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# Improvement Effectiveness of Soil Quality Index Assessment in Irrigated Areas

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**ABSTRACT.** The Strategy of Action for Development of the Republic of Uzbekistan for 2017-2021 highlighted that "Continuous development of agricultural production, strengthening of food security of the country, further improvement of irrigated lands, reduction of cotton and cereals, optimization of sown areas.

**KEY WORDS.** Soil cover, evolutionary laws, information technology, soil fertility assessment, soil quality, "soil quality" program. "soil quality".

#### **I.INTODUCTION**

Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated January 22, 2018 №PF-5308 "On the State Program on Implementation of the Strategy of Action on Five Priorities for the Development of the Republic of Uzbekistan in 2017-2021" Resolution "On Measures for Further Improvement of the Activities of the State Committee on Land Resources, Geodesy, Cartography and State Cadaster of the Republic of Uzbekistan" dated May 31, 2017, №PP-3024 The resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan from March 29, 2019 of № 259 "About the forecasted volumes of the rational assignment of crops and production of the crop for the year 2019" and the effective use of available land and water resources, December 20, Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On the rational placement of crops for the harvest and projected volumes of production" and other regulatory and legal documents related to the activities of the direction [1].

#### **II.THE PURPOSE OF THE STUDY**

Improvement of the evaluation of irrigated soil productivity using information technologies based on the laws, features, formation, development and evolution of irrigated soil cover in the republic.

#### **III.RESEARCH OBJECTIVES**

- Reduction of time and labor costs, as well as the direct human factor in the evaluation of irrigated soils;
- improvement of soil fertility assessment methods;
- formation of a database on soil properties;
- improvement of soil fertility assessment using information technologies;
- determination of efficiency of application of information technologies in soil science;
- Development of recommendations for the conservation and improvement of soil fertility through the use of soil information analysis software in soil surveys.

The object of the study: The Republic is irrigated soils with different climatic conditions.

Methods of research. The researches were carried out according to the standard methods of soil science, which used geographic, genetic, historical-comparative, lithological-geomorphological, chemical-analytical and profile methods. Mathematical and statistical analysis of the data was calculated based on the method of dispersion statistics (Б.А. Доспехов) and also using the software "Soil quality" in the Java 8.0 programming language.

#### **IV.RESULTS OF THE STUDY**

The study provides a set of time criteria for grouping and rewarding of soils in the "State land cadaster and land monitoring, land management project - sample collection of time limits" information is provided.



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According to 10.6.3 part of the collection, shows the norms of time for grouping and soil quality assessment (bonitification) of soils and their description are as follows:

Content of the work: The list of regional soils and types of agricultural lands located in them will be defined, systematized listing of the names of soils according to the classification of existing soils.

Summarize the data of the regional districts based on the types and types of soils, taking into consideration the integration of different soil types into the evaluation groups.

Determination of bonuses scores for agricultural crops or the environmental groups evaluated using the method of analysis of correlation regression data on soil characteristics and productivity, based on the characteristics of soil agro-production[2].

Executors: Leading Engineer - 1 Soil Scientist I, Type II - 1 Soil scientist, technician L category II

Soil scientist, technician I, category II – 1 Table 1

#### Unit of time measurement (a person per months), for per province.

N≌	Number of Assessed Farms	Time norms
1	80	12,30

Taking into account the urgency of the topic, the following was studied on the time and money allocated to the Soil Bonitization Program in the Vobkent district of Bukhara region in 2011 by the department of Bukhararegionlandproject ("Бухвилерлойиха").

The irrigated agricultural land area of Vobkent district is 20220 hectares, the number of farms in the district is 21, the category of complexity is 2, and the prepared maps are 1: 10,000. The leading soil scientist contributes 10%, soil science specialists of the 1st and 2nd categories, 40%, soil technologists and technicians 1 and 2 categories. Taking into account the fact that the leading soil scientist requires 10% of the amount and 12.3 people per month, it is allocated 1,044,205 sums. Soils 1 and 2 categories account for 40% and 12.3 man / month, which is 3 701 977 sums for this item. Soil science and technicians of the 1st and 2nd categories pay 3,667,583 sums for a 50% contribution and spend 12.3 people / month for work, and a total of 12.3 people per month for the district, which is 8,433,766 sums.

The estimates of these invoices are attached as in Table 2 below.

Table 2	Tabl	le	2
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			Area, ha	Expenditure	
№	Type of work			Time (a person per months)	Capital (mln.UZS)
1	soil quality assessme Vabkent district	nt of	20220	12,3	8,41

Comparison of the Soil Quality program and the traditional method (using paper, pen, pencil, calculator) was carried out on the basis of soil quality assessment maps of Vobkent district farms of Bukhara region (2011) prepared by the "Buwilerilerproject" department of the "Uzdaverloyiha" Institute.

Timing was carried out with the participation of 12 specialists. At the same time, soil bonuses were used in the traditional way, using soil prepared for farms of Vobkent district of Bukhara region. Work on the determination of soil-level bonitas was carried out on the basis of the "Methodical Instructions for Bonitization of Irrigated Soil in the Republic of Uzbekistan" (RH-31-030-06), approved by the State Committee "Ergeodezkadastr" in 2005. According to it, each land allocation points class  $B_a = K_1 * K_2 * ... * K_n$  [3], as well as the average farm bonus class.



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 $B_a = \frac{B_1 * M_1 + B_2 * M_2 + \dots + B_n * M_n}{M_1 + M_2 + \dots + M_n} \quad \text{was calculated by the formula.}$ 

In the first study, 12 experts determined the time needed to calculate soil score bonuses using the coefficients of

salinity, humus content and  $P_2 0$  (mobile phosphorus) levels, which are the same for all soil variations in a single area. For this purpose, H. Kamolov's farm, which has 1234.0 hectares of irrigated agricultural land, located in 1 soil zone, has 3 geomorphological structures, 2 soil types and 12 land areas. The data presented are summarized in Table 4, and on the basis of these indicators, the farm's land allocation score and the average score of bonuses are calculated[4].

#### **V.EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS**

Soil quality indices booking of farm soils.

Table 3.

stribution No.	Name of soil	Soil quality index according to	Soil quality coefficients		ty nts	Area (he).	Final soil quality index	Bonits hectare	
Soil Di		the main scale	1	2	3				
1	Irrigated meadow soils	80	0,9	0,75	0,9	86,0	49	4179,6	
2	Irrigated meadow soils	80	0,9	0,75	0,95	198,4	51	10177,9	
3	Irrigated meadow soils	80	0,7	0,75	0,9	86,0	38	3250,8	
4	Irrigated meadow soils	90	0,9	0,75	0,95	213,0	58	12292,8	
5	Irrigated meadow soils	90	0,9	0,75	0,95	192,0	58	11080,8	
6	Irrigated meadow soils	90	0,7	0,75	0,9	77,0	43	3274,4	
7	Irrigated meadow soils	100	0,7	0,75	0,9	65,0	47	3071,3	
8	Irrigated meadow soils	100	0,5	0,75	0,9	66,0	34	2227,5	
9	Irrigated meadow soils	100	0,5	0,75	0,9	51,0	34	1721,3	
10	Irrigated meadow soils	90	0,7	0,75	0,9	35,0	43	1488,4	
11	Irrigated meadow soils	90	0,5	0,75	0,9	64,6	30	1962,2	
12	Irrigated desert- meadow soils	100	0,5	0,75	0,9	100,0	34	3375,0	
	Total:					1234,0	47		

As can be seen from the table, the coefficients on the basic scale and bonitization rates vary across all soil subsections. Based on the results of the first research, it was found that one expert spends 56.3 minutes on calculating the soil fertility of 12 farms and an average of 47.3 minutes, or 103.6 minutes. This is 21.1 days or 168.8 hours per month, 103.6 / 60 min per mass. = 1.73 hours or 0.22 per person / month. Taking into account the fact that there are 21 farms in the Vabkent district, it is estimated that 4.6 people per month (0.22x21.1) are required to carry out soil assessment[5]. And in "Soil quality", it is fundamentally different from the aforementioned method, and the advantage is that the process is performed concurrently. In particular, the process of calculating soil bonuses and soil properties by simultaneous and concurrent processes, regardless of how much of the soil separation, soil type, type, humus content and layer thickness, salinity, washing, rock hardness and other soil characteristics. in time. For this purpose it is enough to make the use of farm soils necessary. From the experiments with the program "Soil quality", an average of 5.7 minutes was spent on designing and preparing the use of one massive soil, and 119.7 minutes for 21 arrays in the district. 1 month is 21.1 days or 168.8 hours according to time standards and 5.7 min / 60 min for 1 mass. = 0.095 hours or (0.095 \* 21.1 / 168.8) per unit of 0.012 person / month. There are 21 farms in the district and it is estimated that 1.99 hours (21 \* 0.095) units are required to carry out soil-clearing works, or 0.25 per month (0.012x21.1). The following table shows the economic efficiency of the use and implementation of Soil quality.



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## Table 6

		Time expen	diture (a person j	per month)	Capital expenditure (mln. UZS)			
N⁰	№ Type of research The usual way		In "Soil quality" program	Difference	The usual way	In "Soil quality" Differen program		
1	Soil quality assessment	12,3	0,01	12,29	8,41	0,02	8,39	

Table 4

# Comparison table used to calculate 1<sup>st</sup> massive soil score

	u		Expe	enditu	re of ti				
Type of research	Time spent of preparatory work, min	by soil type and	n of humus layer	coefficient by mobility	coefficient Calculation of soil	separation points.	deviation score hectares.	Minutes to recalculate, min.	Total time, min
The usual way	12,0	5,4	5,7	5,8	4,7	12,0	5,8	4,8	56,3
Average in "Soil quality" program	5,7	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	5,7
Difference +;-	+6,3	+5, 4	+5, 7	+5, 8	+4,7	+12	+5,8	+4,8	+50,6

This factor makes it difficult to calculate soil quality index points in a simple way and causes a certain amount of time to be spent. All the 12 experts involved in the timing work performed the calculations correctly, but it was found that the time they spent doing this was different.



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Table 5

# Time spent on calculating the area of 1 mass soil characteristics

characteristics.											
	ý			Ex	pendit	ure of	time, n	nin			
Type of research	Time spent on preparato work, min	by soil type and	Determination of humus layer thickness	Determination of coefficient by mobility of	By the degree of potassium supply	By degree of availability of humus	By the degree of drywall	By intensity	Depreciation rate	In terms of hardness	Total time, min
The usual way	6,0	5,6	5,0	5,0	4,9	5,0	4,0	3,9	3,9	4,0	47,3
Average in "Soil quality" program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Difference +;-	+6,0	+5,6	+5,0	+5,0	+4,9	+5,0	+4,0	+3,9	+3,9	+4,0	+47,3

When analyzing these charts, the Soil Quality software has revealed a large amount of time and manpower and savings during soil valuation, data reliability, reliability, multiple access, protection and other benefits.

#### VI.CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

The scientific significance of the results of the research is due to the comprehensive approach to the use of information technology in determining the current state of irrigated soil, the development of the basic principles of the use of information technologies and its effectiveness. There is also an opportunity to provide scientifically sound conclusions on the conservation and improvement of soil fertility using a database of soil fertility assessment using information technology.

1. Comprehensive analysis of irrigated soil fertility assessments using information technology, and a system was developed that allows for quick and easy use of results;

2. Database structure and database reflecting soil fertility conditions have been developed;

3. Reducing coefficients for soil fertility limiting properties on the basis of correlation dependencies are included in the Soil Quality program, and a database on soil properties has been developed using this program;

4. Evaluation of the productivity of irrigated soils proves that economic efficiency can be achieved by saving a lot of time and manpower;



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5. On the basis of information technologies' evaluation of irrigated soils, bonitet points have been calculated for each land allocation, contour, farm, mass, district and regional level.

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