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Afforestation projects for Environment and Livelihood in Vietnam

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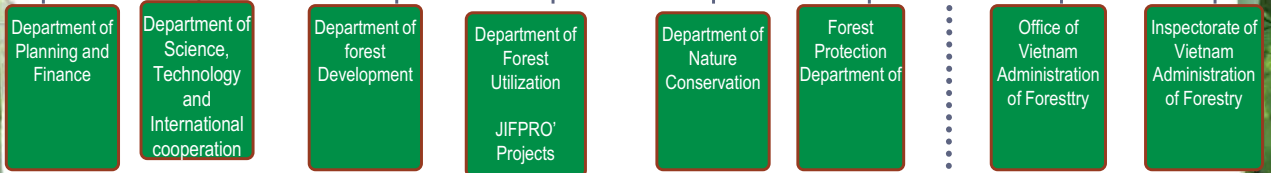
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Outline of the presentation

- General introduction of Vietnam Forest and forestry
- JIFPRO' project implementation report
- Advantage and disadvantage for implementation
- Future prospect

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VIETNAM ADMINISTRATION OF FORESTRY



Department of agriculture and Rural Development (Sub DoF and Sub DFP)

Department of Agriculture and Rural Development at provincial level



Introduction of panelist's country

- Basic information
 - **Area of the whole country:** 331,212 km², including about 327,480 km² land and more than 4,200 km² inland sea, with more than 2,800 islands
 - **Population:** about 86 million
 - **Capital:** Ha Noi
 - **Ethnic group:** Vietnam has 54 ethnic groups, including 53 ethnic minorities, accounting for 14% of the total population of the country. Ethnic Vietnamese (also known as Kinh) accounted for nearly 86%,
 - **Religion:** Vietnam has some major religions: Buddhism, Catholicism, Protestantism, Islam.

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Introduction of panelist's country

- Economic aspect:
 - Main industry: Agriculture and Services
 - GDP per capita: 1.200 \$ (2010)
- Climate aspect:
 - Precipitation in capital: 1800 mm
 - Average temperature in capital: 28.1°C
 - Rain season: From May to September
 - Dry season: From October to March next year

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Situation of forest

- Forest area
 - Tropical forest: Over 90 %, Mangrove 1.1 % and other 5%
- Forest coverage rate: 39.2% (2010)
- Land use
 - Public land 66.2%
 - Private Land 33.8%
- Protected forest: 7,848,472 ha include protection forest and special used forest
- Main Cause of deforestation and degradation
 - slash and burn shifting cultivation
 - Economy development demand
 - The local people's Dependence on forest product is high, around 25 Million people living inside the forest

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Our valuable forest

- Endangered species in forest
- Rare species in forest
- Mangrove
- Utilization of something in forests an ingredient in medicines or industry
- Biodiversity
 - There are a lot of the rare species in the tropical forest in Vietnam



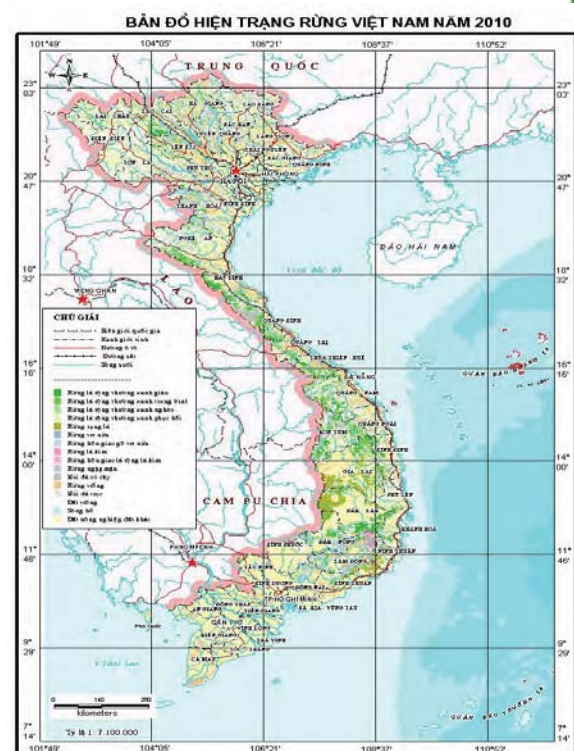
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2.JIFPRO's Projects report

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Afforestation site in the country

- The number of Projects: from 1998 to now: 13 projects, established 2,059 ha plantation
- Site name: Hoa Binh, Ha Tay, Hai Phong, Ha Noi, Thai Nguyen, Tuyen Quang, Quang Ninh, Vinh Phuc, Bac Giang and Thua thien Hue
- Criteria of choosing the site
 - Location: main forest, bare land
 - Climate condition: suitable for trees species
 - Local people: land right, poor, expectation
 - the Pressure on forest product is high



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(Special) Approach of JIFPRO's project

- What is different from other afforestation projects: simple procedure, bottom-up approaches, funding mechanism.
- Project design

- Project Proposal by local authorities (sub-Forestry department in provincial): Land, location, areas, time, technical: species, planting methods, maintenance method...
- Field survey by VN forest
- Project proposal by VN forest: same as province proposal
- MoU
- Project decision
- Project implementation

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Outline of the main projects in recent years

- Forest for environment rehabilitation at Dai Lai, Vietnam project
 - Supported: Ring Bell Co.Ltd
 - Duration: 2006-2009
 - Size: 40 ha, Acacia mangium and Pinus caribeeae
 - Implementation organization: Vietnam Forest science and Production Center- FSIV

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Result of Ring Bell project



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Outline of the main projects in recent years

- Forest for Green Earth: Center for Better Living Blue and Green projects
 - Supported: Center for Better Living
 - Duration: 2008 – present and continuing
 - Size: 1,089 ha, Acacia mangium, Acacia crassicarpa, Acacia difficilis and Casuarina equisetifolia
 - Location: Thai Nguyen, Quang Ninh and Thua thien Hue provinces
 - Implementation: Sub-forestry department at provincial

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Result of Better Living projects



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Outline of the main projects in recent years

- Forest for environment and community in Quang Ninh province
 - Supported: Japan Forest Foundation
 - Duration: 2010 to 2016
 - Size: 400 ha, Acacia mangium
 - Location: Van Don and Ba Che district – Quang Ninh province
 - Implementation: Sub-DoF Quang Ninh province

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Result of JFF project



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Outline of the main projects in recent years

- Vietnam forest for environment and friendship project – Green Frame project
 - Supported: The Yomiuri Shimbun
 - Duration: 2011 to 2013
 - Size: 104 ha, Acacia mangium
 - Location: Tan Moc commune, Luc Ngan District – Bac Giang province
 - Implementation: Sub-DoF Bac Giang province

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Result of Green Frame project



Accomplishment 1 -promoting plantation technique-



participatory



Training course



Technical guideline



Technical guideline

Accomplishment 2 -Reaction of local people (communities)-

- Change their living condition by improving their incomes
- Change their awareness of forest itself and the management
- Encourage local people to protect their forests.
- Closely linkage between local people with local authorities



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Accomplishment 3 - improving environment-

- Change of change in enviroment
 - water source forest
 - Soil erosion control
 - Protect the agriculture crops



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advantages and disadvantages of JIFPRO's project

■ Advantages:

- ❑ Issues to solve: Environment protection, Economy increase and Social stability
- ❑ Close and good cooperation in different stakeholder
- ❑ Transparent in investment and benefit policies
- ❑ Technical transfer and document
- ❑ Participatory approach
- ❑ Believe of local people to their forest

■ Disadvantages:

- ❑ Long internal procedure
- ❑ Plantation site in difficult access roads and high mountain
- ❑ Land allocation requirement

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3. Future prospect

- High appreciation of JIFPRO contribution
- Continuing cooperation with JIFPRO and other donor from Japan on Forest plantation projects consistent with VN FPD

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3. Future prospect

- Identified Problem
 - Bare land is still high
 - Poor local communities
 - Land allocation in progress
- Request to contributor:
 - Large scale or small scale plantation projects
 - Production forest
 - Northern part of Vietnam

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