

Gilgit Baltistan Jewel of Pakistan



Govt. of Gilgit Baltistan



LAND OF DIVERSITY : DISTRICT GILGIT

District Gilgit, capital of Gilgit-Baltistan, is strategically the most important territory in the Karakorum Range as it has been the trade center of the area for centuries. The historical Silk Route that promoted religious and cultural diversity to expand across borders adds to the significance of the district.

Languages: Shina is the local language while English and Urdu are widely spoken.

Famous Tourist Spots: Naltar valley is a beautiful region of Alpine Forests with lush green landscape, mesmerizing flora, snow peaked mountains, milky glacial cover and rich diversity. Moreover, Kargah Valley offers an ancient site with a Buddha statue carved on a rock dating back to 4th-7th century A.D along with the ruins of Buddhist monastery and Hainzal Stuppa. Danyore Valley with its Beranu Suspension Bridge and Tunnel and Chinese Graveyard, Bagrot and Heramosh Valleys with their bewildering pastures, bewitching lakes and towering peaks capture touristic gaze.

Popular Activities: During winters, Naltar Valley offers a lifetime experience of skiing. On the other hand Bagrote Valley is a perfect place for trekkers. Danyore suspension bridge, built by locals without any civil engineering equipment, is also site worth seeing.

TRAVEL TIPS

- Confirm your air tickets timely
- Confirm your hotel reservations before traveling
- Get first-hand information about road condition
- Support the community by purchasing local handicrafts
- Keep your national ID card/ passport along with you
- Engage local guide for trekking/ camping
- Use LPG or kerosene for cooking and avoid using firewoods
- Respect local culture, traditions and religious places
- Do not harm the environment, flora and fauna
- Avoid excessive breaks while driving at Babusar, Deosai and Khunjerab
- Using heavy gears minimize risk and ensure safety
- Dispose of your litter properly and leave the campsite clean
- Cooperate with GB Tourist Police.

For more Information

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KARGAH BUDDHA



APPROACH

Dist: 10 Kms (From Gilgit City)
Accessibility: Car/ Jeep
Traveling Time: 40 Min

NALTAR VALLEY



APPROACH

Dist: 54 Kms (From Gilgit City)
Accessibility: Jeep
Traveling Time: 1 Hr

BAGORAT VALLEY



APPROACH

Dist: 32 Kms (From Gilgit City)
Accessibility: Car/ Jeep
Traveling Time: 1 Hr

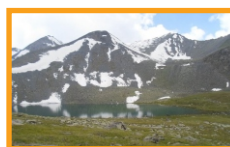
CHINESE GRAVEYARD



APPROACH

Dist: 23 Kms (From Gilgit City)
Accessibility: Car/ Jeep
Traveling Time: 40 Min

JUTIAL NULLAH



APPROACH

Dist: 3 Kms (From Gilgit City)
Accessibility: Car/ Jeep/ Trekking
Traveling Time: 1 Hr

KUTWAL LAKE



APPROACH

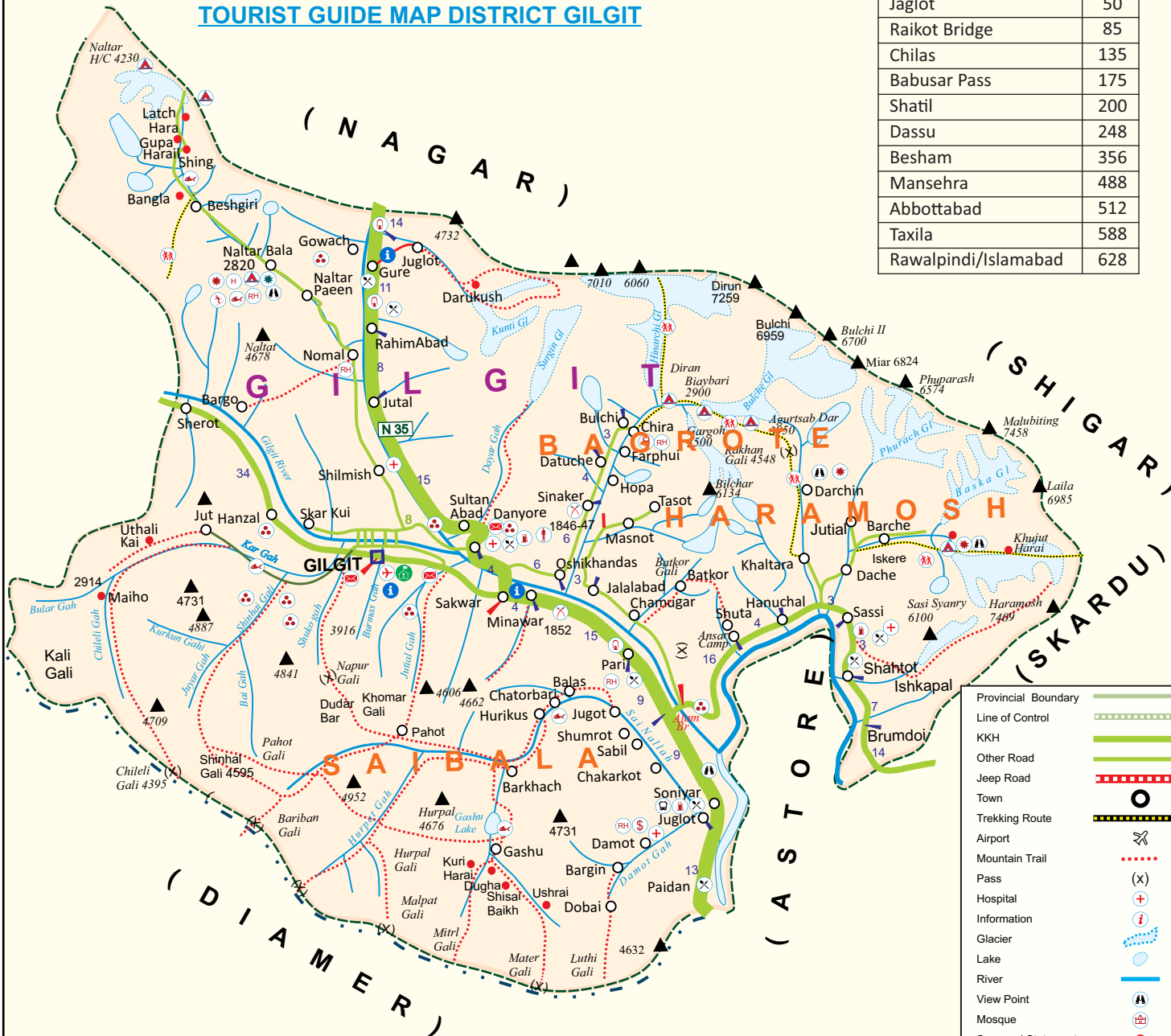
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Accessibility: Car/ Jeep/ Trekking
Traveling Time: 05 Hr 30 Min



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TOURIST GUIDE MAP DISTRICT GILGIT



DISTANCE CHART

Gilgit to Islamabad

Places	Kms
Pari	16
Jaglot	50
Raikot Bridge	85
Chilas	135
Babusar Pass	175
Shatil	200
Dassu	248
Besham	356
Mansehra	488
Abbottabad	512
Taxila	588
Rawalpindi/Islamabad	628

Gilgit to Chitral

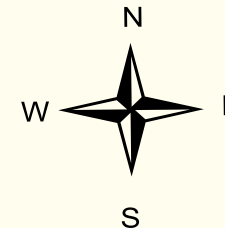
Places	Kms
Sher Qilla	32
Gahkuch	64
Gupis	112
Yasin	117
Phandar	173
Shandur Pass	212
Chitral	392

Gilgit to Khunjerab Top

Places	Kms
Danyore	14
Ghulmet	75
Aliabad	100
Karimabad	112
Gulmit	150
Passu	164
Sost	184
Khunjerab Top	290

Gilgit to Skardu

Places	Kms
Pari	16
Alam Bridge	47
Sassi	73
Shengus	96
Astak Nala	125
Thowar	148
Baghicha	171
Airport	204
Skardu	218



KEY TO MAP

Provincial Boundary	International Boundary	Tunnel
Line of Control	Divisional Boundary	Post office
KKH	District Boundary	Hotel
Other Road	Tehsil Boundary	Camping Side
Jeep Road	Provincial Capital	Fort
Town	Divisional Capital	Bank
Trekking Route	District Capital	Fishing
Airport	Sb Divisional Capital	Heli Port
Mountain Trail	National Road No	Ski center
Pass	Border Crossing	Petrol Pump
Hospital	Petroglyph / Inscription	National Park
Information	Rest House	Park Garden
Glacier	Restaurant	Check / Custom Point
Lake	Picnic Spot	Distance
River	Peak	Tourism office/ Tourist
View Point	Scenic Spot	Facilitation Center (TO/TFC)
Mosque	Bus Station	Tourist Information Counter (TIC)
Seasonal Statement	Museum	