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IMPACTS OF LINKING JI AND CDM CREDITS TO
THE EUROPEAN EMISSION ALLOWANCE TRADING SCHEME
(KPI-ETS)

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1 THE EUROPEAN EMISSION ALLOWANCE TRADING SCHEME: ANALYTICAL FRAMEWORK

The analysis of the impacts of linking JI and CDM to the future European Emission Allowance Trading System (ETSy) has been performed after development of an adequate version of the ASPEN-sd software. This version allows identifying two categories of sectors in Europe: the Emission Trading Sector or ETSe, which is based on the POLES model disaggregation in order to simulate sectors identified in the Directive on Emission Allowance Trading and the other sectors, identified as NTSe – non trading sectors. Likewise, and in order to identify sectors with different accessibility factors for JI or CDM projects, the ETSe and NTSe distinction has also been used for the other regions of the world that are taken into account in the simulation.

In order to identify the impacts of the linking of JI and CDM credits to the European Emission Allowance Trading Scheme, a set of simulation with ASPEN – based on updated MAC curves from the POLES model – have been performed. They correspond to a progressive opening of the trading system and allow in each case to identify the fundamentals of the allowance market: price, quantities exchanged by the different partners, domestic and total abatement cost.

Sectoral allocations in the EU have been calculated on the basis of what would be a cost-effective domestic program in each Member-State, i.e. through equalisation of MACs in the ETSe and in the NTSe.

The results presented in this study are based on the “Multi-gas” version of the POLES model described above, as resulting from the DG Research “GECS project” and thus include a set of 18 Other Greenhouse Gases (OGHG) emitting activities in industry, agriculture or waste management. However the OGHG emissions and reduction potentials that occur in the European ETSe are not accounted for in the ETSe sector, as the Directive on emission allowances does not immediately allow for the integration of these activities.

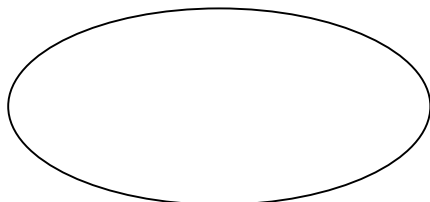
Table 1. Emissions taken into account in the KPI-ETS study

| | ETS | NTS |
|--------------|---|---|
| Enlarged EU | CO2 from electricity generation CO2 from energy intensive industries | Other CO2 emissions All other GHGs emissions |
| Rest Annex B | CO2 from electricity generation CO2 from energy intensive industries HFC emissions (industry) PFC emissions (industry) SF6 emissions (industry, electricity) | Other CO2 emissions CH4 emissions N2O emissions |
| Non-Annex B | CO2 from electricity generation CO2 from industries CO2 from industrial process (cement, ..) HFC emissions (industry) PFC emissions (industry) SF6 emissions (industry, electricity) | Other CO2 emissions CH4 emissions N2O emissions |

The sequence used for the economic assessment can be described as follows:

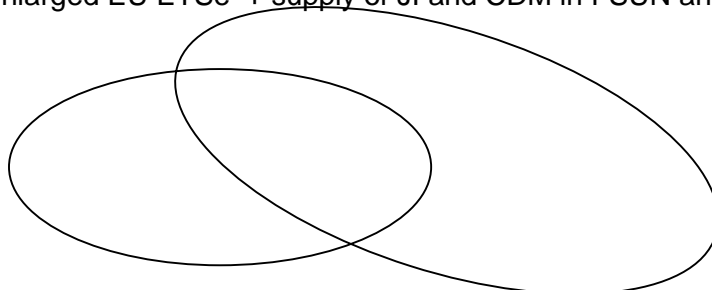
- **Stage 1: no-linking**

Enlarged EU ETSe



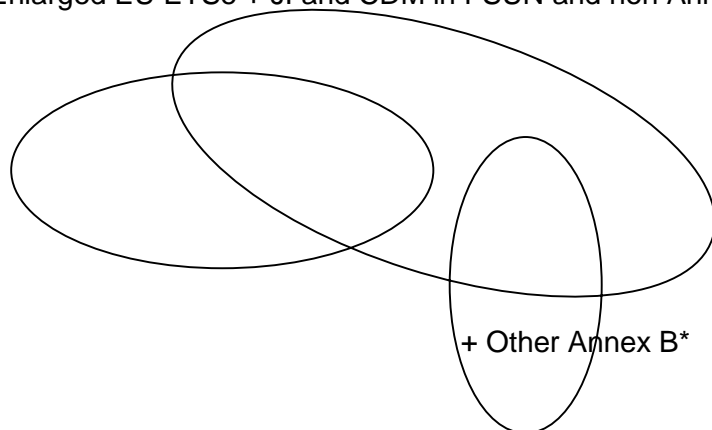
- **Stage 2: linking, no Others, no Member-States**

Enlarged EU ETSe + supply of JI and CDM in FSUN and non Annex B



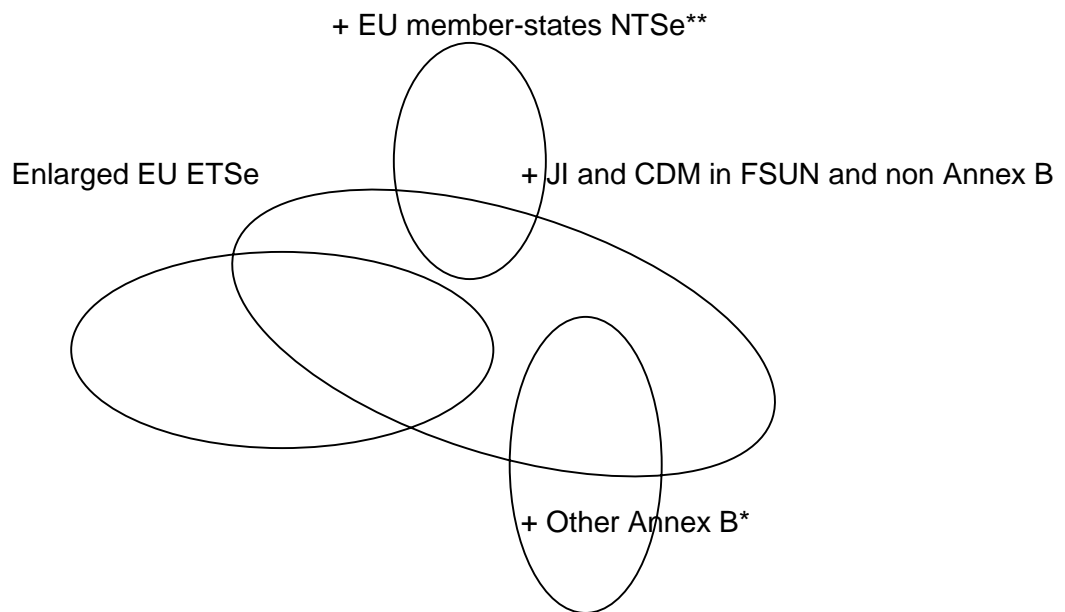
- **Stage 3: linking, with Others but no Member-States**

Enlarged EU ETSe + JI and CDM in FSUN and non Annex B



* Other Annex B (non US) participate on the basis of their national MAC curves, only if the resulting permit price is inferior to their domestic MAC (otherwise they would supply AAU permits to the extended ETSy)

- **Stage 4: linking, with Others and Member-States**



*** EU Member States participate on the basis of their NTSe MAC curves in order to avoid double counting of ETS demand/supply*

2 QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS

Benchmark: No EU Emission Allowance Trading Scheme

A no trade situation allows identifying costs with fully domestic policies. It illustrates the diversity of costs involved by the Kyoto targets and reveals from the start the potential gains from emission trading that basically come from the reduction in the differences in actions to be undertaken.

Table 2. No EU Emissions Allowance Trading Scheme

| | Reference 2010 (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Target ⁽¹⁾ (MtCO ₂ eq) | MAC (\$/tCO ₂ eq) | Target ⁽¹⁾ (MtCO ₂ eq) | Abat. Cost M\$ |
|-------------------------|--|------|-------|---|---------------------------------|---|----------------|
| | ETS* | NTS* | Total | Total | | ETS | ETS |
| USA | 3304 | 4128 | 7432 | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | 161 | 510 | 670 | - | - | - | - |
| Mexico | 226 | 415 | 641 | - | - | - | - |
| R Central America | 68 | 147 | 215 | - | - | - | - |
| Brasil | 296 | 796 | 1092 | - | - | - | - |
| R South America | 140 | 727 | 867 | - | - | - | - |
| France | 128 | 458 | 586 | 489 | 73 | 111 | 441 |
| Germany | 380 | 727 | 1107 | 1075 | 4 | 378 | 4 |
| Italy | 205 | 386 | 591 | 464 | 80 | 143 | 1976 |
| UK | 184 | 470 | 655 | 584 | 15 | 149 | 224 |
| Austria | 16 | 65 | 81 | 61 | 122 | 13 | 226 |
| Belg.-Lux | 36 | 122 | 158 | 140 | 33 | 33 | 36 |
| Denmark | 29 | 47 | 75 | 52 | 150 | 16 | 652 |
| Finland | 31 | 45 | 76 | 59 | 33 | 21 | 144 |
| Ireland | 23 | 42 | 66 | 47 | 99 | 13 | 415 |
| Netherlands | 72 | 181 | 253 | 219 | 39 | 58 | 237 |
| Sweden | 33 | 64 | 98 | 65 | 253 | 32 | 101 |
| Spain | 156 | 252 | 407 | 308 | 87 | 110 | 1730 |
| Greece | 72 | 67 | 138 | 101 | 45 | 41 | 547 |
| Portugal | 24 | 48 | 72 | 61 | 35 | 18 | 98 |
| Switz. + Norway | 33 | 97 | 131 | - | - | - | - |
| Turkey | 165 | 146 | 311 | - | - | - | - |
| Egypt | 80 | 97 | 177 | - | - | - | - |
| North Africa Non OPEP | 40 | 41 | 81 | - | - | - | - |
| North Africa OPEP | 49 | 122 | 171 | - | - | - | - |
| Gulf | 463 | 856 | 1319 | - | - | - | - |
| R Middle-East | 104 | 89 | 193 | - | - | - | - |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | 336 | 1263 | 1599 | - | - | - | - |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 292 | 420 | 712 | 712 | 0 | 292 | 0 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 88 | 139 | 227 | 227 | 0 | 88 | 0 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | 66 | 58 | 124 | - | - | - | - |
| FSU (AB) | 799 | 1019 | 1818 | - | - | - | - |
| Former SU NAB | 201 | 382 | 583 | - | - | - | - |
| India | 1442 | 1264 | 2706 | - | - | - | - |
| R South Asia | 103 | 485 | 588 | - | - | - | - |
| Korea | 314 | 303 | 617 | - | - | - | - |
| R South-East Asia | 763 | 1378 | 2142 | - | - | - | - |
| China | 4376 | 2402 | 6778 | - | - | - | - |
| Japan | 510 | 694 | 1204 | - | - | - | - |
| Aust.+ NZ | 228 | 297 | 525 | - | - | - | - |

(1) The targets do not take into account the surplus allocation to some Kyoto Annex B Parties

| | Reference 2010 (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | | TAC M\$ |
|-------------|--|------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|------------|
| | ETS | NTS | Total | ETS | Total | ETS |
| EU15 | 1389 | 2975 | 4364 | 1135 | 3725 | 6830 |
| EU enlarged | 1768 | 3534 | 5303 | 1514 | 4664 | 6830 |

Stage 1: The Enlarged EU Emission Allowance Trading Scheme in the EU-25 (“No linking”)

Taking into account the Acceding Countries in the EU trading scheme results in an allowance price of 26 €/tCO₂.

No reductions done through CDM or JI projects are imported by the enlarged EU.

Total abatement costs for the ETS sector are 2.9 billion €.

Table 3. Stage 1: Enlarged EU ETS only

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | ETS | NTS | | |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mexico | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| R Central America | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Brasil | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| R South America | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| France | 489 | 118 | 378 | 496 | 105 | 7 | - | 7 | 187 | 292 |
| Germany | 1075 | 370 | 698 | 1068 | 106 | -8 | - | -8 | -199 | -94 |
| Italy | 464 | 175 | 321 | 496 | 363 | 32 | - | 32 | 852 | 1214 |
| UK | 584 | 135 | 435 | 570 | 513 | -14 | - | -14 | -377 | 135 |
| Austria | 61 | 15 | 48 | 64 | 10 | 3 | - | 3 | 74 | 84 |
| Belg.-Lux | 140 | 34 | 107 | 141 | 25 | 0 | - | 0 | 10 | 35 |
| Denmark | 52 | 24 | 35 | 59 | 56 | 8 | - | 8 | 201 | 258 |
| Finland | 59 | 22 | 38 | 60 | 102 | 1 | - | 1 | 37 | 139 |
| Ireland | 47 | 19 | 35 | 53 | 62 | 6 | - | 6 | 162 | 224 |
| Netherlands | 219 | 61 | 161 | 222 | 127 | 3 | - | 3 | 90 | 217 |
| Sweden | 65 | 33 | 33 | 66 | 5 | 1 | - | 1 | 21 | 26 |
| Spain | 308 | 137 | 198 | 335 | 219 | 28 | - | 28 | 726 | 945 |
| Greece | 101 | 49 | 61 | 110 | 255 | 8 | - | 8 | 219 | 474 |
| Portugal | 61 | 19 | 43 | 62 | 60 | 1 | - | 1 | 33 | 93 |
| Switz. + Norway | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Turkey | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Egypt | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| North Africa Non OPEP | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| North Africa OPEP | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Gulf | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| R Middle-East | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 712 | 234 | 420 | 654 | 694 | -58 | - | -58 | -1530 | -836 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 227 | 68 | 139 | 207 | 228 | -19 | - | -19 | -506 | -278 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| FSU (AB) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Former SU NAB | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| India | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| R South Asia | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Korea | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| R South-East Asia | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| China | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Japan | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Aust.+ NZ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | ETS | NTS | | |
| EU enlarged | 4664 | 1514 | 3150 | 4664 | 2930 | 0 | - | 0 | 0 | 2930 |
| FSU AB | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Rest Annex B | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non-Annex B | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

Stage 2: The Enlarged EU Emission Trading Scheme plus JI and CDM credits (“Linking, no others, no MS”)

This stage corresponds to the opening of the Emission Allowance Trading Scheme to JI and CDM credits.

The impact of linking JI and CDM on the market equilibrium is significant, as the allowance price drops to 4.8 €/tCO₂e. Total ETS cost is in that case drastically reduced as it is brought down to only 1.1 billion €.

However, the amount of imported credits from JI and CDM is relatively limited when compared with the ETS allocations, as their share represents 12.7 % of the initial allocation to the ETS (192 MtCO₂e imported from JI and CDM vs. 1515 MtCO₂e allocated).

Table 4. Stage 2: The Enlarged EU Emission Trading Scheme plus JI and CDM credits

ETS market price : **4.8**

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|-------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | NTS | Total | | |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mexico | - | 225 | 413 | 638 | 4 | -2 | -2 | -3 | -45 | -4 |
| R Central America | - | 67 | 146 | 214 | 1 | 0 | 0 | -1 | -11 | -1 |
| Brasil | - | 294 | 795 | 1088 | 6 | -2 | -1 | -4 | -49 | -6 |
| R South America | - | 140 | 725 | 865 | 1 | 0 | -2 | -2 | -30 | -1 |
| France | 489 | 125 | 378 | 504 | 7 | 14 | - | 14 | 69 | 75 |
| Germany | 1075 | 377 | 698 | 1075 | 6 | -1 | - | -1 | -3 | 3 |
| Italy | 464 | 198 | 321 | 519 | 16 | 56 | - | 56 | 267 | 282 |
| UK | 584 | 170 | 435 | 604 | 35 | 20 | - | 20 | 97 | 131 |
| Austria | 61 | 16 | 48 | 64 | 0 | 3 | - | 3 | 17 | 17 |
| Belg.-Lux | 140 | 35 | 107 | 142 | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | 10 | 11 |
| Denmark | 52 | 28 | 35 | 63 | 2 | 11 | - | 11 | 55 | 57 |
| Finland | 59 | 29 | 38 | 67 | 5 | 8 | - | 8 | 39 | 44 |
| Ireland | 47 | 23 | 35 | 57 | 2 | 10 | - | 10 | 48 | 50 |
| Netherlands | 219 | 69 | 161 | 230 | 6 | 12 | - | 12 | 56 | 62 |
| Sweden | 65 | 33 | 33 | 66 | 0 | 1 | - | 1 | 5 | 5 |
| Spain | 308 | 151 | 198 | 350 | 11 | 42 | - | 42 | 200 | 211 |
| Greece | 101 | 66 | 61 | 126 | 14 | 25 | - | 25 | 121 | 135 |
| Portugal | 61 | 23 | 43 | 66 | 3 | 5 | - | 5 | 24 | 27 |
| Switz. + Norway | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Turkey | - | 164 | 145 | 309 | 4 | -2 | 0 | -2 | -28 | -4 |
| Egypt | - | 79 | 97 | 176 | 1 | 0 | 0 | -1 | -11 | -1 |
| North Africa Non OPEP | - | 40 | 41 | 81 | 1 | 0 | 0 | -1 | -7 | -1 |
| North Africa OPEP | - | 49 | 121 | 170 | 1 | 0 | -1 | -1 | -15 | -1 |
| Gulf | - | 460 | 850 | 1309 | 9 | -4 | -7 | -10 | -135 | -9 |
| R Middle-East | - | 104 | 88 | 192 | 2 | -1 | 0 | -1 | -15 | -2 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | - | 330 | 1258 | 1588 | 13 | -6 | -5 | -11 | -153 | -13 |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 712 | 278 | 420 | 698 | 32 | -13 | - | -13 | -64 | -32 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 227 | 83 | 139 | 222 | 11 | -4 | - | -4 | -21 | -11 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | - | 66 | 57 | 123 | 1 | -1 | 0 | -1 | -12 | -1 |
| FSU (AB) | 1818 | 781 | 1019 | 1800 | 12 | -18 | -5 | -23 | -88 | -76 |
| Former SU NAB | - | 199 | 378 | 577 | 6 | -2 | -4 | -6 | -85 | -6 |
| India | - | 1429 | 1258 | 2687 | 31 | -13 | -6 | -19 | -275 | -31 |
| R South Asia | - | 103 | 483 | 585 | 2 | -1 | -2 | -3 | -38 | -2 |
| Korea | - | 313 | 302 | 615 | 3 | -1 | 0 | -2 | -26 | -3 |
| R South-East Asia | - | 756 | 1372 | 2128 | 17 | -7 | -6 | -13 | -182 | -17 |
| China | - | 4310 | 2381 | 6690 | 159 | -66 | -22 | -88 | -1242 | -159 |
| Japan | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Aust.+ NZ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|-------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | NTS | Total | | |
| EU enlarged | 4664 | 1706 | 3150 | 4855 | 150 | 192 | - | 192 | 919 | 1069 |
| FSU AB | 1818 | 781 | 1019 | 1800 | 12 | -18 | -5 | -23 | -88 | -76 |
| Rest Annex B | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non-Annex B | - | 9126 | 10910 | 20036.28 | 260 | -109 | -60 | -168 | -2359 | -260 |

Stage 3: Competition for JI and CDM credits (“Linking, no MS”)

This case is developed in order to account for potential competition from other Annex B countries (except EU and US) on the project credits market. A condition ensures that these countries intervene on the market only when their domestic costs are superior to the market price for credits. For them to be suppliers to the ETSe would necessitate the conclusion of a bilateral agreement between the EU and the respective country in accordance with the Article 24 in the forthcoming EU Directive.

Both the allowance price and the total costs are affected, with a price of 10.5 €/tCO₂e and a total cost at 2.0 billion € for participants in the enlarged EU ETSe. Consequently the share of acquired JI and CDM credits in relation to the initial allocation is lower than in the preceding case, at 8% (128 MtCO₂e vs 1515 MtCO₂e allocated).

Table 5. Stage 3: Competition for JI and CDM credits

 ETS market price : **10.5**

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|-------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | NTS | Total | | |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | 494 | 146 | 451 | 597 | 68 | 22 | 81 | 103 | 228 | 296 |
| Mexico | - | 223 | 412 | 635 | 17 | -3 | -3 | -6.1 | -91 | -17 |
| R Central America | - | 67 | 146 | 213 | 3 | -1 | -1 | -1.4 | -20 | -5 |
| Brasil | - | 291 | 794 | 1085 | 25 | -5 | -2 | -6.7 | -97 | -26 |
| R South America | - | 139 | 724 | 863 | 5 | -1 | -3 | -4.0 | -56 | -5 |
| France | 489 | 123 | 378 | 501 | 28 | 12 | - | 12 | 122 | 150 |
| Germany | 1075 | 375 | 698 | 1072 | 25 | -3 | - | -3 | -32 | -7 |
| Italy | 464 | 191 | 321 | 512 | 69 | 49 | - | 49 | 512 | 581 |
| UK | 584 | 157 | 435 | 591 | 132 | 7 | - | 7 | 77 | 209 |
| Austria | 61 | 16 | 48 | 64 | 2 | 3 | - | 3 | 34 | 36 |
| Belg.-Lux | 140 | 35 | 107 | 142 | 5 | 1 | - | 1 | 16 | 21 |
| Denmark | 52 | 26 | 35 | 62 | 12 | 10 | - | 10 | 107 | 119 |
| Finland | 59 | 27 | 38 | 65 | 22 | 6 | - | 6 | 62 | 84 |
| Ireland | 47 | 22 | 35 | 56 | 10 | 9 | - | 9 | 95 | 104 |
| Netherlands | 219 | 67 | 161 | 228 | 26 | 9 | - | 9 | 95 | 121 |
| Sweden | 65 | 33 | 33 | 66 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 11 | 12 |
| Spain | 308 | 147 | 198 | 345 | 47 | 37 | - | 37 | 390 | 437 |
| Greece | 101 | 60 | 61 | 121 | 58 | 19 | - | 19 | 204 | 262 |
| Portugal | 61 | 22 | 43 | 65 | 11 | 4 | - | 4 | 41 | 53 |
| Switz. + Norway | 97 | 31 | 93 | 124 | 14 | 11 | 16 | 27 | 113 | 127 |
| Turkey | - | 162 | 145 | 307 | 17 | -3 | -1 | -4 | -58 | -18 |
| Egypt | - | 79 | 97 | 176 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -1 | -22 | -4 |
| North Africa Non OPEP | - | 40 | 41 | 80 | 3 | 0 | 0 | -1 | -14 | -3 |
| North Africa OPEP | - | 48 | 120 | 169 | 3 | -1 | -1 | -2 | -29 | -4 |
| Gulf | - | 456 | 845 | 1301 | 35 | -7 | -11 | -18 | -259 | -39 |
| R Middle-East | - | 103 | 88 | 191 | 7 | -1 | -1 | -2 | -30 | -8 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | - | 324 | 1254 | 1578 | 65 | -12 | -9 | -21 | -303 | -64 |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 712 | 265 | 420 | 685 | 138 | -27 | - | -27 | -287 | -149 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 227 | 78 | 139 | 218 | 46 | -9 | - | -9 | -95 | -49 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | - | 65 | 57 | 122 | 6 | -1 | -1 | -2 | -24 | -6 |
| FSU (AB) | 1818 | 761 | 1019 | 1781 | 76 | -38 | -11 | -49 | -397 | -321 |
| Former SU NAB | - | 196 | 376 | 572 | 25 | -5 | -7 | -11 | -163 | -26 |
| India | - | 1415 | 1253 | 2668 | 141 | -27 | -11 | -38 | -559 | -146 |
| R South Asia | - | 102 | 481 | 583 | 7 | -1 | -4 | -5 | -73 | -8 |
| Korea | - | 312 | 302 | 614 | 14 | -3 | -1 | -4 | -53 | -15 |
| R South-East Asia | - | 749 | 1368 | 2117 | 77 | -15 | -10 | -25 | -364 | -79 |
| China | - | 4244 | 2364 | 6608 | 661 | -132 | -39 | -170 | -2494 | -723 |
| Japan | 1071 | 469 | 670 | 1139 | 192 | 38 | 29 | 67 | 401 | 593 |
| Aust.+ NZ | 418 | 197 | 266 | 462 | 166 | 29 | 16 | 44 | 302 | 467 |

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------|-----------------|---------------------------------|------|-------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | NTS | Total | | |
| EU enlarged | 4664 | 1642 | 3150 | 4792 | 631 | 128 | - | 128 | 1352 | 1983 |
| FSU AB | 1818 | 761 | 1019 | 1781 | 76 | -38 | -11 | -49 | -397 | -321 |
| Rest Annex B | 2136 | 842 | 1483 | 2325 | 440 | 99 | 143 | 242 | 2548 | 1484 |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non-Annex B | - | 9015 | 10868 | 19882.51 | 1115 | -219 | -103 | -322 | -4708 | -1195 |

Stage 4: More competition – EU Member States acting as buyers of JI and CDM credits (“Linking”)

This last case provides an assessment of the impacts of potential competition between ETSe entities and EU Member States, representing their NTSe sectors.

Three cases of linking have been analysed.

The case 4.a imposes a 6% limit on the import of credits done by the enlarged EU ETSe (meaning that 6% of the requested objective can be fulfilled by such credits obtained through JI and CDM). The case 4.b imposes a tighter constraint on imports (3%) while the case 4.c on the contrary allows for an unrestricted use of imports.

The increased competition results in a further increase in the international allowance price, to 12 €/tCO_{2e}, even though the import of credits by the enlarged EU ETSe limits the demand. The limit on imports imposes an higher allowance price in the ETSe market: 14.5 €/tCO_{2e}. The total costs for participants in the Emission Allowance Trading Scheme is 2.4 billion €, while the ratio of acquired JI and CDM credits is brought down to 91 MtCO_{2e}.

The overall JI and CDM credits purchased by the enlarged EU (ETSe + NTSe) amounts to 208 MtCO_{2e} (91 for ETSe and 117 for NTSe), which represents around a third of its 2010 reduction objective, and 4% of its total 1990 emissions.

In the case 4.b, the imports of JI and CDM credits are limited to 3%. Because of the consequently lower demand for international allowances, the obtained international allowance price decreases by about 6% compared to case 4.a, to 11.3 €/tCO_{2e}. On the other hand, this more restricted access to JI and CDM credits leads to a 37% increase of the price of allowances in the enlarged EU ETSe market compared to case 4.a. The price now reaches 20 €/tCO_{2e}.

The overall purchase of credits amounts to 171 MtCO_{2e} only (45 MtCO_{2e} for ETSe and 126 for MtCO_{2e} for NTSe). It represents 3.3% of the enlarged EU 1990 emissions. The annual compliance cost for the enlarged EU ETS amounts in this case to 2.8 b€

The case 4.c, on the contrary, does not set any limit on the use of CDM and JI credits. The international market then leads to a permit price of 12.4 €/tCO_{2e} and a volume of acquired credits of 224 MtCO_{2e} (111 MtCO_{2e} for ETSe and 113 MtCO_{2e} for NTSe). The annual compliance cost decreases to 2.2 b€, still higher than in case 3.

However, compared to stage 3, the introduction of the NTSe, through Member States purchases, reduces the total Kyoto compliance cost for Enlarged EU. If only ETSe participants can purchase project credits, Member States would forego the opportunity to reduce the costs for other sectors.

Table 6. Stage 4.a: EU MS acting as buyers of JI and CDM credits, Imports = 6%

 International Market Price : **12.0**

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|--------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | ETS | NTS | | |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | 494 | 145 | 445 | 589 | 84 | 20 | 75 | 95.6 | 244 | 328 |
| Mexico | - | 222 | 412 | 634 | 24 | -4 | -3 | -7.1 | -47 | -22 |
| R Central America | - | 67 | 146 | 213 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -1.5 | -10 | -6 |
| Brasil | - | 290 | 794 | 1084 | 33 | -6 | -2 | -7.6 | -68 | -34 |
| R South America | - | 139 | 724 | 863 | 6 | -1 | -3 | -4.5 | -13 | -7 |
| France | 489 | 121 | 432 | 553 | 48 | 10 | 53 | 63.4 | 144 | 192 |
| Germany | 1075 | 373 | 664 | 1038 | 42 | -4 | -33 | -37.8 | -63 | -21 |
| Italy | 464 | 187 | 367 | 554 | 125 | 44 | 46 | 89.7 | 639 | 764 |
| UK | 584 | 150 | 439 | 589 | 218 | 0 | 4 | 4.6 | 6 | 224 |
| Austria | 61 | 16 | 61 | 77 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 15.9 | 46 | 49 |
| Belg.-Lux | 140 | 35 | 115 | 149 | 9 | 1 | 8 | 9.9 | 17 | 26 |
| Denmark | 52 | 26 | 45 | 71 | 21 | 9 | 9 | 18.8 | 136 | 157 |
| Finland | 59 | 26 | 41 | 67 | 39 | 5 | 4 | 8.1 | 66 | 105 |
| Ireland | 47 | 21 | 40 | 61 | 19 | 8 | 5 | 13.5 | 120 | 139 |
| Netherlands | 219 | 65 | 172 | 237 | 46 | 7 | 11 | 18.5 | 108 | 154 |
| Sweden | 65 | 33 | 60 | 93 | 2 | 1 | 27 | 27.8 | 14 | 15 |
| Spain | 308 | 144 | 236 | 380 | 80 | 34 | 38 | 72.0 | 499 | 579 |
| Greece | 101 | 57 | 64 | 121 | 100 | 16 | 4 | 19.6 | 232 | 333 |
| Portugal | 61 | 21 | 46 | 67 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 6.0 | 46 | 67 |
| Switz. + Norway | 97 | 30 | 93 | 123 | 17 | 10 | 16 | 26.6 | 46 | 143 |
| Turkey | - | 161 | 145 | 306 | 24 | -4 | -1 | -4.5 | -47 | -23 |
| Egypt | - | 79 | 97 | 175 | 6 | -1 | -1 | -1.7 | -11 | -5 |
| North Africa Non OPEP | - | 39 | 40 | 80 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -1.1 | -7 | -3 |
| North Africa OPEP | - | 48 | 120 | 168 | 5 | -1 | -2 | -2.3 | -10 | -5 |
| Gulf | - | 455 | 844 | 1299 | 48 | -8 | -12 | -20.5 | -99 | -50 |
| R Middle-East | - | 103 | 88 | 191 | 10 | -2 | -1 | -2.3 | -20 | -10 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | - | 322 | 1253 | 1575 | 88 | -14 | -10 | -23.9 | -173 | -85 |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 712 | 256 | 360 | 616 | 246 | -36 | -60 | -95.9 | -521 | -274 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 227 | 76 | 125 | 201 | 83 | -12 | -14 | -25.7 | -174 | -91 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | - | 65 | 57 | 122 | 8 | -1 | -1 | -1.9 | -16 | -8 |
| FSU (AB) | 1818 | 754 | 1019 | 1774 | 272 | -45 | -13 | -57.6 | -538 | -266 |
| Former SU NAB | - | 196 | 375 | 571 | 34 | -6 | -7 | -12.9 | -69 | -34 |
| India | - | 1410 | 1252 | 2662 | 196 | -32 | -12 | -44.0 | -387 | -191 |
| R South Asia | - | 102 | 481 | 582 | 10 | -2 | -4 | -5.8 | -21 | -11 |
| Korea | - | 311 | 302 | 613 | 20 | -3 | -1 | -4.2 | -40 | -19 |
| R South-East Asia | - | 746 | 1367 | 2113 | 108 | -18 | -11 | -28.7 | -212 | -104 |
| China | - | 4223 | 2359 | 6582 | 902 | -153 | -43 | -196.3 | -1841 | -940 |
| Japan | 1071 | 465 | 667 | 1133 | 235 | 34 | 27 | 61.0 | 414 | 648 |
| Aust.+ NZ | 418 | 192 | 263 | 455 | 217 | 24 | 13 | 37.1 | 290 | 508 |

 The corresponding MAC for enlarged EU ETS is **14.5 €/tCO₂e**.

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|------|------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | ETS | NTS | | |
| EU enlarged | 4664 | 1605 | 3267 | 4872 | 1102 | 91 | 117 | 208 | 1316 | 2418 |
| FSU AB | 1818 | 754 | 1019 | 1774 | 272 | -45 | -13 | -58 | -538 | -266 |
| Rest Annex B | 2136 | 841 | 1482 | 2323 | 553 | 89 | 75 | 220 | 20 | 1628 |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non-Annex B | - | 9017 | 10868 | 19885 | 1531 | -256 | -114 | -371 | -3088 | -1558 |

Table 7. Stage 4.b: EU MS acting as buyers of JI and CDM credits, Imports = 3%

 International Market Price : **11.3**

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|--------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | ETS | NTS | | |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | 494 | 145 | 448 | 593 | 77 | 21 | 78 | 99.0 | 237 | 314 |
| Mexico | - | 223 | 412 | 635 | 21 | -4 | -3 | -6.7 | -41 | -20 |
| R Central America | - | 67 | 146 | 213 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -1.5 | -9 | -5 |
| Brasil | - | 291 | 794 | 1085 | 29 | -5 | -2 | -7.2 | -60 | -31 |
| R South America | - | 139 | 724 | 863 | 5 | -1 | -3 | -4.3 | -11 | -6 |
| France | 489 | 120 | 433 | 552 | 73 | 9 | 54 | 62.8 | 170 | 242 |
| Germany | 1075 | 372 | 666 | 1038 | 71 | -6 | -32 | -37.6 | -121 | -50 |
| Italy | 464 | 181 | 368 | 549 | 225 | 38 | 46 | 84.7 | 764 | 989 |
| UK | 584 | 142 | 440 | 582 | 351 | -7 | 5 | -2.0 | -146 | 205 |
| Austria | 61 | 16 | 61 | 77 | 6 | 3 | 13 | 15.9 | 60 | 66 |
| Belg.-Lux | 140 | 34 | 115 | 149 | 16 | 1 | 8 | 9.0 | 16 | 31 |
| Denmark | 52 | 25 | 45 | 70 | 36 | 9 | 9 | 18.0 | 170 | 206 |
| Finland | 59 | 24 | 41 | 65 | 66 | 3 | 4 | 6.7 | 59 | 125 |
| Ireland | 47 | 20 | 40 | 60 | 35 | 7 | 5 | 12.6 | 146 | 181 |
| Netherlands | 219 | 63 | 172 | 236 | 80 | 5 | 11 | 16.9 | 109 | 189 |
| Sweden | 65 | 33 | 60 | 93 | 3 | 1 | 27 | 27.9 | 18 | 20 |
| Spain | 308 | 141 | 236 | 377 | 137 | 31 | 38 | 69.2 | 621 | 757 |
| Greece | 101 | 53 | 65 | 117 | 168 | 12 | 4 | 15.8 | 241 | 409 |
| Portugal | 61 | 20 | 46 | 66 | 36 | 2 | 3 | 5.2 | 45 | 82 |
| Switz. + Norway | 97 | 30 | 93 | 124 | 15 | 11 | 16 | 26.9 | 45 | 136 |
| Turkey | - | 162 | 145 | 307 | 20 | -4 | -1 | -4.2 | -41 | -21 |
| Egypt | - | 79 | 97 | 175 | 5 | -1 | -1 | -1.6 | -9 | -5 |
| North Africa Non OPEP | - | 40 | 40 | 80 | 3 | -1 | -1 | -1.0 | -6 | -3 |
| North Africa OPEP | - | 48 | 120 | 169 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -2.2 | -8 | -4 |
| Gulf | - | 455 | 845 | 1300 | 42 | -8 | -12 | -19.4 | -87 | -45 |
| R Middle-East | - | 103 | 88 | 191 | 9 | -2 | -1 | -2.2 | -17 | -9 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | - | 323 | 1254 | 1576 | 77 | -13 | -9 | -22.5 | -152 | -75 |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 712 | 245 | 362 | 607 | 434 | -47 | -58 | -105.1 | -933 | -500 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 227 | 72 | 126 | 198 | 145 | -16 | -13 | -29.0 | -311 | -166 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | - | 65 | 57 | 122 | 7 | -1 | -1 | -1.8 | -14 | -7 |
| FSU (AB) | 1818 | 757 | 1019 | 1777 | 235 | -41 | -12 | -53.4 | -470 | -236 |
| Former SU NAB | - | 196 | 375 | 571 | 30 | -5 | -7 | -12.2 | -60 | -31 |
| India | - | 1412 | 1253 | 2665 | 170 | -30 | -11 | -41.1 | -339 | -169 |
| R South Asia | - | 102 | 481 | 583 | 9 | -2 | -4 | -5.5 | -18 | -9 |
| Korea | - | 311 | 302 | 613 | 18 | -3 | -1 | -3.9 | -35 | -17 |
| R South-East Asia | - | 747 | 1368 | 2115 | 93 | -16 | -11 | -26.9 | -185 | -92 |
| China | - | 4233 | 2361 | 6594 | 786 | -143 | -41 | -184.1 | -1621 | -835 |
| Japan | 1071 | 467 | 669 | 1135 | 214 | 36 | 28 | 64.0 | 409 | 624 |
| Aust.+ NZ | 418 | 194 | 264 | 459 | 193 | 26 | 14 | 40.5 | 297 | 490 |

 The corresponding MAC for enlarged EU ETS is **20 €/tCO₂e**.

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|------|------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | ETS | NTS | | |
| EU enlarged | 4664 | 1559 | 3276 | 4835 | 1882 | 45 | 126 | 171 | 906 | 2788 |
| FSU AB | 1818 | 757 | 1019 | 1777 | 235 | -41 | -12 | -53 | -470 | -236 |
| Rest Annex B | 2136 | 841 | 1482 | 2323 | 499 | 94 | 78 | 230 | 21 | 1563 |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non-Annex B | - | 9017 | 10868 | 19885 | 1331 | -239 | -109 | -348 | -2714 | -1383 |

Table 8. Stage 4.c: EU MS acting as buyers of JI and CDM credits, no constraint on imports

 International Market Price : **12.4**

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|-----|--------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | NTS | Total | | |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | 494 | 144 | 444 | 588 | 88 | 20 | 74 | 94.1 | 247 | 335 |
| Mexico | - | 222 | 412 | 634 | 26 | -4 | -3 | -7.3 | -49 | -24 |
| R Central America | - | 67 | 146 | 213 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -1.6 | -10 | -6 |
| Brasil | - | 290 | 794 | 1084 | 35 | -6 | -2 | -7.8 | -71 | -36 |
| R South America | - | 139 | 724 | 863 | 7 | -1 | -3 | -4.6 | -14 | -7 |
| France | 489 | 122 | 431 | 553 | 37 | 11 | 53 | 63.8 | 134 | 170 |
| Germany | 1075 | 374 | 663 | 1038 | 32 | -4 | -34 | -37.9 | -45 | -13 |
| Italy | 464 | 189 | 366 | 556 | 93 | 47 | 45 | 91.8 | 575 | 668 |
| UK | 584 | 154 | 438 | 592 | 168 | 4 | 4 | 7.9 | 51 | 220 |
| Austria | 61 | 16 | 61 | 77 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 16.0 | 40 | 42 |
| Belg.-Lux | 140 | 35 | 115 | 150 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 9.1 | 17 | 23 |
| Denmark | 52 | 26 | 45 | 71 | 16 | 10 | 9 | 19.2 | 121 | 137 |
| Finland | 59 | 26 | 41 | 67 | 29 | 5 | 3 | 8.8 | 66 | 94 |
| Ireland | 47 | 21 | 40 | 61 | 13 | 9 | 5 | 13.8 | 107 | 121 |
| Netherlands | 219 | 66 | 172 | 238 | 34 | 8 | 11 | 19.2 | 103 | 137 |
| Sweden | 65 | 33 | 60 | 93 | 1 | 1 | 27 | 27.8 | 12 | 13 |
| Spain | 308 | 145 | 236 | 381 | 61 | 36 | 37 | 73.2 | 443 | 504 |
| Greece | 101 | 58 | 64 | 123 | 76 | 18 | 4 | 21.4 | 221 | 297 |
| Portugal | 61 | 21 | 46 | 67 | 15 | 4 | 3 | 6.4 | 44 | 60 |
| Switz. + Norway | 97 | 30 | 93 | 123 | 18 | 10 | 16 | 26.4 | 44 | 147 |
| Turkey | - | 161 | 145 | 306 | 25 | -4 | -1 | -4.7 | -49 | -24 |
| Egypt | - | 79 | 97 | 175 | 6 | -1 | -1 | -1.7 | -11 | -6 |
| North Africa Non OPEP | - | 39 | 40 | 80 | 4 | -1 | -1 | -1.1 | -7 | -4 |
| North Africa OPEP | - | 48 | 120 | 168 | 5 | -1 | -2 | -2.4 | -10 | -5 |
| Gulf | - | 455 | 844 | 1298 | 51 | -8 | -12 | -20.9 | -104 | -53 |
| R Middle-East | - | 103 | 88 | 191 | 10 | -2 | -1 | -2.4 | -21 | -11 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | - | 321 | 1253 | 1574 | 93 | -15 | -10 | -24.5 | -182 | -89 |
| Pol+Hun+Czech+Slova. | 712 | 261 | 359 | 620 | 184 | -31 | -61 | -91.9 | -387 | -203 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (AB) | 227 | 77 | 125 | 202 | 62 | -10 | -14 | -24.3 | -129 | -67 |
| Rest Cent. Europe (NAB) | - | 65 | 57 | 122 | 9 | -1 | -1 | -2.0 | -17 | -8 |
| FSU (AB) | 1818 | 753 | 1019 | 1772 | 289 | -46 | -13 | -59.4 | -569 | -280 |
| Former SU NAB | - | 195 | 375 | 570 | 36 | -6 | -7 | -13.2 | -73 | -36 |
| India | - | 1409 | 1252 | 2661 | 209 | -33 | -12 | -45.2 | -410 | -201 |
| R South Asia | - | 102 | 481 | 582 | 11 | -2 | -4 | -5.9 | -22 | -11 |
| Korea | - | 311 | 302 | 613 | 22 | -3 | -1 | -4.3 | -42 | -20 |
| R South-East Asia | - | 745 | 1367 | 2112 | 115 | -18 | -11 | -29.5 | -224 | -109 |
| China | - | 4219 | 2358 | 6577 | 955 | -157 | -44 | -201.7 | -1944 | -988 |
| Japan | 1071 | 464 | 667 | 1131 | 244 | 34 | 26 | 59.7 | 415 | 659 |
| Aust.+ NZ | 418 | 191 | 263 | 454 | 229 | 23 | 12 | 35.6 | 286 | 515 |

The corresponding MAC for enlarged EU ETS is of course also of 12.4 €/tCO₂e, as no restriction to trade is imposed.

| | Target (MtCO ₂ eq) | Emissions (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Dom AC (M\$) | Trade (MtCO ₂ eq) | | | Trade Cost (M\$) | TAC (M\$) |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------------|------|-------|---------------------|--------------|
| | | ETS | NTS | Total | | ETS | NTS | Total | | |
| EU enlarged | 4664 | 1625 | 3263 | 4888 | 830 | 111 | 113 | 224 | 1373 | 2203 |
| FSU AB | 1818 | 753 | 1019 | 1772 | 289 | -46 | -13 | -59 | -569 | -280 |
| Rest Annex B | 2136 | 841 | 1482 | 2323 | 579 | 87 | 74 | 216 | 20 | 1655 |
| USA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Non-Annex B | - | 9017 | 10868 | 19885 | 1623 | -264 | -117 | -381 | -3263 | -1639 |

Caveats

- First of all, the authors underline the fact that the scope of such an analysis and the conclusions that can be drawn should be qualified by the inherent difficulty of analysing project mechanisms due to the uncertainty regarding reductions projects feasibility (the accessibility factor), transaction costs or institutional infrastructure.
- In order to simulate the impacts of JI and CDM credits, assumptions had thus to be introduced on transaction costs for JI and CDM projects (20 %) but more significantly on the “accessibility” of theoretical abatement potentials in Former Soviet Union and in Non-Annex B countries to the implementation of JI or CDM projects. This accessibility has been considered to be higher in FSUN than in Non-Annex B and higher in the ETSe (electricity sector and industry) than in the NTSe sectors (Transport, Residential, Tertiary). The “accessibility factors” considered here are 40 % and 20 % respectively in FSUN ETSe and NTSe, and 20 % and 10 %, respectively in Non-Annex B ETSe and NTSe.
- There is no use of FSUN surplus allocation for trading.
- The time horizon of this study is on first Kyoto period, represented by the year 2010. Although no analysis of the first period of the EU trading scheme 2005 to 2007 is performed, it may be expected that the allowance price will be lower.
- The analysis focuses only on economic impacts and assumes implicitly that baselines for projects are perfect. Carbon sinks are not taken into account.
- No nuclear projects are taken into account for the mere reason that no nuclear development is possible within the considered time-frame due to leadtime necessary for construction.
- Due to technical constraints in the model the geographics of the “enlarged EU” are not perfect.
- It is assumed that the USA stays out of the Kyoto Protocol and that, consequently, it does not take part to the allowance exchanges.
- The surplus of acceding countries under the Kyoto Protocol is not considered in this study: these countries do allocate this surplus to companies covered by the EU ETS. The “targets” reported in the results tables are drawn up on the basis that acceding countries allocate at business at usual levels.
- The analysis is based on the Marginal Abatement Cost (MAC) curves produced by the POLES model. The preliminary stage consists in assessing for each country the MAC associated with the Kyoto Target. The reduction requirement is then distributed among sectors according to the equalization of the sectoral marginal costs. For a given sector, the reduction objective thus obtained and the corresponding MAC curve allow to compute the total abatement cost. This cost is a “domestic” cost as it represents the cost of reaching the sectoral target through policies that rely only on national measures and schemes and not on allowance trading.
- Sectoral objectives and abatement costs depend on projected 2010 sectoral emissions and on the curves produced by the POLES model.

3 SUMMARY

The volume of credits obtained through JI and CDM projects by the enlarged EU Emission Allowance Trading Scheme, as well as the magnitude of cost savings and allowance price impacts will crucially depend on how much competition there will be from EU Member States and other countries in JI and CDM credits.

The first result is that allowing project credits into the EU trading scheme lowers allowances prices and costs for ETS compliance.

As expected, the lower the level of competition for JI and CDM credits, the greater the volume of credits purchased by the enlarged EU ETS and the lower the price of the corresponding allowances.

Without any competition from the European NTS sector and the other Annex B countries on the JI and CDM credits market, the allowance price collapses from 26€/tCO₂e (Case 1) to less than 5 €/tCO₂e (Case 2) with linking. The annual compliance cost for the ETS sector is reduced by about 60% from 2.9 b€ to some 1.1 b€. The reductions acquired by the enlarged EU ETS through JI and CDM represent in this case 12,7 % of the initial allocation to ETS participants.

However, it seems reasonable to expect that other participating Annex B countries will also carry out JI and CDM projects in order to generate project credits. The taking account of this competition on the ETS market entails more than a doubling of the allowance price to 10.5 €/tCO₂e, and almost doubles the annual compliance cost for the enlarged EU ETS to 2 b€.

The restricted linking of the enlarged EU ETS to the market, via Member State credit purchases, have noticeable impacts. While the 6% limit leads to a comparable allowance price to case 3, and an annual compliance cost for the ETS sector 20% higher, 2.4 b€, the 3% limit case gets close to the “No linking” situation, with an allowance price for enlarged EU ETS of 20 €/tCO₂e (the international allowance price reaches 11 €/tCO₂e) and an annual compliance cost for the ETS sector of 2.8 b€. In the case of unlimited linking, the permit price falls to 12.4 €/tCO₂e and the compliance cost to 2.2 b€, the allowances obtained by the enlarged EU ETS through projects represent in this case 7% of its objectives.

Figure 1. International (Kyoto) market price

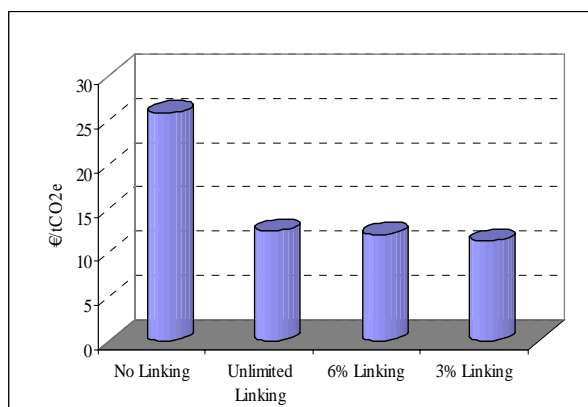
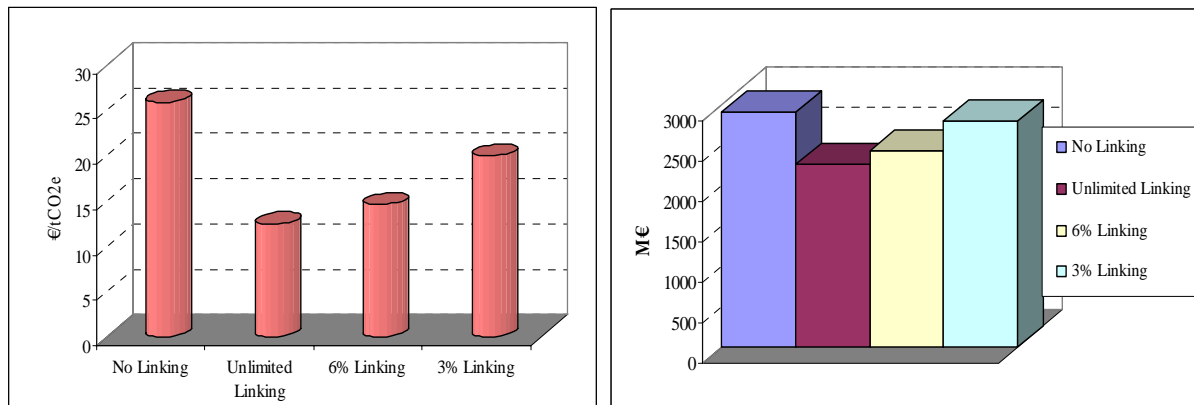


Figure 2a and 2b. Enlarged EU ETSe allowance price (€/tCO₂e) and annual compliance cost (M€)



In all cases, China is expected to be the greatest credits supplier (around 47% of the total – JI included, 55% of CDM only). The second most important region for project-based emission reductions is the Former Soviet Union with around 14% of the total, followed by India, with around 11% of the reductions done through CDM and JI (12% of CDM only). The Rest of Asia represents 9%, Africa-Middle East-Turkey 14%. Latin America comes last with around 5% only of the reductions (2% for Brazil alone).

Figure 3. Supply of CDM and JI credits

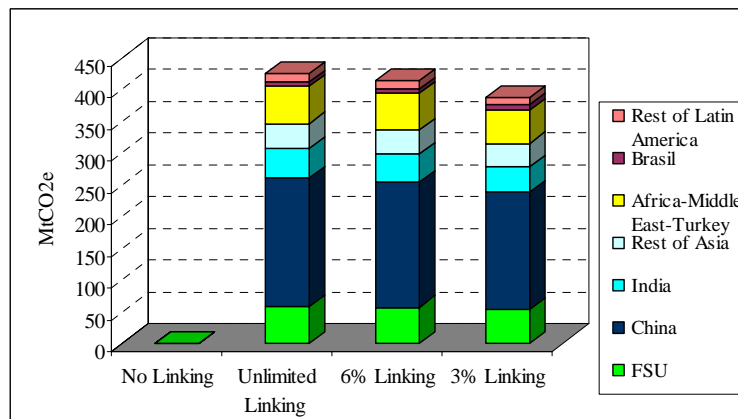


Figure 4. Shares of credit supply (case 4.c)

