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PREFACE

Pakistan experienced devastating floods during last two contiguous years of 2010 and 2011 which affected the agriculture sector on a large scale.

The Pakistan Space and Upper Atmosphere Research Commission (SUPARCO), the National Space Agency of Pakistan and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) in the past years had already collaborated and demonstrated the expediency of satellite and ground based techniques, algorithms and procedures to estimate area, yield and production of crops.

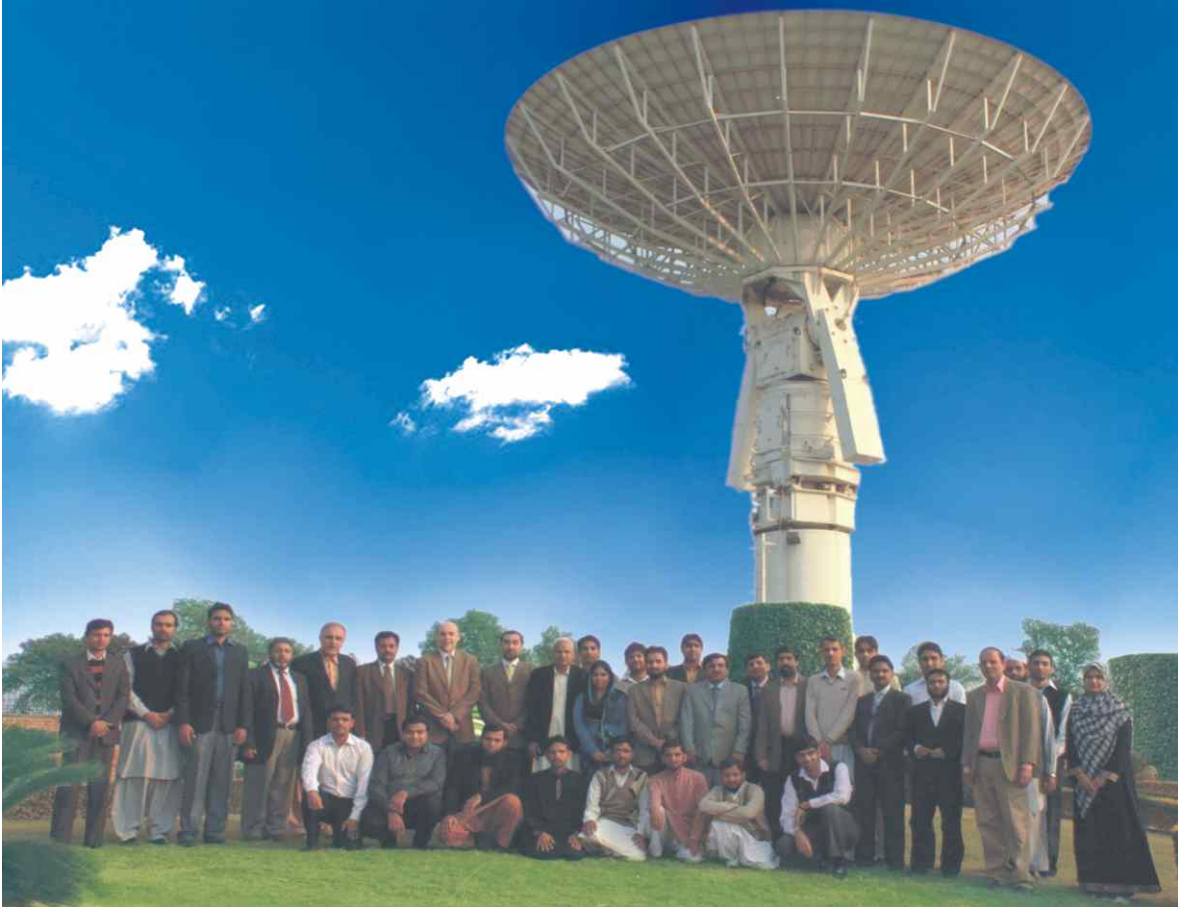
FAO approached SUPARCO to monitor, gauge and report the flood situation and its impact on agriculture and economy. The scope of this work included updating and providing information on the flood risks, damages and facilitate the decision-making process for preparedness mitigation and implementation of the flood response programme which inter-alia included flooded area breakdown by crops and districts, infrastructure damage and estimation of recession dates. In addition, the work on vulnerability assessment based on population density and propensity to flood over time was also undertaken.

SUPARCO acquired medium and high resolution satellite data to carry out this work as well as embarked upon ground surveys. Analyses of these data were performed on daily basis. Time series data of high quality on mapping of this disaster and other facets was delivered proficiently.

FAO of the UN expresses sincere appreciation of the valuable material provided by SUPARCO. This information proved highly beneficial in ensuring an effective coordination between the Government of Pakistan and the International community in the context of prevalent floods in Sindh as well as long term flood risk preparedness related work. The information presented in the reports was of high value in assisting FAO to determine its flood response activities. Indeed, other UN agencies, NGOs and sectoral stakeholders frequently request updated information to assist in planning of their flood response. The information presented in the reports is also available on our website <http://www.fao.org.pk> to benefit the planners, policy makers and other end users.



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ACRONYM	DESCRIPTION
AJK	Azad Jammu and Kashmir
CRS	Crop Reporting Services
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organization, UN
GB	Gilgit Baltistan
Ha	Hectare
KP	Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
LoA	Letter of Agreement
MAF	Million Acre Feet
MINFA	Ministry of Food & Agriculture
MODIS	Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer
NDVI	Normalized Difference Vegetation Index
PMD	Pakistan Meteorology Department
RIM	Regulated Irrigation Measurement
SPARCEN	Space Application & Research Center
SUPARCO	Pakistan Space & Upper Atmosphere Research Commission

1. Summary

The monsoon of 2011 was manifested by remarkably high rainfall in South Asia. In Pakistan, there were wide spread rains. However the major downpour was in Sindh province where cumulative rainfall varied from 400 mm to around 1300 mm. These rains inundated large areas in Sindh and other provinces causing damage to crops, infrastructure and human settlements, thus adversely affecting national economy.¹

The maximum rainfall during the period was from July 1 to September 30 , 2011. The peak rainfall was received in Mithi, Sindh. Being sandy area the rate of soil infiltration was very high. Therefore rate of runoff water was minimum. The other areas that received excessive rainfall were Mirpur Khas (866 mm), Badin (647 mm), Shaheed Benazir Abad (650 mm), Umerkot (552 mm), Dadu (485 mm) and Padidan (423 mm).

The gradient of the coastal areas in Sindh is almost nil. Therefore, the movement of water in the flooded areas took place at a very slow pace. For the first time, the residents of Thar Desert and its upper reaches had to be evacuated by boats. A large number of farmers lost their livestock on way to safe havens, non-availability of fodder and exertion. There was hardly a place in the severely affected area that was free of standing water.²

The maximum cumulative rainfall at various other locations in the country was Islamabad (962 mm), Lahore (703 mm), Malam Jabba (572 mm), Rawalakot (632 mm) rainfall and Barkhan (232 mm). These areas generally remained free of any major damage to crops although some losses did accrue to buildings and infrastructures especially in KP and Balochistan.

Satellite systems can provide rapid information on the effects of disasters caused by floods and other calamities. Given the advantage of temporal coverage, it is possible to carry out effective rapid mapping of disaster stricken areas. Furthermore, timely use of satellite data can assist in disaster relief, early recovery and rehabilitation process.

¹ SUPARCO and FAO signed a Letter of Agreement (LoA) on July 31 , 2011 to develop series of timeline documents to monitor the floods of 2011. SUPARCO, using geospatial cum ground based data prepared and submitted three reports to FAO. The reports start from August 08, 2011 onwards. The period covered ends on August 23, 2011 for the first report, September 03, 2011 for the second report and September 20, 2011 for the third report. The current report is fourth in series and covers period up to December 31, 2011.

² The initial reports covered the districts of Mirpurkhas, Tando Allah Yar, Umerkot, Badin, Tando Muhammad Khan, Sanghar, and Thatta. The report covers eight more districts of Sindh province i.e. Dadu, Matiari, Hyderabad, Tharparkar, Nausharo Feroze, Khairpur, Jacobabad and Jamshoro. Inundation in three districts of Balochistan i.e. Jhal Magsi, Nasirabad and Jafferabad and three districts of Punjab i.e. Vehari, Kasur and Bahawalnagar are also part of this report.

SUPARCO monitored the flooded areas using 250 m MODIS sensors onboard Aqua and Terra satellites on daily basis and high resolution satellite imagery from SPOT 4 & 5. In addition, ground validation was performed by field surveys in the flood affected districts to assess crop damage.

Cotton crop in the affected areas was mostly damaged. Some of the crop that survived would not withstand standing water for extended period of time. The first picking of cotton was carried prior to rains. The total loss to cotton in affected districts is estimated at 80 percent which is about 2.239 million bales. The textile sector came under high speculations on the issue of cotton crop damages. Opinion generally remained divided, creating chaos in the sector. Sugarcane crop remained secured to a great extent from the ravages of flooding. Sindh Government was advised to assure commencement of sugar crushing at an early date to avoid prolonged submergence of sugarcane.

Chilli crop also demands good drainage. Chilli growing areas received the first heavy spell of rain on August 11, 2011. Bulk of the crop suffered from defoliation and senescence. Some of the crop was picked prior to rains and some also survived flooding. The crop area that suffered damage is about 90 percent. As some of the crop picking was carried out prior to rains, the production damage was 78.5 thousand tons out of the total of 155 thousand tons.

The sugarcane crop generally escaped damage and is likely to benefit from the moisture of soil. Rice crop did not suffer much damage except in Badin and Thatta districts where LBOD funneled large amount of water into the areas. The extent of damage was around 0.284 million tons.

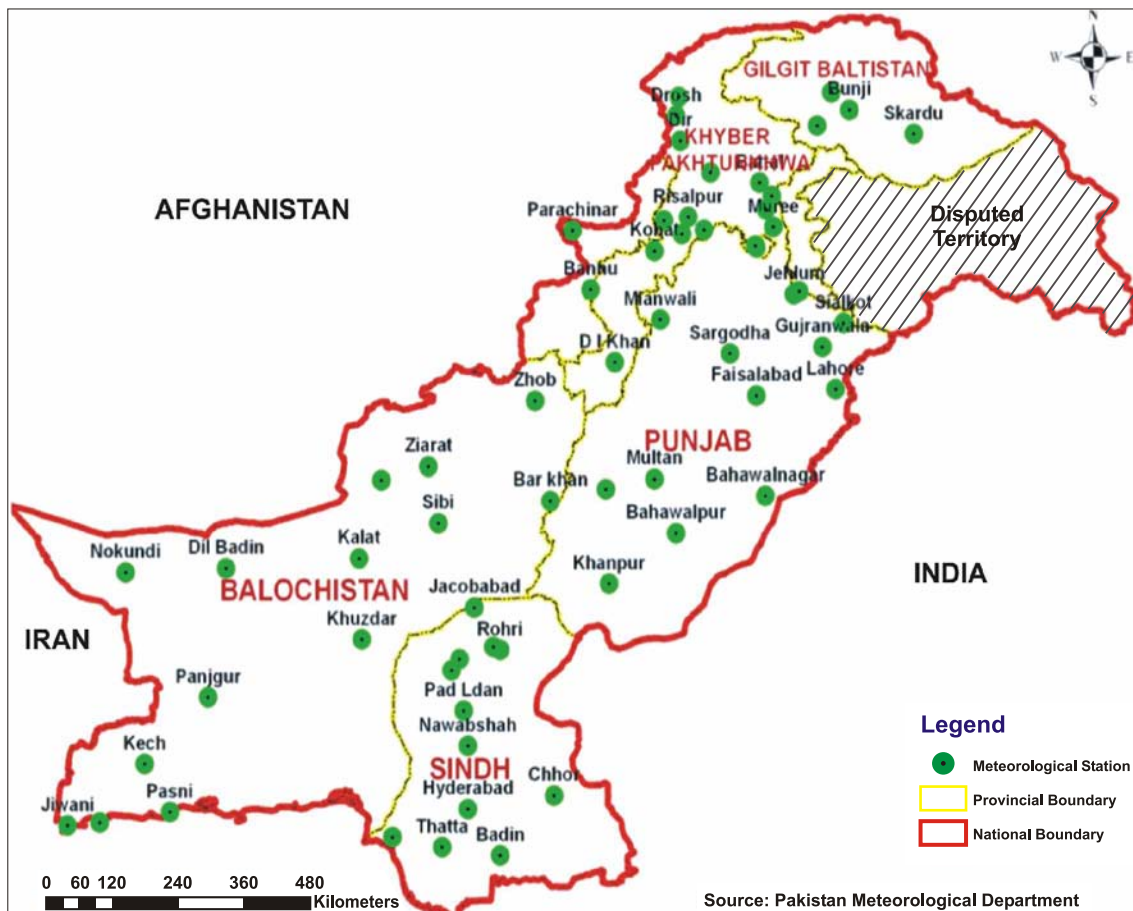
Onion and tomato crops in the affected areas were completely washed out. Re-sowing a full scale crop could not be undertaken due to standing water in the fields. However 10-15 percent of the crop is expected to be re-sown. Water drainage may speed up during low sea tidal activity. Estimated loss of onion is 356 thousand tons from a crop of 660 thousand tons and tomato 70 thousand tons out of 561 thousand tons.

Pakistan is likely to face acute shortage of onions, chillies, tomatoes and other vegetables in winter. The farmers cultivating off season vegetables can benefit from these gaps in supply. Government of Pakistan would have to take appropriate measures to ensure steady supply of these minor crops of daily use.

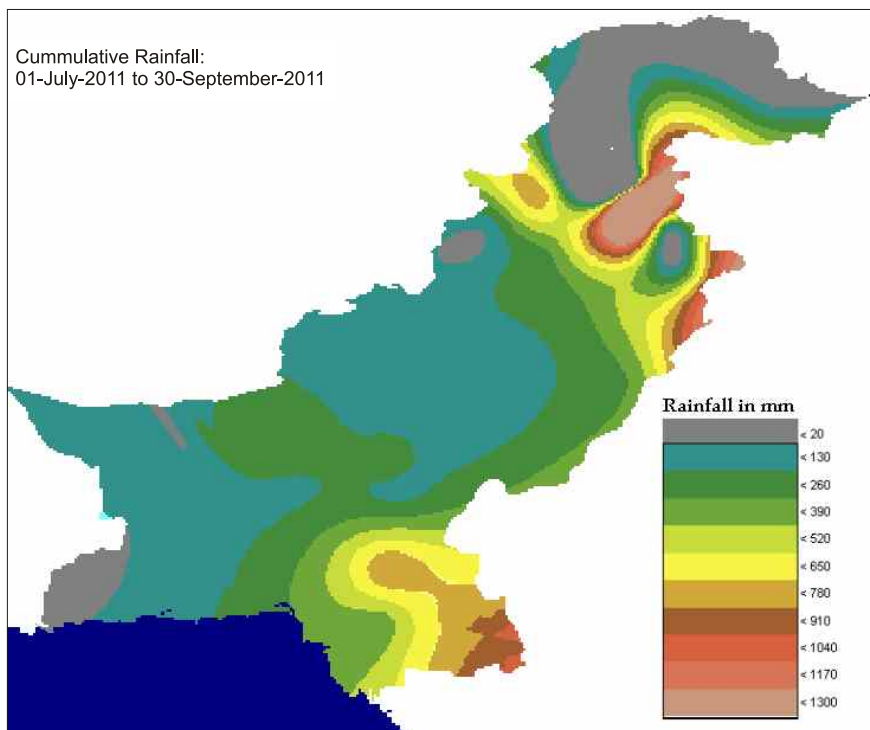
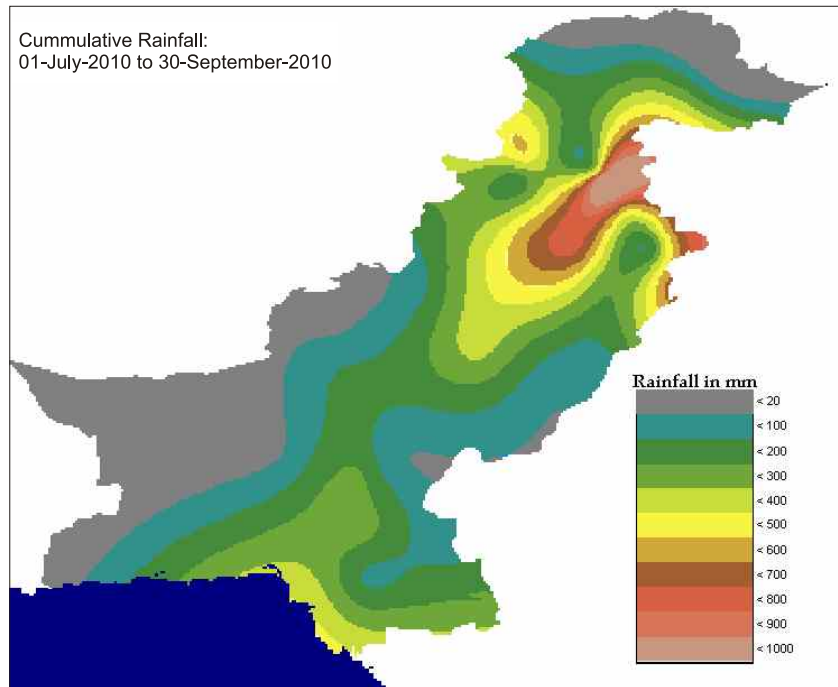
There was a massive displacement of human beings and livestock. A large number of buffaloes, donkeys and other valuable livestock were lost.

2. Rainfall and Flash Floods

The summer rainfall in Pakistan is generally during the periods of July to September. Monsoon from the Bay of Bengal is the main source of these rains. However, the mid latitude westerly disturbances, at some times, also contribute on summer rainfalls. The Rainfall data is observed by metrological stations installed by Pakistan Metrological Department (PMD) all across the country.



Cumulative rainfall for the year 2010 and 2011 is as under:

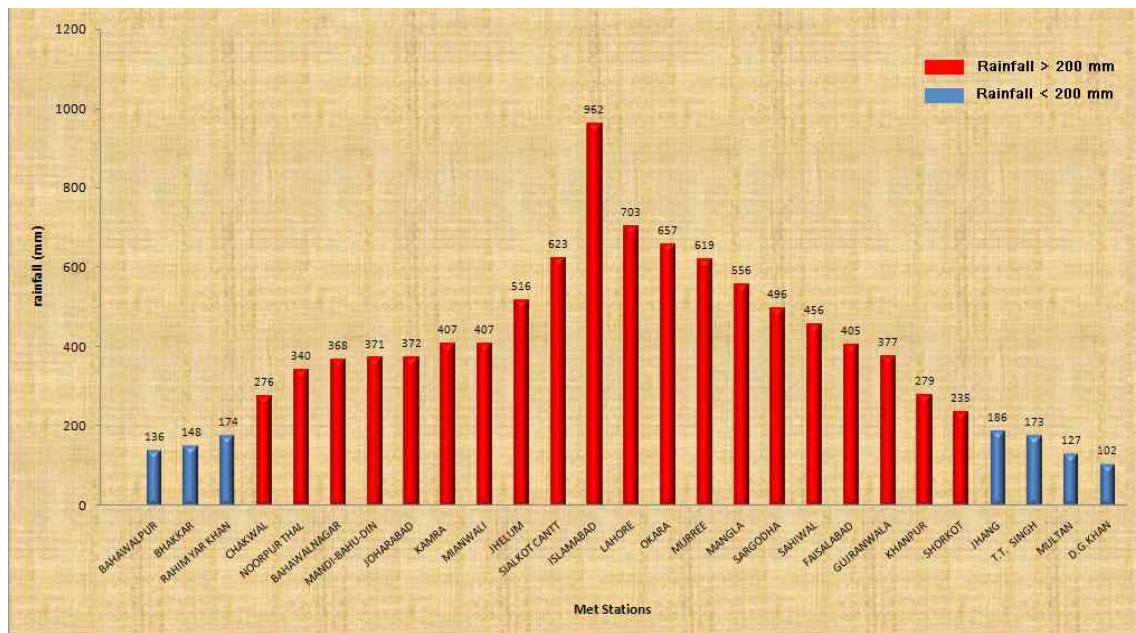


Province wise detail of rainfall data is as follows:

a. Punjab

In the Punjab, the highest rainfall of the order of 962 mm was received in Islamabad. About 20 stations in Punjab received rainfall higher than 200 mm, 17 stations received more than 300 mm and 12 stations got more than 400 mm rainfall. Low level floods were observed in the rivers of Chenab, Ravi and Sutlej. A high tide of 70,000 cusecs passed through Sutlej on August 16-17 and about 82,000 cusecs on August 24, 2011. The extent of loss of crops in the Punjab was minimum and was therefore manageable.

Punjab: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011

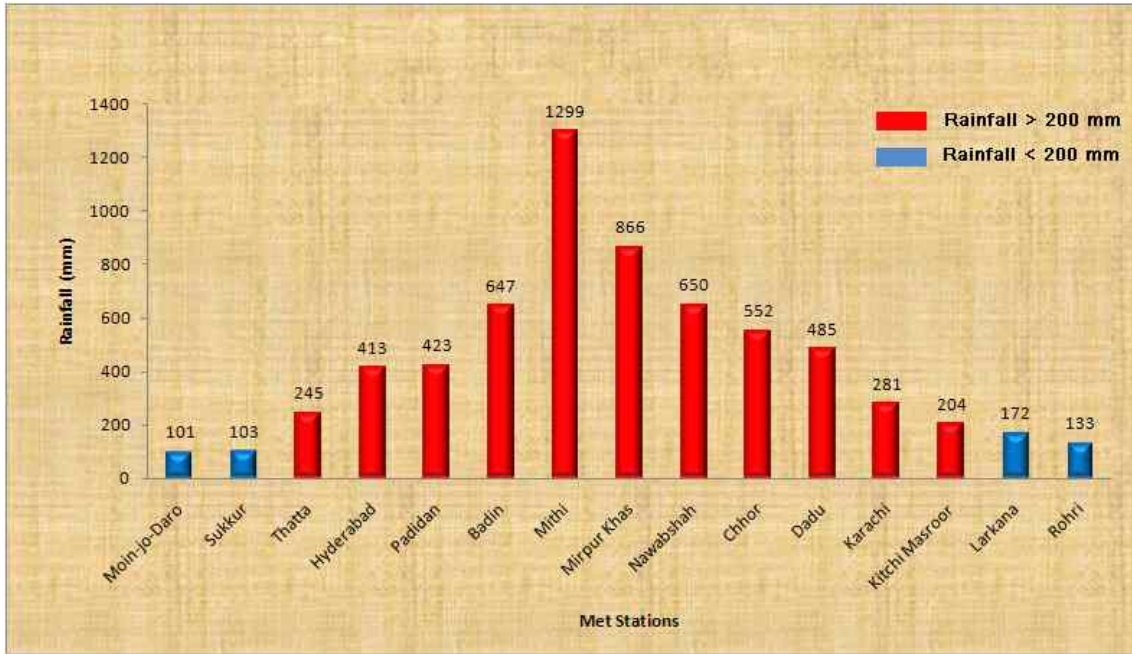


Punjab: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011

Rainfall range	No. of Met Stations	Met Stations
More than 200 mm	20	Chakwal, Noor Pur Thal, Bahawalnagar, Mandi-Bha-u-din, Joharabad, Kamra
		Mianwali, Jhelum, Sialkot, Islamabad, Lahore, Okara, Murree, Mangla, Sargodha
		Sahiwal, Gujranwala, Faisalabad, Kanpur, Shorkot
More than 300 mm	17	Noor Pur Thal, Bahawalnagar, Mandi-Bha-u-din, Joharabad, Kamra, Mianwali
		Jhelum, Sialkot, Islamabad, Lahore, Okara, Murree, Mangla, Sargodha, Sahiwal
		Gujranwala, Faisalabad
More than 400 mm	12	Kamra, Mianwali, Jhelum, Sialkot, Islamabad, Lahore, Okara, Murree, Mangla
		Sargodha, Sahiwal, Faisalabad

b. Sindh

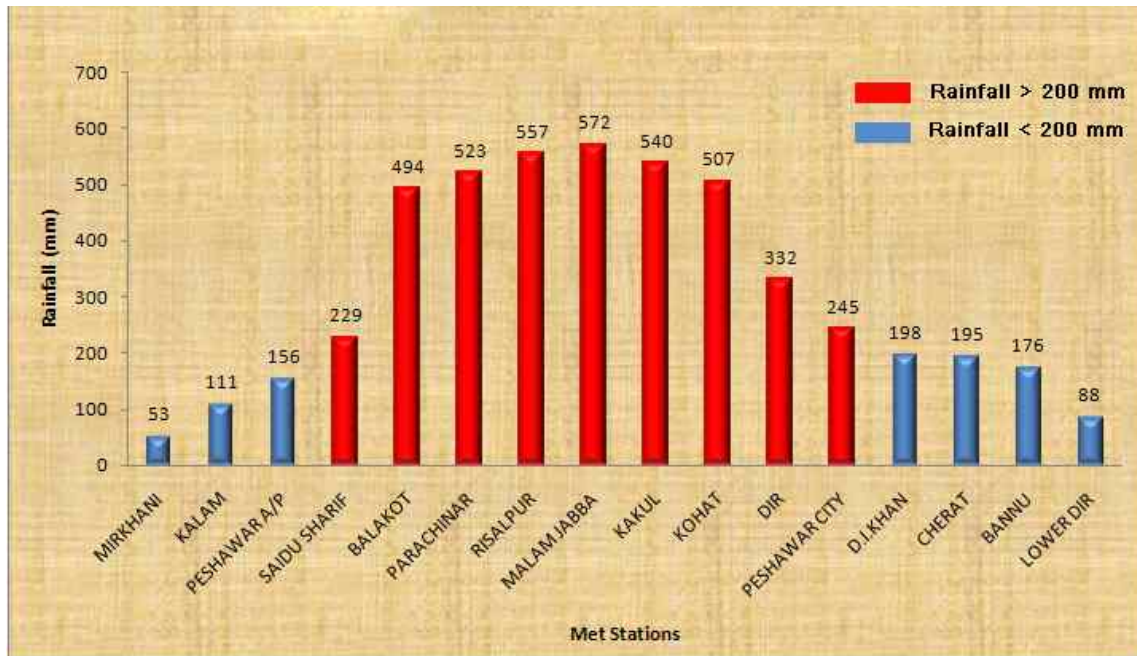
Sindh: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011



Sindh: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011		
Rainfall range	No. of Met Stations	Met Stations
More than 200 mm	11	Thatta, Hyderabad, Chhor, Padidan, Badin, Mithi, Nawab Shah, Mirpur Khas, Dadu, Karachi, Kechi Masroor
More than 300 mm	08	Hyderabad, Padidan, Badin, Mithi, Nawab Shah, Mirpur Khas, Chhor, Dadu
More than 400 mm	08	Hyderabad, Padidan, Badin, Mithi, Nawab Shah, Mirpur Khas, Chhor, Dadu

c. Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP)

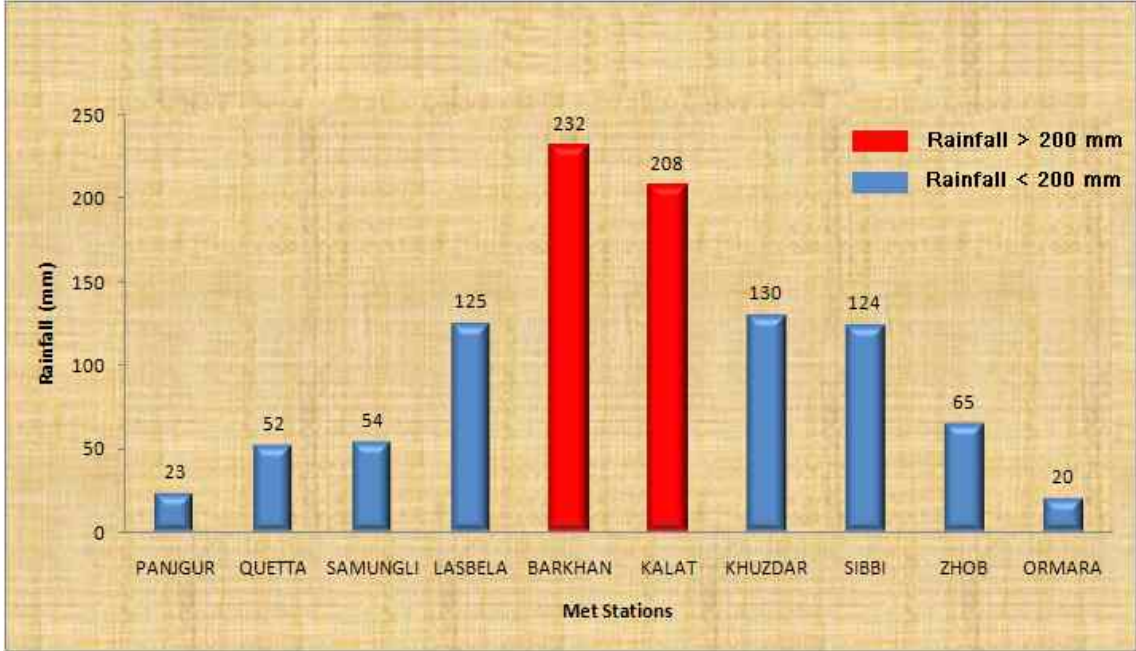
KP: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011



KP: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011		
Rainfall range	No. of Met Stations	Met Stations
More than 200 mm	09	Said Sharif, Balakot, Parachinar, Risalpur, Malam Jabba, Kakul, Kohat, Dir, Peshawar
More than 300 mm	07	Balakot, Parachinar, Risalpur, Malam Jabba, Kakul, Kohat, Dir
More than 400 mm	06	Balakot, Parachinar, Risalpur, Malam Jabba, Kakul, Kohat

d. Balochistan

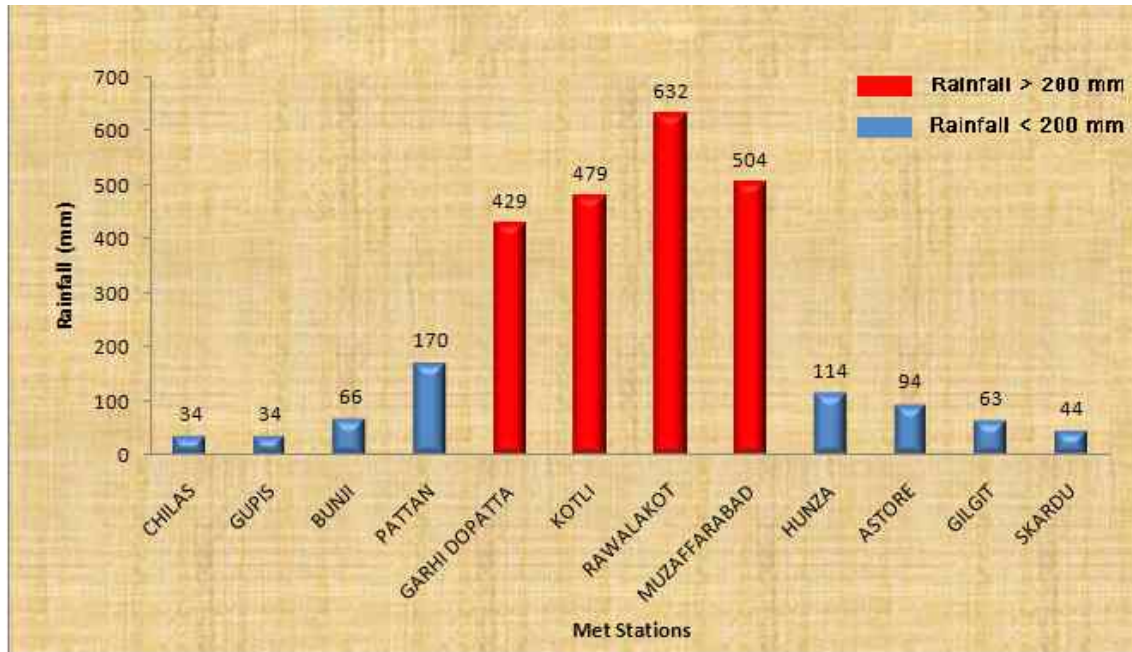
Balochistan: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011



Balochistan Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011		
Rainfall range	No of Met Stations	Met Stations
More than 200 mm	02	Kalat, Barkhan
More than 300 mm	NIL	NIL
More than 400 mm	NIL	NIL

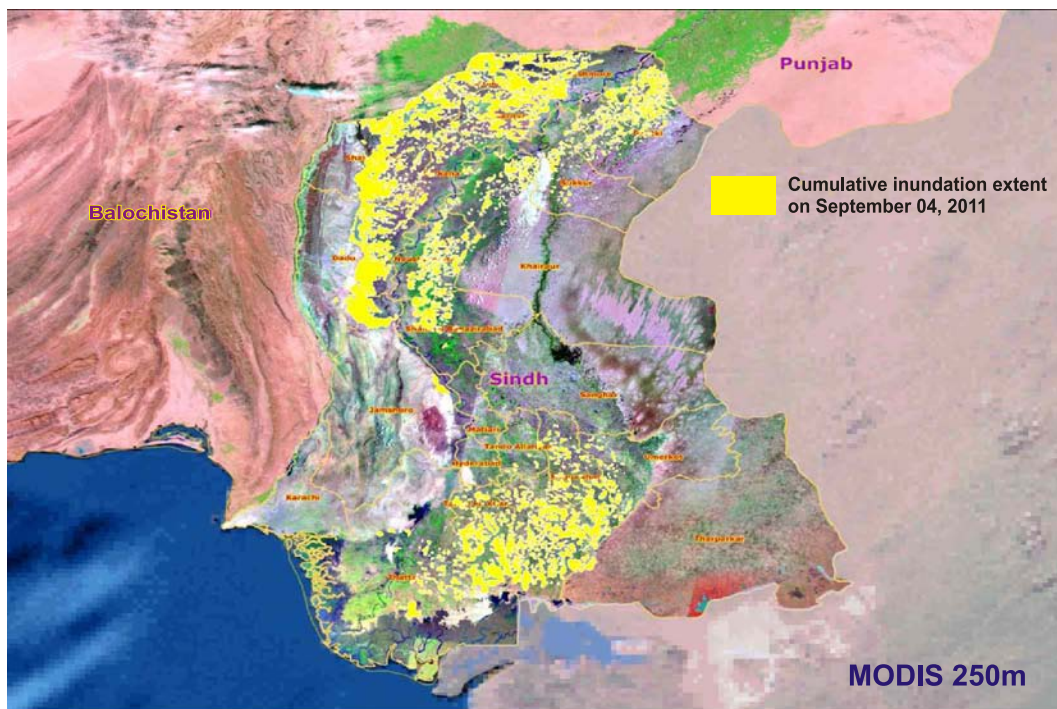
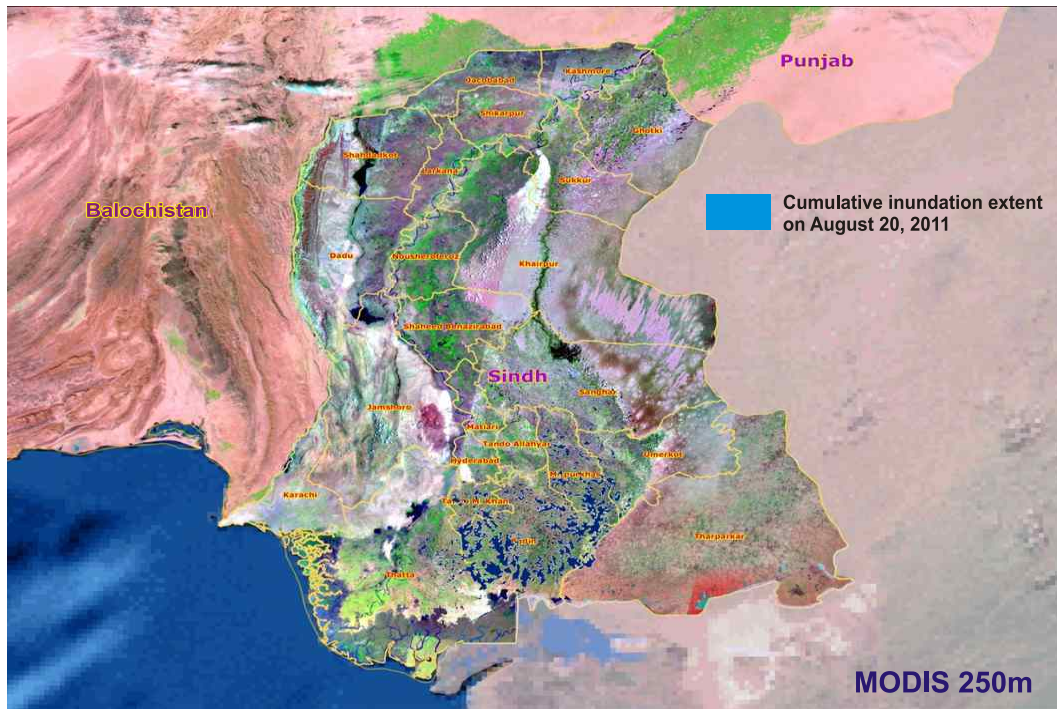
e. Gilgit Baltistan / Azad Kashmir

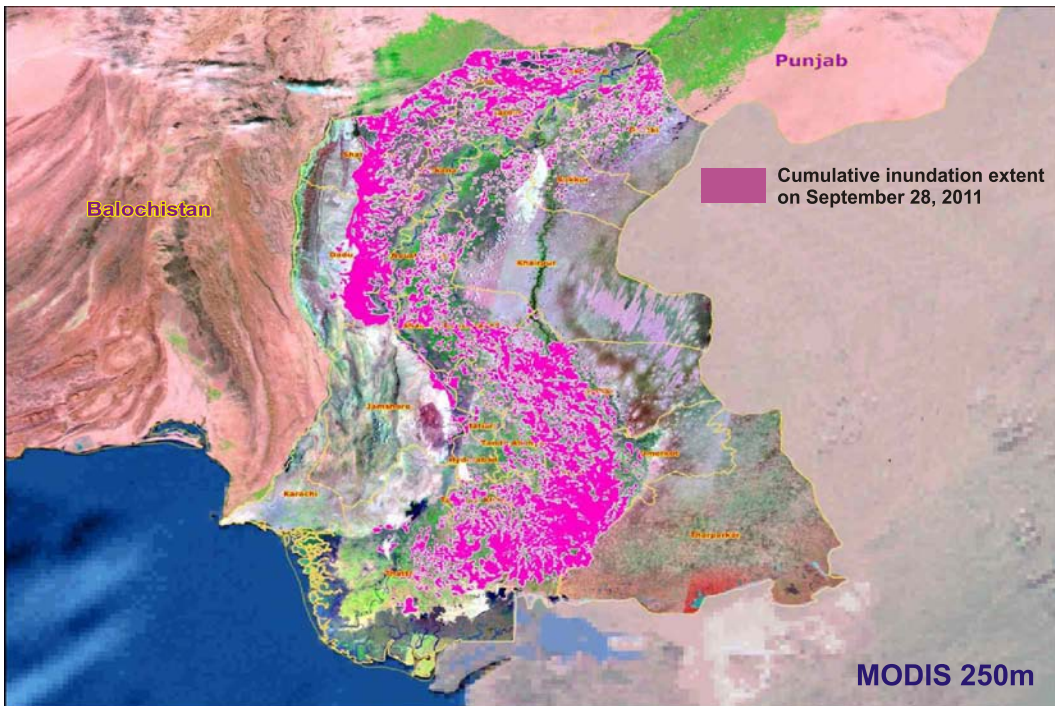
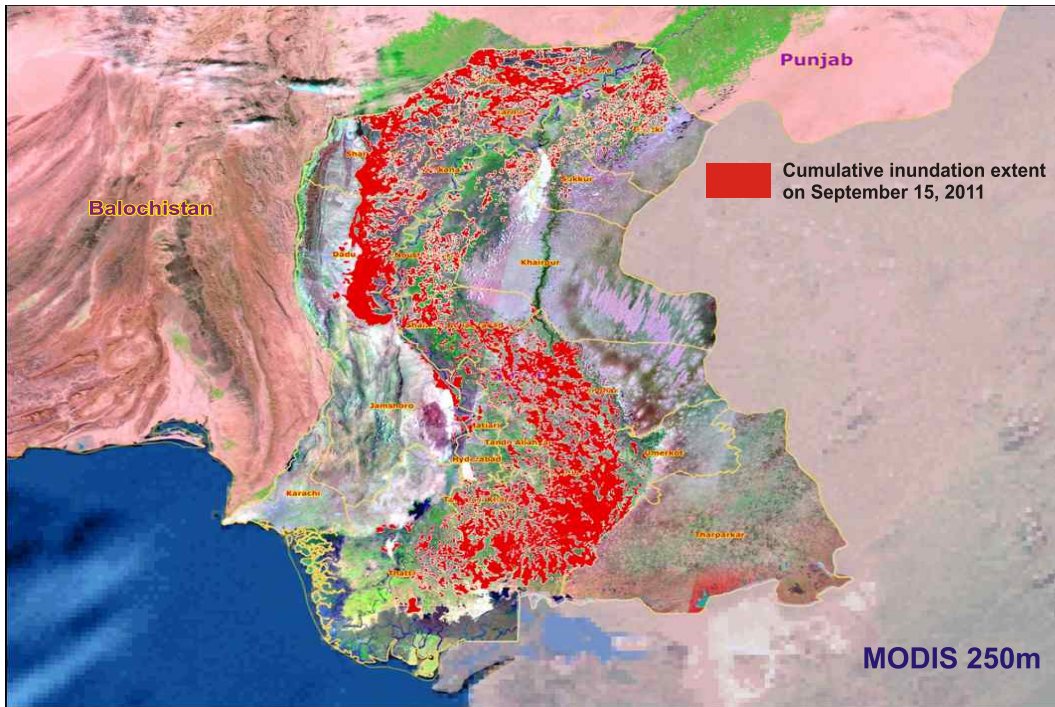
GB/AK: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011



GB/AK: Rainfall from July 1 to September 30, 2011		
Rainfall range	No of Met Stations	Met Stations
More than 200 mm	04	Gari Dopatta, Kotli, Rawalakot, Muzafarabad
More than 300 mm	04	Gari Dopatta, Kotli, Rawalakot, Muzafarabad
More than 400 mm	04	Gari Dopatta, Kotli, Rawalakot, Muzafarabad

Temporal, Cumulative inundation extent





3. Crop Situation

During the flood, SUPARCO updated the inundation maps everyday. The district-wise inundation data were compiled daily. The information gathered on agricultural areas was categorized by crop areas of cotton, sugarcane, rice and other crops.

Two field validation campaigns were carried out in eight severely affected districts of Sindh (Hyderabad, Mirpur khas, Umerkot, Badin, Tando Allahyar, Tando Muhammad Khan, Thatta and Shaheed Benazir Abad). The survey team assessed the accuracy of classification results.

Sugarcane, cotton, rice, maize, fodder, vegetables, fruits and spices are generally the major crops of Kharif season. The description of the status of important Kharif crops is as follows:

Cotton Crop

Cotton crop is predominantly sown in the Punjab and Sindh. The crop escaped damage in the Punjab and the prospects of an excellent crop in this province are bright. In Sindh, large volumes of water would be standing up to the end of december. The cotton crop under standing water has been mostly damaged in these areas.

The farmers were able to carry out one out of five pickings prior to rains around August 11, 2011. This constituted 20 percent of the crop picked.

About 5-10 percent of cotton crop escaped damage particularly in Kunri. The first phase in the demise of plants is an acute defoliation process. The plants lose leaves and photosynthetic activity stops. The plant ultimately dies. Despite that the bolls on the defoliated plants have matured. The current loss is estimated at 65 percent. However this may further increase to 80 percent as water is still standing in the root zone of the crop.

The rains have badly affected the quality of phutti (seed cotton) and are likely to get discounted prices for this low quality cotton. The extent of damage is estimated at about 2.239 million bales. The district wise details are as follows:

Damage to Cotton Crop

District	Sindh			
	000 ha	Kg/ha	Damage factor	000 bales
Sindh				
Tando Muhammad Khan	8.1	1430	0.8	54.51
Badin	33.4	1508	0.8	237.02
Thatta	7.2	1288	0.8	43.64
Mirpurkhas	86.4	1152	0.8	468.39
Tando Allah Yar	16.6	1376	0.8	107.49
Umerkot	45.4	1015	0.8	216.85
Sanghar	124.7	1319	0.8	774.02
Shaheed Benazir Abad	37.1	1060	0.8	185.06
Hyderabad	1.43	1409	0.8	9.49
Dadu	2.13	893	0.8	8.97
Matiari	6.85	1393	0.8	44.90
KhairPur	5.92	965	0.8	26.88
Jamshoro	2.34	965	0.8	10.61
Naushahro Feroze	8.47	1093	0.8	43.57
Tharparkar	0.03	1045	0.8	0.16
Jacobabad	0.00	0	0.8	0.00
Total	369.3	1284.0	0.8	2231.6
Punjab				
Kasur	0	0	0	0.00
Bahawalnagar	2.5	740	0.4	4.34
Vehari	1.8	645	0.4	2.77
Total	4.3	700	0.4	7.11
Balochistan				
Nasirabad	0	0	0	0
Jaffarabad	0	0	0	0
Jhal Magsi	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0
Grand Total	373.6	1273	0.8	2238.7

Damage to Cotton Crop



Tando Allah Yar



Hyderabad



Mirpur Khas



Mirpur Khas



Badin



Badin

Given the devolution of Ministry of Food and Agriculture, there is no central platform to provide a first hand, nonstop, direct supply of time series information on crops. This makes the policy making decisions in agriculture including textile, very complicated. In such circumstances, the textile sector has undergone high speculations, on the issue of the quantum of cotton available. The opinions generally remained divided, funneling confusion and stimulating price rise.

Chilies Crop

Chilies are mainly sown in Sindh, Punjab and Baluchistan. Hot dishes are generally not a constituent of KP food basket. Therefore the cultivation of this crop did not pick in this province. The chilies are sown both in Kharif and Rabi season in Sindh as winter in this province is generally mild and frost free. In other provinces, chilies are sown during summer when the ambient temperatures are generally hot to moderate. The area under chilies was 78.5 thousand ha and the crop production was 188.9 thousand tons during the year 2009-10. The share of provinces in chilies production is: Sindh 91.5 percent, Punjab 4.7 percent and Balochistan 3.3 percent. The share of Kharif chilies is two third and Rabi chilies are one third. Chilies generally require well drained fields. The crop is sensitive to continued flooding. The incidence of fusarium spores in water can become lethal and threatening. Assessment of damage is as follows:



Damaged chilies fields in Mirpur Khas



Damage to Autumn Crop of Chillies 2011-12

District	Area	Yield	Factor	Production
	000 ha	kg/ha	Damage	000 tons
Tando Muhammad Khan	0.20	2500	0.5	0.25
Badin	16.50	2145	0.5	17.70

Thatta	6.70	2075	0.5	6.95
Mirpurkhas	13.10	3298	0.5	21.60
Tando Allah Yar	0.90	1444	0.5	0.65
Umerkot	14.80	3297	0.5	24.40
Sanghar	4.70	2511	0.5	5.90
Shaheed Benazir Abad	0.05	4000	0.5	0.10
Hyderabad	0.06	2252	0.5	0.1
Dadu	0.26	2659	0.5	0.4
Matiari	0.13	2417	0.5	0.2
Khairpur	0.01	2500	0.5	0.0
Jamshoro	0.25	2600	0.5	0.3
Naushahro Feroze	0.01	2450	0.5	0.0
Tharparkar	0.05	2560	0.5	0.1
Jacobabad	0.00	0	0	0.0
Total	57.73	2721	0.5	78.5

Onion Crop

The onions are mainly sown in Balochistan, Sindh, the Punjab and KP. The share of provinces in onion production is Baluchistan 38 %, Sindh 33%, Punjab 17% and KP 12%. Onions in Sindh and Balochistan are sown in autumn season. The production of this crop in these two provinces has picked up significantly because of frost free season at the time of growth and cool temperatures and low relative humidity at the time of harvest.



Onion Seed Crop

The onions from Baluchistan are available during August-October and from Sindh during November-April. The cropping season in Punjab is during May-July and KP during June-August. The climatic factors are highly unpleasant in KP for harvesting, storage and marketing on account of scorching heat and a very high relative humidity that is damaging for the commodity. The estimated damage is as follows:



Onion in storage

Damage to Onion Crop

District	Area	Yield	Factor	Production
	000 ha	kg/ha	Damage	000 tons
Tando Muhammad Khan	1.40	10714	0.9	13.5
Badin	0.20	9500	0.9	1.7
Thatta	2.20	10818	0.9	21.4
Mirpurkhas	5.40	11667	0.9	56.7
Tando Allah Yar	3.10	13871	0.9	38.7
Umerkot	2.50	11640	0.9	26.2
Sanghar	7.00	13586	0.9	85.6
Shaheed Benazir Abad	6.80	14603	0.9	89.4
Hyderabad	0.06	14664	0.9	0.8
Dadu	0.58	13348	0.9	6.9
Matiari	0.43	14839	0.9	5.7
Khairpur	0.11	14332	0.9	1.4
Jamshoro	0.24	12850	0.9	2.8
Naushahro Feroze	0.39	13937	0.9	5.0
Tharparkar	0.01	9885	0.9	0.1
Jacobabad	0.05	13722	0.9	0.6
Total	30.42	13020	0.9	356.4

Tomato Crop

Tomatoes are grown all over Pakistan in all growing seasons. The area under tomato was 53.4 thousand ha and production was 561.89 thousand tons during the years 2009-10. The share of provinces in tomato production is Baluchistan 40%, KP 29%, Sindh 18% and Punjab 13%.



Tomato field

Tomato from Baluchistan start to become available at nearly the end of monsoon during August - October. The supplies during November - March mainly come from Sindh although some crop also comes from sub mountainous region of Dargai, Malakand in KP and Katha Saghral in Khushab, Punjab. Given the level of damage, the consumer prices are likely to be very high in coming months. The damage estimated is 70 thousand tons. The concept of a total crop in perishable commodities is pointless as these commodities have to be available afresh on daily basis. The statistics of the damages are as follows:



Tomato grading

Damage to Tomato Crop

District	Area	Yield	Factor	Production
	000 ha	kg/ha	Damage	000 tons
Tando Muhammad Khan	0.19	8737	0.9	1.49
Badin	3.29	8982	0.9	26.60
Thatta	4.37	9087	0.9	35.74
Mirpurkhas	0.28	7179	0.9	1.81

Tando Allah Yar	0.14	7714	0.9	0.97
Umerkot	0.18	7111	0.9	1.15
Sanghar	0.33	5879	0.9	1.75
Shaheed Benazir Abad	0.16	7063	0.9	1.02
Hyderabad	0.01	7413	0.9	0.09
Dadu	0.06	7956	0.9	0.40
Matiari	0.04	8170	0.9	0.30
Khairpur	0.00	6950	0.9	0.03
Jamshoro	0.02	9042	0.9	0.13
Naushahro Feroze	0.03	7936	0.9	0.21
Tharparkar	0.00	8050	0.9	0.00
Jacobabad	0.00	0	0.9	0.00
Total	9.10	8050	0.9	70.52

Rice Crop

Rice is an important component of food basket in the world including Pakistan. The aromatic basmati rice of Pakistan is a ceremonial dish in Pakistan and an important source of foreign exchange earnings. Coarse /IRRI rice is generally grown in southern parts of the Indus plain including southern Punjab and right bank of Indus in Sindh. The induction of high hybrid seeds from China has resulted in increase in the total production recent years.



Standing water in rice field at Badin

Damage to Rice Crop

District	Sindh			
	000 ha	Kg/ha	Damage factor	000 tons
Tando Muhammad Khan	4.5	3349	1	15.07
Badin	55.1	3081	1	169.76
Thatta	18	2989	1	53.80
Mirpurkhas	0.3	2675	1	0.80
Tando Allah Yar	0	0	1	0.00
Umerkot	0	0	1	0.00
Sanghar	3.6	3005	1	10.82
Nawabshah	0.8	3188	1	2.55
Hyderabad	0.05	2900	1	0.13
Dadu	3.26	3719	1	12.14
Matiari	0.02	2643	1	0.05
Khairpur	0.10	3047	1	0.29
Jamshoro	0.00	3600	1	0.01
Naushahro Feroze	0.15	2896	1	0.43
Tharparkar	0.00	0	1	0.00
Jacobabad	1.68	3000	1	5.04
Total	87.56	3094	1	270.9
Punjab				
Kasur	1.34	1993.00	1.00	2.68
Bahawalnagar	0.72	1799.00	1.00	1.30
Vehari	0.23	1849.00	1.00	0.43
Total	2.3	1917.0	1.0	4.4
Balochistan				
Nasirabad	0.68	3409.00	1.00	2.31
Jaffarabad	2.04	3391.00	1.00	6.91
Jhal Magsi	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00
Total	2.71	3395	1.00	9.2

The wide spread monsoon rains have benefitted the crop. except in the downstream district of Badin where breach in LBOD caused damage to crops.

Sugarcane Crop

Sugarcane is a long gestation, hydrophilic, high input and management demanding, tropical crop. It has two sowing seasons i.e. autumn in Sindh and spring in the Punjab and KP. There was some localized, diminutive damage to crop by flood water. In general a bumper crop is expected.

The crushing of sugarcane usually starts during mid November and continues to the end of February. There may be some exceptions.

The Sindh Sugar Factory Control Ordinance 1950 decrees that sugar mills are to be operational on October 1, 2011. Sindh Government should assure its implementation. A long term submergence of crop can cause lodging and would be detrimental to crop.



**Submerged sugarcane field at
Tando Allah Yar**

Maize Crop

Maize is an important feed crop of Pakistan. Two crops are grown in the country viz. spring and autumn. The spring crop is mainly confined to central Punjab. It is sown by hybrid seeds that are demanding in investment, farm management and inputs. This crop is therefore confined to irrigated areas.

The autumn crop is mainly grown both in irrigated and barani areas. This crop is generally sown by synthetic seeds. The productivity of spring crop is more than 8 tons per ha on an average and the productivity of autumn crop is about 2 tons per ha. The crop at this stage is in good condition and free of any damage.

4. Damage to Infrastructure

Beside damage to standing crops, 9824 settlements comprising 0.92 million houses, 11583 Km national and provincial roads (Kachha, Pakka Roads) and 191 Km of railway tracks have been damaged in Sindh, Punjab and Baluchistan. Several breaches / overflow in protective bunds of canals added to inundation in districts Badin, Mirpurkhas, Umerkot and Tando Muhammad Khan in Sindh. Summary of damage is given in the following pages.



Damaged Housing



Displaced People



Damaged Roads

Summary of damage to Infrastructure and Agriculture

FLOOD / RAIN 2011 DAMAGES SUMMARY									
District	Inundated Area (Sq km)	Damaged Roads (Km)			Railway (Km)	Bridge	No. of Settlements	Agriculture (Sq km)	No. of Houses
		National	Provincial	Kacha Pakka					
Badin	3751	23	1708	2412	13.3	5	1277	3031	163908
Bahawalnagar	81	0	0	154	0		197	54	6530
Benazirabad	850	25	434.6	527.6	38.9		465	640	81551
Dadu	360	0	136	388	3.1	1	232	186	36578
Hyderabad	151	0	14.9	169	10.7		138	66	16581
Jacobabad	517	0	17	817	17		345	169	24827
Jafferabad	211	0	76	258	0		56	152	4970
Jamshoro	154	0	55	101	0		85	69	11019
Jhal Magsi	146	0	31	171	0		118	14	5426
Kasur	138	0	0	154.5	0		99	40.7	7139
Khairpur	268	0	37	545	0		372	187	37471
Matiali	325	0	58	147	10.3		227	193.2	33527
Mirpurkhas	1694	33	1559	1764	45		987	1303	200861
Nasirabad	79	0	7	64	0		51	71	4945
Naushahro Ferzoe	376	8	188	223	23		649	237	50225
Sanghar	2554	28	773	1493	9	7	1052	1674	57823
Tando Allah Yar	462	0	106	290	0		286	334	53143
Tharparkar	197	0	39	234	0		233	47.9	14179
Thatta	621	0	133	373	0		627	176	22621
TM Khan	346	3	243	578	1.8		708	271	32636
Umerkot	754	2.5	127	634	19.5		1543	651	55379
Vehari	56	0	0	86	0		77	36.7	2415
Total	14091	122.5	5742.5	11583.1	191.6	12	9824	9603.5	923754

5. Recession of Flood Water

The information on recession of water in the inundated areas is very important for planning relief and early recovery operations. This information is also very helpful in identifying damage to crops in inundated areas and preparing for the following crop sowing season. Cognizant of this situation, SUPARCO prepared district wise recession statistics on 5-daily basis, using 250 m resolution satellite data. This inundation duration information was further substantiated through use of high resolution SPOT satellites, with resolution ranging from 2.5 m to 20 m. It is to be noted that in Sindh, 204 thousand ha area is still inundated on December 31, 2011.



Damage to Infrastructure



Flooded Area



Damaged Cotton Crop



Damaged Rice Crop



Damaged Rice Crop



Damaged Sugarcane Crop

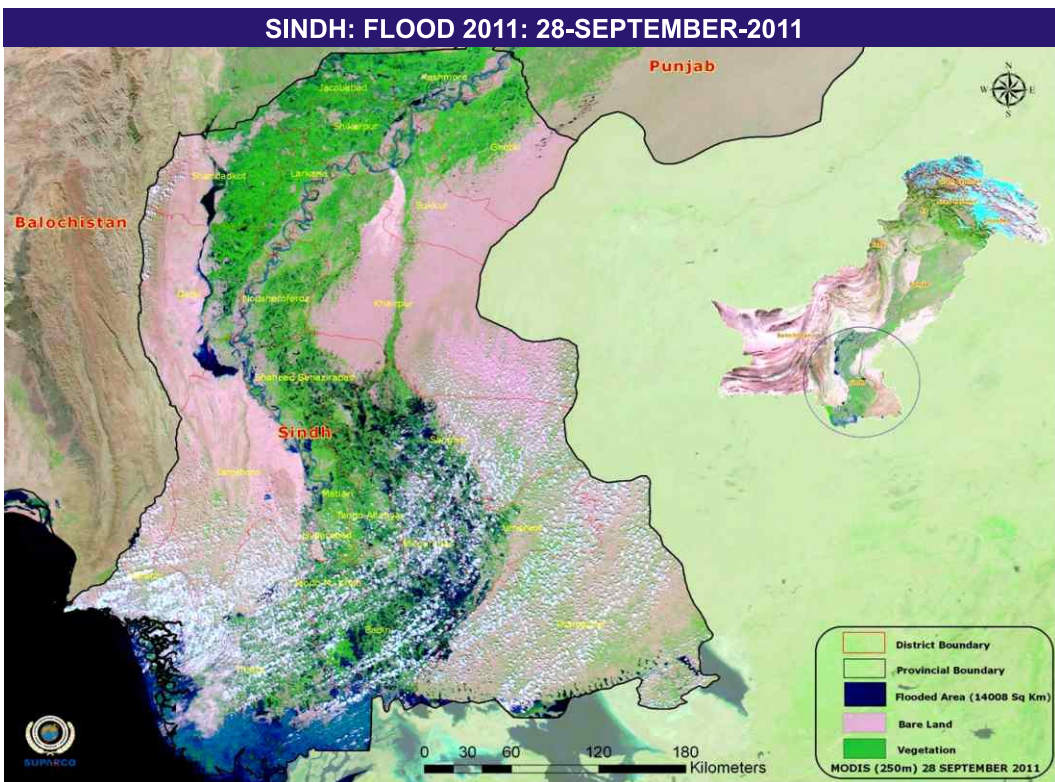
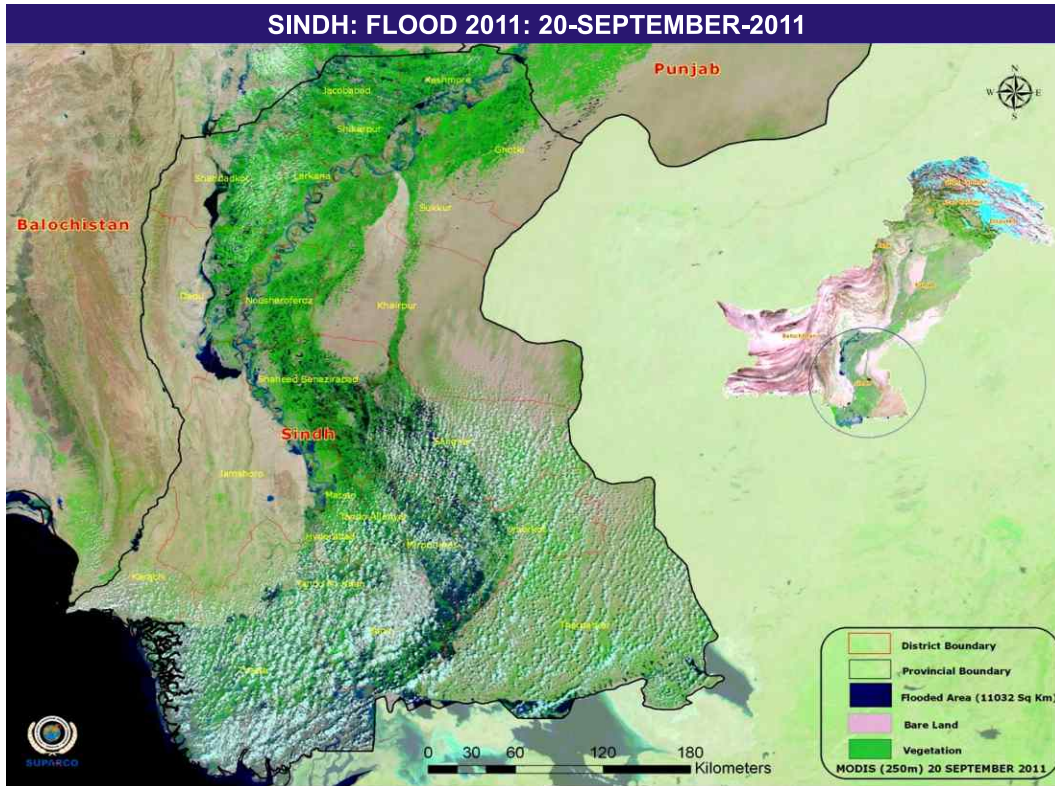
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		20-Sep	28-Sep	1-Oct	3-Oct	8-Oct	13-Oct	18-Oct	25-Oct	30-Oct	4-Nov	11-Nov	16-Nov	21-Nov	27-Nov	11-Dec	25-Dec	31-Dec
Badin	3751	3751	3687	3644	3632	2645	2359	1930	1767	1592	1425	1401	1208	1145	968	783	573	483
Bahawalnager	81	*NR	81	70	62	38	23	14	11	5	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
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Dadu	360	NR	360	289	279	186	175	140	107	98	87	86	75	71	65	60	55	53
Hyderabad	151	NR	151	137	137	34	22	22	22	20	19	18	14	13	13	12	8	7
Jacobabad	517	NR	517	492	490	235	169	114	103	95	77	74	63	59	55	39	30	28
Jafarabad	211	NR	211	190	185	124	80	64	41	19	13	11	8	6	5	1	0	0
Jamshoro	154	NR	154	110	101	68	54	33	29	21	20	20	18	17	16	15	10	8
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Kasur	138	NR	138	133	122	55	42	29	17	6	4	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
Khairpur	268	NR	268	260	258	29	18	17	16	14	13	12	9	8	7	6	4	3
Matiari	325	NR	325	315	314	116	79	75	71	57	45	44	40	35	32	30	22	20
Mirpurkhas	1694	1694	1685	1674	1668	1288	1079	867	785	670	641	602	520	460	397	278	209	200
Nasirabad	79	NR	79	75	68	41	28	21	15	8	5	5	4	2	1	0	0	0
Naushahro Feroze	376	NR	376	365	362	110	69	50	47	37	31	30	27	26	25	24	20	19
Sanghar	2554	2554	2550	2450	2442	2081	1726	1543	1458	1254	1223	1170	1076	987	925	771	672	648
Tando Allah Yar	462	462	450	448	446	264	234	223	219	201	198	196	178	167	165	141	112	108
Tharparkar	197	NR	197	202	201	126	178	157	145	120	109	105	97	85	79	60	23	19
Thatta	621	621	650	606	606	393	275	214	206	136	120	115	102	84	78	65	45	43
TMI Khan	346	346	340	336	333	179	131	96	84	81	75	68	61	58	57	55	34	27
Umer Kot	754	754	760	784	784	674	637	566	561	491	468	455	430	421	415	347	297	294
Vehari	56	NR	56	49	44	23	14	8	4	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
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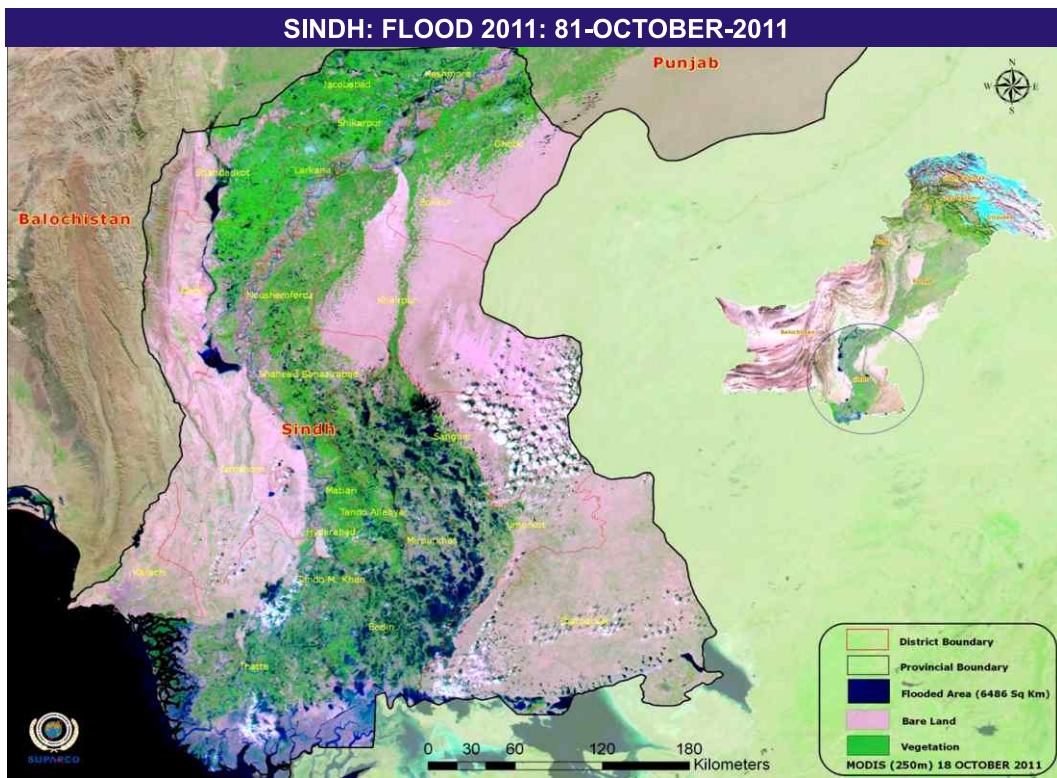
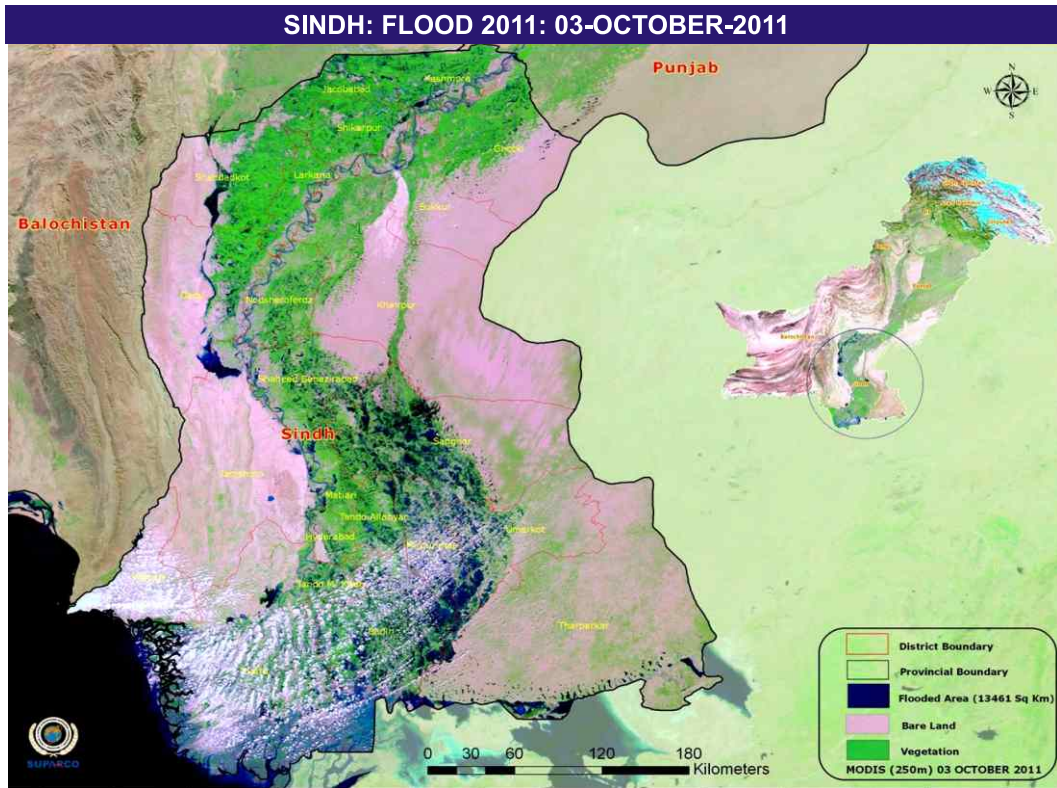
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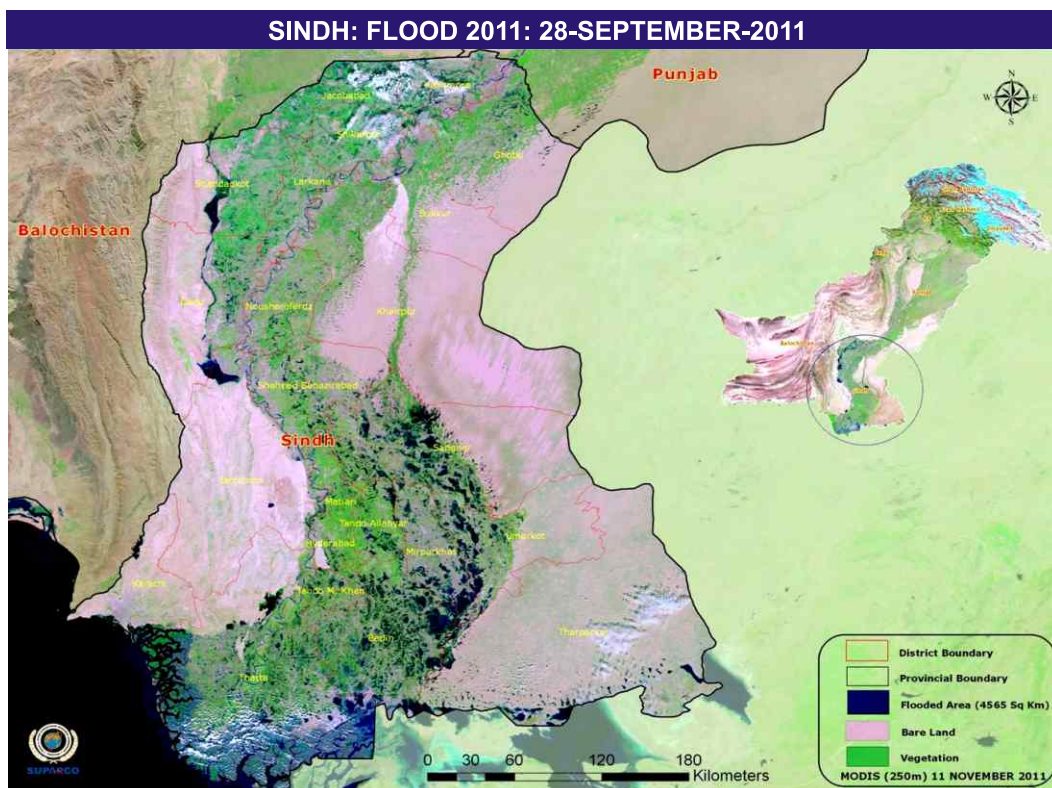
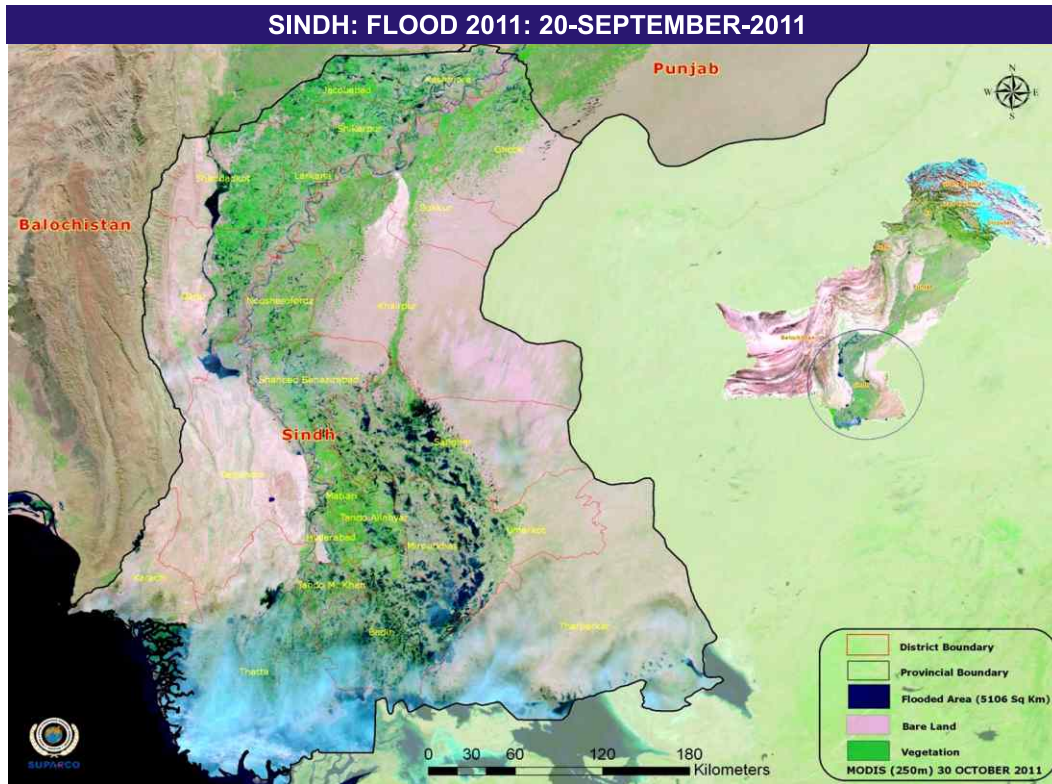
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Benazirabad	85000	↑ 85000	↓ 82700	↓ 80600	↓ 79700	↓ 41700	↓ 28800	↓ 25600	↓ 23200	↓ 16300	↓ 15000	↓ 14200	↓ 12800	↓ 12300	↓ 11800	↓ 9700	↓ 8200	↓ 8100	
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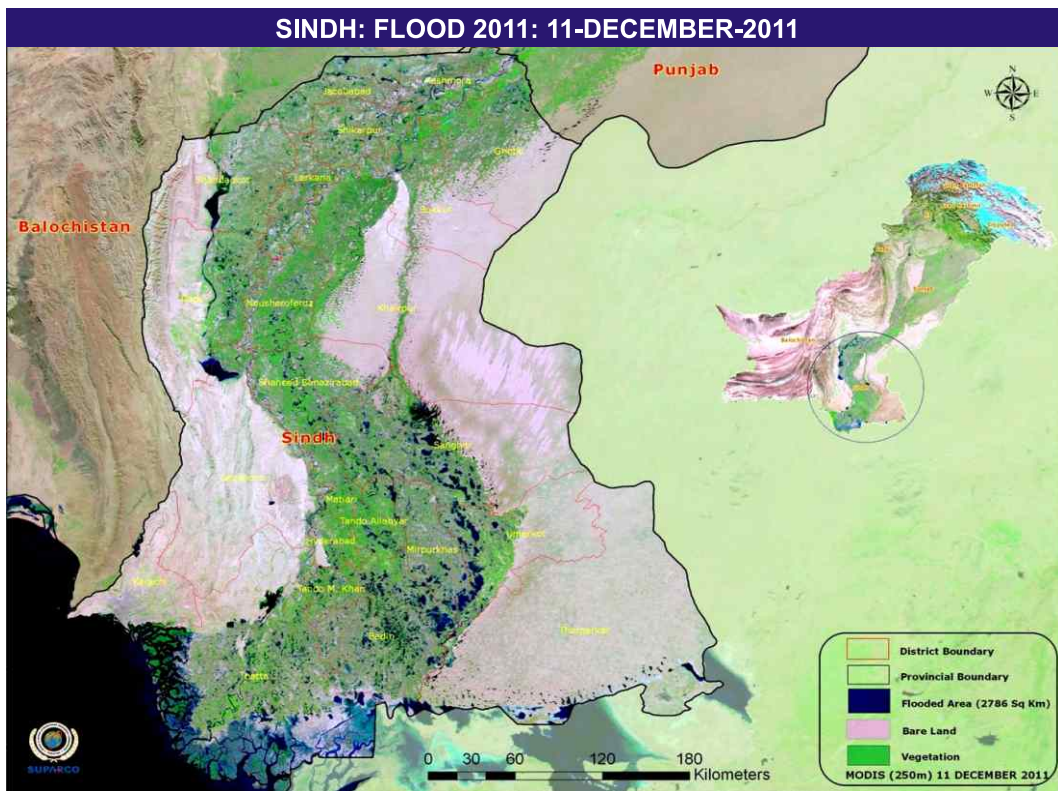
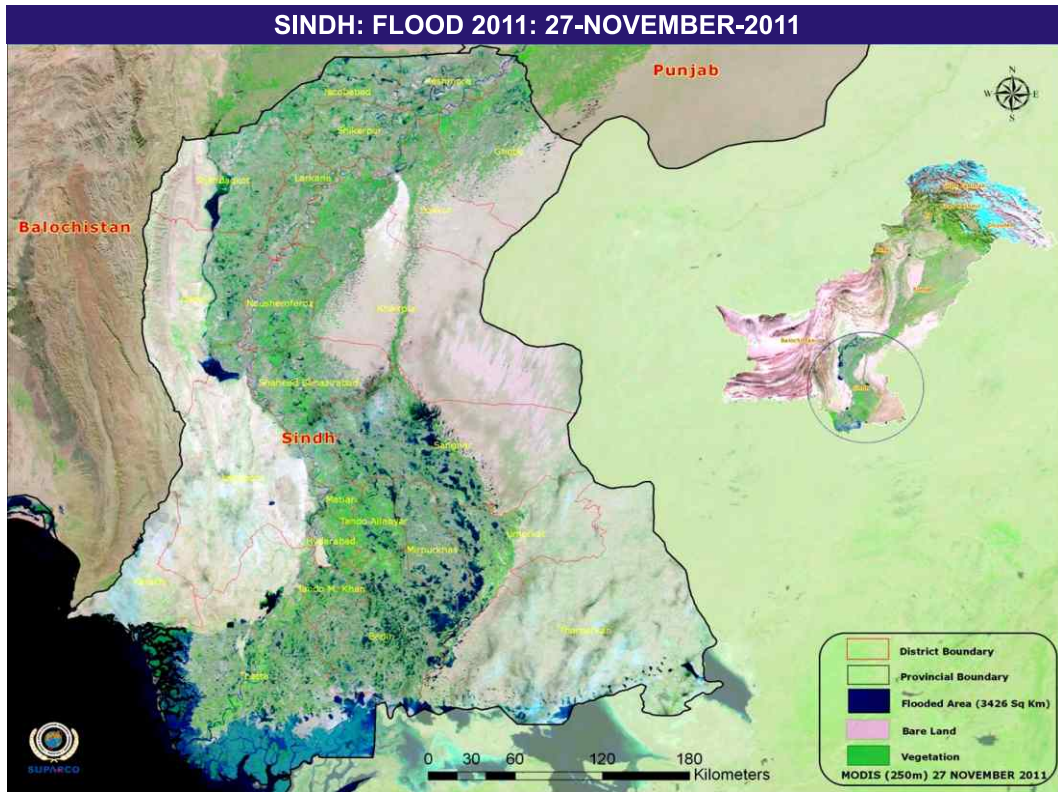
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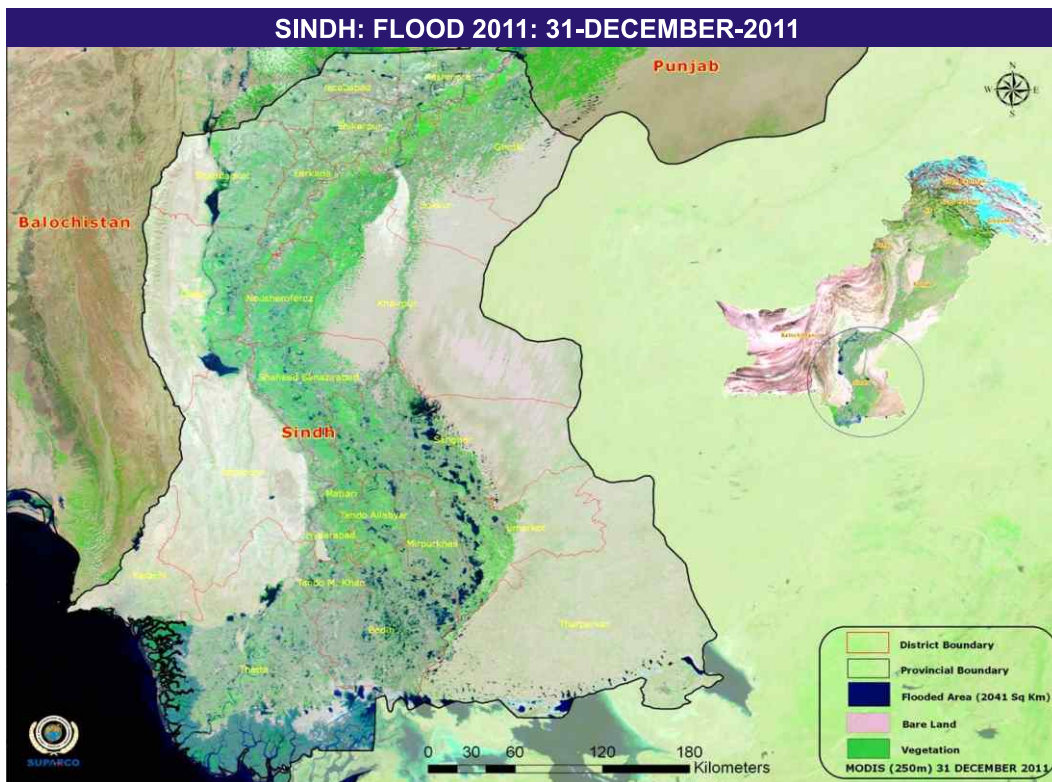
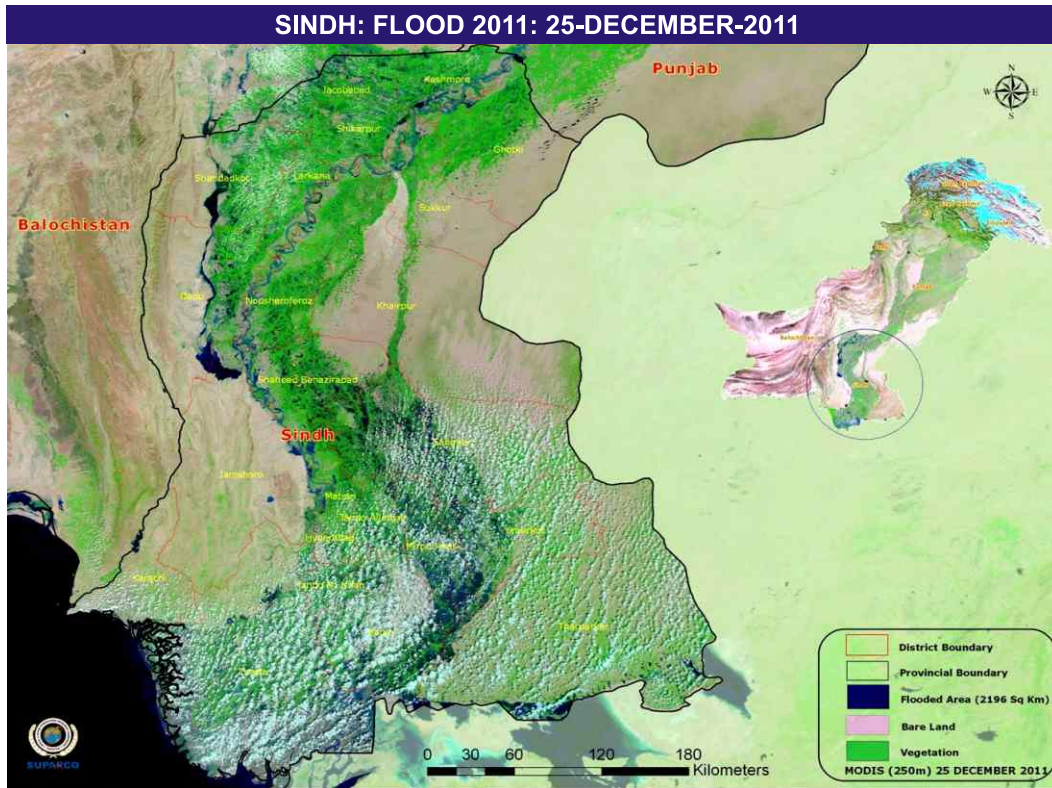
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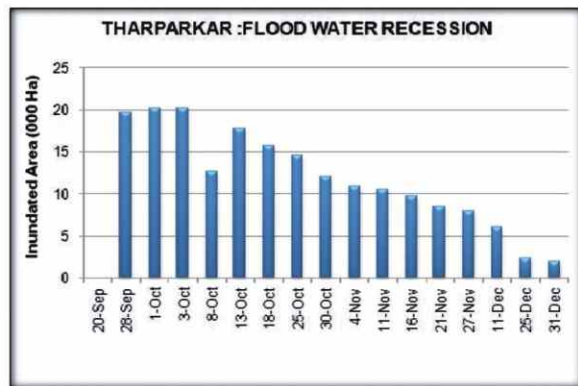
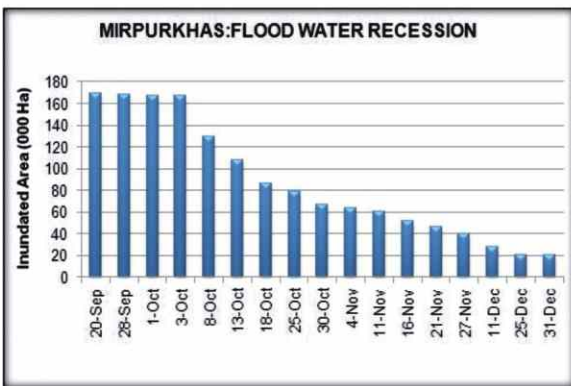
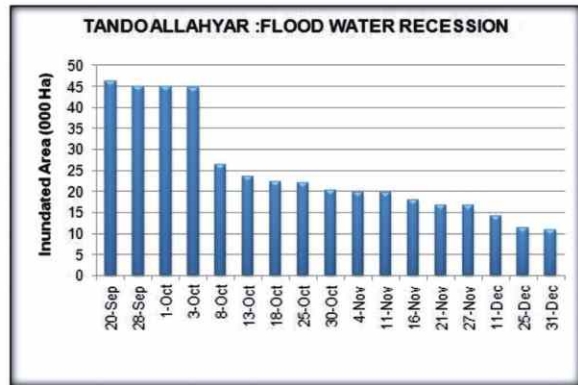
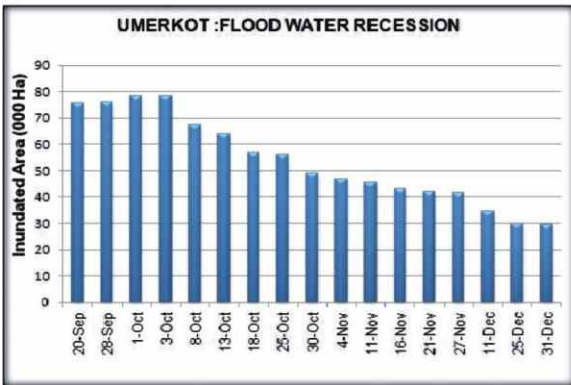
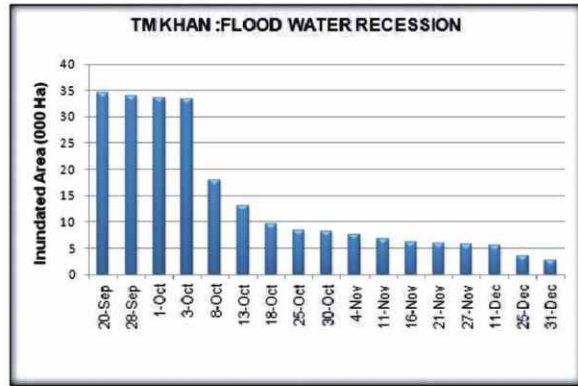
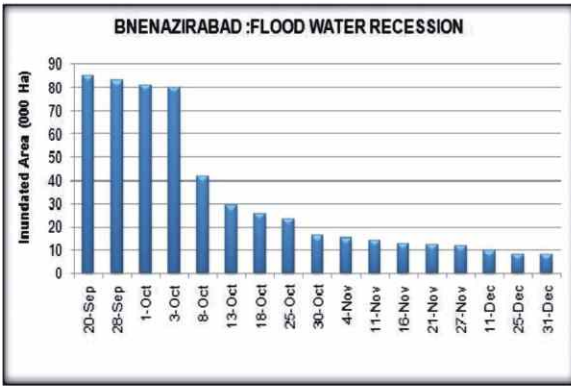
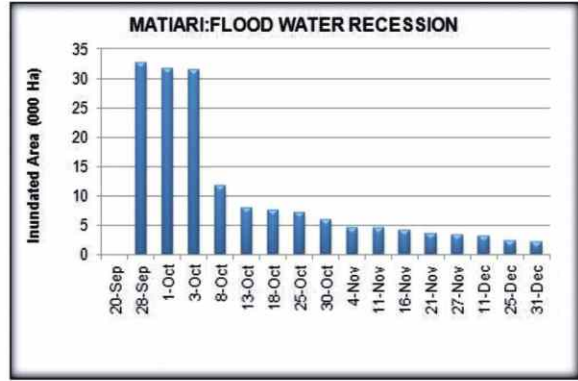
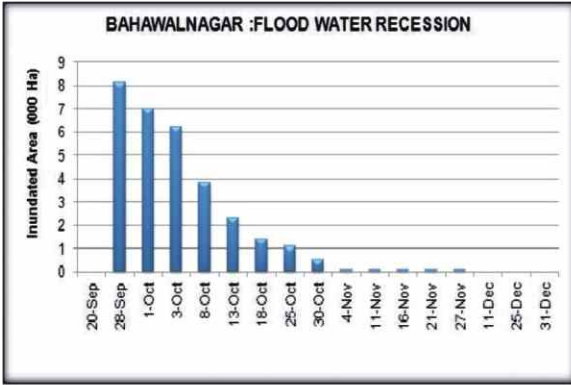


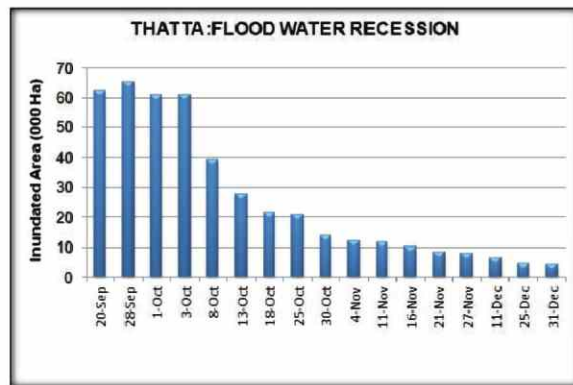
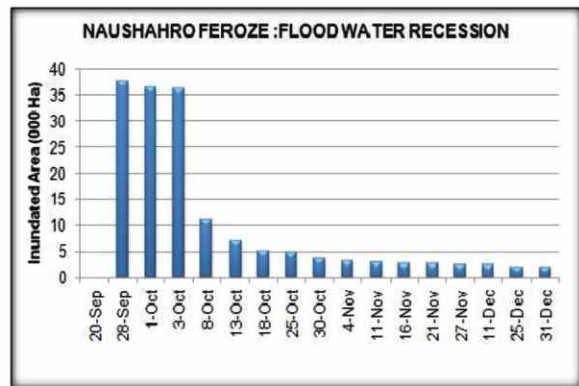
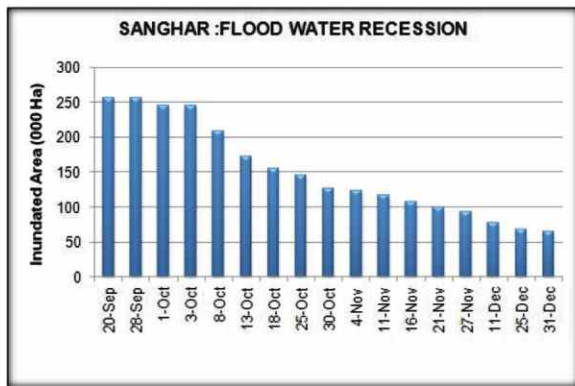
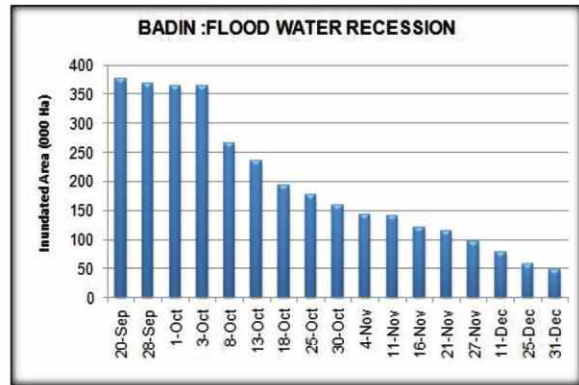
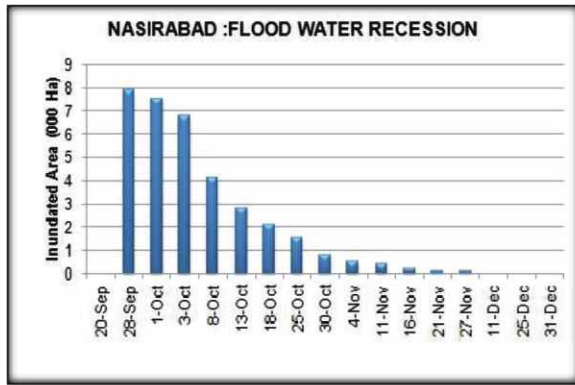






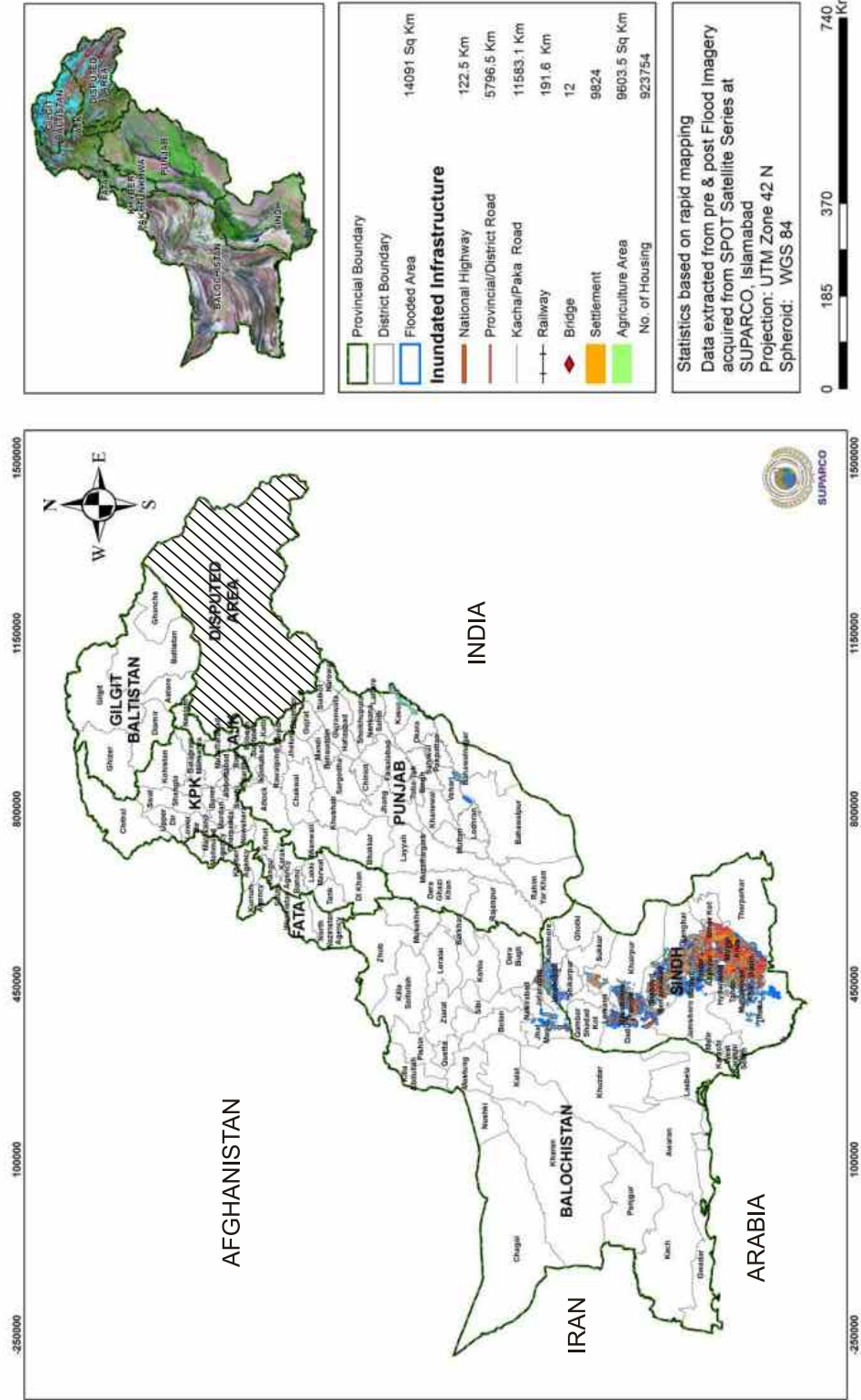
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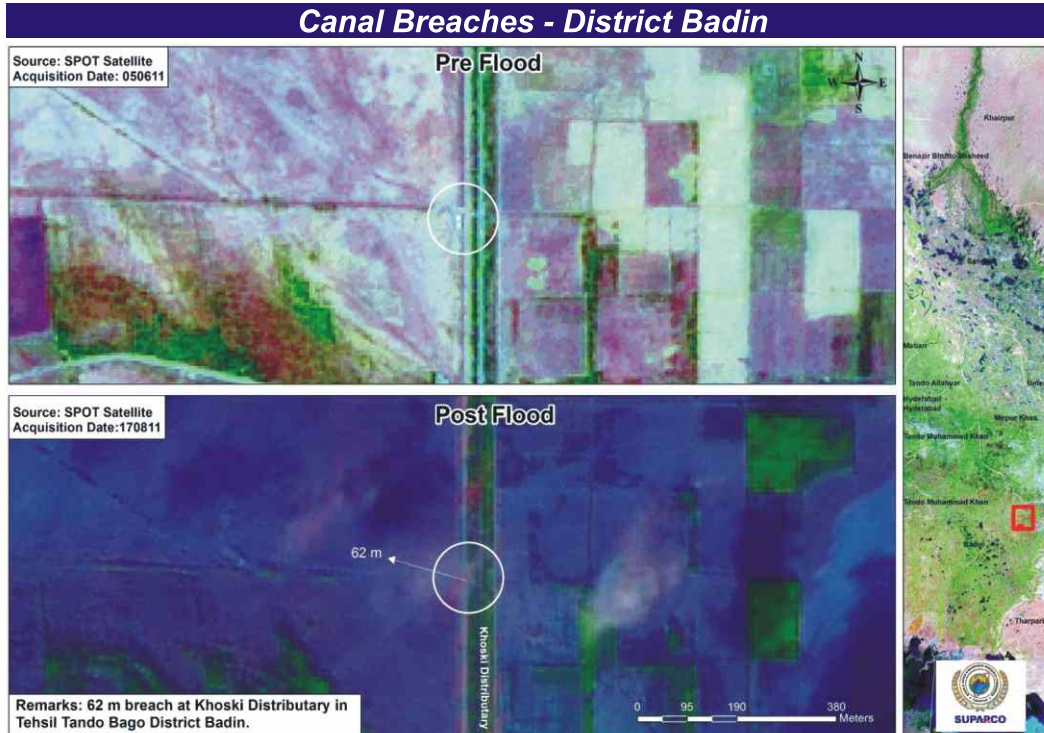
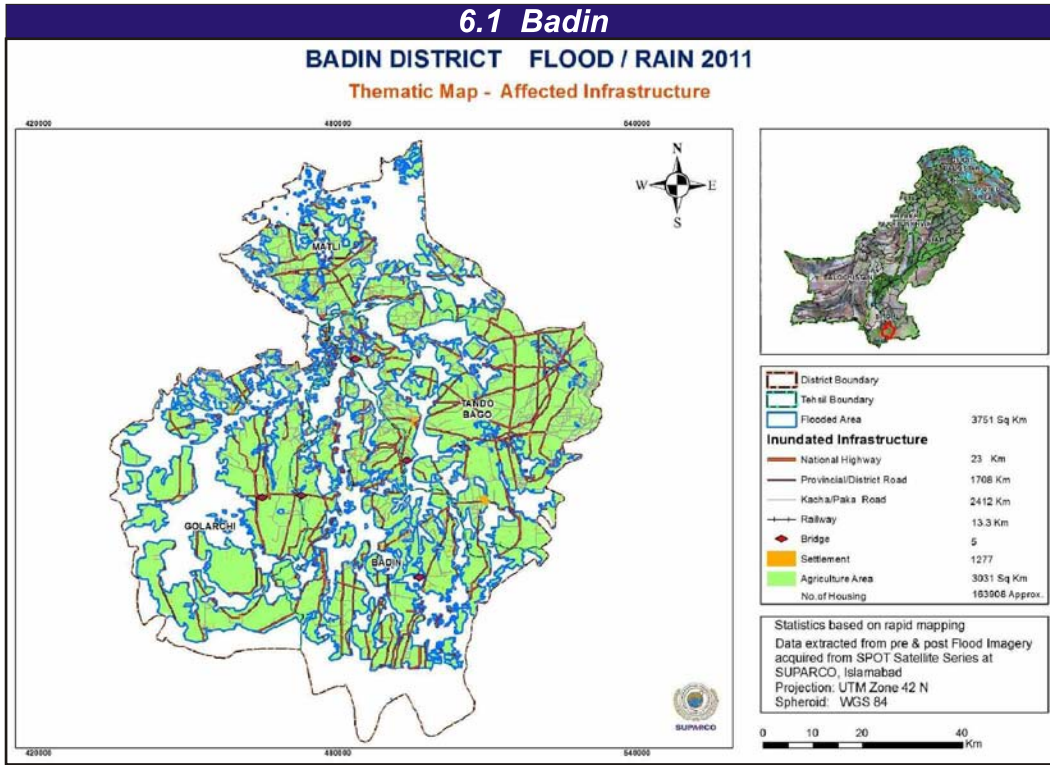


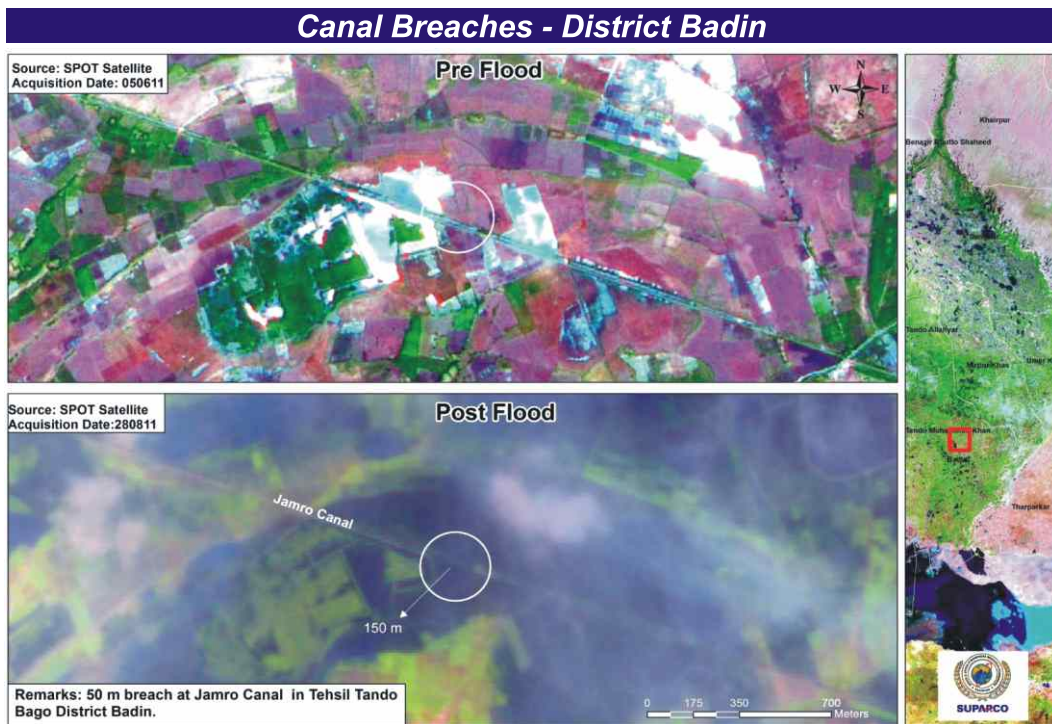
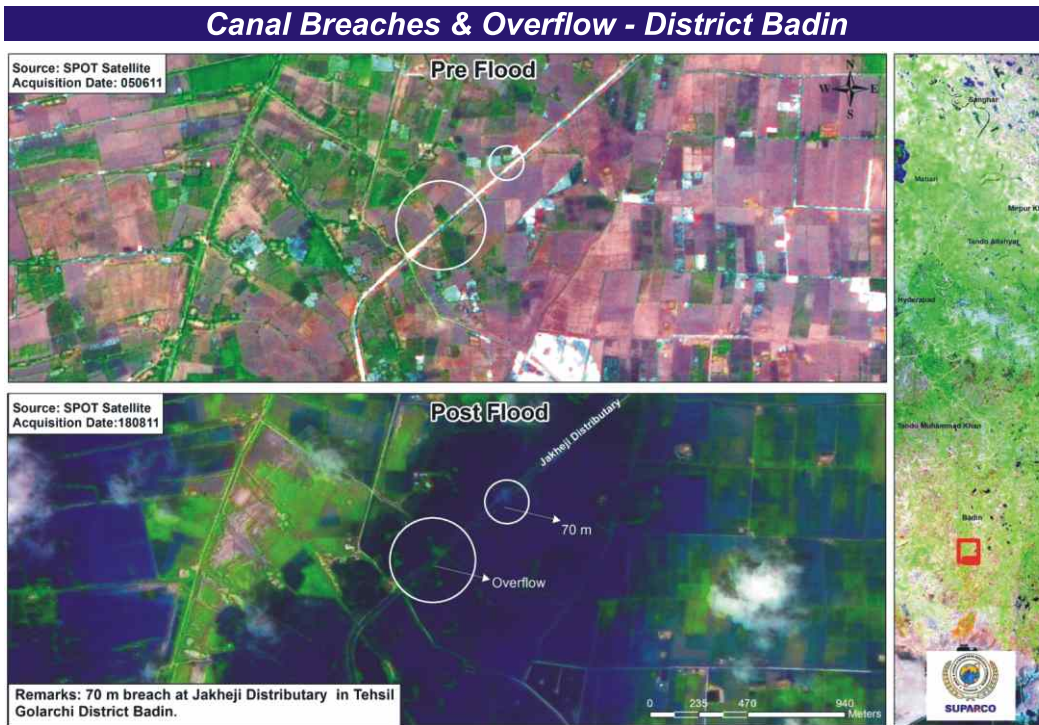


6.0 Thematic Maps

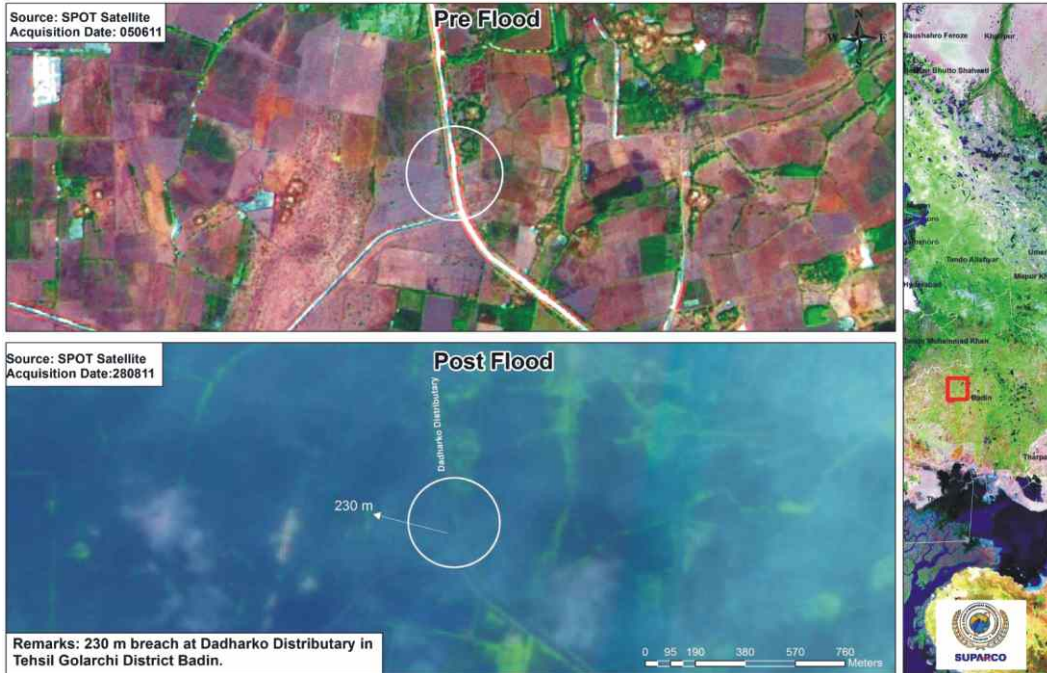
PAKISTAN FLOOD / RAIN 2011
Thematic Map - Affected Infrastructure



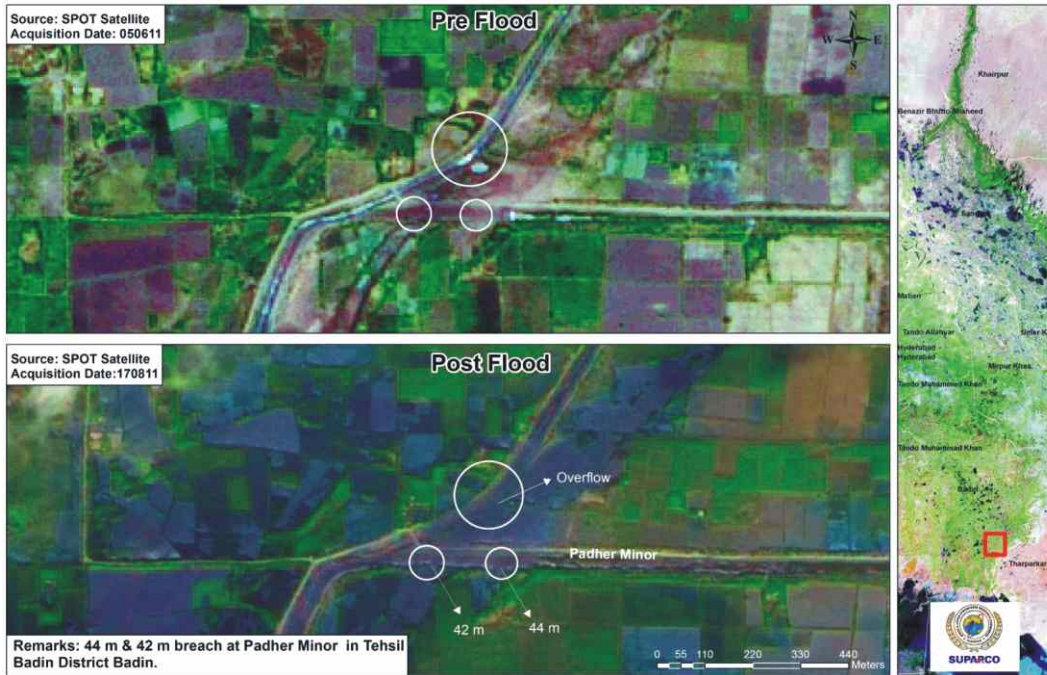


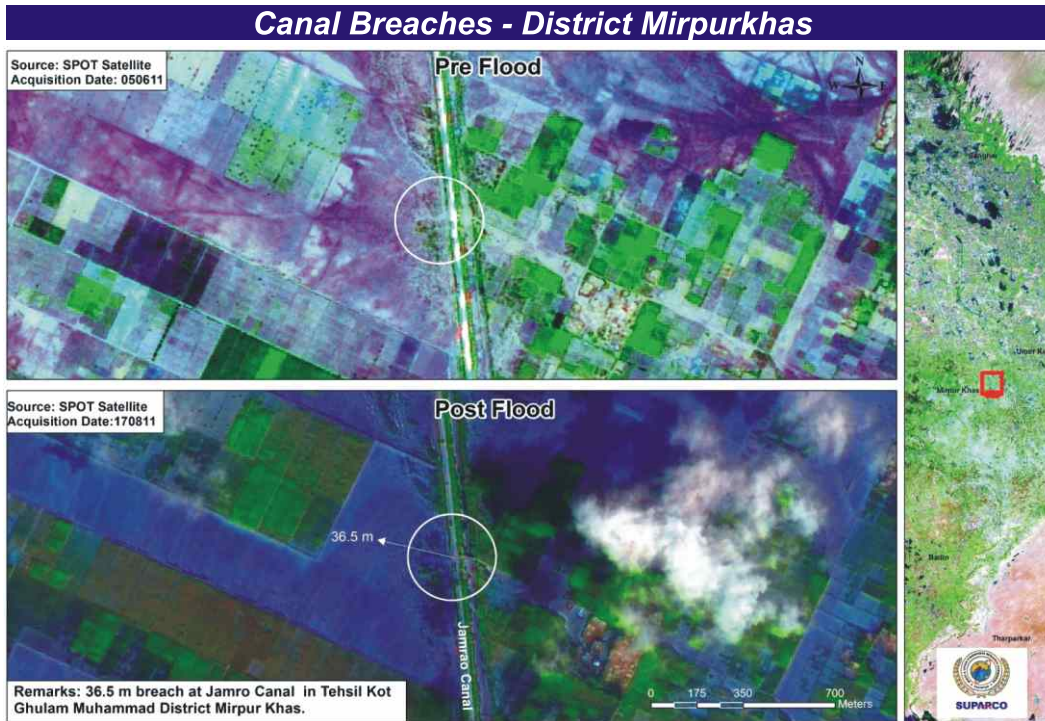
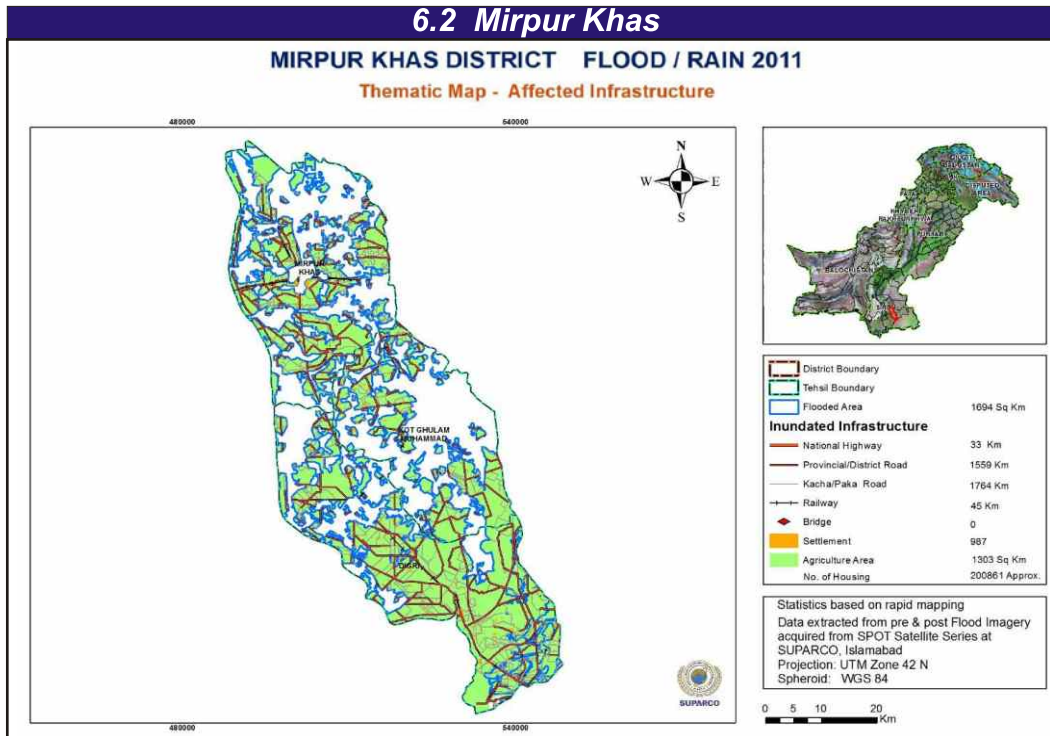


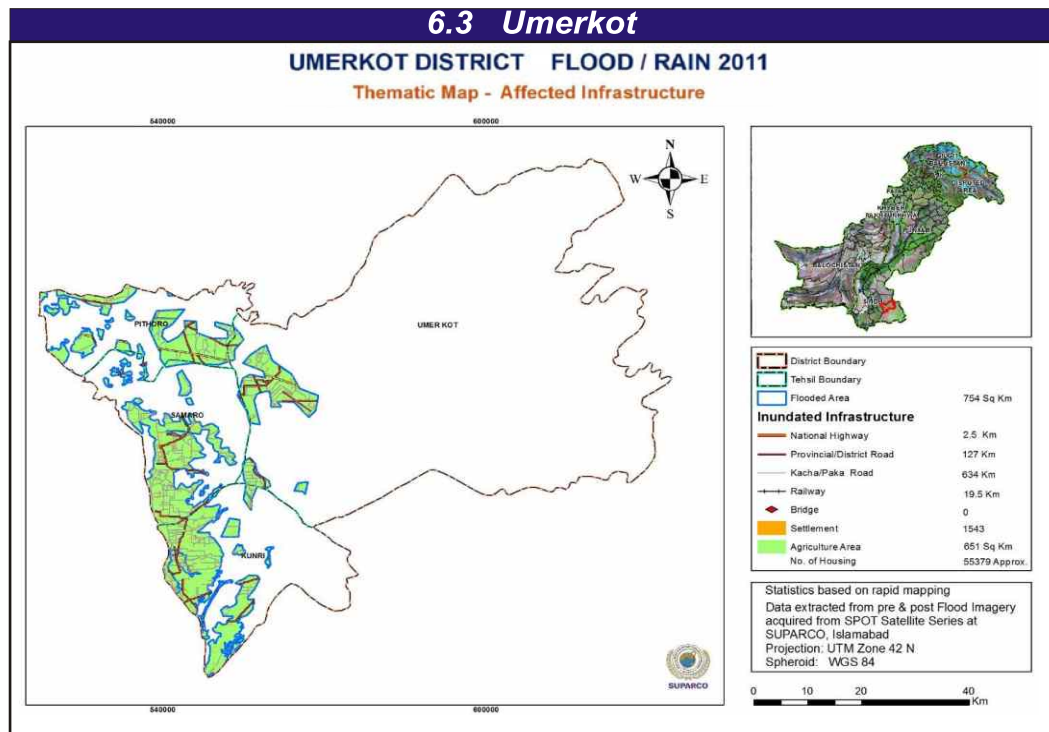
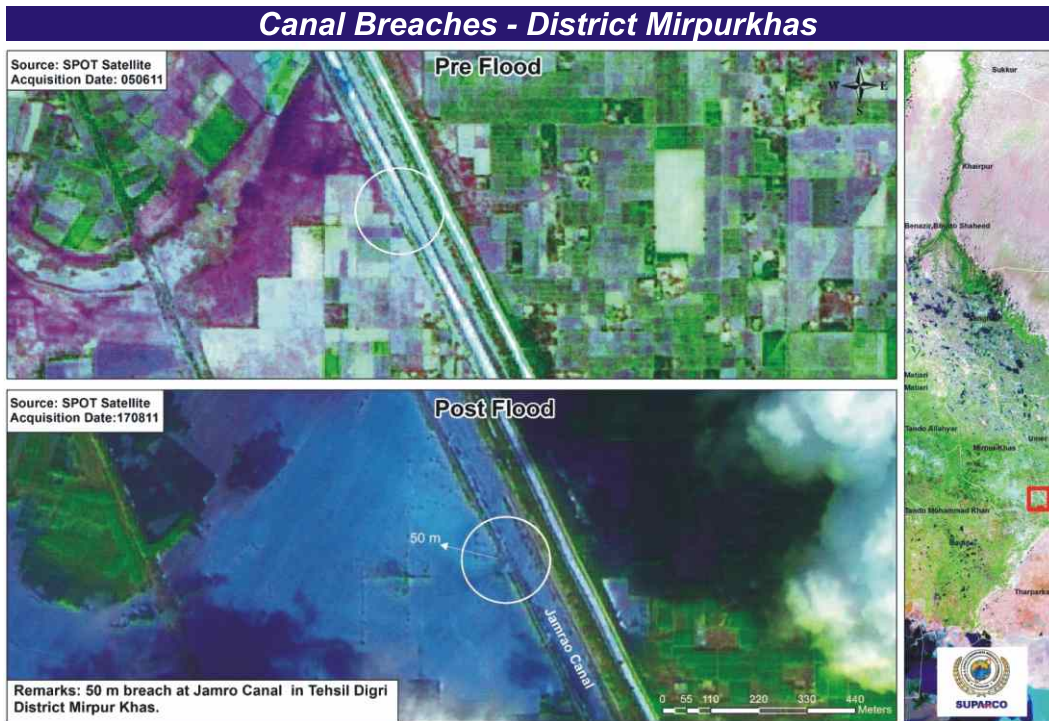
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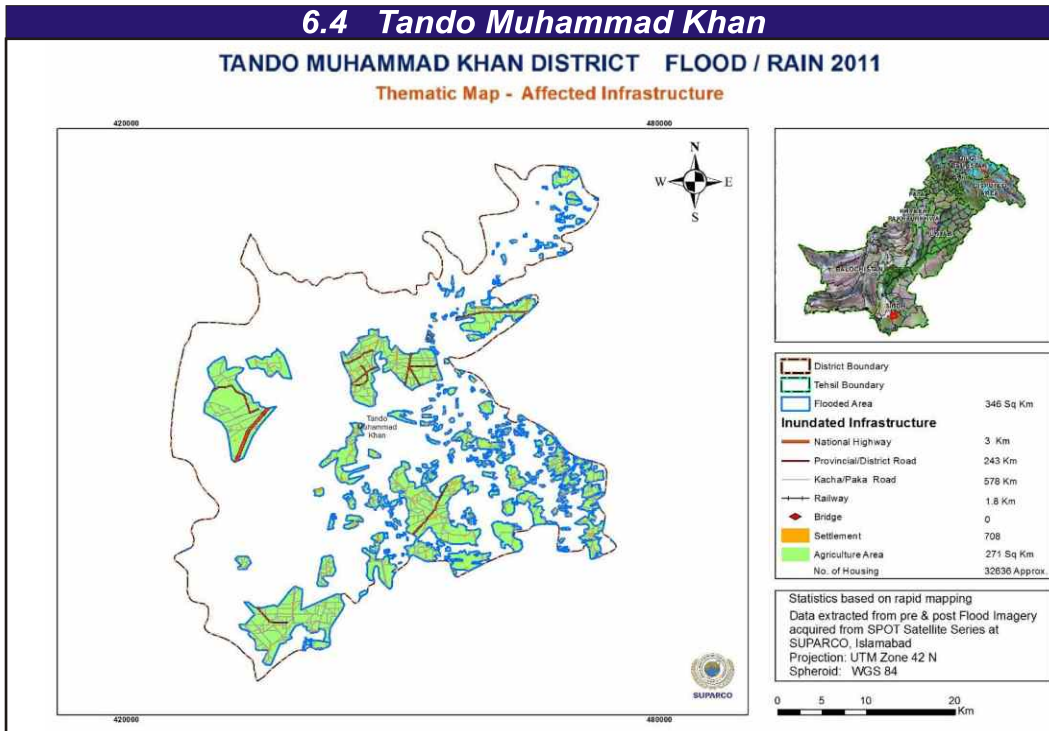
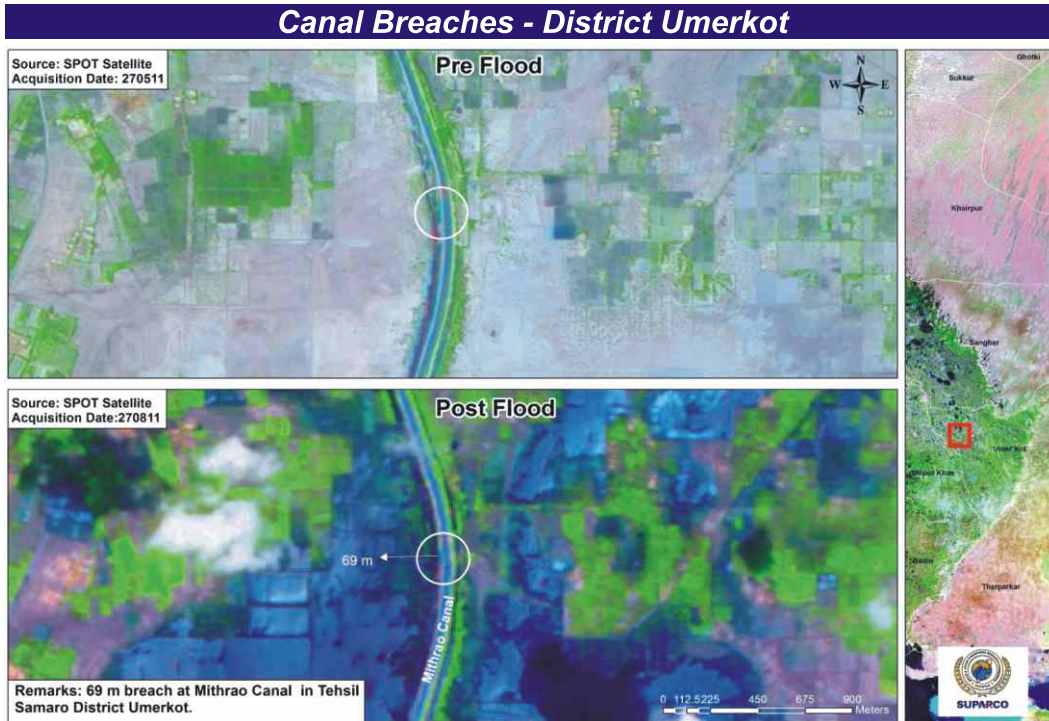


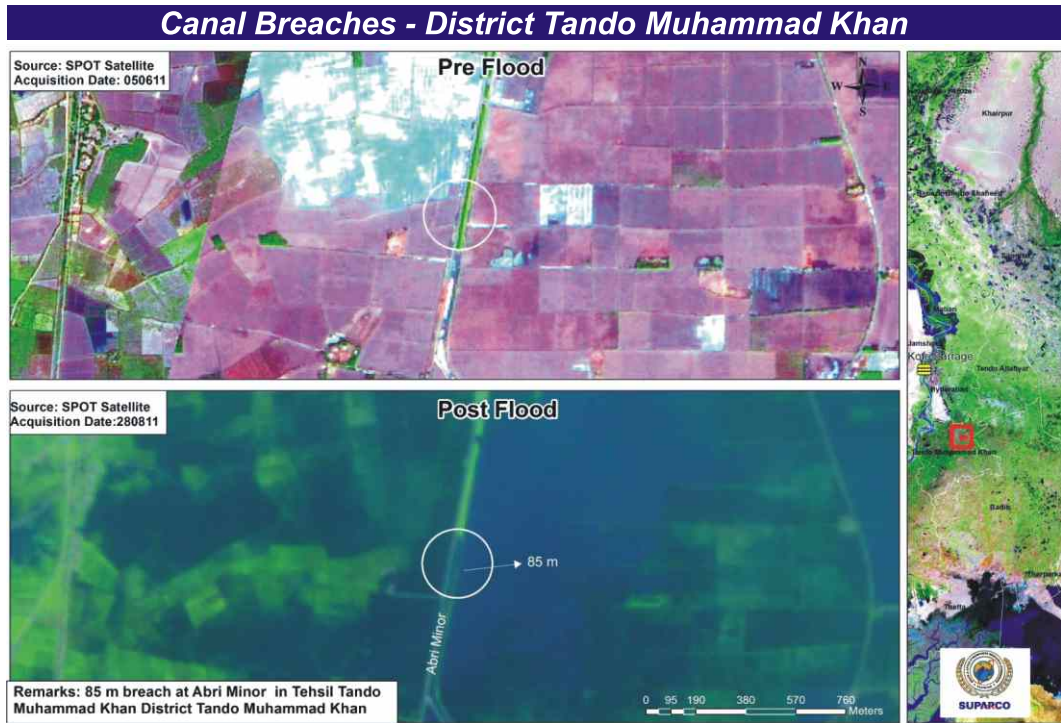
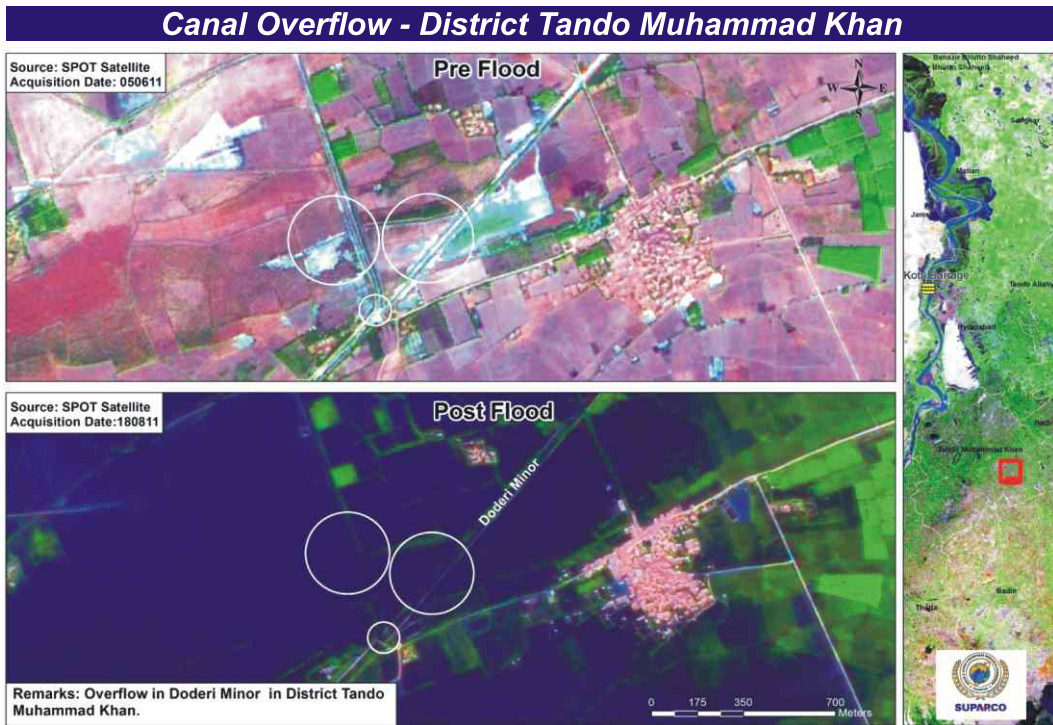
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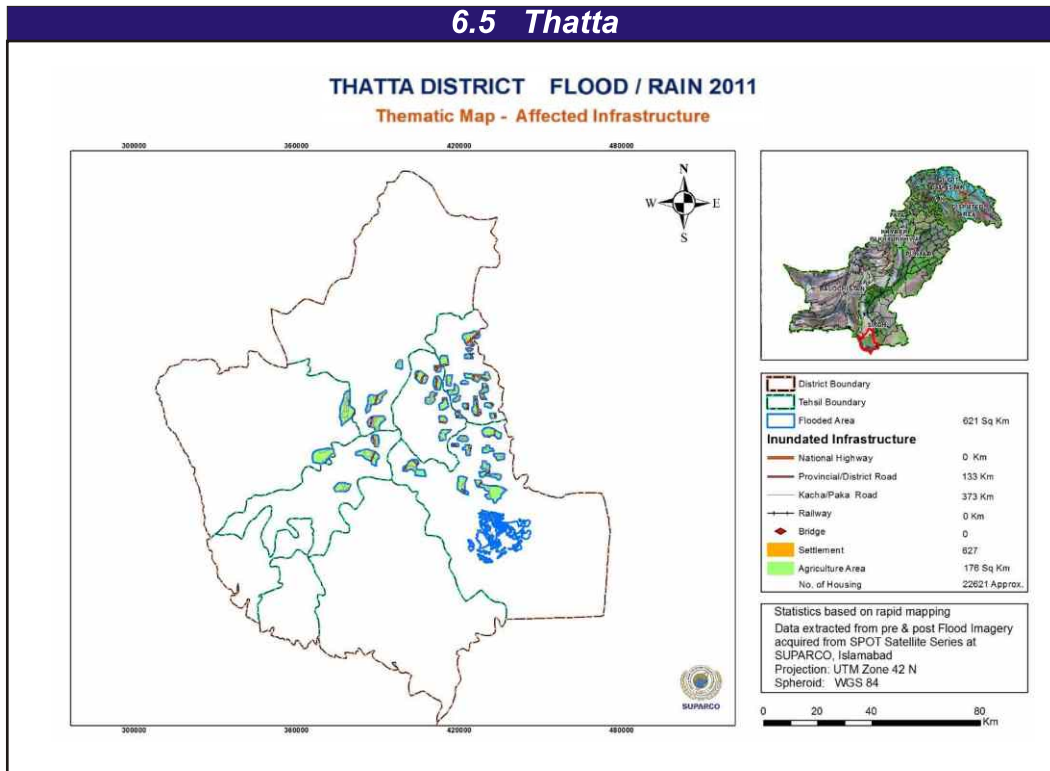








6.5 Thatta



6.6 Tando Allah Yar

