# Estimate of Regional Impacts of Adaptation Policies and Sand erosion Damage by Climate Change Hiroshi Sao

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### Background

### existing research

Mimura et.al.(1993,1994) forecasted the erosion rate of sandy beaches in all prefectures.

However, we have not calculated how much economic damage will be caused by the sand beach erosion.



### Sea level rise 30cm : 56.6 % Sea level rise 65cm : 81.7 % Sea level rise 100cm : 90.3 %

Mimura et. al.(1993, 1994)

### Purpose of this study

① Evaluation of regional economic damage caused by sand beach erosion Target Area : all Prefectures

Sand beach erosion scenarios : Sea level rise 30cm, 65cm

by Mimura et.al. (1993, 1994)

(2) Evaluation of adaptation policy

Adaptation policy : Set virtual adaptation policy as an example of past public project Evaluation : Calculate cost effectiveness of the policy implementation

## Model and Scenario

Overview of the Model

### Sand beach damage scenario

### Households pay money for consuming goods related with sea bathing (gas & toll road for visiting the sea ).





### **Product goods of sectors**

- Goods to consume when going to the sand beach
- 1. Gasoline goods for sand beach visit
- 2. Toll road goods for sand beach visit
- Goods to consume outside to sand beach
- 3. Other goods

# **Household behavior**

- 1. Households lend labor and capital to
- companies and earn income.
- 2. Households get utility by consuming
- the company's production goods.

Without : Calculate the total damage amount in case where sand beach erosion occurs in all prefectures.

With : In any arbitrary prefecture there is no sand beach erosion, and in other prefectures the total damage amount in the case of erosion of sand beach is calculated.



## Results







The cost for virtual adaptation policy was estimated based on the past seven artificial nourishment projects.

Average project cost per unit area of the seven projects: **18,276 yen /** m<sup>2</sup> ✓ Number of prefectures with the B/C higher than 1.0

Sea level rise 30 cm : 17 / 39 Prefectures

Sea level rise 65 cm : 20 / 39 Prefectures (add to Tottori, Yamaguchi, Fukuoka Pref.)

Region	Cost Effectiveness is over 1
Tohoku	Iwate Pref., Yamagata Pref., Fukushima Pref.
Kanto	Tokyo, Kanagawa Pref.
Hokuriku	Toyama Pref., Fukui Pref.
Kansai	Kyoto Pref., Osaka Pref., Hyogo Pref., Wakayama Pref.
Chugoku	Tottori Pref., Okayama Pref., Hiroshima Pref., Yamaguchi Pref.
Shikoku	Tokushima Pref.
Kyusyu	Fukuoka Pref., Saga Pref., Kumamoto Pref., Oita Pref.