

# Session II-2

## Discussion on AFOLU



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# *Outline*

WGIA10 Day 1 (11th July), 13:30 ~17:00

- Introductory Presentation by . Kohei Sakai
- Presentation by Dr. Khin Lay Swe (Myanmar)
- Presentation by Dr. Idat Galih Permana (Indonesia)
- Presentation by Mr. Worapong Waramit (Thailand)
- Presentation by Dr. Shenghui Han (China)
- Presentation by Dr. Damasa Magcale Macandog (Philippines)
- Presentation by Dr. Elizabeth M.P. Philip (Malaysia)
- Presentation by Dr. Kyeong-hak Lee (Korea)
- Group discussion

***Chair: Damasa Magcale Macandog***

***Rapporteur: Khin Lay Swe***

**Participants: over 20 persons**

# **1. National GHG Inventory Status of Myanmar**

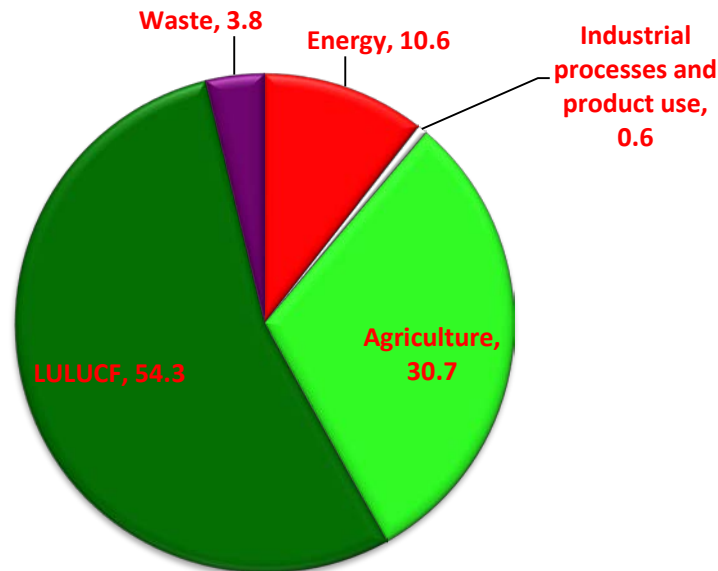
**Khin Lay Swe, Team Leader, National Inventory Team**

- ✓ Myanmar ratified UNFCCC in 1994 , GEF in 2006, for its INC
- ✓ NCEA (National Communication for Environmental Affairs) under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, relocated under the Ministry of Forestry in 2004, launched an INC project in 2008
- ✓ The NCEA was abolished and the National Environmental Conservation Committee (NECC) was formed on 20th April 2011
- ✓ It issued the notification that Ministry of Forestry was renamed into the Ministry of Environmental Conservation and Forestry (MOECA) in September, 2011.
- ✓ Environmental affairs will be taken into action more promptly and effectively.
- ✓ The establishment of new Department of Environmental Conservation was approved by the Government and at the moment it is under the recruiting process.

## INC of Myanmar

- Base year 2000 , 2006 IPCC guide lines
- Total emission was estimated to be 74,358 Gg CO<sub>2</sub>- e of which the GHG emissions LULUCF was the largest portion (54 %).
- However, carbon removal by this sector accounted for 142,221 GgCO<sub>2</sub>- e so that the country's net emissions turned out to be a negative value of 67,863 GgCO<sub>2</sub>- e

### Share of emission by sector (%)



# **GHG Inventory in Myanmar**

**With decreasing forest cover and increasing forest degradation, if this trend is left unchecked, the only carbon reservoir in the country will shrink gradually**

- GHG emissions from other economic sectors will increase as a result of mechanized agriculture, industrialization and national economic development**
- The draft report now under the process of seeking the approval by the MoECAF (Ministry of Environmental Conservation and Forestry)**

# GHG Inventory in Myanmar

- Myanmar is at an historic stage in its development
- The new Constitution provides for the basic principles of democracy; rule of law and human rights, has set out a reform agenda focusing on good governance and ensuring fundamental rights,
- A number of reforms have already been undertaken these developments represent a unique opportunity for Myanmar to place itself on a path of sustainable, inclusive development
- Moving forward to International Relations
- Hope for NC 2

## **2. Inventory and Mitigation for Methane Emissions from Livestock in Indonesia**

**Idat G. Permana, Suryahadi & Rizaldi Boer**

Estimation of Enteric Fermentation and Manure Management: IPCC 2006 GL

In the NC2, the 1996 Revised IPCC Guidelines while for the NC3, use the 2006 IPCC Guidelines.

- ✓ **Challenges - multiple land use especially in croplands**
- ✓ **the land use in private owned farm in the some states**
- ✓ **the soil classification especially the wetlands.  
Would a 30 year old drained peatland continue to be a peatland currently?**
- ✓ **Mitigation Technologies in Livestock Sector:  
Supplementation, Improved feeding practices,  
manure management/ biogas, pasture management**



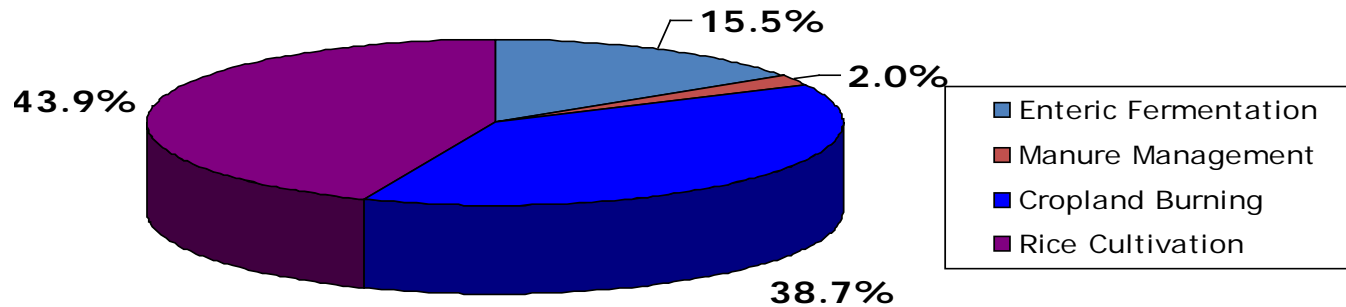
### **3. Greenhouse Gases Inventory in Agricultural Sector of Thailand: GHG Inventory for SNC**

**Worapong Waramit, Land Development Department Bangkok, Thailand**

- ✓ **Revised 1996 IPCC Guidelines for National GHG Inventory,**
- ✓ **2000 IPCC Good Practice Guidance and Uncertainty Management.**
- ✓ **2003 Good Practice Guidance for Land-Use Change and Forestry**

- Tier 2: Enteric Fermentation , Manure Management , Rice Cultivation , Field Burning of Agricultural Residues
- Tier 1 : Agricultural Soils
- In 2000, GHG emission from agricultural sector in form of carbon equivalent accounts for 51.88 million ton/ 22.6 percent of the total emission of the country which is the second shares after the energy sector.

## Distribution of Methane Emission by Sources in Indonesia



- ✓ The most significant GHG is methane from rice cultivation, enteric fermentation, manure management and field burning of agricultural residues.
- ✓ Nitrous oxide is from agricultural soils, manure management, and field burning of agricultural residues
- ✓ Considering experience gained from the inventory, recommendation for improvement: to make available more detailed data as well as to improve knowledge and to develop standardized fraction burning values for calculation purposes

## 4. GHG emission from China croplands

HAN Shenghui, ZHANG Wen,

ZHENG Xunhua, HUANG Yao, WANG Mingxing

- ✓ **CH<sub>4</sub> emission from paddy fields**
- ✓ **N<sub>2</sub>O emission from croplands**
- ✓ **Difficulties**
- ✓ **China has submitted its Initial National Communication**
- ✓ **In 2012, China will submit its Second National Communication**
- ✓ **Agriculture is a major source of CH<sub>4</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O emissions in China in 1994:**

- **CH<sub>4</sub> from Rice fields - Tier 3, IPCC, 2006**

**The CH<sub>4</sub> emission factor is simulated by CH4MOD model for early rice, late rice and single rice with spatial resolution 10km×10km**

- **N<sub>2</sub>O from Crop land: Tier 2:**

**China is divided into six regions according to climate belt and crop planting regime, Nitrogen input of each type of cropland is calculated with a regional nitrogen cycling model IAP-N**

# 5. Philippine SNC: Gaps, Challenges and Improvements for the GHG Inventory of the Agriculture and LUCF Sectors

**Damasa B. Magcale-Macandog, Professor,**

**University of the Philippines Los Baños**

**Institutionalizing the GHG Inventory: Proposed Institutional Structure**

- **SNC: Documentation: 1996 IPCC GL, The 2000 Philippine GHG inventory**
- **Tier 2 approach - methane emission from rice based on the country-specific emission factors for rice cultivation in the Philippines as derived from the research findings of IRRI**
- **Tier 1: LUCF**
- **Comparison between the INC and the SNC,**
- **Gaps, needs and constraints**

## **Recommendations for Agriculture Sector**

- Further disaggregation and improvement of activity data in the agriculture sector to fit the GHG inventory requirements**

**For higher tier, enhanced characterization of livestock data is needed**

**For future inventories, these assumptions have to be supported with published data (based on survey) to improve transparency and estimates**

**Compilers could attempt to undertake uncertainty analysis of GHG estimates by generating uncertainty values for activity data and emission factors**



## 6. Monte Carlo Uncertainty Analysis Program

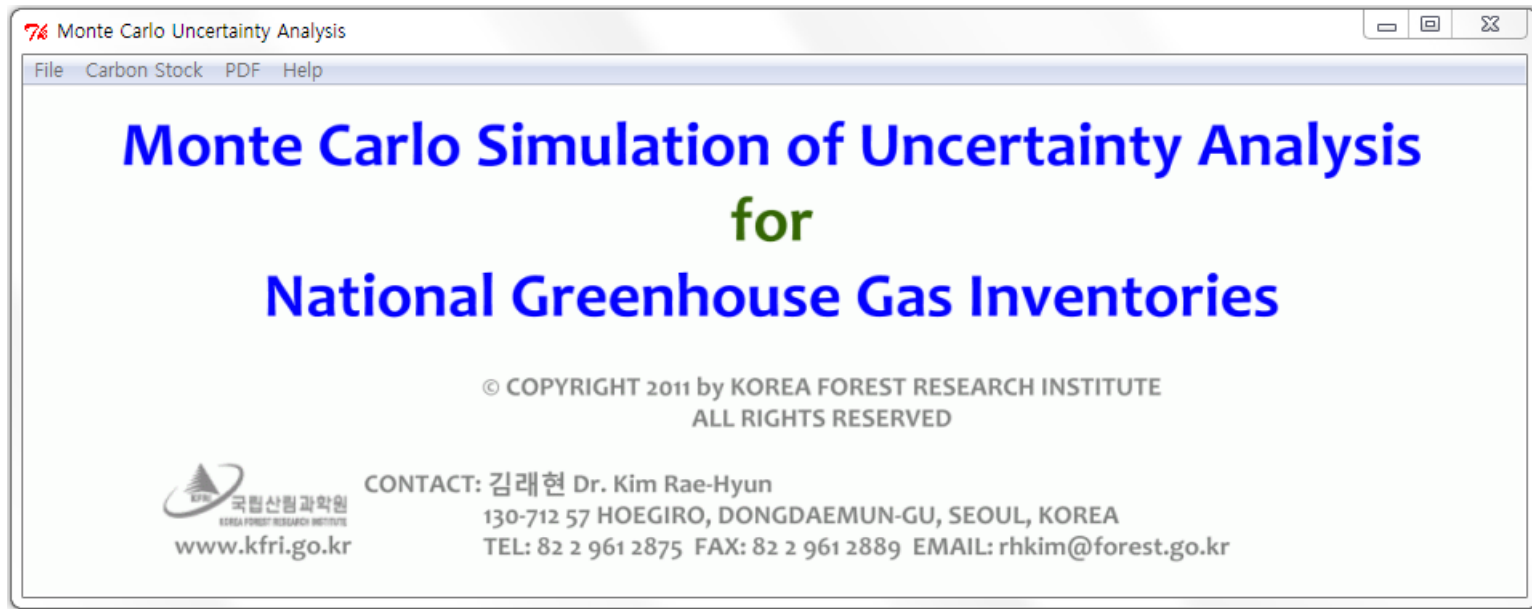
Lam Tzeng Yih, Kyeong-hak Lee\*, and  
Raehyun Kim  
Korea Forest Research Institute

- An analysis software is needed to:
  - Assist in the uncertainty calculation,
  - Automate the calculation process,
  - Standardize/harmonize the estimation process,
  - Making the calculation process transparent.

- **Motivation**
- **The package, Statistical software, The structure of the program**
- **Way to operate the program**
- **The concept of Monte Carlo Uncertainty Analysis**
- **Advantages, disadvantages, etc**
- **Example:**

**Estimating uncertainty for 2010 emission level of Above- and belowground biomass in Republic of Korea using Gain-Loss Method for Conifer and Non-conifer forests**

- The GUI of the program:
  - Is built from `tk`, `panel` and `tkrplot` packages,
  - They provide a convenient way to operate the program,
  - 80% of the codes in the program.



# **7. Developing a Sustainable AFOLU GHG System**

**Elizabeth Philip, Yen Mee Chong and  
Abdul Rahim Nik, Malaysia**

- ✓ Lessons learnt from INC & NC2**
- ✓ Moving on from NC2 to NC3**
- ✓ Addressing AFOLU at the national level**
- ✓ Challenges**

# Comparison of NC1 and NC2, Improvements in NC2

- **Expansion on activity data**
- **Local emission factors**
- **Uncertainty assessment**
- **QA/QC, etc.**
- **Transition from NC2 to NC3**
  - **Weakness in NC2 being addressed**
- **NC3**
  - **Improved emission factors**
  - **Land based accounting**
  - **Development of national templates**
  - **Capacity building**

## Challenges

- Updated land use data/maps
- Tracking changes within private properties
- Agricultural crops
- Matching soils with land use
- Emission factors – esp soil

## Conclusion

- Sustainable GHG inventory is in place for the AFOLU sector
- Capacity building amongst new inventory compilers on-going
- Improvement in the agriculture sector is being planned – 2012-2013
- Challenges--

# GHG inventories of Indian Agriculture and Livestock sector

**Indian Grassland and Fodder Research Institute, Jhansi India**

## Agriculture Sector

- Enteric fermentation (cattle, buffalo, sheep, goats, yak, mithun, horses, pony, donkeys, pigs)
- Manure Management
- Rice Cultivation (Irrigated, Rain-fed, Deep water and Upland)
- Field burning of crop residues (9 crops: rice, wheat, mustard, cotton stalk, sugarcane, jute, millet, maize and groundnut).
- Agriculture soils

**Procedure – T2, T3, T1 = CH<sub>4</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O**

**Livestock category**

**Manure management for various livestock/animal species – CH<sub>4</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O**

**GHG emission by ruminants – large, small ruminants**

**Feed and fodder availability**

**Mitigation approaches**



# Discussion on AFOLU, Comparison among WGIA Countries

	Livestock	Agriculture	LUCF
Indonesia	NC 2: 1996 IPCC NC 3: 2006		
Thailand	2003 GPG Tier 2	1996 IPCC 2000 GPG: Uncertainty Tier 2: Rice Tier 1: Agric. soil	2003 GPG
China	NC2: 2012	Rice : Tier 3, 2006 IPCC Crop land, N2O: Tier 2	

# Discussion on AFOLU, Comparison among WGIA Countries

	Livestock	Agriculture	LUCF	
Philippines		NC 2: 1996 IPCC Rice: Tier 2	Tier 1	
Republic of Korea	Monte Carlo Uncertainty Analysis Program			
Malaysia			NC 2 to NC3	
Myanmar	NC 1: Institutional Structure	2006 IPCC Tier 1: All sectors		

# Group Discussion

- What do you want to discuss in WGIA11 or in future WGIA ?  
(for Agriculture/LULUCF sector)
- ✓ Exchange institutional arrangements
- ✓ Check the progress of each country
- ✓ IPCC-EFDB
- ✓ Wetlands supplementary guidelines
- ✓ Uncertainty
- ✓ REDD+

***Thank You***