



TIMES China Model 34 Regions (TCM34R)

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Partners

IEA: International Energy Agency

ETSAP: Energy Technology Systems Analysis Programme

POLITO: Politecnico di Torino – Energy Department

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NDRC: Energy Leading Group of National Development Reform Committee

ERI: Energy Research Institute

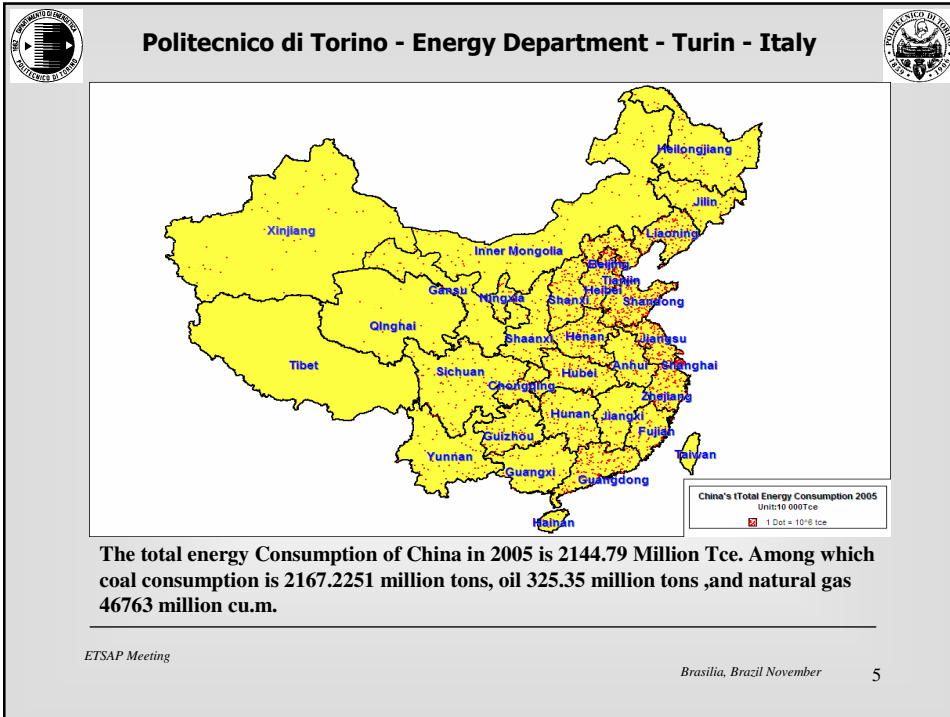
BJUT: Beijing University of Technology



China's Economic and Social Data on year 2006

Region	Including Provinces		Area		Population		GDP	
	Number	Share%	10 ⁴ Sq.m	Share%	10 ⁸ Person	Share%	10 ⁸ yuan	Share%
East	10	32.2	91	9.5	4.69	36.3	127535.3	55.6
Center	6	19.4	103	10.7	3.53	27.1	42961.6	18.7
West	12	38.7	686	71.5	3.62	28.0	39301.3	17.1
North	3	9.7	80	8.3	1.08	8.36	19723.1	8.6
Total	31	100	960	100	12.92	100	209406.8	100

Data from the above table show that in 2006, eastern regions with its area of less 10% of the total, population more than 36%, contribute more than half of the nation's GDP by consuming around 70% of China's total energy.



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Modelling features

Multi-regional TIMES model:

- 34 regions (administrative Chinese regions)
- 7 sectors with different details
- 12 timeslices (4 seasons, day-night-peak)
- Base year 2005
- Time horizon 2050 (15 periods)

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Data collection

A lot of data are available for the TCM34R but:

- often there isn't coherence between the National and Regional balance;
- in some sectors (e.g. Industry) there is a different structure and detail between national and regional balance;
The National industry sector is really disaggregated but the regional one describes only the total industry consumption, without sub-sectors;
- this requires some assumptions to disaggregate the national data into the regional one, with a problem of consistency!
- not always the balances are consistent; the local production does not match the resource availability!!



Data collection

- Population
 - regional urban population
 - regional rural population
- GDP
 - for sector
 - for region and industrial sub-sector
- Workers for industrial sub-sector (almost regions)

Some of the previous data are used as drivers for the demand projection



The most important sources

China Statistic Yearbook

China Energy Statistic Yearbook

China Regional Statistic Yearbook

China Electricity & Coal Industry Committee

IEA publications

- Tracking Industrial Energy Efficiency and CO₂ Emissions



Focus of activity

Description of objectives and assumption

Focus of modelling on power sector and industry

No description of demand technologies for: residential, commercial, agriculture and transport sectors.

But the TCM34R includes projections of energy demands for all the sectors in an aggregated processes by service.



Focus of activity

Residential and Commercial sector

- described by demand segment:
 - space heating;
 - lighting
 - cooling
 - other appliances (only electricity appliances for residential sector)
- for each demand segment:
 - a dummy technology with an energy intensity input
 - a projection with different drivers



Focus of activity

Demands of the Residential and Commercial sector

COML	Commercial Lighting Demand	MSqM
COMH	Commercial Heating Demand	MSqM
COMC	Commercial Cooling Demand	MSqM
COMO	Commercial Other Demand	MSqM
RULI	Residential Urban Lighting Demand	POPU
RUHE	Residential Urban Space Heating Demand	POPU
RUCK	Residential Urban Cooking Demand	POPU
RUOT	Residential Urban Other elect. Appliances Demand	POPU
RUCO	Residential Urban Cooling Demand	POPU
RRLI	Residential Rural Lighting Demand	POPR
RRHE	Residential Rural Space Heating Demand	POPR
RRCK	Residential Rural Cooking Demand	POPR
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Focus of activity

Agriculture, Construction and Other Sector

- described by total sector demand:
 - with a dummy technology - energy intensity input
 - a projection using sector GDP

AGRI	Agriculture demand	100MY	
CONS	Construction demand	100MY	
OTHE	Other demand	10000Tce	



Focus of activity

Electricity sector

- Power plants (coal technologies, CO₂ capture, wind potential and nuclear potential)
- Grids: modelling the existing and planned grids
- Modelling the electricity load curve
- Modelling demand side efficiency measures for electricity in a simple way



Focus of activity

Electricity sector by region

- Base year power plants are elaborated by size and by fuel

		China statistical data					
		Power Plant Capacity [MW]	Power Plant Fuel Share [%]	Coal Technology Share [%] - split among the coal power plant	Electricity Production [10 ⁴ Tce]	Availability Factor	Power Plant Efficiency
Existing Coal fired: Less than 100MW	ECCA_LT100_00	738.8	0.970	0.219	55	0.069	0.37
Existing Coal fired: 100 to 200 MW	ECCA_100-200_00	1630.0		0.484	121	0.069	0.36
Existing Coal fired: 200 to 300 MW	ECCA_200-300_00	1000.0		0.297	74	0.069	0.35
Existing Coal fired: 300 to 600 MW	ECCA_300-600_00	0.0		0.000	0	0.000	0.34
Existing Coal fired: Greater than 600 MW	ECCA_600_00	0.0		0.000	0	0.000	0.33
Existing Gas fired Power Plants	EGAS_00	1.9	0.01		1.32	0.650	0.40
Existing Fuel Oil fired Power Plants	EOIL_00	9.2	0.03		6.47	0.650	0.35
Existing Nuclear Power Plants	ENUC_00	0.0			0.0	0.000	0.33
Existing Hydro Power Plants	EHVD_00	1053.4			0.0	0.000	0.33
Existing Wind Power Plants	EWIND_00	17.5			5.7	0.300	0.33
Existing Biomass Power Plants	EBIO_00	0.0			0.0	0.000	0.25



Focus of activity

Electricity sector

- Future power plants are described by techs:
 - Coal fired power
 - supercritical steam cycles;
 - ultra-supercritical steam cycles;
 - integrated gasification combined cycle;
 - Coal + CO2 capture
 - Co-firing biomass in coal power plants
 - Coal for CHP
 - Hydro power plants expansion potential
 - Wind
 - Nuclear expansion potentials



Focus of activity

Industrial sector

- Iron and steel
- Cement
- Glass
- Chemicals and petrochemicals
- Non-ferrous metal
- Pulp and paper

This sector is described with processes and end-use technologies.

Not yet decided if with or without materials flow