

Development of MRV system of Methane emissions from Rice paddies in the Mekong delta





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Cycle from Observation to Countermeasure



Each country must submit INDC (Intended Nationally Determined Contributions) to UNFCCC before 2020

Modified from Yasuoka 2015



 Continuously flooded nearly through a year
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High straw production



 Anaerobic stress for rice production
 High GHGs emission

- (Alternate Wetting and Drying)
- Irrigation-water saving
 Anaerobic-stress mitigation
 GHGs mitigation





Rice farmers participatory field observation



Characteristics of the Mekong delta



Greenhouse gas emission derived from rice straw use



Left on soil

- Feedstuffs for livestocks
- Compost for vegetable cropping
- Compost for Mushroom cultivation
- Free transfer to mushroom farmers
- mushroom farmers



Greenhouse gas emission derived from straw burning - Comparison among different straw size and moisture -



- Reduction of irrigation rate & GHGs (2012-2016)

- Increase of rice grains and its quality



Flow chart



IPCC guideline (Tier1) [Emission factor × Scaling factor in IPCC guideline]



Cropping calendar evaluation with MODIS-NDVI (LMF-KF) for GCOM-C



Arai et al., 2018

Semi-empirical daily CH₄ flux (mg C m⁻² hr⁻¹) Model





-Freeman-Durden decomposition-



Full-polarimetry (3m)



SCAN-SAR (25m)





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HH threshold (dB) = 0.550*HV+12.9*cosine(IA) -11.2



Simulation scheme with 25m-spatial resolution - Hysteresis of soil matric potential energy-



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Volumetric Soil Water Content [m³/m³]
https://slideplayer.com/slide/5038747/
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Irrigation, potential energy >> Side flow, ground water flow



Model structure



Implicit RK4 integration model WL = field water level Matric-potential at irrigation index (Di) = Σ (soil inundation rate before the irrigation, days after sowing, clay content)• α_i t = days after irrigation Gravitational-potential at irrigation index (G) = field water level after irrigation * β $\frac{dWL}{dt} = \gamma \exp \left(\delta * \{1 - \log[\exp(Di * (t - G)) + 2 + \exp(-Di * (t - G))]\} * Di * (t - G)\right)$ $- \frac{\delta * [\exp(Di * (t - G)) - \exp(-Di * (t - G))] * Di * (t - G)}{\exp(Di * (t - G)) + 2 + \exp(-Di * (t - G))}$ $+ Di * \{1 - \log[\exp(Di * (t - G)) + 2 + \exp(-Di * (t - G))]\} + rain-fall$

Irrigation function if *WL* < threshold : irrigate (i.e., *WL* += X)

Parameter update by the analysis with EO data



NICAM-TM(Chem)-LETKF with AMSU, PREPBUFR and GOSAT/Sentinel-5P



 \rightarrow GOSAT data assimilation with NICAM-TM!

Implementation of variable localization scheme in NICAM-TM-LETKF (PREPBUFR&GOSAT)



Back ground covariance matrices

Kang et al., 2012

Increment of XCH₄ (ppb, 950 hpa) w/ VL

75

-25

-75

75

-25



Increment of XCH₄ (ppb, 950 hpa) w/o VL



2014051718-1803 Glevel 6, Inflation with RTPS=1 → Flux parameter estimation!

Economic assessment of GHG mitigation under various uncertainties

