



Quality Rice. Quality Life.

Our work at Philippine Rice Research Institute

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Agency Mandate, Vision and Mission

Mandate

- Government corporate entity attached to the Department of Agriculture
- Created through Executive Order 1061 (Nov. 1985) to help develop high-yielding and cost-reducing technologies for rice farmers.

Vision

- Rice-secure Philippines

Mission

Improve the **competitiveness** of the Filipino rice farmer and the Philippine rice industry and transform it to be **more profitable, resilient, and sustainable** through responsive, balanced, environmentally sound and partnership-based research, development and extension.



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Rice Research for Development (R4D) Programs 2018-2022

R4D PROGRAMS/ DIVISIONS/ OFFICES/ CENTERS/ BRANCH STATIONS

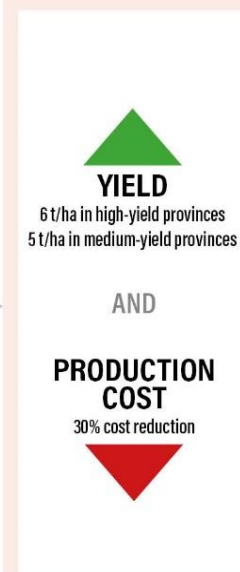
R&D PROGRAMS



STRATEGIC OUTCOMES

- Increased productivity, cost-effectiveness, and profitability of rice farming in a sustainable manner
- Improved rice trade through efficient postproduction, better product quality, and reliable supply and distribution system
- Enhanced value, availability, and utilization of rice, diversified rice-based farming products, and by-products for better quality, safety, health, nutrition, and income
- Science-based and supportive rice policy environment
- Advanced rice science and technology as continuing sources of growth
- Enhanced partnerships and knowledge management for rice research for development (R4D)
- Strengthened institutional capability of PhilRice

MISSION: COMPETITIVENESS

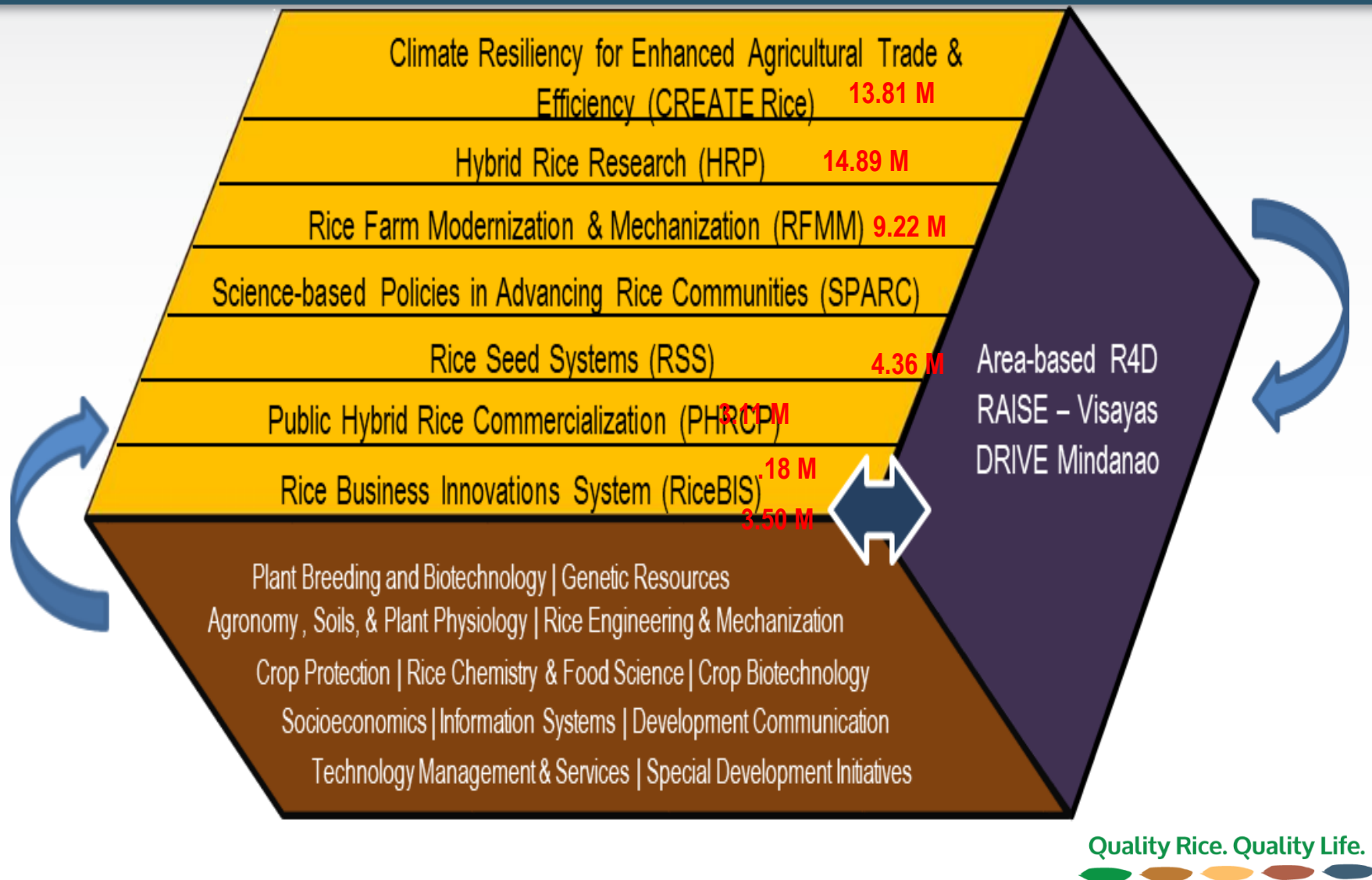


INCREASED
INCOME

FEEDBACK

Directions

Rice Research for Development (R4D) Programs 2018-2022



III. Highlights of Accomplishments, 2018



- 22 rice varieties approved by NSIC for commercial production
- ICT-aided integrated crop management techniques
- Management strategies for blast and sheath blight
- Technologies for coping negative impacts of climate change
- 905 germplasm regenerated, processed and conserved
- 31 publications on ISI, Non-ISI journals, books, and patent application
- Policy materials and advocacy campaigns
- High-value products from rice grain (GABA rice as base ingredient for instant and ready-to-eat foods)
- Farm machines - 2 for pilot testing and 5 for further refinement





2016-2019 Accomplishments

| Accomplishments | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 (Jan-Jun) | Average | Total |
|---------------------------------|------|------|------|-------------------|---------|-------|
| Projects Implemented | 122 | 114 | 85 | 77 | 99 | - |
| Rice Varieties approved by NSIC | 25 | 13 | 22 | 2 | - | 62 |
| PhilRice Bred Varieties | 6 | 2 | 3 | - | - | 11 |
| Machines for pilot testing | 5 | 6 | 6 | 9 | - | 26 |
| Policy papers/brief | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 3 |
| Journal Publications (R&D) | 39 | 29 | 36 | 12 | - | 116 |



Machines for Pilot Testing

2016

1. 100-kW Rice Husk Gasifier
2. Retrofitted Engine for Mechanized Rice Farming Operation
3. Rice husk gasifier for shallow-tube well pumping of water
4. Universal Fuel Feeding Device
5. Flatbed drying operation through a continuous flow rice hull gasifier

2018

1. Local mechanized weeder for straight row planting of rice
2. Gear transmission power tiller
3. Local riding-type precision seeder
4. Pilot-testing of multi-crop reduced till-planter (MC RTP)
5. Lightweight riding boat tiller using molded tough virgin polyethylene (MDPE)
6. Multi-purpose mini-tractor for climate change adaptation

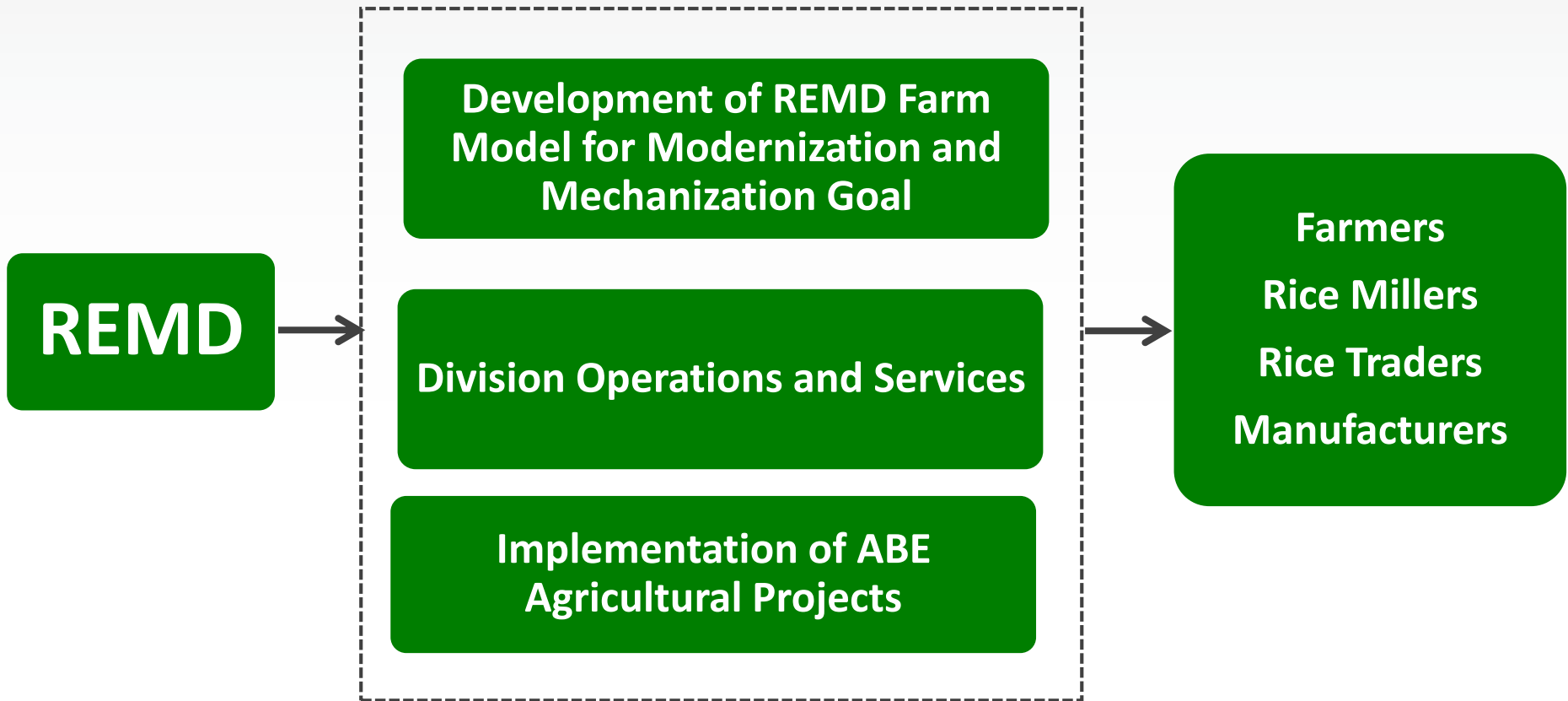
2017

1. Stripper combine harvester
2. Riding boat tiller
3. Ricehull Gasifier Engine Pump System
4. MP Seeder and reduced planter
5. Riding type transplanter
6. Brown rice machines (Village type)

2019

1. Four (4) Brown rice machines (Model type: 1 micro-enterprise, 2 improved village, 1 household)
2. Infrared dryer
3. Automon (instrument for water measurement)
4. Two (2) SACLOB) for brown rice packaging and storage (50 kg, 5 kg)
5. Reaper header combine harvester

FRAMEWORK



CORE PROJECTS

Development of REMD Farm Model for Modernization and Mechanization Goal

Study 1. Land Consolidation with Optimum Plot Sizing for Efficiency and Leveling Effects

Study 2. Establishment of Efficient and Suitable Irrigation and Drainage Facilities at the REMD Model Farm for Mechanization

Study 3. Provision of Appropriate Machines and Access Roads for Mechanization

Study 4. Evaluation of REMD Model Farm in Application of All Interventions

Division Operation and Services

Study 1. Supporting RDE Through Shop Custom Service Provision

Study 2. Establishment of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering Unit in PhilRice Branch Station

Study 3. Instrumentation Services

Study 4. Operationalization of Agrometeorological Station in CES and Branch Stations

PROJECT 3

REMD Machine Shop Maintenance



PROJECTS with other funding

Proj. 1 (DA - BAR)

S1. Improvement and Pilot Testing of Brown Rice Machines

S2. Improvement and pilot testing of hermetic storage technologies (SACLOB) to prolong shelf life of brown rice

Proj. 2 (MP Seeder) (DA-BAR)

Proj. 3 (RiceStrawPH) (DA-BAR)

Proj. 4 (FIR Dryer) (PCAARRD)

Proj. 5 (DA-BAR)

S1. Develop an irrigation advisory service using AutoMon^{PH} for improving water productivity and enhancing coordination among water-user associations.

S2: Increase production efficiency through efficient water management, mechanization, and integrated weed management

S3. To explore and develop an enabling environment for the adoption of different interventions

Photo Documentation

Seedling Preparation in Seedling Trays and Dapog for Mechanical Transplanter



Crop establishment using Mechanical Transplanter and Drum Seeder and Harvesting using Combine Harvester



Photo Documentation



Thank you for listening!



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