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Modeling framework for rice paddy water management and climate impact assessment: Progresses in SWAT+ development

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Project Goal

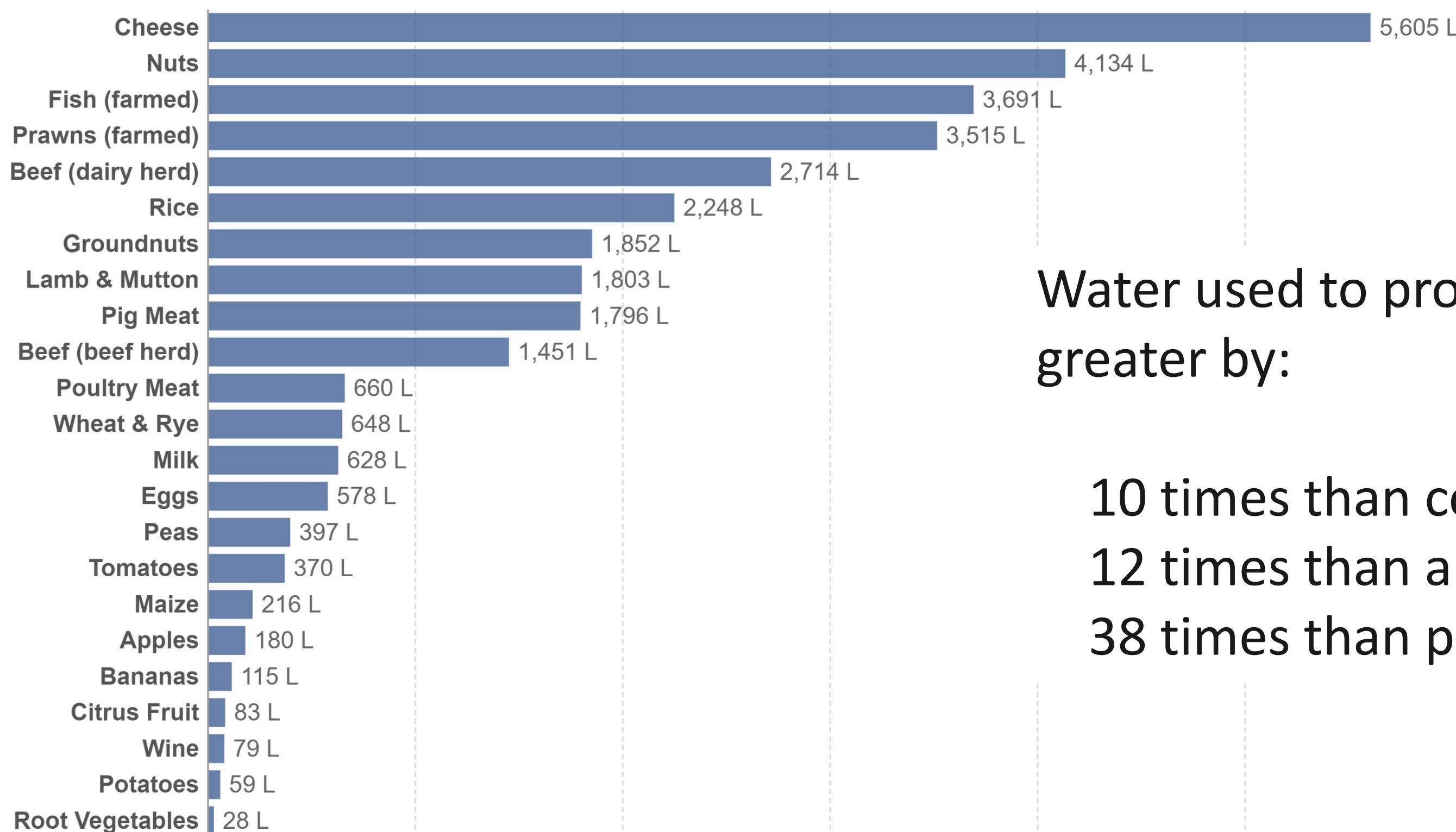
Enhance SWAT+ structure and add process modules for agricultural watershed assessment in South Korea and other countries where low-land flooded rice paddies are a significant land use type to evaluate the benefits of conservation practices and assess climate change impact on water use

Water used for food production

Freshwater withdrawals per kilogram of food product

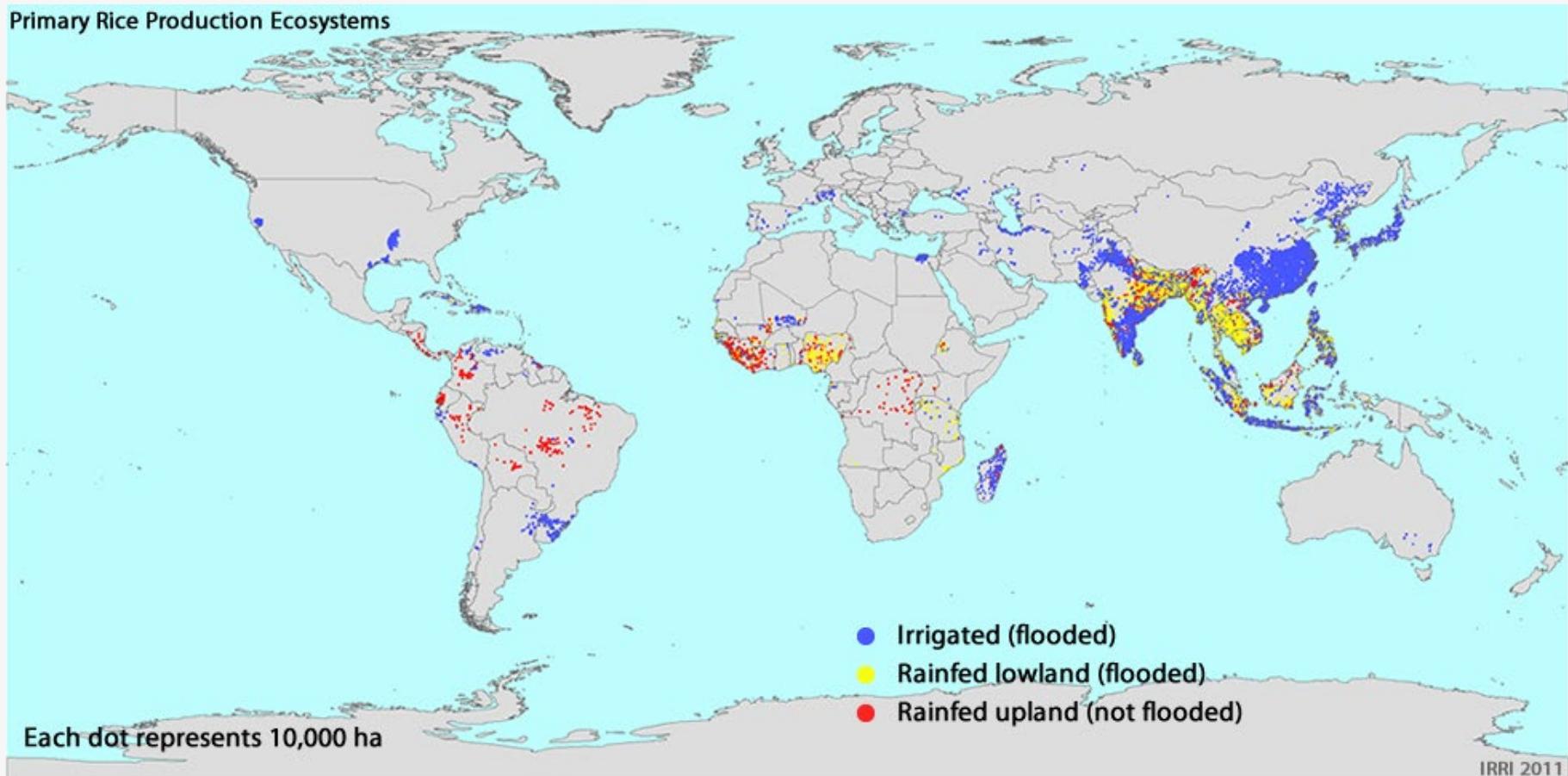
Freshwater withdrawals are measured in liters per kilogram of food product.

Our World
in Data



Water used to produce 1kg rice is greater by:

10 times than corn,
12 times than apple,
38 times than potato



Characteristics of primary global rice production systems

Global Rice Production from flooded Paddies

**145million ha
(85%)**

Source: IRRI (2013)

Rice production characteristic	Production System			
	Irrigated lowland	Rainfed lowland	Rainfed upland	Flood prone
Global production area (million ha)	93	52	15	11
Global production area (%)	54.4	30.4	8.8	6.4
Total global production (%)	75	19	4	2
Primary water source	irrigation	rain	rain	rain/flooding
Field type	bunded	bunded	non-bunded	non-bunded
Extent of flooded conditions	continuous	partial	rarely	partial
Level of chemical inputs	high	medium/low	low	low
Potential total annual rice crops	2-3	1-2	1	1
Average yields ($t\ ha^{-1}$)	5.3	2.3	1.0	1.5

Examples of rice production systems in the world

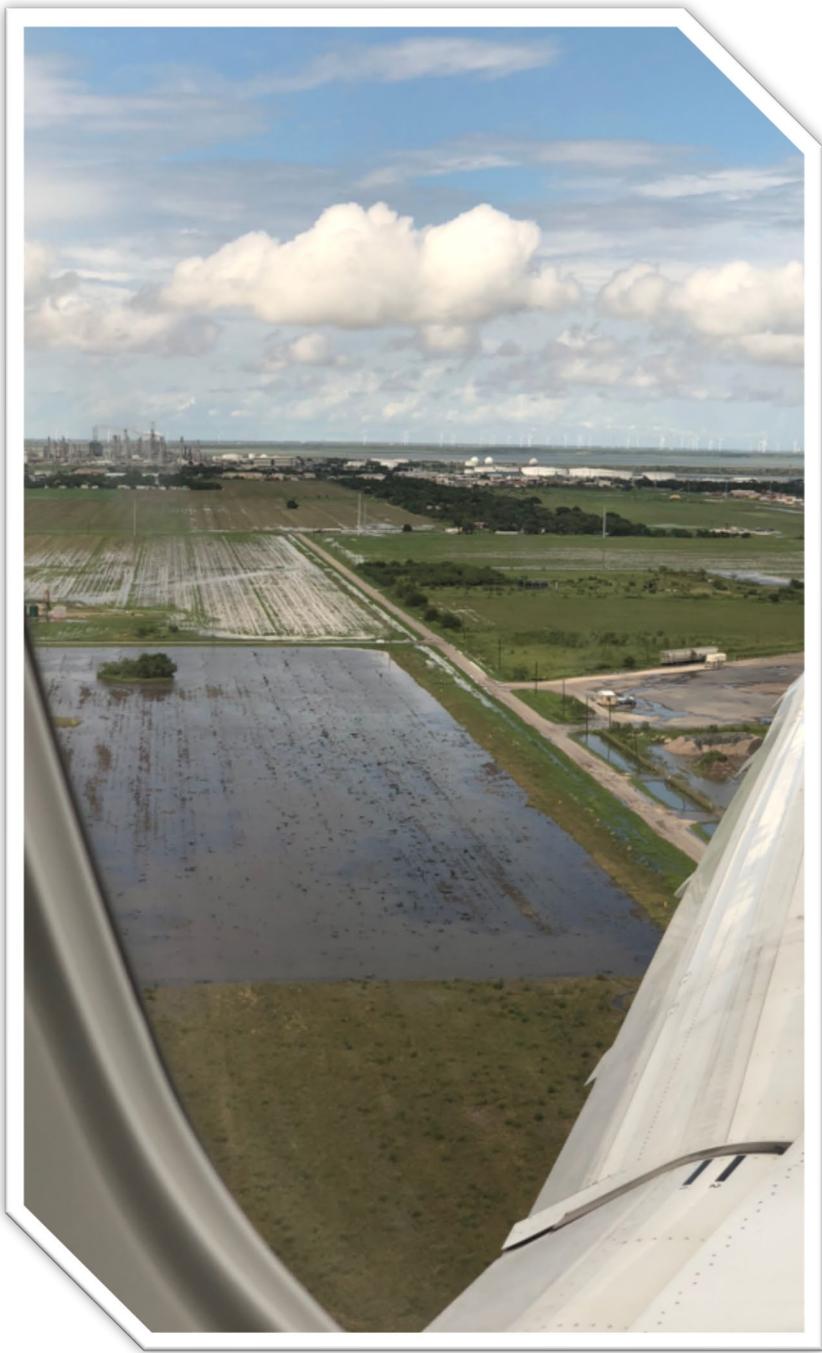


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Lowland Rice Paddy System

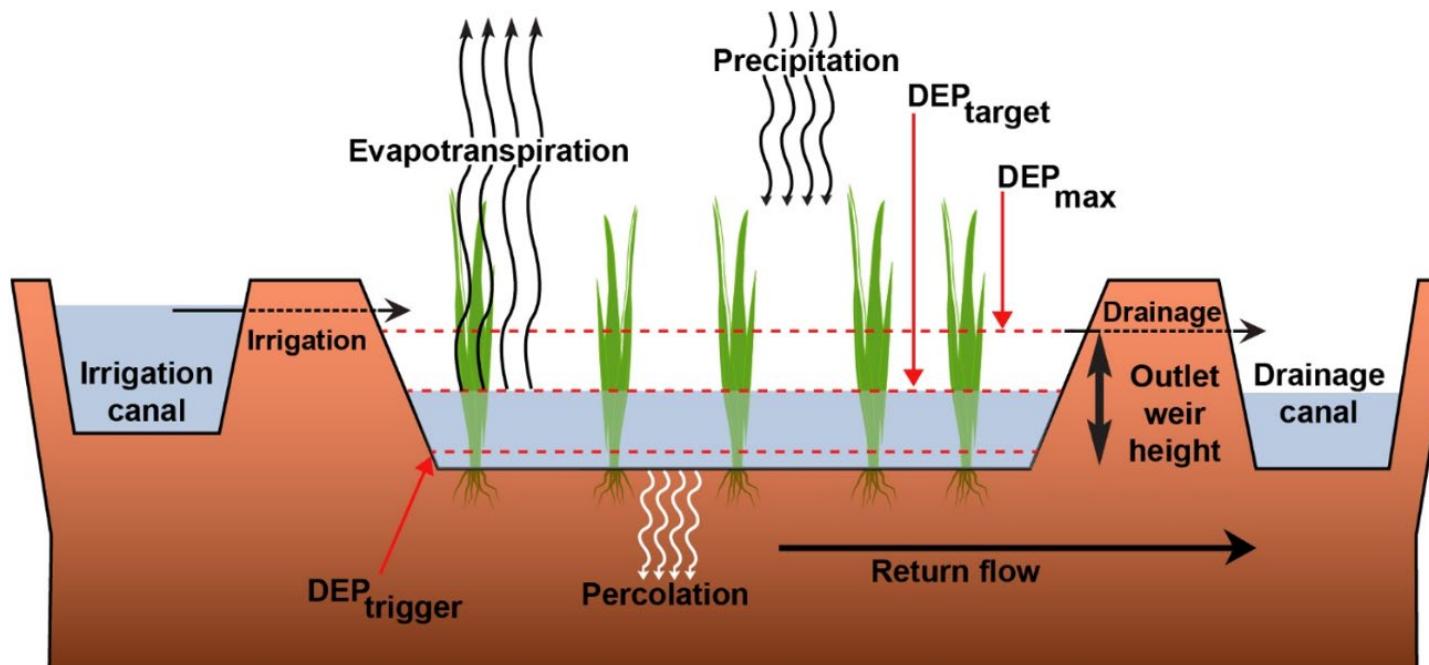
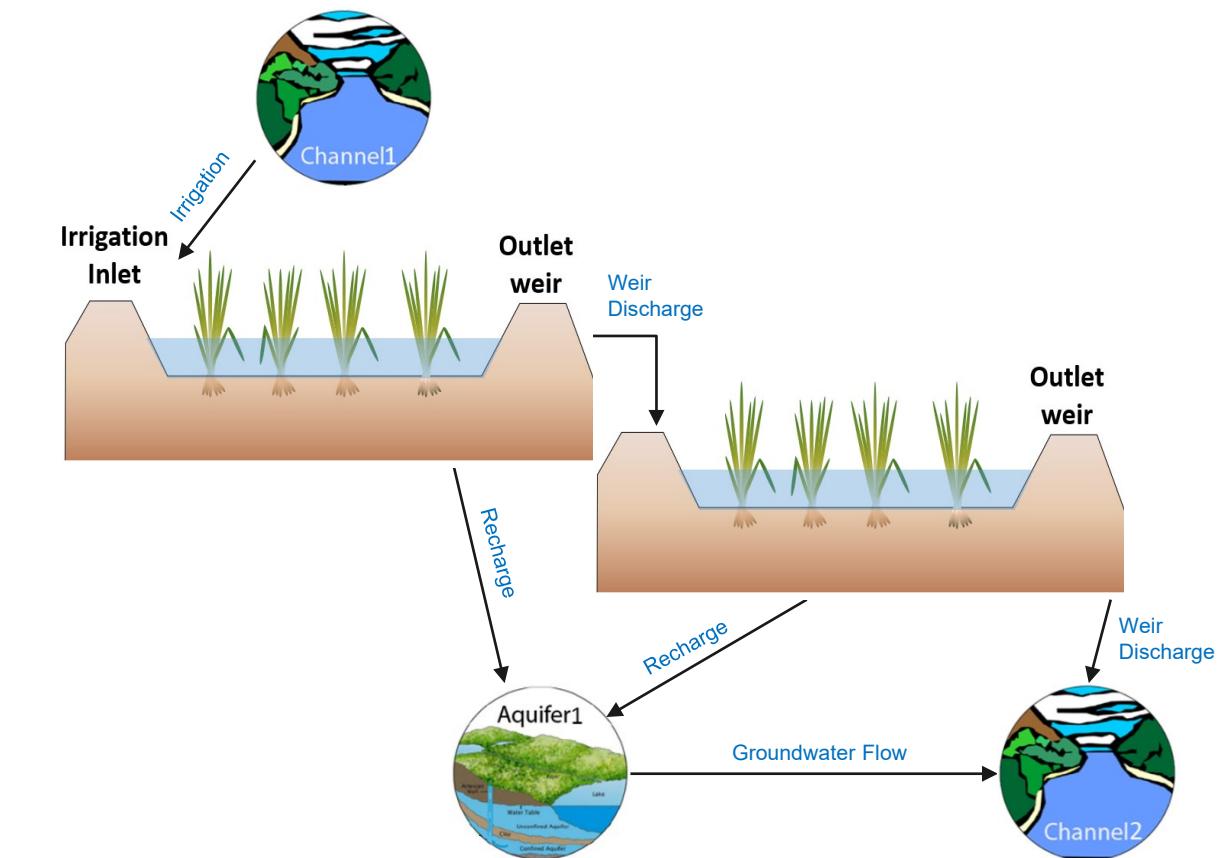


Figure from Gassman et al. (2021)



$$DEP_i = DEP_{i-1} + PCP_i + IRR_i + Q_i + ET_i + VPERC_i + HPERC_i$$

DEP: ponding depth

PCP: precipitation

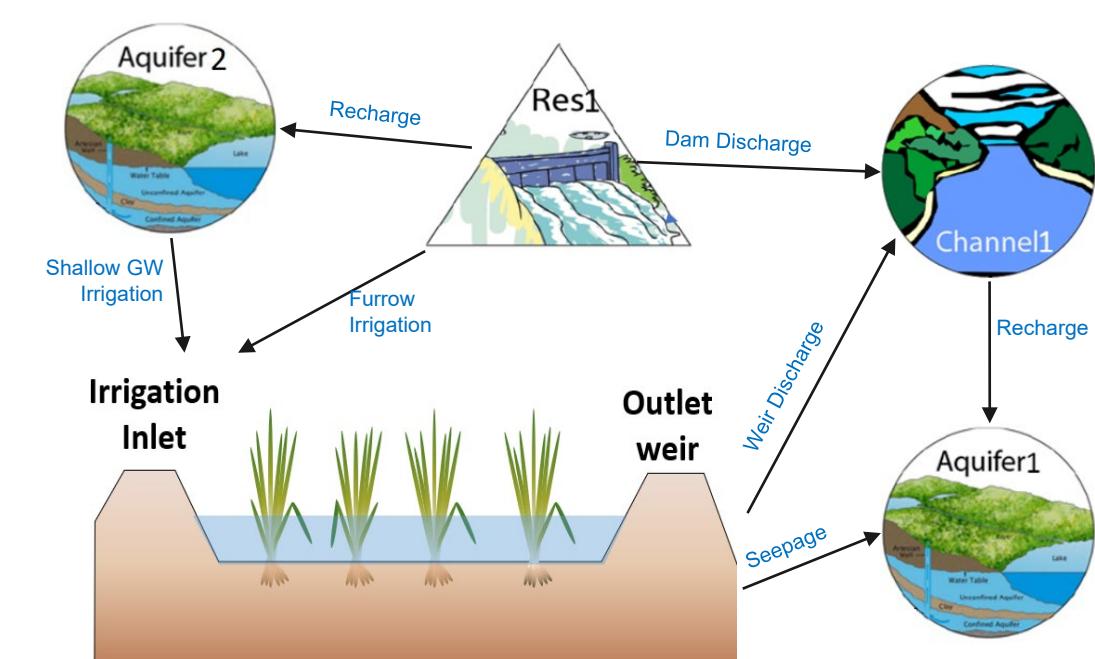
IRR: irrigation

Q: weir discharge

ET: evapotranspiration

VPERC: vertical percolation

HPERC: horizontal percolation



Needs for research and development

Paddy Hydrology, Water Quality, Rice Production Representation of unique characteristics of paddy systems differing from other croplands	Management Practices Evaluation To improve water use efficiency and water quality management	Watershed Impacts Assess plot-scale to watershed-scale impacts of rice paddy systems
Simulation Model needed for systematic assessment No process-based model offers to simulate the dynamics of paddy hydrology, water quality, crop growth, and ag management	Application of APEX/SWAT Models Expand well-established global applications of APEX/SWAT to rice paddy assessment	Science-driven Policy Development Holistic and systematic modeling approach to provide regionally specific solutions for agricultural policy development

Recommendation by Gassman et al. (2022)

- The paper by 15 coauthors from seven countries entitled "*Simulation of rice paddy systems in SWAT: A review of previous applications and proposed SWAT+ rice paddy module*"
- Recommendations on SWAT+ paddy simulation
 - Inherit and expand APEX-Paddy
 - Hydrologic connectivity through object-oriented structure
 - Crop growth submodel for rice and ET calculation where $ET > PET$
 - Irrigation source and transfer options
 - Plot-to-plot irrigation-drainage systems
 - Polder paddy systems
 - Irrigation and drainage between paddy plots and spatial objects
 - Water allocation table for defining an irrigation district
 - Vertical/horizontal paddy percolation rates
 - Pollutant cycling and transport processes
 - Pesticide fate and transport

Tasks

- Enhance SWAT+ code for simulating rice paddies
- Add new objects and operations
 - HRUs submerged with paddy irrigation
 - Continuous irrigation with target/threshold depth
 - Transplanting
 - Puddling
 - Fertilizer application and nutrient transport processes
 - Evapotranspiration scheme for wetting and drying periods
 - Weir outlet control vs principal/emergency spillway
- HRU management scheduling
 - Build paddy-related “Conditions” and “Actions” in decision tables for automatic scheduling
 - Paddy operations in manual scheduling
 - Water allocation structure for paddy irrigation based on demand and supply
- New process modules
 - Water balance
 - Fertilizer mass balance
 - Pesticide fate and discharge
 - Salinity mass balance and groundwater recharge
- Update SWAT+ Input/Output structure for paddy simulation

Paddy Management Scheduling

Management.sch

management.sch: Management schedules									
MGT_NAME	NUMB_OPS	NUMB_AUTO	OP_TYPE	MON	DAY	HU_SCH	OP1	OP2	OP3
paddy	15	0	till	3	25	0.000	fallplow	null	0
			weir	4	1	0.000	weirl	null	50
			irrp	4	2	0.000	ponding50	sdc	0
			pudl	4	7	0.000	puddle	med_eff	0
			plnt	5	1	0.000	rice120	tr_rice120	0
			fert	6	27	0.000	elem_p	broadcast	40
			fert	6	27	0.000	urea	broadcast	90
			weir	7	3	0.000	weirl	null	200
			irrp	7	3	0.000	ponding200	sdc	0
			irrp	9	11	0.000	ponding_off	null	0
			weir	9	12	0.000	weirl	null	0
			harv	9	18	0.000	rice120	grain	0
			harv	9	18	0.000	rice120	hay_cut_low	0
			kill	9	18	0.000	rice120	null	0
			till	12	15	0.000	chisplow	null	0
paddyl	26	0	irrp	1	31	0.000	ponding_off	res	1
			weir	1	31	0.000	weirl	null	0
			till	3	25	0.000	fallplow	null	0
			weir	4	1	0.000	weirl	null	50
			irrp	4	2	0.000	ponding50	res	1
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			fert	4	22	0.000	urea	broadcast	100
			fert	4	22	0.000	28_10_10	broadcast	200
			weir	4	25	0.000	weirl	null	50
			irrp	4	25	0.000	ponding50	res	1
			plnt	5	1	0.000	rice120	tr_rice120	0
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			weir	9	12	0.000	weirl	null	0
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			harv	9	18	0.000	rice120	hay_cut_low	0
			kill	9	18	0.000	rice120	null	0
			weir	11	1	0.000	weirl	null	600
			irrp	11	2	0.000	ponding600	res	1
paddy2	26	0	irrp	1	31	0.000	ponding_off	aqu	0
			weir	1	31	0.000	weirl	null	0
			till	3	25	0.000	fallplow	null	0
			weir	4	1	0.000	weirl	null	50
			irrp	4	2	0.000	ponding50	aqu	0
			pudl	4	7	0.000	puddle	med_eff	0
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frse_lum	null	frse_comm	null	wood_f
past_lum	null	past_comm	null	pastg_f
oran_lum	null	oran_comm	null	woodgr_g
rice_paddy_lum	null	rice120_comm	paddy	legr_strow_p
rice_paddy1_lum	null	rice120_comm	paddy1	legr_strow_p
rice_paddy2_lum	null	rice120_comm	paddy2	legr_strow_p

Land management setting

HRU_NUMB	name	topo	hydro	soil	lu_mgt	soil_plant_init	Surf_stor
1	hru0001	topohru0001	hyd0001	aqxe	utrn_lum	soilplant1	null
2	hru0002	topohru0002	hyd0002	aqxe	orcd_lum	soilplant1	null
3	hru0003	topohru0003	hyd0003	aqxe	rice_paddy_lum	soilplant1	paddy001
4	hru0004	topohru0004	hyd0004	aqxe	urbn_lum	soilplant1	null
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9	hru0009	topohru0009	hyd0009	aqxe	urbn_lum	soilplant1	null

Hru-data.hru

Paddy/wetland setting

management.sch: Management schedules					
MGT	NAME	NUMB_OPS	NUMB_AUTO	OP_TYPE	
	paddy	0		6	
		plow			
		weir_adj			
		paddy_irr			
		puddle			
		pl_lv_rice			
		fert_paddy			
corn		0		3	
		plow			
		pl_lv_rice			
		fertil			

Wetland.wet

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NUMB	NAME	INIT	HYD	REL	SE	
3	paddy001	high_init	paddy	weir	sedwet	
12	paddy002	high_init	paddy	weir	sedwet	
19	paddy003	high init	paddy	weir	sedwet	

weir.res: Reservoir weir inputs - asdf;lj				
NAME	Linear_C	Exp_K	Width(m)	Depth(m)
weir1	1.83	1.50	5.00	0.0
weir2	1.83	1.50	15.00	1.0

*New columns

Automatic Operations using Decision Tables

management.sch: Management schedules			
MGT_NAME	NUMB_OPS	NUMB_AUTO	OP_TYPE
paddy	0	6	
	plow		
	weir adj		
	paddy_irr		
	puddle		
	pl_hv_rice		
corn	fert_paddy		
	0	3	
	plow		
	pl_hv_rice		
fert1	fert		

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NAME	COND\$	ALTS	ACTS						
plow	2	2	2						
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR	LIM_OP	LIM_CONST	ALT1	ALT2		
phu_base0	hru	0	null	-	0.05000	>	-		
days_harv	hru	0	null	-	30.00000	-	=		
ACT_TYP	OBJ	OBJ_NUM	NAME	OPTION	CONST	CONST2	FP	OUTCOMES	
till	hru	0	fieldcultivat	fldcult	0.00000	1.00000	null	y	n
till	hru	0	chisel_plow	chisplow	0.00000	1.00000	null	n	y
NAME	COND\$	ALTS	ACTS						
weir adj	2	2	2						
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR	LIM_OP	LIM_CONST	ALT1	ALT2		
month	null	0	evol	-	4	>	>		
month	null	0	evol	-	9	<	>		
ACT_TYP	OBJ	OB_NUM	NAME	OPTION	CONST	CONST2	FILE	POINTER	OUT1 OUT2
w weir_height	hru	0	paddy	wet	100.	1	weir1	y	n
w weir_height	hru	0	paddy	wet	0.0	1	weir1	n	y
NAME	COND\$	ALTS	ACTS						
paddy_irr	4	2	2						
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR	LIM_OP	LIM_CONST	ALT1	ALT2		
weirh	hru	0	-	-	0	>	-		
wet_depth	hru	0	hwater	-	60.	<	-		
month	null	0	null	-	5	>=	-		
month	null	0	null	-	9	-	>=		
ACT_TYP	OBJ	OB_NUM	NAME	OPTION	CONST	CONST2	FP	OUTCOMES	
irrigate	hru	0	surface	ponding	90.	60.	null	y	n
irrigate	hru	0	surface	ponding	0.	0.	null	n	y
NAME	COND\$	ALTS	ACTS						
puddle	3	1	1						
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR	LIM_OP	LIM_CONST	ALT1			
month	null	0	evol	-	4	>			
weirh	hru	0	-	-	0.	>			
wet_depth	hru	0	hwater	-	0.	>			
ACT_TYP	OBJ	OBJ_NUM	NAME	OPTION	CONST	CONST2	FP	OUTCOMES	
puddle	hru	0	puddle	med_eff	100	1	null	y	
NAME	COND\$	ALTS	ACTS						
pl_hv_rice	3	2	2						
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR	LIM_OP	LIM_CONST	ALT1	ALT2		
weirh	hru	0	-	-	0.	>	-		
phu_base0	hru	0	null	-	0.15	>	-		
phu_plant	hru	0	phu_mat	-	1.15				
ACT_TYP	OBJ	OBJ_NUM	NAME	OPTION	CONST	CONST2	FP	OUTCOMES	
plant	hru	0	rice120	rice120	0	1	rice120	y	n
harvest_kill	hru	0	grain_harv	all	0	1	grain	n	y
NAME	COND\$	ALTS	ACTS						
fert_paddy	3	3	3						
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR	LIM_OP	LIM_CONST	ALT1	ALT2		

New conditions

wet_depth !paddy water depth, mm
weirh !paddy weir height, mm
vol_wet !water volume - stored on an hru m3
 select case (d_tbl%cond(ic)%lim_var)
 case ("pvol") !prinicpal storage volume
 case ("evol") !emergency storage volume

New Actions

irrigate Required for paddy irrigation: d_tbl%act(iac)%name=='ponding'
Irr_demand Required for paddy irrigation: d_tbl%act(iac)%name=='ponding'
Puddle !puddle
Impound_on !turn on hru impounded water - rice paddy or wetland
Impound_off !remove impoundment
weir_height !adjust weir height – rice paddy/wetland
 Required: d_tbl%act(iac)%option == "wet"

Total numbers:
 - 50 conditions
 - 38 actions

Water Allocation for Paddy Irrigation

Water_allocation.wro

water_allocation.wro																	
1																	
NAME RUL_TYP SRC_OBS DMD_OBS CHA_OB																	
wallo1	null	2	2	n													
NUM	OB_TYP	OB_NUM	JAN_MIN	FEB_MIN	MAR_MIN	APR_MIN	MAY_MIN	JUN_MIN	JUL_MIN	AUG_MIN	SEP_MIN	OCT_MIN	NOV_MIN	DEC_MIN			
1	cha	1	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01		
2	aqu	2	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999	9999		
NUM	OB_TYP	OB_NUM	WITHDR	AMOUNT	W_RT	TR_TYP	TREAT	RCV_OB	RCV_NUM	RCV_DTL	SRCS	SRC1	FRAC1	COMP1	SRC2	FRAC2	COMP2
1	hru	1	irr_RIC2_SJV	10	sr	null	null	null	0	null	2	1	0.65	n	2	0.35	y
2	hru	2	irr_RIC2_SJV	10	sr	null	null	null	0	null	2	1	0.65	n	2	0.35	y

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NAME	COND	ALTS	ACTS
irr_RIC2_SJV	3	2	1
VAR	OBJ	OB_NUM	LIM_VAR
weirh	hru	0	-
month	null	0	null
month	null	0	null
ACT_TYP	OBJ	OB_NUM	NAME
irr_demand	hru	0	ponding
			OPTION
			CONST
			CONST2
			FP
			OUTCOMES
			noloss
			90
			60
			null
			y
			n

Management.sch

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RIC2_SJV	8	3	puddle			
			irr_RIC2_SJV			
till	3	30	0.00000 chisplow	null	0.00000	
till	4	15	0.00000 offsethv	null	0.00000	
fert	4	20	0.00000 22-00-00	generic	636	
till	4	25	0.00000 offsetlt	null	0.00000	
fert	5	1	0.00000 15-15-00	generic	133	

Example water allocation setting

- Two sources (Cha #1 and Aqu #2) available for water allocation
- Two receiving HRUs (#1 and #2) based on the irr_demand in "irr_RIC2_SJV"
- AMOUNT and W_RT are not used
- Water is allocated from the Cha#1 for 65% of the irrigation demand, and then 35% from the Aqu#2.
- If irrigation demand is not met due to limited water availability in the channel Aqu#2 is used as a compensating irrigation source

New Manual Operations in management.sch

<u>OP Name</u>	<u>Description</u>
weir	!change weir height !OP1 – weir name in weir.res !OP3 – new weir height for overflow, mm
irrp	!change paddy irrigation !OP1 – irrigation type name in irr.ops !OP2 – irrigation source (cha/sdc/res/aqu/null) !OP3 – object ID of the irrigation source (0 for nearby one)
pudl	!puddling operation !OP2 – Puddle type name in puddle.ops
Plnt	!planting (or transplanting) !OP1 – plant name in plants.plt !OP2 – transplanting type name in transplant.plt (OP3=1) !OP3 – 0 (seeding) or 1 (transplanting)

Irr.ops

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	NAME	IRR_AMT	IRR_EFF	SURQ_RTO	IRR_DEP	IRR_SALT	IRR_NO3N	IRR_PO4
	drip	50	0.9	0	0	0	0	0
	sprinkler	50	0.7	0.1	0	0	0	0
	subsurface	50	1	0	150	0	0	0
	surface	50	0.9	0.1	0	0	0	0
	ponding50	50	1	0.0	60	0	0	0
	ponding200	200	1	0.0	180	0	0	0
	ponding600	600	1	0.0	600	0	0	0
	ponding_off	0	1	0.1	0	0	0	0

Puddle.ops

name	hydcon_mm/h	sed_ppm	orgn_ppm	sedp_ppm	no3_ppm	solp_ppm	nh3_ppm	no2_ppm
high_eff	0.01000	10000	0.00000	800.00000	10.00000	20.00000	1.00000	1.00000
med_eff	0.00000	10000	0.00000	500.00000	10.00000	20.00000	1.00000	1.00000
low_eff	0.15000	10000	0.00000	100.00000	10.00000	20.00000	1.00000	1.00000

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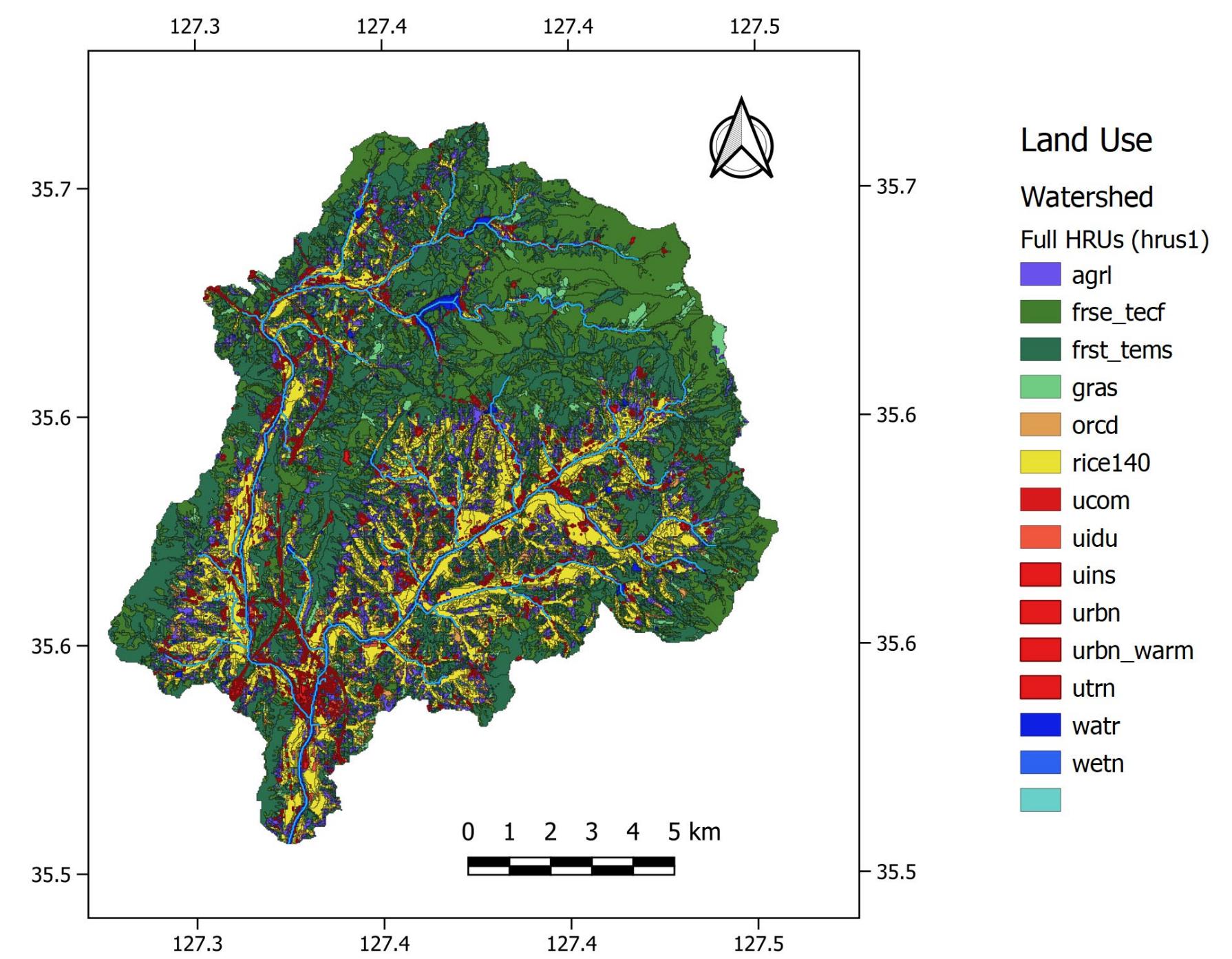
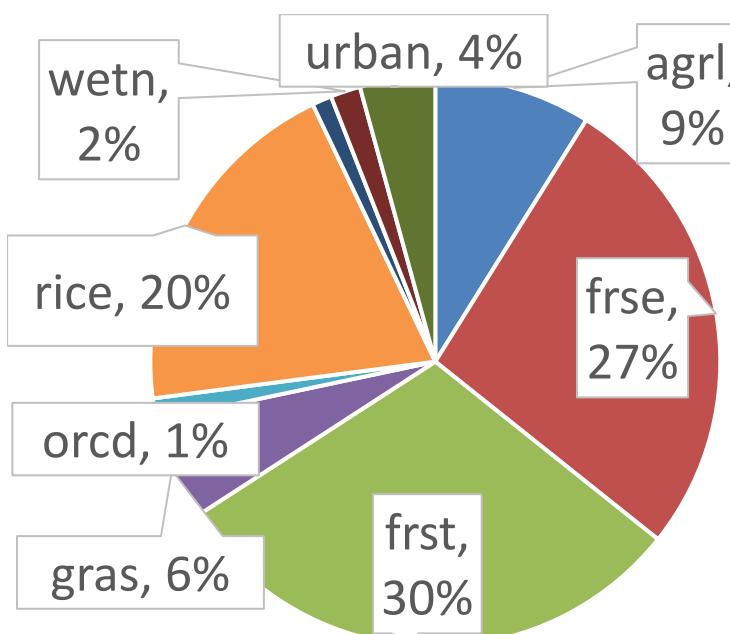
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			kill	9	18	0.000	rice120	null	0
			weir	11	1	0.000	weir1	null	600
			irrp	11	2	0.000	ponding600	res	1
paddy2	26	0	irrp	1	31	0.000	ponding_off	aqu	0
			weir	1	31	0.000	weir1	null	0
			till	3	25	0.000	fallplow	null	0
			weir	4	1	0.000	weir1	null	50
			irrp	4	2	0.000	ponding50	aqu	0
			pudl	4	7	0.000	puddle	med_eff	0
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Case Studies

- Sin-Gi watershed, South Korea
- Albufera watershed, Spain
- San Juaquin watershed, California, USA

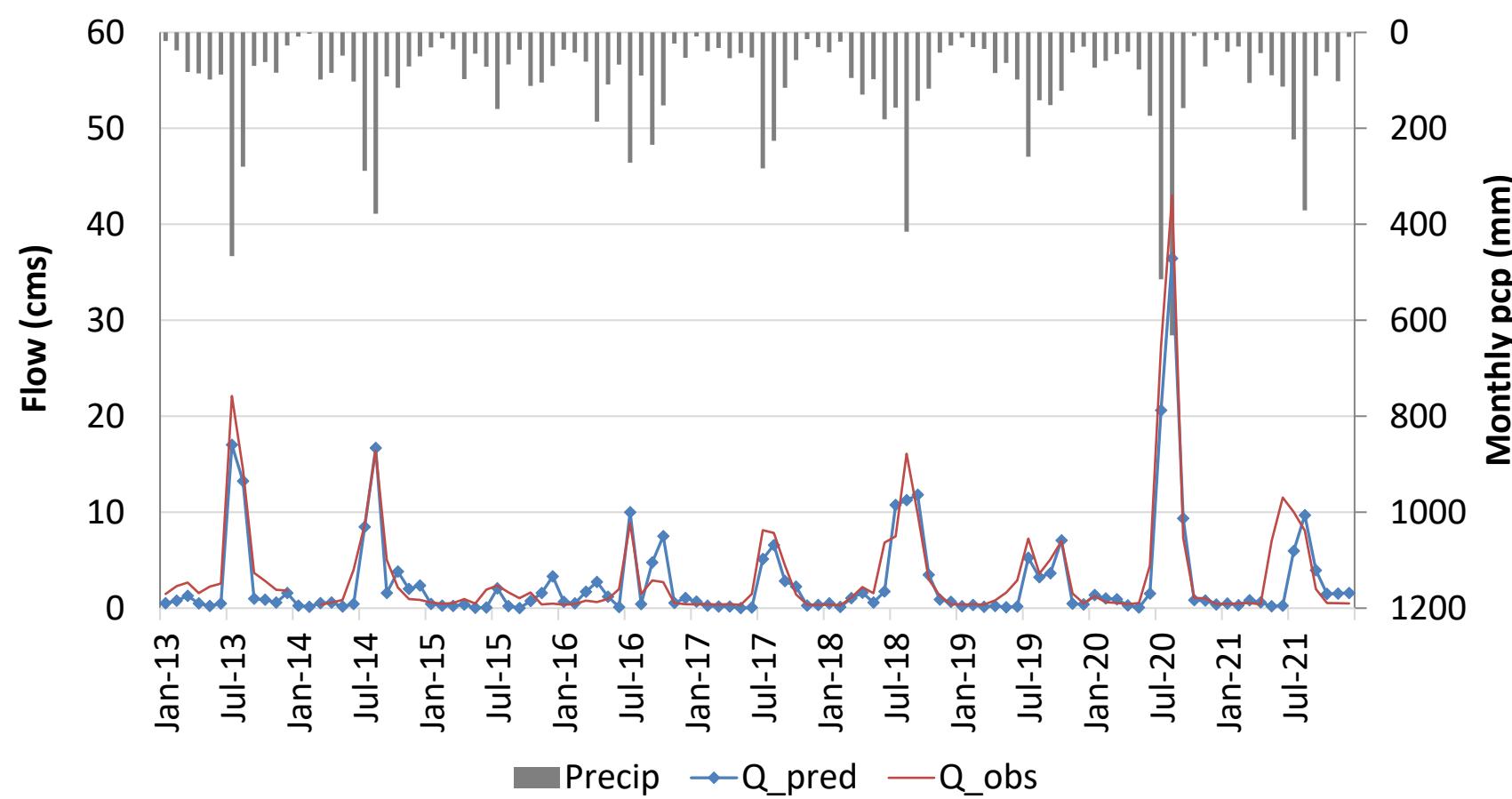
Sin-Gi Watershed

- Forests on high elevation and rice paddies in the valley area (191 km² area)
- Precipitation is influenced by monsoonal climate in June-September (annual rainfall is 1,268mm)
- Average high/low temperature is 29°C and 21°C
- Mean slope is 30%
- Mean elevation is 271m, outlet is at 110m, and mountain top is at 800m



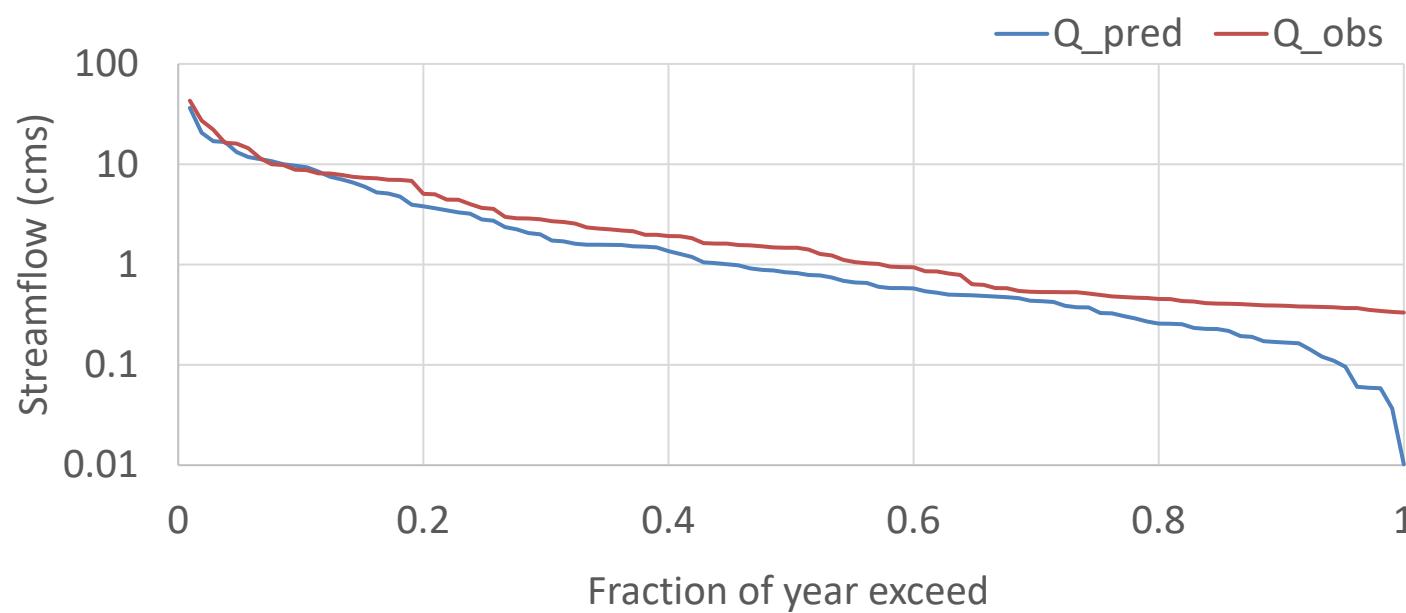
Results – streamflow

- Streamflow at the watershed outlet



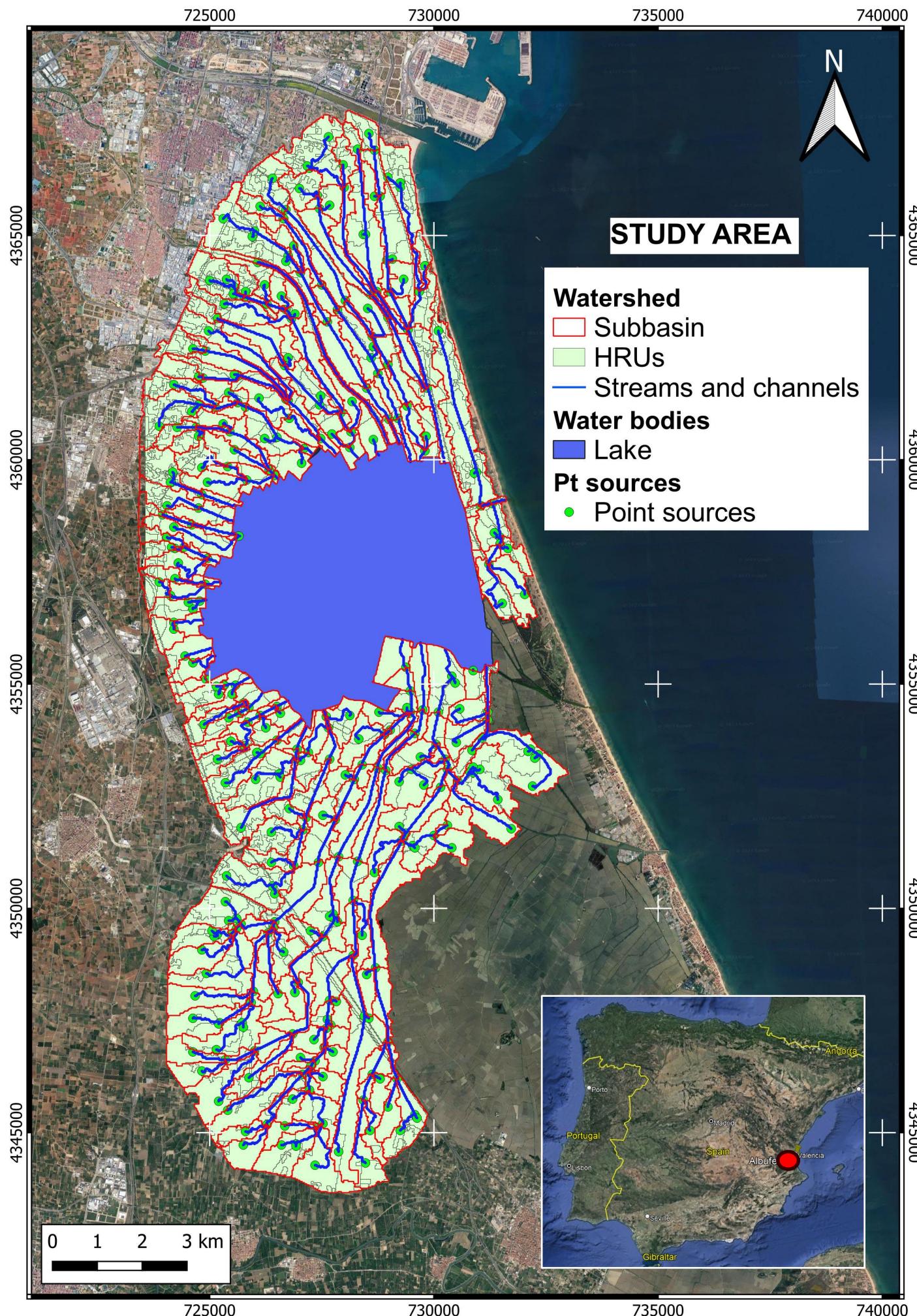
Performance metric	Paddy module	SCS-CN method
PBIAS	19.30	33.56
N&S efficiency	0.89	0.75
RSR	0.33	0.50
R ²	0.87	0.84

- Flow duration curve



Of the entire flow regimes, the top 20% flow accounts for 75% of the flow volume in the Singi stream.

Albufera Watershed, Spain

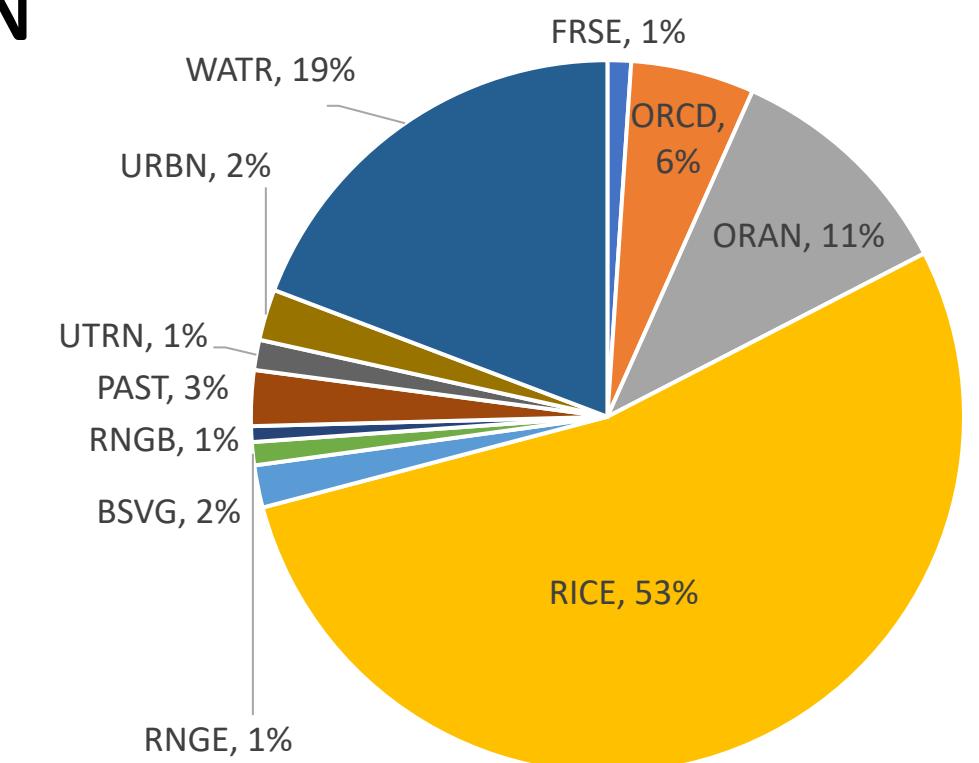


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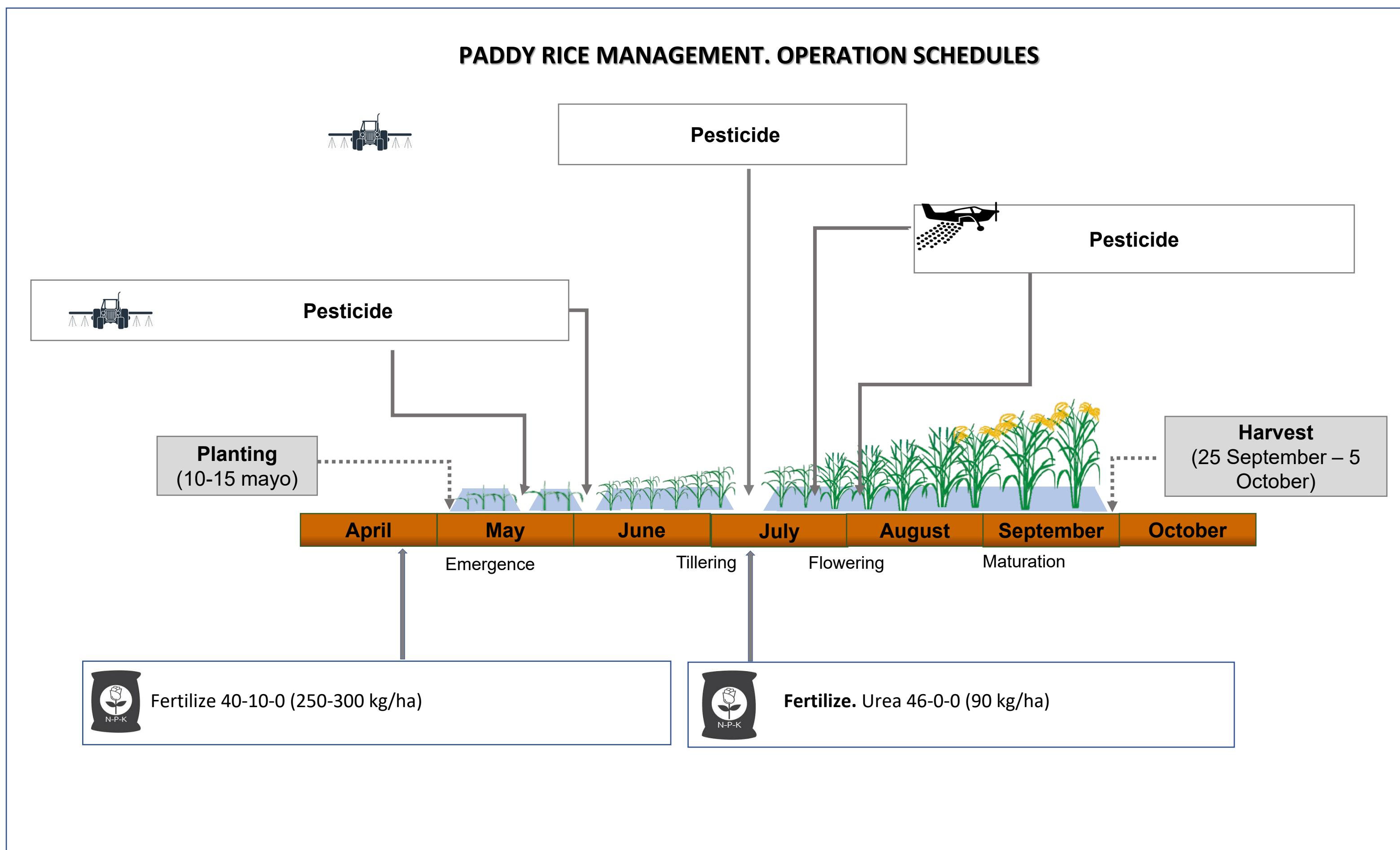
- Objective: Evaluate water and nutrients balance
- STUDY AREA
 - HUMAN PRESSURES
 - URBANIZATION
 - INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION
 - INTENSIVE AGRICULTURAL INPUTS (RICE, IRRIGATED CROPS, CITRUS PRODUCTION)
 - HIDROLOGICAL COMPLEXITY (TWO PRINCIPAL RIVERS, DENSE AGRICULTURAL DRAINAGE NETWORK, RAMSAR WETLAND, HUMAN EXPLOITATION AQUIFER, ETC...)
 - SOCIAL/ENVIRONMENTAL CONFLICTS (CONSERVATIONS VS LANDUSE INTENSIFICATION)
 - NATURAL PARK AND INTERNATIONAL WETLAND PROTECTED AREA (ENDEMIC AQUATIC SPECIES AND BIRDS PROTECTION AREA)

SWAT+ PROJECT INFORMATION

Object totals
270 Subbasins
1136 HRUs
352 Channels
272 Aquifers
1 Reservoirs
373 Routing Units
373 Landscape Units
116 Recall (point source/inlet data)
0 Export Coefficients
0 Delivery Ratio



Albufera Watershed, Spain

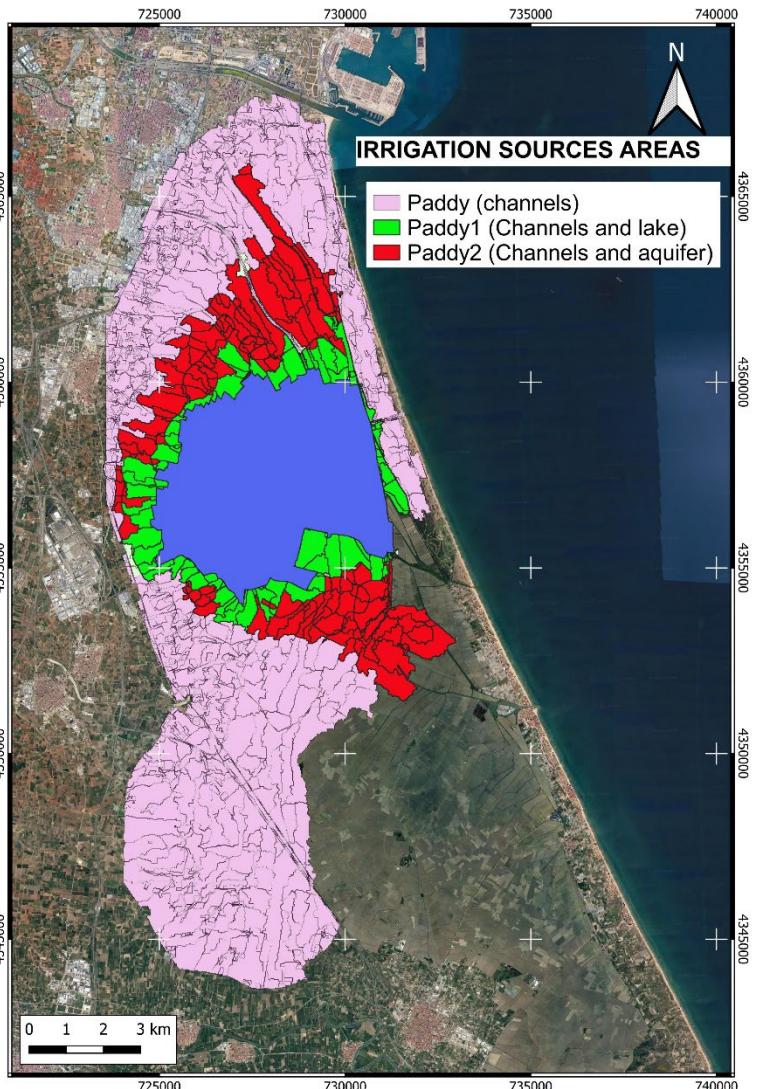


Water Balance and Management Operations

- PADDIES RICE IRRIGATION FROM WATER CHANNEL ALLOCATION. FROM MAY TO SEPTEMBER. 120 – 180 mm depth

Periodo	t d	P _{ef}	ET _c	I	Dr	ΔH	
		mm			Mm	mm/d	
12/05-14/05	3	0,0	18,5		7,8		
15/05-05/06	22	11,4	105,2		91,2		
12/05-05/06	25	11,4	123,7	366,3	99,0	155,0	6,2
06/06-10/06	5	0,0	29,4	0,0	20,7	-50,1	-10,0
11/06-14/06	4	0,0	26,5	46,0	16,6		
15/06-06/07	22	0,6	143,7	351,6	103,0		
11/06-06/07	26	0,6	170,3	397,6	119,6	87,6	3,4
07/07-11/07	5	0,0	30,2	0,0	19,1	-49,3	-9,9
12/07-27/07	16	21,9	96,7	287,5	118,9	93,9	5,9
28/07-18/08	22	0,0	120,6	395,4	262,3	12,4	0,6
12/07-18/08	38	21,9	217,3	682,9	381,2	106,3	
19/08-31/08	13	9,6	54,2	176,3	155,0	-23,3	-1,8
01/0-14/09	14	2,1	55,4	128,2	166,9	-92,0	-6,6
19/08-14/09	27	11,7	109,6	304,5	321,9	-115,3	
12/05-14/09	126	45,5	680,5	1.751,4	982,3	134,2	

- Td: total days
- Pef: efective precipitation
- Etc: rice water consumption
- I: irrigation
- Dr: drainage
- ΔH : water depth variation



- PADDIES RICE IMPOUND FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MESURES FROM WATER AQUIFER AND LAKE ALLOCATION. FROM NOVEMBER TO JANUARY. 400-800 mm around the lake (paddy1) and 200 mm (paddy2).

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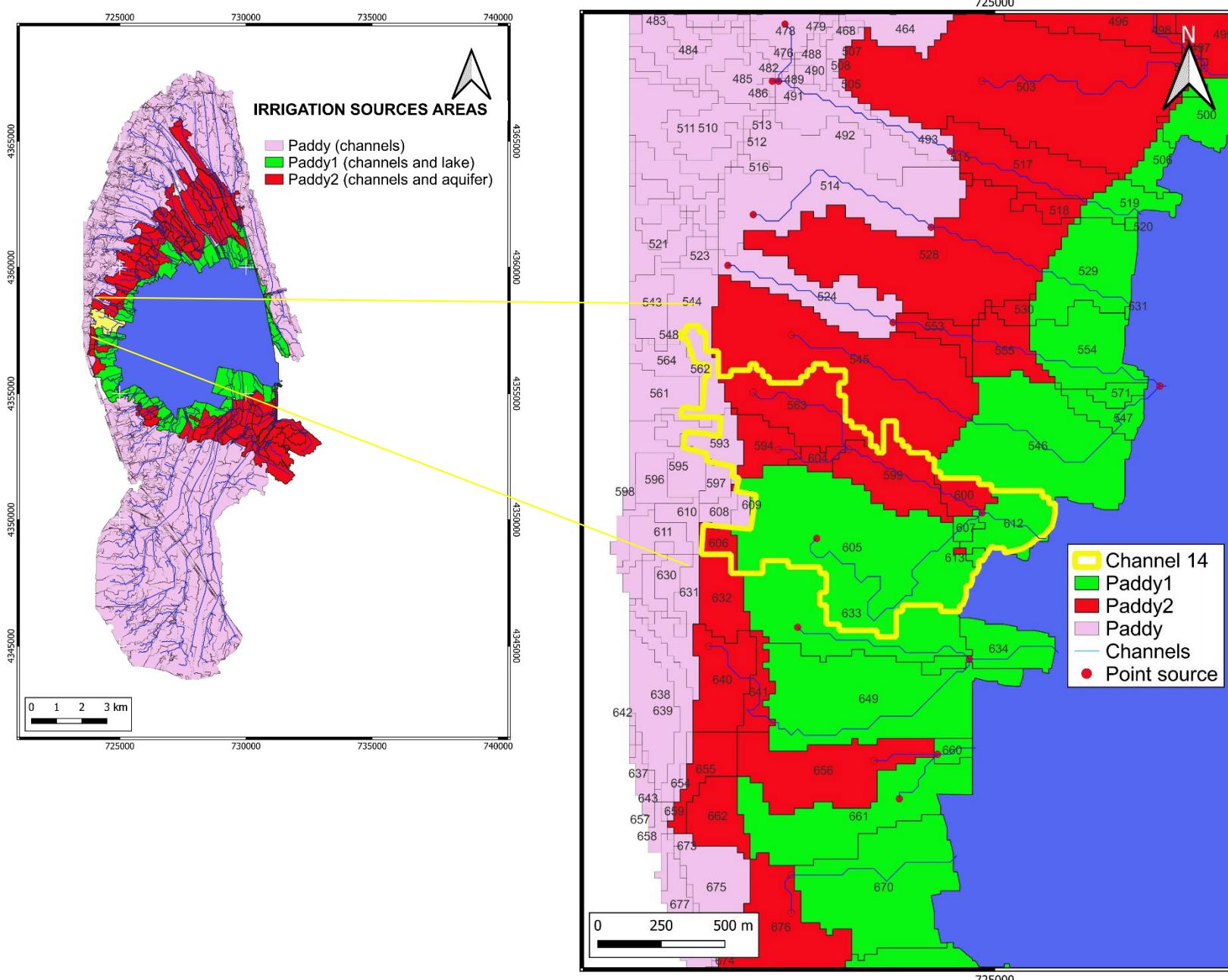
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4   fert      4       22    0.000  urea    --> broadcast 100
5   fert      4       22    0.000  28_10_10 --> broadcast 200
6   weir     4      25    0.000  weir1   null   50
7   irrp     4      25    0.000  ponding50 sdc   0
8   pudl     4      28    0.000  puddle   med_eff 0
9   plnt     5      1     0.000  rice120 tr_rice120 0
10  irrp    6      25    0.000  ponding_off null   0
11  weir    6      25    0.000  weir1   null   0
12  fert    6      27    0.000  elem_p  --> broadcast 40
13  fert    6      27    0.000  urea    --> broadcast 90
14  weir    7      3     0.000  weir1   null   0
15  irrp    7      3     0.000  ponding200 sdc   0
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17  weir    9      12    0.000  weir1   null   0
18  harv    9      18    0.000  rice120 grain  0
19  harv    9      18    0.000  rice120 hay_cut_low 0
20  kill    9      18    0.000  rice120 null   0
21  till   12      15    0.000  chisplow null   0
22  skip    0       0    0.000  null    null   0
23

24 paddy1   22        0        CRLF
25  irrp    1      31    0.000  ponding_off res   1
26  weir    1      31    0.000  weir1   null   0
27  till   3      25    0.000  fallplow null   0
28  fert   4      22    0.000  urea    --> broadcast 100
29  fert   4      22    0.000  28_10_10 --> broadcast 200
30  weir   4      25    0.000  weir1   null   50
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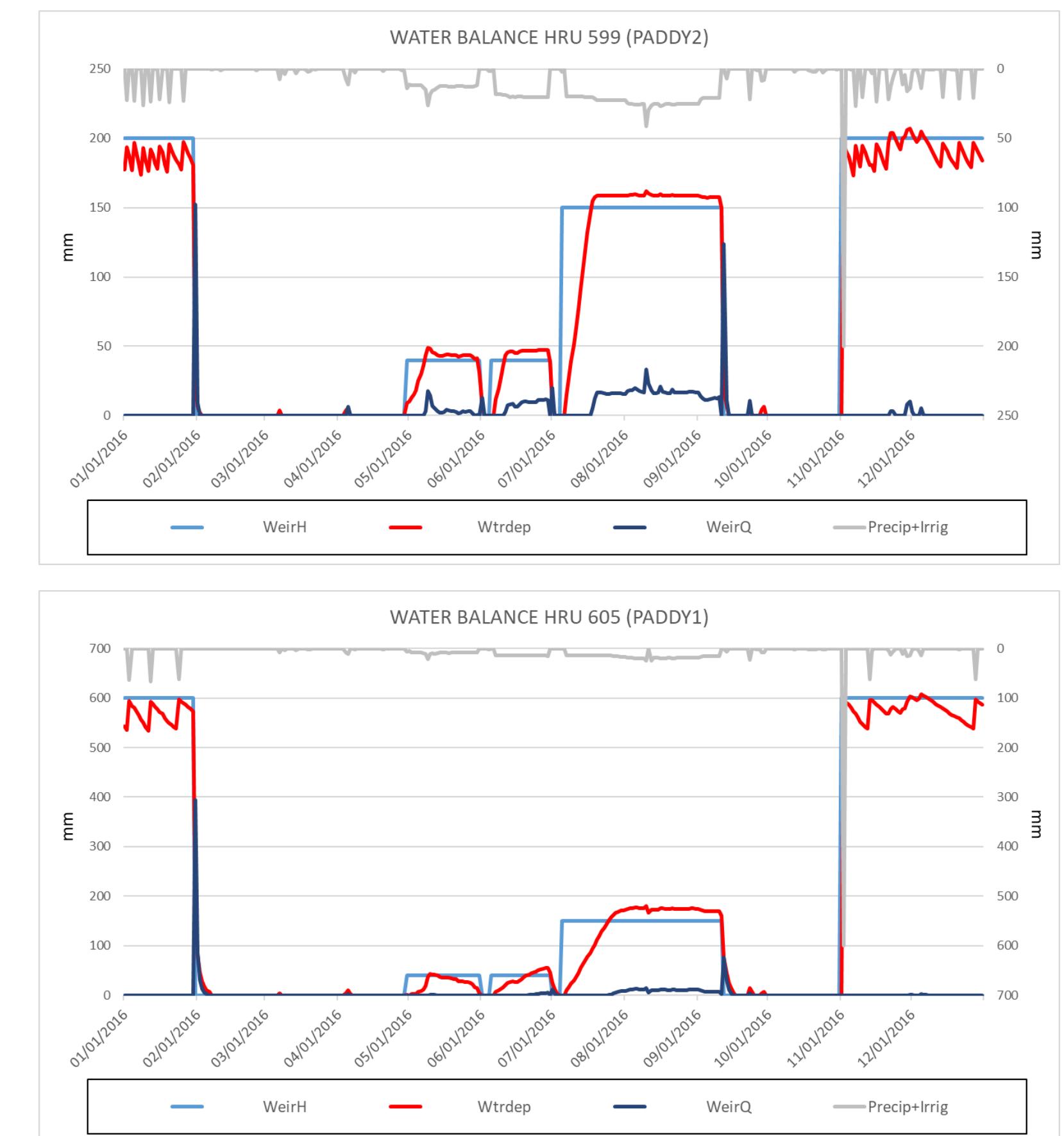
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Preliminary Results: HRUs 599 and 605



- Paddy rice module faithfully represents the levels that define a rice field
- The balance between weir height (management.sch) and the parameters defining irrigation (IRR_AT and IRR_DEP in irr.ops) is key to properly simulate the water depth
- The surface area of the HRUs must be taken into account in the process of paddy fields impound time



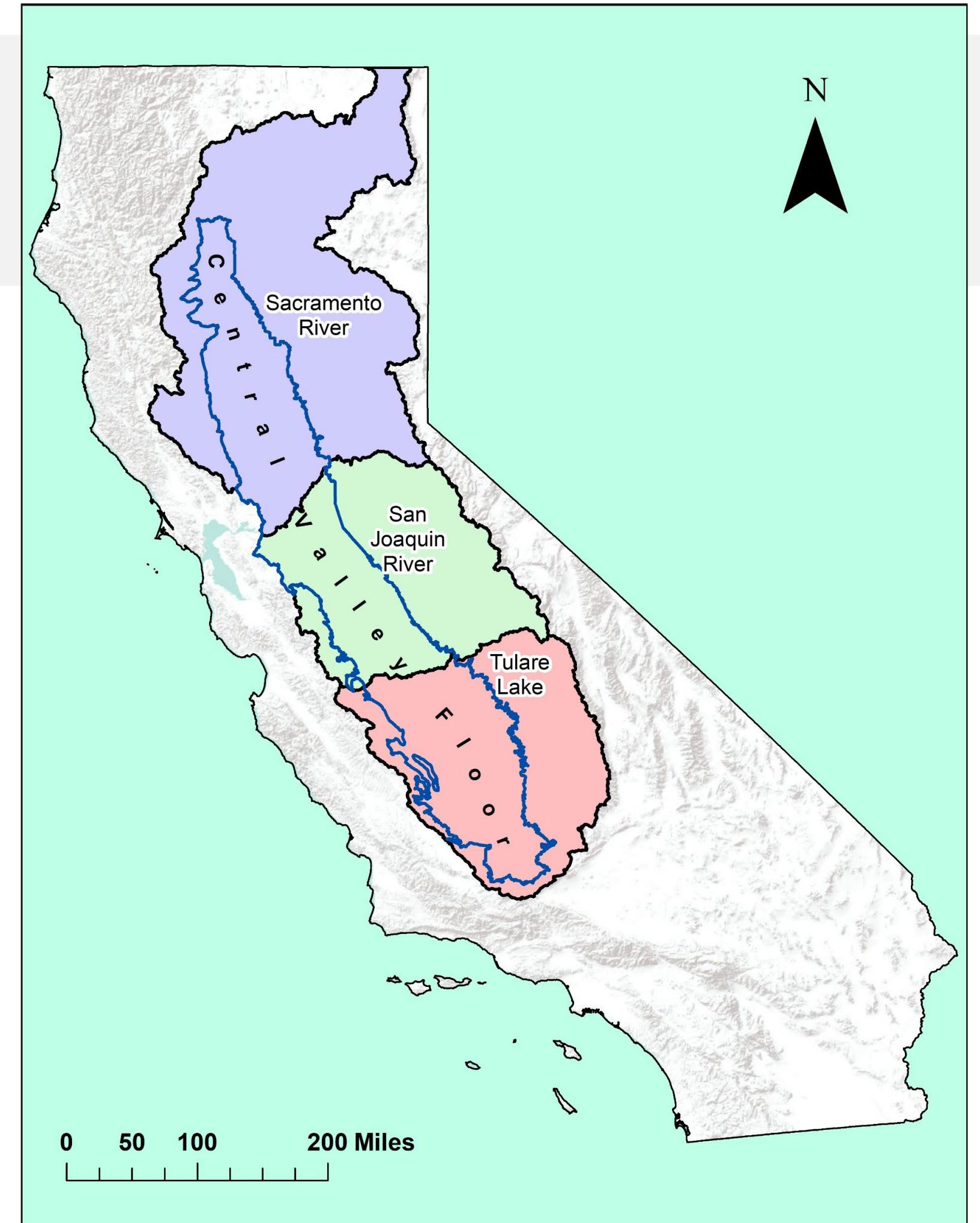
Overview of Central Valley Agriculture

More than 300 crops grown

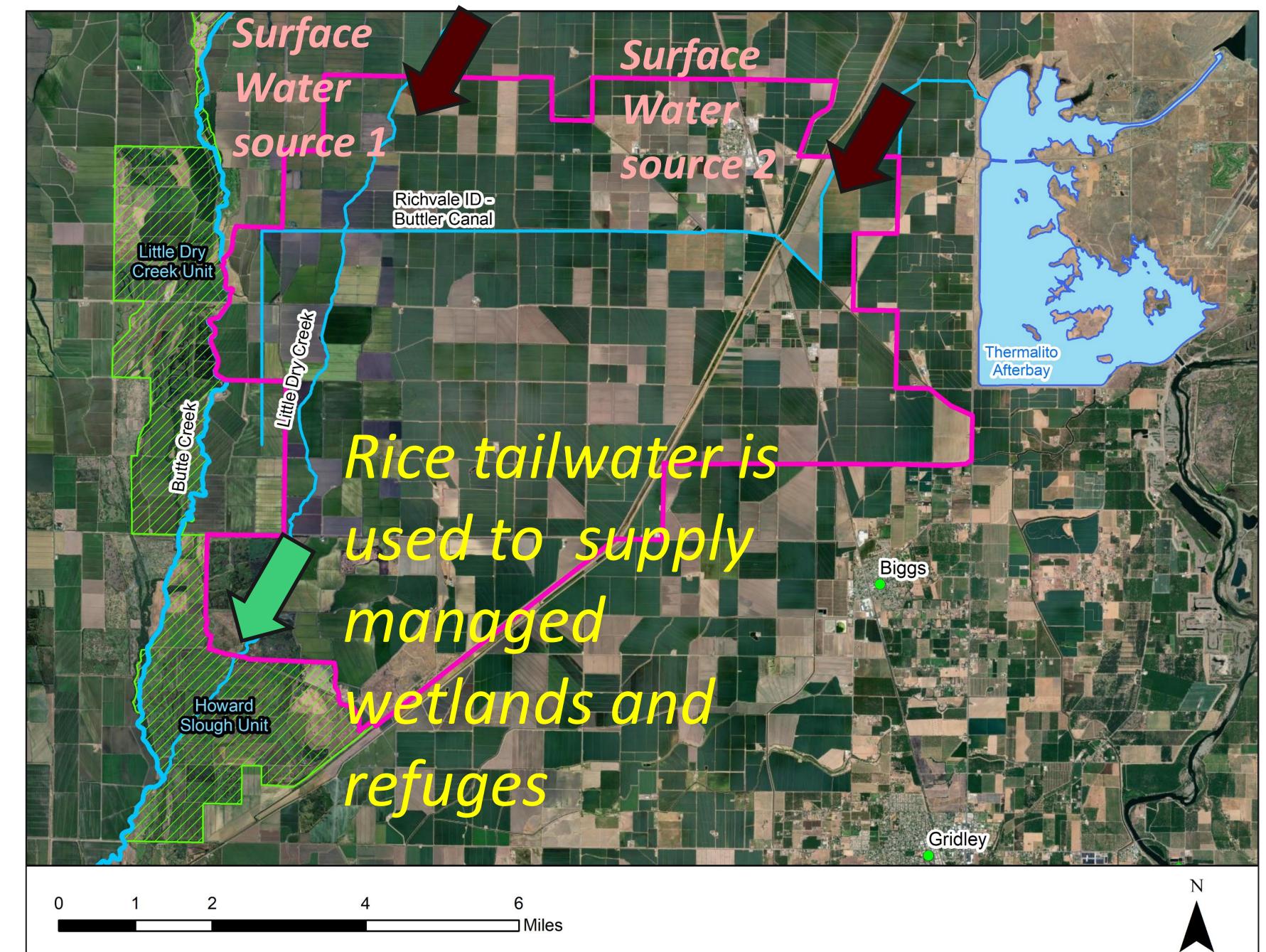
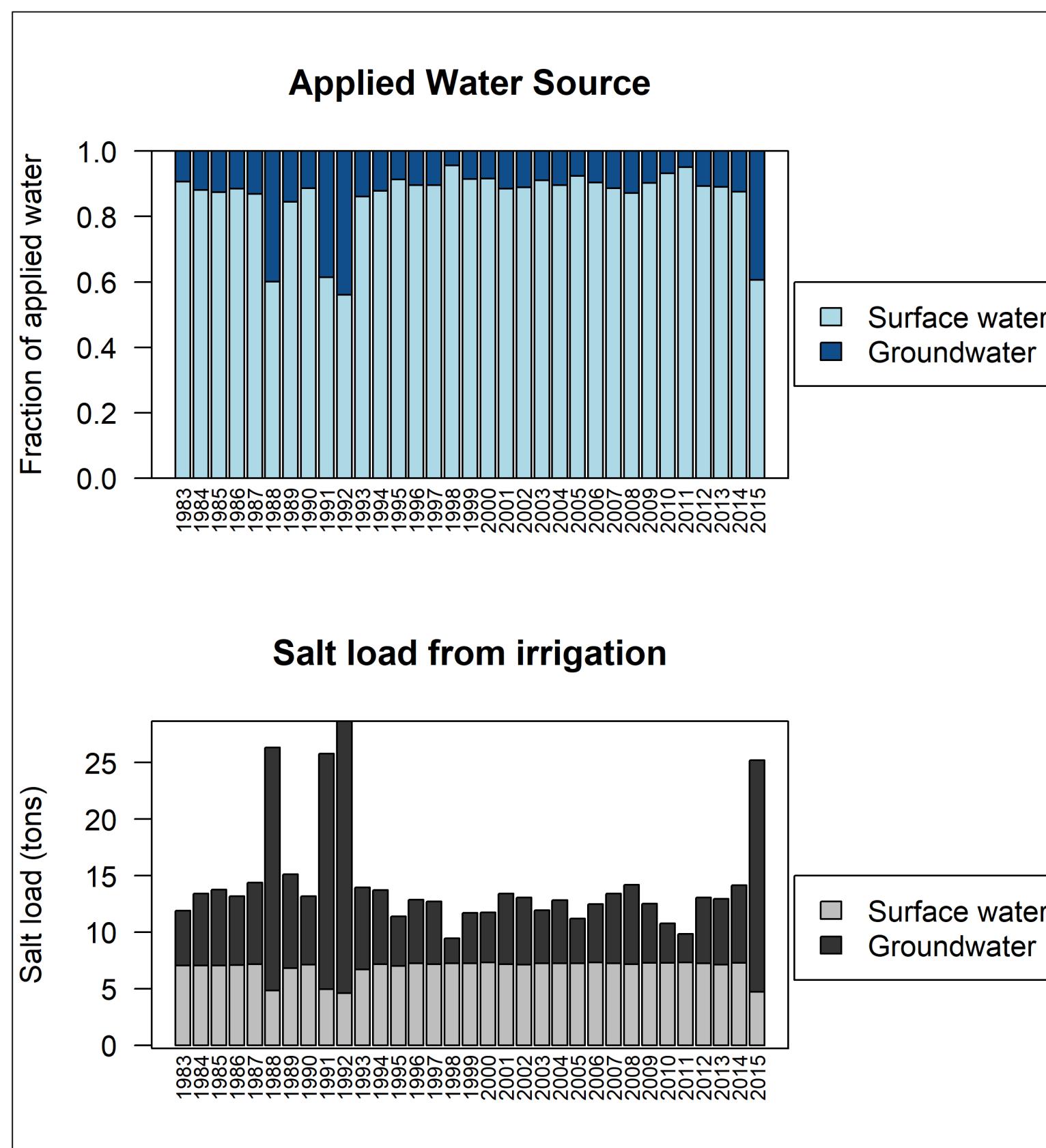
\$38 billion in production value in 2021

Approximately 75% of the irrigated land in California

17% of the Nation's irrigated land is in the Central Valley



Irrigation Salt Loading Example



Total applied water in irrigation district: ~
185 – 204 TAF
Surface water TDS = 60 mg/L
Groundwater TDS = 400 mg/L



Summary

Paddy module in SWAT+

Water balances at the field-scale and watershed-scale improved substantially with the paddy module implementation

Large scale application

Representation of complex paddy systems at the watershed scale is still a challenge

Tasks to do with SWAT+

Expand decision tables, calibrate Sin-Gi, Albufera, and San Joaquin, conservation practices, enhance GHGs