Renewable Energy in China: Policy analysis and macro economic impacts evaluation

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Outline

- ▶ Current Stage of China's Economy and Energy
- Policy Insight of China model
- ▶ Evaluating Renewable Energy plans: national economy and industrial development

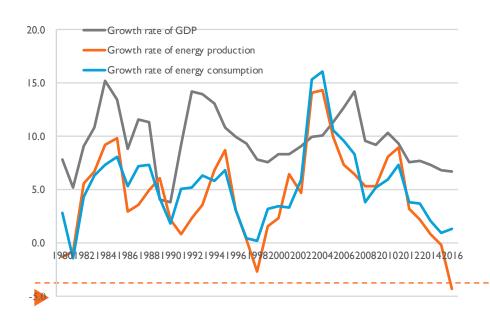
Economic growth & energy consumption

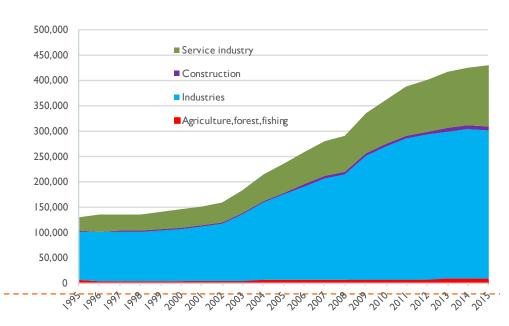
GDP per Capita 2017: (US\$ current):\$9480

Industrialization: 67%;

Urbanization: 58.52%;

Gini Coefficient: 46%;

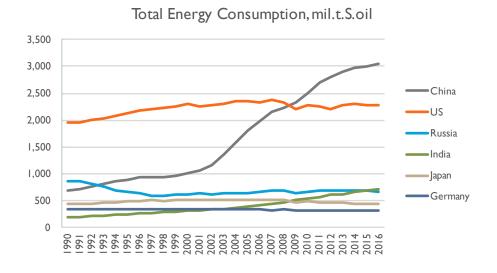


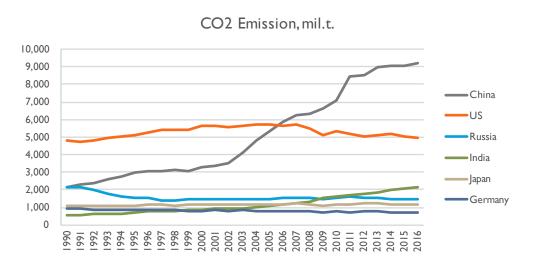


Energy consumption & CO2 emissions

During the 1981-2016 period, China's energy consumption increased by 5.82% annually, underpinning the 9% annual growth of the national economy.

China is already the largest consumer of energy and the largest CO2 emitter, although by per capita consumption, it is about 1/5 of the USA.

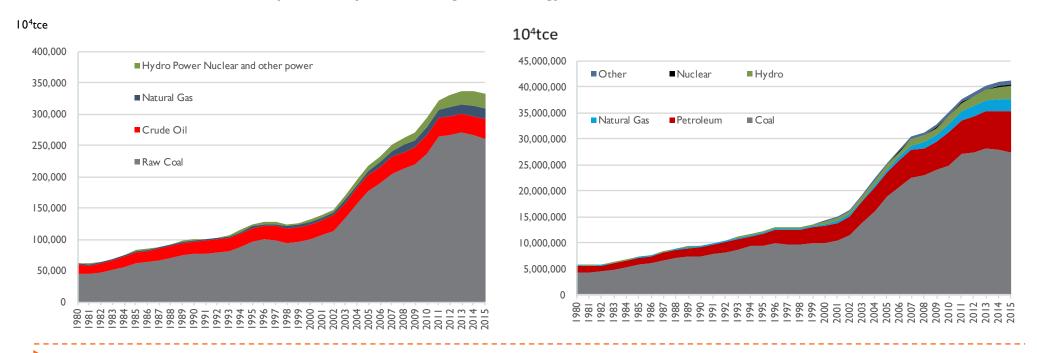




Source: BP World Energy Statistics

Energy supply & consumption structure

- In 2016, the output of primary energy was 3.46 billion tons ce
- With country's energy resource endowment, China may be the most difficult to achieve low carbon development by the change of energy structure.



Local environment

Secondary Source of PM2.5

vehicle

19%

coal burning

26%

The local environment is deteriorating, while environment awareness is increasing with the growing middle class.

4%

5%

plants

- Larger area surfer worse and worse haze and fog, with increasing PM2.5;
- The emissions of SO2 and other harmful elements are also on rise.
- The environment awareness is increasing and domestic political pressures on local environment protection and prevention become stronger.

unknown.

17%

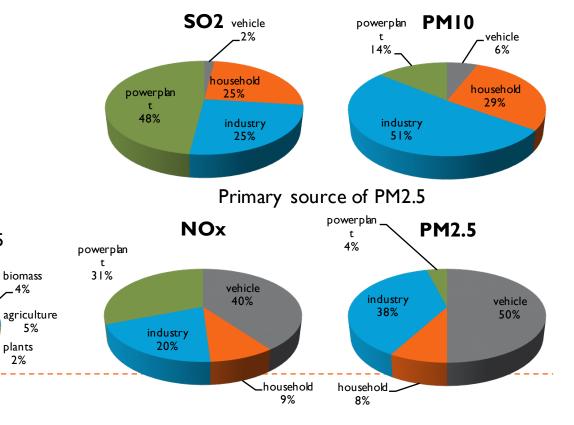
dust

industry

10%

cooking

11%



CO2 emissions reduction and renewable energy Targets in the 13th-five year plan

▶ The 12th Five-Year Plan (2011-2015) :

- By 2015 non-fossil energy will rise to 11.4 % in the total primary energy consumption; by 2020 reaches 15%.
- Energy consumption per unit of GDP will drop by 16% from 2010, and CO2 emission per unit of GDP will decrease by 17% from 2010.

▶ The 13th Five-Year Plan (2016-20205):

- By 2020, the CO2 emission per GDP decrease 40-45% compare to 2005
- ▶ The CO2 emissions will get to peaks around 2030
- By 2020, the energy use per GDP decrease 15% compare to 2015

China's NDC:

By 2030, the CO2 emission per GDP decrease 60-65% compare to 2005

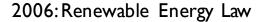
Targets of Renewable energy:

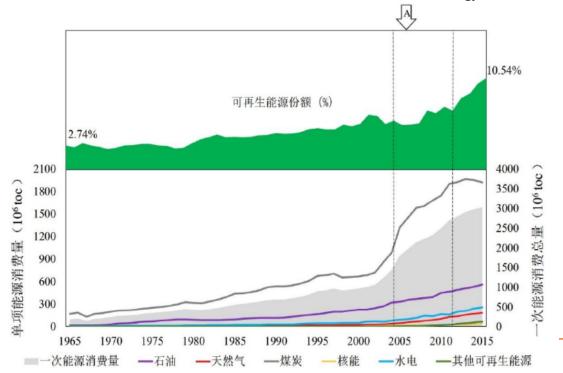
- ▶ By 2020, all utilization of renewable energy will be 730 million TCE.
- By 2020, all renewable energy power generation capacity will be 680 million kilowatts, generating capacity 1.9 trillion kwh, represents 27% of all generating capacity.

Requirements on energy transition

Energy Development Targets in 2020

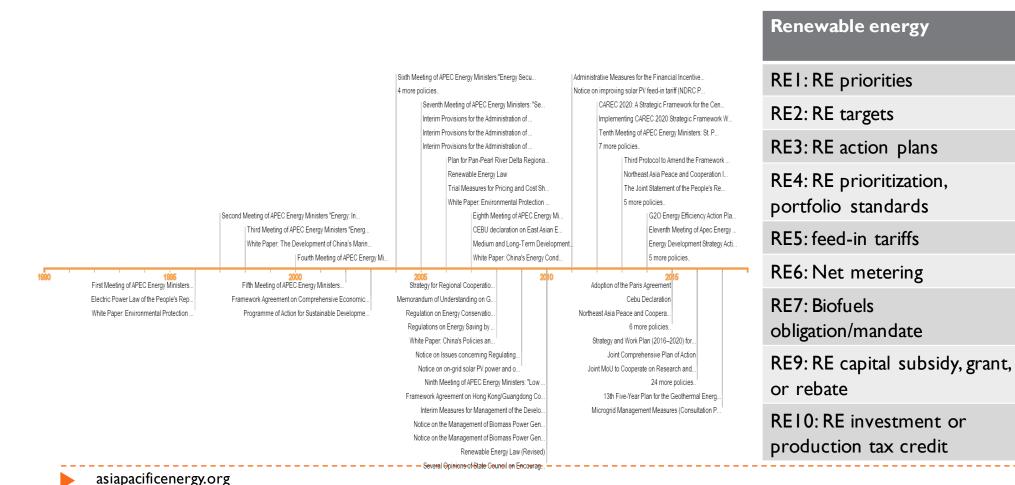
Dual replacement: Coal → oil and gas Fossil → renewable





General guide		Targets		
Total energy consumption	Primary energy consumption	<5 billion tce		
	Coal consupmtion	<4.1 billion tce, <62% in all		
	Electricity consumption	6.8-7.2 trillion kwh		
Energy security	Self-supply rate	>80%		
	Primary energy supply	4-4.2 billion tce		
	Coal supply	3.9 billion tce		
	Oil supply	0.2 billion t		
	Natural gas supply	220 billion cu-m		
	Non-fossil energy supply	0.75 billion tce		
Energy supply	Power generation installed capacity	2 billion kw		
	hydro	0.35 billion kw		
	wind	0.2 billion kw		
	Solar PV	0.1 billion kw		
	Geothermal	0.05 billion kw		
Energy	Proportion of non-fossil energy	>15%		
consumption	Proportion of Natural gas	10%		
	Coal	<58%		
- Energy efficiency	Energy use per GDP	decrease 15% (compared to 2015)		
	CO2 emission per GDP	decrease 40-45% (compared to 2005)		

China Energy Policy and Regulation 1990-2018



No of policies

43

26

12

Rapid development in renewable energy

- By the end of 2015, the installed generating capacity of hydropower reached 320 million kw, ranking first in the world.
- The installed generating capacity of wind power connected with the country's power grids reached 131 million kw, ranking top in the world.
- Photovoltaic power generation also reported speedy growth, with a total installed capacity of 43 million kw. Biomass power 13 million kw.
- ▶ Solar water heating covered a total area of 300 million sq m.
- Non-fossil energy accounted for over 10 percent of the total primary energy consumption, which means an annual reduction of more than 600 million tons of CO2 emissions.

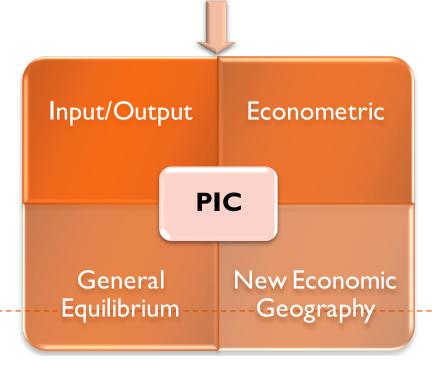
	Small hydro	Wind	Solar
Policy, laws and plans	5	4	3
Governmental direct subsidies	×	2	I
R&D funding	×	2	2
Taxing preferential policies	3	5	I
Investment policies	4	3	I
Products subsidies	2	I	I
Special funds	I	×	×
Financial institution loaning	2	3	2
Total	15	20	11

How about the impacts on national economy?

- Use macroeconomic models to evaluate the total or general equilibrium impacts of the policies or plans to the national/regional economy
 - Micro side analysis of costs and benefits only pertains to the site of mitigation option application
 - Both increases and decreases in economic activity generate "ripple" impacts throughout the economy
 - Macroeconomic impact is some multiple of the original direct on-site impact
 - Price decreases and increases can also stimulate or mute the macro effects

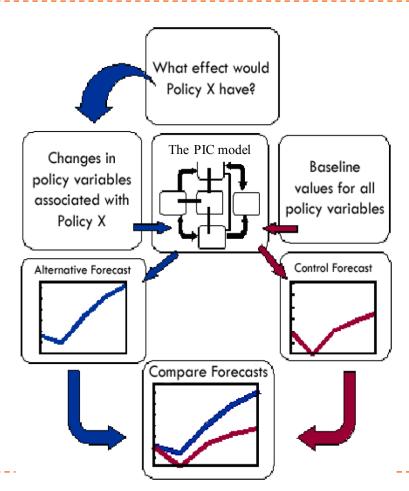
Policy Insight of China (PIC) model

- Basic scenarios
- Sectors and Industries
- Cost-Benefit of policies



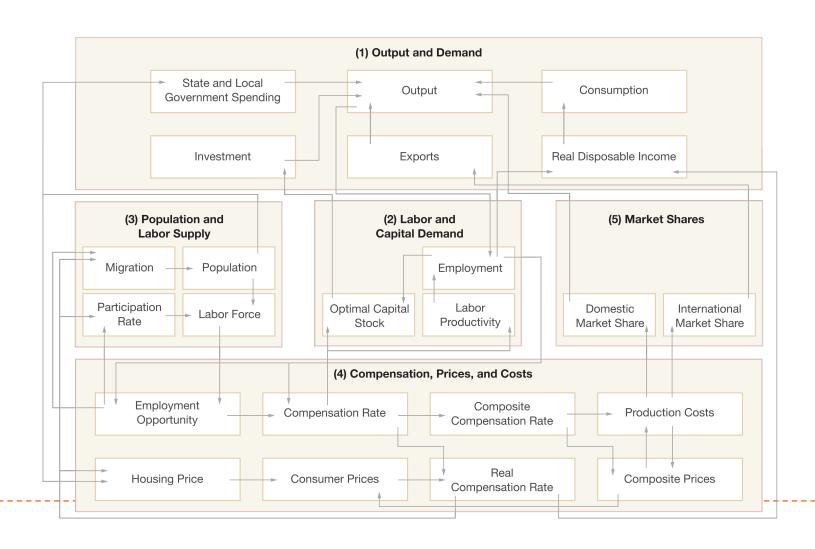
- Analyze the interactions between sectors
- Incorporate the responses of producers and consumers to price signals
- Bring into play economic geography linkages, evaluating changes in competitiveness over time
- 31 provinces * 68 sectors
- 10 kinds of energies and 6 GHG/air pollutants accounts

Steps of Macro Analysis with the PIC model

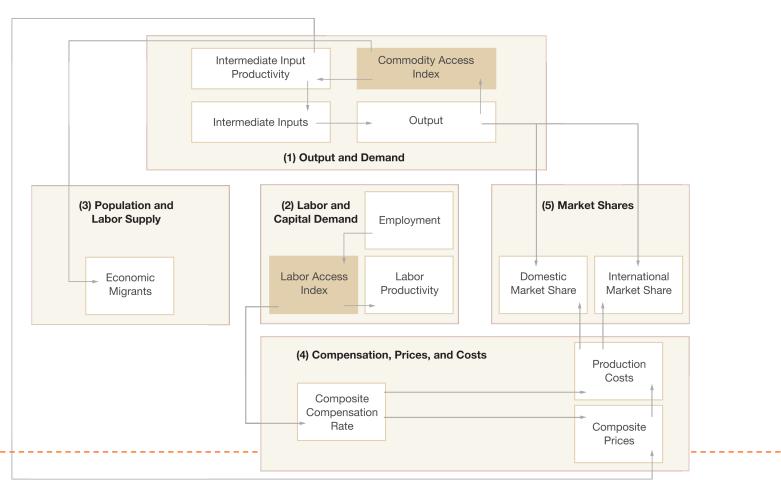


- Building and calibrating the macroeconomic model to forecast
- Obtain data on mitigation options from microeconomic analysis
- Translating the policies to economic variables
- Simulating a single policy to see impacts
- > Simulating all the policies to see impacts
- Analyzing the results
- Evaluating the impacts on economy and industries

PIC model Linkage



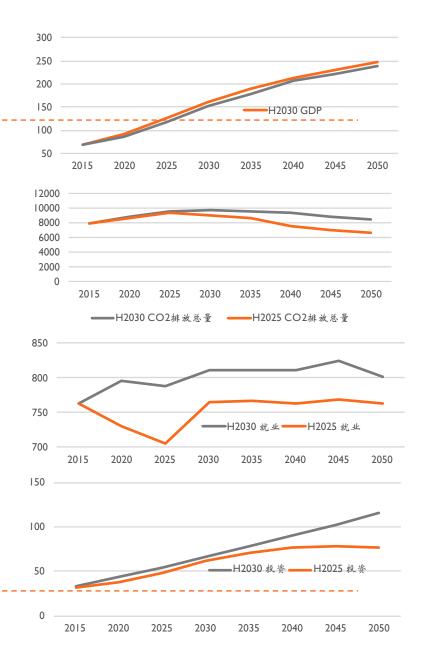
PIC model Linkage (Economic Geography Linkage)



Baseline forecast

➤ Cost → Target → Investment Demand → impacts

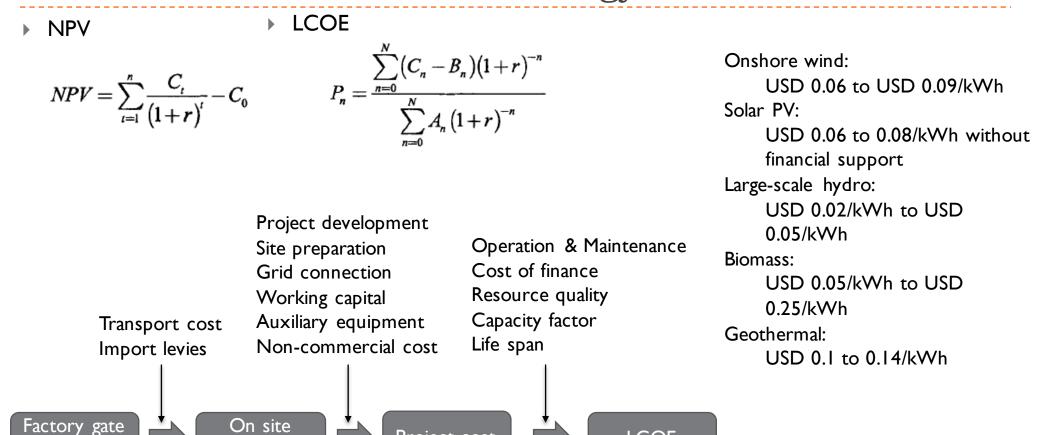
	2015	2020	2025	2030	2035	2040	2045	2050
I. economic growth								
GDP growth rate (%)	7.1	6.8	6.2	5.2	4.6	4	3.7	3.5
GDP (in trillions RMB,)	59	82.37	112.18	147.98	185.91	228.51	276.3	328.86
2. population								
Annual growth rate (%)	0.53	0.47	0.41	0.11	-0.06	-0.11	-0.13	-0.23
Total amount (in millions)	13.77	14.1	14.49	14.57	14.53	14.45	14.36	14.2
3. urbanization rate								
(%)	56.4	60	63	66	68.3	70.5	72.8	75
4. economy structure								
Agriculture (%)	8.45	6.8	5.55	4.3	3.7	3.1	2.8	2.5
industry (%)	47.09	45.7	44.1	42.5	41.1	36.7	33.5	32.3
Service (%)	44.46	47.5	50.35	53.2	55.2	60.2	63.7	65.2



Cost estimate of renewable energy

equipment

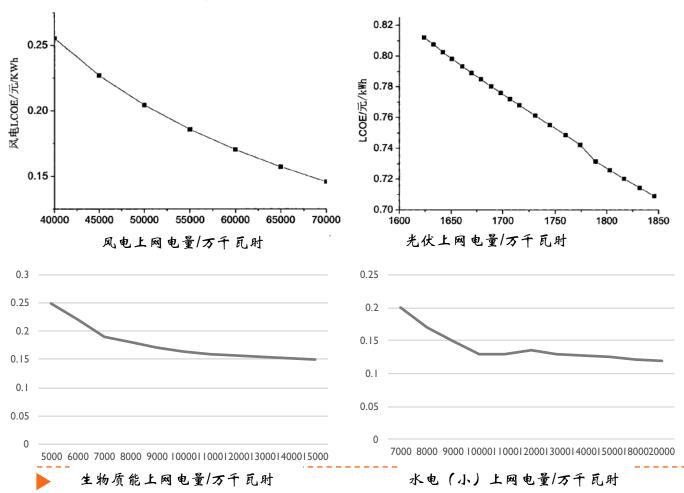
Equipment

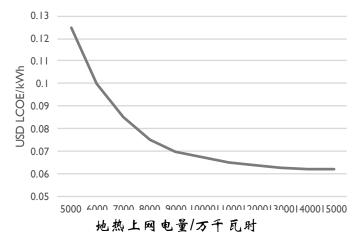


LCOE

Project cost

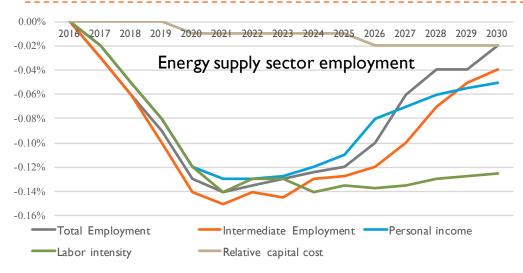
Cost change trend and investment demand (to 2020)



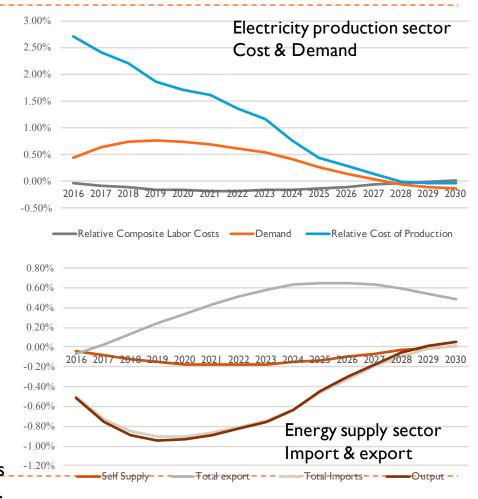


Billion USD 2016-2020 2021-2030 All renewable 384.6 169.2 energy Wind 107.7 46.2 Solar 92.3 30.8 Hydro 13.1 24.6 38.5 **Biomass** 53.8 Geothermal 46.2 30.8

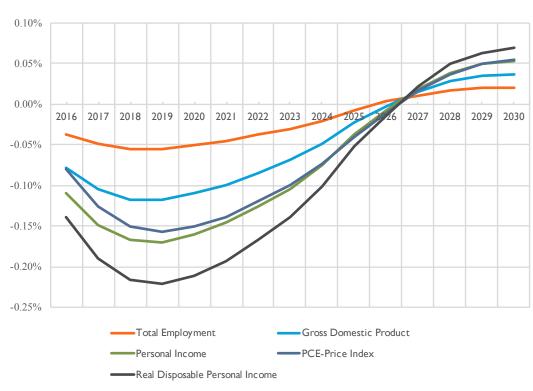
Impacts on energy sectors

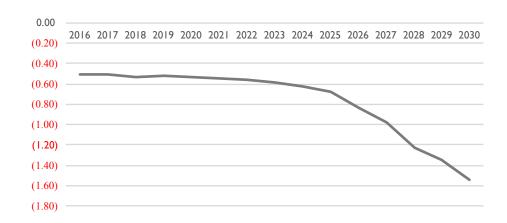


- Labor cost in energy supply sector decrease slightly, due to the shrink of coal fire plants and the less labor intensed in renewable power.
- Demands on electricity increased a bit, caused by the equipment manufacturing for renewable power generation and storage.
- The general production costs increase at the beginning and then decrease
- the increment of electricity supply effectively stimulate the exports of other energy, mainly fossil, as well as lower the import demands.



Impacts on the economy and emission intensity - nation wide average





Negative impacts on the national wide economy in short term, but positive ones in long term.

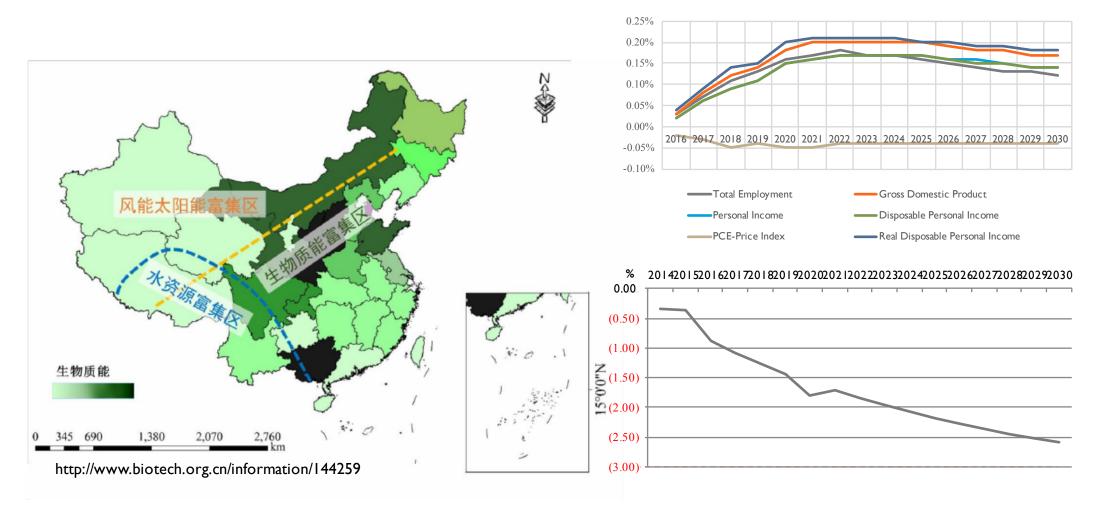
By 2030, the employment and GDP both higher than baseline.

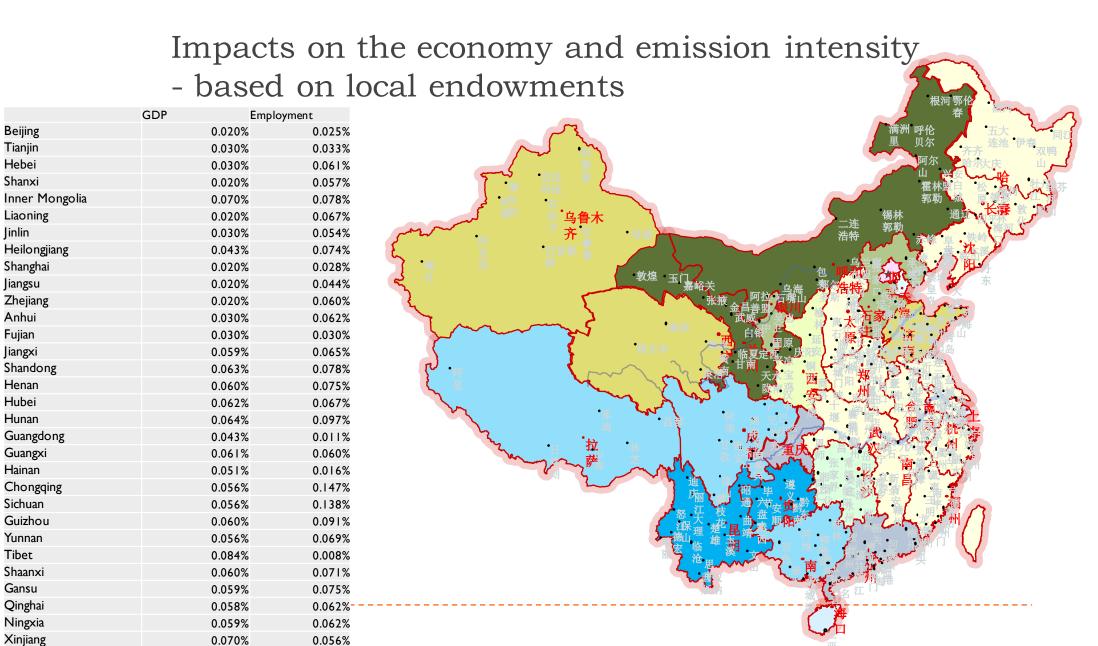
Personal income increases >0.05%

Real disposable personal income >0.08%

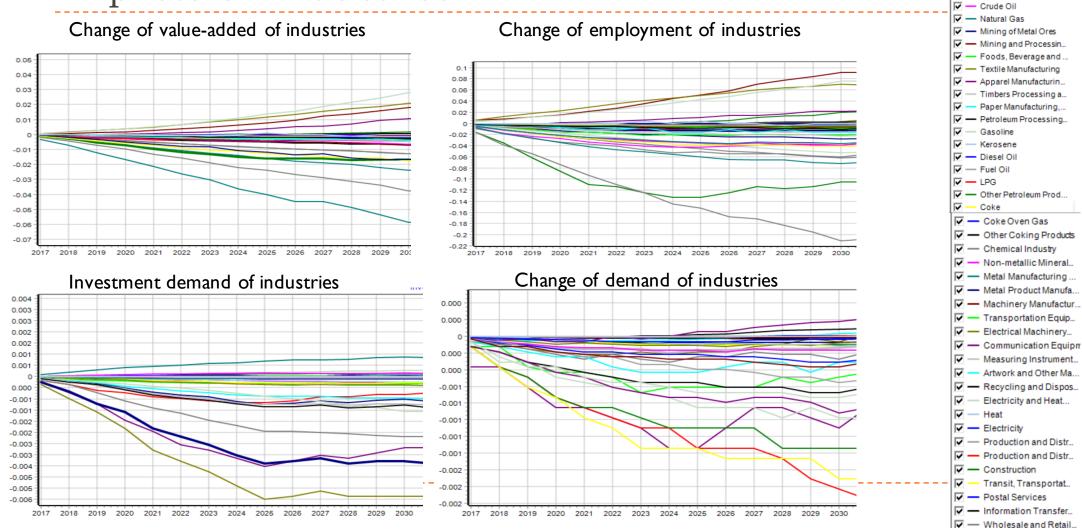
The CO2 emission intensity decreases 1.71% average annually.

Renewable energy development to local endowments





Impacts on industries



Agriculture, Forestr...

Mining and Washing o...

Other Cleaned Coal
 Petroleum and Natura.

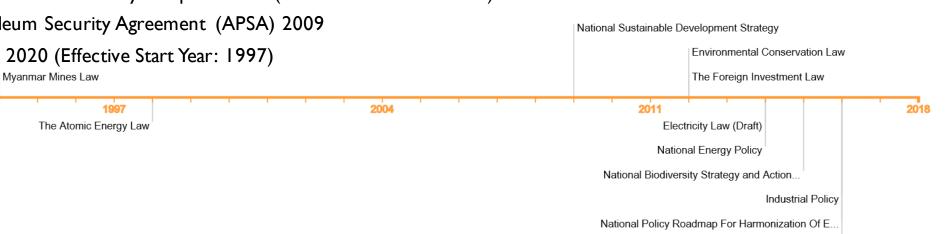
✓ — Coal✓ — Cleaned Coal

Summary

- From the overall analysis, renewable energy consumption growth will cost a certain amount of economic growth, but renewable energy consumption influence on economic growth may exist differences in different situations.
- Renewable energy consumption growth in different areas and different industry lead to different impacts on economic growth. Residential, industrial and transportation industry bear negative impacts while service industries have positive impacts. Therefore, it is necessary to formulate differentiated energy substitution policies based on the energy substitution rate of various industries, so as to achieve balanced development of renewable energy in various industries.
- For different types of renewable energy, the impact of consumption growth on economic growth is different. The economic cost of biomass energy growth is relatively high, followed by water energy, while the impact of wind energy growth on economic growth is positive.
- ▶ China's target of 20 per cent renewable energy consumption by 2030 will also pose challenges to economic growth. China needs to formulate different renewable energy policies for industries and regions.

Myanmar Renewable Energy related Policies and Plans

- National Energy Policy (Effective Years: 2014-)
- Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2011-2020 (Istanbul Programme of Action) (Effective Start Year: 2011)
- National Sustainable Development Strategy (Effective Start Year:2009)
- ASEAN Plan of Action for Energy Cooperation (APAEC) 2016-2025 Phase I: 2016-2020
- The Myanmar Climate Change Strategy & Action Plan (MCCSAP) 2016-2030
- National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan 2015-2020
- ASEAN Economic Community Blueprint 2025 (Effective Start Year: 2015)
- ASEAN Petroleum Security Agreement (APSA) 2009
- ASEAN Vision 2020 (Effective Start Year: 1997)



The Myanmar Climate Change Strategy & Action P...

Thank you!

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Structure of economy

		1	2	3	4	5	6	
		Producers	Investors	Household	Export	Government	Inventories	
	Size	← I →	← I →	← 1 →	← 1 →	← 1 →	← 1 →	
Basic Flows	c×s∫	V1BAS	V2BAS	V3BAS	V4BAS	V5BAS	V6BAS	
Margins	C×S×M↓	V1MAR	V2MAR	V3MAR	V4MAR	V5MAR	n/a	
Taxes	c×s∱	V1TAX	V2TAX	V3TAX	V4TAX	V5TAX	n/a	
Labour	o↑	V1LAB	C = Number of Commodities					
Capital	1	V1CAP	I = Number of Industries					
Land	1 →	V1LND	S = 2: Domestic,Imported					
Production Tax	1 ↑	V1PTX	O = Number of Occupation Types					
Other Costs	1,↑	V10CT	M = Number of Commodities used as Margins					

