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**Economic and Environmental impacts of
carbon taxes and policy mixes of other
instruments in East Asia to meet the 2050
2°C targets : An analysis using E3ME-FTT
model**

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1. Research and Scenarios Overview



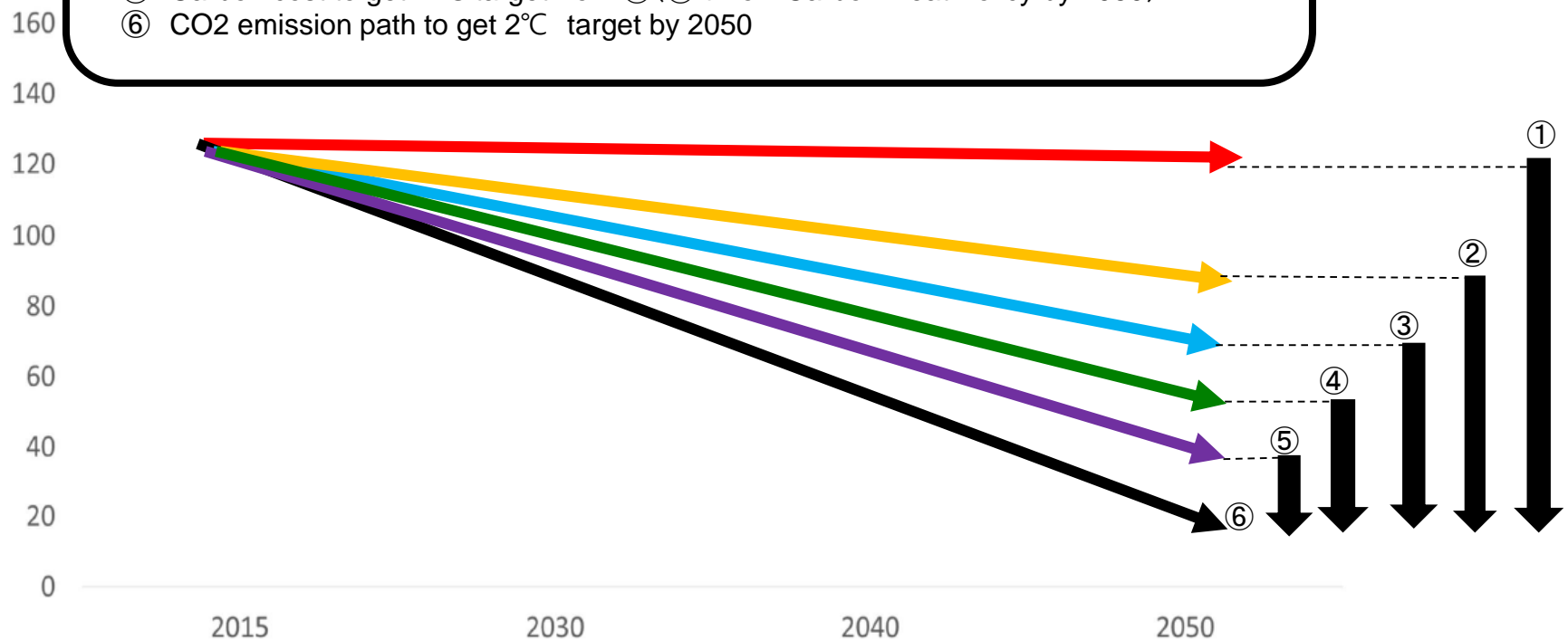
Research objective

Assess a range of climate policy options to achieve **long-term decarbonisation targets** and to show that **a combination of instruments(not just carbon pricing only)** is likely to produce the best results for national economies in East Asia.



Estimation of carbon cost to get 2°C by the policy mixes target in 2050

- ① Carbon cost to get 2°C target from the reference scenario by 2050
- ② Carbon cost to get 2 °C target from ② (the coal power regulation by 2050)
- ③ Carbon cost to get 2 °C target from ③ (②+Energy Efficiency Policy by 2050)
- ④ Carbon cost to get 2 °C target from ④ (③+Low Carbon Transport Policy by 2050)
- ⑤ Carbon cost to get 2 °C target from ⑤ (④+Low Carbon Heat Policy by 2050)
- ⑥ CO2 emission path to get 2°C target by 2050



Long-term decarbonisation targets for 2050 in East Asia

	2050 target vs 2015 levels	BAU in 2050(IEEJ)
China	-50	8
Japan	-80	-30
Korea	-60	3
Taiwan	-70	-8

These targets are our own values as the countries in East Asia do not yet have formal targets except Japan for 2050 to be consistent with 2°C.



Policy inputs in the scenarios

	Carbon Tax	Power generation sector policies	Energy Efficiency in Industries	Transport policies	Heating policies
	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• feed-in-tariff• renewable subsidies• mandates to prevent new coal power plants being built	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ambitious taken from IEA's 450PPM scenario (IEA, 2016).	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax• registration tax• EV subsidies• biofuel mandate• new vehicle technologies boosted through procurement	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax• subsidies for new heating technologies• new heating systems are adopted initially in public buildings.

Role of carbon pricing in the scenarios

- Tax rate get adjusted in each scenario so the national emission reduction targets are met
- Levied on all use of fossil fuels in relation to carbon content
- Additional to rates in the baseline
- Linearly increase to 2050
- No exemptions
- No revenue recycling but part of revenues get used to fund renewable subsidies and energy efficiency investment



2. The E3ME-FTT Model



What is E3ME?

A computer-based global model for the economy, energy and environment, covering 59 regions

The model consists of collections of econometric behavioural equations and accounting identities

Based on an accounting framework and designed for projections for business and policy analysis



E3ME: Key characteristics

- Macro-econometric model based on a post-Keynesian framework
- Optimisation not assumed
- Demand = Supply... but
- Demand \leq Potential Supply
- Under the right conditions it is therefore possible to increase output and employment by demand side stimulation

e3me

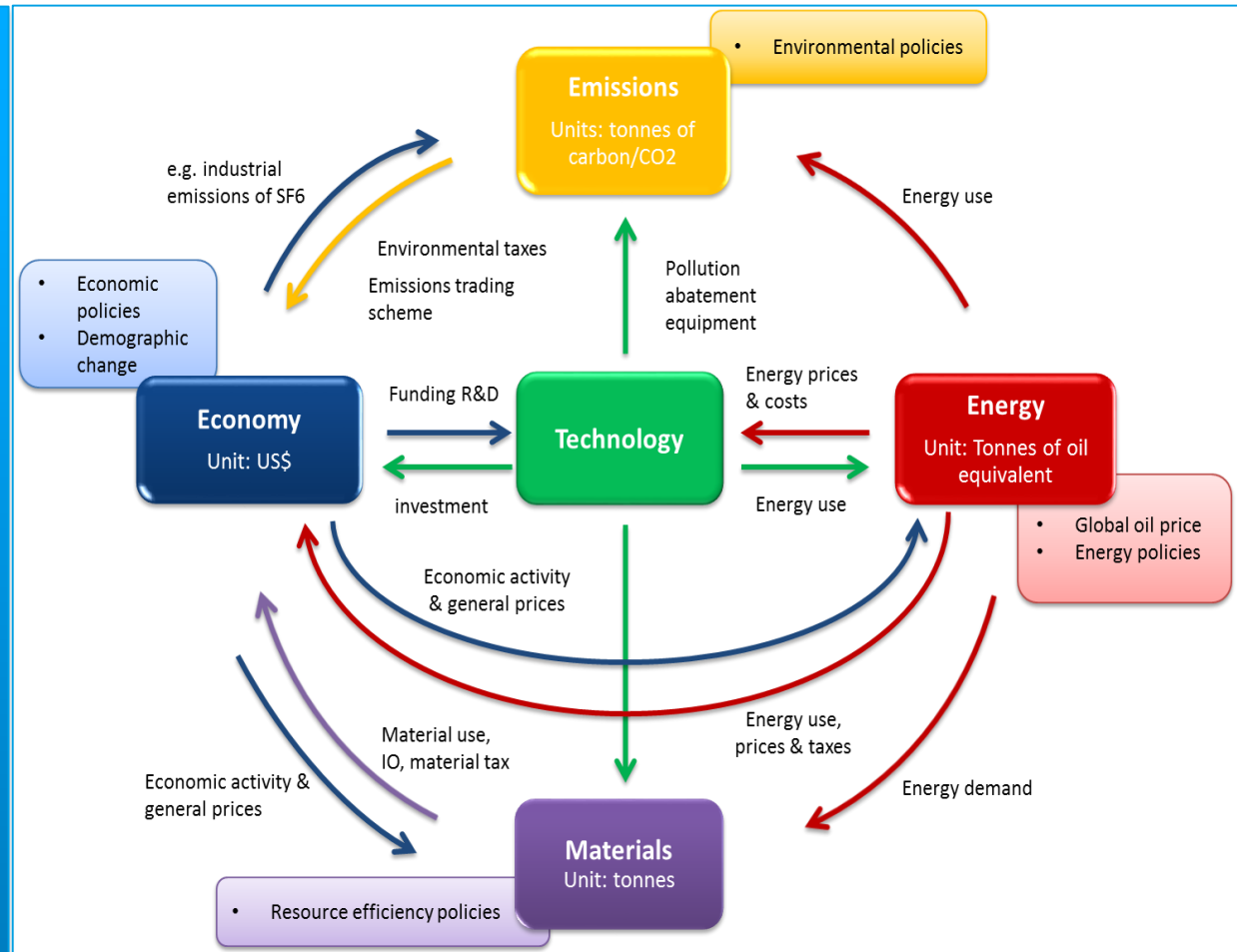


What are the key dimensions & features of E3ME?

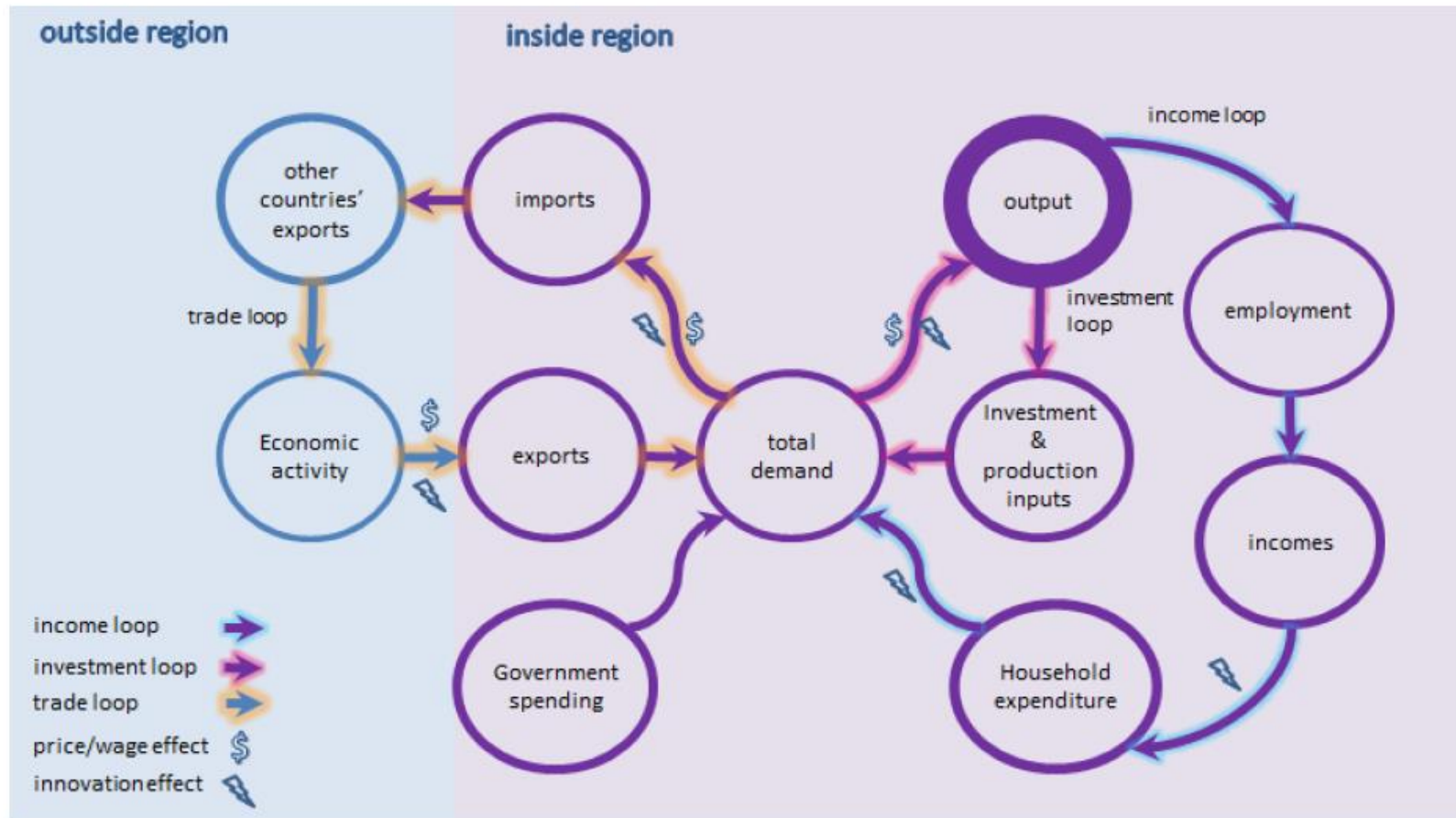
Detailed Coverage <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 59 regions (33 European, 26 World)• 70/44 economic sectors and 42/28 consumption categories• 23 fuel users of 12 fuels	Comprehensive <ul style="list-style-type: none">• whole energy, environment and economy system• two way feedback between each module• covers many policy instruments	Highly Empirical <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1970-2016 database• 28 econometric equations• relationships validated from data• econometrics allows for short-medium and long term analysis
Consistent <ul style="list-style-type: none">• based on system of national accounting• input-output tables• bilateral trade	Forward Looking <ul style="list-style-type: none">• annual projections to 2050• behavioural equations with effects from previous outcomes• ex-ante scenario analysis (ex-post is also feasible)	Modular <ul style="list-style-type: none">• E3: Energy, Environment, Economy and material modules• power generation, transport and heat sub-modules• research can be decentralised

E3ME as an E3 model

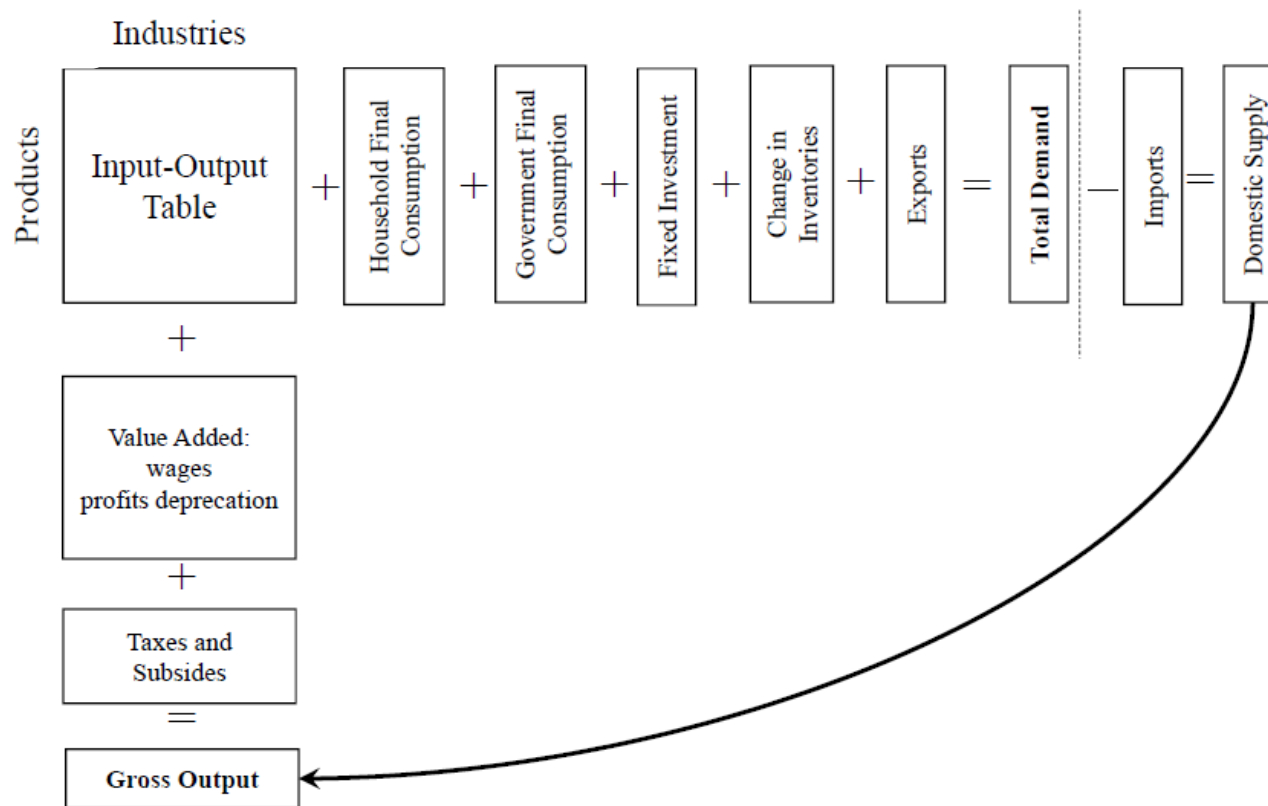
- Each component of the model is shown in its own box
- Exogenous factors are shown on the outside edge for each component
- The linkages between the components are shown by arrows that indicate which values are transmitted



GDP determination in E3ME



Linkage with I-O table in E3ME



Which macroeconomic models to use?

Simulations (econometrics)

- Facing with real world policy options
- Lack of perfect knowledge or foresight
- People don't always behave rationally!
- Responses to policy based on real world behaviours
- Post-Keynesian school of economic thinking

Optimisation (computable general equilibrium)

- Starting from already optimal outcome
- Known-end point
- Finding the least cost way of getting there
- Useful for resource allocations
- Neoclassical school of economic thinking



Linking E3ME to technology sub-modules

- Bottom-up model; econometric equations not appropriate for power generation because there is typically a small number of large plants and the econometric approach is not well suited for the development of new renewable technologies
- Current standard in energy systems modelling is by cost-optimisation/linear programming
e.g. TIMES/MARKAL, MESSAGE, AIM, etc
- Are optimal scenarios the answer to the question asked?
- Is optimisation always what policy-makers find useful?

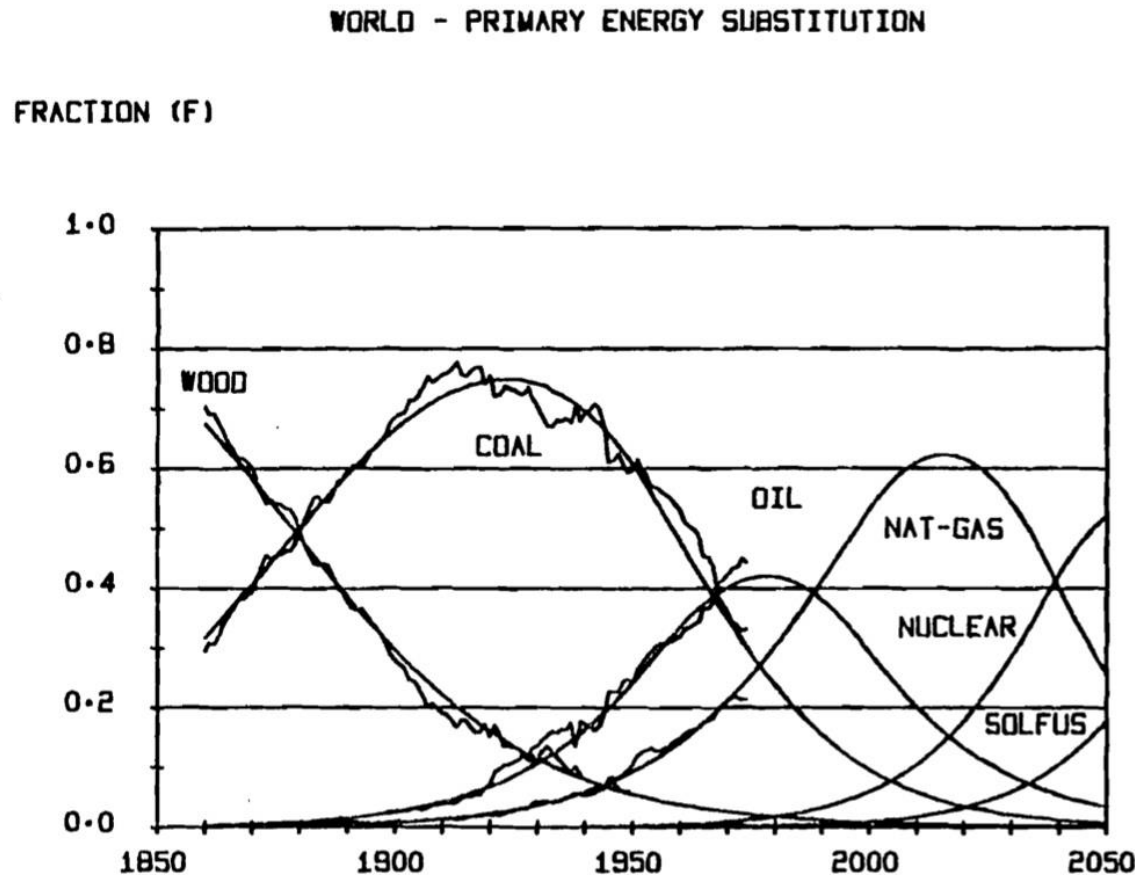


FTT Theory

- FTT:Power uses a decision-making core for investors wanting to build new electrical capacity, facing several options.
- The decision-making core takes place by pairwise levelised cost (LCOE) comparisons, conceptually equivalent to a binary logit model, parameterised by measured technology cost distributions.



The FTT models of technology diffusion



Marchetti & Nakicenovic *Tech. Rep. IIASA* (1978)
See also *Technology and Global Change* by Grubler

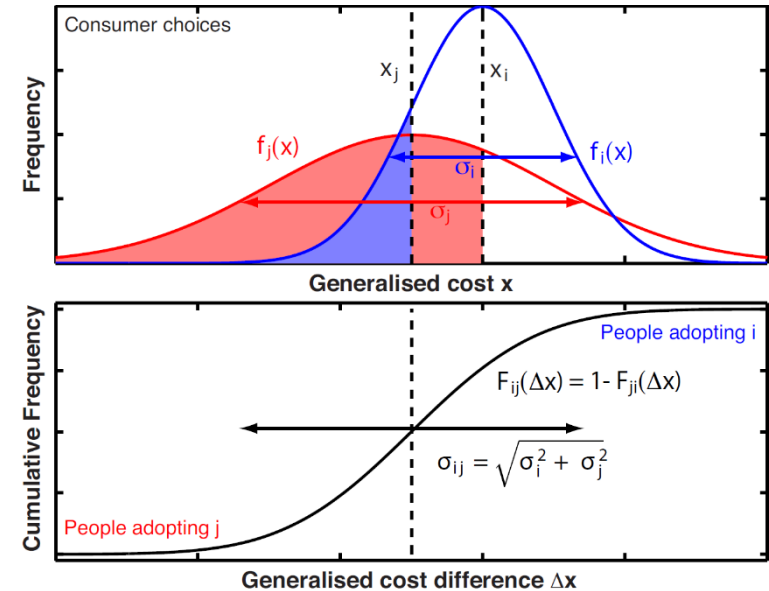
FTT Theory (cont)

- Costs include reductions originating from learning curves, as well as increasing marginal costs of renewable natural resources (for renewable technologies) using cost-supply curves.
- Due to learning-by-doing and increasing returns to adoption, it results in path-dependent technology scenarios that arise from electricity sector policies.



Technology shares determined by Aggregating every choices

$$\Delta S_i = \sum_j S_i S_j (A_{ij} F_{ij} - A_{ji} F_{ji}) \Delta t$$



J.-F. Mercure, Energy Policy 48, 799-811 (2012)

S_i : Share of technology i

A_{ij} : Life time of technology i and lead time of technology j

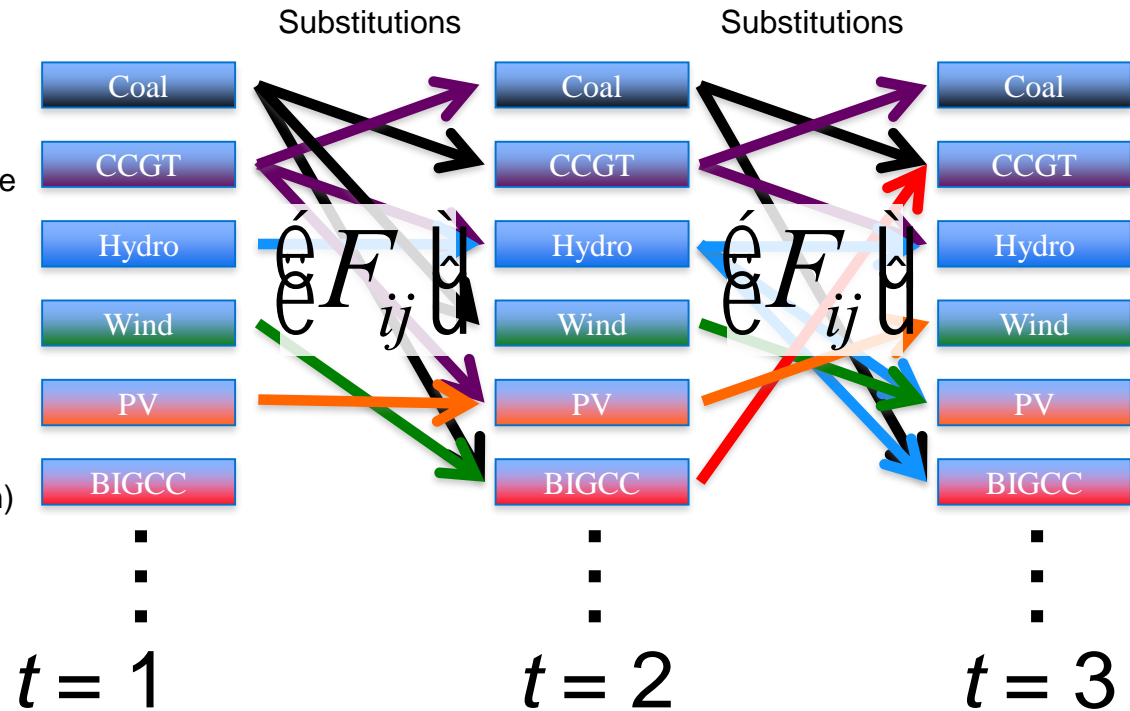
F_{ij} : Probability that technology i would be chosen between i and j

t : time

Modeling technology substitution in FTT;Power

Simulates:

- The future replacement and diffusion
- Of power technologies
- By power generation sectors worldwide (59 world regions)
- Based on dynamical shares equations (the FTT method – no optimisation)
- Useful energy demand by country as an exogenous driver (depending on future levels of construction/generation)



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FTT-Power (LCOE – IEA 2016)

0 From: IEA Projected costs of generating electricity																					
p.103		p. 62-63				p.43															
Discount rate		10%		Rate increase price of carbon		1%		Starting price of carbon (\$/t)		22.10		15%		Es/D:		1% Upeak/Utot		30% Us/Utot		1% Negative alk	
Carbon Costs		std	Overnight	std	Fuel	std	O&M	std	Lifetime	Lead Time	Load Factor	Type	LCOE	std	Fuel CO2	Efficiency	Emissions	Learning rate			
\$/MWh		\$/MWh	\$/kw	\$/MWh	\$/MWh	\$/MWh	\$/MWh	\$/MWh	years	years		0,1,2,3	\$/MWh	\$/MWh	kgCO2/GJ	%	tCO2/GWh	b			
Nuclear	0	0	4896.00	1525.05	9.60	2.33	11.00	6.15	60	7	85%	1	109.95	34.41	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.086			
Oil	0	0	1227.84	1033.63	223.66	239.52	22.13	5.69	40	4	85%	1	265.34	256.04	73.3	45%	586.4	-0.014			
Coal	0	0	2292.95	775.01	25.62	11.23	7.41	6.02	40	4	85%	1	69.54	25.08	99.4	43%	832.2	-0.044			
Coal + CCS	0	0	4224.69	1172.55	22.43	10.23	15.02	4.55	40	4	85%	1	104.72	29.87	99.4	37%	96.7	-0.074			
IGCC	0	0	3829.06	1705.94	20.05	1.57	10.09	1.51	40	4	85%	1	91.11	29.34	99.4	42%	852.0	-0.044			
IGCC + CCS	0	0	4521.14	1523.05	19.96	7.50	12.87	0.52	40	4	85%	1	104.83	31.77	99.4	37%	96.7	-0.074			
CCGT	0	0	1067.00	336.75	66.46	16.52	5.82	2.80	30	2	85%	1	88.23	21.79	56.1	57%	354.3	-0.059			
CCGT + CCS	0	0	2446.53	520.63	71.20	1.47	6.42	0.40	30	2	85%	1	114.19	9.31	56.1	47%	43.0	-0.074			
Solid Biomass	0	0	4007.00	2587.47	93.24	72.94	18.55	26.53	40	4	85%	2	175.59	118.82	0.0	43%	0.0	-0.074			
Biomass CCS	0	0	5938.74	2985.00	93.24	72.94	18.55	26.53	40	4	85%	2	206.35	125.15	-112.0	37%	-980.8	-0.105			
WtGCC	0	0	3829.06	1705.94	93.24	72.94	10.09	1.51	40	4	85%	2	164.30	100.12	0.0	42%	0.0	-0.074			
WtGCC + CCS	0	0	4521.14	1523.05	93.24	72.94	12.87	0.52	40	4	85%	2	178.10	97.19	-112.0	37%	-980.8	-0.105			
Biogas	0	0	3733.00	3519.63	0.00	36.62	60.52	5.84	30	2	85%	2	116.32	89.69	0.0	57%	0.0	-0.074			
Biogas + CCS	0	0	5112.53	3703.50	0.00	36.62	60.52	5.84	30	2	85%	2	136.94	92.44	-54.6	47%	-376.4	-0.105			
Small Hydro	0	0	2782.50	3538.98	0.00	0.00	38.40	6.45	80	7	85%	3	89.04	70.86	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.020			
Large Hydro	0	0	2492.50	2499.96	0.00	0.00	9.86	10.43	80	7	85%	3	55.21	55.92	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.020			
Onshore	0	0	1841.00	443.49	0.00	0.00	21.38	8.67	25	1	30%	0	98.50	27.25	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.105			
Offshore	0	0	5000.00	579.58	0.00	0.00	40.71	19.82	25	1	42%	0	190.32	37.17	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.136			
Solar PV	0	0	1833.50	552.90	0.00	0.00	22.80	15.57	25	1	14%	0	187.39	65.20	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.269			
SP	0	0	4901.00	1859.10	0.00	0.00	17.38	22.10	25	1	55%	0	129.37	64.58	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.152			
Geothermal	0	0	5822.50	2036.63	0.00	0.00	17.28	34.10	40	4	85%	3	109.99	66.53	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.074			
Wave	0	0	5142.07	2414.85	0.00	0.00	55.91	36.58	20	1	46%	0	207.34	107.70	0.0	100%	0.0	-0.218			
Fuel Cells	0	0	5884.82	5459.00	58.71	54.56	53.70	49.81	20	2	85%	1	205.17	159.93	15.3	80%	68.9	-0.234			
HP	0	0	2000.00	4358.28	65.74	15.21	15.93	31.85	40	2	85%	1	76.82	124.79	15.3	80%	68.9	-0.044			
1 GWh = 3600 GJ																					
Frequency Matrix Aij = 10/lifetime*10/BuildTime																					
	Nuclear	Oil	Coal	Coal + CCS	IGCC	IGCC + CCS	CCGT	CCGT + CCS	Solid Biom	S Biomass	WtGCC	WtGCC + CCS	Biogas	Biogas + CCS	Small Hydro	Large Hydro	Onshore	Offshore			

FTT Power Frequency Matrix $A_{ij} = 10/\text{lifetime} * 10/\text{Build Time}$

22	Wave	0	0	5142.072	2414.849	0	0	55.9106	36.58099	20	1		0
23	Fuel Cells	0	0	5884.815	5459	58.70801	54.56	53.6953	49.81	20	2	0.85	1
24	CHP	0	0	2000	4358.279	65.74	15.20814	15.93	31.84846	40	4	0.85	1
Frequency Matrix $A_{ij} = 10/\text{lifetime} * 10/\text{BuildTime}$													
		Nuclear	Oil	Coal	Coal + CCS	IGCC	IGCC + CCS	CCGT	CCGT + CCS	Solid Bio	S Biomass	BIGCC	BIGCC + CCS
1	Nuclear	+	0	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.47619	0.47619	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143
2	Oil	0.416667	0	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
3	Coal	0.416667	0.625	0	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
4	Coal + CCS	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
5	IGCC	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
6	IGCC + CCS	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
7	CCGT	0.833333	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	0	1.666667	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
8	CCGT + CCS	0.833333	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.666667	0	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
9	Solid Bio	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0	0.625	0.625	0.625
10	S Biomass	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0	0.625	0.625
11	BIGCC	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0	0.625
12	BIGCC + CCS	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0
13	Biogas	0.833333	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.666667	1.666667	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
14	Biogas + CCS	0.833333	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.666667	1.666667	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
15	Tidal	0.238095	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.47619	0.47619	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143
16	Large Hydro	0.238095	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.47619	0.47619	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143	0.357143
17	Onshore	1.666667	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.333333	3.333333	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
18	Offshore	1.666667	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.333333	3.333333	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
19	Solar PV	1.666667	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.333333	3.333333	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
20	CSP	1.666667	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.333333	3.333333	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
21	Geothermal	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
22	Wave	1.666667	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.333333	3.333333	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
23	Fuel Cells	0.833333	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.666667	1.666667	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
24	CHP	0.416667	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.833333	0.833333	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.625
Spillover Learning Matrix (mixes learning between technologies) B_{ij} : numbers should be between 0 and 1; 1 means technologies are the same													
		Nuclear	Oil	Coal	Coal + CCS	IGCC	IGCC + CCS	CCGT	CCGT + CCS	S Bio	S Bio CCS	BIGCC	BIGCC+CCS
1	Nuclear	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Costs	Sub0	FiT0	Reg0	DP0	CO2P0	MWKA0Old	MWKA0	Sub1	FiT1	Reg1	DP1	CO2P

Modeling technology substitution in FTT;Transport

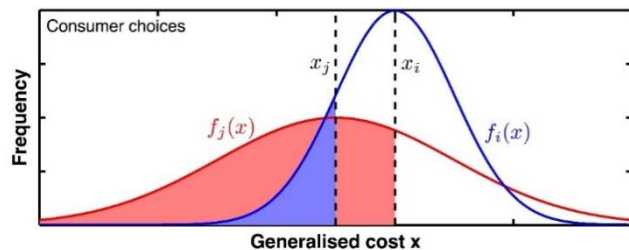
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FCV (Fuel Cell Vehicle)

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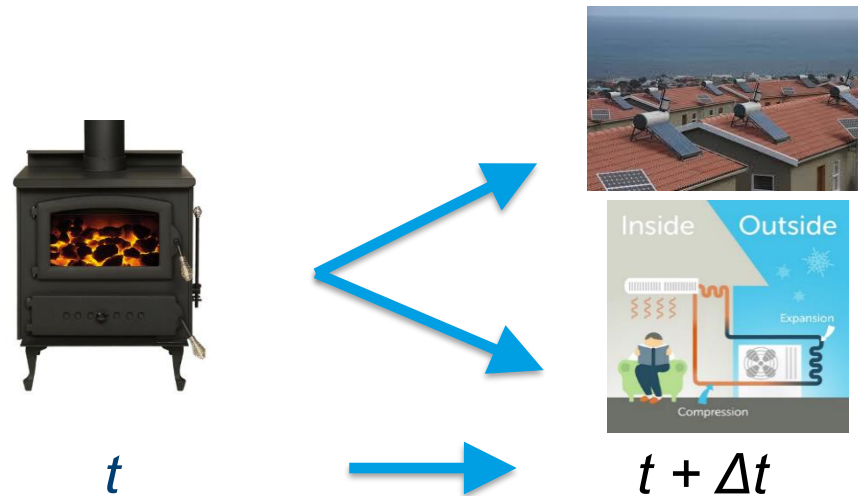
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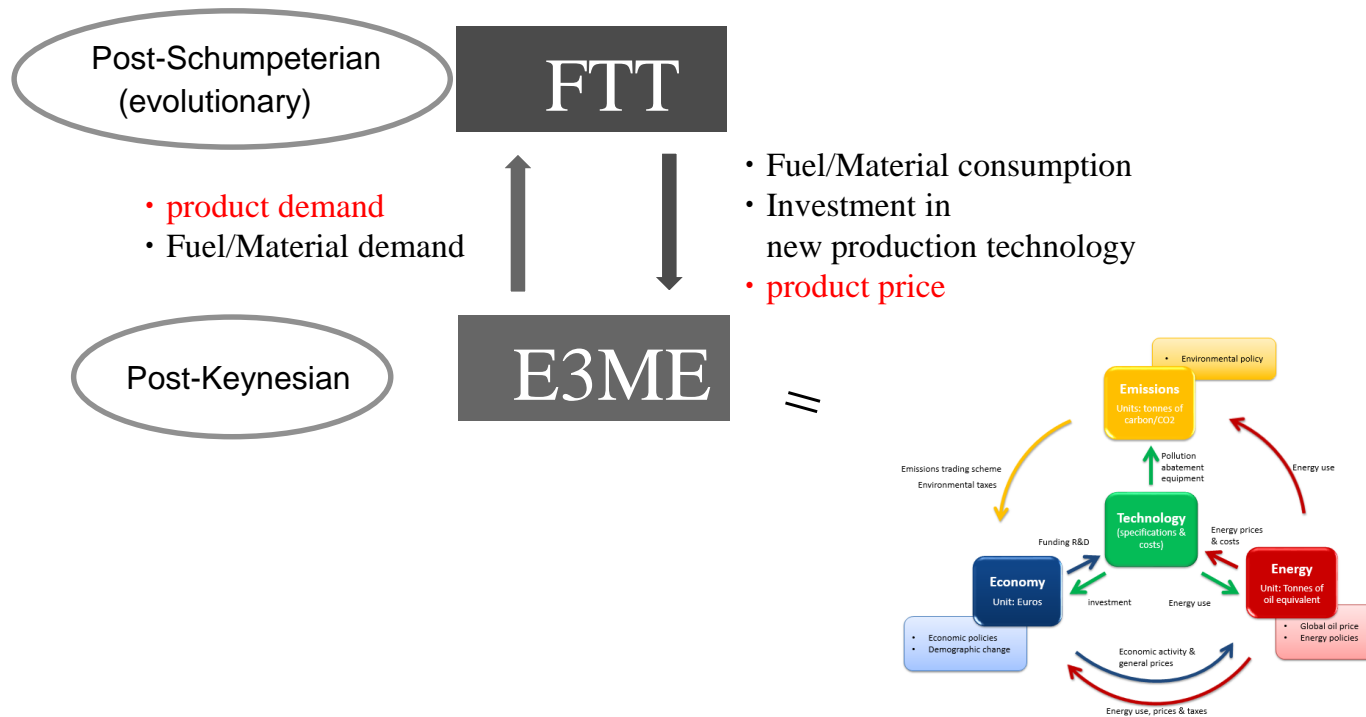
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Modeling technology substitution in FTT;Heat



- Households replace their heating systems in time intervals related to technical lifetimes
- Choices are based on **Levelised Costs of Heating (LCOH)**: combined measure of investment costs, fuel costs, and maintenance costs
- Calibration of these costs to observed preferences and trends: accounts for different comfort levels, local variations, existing policies etc.
- Behavioural assumptions: no switching back to less comfortable technologies

FTT linkage with E3ME



3. Modelling Results



REMINDER:

Policy inputs in the scenarios

	Carbon Tax	Power generation sector policies	Energy Efficiency in Industries	Transport policies	Heating policies
1	✓	×	×	×	×
A	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• feed-in-tariff	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• low	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax
B	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• feed-in-tariff• renewable subsidies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• moderate	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax• New vehicle efficiencies• EV subsidies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax• subsidies for new heating technologies
C	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• feed-in-tariff• renewable subsidies• mandates to prevent new coal power plants being built	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ambitious taken from IEA's 450PPM scenario (IEA, 2016).	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax• registration tax• EV subsidies• biofuel mandate• new vehicle technologies boosted through procurement	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• fuels tax• subsidies for new heating technologies• new heating systems are adopted initially in public buildings.

CO₂ reduction from 2015

	China	Japan	Korea	Taiwan
Target	-50	-80	-60	-70
Baseline(IEEJ) (2050, MCO ₂ t)	8 (9706)	-30 (802)	3 (621)	-8 (239)

Max carbon tax rate = \$1,500/tCO₂



CO₂ prices in each scenario, 2050

(2018 prices, \$/tCO₂, additional to baseline)

	China	Japan	Korea	Taiwan
Baseline	0	0	0	0
S1 (C Tax)	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
S2 (+ Power)	717	1,200	1,100	1,000
S3 (+ En Eff)	300	850	500	750
S4 (+ Trans)	143	521	390	525
S5 (+ Hhold)	21	293	218	220



Impacts on GDP, % from baseline in 2050

	China	Japan	Korea	Taiwan
S1 (C Tax)	-0.7	-4.3	-1.6	-3.9
S2 (+ Power)	-0.6	-4.1	-1.2	-1.8
S3 (+ En Eff)	-0.1	-3.2	-0.8	-1.5
S4 (+Trans)	0.3	0.8	0.8	-1.2
S5 (+ Hhold)	0.3	1.0	1.0	-1.0



Impacts on sectoral output, % from baseline in 2050 (East Asia)

	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5
Agriculture	-2.0	-1.6	-1.4	-0.5	-0.3
Basic manufacture	-1.1	-0.9	-0.1	0.5	0.5
Advanced manufacture	-1.0	-0.8	0.2	0.9	1.0
Utilities	-6.3	-3.8	-11.2	-10.3	-10.0
Construction	0.5	-0.1	2.1	2.6	2.6
Services	-1.6	-1.3	-0.9	-0.1	0.1



4. Conclusions

- Each East Asian faces different challenges to decarbonize but can meet their long-term decarbonisation targets by carbon pricing only.
- But a broad range of policies, across all sectors is required
- Carbon pricing is a key element of the package but is not sufficient (at feasible prices)
- All of the other policies interact with carbon pricing, allowing emissions to be cut effectively
- GDP impacts will improve if other policies are implemented – or carbon tax revenues are recycled



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