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The study investigates the teleconnections and feedback mechanisms between polar climate variability and the Southwest Monsoon over Mainland Indochina. The polar regions, particularly the Arctic, have been experiencing significant warming and sea ice loss, which can influence atmospheric circulation patterns on a global scale. This research explores how these changes impact the Southwest Monsoon, a crucial driver of seasonal rainfall in Mainland Indochina, affecting agriculture, water resources, and livelihoods. Utilizing climate models and observational data, the study identifies key pathways through which polar climate anomalies influence monsoonal dynamics. It highlights the role of altered jet streams, shifts in the Intertropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ), and changes in ocean-atmosphere interactions in modulating monsoon strength and variability. The feedback mechanisms are also examined, particularly how changes in monsoonal rainfall can further influence polar climate systems. The findings suggest a complex interplay where polar climate variability and Indochina's monsoon system are interconnected, with significant implications for regional climate predictions and adaptation strategies. Understanding these teleconnections is critical for improving climate resilience in the face of ongoing global climate change. This research contributes to the broader knowledge of how distant climatic systems are linked and the cascading effects of polar climate shifts on tropical weather patterns.

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