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CAPACITY BUILDING IN WATER SECTOR AND CPEC, PAKISTAN

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WATER SECTOR

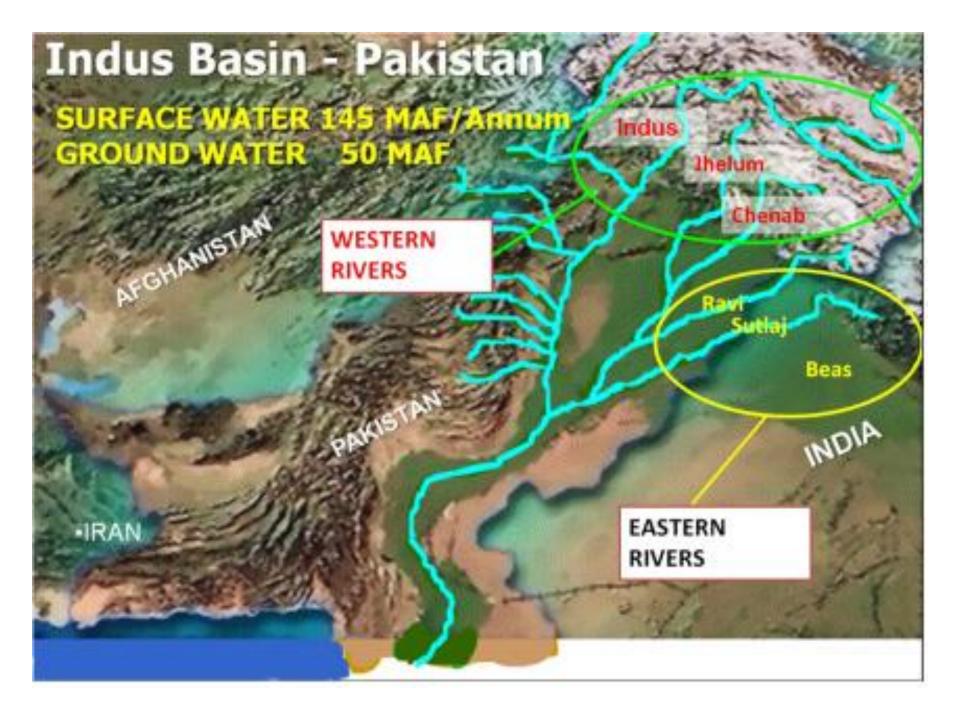
CHALLENGING STATEMENT

"Under an average economic growth and an actual efficiency improvement of 1% a year, the world wide water demand and supply gap will be approximately 40% by 2030"

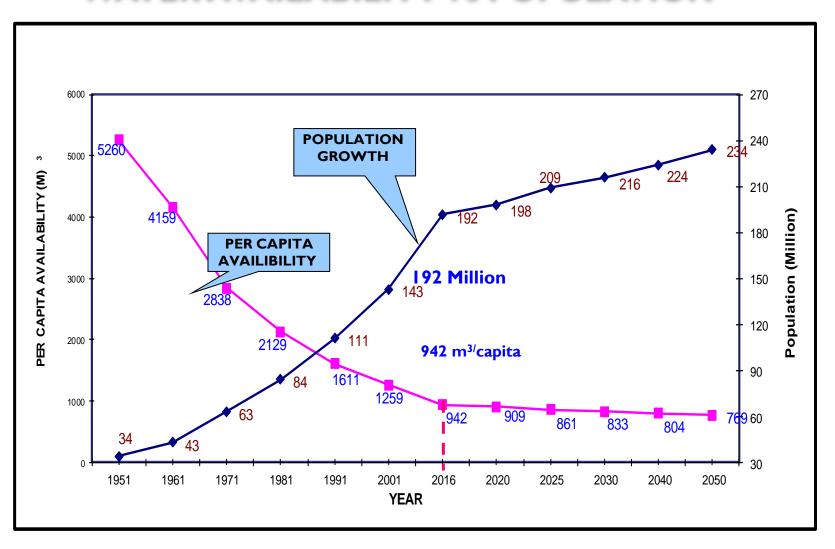
Charting Our Water Future (2009), The 2030 Water Resource Group

PROBLEMS BEING FACED

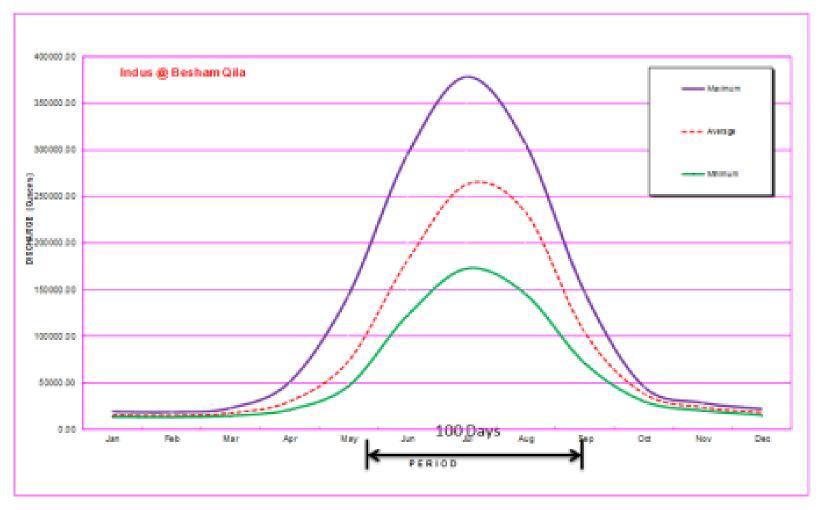
- 1. Pakistan below threshold of water scarce country
- 2. Variation in water availability both temporal and seasonal
- 3. Groundwater depleting; not sustainable
- 4. World largest contiguous irrigation infrastructure, century old and needs up gradation
- 5. Climate Change: Floods and Droughts



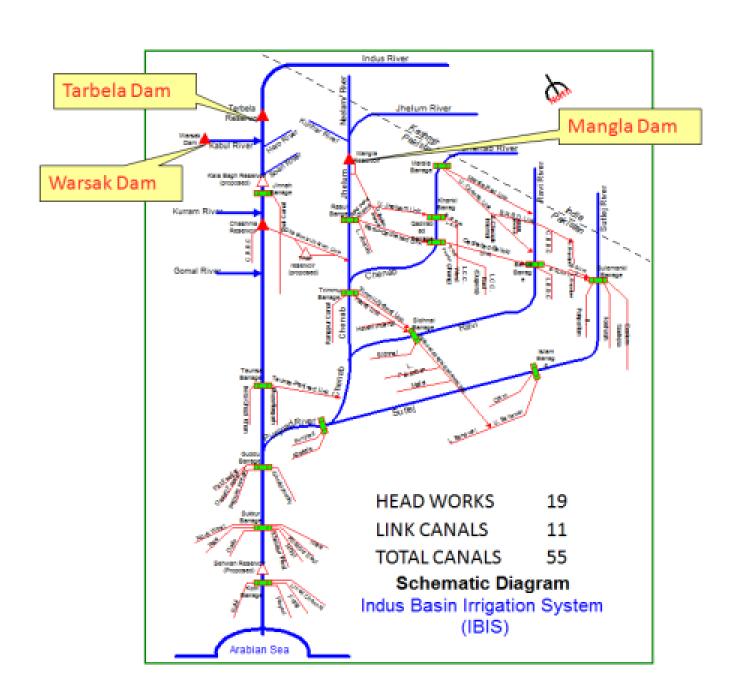
WATER AVAILABILITY Vs POPULATION



UPPER INDUS BASIN WATER VARIABILITY



Total System Availability – 100 days, 80% of inflow, rest 20% comes in the rest of the year Variability - Minimum 98 MAF to Maximum 183 MAF Uncertainty



WATER QUANTITY AND QUALITY

A. Water Quantity

- Population increase, Urbanisation, More demand on water and sanitation
- 2. Groundwater Depletion
- 3. Increased demand for irrigation for food security
- 4. Global Warming More demand for water

B. Water Quality Issues

- 1. Clean water not available to 21 Million people in Pakistan
- 2. No treatment of sewerage and industrial waste drainage
- Contamination of Surface and Ground Water

UNO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGs)

SDGs 6: Clean Water and Sanitation

SDGs 7: Affordable and Clean Energy (Hydro Power)

SDGs 9: Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure

SDGs 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities

ACTIONS REQUIRED

- To achieve & sustain water security: invest in 3 'ins' Institutions, Information & Infrastructure.
- Technological improvements and construction of large dams.
- Effective management of water and power resources and development of infrastructure.
- Sustained economic growth, improvements in the investment climate for water and hydropower sectors.
- Develop human resource through training and strengthen institutional capacity.

CAPACITY BUILDING

World Bank Assistance

- Capacity building and support to Federal Institutions in Water Resources Planning and Management
- Improvement in water resources management and development of WAPDA
- Project Management coordination, strategic studies and training

CAPACITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT

- Capacity Needs Assessment: Identifying the demand driven training topics
- Review of existing policies and operating procedures
- Suggestions for improvements in water and hydropower sectors
- Enlistment of training institutions in water and hydropower: Local, Foreign
- Duration and Budget for Training, Higher Studies

WAPDA EXISTING TRAINING PROGRAM

Engineering Academy Faisalabad

- Technical courses 6 months for new entrants
- Junior management course, one month
- One week courses for continued professional development

WAPDA Staff College Islamabad

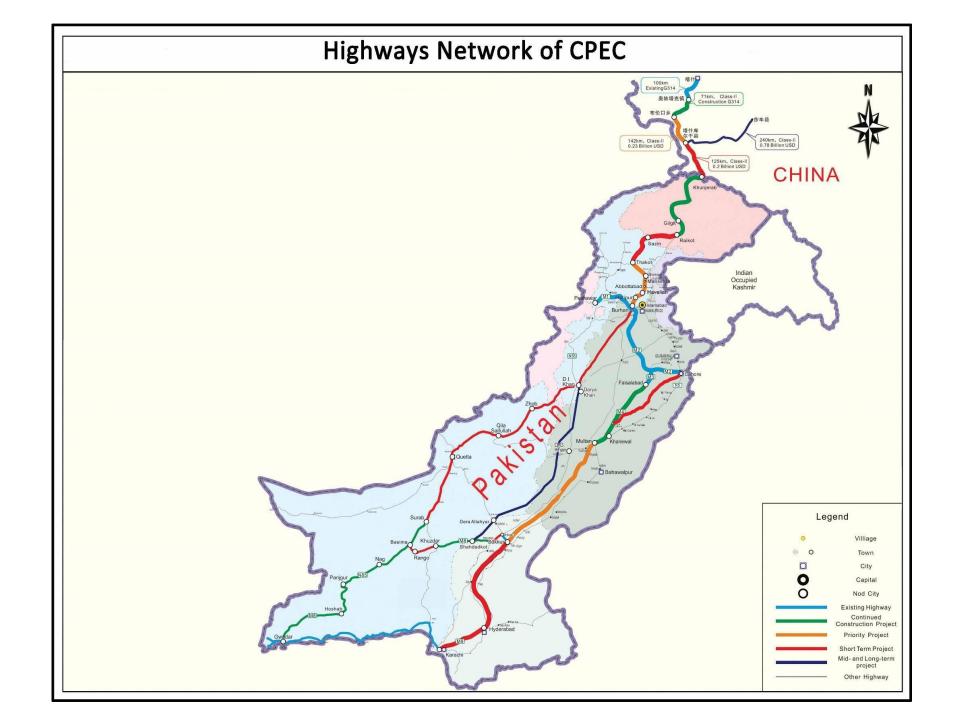
- Two months middle and senior management courses
- Lectures by Specialists, CEOS and Entrepreneurs

FOREIGN TRAINING

- Post Graduate MSc, Ph.D.
- Dam Safety Training
 - i. U.S. core of Engineers, Bureau of Reclamation, ISMES, Italy.
- Central Material Testing Laboratory-WAPDA, Lahore.
 - i. Imperial College London: M.Sc Soil Mech. & Rock Machines.
 - ii. USA University Masuri Rolla, CALTEC, Colorado Denver.
 - iii. Training of Technicians, USA, Italy, Australia, RCC Mix Design Dr. E. Shrader at CMTL-WAPDA.
- Visit of IWHR, 3 Gorges Dam, Longtan Dam, China.
- Exchange of Experts: Sediment Management of Tarbela Dam.
- TBM Training in Germany, Turbine Manufacturers, Austria.
- Dissemination of Lessons Learnt, Case Histories of Projects.

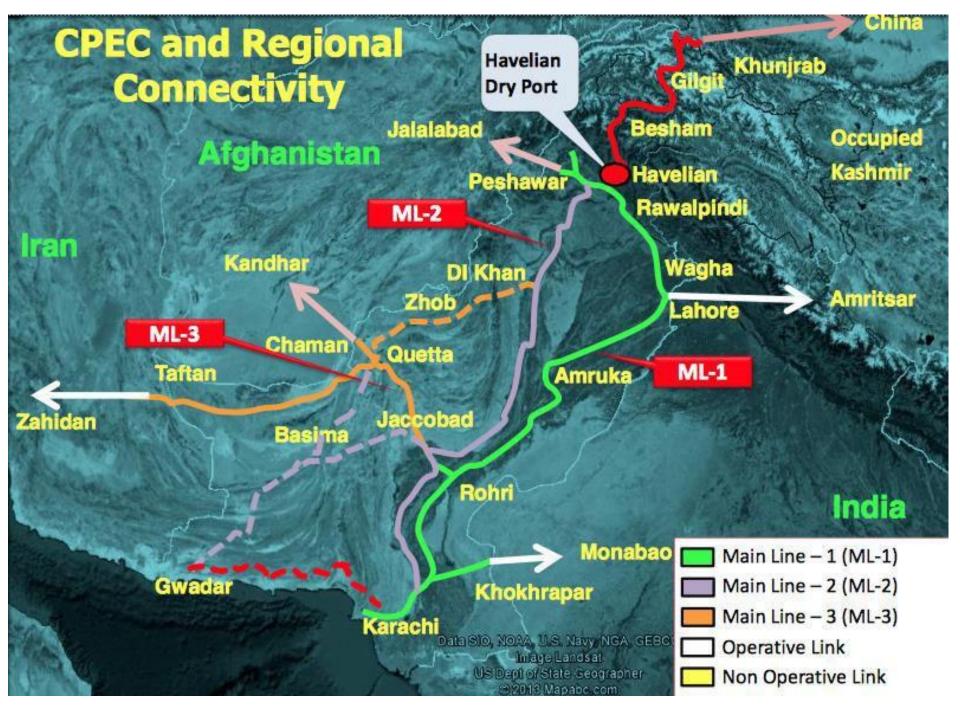
CHINA PAKISTAN ECONOMIC CORRIDOR (CPEC)

- China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) is the most visible part of the "one belt one road" project.
- Under the long-term framework of CPEC, several projects in areas of Energy, Transportation, Infrastructure, Industry and port construction are being undertaken.
- The projects under CPEC would accelerate economic development and further link Pakistan with China, Central Asia and other parts of the world.



INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT

- CPEC investment of \$12 Billion has brought major improvement to Pakistan's transportation infrastructure.
- The Economic Corridor would extend all the way from Kashgar, Khunjrab to Gwadar, a port on the Indian Ocean.
- A shipment from Shinghai which used to take more than 3 weeks to reach Pakistan shall now reach Pakistan in two days via silk route.
- Up-gradation of Main Line Railways from Karachi to Peshawar and Regional connectivity worth \$8.6 Billion has been started.
- Orange Line 27 KM Mass Transit Project in Lahore is nearing completion.



ENERGY PROJECTS

- \$36B plan was formed to set up Energy Projects with the Chinese investment.
- GOP has also set up of Thermal LNG projects with its own investment.
- Two coal-fired power projects equipped with the latest state of the art environment friendly technology have already started production.
 - 1. 1,320 MW Sahiwal coal-fired power project in Punjab Province.
 - 2. Port Qasim coal-fired power plant with the same capacity in the southern port city of Karachi.
- About 10,000 MW Power has been added to the system.

CAPACITY BUILDING IN ENERGY PROJECT

- For capacity building in Thermal and Hydro Power Projects, teams of engineers were sent to China for training and up grading their knowledge.
- China has rich experience in Building Dams and Hydropower Projects. Most of the Dam Projects are being built by Chinese Contractors in collaboration with the Pakistanis.
- Many Pakistani's are now studying in China for enhancement of their knowledge and skill.

SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES (SEZ)

- Nine Special Economic Industrial Zones are being set up along the silk route of CPEC to install Industries, increase trade, improve output and efficiency.
- Chinese model of Economic Industrial Zones shall be adopted.

GWADAR PORT

- With the functionalized Gwadar Port, CPEC will benefit not only Pakistan but also central and South Asian States.
- An Export Processing Zone is being established at Gwader.
- Gwadar is one of the deepest sea port in the World. It shall have 18 terminals, regular cargo service, free zone and business centre.
- Construction of new roads, establishment and upgrading of educational institutions and hospitals, construction of a new International Airport and installation of Thermal Power House and water purification plants are in progress.



GWADAR PORT



CAPACITY BUILDING FOR CPEC

- Higher Education Commission (HEC) of Pakistan has planned to develop linkages with leading Chinese Universities.
- Alliance of 50 Universities from each country shall be established.
- Capacity building of Existing Universities shall be carried out.
- New higher education institutions shall be established.
- Chinese Language Classes have been started.
- Science and Technology Parks shall be established.

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- In or to meet the SDGs Pakistan needs to conserve Water, Build Reservoirs and Infrastructure.
- Studies have been carried out for need assessment for training of various stakeholders in water sector.
- Capacity building of the Institutes both in Academic and Training for Execution, Management and Operation of the Projects shall be carried out.
- Capacity building for CPEC Projects: Infrastructure for better regional connectivity, Energy Projects, Special Economic Zones and Port Development, shall be carried out.

