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**Subject: Weekly Forecast and Advisory for farmers (25<sup>th</sup> Sep to 1<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2023).**

Kindly find attached the subject information, for the period 25<sup>th</sup> Sep to 1<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2023 for kind information.

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### **Agro-Climate Forecast for 25<sup>th</sup> Sep to 1<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2023**

A shallow westerly wave is still prevailing over northern parts of the country and likely to move eastwards during next 24 hours.

#### **25 September, 2023**

Dry weather is expected in most parts of the country. However, rain-wind/thundershower is expected south Punjab, upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit-Baltistan and Kashmir during evening/night.

#### **26 September, 2023**

Dry weather is expected in most parts of the country. However, rain-wind/thundershower is expected south Punjab, upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit-Baltistan and Kashmir during evening/night.

#### **27 September, 2023**

Mainly dry weather is expected in most parts of the country. However, rain-wind/thunderstorm is expected at isolated places in upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

#### **28 September, 2023**

Mainly dry weather is expected in most parts of the country. However, rain-wind/thunderstorm is expected at isolated places in upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Potohar region, Islamabad and Gilgit Baltistan.

#### **29 September, 2023**

Mainly dry weather is expected in most parts of the country. However, rain-wind/thunderstorm (with snowfall over high mountains) is expected in upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Islamabad, upper Punjab, Gilgit Baltistan and Kashmir.

#### **30 September, 2023**

Mainly dry weather is expected in most parts of the country. However, rain-wind/thunderstorm (with light snowfall over high mountains) is expected in Chitral and Gilgit Baltistan.

#### **1 October, 2023**

Mainly dry weather is expected in most parts of the country.



### **Possible Impact of Weather on Standing Crops**

During the last week, moderate to heavy rainfall was reported from Punjab (with heavy falls in northeastern parts), Kashmir, KPK and Sindh whereas dry weather was reported from Baluchistan. These rains improved the moisture contents which is useful for crops, orchards and seasonal vegetables. Overall, the Kharif crops, vegetables and orchards were reportedly in satisfactory condition.

In the present week, partly cloudy with chances of rain-wind/thundershower is expected south Punjab, upper Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit-Baltistan and Kashmir. Hot and dry weather is likely elsewhere in the country. The farmers of the particular areas may plan their activities in accordance with the weather predictions.

### **Situation of Crops in Major Agricultural Plains of the country**



Cotton crop at RAMC Tandojam (25-09-2023)



Cotton crop at RAMC Faisalabad (25-09-2023)