Asia, China

Upper Mekong

Mean annual rair fall: ~2000 mm

Tree cover transitions in space and time

Linking forest and demographic transitions

Chinese forest transition - 1981 is turning point;

In 2010 attained to 20% of the total area of China because of programs



like Natural Forest Conservation Program (NFCP) and the Sloping Land

Conversion Program (SLCP)

Total population



Gross Regional Products

In Yunnan Province, forest re-growth

increased from 23% in 1990 to 48% in

2007; Darker green represents higher forest cover

Linking forest and demographic transitions of each county in Yunnan 98° 0'0″E 100° 0'0″E 104° 0'0″E 106° 0'0″E 102° 0'0″E China 28° 0'0″N -28° 0'0″N

Gross Regional Products





Gross output value of farming, forestry, Animal husbandry and fishery.



State-owned Economy and Total Output Value of Farming,

Forestry, Animal Husbandry and Fishery

GRP per capita, Total Population and Per Capita Net Income

negatively correlated with forest regrowth.









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