

## Seasonal Agro-Climat outlook for Mar- May 2020

Seasonal climate outlook for mid of Mar- May 2020, is based on the coupled forecast system models. The outlook is depicted in figures in terms of daily fluctuations of Maximum and Minimum Temperatures and Precipitation with a focus on major agriculture zones. The main purpose of seasonal outlook is to facilitate agriculture community for pre-planning their field activities as per expected weather conditions. Dry/ wet spells during the season as well as periods of cold-waves are highlighted. This forecast is a careful estimation of aforementioned weather parameters averaged over a specific area.

**Azad Kashmir** is expected to receive several spells of rain throughout the period with heavy downpour during the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of April. Wheat in this region is not grown on wider scales, however, is normally at final stages by the mid of May. The cloudiness/rains in the months of April/May would not be favorable for the crop in terms of dry matter production and final yield. The minimum temperature would remain between 07° to 20°C following the season. The maximum temperature may remain within the range of 15° to 31°C as per seasonal pattern.

