Introduction to impact/adaptation studies in Japan and recent IPCC-AR5 related activities

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Research activities in FY2011 (1)

Climate Change Research Program (CCRP) in NIES

- Project 2. Climate change and global risk assessment
 - ✓ Evaluation of strategies for climate change risk management at **global scale**, 2011.4-2016.3
 - ✓ K. Takahashi, N. Hanasaki, Y. Shin, Y. Hijioka

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- ➤ "S-5" Integrated research on climate change scenarios to increase public awareness and contribute to the policy process, 2007.4-2012.3
 - ✓ Global scale sector impacts projections considering uncertainties in climate projection
 - ✓ K. Takahashi, Y. Shin, Y. Hijioka
- ➤ "S-8" Comprehensive Research on Climate Change Impact Assessment and Adaptation Policies, 2009.4-2014.3
 - Regional scale sector impact assessment considering the feasibility of realizing a safe and secure climate change-adaptive society
 - ✓ H. Harasawa, K. Takahashi, N. Hanasaki, Y. Masutomi, Y. Hijioka

Research activities in FY2011 (2)

- Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research funded by Japan Society for Promotion of Science <KAKEN>
 - Detecting drought and flood risks by real time simulation using a global water resources model
 - Initiative of global water sustainability risk assessment using integrated hydrological and water resources model
- Science and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable
 Development (SATREPS) funded by the Japan Science and Technology
 Agency (JST) and the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)
 - Integrated study on hydro-Meteorological Prediction and Adaptation to Climate change in Thailand
- Core Research for Evolutional Science and Technology (CREST)
 - Development of long term vision for sustainable water use of the world process
 - H08: An integrated model for the assessment of global water resources
 - ✓ Model validation, Real time simulation, Complex network theory, Input/Output data server, Distribute source code and manual, Technical support
 - ✓ N. Hanasaki

Research activities in FY2011 (3)

Contributing international research activities

- Agricultural Model Intercomparison and Improvement Project (AgMIP)
 - ✓ Distributed climate-scenario simulation exercise for historical model intercomparison and future climate change conditions with participation of multiple crop and world agricultural trade modeling groups around the world
 - ✓ K. Takahashi, S. Fujimori, T. Masui

Contribution to IPCC activities

- > IPCC-SREX, 2009.09 2011.11
 - ✓ LA of Ch. 4 (Changes in impacts of climate extremes: human systems and ecosystems)
 - ✓ K. Takahashi
- IPCC-AR5(WGII), 2010.06 -
 - ✓ LA of Ch. 19 (Emergent risks and key vulnerabilities), K. Takahashi
 - ✓ CLA and CS of Ch. 24 (Asia), Y. Hijioka & Y. Onishi
- Development of SSPs, 2010.12 -
 - Collaboration with CGE, Introduction of SSPs to Japanese IAV researchers
 - K. Takahashi, N. Hanasaki, Y. Hijioka

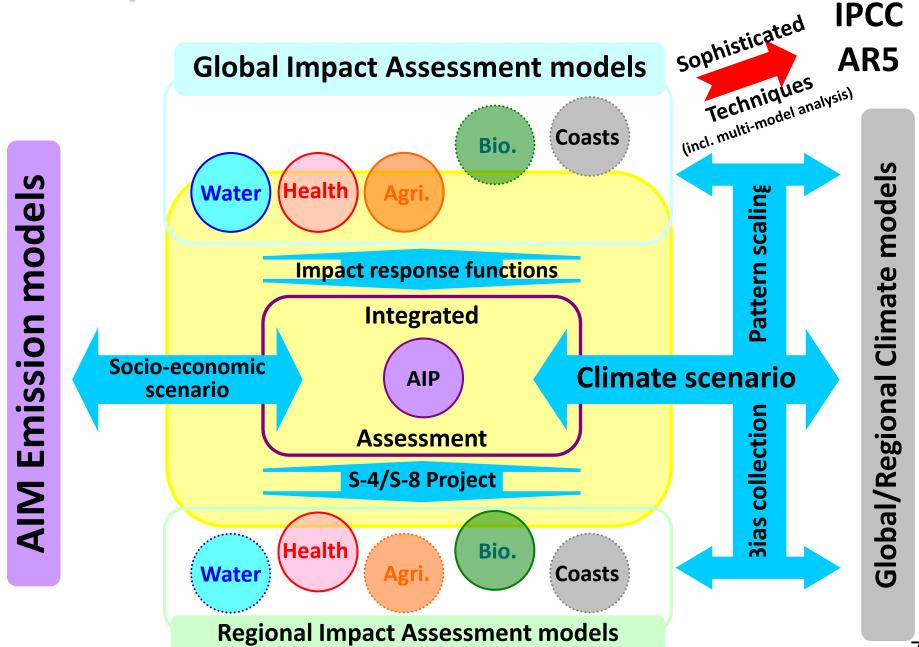
Research activities in FY2011 (4)

Contribution to Japanese IAV communities

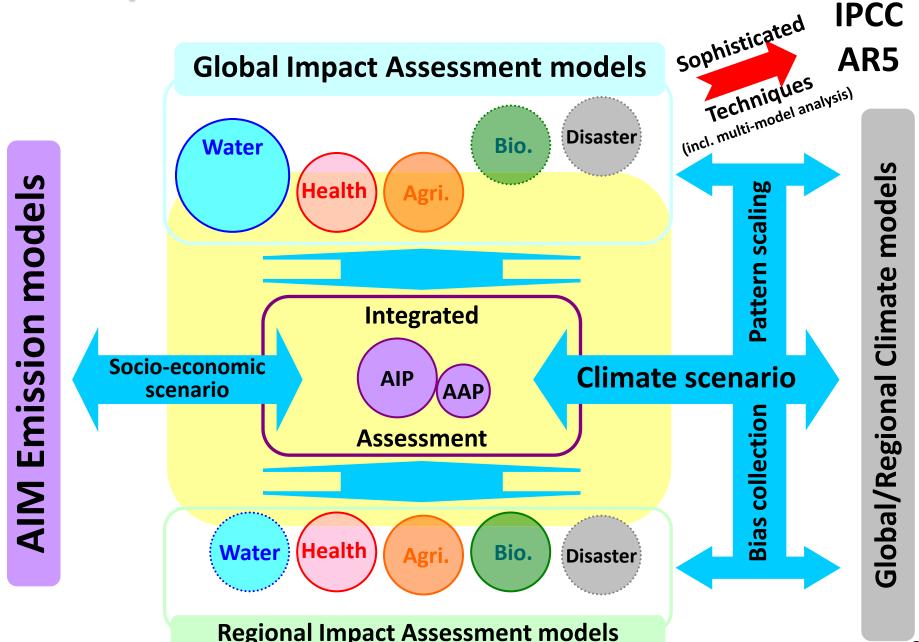
- Management of Task group for climate scenario utilization (TGfCS), 2008.05 - 2012.3
 - Coordination for data and knowledge sharing between climate modeling community and impact
 - K. Takahashi, N. Hanasaki, Y. Hijioka

Regional Impact assessment

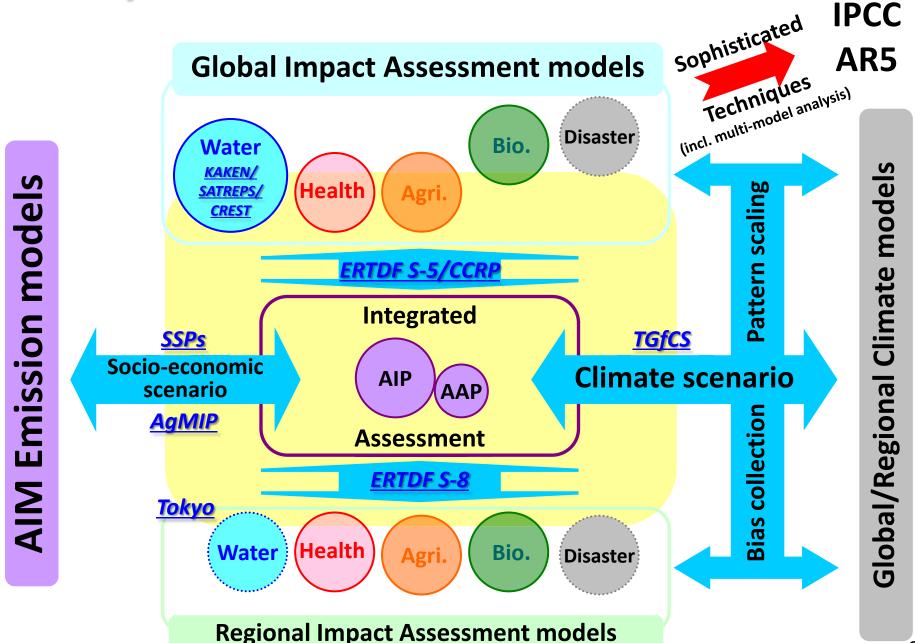
- A study on comprehensive assessment of climate change impacts in Tokyo (Tokyo), 2009.10 - 2012.3
 - Quantitatively grasping the impacts of climate change field in Tokyo Metropolitan Government Area
 - ✓ H. Harasawa, Y. Onishi, Y. Hijioka



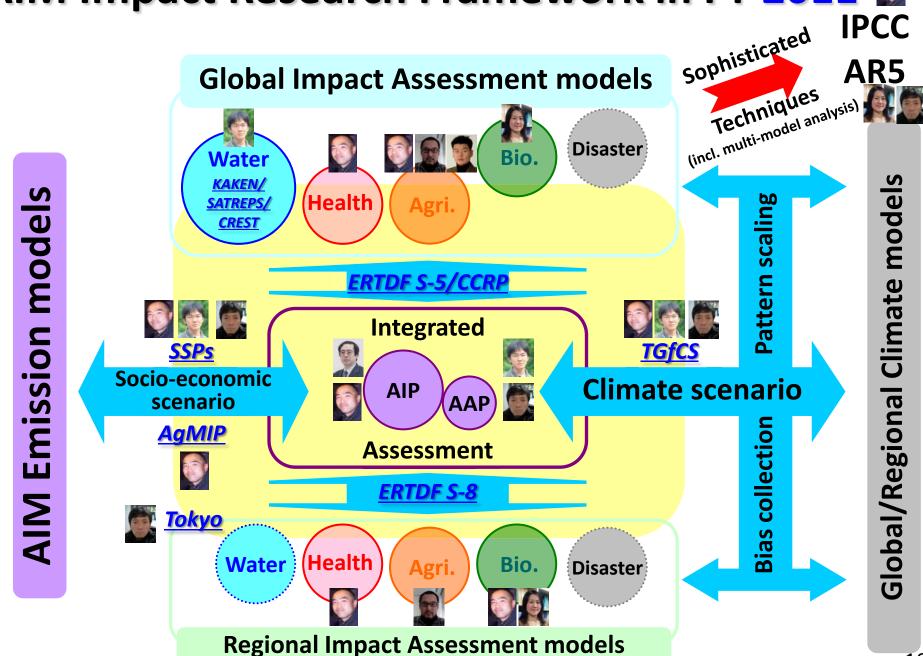
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