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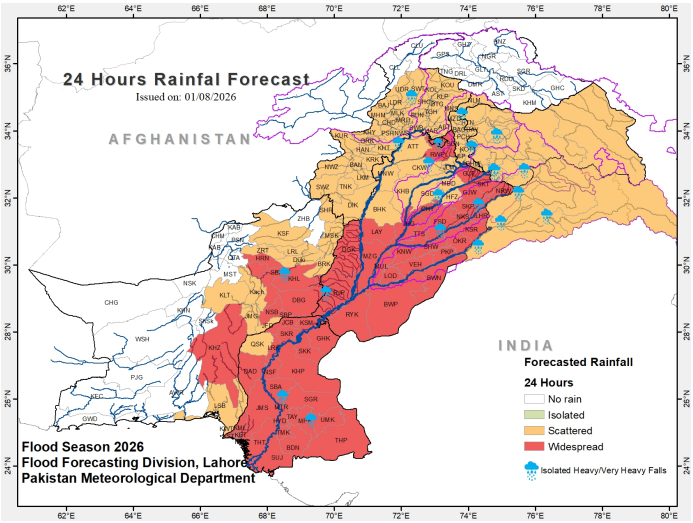
RIVERS AT A GLANCE

INDUS	KABUL	JHELUM	CHENAB	RAVI	SUTLEJ
Low (Kalabagh, Chashma, Guddu, Sukkur)	Below Low	Below Low	Below Low	Below Low	Below Low

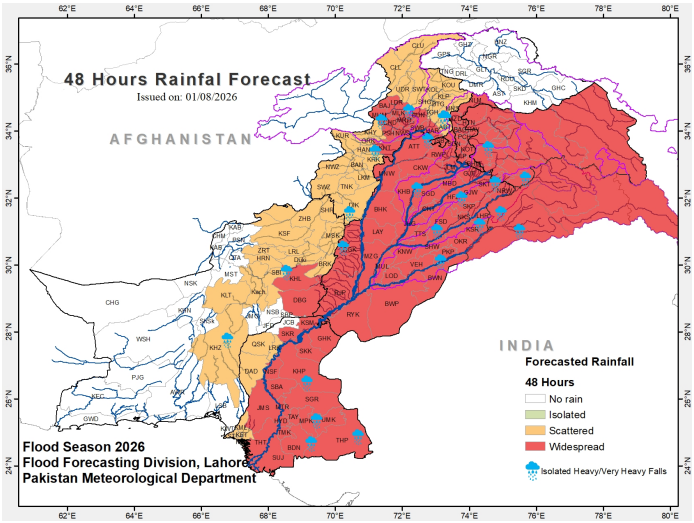
FLOOD SEVERITY SCALE

Below Low	Low	Medium	High	Very High	Exceptionally High

RAINFALL FORECAST — NEXT 24 & 48 HOURS



Rainfall forecast — next 24 hours



Rainfall outlook — next 48 hours

RIVERS SITUATION AND QUALITATIVE FLOOD FORECAST

I. METEOROLOGICAL FEATURES

- Yesterday's westerly wave over north of Iran, today lies over northeast Iran.
- Yesterday's Depression over south Madhya Pradesh has weakened into well marked low (with central pressure of 995 hPa), moved northwestwards and today lies over southeast Rajasthan (India) and is likely to move westwards during next 24-hours.
- Seasonal low-pressure area lies over Northwest Balochistan.
- Moderate moist currents from Arabian sea and Bay of Bengal (along the foot hills of Himalayan mountains) are penetrating into upper parts of the country up to 7,000 feet.

II. METEOROLOGICAL OUTLOOK

- Under the influence of an approaching **well marked low pressure system,** currently lying over southeast Rajasthan (India) with strong supporting monsoon currents, **a strong wet spell in which heavy to very falls** are expected over **Punjab, central and eastern parts of Sindh and eastern Balochistan uptill 4th August.**

III. HYDROLOGICAL SITUATION at 0600 PST

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- **River Indus** at Sukkur is in **Medium flood level** at upstream.
- **River Indus** at Kalabagh, Chashma, Guddu and Sukkur is in **Low flood level** at downstream**.**
- **River Ravi** at Balloki is in **Low flood level** at upstream.

IV. HYDROLOGICAL OUTLOOK

- River Indus at Sukkur will remain in **Low flood level** at upstream during next 24-hours.

WARNING:

- **River Chenab at Marala, Khanki and Qadirabad** is expected to fluctuate between **Low to Medium flood level and may attain High flood level at Marala during the period.**
- **Medium to High level flows are expected in nullahs of Jhelum, Chenab (Dora, Dotta, Dowara, Bhimber, Halsi, Aik and Palkhu) and Ravi (Bein, Bassanter, Deg and Sakki).**
- **Flash flooding** is expected in the hill torrents of **DG Khan**, the **streams of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa** and **northern Balochistan.**
- **Urban Flooding** is also expected in **Rawalpindi, Jhelum, Gujranwala, Sargodha, Mandi Bahauddin, Sialkot, Gujrat, Narowal, Lahore, Okara, Sahiwal** and **Faisalabad.**
- **Urban flooding, water logging and prolonged water ponding is expected in** Badin, Hyderabad, Jamshoro, Khairpur, Matiari, Mirpur Khas, Sanghar, Shaheed Benazir Abad, Sujawal, Tando Allahyar, Tando Muhammad Khan, Tharparkar, Thatta and Umer Kot during the period.

V. WEATHER FORECAST FOR 24-HOURS

- **Widespread rain-wind/thunderstorm** with **isolated heavy to very heavy falls** is expected over

  Punjab: Bahawalnagar, Bahawalpur, Chiniot, DG Khan, Faisalabad, Gujranwala, Gujrat, Jhang, Kasur, Khanewal, Lahore, Layyah, Lodhran, Multan, Muzaffargarh, Narowal, Nankana Sahib, Okara, Pakpattan, Rahim Yar Khan, Rawalpindi, Rajanpur, Sialkot, Sahiwal, Sheikhupura, Toba Tek Singh and Vehari.

  Sindh: Badin, Dadu, Ghotki, Hyderabad, Jacobabad, Jamshoro, Karachi, Kashmore, Khairpur, Larkana, Matiari, Mirpur Khas, Naushahro Feroze, Sanghar, Shaheed Benazir Abad, Sujawal, Sukkur, Tando Allahyar, Tando Muhammad Khan, Tharparkar, Thatta and Umer Kot.

  Balochistan: Dera Bugti, Harnai, Khuzdar, Kohlu, Nasirabad and Sibi.

- **Scattered rain-wind/thunderstorm** with **isolated heavy falls** is expected over the upper catchments of all **major rivers**, **Islamabad, Kashmir**

  Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: Abbottabad, Bajaur, Bannu, Batagram, Buner, Charsadda, Dir, DI Khan, Hangu, Haripur, Karak, Khyber, Kohat, Kohistan, Kurram, Lakki Marwat, Mansehra, Mardan, Mohmand, Nowshera, Orakzai, Peshawar, Shangla, Swabi, Swat, Tank, Tor Ghar and Waziristan.

  Punjab: Attock, Bhakkar, Chakwal, Hafizabad, Jhelum, Khushab, Mandi Bahauddin, Mianwali and Sargodha.

  Sindh: Qamber-Shahdad Kot and Shikarpur.

  Balochistan: Barkhan, Duki, Jaffarabad, Jhal Magsi, Kachhi (Bolan), Kalat, Killa Saifullah, Lasbela, Loralai, Musakhel, Sherani and Ziarat.

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VI. WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR NEXT 48-HOURS

- **Widespread rain-wind/thunderstorm** with **isolated heavy to very heavy falls** is expected is expected over the upper catchments of all **major rivers**, **Islamabad, Kashmir,**

  Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: Bajaur, Buner, Charsadda, Dir, Haripur, Kohat, Malakand, Mardan, Mohmand, Nowshera, Peshawar and Swabi.

  Punjab: Attock, Bahawalnagar, Bahawalpur, Bhakkar, Chakwal, Chiniot, DG Khan, Faisalabad, Gujranwala, Gujrat, Hafizabad, Jhang, Jhelum, Kasur, Khanewal, Khushab, Lahore, Layyah, Lodhran, Mandi Bahauddin, Mianwali, Multan, Muzaffargarh, Nankana Sahib, Narowal, Okara, Pakpattan, Rahim Yar Khan, Rajanpur, Rawalpindi, Sahiwal, Sargodha, Sheikhupura, Sialkot, Toba Tek Singh and Vehari.

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  Sindh: Dadu, Karachi, Larkana and Qamber-Shahdad Kot.

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WEEKLY SIGNIFICANT OUTLOOK

(02nd August, 2026 to 08th August, 2026)

I. RAINFALL OUTLOOK

The current wet spell is expected to continue in the upper catchments of all the major rivers, Islamabad, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Kashmir, Punjab, Sindh and east Balochistan uptill 04th August, 2026.

WARNING:

- Under the influence of an approaching **well marked low pressure,** currently lying over southeast Rajasthan (India)**, a strong wet spell** is expected to affect **Punjab, southeastern Sindh** and **eastern Balochistan** uptill **4th August. Heavy to very heavy rainfall** is also likely during this period.
- Consequently, **urban flooding, waterlogging and water ponding** are likely in Badin, Hyderabad, Jamshoro, Khairpur, Matiari, Mirpur Khas, Sanghar, Shaheed Benazirabad, Sujawal, Tando Allahyar, Tando Muhammad Khan, Tharparkar, Thatta, and Umerkot districts during the forecast period.

II. FLOOD OUTLOOK

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- The flows in the eastern rivers and associated tributaries are also expected to rise from 02nd August to 04th August, 2026.

WARNING:

- **Medium to High level flows are expected in nullahs of Jhelum, Chenab (Dora, Dotta, Dowara, Bhimber, Halsi, Aik and Palkhu) and Ravi (Bein, Bassanter, Deg and Sakki).**
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3. WEATHER/RAINFALL FORECAST FOR NEXT 24-HRS

RIVERS	Upper Catchments (Above Rim Stations)	Lower Catchments (Below Rim Stations)
INDUS	Scattered thunderstorm/rain	Widespread thunderstorm/rain
JHELUM	Scattered thunderstorm/rain	Scattered thunderstorm/rain
CHENAB	Scattered thunderstorm/rain	Widespread thunderstorm/rain
RAVI	Scattered thunderstorm/rain	Widespread thunderstorm/rain
SUTLEJ	Scattered thunderstorm/rain	Widespread thunderstorm/rain

RESERVOIRS LEVEL (FEET) at (0600 PST)

TARBELA

Level **1539.00 ft**

1380.00 dead → 1550.00 max cons.

Storage **88.71% live**

0.960 dead + 4.950 / 6.511 MAF live

MANGLA

Level **1196.80 ft**

1040.00 dead → 1242.00 max cons.

Storage **55.52% live**

1.000 dead + 4.040 / 7.387 MAF live

4. QUANTITATIVE FLOOD FORECAST OF GAUGING STATIONS (IN THOUSANDS OF CUSECS)

RIVERS	Stations	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 2026
INDUS	Tarbela	234.0	158.3	230 - 250	**Low**	832.0	EH (2010)	343.0
INDUS	Kalabagh	320.6	313.9	320 F 270	**Low**	950.0	EH (1942)	343.0
INDUS	Chashma	274.1	265.7	270 - 300	**Low**	1038.9	EH (2010)	374.2
INDUS	Taunsa	241.9	221.8	240 R 300	**Low**	960.0	VH (2010)	385.8
INDUS	Guddu	336.1	299.2	330 F 230	**Low**	1199.7	EH (1976)	426.9
INDUS	Sukkur	369.5	314.8	370 F 280	**Low to Medium**	1166.6	EH (1986)	369.5
INDUS	Kotri	89.0	48.5	90 - 110	**Below Low**	980.3	EH (1956)	89.0
KABUL	Nowshera	52.3	52.3	55 - 75	**Low**	391.3	EH (1990)	78.5
JHELUM	Mangla	45.0	7.0	50 - 70	**Below Low**	1090.0	EH (1992)	137.0

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		Inflow	Outflow			Historical		Flood Season 2026
JHELUM	Rasul	3.6	0.0	No sig. change	Below Low	952.2	EH (1992)	63.7
CHENAB	Marala	91.9	76.2	80 - 100	Low	1100.0	EH (1957)	275.6
CHENAB	Khanki	75.8	69.7	70 - 90	Below Low	1086.4	EH (1959)	261.5
CHENAB	Qadirabad	74.0	69.0	70 - 90	Below Low	1078.0	EH (2025)	267.2
CHENAB	Trimmu	99.4	91.3	80 - 100	Below Low	944.3	EH (1928)	193.8
CHENAB	Punjnad	82.0	68.4	80 - 100	Below Low	802.5	EH (1973)	146.6
RAVI	Jassar	21.6	21.6	15 - 25	Below Low	680.0	EH (1955)	36.2
RAVI	Shahdara	17.4	17.4	20 - 25	Below Low	576.0	EH (1988)	33.6
RAVI	Balloki	51.6	28.3	50 - 70	Low	389.8	EH (1988)	87.7
RAVI	Sidhnai	26.9	13.6	No sig. change	Below Low	330.2	EH (1988)	61.7
SUTLEJ	G.S. Wala	0.4	0.4	No sig. change	Below Low	837.0	** (1955)	3.6
SUTLEJ	Sulemanki	15.9	3.1	No sig. change	Below Low	598.9	EH (1955)	19.1
SUTLEJ	Islam	3.4	2.4	No sig. change	Below Low	492.6	EH (1955)	6.7

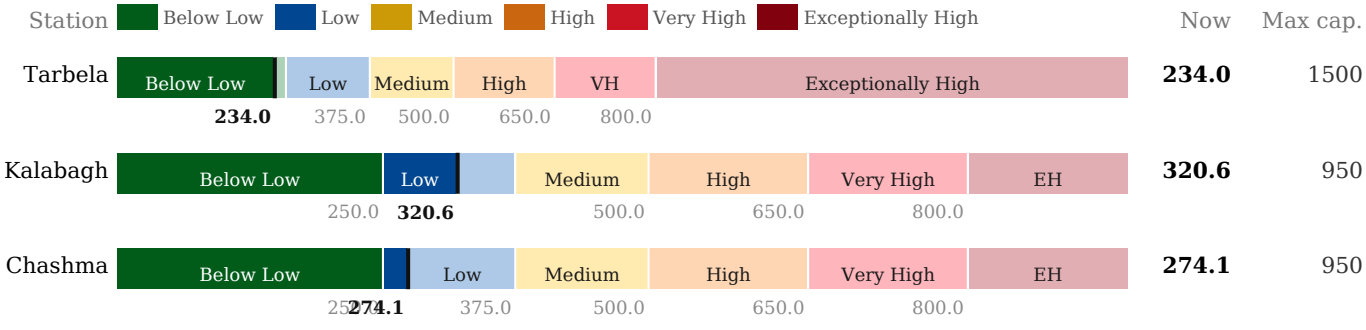
Spatial: Isolated=20 to 30% of area | Scattered=31 to 50% of area | Fairly Widespread=51 to 75% of area | Widespread=76 to 100% of area, R= Rising, F=Falling

Intensity (mm/24 hours): Light ≤ 10, Moderate =10.1 – 30, Heavy=30.1 – 70, Very Heavy=70.1 - 150, Extremely Heavy > 150

Note: Concerned Departments may contact FFD, Lahore for rectification up-dation (if any)

5. HOW CLOSE IS EACH RIVER TO ITS LIMIT?

Sukkur is in low to medium flood at 369.5 — 130.5 below its high flood level (500.0). Each bar is one station's own flood levels across its maximum capacity; the solid run is the flow so far, the pale run is the room still left.

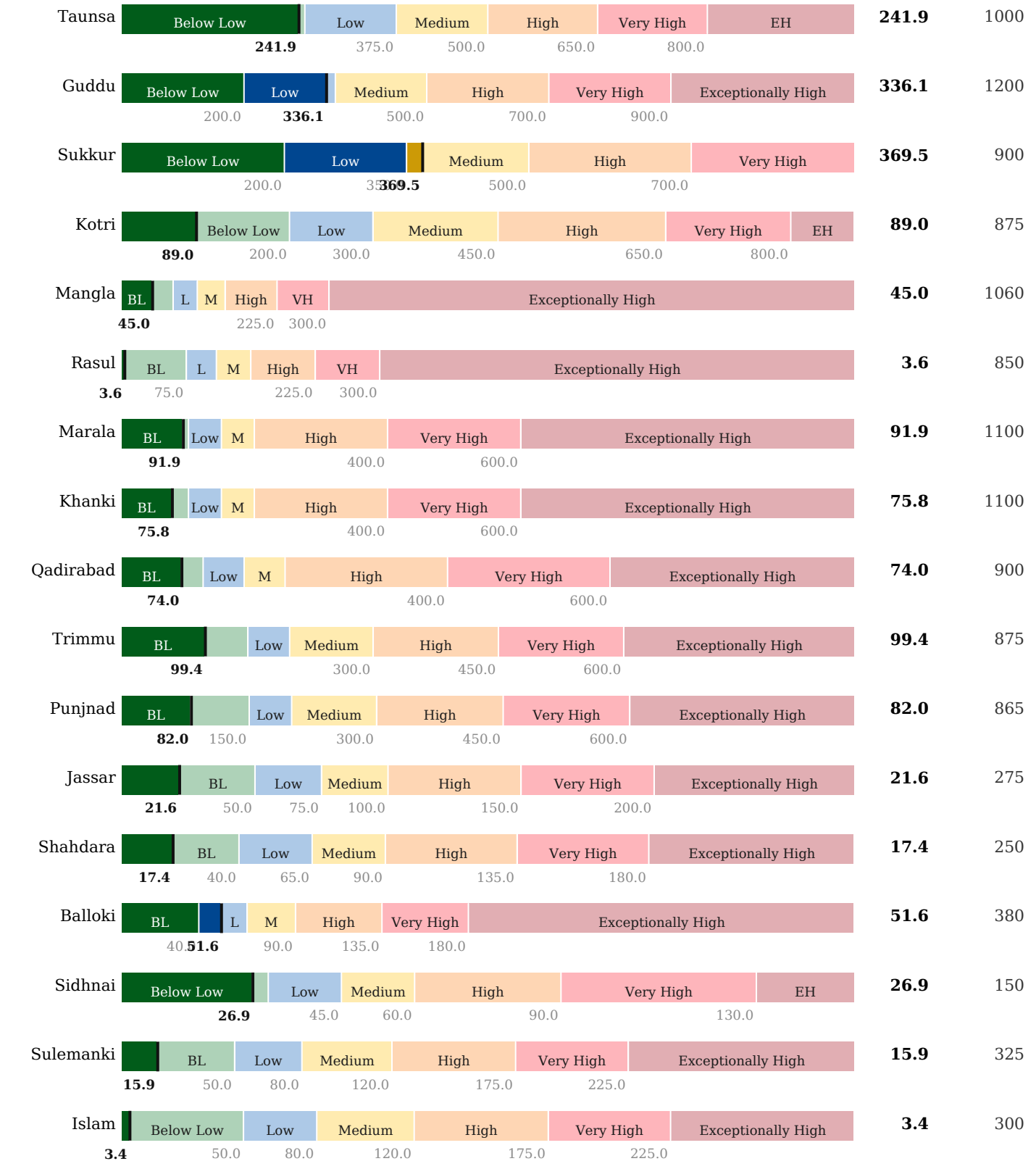


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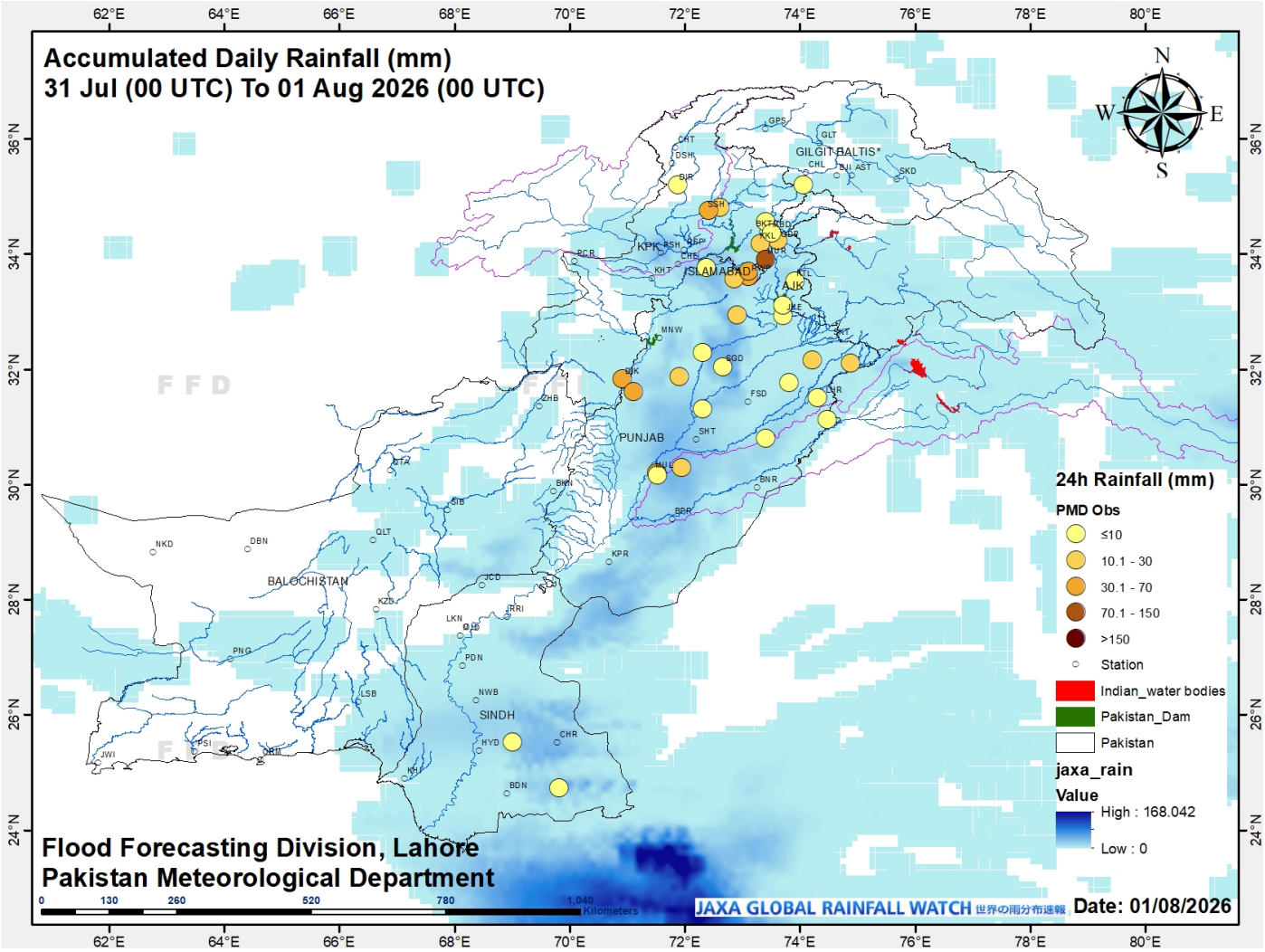


All figures in thousands of cusecs. Full bar = maximum (design) capacity. Solid colour is the flow reached so far and the pale wash beside it is the room still left; the dark line between them is the current reading, printed beneath it. Thin white lines are that station's flood levels with their thresholds beneath, so the same colour can begin at a different point on every bar. Each band is named inside itself — initialled (BL, L, M, H, VH, EH) where the band is too narrow for the words, and left blank

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where it is too narrow for those. Stations without a design capacity are not shown.

6. RAINFALL RECORDED — LAST 24-HRS (UPTO 0800 PST)



Rainfall recorded — last 24 hours (upto 0800 PST)

7. RIVERS CATCHMENTS RAINFALL RECORDED (MM) DURING LAST 24-HRS (UPTO 0800 PST)

Indus: **Islamabad** [Katcheri=95, Shamsabad=62, Chaklala (Airbase)=58, PMD H.Q=52, New Kattarian=42, Saidpur=39, Bokra=29, Pirwidahi=25, Golra & New Airport=15(each)], Murree=85, Daggar=47, D.I.Khan(Airport)=45, Saidu Sharif=42, Bhakkar=31, Kakul=22, Phulra=19, Phularwan & Malam Jabba=13(each), Tarbela=09, Mianwali (Airbase)=08, Oghi=06, Attock & Shinkiari=04(each), Risalpur, Kamra (Airbase) & Babusar=03(each), DG Khan(Zain Sanghar=02 & Marri=01), Japan Bridge=02, Dir, Mithi & Mirpur Khas=01(each), Peshawar [City & Airport=Trace(each)], Dhok Pathan, Bosak Bridge, Besham, Layyah & Hyderabad=Trace(each).
Jhelum: Jamali Balochan=36, Garhi Dopatta=24, Kotli=23, Chakwal=20, Palandri=16, Sargodha (Airbase=15 & City=08), Muzaffarabad (City=09 & Airport=08), Balakot & Domel=03(each), Jhelum & Mangla=01(each), Joharabad, Baba Shah Jalal & Mandi Bahauddin=Trace(each).
Chenab: **Multan** [Airport=37 & City=04], Noorpur Thal=27, Gujranwala=13, Jhang=10, Shadiwal=03, Shorkot (Airbase)=02 & Daulat Nagar=Trace.
Ravi: Narowal=27, Khanewal=21, Sharqpur, Sheikhupura & Shakar Garh=03(each), Kot Naina=02, **Lahore** (Jail Road) & Okara=01(each), Sahiwal=Trace.

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