

Pakistan Floods: Timeline of Events (as of 17 September 2010)



More than 20 million people affected since July

22 July 2010: Dozens of people are killed and tens of thousands displaced following heavy rains across Balochistan, Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

29 July: Flash floods and landslides devastate large parts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, smaller areas of the Federally Administered Tribal Area, Gilgit Baltistan and Pakistan-Administered Kashmir. According to the Government, more than 800 people died and millions may be affected.

6 August: Pakistan declares a red alert as floods reach southern provinces. Hundreds of thousands of people are evacuated.

7 August: Landslides and flash floods are reported in Gilgit-Baltistan and other parts of northern Pakistan. Floods move into Sindh and Balochistan.

11 August: The Pakistan Initial Floods Emergency Response Plan requests \$459 million for relief assistance for an initial three months.

15 August: United Nations Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon visits flood-affected areas.

25 August: More than 800,000 people are cut off by floods. The United Nations requests more support for helicopter missions.

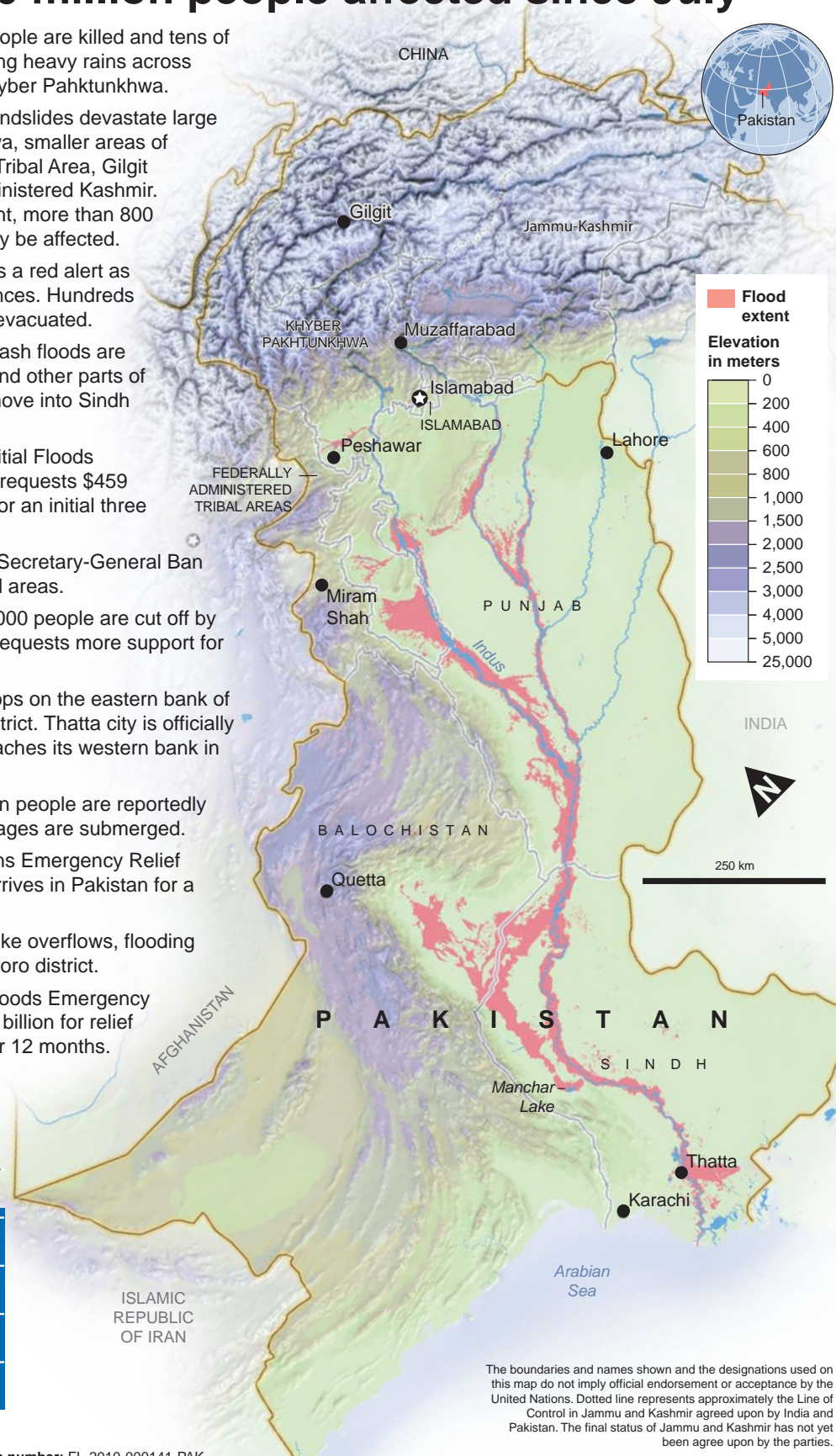
26 August: A breach develops on the eastern bank of the Indus River in Thatta district. Thatta city is officially evacuated as the Indus breaches its western bank in the south.

30 August: At least 1 million people are reportedly on the move in Sindh as villages are submerged.

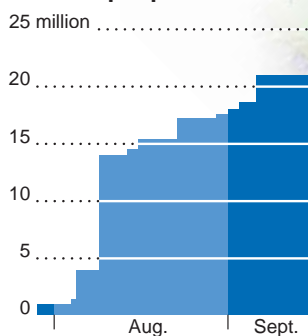
7 September: United Nations Emergency Relief Coordinator Valerie Amos arrives in Pakistan for a three-day mission.

13 September: Manchar Lake overflows, flooding new areas in Sindh's Jamshoro district.

17 September: A revised Floods Emergency Response Plan requests \$2 billion for relief and early recovery needs for 12 months.



Estimated number of affected people



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