

**Brief Overview of
Recent (post Copenhagen) IAM
Inter-Model Comparisons and
the Questions They Have ~~Answered~~
Addressed**

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Studies Included

- Asian Modeling Exercise (AME: PNNL/USEPA)
- AMPERE WPs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 (EU)
- EMF 24, 27, 28, 28i, 29
- LIMITS (EU)
- Rose (PIK+Collaborators)
- LCS (NIES)
- ALPS (RITE)

Bottom Lines

- Past Contributions (pre-Copenhagen, end 2009):
 - Where flexibility (Aldy, Pershing, Boathouse Group, et al.)
 - When flexibility (Aldy, Pershing, Boathouse Group, et al.)
 - What flexibility (Aldy, Pershing, Boathouse Group, et al.)
 - How flexibility (Aldy, Pershing, Boathouse Group, et al.)
 - Rough feasibility of targets, inc. accessions and overshoots
- Emerging Contributions (post Copenhagen):
 - Highly relevant country/EU policy scenario ensembles (Fawcett, EIA, van Ierland, etc.)
 - Much richer set of technology and policy sensitivities (Pershing, et al.)
 - Overshoot scenarios
 - Impact of SR goals on LR targets
 - Feasibility/plausibility of various targets
 - Relative costs of various policies (Cap and trade, regulatory, etc.)
 - Links to sustainability/sustainable development
 - More emphasis on model diagnostics (AME, AMPERE, PIAMDDI, etc.)
- Let's keep clear distinction between simple and complex IAMs

Big Four Inter-Community Suggested Research Directions From IAM Community

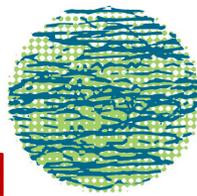
- Land Use/Land Cover
- Non-Kyoto Forcing/Air Pollution
- Overshoots - BECCS, CDR , SRM, etc.
- Technology development/diffusion determinants

Goals of Asian Modeling Exercise (Calvin)

- **Objective:** to better articulate the role of Asia in addressing climate change.
- **Goal:** To bring together global modelers that commonly participate in efforts to explore international policy architectures with regional modelers and experts with Asia-specific knowledge, understanding, data, and analysis.
- **Method:** A coordinated modeling exercise that attempts to link these communities to provide more effective modeling and analysis of Asia within a global context.

AME Key Findings

- Base year data differs across models for a variety of explainable reasons. But, while differences in base year data do affect future growth projections, differences in assumed growth rates have a much larger impact on the future.
- Models differ in their projections of economic growth, energy intensity, and carbon intensity. Differences in underlying growth assumptions result in a factor of 2 difference in Chinese CO₂ emissions across models in 2020. Models with similar emissions levels may achieve them in very different ways.
- Models differ significantly in the amount of mitigation achieved for a particular carbon price. Differences in mitigation are due to a variety of factors, including baseline emissions levels, model flexibility, technology cost and availability
- Models show a wide variety of future energy systems across time and scenarios. While there is some variation across regions within a model due to resource constraints, many models tend to “favor” certain technologies.



AMPERE

Overview of the AMPERE project (Kriegler)

Assessment of Climate Change Mitigation Pathways and Evaluation of the Robustness of Mitigation Cost Estimates.

AMPERE - Research Questions

How sensitive are mitigation scenarios and costs to model assumptions and structural differences, and why?

➔ Model transparency, validation, diagnostics, comparison (WP4)

Global Perspective:

How are mitigation scenarios and costs affected by

- Feedbacks in the climate response (WP1)
- Technology availability and planning horizons (WP2)
- Fragmented climate policy (WP3)

EU Perspective:

What are the implications for climate policy in the EU? (WP5)

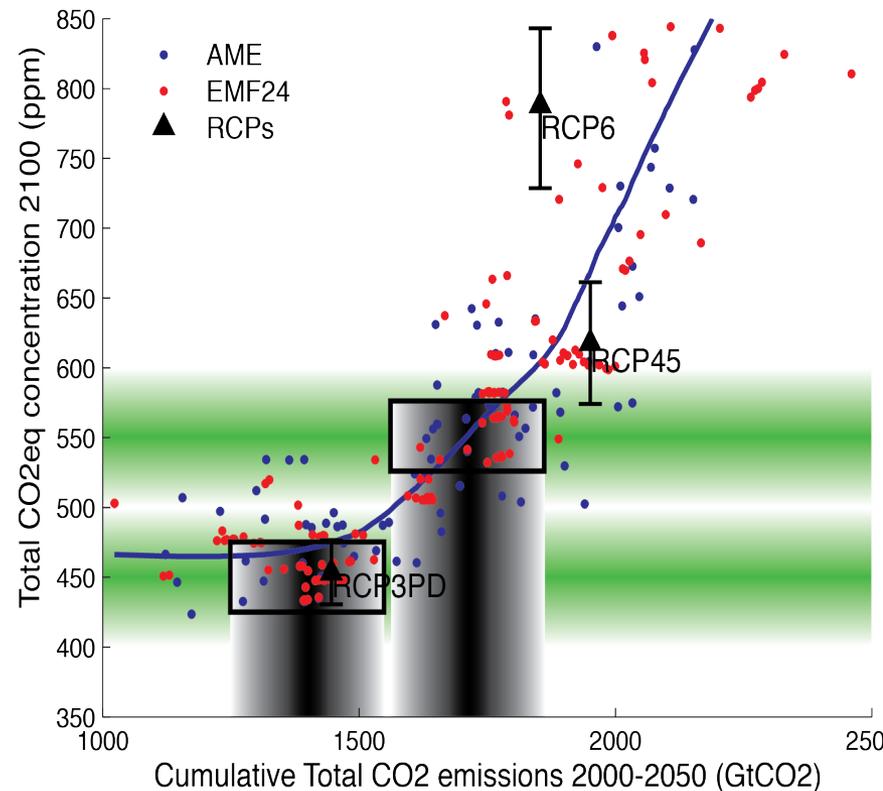
AMPERE WP1

(van Vuuren)

- **Goal:**
 - Determine the importance of climate system representation in IAM for IAM outcomes.
 - Determine representative relationships between CO₂ budgets, forcing and temperature
 - Look at new insights from climate science on feedbacks for carbon budgets

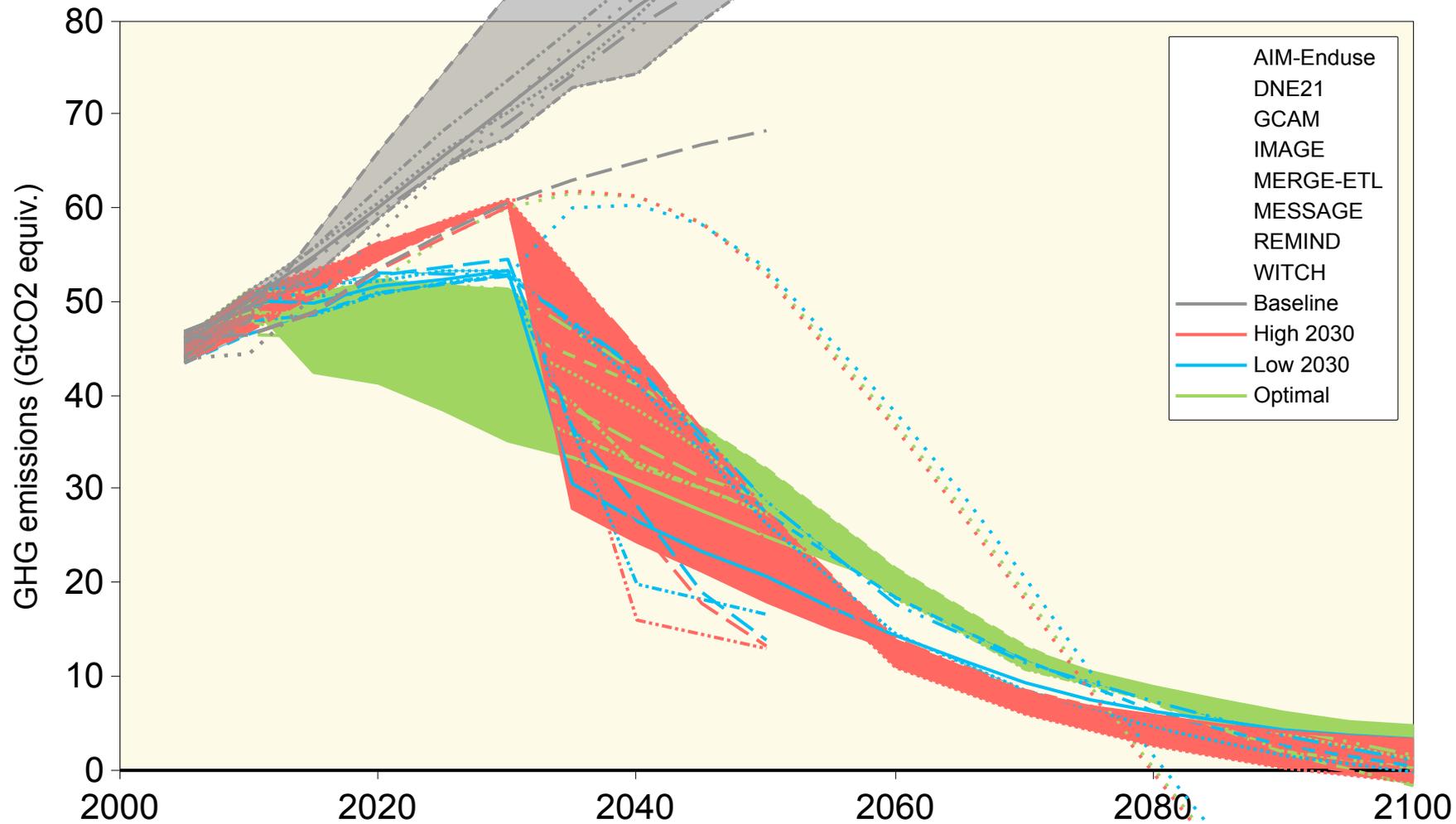
AMPERE WP1

- Findings/products so-far:
 - Comparison of climate cycle/climate system for AMPERE models
 - Establishment of carbon budget (more uncertainty!)
 - MAGICC model runs for AMPERE / LIMITS scenarios.
 - First insights into impacts of feedbacks



AMPERE WP2 (Riahi)

Implication of near-term policies for long-term stabilization



AMPERE WP 2 Key Findings

- **High 2030 emissions (~60 GtCO₂e) pose a triple-challenge:**
 - Fossil fuel lock-in (+50% compared to today by 2030)
 - Stranded assets (100s of coal power plants globally)
 - Requires doubling the “upscaling pace” of low-carbon energy
- **Implications for the transformation:**
 - Increased risks that low stabilization targets become unattainable
 - Higher costs (particularly in the medium term)
 - “Overshoot” reduces chances to stay below 2C
- **Energy Efficiency critical for keeping options open**
- **Results are being published as a Special Issue of TFSC and open-access databases**

(<https://secure.iiasa.ac.at/web-apps/ene/AMPEREDB>)

AMPERE study on staged accession (WP3) (Kriegler)

Key results:

- Staged accession can still achieve stringent stabilization levels even if the target is relaxed.
- Early moving attractive for those countries that already have ambitious reference policy (e.g. EU)
- Leakage effects during a period of differentiated action is limited
- Latecomers benefit only in the near term, but have higher long term costs due to carbon lock-ins. In the aggregate, total 21st century costs are not significantly lower (at 5% discount rate).

AMPERE WP 4: Model Diagnostics – Key Results (Kriegler)

Many models exhibit distinct fingerprint:

- strong abatement response + strong reliance on CI + strong transformation of energy system
- limited abatement response + limited reliance on CI + limited transformation of energy system

Useful model classification to explain differences in model results (e.g. on mitigation costs) may be established

Solidifying and testing the preliminary model classification in applications needed

Aim: Standardized diagnostic experiments that can be run by a large class of energy-economy and integrated assessment models (could be a community activity)

LIMITS in a nutshell (Tavoni)

Low climate IMPact scenarios and the requirements for Tight emission control Strategies

LIMITS is a research programme funded by the European Commissions whose main objective is to provide an assessment of the emissions reductions strategies at the level of the world and the major global economies, and to assess their implementation in terms of:

1. Defining the **feasibility space of 2C scenarios** and the associated emission reduction pathways according to different policy architectures (**Durban Action Scenarios**) in 2020 and 2030 and different **burden sharing schemes**.
2. Assessing the **investment** requirements to implement these transformation pathways **and the financing** mechanisms such that these resources can be best raised and allocated.
3. Quantifying the changes in the **energy infrastructure and land use** which major economies would need to implement to attain stringent climate policies, and assessing the feasibility and risks of such changes.
4. Evaluating the linkages of climate policies with other pressing social and environmental issues such as **energy security, air pollution and economic development**.

Team: FEEM (coordinator), PIK, IIASA, Univ. Utrecht, ERI-NDRC, LSE, JRC-IES, CEU, IIM, PNNL, NIES

LIMITS main insights (WP 1-2)

- Global time-averaged economic costs of the Durban Action scenarios are limited across models, and are largely unaffected by the stringency of 2020 pledges. By contrast, the economic impact of delaying action beyond 2030 is much stronger on transitional costs.
- The main significance of short term action in the period 2010-2030 lies in preparing the ground for steep emissions reductions thereafter by inducing global emissions to peak and decline.
- The biggest challenge for achieving 2C policies will be the distributional impacts on the major economies. Without transfers across regions, OECD will have costs lower than average, DCs higher, and Energy exporters significantly higher.
- Allocation of emissions allowances according to a per capita scheme from 2050 onwards would only partly alleviate the distributional tensions. All burden sharing schemes would require large carbon markets and significant financial flows.
- A considerable upscaling of investments into low-carbon energy and energy efficiency is needed, reaching approximately \$45 trillion (range: \$30-75 trillion) cumulative between 2010 and 2050, or about \$1.1 trillion annually.
- The annual additional capacity deployment intensity (expressed in GW/yr) for solar and wind energy until 2030 needs to be around that recently observed for coal-based power plants, and will have to be several times higher in the period 2030-2050.
- Climate policies are likely to lead to significantly lower global energy trade and reduce energy imports of major economies, decrease the rate of resource depletion, and increase the diversity of energy systems, particularly in the especially vulnerable transportation sector. China, India and the EU will derive particularly strong benefits from climate policies, whereas the US may forego some opportunities to export fossil fuels in the 2nd half of the century.

Common Frame for EMF 24-29

- Impacts of advanced technology assumptions on efficacy of policies
- Impacts of alternative policy architectures on value of advanced energy technologies
- Five Parallel Studies
 - EMF 24: US (Heavy Focus on RPS, CES, etc.)
 - EMF 27: Global
 - EMF 28: EU (Built around EU Road Map)
 - EMF 28i: EU Infrastructure
 - EMF 29: International Trade

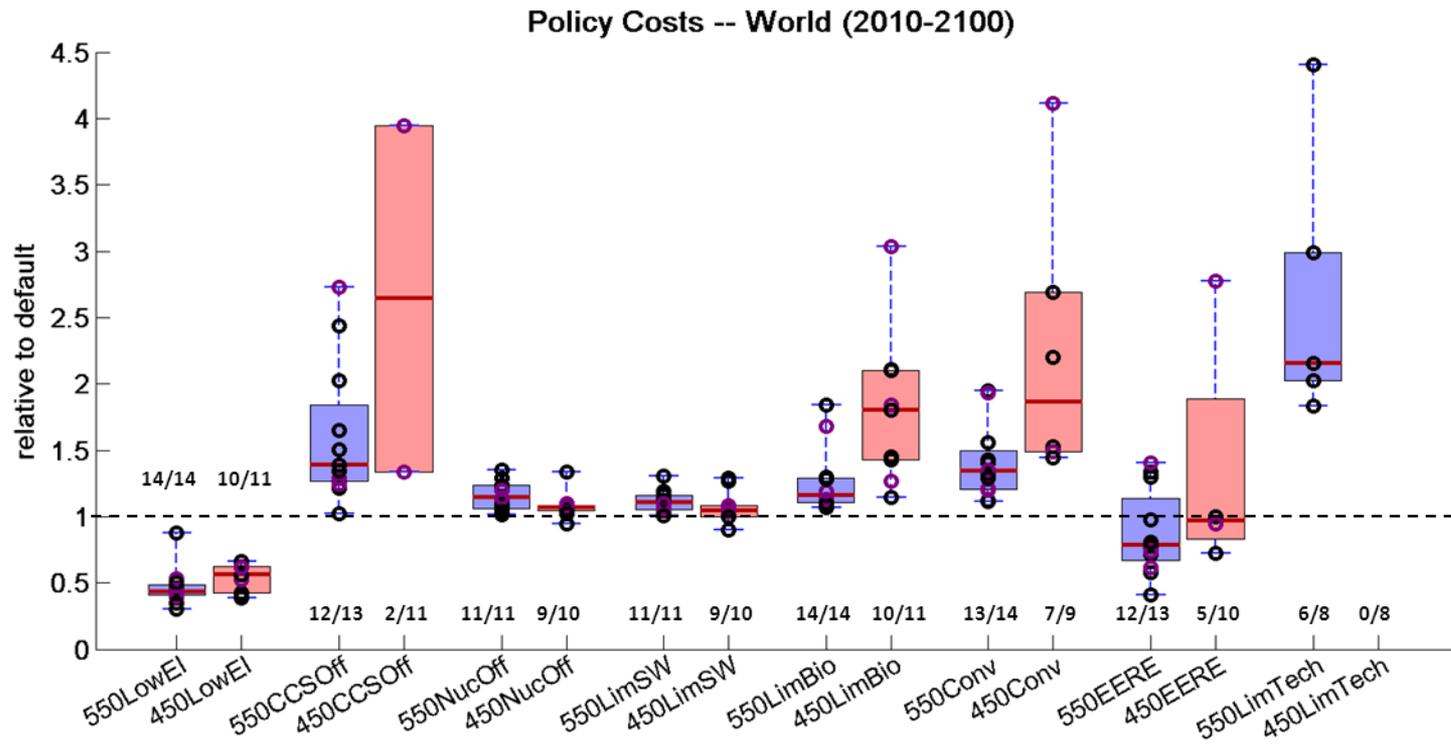
Scenario Space of the EMF27 Study (Kriegler, et al.)

| Policy Dimension | Technology Dimension | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Baseline | Base FullTech | Base LowEI | | Base NucOff | Base LimSW | Base LimBio | Base Conv | Base EERE | Base LimTech |
| 450 CO ₂ e | 450 FullTech | 450 LowEI | 450 NoCCS | 450 NucOff | 450 LimSW | 450 LimBio | 450 Conv | 450 EERE | 450 LimTech |
| 550 CO ₂ e | 550 FullTech | 550 LowEI | 550 NoCCS | 550 NucOff | 550 LimSW | 550 LimBio | 550 Conv | 550 EERE | 550 LimTech |
| Modified G8 scenario | G8 FullTech | | | | | | | G8 EERE | |
| Fragmented Policy | FP FullTech | | | | | | | FP EERE | |

Definition of technology variations

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| FullTech | include all technologies represented in models, reference energy intensity improvements |
| LowEI | low energy intensity: 20-30% lower final energy demand in 2050 and 35-45% in 2100 compared to the reference case |
| NoCCS | carbon capture and storage excluded from technology portfolio in all sectors |
| NucOff | phase out of nuclear energy with no new nuclear power plants built beyond those under construction; existing plants operated until end of their technical lifetime |
| LimSW | share of electricity production from intermittent solar and wind technologies (wind, solar PV and CSP) limited to 20% |
| LimBio | global primary bio-energy supply – including purpose grown crops, residues and municipal solid waste, but excluding traditional biomass –limited to 100 EJ/yr |
| Conv | Combined LimSW & LimBio |
| EERE | Combined LowEI & NoCCS & NucOff |
| LimTech | Combined LowEI & NoCCS & NucOff & LimSW & LimBio |

Technology values measured in terms of mitigation costs relative to the default technologies (AllTech) case



Structure of EMF 27 Special Issue (in Climatic Change)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|--|
| Overview of Overviews (Kriegler, Weyant) | | | |
| Policy Overview (Kriegler, Blanford, Tavoni) | | Technology Overview (Krey, Luderer, Clarke) | |
| <u>Resources</u> (McCollum, Kitous, Riahi, Calvin, Henri, Bauer, Kurosawa) | <u>Renewables</u> (Krey, Luderer, Calvin, Masui, Merrick, Pietzcker, van Vliet, van Vliet) | <u>Bioenergy (2)</u> (Rose, Popp, Kriegler) <u>Nuclear Energy</u> (Kim, Wada, Kurosawa, Roberts) | <u>Energy Efficiency</u> (Sugiyama, Kanudia, Wada, Akashi, Lin, Weyant, Davidian) |
| Non-CO2 Forcing (Richels, Smith, Rose) | | | |
| Individual Modeling Team Papers (18) | | | |

Overview of EMF 24 US Scenarios (Clarke, Fawcett)

| Technology Dimension | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------------------------|-------|-------|
| | High (Default) | Single Technology Sensitivities | | | | Combined Sensitivities | | Low |
| End Use Technology | High | Low | High | High | High | High | Low | Low |
| CCS | High | High | Low | High | High | Low | High | Low |
| Nuclear energy | High | High | High | Low | High | Low | High | Low |
| Wind & Solar | High | High | High | High | Low | High | Low | Low |
| Bioenergy | High | High | High | High | Low | High | Low | Low |
| Policy Dimension | | | | | | | | |
| Baseline | US13F | US15F | US17F | US19F | US02F | US01F | US21F | US23F |
| Cap & Trade 50% | US14F | US16F | US18F | US20F | US04F | US03F | US22F | US24F |
| Electricity (Coal + RPS) + Transport | | | | | US06F | US05F | | |
| Electricity (Coal + RPS) + Transport + 50% Cap & Trade | | | | | US08F | US07F | | |
| Transport | | | | | US10F | US09F | | |
| Electricity (Coal + RPS) | | | | | US12F | US11F | | |
| Electricity (Coal + CES) | | | | | US28F | US27F | | |
| Cap & Trade 0% | | | | | US30F | US29F | | |
| Cap & Trade 10% | | | | | US32F | US31F | | |
| Cap & Trade 20% | | | | | US34F | US33F | | |
| Cap & Trade 30% | | | | | US36F | US35F | | |
| Cap & Trade 40% | | | | | US38F | US37F | | |
| Cap & Trade 60% | | | | | US40F | US39F | | |
| Cap & Trade 70% | | | | | US42F | US41F | | |
| Cap & Trade 80% | | | | | US26F | US25F | | |

LEGEND

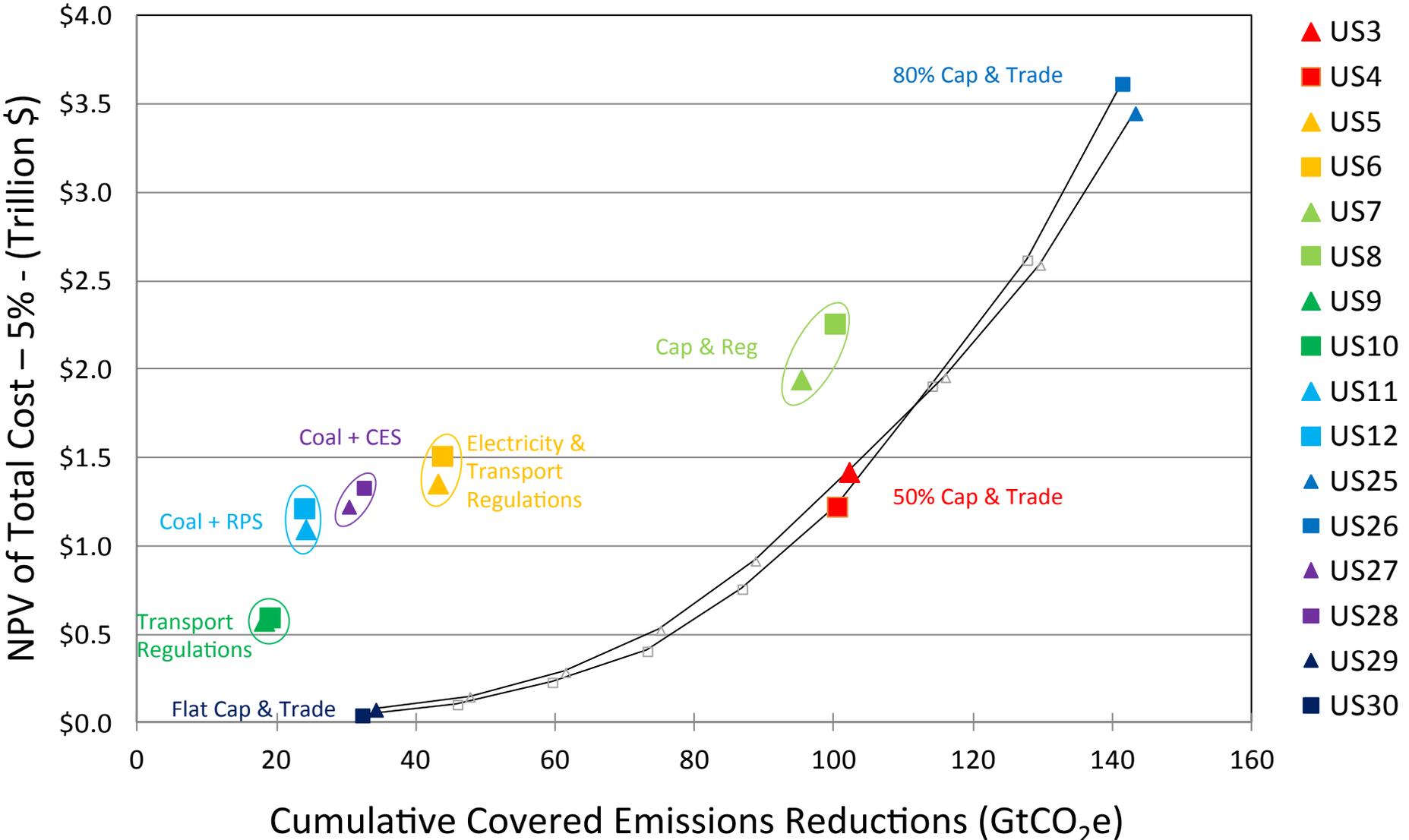
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| Required Common Scenarios |
| Required Policy Scenarios |
| Required Technology Scenarios |
| Optional Scenarios |

Net Present Value of Cumulative Cost vs. Cumulative Abatement

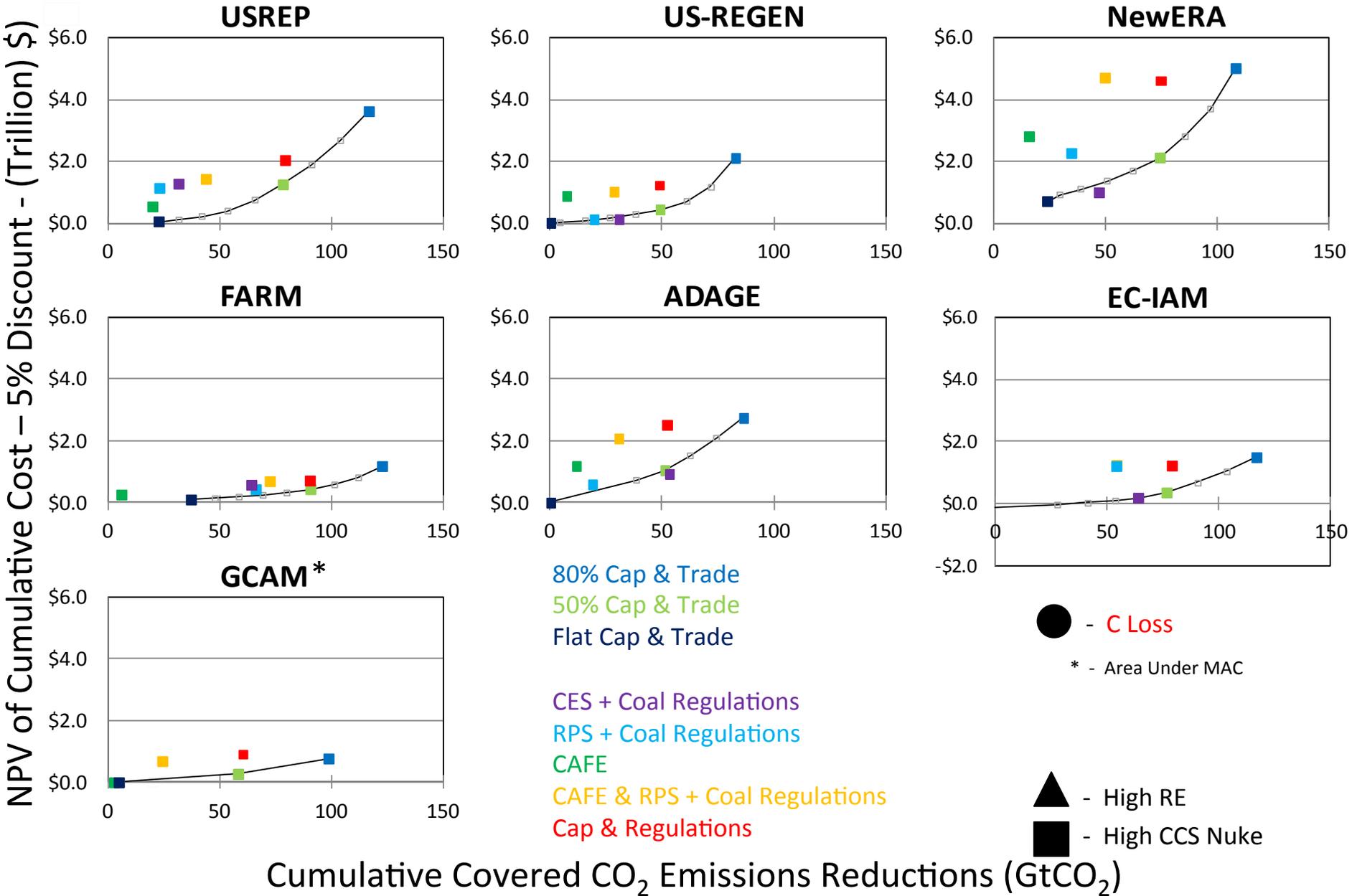
● - C Loss

▲ - High RE

■ - High CCS Nuke



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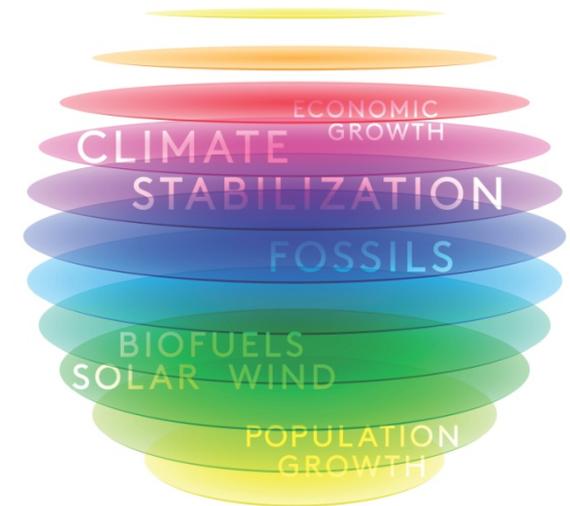


Roadmaps towards Sustainable Energy futures (RoSE) Project (Kriegler)

- A collaborative research project with modeling teams from **the EU (PIK & FEEM), the USA (PNNL), and China (ERI, Tsinghua)**. Coordinated by PIK.
- First MIP to systematically explore the implications of **economic growth, population and fossil fuel scarcity** for climate policy

For more information: www.rose-project.org

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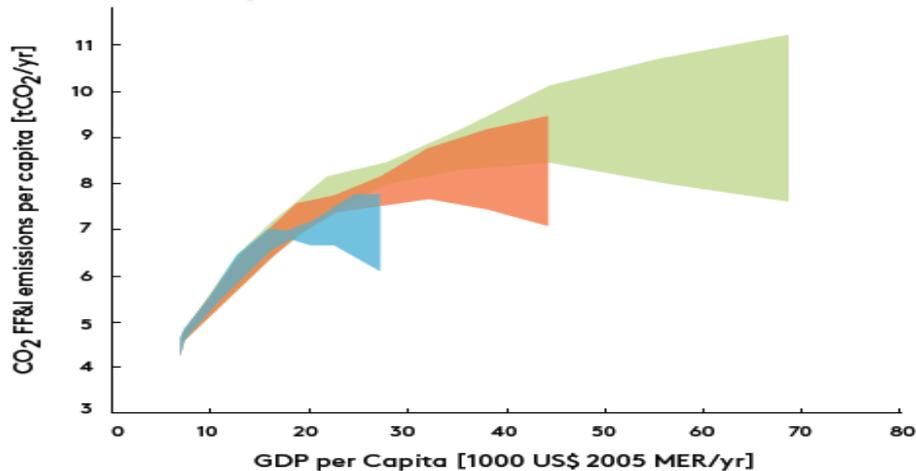


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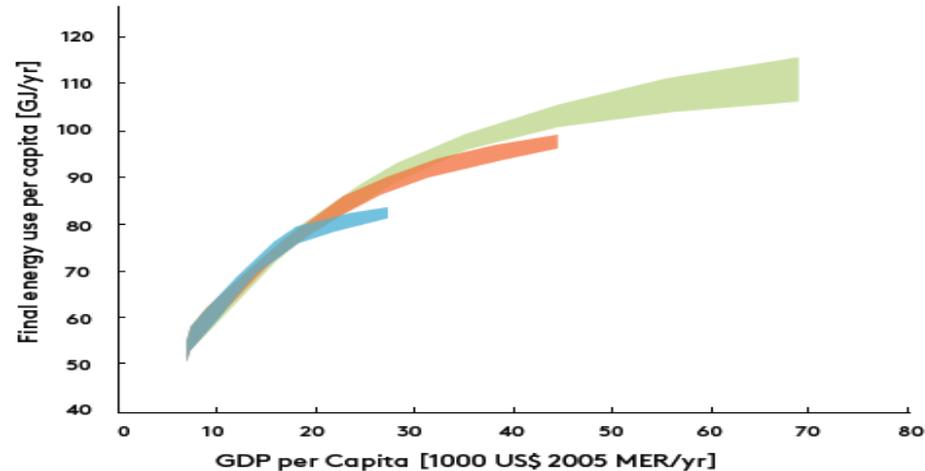
RoSE Study Design & Key Results (1)

In the absence of climate policy, atmospheric GHG concentrations continue to rise for a wide range of assumptions about economic growth and fossil fuel availability

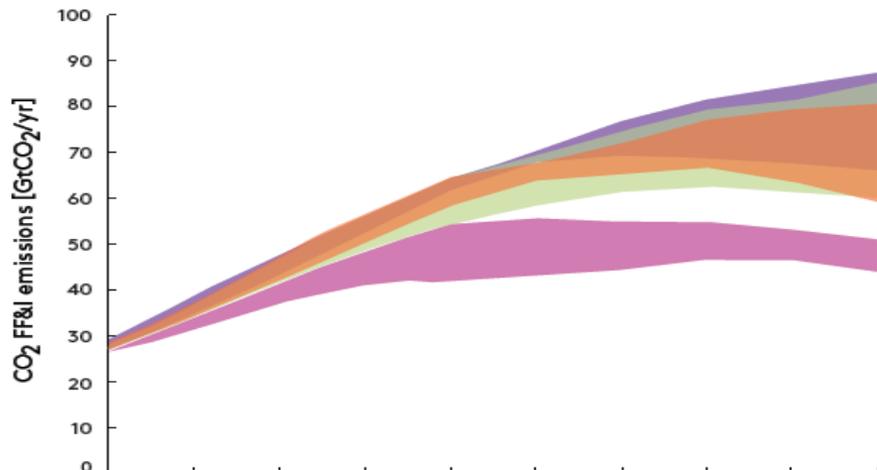
(b) Emissions from FF&I



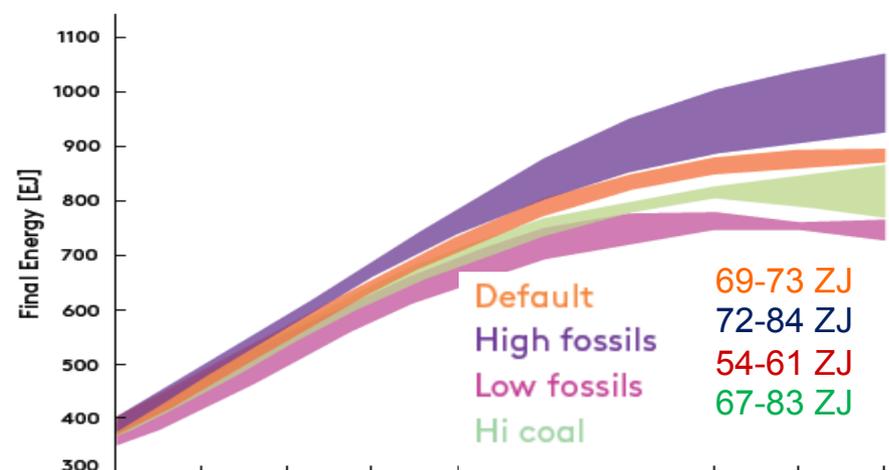
(d) Final energy consumption per capita



(c) CO₂ emissions from FF&I



(d) Final energy use



Low-Carbon Asia Research Project

- **Objective:** Develop a methodology to evaluate mid to long term environmental policy options and analyze strategies and roadmaps by applying it toward low-carbon society in Asia
- **Two approaches:** One is based on a global target with assumptions of society in 2050, and the other is based on the country's target based on the country's situation
- **Common/different features:** There are several common features among the scenarios, whereas some other features vary across scenarios. The variations are either due to region or country specific characteristics (for example, domestic energy resource base and present level of technological advancement) or due to certain scenario specific assumptions made by the modeling team.

Messages from the LCS Scenario Analysis (Kainuma-NIES)

- In order to achieve the 2 degrees C target, it is an urgent task to develop low carbon societies in Asia, as Asian countries account for almost half the global population and GHG emissions by 2050 in the business as usual (BAU) scenarios. It is thus necessary to identify leapfrog development pathways to enable a shift to low carbon emissions and low-resource consumption while simultaneously improves daily life through economic growth.
- The following two points are the necessary and specific characteristics of this region's scenarios. They are: i) diversity in Asia, ii) multiple transitions (e.g. demographic, income, technological, infrastructures, institutional) which Asian countries will have to go through. Based on these view points, the link of sustainable development and low carbon transition is feasible and essential.
- Considered from the size of the anticipated emissions reductions, this problem is not a matter of perturbing existing society which has been the assumption of most environmental plans to date. Rather it is an issue where no solution will be found unless we endogenize the entire social and economic frame and set a planning horizon of several decades or more. This issue is a good chance to reexamine and re-enhance earlier environment research methods and to contribute to realize low carbon societies.

ALPS Research Questions (Wada – RITE)

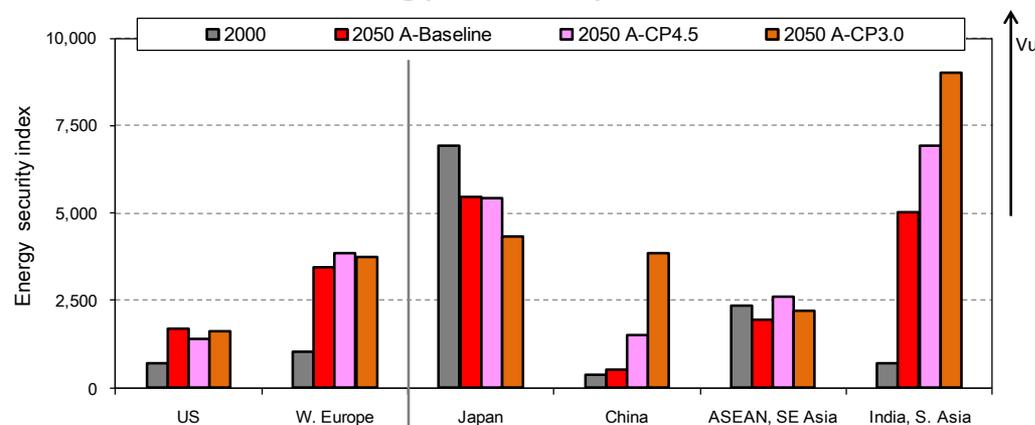
- ALPS project: The ALPS (**AL**ternative **P**athways toward **S**ustainable development and climate stabilization) was 5 year project from 2007 to 2012, carried out by RITE with more than 80 experts are involved from a wide variety of areas.
- The main objectives of this project are;
 1. to propose mitigation measures in line with sustainable development for stabilizing GHG concentrations, based on our original emission scenarios
 2. to provide indicators of sustainable development regarding water resource, food access, poverty, energy security and biodiversity for quantitative assessment
 3. to explore policy implications for a better balance among sustainable development, mitigation and adaptation

Reference: K. Akimoto, K. Wada, F. Sano, A. Hayashi, T. Homma, J. Oda, M. Nagashima, K. Tokushige, T. Tomoda, Consistent assessments of pathways toward sustainable development and climate stabilization Natural Resources Forum, Vol.36, No.4, pp.231-244, November 2012.

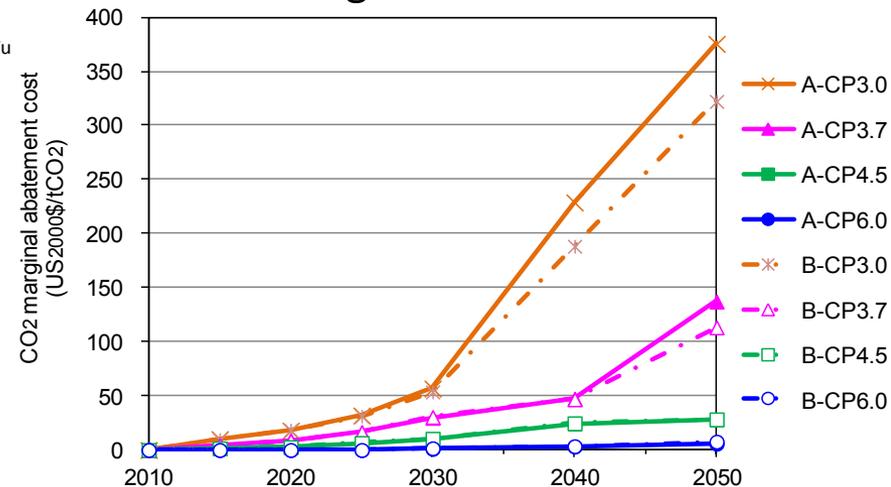
ALPS - Key Messages

- We need to tackle climate challenges by mitigating GHG emissions. Imposing excessive emission-reduction requirements, however, may make matters worse from sustainable development standpoint.
- Some indicators, such as poverty and food security, are strongly affected by socioeconomic changes rather than climate change impacts, although impacts vary widely among regions and countries.
- Not only putting prices on carbon but also removing technology diffusion barriers is a key to make climate policy feasible.
- Balancing between climate target and many other sustainable development is necessary.

Energy Security Index



CO2 Marginal Abatement Cost



Simple Snowmass Rules & Regulations

1. No whining
2. No BS
3. No grand standing
4. Admit your discipline is impotent
5. This is **NOT** all about you

Thank You

Questions & Comments?

The Asia Modeling Exercise

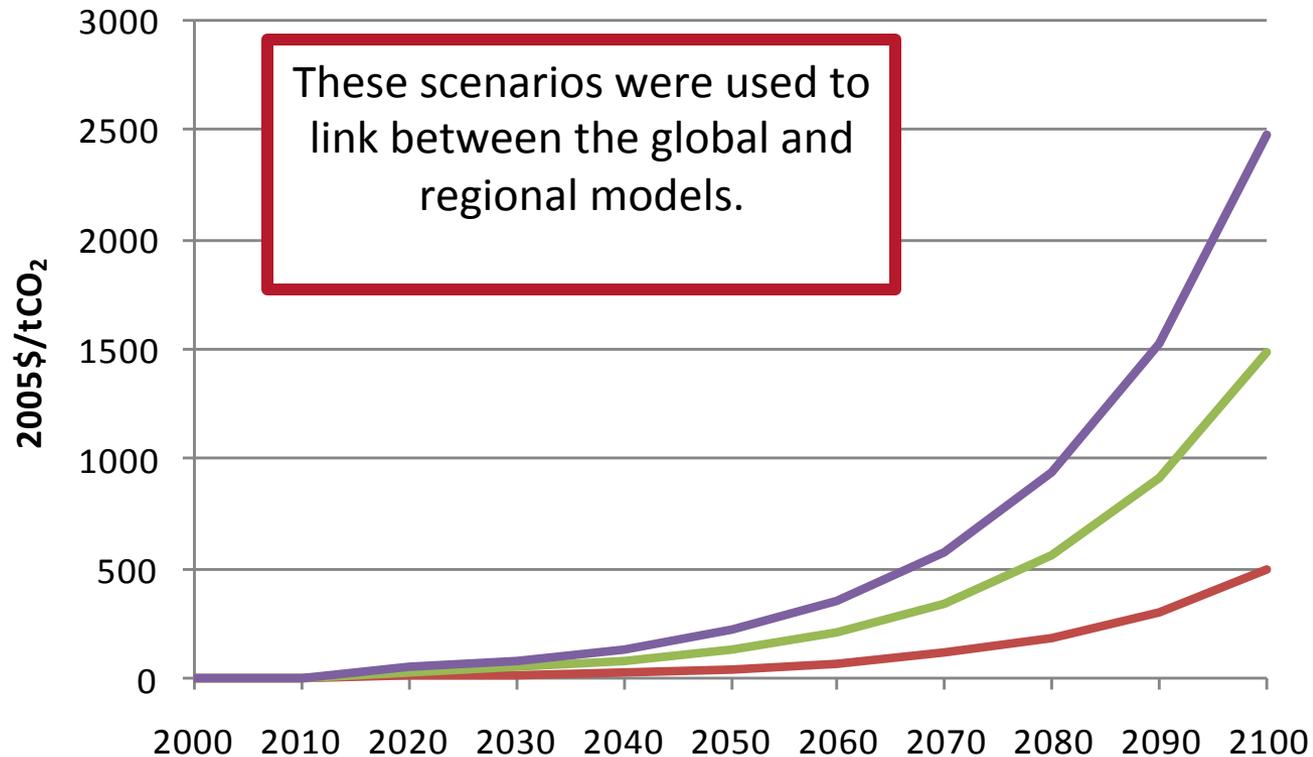
Participants

- **26 Participating Models**

- Australia (GTEM)
- Canada (TIAM-World)
- China (China MARKAL, IAMC, IPAC, PECE),
- EU (GEM-E3, IMAGE, MESSAGE, POLES-IPTS, REMIND, TIMES-VTT, WITCH)
- India (GCAM-IIM)
- Japan (AIM-CGE, AIM-Enduse, DNE21+, GRAPE, MARIA-23)
- Korea (KEI-Linkages)
- Nepal (Nepal MARKAL)
- United States (EPPA, GCAM, iPETS, MERGE, Phoenix)

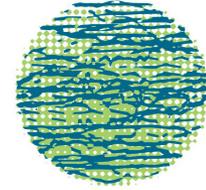
Exercise Design

- Six Core Scenarios:
 - Baseline
 - 3 CO₂ price paths



Exercise Design

- Six Core Scenarios:
 - Baseline
 - 3 CO₂ price paths
 - 2 Stabilization paths (global models only)
 - 550 CO₂-e stabilization (total forcing)
 - 450 CO₂-e overshoot (total forcing)
 - For models without all forcing agents, we provided exogenous paths that they could use.



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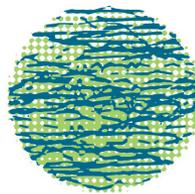
Overview of the AMPERE project (Kriegler)

Assessment of Climate Change Mitigation
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of Mitigation Cost Estimates.

AMPERE is a unique European modeling platform

- Bringing together European groups with 10 global and 6 EU27 energy-economy / integrated assessment models
PIK (PI, WP3&4), IIASA (WP2), U Utrecht (WP1), FEEM (WP6), ICCS (WP5), CIREN, PSI, IPTS, LEPII U Grenoble, Enerdata, IPTS, IER Stuttgart, TU Wien, ERASME
- Plus 5 groups from China (ERI), India (IIM), Japan (NIES, RITE), USA (PNNL)
- Plus 2 climate modeling groups (ClimateAnalytics, Hadley Centre)

| | Inter-temporal GE model | CGE | Partial equilibrium energy system model | | Other (Bottom-up / econometric models) |
|--------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---|--------|--|
| Global | REMIND | IMACLIM | IMAGE / TIMER | DNE21+ | |
| Global | WITCH | WorldScan (EU detail) | TIAM-IER | IPAC | |
| Global | MESSAGE-MACRO | GEM-E3 | POLES | GCAM | |
| Global | MERGE-ETL | | | AIM | |
| EU27 | | GEM-E3 | PRIMES, Green-X TIMES-PanEU | | GAINS, NEMESIS |



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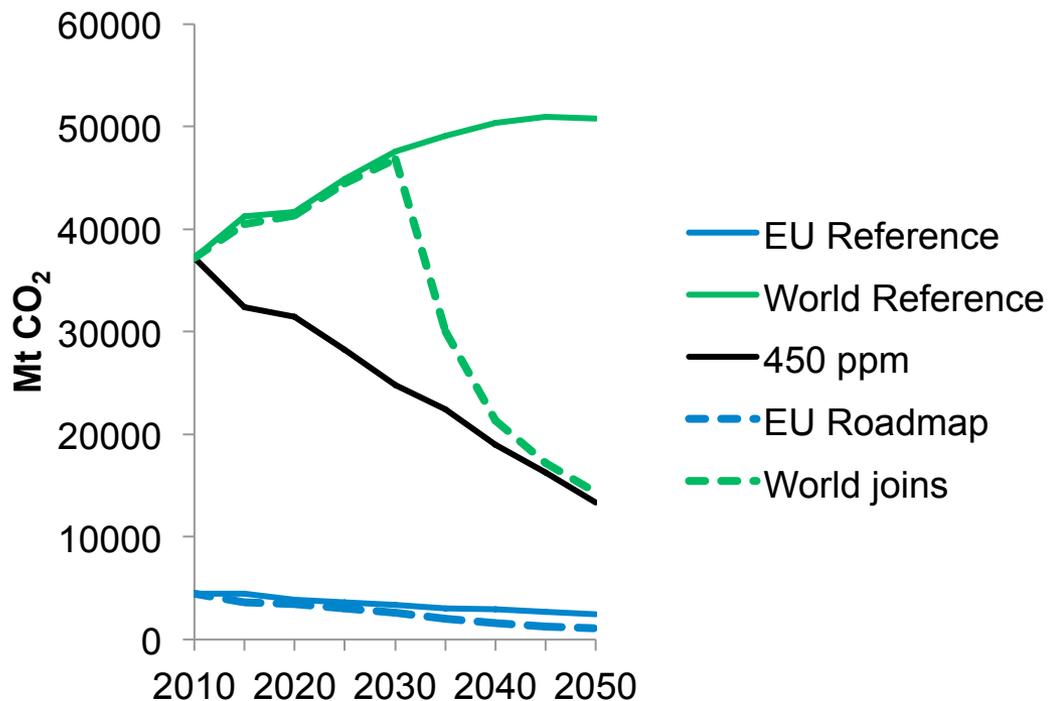
AMPERE - Achievements

- Establishment of a European energy-economy-climate modelling platform
- Large progress on model validation and diagnostics (together with US DOE funded project **PIAMDDI**)
- Multi-model analysis of policy relevant questions
 - Achievability of long term targets for various short term commitments until 2030
 - The consequences for Europe if implementing the roadmap and acting as first mover towards a global climate regime
- Preparation of a Special Issue in the Journal Technological Forecasting and Social Change
- Contribution to the IPCC 5th Assessment Report of Working Group III (in particular Chapters 6 & 7)

AMPERE study on staged accession (WP3)

Study design

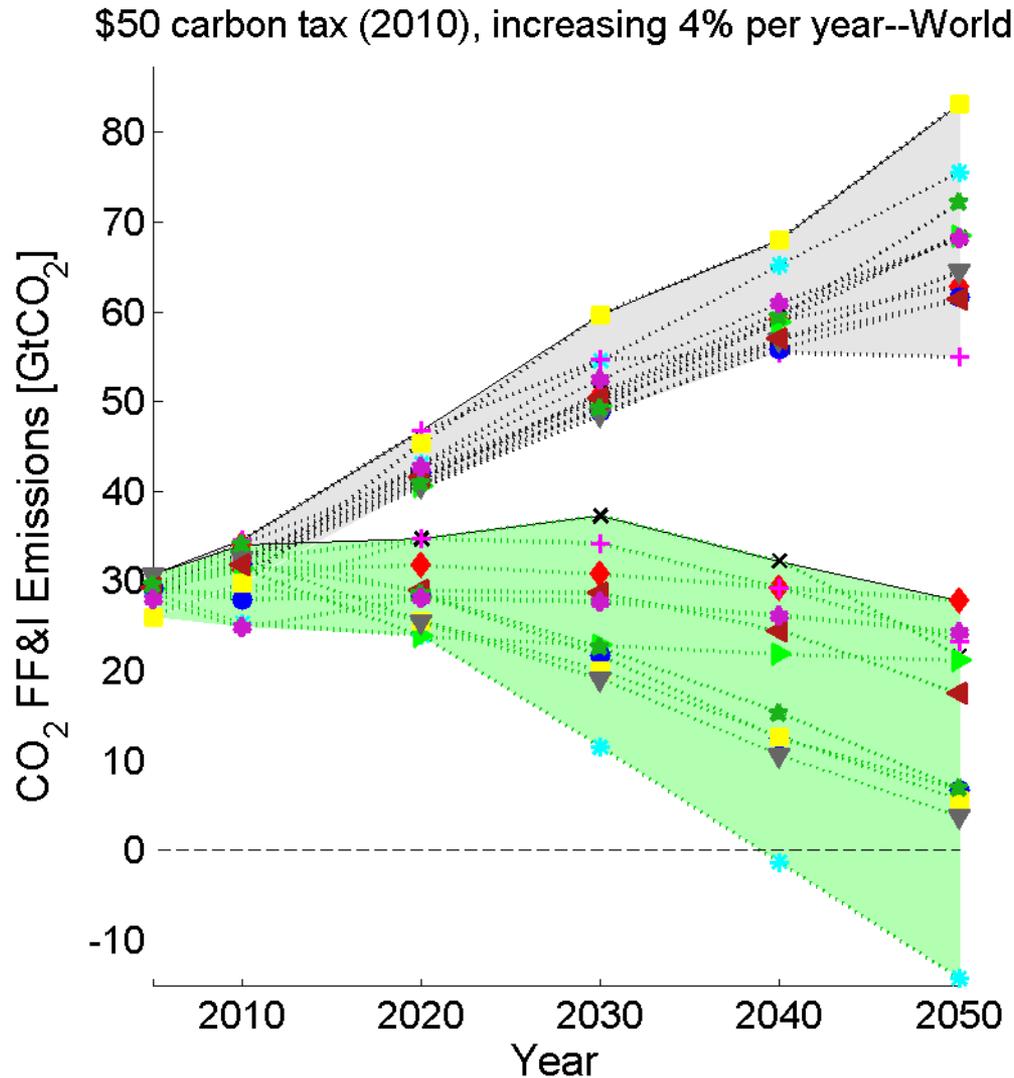
CO₂ emissions (single model example)



Excess emissions until 2050 are not compensated in the 2nd half of the century

| Scenario Type | Global Target | Regions | Carbon Price Until 2030 | Carbon Price After 2030-50 Transition |
|------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------|--|--|
| Reference policy | None | All | Derived from regional targets (where existing) | |
| No-policy baseline | None | All | None | |
| Climate policy benchmark scenarios | 450 ppm | All | Globally harmonized to meet 450 ppm target | |
| | 550 ppm | All | Globally harmonized to meet 550 ppm target | |
| Staged accession scenarios | None | EU (front runner) | EU Roadmap | Globally harmonized price from 450 or 550 ppm scenario |
| | | Other regions | Regional prices from RefPol | |
| | None | EU + China (front runners) | Price from scenario 450 | Globally harmonized price from 450 scenario |
| | | Other regions | Regional prices from RefPol | |
| Reconsideration scenarios | None | EU (front runner) | EU Roadmap | Regional prices from RefPol |
| | | Other regions | Regional prices from RefPol | |
| | None | EU + China (front runners) | Price from scenario 450 | Regional prices from RefPol |
| | | Other regions | Regional prices from RefPol | |

Model Diagnostics – Response to carbon pricing



Diagnosing integrated assessment models of climate policy

Elmar Kriegler, Nils Petermann, Volker Krey, Jana Schwanitz, Gunnar Luderer, Shuichi Ashina, Valentina Bosetti, Jiyong Eom, Alban Kitous, Aurélie Méjean, Leonidas Paroussos, Fuminori Sano, Hal Turton, Charlie Wilson, Detlef Van Vuuren

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PRELIMINARY RESULTS

| Technology Dimension | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| | | Default | Single technologies changed | | | | Conventional vs. renewable | | |
| Energy intensity (energy demand) | | Ref | Low | Ref | Ref | Ref | Ref | Ref | Low |
| CCS | | On | On | Off | On | On | On | On | Off |
| Nuclear energy | | On | On | On | Off | On | On | On | Off |
| Wind & solar | | Adv | Adv | Adv | Adv | Cons | Adv | Cons | Adv |
| Bioenergy potential | | High | High | High | High | High | Low | Low | High |
| Policy Dimension | | | | | | | | | |
| Long term scenarios: | | | | | | | | | |
| Baseline | | AM2S1 | AM2S4 | | AM2S5 | AM2S6 | AM2S7 | AM2S8 | AM2S9 |
| 450 CO2e | | AM2S2 | AM2S28 | AM2S40 | AM2S29 | AM2S30 | AM2S31 | AM2S32 | AM2S33 |
| 550 CO2e | | AM2S3 | AM2S34 | AM2S41 | AM2S35 | AM2S36 | AM2S37 | AM2S38 | AM2S39 |
| Myopic scenarios: | | | | | | | | | |
| Short term target | Long term target | | | | | | | | |
| High/2030 | 450 CO2e | AM2S10 | AM2S11 | AM2S12 | AM2S13 | AM2S14 | AM2S15 | AM2S16 | AM2S17 |
| Low/2030 | 450 CO2e | AM2S18 | AM2S19 | AM2S20 | AM2S21 | AM2S22 | AM2S23 | AM2S24 | AM2S25 |
| High/2030 | 550 CO2e | AM2S26 | | | | | | | |
| Low/2030 | 550 CO2e | AM2S27 | | | | | | | |

LIMITS

Project description

Low climate IMpact scenarios and the Implications of required
Tight emission control Strategies



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LIMITS scenario protocol (WP 1-2)

| Scenario class | Scenario Name | Scenario Type | Near-term Target / Fragmented Action | Fragmented Action until | Long-term Target | Burden sharing |
|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| No policy baseline | Base | Baseline | None | N/A | None | none |
| Fragmented action | RefPol | Reference | Lenient | 2100 | None | none |
| | StrPol | Reference | Stringent | 2100 | None | none |
| Immediate action | 450 | Benchmark | None | N/A | 450 ppm | Tax |
| | 500 | Benchmark | None | N/A | 500 ppm | Tax |
| Delayed action | RefPol-450 | Climate Policy | Lenient | 2020 | 450 ppm | Tax |
| | StrPol-450 | Climate Policy | Stringent | 2020 | 450 ppm | Tax |
| | RefPol-500 | Climate Policy | Lenient | 2020 | 500 ppm | Tax |
| | StrPol-500 | Climate Policy | Stringent | 2020 | 500 ppm | Tax |
| | RefPol2030-500 | Climate Policy | Lenient | 2030 | 500 ppm | Tax |
| Delayed action, burden sharing | RefPol-450-PC | Climate Policy | Lenient | 2020 | 450 ppm | Per capita convergence |
| | RefPol-450-EE | Climate Policy | Lenient | 2020 | 450 ppm | Equal effort |

LIMITS scenario protocol (WP 4)

| Scenario group | | Baseline, no carbon constraints | Mitigation scenario, 2.8 W/m ² in 2100 |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| WP1 (existing scenarios) | | LIMITS1 | LIMITS6 |
| Energy security scenarios (limits on imports) | | LIMITS1_ES | LIMITS6_ES |
| Air pollution Scenarios | CLE (current legislation) | LIMITS1_APCLE | LIMITS6_APCLE |
| | FLE (Fixed legislation) | LIMITS1_APFLE | LIMITS6_APFLE |
| | SLE (stringent legislation) | LIMITS1_APSLE | LIMITS6_APSLE |

Assumptions of society in 2050 in long-term LCS scenarios

Global, Asia, China and India scenarios have been developed

| | Advanced Society Scenario (ADV) | Conventional Society Scenario (CNV) |
|---------------------------|---|--|
| Summary | Accept the new social system, institution, technologies etc. positively and proactively. | Discreet about the new social system, institution, technologies etc., and worry about their transition cost. |
| Economy | Annual growth rate from 2005-2050: 3.27%/year (Global) and 4.16%/year (Asia) | Annual growth rate from 2005-2050: 2.24%/year (Global) and 2.98%/year (Asia) |
| Population | Total population in 2050: 9.3 billion persons in the World, and 4.6 billion persons in Asia | |
| Education | Education system will be improved positively. Education period: from 4-12 years in 2005 to 11-14 years in 2050 | Education system will be improved normally. Education period: from 4-12 years in 2005 to 8-13 years in 2050 |
| How to use time | Time for working and improving career will be longer. | Time for staying with family or friends will be linger. |
| Labor | 0% of unemployment rate in 2075 | Fixed unemployment rate to 2009 level |
| Government | Efficiency will Improved immediately. | Efficiency will be improved gradually. |
| International Cooperation | Reduction of trade barriers and FDI risks | Gradual improvement in collaborative relationships among Asian countries. |
| Innovation | High | Medium |
| Transportation | Increase of demand due to high economic growth | Gradual increase of demand |
| Land use | More speedy and more efficient land use change | Moderate and careful land use change |

Summary of LCS scenarios

Global, Asia, China, India, Thailand, Indonesia, Malaysia, Vietnam, Cambodia and Korea scenarios have been developed

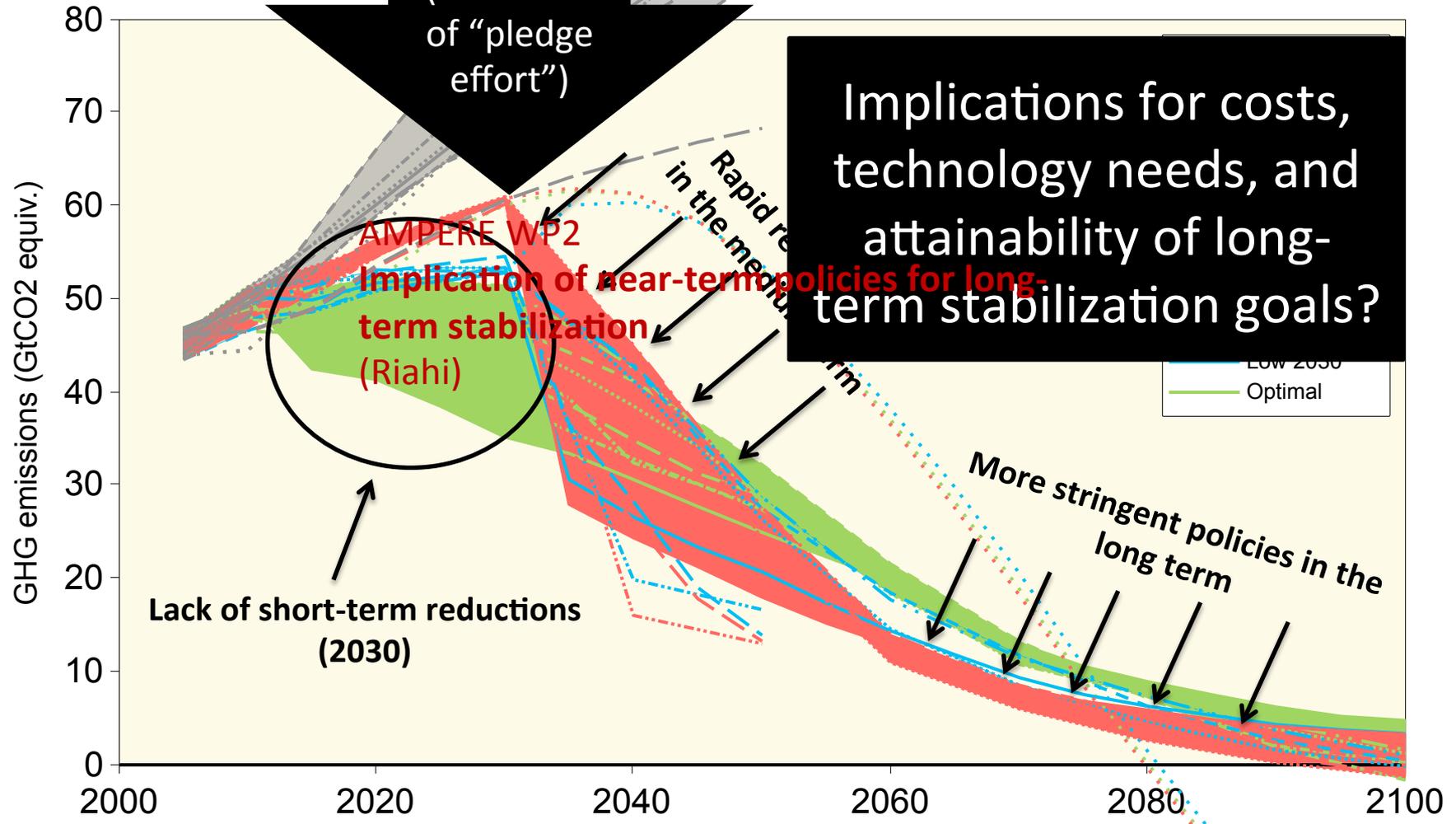
| LCS scenario type | Measure type | Energy supply side | Energy demand side |
|--------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Global and country scenarios | Common features | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Renewable energies – solar, wind, biomass Conversion efficiency improvement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy efficient technologies and other measures in end-use sectors |
| | Features varying across regions and scenarios | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extent of nuclear power Extent of CCS deployment Extent of biomass and biofuels | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relative potential of demand side measures to total carbon reduction Behavioural changes |
| Local and city level scenarios | Common features | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Renewable energies – both centralized and decentralized options | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy efficient technologies in residential, commercial industry and transport sectors Urban public transport systems Behavioural changes toward eco-friendly lifestyle |
| | Features varying across regions and scenarios | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mix of renewable energy sources Extent of biomass and biofuels | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Urban design/ compact city Mode-mix for urban transportation Reforestation |

World GHG emissions

Focus on 2030

(extension of "pledge effort")

Implications for costs, technology needs, and attainability of long-term stabilization goals?



RoSE – Key Results (2)

- The later strong global action is enacted, the steeper midterm emissions reductions requirements for reaching the 2°C target

