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Groundwater Management Optimization

by ALL_WATER_gw

New problem formulation & additional functionalities.



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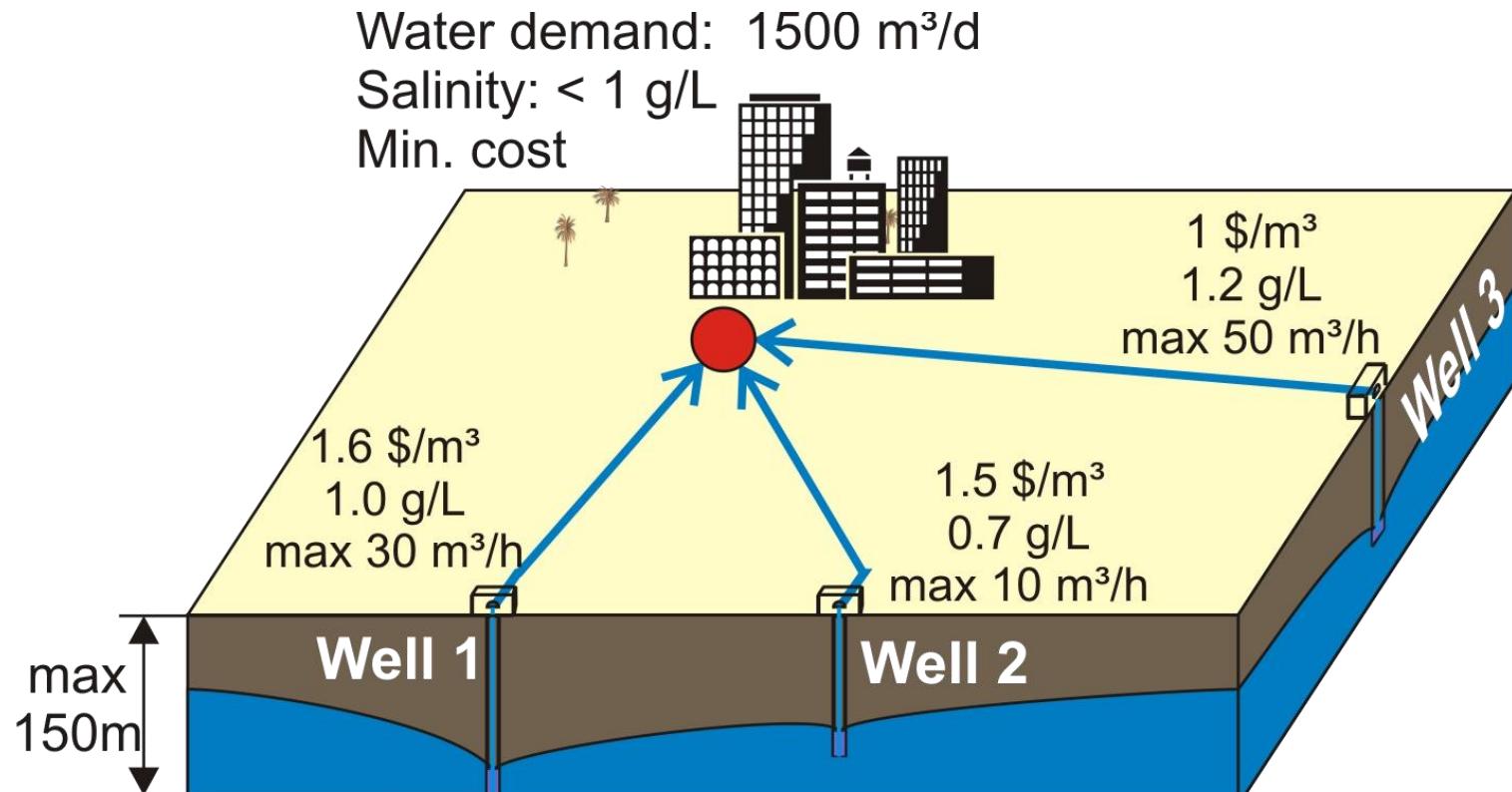
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Outline

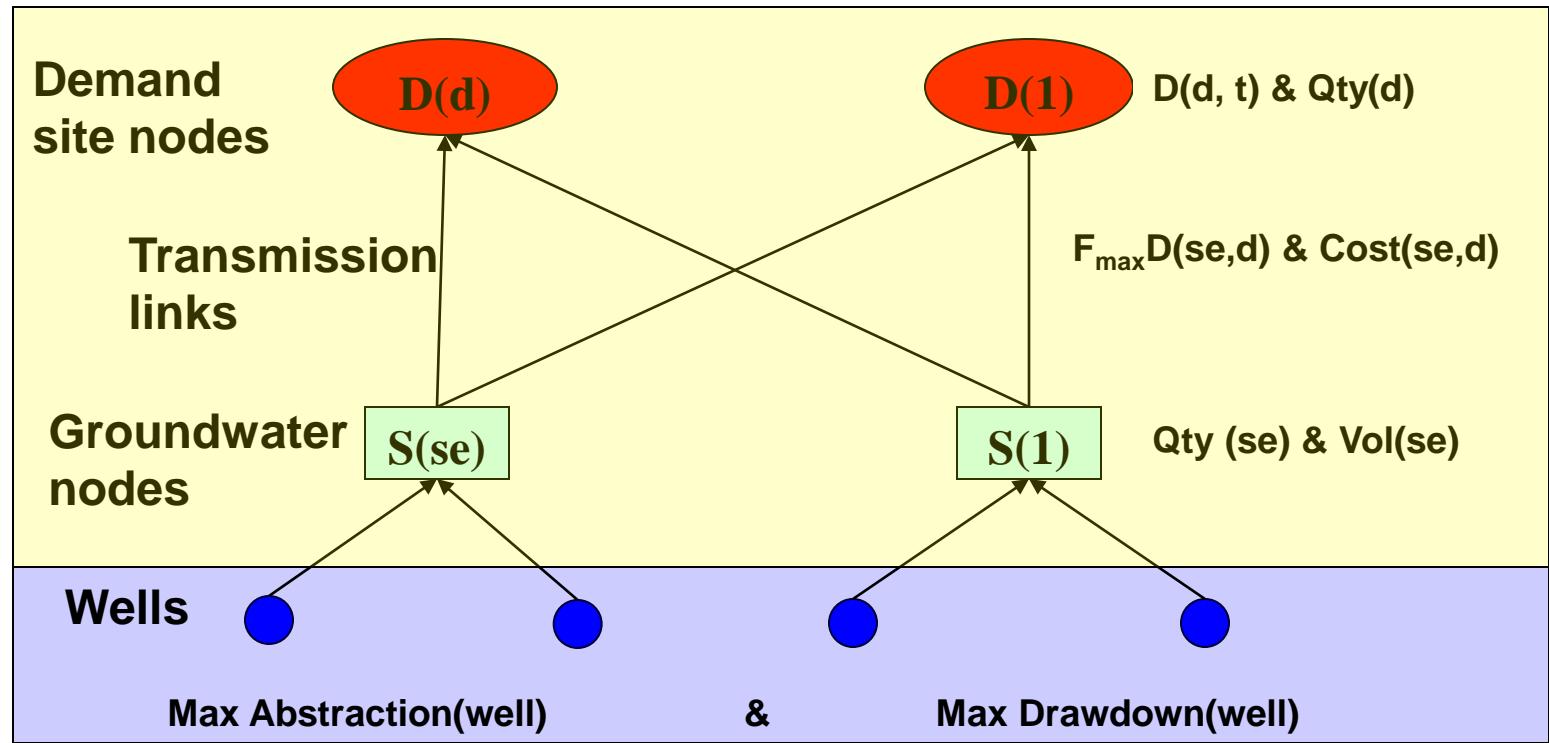
- **Problematic,**
- **General conceptual model and objective,**
- **Problem formulation and resolution methodology,**
- **ALL_WATER_gw presentation,**
- **Case study application.**

Problematic



How much water has to be taken from each well ?

General Conceptual Model



Objective

The main objective of this work was to develop a multi-objective optimization tool for groundwater management.

Problem formulation

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OBJECTIVES

Objective 1 :

Satisfy the water demands of the sites “d” at every time step “t”.

Objective 2 :

Minimize the maximal drawdown.

Problem formulation

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Objective 3 :

Minimize the unit cost of water.

Problem formulation

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CONSTRAINTS

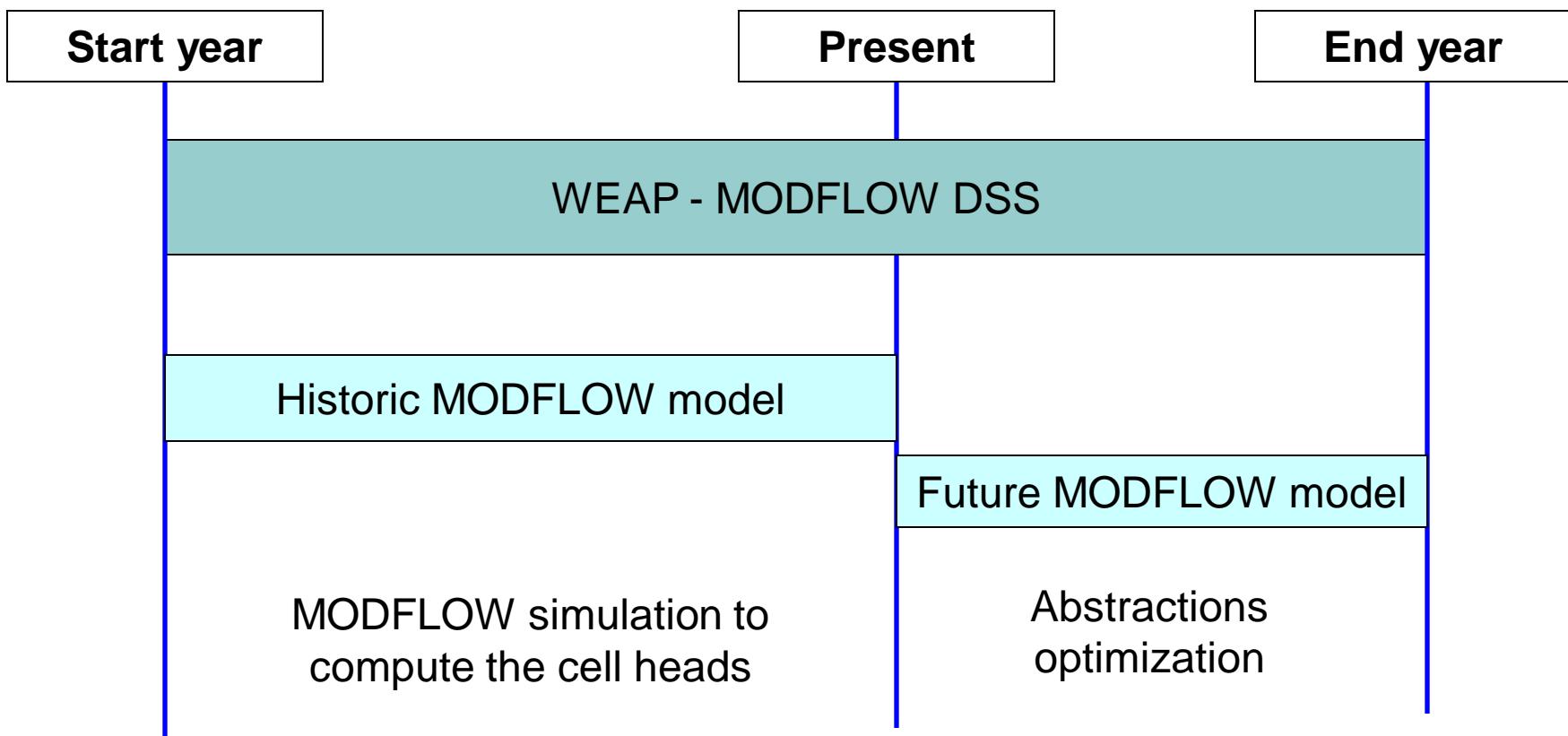
1. Water supply from each groundwater node to any demand site must be lower than the **maximal transmission link capacity**.
2. Water **abstraction** from each well must be lower than the **maximal acceptable value**.
3. Water **drawdown** in each well cell must be lower than the **maximal acceptable value**.
4. Water **quality** supplied to each of the demand sites must be lower than the **maximal acceptable value**.

Resolution methodology

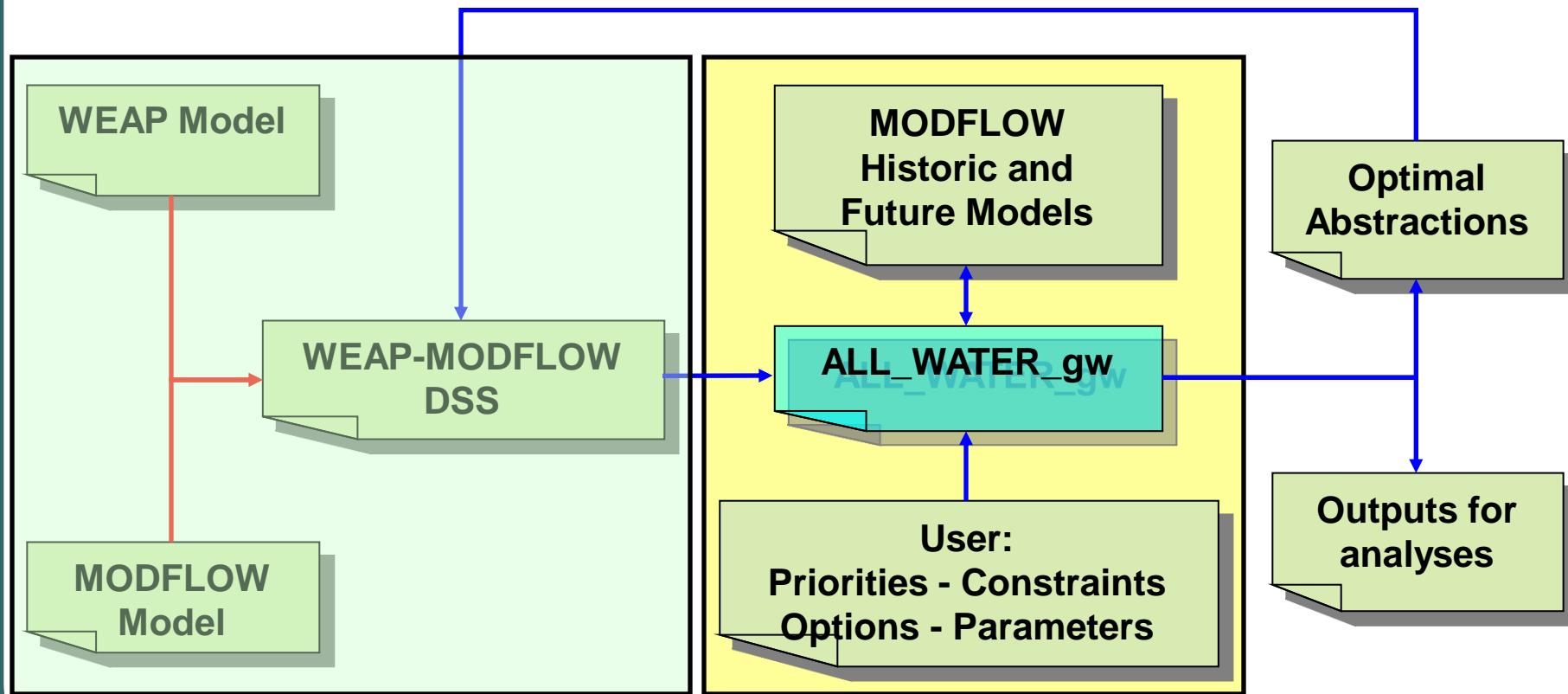
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Fitness 1} = \frac{p_1 \times f_{DS} \times (1 + MaxEQty) + p_2 \times f_{DD} \times (1 + MaxEQag)}{p_1 + p_2} \\ \text{Fitness 2} = f_c \end{array} \right.$$

1. Multi-objective
Genetic Algorithm

2. PARETO
optimality Concept



ALL_WATER_gw in the Framework WEAP – MODFLOW DSS



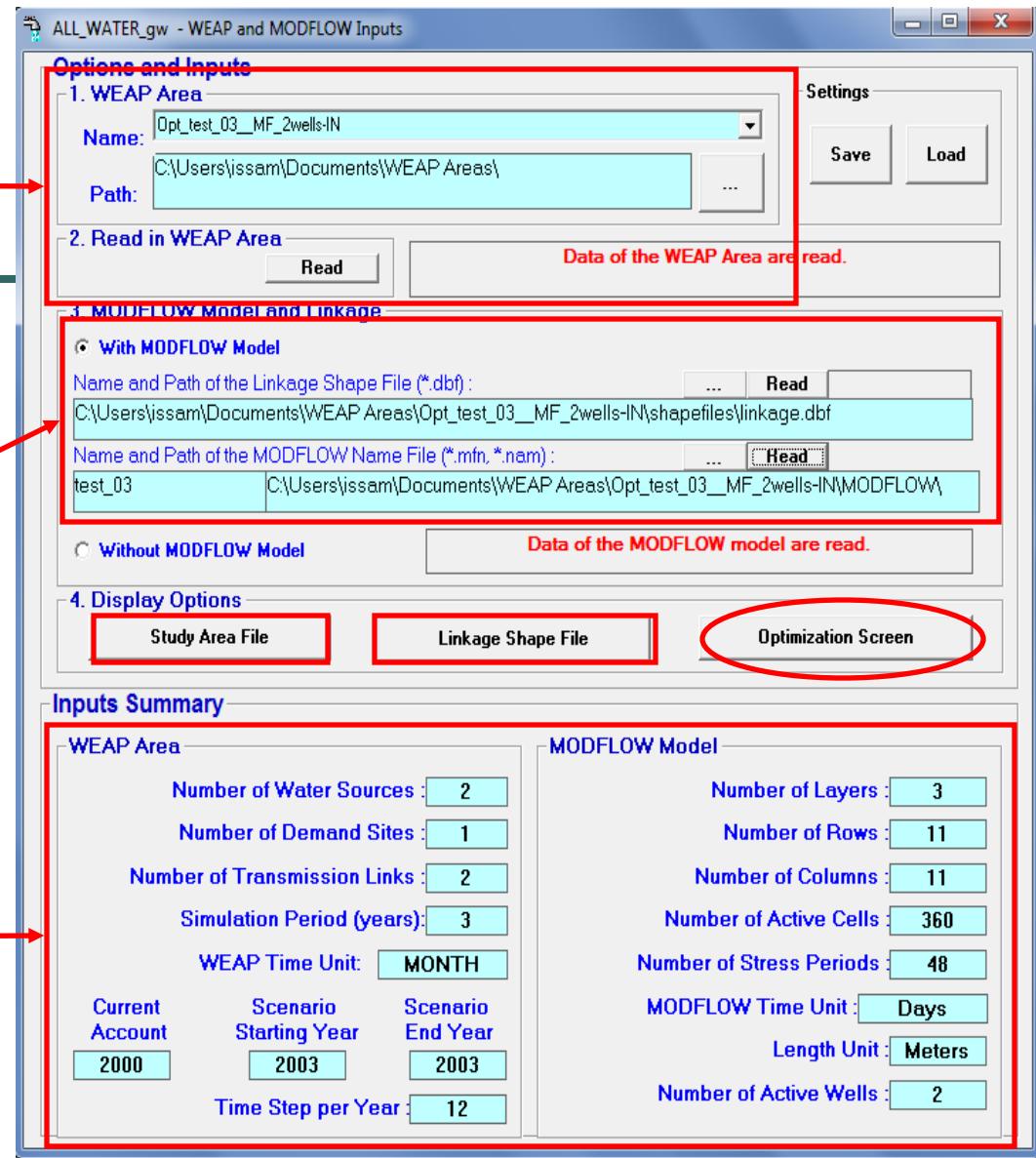
ALL_WATER_gw User interface



Read in the WEAP Area

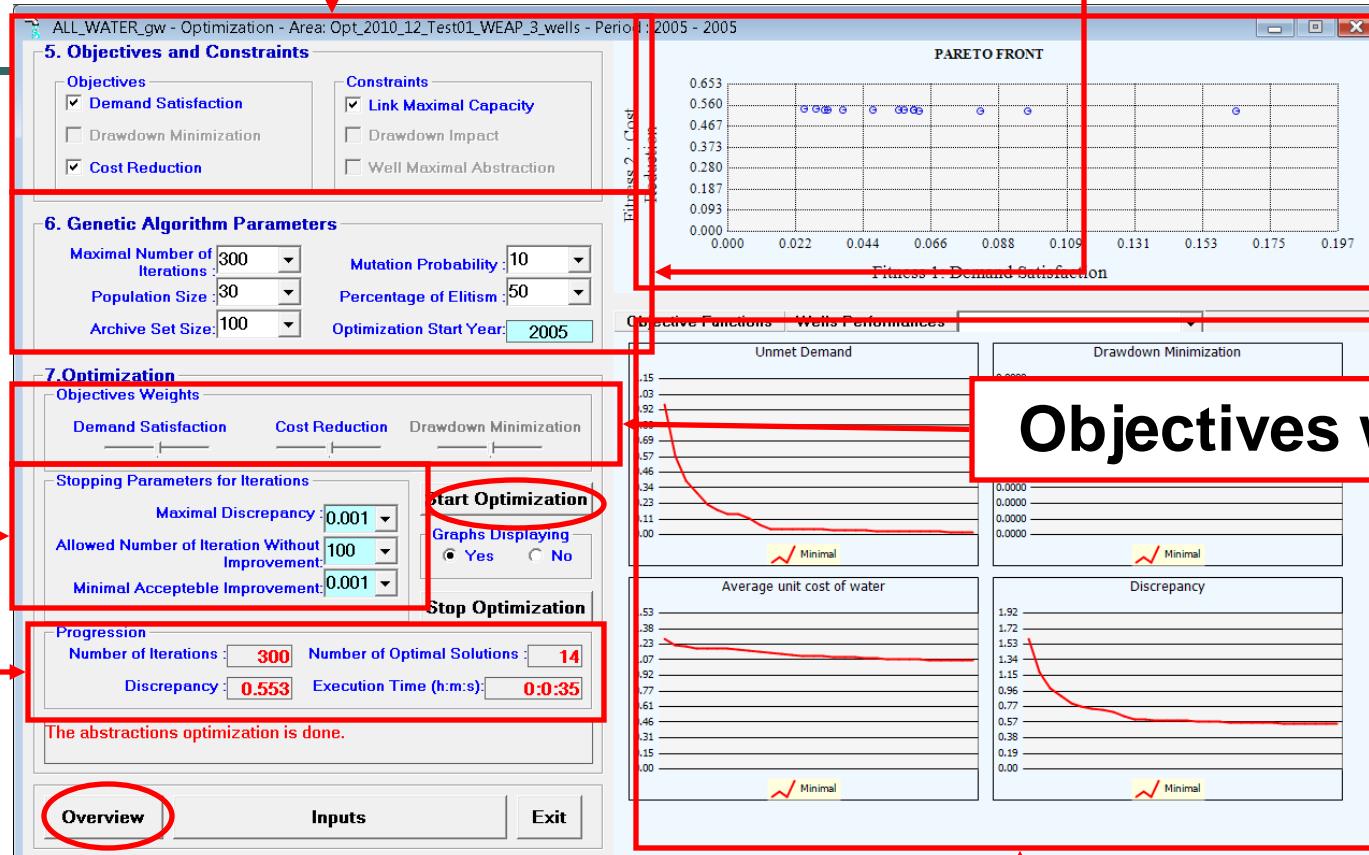
Read in the Linkage and the MODFLOW model

Summary of the inputs



Objectives and constraints

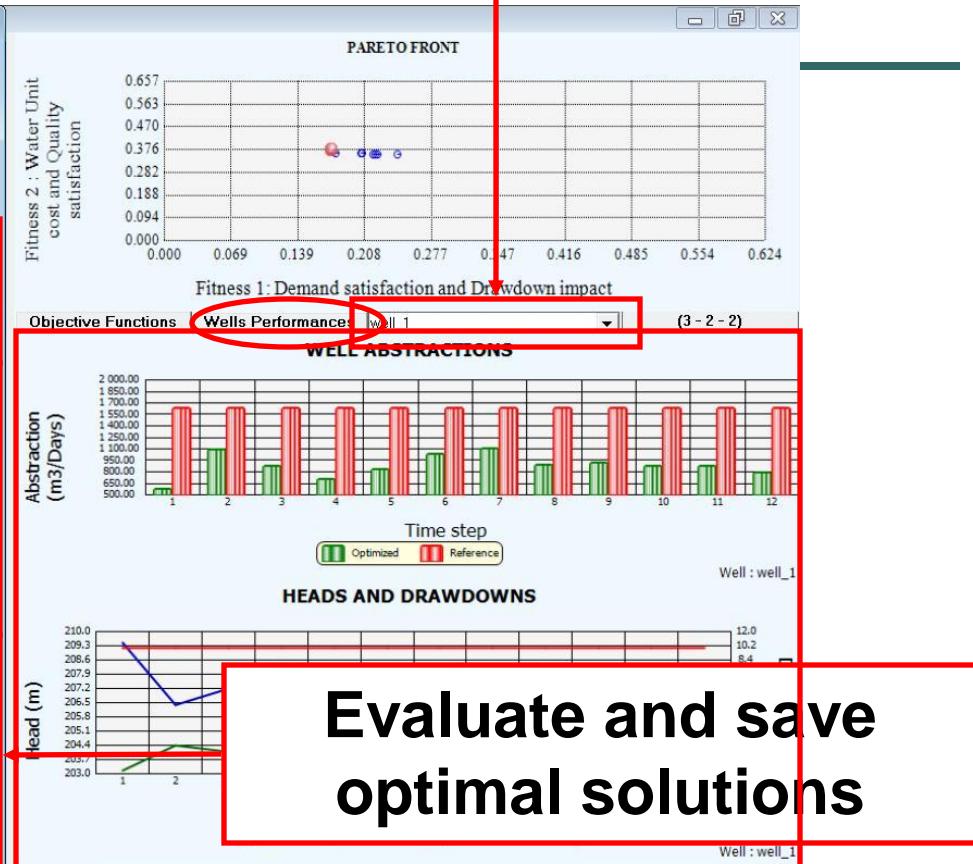
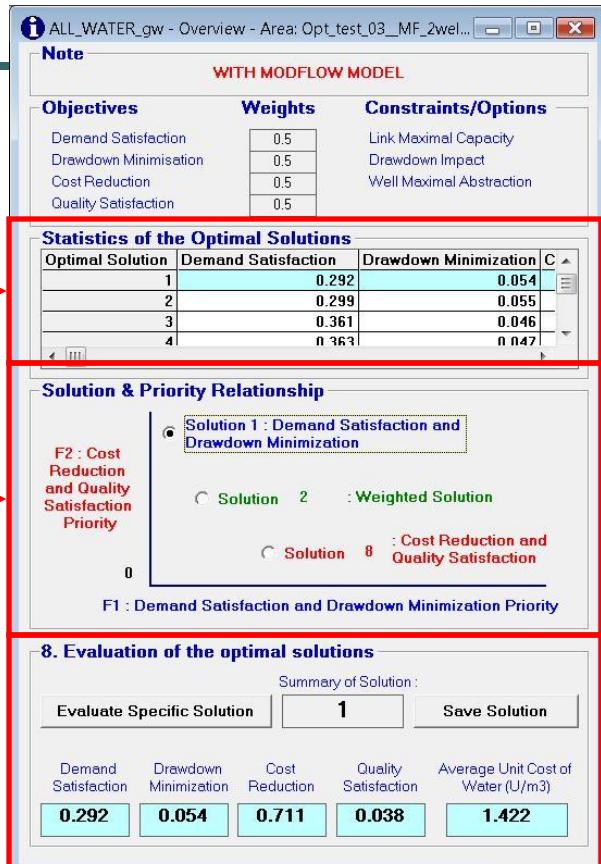
GA parameters



Progression

Statistics of the optimal solutions

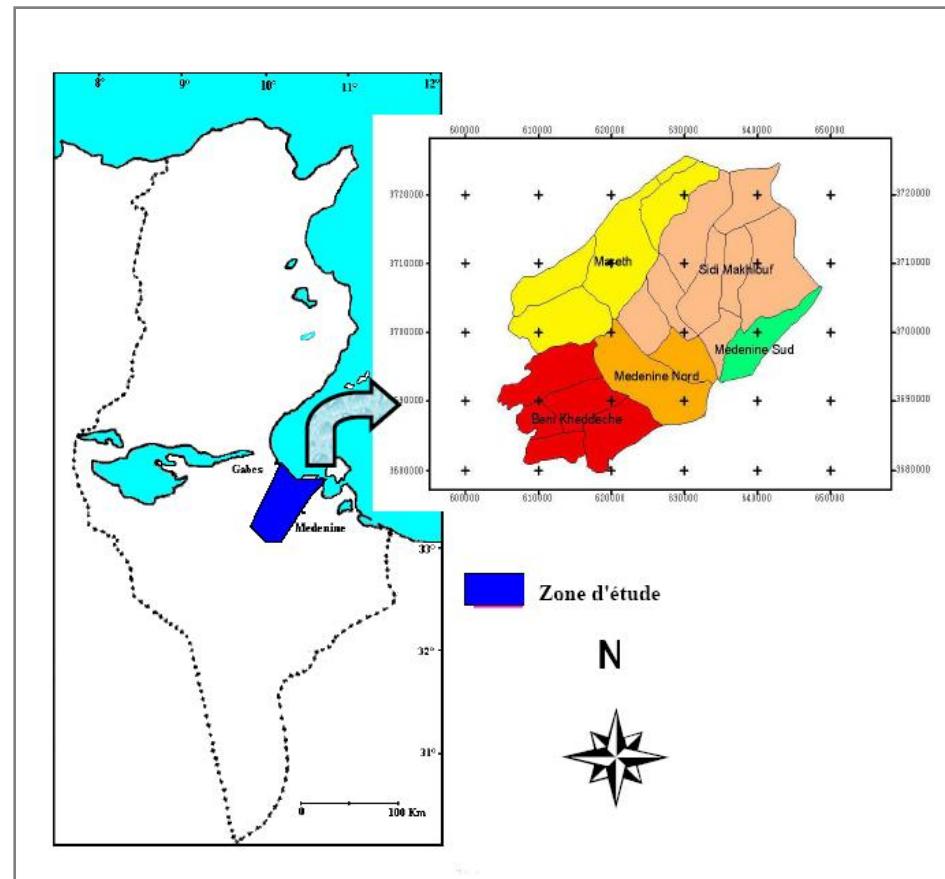
Choose a well



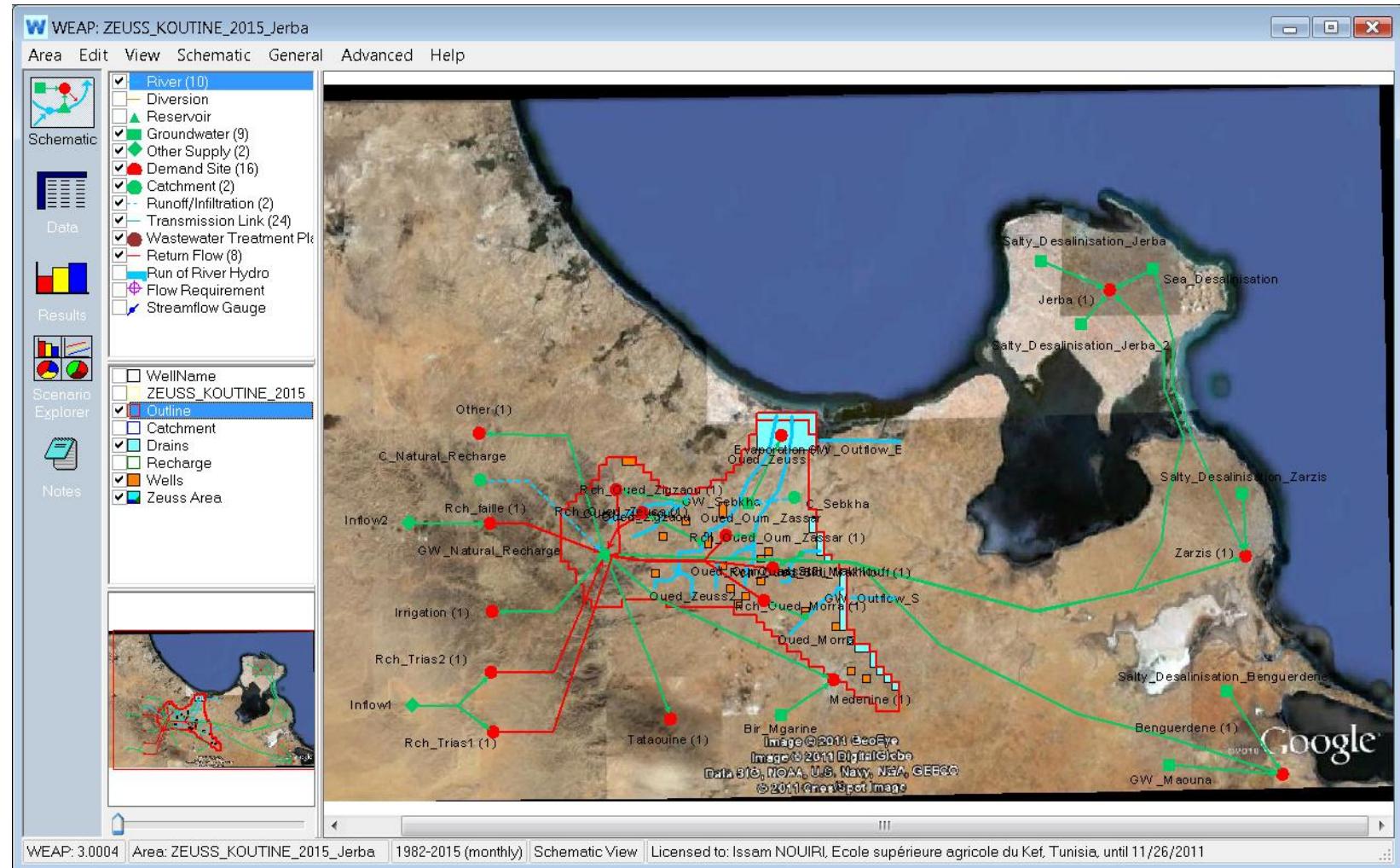
Proposed optimal solutions

Case study application

- 9 groundwater nodes,
- 16 demand sites,
- 24 Transmission links,
- Period: 1983 – 2015,
- Monthly time step,
- Optimization 2013-2015,



WEAP-MODFLOW model for Zeuss Koutine



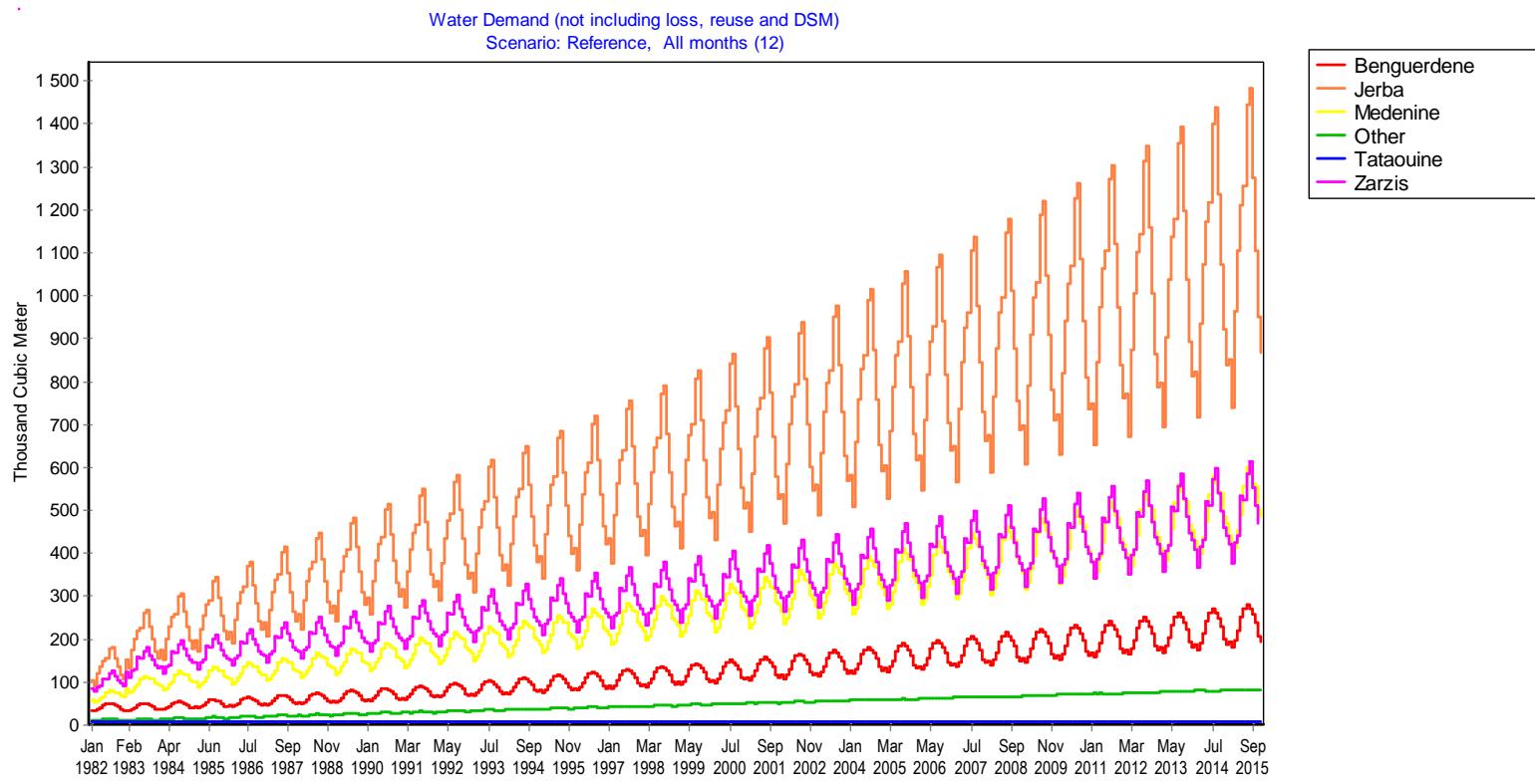
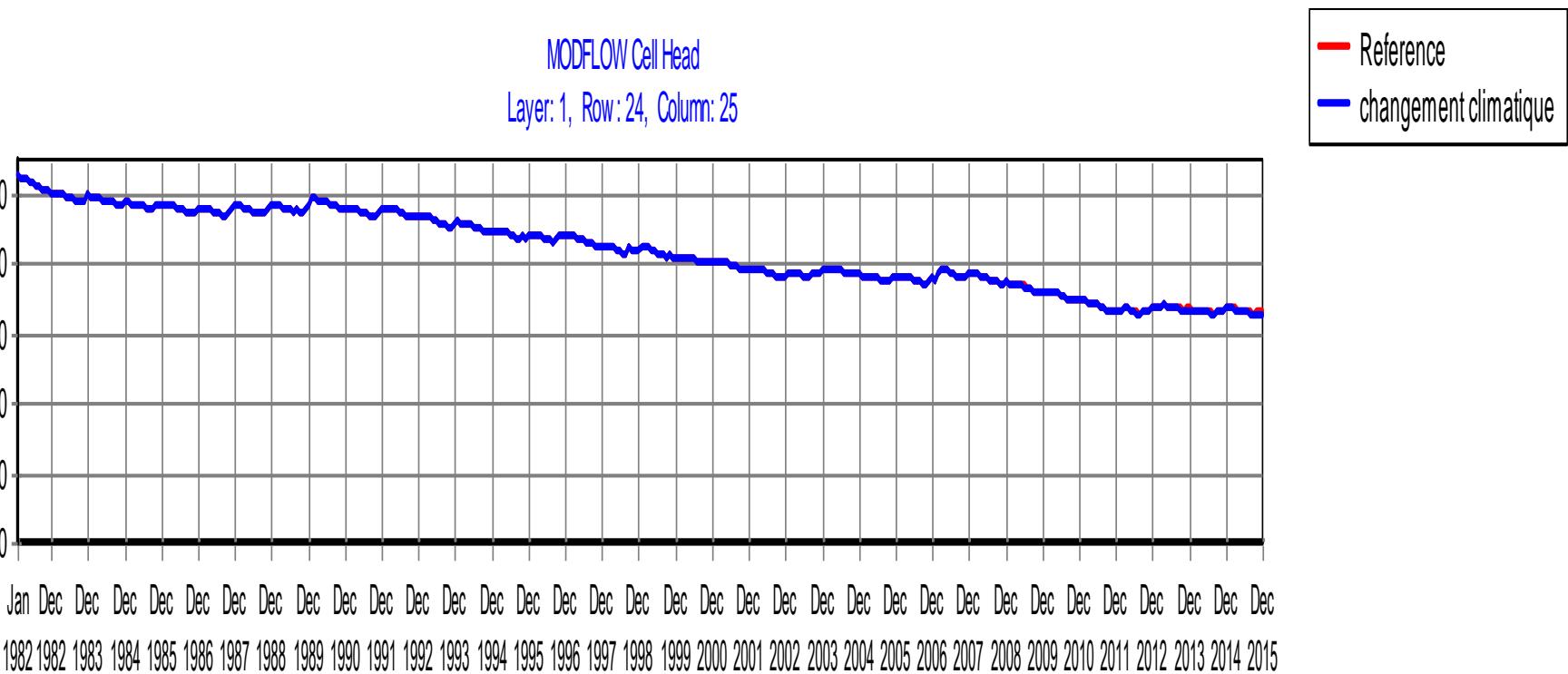
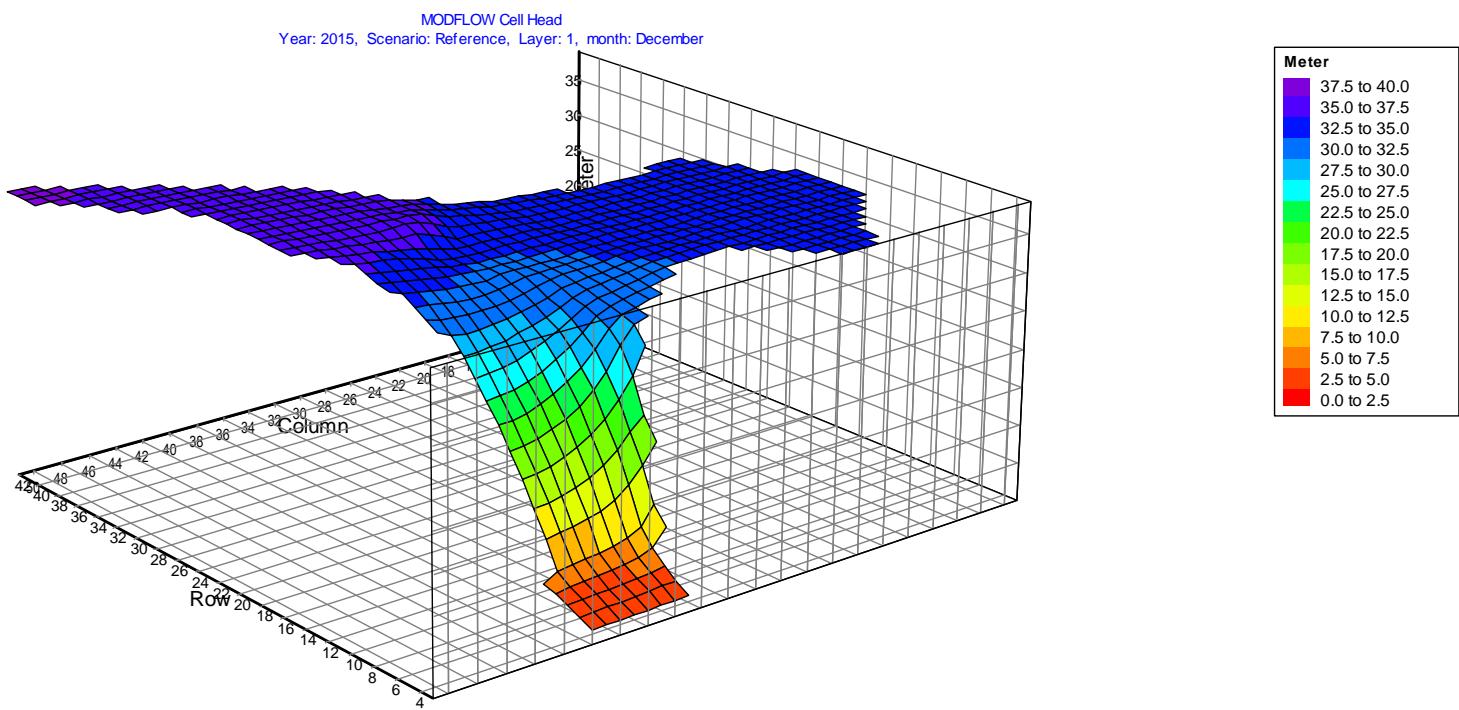


Figure . Monthly water demand for domestic and touristic demand sites nodes.

Simulation results





Optimization results

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet titled "DEMAND_FRACT - Microsoft Excel". The table structure is as follows:

- Columns:** The first two columns are labeled "YEAR" and "TIME STEP". Subsequent columns are labeled by their first few characters: "To_Medenine_From_GW_Natural_Recharge", "To_Medenine_From_Bir_Mgarine", "To_Jerba_From_GW_Natural_Recharge", "To_Jerba_From_Sea_Water_Desalination", "To_Jerba_From_Desalination_Jerba", "To_Jerba_From_Desalination_Zarzis", "To_Zarzis_From_GW_Natural_Recharge", "To_Zarzis_From_Desalination_Zarzis", and "To_Zarzis_From_Sea_Water_Desalination".
- Rows:** Rows 1 through 371 contain data for each year from 2012 to 2013, with specific values for each flow category.
- Formatting:** The first row (header) is bolded. The data cells are aligned to the right. Three specific sections of the data are highlighted with colored boxes: a red box covers the first two columns (Time Step and Natural Recharge), a blue box covers the next two columns (Jerba Natural Recharge and Sea Water Desalination), and a green box covers the last two columns (Zarzis Natural Recharge and Sea Water Desalination).

Figure. Overview of the “DEMAND_FRACT.csv” file produced by **ALL_WATER_gw**.

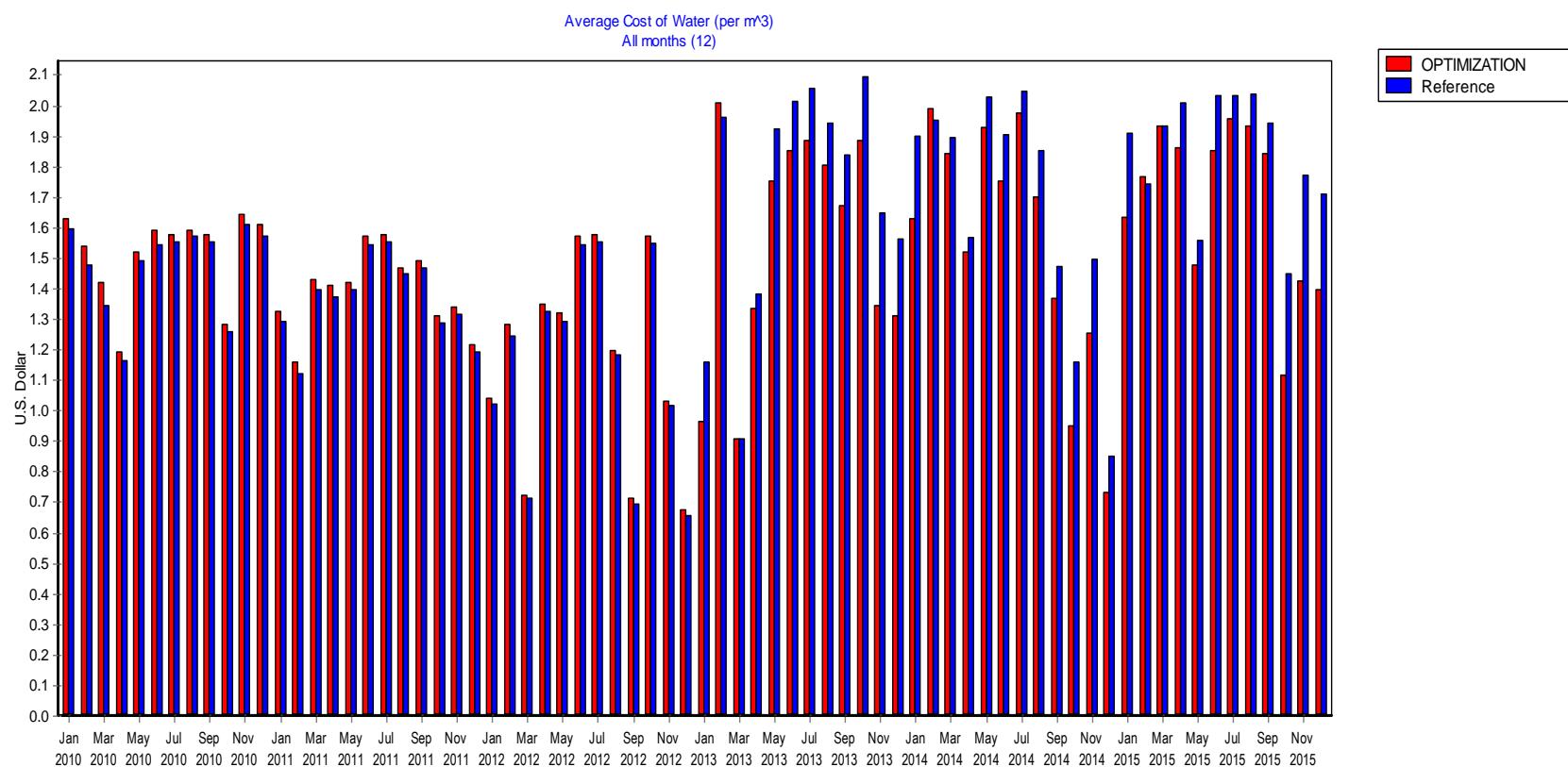


Figure. Optimized and Reference “Average Cost of Water” (KWh per m³).

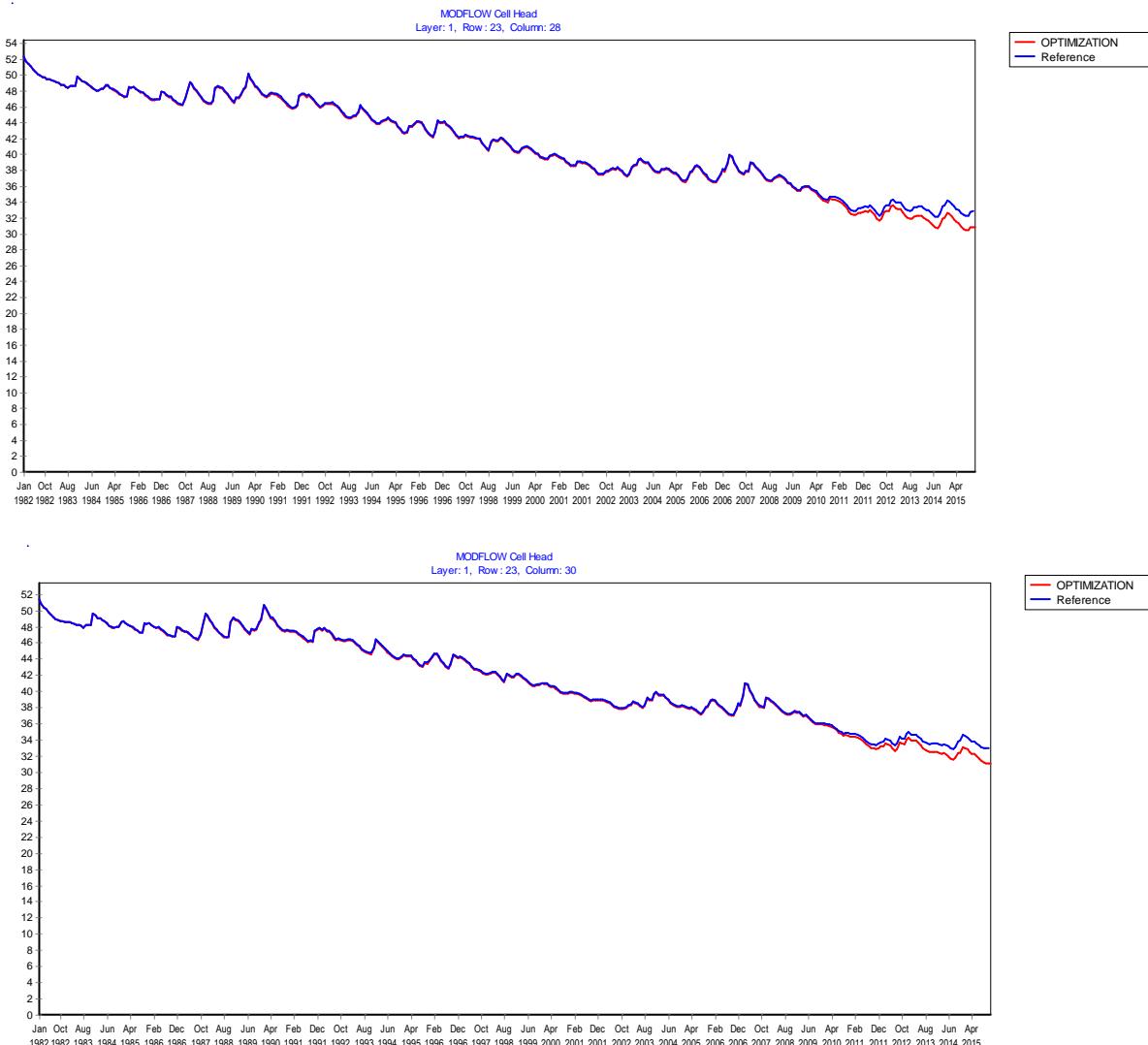


Figure. Optimized and Reference cells heads of two piezometers.

Summary & Conclusions

- ***ALL_WATER_gw*** can be used in the framework of WEAP-MODFLOW or as stand alone tool.
- It considers the main objectives and constraints for groundwater management,
- For real groundwater, it was able to identify optimal management solutions,
- ***ALL_WATER_gw*** is a free tool.



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Thank You

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