Assessment of the Impact of Targeted Use of Fertilizer on Irrigated Rice in Asia

91% of the global rice production is produced in Asia

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75% of global rice production is provided by irrigated rice



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An assessment of the impact of the targeted use of fertilizer using site-specific nutrient management (SSNM), looking at the impact on farmers' income, soil health, plant health, and the environment, was conducted by IRRC between 1997-2012.

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