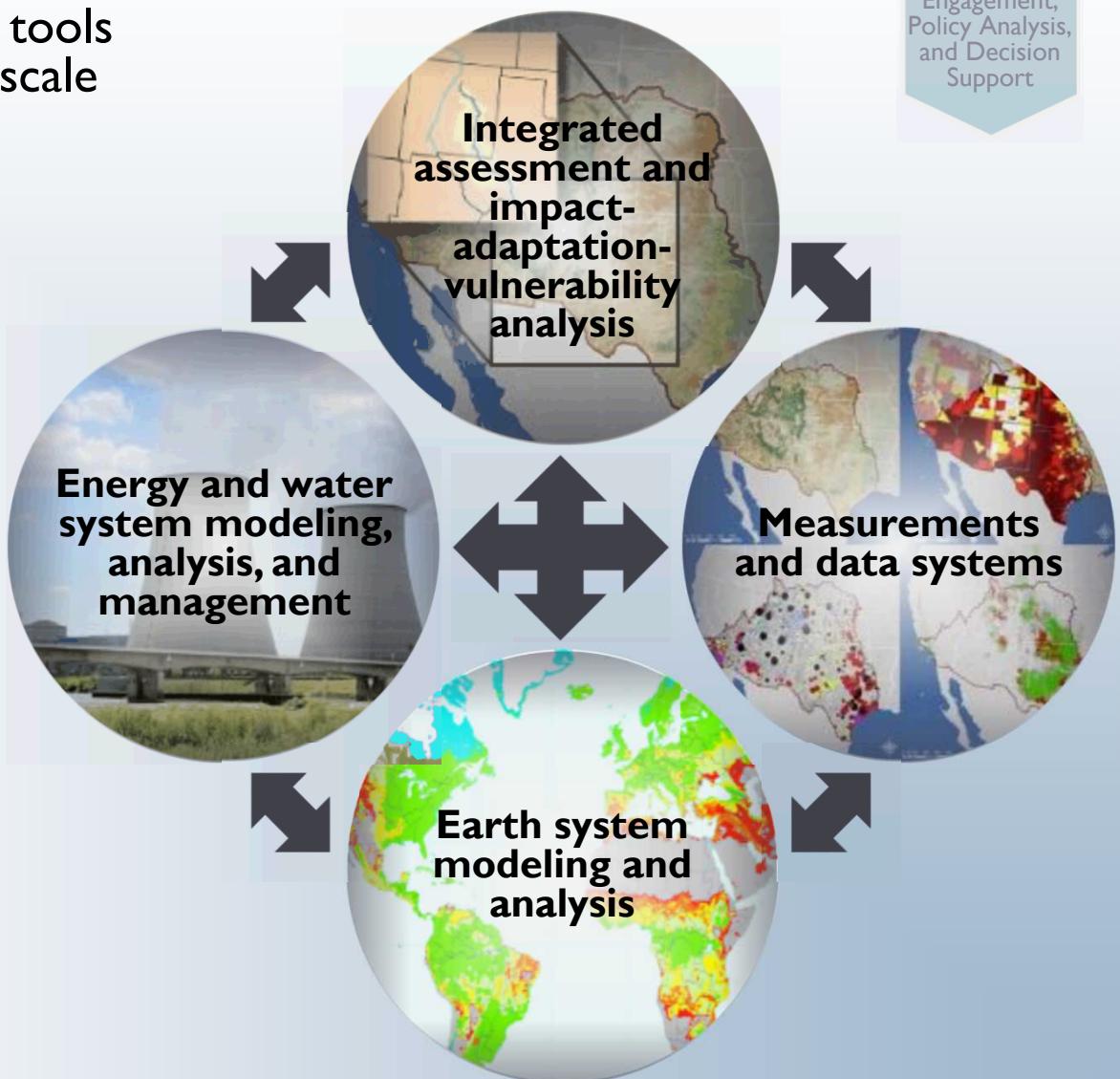


# Data, Modeling and Analysis

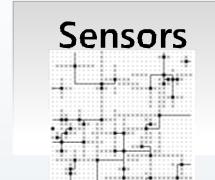
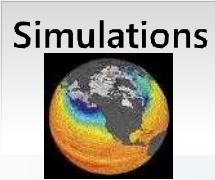
Enhanced and interoperable tools for understanding the multi-scale dynamics of the integrated energy-water system and analyzing response options.

## Key outcomes:

- ▶ Federated energy-water data and information system
- ▶ Robust projections, analyses, and scenarios, including extreme events
- ▶ Risk and uncertainty characterization



# Federated Database



Global scale



National scale



Regional scale

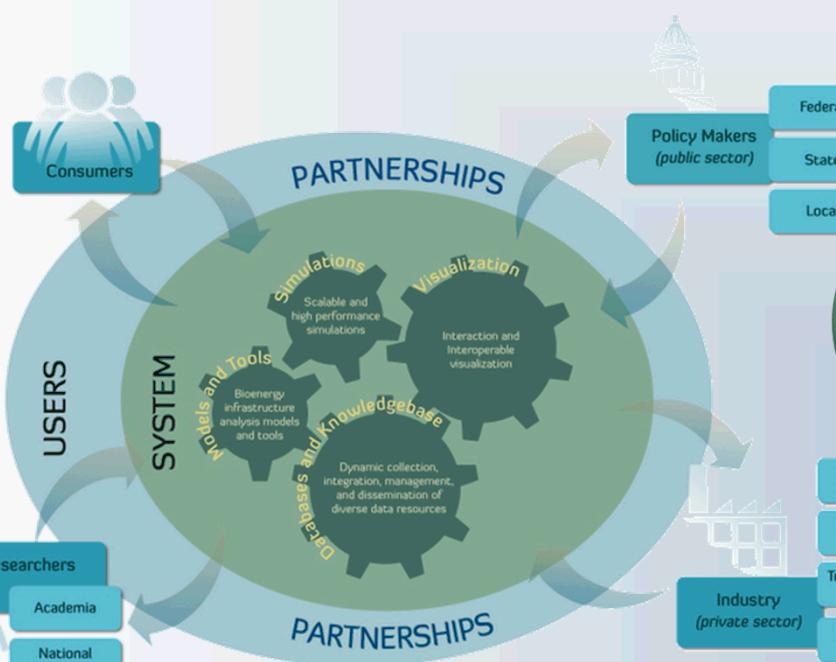


Landscape scale

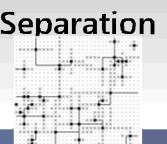
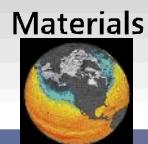
Local scale



Data.gov

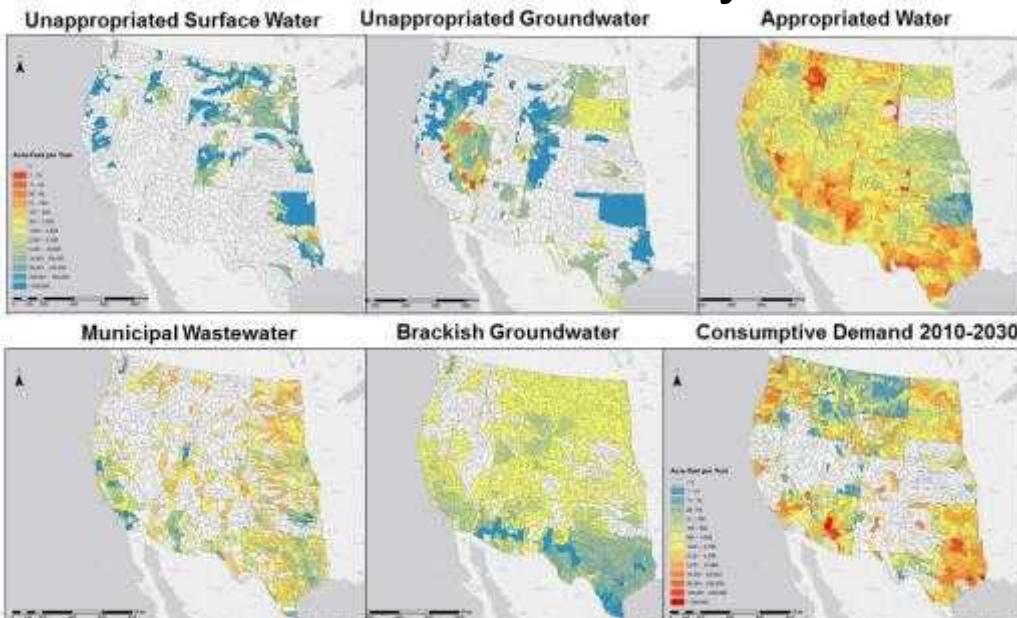


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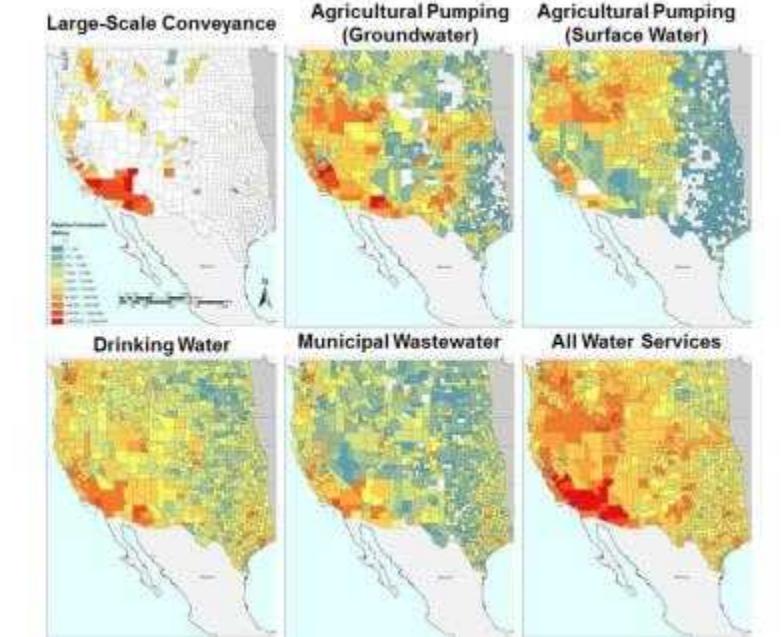


# Dataset Examples

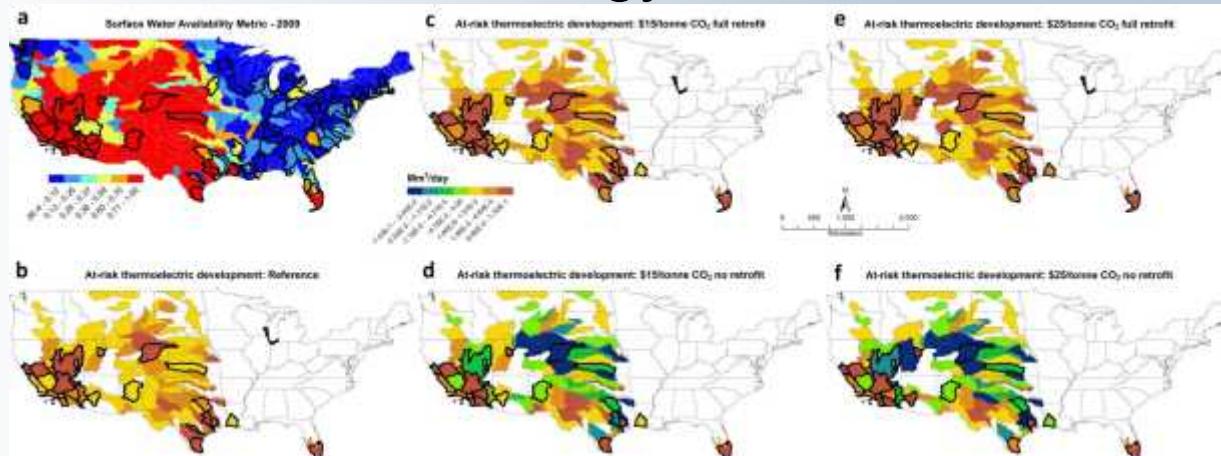
## Water Availability



## Energy for Water



## Future Energy Scenarios

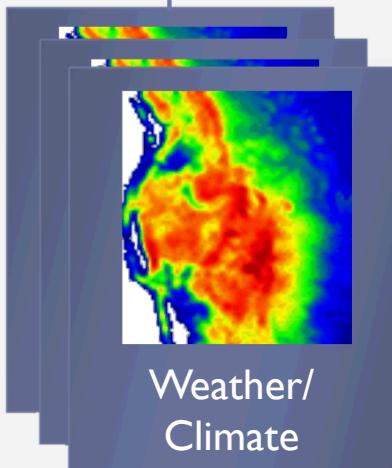
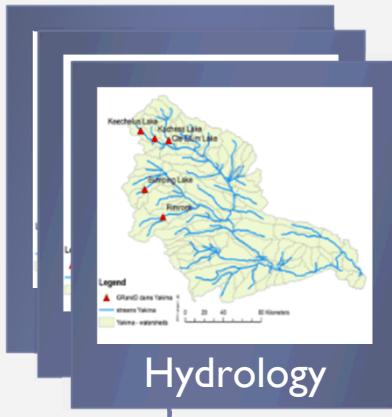


# Integrated Multi-scale, Multi-sector Modeling

Multiple inter-operable tools

Many different scenarios

UQ and adaptation analysis



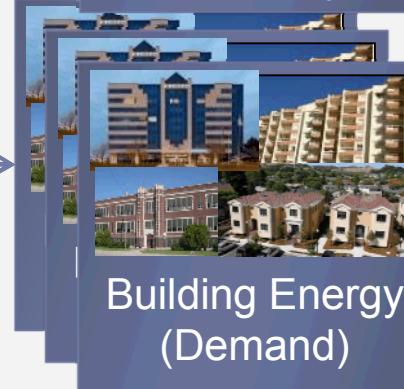
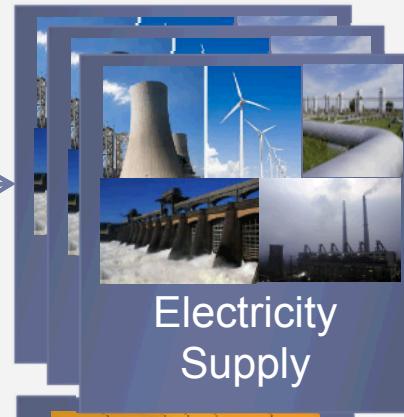
Water availability

- Hydropower
- Cooling water (amount and temperature)

Flooding  
Storm Surge?  
Wildfire?  
Cold snaps?  
Wind damage?

Heat Waves:

- Reduced power plant capacity
- Reduced line ratings
- Increased cooling demand



Other stresses:

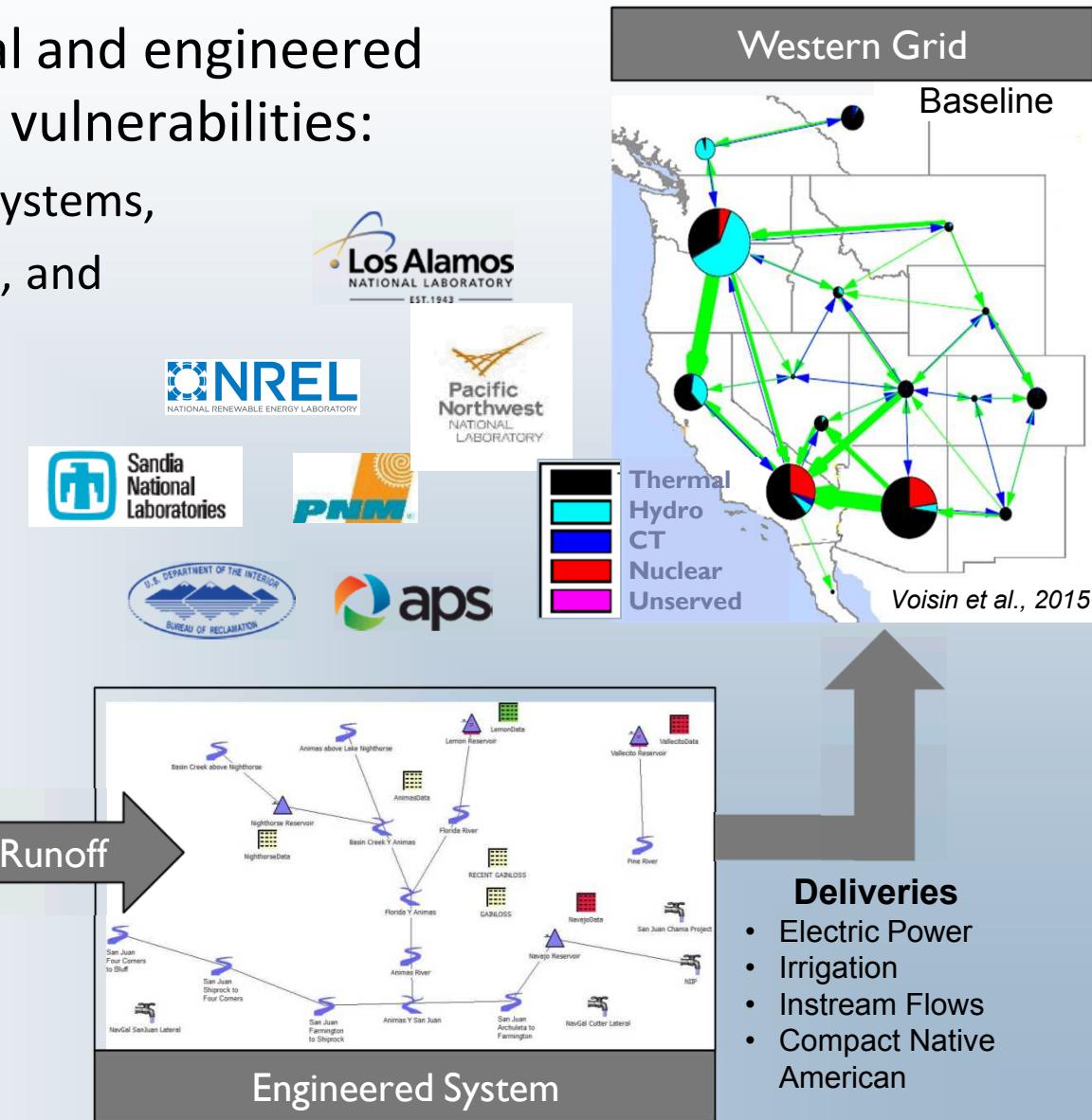
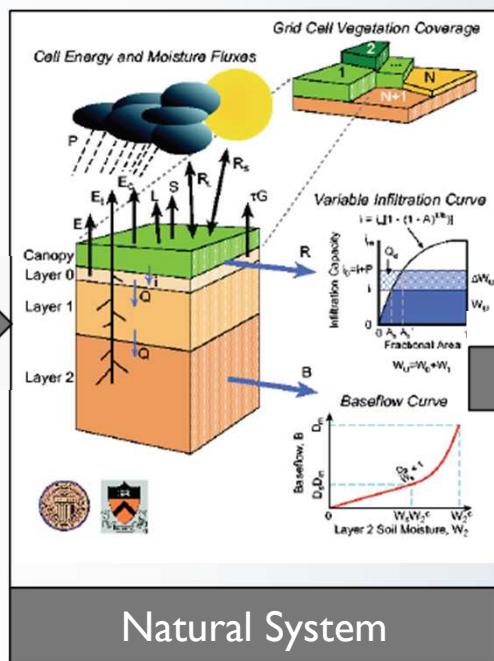
- GHG emissions (climate policy)
- Energy policy (e.g. natural gas exports)
- Technological change
- Land use / land cover change
- Resource constraints

**Goal: Predictive understanding of energy system vulnerabilities and resilience for multiple climate, policy, & technology scenarios, with an emphasis on the water-energy nexus**

# Initial Case Study: San Juan River

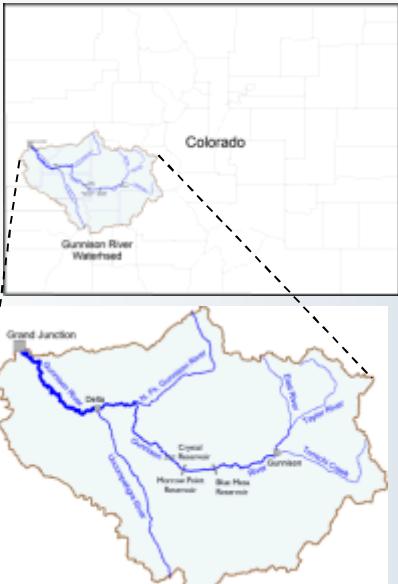
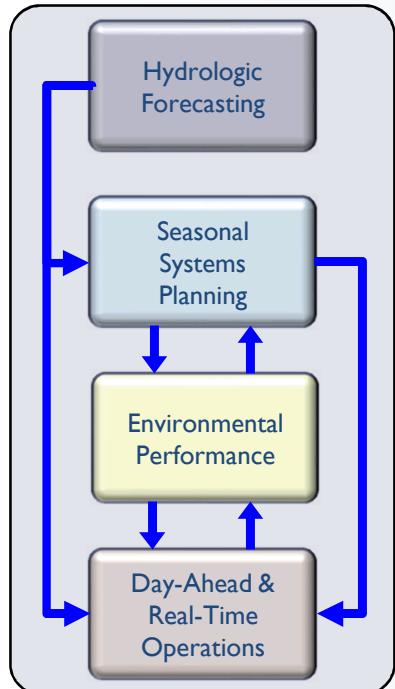
Framework that links natural and engineered systems to evaluate climate vulnerabilities:

- Multiple interdependent systems,
- Multiple interacting scales, and
- Multiple stakeholders.



# Hydropower and Source Optimization

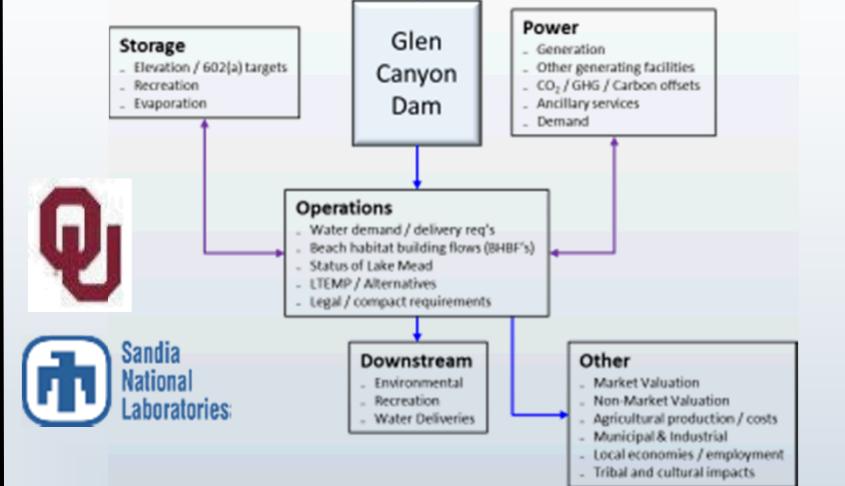
## Hydropower Optimization Toolset Funding Source: DOE



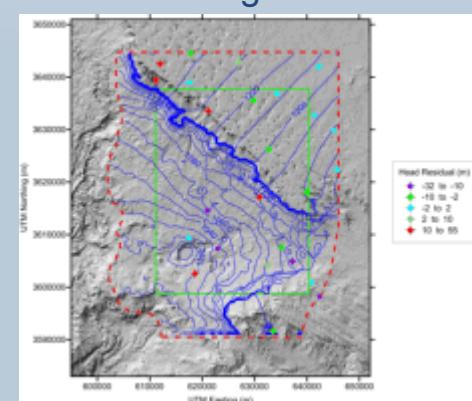
Applied to 3 reservoir system of the Aspinall Cascade on the Gunnison River



## Non-Market Values for Hydropower and Water Storage Funding Source: Western Area Power Administration

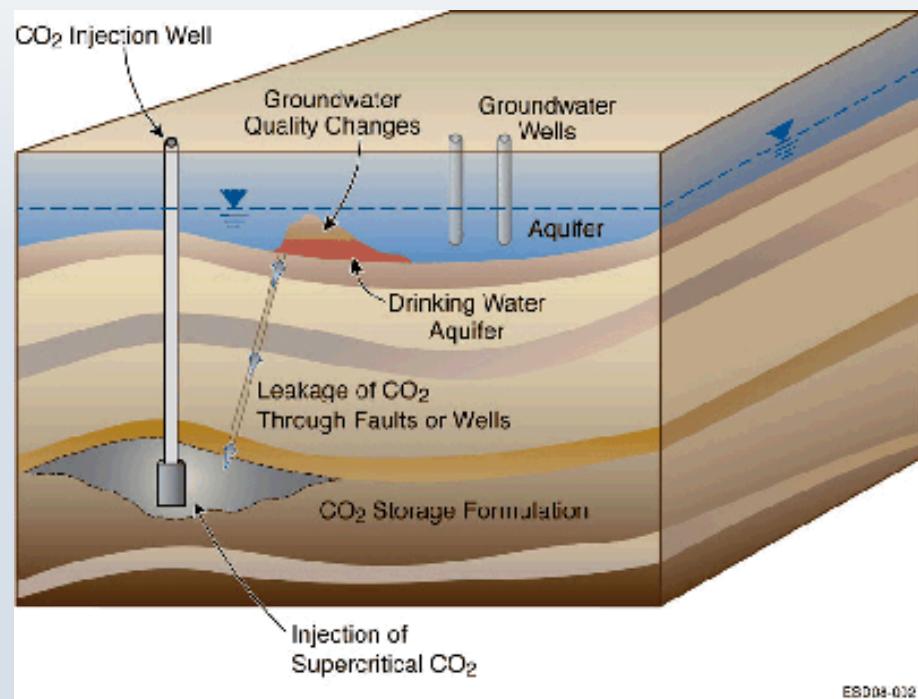


## Hydrogeologic Assessment of the Dewey Lake and Santa Rosa Aquifers, SE New Mexico Funding Source: B. of Land Management

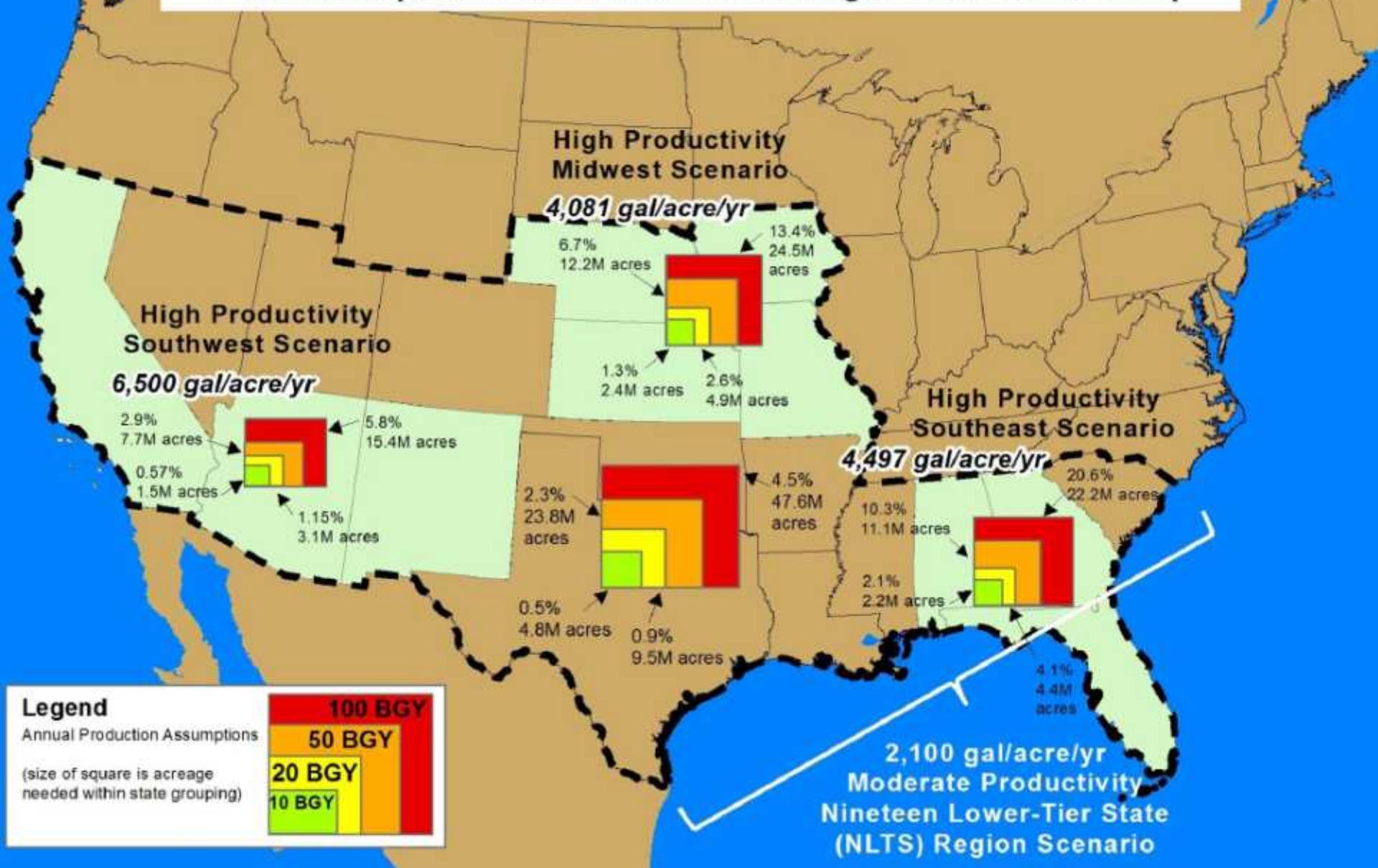


# WECSim

- ▶ Joint effort with NETL
- ▶ Analysis of opportunities to use saline aquifers for carbon sequestration
- ▶ Analysis considered
  - ▶ Aquifer storage capacity,
  - ▶ Location and production of CO<sub>2</sub>,
  - ▶ Reservoir dynamics of injection,
  - ▶ Recovery and use of saline water, and
  - ▶ System operation cost.



# Geographic Regions, Productivity Assumptions, and Target Bio-Oil Feedstock Production Volumes for Scenario-Based Resource Demand Implications Assessment of Algae Biofuels Scale-up



# Engagement, Policy Analysis, and Decision Support



Interactive visualization and decision analysis tools that utilize—and inform—advanced technology and data, modeling, and analysis activities

## Planning Tools



## Policy Analysis



Single- and multi-sector analyses to highlight tradeoffs and opportunities for co-optimization and technology adoption

Quantitative regional metrics for measuring success of energy-water investments

## Sustainability & Resilience Metrics



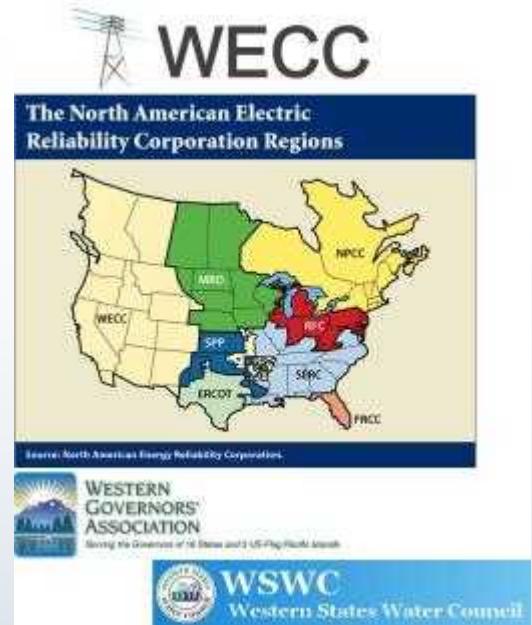
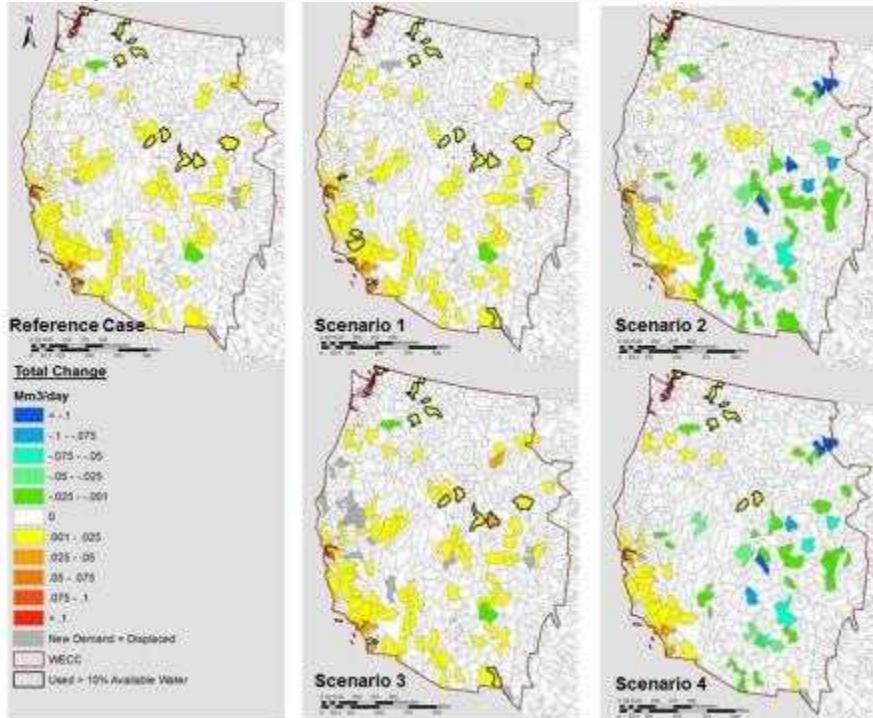
## Stakeholder Exchange



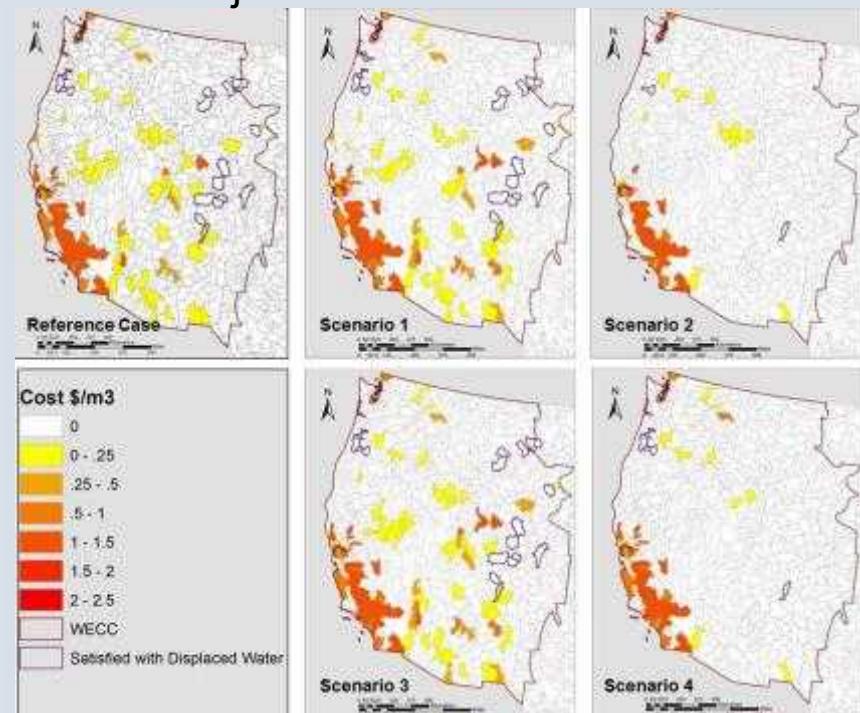
Mechanism for stakeholder input, sharing, and enabling access to data and cross-fertilization of technology and data insights across DOE

# Integrated Planning

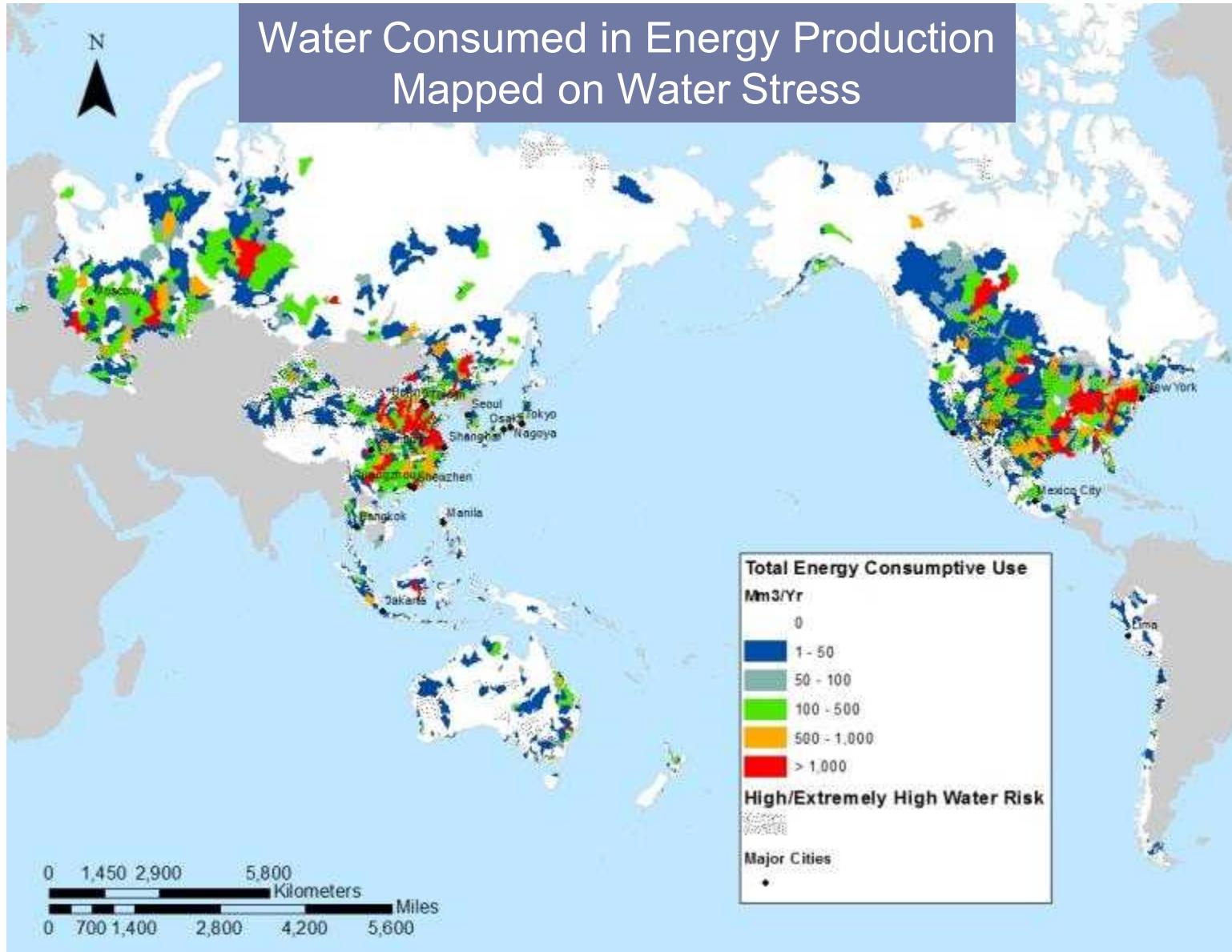
## Projected Future Thermoelectric Water Use



## Projected Future Water Cost

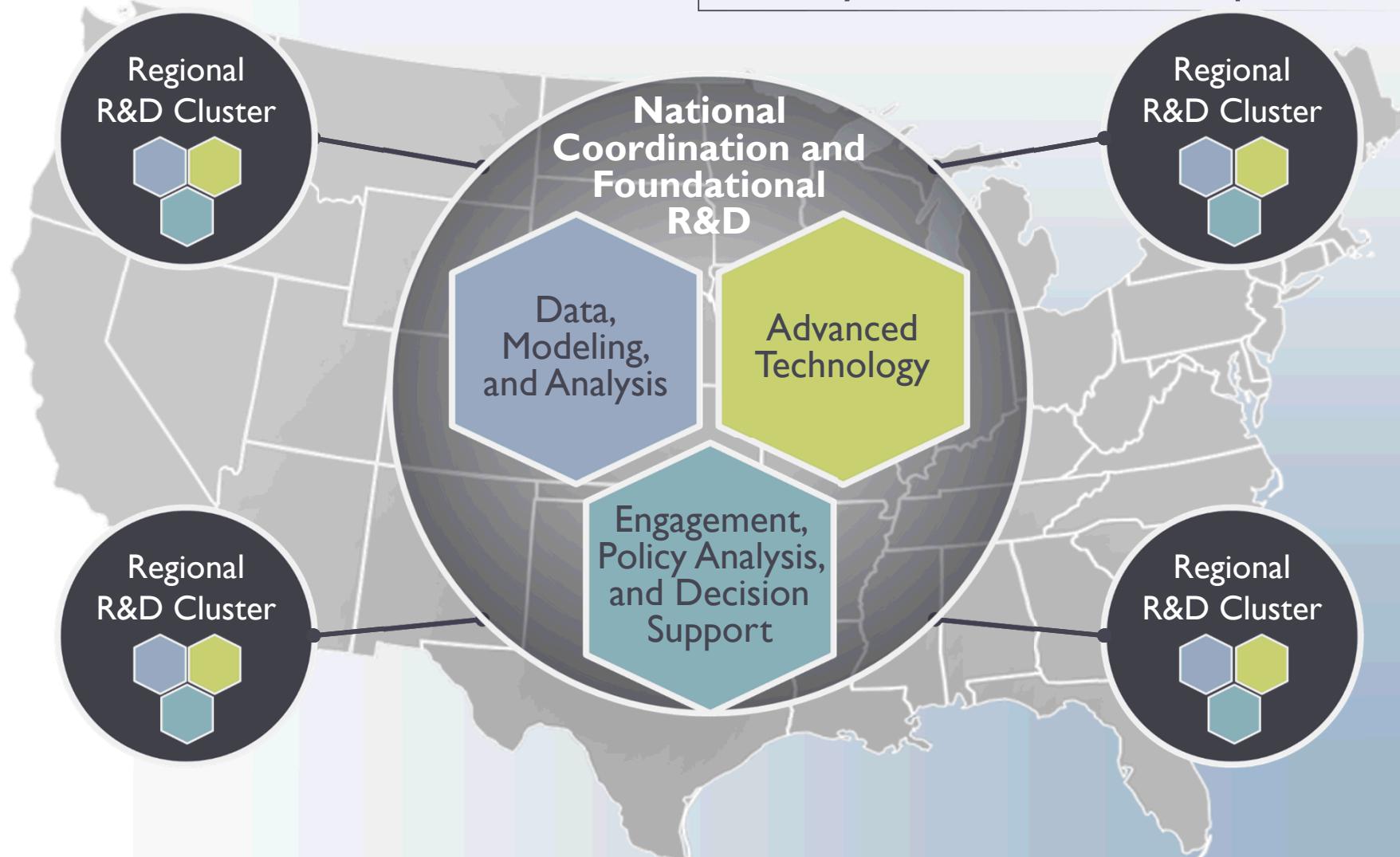


# International Energy and Water



# The Big Idea

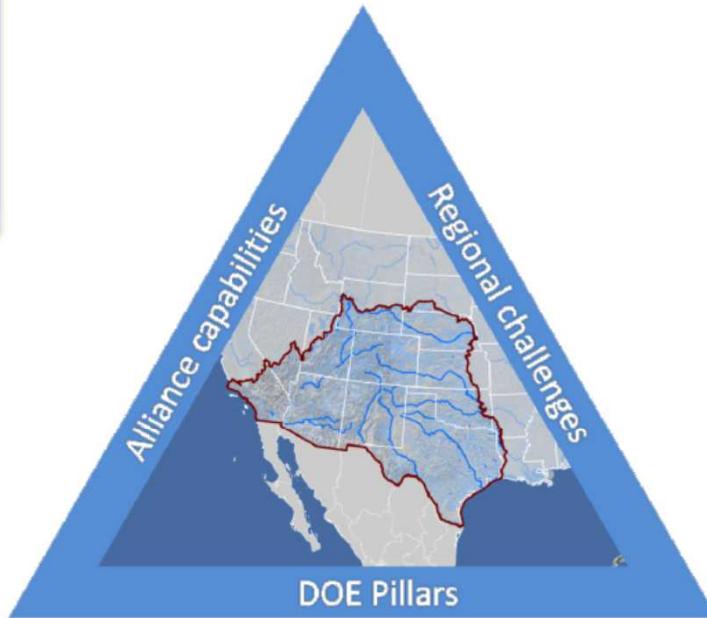
A cross-cutting R&D program that creates an integrated view of energy and water systems, accounts for regional heterogeneity, and enhances security, resilience and competitiveness



# Regional Partnership



## Southwest & Rocky Mountain South Water-Energy Nexus Alliance



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Status and Progress



# Advanced Technology

## ACCELERATING IMPLEMENTATION

