


The impact of policy measures on future power generation portfolio and infrastructure: a combined electricity and CCTS investment and dispatch model (ELCO)

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Abstract This paper presents a general electricity-CO₂ modeling framework that is able to simulate interactions of the energy-only market with different forms of national policy measures. We set up a two sector model where players can invest into various types of generation technologies including renewables, nuclear power and carbon capture, transport, and storage (CCTS). For a detailed representation of CCTS we also include industry players (iron and steel as well as cement), and CO₂ transport and CO₂ storage including the option for CO₂ enhanced oil recovery (CO₂-EOR). The players maximize their expected profits based on variable, fixed and investment costs as well as endogenous prices of electricity, CO₂ abatement cost and other incentives, subject to technical and environmental constraints. Demand is inelastic and represented via type hours. The model framework allows for regional disaggregation and features simplified electricity and CO₂ pipeline networks. It is balanced via a market clearing for the electricity as well as CO₂ market. The equilibrium solution is subject to constraints on CO₂ emissions and renewable generation share. We apply the model to a case study of the UK electricity market reform to illustrate the mechanisms and potential results attained from the model.

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1 Introduction: a review of state of the art electricity and CO₂ modeling approaches

The need for combating climate change is internationally widely accepted [1] and the role of the electricity sector as a major contributor to global GHG emission reductions is undisputed [2]. However, there exists an international dissent on how to achieve a decarbonization of the sector. Even in the EU, a multitude of approaches exist: Germany has departed on its “Energiewende” path towards a renewable energy based system, with renewable energy sources (RES) already contributing to 30% of electricity production in 2015. At the same time, France still relies on large nuclear capacities; while the United Kingdom (UK) promotes a mixed strategy of renewables, nuclear and carbon capture, transport, and storage (CCTS). The low certificate prices in the European emissions trading system (EU-ETS), at levels below 10 €/tCO₂ in 2015—with little hope for a significant rise in the upcoming years [3]—however, give insufficient incentives for most of these low-carbon investments. This endangers achieving the EU climate policy targets for 2030 [4] and puts the global 2 °C target at risk. Therefore, several countries have started or are about to start backing the EU-ETS with additional national measures. These include different types of feed-in tariffs and market premia, capacity markets (CMs), a minimum CO₂ price and emissions performance standards (EPS). Models assessing the future development of a decarbonized electricity market need to adequately incorporate such additional policy measures. In addition, interdependencies between the measures as well as feedbacks with other sectors need to be taken into account.

Different kinds of models are used to assess the impact of policy instruments and their ability to achieve climate change policy objectives. Pfenninger et al. [5] classify models according to the different challenges they address. They differentiate between energy system models for normative scenarios, energy system simulation models for forecasts, power systems and electricity market models for analyzing operational decisions and qualitative and mixed-methods for narrative scenarios. Energy system models such as PRIMES [6], MARKAL [7], EFOM [8] or POLES [9] are able to convey the “big picture” of what is happening in different linked sectors of an energy system. These technology-oriented models focus on the energy conversion system, on the demand-side (e.g. efficiency measures) as well as supply side (e.g. wide range of generation technologies). The advantages of these models are that they cover several sectors, linking them through endogenous fuel substitution. They are mostly solved by optimization or simulation techniques when minimizing system costs or maximizing the overall welfare. Fais et al. [10] integrate different types of RES support schemes such as feed-in tariffs as well as quantity based instruments such as certificate systems in their energy system model Times-D. Their approach can be used to analyze exogenous support scheme but does not establish a link between attaining a specific CO₂ target and the level of required RES support, and does not allow analysis of long-term development. Moreover, RES generation is limited exogenously via upper

bounds on annual maximum expansion. They assume perfect competition and have limited possibilities to incorporate market power.

Apart from energy system models, there is a large strand of literature that employs a partial equilibrium setting to assess one particular market, e.g. the electricity market. This allows for analyzing non-cooperative firm behavior (e.g. à la Cournot) in more detail by allowing the firms to strategically exploit their influence on the market price with their output decision. Moreover, different risk attitudes and explicit shadow prices can be easily incorporated in these settings. The models have been focusing on considerations of resource adequacy [11], assessing the impact of environmental regulation [12], renewables obligations and portfolio standards see e.g., [13, 14], or congestion management of the transmission network [15].

One technology that is of particular interest for a future decarbonization of the electricity sector is CCTS. The technology comes with a dichotomy: On the one hand, it plays an important role in many of the possible energy system scenarios that are consistent with the EU Energy Roadmap [16]. Accordingly, the scenarios for the newest report from the IPCC [17] estimate a cost increase of 29–297% for reaching the 2°C target without the CCTS technology.¹ On the other hand, despite available financial schemes and technology, CCTS has not been implemented on a large scale anywhere in the world. Various authors have addressed this discrepancy with different regional focuses [19–22]. Gale et al. [23] in addition address this topic in a special issue commemorating the 10th anniversary of the first IPCC [24] special report on CCTS.

Most electricity market models do not put any emphasis on CCTS, and handle the technology like any other conventional generation technology by specifying investment and variable costs and fuel efficiency. For example, Eide et al. [25] apply a stochastic generation expansion model to determine the impact of CO₂ EPS on electricity generation investment decisions in the U.S. Their findings show a shift from fossil fuel generation from coal to natural gas rather than incentivizing investment in CCTS. Zhai and Rubin (2013) explored the “tipping point” in natural gas prices for which a coal plant with CCTS becomes economically competitive, as a function of an EPS. Middleton and Eccles [26] calculate the price for CO₂ to be in the range of 85–135 US\$/tCO₂ (65–105 €/tCO₂) to incentivize a gas power plant to use CCTS in the USA. This simplified representation of the CCTS technology in these models, however, neglects transportation and storage aspects as well as the possibility of industrial usage of CCTS.

By contrast, if models focus on CCTS infrastructure development, they often neglect how the technology is driven by decisions in the electricity market. A series of studies analyzed the technical potential of CCTS deployment, including possible CO₂ pipeline routing [27–31]. The construction of such large-scale new infrastructure networks is highly influenced by public acceptance, especially in densely populated regions such as the European Union [32]. Acceptance issues as well as technical uncertainties can

¹ RES and nuclear provide sufficient decarbonization alternatives for the electricity sector. The high cost increase, however, is caused by only limited alternative decarbonization technologies in the industry sector. Negative emissions of large-scale utilization of CCTS with biomass, in addition, compensate for unabatable emissions in other sectors [18].

lead to stark increases in costs of CCTS deployment [33]. In the absence of expected technological learning and with persistently low CO₂ certificate prices CCTS projects aim at additional income through CO₂-enhanced oil recovery (CO₂-EOR) [34–36].

Kjärstad et al. [37] have started to close the gap by combining the techno-economic *Chalmers Electricity Investment Model* with *InfraCCS*, a cost optimization tool for bulk CO₂ pipelines along with Chalmers databases on power plants and CO₂ storage sites. Their approach, however, relies on solving both sectors consecutively starting with the electricity model without any feedback options. They, in addition, do not include CO₂ capture from industrial sources. This neglects economies of scale especially with respect to transporting CO₂ as well as scarcity effects with respect to CO₂ storage. Additional research is needed to include different policy instruments into the modeling frameworks to evaluate the effect of various measures.

With electricity-CO₂ (ELCO), the model presented in this paper, we try to close the gap between the different sectoral approaches and introduce a comprehensive tool that is suitable for analyzing various climate policy measures in the energy and related sectors.

The remaining paper is structured as follows: The introduction is followed by a detailed description of the ELCO model in Sect. 2. A case study in Sect. 3 applies the ELCO model to the UK electricity market. The main policy measures are adjusted in the model to mimic the UK electricity market reform (EMR) and its long-term effects. Sect. 4 concludes with an outlook of future applications of the ELCO model.

2 Mathematical representation of the ELCO model

The ELCO model mimics the competition of different conventional electricity generation technologies on the electricity market and their interaction with new technologies that are financed via fixed tariffs. Each technology is represented via a stylized player that competes with one another. For a better representation of scarce CO₂ storage resources we also include a detailed representation of the complete CCTS value chain. This also includes potential CO₂ capture from the steel and cement industry. The different CO₂ storage options such as CO₂-EOR, saline aquifers and depleted oil and gas reservoirs compete against one another in the last stage of the CCTS value chain. All players maximize their respective profits subject to their own as well as joint technical and environmental constraints. Other (external) costs as well as further welfare components are not being analyzed. Regional disaggregation takes into account geographical characteristics like availability (especially with respect to maximum potential and conditions for renewables as well as CO₂ storage) and specific electricity demand. Time is discretized into representative time slices and years. The time slices are weighted to approximate a representative load duration curve. The players optimize their decision over the entire model horizon (until 2050).

Different policy measures such as a carbon price floor (CPF), an EPS or feed-in tariffs in form of contracts for differences (CfD) are included in the modeling framework. The ELCO model analyzes how these policy instruments will influence the construction of new generation capacities. CfD for newly constructed low-carbon technologies can be derived endogenously using shadow variables of constraints. Assuming perfect

competition between the different players, equilibrium is reached when overall system costs are minimized subject to all constraints.

The developed model is able to assess regionally disaggregated investment in electricity generation, generation dispatch and simplified flows as well as CO₂ transport, storage, and usage for CO₂-EOR. Incorporating CO₂ capture by industrial facilities from the steel, and cement sector enables, on the one hand, the representation of economies of scale along the transport routes while, on the other hand, leading to higher scarcity effects with respect to CO₂ storage options.

2.1 Notations of the model

The following tables list the used sets (Table 1), variables (Tables 2 and 3) and parameters (Table 4) of the ELCO model. Parameters are indicated by capital letters, variables by small sized letters and sets are resembled in subscripts. The detailed Karush–Kuhn–Tucker (KKT) conditions of the ELCO model are depicted in the Appendix.

2.2 The electricity sector

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Pi_{g|g_cfd}^{ELCO} = & \sum_a DF_a \cdot PD_a \\
 & + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \cdot \left(\begin{aligned} & \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} \alpha_{t,aa} \cdot \lambda_{aa}^{target_co2} \\ & - \sum_{t \in T_RES} [(1 - TARGET_RE_{aa}) \cdot \lambda_{aa}^{target_RE}] \\ & + \sum_{t \in T_RES} [TARGET_RE_{aa} \cdot \lambda_{aa}^{target_RE}] \\ & + SP_{t,aa} \\ & \left((EF_EL_t \cdot (1 - CR_G_t)) \cdot (CPS_a + EUA_t) \right) \\ & - (EF_EL_t \cdot CR_G_t \cdot mu_co2_{h,n,t}) \\ & + VC_G_{h,t,aa} + INTC_G_t \cdot g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \end{aligned} \right) \\
 & - \left((FC_G_{h,t,a} \cdot INICAP_G_{h,t,a}) + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} (FC_G_{h,t,aa} \cdot inv_g_{h,t,aa}) \right) \\
 & - \left(\sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} INVC_G_{h,t,aa} \cdot inv_g_{h,t,aa} \right)
 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

The ELCO model represents electricity generation from various technologies. Electricity generation is hereby divided in the two subgroups $g_{h,n,t,a}$ and $g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}$. $g_{h,n,t,a}$ comprise generation from all existing capacities and newly built carbon-intensive capacities from coal, gas OCGT and gas CCGT. $g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}$, on the other hand, include generation from newly constructed low-carbon generation capacities including PV, wind on/offshore, hydropower, biomass, CCTS coal/gas, and nuclear that are financed via the CfD scheme. The profit function for different technologies share the common component of fix costs $FC_G_{n,t,a}$ and annualized investment costs $INVC_G_{n,t,a}$ depending on the investments $inv_g_{n,t,a}$ (lowest rectangular segment). The variable costs components and revenue differ: for g -type technologies (upper

Table 1 List of sets of the ELCO model

Name	Description
a, aa, aaa	5 year period
h, hh	time interval
i, ii	CO ₂ sources from industry {Steel: IND_ST, Cement: IND_CE}
n, nn	node
new(t)	flag if a technology is newly built {0,1}
s, ss	CO ₂ sinks {Saline: STO_SA, DOGF: STO_DA, EOR: STO_SA}
t, tt	Generation technologies: { - g-type existing capacities: Nuc, Coal, Gas_GT: CCGT, Gas_CC: OCGT; - g-type new capacities: COAL_NEW, CCGT_NEW, OCGT_NEW; - g_cfd-type new capacities: PV: RES_PV, Wind_on: RES_WI_ON, Wind_off: RES_WI_OF, Hydro: RES_HY, Biomass: RES_BI, Coal_CCTS, CCGT_CCTS}

Table 2 List of variables of the ELCO model

Name	Description	Unit
co2_c(h,n,i,a)	Emissions captured from industry	[ktCO ₂ /h]
co2_s(h,n,s,a)	Stored emissions	[ktCO ₂ /h]
co2_t(h,n,nn,a)	Flow of CO ₂	[ktCO ₂]
el_t(h,n,nn,a)	Flow of electricity	[GW]
emps(a)	Emissions performance standard	[ktCO ₂ /GWh]
g(h,n,t,a)	Generation of electricity	[GW]
g_cfd(h,n,t,aa,a)	Generation electricity from CfD sources	[GW]
inv_co2_c(n,i,a)	Investment in capture technology	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
inv_co2_s(n,s,a)	Investment in storage technology	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
inv_co2_t(n,nn,a)	Investment in CO ₂ transport capacity	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
inv_el_t(n,nn,a)	Investment in electricity transport capacity	[k€/GW]
inv_g(n,t,a)	Investment in generation capacity	[k€/GW]

rectangle with upper flat corners) revenue is generated from sales on the electricity market receiving the electricity price $\mu_{e_{h,n,a}}$. The variable cost function comprise fuel and O&M costs with a linear and a quadratic term ($VC_{G_{n,t,a}}$ and $INTC_{G_t}$). Additionally, CO₂ costs are calculated based on the emission factor (EF_{EL_t}), multiplied with the sum of the EU-ETS CO₂ certificate price (EUA_a) and a carbon price support (CPS_a) in case of a carbon floor price for the electricity sector. For g_{cfd} -type technologies (middle rectangle with rounded corners) revenue is generated from the new CfD scheme. The CfD strike price can be incorporated in two ways: It can either be set exogenously, differentiated by year of construction and technology type. Or the strike price is determined endogenously. In the latter case, it depends on the extent to which generation from the respective technology contributes to achieving the environmental goals ($TARGET_{CO2_a}$ and $TARGET_{RE_a}$) and is incorporated in the

Table 3 List of dual variables of the ELCO model

Name	Description	Unit
lambda_cap_co2_c(h,n,i,a)	Dual of CO ₂ capture cap.	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_cap_co2_s(h,n,s,a)	Dual of CO ₂ annual storage cap.	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_cap_co2_t(h,n,nn,a)	Dual of CO ₂ transport cap.	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_cap_el_t(h,n,nn,a)	Dual of transmission cap.	[k€/GW]
lambda_cap_g(h,n,t,a)	Dual of elec. generation cap.	[k€/GW]
lambda_cap_g_cfd(h,n,t,aa,a)	Dual of elec. must run condition for RES	[k€/GW]
lambda_curt_el(h,a)	Dual of electricity curtailment	[k€/GW _h]
lambda_diff_co2_c(i,a)	Dual of diffusion for CO ₂ capture in industry	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_diff_co2_s(s,a)	Dual of diffusion for CO ₂ storage	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_diff_g(t,a)	Dual of diffusion for renewables	[k€/GW _h]
lambda_emps(n,t,a)	Dual of emps constraint	[k€/ktCO ₂]
lambda_max_ind(h,n,i,a)	Dual of maximum industry emissions	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_max_stor(n,s,a)	Dual of max. CO ₂ storage cap.	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
lambda_pot_g(n,t,a)	Dual of potential for renewables	[k€/GW]
lambda_target_co2(a)	Dual of CO ₂ emissions constraint	[k€/ktCO ₂]
lambda_target_RE(a)	Dual of renewables target constraint	[k€/GW _h]
mu_co2(h,n,a)	Dual of CO ₂ market clearing	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
mu_el(h,n,a)	Dual of electricity market clearing	[k€/GW _h]

dual variables of these constraints (see Sect. 2.2.1). This type also encounters additional variable cost components for possible CO₂ infrastructure (transport and storage) which are passed via the dual variable $mu_co2_{h,n,a}$ and account for CO₂ capture rates CR_G_t . The technology specific quadratic cost term is interpreted as integration cost for increasing shares of g_cfd -type generation.

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 \leq & \sum_h TD_h \cdot \sum_{\substack{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}, \\ (t,tt) \in ONE_FUEL_{t,tt}}} AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot inv_g_{n,tt,aa} \cdot EMPS_{aa} \\
 & - \sum_h TD_h \cdot \left[\begin{aligned} & [g_{h,n,t,a} \cdot (EF_EL_t \cdot (1 - CR_G_t))] \\ & + \sum_{\substack{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}, \\ (t,tt) \in ONE_FUEL_{t,tt}}} [g_cfd_{h,n,tt,aa,a} \cdot (EF_EL_{tt} \cdot (1 - CR_G_{tt}))] \end{aligned} \right] \perp \lambda_{n,t,a}^{emps} \geq 0. \tag{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

The individual players maximize their profit subject to several constraints. The EPS constraint (2) ensures that generation from newly constructed capacities does not exceed the annual allowed CO₂ emissions per GW. The overall emissions are calculated as an annual fuel and site specific sum, allowing for combined accounting of new capacities with and without CCTS. Where the first line gives a theoretical emissions budget, calculated based on the availability of the respective technology ($AVAIL_{h,n,t}$), the admissible emissions level based on the emission performance standard ($EMPS_a$) and the sum of active installed capacity in year a , for all installation at node n that use the same fuel (e.g., new coal-fired power plants both with and without CCTS count

Table 4 List of parameters of the ELCO model

Name	Description	
ADJ_CO2(n,nn)	Flag if two CO ₂ -nodes are adjacent	{0,1}
ADJ_EL(n,nn)	Flag if two Elec-nodes are adjacent	{0,1}
ALPHA(t,a)	Maximal marginal CO ₂ -abatement	[ktCO ₂ /GWh]
AVAIL(h,n,t)	Availability of power plant	[%]
CO2_IND(h,n,i,a)	CO ₂ Emission by industry	[ktCO ₂]
CO2_TARGET(a)	CO ₂ Target reduction for electricity sources	[%]
CP_CO2(s/i)	Planning and construction period	[years]
CP_G(t)	Planning and construction period	[years]
CPS(a)	Carbon price support	[k€/ktCO ₂]
CR_G(t)	Capture rate for generation	90% or 0%
CR_IND(i)	Capture rate for industries	90%
D(h,n,a)	Electricity demand	[GW]
DF(a)	Discount factor	[%]
DIFF_CO2(s/i)	Technology diffusion factor storage / industry capture	[%]
DIFF_G(t)	Technology diffusion factor by generation technology	[%]
EF_EL(t)	Emissions factor	[ktCO ₂ /GWh]
EFF_CO2	CO ₂ -EOR efficiency	[kbbbl/ktCO ₂]
EUA(a)	EU-ETS allowances	[k€/ktCO ₂]
FC_CO2(n,s/i,a)	Fix costs for CO ₂ capture, and storage	[k€/ktCO ₂]
FC_CO2_T(n,nn)	Fix costs for CO ₂ transport	[k€/ktCO ₂]
FC_F_E(n,nn)	Fix costs for electricity transport	[k€/GW]
FC_G(n,t,a)	Fix costs for generation w/o. or w/ capture	[k€/GW]
I_USE_CO2(s/i,a,aa)	Flag if capacity investment from year a can be used for generation in year aa in the CO ₂ sector	{0,1}
I_USE_EL(t,a,aa)	Flag if capacity investment from year a can be used for generation in year aa in the electricity sector	{0,1}
INICAP_EL_T(n,nn)	Initial capacity for electricity transport	[GW]
INICAP_G(n,t,a)	Initial capacity incl. retirement	[GW]
INTC_CO2(t)	Quadratic cost term for CO ₂ operation	[k€/GW ²]
INTC_G(t)	Quadratic integration costs for gen. technologies	[k€/GW ²]
INVC_CO2(n,s/i,a)	Investment cost for industrial CO ₂ capture capacity or storage per hour	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
INVC_CO2_T(n,nn)	Investment cost for CO ₂ transport	[k€/ktCO ₂ /h]
INVC_EL_T(n,nn)	Investment cost for electricity transport	[k€/GW]
INVC_G(n,t,a)	Investment cost for gen. capacity w/o or w/ capture	[k€/GW]

Table 4 continued

Name	Description	
LT_CO2(s/i)	Life time of industry CO ₂ capture & storage tech.	[years]
LT_G(t)	Life time of generation technology	[years]
MAX_INV(n,t)	Maximal potential of generation technology	[GW]
MAX_STOR(n,s)	Maximal CO ₂ storage capacity	[ktCO ₂]
OILPRICE(a)	Price of additional oil from CO ₂ -EOR	[k€/kbbbl]
ONE_FUEL(t,tt)	Flag for identical fuel	{0,1}
PD(a)	Period duration (5 years)	[years]
RE_TARGET(a)	Renewables target	[%]
REF_CO2	CO ₂ Emissions from electricity generation in 1990	[ktCO ₂]
RES_OLD(h,n,a)	Generation of already existing RE	[GW]
SP(t,a)	Strike price for CfD-technologies in first years	[k€/GWh]
START_CO2(s/i)	Starting capacity industry capture & storage tech.	[ktCO ₂ /h]
START_G(t)	Starting capacity for generation technology	[GW]
TD(h)	Time duration of each hourly segment	[hours]
USE_CO2(s/i,a,aa)	Flag if capacity investment from years aa can be used for generation in year a in the CO ₂ sector	{0,1}
USE_EL(t,a,aa)	Flag if capacity investment from years aa can be used for generation in year a in the elec. sector	{0,1}
VC_CO2(n,s/i,a)	Variable costs for CO ₂ capture or storage	[k€/ktCO ₂]
VC_CO2_T(n,nn)	Variable costs for CO ₂ transport	[k€/ktCO ₂]
VC_EL_T(n,nn)	Variable costs for electricity transport	[k€/GW]
VC_G(n,t,a)	Variable generation costs w/o. or w/ capture	[k€/GWh]

towards the same budget). The second line, gives the actual annual emissions for all installation of the same fuel type at this node based on their emission factor (EF_{EL_t}) and potentially a CO₂ capture rate for the technology (CR_{G_t}).

The generation capacity constraints (3) and (4) differ slightly for conventional generation technologies $g_{h,n,t,a}$ and newly constructed low-carbon technologies $g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}}$, as the calculation of currently available generation capacity differs for the two cases. In the first case current generation ($g_{h,n,t,a}$) cannot exceed total active installed capacity ($\sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} inv_g_{n,t,aa}$) time the respective availability factor ($AVAIL_{h,n,t}$). For CfD-technologies, the logic is similar, but the generation variable ($g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}}$) also captures the respective installation year.

$$0 \leq AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot \left(INICAP_{G_{n,t,a}} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} inv_{g_{n,t,aa}} \right) - g_{h,n,t,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,t,a}^{cap-g} \geq 0 \tag{3}$$

$$0 \leq AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot inv_{g_{n,t,aa}} - g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}} \perp \lambda_{h,n,t,aa,a}^{cap-g-cfd} \geq 0. \tag{4}$$

A diffusion constraint restricts the maximal annual generation ($\sum_{h,n,aa} TD_h \cdot g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}}$) depending on generation from the two previous periods multiplied with an empirical diffusion factor (**DIFF**_{G_t), plus some initial starting value (**START**_{G_t}) for new technologies times a weight based on availability factors and the number of nodes where a technology could be installed.}

$$0 \leq \left(START_{G_t} \cdot \frac{\sum_{h,n} AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot TD_h}{\#of\ nodes} + \left[\sum_{h,n,aa} TD_h \cdot (g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a-1}} + g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a-2}}) \right] \right) \cdot DIFF_{G_t} - \sum_{h,n,aa} TD_h \cdot g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}} \perp \lambda_{t,a}^{diff-g} \geq 0. \tag{5}$$

Another constraint limits the overall active installed capacity depending on a technology-specific maximal potential for each node (**MAX_INV**_{n,t}).

$$0 \leq MAX_INV_{n,t} - \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} inv_{g_{n,t,aa}} \perp \lambda_{n,t,a}^{pot-g} \geq 0. \tag{6}$$

2.2.1 Shared environmental constraints for the electricity sector

All players in the electricity sector have to respect shared environmental constraints: An annual CO₂ target guarantees that the emissions from annual dispatch are lower or equal to an exogenously set CO₂ reduction path (7).

$$0 \leq \sum_{h,n,t} TD_h \cdot \left[\left(g_{h,n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} g_{cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}} \right) \cdot \alpha_{t,a} \right] \perp \lambda_a^{target-co2} \geq 0. \tag{7}$$

The target is incorporated in the parameter $\alpha_{t,a}$, which is calculated according to (8). It corresponds to the marginal contribution of the respective technology to the targeted CO₂ intensity for a particular year. This is calculated as the product of a reference CO₂ emissions level (**REF_CO2**) times a percentage target level (**CO2_TARGET**) divided by total demand. Then we subtract the emission factor of the respective technology (**EF_EL_t**), potentially reduced by a capture rate (**CR_G_t**) for CCTS. $\alpha_{t,a}$ is positive for low-carbon technologies while having negative values for conventional generation.

$$\alpha_{t,a} = \frac{CO2_TARGET_a \cdot REF_CO2}{\sum_{h,n} D_{h,n,a} \cdot TD_h} - (1 - CR_{G_t}) \cdot EF_EL_t. \tag{8}$$

National renewable targets setting a minimum share of renewable generation can be implemented in an additional renewable constraint. This constraint, however, is deactivated in the scenario analyzed in this paper. Here the target is given as a share of total annual demand which has to be satisfied from renewable sources.

$$0 \leq \sum_{h,n} TD_h \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c} \sum_{\substack{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}, \\ t \in T_RES}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} + RES_OLD_{h,n,a} \\ - RE_TARGET_a \cdot \sum_{h,n} d_{h,n,a} \end{array} \right] \perp \lambda_a^{target_RE} \geq 0. \tag{9}$$

2.3 The electricity transportation utility

The objective function of the electricity transportation utility is shown in the following equation: The sum of variable costs $VC_EL_T_{n,nn}$ and annualized investment costs $INVC_EL_T_{n,nn}$ equalize the congestion rent gives as the hourly electricity price ($\mu_{e_{h,n,a}}$) difference between the two indecent nodes. Electricity flow ($el_t_{h,n,nn,a}$) is treated as a normal transport commodity ignoring Kirchhoff's 2nd law as network congestion is not the focus of the ELCO model. $inv_el_t_{n,nn,a}$ gives the electricity grid investment.

$$\Pi^{TSO-E} = \sum_a DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot \sum_{\substack{n,nn \\ aa < a}} \left[\begin{array}{c} - \sum_h TD_h \cdot \left(\begin{array}{c} (\mu_{e_{h,n,a}} - \mu_{e_{h,nn,a}}) \cdot el_t_{h,n,nn,a} \\ + VC_EL_T_{n,nn} \cdot el_t_{h,n,nn,a} \end{array} \right) \\ - \sum_{aa < a} (INVC_EL_T_{n,nn} \cdot inv_el_t_{n,nn,a}) \end{array} \right] \tag{10}$$

The electricity utility maximizes its profits subject to the following line capacity constraint, where line flow ($el_t_{h,n,nn,a}$) cannot exceed initial capacity ($INICAP_EL_T_{n,nn}$) plus investment ($inv_el_t_{n,nn,a}$) in adjacent lines ($ADJ_EL_{n,nn}$).

$$0 \leq INICAP_EL_T_{n,nn} + \sum_{aa < a} (ADJ_EL_{n,nn} \cdot inv_el_t_{n,nn,aa} + ADJ_EL_{nn,n} \cdot inv_el_t_{nn,n,aa}) - el_t_{h,n,nn,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_el_t} \geq 0. \tag{11}$$

2.4 The industry sector

The industry is represented by the two sectors i : Iron and steel as well as cement which are most likely to use CO₂ capture as a mitigation option. The objective function of the

industry sectors is limited to the abatement costs linked to exogenously given historic CO₂ emissions. They include the option of either paying the EUA_a or investing into the CCTS technology with its variable costs $VC_CO2_{n,i,a}$, fix costs $FC_CO2_{n,i,a}$ and annualized investment costs $INVC_CO2_{n,i,a}$. The additional costs for a possible CO₂ infrastructure (transport and storage) are passed on from the downstream CO₂ sector via the dual variable $mu_co2_{h,n,a}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi^{IND} = & \sum_a DF_a \\ & \cdot PD_a \left(- \sum_h \left[TD_h \cdot \left(+ (CO2_IND_{h,n,i,a} - co2_ch_{n,i,a}) \cdot EUA_a \right) \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. + co2_ch_{n,i,a} \cdot mu_co2_{h,n,a} \right. \right. \\ & \left. \left. + co2_ch_{n,i,a} \cdot VC_CO2_{n,i,a} \right) \right] \right) \\ & - \left(FC_CO2_{n,i,a} \cdot \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{i,aa}} inv_co2_c_{n,i,aa} \right) \\ & - \left(INVC_CO2_{n,i,a} \cdot \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{i,aa}} inv_co2_c_{n,i,aa} \right) \end{aligned} \tag{12}$$

The industry sector maximizes its objective function subject to similar constraints as the electricity sector. A diffusion constraint (13) restricts the maximal annual investment depending on previous investments and some initialization capacity ($START_CO2_i$) multiplied with a diffusion factor ($DIFF_CO2_i$).

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq & \left(START_CO2_i + \sum_n \sum_{aa < a} inv_co2_c_{n,i,aa} \right) \cdot DIFF_CO2_i \\ & - \sum_n inv_co2_c_{n,i,a} \pm \lambda_{i,a}^{diff_co2_c} \geq 0. \end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

The annual capturing quantity is restricted by the amount of previous investments (14) as well as the overall maximal capturing quantity per node and technology (15).

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq & \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{i,aa}} inv_co2_{n,i,aa} \cdot CR_IND_i - co2_ch_{n,i,a} \pm \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{cap_co2_c} \geq 0 \tag{14} \\ 0 \leq & CO2_IND_{h,n,i,a} \cdot CR_IND_i - co2_ch_{n,i,a} \pm \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{max_ind} \geq 0 \tag{15} \end{aligned}$$

2.5 The CO₂ transportation utility

For the CO₂ transportation utility we assume a similar structure as for the electricity transport utility. Again, the sum of variable costs $VC_CO2_T_{n,nn}$ and annualized investment costs $INVC_CO2_{n,nn}$ equalize the difference between the dual prices ($mu_co2_{h,n,a}$) between two nodes.

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi^{TSO_CO2} = & \sum_a DF_a \cdot PD_a \\ & \cdot \sum_{n,nn} \left[- \sum_h TD_h \cdot \begin{pmatrix} (mu_co2_{h,n,a} - mu_co2_{h,nn,a}) \\ \cdot co2_t_{h,n,nn,a} \\ + VC_CO2_T_{n,nn} \cdot co2_t_{h,n,nn,a} \end{pmatrix} \right. \\ & \left. - \sum_{aa < a} (INVC_CO2_T_{n,nn} \cdot inv_co2_t_{n,nn,a}) \right] \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

A pipeline capacity constraint restricts CO₂ transport:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \leq & INICAP_CO2_T_{n,nn} + \sum_{aa < a} \begin{pmatrix} ADJ_CO2_{n,nn} \cdot inv_co2_t_{n,nn,aa} \\ + ADJ_CO2_{nn,n} \cdot inv_co2_t_{nn,n,aa} \end{pmatrix} \\ & - co2_t_{h,n,nn,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_co2_t} \geq 0. \end{aligned} \tag{17}$$

2.6 The storage sector

Saline aquifers, depleted oil and gas fields (DOGF) and fields with the opportunity for CO₂-EOR are identified as possible storage locations *s*. The objective function of the storage operator represents the abatement costs linked to the underground storage of CO₂. For CO₂-EOR sites it includes the option of returns received from oil sales at oil price *OILPRICE_a*. The storage costs consist of the variable costs *VC_CO2_{n,s,a}*, a quadratic cost term *INTC_S_t*, fix costs *FC_CO2_{n,s,a}* and annualized investment costs *INVC_CO2_{n,s,a}*. The dual variable *mu_co2_{h,n,a}* is used to pass on the overall storage costs (or in case of CO₂-EOR also possible returns) to the CO₂ transport sector.

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi^{STOR} = & \sum_a DF_a \\ & \cdot PD_a \left(\begin{aligned} & - \sum_h \left[TD_h \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -co2_Sh_{n,s,a} \cdot EFF_CO2 \cdot OILPRICE_a \\ -co2_Sh_{n,s,a} \cdot mu_co2_{h,n,s,a} \\ +co2_Sh_{n,s,a} \cdot VC_CO2_{n,s,a} \\ +INTC_S_t \cdot co2_s^2_{h,n,s,a} \end{pmatrix} \right] \\ & - \begin{pmatrix} FC_CO2_{n,s,a} \cdot \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{s,a,aa}} inv_co2_s_{n,s,aa} \\ INVC_CO2_{n,s,a} \cdot \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{s,a,aa}} inv_co2_s_{n,s,aa} \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \right) \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

Storage entities maximize their objective functions subject to a respective diffusion constraint which limits their maximal annual investment based on previous investments and some initiating capacity (*START_CO2_s*) multiplied with a diffusion factor (*DIFF_CO2_s*).

$$0 \leq \left(START_CO2_s + \sum_n \sum_{aa < a} inv_co2_s_{n,s,aa} \right) \cdot DIFF_CO2_s - \sum_n inv_co2_s_{n,s,a} \perp \lambda_{s,a}^{diff-co2-s} \geq 0. \tag{19}$$

Further constraints restrict the annual storage quantities based on prior investments (20) as well as the overall maximal storage quantity per site and technology ($MAX_STOR_{n,s}$) (21).

$$0 \leq \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{s,aa}} inv_co2_s_{n,s,aa} - co2_s_{h,n,s,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,s,a}^{cap-co2-s} \geq 0 \tag{20}$$

$$0 \leq MAX_STOR_{n,s} - \sum_h \left(TD_h \cdot \sum_{aa \leq a} PD_{aa} \cdot co2_s_{h,n,s,aa} \right) \perp \lambda_{n,s,a}^{max-stor} \geq 0 \tag{21}$$

2.7 Market clearing conditions across all sectors

Three market clearing conditions connect the different sites (represented as nodes) and sectors in the ELCO model: The first two represent the energy balance, while the third balances CO₂ flows. With the introduction of the CfD scheme, the electricity market is fragmented: Technologies not supported by the CfD scheme market their generation to serve residual demand that remains after subtracting supply from CfD supported technologies as shown in (22). This gives the nodal balance as the sum of generation from conventional and CfD-technologies and inflows minus outflows, demand and fixed feed-in from pre-CfD renewables. The free dual variable $mu_e_{h,n,a}$ of this equation corresponds to the price observed at the electricity wholesale market. By contrast, CfD-technologies do not observe any feedback between their generation and market demand, just like in reality. Therefore, an additional curtailment constraint needs to be introduced (23), that limits total generation to meet the total demand.

$$0 = \sum_t \left(g_{h,n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \right) + \sum_{nn} el_t_{h,nn,n,a} - \sum_{nn} el_t_{h,n,nn,a} - (D_{h,n,a} - RES_OLD_{h,n,a}) \mu_e_{h,n,a} \text{ (free)} \quad \forall h, n, a \tag{22}$$

$$0 \leq \sum_n (D_{h,n,a} - RES_OLD_{h,n,a}) - \sum_n \sum_t \left(g_{h,n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \right) \perp \lambda_{n,a}^{curt-s} \geq 0. \tag{23}$$

The third market clearing is the CO₂ flow balance (24) with its free dual variable $\mu_{co2_{h,n,a}}$. Here, CO₂ flow out of the node plus storage at the node is balanced with CO₂-inflow and captured CO₂ from industry and the power sector.

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 = & \sum_{nn} co2_t_{h,n,nn,a} + \sum_s co2_s_{h,n,s,a} - \sum_i co2_ch_{n,i,a} \\
 & - \sum_t \left(\sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cf d_{h,n,t,aa,a} \cdot EF_t \cdot CR_G_t \right) \\
 & - \sum_{nn} co2_t_{h,nn,n,a} \mu_{co2_{h,n,a}} \text{ (free)} \quad \forall h, n, a
 \end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

3 Case study: the UK electricity market reform

The UK energy and climate policy used to be subject to a significant dichotomy between its policy targets and reality. Despite of fixed goals on final energy consumption from renewables (15% in 2020) and binding 5-year carbon reduction targets towards an 80% reduction by 2050, the current energy policy framework was lacking instruments to incentivize investments that are necessary to achieve these goals [38]. In addition, up to 20 GW of mostly coal fired generation have exceeded 40 years of age in the year 2015 [39] and are either to be decommissioned or in need of retrofit investments. The upcoming decade therefore becomes vital for a future decarbonized electricity market to prevent stranded investments in carbon intensive power plants. The UK government decided to undertake a major restructuring of its energy policy framework, called EMR [40]. The EMR introduces four main policies to support low-carbon technologies: CfD, carbon floor price (CFP), EPS and a capacity market (CM).

These instruments constitute a major reform to the previous framework of the UK electricity market which was characterized by a high competitiveness and low market concentration [41]. Thus, its effects have been controversially discussed, e.g. by [38], [42]. Some critics question the effect the reform might have on the UK electricity market and in particular on the future of low-carbon technologies. The future generation mix will be mostly determined by the government through long-term contracts with little ability to react quickly to future changes. Major risks include possible welfare losses as well as possible breached climate targets due to stranded investments in carbon intensive power plants (a topic examined by Johnson et al. [43] on a global level). This calls for additional research on low-carbon technologies in the UK. Chalmers et al. [44] summarize the findings of the 2-year UKERC research project on the implementation of CCTS in the UK. To our best knowledge, however, there is no model that evaluates the effects of the UK-EMR on the UK electricity market as well as on the overall CCTS value chain including also the main industrial CO₂ emitters.

The following section describes the UK-EMR and the policy measures which are included in the ELCO model.² The used data set and results of this case study are afterwards discussed in the Sects. 3.2 and 3.3. Section 3.4 provides a comparison of case study results to other studies.

² The specifics of a possible CM in the UK are not clear yet and were therefore not included in this case study.

3.1 Describing the instruments: contracts for differences, carbon price floor, and emissions performance standard

Contracts for differences (CfD) were tied in the UK Energy Bill in 2013. They consist of a strike price for different low-carbon technologies resembling a fixed feed-in tariff. Generators take part in the normal electricity market but receive top-up payments from the government if the achieved prices are lower than the strike price. The government, on the other hand, receives equivalent payments from the generator if the market price exceeds the strike price. CfD and inherent strike prices are fixed for the duration of the contract. The long-term target of the CfD scheme is to find the most competitive carbon neutral technologies. In the short run, strike price levels are decided on in a technology-specific administrative negotiation process. In the long run, it is envisioned to determine a common strike price via a technology-neutral auction.

The UK government hopes that CfD enhance future investments as feed-in tariffs reduce the risk of market prices and gives incentives for cost reductions. Technologies that are supported through CfD are various kinds of renewables (e.g. on-/offshore wind, PV, tidal, etc.) but also CCTS and nuclear. International dissent exists especially for the latter. Critics argue that a CfD for nuclear energy resembles an illegal subsidy tailored for the newly planned “Hinkley Point” project. The European Commission (EC) regulation requires implementation for an entire technology and accessibility for all possible investors. On the other hand, due to its technology and safety specifics the nuclear sector is only open for a limited number of actors. The EC, however, decided in favour of the project after a formal investigation in October 2014, which might also have an effect on nuclear policies in other countries [45].

The UK introduced a carbon price floor (CPF) of 16 £/tCO₂ (around 20 €/tCO₂) for electricity generators in 2013 to reduce uncertainty for investors. The CPF consists of the EU-ETS CO₂ price and a variable climate change levy on top [carbon price support (CPS)]. Forecasting errors in predicting the price of EU-ETS 2 years ahead can lead to distortions between the targeted and the final CPF. The climate change levy actually already exists since 2001, but the electricity sector used to be exempted from it. In 2013, the levy is expected to generate around £1 bn in the year 2013 [46].

Initially, the CPF was planned to be gradually increasing to reach a target price of 30 £/tCO₂ (around 38 €/tCO₂) in 2020 and 70 £/tCO₂ (around 88 €/tCO₂) in 2030. A constantly rising minimum price should ensure increasing runtimes for low-carbon technologies such as renewables, nuclear and CCTS as fossil based electricity generation becomes more expensive due to their CO₂ emissions. The British minister for finance, however, announced in March 2014 that the CPF will be frozen at a level of 18 £/tCO₂ (around 23 €/tCO₂) until 2019/20 [47]. The reason for this decision was the increasing discrepancy between the CPF and the EU-ETS CO₂ emission price, lowering the competitiveness of British firms. It is yet unclear, how the CPF will evolve after 2020; depending probably largely on the effect of the upcoming structural reform of the EU-ETS. The CPS only has an effect on the British electricity sector. Neither is the combustion of natural gas for heating or cooking nor are electricity imports from neighboring countries affected by this instrument. The latter is also the main reason why the CPS has not been implemented in Northern Ireland which is part of the single electricity market in Ireland [38].

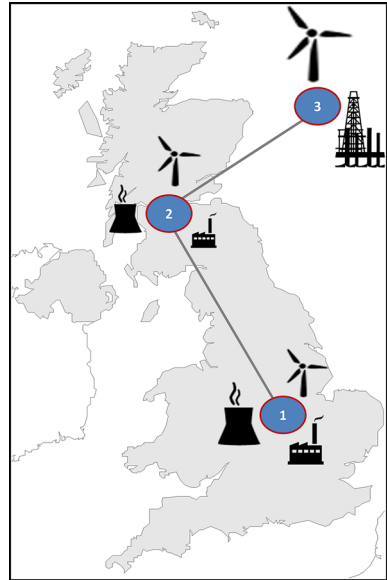
Another instrument implemented in the Energy Bill is the CO₂ EPS [40]. It limits the maximal annual CO₂ emission of newly built or retrofitted electricity units to the ones of an average gas-fired power plant without carbon capture. Plants with higher carbon intensities like coal-fired units either have to reduce their load factor or install capture facilities for parts of their emissions. The EPS for a unit can be calculated by multiplying its capacity with 450 gCO₂/kWh times 7446 h (equivalent to a 0.85 load factor and 8760 h per year). This results in an annual CO₂ budget of 3350 tCO₂/MW, restricting a coal-fired unit with emissions of 750 g/kWh to a maximal load factor of 0.5 or 4470 h per year. The goal of this regulation is to foster investment in new gas power plants as well as power plants with capturing units. Power plants with capture units are additionally exempted from EPS for the first 3 years of operation to optimize their production cycles. Special exemptions exist for biomass plants smaller than 50 MW and related to heat production and in the case of temporary energy shortage.

3.2 Data input

Electricity generation capacities as well as data for investment cost, variable cost, fixed cost, availability and life time assumptions are taken from DECC [39,48]. We assume a linear cost reduction over time for the investment cost according to Schröder et al. [49]; variable and fixed cost remain constant. The costs are independent from power plant location; but availabilities of renewables do vary. Industrial CO₂ emissions and their location are taken from studies concentrating on CCTS adoption in the UK industry sector [50,51]. Capturing costs in the industry sector as well as costs for CO₂ storage and CO₂-EOR application are taken from Mendelevitch [34]. The fix costs are included in the variable capturing costs.

The simplified representation used for this case study consists of three nodes (see Fig. 1). Node 1 and 2 represent the Northern and Southern part of the UK with their power plants and industrial facilities. A third offshore node resembles possible locations for offshore wind parks as well as CO₂ storage with and without CO₂-EOR in the North Sea. We assume electricity and CO₂ pipeline connections between node 1 and 2 as well as between node 2 and node 3. Moreover, we assume a simplified electricity grid neglecting congestion between nodes in this scenario. In addition, no exchange with the neighboring countries is allowed. CO₂ pipelines can endogenously be constructed between adjacent nodes.

The CPF is assumed to remain constant at 18 £/tCO₂ (around 23 €/tCO₂) until 2020. We assume the CO₂ price to increase due to the effects of the structural reform of the EU-ETS. CPF and CO₂ price are thus assumed to have the same level from 2030 onwards, rising linearly from €35 in 2030 to €80 in 2050. We include price projections for the strike prices in 2015 and 2020 given by DECC [52]. These technology specific differences will be linearly reduced until 2030. Starting from 2030 all technologies under the CfD will be given the same financial support via an endogenous auctioning system. The EPS is set at a level of 450 g/kWh [40]. An annual CO₂ emissions reduction of 1% in the electricity sector is implemented leading to 90% emissions reduction in 2050 compared to 1990, mimicking a CO₂ emission reduction path similar to the “gone green” Scenario of National Grid’s Future Energy Scenarios [53]. No specific

Fig. 1 Simplified network

RES target is set. The discount rate is 5% for all players. The oil price is expected to remain at a level of 65 €/bbl, which is in the rate of the average oil price implied by the World Energy Outlook Current Policies Scenario [54].

The annual load duration curve of UK is approximated by five weighted type hours, assuming a demand reduction of 20% until 2050 (base year 2015). This simplification does not allow for demand shifting nor energy storage in between type hours. CO₂ emissions from industrial sources are assumed to decline by 40% until 2050. The lifetime of the existing power plant fleet varies by technology between 25 (most renewables), 40 (gas) and 50 (coal, nuclear, and hydro) years.

3.3 Case study results

This simplified case study was created to show the characteristics and features of the ELCO model. Its results should not be over-interpreted but give an idea of the potential of the model.

The implementation of the various policy measures leads to a diversified electricity portfolio in 2050: with no specific RES target in place, renewables account for 46% of generation, gas (26%), nuclear (15%), and CCTS (13%). The majority of the investments in new renewable capacity happen before 2030. Less favorable regional potentials and technologies such as PV are only used in later periods. The implemented incentive mechanism is comparable to an auctioning system of “uniform pricing” where the last bidder sets the price. The average payments for low-carbon technologies are in the range of 80 to 110 €/MWh but depend strongly on the assumptions for learning curves and technology potentials. Different allocation mechanisms such as “pay as bid” might lower the overall system costs.

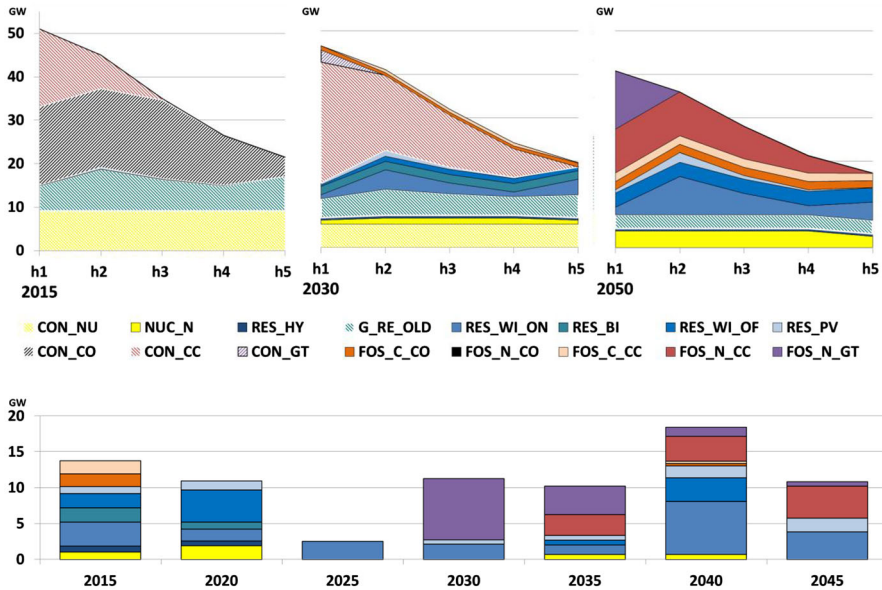


Fig. 2 Electricity generation (*top*) and power plant investment (*bottom*) from 2015 to 2050

The share of coal-fired energy production is sharply reduced from 39% in 2015 to 0% in 2030 due to a phasing-out of the existing capacities (see Fig. 2). New investments in fossil capacities occur for gas-fired CCGT plants, which are built from 2030 onwards. EPS hinders the construction of any new coal-fired power plant without CO₂ capture. Sensitivity analysis shows that a change of its current level of 450 g/kWh in the range of 400-500 g/kWh has only little effect: Gas-fired power plants would still be allowed sufficient run-time hours while coal-fired plants remain strongly constrained. The overall capacity of nuclear power plants is slightly reduced over time.³ The share of renewables in the system grows continuously from 20% in 2015 to 30% in 2030 and 46% in 2050. Wind off- (41% in 2050) and onshore (25% in 2050) are the main renewable energy sources followed by hydro and biomass (together 27% in 2050).

CO₂-EOR creates additional returns for CCTS deployment through oil sales. These profits trigger investments in CCTS regardless of additional incentives from the energy market. The potential for CO₂-EOR is limited and will be used to its full extent until 2050. The maximum share of CCTS in the electricity mix is 16% in 2045. The combination of assumed ETS and oil price also triggers CCTS deployment in the industry sector from 2020 onwards (see Fig. 3). The industrial CO₂ capture rate, contrary to the electricity sector, is constant over all type hours. The storage process requires a constant injection pressure, especially when connected to a CO₂-EOR operation. This shows the need for intermediate CO₂ storage to enable a continuous storage procedure

³ This is influenced through the diffusion constraint which limits the maximal annual construction, esp. in early periods.

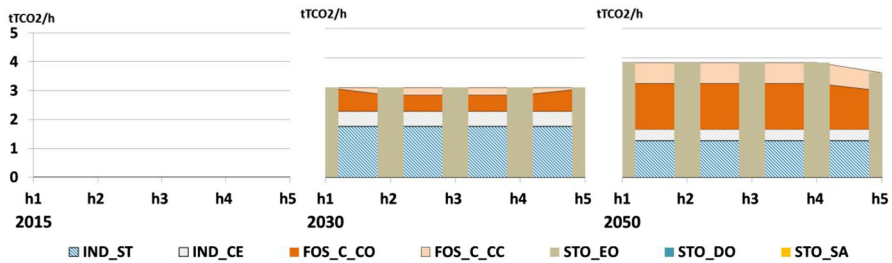


Fig. 3 CO₂ capture by electricity and industrial sector (area) and CO₂ storage (bars) in 2015, 2030 and 2050

and should be more closely examined in further studies. From 2030 onwards, emissions in the industrial sector are captured with the maximum possible capture rate of 90%. The usage of saline aquifers as well as depleted oil and gas fields is not beneficial assuming a CO₂ certificate price of 80 €/tCO₂ in 2050.

3.4 Comparison of UK showcase results to other studies

Table 5 provides a comparison of key results from the UK show case to findings from other related studies on the electricity and CO₂ sector. The different scenarios of Nationalgrid [53] show different visions of the UK electricity sector: The scenarios “gone green” and “slow progression” follow a continuous decarbonization pathway based on the three pillars of RES, nuclear and CCTS. The scenarios “no progression” and “consumer power”, on the other hand, assume less innovation and relatively constant CO₂ emissions missing the nation’s climate targets. CCTS is not deployed in the latter two scenarios. By contrast, Kjærstad et al. [37] analyze the entire European electricity sector and take CCTS into account. Results from Nationalgrid [53] as well as from Kjærstad et al. [37], however, only assume CCTS applications in the electricity sector neglecting industrial emissions. Also, the opportunity of additional revenue from CO₂-EOR is not taken into consideration. The CCTS-model of Oei and Mendelevitch [55] includes the industry sector as well as the possibility of CO₂-EOR.

Our model showcase results follow a similar storyline as the “gone green” and “slow progression” scenarios of Nationalgrid [53] for the electricity sector. However, more restrictive assumptions on nuclear technology result in a lower share of nuclear generation. Kjærstad et al. [37] calculate similar shares of RES and nuclear generation, but see twice as high shares for CCTS. More detailed results on the CCTS sector can only be compared to Kjærstad et al. [37] and Oei and Mendelevitch [55]. While the former see CCTS implementation already from 2020 onwards, the latter differentiate between early deployment for CCTS in industry (2020) and late deployment for the electricity sector (2040). This is in line with results obtained in this paper. When comparing our results to Oei and Mendelevitch [55], widening the geographical area from the UK to the entire North-Sea region leads to a lower share of CO₂-EOR storage

Table 5 Comparison of ELCO UK showcase study results to other studies.

Climate policy		UK future energy scenarios [53]*					Consumer Power	Kjärstad et al. [37]	Oei & Mendelevitch [55]
	ELCO	Gone green	Slow progression	No progression					
CO ₂ reduction target for the elec. sector (base 1990)	2030	-55%	-51%	-45%		-47%	-55%	n.a.	
Modeled climate policy instrum.	2050	-90%	-72%	-48%		-53%	-85%	-80%	
		EPS, CfD, CO ₂ Price floor	Limited decarb. trans.	Busi-ness as usual		A market-driven world	Europ. annual CO ₂ goal	Rising CO ₂ price	
Electricity sector									
% of RES** / NUC / CCTS of total Gen	2030	58/16/2	50/10/0	37/2/0		45/10/0	30/30/15	n.a.	
	2050	46/15/13	51/36/8	27/11/0		42/38/0	50/15/30	n.a.	
CCTS sector									
Starting year of CCTS	Elec.	2025	2045	n.a.		n.a.	2020	2040	
	Ind.	2020	n.a.	n.a.		n.a.	n.a.	2020	
% of CO ₂ -EOR of total CO ₂ stored		100	n.a.	n.a.		n.a.	n.a.	11	

Source: Own compilation based on various sources

* Reduction targets for entire energy sector

** Include PV, wind, biomass, and hydro

as also other offshore storage sites near the coastline are being used once all CO₂-EOR potential has been exploited.

4 Conclusion: findings of an integrated electricity-CO₂ modeling approach

This paper, we presents a general electricity-CO₂ modeling framework (ELCO model). The model captures interactions on the energy-only market and their interrelation with different forms for national policy measures. Additionally, it features a full representation of the carbon capture, transport, and storage (CCTS) chain. Climate policy measures that can be examined include feed-in tariffs, a minimum CO₂ price and EPS. For a more comprehensive representation of potential conflict of interest for CO₂ storage, the model also includes large point industrial emitters from the iron and steel as well as cement sector that might also invest in carbon capture, increasing scarcity for CO₂ storage. Therefore, the modeling framework mimics the typical issues encountered in coal-based electricity systems that are now entering into transition to a low-carbon generation base. The model can be used to examine the effects of different envisioned policy measures and evaluate policy trade-off.

This paper is used to describe the different features and potentials of the ELCO model. Such characteristics can easily be examined with a simplified model, even though its quantitative results should not be over-interpreted. As further development steps we need to test the robustness of the equilibrium results with sensitivity analysis while increasing the regional and time resolution of the model.

The mathematical formulation of the model implies some critical parameter, where the respective choice will have a strong impact on attainable equilibrium results. The deployment of an individual technology will be governed by its relative competitiveness compared to other technologies, but both, maximum nodal potential and the diffusion factor will significantly influence its deployment. Besides, the implemented climate targets (for renewables and for CO₂ emissions) drive the results, by providing incentives to invest in RES technologies.

The results of the case study on the UK EMR present a show case of the model framework. It incorporates the unique combination of a fully represented CCTS infrastructure and a detailed representation of the electricity sector in UK. The instruments of the UK EMR, like EPS, CfD and CPF are integrated into the framework. Also we take into account demand variation in type hours, the availability of more and less favorable locations for RES and limits for their annual diffusion. The model is driven by a CO₂ target and an optional RES target.

The next steps are to compare the costs of different incentive schemes and to analyze their effects on the deployment of different low-carbon technologies, with a special focus on CCTS with and without the option for CO₂-enhanced oil recovery (CO₂-EOR). The role of industry CCTS needs to be further considered in this context. Additionally, we plan to study the feedback effects between the CfD scheme and the electricity price, and investigate the incentives of the government which acts along the three pillars of energy policy: cost-efficiency, sustainability and security; in a two-level setting. This also includes calculating the system integration costs of low-carbon

technologies. A more detailed representation of the electricity transmission system operator (TSO) as market organizer helps doing so by separating financial and physical flows. The TSO is on the one hand responsible to guarantee supply meeting demand at any time and on the other hand reimburses CfD technologies for curtailment. At a later stage, we want to use the model for more realistic case studies to draw conclusions and possible policy recommendations for low-carbon support schemes in the UK as well as in other countries.

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Appendix: Karush–Kuhn–Tucker conditions of the ELCO model

The electricity sector

$$\frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial g_{h,n,t,a}} : \quad 0 \leq \left(DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot TD_h \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -\mu_{e_{h,n,a}} \\ +EF_EL_t \cdot (1 - CR_G_t) \cdot (CPS_a + EUA_a) \\ +VC_G_{n,t,a} + INTC_G_t \cdot g_{h,n,t,a} \\ -\lambda_a^{target_CO2} \cdot \alpha_{t,a} \end{pmatrix} \right) \perp g_{h,n,t,a} \geq 0. \tag{25}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a}} : \quad 0 \leq DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot TD_h \cdot \left(\begin{array}{l} -SP_{t,aa} - \sum_{aaa \in I_USE_{t,aa,aaa}} \alpha_{t,aaa} \cdot \lambda_{aaa}^{target_co2} \\ - \sum_{\substack{aaa \in I_USE_EL_{t,aa,aaa}, \\ t \in T_RES}} \\ \left[(1 - TARGET_RE_{aaa}) \cdot \lambda_{aaa}^{target_RE} \right] \\ + \sum_{\substack{aaa \in I_USE_EL_{t,aa,aaa}, \\ t \notin T_RES}} \\ \left[TARGET_RE_{aaa} \cdot \lambda_{aaa}^{target_RE} \right] \\ + EF_EL_t \cdot (1 - CR_G_t) \cdot (CPS_a + EUA_a) \\ + EF_EL_t \cdot CR_G_t \cdot \mu_{CO2_{h,n,a}} \\ + VC_G_{n,t,a} + INTC_G_t \cdot g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \end{array} \right) \perp g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \geq 0. \tag{26}$$

$$+ TD_h \cdot \sum_{tt \in ONEFUEL_{t,t}} \lambda_{n,tt,a}^{emps} \cdot EF_EL_t \cdot (1 - CR_G_t) + \lambda_{h,n,t,aa,a}^{cap_g_cfd} + \lambda_{h,a}^{curt_el}$$

$$+ TD_h \cdot \lambda_{t,a}^{diff_g} - TD_h \cdot DIFF_G_t \cdot \left(\lambda_{t,a+1}^{diff_g} + \lambda_{t,a+2}^{diff_g} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial inv_g_{n,t,a}} : \\
 & 0 \leq \left[\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{aa \in I_USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} PD_{aa} \cdot DF_{aa} \cdot (FC_G_{n,t,aa} + INVC_G_{n,t,aa}) \\
 & - \sum_h TD_h \cdot AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot EMPS_{aa} \cdot \sum_{\substack{aa \in I_USE_EL_{t,a,aa} \\ tt \in ONEFUEL_{tt,t}}} \lambda_{n,tt,aa}^{emps} \\
 & - \sum_h \sum_{aa \in I_USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} (AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot \lambda_{h,n,t,aa}^{cap-g}) \\
 & - \sum_h \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} (AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot \lambda_{h,n,t,a,aa}^{cap-g-cfd}) \\
 & + \sum_{aa \in I_USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} \lambda_{n,t,aa}^{pot-g}
 \end{aligned} \right] \\
 & \perp inv_g_{h,n,t,a} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{27}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial \lambda_{n,t,a}^{emps}} : \\
 & 0 \leq \left(\sum_h TD_h \cdot AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot \sum_{\substack{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}, \\ (t, tt) \in ONE_FUEL_{t,tt}}} inv_g_{n,tt,aa} \cdot EMPS_{aa} \right. \\
 & \left. - \sum_h TD_h \cdot \left[\begin{aligned}
 & [g_{h,n,t,a} \cdot (EF_EL_t \cdot (1 - CR_G_t))] \\
 & + \sum_{\substack{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}, \\ (t, tt) \in ONE_FUEL_{t,tt}}} [g_cfd_{h,n,tt,aa,a} \\
 & \cdot (EF_EL_{tt} \cdot (1 - CR_G_{tt}))]
 \end{aligned} \right] \right) \\
 & \perp \lambda_{n,t,a}^{emps} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{28}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,t,a}^{cap-g}} : \\
 & 0 \leq AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot \left(INICAP_G_{n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} inv_g_{n,t,aa} \right) \\
 & - g_{h,n,t,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,t,a}^{cap-g} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{29}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,t,aa,a}^{cap-g-cfd}} : \\
 & 0 \leq AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot inv_g_{n,t,aa} - g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,t,aa,a}^{cap-g-cfd} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{30}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial \lambda_{n,t,a}^{pot-g}} : \\
 & 0 \leq MAX_INV_{n,t} - \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} inv_g_{n,t,aa} \perp \lambda_{n,t,a}^{pot-g} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{31}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial \lambda_{t,a}^{diff-g}} : \\
 & 0 \leq \left(START_G_t \cdot \frac{\sum_{h,n} AVAIL_{h,n,t} \cdot TD_h}{\#of\ nodes} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + \left[\sum_{h,n,aa} TD_h \cdot (g_cf d_{h,n,t,aa,a-1} + g_cf d_{h,n,t,aa,a-2}) \right] \cdot DIFF_G_t \\
 & - \sum_{h,n,aa} TD_h \cdot g_cf d_{h,n,t,aa,a} \perp \lambda_{t,a}^{diff-g} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{32}$$

Shared environmental constraints for the electricity sector

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 \leq PD_a \cdot \sum_{h,n,t} TD_h \cdot \left[\left(g_{h,n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}} g_cf d_{h,n,t,aa,a} \right) \cdot \alpha_{t,a} \right] \\
 \perp \lambda_a^{target_co2} \geq 0.
 \end{aligned} \tag{33}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 0 \leq PD_a \cdot \sum_{h,n} TD_h \cdot \left[\begin{array}{l} \sum_{\substack{aa \in USE_EL_{t,a,aa}, \\ t \in T_RES}} g_cf d_{h,n,t,aa,a} + RES_OLD_{h,n,a} \\ - RE_TARGET_a \cdot \sum_{h,n} d_{h,n,a} \end{array} \right] \\
 \perp \lambda_a^{target_RE} \geq 0.
 \end{aligned} \tag{34}$$

The electricity transportation utility

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial L^{TSO_E}}{\partial el_t} : \\
 0 \leq DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot TD_h \cdot (\mu_{el_{h,n,a}} - \mu_{el_{h,nn,a}} + VC_EL_T_{n,nn}) \\
 + \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_el} \perp el_t_{h,n,nn,a} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{35}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial L^{TSO_E}}{\partial inv_el_t} : \\
 0 \leq \sum_{aa>a} PD_{aa} \cdot (DF_{aa} \cdot INVC_EL_T_{n,nn}) - ADJ_EL_{n,nn} \\
 \cdot \sum_h \sum_{aa>a} (\lambda_{h,n,nn,aa}^{cap_el_t} + \lambda_{h,nn,n,aa}^{cap_el_t}) \perp inv_el_t_{h,n,nn,a} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{36}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial L^{TSO_E}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_el_t}} : \\
 0 \leq INICAP_EL_T_{n,nn} + \sum_{aa<a} (ADJ_EL_{n,nn} \cdot inv_el_t_{n,nn,aa} \\
 + ADJ_EL_{nn,n} \cdot inv_el_t_{nn,n,aa}) - el_t_{h,n,nn,a} \\
 \perp \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_el_t} \geq 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{37}$$

The industry sector

$$\frac{\partial L^{I,N}}{\partial co2_ch,n,i,a} : \quad 0 \leq DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot TD_h \cdot (-EU A_a + mu_co2_{h,n,a} + VC_CO2_{n,i,a}) + \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{max_ind} + \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{cap_co2_c} \perp co2_ch,n,i,a \geq 0 \tag{38}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{I,N}}{\partial inv_co2_cn,i,a} : \quad 0 \leq \left[\begin{array}{l} \sum_{aa \in I_USE_CO2_{i,a,aa}} PD_{aa} \cdot DF_{aa} \\ \cdot (FC_CO2_{n,i,aa} + INVC_CO2_{n,i,aa}) \\ - \sum_h \sum_{aa \in I_USE_CO2_{i,a,aa}} \lambda_{h,n,i,aa}^{cap_co2_c} \cdot CR_IND_i \\ + \lambda_{i,a}^{diff_co2_c} - \sum_{aa > a} (\lambda_{i,aa}^{diff_co2_c} \cdot DIFF_CO2_i) \end{array} \right] \perp inv_co2_cn,i,a \geq 0 \tag{39}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{I,N}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{max_ind}} : \quad 0 \leq CO2_IND_{h,n,i,a} \cdot CR_IND_i - co2_ch,n,i,a \perp \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{max_ind} \geq 0 \tag{40}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{I,N}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{cap_co2_c}} : \quad \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{i,a,aa}} inv_co2_cn,i,aa \cdot CR_IND_i - co2_ch,n,i,a \perp \lambda_{h,n,i,a}^{cap_co2_c} \geq 0 \tag{41}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{I,N}}{\partial \lambda_{i,a}^{diff_co2_c}} : \quad 0 \leq \left(START_CO2_i + \sum_n \sum_{aa < a} inv_co2_cn,i,aa \right) \cdot DIFF_CO2_i - \sum_n inv_co2_cn,i,a \perp \lambda_{i,a}^{diff_co2_c} \geq 0 \tag{42}$$

The CO₂ transportation utility

$$\frac{\partial L^{TSO_CO2}}{\partial co2_th,n,nn,a} : \quad 0 \leq DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot TD_h \cdot (mu_co2_{h,nn,a} - mu_co2_{h,n,a} + VC_CO2_{t,n,nn}) + \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_co2_t} \perp co2_th,n,nn,a \geq 0 \tag{43}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{TSO_E}}{\partial inv_co2_t} : \quad 0 \leq \sum_{aa > a} PD_{aa} \cdot (DF_{aa} \cdot INVC_CO2_T_{n,nn}) - ADJ_CO2_{n,nn} \cdot \sum_h \sum_{aa > a} (\lambda_{h,n,nn,aa}^{cap_co2_t} + \lambda_{h,nn,n,aa}^{cap_co2_t}) \perp inv_co2_th,n,nn,a \geq 0 \tag{44}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{TSO-E}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_co2_t}} : \quad 0 \leq INICAP_CO2_T_{n,nn} + \sum_{aa < a} (ADJ_CO2_{n,nn} \cdot inv_co2_t_{n,nn,aa} + ADJ_CO2_{nn,n} \cdot inv_co2_t_{nn,n,aa}) - co2_t_{h,n,nn,a} \perp \lambda_{h,n,nn,a}^{cap_co2_t} \geq 0 \tag{45}$$

The CO₂ storage sector

$$\frac{\partial L^{S,N}}{\partial co2_sh,n,s,a} : \quad 0 \leq \left[\begin{aligned} & DF_a \cdot PD_a \cdot TD_h \cdot \left(\begin{aligned} & -EFF_CO2 \cdot OILPRICE_a \\ & -mu_co2_{h,n,a} + VC_CO2_{n,s,a} \\ & +INTC_S_t \cdot co2_sh,n,s,a \end{aligned} \right) \\ & + \sum_{hh} TD_{hh} \cdot \left(\sum_{aa \geq a} PD_{aa} \cdot \lambda_{n,s,aa}^{max_stor} \right) + \lambda_{h,n,s,a}^{cap_co2_s} \end{aligned} \right] \perp co2_sh,n,s,a \geq 0 \tag{46}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{S,N}}{\partial inv_co2_sn,s,a} : \quad 0 \leq \left[\begin{aligned} & \sum_{aa \in I_USE_CO2_{s,a,aa}} PD_{aa} \cdot DF_{aa} \\ & \cdot (FC_CO2_{n,s,aa} + INVC_CO2_{n,s,aa}) \\ & - \sum_h \sum_{aa \in I_USE_CO2_{s,a,aa}} \lambda_{h,n,s,aa}^{cap_co2_s} + \lambda_{s,a}^{diff_co2_s} \\ & - \sum_{aa > a} \left(\lambda_{s,aa}^{diff_co2_s} \cdot DIFF_CO2_s \right) \end{aligned} \right] \perp inv_co2_sn,s,a \geq 0 \tag{47}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{S,N}}{\partial \lambda_{h,n,s,a}^{cap_co2_s}} : \quad 0 \leq \sum_{aa \in USE_CO2_{s,a,aa}} inv_co2_sn,s,aa - co2_sh,n,s,a \perp \lambda_{h,n,s,a}^{cap_co2_s} \geq 0 \tag{48}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{S,N}}{\partial \lambda_{n,s,a}^{max_stor}} : \quad 0 \leq MAX_STOR_{n,s} - \sum_h \left(TD_h \cdot \sum_{aa \leq a} PD_{aa} \cdot co2_sh,n,s,aa \right) \perp \lambda_{n,s,a}^{max_stor} \geq 0 \tag{49}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{S,N}}{\partial \lambda_{s,a}^{diff_co2_s}} : \quad 0 \leq \left(START_CO2_s + \sum_n \sum_{aa < a} inv_co2_sn,s,aa \right) \cdot DIFF_CO2_s$$

$$-\sum_n inv_co2_s_{n,s,a} \perp \lambda_{s,a}^{diff_co2_s} \geq 0 \tag{50}$$

Market clearing conditions across all sectors

$$0 = \sum_t \left(gh_{n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \right) + \sum_{nn} el_t_{h,nn,n,a} - \sum_{nn} el_t_{h,n,nn,a} - (D_{h,n,a} - RES_OLD_{h,n,a}) mu_e_{h,n,a} (free) \quad \forall h, n, a \tag{51}$$

$$\frac{\partial L^{T,N}}{\partial \lambda_{h,a}^{curt_el}} : 0 \leq \sum_n (D_{h,n,a} - RES_OLD_{h,n,a}) - \sum_{n,t} \left(gh_{n,t,a} + \sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \right) \perp \lambda_{h,a}^{curt_el} \geq 0 \tag{52}$$

$$0 = - \left(\sum_t \left(\sum_{aa \in USE_EL_{t,aa}} g_cfd_{h,n,t,aa,a} \cdot EF_EL_t \cdot CR_G_t \right) + \sum_i co2_c_{h,n,i,a} + \sum_{nn} co2_t_{h,nn,n,a} - \sum_{nn} co2_t_{h,n,nn,a} - \sum_s co2_s_{h,n,s,a} \right) mu_co2_{h,n,a} (free) \quad \forall h, n, a \tag{53}$$

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