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Gomal Zam Multipurpose Dam under Activity Agreement:

The installation of transmission line towers is in progress; towers have been installed over a distance of 54 km (95 % completion achieved) starting from the Tank Grid station to the powerhouse. Main Dam and Spillway concrete and related works along with mechanical testing of dam fixtures are 100 % complete. Hydropower and Switchyard component is 98 % complete.

The reservoir filling started with the closure of the diversion tunnel and, the water level has gone up to 90 meters in the reservoir. The final testing and commissioning is dependent on reservoir filling which is expected in Jul-Aug 2012.



Spillway at Gomal Zam Dam

Amendment No. 1 to the Activity Agreement, revised the completion date to September 30, 2012. From the \$40 million assistance amount committed for Gomal Zam, the total disbursement as of March 2012 is \$36,589,000.

