#### DUS training course for Maize

# Country report Situation on Maize in Vietnam

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## Outline of presentation

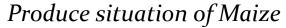
- General introduction for Vietnam
- Breeding facility for maize in Vietnam
- Maize Production
- Some information of PVP in Vietnam

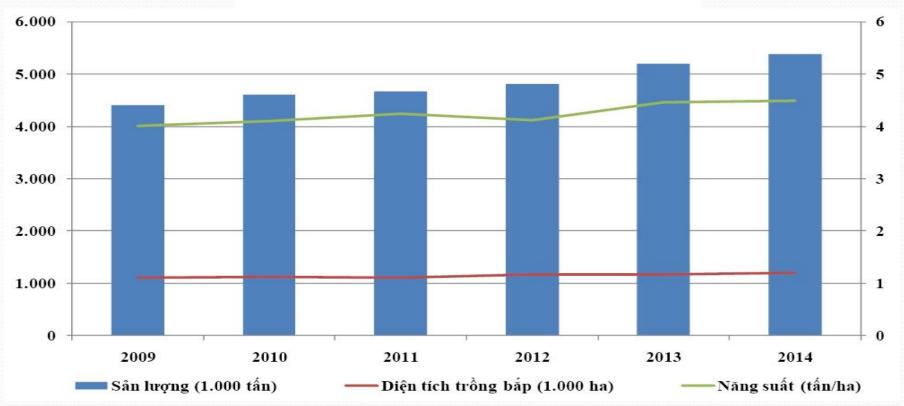
- Vietnam is an Agriculture country
- Main crops in Vietnam are: Rice, Maize, Sweet potato, Cassava, Soybean, Peanut
- Maize is the second important crop after rice
- Area in 2015: 1,2 million/ha
- Yield: 44 ton/ha
- Production: 5,2 million/ha

#### General introduction (Distributed)

- There are 4 ecological zones :
- Northern mountainous and midland
- Northern central part
- Central highland
- Southern central part coastal
- Southern
- =>Northern mountainous and midland where is largest area for maize cultivate in Vietnam



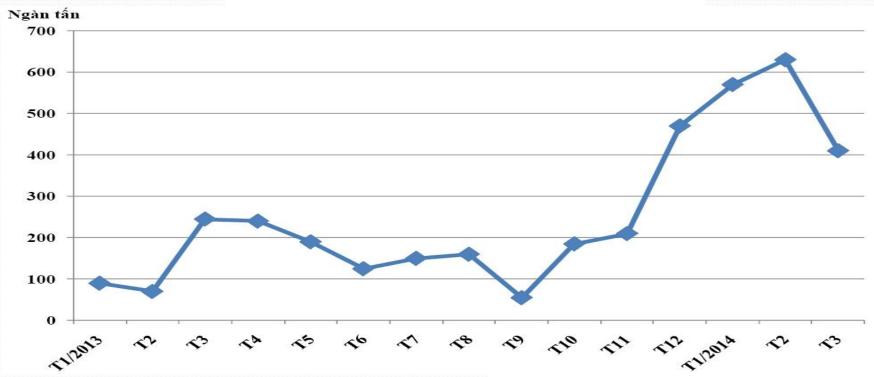




Source file: AMIS (Agricultural Market Information System), Market Monitor, 2014.

The yield and production is increasing year by year. But the area is not expand

Importing maize from Jan,2103 to Mar,2014



**Source file:** General department of Vietnam Customs



• Although, until now production of maize not appropriated with potential yet, not enough for domestic demand. Every year, Vietnam has to import more than 1 million ha seeds maize for feed

## Challenges and opportunity

- Maize in Vietnam: 90% for feed
- Now aday, there are many type of variety are developing in Vietnam as: Sweet, vegetable, waxy etc.
- Cost production for maize in Vietnam are very high compare to imported (197usd)
- Breeding new variety are face on the competition from oversea companies
- However, that is opportunity for Vietnam



## General introduction (Vairety structure)

- 98% F1 Hybrid
- 2% self- pollinated
- Varieties are bred by domestic breeders is over 30 %
- The imported seeds accounted for more than 60 %



National Maize Research Institute





Some prominent species: LVN 10, LVN99, LVN4, LVN885, LVN8960

Southern seed company (SSC.)





=> Some prominent varieties : SSC856, SSC886 etc.

Moreover: Rice, mung bean,

Syngenta Global – Representative office in Vietnam





=> Some prominent varieties : Nk67, NK4300, NK66, NK6654, NK7328

DEKALB Vietnam company Limited





Some prominent varieties: DK9901, DK9955, DK6818 etc.

Vietnam seeds C.P Ltd.





Some prominent varieties: CP888, CP333,CP999, CP889

Bioseed Genetics Vietnam





Some prominent varieties: Bioseed 06, B21, B265

#### Some new varieties of Maize

- Hybrid Maize variety: VS36
- Duration of growth : 110- 115 days
- Most suitable planting time:Step Nov
- Yield: 75kgs/ha



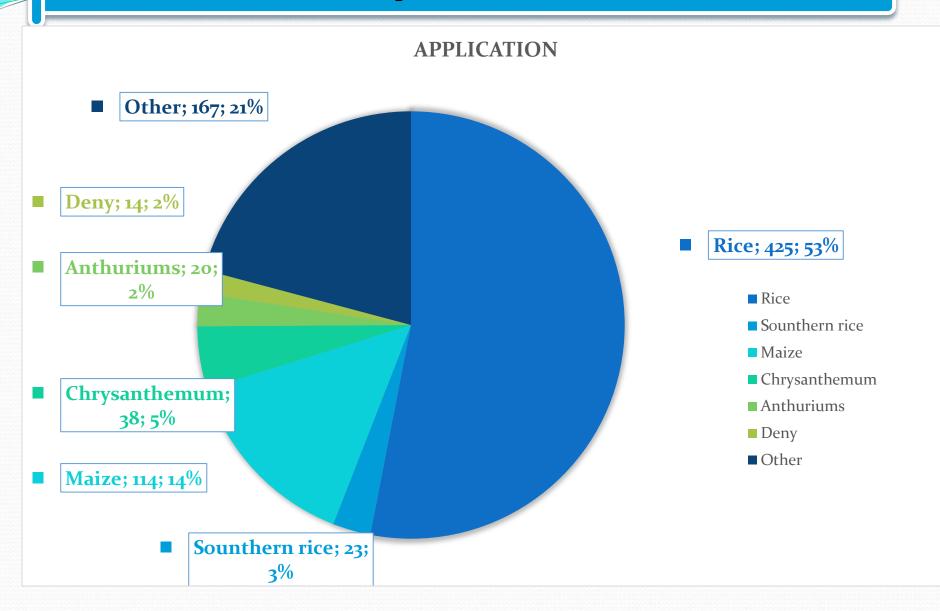
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- Hybrid Maize variety: 9898C
- Crop cycle: 108- 110 days
- Most suitable planting time:
   Step Nov
- Yield: 80,7 kgs/ha

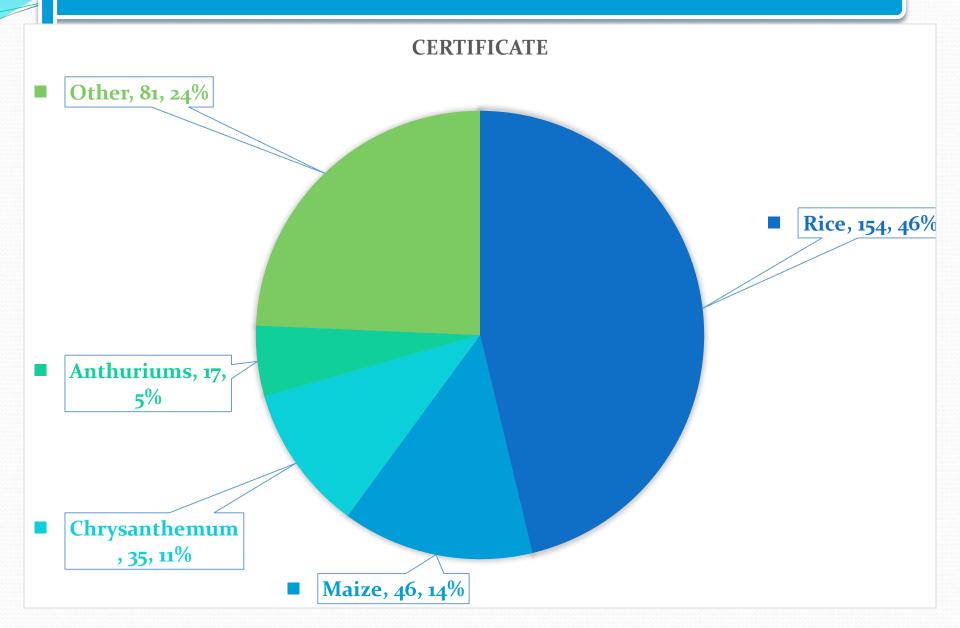




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