

ANNEX 1

Summary of the Workshop and Capacity Building Training on

“Rice Landscapes and Climate Change”

10-12 October 2018, Bangkok, Thailand

A – Workshop program

B – Presentations

C – Feedback and comments on workshop design and content

D – Participants list

A – Workshop program

Time	Session	Lead Organization
Day 1		
08:30-09:00	Registration	FAO
09:00-09:10	Opening remarks 1	FAO
09:10-09:15	Opening remarks 2	MAFF Japan
09:15-09:30	Welcome, Background to the Meeting and Objectives	FAO
09:30-10:30	Briefing Session: Significance of the Paris Agreement for Agriculture and measures for mitigation and adaptation in the agriculture sectors with a focus on rice landscapes	ASEAN CRN
10:30-11:00	<i>Group Photo + Coffee Break</i>	
11:00-12:00	Interactive Session: Country experiences in reducing emissions and increasing resilience in rice landscapes	FAO
12:00-13:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:00-14:00	Interactive Session: Challenges and opportunities: Tackling climate change in rice landscapes (Cont.)	FAO
14:00-15:00	Knowledge Session: Current initiatives and activities in the region on reducing emissions and increasing resilience in rice landscapes	APEC
15:00-15:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
15:30-16:00	Knowledge Session: Current initiatives and activities in the region on reducing emissions and increasing resilience in rice landscapes (cont.)	APEC
16:00-17:30	Knowledge Session: Current initiatives and activities in the region on reducing emissions and increasing resilience in rice landscapes	WBCS
17:00 –17:15	Wrap-up: Summary of the Day 1	FAO
Day 2		
08:30-09:00	Registration	

09:00-09:10	Revisiting Workshop Objectives and Key Messages from Day 1			FAO
09:10-10:30	Knowledge Session: Capacity Building for Climate Smart Rice Cultivation in Asia			APEC
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break			
11:00-12:30	Knowledge Session: Capacity Building for Climate Smart Rice Cultivation in Asia (cont.)			FAO
12:30-13:30	Lunch			
13:30-15:30	Interactive Session: Solution Matching			FAO
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break			
16:00 – 17:00	Discussion Session : Facilitating research and investments to improve soil health and reduce emissions in rice landscapes – the way forward			SRP
17:00 – 17:15	Wrap-up: Summary and workshop evaluation			FAO
Day 3 – Sustainable Rice Landscapes				
08:30-09:00	Registration			
09:00-10:00	Briefing Session: Sustainable Rice Landscapes – An Introduction			FAO, UNEP,IRRI, WBCSD, GIZ
10:00-10:30	Coffee Break			
10:30 – 11:30	Interactive Session: Sustainable Rice Landscapes – Developing a Regional Initiative			FAO, UNEP,IRRI, WBCSD, GIZ
11:30 – 12:00	Wrap-up: Summary and way forward			FAO
	Workshop Close			
12:00-13:00	Lunch			
Follow-up Afternoon Meetings organized for selected participants				
13:00 -	<u>*Session I</u> SRL Meeting	<u>*Session II</u> GRA Paddy Rice Research Group Meeting	<u>*Session III</u> Rice/Fish systems	Session I: SRL Partners Session II: GRA Session III: FAO

B – Presentations

Workshop

1. Dr Kazunori Minamikawa, “Assessing the feasibility of GHG mitigation through water saving techniques (AWD) in irrigated rice fields in southeast Asian economies (FYs 2013-2017 funded by MAFF of Japan), Outline of the MIRSA-2 project”
2. Mr Ali Pramono, “Assessing the feasibility of GHG mitigation through water saving techniques (AWD) in irrigated rice fields in Indonesia”
3. Mr Nghia Trong Hoang, “Assessing the feasibility of GHG mitigation through water saving techniques (AWD) in irrigated rice fields in Central Vietnam”
4. Dr Amnat Chidthaisong, “Evaluating the effects of alternate wetting and drying (AWD) on methane and nitrous oxide emissions from a paddy field in Thailand”
5. Ms Kristine Samoy-Pascual, “Assessing the feasibility of GHG mitigation through water saving techniques (AWD) in irrigated rice fields in the Philippines”

Capacity Building Training

6. Dr Bjoern Ole Sander, “Analysis of suitable environments for the implementation of low-emissions technologies in rice production”
7. Dr Yasukazu Hosen, “What kind of environment should be targeted for AWD introduction? – Through experience in the Mekong Delta –”
8. Dr Kazunori Minamikawa, “MRV for a GHG mitigation project with water management in irrigated rice paddies”
9. Dr Chitnucha Buddhagoon, “The overview and plan of the Thai rice NAMA project”
10. Dr Yasuhito Shirato, “Soil C sequestration for sustainable food production and climate change mitigation”

Knowledge 1a: Current initiatives and activities in the region on reducing emissions and increasing resilience in rice landscapes

Assessing the feasibility of GHG mitigation through water saving techniques (AWD) in irrigated rice fields in southeast Asian economies (FYs 2013-2017 funded by MAFF of Japan)

Outline of the MIRSA-2 project

Kazunori Minamikawa (JIRCAS, Japan)



MIRSA-2 project funded by MAFF of Japan

Completed 5-year international research project to support the activities of [GRA](#) Paddy Rice Research Group.

→ Asia sub-group meeting will be held on DAY3 afternoon.

Project goal was to develop improved water management based on [AWD](#) that can always reduce $\text{CH}_4 + \text{N}_2\text{O}$ emission from irrigated rice paddies in Asian economies.

1. Field demonstration of AWD feasibility in SEA economies

→ This session's topic

2. Development of [MRV](#) guidelines for paddy water mngm

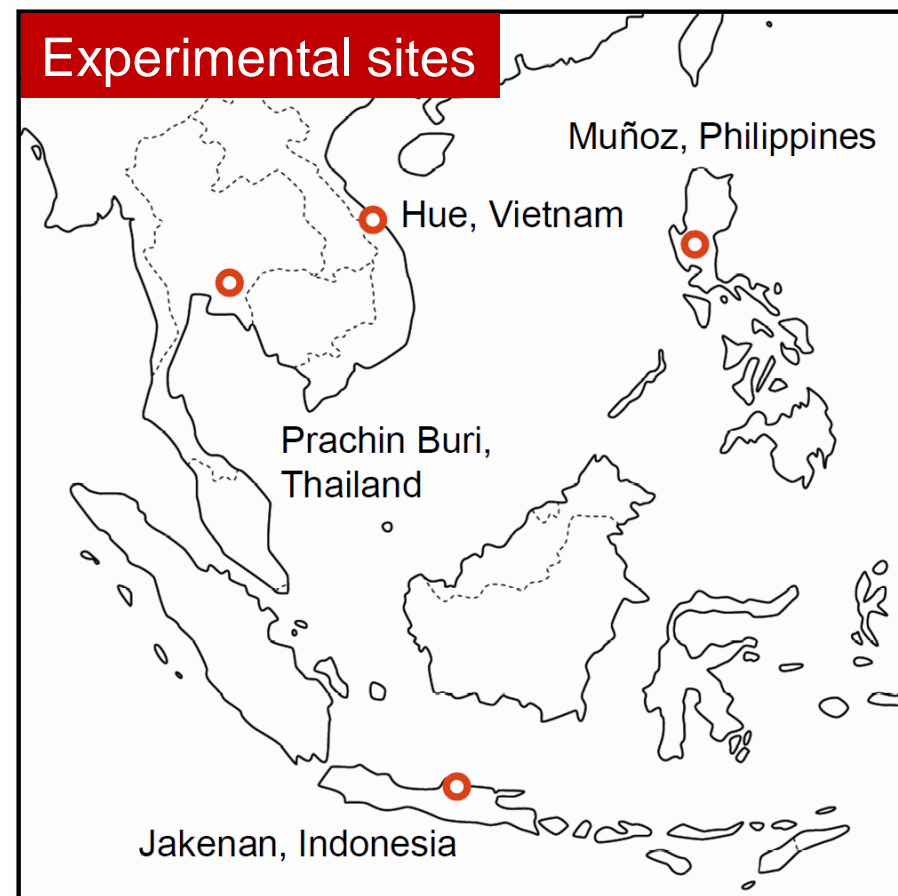
→ My presentation's topic on DAY2 morning



[GRA](#), Global Research Alliance on Agricultural Greenhouse Gases
[AWD](#), Alternate Wetting and Drying
[MRV](#), Monitoring, Reporting and Verification

Participating economies and institutes

- **Viet Nam**, Hue University of Agriculture and Forestry
- **Thailand**, The Joint Graduate School of Energy and Environment, KMUTT
- **Philippines**, Philippine Rice Research Institute and International Rice Research Institute
- **Indonesia**, Indonesian Agricultural Environment Research Institute
- **Japan**, National Agriculture and Food Research Organization



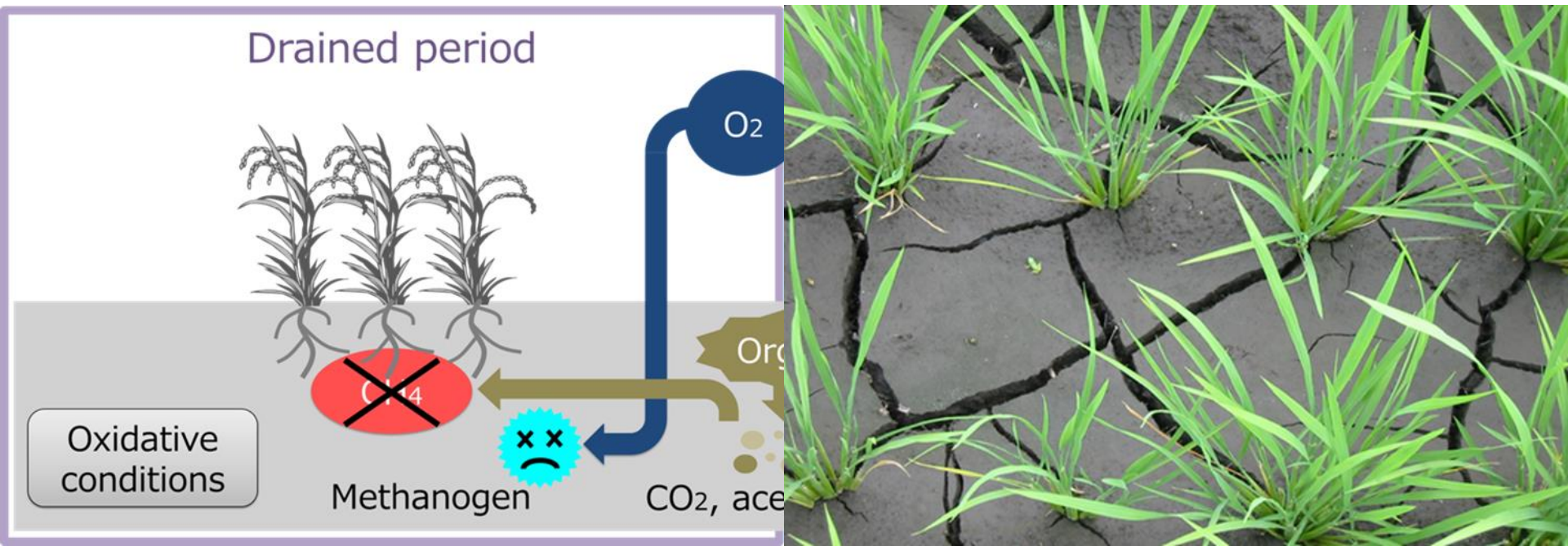
Benefits of AWD

Originally developed and being extended by the International Rice Research Institute since 1990's.

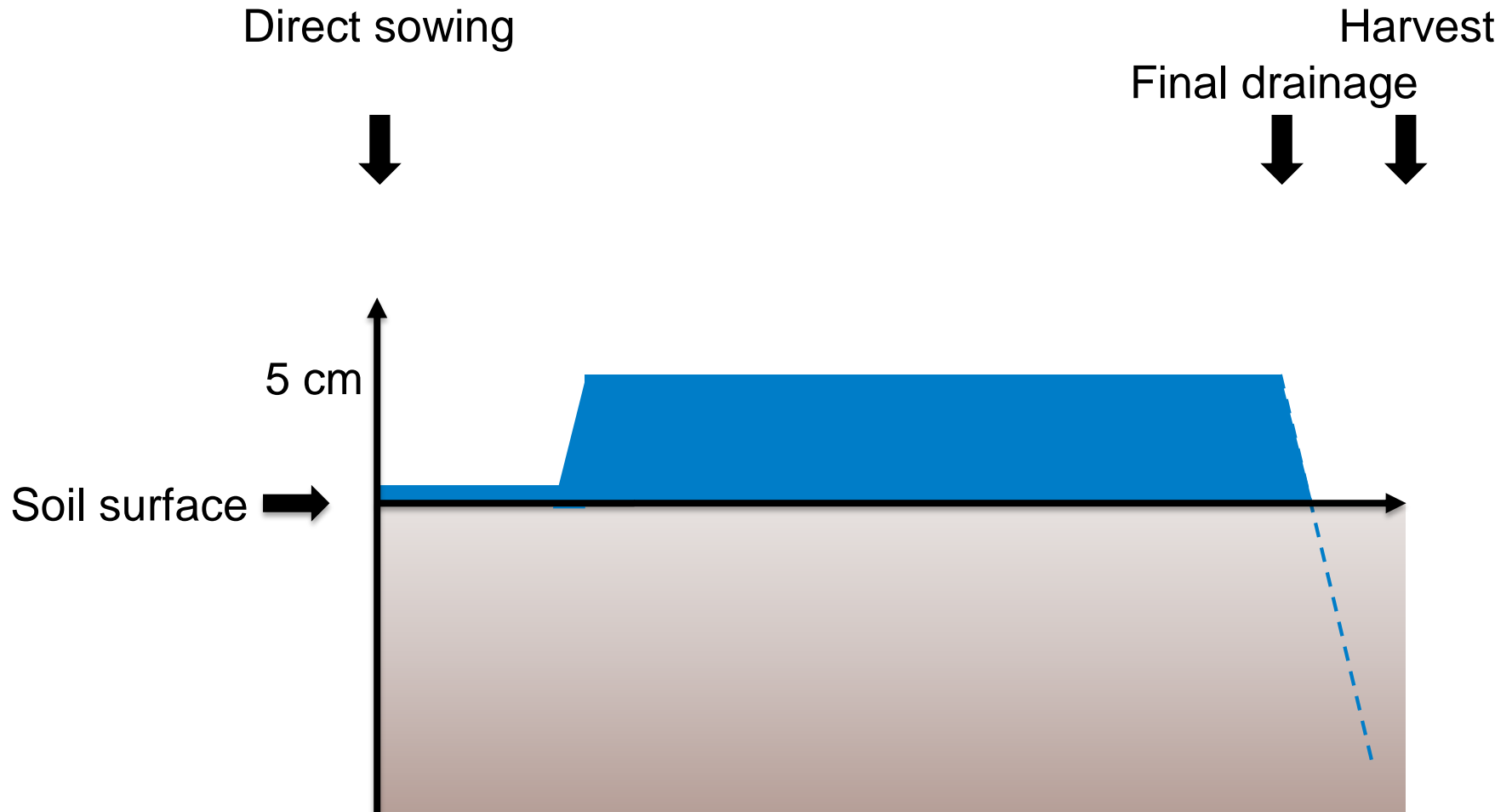
- Water saving for farmers
- CH₄ emission reduction for global environment
- Arsenic pollution control for local environment
- Negative possibilities: water stress, Cadmium pollution, N loss (N₂O), soil fertility, labor, etc.

CH₄ emission from rice paddies

- Produced from easily decomposable organic C by microbes under strictly reductive soil conditions and emitted mainly through rice plants.
- Water management creates oxidative soil conditions, and thus effectively reduces CH₄ production and emission.




Shape of continuous flooding



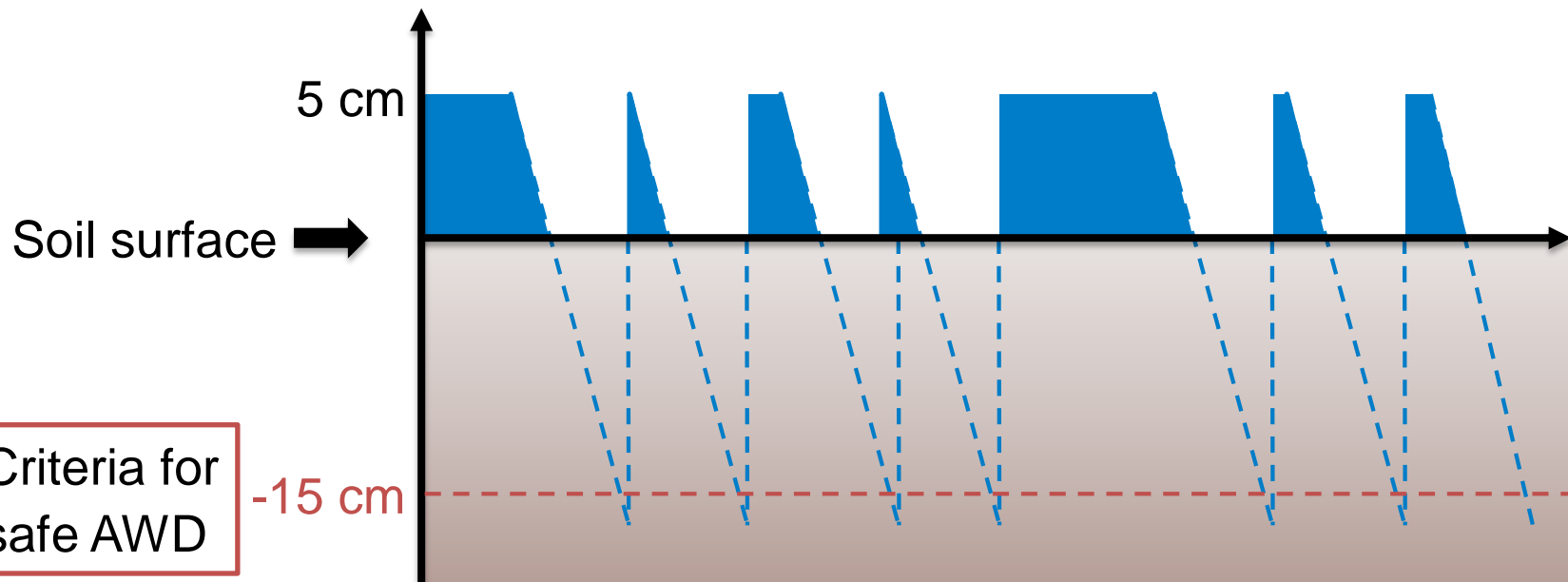
Shape of AWD

Transplanting Heading/flowering Harvest

Rooting N topdressing Final drainage



The timeline shows five downward arrows indicating water management events: 'Rooting' (under Transplanting), 'N topdressing' (under N topdressing), 'Final drainage' (under Final drainage), and 'Harvest' (under Harvest). A bracket under 'Heading/flowering' indicates a period of continuous flooding.



Recommendation: Keep flooding to meet rice's water demand in rooting and heading/flowering stages and to improve N-use efficiency after N topdressing.

Shared experimental protocol

Objectives

- To assess the feasibility of AWD in irrigated rice paddies
- To derive the emission factor and scaling factor for CH_4 and N_2O

Setting

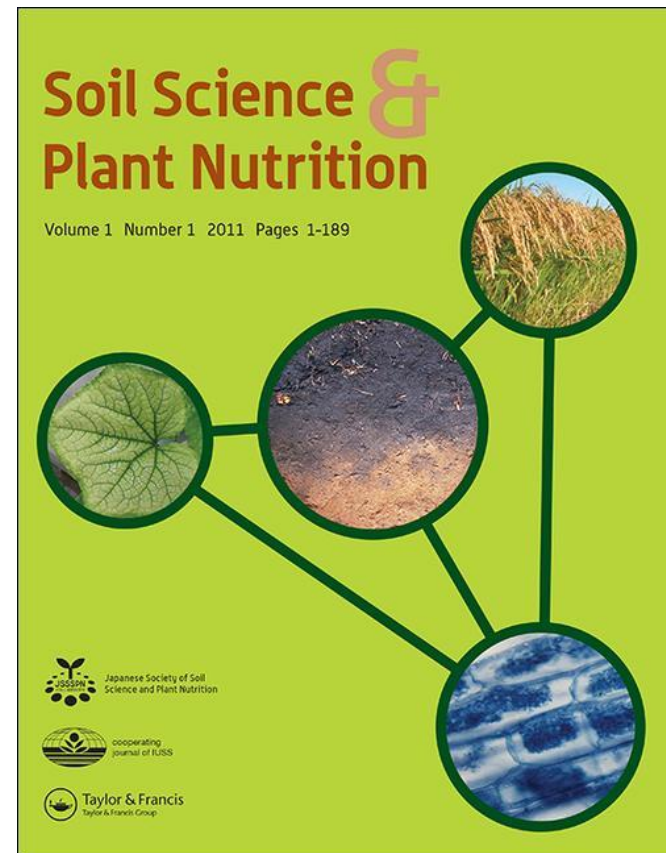
- 6 crops in 3 years: both dry and wet seasons (rice double cropping)
- 3 water management practices: continuous flooding, safe AWD, and site-specific AWD (explained later)
- Manual closed chamber method



An output from MIRSA-2 project

Five papers (four field papers and one synthesis paper) published from *Soil Science and Plant Nutrition* in 2018.

Open access



Synthesis of the four field studies

SOIL SCIENCE AND PLANT NUTRITION, 2018
VOL. 64, NO. 1, 2–13
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00380768.2017.1409602>



Site-specific feasibility of alternate wetting and drying as a greenhouse gas mitigation option in irrigated rice fields in Southeast Asia: a synthesis

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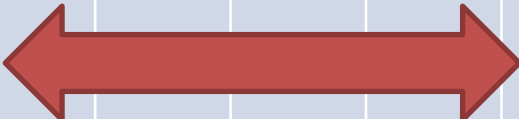


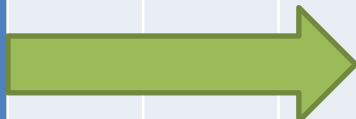
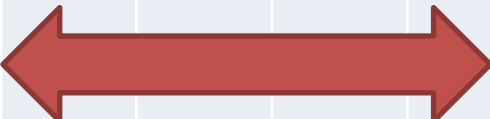

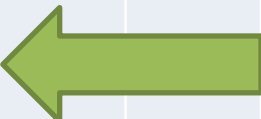

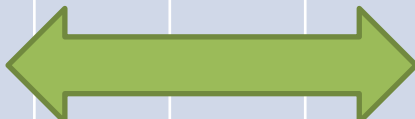



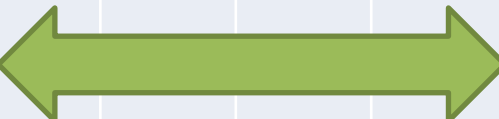
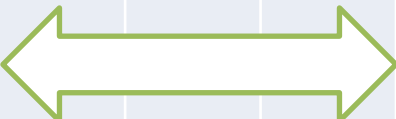


Agronomic practices

	Hue, Viet Nam	Jakenan, Indonesia	Prachin Buri, Thailand	Munoz, Philippines
Rice variety	HT1	Cisadane	RD41	NSIC Rc238
Growth days	96–120	107–132	88–98	81–98
Crop establishment	Wet direct sowing	Wet: Direct sowing Dry: Transplanting	Pre-germinated seed sowing	Transplanting
Chemical N*	92–120	120	70	90–120
Chemical P*	72	60	37.5	40
Chemical K*	62–78	90	37.5	40
Organic amendment	Microbial organic fertilizer	Farmyard manure	None	None
Straw mngm	Removal	Removal	Removal	Removal

* N (kg N ha⁻¹ season⁻¹); P (kg P₂O₅ ha⁻¹ season⁻¹); K (kg K₂O ha⁻¹ season⁻¹).

Crop calendar

Site	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Hue, Viet Nam												
Jakenan, Indonesia												
Prachin Buri, Thailand												
Munoz, Philippines												



Soil properties

CLAYEY SOILS

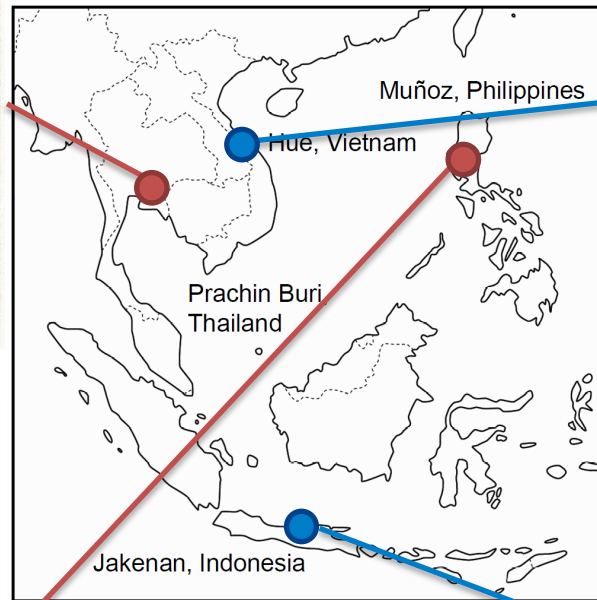
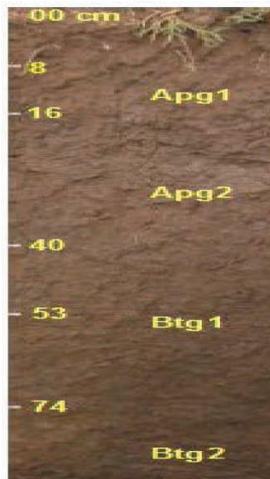
Prachin Buri, Thailand

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Endoaquepts



Munoz, Philippines

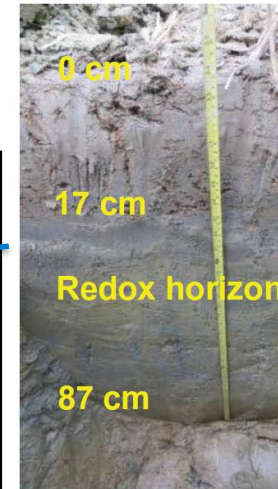
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LOAMY SOILS

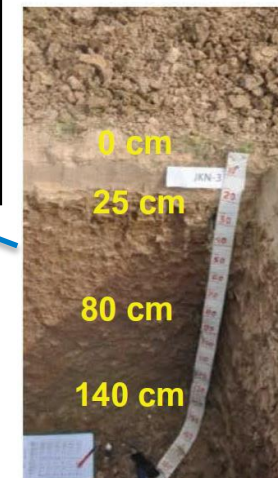
Hue, Viet Nam

FAO: Ustic
Epiaquert
USDA: Eutric
Vertisol



Jakenan, Indonesia

USDA:
Aeric
Endoaquepts



ANOVA statistics

*** 0.1%, ** 1%, * 5%, † 10%

	CH ₄	N ₂ O	GWP	Grain yield	Yield-scaled GWP	Water use
Site (S)	***	***	***	***	***	***
Dry or wet season (DW)	**	ns	**	ns	**	***
Water mgmt (WM)	***	ns	**	ns	ns	***
S×DW	***	***	***	***	***	***
S × WM	ns	ns	*	ns	†	***
DW × WM	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
S × DW×WM	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*

No trade-off

No negative effect

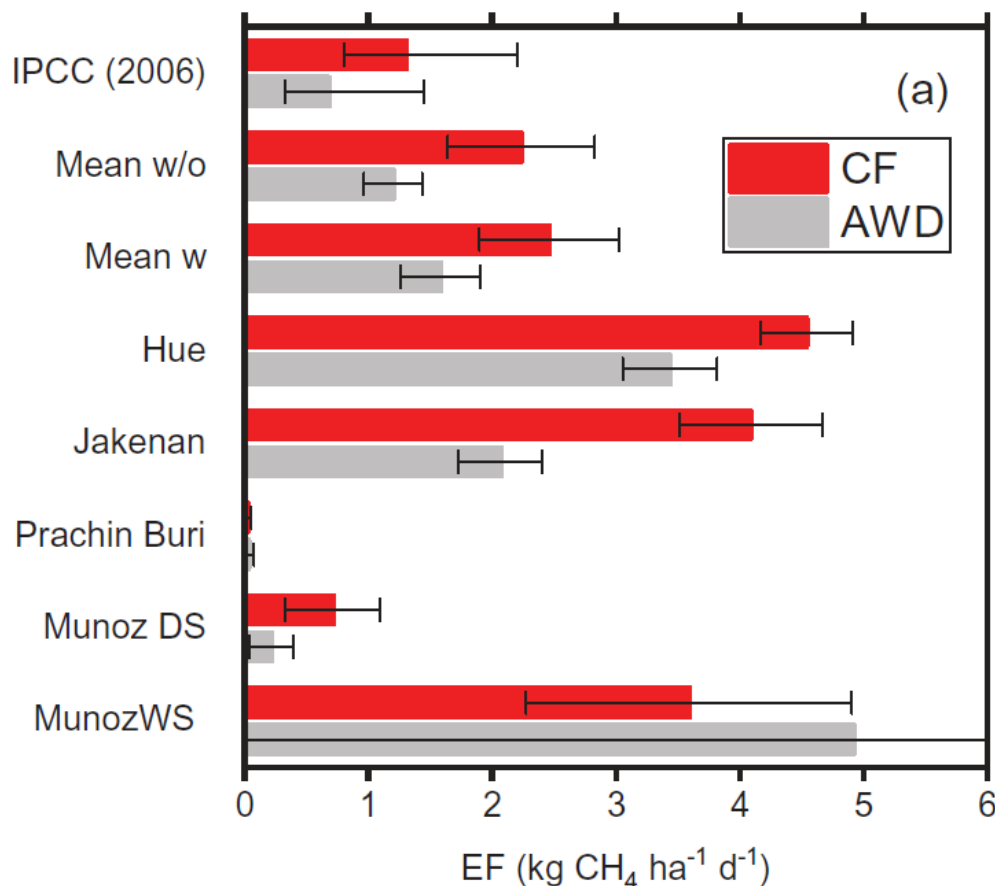
Saving

Mitigation

Mitigation

Inter-site variation

CH₄ Emission Factor

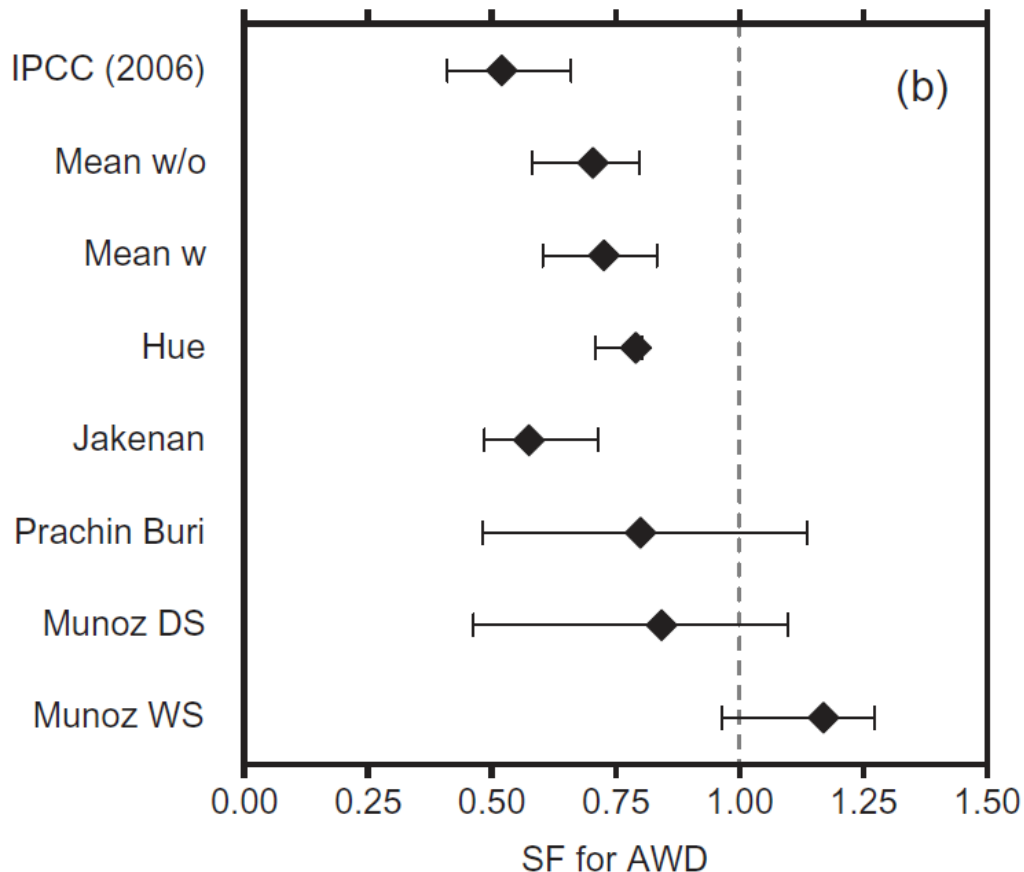


Notes

- IPCC's baseline EFs for continuous flooding (CF) and multiple aeration
- Weighted mean \pm bootstrapped 95%CI
- Mean w/o & w: without & with Munoz Philippines WS
- Safe AWD and site-specific AWD combined
- DS, dry season; WS, wet season

Large spatio-temporal variation due to different environmental and agronomic setting.

CH₄ Scaling Factor for AWD

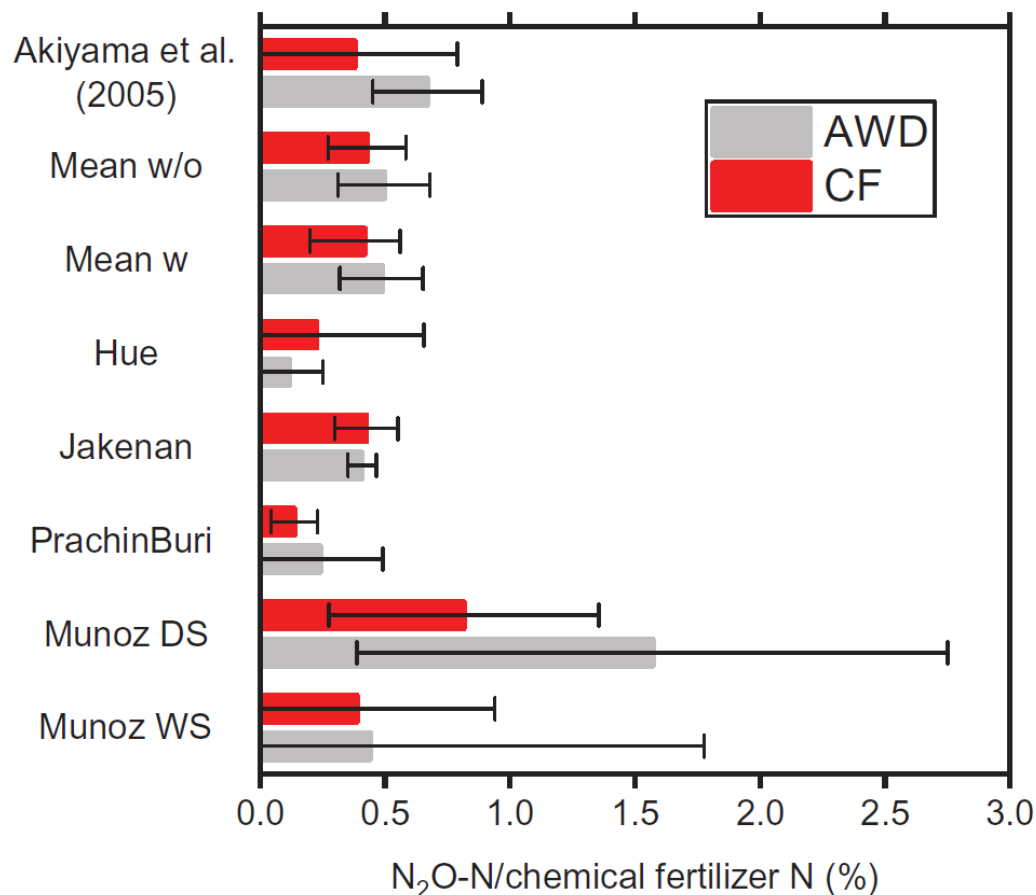


Notes

- IPCC's SF for multiple aeration
- Weighted mean \pm bootstrapped 95%CI
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Lower CH₄ mitigation effect by AWD than IPCC's default SF due to **varying weather conditions** during the field experiment.

N₂O-N / chemical fertilizer-N



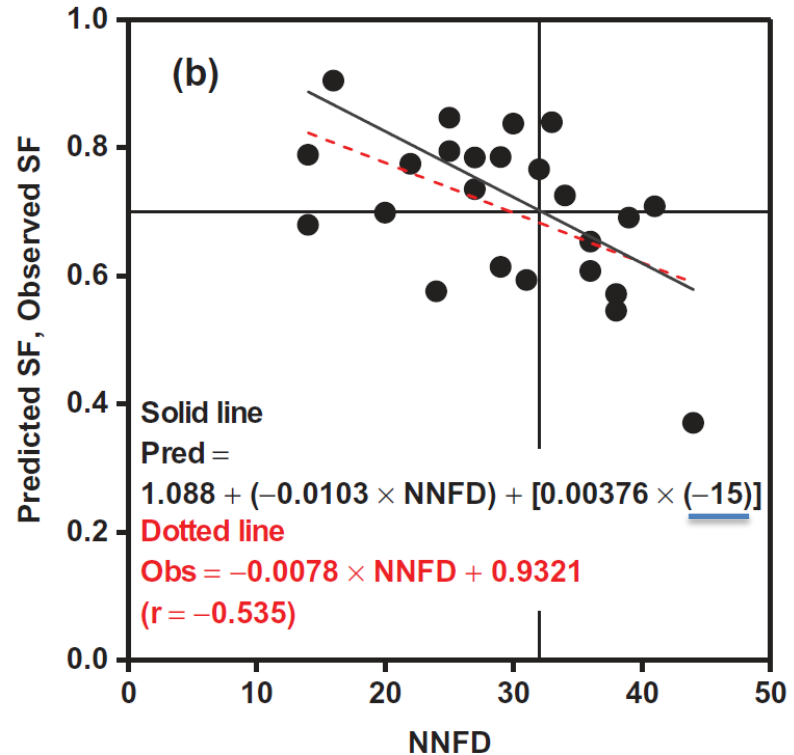
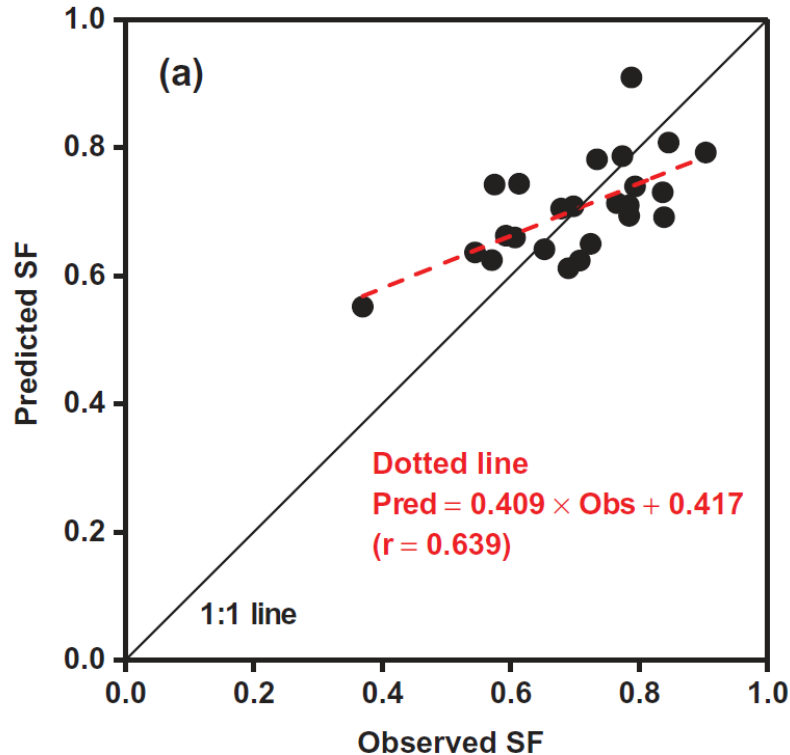
Notes

- Akiyama et al.'s values for CF and midseason drainage
- Weighted mean \pm 95%CI
- Mean w/o & w: without & with Munoz Philippines WS
- Safe AWD and site-specific AWD combined
- DS, dry season; WS, wet season

Mean ratios comparable to Akiyama et al.'s values.

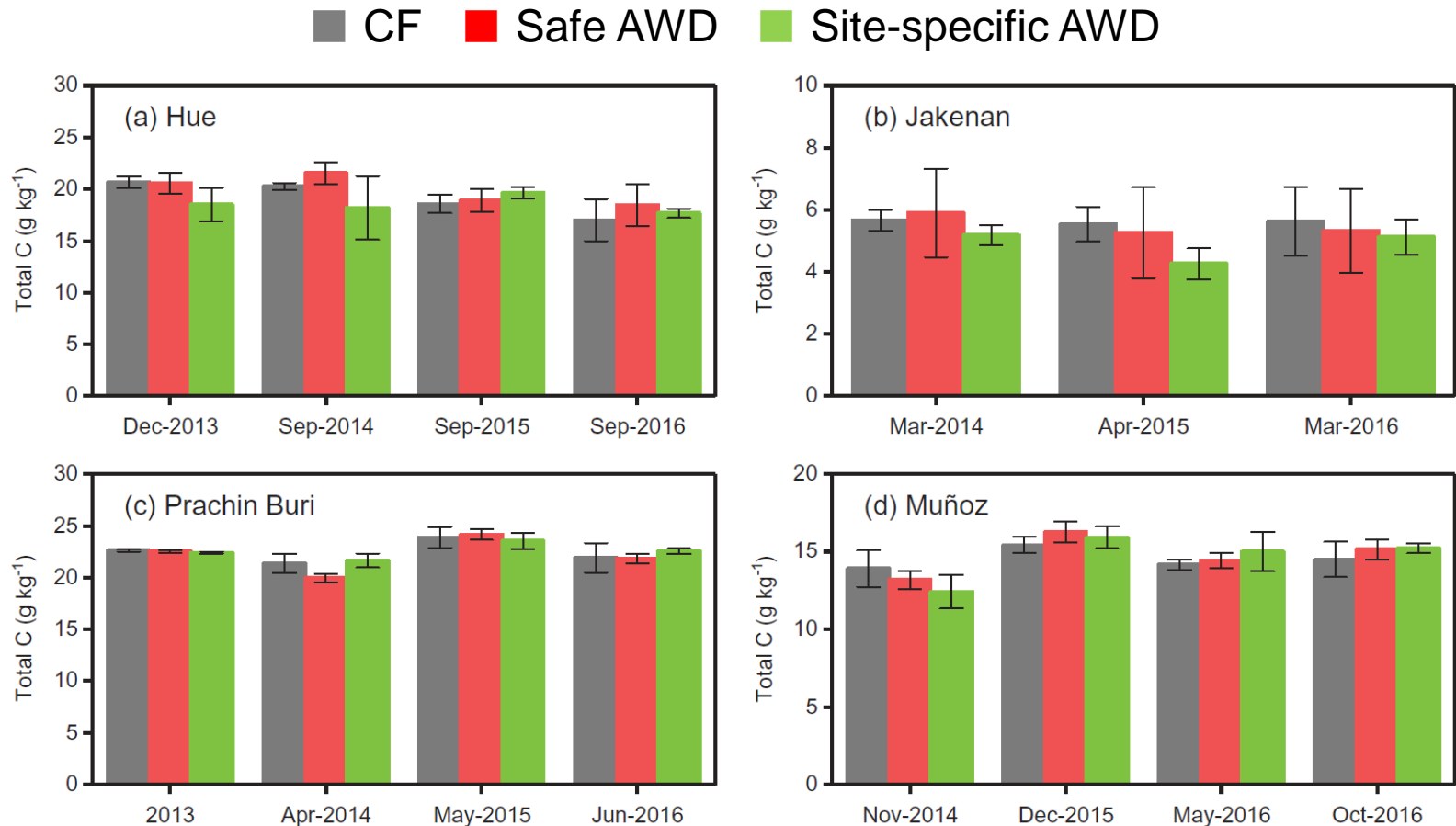
Munoz's high N₂O due to N topdressing during drained period.

The severer drainage, the lower CH₄ in loam



- Combination of the **minimum surface water level (MinWL, cm)** and the **number of non-flooded days (NNFD)** explained 41% of the variability in SFs for AWD in loamy soils (i.e., Viet Nam and Indonesia).
- When MinWL = -15 cm (i.e., criteria for safe AWD), 30% reduction in CH₄ emission can be achieved if NNFD ≥ 32 based on the predicted SF.

No negative effect on SOC decomposition



Total C and N concentrations in 0-20 cm soil layer did **not significantly differ** among 3 water management practices through the 3-year experiment at each of the four sites.

Summary

- The mean CH₄ SF for AWD was 0.69 (95%CI: 0.61-0.77) among the four sites (→ lower mitigation potential than IPCC's SF of 0.52).
- In Viet Nam and Indonesia sites, AWD was effective even in wet seasons, both of which had a loamy soil.
- In Thailand and Philippines sites, AWD was unsuitable in wet seasons due to the frequent rainfall and the slow water percolation in clayey soils.
- The results indicate that IPCC's SF may only be applied to irrigated rice fields where surface water level is controllable for a substantial period.
- This synthesis underscores the importance of practical feasibility and appropriate timing of water management in successful GHG reductions by AWD.

ASSESSING THE FEASIBILITY OF GHG MITIGATION THROUGH WATER SAVING TECHNIQUES (AWD) IN IRRIGATED RICE FIELDS IN INDONESIA

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OUTLINES

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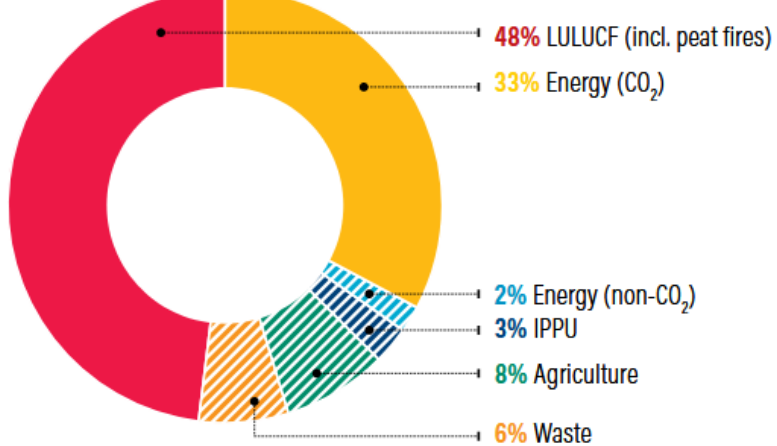


INTRODUCTION



Indonesia commits to reduce GHG emission by 29 percent below business as usual in 2030 and 41 percent with international cooperation on the Leader Statement Event of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), Conference of Parties (COP) 21, in Paris.

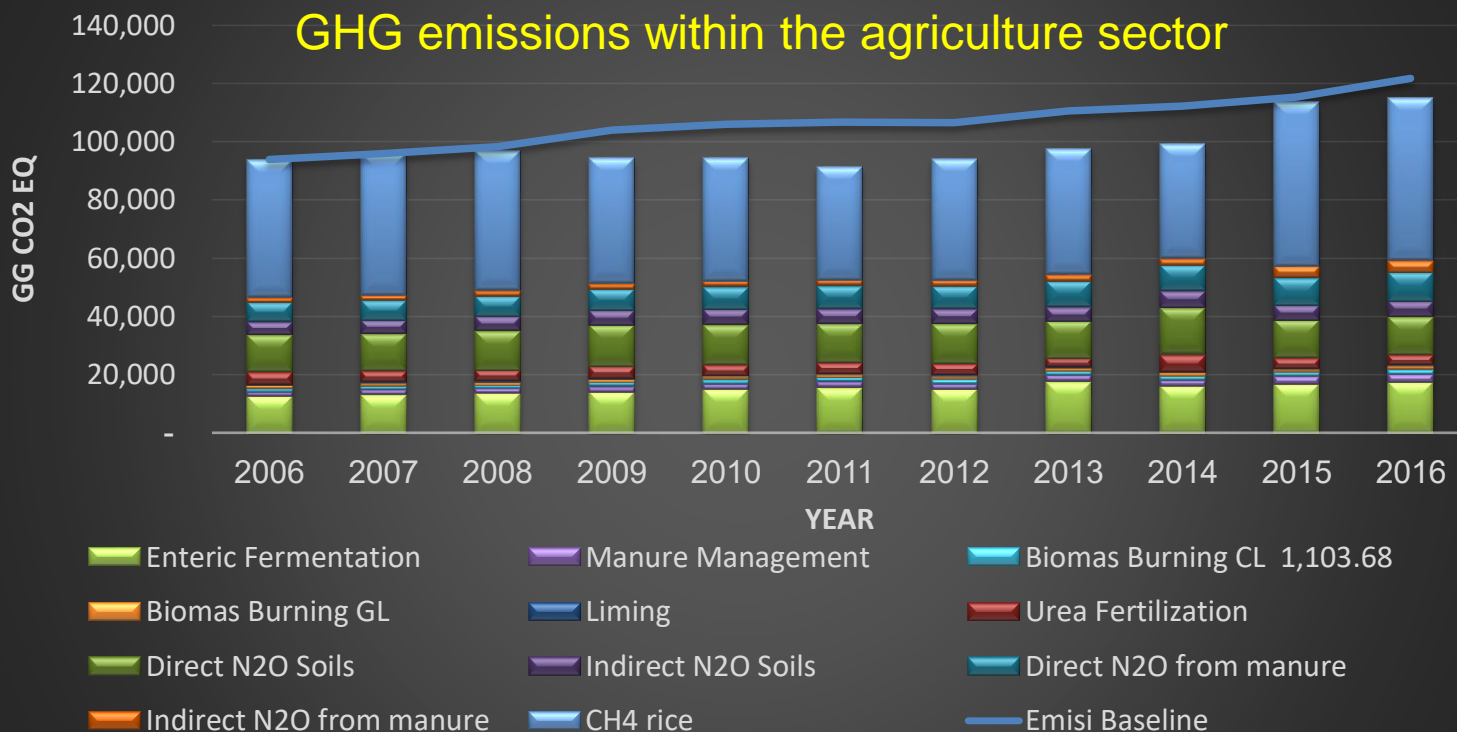


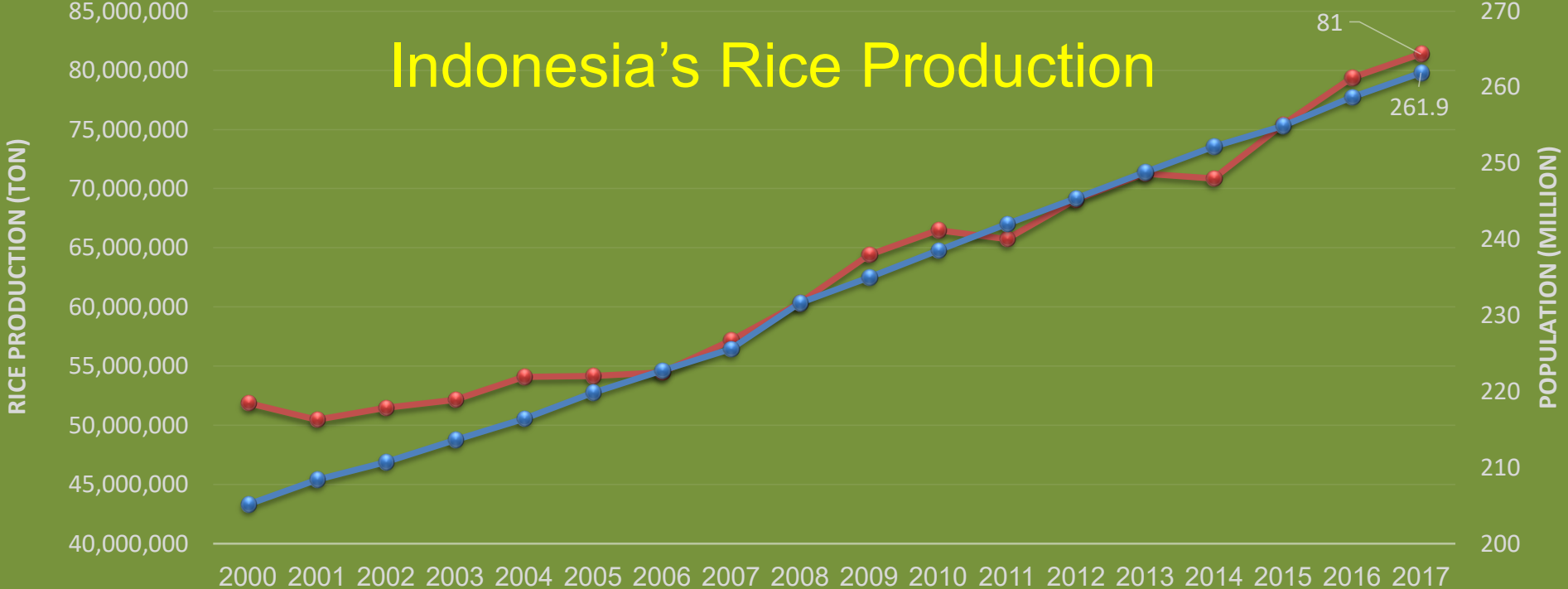


Notes: LULUCF =Land use, land-use change, and forestry; IPPU=industrial processes and product use. Solid colors show sectors and gases covered in the analysis. Patterned colors show sectors and gases not covered in the analysis.

Source: Republic of Indonesia 2015b.

Percentages of Total GHG Emissions from CO₂-e Emitted All Sectors in Indonesia, 2012





- The current population of **Indonesia** is **265 million**.
- Indonesian rice field :
 - Wetland : 8,186,469 ha
 - Irrigated : 4,781,494 ha
 - Non irrigated : 3,404,975 ha
- 14 M ha of harvested area
- Paddy fields in Indonesia are commonly cultivated under continuous flooding irrigation → GHG emission
- Water scarcity in the future
- There is a need for the development of efficient rice cultivation methods

OBJECTIVE

To develop improved water management based on AWD that can reduce soil-derived CO₂-eq emission (CH₄ + N₂O) during rice growing season from irrigated rice paddies in Asian countries by 30% compared to the conventional practice.



METHODS

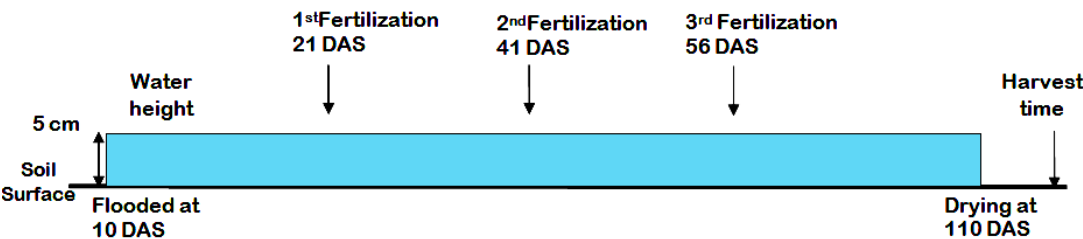
LOCATION
Indonesian Agricultural Environment Research Institute (IAERI)
Pati-Central Java Province, Indonesia



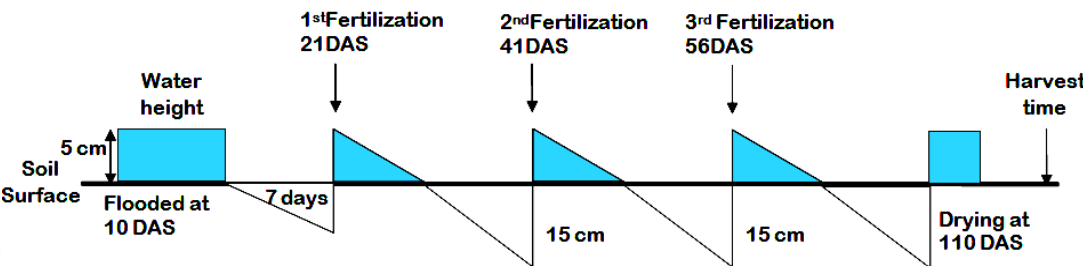
Activity	WS 2013/2014	DS 2014	WS 2014/2015	DS 2015	WS 2015/2016	DS 2016
Planting	Oct 21. 2013	March 12. 2014	Nov 21. 2014	April 4. 2015	Nov 13. 2015	April 4. 2016
Harvest	Feb 28. 2014	June 28. 2014	March 27. 2015	July 23. 2015	March 21. 2016	July 16. 2016
Time periode	128 days	122 days	123 days	111 days	129 days	103 days

TREATMENT

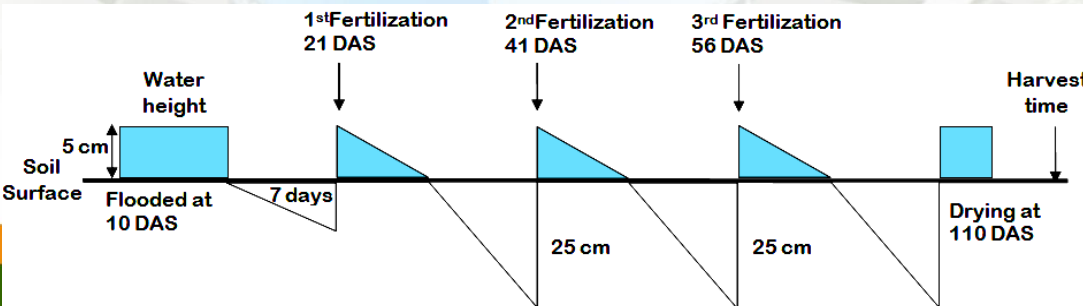
1. Continuous Flooding (A1). water height 5 cm from soil surface continuously



2. Safe AWD (A2). water height 5 cm until descent to 15 cm depth



3. Site Specific AWD (A3). water height 5 cm from soil surface and drying until 7 days before 25 DAS and 41 DAS (Season 1.2). water height 5 cm until descent to 25 cm depth (Season 3.4.5.6)



Plot Size → 5 m x 7 m

Plot Bund → Lined with plastic, 40 cm depth

Rice Cultivar → Cisadane (long periode)

Plant Spacing → 20 cm x 20 cm

Fertilizers Application :

1. FYM 5 Ton/Ha (17.5 Kg/plot)

2. 120 Kg N/Ha (Urea : 0.913 Kg/plot)

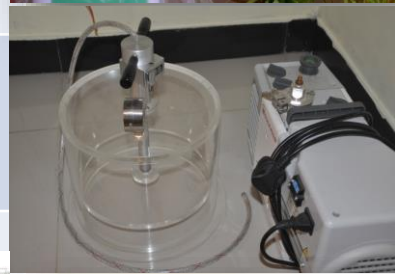
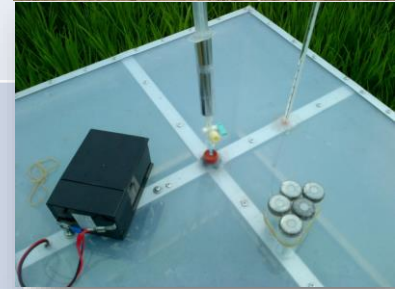
3. 60 Kg P₂O₅/Ha (SP36 : 0.583 Kg/plot)

4. 90 Kg K₂O/Ha (KCl : 0.525 Kg/plot)



Parameters to be monitored

No	Parameters	Remarks
1	GHG emissions	CH ₄ and N ₂ O, weekly and after fertilization
2	Plant height and tiller number	Weekly
3	Yield components	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Grain yield - Panicle/hill - Grain/panicle - Percentage of filled spikelet - Straw biomass - 1000 grain weight
4	pH and Eh measurement	Weekly
5	Climate data	Rainfall, max-min temperature, solar radiation
6	Water table measurement	Daily
7	Soil physicochemical properties	Texture, BD, pH, N, P, K, CEC, C organic, exchangeable cation (before and after treatments)
8	Amount of water irrigation	Total volume of water (m ³)















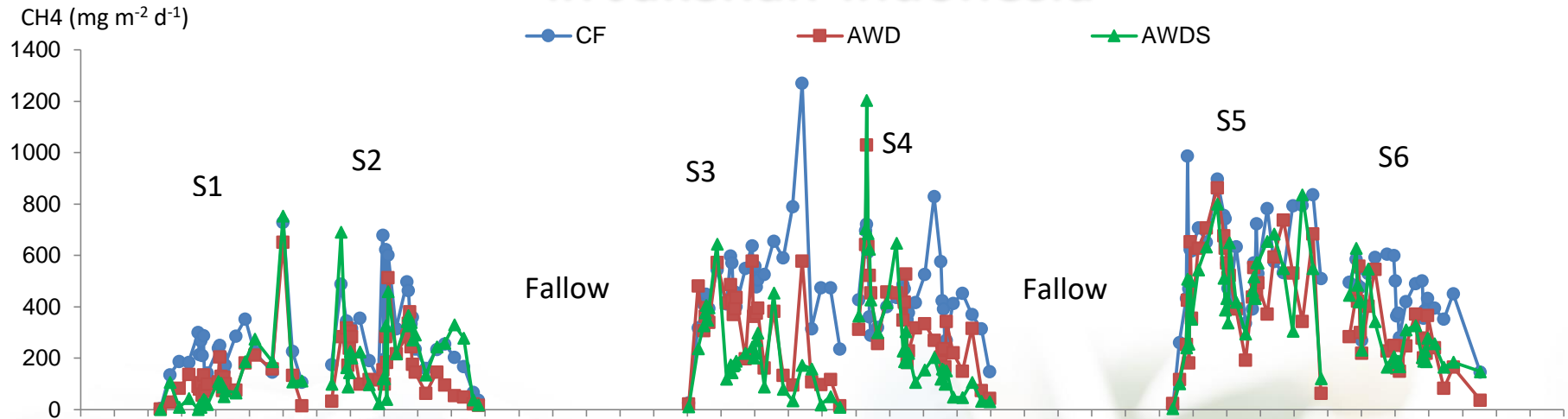






RESULTS

Methane emissions during rice cultivation in Jakenan-Indonesia

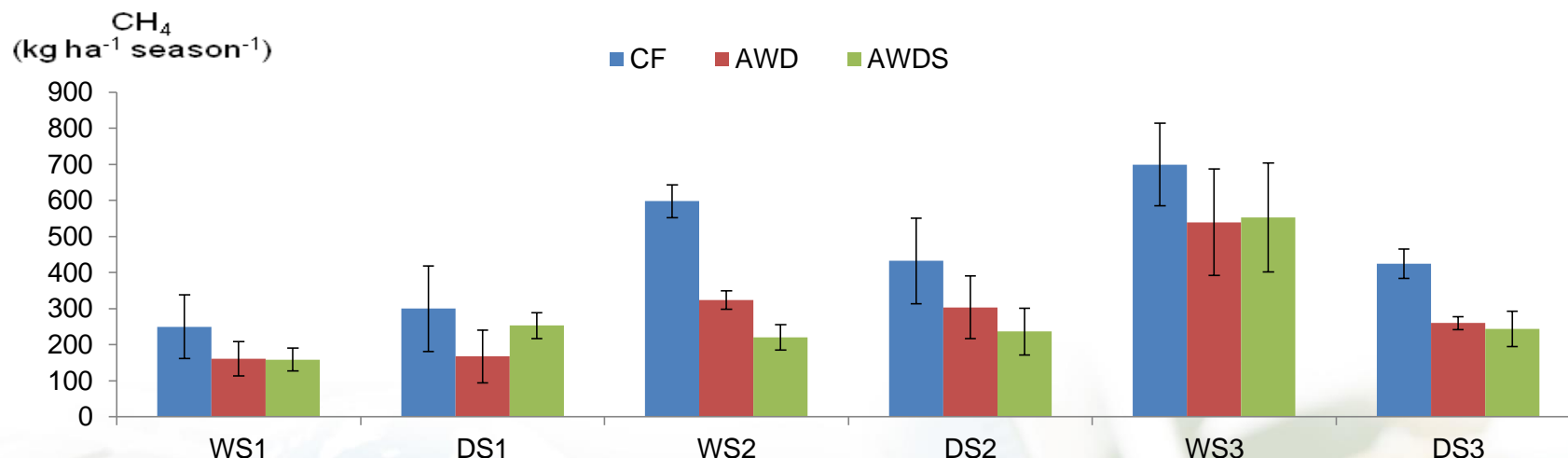


Average daily CH₄ emission rates mg m⁻² d⁻¹

Season	CF	AWD	AWDS
S1	218.41	127.70	106.19
S2	306.96	187.33	223.54
S3	497.04	321.43	215.29
S4	433.20	347.50	292.97
S5	590.46	462.86	455.93
S6	440.55	283.97	272.06
Means	414.44	288.47	261.00



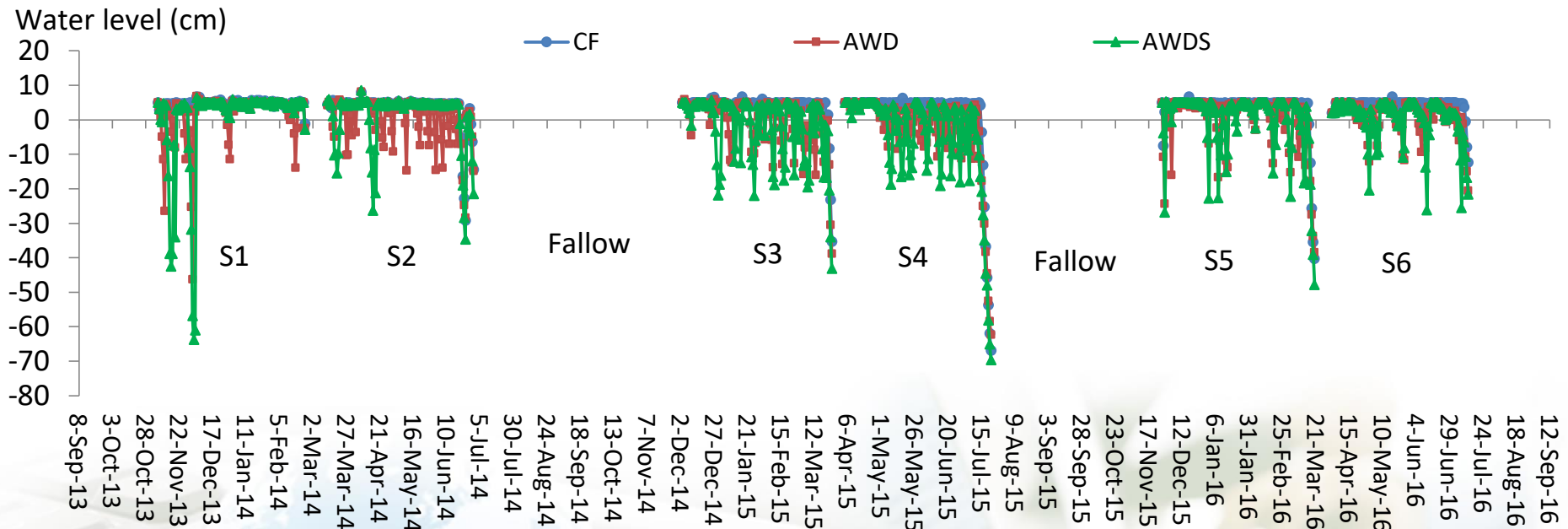
Seasonal methane emissions during rice cultivation in Jakenan-Indonesia



Season	CH ₄ kg ha ⁻¹			
	CF	AWD	AWDS	Season Means
Wet Season 2013-14	249.7 a	160.3 a	158.5 a	189.5 d
Dry Season 2014	299.5 a	167.1 a	253.0 a	239.9 cd
Wet Season 2014-15	597.3 a	323.2 ab	220.6 b	380.4 b
Dry Season 2015	431.9 a	302.9 b	236.0 b	323.6 bc
Wet Season 2015-16	699.2 a	539.1 a	552.9 a	597.1 a
Dry Season 2016	424.6 a	259.8 b	243.8 b	340.0 bc
Trt means	450.4 a	292.0 b	277.5 b	
% CH ₄ Reduction		34.5	37.6	



Measured **water levels** under AWD management in **Jakenan-Indonesia**

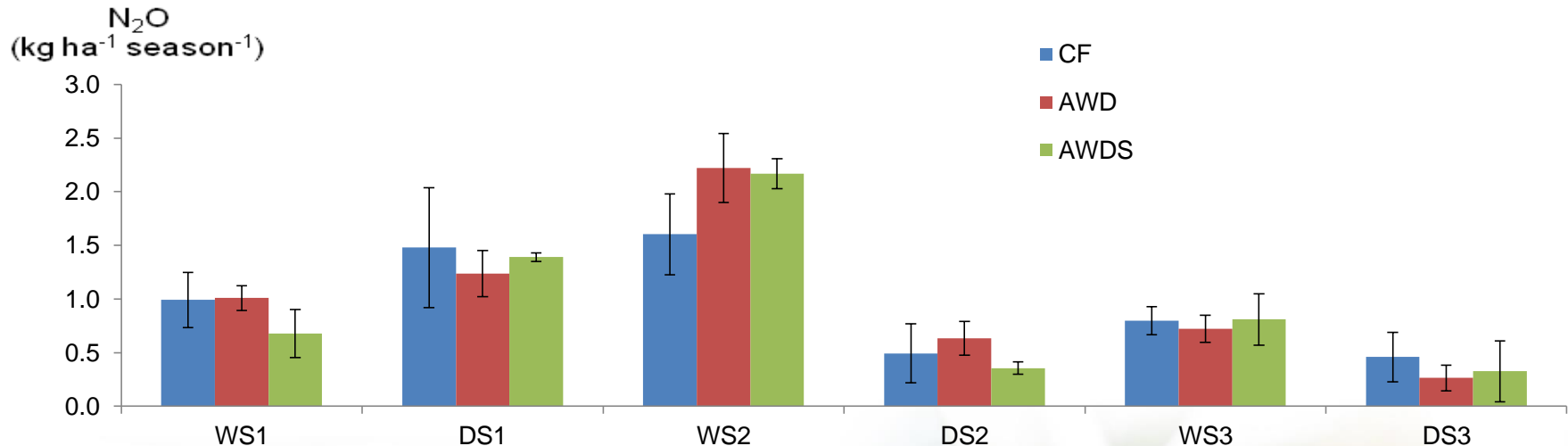


Parameter	Season 1			Season 2			Season 3			Season 4			Season 5			Season 6		
	CF	AWD	AWDS	CF	AWD	AWDS	CF	AWD	AWDS	CF	AWD	AWDS	CF	AWD	AWDS	CF	AWD	AWDS
No. of days drained (<0 cm)	0	20	14	0	31	16	0	38	44	0	41	38	1	25	27	0	29	24
% CH ₄ reduction		36	37		44	16		46	63		30	45		23	21		35	38

Water saving = 17-20%



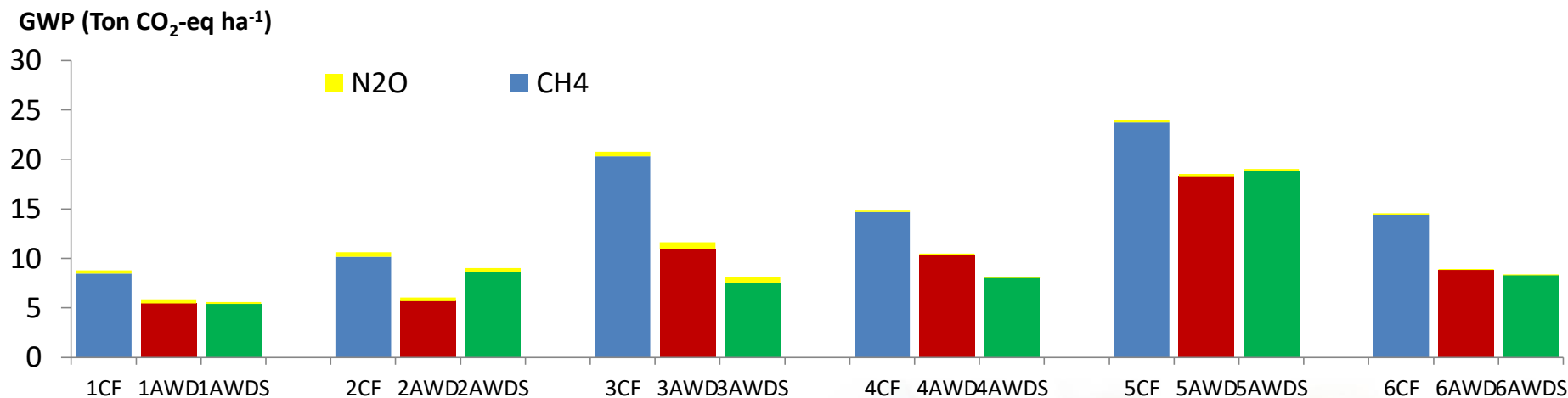
Seasonal nitrous oxide emissions during rice cultivation in Jakenan-Indonesia



	N ₂ O kg ha ⁻¹			
Season	CF	AWD	AWDS	Season Means
Wet Season 2013-14	0.992 a	1.009 a	0.677 a	0.89 c
Dry Season 2014	1.479 a	1.237 a	1.390 a	1.37 b
Wet Season 2014-15	1.602 a	2.222 a	2.167 a	2.00 a
Dry Season 2015	0.493 a	0.633 a	0.356 a	0.49 cd
Wet Season 2015-16	0.799 a	0.722 a	0.810 a	0.78 c
Dry Season 2016	0.459 a	0.263 a	0.325 a	0.35 d
Trt means	0.971 a	1.014 a	0.954 a	



Seasonal **GWP** from **CH₄** and **N₂O** emissions during rice cultivation in Jakenan-Indonesia



	GWP Mg CO ₂ eq ha ⁻¹			
Season	CF	AWD	AWDS	Season Means
Wet Season 2013-14	8.78a	5.75a	5.59a	6.71d
Dry Season 2014	10.62a	6.05a	9.02a	8.56cd
Wet Season 2014-15	20.79a	11.65ab	8.15b	13.53b
Dry Season 2015	14.83a	10.49b	8.13b	11.15bc
Wet Season 2015-16	24.01a	18.55a	19.04a	20.53a
Dry Season 2016	14.57a	8.91b	8.39b	10.62bc
Trt means	15.60a	10.23b	9.72b	
% GWP Reduction		34.4	37.7	



Variations in **grain yield** over 6 seasons as affected by water management in Jakenan-Indonesia

Season	Grain Yield Ton ha ⁻¹							
	CF		AWD		AWDS		Season Means	
Wet Season 2013-14	6.847		6.363		6.807		6.672	a
Dry Season 2014	5.767		5.597		5.697		5.687	b
Wet Season 2014-15	6.944		6.820		7.263		7.009	a
Dry Season 2015	4.939		4.321		4.734		4.665	c
Wet Season 2015-16	6.827		6.814		6.528		6.723	a
Dry Season 2016	4.894		4.967		4.937		4.933	c
Trt means	6.265	a	5.983	a	6.206	a		



AWD IMPLEMENTATION

Intermittent Irrigation → ICM



CONCLUSION

- Compared to control, AWD and AWDS treatments significantly reduced the global warming potential of rice cropping systems by 35% and 38%, respectively compared to CF.
- The total water use was reduced by AWD (5%) and AWDS (6%) compared to CF.
- The adoption of AWD to rice cultivation in Indonesia will be feasible because AWD can reduce GHG emission and water use without rice yield loss.



FUTURE WORK

AWD practices can reduce GWP and water use while maintain rice yields. But, the farmer will be more interested to highest rice yield. So, it is important to know the effect of AWD treatment combined the organic manure and rice cultivars on GHGs emission and rice yield on Indonesian paddy field.





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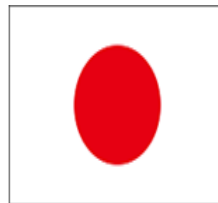
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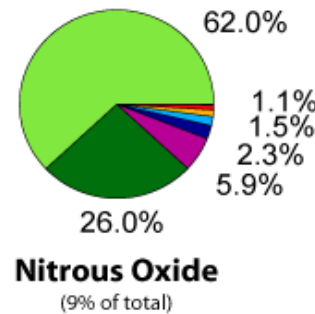
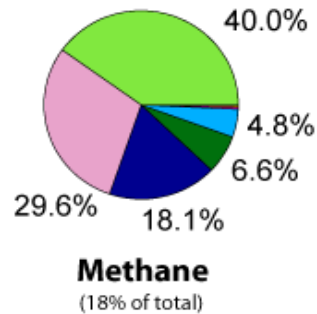
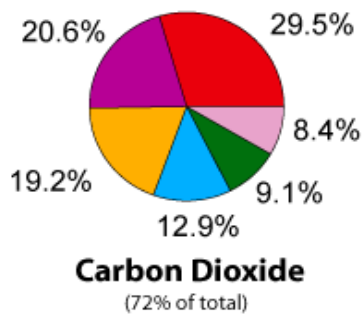
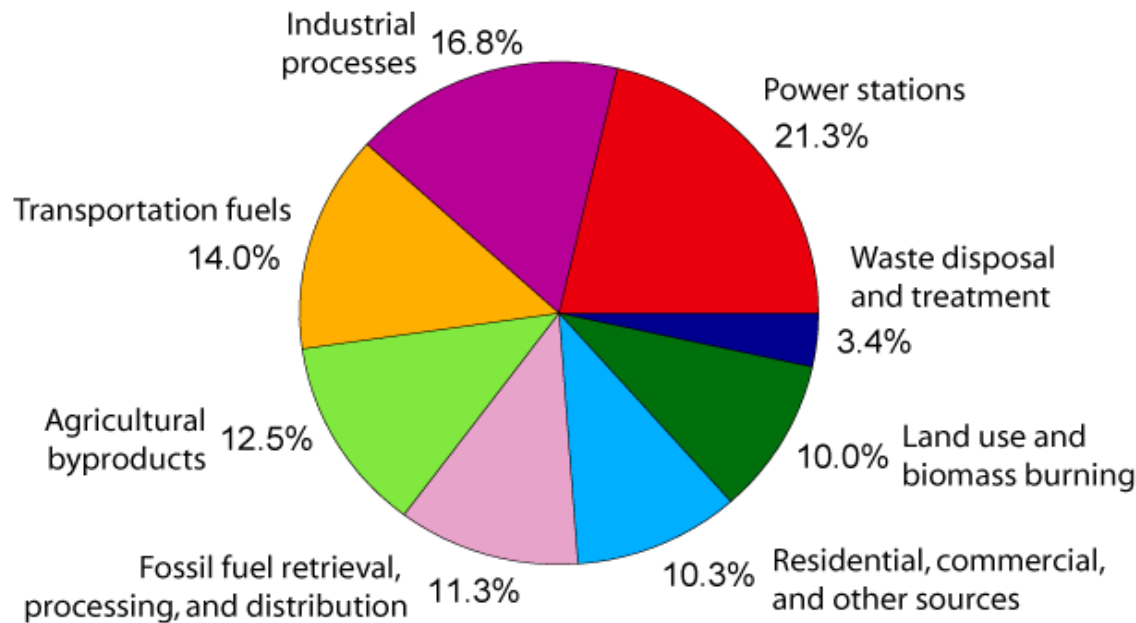
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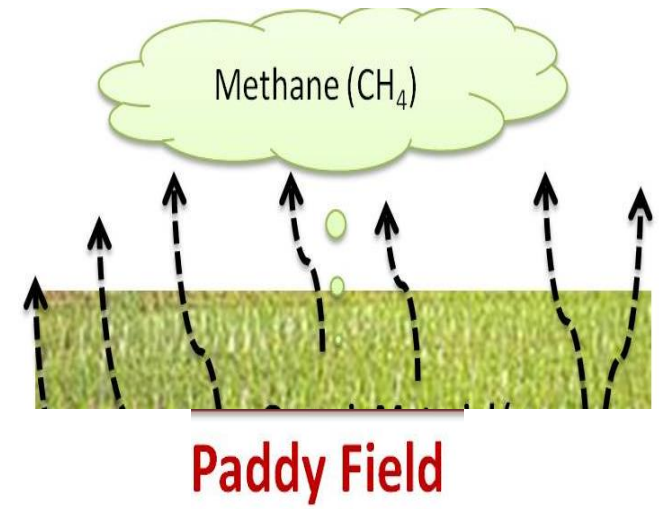


Introduction

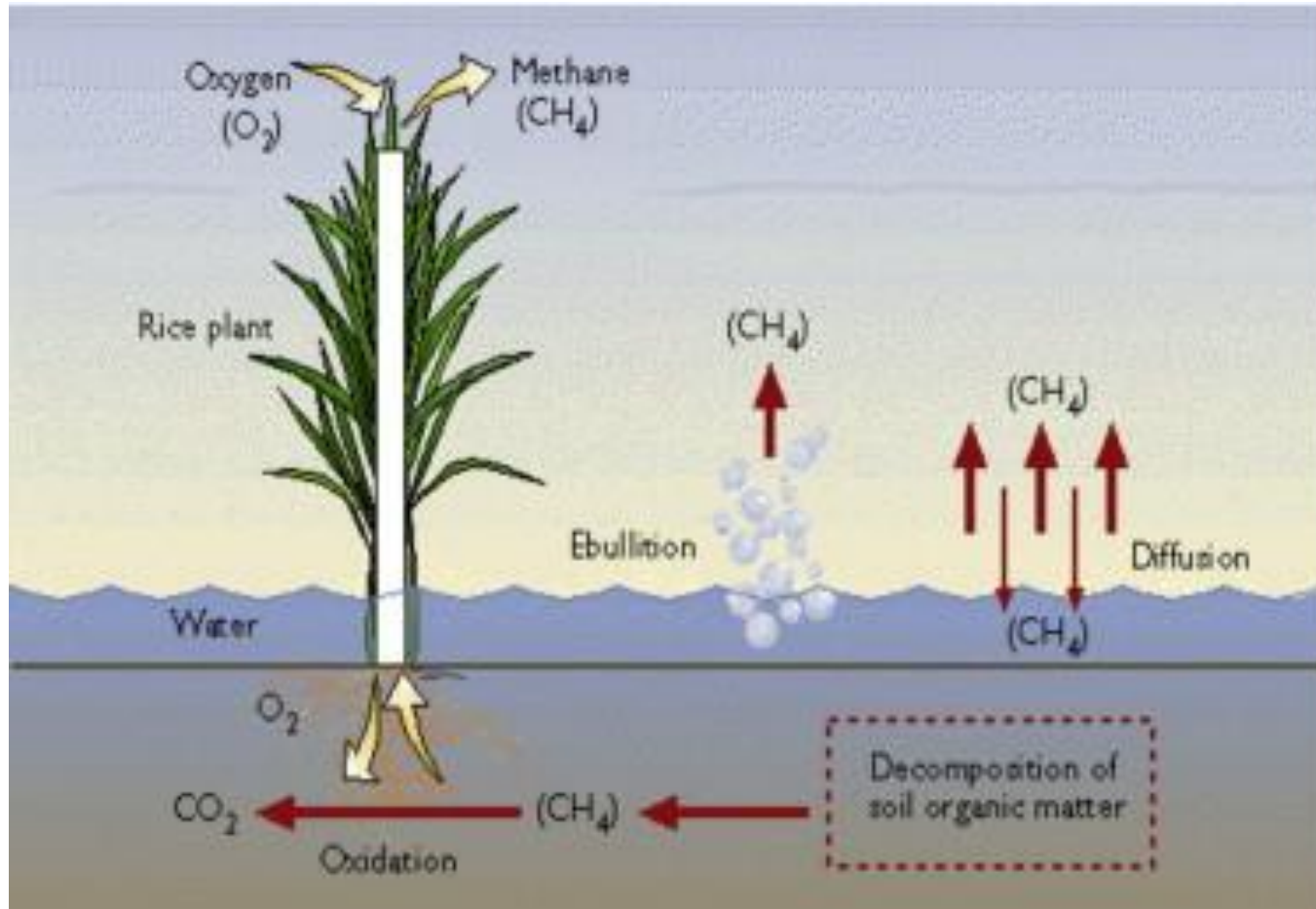


Annual greenhouse gas emission by sector

(Source: <https://www.e-education.psu.edu/geog438w/node/364>)



- Global warming is one of the most issue for the human
- CO₂, CH₄, N₂O are the top three GHGs, that's major attributor to emissions from land use including agriculture
- Rice cultivation is a major CH₄ source that accounts for the total anthropogenic emission



(Source: Hasan, 2013)

- In Asia, traditional rice cultivation uses CF as water regime, but CF enhances CH_4 emission.
- AWD reduced water input, kept grain yield, reduced CH_4 emission.

What is Safe AWD?



The threshold of 15 cm water depth (below the surface) before irrigation is called ‘Safe AWD’ as this will not cause any yield decline.



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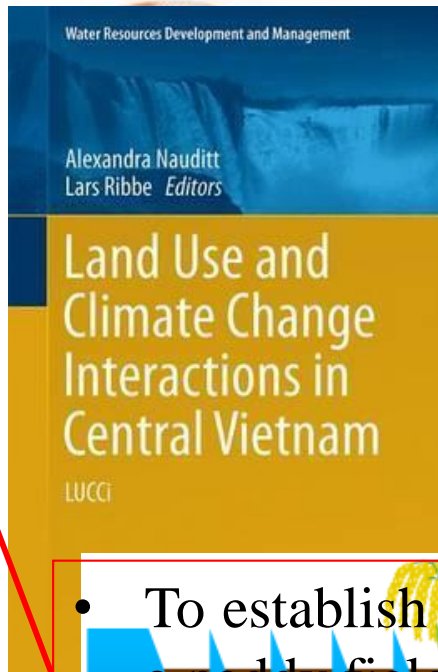
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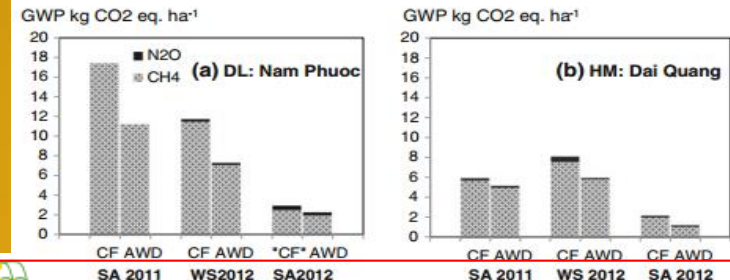
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- To establish the baseline GHG emission from a paddy field in Central Vietnam
- To investigate the feasibility of AWD in term of GHG emission, rice productivity and water use.

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Objectives



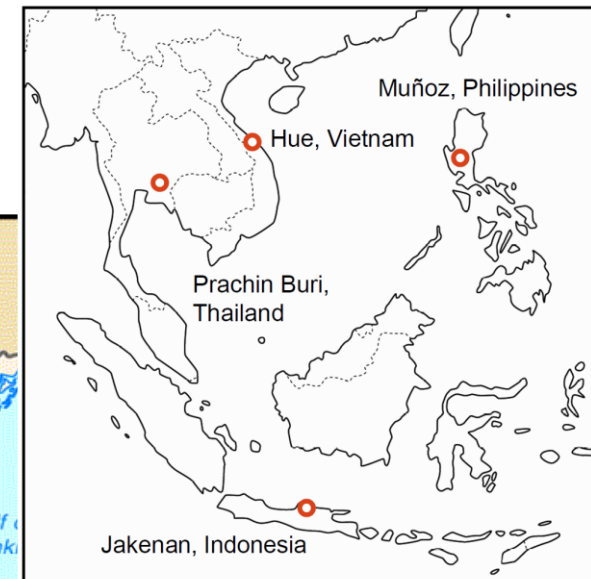
MIRSA 2 project outline

Experimental site

- Huong An commune, Huong Tra district, Thua Thien Hue Province, Central Viet Nam during six consecutive cropping seasons from 2013 to 2016



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107°31'26"E



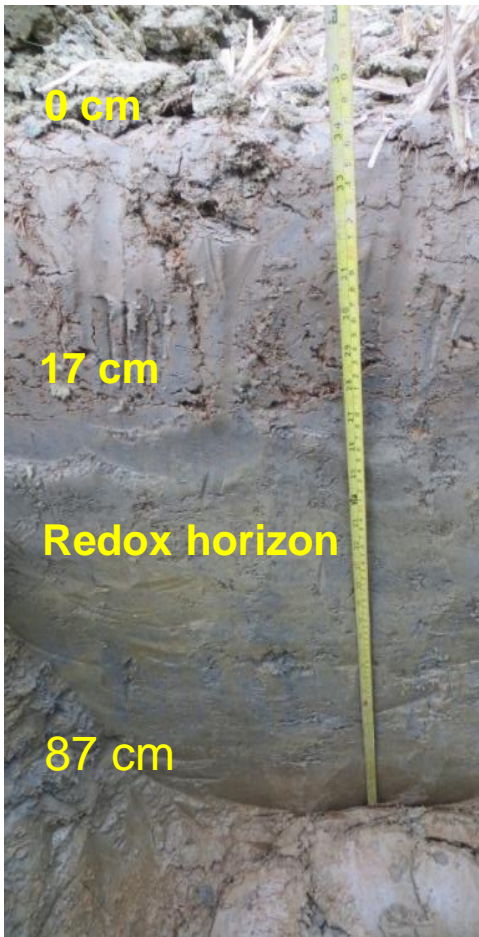
Experimental layout

Area: 30 m² (5 m x 6 m)

Bank: 30 cm

Harvest area: 5 m²

R1	R2	R3
CF	AWD	AWDS
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AWD	AWDS	CF



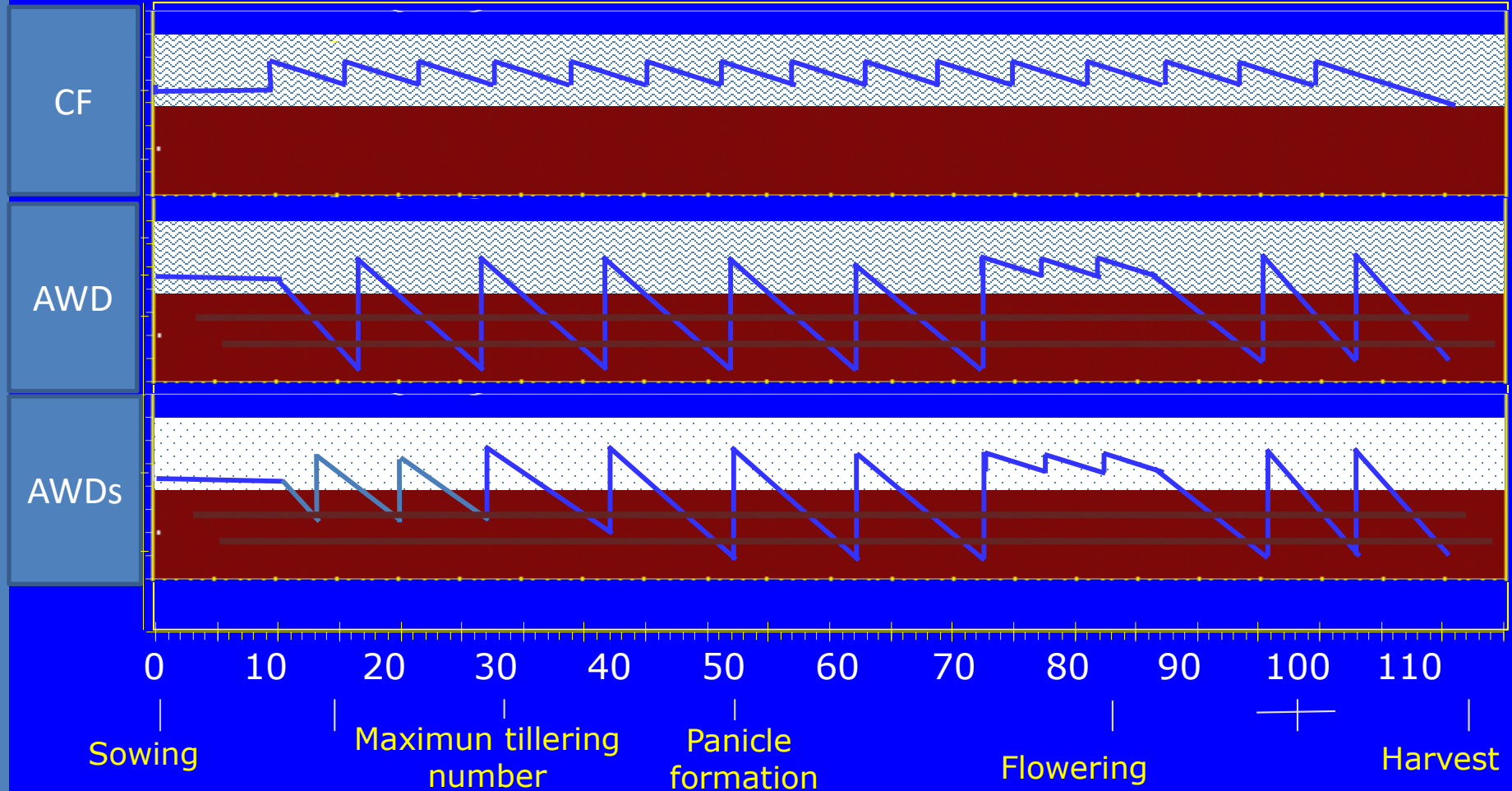
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Treatments



Water level (cm)



Measurements



Gas sampling:

- Weekly in mid-morning (8:00-10:00 AM).
- 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 days after nitrogen (N) fertilizer application.
- The gas samples were collected using a 60-mL syringe fitted with a stopcock at 0, 6, 12, 20, and 30 min after chamber closure and used a 19-mL evacuated glass vials

Water level measurements

- Water Level Sensor was used
- Values were corrected based on manual measurements done daily using AWD tubes



Analysis gas sampling



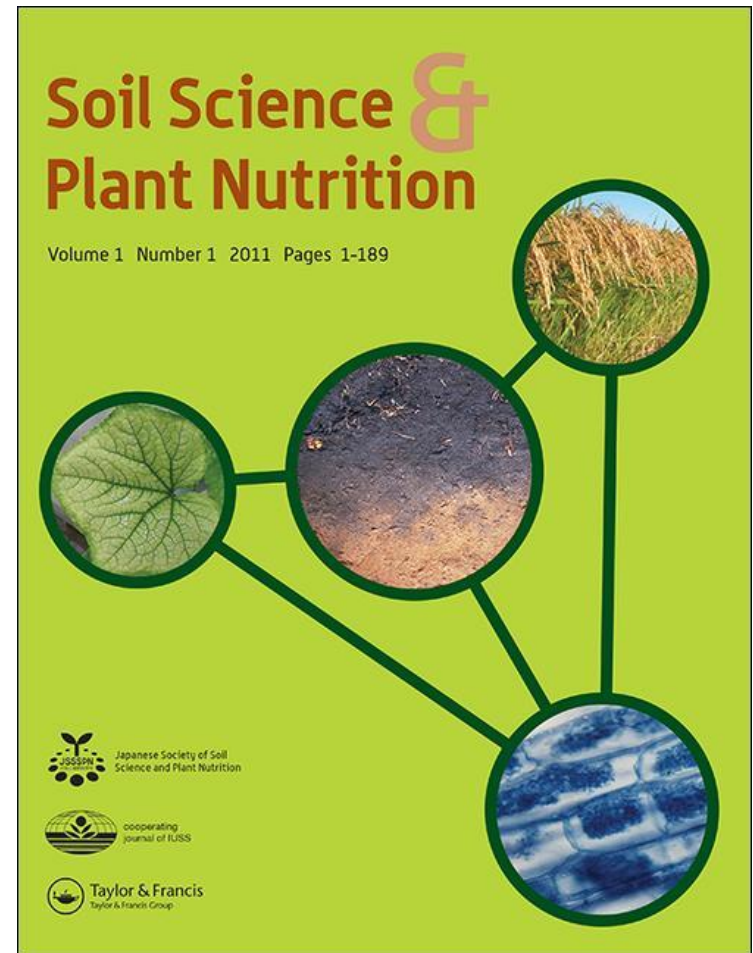
- Gas chromatograph (8610C, SRI Instruments, CA, USA) equipped with a flame ionization detector (FID) for the analysis of CH_4 and an electron capture detector (ECD) for the analysis of N_2O .
- $\text{GWP} (\text{kg CO}_2 \text{ ha}^{-1}) = 28 * \text{CH}_4 + 298 * \text{N}_2\text{O}$ (IPCC, 2014)

An output from MIRSA-2 project

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Impacts of Alternate wetting and drying on greenhouse gas emission from paddy field in Central Vietnam



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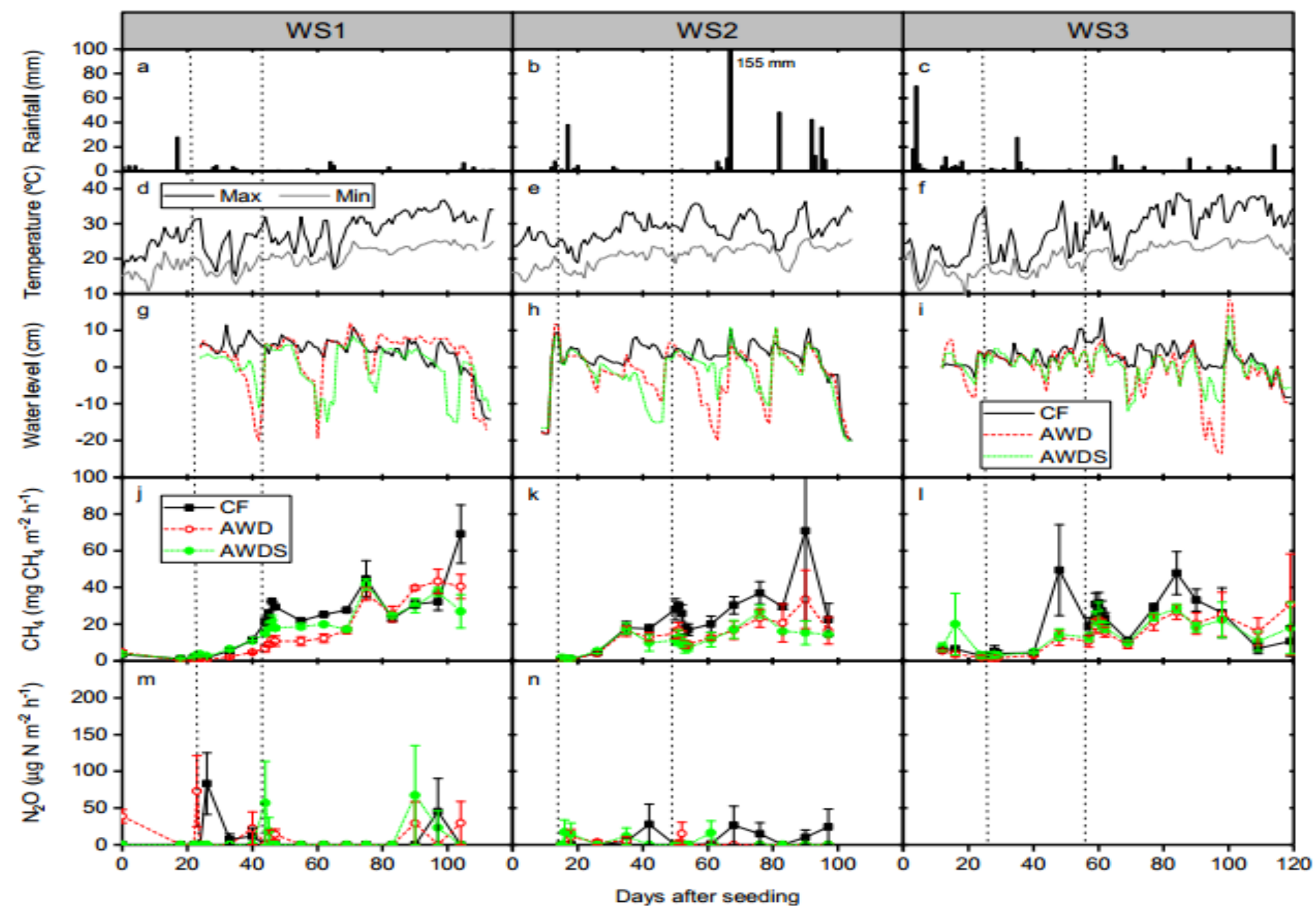


Fig 1. CH₄ and N₂O daily emission in Winter – Spring season

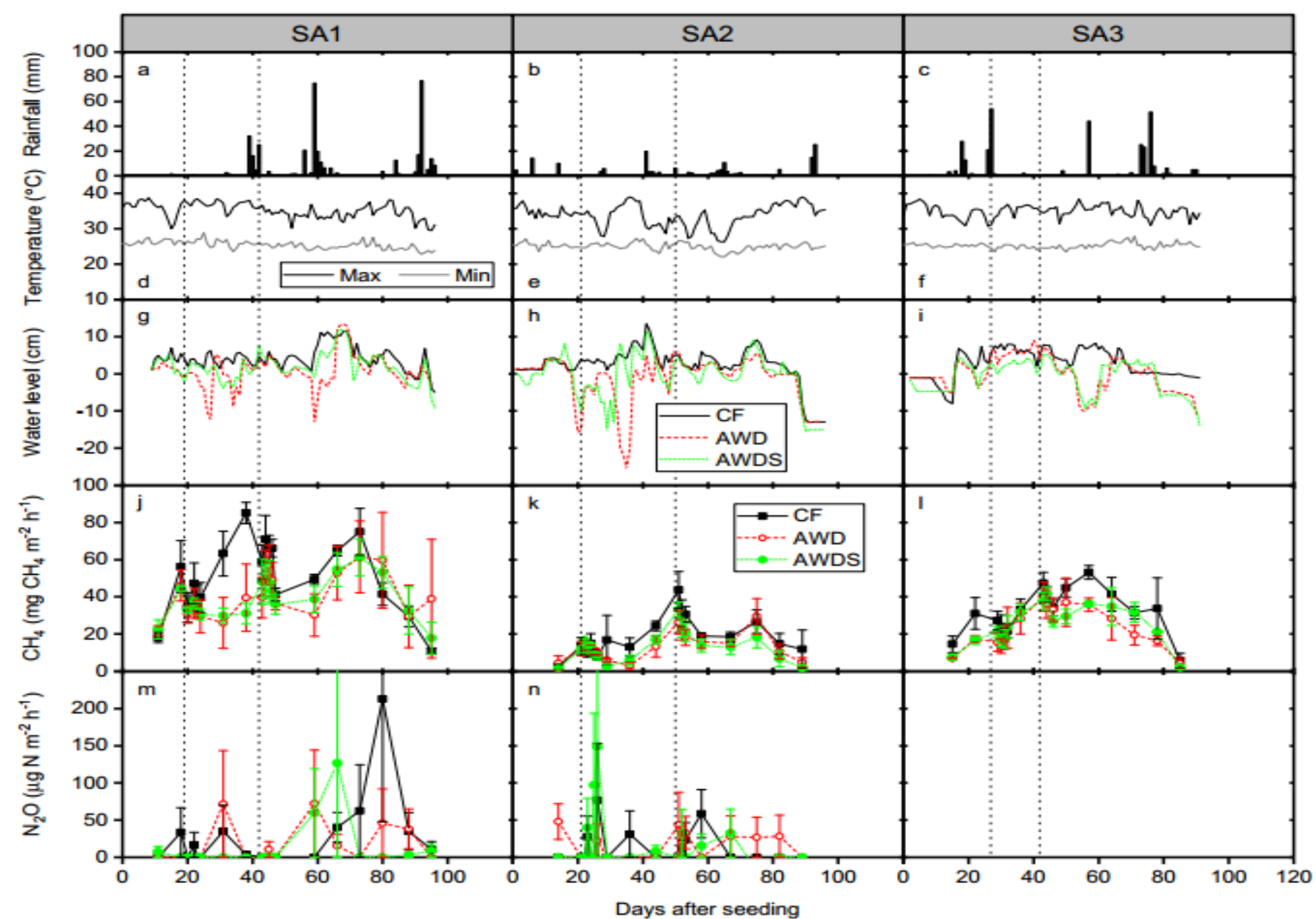


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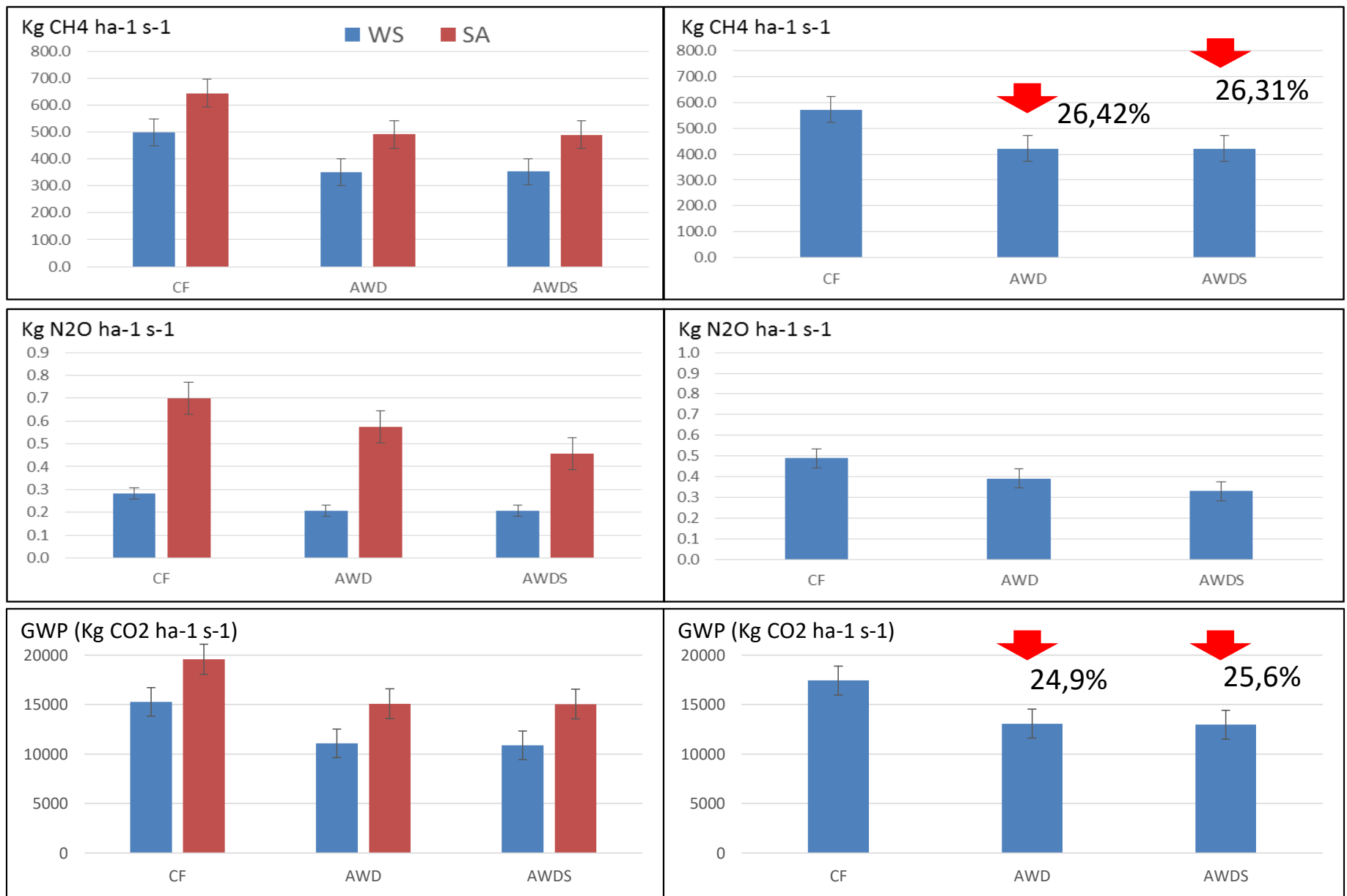


Fig 3. Seasonal CH₄, N₂O emission, and GWP (kg CO₂ ha⁻¹) as affected by cropping season and water management

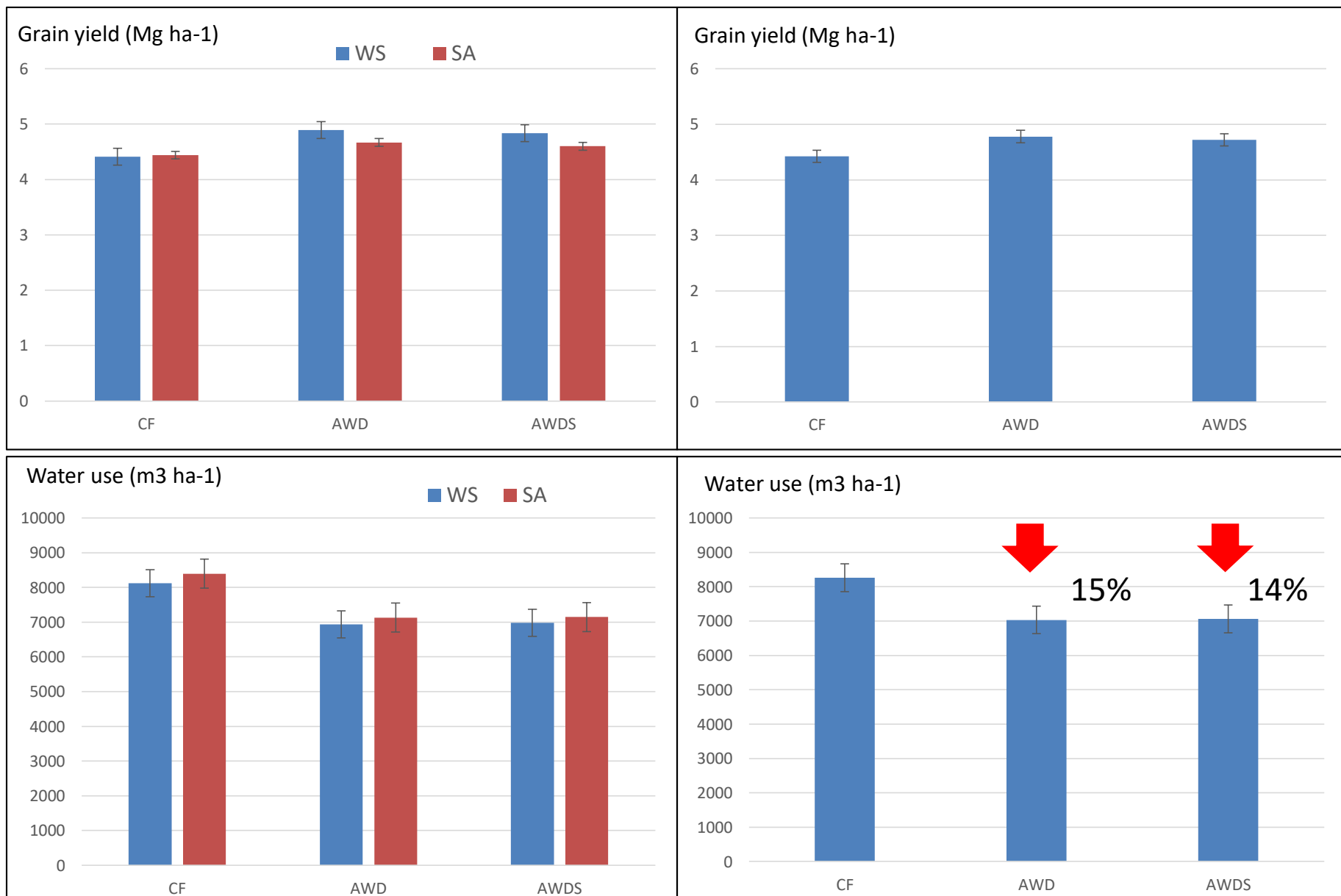


Fig 4. Rice grain yield (Mg ha⁻¹) and total water use (m³ ha⁻¹) as affected by cropping season and water management

Conclusion

- CH_4 emission ranged from 500 kg CH_4 ha⁻¹ in WS to 644 kg CH_4 ha⁻¹ in SA. Rice paddy in Central Vietnam can contribute to the national GHG budget.
- The AWD with the current criteria reduced the GWP of CH_4 and N_2O by 26% compared to CF treatment.
- The AWD with the current criteria reduced the water use by 14-15% compared to CF treatment.
- A possibility of AWD's performance on increasing rice productivity. Thus, it will be key to spread AWD to local farmer.

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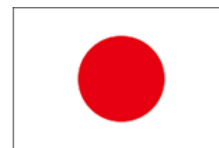
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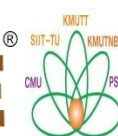
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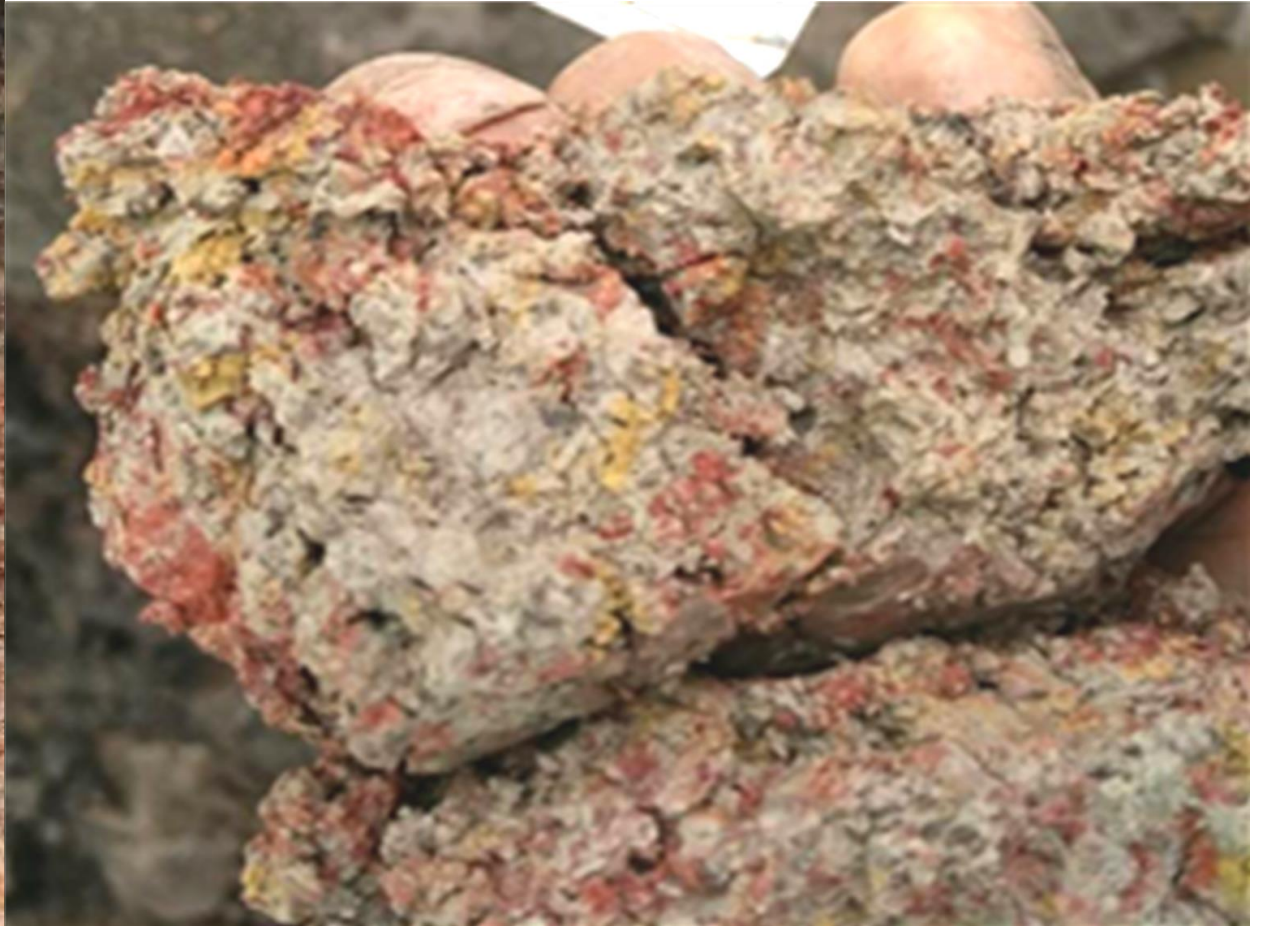
Evaluating the effects of alternate wetting and drying (AWD) on methane and nitrous oxide emissions from a paddy field in Thailand



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An acid sulfate soil profile with mottles at PRRC site, showing a highly compacted and heterogeneous nature of a soil at this site







Sampling area	: Prachinburi Rice Research Center
Coordinate	: Nakorn Nayok map, sheet 5237 III : 47P 739457E 1549947N
Elevation above sea level	: 3 meter
Area characteristic	: Smooth
Slope	: 0-1 %
Geomorphology	: Flooded by sea water in the past
Rainfall average	: 1,708 mm
Temperature average	: 28.0 °C
Climate classification	: Savanna grassland (Aw)
Sampling date	: June 6, 2016





Soil series	: Rangsit series (RS)
Soil characteristic	: Deep soil
Soil origins	: Deposition of sea water or brackish water sediment
Drainage	: Poor
Absorption of water	: Slow
Erosion	: None
The runoff of surface water	: Slow
Groundwater level	: Less than 1.0 meter
Soil classification	: Very-fine, mixed, active, acid, isohyperthermic Sulfic Endoaquepts

➔ To evaluate the potential of AWD for GHG mitigation, and its effects on rice productivity and water saving in an acid sulphate paddy field soil in Thailand.



Field Layout

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Experimental design: RCB

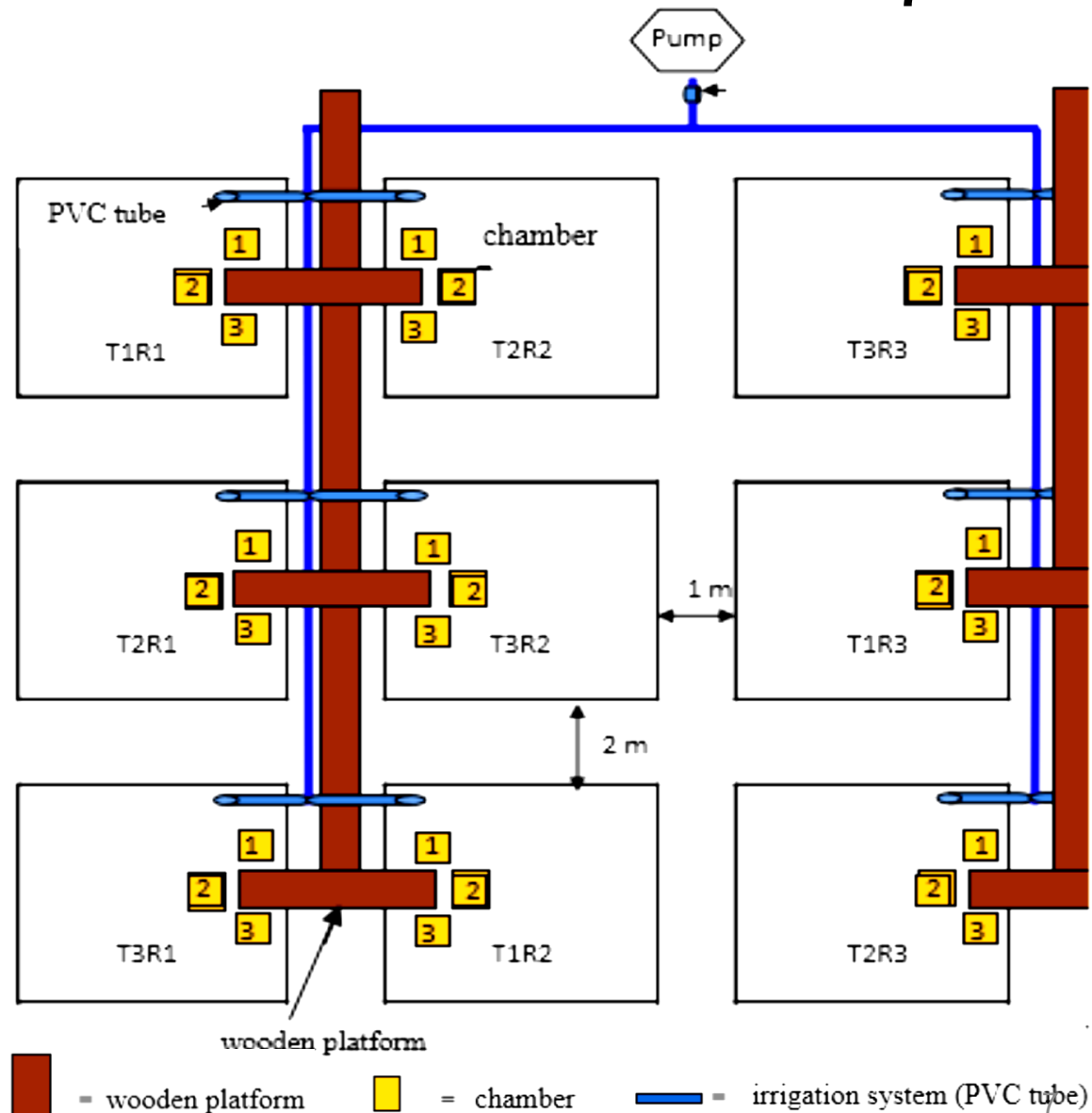
No. of replicates: 3

No. of chambers per rep: 3

Plot size: 5m x 7m

Harvest area: 2m x 3m

Irrigation: Pumping





Sampling frequency : Start at 7 DAS then once a week
and 1,2,3,4,5 days after fertilizer application

Gas sampling during chamber deployment : Sampling intervals
0,6,12,20 and 30 mins

Gas sampling start time : 9.00 AM

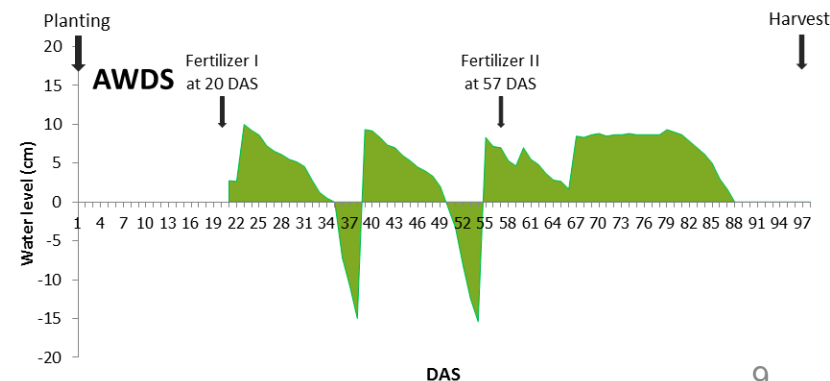
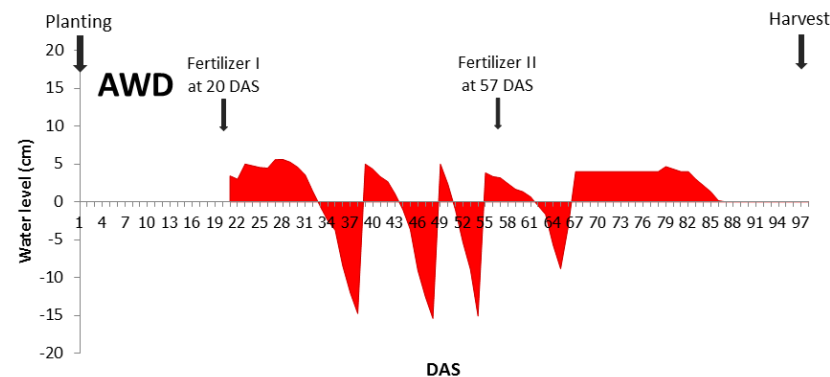
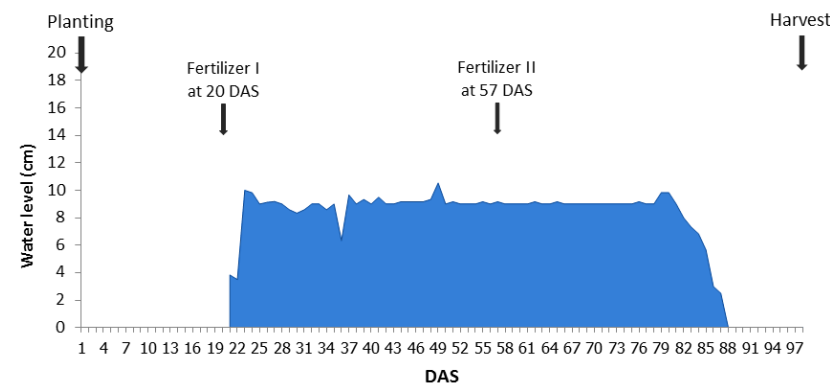




T1 (CF): Conventional flooding, floodwater depth 5 - 6 cm, flooded from 15 to 90 DAS

T2 (AWD): Safe AWD (Irrigate when water level is at 15 cm below soil surface) start at 37 DAS

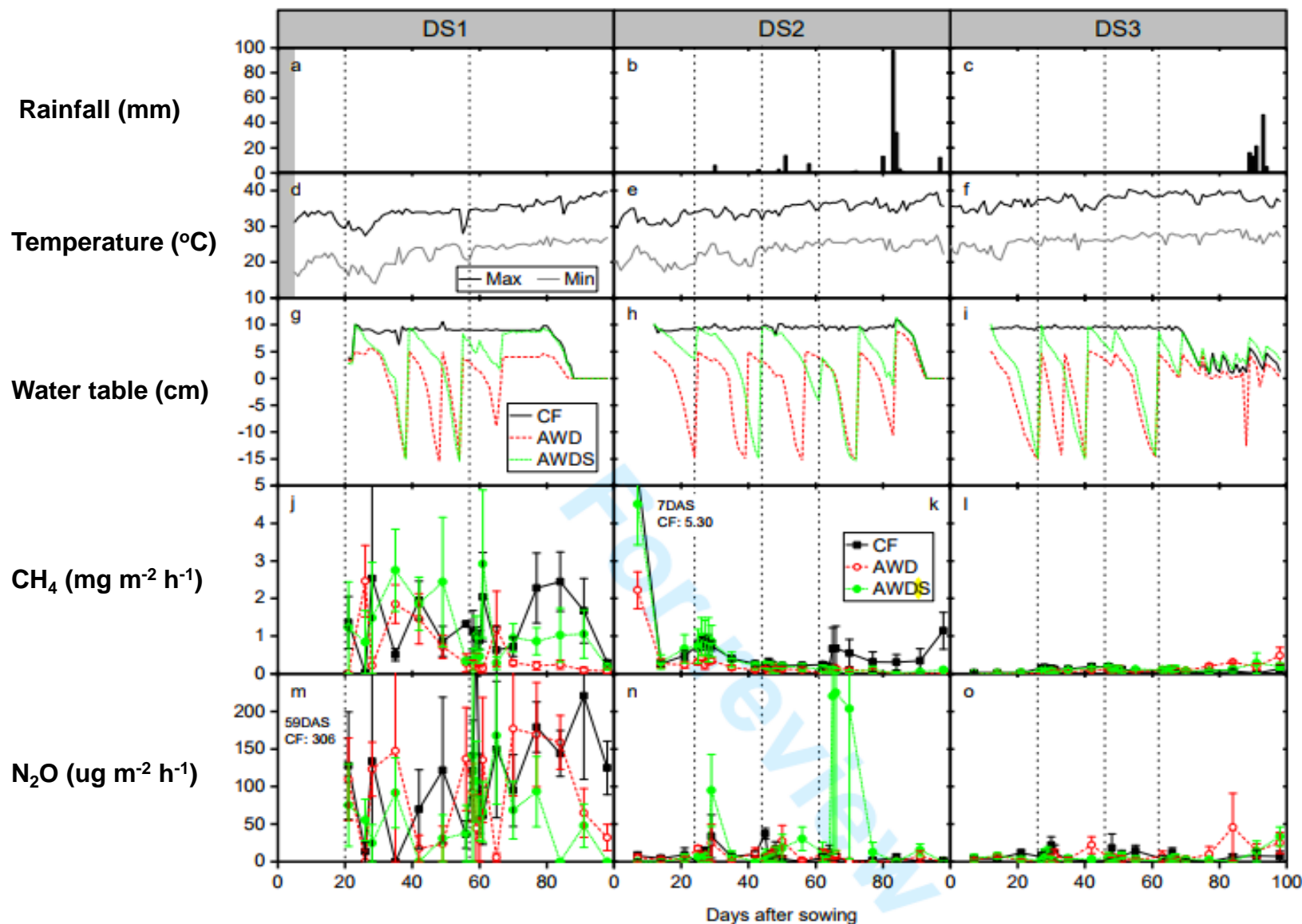
T3 (AWDS): Site specific AWD (flexible, AWD that is more adapted to specific site)



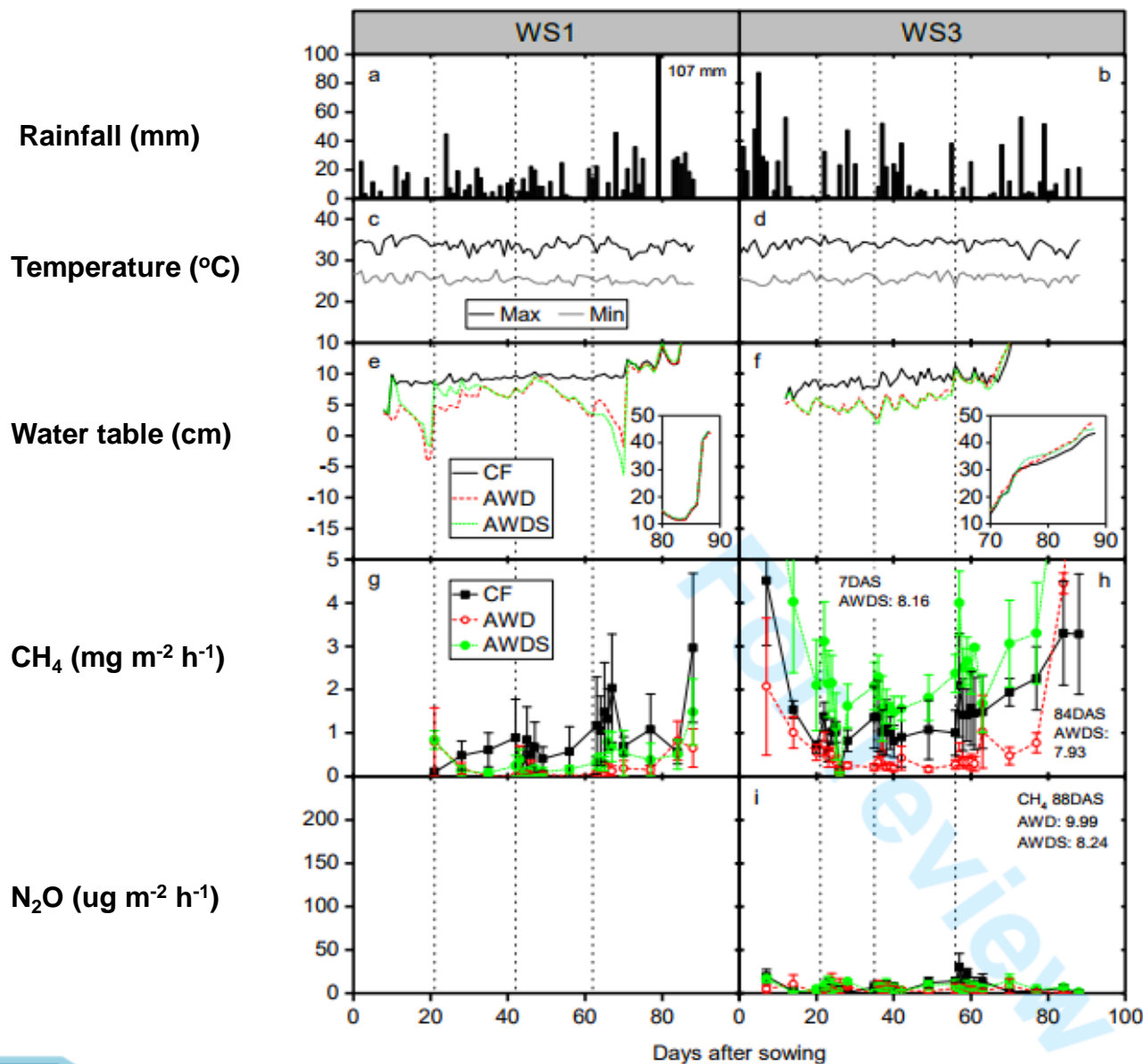


Management	1 st season	2 nd season	3 rd season	5 th season		6 th season
				1 st planting	2 nd planting	
Plowing Date	30 Nov. 2013	30 Apr. 2014	15 Dec. 2014	01 Dec. 2015	01 Feb. 2016	20 Jun. 2016
Plowing Depth	20 cm	20 cm	20 cm	20 cm	20 cm	20 cm
Planting Method	Pre-germinated seed broadcasting					
Planting Date	27 Dec. 2013	19 Jun. 2016	1 Jan. 2015	22 Dec. 2015	17 Feb. 2016	30 Jun. 2016
Rice variety	RD41	RD41	RD41	RD41	RD41	RD41
Seeding rate	125 kg/ha	125 kg/ha	125 kg/ha	125 kg/ha	125 kg/ha	125 kg/ha
Harvest date	4 Apr. 2014	15 Sep. 2016	9 Apr. 2015	Rice blast disease	25 May 2016	26 Sep. 2016

Summary of 1st to 6th season of PRRC



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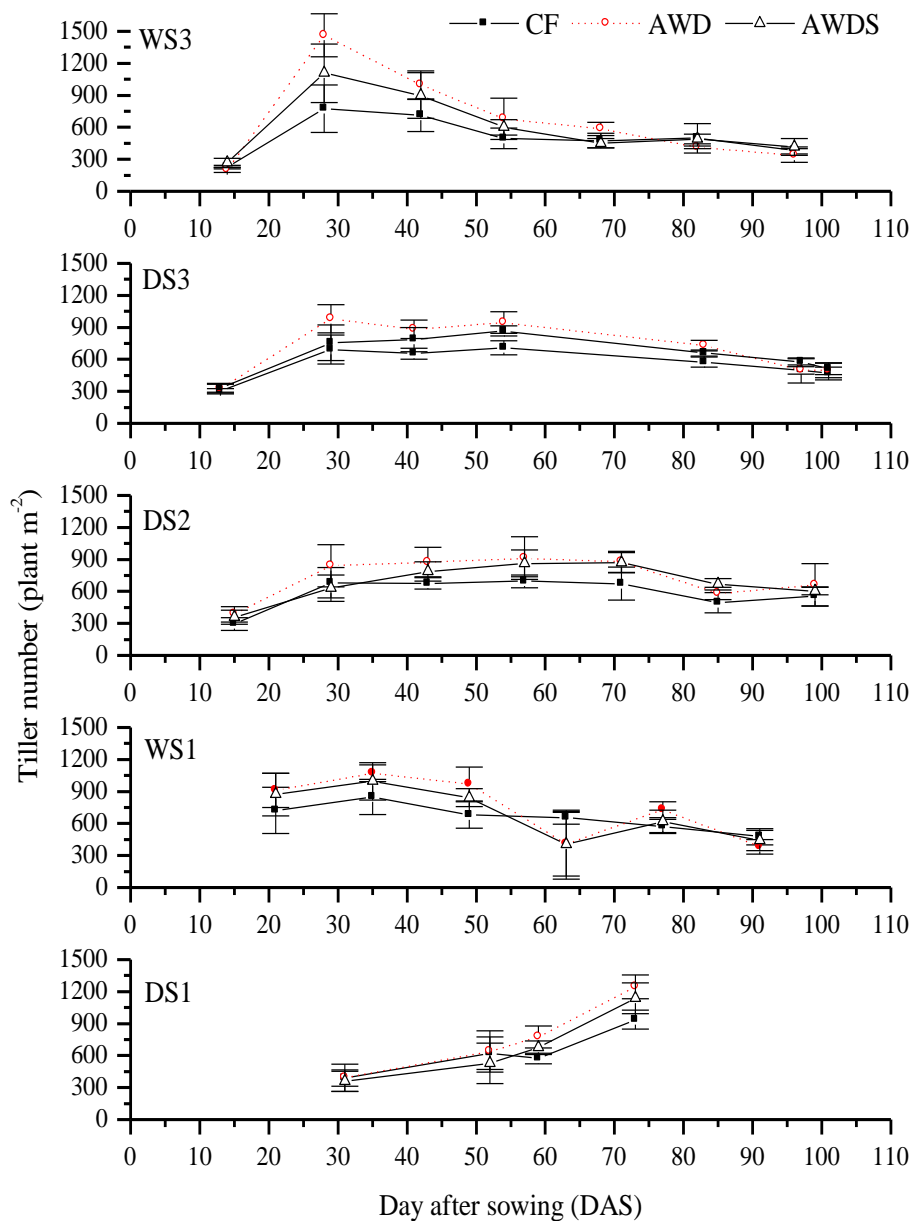


Statistical analysis results of combined seasonal means of CH₄, N₂O, grain yield and water use, with the effects of both treatment (Trt), growing season (s), and a combination of treatment and season (S × Trt) .

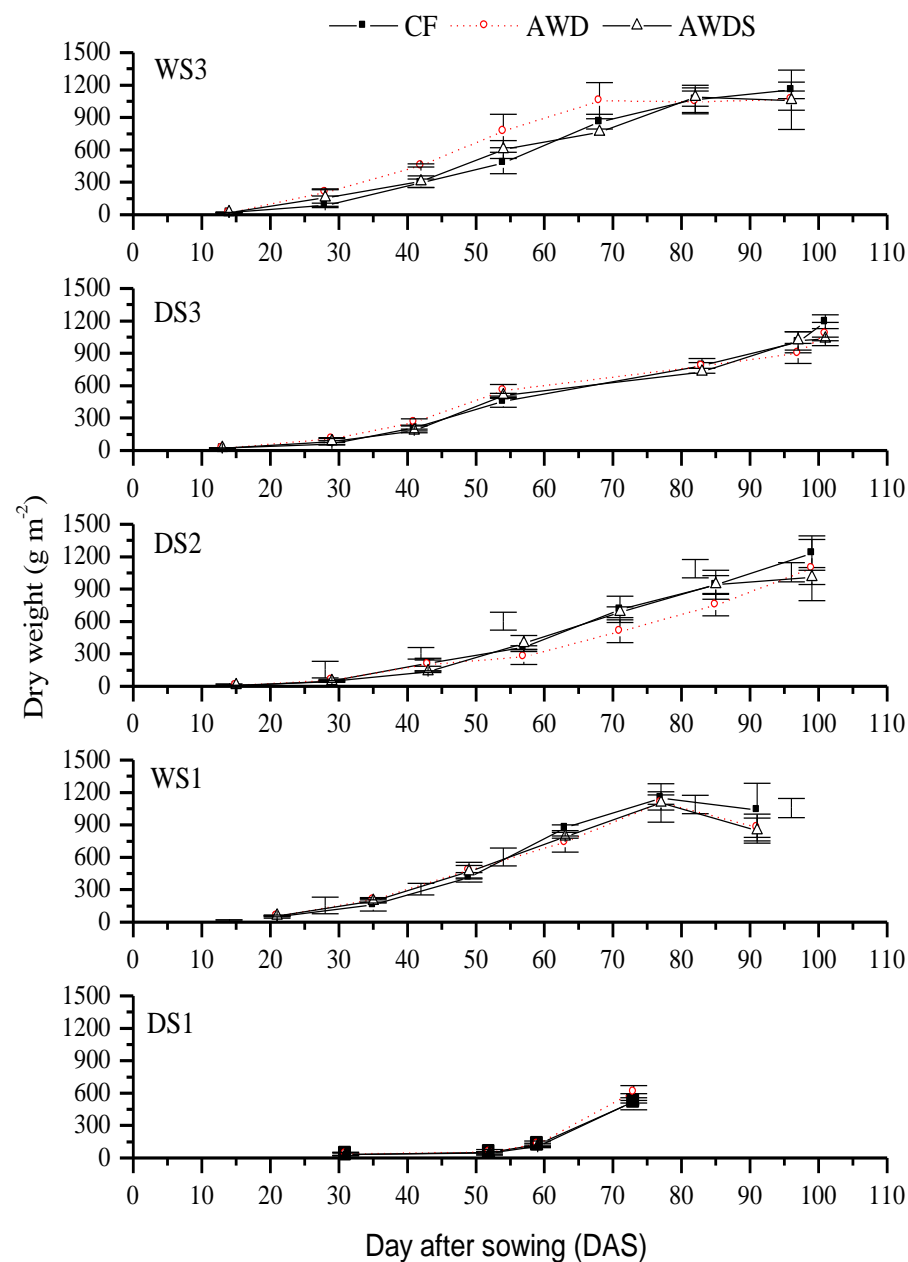
Treatment	CH ₄ [‡] (kg ha ⁻¹)	N ₂ O (kg ha ⁻¹)	GWP [‡] (kgCO ₂ e ha ⁻¹)	Grain Yield (t ha ⁻¹)	Yield scaled GWP (kgCO ₂ e ton ⁻¹)	Water use [‡] (m ³ ha ⁻¹)	Water Productivity [‡] (ton m ⁻³)
CF	17.3 A	0.785	857 B	4.50	0.17	8805 a	0.609 b
AWD	8.8 B	0.979	637 B	4.19	0.14	5108 c	1.086 a
AWDS	21.0 A	0.851	1097 A	4.44	0.22	5811 b	1.023 a
Source of Variation	p value						
Trt	*	0.554	†	0.398	0.140	***	**
S	***	*	***	***	***	***	***
S × Trt	0.502	*	0.129	*	0.221	***	**

‡Means with different letters indicate significant difference at the 5% level for lower-case letter and at the 10% level for capital one. The asterisks †, *, ** and *** indicate the p value of <0.10, <0.05, <0.01, <0.001, respectively.

Tiller number



Dry weight



Key findings

- 50% reduction in methane but no significant effect on nitrous oxide emissions (AWD vs. cont. flooding)
- Effects on greenhouse gas emission are more obvious in dry than wet season
- 42% reduction in water consumption
- No significant effect on rice growth and grain yields





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Assessing the feasibility of GHG mitigation through water saving techniques (AWD) in irrigated rice fields in the Philippines

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Project Site

Central Luzon, Philippines

- Contributes 20% of the national rice production
- Two distinct season
 - Dry and Wet



Water Management

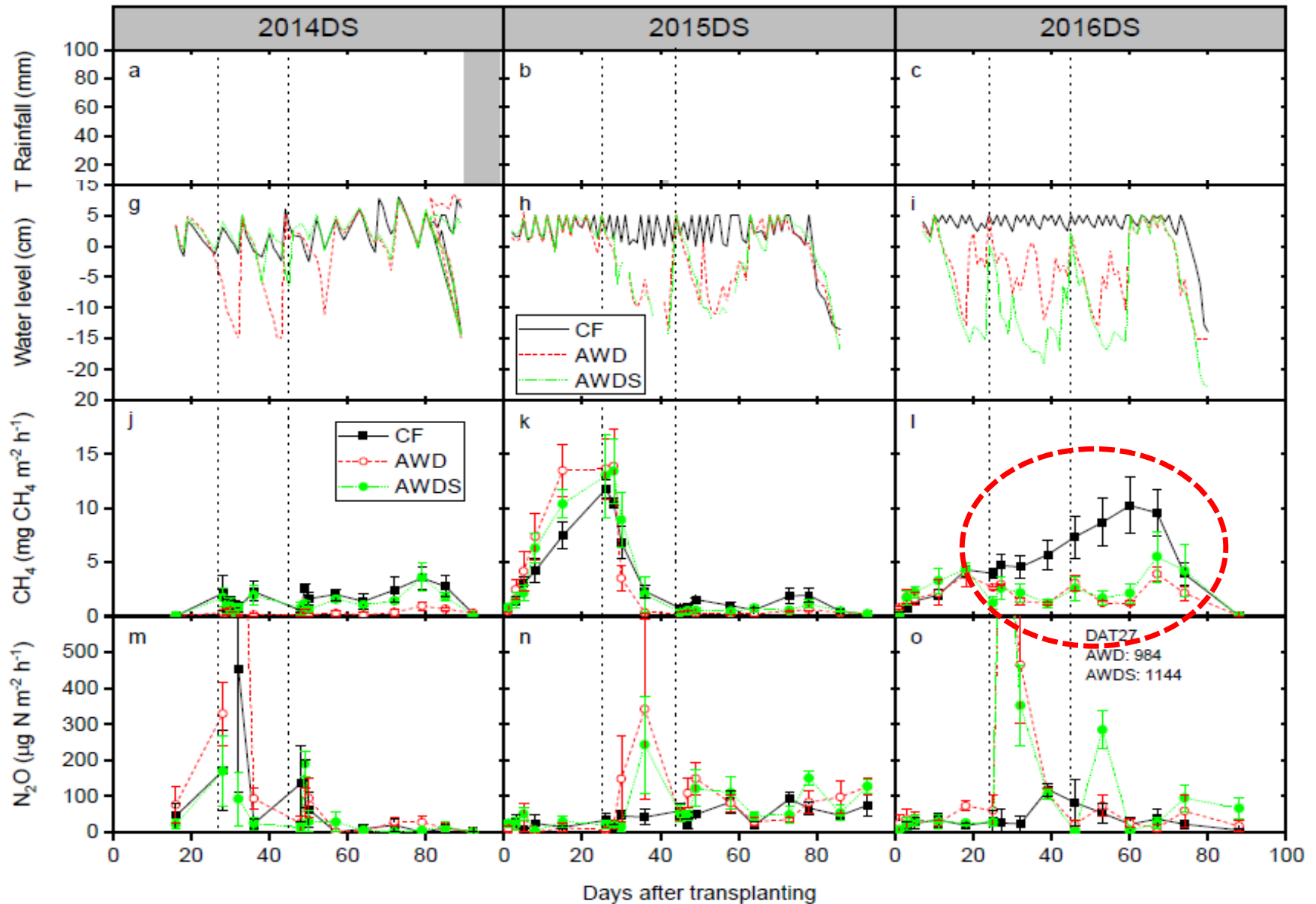
1. Continuous Flooding (CF)
2. Safe AWD
3. **Site Specific AWD (AWDS)**
 - Mid-season drainage
 - AWD at -25 cm

Crop Management

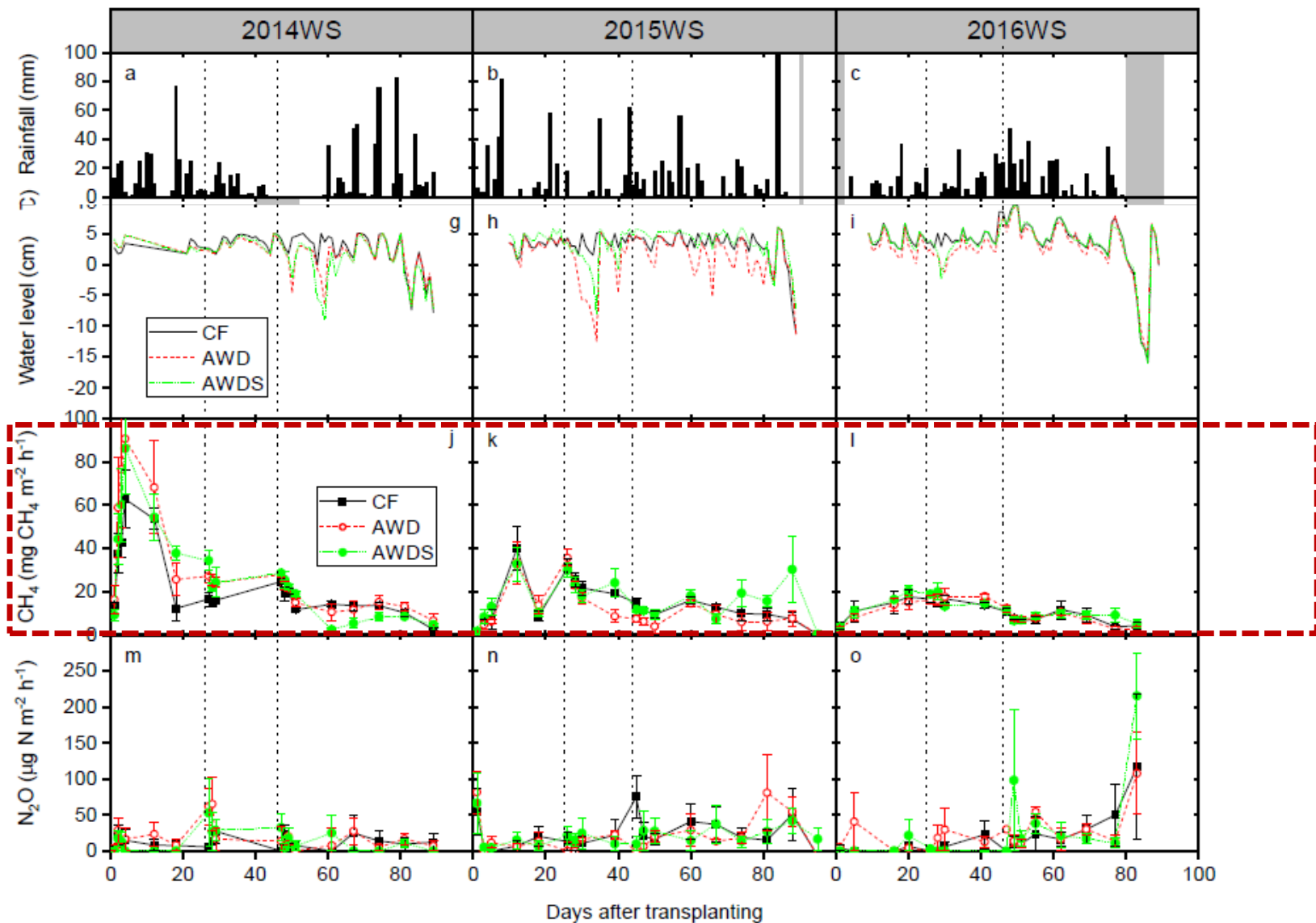
- Similar in all 6 cropping seasons
- In 2016 DS and WS:
 1. AWD was implemented 10 DAT
 2. Rice stubble incorporated during dry fallow tillage



Seasonal variations in daily rainfall, mean surface water level, CH_4 and N_2O flux during **Dry season**



Seasonal variations in daily rainfall, mean surface water level, CH_4 and N_2O flux during **Wet season**



Results

Treatment	CH ₄ (kg CH ₄ ha ⁻¹)		N ₂ O (kg N ₂ O ha ⁻¹)		GWP (kg CO ₂ eq ha ⁻¹)		Grain yield (Mg ha ⁻¹)		Water use (m ⁻³ ha ⁻¹)	
	DS	WS	DS	WS	DS	WS	DS	WS	DS	WS
CF	69.9	328.9	1.6	0.509	2853	11333	6.9	5.41	10336	10944
AWD	42.2	350.1	3.5	0.633	2476	12093	6.88	5.83	5913	9215
AWDS	52.8	374.0	2.63	0.528	2578	12874	6.90	5.42	5012	8949
Season mean	54.9	351.5	2.58	0.556	2636	12100	6.89	5.55	7087	9702

Treatment Means					
CF	199.4 A	1.05 B	7093 A	6.16 A	10640 A
AWD	196.1 B	2.07 A	7284 A	6.35 A	7564 B
AWDS	213.4 A	1.58 B	7725 A	6.16 A	6980 B

**1.7%
reduction**

Conclusions

- Implementation of AWD is feasible in **DS** in Central Luzon
- The AWD with the current settings significantly reduced the seasonal total CH₄ emission, but the reduction rate against CF was very limited (1.7%)
- N₂O emission was enhanced by the AWD, and the resultant GWP of CH₄ and N₂O did not significantly differ among water management.



Feasible options that enhance the ability of AWD in reducing GHG emissions in Central Luzon, Philippines:

- (1) An earlier rice residue incorporation under dry soil conditions
- (2) An earlier implementation of AWD;
- (3) A proper maintenance of flooded soil condition during/after N fertilizer topdressing.



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ANALYSIS OF SUITABLE ENVIRONMENTS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF LOW- EMISSIONS TECHNOLOGIES IN RICE PRODUCTION

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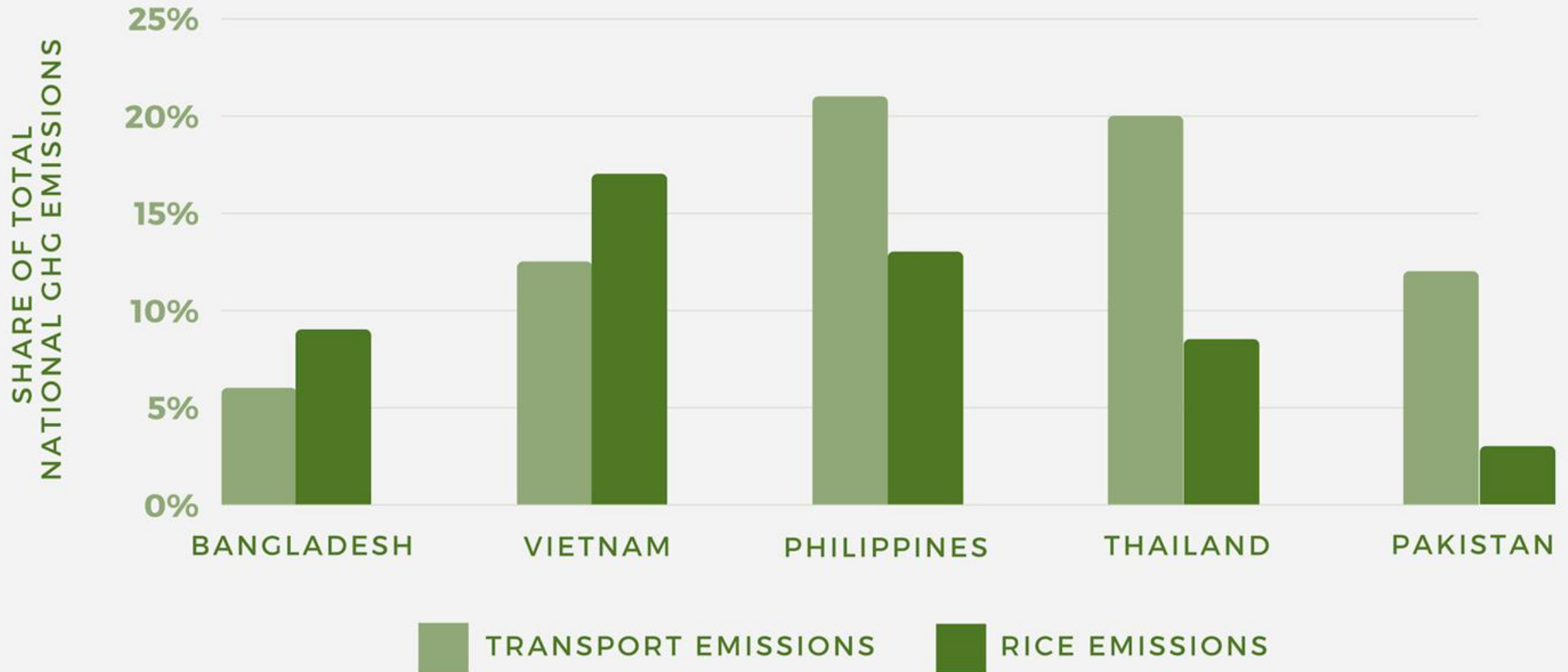
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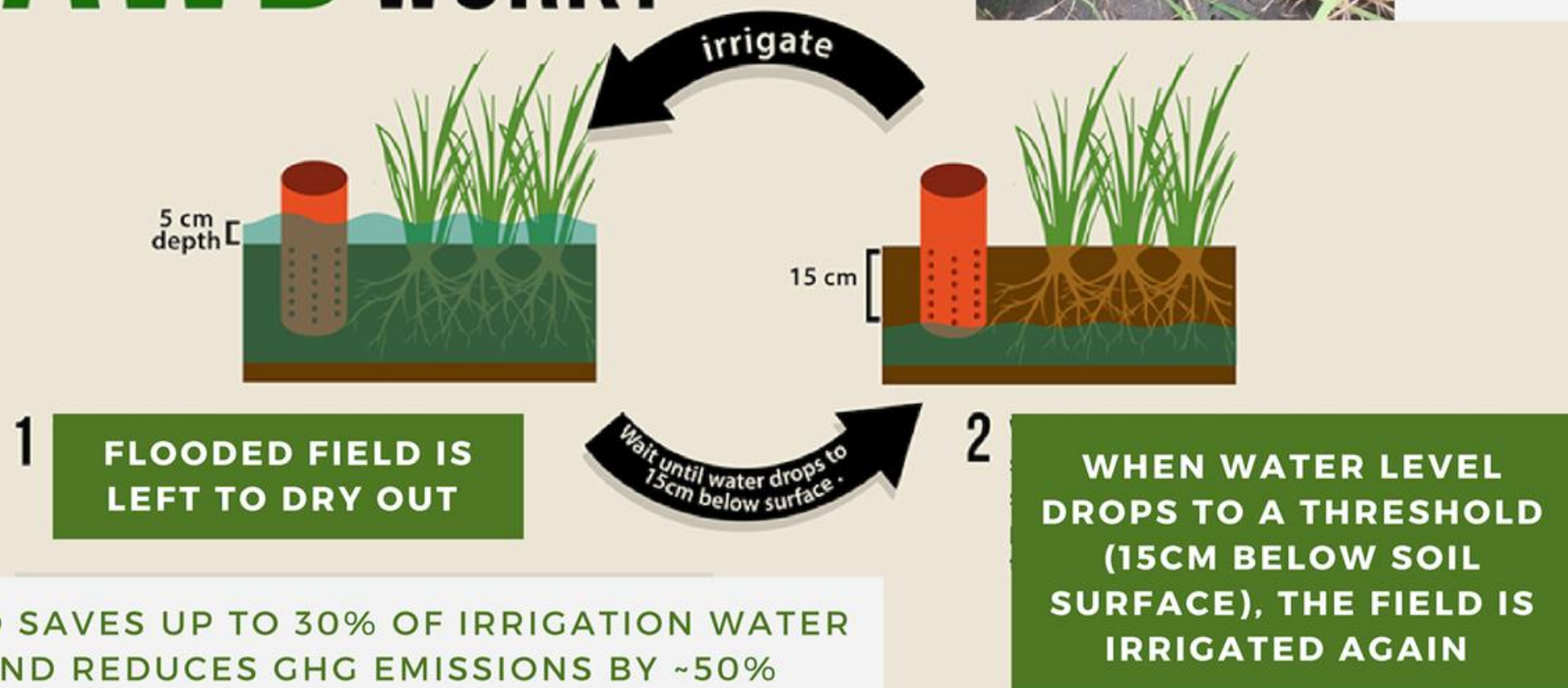
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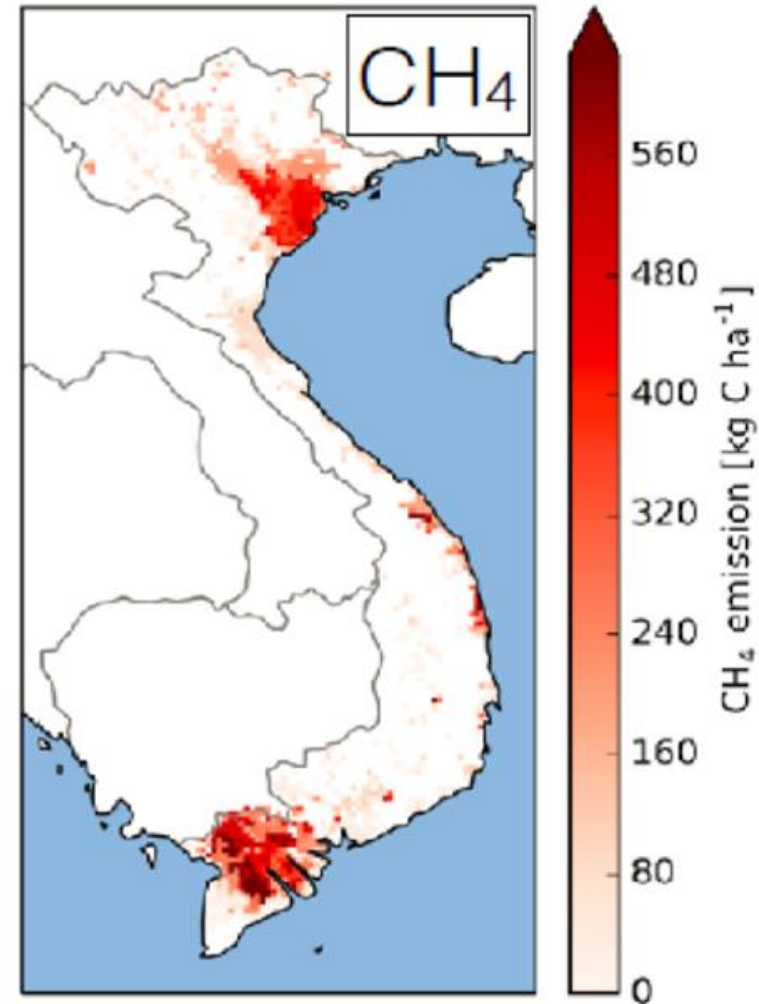


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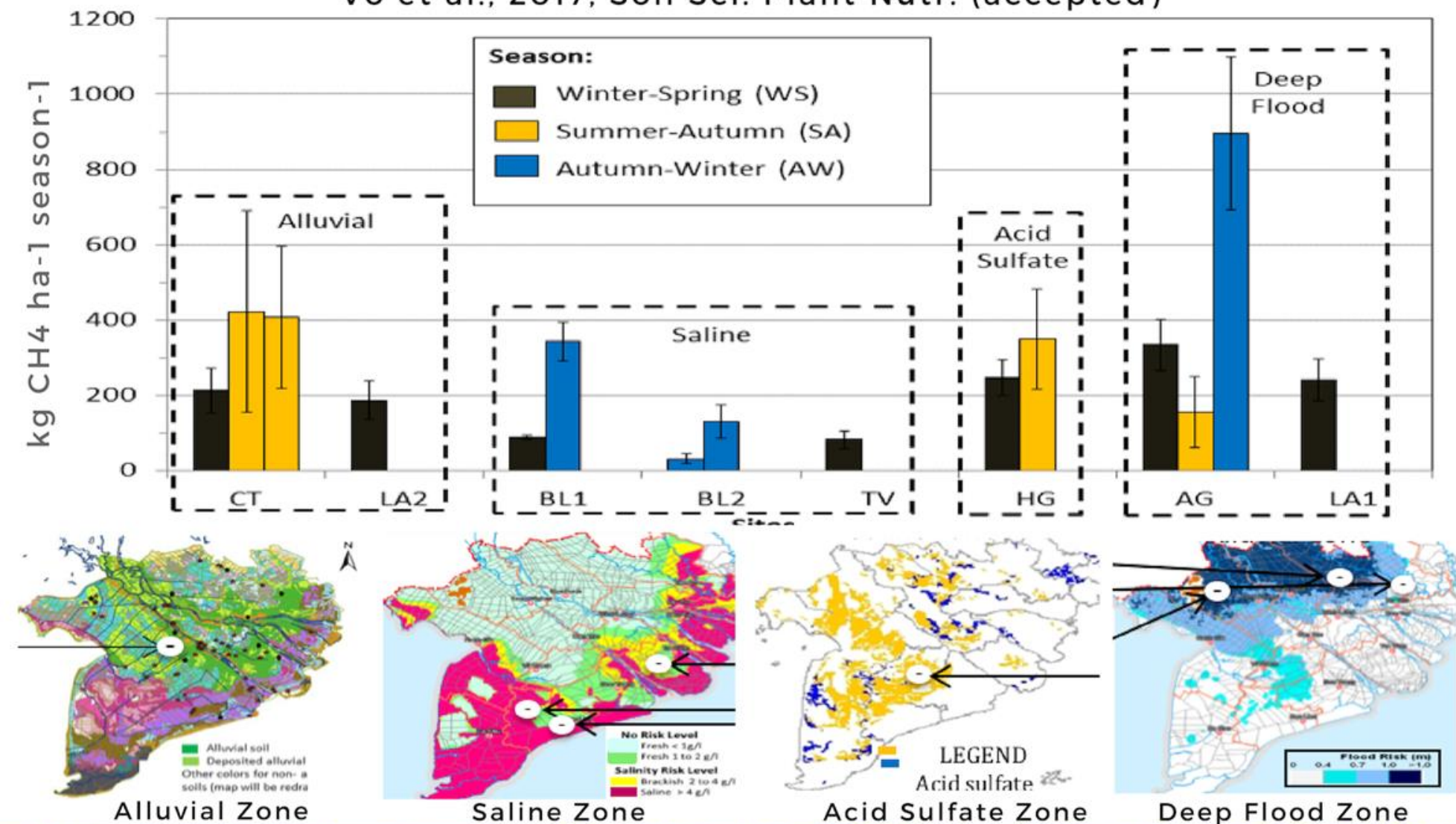


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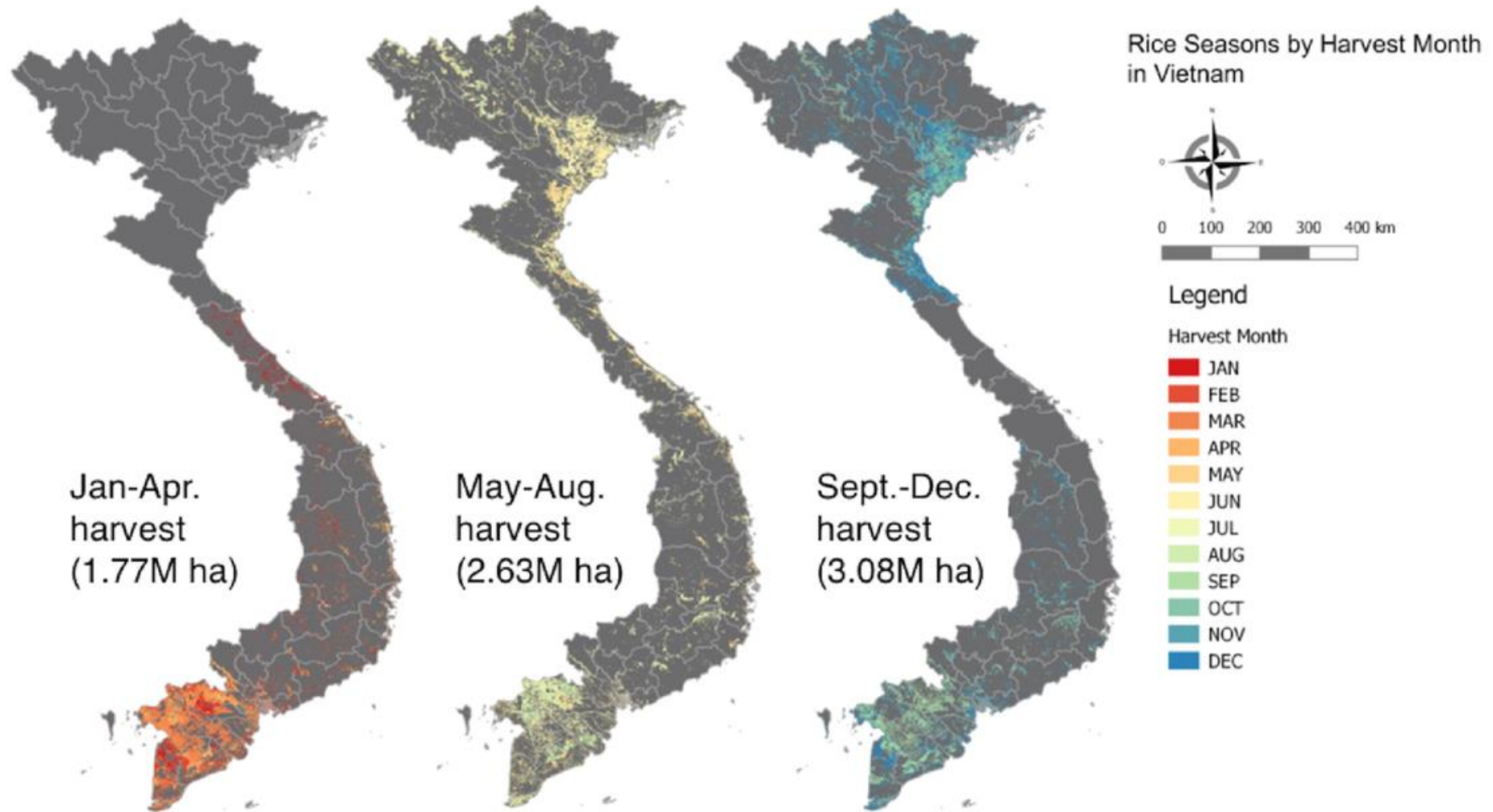
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GHG EMISSION ASSESSMENT IN MRD

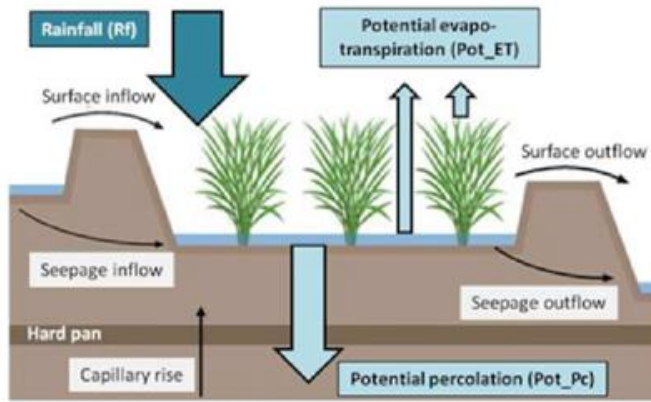
- Evaluation of GHG data sets of 8 locations in MRD (CLUES project)
- Incl. different biophysical characteristics - detailed regional GHG emission assessment



PHENORICE VIETNAM: WHEN AND WHERE?



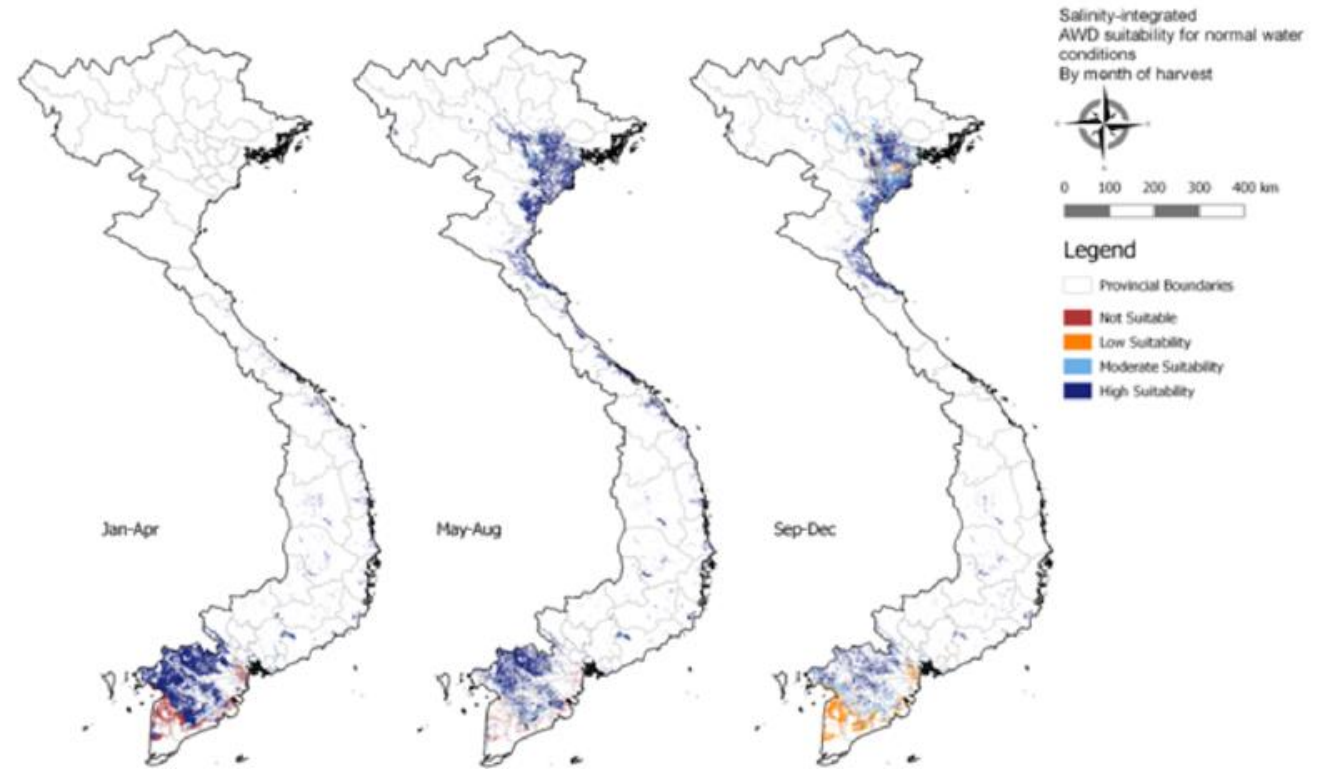
CLIMATIC AWD SUITABILITY MAPS - VIETNAM



Methodology: Nelson et al., 2015



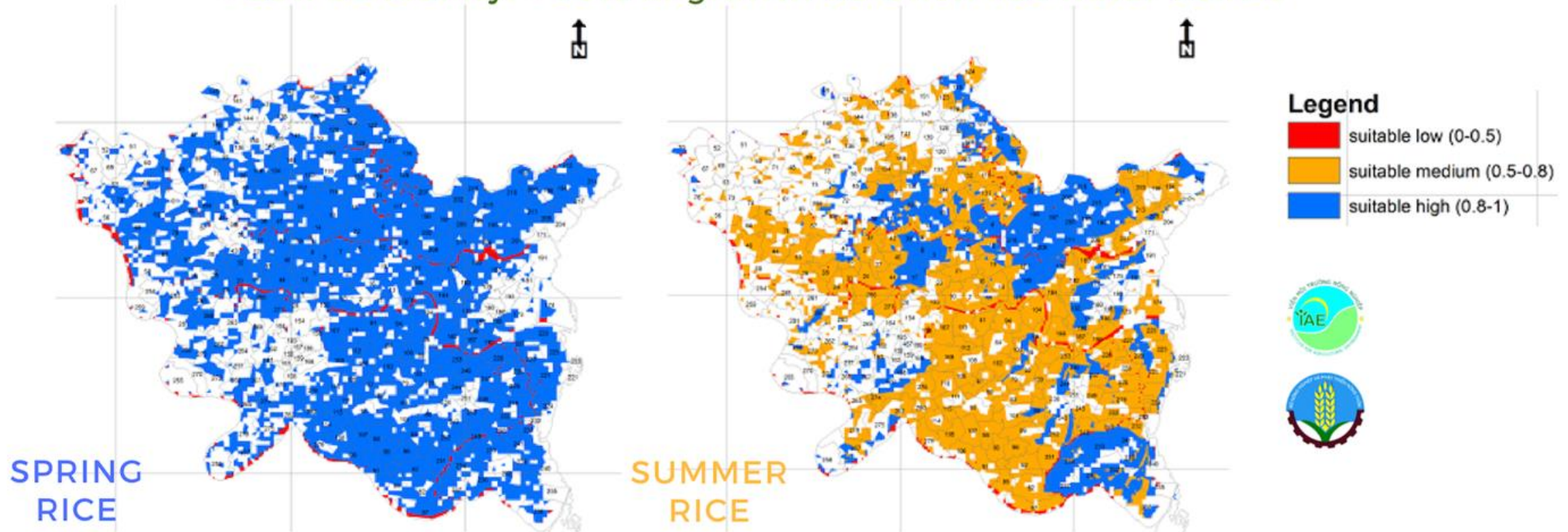
- Based on cropping calendar, rice extent and water balance
- Considering biophysical factors only (soil texture / percolation, rainfall, temperature, solar radiation)



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CLIMATIC AWD SUITABILITY ANALYSIS IN THAI BINH PROVINCE

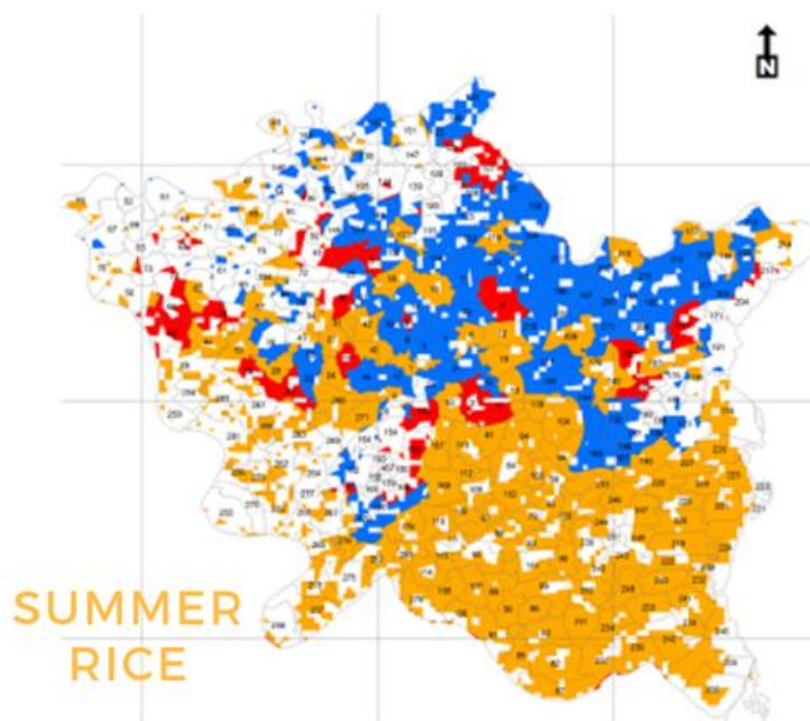
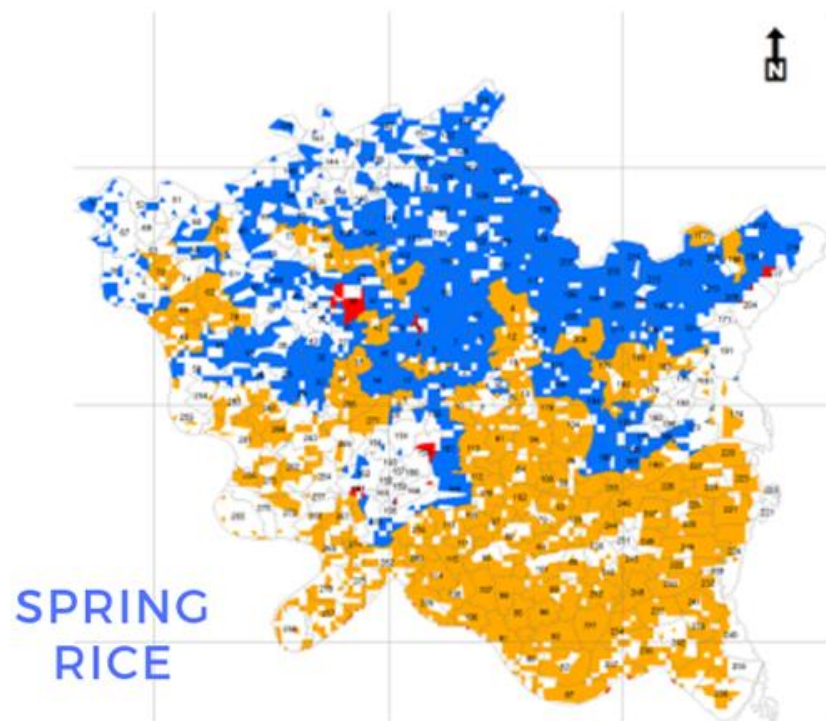
- Based on provincial soil map 1:50,000
- High suitability: > 80% of growth duration has water deficit
- Low suitability: < 50% of growth duration has water deficit






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SOCIO-ECONOMIC AWD SUITABILITY ASSESSMENT

- Local experts from DARD and extension services rate various factors, e.g. elevation, farmer awareness, irrigation facilities from 1-10
- High suitability: average rating > 8
- Low suitability: average rating < 5



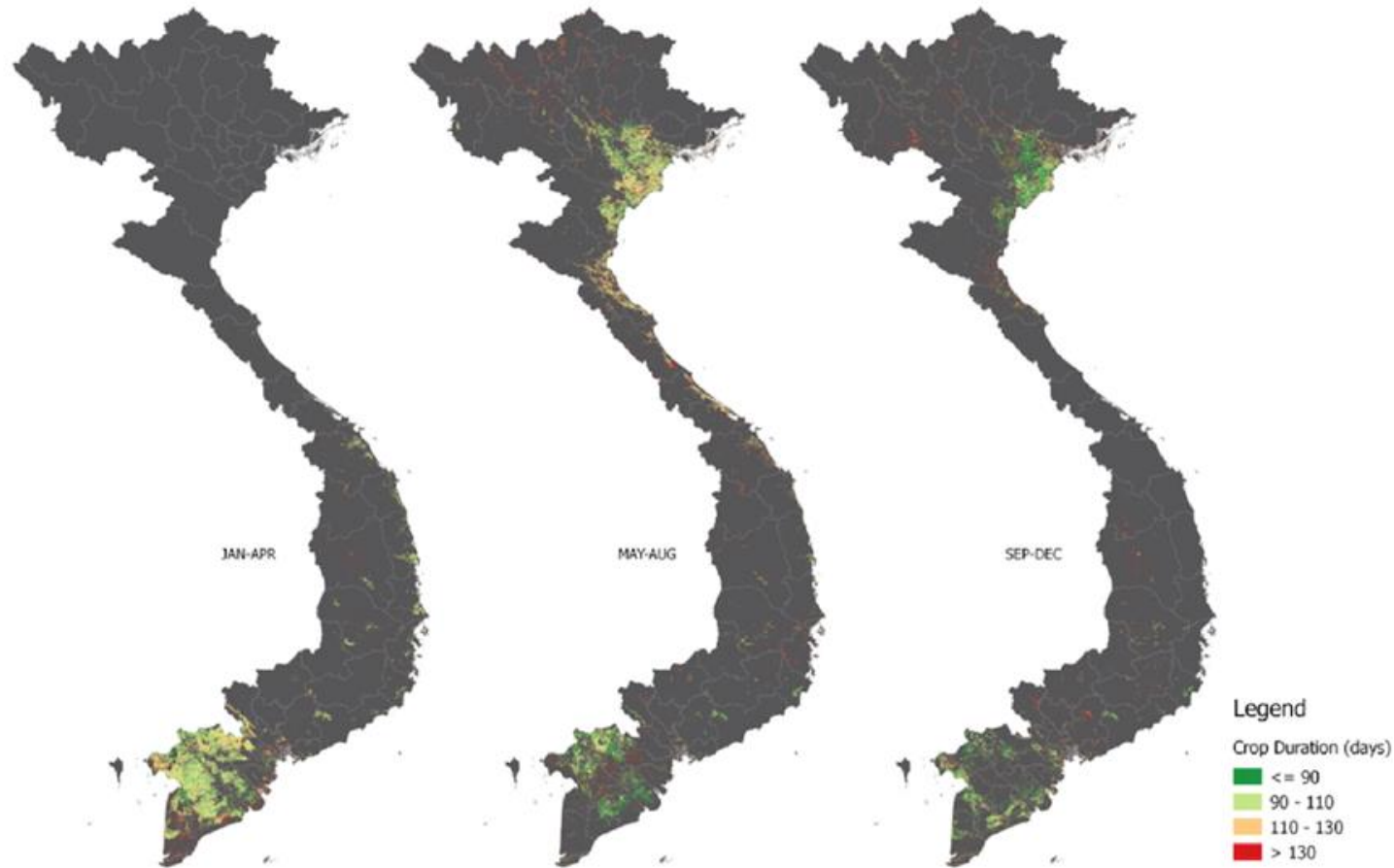
Legend

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|  | suitable low (0-0.5) |
|  | suitable medium (0.5-0.8) |
|  | suitable high (0.8-1) |



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RICE GROWTH DURATION IN VIETNAM



- Shortening the time rice is in the field reduces CH₄ emissions
- Analysis of rice growth duration using PhenoRice

✓ In deltas mostly short duration varieties used

✓ Some long duration traditional varieties





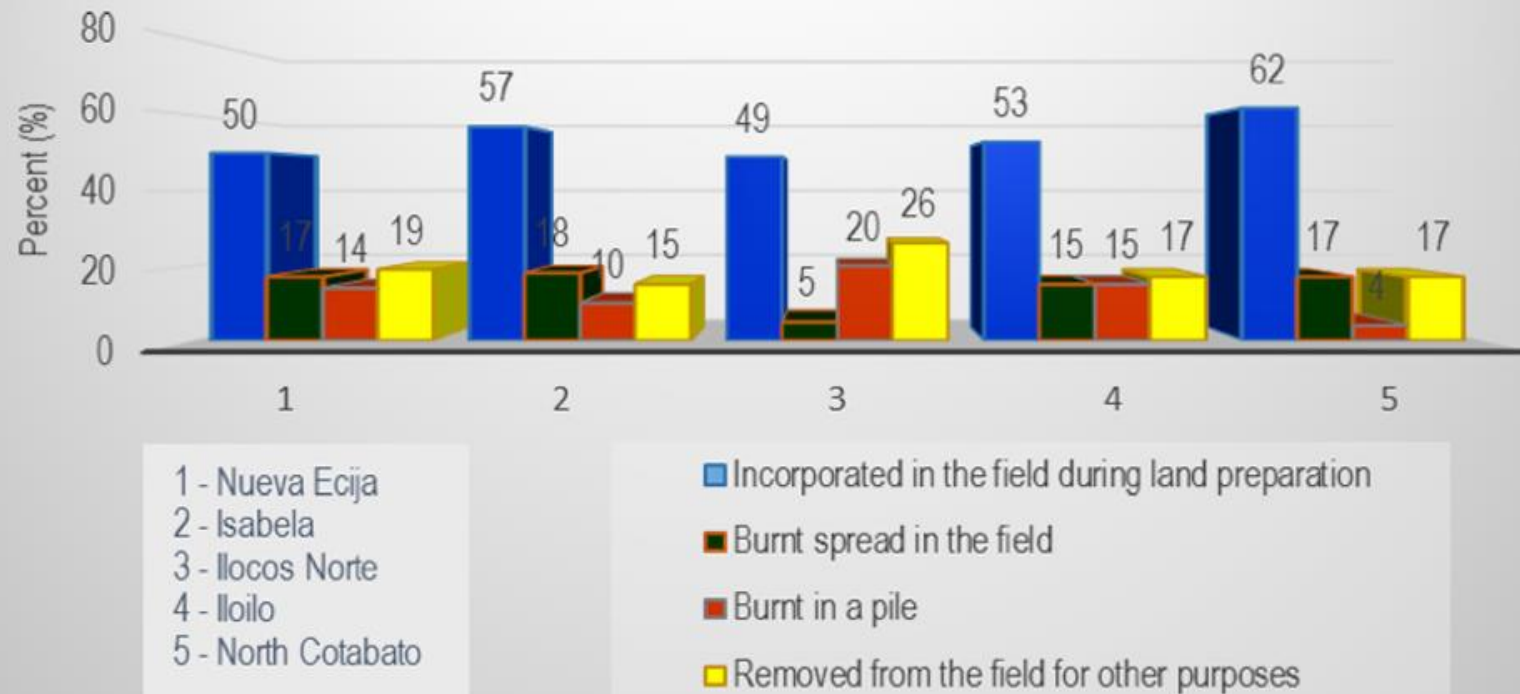
OTHER GHG MITIGATION OPTIONS IN RICE PRODUCTION

- Alternate wetting and drying
- Mid-season drainage
- Fertilizer deep placement
- Coated urea
- Minimum / zero tillage
- Short-duration varieties
- Low-emissions straw management
- Site-specific nutrient management
- Biochar
- Laser land leveling
- Solar bubble dryer
- ...



RICE STRAW MANAGEMENT - PHILIPPINES

Rice Straw Management Options in the Major Rice Growing Areas in the Philippines



- Early 2000s: 90% of straw was burnt
- 2017: Only ~20-30% of straw is burnt and ~50-60% is incorporated

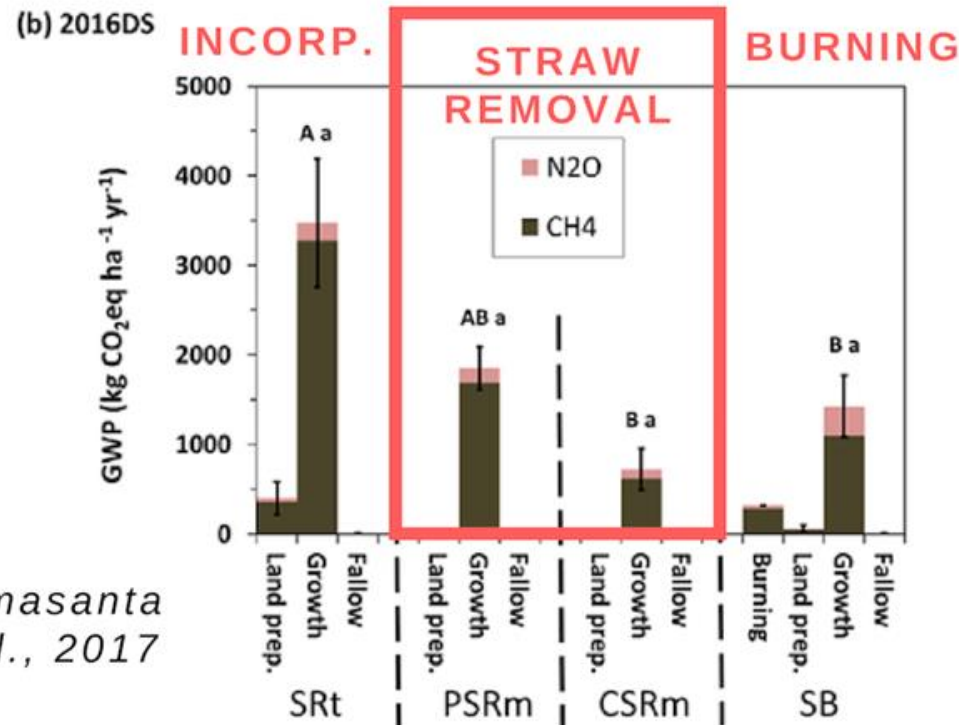


STRAW MANAGEMENT FOR GHG MITIGATION

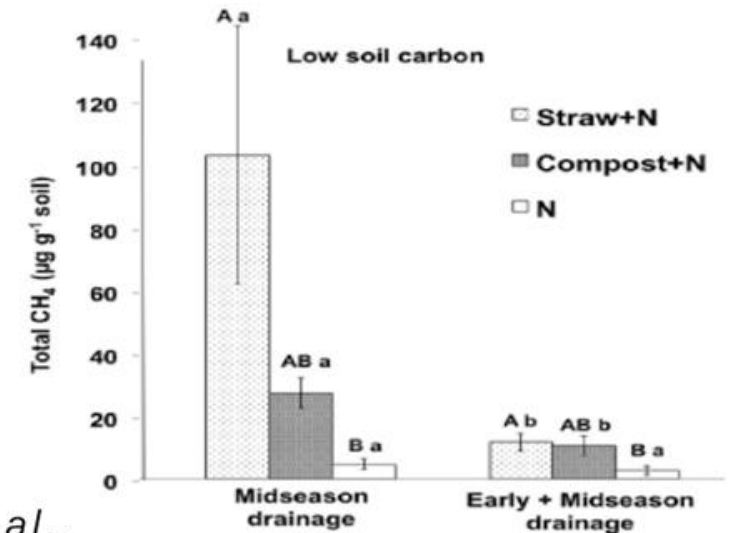
Partial straw removal provides multiple benefits:

- 1) retain soil health by restoring C and K
- 2) create profit through straw sales
- 3) reduce GHG compared to incorporation

Coordinated water management can minimize GHG emissions even with straw being incorporated



Romasanta
et al., 2017



Tariq et al.,
2016



RICE LANDSCAPES AND CLIMATE CHANGE
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THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

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What kind of environment should be targeted for AWD introduction?

- Through the experience in the Mekong Delta -

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Visible benefit is important for technologies to be used.

FARMER



Adopt

GHG
mitigation
technologies

Agricultural
activities

Unique local
environment

Benefit
to farmers

Less
GHG

Options for reducing CH₄ emissions

Field management	Mitigation efficiency	Problem for application						
		Applicability		Economy		Effects on		Other effects
		Irrigated	Rainfed	Cost	Labor	Yield	Fertility	
Water management	Water							
Midseason drainage	☐	○	●	~	↑	+	~	May promote N ₂ O
Short flooding	☐	○	●	~	~	-	-	May promote N ₂ O
High percolation	☐	○	●	↑	↑	+	~	May promote nitrate leaching
Soil amendments								
Sulfate fertilizer	☐	○	○	↑	~	△	-	May cause H ₂ S injury
Oxidants	☐	○	○	↑	↑	△	-	
Soil dressing	○	○	○	↑	↑	-	-	
Organic matter								
Composting	☐	○	○	↑	↑	+	+	
Aerobic decomp.	☐	○	○	~	↑	~	~	
Burning	○	○	○	~	↑	~	~	Atmospheric pollution
Others								
Deep tillage	○	○	○	↑	↑	-	-	
No tillage	?	○	○	~	↓	-	~	
Rotation	○	○	△	~	↑	-	-	
Cultivar	○	○	○	~	~	~	~	Require long time

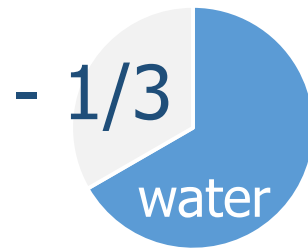
Modified from Yagi, K 2002. Methane emissions in rice, mitigation options for, p. 814-818. In Encyclopedia of soil science, Marcel Dekker, New York.

□: very effective, ○: Effective/applicable, △: case by case, ●: not applicable, ?: no information, ↑: increase, ↓: decrease, ~: about equal to previous situation, +: positive, -: negative.

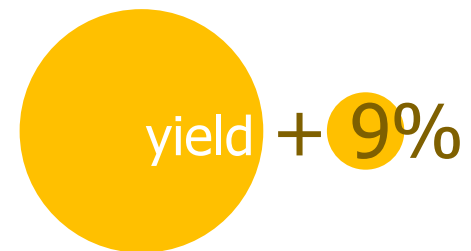
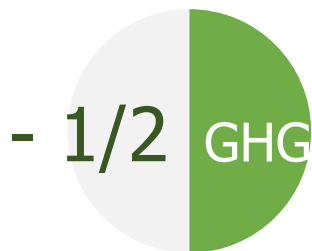
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A good example obtained in the Mekong Delta

AWD 1/3 less irrigation water use



50% less GHG emission 9% higher grain yield

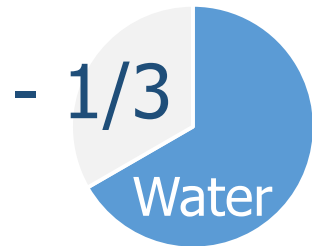


Good benefit
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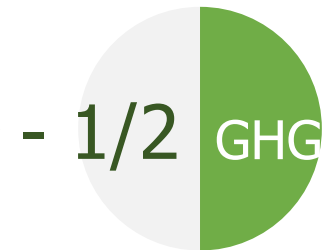
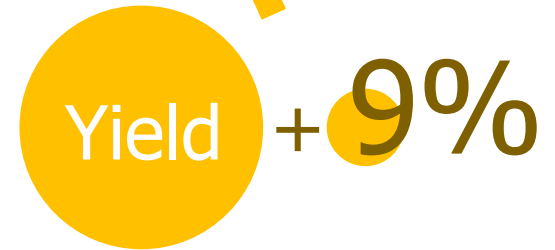
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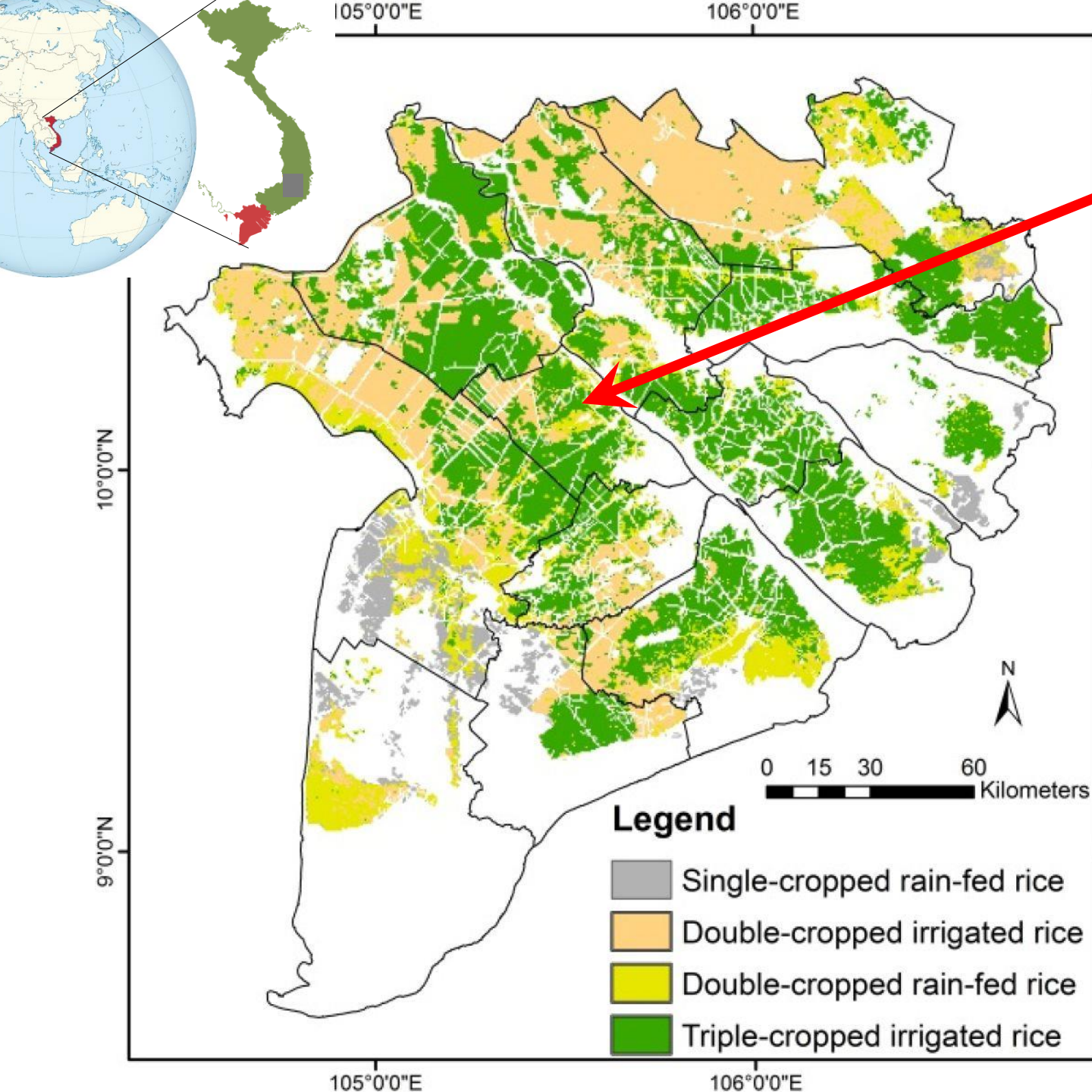


Adopt



Rice
cropping



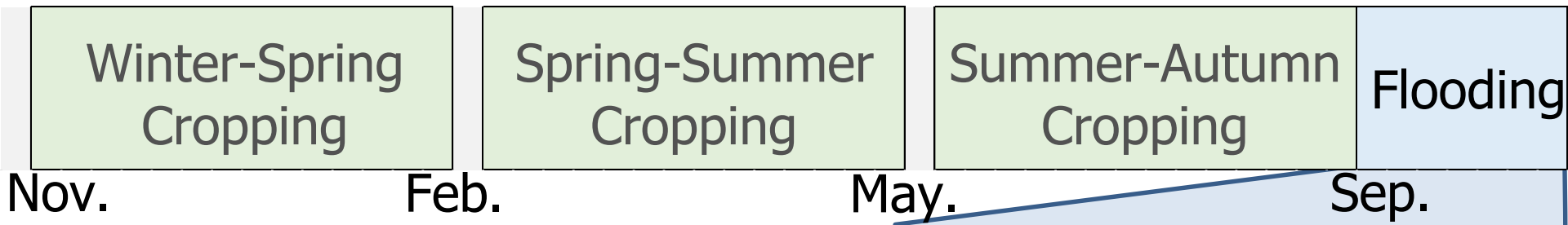


Location at which JIRCAS conducted a field experiment for over 5 years, a farmer's triple-rice-cropping alluvial paddy, Tan Loi 2 Hamlet, Can Tho City.

Spatial distributions of rice cropping systems in 2012, estimated with remote sensing techniques by Nguyen-Thanh Son, et al. (2014).

Characteristics of the Mekong Delta:

Abundant in water and submerged nearly throughout the year



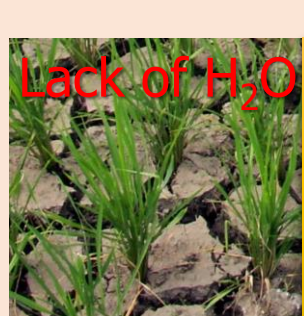
Less water treatment during cropping seasons may become
GOOD AERATION for rice.



POSITIVE effects of Less water may be greater than NEGATIVE ones in the case of the Mekong Delta?

Under water-SCARCE environments

e.g. most places where AWD has been applied for water-saving



Lack of H₂O

NEGATIVE
Gives water stress to rice



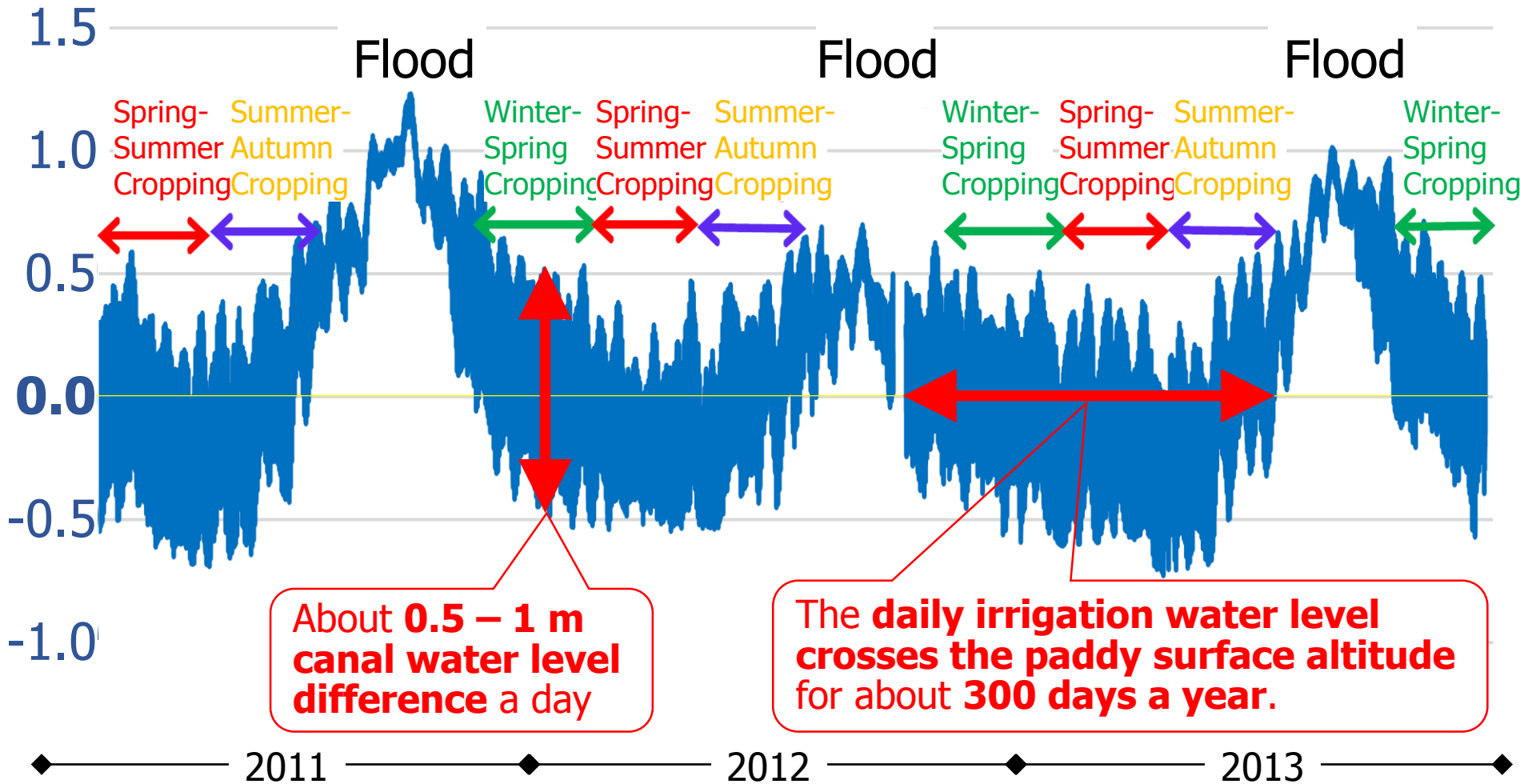
POSITIVE
Gives more O₂ to paddy soil and rice

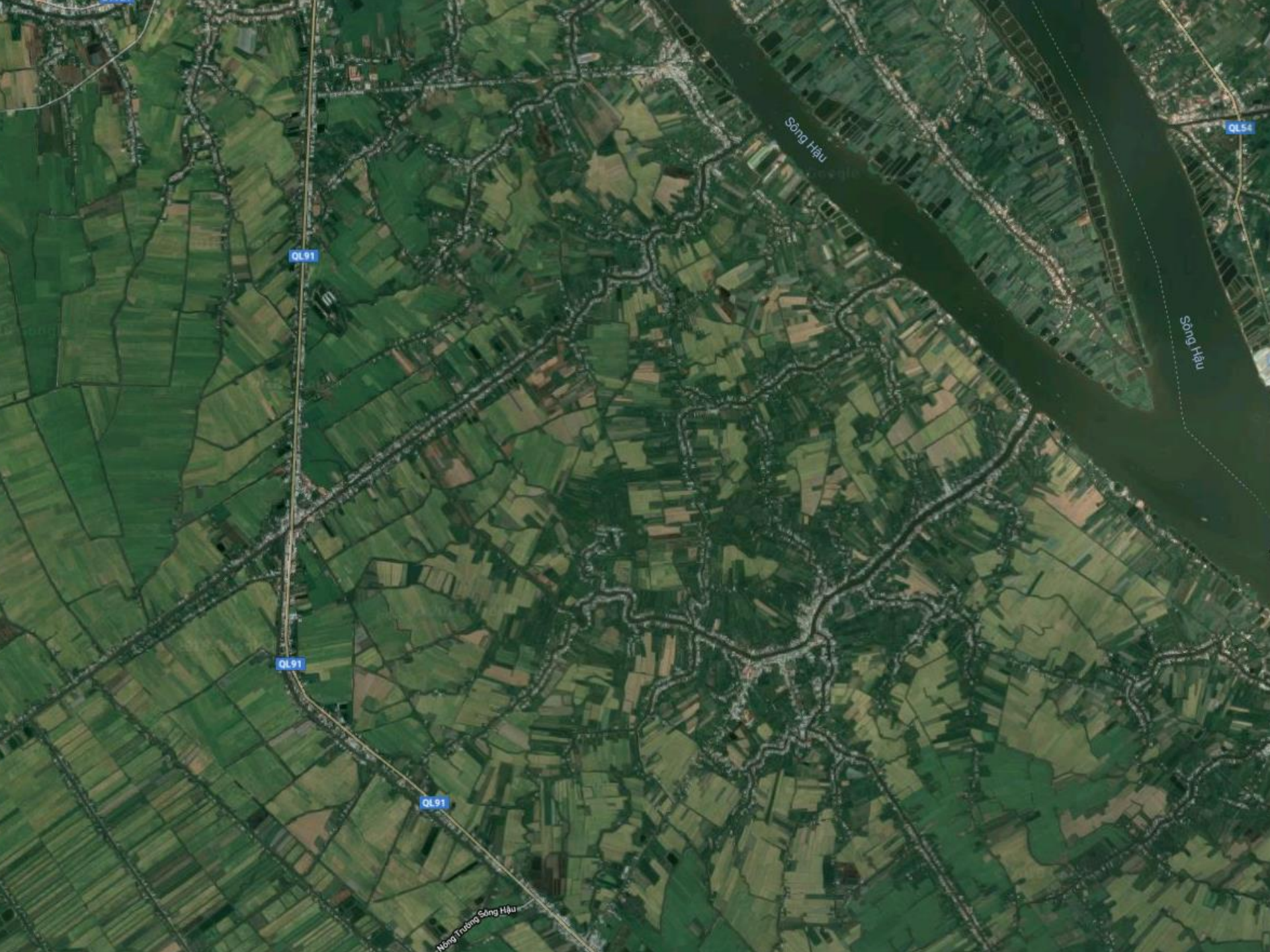


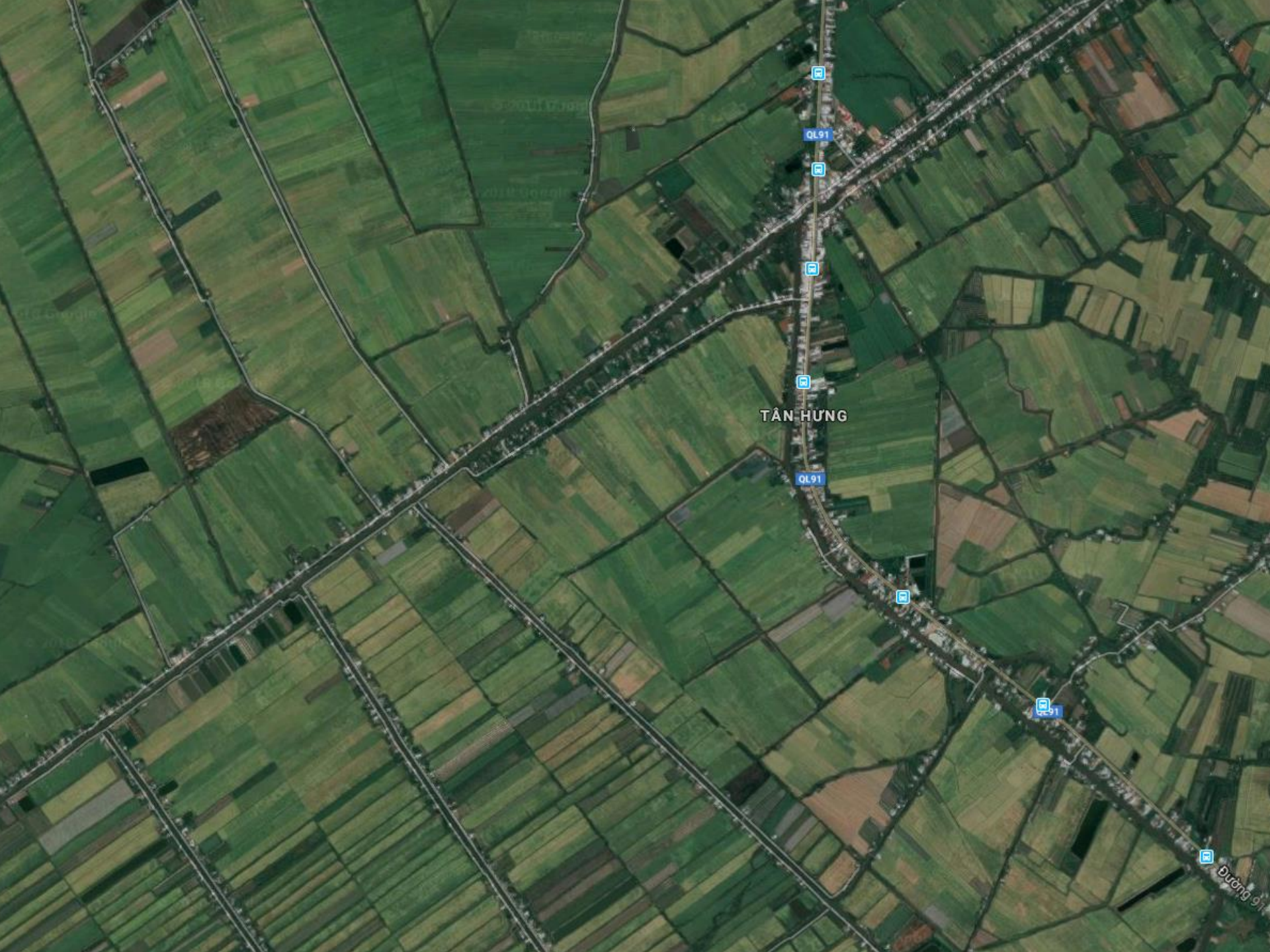
Under water-ABUNDANT environments
e.g. triple-rice cropping paddies in the Mekong Delta

Characteristics of the Mekong Delta: Tidal irrigation available

Water level of the canal (m)







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Environment favorable for introducing a less-water environment to rice paddies

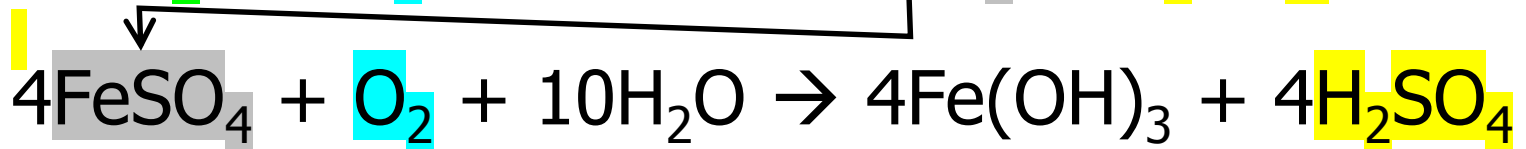
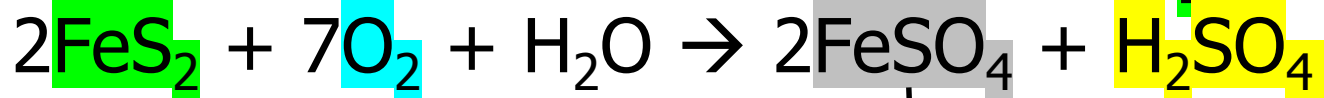
➤ **Water**

- **Submerged long periods a year**
 - Possibility of **yield increase**
- **Abundant and controllable**
 - Farmers are **not afraid** of saving water
- **Tidal irrigation** available
 - **Favorable** in terms of water management **costs**

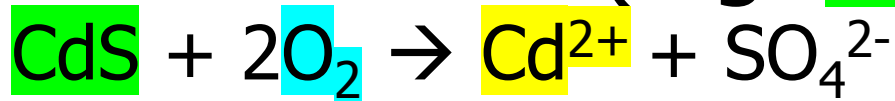
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➤ Soil

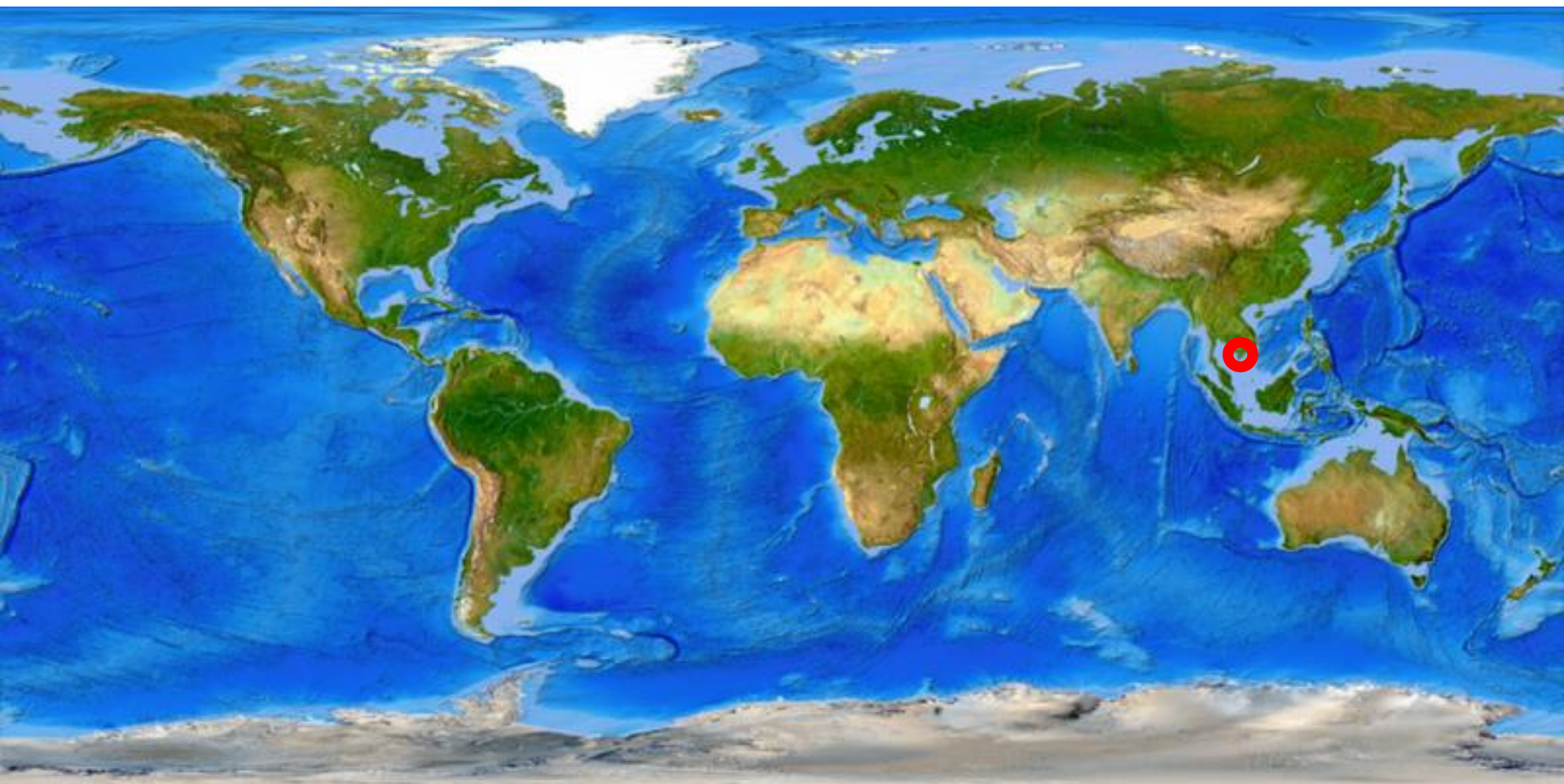
➤ Low sulfide conc. (e.g. FeS_2)



➤ Low Cd conc. (e.g. CdS)



↳ Rice → Humans





Environment favorable for introducing a less-water environment to rice paddies

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Knowledge 2a

Capacity Building for Climate Smart Rice Cultivation in Asia

MRV for a GHG mitigation project with water management in irrigated rice paddies

Kazunori Minamikawa (JIRCAS, Japan)



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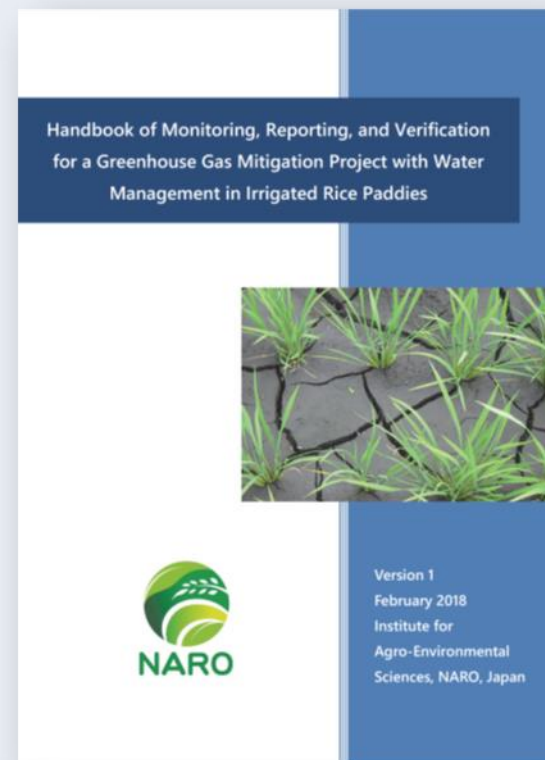
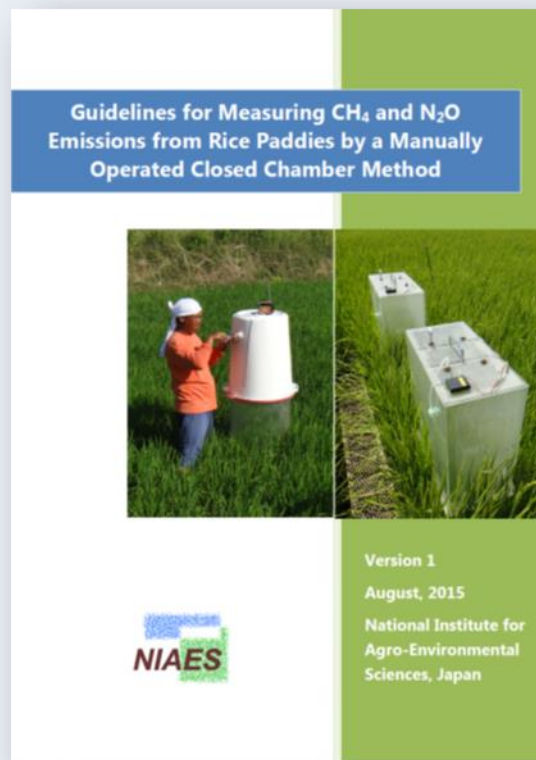
Guidebooks for GHG measurement and MRV

Target	Chamber paddy GHG meas. (EF & SF)	MRV for paddy water management
Published year	2015 (ver. 1)	2018 (ver. 1)
Authors	Minamikawa et al.	Minamikawa et al.

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Benefits of water management

- Sound rice growth and water saving for farmers
 - CH₄ emission reduction for global environment
 - Arsenic pollution control for local environment
 - Negative possibilities: water stress, Cadmium pollution, N loss (N₂O), soil fertility, labor, etc.
- ➔ Because there is a limit to the dependence on the **voluntary dissemination**, the **institutional dissemination** will be a crucial key.



Three dissemination approaches

	Voluntary	Semi-institutional	Institutional
Explanation	Get help from benefits/synergies of climate change adaptation, etc.	Domestic subsidy or certification systems	International or domestic carbon pricing and NAMA
Advantage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No additional cost • Indirect financial incentive from improved products 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial incentive • Relatively easy documentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial incentive • Accountable to national GHG inventory
Drawback	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited mitigation capacity • Limited number of options 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited amount of subsidy • Limited purchasers of certificated prod. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complicated documentation • (Current) low carbon price
Example	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soil C sequestration • Early maturing variety 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GAP • Eco-labelling 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDM • Thai Rice NAMA

MRV required for the institutional approach

Necessary to develop MRV methodology for **ensuring the accuracy and reliability of asserted CH₄ emission reduction** by water management.

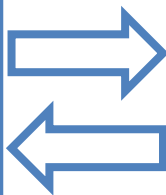
Responsible party implements monitoring and reporting processes according to the approved MRV methodology.



Monitoring



Reporting



Third party evaluates reported achievements and implements on-site inspection according to the approved MRV methodology.



Validation/Verification

Challenges for MRV in agricultural sector

1. Impact of environmental factors on GHG emissions, which complicates the separation of anthropogenic contributions from natural variability.
2. **Spatial variability** in GHG emissions due to varying environmental conditions across landscapes.
3. **Temporal variability** in background GHG emissions, which complicates setting and tracking progress toward emission reduction goals.
4. Carbon sequestration and accounting for changes in the management and ownership of different carbon pools.
5. Delayed effects of agricultural activities on GHG emissions.
6. Organizational structures and management practices specific to agricultural sector.

Typical procedure for M and R processes

Procedure

1. Distinguishing project boundary
2. Identifying emission sources, sinks, and reservoirs
3. Determining how to monitor emissions and activities
4. Establishing monitoring system
5. Monitoring and calculating emissions and activities
6. Reporting emissions and activities

Baseline vs. project

- Baseline water management shall be accurately identified from the past record in the project area, the fields currently surrounding the project, and the crop calendar.
- Project water management shall consider not only GHG emissions but also rice physiology to achieve the same **rice productivity** as the baseline scenario.

Distinguishing project boundary

Recommendations

- Responsible party shall select the project area candidate **where paddy water management is feasible** in respect of natural and artificial conditions for irrigation and drainage.
- Project area should follow administrative boundaries as well as natural boundaries to facilitate collection of necessary information about agricultural activities.

Considerations

- **Infrastructure** may overcome the lack and/or surplus of water.
➔ Expanding the opportunity and area for a project.
- Water management during **fallow season** can also be a target.
⬅ Wet/flooded soil conditions can cause substantial CH₄ emissions.
- There should be an **economy of scale** for a project area.
⬅ Dilution of fixed **MRV costs**, etc.

Identifying GHG sources/sinks/reservoirs

Recommendation

- Responsible party shall identify all GHG sources, sinks, and reservoirs and select target GHGs and their sources, sinks, and reservoirs after taking “materiality” into consideration.

	Source	Sink	Reservoir
CH ₄	Wet/flooded soil	Dry soil	None
N ₂ O	Wet/drained soil, “leakage” (atmospheric N deposition, N leaching and runoff)	None	None
CO ₂	Soil, fuel	Plants, soil [†]	Soil [†]

[†] Soil can be a CO₂ sink when SOC storage is not saturated, whereas soil is just a CO₂ reservoir when SOC storage is saturated.

Determining how to monitor emis/activities

Recommendations

- Items that shall be monitored and reported include basic information on agricultural activities, such as water management and rice productivity.
- Criteria for appropriately implementing project water management shall be determined based on the definition of project water management, the required level of assurance, the spatial scale of project area, and the limitations imposed by MRV costs.

Information candidate	Item examples
Weather	Precipitation, air temperature, extreme events
Water use	Irrigation volume, pump fuel usage
Agricultural practices	Event date, fertilizer, agrochemicals
Water management	Surface water level, dates of irrigation and drainage
Rice productivity	Growth stage, disease and pests, grain yield
Soil properties	Moisture conditions, C concentration

Establishing monitoring system

Considerations

- Items and their collection methods may depend on the spatial scale of project and the required level of assurance.
- **Video** and **photographs** can be used to monitor (qualitative) items.

Table. Candidate criteria for water management and the characteristics

Criteria	Monitoring method	Advantage/drawback
Surface water level	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Automated sensor/logger• Manual reading with gauge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Direct evidence to demonstrate• Heterogeneity of soil surface level
Irrigation volume	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Water gauge• Estimation from pump fuel/time	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Applicable from field to tract• Need precip. data for correction
Soil moisture status	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Automated sensor/logger• Manual sampling	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Most scientific evidence• Need scientific background• Heterogeneity of soil surface level
Precipitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nearby weather station• Rain gauge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Applicable from field to tract• Need irrigation volume data

Monitoring and calculating emis/activities

Recommendations

- Data essential for CH₄ emission calculation are (1) **EF and SF**, (2) the **area** of project, and (3) the **duration** of project period.
- Uncertainties associated with the calculated results should be quantified to meet the principle of “**conservativeness**.”

Considerations

- EF, SF, area size, and duration need to be determined in advance.
- **Model simulation** is a sophisticated approach for GHG calculations in a wide area, but it requires many input parameters.

$$E = EF \times SFw \times SFp \times SFo \times SFs,r \times A \times Y \times GWP$$

Three currently available techniques for V

	Technique 1 Reviewing reported materials	Technique 2 Comparison with other independent datasets	Technique 3 On-site direct monitoring
GHG emissions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculation equations and errors • Auxiliary data • Uncertainty range 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National inventory rep. • National communication • Published papers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chamber measurement
Area of cultivation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculation errors • Lack of data • Uncertainty range 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistics • GIS-derived data • Published papers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Location survey
Volume of irrigation and drainage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logbook (water gauge and pump) • Uncertainty range 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Precipitation data • Data related to irrigation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Performance of water gauge and pump
Surface water level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logbook (water level gauge) • Uncertainty range 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Precipitation data 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Performance of water level gauge • Spatial variability
Straw management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logbook • Photos 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GIS-derived data (after harvest) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspection (after harvest)



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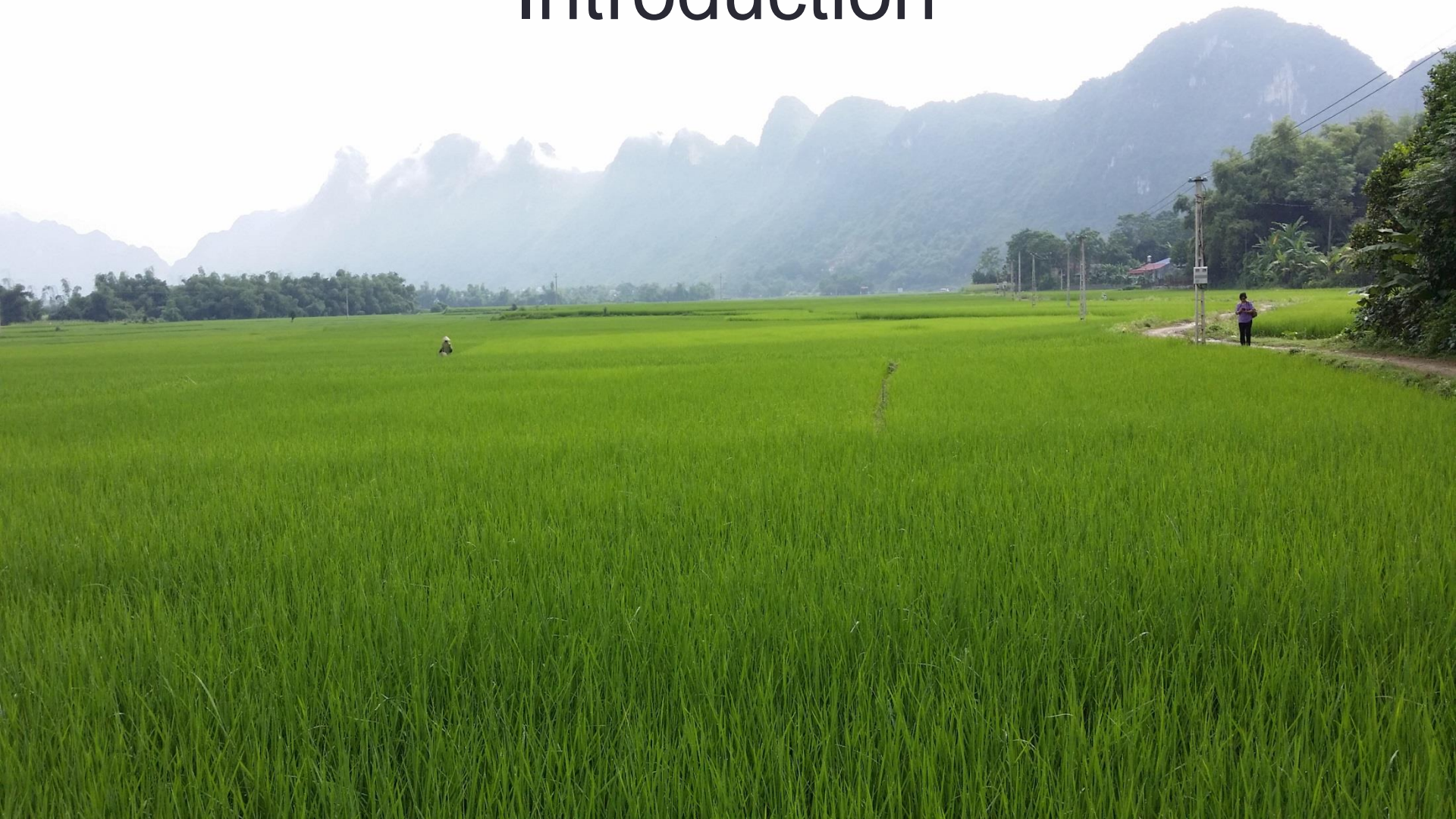
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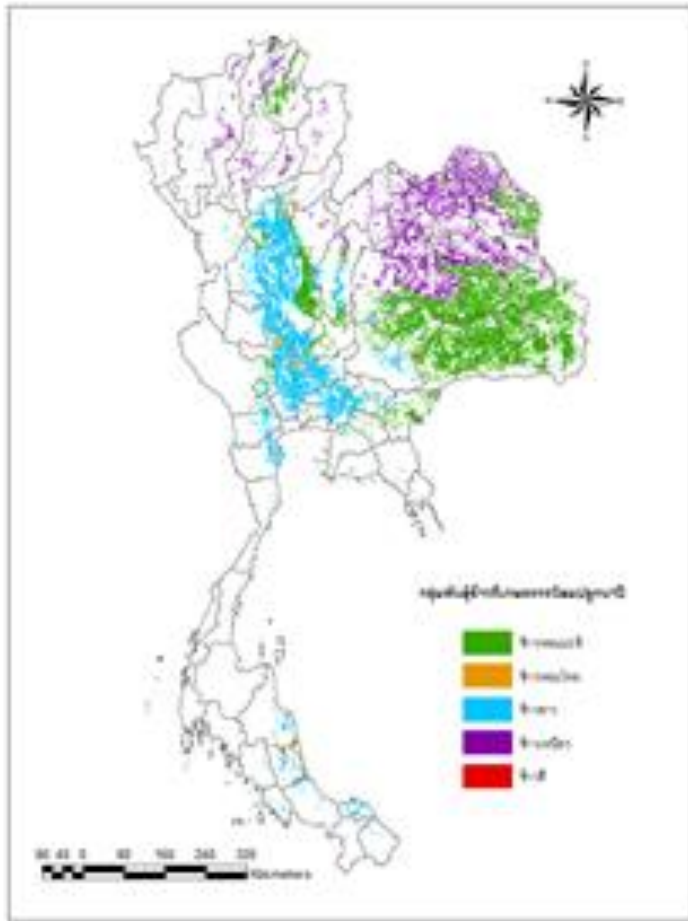
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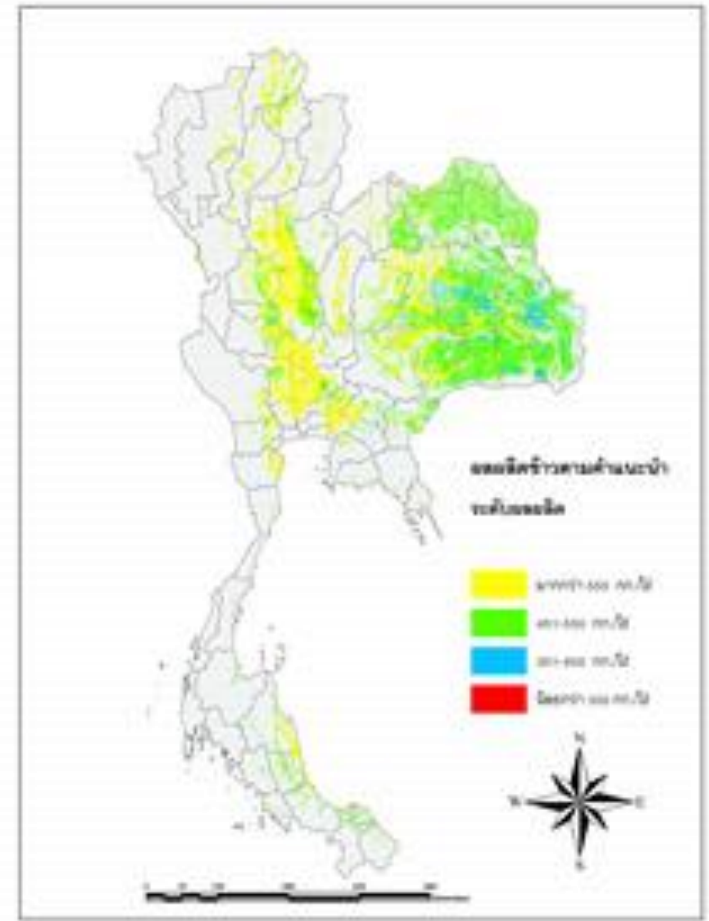
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Rice Variety Groups



Rice Yield

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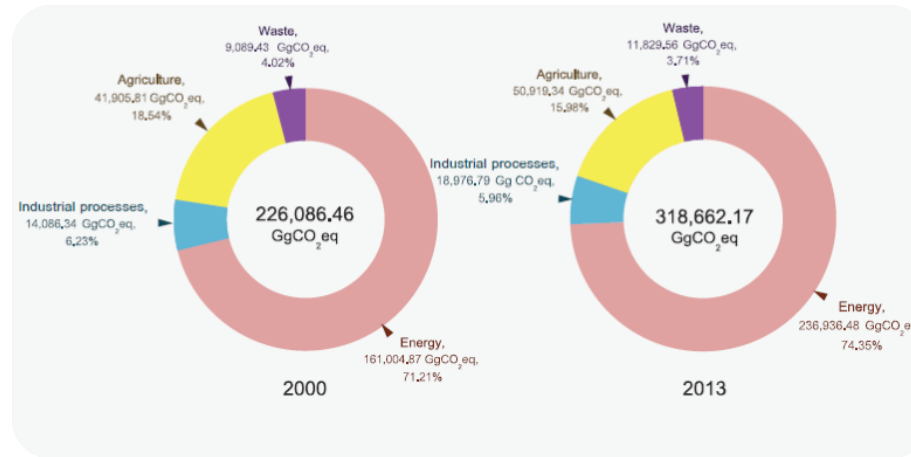
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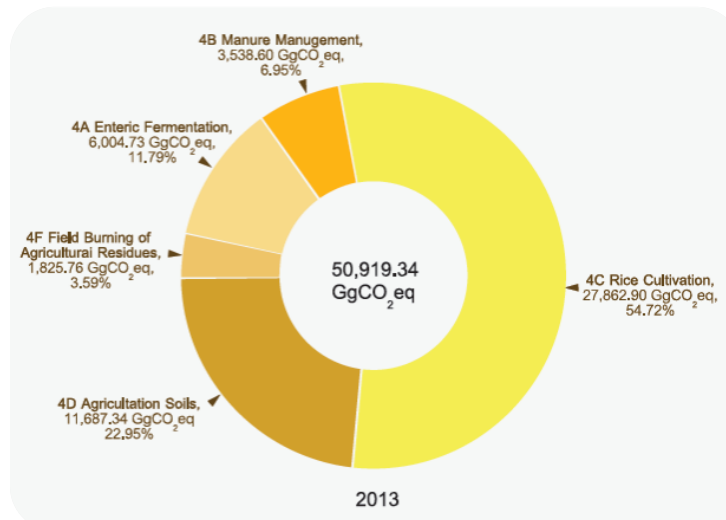
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GHG emission and rice cultivation



Total GHG emissions by sector: 2000–2013



GHG emissions in the agriculture sector: 2013

The Project Overview





Minister of Agriculture and Cooperatives of Thailand, and 40 participants attending the Thai Rice NAMA Project Meeting at the Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives (MoAC) on 20 June 2017.

Thai agricultural sector contributes to global efforts for climate change mitigation officially



Rice Department (RD)



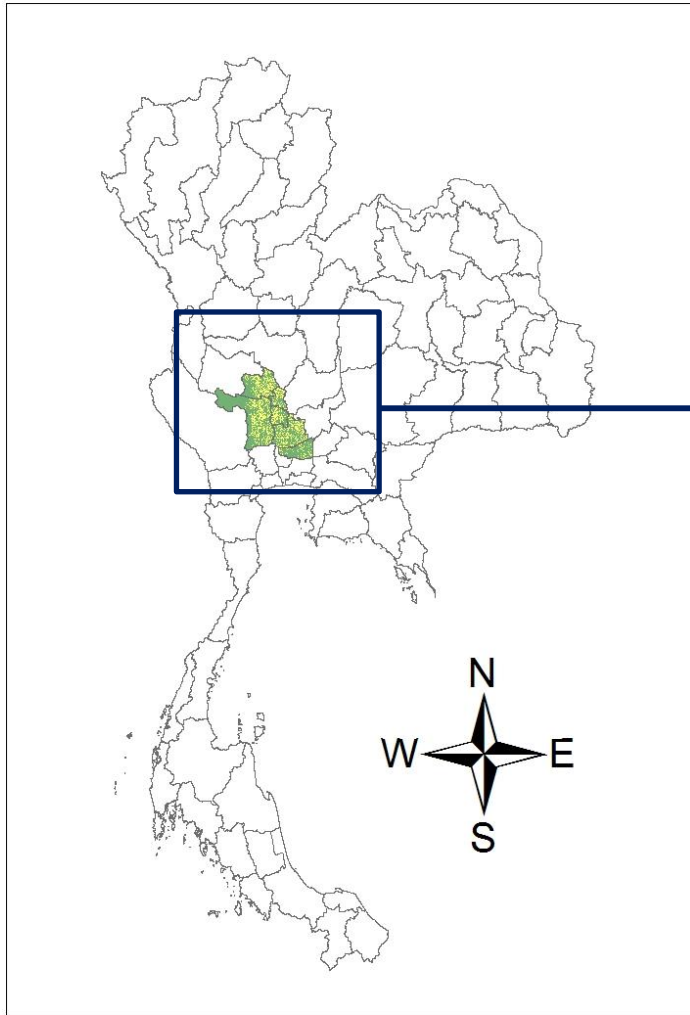
Rice Department (RD), under the MoAC, which is a member of the National Committee on Climate Change, is the main implementing agency for the sustainable development of the rice sector. The RD participates and coordinates the implementation of the Thai Rice NAMA". (Mr. Anan Suwannarat, Rice Department Director General (now is Permanent Secretary))



Fact of Thai Rice NAMA

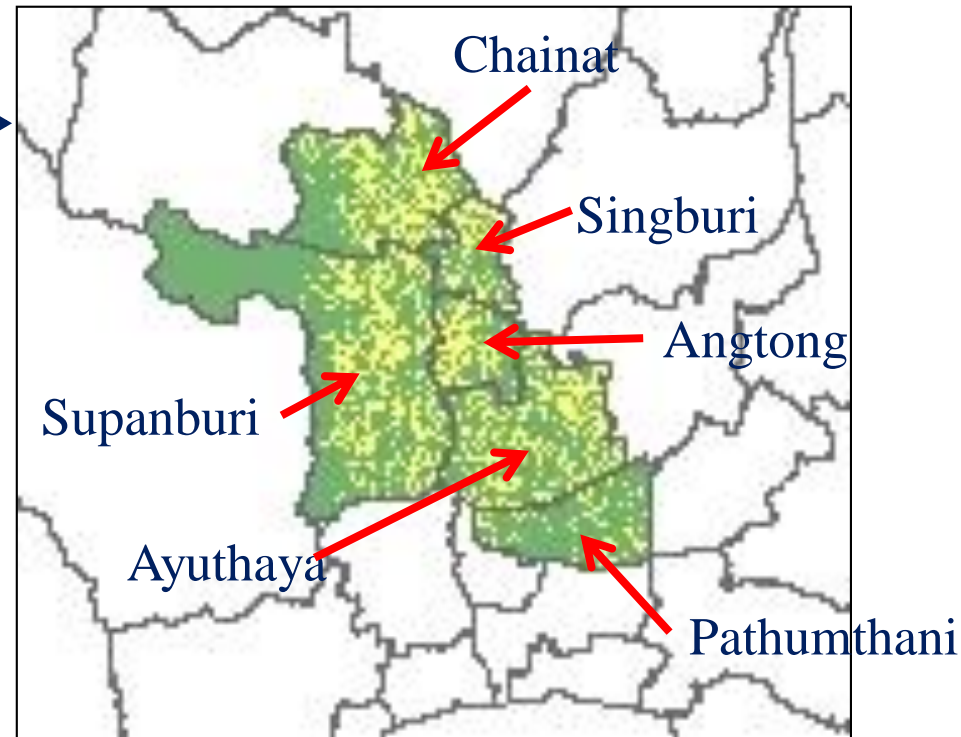
Partner Ministries	Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives; Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment
(Co-) Applicant	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GmbH)
Status	Implementation

Thai Rice NAMAs Project Area



Target area: Chainat, Singburi, Angtong,
Supanburi, Ayuthaya and
Pathumthani

Target farmers: 100,000 HHs



Target Area

Overview of Thai Rice NAMA

Goal

To achieve transformational change through a paradigm shift from conventional to low-emission farming (AWD, chemical fertilizer and rice straw management) in Thailand

Objectives

- **Farmers have adopted the SRP** Standard/GAP++ and thereby reduce GHG emissions and realize additional co-benefits.
- **Mitigation services** are provided in the market and utilized by the farmers to achieve SRP certification.
- **Innovative incentive schemes** are established on the national level to support the transformation of the whole rice sector to low-emission production.

Duration

- 5 years from Aug 2018 – Aug 2023

Budget

- 14.9 million Euro

* Thai Rice NAMA is a pilot project in developing low-carbon rice farming approach.

Project Target

- 100,000 farmer households in irrigated areas of the six target provinces (Chainat, Angthong, Pathum Thani, Singburi, Ayutthaya, and Suphanburi, and nearby watershed areas)
- Benefit 450,000 farmer household members and 2,100 mitigation service providers
- Target rice farming areas: 2,846,376 rai in wet season and 2,846,376 rai in dry season
- Total annual rice yield at 3,984,926 tons in 5th year (1,992,463 tons in wet season 2022 and 1,992,463 tons in dry season 2022/2023)*
- Reduce GHG emissions by 1.73 million tCO₂eq over 5 years of project implementation

Central Plain

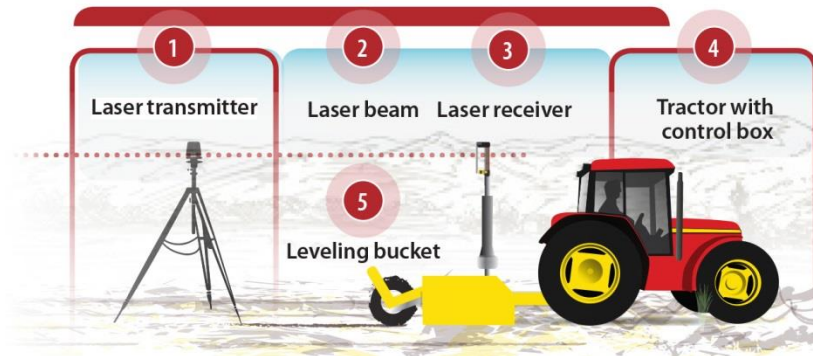


* Average yield is 0.7 ton/rai and 100% adoption rate

The Partners for the implementation the Thai Rice NAMA project

- Rice Department, Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives
- GIZ (The GIZ is owned by the German government)
- Office of Natural Resources and Environmental Policy and Planning
- Department of Agricultural Extension
- Royal Irrigation Department, Land Development Department
- Bank for Agriculture and Agricultural Cooperatives
- Office of Agricultural Economics
- National Bureau of Agricultural Commodity and Food Standards

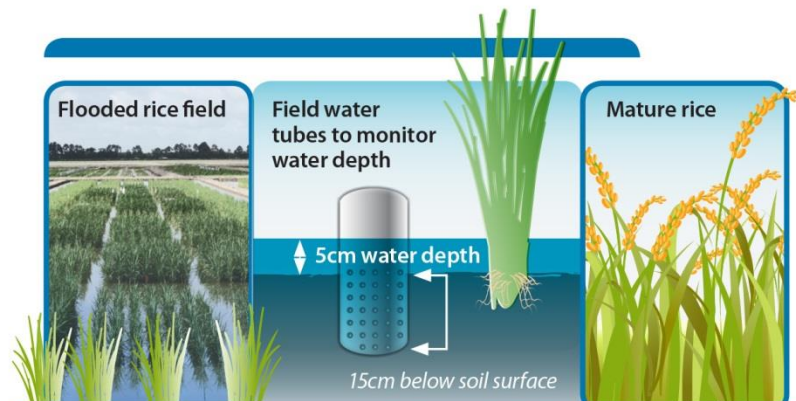
Mitigation Technologies



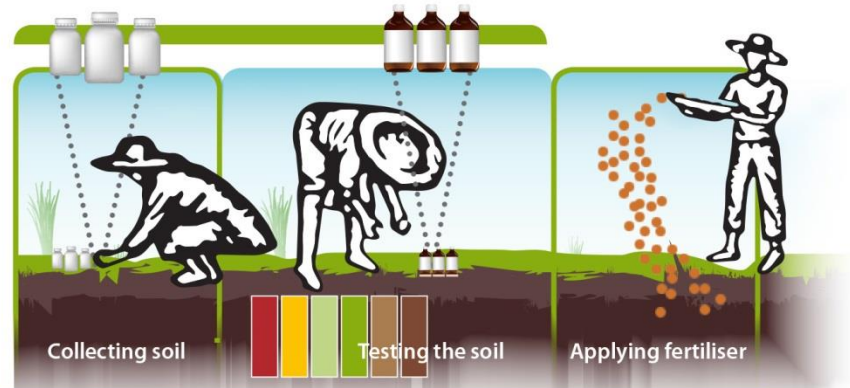
Laser Land Levelling



Straw and Stubble Management

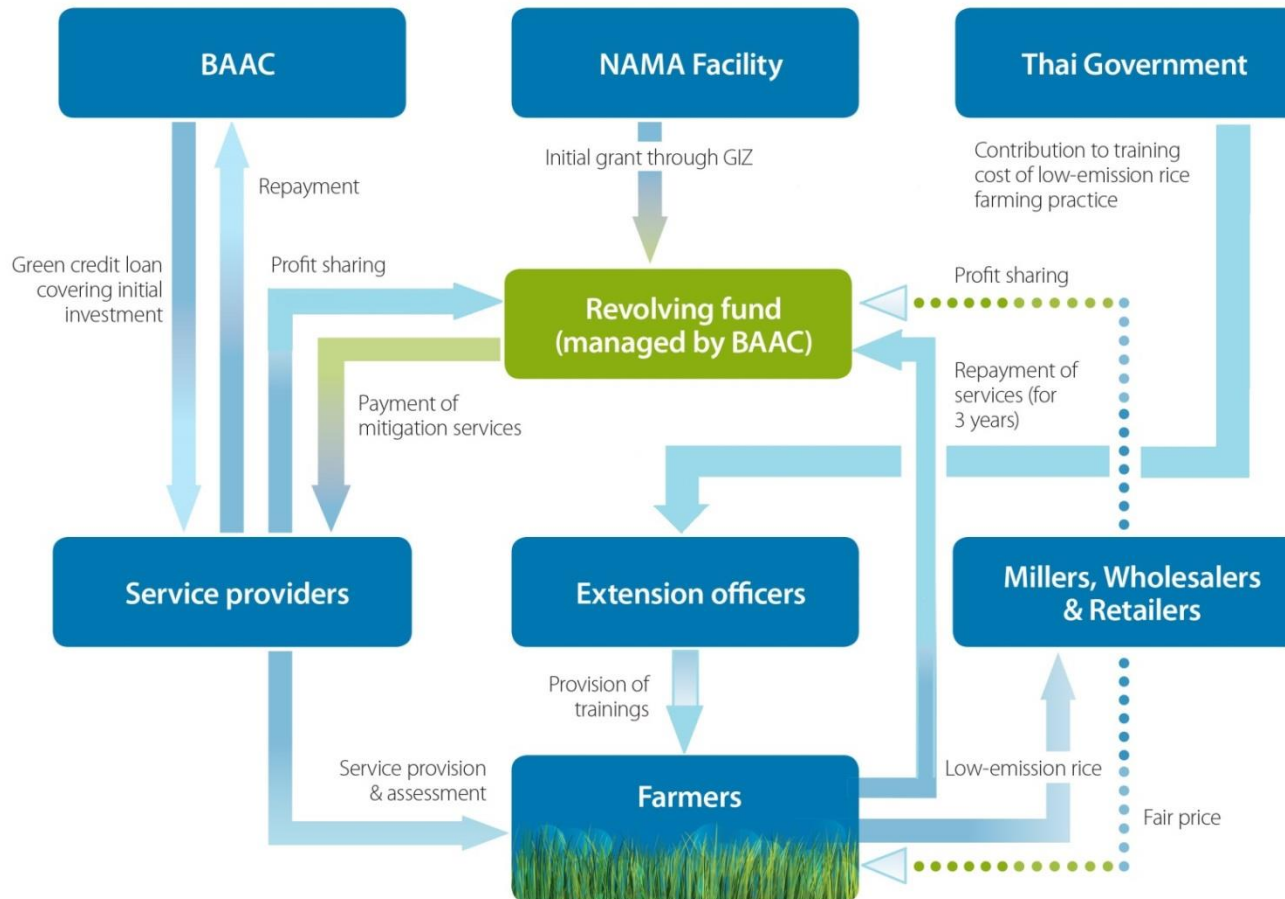


Alternate Wetting and Drying



Site-specific Nutrient Management

Financial Mechanisms



The project plan



The Project Plan

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The scaling-up of climate-smart rice cultivation technologies in Thailand extends and implements along with rice policies:

- Consolidate rice farming (Big farm)
- Organic rice farming
- Niche market rice farming
- Community rice seed center
- Improving Agricultural commodity production efficiency learning center

Under the collaboration of stakeholders

Thank for all Partners and Thank for Your Attention



Implemented by



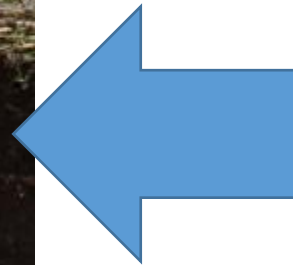
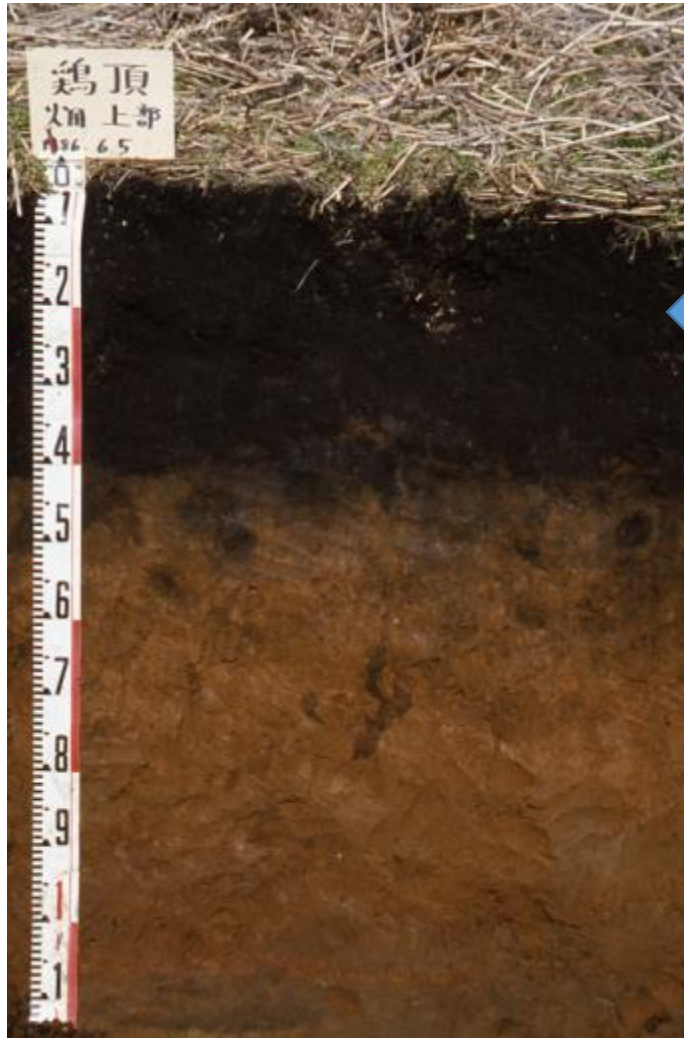
Soil C sequestration for sustainable food production and climate change mitigation

Yasuhito Shirato Ph.D.

Research Manager for Climate Change
Institute for Agro-Environmental Sciences (NIAES)
National Agriculture and Food Research Organization (NARO)



Soil carbon (C) sequestration & climate change mitigation



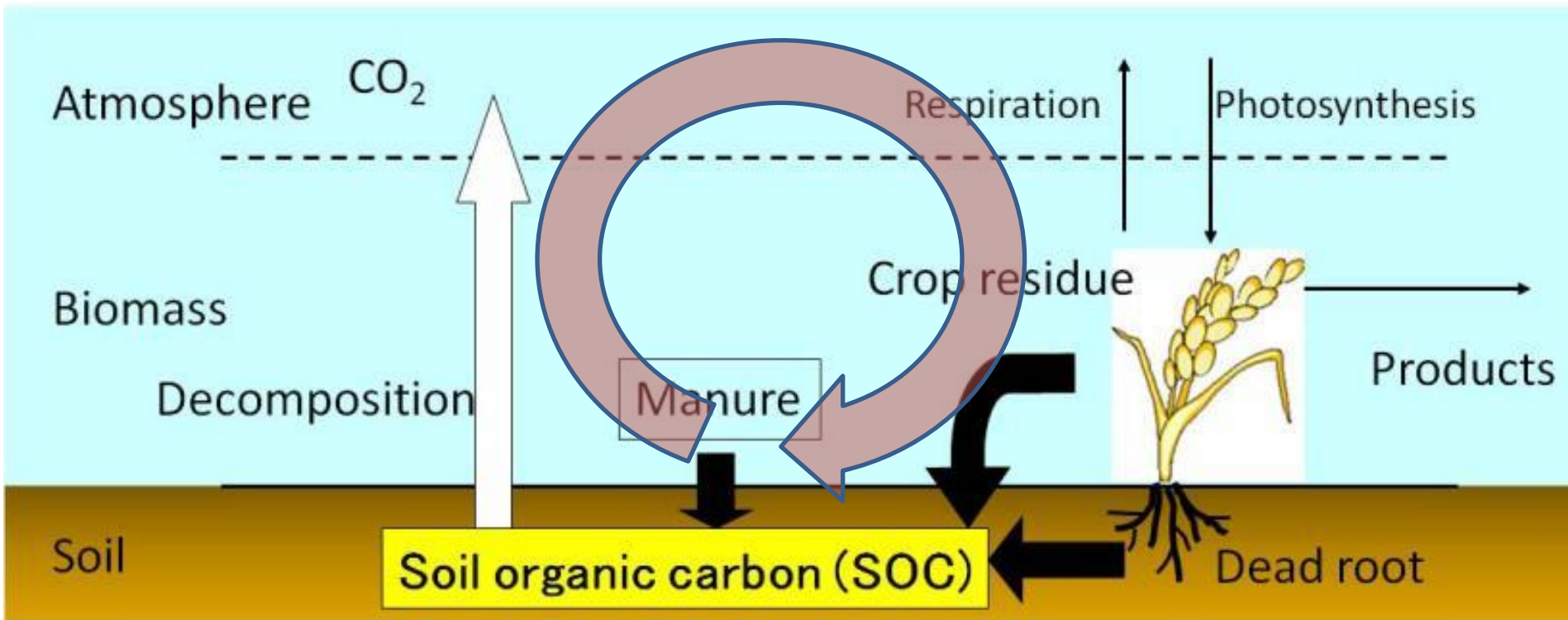
"Carbon" accumulated
as black-colored "soil
organic matter"

Dark-colored soils have higher
concentration of carbon



Andosol (Japan) profile~ 1m

C cycle and soil C sequestration



• In cropland, C in “biomass” does not change in longer time-scale. **Increase in SOC means decrease in atmospheric CO_2** → sink of CO_2 . → Mitigation

For increasing SOC:

Increase C input or decrease decomposition rate.

Difference between soil C sequestration and other GHGs mitigation

Soil C sequestration	CH ₄ and N ₂ O mitigation
Positive effect on soil fertility → contribute to food security	
Not only emission reduction. Possible to be “sink”	Emission reduction

Positive correlation between soil C and crop yield

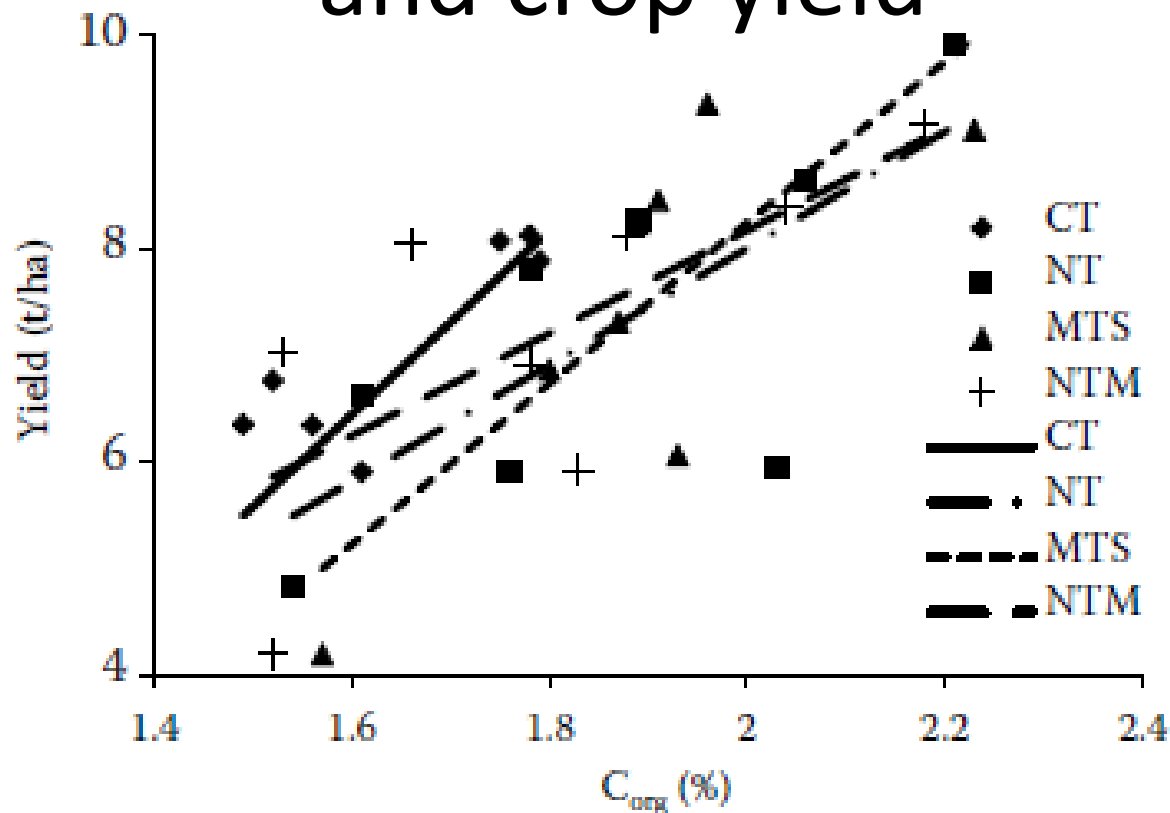
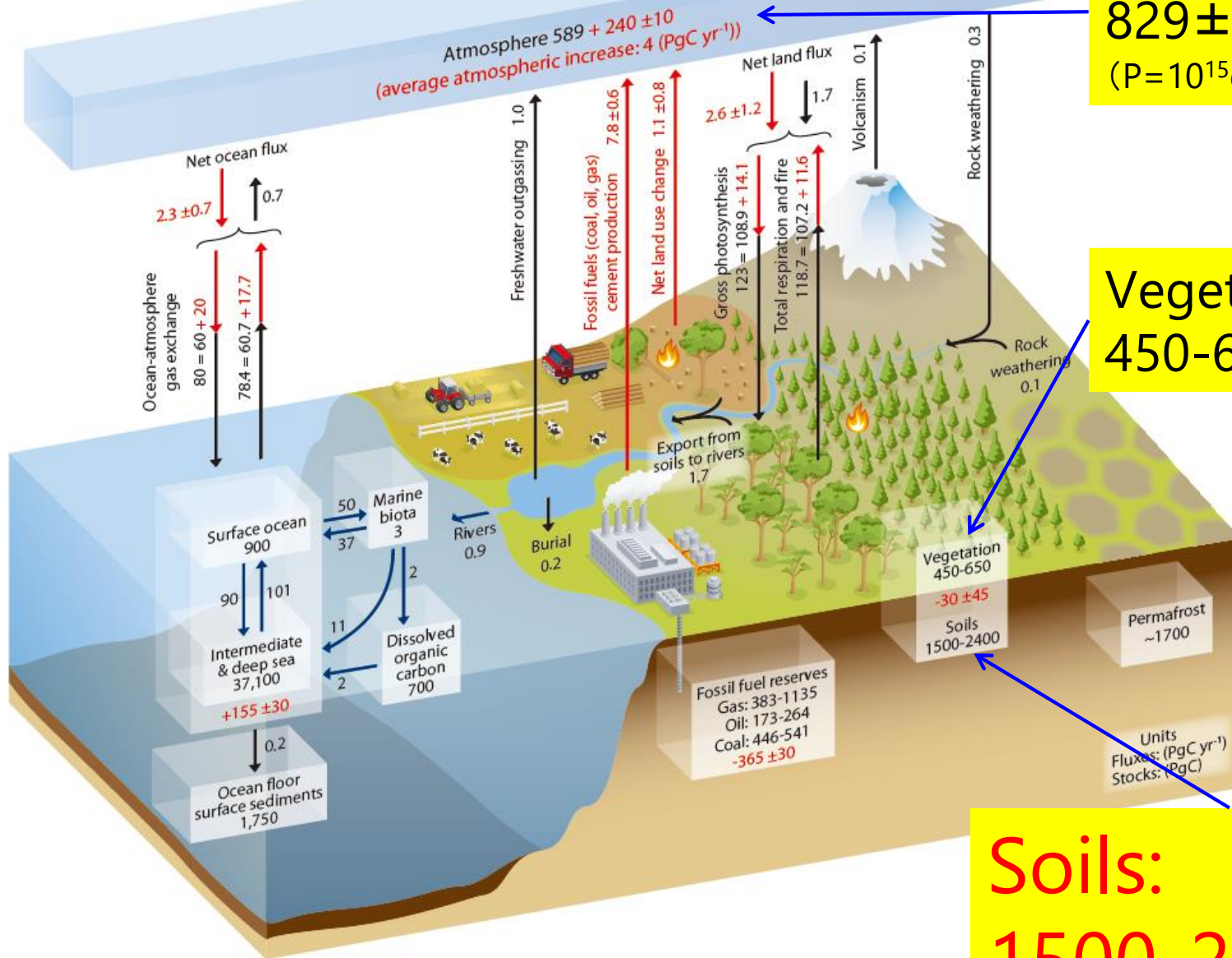


Figure 4. Relationship between winter wheat yields and values of organic C content in topsoil under different tillage systems during the period 2002 to 2009. CT – conventional tillage; NT – no tillage; MTS – minimum tillage + straw; NTM – no tillage + mulch

Global Carbon cycle (IPCC AR5, 2013)



Atmosphere:
 $829 \pm 10 \text{ Pg}$
($P = 10^{15} \text{ g}$)

Vegetation:
 $450-650 \text{ Pg}$

Soils:
 $1500-2400 \text{ Pg}$

The 4 per 1000 initiative

- Launched in 2015 @ Paris COP 21
- Increase of 0.4% of total terrestrial SOC annually can offset annual increase in atmospheric CO₂
- Climate change mitigation & sustainable agricultural production
- Over 280 partners (countries, NGOs etc.)
- Scientific & Technical Committee (STC)
- 14 scientist from the world
- Give technical advice



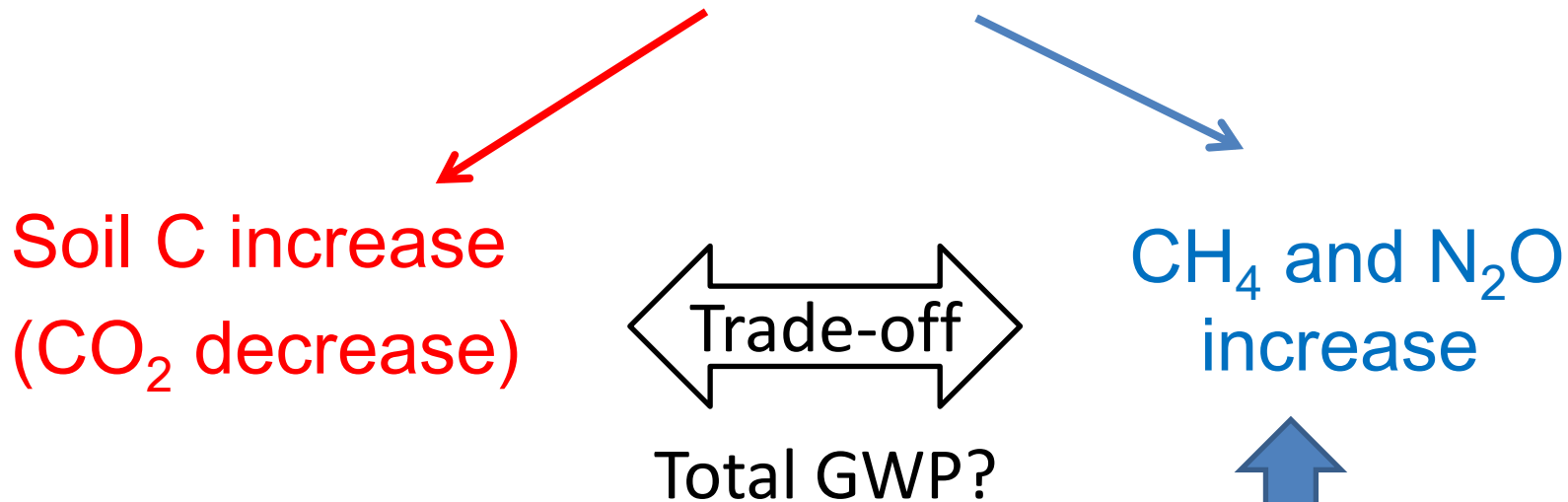
Criticisms

- Slogan (soil C as win-win strategy) is welcome for all, but criticisms on 0.4% target exists
1. Trade-off with other GHGs
 2. Too ambitious target
 3. Equilibrium and non-permanency

1. Trade-off:



need to evaluate total Global Warming Potential (GWP)

e.g. Mitigation option: “Increase C inputs to soils”

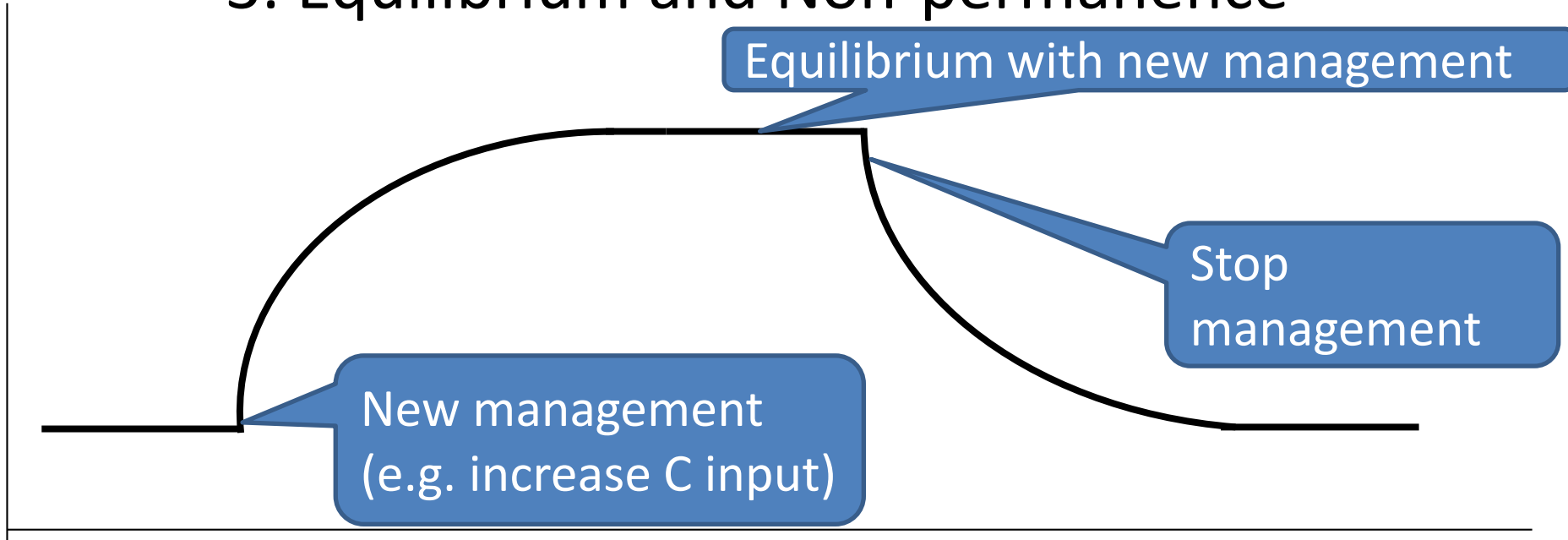


Combination with other mitigation option
e.g. Paddy water management to offset this

2. Too ambitious target

- 0.4% per year (slope) is not feasible quantitatively: estimates are too high globally but also locally 
- Large variability of SOC storage rates depending on soil type and climatic conditions and management options.
- Even an additional storage, less than 4‰ would help mitigate CO₂ emissions.
- Farmers will not be able to adopt it: social and economical constraints (costs, need for continuous financial incentives) 
- Address first the farm sustainability (SOC storage is likely to come with success in sustainable production).
- Demonstrate the benefits of soil carbon and related incentives.

3. Equilibrium and Non-permanence



- C storage is limited with time (equilibrium) and the rate of storage starts decreasing once storage is initiated.
- Even an additional storage over a few decades would help mitigate CO₂ emissions.
- Predictions must account for these kinetics.
- Non permanence of SOC storage
- Management practices should be sustainable in terms of crop production.

Advantages of paddy soils

- Slow decomposition under anaerobic condition
- Large amount of C enter soils as roots and stubbles even though straw is removed

More sustainable system than
upland crop system

Let's join the 4per1000!



- Although there are lots of criticisms
- To achieve food security and climate change mitigation

<https://www.4p1000.org/c>

Thank you for your attention!

C – Feedback and comments on workshop design and content

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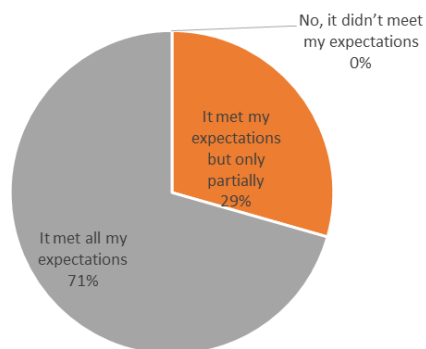
Meeting participants' expectation

Motivation/ expectation from pre-workshop survey (summarized)

- Networking, linkage, collaboration and partnership
- Gain knowledge on climate change effect on rice-based farming system and its mitigation and adaptation
- Share experiences and learn from other economies: scale up, mitigation, adaptation
- Learn mitigation technologies in rice cultivation as well as tools in monitoring, data validation of reduced emission
- Pros and cons/ trade-off of mitigation technology in rice cultivation
- Firm action plan designed to promote and implement CSA
- Learn current initiatives and practices in the region
- Exchange ideas

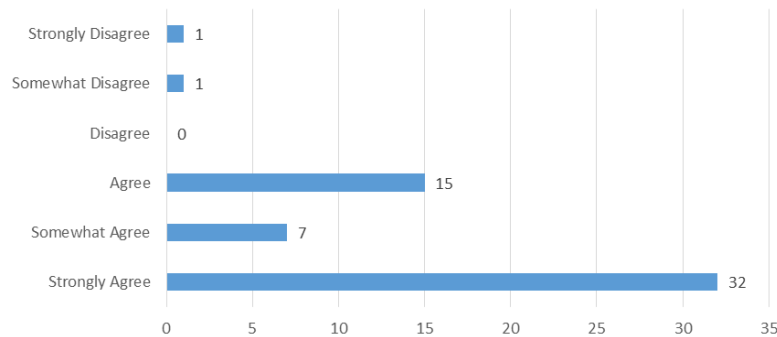
Response from pre-workshop survey

Did the workshop meet your overall expectations?



Respondents' level of satisfaction

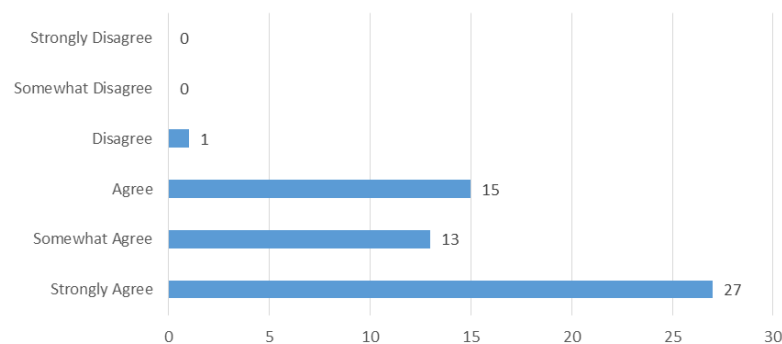
The objective of the workshop is clearly defined



Feedbacks

- + Informative
- + Clearly spelled out up front and checked at end of workshop
- + Well written
- + Follow the roadmap and multiple activities

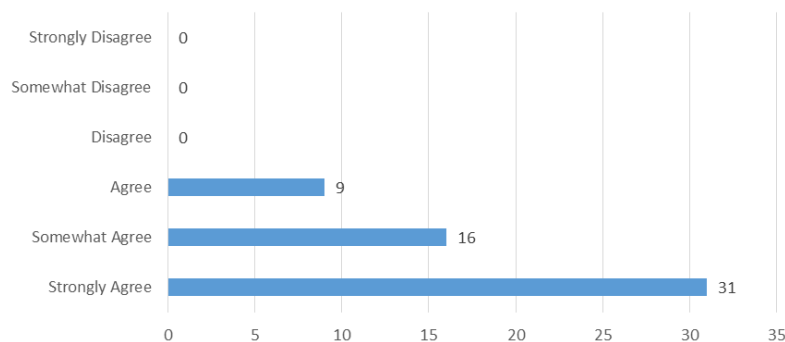
The workshop achieved its intended objectives



Feedbacks

- + Informative
- + Multiple actions
- + Well-organized workshop
- + enthusiastic discussion
- + Clear agenda
- + Well written and clearly explained

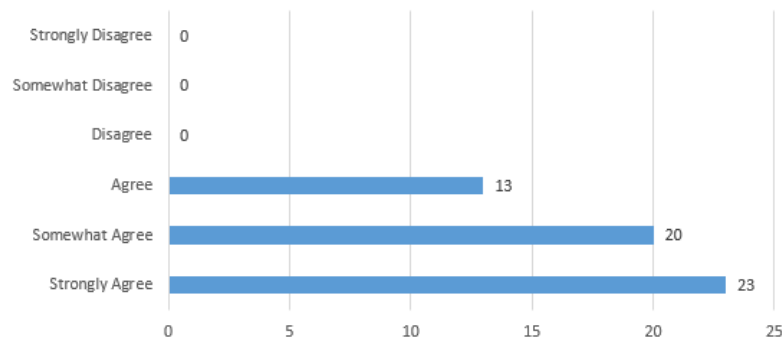
The agenda items and topics were relevant



Feedbacks

- + All papers are relevant
- + topics are suitable
- Some items are too long
- Quite cramp
- Need some successful agribusiness
- Landscape approach
- Roadmap

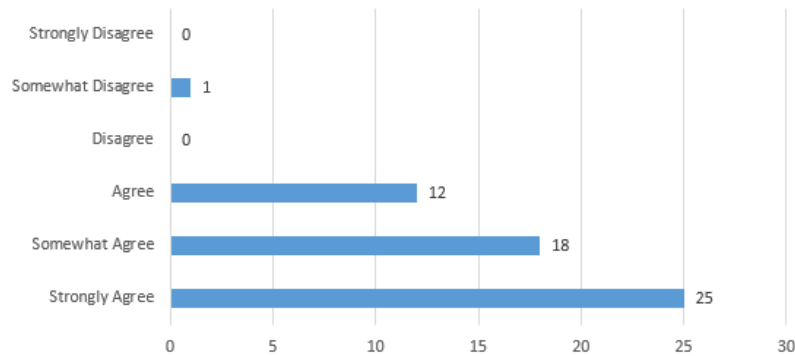
The sessions were well-structured and easy to be followed



Feedbacks

- + fun
- + Clear roadmap
- Confusing
- Need time monitoring

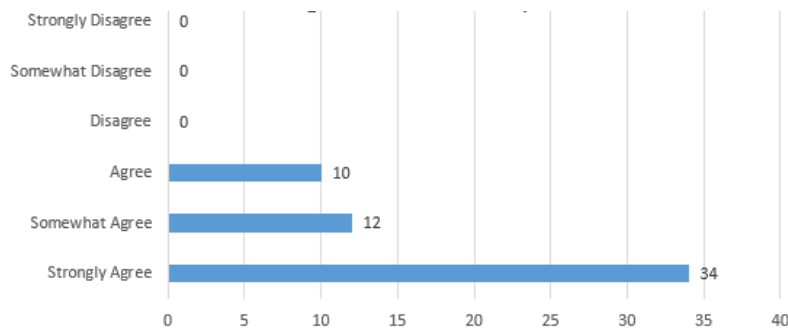
The workshop materials and other resources are useful



Feedbacks

- + useful
- + Sufficient
- Picture on screen are blurred
- Provide presentation slides in advance
- Upload presentations instantly

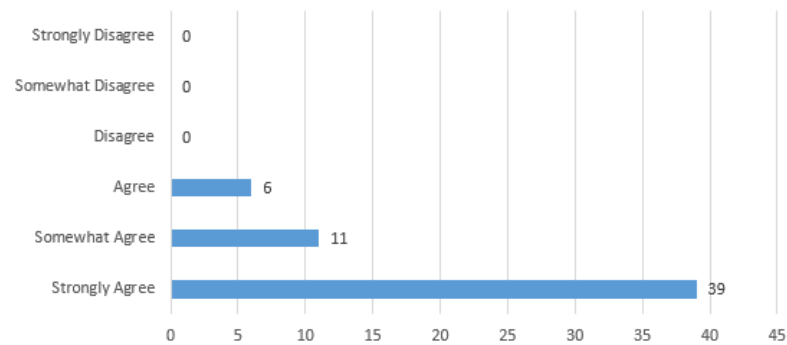
The moderators and the presenters were well-prepared and knowledgeable about the topic



Feedbacks

- + Experienced
- + Hands-on
- + Clear instruction
- + Relevant

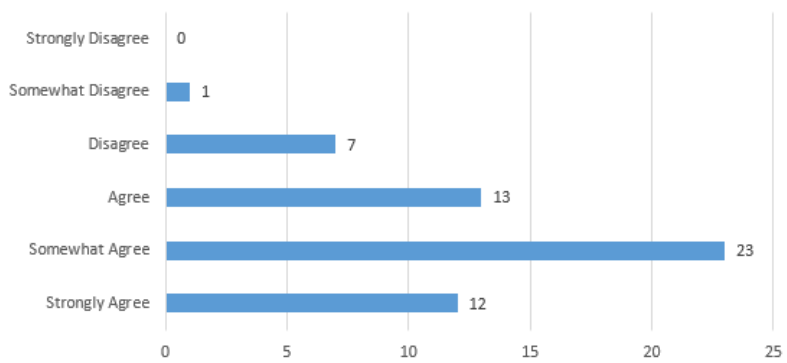
The organizers were really accessible and helpful



Feedbacks

- + Prompt response to queries and request for assistance
- + Well-informed
- More information needed

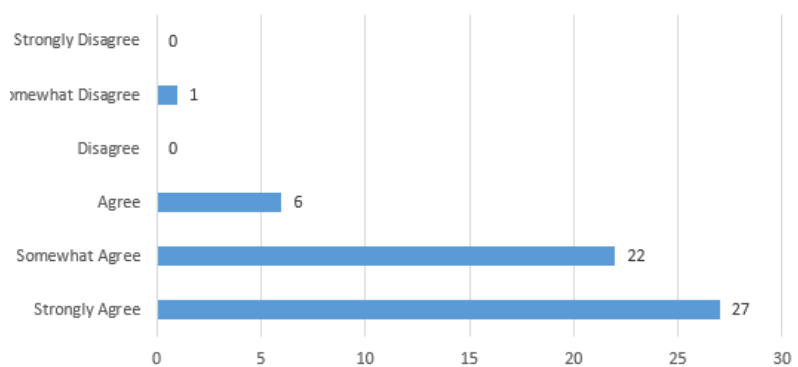
The time allotted for each session was sufficient**



Feedbacks

- + Punctual
- + For a 3-day period it was just appropriate
- More time is needed for group work
- Too short
- Can be improved

The instructions for the interactive sessions were clear and they were well moderated



Feedbacks

- + Well explained and guided
- + Clear structure
- Can be improved
- Make it simpler

Suggestion on workshop

Suggested topics

- Fund mobilization
- Resources management and advocacy
- Analysis of climate change situation of each country
- Climate change adaptation
- Climate value change model
- Adaptation strategy share
- Crop physiology in relation to tolerance
- Information on accounting tools of GHG emission in rice based ecosystem
- More evidence of new climate change technologies
- Institutional approach examples
- Emission factor
- Inventory of country level activities (online)

Comments on the covered topics

- Presentations has to be integrated in thinking of country-level representatives in real-time
- More technical results from country participants
- Focus more on proposal development
- More emphasize on country experience
- Best practices

Suggestion on workshop logistics

- Provide hard copy notes
- Provide participant's contact for further collaboration
- Question/ discussion per session not per presentation
- Funding session could have been through brochures
- Set up table to have more interactions
- Provide advance copies of presentation/paper materials to participants
- The menu must be varied and accommodate to all participants
- Field trip to relevant case study

Suggestion on timing

- Start 8:30 in the morning
- Arrangement for timing of presentation
- Time management
- Reduce time for game
- More accurate on time management

Suggestion on participants

- Invite other stakeholders like selected local government participants and policy makers
- Bring environment/NRM line ministries as participants in addition to ah ministries/research

Suggestion on language

- Adjustment of language especially with jargon
- More effort to accommodate participants with limited English language skills

New workshop idea

- To include or to have climate -smart- resilience - sustainable landscape & adaptation workshop

D – Participants list

Participants (Speakers)

S/N	Title	Name	Position	Organization
1	Mr.	Ali Pramono	Researcher	Indonesian Agricultural Environment Research Institute, Ministry of Agriculture
2	Ms.	Kristine Samoy Pascual	Senior Science Research Specialist	Philippine Rice Research Institute
3	Mr.	Nghia Trong Hoang	Researcher	Hue University of Agriculture and Forestry
4	Dr.	Kazunori Minamikawa	Senior Researcher	Japan International Research Center for Agricultural Sciences

Participants (from the 11 travel-eligible economies only)

Economy	Title	Name	Position	Organization
Chile	Dr.	Viviana Becerra	Senior Researcher in Rice Genetics and Agronomy	Agricultural Research Institute of Chile (INIA)
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	Dr.	WAN Yunfan	Associate Professor	Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development in Agriculture, Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences
Indonesia	Dr.	Helena Lina Susilawati	Researcher	Indonesian Agricultural Environment Research

Economy	Title	Name	Position	Organization
				Institute
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		Mohd Hasmady bin Ghazali	Agriculture Office	Department of Agriculture, Malaysia
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	Mr.	Wilfredo Collado	Supervising Science Research Specialist	Philippine Rice Research Institute
	Dr.	Bjoern Ole Sander	Senior Scientist	International Rice Research Institute
Viet Nam	Professor	Pham Quang Ha	Deputy Director General	Institute for Agricultural Environment
	Dr.	Vu Duong Quynh	Deputy Head Department of Environmental Chemistry	Institute for Agricultural Environment
	Dr.	Dong Thi Hoang Tran	Lecturer	Hue University of Agriculture and Forestry
	Dr.	Ly Hai Hoang	Lecturer	Hue University of Agriculture and Forestry