

Expanding Integrated Assessment Modelling: Comprehensive and Comprehensible Science for Sustainable, Co-Created Climate Action

IAM COMPACT Modelling Seminars

Model Presentation: CLEWs

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- •Applied from 2012 (a case of Mauritius)
- •Climate, Land, Energy, Water systems framework
- •A way to quantitatively assess links between the above
- •Several tools can be used (**OSeMOSYS**, LEAP, WEAP, GAEZ most commonly)
- •Used by, among others, UNDESA and UNDP
- •Several interfaces available





Applied at global, regional, national and sub-national scale.







CLEWs categorised as a **Water-Energy-Food nexus** methodology.

Tool for **simultaneous consideration** of food, energy and water security questions from a sectoral and inter-sectoral perspective.

It fosters policy coherence by:

- Creating awareness of undesired impacts and co-benefits of sectoral policies
- Designing coherent national development policies that maximise benefits across energy, water and land use sectors while minimizing costs and adapting to climate change
- Devising strategies for using scarce resources efficiently
- Facilitating inter-institutional communications and even the adoption of common jargon





- Techno-economic representations of real-world systems
- Designed to assess the role of technology change and technology choice
- Enables scenario-based analysis to evaluate risks and uncertainties
- Intended for long-term analysis of sustainable development issues (e.g. one or more decades)
- Highly customizable/flexible with respect to system boundaries, geographical coverage, level of detail and economic characteristics





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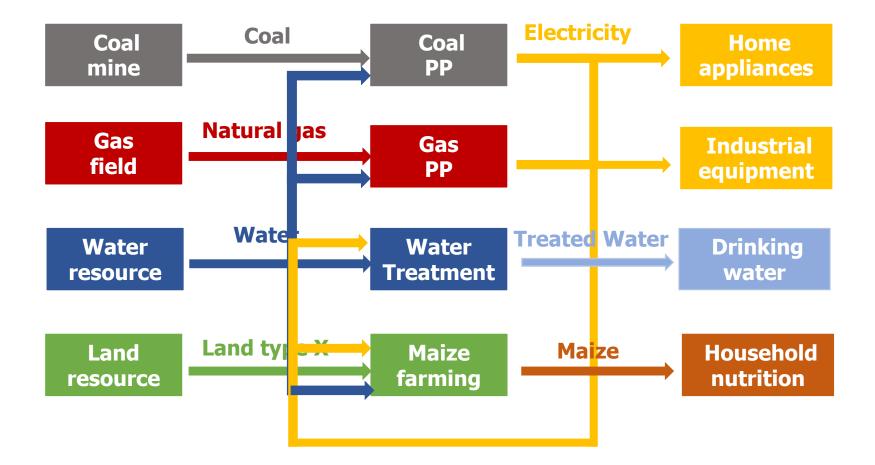


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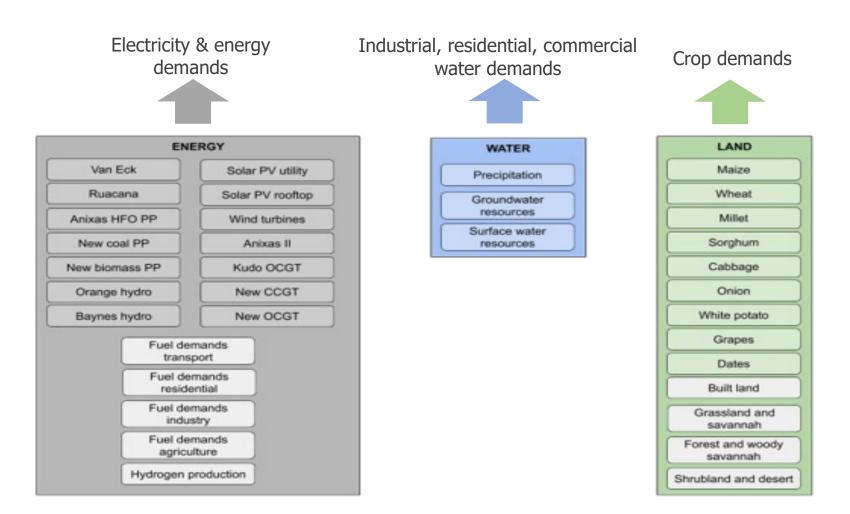






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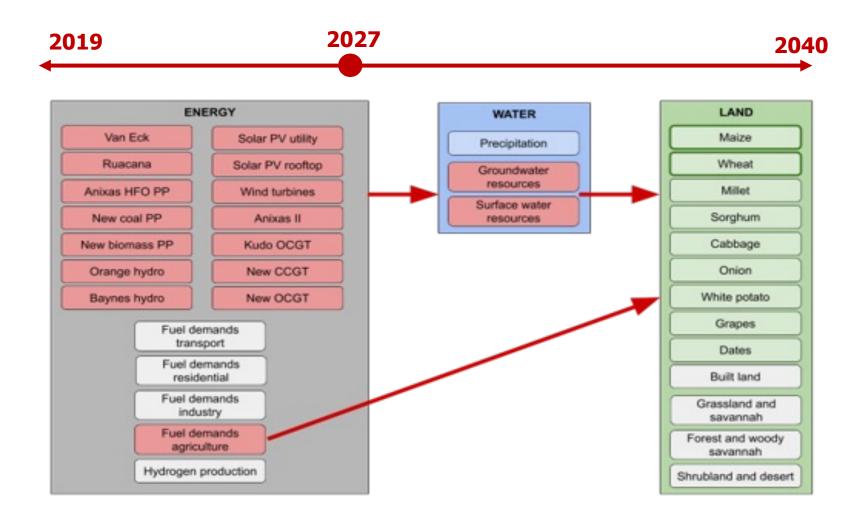






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The following policy instruments can be implemented, for one country/region or global, *on top of those for energy*:

- Water sharing / import agreements;
- Domestic food production / food imports limits / targets;
- Deforestation limits / afforestation policies;
- Land use change emission limits;
- Land use limits (e.g. limits for agricultural land uses);
- Land and water body restoration targets;
- Land conversion interventions (e.g. cleared land re-used for certain crops);

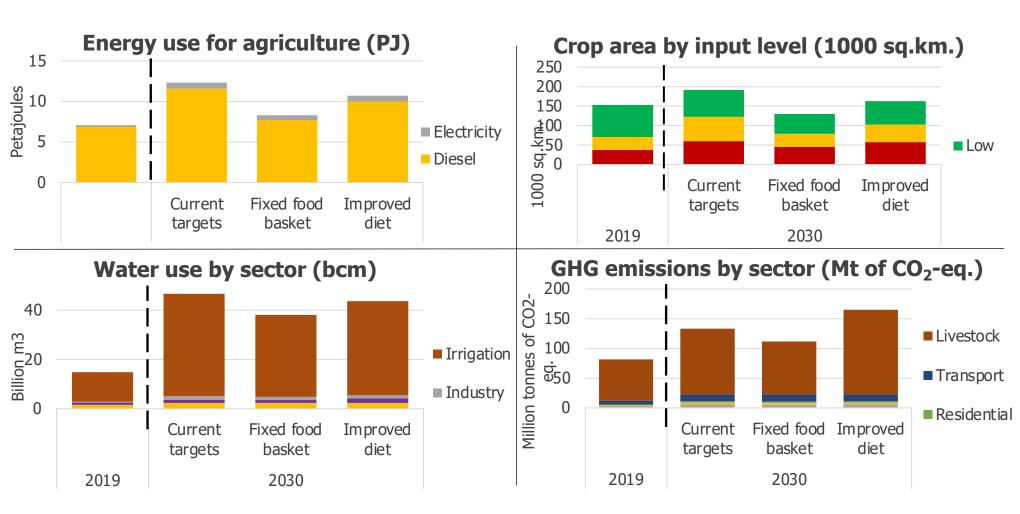




- What co-benefits do renewables bring in terms of reduced water uses for the energy sector?
- What are the land use implications of investments in energy infrastructure?
- What are the water consumption implications of food security targets and how can these be mitigated by modernisation of agricultural practices?
- What are the implications of water supply investments for energy uses? (e.g. for pumping, or for desalination)
- What are the implications of agricultural developments for energy uses (e.g. for pumping irrigation water, for production of fertilisers and chemicals, for agricultural activities)

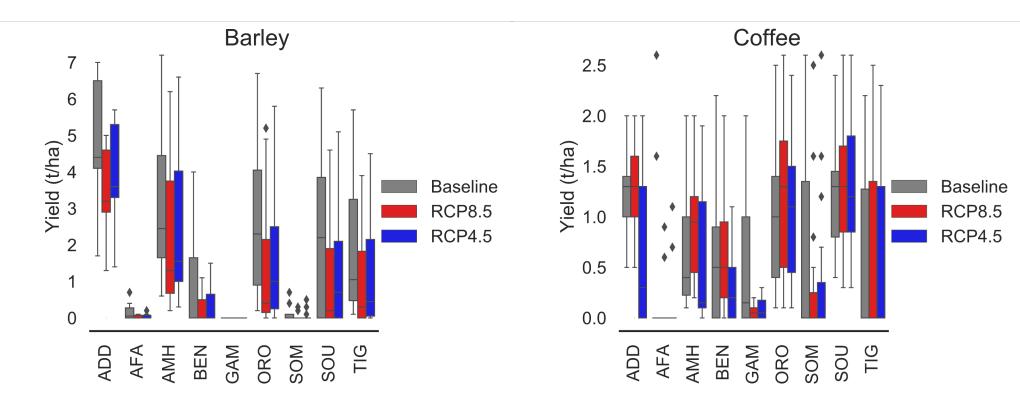


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SDG	Details
§3. Health (e.g., air-pollution related mortality)	Same as for OSeMOSYS
§6. Clean water and sanitation	Calculation of investment and operation of water supply solutions to meet water demands; use of water by land uses and energy system that meets demands, constraints, and least cost criteria
§7. Affordable and clean energy	Same as for OSeMOSYS
§8. Decent work & economic growth	Same as for OSeMOSYS
§13. Climate action	Effects of climate changes on energy, water and land uses (e.g. less water availability, lower crop yields, higher evapotranspiration, etc.); energy and land use/change emissions
§15. Life on land	Optimisation of land uses





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