

## **Otello – an Integrated Assessment Model to Support Clean Air Policy in Germany**

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Clean air policy is a difficult task that has to consider many different aspects in an integrated way, e.g. health, environmental, technical and economic issues have to be considered.

Within the otello project<sup>1</sup>, an integrated assessment model (IAM) will be developed which aims to support clean air policy in Germany. The focus of the model lies on the compliance with emission ceilings for Germany set in the European NEC-directive on national and regional level. To achieve this the IAM is intended to address and solve problems related to scale (both spatial and temporal), cross-media effects, conflicts between the pillars of sustainability and uncertainty in a pragmatic way.

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