

Linking global and local dimensions to analyze competing claims for land use

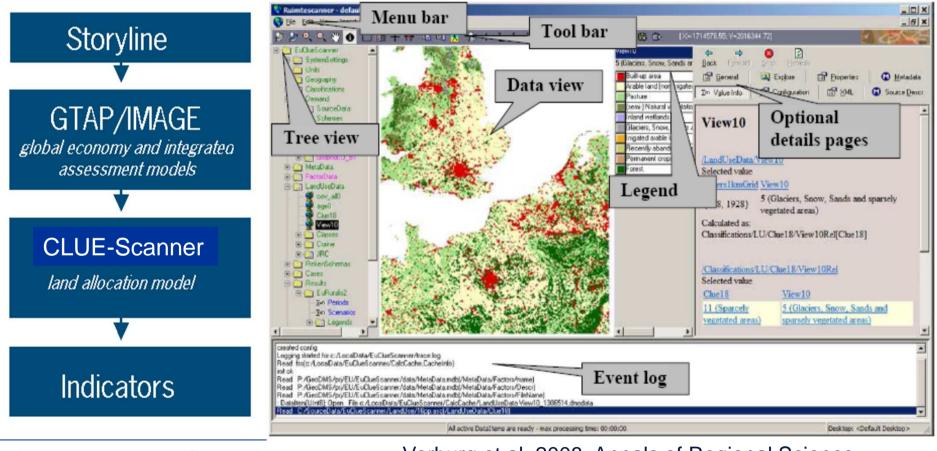
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Modelling....a multi-scale, multi-model approach

Global models → Regional models → Indicator models → Ecosystem services

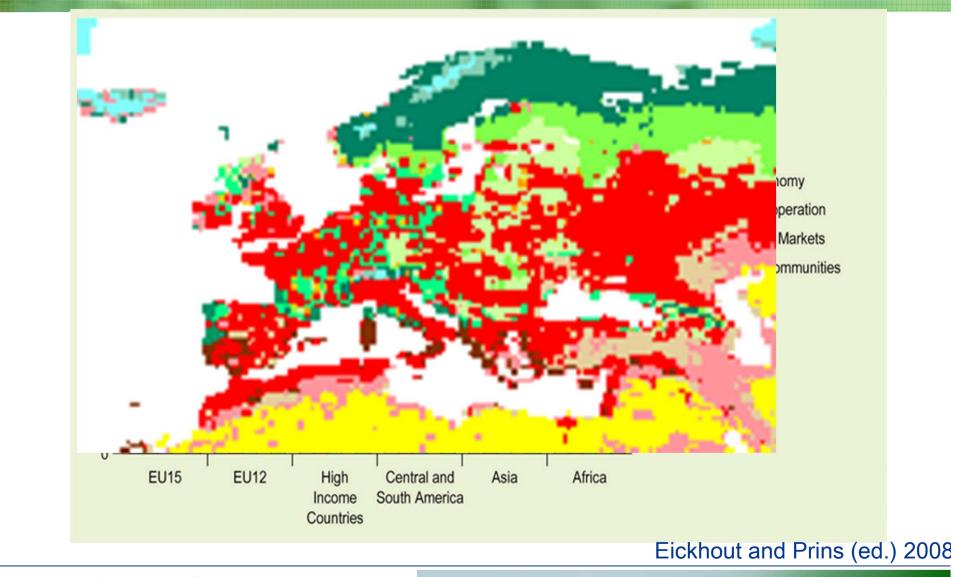






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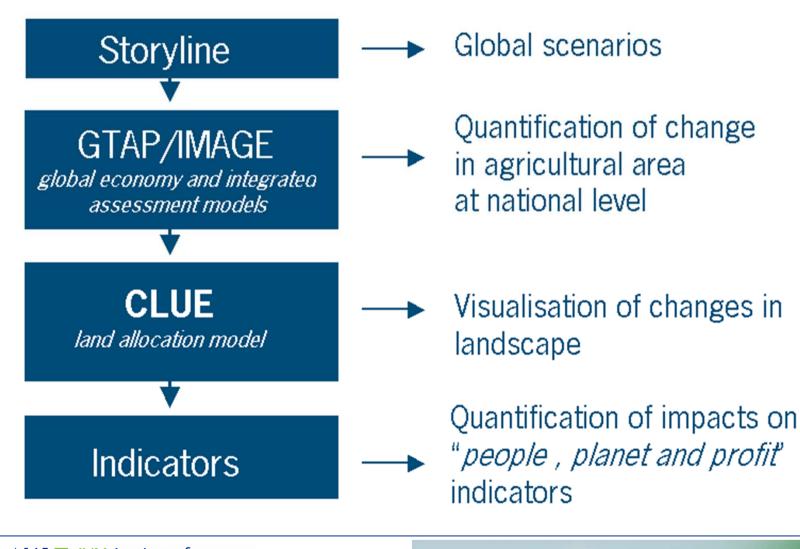
Global model results





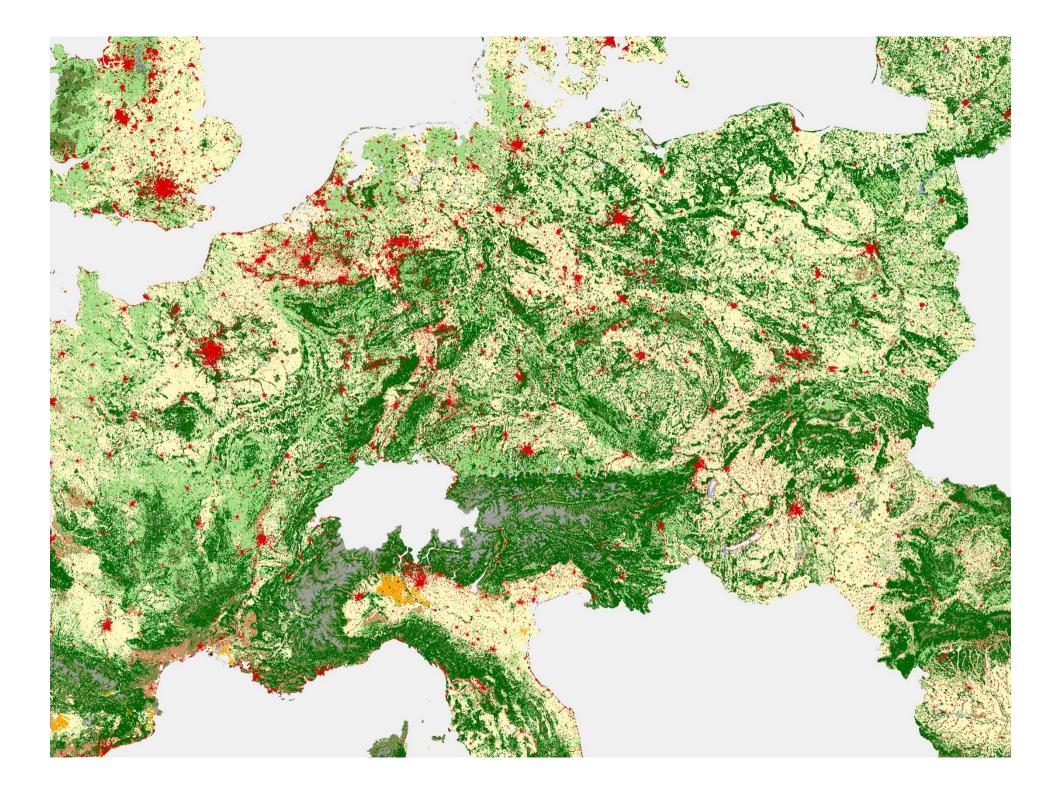
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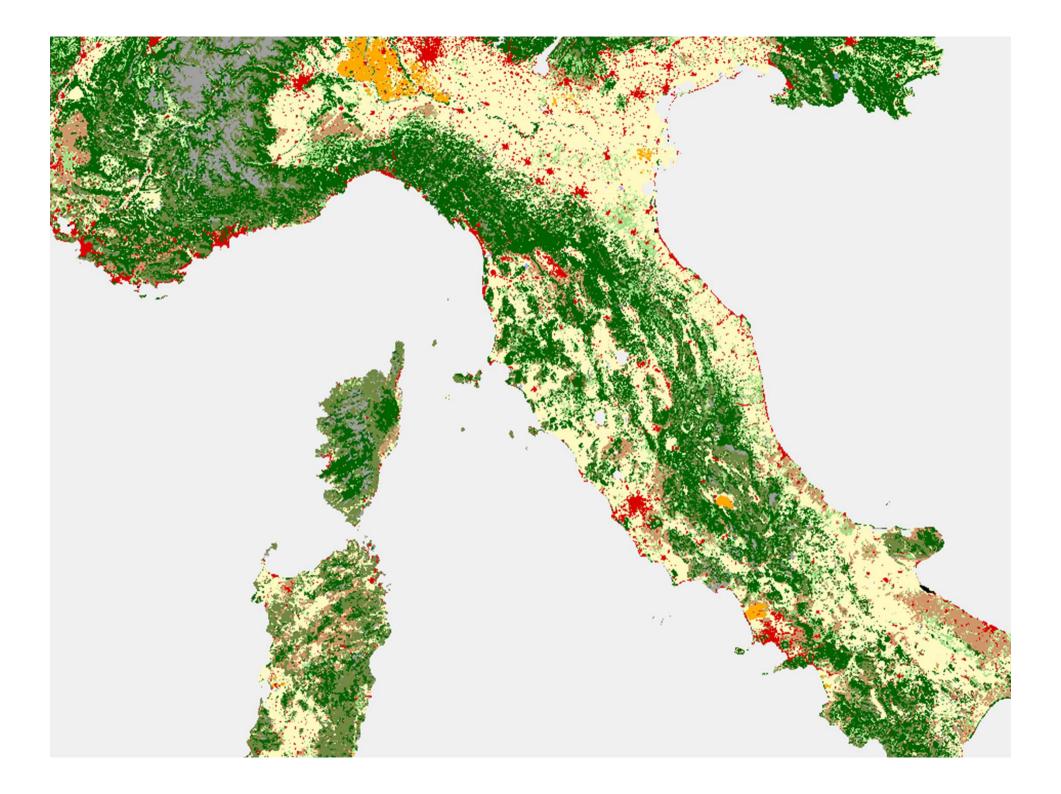
Methodology

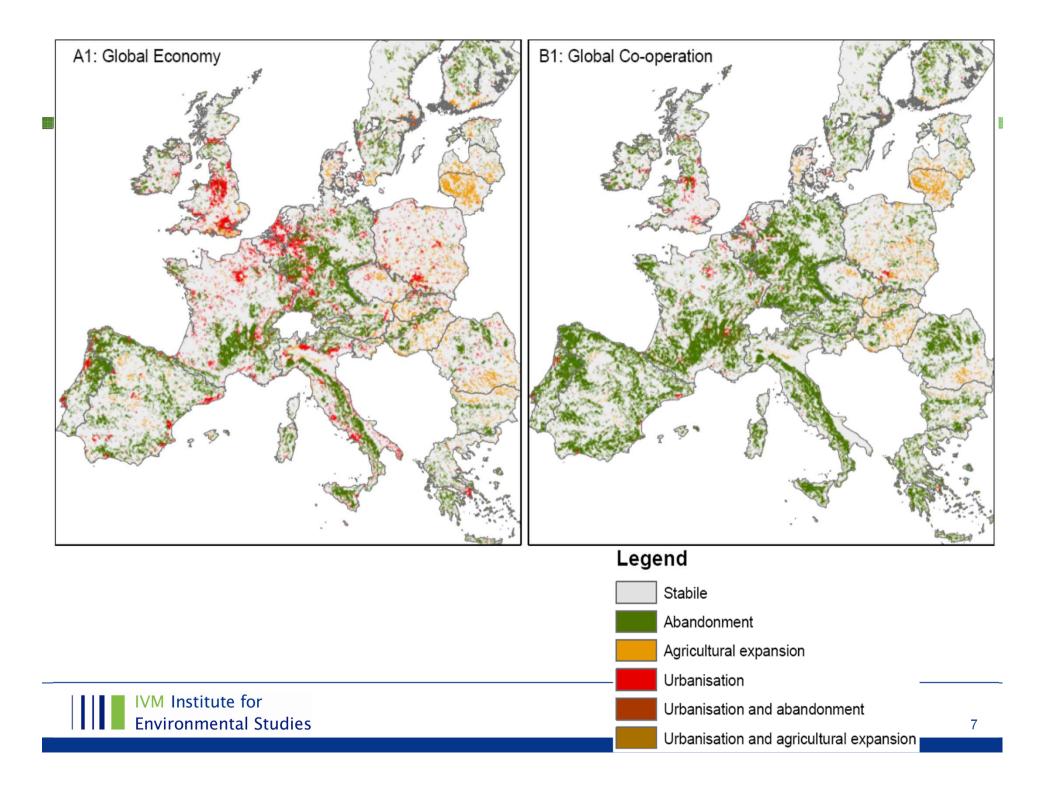


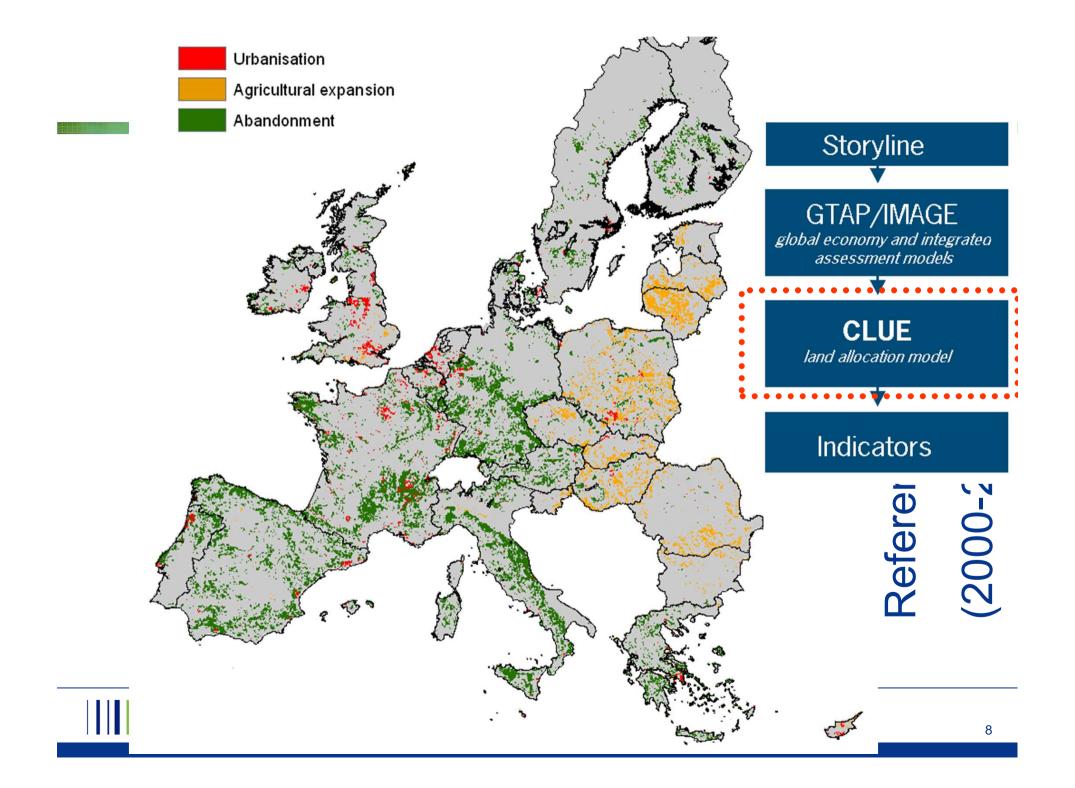
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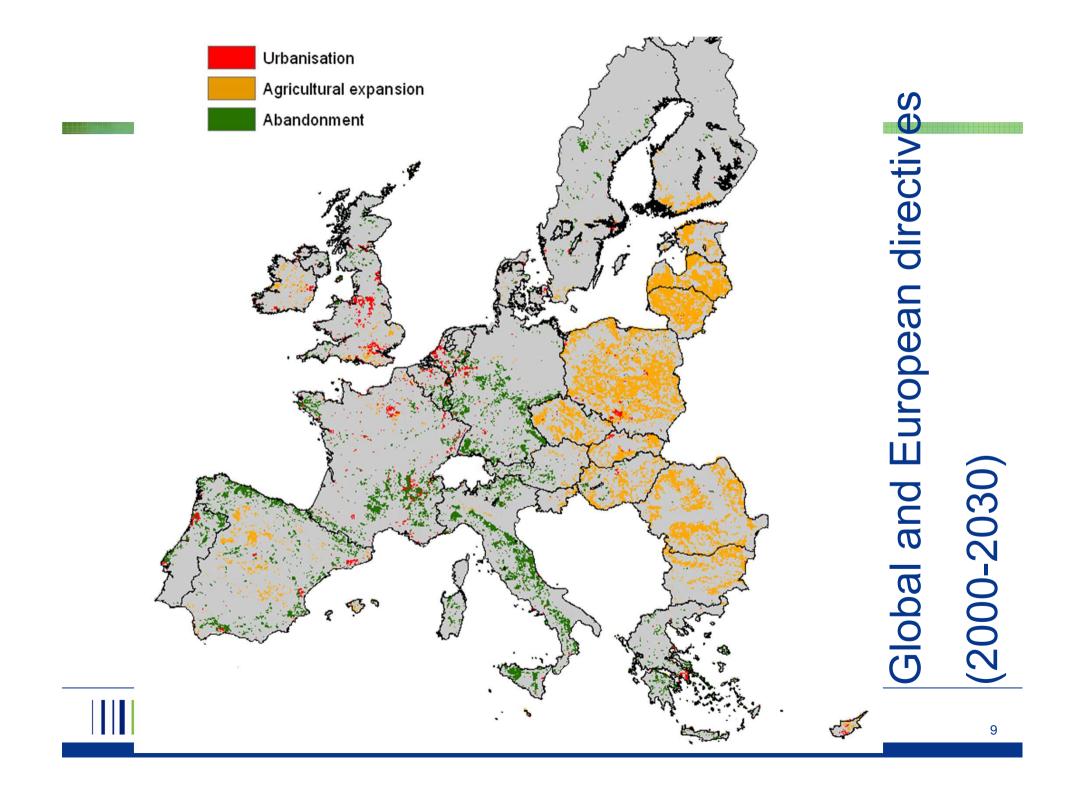
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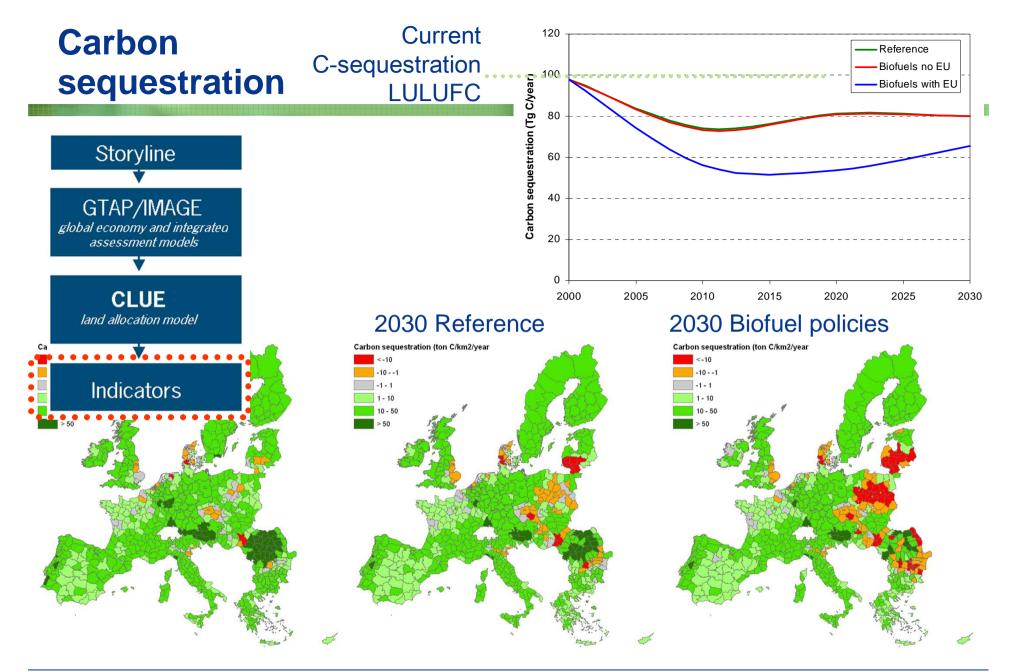






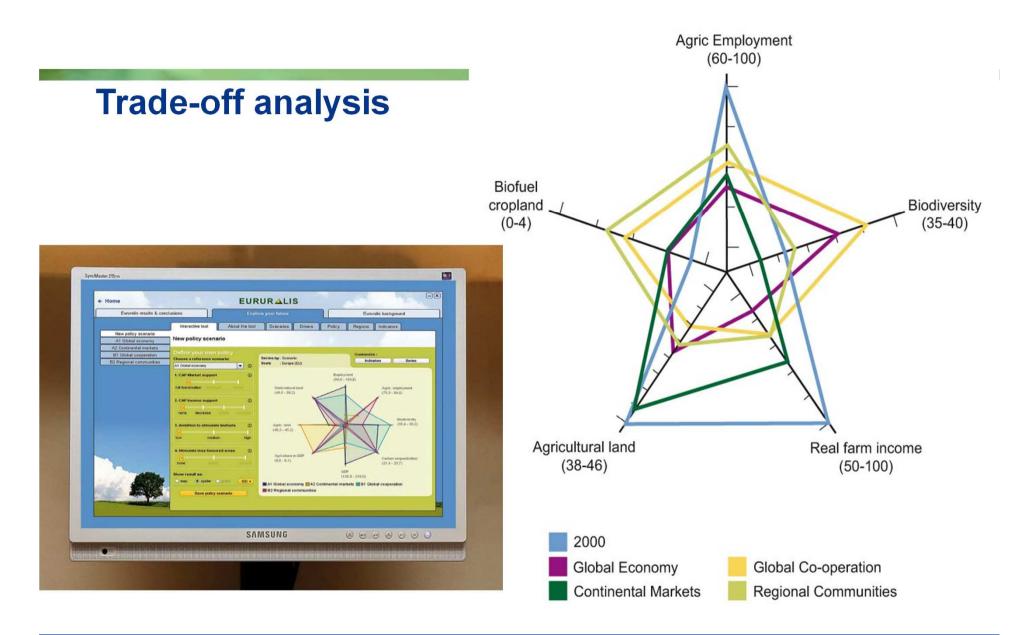






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Method based on Schulp et al., 2008



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Spatial policy areas

Policy relevant areas

Natura 2000 areas currently cropped*

HNV farmland currently cropped

LFA areas currently cropped

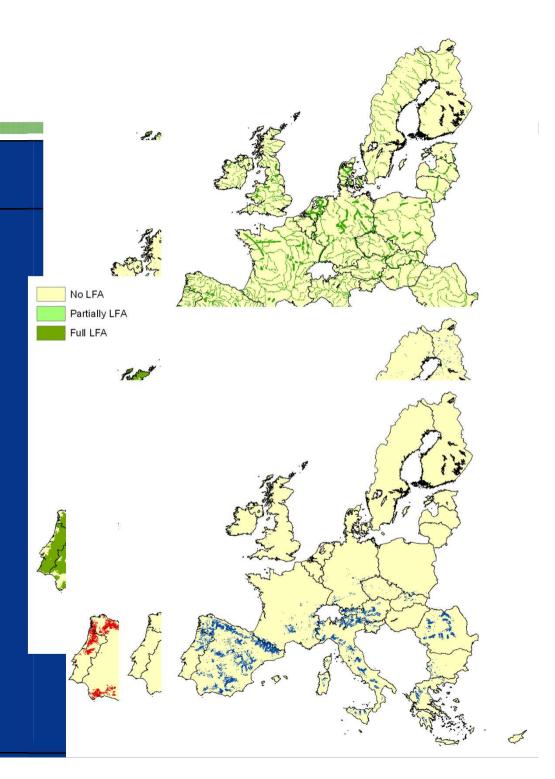
Erosion sensitive locations

Ecological corridor areas

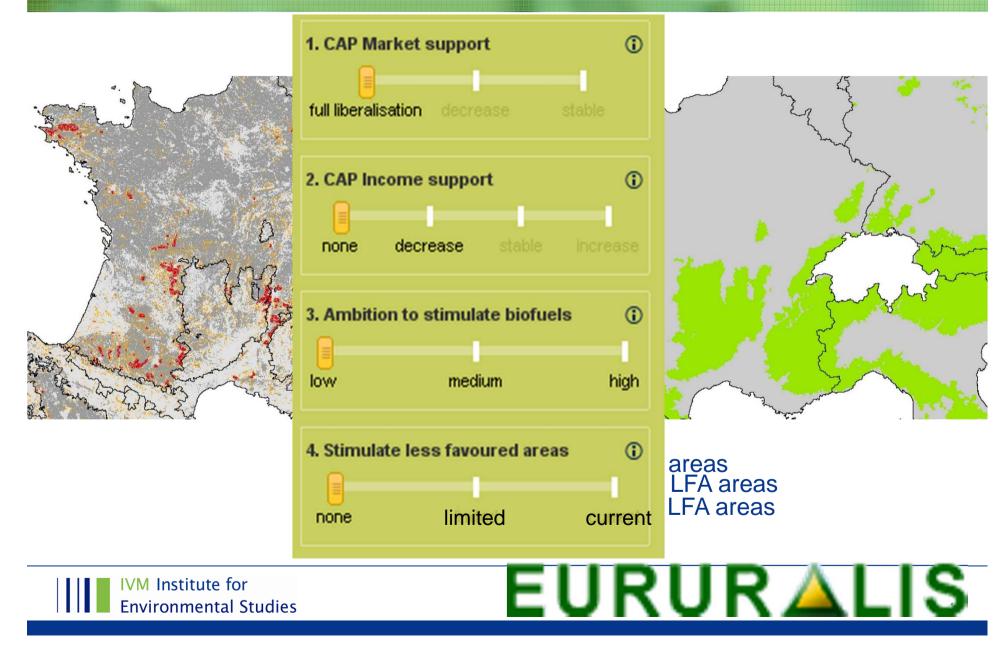
Peatland areas

River flood prone areas

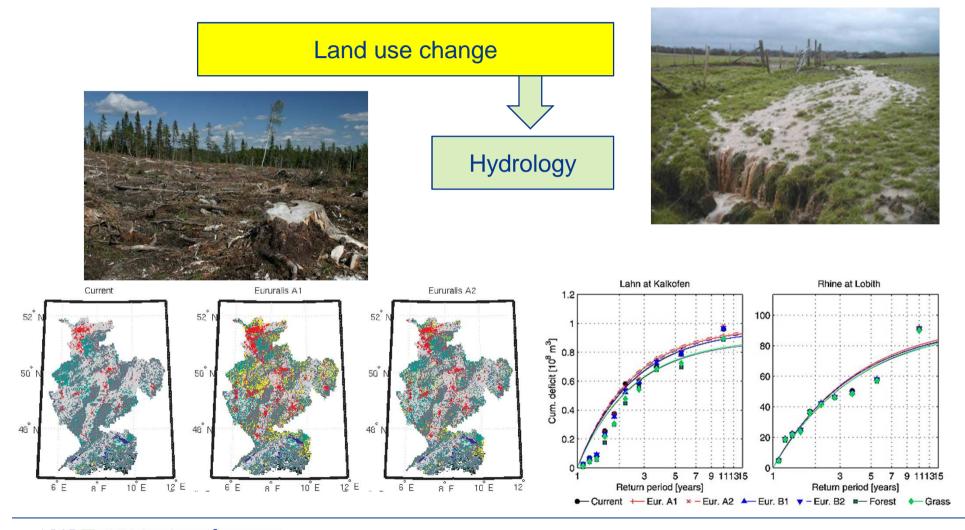
Upstream areas



LFA compensation effect on land abandonment

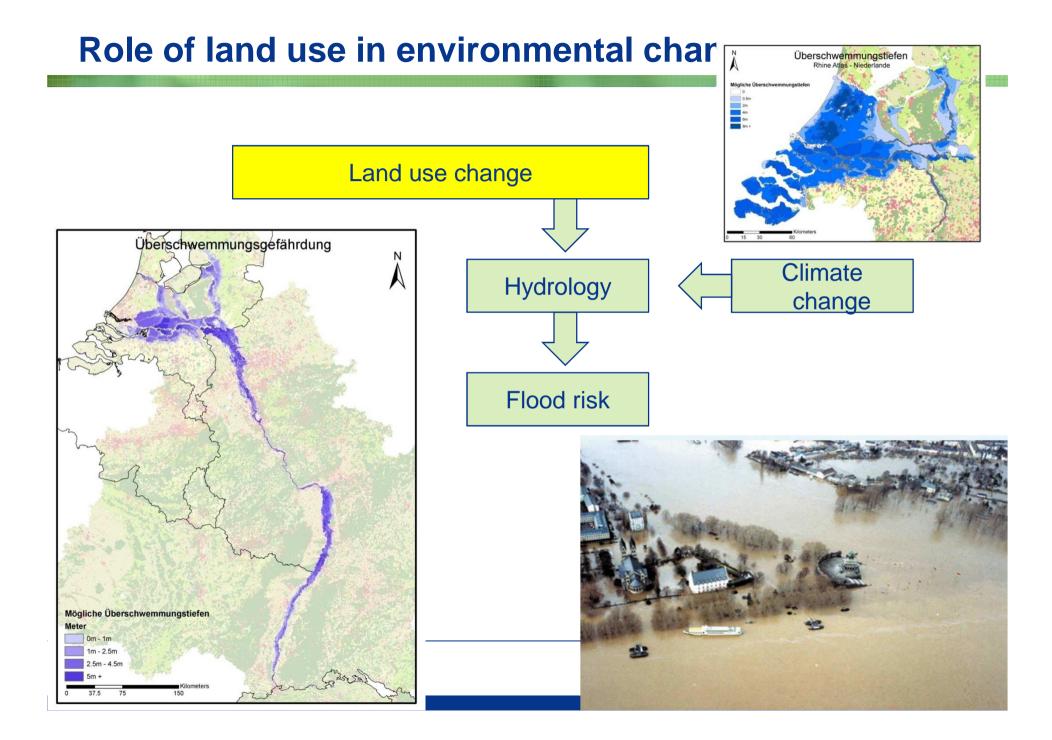


Role of land use in climate change



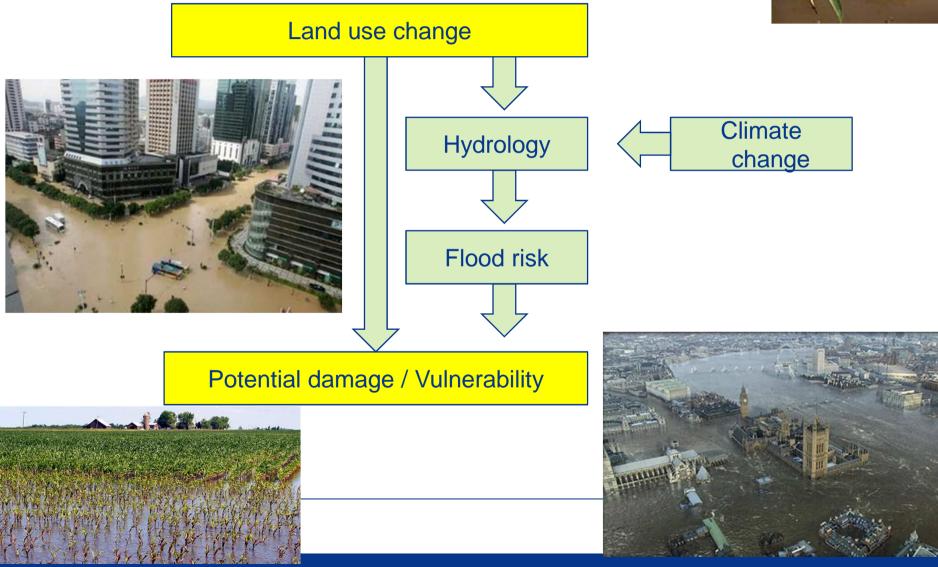
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Hurkmans et al., WRR 2009

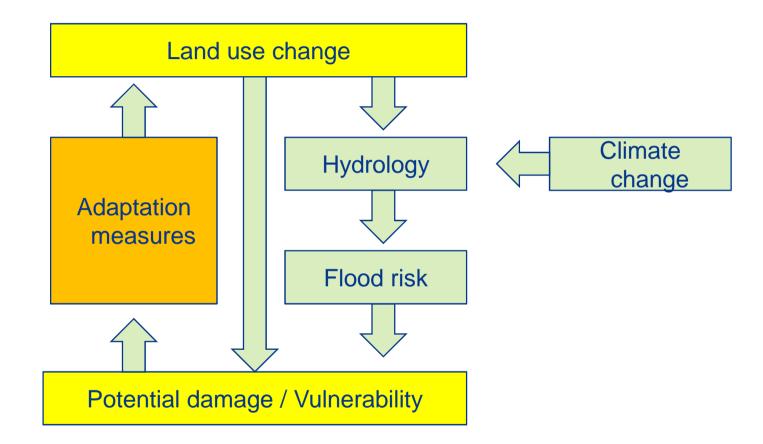


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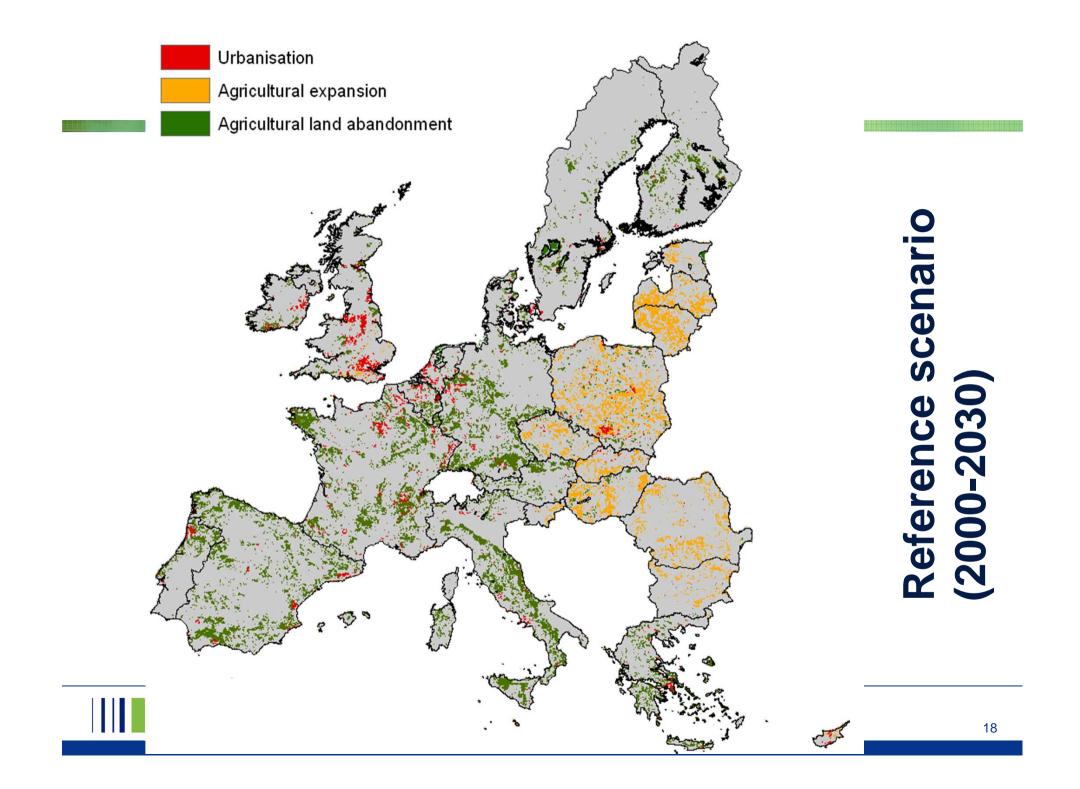


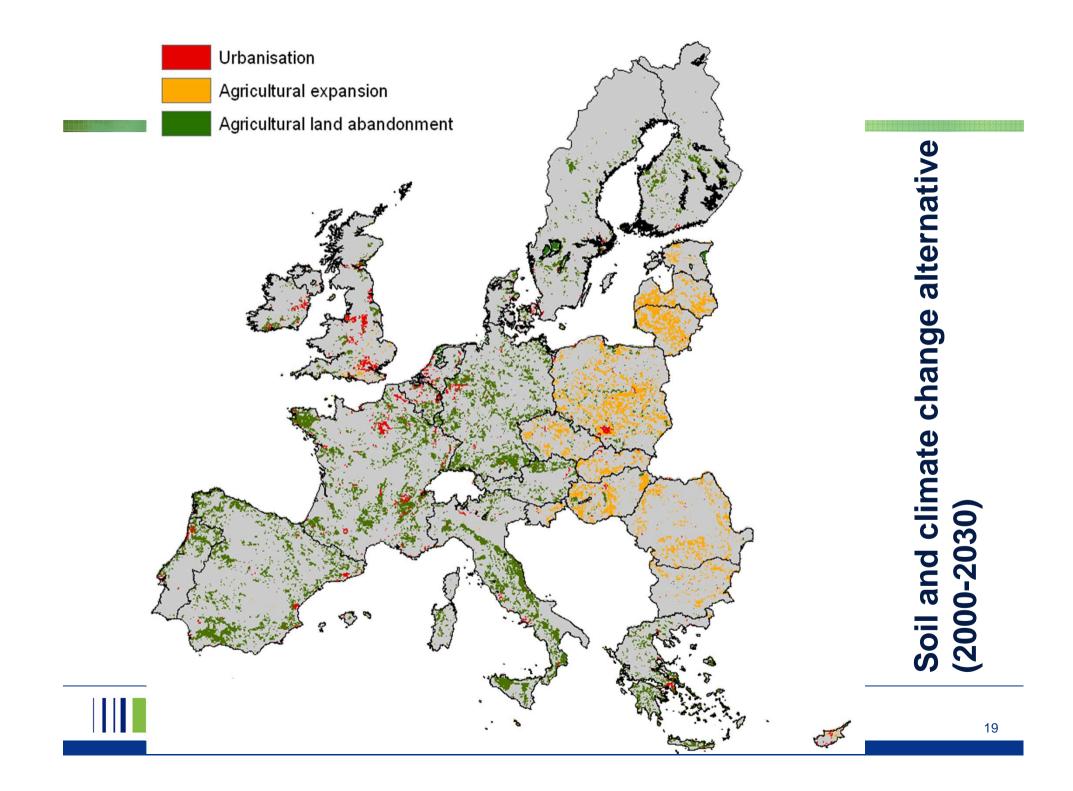


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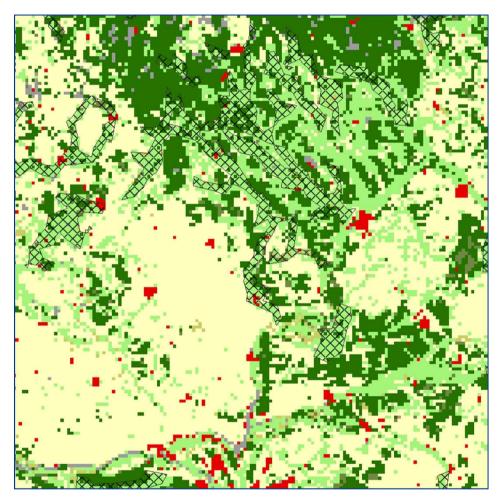






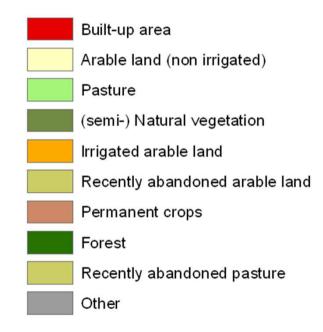


Protection peatland

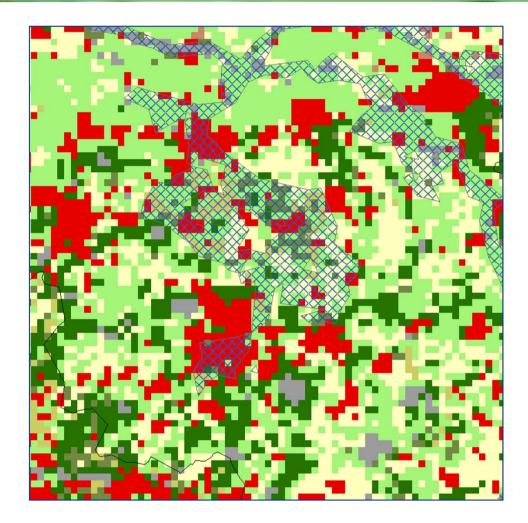


Poland

Soil and CC alternative

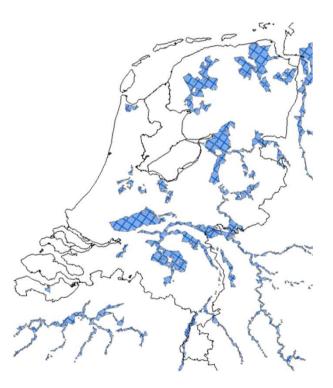


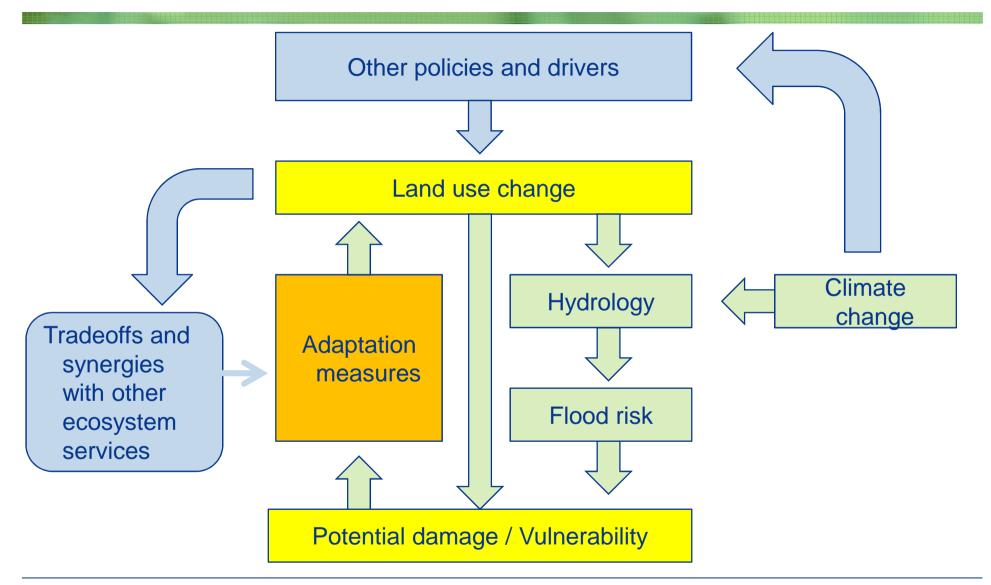
Flood damage reduction



The Netherlands

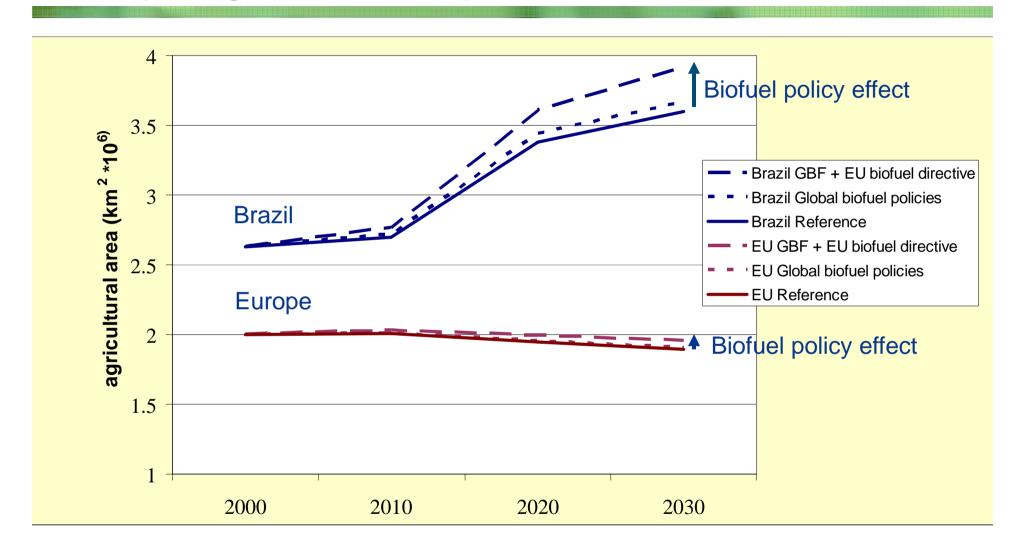
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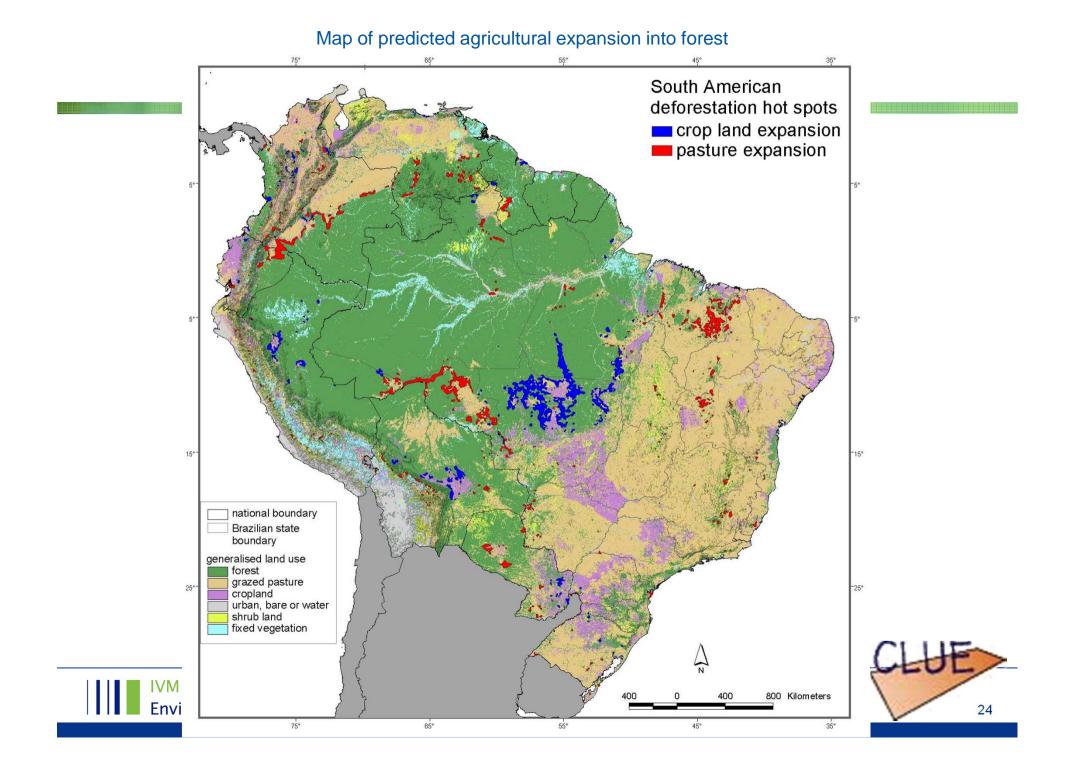


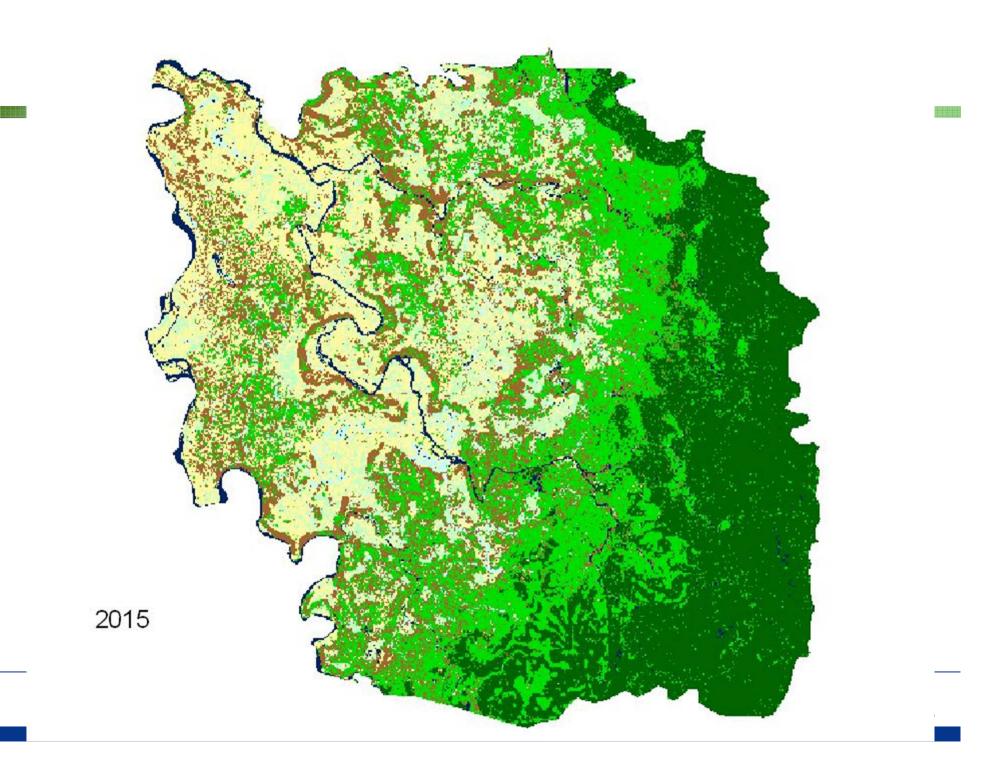




Competing claims: Europe and the rest of the world



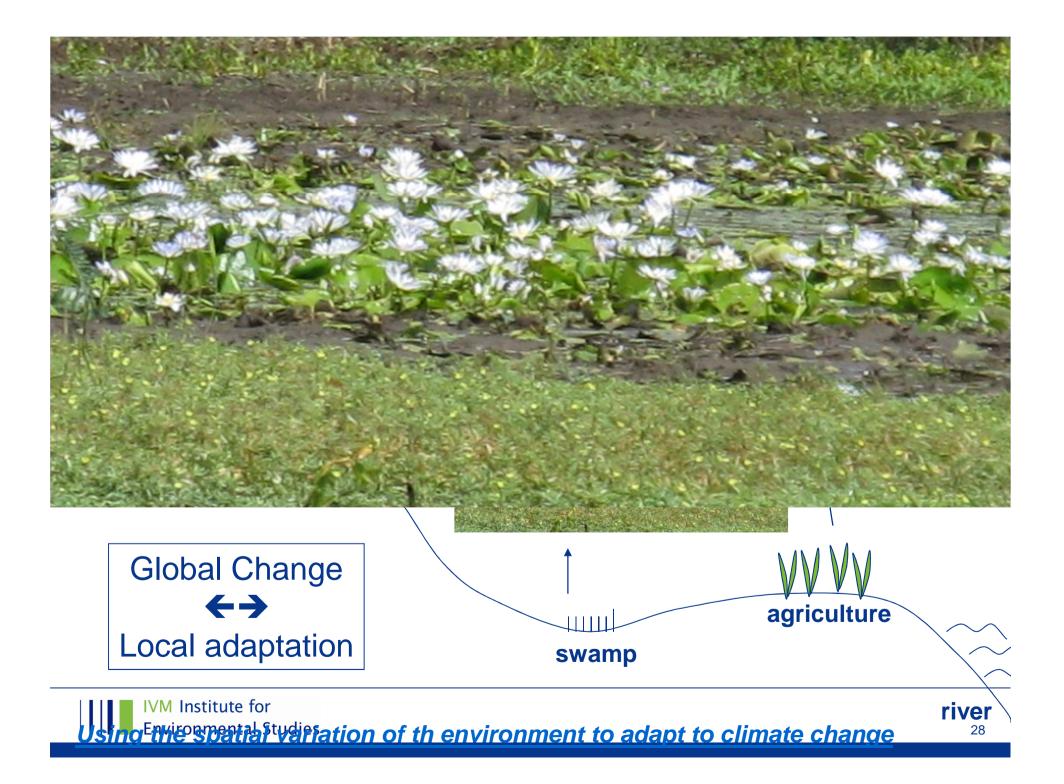




Conclusion

- Land use is both a result and effect of changes in the environment
- Land use change needs to account for:
 - Multiple processes at multiple scales
 - Multiple drivers: including socio-economics
 - Uncertainty about future developments
- Competing claims occur across multiple scales
- Combination of methods and models across different scales needed to link global and local dimensions





Thank you !

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