

# Economic and Environmental Impacts of Long-Term Scenarios of Low Emissions Mobility in Spain

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# Motivation: EVs are needed

- ICE based road transport
  - Global: responsible for almost 25%\*75% of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
  - Local: responsible for air pollution (NO<sub>x</sub> & PM<sub>x</sub>) and noise
- Transition towards sustainable transportation
  - International regulation of emissions reduction: Paris Agreement, Directive (EU) 2019/1161
  - Although Technology neutral ➡ EV is a main tool towards sustainability
  - Countries and carmakers set mid and long term targets
  - But decision making is
    - On the consumer
    - On the municipalities
    - Requires detailed long term analysis including demand dynamics



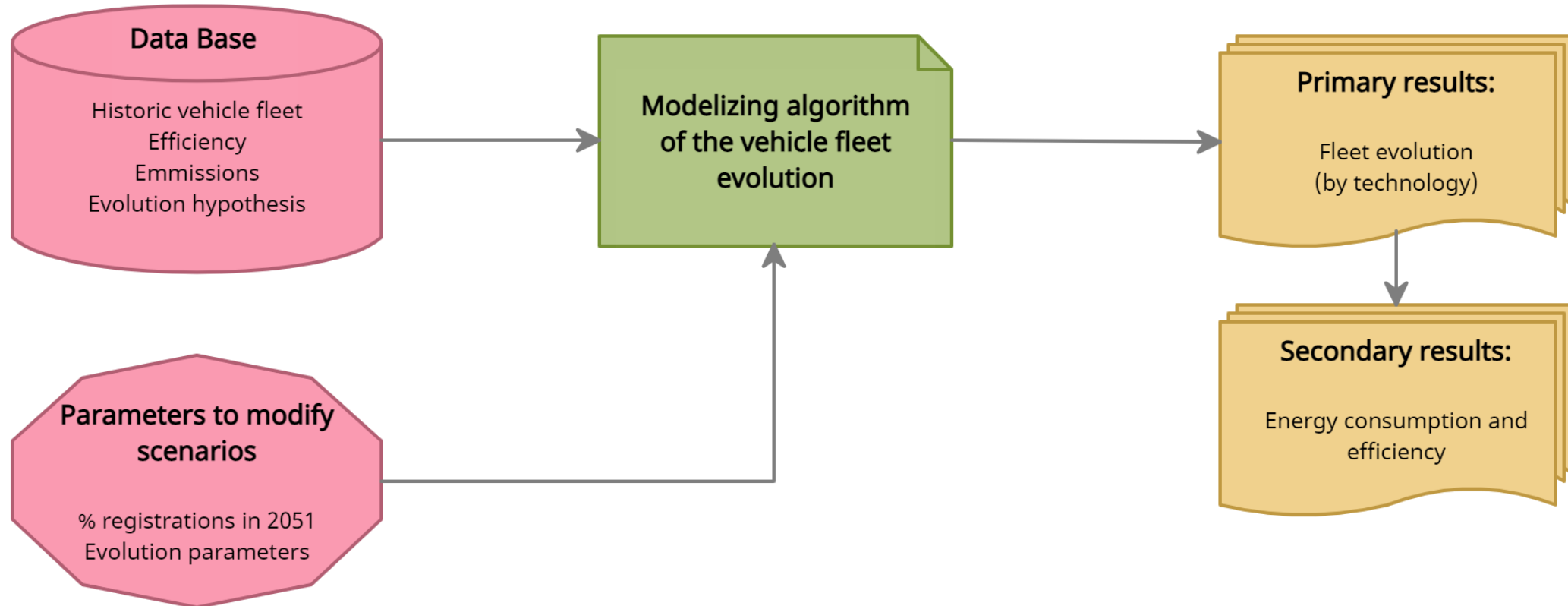


# Model: introduction

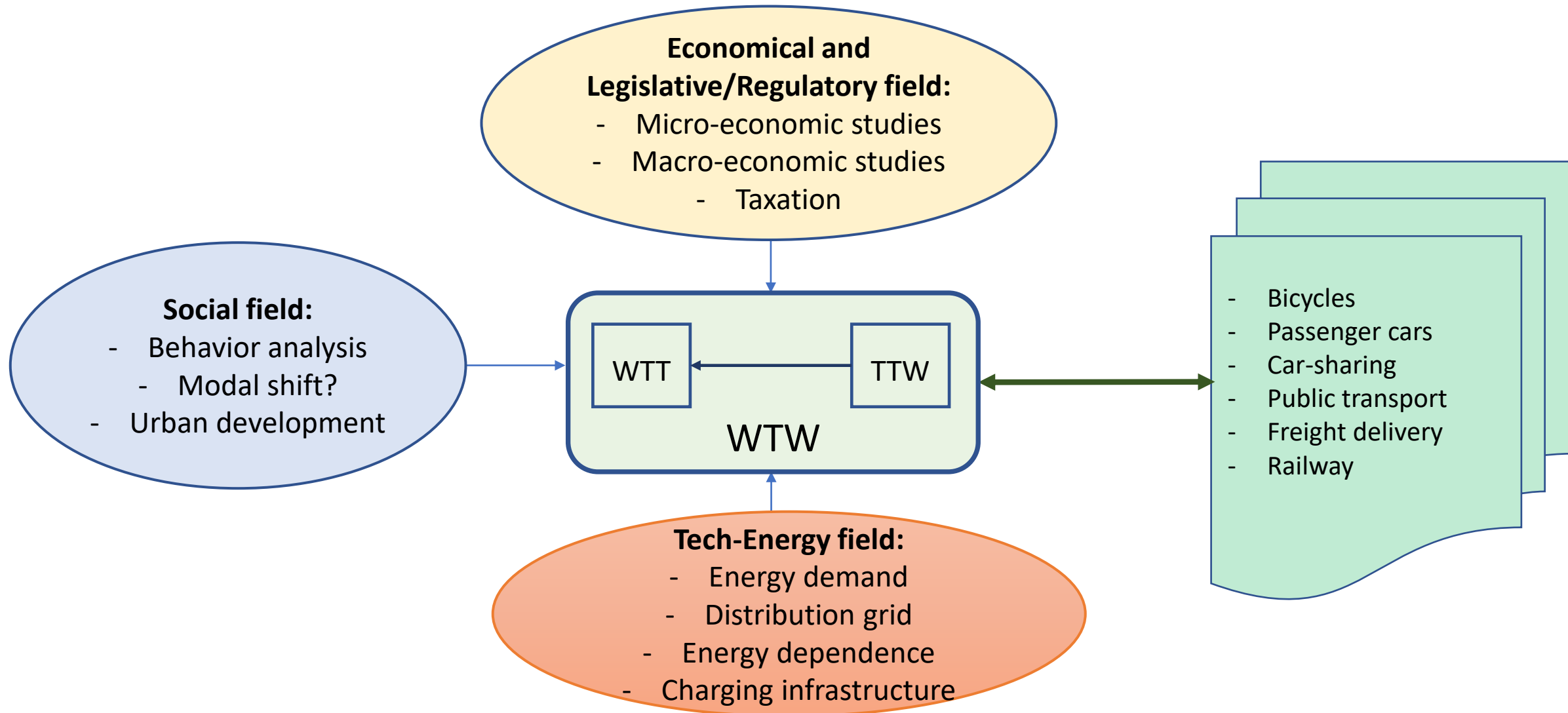
- **Focus and improvements**

- Focus on fleet-aging dynamics
- Detailed historical data of existing fleet
- Aging of fleet impact on characteristics and use
- Flexible modelling to incorporate inputs from demand side and transport policies
- Scalability and replicability
- Open source model at [evobservatory.iit.comillas.edu](https://evobservatory.iit.comillas.edu)

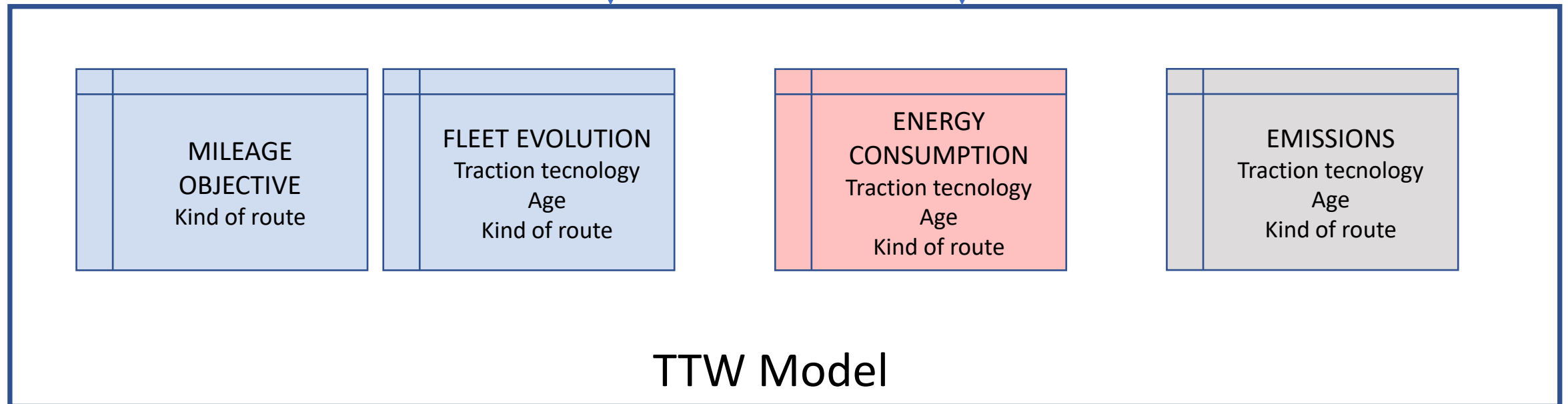
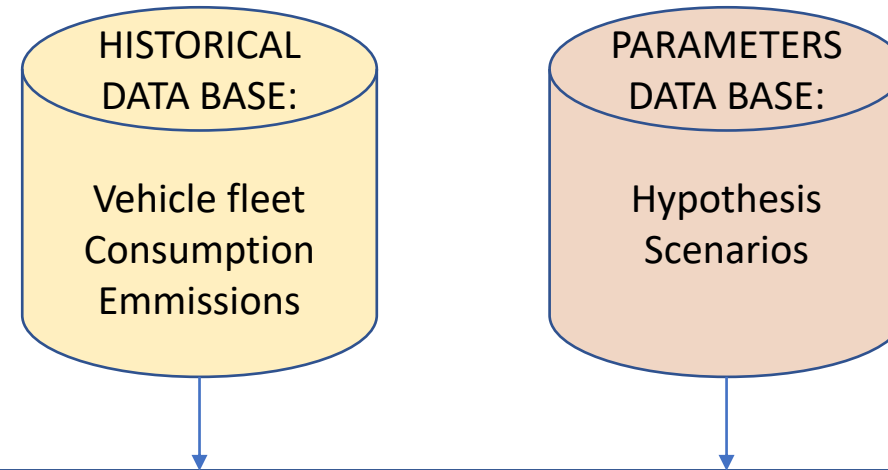
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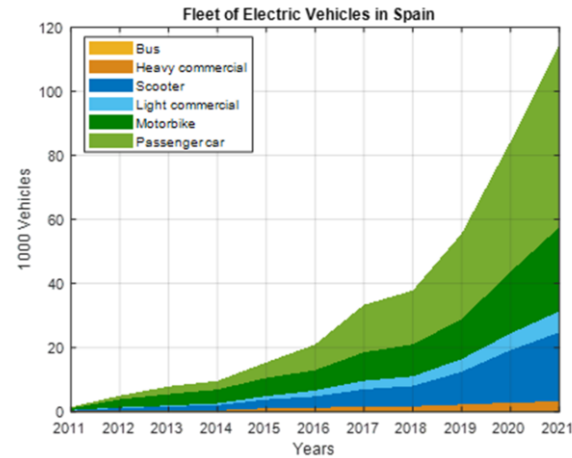
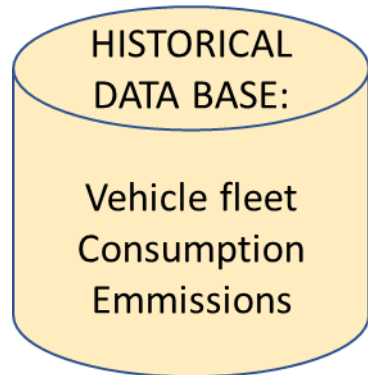


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| Fuel Type | Fuel consumption [l/100km] | CO <sub>2</sub> emissions [g/km] | NO <sub>x</sub> emissions [mg/km] |
|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Diesel    | 5.93                       | 155.93                           | 341.41                            |
| Petrol    | 7.31                       | 165.16                           | 67.35                             |
| HEV       | 5.96                       | 135.60                           | 6.55                              |
| LPG       | 8.81                       | 156.90                           | 72.01                             |
| BEV       | 0.00                       | 0.00                             | 0.00                              |
| PHEV      | 2.09                       | 48.14                            | 41.44                             |
| CNG       | 5.00                       | 130.10                           | 52.51                             |

- Fleet evolution since 1990
  - Different types of traction technologies
- Energy consumption and emissions
  - Trends
- Use of car
  - Considering urban and road

| Power generation Scenario                                 | 2020  | 2030  | 2050  |
|---|-------|-------|-------|
| RES (%)   | 44    | 68    | 79    |
| Average CO <sub>2</sub> emissions (tCO <sub>2</sub> /MWh) | 0.154 | 0.059 | 0.035 |

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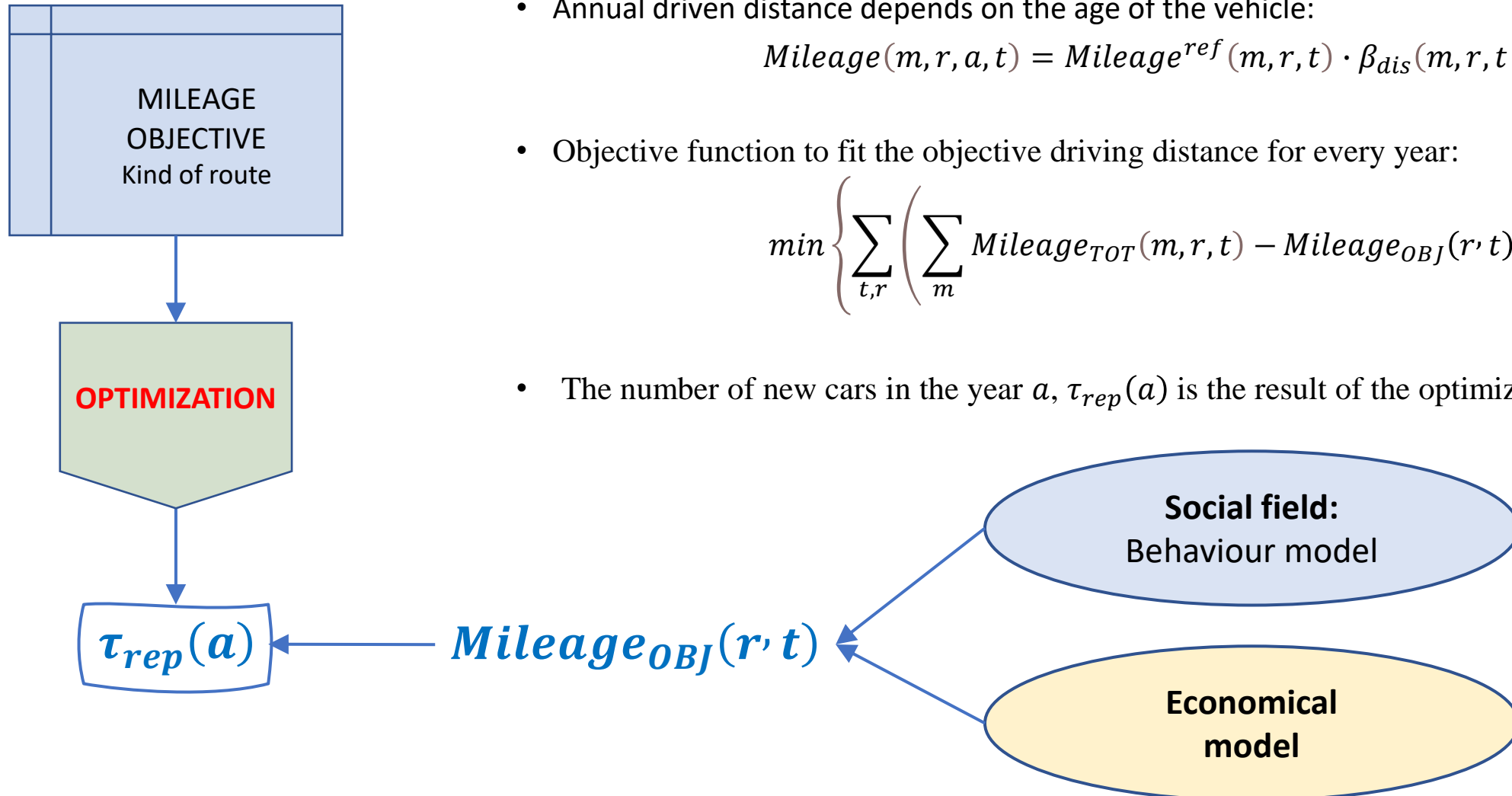
- Annual driven distance depends on the age of the vehicle:

$$Mileage(m, r, a, t) = Mileage^{ref}(m, r, t) \cdot \beta_{dis}(m, r, t - a)$$

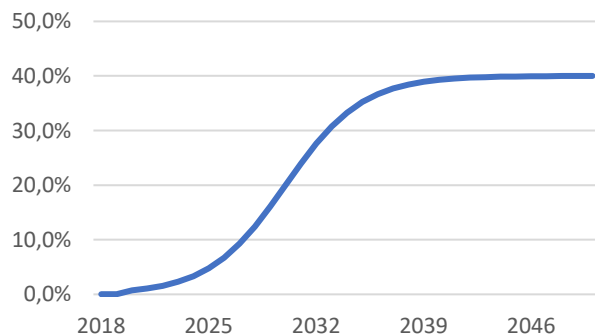
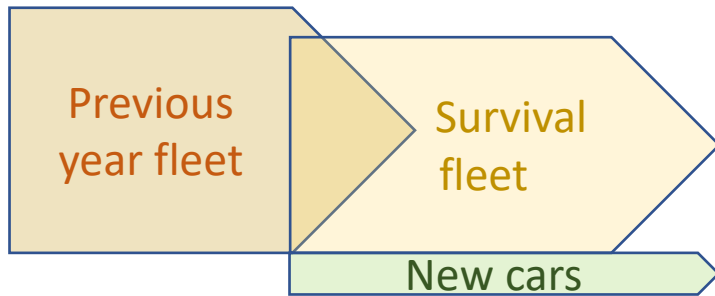
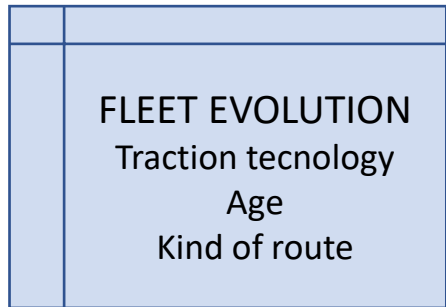
- Objective function to fit the objective driving distance for every year:

$$\min \left\{ \sum_{t,r} \left( \sum_m Mileage_{TOT}(m, r, t) - Mileage_{OBJ}(r, t) \right)^2 \right\}$$

- The number of new cars in the year  $a$ ,  $\tau_{rep}(a)$  is the result of the optimization algorithm



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BEV sales share

- Fleet classified depending on registration year,  $a$ , and motorization,  $m$ :

$$Fleet_{TOT}(m, t) = \sum_t Fleet(m, a, t)$$

- Probability of being decommissioned,  $i_{dec}$ , depending on age and motorization:

$$Fleet(m, a, t) = Fleet(m, a, t - 1) \cdot i_{dec}(m, t - a, t)$$

- New cars technology depending on technology maturity:

$$Fleet_{new}(m, a) = Fleet_{new}(a) \cdot \alpha_{sales}(m, a)$$

$$Fleet_{new}(a) = \sum_m Fleet(m, a - 1) \cdot \tau_{rep}(a)$$

# Model: formulation

|  | <b>ENERGY CONSUMPTION</b><br>Traction technology<br>Age<br>Kind of route |
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- Energy consumption is a function of ran distance, type of driving (road, urban), motorization and age of the vehicles.
- Engine efficiency depends on age, type of route and fuel.

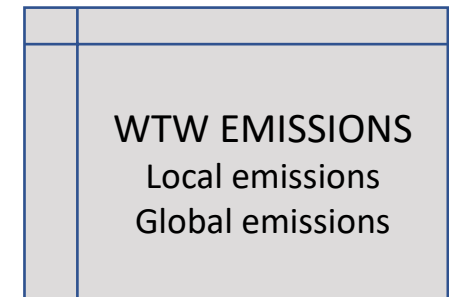
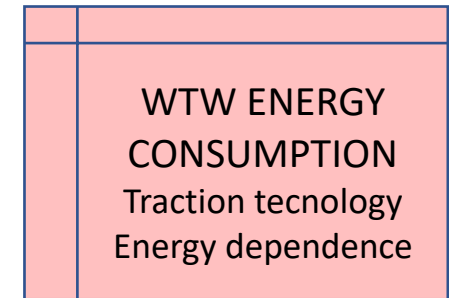
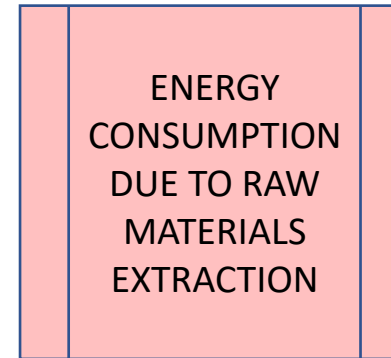
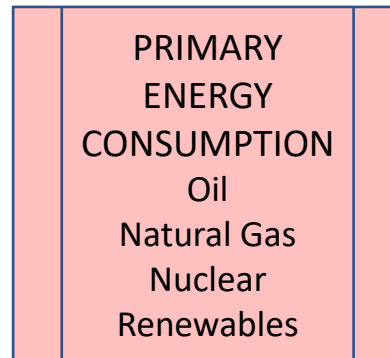
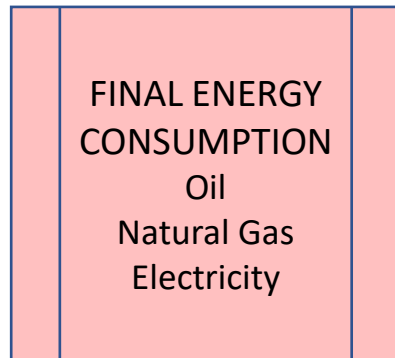
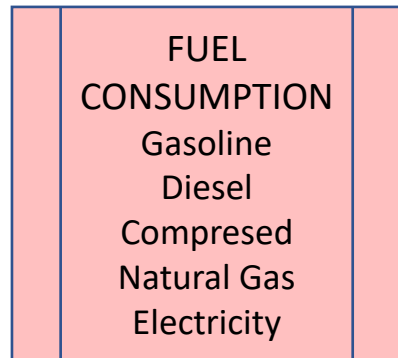
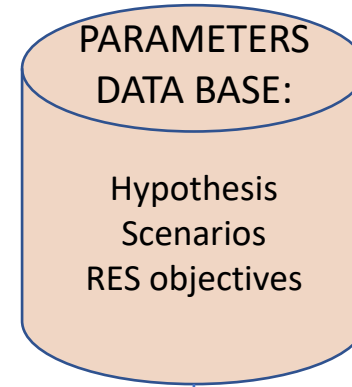
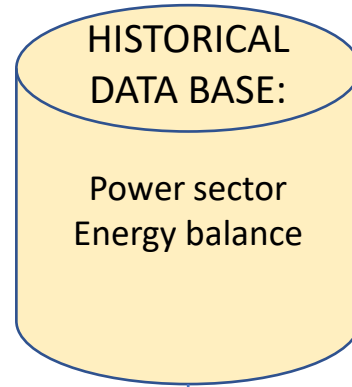
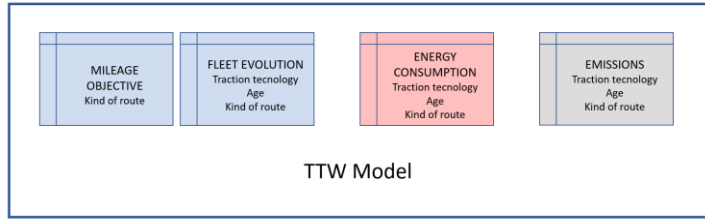
|  | <b>EMISSIONS</b><br>Traction technology<br>Age<br>Kind of route |
|--|---|

- Emmisions are a function of consumed energy:
- Emissions rate depends on age, type of route, fuel and pollutant.

**RESULTS** can be obtained per:

- Motor technology
- Year
- Fleet age
- Fuel
- Pollutant (CO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub>, particulates)

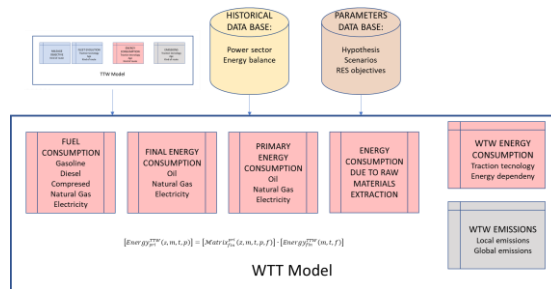
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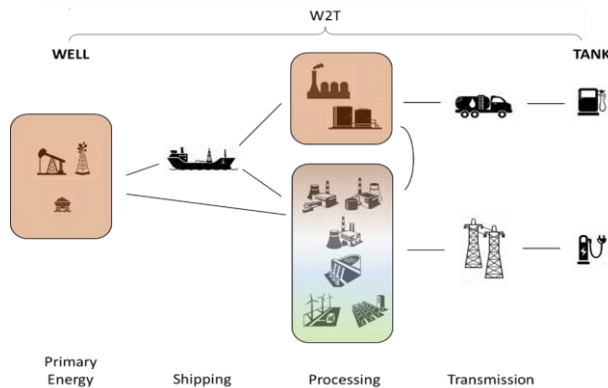
$$[Energy_{pri}^{TTW}(z, m, t, p)] = [Matrix_{fin}^{pri}(z, m, t, p, f)] \cdot [Energy_{fin}^{TTW}(m, t, f)]$$

## WTT Model

# Model: formulation



- Emissions and energy consumption in raw material transformation processes are computed.
- There are matrix relationships between the primary and final energies
  - Primary energy: COAL, OIL, NATURAL GAS, NUCLEAR, RENEWABLES.
  - Final energy: Gasoline, fuel oil, compressed natural gas, electricity, biofuel.
- Total **energy consumption**: addition of consumption in transformation processes plus TTW.
- There are considered **two sources of emissions**:
  - Those due to extraction and shipping of raw material
  - Those due to transformation processes (power generation and refining)



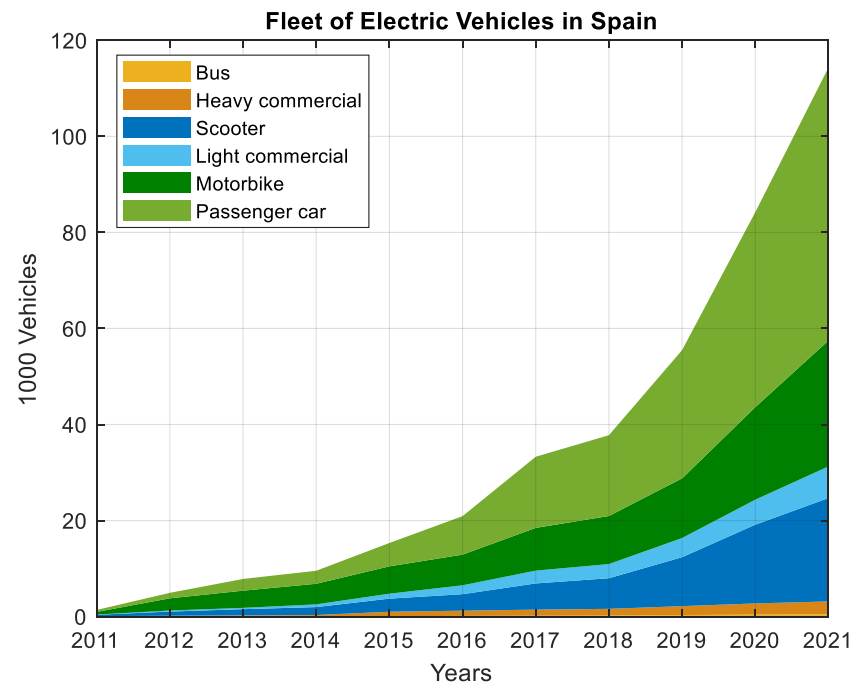
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- Area (domestic, imports)

# Case study

## - Objectives:

- Scalability
- Replicability
- Long term dynamic performance



## - Framework:

### • **European Green Deal Targets:**

- 55% emissions reduction from 1990 to 2030
- transition towards zero emission transportation

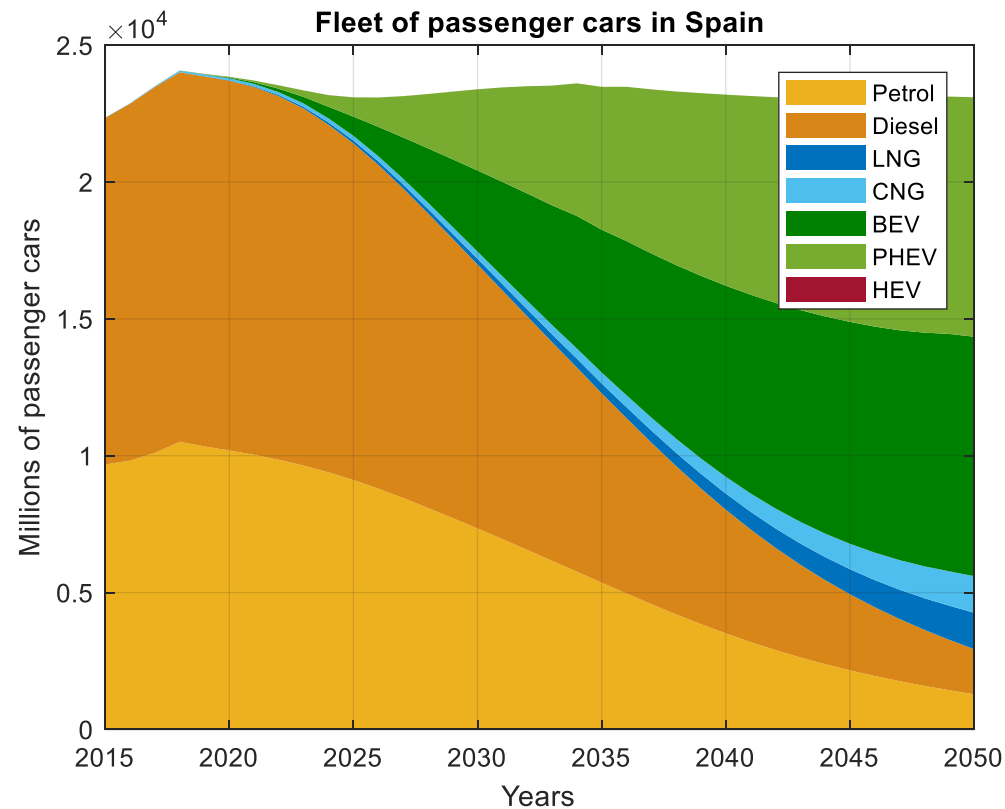
### • Spain's **PNIEC:**

- 74% of RES in electricity generation for 2030
- 5 million EV in 2030 (3 million cars)

## - Main hypothesis:

- Single intermediate scenario
- Sales EV:
  - 40% in 2030
  - 80% in 2050
- 70% of RES in electricity generation for 2030
- Steady demand on road and urban routes

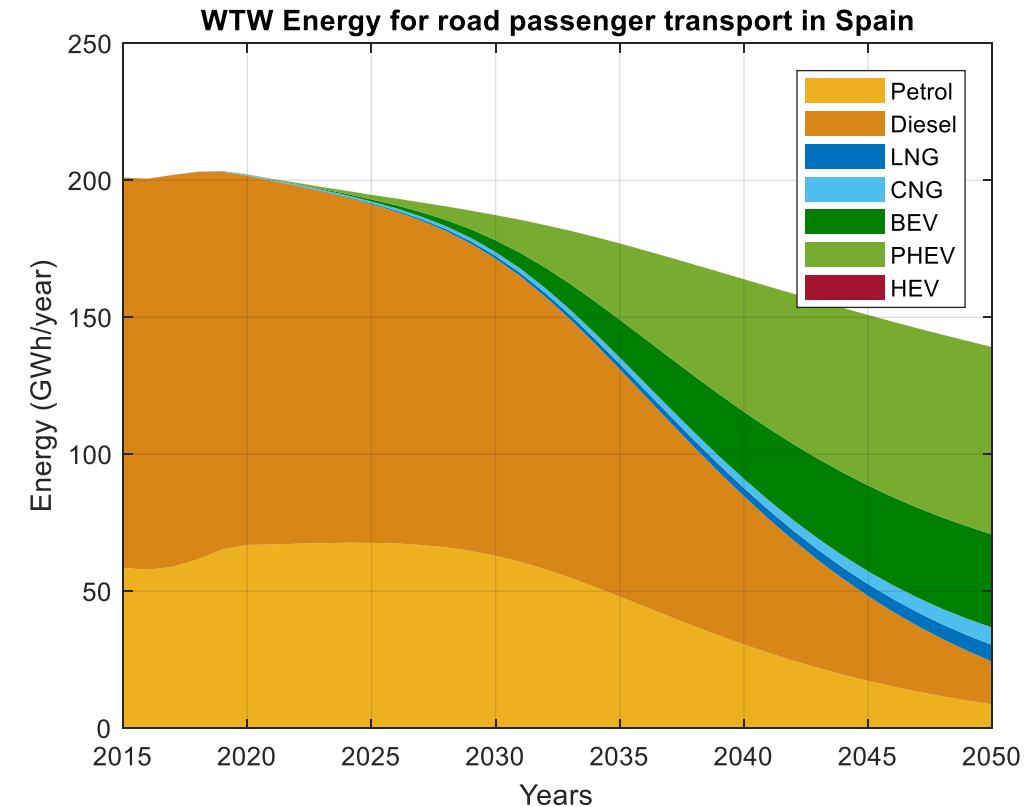
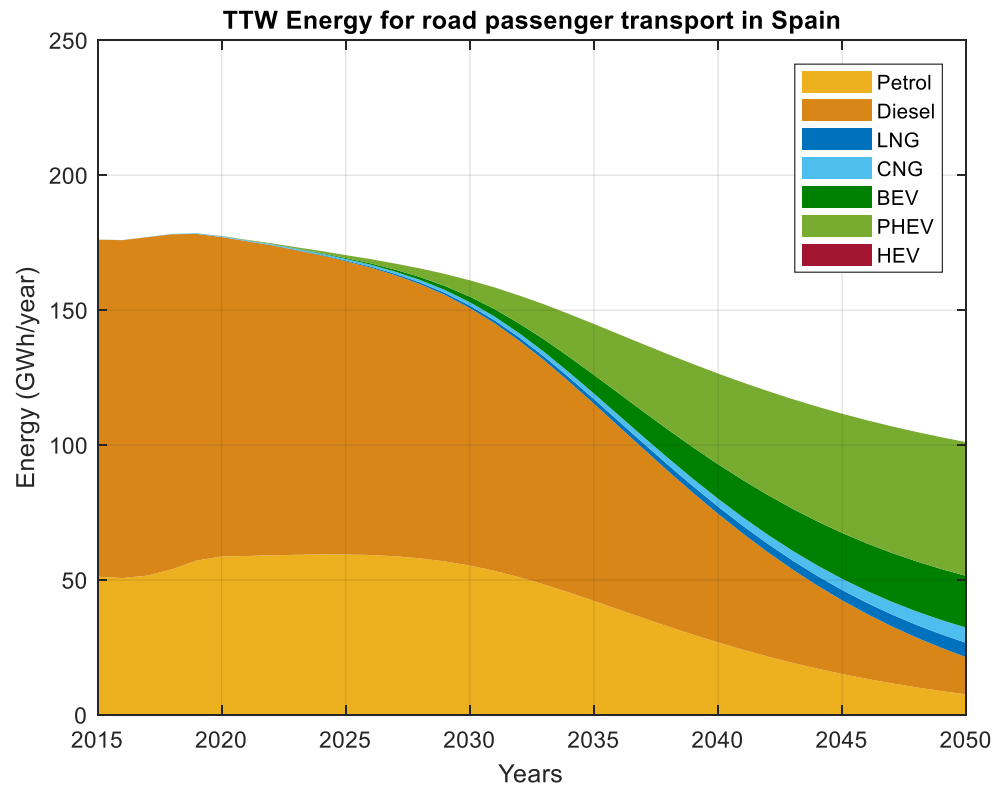
# Case study results: passenger fleet



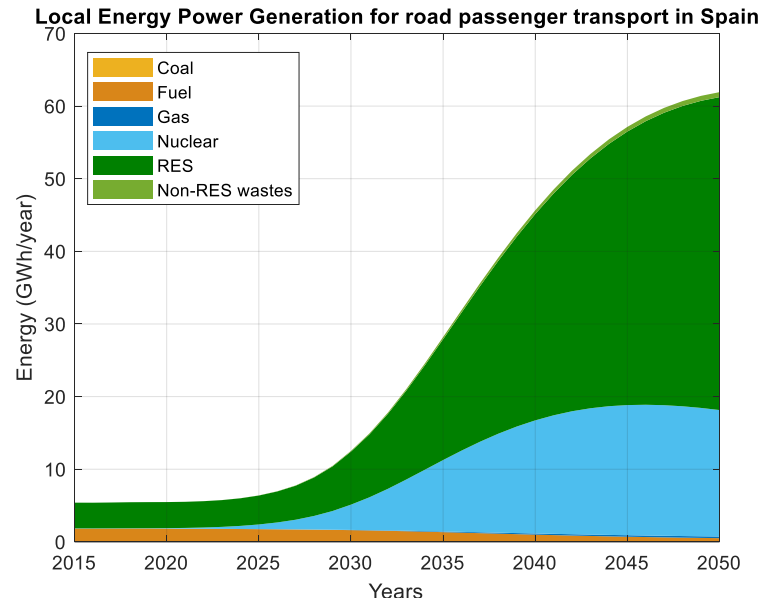
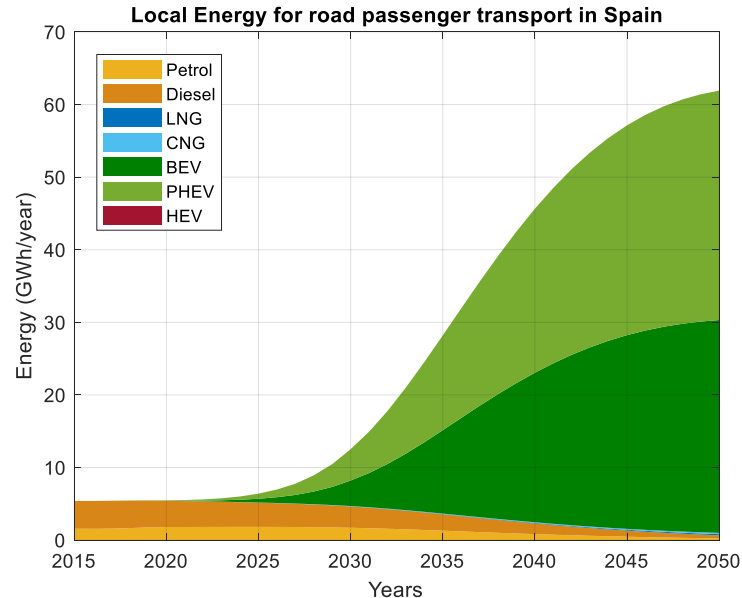
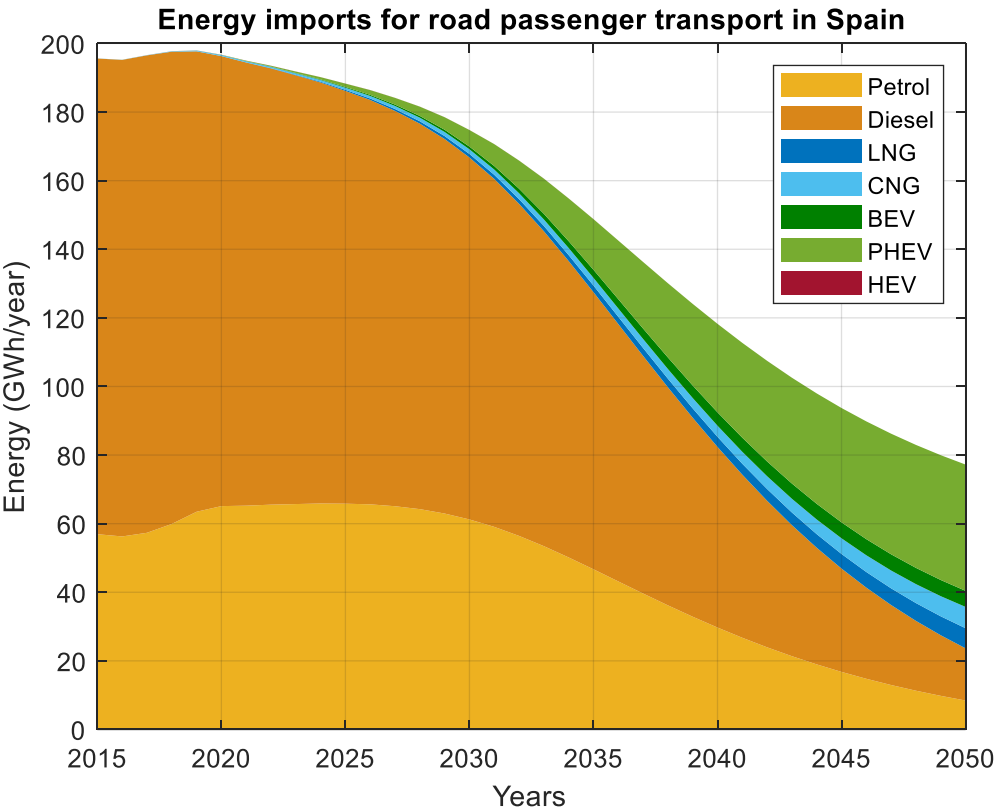
- changes in the fleet will need almost 15 years to be representative
- a full transformation of the passenger car fleet will require more than 30 years
- sales of vehicles between 1.3 and 1.5 million per year
- depending on purchasing power and needs of consumers in Spain



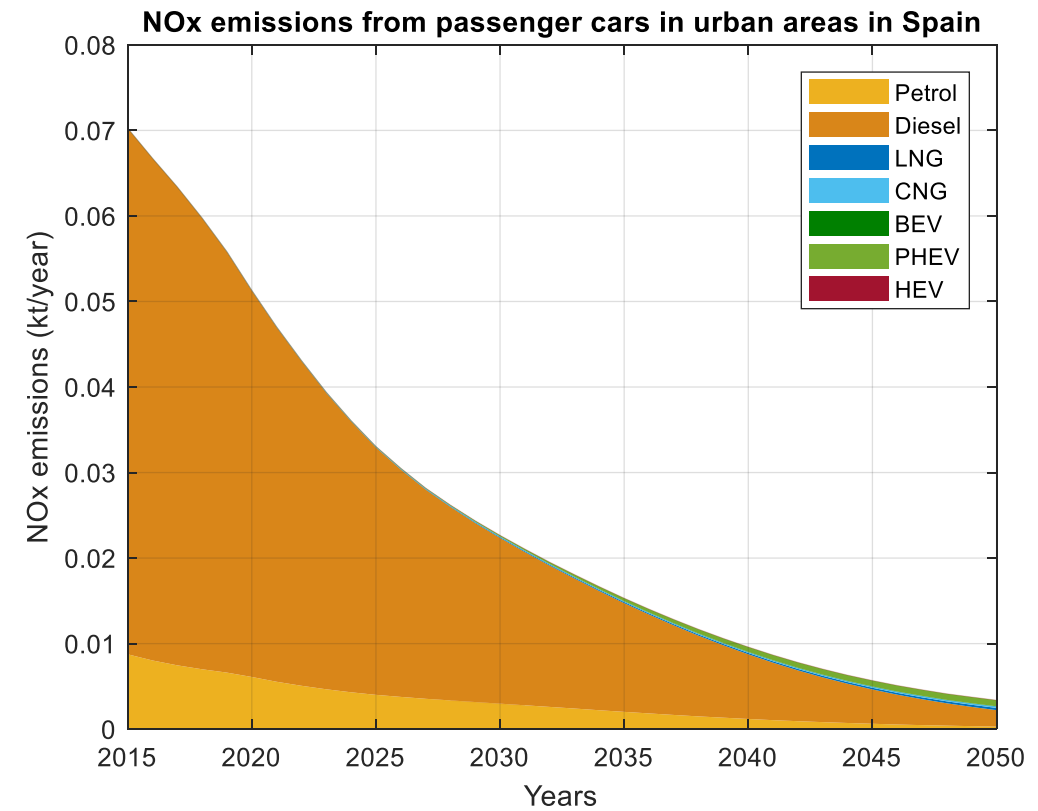
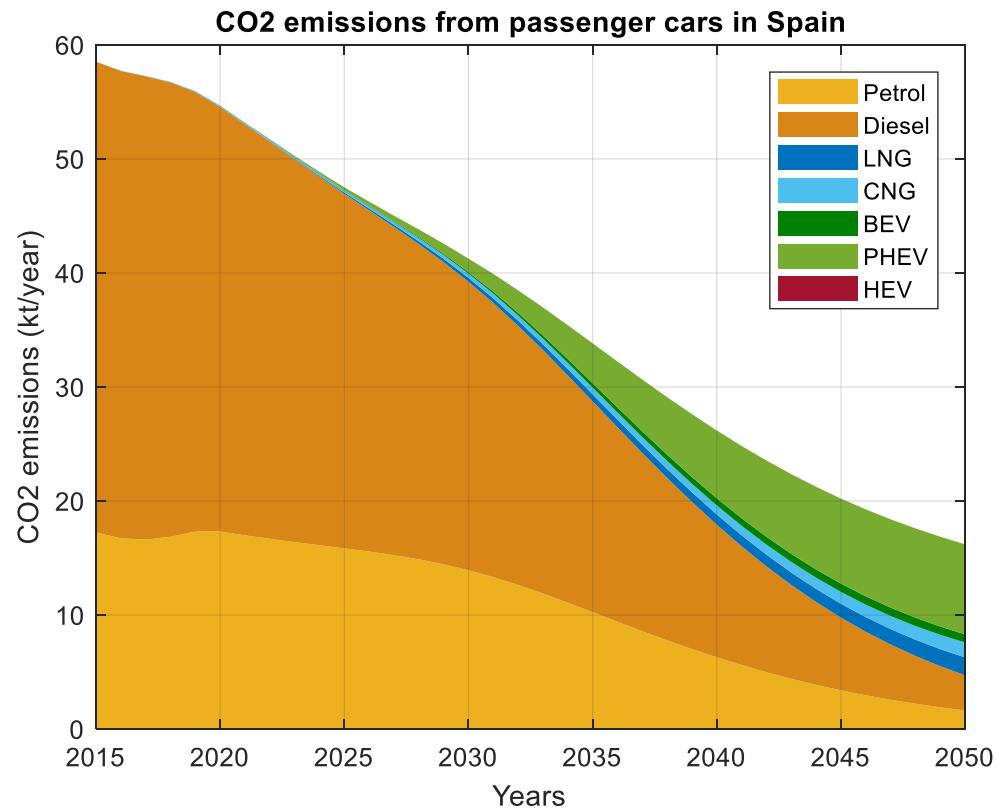
# Case study results: energy consumption



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# Case study results: Emissions



# Conclusions and future work

## - Proposed model:

- Allows to study **long term** economic and environmental **effects**.
- **Power generation** is considered.
- **Updated technical data**
  - fleet and technological trends
  - obtained from other studies or specialized models

## - Impact and effects of the electric vehicle:

- Transition to a sustainable transport **takes time**
- EV **reduces dependence** on energy imports.
- **Environmental benefits**.
- Help to achieve strategic **European** and Spanish **targets**

## - Future studies and developments:

- **Integration of other transport alternatives:**
  - Heavy trucks and busses, light commercial vehicles, motorbikes, flights, maritime and railway
- **Coordination with other models** (economic, social)

**Thank you very much!**