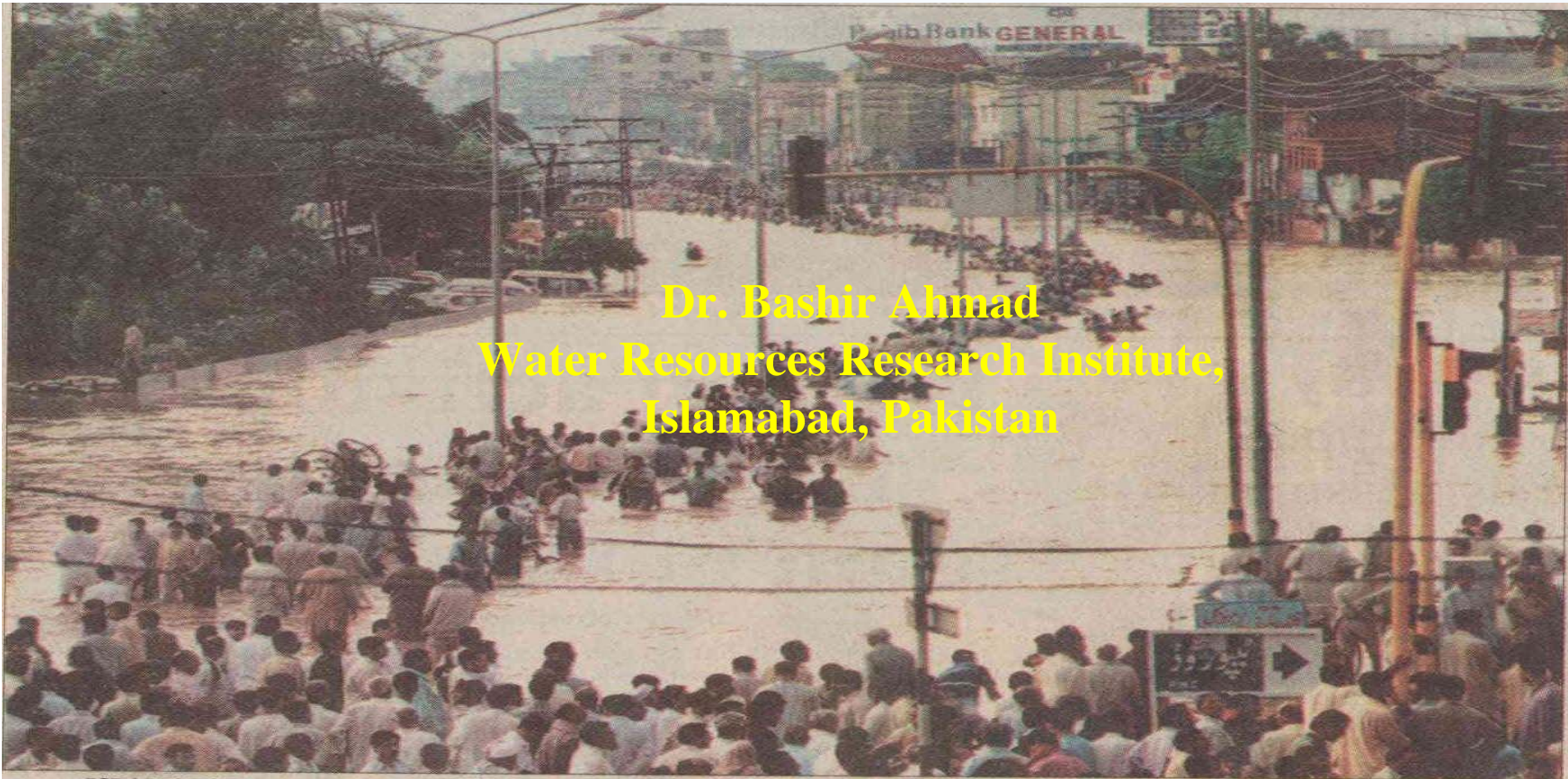


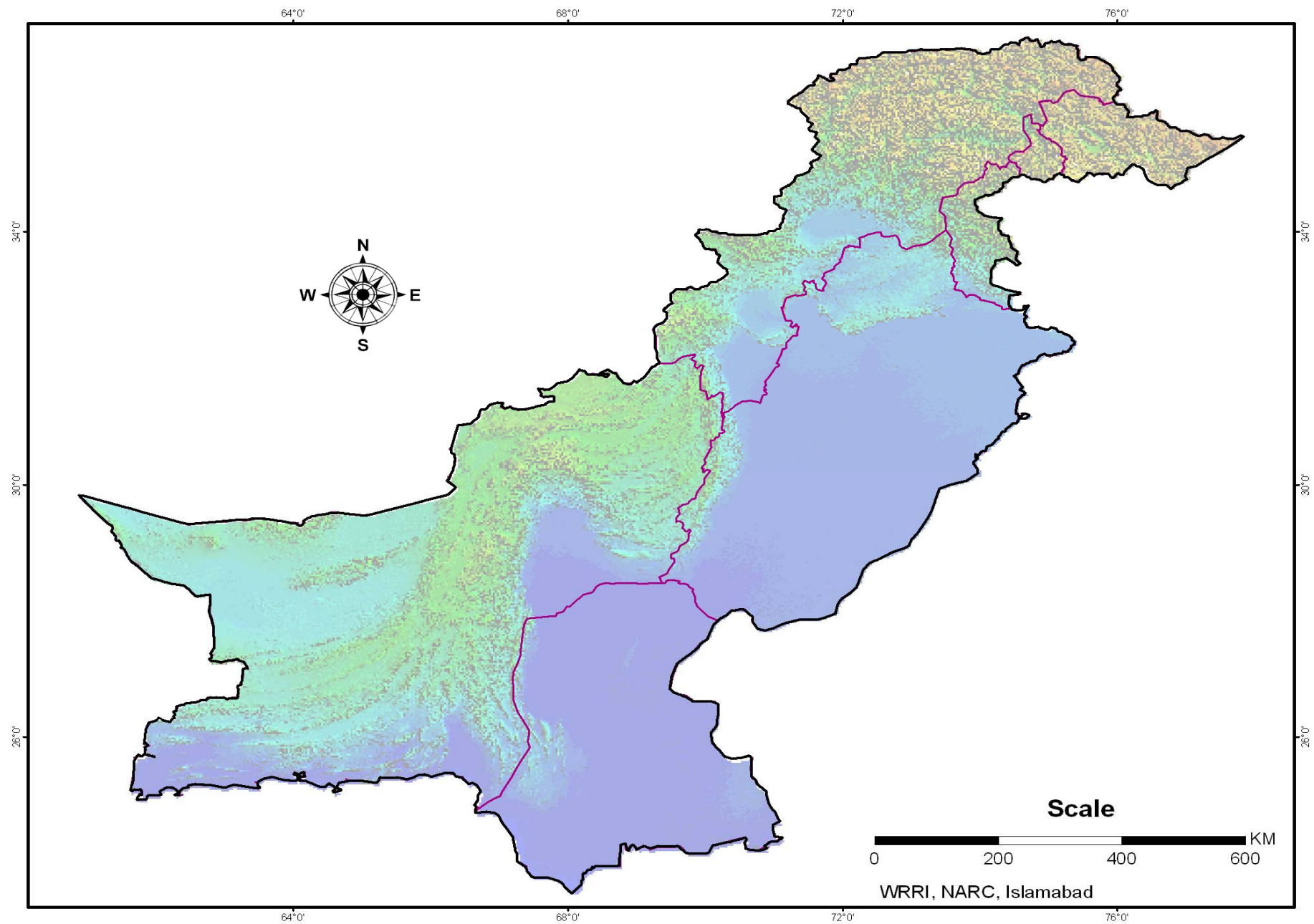
FLOOD FORECASTING AND FLOOD DEFENSE IN PAKISTAN



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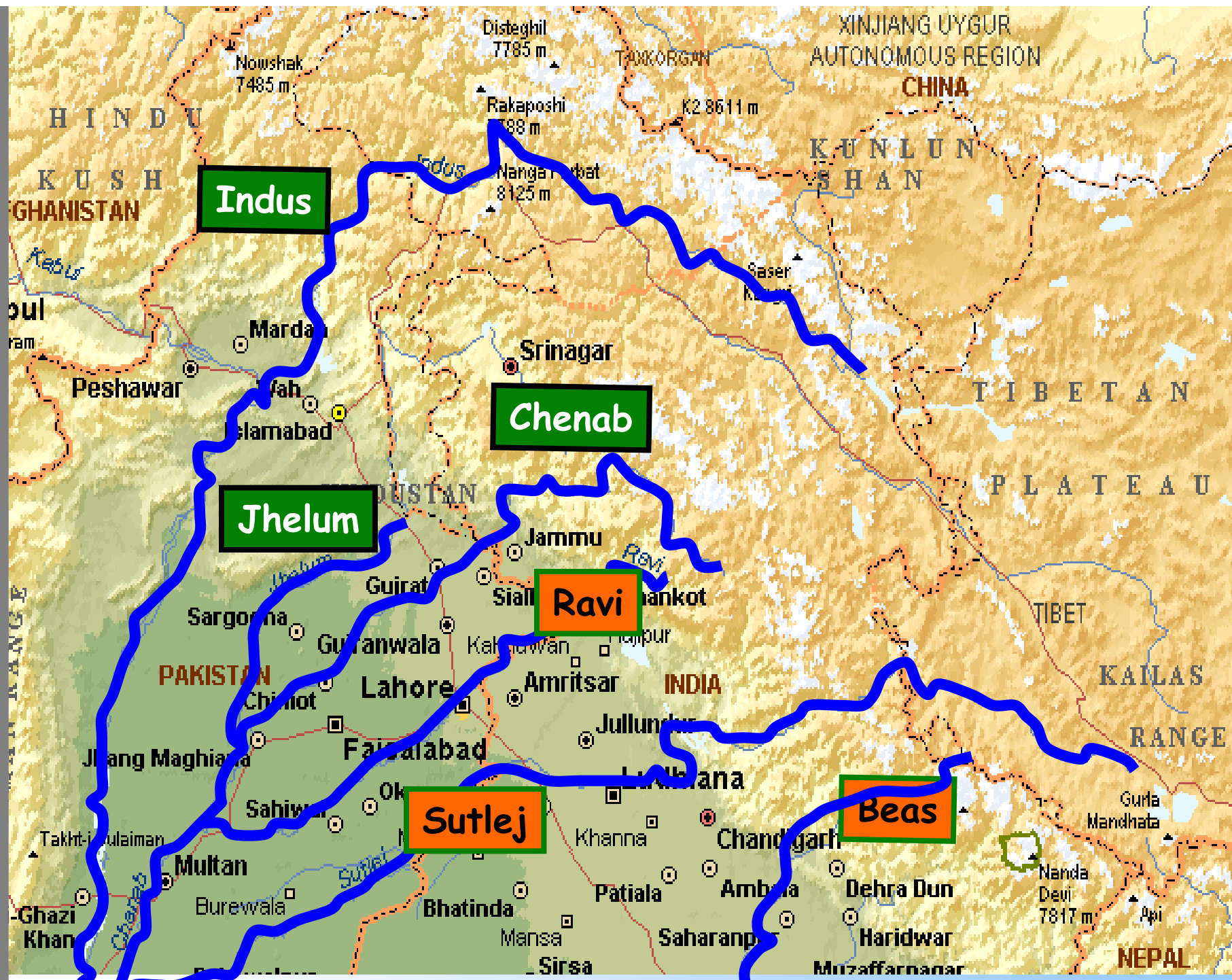






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THE INDUS BASIN





Major Floods of Indus Basin in Pakistan

Year	Monetary Losses (Billion Rs)	Lives Lost (No.)	Villages Affected (No.)	Area Flooded (Miles ²)
1950	9.08	2,318	18,000	7,000
1955	7.04	879	6,545	6,000
1956	5.92	169	21,000	26,000
1973	5.52	874	9,719	14,200
1975	12.72	138	8,828	13,845
1976	64.84	625	16,390	32,000
1978	41.44	583	9,199	11,952
1988	15.94	100	100	4,400
1992	58.08	1,808	13,200	15,140
1993	7.80	391	6,852	8,518

FLOOD PROBLEM IN PAKISTAN

- Economic damages resulting from annual flooding is a major burden on the country.
- Floods have havoc over the years,
- agricultural
- communication infrastructure,
- Infrastructures (Buildings, Roads, ...etc)

with damages worth Rs 225 billion (US \$ 4 billion) recorded for the ten largest floods since country's independence in 1947. Almost 8000 lives have been lost during these floods.

FLOODING MECHANISMS

- There are three reasons for flooding

1) Floods in the Indus Basin occur in late summer (July to September) during monsoonal rains.

- In the upper to mid reaches of the Basin, it is generally the tributaries like Jhelum and Chenab Rivers, which are the cause of flooding rather than the Indus River itself.
- Since many rivers are also snow-fed, an early monsoon may combine with peak snowmelt runoff to exacerbate flooding.
- The monsoon low or depression that causes intense rain develops either in Arabian Sea or Bay of Bengal. Major flooding is generally associated with the depression from the Bay of Bengal moving across India in west/north-westerly direction and then turning north at the border with Pakistan.
- Heavy rains occur due to orographic lifting at the high mountain ranges in the river catchments.
- Generally the heavy rainfalls are limited to the Chenab, Jhelum, Ravi and Sutlej
- River catchments, however, occasionally, the depression can cross further north into the Indus River catchment.

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR FLOOD MANAGEMENT

- *Flood Forecasting Division.*

The FFD of the Pakistan Meteorological Department plays a central role in the flood forecasting and warning in the country.

- *Provincial Irrigation and Drainage Authority.*

The Authority plays a prominent role in flood management through planning, design, construction and maintenance of flood protection works.

- *Water and Power Development Authority.*

The authority is the custodian of Tarbela and Mangla dams and undertakes the day-to-day reservoir management for irrigation flow releases.

- *Provincial Relief Department.*

- *Pakistan Army.*

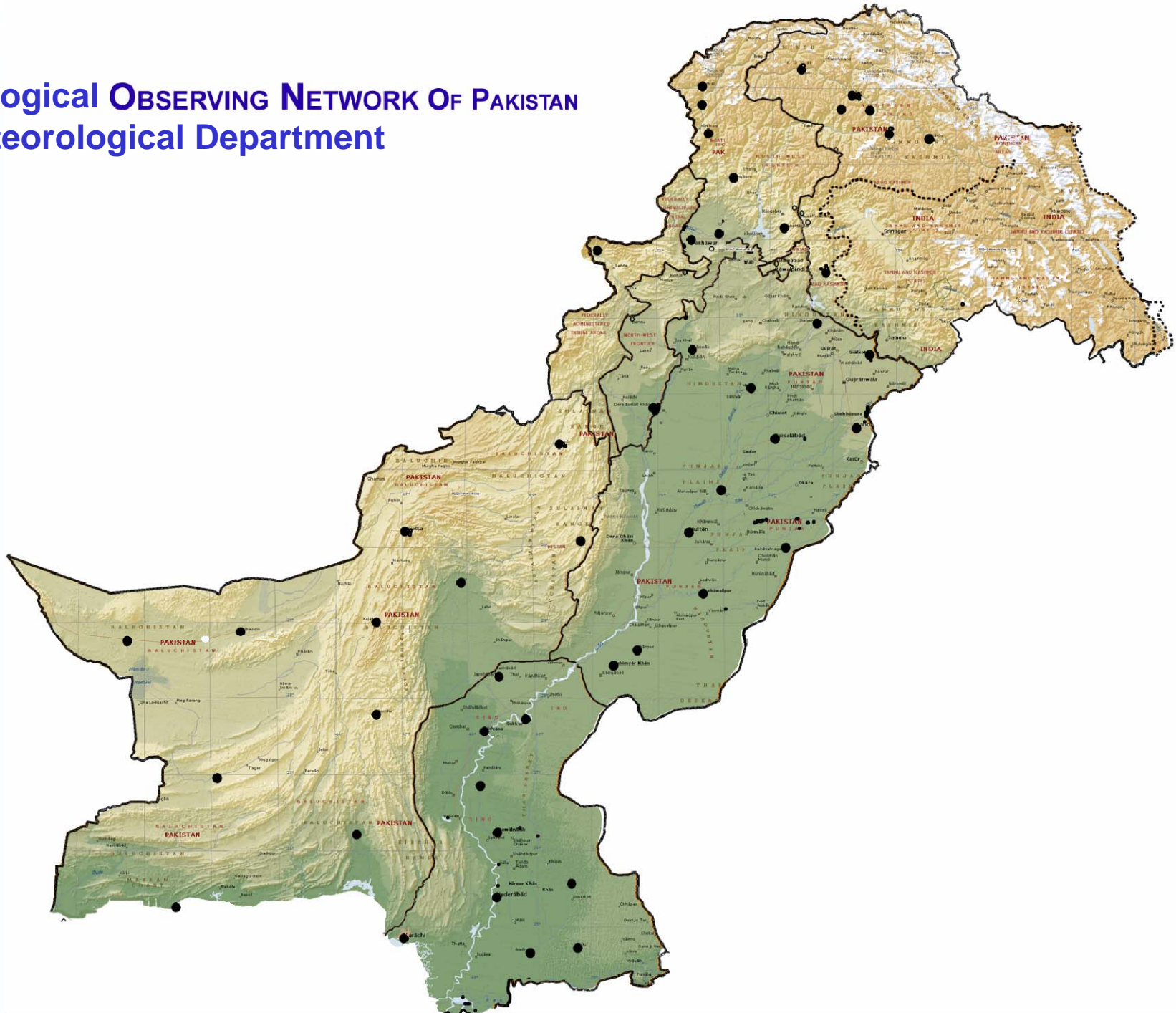
- *Emergency Relief Cell.*

- *Civil Defence Organisation.*

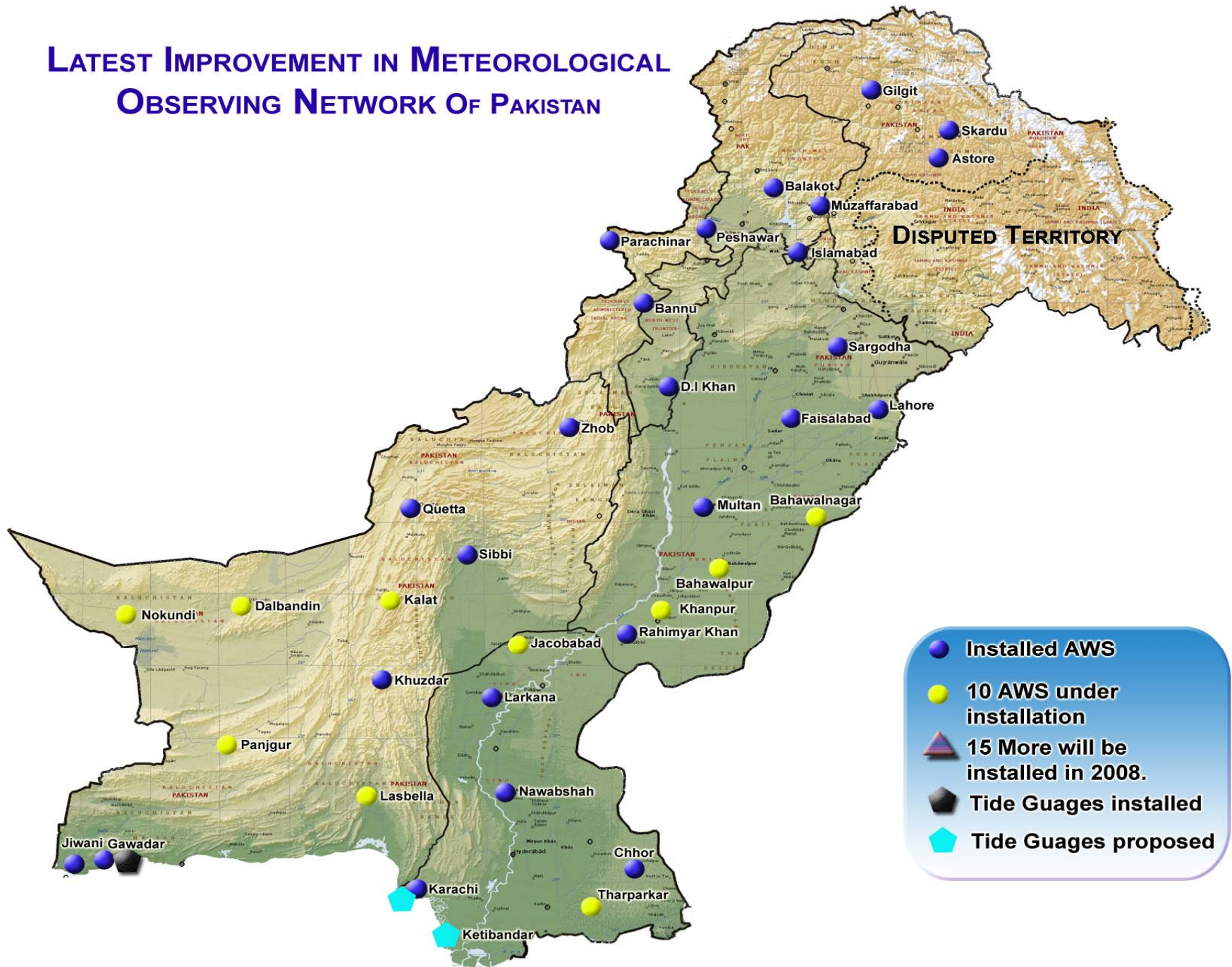
- *Federal Flood Commission.*

Meteorological OBSERVING NETWORK OF PAKISTAN

Meteorological Department

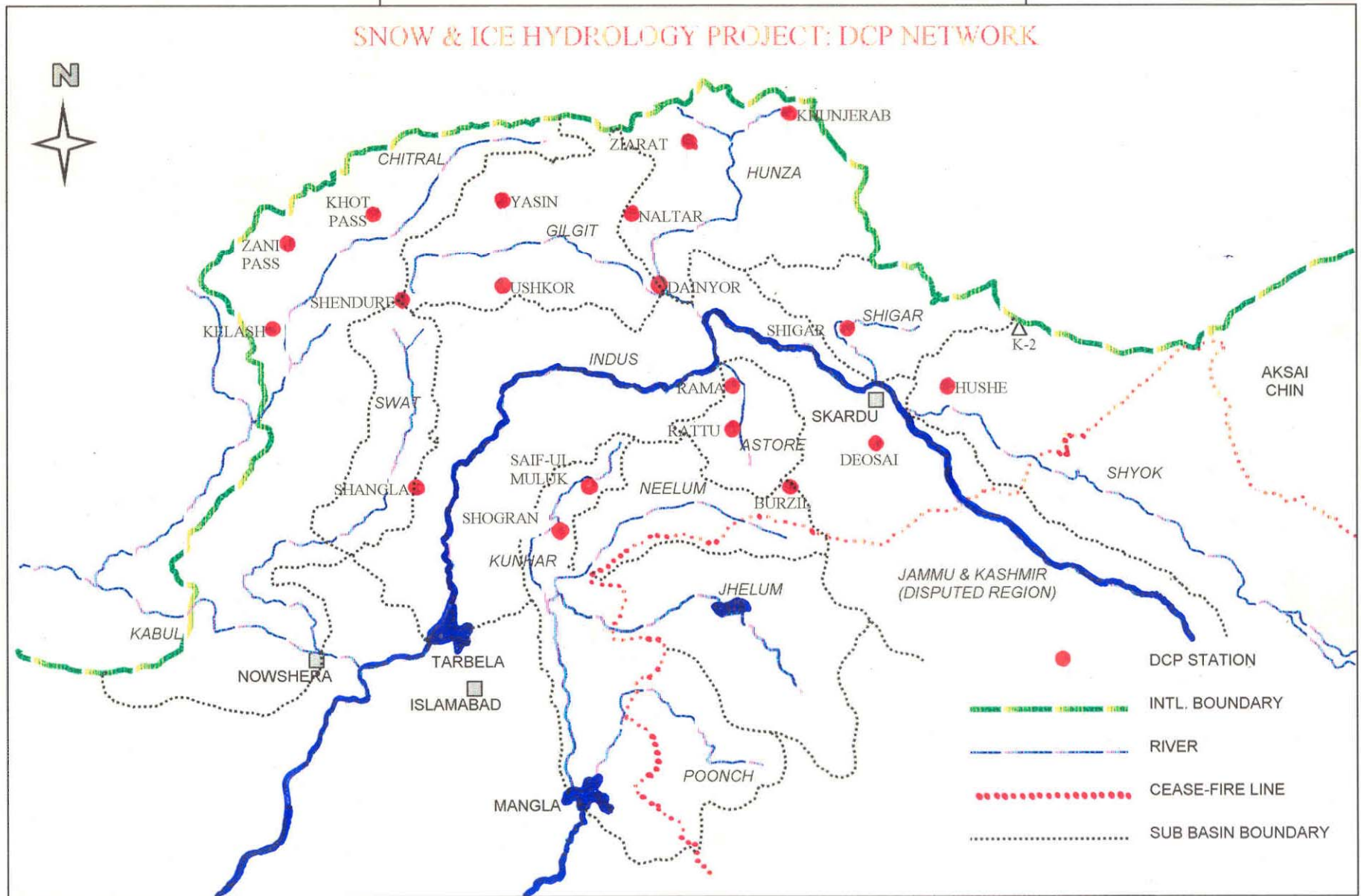


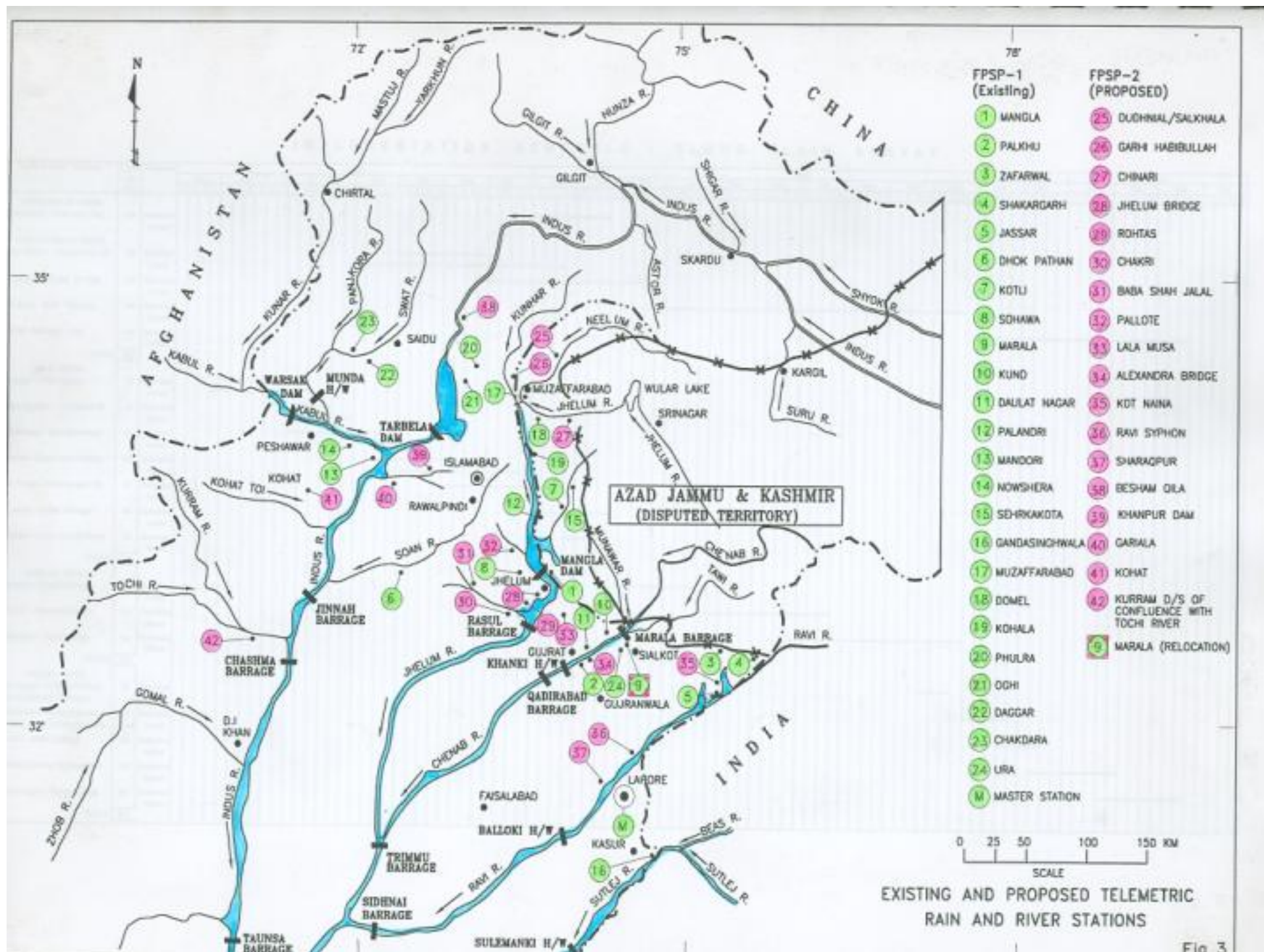
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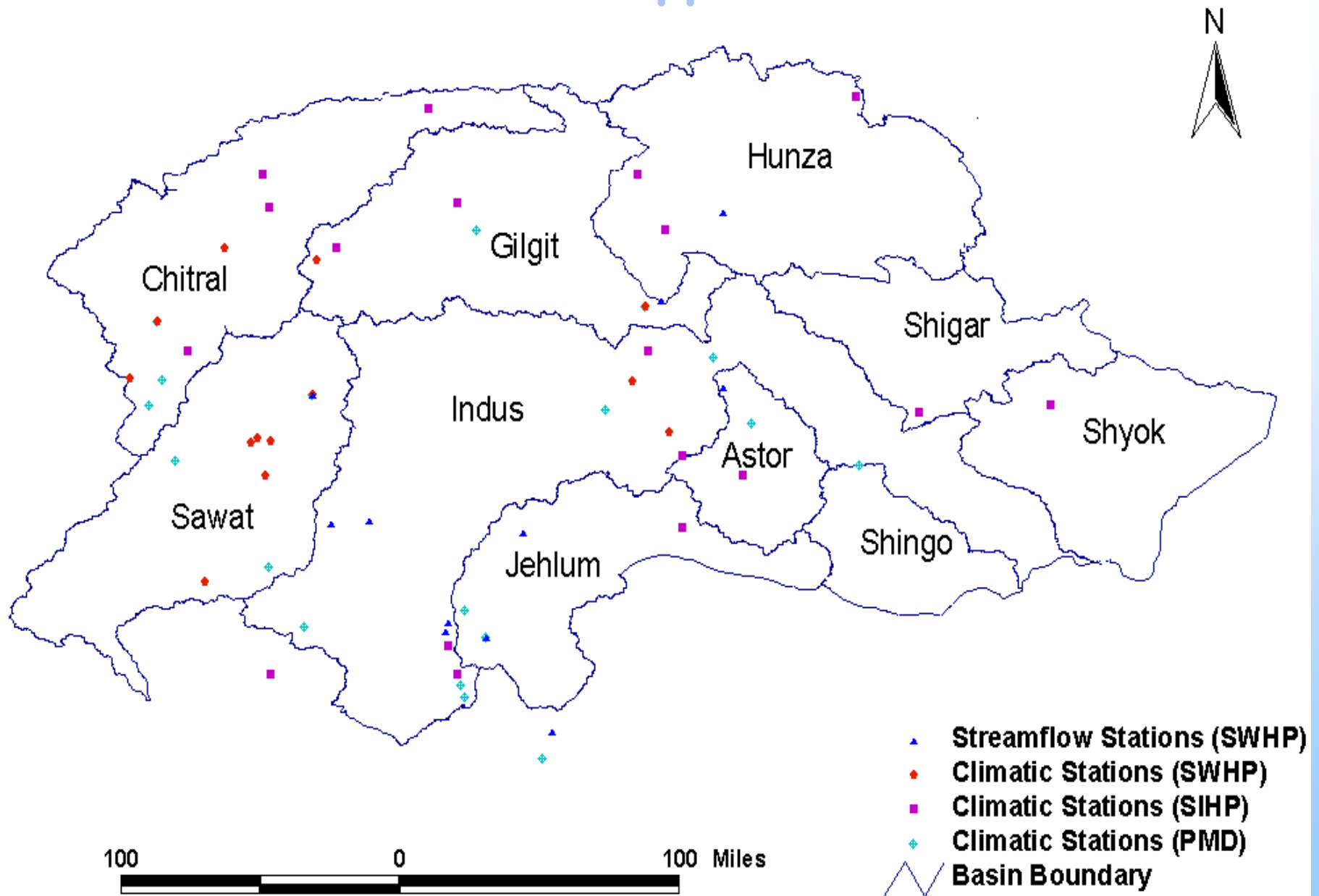
PAKISTAN WATER AND POWER DEVELOPMENT

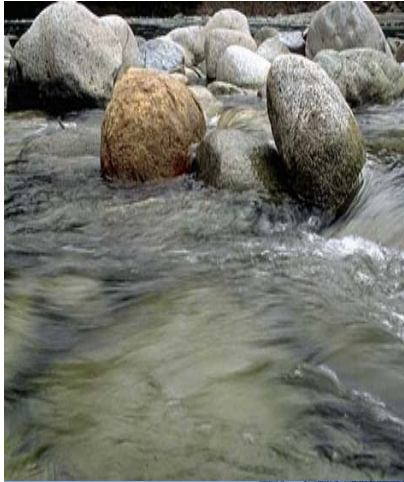
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Sub-basins in Upper Indus





PART-I

HYDROLOGY AND WATER RESOURCES OF PAKISTAN

INDUS RIVER SYSTEM

5 Major Rivers

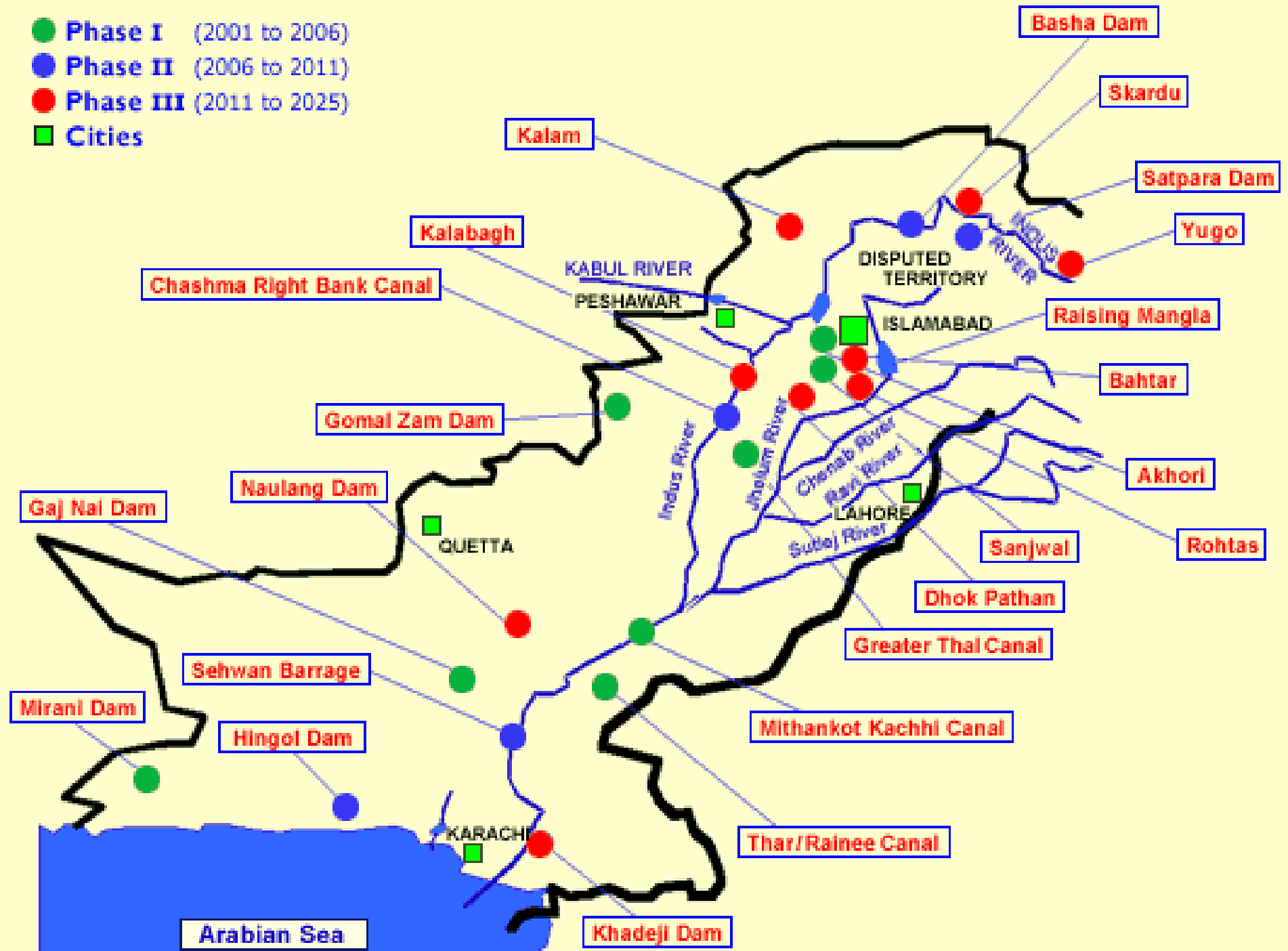
4 Large Reservoirs

23 Barrages/headworks

45 Canal Commands



- Phase I (2001 to 2006)
- Phase II (2006 to 2011)
- Phase III (2011 to 2025)
- Cities

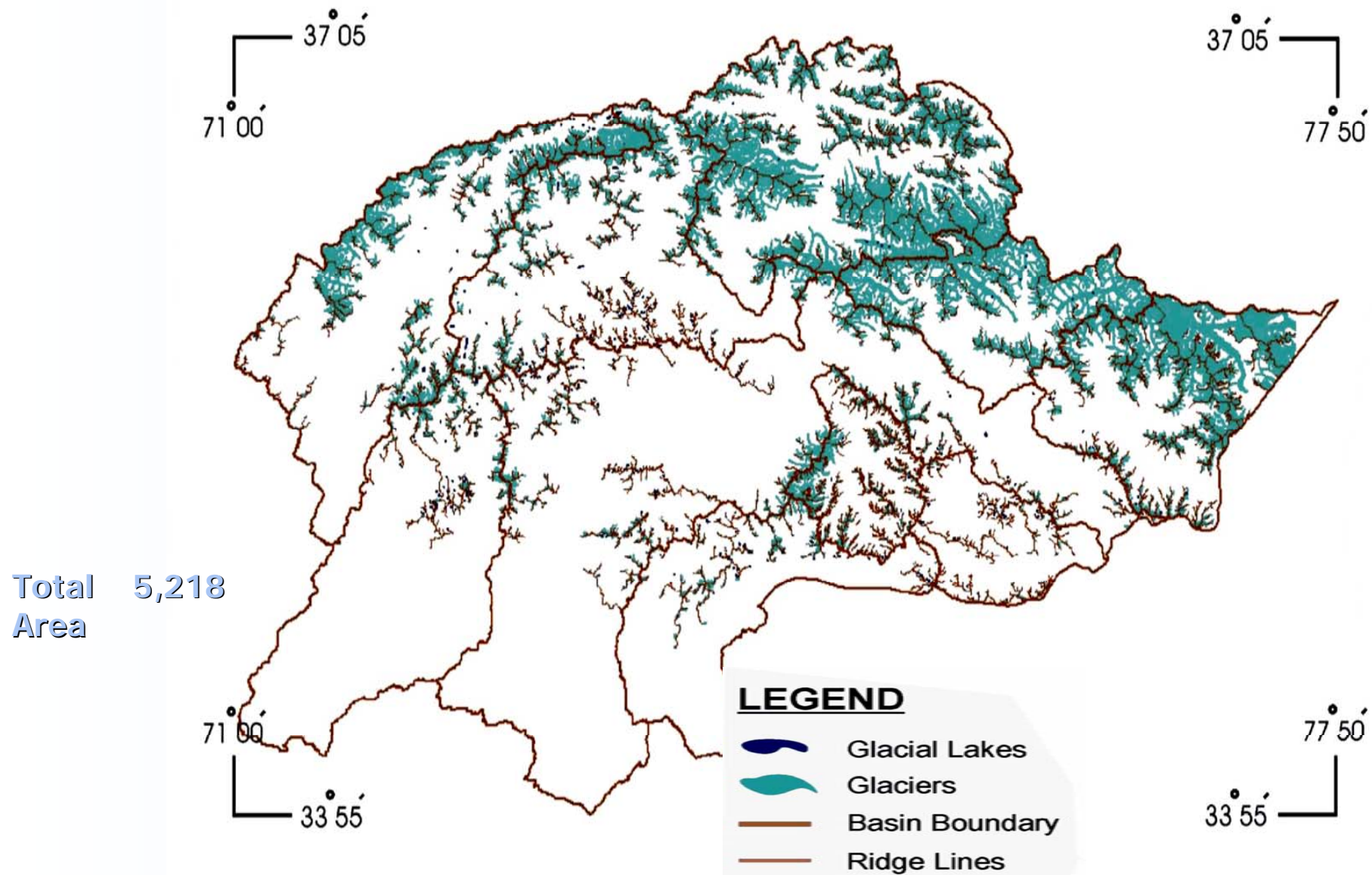






WATER RESOURCES OF INDUS BASIN

Glaciers of Upper Indus Basins



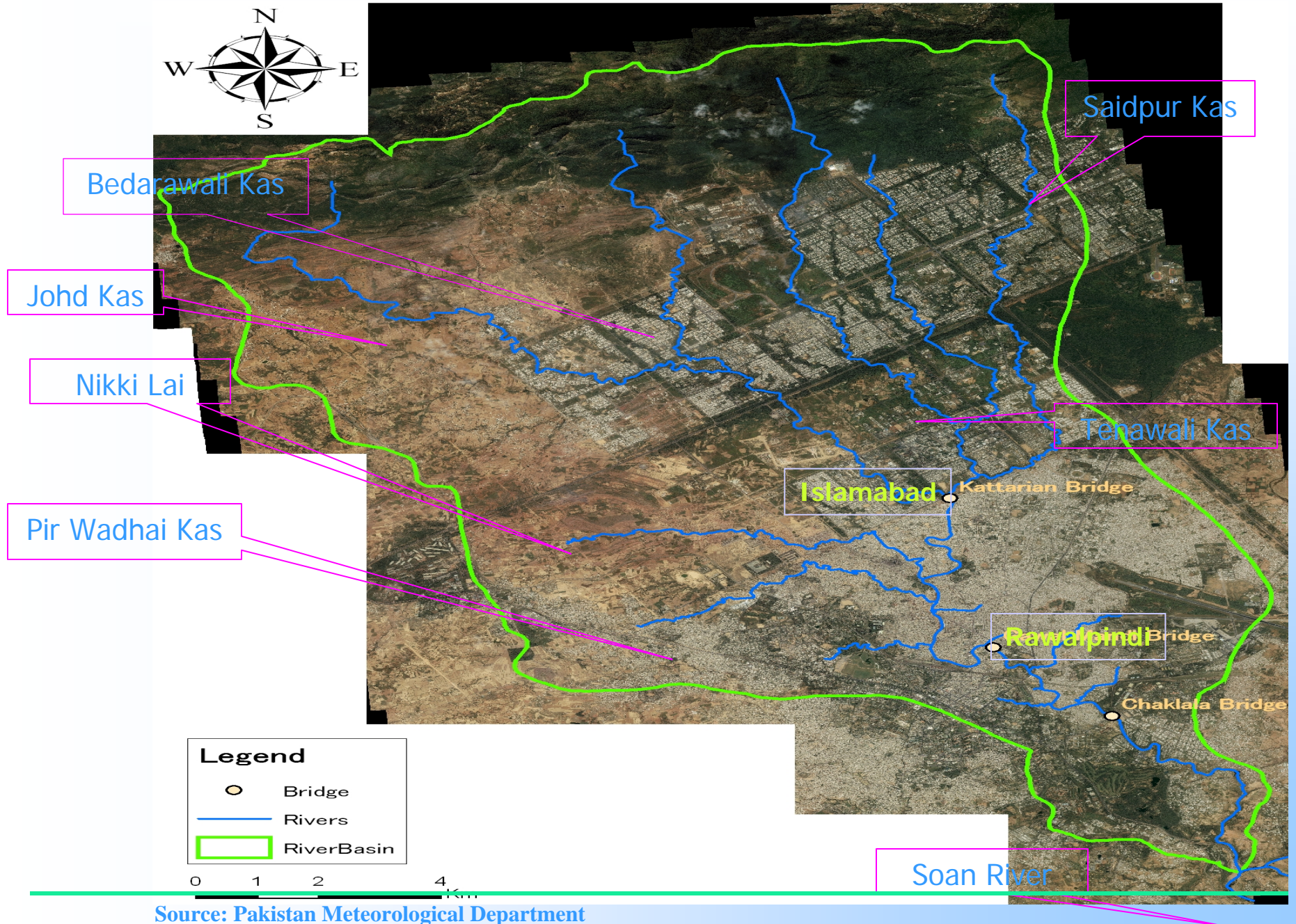
Source: WRI, NARC (2005) "Inventory of glaciers"

FLOOD FORECASTING

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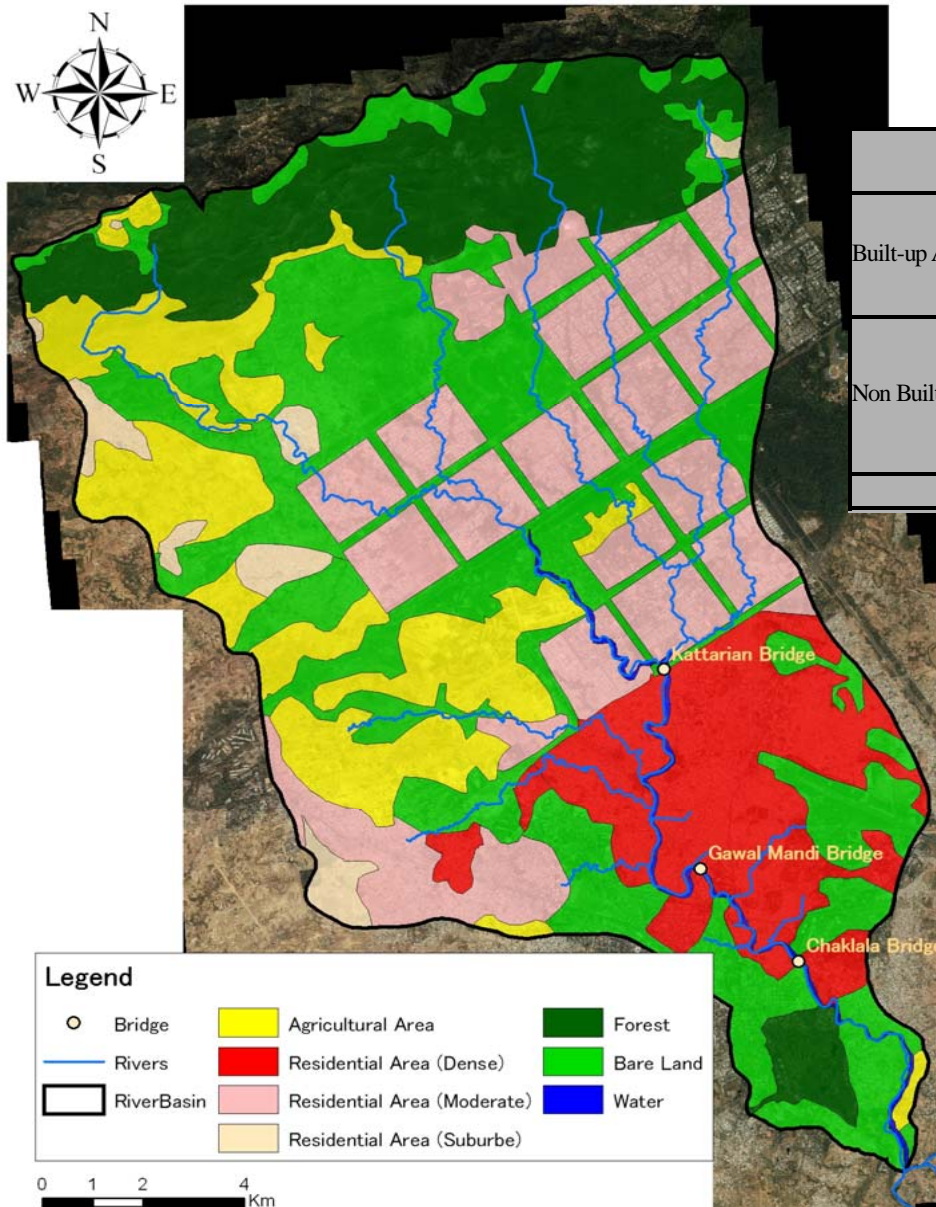
WARNING SYSTEM

Case Study: Nala Lai



Lai Nullah Basin Area

Socio-economic Condition



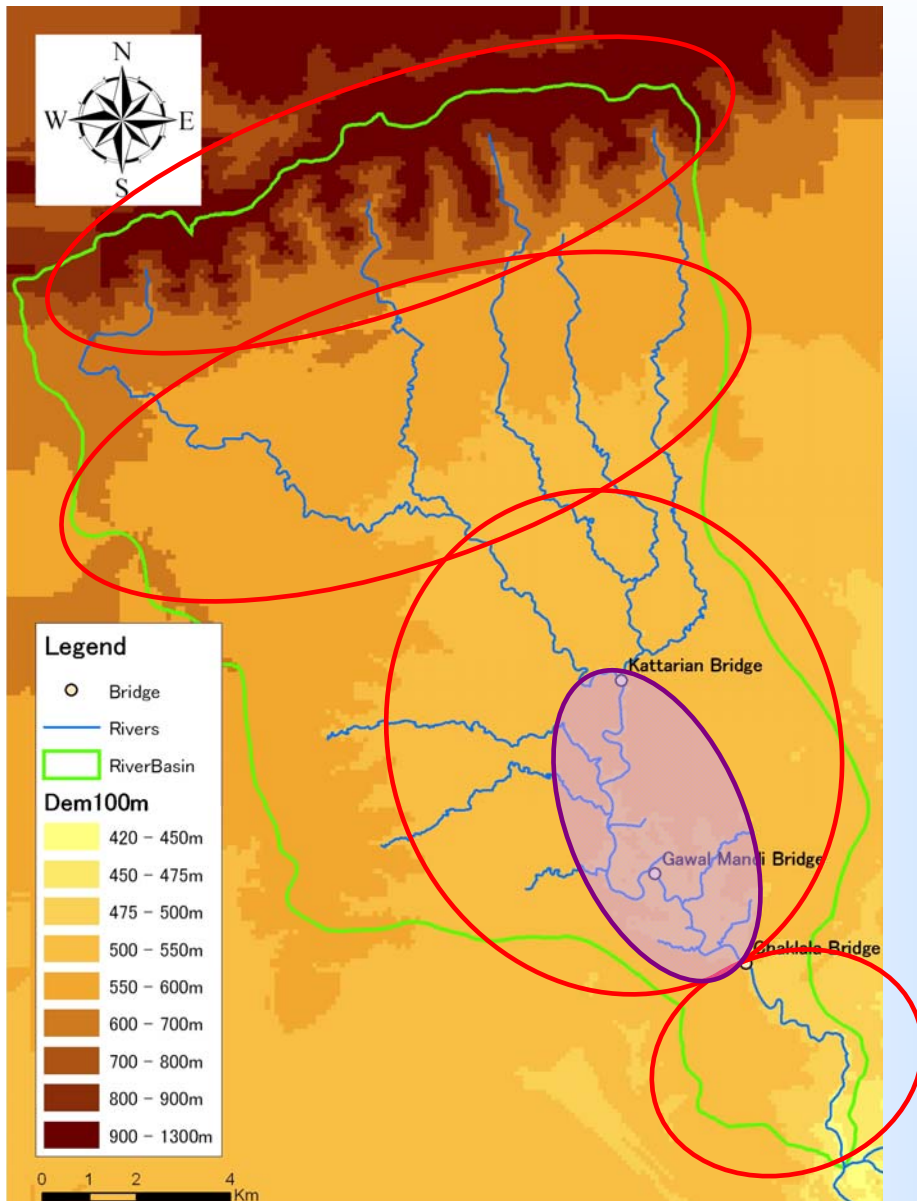
Land Use		Present (2001)		2012		2030	
		(km ²)	(%)	(km ²)	(%)	(km ²)	(%)
Built-up Area	Densely Populated	31.2	13.3	35.2	15	38.8	16.5
	Moderately Populated	53.3	22.7	68.6	29.2	95.2	40.5
	Suburbs	6.1	2.6	5.6	2.4	2.3	1
	Sub-total	90.6	38.6	109.4	46.6	136.3	58.0
Non Built-up Area	Agricultural Area	33.4	14.2	29.1	12.4	11.4	4.9
	Forest	34.9	14.8	32.3	13.8	32	13.6
	Green and Bare Land	74.3	31.6	62.4	26.6	53.5	22.8
	Water Body	1.6	0.7	1.6	0.7	1.6	0.7
	Sub-total	144.2	61.3	125.4	53.5	98.5	42.0
Basin Total		234.8	100	234.8	100	234.8	100

The built-up area will increase in the future, while agriculture, bare land and forest area decrease as the population growth.

Land Use Map in 2001

Lai Nullah Basin Area

Geographical Condition



(1) The Margalla range stands behind Islamabad city area and forms the north boundary of the Lai Nullah basin.

(2) The foot of the range expands over the built-up area of Islamabad city with a gradual slope from North to South.

(3) The alluvium plain is developed from Islamabad to the upper part of the Rawalpindi area above Chaklala Bridge

(4) The valley area forms a definite steep valley with several cascades.

Lai Nullah Basin Area

River Features

Upstream from Kattarian Bridge

Major three tributaries

- Bedarawali Kas
- Tenawali Kas
- Saidpur Kas

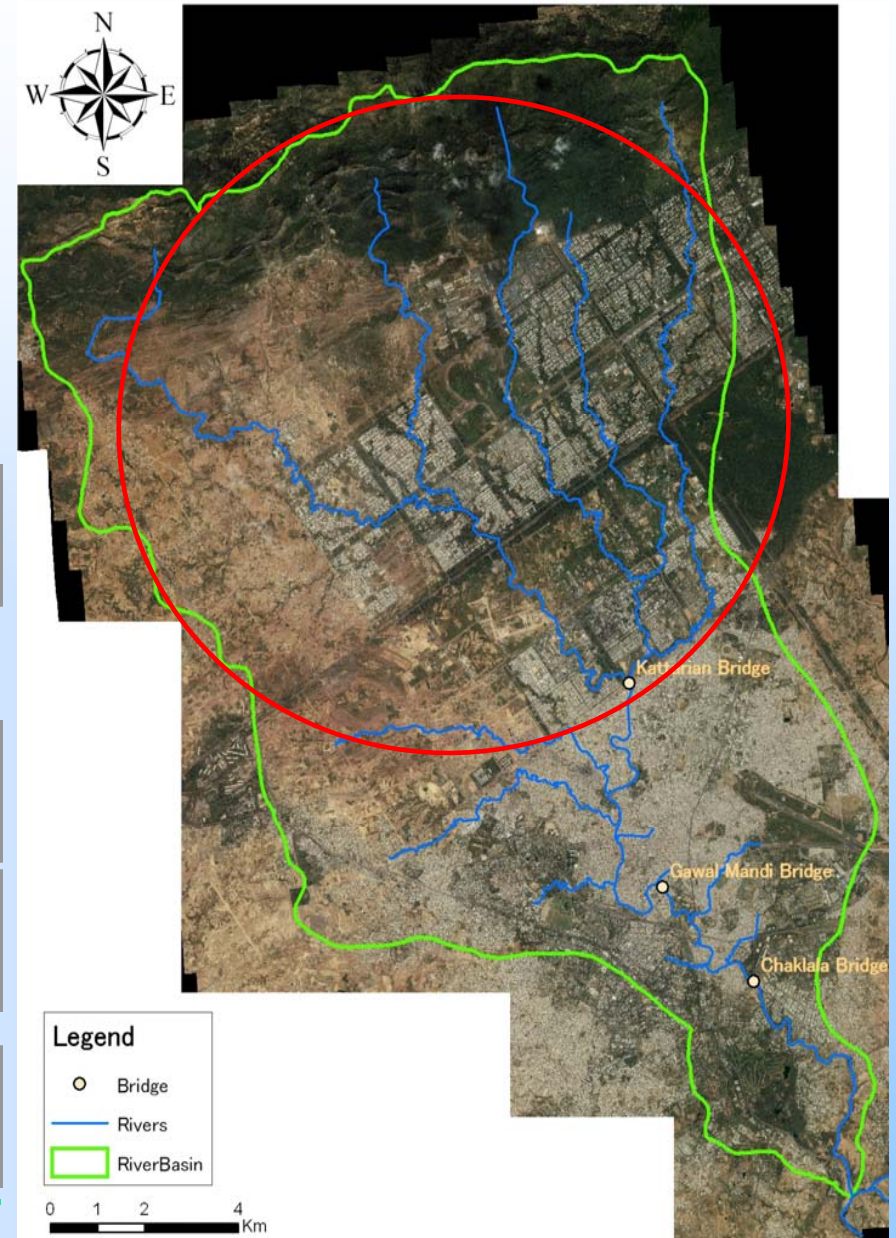
Rather spacious cross-section with less meandering alignment

Channel bed-slope : more than 1/500

The upper stretches of the tributaries have never caused any serious flood overflow.

The lower stretches of the tributaries is under influence of backwater of Lai Nullah.

Extensive flood inundation occurred in Block I-8 and 9 of Islamabad in 2001.



Lai Nullah Basin Area

River Features

Middle Stream between Kattarian Bri. to Chaklala Bri.

Lai Nullah passes through the Rawalpindi Area.

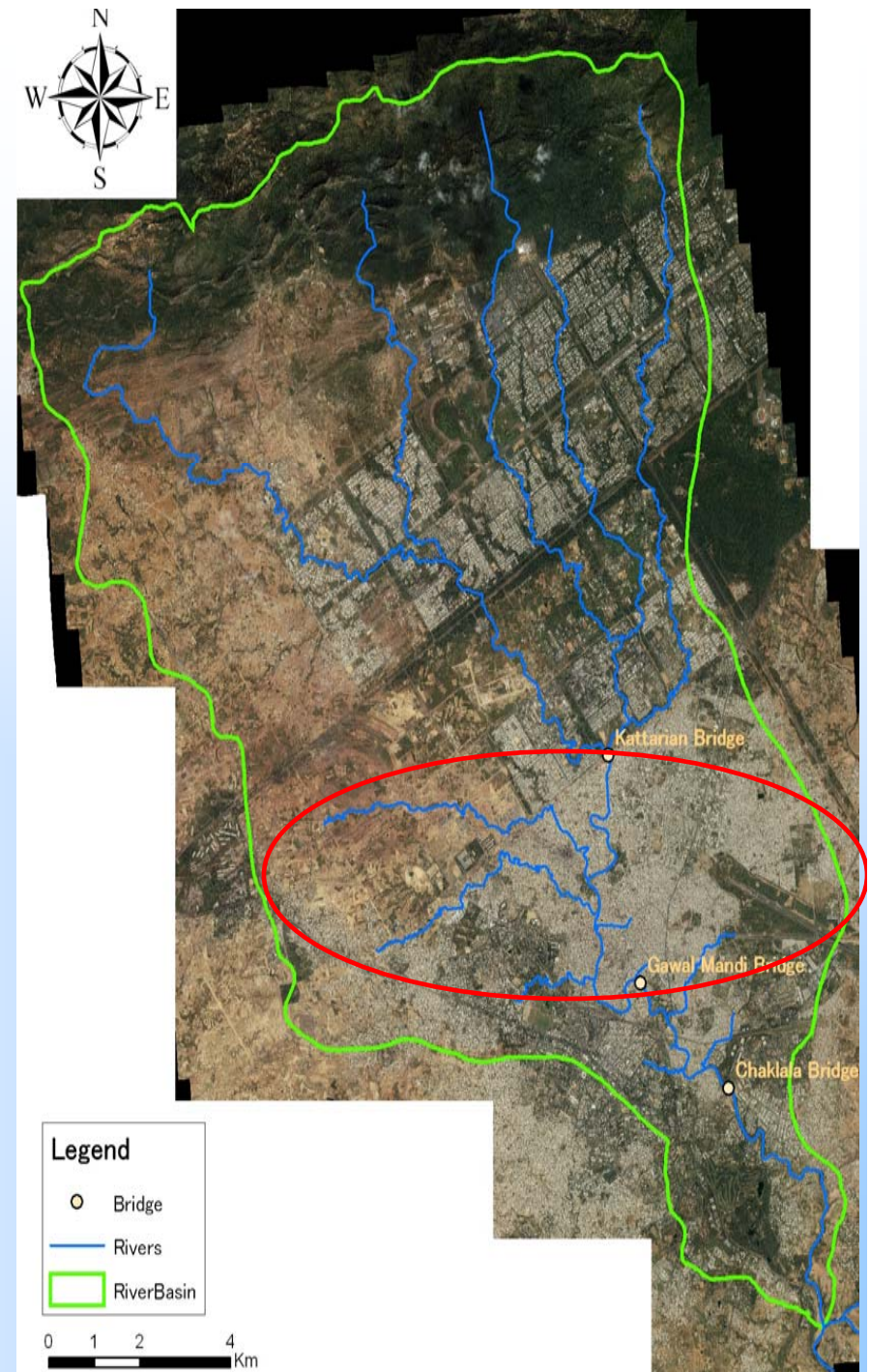
The area is on the flat alluvium plain with several meandering portions

Channel bed-slope : 1/1,250

The stretch has frequently caused the flood overflow.

Channel flow capacity increased less than $300\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ to more than $600\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ by ADB project.

Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department



Lai Nullah Basin Area

River Features

Middle Stream from Chaklala Bri. to Waterfall

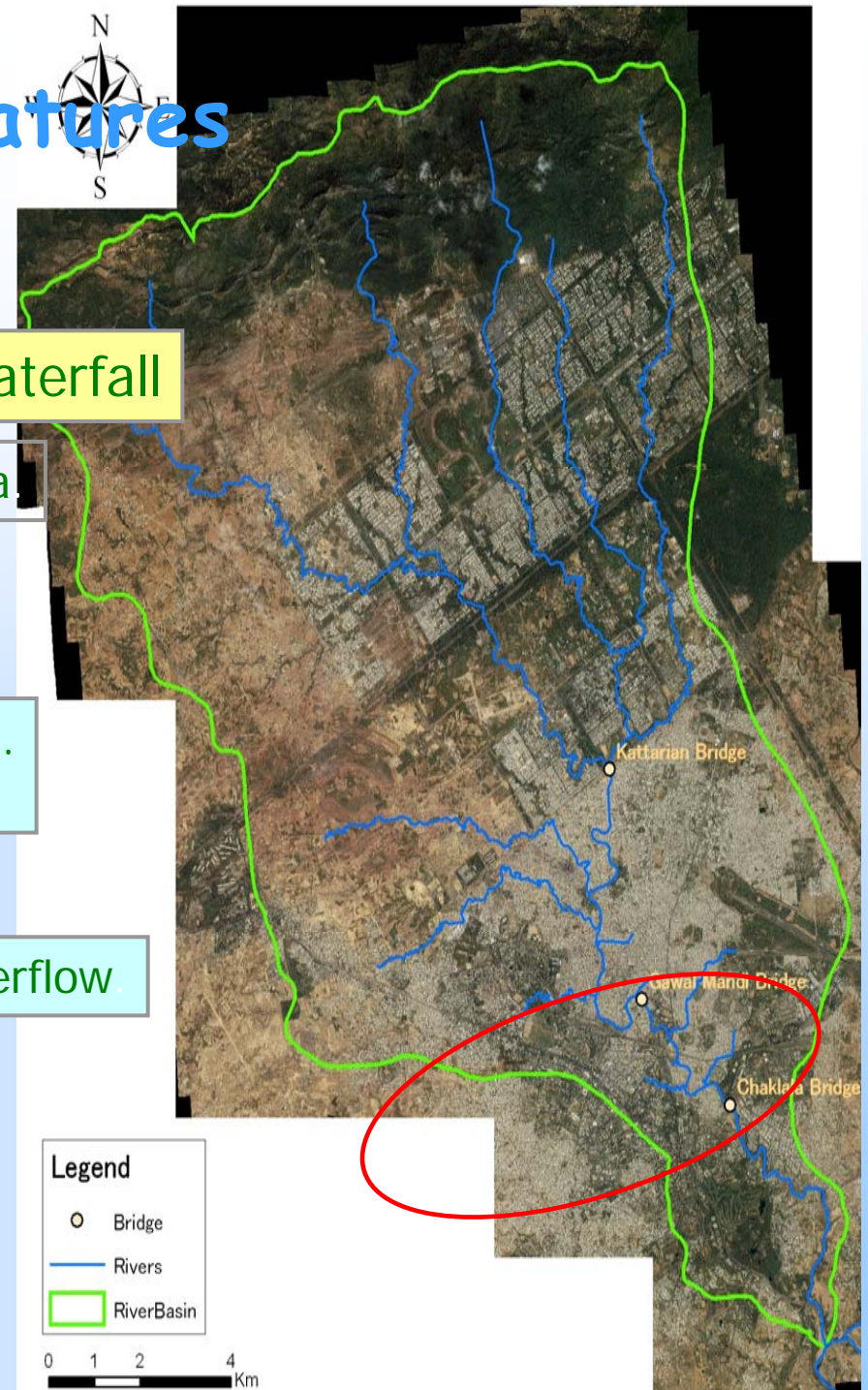
Lai Nullah passes through the Cantonment Area

There was a heavily meandering section before.
(This section was improved by ADB project)

Channel bed-slope : 1/1,250

The stretch has frequently caused the flood overflow.

Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department



Lai Nullah Basin Area River Features

Downstream from Waterfall to
Confluence with Soan River

Lai Nullah passes less populated Area.

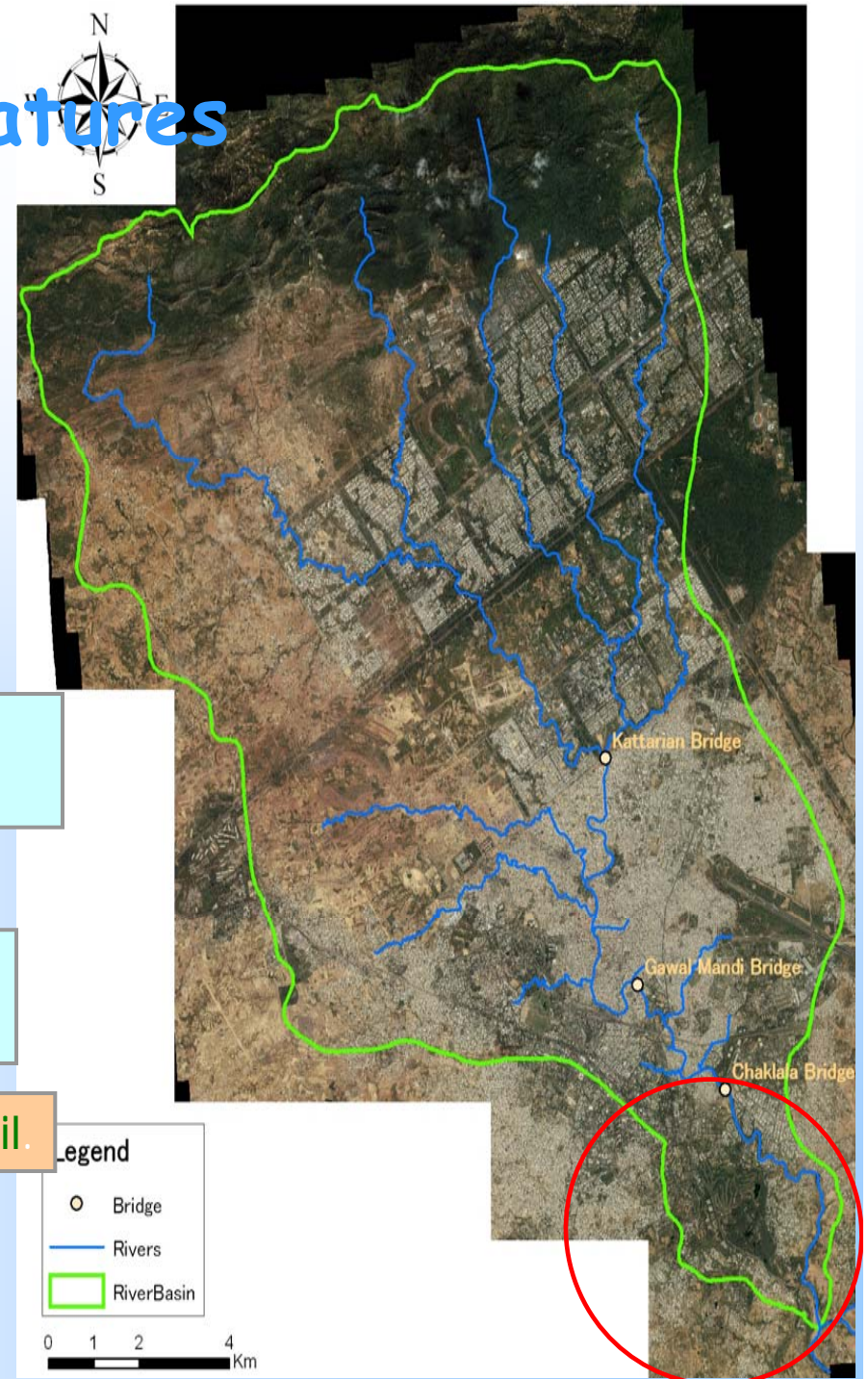
The Lai Nullah meets the first waterfall about
3,800m upstream from G.T. Road Bridge.

Channel bed-slope : 1/70

The section has the rather large channel width
and depth.

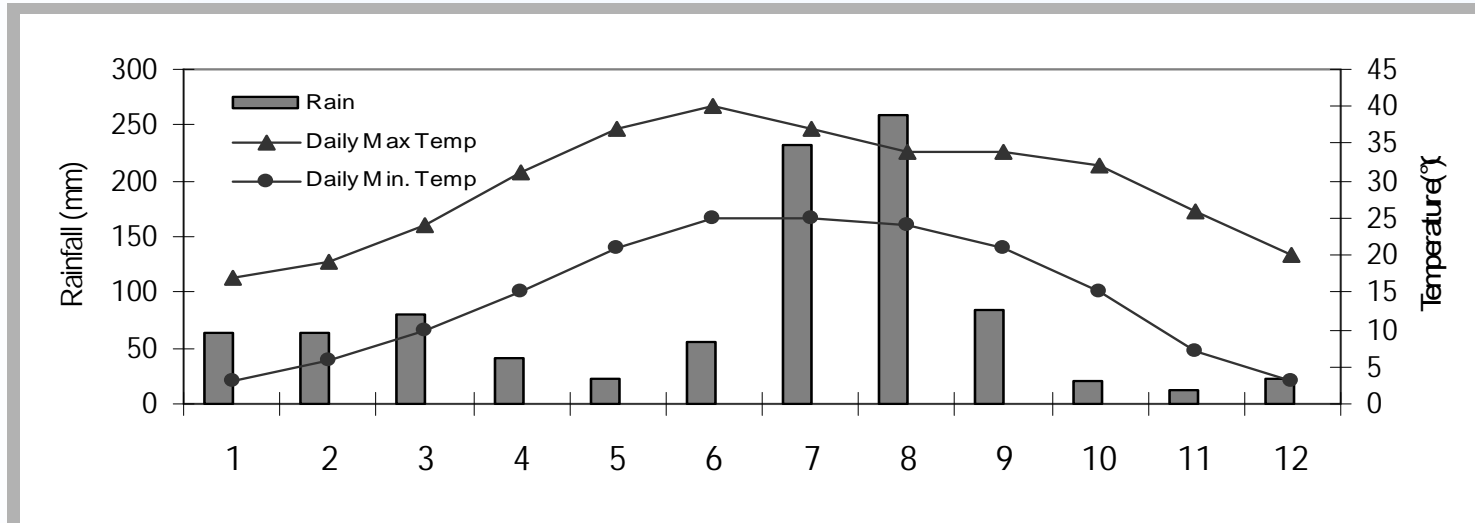
The flood damage along this stretch could be nil.

Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department



Lai Nullah Basin Area

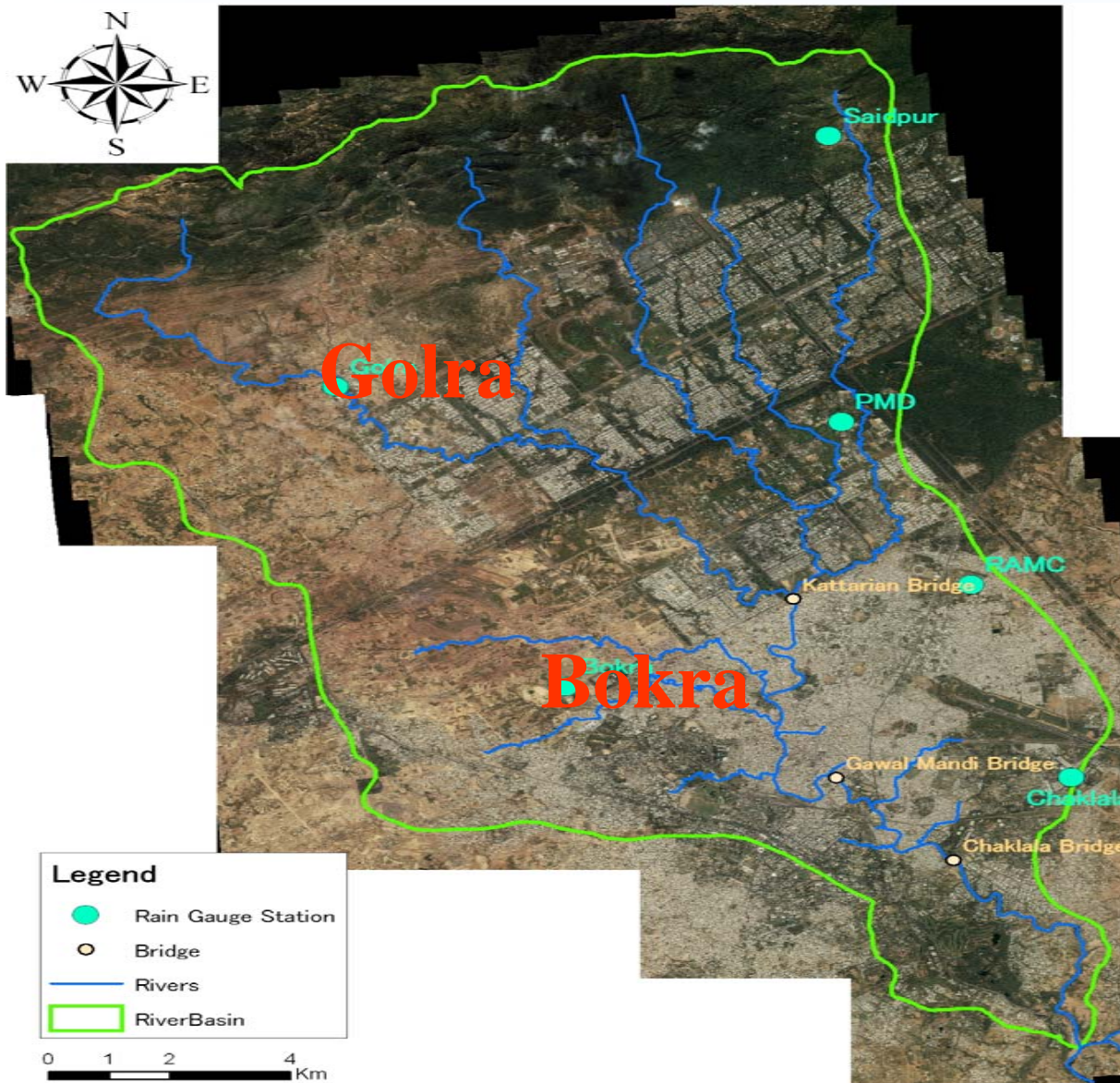
Climate



- Subtropical Triple Season Moderate Climate Zone
- Hot summer (40°C) and Cold winter (near 0°C)
- Rainy Season (July to September)
- Annual Rainfall is 1,000mm (rainy season is 600mm).
- Thunderstorm activity is higher in the monsoon season.

Lai Nullah Basin Area

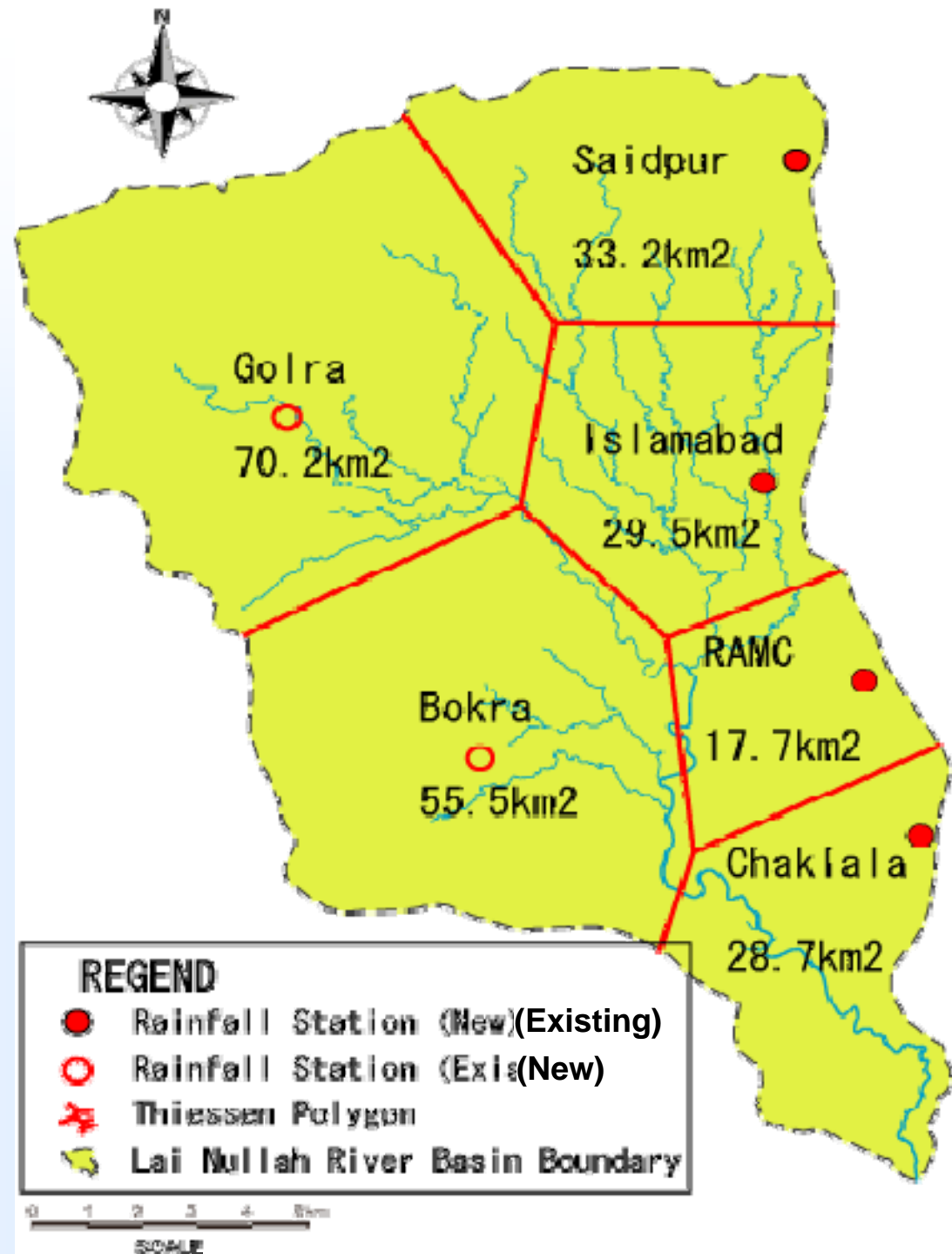
Rain Gauge Station



Existing
Saidpur
PMD (Islamabad)
RAMC
Chaklala

New
Golra
Bokra

Rainfall Observational Network



Lai Nullah Basin Area

Past Flood

Year	Date	Year	Date
1944	August 13	1985	No Data
1957	No Data	1988	No Data
1966	July 31	1890	No Data
1970	No Data	1994	July 3
1972	No Data	1995	July 24
1976	No Data	1996	July 29
1977	No Data	1997	August 27
1978	No Data	2001	July 23
1981	No Data	2002	August 13
1982	August 10	N/a	N/a

19 years at least in 59 year



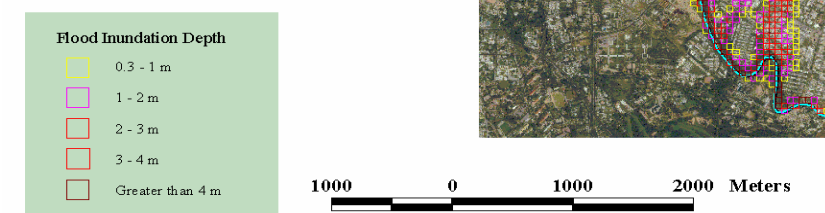
Once in every 3 years

Recorded flood mark at Gawal Mandi Bridge by TMA

Year	Maximum Water Level		Discharge (m ³ /s)
	(ft)	(m)	
1966	25	494.02	450
1970	30	495.54	700
1972	26	494.32	500
1976	25	494.02	450
1977	30	495.54	700
1978	25	494.02	450
1981	29	495.24	650
1982	32	496.15	850
1994	31	495.85	770
1995	26	494.32	500
1996	20	492.50	270
2001	41	498.90	2,870*
2002	22	493.10	320

Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department

the 2001 Flood



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The Main Cause of the Inundation of 2001 flood

Illegal Residents in river zone



Responsible and Implementing Agencies of the Project

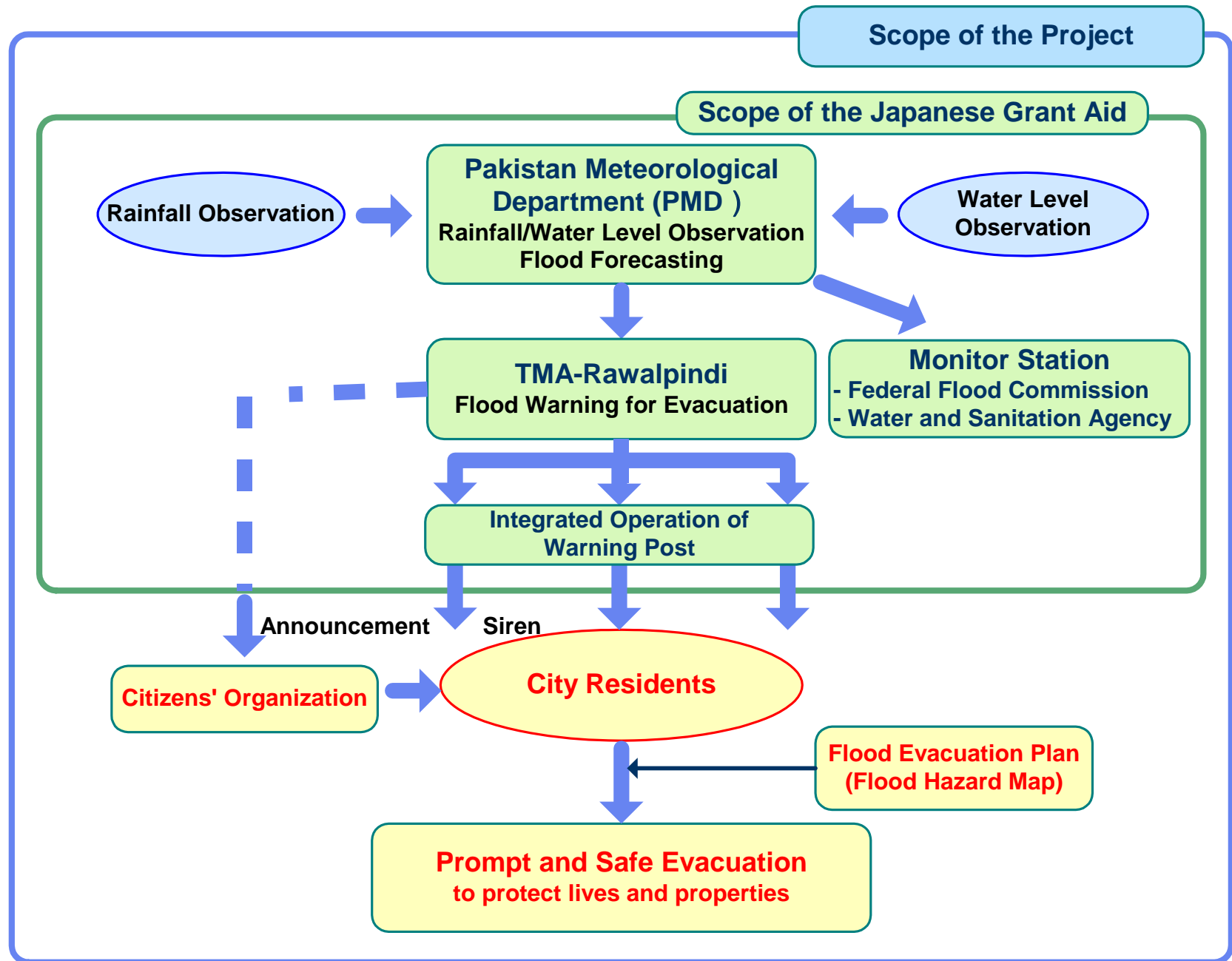
(1) Agency Responsible for the Project

- FFC is the agency, overall responsible for the Project.

(2) Implementing Agency for the Project

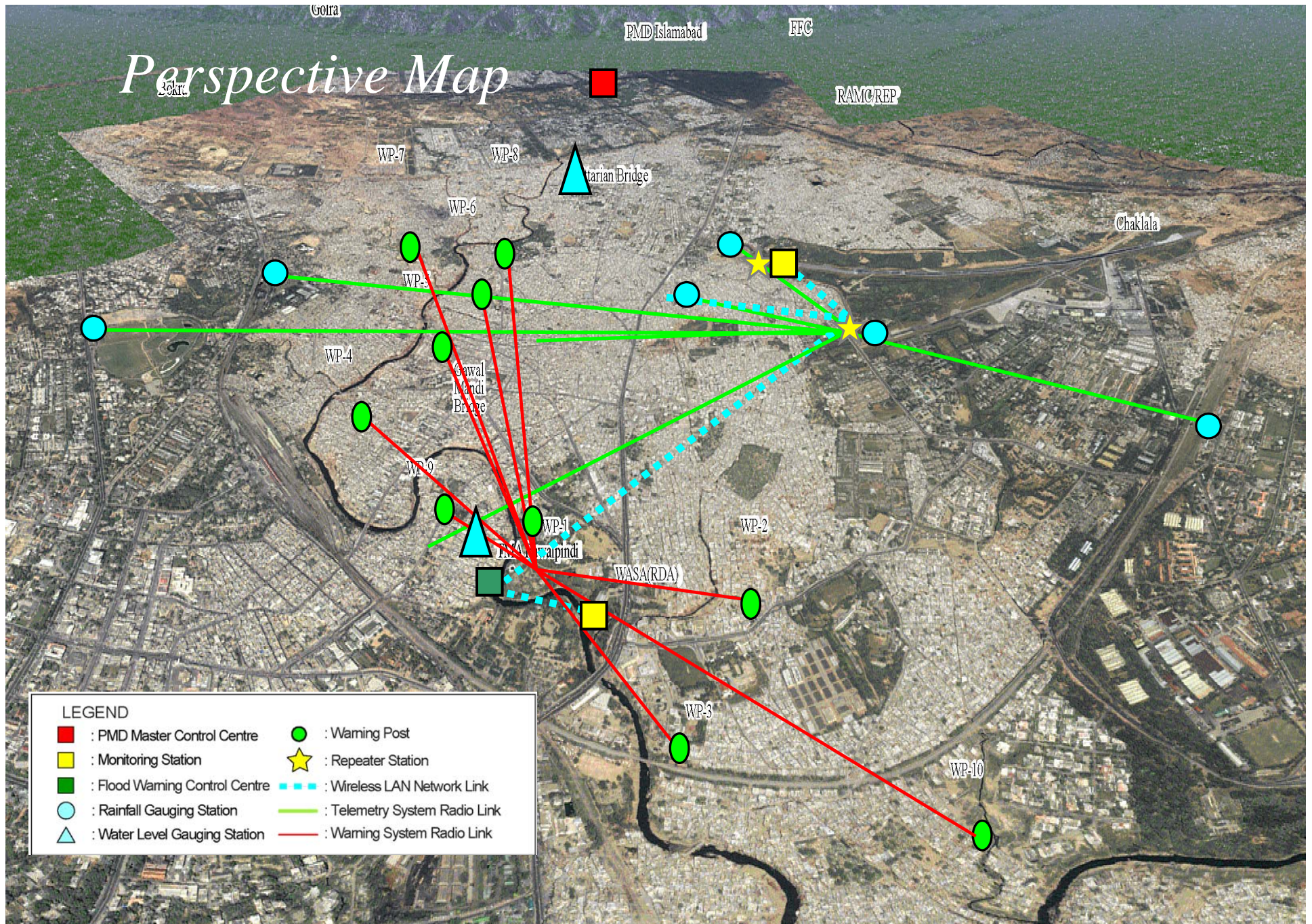
- PMD is the implementing agency for issuance of flood related information.
- TMA of Rawalpindi is the implementing agency for issuance of flood warning through blow of siren.

Scope of the Project



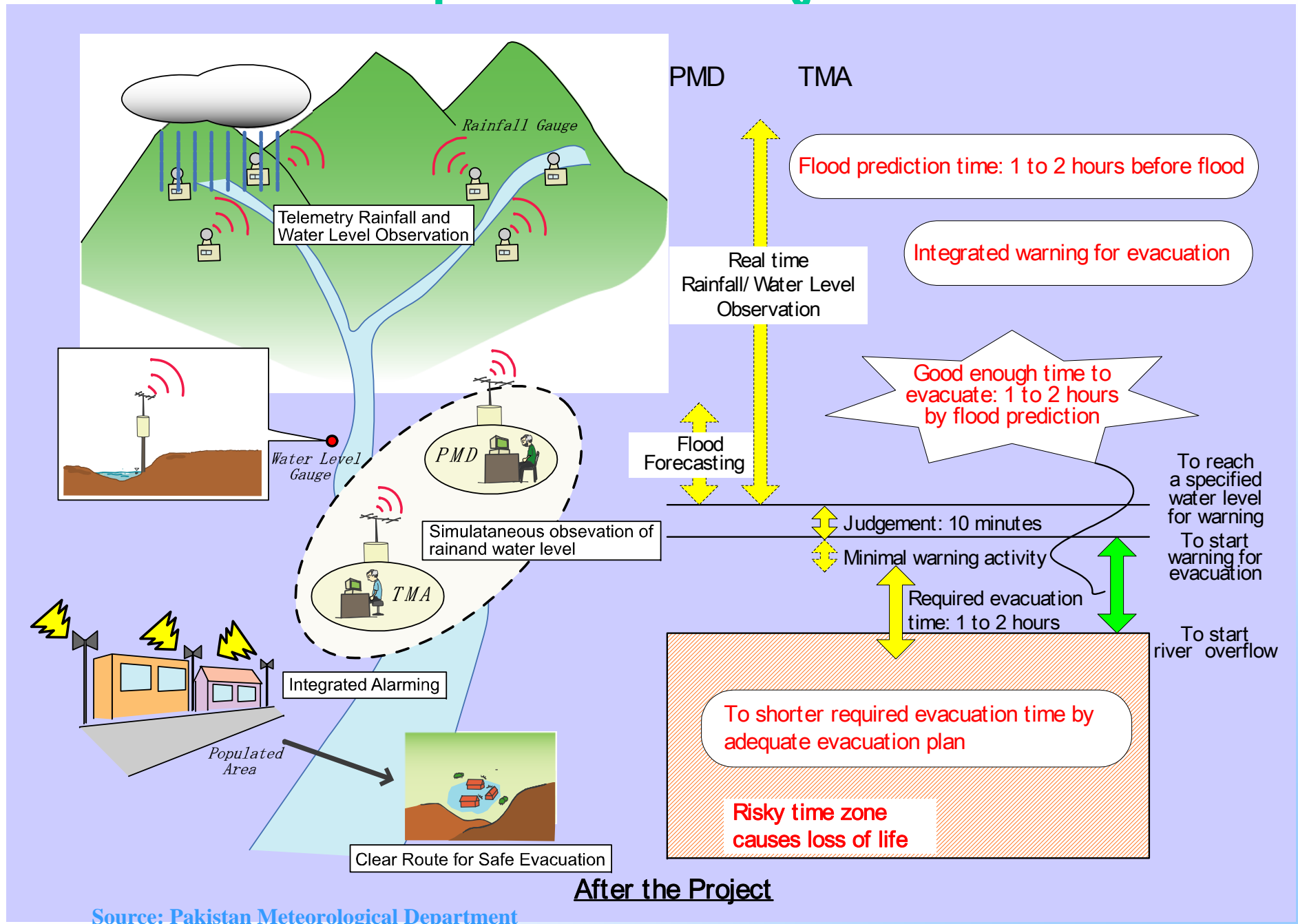
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Station	Function	Organization in charge
1. Master Control Center		
PMD, Islamabad	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Flood forecasting data collection• Data processing• Dissemination of flood information to related agencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PMD
2. Rainfall Gauging Station		
2.1 PMD, Islamabad, Saidpur, Gorla, Gorla,Bokla,RAMC, Chaklala	Automatic rainfall data observation (Telemetry subsystem)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PMD
3. Water Level Gauging Station		
3.1 Kattarian Bridge	Automatic water level data observation (Telemetry subsystem)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PMD
3.2 Gawal Mandi Bridge		
4. Repeater Station		
4.1 RAMC Telemetry Repeater	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repeater function for telemetry	PMD
4.2 RAMC Wireless LAN Repeater	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repeater function for wireless LAN	
5. Monitoring Station		
5.1 FFC	Flood information monitoring (Data transmission subsystem)	FFC
5.2 WASA	Flood information monitoring (Data transmission subsystem)	WASA
6. Flood warning control centre		
TMA Rawalpindi: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Warning Control & Supervision- Flood Information Monitoring	Control and supervision of warning system	CDG/TMA
	Flood information monitoring (Data transmission subsystem)	
7. Flood Warning Post		
7.1 WP-1: TMA Rawalpindi	Flood evacuation warning by motor siren and loudspeaker	TMA



Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department

Output of the Project



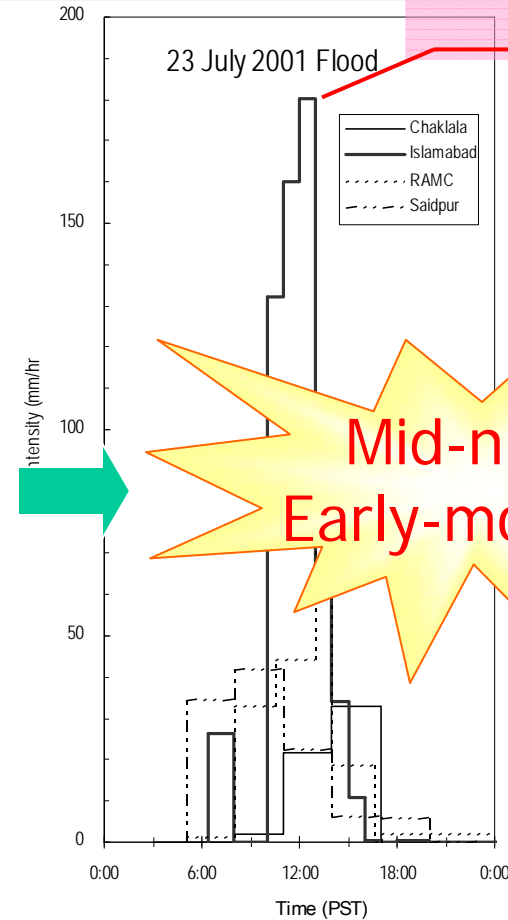
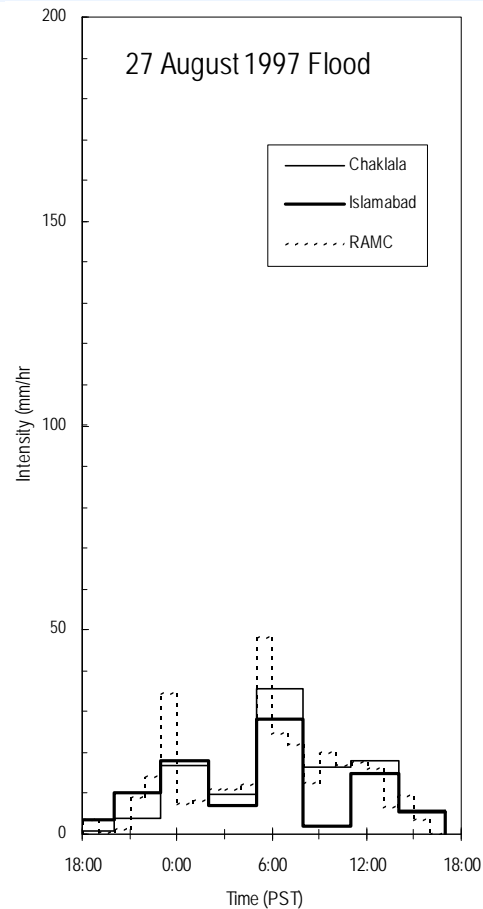
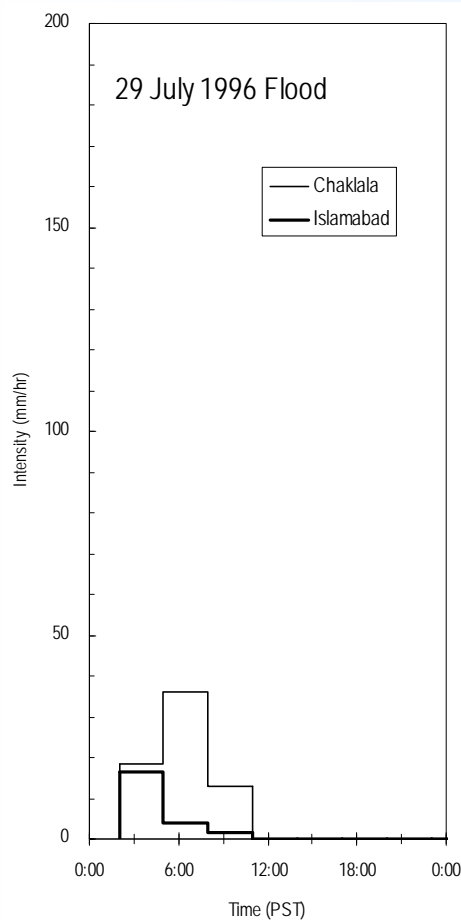
Forecasting a Flood

Using Mike 11

“When does it rain?” is important information for FFWS and evacuation.

- Morning?
- Daytime?
- Night time?

Distribution in Time



Maximum Record
in Pakistan

Mid-night
Early-morning

click

Simulation Model

Objectives of the simulation analyses

- ◆ To clarify the flood inundation mechanism in the Lai Nullah Basin
- ◆ To determine the basic hydrological parameters for designing countermeasures, such as design discharge and design water level
- ◆ To examine effects of conceivable countermeasures.

Flow of Flood Simulation

Runoff Calculation from Sub-basins
(SCS Unit-hydrograph method)
(MIKE11)



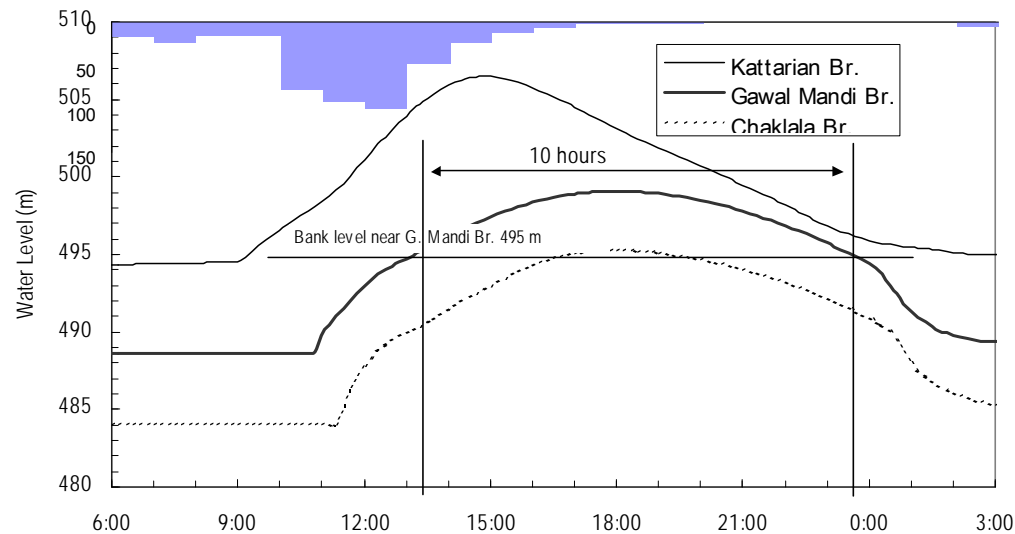
Flood Routing
(Dynamic one-dimensional model)
(MIKE11)



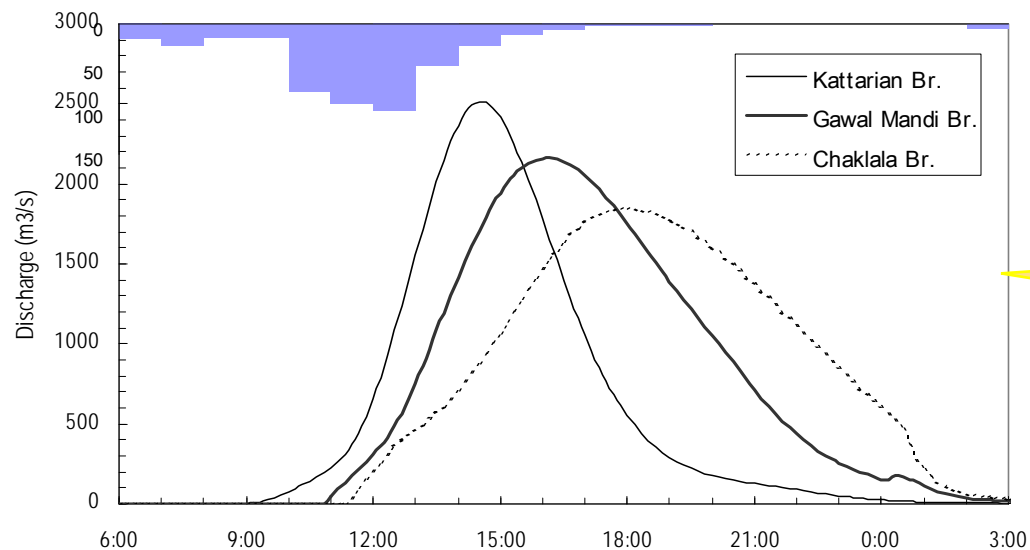
Flood Mapping
(MIKE11 GIS)

Runoff Characteristics

Water Level Hydrograph (2001/7/23)



Discharge Hydrograph (2001/7/23)



Peak Rainfall :13:00

Peak water level

Kattarian Br. :15:00

Gawal Mandi Br. :18:00

Peak Discharge

Kattarian Br. :14:30

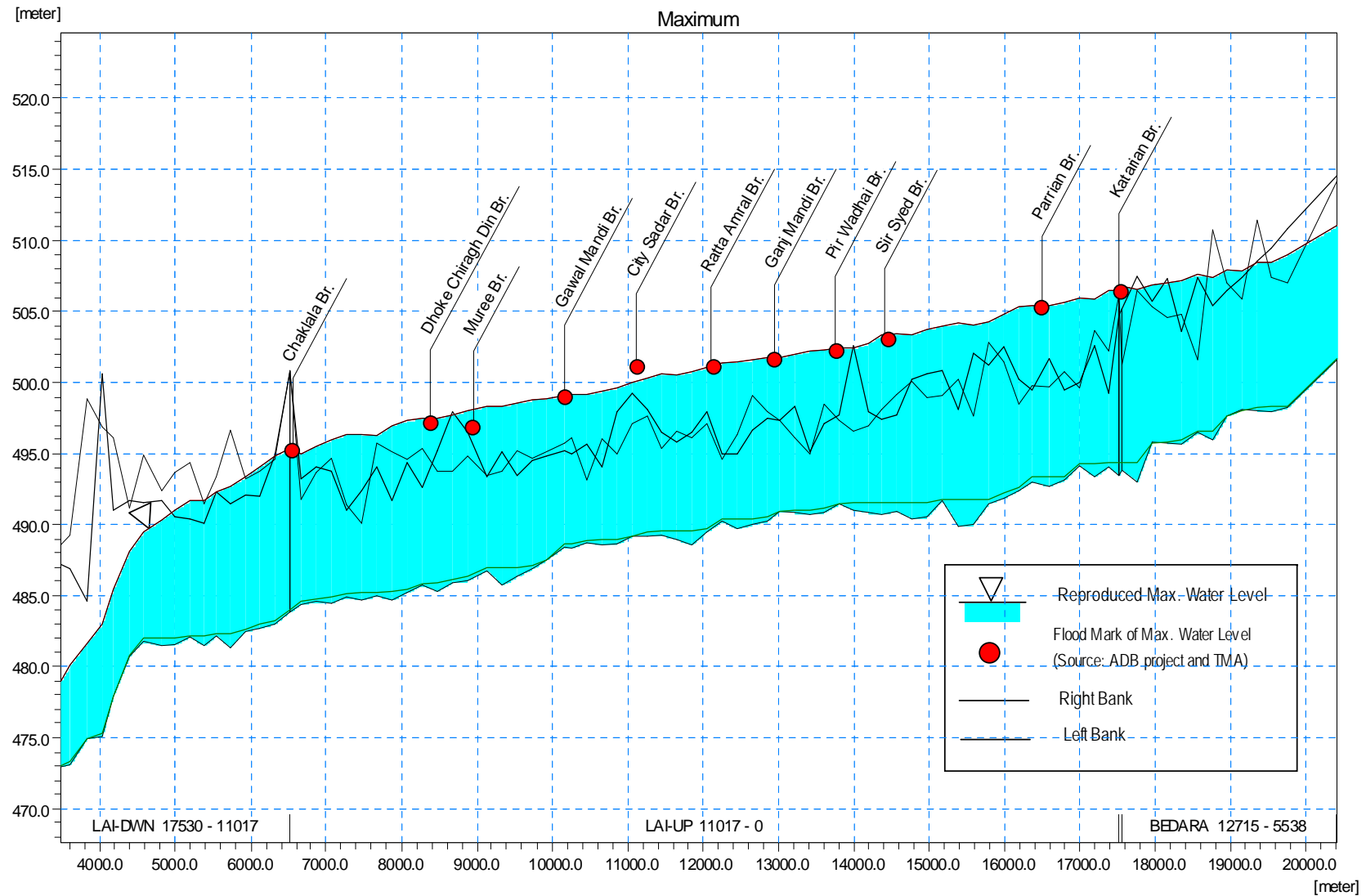
Gawal Mandi Br. :16:00



The flood came in a flash!!!

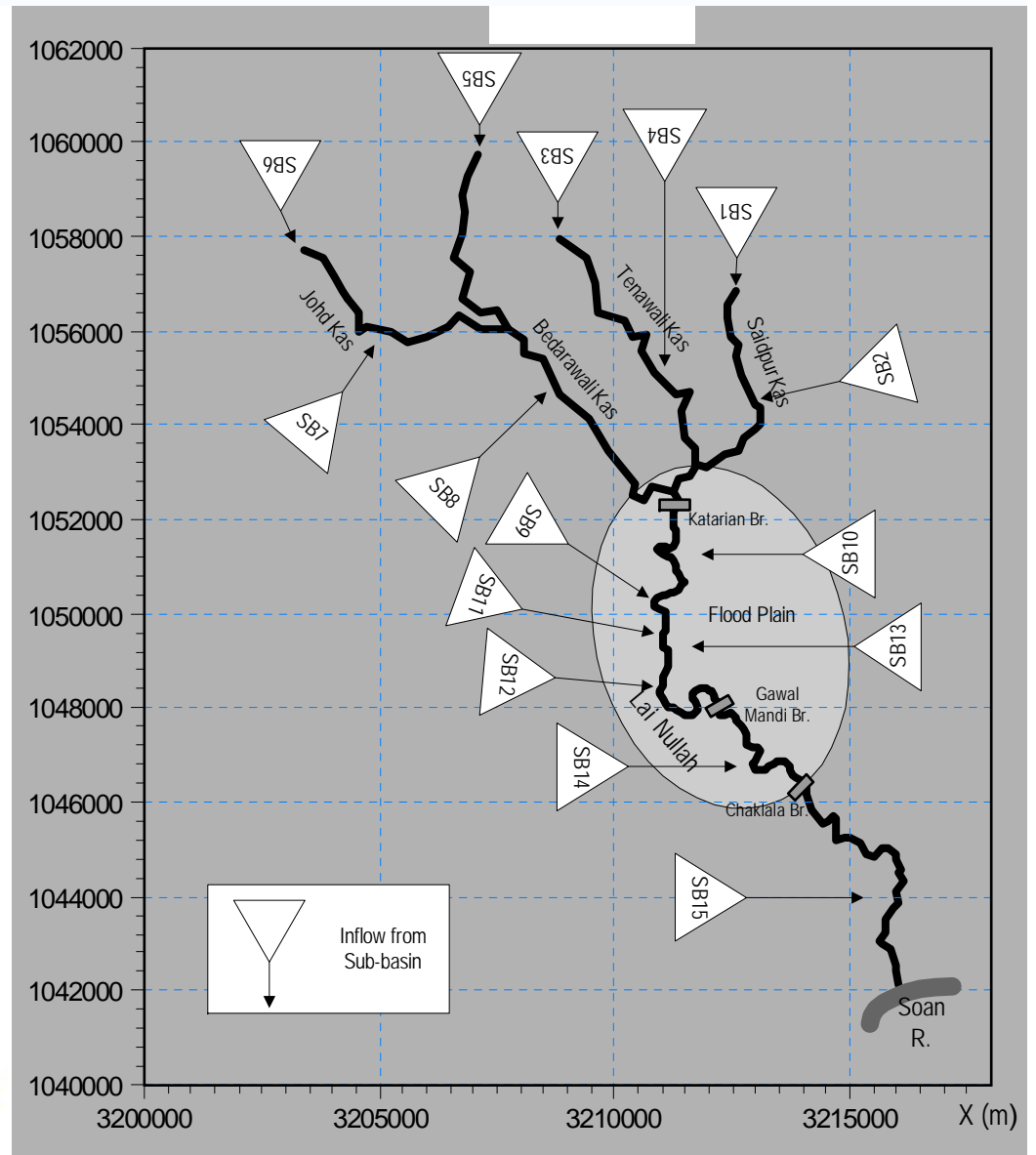
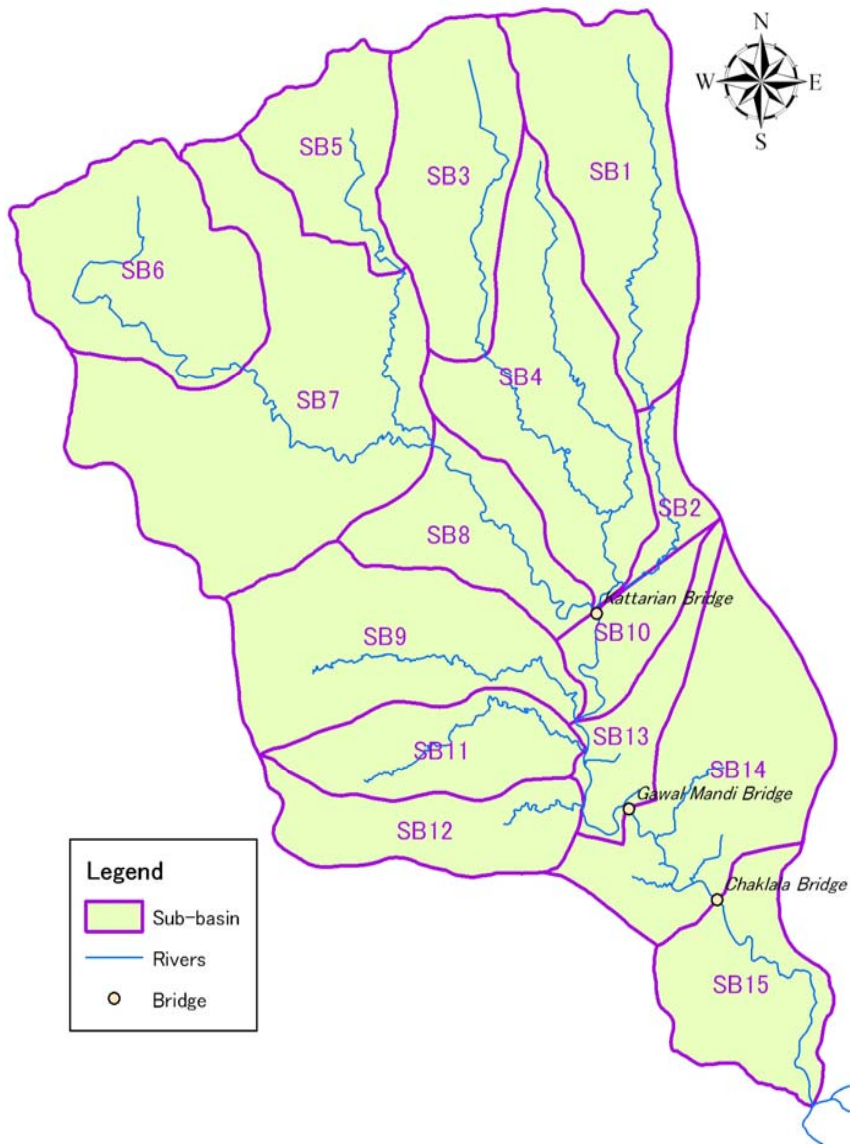
The peak difference between rainfall and discharge is only 2 hours.

Runoff Characteristics



Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department

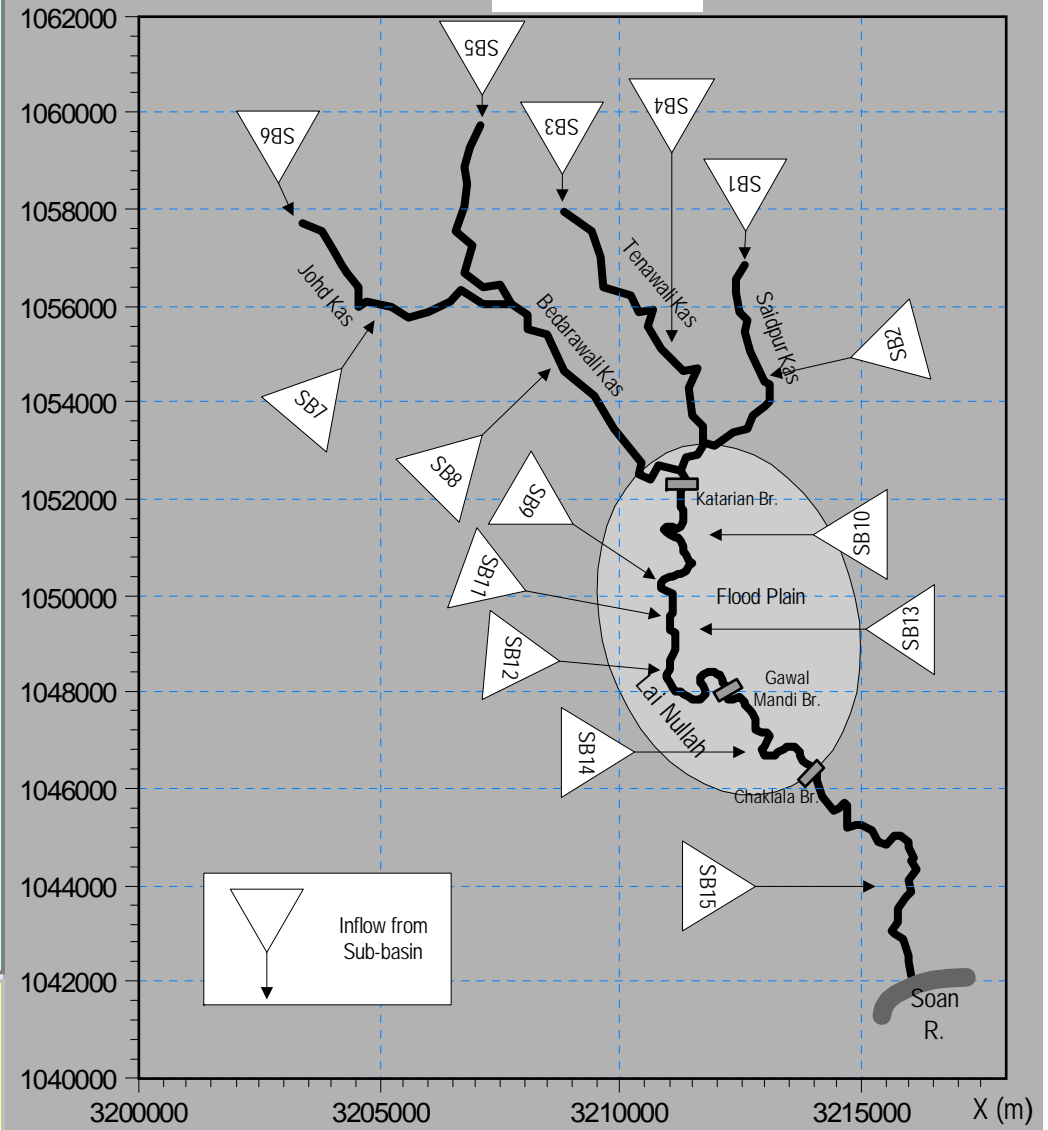
Simulation Model Set-up



Simulation Model Set-up

- ◆ A unit-hydrograph method based on the SCS Curve Number was selected to estimate runoff discharge from 15 sub-basins.
- ◆ The estimated runoff discharges were further used as inflow data to river network for the flood routing.
- ◆ The main river, Lai Nullah, and four major tributaries, Saidpur Kas, Tenawali Kas, Bedarawali Kas and Johd Kas were considered.

Runoff is estimated by **SCS Unit-hydrograph Method**



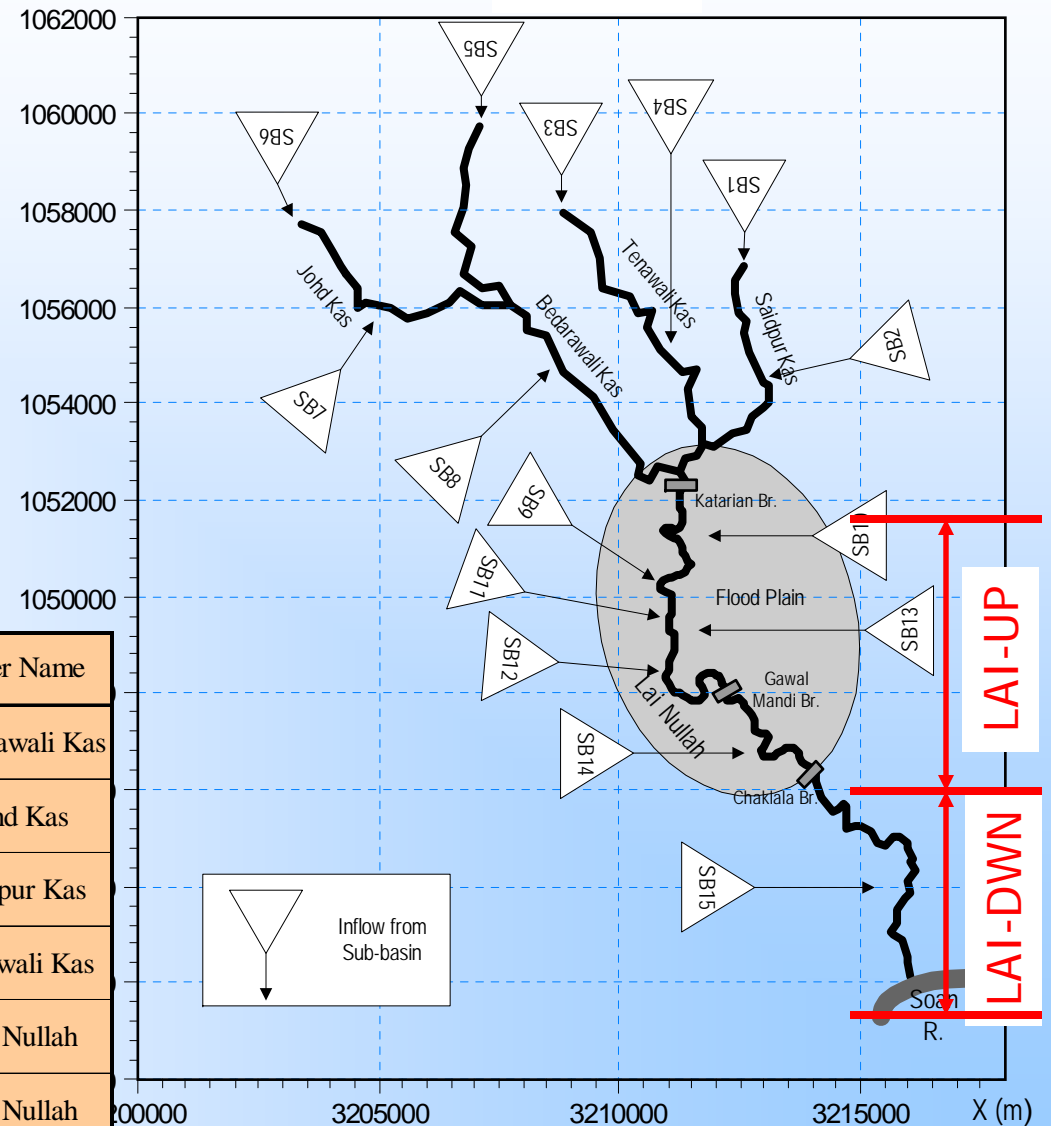
Flood Routing Network Data

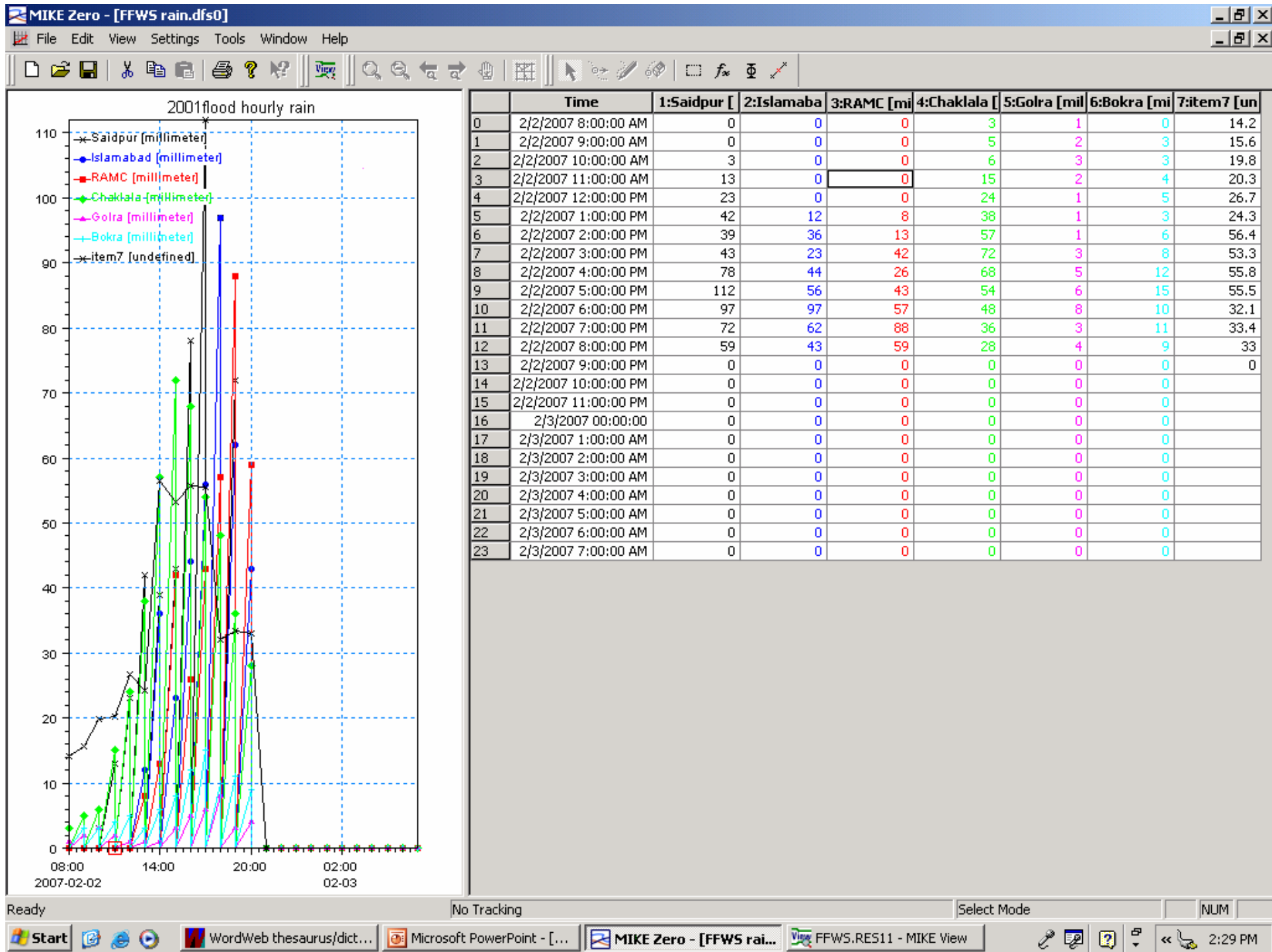
The flood routing is made along the river network consisting of the five rivers.

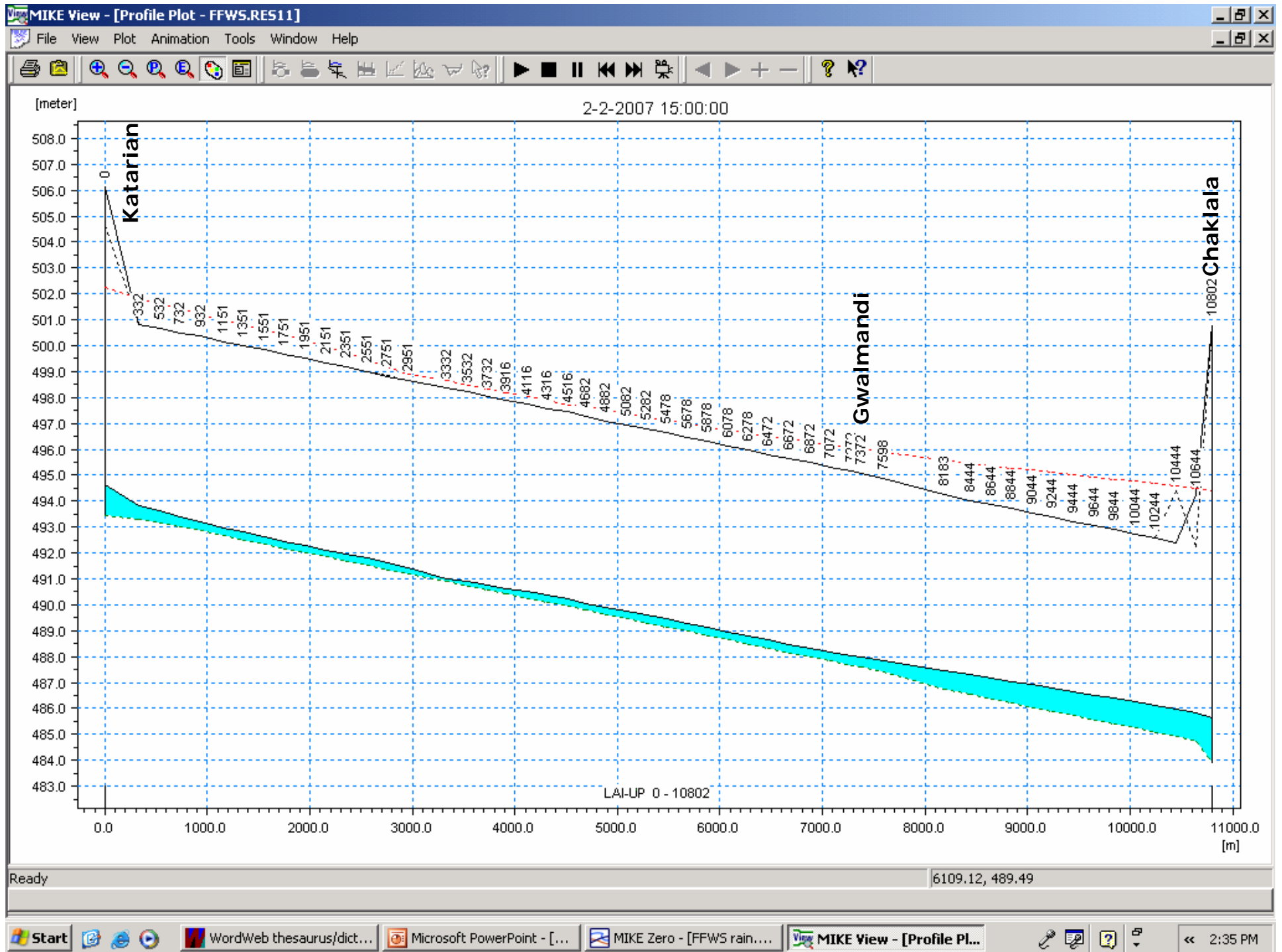
River	Stretch	Length (km)
Lai Nullah	Kattarian Br. to Soan River	17.5
Saidpur Kas	Zero Point to Tenawali Kas	5.8
Tenawali Kas	Jinnah Avenue to Bedarawali Kas	8.7
Bedarawali Kas	E-9 to Lai Nullah	12.7
Johd Kas	Golra Village to Bedarawali Kas	7.3

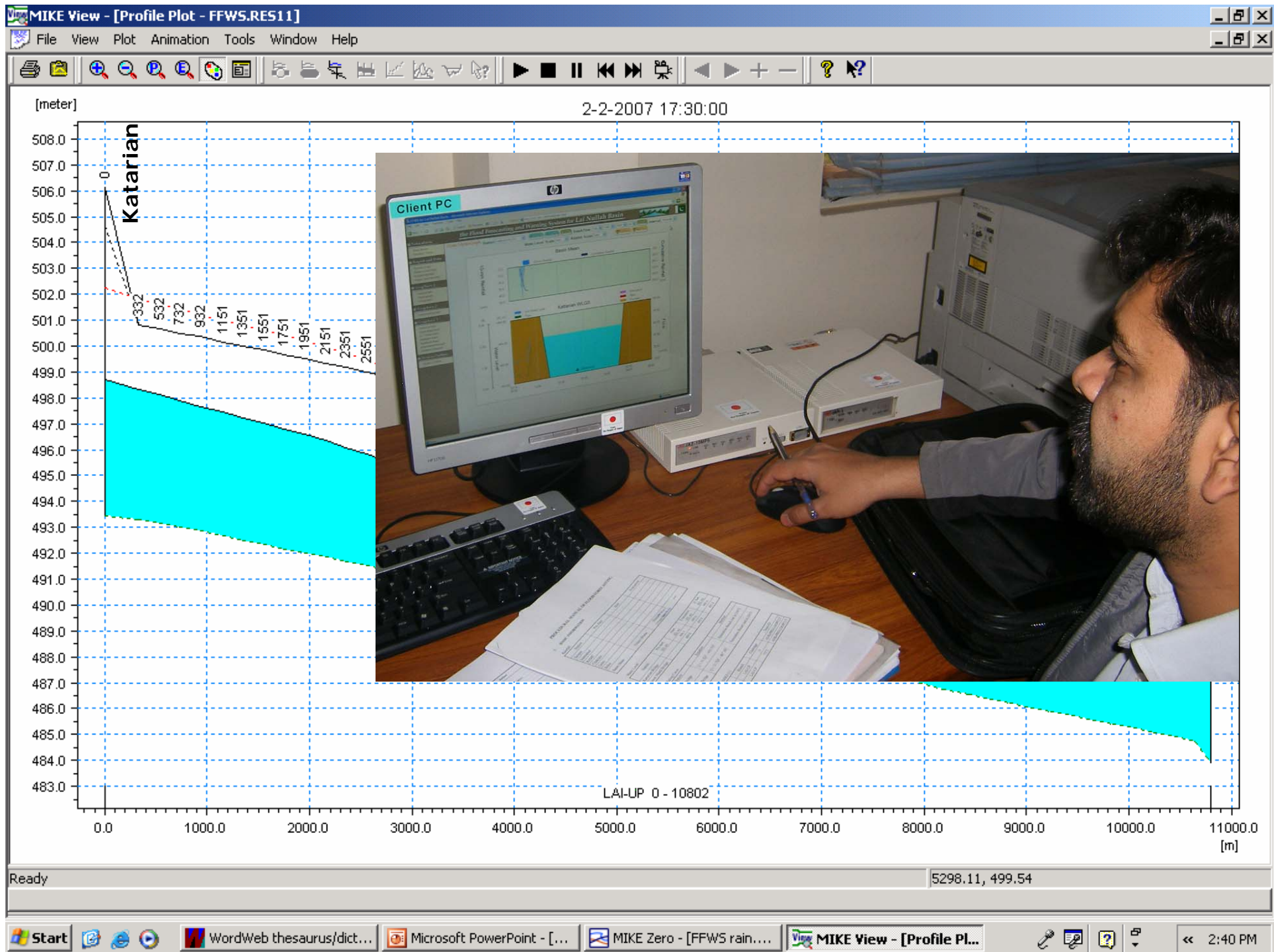
Branch Name	Topo-ID	Manning's Number	River Name
	(FFWS Model in 2007)	n	
BEDARA	JICA-2002	high water channel = 0.050 low water channel = 0.035	Bedarawali Kas
JOHD	JICA-2002	high water channel = 0.050 low water channel = 0.035	Johd Kas
SIDPUR	JICA-2002	high water channel = 0.050 low water channel = 0.035	Saidpur Kas
TENAWALI	JICA-2002	high water channel = 0.050 low water channel = 0.035	Tenawali Kas
LAI-UP	ADB-PRO-LOOPCUT	0.03	Lai Nullah
LAI-DWN	LOOPCUT(CHG)	high water channel = 0.050 low water channel = 0.035	Lai Nullah

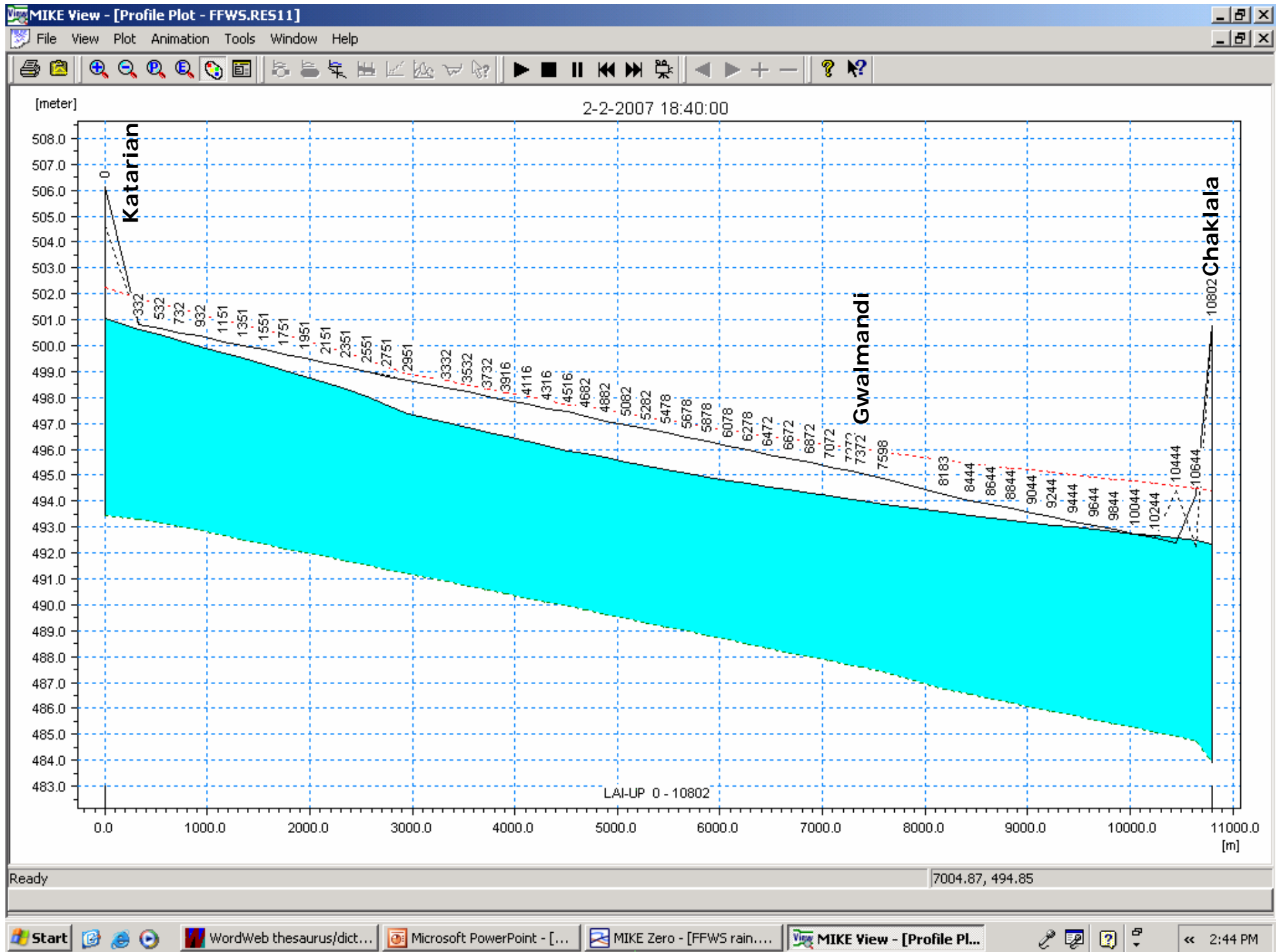
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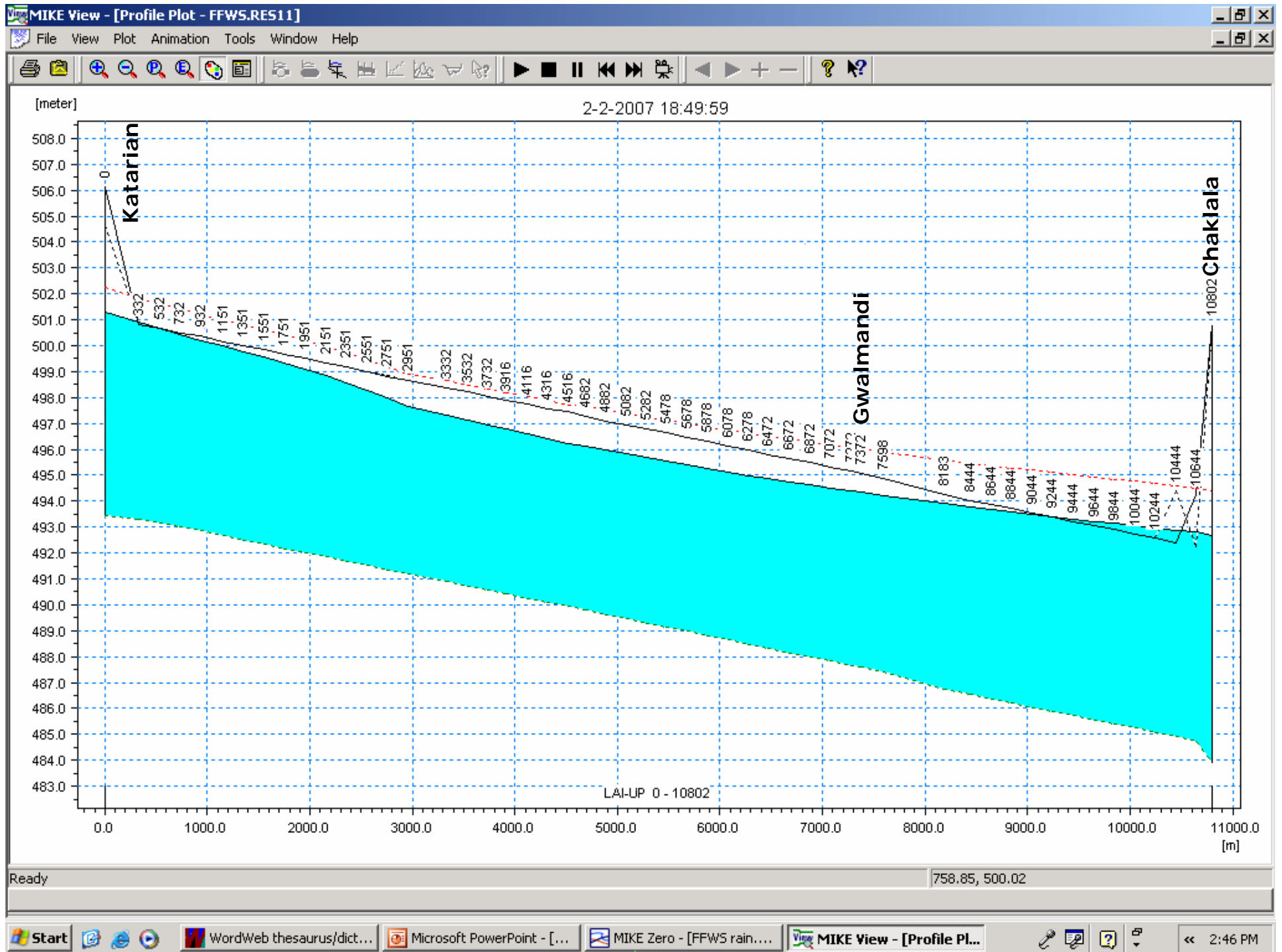


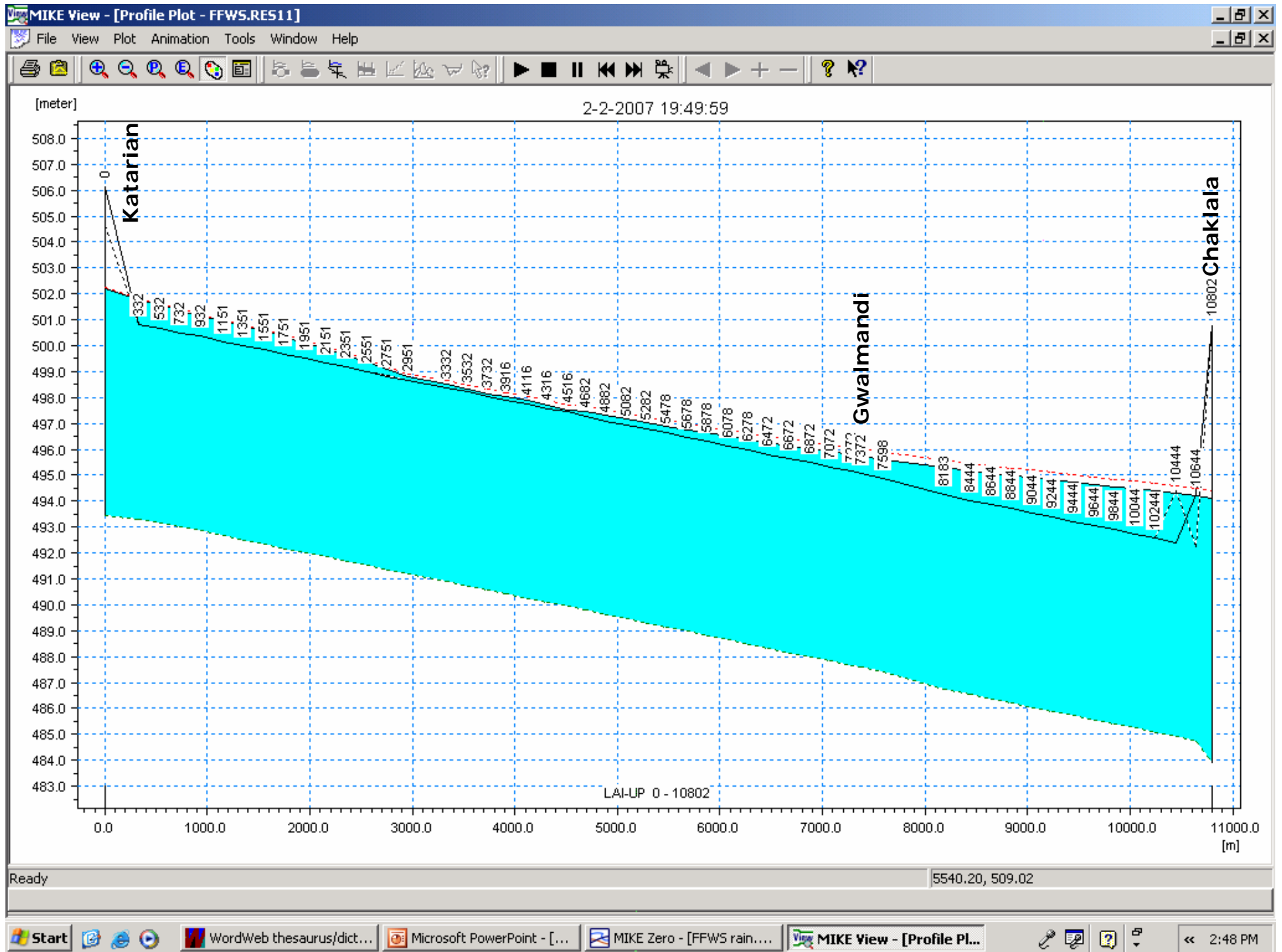






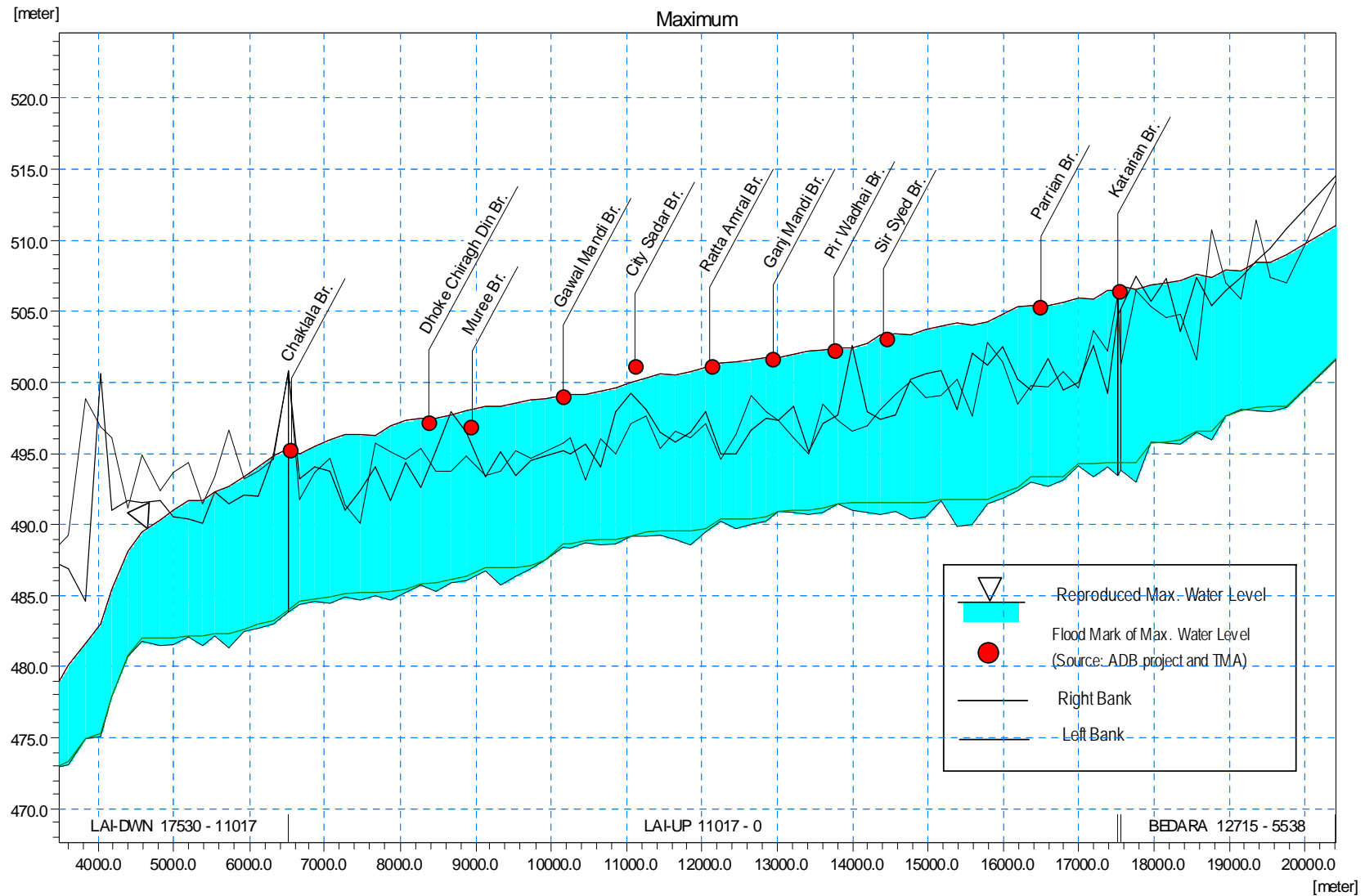




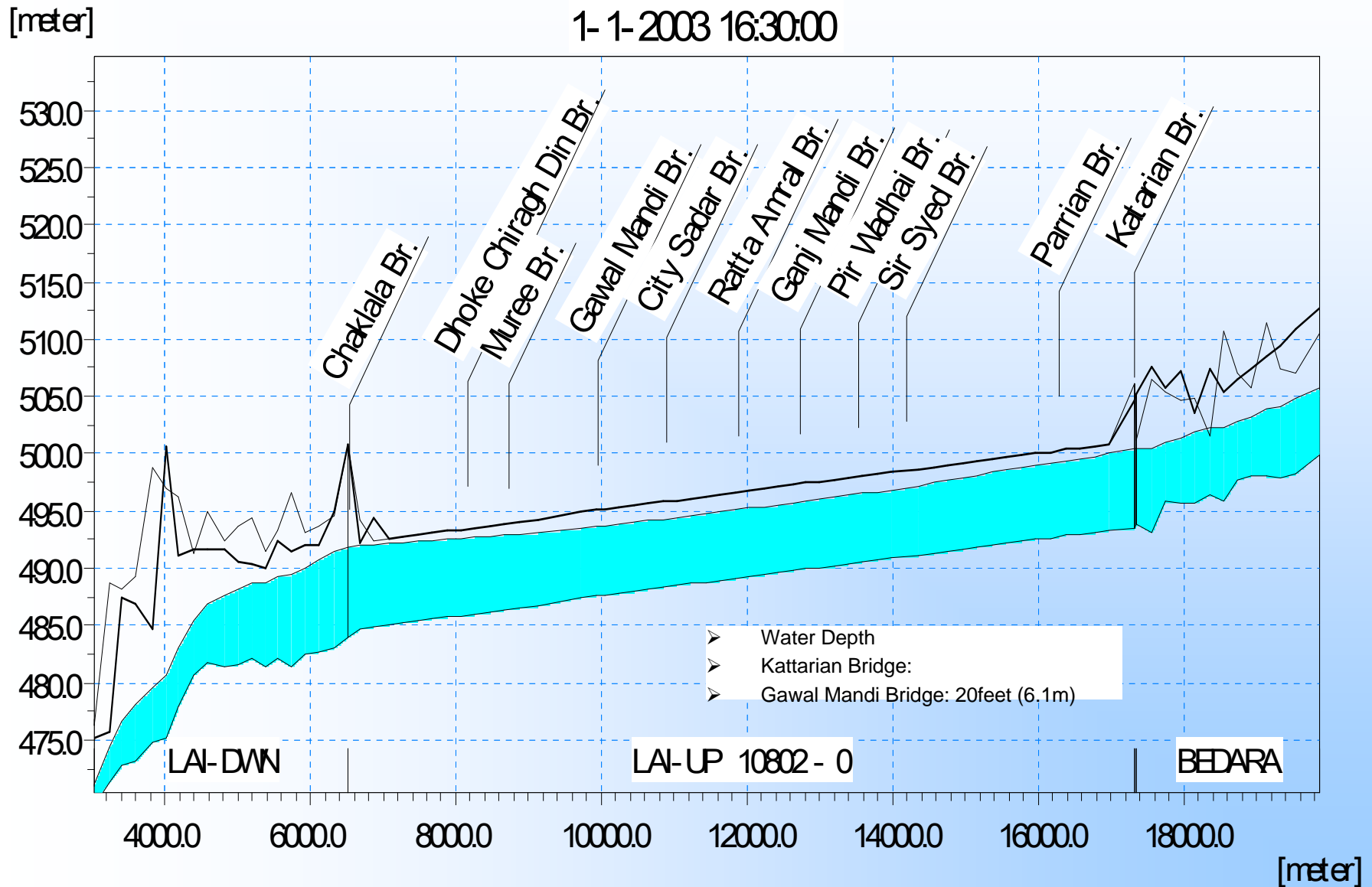


Flood Routing

Calculation Result



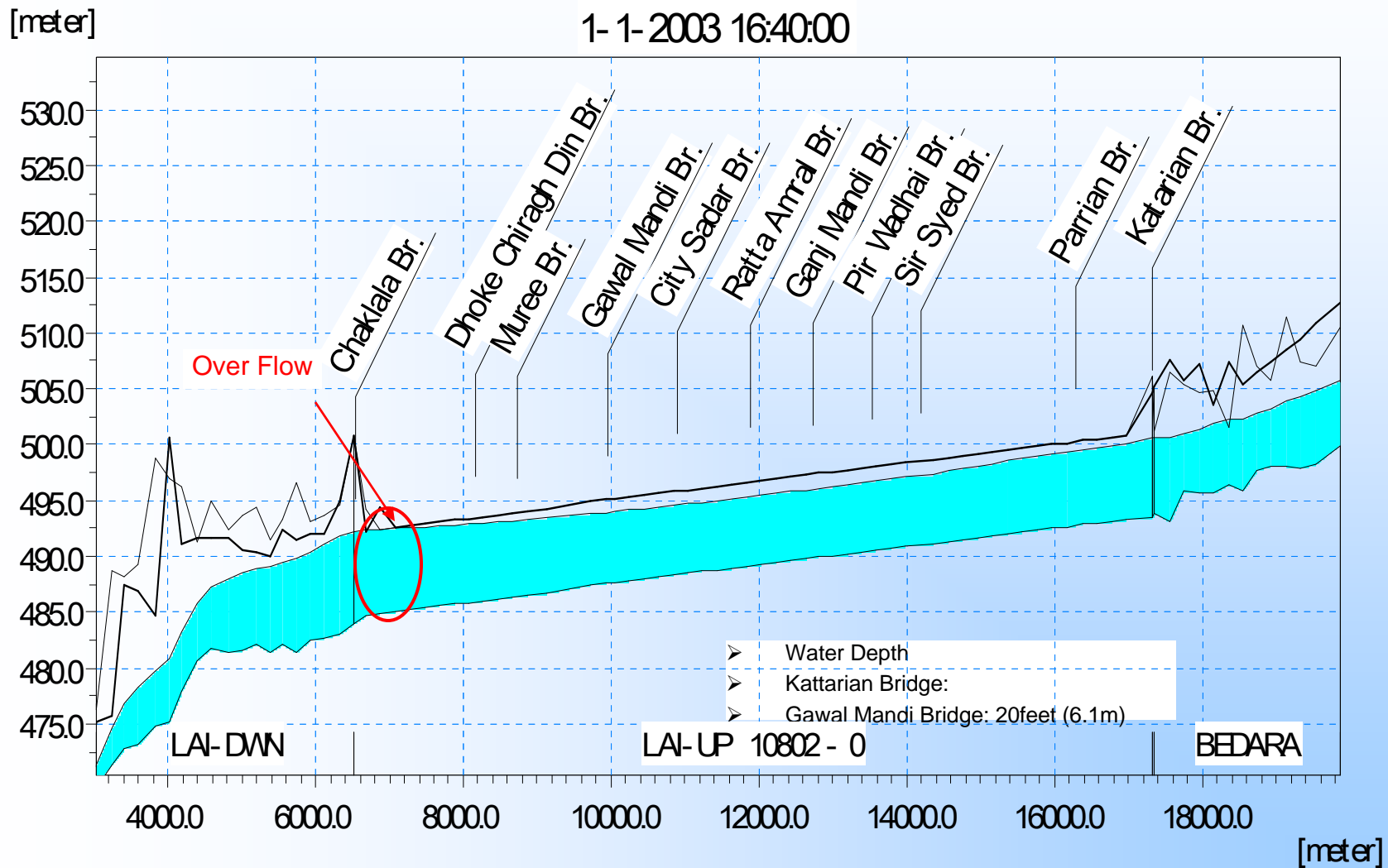
Present Criteria of Evacuation



Water Level Profile (Issuance of Warning)

Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department

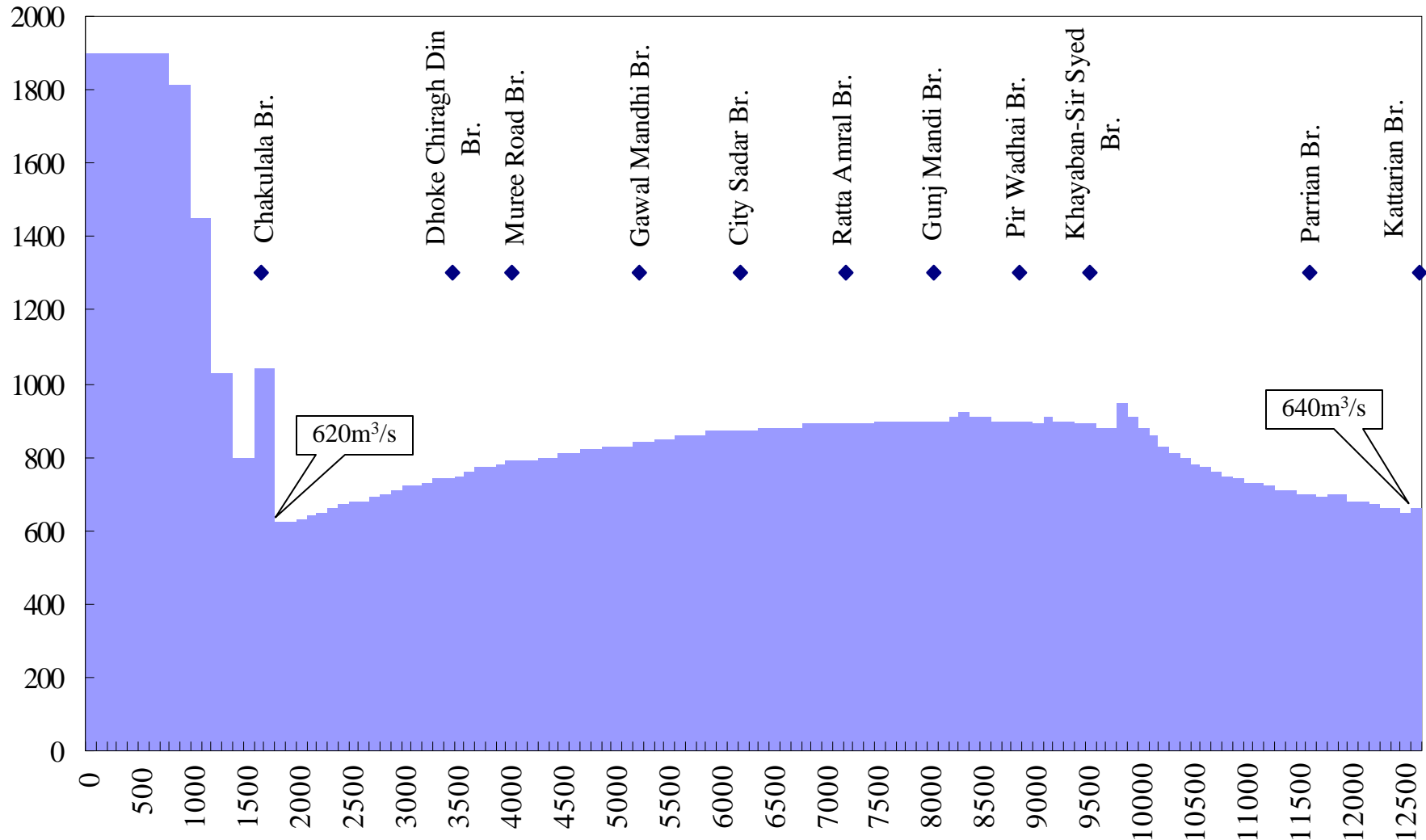
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Flow Capacity of Lai Nullah River



Flow Capacity Profile of Lai Nullah River

Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department

Table3.1 Water Level Criteria

Criteria Water Level	Kattarian Bridge		Gawal Mandi Bridge		Remarks
	Water Level m	Water Depth ft	Water Level m	Water Depth ft	
Rank-A Water Level	499.6	20.0	492.7	17.2	Minimum of [2] and [3]
Rank-B Water Level	498.1	15.1	491.2	12.1	Minimum of [4] , [5] and [6]
Rank-C Water Level	496.5	10.0	489.8	7.5	[7]

	Kattarian Bridge		Gawal Mandi Bridge		Remarks
	Discharge m ³ /s	Water Level m	Discharge m ³ /s	Water Level m	
[1] Design Discharge	2,270	505.6	2,640	498.3	
[2] Min.Flow Capacity	640	500.0	620	492.7	Japan Danger Stage Criterio (Bankful Discharge)
[3] Existing Criterion	559	499.6	839	493.6	Present Criterio of Rawalpindi (20-feet above riverbed)
[4] 50% of [2]	320	498.2	310	491.2	Japan Warning Stage Criterio (a)
[5] Based on 5-year Model Hyeto	330	498.2	390	491.6	Japan Warning Stage Criterio (c) *1
[6] Mean of [3] and [7]	306	498.1	325	491.2	Japan Warning Stage Criterio (b) *2
[7] 20% of [2]	128	496.5	124	489.8	Japan Advisory Stage Criterio (a)
Ground Level	1,948	504.7	1,261	495.0	
Riverbed Level	-	493.5	-	487.5	

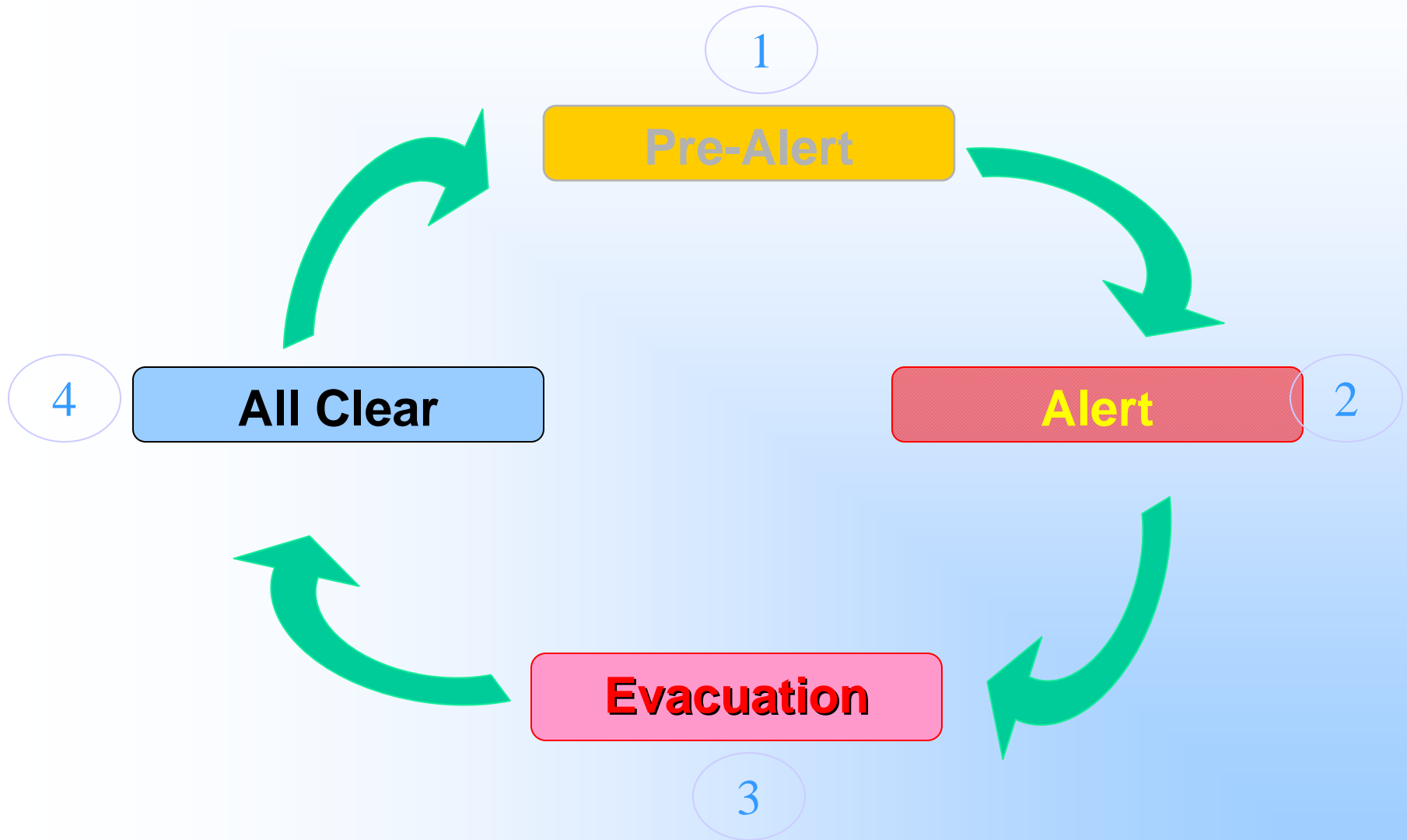
*1 : Japan Criterio is 3-year but simulation was done with minimum model hyet of 5-year.

*2 : Meaning like criterio (b) of Japan Warning Stage

1 feet = 0.3048 m

Rank-A water level corresponds to the Danger Stage
Rank-B corresponds to the Warning Stage
Rank-C corresponds to the Advisory Stage

Flood Warning Code



Flood Warning Code

Pre-Alert

50mm / 180min (calculated after every 10 minutes)

Each agency should take position to Flood Watch.

Broadcast heavy rainfall and flood prediction, if the rainfall intensity is bigger than the above figures.

Alert

- Rainfall

50mm / 60min ; 135mm / 180min.

- Water Level

Kattarian Bridge : 496.5m (10 feet from riverbed)

GawalMandi Bridge : 489.8m (7.5 feet from riverbed)

Broadcast flood warning, if the rainfall intensity and raising water level is higher than the above mentioned figures.

Flood Warning Code

Evacuation

Kattarian Bridge

Pattern1: Water Level exceed Alert Level *and* Rainfall exceed Alert Level

Pattern2: Water Level exceed 499.6m (20 feet from riverbed)

Gawal Mandi Bridge

Pattern1: Water Level exceed Alert Level *and* Rainfall exceed Alert Level

Pattern2: In case of Kattarian Warning

Pattern3: Water Level exceed 493.6m (20 feet from riverbed)

Broadcast siren and announcement for evacuation in case of “Evacuation”.

Flood Warning Code

All Clear

All flood watches and flood warnings are cleared, if no flood is expected and the rainfall intensity and declining water level is smaller than the following :

- Rainfall

20mm /per 180min.

and

- Water Level

Kattarian Bridge : **496.5m (below alert level)**

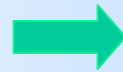
Gawal Mandi Bridge : **489.8m (below alert level)**

Flood Warning Code

The possible time for evacuation
(excluding decision making, operation time, etc.)

Old criterion
(20 feet from riverbed)

10 minutes



lengthened

New Flood Warning Code

One and half hour

Telemetry and Data Transmission System in PMD



Introduction to Warning System.

SUPERVISORY & CONTROL SYSTEM IN TMA.



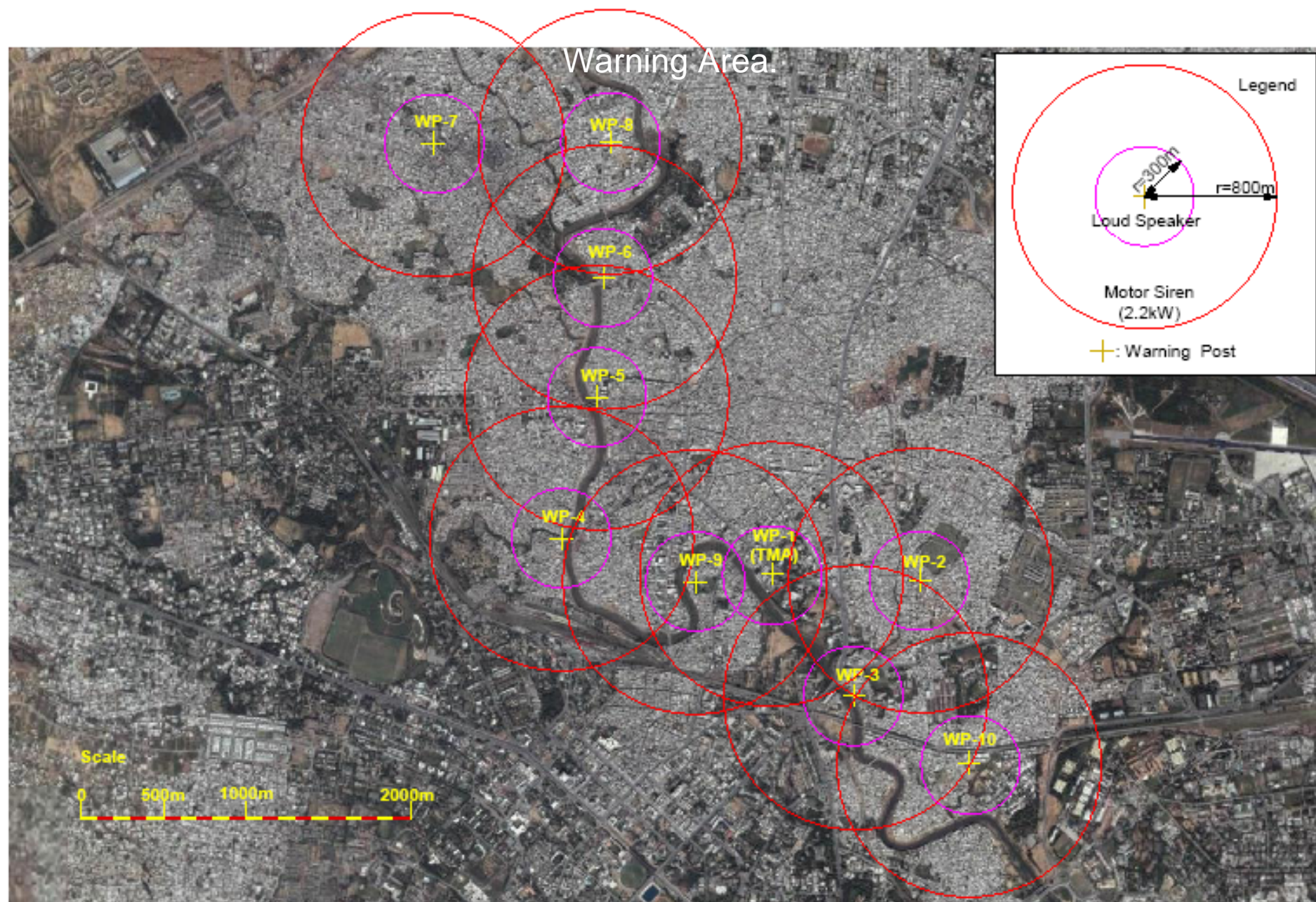
- It control all the 10 warning Posts present in different vicinity of the City along the Nullah Lai

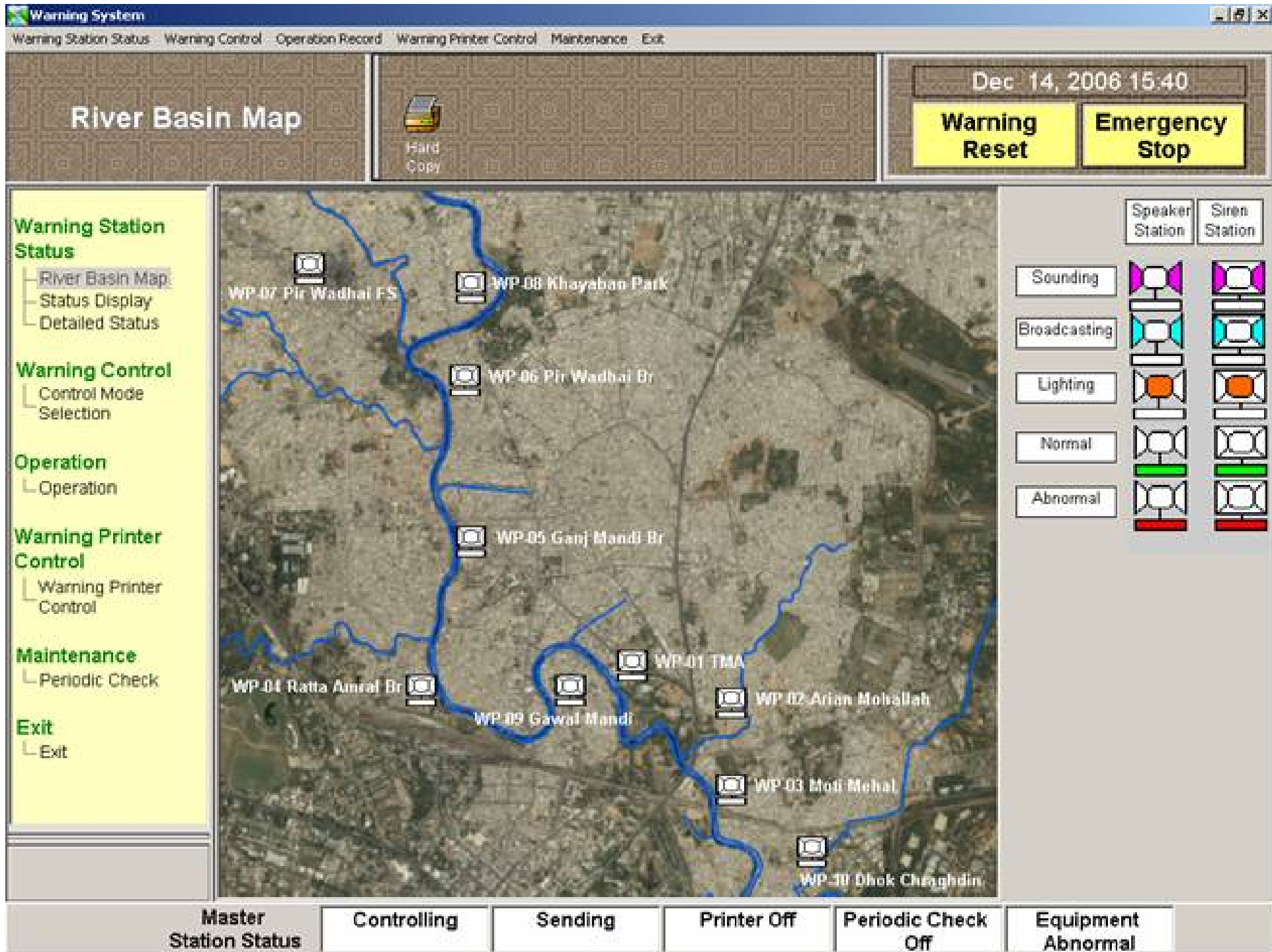
Source: Pakistan Meteorological Department

Remote Controlled Warning Posts (10 Station)

- There are 10 Warning Posts.
- 5 in Up Stream
- 5 in Down Stream
- Each warning Post operated from TMA by Radio Waves.
- Each Post Comprises of 4 Speakers, One emergency light and One Siren
- In Case of Power Failure a battery is installed which provide backup to the warning post for 5 days.







Rainfall during June 2007 in Balochistan

Climatic Stations	June 1-29, 2007	Monthly Normal
Barkhan	44	43
Dalbandin	103*	0.9
Gwadar	52	**
Jiwani	78*	0.8
Kalat	89*	5.3
Khuzdar	73*	12.6
Lasbela	135*	7.8
Nokkundi	80*	0
Ormara	0	0.5
Panjgur	141*	4
Pasni	104*	0.4
Quetta	82*	1.5
Sibi	176*	5.5
Turbat	226	**
Zoab	67*	14.7

Flood Damage in Balochistan during June 2007



Figure 7. Damage to electric supply in Noshki



Figure 5. Damage to the railway track in Noshki



Figure 4. Floodwater in Dasht, Mastung



Figure 8. Damage to tubewells in Noshki



Figure 6. Damaged bridge in Mach, Bolan



Figure 3. Floodwater in Jaffarabad

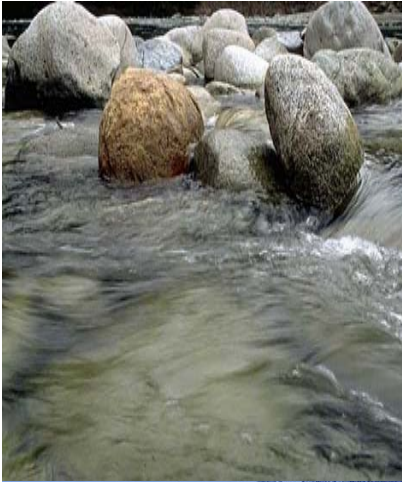
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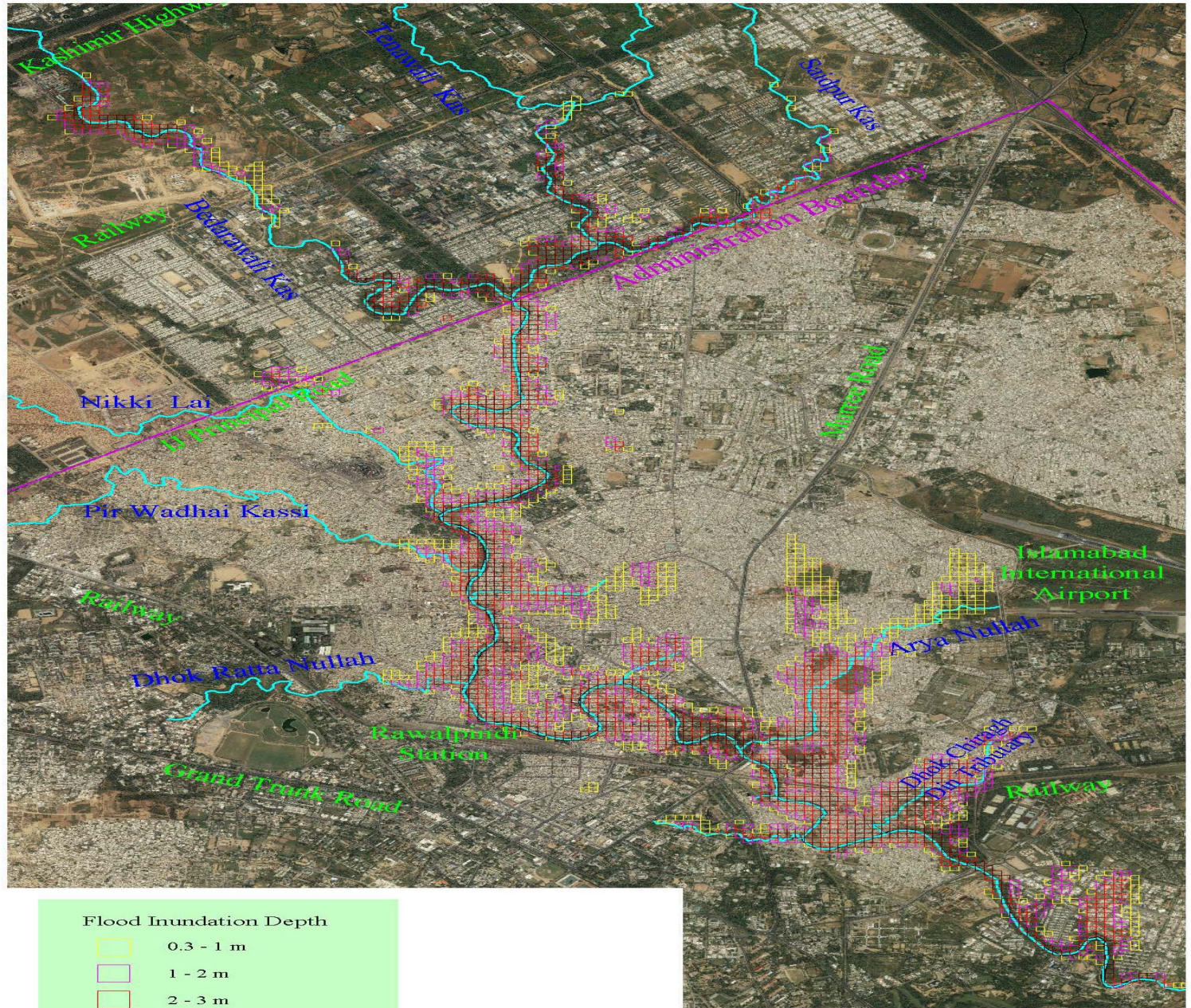
Figure 9. Damage to agriculture and rural housing, Noshki



Figure 10. Damage to agriculture in Kharan



Thank You



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Flood Risk Map
(Flood Inundation Area by
23 July 2001 Flood after ADB
Lai Nullah Improvement Project)

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