
 <p align="center"><b>CDM: Form for submission of queries from DOEs to the Methodologies Panel regarding the application of approved methodologies (version 01)</b>  <i>(To be used by DOEs for presenting questions / proposals / amendments related to the applicability of approved methodology)</i></p>	
Name of the entity (DOE) submitting this form	KEMCO
Reference number and title of the approved methodologies	ACM0002 v12.1.0
Title/Subject (give a short title or specify the subject of your submission, maximum 200 characters):	Hydropower addition to a multipurpose reservoir.
Attach CDM-PDD example of project activity where applicability raises problem:	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Date and signature for the DOE	 20 July 2011
<b>Submitted queries</b> Please use the space below to substantiate the queries relating to the application of approved methodologies. If the questions are related to a project activity under development or implementation, please describe the context in which they arose. If you are proposing amendments to existing methodologies, please specify the text you want to change or introduce. If necessary, attach files or refer to sources of relevant information.	
<b>If you have a question relating to the application of an approved methodology, please specify and provide reference to the exact project activity to which it applies.</b>	

## Project Activity description / Background:

The Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of Vietnam (MARD) developed, funded and operates a governmental project of reservoir for irrigation purpose. A permission was granted to 2 independent private hydropower projects to utilise the irrigation water flow to generate electricity. The decision to construct the irrigation reservoir was independent from the hydropower projects and the construction of the irrigation reservoir happened independently of the hydropower projects.

We took note of the clarification [AM CLA 0114](#), and substantiate here below that our situation is significantly different: the reservoir and the two hydropower projects are not interlinked, because they are independent in terms of:

	Irrigation reservoir	Cua Dat hydropower	Doc Cay hydropower
<b>Feasibility study:</b>	Individual FS dated June 2004	Individual FS dated December 2004	Individual FS dated May 2007
<b>Financing:</b>	Government bonds	Private funds	Private funds
<b>Construction:</b>	MARD	Cua Dat hydropower	Doc Cay hydropower
<b>Ownership:</b>	Public: MARD	Private: Cua Dat hydropower	Private: North Central Electricity Development Investment JSC
<b>Operated and maintained by:</b>	MARD	Cua Dat hydropower	Doc Cay hydropower
<b>Water flow extraction:</b>	Driven by irrigation demand.	Dependent on irrigation demand.	Dependent on irrigation demand.

All references are available upon request.

Referring to the methodology ACM0002 v12 wording:

*The methodology is not applicable to the following: Hydro power plants that result in new reservoirs or in the increase in existing reservoirs where the power density of the plant is less than 4 W/m<sup>2</sup>.*

The considered hydropower plant does *not result in a new reservoir*, and does not cause the increase of an existing reservoir. Hence is no relevant for the calculation of a power density.

Clarification is sought to confirm whether our interpretation of the methodology here above is correct.

**If you propose an amendment to an approved methodology, please provide reasons.**

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**In case you propose the amendment to the approved methodologies, please provide your draft below, if not included in an annex:**

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