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**Promoting Coherence among Disaster Risk Reduction,
Climate Change Adaptation, and Sustainable Development
by Establishing an “Online Synthesis System (OSS)”
and Fostering “Facilitators” using OSS:
Case in Myanmar
for flood disaster risk and poverty reduction**

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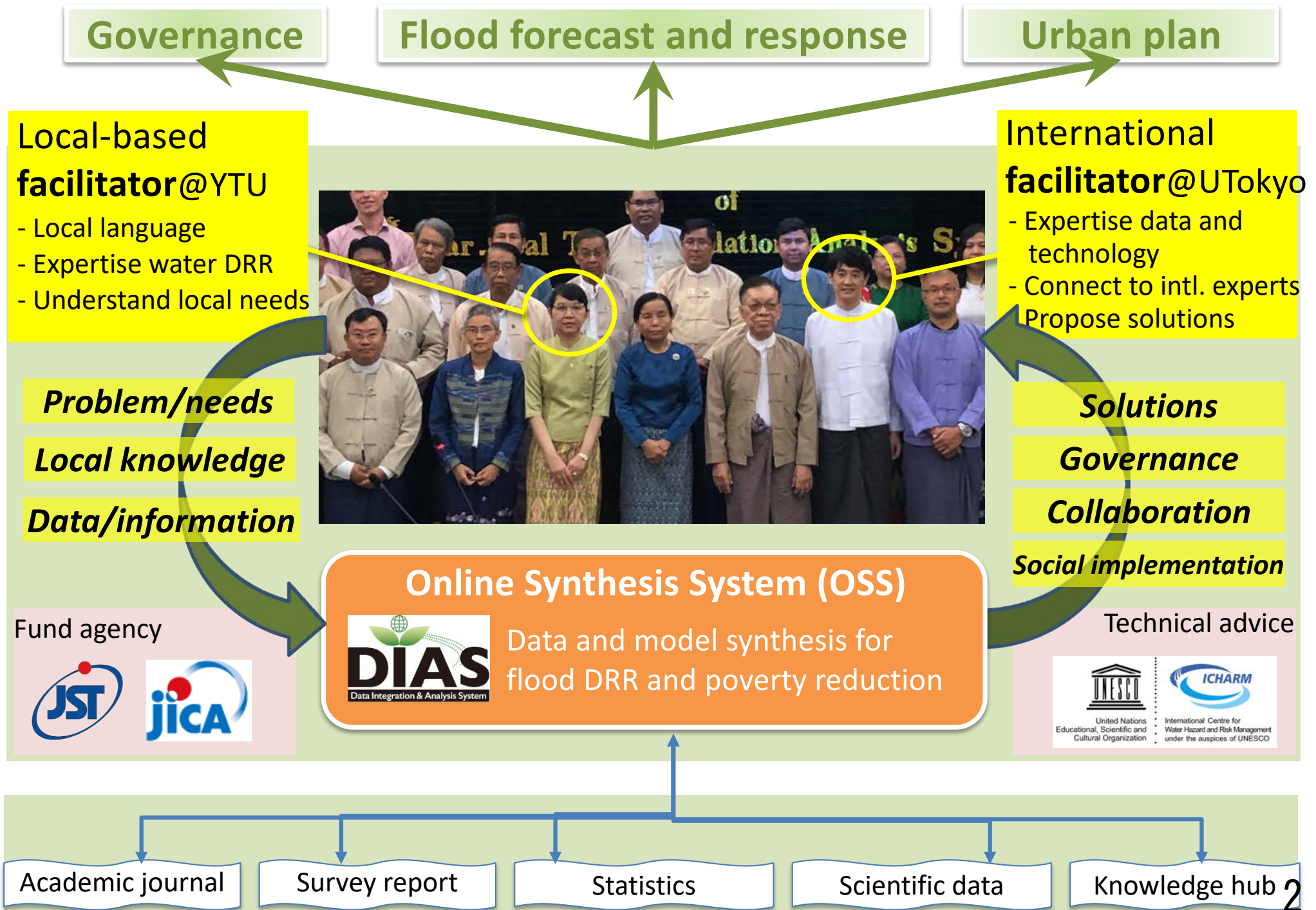
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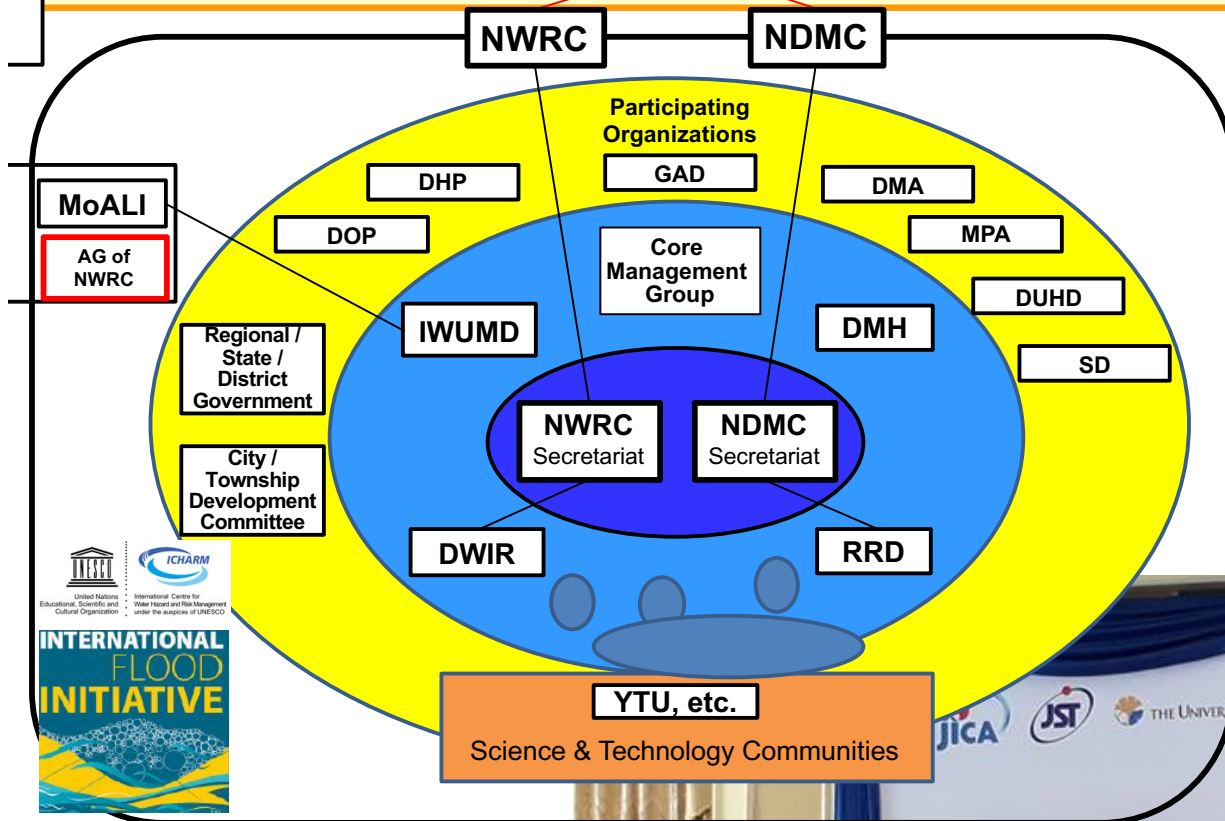


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2 facilitators and OSS for flood DRR in Myanmar



Problems and needs in Myanmar central government



- Bureaucratic administration for flood DRR
- Uncoordinated response
- No information sharing
- Data scarcity for flood forecast and early warning
- Limited resources



【Proposal of a new governance system】

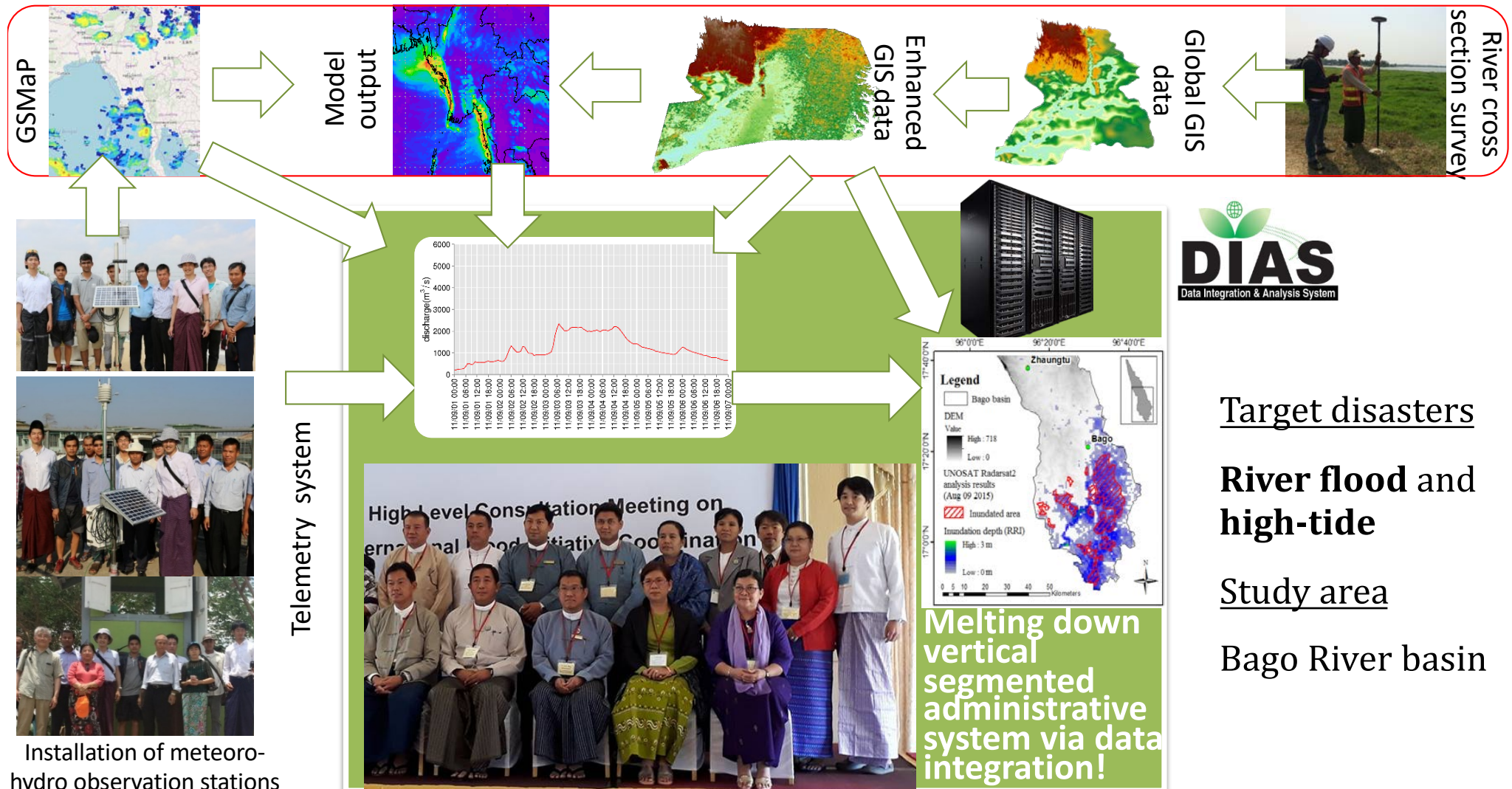
The 4 departments works together through **data sharing** and **integration** from each department.



It is rare for the **4 DGs to meet in one place**, and the realization of the high-level meeting was widely reported in the local media.

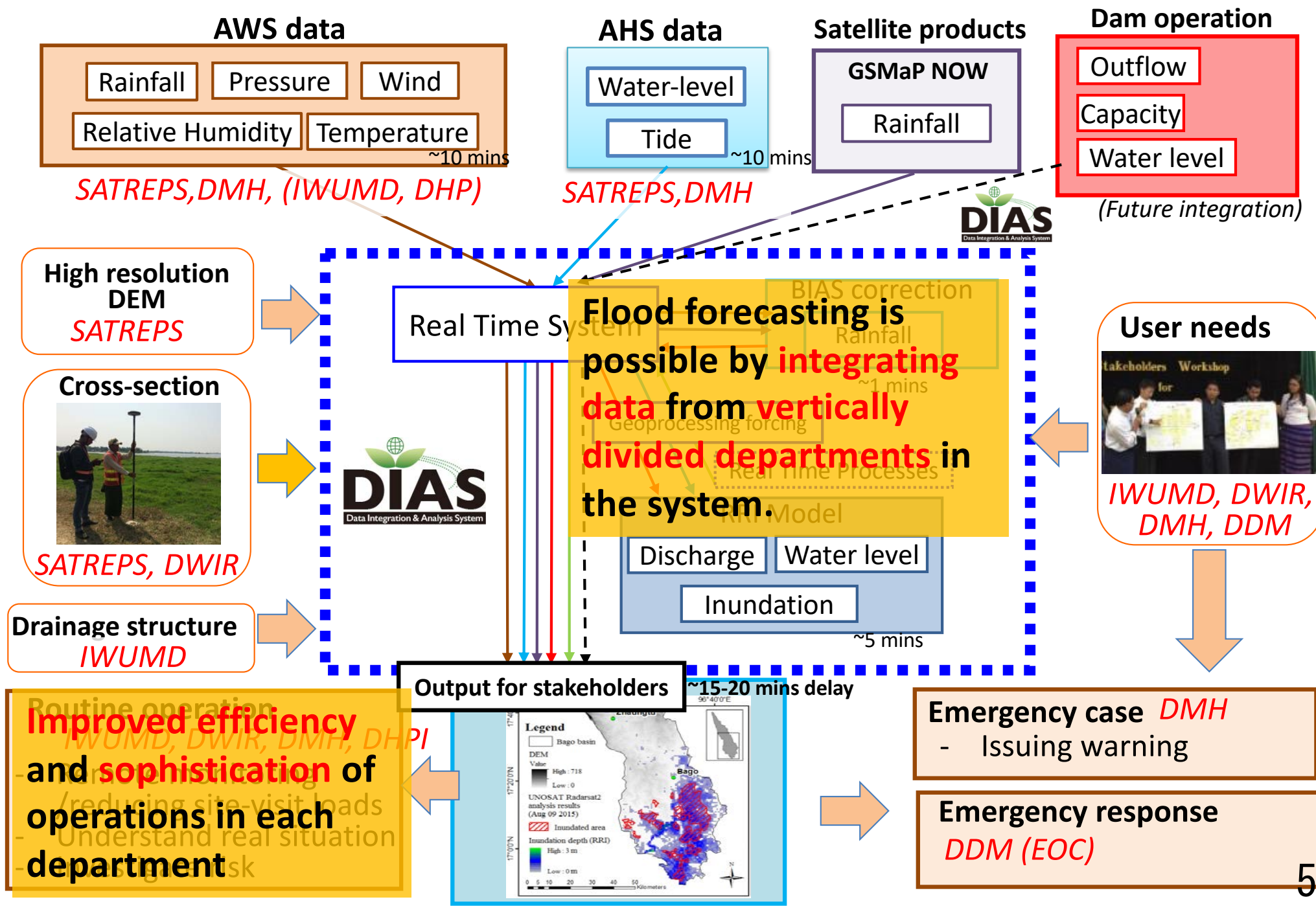
Solution for a data scarce region:

Near real-time flood forecast system was developed by integrating satellite data, model output, and limited in-situ and local data on OSS (DIAS: Data and Information Analysis System)

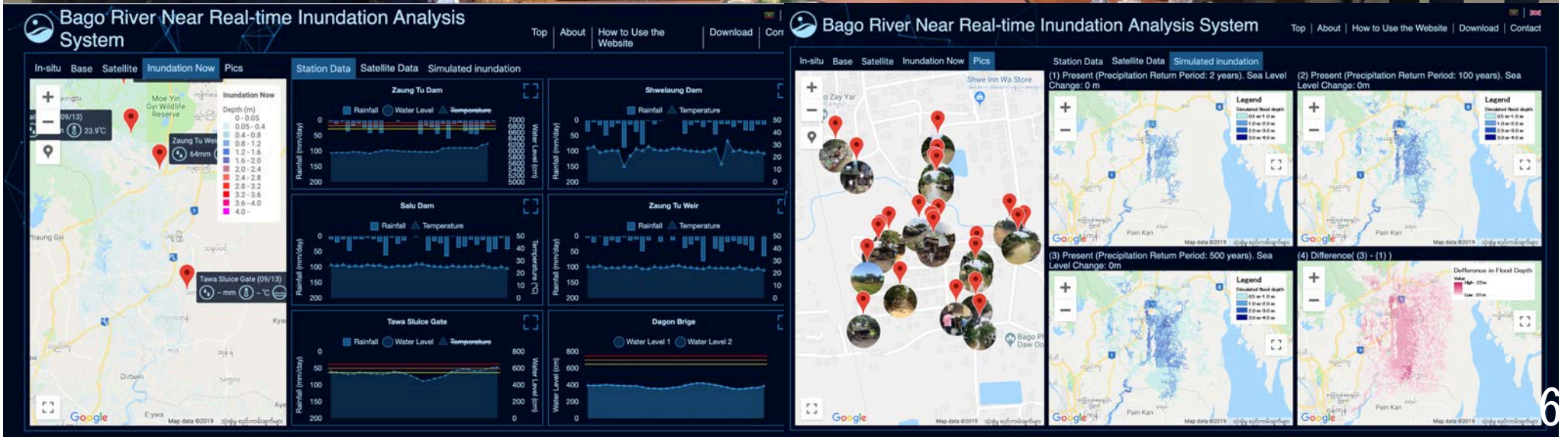


Implemented as an ODA scheme (SATREPS project) supported by JICA and JST

Data integration and system development for promoting **collaboration**



Test operation by Myanmar Government was started in July 2019



Local problem: flood and poverty

The **income and education levels** of residents living in **severely-flooded areas** (flood depth more than 1m) are **significantly lower** than those living in other places (flood depth less than 1m or none)

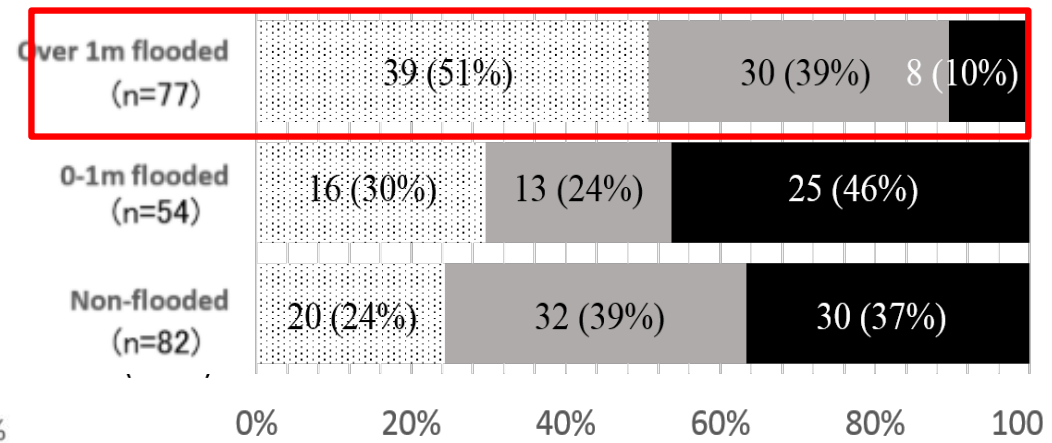
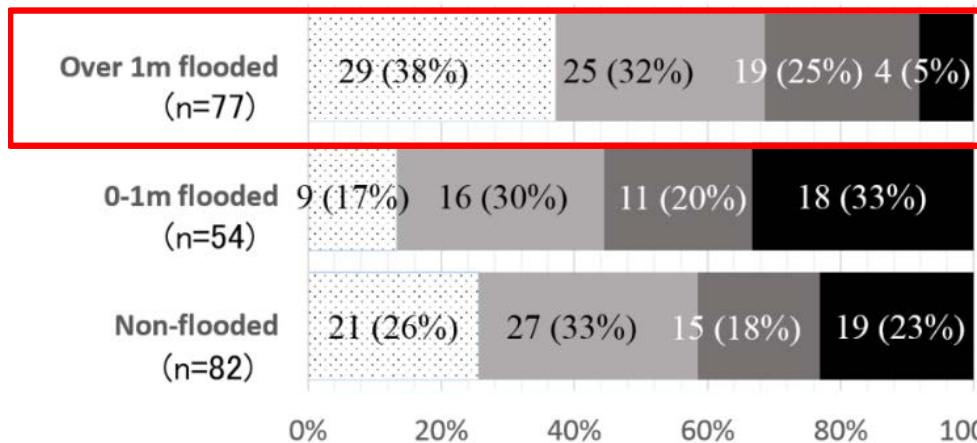


Flood depth ↔ Income $\chi^2=20.29, df=4, P<0.01$

Flood depth ↔ Education $\chi^2=25.32, df=4, P<0.01$

Low income Low-middle High-middle High income

Low-level education Middle High-level education



Relationship between flood depth and income/education during 2011 flood at Bago, Myanmar (N=213) (Kawamura and Kawasaki, 2017)



Possibility of improving residents' income or education levels by completely or partly reducing the flood depth at flood-prone areas (→ **Social benefit by countermeasures**)

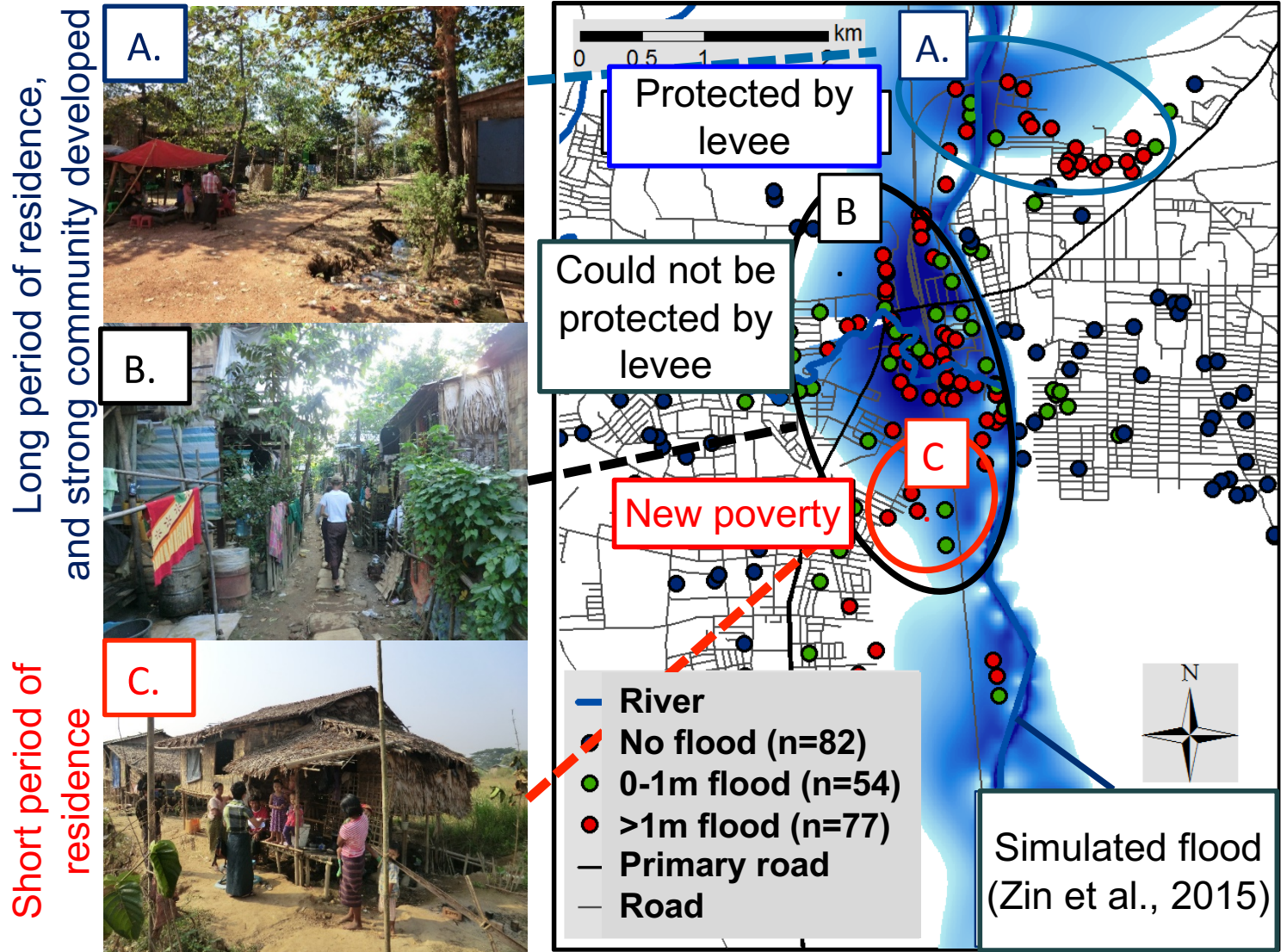


In less developing world with various social issues and limited resources **effective DRR investment** that not only contributes to DRR but also to social development is needed.



Solution: flood DRR plan contributing to poverty alleviation

Proposal of city development and DRR plan, that considers **flood simulation** which shows the effect of levee construction, **residential distribution of the poor**, and their **community characteristics**



	Levee construction	Emergency relief	Building reinforcement	Relocation	Residence restriction
A	◎	○	△	×	△
B	△	◎	◎	×	○
C	△	△	×	◎	◎

Social implementation: local government support using OSS

GAD



Bago Reginal Gov.



Bago Chief Minister



Stakeholders Workshop

DDM

