# Integrated Energy and Environmental Planning with MARKAL Model



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#### Overview of the Presentation

- Relationship of Energy with Cities
- MARKAL Methodology to Address Urban Energy and Environmental Issues
- A Demonstrative Case-study: New York City





# Relationship of Energy with Cities

EPA cites Adaptation as Key Strategy for Climate Change Response Dr. Joel Scheraga Inside EPA February 9, 2007



# Energy in Today's World

- Extending hope and opportunity depends on a stable supply of energy that keeps America's economy running and America's environment clean" – the President of United State's State of the Union address 2007 (this is a global issue)
- Warming of the climate system is unequivocal," the cause is "very likely" man-made, and "would continue for centuries." – the Fourth Assessment Report - WG1-IPCC, February 2007







# Energy and Cities

- Globalizing cities consume 75% of world energy
- Providing energy security and sustainable environment are major concerns for policymakers
  - U.S. Conference of Mayors' National Summit On Energy and the Environment, May 2006
  - London: The Mayor's Energy Strategy, February 2004
  - New York: PLANYC 2030, December 2006
  - Large Cities Climate Summit C20: 2005, C40: 2007
- Energy & Environmental systems in agglomerated urban regions consist of *highly interconnected subsystems*
- Planning for these systems are comprised of two levels:
  - Analysis of the overall local or regional systems for *long-term* strategic planning
  - Analysis and optimization of subsystems





#### Energy-Water Nexus

#### Energy and water are inextricably linked

#### Water for Energy



**Energy for Water** 

- About 54% of U.S. generating capacity comprised of one-through cooling (requires reliable, large volumes of water
- In 2000, 39% of U.S. water withdrawals were for thermoelectric power production<sup>3</sup>
  - 136 BGD-freshwater withdrawals
  - 59 BGD- seawater withdrawals
  - 3 BGD-water consumption (about 20% of nonagricultural water consumption)
- Globally, 7% of the total energy consumed is for water delivery
- Worldwide, 2-3% of energy is consumed for water conveyance and treatment to serve urban populations and industry<sup>1</sup>.
- Water heating is typically the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest user of energy in the home (19% of home energy use) (according to Rocky Mountain Institute)



ASE (Alliance to Save Energy). (2002). Watergy: Taking Advantage of Untapped Energy and Water Efficiency Opportunities in Municipal Water Systems, report by K James, SL Campbell, CE Godlove, ASE, Washington, D.C. 2. EIA (U.S. Department of Energy-Energy Information Administration). (2005). Annual Energy Outlook 2005, report prepared by JJ Conti, PD Holtberg, JA Beamon, JM Kendell, AS Kydes, U.S. Department of Energy-EIA, Washington, D.C. 3. USGS Circular 1268 Estimated Use of Water in the United States in 2000 (2004)



MARKAL Methodology to Address Urban Energy and Environmental Issues

#### NYC MARKAL to reduce GHG's Electricity,Water and Solid Waste Nexus

## MARKAL as an Energy & Environment Planning Tool

Well established state-of-the-art tool for energy systems analysis, developed at BNL in 1970s.





Total OECD = 22 Total Developing = 23 Total Other = 13

#### 30 years of development

under the auspices of the International Energy Agency and the US Department of Energy

 Approximately 120 user institutions in *more than 50 countries*

#### Flexible and transparent

framework - allows use of different features depending on modeling needs

Methodology is well documented



## MARKAL Framework Overview



### MARKAL Modeling Framework

- MARKAL (MARKet ALlocation) is an integrated energy, environment and economic model, to examine market potential for energy technologies over a short-, medium- and long-term horizon under alternative policy scenarios within the entire energy system.
- Utilizes a *bottom-up* approach to represent and characterize *technology specific portfolios at subsystem level* – highlights synergies, offsets and feedback effects
- Facilitates Urban Planners in selecting *cost effective technology mix* over the entire system based on *life cycle accounting*
  - Involve all relevant interest groups in the planning process
  - Set-up a plan for continuous improvement and monitoring





# Demonstrative MARKAL Reference Energy System







US National Energy Planning Applications of MARKAL

- Support for **3 US Department of Energy offices**
- Analyze the long-term market competitiveness of R&D portfolio
  - Office of Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy
  - Office of Nuclear Energy
- Assess competitiveness of alternative and boutique fuels for the Office of Policy and International Affairs
- Options and tradeoffs of alternative hydrogen production infrastructure pathways with respect to demand, technology cost, regional mix, and feedstock prices
- Develop and demonstrate the utility of analysis at the Census Region level
- Provides platform to model DOE programs such as Global Nuclear Energy Partnership





# Global and Local Applications of MARKAL

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

- New York City energy efficiency and urban heat island mitigation project
- Assisting *Texas* institutions for building energy system models
- Taiwan national energy model and policy analysis
- Central American energy and environment cooperation
- Hong Kong MARKAL model and supporting policy analysis
- Development of *Kuwait* energy system and extensive refinery model
- Development of *Mongolian* MARKAL and training government officers on MARKAL modeling
- Enhancement of Korean MARKAL and training Korean government officers and energy professionals on MARKAL modeling

<u>Assisting the Government of India</u> on Eco-Cities project





# A Demonstrative Casestudy: New York City



## NYC MARKAL Model

- Multi-region structure to measure the impacts of Energy Star technologies and Urban Heat Island measures on the electricity demand at the sub-station level
- Network capability to model *central and distributed generation plants, transmission* & *distribution and sub-station peak load characteristics*
- Integrated framework for evaluating NYC systemwide effects in *electricity flow, peak load, criteria and GHG emissions*, due to changes in hot pockets/substations







#### MARKAL-EnergyPlus-MM5 Interactions



#### NYC MARKAL Modeling Framework



Builds on extensive plant level information from the Energy Information Administration and the Environmental Protection Agency



Time of the day peak-load was modeled on the basis of seasonal variability
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## MARKAL Modeling System



# EnergyPlus Building Energy Simulation



Builds on the most popular features and capabilities of BLAST and DOE-2

Calculates HVAC loads to maintain thermal control setpoints, based on the building's physical make-up, mechanical systems, environmental conditions, etc.



Web: www.eere.energy.gov/buildings/energyplus/



#### EnergyPlus/UHI: Building Mix



Maps Source: NYSERDA UHI Study

# Building Inventory to Cooling Demand

COOLING DEMAND	Older 3	Older 10	Glass 3	Glass 10
Peak				
buildings	-	-	-	-
base (kW / sq meter)	0.019	0.066	0.028	0.095
deg & roof (kW / sq meter)	0.016	0.057	0.021	0.075
reduction	-16%	-13%	-23%	-21%
Daily				
buildings	-	-	-	-
base (kW / sq meter)	0.30	1.01	0.38	1.27
deg & roof (kW / sq meter)	0.24	0.83	0.25	0.88
reduction	-20%	-18%	-33%	-31%



Prototype buildings were selected from the building inventory of the area to measure benefits of various mitigation measures



## EnergyPlus Load Schedule- time of day







#### Energy Star Technologies





# Key Benefits to the City

#### Carbon

- xx% reduction in carbon from Municipal facilities/sources by 2010
- xx% reduction in carbon from the entire city by 2030

#### Energy

- Reduction in energy use per capita
- Reduction in energy use intensity
- Increased use of renewable resources
- Decreased reliance on imported fossil fuels
- Increased use of efficient appliances/ green technology/etc.
- Decrease in energy for transportation

#### Sustainability

- Increase in recycling of solid waste
- Efficient and reliable transportation

#### Society

- Provide a clean environment for all city residents
  - Keep energy costs as low as possible





## Impacts of UHI Measures and Energy Star Technologies



Him Provention Heat Island effect

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## NYC: Emission Reductions due to UHI Measures and Energy Star Technologies



## Summary

- Urban system responses of alternative strategies are complex and need a systematic integrated analysis
- Adaptation to such a new concept can lead to cost-effective solutions to the long-term energy security and the environmental sustainability
- BNL's longstanding research and experience brings a paradigm shift in local energy and environmental planning
- Such a comprehensive framework will provide us with a robust tool to address an upcoming need to tackle pressing urban energy and nvironmental issues worldwide



