COUNTRY REPORT
INDONESIA

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I. INTRODUCTION

- Transformation process from traditional to modern agriculture
- Modern Agriculture
  - Efficiency
  - High Productivity
  - Product Quality
  - Added Value
  - Market Oriented
- AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING
  - Secure Production Process
  - Suitable farm mechanization system
Total Population: 220 million, > 60% live in Java Island with only 7% of total land area, the most fertile land with good irrigation facilities.

> 50% active population engage in agriculture

Contribution of Agriculture GDP is only 17%

Industrial GDP is about 25% with only 11% laborers

Ratio between agricultural income and industrial income is 1:6
II. AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT

OBJECTIVES OF FARM MECHANIZATION IN Indonesia

- INCREASE PRODUCTIVITY
- REDUCE POST HARVEST LOSSES
- INCREASE ADDED VALUE
- QUALITY PRESERVATION

IN ADDITION TO OBJECTIVES

- INCREASE WELFARE OF HOUSE HOLDS
- CREATE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AT THE RURAL
Agriculture Revitalization

- **Increase food security systems**
  - increase food production, land development, irrigation efficiency, optimum use of farm machinery,

- **Develop agribusiness core program**
  - diversification, post harvest development, quality assessment, development of rural industry

- **Increase farmer’s welfare**
  - farmers and rural empowerment through pro poor development, strengthen and enhancement
EVOLUTIONARY PROCESS OF FARM MECHANIZATION IN INDONESIA

LEVEL OF ADOPTION or SUITABLE MECHANIZATION LEVEL

SUBSISTENCE
MIX FARMING
SEMI COMMERCIAL
COMMERCIAL
DIVERSESIFIED

Physical land, socio-economic, infrastructure and farming systems
Selection of Agricultural Mechanization Level (Technology)

- The physical land, socio economic, infrastructures and farming systems conditions drive in selection of mechanization level for sustainable development.
- Improper selection → premature mechanization development (inappropriate technology development)
- Come up with:
  - A map of suitable mechanization for Indonesia
Adoption and Utilization of Farm Mechanization

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* Based on the number of machinery used in 2002
CONSTRAINTS AND CHALLENGES

Socio Economic Constraints
- Small and fragmented, high investment, low purchasing ability

Technical Constraints
- Poor after sales, lack of training, poor extension service

Institutional Constraints
- Limited facility for credit, farmers association, dealership at the remote area
Strategy for Mechanization Development

- Proper selection of mechanization technology level
- Improve R&D Programme through intensively develop communication with stakeholders → Formulate the stakeholders needs
- Participative Dissemination of technologies developed
- Improve Quality and Standards of Farm Machinery used → through establishment regulations for testing and evaluation of agr. Machinery and development of testing Laboratory competency → Testing Laboratory of ICAERD has been accredited based on ISO 17025: 2005.
- Developing International Cooperation
A Map of Suitable Level Mechanization for Central Jawa
Prototypes Developed by Indonesian Center for Agricultural Engineering Research and Development Prospectively adopted and used by farmers (2005)
III. FOOD CHAIN MANAGEMENT

• Covers traditional post-harvest fresh handling and processing of agr. Products.

• During 2005-2006:
  
  - Development of simple orange grader.
  
  - Study on improvement of quality and losses reduction of rice processing.
  
  - Introducing prototypes of vacuum frying into small food industry.
  
  - Introducing processing of agr. Product and its waste in a comprehensive concept of CLS (chopper, technology for producing organics fertilizer and quality improvement of main product)
IV. AGRO-ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT

• **Focused on**: Increase technical capability of small agricultural machinery enterprises (artisans, blacksmiths, and workshops)

• **Number of the small enterprise**: 200-300 enterprises

• **During 2005-2006**

  - Training on Design and development of power thresher, attended by 40 enterprises, conducted in two provinces.

  - Training on design and development of rice field power weeder, attended by 40 enterprises, conducted in two provinces.
V. CONCLUSION

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Farm Mechanization Systems in Indonesia is an evolution process that closely linked to the development of infrastructure, institutional arrangement, industrial dev, technological dev, economic dev, and cultural changes.

Government should play as a facilitator in providing a favorable conditions for mechanization progress, based on the market mechanism.

The future mechanization in Indonesia will still dominated by small farm systems, small food and agricultural machinery industry.

The post harvest mechanization systems will be strongly needed for improvement capability and capacity of small food industry. and more rapidly be adopted since it directly increase with the added value.
Technical training and guidance are still needed to improve capability of artisans.

Increasing competency of NIs in conducting testing and evaluation is also important in order to ensure quality of machinery used by farmers local and imported.

One of strategy in accelerating adoption of technology developed is through participative dissemination in which NIs and agr. Mech. Stakeholders work hand in hand in conducting dissemination.