

CSAM Regional Initiative on Integrated Straw Management

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Outline



About ESCAP-CSAM



About CSAM's Regional Initiative

ESCAP-CSAM



- **Regional institution** of ESCAP and hosted in China since 2003.
- Regional Hub for **South-to-South and Triangular Cooperation** servicing **62 ESCAP member States** and associate members.
- Dedicate to promoting **international cooperation and partnership** in mandated area of work.
- Focusing on **Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) 2** (Zero Hunger), SDG 1 (no poverty), SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).

Our Vision

CSAM's vision is to achieve production gains, improved rural livelihood and poverty alleviation through sustainable agricultural mechanization for a more resilient, inclusive and sustainable Asia and the Pacific



The background image shows three women in a rural, agricultural setting, likely a rice paddy. They are dressed in traditional attire, including saris. One woman is standing on the left, another is in the center, and a third is on the right, holding a bundle of harvested rice. The ground is muddy and wet, suggesting recent rain or irrigation. In the background, there is a dense line of trees, including palm trees, under a clear sky. An orange, semi-transparent, wavy-shaped overlay covers the middle portion of the image, containing the title and list.

Constraints on Promoting Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization in Asia-Pacific

- Small land holdings
- Limited manufacturing capacity
- Weaknesses in policy environment
- Limited institutional capacities
- Inadequate regional coordination

CSAM's Key Functions to enable Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization



Regional Cooperation



Capacity Building



Research and
Advisory



Communication and
Outreach



Partnership Building

← **South-South and Triangular Cooperation underlies all of CSAM's work** →

CSAM's Main Initiatives for Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization



Regional Forum on Sustainable
Agricultural Mechanization



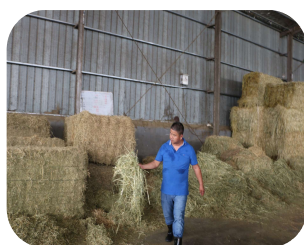
Asian and Pacific Network for
Testing of Agricultural
Machinery (ANTAM)



Regional Council of Agricultural
Machinery Associations
(ReCAMA)



Building resilience of
smallholder farmers through
South-South Cooperation



Integrated management
of straw residue



Research, data,
publications, policy
advisory services



Training and
institutional capacity
building



Engagement of youth



Poverty alleviation in
China

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4th Regional Forum on Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization in Asia and the Pacific

(23-25 November 2016, Hanoi, Vietnam)

- Leading the way for Climate-Smart Agriculture through machinery and practices



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4th Regional Forum on Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization in Asia and the Pacific

Leading the Way for Climate-Smart Agriculture through Machinery and Practices



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Research Paper

- **Status of Straw Management in Asia-Pacific and Options for Integrated Straw Management**
 - Published in 2017
 - Covering East Asia, South Asia, South East Asia
 - To **collect proven practices/technologies** of straw management in member countries
 - Outcomes and findings of the paper were circulated at the **Regional Workshop** on Integrated Straw Management in Dec. 2017 in Kathmandu, Nepal



**Status of Straw Management in Asia-Pacific
and Options for Integrated Straw Management**

Pilot Projects

- **Launched in 2018 in China and Vietnam**
- **Objectives:**
 - To develop an **innovative, circular and green model** of integrated straw management;
 - To **enhance awareness** of farmers and other key stakeholders on technologies and models for integrated straw management;
 - To **upscale application** of successful integrated straw management technologies and models.

Overall progress

4th Regional Forum
on Sustainable
Agricultural
Mechanization in Asia
and the Pacific - 2016

East
Asia

South
Asia

South-
East
Asia

Research paper
“Status of Straw
Management in Asia-
Pacific and Options
for Integrated Straw
Management” - 2017

**Regional Workshop
on Integrated Straw
Management - 2017**

**Establishment of
Pilot Projects** in China
and Vietnam in 2018

**Inception
Workshop in China**
in Aug 2018

**Inception
Workshop-Cum
Training on “Indoor
Mushroom Growing
Technology”** in
Vietnam in Jan 2019



Pilot Project on Integrated Straw Management in China

- **Location:** Laixi, Qingdao, Shandong Province
- **Partners:**
 - China Agricultural University (CAU)
 - Qingdao Administration of Agriculture and Rural Affairs
 - Laixi Administration of Agriculture and Rural Affairs
 - Qingdao Zhitao Agricultural Machinery Specialized Cooperative
- **Pilot Models:**
 - Straw used as fertilizer, fodder, bio-gas production, mushroom growing in a circular manner



Pilot Project on Integrated Straw Management in China

– Inception Workshop (Aug. 2018)



Pilot Project on Integrated Straw Management in China

– Partner Engagement Event (*Apr 2019*)

Pilot Project on Integrated Straw Management in Vietnam

- **Location:** Can Tho City
- **Partners:**
 - Sub-Institute of Agricultural Engineering & Post-harvest Technology (SIAEP)
- **Pilot Models:**
 - Straw used for mushroom growing



Pilot Project on Integrated Straw Management in Vietnam

- Inception Workshop (*Jan. 2019*)

Pilot Project on Integrated Straw Management in Nepal *(under preparation)*

- **Partners:**

- Department of Agricultural Engineering (DoAE), Purwanchal Campus, Institute of Engineering (IoE), Tribhuvan University
- Krishna Daana Udhyog (KDU)
- Agricultural Engineering and Post Harvest Section (AEPHS), Department of Agriculture (DoA), Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development

- **Pilot Model:**

- Straw used as fodder

Engagement of Cambodia

- **Focal Point:**

- Department of Agricultural Engineering (DoAE), Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries

- **Context:**

- Active research and promotion on **conservation agriculture**
- Regional Workshop (2018) and Regional Training (2019) on CA organized
- Keen interest in mechanization solutions for integrated straw management

Way Forward...

- **Continuation of:**
 - Research and analytical work
 - Field activities and capacity building
 - Regional knowledge exchange

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COLLABORATION IN FUTURE...**

Thank you