

Climate Change in Pakistan

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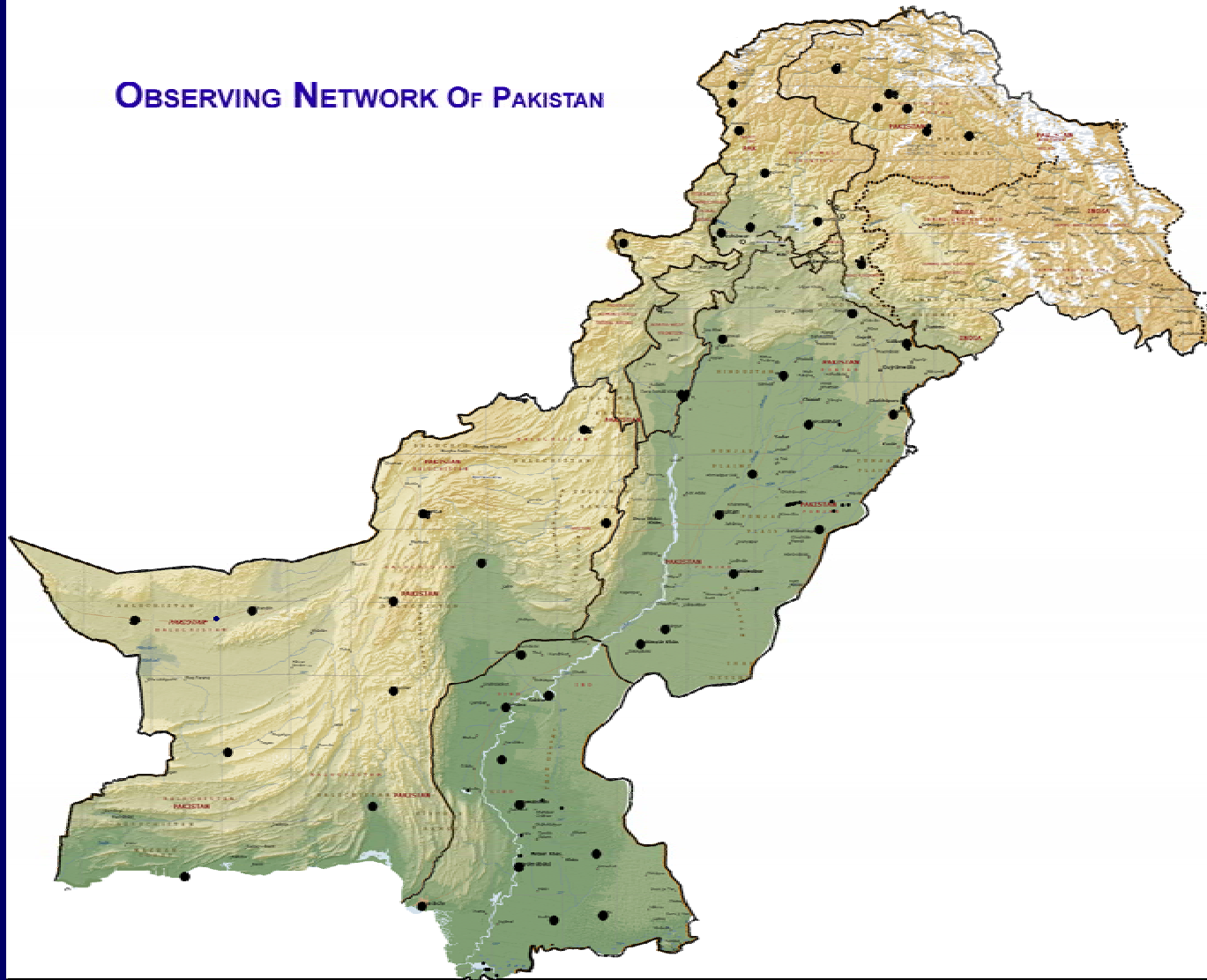
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Observation Network



OBSERVING NETWORK OF PAKISTAN

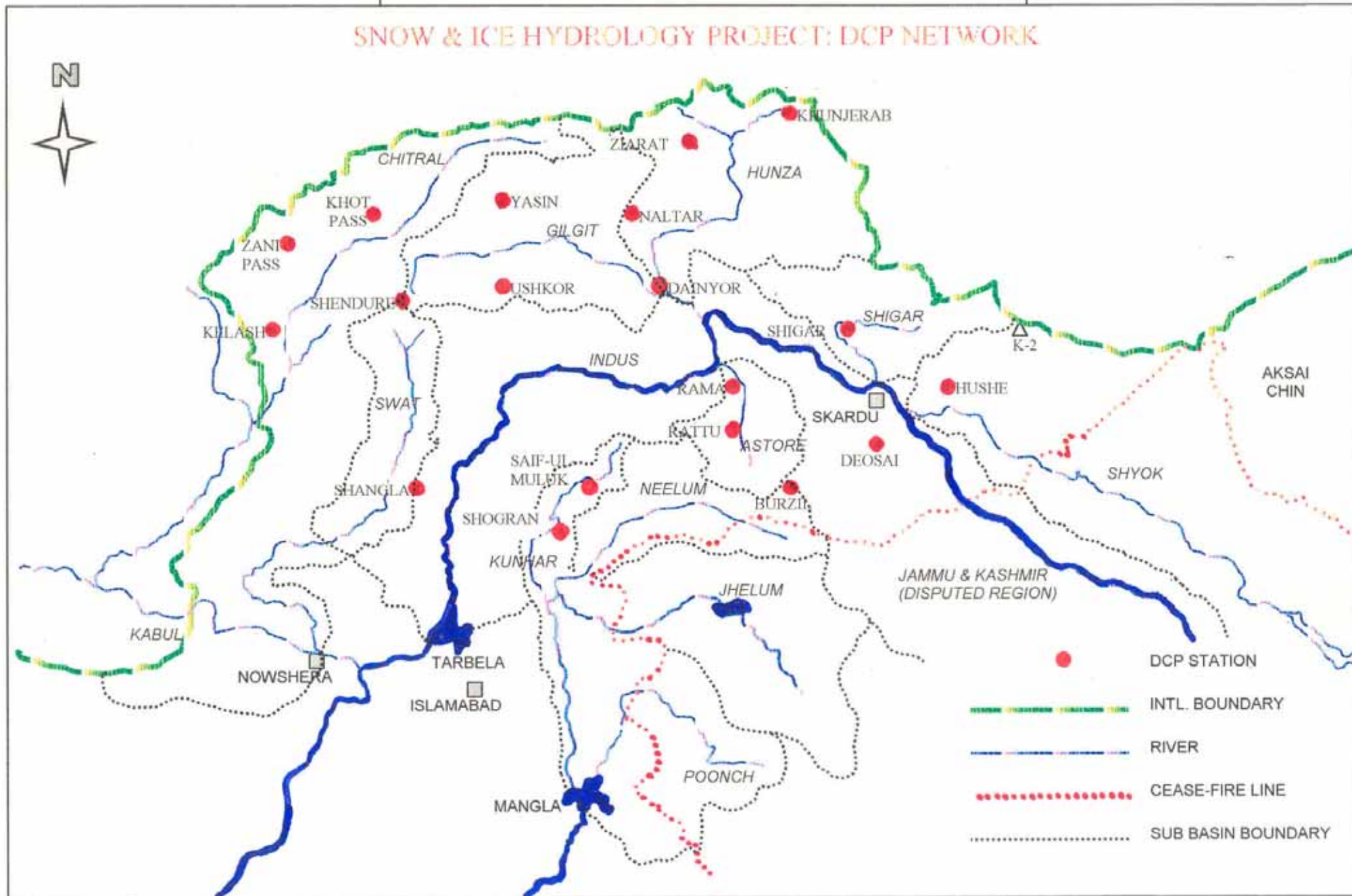


AWS Installations



PAKISTAN WATER AND POWER DEVELOPMENT

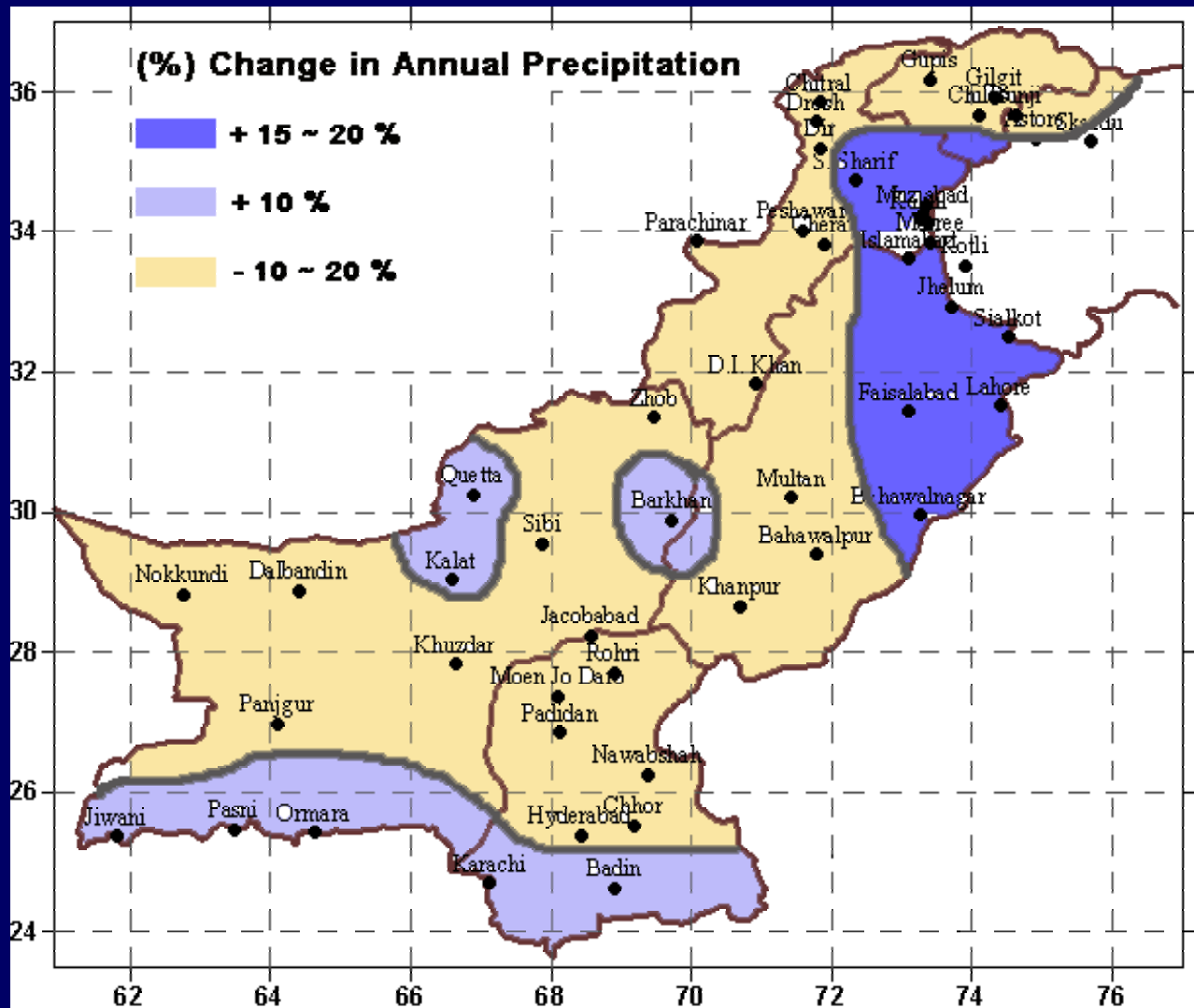
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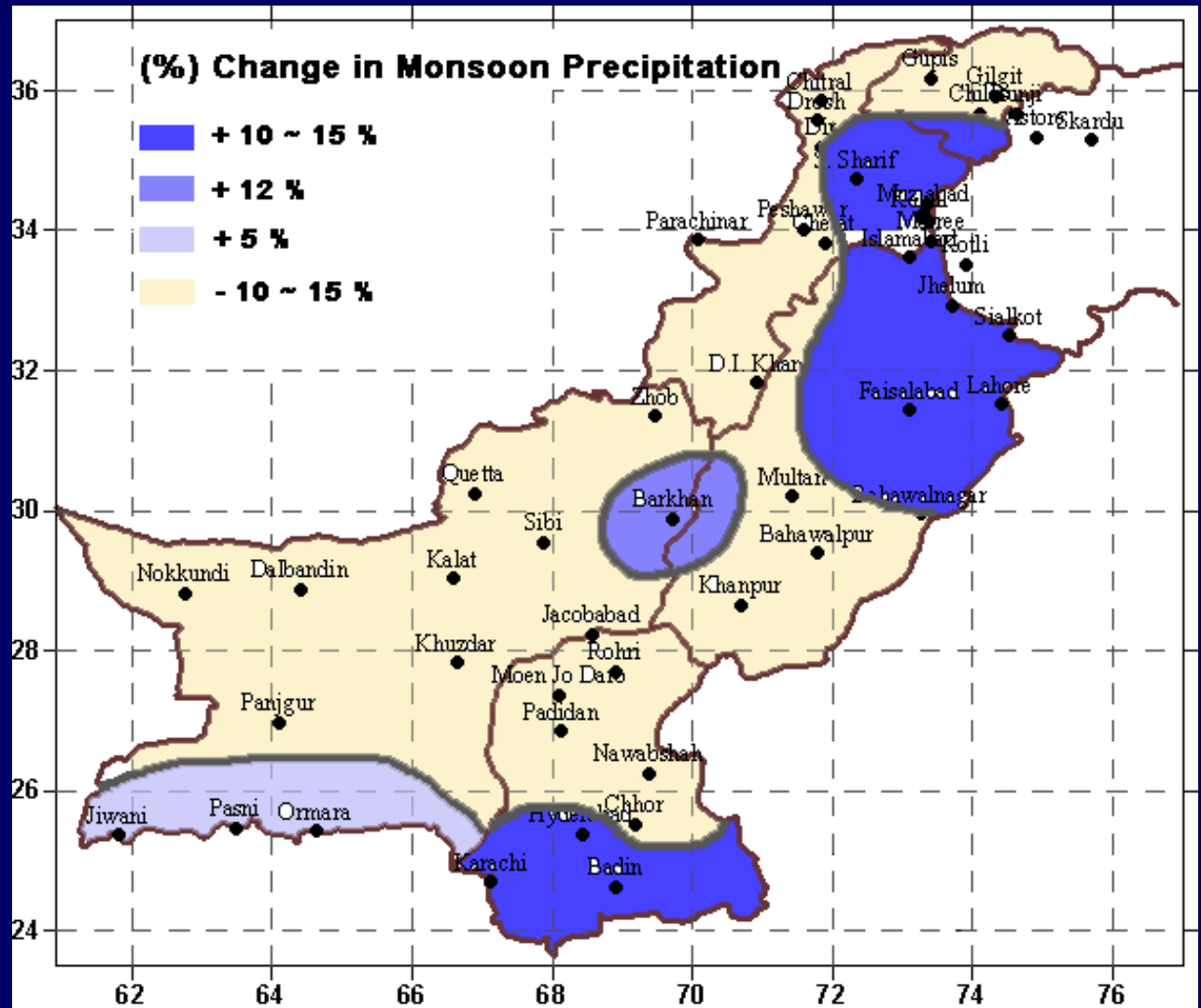
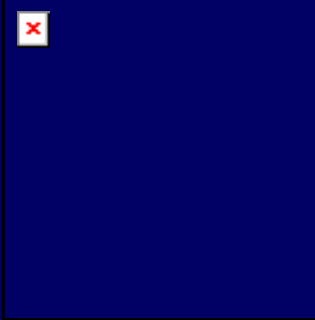


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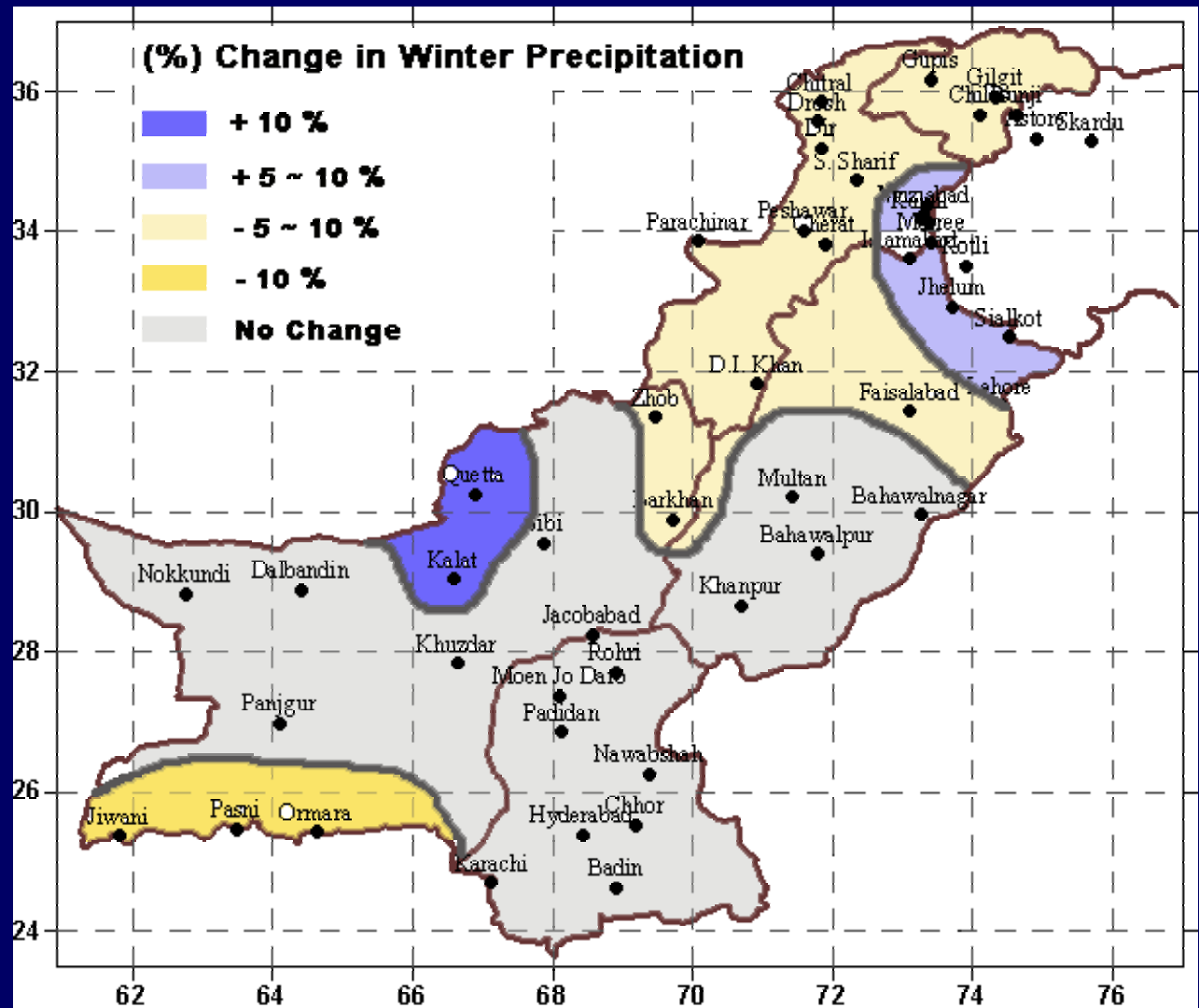
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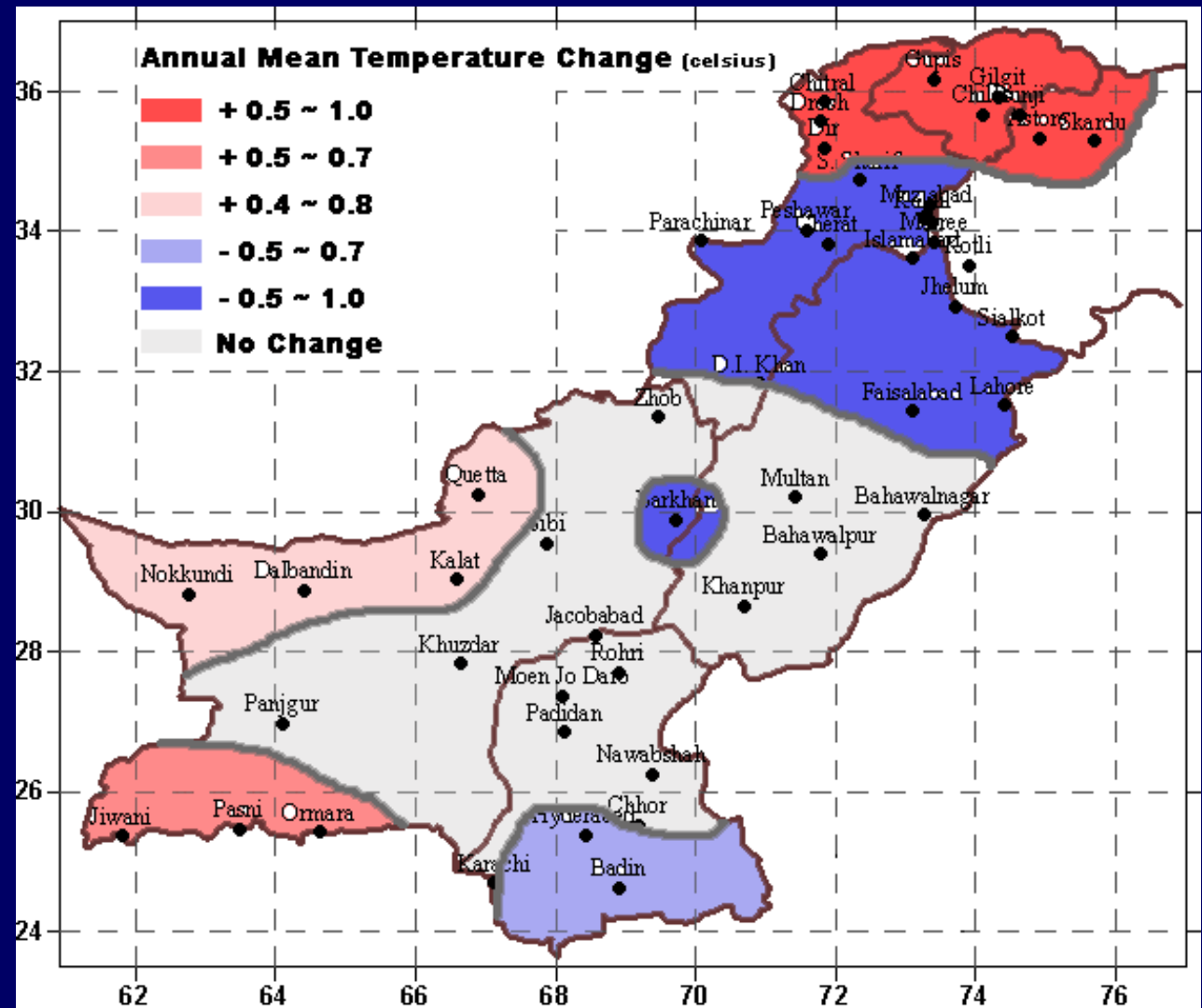
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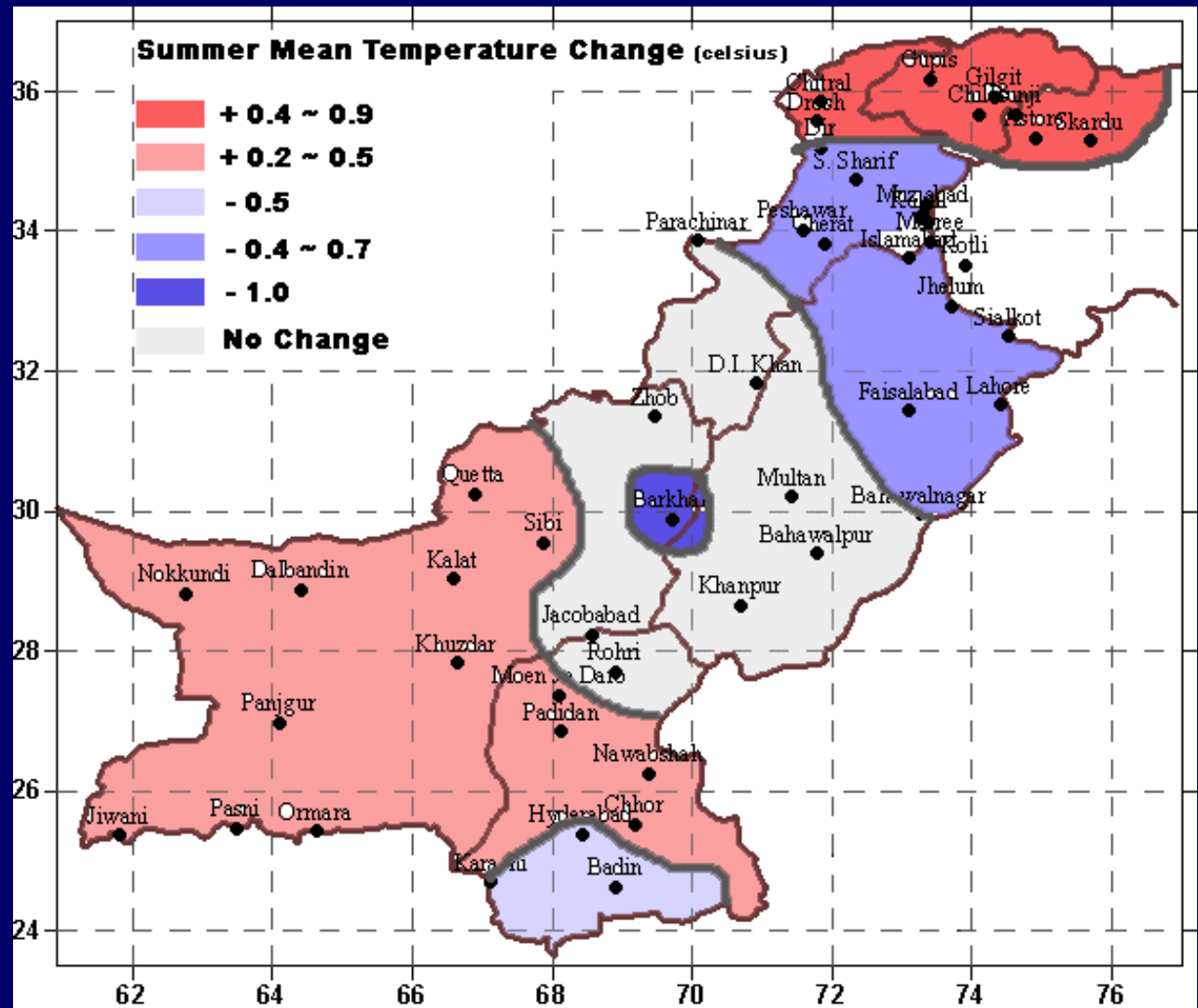
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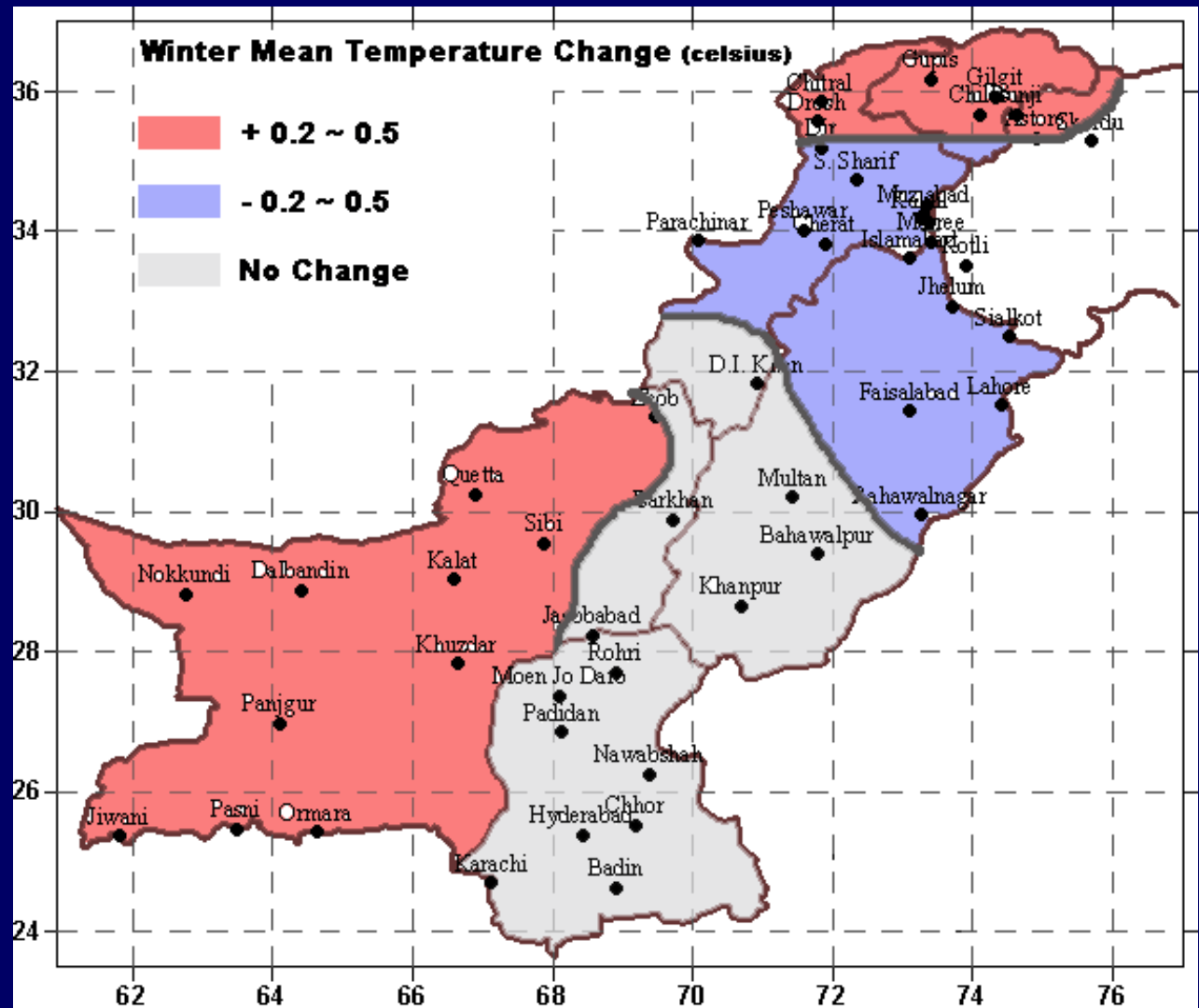
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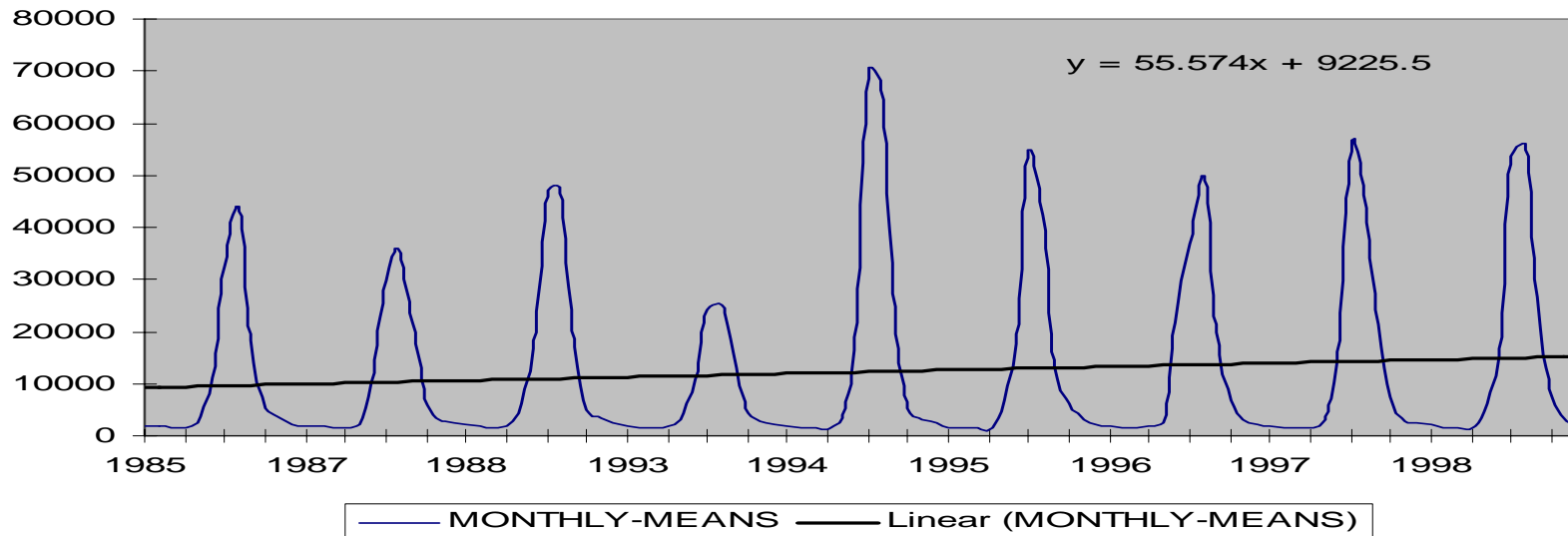
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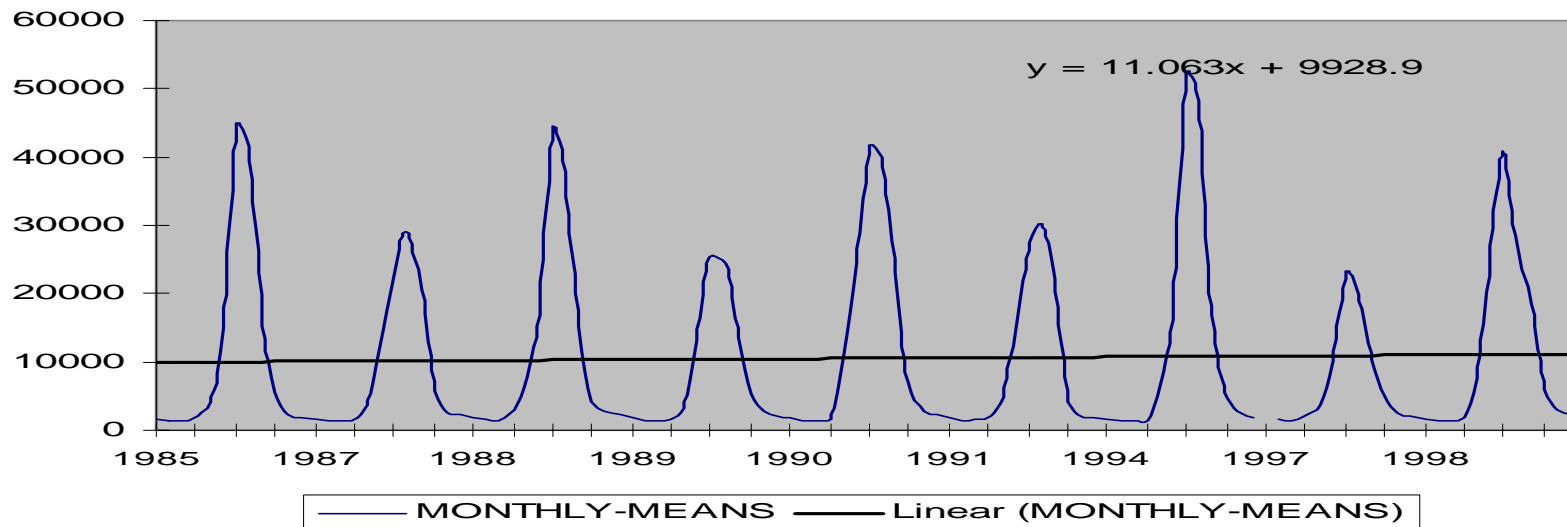
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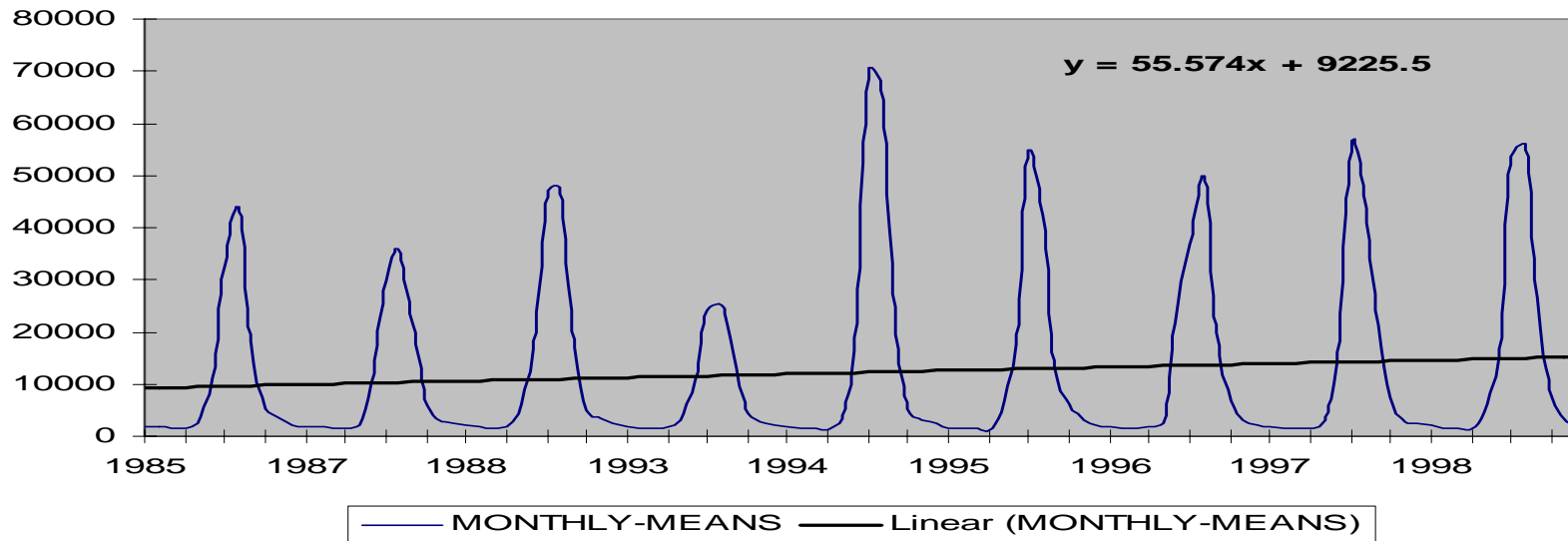
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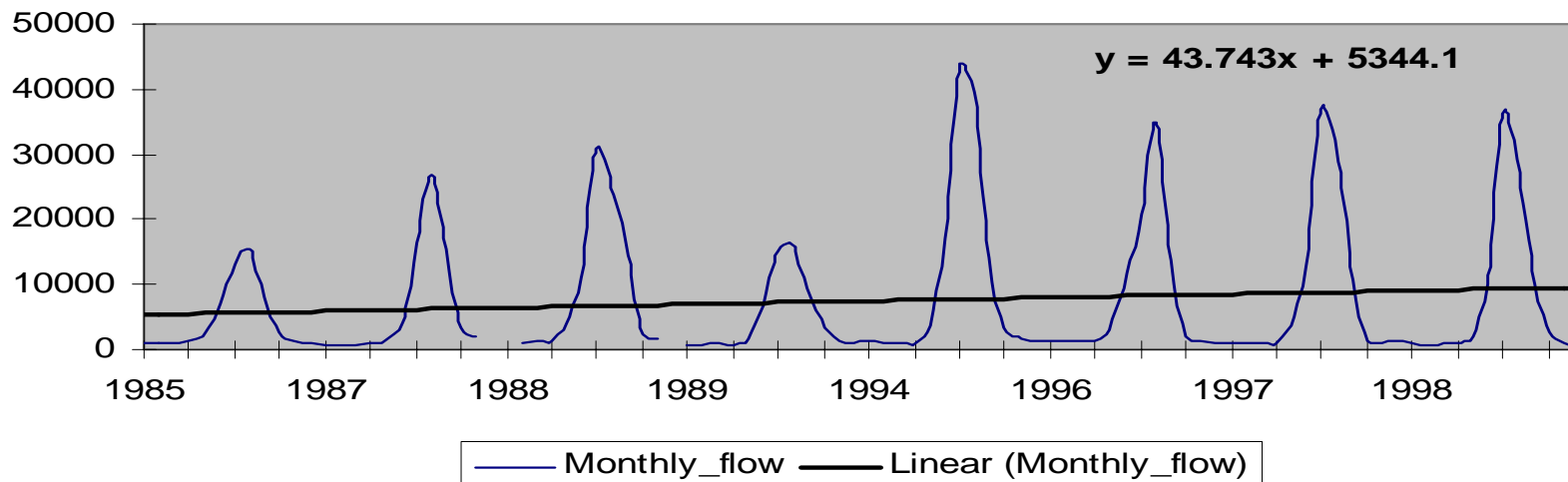
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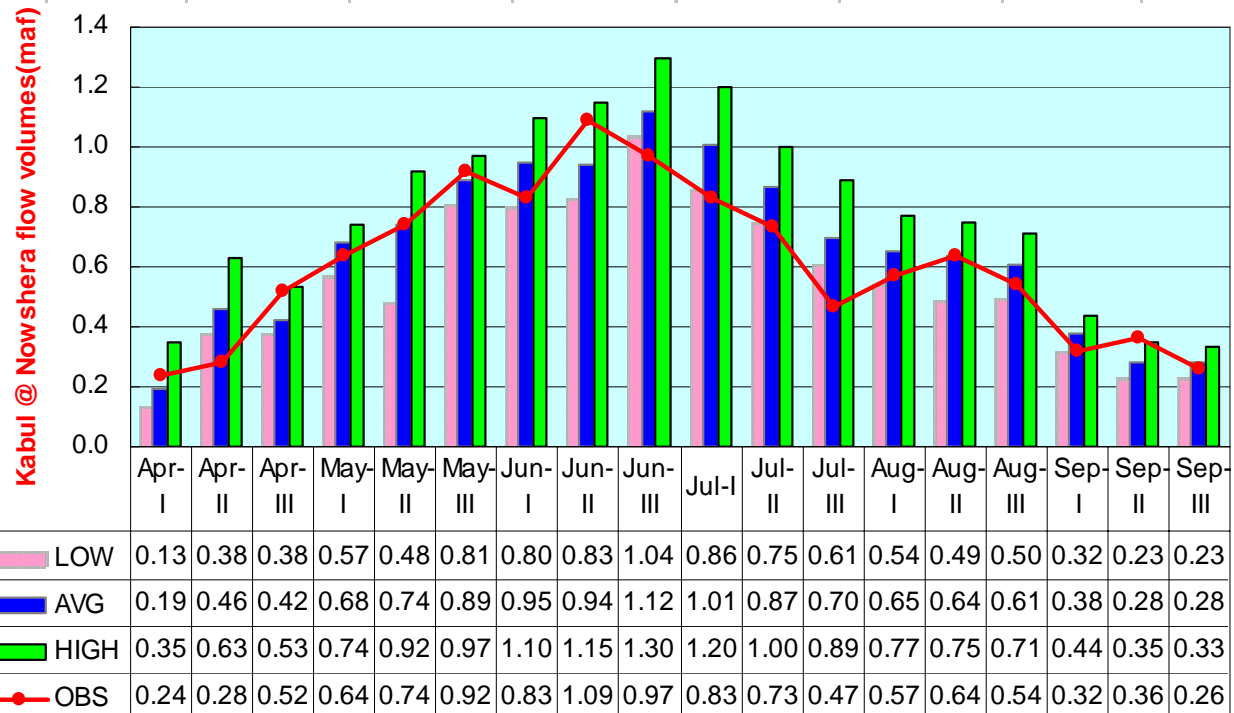
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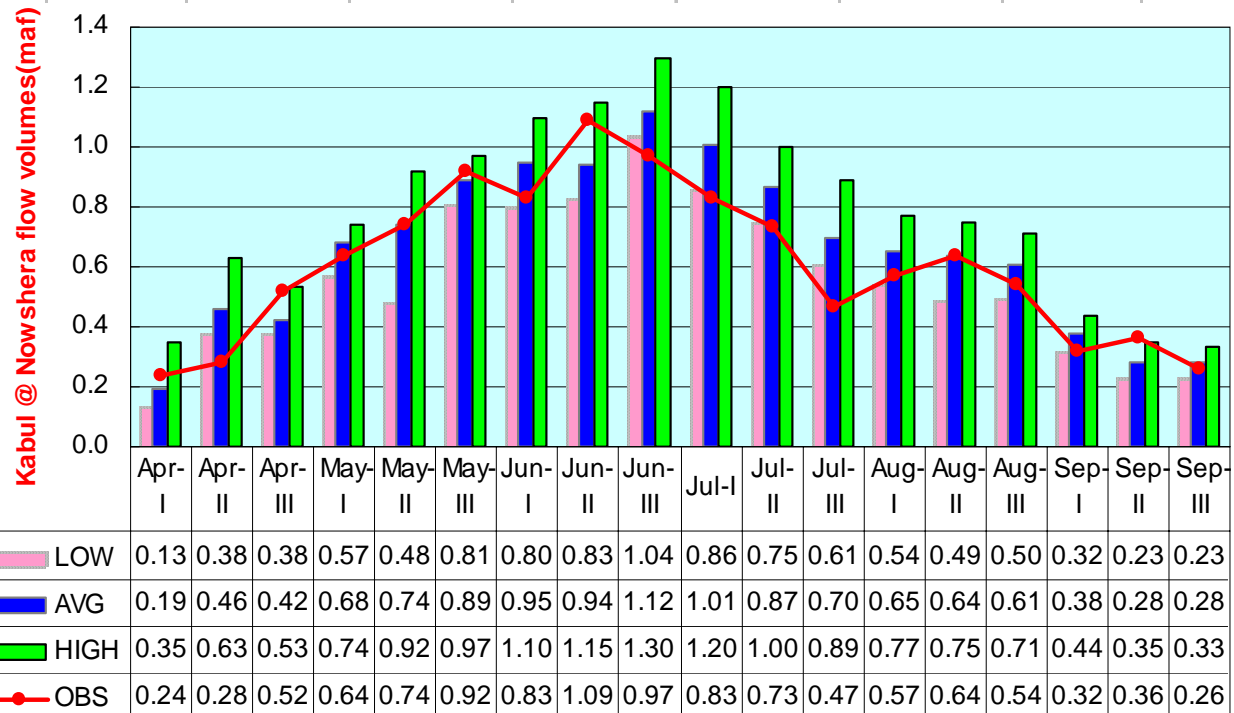
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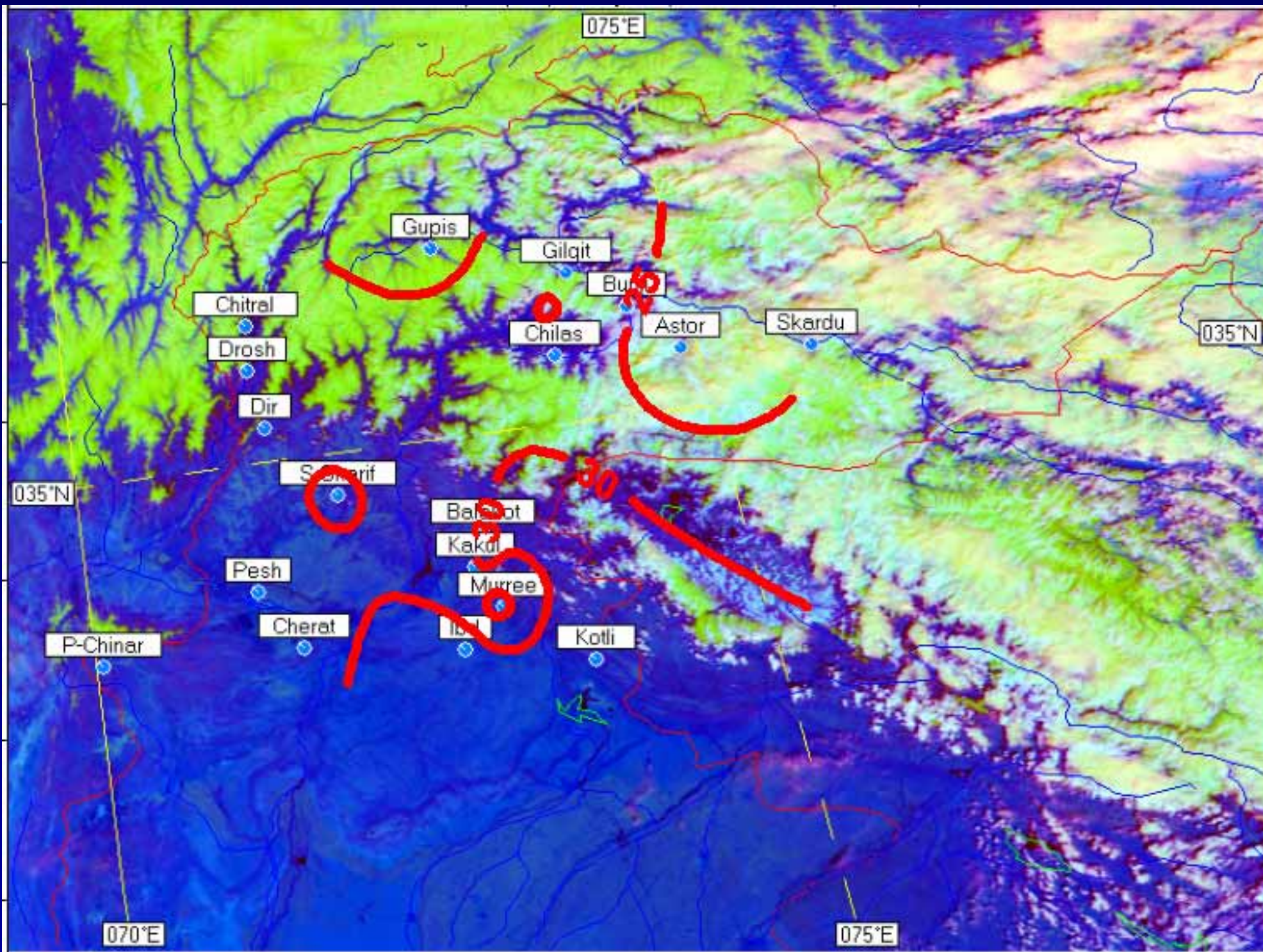
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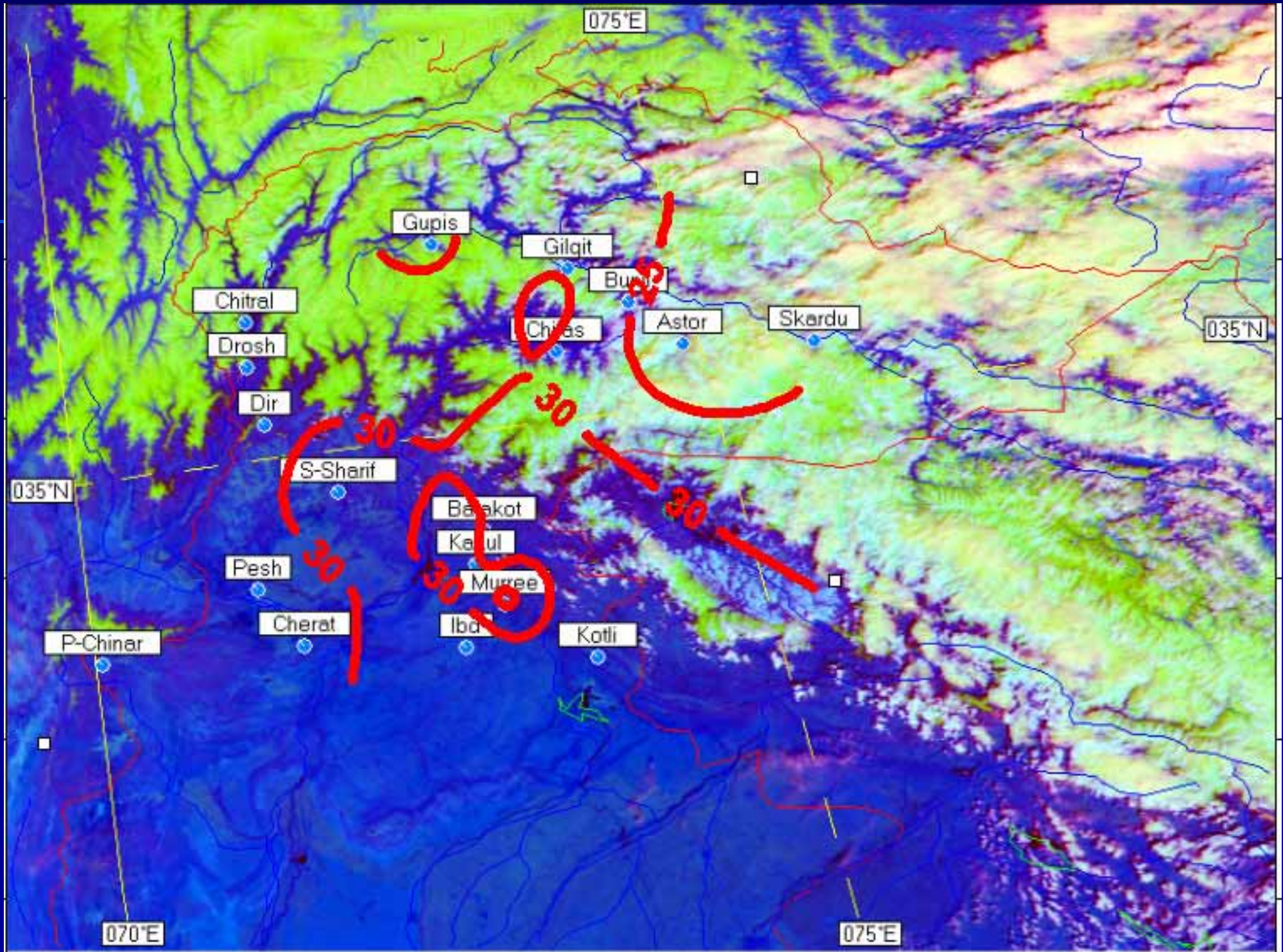
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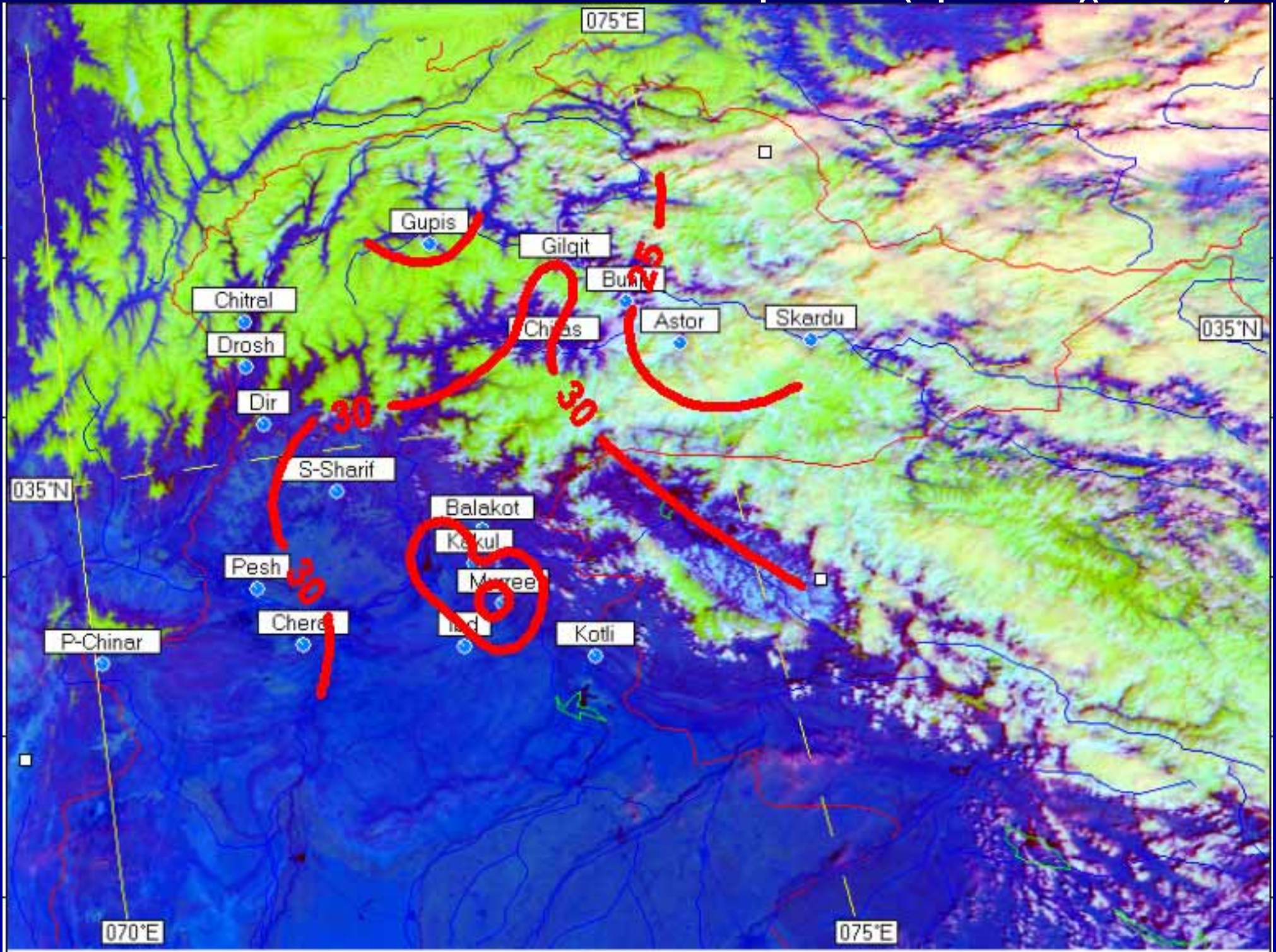
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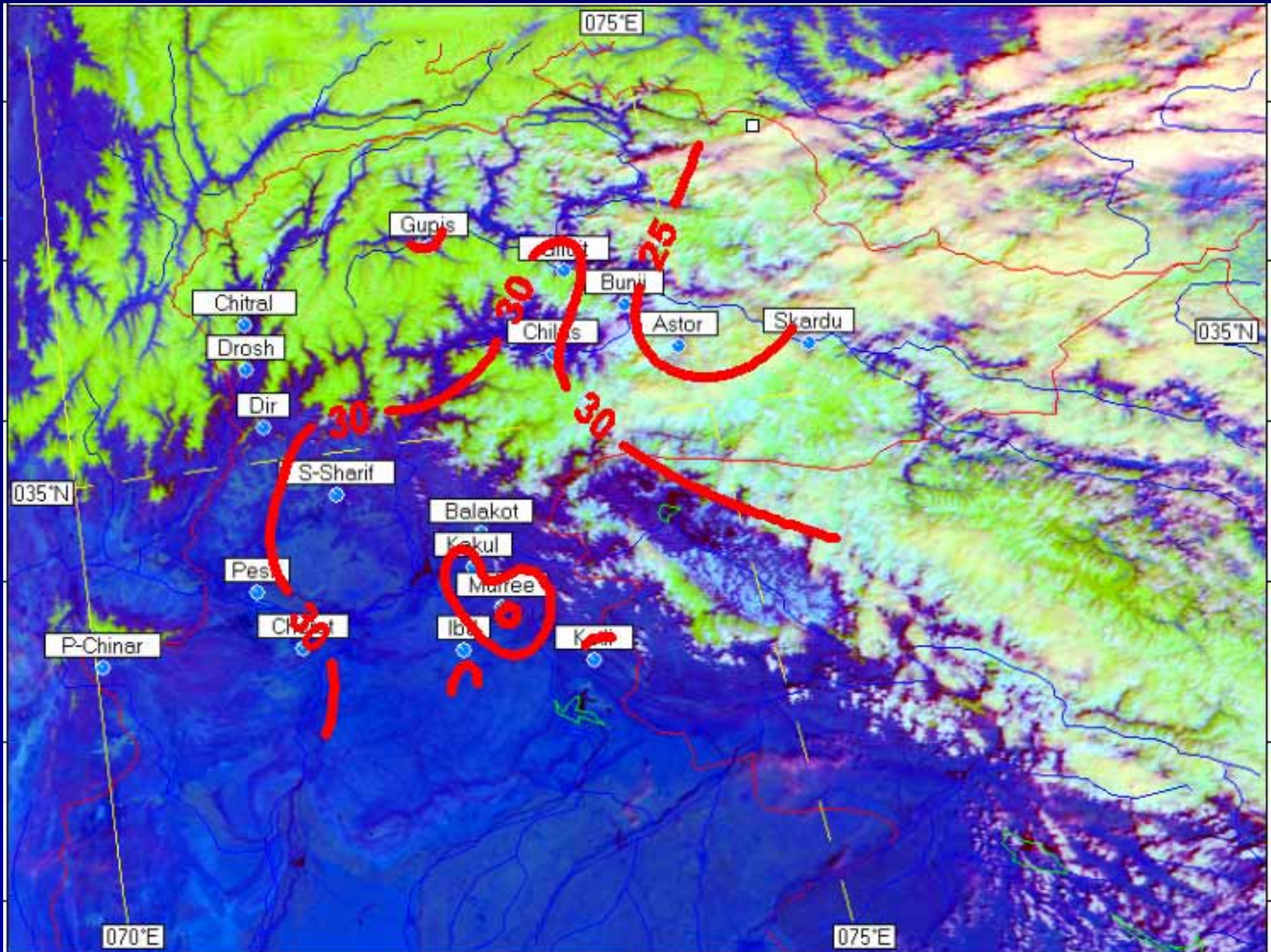
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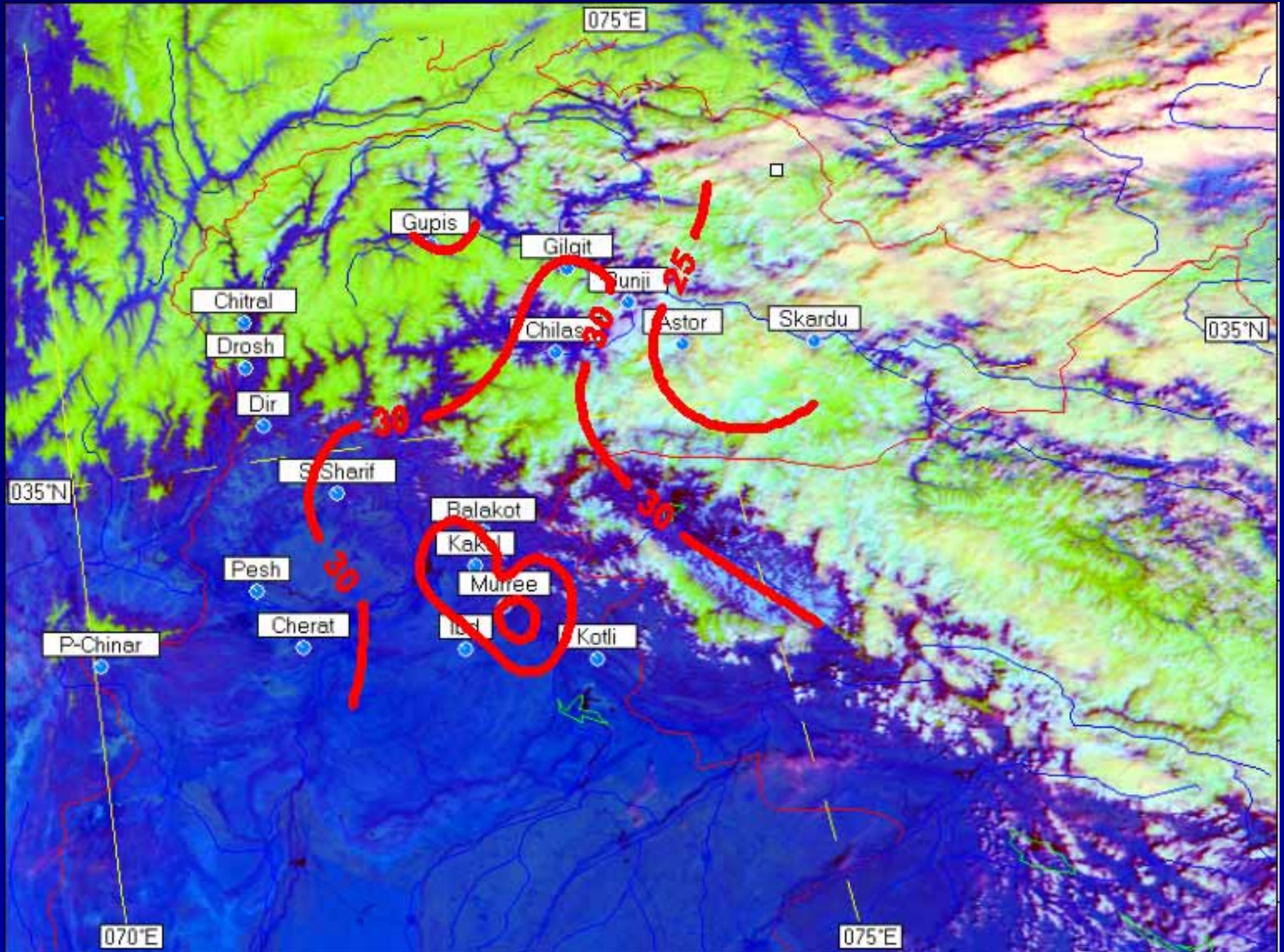
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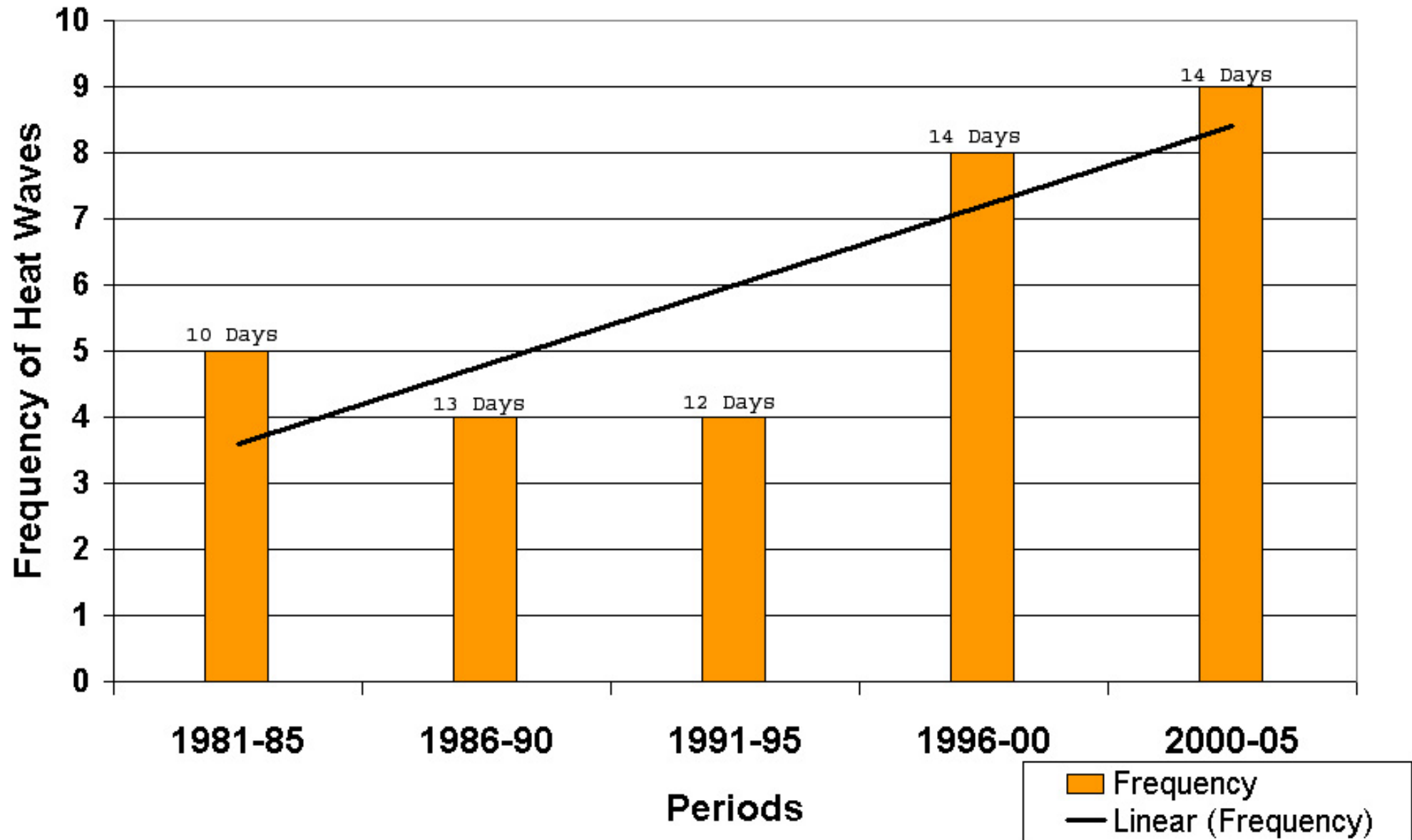
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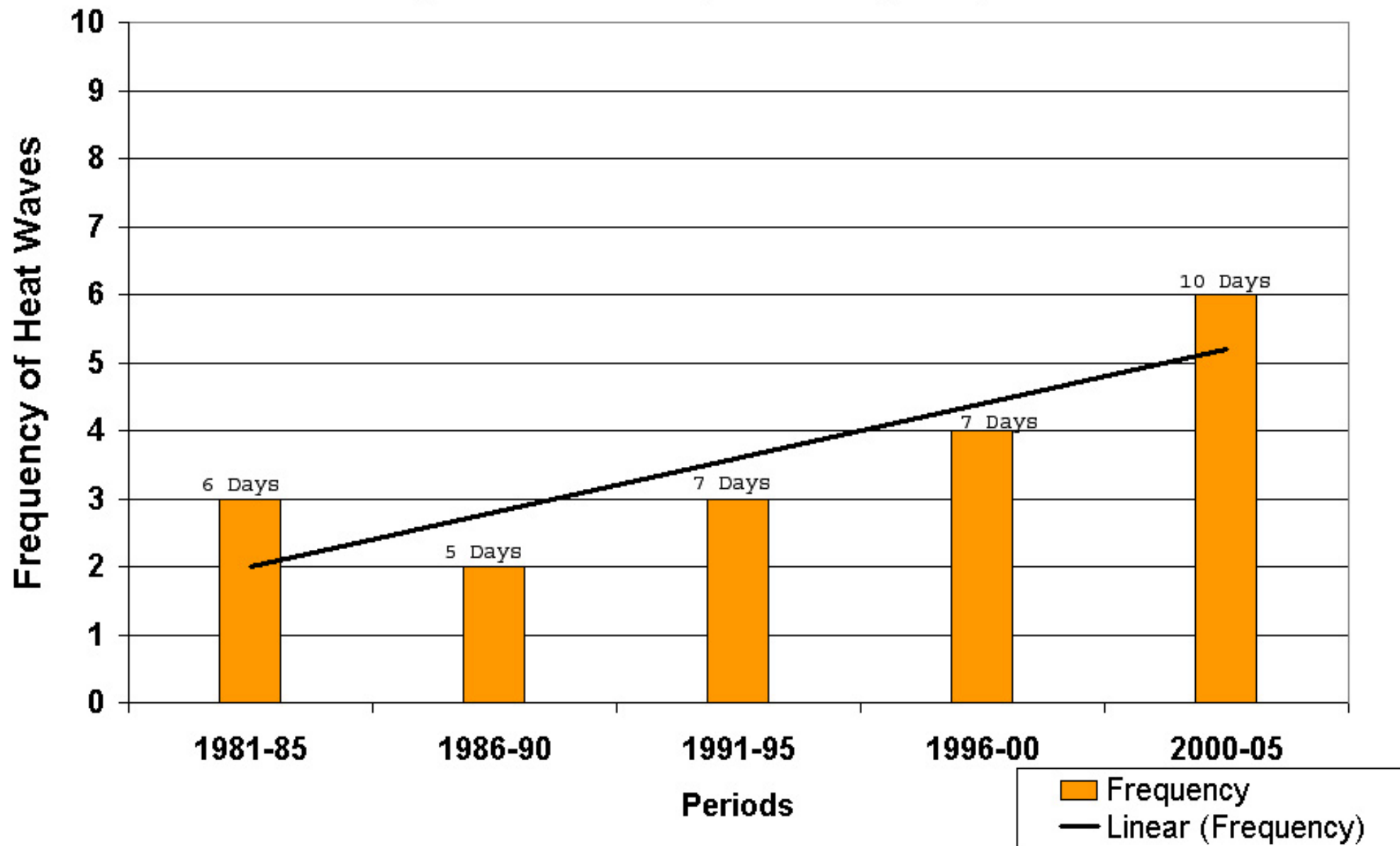
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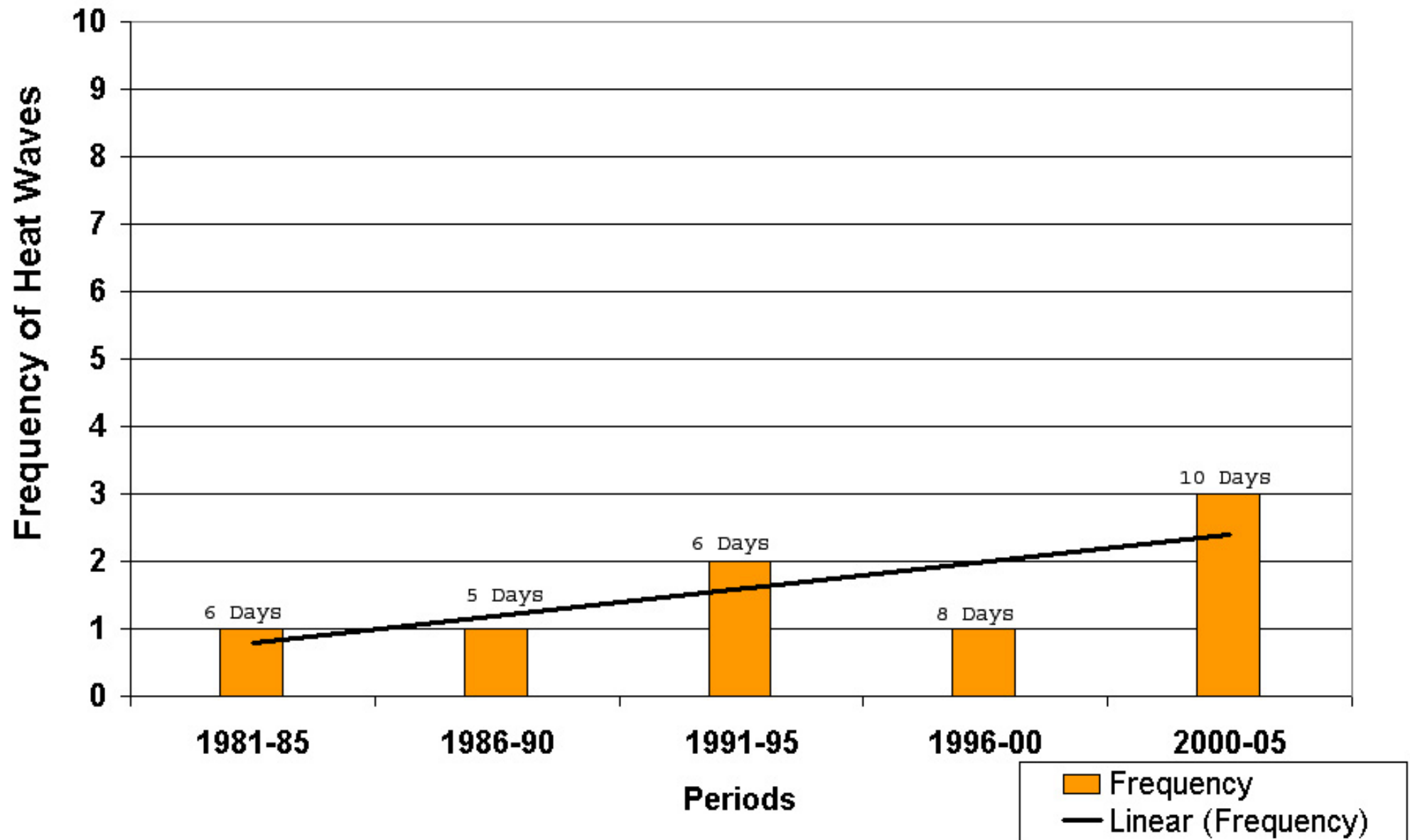
Heat Waves over Northern Areas (when Max Temp. > 30 Degrees)



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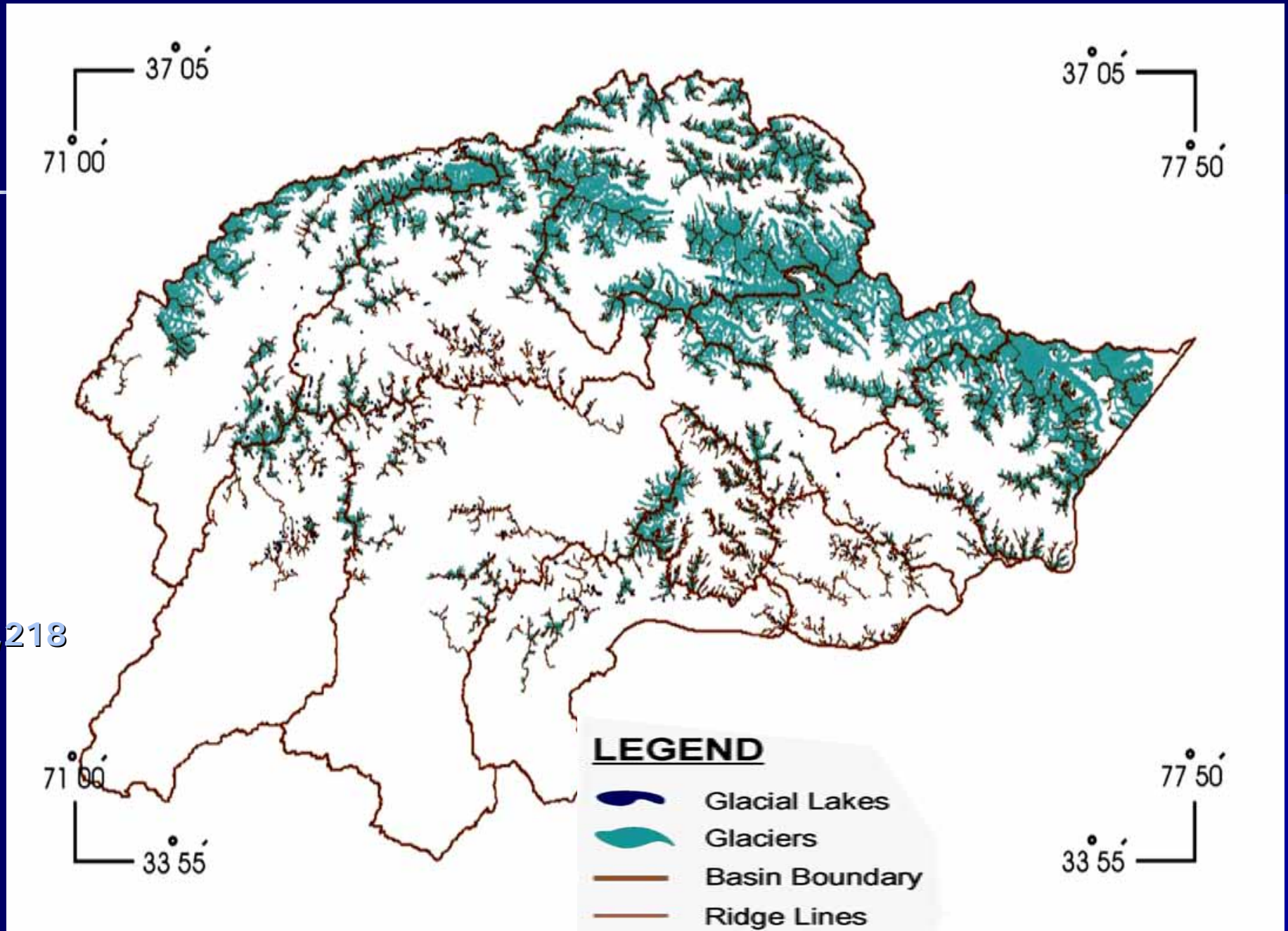




Glaciers / Ice Cover Monitoring

Glaciers of Upper Indus Basins

Total Area
5,218



Source: WRRRI, NARC (2005) "Inventory of glaciers"

Siachen Glacier

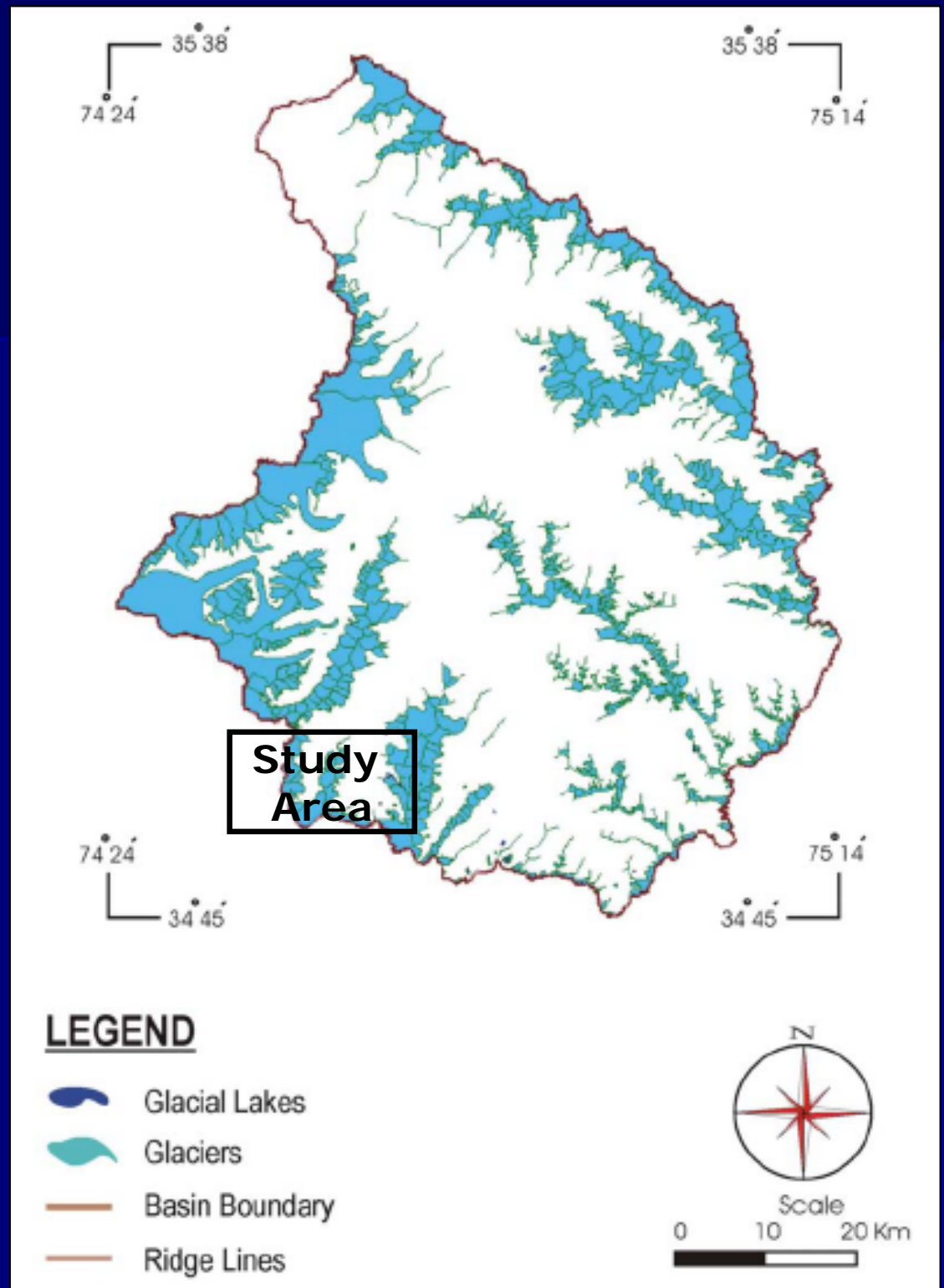
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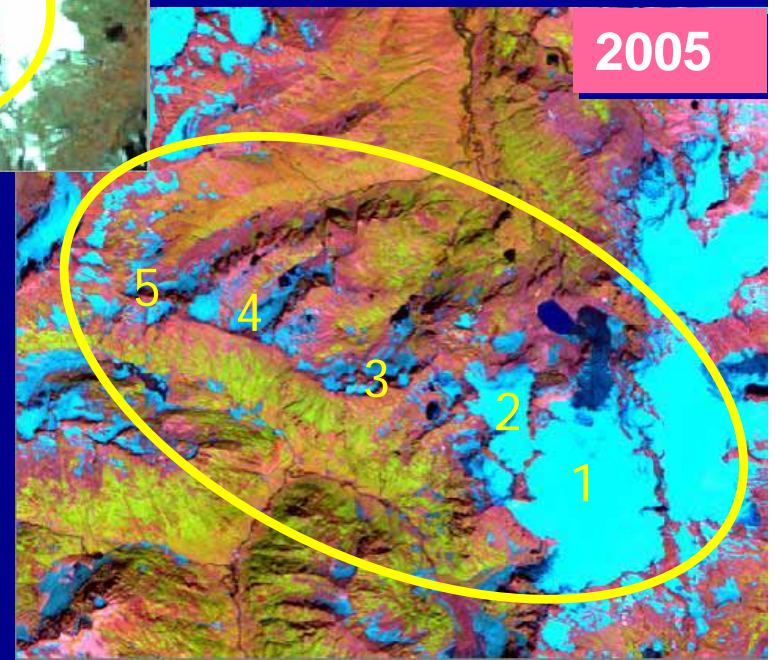
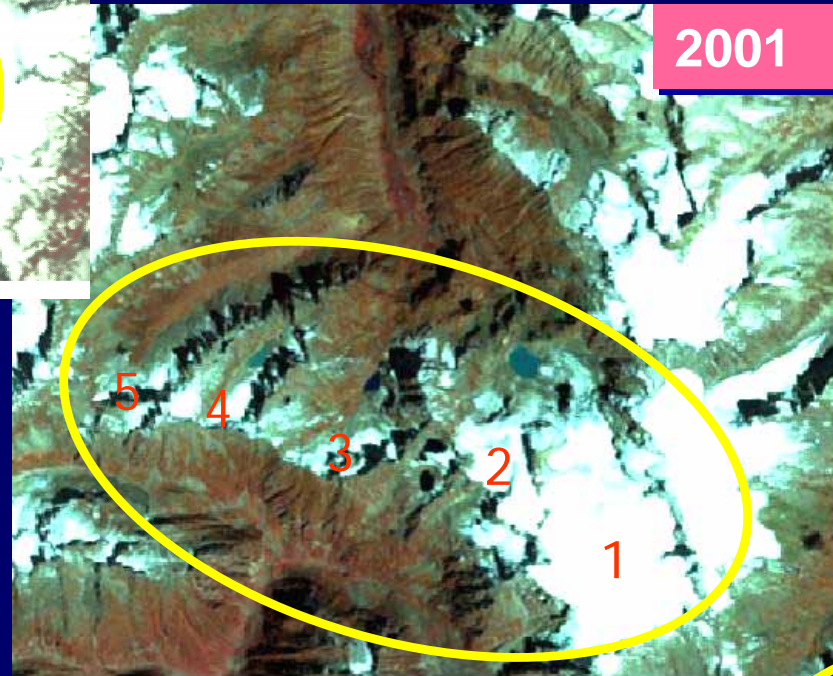
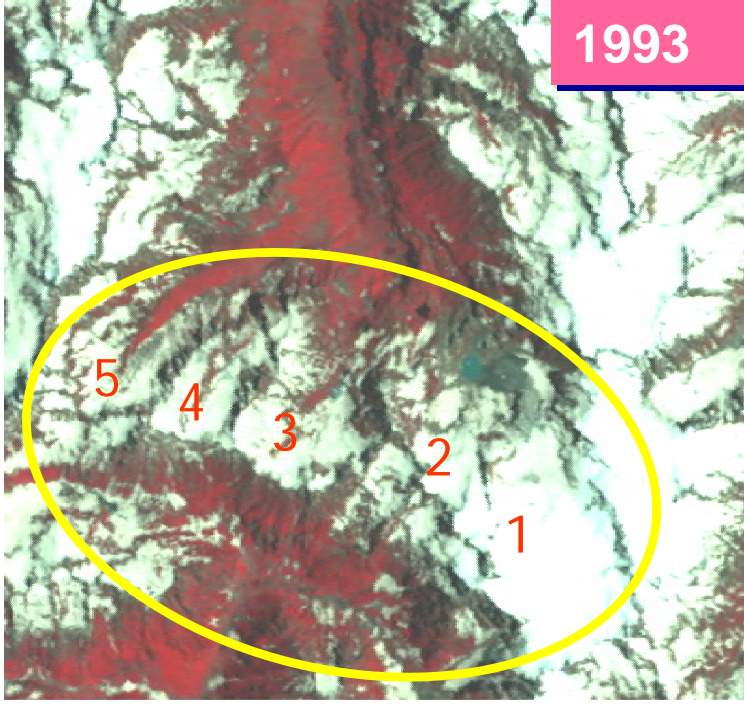
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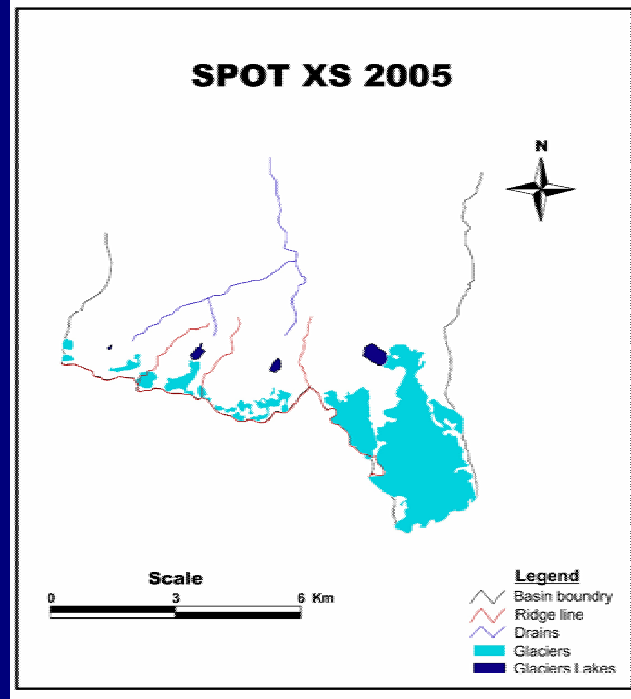
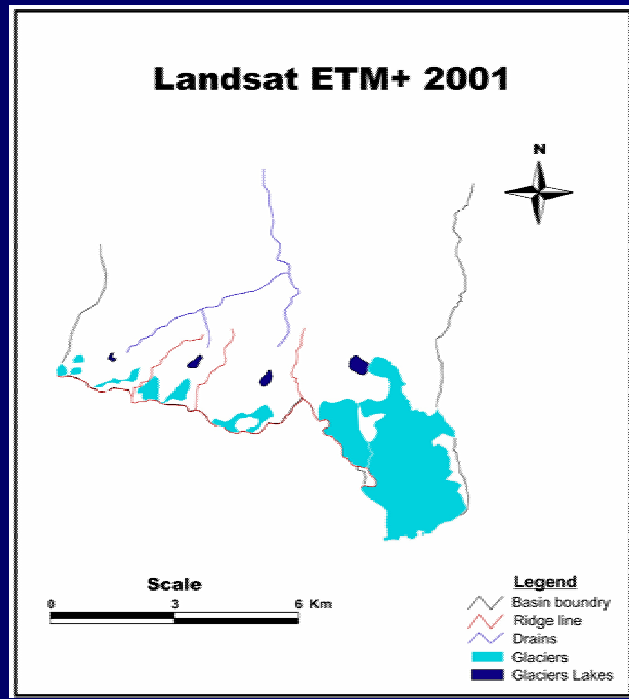
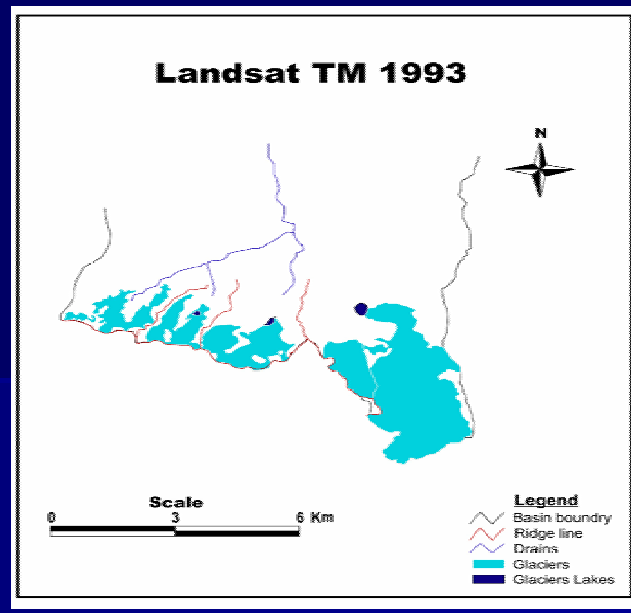
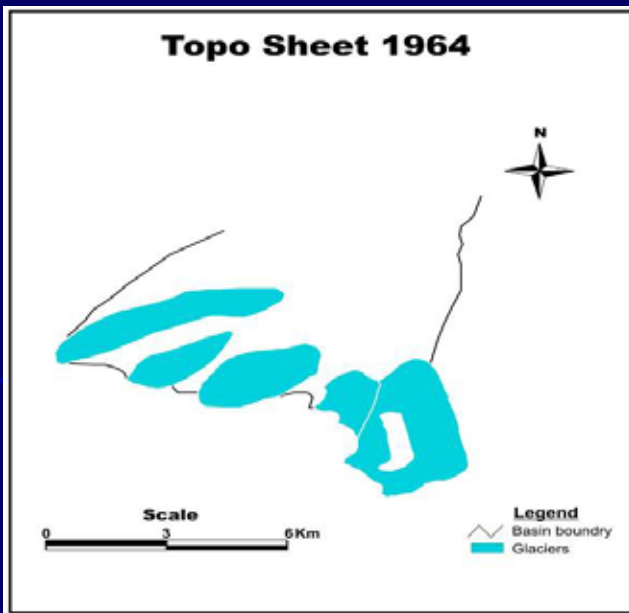


- **Siachen Glacier has retreated about 1.7 Km in last 17 years**
(Landsat 30 km resolution)

The Glaciers Distribution in Astor River Basin

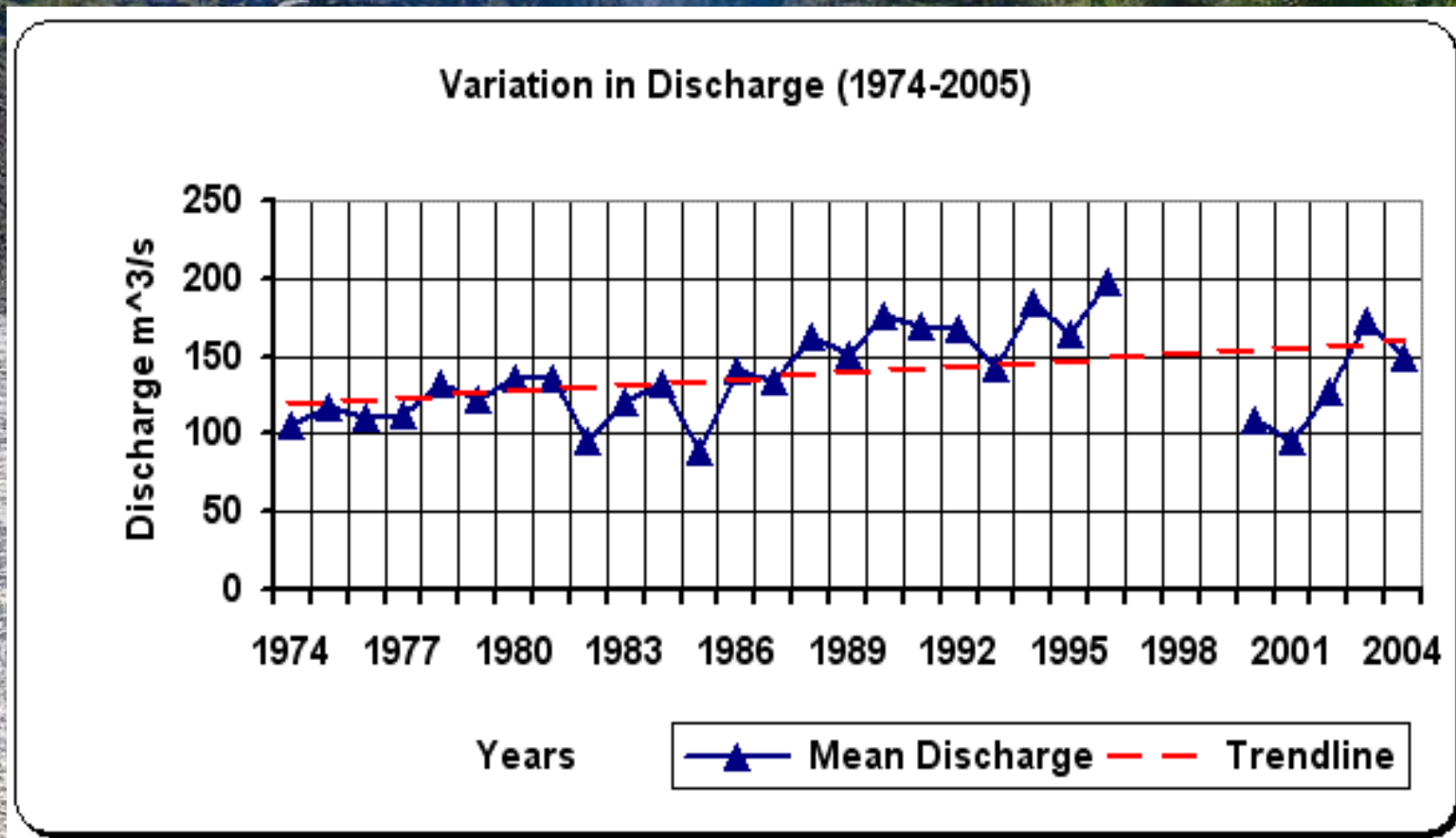






Temporal behavior of Glaciers and Glacial lakes during 1964-2005

Trend of Annual Discharge of Astor River





PART-II

MANAGEMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

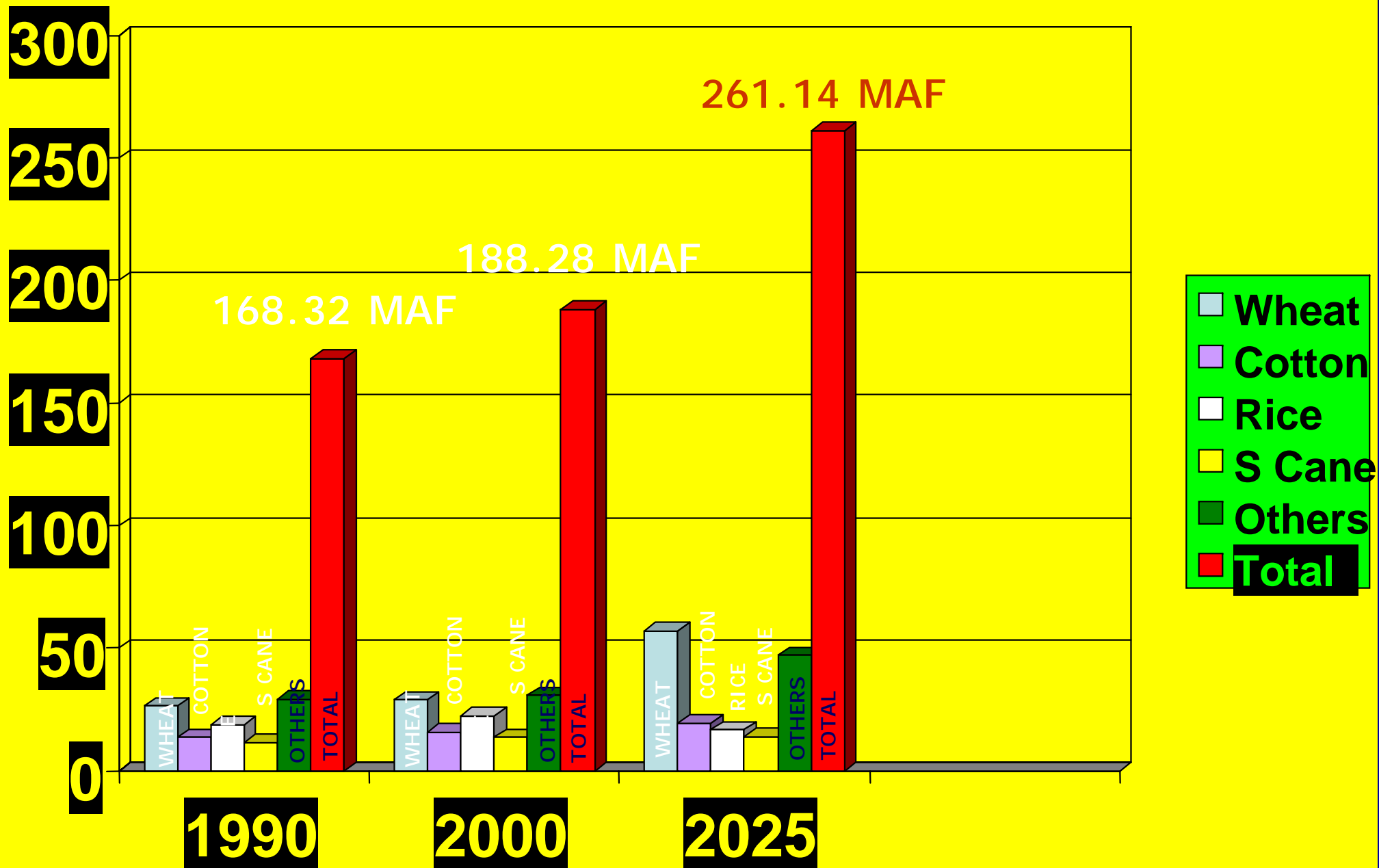
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WATER REQUIREMENT OF PAKISTAN

TOTAL WATER RESOURCES AVAILABLE

<u>Surface Water availability</u>	<u>Water (MAF)</u>
Mean river inflows	144
Rainfall	26
Hill torrents	17
Total	187
Groundwater availability	50
Total availability	237

Agricultural Water Demands (MAF)



SYSTEM LOSSES

- **39** MAF flows into sea
- **105** MAF for irrigation
- **21** MAF Evaporation/Seepage
- **84** MAF reaches the head of water course
- **46** MAF reaches fields
- **34** MAF available to plants

INCREASE IN POPULATION

5000
cubic meters



1000
cubic meters

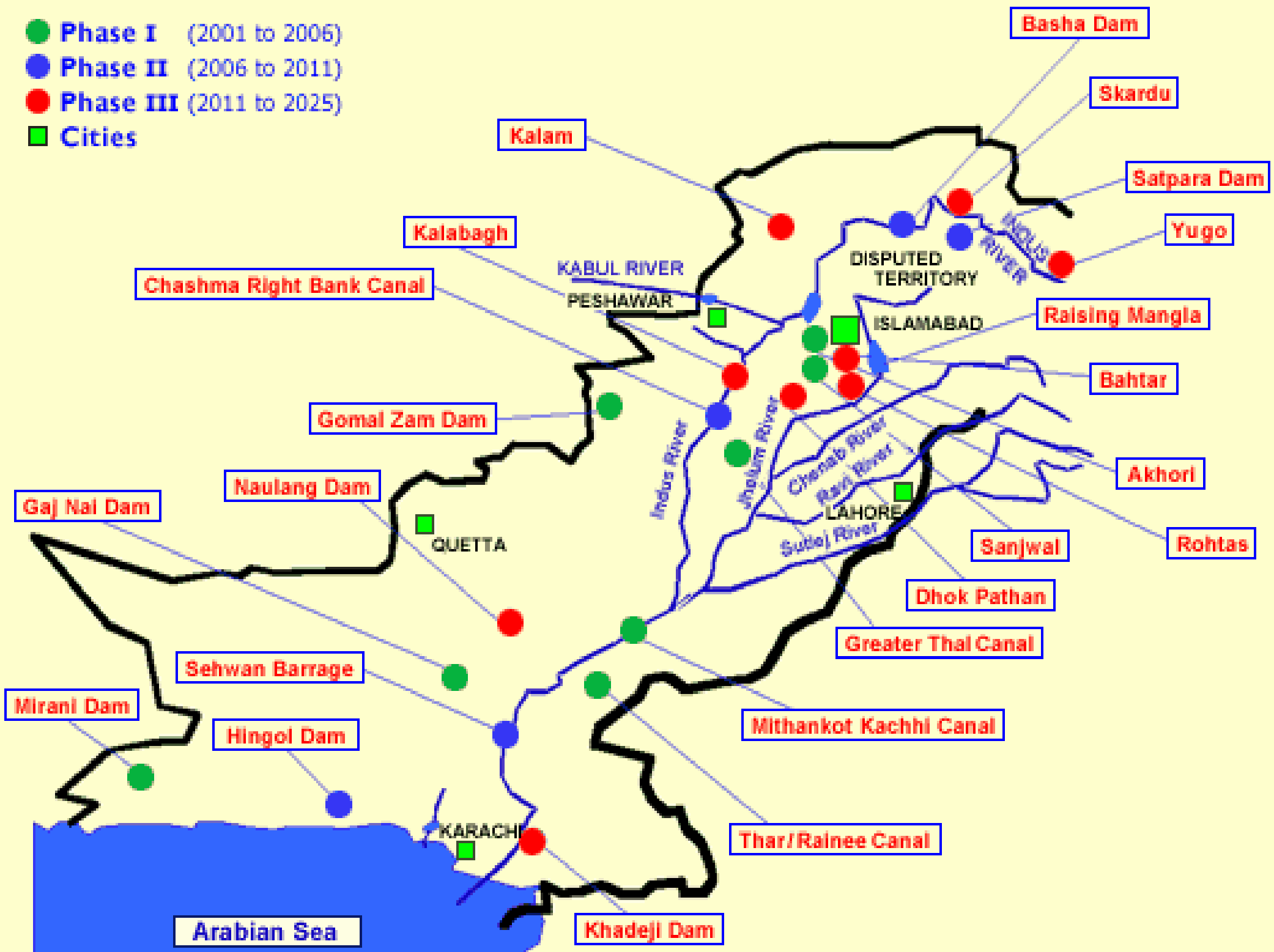
POORLY MANAGED IRRIGATION SYSTEM



DEPLETING GROUND WATER RESOURCES



- Phase I (2001 to 2006)
- Phase II (2006 to 2011)
- Phase III (2011 to 2025)
- Cities



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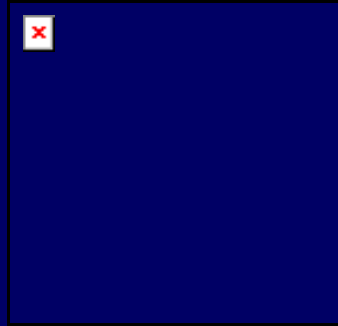
AUGMENTATION MEASURES

- RAISING OF MANGLA DAM
- HARNESSING HILL STREAMS
- EXPLOITING REMAINING
GROUNDWATER POTENTIALS

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Management Measures

- **Lining canals/watercourses**
- **Changes in cropping pattern**
- **Using high efficiency irrigation techniques**



Thank You