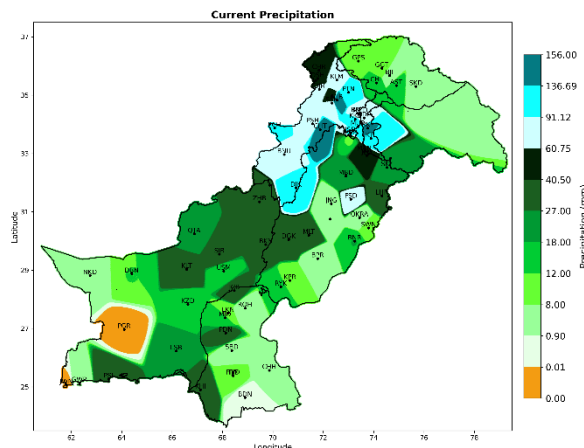


# Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin for Pakistan

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**Rainfall Distribution (mm) during the Previous Week (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**



## Highlights of Past Weather (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)

- Light to moderate rainfall (with isolated heavy falls) was observed over most parts of the country particularly in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Azad Jammu and Kashmir, Upper/central Punjab and northeastern Balochistan.
- Minimum/Night time temperatures remained above normal in most parts of the country, while below-normal values were observed in eastern and southern parts of Balochistan.
- Maximum/Day time temperatures remained below normal in most parts of the country; however, above normal temperatures were recorded in Gilgit Baltistan and some northeastern/eastern parts of Punjab.
- Below normal mean temperatures were observed over Sindh, Balochistan and a few isolated parts of upper and central Punjab, while above normal temperatures were recorded in Gilgit Baltistan, parts of eastern and southern Punjab.

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## **Past Weather of Provinces** **(30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**

### **Punjab**

Light to moderate rainfall was recorded across most parts of the province, while isolated heavy falls were also observed in the Pothohar region during the previous week. Weekly mean maximum and minimum temperatures were recorded as 28.5°C & 16.8°C respectively. For the recent week, on average, 123.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Average relative humidity recorded as 65% and wind speed in the morning/evening recorded as 3.0/4.9 Knots. The highest total rainfall was recorded as 136.00 mm at Murree during the last week. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 4.1°C at Murree.

### **Balochistan**

Light to moderate rainfall was observed from most parts of the province during the previous week. Weekly mean maximum and minimum temperatures were recorded as 24.4°C & 13.4°C respectively. For the recent week, on average, 97.5 growing degree days were accumulated. The average relative humidity recorded was 48% and mean wind speed in the morning/evening was recorded 2.1/6.1 Knots. The highest total rainfall was recorded as 38.00 mm at Kalat during the last week. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 2.0°C at Kalat.

### **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa**

Light to moderate rainfall (along with isolated heavy falls) was observed across most parts of the province during the previous week. Weekly mean maximum and minimum temperatures were recorded as 19.8°C & 10.1°C respectively. For the recent week, on average, 69.6 growing degree days were accumulated. Average relative humidity recorded as 75% and mean wind speed in the morning/evening recorded as 1.2/1.5 Knots. The highest total rainfall was recorded as 156.00 mm from Mirkhani during the last week. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 0.0°C at Kalam.

### **Sindh**

Light to moderate rainfall was reported from the province during the previous week. Weekly mean maximum and minimum temperatures were recorded as 31.0°C & 19.0°C respectively. For the recent week, on average, 140.0 growing degree days were accumulated. Average relative humidity recorded as 59%, and mean wind speed in the morning/evening recorded as 3.5/4.8 Knots. The highest total rainfall was recorded as 38.61 mm at Larkana. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 13.5°C at Moin-Jo-Daro.

### **Gilgit-Baltistan and Azad Jammu & Kashmir**

Light to moderate rainfall was reported from Gilgit-Baltistan and Azad Jammu & Kashmir, while isolated heavy falls were also reported from Azad Jammu & Kashmir during the previous week. Weekly mean maximum and minimum temperatures were recorded as 20.3°C & 9.1°C respectively. For the recent week, on average, 68.0 growing degree days were accumulated. Average relative humidity was recorded as 60%, and mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 0.2/2.1 Knots. The highest total rainfall was recorded as 137.00 mm from Rawalakot during the last week. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 4.0°C at Astore and Rawalakot.

## **Past Weather for Major Agricultural Plains** **(30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**

### **Rawalpindi (Pothohar region)**

Rainfall was reported as 11.80 mm from Rawalpindi during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 4.6/4.8 Oktas during the week, while average relative humidity was observed as 80%. The mean night time temperature was recorded as 12.2°C & for the recent week, 100.6 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 0.6/1.1 Knots. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 8.6°C.

**Faisalabad (Central Punjab)**

Rainfall was reported as 66.60 mm from Faisalabad during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 4.0/4.4 Oktas during the week, average relative humidity was observed as 69%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 18.4°C & for the recent week, 132.7 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 1.7/2.9 Knots. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 15.0°C.

**Tandojam (Lower Sindh)**

Dry weather was reported from Tandojam during the week, however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 2.3/2.6 Oktas during the week while average relative humidity recorded as 65%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 19.4°C & for the recent week, 145.3 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 2.3/4.3 Knots. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 17.5°C.

**Usta Muhammad (Eastern Baluchistan)**

Rainfall was reported as 12.80 mm from Usta Muhammad during the week, however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 3.5/4.8 Oktas during the week. On average, relative humidity was recorded as 64%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 16.1°C & for the recent week, 122.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 2.5/4.0 Knots. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 12.5°C.

**Quetta (Northern Baluchistan)**

Rainfall was reported as 13.00 mm from Quetta during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 4.2/5.8 Oktas during the week while average relative humidity was observed as 61%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 7.9°C & for the recent week, 55.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as

2.1/3.7 Knots. The lowest minimum temperature was recorded as 4.0°C.

**Past Weather for Sub-Regional Agricultural Plains (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)****Multan**

Rainfall was reported as 34.60 mm from Multan during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 4.9/4.3 Oktas during the week while average relative humidity observed as 63%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 17.8°C & for the recent week, 128.4 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 4.9/4.9 Knots.

**Lahore**

Rainfall was reported as 29.41 mm from Lahore during the week, however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 3.4/4.4 Oktas during the week while average relative humidity was observed as 57%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 17.9°C & for the recent week, 131.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 0.9/3.1 Knots.

**Zhob**

Rainfall was reported as 34.00 mm from Zhob during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 5.4/6.6 Oktas during the week, while average relative humidity was observed as 47%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 10.9°C & for the recent week, 71.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 2.0/4.0 Knots.

**Murree**

Rainfall was reported as 136.0 mm from Murree during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 5.1/6.9 Oktas during the week, while average relative humidity observed as 76%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 5.5°C & for the recent week, 35.4

growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 3.4/6.6 Knots.

#### **D.I. Khan**

Rainfall was reported as 94.81 mm from D.I Khan during the week, however, cloudiness in the morning/evening recorded as 4.9/4.0 Oktas. Average relative humidity was observed as 75%. Mean night time temperature was recorded as 16.1°C & for the recent week, 113.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 1.7/1.7 Knots.

#### **Peshawar**

Rainfall was reported as 62.30 mm from Peshawar during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening recorded as 4.8/6.0 Oktas while average relative humidity observed as 77%. The mean night time temperature was recorded as 14.5°C & for the recent week, 104.6 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 1.7/1.7 Knots.

#### **Kalam**

Rainfall was reported as 80.00 mm from Kalam during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 4.5/5.4 Oktas while average relative humidity was observed as 44%. The mean night time temperature was recorded as 3.5°C & for the recent week, 19.4 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 1.3/2.0 Knots.

#### **Gilgit**

Rainfall was reported as 10.81 mm from Gilgit during the week; cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 5.9/5.4 Oktas while average relative humidity was observed as 54%. Mean night time temperature recorded as 9.0°C & for the recent week, 77.5 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 0.3/4.6 Knots.

#### **Skardu**

Rainfall was reported as 1.00 mm from Skardu during the week; however, cloudiness in the morning/evening was recorded as 6.3/5.4 Oktas while average relative humidity was observed as 44%. The mean night time temperature recorded as 6.4°C & for the recent week, 53.7 growing degree days were accumulated. Mean wind speed recorded in the morning/evening as 0.0/2.0 Knots.

### **Crop Situation for Major Agricultural Plains (Based on data from Regional Agromet Centers)**

#### **Pothohar Region (Rawalpindi)**

There is presently no crop grown in the fields of RAMC Rawalpindi.

#### **Central Punjab (Faisalabad)**

Wheat is sown in the fields of RAMC Faisalabad. Phonological Stage: Full Maturity. *Condition: Very Good.*

#### **Lower Sindh (Tandojam)**

The land is being prepared for sowing of next crop.

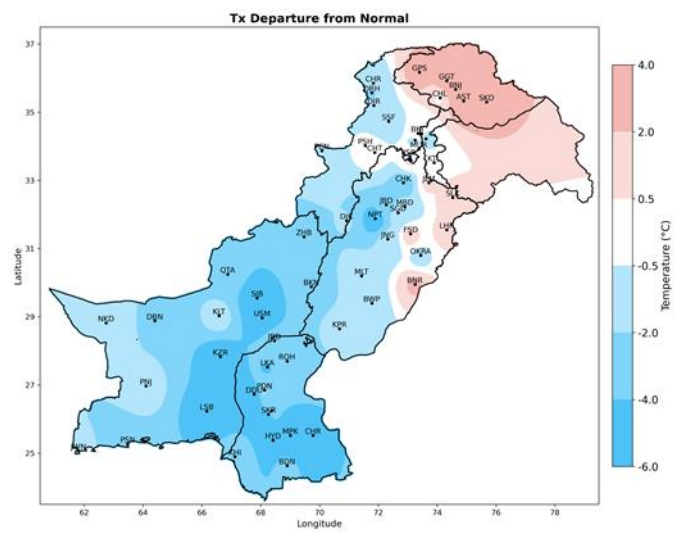
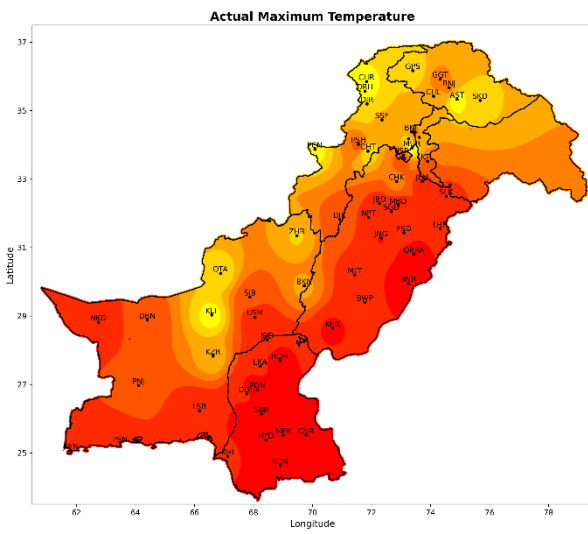
#### **Northern Baluchistan (Quetta)**

Wheat is sown in the fields of RAMC Quetta. Phonological Stage: Heading. *Condition: Good.*

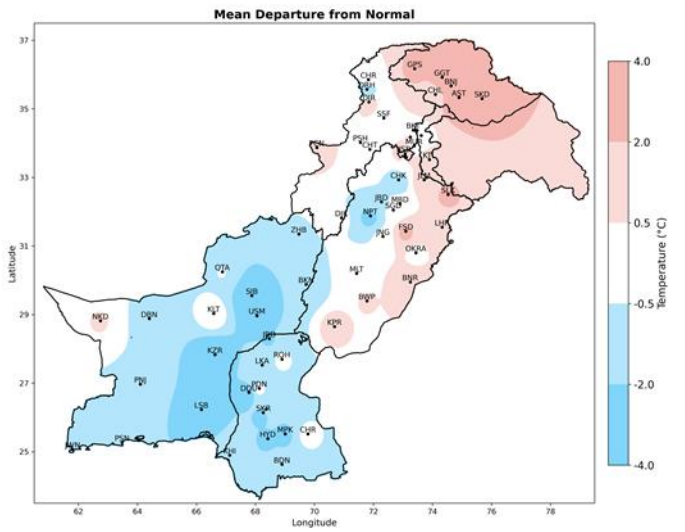
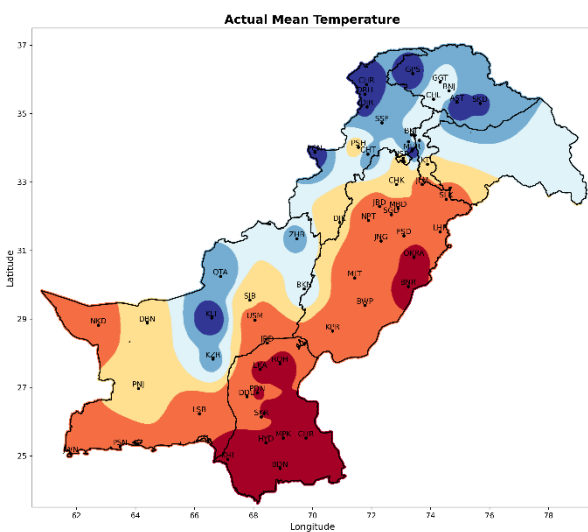
#### **Eastern Baluchistan (Usta Muhammad)**

Wheat crop is sown in the fields of RAMC Usta Muhammad. Phonological Stage: Wax Maturity. *Condition: Good.*

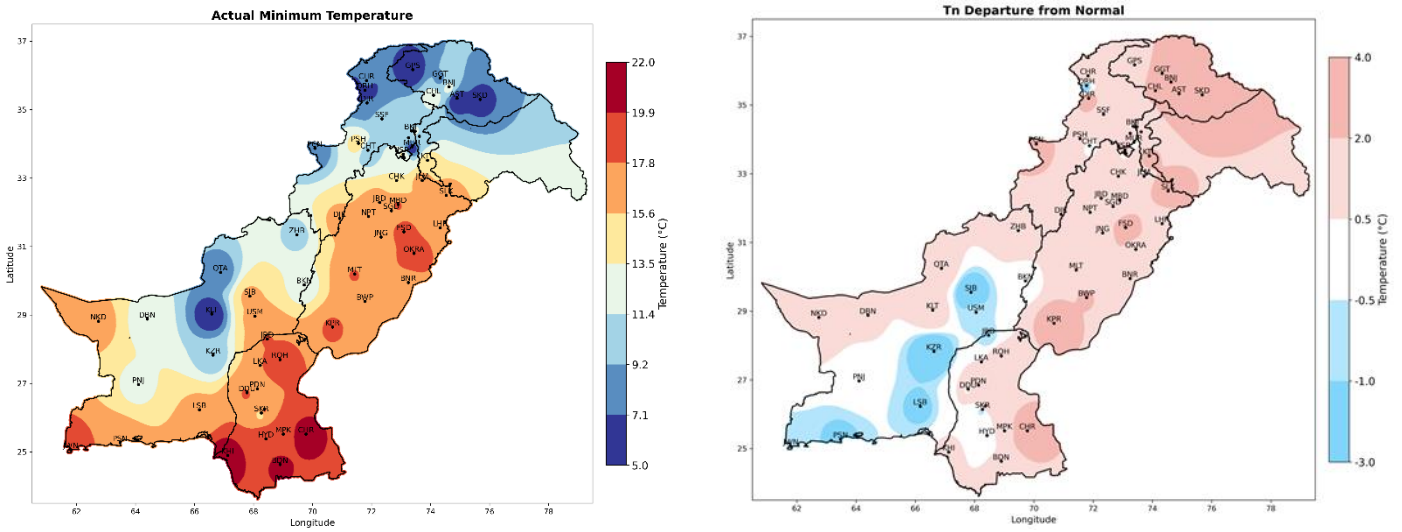
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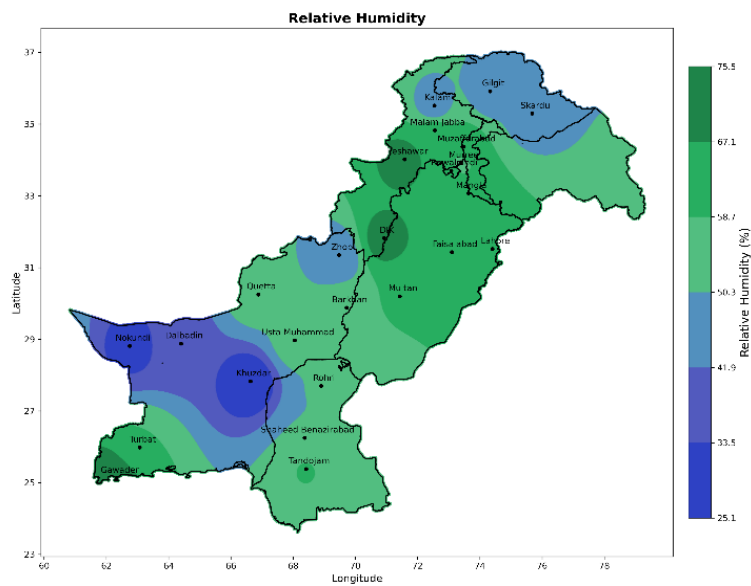
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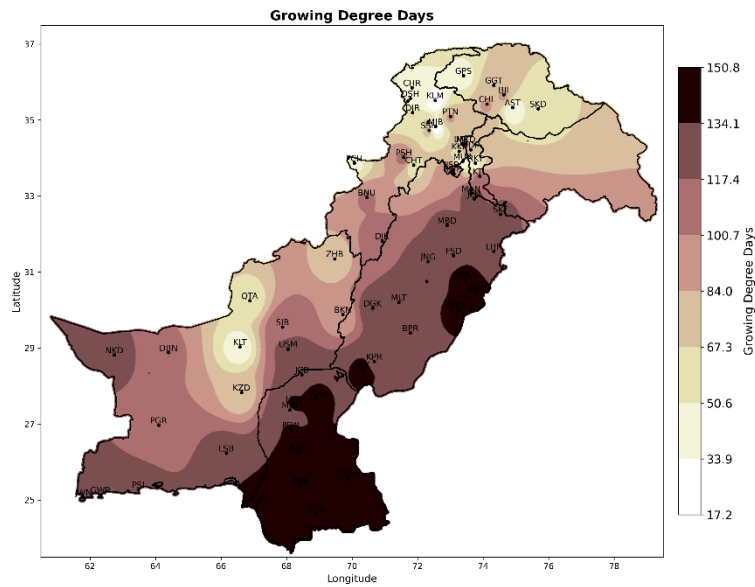
**Actual & Departure of Minimum temperature (°C) for the Previous week (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**



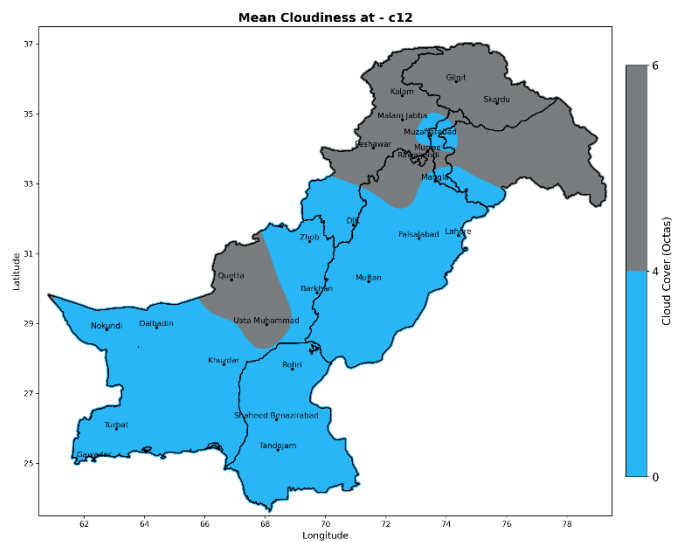
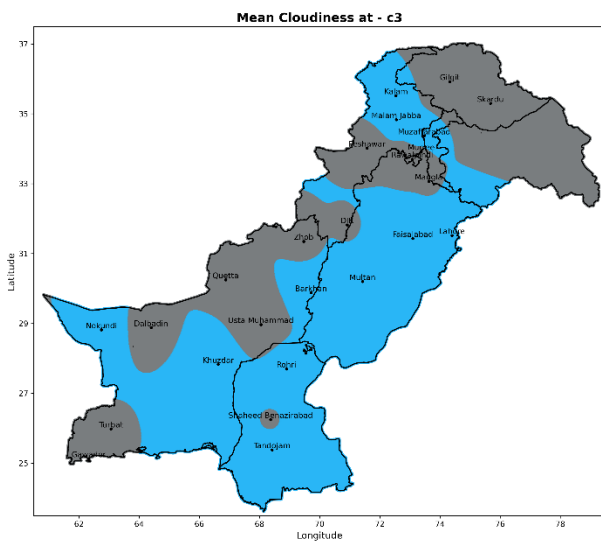
**Mean Relative Humidity (%) during the Previous week (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**



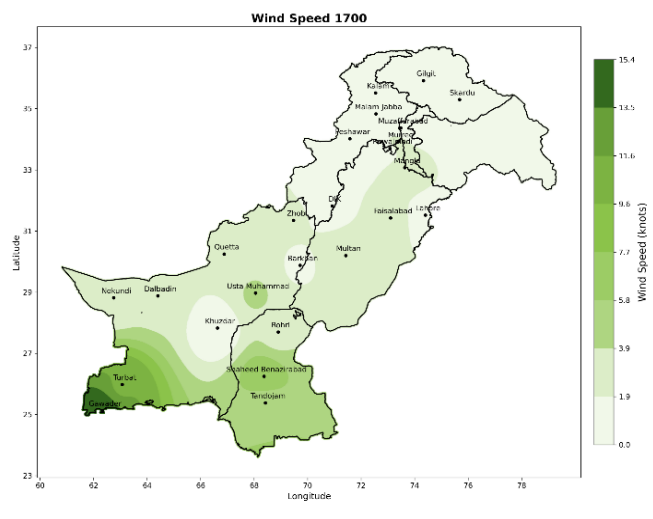
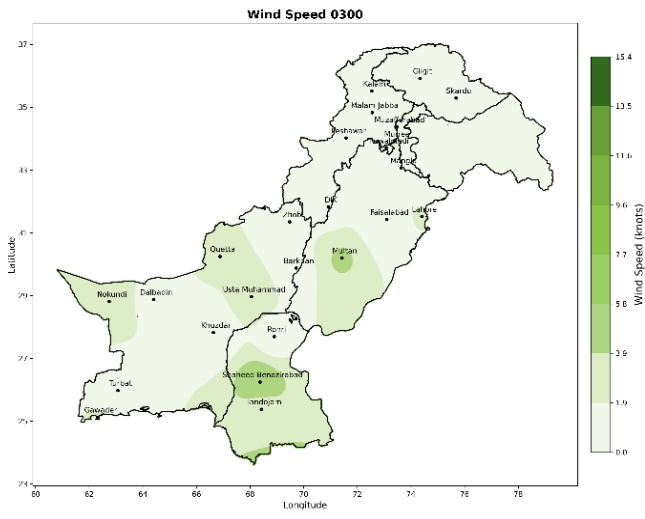
**Total Growing Degree Days accumulated during the Previous week (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**



**Mean Cloudiness at 0800 PST and 1700 PST during the Previous week (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**

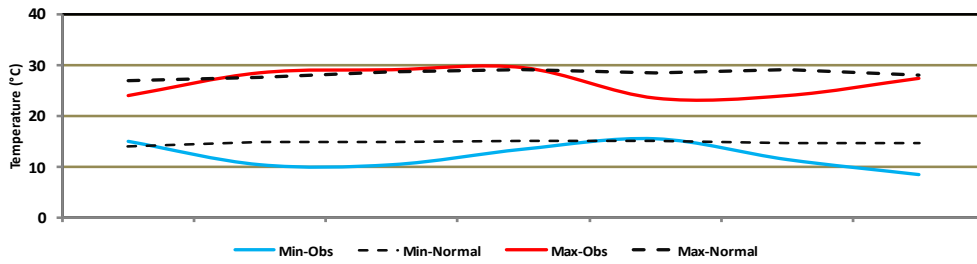


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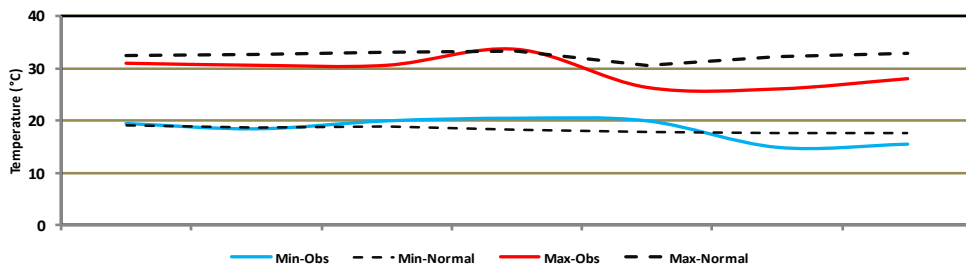


Comparison of temperatures for RAMCs (Minimum & Maximum with normal) during the previous week (30th March – 5th April 2026)

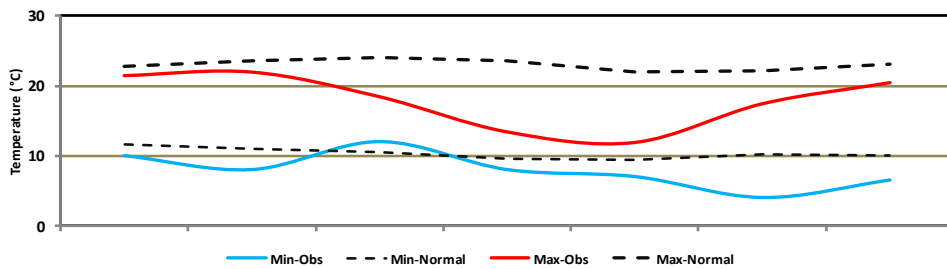
Rawalpindi (Min & Max Temperatures)



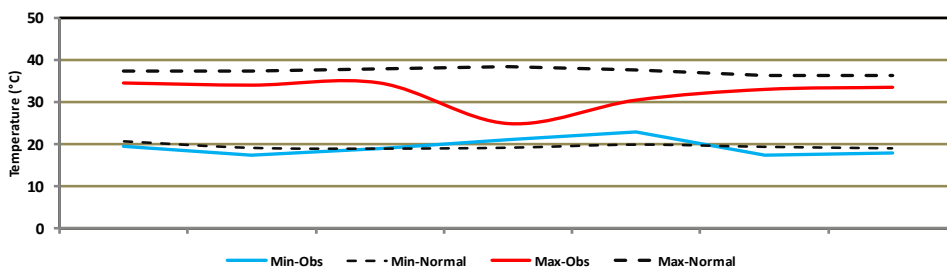
Faisalabad (Min & Max Temperatures)



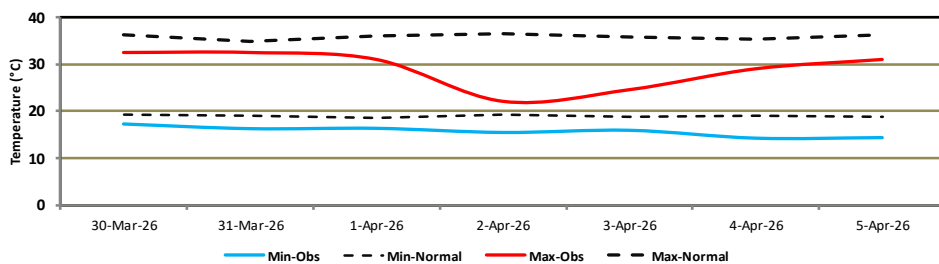
Quetta (Min & Max Temperatures)



Tandojam (Min & Max Temperatures)



Usta Muhammad (Min & Max Temperatures)



**Weekly Weather Forecast and Advisory for Farmers****(6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2026)**

A strong westerly wave is likely to affect most parts of Balochistan, Punjab, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Kashmir from 6<sup>th</sup> April (evening/night) and is likely to persist in upper parts till 09th April.

**MONDAY****06-04-2026**

Widespread rain-windstorm/thunderstorm (with isolated heavyfalls and hailstorm) is expected in North Balochistan, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, and South Punjab during night hours, while partly cloudy weather with rain wind/thunderstorm is likely in Upper Sindh, Upper/Central Punjab, Central Balochistan, Upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit-Baltistan, and Kashmir at a few places during the evening/night.

**TUESDAY****07-04-2026**

Widespread rain-windstorm/thunderstorm (with few heavyfalls and hailstorm) is expected in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Punjab, Islamabad, and Kashmir. Partly cloudy weather with rain wind/thunderstorm is likely at isolated places in North-East Balochistan and Gilgit-Baltistan.

**WEDNESDAY****08-04-2026**

Rain wind/thunderstorm (with isolated hailstorm) is expected in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Upper Punjab, Gilgit Baltistan and Kashmir. Isolated heavy fall/hailstorm is also likely in Kashmir, Pothohar region and northeast Punjab. While dry weather is likely in Balochistan, Sindh and south Punjab.

**THURSDAY****09-04-2026**

Mostly dry weather is expected in most part of the country. However, Rain wind/thunderstorm is expected in Upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit Baltistan and Kashmir, Pothohar region, northeast Punjab.

**FRIDAY****10-04-2026**

Mostly dry weather is expected in most part of the country. However, Rain wind/thunderstorm is expected at isolated places in Upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit Baltistan and Kashmir.

**SATURDAY****11-04-2026**

Mostly dry weather is expected in most part of the country. However, Rain wind/thunderstorm is expected in Upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Kashmir.

**SUNDAY****12-04-2026**

Mostly dry weather is expected in most part of the country. However, Rain wind/thunderstorm is expected in Upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit Baltistan and Kashmir.

**ADVISORY FOR FARMERS**

Keeping in view the weather forecast issued by the Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD), farmers are advised as follows:

- In Sindh, complete the sowing of Kharif crops at the earliest.
- In areas where wheat harvesting has been completed and fields are vacant, timely land preparation for the upcoming crops is recommended.
- In parts of Punjab where the wheat crop has reached full maturity, farmers are advised to carry out harvesting activities while keeping the weather forecast in consideration.

**National Weather Data of Selected Cities from (30<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2026)**

Stations	Minimum/Night Time Temperature (°C)		Growing Degree Days	Relative Humidity (%)	Rainfall (mm)	Cloudiness (Oktas) 0800 PST	Cloudiness (Oktas) 1700 PST	Wind Speed (Knots) 0800 PST	Wind Speed (Knots) 1700 PST
	Mean	Lowest							
D.I. Khan	16.1	14.0	113.5	75	94.81	4.9	4.0	1.7	1.7
Faisalabad	18.4	15.0	132.7	69	66.60	4.0	4.4	1.7	2.9
Gwadar	17.3	16.0	121.8	70	2.00	4.3	4.4	3.4	14.9
Gilgit	9.0	7.5	77.5	54	10.81	5.9	5.4	0.3	4.6
Kalam	3.5	0.0	19.4	44	80.00	4.5	5.4	1.3	2.0
Khuzdar	9.7	6.0	70.0	31	13.00	2.0	3.1	0.9	0.6
Lahore	17.9	15.8	131.5	57	29.41	3.4	4.4	0.9	3.1
Malam Jabba	3.6	1.5	17.3	71	156.00	5.3	6.4	0.0	0.6
Mangla	17.6	14.9	125.7	67	46.20	4.9	5.6	0.6	1.7
Multan (PBO)	17.8	15.7	128.4	63	34.60	4.9	4.3	4.9	4.9
Murree	5.5	4.1	35.4	76	136.00	5.1	6.9	3.4	6.6
Muzaffarabad	12.5	11.0	90.6	76	90.20	5.3	6.9	0.0	0.0
Sh. Ben. Abad	17.9	14.7	138.9	55	5.00	3.4	3.1	5.7	7.1
Peshawar	14.5	11.5	104.6	77	62.30	4.8	6.0	1.7	1.7
Quetta	7.9	4.0	55.5	61	13.00	4.2	5.8	2.1	3.7
Rawalpindi	12.2	8.6	100.6	80	11.80	4.6	4.8	0.6	1.1
Rohri	18.8	15.5	137.5	56	6.00	2.6	3.6	2.6	2.9
Skardu	6.4	4.2	53.7	44	1.00	6.3	5.4	0.0	2.0
Tandojam	19.4	17.5	145.3	65	0.00	2.3	2.6	2.3	4.3
U.Muhammad	16.1	12.5	122.5	64	12.80	3.5	4.8	2.5	4.0
Zhob	10.9	10.0	71.5	47	34.00	5.4	6.6	2.0	4.0

\*\*\* Shows that data was not available.