The Technology of Effective Microorganisms - Testing and Adoption in Vietnam

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Abstract: The Technology of Effective Microorganisms was introduced into Vietnam in 1997, through the Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment. A comprehensive assessment was carried out using the resources available in different institutions. The results of these studies illustrated that EM contain microbes found in all ecosystems. EM promoted plant growth, and with organic matter reduced requirements of chemical fertilizers. It had a beneficial impact on animal production and could be effectively used in waste management. The results and the benefits of using EM in Vietnam are presented on the basis of experimentation.