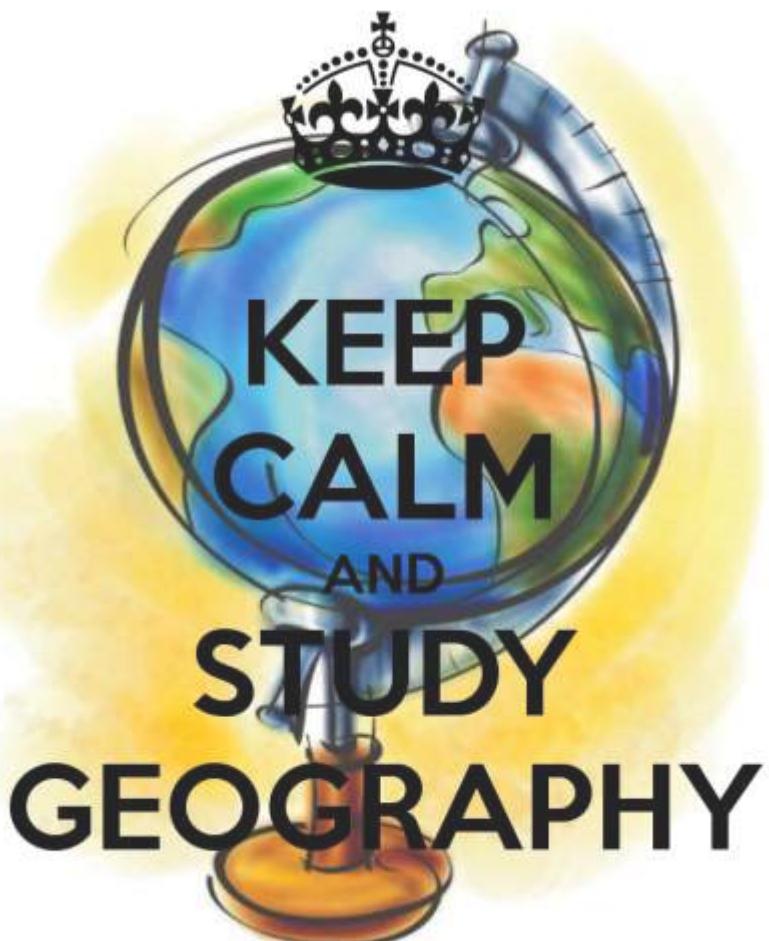
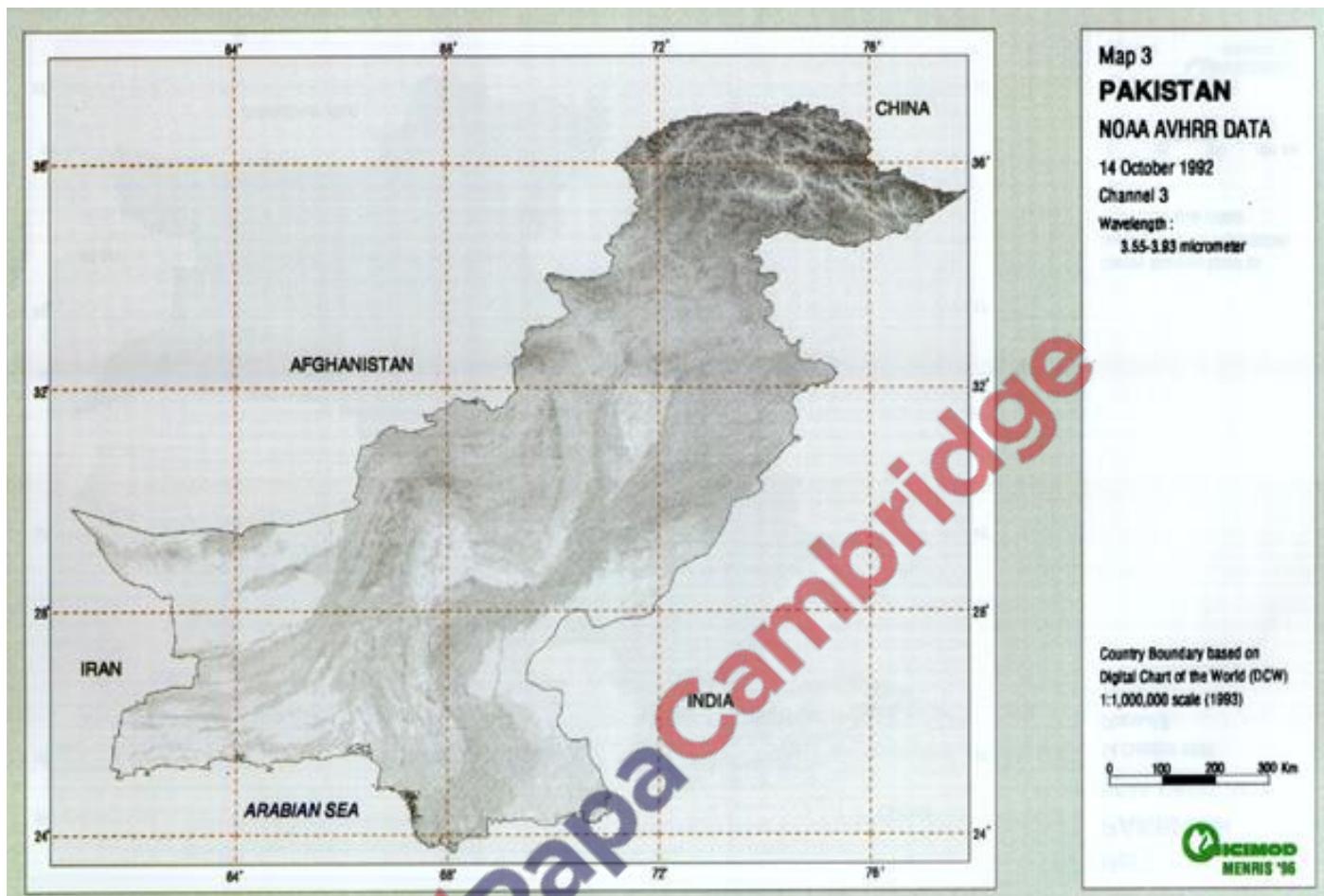


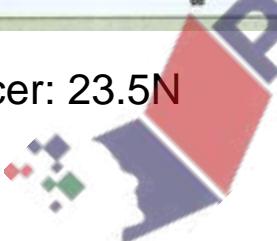
GEOGRAPHY RATTA LIST



INTRODUCTION TO PAKISTAN



Tropic of Cancer: 23.5N



PAKISTAN



All Cities, except Srinigar are ratifiable.

PAKISTAN

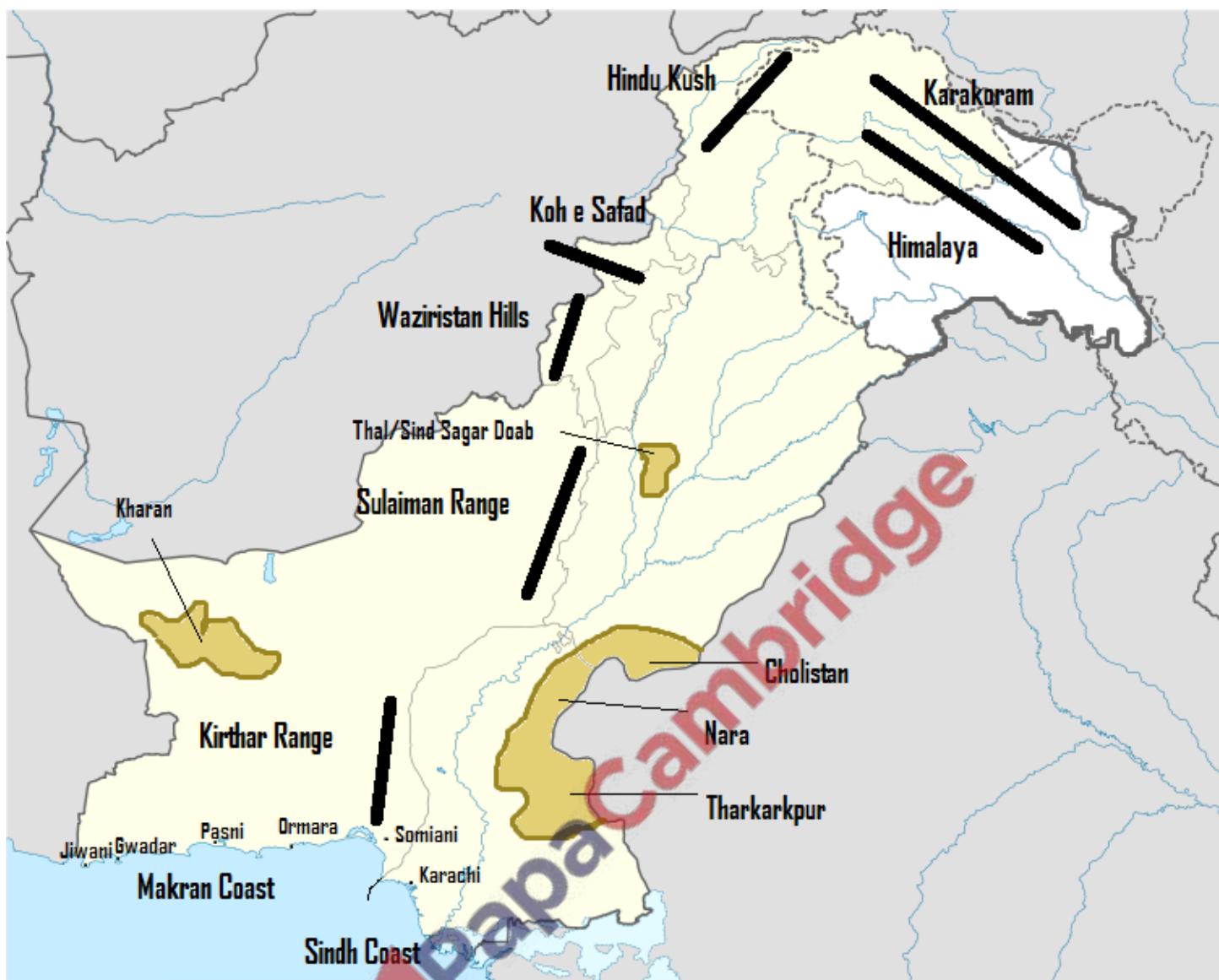
Rivers and Lakes

-  River
-  Lake
-  Dam
-  Barrage
-  Province Boundary



Important Rivers:

- >Indus
- >Jhelum
- >Chenab
- >Ravi
- >Sutlej
- >Kabul
- >Hab
- >Dasht



PASSES:

Bolan

^Toba Kakar Range (Balochistan)

...Connects Sibi with Quetta



Kojak

^Qila Abdullah, Chaman (Balochistan)

...Quetta with Khandar Afghanistan

Khyber

^Sofad Koh

...Peshawar with Kabul

Khunjerab

^Gilgit – Baltistan, Karakoram Mountains

...Connects Gilgit Baltistan with China

Lowari

^KPK

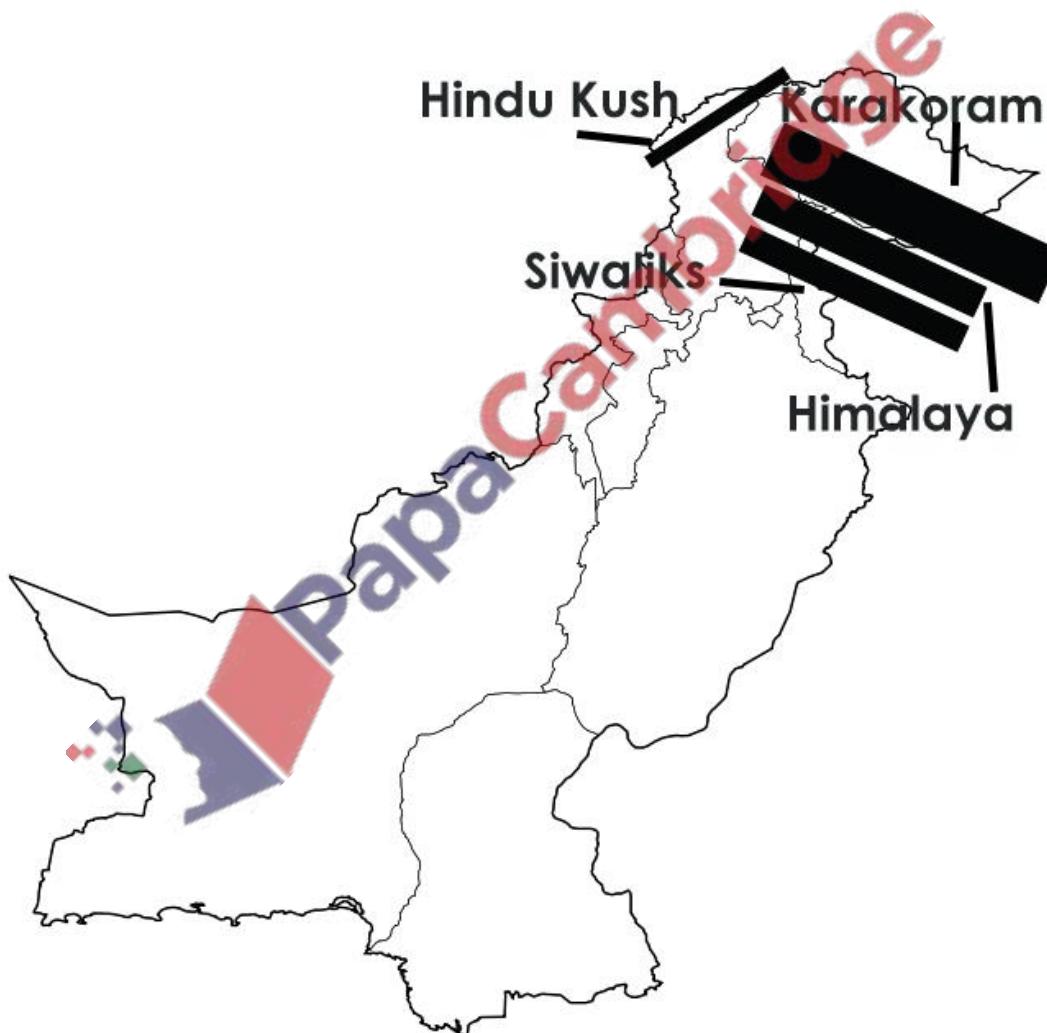
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TOPOGRAPHY AND DRAINAGE

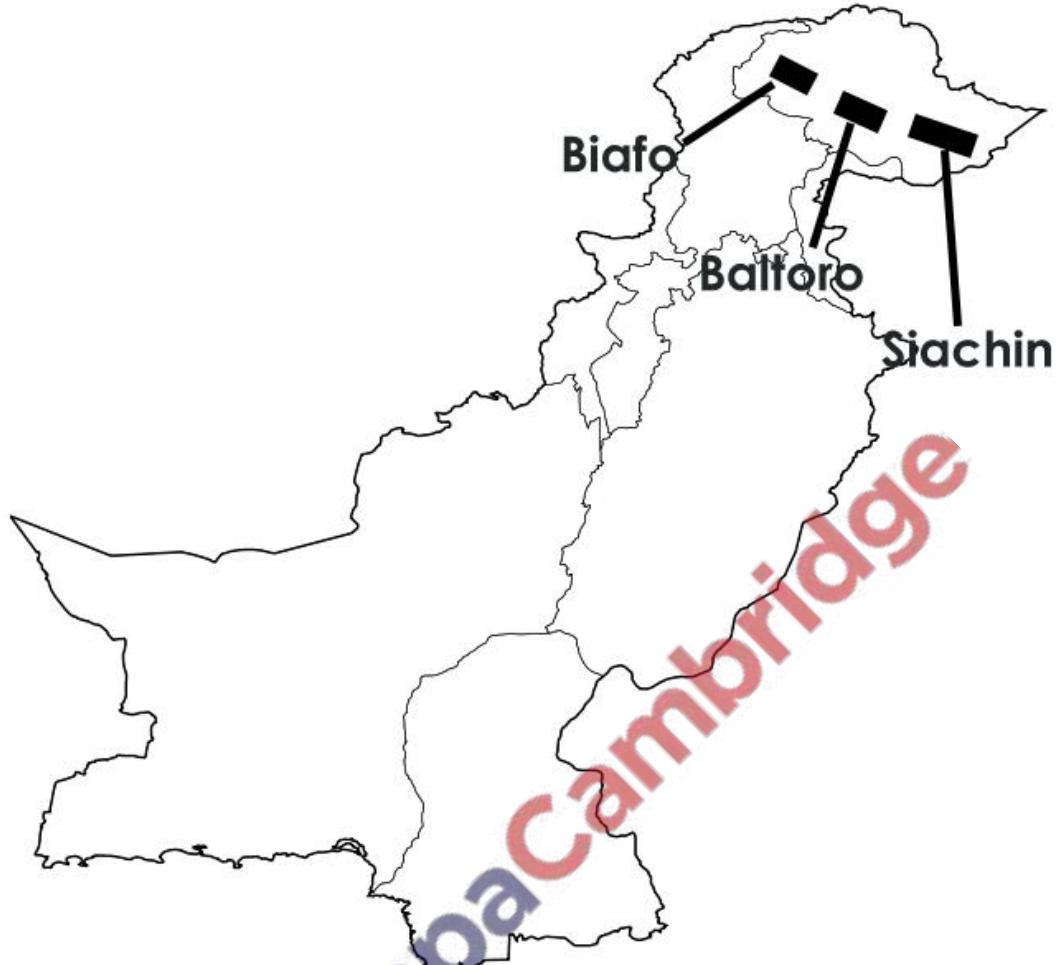
NORTHERN MOUNTAINS

Northern Mountains:- i) Karakoram mountains (6000m)
ii) Himalayan mountain range (4000m)

Western Mountains:- i) Hindu Kush mountain range (5000m)



GLACIERS



Glacier	Length
Siachen	75km
Baltoro	58km
Biafo	50km

MOUNTAIN VALLEYS

- Karakoram
 - Gilgit, Hunza, Baltistan
- Hindu Kush
 - Swat, Dir, Chitral
- Himalaya
 - Kaghan, Gullies of murree

LARGEST MOUNTAIN PEAKS

- Karakoram (K-2/Godwin Austin)
- Hindu Kush (Tirich Mir)
- Himalaya (Nanga parbat)

TOPOGRAPHY OF N.MOUNTAINS

- Sharp edges ridges
- pyramidal peaks
- steep slopes
- flat land
- thin soil (slopes) thick soil(valleys)
- Bare rocks
- scree/talus

Scree

a mass of small loose stones that form or cover a slope on a mountain

Glacier

a Compact mass of ice which moves very slowly down to valley by the force of gravity

Bare rocks

mountains with no vegetation's

snowfield

land covered with permanent snow

snowline

Imaginary line on high mountains dividing permanent snow cover

abrasion

erosional process done by glaciers on high mountains, wears down or rubs away surface rocks

Plucking

erosional process, glaciers on high mountains, plucks and pull surface rocks.

NATURAL DRAINAGE OF NORTHERN MOUNTAINS

- Fast flowing rivers
- main river indus (starts from Mansrowar lake in Nepal)
- Indus river tributaries, shyok, gilgi and shigar rivers
- Drainage features. Gorges, waterfalls, rapids, streams and springs

Gorge

A deep narrow river channel formed by the erosion of river

waterfall

stream / river that falls from height e.g over a rock / a cliff

rapids

When a river/streams makes series of short waterfalls

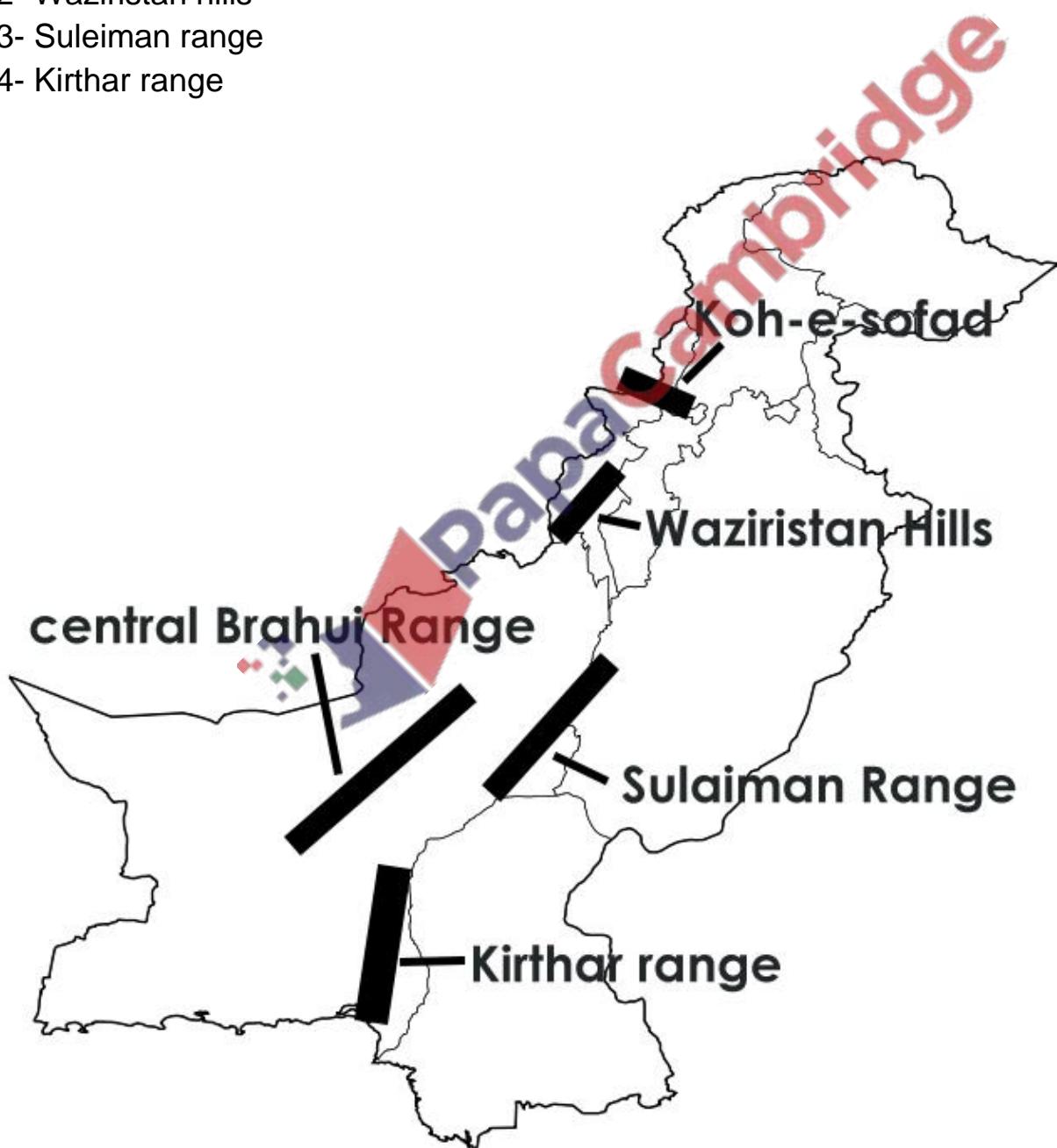
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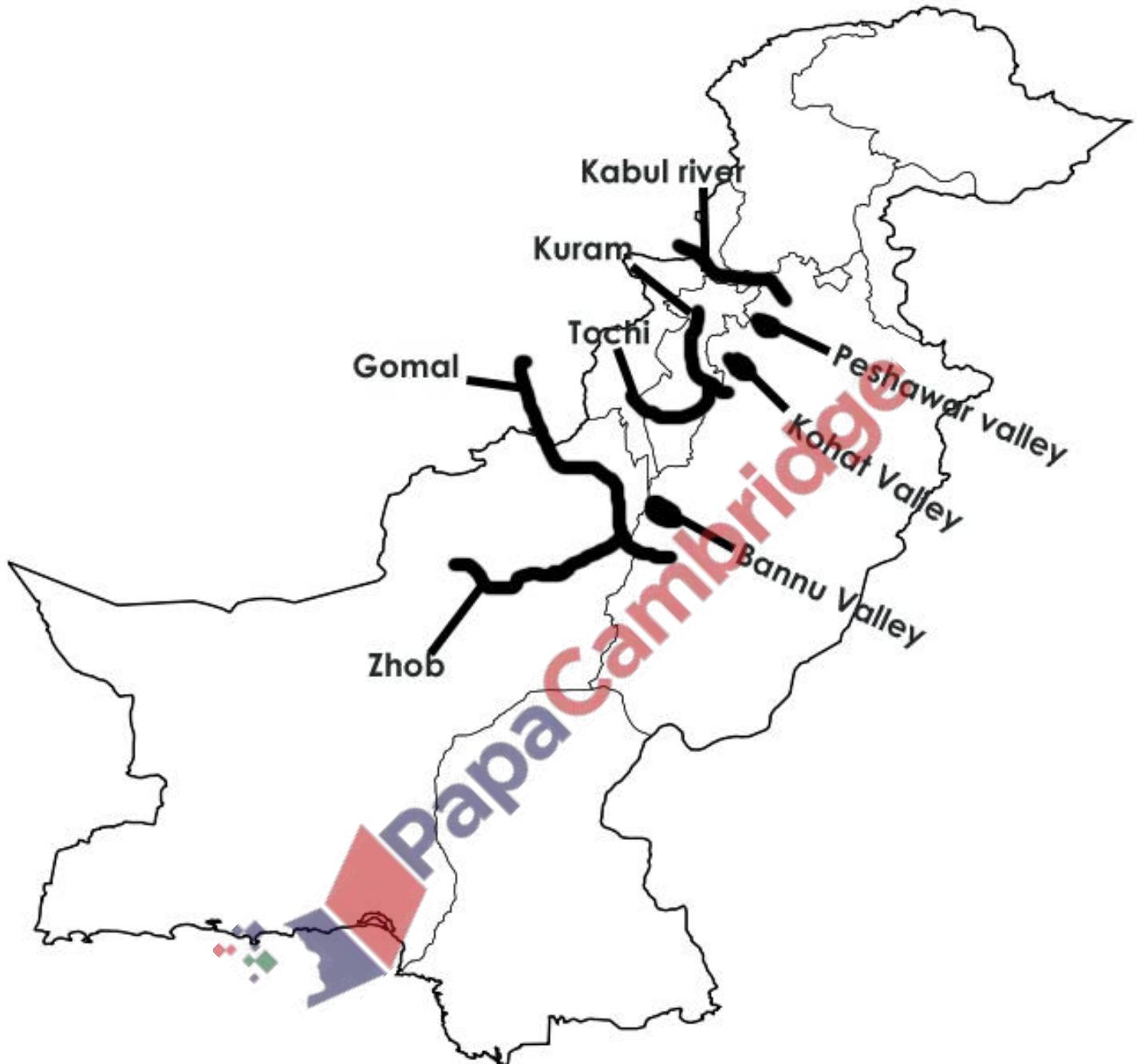
1- Koh-e-sofad / Dofad koh

2- Waziristan hills

3- Suleiman range

4- Kirthar range





NATURAL TOPOGRAPHY OF W. MOUNTAINS

- height 2000m – 4000m
- Highest peaks
- koh-e-sofad → Sikeram
- Suleiman range → Takht-e-suleiman
- No glaciers/ snowfield
- Bare rocks
- Steep slopes

BALOCHISTAN PLATEAU

-intermountain plateau – surrounded by all side of mountains

-600m – 3010m

-rugged landscape

plateau

is a large, flat area of land that is highest than the surrounding land

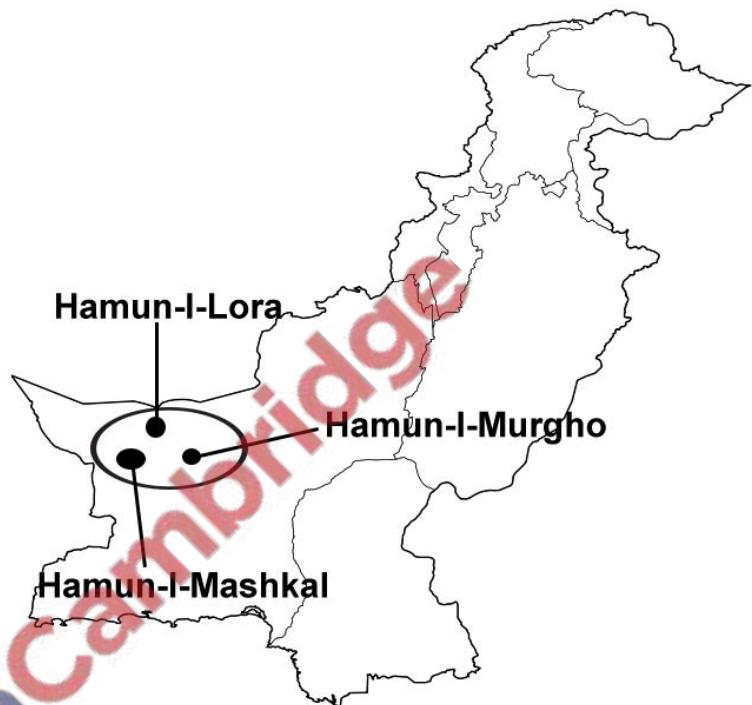
Basins/Lobes/Valley

i) Northern Basin

- Zhob Basin/valley
- Loralai Basin/valley
- Quetta Valley

ii) Western Basin

- Dry basin of chagai hills
- Kharan Desert

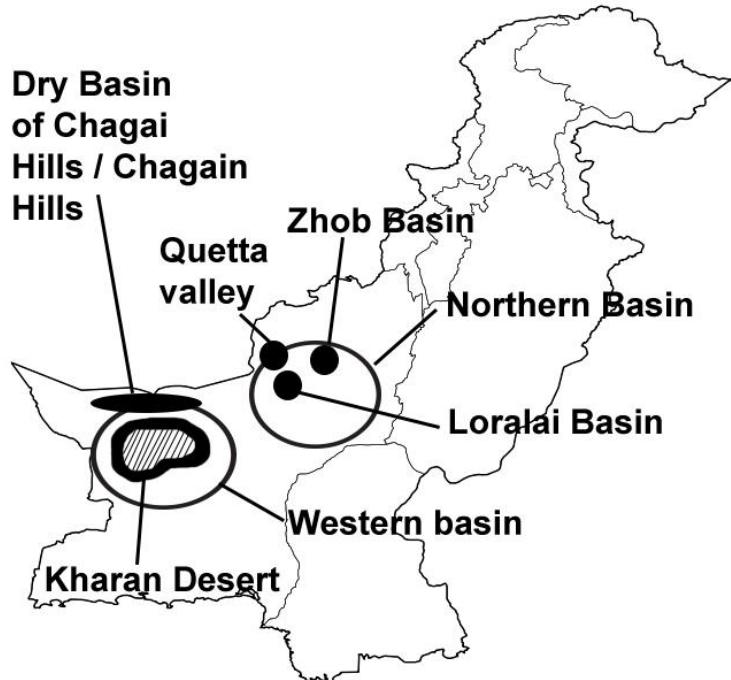


Mountains

- Chagai Hills
- Central Brahui range
- Central Makran range
- Makran Coast Range

Coastal Areas

- Jiwani
- Gawadar
- pasni
- Ormara
- Sonmiani



Basin

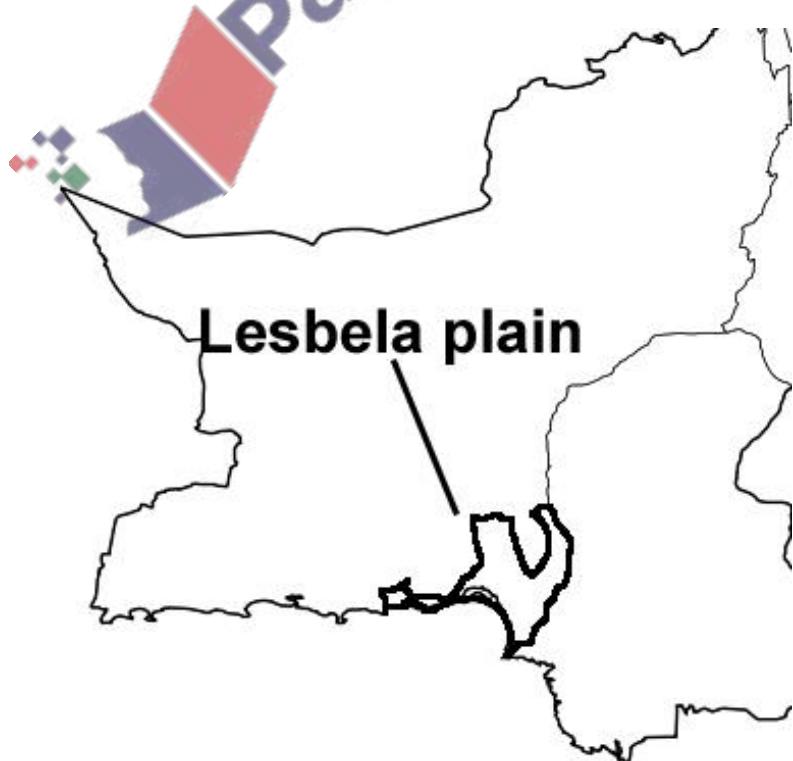
Aka valley / lobes. Area wholly or partially surrounded by mountains. Drained by rivers or has its own drainage system.

NATURAL TOPOGRAPHY OF BALOCHISTAN PLATEAU

- Intermountain plateau surrounded by mountains
- 600 – 310m
- uneven surface and dry land
- steep slopes and bare rocks
- Basins / sub-basins e.g western and northern basin
- mountains
- passes
- kharan dasert
- coastline (makran coast)

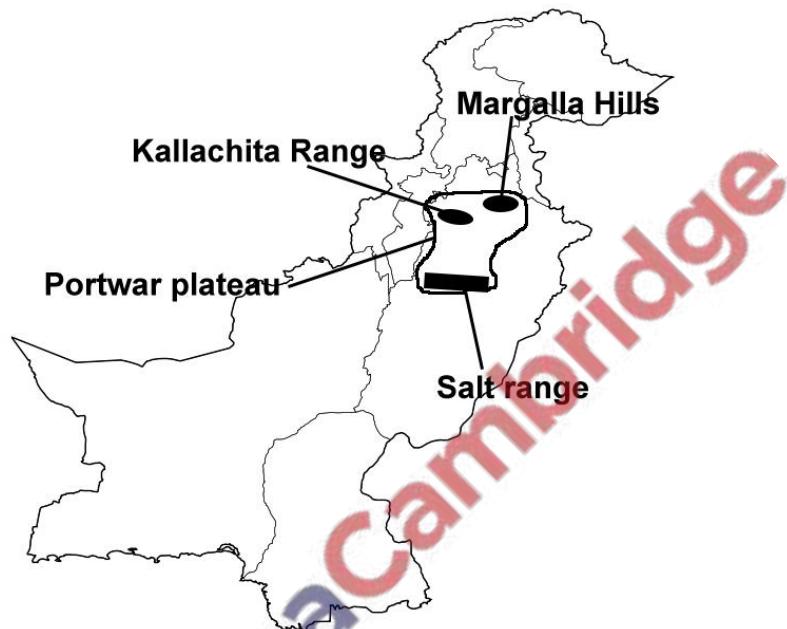
NATURAL DRAINAGE OF BALOCHISTAN PLATEAU

- Permanent rivers
 - i) Zhobb river – northern part
 - ii) Bolan river – Central part
 - iii) Hab, Dasht – Southern part
- Seasonal rivers (rainy seasons)
- Seasonal rivers drain into temporary lakes Aka Hammuns
- largest Hammun is Hammun-e-Mashkhel
- ^these are saline/salt water lakes



PORTWAR PLATEAU

- Aka Rawalpindi Plateau
- 18000sq miles
- Rain Fed/Barani. Depends on seasonal rainfall
- Main river, Swan
- Major cities e.g Islamabad, Rawalpindi, Jhelum, Attock.
- Dry and arid



NATURAL TOPOGRAPHY OF PORTWAR PLATEAU

- 300-600m
- Low mountains, Ridges, residual hills, flat land, Undulating land, gentle slopes, steep slopes.
- Badland topography aka Khadera (local)

Badland topography: extremely eroded and dissected region consisting of deep valleys, gullies, ravines, troughs and depressions.

- Loess soil (deposited by wind)
- residual soil
- residual hills e.g Kallachita range
- salt range
- has smaller piedmont plains
- Sakesar is highest peak

Ravine

A narrow depression. Smaller than valley but larger than gully

Gully

A long, narrow channel worn out by water, smaller than ravine and valley

Trough

A long deep narrow depression

Depression

A basin or hollow. May be surrounded by Hills or mountains

Ridge

A long/elongated upland area with narrow width and steep sides

Residual hills

The hard rocks which withstand erosion and stay prominent on the ground

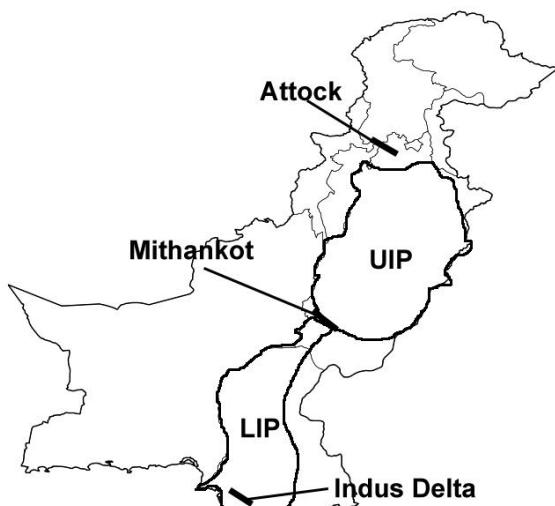
NATURAL DRAINAGE OF PORTWAR PLATEAU

- Major river, swan (originates from Murree and meets with Indus on west at kalabagh)
- Tributaries of swan – Ling, leh and karrang
- Karrang river fed by monsoon rain and melting of snow
- Haro river meets with swan river
- quite a number of seasonal rivers during monsoon season
- Kallar kahar, khabeki, uchali are the salt water lakes of that area
- Large Jhils found in Attock (Hatti Jhil) and Rawalpindi (Khanna Jhil)

INDUS PLAIN

Divided into two

- a) Upper Indus Plain (UIP) Attock to Mithankot
- b) Lower Indus Plain (LIP) Mithenkot to Indus delta



NATURAL TOPOGRAPHY OF UPPER INDUS PLAIN

- flat land
- few low hills
- Quartzite/slate hills
- thick soil (alluvium)
- Doabs. Sub features e.g Bluff/scarp, alluvial terrace/bar upland or bars
- Piedmont plains on foothills of Siwaliks between Jhelum and Chenab
- Active flood plains. Sub features
 - i) Levees
 - ii) Braided channels
 - iii) Dry channels
 - iv) Ox-bow lakes
 - v) Meanders
- Old flood plain. Sub features
 - i) Abandoned channels
 - ii) remains of ox-bow lakes
 - iii) Scars of meanders



Doab

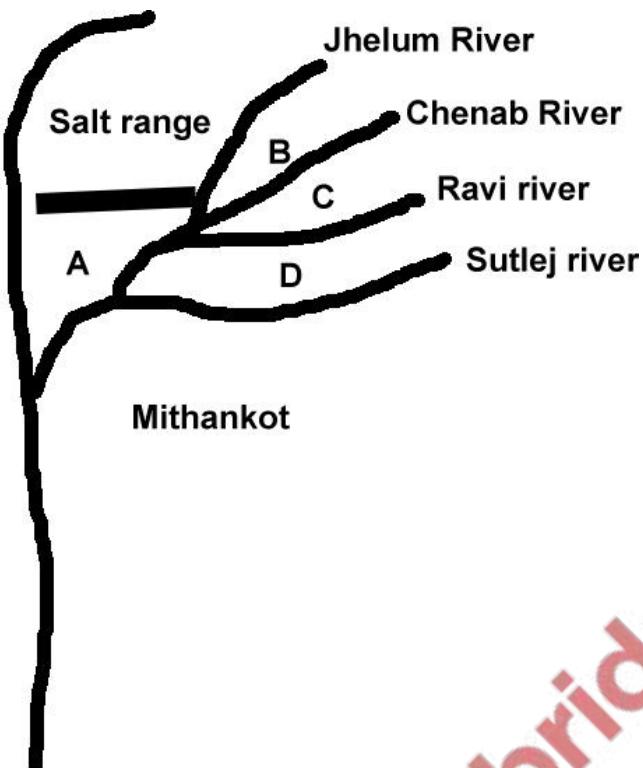
Area between two rivers. Also termed as Scallop interfluves

Characteristics of bar

- Aka bar upland or alluvial terrace
- Highest part of doab
- nearly flat land
- has old alluvium Aka Banghar (local)
- height 10-12m from river level
- width 25-35km

Characteristics of bluff

- Scarp/cliff
- steep slope / steep wall separating OFP from bar
- Height 5-11m
- width 5-8m



A – Between Indus and Jhelum – Sind sagar doab / Thal desert – no bar

B – Between Jhelum and Chenab – Chaj doab – Kirana bar

C – Between Chenab and Ravi – Rachna doab – Sandal bar

D – Between Ravi and Sutlej – Bari Doab – Ganji and Nili Bars

Active flood plain

Narrow strip of land adjacent to rivers. Low lying area thus floods every year. Locally known as Bet/khaddar.

Characteristics of Active flood plain

- Flat area
- Adjacent to rivers
- low lying area
- fresh alluvium
- 2-3m above river level
- 10-18km wide
- sub features

Old Flood plain

Aka meander of cover flood plain. Little Higher ground then AFP. Adjacent to AFP.

Characteristics of Old Flood Plain

- 10-15m height
- 3-5miles width
- flooded every 7/8 years
- old alluvium Aka Bhangar (local)
- sub features

Natural Levees

French word meaning “Raised”. Found near river banks. Made up of river material deposited during flood season.

Meanders

twisting and turning course of rivers. Usually found in middle and lower course of river.

Oxbow lake

crescent shaped lake. Formed by separation of loop from the main meandering course of river.

Braided channels

Deposition of river material within the river channel shapes Bars/mounds.

Dry channels

come out from main river. Have water during flood season.

Abandoned channel

Aka “Dhoros” (local). Remains of river channels/ dried out river channels(used for inland fishing).

remains of ox-bow lakes

dried out ox-bow lakes

Meander scars

Dried out meandering course of river.

Piedmont Plain

-Located on the foothills of mountains. Sub-feature is alluvial cone/fan

Alluvial fan

fan shaped/cone shaped deposit of gravel, sand and other small material on the foothills of mountains.

NATURAL TOPOGRAPHY OF LOWER INDUS

- Flat land
- gentle slope
- alluvium soil
- few low hills
- Limestone hills / custas
- rolling and dunes in arid part
- Delta
- AFP and OFP
- piedmont plains
- River indus on foothills of Suleiman and Kirthar ranges

Cuesta

- Aka escarpment
- Hard limestone ridges/rocks
- prominent on the ground
- one side steep slope (scarp) other side gentle slope (dip)

Location of cuestas in LIP

- Ganjo takkar, southwards from Hyderabad
- Rahri nears Rohri in Sukkur District

Delta

Depositional feature formed by river at the mouth of its course while draining into the ocean/sea. Triangular shaped like birds feet Aka Lobate Shape Delta (indus delta)

DRAINAGE OF UPPER INDUS PLAIN

- River Indus enters UIP at Attock
- River Indus flows with its eastern tributaries.
- Jhelum, Chenab, ravi, Sutlej meet at Panjnad. Panjnad to Indus
- Drains into Mithankot
- river Indus Width 1.4km

DRAINAGE OF LOWER INDUS PLAIN

- Indus river flows alone – No tributaries
- Branches out into Distributaries
- Flows very slowly
- Width 1.6km
- Mainly does work of Deposition

DESERTS OF PAKISTAN

-Three Main deserts

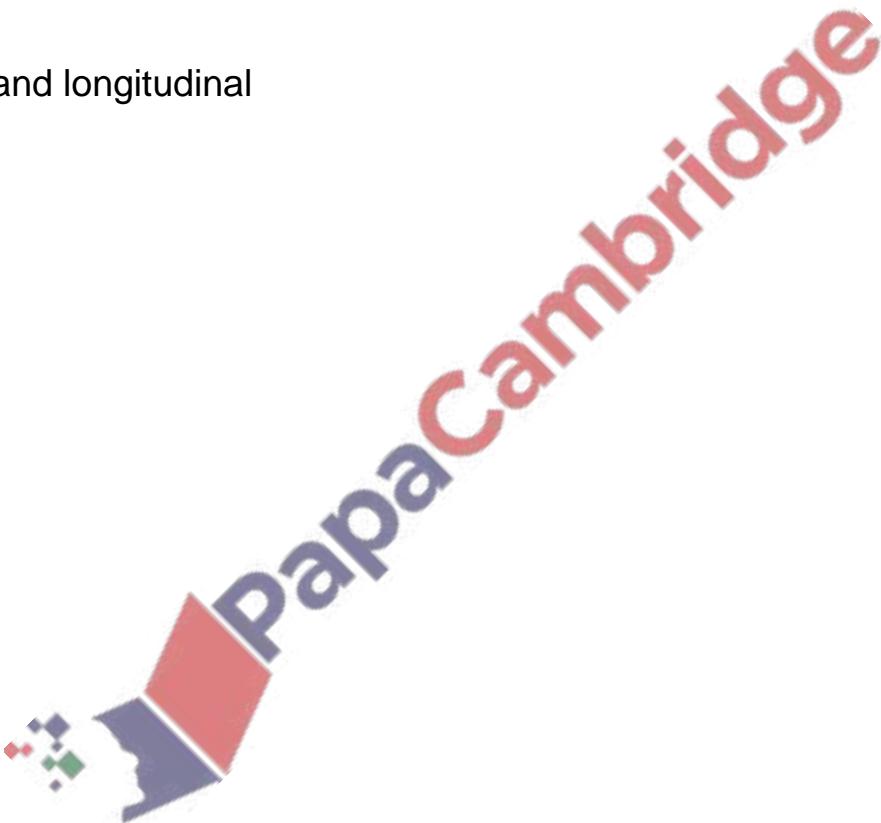
- a) Thal
- b) Thar – Cholistan, Nara and Tharparkar
- c) Kharan

-Types

- i) Reg:- Stony deserts whose surface is hard and stones of different sizes are littered
- ii) Erg:- Sandy desert. Features e.g sand and sand dunes e.g mainly Kharan

-Shapes of Sand dunes

- i) Crescent
- ii) Latitudinal and longitudinal
- iii) transverse



CLIMATE

CLIMATIC ZONES OF PAKISTAN

- Highland Climate zone
- Humid Climate zone
- Sub-humid Climate zone
- Arid climate zone
- Semi-arid climate zones

Classification of Climatic Zone of Pakistan with reference to precipitation and temperature

Climatic Zone	Precipitation	Winter Temp	Summer Temp	Example
Humid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Above 1000mm Snow 	Cool to Cold	Mild	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Windward Side of Siwaliks Kakul Murree Abbottabad
Humid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Around 1000mm 	Mild	Hot	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Small Portion of Northern Punjab e.g. Sialkot, Jhelum
Sub-Humid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain above 500 mm to less than 1000mm 	Cool to very Cold	Mild	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> North-western Mountains e.g. Hindu Kush Northern Mountains e.g. Karakoram
Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain b/w 250 to 125 mm 	Mild	Hot	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Jacobabad Sibi Noh Kundi Multan
Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain B/w 250 to 125mm 	Cool	Warm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Central and North-Western Balochistan Nushki
Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain B/w 250 to 125mm 	Mild	Warm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Coastal Areas of Pakistan Makran Coast e.g. Gwadar Sindh Coast e.g. Karachi
Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain B/w 250 to 125mm 	Cool to Cold	Mild	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Northern-Western Mountains Leeward sides e.g. Gilgit and Chitral
Extremely Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain less than 125mm 	Mild	Very Hot	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Deserts of Pakistan e.g. Thal, Thar and Kharan
Semi Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain b/w 250 to 500 mm 	Mild	Hot	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Northern Punjab e.g. Lahore Some Parts of KP e.g. Peshawar Central Punjab
Semi Arid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rain b/w 250 to 500 mm 	Cool	Warm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Northern Part of Baluchistan Highlands of FATA

DISTRIBUTION

Highland Climate zone

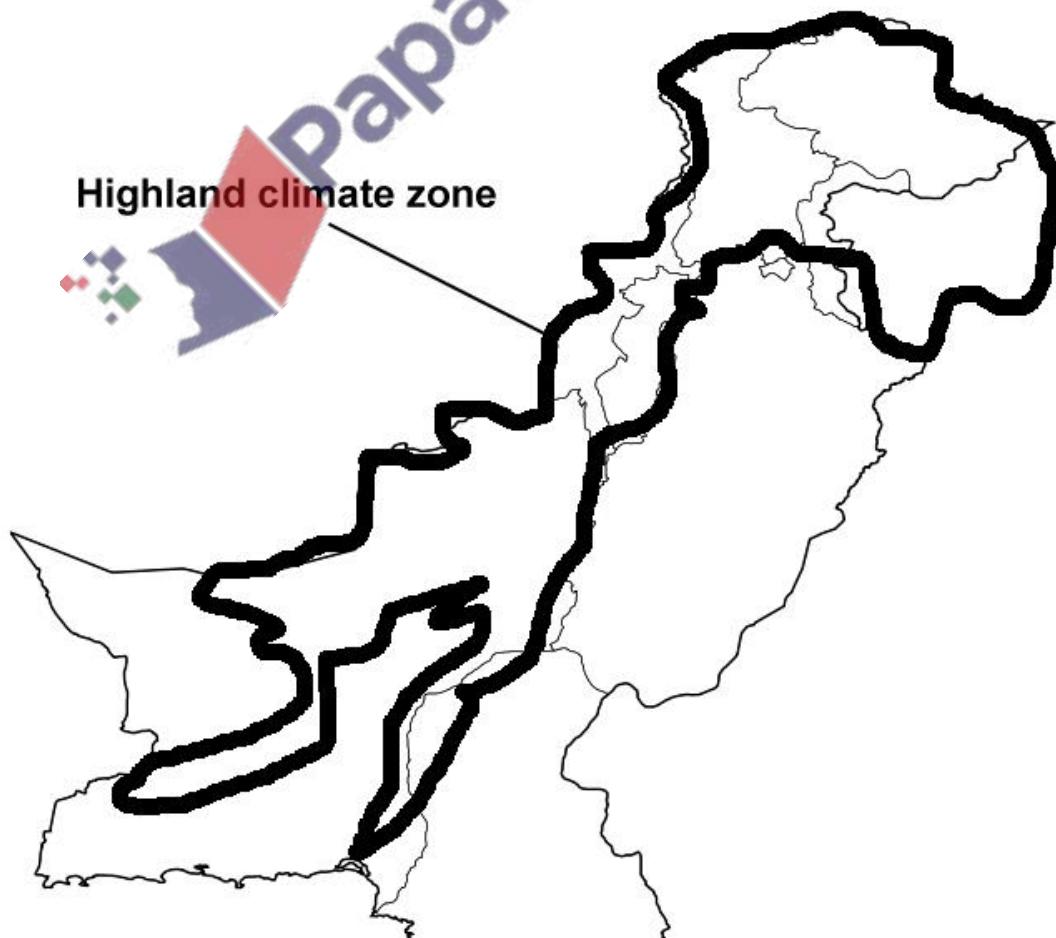
- North and North western mountains e.g Himalaya, Karakoram and Hindu kush
- Western Mountains e.g koh-i-sofad, Waziristan, Suleiman and Kirthar.
- Highland areas of Baluchistan e.g Kalat, Quetta, Ziarat etc.

Characteristics of Climate

- Average low temp
- extremely low temp
- long winters
- precipitation mainly in shape of snow on high mountains
- Permanent snow on high mountain ranges
- cool weather in valleys

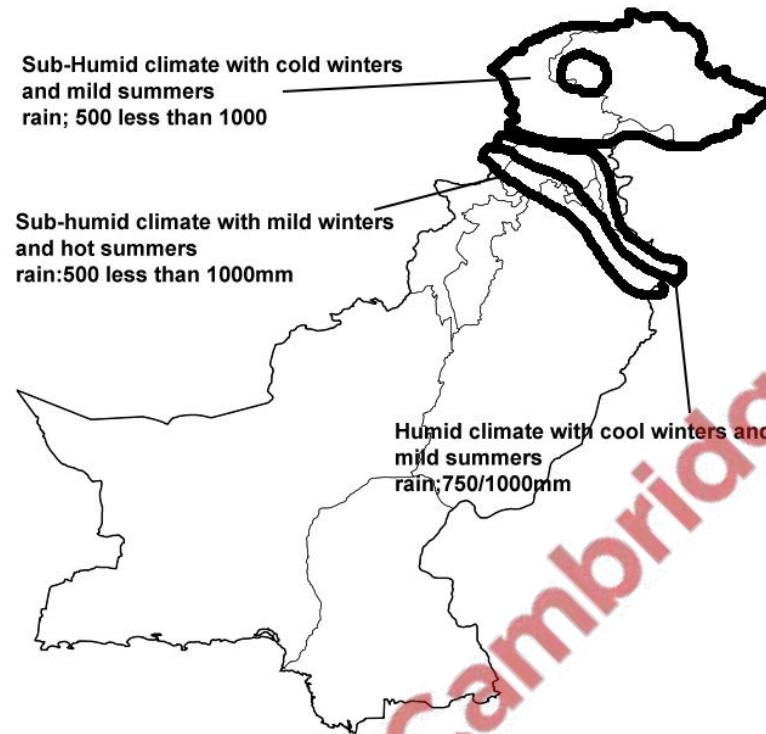
Northern mountains:- Winters- long, v cold (2°C to below -5°C)
Summers- short and mild (10°C to 20°C)

Western mountains:- Winters-cool to cold (9°C to -5°C)
Summers-mild to warm (10°C to 30°C)



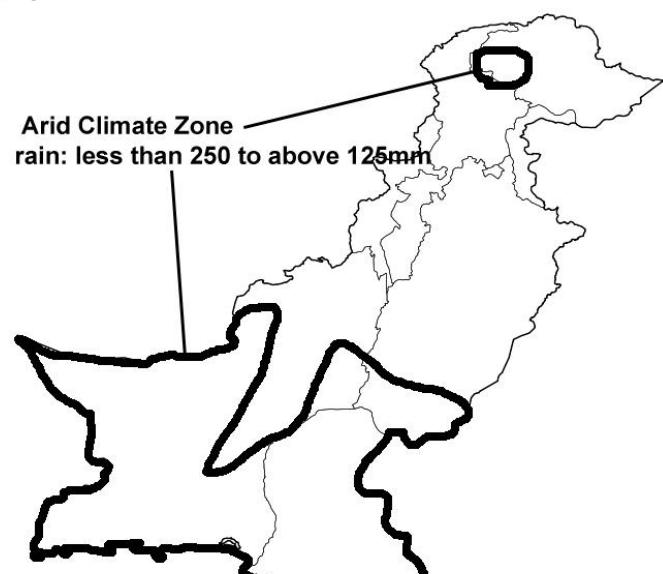
Humid Climate Zones

- Areas which receive more rain than 750mm/1000mm
- Humid climate further divided into sub-humid climate where rainfall is above 500mm but less than 750mm/1000mm

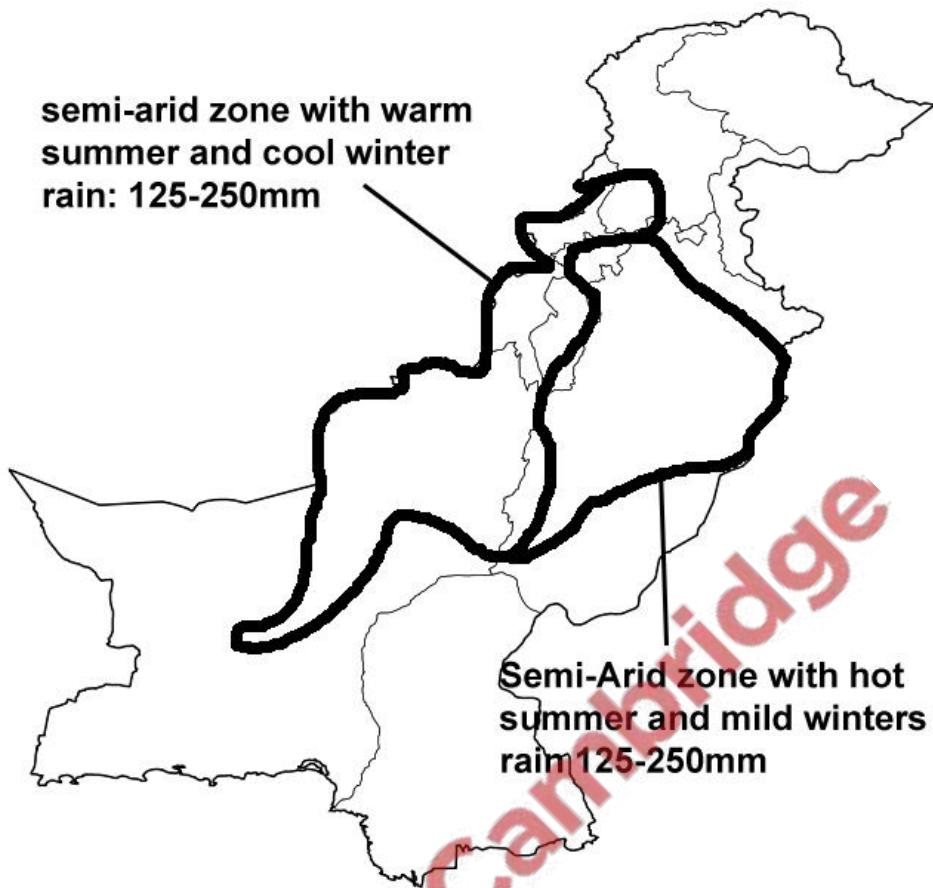


Arid Climate Zone

- Coastal areas: Sindh coast -Karachi
Makran coast -Gwadar
- Southern part of Sindh: Hyderabad, Sukker
- Thar Desert
- Southern part of Punjab: Cholistan/Bhawalpur
Multan
- Northern mountains: Gilgit and Chitral



Semi-Arid Climate zones



RAINFALL IN PAKISTAN

Source of rain

- Monsoon rain (summer July to September)
- western Depression/winter rain (Winter December to March)
- Convectional rain/Thunderstorms (pre-monsoon (may-June) and post monsoon (oct-nov))
- Tropical Cyclone (Summer when sea/ocean water is warm)

Monsoon rain in Pakistan

Distribution

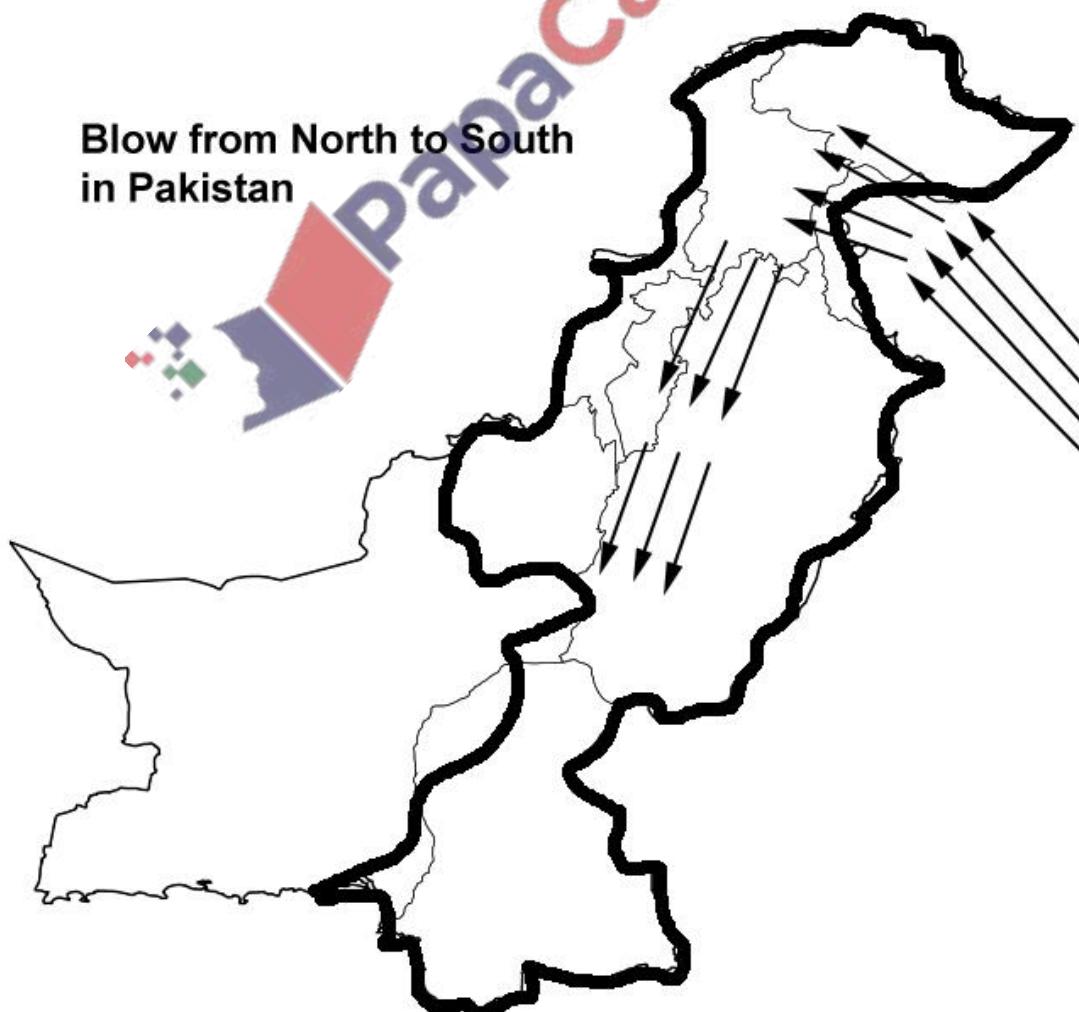
- whole Punjab province
- whole Sindh province
- few parts of KPK e.g Peshawar
- Quetta also receives rain from monsoon in Balochistan

Path of Monsoon

- Start from Bay of Bengal
- First enters into Bangladesh
- then enters into India
- At last enters into the Pakistan

path of monsoon in Pakistan

- first strikes with northern mountains
- Then moves over Punjab
- Enters into Sindh



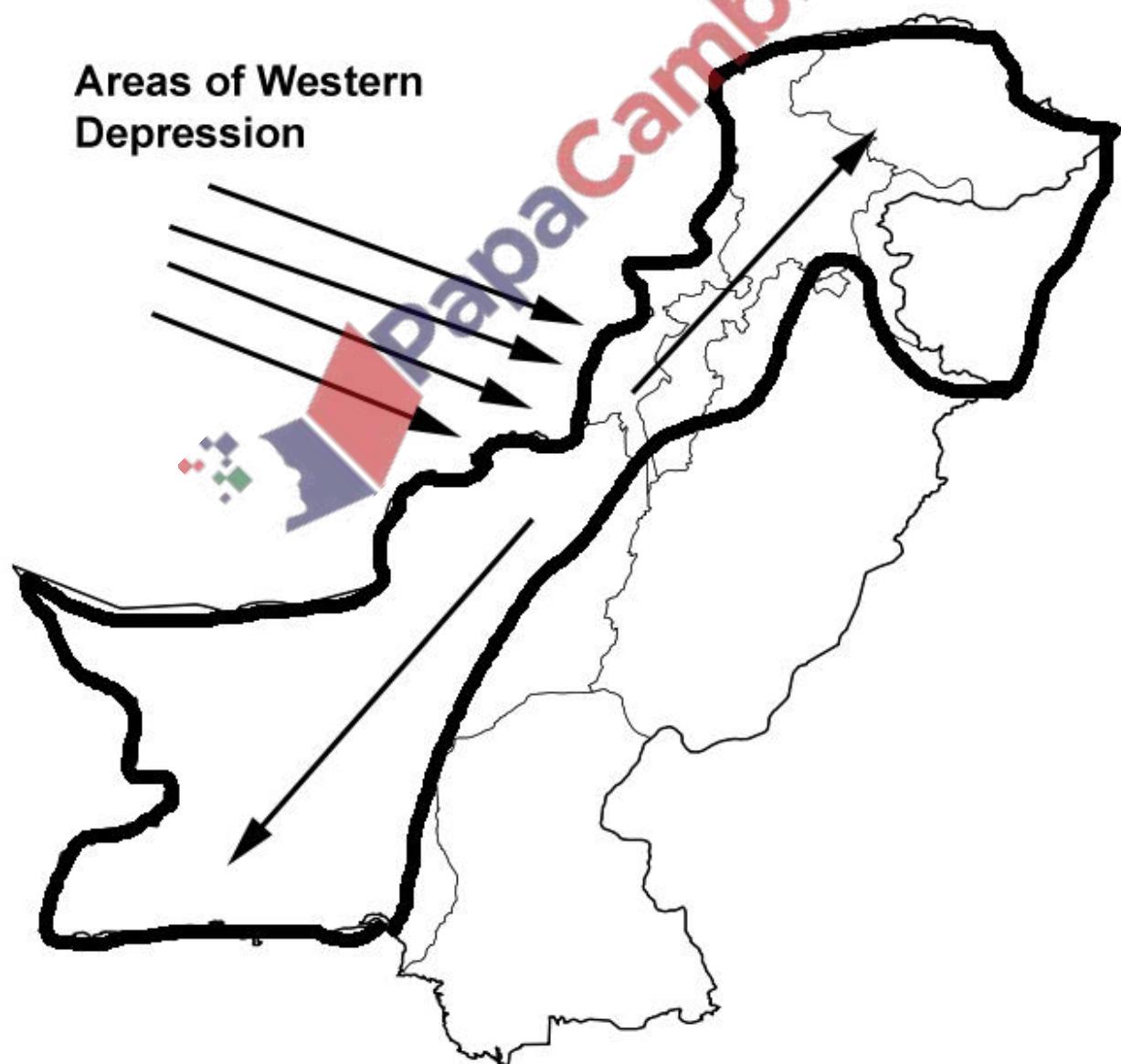
Western depression

Distribution

- western part of Pakistan e.g whole Balochistan and whole KPK
- Northern and western mountains e.g Himalaya, Karakoram and Hindu Kush
- Northern part of Punjab only
- No influence over central and southern part of Punjab and whole Sindh Province

Explanation

- come from Mediterranean(sea)
- Bring moisture/ cloud/ water
- cooling causes condensation
- explanation of cyclonic rainfall (warm wind comes into contact with cold winds so cyclone/frontal conditions appear)



Convectional rain

Distribution

- Northern Mountains
- Northern part of Punjab
- some parts of KPK e.g Peshawar
- No thunderstorms/convectional rain in the southern part of Pakistan b/c of temp inversion layer

Formation

- In summer, air/wind rise due to high temp
- rising of winds causes drop in temp with height
- Drop in temp causes condensation process so rain takes place

tropical Cyclone

Distribution

- Develop in ocean or sea
- Coastal areas of Pakistan
- Makran Coast in Balochistan Province
- Sindh Coast in Sindh province
- Occasionally hit the coastal areas of Pakistan e.g Makran and Sindh coast

Relief rain explanation

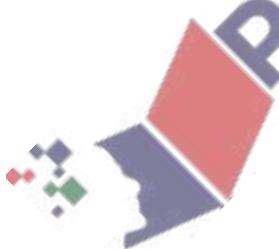
- Moisture laden winds rise on the windward side
- rising causes drop in temp and causes condensation
- rain on windward side
- No/limited rain on other side Aka Leeward side

Timing of Floods in Pakistan:- In summer during July when Monsoon coincides with melting of snow

DROUGHTS

types and definitions

- Permanent Drought:- Occurs in desert e.g Thar, Thal, Kharan. Very low rainfall throughout the year.
- Seasonal Drought:- Occurs in certain seasons where rain is not produced from source
- Invisible Drought:- Shortage of water surface and underground in an area. Not severe.
- Unpredictable Drought:- Occurs in Humid areas (good rainfall). Not severe.
- Meteorological Drought:- Occurs as a result of very long dry period of low rainfall.
- Agricultural Drought:- Insufficient water supply to grow crops. Shortage of rainfall, Underground and surface water.
- Hydrological Drought:- Shortage of water supply in reservoirs, rivers, lake and underground water on account of increased consumption rate/demand.



DEVELOPMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

River Indus

- >starts from lake Mansarwar
- >Two Tributaries:
 - Eastern: Jhelum, Chenab, Rabi and Sutlej
 - Western: Kabul, Kurram, Gomal

Imp:

- >Gives water to dry areas (Southern Sindh, Southern Punjab)
- >Generates HEP
- >Regerates Soil Fertility
- >Supports Fresh Water Fishing
- >Provision of water for domestic and industrial purposes

Indus has a greater discharge rate than other rivers:

- >Greater Length and Width
- >Tributaries
- >Glaciers of N.M Feed it
- >Large catchment area

Why River Ravi has less discharge

- >Less Length and Width
- >Tributary of Indus
- >Less Glaciers
- >Small catchment are
- >Indus Water Treaty

Reasons for less discharge in winter:

- >Most precipitation is in snow

- ^Extremely cold/low temperature so it doesn't melt
- >Pakistan is on the tail end of the Western Depression course
- ^...So only West and North receive Western Depression

How underground water is tapped:

Traditionally: Karez, Persian Wheel, Charsa, Shaduf, Open Wells
Modern Methods: Tube Wells

Importance of underground water:

- >Household uses
- >Industrial Uses (making soft drinks)
- >Water for agriculture
- >Supports fruit, crop, livestock farming in dry areas
- >Supports commercial farming in Indus Plain

How it's polluted:

- >Toxic Industrial Waste
- >Sewage + Industrial Waste from stagnant pools/ponds
- >Excessive Fertilizer/Pesticide use can seep into the ground
- >Mineral Waste can seep into the ground (if minerals aren't properly dumped)

Uses of Water in Industries:

In Cotton Textileups

- >Washing, Bluing, Cleaning, Bleaching, Dying, Printing

In Tanning Industry:

- >Washing, Dying

In Food Processing Industry:

- >Juices, Squashes, Syrups, Beverages

In Pharmaceutical Industry:

- >Making Injections, Syrups, I.V Infusions

In Thermal Power Plants

- >Heated to make steam to turn turbines

Irrigation Methods:

Why Pakistan Needs one:

- >Low annual rainfall (less than 250mm)
- >High evo-transpiration rate due to high temperatre
- >High variability in the distribution of rain e.g: Monsoon is only in Eastern Pakistan, Western Depression is in the West.
- >High Variability in the amount of rain (North receives more than the South)
- >Timing of the rain is invariable

Canal irrigation is easy when there is a presence of:

Natural:

- >Flat open land, Soft thick soil,
- >Presence of Indus and Tributaries makes building barrages (to divert and >control water supply) easy,
- >High amount of Monsoon rain fills reservoirs and rivers in summer, >Natural slope makes movement in canals easy.*Human:*
- >High demand of water for agriculture in Punjab, Sindh
- >Many workers available at cheap rates in Punjab and Sindh

N.Mountains have a limited canal irrigation system:

- >Steep slopes
- >Low water supply due to cold
- >Mostly small scale barani farmers
- >Less Water Demand
- >Terraced Fields present

Traditional Methods:

- >Persian Wheel (cow plus wheels)
- >Charsa (Donkey plus bucket on pole)
- >Shaduf/Dhenkli (Human plus see saw with bucket on pole)
- >Karez (Bigass underground structure)

Advantages/Disadvantages of Traditional Irrigation Method

- +Easy, Cheap construction
- +Zero running cost (No Fuel + Electricity)
- +Local Raw Materials used
- Slow bec animal power
- Interrupted Water Supply
- Limited Water Supply
- Small area irrigated

Separate Adv/Disadv of Karez:

- +Suitable in dry areas where evaporation is high
- +Supplies to farms/fields/orchards thus good in dry area
- +Constant supply of water
- +Cheap to construct (No machinery or raw material required)
- +Can be shared by 500ish people
- Digging of Long Tunnels is hard
- Useless if underground sources are depleted (thus, limited supply)
- Needs constant cleaning from sand + dust
- Slow

Tubewell (Modern Underground irrigation method)

- +Faster, saves time
- +Gives constant supply of water
- +Water is taken from a depth
- +No animal/human power needed
- +Supplies to a large area
- +Less water logging and salinity (lowers water table)
- +Supplies clean water
- Expensive
- Run by electricity or fuel
- Needs repair/maintenance
- Not suitable in areas where water table is already low

Modern Surface Irrigation Methods:

- >Perennial Canals (Permanent, come from a dam/barrage, travel far)
- ^Supply controlled by storing in reservoirs, released by gates, penstocks generate HEP and control flow, as do head works.
- +Have water throughout the year
- +Provide water during the dry season
- +Support agriculture in all seasons (Rabi and Kharif)
- +Have pressure
- +Water can travel higher and further
- +Supply can be controlled
- Unlined canals can cause water logging and salinity
- Expensive to build (long distance, dam and barrage joining)
- Siltation problem
- Desiltation is difficult

Traditional Surface Irrigation methods:

- +Oldest Method still used
- +Surplus Water is utilized during flood
- Only have water in flood/rainy season
- Can't support commercial/large scale agriculture
- Rather short
- Can't take water to high areas

Sprinklers:

- +No leveling/shaping of land needed
- +Can be applied to variable topography
- +Suitable for most crops
- +Flexible (heads available in many discharge capacities)
- +Chemicals are easily applied
- +Good in areas where soil erosion is high
- +Water isn't wasted
- Affected by wind
- High maintenance is needed
- System Failure is possible
- Installation is expensive
- Rice requires more supply of water than it provides

Drip Irrigation

Water is dripped slowly on the root zone of plants through tubes, pipes, emitters.

- +Good for areas with less water
- +Plants grow effectively
- +Fertilizers can be used
- +Easy to separate unwanted plants from growing
- +Best for areas where soil erosion, water logging, evaporation problems
- Can get clogged
- Addition of salt in root zone can only be washed away by supportive irrigation system/surface irrigation system,
- Initial cost is high
- Rice requires much more water than this provides

WATER LOGGING:

Reaching of underground water close to sub surface soil or sometimes on a surface, resulting in pools in the surface where crops can't grow

>Stops availability of oxygen, making plant growth/production difficult

>Stops plants absorbing

SALINITY:

Thick layer of salt is left behind by evaporation of water which is reached on surface due to high water table

>Clogs/Plugs roots. Making water extraction difficult

>Excessive amount of chloride and sodium accumulate in leaves

Causes:

>Unlined Canals

>Excessive seepage

>Poor farming techniques (Excessive irrigation where water table is high, poor leveling, poor drainage, surplus of water, salt in water)

Effects on farmers:

>Land becomes waste land

>Livelihood of farmers is affected

>Poverty, Unemployment increased

>Rural Urban Migration

>Reclamation is costly

Controlling of this:

Waterlogging: >Canal Lining

> Proper farming techniques (leveling, drainage)

>Sinking Tubewells to lower water table

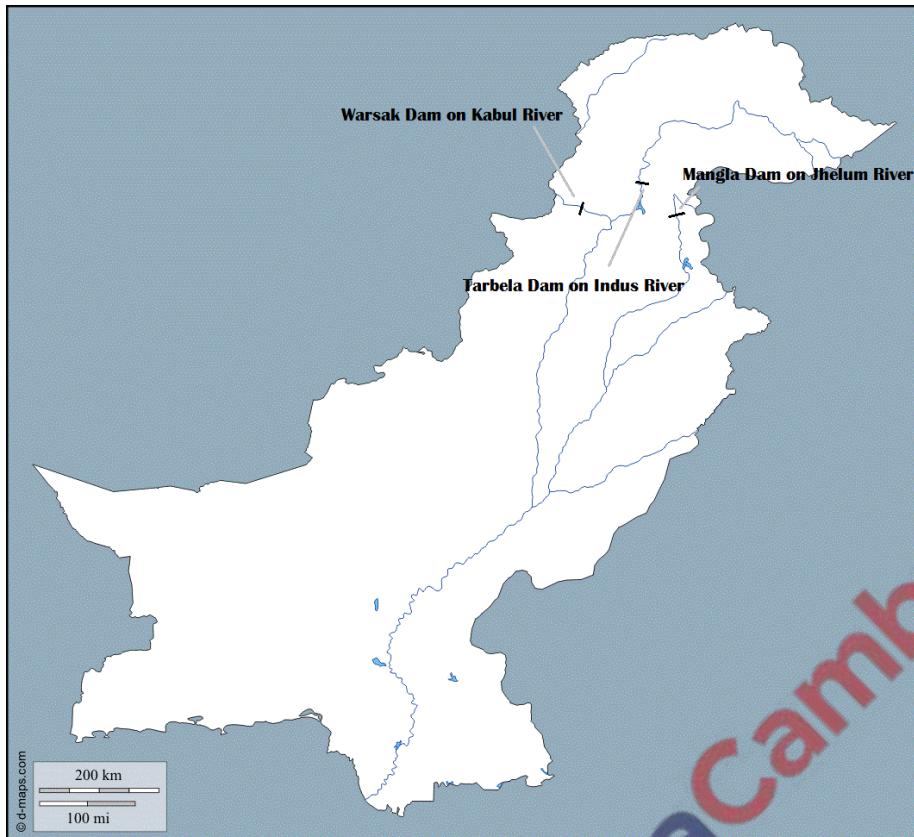
>Biological Drainage: (Plants that lower water table: Astonea)

>Canal Closure in areas of high water table

>Left Fallow system (Particular portion of land under cultivation should be purposefully unutilized so seepage may reduce)

SCARP = Salinity control and reclamation project

DAMS AND BARRAGES IN PAKISTAN



Factors important for selecting dams:

- >Presence of deep, wide mountainous valley
- >Fast flowing river (so the reservoir fills quickly)
- >Glaciers (snow melting provides water)
- >Higher Precipitation rate than evaporation so less loss of water
- >Hard impermeable rocks at bottom to support heavy dam wall
- >Presence of Height to help produce HEP

Barrage:

>Long wall built across river to hold and store water with sluice gates.

>Locations on Indus

Punjab: Jinnah, Chashma, Taunsa

Sindh: Guddu, Sukkur, Kotri

Dams and Barrages, Similarities (+) and Differences (-)

-Larger quantity in dams

- Dams present on high mountains but barrages are present on plain areas
- Barrages provide crossing of river
- Dams produce HEP
- +Both store water
- +Both control floods
- +Both provide water for irrigation, industries and domestic use

Comparison between large/small dams

- Large vs Small quantity
- Small dams rarely produce HEP
- Large dams irrigate vast areas
- Silting is a large problem in Large dams
- High maintenance cost in Large dams
- Long Construction time in Large dams
- More people displaced in Large dams
- Bigger impact on ecology of delta by Large dam
- +Both store water
- +Both control floods
- +Both provide water for irrigation, industries and domestic use

Comparison between Barrages and Headworks

- Barrages built higher than river to serve as a reservoir and to control flood, but no flood control in head works
- Headworks are built across river at same level just to divert and distribute water into canals
- Barrages are wider and higher
- +Both are constructed across river and have parallel gates
- +Both divert and distribute water into perennial or link canals

Siltation:

Desposition of eroded material taken by rivers from mountainous course into river channels, canals, barrages and dams.

Causes:

- >High Erosion rate due to naturally steep slopes
- >Deforestation means loose soil
- >Absence of Silt Control policies, programs.

Effects:

- >Reduction in water holding capacity
- ^Causes floods
- ^Affects HEP and Agriculture
- ^Weakening of foundation of dams
- ^Aquatic Weed and Algae Growth is stimulated
- ^Less recreational use (e.g: Boating)
- ^Degrades habitats for fish population

Controlling:

- >Plantation on mountains to strengthen soil
- >Installing silt traps before reservoirs
- >Raising the height of the dam
- >Lining of Canals (makes cleaning easier)

INDUS WATER TREATY

1960, Between Pakistan and India, with the World Bank as a mediator, Financial assistance by Australia, Canada, USA, UK, W.Germany, New Zealand. Pakistan got Indus, Jhelum, Chenab. India got Ravi, Sutlej, Beas. Numerous dams, barrages, canals built with supervision from WAPDA

Reasons:

- >Water Dispute began after demarcation of boundaries
- >Head works of Pakistani canals went to India
- >India threatened and stopped Pakistani water during border tension
- >Thus necessary to:
 - ^Save Pakistan's agrarian economy
 - ^Avoid food crisis
 - ^Prevent Large area of Punjab and Sindh converting to Desert (that area is Arid, Semi Arid)
 - ^To avoid conflict

It has lost importance:

- >India has been ignoring clauses of it by initiating HEP projects in occupied Kashmir on Indus River + tributaries
- >India has a large population and growing energy need

- >Mega Projects like dams/barrages pays the way for India to claim Kashmir and Indus System
- >Pakistan hasn't raised a violation at the right time on an international platform
- >No discussion to make it acceptable to both with the passage of time and need
- >Uncompromising attitude of both countries

Water Pollution

Causes: Dumping of Industrial, Solid, Sewage Waste. Usage of Chemicals

Effects:

- >Underground water is contaminated, unfit for consumption (can cause intestinal diseases).
- >Unfit for agriculture (Chemical is transferred into human food).
- >Affects Marine life (Thus human life).
- >Extensive use of chemicals in agriculture stalemates the growth of algae, which absorbs oxygen and marine life is affected (Eutrophication)

Control: >Strict rules on industries for disposal

- >Awareness by education and realization of the importance of environment
- >Installation of Treatment Plants in Industries
- >Proper Dumping of Solid Waste
- >Treatment of sewage waste
- >Discouragement of excessive chemical use

Sustainable development of water:

- >Awareness of water usage
- >Lining of Canals
- >Making of new reservoirs to store surplus flood water
- >Minimizing Pollution of water
- >Implementation of Strict Rules
- >Sea Water use by desalination

Problems of water shortages:

- >Less Crop production:
- >Affects livestock animals
- >Industrial functions get affected
- >Construction Industry affected bec making of plaster needs water
- >Thermal power plants are the largest water consumers, so less electricity
- >High temp companies need water to make silicon chips
- >Decreased food intake, Nutrient absorption weaken Immune system
- >Family members in rural areas may be forced to carry water over long distances, causing deformities and problems
- >Lack of cleanliness
- >Personal Hygiene is neglected

Increasing Water supply in Pakistan/Fixing shortage of water

- >New dams
- >Collecting rainwater (underground tanks or large ponds)
- >New canals to dry areas
- >Treatment of polluted water
- >Awareness for conserving water
- >Education to farmers
- >Lining of canals
- >Plantation on floothills

Problems/Why Pakistan is facing a shortage of water.

- >Low rain in Pakistan
- >....Thus insufficient rainfall
- >Rise in temperature means more evaporation
- >Limited water supply in River Indus due to Indus water treaty 1960
- >Limited number of dams, barrages
- >Unlined Canals lead to more seepage or wastage
- >Govt does not capital funds to upgrade existing system
- >Growth of industries pollutes water, increases demand
- >Siltation reduces water
- >Some parts of Balochistan are too remote to irrigate

FORESTS

- >4.8% of Pakistan is covered in Forests
- >Productive: Natural Forests, of High density, Good commercial value bec timber
- >Protection: Planted by man, Linear Plantation (Lines)> Found along roads, parks railways, low commercial value. Stop soil erosion, help control the environment

Mixed Forests: Many Trees species. 10% or more belong to one species

Pure: One tree species is dominant. 90% cover of one species.

Importance:

- >Raw Material
- >Soil Erosion
- >Lower temperature
- >Shade
- >Helps in rain (Transpiration)
- >Clean the atmosphere (Oxygen)
- >Increase Soil Fertility (Decomposition of leaves)
- >Natural Habitat for animals
- >Increases scenic beauty (hence tourism)
- >Prevents desert forming (by preventing erosion)
- >Provides employment (Forest Guards etc)
- >Prevents floods
- >Recharges underground water (absorption of water through roots)

Products of Forests in Pakistan:

Main:

Firewood.

Timber: Construction, Furniture, Pulp, Sports Goods

Minor:

Resin: Varnishes

Mazri: Baskets, Mats, Packing purposes

Ephedra: Medication

Deforestation:

- >To grow crops
- >Exploitation of minerals
- >Making Infrastructure
- >For building dams, bridges
- >Urbanization
- >Overgrazing
- >Firewood

Effects:

- >No roots to hold soil = Soil Erosion
- >No leaves to intercept rain = Less nutrients for agriculture
- >Siltation (Less water in reservoirs and dams) (Less production of HEP, Irrigation)
- >More floods (=Destruction. Life loss, Crop loss, Livestock lost, infrastructure damaged)
- >Silt is deposited on farmland, more silt hence nutrients (Positive)
- >Less transpiration = Less rainfall = Less barani yield
- >Loss of natural habitat
- >Shortage of Fuel Wood, Timber or wood industry (More timber import)
- >People may have to move
- >Air Pollution (Less O₂)
- >More landslide

Solutions:

- >Selective Cutting
- >Heavy machinery only in forests (saves small plants)
- >More Reforestation
- >Land should be reserved for fuel wood (So timber wood isn't used for fuel)
- >Forestation on hill slopes (Terracing, Contour Ploughing, Strip Farming)
...which will reduce Soil Erosion, Silting, Flooding
- >Increasing Forest awareness (NGO's, etc)
- >Supply of N.Gas in N. Mountains
- >Nurseries for more plants
- >Forest Laws strictly implemented

Forest Types:

1) Coniferous Forests:

- >Evergreen, Conical (Sloping branches to shed snow)
- ..Needle shaped leaves, Thick Leathery Leaves (Less transpiration)
- ..Thick Bark (Tolerates Cold)
- ..Shallow roots (Absorbs water from melting snow)
- >Found between 1000 and 4000m of height from sea level.

Main Areas: The North (Gilgit Baltistan), Abbotabad, Murree, Mansera, Quetta

Importance: Timber (wood industries, construction, furniture)

Floods reduced (water supply regulated)

Roots hold soil (Less erosion)

Scenic Beauty (Promotes Tourism)

Reduce Air Pollution (Oxygen)

2) Alpine

>Stunted Growth

>Roots spread sideways (More Nutrients)

>Upward Branches (More sunlight)

>Above 4000m sea land

Main Areas: N.Areas. Mountains

Importance: Fuel Wood

3) Bela

>Planted by men (Protective Forests)

>Linear, Equally spaced

>Same specie/size/height

Main Areas: N.Areas+Mountains

Importance: Reduce Temperature (through transpiration)

Reduce Erosion of Banks

Give Shade

Reduces Air Pollution (Oxygen)

Reduces Erosion of Banks

Reduces Flooding

4) Mangroves

>Broad Leaves, More Sunlight

>Leathery Leaves (Reduce Transpiration)

>Survives in salty waters (Roots, Filter Salts, Leaves excrete extra soil)

>Found at sea level

Main Areas: Deltas, Indus and Hab.

Importance: >Timber for boat making, and house making

> Leaves (Food for livestock)

> Holds soil (Prevents coastal soil erosion)

> Protection (No tsunamis as they absorb shock waves)
(Prevents Cyclones)

>Habitat for wild life (Importance for Fish Industry)

(Breeding Ground, Predator Protection for Fish, plankton as food)

5) Tropical/Sub Tropical Dry Forests

>Small/Medium Height

>Rounded Bushes

>Hardwood

>Deciduous (sheds in Autumn)

Main Areas: UIP, LIP, Sindh Plain, Thar+Kharan deserts, Potwar Plateau

Importance: Protection from flooding (regulates water supply)

Fire/Fuel wood for cooking + heating

Leaves eaten by livestock

Shades

Reduces Air Pollution (Provides O₂)

6) Irrigated Forests (Same as Bela)

>Man Planted

>Linear

>Equally spaced



>Same Specie

>Same Height

>Regular Water Supply

Main Areas: Thal, Bhawalpur, Changa Manga, Chicha Watni (Sahiwal),

Guddu, Taunsa barrage

Importance: Tourism

Wood for railway

Firewood for domestic uses

>Pakistan needs more of this (Growing Population)

>In wood based Industry (Helps reduce import of Timber)

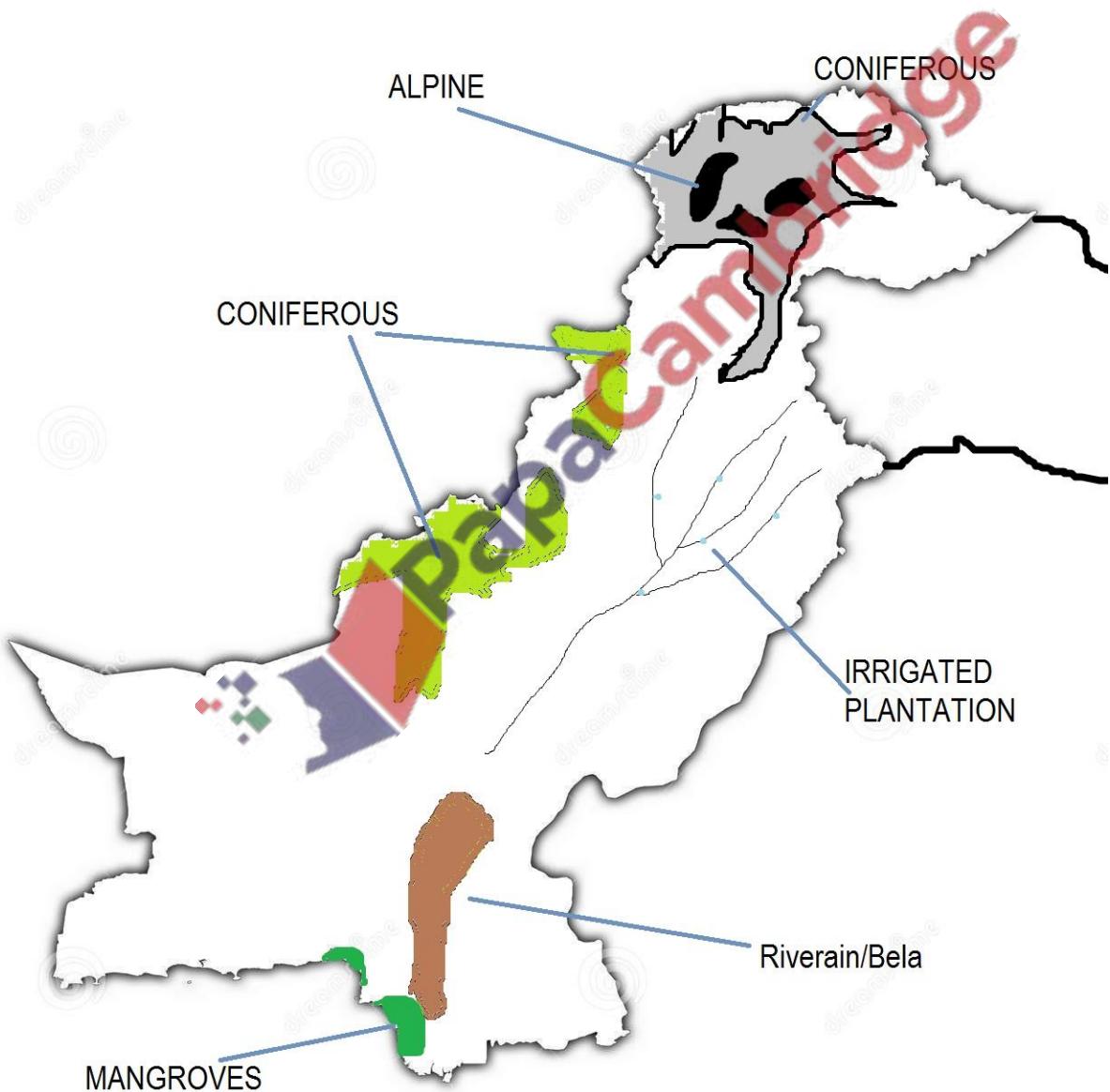
^e.g: Furniture, Sports good, Paper

>Compensation for deforestation

- >Refuces Water logging
- >Prevents Soil Erosion in Banks

Why irrigation is necessary for new plantation of trees:

- >Low rainfall (Seasonal, High evo transpiration, Irregular thus undependable)
- >Roots need water



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MINERAL RESOURCES

Non-metallic minerals in Pakistan

- rock salt
- Limestone
- Gypsum
- coal

Main metallic materials in Pakistan

- Copper
- Chromite

Mining methods

- Open cast/pit mining:- Applied when seam/layer is close to surface. Upper layer of earth removed. Minerals extracted by power shovels, excavation or blasts.
- Adit/dift mineral:- Applied when mineral seam/layer is found along the slop or hill of mountain. The main opening or the tunnel is made at horizontal direction to access minerals.
- Shaft Mining:- Applied when layer/seam is found deep underground. The tunnel is made at vertical direction to access mineral. Elevators used.
- Quarrying:- same as open-cast. Adopted to extract limestone or building materials.

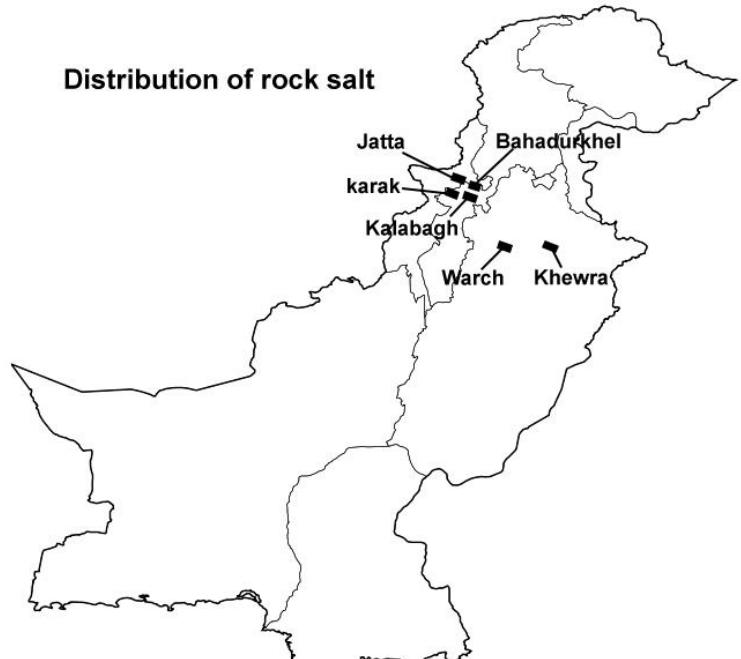
Distribution



Rock salt

- Mainly found in the Punjab
- it is found at khewra (salt range in potwar plateau in Panjab)
- It is found in NWFP e.g Jutta, bahadurkhel and karak.

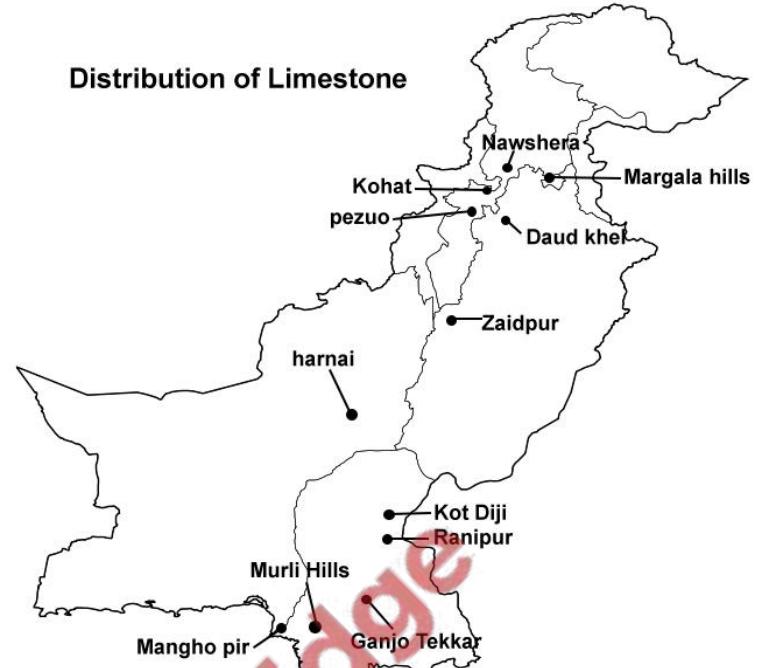
Distribution of rock salt



Limestone

- It is widespread in Pakistan
- Found in almost all provinces
- mainly concentrated in north eastern part of Punjab e.g Satl range, Daud khel etc.
- It is also found in southern part of Sindh e.g Ganjo Takkar, Murli Hilla and Mangho pir.
- It is found at one place in balochistan at Harnai.
- It is also found in NWFP e.g Kahat, Nowshera and Pezou.

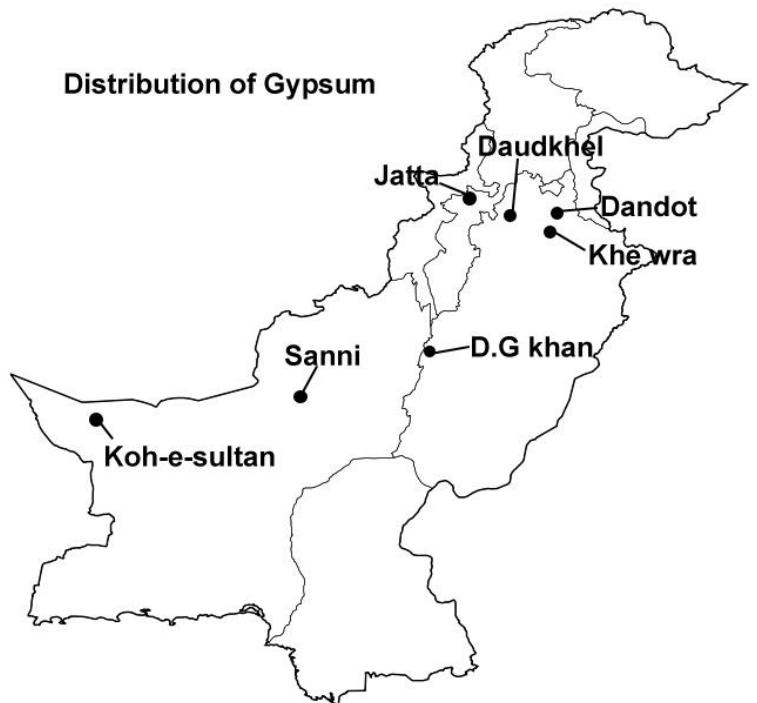
Distribution of Limestone



Gymsum

- It is not widespread in Pakistan
- Mainly found In Panjab province e.g Dandot and Daudkhel
- It is also found in NWFP e.g Jatta

Distribution of Gypsum



Uses

Rock salt

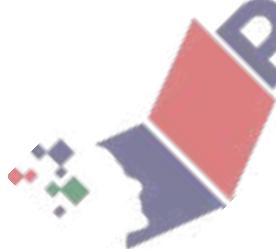
- cooking
- preservation
- Use in chemical industry eng Soda Ash, Bicarbonate of soda
- Textile industry e.g dying, bleaching
- making artificial rubber
- for melting of snow
- in Fire extinguishers

Limestone

- Making cement
- paper, glass soap
- removing dirt from sugar mills
- Used in steel mills for smelting process
- Used in rubber industry to give shape to rubbers in molds
- For treatment of waste and drinking water
- Painted on tree trunk to save from pests
- Lining of canals
- Poultry feed
- for reducing soil acidity and increase soil alkalinity

Gypsum

- cement
- paints
- fertilizers
- reduce soil acidity
- prevents water logging
- prime ingredient for toothpaste



FISHING

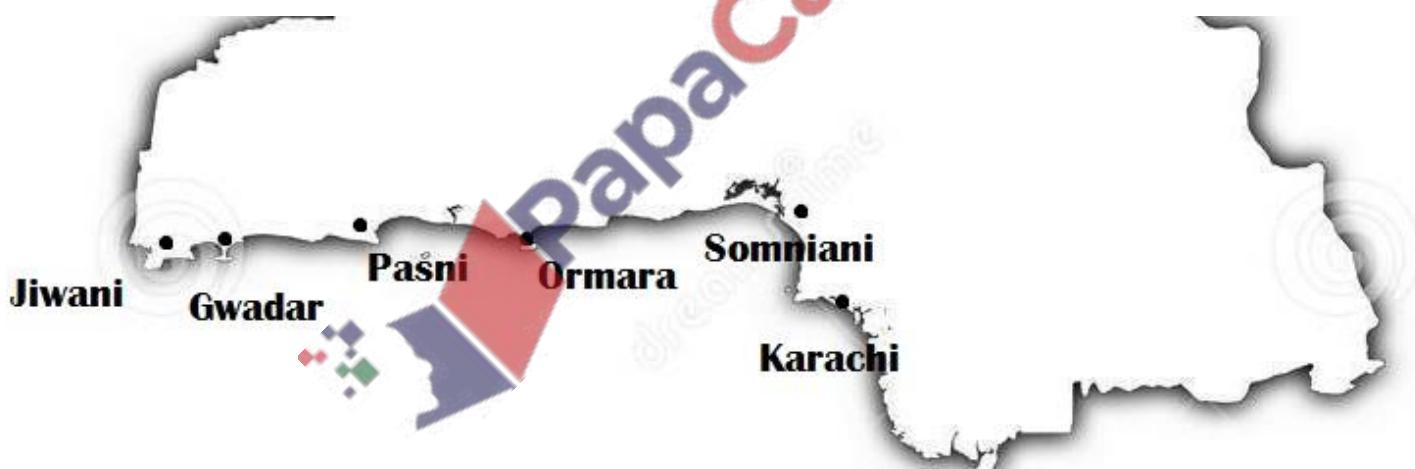
- >Oldest Occupation in the world
- >Important for people living near coast lines
- >1000km coast line. 750 of Baluchistan, 250 for Sindh

Uses:

- >Healthy
- >Waste makes fertilizer and poultry feed
- >Extracted oil is a medicine
- >Income for fishermen

Marine Fishing:

- >Fishing done in the oceans/seas.
- >Karachi and Gwadar are the only developed ports



Commercial fishing is only done in Karachi and Gwadar.

Landing Site: Site on coastal area where fish is dumped/landed/placed

In Balochistan: Damb, Gaddani, Jiwani, Ormara, Pishukan, Surbandar

Fishing methods in commercial marine fishing:

Boats: Big Trawlers, large ships, proper cold storage, Radio, GPS

Powerful engines (can go off coast), Lots of Fuel,

Nets: Gillnets (nets that set like a fence that fish swim into like Spongebob)

Nylon Nets, Strong nets, Good mesh size (young fish can escape)

Storage: Cold storage on ports and boats, Salted fish to preserve, Plastic

Baskets that can be cleaned

Fishing Methods in subsistence Fishing

Boats: Small wooden, can't go farther than 5km, cant stay long/go deep

No cold storage, no high fuel capacity, no GPS,

Nets: Tradition nets, small mesh size so very young fish can escape

(Known as Guju, Katra)

Storage: Straw Baskets that make storage unhygienic (cant be cleaned properly), Salted, Sun dried. Ice is put into baskets for storage.

Sindh Coast has a 70% Catch (30% in Makran)

>Sindh has larger continental shelf

(A continental shelf is a shallow water area which allows oxygen and sun rays to circulate freely in the water helping growth of plankton/fish food)

Types of Fish in the Sindh Coast:

>Crab, Lobster, Prawns, Sardines, Sharks

Types of Fish in Makran:

>Herring, Indian Mackerel, Sardine, Shark, Seacat, Hairtail, Small croaker, Tuna (Most sought after)

Inland Fish species:

>Manaseer, Palla, Thala, Rahu, Trout, Carp

Inland Fish Farms species:

>Moore, Rahu, tallah, Manaseer, Palla, Trout, Carp

More workforce in inland fishing:

>Large Population in Punjab and Sindh (Abundant and cheap labour)

>Govt Encouragement/Loans

>Hatcheries are necessary

Fish Processing processes:

>Gutting, Canning, Drying, Salted, Oil extracted....

Value Added/Processed/Packed products:

>Fish Finger, Cod Liver Oil, Gutted Fish, Frozen Fish, Tin/canned fish

Fish breeding months: June and July.

Inland Fishing Areas:

>Punjab: Man made ponds near rivers, canals

>Sindh: River Indus (Sukkur, Kotri and Thatta) lakes (Kairi, Halegi, Manchur)

>NWFP: Near Rivers and Canals (Kabul) Dams (warsak)

Inland Fish Farms:

>Man Made, Ponds dug to keep and breed fishies

>Natural Lakes (aka Tobas) used as farms in Sindh

>Long thin rectangles, present in grid patterns (to separate species)

>Raised embankments made by mud to separate ponds

>Lined with bricks or cement, (Less seepage)

>Lined with Trees (Less evaporation)

Methods:

>Ponds half filled with insects

>Eggs hatched or small fishes brought in (Different specie in each pond)

>Food given regularly (e.g poultry waste)

>Health checked

>Water level checked

>Fish transferred b/w ponds by size for providing space, oxygen, food.

>Fully matured Fish caught by nets and delivered to markets

Favorable factors

Impervious soft soil, underground rivers for clean water, low evaporation

Flat land, large open lands

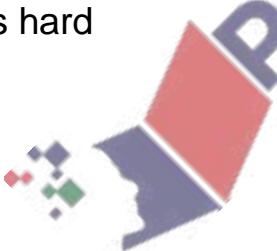
Dense population or labour, road network, capital, demand, canals, hatcheries.

ADV of Fish Industry:

- >Earning of foreign exchange by exporting fish
- >Employment generated (Fishermen, Fish dealers, Packing, Processing)
- >Healthy food is available
- >Infrastructure developed
- >Acquiring of new technology/methods (engines, machines, radar, GPS)
- >Growth of other industries (Boat making, net making, processing, Packing)
- >Fish farms give quick profit in 3-4 months
- >No pest, disease danger
- >Cheap Inputs in fish farming

disADV of Fish Industry:

- >Not enough skilled workers
- >Expensive to lay down roads, Railway, Electricity, Technology
- >New technology is expensive (radar System, Satellites, GPS, Sonar)
- >Higher chances of overfishing
- >More Rural to Urban Migration
- >Water Pollution (e.g: Dumping of unwanted dead fish species)
- >New Infrastructure needs capital
- >Loadshedding
- >No Fishing in breeding season
- >Sustainability is hard



AGRICULTURE

Types:

>Arable >Pastoral >Mixed

Barani Crops:

>Wheat, Millet, Pulses, Oil Seeds, Maizes

Areas: Potwar Plateau, Pindi, Attock

Irrigated Farmland:

>Wheat, Sugarcane, Rice, Cotton

Areas: Upper and Lower Indus Plain

Cropping Season:

Rabi/Winter: Wheat, Barley, Grams.

Kharif: Rice, Cotton, Sugarcane, Maize, Millet.

Wheat:

....Indus Plain, Punjab and Nawabshah

....Important as a staple food of Pakistan

Requires:

>Warm Temperatures (10-20 while sowing) (25-30 harvesting)

>325m – 625m Rainfall

>Loamy Soil (Flat/well drained)

>Oct-Nov rain is helpful

>Dry Harvesting Season

Method:

>Fields Ploughed

>Seeded in Oct/Nov

>Irrigation:

...One month after sowing

...One month before harvest

- >Fertilizer and Nutrients added
- >Early Summer Harvest
- >Threshing, then transportation.

Byproduct: Chaff (Used in Animal Feed, Mudhouses)

Rice:

....Larkhana, Gujranwala, Sheikhupura, Sialkot

Requirements:

- >Hot Temperature 25-35.
- >Warm/Dry period for harvesting
- >Loamy/Clay/Alluvium/Flatland
- >11270 – 2000m rainfall.

Method:

- >Seed Nursery/Repairing Bunds
- >Fields prepared. Weeding/Flooding/Irrigating
- >Seedlings are transported
- >Fertilizers, Pesticides
- >Water Drained before harvesting
- >Harvested in Dry and Warm Conditions

Byproduct: Husk (Used or Animal Feed, Chipboards)



Cotton:

....Nawabshah, Bhawalpur, Bhawalnayar, Rahimyar Khan.

Requires:

- >Hot Temperatures 25-35
- >Dry Summer for Harvesting
- >Alluvia + Deep Spoil
- >Flatland
- >1000m Baarish

Method:

>Sowing of Seeds in April – May

>Irrigation:

...One month after sowing

...Two months after first irrigation

>Fertilizers and Pesticides applied

>Weeding, Picking.

>Transportation, then separating seeds from lint.

Byproduct: Seeds (Used as Animal Feed, Oil extracted)

Sugarcane:

...Nawabshah, Peshawar, Badeen, Faisalabad

Requires:

>High Temperatures (25-30)

>Dry Harvesting Time

>Alluvial Soil + Flatland + Deep

>1520mm rain

>Lotsa sunshine

>Well Drained Land

Method:

>Fields prepared by ploughing and irrigating

>Stalks buried underground

>Fertilizer/Pesticides

>Regular Irrigation + Weeding

>Top Parts harvested

...

>Quickly taken to factories, washed, scrubbed

>Crushed (for juice) Refined, Crystallized into Sugar.

Byproducts: Molasses (Chemical Industry, Ethylene)

Bogasses ka Chilka. (Fuel for mills and clipboards)

Minor Crops:

Maize:

....Mardan, Swat.

Requires: Alluvial Soil + Flatland

Uses: Edible Oil, Animal Feed.

Pulses:

....Thar, Pindi

Requires: Alluvial Soil, Flatland, Irrigation

Oil Seeds:

...Sialkot, Nawabshah

Requires: Alluvial Soil + Flatland + Irrigation + Rainfall+ 15< Temps always

Millets:

...Thar, Pindi.

Requires: Grows on poorer soils, flat land, is drought resistant.

Uses: Animal Feed

Tobacco

...Mardan, Peshawar

Uses: Exported. Chemical Fertilizers.

FRUIT FARMS

Temperate Fruits.

>Apples, Apricots, Almonds.

...>N. Balochistan , Swat, Hunza

.....^(Masbung, Pishin, Baltistan)

Because: Sunshine, Warmth, Flatland at the valley floors, rain.

Tropical Fruits.

>Bananas, Mangoes, Citrus Fruits.

...>N. Sindh and N. Punjab.

....Bec: Irrigation from River Indus, LIP flat land, Alluvial Soil,

Temps above even In winter, Monsoon Summer rain.

Date

...Khawar, Thar, Turban.

Because: Sunshine, Soil, Flatland, Irrigation through Karez.

Imp: Food, Shelter from strong wind, shade from intense desert heat.

Animals:

>BUFFALO:

Imp: Milk, Meat, Darft Animal, Hides, Leather Industry, Dung as Manure, Fertilizer and Fuel,

Locations: Bhawalpur, Multan and Thang.

Cows -> Cows -> Milk

-> Buffalo -> Prestige/Pride

Goats & Sheeps:

Imp: Wool, Meat (preferred), Hides Tanning, Dung, Fertilizer, Sure Footed.

Sure

Poultry:

Imp: Eggs, Meat.

Farming: Hens kept in sheds.

...Eggs hatched in Hatcheries.

...Small Chickens transferred to sheds, fed, vaccinated

...when old, of certain weight, transported to market for sale.

POWER RESOURCES

Different Power resources/Extraction methods.

-Coal:- Open cast/pit mining

 Shaft mining

 Adit/drift mining

-Mineral oil/crude oil/ petroleum:- Derrick/Oil rig

 Christmas tree

 Nodding Donkey

-Natural gas:-same extraction methods as Oil.

Power Generating plants.

-Thermal power plants

-Nuclear power plants

Renewable energy/ Power resources and Collecting methods

-Hydro-Electric Power(HEP):- Dams (most common)

-Solar energy:- Solar panels

-Wind power:- windmills (not common in Pakistan)

-Geothermal power:- (not present)

-Wave Power/Energy:- (totally absent)

-Tidal energy/power:- (not present)

-Biomass energy



-Biogas

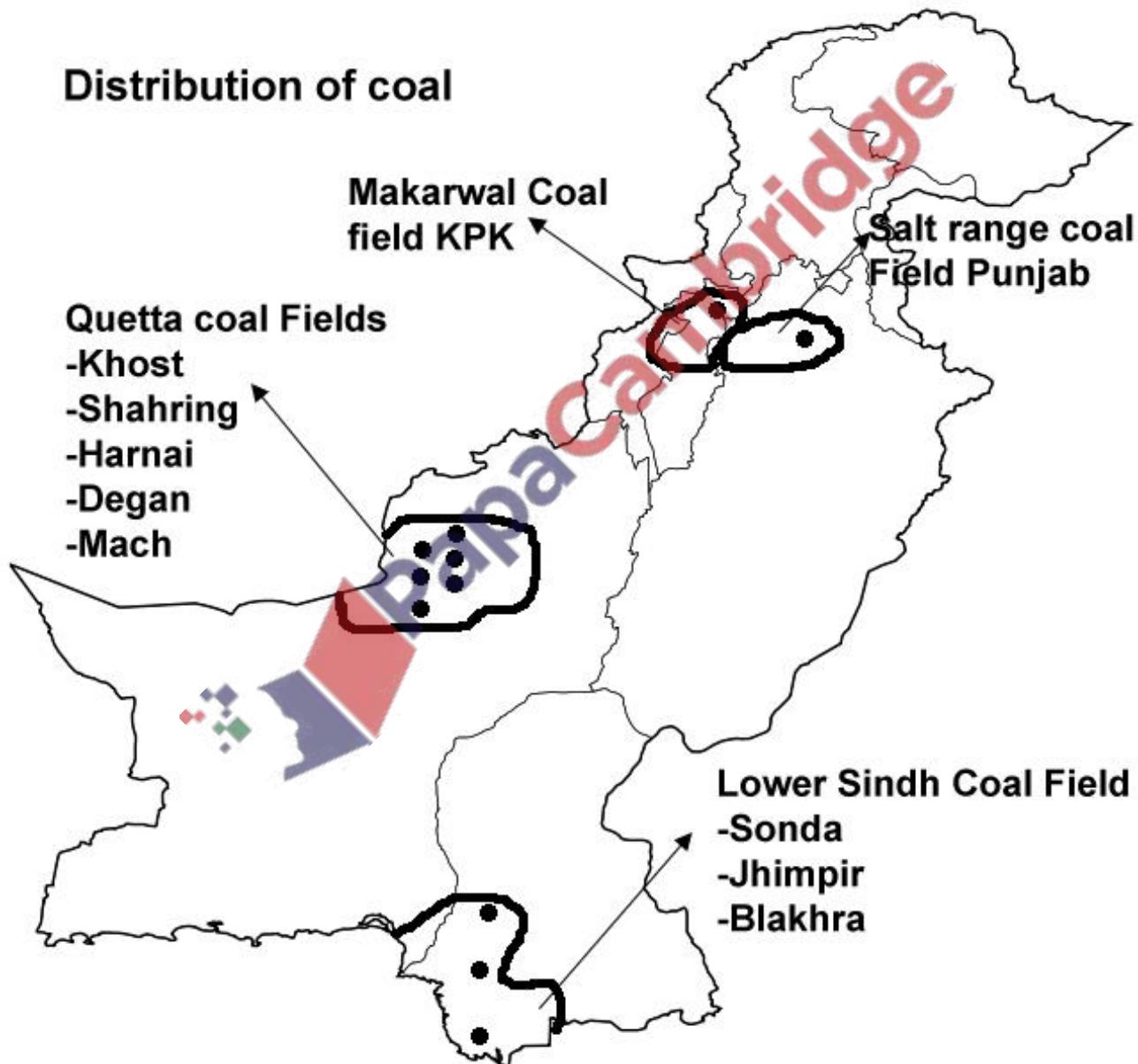
-Biofuel

Coal

Types (starting from best quality/highest carbon content/lowest water and sulfur mixed)

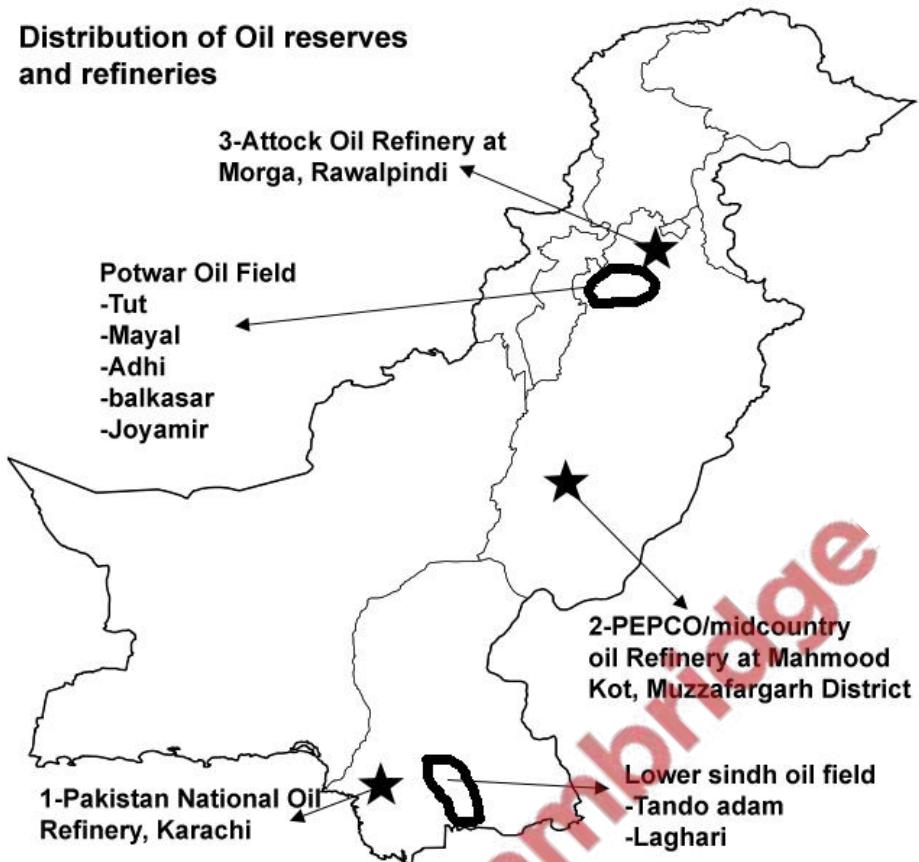
- Anthracite
- Bituminous (Bituminous+highly intense heat=coking coal)
- Lignite
- Peat

Distribution of coal

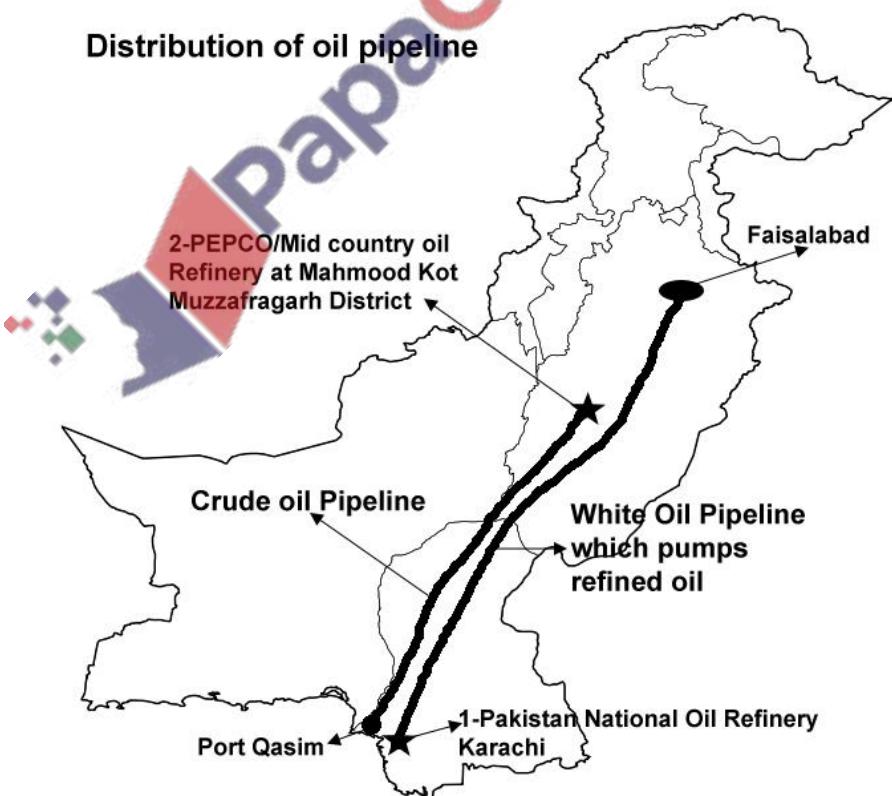


Oil

Distribution of Oil reserves and refineries



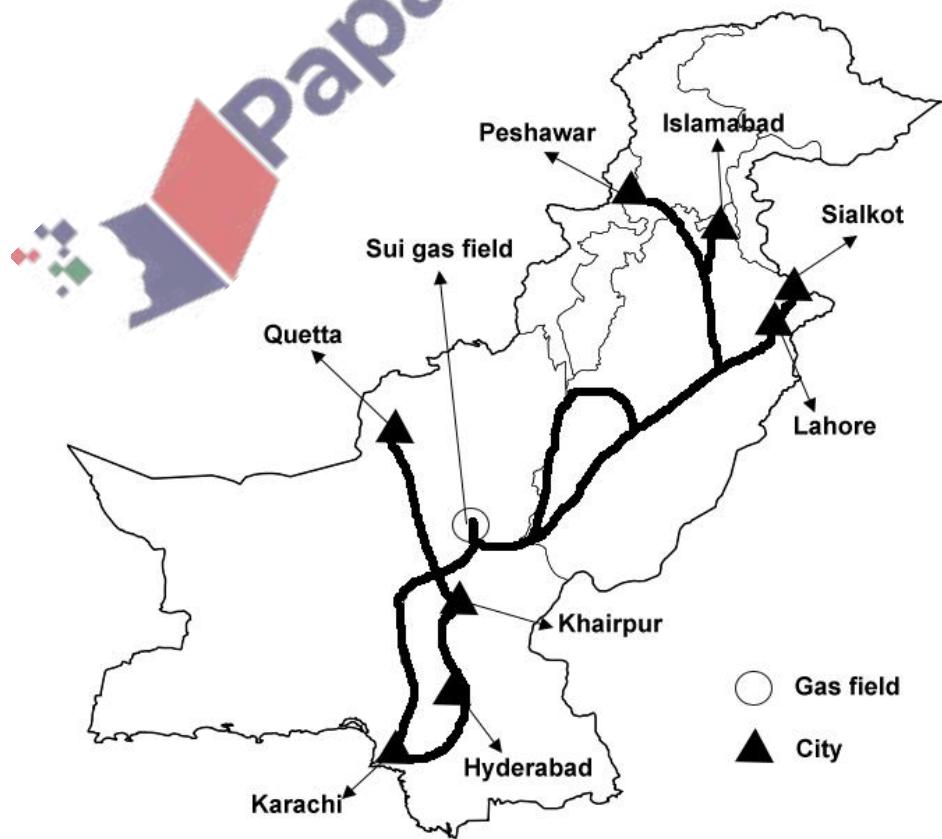
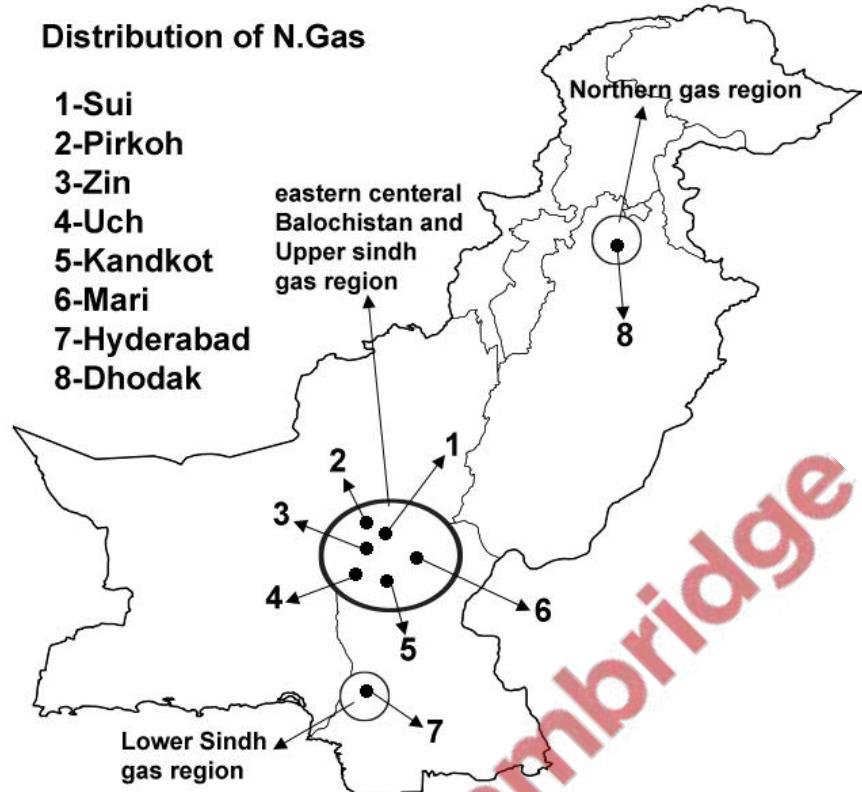
Distribution of oil pipeline



Natural Gas

Distribution of N.Gas

- 1-Sui
- 2-Pirkoh
- 3-Zin
- 4-Uch
- 5-Kandkot
- 6-Mari
- 7-Hyderabad
- 8-Dhodak



HEP DAMS

Major/multipurpose dams in Pakistan

- Mangla Dam on River Jhelum
- Tarbela Dam on river Indus
- Warsak Dam on River Kabul

Small dams in Pakistan

- Gomal zam Dam on Gomal river in KPK
- Hub Dam on Hub river in Balochistan
- Khanpur dam on the Haro River in KPK
- Mirani Dam on the Dasht river in Balochistan

Nuclear power plants

Distribution/Location

- Karachi Nuclear power plant/ KANPP
- Chasma Nuclear power plant 1 near Mianwali in Punjab
- Chasma Nuclear power plant 2 near Khushab in punjab



TRADE

Gross Domestic Product:

Total Value of goods produced and services provided in a country during one year.

Gross National Product:

Total Value of goods and services provided by the citizens either living in a country or outside of a country.

Differences:

>Inside/Outside difference

>GDP is best for seeing country's local economy's strength, GNP is best for seeing how well nationals are doing economically

>GDP is preferred

>GDP can highlight role and contribution of an economic sector in economy (e.g: Agriculture)

Similarities:

>Both get total market/monetary value of goods and services in a country

Visible Trade: Tangible. Import/Export of Goods

Invisible Trade: Untangible. Import/Export of a service

Pakistan Export Trend:

...Gradually shifting from raw materials to manufactured goods (Thanks to Green Revolution, Industry growth)

Pakistan Import Trend:

...Gradually shifting from manufactured goods to raw materials

Trading Partners of Pakistan:
(imports/exports of Pakistan)

USA:

Imports: Machinery (Agricultural, Mining etc), Wheat, Vegetable Oil

Exports: Carpets, Rugs, Surgical Instruments, Sports Goods

GERMANY:

Imports: Machinery, Electrical Appliances

Exports: Carpets, Rugs, Surgical Instruments, Sports Goods, Cotton Cloth

UK:

Imports: Machinery, Electrical Appliances, Fertilizer

Exports: Carpets, Rugs, Surgical Instruments, Sports Goods, Raw Cotton, Fruits

SAUDIA, UAE:

Imports: Mineral Oil, Petroleum

Exports: Spices, Rices, Readymade Garmets

JAPAN:

Imports: Machinery, Electrical Appliances:

Exports: Fish + Fish products

SRI LANKA:

Imports: Tea

Exports: Fish +Fish Products, Military Hardware

Only positive balance of trade of Pakistan is with Sri Lanka.

WHY DO FOREIGN TRADE EVEN ??

>Stimulates Economic Activity

>Economy of scale is achieved

>Employment (Industries grow, ports)

>Allows specialization of goods (Like Pakistan's sports goods industry)

>Domestic Resources are utilized (e.g: Our Agricultural Resources)

>Exports earn F.E

>Flow of IT (Development of IT resources. Encouraged by trade)

>GDP improved

>Value added products are exported

>Foreign Exchange can be used to buy imports

>Less loans

Trade Routes of Pakistan:

Land: With India on the East.

Afghanistan on the N.W (Bolan, Khyber Pass)

China, on the North (Khunjerab Pass KKH)

Iran, on the S.W (RCD highway – isn't well maintained)

SEA PORTS OF PAKISTAN

>Port of Karachi

>Port bin Qasim

>Port Gwadar

Balance of trade is the difference between visible imports and visible exports. A negative balance of trade means more goods are imported than exported

Balance of payments is the difference between (visible and invisible imports) and (visible and invisible exports).

WAYS OF EARNING FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Hidden earnings

Remittances

Export of goods

SEA PORT FACILITIES:

Fire extinguishers

Coast Guard

Docks for maintenance of ships

Passenger lounges

Re-fuelling of ships

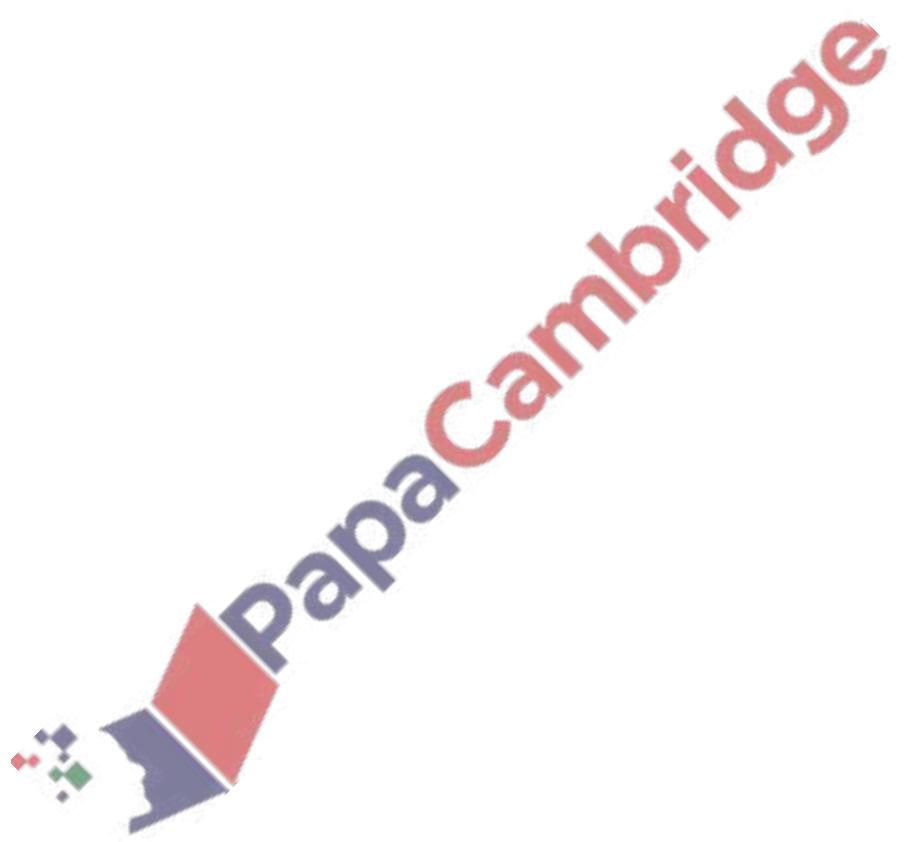
Warehouses

Offices

Water, Communication and Transport facilities

Quarantine and Storm-Shelter Area





TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION

RAIL

Rail gauge in Pakistan

- Broad gauge:- 5 feet and 3 inches wide (all imp rail routes have broad gauge)
- Metre gauge:- 3 feet and 3 inches wide
- Narrow gauge:- 2 feet and 6 inches wide

Railway routes crossing the international boundary

-On eastern side, two routes lead to India.

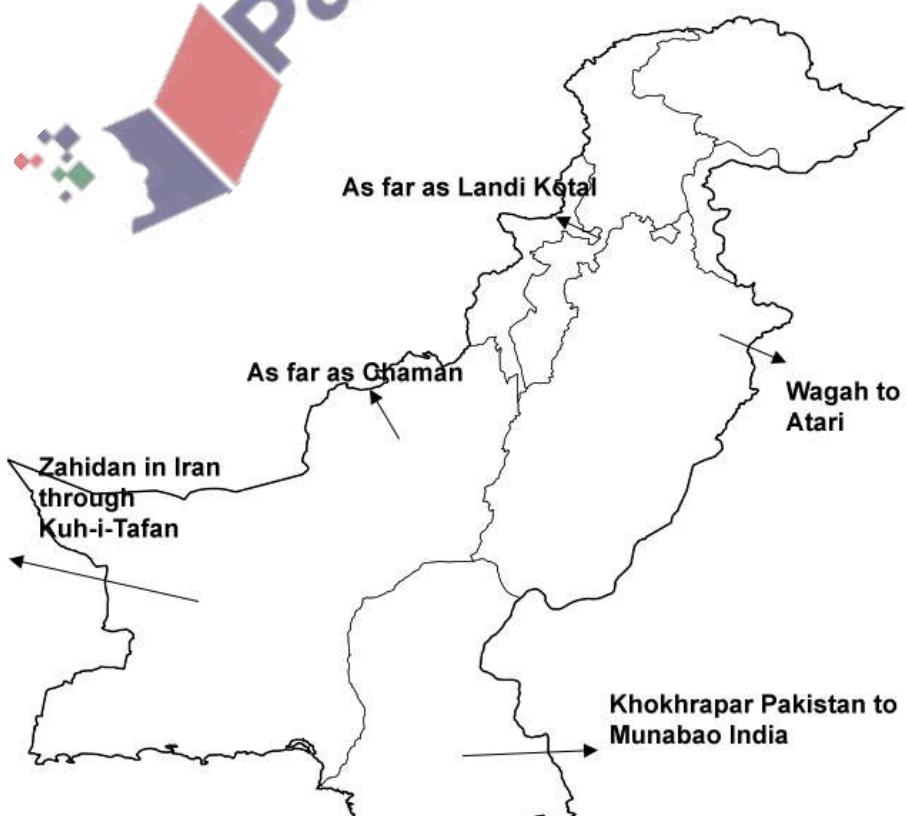
- i) Lahore to Dehli via wagah
- ii) Khokhrapar to India viz Khokhrapar

-On western side, Only one route leads to Iran.

- i) Quetta to Zahidan in Iran via Kuh-i-Taftan

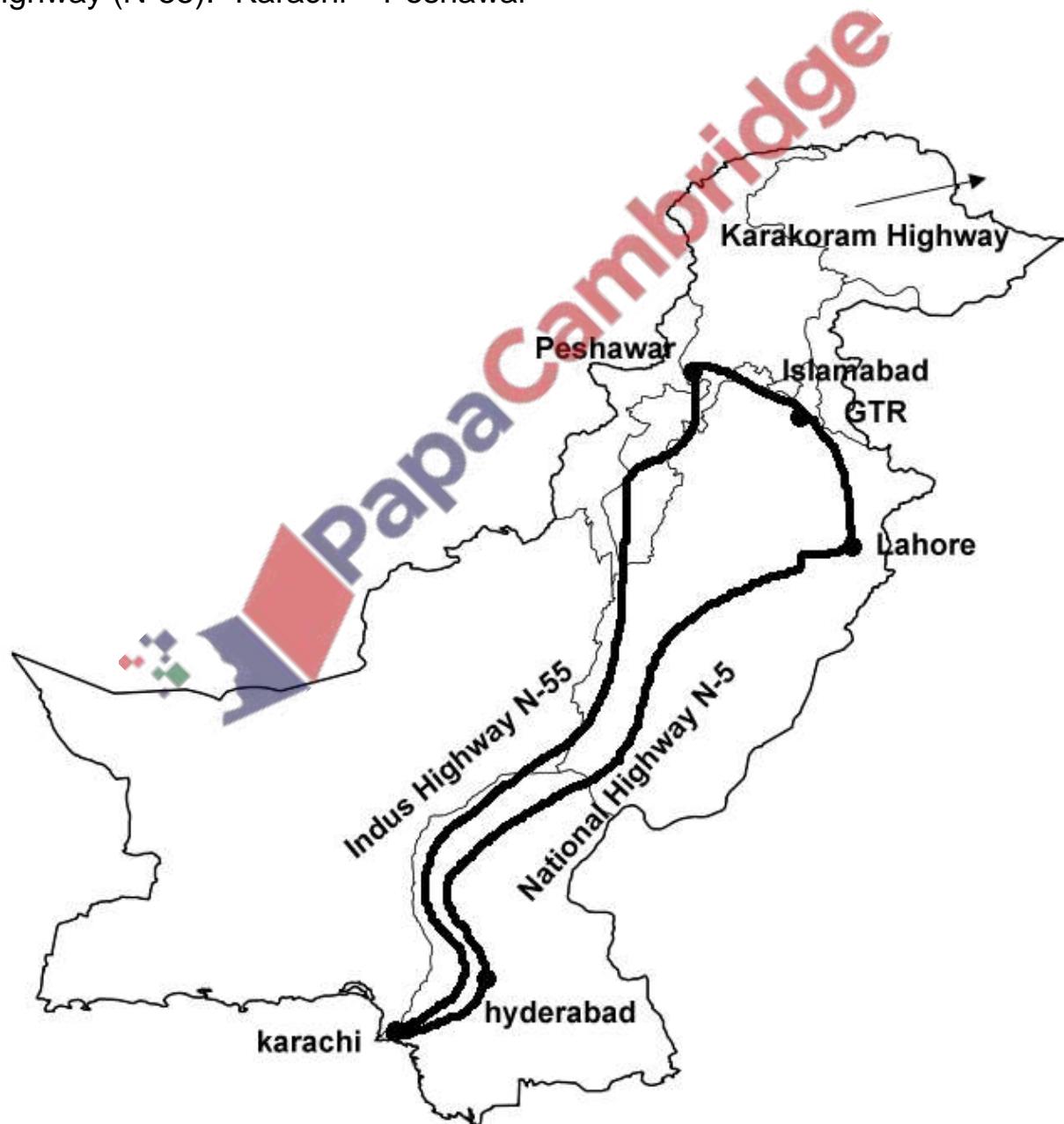
-On the extreme north to China.

- i) No rail link
- ii) At Dargai in NWFP, rail link stops and does not go further.

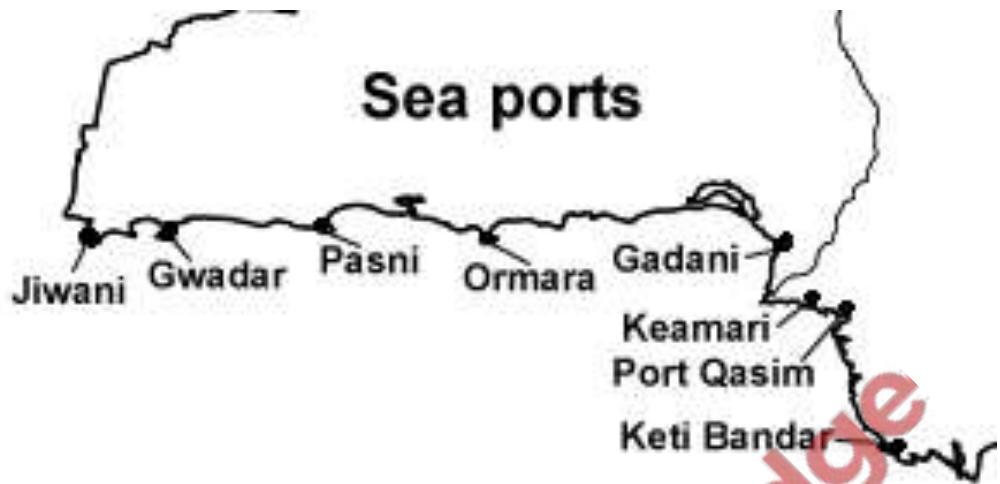


Motorways/highways

- Makran Coastal highway:- Karachi - Gwadar
- N5 (national Highway):- Karachi-Hyderabad-Multan-Faislabad-Lahore-Islamabad-Peshawar
- GTR (grand trunk road):- Lahore-Islamabad-Peshawar
- Karakoram Highway (through Khunjerab pass):- Tibet(china) to Pakistan
- Indus Highway (N-55):- Karachi – Peshawar



SEA PORTS



TELECOMMUNICATION

Sources

- Phones e.g Land line, mobile, wireless, satellite etc.
- fax
- radio nd TV
- Internet e.g e-mail, video conferencing, websites etc.

POPULATION

Population

Population is the number of people living in a specified area

Terms:

>**Birth rate** : The average number of births per thousand people

>**Death rate** : The average number of deaths per thousand people

>**Rate of natural increase** = Birth rate (minus) Death rate

>**Overpopulation** : When an area's population is too large to be supported by its available resources like wealth, food, fresh water and land

>**Demographic transitional model** : Graphs suggesting sequence of change in relationships between birth and death rates over a period of time

>**Population structures**: It is the percentage of males and females in different age groups. Depends on the population's birth and death rates and life expectancy of a particular area. It is divided into age groups for both males and females

>**Population pyramids**: It is the graphical representation of population structures

