Identification of Water Saving Measures for Policy Design

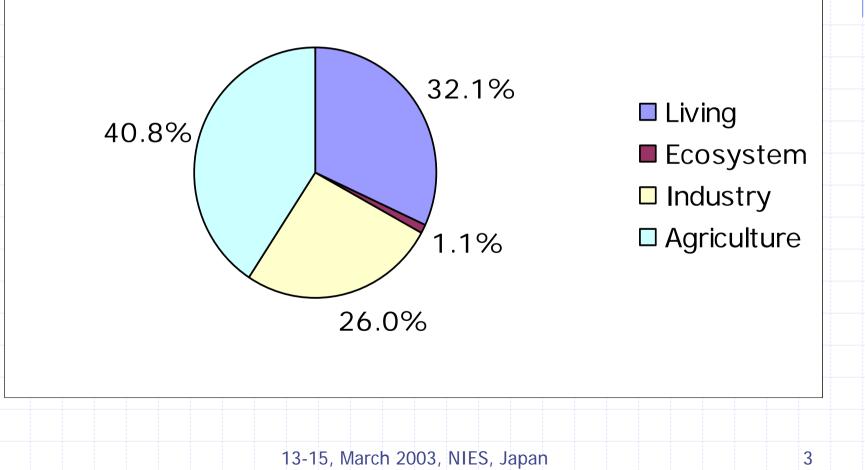
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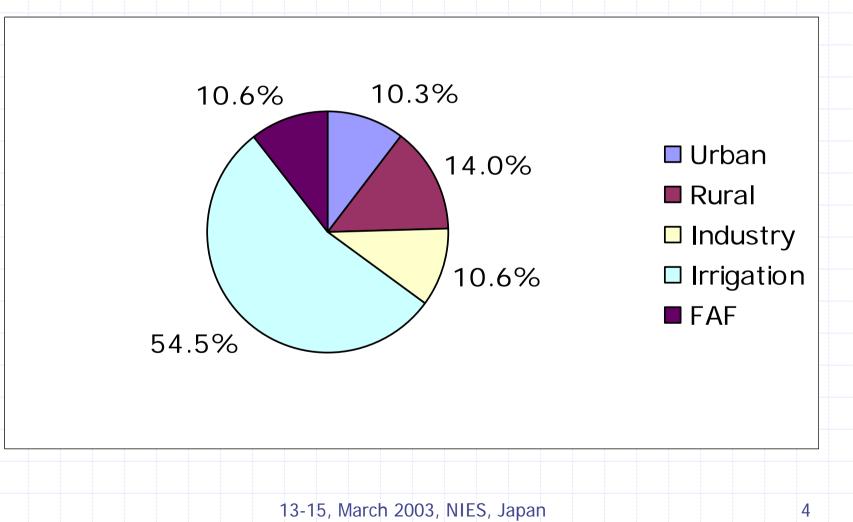
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1 Introduction **Precipitation** Mean:626 mm Maximum: 1406 mm, occurred in 1959 Min:242 mm, occurred in 1890 ♦ June-July-August: 85% 20 days (21/7-10/8):60% Water Resource 325 m³ per capita 1/8 of national average ♦ 1/30 of world average





2 Water Consumption: Water Loss



2 Water Consumption: Water Pollution

- Wastewater
- Daily:2.6 million m³
- Annual:1.355 billion m³
 - ** Industry sector: 0.579 billion m³
 - ** Living sector: 0.776 billion m³
- Wastewater processing:40%
- Water pollution: 2.017 billion m³, 60% unprocessed wastewater+water in river systems
- Amount of water resource qualified for drinking (1.352 billion)

2 Water Consumption: Increasing Demand

Change from 1949 to 2000

- Population:3 ×
- Industry sector: 31 ×

Water demand: >>>... water supply

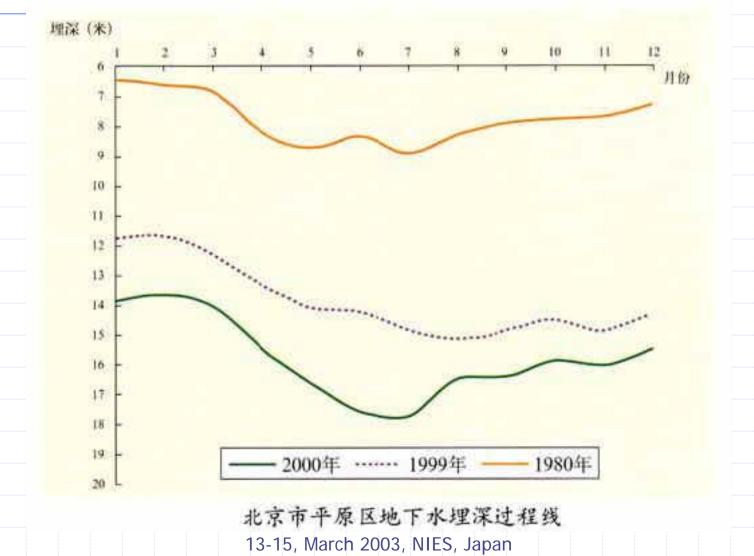
Estimation



2000-2010:1.182 ~ 1.996 billion m³

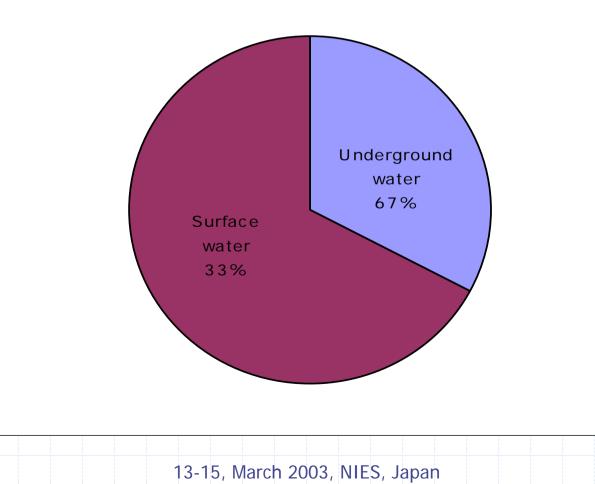


- * Land sinking
- * Ecosystem degradation
- Over-exploitation
 - * 4.5 billion m³, baseline, 1960
 - * 2.5 billion m³, baseline, 1980

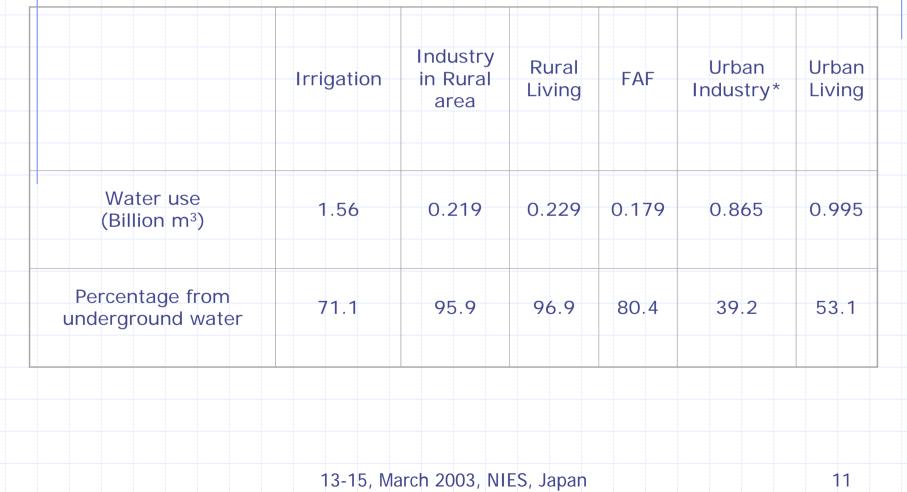


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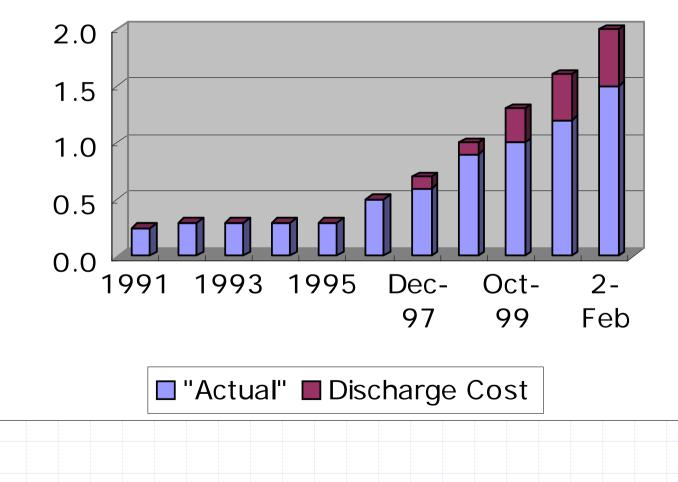


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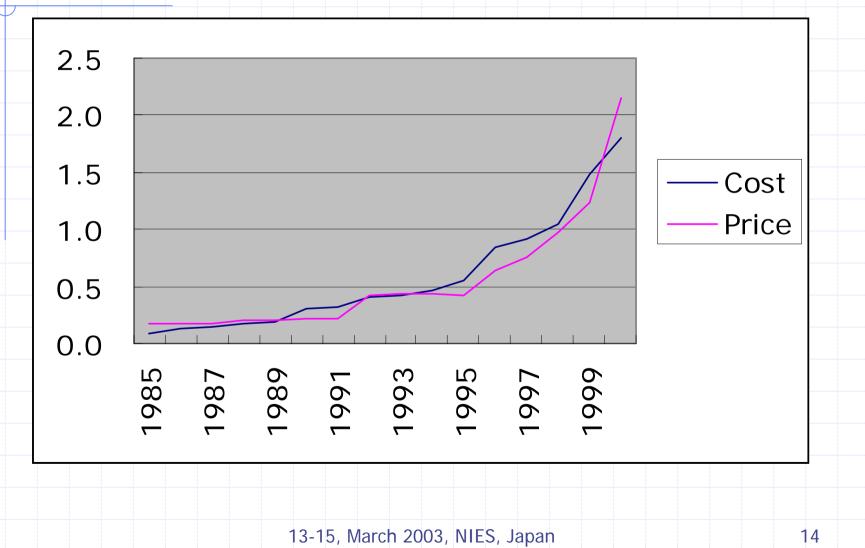


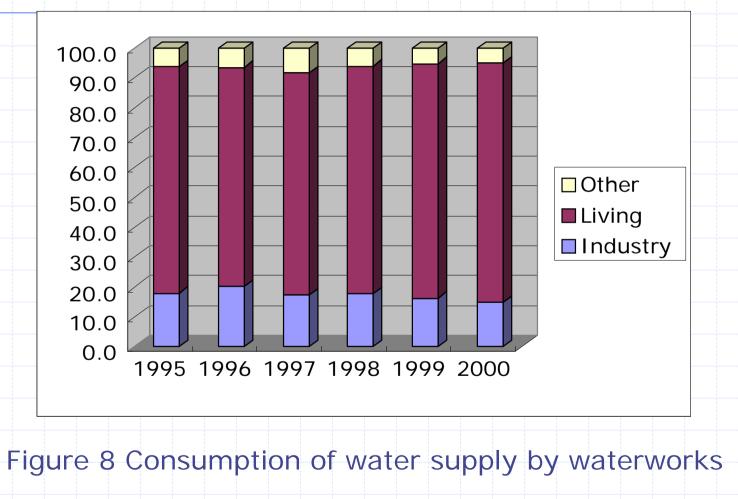
District	1998	1980	Change
Chaoyang	23.94	16.66	-7.28
Fengtai	15.16	9.37	-5.79
Haidian	12.97	6.46	-6.51
Shijingshan	28.96	22.27	-6.69
Tongzhou	4.48	2.44	-2.04
Daxing	8.92	2.45	-6.47
Fangshan	8.97	7.40	-1.57
Mengtougou	14.35	9.88	-4.47
Changping	15.46	6.69	-8.77
Shunyi	11.18	5.78	-5.40
Yanqing	7.55	8.63	1.08
Huairou	4.40	3.79	-0.61
Miyun	14.96	9.41	-5.55
Pinggu	10.25	9.23	-1.02
Average	11.88	7.24	-4.64

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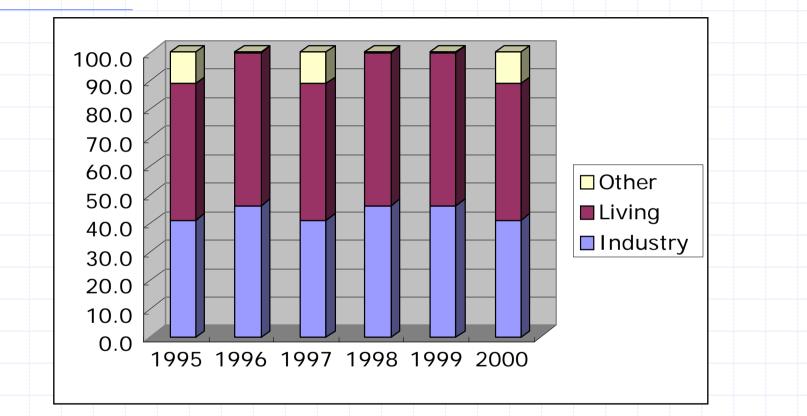


Figure 9 Consumption of water supply by self-maintaining well

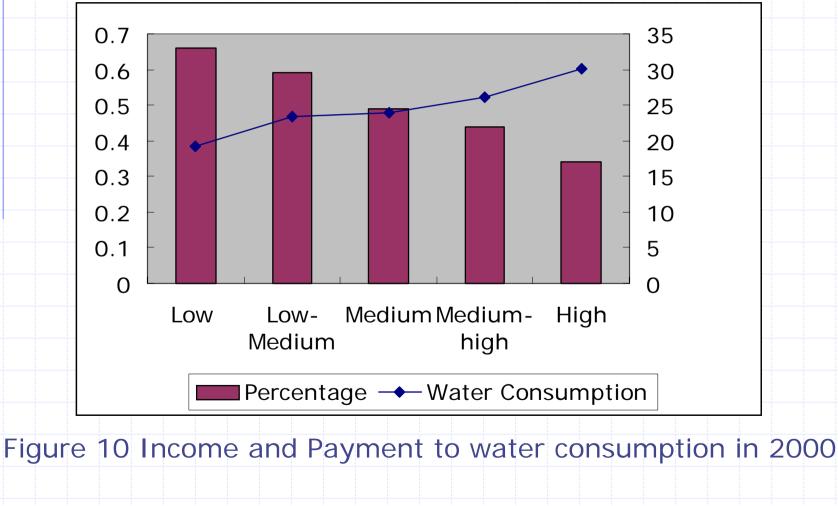
$\ln(Wp) = -1.715 + 0.754 \times \ln(Ip) + 0.027 \times \ln(Pw)$

t-test 4.491 10.799 0.632 R²=0.976 F=332.309

Here *Wp* is Water consumption (ton per capita) *Ip* is income per capita (Yuan per capita) *Pw* is water price (Yuan/ton)

Table 6 Income and Payment for water consumption in 2000

	Average	Low	Low to medium	Medium	Medium to high	High
Income (Yuan per capita)	10416.4	5824.6	7972.4	9685.3	11932.4	17931.4
Payment for water consumption (Yuan/year)	48.7	38.5	46.7	47.8	52.5	60.1
Percentage of payment to water use (%)	0.47	0.66	0.59	0.49	0.44	0.34
Water Consumption (Ton Per Capita)	24.3	19.3	23.4	23.9	26.2	30.1



4 Conclusions

Decreasing Irrigation area
Increasing waterworks ability
Increasing water price and wastewater discharge charge



