



Afghanistan Energy Study Universal Access to Electricity

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Outline

Day 1. Universal Access to electricity

- 1. Outline of the 2-day training session
- 2. Introduction to Modelling Electricity for All
- 3. Introduction to Energy Resources Assessment using GIS
- 4. Electrification analysis using GIS
- 5. Introduction to ONSSET
- 6. Introduction to Afghanistan Energy Study
- 7. Afghanistan Energy Study (Sharing knowledge and experiences from local experts)
- 8. ONSSET analysis for Afghanistan
- 9. Interpretation of the results
- 10. Open discussion on electrification planning

Day 2. Hands on experience with ONSSET

- 1. GIS data collection and processing
- 2. Hands-on experience with ONSSET (Part 1)
- 3. Hands-on experience with ONSSET (Part 2)
- 4. Stand alone version of ONSSET
- 5. Results visualization and interpretation and group presentations

2. Introduction to Modelling Electricity for All

Specific objective: Understand SDG7 as a relevant goal which seeks to ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all by 2030

Energy Access Today

- About 2.7 billion people have no access to modern energy services.
- Over 1.1 billion people do not have access to electricity.
- The majority live mainly in rural areas of developing Asia and sub-Saharan Africa.



Nighttime light data provided by National Centers for Environmental Information

Universal Access to Electricity

Link to SDGs



Access to modern energy is beneficial for:

- Health services
- Education
- > Daily activities (lighting, heating, cooking, transportation)
- ➤ Gender equality
- Indoor environment
- Business, agricultural, infrastructure and telecommunications sector

Without access to electricity

With access to electricity

























Importance of energy planning

- Energy planning is essential for **matching demand and supply**.
- **System cost minimization** without compromising energy security, reliability of supply and environmental integrity is a primary planning objective.
- Fundamental energy system transformation is key to the implementation of SDG 7.

However...

- Past energy planning paradigms (models and mind-sets) are largely inadequate for access analysis and planning.
- Effective electrification planning requires **geospatial** information (e.g., settlement location, distances from the grid and road infrastructure, energy resource availability).
- In developing countries, there is a lack of reliable energy-related data.

GIS and Energy System Models

- Conventional long-term energy models such as OSeMOSYS, TIMES, MESSAGE etc fail to take into account the spatio-temporal fluctuations of energy resources and demand side.
 - To illustrate, the wind speed varies in time and space and so does the potential wind energy yield. The same applies to other energy sources with stochastic nature.
 - Also, the power infrastructure differs from one area to another and so does the demand.
 - Without GIS models, these details which are essential in energy planning cannot be captured.

Why Geographic Information Systems?

The use of GIS serves multiple purposes:

Location based assessments: GIS tools enable assessments to analyse energy related geospatial information.

Remote sensing: The use of GIS tools facilitates the integration of remote sensing techniques to derive resource availability & energy potentials in cases where such data are not (publically) available.

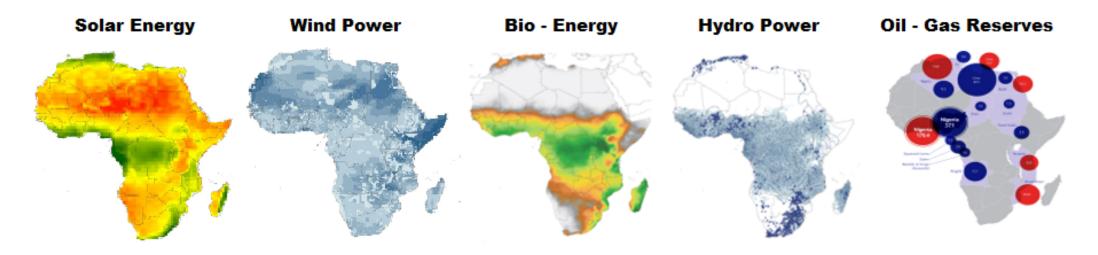
Illustration of results: GIS is used to illustrate results in interactive maps, providing an effective science – policy interface.

3. Introduction to Energy Resources Assessment using GIS

Specific objective: Understand the Geographic Information Systems as a tool to assess energy resources

Geospatial Resources Assessment

The quandary...



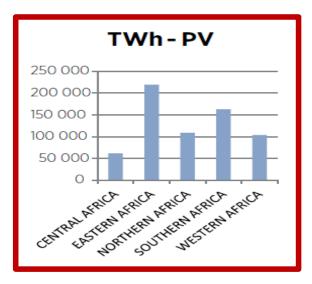
- What is the energy resource situation at each location?
- Which technologies are best suited to tap into these resources?
- What are the costs of electricity generation by technology and resource input?

Spatial solar availability

	CSP	PV
	TWh	TWh
CENTRAL AFRICA	29 909	61 643
EASTERN AFRICA	175 777	219 481
NORTHERN AFRICA	93 544	109 033
SOUTHERN AFRICA	149 610	162 817
WESTERN AFRICA	22 747	103 754

Table 1. Summary	of CSP and PV i	notentials in	different African regions

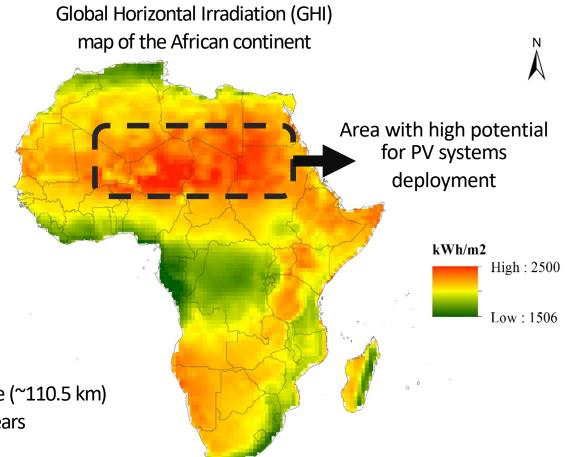
	TOTAL	471 587	656 728
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Laver's spefifications

<u>Spatial Resolution</u>: 1 degree (~110.5 km) <u>Historical time series</u>: 22 years

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Source: Langley Atmospheric Science Research Center

Spatial Wind availability

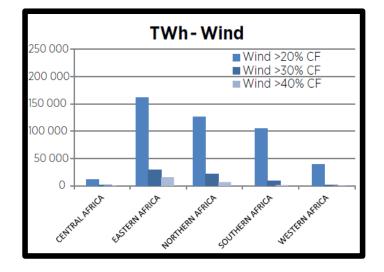
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Table 2. Summary of Wind Power potential in different African regions

	All areas with wind turbine CF greater than <u>20%</u>
POWER POOL	TWh
CENTRAL AFRICA	239
EASTERN AFRICA	6694
NORTHERN AFRICA	11963
SOUTHERN AFRICA	6971
WESTERN AFRICA	5152

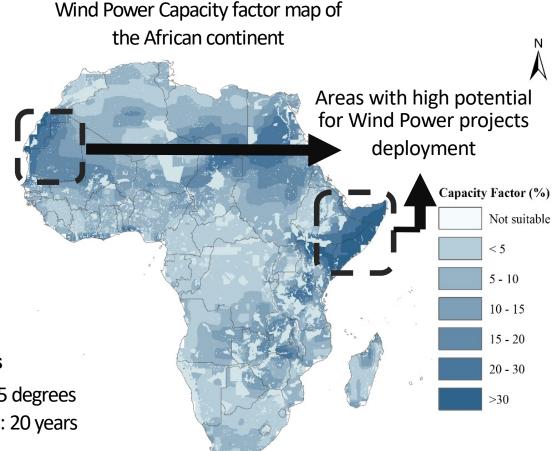
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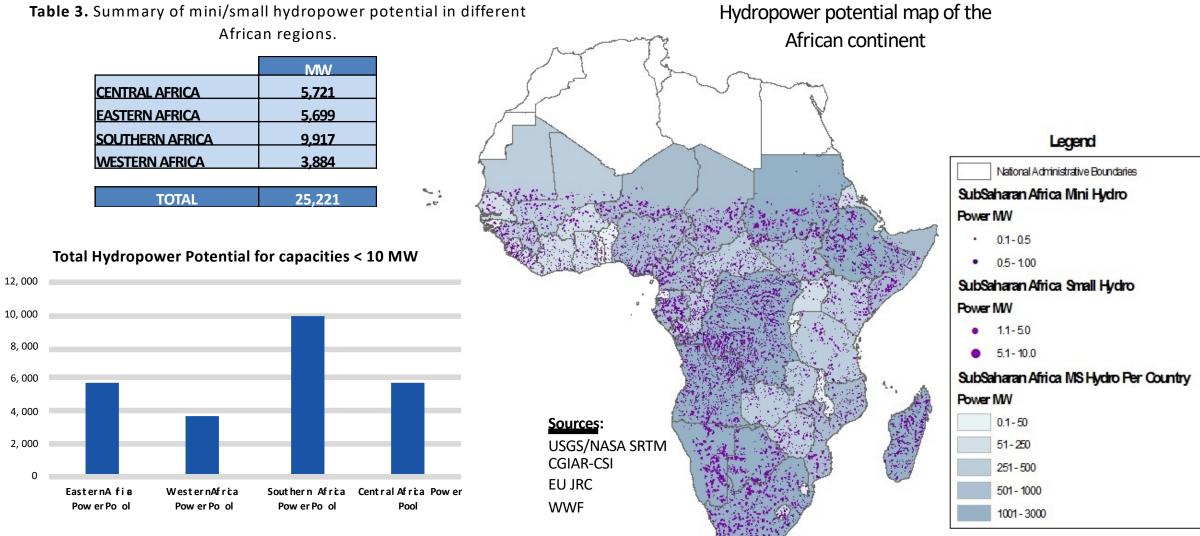
Laver's spefifications

Spatial resolution: 0.5 degrees Historical time series: 20 years



Source: NASA - GES DISC

Spatial mini/small hydropower availability



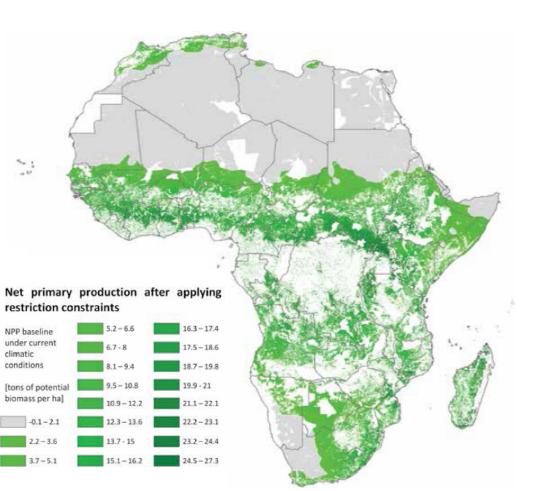
Spatial Bio-Energy availability

Table 4. Summary of sugarcane based bioethanol production indifferent African regions.

	Million litres			
Region	Rain-fed		Irrigated	
	>2 ton/ha	>4 ton/ha	>2 ton/ha	>4 ton/ha
Central Africa	41 901	1172	91 734	18 472
Eastern Africa	21 715	5 200	157 932	83 272
Northern Africa	-	-	4 252	238
Southern Africa	21 325	9,085	172 344	100 226
Western Africa	10 652	218	58 617	7 616
TOTAL	95 593	15 675	484 879	209 825

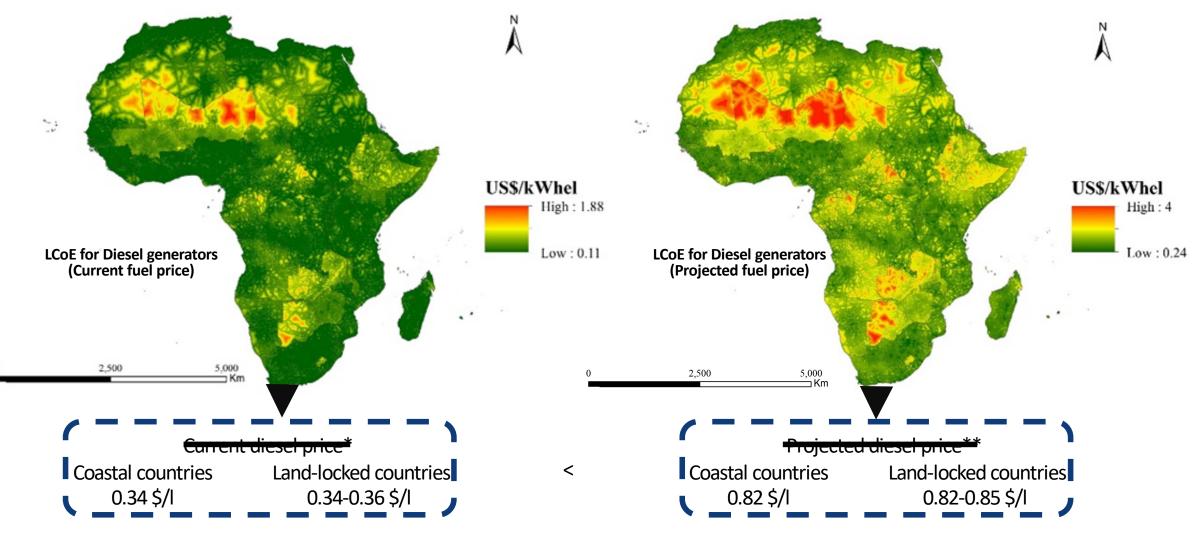
Table 5. Summary of land areas for Jatropha and soybean crops with yields over 2 tons/ha.

	Thousand ha		
Region	Jatropha	Soybean	
	>2 tons/ha	>2 tons/ha	
Central Africa	59	430	
Eastern Africa	59	3 982	
Northern Africa	-	-	
Southern Africa	1 373	8 269	
Western Africa	-	2 234	
TOTAL	1 491	14 915	



Source: IIASA - GAEZ – Global Agro-Ecological Zoning

Spatial Diesel LCoE



* According to the current crude oil price of 47 \$/barrel

3. Electrification analysis using GIS Specific objective: Summarize the steps to analyse the electrification status of countries and regions using GIS

I. Current electrification status (2015)

Geographically identify the currently unelectrified population by <u>combining</u> and <u>analysing</u> various geospatial datasets:

- Administrative boundaries
- Night-time light
- Transmission network
- Power plants
- Road network
- Population distribution

Areas with high population density, developed grid infrastructure and visible night-time lights

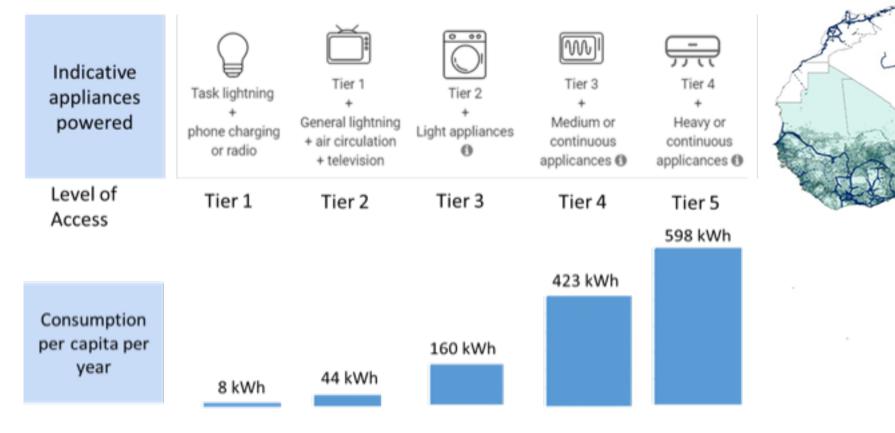
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Current population and transmission network

Currently electrified

II. Identify future electricity demand (2030) Projected population

Projected population and transmission network



Electricity Demand = Population * Electrification Tier

III. Electrification options



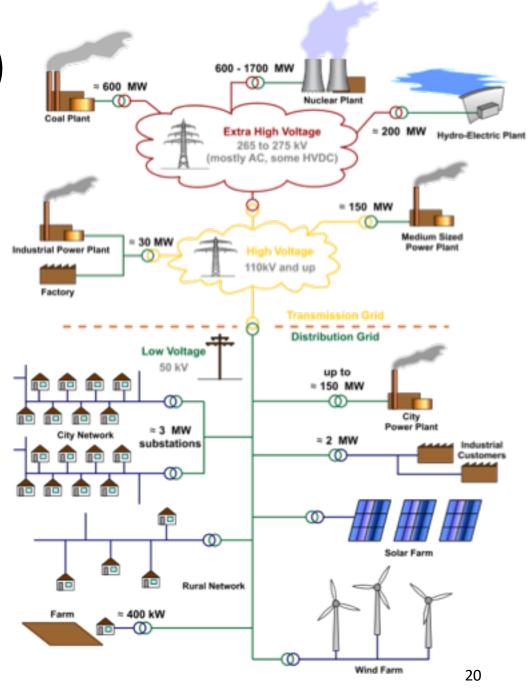




III. Electrification options (a)

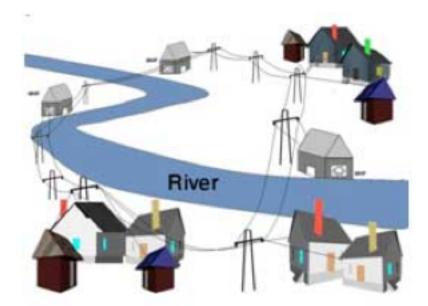
Grid extension

- Centralized electricity generation
- Transmission of electricity with HV – MV lines
- Distribution of electricity with
 MV LV lines

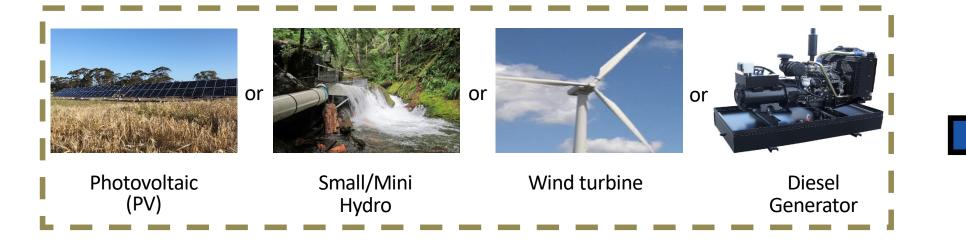


III. Electrification options (b) <u>Mini-grids</u>

- Utilization of locally available energy resources backed or diesel fueled gensets
- No transmission costs modest distribution costs
- Renewable energy sources involve battery storage
- Distribution of electricity with MV LV lines

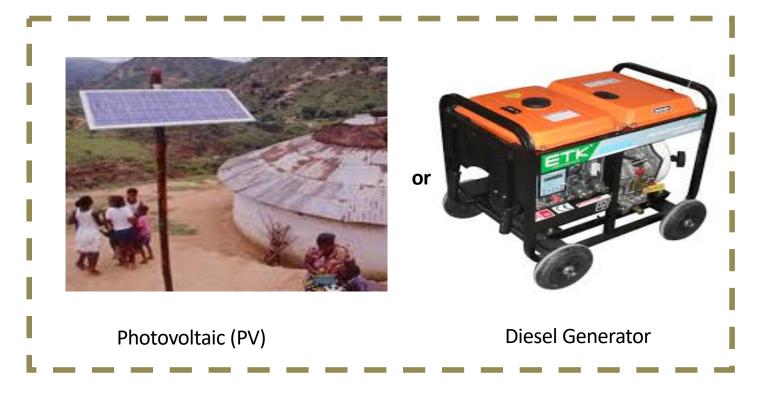


Example of rural electrification with small hydropower

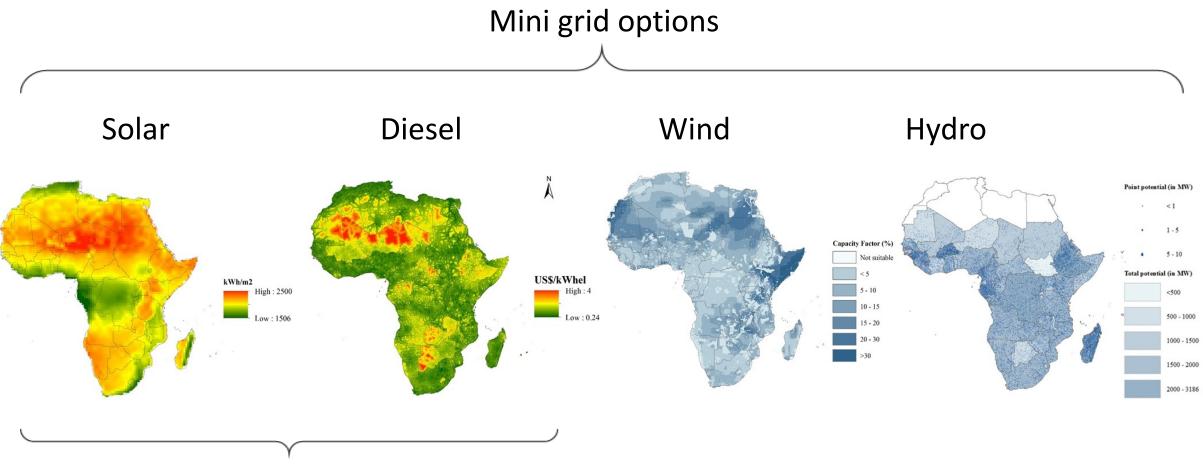


III. Electrification options (c) <u>Stand alone systems</u>

- Utilization of locally availably solar energy or diesel gensets
- Supplying lower demand levels at single households
- No transmission and distribution networks required
- PV only may involve battery storage



III. Electrification options



Stand alone options

Levelized Cost of generating Electricity (LCoE)

The LCOE from a specific source represents the final cost of electricity required for the overall system to breakeven over the project lifetime.

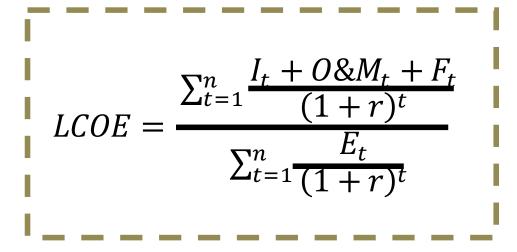
It: Investment expenditure for a specific system in year t,

*O&Mt: the o*peration and maintenance costs *Ft*: the fuel expenditures,

Et : the generated electricity,

r: the discount rate,

n: the lifetime of the system.



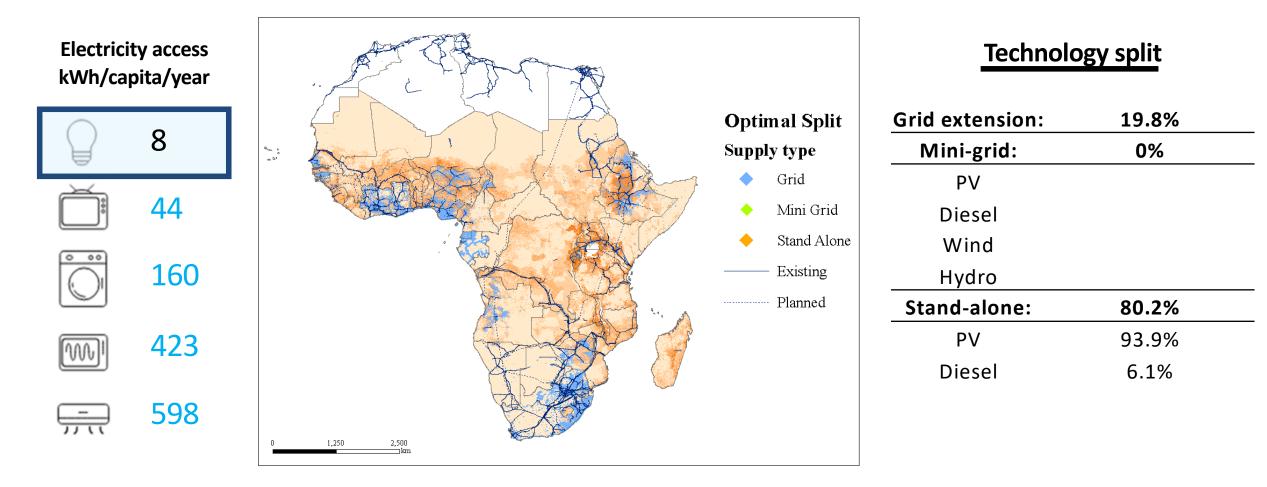
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Goal: Access to Electricity for All by 2030

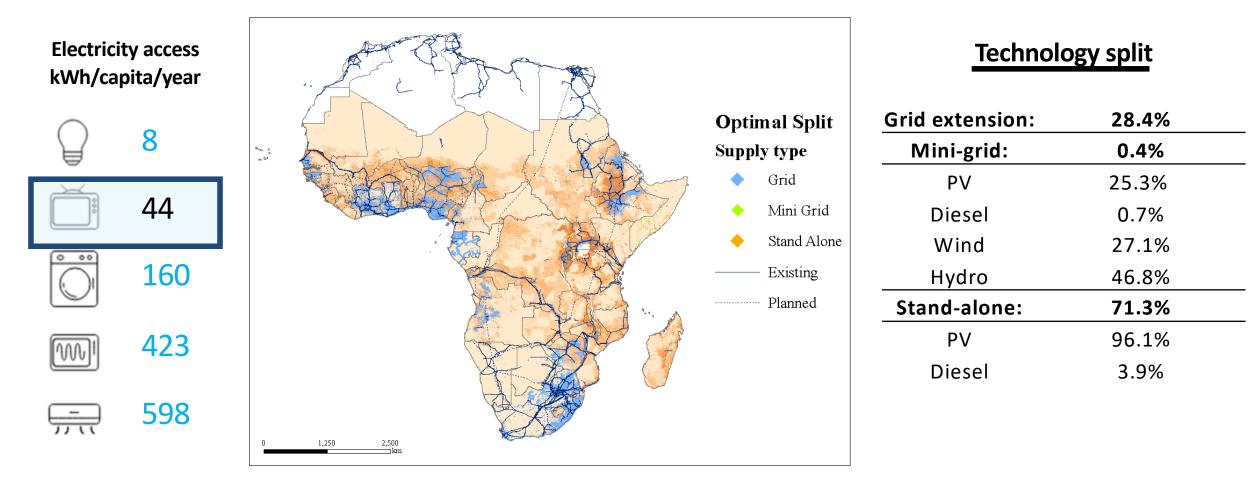
7 electrification technologies that fall within 3 main electrification options and 5 different demand levels (Tiers)

- Grid → higher electricity consumption levels and close to the planned transmission network
- Mini Grid (Wind Turbines, Solar PVs, Mini/Small Hydro, Diesel Gensets)→mini grids can provide affordable electricity to remote population with low-medium electricity consumption habits
- Stand Alone (Solar PVs, Diesel Gensets) → for remote, low populated areas with limited electricity consumption needs

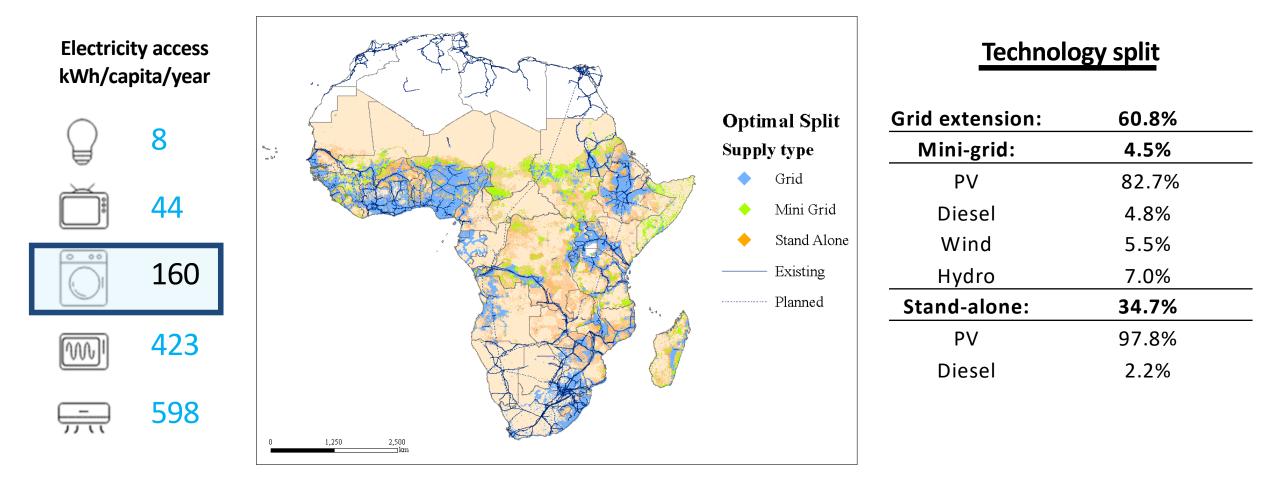
Tier 1 (lighting)



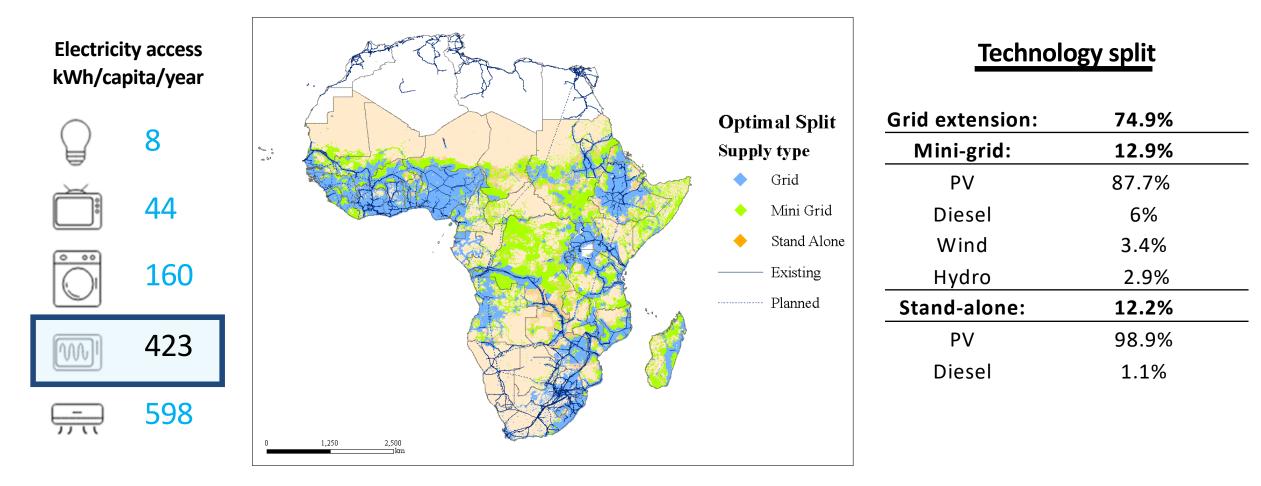
Tier 2 (lighting)

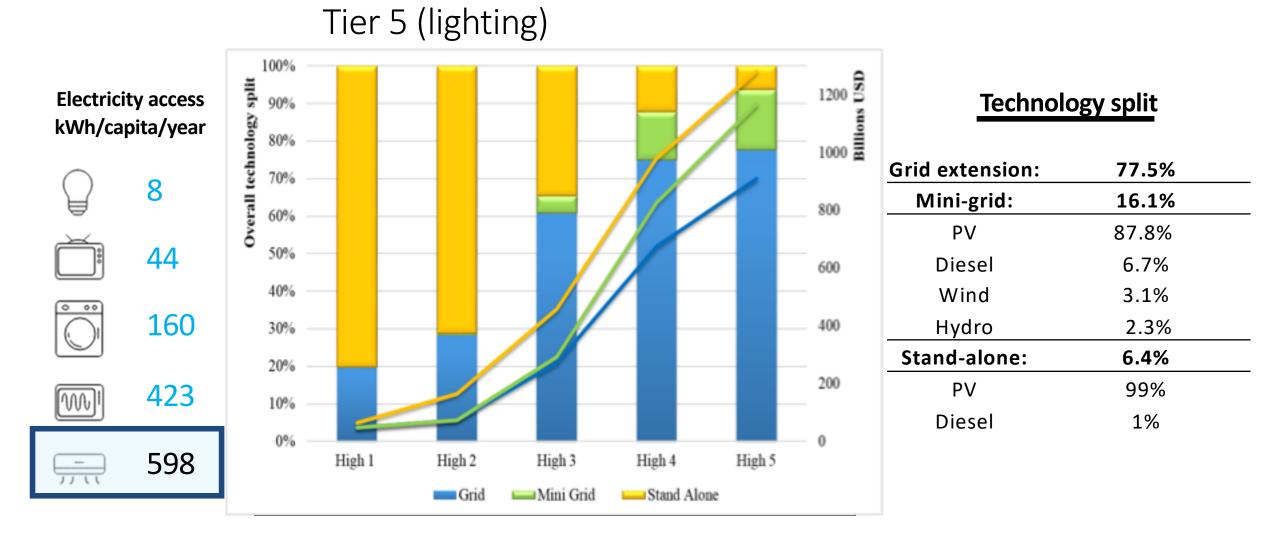


Tier 3 (lighting)



Tier 4 (lighting)





Electrification Results – Interpretation

- Grid extension is favourable in areas with high population density and distance close (<50 km) to the grid network.</p>
- The diesel price affects significantly the electrification mix. Lower prices favour diesel gensets while higher prices favour mainly PV systems.
- Hydro and Wind based mini-grid solutions appear usually in areas where these resources are available and are little affected by diesel prices.
- ➤ Increased electricity demand (Tier 1 → Tier 5) moves gradually the least cost option from Stand-alone → Mini-Grid → Grid.

Electrification Results – Limitations

- > Shows only end state: the analysis ignored the dynamic expansion over time
- The country specific grid based generation mix has not been considered in detail in this analysis.
- Hybrid technologies (such as Wind + Diesel configurations etc) are not yet considered.
- Various resolutions: the resolution of various datasets differs (e.g. Population density data are given at 1 km whilst the wind speed at ca 50 km)
- Residential electrification: the analysis considers only household electrification. Other productive uses of electricity should also be taken into account.
- > Homogeneous consumption levels across the studied area

5. ONSSET – OpeN Source Spatial Electrification Toolkit

Specific objective: Introduce an Electrification Toolkit

ONSSET – Open Source Spatial Electrification Toolkit

- An **Open Source** electrification tool that
- Bottom up optimization model
- Identifies the **least cost** technological option for un-served areas
 - > Extension of the national grid network
 - Mini-grid systems (Hydro, PV, Wind turbines, Diesel gensets)
 - Stand-alone systems (PV, Diesel gensets)
- Aiming at ensuring full access to <u>affordable</u>, <u>reliable</u>, <u>sustainable</u> and <u>modern</u> electricity for all by 2030

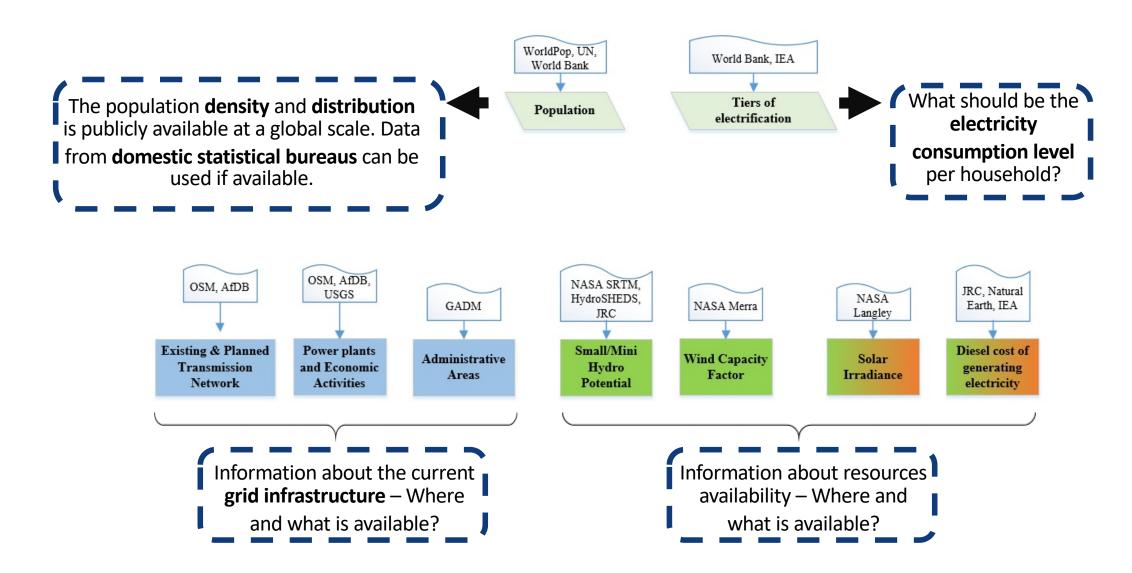
ONSSET – Open Source Spatial Electrification Toolkit

- Based on Python and ArcGIS
- ✓ Developed in 6 steps
- ✓ Country specific electrification analyses (National subnational level)
- ✓ Better resolution (grid cell size starting from **1 km**)
- ✓ **Customize inputs** according to country specific characteristics
 - Social indicators (population growth, urbanization level, different demand patterns etc.)
 - Technical factors (T&D losses for national grid, alternative technologies available etc.)
 - Cost elements (Investment cost O&M Fuel etc.)
 - Energy Access targets

ONSSET in 6 Steps

Step 1. Acquire the necessary GIS data for the area of interest

A GIS environment (ArcGIS, QGIS, GRASS) is required



Step 1. Acquire the necessary GIS data for the area of interest

#	Dataset	Туре	#	
1	Population density & distribution	Raster	9	1
2	Administrative boundaries	Raster	10	
3	Existing grid network	Line shapefile	11	
4	Substations	Point shapefile	12	Hyd
5	Power plants	Point shapefile	13	
6	Mines & Queries	Point shapefile	14	
7	Roads	Line shapefile	15	
8	Planned grid network	Line shapefile	16	

#	Dataset	Туре
9	Nighttime lights	Raster
10	GHI	Raster
11	Wind speed	Raster
12	Hydro power potential	Point shapefile
13	Travel time	Raster
14	Elevation Map	Raster
15	Slope	Raster
16	Land Cover	Raster

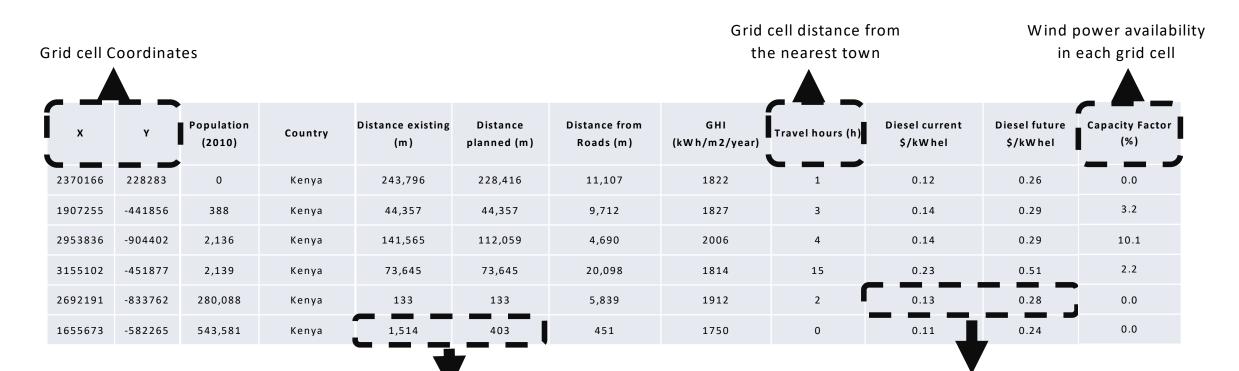
GIS data requirements may vary depending on the objective of the electrification study

Step 1. Acquire the necessary GIS data for the area of interest

#	Dataset	Туре	Purpose of Use in the ONSSET analysis
1	Population density & distribution	Raster	Spatial identification and quantification of the current (base year) population. This dataset sets the basis of the ONSSET analysis as it is directly connected with the electricity demand and the assignment of energy access goals.
2	Administrative boundaries	Raster	Includes information (e.g. name) of the country(s) to be modelled and delineates the boundaries of the analysis.
3	Existing grid network	Line shapefile	Used to identify and spatially calibrate the currently electrified/non-electrified population.
4	Substations	Point shapefile	Current Substation infrastructure used to identify and spatially calibrate the currently electrified/non-electrified population. It is also used in order to specify grid extension suitability.
5	Power plants	Point shapefile	Current/Future power plant infrastructure used to identify and spatially calibrate the currently electrified/non-electrified population. It is also used in order to specify grid extension suitability.
6	Mines & Queries	Point shapefile	Being very important in electrification processes, mines are usually used in order to specify grid extension suitability.
7	Roads	Line shapefile	Current Road infrastructure used to identify and spatially calibrate the currently electrified/non-electrified population. It is also used in order to specify grid extension suitability.
8	Planned grid network	Line shapefile	Represents the future plans for the extension of the national electric grid. It also includes extension to current/future substations, power plants, mines and queries.
9	Nighttime lights	Raster	Dataset used to identify and spatially calibrate the currently electrified/non-electrified population.
10	GHI	Raster	Provide information about the Global Horizontal Irradiation (kWh/m ² /year) over an area. This is later used to identify the availability/suitability of Photovoltaic systems.
11	Wind speed	Raster	Provide information about the wind velocity (m/sec) over an area. This is later used to identify the availability/suitability of wind power (using Capacity factors).
12	Hydro power potential	Point shapefile	Points showing potential mini/small hydropower potential. Dataset developed by KTH dESA including environmental, social and topological restrictions and provides power availability in each identified point. Other sources can be used but should also provide such information to reassure the proper model function.
13	Travel time	Raster	Visualizes spatially the travel time required to reach from any individual cell to the closest town with population more than 50,000 people.
14	Elevation Map	Raster	Filled DEM maps are use in a number of processes in the analysis (Energy potentials, restriction zones, grid extension suitability map etc.).
15	Slope	Raster	A sub product of DEM, used in forming restriction zones and to specify grid extension suitability.
16	Land Cover	Raster	Land cover maps are use in a number of processes in the analysis (Energy potentials, restriction zones, grid extension suitability map etc.). 39

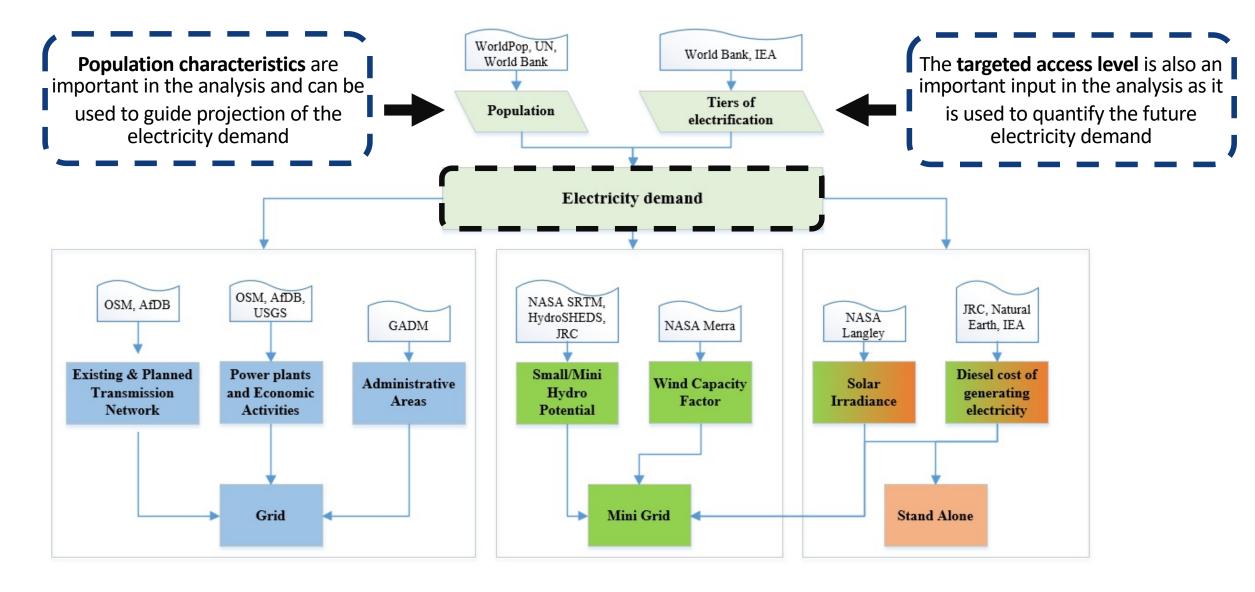
Step 2. Use GIS techniques to extract useful information for the analysis

(the data are transferred to excel)



Distance from Existing & Planned Transmission Network LCoE of Diesel gensets under current and projected diesel price

Step 3a. Enter country-specific data (Social)



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Parameter	Metric	Base Year Value	Value 2030
Population, total	Million Persons	42.542 ¹	65.412 (medium growth projection) ¹
Urban population	Percent of total population	25 % ²	32% (based on >2000 people/km ^{2 6}
Rural population	Percent of total population	75% ²	68%
Urban growth	Percent growth per year	4.34% ³	4% (assumed value, based on total population 2030)
Rural growth	Percent growth per year	2.14% ³	2% (assumed value, based on total population 2030)
Electricity access	Percent of total population	23% ⁴	100%7
Electricity access, urban	Percent of urban population	58.2% ⁴	100% ⁷
Electricity access, rural	Percent of rural population	6.8% 4	100% ⁷
People per household, urban	People per household	5 ⁵	4 ⁸
People per household, rural	People per household	6.5 ⁵	6.5 ⁸

1. UN DESA Population division, 2015

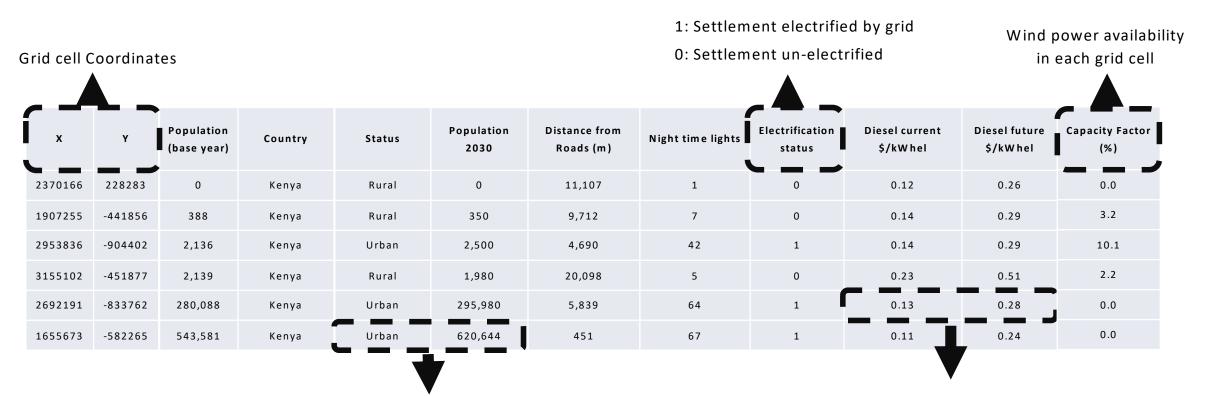
- 2. United Nations, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division, 2013
- 3. UN Statistical division, 2016

- 4. World Bank, 2016
- 5. Energy Regulatory Commission, 2011
- 6. Kenya National Bureau of Statistics, 2010
- 7. Based on SDG7
- 8. Energy Regulatory Commission, 2011

Step 3b. Enter country-specific data (Energy Access Target)

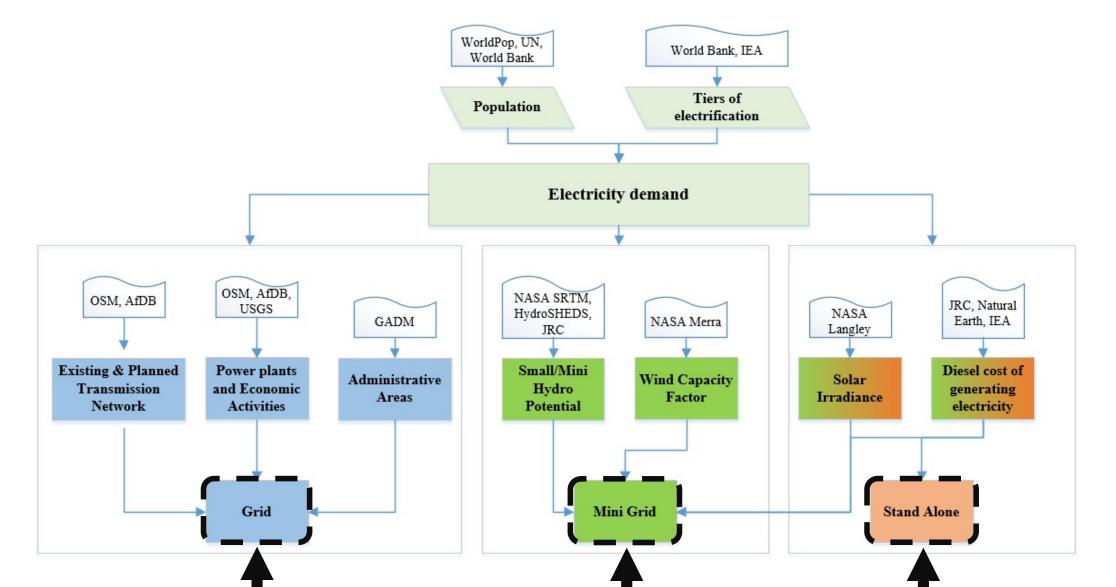
Scenarios	Average electricity consumption (2030)	Rural electricity consumption	Urban electricity consumption
Low electricity consumption	~1 000 kWh/household	224 kWh/household	1 800 kWh/household
Medium electricity consumption	~1 500 kWh/household	696 kWh/household	2 195 kWh/household
High electricity consumption	~2 195 kWh/household	2195 kWh/household	2 195 kWh/household

Step 3c. Enter country-specific data (Preparation - Calibration)



Change in social structures with urbanization – Decreasing population in rural areas LCoE of Diesel gensets under current and projected diesel price

Step 3d. Enter country-specific data (Technology specifications & Costs)



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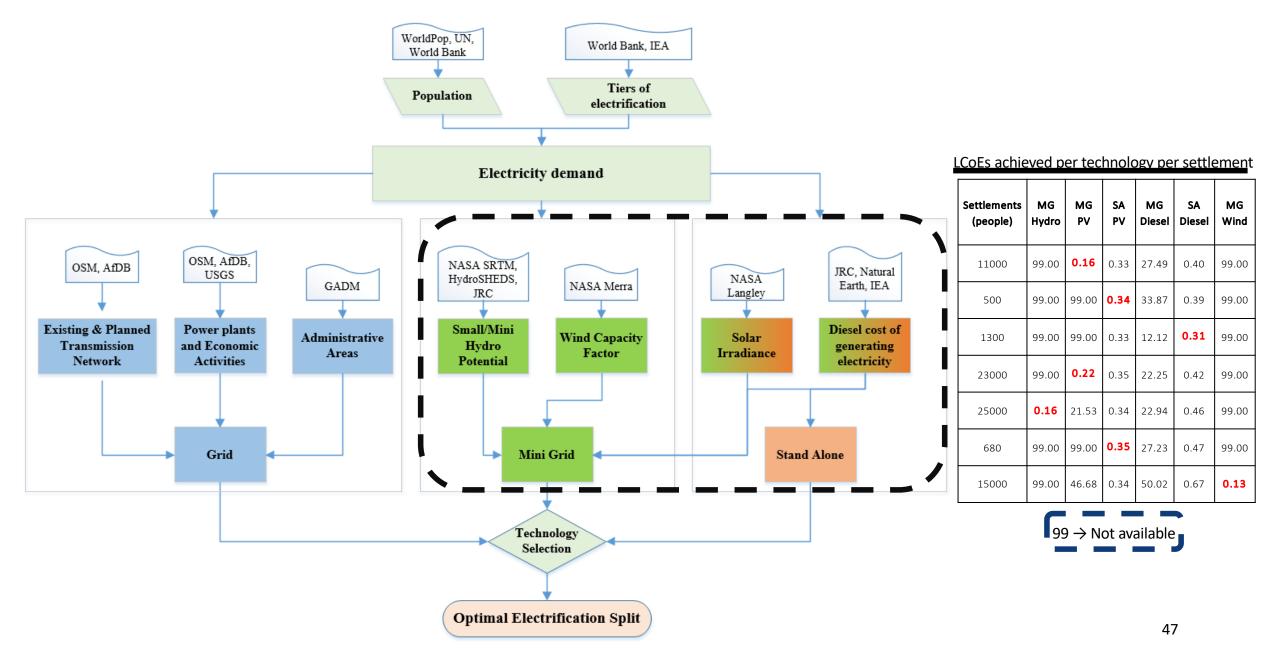
Parameter	Capital cost \$/kW	O&M \$/kW	Fuel cost \$/MWh
PV	2 566 ¹	389 (1.5% of capital cost) 1	-
Wind	2 500 ²	50 (assumed 2% of capital cost)	-
Diesel generator, Stand Alone	938 ³	93 (assumed 10% of capital cost)	173 ^{4,5}
Diesel generator Mini grid	721 ³	72 (assumed 10% of capital cost)	173 ^{4,5}
Mini Small hydro	3 190 ³	64 (2% of capital cost)	-
Grid LCoE	0.125 \$/kWh		

Parameter	Capital cost \$/km
HV lines (>33kV)	92 823 ⁶
MV lines (33 kV)	43 687 ³
LV lines (220 V)	5 000 ³
HV/LV transformer 5 000 \$ per unit ³	
Transmission loses	18%
Connection cost per HH	\$125

- 1. Adapted from Ondraczek, 2014
- 2. Adapted from IRENA, 2012
- 3. Adapted from ESMAP World Bank
- Adapted from Ministry of Energy Kenya, 2010
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- Administration, 2016 6. Adapted from Energy Regulatory Commission,

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Step 4. Calculate technology costs for every settlement in the country

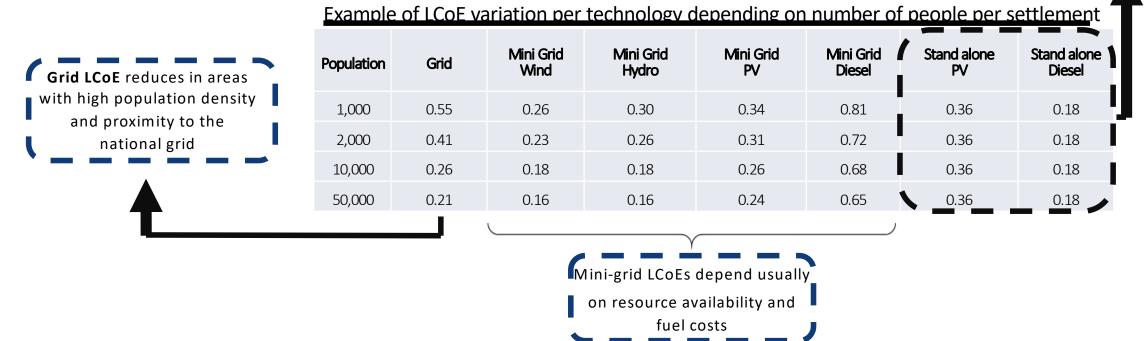


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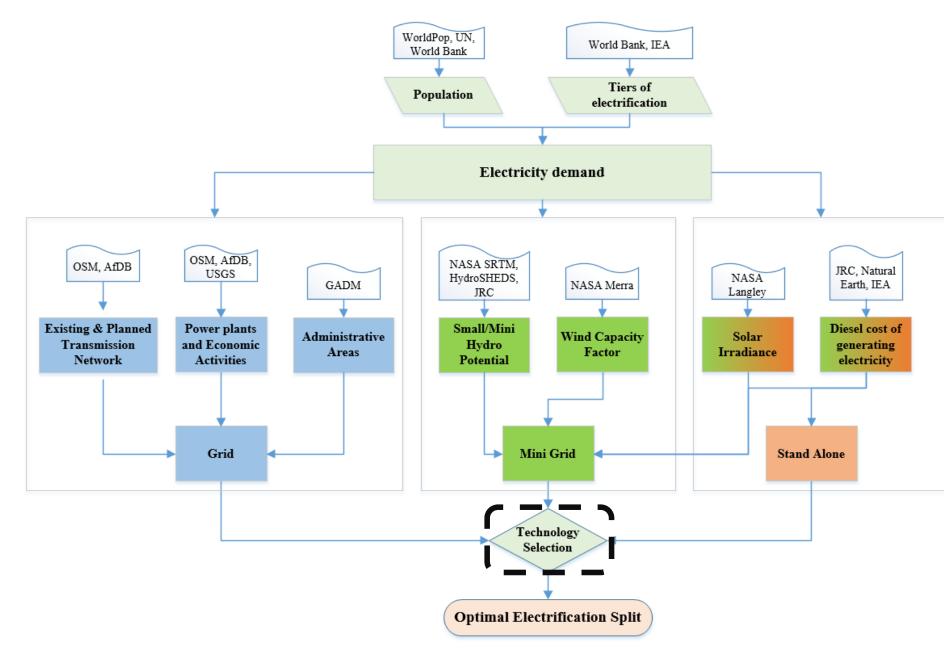
Here is an example of how the different technologies perform under certain assumptions:

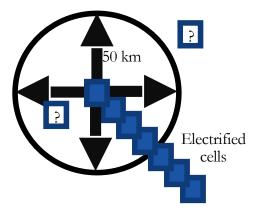
- Energy Access Target: 1000 kWh/hh/year
- Distance from the National Electricity grid: 20 km
- Global Horizontal Irradiation: 1500 kWh/m2/year
- Hydro Availability: Positive
- Wind capacity factor: 40%
- Diesel price: 0.345 USD/liter





Step 5. The electrification algorithm – Grid extension or off-grid?

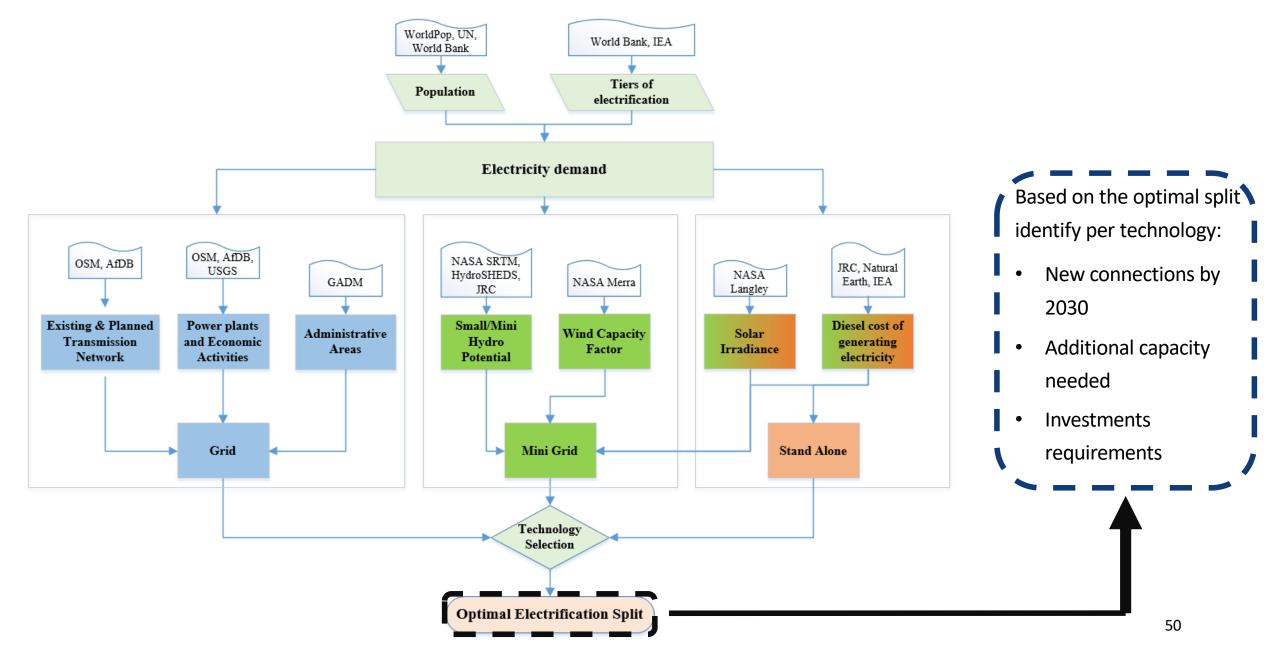




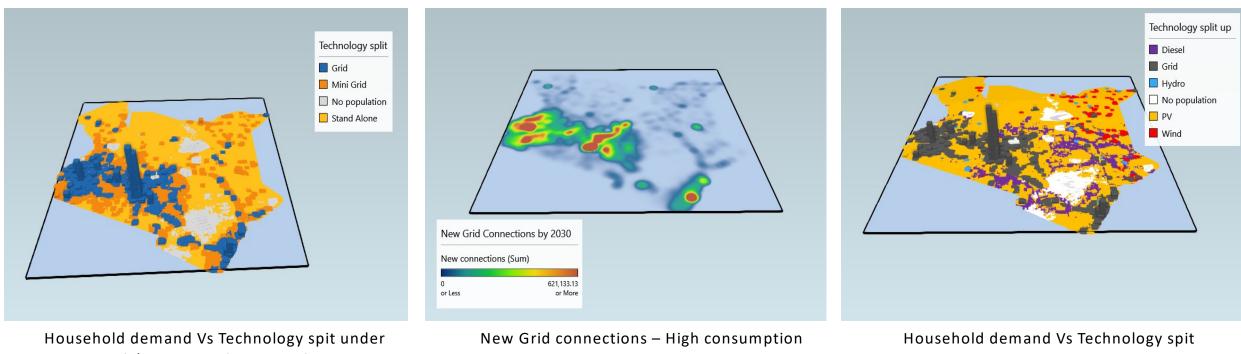
1. Is the total additional MV line less than **50 km**?

2. Is there **adequate amount of people** (thus demand) to justify an extension of the grid?

Step 6. Results, Summaries and Visualization



Results Visualization



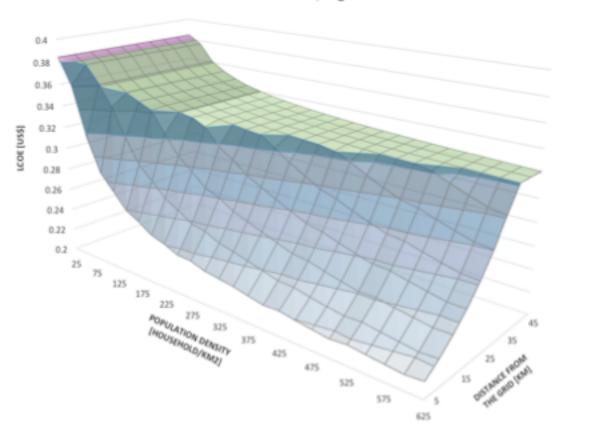
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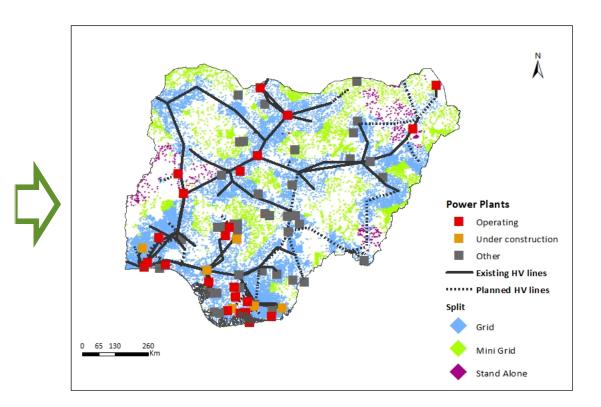
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ONSSET Results – The case study of Nigeria

Least-cost LCOE, Nigeria



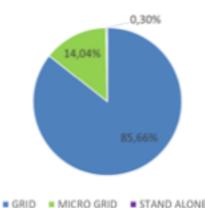


Least cost LCOEs in Nigeria as a function of the distance to the grid and population density

Nigeria, least cost split among Grid, Mini-grid, and Stand-alone electrification technologies

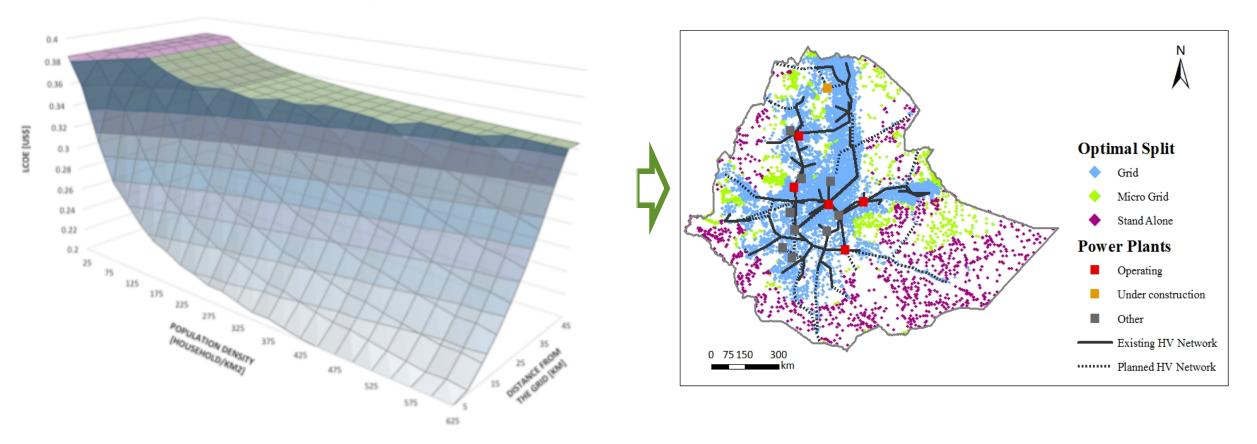
ONSSET Results – The case study of Nigeria

Item	Related physical unit	Unit
Rural demand target	170	kWh/capita/year
Urban demand target	350	kWh/capita/year
Grid connections	1,549	Settlements
Grid connections	33,727,783	Households
Grid connections	168,638,916	People
Planned grid expansion (Transmission with HV lines)	4,334	km
Grid extensions for those gaining access (Transmission with MV lines)	78,295	km
Grid extensions for those gaining access (Distribution with MV & LV lines)	1,084,544	km
Mini grid systems	5,475	Settlements
Mini grid systems	2,433,871	Households
Mini grid systems	12,169,354	People
Mini grid generating capacity	0.9	GW
Mini grid electricity generation	2.1	TWh
Stand alone systems	539	Settlements
Stand alone systems	51,636	Households
Stand alone systems	258,180	People
Stand alone systems generating capacity	0.015	GW
Stand alone systems electricity generation	0.044	TWh



ONSSET Results – The case study of Ethiopia

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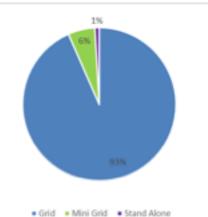


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Item	Related physical unit	Unit
Rural demand target	150	kWh/capita/year
Urban demand target	300	kWh/capita/year
Grid connections	7,844	Settlements
Grid connections	25,424,842	Households
Grid distribution	127,124,209	People
Planned grid expansion (Transmission with HV lines)	5,431	km
Grid extensions for those gaining access (Transmission with MV lines)	36,343	km
Grid extensions for those gaining access (Distribution with MV & LV lines)	513,407	km
Mini grid systems	915	Settlements
Mini grid systems	791,739	Households
Mini grid systems	3,958,695	People
Mini grid generating capacity	0.34	GW
Mini grid electricity generation	0.84	TWh
Stand alone systems	1060	Settlements
Stand alone systems	131,353	Households
Stand alone systems	656,767	People
Stand alone systems generating capacity	0.032	GW
Stand alone systems electricity generation	0.086	TWh



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