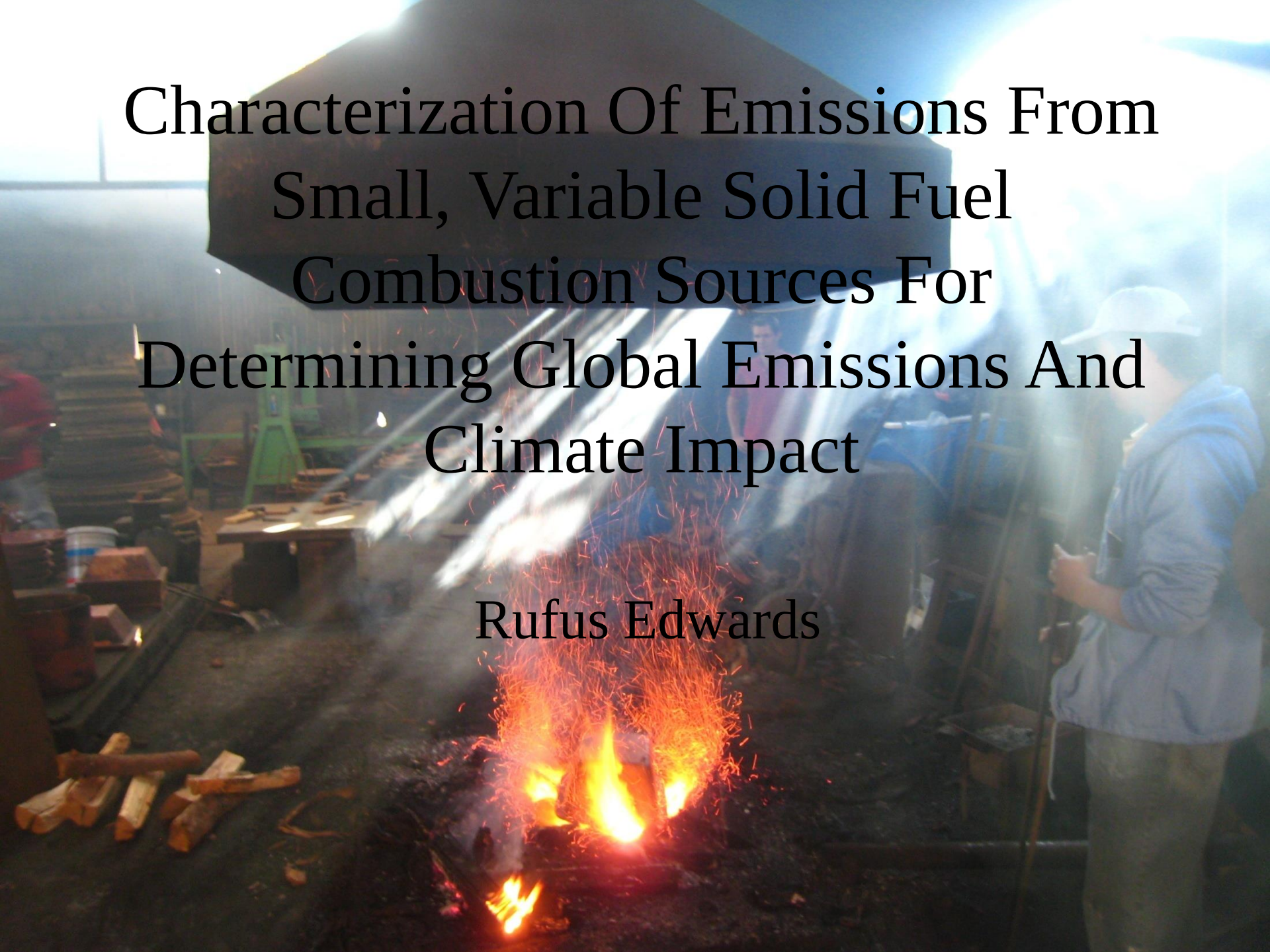


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A blacksmith is working in a forge. A large fire is burning in the center, with bright orange and yellow flames and sparks rising. The blacksmith, wearing a blue jacket and a white cap, is standing to the right, holding a long rod. The background is dark and industrial, with various tools and equipment visible. The text is overlaid on the image in a large, black, serif font.

# Characterization Of Emissions From Small, Variable Solid Fuel Combustion Sources For Determining Global Emissions And Climate Impact

Rufus Edwards

# Where were we when this project started?

- Focus on urban areas
- Systematic under representation of atmospheric PM concentrations by bottom up models
- SPEW (AR5)
- Used in-field EF for BC and OC from one study.
- GAINS
- Used highest PM emission, from heating stove in New Zealand, multiplied by BC fraction.
- EDGAR
- Took emission factors from SPEW. Not clear how technologies are chosen and EFs are translated.

# Objective 1

Update emissions inventories with particulate (BC, OM, PM<sub>2.5</sub>) and gaseous (CO<sub>2</sub>, CO, CH<sub>4</sub>, NMHC, SO<sub>2</sub>) species from in field measurements of household stoves and rural small scale industries in 4 sites across the Himalayas:

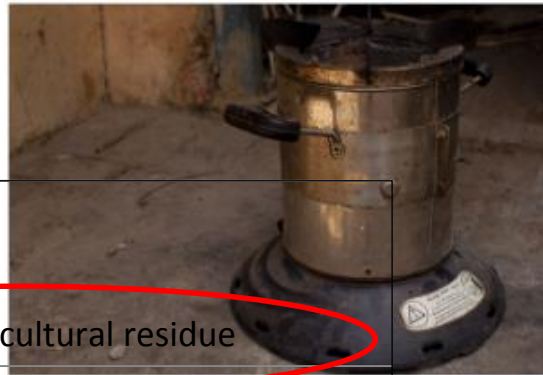
- Nepal-Mid hills and plains
- China-Tibet
- China-Yunnan
- Haryana, India



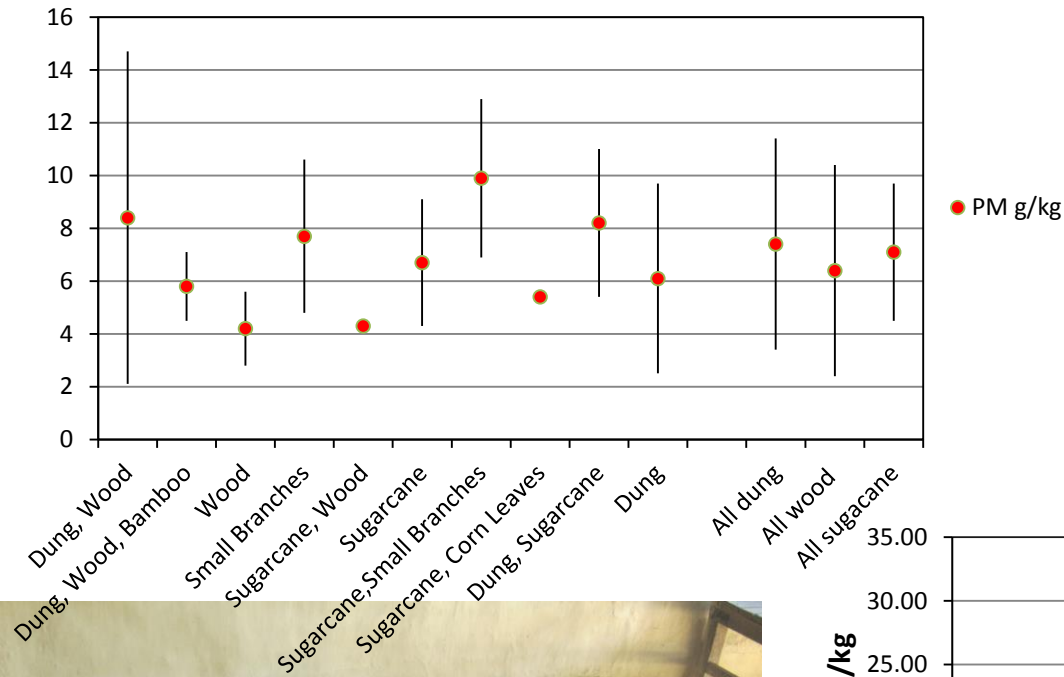
# India emissions

|                         |    |              | g substance/ kg fuel |               |                   |           |             |            |
|-------------------------|----|--------------|----------------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------|------------|
|                         | n  | MCE          | CO <sub>2</sub>      | CO            | PM <sub>2.5</sub> | EC        | OC          | TIME (min) |
| Fixed Chula w/o Chimney | 16 | 0.92 (±0.01) | 1651 (±20.8)         | 152.2 (±19.0) | 12.0 (±8.7)       | 0.8(±0.9) | 10.9(±9.8)  | 167 (±12)  |
| Phillips                | 13 | 0.94 (±0.01) | 1704 (±16.2)         | 100.8 (±13.8) | 6.6 (±3.9)        | 0.9(±0.6) | 6.3(±2.2)   | 216 (±31)  |
| Haro                    | 5  | 0.89 (±0.02) | 1584 (±48.5)         | 189.9 (±39.8) | 44.8 (±32.6)      | 1.7(±1.8) | 41.5(±32.4) | 167 (±36)  |
| Angithi                 | 2  | 0.86 (±0.04) | 1541 (±77.9)         | 243.9 (±69.4) | 24.6 (±10.0)      | 4.8       | 8.3         | 111 (±9)   |

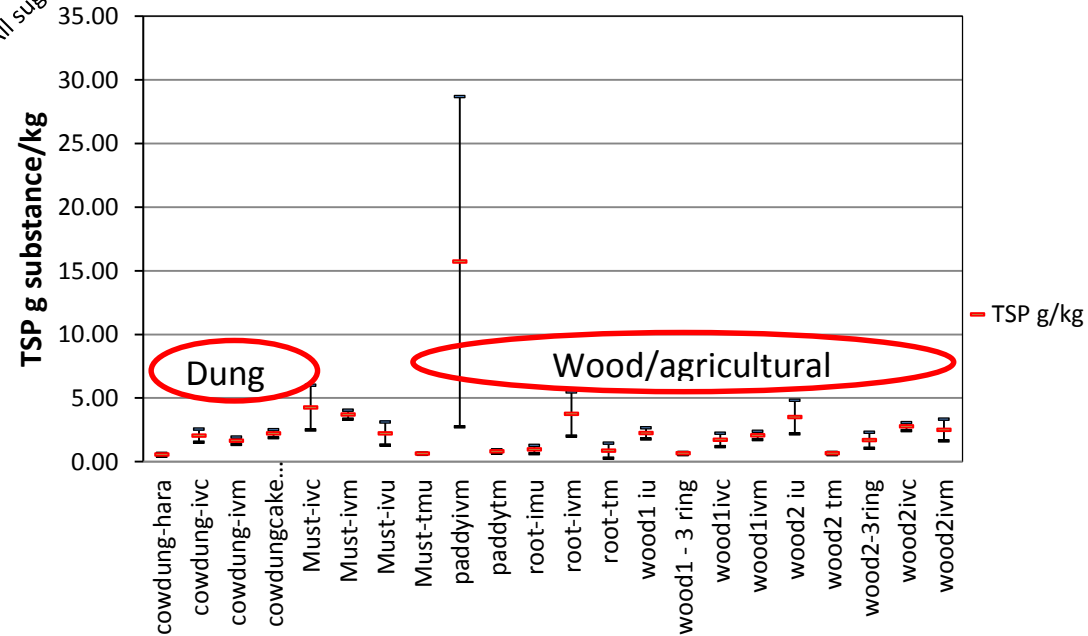
\*Sample sizes for EC OC smaller than total



# Nepal emissions



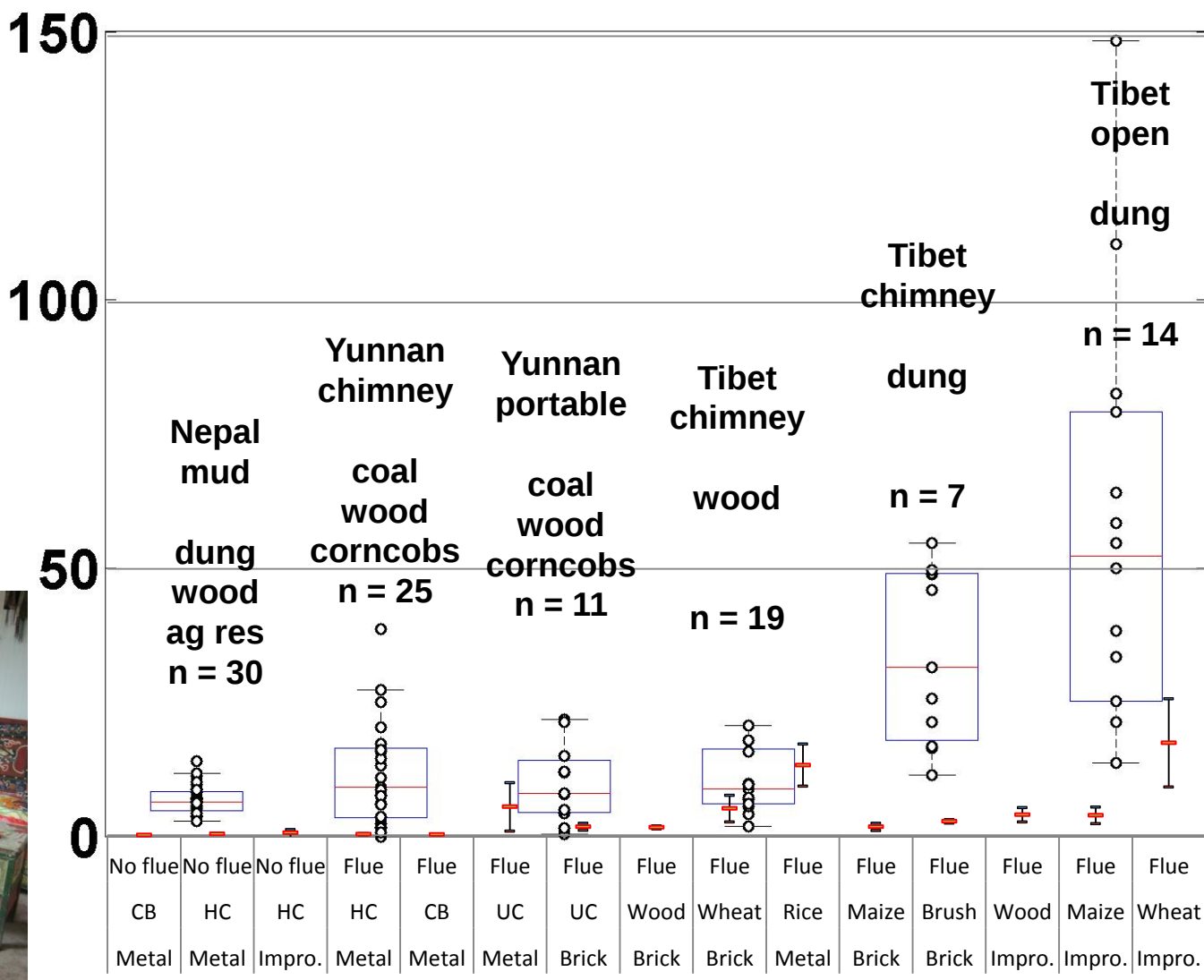
Smith et al 2000



# Yunnan and Tibet



$EF_{PM}$  [g/kg]



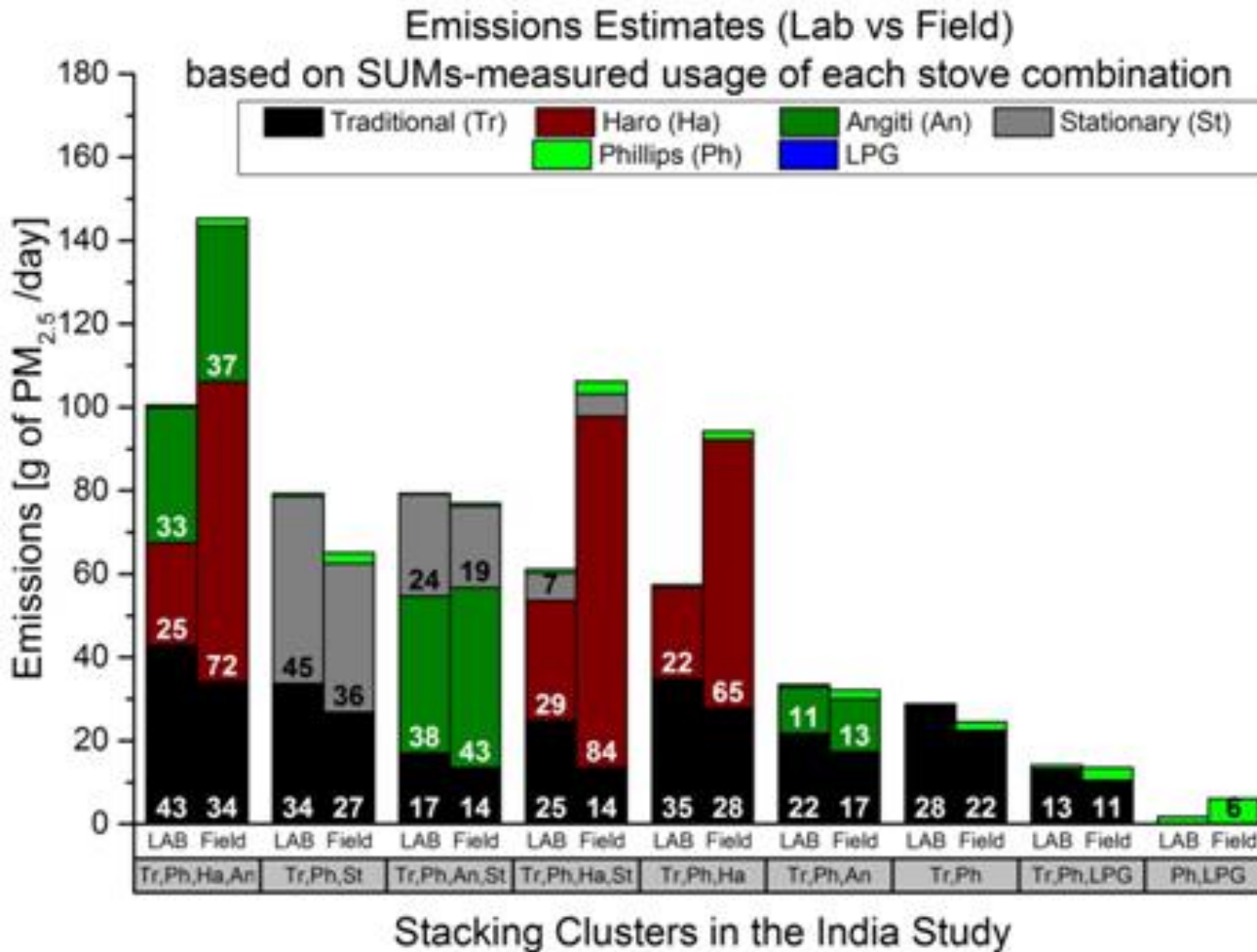
Coal Briquette

Raw Coal

Wood agricultural residues

Zhang et al 2000

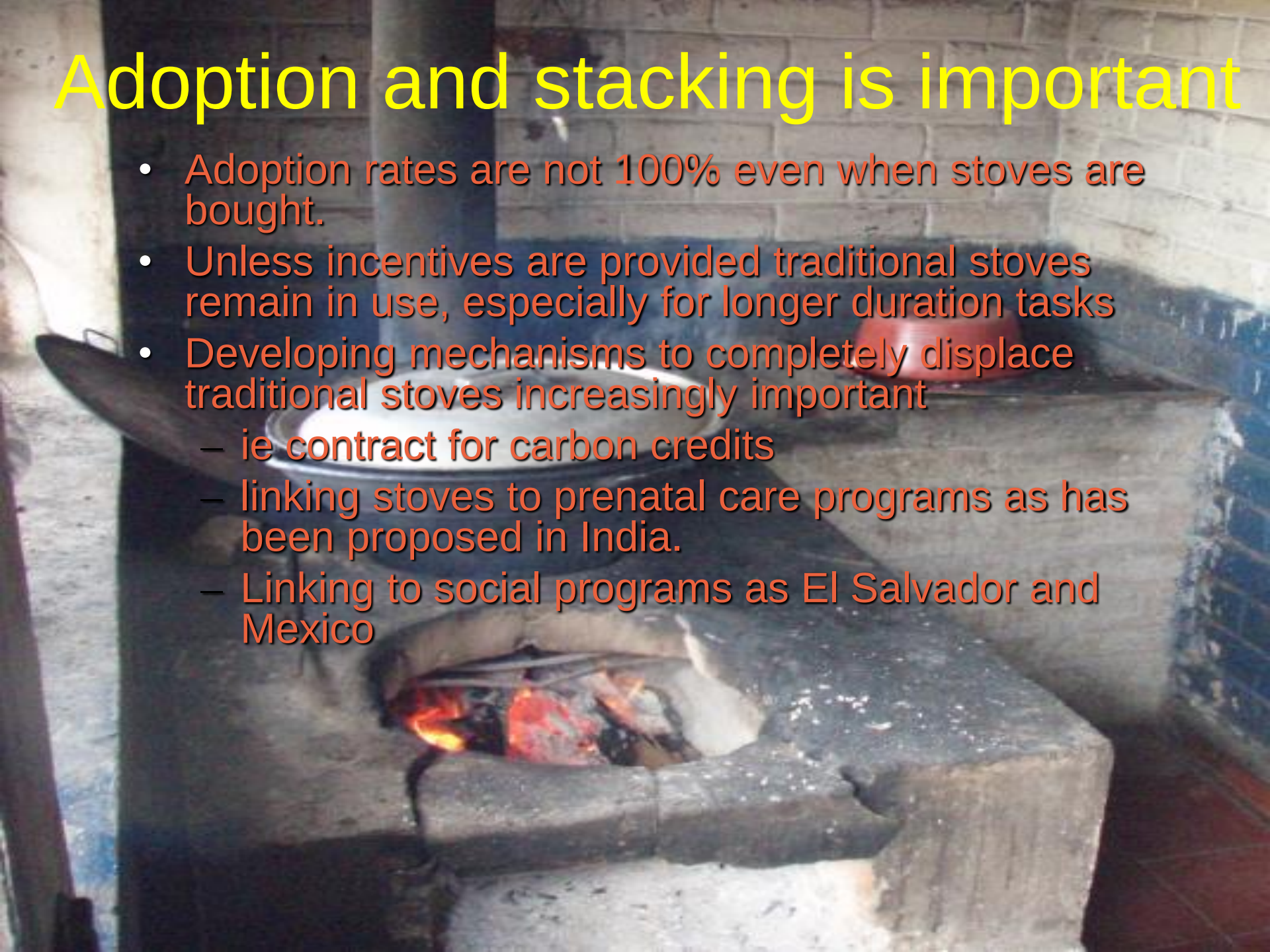
# Lab and field emissions estimates of stacking clusters in India weighed by daily usage measured with the SUMs.



Low levels of displacement of traditional stoves, combined with low usage levels of the Phillips stove led to limited reductions emissions

# Adoption and stacking is important

- Adoption rates are not 100% even when stoves are bought.
- Unless incentives are provided traditional stoves remain in use, especially for longer duration tasks
- Developing mechanisms to completely displace traditional stoves increasingly important
  - ie contract for carbon credits
  - linking stoves to prenatal care programs as has been proposed in India.
  - Linking to social programs as El Salvador and Mexico



# Objective 2

Identify major variability in emissions quantities and properties. Estimate sample sizes needed in future emissions measurements for updating global inventories, and determine how broad in scope our inventories need to be.

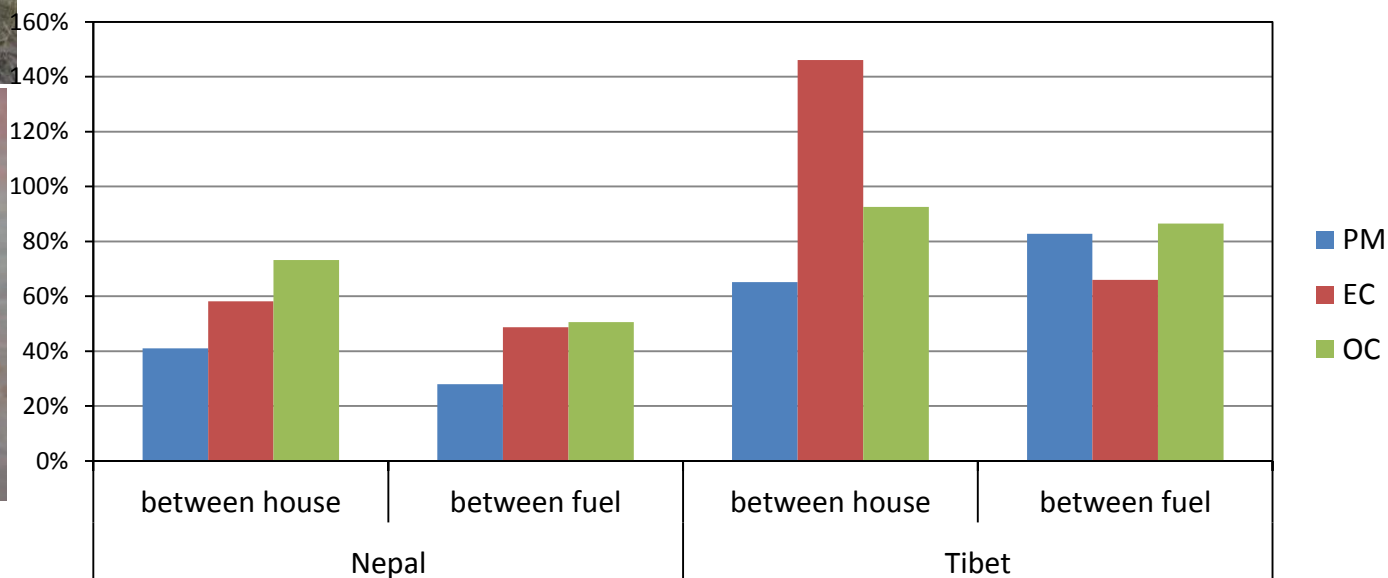
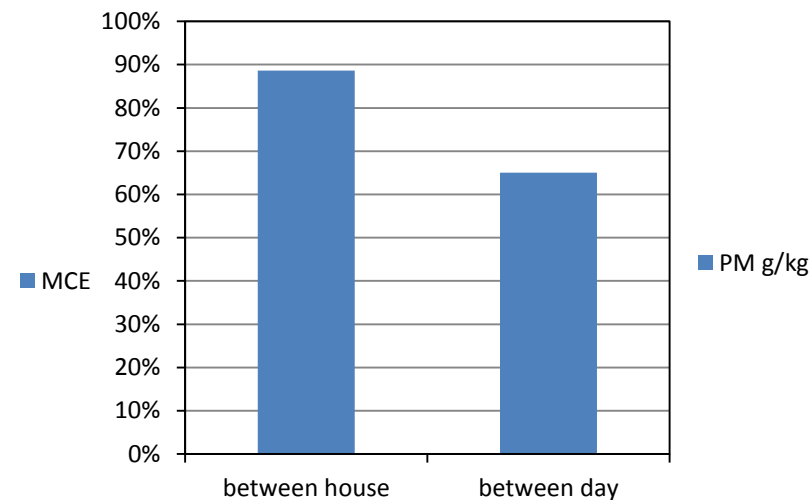
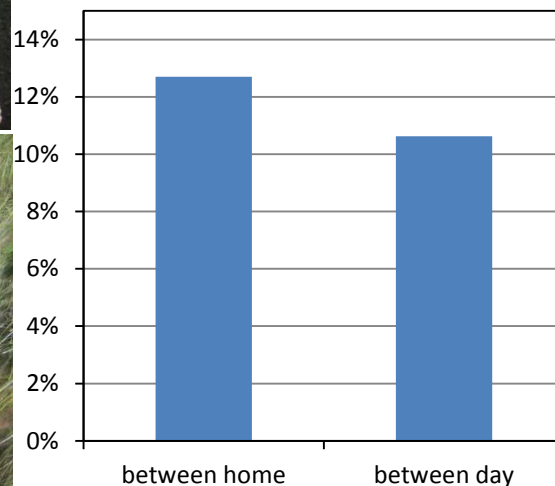


# Tibet – between home and between day

Coefficient  
of variation

MCE

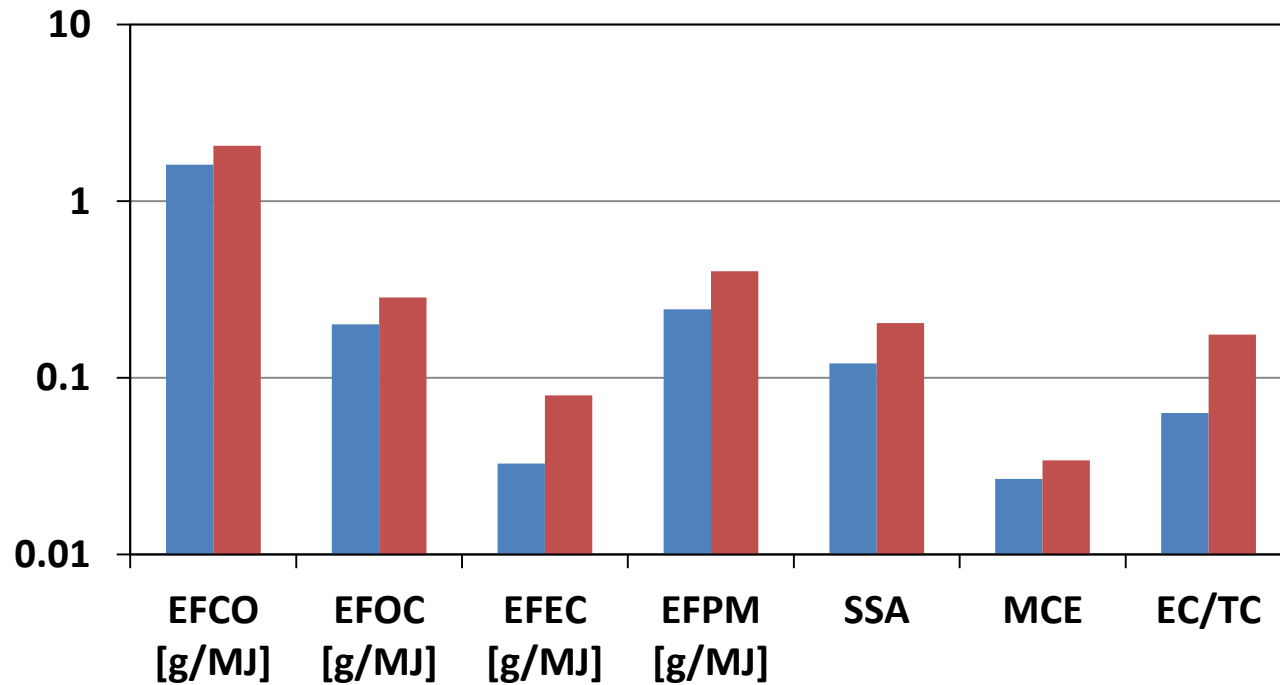
PM g/kg



# Yunnan: between meal and between house

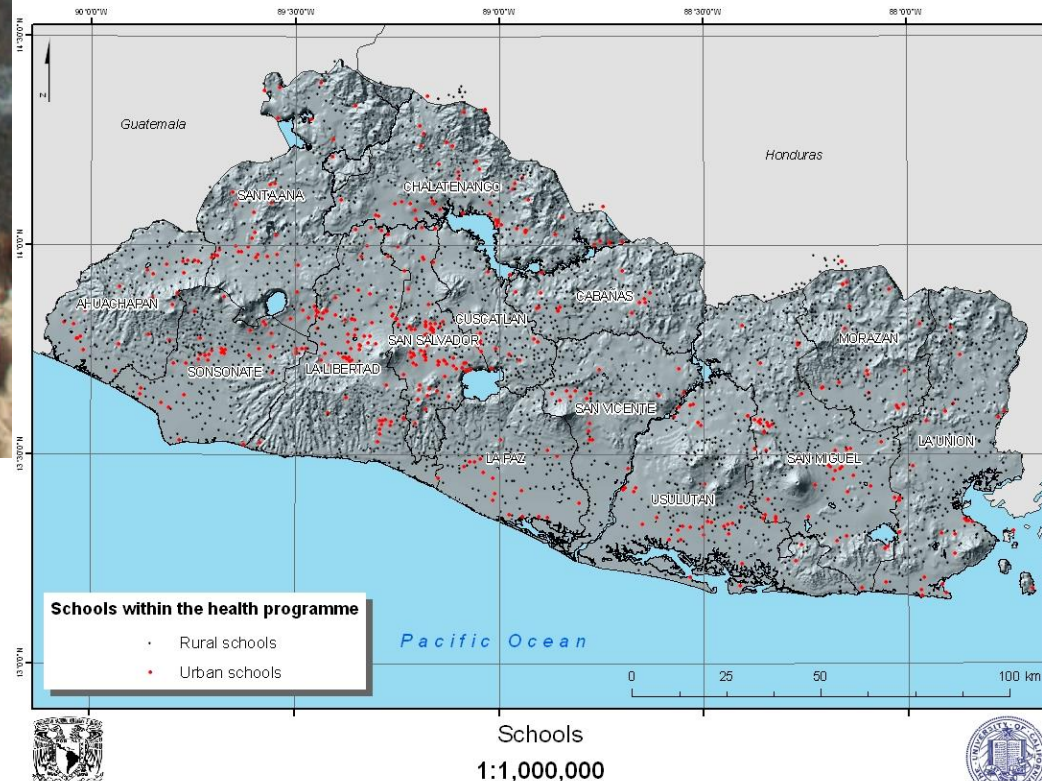


Note: Log Scale



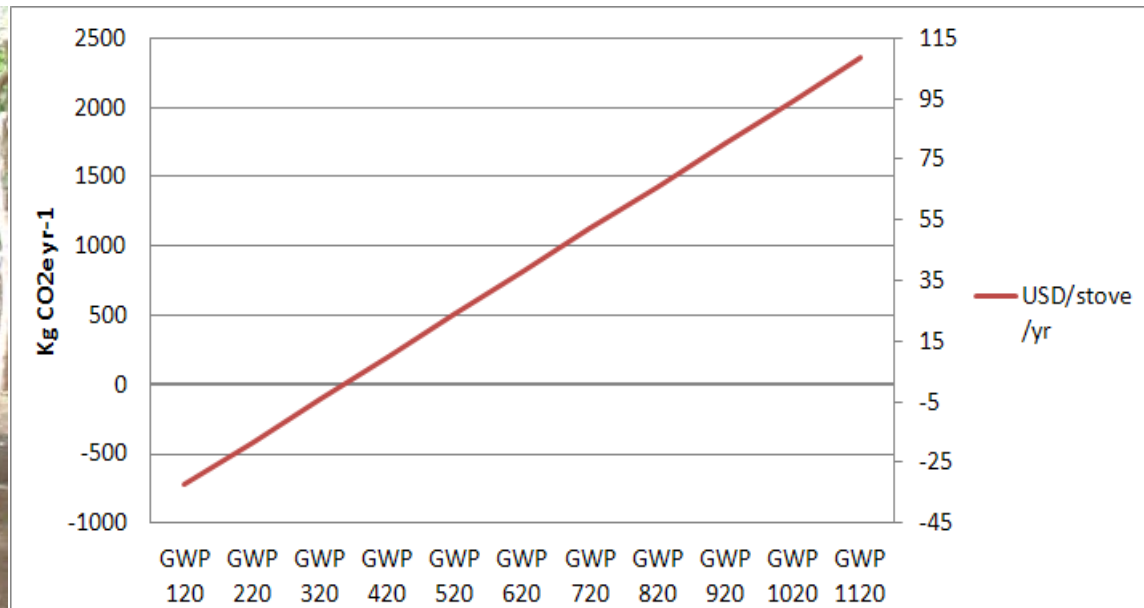
# Objective 3

Estimate the potential of advanced combustion biomass stoves to mitigate emissions



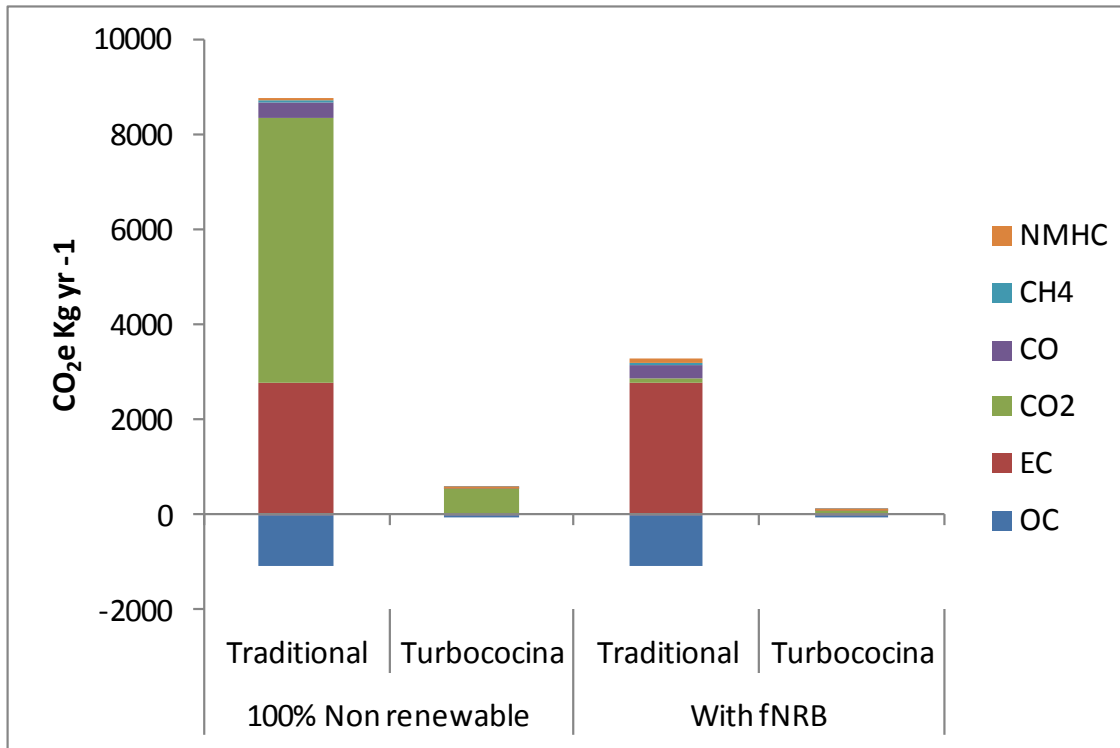
# Potential for mitigation

| kg yr <sup>-1</sup> |             | PM  | EC   | OC   | GWC  | USD/Stove/yr |
|---------------------|-------------|-----|------|------|------|--------------|
| Homes               | Traditional | 61  | 3.1  | 30.3 | 1701 |              |
|                     | Turbococina | 0.5 | 0.06 | 0.24 | 50   | 78           |
|                     |             | 99% | 98%  | 99%  | 97%  |              |
| Schools             | Traditional | 58  | 2.9  | 28.8 | 1616 |              |
|                     | Turbococina | 0.5 | 0.07 | 0.24 | 51   | 74           |
|                     |             | 99% | 98%  | 99%  | 97%  |              |



@ 47 USD (Mg C)<sup>-1</sup> – equivalent to USD (tonne CO<sub>2</sub>)<sup>-1</sup>

# Potential for mitigation in homes



Using GWC for EC of 900.

Equivalent to 100 USD per stove per year @ 47 USD tonne CO<sub>2</sub>e<sup>-1</sup>

## IMPLICATIONS

- Amounts are significant to defray technology costs if they truly reduce emissions
- If realistic fNRB estimates used CO<sub>2</sub>e emission reductions are dominated by particulate emissions

# Health co-benefits

|             | PM mg/min |
|-------------|-----------|
| TRADITIONAL | 481.8     |
| TURBOCOCINA | 15.6      |



**Table R1.2:** Emission rate targets for meeting WHO annual mean AQGs for PM<sub>2.5</sub>

| Emissions rate targets (ERT) | Emission rate (mg/min) | Percentage of kitchens meeting AQG (10 µg/m <sup>3</sup> ) | Percentage of kitchens meeting AQG IT-1 (35 µg/m <sup>3</sup> ) |
|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Unvented                     |                        |                                                            |                                                                 |
| Intermediate ERT             | 1.75                   | 6                                                          | 60                                                              |
| ERT                          | 0.23                   | 90                                                         | 100                                                             |
| Vented                       |                        |                                                            |                                                                 |
| Intermediate ERT             | 7.15                   | 9                                                          | 60                                                              |
| ERT                          | 0.80                   | 90                                                         | 100                                                             |

WHO air quality guidelines for indoor air quality: household fuel combustion

# Emissions indoor air and health estimates in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

|                            | Traditional | Ulzii | Khas | Dul | Total |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------|------|-----|-------|
| Ger                        | 20          | 26    | 0    | 16  | 62    |
| House with heating wall    | 16          | 13    | 14   | 7   | 50    |
| House without heating wall | 3           | 9     | 9    | 6   | 27    |
| Total                      | 39          | 48    | 23   | 29  | 139   |

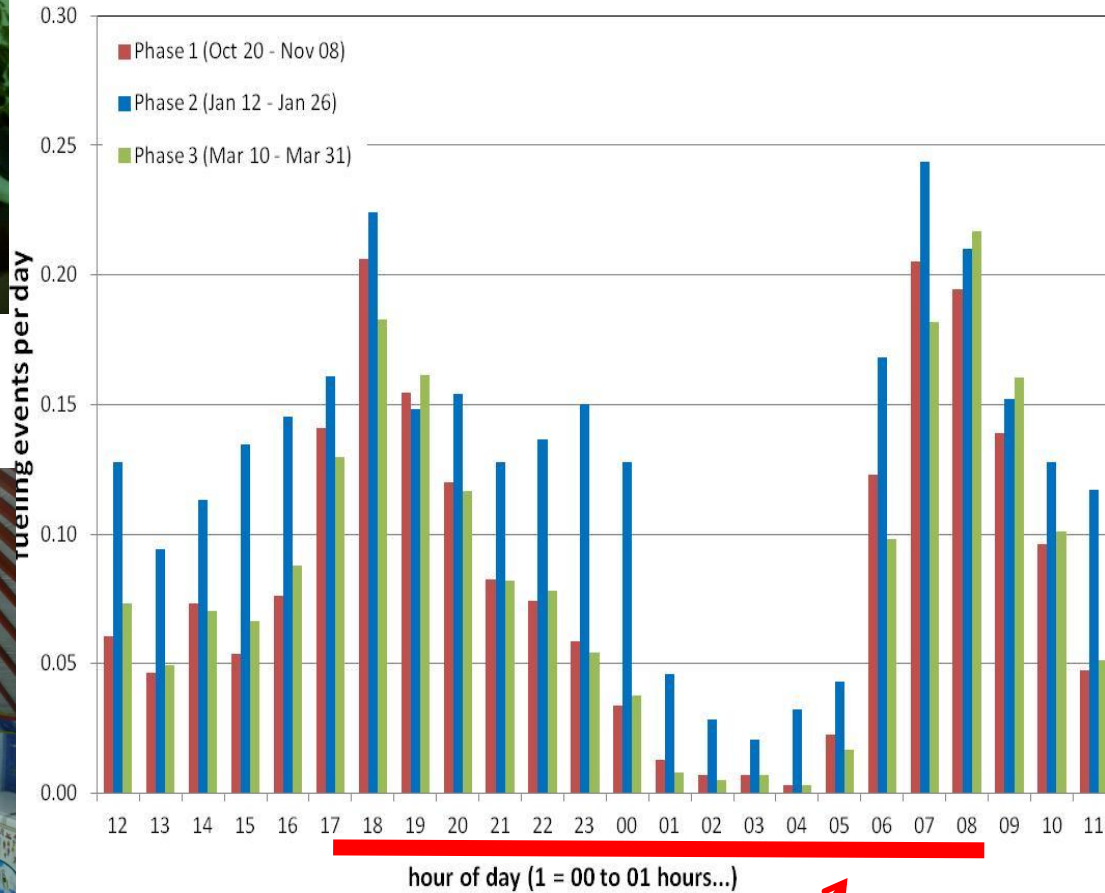


# Measurement period

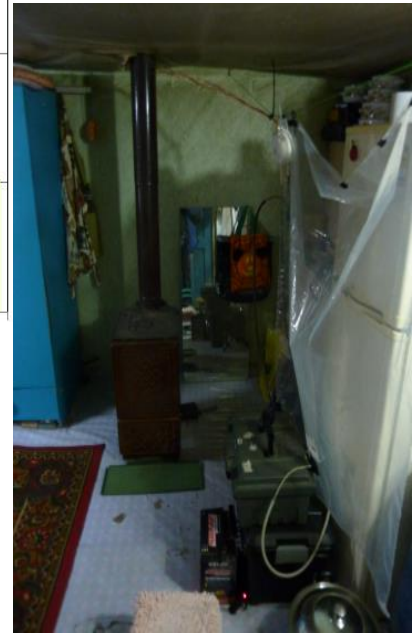
## All Stoves

### Temporal Distribution of Fueling Events

2012-2013 Household Survey 24-Hour Recall for Primary Stoves



Emissions  
monitoring  
period



# Emissions reductions weighted by frequency of stove types in 97,230 MCA stoves distributed

|                                                            | MCA stove   | n  | mean | SD  | Diff. | Sig. (2-tailed) |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|----|------|-----|-------|-----------------|
| Nighttime PM <sub>2.5</sub> (g PM <sub>2.5</sub> /kg coal) | MCA         | 98 | 2.3  | 4.3 |       |                 |
|                                                            | Traditional | 95 | 6.5  | 7.0 | 65%   | <0.01           |
| Nighttime PM <sub>2.5</sub> (g PM <sub>2.5</sub> /day)     | MCA         | 97 | 32   | 71  |       |                 |
|                                                            | Traditional | 95 | 102  | 148 | 69%   | <0.01           |
| Nighttime CO (g CO/kg coal)                                | MCA         | 98 | 60   | 32  |       |                 |
|                                                            | Traditional | 95 | 72   | 32  | 16%   | 0.01            |

70% from gers, 50% from houses



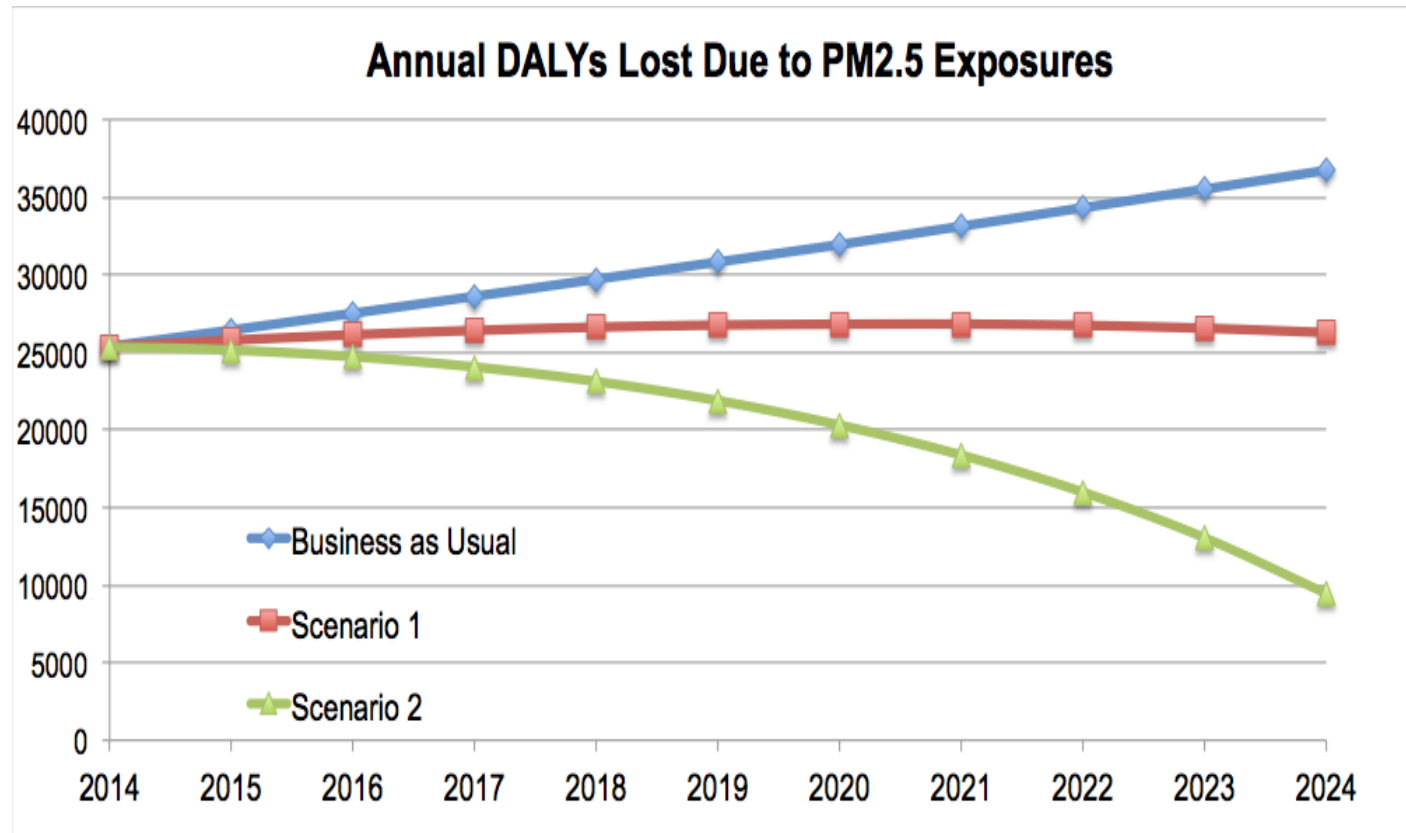
# Modeled health impacts : 2012- 2013 reduction in health burden

- Population-weighted annual average exposures to PM2.5 were estimated using the measured wintertime heating season indoor concentrations and modeled wintertime heating season outdoor concentrations, combined with seasonal time activity patterns, estimated non-heating season concentrations (Since health impacts based on annual exposures), and environmental tobacco exposures
- The MCA stove program led to an estimated 11.5% reduction in population-weighted annual average exposures to PM2.5 in Ulaanbaatar

| Disease                                | Air pollution-related disease incidence | Overall incidence |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Lung cancers                           | 9% reduction                            | 2.2% reduction    |
| Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease  | 8.3% reduction                          | 1.7% reduction    |
| ALRI in children between 0-4 years old | 8.1% reduction                          | 3.2% reduction    |
| Ischemic heart disease                 | 4.9% reduction                          | 1.0% reduction    |
| Strokes                                | 2% reduction                            | 0.9% reduction    |

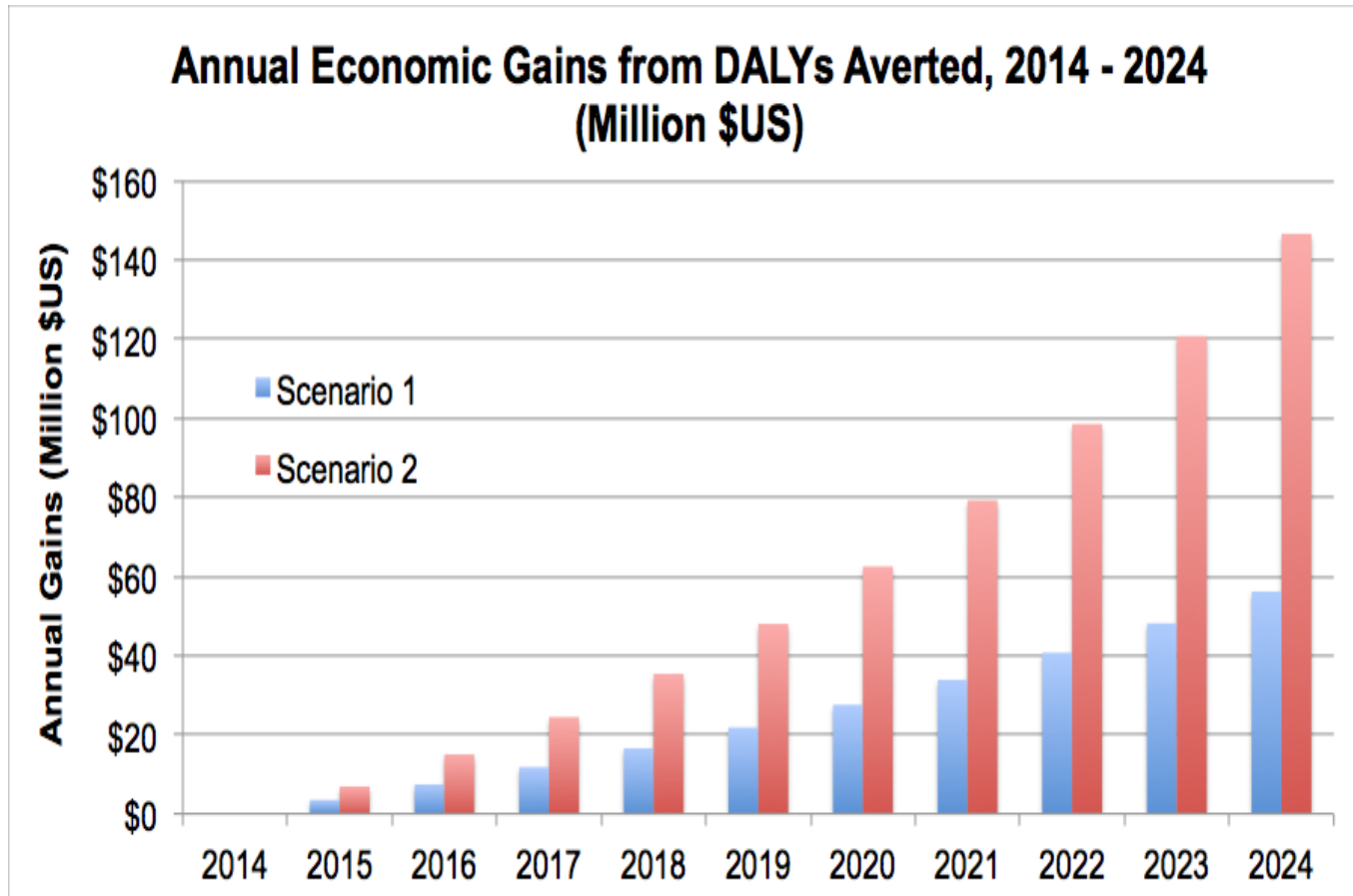
Note: these calculations focus only on one year of impacts (2012-13), and the overall impacts of the stove program should be assessed over the functional lifetime of the MCA stoves.

# “What health benefits could be expected from cleaner household stoves and fuels and associated emissions reductions in other sectors by 2025?”



- **Trends as of 2014 (business as usual):** assumes universal use of reduced emissions coal stoves
- **Scenario 1: Moderately accelerated improvements:** improvements in all sectors including full deployment of even cleaner coal stoves.
- **Scenario 2: Maximum rate of improvement:** feasible but ambitious rates of change in all sectors including elimination of solid fuels in households.

# Economic gains



*Estimates are based on the 2012 GDP per Capita, \$5374 per Year*

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