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## **RÉSUMÉ**

Cet ouvrage est destiné à servir d'introduction au modèle GREEN de l'OCDE. Le modèle GREEN a été développé par le Secrétariat de l'OCDE afin de mesurer l'impact économique de différentes politiques de limitation des émissions de CO<sub>2</sub>. Cet ouvrage comporte deux parties. La première décrit la structure du modèle. La seconde présente plusieurs résultats du modèle, dont notamment la simulation de référence et des simulations alternatives de limitation des émissions de carbone. Les lecteurs intéressés par la structure détaillée du modèle ou son utilisation sont invités à se référer aux manuels préparés à l'intention des utilisateurs.

## SUMMARY

This paper presents a brief introduction to the OECD GREEN Model. The GREEN model has been developed by the OECD Secretariat in order to assess the economic impact of abating  $\mathrm{CO_2}$  emissions using several different economic instruments. The paper is divided into two parts. The first provides a brief introduction to the structure of the GREEN model. The second describes several different simulations using the GREEN model, including what is generally referred to as the Business-as-Usual scenario and several alternative carbon-abatement scenarios. For specific details on the model and its implementation, readers are referred to the GREEN Reference Manual, and the GREEN User Manual.

## **PREFACE**

This Technical Paper, prepared as part of the Development Centre's research programme on "Sustainable Development: Environment, Resource Use, Technology, and Trade", presents an overview of the current version of the OECD GREEN model, and an up-to-date report of the key simulation results of the economic costs of reducing carbon emissions.

Environmental issues have entered the mainstream international economic policy arena with increasing urgency over the last decade. The Rio "Earth Summit", held in June 1992, was an important milestone in the debate, bringing together the largest coalition of countries ever to discuss global environmental concerns. One of the more prominent topics of debate is the issue of global warming which is generated by increasing concentrations in the atmosphere of carbon dioxide, and other so-called greenhouse gases. Over the last three years, the OECD Secretariat has devoted a major effort to analysing the economic costs and consequences of limiting carbon emissions, primarily generated by the consumption of fossil fuels.

The scope of the OECD GREEN model is global, and therefore, the model results show the increasing importance of non-OECD countries in the growth rate of carbon emissions, the distributional impacts of reaching an agreement on their limitation, and several policy alternatives for mitigating the economic costs of a carbon tax on fuels. The GREEN model has a rich set of policy instruments, as well as many exogenous elements which allow the policy analyst to experiment with many different facets of the global warming issue. Some of the most important factors include population and GDP growth rates, energy efficiency improvements, and the cost and availability of alternative energy sources in the future. The GREEN model is now available to all interested users, and we hope it will provide a useful instrument in informing the policy dialogue on the global warming issue.

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## Introduction<sup>\*</sup>

The **GeneRal Equilibrium EN**vironmental model, hereafter referred to as GREEN, was developed by the OECD Secretariat in order to assess the economic impacts of imposing limits on carbon emissions. The model was developed in the period 1991-92 and has been used extensively for a wide variety of analyses including the impacts of emissions constraint in the OECD, global agreements, tradable permits, transfer mechanisms, and comparisons with other carbon abatement models. A description of the model, and many of the basic analyses are reported in several papers in a special issue of *OECD Economic Studies* (1992). Background material can be found in the Working Paper series of the OECD Economics Department, particularly Burniaux et. al. (1992). The model comparison exercise is summarized in OECD (1993).

The GREEN model has been updated over the last year, and documentation has been prepared to make the model available to outside users. There have been changes in the specification of the model, in the specification of the baseline scenario, and in the data. This paper is intended to provide a general introduction to the model specification and an update of some of the key results.

The paper is divided into two parts. The first provides a general introduction to the model specification. For a full description of the model structure and its implementation, readers are referred to Burniaux et. al. (1992), and van der Mensbrugghe (1994). The second part of the paper describes some of the key results from the basic simulations of the GREEN model, including the reference, or baseline scenario, OECD carbon emission stabilisation, and a global co-operative agreement to limit carbon emissions. The simulations are intended to show some of the key mechanisms of the GREEN model, and some of the policy issues which can be addressed by the model.

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## The Model Structure

GREEN is a recursive-dynamic global computable general equilibrium (CGE) model with a special focus on energy production and consumption. The model is calibrated on a 1985 data set, and is calibrated dynamically to produce an exogenously given path of real GDP growth and population growth. The description of the model is divided into four sections. The first section describes the different dimensions of GREEN. The second section describes the single-period (or static) specification of the model. The third section describes the dynamic features of GREEN. The final section discusses some of the features of the model's implementation.

#### **Model Dimensions**

## Regions

Global economic activity is divided into twelve regions, each one modeled similarly, albeit with a different base data set and a different set of parameters. Four of the twelve regions are composed of OECD Member countries (see Table 1). They are the United States (USA), Japan (JPN), the European Community (EEC), and the rest of the OECD (OOE), which includes the EFTA countries, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand. The formerly planned economies of Europe have been divided into two regions — the former Soviet Union (FSU), and Eastern and Central European Economies (EET). The rest of the world is comprised by six regions, including three large single countries — China (CHN), India (IND), and Brazil (BRA). All other countries are aggregated into three regions. One region is comprised of the Dynamic Asian Economies (DAE). Another region includes the major energy-exporting countries (EEX). The final region contains all other countries and is designated as the rest-of-the-world (ROW). In 1985, the ROW region represented approximately 5.3 per cent of world GDP and 5.4 per cent of world CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

## **Sectors**

Economic activity is initially divided into eight sectors, with seven energy backstop substitutes introduced in later years. The initial sectors include five energy-based sectors, and three other sectors (see Table 2). The energy sectors are coal, crude oil, natural gas, refined petroleum products, and electricity (which — for data reasons — also includes gas and water distribution). The remaining sectors are agriculture, energy-intensive industries, and all other goods and services.

The model incorporates energy backstop substitutes. These are sources of energy which are expected to be available in the future. There are seven backstop energies. Coal, crude oil, and natural gas, are each assumed to have two substitute fuels — one which is carbon intensive, such as tar sands, and one which is carbon-free, such as biomass. Electricity has one backstop energy substitute, which is assumed to be a carbon-free source, such as fusion, solar, wind, etc.

#### Time dimension

GREEN is a recursive dynamic model, i.e. each period of the model is solved as a single period model, with backward looking transition equations linking the individual periods together. The key transition equations include labour growth, capital accumulation, fossil fuel resource depletion, and energy and factor efficiency improvements. Changes in policies are assumed not to change the growth of labour and the efficiency factors, but will affect the growth and composition of the capital stock to the extent that these policies change domestic saving. The solution periods are 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010, 2030, and 2050, i.e. the step-sizes are initially five years, and beyond 2010, twenty year steps.

## **Factors of production**

The model has three kinds of factors of production: labour, capital, and sectorspecific fixed factors. Labour supply is assumed to be exogenously given in each region (in each period), perfectly mobile across sectors, and therefore, associated with a single economy-wide wage rate.

Capital is divided into vintages: old and new. Substitution possibilities are allowed to differ between old and new capital, with typically lower substitution elasticities on old capital. This type of structure of capital is often referred to as putty/semi-putty. New capital is assumed to be perfectly mobile across sectors and available at a single economy-wide rate of return. Vintage (or installed) capital is partially mobile. Sectors in decline — which are identified with a declining demand for capital — are assumed to supply old capital which is made available to all the expanding sectors. The supply of disinvested old capital is assumed to be perfectly homogeneous with new capital, and hence is available at the same price. The price of old capital in declining sectors is assumed to be sector-specific. In total, the number of factor prices on the capital market will equal one plus the number of sectors in decline. The supply of so-called new capital includes capital from new investments, plus capital sold by sectors in decline, plus installed capital from sectors in expansion.

Five of the eight sectors have a sector-specific factor. In agriculture it is land. In coal, crude oil, and natural gas, it is the reserves of the base product. In electricity, it is the capital installed in the electricity sector which is associated with the carbon-free production of electricity, i.e. nuclear power plants, hydro-electric dams, and geothermal sources. The fixed factors in agriculture, coal, and electricity are assumed to be available using an upward sloping supply schedule, with different supply elasticities depending on whether demand for the factor is increasing or decreasing. For example, it is assumed that it is easier to decrease the supply of land in agriculture, than to increase it. Resource depletion models have been developed for the crude oil and natural gas sector which will be further described below.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Installed capital in expanding sectors is also assumed to be available at the same price as new capital. This simplifying assumption enables to reduce the number of factor prices which need to be simultaneously determined in each period.

## Single-Period Equilibrium

GREEN is a recursive dynamic model. As such, the solution for each period of the model can be solved independently of any future period, there is no forward looking behaviour. The periods are linked together through factor-accumulation equations which can be either exogenous, as the case for labour supply, or endogenous, as is the case for capital supply and resource depletion.

This section will describe the main elements of the static solution of the model, i.e. the specification of the model which deals with the single-period solution.

#### **Production**

There are two main characteristics of the production structure in GREEN — the putty/semi-putty specification of production, and the multi-level nesting of the inputs of the production structure.

Within each period, capital is classified as being either old (installed) or new. New capital is mainly generated by the previous period's investment. This vintage structure of capital allows for differentiating the substitution possibilities across inputs by the age of capital. Typically, the substitution elasticities are lower for old capital, than they are for new capital. The aggregate substitution possibilities will be an average of the two, weighted by the respective shares of old and new capital in total capital.

Figures 1a and 1b depict the nesting and substitution possibilities of the production function. The top level starts with a Leontief structure in non-energy intermediate inputs and a capital-labour plus energy bundle, which is designated by the variable *KLEF* (capital-labour-energy-fixed factor). The second level disaggregates the *KLEF* bundle into labour and a capital-energy-fixed factor bundle (*KEF*). The functional form used is known as the constant-elasticity-of-substitution function (CES), and the substitution elasticity is generally lower for production using old capital, than production using new capital. The third level of nesting splits the *KEF* bundle into an energy bundle and a *KF* (capital-fixed factor) bundle. The fourth level of nesting splits the *KF* bundle into capital and the fixed factor. A Leontief technology is assumed here, i.e. capital and the fixed factor are always used in constant proportions. This implies perfect complementarity between the two.

The energy bundle is divided into its various components with another multi-level nesting structure (see Figure 1b). The top level energy bundle eventually splits into demand for twelve basic fuels: coal and its two backstop substitutes; crude oil and its two backstop substitutes; natural gas and its two backstop substitutes; refined oil; and electricity and its single backstop substitute.

The first level in the energy nest is the division of energy demand into an electric component and a non-electric component. The second level divides the non-electric component into a coal component and a oil plus gas component. The third level disaggregates the oil plus gas bundle into three components: crude oil, natural gas, and refined oil. At this stage, demand for five fuel composites has been determined: coal, crude oil, natural gas, refined oil, and electricity. If the backstops are not available, the demand for these fuel composites is identically equal to the demand

for the conventional fuel equivalents. With the introduction of the backstop fuels, demand for the fuel composites will be allocated across the conventional fuel and the available backstops, using a CES cost-minimisation function. Hence the coal, crude oil, and natural gas fuel composites will each be disaggregated into a conventional fuel component and two backstop demands — a carbon-based backstop fuel, and a carbon-free backstop fuel. There are no backstop substitutes for refined oil since it is a processed fuel which is derived from either crude oil or the backstops. The demand for the electric composite will be split into demand for conventional electricity and the backstop electric option.

In conclusion, starting from a given output (by vintage), the producer will minimise the cost of producing that output using the multi-tiered nested function. At the end of the nesting, the producer generates demand for the 15 commodities of GREEN — 3 non-energy commodities, and 12 energy-based commodities — labour, capital, and the fixed factor. Given the assumption of constant returns to scale, the producer price is set to the unit cost of production (taking into account production taxes/subsidies).

## Consumption

Each region has one representative consumer (household), which receives all the income generated by value added, i.e. both labour and capital income (including income generated by the sector specific fixed factors). The GREEN model uses a static version of the extended linear expenditure system (ELES) to determine the optimal allocation of the consumer's disposable income for consumer goods and household saving.<sup>2</sup> The definition of consumer goods differs from the definition of production goods. There are four consumer goods. They are Food and Beverages, Fuels and Power, Transport and Communication, Other Goods and Services. The four consumer goods are transformed from producer goods using a type of make matrix, or a consumer-production technology (see Figure 2). Each of the four consumer goods is made up of a non-energy bundle and an energy bundle using a fixed coefficients (or Leontief) technology. The energy bundle is dis-aggregated into the various base fuel demands using the same type of nesting as in production, albeit with potentially different substitution elasticities and share parameters.

#### **Other Final Demand Activities**

There are three final demand activities other than households: government expenditure on goods and services, labour, and capital; investment final demand; and change in stock levels (which is assumed to be at a zero activity level after the base year).

Government revenues are generated by indirect taxes, direct taxes on households, and fuel taxes. Real government expenditures are assumed to grow at the same rate as GDP. The government allocates its expenditures using a three-factor CES production technology — aggregate goods and services, labour, and capital. Goods

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The ELES is similar to the more familiar LES, or Stone-Geary demand system. The main difference is the extension of the LES to a dynamic setting. The version of the ELES used in GREEN assumes myopic behaviour, so saving enters the utility function, but its determination is based only on contemporary prices (where the price of saving is assumed to be the consumer price index).

and services are further dis-aggregated using a fixed coefficient technology for nonenergy goods and an energy bundle. The energy bundle is dis-aggregated using the same nesting as in production (see Figure 1b). (The government's production function is also split into old and new capital, but for many regions there is no estimate on capital use in the government sector, hence this has little effect. Further, the substitution parameters used in the reference version of the model are equal across vintages.)

Investment final demand also uses a fixed coefficients expenditure function in nonenergy goods and an energy bundle. The energy bundle is dis-aggregated using the same nesting as all the other agents in the economy. Government and investment closure will be discussed below.

#### **Trade**

Trade is modeled using the so-called Armington assumption. Each commodity is assumed to be differentiated by region of origin. In GREEN, this implies a two-level nest (see Figure 3). At the top, each agent in the economy generates an aggregate demand for a good. At the next level, agents split the demand for the aggregate good into a domestic component and an aggregate import component. In GREEN, the CES expenditure function is used as the Armington aggregation function. At the next level, the aggregate import demand is distributed across the regions of the model. As an example, assume consumers generate a demand for automobiles (in aggregate) using the ELES function. At a second stage, consumers will split this aggregate demand into demand for domestic cars and aggregate import cars, using a CES function which represents their preferences. Finally, at the last stage, consumers will divide aggregate import demand for cars across the countries of origin of the cars — Japan, Germany, Italy, etc. — again based on a CES function which represents their preferences.<sup>3</sup>

The Armington assumption reflects two observations concerning the modeling of trade. First, two-way trade is observed in virtually all statistical trade data, which to a large extent reflects the problem of aggregating data. Next, without a sector-specific factor of production, homogeneity of products would lead to complete specialization which is rarely observed at the level of aggregation of a model such as GREEN. Note that the Armington assumption implies that there is no unique world price for a commodity. Each region's vector of world prices will differ depending on the allocation of its import demand across the other regions.

The Armington assumption is not used for all commodities. Because of its significant homogeneity, the existence of a reference world price, and relatively low transportation costs, crude oil is not differentiated by region of origin. Hence, no trade matrix exists for crude oil, and a region's net trade position is simply the difference between its supply and demand. If supply is greater than demand, the

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Unlike many CGE models, the Armington assumption holds at the level of individual agents, and not at the aggregate level. This allows substitution and import penetration shares to differ across the various agents of the economy. The drawback is that it considerably increases the quantity of information needed to calibrate the benchmark data and the number of equations in the model. For example, in a simpler CGE model, the input/output matrix requires only one set of demand equations. In GREEN, three sets are required because not only is the Armington demand calculated, but for each cell of the input/output matrix, the domestic and import content is also calculated.

region is a net exporter, otherwise, it is a net importer. The significant transportation costs of natural gas and coal means that these commodities are assumed to be Armington goods, with the transportation costs proxied by the imperfect substitutability of the goods.

The backstop fuels are also not Armington goods, in fact, they are assumed not to be traded at all. The backstop fuels are assumed to be available in unlimited quantities in all regions, at a given fixed price which is the same in all regions.<sup>4</sup> As a consequence of this assumption, there is no incentive to trade in these fuels.

Export demand in any given region is simply determined by the sum of import demand from all the other regions of the model.<sup>5</sup> Export supply is identically set equal to export demand. There is no assumption about strategic behaviour on the part of exporters.<sup>6</sup>

## Closure

There are three closure rules in GREEN — the net government balance, investment-savings, and the trade balance. The net government balance position is under user control, but in the reference version of the model, it is assumed that the net position of the government is fixed (in real terms) at its base year level. This implies that the household tax schedule shifts in or out in order to achieve the exogenously given government budget position.

There is no investment schedule in GREEN. Domestic investment is identically equal to the sum of domestic saving resources, i.e. household saving, government saving, and net foreign saving. When government saving as well as foreign saving are exogenous, changes in investment are mostly determined by changes in the level of household saving.

The final closure rule concerns the trade balance. The trade balance is assumed to be fixed in each period for each region (in real terms). This closure rule implies that the real exchange rate is the equilibrating mechanism for maintaining the trade balance. For example, if a region liberalises its trade regime (by lowering its tariffs), it will be forced to lower its real exchange rate in order to be able to export more and maintain a constant trade balance.

GREEN is a Walrasian model, so the vector of prices is only solved for in relative terms. One price needs to be chosen as the numéraire. The OECD GDP price

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The backstops are assumed to be available in unlimited quantities because they are either renewable fuels, such as solar, or because the resource base is so great that there is no risk of significant resource depletion within the time framework of the GREEN model. A similar assumption is made for coal reserves.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Because import demand of other countries is determined using the Armington assumption, exporting countries are faced with downward-sloping demand functions for their exports.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Some CGE models allow for the producer to differentiate between selling on the domestic market and on the world market using a so-called constant-elasticity-of-transformation function (CET).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> The trade balance is modifiable by the user in each period. The only restriction is that the sum across all the regions of GREEN must be equal to zero. In the reference simulation, it is assumed that the trade balance is fixed at its base year level (in real terms).

deflator has been chosen as the numéraire because of the relative ease in interpreting the results with respect to this price index.

#### **Emissions and carbon taxes**

GREEN computes carbon emissions which are generated by the consumption of carbon-based fuels — coal, crude oil, natural gas, refined oil, and the carbon-based backstops. The consumption of electricity and the electric backstop do not generate CO<sub>2</sub> emissions directly.<sup>8</sup> Consumption of the carbon-based fuels is aggregated over all sources of demand, both intermediate and final, and converted into emissions.<sup>9</sup> Due to calibration rules, all volumes are expressed in millions of 1985 dollars, and not in physical quantities, such as exajoules, or tonnes. In order to calculate carbon emissions, volumes are converted from millions of 1985 dollars to exajoules using conversion factors which are calculated from the base-year data. The exajoule consumption is then converted into emissions, using constant fuel-specific emission factors (which are expressed in terms of millions of tons of carbon per exajoule of consumption). The emission factors are highest for coal, followed by oil, and then natural gas.<sup>10</sup>

In the business-as-usual scenario, there is no policy initiative to reduce carbon emissions, and the model simply adds up the emissions in an accounting identity. In policy simulations, carbon and/or energy taxes are introduced in order to limit the quantity of emissions. The equilibrium taxes are the shadow price of the carbon emission constraint. The model allows for a wide variety of definitions of the constraints, and therefore, the taxes. The emission constraints can be specified over individual regions (generating region-specific taxes), or over an aggregation of regions (generating a single tax over the defined aggregation). The emission constraints can be specified with respect to the emissions of any past period. The user can specify transfer (or recycling) schemes in order to modify the distribution of the costs. Finally, the model allows for tradable permits, where each region is allocated an initial quota of emission rights which can be traded. The distribution of losses will clearly depend on the initial allocation rights.

## **Dynamics**

#### Capital

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The vintage structure of capital has already been mentioned above. At the beginning of each new period, capital is divided into two categories, old and new. Old capital is all of the previous period's installed capital, depreciated at a constant given rate of depreciation. There are two features of old capital. First, it is less substitutable with

 $<sup>^{8}</sup>$  We will use the terms carbon and  $CO_{2}$  emission interchangeably. However, the model only computes carbon emissions, and carbon taxes are calculated as dollars per tonne of carbon, not dollars per tonne of  $CO_{2}$ .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> The model adjusts the emissions of the consumption of crude oil and refined oil in order to take into account the transformation process. In fact, there is almost no consumption of crude oil outside the refining sector, and hence most of the emissions generated by oil are found in refined oil consumption, and not crude oil.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> It is assumed that the carbon-based backstop is the dirtiest (most carbon-intensive) fuel of all.

the other factors of production and energy, than new capital.<sup>11</sup> Second, it is partially immobile reflecting the potentially significant costs of moving installed capital from one sector to another. New capital is generated by the previous period's investment. It is assumed that new capital is perfectly mobile and will be allocated across sectors in order to equalise its rate of return across sectors. If a sector is in decline, or in other words, if a sector has too much installed capital to produce the output which is demanded, it will sell some of its installed capital to expanding sectors. Because of the costs of moving capital across sectors, the supply of dis-invested capital only responds partially to differentials in the relative rates of return of the sector-specific rental rate on old capital, and the economy-wide new capital rental rate. It is assumed that disinvested capital is homogenous with new capital, i.e. it is added to the stock of new capital, and hence has the same rate of return as new capital.

## **Depletion**

The GREEN model incorporates resource depletion modules for crude oil and natural gas.<sup>12</sup> For each of the two fuels, the model keeps track of two reserves: proven and yet-to-find potential reserves. Production from proven reserves is assumed to be a fixed share of proven reserves, which is invariant over time. Yet-tofind reserves are fixed in the base period, and each year a proportion of yet-to-find reserves is converted into proven reserves. The dynamics between the two reserves generate a production profile which initially is independent of prices. If prices do not change, or producers are insensitive to changes in prices, the production path of both fuels is fully deterministic and can be traced out in the base year. Depending on the extraction rate (from proven reserves), and the conversion rate (from unproven to proven) reserves, regions can either be faced with monotonically downward production profiles, or skewed-bell shape profiles (see figures 4a and 4b). In the latter case, unproven reserves are being converted into proven reserves at a rate which is greater than production. At some time in the future, however, unproven reserves decline to the point where all regions will be on the downward slope of production.

GREEN relaxes these assumptions in two ways. The conversion rate is price sensitive. The intuition is that if prices rise (fall), this induces producers to increase (decrease) the rate of conversion (or the rate of discovery). The parameters defining the rate of discovery function are calibrated to match production scenarios from energy experts. GREEN also allows producers to make their supply decisions based on the level of the world oil price, in other words, producers are allowed to produce below their production profiles, if the price incentives are lacking.<sup>13</sup> In no case is a region able to produce beyond the potential production profile.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Because of the changing composition of old capital over time, the production share parameters are re-calibrated at the beginning of each period to reflect the evolution. The share parameters are re-calibrated such that the entire stock of old capital (at the beginning of the period) can re-produce the previous period's aggregate output (using the substitution elasticities of the old capital).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Due to the significant stocks of coal reserves, there is no likelihood that their scarcity will become binding within the time framework of GREEN. The supply of coal reserves is price sensitive, however, with some rigidity on the upward side.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> In the implementation of GREEN, only one region has price-sensitive supply decisions, and this is the energy exporting region, EEX. All regions have price-sensitive conversion rates, but apart from

## **Technology changes**

GREEN has three sources of technology changes: labour, capital, and energy. Changes in labour efficiency are assumed to be exogenous, and they are specified by the user. <sup>14</sup> Changes in energy efficiency are also exogenous, and obviously represent a key component in determining the level of energy use and emissions. This parameter, sometimes referred to as the Autonomous Energy Efficiency Improvement (AEEI) parameter, is implemented as specific to the region, the sector, the capital vintage, and time. For tractability (and comparison with other models), a uniform value of 1 per cent has been chosen for the reference simulation. <sup>15</sup>

The capital efficiency parameter is calibrated in the business-as-usual simulation in order to insure that the model generates balanced growth, i.e. the capital-labour ratio (in efficiency terms) remains constant. Another way of looking at this dynamic calibration procedure is to think in terms of targets and instruments. The target is a specified growth rate of real GDP. This factor has been chosen as the instrument to achieve the exogenously specified growth rate. In all policy simulations, the capital efficiency parameter is exogenous.

## Implementation

The GREEN model is calibrated to a 1985 data set. The necessary data to put together a model like GREEN include input/output tables, national income and product accounts, detailed energy statistics, and tables of world trade flows. The key parameters of the model – essentially substitution, supply, and income elasticities – were derived from an exhaustive literature search, and are described fully in Burniaux et. al. (1992). All other parameters – mainly shift and share parameters – are calibrated in the base year using the key parameters and the base data.

The GREEN model is coded in a procedural language, C, rather than an equation-solver package. Thus, the model implementation requires not only the specification of the model, but the specification of the solution algorithm as well. Gauss-Seidel was chosen because it is relatively simple to implement, and compact. Two issues arise in Gauss-Seidel: the ordering of the equations, and the determination of equilibrium prices. The ordering of the equations is determined to a large extent by

this factor, all regions other than EEX are assumed to be on their production profile. An optional feature of GREEN is to specify an exogenous path for the world price of oil. In this case, the energy exporters are assumed to be a residual supplier, and there is no constraint on their production, nor is their production price-sensitive. The behaviour of the other regions remains the same.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Generally, due to considerations of comparison with other models, these estimates have been generated in order to be consistent with projections of world GDP.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> The only exceptions occur in the production of fossil fuels (coal, crude oil, and natural gas), and refined oil, where it is assumed to be zero.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Note, that the parameter is applied to the capital-fixed factor bundle, i.e. the efficiency is uniform for both factors of production. Due to this fact, there is assumed to be no efficiency growth in the fossil fuel sectors, otherwise, it would eventually be possible to produce more fuel than is available (in reserves).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> In part, this choice was determined by the initial availability of a model shell, and the significant size of the model.

the recursive nature of the model (see the GREEN Reference Manual). Changes in the ordering can have serious consequences on the convergence properties of the solution algorithm.

Gauss-Seidel requires that all endogenous variables, appear at least once on the left-hand side of an equation. Since factor prices (and potentially other equilibrium prices, such as the price of oil), are determined by equilibrium conditions, they do not naturally appear on the left-hand side of an equation. Equilibrium conditions are therefore transformed into excess-demand equations, and equilibrium prices are updated in each iteration depending on the direction and extent of the excess demand. For example, the wage equation is:

$$W_{it} = W_{it-1} \left( \frac{L^d}{L^s} \right)$$

where W is the wage rate, it is the iteration counter,  $L^d$  is labour demand,  $L^s$  is labour supply, and is referred to as the damping factor. Clearly, in equilibrium, this equation is equivalent to the following:

$$L^s = L^d$$

If in an intermediate iteration, labour demand exceeds labour supply, the *tâtonnement* equation will raise the wage rate, which, all else being equal, would lead to a reduction in labour demand, i.e. a reduction in the excess demand. It turns out that the key variable in the *tâtonnement* equation is the damping factor. A factor which is too high can lead the algorithm to explode. A factor which is too low can lead to very long convergence cycles. Since there are numerous equilibrium equations in the model, all interfering with one another, choosing the best set of damping factors is more art than science.

Solution in a single period requires the solution of between 25,000-35,000 non-linear equations (depending on the user-specified options). On a 80486-equipped PC, it takes anywhere from 30-60 minutes to solve the full model (7 periods). On an HP work station, it takes from 6-10 minutes. Since the model is written in C, it is highly portable.

## **Illustrative Policy Simulations**

This part of the paper will present the results of a few illustrative simulations using the GREEN model. The first section describes the reference scenario, also known as the baseline scenario. Several key results will be highlighted, particularly energy consumption and the pattern of carbon emissions. Variants on the baseline scenario will be presented, to show the sensitivity of the model to several key assumptions. The second section will present some scenarios of carbon emissions stabilisation which is limited to the OECD regions. One of the aims of this section is to highlight the increasing importance of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions generated outside the OECD region, and the efficiency improvements from enacting a co-ordinated policy of abatement, over a go-it-alone approach. The third section will describe some simulations with world-wide co-operation. This section will highlight some of the issues of equity, as well as efficiency.

#### The Baseline Scenario

As a first step in analysing the impacts of CO<sub>2</sub> abatement policies, it is necessary to develop a reasonable reference, or baseline, scenario. <sup>18</sup> Changes in abatement policies are then compared to the reference scenario. Many exogenous elements are part of the reference scenario and these have been somewhat modified from previous analyses using the GREEN model, particularly with respect to the results presented in OECD (1992). The modification with the most importance, is the phasing out of fossil fuel subsidies in all countries by the year 2010. Another important difference in the baseline scenario is the change in the GDP growth rate assumptions for China and the former Soviet Union in order to take into account recent trends. The final significant modification is the reduction of the substitution elasticity and the penetration share for the electric backstop option. The following list indicates the main exogenous elements for the baseline scenario described below.

• A consensus growth path for GDP and labour (population) is garnered from other models (for comparison purposes) and/or projections from international institutions, such as the UN or the World Bank. Tables 3 and 4 provide the projections for labour and GDP for the current baseline scenario. World population growth slows from the current 1.6-1.8 per cent growth per annum (p.a.) to 0.7 per cent. The growth rates are highly differentiated by region. For example, the OECD population growth rate is projected to be negative between 2030 and 2050, while it will be around 0.7 per cent for the non-OECD area. In absolute numbers, world population will grow from 5.26 billion persons in 1990 to almost 10 billion by the year 2050. Growth in world GDP is projected to slow down, from roughly 3.0 per cent currently, to around 2.2 per cent between the period 2030 and 2050. The GDP growth rates are also differentiated by region.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> The terms "reference" and "baseline" will be used interchangeably. The term "business-as-usual" is reserved for the scenario where there are no changes in energy price policies, including existing energy subsidies.

Overall, this implies that GDP in the year 2050 will be about 5 times its level in the base year, 1985. Per capita GDP will increase from around \$2,500 to \$6,300 (in 1985 US dollars), a 2.5 times increase over the 65 years. Labour efficiency (as stated above) is assumed to be exogenous, and capital efficiency is calibrated in order to achieve the targeted real GDP growth rate.

- Energy efficiency is assumed to increase by 1 per cent per annum, by all consumers of energy, except in the production of fossil fuels and refined oil.
- Existing energy distortions play a major role in determining the level and pattern of energy consumption. The energy distortions have been determined by comparing world prices with domestic prices (using the available nominal exchange rates). Table 5 presents the level of distortions assumed in the base year data. Many OECD regions tend to tax fossil fuels, domestic prices are higher than world prices. Several significant non-OECD regions have large implied subsidies on fossil fuels. Coal consumption is heavily subsidised in China, the former Soviet Union and Central and Eastern Europe, and India. The former Soviet Union has particularly high subsidies in crude oil and natural gas. Due to the currently observed changes in many regions and the problems of sustaining such large distortions over time, it is assumed, in the baseline scenario, that subsidies on crude oil are phased out by the year 2000, and the subsidies on coal and natural gas are phased out by the year 2010. Fossil fuel taxes are not modified.
- Table 6 presents the backstop assumptions for the baseline scenario. All backstops are assumed to become available in unlimited quantities in the year 2010. The price of the carbon-based backstop corresponds to an equivalent of \$50 per barrel of crude oil. The price of the carbon-free backstop is twice as much. The electric backstop is priced at the equivalent of 7½ cents per Kwh. The market share of the backstops will also depend on their degree of substitutability with the conventional fuels, and the penetration shares. Both of these parameters are specified by the user.
- Foreign savings are assumed to be held fixed at their base-year level (in real terms). The real exchange rate is the equilibrating mechanism in this case. Government savings are also fixed at their base-year level, with the household direct tax schedule the equilibrating mechanism for this closure rule.
- The world price of oil is determined endogenously. All regions are assumed to be on the potential production profile except the energy exporting region (EEX), which is assumed to have a price sensitive supply curve until it hits its production capacity limit.

### **Baseline Scenario with Distortion removal**

Given this scenario, the model generates the levels and patterns of energy consumption as depicted in Table 7. Energy consumption is projected to increase by a factor of 3.2 between 1985 and 2050, which implies an annual increase of 1.8 per cent per annum. Energy consumption is almost evenly divided between the OECD and non-OECD regions in the base year, which reflects significant energy efficiency gains in the OECD countries. By the year 2050, the non-OECD regions consume over 60 per cent of global energy. In 1985, crude oil accounts for almost 40 per cent of total primary energy consumption, followed by coal, with a 33 per cent share, and

natural gas with almost a 23 per cent share. Carbon-free sources of energy account for less than 5 per cent of the total. These shares change considerably by the year 2050. Coal consumption dominates total energy use with a 42 per cent share. Coal is relatively abundant, particularly in some of the large regions, keeping its price relatively low. The crude oil share drops from 40 per cent to 28 per cent, and natural gas drops from 23 per cent to 15 per cent. The carbon-based backstop garners a 10 per cent share of total energy use in the year 2050. Mainly, it is used as a substitute for crude oil, whose price increases by more than 100 per cent (as compared to the average OECD GDP price deflator), between 1990 and 2050. The electric backstop option only penetrates the Japanese market, due to the already high cost of producing conventional electricity in Japan.

The pattern of carbon emissions, will evolve in the same direction, albeit, weighted by the relative carbon intensity of the respective fuels. In the base year, coal consumption accounted for 42 per cent of total carbon emissions, crude oil 42 per cent as well, and natural gas 16 per cent (see Table 8). The non-OECD regions accounted for a slightly greater share of emissions than energy consumption, 51.2 per cent, instead of 49.7 per cent, reflecting the higher use of coal. The largest emitters in the base year are USA (24 per cent), FSU (18 per cent), EEC (14.4 per cent), and China (9.5 per cent). The shares reflect both the size of these economies, and the patterns of energy consumption. The growth rate in total emissions follows the same trend as the growth in total energy. However, because of the higher concentration of coal consumption in the non-OECD countries, they are responsible for almost two-thirds of total carbon emissions by the year 2050.

## **Baseline with No-distortion removal**

Results in this section briefly indicate the impact of distortions on overall energy use and the patterns of energy consumption and emissions. The only difference between the no phase-out baseline scenario in this section, and the previous baseline scenario is that the energy subsidies observed in the base year are maintained throughout the entire period, i.e. there is no phasing out of the energy subsidies by the year 2010.

The results on the energy and emissions patterns are presented in Table 9. (There being no difference in the base year, only the patterns for the year 2050 are presented.) Energy consumption in the year 2050 is 34 per cent greater when the energy subsidies are maintained at their existing base levels, than in the baseline scenario where they are phased out. Similarly, under the no phase-out scenario, carbon emissions are 41 per cent higher. This is in large part due to the higher concentration of coal consumption in those countries with significant subsidies. Under the initial baseline scenario, coal consumption represents a 42 per cent share of total energy consumption in the year 2050. Under the no phase-out scenario, the share of coal in total energy consumption increases to 66 per cent. Some of the regional differences are striking as well. The non-OECD share of emissions increases from 66 per cent to 75 per cent, with China's share in particular increasing from 18 per cent to 30 per cent. These results emphasize the need for energy price reform, not only from a fiscal and efficiency point of view, but also because of the potential significant harm to the global environment.

## Changes in energy efficiency

This section describes the sensitivity of the baseline results with respect to the AEEI parameter. Results from using two different values for the AEEI are reported. The AEEI was first doubled, i.e. a two-fold increase in the growth of energy efficiency, and then reduced by 50 per cent.

An AEEI of 2 per cent leads to a significant reduction in energy use and emissions. However, because of the general equilibrium nature of the model, the reductions are to some extent dampened by two effects. The first is an income effect deriving from the fact that increasing efficiency increases income, all else being equal. The second is a substitution effect. Since demand for energy is tempered, its price will be lower, all else being equal, hence, there will be a movement down the demand curve. An AEEI of 0.5 per cent has the opposite effect, it will tend to increase energy demand compared to an AEEI of 1 per cent.

Figure 5 depicts the differences in carbon emissions between the three values of the AEEI. Clearly, in no case would even the higher value of 2 per cent project a stabilisation in emissions close to the Toronto-type target. With an AEEI of 2 per cent, global energy demand is only 621 exajoules in 2050, a reduction of 29 per cent from the baseline scenario, and global emissions are down 26 per cent, to 12,667 millions of metric tons (Mmt). With the more pessimistic value of 0.5 per cent, energy demand increases by 12 per cent, to 984 exajoules, and global carbon emissions increase by 15 per cent to 19,628 Mmt. It is difficult to conceive of a significant breakthrough in the fossil fuel technology which would reduce carbon emissions to the levels suggested by a Toronto-type target.

### Stabilisation of Emissions in the OECD

This section describes some of the key results from imposing stabilisation of emissions in the four OECD regions of the GREEN model. The first part imposes a region-specific constraint in each of the four regions, and hence region-specific carbon taxes. Next an OECD-wide stabilisation constraint is imposed, and therefore, an OECD-wide tax. The difference in the two results indicates the efficiency gains from a multi-lateral agreement. Table 10 presents the patterns of emissions in the OECD regions for both simulations. In both cases the overall level of emissions is identical, but the regional distribution of emissions and costs will change.

## **Region-specific taxes**

In the first simulation, each OECD region imposes a stabilisation target, starting in 1995, at the 1990 level of emissions. This target is held constant through 2050. This results in a reduction of 52 per cent in OECD emissions in the year 2050 as compared to the baseline level of emissions, but overall, emissions drop by only 18 per cent in 2050 compared to the baseline. It has relatively little impact on emissions in the non-OECD regions. These regions are able to switch to less polluting sources of energy, such as crude oil, as its relative price drops.

The carbon taxes represent the shadow price of the carbon constraint in each region. The level of the carbon tax will be influenced by each region's mix of fuels, the carbon intensity of the fuel mix, the level of the target, and the inter-fuel substitution possibilities. Table 11 gives the level of the carbon taxes (in 1985 US

dollars per ton of carbon emitted, and deflated by the regional GDP deflator, also depicted in Figure 6). For three of the four regions, the carbon tax varies in a relatively narrow band which starts at \$30-50 and rises to \$120-160 towards 2050. The costs in Japan are distinctly higher, starting out at \$145, rising to \$339 in 2005, dropping precipitously in 2010, and rising again to \$305 by the year 2050. The drop in the year 2010 arises from the introduction of the electric carbon-free backstop which allows Japan to shift to a carbon-free source of energy. The backstops effectively put a break on changes in energy prices since they are available in unlimited quantities at a fixed price. Therefore, as the target becomes more binding, most of the adjustment must occur in the level of the taxes, rather than in the price of the fuels.

The repercussions in terms of real income are presented in Table 12.<sup>19</sup> The major sources of change derive from the familiar distortionary triangles associated with imposing taxes, and changes in the terms of trade. The changes in real income in the initial periods are relatively modest for all regions except for Japan where the large size of the tax takes an early bite. The United States even has a slight gain in 1995 as the costs of the tax are outweighed by the positive gains in the terms of trade as the world price of oil is deflated by the drop in oil demand. In the year 2050, the losses, compared to the baseline scenario range from 1.1 per cent in the Other OECD region to 3.1 per cent in Japan. Japan has to bear the largest cutback in emissions, 66 per cent. While the other regions are not participants in the stabilisation scheme, they will be affected as well, mainly through the impact of changes in world energy prices. This tends to have negative impacts on oil exporters, particularly the EEX region, but will prove beneficial for energy importers.

#### **OECD-wide taxes**

An alternative to the previous simulation, is a multi-lateral agreement to stabilise OECD-wide emissions at their 1990 levels. This implies a single OECD-wide constraint and a uniform energy tax. This obviously generates the same level of emissions, but the pattern of emissions is allowed to differ. Not surprisingly, the main beneficiary is Japan which increases its level of emissions from 333 Mmt in the previous simulation, to 497 Mmt in the current one in the year 2050. Most of the transfer occurs between the United States and Japan, with little overall impact in the other two regions. The same is true in terms of the carbon tax and the changes in real income. The uniform tax in the EEC and in the OEE region is relatively similar to the region-specific tax, and therefore there is little impact in these two regions. The impact in the United States is slightly larger, and Japan sees a reduction in its real income loss from -3.1 per cent to -2.4 per cent. There is only a slight improvement in the overall OECD loss.<sup>20</sup>

While the two simulations distinguish the benefits to be delivered from multilateral agreements, they also clearly indicate that the OECD acting in concert will not be

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Real income is measured as the change in the consumer expenditure function (evaluated in base year prices), plus the change in real government expenditures. The changes are reported compared to the baseline scenario, and no discounting is involved.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> It is also worth noting that the Energy-exporting region (EEX) also benefits from the implementation of a more cost-efficient agreement.

sufficient to deliver sizable reductions in global emissions. A more broad-based accord will be necessary.

## Toronto-type agreement

This section will briefly report the results of a more broadly-based agreement to control carbon emissions. The so-called Toronto-type accord differentiates between the Annex 1 countries – the OECD plus the former Soviet Union and Eastern Europe – and the rest of the world. Under this agreement, the Annex 1 regions reduce their emissions to 80 per cent of their 1990 levels by the year 2010. The other countries are limited to 150 per cent of their 1990 level of emissions, in other words, they are allowed to expand from their current levels, but may have to cut back from their baseline levels. The first simulation describes an agreement with region-specific constraints, and no trade in emission rights. The second simulation imposes the same overall level of emissions, but allocates emission quotas based on the 80-150 scheme discussed above.

### **Global Accord**

This section will describe the results from a global agreement to reduce carbon emissions. The Annex 1 countries commit to reducing their emissions to 80 per cent of their 1990 levels by the year 2010, while the other countries commit themselves to limiting their carbon emissions to 150 per cent of their 1990 levels by the year 2010 and beyond. This scheme of constraints leads to stabilisation of global emissions at the 1990 level, i.e. around 5,900 Mmt. Table 13 presents the results in terms of the impacts on real income. The carbon tax in the OECD regions is very high due to the significant reductions to be attained; the tax ranges from \$160-280 in the four OECD regions between 2010 and 2050, with the highest tax level in Japan in 2030 and 2050. The tax rates in the non-OECD regions is relatively lower in 2010 since the constraint is not very binding, except in Brazil and the DAEs. However, by 2050, the imposed constraint becomes very stringent, and all regions have taxes of between \$150 and \$300, except the former Soviet Union which has a comparatively low tax of \$100.

The losses in real income, overall, reach a level of 3.2 per cent in 2050, with a significantly higher loss in the non-OECD regions, -4.0 per cent, than in the OECD, -2.4 per cent. In the earlier periods, many of the non-OECD countries benefit more from the reduction in world energy prices, than they suffer from the imposition of the tax. The region with the largest loss is the energy exporting region, EEX, which could see an annual reduction in its real income of close to 10 per cent, though this is reduced to 4 per cent by the year 2050 because of a significant recovery in the price of crude oil.

## **Tradable permits**

This simulation is similar to the previous with several differences. First, between 1995 and 2005 for the Annex 1 countries, we assume a single Annex 1-wide target and tax. In 2010 and beyond, we also assume a single world target, the same as that achieved in the previous simulation, and emission quotas are allocated to the regions of the model similar to the allocation of emission targets in the previous

simulation. Annex 1 countries are given quotas which represent 80 per cent of their 1990 level of emissions, and the other countries are allocated quotas of 150 per cent of their 1990 level of emissions. Countries trade emission rights so as to equalise the marginal cost of abatement across regions. Table 14 presents the quota allocation scheme and its implications, while Table 13 contains the aggregate real income results.

The scheme – because of the efficiency generated by a uniform carbon price – results in gains in global real income, compared to the previous simulation with region-specific taxes. Total losses in 2010 are only -0.7 per cent, as compared with -2.0 per cent in the previous simulation. Similar gains are made in 2030, and smaller gains in 2050. In 2050, both the OECD and non-OECD are relatively better off (in fact all regions are better off except Brazil and the DAEs). The largest gainer, compared to the previous simulation, is the EEX region, where losses are approximately cut in half.

Table 14 provides the level and values of trade in emissions. In general, the OECD regions are net buyers of emission rights, though in the later years Brazil, the DAEs, and the energy exporters buy significant emission rights. The value of trade (in 1985 dollars) starts at \$47 billion in 2010, and increases to \$96 billion in 2050. Despite a relatively low quota, both the former Soviet Union, and Eastern Europe are net sellers of emission rights. While it is obvious that a global agreement will lead to a more efficient outcome at the aggregate level, the initial allocation of permits clearly plays a role in determining the distribution of losses and gains across the various regions of the model.

## **Summary and Conclusions**

The main purpose of the paper is to provide an updated overview of the GREEN model. Both the model structure and several illustrative policy simulations are described in order to show some of the important mechanisms of GREEN, as well as to provide a synthesis of the results of the current version of the model.

Several important elements should be retained from this presentation.

- The GREEN model is evolving over time. The structure of the model, its
  underlying database, and the assumptions about future trends and policies are
  all being constantly updated as we achieve a better understanding of the
  limitations of the model and the necessity of integrating the changing trends of
  the global economy.
- The AEEI and the assumptions on future energy price distortions play a significant role in determining the level of future emissions. While not presented, the future path of emissions is also significantly influenced by the assumptions on population and GDP growth.
- Stabilisation in the OECD countries only has a small impact on the future level of emissions in terms of the proposed Toronto-type target. If the world community has a strong commitment to reducing emissions, it will require an agreement between both the OECD countries and the non-OECD countries.
- The structure of an agreement can have a serious impact on the overall efficiency (real income gains/losses) which will be generated by abatement policies. A multilateral agreement, with a common target, and a common tax leads to an improved outcome.
- The structure of an agreement will also determine the distribution of the costs across regions. A critical element is the design of a quota allocation mechanism. Other mechanisms exist which could have the same impact, such as financial transfers. These have been explored in other studies.<sup>21</sup>

There are many other elements of the GREEN model which have not been discussed in this paper, and readers are referred to the studies listed in the bibliography. There are also many elements which are not part of GREEN, but are important parts of the greenhouse warming issue. Some of the most important include other greenhouse gases, such as  $SO_x$ ,  $NO_x$ , and methane, the economic valuation of the benefits of abatement, and not simply the costs, and a better understanding of the backstop technologies, both from the demand and the supply side. Analysis of some of these issues is being undertaken in the OECD Secretariat as well in research institutions around the world. Given the current significant uncertainty on the physics of greenhouse warming, this issue is unlikely to disappear anytime in the near and medium term future.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> See, for example, Burniaux et. al. (1993).

## **GLOSSARY**

#### **AEEI**

Autonomous energy efficiency improvement. The AEEI measures the change in energy efficiency, independently of other factors such as changes in relative energy prices.

#### Annex 1

Group of countries which includes OECD Member countries, the countries of Eastern and Central Europe, and the countries of the former Soviet Union.

#### AGE/CGE

Applied (or Computable) general equilibrium model.

## **Armington Assumption**

The Armington assumption of international trade specifies that imports of similar goods coming from different countries are treated as imperfect substitutes. For example, consumers will demand energy from both domestic and imported sources which reflect differences in quality, transportation costs, and other elements which differentiate imported goods from domestic goods.

## **Backstop**

Alternative sources of energy which are assumed to become commercially available at some future date. Examples of potential backstops include solar, bio-mass, and fusion energy.

## **CES**

Constant elasticity of substitution function.

#### **Closure Rule**

By construction computable general equilibrium models account for all flows in an economy. The closure rules determine which macroeconomic variables are exogenous. For example, the GREEN *external* closure rule fixes the trade balance in real terms, and the *internal* closure rule fixes the government surplus/deficit in real terms.

#### **EEC**

European Economic Community.

#### **EFTA**

European Free Trade Association.

## **ELES**

Extended linear expenditure system.

## **EMF-12**

Stanford University-based Energy Modeling Forum, exercise No. 12.

## **Exajoule**

One exajoule is equivalent to 10<sup>18</sup> joules.

## **FCCC**

Framework Convention on Climate Change. Convention debated and signed at the Rio Earth Summit, June 1992. Ratified by Annex 1 countries in March, 1994.

#### **Gauss-Seidel**

Numerical technique for finding the solution of a system of equations.

#### **Joule**

Unit of energy. In the GREEN model, each unit of fuel has a specific energy content, but all are specified in terms of joules (or more precisely exajoules). For example, one barrel of oil contains 5.736 10° joules (i.e. approximately 5.7 billion joules.)

#### Leontief

A Leontief structure (or Leontief production function) specifies that all inputs are used in fixed proportions (to output for example).

#### Mill

The equivalent to one-thousandth (0.001) of a US dollar. It is often used in specifying energy prices in terms of kilo-watt hours (Kwh). Hence 75 mills per Kwh is the equivalent of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  cents per Kwh.

#### Mmt.

Abbreviation for millions of metric tons.

## Nesting

Functional specification that assumes separability between bundles of goods, making it possible to separate optimising decisions of agents into several stages.

## **OECD**

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development.

#### **Tâtonnement**

A procedure used for updating prices based on excess demand conditions. If demand exceeds supply in a given market, the price in that market is increased, and the price is lowered if demand is less than supply.

## **Terajoule**

One terajoule is equivalent to 10<sup>12</sup> joules.

## **Toronto-type Agreement**

Global agreement to achieve stabilisation of world carbon emissions in the future, which imposes a greater burden on the OECD countries than on the developing countries.

### **Tradable permits**

Rights to emit a certain quantity of carbon which are tradable across countries.

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## **Tables**

#### Table 1: Regions in GREEN

(including their acronyms)

United States USA

Japan JPN

European Economic Community EEC

Belgium, Denmark, France, Federal Republic of Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain,

United Kingdom

Other OECD<sup>a</sup> OOE

Austria, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, Turkey

Central and Eastern Europe EE

Bulgaria, The Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, former Yugoslavia

**EEX** 

Former Soviet Union FSU

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Estonia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kirgizstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldava, Russia, Tajikistan,

Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan

China CHN

India IND

Dynamic Asian Economies<sup>b</sup> DAE

Hong Kong, South Korea, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand

Energy Exporting Economies

OPEC — Algeria, Ecuador, Gabon, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela. Non-OPEC — Angola, Benin, Brunei, Cameroon, Columbia, Congo, Malaysia, Mexico, Oman, Peru, Trinidad and

Tobago, Tunisia, Egypt. Coal — South Africa. Gas — Bolivia.

Rest of the World ROW

All other countries.

#### Notes:

- a. For lack of available data, Iceland and Switzerland were not included in the OOE region.
- b. Malaysia, which is normally part of the standard definition of the DAEs, has been included in the energy exporting region.

## Table 2: Sectors in GREEN

(including their acronyms)

Agriculture Agric

ISIC — 11-13. SITC — 00, 034, 036, 041-045, 054, 057, 07, 2, 25, 266, 27-28.

Coal Mining Coal

ISIC — 210. SITC — 322, 323.

Crude Oil Oil

ISIC - 220. SITC - 333.

Natural Gas Gas

ISIC — 220. SITC — 341.

Refined Petroleum Products RefOil

ISIC — 353, 354. SITC — 334, 335.

Electricity, Gas, and Water<sup>a</sup>

ISIC — 4. SITC — 35.

Energy Intensive Industries **EnerInt** *ISIC* — *341*, *351*, *352*, *371*, *372*. *SITC* — *25*, *64*, *5*, *67*, *68*..

Other Industries and Services OtherInd

ISIC — 230, 290, rest of 3,5-9. SITC —1, 2, 4, 6-9, 64, 67, 68.

Carbon-based Backstops CoalCBS, OilCBS, GasCBS

Carbon-free Backstops CoalCFBS, OilCFBS, GasCFBS

Electric Backstops ElecBS

#### Notes:

- a. Includes hydro-electricity, electricity produced by nuclear power and by the other carbon-free energy sources.
- b. Includes paper and pulp products (ISIC 341), chemicals (ISIC 351 and 352), iron and steel (ISIC 371), and non-ferrous metals (ISIC 372).

Table 3: Population Trends

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			Populatio	on (in mili	iions)			Average	Growth	Rates (7	% p.a.)	
	1985	1990	2000	2010	2030	2050	1985- 1990	1990- 2000	2000- 2010	2010- 2030	2030- 2050	1985-
OECD	1965	1990	2000	2010	2030	2050	1990	2000	2010	2030	2050	2050
USA	220	250	269	205	302	297	0.0	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3
	239	250		285		-	0.9	0.7	0.6		-0.1	
JPN EEC	121 322	123 324	128 328	129 327	124 316	117 296	0.4 0.1	0.3	0.1	-0.2 -0.2	-0.3	0.0 -0.1
OOE			3∠6 143		175		_	0.1	0.0		-0.3 0.2	-
	118	127		156		182	1.4	1.2	0.9	0.6		0.7
Sub-Total	800	824	868	896	916	892	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.1	-0.1	0.2
Non-OECD												
FSU	278	289	305	320	343	357	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4
EET	118	121	126	130	135	138	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2
CHN	1040	1117	1270	1386	1565	1626	1.4	1.3	0.9	0.6	0.2	0.7
IND	751	832	992	1145	1394	1571	2.1	1.8	1.4	1.0	0.6	1.1
BRA	136	150	178	201	242	265	2.1	1.7	1.2	0.9	0.5	1.0
DAE	174	190	217	242	280	300	1.7	1.4	1.1	0.7	0.3	0.8
EEX	655	744	937	1141	1543	1853	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.5	0.9	1.6
ROW	869	994	1283	1617	2343	2980	2.7	2.6	2.3	1.9	1.2	1.9
Sub-Total	4021	4436	5307	6181	7846	9089	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.2	0.7	1.3
Cub-i Otal	7021	<del>-1-700</del>	5507	0.101	, 040	5555	2.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.7	1.5
Total	4821	5260	6175	7078	8762	9982	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.1	0.7	1.1

Table 4: GDP Trends in the Baseline Scenario

	GDP (in billions of 1985 US dollars)							Average Growth Rates (% p.a.)					
	1985	1990	2000	2010	2030	2050		1985- 1990	1990- 2000	2000- 2010	2010- 2030	2030- 2050	1985 2050
OECD	2000	4500	5070	7000	40005	4.4700	1	0.0	0.0	0.4	4.0	47	0.0
USA	3998	4536	5873	7260	10635	14793		2.6	2.6	2.1 2.7	1.9	1.7	2.0
JPN EEC	1351 2455	1625 2745	2355 3434	3067 4047	5039 5470	7866 7001		3.8	3.8	2.7 1.7	2.5	2.3 1.3	2.7
EEC OOE	2455 874	2745 976	1222	1442	1953	7091 2545		2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	1.7	1.5 1.5	1.3	1.6 1.7
Sub-Total		9883	12885	15817		32294		2.5 2.6	2.3 2.7	2.1		1.7	
Sub-Total	8678	9003	12000	13617	23097	32294		2.0	2.7	2.1	1.9	1.7	2.0
Non-OECD													
FSU	468	529	615	795	1473	2321		2.5	1.5	2.6	3.1	2.3	2.5
EET	209	241	250	318	596	951		2.8	0.4	2.4	3.2	2.4	2.4
CHN	427	533	962	1553	3546	7033		4.6	6.1	4.9	4.2	3.5	4.4
IND	188	236	376	579	1249	2436		4.6	4.8	4.4	3.9	3.4	4.0
BRA	182	222	345	521	1100	2111		4.0	4.5	4.2	3.8	3.3	3.8
DAE	282	350	543	816	1700	3228		4.5	4.5	4.2	3.7	3.3	3.8
EEX	1076	1288	1858	2600	4794	8102		3.7	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.7	3.2
ROW	678	809	1149	1557	2686	4312		3.6	3.6	3.1	2.8	2.4	2.9
Sub-Total	3510	4208	6098	8741	17143	30493		3.7	3.8	3.7	3.4	2.9	3.4
Total	12189	14090	18983	24557	40240	62787		2.9	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.6

Table 5: Energy Price Distortions in the Baseline Scenario (Percentage)

Non-OECL  OECD  Non-OECL  Non-OECL  F	FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	1985 0.0 42.0 41.0 3.0 -55.9 -51.9 -55.0	0.0 42.0 41.0 3.0	0.0 42.0 41.0 3.0	2000 0.0 42.0 41.0 3.0	0.0 42.0 41.0 3.0	2010-2050 0.0 42.0 41.0
Non-OECL  OECD  Non-OECL  Non-OECL  F	JPN EEC OOE  FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	42.0 41.0 3.0 -55.9 -51.9	42.0 41.0 3.0	42.0 41.0	42.0 41.0	42.0 41.0	42.0
Non-OECL  OECD  Non-OECL  Non-OECL  F	JPN EEC OOE  FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	42.0 41.0 3.0 -55.9 -51.9	42.0 41.0 3.0	42.0 41.0	42.0 41.0	42.0 41.0	42.0
Non-OECL  OECD  Non-OECL  Non-OECL  F	EEC OOE FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	41.0 3.0 -55.9 -51.9	41.0 3.0	41.0	41.0	41.0	
OECD  Non-OECL  Non-OECL  Non-OECL  E	OOE  FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	3.0 -55.9 -51.9	3.0				/1 O
Non-OECD  OECD  Non-OECL  F	FSU FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	-55.9 -51.9		3.0	3.0	2.0	41.0
OECD  Non-OECL  F	FSU EET CHN IND BRA DAE	-51.9	-55.9			3.0	3.0
OECD  Non-OECL  F	EET CHN IND BRA DAE	-51.9	-55.9				
OECD  Non-OECL  F	CHN IND BRA DAE			-41.9	-27.9	-14.0	0.0
OECD  Non-OECL  F	IND BRA DAE	-55.0	-51.9	-38.9	-25.9	-13.0	0.0
OECD US SECOND S	BRA DAE		-55.0	-41.2	-27.5	-13.7	0.0
OECD  Non-OECL  F	DAE	-41.5	-41.5	-31.1	-20.8	-10.4	0.0
OECD  U OECD  Non-OECD  F E		84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2	84.2
OECD  U OECD  Non-OECD  F E		20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1
OECD  U E C Non-OECL F E	EEX	-42.6	-42.6	-31.9	-21.3	-10.6	0.0
Non-OECL F E	ROW	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7
Non-OECL F E			C	de Oil			
Non-OECL F E		1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010-2050
Non-OECL F E		1900	1990	1990	2000	2005	2010-2050
J C Non-OECL F E	USA	-3.6	-3.6	-1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-OECL F							
Non-OECL F	JPN	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9
Non-OECL F	EEC	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
F E	OOE	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
E							
	FSU	-87.6	-87.6	-43.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
	EET	-38.8	-38.8	-19.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
	CHN	-1.7	-1.7	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
	IND	-41.7	-41.7	-20.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
	BRA	-24.4	-24.4	-12.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
	DAE	-17.3	-17.3	-8.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
E	EEX	-36.4	-36.4	-18.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
F	ROW	-18.3	-18.3	-9.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
			A1-1	wal Oc-			
		4005		ral Gas	0000	0005	2040 225
0505		1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010-2050
OECD	LICA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	USA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	JPN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	EEC	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
C	OOE	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-OECL							
	FSU	-88.3	-88.3	-66.3	-44.2	-22.1	0.0
		-56.9	-56.9	-42.7	-28.5	-14.2	0.0
(	EET	-11.2	-11.2	-8.4	-5.6	-2.8	0.0
	EET CHN						0.0
		-50.1	-50.1	-37.6	-25.1	-12.5	0.0
	CHN	-50.1 -41.5	-50.1 -41.5	-37.6 -31.1	-25.1 -20.8	-12.5 -10.4	0.0
	CHN IND						
F	CHN IND BRA	-41.5	-41.5	-31.1	-20.8	-10.4	0.0

Table 6: Baseline Assumptions for the Backstop Energies

	Unit Costs <sup>a</sup>	Unit Costs per Terajoule	Carbon Emission Coefficient <sup>b</sup>	Substitution Elasticity <sup>C</sup>	Penetration Share <sup>d</sup>
Coal, Crude Oil, Natural Gas Carbon-based Backstop	\$50 per barrel	\$8,473	39	10	0.3
Coal, Crude Oil, Natural Gas Carbon-free Backstop	\$100 per barrel	\$17,487	0	10	0.3
Electric Backstop	75 mills per Kwh <sup>e</sup>	\$28,126 <sup>f</sup>	0	5	0.1

- a) All dollar amounts are specified in 1985 US dollars.
- b) Tons of carbon per terajoule. For comparison, the emissions per terajoule of coal, crude oil, and natural gas are respectively 24.7, 20.7, and 13.5. (Terajoules are trillions, 10<sup>12</sup>, of joules.)
- c) Substitution elasticity between backstop and conventional fuels.
- d) The penetration shares are specified exogenously. In the case of the three fossil fuels, with a three product CES (conventional, carbon-based and carbon-free backstops), penetration shares of 0.4, 0.3, and 0.3, signify, that at equal prices, the conventional fuel has a 40 per cent market share, and each backstop has a 30 per cent market share. For the electric backstop, a penetration share of 0.1 means that at equal prices, the electric backstop has a 10 per cent market share.
- e) Mills are one-thousandth (0.001) of a US dollar. Therefore, 75 mills is the equivalent of 7½ cents.
- f) The electric backstop price is augmented by a region-specific transportation margin which has been estimated from national input/output tables and electric price data from the International Energy Agency.

Table 7: Baseline Energy Consumption Patterns (in per cent of World Consumption)

				1985		
		Crude	Natural	Backstop Carbon-based	Carbon- Free	
	Coal	Oil	Gas	Fuels	Energies <sup>a</sup>	Total
OECD						
USA	6.6	10.6	6.5	0.0	0.9	24.7
JPN	1.2	2.8	0.6	0.0	0.3	4.9
EEC	3.7	7.0	3.2	0.0	0.9	14.8
OOE	1.3	2.4	1.2	0.0	0.9	5.9
Sub-Total	12.9	22.9	11.5	0.0	3.0	50.3
Non-OECD						
FSU	5.3	5.5	7.3	0.0	0.5	18.7
EET	3.2	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.1	5.6
CHN	6.5	1.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	7.9
IND	1.4	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.1	2.1
BRA	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.0

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		Crude	Natural	Backstop Carbon-based	Carbon- Free	
	Coal	Oil	Gas	Fuels	Energies <sup>a</sup>	Total
OECD						
USA	5.8	5.9	2.5	1.7	1.2	17.1
JPN	1.7	2.5	0.5	1.1	1.6	7.4
EEC	2.4	3.4	2.6	1.2	0.7	10.2
OOE	1.3	1.3	0.9	0.1	0.5	4.1
Sub-Total	11.1	13.1	6.5	4.1	4.0	38.7
Non-OECD						
FSU	7.8	0.9	1.8	0.1	0.4	11.1
EET	2.2	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.1	3.7
CHN	11.1	2.6	0.5	1.1	0.2	15.5
IND	3.7	0.7	0.1	0.2	0.0	4.7
BRA	0.3	1.8	0.2	0.7	0.2	3.2
DAE	1.2	1.5	0.2	0.6	0.2	3.6
EEX	1.1	4.0	4.4	1.6	0.2	11.3
ROW	3.1	2.2	1.0	1.4	0.4	8.1
Sub-Total	30.4	14.5	8.8	5.9	1.7	61.3
Total <sup>b</sup>	41.5	27.5	15.2	10.0	5.7	100.0

### Notes:

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This is the sum of energy consumption from the carbon-free component of conventional electricity (nuclear, hydro, and geothermal), the electric backstop option, and the carbon-free backstop fuels. a)

Total primary energy consumption in the base year is 271 exajoules (10<sup>18</sup> joules). Total primary energy consumption in 2050 is 878 exajoules.

Table 8: Baseline Carbon Emission Patterns

(in per cent of World Consumption)

	Coal	Crude Oil	Natural Gas	Backstop Carbon-based Fuels	Carbon- Free Energies <sup>a</sup>	Total
OECD						
USA	8.4	11.4	4.5	0.0	0.0	24.3
JPN	1.5	3.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	5.0
EEC	4.7	7.5	2.2	0.0	0.0	14.4
OOE	1.7	2.6	0.8	0.0	0.0	5.1
Sub-Total	16.4	24.5	8.0	0.0	0.0	48.8
Non-OECD						
FSU	6.8	5.9	5.1	0.0	0.0	17.7
EET	4.1	1.2	0.8	0.0	0.0	6.1
CHN	8.2	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	9.5
IND	1.8	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4
BRA	0.2	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9
DAE	0.7	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9
EEX	1.5	4.5	1.3	0.0	0.0	7.3
ROW	2.5	2.5	0.4	0.0	0.0	5.4
Sub-Total	25.6	17.7	7.9	0.0	0.0	51.2
Total <sup>b</sup>	42.0	42.2	15.8	0.0	0.0	100.0

		Crude	Natural	Backstop Carbon-based	Carbon- Free	
	Coal	Oil	Gas	Fuels	Energies <sup>a</sup>	Total
OECD						
USA	7.3	3.5	1.7	3.5	0.0	16.0
JPN	2.2	1.1	0.4	2.2	0.0	5.8
EEC	3.0	1.8	1.8	2.3	0.0	9.0
OOE	1.6	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.0	3.7
Sub-Total	14.1	7.6	4.5	8.3	0.0	34.5
Non-OECD						
FSU	9.9	1.5	1.3	0.2	0.0	12.9
EET	2.8	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.0	4.0
CHN	14.1	1.3	0.4	2.2	0.0	18.0
IND	4.7	0.7	0.0	0.4	0.0	5.8
BRA	0.3	0.9	0.2	1.5	0.0	2.9
DAE	1.5	1.1	0.1	1.1	0.0	3.8
EEX	1.4	2.3	3.0	3.2	0.0	10.0
ROW	3.9	0.6	0.7	2.8	0.0	8.0
Sub-Total	38.7	8.8	6.1	11.8	0.0	65.5
Total <sup>b</sup>	52.8	16.5	10.6	20.1	0.0	100.0

a) This is the sum of carbon emissions from the carbon-free component of conventional electricity (nuclear, hydro, and geothermal), the electric backstop option, and the carbon-free backstop fuels.

b) Total carbon emissions from primary energy consumption in the base year is 5,254 millions of metric tons (Mmt). Total carbon emissions from primary energy consumption in the 2050 is 17,039 Mmt.

Table 9: Energy and Carbon Emission Patterns in 2050 with No Removal of Energy Subsidies (in per cent of World Total)

	Energy Consumption						
		Crude	Natural	Backstop Carbon-based	Carbon- Free		
	Coal	Oil	Gas	Fuels	Energies <sup>a</sup>	Total	
DECD							
USA	4.3	4.2	1.9	2.1	0.9	13.3	
JPN	1.3	1.8	0.4	1.0	1.2	5.6	
EEC	1.8	2.4	1.8	1.3	0.5	7.8	
OOE	1.0	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.4	3.1	
Sub-Total	8.4	9.2	4.6	4.6	3.0	29.8	
Non-OECD							
FSU	9.2	1.1	2.3	0.0	0.3	12.9	
EET	3.6	0.4	0.6	0.0	0.1	4.7	
CHN	22.8	1.5	0.4	1.1	0.1	25.9	
IND	5.5	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	6.2	
BRA	0.2	1.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	2.3	
DAE	0.9	1.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	2.7	
EEX	1.9	3.1	3.9	0.3	0.2	9.4	
ROW	2.3	1.6	0.7	1.1	0.3	6.1	
Sub-Total	46.4	10.7	8.3	3.5	1.3	70.2	
rotal <sup>b</sup>	54.8	19.9	12.8	8.2	4.3	100.0	

### Carbon Emissions Backstop Carbon-Crude Natural Carbon-based Free Coal Oil Fuels Energies<sup>a</sup> Total Gas OECD USA 5.2 1.1 1.2 3.9 0.0 11.5 JPN 0.4 0.3 0.0 1.5 2.0 4.2 EEC 2.2 0.6 1.2 2.4 0.0 6.5 OOE 1.2 0.5 0.3 0.6 0.0 2.6 Sub-Total 10.2 2.6 3.0 8.9 0.0 24.7 Non-OECD 11.1 0.0 0.0 13.8 FSU 1.2 1.5 EET 4.3 0.4 0.4 0.1 0.0 5.2 CHN 27.6 0.1 0.2 30.1 2.2 0.0 IND 0.6 0.0 0.0 7.4 6.7 0.0 BRA 0.2 8.0 0.1 0.9 0.0 2.0 DAE 0.7 1.1 0.1 0.9 0.0 2.8 EEX 2.3 2.9 2.6 0.6 0.0 8.4 Sub-Total 56.1 75.3 6.9 5.5 6.8 0.0 Total<sup>b</sup> 66.3 9.6 8.5 15.6 0.0 100.0

a) This is the sum of carbon emissions from the carbon-free component of conventional electricity (nuclear, hydro, and geothermal), the electric backstop option, and the carbon-free backstop fuels.

b) Total energy consumption in 2050 is 1,179 exajoules. Total carbon emissions from primary energy consumption in 2050 is 24,033 Mmt.

Table 10: Carbon Emissions under the OECD Stabilisation Scenarios (in millions of metric tons of carbon)

ion-specific Co	nstraints						
	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
USA	1,350	1,344	1,350	1,351	1,351	1,350	1,350
JPN	333	333	333	333	333	333	333
EEC	823	822	824	824	824	823	823
OOE	295	294	296	296	296	295	295
OECD	2,802	2,794	2,803	2,804	2,804	2,802	2,802
Other	3,105	3,210	3,368	3,640	4,075	6,633	11,101
Total	5,907	6,004	6,172	6,444	6,879	9,436	13,903
CD-wide Constra	aint						
	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
USA	1,350	1,314	1,285	1,268	1,291	1,256	1,205
JPN	333	380	418	447	407	450	497
EEC	823	826	822	814	821	812	816
OOE	295	286	280	275	286	285	284
OECD	2,802	2,805	2,805	2,805	2,804	2,802	2,802
Other	3,105	3,212	3,370	3,642	4,079	6,638	11,124
Total	5,907	6,017	6,175	6,447	6,883	9,440	13,926

Table 11: Carbon Taxes in the OECD under the OECD Stabilisation Scenarios (in 1985 dollars, deflated by regional GDP deflator)

Region-specific Co.	nstraints					
	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
USA	30	51	60	58	84	118
JPN	145	272	339	86	252	305
EEC	45	77	83	66	106	158
OOE	32	56	65	70	110	164
OECD-wide Constra	aint					
	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
USA	42	80	93	64	111	158
JPN	45	89	106	75	135	196
EEC	42	79	92	64	112	160
OOE	44	85	100	70	124	180

Table 12: Changes in Real Income under the OECD Stabilisation Scenarios (in per cent changes from baseline scenario)

ion-specific Const	raints					
ion-specific const						
	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
OECD						
USA	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-0.5	-1.4
JPN	-0.1	-0.8	-1.3	-1.9	-2.1	-3.1
EEC	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.9	-2.2
OOE	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4	-1.1
Non-OECD						
FSU	-0.5	-1.0	-1.2	-1.0	-1.0	-0.7
EET	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.5
CHN	-0.3	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.2
IND	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0
BRA	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.3	0.7
DAE	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.3	-0.1
EEX	-1.6	-3.1	-4.1	-4.1	-2.4	-0.1
ROW	-0.5	-0.7	-0.7	-0.5	-0.4	0.1
KOW	-0.5	-0.7	-0.7	-0.5	-0.4	0.1
Totals						
OECD	0.0	-0.2	-0.3	-0.5	-0.9	-1.9
Non-OECD	-0.6	-1.1	-1.4	-1.3	-0.9	-0.1
Total	-0.2	-0.5	-0.7	-0.8	-0.9	-1.0
D-wide Constrain	t					
	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
OECD		2000	2000	20.0	2000	2500
USA	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.6	-1.5
JPN	0.1	0.1	0.0	-0.4	-1.1	-2.4
EEC	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.3	-1.0	-2.2
OOE	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.5	-1.1
Non-OECD						
FSU	-0.4	-0.9	-1.1	-0.9	-1.0	-0.7
EET	-0. <del>4</del> 0.1	-0.9 0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	-0.7 0.5
CHN	-0.2	-0.2	-0.1	0.3 -0.1	-0.2	0.5
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IND	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
BRA	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.7
DAE	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	-0.2	0.1
EEX	-1.2	-2.7	-3.6	-3.6	-2.0	-0.3
ROW	-0.4	-0.6	-0.6	-0.4	-0.4	0.1
Totals						
OECD	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.8	-1.9
Non OFCD	-0.5	-1.0	-1.2	-1.2	-0.8	0.0
Non-OECD	-0.5	-1.0	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0

Table 13: Changes in Real Income under the Toronto-type Stabilisation Scenarios (in per cent changes from baseline scenario)

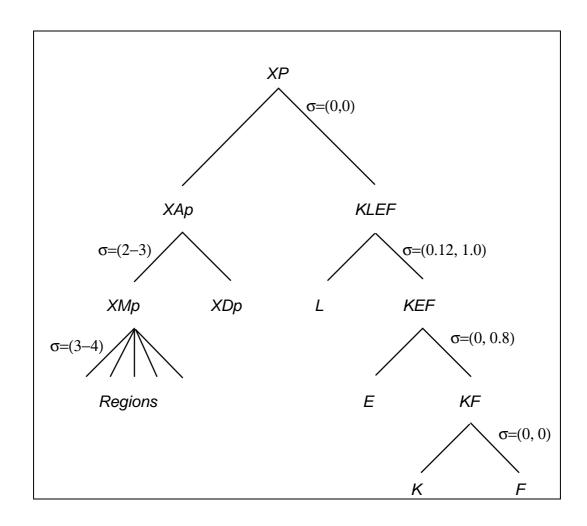
n-specific const						
	1995	2000	2005	2010	2030	2050
Innex 1						
USA	0.1	-0.1	-0.4	-1.0	-1.0	-1.9
JPN	-0.3	-1.4	-2.5	-3.2	-2.7	-3.4
EEC	-0.2	-0.7	-1.1	-1.4	-1.7	-2.7
OOE	0.0	-0.3	-0.6	-1.0	-1.3	-1.6
FSU	-0.8	-1.6	-2.1	-2.3	-2.3	-2.3
EET	0.3	0.5	0.9	1.4	0.5	-3.1
Other						
CHN	-0.4	-0.5	-0.3	-0.1	-1.9	-5.5
IND	-0.2	0.0	0.2	0.8	-1.2	-3.4
BRA	0.5	1.1	1.6	2.5	0.0	-3.7
DAE	-0.1	0.1	0.3	-0.1	-1.9	-3.8
EEX	-2.3	-4.7	-6.7	-8.7	-9.8	-4.0
ROW	-0.7	-0.9	-0.9	-1.0	-2.0	-3.7
Totals						
OECD	-0.1	-0.5	-1.0	-1.5	-1.5	-2.4
Non-OECD	-0.9	-1.7	-2.3	-2.8	-4.0	-4.0
				-2.0		
Total	-0.3	-0.9	-1.4	-2.0	-2.6	-3.2
	-0.3 Tradable P	-0.9 <b>Permits</b>	-1.4	-2.0	-2.6	-3.2
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Total  al Constraint with  USA JPN EEC OOE FSU EET  Other CHN	-0.3  Tradable P  1995  0.0  0.1  0.0  0.0  0.2  0.7	-0.9  Permits  2000  0.0  0.1  -0.1  -0.1  0.0  0.8	-1.4 2005 -0.1 0.1 -0.3 -0.2 -0.7 0.6	-2.0 2010 -0.6 -0.9 -0.6 -0.6 1.3 3.0	-2.6 2030 -0.9 -1.9 -1.4 -1.0 1.9 1.5	-3.2 2050 -1.5 -3.1 -2.4 -1.6 1.0 -2.1
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Total  Annex 1 USA JPN EEC OOE FSU EET  Other CHN IND BRA DAE EEX ROW	-0.3  Tradable P  1995  0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0 0.2 0.7  -0.1 -0.1 0.0 0.0 -0.8	-0.9  Permits  2000  0.0  0.1  -0.1  -0.1  -0.1  0.0  0.8  -0.2  0.0  0.4  0.0  -1.8	-1.4  2005  -0.1 0.1 -0.3 -0.2 -0.7 0.6  -0.2 0.0 0.8 0.1 -3.3	-2.0  2010  -0.6 -0.9 -0.6 -0.6 1.3 3.0  1.3 1.0 1.5 -0.1 -4.6	-2.6  2030  -0.9 -1.9 -1.4 -1.0 1.9 1.5  -1.3 -1.0 -1.1 -1.9 -4.9	-3.2  2050  -1.5 -3.1 -2.4 -1.6 1.0 -2.1  -4.7 -3.1 -5.8 -4.6 -3.2
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Table 14: Trade in Permits

2010						
	Quota	Emissions	Quota	Emissions	Trade	Value
	Rate	Level 1990	Allocation	Level 2010	in Rights	of Trade
	(%)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Bn\$ 1985)
Annex 1						
USA	80	1,350	1,080	1,289	-209	-16.7
JPN	80	333	266	405	-139	-11.2
EEC	80	823	659	824	-165	-13.3
OOE	80	295	236	286	-50	-4.0
FSU	80	1,055	844	565	279	22.4
EET	80	359	288	229	58	4.7
Other				-		
CHN	150	601	901	785	116	9.3
IND	150	151	227	212	15	1.2
BRA	150	96	145	150	-6	-0.5
DAE	150	108	162	185	-0 -22	-0.5 -1.8
EEX	150	424	635	557	-22 78	6.3
ROW	150	310	465	422	43	3.5
2030						
	Quota	Emissions	Quota	Emissions	Trade	Value
	Rate	Level 1990	Allocation	Level 2010	in Rights	of Trade
	(%)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Bn\$ 1985)
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USA	80	1,350	1,080	1,199	-119	-17.2
JPN	80	333	266	416	-150	-21.7
EEC	80	823	659	772	-130	-21.7 -16.4
OOE	80	295	236	271	-113	-10.4 -5.0
FSU						
	80	1,055	844	563	281	40.7
EET <b>Other</b>	80	359	288	247	40	5.9
	450	004	004	700	475	05.4
CHN	150	601	901	726	175	25.4
IND	150	151	227	183	43	6.3
BRA	150	96	145	192	-48	-6.9
DAE	150	108	162	216	-54	-7.8
EEX	150	424	635	706	-70	-10.2
ROW	150	310	465	417	48	7.0
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	Quota	Emissions	Quota	Emissions	Trade	Value of Trade
	Rate	Level 1990	Allocation	Level 2010	in Rights	of Trade
Annex 1	(%)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Mmt)	(Bn\$ 1985)
USA	90	1 250	1 000	1.016	64	11 E
	80	1,350	1,080	1,016	64	11.5
JPN	80	333	266	397	-130	-23.6
EEC	80	823	659	689	-30	-5.5
OOE	80	295	236	247	-10	-1.9
FSU	80	1,055	844	619	225	40.9
EET	80	359	288	262	26	4.7
Other						
CHN	150	601	901	783	117	21.3
IND	150	151	227	190	37	6.7
BRA	150	96	145	232	-87	-15.8
DAE	150	108	162	249	-87	-15.8
EEX	150	424	635	817	-182	-33.1
ROW	150	310	465	407	59	10.6

# **Figures**

Figure 1a: Nested CES Structure of Production in GREEN



XP: Output (by vintage)

XAp: Intermediate (Armington) demand for non-energy goods

XMp: Intermediate demand for (aggregate) import of non-energy goods

*XDp*: Intermediate demand for domestic non-energy goods

K: Capital input demand
L: Labour input demand
E: Energy (bundle) demand
F: Fixed factor input demand

KLEF: Composite input – Capital+Labour+Energy+Fixed Factor

KEF: Composite input – Capital+Energy+Fixed Factor

KF: Composite input – Capital+Fixed Factor

The elasticities on the right side of the figure indicate the vintage-specific substitution elasticities, respectively for old and new capital. On the left side, they indicate the range of the Armington elasticities.

Energy Bundle  $\sigma = (0.25, 2)$ Non-Electric Bundle  $\sigma = (0.25, 2)$ Oil+Gas Fuel Bundle  $\sigma = (0.25, 2)$ Crude Oil Refined Natural Gas Electric Coal Composite Fuel Composite Fuel Oil Composite Fuel Composite Fuel  $\sigma=10$  $\sigma=10$  $\sigma=10$  $\sigma=10$ CBS Conv CFBS CBS Conv CFBS CBS Conv CFBS Conv CFBS  $\sigma = 0.3$  $\sigma=4$  $\sigma=4$ D D Μ D M D M

Figure 1b: Energy Nesting in GREEN

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1) When two elasticities are given, the first is the elasticity for old capital, the second for new capital.

Net Exports

- 2) Demand for electricity is composed of demand for conventional electricity, and demand for an electric back-stop.
- 3) Demand for coal, crude oil, and natural gas is decomposed into three components: the conventional fuel component (Conv), a carbon-based back-stop (CBS), and a carbon-free back-stop (CFBS). Refined oil has no back-stop substitutes.

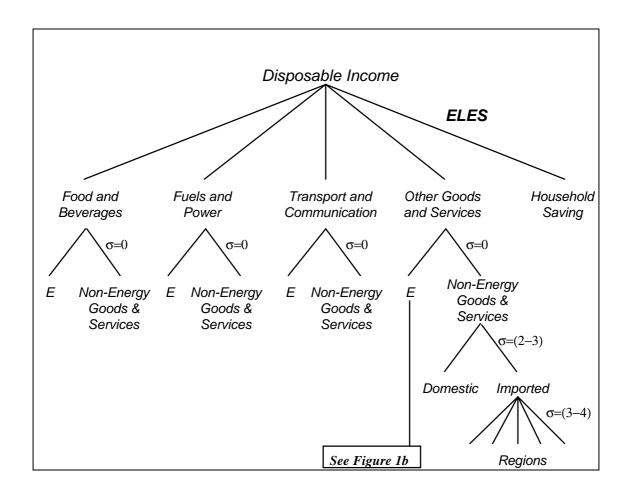
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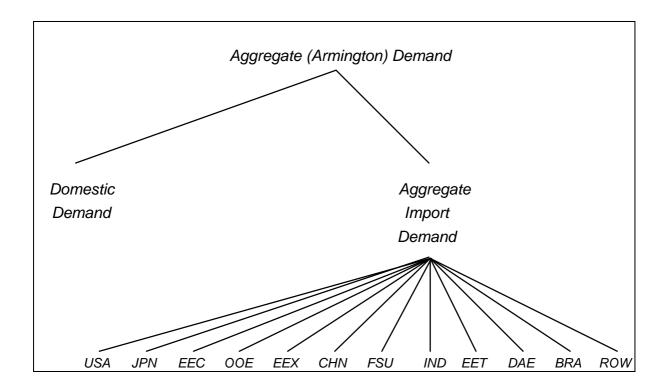
- 4) Demand for conventional electricity, coal, natural gas, and refined oil is further decomposed using a two-tiered Armington approach. D and M represent respectively the domestic component and the aggregate import component.
- 5) Crude oil is assumed to be homogenous throughout the world. Hence, only net exports are calculated at the trade level.
- 6) The energy nesting has been modified recently, but the substitution elasticities between the five fuel composites have not yet been modified to reflect the new substitution possibilities.

Figure 2: Structure of Consumer Demand in GREEN



- 1) While the full diagram is only drawn for the fourth consumer commodity, the structure of the nest is identical for the first three commodities as well.
- 2) The letter E indicates consumer demand for the aggregate energy bundle. The nested structure of the energy bundle is the same as the structure of the energy bundle in production depicted in Figure 1b. Given the absence of vintage capital in consumption, a single inter-fuel elasticity is specified. The default value is 1.2. However, the back-stop elasticities are identical to those in production.
- 3) The top tier ELES structure has base year income elasticities which range from 0.5 to 1.5. The income elasticities are region and commodity specific.
- 4) The energy efficiency parameter (AEEI) is applied in consumption at the level of the split between energy and non-energy demand. It has the same value as in production.

Figure 3: Trade (Armington) Structure in GREEN



- 1) GREEN uses a two-tier Armington trade structure. Each agent in the economy determines a demand for an aggregate composite commodity, often referred to as the Armington commodity. The first stage of the Armington structure disaggregates the Armington demand into a domestic component (i.e. demand for domestic production), and an aggregate import component. The second stage further disaggregates the aggregate import demand into demand for imports from each individual region. This latter second stage determines the world trade flow matrices. The first level of the Armington structure is agent specific, i.e. both the share parameters and the substitution elasticities are specific to each agent of the economy production, consumption, government expenditure, investment expenditure, and stock building. The second level of the Armington structure uses an economy-vide demand function.
- 2) The Armington structure does not apply to the crude oil market since crude oil is assumed to be an homogenous good, i.e. the implicit assumption is that the Armington elasticity is infinite (at both levels). There is no trade in the back-stop commodities. These are assumed to be available in infinite supply in each region.

Figure 4a: Resource Production Profile

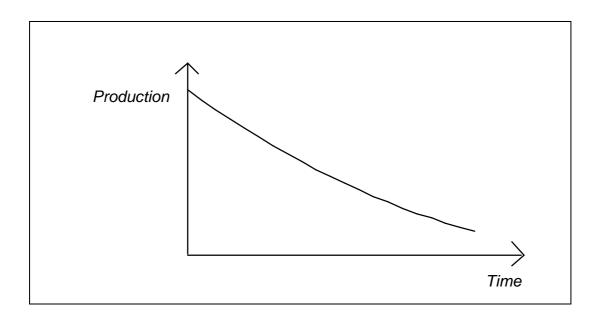
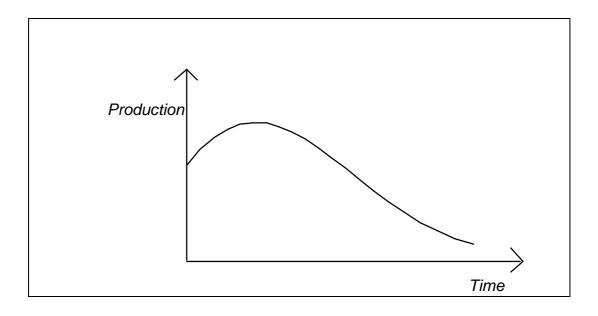


Figure 4b: Resource Production Profile



1) The shape of the production curves will depend on the extraction rate (r) from proven reserves (Res), the rate of conversion (d) of yet-to-find reserves (YTF) into proven reserves, and the initial level of the yet-to-find reserves. Figure 4a represents the situation of the USA. The rate of extraction exceeds new reserves starting in the base year (the curve is based on the following data: r=0.0625, d=0.06, Res=1446, YTF=2087). Figure 4b represents the situation of the Rest of the World region. The initial value of the yet-to-find reserves, along with the given extraction and conversion rates, leads proven reserves (and hence production) to increase in the initial years, followed by a decline in production in later years (the curve is based on the following data: r=0.06, d=0.0861, Res=1172, YTF=4184).

Figure 5: **Trend in Carbon Emissions Under Alternative AEEI Assumptions** (in millions of tons of carbon)

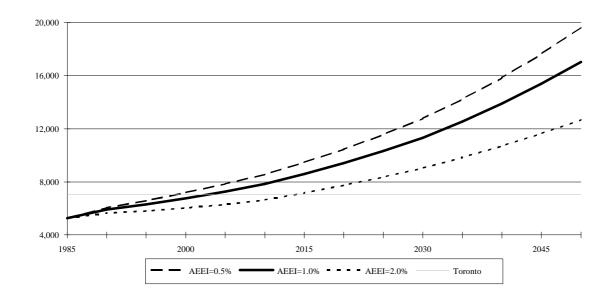


Figure 6: Carbon Taxes Under OECD, Region-Specific, Stabilisation (in 1985 US dollars, per ton of carbon)

