

SCENARIOS AND MODELS FOR EXPLORING FUTURE TRENDS OF BIODIVERSITY AND ECOSYSTEM SERVICES CHANGES

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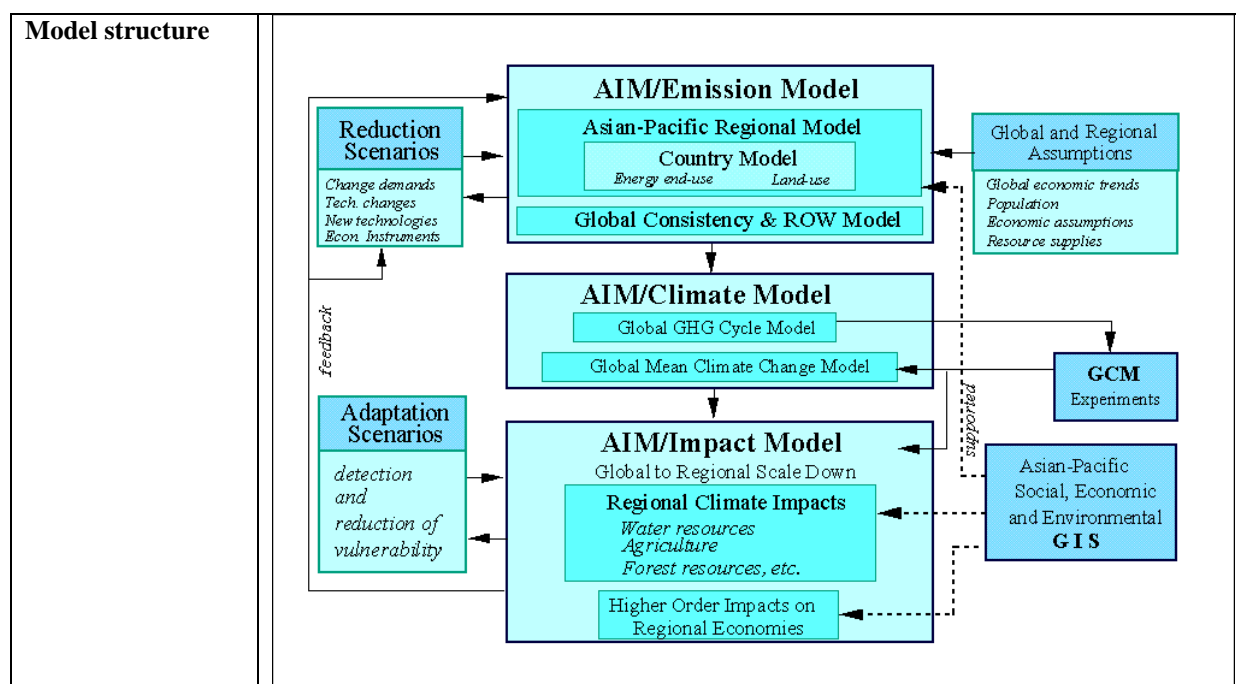
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1 APPENDICES OF CHAPTER 2: Identification and Overview of Available Models

1.1 General description of all selected models

1.1.1 Integrated Assessment Models

Model name	AIM
Full model name	Asian Pacific Integrated Model
Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	effects of policies on climate change and resource supply
Input (key drivers and pressures)	socio-economic trends and governmental policies
Output (key variables)	energy consumption, land use change affecting water supply, vegetation changes (agriculture, forestry production), human health (malaria spread)
Geographical coverage and resolution	9 regions : USA, Western Europe OECD and Canada, Pacific OECD, Eastern Europe and Former Soviet Union, China and Central Planned Asia, South and East Asia, Middle East, Africa, Middle and South America (focussed on Asian-Pacific region, but linked to a global model), resolution: 5° by 5°
Temporal coverage and resolution	from 1990 to 2100, 5 year time steps until 2030 (+2050, 2075, 2100)
Analytical technique	Dynamic systems model
Model developers and/or owners	National Institute for Environmental Studies, Japan
Model development history	1st version in 1994, latest update website: feb 2008
Target Group/users	AIM was selected as reference model in the Special Report on Emission Scenarios (SRES) and in Third Assessment Report (TAR) both of Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and also in the Global Environment Outlook (GEO) of United Nations Environmental Program (UNEP). AIM simulation results were used by many other international organizations including OECD, ESCAP, ADB, UNU, and WWF. AIM can also be applied to other issues, such as local air pollution issues, acid rain problems, forest management policies and other energy, agricultural and water resource management problems. AIM was also used in the GEO assessments.
Calibration	Not available
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Kainuma et al., (2004), Kainuma et al., (2002; http://www-iam.nies.go.jp/aim/book/clim_pol_assess.htm)
Level of integration	Submodels are: the greenhouse gas emission model (AIM/emission), the global climate change model (AIM/climate), and the climate change impact model (AIM/impact). Estimates greenhouse gas emissions and assesses policy options to reduce them, predicts changes in global temperatures and effects on natural environments and socio-economy; integrates bottom-up national modules with top-down global modules, feedbacks between the three modules; country level models are linked to 'rest of the world'
Scenarios used	SRES, GEO-scenarios
Links to other models	AIM has been used together with IMAGE, WaterGAP, Polestar and EwE/EcoOcean in the IPCC and GEO-4 assessment.
Ease of use/accessibility	Not available for download
Website	http://www-iam.nies.go.jp/aim/index.htm



Model name	GUMBO
Full model name	global unified metamodel of the biosphere
Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	complex, dynamic interlinkages between social, economic and biophysical systems on a global scale, focusing on ecosystem goods and services and their contribution to sustaining human welfare
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Human population and GWP (economic goods and services) changes (economic investments, consumption)
Output (key variables)	global temperature, atmospheric carbon, sealevel, water, fossil and alternative energy consumption, area of different land covers, knowledge, human, built and social capital, physical and monetary values for 11 ecosystem services, per capita food and welfare
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, 11 biomes globally aggregated, not spatially explicit
Temporal coverage and resolution	Base year: 2000, projections until 2100, annual time steps, historical data since 1900
Analytical technique	dynamic systems model, meta-model (GUMBO relationships are base don outputs of more complex and computational intense models)
Model developers and/or owners	R. Costanza & R. Boumans, National Center for Ecological Analysis and Synthesis (NCEAS) in Santa Barbara, CA
Model development history	first published: 2002, integrated into MIMES, modeling software: STELLA
Target Group/users	Main objective in creating the GUMBO model was not to accurately predict the future, but to provide simulation capabilities and a knowledge base to facilitate integrated participation in modeling. There are many (>100) internation collaborators.
Calibration	Historical callibration with time series from 1900/1950 to 2000 for 14 key variables (out of 930, of which: global temperatures and atmospheric carbon content) for which quantitative time-series data was available produced an average R2 of 0.922.
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Boumans et al., 2002, Werners et al., 2004, Costanza et al., 2007
Level of integration	Both ecological and socioeconomic changes are endogenous to the model, with a pronounced emphasis on interactions and feedbacks between the two. Dyamic feedback between human technology, economic production, welfare and ecosystem services.

	Modules to simulate carbon, water, and nutrient fluxes through the Atmosphere, Lithosphere, Hydrosphere, and Biosphere of the global system. Social and economic dynamics are simulated within the Anthroposphere. GUMBO links these five spheres across eleven biomes, which together encompass the entire surface of the planet. Limited degree of substitutability between natural and social, human and built capital.
Links to other models	GUMBO is a metamodel which uses output from complex global models as input (which models are used, was not specified).
Scenarios used	MIMES/GUMBO, SRES
Ease of use/accessibility	The model can be downloaded and run on the average PC to allow users to explore for themselves the complex dynamics of the system and the full range of policy assumptions and scenarios. Commercial and consultancy uses have to be coordinated with developers/University of Vermont.
Website	http://ecoinformatics.uvm.edu/projects/the-gumbo-model.html
Comments/remarks	The current version of the model contains 234 state variables, 930 variables in total, and 1715 parameters (Boumans et al., 2002)
Model structure	<p>GUMBO (Global Unified Model of the BiOsphere)</p> <p>From: Boumans, R., R. Costanza, J. Farley, M. A. Wilson, R. Portela, J. Rotmans, F. Villa, and M. Grasso. 2002. Modeling the Dynamics of the Integrated Earth System and the Value of Global Ecosystem Services Using the GUMBO Model. <i>Ecological Economics</i> 41: 529-560</p>

Model name	IFs
Full model name	International Futures simulator
Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	climate change, energy, agriculture, demography, economy, political and others, possible to add: education, human well-being including poverty
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Current situation describing demography, economic, agricultural, energy, socio-political, international political, environmental situation. The relationship functions between and within modules can be altered, depending on scenario assumption
Output (key variables)	Future situation describing demography, economic, agricultural, energy, socio-political, international political, environmental situation.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Global (with details for 182 regions/countries), not spatially explicit
Temporal coverage and resolution	Base year: 2000, projections until 2100 with annual time steps
Analytical technique	dynamic systems model (partial equilibrium modelling and multiple agent approaches), economic model: CGE

Model developers and/or owners	Barry Hughes, Graduate school of international studies University of Denver. Model development is supported by a range of different foundations and funding sources.
Model development history	1st version: 1980, current version: 2006
Target Group/users	Iifs began as an educational tool and is mainly used for educational purposes. The model is increasingly being used in policy analysis and international assessments (e.g. UNEP).
Calibration	Initialized with data primarily from the 1995–2005 period and a very large data associated data base (nearly 1000 series) from a wide range of sources
Validation	runs of the model from 1960 through 2000 have been compared with data series from the same sources for key model variables
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Hughes & Hillebrand, 2006
Level of integration	The overall model incorporates different sub-models, including the Population sub-model, the Economic sub-model, the Agricultural sub-model, the Educational sub-model, the Energy sub-model, the Socio-Political sub-model, the International Political sub-model, the Environmental sub-model, the Technology sub-model, and the Health sub-model.
Links to other models	unkown
Scenarios used	Includes own scenario-building tool
Ease of use/accessibility	Ease-of-use is high. No special permission is needed. Model is available online: www.ifs.du.edu
Website	http://www.ifs.du.edu/
Comments/remarks	Description copied from EEA, 2008

Model structure

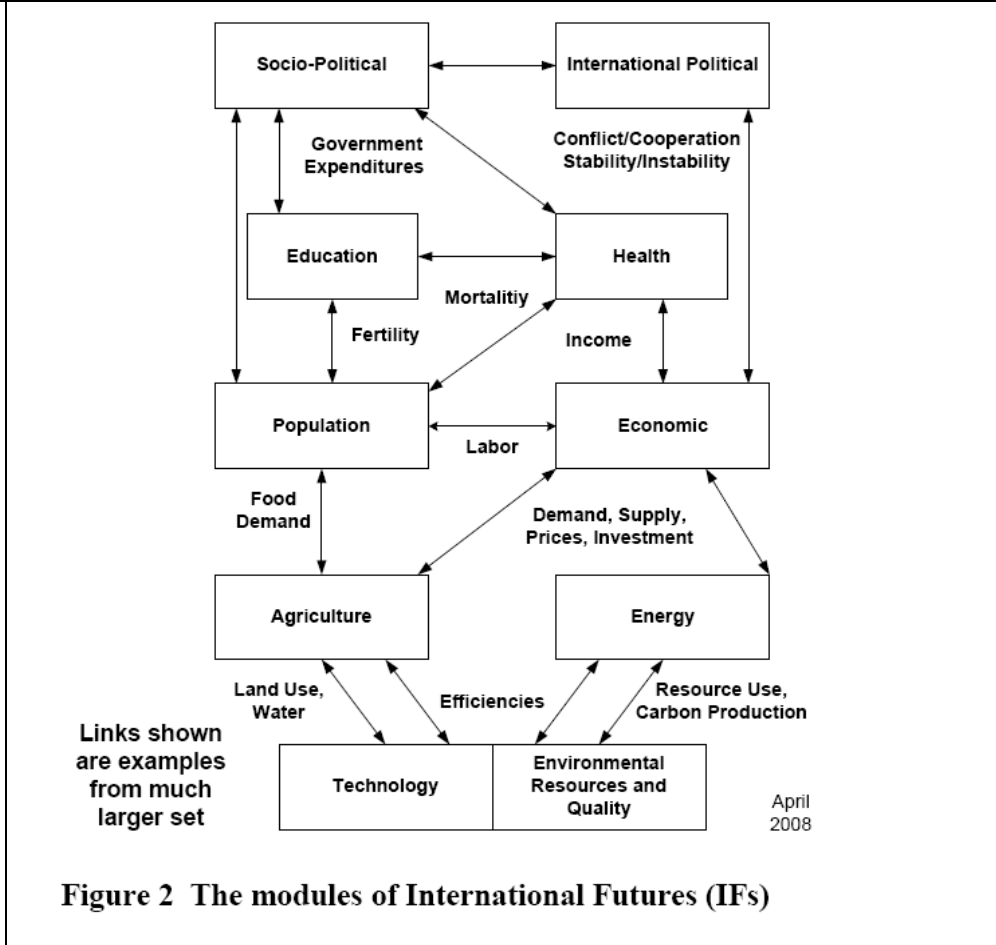


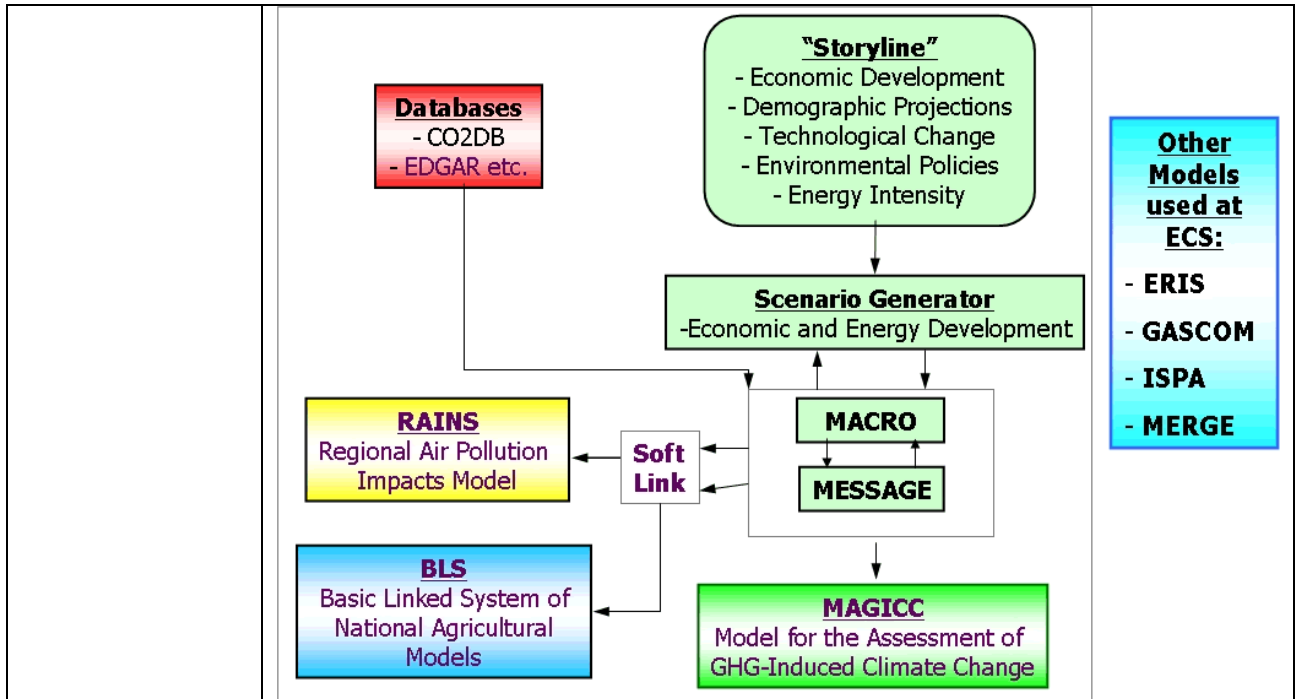
Figure 2 The modules of International Futures (IFs)

Model name	IGSM
Full model name	integrated global system model

Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	economics, climate change and ecosystems
Input (key drivers pressures)	capital, labour, land, fossil energy reserves
Output (key variables)	emission greenhouse gases, temperature, precipitation, sea level rise
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, 16 regions with special studies on European countries, 0.5° by 0.5° to 4° by 4° grid, depending on submodel used for the biogeochemical part
Temporal coverage and resolution	time steps: 10 minutes (atmosphere) to 5 years (policy analysis)
Analytical technique	dynamic system model (economy: general equilibrium)
Model developers and/or owners	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Model development history	1st version: 1999, current version: IGSM 2.3 (2005)
Target Group/users	IGSM is used to study causes of global climate change and potential social and environmental consequences, and the effects on different policies (carbon tax, biofuel programm; US, EU).
Calibration	Unknown
Validation	unknown
Uncertainty analysis	Prinn et al., 1999, Paltsev et al., 2005
Key reference	Prinn et al, 1999, Sokolov et al., 2005 http://globalchange.mit.edu/pubs/abstract.php?publication_id=696 , http://web.mit.edu/globalchange/www/MITJPSPGC_Rpt124.pdf
Level of integration	Different submodels, including TEM (carbon cycle), CLM (land use, energy), NEM (emissions), EPPA(economics, energy): emission model, a coupled atmosphere-ocean-land surface model with feedbacks of climate change on human activities
Links to other models	economic model built on GTAP dataset
Scenarios used	
Ease of use/accessibility	Model not available
Website	http://globalchange.mit.edu/igsm/
Model structure	<p>The diagram illustrates the MIT Integrated Global System Model (IGSM2) structure. At the top, HUMAN ACTIVITY (EPPA) (national and/or regional economic development, emissions, land use) is shown in a red box. It receives input from agriculture & ecosystems (net carbon exchange, net primary productivity) and human health effects. It outputs CO₂, CH₄, CO, N₂O, NO_x, SO_x, NH₃, CFCs, HFCs, PFCs, SF₆, VOCs, BC, etc. to the EARTH SYSTEM. The Earth System is a coupled ocean, atmosphere, and land system, divided into three main components: ATMOSPHERE (2-Dimensional Chemical & Dynamical Processes), OCEAN (3-Dimensional Dynamics, Biological, Chemical & Ice Processes (MITgcm)), and LAND (Water & Energy Budgets (CLM) and Biogeochemical Processes (TEM & NEM)). URBAN Air Pollution Processes are also shown. External forcings include solar forcing and volcanic forcing. Feedbacks include sea level change and land use change. A list of EXAMPLES OF MODEL OUTPUTS includes GDP growth, energy use, policy costs, agriculture and health impacts, global mean and latitudinal temperature and precipitation, sea level rise, sea-ice cover, greenhouse gas concentrations, air pollution levels, soil and vegetative carbon, net primary productivity, trace gas emissions from ecosystems, and permafrost area.</p>

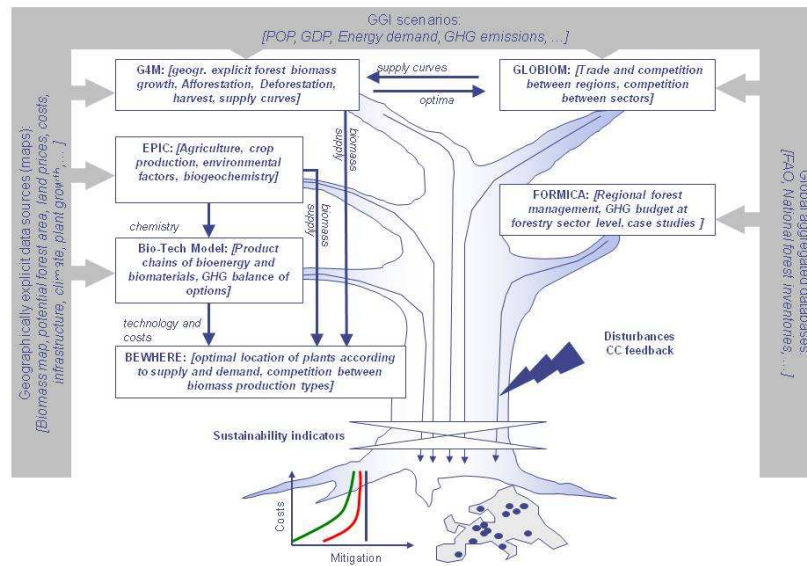
Figure 1. Schematic of the MIT Integrated Global System Model Version 2 (IGSM2).

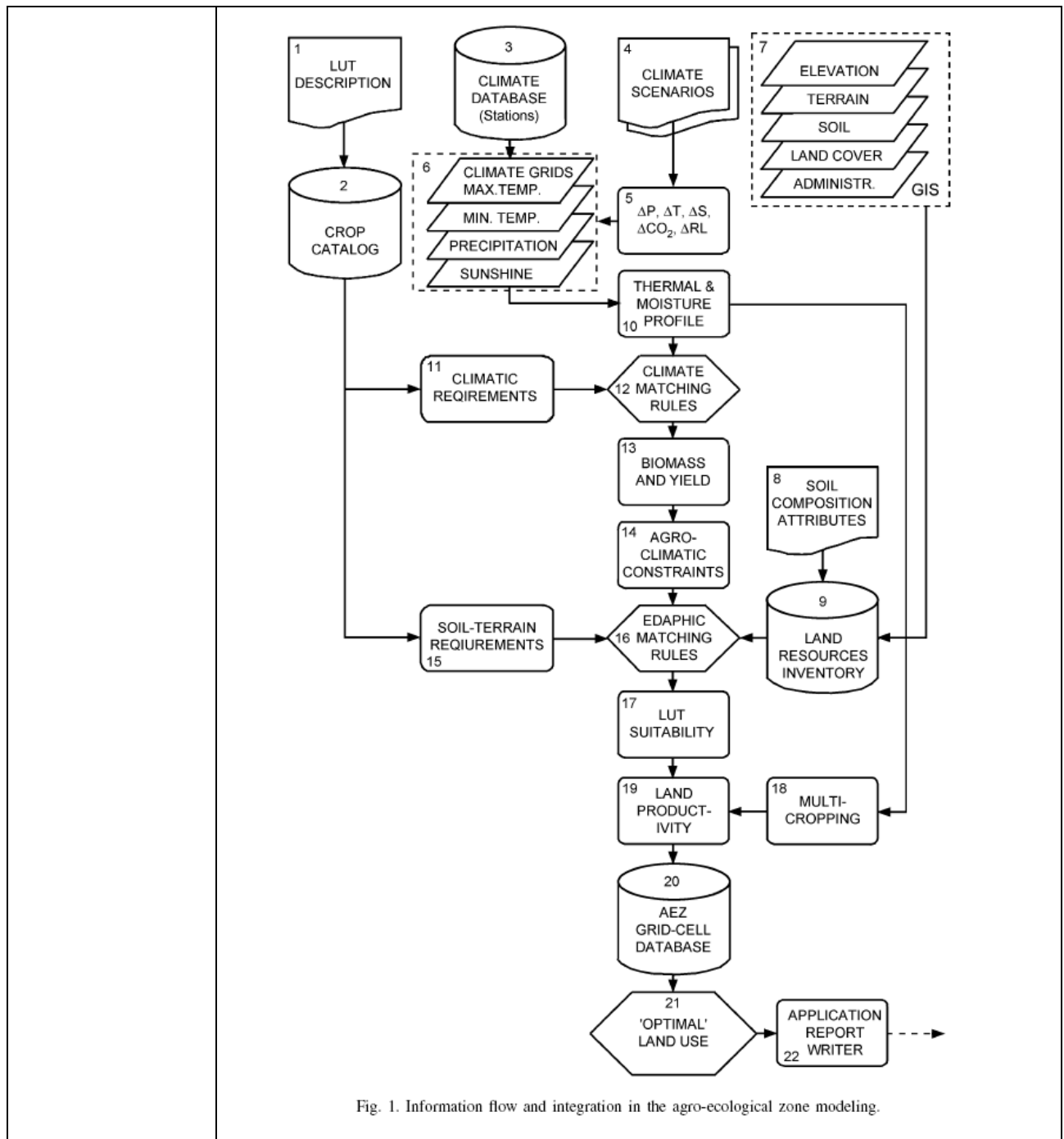
Model name	IIASA Integrated Assessment Modeling Framework Including IIASA-ECS modelling and IIASA/FOR modelling cluster
Full model name	
Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	energy system planning, energy policy analysis, and scenario development, economics, climate change, agriculture
Input (key drivers and pressures)	population development, economic development, technological change, environmental policies, energy intensity
Output (key variables)	greenhouse gas emission, temperature change, development of least-cost mitigation scenarios, water supply and demand (water scarcity index), crop production
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, 0.5° grid
Temporal coverage and resolution	10 year time steps
Analytical technique	dynamic system modelling
Model developers and/or owners	IIASA (International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis)
Model development history	UNIX based system , new models and modules are constantly developed and integrated into the existing framework
Target Group/users	In 1998, IIASA-ECS completed a five-year joint study with the World Energy Council (WEC). The study analyzed six alternative global energy scenarios extending to 2100. The MESSAGE model is a systems engineering optimization model used for medium- to long-term energy system planning, energy policy analysis, and scenario development [24]. The model provides a framework to represent an energy system with all its interdependencies, from resource extraction, imports and exports, conversion, transport, and distribution to the provision of energy end-use services, such as light, space conditioning, industrial production processes, and transportation. The IIASA/FOR modelling cluster focusses on forestry, carbon sequestration and biofuel production.
Calibration	Global statistics (FAO) were used for calibration of different model components.
Validation	Different (sub-) models have been validated and applied in many studies on national, regional and global scales.
Uncertainty analysis	Böttcher et al., 2008
Key reference	Riahi & Röhr, 2000, Keppo et al., 2007, Fischer et al., 2005, Fischer et al., 2007
Level of integration	The IIASA integrated modeling approach consists of several models that represent two different model suites: First the ECS-model cluster with scenario-generator, MESSAGE-MACRO (macro-economy, energy supply and environmental impact), AEZ-BLS (agricultural-economic), DIMA (Dynamic Integrated Model of Forestry and Alternative Land Use) and MAGICC (climate change induced by greenhouse gas emissions), those models are linked (including some feedback loops). The second group with CHARM (runoff), RAINS (air pollution), EPIC (agriculture), FORMICA (regional forest management), G4M (forestry), GLOBIOM (trade and competition), BEWHERE (optimal land allocation) constitutes the FOR modelling cluster.
Links to other models	Different sub-models have links to other IIASA models. The agro-ecologic model AEZ (agro-ecological zone) is used by FAO to analyse present and future land resources. CAPRI is used for the estimation of agricultural demand.
Scenarios used	SRES, climate scenarios (HADCM3, ECHAM, CSIRO, CGCM2, NCAR-PCM) Fischer et al., 2005
Ease of use/accessibility	Models not available online
Website	http://www.iiasa.ac.at/Research/ECS/docs/models.html
Model structure	The IIASA-ECS modelling cluster:



The IIASA/FOR modelling cluster:

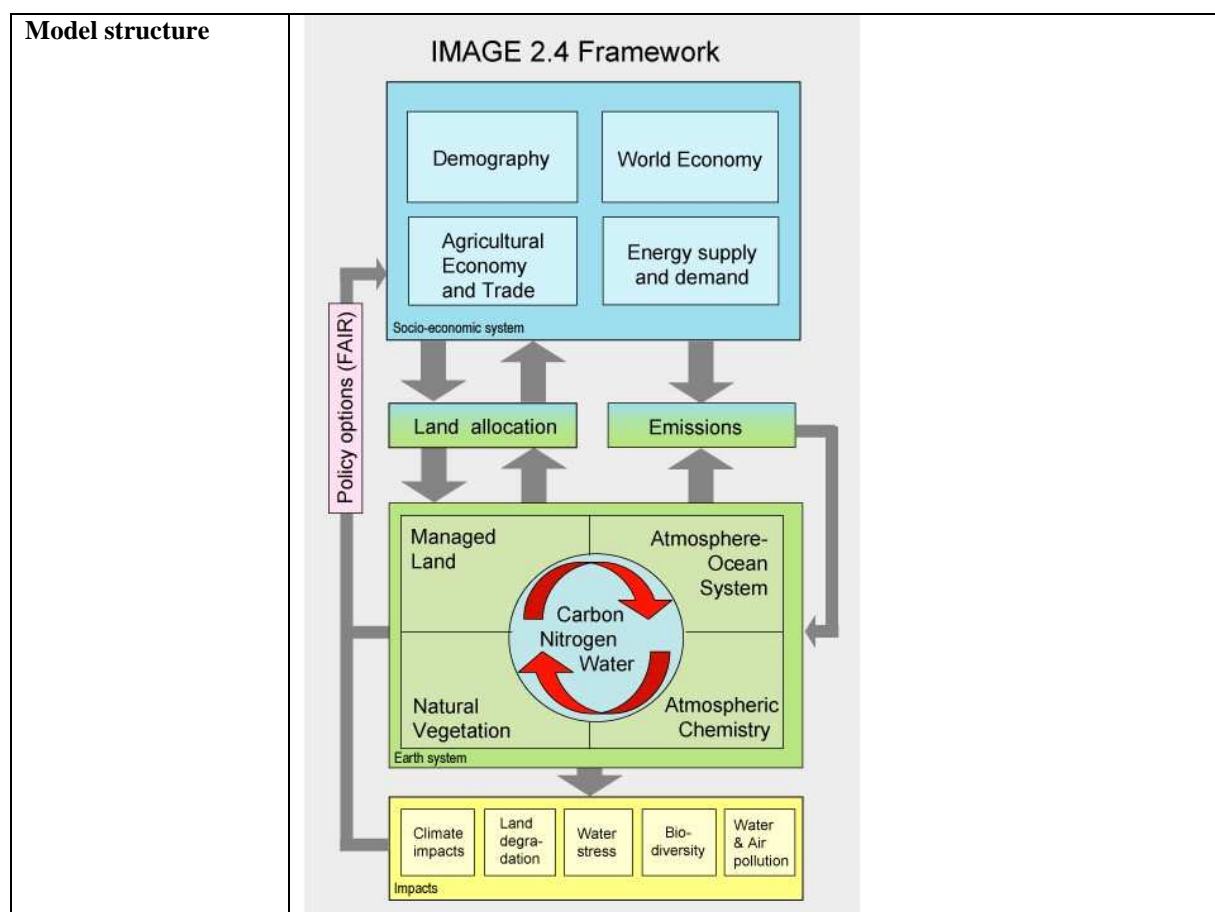
The IIASA Model Tree





Model name	IMAGE
Full model name	Integrated model to assess the global environment
Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	Demography, world economy, agriculture, energy supply and demand, emissions, land allocation, carbon, nitrogen and water cycle, climate change, land degradation
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Population projections (from UN, IIASA, or from PHOENIX), economic drivers, technological development, policy options
Output (key variables)	concentrations, emissions, energy, climate, effects of climate, land use, food production and demand
Geographical coverage and	Global (with details for 24 world regions (energy, trade emissions)) or 0.5° x 0.5° grid (land cover, land use)

resolution	
Temporal coverage and resolution	time period covered: 1970-2100 (historical data from 1900), time steps: from monthly to 5 years
Analytical technique	dynamic systems model with different sub-modules
Model developers and/or owners	Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency
Model development history	1st version: 1990, latest version: 2.4, software: FORTRAN/UNIX
Target Group/users	Designed to support science-policy dialogues, for scenario-development (for IPCC, OECD, MA).
Calibration	IMAGE is calibrated against historical data from 1765-2000 for carbon and climate, and data from 1970-2000 for energy and agriculture. These data were derived from large international databases (e.g. FAO).
Validation	Submodels have been validated.
Uncertainty analysis	To date, no comprehensive and systematic exploration has been performed of key uncertainties and how they are propagated throughout the entire IMAGE model to influence the final results. What has been done in many instances is to look at uncertainties in underlying data and model formulations in sub-systems of the overall framework, thus providing partial sensitivity analyses for IMAGE 2.4 framework. Sensitivity analysis: Rotmans 1990. Furthermore IMAGE has been reviewed by an expert advisory board: http://www.rivm.nl/bibliotheek/rapporten/500110003.pdf
Key reference	http://www.pbl.nl/en/publications/2006/Integratedmodellingofglobalenvironmentalchange.AnoverviewofIMAGE2.4.html
Level of integration	Same drivers are used for energy, industry and land use, consistency between scenarios, feedback between different submodels
Links to other models	IMAGE uses input from Phoenix (demography) and has been linked to several other socio-economic models in global assessments, e.g. GTAP, Env-Linkages, WaterGAP, IMPACT. GLOBIO uses IMAGE output for the calculation of a biodiversity index.
Scenarios used	SRES, MA, GEO, OECD, IAASTD, EURuralis
Ease of use/accessibility	not available
Website	http://www.mnp.nl/en/themasites/image/index.html

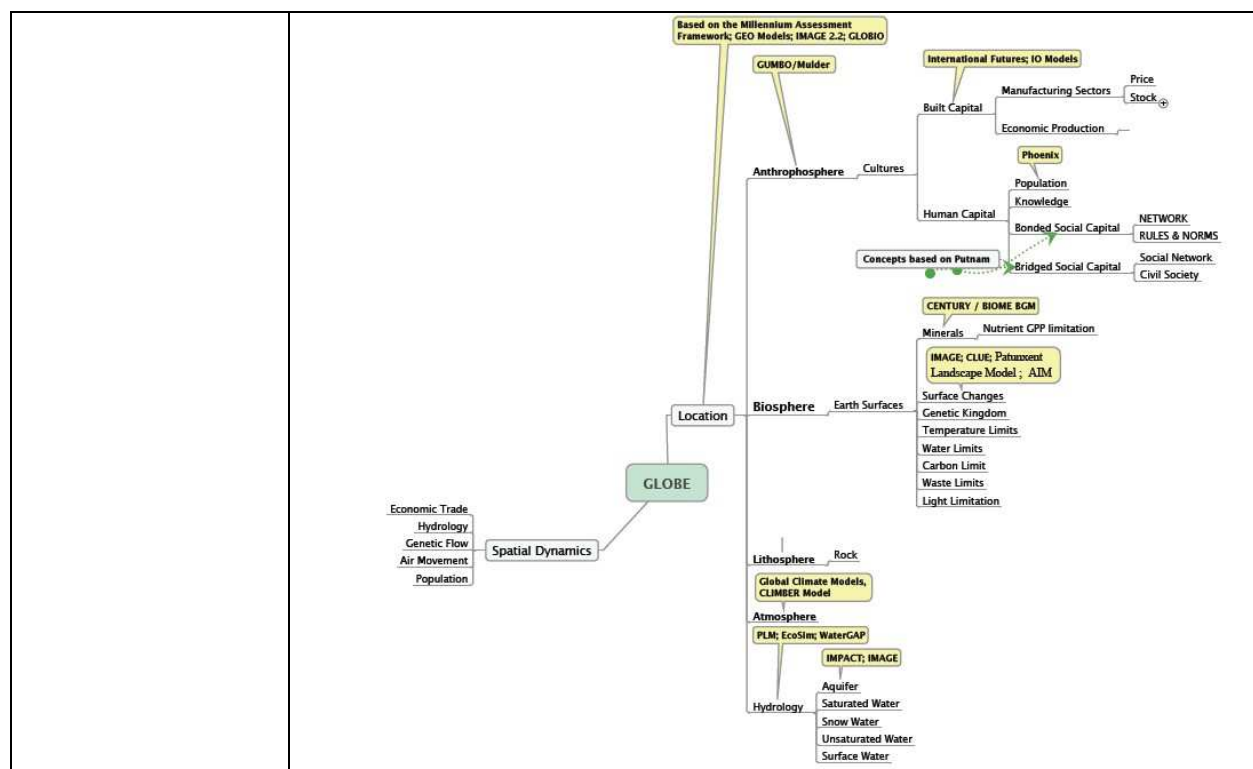


Model name	IMPACT -WATER
Full model name	International Model for Policy Analysis of Agricultural Commodities and Trade
Model type	Integrated model (partial equilibrium + hydrological model)
Subtype	agriculture
Thematic coverage	agriculture, fishery, water (related to agriculture)
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Income, and population growth (to determine food and non-agricultural water demand), Crop productivity (depends on various drivers, incl. agricultural research), change in available agricultural area over time, climate parameters, plus irrigation and water supply information, trade policies
Output variables) (key variables)	Crop area, yield, production, demand for food, feed and other uses, prices, Livestock numbers, yield, production, demand, prices, Net trade in 32 agricultural commodities (virtually all global food trade), Percentage and number of malnourished preschool children, Per-capita calorie availability from foods
Geographical coverage and resolution	global: 115 regions and countries, intersected with 126 river basins (281 spatial units), including EU-15 and eastern Europe
Temporal coverage and resolution	base: 2000 until 2020/2025/2050, annual time steps
Analytical technique	partial equilibrium model (sectoral agricultural model)
Model developers and/or owners	International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) of the CGIAR Network
Model development history	1st version of IMPACT (1990-2000), latest version: 2005 The partial equilibrium model IMPACT was coupled to the hydrological model WSM to create IMPACT-WATER to be able to include climate change effects on agriculture production.
Target Group/users	Aim was to help achieve long-term vision and consensus among policy makers and researchers about the actions that are necessary to feed the world in the future, reduce poverty, and protect the natural resource base. IMPACT has been used in

	numerous international environmental assessments (such as World Water Vision, Millennium Ecosystem Assessment). Currently being used in UNEP's Global Environmental Outlook (GEO-4) and the International Assessment of Agricultural Science and Technology for Development (IAASTD).
Calibration	Model uses the UN Medium Variant Population growth projections, and follows the global hydrology patterns embodied from the climate data provided by the Climate Research Unit of the University of East Anglia. The streamflow and runoff data have been calibrated to WaterGAP of the University of Kassel.
Validation	IMPACT has been used in a historical counterfactual analysis that accurately produced the historical record of agricultural production and consumption from 1970 to 2000.
Uncertainty analysis	Climate uncertainty is explored with the use of alternative GCM scenarios, which are downscaled to the spatial units of IMPACT.
Key reference	Rosegrant et al. (2005)
Level of integration	Water is the key environmental component which is directly integrated into the model structure. Response to water availability is measured in terms of yield loss (relative to full potential). IMPACT-WATER is the only model that takes into account water availability for food production (other models assume that water for irrigation is available).
Links to other models	The IMPACT model has been linked to a range of models in international assessments, such as GTEM (AustraliaBARE), IMAGE (MNP, Netherlands), AIM (Nat'l Inst for Env Studies, Japan) and WaterGAP (Univ. of Kassel).
Scenarios used	MA, IAASD scenarios
Ease of use/accessibility	Ease-of-use is very limited (i.e. referring to the full version of IMPACT). IFPRI has developed a distributional version (IMPACT-D) that can be downloaded free of charge (www.ifpri.org/themes/impact/impactd.asp).
Website	http://www.ifpri.org/themes/impact.htm
Comments/remarks	Description has been taken from EEA, 2008
Model structure	<pre> graph TD CS[Climate scenarios: - Rainfall - Potential evapotranspiration - Runoff] --> WSM((Water Simulation Model)) WSM <--> WD[Water Demand: • Irrigation • Domestic • Livestock • Industry • Environment] WSM <--> WS[Water Supply: • Renewable water • Effective water supply for irrigated and rainfed crops] WSM --> IMPACT_WATER((IMPACT-WATER)) IMPACT_WATER <--> IMPACT_FOOD((IMPACT-FOOD)) IMPACT_FOOD --> FSD[Food Supply and Demand: Crop area, yield, production, demand, trade and prices and livestock production, demand, trade and prices] WS --> FSD </pre>

Model name	MIMES
Full name	Multiscale integrated model of ecosystem services
Model type	integrated assessment model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	dynamics and tradeoffs among natural, human, built and social capital, joint economic and social valuation of ecosystem services, based on physical ecosystem models
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, land use, socio-economic drivers
Output (key)	global temperature, atmospheric carbon, sealevel, water, fossil and alternative energy

variables)	consumption, area of different land covers, knowledge, human, built and social capital, physical and monetary values for 11 ecosystem services, per capita food and welfare
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, 1° by 1° resolution
Temporal coverage and resolution	unknown
Analytical technique	meta-model, dynamic system model
Model developers and/or owners	The Gund Institute for Ecological Economics, University of Vermont, USA, together with University of Sao Paulo, Helmholtz CER, Wageningen University, Palawan State University, Boston University, Florida Institute of Technology, Kansas University, Michigan State University, Stanford University, University of Denver, USDA Forest Service, National Center for Atmospheric Research
Model development history	1st version: 2007, MIMES builds on the GUMBO model to allow for spatial explicit modeling at various scales, software: simile
Target Group/users	The MIMES project aims to integrate participatory model building, data collection and valuation, to advance the study of ecosystem services for use in integrated assessments. (http://www.uvm.edu/giee/mimes/media.htm)
Calibration	Not available
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	http://www.uvm.edu/giee/publications/Boumans_Costanza_GWSP%20Chapter_2007.pdf
Level of integration	Both ecological and socioeconomic changes are endogenous to the model, with a pronounced emphasis on interactions and feedbacks between the two. Dynamic feedback between human technology, economic production, welfare and ecosystem services.
Links to other models	MIMES is a metamodel that used output from several global models (IFs, IMAGE, CLUE, Phoenix, AIM, CLIMBER, EcoSim, IMPACT, WaterGAP, CENTURY, BIOME) to derive relationships between variables.
Scenarios used	MIMES/GUMBO scenarios.
Ease of use/accessibility	MIMES can be downloaded at: http://www.uvm.edu/giee/mimes2/downloads.html requires simile software
Website	http://www.uvm.edu/giee/mimes2/
Comments/remarks	Global maps of ecosystem services from the MIMES model can be found at: http://www.gulfofmaine.org/EBMWorkGroups/docs/Roelof-Boumans-presentation-at-Oct2007-WorkGroup1-2-meeting.pdf
Model structure	<p>Figure 1. General outline of the MIMES model: The multiscale integrated Earth Systems model</p> <p>The diagram illustrates the MIMES model structure. It features five main spheres: Biosphere, Anthroposphere, Hydrosphere, Lithosphere, and Atmosphere. The Biosphere includes Earth Surfaces (Nutrient Cycling and Bio-diversity). The Anthroposphere includes Cultures (Social Capital, Human Capital, and Economy). The Hydrosphere includes Water by Reservoir. The Lithosphere includes Geological Carbon and Ores. The Atmosphere includes Earth Energy and Gases. A central 'Locations' box contains Ecosystem Services. Arrows indicate interactions between these spheres and the Locations box. A separate box on the right, 'Exchanges Between Locations', is connected to the main structure by a horizontal arrow.</p>



1.1.2 Scenario-building tools

Model name	PoleStar
Full model name	
Model type	scenario building and planing tools
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	Accounting model that combines exogenous economic, resource and environmental information on a global and regional level
Input (key drivers and pressures)	GDP and population development, more specified socio-economic drivers, environmental drivers (resources, pollution)
Output (key variables)	water and energy use, oil reserves left, CO ₂ emissions, agricultural requirements, pollution, poverty
Geographical coverage and resolution	PoleStar is applied at community, national, regional and global level.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Base: 1996
Analytical technique	Meta-model
Model developers and/or owners	PoleStar was conceived in 1991 by Gordon Goodman, Director of Stockholm Environment Institute (SEI) and Paul Raskin, President of Tellus Institute and Director of SEI's Boston Center. Dr. Raskin has supervised the design and development of the software and its national, regional and local applications.
Model development history	1st version 1991
Target Group/users	Scenarios were quantified using the PoleStar software and used in numerous global studies including UNEP's Global Environment Report series, the U.S. National Academy of Sciences' Board on Sustainable Development report Our Common Journey, the World Water Vision and the OECD Environmental Outlook.
Calibration	unknown
Validation	unknown
Uncertainty	unknown

analysis	
Key reference	http://www.sei.se/mediamanager/documents/Publications/Future/polestar_v2000.pdf
Level of integration	
Links to other models	PoleStar has been used in the GEO-4 assessment, linked with AIM, IMAGE, WaterGAP and EwE/EcoOcean.
Scenarios used	GSG scenarios were quantified using PoleStar.
Ease of use/accessibility	Easy to use software tool for sustainability studies, both scenario-building tool and database of current indicators, flexible and user-friendly framework for building and assessing alternative development scenarios, user manual (http://www.seib.org/polestar)
Website	http://www.polestarproject.org/ , http://www.seib.org/polestar
Model structure	

Model name	Threshold 21
Full model name	
Model type	Integrated scenario building and planing tools
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	national development, policies
Input (key drivers)	policy options, socio-economic factors, resources, technology
Output (key variables)	GDP
Geographical coverage and resolution	focussed on the national level, globally applicable, not spatially explicit
Temporal coverage and resolution	50-100 years
Analytical technique	dynamic simulation tool (uses Montecarlo optimization techniques)
Model developers and/or owners	Millennium Institute
Model development history	1st version 1994, programming software: Vensim
Target Group/users	First version was a country-level model for national decision makers focussed on national development. It is a user-friendly, systems thinking software program that permits users to organize, access and analyze necessary information for making prudent decisions on sustainable development strategy. It is the first computer analysis tool to integrate human, economic and environmental concerns into one model and is uniquely designed for national application. Threshold 21 (T21) is a dynamic simulation tool designed to support comprehensive, integrated long-term national development planning. T21 supports comparative analysis of different policy options, and helps users to identify the set of policies that tend to lead towards a desired goal. This insight into how different indicators of development interact with one another to produce an outcome deepens users understanding of development challenges.
Calibration	Country level data are used to calibrate the national models, if possible, otherwise international data sources (World Development Indicators, FAOSTAT, World Population

	Prospects, Energy Statistics and International Financial Statistics) are used.
Validation	T21 has been validated through a variety of tests, including effective simulation of historical periods. (http://www.threshold21.com/integrated_planning/tools/T21/validationstudy.html)
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	http://www.systemdynamics.org/conferences/1995/proceed/papersvol1/barne022.pdf
Level of integration	High level of integration: 800 variables in different sector modules (demographics, agricultural production, health care, food and nutrition, international trade, national accounts, social services, energy, energy efficiency, goods production, education and environment) are dynamically linked. Individual sectors can modelled in a more elaborate or simple version, several countr-specific versions have been developed (e.g. Bangladesh, USA, Italy, China, Ghana)
Links to other models	unknown
Ease of use/accessibility	PC-based, user-friendly tool, open source, library for download, requires active role of user in the definition of the model structure.
Website	http://www.millenniuminstitute.net/integrated_planning/tools/T21/
Model structure	<div style="text-align: center;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Figure 1: Overview of Threshold 21</p> </div>

1.1.3 Economic models

Model name	Env-Linkages
Full model name	
Model type	general economic model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	macro-economy and climate (carbon emissions)
Input (key drivers)	socio-economic factors, policy instruments (carbon taxes, tradable emission permits, regulatory policies), labour, capital, energy, technology
Output (key variables)	GDP/capita, production of food (crops, livestock), household consumption
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, aggregated in 34 countries/regions
Temporal coverage and resolution	Base year: 2001, annual time steps
Analytical technique	general equilibrium model

Model developers and/or owners	Environment Directorate of the OECD Secretariat
Model development history	Env-Linkages is based on the GREEN model and was further developed into JOBS. Software: GAMS
Target Group/users	This model has been developed to assess the economic impact of abating Greenhouse Gases using several different economic instruments. It is used by the World Bank for research on global economics.
Calibration	unknown
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	http://lysander.sourceoecd.org/vl=2821760/cl=15/nw=1/rpsv/workingpapers/18151973/wp_5kz7wcb719n.htm , van Mensbrugge (2005): LINKAGE technical reference document version 6.0
Level of integration	The different modules are well-integrated.
Links to other models	Within the OECD environmental outlook, Env-Linkages has been linked to IMAGE, TIMER and LEITAP (version of GTAP).
Ease of use/accessibility	Model is not available
Website	http://www.olis.oecd.org/olis/2008doc.nsf/linkto/eco-wkp(2008)61
Model structure	<p style="text-align: center;">Figure 1. Structure of production in ENV-Linkages</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Note: see Table 1 for parameter values</p>

Model name	GTAP
Full model name	Global Trade Analysis Project
Model type	general economic model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	Agro-economy
Input (key drivers)	production functions including capital, labour and land prices
Output (key variables)	calculates consumption and trade of agricultural products
Geographical coverage and resolution	Country-level, not spatially explicit
Temporal coverage and resolution	Base: 1995-2005
Analytical technique	general equilibrium model
Model developers and/or owners	Purdue University, together with collaborators worldwide
Model development	current version: GTAP 7, a dynamic version of GTAP is also available

history	(GDyn)
Target Group/users	The underlying GTAP database combined with the model is used by most individuals and agencies exploring the effects of different policies on agricultural trade.
Calibration	GTAP was calibrated against the GTAP-database.
Validation	Global Trade Analysis: Modeling and Applications, T.W. Hertel (ed.), Cambridge University Press, 1997, chapter 14; https://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/resources/download/1813.pdf
Uncertainty analysis	https://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/resources/download/39.pdf
Key reference	Global Trade Analysis: Modeling and Applications, T.W. Hertel (ed.), Cambridge University Press, 1997; https://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/resources/download/1736.pdf
Level of integration	The different modules are well-integrated.
Links to other models	GTAP has been linked to IMAGE (van Meijl et al., 2006): IMAGE provides land-supply curves, yields and yield changes
Ease of use/accessibility	GTAP6.2a can be downloaded at: https://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/models/current.asp
Website	https://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/
Comments/remarks	Like all models, general equilibrium models have their limitations. By their very size, they may lack the detail of sector-specific models. Many of the parameters have not been estimated specifically for the model, and such models are difficult to validate in the traditional sense. The static framework limits treatments of savings, capital accumulation and stockholding, and the dynamic gains from trade cannot be calculated. The macro side is also rather limited, precluding some of the effects of changes in interest rates and exchange rate that may follow liberalisation. Nonetheless, for the purpose of analysing world trade issues such as agricultural liberalisation and regional integration, the GTAP model and database remains one of the best tools available. (Frandsen et al., 2000)
Model structure	not available

1.1.4 Land-use models

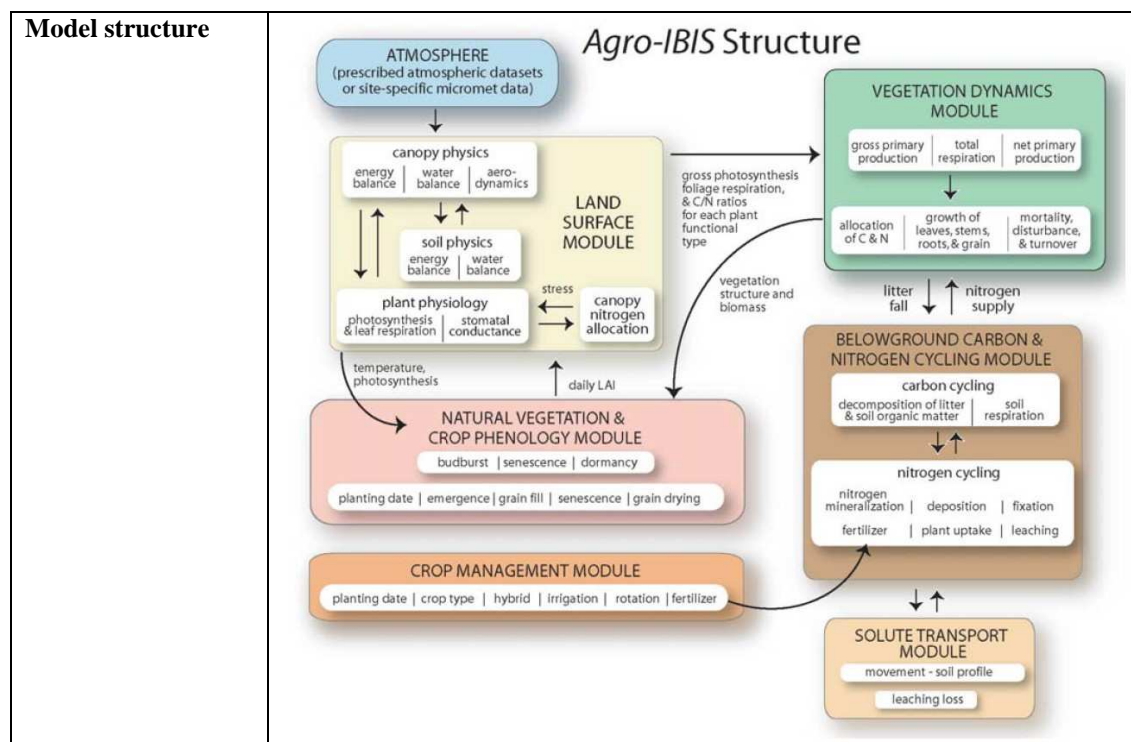
Model name	CLUE
Full model name	conversion of land use and its effects
Model type	land use model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	land use, agriculture, urbanization
Input (key drivers and pressures)	land use maps, remote sensing of land cover or census data on land use, demographic change, land use requirements (based on trends, scenarios or macro-economic modelling), spatial policies, (assumed) location factors
Output (key variables)	land cover/ land use change
Geographical coverage and resolution	Europe (EU-27), also case studies in a.o. Costa Rica, Ecuador, Honduras, the Netherlands, China, Java, Phillipines, Malaysia, Vietnam, Kenya, USA, 1x1km, case studies between 30m and 32km
Temporal coverage and resolution	20-40 years, time steps: monthly to annual
Analytical technique	hybrid model (systems dynamic and empirical statistical, alternatively: cellular automata mechanism)
Model developers and/or owners	Department of Environmental sciences Landscape Centre Wageningen University.
Model development history	1st version: mid 1990s, ongoing
Target Group/users	The CLUE model has been used by a large number of both universities and governmental research institutes from all over the world. Case study versions for a variety of regions exists.
Calibration	Calibration is based on observed land use patterns and, if possible, based on

	historic data. For some case studies calibration is helped by interviews with land managers.
Validation	Validation is based on historic land use changes for various case studies. Pontius, R.G. et al., 2007. Comparing the input, output, and validation maps for several models of land change. <i>Annals of Regional Science</i> . In press.
Uncertainty analysis	Has been performed for some parameters in a number of case studies including the use of monte-carlo techniques.
Key reference	A wide range of scientific publications (full list at www.cluemodel.nl): e.g. Verburg, P.H., Soepboer, W., Veldkamp, A. Limpiada, R. Espaldon, V., Sharifah Mastura S.A. 2002. Modeling the Spatial Dynamics of Regional Land Use: the CLUE-S Model. <i>Environmental Management</i> 30(3): 391–405.
Level of integration	High level of integration among land use sectors and spatial-temporal dynamics including path-dependence and spatial interactions. Feedbacks with environmental indicators can be addressed by tight coupling of the model with indicator models. Regional biophysical module, regional land use objectives module and local land use allocation module. Interactions between neighbouring grid-cells.
Links to other models	In many projects, including EURURALIS and SENSOR the land requirements are based on macro-economic modelling results from models such as GTAP, NEMESIS or IMAGE.
Ease of use/accessibility	Full version with technical support of the model is only available for collaborative projects. Others may use the model signing a memorandum of understanding excluding the commercial use of the model and requirement of proper referencing.
Website	www.cluemodel.nl
Comments/remarks	Description taken from EEA, 2008
Model structure	

1.1.5 Biogeochemical models

Model name	Agro-IBIS
Full model name	

Model type	biogeochemistry model
Subtype	agriculture
Thematic coverage	Natural terrestrial vegetation plus agriculture
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, soil texture, farm management (fertilization, irrigation)
Output (key variables)	Vegetation cover, crop yield, LAI, N mineralization, CO ₂ flux, N leaching, water cycling, energy balance (crops: maize, soybean, winter and spring wheat)
Geographical coverage and resolution	currently only run for North America, global application planned, 0.5° grid, model implementation also desired on field and precision agriculture scale (100m ² respectively 25m ²).
Temporal coverage and resolution	time steps for calculations: hourly; for output: annual
Analytical technique	Dynamic systems model (process-based model)
Model developers and/or owners	SAGE- Center for Sustainability and the Global Environment, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Model development history	IBIS is a dynamic global vegetation model (DGVM). The coupled crop-climate model also examines the impact that agricultural land use has directly on the climate system through changes in biogeochemical cycling and the associated changes to land surface properties. Codes are written in FORTRAN.
Target Group/users	Primarily a research model, Agro-IBIS has been used extensively in the North American Carbon Program (NACP).
Calibration	Agricultural module was calibrated to the maize yield of the Upper Mississippi basin during the late 1990s (Kucharik & Brye, 2003).
Validation	Kucharik & Brye, 2003: all processes were modelled with reasonable accuracy (within 20% error), except for soil N; Kucharik, 2003 (Earth Interactions 7): simulation of US maize yields and comparison with national yield databas for regional scale (1958-1994); slight overestimation of high yields and underestimation of low yields, Kucharik & Twine (2007): comparison with AmeriFlux site at the Mead, Nebraska, Twine & Kucharik (2008): comparison of LAI and absorbed photosynthetically active radiation with remote-sensing data; LAI of conifers was underestimated and LAI of grasslands overestimated.
Uncertainty analysis	not available
Key reference	Donner & Kucharik, 2003, Kucharik & Brye, 2003; for IBIS: Foley et al., 1996 and Kuchrik et al., 2000
Level of integration	feedbacks between vegetation, crop and soil module
Links to other models	Agro-IBIS has not been linked to other models.
Ease of use/accessibility	IBIS can be downloaded, Agro-IBIS is not available
Website	none



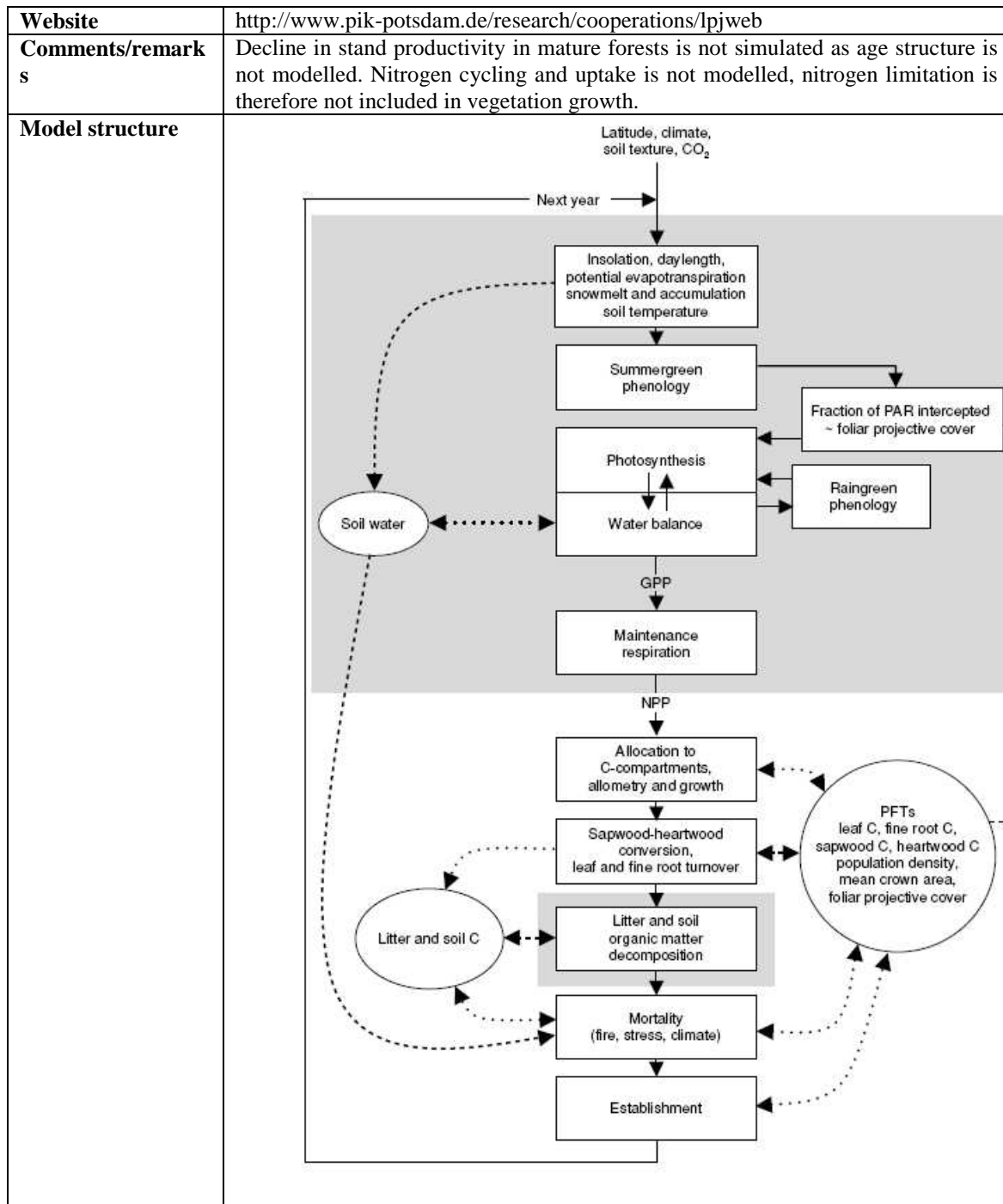
Model name	CENTURY
Full model name	
Model type	biogeochemistry models
Subtype	Agriculture, grasslands, forests
Thematic coverage	carbon, nutrient, and water dynamics
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, site conditions, land use/management (including fire, grazing, fertilization, irrigation, crop rotations, tillage practices)
Output (key variables)	soil water, decomposition, SOC, grass, tree and crop production, CO ₂ flux, C, N, P and S balance
Geographical coverage and resolution	not spatially explicit, aggregation on the basis of land management (submodules: cropland and grassland, forest, savanna)
Temporal coverage and resolution	CENTURY simulates C, N, P, and S dynamics through an annual cycle over time scales of centuries and millennia. time steps: monthly (there is also a version with daily time steps: DayCent)
Analytical technique	equilibrium model
Model developers and/or owners	Colorado State University
Model development history	1st version: 1987, current version: CENTURY 5 software: the code has been rewritten in C++ for version 5, and modified to use platform-independent configuration and output files
Target Group/users	CENTURY has been used extensively for global change research. The model has been executed in over 22 different areas in the world. It can be used to assess the impacts of regional climate change on a variety of important grassland ecosystems.
Calibration	http://www.iemss.org/iemss2006/papers/w2/333_Liu_2.pdf
Validation	Parton et al., 1993, Gilmanov et al., 1997, Kamoni et al., 2007
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Parton et al., 1988, Parton et al., 1994, a complete list of references is given at http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/projects/century5/
Level of integration	soil, water, grassland and forest sub-models, interactions via C and N cycle, shading and competition
Links to other models	CENTURY has been coupled to vegetation growth models (Laurenroth et al.,

	1993) such as STEPPE.
Ease of use/accessibility	Century 5 is a research version of the model, it can be obtained upon request, Century 4 is freely available at: http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/projects/century/
Website	http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/projects/century5/
Comments/remarks	CENTURY was especially developed to deal with a wide range of cropping system rotations and tillage practices for system analysis of the effects of management and global change on productivity and sustainability of agroecosystems.
Model structure	<p style="text-align: center;">CENTURY MODEL</p> <p>The diagram illustrates the CENTURY MODEL structure. It shows a cycle of carbon and water between the atmosphere, plants, and soil. Key components include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Atmosphere: CO₂ exchange with the atmosphere. Plant Components: LEAVES, FINE ROOTS, BRANCHES, LARGE WOOD, and LARGE ROOTS. These are linked to POTENTIAL PLANT PRODUCTION (P.T). Soil: SOIL H₂O + TEMPERATURE, SOIL ORGANIC MATTER (divided into ACTIVE (0.5 to 1 y), SLOW (10-50 y), and PASSIVE (1000-5000 y)), and AVAILABLE NUTRIENTS (N, P, S). Plant Death and Decomposition: DEAD PLANT MATERIAL (STRUCTURAL and METABOLIC) leads to DEFAC (decomposition) into AVAILABLE NUTRIENTS and SOIL ORGANIC MATTER. Water and Nutrient Flow: H₂O, S (water and sulfur) and DEFAC (nutrient release) are shown as inputs/outputs. </p>

Model name	IBIS
Full model name	integrated biosphere simulator model
Model type	biogeochemistry model
Subtype	Dynamic global vegetation model
Thematic coverage	terrestrial ecosystems (vegetation with energy, water and carbon exchange, nutrient cycling)
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, soil texture
Output (key variables)	energy, water and CO ₂ exchange between plants and atmosphere, plant growth and competition, nutrient cycling and soil physics
Geographical coverage and resolution	Global, 0.5 - 4°
Temporal coverage and resolution	time steps: day/month, aggregation: annual
Analytical technique	Dynamic system model (process-based)
Model developers and/or owners	SAGE- Center for Sustainability and the Global Environment, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Model development history	1st version described: 1996, current version: IBIS 2.6 (2008). IBIS was designed to explicitly link land surface and hydrological processes, terrestrial biogeochemical cycles, and vegetation dynamics within a single physically consistent framework
Target Group/users	IBIS was developed as a first step toward gaining an improved understanding of global biospheric processes and studying their potential response to human activity.
Calibration	IBIS has been calibrated for several to field data (energy and carbon flux, Delire & Foley, 1999) and biome averages (e.g. NPP, SOC, LAI, Kucharik et al., 2000).
Validation	Kucharik et al., 2000: Comparison of model results with historical data from 1965 to 1994, for several ecosystems all over the globe

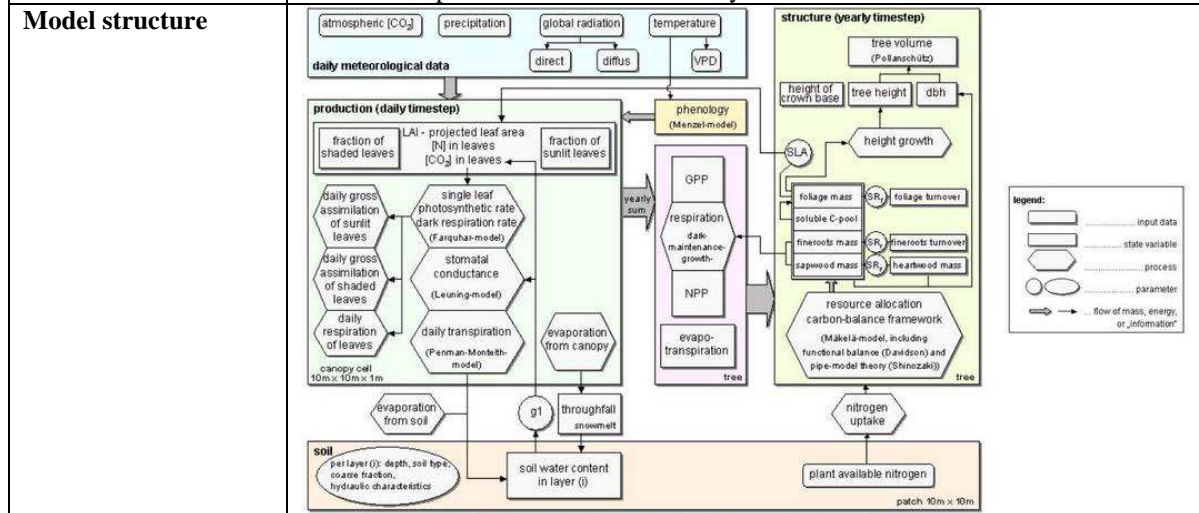
Uncertainty analysis	unknown
Key reference	Kucharik et al., 2000, Foley et al., 1996
Level of integration	IBIS was constructed to link explicitly land surface and hydrological processes, terrestrial biogeochemical cycles, and vegetation dynamics within a single, physically consistent framework. An agricultural submodule has been included: Agro-IBIS
Links to other models	unknown
Ease of use/accessibility	IBIS 2.6 and input files can be downloaded inclusive user guide at http://www.sage.wisc.edu/download/IBIS/ibis.html but no help is provided, listserv and user discussions exist, http://daac.ornl.gov/MODELS/guides/IBIS_Guide.html
Website	http://www.sage.wisc.edu/download/IBIS/ibis.html
Model structure	Not available

Model name	LPJmL
Full model name	Lund-Potsdam-Jena dynamic global vegetation model including managed land
Model type	biogeochemistry models
Subtype	Dynamic general vegetation model
Thematic coverage	Dynamic global vegetation model, including agriculture
Input (key drivers and pressures)	monthly climate, soil type and atmospheric CO ₂ concentration, land management, land use change
Output (key variables)	vegetation cover (fraction of different plant functional types per grid cell), CO ₂ exchange, seasonal water balance (runoff volumes), annual NPP, crop production
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, 10° or 0.5° grid cells
Temporal coverage and resolution	time steps: day/month
Analytical technique	Dynamic systems model
Model developers and/or owners	Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research. The LPJ model was originally developed by a consortium led by I. Colin Prentice (then Max-Planck-Institute for Biogeochemistry, Jena; now at Bristol University), Wolfgang Cramer (PIK), and Martin Sykes (Lund University). The name derives from the three locations Lund-Potsdam-Jena but is no longer to be interpreted that way. Managed by a small steering committee, the consortium conducted regular meetings and consultations with key users of LPJ.
Model development history	Originally a model to predict natural vegetation cover (based on the BIOME family), there is also a version including an agriculture module (LPJmL (managed lands)); current version LPJ3 (with and without managed lands). LPJ was originally written in FORTRAN, for LPJ version 2 C++ has been used, the current version LPJ 3 was programmed in C.
Target Group/users	LPJ has been used in numerous studies on responses and feedbacks of the biosphere in the Earth System (e.g., Brovkin et al., 2004; Lucht et al., 2002; Schaphoff et al., 2006; Sitch et al., 2005).
Calibration	NPP, biomass, NEP and seasonal carbon cycle have been calibrated against station measurements.
Validation	LPJ has been validated from the stand to the global scale (Hickler et al., 2004) Cramer et al., 2001: Comparison of 6 global vegetation models, Bondeau et al., 2007: comparison with historical data
Uncertainty analysis	Jung et al., 2007a, Jung et al., 2007b, Wolf et al., 2008 (for LPJ-Guess)
Key references	Sitch et al., 2003, Bondeau et al., 2007
Level of integration	The different modules are well-integrated.
Links to other models	LPJ has been included in the ATEAM vulnerability assessment tool. Currently work is ongoing to link LPJ to IMAGE.
Ease of use/accessibility	open and unrestricted access, LPJ can be downloaded (upon request) at http://www.pik-potsdam.de/research/cooperations/lpjweb/lpj-lpjml-versions



Model name	PICUS
Full model name	
Model type	biogeochemistry models
Subtype	forestry
Thematic coverage	stand-level forestry model (dynamic succession) (managed plantations and natural forest, multi- and single species)
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, forestry management, disturbances, N deposition
Output variables (key variables)	timber yield, vegetation composition, carbon, nitrogen cycle
Geographical coverage and	temperate forests, Europe, 100m ² patches

resolution	
Temporal coverage and resolution	monthly time steps with annual integration
Analytical technique	Dynamic systems model (process-based); individual tree-based model
Model developers and/or owners	University of Natural Resources and Applied Life Sciences, Vienna
Model development history	published: 2001, current version: PICUS 2.0. PICUS 1.2 was a gap model to capture competition and canopy structure, PICUS 1.3 included an physiological growth function. PICUS 1.4 included soil C and N cycling.
Target Group/users	PICUS was originally developed as a decision support tool for forest managers. It simulates forest succession in the complex topography of the Eastern Alps in central Europe. The original gap-model was complemented with the 3-PG model in version 1.3. Current version PICUS v1.4
Calibration	PICUS was calibrated against data from national forest inventory.
Validation	Testing against independent long-term growth and yield data revealed good correspondence between observed and predicted values of volume production and stand structure (Seidl et al., 2005, Badeck et al., 2001)
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Lexer & Honninger, 2001, Seidl et al., 2005, Seidl et al., 2007, Seidl et al., 2008
Level of integration	The different modules are well-integrated.
Links to other models	PICUS has been used together with EURO-FOR, OSCAR (regional models), ForAG/FASOM (global), AROPAj (regional agriculture) and EFEM-DNDC (agriculture at farm level) in the ENFA/INSEA assessment. It has been combined with the wood products model (WPM) to evaluate carbon storage in wood products (Seidl et al., 2007).
Ease of use/accessibility	Model is not available
Website	http://www.t3.boku.ac.at/picus.html?&L=1
Comments/remarks	The hybridization of PICUS with 3-PG in version 1.3 aims at combining the abilities of gap models with regard to interand intra-specific competition, multi-species and multi-layered stand structure and general applicability with the benefits of a widely applied, robust stand-level estimate of forest production based on the concept of radiation use efficiency.

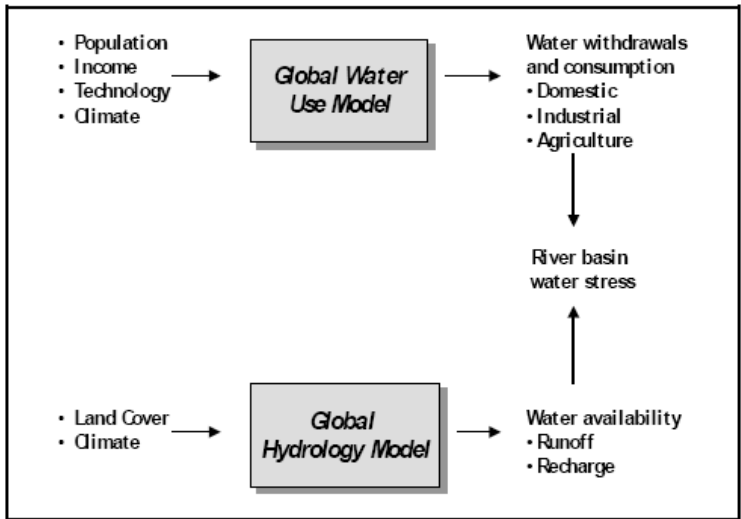


Model name	SAVANNA
Full model name	
Model type	biogeochemistry models
Subtype	biome model
Thematic coverage	vegetation, animal population model and management in grassland, shrubland, savanna and forested ecosystems
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, vegetation type, topology, human management (stocking densities), fire
Output (key variables)	plant and animal distribution (for functional groups), water and nutrient cycling, livestock production, sustainability of systems, thresholds, habitat suitability
Geographical coverage and resolution	regional, resolution depending on input data and studied ecosystem (100-1000 grid cells)
Temporal coverage and resolution	time period: depending on climate input, time horizon: 5-50 years, time steps: weekly
Analytical technique	Process-based model (dynamic systems model)
Model developers and/or owners	Mike Coughenour, National Resource Ecology Laboratory, Colorado State University
Model development history	first published 1985, model has modified for various purposes. Originally developed for pastoralism in African savannas it has been applied to other ecosystems (Mongolian steppe, North American prairie, Rocky Mountain National Park) as well.
Target Group/users	Originally developed for African savannas (pastoralism), but has been applied extensively to North American national parks as ecosystem management tool. Includes forests and shrublands, too.
Calibration	Model was calibrated to plant growth data.
Validation	SAVANNA has been validated by comparing predicted with actual vegetation cover and NPP (e.g. Christensen et al., 2003)
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Coughenour & Chen, 1997, Ludwig et al., 2001
Level of integration	High level of integration of plant and animal systems with abiotic (water) and management factors.
Links to other models	Linked to PHEWS to model Household economics.
Ease of use/accessibility	available at http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/ftp/coughenour/pubs_lock/index.php?Directory=Manual_1993
Website	http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/projects/savanna/
Model structure	<p>Figure 1</p>

1.1.6 Hydrological models

Model name	(E-) SWAT
Full model name	(Enhanced) Soil and Water Assessment Tool
Model type	Hydrological models
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	physically based, semi-distributed, continuous time, watershed model
Input (key drivers and pressures)	land use (including details on management), topography, soil and climate
Output (key variables)	runoff, sediment yield, deep aquifer recharge
Geographical coverage and resolution	calculations are done on the scale of sub-watersheds
Temporal coverage and resolution	daily time steps
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical
Model developers and/or owners	public domain model, actively supported by the USDA Agricultural Research Service at the Grassland, Soil and Water Research Laboratory in Temple, Texas, USA
Model development history	1st version: 1998, current version SWAT 2005, see also: http://www.card.iastate.edu/environment/items/asabe_swat.pdf
Target Group/users	SWAT was developed to assess the impact of land management and climate patterns on water supply and nonpoint source pollution in large, complex watersheds with varying soil, landcover, and management conditions over long periods.
Calibration	SWAT has been calibrated for application to many different watersheds, e.g. http://www.mssanz.org.au/MODSIM07/papers/49_s11/InfluenceOfScales11_Heatman_.pdf ; http://www.card.iastate.edu/publications/DBS/PDFFiles/05wp396.pdf
Validation	SWAT has been validated for many single watersheds, e.g. http://www.card.iastate.edu/publications/DBS/PDFFiles/05wp396.pdf
Uncertainty analysis	Yang et al., 2008
Key reference	http://www.card.iastate.edu/environment/items/asabe_swat.pdf
Level of integration	The different modules are well-integrated.
Links to other models	unknown
Ease of use/accessibility	SWAT can be downloaded at: http://www.brc.tamus.edu/swat/
Website	http://www.brc.tamus.edu/swat/
Model structure	Not available

Model name	WaterGAP
Full model name	Water – Global Assessment and Prognosis
Model type	hydrological model
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	Water availability, water use, water quality (industry, agriculture and domestic)
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate, land cover (livestock density, area irrigated), population size and electricity production
Output (key variables)	Water withdrawals and water availability (discharge, annual renewable water resources)
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, country, river basin (1162 basins included), grid cells 0.5° by 0.5°

Temporal coverage and resolution	Base: 1995, Climate base 1961-1990, daily time steps for water balance, annual time steps for industrial and livestock water use, results for 1995, 2025 and 2075
Analytical technique	Empirical-statistical
Model developers and/or owners	Developed by the Centre for Environmental Systems Research of the University of Kassel, Germany, in cooperation with the National Institute of Public Health and the Environment of The Netherlands (RIVM). Development since 2003 by the Universities of Kassel and Frankfurt.
Model development history	1st version 1996, current version: WaterGAP 2
Target Group/users	Developed as a tool for global analysis of water resources. Used in various global and continental resource assessment (World in Transition, World Water Vision, World Water Development Report (UNSECO), MA)
Calibration	Hydrological model was calibrated to 30 years data from 724 discharge measurement stations; where data are available, socio-economic model parameters are calibrated for countries.
Validation	For validation, the predicted annual discharge values were compared to measured values at the 724 calibration stations and with data from other basins (Alcamo et al., 2003a). Validation for socio-economic estimates was done as well (Döll & Siebert, 2002).
Uncertainty analysis	a first estimate of the geographical variation in uncertainty of calculations is made, based on the “goodness-of-fit” of the model to observed historical data
Key reference	www.usf.uni-kassel.de/usf/forschung/projekte/watergap.en.htm Alcamo et al. (2003); Alcamo et al., (2003b)
Level of integration	feedbacks between water cycle and water use submodel
Links to other models	WaterGAP has been used in several assessments (OECD, GEO, MA) in combination with IMAGE, IMPACT and EcoSim and AIM. Based on WaterGAP, a global model of terrestrial nitrogen (WaterGAP-N) has been developed.
Ease of use/accessibility	Model is not available for download.
Website	http://www.geo.uni-frankfurt.de/ipg/ag/dl/forschung/WaterGAP/index.html
Model structure	 <p>The diagram illustrates the WaterGAP model structure. It consists of two main model boxes: 'Global Water Use Model' and 'Global Hydrology Model'. The 'Global Water Use Model' receives inputs from 'Population', 'Income', 'Technology', and 'Climate'. It outputs 'Water withdrawals and consumption', which is further categorized into 'Domestic', 'Industrial', and 'Agriculture'. The 'Global Hydrology Model' receives inputs from 'Land Cover' and 'Climate' and outputs 'Water availability', which includes 'Runoff' and 'Recharge'. The 'Water withdrawals and consumption' from the Water Use Model leads to 'River basin water stress', which in turn influences the 'Water availability' output of the Hydrology Model.</p>
Fig. 1 Block diagram of the WaterGAP model.	

Model name	WBM (+)
Full model name	Water Balance Model
Model type	Hydrological models
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	water cycle
Input (key drivers)	climate and surface cover, population, irrigated area

and pressures)	
Output variables) (key)	sustainable water use: water use/withdrawl (agriculture, domestic, industry) versus water discharge
Geographical coverage and resolution	0.5° by 0.5° grid
Temporal coverage and resolution	daily time steps, output on annual basis
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical
Model developers and/or owners	M. Vörösmarty, Water System Analysis Group, University of New Hampshire
Model development history	unknown
Target Group/users	unknown
Calibration	unknown
Validation	unknown
Uncertainty analysis	unknown
Key reference	Vörösmarty et al., 1989, Vörösmarty et al., 2000
Level of integration	unknown
Links to other models	unknown
Ease of use/accessibility	A detailed description of the model is available at: http://www.asb.cgiar.org/BNPP/phase2/ifpri/description_water_balance_model_10jul2003.doc
Website	Not available
Model structure	Not available

1.1.7 Biodiversity models

Model name	BII
Full model name	Biodiversity intactness index
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Indicator model
Thematic coverage	biodiversity loss due to land use change
Input (key drivers and pressures)	land use (also needed: reference conditions for biodiversity) land use types: protected, moderately used, degraded, cultivated, plantation and urban
Output (key variables)	relative measure of biodiversity intactness (percentage of original population) BII is a richness-and-area weighted average of the population impact of a set of land use activities, on a given groups of organisms, in a given area.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Regional (Southern Africa), scale of aggregation: 10^4 to 10^6 km ²
Temporal coverage and resolution	dependent on input (land use maps/predictions)
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical: expert opinion
Model developers and/or owners	The biodiversity intactness index was first developed by R. J. Scholes and R. Biggs for the Southern African Millennium Ecosystem Assessment (case study for MA).
Model development history	Different approaches have been proposed by several authors (including species occurrence versus abundance)
Target Group/users	The BBI is an assessment tool designed to give an indication of current state and past changes in biodiversity. The BII is an aggregate index, intended to provide an intuitive, high-level synthetic overview for the public and policy makers. It can be disaggregated in several ways to meet the information needs of particular users: by ecosystem or political units, taxonomic group, functional type, or land use activity.
Calibration	The BBI has been calibrated on data for Southern Africa.

Validation	Valuation in biodiversity monitoring programmes: Lamb et al., 2009
Uncertainty analysis	Hui et al., 2008: biodiversity intactness variance as formal measure of uncertainty (case study: South Africa)
Key reference	Scholes & Biggs, 2004, Buckland et al., 2005, Nielsen et al., 2007
Level of integration	Not applicable (only land use as driver)
Links to other models	Not available (potential links to land use models)
Ease of use/accessibility	Calculation algorithm is given in Scholes & Biggs, 2004. Species richness information is needed for calculation.
Website	Not available
Model structure	The BII is calculated as: $BII = (\sum_i \sum_j \sum_k R_{ij} A_{jk} I_{ijk}) / (\sum_i \sum_j \sum_k R_{ij} A_{jk})$ <p>where R_{ij} = richness (number of species) of taxon i in ecosystem j, and A_{jk} = area of land use k in ecosystem j</p>

Model name	EUROMOVE
Full model name	
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Bioclimatic envelope model
Thematic coverage	biodiversity in relation to climate change
Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate change, current plant distributions
Output (key variables)	changes in plant species number and distribution (stable, increase, decrease)
Geographical coverage and resolution	Europe, 2500km ² grid cells (dependent on input data)
Temporal coverage and resolution	baseline: 1990/1995, results reported for 2025, 2050 and 2100, annual time steps
Analytical technique	empirical bioclimatic envelope modelling based on realized niches, species-based logistic regression model by which occurrence probabilities can be calculated for almost 1400 European vascular plant species
Model developers and/or owners	Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency
Model development history	published: 2002
Target Group/users	Used to support climate change impact research at European level; including applications for the European Environment Agency, evaluation of policies to halt biodiversity loss
Calibration	Calibrated on 1990 data – all multiple logistic regression analyses resulted in statistically significant models ($\alpha = 0.01$). On average, the deviance explained (D) was 42%, indicating a relatively high predictive power.
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Bakkenes et al., 2002, Bakkenes et al., 2006
Level of integration	Not applicable
Links to other models	EUROMOVE uses climate data from IMAGE model.
Ease of use/accessibility	Model not available online.
Website	Not available
Comments/remarks	Description copied from EEA, 2008
Model structure	Not available

Model name	GARP-based species distribution models
Full model name	GARP=Genetic Algorithm for Rule-set Production
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Bioclimatic envelope model
Thematic coverage	biodiversity in relation to climate change

Input (key drivers and pressures)	climate change, also required: plant species distribution
Output (key variables)	number of species, species distribution maps
Geographical coverage and resolution	GIS-based, spatial explicit approach, local/regional, depending on input (species presence data)
Temporal coverage and resolution	Depending on climate change input
Analytical technique	ecological niche modelling, based on genetic algorithms
Model developers and/or owners	D. Stockwell and A. Boston (University of California, San Diego, Environmental Resources Information Network (ERIN))
Model development history	The GARP was first implemented at the Environmental Resources Information Network (ERIN) (Boston and Stockwell 1994).
Target Group/users	
Calibration	Model is calibrated based on presence data of species in relation to environmental variables
Validation	Stockman et al. (2006) tested the performance of GARP to predict spider distribution in California based on a limited number of museum specimens. Conclusion: simple bioclimatic envelope models performed better than GARP.
Uncertainty analysis	unknown
Key reference	Boston & Stockwell, 1995, Stockwell, 2006
Level of integration	Not applicable
Links to other models	Not applicable
Ease of use/accessibility	methodology is available online: www.lifemapper.org/desktopgarp
Website	Not available
Comments/remarks	The GARP models are a model family, not a single model with different equations.
Model structure	Not available

Model name	GLOBIO
Full model name	Global Methodology for Mapping Human Impacts on the Biosphere
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Indicator model
Thematic coverage	effects of climate change, land use change, infrastructure development and nitrogen deposition on biodiversity
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Land cover, land use and land use intensity, infrastructure, atmospheric N deposition, climate (precipitation and temperature)
Output (key variables)	Mean Species Abundance (MSA)
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, (0.5° by 0.5° for climatic data, 1km by 1km for land use data)
Temporal coverage and resolution	Depending on input data
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical model: Dose-response relationships between fragmentation, infrastructural development
Model developers and/or owners	UNEP-DEWA, UNEP-WCMC, UNEP-GRID-Arendal, Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency
Model development history	1st version: 2001, current version GLOBIO3
Target Group/users	GLOBIO is aimed at providing information for understanding ongoing trends and depicting future trends in regional and global assessments. GLOBIO3 is a quantitative model used in the assessment of policy options for reducing global biodiversity loss. The model is used in global studies, such as the OECD Environmental Outlook, GEO4 and COPI/TEEB.
Calibration	Not applicable

Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Alkemade et al. (2009)
Level of integration	Different pressures (land use change and fragmentation, pollution) are well-integrated, double-counting is avoided (pollution affects biodiversity only in natural areas while it is included in land use effects for managed land).
Links to other models	Uses land use and N emission output from IMAGE and is thereby linked to land use/land cover and economics
Ease of use/accessibility	not available, however description of the parameters used can be found in Alkemade et al. (in press) and Alkemade et al. (2006)
Website	http://www.globio.info/
Model structure	Not available

Model name	MIRABEL
Full model name	Models for Integrated Review and Assessment of Biodiversity in European Landscapes
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Indicator model
Thematic coverage	biodiversity
Input (key drivers and pressures)	pollution (eutrophication, nitrogen deposition, acidification, climate change) and land use (urbanization transport, farming intensification, drainage irrigation, land abandonment, afforestation, habitat fragmentation)
Output (key variables)	trends in pressures, status of threatened habitats
Geographical coverage and resolution	28 European countries, 13 ecological regions, using CORINE land cover map
Temporal coverage and resolution	Impact forecasts for 2010 and 2050 (climate)
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical model: based on expert opinion
Model developers and/or owners	Centre for Ecology and Hydrology Merlewood Research Station, UK,
Model development history	Model was developed for the European Environment Agency (EEA)
Target Group/users	MIRABEL was initially developed in response to a requirement to predict habitat change in the context of a 1998 assessment of the state of the environment in Europe.
Calibration	Not available
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Petit et al., 2001
Level of integration	unknown (effects based on expert opinion)
Links to other models	uses input from CARMEN, RAINS, IMAGE, EUTREND and LARCH for pressures/drivers
Ease of use/accessibility	Model is not available
Website	Not available
Model structure	Not available

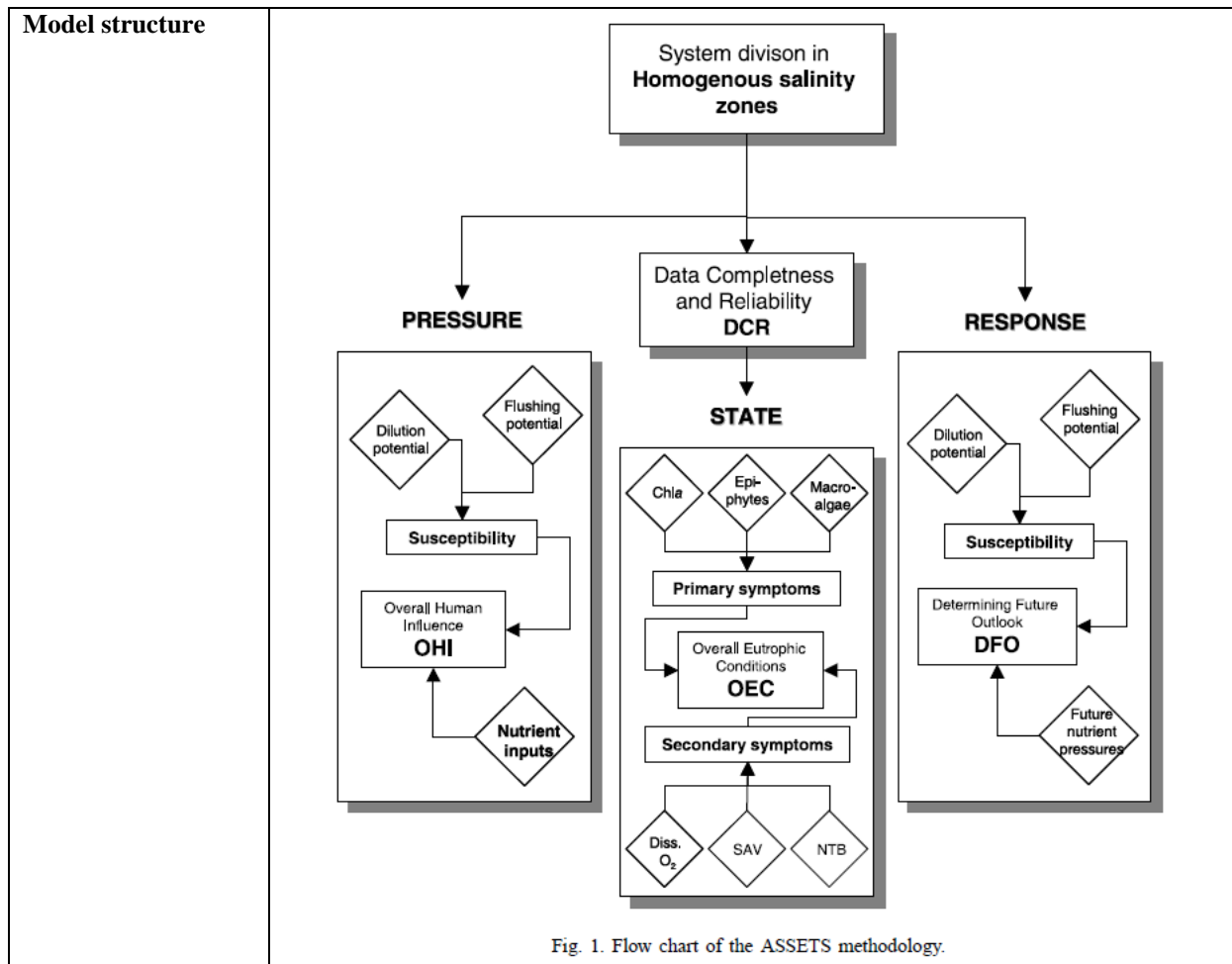
Model name	SAR
Full model name	Species area relationship
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Indicator model
Thematic coverage	Biodiversity loss due to habitat loss
Input (key drivers and pressures)	habitat loss (climate change via IMAGE, van Vuuren et al., 2006), N deposition

Output variables) (key)	number of species
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, calculated for different biogeographical units (biomes, ecoregions), not spatially explicit
Temporal coverage and resolution	For the MA projections were done until 2050.
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical (based on species area relationship $S = cA^z$), where S= number of species, A= area, z and c = constants
Model developers and/or owners	Relationship is based on ecological theory discussed by for example Arrhenius, 1921, McArthur & Wilson, 1967 and Rosenzweig, 1995.
Model development history	The species area relationship was applied as an indicator of biodiversity in the Millennium Ecosystem Assessment (MA, 2005a).
Target Group/users	The SAR has not been applied for large-scale biodiversity assessments after the MA.
Calibration	Not available
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	uncertainty analysis was done by van Vuuren et al., 2006
Key reference	Pimm et al., 1995, Pimm et al., 2006, van Vuuren et al, 2006
Level of integration	Next to the species-area relationship, in the MA methodology also nitrogen deposition was incorporated as pressure on biodiversity (MA, 2005e).
Links to other models	During the MA the changes in the species area relationship was based on land use changes calculated by the IMAGE model.
Ease of use/accessibility	Equations have been published and calculations can easily be done.
Website	none
Model structure	Not available

1.1.8 Ocean Models

Model name	ASSETS
Full model name	Assessment of Estuarine Trophic Status
Model type	Biogeochemistry models
Subtype	Hydrology
Thematic coverage	Water quality, Trophic status, Human influence
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Comparison of anthropogenic land-based and oceanic nutrient loading with natural background concentrations, estimates of susceptibility; Nitrogen and Phosphorous levels, Chlorophyll a and macroalgae growth, algal dominance changes, loss of SAV, dissolved oxygen, harmful algae coverage; susceptibility, capacity of the system to dilute and/or flush nutrients, predictions of nutrient loading based on expected population increase, planned management actions, and expected change sin watershed uses.
Output variables) (key)	Indicator of Overall Human Influence on the system; An assessment of the current state of the system; and the future Response of the system under different scenarios.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Estuarine/Watershed level. Currently, there are 157 assessed estuarine systems in ASSETS primarily based in the U.S. But there are a number of international records. Resolution of output is based the the bathymetry grid used, however the details are not specified in the peer-reviewed methodology.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Provides an assessment of current state (sets reference conditions) and forecasts future outlook based on the susceptibility of the system and one of three options: 1) Future nutrient pressures decrease; Future nutrient pressures are unchanged; and Future nutrient pressures are increase. Temporal resolution is not specifically defined and is referred to as 'Future Outlook' based on data such as demographic projections.
Analytical technique	A screening model that uses a Pressure-State-Response framework
Model developers and/or owners	ASSETS was developed from the National Estuarine Eutrophication Assessment (NEEA) methodology originally developed by a team of people from NOAA, other federal and state agencies, private organisations, colleges and universities. ASSETS was

	developed by a team of NOAA scientists and researchers from the EU, working at the Institute for Marine Research (IMAR).
Model development history	ASSETS was developed from the National Estuarine Eutrophication Assessment (NEEA) that was launched in 1990. 1990 - 1998: Data and information of 138 estuaries and coastal waters was collected from approximately 400 scientists using an expert knowledge engineering approach. Five regional reports detailed conditions and trends of 16 indicator variables within US estuarine and coastal systems. 1998 - 1999: Data and information from the Estuarine Eutrophication Survey Synthesis to NEAA and development of eutrophication assessment method. 2001: Improvement of NEAA and development into ASSETS. 2002: NEEA Update workshop and guidance document. 2003 - 2005: Application of NEAA/ASSETS methodology to update 13 North and Mid-Atlantic systems and development of a human use indicator to complement the ASSETS eutrophication indicators through a partnership with UMD, UNH, UMASS, Maine State Planning Office, and EPA (funding through CICEET). 2003: Application of the NEEA/ASSETS methodology to 10 estuarine and coastal systems in the European Union (Portugal); Research into the addition of typology criteria for eutrophication symptom range definitions. 2004: Development of the http://www.eutro.org website, listing ASSETS scores for systems from the US, EU (Germany, Ireland, Portugal), and China. COMPASS initiative, bringing together ad hoc group from the EU and the US in order to examine a possible harmonization between OSPAR-COMPP and ASSETS. 2005: Application of ASSETS methodology to North East National Estuarine Research Reserve (NERR) systems using the System Wide Monitoring Data (SWMP) (funding through CICEET – Cooperative Institute for Coastal and Estuarine Environmental Technology). Preparation of a University of Maryland Center for Environmental Studies – NOAA partnership in order to apply the NEEA/ASSETS methodology via an online survey and National Workshop to update the National Estuarine Eutrophication Assessment for 138 US estuaries and coastal waterbodies. Preparation of a joint US-EU-China initiative (NOAA-IMAR-SOA) in order to apply ASSETS to Chinese coastal systems, and further develop and test the methodology.
Target Group/users	Managers and Policy-makers: NEEA's aim was to define the United States national resource base and develop a national assessment capability and the aim of the ASSETS project was to provide an update and improve NEEA, using real data that was consistent with the philosophy of the original work but more robust in methodology.
Calibration	The ASSETS approach has been intercalibrated with the original NEEA work is demonstrated for 82 U.S. Estuaries in the key reference paper.
Validation	Conclusions are validated against a more extensive set of data from the original NEEA survey.
Uncertainty analysis	Not Specified
Key reference	Bricker et al. (2003).
Level of integration	Limited - based on assessment of eutrophication/water quality only.
Links to other models	No links with other models are specified. Related assessments and programmes include: Comparison and Assessment of Eutrophication (COMPASS); EPA National Coastal Assessment (NCA); CICEET Gulf of Maine Project: data acquisition and development of metrics and indices to describe the status and track trends of nutrient related water quality in estuaries and coastal waters; NOAA National estuarine Eutrophication Assessment Update Program.
Ease of use/accessibility	Good - use of clear, colour-coded system. ASSETS application is freely available for download at: http://www.eutro.org/register/ . It is available in four languages including Chinese. Results for the applications of ASSETS are available through the website: http://www.eutro.org/syslist.aspx . User manual is not available however the ASSETS programme includes a tutorial.
Website	http://www.eutro.org/
Comments/remarks	By focusing on commonalities and differences between U.S. And E.U. estuarine systems and coastal zones, ASSETS may provide a stepping stone towards a unified system or systems which may accommodate the diversity of pressure, state, and responses of both regions.



Model name	Atlantis
Full model name	
Model type	Biogeochemical
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	Ecosystem modelling, fisheries management
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Biogeochemical ecosystem model (consumption, production, waste production, migration, predation, recruitment, habitat dependency, and natural and fishing mortality); Hydrographic transport model; Fisheries fleet statistics (target, byproduct and bycatch groups, gear type (and associated selectivity curve and habitat impacts), habitat dependency, discarding, and effort allocation submodels).
Output variables) (key)	Marine ecosystem dynamics are represented by spatially explicit submodels that simulate hydrographic processes, biogeochemical factors driving primary production, food web relations among functional groups, crude habitat interactions, and fishing fleet behaviour.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Atlantis has been applied at a fine scale (specific bays/current systems) in a number of locations, initially around Australia but also the Californian Current. The spatial geometry of the model is one made up of polygons which correspond to the geographical form of the study area. The area and shape of the polygons reflect the speed with which physical variables change with particular parts of the study area. This modelling approach is advantageous as it can be modified to nest fine-scale models within a coarser scale resolution.
Temporal coverage and resolution	For computational efficiency, a daily time step is used wherever possible. Within the biological modules however, a daily timestep may make the

	variables with fast dynamics become unstable. Therefore, while some groups (e.g. Fish) work on a daily time step other groups (e.g. phytoplankton) use an adaptive timestep, which is repeated until a full 24-h period has been completed. In the original Bay Model 2 (BM2), from which Atlantis was derived, the model runs span a 20-yr time period (beginning after a 10 yr burn-in period) with output recorded every 14 days. Simulations lasting 100 yrs were also undertaken to check for long period cycles and to verify that the models had reached a representative state at the end of the 30 yr period.
Analytical technique	Deterministic, spatially explicit model.
Model developers and/or owners	Elizabeth A. Fulton, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization (CSIRO), Division of Marine Research, Australia. Funding for Atlantis is provided by NOAA NMFS, NOAA Fisheries and the Environment (FATE), NOAA NMFS Economic Program, Moore Foundation, and the Packard Foundation.
Model development history	Atlantis was developed from a series of models that explored optimal ecosystem model complexity. A precursor to Atlantis, the integrated Generic Bay Ecosystem Model (IGBEM) (Fulton et al. 2004a), was a combination of the biological modules of the European Regional Seas Ecosystem Model (ERSEM) and the physical processes and spatial layout of the Port Philip Bay Integrated Model. Efforts to simplify the physiological processes in IGBEM resulted in the Bay Model 2 (BM2), a more parsimonious framework that still effectively captures system dynamics. Atlantis is a modified version of BM2, established to improve upon ecosystem based fishery management tools (text taken from Brand et al. 2007).
Target Group/users	Atlantis is targetted at those involved in ecosystem/fisheries Management Strategy Evaluation (MSE), in which management policies and assessment methods are tested against simulations that represent a real ecosystem and its complexities. For example, the model can identify trade offs between species, fleets and management goals, and to identify effects of management policies. It is not intended for tactical management, for instance setting quotas for target stocks. Atlantis has been applied to more than 15 ecosystems, primarily in the temperate waters of Australia and the US, and has been rated in high regard by the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO).
Calibration	Atlantis is calibrated to a wide range of data depending upon the area to which it is being applied. Tuning needs to be carried out until all groups persist and numerical stability is achieved. Model calibration currently involves trial and error and some users have calibrated the model manually due to long model run times that prevent the searching of the parameter space with automated procedures (Brand et al. 2007). The tuning procedure can use, as a reference point, values from the literature or outputs of other models such as Ecopath.
Validation	Model outputs are referenced against actual environmental data available for the area. This does potentially restrict the model to use in areas where a great deal of information is already available.
Uncertainty analysis	As Atlantis incorporates a great many parameters (despite being originally scaled down from the IGBEM model) a systematic sensitivity analysis is impractical. However, Fulton et al. (2004) recommends the use of factor screening to identify the most sensitive parts of the model and the exploration of the effects of the resulting restricted set of parameters.
Key reference	Fulton et al., 2004a; Fulton et al., 2004b; Fulton et al., 2005; Brand et al. 2007
Level of integration	Good - links biological, chemical, ecological, and fisheries data.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. Atlantis is built from a number of biological, physical, and fisheries sub-models.
Ease of use/accessibility	Modelling process is complex and would need to be carried out by a specialist. Background publications are readily available in the scientific literature, however technical papers are relatively inaccessible and the model developers would need to be contacted for further information. The model

	cannot be downloaded.
Website	http://www.csiro.au/science/ps3i4.html
Model structure	<p>Figure 1. Schematic of Atlantis modules for oceanography, ecology, and fishing. This paper discusses the ecology and hydrographic submodels.</p>

Model name	Aus-ConnIe
Full model name	Australian Connectivity Interface
Model type	Biogeochemistry models
Subtype	Oceanography, Connectivity
Thematic coverage	Ocean circulation, larval dispersal, larval recruitment, contaminant dispersal.
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Sea level (Altimeter and Tide gauges); Wind fields; Particle trajectories; Geostrophic currents; Wind forced components; Estimates of ocean currents;
Output (key variables)	Maps showing land masses, the 200m depth contour, and spatial connectivity statistics for the user specified source or sink.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Australia; 0.5 degree geographical grid; All statistics were based on currents and trajectories computed at a fixed depth of Z = 20m, which was taken to be representative of surface waters where larval concentrations tend to be highest.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Monthly and quarterly statistics are available, calculated as T (dispersion period = 10 and 20 days for monthly, and 30, 40, 60, and 80 days for the quarterly. Probabilities were calculated from day 1 of the calendar month/quarter to day T, then from day 2 to day T+1, until reaching the last day of the month/quarter. The probabilities were then averaged to give a probability distribution representative of that month/quarter.
Analytical technique	Statistical model which analyzes of the particle trajectory information to give the following for each grid cell: 1) The probability that particles beginning within any user specified region will be inside the grid cell at the end of the dispersion period (i.e. lifetime); 2) The probability that particles beginning within any user specified region will reach the grid cell before the end of the dispersion period; 3) The probability that particles arriving within any user specified region were inside the grid cell exactly one dispersion period previously; and 4) The probability that particles arriving within any specified region were inside the grid cell anytime within the previous dispersion period.
Model developers and/or owners	Aus-Connie was developed as part of the Strategic marine Fund for the Marine Environment (SRFME), a joint venture between CSIRO and the Western Australian State Government. Team: Scott Condie (Project leader), Jim Mansbridge (Statistical Programming), Jason Waring (Senior Web Interface/Designer), Irshad Nainar (Web Interface/Database), and Madeleine Cahill (Altimetry Analysis).
Model development history	Aus-Connie was developed in 2003 and is based on JEMS-Connie, a connectivity tool developed by CSIRO Marine Research as part of the North West Shelf Joint Environmental Management Study (NWSJEMS). JEMS-

	Connie differs in that the domain is restricted to the North West Shelf of Western Australia, and the statistics were derived particle trajectories using hydrodynamic current fields. Access to JEMS-Connie is restricted.
Target Group/users	Aus-Connie has been developed as a web-tool for marine scientists and managers to investigate the large-scale patterns of spatial connectivity around Australia associated with ocean currents.
Calibration	Ocean current data are calibrated from: sea level anomalies (Topex/Poseidon satellite altimeter (9.9 day global cycle); ERS satellite altimeter (35 day global cycle); and tide-gauges from the Australian coastline); Temperature and Salinity measurements (a range of sources including the NODC World Ocean Atlas 1994 hydrographic data; CSIRO RV Franklin; RV Southern Surveyor; and SRV Aurora Australis); and Wind fields (NCEP-NCAR 40-year Reanalysis data set).
Validation	The model has been validated through comparisons with all the World Ocean Circulation Experiment (WOCE) satellite tracked surface drogued drifters in the region from January 1994 to December 1999.
Uncertainty analysis	Not Specified
Key reference	Condie et al., 2005
Level of integration	Limited - based on oceanographic variables of ocean currents.
Links to other models	No links with other models are specified. Aus-Connie was developed from the JEMS-Connie model.
Ease of use/accessibility	Relatively simple, the user must select: 1) A region of interest on the map (0.5 degree resolution); 2) Whether the selected region represents a source or a sink; 3) The year and month(s) on which the connectivity statistics will be based; 4) The dispersion period (10, Or 20 days for monthly or 30, 40, 60 or 80 days for quarterly); and 5) Whether the connectivity probabilities are based only on particle distribution at the end of the dispersion period (after lifetime), or on all the particle distributions that occur over the dispersion period (within lifetime).
Website	http://www.per.marine.csiro.au/aus-connie/index.html
Model structure	Not available

Model name	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean
Full model name	
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Indicator model
Thematic coverage	Human influence, ecological change, threat indices
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Expert survey; 17 anthropogenic drivers of ecosystem change - weighted by their estimated ecological impact; maps of 14 marine ecosystems; models of 6 marine ecosystems.
Output (key variables)	A single comparable estimate of cumulative human impact on 20 ecosystem types.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Global but can be applied at the local- and regional-scale; 1km ² resolution grid.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Datasets used are from a number of different year-ranges and so no specific output time is specified. The model implies that it is representing a reference level for current (2008) cumulative human impact, however this is not specifically discussed in the published paper or the supplementary materials.
Analytical technique	Ecosystem-specific, multi-scale, spatial, additive model
Model developers and/or owners	Benjamin S. Halpern and team at UCSB. The work was funded by the National Center for Ecological analysis and Synthesis (NCEAS) and supported by the National Science Foundation and a grant from the David and Lucile Packard Foundation to evaluate ecosystem based management in coastal areas.
Model development history	Model published in 2008.
Target Group/users	The model is aimed at managers, conservation groups, and policymakers, and has been widely used by many organisations since its publication (Web of Knowledge records

	33 citations for this paper since February 2008). The model has been as a layer in documents designed to inform policy makers on threats and protection priorities for marine systems.
Calibration	Weighting of the different datasets was calibrated through an expert survey that assessed the vulnerability of each ecosystem to each driver on the basis of 5 ecological traits.
Validation	Impact scores were 'ground-truthed' using global estimates of the condition of marine ecosystems from previous studies; Results with weighting values from the expert survey (which assessed the vulnerability of each ecosystem to each driver on the basis of 5 ecological traits) were very similar to simulated values, with values slightly but significantly different from null expectations for the categories of very low, medium, medium high, and very high impact. Also, tested an alternative cumulative impact model based on the average driver-by-ecosystem impact scores rather than the sum. There was a very high correlation between outputs of the summed vs. average models showing that the spatial pattern of relative impact is very similar under either model. There was also a positive correlation between the average cumulative impact scores and ocean condition in the ground truth regions. Using the new regression equation from this groundtruth correlation led to very similar percents of the ocean in each impact category compared to the summed model.
Uncertainty analysis	Good - Model considers a broad range of anthropogenic drivers including climate change, pollution, invasive species, and fisheries.
Key reference	Halpern et al., 2008
Level of integration	Good - Model considers a broad range of anthropogenic drivers including climate change, pollution, invasive species, and fisheries.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. Previously published models were used to develop data layers and distribution models of 6 marine ecosystems were created through this process.
Ease of use/accessibility	Modelling process is relatively complex, however the final outputs and data layers are available for download through the internet and the cumulative index is easily understandable with the following categories: Very Low impact, Low impact, Medium impact, Medium High impact, High impact, and Very High impact.
Website	http://www.nceas.ucsb.edu/GlobalMarine
Model structure	<p>The diagram illustrates the model structure. It starts with 'Original Driver Data' (SST, Shipping, Dem, dest fish, Org. pollutant, Dem, low fish) which are processed through a 'Log Rescale' step to become 'Transformed Driver Data (T_i)'. These are then summed with 'Ecosystem Data (E_j)' (Coral, Hard/Soft, Seagrass) to produce 'Summed Drivers'. These summed drivers are then weighted (W_{ij}) to produce 'Cumulative Impacts', which are finally 'Ground-truthed' to produce 'Human Impact Categories'.</p>

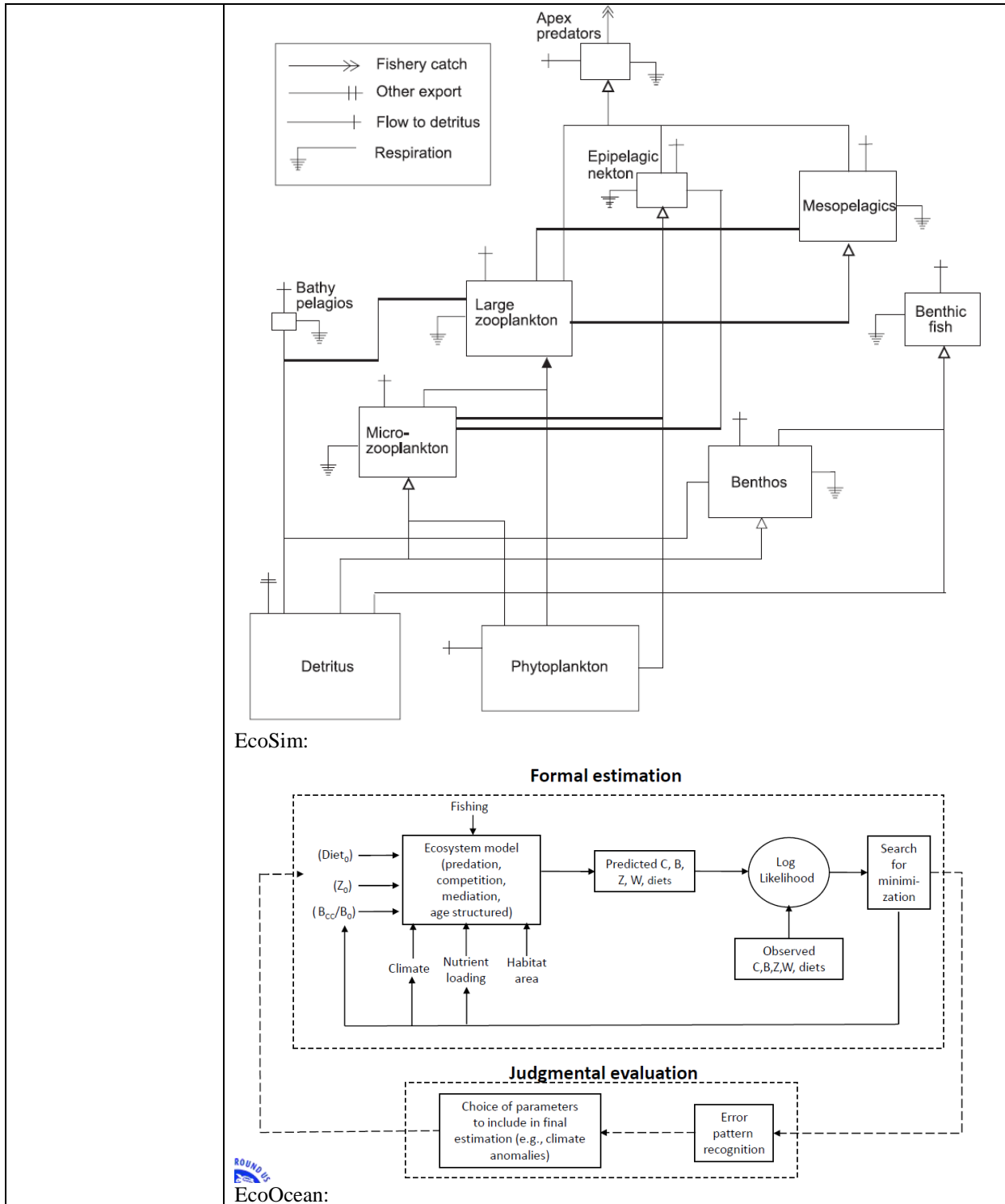
Model name	ERSEM II
Full model name	European Regional Seas Ecosystem Model
Model type	Biogeochemical model
Subtype	ocean
Thematic coverage	Annual nutrient cycling, Regional Seas, physical parameters, biological parameters, benthic and pelagic coupling.

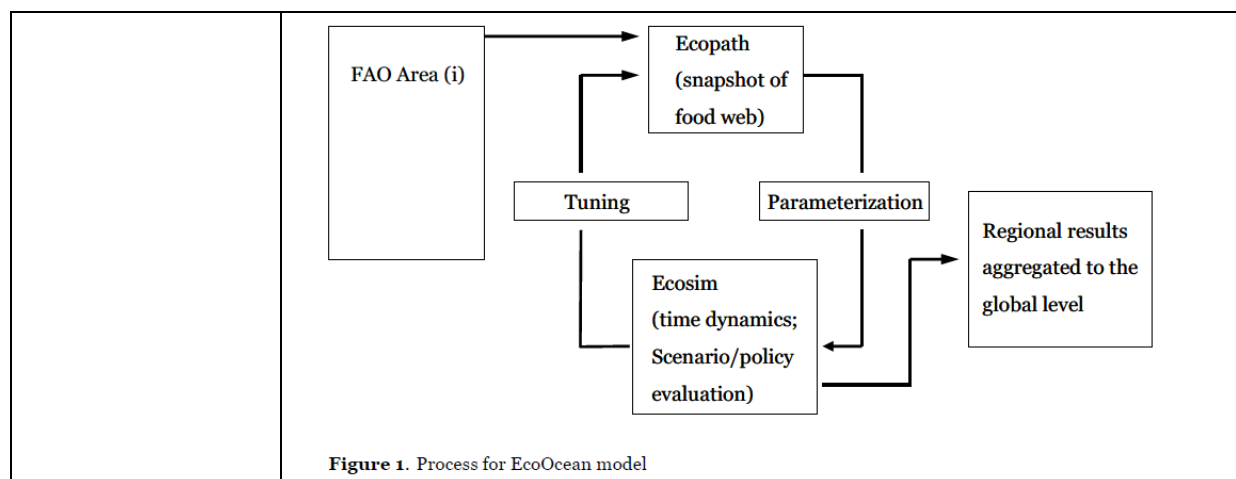
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Pelagic model: Phytoplankton (regulating factors; carbon dynamics; phosphorous dynamics; nitrogen dynamics; silicate dynamics; sinking of phytoplankton); Pelagic bacteria (Environmental regulating factors; Carbon dynamics; Nutrient Dynamics); Microzooplankton (Carbon dynamics; Nutrient dynamics); Mesozooplankton (Carbon dynamics; Nutrient dynamics; The assimilation balance); Pelagic nutrients; Dissolved oxygen and reduction equivalents (Oxygen re-aeration); and Dissolved and particulate organic matter. Benthic model: Benthic organisms (Environmental regulating factors; Carbon dynamics; Filter feeders; Nutrient dynamics; Assimilation balance); Benthic decomposers (Environmental regulating factors; Carbon dynamics; Nutrient dynamics; Assimilation balance); The organic matter in the sediments; Benthic nutrients and other dissolved components (Inputs to the benthic nutrients model; Ammonium; Nitrate; Phosphate; Silicate; Reduction equivalents; Dissolved organic matter); Oxygen distribution in the sediments; Shifting of the layers.
Output variables (key variables)	Simulations of the annual cycles of carbon, nitrogen, phosphorus and silicon in the pelagic and benthic components of the marine ecosystem.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Dependent on resolution of the model that it is coupled to. ERSEM's upper boxes extend from the surface to 30 m, the lower boxes from 30 m to the bottom. When coupled to high resolution hydrodynamic models, ERSEM can be applied over large geographical scales. ERSEM could be adapted for other regions as it is essentially a generic model which is then coupled to an appropriate physical model for a region, such as the General Ocean Turbulence Model (GOTM). ERSEM has been shown to be equally applicable in tropical and warm temperate systems such as the Arabian Sea, Mediterranean and Irish Seas (Allen, Blackford and Radford, 1998; Allen, Sommerfield and Siddorn, 2002; Crise et al., 1999). Studies of land-ocean interaction have ranged from shallow coastal lagoons to an assessment of riverine influence on the North Sea basin. Basin scale and open ocean applications in 1, 2 and 3 dimensions
Temporal coverage and resolution	Dependent on resolution of the model that it is coupled to. When coupled to high resolution hydrodynamic models, ERSEM can be applied over large temporal scales. ERSEM also provides a model mesocosm environment that can be expected to react in a qualitatively correct manner to seasonal, regional and inter-annual variations. ERSEM model can reproduce long term inter-annual variations in mesozooplankton biomass seen in the CPR dataset.
Analytical technique	Statistical analysis of ecosystem dynamics.
Model developers and/or owners	ERSEM II was developed by a consortium of organisations, namely: Netherlands Institute for Sea Research (NIOZ); Plymouth Marine Laboratory (PML); Institut für Meereskunde, University of Hamburg; Scottish Office Agriculture and Fisheries Department Marine Laboratory; Culterty Field Station, University of Aberdeen; Department of Statistics and Modelling Science, University of Strathclyde; Ecological Modelling Centre, Joint Department of DHI/VKI; Carl von Ossietzky University. ERSEM II was an EU Project in the Marine Science and Technology programme (MAST).
Model development history	ERSEM I was developed from 1990-1993. ERSEM II was developed from 1993-1996 with the objective of developing a generic model system of the cycling of carbon and the macro-nutrients nitrate, ammonium, phosphate and silicate in the temperate shelf seas of Europe. ERSEM II has since been applied to a range of other environments. Details of the versions of ERSEM are as follows: the 15-box version ERSEM I, based on a subdivision of the North Sea simulation area into 10 upper and 5 lower boxes; the 130-box version ERSEM II, based on a subdivision of the North Sea into 85 upper and 45 lower boxes; the 138-box version of ERSEM, called COCOA (COntinental COastal Application), based on a subdivision of the North Sea into 93 upper and 45 lower boxes with refined boxes in the southern North Sea and along the British and Danish coasts. Programming language: FORTRAN
Target Group/users	Scientists, policy-makers and managers. One of the main objectives of the ERSEM II project was to develop a model system with a prognostic

	capability in order for it to be useful as a decision-support tool.
Calibration	The major data sources that were used to calibrate the ERSEM datasets were a) datasets of original observations compiled in the ECOMOD database of the Institut für Meereskunde (IfM) of the University of Hamburg and b) a dataset of monthly mean values of phosphate, nitrate, ammonium, silicate and chlorophyll, provided by the International Council of the Sea (ICES) for IfM. The dataset from ICES was based on data of the years 1985-1994 from the north-west European shelf, using a 1° x 1° resolution, as for ERSEM II. ICES provided climatological arithmetic means, medians, standard deviations and quantiles for the five parameters mentioned.
Validation	The ERSEM model's range of processes provides confidence in its predictive capabilities. For example, recent work has demonstrated that the ERSEM model can reproduce long term inter-annual variations in mesozooplankton biomass seen in the Continuous Plankton Recorder (CPR) dataset. ERSEM's prognostic capability has been tested by making a 40-year-long hindcast with realistic physical forcing and realistic river inputs.
Uncertainty analysis	Not specified
Key reference	ERSEM-II European Regional Seas Ecosystem Model II (1993-1996), Journal of Sea Research (special issue), 1997, 38(3-4).
Level of integration	Limited - focuses on lower trophic levels of pelagic and benthic systems. However this model is deemed generic when coupled with a qualitatively accurate physical model and so exhibits high interoperability with other types of data.
Links to other models	ERSEM was conceived as a generic model, which, when coupled to a qualitatively correct physical model, such as the General Ocean Turbulence Model (GOTM), should be capable of correctly simulating the spatial pattern of ecological fluxes throughout the seasonal cycle and across eutrophic to oligotrophic gradients of the North Sea.
Ease of use/accessibility	Modelling process is complex and would need to be carried out by a specialist. All methods are fully and transparently published and discussed in the scientific literature and ftp site (http://web.pml.ac.uk/ecomodels/ersem.htm). The model is not yet downloadable from the PML website although there is a link to it meaning that it possibly may be available in the future - for further information on this contact modelling@pml.ac.uk .
Website	http://web.pml.ac.uk/ecomodels/index.html
Model structure	<p>The diagram illustrates the ERSEM model structure, divided into three main vertical sections: Forcing, Physics, and Ecosystem. Forcing: Includes atmospheric inputs like Cloud Cover, Wind Stress, Irradiation, and Heat Flux. Physics: Shows 0D, 1D, and 3D models, with 3D models labeled as GOTM and POLCOMS. It is influenced by Rivers and boundaries from the UK and MO. Ecosystem: Divided into Atmosphere and Ocean layers. Atmosphere: Shows gas exchange of O₂, CO₂, and DMS. Ocean: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surface Layer: Phytoplankton (Pico-f, Flagellates, Coccoliths, Diatoms) and Bacteria. Nutrients include Si, NO₃, NH₄, and PO₄. Processes include Particulates, Dissolved, and DIC. Intermediate Layer: Heterotrophs, Micro-Consumers, and Meso-Consumers. Includes Suspension Feeders. Bottom Layer: Aerobic Bacteria, Anaerobic Bacteria, and Deposit Feeders. The layer is divided into an Oxygenated Layer and a Redox Discontinuity Layer (Reduced Layer). Nutrients are recycled. </p> <p>Plymouth Marine Laboratory ERSEM model schematic</p>

Model name	EwE, Ecospace & EcoOcean
Full model name	Ecopath with Ecosim, Ecospace & EcoOcean
Model type	Biogeochemical model
Subtype	Ecosystem model
Thematic coverage	Trophic interactions, population dynamics, ecosystem valuation, simulations.
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Ecopath requires input of three of the following four parameters: Biomass; Production/Biomass ratio (or total mortality); Consumption/Biomass ratio; and Ecotrophic efficiency for each of the functional groups in the model. Ecosim inherits its initial key parameters from the base Ecopath model, and can incorporate (and benefits from) time series data, e.g. those available from single species stock assessments. This can include fishing effort or fishing mortality data. Ecospace also relies on the Ecopath mass-balance approach for most of its parameterisation. Additional inputs are movement rates used to compute exchanges between grid cells, estimates of the importance of trophic interactions (top-down vs. bottom-up control), and habitat preferences for each of the functional groups included in the model. EcoOcean builds on EwE by incorporating 43 functional groupings, global datasets of catches, ex-vessel prices, biomass and distant water fleets from the Sea Around Us project and the fleet statistics from FAO.
Output variables (key variables)	Ecopath creates a static mass-balanced snapshot of the resources in an ecosystem and their interactions, represented by trophically linked biomass 'pools'. The biomass pools consist of single species, or species groups representing ecological guilds. Pools may then be further split into ontogenetic (juvenile/adult) groups that can then be linked together in Ecosim. Ecosim provides a dynamic simulation capability at the ecosystem level. Biomass flux rates among pools are expressed as a function of time varying biomass and harvest rates. Ecosim allows variable speed splitting to enable efficient modelling of the dynamics of both 'fast' (phytoplankton) and 'slow' groups (whales). It computes the effects of micro-scale behaviours on macro-scale rates: top-down vs. bottom-up control incorporated explicitly. Ecosim also includes biomass and size structure dynamics for key ecosystem groups (incorporating: multi-stanza life stage structure by monthly cohorts, density- and risk-dependent growth; adult numbers, biomass, mean size accounting via delay-difference equations; stock-recruitment relationship as an 'emergent' property of competition/predation interactions of juveniles. Predator prey interactions are moderated by prey behaviour to limit exposure to predation, such that biomass flux patterns can show either bottom-up or top-down control. This is a critical concept in Ecosim - that consumption rates or flows may be limited by 'risk management' behaviours of prey and predators at very small space-time scales. Through repeated simulations Ecosim allows for the fitting of predicted biomasses to time series data. Together, EwE build on the traditional stock assessment, using much more of the information available from these, while integrating to the ecosystem level. Ecospace represents biomass dynamics over two-dimensional space as well as time, i.e. biomasses are represented by equations and as varying with spatial coordinates as well as with time. EcoOcean provides a global database of fishing effort thus providing the opportunity to look at the future of marine biodiversity using a depletion index as a proxy for changes in species composition and abundance under different scenarios.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Multi-scale, ecosystem models. Ecospace is the only component that provides spatial representation and uses user-defined grid cells. EcoOcean uses the 19 FAO statistical areas of the world as its finest geographical scale. These areas can then be aggregated to a global total.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Ecopath does not have a temporal component. Ecosim provides data in monthly intervals in order to allow for seasonality and short life-spans. Ecospace time intervals are user defined, ranging from relatively short timescales (0.2 years) to longer time scales (2yrs). EcoOcean is run from monthly time steps from the year 1950.
Analytical technique	Ecopath = mass-balance model; Ecosim = time-dynamic model; Ecospace = spatial simulation model; EcoOcean = stratified global model.
Model developers and/or owners	Fisheries Centre, University of British Columbia. Key developers include Daniel Pauly, Carl Walters and Villy Christensen. EwE is sponsored by the Sea Around Us Project, the UBC Fisheries Centre, and Lenfest Ocean Futures.
Model development	1992: Ecopath methodology published; 1997: Ecosim methodology published; 1999:

history	Ecospace methodology published; 2000: Ecosim II methodology published; 2007: EcoOcean methodology published.
Target Group/users	EwE is aimed at policy-makers, scientists, and managers. EwE has been used in fisheries policy exploration exercises with the FAO at a workshop at University of British Columbia in 2000. EwE has also been a component of global environmental assessments, in particular the Millennium Ecosystem Assessment and the GEO-3 and -4. EcoOcean has been included in the scenario exploration for GEO-4.
Calibration	The core routine of Ecopath is calibrated from the Ecopath program of Polovina (1984a; 1984b) modified to render superfluous its original assumption of steady state. Ecopath no longer assumes steady state but instead bases the parameterization on an assumption of mass balance over an arbitrary period, usually a year. Ecosim and Ecospace are both calibrated to the outputs of Ecopath. Ecopath is in turn recalibrated based upon the outputs of Ecosim and Ecospace and rerun until external validation is achieved. EcoOcean is parameterised using an array of global databases, most of which are developed/made available through the Sea Around Us Project (www.seaaroundus.org).
Validation	Models are fitted to time series reference data with a long a reference period, with as many different disturbance patterns, as it is possible to assemble. Developers recommend an iterative, stepwise procedure for model fitting: Set up an Ecosim model and reference time series (of forcing inputs like fishing rates, and indices of temporal system response like relative biomasses and estimated total mortality rates). Examine the simulated and observed time patterns of response indices, look for groups that show large discrepancies in time pattern (trend), with particular emphasis on groups that have high biomass and are important prey or predator for other groups. As an example, sardines and anchovy in a Benguela model (Shannon et al., 2004) showed upward trend in data but not in initial simulation results. Focus in turn on each such group, and examine alternative hypotheses for the discrepancy (by varying appropriate parameters to see if the model fit is improved). EcoOcean modelled fisheries effort for 1950-2003 were validated against the reported totals for this period and fell within 10% of the reported total.
Uncertainty analysis	Semi-Bayesian sampling routine is employed to explicitly consider the numerical uncertainty associated with the inputs.
Key reference	Ecopath: Christensen & Pauly (1992), Ecosim: Walters et al. (1997)72; Ecosim II: Walters et al., (2000); Ecospace: Walters et al. (1999); EwE overview: Pauly et al., (2000), –Christensen et al. (2000), Christensen et al., (2005); EcoOcean: Alder et al., (2007)
Level of integration	Good - links traditional stock assessment data with actual population dynamics to provide a realistic system model that is integrated at the ecosystem level. This can then be combined with management regimes in Ecospace (e.g. Marine protected areas) and fisheries data in EcoOcean. The models in this series are linked in a hierarchical manner (i.e. outputs of Ecopath feed into Ecosim, outputs of EwE feed into Ecospace, and these outputs feed into Ecoval).
Links to other models	EwE has also been soft linked with a number of other models to develop the Millennium Ecosystem Assessment scenarios and the GEO-3 and -4 projections. In the MA, these models were IMPACT, WaterGAP, IMAGE, a Freshwater Biodiversity Model, a Terrestrial Biodiversity Model, and AIM, and in the GEO analyses the models were International Futures, IMAGE, IMPACT, WaterGAP, GLOBIO, LandSHIFT, CLUE-S, and AIM. EcoOcean was also used to inform the IAASTD (AgAssessment). EcoOcean is also being developed as a marine equivalent of the MSA produced by the GLOBIO assessment.
Ease of use/accessibility	Modelling process is complex and would need to be carried out by a specialist. However, all methods are fully and transparently published and discussed in the scientific literature. All data sets and the model are freely available to download online at: http://www.nceas.ucsb.edu/GlobalMarine
Website	http://www.ecopath.org/
Model structure	Ecopath:





Model name	GEEM
Full model name	General Equilibrium Ecosystem Model
Model type	Biogeochemical model
Subtype	Ecosystem model
Thematic coverage	Trophic interactions, population dynamics, fisheries management, resource valuation, simulations.
Input (key drivers and pressures)	For each species in the food web being studied the following energy parameters are used: embodied energy; energy supplies; variable respiration; fixed respiration; and growth rates.
Output (key variables)	For each species in the food web being studied the following energy parameters are calculated for period t: populations; energy demands; energy prices; and net energies.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Multi-scale, ecosystem model based around food webs. Resolution measures are not applicable as spatial representation of outputs is not available.
Temporal coverage and resolution	For the individual organism the model is non-stochastic and time is omitted. Omitting time eliminates dynamic aspects such as age structure issues, however it is necessary for tractability and to be consistent with applied general equilibrium (AGE) models. The model has two components: short-run and long-run equilibrium. The short run is defined as that time over which the populations of all species are constant. In the long-run, populations of species are variable; they adjust to move toward a long-run equilibrium in which all organisms have zero net energy and the short run equilibrium conditions hold. In long-run outputs, time steps are defined by period t.
Analytical technique	Statistical model which captures salient biological functions and provides numerical simulations of marine food webs, which can be then integrated with extant economic models.
Model developers and/or owners	The model was originally developed by John Tschirhart at the Department of Economics and Finance, University of Wyoming. This research was supported by a U.S. Environmental Protection Agency grant and by the State of Wyoming.
Model development history	The GEEM methodology was originally published in the Journal of Theoretical Biology in 2000. It has since been built on and applied by many members of the scientific community.
Target Group/users	The model is recognised as being primarily aimed at policy-makers as it is assumed that improved policies will follow from models that incorporate both economies and ecosystems. As models of economies already exist, the aim of this approach was develop an ecosystem model that is compatible with these economic models and which also captures salient biological features. Besides these benefits, the GEEM is also identified as being useful for addressing purely biological issues and so is also targetted at the scientific community. GEEM has been recognised by FAO as an approach for

	integrating ecosystem considerations into their fisheries models.
Calibration	Parameters within the boundaries defined by the validation methodology can be calibrated through statistical estimation applied to sample data from well defined populations. E.g. To estimate a supply function for an organism, data would include calories of energy and grams of biomass exchanged between predator and prey under varying climatic conditions and abiotic surroundings.
Validation	The bounds on parameters can be set through validation by the following data: observations about the relationships between population densities and predation; necessary and sufficient conditions for a maximum to the net energy problem; and estimates of ecological efficiencies. In the simulations, parameter values were chosen so that the computed ecological efficiencies were within an order of magnitude of efficiencies observed in field work.
Uncertainty analysis	Not specified
Key reference	Tschirhart, 2008
Level of integration	Limited - model only considers energy interactions and the trophic dynamics of an ecosystem. However, when linked with an economic model, economic valuation of these relationships under change can be quantified and thus provide an end result with a much higher level of integration.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. The model is designed to be linked with a general equilibrium economic model by identifying key variables that influence both systems and determining where to incorporate them. Humans interact with ecosystems in a myriad of ways that can be addressed by augmenting the net energy expression in the GEEM. Species populations are the most likely candidates for ecosystem variables that can be included in economic models.
Ease of use/accessibility	Modelling process is complex and would need to be carried out by a specialist. However, all methods and results are fully and transparently published and discussed in the scientific literature. The model cannot be downloaded.
Website	Not applicable
Comments/remarks	The overall goal is to develop a general equilibrium ecosystem model that yields organisms' demands for and supplied of biomass, and to design the model in a way that allows it to be integrated with a general equilibrium model of an economy. Numerical simulations in the key reference use a marine food web in Alaska to illustrate the model and to show several simultaneous predator/prey relationships, prey switching of the top predator, and energy flows through the web.
Model structure	Not available

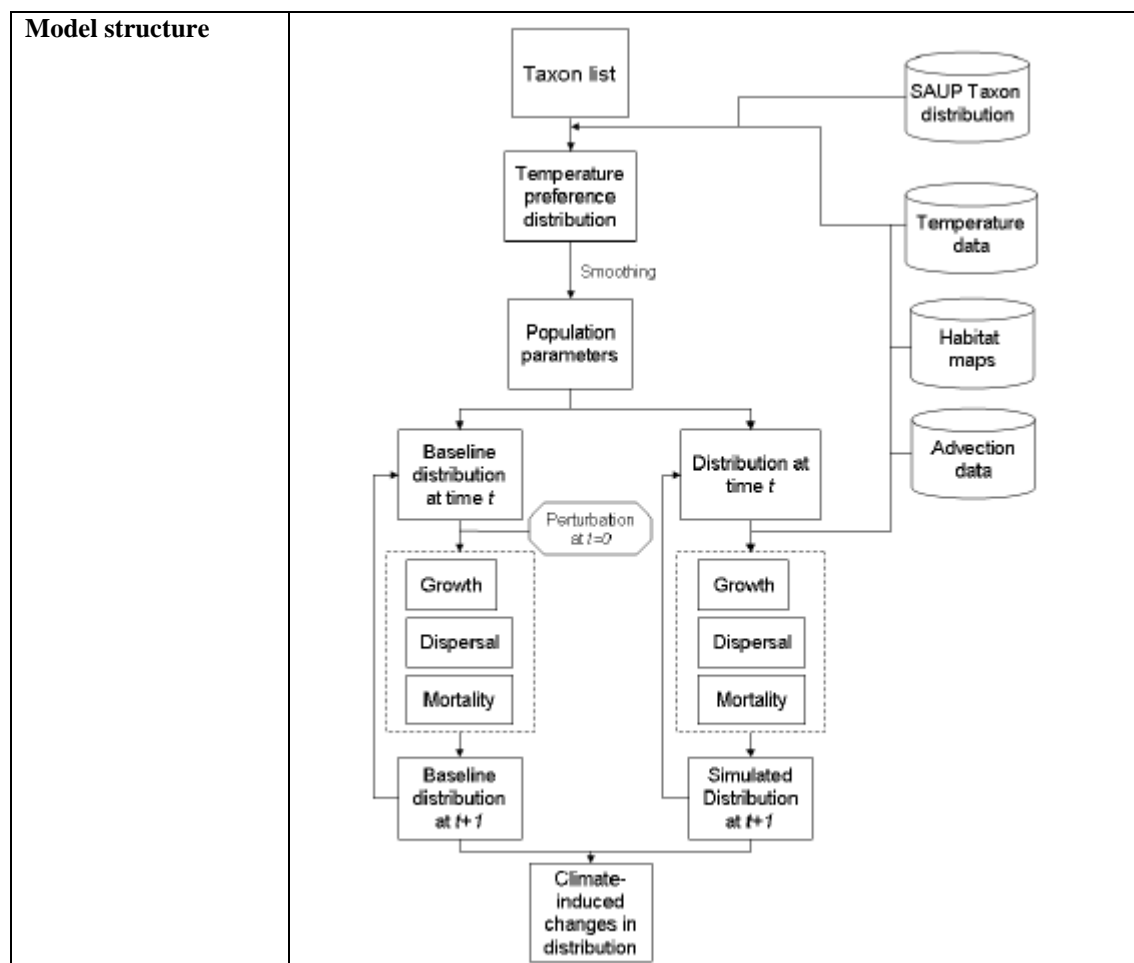
Model name	ICTHYOP
Full model name	
Model type	Biogeochemistry model
Subtype	Biodiversity, population dynamics and connectivity
Thematic coverage	Icthyoplankton dynamics, connectivity, species transport
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Individuals are characterised by state variables: age (day), length (mm), stage (egg, yolk-sac larva, or feeding larva), location (longitude/latitude) and depth (m), and status (alive or dead). The physical environment is characterised by ocean state variables: current velocities (m s ⁻¹), temperature (*C), and salinity. The physical inputs are archived from oceanic simulations of the "Regional Oceanic Modelling System" (ROMS) or the "Model for Applications at Regional Scale" (MARS).
Output variables (key)	Icthyop offers two functioning modes. The first allows a visualisation of the transport of virtual eggs and larvae in a user friendly graphic interface. The second mode enables the running of a series of simulations based on pre-defined sets of parameters, with a minimalist interface.
Geographical coverage and	The environmental state variables are provided on a discrete three-dimensional grid by archived simulations of the ROMS or MARS oceanic

resolution	models. An example of a typical spatial scale used to characterise the environment is the ROMS southern Benguela configuration grid. It extends from 28 - 40*S and from 10 - 24*E. The horizontal resolution ranges from 9km at the coast to 16km offshore. The vertical resolution ranges from 1 to 4.7m at the surface and from 3.1 to 1030m at the bottom of the ocean. The Ichthyop model sees the Eulerian velocity field at the same spatial scale as the Eulerian primitive equation models. Subgridscale parameterisations can be added in the IBM to address scales unresolved by the primitive equation models. The fields of salinity, current velocities, and temperature are interpolated in space to provide values at any individual location in Ichthyop.
Temporal coverage and resolution	In ROMS, the current velocities, temperature, and salinity are typically averaged over time and stored every day or so. In Ichthyop, they are interpolated in time to feed the Ichthyop IBM time step. Simulations consist of tracking the locations and properties of the individuals (typically during a few weeks or months). 'Daytime' in Ichthyop is defined as from 7am to 7pm. All temporal variables can be adjusted in Ichthyop by the user.
Analytical technique	individual-based model (IBM) designed to study the effects of physical and biological factors on the dynamics of fish eggs and larvae.
Model developers and/or owners	This Java piece of software is a collaborative work between Institut de Recherche pour le Développement (IRD, teams R079 GEODES and R097 ECO-UP) from France, University of Cape Town (UCT) and Marine & Coastal Management (MCM) from South Africa, and Instituto del Mar del Peru (IMARPE) from Peru. The main contact for this work is Christophe Lett (IRD) and can be contacted at christophe.lett@ird.fr. PREVIMER provided financial support for this project.
Model development history	The program is written in Java and requires the Java Runtime Environment (JRE). The tool is distributed as a package that contains the program code, libraries and a basic example of ROMS output file. The Ichthyop project also includes the Public javadoc. Ichthyop was most recently updated/redeveloped in 2008. Previous/modified versions of this method have been used since 2002 and 10 peer-reviewed publications concerning Ichthyop have been released in this 6 year period. All references can be found at http://www.ur097.ird.fr/projects/ichthyop/index.php .
Target Group/users	The aim of Ichthyop is to provide an easily available, user-friendly model for ichthyoplankton dynamics. Through providing this tool, Ichthyop aims to help structure the community (assumed to be primarily academic and government scientists) that uses such tools. Previous (prior to 2008)/modified versions of this tool have been used to investigate the effects of physical and biological factors on the dynamics of anchovy (<i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i> , <i>Engraulis ringens</i>) and sardine (<i>Sardinops sagax</i>) ichthyoplankton in the southern Benguela and in the northern Humboldt upwelling systems. These works associated Institut de Recherche pour le Développement (IRD, teams R079 GEODES and R097 ECO-UP) from France, University of Cape Town (UCT) and Marine & Coastal Management (MCM) from South Africa, and Instituto del Mar del Perú (IMARPE) from Peru. All references can be found at http://www.ur097.ird.fr/projects/ichthyop/index.php .
Calibration	Ichthyop is calibrated to user defined variables on ichthyoplankton and to the ROMS/MAR physical variables on temperature, salinity and current velocity.
Validation	The advection part of the movement submodel has been tested by recording trajectories of individuals and comparing them to trajectories obtained using two other Lagrangian tools ("Roff" and "Ariane").
Uncertainty analysis	Not specified
Key reference	Lett et al., 2008
Level of integration	Limited - focuses primarily on the biological aspects of ichthyoplankton and the physical parameters that affect their dynamics.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. Ichthyop is designed to be linked to either the ROMS or MARS models to supply physical parameters, and can also be linked to models that have been integrated with ROMS or MARS. For example, plankton concentrations can be provided if a NPZD biogeochemical model is coupled to ROMS. Ichthyop

	itself is a product of five integrated sub-models.
Ease of use/accessibility	Good - Ichthyop is designed to be accessible and easy to use. The software is freely available for download and a user manual is available at http://www.ur097.ird.fr/projects/ichthyop/ . Output files are in netcdf format and can be post-processed easily. Routines in R can be sent upon request for plotting trajectories or computing the numbers of individuals transported from pre-defined release (spawning) areas to pre-defined destination (recruitment) areas. Ichthyop is a tool designed to be shared within the community using models coupling physics with ichthyoplankton dynamics. Though it has been historically developed to study the dynamics of small pelagic fish ichthyoplankton in upwelling systems, Ichthyop is a generic tool in the sense that it incorporates the most important processes involved in ichthyoplankton dynamics. Using Ichthyop for other species in other systems may imply a few changes in the source code (e.g., changing the growth function, implementing a specific larval vertical migration scheme, etc.). This code is organized simply, commented and documented, which should make it easy to modify by a user with basic programming skills.
Website	http://www.ur097.ird.fr/projects/ichthyop/index.php
Model structure	Not available. Ichthyop consists of five sub-models: Spawning, Movement, Growth, Mortality, and Recruitment.

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity
Full model name	
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Bioclimatic Envelope Model
Thematic coverage	Climate change, global marine biodiversity, species turnover, niche-based model
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Current species distribution (latitudinal range; depth range; affinity to certain habitats; known distribution boundaries from published literature or expert knowledge); Environmental preferences of species (sea water temperature; bathymetry; habitats; and distance from sea ice); Population dynamics (Larval and adult dispersals; immigration; intrinsic population growth and extirpation; carrying capacity of area); Climate change projections to 2050 (NOAA/GFDL Coupled Model and SRES Scenarios); Logistic population growth model.
Output (key variables)	Predicted changes in species distributions (changes in abundance per time/cell/species) - results for summer and winter distributions are provided separately; Average frequency of invasion and local extinction events to identify hotspots of climate induced impacts; Median poleward shift in distribution centroids.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Global; 30' X 30' grid cell size. Can be scaled to local and regional levels.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Species preferences are calculated from environmental data from 1980 to 2000. Model provides current species richness (average from 2001 to 2005), then future predictions for 2050 (average from 2040 to 2060).
Analytical technique	Bioclimatic Envelope Modelling
Model developers and/or owners	The model was developed by William Cheung, Vicky Lam, and Daniel Pauly at the Sea Around Us Project, Fisheries Centre, Aquatic Ecosystems Research Laboratory University of British Columbia. The model development was funded partially by the University of Western Australia and is a contribution of the Sea Around Us Project, which was initiated and is funded by the Pew Charitable Trusts. The application of the model to assessing the impact of climate change on marine biodiversity was funded by the Pew Charitable trusts through the Sea Around Us Project.
Model development history	Model published in 2008. This publication will be the first of several planned articles on global warming effects on marine communities and fisheries, with the model at its core being gradually modified and improved as applications

	are completed.
Target Group/users	The model currently gives policy-makers, the scientific Community, and the public a quantitative picture of the scale of the issue. The authors consider that the global analysis presented in the paper is a first step towards developing marine conservation policy in the face of climate change. This global picture is also effective in building consensus and initiating actions among nations, societies and stakeholders to address this problem. As the model is developed to be accurate at finer scales, the results can help design management systems and develop indicators and monitoring programmes.
Calibration	Species distributions were initially calibrated to the Sea Around Us Project (http://www.seaaroundus.org) data and were then further refined by incorporating habitat preference data from FishBase (http://www.fishbase.org) for fish and SeaLifeBase for other taxa (http://www.sealifebase.org). Climate scenarios were calibrated to the NOAA Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory (GFDL).
Validation	The model was validated in the following ways: Simulated changes in distributions of four commercially exploited species in 30 years under two scenarios of global sea temperature change from SeaLifeBase and FishBase datasets as well as from Phillips et al. (1992) for the Western Australian rock Lobster; the possible effects of climate-change induced shifting of coral reefs on associated species was evaluated using the UNEP-WCMC coral reef dataset; key aggregate features of the results (e.g. Annual rate of latitudinal shift) correspond to the available field estimates; finally the effect of change in sea ice coverage on polar species was tested based on information from peer-reviewed literature. Future results from local and regional studies can be used to validate the model, and past climate and species distribution data can be used to assess the accuracy of predictions from the model.
Uncertainty analysis	The model is suitable for undertaking uncertainty analyses. Sensitivity analysis of major parameters showed that the direction of the projections are robust to the uncertainty of those parameters.
Key reference	For Model Background: Cheung et al., 2008 For Model Application: Cheung et al., (in press)
Level of integration	Good - Biodiversity data (bioclimate model is combined with population dynamics making it more robust) is integrated with oceanographic measures, and climate change scenarios.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. The overall model described is formed through the linking of a range of models and scenarios: NOAA/GFDL Coupled Models; SRES Climate Scenarios; Logistic population growth model; Population-dynamic model; Advection-diffusion reaction model for larval dispersal; ECOSPACE (Eulerian spatial ecosystem simulation model)
Ease of use/accessibility	Complex modelling process, however the output distribution maps are simple to understand. All distribution maps are available through the http://www.seaaroundus.org website. All methods are fully and transparently published and discussed in the scientific literature, however, output maps are not yet freely available online.
Website	Not applicable



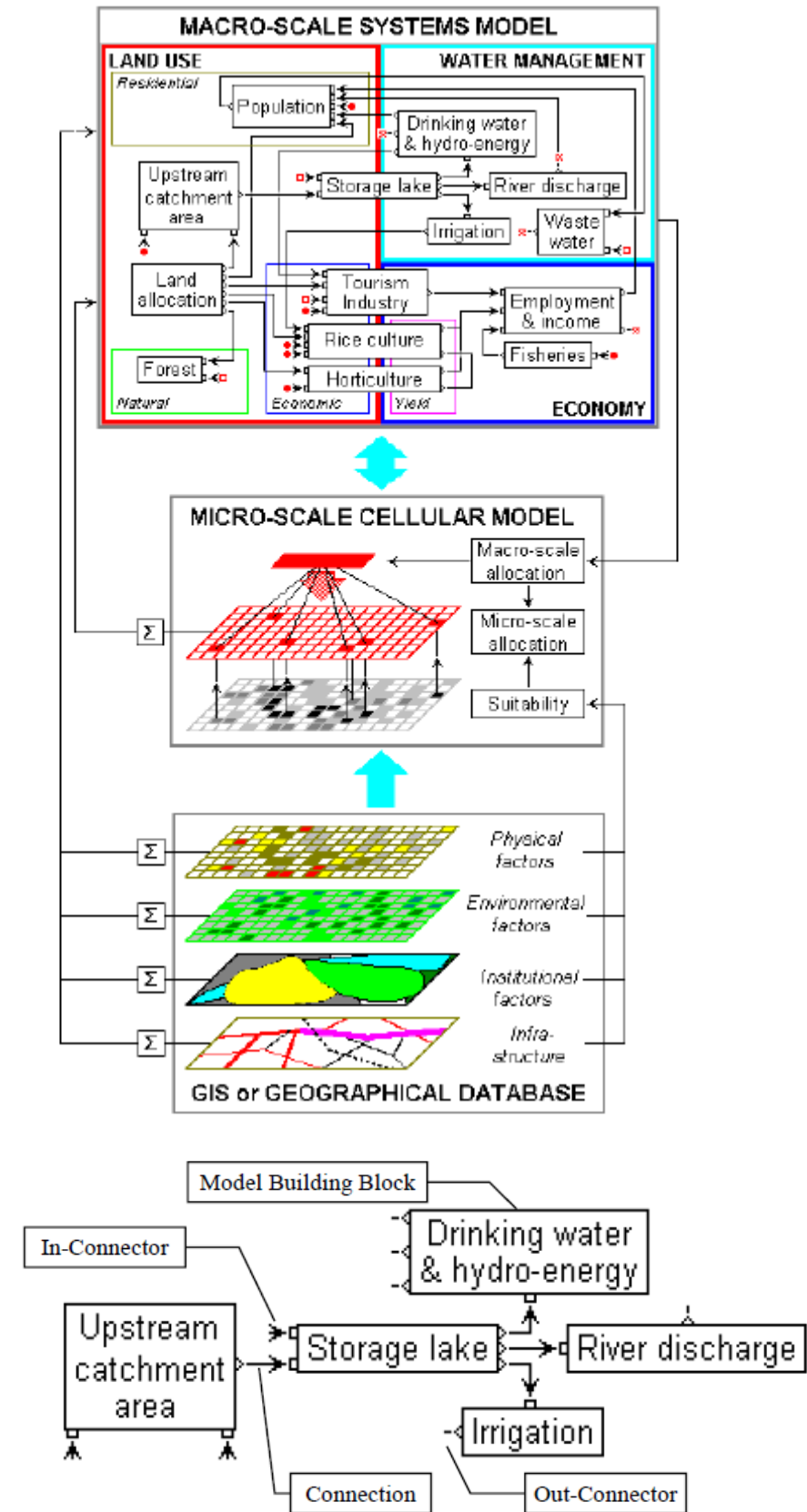
Model name	RamCo
Full model name	
Model type	Integrated dynamic model
Subtype	Decision Support System
Thematic coverage	Coastal zone, assessment, decision support, management
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Spatial information from GIS and static and/or descriptive GIS operations. This occurs on two scales: Micro-scale drivers include sea use functions (seagrass; coral reef); Land Use functions (Agriculture; Rice culture; Shrimp culture; Industry; Tourism; Urban residential; Rural residential; Mangrove; Nature/forest); and Land use features (Sea; Inland water; Airport; Harbour; Beach); and Macro-scale drivers based around land use, water, ecology and the economy.
Output variables (key variables)	An almost complete integrated model of the coastal zone, from which the user can specify which variables are most relevant to their needs.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Version 1.0 and 2.0 are applied to the Coastal zone of SW Sulawesi (Indonesia). RAMCO can handle cellular models with dimensions up to 500 by 500 cells. In its actual form, it is most useful for modelling problems on grids which resolution varies from 50 to 500 meters. RamCo has the capability to deal with spatial dynamics at different levels within the same integral models. More in particular RAMCO models will generally have two strongly coupled components: one for macro-level, long range and large scale processes and a second one for processes operating on the micro-level, short range and micro-scale. Sub-models will in general operate at one level, but may exchange information with sub-models at the other level.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Model allows for a multi-temporal dynamic modelling framework. The time horizon is 25 years.
Analytical technique	Integrated spatial models in which natural, social and economic processes are fully

	linked on an appropriate detailed scale. A RAMCO model consists of Model Building Blocks (MBB's) that contains the code required to calculate and execute mathematical operations varying from a single operation (such as the sum of two numbers) to a list of operations (set of mathematical equations). MBB's are connected to one another by means of MBB Connectors.
Model developers and/or owners	RamCo was financed by and is a product of the National Institute for Coastal and Marine Management (RIKZ) and the associated Coastal Zone Management centre (CZM), the Hague, the Netherlands. It was developed by the consortium consisting of INFRAM BV (Zeewolde, the Netherlands), RIKS, Twente University (Enschede) and Maastricht University. RamCo 1.0 - was developed as part of the project: "RAMCO: Generic Decision Support System for the Rapid Assessment phase of Sustainable Coastal Zone Management" financed by the National Institute for Coastal and Marine Management (RIKZ), Rijkswaterstaat, and the associated Coastal Zone Management Centre (CZMc), Contract RKZ-308 and carried out by the consortium consisting of INFRAM bv (Zeewolde, main contractor), and RIKS bv (Maastricht). RamCo 2.0 - 2.0 of RAMCO is the result of the Land Water Environment Information technology (LWI) - Project "Integral Systems Analysis", in the "LWI - Estuaria and Coasts" project group. The developers group consists of: INFRAM bv, RIKS bv, and WL Delft Hydraulics (Delft). The Technical University of Twente, Department of Civil Engineering Technology & Management, (Enschede) participated as a sub-contractor of INFRAM bv.
Model development history	RAMCO was originally developed in October 1996 for the National Institute for Coastal and Marine Management (RIKZ) and the associated Coastal Zone Management Centre (CZMc). The version 2.0 of RAMCO is the result of the Land Water Environment Information technology (LWI) - Project "Integral Systems Analysis", in the "LWI - Estuaria and Coasts" project group (user manual is dated 1999). The SW Sulawesi model makes extensive use of knowledge gathered in project W01.60 of the Netherlands Organization for the Advancement of Tropical Research (WOTRO). This scientific material remains the full property of WOTRO.
Target Group/users	RamCo is aimed primarily at policy makers working in coastal zone management. The end-users of RamCo 2.0 are: National Institute for Coastal and Marine Management (RIKZ) and the associated Coastal Zone Management Centre (CZMc), and the Netherlands Organization for the Advancement of Tropical Research (WOTRO). RamCo has been applied to a coastal zone near Ujung Pandang in south-west Sulawesi (Indonesia). It shows how - in the next 25 years - the coastal zone strongly urbanizes under the influence of a growing population (annual growth $\pm 3\%$) and the external economic growth. RamCo allows policy-makers to test their policy choices under the influence of climate changes, demographic growth, or changing economic demand.
Calibration	Not specified
Validation	The model has a validity interval incorporated within which the parameters must be kept.
Uncertainty analysis	Not Specified
Key reference	Uljee et al., 1999, available at: http://www.riks.nl/RiksGeo/projects/ramco/RamCo2.pdf For the Sulu Sulawesi Case study: de Kok & Wind, 1996 and de Kok & Wind, 1999
Level of integration	Excellent - physical, environmental, economic and social processes that typical coastal zone dynamics generally, and those of Sulawesi in particular. To achieve this, use is made as much as possible of existing scientific knowledge, methods, models and databases.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. RamCo integrates existing models dealing with physical, ecological and socio-economic impacts of coastal zones have been reviewed and adapted in view of their integration into a multi-scale, multi-temporal dynamic modelling framework
Ease of use/accessibility	Demos of the model and the user's guide are available through the RIKS website (http://www.riks.nl/projects/RamCo). Appears relatively easy to use, but presently is only applicable for the SW Sulawesi region. Neither software development with the tools provided in the RAMCO package nor the application of the RAMCO package to a case study is permitted. Software or application development and

further usage or marketing of the RAMCO package will only be accepted following the purchase of a full version of the package.

Website <http://www.riks.nl/projects/ramco>

Model structure



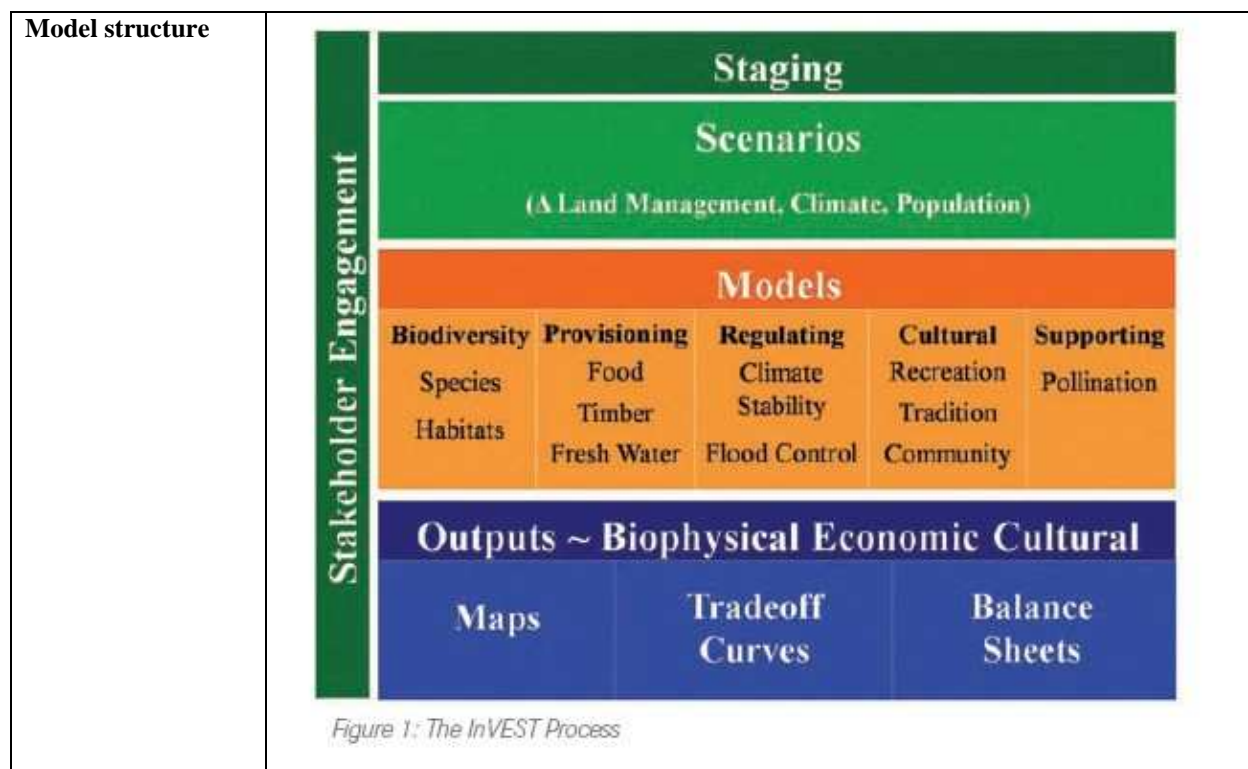
Model name	Reefs at Risk
Full model name	
Model type	Biodiversity model
Subtype	Indicator model
Thematic coverage	Coral reefs, marine biodiversity, human influence, threat indices
Input (key drivers and pressures)	Coastal development threat factors (Cities; Settlements; Airports and Military bases; Mines; Tourist resorts; Embayments); Marine-based Pollution threat factor (Ports; Oil-related threats; Shipping-related threats); Overexploitation threat factor (Overfishing; Destructive fishing); Inland Pollution and Erosion threat factor (Hydrological modelling and geographic overlays).
Output (key variables)	A map based indicator of problem areas around the world where in the absence of good management, coral reef degradation might be expected, or predicted to occur shortly, given ongoing levels of human activity.
Geographical coverage and resolution	Global coral reefs; 4km resolution
Temporal coverage and resolution	Assessment of current state (1998) - does not include likely future threats posed by population growth or climate change.
Analytical technique	Results are based on a series of distance relationships correlating mapped locations of human activity such as ports and towns, oil wells, coastal mining activities, and shipping lanes, with predicted risk zones of likely environment degradation. Detailed subnational statistics on population density, size of urban areas, and land cover type were also incorporated into the analysis. Data on rainfall and topography was also used to help estimate potential run-off within watersheds. Distance rules defining threat zones were established for each component indicator using information on the known locations of more than 800 reef sites documented as degraded by human activity by one of the four factors. Minimum distances were established through expert review and input, and by determining the most conservative set of rules that, when taken in aggregation for any one of the four threat categories, encompassed at least two-thirds of all known degraded sites affected by activities related to that category. Reefs are graded as under "low", "medium" or "high" threat.
Model developers and/or owners	The initial Reefs at Risk Global Analysis was published as a joint venture by the World Resources Institute (WRI), International Center for Aquatic Living Resources Management (ICLARM), World Conservation Monitoring Centre (WCMC), and the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP). Lead authors: Dirk Bryant, Lauretta Burke, John McManus and Mark Spalding. The report received funding from UNEP, The Bay Foundation, The David & Lucile Packard Foundation, The Henry Foundation, The Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency, and the United States Environment Protection Agency.
Model development history	1998: "Reefs at Risk: A Map-Based Indicator of Threats to the World's Coral Reefs" published; 2002: "Reefs at Risk in South-East Asia" regional analysis was released; 2003: Methodology was used for a local analysis on "Highlighting coral reefs in Coastal Planning and Management in Sabah, Malaysia"; 2004: "Reefs at Risk in the Caribbean" regional analysis was released; 2005: methodology was used to produce the "Belize Coastal Threat Atlas". The Reefs at Risk model is still being further developed for a Reefs at Risk Revisited analysis to provide an update of the original Reefs at Risk analysis a decade on. The update will use improved modeling methods and higher-resolution data to provide a detailed examination of human pressures on coral reefs, implications for reef condition, and projections of associated economic impacts in coastal communities. This analysis will be 20 times more detailed than the original Reefs at Risk and will also include climate-related threats, such as coral bleaching and ocean acidification.
Target Group/users	The model was calibrated to a standard four kilometre resolution consistent with the dataset of shallow coral reefs from the World Conservation Monitoring Centre. This was carried out to mitigate spatial accuracy issues associated with using a range of different datasets.
Calibration	The model was calibrated to a standard four kilometre resolution consistent

	with the dataset of shallow coral reefs from the World Conservation Monitoring Centre. This was carried out to mitigate spatial accuracy issues associated with using a range of different datasets.
Validation	Draft risk maps were revised and vetted at a global workshop attended by coral reef experts from around the world. Final draft maps underwent a second series of review by these and other experts. Overall, the Reefs at Risk indicator accurately classifies over 80 percent of sites known to be degraded by humans as "at risk". This was based on a comparison between Reefs at Risk results and 800 sites documented in ICLARM's Reefbase (v.2) as having been degraded by human activity.
Uncertainty analysis	Not specified, however, uncertainties are recognised based on the inconsistencies, age, and lack of availability of datasets. A number of regions are identified in the Technical Notes of the report where actual threats may not be accurately represented by the Reefs at Risk indicator based on expert review.
Key reference	Bryant et al., 1998 Available online: http://pdf.wri.org/reefs.pdf
Level of integration	Good - uses a variety of datasets to represent anthropogenic threat including data on population, resources, tourism, pollution from fuel and transport, fisheries including destructive fishing practices, and hydrological models to represent inland pollution and erosion.
Links to other models	The model has not yet been integrated into a wider assessment process. Hydrological modelling was used in the development of the inland pollution and erosion threat factor and then integrated into the overall Reefs at Risk model.
Ease of use/accessibility	Modelling process is clear and well described in the online report. Outputs are easy to understand as spatial maps with the threat indices being categorised as low, medium, or high risk. The publication is free to access at: http://www.wri.org/publication/reefs-risk-map-based-indicator-potential-threats-worlds-coral-reefs and some of the data layers and GIS models are available to download for free from the WRI website. CDROM with all the data layers and GIS models used in the analysis are available from WRI on request. Contact Laurretta Burke for more information: laurretta@wri.org .
Website	http://www.wri.org/publication/reefs-risk-map-based-indicator-potential-threats-worlds-coral-reefs
Model structure	Not available

1.1.9 Regional models/assessments

Model name	ATEAM
Full model name	Advanced Terrestrial Ecosystem Analysis and Modeling
Model type	regional assessment
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	vulnerability of ecosystem services: agriculture, forestry, carbon storage and energy, water, biodiversity and tourism
Input (key drivers and pressures)	socioeconomic factors, atmospheric greenhouse gas concentrations, climate factors, and land use
Output (key variables)	vulnerability maps for different ecosystem services (agriculture, wood production, carbon storage, soil fertility, biodiversity, natural beauty)
Geographical coverage and resolution	Europe 15 + Norway and Switzerland, 10' by 10' grid
Temporal coverage and resolution	1990, 2020, 2050, 2080
Analytical technique	link between ecosystem service provision and land use (socio-economic indicators extrapolated via regression models and aggregated via fuzzy models) meta-model
Model developers and/or owners	Potsdam Institute for climate impact research (PIK), Centre d'Ecologie Fonctionnelle et Evolutive (CEFE), ETH Zürich, Wageningen University, Max Planck Institute für Biogeochemie, Lund University, Université Catholique de Louvain, Centre de Recerca Ecológica i Aplicacions Forestals (CREAF), Institute for arable crops research (RES), University of Southampton (SOTON), Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha (UCLM), European Forest Institute (EFI),
Model development history	first results published: 2005
Target Group/users	The goal of the ATEAM project was to develop climate scenarios for Europe, employed a suite of ecosystem and hydrological models in order to test estimate the sensitivity of systems to these changes, developed indicators of adaptive capacity for the potential risks, engaged in an extensive, projectlong dialogue with stakeholders about methods and results, and initiated a high-level training component for its methods, leading to five international summer schools
Calibration	Not available
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Metzger et al., 2005 (Int J Appl Earth Observ Geoinf 7, 253-267), Metzger et al., 2006 (Agric Ecosyst Environ 114, 69-85), Metzger et al., 2008 (Reg Environ Change 8, 91-107),
Level of integration	Different models were included in this work, the level of integration between thos is unknown.
Links to other models	IMAGE outputs were used for land use change and driving forces for different scenarios, LPJ was used for water and carbon
Ease of use/accessibility	The ATEAM vulnerability-mapping tool can be downloaded from: http://www.pik-potsdam.de/ateam/ .
Website	http://www.pik-potsdam.de/ateam/
Model structure	<p>Fig. 1 The structure of the ATEAM project with the specific interactions between scientists and stakeholders (from Schröter et al. 2004)</p> <pre> graph LR A["multiple scenarios of global change: CO2, climate, socio-economic, land use, Nitrogen deposition"] --> B["ecosystem models"] A --> C["Socio-economic aspects"] B --> D["changes in ecosystem services"] C --> E["changes in adaptive capacity"] D --> F["combined indicators"] E --> F F --> G["Vulnerability maps"] H["dialogue between stakeholders and scientists"] -.-> A H -.-> B H -.-> C H -.-> D H -.-> E H -.-> F H -.-> G </pre>

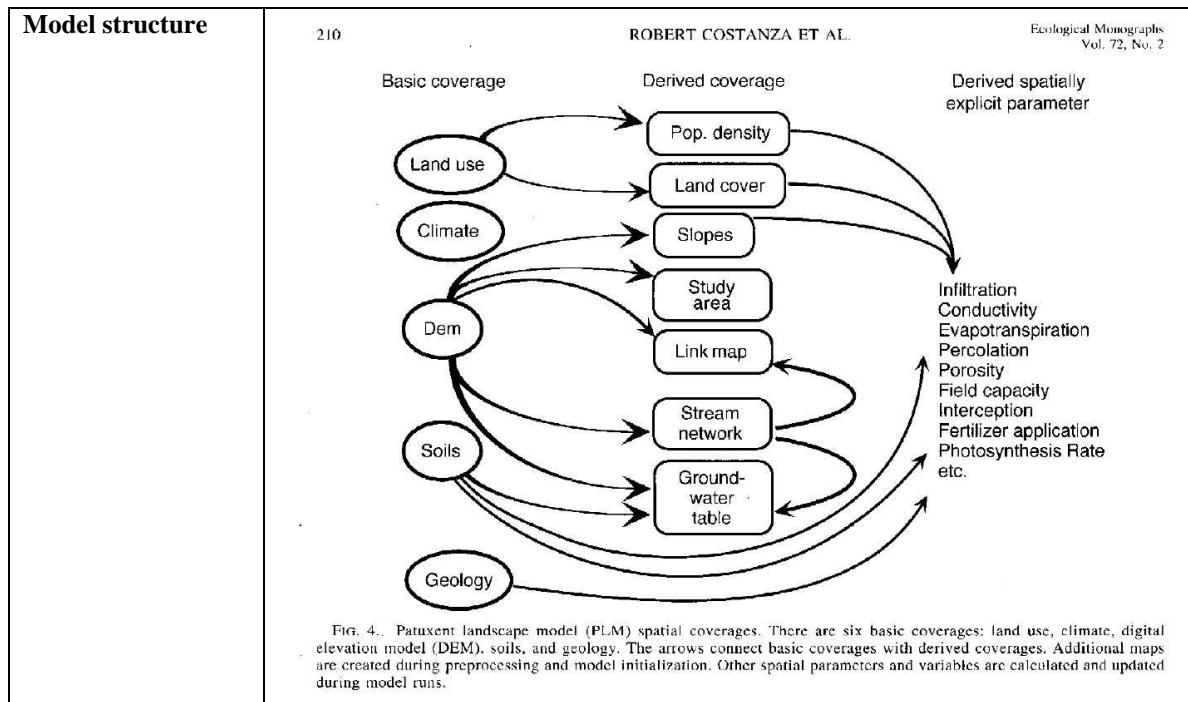
Model name	InVEST
Full model name	integrated valuation of ecosystem services and tradeoffs
Model type	regional assessment
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	ecosystem services, biodiversity conservation, commodity production and tradeoffs
Input (key drivers and pressures)	drivers: market conditions and incentive-based conservation payments (policies), inputs: land use maps; basic information about the landscape, land quality, management practices, infrastructure and governance (simple or complex model, depending on data availability)
Output (key variables)	future land use, potential water yield, carbon sequestration, agricultural production, biodiversity, balance sheets for trade-offs between ecosystem services, optimal land allocation for different services
Geographical coverage and resolution	regional, resolution flexible; case studies: Willamette Basin, Oregon, USA (30 m x 30 m grid, for results: 500 ha units); Amazon basin. Currently a global assessment of ecosystem services is done with InVEST. Results have not been published yet.
Temporal coverage and resolution	Calibration depending on land use maps available; 50 year projections, results on annual basis
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical models
Model developers and/or owners	Natural Capital Project (Stanford University), The Nature Conservancy, and World Wildlife Fund
Model development history	published: 2008
Target Group/users	Local managers and stakeholders. The aim of the Natural Capital Project is to align economic forces with conservation.
Calibration	Model was calibrated based on historical data on land use change, calibration data needed for each regional application.
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Nelson et al. 2009 (Frontiers in Ecology and Evolution 7, 4-11) Nelson et al. 2008 (PNAS 105, 9471-9476)
Level of integration	Low integration between different submodels: land use model predicts land use based on economic considerations and policies, after that changes in ecosystem services and biodiversity are calculated; no feedback between ecosystem services and land use change incorporated yet
Links to other models	unknown
Ease of use/accessibility	Available at: http://www.naturalcapitalproject.org/InVEST.html , Model equations are given in Nelson et al., 2009 (supplement) Running InVEST effectively does not require knowledge of Python programming, but it does require basic to intermediate skills in ArcGIS.
Website	http://www.naturalcapitalproject.org/InVEST.html
Comments/remarks	Global assessment with InVEST is forthcoming.



Model name	Naidoo et al., 2008
Full model name	
Model type	global assessment (mapping)
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	mapping of ecosystem services, partly based on biophysical models, synergies with biodiversity conservation
Input (key drivers and pressures)	land cover, climate, soil
Output (key variables)	carbon sequestration, carbon storage livestock production, water supply, species distribution
Geographical coverage and resolution	global, maximum resolution 0.5°
Temporal coverage and resolution	No future predictions, current situation only
Analytical technique	linear optimization approach for habitat protection
Model developers and/or owners	see reference
Model development history	
Target Group/users	For exploratory purposes only, scientists
Calibration	Not applicable
Validation	Not applicable
Uncertainty analysis	Not applicable
Key reference	Naidoo et al., 2008 (PNAS 105, 9495-9500)
Level of integration	The different models/methods used are not integrated. They were used for mapping of present situation only and not for predictions.
Links to other models	TEM (terrestrial ecosystem model) was used to estimate annual carbon exchange rates, water provision was estimated using WaterGAP.
Ease of use/accessibility	The approach and input data have been described (Naidoo et al, 2008) and could be repeated

Website	Not applicable
Model structure	Not available

Model name	PLM
Full model name	Patuxent landscape model
Model type	Integrated assessment model
Subtype	regional assessment
Thematic coverage	land use effects on ecosystem services (linked ecological economic model)
Input (key drivers and pressures)	human land use policies (socio-economic), land management (N input), climate
Output (key variables)	land use pattern, water quality, NPP, water cycle, soil nutrients, land prices based on surroundings
Geographical coverage and resolution	Patuxent River watershed, Maryland, USA; variable resolution, maximum resolution: 200 by 200m
Temporal coverage and resolution	baseline: 1990, historical data (from 1650) and future projections, time steps differ between model components: daily (hydrology) to annual (economics)
Analytical technique	
Model developers and/or owners	R. Costanza
Model development history	software: STELLA
Target Group/users	Local managers
Calibration	A modular, multiscale approach was used to calibrate and test the model. Model results showed good agreement with data for several components of the model at several scales. Calibration was done against field data sets for forest growth and hydrological parameters and against results from EPIC for crop yields.
Validation	Historical validation (time series data).
Uncertainty analysis	sensitivity analysis done for different modules
Key reference	Costanza et al., 2002 (Ecol. Monogr. 72, 203-231)
Level of integration	Socio-economic component and general ecosystem model with modules for hydrology, nutrient, plant, consumers and human-dominated systems
Links to other models	Unknown (PLM formed the basis for GUMBO)
Ease of use/accessibility	Not available online
Website	http://www.uvm.edu/giee/PLM/home.html



Model name	Swallow et al., 2009
Full model name	
Model type	regional assessment
Subtype	
Thematic coverage	tradeoffs and synergies among ecosystem services
Input (key drivers and pressures)	land use change, agricultural production
Output (key variables)	water yield and regulation, erosion control
Geographical coverage and resolution	Lake Victory basin; multiple spatial scales, smallest: 5km by 2.5km (aerial photograph), sub-basin, country division, river basin
Temporal coverage and resolution	no predictive modeling, current and past situation only
Analytical technique	empirical-statistical
Model developers and/or owners	See reference
Model development history	Not applicable
Target Group/users	Results from the study are meant for agencies, both state and non-state, concerned with rural development and environmental conservation in the Kenya portion of the Lake Victoria basin
Calibration	SWAT-model was calibrated for the Vicotria basin.
Validation	Not available
Uncertainty analysis	Not available
Key reference	Swallow et al., 2009
Level of integration	The SWAT model and the agricultural data were not integrated.
Links to other models	SWAT was used to model water and sediment yield
Ease of use/accessibility	Methodology has been described and could be repeated.
Website	Not applicable
Model structure	Not applicable

1.2 Can the model results be interpreted in terms of ecosystem goods and services?

1.2.1 Integrated assessment models

	Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA models	IMAGE	MIMES
Ecosystem services	Provisioning services	water supply, food and timber production	harvested organic matter, water supply, mined ores, and extracted fossil fuel	Agricultural production, including marine fishing and aquaculture	agricultural production (can be separated into crops, livestock and forestry)	timber production, agricultural food production, renewable water resources	Agricultural production, including grass/fodder production and livestock/milk production, demand for wood products, timber, fuelwood	Food production, production of raw materials
	Supporting services	Not available	Soil formation (decomposition), nutrient (N) cycling, disturbance regulation	Not available	SOC (soil organic carbon)	Not available	Soil fertility	Soil formation, nutrient cycling
	Regulating services	greenhouse gas emissions, air pollution, carbon sequestration, human health (malaria)	gas regulation (C flux), climate regulation (temperature), waste assimilation, disturbance regulation	Human health, CO ₂ emissions	human health impacts, sea level, air pollution, carbon emissions	carbon sequestration	Carbon flux, carbon plantations, ocean carbon model, water-erosion sensitivity, air pollution, soil	climate regulation, waste assimilation, disturbance regulation

	Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA models	IMAGE	MIMES
		distribution), flood damage	(variation in total biomass)		and stocks		moisture	
	Cultural services	Not available	recreation, cultural (positively related to total biomass and density of social network, negatively related to human population size)	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	recreation, cultural
biodiversity	Species diversity	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	MSA via GLOBIO	Not applicable
	Genetic diversity	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
	Ecosystem diversity	Vegetation distribution	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

1.2.2 Economic models, scenario-building tools, IMPACT-WATER and CLUE

	Model name	PoleStar	Treshold 21	GTAP	ENV-Linkages	IMPACT-WATER	CLUE
Ecosystem services	Provisioning services	water resources, raw materials and agriculture	agriculture, consumption of natural resources (renewable and nonrenewable), resource depletion (e.g. forests)	agricultural food production	timber production, agricultural production (crops and livestock, intensive and extensive production)	agricultural food production (crops and livestock), water supply	None (but land used for agriculture, grazing, forestry)

	Supporting services	Not available	land degradation	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Regulating services	solid waste management, environmental loadings	soil erosion, greenhouse gas emissions, air and water quality (pollution)	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Cultural services	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
biodiversity	Species diversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Genetic diversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Ecosystem diversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Land cover diversity explicit

1.2.3 Biogeochemical models

	Model name	IBIS	Agro-IBIS	CENTURY	LPJmL	PICUS	SAVANNA
b i Ecosystem services	Provisioning services	water runoff	water supply, crop production	grass, tree and crop production, water supply (stream discharge)	runoff volumes, crop production	timber production	livestock production, grass and timber production, water supply (runoff, deep drainage)
	Supporting services	NPP, SOC, N balance	NPP, SOC, N balance	N, P and S balance, SOC	annual NPP	nitrogen cycling in forests	NPP, nutrient cycling
	Regulating services	carbon balance (carbon fluxes, SOC), water regulation	carbon flux, N leaching, water regulation	Water balance, decomposition, CO ₂ flux, erosion	CO ₂ exchange, water balance	carbon sequestration, soil moisture (water cycling)	water balance
	Cultural services	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
b i	Species	Vegetation	Vegetation	Not available	vegetation cover	forest species	Species distribution

	diversity	composition (functional types)	composition (functional types)		(fraction of different plant functional types per grid cell),	composition (diversity, naturalness indicators)	and abundance (plants + animals)
	Genetic diversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Ecosystem diversity	Vegetation composition	Vegetation composition	Not available	Vegetation composition	forest species composition	community composition

1.2.4 Hydrological models

	Model name	WaterGAP	E-SWAT	WBM
Ecosystem services	Provisioning services	water supply	water supply	water supply, livestock production
	Supporting services	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Regulating services	Not available	erosion control	soil water content
	Cultural services	Not available	Not available	Not available
biodiversity	Species diversity	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
	Genetic diversity	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
	Ecosystem diversity	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable

1.2.5 Biodiversity models

model name GLOBIO MIRABEL Biodiversity SAR species GARP-type EUROMOVE

				intactness index	area relationship	models	
Ecosystem	provisioning	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
	supporting	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
	regulating	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
	cultural and spiritual	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
biodiversity	species diversity	mean species abundance (MSA)	Not available	biodiversity intactness index	number of species	number of species	number of species
	genetic diversity ecosystem diversity	Not available	Not available habitats at risk	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
						Vegetation composition/species distribution	Vegetation composition/species distribution

7.1.6 Ocean models I

	Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-Connie - Australian Connectivity Interface	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
Ecosystem services	Provisioning services	Estuarine fisheries/aquaculture	Fisheries (inc. their ecosystem effects).	Ecosystem connectivity through genetic diversification (partial match to provisioning services)	Impacts on fisheries/aquaculture; ability of ecosystems to provide non-living resources.	Fisheries (inc. their ecosystem effects).	Fisheries (inc. their ecosystem effects).
	Supporting services	Primary production, nutrient cycling	Population dynamics (Trophic controls); changes	Nutrient cycling; Larval recruitment to fisheries	Reduction in nutrient cycling ability (e.g. through dead	Population dynamics (Trophic	Population dynamics (trophic

	Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-Connie - Australian Connectivity Interface	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
			to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services; Ecological fluxes (biomass and nutrient limitations)		zones/pollution); Impacts on habitats and their services.	controls); Biomass and Fluxes.	controls); biological maintenance of resilience; changes to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services;
	Regulating services	water quality	Not applicable	Not applicable	Impact ability of ecosystem to provide regulating services generally.	Not applicable	Not applicable
	Cultural services	Recreation	Economic valuation of resources	Not applicable	Impacts on recreation, aesthetic values and experience, spiritual enrichment etc.	Economic valuation of resources	Not applicable
biodiversity	Species diversity	dominance by most prolific algal species out-competes all others leading to a loss of species diversity overall. Also, localised dead zones.	Population dynamics and trophic structure.	larval dispersal and recruitment	Not applicable	Population dynamics and trophic structure.	Population dynamics and trophic structure
	Genetic diversity	dominance by most prolific algal	Not applicable	genetic connectivity	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

	Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-Connie - Australian Connectivity Interface	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
		species, reducing genetic diversity of system.		between ecosystems			
	Ecosystem diversity	eutrophication leading to dead zones	'within ecosystem' diversity based primarily around trophic links and potential fisheries impacts on these.	ecosystem connectivity, dispersion of contaminants between ecosystems	Cumulative human impact scores for 20 marine ecosystems.	'within ecosystem' diversity based primarily around trophic links (EwE) and movement of species (Ecospace).	'within ecosystem' diversity based primarily around trophic links and potential human impacts on these.

1.2.7 Ocean models II

	Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
Ecosystem services	Provisioning services	Fisheries (commercial and artisanal).	Food security of coastal systems; Water provisioning/water quality; commercial	Coral reef fisheries; Raw materials for medicines; Other raw materials	Fisheries (understanding environmental drivers and bottom-up processes	Ecosystem connectivity i.e. Genetic diversification (partial match to provisioning

	Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
			products provided by coastal zones.	(seaweed and algae for agar, manure etc.); Curio and jewelry; Live fish and coral collected for aquarium trade.	impacting fish populations; impacts of fisheries).	services)
	Supporting services	Changes to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services.	Supporting services related to coastal zones generally, e.g. Primary production, nutrient cycling, maintenance of habitats, population dynamics etc.	Maintenance of habitats; maintenance of biodiversity and genetic library; biological maintenance of resilience; mobile links between ecosystems; export of organic production between ecosystems; protection of adjacent shorelines - in doing so supporting wetlands,	Ecological fluxes (biomass and nutrient limitations); Lower trophic level habitat modelling for pelagic and benthic systems;	Larval dispersal and recruitment to fisheries; Nutrient cycling; Bottom-up support of food webs.

	Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
				seagrass beds, mangrove fisheries, population centres etc.; generation of coral sand; build up of land; Nitrogen fixation; CO2/Ca budget control		
	Regulating services	Not applicable	Ability of coastal zone to provide regulating services generally; Water provisioning/water quality;	Waste assimilation.	Not applicable	Not applicable
	Cultural services	Artisanal fishing practices	Ability of coastal zone to provide cultural and spiritual services generally.	Recreational Value; ecotourism; sustaining livelihoods of local communities; aesthetic value; support of cultural, religious and spiritual values.	Not applicable	Not applicable

	Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
biodiversity	Species diversity	shifts in species distributions, invasions and extinctions.	impacts of socioeconomic drivers on species diversity in the coastal zone.	Threats to species diversity	lower trophic species (phytoplankton, zooplankton etc.) of pelagic and benthic systems.	larval dispersal and recruitment
	Genetic diversity	Not applicable	Not applicable	Threats to genetic diversity	Not applicable	genetic connectivity between ecosystems
	Ecosystem diversity	community shifts in ecosystems.	impacts of socioeconomic drivers on ecosystem diversity in the coastal zone.	Threats to ecosystem (the coral reef) diversity	Ecological fluxes within ecosystems, dynamics of viruses, marine trophodynamics.	ecosystem connectivity

1.2.8 Regional models/assessments

	Model name	ATEAM	InVEST	Naidoo et al.	Swallow et al.	Costanza et al.
Ecosystem	Provisioning services	food production, wood production,	drinking water, irrigation water, food production,	grassland production of livestock, water	food production, (water supply)	water supply, primary production of

	Model name	ATEAM	InVEST	Naidoo et al.	Swallow et al.	Costanza et al.
		energy production, water supply	timber production, non-timber forest products	supply		natural vegetation, plantations, grasslands, agriculture
	Supporting services	soil fertility maintenance (soil organic carbon), pollination	pollination (contribution to yield)	Not available	Not available	soil nutrients
	Regulating services	carbon storage (LPJ model), drought and flood prevention, water quality	flood mitigation, carbon sequestration, erosion control, water quality	carbon sequestration and carbon storage	erosion control, (flood mitigation, water quality)	water quality
	Cultural services	recreation, sense of place, beauty	recreation and tourism, cultural and aesthetic values, real estate prices as indicator of valuation of nature	Not available	Not available	land prices based on surroundings
biodiversity	Species diversity	statistical niche modelling	species richness (feeding and breeding habitat requirements of 37 terrestrial vertebrate species, dispersal ability)	mammal, bird, reptile, and amphibian species distribution	Not available	Not available

	Model name	ATEAM	InVEST	Naidoo et al.	Swallow et al.	Costanza et al.
	Genetic diversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	Ecosystem diversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

1.3 Usability of selected models for TEEB

1.3.1 Integrated assessment models

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA Integrated Assessment Modeling Framework	IMAGE	MIMES
International acknowledgment	Has been used in many assessments (IPCC, GEO), widely accepted (esp. in Asia), little scientific literature.	One peer-reviewed article, widely cited, large number of collaborators	widely accepted, broad range of users, many assessments	widely accepted, many publications	Widely accepted, used in IIASA assessments	widely accepted, publications: 2 books, > 100 papers, used in MA, IPCC, OECD outlook, GEO, GBO	not published yet, large number of collaborators, high level of publicity, including politics (see website)
width of spectrum of drivers	broad range of socio-economic drivers	Key drivers are human population development and investment	broad range of socio-economic drivers, including socio-political	broad range of socio-economic drivers	broad range of socio-economic drivers	broad range of socio-economic drivers	Key drivers are human population development and investment
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	Provisioning (water, timber, food), and regulating (climate regulation, air quality, human health, flood damage)	The dynamics of eleven major ecosystem goods and services for each of the biomes are simulated and evaluated: provisioning,	Only provisioning services including fisheries, carbon emissions, water use, human health	agriculture, climate regulation, air quality, human health, sea level	provisioning, climate regulation	provisioning (crop + livestock production), regulating (carbon) supporting (nitrogen cycling)	very large, all areas covered

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA Integrated Assessment Modeling Framework	IMAGE	MIMES
		supporting, regulating, cultural, biodiversity.					
richness of detail including sectoral detail	high	high number of parameters and variables in the socio-economic as well as the biophysical sub-models (economic sectors are aggregated into one, diverse energy resources, simple food demand and land use sub-model)	High, six economic sectors: (agriculture, materials, energy, industry, services, and information/communications technology or ICT), education, health, socio-political,	High amount of sectoral detail, especially in the energy sector (different energy sources), agriculture, transport, plus biogeochemical modelling	high	high	very high: large number of variables and parameters
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling	5° by 5° resolution, application on scale close to this or lower does not provide useful results	Not spatially explicit, 11 biome types	Not spatially explicit, not below country-level	0.5° by 0.5° resolution, application on scale close to this or lower does not provide useful results	5' by 5' resolution, application on scale close to this or lower does not provide useful results	0.5° by 0.5° resolution, application on scale close to this or lower does not provide useful results	The MIMES at this stage represented a general model scalable in time and space to be applied in global, regional and local models
effects of European	Yes	Not known	Yes- Model is focussed on	Yes	Yes	Yes – several studies already on	Not known

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA Integrated Assessment Modeling Framework	IMAGE	MIMES
policies on global level?			estimating direct and indirect effects of different policies, interactions between different policies.			effects of national and multinational policies	
operational access for TEEB	Model not available online	The model can be downloaded and run on the average PC to allow users to explore for themselves the complex dynamics of the system and the full range of policy assumptions and scenarios. Commercial and consultancy uses have to be coordinated with developers/University of Vermont.	Model is available online: www.ifs.du.edu	Model not available online	Models not available online	model not available, requires a well-trained multidisciplinary team	Model is available for download: http://www.uvm.edu/giee/mimes2/downloads.html
known plans for	Improvement of	calculate the	Enhancement	Improvements on	Various	by 2010 the	The different

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA Integrated Assessment Modeling Framework	IMAGE	MIMES
maintenance and development	carbon cycle module; estimate the impacts of climate change on water resources, flood risks, forests, agriculture, coastal zones, human health (vector-borne diseases) (especially in Asia); further developments concern water demand and trade modelling and a detailed crop production model with fertilizer and pesticide loads and N ₂ O emissions; fruit production	'shadow prices' of ecological resources based on 'optimal' (rather than 'actual') levels of resource use.	aiming at better scenario-testing and policy analysis	the resolution of the climate submodel	activities are ongoing related to bio-energy production, REDD-related carbon trade options, analysis of organic and precision farming and natural hazard mitigation strategies	incorporation of a biophysical water and vegetation module (LPJ) is planned	submodels for the ecosystem services are constantly improved by the users, including marine

1.3.2 Economic models, scenario building tools and others

Model name	PoleStar	Treshold 21	GTAP	ENV-Linkages	IMPACT-WATER	CLUE
International acknowledgement	Widely accepted, used in GEO assessment	Used for national application mainly	widely accepted, many publications, used in several assessments	Specially developed for assessments, used by World bank	widely used	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications
width of spectrum of drivers	high: socio-economic as well as environmental, users may define extra drivers	broad range of socio-economic drivers	range of economic drivers	broad range of socio-economic drivers	broad range of socio-economic drivers	covers a wide range of biophysical and human drivers at different temporal and spatial scales
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	Provisioning services (water, raw materials, agriculture)	Provisioning services (agriculture)	Provisioning services (agriculture)	Provisioning services (crops, livestock timber)	Provisioning services (crops, livestock, water)	none
richness of detail including sectoral detail	high, data can be disaggregated into regions, subsectors and processes	high	high	26 economic sectors considered, different types of agriculture (intensive, extensive)	IMPACT covers 32 commodities, including all cereals, soybeans, roots and tubers, meats, milk, eggs, oils, meals, vegetables, fruits, sugar and sweeteners, and fish in a partial equilibrium framework. It is specified as a set of country-level supply and demand equations where each country model is linked to the rest	limited consideration of economic variables

Model name	PoleStar	Treshold 21	GTAP	ENV-Linkages	IMPACT-WATER	CLUE
					of the world through trade.	
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling	applicable at national, regional and global scales; own data sources can be incorporated into basic model structure	National and global level only	Global or country level	Global or country level	281 spatial units	CLUE can be scaled up or down, CLUE-S for regional modelling purposes
effects of European policies on global level?	Via drivers, can be specified explicitly	Via drivers, can be specified explicitly	yes, diverse policy options	yes, diverse policy options	yes, diverse policy options	yes
operational access for TEEB	easy to use software tool for sustainability studies, both scenario-building tool and database of current indicators, flexible and user-friendly framework for building and assessing alternative development scenarios, user manual (http://www.seib.org/polestar)	PC-based, user-friendly tool, open source, library for download, requires active role of user in the definition of the model structure.	GTAP6.2a can be downloaded at: https://www.gtap.ag econ.purdue.edu/models/current.asp	Model not available online.	Ease-of-use is very limited (i.e. referring to the full version of IMPACT). IFPRI has developed a distributional version (IMPACT-D) that can be downloaded free of charge (www.IFPRI.org/themes/impact/impactd.asp).	Full version with technical support of the model is only available for collaborative projects. Others may use the model signing a memorandum of understanding excluding the commercial use of the model and requirement of proper referencing.
known plans for maintenance and development	unknown	unknown	There is a project to extend the GTAP Model for the analysis of poverty issues, inclusion of bio-fuel as energy	Carbon sequestration and storage will be included, as well as greenhouse gas emissions due to changes in land use. The energy sector is going to be	Ongoing developments aim at integrating various models of food supply and demand at the	Future developments of the model include a crop (management)-specific approach and the application of

Model name	PoleStar	Treshold 21	GTAP	ENV-Linkages	IMPACT-WATER	CLUE
			source (production, consumption and trade)	disaggregated into nuclear, fossil fuel, hydro-energy and various renewable energy sources.	macro- and micro-level, both from the socio-economic as well as the biophysical modelling side. Interaction between both components will be incorporated. Interfaces with national and global level general equilibrium models are developed.	spatially specific attainable yields. Other planned developments are the modelling of biophysical landscape processes, further implementation of socio-economic processes, and the use of remote sensing images.

1.3.3 Biogeochemical models

Model name	IBIS	Agro-IBIS	CENTURY	LPJmL	PICUS	SAVANNA
International acknowledgement	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications	several peer-reviewed publications	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications
width of spectrum of drivers	environmental drivers	environmental drivers and land use	environmental drivers and land use	environmental drivers and land use	climate and human management (flexible at individual tree level)	Climate, disturbance and human management
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	water, plant production, carbon flux, N balance	water, plant production, carbon flux, N balance	water, plant production, carbon flux	Water balance, plant production, carbon flux	good coverage of all forest-related services: timber production, nutrient, water cycling, carbon	plant production, animal production, water supply

Model name	IBIS	Agro-IBIS	CENTURY	LPJmL	PICUS	SAVANNA
richness of detail including sectoral detail	no economics, detailed biogeochemical model	no economics, detailed but biogeochemical model	no economics, detailed biogeochemical model	no economics, detailed biogeochemical model	sequestration limited to forestry sector, detailed biological processes	plant and animal dynamics are modelled based on nutrient supply
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling	unknown	Precision agricultural version PALMS for 5m ²	Not applicable: not spatially explicit	GUESS for regional modeling	Upscaling possible	Scale-independent (dependent on input), limited number of grid-cells
effects of European policies on global level?	No policy options	No policy options (via land use maps only)	No policy options, but possible via different land management practices	No policy options, only via land use change	Not specified, but possible via forest management	Yes, via land management options, economics
operational access for TEEB	can be downloaded but not modified, http://www.sage.wisc.edu/download/IBIS/ibis.html	model and input files can be downloaded, but no help is provided, listserv and user discussions exist, http://daac.ornl.gov/MODELS/guides/IBIS_Guide.html	Century 5 is a research version of the model, it can be obtained upon request, Century 4 is freely available at: http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/projects/century/	open and unrestricted access, LPJ can be downloaded (upon request) at http://www.pik-potsdam.de/research/cooperations/lpjweb/lpj-lpjml-versions	can be acquired from the authors	available at http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/ftp/coughenour/pubs_lock/index.php?Directory=Manual_1993
known plans for maintenance and development	unknown	Smaller scale resolution, more detailed management	Develop a spatially explicit version, improve model details	Inclusion of forestry, furthermore LPJmL is linked with MAGPIE (land use model) and REMIND (macro-economic model) to model food production, land use	unknown	unknown

Model name	IBIS	Agro-IBIS	CENTURY	LPJmL	PICUS	SAVANNA
				change and water constraints.		

1.3.4 Hydrological models

Model name	WaterGAP	(E-) SWAT	WBM
International acknowledgement	high, several peer reviewed publications, used in many global and national assessments	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications	widely used, many peer-reviewed publications
width of spectrum of drivers	WaterGAP simulates the impact of demographic, socioeconomic and technological change on water use as well as the impact of climate change and variability on water availability and irrigation water use	environmental drivers only	environmental drivers
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	focussed on water (quantity)	water-related	water-related, livestock production
richness of detail including sectoral detail	high, the only comprehensive global water use model which computes sectoral water uses in grid cells	no economics, detailed biophysical model	no economics, detailed biophysical model
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling	Basic level is river basin, so it is rather-small-scaled and results can be integrated to global-level. It is not advisable to use model results for developing a water management plan for a particular river basin. But different basins can be compared.	Large amount of data necessary for calibration, high detail of land use/management	0.5° by 0.5° resolution, can not be used for smaller scales
effects of European policies on global level?	Via socio-economic drivers or climate input	Via climate input or land use input	Via socio-economic drivers or climate input
operational access for TEEB	Not available	SWAT can be downloaded at: http://www.brc.tamus.edu/swat/	Detailed description available at http://www.asb.cgiar.org/BNPP/phase2/IFPRI/description_water_balance_model_10jul2003 .

Model name	WaterGAP	(E-) SWAT	WBM
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known plans for maintenance and development	water quality module is currently under development; for WaterGAP3: increase of spatial resolution	unknown	unknown

1.3.5 Biodiversity models

Model name	GLOBIO	MIRABEL	Biodiversity intactness index	SAR species area relationship	GARP	EUROMOVE
International acknowledgement	recently published, used in global assessments	one publication	several peer-reviewed publications	widely accepted, many peer-reviewed publications, widely cited, used for MA	application still discussed in scientific literature	two peer-reviewed publications, widely cited
width of spectrum of drivers	land use, pollution, infrastructure and fragmentation, other drivers via IMAGE	land use, pollution	land use	climate change	climate change	climate only driver, via IMAGE policy options on climate can be used as impact, no effects of land use
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	biodiversity only	biodiversity only	biodiversity only	biodiversity only	biodiversity only	biodiversity only
richness of detail including sectoral detail	limited	limited	limited	limited	limited	limited
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling	Can be applied to smaller areas	Can be applied to smaller areas	The Biodiversity Intactness Index (BII) can be applied at scales at least down to 500 km ² (<i>i.e.</i> to the level of local	scale-independent	Scale-independent	presence data for large number of species needed as input

Model name	GLOBIO	MIRABEL	Biodiversity intactness index	SAR species area relationship	GARP	EUROMOVE
			government) while retaining its intuitive meaning.			
effects of European policies on global level?	yes, via IMAGE	Via drivers (pollution, land use)	Via land use input	Via land use input	Via climate change inputs	yes, via effects on global climate change (IMAGE) (Europe only)
operational access for TEEB	not available	Not available	Methodology described in Scholes & Biggs, 2004	Methodology described in Pimm et al., 1995	methodology is available online: www.lifemapper.org/desktopgarp	Model not available online.
known plans for maintenance and development	Improvement of infrastructure module, refinement and inclusion of other pressures	No further development	unknown	unknown	unknown	Unknown!?!/none

1.3.6 Ocean models I

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus- Connie	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
International acknowledgment	International collaborations are being/have been forged in: 13 North and Mid-Atlantic systems through a partnership with the UMD, UNH, UMASS, Maine State Planning	Methodology has been accepted through the peer-review process. The model has been applied to upwards of 15 ecosystems and the UN Food and Agriculture	Methodology has been accepted through the peer-review process.	Published paper has been widely cited and used by many organisations including UNEP-WCMC.	The software has more than 2000 registered users representing 120 countries, more than a hundred ecosystem models applying the software have been published, see www.ecopath.org . The	Methodology has been accepted through the peer-review process and has since been applied and built upon by the scientific community.

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus- Connie	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
	<p>Office, and EPA (funding through CICEET); NEEA/ASSETS has been applied to 10 estuarine and coastal systems in the European Union; ASSETS scores have been developed for systems from the US, EU, and China; Possible harmonization is being investigated between OSPAR-COMPP and ASSETS (COMPASS Initiative); A joint US-EU-China Initiative is being prepared.</p>	<p>Organisation (FAO) has rated the model 'best in the world'.</p>			<p>approach is thoroughly documented in the scientific literature.</p>	
<p>width of spectrum of drivers</p>	<p>Good - ASSETS takes into account human pressures and biological parameters.</p>	<p>Excellent - takes into account chemical, biological, ecological and physical data as well as socioeconomic data in the form of fisheries fleet statistics.</p>	<p>Limited - Aus-Connie takes into account only those drivers based on ocean circulation and connectivity.</p>	<p>Good - 17 different drivers are used that fall into categories such as demersal and pelagic fisheries, climate change, pollution, and invasive species.</p>	<p>Good - The models take into account biological information from stock assessment data, including time series data. They build in dynamic population data linking to the ecosystem level, management regimes such as MPAs can be incorporated in Ecospace, and economic</p>	<p>Limited - GEEM takes into account energy (biomass) transfer between trophic levels in the food web and how these can be altered through human impacts.</p>

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus- Connie	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
					and fisheries data for resource valuation are considered through EcoOcean.	
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	Provisioning (estuarine fisheries/aquaculture), Regulating (Water quality), Supporting (Nutrient cycling, Primary Production), Cultural and Spiritual (Recreation).	Provisioning (Fisheries (inc. their ecosystem effects); Supporting (Population dynamics (Trophic controls); changes to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services; Ecological fluxes (biomass and nutrient limitations)); Cultural (Economic valuation of resources).	Provisioning (larval recruitment for fisheries); Regulating (ecosystem connectivity (inc. Genetic and Nutrient flows); Larval dispersal and recruitment); Supporting (nutrient cycling).	All types of goods and services provided by the marine environment can be related to this model.	Provisioning (fisheries and their effects on ecosystems); Supporting (population dynamics); Cultural and Spiritual (valuation of ecosystem resources).	Provisioning (fisheries); Regulating (biomass and fluxes); and Supporting (Population dynamics (trophic controls); biological maintenance of resilience; changes to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services).
richness of detail including sectoral detail	Not applicable	Good level of ecosystem detail. Sectoral aspect is currently limited to fisheries applications.	Limited detail - a number of applications are mentioned but not discussed.	Although not described in depth, this model is applicable multiple sectors and it provides a framework that can be developed and adapted for use by other sectors, e.g. by adding biodiversity information.	Although a suite of ecosystem models, the models are most applicable to commercial fisheries whereas other sectors have only limited detail.	Limited detail - some applications are described briefly which include the agricultural and fishing/hunting sectors.
Possibility of upscaling/downs	Applicable to any scale of estuary.	An advantage of the Atlantis modelling	Aus-Connie is for use in the Australian	A global model which can be applied at the local-	The models are applicable at multiple	GEEM is applicable at multiple, ecosystem

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus- Connie	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
caling		approach is that it can easily be modified to nest fine-scale models within a coarser coast-wide model.	region. Due to its fairly coarse resolution it is advised not to be used at too fine a scale.	and regional-scale	scales.	scales as it is based on food webs.
effects of European policies on global level?	Categories are colour-coded following the convention of the EU Water Framework Directive (2000/60/EC), and aims to contribute to the classification systems which are a requirement of the E.U. Water Framework Directive, providing a scale for setting eutrophication related reference conditions for different types of transitional waters.	Unknown.	Not applicable.	Unknown.	Application to FAO fisheries policies.	Application to FAO fisheries policies.
operational access for TEEB	ASSETS application is available for download at: http://www.eutro.org/register/ . It is free and is available in four languages including Chinese.	Model descriptions are available in peer-reviewed published papers that can be accessed online. Technical documents are less easily available and the	Aus-Connie is freely available through the website at: http://www.per.marine.csiro.au/aus-connie/interface . Model is available through either an	All data sets and the model are freely available to download online at: http://www.nceas.ucsb.edu/GlobalMarine	Model descriptions are available in peer-reviewed published papers that can be accessed online. EwE is freely available for use and downloadable from www.ecopath.org	Modelling process is complex and would need to be carried out by a specialist. However, all methods and results are fully and transparently published and discussed in the scientific literature.

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus- Connie	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM
		model is not freely available for use. Contact Beth Fulton at Beth.Fulton@csiro.au for more information.	anonymous log-in with restricted access or through a registered users portal.			The model cannot be downloaded.
known plans for maintenance and development	NEEA/ASSETS Update Program is in operation. Type specific indicator variables and thresholds are being considered to improve the accuracy and management implications of the model.	Not specified. Developments may vary depending on the study area to which the model is applied.	Not specified, although the website does have a feedback form for the website itself and the model which indicates future development will take place.	Next key research step will be to compile regional and global databases of empirical measurements of ecosystem condition to further validate the efficiency of the approach.	Facilities are currently being implemented in EwE6 for using spatial drivers and reference data, e.g. Primary production, Salinity, Temperature, Nutrients, Advection, Fish distributions, and Survey data. EcoOcean is planned to be developed to a 0.5km grid cell resolution. The Depletion Index provided by EcoOcean is also being developed to represent a marine equivalent of the MSA used in the GLOBIO project.	Not specified.

1.3.7 Ocean models II

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
International acknowledgement	Model recently (2008/2009) published in peer-reviewed journals by an internationally recognised team of scientists and has received wide media interest.	RamCo has been applied to the south-west Sulawesi region and this methodology has been published in two peer-reviewed scientific papers.	The Reefs at Risk series created high impact in the global media and are considered high profile documents internationally. The methodology has been applied internationally to help inform decision making regarding the management of coral reefs.	The ERSEM II methodologies and applications were published in a special edition of the Journal of Sea Research - an internationally renowned, peer-reviewed publication. The fact that ERSEM was an EU funded project also emphasises the international buy-in of the product.	Methodology has been accepted through the peer-review process.
width of spectrum of drivers	Good - Takes into account 1066 commercial fish species and includes habitat preferences, dynamic population measures, climate scenarios, and oceanographic variables.	Excellent - Integrated model taking into account socioeconomic data as well as environmental and physical components.	Good - takes into account four component indicators (Coastal development; Marine Pollution; Overexploitation and destructive fishing; Inland pollution and erosion). However the model does not take into account future threats of climate change or population growth, nor does it consider threats resulting from coral disease, bleaching, and other factors considered largely natural in origin.	Good - takes into account both biological data on the lower trophic levels of pelagic and benthic systems and the physical parameters that are affected by these communities, e.g. Carbon and nutrient dynamics of Microzooplankton. The data in this model can then be linked to physical models thus increasing the range of drivers.	Limited - Ichthyop takes into account biological properties of ichthyoplankton and the key physical variable that influence their dynamics.
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	Provisioning (commercial and artisanal); Supporting (changes to ecosystem)	All types of goods and services provided by the coastal zone can be related to this model.	All types of goods and services provided by coral reefs can be related to this model.	Provisioning (fisheries through bottom up controls of fisheries populations; impacts of fisheries);	Provisioning (larval recruitment for fisheries); Regulating (ecosystem connectivity); Larval dispersal

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
	community structure); and Cultural and Spiritual (impacts on artisanal fishing practices.			Regulating (ecological fluxes; nutrient limitations); Supporting (Lower trophic level habitat modelling for pelagic and benthic systems).	and recruitment); Supporting (bottom-up support of food webs).
richness of detail including sectoral detail	Limited detail - main application described is to fisheries and only commercial fish species are used in the model.	Good richness of detail regarding the economic impacts on coastal systems. This is based primarily around agriculture and direct use of resources, however also considers the tourism and transport sectors.	Good richness of detail of data used in technical notes, a number of sectors are considered in the model including fisheries, fuel, transport, and tourism.	Limited detail - a number of previous applications to sectors are briefly described, however the majority of information is provided through the ecosystem modelling of regional examples.	Not applicable
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling	The global model can be downscaled to regional and local scales with the aim of improving understanding of potential climate change impacts at finer spatial and temporal scales. The next step would be to obtain physical and biological data in finer resolution for regional scale studies, particularly in climate	RamCo is the first prototype of an information system, which is to evolve eventually into a Generic Decision Support System for the Integrated Assessment of Sustainable Coastal Zone Management problems. The ultimate aim is to develop a system that will be applicable for the purpose of (1) rapid assessment, to (2) a wide range of coastal zone	The Reefs at Risk model is relevant, and has been applied at, global, regional and national scales.	Several studies have shown that the model is equally applicable in warm temperate (e.g. Mediterranean) systems and tropical situations (such as the Arabian Sea). The versatility of ERSEM is demonstrated by the range of subjects to which it has been applied. Studies of land-ocean interaction have ranged from shallow coastal lagoons to an assessment of riverine influence on the North Sea basin. Basin scale	Though it has been historically developed to study the dynamics of small pelagic fish ichthyoplankton in upwelling systems, Ichthyop is a generic tool in the sense that it incorporates the most important processes involved in ichthyoplankton dynamics. Using Ichthyop for other species in other systems may imply a few changes in the source code (e.g., changing the growth function, implementing a specific larval vertical migration scheme, etc.).

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	sensitive areas.	management problems, in (3) most of the coastal zones of the world.		and open ocean applications in 1, 2 and 3 dimensions have addressed issues varying from the dynamics of viruses to the influence of weather and climate on marine trophodynamics. ERSEM also provides a model mesocosm environment that can be expected to react in a qualitatively correct manner to seasonal, regional and inter-annual variations.	
effects of European policies on global level?	Unknown.	Not applicable.	Unknown.	Unknown.	Unknown.
operational access for TEEB	Model descriptions are available in peer-reviewed published papers that can be accessed online. The model is not available for use, however, Sea Around Us have an excellent collaborative history, making products available from their models for use by other organisations.	Demos of the model and the user's guide are available through the RIKS website (http://www.riks.nl/projects/RamCo). Neither software development with the tools provided in the RAMCO package nor the application of the RAMCO package to a case study is permitted. Software or application development and further usage or marketing of the	Details of the model and methodology are available in the Reefs at Risk publications available through the WRI website. CDROMs containing all the GIS data and models used in the analysis are available upon request. Contact Laretta Burke for more information: laretta@wri.org .	Details of the model and methodology are available through the ERSEM PML website (http://web.pml.ac.uk/ecomodels/ersem.htm). The model is not available for download and some of the website is still under development therefore there is instruction to contact modelling@pml.ac.uk for more information.	The software is freely available for download and a user manual is available at http://www.ur097.ird.fr/projects/ichthyop/ . Output files are in netcdf format and can be post-processed easily. This code is organized simply, commented and documented, which should make it easy to modify by a user with basic programming skills.

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
		RAMCO package will only be accepted following the purchase of a full version of the package.			
known plans for maintenance and development	Plans are in place to: include the effects of salinity on species distribution in the model; to incorporate coastal upwelling as a factor to determine present and future distributions of marine species; to predict global maps of kelp forests and simulate how climate change may affect the distribution of kelp forests and their associated fauna; to use the model to investigate climate-induced changes in physiology and population dynamics; to account for the affects of ocean chemistry.	Building of the MBB building blocks into MBB-libraries, adding to and developing these as necessary; development of scenarios, policy options and policy impacts through input from policy makers; analysts will further develop and refine the model through calibration and parameterisation based on knowledge of coastal zone processes. Through this process, RAMCO could evolve into a storage tank of coastal management knowledge, from this specific Libraries could be developed which will group the MBBs required for specific coasts.	WRI and ICRAN are leading a update of the 1998 analysis (Reefs at Risk + 10), which will provide a detailed examination of human pressures on coral reefs, implication for reef condition, and projections of associated economic impacts in coastal communities. WRI and ICRAN, in collaboration with a number of other partners, aim to raise public awareness to the location and severity of threats to coral reefs, and catalyse targeted, responsible, and informed decisions that protect coral reefs and the broad range of benefits they provide for people.	Ongoing work is investigating data assimilation as a technique for producing robust forecasts of ecosystem response to short term climatic influences.	Not specified

1.3.8 Regional models/assessments

Model name	ATEAM	InVEST	Naidoo et al., 2008	Swallow et al., 2009	Costanza et al. 2002
International acknowledgement	several peer-reviewed articles, widely cited	recent project, first publications	peer-reviewed article recently published	peer-reviewed article recently published	peer-reviewed article, widely cited
width of spectrum of drivers	policy scenarios, climate change, socio-economic development	only land use change based on scenarios (others will be incorporated)	species conservation strategies	only land use change	land use effects on ecosystem services (linked ecological economic model)
width of spectrum of goods and services covered	provisioning (agriculture, forestry, water), regulating (water, carbon), supporting (soil fertility, pollination), cultural (recreation), biodiversity	all areas of services covered: provisioning (food, timber, non-timber forest products, water supply), regulating (water, erosion, carbon sequestration), supporting (pollination), cultural (recreation) and biodiversity	provisioning (livestock, water), regulating (carbon storage and sequestration), biodiversity	Provisioning (food and water), regulating (water quality, erosion control)	Provisioning (water), supporting (soil nutrients, NPP), regulating (water quality), cultural (house prices)
richness of detail including sectoral detail	limited, detailed biogeochemical models	limited	no economics, only ecosystem processes	Detailed water model (SWAT), and agricultural production	Combined ecological and economic modelling
Possibility of upscaling/downscaling		possible, input: land cover maps; model has both a simple and a complex (more data needed) version	used on global scale as well as regional (California ecoregion)		Resolution variable
effects of European policies on global level?	Yes (European level only)	if specified within scenarios	Not applicable (mapping, no modelling)	Not applicable	Not applicable
operational access for TEEB	yes	model is available at: http://www.naturalcapitalproject.org/InVEST.html	no	no	No
known plans for maintenance and	Unknown/none	Ongoing development on the different submodels (tiers 1	unknown	unknown	unknown

Model name	ATEAM	InVEST	Naidoo et al., 2008	Swallow et al., 2009	Costanza et al. 2002
development		to 3)			

1.4 Description of selected scenarios

Scenario name	GSG: conventional worlds: market forces
Description	gradual convergence in incomes and culture toward dominant market model, market-driven globalization, trade liberalization, institutional modernization
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES A1, OECD baseline, MA global orchestration, GEO markets first, WWV business as usual, WBSCD FROG!
Type of scenario	normative
Policies specified	none, economical development shapes future
Purpose	A central theme the scenarios the identification of policies, actions and human choices required for a transition to a more sustainable and equitable future. The diversity and continuity of the GSG offers a unique resource to researchers, decision-makers and the general public.
Authorizing environment	GSG- global scenario group: Convened in 1995 by the Stockholm Environment Institute, the Global Scenario Group is an independent, international, interdisciplinary body that has been developing integrated global and regional scenarios (Raskin et al. 1998, 2002; Gallopi'n et al. 1997). The GSG scenario narratives are quantified with the use of the PoleStar System, a transparent tool for synthesizing global data sets, organizing sectoral linkages, and introducing assumptions (Raskin et al. 1999). This work has been used by a number of international assessments. Results are aimed at a global citizens movement.
Stakeholders involved in the development	no stakeholders involved
Time horizon and resolution	1995-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population development, economics, government, individual lifestyle, sustainability
Main actors	economy, markets
comments	The normative GSG scenarios stood at the basis for many other, explorative scenarios (SRES, MA, GEO 4).

Scenario name	GSG: Barbarization: breakdown
Description	social and environmental problems overwhelm market and policy response, unbridled conflict, institutional disintegration, and economic collapse
Correspondence with other scenarios	none
Type of scenario	normative
Policies specified	None, no stable political regime
Purpose	A central theme the scenarios the identification of policies, actions and human choices required for a transition to a more sustainable and equitable future. The diversity and continuity of the GSG offers a unique resource to researchers, decision-makers and the general public.
Authorizing environment	GSG- global scenario group: Convened in 1995 by the Stockholm Environment Institute, the Global Scenario Group is an independent, international, interdisciplinary body that has been developing integrated global and regional scenarios (Raskin et al. 1998, 2002; Gallopi'n et al. 1997). The GSG scenario narratives are quantified with the use of the PoleStar System, a transparent tool for

	synthesizing global data sets, organizing sectoral linkages, and introducing assumptions (Raskin et al. 1999). This work has been used by a number of international assessments. Results are aimed at a global citizens movement.
Stakeholders involved in the development	no stakeholders involved
Time horizon and resolution	1995-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population development, economics, government, individual lifestyle, sustainability
Main actors	economy, individuals
comments	

Scenario name	GSG: great transitions: eco-communalism
Description	fundamental changes in values, lifestyles, and institutions, local focus and a bio-regional perspective
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES B2
Type of scenario	normative
Policies specified	retreat into localism
Purpose	A central theme the scenarios the identification of policies, actions and human choices required for a transition to a more sustainable and equitable future. The diversity and continuity of the GSG offers a unique resource to researchers, decision-makers and the general public.
Authorizing environment	GSG- global scenario group: Convened in 1995 by the Stockholm Environment Institute, the Global Scenario Group is an independent, international, interdisciplinary body that has been developing integrated global and regional scenarios (Raskin et al. 1998, 2002; Gallopin et al. 1997). The GSG scenario narratives are quantified with the use of the PoleStar System, a transparent tool for synthesizing global data sets, organizing sectoral linkages, and introducing assumptions (Raskin et al. 1999). This work has been used by a number of international assessments. Results are aimed at a global citizens movement.
Stakeholders involved in the development	no stakeholders involved
Time horizon and resolution	1995-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population development, economics, government, individual lifestyle, sustainability
Main actors	lifestyle change, individuals
comments	

Scenario name	GSG: conventional worlds: policy reform
Description	gradual convergence in incomes and culture toward dominant market model, strong policy focus on meeting social and environmental sustainability goals
Correspondence with other scenarios	MA techno garden, GEO policy first, OECD policy variants, WWV technology, WBSCD GEOpolicy,
Type of scenario	normative
Policies specified	strong policies towards sustainability, social equity and environmental protection
Purpose	A central theme the scenarios the identification of policies, actions

	and human choices required for a transition to a more sustainable and equitable future. The diversity and continuity of the GSG offers a unique resource to researchers, decision-makers and the general public.
Authorizing environment	GSG- global scenario group: Convened in 1995 by the Stockholm Environment Institute, the Global Scenario Group is an independent, international, interdisciplinary body that has been developing integrated global and regional scenarios (Raskin et al. 1998, 2002; Gallopin et al. 1997). The GSG scenario narratives are quantified with the use of the PoleStar System, a transparent tool for synthesizing global data sets, organizing sectoral linkages, and introducing assumptions (Raskin et al. 1999). This work has been used by a number of international assessments. Results are aimed at a global citizens movement.
Stakeholders involved in the development	no stakeholders involved
Time horizon and resolution	1995-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population development, economics, government, individual lifestyle, sustainability
Main actors	global policies
comments	

Scenario name	GSG: Barbarization: fortress world
Description	social and environmental problems overwhelm market and policy response, authoritarian rule with elites in "fortresses", poverty and repression outside
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES A2, MA order from strength, GEO security first,
Type of scenario	normative
Policies specified	strong policies towards regional security, trade barriers
Purpose	A central theme the scenarios the identification of policies, actions and human choices required for a transition to a more sustainable and equitable future. The diversity and continuity of the GSG offers a unique resource to researchers, decision-makers and the general public.
Authorizing environment	GSG- global scenario group: Convened in 1995 by the Stockholm Environment Institute, the Global Scenario Group is an independent, international, interdisciplinary body that has been developing integrated global and regional scenarios (Raskin et al. 1998, 2002; Gallopin et al. 1997). The GSG scenario narratives are quantified with the use of the PoleStar System, a transparent tool for synthesizing global data sets, organizing sectoral linkages, and introducing assumptions (Raskin et al. 1999). This work has been used by a number of international assessments. Results are aimed at a global citizens movement.
Stakeholders involved in the development	no stakeholders involved
Time horizon and resolution	1995-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population development, economics, government, individual lifestyle, sustainability
Main actors	national policies, economy
comments	

Scenario name	GSG: great transitions: new sustainability
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Description	fundamental changes in values, lifestyles, and institutions, new form of globalization that changes the character of industrial society
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES B1, MA adapting mosaic, GEO sustainability first, WWV values and lifestyles, WBCSD Jazz
Type of scenario	normative
Policies specified	policies towards sustainability and equity
Purpose	A central theme the scenarios the identification of policies, actions and human choices required for a transition to a more sustainable and equitable future. The diversity and continuity of the GSG offers a unique resource to researchers, decision-makers and the general public.
Authorizing environment	GSG- global scenario group: Convened in 1995 by the Stockholm Environment Institute, the Global Scenario Group is an independent, international, interdisciplinary body that has been developing integrated global and regional scenarios (Raskin et al. 1998, 2002; Gallopin et al. 1997). The GSG scenario narratives are quantified with the use of the PoleStar System, a transparent tool for synthesizing global data sets, organizing sectoral linkages, and introducing assumptions (Raskin et al. 1999). This work has been used by a number of international assessments. Results are aimed at a global citizens movement.
Stakeholders involved in the development	no stakeholders involved
Time horizon and resolution	1995-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population development, economics, government, individual lifestyle, sustainability
Main actors	lifestyle change, individuals, governments
comments	

Scenario name	SRES A1
Description	rapid economic growth, market-based solutions with weak governments, free trade, high technological development
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG market forces, OECD baseline, MA global orchestration, GEO markets first, WWV business as usual, WBCSD FROG!
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	open markets, no policies for greenhouse gas emissions
Purpose	climate change predictions, assessment of mitigation strategies, provide input for negotiations of possible measures/agreements
Authorizing environment	IPCC: 6 modelling groups for development from narrative to quantitative model inputs, however, there has been criticism that macro-economists were not involved in scenario development
Stakeholders involved in the development	none, scientists only
Time horizon and resolution	2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	trade, transport, manufacturing, agriculture, climate
Main actors	global economy
comments	SRES scenarios have been criticised for their negative attitude towards market-based solutions

Scenario name	SRES A2
Description	moderate economic growth, intermediate technological development,

	self-reliance of regions
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG fortress world, MA order from strength, GEO security first,
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	trade barriers, strong national policies, no policies for greenhouse gas emissions
Purpose	climate change predictions, assessment of mitigation strategies, provide input for negotiations of possible measures/agreements
Authorizing environment	IPCC: 6 modelling groups for development from narrative to quantitative model inputs, however, there has been criticism that macro-economists were not involved in scenario development
Stakeholders involved in the development	none, scientists only
Time horizon and resolution	2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	Global
Domains mainly considered	trade, transport, manufacturing, agriculture, climate
Main actors	global policies
comments	SRES scenarios have been criticised for their negative attitude towards market-based solutions

Scenario name	SRES B1
Description	rapid technological change, central strong governments, restrictive policies, convergent world towards global solutions to economic, social and environmental sustainability, moderate economic growth
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG new sustainability, MA adapting mosaic, GEO sustainability first, WWV values and lifestyles, WBCSD Jazz
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	strong global management, no policies for greenhouse gas emissions
Purpose	climate change predictions, assessment of mitigation strategies, provide input for negotiations of possible measures/agreements
Authorizing environment	IPCC: 6 modelling groups for development from narrative to quantitative model inputs, however, there has been criticism that macro-economists were not involved in scenario development
Stakeholders involved in the development	none, scientists only
Time horizon and resolution	2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	trade, transport, manufacturing, agriculture, climate
Main actors	local communities, "wellfare networks"
comments	SRES scenarios have been criticised for their negative attitude towards market-based solutions

Table 4: General information on scenarios

Scenario name	SRES B2
Description	technological change globally unevenly distributed, local solutions to economic, social and environmental sustainability, slow economic growth, decision-making on local/regional level, weak government
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG eco-communalism
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	trade barriers, local management, no policies for greenhouse gas emissions

Purpose	climate change predictions, assessment of mitigation strategies, provide input for negotiations of possible measures/agreements
Authorizing environment	IPCC: 6 modelling groups for development from narrative to quantitative model inputs, however, there has been criticism that macro-economists were not involved in scenario development
Stakeholders involved in the development	none, scientists only
Time horizon and resolution	2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	trade, transport, manufacturing, agriculture, climate
Main actors	local communities
comments	SRES scenarios have been criticised for their negative attitude towards market-based solutions

Scenario name	MA: <i>Global Orchestration</i>
Description	global economic policies are the primary approach to sustainability
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG market forces, SRES A1, OECD baseline, GEO markets first, WWV business as usual, WBSCD FROG!
Type of scenario	mostly explorative
Policies specified	global economic policies towards sustainability
Purpose	primary aim was to draw out the consequences of several plausible future worlds for ecosystem services, we needed to provide plausible explanations that considered social and economic drivers of change.
Authorizing environment	Scenario guidance teams
Stakeholders involved in the development	The scenario guidance team conducted a series of interviews with potential users of the scenarios to obtain their input for developing the goals and focus of the scenarios. This effort included directly asking various users what questions they wanted the MA to address. Users who responded included representatives from the Convention on Biological Diversity, the Convention to Combat Desertification, Ramsar, and other national government representatives; individuals from the private sector; and members of international nongovernmental organizations, civil society, and indigenous groups. This effort led to a greater understanding of what the active stakeholders hoped to gain from the MA scenarios. Final scenarios were developed with interviews of 59 leaders in NGOs, governments, and business from five continents.
Time horizon and resolution	2050, for some variables 2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	focus on social policy, policy reforms focus on global trade and economic liberalization
Main actors	global policies, transnational companies, NGOs, multilateral organisations
comments	

Scenario name	MA: <i>Order From Strength</i>
Description	
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG fortress world, SRES A2, GEO security first,
Type of scenario	mostly explorative
Policies specified	national policies for nature conservation (parks and reserves), trade barriers
Purpose	primary aim was to draw out the consequences of several plausible

	future worlds for ecosystem services, we needed to provide plausible explanations that considered social and economic drivers of change.
Authorizing environment	Scenario guidance teams
Stakeholders involved in the development	The scenario guidance team conducted a series of interviews with potential users of the scenarios to obtain their input for developing the goals and focus of the scenarios. This effort included directly asking various users what questions they wanted the MA to address. Users who responded included representatives from the Convention on Biological Diversity, the Convention to Combat Desertification, Ramsar, and other national government representatives; individuals from the private sector; and members of international nongovernmental organizations, civil society, and indigenous groups. This effort led to a greater understanding of what the active stakeholders hoped to gain from the MA scenarios. Final scenarios were developed with interviews of 59 leaders in NGOs, governments, and business from five continents.
Time horizon and resolution	2050, for some variables 2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	focus on self interest, regionalized and fragmented world, concerned with security and protection
Main actors	national policies, multinational companies
comments	

Scenario name	MA: <i>Adapting Mosaic</i>
Description	
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG new sustainability, SRES B1, GEO sustainability first, WWV values and lifestyles, WBCSD Jazz
Type of scenario	mostly explorative
Policies specified	local policies
Purpose	primary aim was to draw out the consequences of several plausible future worlds for ecosystem services, we needed to provide plausible explanations that considered social and economic drivers of change.
Authorizing environment	Scenario guidance teams
Stakeholders involved in the development	The scenario guidance team conducted a series of interviews with potential users of the scenarios to obtain their input for developing the goals and focus of the scenarios. This effort included directly asking various users what questions they wanted the MA to address. Users who responded included representatives from the Convention on Biological Diversity, the Convention to Combat Desertification, Ramsar, and other national government representatives; individuals from the private sector; and members of international nongovernmental organizations, civil society, and indigenous groups. This effort led to a greater understanding of what the active stakeholders hoped to gain from the MA scenarios. Final scenarios were developed with interviews of 59 leaders in NGOs, governments, and business from five continents.
Time horizon and resolution	2050, for some variables 2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	focus on active learning, political and economic activity, local management
Main actors	local management, cooperatives, global organisations
comments	

Scenario name	MA: <i>TechnoGarden</i>
Description	
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reform, GEO policy first, OECD policy variants, WWV technology, WBSCD GEOpolity,
Type of scenario	mostly explorative
Policies specified	proactive, global management
Purpose	primary aim was to draw out the consequences of several plausible future worlds for ecosystem services, we needed to provide plausible explanations that considered social and economic drivers of change.
Authorizing environment	Scenario guidance teams
Stakeholders involved in the development	The scenario guidance team conducted a series of interviews with potential users of the scenarios to obtain their input for developing the goals and focus of the scenarios. This effort included directly asking various users what questions they wanted the MA to address. Users who responded included representatives from the Convention on Biological Diversity, the Convention to Combat Desertification, Ramsar, and other national government representatives; individuals from the private sector; and members of international nongovernmental organizations, civil society, and indigenous groups. This effort led to a greater understanding of what the active stakeholders hoped to gain from the MA scenarios. Final scenarios were developed with interviews of 59 leaders in NGOs, governments, and business from five continents.
Time horizon and resolution	2050, for some variables 2100
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	focus on environmental technology, multifunctional agriculture, reduction of trade barriers and subsidies
Main actors	technological development, NGOs, professional associations
comments	Multi-functional aspects of agriculture and a global reduction of agricultural subsidies and trade barriers.

Scenario name	GEO4: <i>Markets First</i>
Description	Markets First pays lip service to sustainable development in terms of the ideals of the Brundtland Commission, Agenda 21 and other major policy decisions. There is a narrow focus on the sustainability of markets rather than in the context of the broader human-environment system
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG market forces, SRES A1, OECD baseline, MA global orchestration, WWV business as usual, WBSCD FROG!
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	open markets, environmental policies of national governments (air pollution), ideals of the Brundtland Commission, Agenda 21 and other major policy decisions
Purpose	UNEP GEO-4: Environment for Development shows how both current and possible future deterioration of the environment can limit people's development options and reduce their quality of life. This assessment emphasises the importance of a healthy environment, both for development and for combating poverty.
Authorizing environment	UNEP: The scenarios were developed through a lengthy collaborative process that began with four of the GSG scenarios, which were then refined through a series of regional and global meetings (Raskin and Kemp-Benedict 2002), with input from the IPCC's Special Report on Emissions Scenarios. The emphasis of the process was on refining the narratives and giving them regional texture. A consortium of modelling teams elaborated on different

	aspects of the scenarios (Potting and Bakkes 2004).
Stakeholders involved in the development	Expert Group Meeting (Governments and relevant international organisations)
Time horizon and resolution	2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population, economic activity, government (energy prices, taxes, environmental policies), lifestyle, technology, land use limitations
Main actors	economic sector
comments	

Scenario name	GEO-4: Policy First
Description	Policy First introduces some measures aimed at promoting sustainable development, but the tensions between environment and economic policies are biased towards social and economic considerations
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reforms, MA techno garden, OECD policy variants, WWV technology, WBSCD GEOpolity,
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	policy limits market failure, climate change mitigation, air pollution, protect species diversity and ecosystem services
Purpose	UNEP GEO-4: Environment for Development shows how both current and possible future deterioration of the environment can limit people's development options and reduce their quality of life. This assessment emphasises the importance of a healthy environment, both for development and for combating poverty.
Authorizing environment	UNEP: The scenarios were developed through a lengthy collaborative process that began with four of the GSG scenarios, which were then refined through a series of regional and global meetings (Raskin and Kemp-Benedict 2002), with input from the IPCC's Special Report on Emissions Scenarios. The emphasis of the process was on refining the narratives and giving them regional texture. A consortium of modelling teams elaborated on different aspects of the scenarios (Potting and Bakkes 2004).
Stakeholders involved in the development	Expert Group Meeting (Governments and relevant international organisations)
Time horizon and resolution	2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population, economic activity, government (energy prices, taxes, environmental policies), lifestyle, technology, land use limitations
Main actors	governmental policies
comments	

Scenario name	GEO-4: Security First
Description	Security First focuses on the interests of a minority: rich, national and regional. It emphasizes sustainable development only in the context of maximizing access to and use of the environment by the powerful
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG fortress world, SRES A2, MA order from strength
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	trade barrier, strong national policy, no environmental policies except for air pollution

Purpose	UNEP GEO-4: Environment for Development shows how both current and possible future deterioration of the environment can limit people's development options and reduce their quality of life. This assessment emphasises the importance of a healthy environment, both for development and for combating poverty.
Authorizing environment	UNEP: The scenarios were developed through a lengthy collaborative process that began with four of the GSG scenarios, which were then refined through a series of regional and global meetings (Raskin and Kemp-Benedict 2002), with input from the IPCC's Special Report on Emissions Scenarios. The emphasis of the process was on refining the narratives and giving them regional texture. A consortium of modelling teams elaborated on different aspects of the scenarios (Potting and Bakkes 2004).
Stakeholders involved in the development	Expert Group Meeting (Governments and relevant international organisations)
Time horizon and resolution	2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population, economic activity, governemtn (energy prices, taxes, environmental policies), lifestyle, technology, land use limitations
Main actors	governmental policies, partly economic
comments	

Scenario name	GEO-4: Sustainability First
Description	Sustainability First gives equal weight to environmental and socio-economic policies, accountability, and it stresses transparency and legitimacy across all actors. It emphasizes the development of effective public-private sector partnerships not only in the context of projects but in the area of governance, ensuring that stakeholders across the environment-development discourse spectrum provide strategic input to policy making and implementation
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG new sustainability, SRES B1, MA adapting mosaic, WWV values and lifestyles, WBCSD Jazz
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	strong global management, climate mitigation, air pollution, protect species diversity and ecosystem services
Purpose	UNEP GEO-4: Environment for Development shows how both current and possible future deterioration of the environment can limit people's development options and reduce their quality of life. This assessment emphasises the importance of a healthy environment, both for development and for combating poverty.
Authorizing environment	UNEP: The scenarios were developed through a lengthy collaborative process that began with four of the GSG scenarios, which were then refined through a series of regional and global meetings (Raskin and Kemp-Benedict 2002), with input from the IPCC's Special Report on Emissions Scenarios. The emphasis of the process was on refining the narratives and giving them regional texture. A consortium of modeling teams elaborated on different aspects of the scenarios (Potting and Bakkes 2004).
Stakeholders involved in the development	Expert Group Meeting (Governments and relevant international organisations)
Time horizon and resolution	2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	population, economic activity, government (energy prices, taxes,

	environmental policies), lifestyle, technology, land use limitations
Main actors	economy, government and individual behaviour
comments	

Scenario name	OECD baseline scenario
Description	
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG market forces, SRES A1, MA global orchestration, GEO markets first, WWV business as usual, WBSCD FROG!
Type of scenario	trend
Policies specified	business-as-usual: no new policies
Purpose	The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope, aim is the exploration of options to reduce climate change and greenhouse gas emissions
Authorizing environment	OECD
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2005 to 2030 (policies) respectively 2050 (impacts)
Spatial coverage and resolution	global, for policies: OECD, BRIC and the rest of the world, spatial resolution of effects: 0.5° grid
Domains mainly considered	agricultural production and trade, energy sector (mitigation of climate change, control of urban air pollution), sewage treatment
Main actors	
comments	The Outlook examined drivers of environmental change, specific sectors that put the greatest pressure on the environment, and resulting environmental impacts. The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope. Global economic patterns were modelled using the OECD's JOBS model. These drivers were then used as inputs to the PoleStar System to assess potential environmental impacts in the scenarios.

Scenario name	OECD- ppOECD
Description	This policy variant implies a broad range of policies for a reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, including a carbon tax, are only implemented in the OECD countries starting in 2012.
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reform, MA techno garden, GEO policy first, WWV technology, WBSCD GEOpolity,
Type of scenario	trend (explorative)
Policies specified	broad policy package, including phased carbon tax in OECD countries (starting 2012 with US\$ 25/tC), development towards maximum feasible reductions of air pollution, installing and upgrading sewage treatment systems
Purpose	The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope, aim is the exploration of options to reduce climate change and greenhouse gas emissions
Authorizing environment	OECD
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2005 to 2030 (policies) respectively 2050 (impacts)
Spatial coverage and resolution	global, for policies: OECD, BRIC and the rest of the world, spatial resolution of effects: 0.5° grid
Domains mainly considered	agricultural production and trade, energy sector (mitigation of climate change, control of urban air pollution), sewage treatment

Main actors	OECD policies
comments	The Outlook examined drivers of environmental change, specific sectors that put the greatest pressure on the environment, and resulting environmental impacts. The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope. Global economic patterns were modeled using the OECD's JOBS model. These drivers were then used as inputs to the PoleStar System to assess potential environmental impacts in the scenarios.

Scenario name	OECD- 450ppm multigas
Description	A policy variant with carbon taxes. The price for carbon is not fixed, but dependent on the greenhouse gas emissions with the goal to stabilize the CO ₂ equivalent concentration at 450 ppm.
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reform, MA techno garden, GEO policy first, WWV technology, WBSCD GEOpolity,
Type of scenario	trend (normative)
Policies specified	Climate policy aimed at stabilizing the concentration of the six Kyoto gases at 450 ppm carbon dioxide equivalents
Purpose	The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope, aim is the exploration of options to reduce climate change and greenhouse gas emissions
Authorizing environment	OECD
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2005 to 2030 (policies) respectively 2050 (impacts)
Spatial coverage and resolution	global, for policies: OECD, BRIC and the rest of the world, spatial resolution of effects: 0.5° grid
Domains mainly considered	agricultural production and trade, energy sector (mitigation of climate change, control of urban air pollution), sewage treatment
Main actors	global policies
comments	The Outlook examined drivers of environmental change, specific sectors that put the greatest pressure on the environment, and resulting environmental impacts. The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope. Global economic patterns were modeled using the OECD's JOBS model. These drivers were then used as inputs to the PoleStar System to assess potential environmental impacts in the scenarios.

Scenario name	OECD-ccglobal2008
Description	This policy variant implies an immediate implementation of carbon taxes worldwide.
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reform, MA techno garden, GEO policy first, WWV technology, WBSCD GEOpolity,
Type of scenario	trend (explorative)
Policies specified	uniform global carbon tax, starting in 2008
Purpose	The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope, aim is the exploration of options to reduce climate change and greenhouse gas emissions

Authorizing environment	OECD
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2005 to 2030 (policies) respectively 2050 (impacts)
Spatial coverage and resolution	global, for policies: OECD, BRIC and the rest of the world, spatial resolution of effects: 0.5° grid
Domains mainly considered	agricultural production and trade, energy sector (mitigation of climate change, control of urban air pollution), sewage treatment
Main actors	global policies
comments	The Outlook examined drivers of environmental change, specific sectors that put the greatest pressure on the environment, and resulting environmental impacts. The focus of the Outlook is the critical environmental concerns facing OECD countries, but the study is global in scope. Global economic patterns were modeled using the OECD's JOBS model. These drivers were then used as inputs to the PoleStar System to assess potential environmental impacts in the scenarios.

Scenario name	IAASTD baseline scenario
Description	
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	trend
Policies specified	no new policies (national and international agricultural policy)
Purpose	
Authorizing environment	IAASTD
Stakeholders involved in the development	Private and public sector participation in writing teams
Time horizon and resolution	50 years backward and forward
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	food production, water supply, energy production and use, land use change, climate, trade policies and markets
Main actors	economy
comments	

Scenario name	MIMES/GUMBO: baseline
Description	
Correspondence with other scenarios	OECD baseline
Type of scenario	trend
Policies specified	no new policies
Purpose	
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	MIMES/GUMBO: star trek
Description	higher rates of consumption and investment in built capital, lower investment in human, social and natural capital and the real state of the world corresponds to the optimistic parameter assumption set (new alternative energy comes on line, etc.)
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	higher rates of consumption and investment in built capital, lower investment in human, social and natural capital
Purpose	
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	MIMES/GUMBO: big government
Description	set of technologically sceptical policies (lower rates of consumption and investment in built capital, higher rates of investment in human, social and natural capital) and the real state of the world corresponds to the optimistic parameter assumption set
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	technologically sceptical policies (lower rates of consumption and investment in built capital, higher rates of investment in human, social and natural capital)
Purpose	
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	MIMES/GUMBO: mad max
Description	higher rates of consumption and investment in built capital, lower investment in human, social and natural capital) and the real state of the world corresponds to the sceptical parameter assumption set (no new energy forms come on line, etc.)
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	explorative

Policies specified	higher rates of consumption and investment in built capital, lower investment in human, social and natural capital
Purpose	
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	MIMES/GUMBO: ecotopia
Description	technologically sceptical policies and the real state of the world corresponds to the sceptical parameter assumption set
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	technologically sceptical policies (lower rates of consumption and investment in built capital, higher rates of investment in human, social and natural capital)
Purpose	
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	WWV: business as usual
Description	current water policies continue, high inequity
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG market forces, SRES A1, OECD baseline, MA global orchestration, GEO markets first, WBSCD FROG!
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	no, focus on demographic, technological and lifestyle development
Purpose	To increase awareness of a rising global water crisis.
Authorizing environment	World Water Council
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2025
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	lifestyle choice, technology development, demographics, economics
Main actors	institution and economy
comments	(focus on water, agricultural use, storage, scarcity, distribution)

Scenario name	WWV: technology, economic and the private sector
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Description	market-based mechanisms, better technology
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reforms, MA techno garden, GEO policy first, OECD policy variants, WBSCD GEOpolity,
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	no, focus on demographic, technological and lifestyle development
Purpose	To increase awareness of a rising global water crisis.
Authorizing environment	World Water Council
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2025
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	lifestyle choice, technology development, demographics, economics
Main actors	economy (private sector)
comments	(focus on water, agricultural use, storage, scarcity, distribution)

Scenario name	WWV: values and lifestyles
Description	less water intensive activities, ecological preservation
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG new sustainability, SRES B1, MA adapting mosaic, GEO sustainability first, WBSCD Jazz
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	no, focus on demographic, technological and lifestyle development
Purpose	To increase awareness of a rising global water crisis.
Authorizing environment	World Water Council
Stakeholders involved in the development	
Time horizon and resolution	2025
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	lifestyle choice, technology development, demographics, economics
Main actors	lifestyle choices (individual citizens, consumers)
comments	(focus on water, agricultural use, storage, scarcity, distribution)

Scenario name	WBSCD: FROG!
Description	market-driven growth, economic globalization
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG market forces, SRES A1, OECD baseline, MA global orchestration, GEO markets first, WWV business as usual
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	open markets
Purpose	to engage the business community in the debate on sustainable development
Authorizing environment	World Business Council for Sustainable Development; the scenarios were developed in an open process involving representatives from 35 organizations.
Stakeholders involved in the development	representatives from 35 organizations
Time horizon and resolution	2000-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	ecosystem sustainability, economy, technology
Main actors	economy
comments	

Scenario name	WBCSD: GEOpolity
Description	top-down approach to sustainability
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG policy reforms, MA techno garden, GEO policy first, OECD policy variants, WWV technology
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	global policies aiming at sustainable development
Purpose	to engage the business community in the debate on sustainable development
Authorizing environment	World Business Council for Sustainable Development; the scenarios were developed in an open process involving representatives from 35 organizations.
Stakeholders involved in the development	representatives from 35 organizations
Time horizon and resolution	2000-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	ecosystem sustainability, economy, technology
Main actors	global policies
comments	

Scenario name	WBCSD: JAZZ
Description	bottom-up approach to sustainability, ad hoc alliances, innovation
Correspondence with other scenarios	GSG new sustainability, SRES B1, MA adapting mosaic, GEO sustainability first, WWV values and lifestyles
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	governmental activity limited to local level
Purpose	to engage the business community in the debate on sustainable development
Authorizing environment	World Business Council for Sustainable Development; the scenarios were developed in an open process involving representatives from 35 organizations.
Stakeholders involved in the development	representatives from 35 organizations
Time horizon and resolution	2000-2050
Spatial coverage and resolution	global
Domains mainly considered	ecosystem sustainability, economy, technology
Main actors	Lifestyle (individual citizens, consumers)
comments	

Table 4: General information on scenarios

Scenario name	EURuralis: global economy
Description	Societies in the Global economy scenario are predominantly driven by market-based solutions. Trade barriers are gradually eliminated; CAP subsidies are phased out, and so are transfers of capital to support EU regions lagging behind economically. Government roles are limited to core responsibilities, like basic education, security and law enforcement (Westhoek <i>et al.</i> , 2006)
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES A1
Type of scenario	explorative with extra policy options
Policies specified	agricultural subsidies abolished,

Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	economy, multilateral cooperation, strong technology development
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: global cooperation
Description	The Global co-operation scenario assumes intensive multilateral international co-operation on many issues. Tariff barriers restricting market access are gradually removed but international food safety standards are raised and new mechanisms are introduced to ensure high social and environmental production standards of traded goods (Westhoek <i>et al.</i> , 2006).
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES A2
Type of scenario	explorative with extra policy options
Policies specified	some agricultural subsidies,
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	economy, multilateral cooperation for sustainability, nature conservation and equity, strong technology development
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: continental markets
Description	The Continental markets scenario assumes a view that social and cultural values can best be preserved in regional political alliances, within which nation states should keep as much sovereignty as possible. Agricultural protection measures to shield this market remain in place to safeguard food security (Westhoek <i>et al.</i> , 2006).
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES B1
Type of scenario	explorative with extra policy options
Policies specified	agricultural subsidies abolished,
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030

Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	economy, regional cooperation for sustainability, nature conservation and equity
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: regional communities
Description	In the Regional communities scenario, a high value is attributed to the subsidiarity principle and, in fact, many issues are addressed at a level below that of the nation-state. Few benefits are attributed to market-based solutions; shielded markets are preferred so as to address the strong environmental and socio-cultural concerns that typify this scenario (Westhoek <i>et al.</i> , 2006).
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES B2
Type of scenario	explorative with extra policy options
Policies specified	only agri-environmental payments,
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	government, regional cooperation for sustainability, nature conservation and equity
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: CAP market support variants
Description	These variants are implemented on top of one of the scenarios and related to market price supports in the EU which can be maintained or abolished.
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	policy variants
Policies specified	full market liberalization for agricultural products to constant price support
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy

Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: CAP income support variants
Description	In these policy variants income support can be abolished, maintained or increased.
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	policy variants
Policies specified	abolishment of income support to increasing income support for farmers
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: biofuel variants
Description	Different biofuel variants exist from no or low obligations for biofuels to 11.5% share of biofuels in the energy sector.
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	policy variants
Policies specified	no targets (no taxes and subsidies) to 11.5% obligations in 2010
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	
comments	

Scenario name	EURuralis: less favoured area policy variants
Description	Policy variants with abolishment of support for less favourite areas to increase/shift of areas.
Correspondence with other scenarios	
Type of scenario	policy variants

Policies specified	no special policy, current policy or new policies based on slope and altitude of land
Purpose	Support European governments on decisions about future
Authorizing environment	
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scientific advisory group and policy advisory group
Time horizon and resolution	2030
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	macro-economy, demography, agro-technology, border support, income support, LFA, nature policy, spatial policy, erosion policy, energy policy
Main actors	
comments	

Table 4: General information on scenarios

Scenario name	ATEAM A1
Description	Rapid economic growth, little concern about environment, increase in mass-tourism
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES A1
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	recreation focus in protected areas
Purpose	Main objective is to assess the vulnerability of human sectors relying on ecosystem services with respect to global change
Authorizing environment	ATEAM is a consortium consisting of 18 scientific institutes
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scenarios were developed in intensive cooperation with stakeholders, primarily ecosystem managers and policy advisors.
Time horizon and resolution	baseline: 2000; 2020, 2050, 2080
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	land use change based on economy (GDP), technological development, citizen participation, governmental policies, tourism, rural development, spatial planning
Main actors	global economy
comments	

Scenario name	ATEAM A2
Description	Moderate economic growth, strong EU, little concern about environment, decrease in tourism in general but increase in regional tourism
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES A2
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	weak nature conservation policies, protection declines
Purpose	Main objective is to assess the vulnerability of human sectors relying on ecosystem services with respect to global change
Authorizing environment	ATEAM is a consortium consisting of 18 scientific institutes
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scenarios were developed in intensive cooperation with stakeholders, primarily ecosystem managers and policy advisors.
Time horizon and resolution	baseline: 2000; 2020, 2050, 2080
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe

Domains mainly considered	land use change based on economy (GDP), technological development, citizen participation, governmental policies, tourism, rural development, spatial planning
Main actors	regional economy
comments	

Scenario name	ATEAM B1
Description	Moderate economic growth, great concern about environment, strong central government, increase in regional recreation, decrease in tourism
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES B1
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	strict protection and expansion of selected areas
Purpose	Main objective is to assess the vulnerability of human sectors relying on ecosystem services with respect to global change
Authorizing environment	ATEAM is a consortium consisting of 18 scientific institutes
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scenarios were developed in intensive cooperation with stakeholders, primarily ecosystem managers and policy advisors.
Time horizon and resolution	baseline: 2000; 2020, 2050, 2080
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	land use change based on economy (GDP), technological development, citizen participation, governmental policies, tourism, rural development, spatial planning
Main actors	global government
comments	

Scenario name	ATEAM B2
Description	Low economic growth, great concern about environment, decrease in tourism, increase in eco-recreation, strong regional governments
Correspondence with other scenarios	SRES B2
Type of scenario	explorative
Policies specified	local policies for nature conservation
Purpose	Main objective is to assess the vulnerability of human sectors relying on ecosystem services with respect to global change
Authorizing environment	ATEAM is a consortium consisting of 18 scientific institutes
Stakeholders involved in the development	Scenarios were developed in intensive cooperation with stakeholders, primarily ecosystem managers and policy advisors.
Time horizon and resolution	baseline: 2000; 2020, 2050, 2080
Spatial coverage and resolution	Europe
Domains mainly considered	land use change based on economy (GDP), technological development, citizen participation, governmental policies, tourism, rural development, spatial planning
Main actors	regional government
comments	

1.5 Scenario summary with information relevant for TEEB

Scenario name	type	International acknowledgement	Width of spectrum of drivers	Richness of detail including sectoral detail	Models that have been used with scenario
IPCC-SRES	explorative	very high	wide set of quantitative indicators	Limited	AIM, IMAGE
MA	explorative	high	wide set of quantitative indicators	High	IMPACT, IMAGE, WaterGAP, EwE, SAR
GEO-4	explorative	high	wide set of quantitative indicators	High	AIM, IMAGE, PoleStar, WaterGAP, EcoOcean (EwE)
GSG	normative	high, SRES, MA and GEO-scenarios are based on GSG scenarios, however, GSG scenarios are normative instead of explorative	narrative	limited	PoleStar
OECD baseline	trend with policy options	high	wide set of quantitative indicators	High	WaterGAP, IMAGE, GLOBIO
IAASTD baseline	trend with policy options	moderate	wide set of quantitative indicators	High	IMAGE, IMPACT-WATER, GLOBIO, EcoOcean (EwE)
MIMES/GUMBO	explorative	limited	wide set of quantitative indicators	Moderate	MIMES, GUMBO
EURuralis	explorative with policy options	Moderate (high within Europe)	moderate	Moderate	GTAP, IMAGE, CLUE
WWV	explorative	Limited to water management community	moderate	Moderate	
WBCSD	explorative	limited	moderate	Moderate	
ATEAM	explorative with policy options	moderate	moderate	Moderate	

1.6 Summary of models with respect to drivers, pressures and impacts

1.6.1 Integrated Assessment Models

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IASA	IMAGE	MIMES
natural drivers and environmental pressures	Climate change (as affected by emissions and policy)	climate	climate	Climate change (as affected by emissions and policy)	Climate change (as affected by emissions and policy)	Climate change (as affected by emissions and policy)	climate
human drivers and pressures	energy demand (land use change)	Human population, knowledge and social institutions (rules and norms) drive the rate of the material and energy flux.	demography, economic, agricultural, energy, socio-political, international political	capital, labour	demography, economy, energy demand	Demography, macro-economy, agricultural demand and trade (from GTAP)	Human population, knowledge and social institutions (rules and norms) drive the rate of the material and energy flux.
policies	scenario-inputs	scenario inputs	international politics	scenario-inputs	scenario-inputs	Policy decision support model FAIR, scenario inputs	scenario inputs
land use	land use change model included, spatially explicit	11 biomes globally aggregated (open ocean, coastal ocean, forests, grasslands, wetlands, lakes/rivers, deserts, tundra, ice/rock,	not spatially explicit	spatially explicit	spatially explicit	geographically explicit modelling of land use/cover	spatially explicit, different types: forest, wetland, grass, urban, desert

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IIASA	IMAGE	MIMES
		croplands, urban): areal land use, not spacially explicit					
biodiversity	Vegetation distribution	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	MSA via GLOBIO	Not available
ecosystem function	Water balance	carbon, water and nutrient cycles, decomposition		water and carbon cycling, NPP	carbon cycle (MAGICC, DIMA)	C, N cycle, LAI, vegetation distribution	Soil formation, nutrient cycling
ecosystem services	water supply, food and timber production, greenhouse gas emissions, air pollution, carbon sequestration, human health (malaria distribution), flood damage/sea level rise	soil formation, gas regulation, climate regulation, nutrient cycling, disturbance regulation, recreation and culture, and waste assimilation, water, harvested organic matter, mined ores, and extracted fossil fuel	Agricultural production, including marine fishing and aquaculture, Human health, CO ₂ emissions	agriculture, air pollution, sea level, carbon sequestration, human health impacts, air pollution, carbon stocks	timber production, agricultural food production, renewable water resources	food production, forestry module, water (forthcoming), Carbon flux, carbon plantations, ocean carbon model, water-erosion sensitivity, air pollution	Food production, production of raw materials, climate regulation, waste assimilation, disturbance regulation, cultural and recreational
economic value/human well-being	human health	valuation: marginal product of ecosystem services in both the model's production and	Human health	Health impacts, policy costs			valuation: marginal product of ecosystem services in both the model's production and welfare functions

Model name	AIM	GUMBO	IFs	IGSM	IASA	IMAGE	MIMES
		welfare functions (food, energy, GWP and welfare per capita)					

1.6.2 Economic models, scenario-building tools, IMPACT-WATER and CLUE

Model name	PoleStar	Threshold 21	GTAP	ENV-Linkages	IMPACT-WATER	CLUE
natural drivers and environmental pressures	resources, pollution	Not available	Not available	Climate change (as affected by emissions and policy)	water availability, soil conditions, climate	climate, land suitability for crops, effects of past land use, impact of pests, weeds and diseases
human drivers and pressures	GDP and population development, more specified socio-economic drivers, pollution	socio-economic factors, resources, technology	production functions including capital, labour and land prices	socio-economic factors, policy instruments (carbon taxes, tradable emission permits, regulatory policies)	population development, economy, technology development	population size and density, technology level, political structure, economy
policies	policy options	policy options	policy options	policy options	policy options	Scenario inputs
land use	yes	spatially explicit	explicit different land use types (land price and suitability for crops)	spatially explicit	spatially explicit, river basin scale	geographically explicit modeling of land use/cover
biodiversity	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

Model name	PoleStar	Threshold 21	GTAP	ENV-Linkages	IMPACT-WATER	CLUE
ecosystem function	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	N, P and S balance, water cycle	Not available
ecosystem services	water resources, raw materials and agriculture, solid waste management, environmental loadings	agriculture, consumption of natural resources (renewable and non-renewable), resource depletion (e.g. forests), soil erosion, land degradation, greenhouse gas emissions, air and water quality (pollution)	agricultural food production	timber production	agricultural food production (crops and livestock), water supply	not available, except for land sused for agriculture, forestry and grazing
economic value/human well-being	income distribution and poverty	GDP			Percentage and number of malnourished preschool children, Per-capita calorie availability from Foods, prices	

1.6.3 Biogeochemical models

Model name	PICUS	LPJmL	CENTURY	Agro-IBIS	IBIS	SAVANNA
Natural drivers and environmental	climate	climate	climate	climate	climate	Climate, fire

Model name	PICUS	LPJmL	CENTURY	Agro-IBIS	IBIS	SAVANNA
pressures						
human drivers and pressures	forestry management	land use change	land use	land use, agricultural management practices (fertilization, irrigation)	Land use	land management (stocking density, fire)
policies	Via management input	Not directly, via land use only	Not directly, via land use only	Not directly, via land use only	Not possible	Yes, via land management, socio-economic factors
land use	spatially explicit	spatially explicit	not spatially explicit, detailed land management options (new ones can be defined)	spatially explicit	spatially explicit	spatially explicit (fractional cover of grid cells by different plant types)
biodiversity	forest species composition (diversity, naturalness indicators)	Vegetation composition (functional types)	No included	Vegetation composition (functional types)	Vegetation composition (functional types)	flora and fauna abundance (for defined functional groups)
ecosystem function	carbon sequestration, soil moisture (water cycling), N cycling, NPP	CO ₂ exchange, water balance, annual NPP,	C, N, P, S and water balance, decomposition	Water cycling, energy balance, carbon flux, N balance, NPP, LAI, phenology	NPP, LAI, phenology, water cycle, energy balance	primary production, plant competition for water, light and nutrients, herbivory, predation, nutrient cycling
ecosystem services	timber production	Annual NPP, crop production	grass, tree and crop production, water supply	water balance, crop production	NPP, water runoff	livestock production, water budget (runoff)
economic value/human well-being	Costs and benefits of management practices	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Costs and benefits of management practices

1.6.4 Hydrological models

Model name	WaterGAP	(E-) SWAT	WBM
natural drivers and environmental pressures	Climate, including climate change, disturbances (fire)	climate, topology	climate, topology
human drivers and pressures	Socio-economic factors (population growth, GDP): energy production, livestock numbers, area irrigated, population size	Land use/management (pollution)	demography
policies	Via scenario input	Via land use	Not available
land use	Geographically explicit modeling of land use/cover	spatially explicit	spatially explicit
biodiversity	no	no	no
ecosystem function	water cycle (runoff, discharge)	water cycle	water cycle
ecosystem services	Water supply	water supply, erosion control	water supply, livestock production
economic value/human well-being	Water scarcity	Not available	Not available

1.6.5 Biodiversity models

Model name	GLOBIO	MIRABEL	Biodiversity intactness index	Species area relationship (SAR)	GARP-based species distribution models	EUROMOVE
natural drivers and environmental pressures	climate change, N deposition	climate change, N deposition	none	climate change	climate change	climate change
human drivers and pressures	land use change, N deposition, infrastructure, fragmentation	land use change, N deposition, infrastructure, fragmentation	land use	habitat loss and fragmentation (land use change), N deposition	None (via greenhouse gases emissions)	Land use
policies	Via IMAGE	Via land use, pollution	Via land use	Via land use	Via climate change	Via climate change and land use
land use	spatially explicit (input variable)	EUNIS land use classification	spatially explicit, classification: from protected to moderate use, degraded, cultivated, urban and plantation	not spatially explicit (aggregated at biogeographical units)	spatially explicit	spatially explicit
biodiversity	MSA (mean species abundance of original species)	habitats at risk	biodiversity intactness index	number of species	number of species, species distribution	number of species, species distribution
ecosystem function	Not available	habitats at risk	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
ecosystem services	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
economic value/human well-being	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

1.6.6 Ocean models I

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-ConnIe	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM - General Equilibrium Ecosystem Model
natural drivers and environmental pressures	Capacity of a system to flush/dilute nutrient loads	Biological, chemical, ecological and physical drivers related to the ecosystem	Sea level; Wind fields; Particle trajectories; Geostrophic currents; Wind forced components; Ocean currents;	Vulnerability/sensitivity of ecosystems	Population dynamics; Habitat preferences; Trophic interactions.	Population dynamics; trophic interactions; biomass fluxes.
human drivers and pressures	Input of Nitrogen and Phosphorous; Poor management of watersheds.	Fisheries	Not applicable	17 different anthropogenic drivers covering pelagic and demersal, fishing, climate change, pollution, transport, and invasive species.	Fisheries	Human impacts on the energy/biomass flows within a food web, e.g. culling fish species through fisheries or habitat modification.
policies	Related policies are: Clean Water Act of 1972 (US); Air Pollution Prevention and Control Act of 1977 (US); Coastal Zone Management of 1972 (US); Harmful Algal Bloom and Hypoxia Research and Control Act of 1998 (US); EU Water Framework	Relating most closely to fisheries and environmental protection policies.	None specified	None considered but this model could be used to advise on a wide range of marine protection/use policies.	Relating most closely to fisheries and environmental protection policies.	Aim of model is to influence more effective policy-making through providing a link between the ecosystem and its economic valuation.

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-ConnIe	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM - General Equilibrium Ecosystem Model
	Directive (EU); Urban Wastewater Treatment Directive (EU); Nitrates Directive (EU); Shellfish Directive (EU); Bivalve Transport Directive (EU); OSPAR Convention; HELCOM Convention; and Barcelona Convention.					
land use	Land-based nutrient run-off	Not applicable	Not applicable	Land-based pollution	Not applicable.	Model can be used to assess the impacts of land modification/use on the energy relationships in food webs.
biodiversity	Macroalgae, diatoms, flagellates, pelagic and benthic algae, harmful algae.	Dynamics of functional groups within a given food web (with Nitrogen as the common currency between these groups)	Larvae (dispersal and recruitment); other species influenced by ocean currents; connectivity of genetic resources.	Implicit through the focus on ecosystems.	Biodiversity impacts of fisheries, <i>e.g.</i> direct loss of biodiversity through Depletion Index.	Impacts of human interactions on the trophic dynamics of species food-webs within an ecosystem with the view to linking economic valuation information to this.
ecosystem function	Loss of SAV; Dissolved Oxygen; Nuisance and Toxic	Fisheries impacts on ecosystem function and	Connectivity of ecosystems inc. Larval and	Implication that increased cumulative threat index would lead	Fisheries impacts on ecosystem function, <i>e.g.</i> Loss of functional	Negative impacts on food webs can lead to loss of functional

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-ConnIe	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM - General Equilibrium Ecosystem Model
	Algal Blooms; Eutrophication leading to dead zones, thus loss of ecosystem function.	structure.	contaminant dispersal.	to loss of ecosystem function.	groups, disaggregation of communities, change in community controls (i.e. Bottom-up/top-down).	groups, trophic cascades, and a reduction of ecosystem functionality in general.
ecosystem services	Negative impact on water quality, thus affecting fisheries/aquaculture; ecosystem health; and human uses.	Unsustainable use of provisioning services; Disruption to trophic structure; Loss of connectivity/genetic resources.	Connectivity affects larval recruitment for fisheries; increases genetic diversity leading to increased redundancy and higher ecosystem resilience and functioning; Dispersal of contaminants and understanding their potentially negative effects on ecosystem services.	Approach provides a structured framework for quantifying the ecological tradeoffs associated with different human uses of marine ecosystems and for identifying locations and strategies to minimize ecological impact and maintain sustainable use	Unsustainable use of provisioning services; Destruction of supporting habitats; Loss of connectivity/genetic resources;	Trophic controls of fisheries; carbon and nutrient cycling; ecosystem reactions to impacts including loss of functionality leads to potential impact on ecosystem services;
economic value/human well-being	Negatively impact fisheries/aquaculture; revenue from recreation; Toxic algal blooms can be harmful to human health.	Food security; economic/fisheries resource value of ecosystem goods and services under different management scenarios.	Understanding sustainability of fisheries, understanding dispersal of contaminants possibly harmful to marine	Model implies that areas that are more highly impacted will not be able to provide the quality and range of ecosystem services as less impacted areas. Reduced goods and	Bioaccumulation effects; food security; economic value of ecosystem goods and services under different management scenarios;	Negatively impact fisheries; possible threats to food security; negative impacts on livelihoods if ecosystem functionailty/services

Model name	ASSETS	Atlantis	Aus-ConnIe	Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	EwE, EcoSpace & EcoOcean	GEEM - General Equilibrium Ecosystem Model
			resources and humans thus reducing ecosystem services, general understanding of the sustainability and connectivity of ecosystem services.	services will have a general negative impact on human health.		are lost potentially impacting vulnerable coastal communities.

1.6.7 Ocean model II

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo (Versions 1.0 and 2.0)	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
natural drivers and environmental pressures	Population dynamics; Species habitat preferences; Oceanographic variables (e.g. Bathymetry).	Micro-scale drivers of Sea Use Functions (seagrass and coral reefs); Land Use functions (Mangrove; Nature/forest); Land use features (Sea; Inland water); and Macro-scale drivers based around water and ecology.	Relative slope, land cover class, and precipitation are used for the Inland pollution and erosion model. Otherwise, natural drivers, such as disease and bleaching, are not considered.	Carbon dynamics; nutrient dynamics; trophodynamics; physical drivers such as climate and weather (when linked with physical models).	Biological: age (day), length (mm), stage (egg, yolk-sac larva, or feeding larva), location (longitude/latitude) and depth (m), and status (alive or dead). Physical: current velocities (m s-1), temperature (*C), and salinity. The physical inputs are

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo (Versions 1.0 and 2.0)	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
					archived from oceanic simulations of the "Regional Oceanic Modelling System" (ROMS) or the "Model for Applications at Regional Scale" (MARS).
human drivers and pressures	Anthropogenic climate change	Micro-scale functions of Land Use functions (Agriculture; Rice culture; Shrimp culture; Industry; Tourism; Urban residential; Rural residential); and Land use features (Airport; Harbour; Beach); and Macro-scale drivers based around land use and the economy.	Coastal development; Marine pollution; Overexploitation and Destructive fishing; Inland Pollution and Erosion.	Not available	Not available
policies	Not specified, however, model outputs are relevant to fisheries policies and marine	Future policy choices under the influence of climate changes, demographic	Outputs can be and have been used to inform policy making and have been	Production of accurate scenarios by the ERSEM can be used to inform	None specified

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo (Versions 1.0 and 2.0)	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
	protection policies (through identification of hotspots).	growth or changing economic demand can be tested.	used to set regional and local priorities - such as in Sabah, where the Reefs at Risk analysis aided the development of legislation restricting coastal development	policy-makers on decisions relating to sectors such as fisheries management and climate change.	
land use	Not applicable	Land Use functions (Agriculture; Rice culture; Shrimp culture; Industry; Tourism; Urban residential; Rural residential; Mangrove; Nature/forest); and Land use features (Sea; Inland water; Airport; Harbour; Beach).	Land cover type and inland sources of pollution.	Not applicable	Not applicable
biodiversity	Current and future distributions of 1066 commercial fish species are modelled.	Impacts of policies and future demographic and socio-economic	Coral reef degradation is considered in terms of major changes in	Lower trophic levels of pelagic and benthic marine systems.	Larvae (dispersal and recruitment); connectivity of genetic resources.

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo (Versions 1.0 and 2.0)	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
		change on coastal zone biodiversity, in particular, pollution impacts on rivers and the coast, destruction of habitats for food production increasing erosion and sedimentation.	species composition and relative species abundance.		
ecosystem function	Disassociation of communities within an ecosystem leading to functional loss or change.	Pollution and sedimentation lead to species die-offs and alteration of current ecosystem function. Destruction of land-based habitats negatively effect ecosystem buffering functionality, increasing flooding.	Coral reef degradation is considered in terms of major change to the productivity of coral reef communities.	Carbon and nutrient cycling; lower trophodynamic influences regarding bottom-up control.	Connectivity of ecosystems inc. Larval dispersal.
ecosystem services	Impacts on fisheries (commercial and artisanal); Potential services loss through	Increased pressures on the coastal zone will negatively impact	Considers impacts on all ecosystem services provided	Bottom-up control of fisheries; carbon and nutrient	Connectivity affects larval recruitment for fisheries; increases

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo (Versions 1.0 and 2.0)	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
	the diassociation of functioning ecosystem communities.	biodiversity and ecosystem function, thus generally regarding the wide variety of ecosystem services provided by coastal zone systems.	by coral reefs.	cycling; ecosystem reactions to impacts and thus potential impact to ecosystem services; Regulation of marine bacteria and viruses.	genetic diversity leading to increased redundancy and higher ecosystem resilience and functioning.
economic value/human well-being	Negatively impact fisheries economics, particularly the vulnerable coastal communities that rely on small, artisanal fisheries	Polluted water has negative impacts on human health, potential for risks to food security if coastal system functionality is lost, increased or modified flood patterns can cause direct risks to coastal communities.	Negatively impact economic benefits of coral reefs (fisheries, medicinal products, curio/jewelry, aquarium trade); Increase vulnerability of coastal communities and habitats to natural hazards; Reduce food availability impacted on human health; Negatively impact livelihood associated with coral reefs; negatively impact	Bottom-up control of fisheries; Marine bacteria and virus dynamics; Influence of weather and climate on marine ecosystem services (e.g. Food security).	Understanding sustainability of fisheries; general understanding of the sustainability and connectivity of ecosystem services.

Model name	Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	RamCo (Versions 1.0 and 2.0)	Reefs at Risk	ERSEM II	ICTHYOP
			spiritual, cultural, and aesthetic values associated with coral reefs.		

1.6.8 Regional models/assessments

Model name	ATEAM	InVEST	Naidoo et al., 2008	Swallow et al., 2009	Patuxent landscape model (PLM) Costanza et al. 2002
natural drivers and environmental pressures	climate	not yet (possible: climate change)	none (mapping only)	None (mapping only)	Climate
human drivers and pressures	socioeconomic factors and land use	management practices, infrastructure, governance	none (mapping only, potentially: land use)	land use change	land use
policies	Via scenario inputs	governance, stakeholder-defined scenarios	examined: habitat conservation policies: synergies with ecosystem services	Via land use change	Via economics
land use	14 land use types, spatially explicit	spatially explicit	spatially explicit	spatially explicit	spatially explicit, land use types: water, forest, agricultural, rural

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2.1 List of relevant projections and model results made in the assessment

Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Assessment	Scenarios	Indicator	Model	Details examined?
Terrestrial biodiversity	OECD Environmental Outlook to 2030	1	Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE	Yes
Terrestrial Biodiversity	GEO 4	4	Forest cover	IMAGE	Yes
Terrestrial biodiversity	MA	4	Forest cover	IMAGE 2.2	Yes
Terrestrial biodiversity	MA	4	Global loss of vascular plant species	IMAGE 2.2	Yes
Terrestrial biodiversity	GEO 4	4	Mean Species Abundance	GLOBIO	Yes
Terrestrial biodiversity	CBD 2006	7	Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 2	Yes
Terrestrial Biodiversity	MA	4	Global loss of vascular plant species through nitrogen deposition	IMAGE 2.2	No
Terrestrial biodiversity	MA	4	Global loss of vascular plant species through habitat loss	IMAGE 2.2	No
Food availability	IAASTD	1	kilocalories/day	IRPRI IMPACT	Yes

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Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Assessment	Scenarios	Indicator	Model	Details examined?
Food availability	GEO 4	4	kilocalories/day	IMAGE	Yes
Food production	MA	4	Cereal yield (megatonnes/year)	IMPACT	Yes
Food production	IAASTD	2	Fish landings	ECO-OCEAN	Yes
Food production	IAASTD	1	cereal yield	IFPRI IMPACT	Yes
Marine biodiversity	MA	4	Biomass Diversity Index	Ecopath with Ecosim	Yes
Marine biodiversity	GEO 4	4	Change in total biomass of select fish groups	EwE	Yes
Marine biodiversity	Ecosystem based global fishing policy scenarios	4	MTI (Marine Trophic Index)	EcoOcean	Yes
Marine: Biomass Diversity Index	IAASTD	2	Biomass Diversity Index	EcoOcean	Yes
Terrestrial biodiversity	Ag Assessment	1	Mean Species Abundance	GLOBio3	Yes
Erosion control	MA	4	million km2	IMAGE 2.2	Yes
Erosion control	GEO 4	4	million km2	IMAGE	No
Food production	MEA	4	fish landings	Ecopath/Ecosim	No
Food production	GEO 4	4	cereal yield (tonnes/ha)	IMAGE	No

Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Assessment	Scenarios	Indicator	Model	Details examined?
Food production	GEO 4	4	Total landings from marine fisheries (billion tonnes)	EcoPath with EcoSim	No
Food production	Ecosystem based global fishing policy scenarios	4	Total landings from marine fisheries (billion tonnes)	EcoOcean	No

2.2 Projections of biodiversity and ecosystems services under different assessment scenarios.

All projections from 2000 to 2050 unless stated

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
CBD - Global Biodiversity Outlook	Baseline	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global losses of 7.5%. Sub-Saharan Africa, Europe show declines of greater than 11%.	Infrastructure, increasing climate change, agriculture, increasing climate change development and settlement also become increasingly important.
	Full trade liberalisation in agriculture	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global losses of 8.8%; 1.3% below the baseline.	Shift of agricultural production to Southern Africa and Latin America. Agricultural areas no longer required in developed countries potentially restored for biodiversity.
	Alleviation of extreme poverty in Sub-Saharan Africa	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global losses of 9.2%; 1.7% below the baseline. Reduces by 5.7% from the baseline in Sub-Saharan Africa.	Increased food consumption in Africa, produced predominately in the region. Potential long term benefits from reductions in demographic pressure and economic improvements.
	Climate Change mitigation policy	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global losses 8.5%; 1% below the baseline.	Biodiversity gain (+1%) from avoiding climate change and reduced nitrogen deposition. Loss (-2%) from additional land use for biofuels.
	Sustainable wood production	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 7.4%; +0.1% above the baseline.	Initial biodiversity loss through landuse. Later, reduced climate change and pressure on natural forests. Semi natural forests previously exploited left to recover.
	Sustainable meat production	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 7.2%. +0.3% above the baseline.	Increase in the cost of meat means lower demand and less area being needed for agriculture and lower nitrogen deposition.

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
	Doubling terrestrial biomes under protection	Terrestrial Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 6.4%. +1.1% above baseline. Latin America and Africa see smallest improvements.	Nitrogen deposition, fragmentation and climate change and increased pressure on adjacent land. Partly offset by reduced land conversion and greater connectivity.
OECD Environmental Outlook to 2030	OECD baseline scenario	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 11%. Deterioration faster than 20th century.	Infrastructure, climate change, expansion of agricultural land.
	OECD policy package	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 11%. Deterioration faster than 20th century.	Infrastructure becomes an increasing source of pressure on MSA between now and 2050, from -6% to -11%. Climate change also becomes more significant. The expansion of crops and pasture accounts for the biggest loss of MSA.
	OECD 450ppm	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 10%. Biggest improvement from baseline.	Infrastructure, climate change, woody fuel, crops. Partly offset by reduced impacts of climate change.
	OECD global policy package	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 11%. Deterioration faster than 20th century.	Infrastructure, climate change, crops.
IAASTD	Baseline	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	GLoBio3	Global loss of 10%. The rate of loss is faster than between 1970 - 2000.	Infrastructure, climate change and agricultural expansion.
GEO 4	<i>Markets first</i>	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 12%. 16% and 15% loss in Africa and Latin American & the Caribbean respectively.	Infrastructure to access natural resources, climate change. Agriculture exerts negative pressure in Africa and Latin America & the Caribbean. Positive impact elsewhere.

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
	<i>Policy first</i>	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 7%. 10% and 8% loss in Africa and Latin American & the Caribbean respectively.	Climate change, agriculture expansion. Protected areas protect some of the most endangered species.
	<i>Security first</i>	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 10%. 16% and 12% loss in Africa and Latin American & the Caribbean respectively.	Infrastructure and climate change, exacerbated by large population growth and increased conflict.
	<i>Sustainability first</i>	Terrestrial: Mean Species Abundance	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global loss of 7.5%. 10.5% and 9% loss in Africa and Latin American & the Caribbean respectively.	Climate change and expanded demand of agricultural land for biofuels. Protected areas protect some of the most endangered species.
GEO 4	<i>Markets first</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global forest cover projected to reduce from circa 45 million km ² in the year 2000 to circa 40 million km ² by 2050. N. America and Europe projected to see a slight growth in forest cover whereas Africa, Latin America and the Caribbean are all projected to have a decrease.	Loss of forest cover is not as pronounced as under the Policy First and Sustainability First scenarios since the increasing demand for land is partly compensated by developments in technology under this scenario.
	<i>Policy first</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global forest cover projected to reduce from circa 45 million km ² in the year 2000 to circa 35 million km ² by 2050. Africa is projected to lose nearly the entirety of its forest cover.	Population growth, strong targets for mitigating the effects of GHG emissions under this scenario leads to added pressure to increase the area of land used for biofuel crop production.
	<i>Security first</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global forest cover projected to reduce to circa 42 million km ² by 2050 (from 45 million km ² in 2000). From 2030, an increase in forest cover is projected in Asia and the Pacific, Europe and N. America. In Latin America and the Caribbean forest cover is projected to stabilise at circa 8 million km ² between 2020 and 2050.	Under this scenario, low economic growth means agricultural land expansion is smallest out of all the scenarios. In Latin America and the Caribbean where forest is a key natural resource, key forest areas are kept well protected due to the interests of the elite in this region.
	<i>Sustainability first</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Global forest cover projected to decrease by circa 7 million km ² (from the year 2000) to circa 38 million km ² in 2050. Slight increase in forest cover in Latin America and the Caribbean projected between 2030 and 2050.	Strong targets for mitigating the effects of GHG emissions under this scenario, added pressure to increase the area of land used for biofuel crop production. Improvements in technology made under this scenario counterbalanced by an increased concern for food availability. In Latin America and the Caribbean,

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
					mechanisms put in place in order to rehabilitate affected forest ecosystems.
MA	<i>Global Orchestration</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE 2.2	Rate of loss of "original forest"* unchanged. Cover increases in Industrial regions and declines in Developing regions	Rapid income growth and preference for meat. Partly offset by increased crop yields due to technological innovation. Circa 50% of Sub-Saharan forest disappears.
	<i>Order from Strength</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE 2.2	Rate of loss of "original forest"* globally increases from 0.4% to 0.6%. Significant reductions in Developing regions.	Increasing population and slow improvements in crop yield in low-income countries. Two thirds of Central African forest in 1995 gone.
	<i>Adapting Mosaic</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE 2.2	Rate of loss of "original forest"* unchanged. Cover increases in Industrial regions and declines in Developing regions	Locally successful experiments mitigate expansion of agricultural land after 2040. Lowest deforestation rates in Africa but virtual depletion of forest areas in South Asia by 2100 due to low crop yields.
	<i>Techno Garden</i>	Forest cover	IMAGE 2.2	Net increase in forest cover. Rate of loss of "original forest"* slightly below current rate. Significant depletion in Africa and Southeast Asia.	Assumed lower meat consumption reducing pastureland. Partly offset by increase in crops and land for biofuels to combat climate change.
MA	<i>Global Orchestration</i>	Global loss of vascular plant species	IMAGE 2.2	16.5% loss between 1970 and 2050.	Climate change main driver on savanna and cool conifers. Agricultural expansion, particularly in temperate, tropical and warm mixed forests. N deposition important driver on temperate deciduous forest.
	<i>Order from Strength</i>	Global loss of vascular plant species	IMAGE 2.2	18.5% loss between 1970 and 2050.	Climate change, agricultural expansion, N deposition. Expanding population and slow crop yields main driver.
	<i>Adapting Mosaic</i>	Global loss of vascular plant species	IMAGE 2.2	15% loss between 1970 and 2050.	Climate change, agricultural expansion. Slower development rates in developing countries slowing the increases in food demand.

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
	<i>Techno Garden</i>	Global loss of vascular plant species	IMAGE 2.2	13.5% loss between 1970 and 2050.	Agricultural expansion, climate change. Higher yields and stabilising population reduce land expansion impact.
GEO 4	<i>Markets first</i>	Food availability (kilocalories/day)	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Large increases in all regions. Consistent gaps between rich and poor.	Increased demand, greater investments in technology.
	<i>Policy first</i>	Food availability (kilocalories/day)	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Large increases in all regions. Consistent gaps between rich and poor.	Increased demand, greater investments in technology, environmental stewardship.
	<i>Security first</i>	Food availability (kilocalories/day)	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Food production barely keeps up with population increase after 2020 and there is a small decline after 2040.	Growing population, lack of investment in technology.
	<i>Sustainability first</i>	Food availability (kilocalories/day)	IMAGE GLOBIO 3	Largest increases in all regions. Significant reduction in gap between rich and poor countries.	Lower overall population growth, reduced land degradation, regional integration.
IAASTD	<i>Reference scenario</i>	Food availability (kilocalories/day)	IFPRI IMPACT	Slow improvement. Lowest in Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia at circa 2,740 compared to over 3,000 elsewhere. Child malnutrition grows 11% in Sub-Saharan Africa.	Increasing food prices, inability of poor countries to increase production to match population growth.
	<i>Reference scenario</i>	Food production (cereal yield)	IFPRI IMPACT	Grows at a slower annual rate than 1980-2000 of 1.96% to 1.02%. Latin America and Caribbean and Sub-Saharan Africa grow 1.61% and 1.68% respectively.	Moderate technological investment. Slowed by increasing water scarcity, drought from climate change.
MA	<i>Global Orchestration</i>	Food production (cereal yield)	IMPACT	World output increases 72% , almost four-fold in Sub-Saharan Africa.	Large investments in agricultural research and supporting infrastructure. Land under irrigation increases rapidly.

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
	<i>Order from Strength</i>	Food production (cereal yield)	IMPACT	World output increases 55%.	Significant crop area expansion as investments insufficient to match demand. Subsidies and barriers increase cost of procuring food, particularly for the poor.
	<i>Adapting Mosaic</i>	Food production (cereal yield)	IMPACT	World output increases 53%.	Food produced locally on expanded crop areas insufficient for demand. Results in pressures on food prices and increase in demand for imports.
	<i>Techno Garden</i>	Food production (cereal yield)	IMPACT	World output increases 57%.	Substantial improvements in crop yields and lower meat consumption diet reducing demand for crop area expansion. Medium population growth.
GEO 4	<i>Markets first</i>	Change in total biomass of select fish groups	Ecopath with Ecosim	Large demersals decrease by circa 6% and large pelagics decrease by circa 14%.	Increase in global income and improved technology. Increased fishing effort.
	<i>Policy first</i>	Change in total biomass of select fish groups	Ecopath with Ecosim	Large demersals increase to circa 8% while large pelagics decrease by circa 7%.	Increased fishing effort.
	<i>Security first</i>	Change in total biomass of select fish groups	Ecopath with Ecosim	Large demersals increase by circa 4% while large pelagics decrease by circa 11%.	Large projected population
	<i>Sustainability first</i>	Change in total biomass of select fish groups	Ecopath with Ecosim	Large demersals increase to 30% while large pelagics decrease by circa 8%.	Attempt to fish lower on the food chain, shifting diets and smaller increases in population.
MA	<i>Global Orchestration</i>	Marine: Biomass Diversity Index	Ecopath with Ecosim	Gulf of Thailand responds well to ecosystem rebuilding, but drops dramatically when focus changes to provide fishmeal for aquaculture. Bay of Benguella responds to ecosystem recovery after 2030. Central North Pacific is not much affected.	Decline in fisheries addressed once economic importance becomes apparent. High global coordination a positive.

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
Ecosystem based global fishing policy scenarios	<i>Order from Strength</i>	Marine: Biomass Diversity Index	Ecopath with Ecosim	Risk of fisheries collapse high worldwide. Gulf of Thailand decreases consistently. Bay of Benguella initially does well as focus on jobs results in ecosystem management. Central North Pacific loses biomass diversity.	Unchecked exploitation and lack of co-ordination.
	<i>Adapting Mosaic</i>	Marine: Biomass Diversity Index	Ecopath with Ecosim	Gulf of Thailand decreases consistently. Bay of Benguella increased due to management policy to maintain jobs. Central North Pacific increases slightly in response to protection but decreases in 2030 when focus returns to high-value fisheries.	Informed local management does well but is hampered by lack of co-ordination at the global level.
	<i>Techno Garden</i>	Marine: Biomass Diversity Index	Ecopath with Ecosim	Gulf of Thailand responds very well to ecosystem rebuilding, but drops dramatically when focus changes to provide fishmeal for aquaculture. Bay of Benguella drops initially but increases after 2030 when managed to provide fishmeal due to the favourable mix of species present. Central North Pacific decreases as technology improves catch rate. Not affected by development of aquaculture.	Decline in fisheries is addressed through environmental technologies and rapid development of aquaculture.
	<i>Markets first</i>	MTI (Marine Trophic Index)	EcoOcean	General decrease in Marine Trophic Index in all oceans studied. Increased landings usually at lower trophic levels.	As most large bodied demersal fish already overexploited in 2003, landings were increased by augmenting secondary demersal fish groups and invertebrates (e.g. lobster, crab, shrimp).
	<i>Policy first</i>	MTI (Marine Trophic Index)	EcoOcean	General decrease in Marine Trophic Index in all oceans studied. Increased landings usually at lower trophic levels.	As most large bodied demersal fish already overexploited in 2003, landings were increased by augmenting secondary demersal fish groups and invertebrates (e.g. lobster, crab, shrimp).

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
	<i>Security first</i>	MTI (Marine Trophic Index)	EcoOcean	General decrease in Marine Trophic Index in all oceans studied. Increased landings usually at lower trophic levels.	As most large bodied demersal fish already overexploited in 2003, landings were increased by augmenting secondary demersal fish groups and invertebrates (e.g. lobster, crab, shrimp).
	<i>Sustainability first</i>	MTI (Marine Trophic Index)	EcoOcean	Least increase in landings. Slightly higher MTI in most oceans studied than the other scenarios but a general decrease still projected in all oceans studied. Increased landings usually at lower trophic levels. In some areas under this scenario a decreased demersal fleet effort is projected.	As most large bodied demersal fish already overexploited in 2003, landings were increased by augmenting secondary demersal fish groups and invertebrates (e.g. lobster, crab, shrimp).
GEO-4	<i>Markets first</i>	Marine Trophic Index of catch	Ecopath with Ecosim	General decrease in MTI	Increased fishing effort and improved technology
	<i>Policy first</i>	Marine Trophic Index of catch	Ecopath with Ecosim	General decrease in MTI	
	<i>Security first</i>	Marine Trophic Index of catch	Ecopath with Ecosim	General decrease in MTI. Highest MTI of catch as effort is maintained on more valuable species.	Lower catches but efforts maintain on higher value fish.
	<i>Sustainability first</i>	Marine Trophic Index of catch	Ecopath with Ecosim	Biggest decrease in MTI	Attempt to fish lower on the food chain to maintain marine ecosystems. Lower overall catch increases due to smaller population increases and changing diets.
IAASTD	Reference Scenario	Marine Trophic Index of catch	EcoOcean	Atlantic Ocean: decreased trophic level of catches by 2-2.5%. Pacific Ocean: Unchanged. Indian Ocean: Unchanged. Mediterranean: 3% decline. All between 2003-2048.	Value of landings optimised with fishing effort as the driver, until 2010, after which only small pelagic fleet allowed to change.

	Scenario	Biodiversity / ecosystem service	Model	Projections	Pressures and trends
	Increase in small pelagic fleet	Marine Trophic Index of catch	EcoOcean	Atlantic Ocean: decreased trophic level of catches of 2-2.5%. Pacific Ocean: declines 1.3%. Indian Ocean: Consistent decline. Mediterranean: consistent decline. All between 2003-2048.	2% increase in pelagic fishing effort per year after 2010. Sustainability of Indian Ocean & Mediterranean uncertain due to constant fall in trophic level. Atlantic observes declines in large demersal and benthic-pelagic fish.
	Reference Scenario	Food Production (fish landings)	EcoOcean	Atlantic Ocean: decrease 5.4%. Pacific Ocean: declines 5%. Indian Ocean: initial decline, eventual 1% increase. Mediterranean: 7% increase. All between 2003-2048.	Value of landings optimised with fishing effort as the driver, until 2010, after which only small pelagic fleet allowed to change.
	Increase in small pelagic fleet	Food Production (fish landings)	EcoOcean	Atlantic Ocean: increase 7%. Pacific Ocean: large increase. Indian Ocean: less than 5% increase. Mediterranean: 50% increase, then level. All between 2003-2048.	2% increase in pelagic fishing effort per year after 2010. Increases in small pelagic.
MA	<i>Global Orchestration</i>	Water induced Soil Erosion	IMAGE 2.2	Significant increasing pressure, global area of soil with high water erosion risk increases from circa 22 Mkm ² in 2000 to circa 28 Mkm ² in 2050.	Large pressure as a result of precipitation increase, and to a lesser extent from land use change.
	<i>Order from Strength</i>	Water induced Soil Erosion	IMAGE 2.2	Significant increasing pressure, most of all the scenarios. Approximately 50% increase in the global area of soil with high water erosion risk by 2100 (from circa 22 Mkm ² in 2000 to 32 Mkm ² in 2050 and 40 Mkm ² in 2100).	Large pressure as a result of land use change to a lesser extent from increased precipitation and agricultural practices.
	<i>Adapting Mosaic</i>	Water induced Soil Erosion	IMAGE 2.2	Significant increasing pressure, global area of soil with high water erosion risk increases from circa 22 Mkm ² in 2000 to circa 28 Mkm ² in 2050.	Pressure due to increased precipitation and land use. Agricultural practices have a positive impact owing to localised objectives to prevent soil erosion which slows the degradation of active agricultural land and significantly restores previously degraded land.
	<i>Techno-Garden</i>	Water induced Soil Erosion	IMAGE 2.2	Significant increasing pressure but less than other scenarios. Global area of soil with high water erosion risk increases from circa 22 Mkm ² in 2000 to circa 28 Mkm ² in 2050 and increases to circa 31 Mkm ² by 2100 (lowest of all scenarios).	Pressure due to increased precipitation and land use. Agricultural practices have a positive impact since they are more ecologically proactive.

NOTES

All projections from 2000 to 2050 unless stated

* "Original forests" here means forests that were present in 1970 and have not changed their attributes through agricultural expansion, timber production or climate change. Historic rate refers to rate between 1970 - 2000 rate.

2.3 The most important assumptions and examples of different categories of scenarios used in the assessments

		Population	Overall GDP Increase	Energy Use	Agricultural production & consumption	Primary Goals	Environmental protection	Trade	Technology development
Business as usual	OECD Baseline	9.1 bn in 2050 (40% increase); 8.2 bn in 2030 (27% increase)	Annual global GDP increase of 2.8%. Overall world GDP increases 87%; India and China increase over 300%. (2005 - 2030)	280 EJ to 470 between 2000 and 2030.	Consumption increases 50% globally by 2030; 70% in developing countries. stable in OECD countries.	Not defined	Both reactive and proactive	Weak globalisation	Average
	IAASTD Baseline	8.2 bn in 2050	Developed regions will see relatively low and stable to declining growth rates between 1 and 4% per year out to 2050. East and SE Asia growth rate of between 4-7% per year to 2050. LAC region 3.5-4.5% growth per year to 2050	280 EJ (year 2000) increases to 500 EJ by 2030 and to over 700 EJ in 2050. Biggest rises in developing countries; but higher energy consumption per capita in developed countries.	Number of malnourished children will decline from 150 million (2000) to 130 million in 2025 and to 100 million in 2050. Total area of agricultural land worldwide increased by 10% in 2050.	Not defined	Both reactive and proactive	Current trade conditions continue to 2050 – no trade liberalisation or reduction in sectoral protection.	
Conventional	GEO 4 Markets First	9.2 bn by 2050	Approximately 500% increase in global GDP by 2050.	Increases from 400 EJ in 2000 to over 1000EJ		Maximum economic growth	Reactive	Significant increase in global trade (from	Rapid

		Population	Overall GDP Increase	Energy Use	Agricultural production & consumption	Primary Goals	Environmental protection	Trade	Technology development
				in 2050				approx 10 trillion US\$ in 2000 to approx 75 trillion US\$ in 2050)	
Reformed Markets	MEA-MA Global Orchestration	7.2 bn by 2020 increasing to 8.1 bn in 2050. Population projected to be 6.8 bn in 2100.	Annual growth rates of GDP per capita (% per year) is 3% between 2020 and 2050 and 2.3% between 2050 and 2100.	Increases from 400 EJ in 2000 to 1200 EJ by 2050		Globally connected society with a focus on global trade and economic liberalisation	Reactive	Trade liberalisation	Rapid
	GEO 4 Policy First	8.6 bn by 2050	Approximately 500% increase in global GDP by 2050	400 EJ in 2000 to 600-700 EJ in 2030 and around 800-900 EJ in 2050		Centralised approach in order to balance strong economic growth with reduced potential environmental and social impacts	Both reactive and proactive	Increase in global trade (from approx 10 trillion US\$ in 2000 to approx 60 trillion US\$ in 2050)	Rapid
Competition Between	GEO 4 Security First	9.7 bn by 2050	Nearly 300% increase in global GDP by 2050	400 EJ in 2000 to 600-700 EJ in 2030 and around 800-900 EJ in		Security	Reactive	Trade increases from approx 10 trillion US\$ in 2000 to 20 trillion	Slow

		Population	Overall GDP Increase	Energy Use	Agricultural production & consumption	Primary Goals	Environmental protection	Trade	Technology development
				2050				US\$ in 2050, the smallest increase of all four GEO4 scenarios	
	MEA-MA Order from Strength	7.7 bn by 2020 increasing to 9.5 bn in 2050, reaching 10.5 bn in 2100.	Annual growth rates of GDP per capita (% per year) is 1.0% between 2020 and 2050 and 1.3% between 2050 and 2100.	400 EJ in 2000 to 800 EJ in 2050		Security and protection, emphasis on regional markets	Reactive	Trade barriers, regional markets	Overall technological development is low (medium in industrial countries)

3 APPENDICES FOR CHAPTER 4: ASSESSMENT OF IMPACT OF KEY ASSUMPTIONS

3.1 Terrestrial Models

(Score # indicates number of criteria (columns) for which the model does not provide information)

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
<i>Integrated models</i>	<i>assessment</i>								
GUMBO	Harvested organic matter, water supply, mined ores, and extracted fossil fuel	Soil formation (decomposition), nutrient (N) cycling	recreation, cultural (positively related to total biomass and density of social network, negatively related to human population size)	gas regulation (C flux), climate regulation (temperature), waste assimilation, disturbance regulation (variation in total biomass)	x	valuation: marginal product of ecosystem services in both the model's production and welfare functions	global, 11 biomes globally aggregated, not spatially explicit	x	2
IMAGE	Agricultural production, including grass/fodder production and livestock/milk production, demand for wood products, timber, fuelwood	Soil fertility	x	Carbon flux, carbon plantations, ocean carbon model, water-erosion sensitivity, air pollution, soil moisture	MSA through link with GLOBIO	x	Global (with details for 24 world regions (energy, trade emissions) or or 0.5° x 0.5° grid (land cover, land use)	SRES, MA, GEO, OECD, IAASTD, EURURALS	2

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
MIMES	Food production, production of raw materials	Soil formation, nutrient cycling	recreation, cultural	climate regulation, waste assimilation, disturbance regulation	x	valuation: marginal product of ecosystem services in both the model's production and welfare functions	global, 1° by 1° resolution	x	2
AIM	Water supply, food and timber production	x	x	greenhouse gas emissions, air pollution, carbon sequestration, human health (malaria distribution), flood damage	Vegetation distribution	x	Focused on Asian-Pacific region, but linked to a global model representing 9 regions; 5°x 5°	SRES	3
IGSM	Agricultural production (can be separated into crops, livestock and forestry)	SOC	x	human health impacts, sea level, air pollution, carbon emissions and stocks	x	GDP growth	global, 16 regions with special studies on European countries, 0.5° to 4°by5° grid, depending on submodel for the biogeochemical part	x	3
IIASA	timber production, agricultural food production,	x	x	carbon sequestration	x	x	global, 0.5° grid	SRES	4

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
	renewable water resources								
Iifs	Agricultural production, including marine fishing and aquaculture	x	x	Human health, CO2 emissions	x	x	Global (with details for 182 regions/countries), not spatially explicit	x	5
<i>Scenario building tools</i>									
PoleStar	water resources, raw materials and agriculture	x	x	solid waste management, environmental loadings	x	income distribution and poverty	x	SRES	4
Threshold 21	agriculture, consumption of natural resources (renewable and nonrenewable), resource depletion (e.g. forests)	land degradation	x	soil erosion, greenhouse gas emissions, air and water quality (pollution)	x	x	focussed on the national level, globally applicable	x	4
<i>Economic models</i>									
ENV-Linkages	timber production, agricultural production (crops and	x	x	x	x	x	Global, aggregated in 34 countries/regions	x	6

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
	livestock, intensive and extensive production)								
GTAP	agricultural food production	x	x	x	x	x	Country level, not spatially explicit	Used in combination with IMAGE in a number of assessments	5
<i>Land-use models</i>									
CLUE	None (but land used for agriculture, grazing, forestry)	x	x	x	Land cover diversity explicit	x	Europe (EU-27), also case studies in a.o. Costa Rica, Ecuador, Honduras, the Netherlands, China, Java, Phillippines, Malaysia, Vietnam, Kenya, USA, 1x1km, case studies between 30m and 32km	EURURALIS	4
<i>Biogeochemical models</i>									
IBIS	water runoff	NPP, SOC, N balance	x	carbon balance, water regulation	Vegetation composition (functional types)	x	0.5 - 4°	x	3

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
LPJmL	runoff volumes, crop production	annual NPP	x	CO2 exchange, water balance	vegetation cover (fraction of different plant functional types per grid cell); Vegetation composition	x	global, 0.5° grid cells	x	3
SAVAN A	livestock production, grass and timber production, water supply (runoff, deep drainage)	NPP, nutrient cycling	x	water balance	Species distribution and abundance (plants + animals); community composition	x	regional, resolution depending on input data and studied ecosystem	x	3
Agro-IBIS	water supply, crop production	NPP, SOC, N balance	x	carbon flux, N leaching, water regulation	Vegetation composition (functional types)	x	currently only run for North America, global application planned, 0.5° grid	x	3
PICUS	timber production	nitrogen cycling in forests	x	carbon sequestration, soil moisture (water cycling)	forest species composition (diversity, naturalness indicators)	x	temperate forests, Europe, 100m ² patches	x	3
CENTURY	grass, tree and crop production, water supply (stream	N, P and S balance, SOC	x	Water balance, decomposition, CO2 flux, erosion	x	x	any resolution (depending on input?)	x	4

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
	discharge)								
IMPACT-WATER	Agricultural food production (crops and livestock)	x	x	x	x	x	global: 115 regions and countries, intersected with 126 river basins (281 spatial units), uncluding EU-15 and eastern Europe	x	6
<i>Hydrological models</i>									
(E)-SWAT	water supply	x	x	erosion control	x	x	calculations are done on the scale of sub-watersheds	x	5
WaterGAP	water supply	x	x	x	x	x	global, country, river basin, grid cells 0.5° by 0.5°	OECD, GEO, MA, in combination with IMAGE, IMPACT, EcoSim and AIM	5
WBM (+)	water supply, livestock production	x	x	soil water content	x	x	0.5° by 0.5° grid (30'grid)	x	5
<i>Biodiversity models</i>									

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
GLOBIO	FROM link with IMAGE: Agricultural production, including grass/fodder production and livestock/milk production, demand for wood products, timber, fuelwood	FROM link with IMAGE: Soil fertility	x	FROM link with IMAGE: Carbon flux, carbon plantations, ocean carbon model, water-erosion sensitivity, air pollution, soil moisture	mean species abundance (MSA)	x	global, (0.5° by 0.5° for climatic data, 1km by 1km for land use data)	OECD, GBO	2
BII	x	x	x	x	biodiversity intactness index	x	global, scale of aggregation: 104 to 106 km ²	x	6
EUROMOVE	x	x	x	x	number of species	x	Europe, 2500km ² grid cells	x	6
MIRABEL	x	x	x	x	habitats at risk Not available	x	28 European countries, 13 ecological regions	x	6
SAR	x	x	x	x	number of species; Vegetation composition/ species distribution	x	global, calculated for different biogeographical units (biomes, ecoregions), not spatially explicit	x	6
GARP	x	x	x	x	Vegetation composition/ species distribution	x	x	x	7

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
<i>Regional models / Assessments</i>									
ATEAM	food production, wood production, energy production, water supply	soil fertility maintenance (soil organic carbon), pollination	recreation, sense of place, beauty	carbon storage (LPJ model), drought and flood prevention, water quality	statistical niche modelling	x	Europe 15 + Norway and Switzerland, 10' by 10' grid	x	2
InVEST	drinking water, irrigation water, food production, timber production, non-timber forest products	pollination (contribution to yield)	recreation and tourism, cultural and aesthetic values, real estate prices as indicator of valuation of nature	flood mitigation, carbon sequestration, erosion control, water quality	species richness (feeding and breeding habitat requirements of 37 terrestrial vertebrate species, dispersal ability)	x	regional, resolution flexible; case study: Willamette Basin, Oregon, USA (30 m x 30 m grid, for results: 500 ha units)	x	2
PLM, Costanza et al 2002	water supply, primary production of natural vegetation, plantations, grasslands, agriculture	soil nutrients	land prices based on surroundings	water quality	x	x	Patuxent River watershed, Maryland, USA; variable resolution, maximum resolution: 200 by 200m	x	3
Naidoo et al 2008	grassland production of livestock,	x	x	carbon sequestration and carbon	mammal, bird, reptile, and	x	global, maximum resolution 0.5°	x	4

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Biodiversity	Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier applications in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Supporting services	Cultural services	Regulating services					
	water supply			storage	amphibian species distribution				
Swallow et al, 2009	food production, (water supply)	x	x	erosion control, (flood mitigation, water quality)	x	x	Lake Victory basin; multiple spatial scales, smallest: 5km by 2.5km (arial photograph), sub-basin, country division, river basin	x	5

3.2 Marine Models

(Score # indicates number of criteria (columns) for which the model does not provide information)

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
ASSETS	Estuarine fisheries/aquaculture; water quality	Not applicable	Primary production, nutrient cycling	Recreation	Negatively impact fisheries/aquaculture; revenue from recreation; Toxic algal blooms can be harmful to human health.	Estuarine/Watershed level. Currently, there are 157 assessed estuarine systems in ASSETS primarily based in the U.S. But there are a number of international records. Resolution of output is based the the bathymetry grid used, however the details are not specified in the peer-reviewed methodology.	Not applicable	2
Aus-Connie	Larval recruitment to fisheries	Ecosystem connectivity (inc. genetic and nutrient flows), larval dispersal and recruitment	Nutrient cycling	Not applicable	Understanding sustainability of fisheries, dispersal of contaminants possibly harmful to marine resources and humans thus reducing ecosystem services, general understanding of the sustainability and connectivity of ecosystem services.	Australia; 0.5 degree geographical grid; All statistics were based on currents and trajectories computed at a fixed depth of Z = 20m, which was taken to be representative of surface waters where larval concentrations tend to be highest.	Not applicable	2

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
Cumulative Threat Model for the global ocean	Impacts on fisheries/aquaculture; ability of ecosystems to provide non-living resources.	Impact ability of ecosystem to provide regulating services generally.	Reduction in nutrient cycling ability (e.g. through dead zones/pollution); Impacts on habitats and their services.	Impacts on recreation, aesthetic values and experience, spiritual enrichment etc.	Model implies that areas that are more highly impacted will not be able to provide the quality and range of ecosystem services as less impacted areas. Reduced goods and services will have a general negative impact on human health.	Global but can be applied at the local- and regional-scale; 1km ² resolution grid.	Not applicable	1
EwE, EcoSpace & EcoVal	Fisheries (inc. their ecosystem effects).	Biomass and fluxes	Population dynamics (Top-down vs. Bottom-up controls)	Economic valuation of resources (Ecoval).	Bioaccumulation effects; food security; economic value of ecosystem goods and services under different management scenarios;	Multi-scale, ecosystem models. Ecospace is the only component that provides spatial representation and uses user-defined grid cells.	Millennium Ecosystem Assessment scenarios and the GEO-3 and -4 projections.	0

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
GEEM	Fisheries (inc. their ecosystem effects).	Biomass and fluxes	Population dynamics (trophic controls); biological maintenance of resilience; changes to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services;	Not applicable	Negatively impact fisheries; possible threats to food security; negative impacts on livelihoods if ecosystem functionality/services are lost potentially impacting vulnerable coastal communities.	Multi-scale, ecosystem model based around food webs. Resolution measures are not applicable as spatial representation of outputs is not available.	Not applicable	3
Impact of Climate Change on Global Biodiversity	Fisheries (commercial and artisanal).	Not applicable	Changes to ecosystem community structure may impact on other ecosystem services.	Artisanal fishing practices	Negatively impact fisheries economics, particularly the vulnerable coastal communities that rely on small, artisanal fisheries	Global; 30' X 30' grid cell size. Can be scaled to local and regional levels.	Not applicable	3

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
RamCo	Food security of coastal systems; Water provisioning/water quality; commercial products provided by coastal zones.	Ability of coastal zone to provide regulating services generally.	Supporting services related to coastal zones generally, e.g. Primary production, nutrient cycling, maintenance of habitats, population dynamics etc.	Ability of coastal zone to provide cultural and spiritual services generally.	Polluted water has negative impacts on human health, potential for risks to food security if coastal system functionality is lost, increased or modified flood patterns can cause direct risks to coastal communities.	RAMCO can handle cellular models with dimensions up to 500 by 500 cells. Useful on grids which resolution varies from 50 to 500 meters. RamCo can to deal with spatial dynamics at different levels & will generally have two coupled components: one for macro-level, long range and large scale processes and a second one for processes operating on the micro-level, short range and micro-scale. Sub-models will in general operate at one level, but may exchange information with sub-models at the other level.	Not applicable	3

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
Reefs at Risk	Coral reef fisheries; Raw materials from medicines; Other raw materials (seaweed and algae for agar, manure etc.); Curio and jewellery; Live fish and coral collected for aquarium trade.	Nitrogen fixation; CO ₂ /Ca budget control; Waste assimilation.	Maintenance of habitats; maintenance of biodiversity and genetic library; biological maintenance of resilience; mobile links between ecosystems; export of organic production between ecosystems; protection of adjacent shorelines - in doing so supporting wetlands, seagrass beds, mangrove fisheries, population centres etc.; generation of coral sand; build up of land.	Recreational Value; ecotourism; sustaining livelihoods of local communities; aesthetic value; support of cultural, religious and spiritual values.	Negatively impact economic benefits of coral reefs (fisheries, medicinal products, curio/jewellery, aquarium trade); Increase vulnerability of coastal communities and habitats to natural hazards; Reduce food availability impacted on human health; Negatively impact livelihood associated with coral reefs; negatively impact spiritual, cultural, and aesthetic values associated with coral reefs.	Global coral reefs; 4km resolution	Not applicable	1

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
ERSEM II	Fisheries (understanding environmental drivers and bottom-up processes impacting fish populations; impacts of fisheries).	Ecological fluxes; nutrient limitations.	Lower trophic level habitat modelling for pelagic and benthic systems;	Not applicable	Bottom-up control of fisheries; Marine bacteria and virus dynamics; Influence of weather and climate on marine ecosystem services (e.g. Food security).	Dependent on resolution of the model that it is coupled to. ERSEM's upper boxes extend from the surface to 30 m, the lower boxes from 30 m to the bottom. coupled to high resolution hydrodynamic models, large geographical scales. Basin scale and open ocean applications in 1, 2 and 3 dimensions	Not applicable	3

Model name	Ecosystem Service Provision				Economic Value of Output	Scale of Output	Earlier application in assessments	Score
	Provisioning services	Regulating services	Supporting services	Cultural services				
ICTHYOP	Larval recruitment to fisheries	Ecosystem connectivity (inc. genetic and nutrient flows), larval dispersal and recruitment	Bottom-up support of food webs.	Not applicable	Understanding sustainability of fisheries; general understanding of the sustainability and connectivity of ecosystem services.	The environmental state variables are provided on a discrete three-dimensional grid by archived simulations of the ROMS or MARS oceanic models. The Ichthyop model sees the Eulerian velocity field at the same spatial scale as the Eulerian primitive equation models. Subgridscale parameterisations can be added in the IBM to address scales unresolved by the primitive equation models. The fields of salinity, current velocities, and temperature are interpolated in space to provide values at any individual location in Ichthyop.	Not applicable	2

4 APPENDICES TO CHAPTER 5: WORKSHOP

4.1 Workshop Programme

Wednesday, 13 May 2009 – Where we are and where we want to go

- 10:00 **Opening and Introduction: What this study aims to do?**
Robin Miège, DG Environment
- 10:15 **The role of the scenarios and models project in the TEEB context**
Patrick ten Brink, IEEP

Session 1: Review of available models and scenarios: “State of the Art”

Chair: *Leon Braat, Alterra*

- 10:30 **Key findings of the project**
Tom Kram, PBL

10:45 **Discussion**

11:45 **Coffee Break**

Session 2: Assessment of key assumptions in the available quantitative tools

Chair: *Matt Walpole, UNEP-WCMC*

- 12: 00 **Key findings of the project,**
Leon Braat, Alterra

12: 15 **Discussion**

13:15 **Lunch Break**

Session 3: Policy recommendations: How to use the quantitative tools for policy development within TEEB

Chair: *Patrick ten Brink, IEEP*

- 14:00 **Short presentations (10 minutes) on recommendations for TEEB by five key-experts**

14:50 **Discussion**

15:50 Closing of the conference
Alexandra Vakrou, DG Environment

16:00 **End of the Workshop**

4.2 Attendance List

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Eppink	Florian	Helmholtz Zentrum für Umweltforschung (UFZ)
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Heurmann	Nicol	Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency (PBL)
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