

Table 1 Yield reduction in rice due to drought

| Growth stage                  | Yield reduction (%) | Reference              |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Reproductive                  | 24~84               | Venuprasad et al 2007  |
| Grain filling                 | 30~55               | Basnayake et al., 2006 |
| Grain filling (severe stress) | Up to 60            | Basnayake et al., 2006 |
| Reproductive (severe stress)  | 48~94               | Lafitte et al., 2007   |