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ESTIMATING AGRICULTURAL WATER CONSUMPTION

livestock drinking



$$\begin{aligned}
 V_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}^{(\text{per kg})} &\approx \frac{f \text{ L}}{\text{person} \times \text{day}} \times \frac{\text{person}}{50 \text{ kg}} \\
 &\approx 10^{-1} \text{ L} / (\text{kg} \times \text{day}) \\
 m_{\text{livestock}} &\approx f \times 10^{12} \text{ kg} \\
 V_{\text{livestock}}^{(\text{total})} &\approx \frac{10^{-1} \text{ L}}{\text{kg} \times \text{day}} \times \frac{f \times 10^2 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times f \times 10^{12} \text{ kg} \\
 &\approx 10^{14} \text{ L} / \text{year}
 \end{aligned}$$

irrigation



$$\begin{aligned}
 A_{\text{agriculture}} &\approx f \times 10^{13} \text{ m}^2 \\
 \Phi_{\text{irrigation}} &\approx 10\% \\
 A_{\text{irrigation}} &\approx 0.1 \times f \times 10^{13} \text{ m}^2 \approx f \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2 \\
 V_{\text{irrigation}}^{(\text{m}^2)} &\approx 1 \text{ L} / (\text{m}^2 \times \text{day}) \\
 V_{\text{irrigation}}^{(\text{total})} &\approx f \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2 \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^2 \times \text{day}} \times \frac{f \times 10^2 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \\
 &\approx 10^{15} \text{ L} / \text{year}
 \end{aligned}$$

(B)

$$V_{\text{agriculture}}^{(\text{total})} \approx V_{\text{livestock}}^{(\text{total})} + V_{\text{irrigation}}^{(\text{total})} \approx 1 \times 10^{15} \text{ L} / \text{year}$$

