# IPM programme in Vietnam

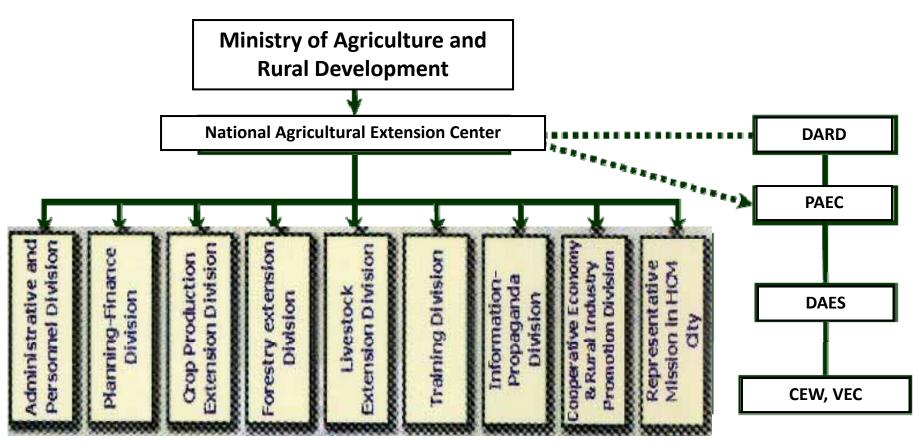
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# 1. The state extension system Organizational system

#### The Central level



#### Organizational system

#### The local level

- Province: 64 Agriculture Extension Centers: 1.903 staff
- District: 567/596 districts have AE Stations (Acc. for 95%), 4.0251 staff
- Commune: 11.232 staff (Increased by 21% compared to 2010; Acc. for 71% of total communes)
- Village: 780 AE clubs with 20.000 members (reduced 70% of 2007)
- About 1 E/280 Farming Households

#### Coordinating agencies

There are 122 agencies including research institutes, research centers, training colleges, associations, mass organizations, enterprises, media and others

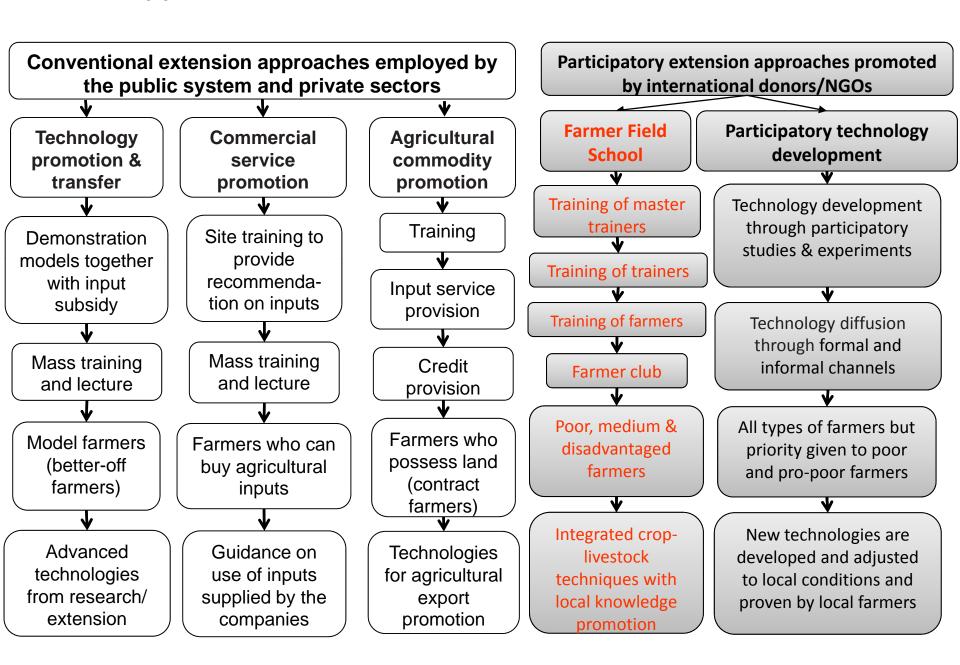
Source: NAEC, 2008; NAEC, 2011

### Actors in Vietnam's extension system

Actor	Approach used	Main target group	Technical focus
Public extension service	Technology promotion: Demonstration models, input subsidy, mass training and lectures	Model farmers who are mainly in the better-off group	Modern farming technologies, mainly for crop production, especially food and cash crops
Plant protection and veterinary services	Risk mitigation: Site training on techniques for risk mitigation	All types of farmers	Crop pest and disease management, veterinary medicine and vaccination campaigns
Implementing organizations of socio-economic development programs	Socio-economic development: Small-scale demonstration models with input subsidy, mass training and lectures	Poor and disadvantaged farmers in the mountainous and remote areas	Successful experiences in food production and cash generation
Cooperatives	Information provision: mass training and lectures	All type of farmers	Mainly economic activities for rice production, market, credit, and irrigation
Mass media	Broadcasting of new techniques and farmers' experiences	All types of farmers who have access to the mass media	Techniques on commodity agricultural production
Mass organization	Knowledge exchange: mass training, lectures and experience exchange	All types of farmers who register as their members	Small-scale animal husbandry (pig and poultry), credit scheme, integrated farming systems, etc.
Extension clubs	Information provision and knowledge sharing	All types of farmers	Wide range of content depending on farmers' requests and interests
Commodity corporations and companies	Agricultural commodity promotion: Training, input and credit provision	Contract farmers; mainly well-off farmers	Production techniques for industrial agricultural products such as tea, coffee, rubber, pepper, etc.
Private service providers	Commercial service promotion: On-site training providing recommendations on input use, mass training and lectures	All types of farmers who can afford to purchase inputs	Information on using seeds, chemical fertilizer, pesticides, veterinary medicines and animal feeds
International development organizations and NGOs	Participatory extension: Farmer Field Schools, Participatory Technology Development, etc.	Poor farmers and farmer groups	Wide range of content for livelihood improvement

Source: Beckman, 2001; Dalsgaard et al., 2005; Van De Fliert et al., 2007; Goletti et al., 2007; Minh et al., 2010 and 2011.

#### Main approaches



# II. IPM programme

- Mail problems in crop production:
- Overuse nitrogen fertilizers
- Misuse chemical pesticides
- → More pesticides, productivity reduced, health and environment...)
- Vietnam participated in the FAO's Southeast Asia Inter-country Program (ICP) on IPM in 1989

#### **Development:**

- Ecosystem studies in rice fields in the North, Central and South of Vietnam from 1990-1991.
- A national committee 1994 for the National IPM Program MARD (Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development) and included 9 ministries and unions.
- The Plant Protection Department (PPD) of MARD: coordinating and implementing the National IPM Program, and the Provincial Plant Protection Sub-Departments (PPSDs) manage the program at the local level.
- A large number of IPM programs on rice and on other crops (vegetables, cotton, tea, soybeans, and groundnuts) also have been implemented with the assistance from the governments of Australia, the Netherlands, Switzerland and Denmark, nongovernmental organizations, and local financial resources.
- 1994-2005 8.5% farmers were trained (NIPMP, PPD, 2005)

### Major objective:

Improve informed decision making capacity of farmers through improved knowledge and skill to ensure effective production based on human health and environment protection.

# • 4 principles of IPM

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a/ Grow healthy crops
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b/ Protect natural enemies

c/ Conduct regular field observation

d/ Farmers become experts

**Farmers Field School (FFS)**: basic tool, very first step in farmer's learning process

# Field experiment designed, managed by Farmers, at Vienglan, Yenchau, 2007





#### Farmers Fields School, IPM in rice,



Observation ecosystem



Analysis ecosystem



#### Field experiment on planting density at Vienglan, Yenchau, 2007





25 hills/m<sup>2</sup>

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#### Farmers Fields School, IPM in rice,



Discussion on input, out put



Presentation and discussion

### Results in Training

<b>♣</b> Training of Trainers (TOT)	
1. Rice	1161
2.Vegetables	552
3. Cotton	168
4. Tea	58
5. Corn	40
6. Sweet potato	12
7. Orange	10
<b>4</b> Training of Farmer Trainers	
1. Rice	5425
2. Vegetables	266
3. Cotton	42

## Results in Training

4 Training farmers					
Crop	No of	No			
	FFSs	farmers			
1. Rice	29097	872910			
2.Vegetables	1592	47760			
3. Cotton	328	8355			
4. Tea	374	10095			

8.5% of 11 million farmers, (NIPMP, PPD, 2005)



#### Manual



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Leaflet

(Angiang PPD, 2010)









Sowing seeds together, avoiding migrated BPH (Angiang PPD, 2010)



Reduction of post harvest loss (Angiang PPD, 2010)

# Impact evaluation results (DANIDA component 2000-2005)

Indicator	Baseline survey	Midterm survey	Evaluation by independ. consultants
Insecticide	-63%	-69% III Vnvogu.ttf	-63%
All pesticides	-22%	-40%	-47%
Yield increase	13%	21%	20%

#### Important achivements:

- Protect successfully rice crop from BPH and virus disease outbreak 2007-2009)
- Strengthen collaboration and form interest groups in villages;
- Become key factors in technology application activities
- Contribute local leaders on production policy, sustainable Agric. Development Strategy
- General education to young generation
- Community development
- Culture development

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#### **Program Future**

- New period to combine with Food Safe Program;
   Food Security Program; Environment program
- Continue training human resources for provinces and districts
- Continue development of models for safe vegetable production; sustainable intensive production, adaption to the climate change
- Attention to high pest risk area
- More FFSs funded by local governments and other sources

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