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# INPRO Area of Economics

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#### **Special Report on Emission Scenarios**

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#### **Projected World Primary Energy Demand (EJ)**

(Source: Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, IPCC2000)



#### **Special Report on Emission Scenarios**



#### World Nuclear Electricity Production (GWe)



#### **Family of SRES Scenarios**



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IIASA = InternationalInstitute for <u>Applied</u>
System <u>Analysis</u>

#### **INPRO:** Selection of 4 Representative Scenarios





Nuclear electricity production (EJ) for four selected SRES scenarios

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- SRES Predictions for 4 Scenarios:
  - Competition to Nuclear is Dependent on Scenario and Region
  - Main Competitors to Nuclear are:
    - Solar in Scenario A1T,
    - Coal in Scenario A2,
    - Renewables & Solar in Scenario B1,
    - Coal+Gas+Biomass+Solar in Scenario B2





#### Potential Global Market for Nuclear Energy (Electricity, Hydrogen, Heat and Desalination)

### INPRO Basic Principle in the Area Economics

- One Basic Principle defined:
  - Energy and related products and services from INS shall be affordable and available.
- Affordable nuclear energy (NE) means: costs must be competitive to alternative energy sources
- Available NE means: Investment in NE must be attractive.
- Four User Requirements and Several Criteria defined



# **INPRO UR1.1of Economics**

• User Requirement UR1.1:

The cost of energy from INS, taking all relevant costs and credits into account,  $C_N$ , should be competitive with that of alternative energy sources,  $C_A$ . in the same time frame and geographic region.

- <u>Criterion CR1.1</u>:  $C_N < k \cdot C_A$
- Value of k-factor close to 1, depending on e.g., :
  - Security of energy supply
  - Long-term stability of energy cost
  - External costs
- C = LUEC = LUAC+LUOM+LUFC
  - Amortization, O&M, fuel cost



### **INPRO UR1.2 of Economics**

User Requirement UR1.2:

The total investment required to design, construct, and commission INS, including interest during construction, should be such that the necessary investment funds can be raised.

- <u>Criterion CR1.2.1</u>: Financial figures of merit (e.g., IRR, ROI) of INS comparable or better than alternatives.
- <u>Criterion CR1.2.2</u>: Size of total investment compatible to raise capital in a given market.



# **INPRO UR1.3 of Economics**

### • <u>User Requirement UR1.3</u>:

The risk of investment in INS should be acceptable to investors taking into account the risk of investment in other energy projects.

- <u>Criterion CR1.3.1</u>: Licensing status, pre-licensing possible.
- <u>Criterion CR1.3.2</u>: realistic project construction times comparable to alternatives.
- <u>Criterion CR1.3.3</u>: political long term support available.



Scenario	<b>Boundary Conditions</b>		
Economical criteria	Liberalized market, cheapest option will be selected for year 2010		
<b>Technical Constraints</b>	Power limited to 10% of total grid power output: Power lower than 890 MWe		
Investment Rules	Attractive IRR		
	Attractive ROI		
<b>Growth Constraints</b>	Power limited by annual new power requirement range: 1 to 4 years range: 170 to 725 MWe		
Fuels availability	Fuels obtained only from the international markets		

<b>Option Number</b>	<b>Energy Type</b>	Technology	Fuel
1	Nuclear	SMR PWR	Enriched Uranium
2	Nuclear	SMR HWR	Natural Uranium
3	Gas	GT	LNG - Diesel
4	Gas	CCGT	LNG - Diesel



INS Indicators	Indicator Value	Acceptance Limit AL1.1.1:	Units
Indicator IN1.1.1		CCGT	
C <sub>N-SMR PWR</sub>	47.14	< 50.95	mills/KWh
C <sub>N-SMR HWR</sub>	48.79	< 50.95	mills/KWh
Indicator IN1.2.2		AL1.2.2 Utility	
Investment <sub>SMR PWR</sub>	1391	<u>&lt;900</u>	<b>M\$</b>
Investment <sub>smr Hwr</sub>	1565	<u>&lt;</u> 900	<b>M\$</b>



### **Concluding Remark**

#### "Thank you very much for your attention!"



### **INPRO area of Economics**

### Status and outlook

- Draft manual for economics assessment distributed to participants of ongoing INPRO case studies.
- Feedback from studies expected in 2006.
- Manual of economics to be upgraded based on feedback in 2006.



#### **Overall INPRO Schedule**





Concept of Learning Rates: 7% learning rate for Nuclear necessary to compete against other technologies



Specific Capital Costs for NPP in 2050 (SRES and INPRO)

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Ranges for electricity production costs in 2050 for NPP (SRES)

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## **INPRO UR1.4 of Economics**

• User requirement UR1.4:

INS should be compatible with meeting the requirements of different markets.

<u>Criterion CR1.4.1</u>: robustness index of economics data <a> 1</a>





Variation of the Robustness Index RI and the total investment M/US\$ with changes in the investment (overnight capital cost) ON of a SMR

