# GREENHOUSE GASES (GHGS) EMISSION INVENTORY AND MANAGEMENT MEASURES IN HO CHI MINH CITY, VIETNAM TOWARD A LOW-**CARBON CITY**

















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# **OVERVIEW OF HO CHI MINH CITY**







- Hochiminh City is one of the socio-economic centers of Vietnam
- City profiles:
  - ✓ Area: 2.000 km²
  - ✓ Populations:7.750.900,accounted for 8% of whole country
  - ✓ The contribution for whole country
    - √ 8% of inhabitants
    - √ 40% and 25% for industrial production and industrial capacity, respectively.
    - √ 40% of vehicle's quantity



Fig 1: Map of Ho Chi Minh City



# **SOURCES OF GHG EMISSIONS HCMC**







- Greenhouse gas emission and removal estimates are divided into main sectors, which are groupings of related processes, sources and sinks.
   Each sector comprises individual categories (e.g., transport) and subcategories (e.g., cars).
  - Energy: mainly use of fossil fuel which combustion generates CO<sub>2</sub>, water and thermal energy. This energy is used to produce electricity or transport.
  - Industrial processes and product use: main sources are incinerators of production of steels, cements, bricks, glasses, etc. Besides, GHG emissions from fridges, foaming materials.
  - Agriculture: rice production, livestock, etc.
  - Forestry and other land use: depends on land use purpose, includes: forestry land, garden land, grassland, wetland, etc.
  - Waste: wastewater and solid waste removal and treatment, waste burning.
  - Other (e.g., indirect emissions from nitrogen deposition from non-agriculture sources)



# CLIMATE CHANGE IN HO CHI MINH CITY





#### 1. Temperature change

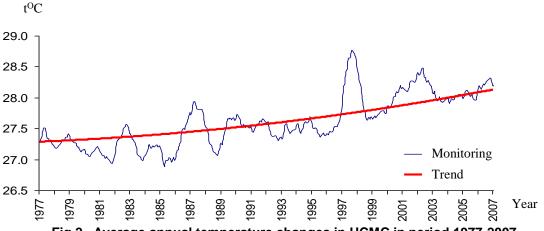
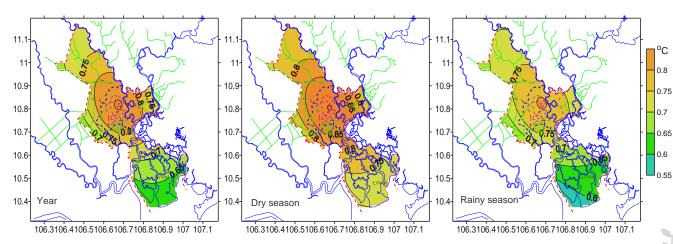


Fig 2. Average annual temperature changes in HCMC in period 1977-2007



These figures in the period1978-2007, average temperature in HCMC increased about 0,7°C. This temperature in HCMC is higher than in Southern area is 0,3°C. This shows that under global climate change impacts and urbanization cause temperature increase.

Fig 3. Spatial distribution of annual average temperature in HCMC in period 1977-2007

# CLIMATE CHANGE IN HO CHI MINH CITY





#### 2. Rainfall

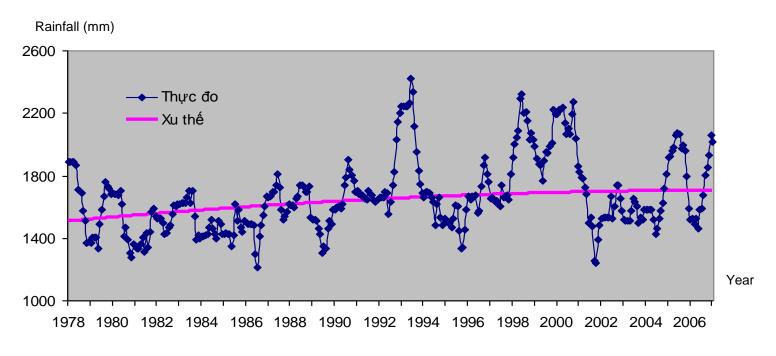


Fig 3 . Rainfall changes in HCMC in period 1977-2007

Fig. 3 shows that in the period of 1978-2007, average rainfall increases 98 mm/year in HCMC.



#### **GHG EMISSION INVENTORY HCMC**







#### \* Thermoelectric production:

In HCMC, there are only one thermoelectric power plant which is operating is Thu Duc Thermoelectric Company with total of capacity 592,539 MWh/yr. This plant uses 100% of fossil fuels (DO, FO) for combusting. The amount of  $CO_{2eq}$  emitted in this plant is 572,510 tons.

#### \* Industry:

Until 31 Dec, 2011, there were 1214 enterprises in 15 industrial parks with 3,521.37 ha. 1.200.000 tons  $CO_{2eq}$ /yr is emitted in industry sector in HCMC.

#### \* Transport:

Ho Chi Minh City is an important transport gate of Vietnam and ASEAN area. Road system accounts for 44% of commodity transport and 85.6% of passenger transport. There are 6 bus stations with 1,200 buses/day and transport 41,000 passengers/day. The average total amount of  $CO_{2eq}$  emitted from transport sector in 2011 was 3,018,189 tons  $CO_{2eq}$ /yr.

Source: Ho Chi Minh City Evergy Conservation Centre, 20

## **GHG EMISSION INVENTORY HCMC**





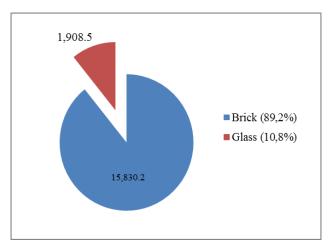


#### 2. Industrial processes and product use:

In the field of industrial processes and product use of HCMC, there are sectors: non-metallic mineral (brick and glass production) and electrical & electronics engineering (semiconductor electronics, electricity transmission systems and air-conditioning systems).

The amount of  $CO_{2eq}$  emitted from no-metallic mineral sector is 17,738.7 tons, with 89,2% of brick production and 10,8% of glass production.

Moreover,  $CO_{2eq}$  emission from electrical & electronics engineering is 144,102.5 tons, with 1.9% of electricity transmission systems, 98.1% of air-conditioning systems and a negligible quality of semiconductor electronics.



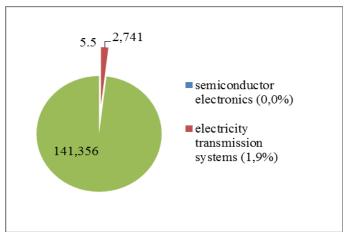


Fig 4: the amount of CO2eq emitted from nonmetallic mineral

Fig 5: the amount of CO<sub>2eq</sub> emitted from electrical & electronics engineering [6]

#### **GHG EMISSION INVENTORY HCMC**







#### 3. Agriculture and waste

- GHG emission from agriculture activities is 951,912 tons CO<sub>2eq</sub>/yr which is mainly emitted from farming, husbandry and aquaculture.
- Through solid waste treatment (burial, burning and composting), water treatment (domestic or industrial treatment systems), the amount of CO<sub>2eq</sub> emitted is 1,328,415 tons/yr.
- Therefore, the highest percentage of GHG emissions is from energy use, with 79.2%.
  This is followed by Industrial processes and product use (11.3%) and Agriculture (8.1%).
  The smallest percentage of GHG emissions is waste, account for 11.3%.

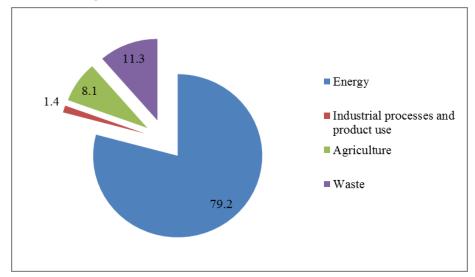


Fig 6: The percentage of GHG emissions from four main sectors in HCMC1







# Proposing the AIM model project to assess GHG emission sources in HCMC



# OBJECTIVES OF THE PROPOSED PROJECTA

This proposed project aims to obtain 2 following objectives:

- To conduct surveys and assess current status of GHG emission sources of Ho Chi Minh City (in term of types and volumes) including CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O, HFCs, PFCs and SF<sub>6</sub>.
- To propose measures of mitigation as well as policies and solutions toward a low-carbon city for Ho Chi Minh City.



## **METHODOLOGY**







- Methods of calculating and forecasting GHG emissions based on GHG emission factors of IPCC and other relevant local and regional studies will be used.
- Combining collection of data and literature review, surveyed data with consulting experts to assess emissions in industrial areas of Ho Chi Minh City....
- Data mining and statistic methods.
- Expert method
- Methods to be used:
  - Statistical methods and field surveys to collect and process data on the production activities of HCMC.
  - Method of rapid assessment of the IPCC and of Japan (AIM model).
  - The method used to compare the emissions.
  - Application software SPSS statistics processing.
  - Method of making listing to listing the production of greenhouse gas emissions.
  - Expert method: consult researchers and managers of scientific institutions, research institutes, environmental agencies...







- 1. Survey and assessment of the status of industries and areas of businesses that emissions of greenhouse gases in Ho Chi Minh City: include 5 main sectors:
  - Agriculture and rural development;
  - Handling and disposal of wastes;
  - Urban traffic activity exterior of HCMC;
  - Power generation transmission distribution and use of products;
  - Emissions of greenhouse gases from industrial activities in the city;









- Agriculture and rural development: The main object of study for rural households will include:
  - The objects related to livestock (most importantly pig) animal wastes;
  - The operation of aquaculture (freshwater and brackish, saline) wetlands;
  - Activities related to agriculture (cropland);
  - The use of products containing greenhouse gases.
- Handling and disposal of wastes: All landfill of municipal waste has been active in the city:
  - The system of urban sewage, industrial.
  - The system of waste incinerators (urban, industrial, medical)
  - The activities related to the collection system, storage, transshipment and transport solid waste and industrial market in HCM City.
- Urban traffic activity exterior of HCMC: This group of energy groups, the main object of study will include: All motorized vehicles are road traffic on the city (all types of motor vehicles from the 2 wheels or more: motorcycles, cars, trucks and buses).







- Power generation transmission distribution and use of products: industrial processes, use of products and energy.
  - The main object of study will include:
  - The thermal power plants energy
  - The power transmission project product use
  - The use of products containing greenhouse gases in the urban areas (residential, commercial area...): The air conditioning systems, air conditioning use HFCs, ...
- Emissions of greenhouse gases from industrial activities Industry non-metallic minerals (cement manufacturing, glass, brick, lime...)
  - Industrial metallurgy (steel, aluminum, magnesium...)
  - Electronic Electric Industry
  - Food and beverage industry
  - Manufacturing of paper, pulp
  - Chemical industry (soda production, carbon production...).
  - Processing industry of petroleum products
  - Other industries such as apparel, textiles, fisheries, etc...







- 2. Statistic and assess the current state (emission source and load) and forecast greenhouse gas emissions in HCMC;
- 3. Propose solutions to prevent and reduce greenhouse gas emissions in HCMC towards low carbon cities;
- 4. Short-term study in Japan.



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