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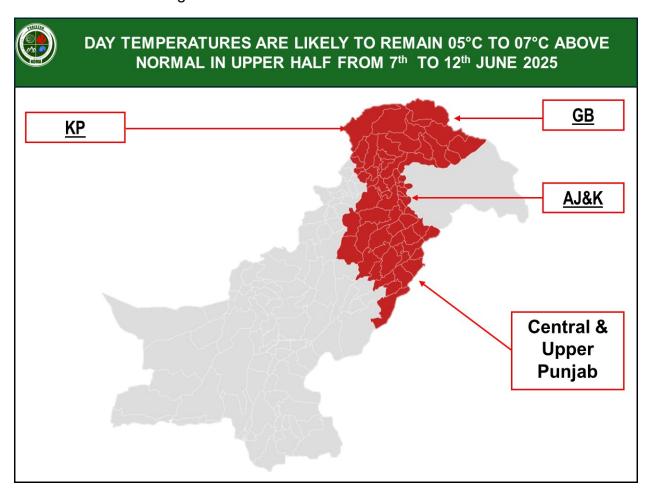


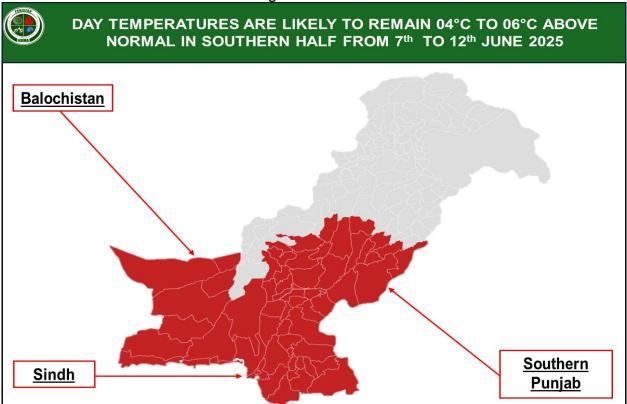
Dated: 5 June 2025

Subject: SEVERE HEATWAVE PREDICTED DURING EID HOLIDAYS AND COMING
WEEK

A **high pressure** is likely to develop over the country on **7**th **June 2025** and is expected to grip most parts from **8**th **June 2025**. Under the influence of these meteorological conditions:-

- a. Day temperatures are likely to remain 05°C to 07°C above normal in upper half (central & upper Punjab, Islamabad, Khyber-Pakhtunkhwa, Kashmir, Gilgit-Baltistan) from 7th to 12th June 2025.
- b. Day temperatures are likely to remain 04 to 06°C above normal in southern half (upper and central Sindh, southern Punjab and parts of Balochistan) from 7th to 12th June 2025.
- c. Dust-storm/gusty-winds are expected over the plains of the country due to excessive heating.





2. All PDMAs, SDMA, GBDMA, ICT Administration, Health Departments, Line Departments, Rescue Agencies/ Responders/ USAR Teams, Armed Forces and Federal Ministries/ Departments are advised to undertake proactive and timely measures to prepare for and respond to the anticipated heatwave conditions in light of the current climate situation. The following guidelines are issued for adoption and implementation:

a. **Institutional Measures**

- (1) PDMAs, in coordination with DDMAs and local administration, should launch extensive public awareness campaigns highlighting the dangers of heatwaves and promoting preventive measures.
- (2) Ministries, provincial departments and educational authorities must implement steps to protect children in schools from exposure to heatwave conditions, including schedule adjustments or temporary closures if necessary.
- (3) Identification of high-risk areas and establishment of heatstroke treatment centers equipped with medical staff, basic treatment equipment and water supplies.
- (4) The Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations & Coordination (MoNHSR&C) should issue directives to enhance hospital and departmental capacities for managing heat-related emergencies.
- (5) PDMAs, in collaboration with local authorities, must develop emergency response protocols to address heatwave incidents effectively and efficiently.

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- (6) Educational institutions, NGOs and community organizations should educate students and local communities on recognizing heatstroke symptoms, emergency procedures and how to access medical support.
- (7) PDMAs/ DDMAs/ Local Administrations should stockpile emergency supplies, including first aid kits, ORS/ electrolyte drinks, cooling aids, water dispensers and ensure availability in strategic urban and rural locations.
- (8) Establish robust communication channels to disseminate timely alerts, weather updates and information regarding emergency shelters, cooling centers and medical assistance resources.
- (9) Collaborate with stakeholders to set up cooling centers in densely populated and underprivileged areas for people without access to air conditioning.
- (10) PMD and NDMA Tech Team must continuously monitor heatwave trends and intensities, ensure accuracy in forecasting and share updates with relevant authorities.
- (11) PDMA KP and GBDMA are to closely monitor GLOF-vulnerable sites, particularly in Northern and glaciated regions, as the ongoing heatwave may trigger Glacial Lake Outburst Flood (GLOF) incidents.
- (12) Emergency Services (Rescue 1122/ Fire Brigades), Forest Department and Local Administration to remain alert against possible forest and urban fire and undertake preventative measures against fires where possible.

b. <u>Individual Preventive Measures</u>

- (1) Stay **well-hydrated**; carry and drink plenty of clean water throughout the day.
- (2) Avoid direct exposure to sunlight, especially during peak hours (11:00 AM to 4:00 PM).
- (3) Keep **informed of local weather conditions** through reliable media or mobile applications.
- (4) Use **curtains**, **shades**, **or blinds** to reduce indoor heat from sunlight.
- (5) Place **fans near windows** during nighttime to improve ventilation and indoor cooling.
- (6) Install **green shades** outside windows to naturally lower indoor temperatures.
- (7) Use **reflective materials (e.g., aluminum foil)** on windows to deflect sunlight and reduce indoor heat.

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- (8) Promote the use of appropriate **protective measures**, such as **lightweight**, **loose-fitting** and **light-colored clothing**, along with **SPF** and hats.
- (9) In case of symptoms like dizziness, nausea, or weakness, consult a doctor immediately.
- (10) Plan outdoor work or physical activity during cooler parts of the day and avoid unnecessary travel.
- (11) Give special attention to the elderly, infants and those with preexisting health conditions.
- (12) Farmers are advised to manage their crop activities keeping in view the weather conditions and take care of their livestock as well.

c. Vehicle Safety and Travel Precautions

- (1) Plan all travel carefully; avoid moving during peak heat hours when possible.
- (2) Avoid **long-distance travel** during extreme heat unless necessary. **High temperatures** increase strain on vehicle systems.
- (3) Ensure vehicle fitness by checking engine fluids, air-conditioning systems, tyre pressure and battery levels. Get vehicles inspected by a mechanic prior to summer travel.

d. Additional Recommendations

- (1) Encourage local cable operators and media to run heatwave awareness messages and health tips.
- (2) Coordinate with WASA/ municipal bodies to ensure uninterrupted water supply in heat-prone localities.
- (3) Encourage mosques, community centers and public institutions to serve as temporary cooling shelters.
- (4) Ensure hydration corners or water booths at major public gathering points such as markets, bus terminals and parks.
- 3. In case of any eventuality, routine updates will be shared with NDMA.
- 4. <u>Press Information Department Only</u>. With the request to ensure wider circulation and public awareness.

5. Forwarded for information/ necessary action, please.

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Severe Heatwave Alert:

Date: 05thJune, 2025 Time: 12:00 PST

Severe heatwave predicted during Eid holidays and coming week

Met office predicted that high pressure is likely to develop over the country on 07th June and is expected to grip most parts from 08th June. Under the influence of these meteorological conditions:

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Possible Impacts and advice:

- Due to severe heatwave conditions, general public especially children, women and senior citizens are advised to take precautionary measures.
- Avoid exposure to direct sun light during the day time and stay hydrated.
- · Rising temperatures in northern areas may enhance snowmelt rate during the forecast period.
- Judicious use of water is requested in all fields of life.
- · Farmers are advised to manage their crop activities accordingly.

Note: All concerned authorities are advised to remain "ALERT" and take necessary measures to avoid any untoward situation due to severe heatwave conditions.

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محکمہ موسمیات کے مطابق 07 جون ہے ہواکازیاد ود باؤ ملک پر اثرانداز ہو گااور 08 جون ہے ملک کے بیشتر علاقوں کو اپنی لپیٹ میں لینے کاامکان۔ جس کے باعث:

- 17 ہے 12 جون کے دوران ملک کے بالا کی علاقوں (وسطی / ہلائی پنجاب،اسلام آباد، خیبر پختو نخوا، تشمیر، گلگت بلتستان) میں دن کادر جہ حرارت معمول سے 05 ہے 07 وُ گری سینٹی گریڈزیادہ رہے کی توقع۔
- 17 ہے 12 جون کے دوران ملک کے جنوبی علاقوں(بالائی/وسطی سندھ، جنوبی پنجاب اور بلوچتان کے علاقوں) میں دن کادر جہ حرارت معمول سے <u>04 ہے 06</u> ڈگری سیٹنی گریڈزیاد ہرہنے کا ایکان
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Date: 05th June, 2025

- مرى كالمرك وجدے عوام الناس بالخصوص يجول، شواعن اور بزرگ شيريول كوامنيا في هرايير اختياد كرنے كامشور هـ
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