidahi=22 & Gawalmandi =21), Murree=68, Mardan=64, D.I.Khan (City=51 & Airport=45), Parachinar=40, Bhakkar=31, Dir=29, Kakul=26, Kamra (Airbase)=24, Lower Dir=23,D.G Khan(Airport=21, Zain Sanghar=16 & Vehova=03), Besham=19, Malam Jabba=16, Jhelum=62, Muzaffarabad (Airport=45 & City=29), Qila Rohtas=40, Garhi Dopatta=33, Mandibahauddin & Chakwal=26(each), Palandri=24, Mangla=21, Chattar Kallas=17, Balakot=16, Rawalakot=14, Islampura=12, Sargodha Airbase=11.
Jhelum:	Gujrat=126, Gujranwala (City=75, Liaqat Bagh=60, Peoples Colony=25, Model Town=16 & Sheranwala Bagh=08), Sialkot (Airport=70 & Cantt=34), Barnala=43, Hafizabad=36, Gojra=28, Marala=13,
Chenab:	Sharqpur=112, Faisalabad (Allama Iqbal Colony=77, Gulistan Colony=73, Gulam Muhammad Abad=72,Wasa Head Quarter=71, Madina Town=47, Dogar Basti=44 & Airport=05.) Lahore [Jail Road=22, Lukshmi=31, Misri shah=23, Shahi qilla & Shahdara=21(each), Gulberg=17, Qurtaba chowk=15, Gulshan-e- ravi=07, Lahore Airport=06, Mugal pura, Upper mall, Samnabad & Iqbal town=05(each)],Sheikhupura=18.
Ravi:	Bahawalnagar=38.
Sutlej:	

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I: WEATHER/RAINFALL FORECAST FOR NEXT 24-HRS

RIVERS	Upper Catchments (Above Rim Stations)	Lower Catchments (Below Rim Stations)	RESERVOIRS LEVEL (FEET) at (0600 PST)
INDUS	Scattered thunderstorm/rain	Widespread thunderstorm/rain (Rawalpindi Division)	TARBELA Current: 1549.20 Max. Conservation: 1550.00 Live Storage 99.20% MANGLA Current: 1219.40 Max Conservation: 1242.00 Live Storage 76.39%
JHELUM	Widespread thunderstorm/rain	-do- (Sargodha Division)	
CHENAB	-do-	-do- (Gujranwala Division)	
RAVI	-do-	-do- (Lahore Division)	
SUTLEJ	-do-	Isolated thunderstorm/rain (Bahawalpur Division)	

II: QUANTITATIVE FLOOD FORECAST OF GAUGING STATIONS (IN THOUSANDS OF CUSECS)

RIVERS	Stations	Design Capacity	Actual Observations at 0600 PST		Quantitative Forecast for Next 24-hrs (Inflow)	Qualitative Forecasted Flood Level (Inflow)	Max Flood Peaks (In Thousands of Cusecs)	
			Inflow	Outflow			Historical	Flood Season 2025
INDUS	Tarbela	1500	230.0	268.6	240-290	Low	832.0 (2010)	460.00
	Kalabagh	950	256.1	249.7	260R350	-do-	950.0 (1942)	472.39
	Chashma	950	252.6	235.7	270-295	-do-	1038.9 (2010)	512.64
	Taunsa	1000	170.6	157.9	150-170	Below low	960.0 (2010)	501.56
	Guddu	1200	543.2	507.9	555-530	High	1199.7 (1976)	543.18
	Sukkur	900	457.0	402.0	470-500	-do-	1166.6 (1986)	457.02
	Kotri	875	190.9	177.1	215-235	Low	980.3 (1956)	260.63
KABUL	Nowshera	-	42.3	42.3	50-80	Low	391.3 (1990)	109.90
JHELUM	Mangla	1060	50.0	8.0	60-80	Low Sharp peak upto high	1090.0 (1992)	260.00
	Rasul	850	4.8	0.0	No sig. change	Below low	952.2 (1992)	136.08
CHENAB	Marala	1100	66.2	38.3	70R230	High	1100.0 (1957)	210.90
	Khanki	1100	57.0	49.5	60R230	-do-	1086.5 (1959)	176.32
	Qadirabad	807	36.7	19.7	40R200	Medium to High	948.5 (1992)	171.58
	Trimmu	645	61.8	50.6	50-65	Below low	944.0 (1928)	93.57
	Punjad	700	99.7	85.2	100-125	-do-	802.5 (1973)	99.72
RAVI	Jassar	275	5.0	5.0	20-35	Below low	680.0 (1955)	61.18
	Shahdara	250	15.8	15.8	No sig. change	-do-	576.0 (1988)	39.78
	Balloki	380	41.6	16.8	40-50	Low	389.8 (1988)	61.40
	Sidhnai	150	36.4	21.6	30-40	-do-	330.2 (1988)	50.58
SUTLEJ	G.S. Wala	--	126.1	126.1	120-140	High	837.0 (1955)	129.89
	Sulemanki	325	89.3	82.0	90-110	Medium	598.9 (1955)	89.27
	Islam	300	42.2	40.3	40-55	Low	492.6 (1955)	42.67

Isolated= 20 to 30% of area Scattered= 30 to 50% of area | Widespread= 90 to 100% of area R= Rising, F= Falling

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**SUBJECT: WEEKLY SIGNIFICANT WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR
RIVERS' CATCHMENTS' (25th AUG-25 TO 31st AUG-25)**

RAINFALL OUTLOOK:

ALERT: Widespread thunderstorm/rain with Scattered heavy to very heavy falls/ torrential rains is expected over the upper catchments of river Sutlej, Ravi, Chenab and Jhelum along with north and northeast Punjab from 25th to 27th August, and Scattered thunderstorm/rain of moderate to heavy intensity is also expected over the upper catchments of rivers Kabul and Indus during the period.

FLOOD SITUATION IN MAJOR RIVERS:

WARNING:

- River flow in Sutlej at Ganda Singh Wala is in **High flood** level and will continue for next 48-hours subject to releases from Indian reservoirs.
- Flash flooding is also expected in the Nullahs of DG Khan and northeast Balochistan, while Medium to high level flows are expected in the nullahs of river Ravi and Chenab during next 48-hours.
- Due to the expected widespread rainfall over the upper catchments of the Sutlej, Ravi, Chenab, and Jhelum rivers, along with their associated nullahs and the tributaries of the River Kabul, a **Significant Rise** in flows is anticipated within next 48 hours.

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Note: This forecast is updated on daily basis.