Climate change security Security solutions in the context of climate change in Vietnam and Japan Dr. Nguyen Tai Tue





















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Strategic viewpoints

- Viet Nam's response to climate change must be closely attached to sustainable development toward a low-carbon economy
- To simultaneously adapt to climate change and reduce GHGs emission, focusing on adaptation in the early stage
- Response to climate change is a responsibility of the whole apparatus; the State's decisive role in management must be highlighted, enterprises' creativity and responsibility encouraged, socio-political and professional organizations and communities' participation and supervision brought into full play; it is also necessary to make full use of internal forces and international cooperation
- Measures to cope with climate change must be systematical, integrated, interdisciplinary, interregional, and suitable to specific stages and international stipulations; they must be based on scientific foundations, traditional experience and indigenous knowledge; they must take into account socioeconomic effects as well as risky and indefinite factors of climate change

Climate change security options

- Food security
- Water security
- Protecting and conserving forests
- Mitigating damages caused by natural disasters
- Greenhouse gas emission reduction

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Climate change adaptation solutions for security • Cool security • What is the food security? • Can you propose the adaptation solutions for increasing food security in the context of climate change in Vietnam? Particularly, Mekong Delta are the most vulnerable area to climate change, but there is an important food producing for Vietnam. • Discussion











































Food security

- To research, develop and introduce biotechnologies, apply advanced production processes for a modern agriculture which can adapt to climate change;
- To build and perfect a network of controlling and preventing diseases for crops and domestic animals under conditions of climate change;
- To design regimes and policies, to strengthen insurance system for mitigating risks in agricultural activities.





















Water security

- To improve, upgrade, repair and build irrigation works, hydroelectric plants, and systems of river dike and breakwaters which can effectively cope with floods, droughts, seal level rising, and salt contamination in the context of climate change;
- To complete general management processes and projects for scientific exploitation, protection and use of water resource in the context of climate change by 2050;
- To improve the management of water resource; to promote the realization of planning schemes and take synchronous measures for sustainable development of the country's water resource in the context of climate change. This work must be in the main fulfilled by 2020 and further completed in the following stages.



Climate change adaptation solutions for security

Protecting and conserving forests

- To speed up the schedule of afforestation and re-afforestation projects, encourage enterprises to invest in planting economic forests. Up to 2020, it is necessary to establish, manage, protect, develop and use 16.24 million hectares of land planned for forestry activities in a sustainable way; raise the forest coverage to 45%; sustainably and effectively manage 8.132 million ha of production forests, 5.842 million ha of preventive forests and 2.271 million ha of special-use forests;
- To preserve biodiversity, protect and develop ecosystems and species which can well resist climatic changes; to protect and preserve genes and species endangered by impacts of climate change;
- To craft and realize programs on reducing greenhouse gas emission through efforts of minimizing forest loss and deterioration, managing forest in a sustainable way, preserving and improving forests' absorption of carbon, and maintaining and diversifying local people's livelihood as well as helping them to adapt to climate change;





















Factor affecting sustainable development and climate change response











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Reduction of suspended sediments transported by river systems




















Climate change impacts





Climate change impacts

Climate change projection and human activities

Salinity intrusion (indicated by an increasing red colouration) for the alldriver scenario, including 30 cm of sealevel rise, development of all planned upstream reservoirs and irrigation schemes, and an increase in dry years



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A. Smajgl (2015)







Quiz

- Can you give some ideas to increase the climate security of Mekong Delta?
 - Adaptation
 - Mitigation





Conclusions

- The MD has an evolution based on a "dynamic system"
 - Major components to stabilize its natural development: water flow and sediments transported by the Mekong river system.
- These natural processes have been occurring for the last 8,000 years, but will be strongly affected by:
 - o A decline in river flow from the upstream,
 - Increase sea level rise and human activities
 - $\circ\;$ Main impacts from climate change and human activities: dam construction, sand mining and water utilization
 - Sea level rise, climate change, natural hazards.
- Recommended solutions for sustainable development in the context of climate change
 - Policies, scientific and technological solutions, education and training human resources and smart governance.
 - \circ Promote extensively and comprehensively diplomatic solutions and international cooperation
- Building MD "Smart Water Resources governance" for sustainable development.













Reducing GHGs emission in Vietnam

- · Developing new and recycled energies
- To review, plan and develop hydroelectric projects properly for various purposes, so that the total output capacity of hydroelectric plants can reach 20,000-22,000 MW by 2020;
- To renewable energy:
 - wind energy, solar energy, tidal energy, geothermal energy, biofuel, and universal energy;
 - implement policies on engaging socio-economic sectors in applying and popularizing renewable energies;
 - raise the percentage of renewable energy to 5% of the totality of energies by 2020 and 11% by 2050.



Reducing GHGs emission in Vietnam

Industrial production and construction:

- To research and apply new technologies of low greenhouse gas emission in industrial production; to speed up the replacement of fossil fuels with low-carbon ones; to popularize cleaner production, so that by 2020, 90% of industrial production facilities must use cleaner technologies and save energies, fuels, and materials;
- To enhance research and development of high technologies in key industries; by 2020, the added value of hi-tech industries must be raised to 42-45% of the total industrial production; to boost technological renovation through adopting high technologies and renewing 20% of machinery and equipment by 2020. The production value of hi-tech industries must be raised to 80% by 2050;
- To put forth and apply technical standards and norms of effective energy use in the production of materials and to construction projects.



Reducing GHGs emission in Vietnam

Transportation:

- To plan the system of transportation and improve its quality to international standards; to develop means of public transport in urban areas while controlling the growth of individual means of transport. By 2020, the system of public transport must in the main satisfy the society's demand for transportation. The modernization of a nationwide transport network and externallyorientated transport corridor must be completed by 2050;
- To introduce fuels of low greenhouse gas emission to means of transport; to encourage buses and taxis' consumption of compressed natural gas and liquefied gas, so that 20% of these vehicles will use such energies by 2020 and 80% by 2050;
- To set up and apply mechanisms and policies encouraging the use of energy-saving vehicles while getting rid of energyintensive ones.

Reducing GHGs emission in Vietnam

Agriculture

- To change methods of agricultural cultivation, use water, fertilizers and cattle-feed properly, manage and treat wastes from husbandry activities, develop and use biogas as fuels, reduce and reject out-of-date energy-intensive agricultural machinery.
- To boost green agricultural production of low emission in order to guarantee sustainable development and national food security as well as facilitate poverty reduction: The reduction of greenhouse gas emission, agricultural growth rate and poverty reduction should be maintained at 20% every 10 years.



Reducing GHGs emission in Vietnam

Waste management

- To make planning schemes for waste management in order to minimize recycle and reuse wastes for lower emission of greenhouse gases;
- To promote research and introduction of advanced waste treating technologies; to apply modern waste treating technologies in urban and rural areas; to strengthen the management, treatment and reuse of industrial and domestic sewage; by 2020, 90% of the total volume of urban domestic solid wastes should be gathered and treated, in which 85% is recycled and reused.













































































Type of Energy	Current FiT	Offtake Period	Type of project	Regulation	Effective date
Wind	8.5 cents	20 years	Onshore	Circular No. 02	28/2/2019
Wind	9.8 cents	20 years	Offshore	Circular No. 02	28/2/2019
Biomass	5.8 cents	20 years	Combined Heat Power Technology	Decision 24/2014	10/5/2014
Biomass	7.3 – 7.5 cents	20 years	avoided cost tariff for other technologies	Decision 24/2014	10/5/2014
Waste to Energy	10.05 cents	20 years	Direct burning/Incineration	Decision 31/2014	20/6/2014
Waste to Energy	7.28 cents	20 years	Biogas from landfill	Decision 31/2014	20/6/2014
Solar	9.35 cents	20 years	on-grid solar power projects that achieve commercial operation date ("COD") prior to 30 June 2019 (except projects in Ninh Thuan province)	Decision 11/2017	From 1/6/2017 to 30/6/2019
Solar	6.67 to 10.87 cents (still under proposed stage)	20 years	depending on the type and location of the project. The new regulation divided the FiT into 04 zones	New tariffs have been proposed, which are currently under discussion	from 1 July 2019 through 30 June 2021.

Low-carbon societies development in Vietnam

• Wind energy

- Bac Lieu province: nearshore
- Tuy Phong district, Binh Thuan province:

Province	n	Total power (MW)
Ca Mau	5	350
Bac Lieu	2	241.2
Soc Trang	6	1578
Tra Vinh	6	270
Ben Tre	11	1230
Binh Thuan	26	1516.5
Ninh Thuan	5	43903.2
Binh Dinh	3	112.1
Quang Tri	4	110
Quang Binh	2	300
Total	70	49611

















Quiz

• Do you think the development of wind energy/solar energy will has some positive and negative impacts on national security of Vietnam?










Partner countries	Start from	No. of JC	No. of registered projects	No. of approved methodologies	Pipeline (JCM Financing Programme & Demonstration Projects in FY 2013-2018)
Mongolia	Jan 2013	5	5	3	8
Bangladesh	Mar 2013	4	1	3	5
Ethiopia	May 2013	3		3	2
Kenya	Jun 2013	3		3	3
Maldives	Jun 2013	3	1	1	2
Viet Nam	Jul 2013	6	5	9	21
Lao PDR	Aug 2013	3	1	1	4
Indonesia	Aug 2013	8	13	16	33
Costa Rica	Dec 2013	2		3	2
Palau	Apr 2014	5	3	1	4
Cambodia	Apr 2014	4	1	2	6
Mexico	Jul 2014	2		1	5
Saudi Arabia	May 2015	2		1	1
Chile	May 2015	2		1	1
Myanmar	Sep 2015	2		1	6
Thailand	Nov 2015	4	4	7	26
Philippines	Jan 2017	1			8
Total	17	59	34	56	137 1

Low-carbon societies development in Vietnam





Low-carbon societies development in Vietnam To promote cooperation between academia with enterprises Research and development: · low carbon technology, green technology; high efficiency of energy production, use and management; · prioritization of JCM projects; · measures for JCM implementation. Promotion mechanism for transferring the LC technology and energy efficiency use/management technology To promote education-research and transfer Development of capacities in low carbon society development. Ecosystem, Environment, Economy NEXUS and JCM implementation and consultancy and knowledge transfer based on research, learning by doing, project and case study Better use of existing and trained human resource: how to be used such to be trained and educated!







Finding problems

- What do the action plans of Dutch-Vietnamese MKD plan, JICA, Vietnam Gov. support?
- What is negative impacts sea dyke on the evolution of the MKD?
- What are the soft measures?
- · What we should do to keep the food security target?
- · What are the recommendations for all-driver scenario?
- · What are the recommendations for hard adaptation scenario
- What do you think the best solutions for MKD adapts to climate change?
- What is different between stakeholder views and households in term of outmigration?
- What methods are used to measure household-level vulnerability?

















Homework 3

• Can you propose a indicator set to evaluate the climate change security in Vietnam?

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 indicator set to evaluate the climate change security 									
Dimension s	Indicators	Data <u>sources</u>	Calculating methods						
Food Security		The suite of f	DIMENSION						
Water security		Average dietar Average value Share of dietar Average prote Average supply	AVAILABILITY						
Freezer		Percentage of Road density Rail lines densi	PHYSICAL ACCESS						
security		Domestic food price index			ECONOMIC ACCESS				
		Access to impro	Access to improved water sources Access to improved sanitation facilities						
	Cereal import dependency ratio Percentage of arable land equipped for irrigation Value of food imports over total merchandise exports		or irrigation handise exports	VULNERABILITY					
		Political stabili Domestic food Per capita food Per capita food	ty and absence of viole price volatility I production variability I supply variability	nce/terrorism	SHOCKS				





Human resource for CC response

· Policies to strengthen human resources

- The implementation of human resource training and development for climate change will be difficult, but it is an important political task.
- It is necessary to create opportunities for scientists, especially young scientists, to engage in climate change research so that they can get new knowledge in climate change research and gain experience in working with leading climate change experts.
- Accurate research results on climate change will be an important basis for updating and improving the database on knowledge on climate change, and textbook materials for training and human resources development.







Vietnam Policies and Legal Documents on Climate Change

- 1. The PM's Directive on organizing the implementation of the Kyoto Protocol under UNFCCC11;
- The plan for organizing the implementation of the Kyoto Protocol under UNFCCC for the period 2007 – 2010;
- 3. The National Target Program for Responses to Climate Change (NTP) 2008;
- 4. National strategy on climate change 2011;
- National target program on climate change for the period 2012 – 2015;
- National Action Plan on climate change for the period 2012 – 2020;
- 7. National Green Growth Strategy 2012;
- 8. Project for management of GHG emission and carbon credit trading activities to the world market 2012;







National Climate Change Strategy

Strategic tasks

A. Adaptation

- 1: Actively respond to natural disasters and monitor climate change
- 2: Ensuring food security and water security
- 3: Respond to rising sea levels for vulnerable areas

B. Mitigation + Adaptation

4: Protection and sustainable development of forests and biodiversity conservation for effective response to climate change

C. Mitigation

5: Reducing emissions and enhance greenhouse gases sequestration to contribute to the protection of the Earth's climate system

D. Cross-cutting

- 6: Strengthen the Government's leading role in responding to climate change
- 7: Develop measures for communities to effectively respond to climate change
- 8: R&D in science and technology to serve responding to climate change

9: Strengthen international cooperation and integration in global community on climate change issues

10: Diversification of financial resources and investment for responding to climate change



National Climate Change Strategy

IMPLEMENTATION PHASES

• From now to 2012:

- Urgent and unpostponable adaptation activities;
- Capacity building, strengthening science and technology R&D
- Review, adjust and supplement mechanisms and policies in accordance with domestic and international conditions.

• 2013 - 2025:

 To become an industrialized country, strengthen adaptation and mitigation activities in association to socio-economic development of the country.

• 2026 - 2050:

- Reduce GHG emissions become principles of socio-economic development activities.
- Strategy will be reviewed and adjusted, supplemented with new development thinking in
 order to develop and strengthen low-carbon economy with high resilience to the impacts
 of climate change.











