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mechanism, technology transfer to respond
to climate change**

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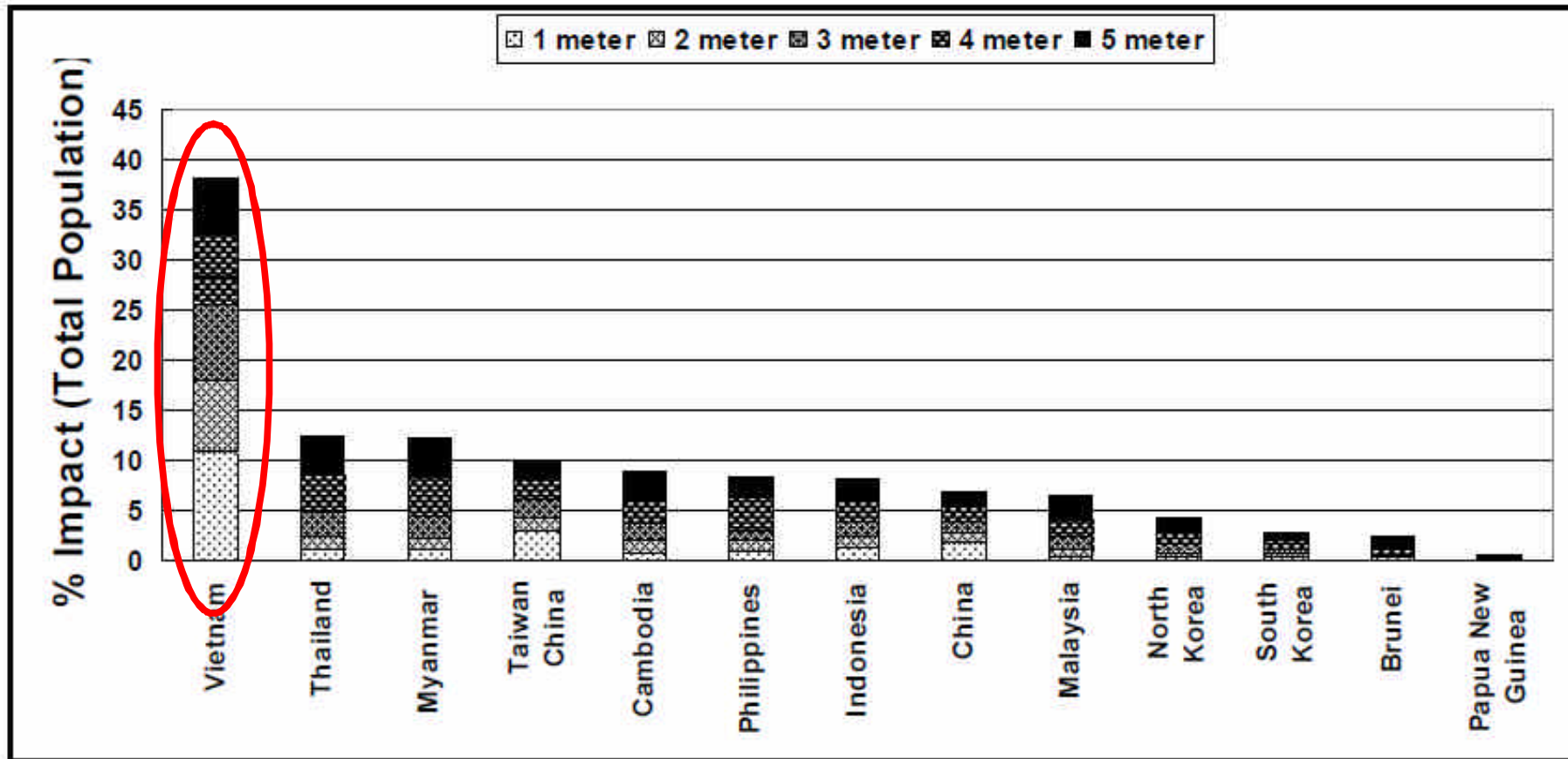
Introduction to several Climate Change Policies in Viet Nam

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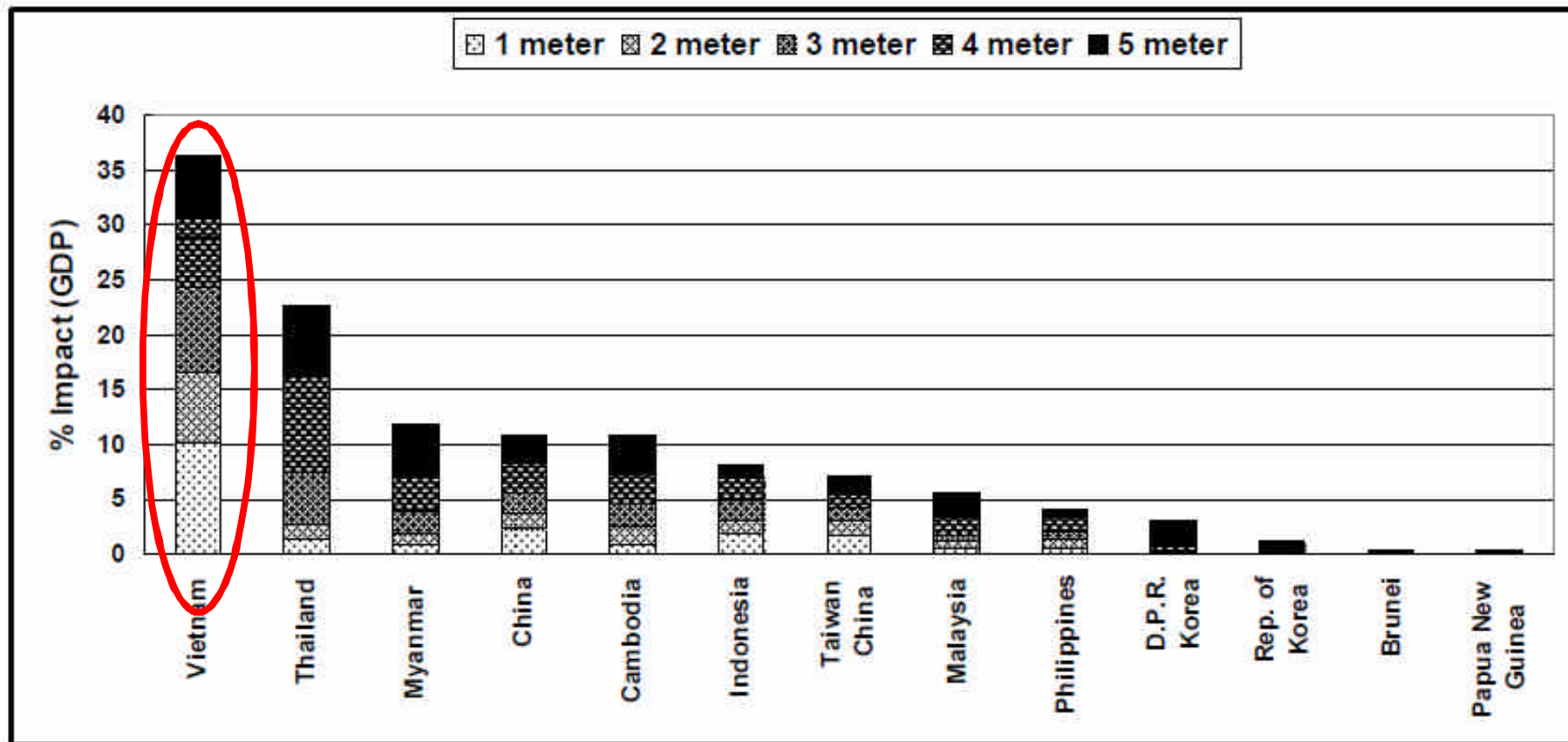
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General Introduction



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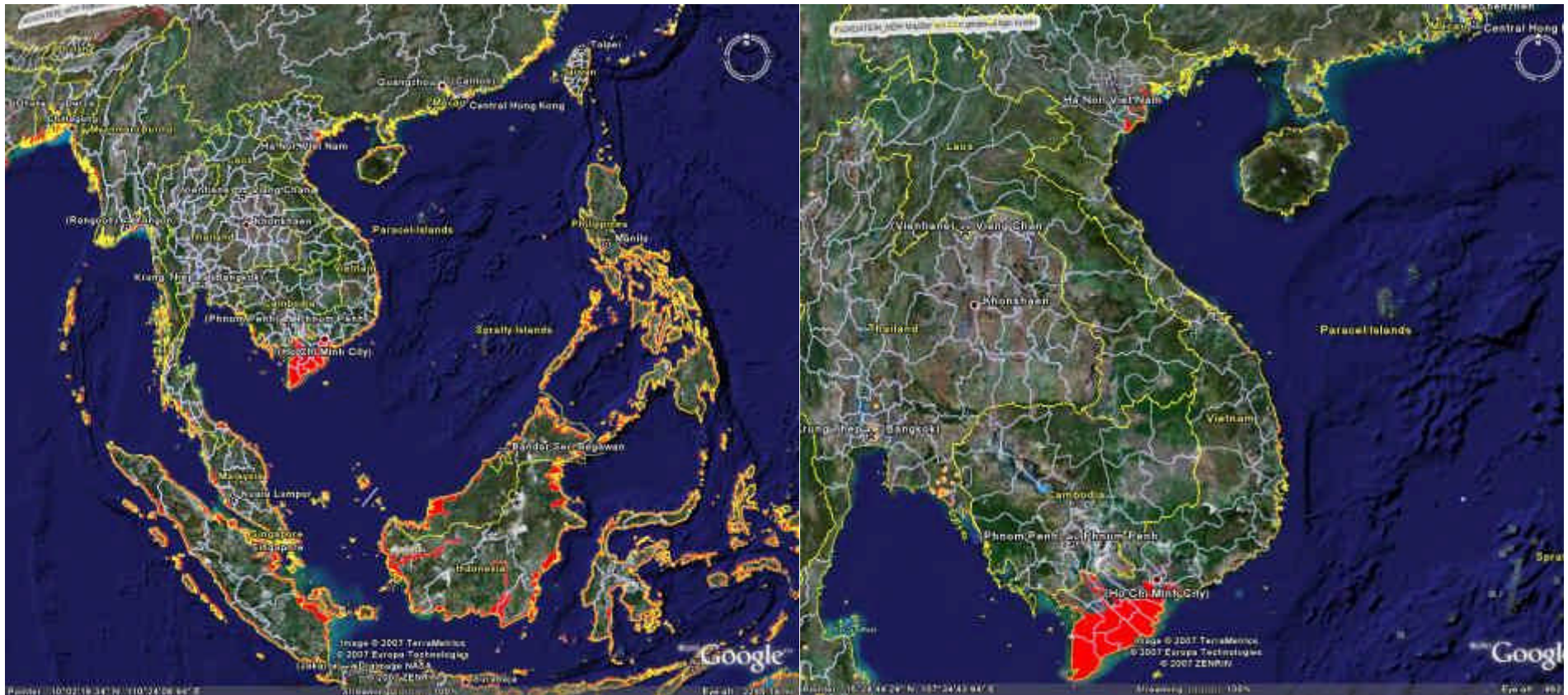
General Introduction



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South Asia

Việt Nam

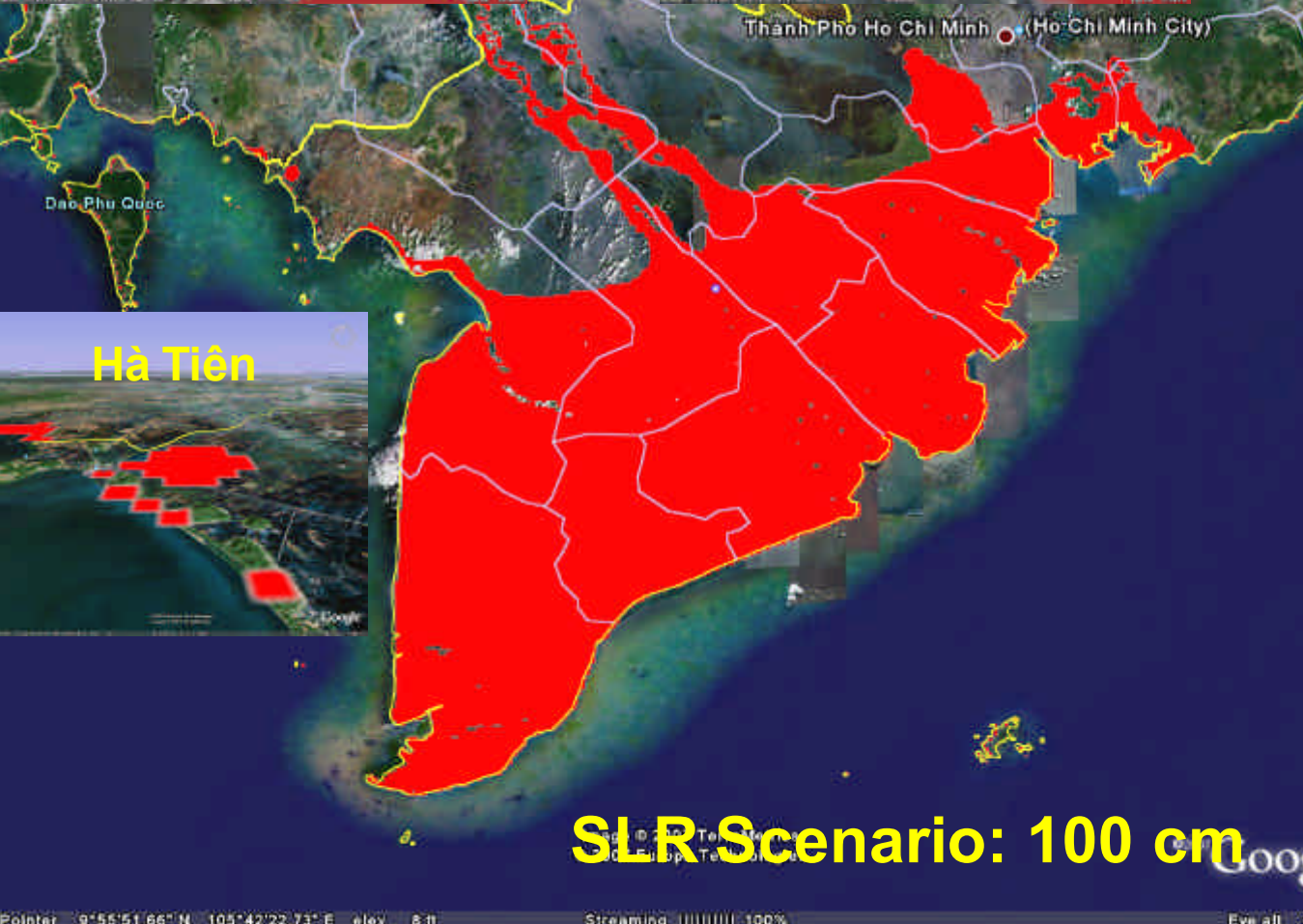
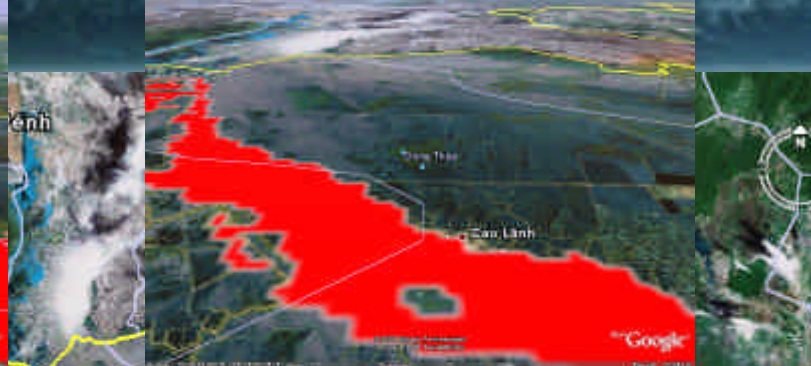
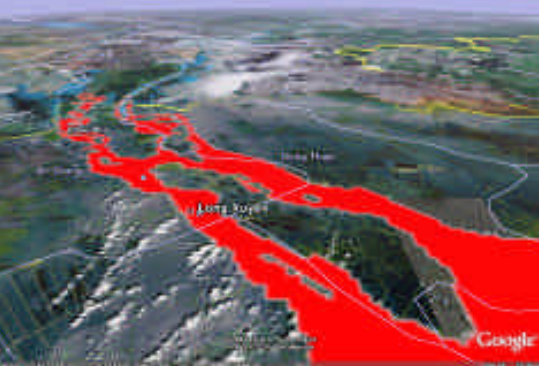


SLR Scenario: 100 cm

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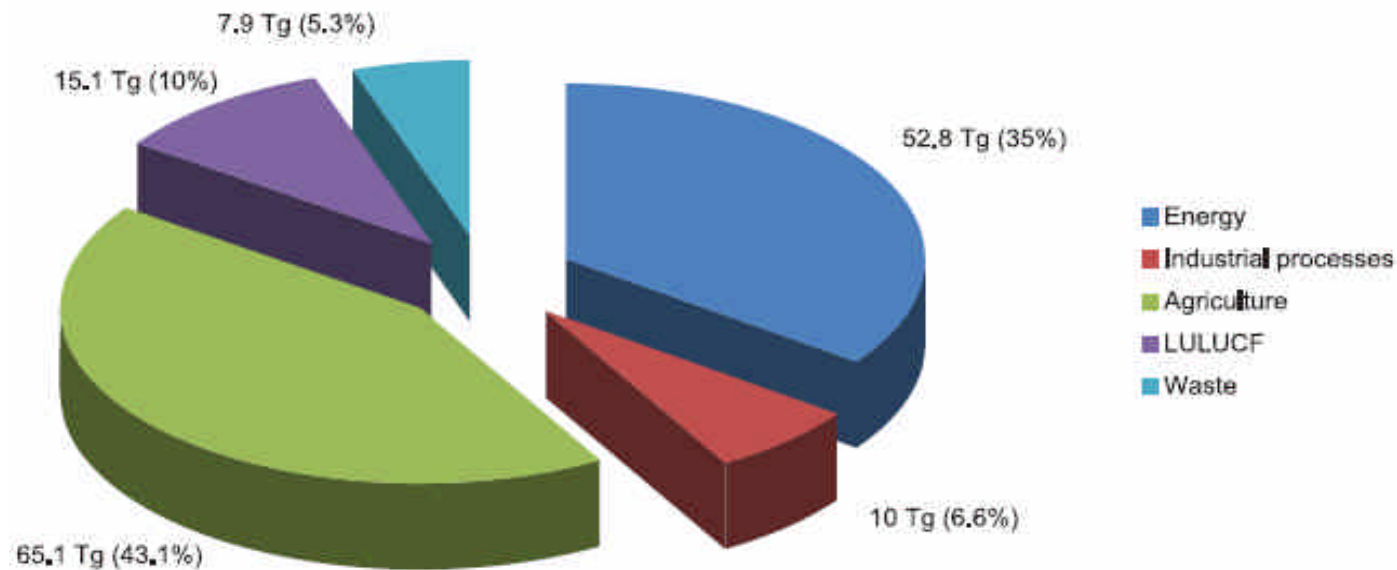


SLR Scenario: 100 cm

GHG emission by sector in 2000

Unit: thousand tonnes

Sector	CO ₂	CH ₄	N ₂ O	CO ₂ e	Percentage
Energy	45,900.00	308.56	1.27	52,773.46	35.0
Industrial processes	10,005.72	0	0	10,005.72	6.6
Agriculture	0	2,383.75	48.49	65,090.65	43.1
LULUCF	11,860.19	140.33	0.96	15,104.72	10.0
Waste	0	331.48	3.11	7,925.18	5.3
Total	67,765.91	3,164.12	53.83	150,899.73	100



► Per capita GHG emission in 2000 was 1.94 tonnes of CO₂e

National Target Program to Respond to Climate Change

- ✓ Prime Minister of Vietnamese Government approved the NTP on 02 Dec. 2008
- ✓ Strategic objectives of the NTP
 - *to assess climate change impacts on sectors and regions in specific periods;*
 - *to develop feasible action plans to effectively respond to climate change in the short-term and long-term to ensure sustainable development of Viet Nam;*
 - *to take opportunities to develop towards a low-carbon economy;*
 - *to join the international community's efforts in mitigating climate change and protecting the climatic system.*



National Target Program to Respond to Climate Change

✓ Main tasks of the NTP

- *Assessment of climate change extent and impacts in Viet Nam*
- *Identification of measures to respond to climate change*
- *Development of a science and technology program on climate change*
- *Strengthening the capacities of organization, institutions and policy on climate change*
- *Awareness raising and human resources development*
- *Enhancement of International Cooperation*
- *Mainstreaming climate change issues into socio-economic, sectoral and local development strategies, plans and planning*
- *Development of Action Plans of Ministries, sectors and localities to respond to climate change*
- *Develop and implement projects of the Program*

National Climate Change Strategy

- ✓ Prime Minister of Vietnamese Government approved it on 05 Dec. 2011
- ✓ Overall objectives of the Strategy:
 - *sustainable utilization of the national resources;*
 - *carry out adaptation measures and GHG mitigation options;*
 - *safeguard people's life and properties;*
 - *ensure the sustainable development goals.*
 - *strengthen human and natural system resilience to climate change;*
 - *develop the low-carbon economy to protect and enhance quality of life;*
 - *ensure national security and sustainable development*



National Climate Change Strategy

✓ Strategic tasks:

- *Proactive disaster preparedness and climate monitoring*
- *Food and water security*
- *Suitable proactive response actions to sea-level rise in vulnerable areas*
- *Protection and sustainable development of forest, increasing carbon removals and biodiversity conservation*
- *GHG emission reduction to protect the global climate system*
- *Increase the lead of Government in climate change response*
- *Community capacity development to cope with climate change*
- *Scientific and technological development for climate change response*
- *International cooperation and integration to enhance the country's status in climate change issues*

National Green Growth Strategy

- ✓ Prime Minister of Vietnamese Government approved it on 25 Sept. 2012



- ✓ Overall objectives::

- *green growth, as a mean to achieve the low carbon economy and to enrich natural capital, will become the principal direction in sustainable economic development;*
- *reduction of GHG emissions and increased capability to absorb GHG are gradually becoming compulsory and important indicators in social-economic development.*



National Green Growth Strategy

✓ Strategic tasks



- *Reduce the intensity of GHG emissions and promote the use of clean and renewable energies*
- *Greening production*
- *Greening lifestyle and promoting sustainable consumption*



National Action Plan to Respond to Climate Change in 2012-2020

- ✓ Prime Minister of Vietnamese Government approved it on 05 Oct. 2012.
- ✓ Overall objective: to carry out the National Climate Change Strategy and achieve its objectives and tasks.
- ✓ The Action Plan includes 65 programs, projects and tasks in 2012-2020 with 10 priorities in 2012-2015.
- *On 30 Aug. 2012, the National Target Program to Respond to Climate Change in the 2012-2015 period was approved Prime Minister of Vietnamese Government*

Develop the Plan: “Management of the green house gas emissions”

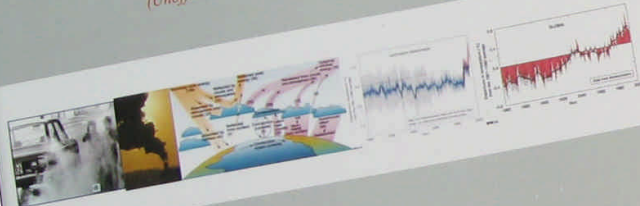
- ✓ The Plan has been developed by MONRE and approved by the GOV. Objectives:
 - *carrying out the UNFCCC and other related treaties that Viet Nam has involved in;*
 - *taking oppoturnities to develop a low carbon economy and green growth in the country*
 - *joining the international community’s efforts in mitigate GHG emissions and contributing to sustainable development*
 - *GHG mitigation Targets in 2020:*
 - *Energy: 8% (Base year 2005)*
 - *Agriculture: 20%*
 - *LULUCF: 20%*
 - *Waste: 5%*

Priorities in the coming time

- ✓ Develop and issue the Action Plan to Respond to Climate Change of ministries, sectors and localities
- ✓ Develop the climate change monitoring system with high accuracy digital elevation model
- ✓ Develop flood, disaster risk and climate maps according to the climate change scenarios with GIS
- ✓ Continue to research and update the climate change scenarios
- ✓ Implement the pilot programs to adapt to climate change in Quang Nam and Ben Tre provinces
- ✓ Issue the policies related to climate change adaptation and GHG mitigation for prioritised sectors: agriculture, forestry, land-use, water resource, energy, transportation
- ✓ Strengthen institutional capacity and financial institution to encourage and mobilize international donors to provide and invest resources and technologies on climate change.
- ✓ Raising awareness on climate change

NATIONAL TARGET PROGRAM TO RESPOND TO CLIMATE CHANGE

(Decision No. 158/QĐ-TTg dated 2 December 2008)
(Unofficial Translation of Vietnamese Version)



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NATIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE STRATEGY

(Decision No. 2139/QĐ-TTg dated 05 December 2011)
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