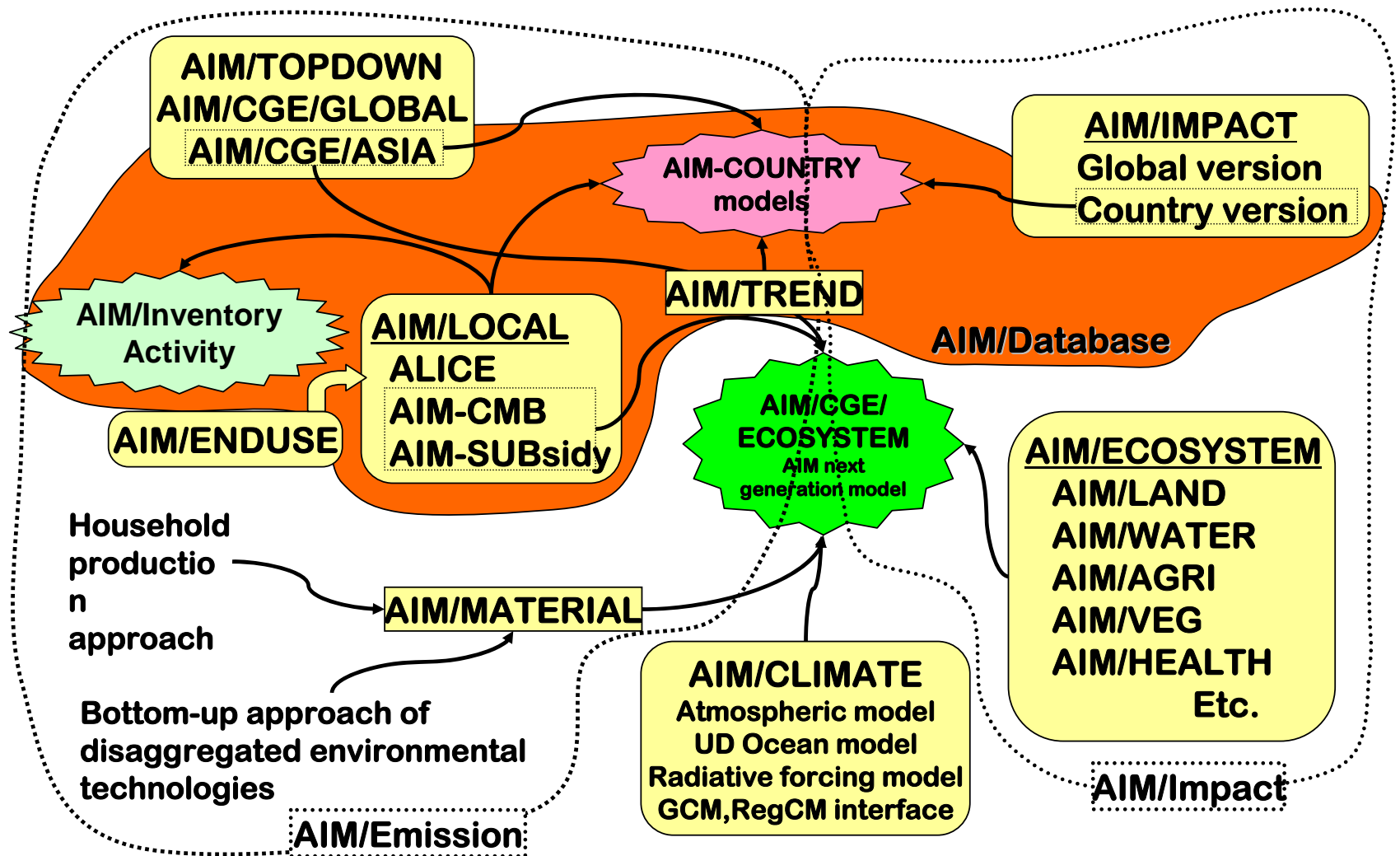


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# **Recent Development of AIM Models and Activities**

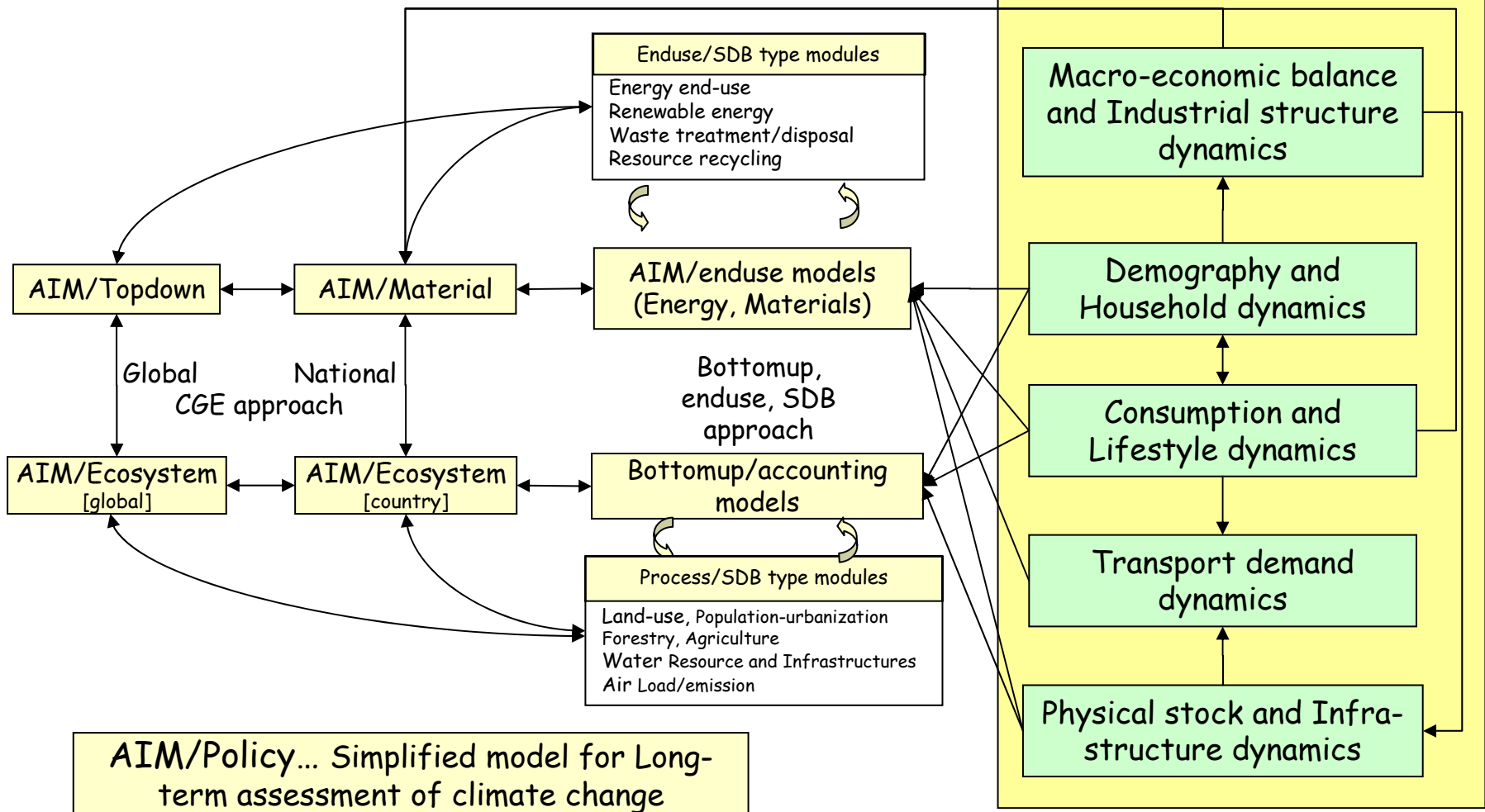
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# Roadmap of the AIM family

# AIM model family



**AIM: Asia-Pacific Integrated Model**

# Outline of AIM model presentation at the workshop

- Impact modeling [Session II & III]
- Emission inventory and modeling [Session IV, V & VII]
- AIM/Enduse[Global] [Session VI]
- APEIS project [Session VIII & IX]
- Low carbon society project [Session X & XI]
- Future direction [Session XII & XIII]

# **Development of AIM Model**

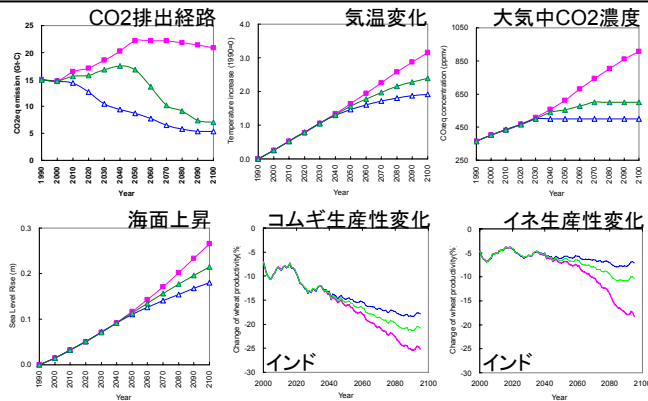
## **Model development**

- Country models & global model
- Climate policy & other environmental policies

## **Model applications**

- EMF: BC, land use, ...
- IPCC: database, new scenario → Morita memorial
- IMCP: technology
- UNEP/GEO4: sustainable development
- Others: GHG stabilization and burden sharing, marginal abatement cost, carbon tax in Japan, ...

## (1) Comprehensive assessment of climate change impact for discussing long-term stabilization target



■ SRES-B2: Business as usual  
 ▲ GHG-500ppmv: 500ppmv cap on total GHG concentrations  
 ▲ GHG-600ppmv: 600ppmv cap on total GHG concentrations  
 ▶ To achieve around 2°C temperature increase in 2100, 550ppmv cap on total GHG constraint is needed

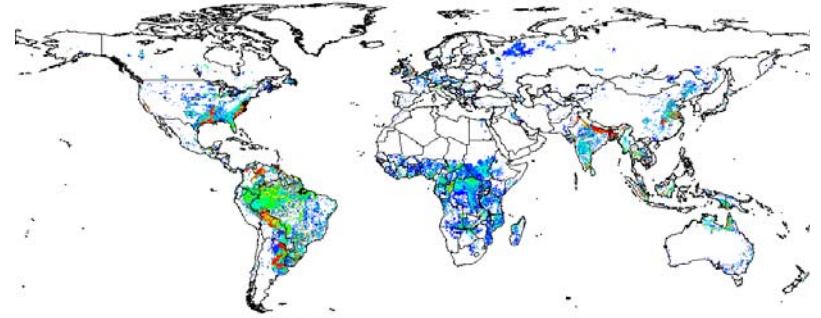
Optimal emission path for achieving 2 degC target and consequent temperature change, SLR and crop impacts.

Application to the discussion of post-2012 framework

(Project S-3-2 and S-4)

Development of AIM/Ecosystem (Project B-52)

## (2) Impact assessment considering effects of extreme climate events



Climate change impact on crop productivity using daily climate scenario with high spatial resolution.

Improvement of impact model

(Project B-12)

## (3) Impact assessment considering interaction between climate change, other environmental problems, and development target.

Three main research activities of AIM impact study

# Global Enduse & Inventory

## Development of Global Enduse model

**Regional scale: 21 Global regions**

**(however, improve data as detail as possible in a national level)**

**Temporal scale: 2000 – 2020 ( plan to extend upto 2050 )**

**Gas classifications: CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O, CFC, HCFC, HFC, PFC, SF<sub>6</sub>**  
**(plan to include SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub>, PM, BC/OC)**

**Sector classifications: Energy industry, Industry, Transport,  
Residential, Commercial, Agriculture, F-gas emission**

## Development of Emission Inventory

- 1) Development of emission factor data of Black Carbon and its emission inventory in 2000 in Asia regions**
- 2) Development of emission inventory in 2000 in China, India, Thailand, Vietnam, Indonesia**
- 3) Development of emission inventory in 2000 in Asia regions and geographical informatization**

# Activities in APEIS

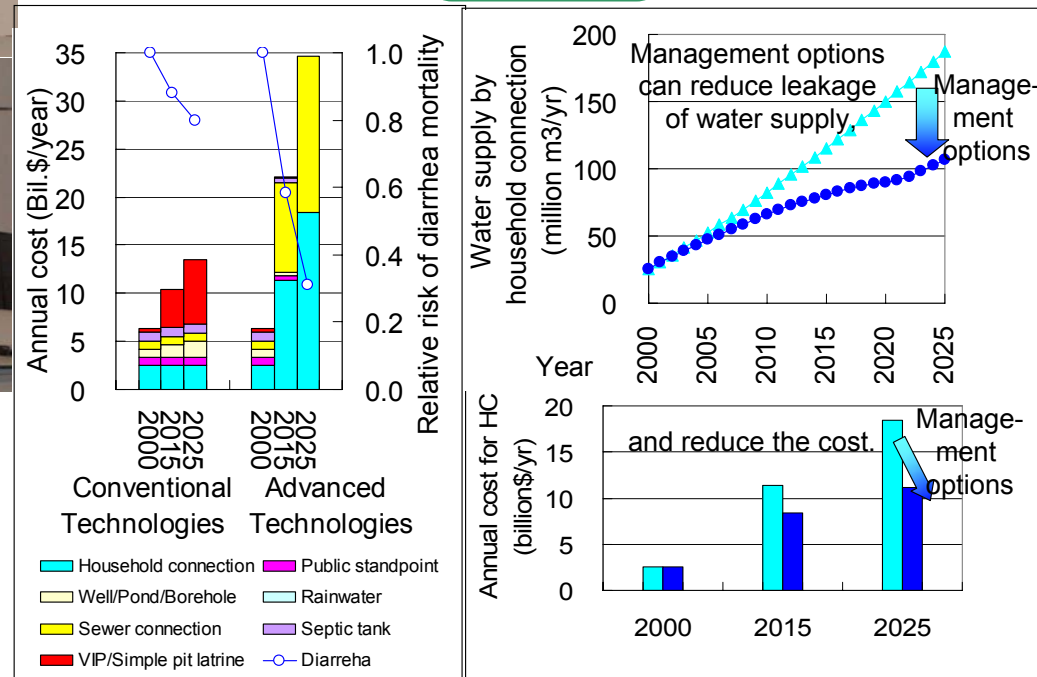
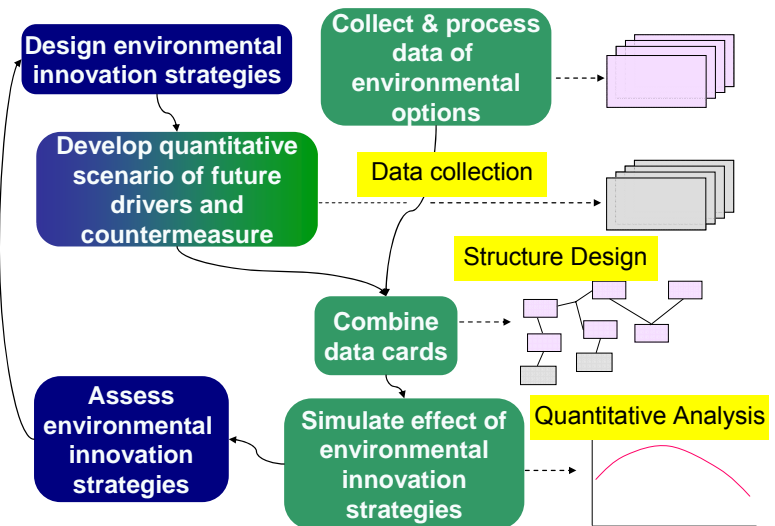
(Session VIII & IX)

CGE model application



AIM/APEIS Training Workshop  
(November, 2005)

## SDB (Strategic DataBase)

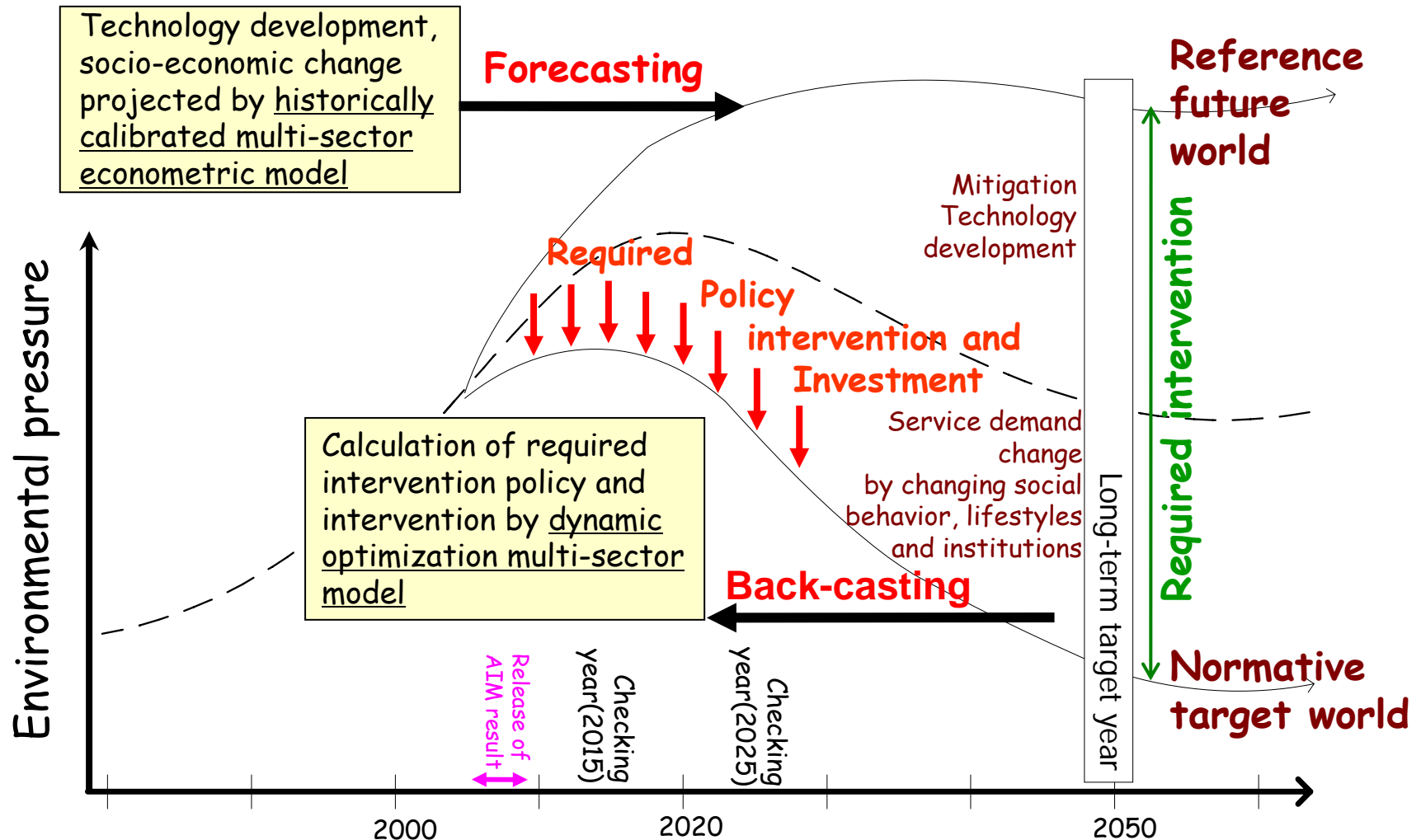


Assessment of Safe Water/Sanitation  
Technologies and Management Options  
- India's case using SDB -



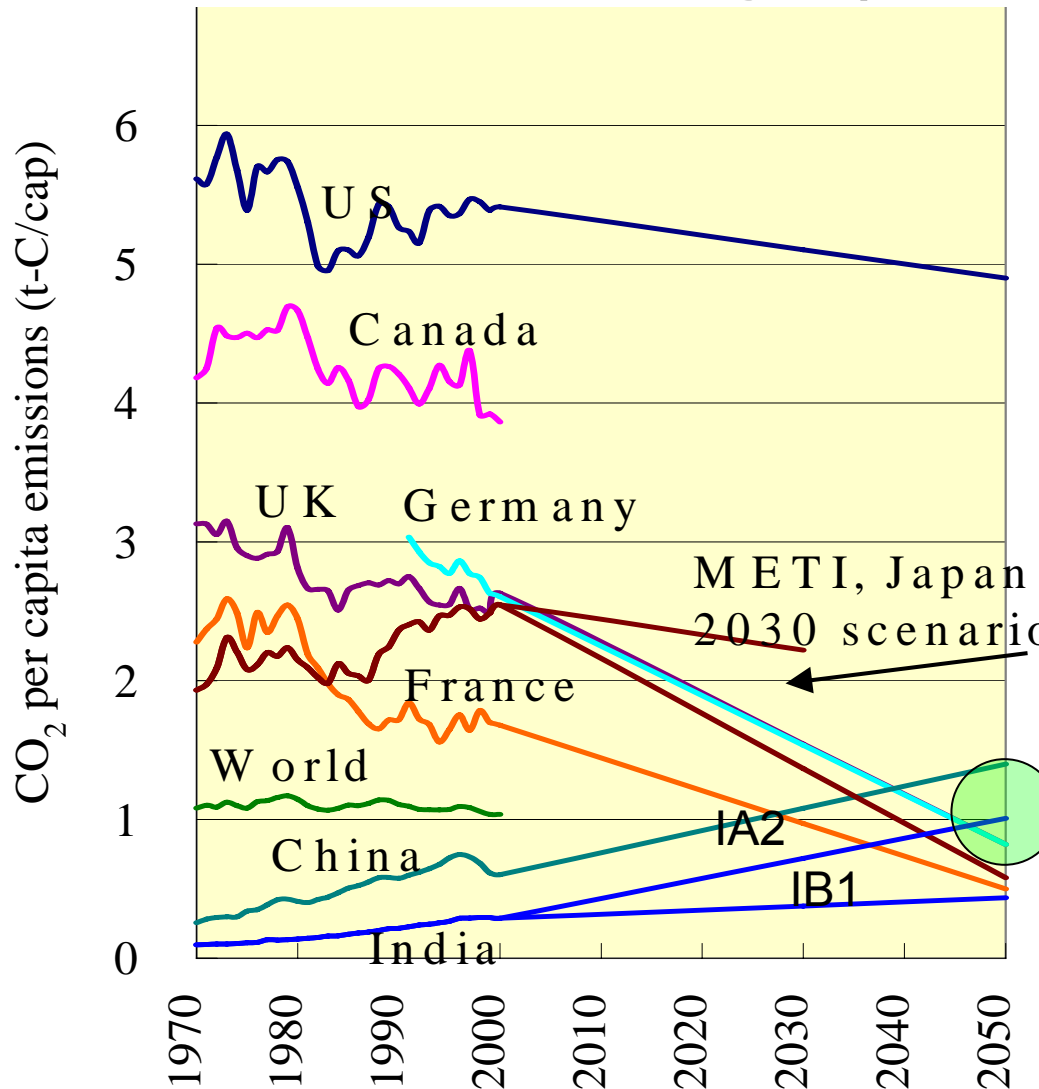
# Research project on Japan Low-carbon society scenario

Back-casting from future target world by the macro-economy and industry structure dynamics model



# Global Challenges Toward Low-Carbon Economy (LCE)

—Focus on Country-Specific Scenario Analysis—



**Current per capita  
CO<sub>2</sub> emissions  
and Target**

**Japan 2050  
scenario**

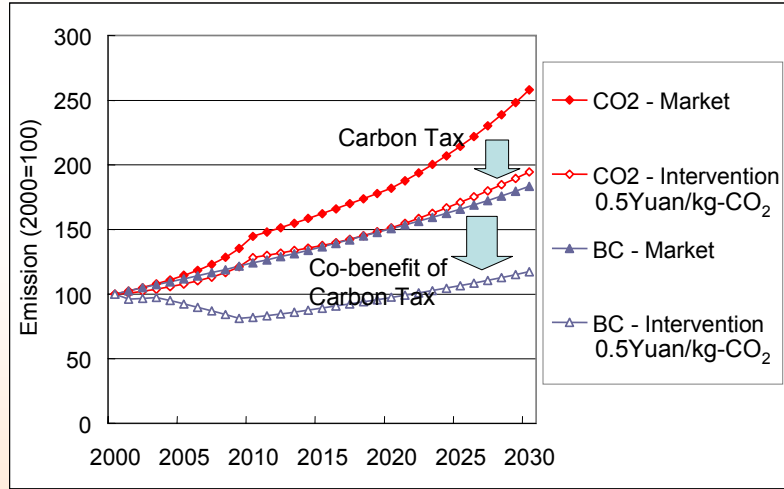
**Target for  
Low Carbon Economy**

# International Cooperation

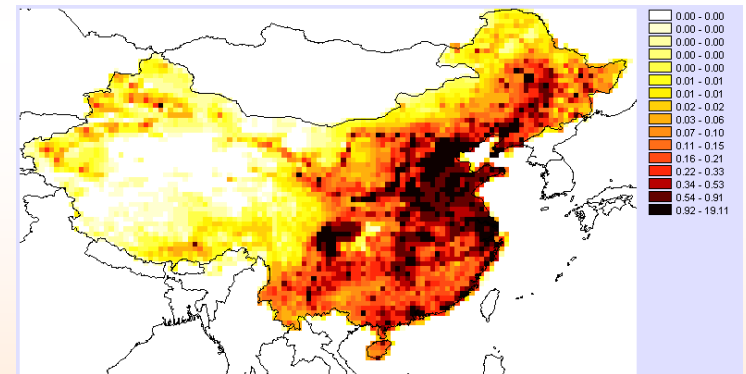
## ◆ EMF 22 (Energy Modeling Forum)

### Preliminary Analysis on BC/OC Model using AIM

Emission profile in China



BC Emission Distribution in China



kt-BC/(0.5Degree)<sup>2</sup>

# Emissions Scenarios Database for the IPCC Fourth Assessment Report

**Scenarios of interest:** New mitigation scenarios since TAR

**Regional scale:** Global, regional and national level analysis

**Temporal scale:** Scenarios with horizons beyond 2030

**Gas classifications:** all anthropogenic GHGs

CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O, CFCs, HCFCs, HFCs, PFCs, SF<sub>6</sub>, CO,  
NMVOC, SO<sub>x</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> and Black Carbon etc

**Sector classifications:** Multi-sector scenarios

Geographical coverage	Data source	Scenarios
Multiregional global scenario	47	236
Single global scenario	13	60
Single & multinational regional scenario	4	18
National scenario	25	104

➡ “Greenhouse Gas Emissions Scenarios Database and Regional Mitigation Analysis”, *CGER Research Report (CGER-D038-2006)*, NIES

# International Cooperation

## ◆ **IMCP (Innovation Modeling Comparison Program)**

**Steering Committee :Imperial College in Cambridge Univ.,  
Tyndall Center in Cambridge Univ.,  
Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK),  
German Institute of Economic Research (DIW)**

**Project period: 2004 (?) ~**

**Target regions: Global level analysis**

**Temporal scale: 2000 - 2100**

**Program: Mitigation scenarios of 550, 500, 450 CO<sub>2</sub>-only ppmv,  
Comparison of with and without induced technology changes,  
4 Key concerns (investment pathway, policy instruments,  
international spillovers, impact of uncertainty)**

**Output: Energy Journal Special Issue**

**Models: WIAGEM, AIM, DEMETER-ICCS, MERGE-ETL, MIND,  
DNE21+, GET-LEF, MESSAGE-MACRO, E3MG, IMACLIM-R,  
FEEM-RICE, ENTICE, IMAGE/TIMER**

# International Cooperation

## ◆ SEF-II (National Performance Assessment and Strategic Environment Framework for Greater Mekong Sub-region)

Steering Committee: ADB / UNEP RRC.AP

Project period: 2003 FEB ~ 2006 MAR

Target regions: 6 Greater Mekong Sub-regions (GMS)

Program: **13 env. issues with Pressure-State-Response method**

Output: **Environmental Performance Assessment reports**

## ◆ CASCADE-MINTS-II (Case study Comparisons And Development of Energy Models for Integrated Technology Systems)

Steering Committee : ECN / National Technical University of Athens

Project period: 2004 FEB ~

Target regions: Europe

Program: **5 packages (Baseline, Renewables, Nuclear, CCS, Trade-offs)**

Output: **A comparison analysis report in each work-package**

Models: MARKAL Western Europe, PRIMES, Prometheus, NEMESIS, POLES, TIMES-EE, PACE, NEWAGE-W, MESSAGE, GMM, DNE21+, AIM

Thank you for your  
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